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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.

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X. All extensions must be paid in full, in advance. There will be no exceptions.

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1.) You have a verifiable California resale license number, which must be on file with us prior to the Auction.

OR

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Great Britain

Illustrated Covers

1 ✉ **1860-1900's Hand Illustrated Cover and Front Balance,** of 44 items mostly fronts; wide variety of pen rendered designs including silhouettes, animals, caricatures, political including **Russian Czar Blowing Trumpet of Manchuria**, pirate, street scenes and performers, few colored items from correspondence; condition a little varied with many well executed designs, **F.-V.F. overall.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2 *✉ **1860-70's Hand Illustrated Unused Covers,** group of six skillfully executed designs, three watercolored; includes three from correspondence to Mrs White of Clonsilla incorporating stamp (petite cut) into design, others (colored) showing Horse and Rider designs, **Very Fine,** a very attractive group.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

3 ✉ **1870-1900's Hand Illustrated and Colored Cover and Front Balance,** 14 items mostly fronts and a postcard; a variety of colored designs including caricatures, street and landscape views, sailboat, etc., also includes a lovely colored rebus letter, **F.-V.F. overall.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

4 (✉) **1870's Hand Illustrated and Colored Cover Fronts,** Irish correspondence of three fronts addressed to Mrs Palmer in Rahan, skillfully executed designs including **Singing Fish, Gentleman and Pig** and **Imp Holding Lanterns Among Butterflies**, each incorporating ½d or 1d stamps (petite cut) into design, **Very Fine,** a lovely trio.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

5 (✉) **1874 Hand Illustrated Cover Fronts,** two skillfully executed designs from correspondence addressed to Walter Stair of Hackney, one depicting **Devilish Imps Hosting Address Panel** and other with **Cripple Boy Reading Notice** which incorporates stamp into signpost, both franked with 1d red and tied by London duplex postmark; later with some front flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

6 (✉) **1875 Hand Illustrated Cover Front,** skillfully executed design in pen depicting **Sailing Ships at Seashore** view, franked with 1d red tied by "Barnstable, No 1, 75" duplex postmark, **Very Fine,** a wonderful design.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

7 ✉ **1891-93 Hand Illustrated Cover Fronts,** ten fronts from correspondence addressed to Louis or Miss Woodroffe, skillful pen drawings with four watercolored, various caricatures including mythological creatures, couple planted pot motifs, two pen caricatures unused, others mostly franked with 1d lilac tied by London duplex, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

8 ✉ **1900 Hand Illustrated & Colored Cover,** hand delivered cover with skillfully rendered **Portrait of Young Women** design, inscribed "Many happy return of the Day, To Dora, from GME, 20 Sept 1900" from artist **George Henry Edwards** to his sister on her birthday, **Very Fine,** the only known cover from the Edwards correspondence to be hand delivered by the artist.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

George Henry Edwards (1854-1918) exhibited his art at the Royal Academy and the Royal Institute. This is one of approximately 45 covers believed to exist from this artist.

9 ✉ **1846 London to Santiago, Cuba,** folded letter endorsed "pr West India Pkt" and rated at "2/3" in manuscript, London "Paid" datestamp cross, charged with "2" reales on receipt, with Baeza datestamp of Santiago on reverse, **F-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

10 S **1891, Queen Victoria, £1 Green, "Specimen" Overprint,** type 11 overprint, o.g., **Fine and scarce.**
SG No. **212S**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

British Post Offices Abroad



11 ✉ **(British Post Offices Abroad) Paid at Jacmel,** red crown circle postmark on folded letter sheet to **Santiago, Cuba**, with British P.O. "Jacmel, Mr 11, 1854" origin cds on reverse, manuscript "1/-" maritime fee to St. Thomas (datestamp on reverse), transit markings of Havana on front including blue "3" reales inland rate due and "Yndias" straight line (P.E. 15), Santiago arrival backstamp, **Very Fine.** SG No. CC2.
Estimate . . . . . $6,000 - 8,000

A UNIQUE USAGE OF THE JACMEL CROWNED CIRCLE POSTMARK IN COMBINATION WITH THESE SPANISH POSTMARKS.



12 ✉ **(British Post Offices Abroad) Paid at San Juan Porto Rico,** 1858 Puerto Rico to Palma de Mallorca, Spain folded letter bearing 1857, ½r greenish blue tied by oval obliterator, with blue dispatch cds paying the internal rate, entering the British P.O. with black **"Paid, At, San Juan Porto Rico" crowned circle** and rated "2/2" in red crayon, with corresponding double arc datestamp on reverse, sent via London with "Paid" cds and "PP" within circle, transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-Glassco & Borromeo d'Adda*; with 1988 Holcombe certificate.
SG No. **CC1** . . . . . Estimate $7,500 - 10,000



13 ✉ **(British Post Offices Abroad) Paid at Tampico,** Crown Circle bold red handstamp on 1854 folded letter to Veracruz, matching "Tampico Ju 1, 1854 cds" on reverse, "Santa Anna De Tamaulipas, Junio 1" cds and boxed date stamp (Schatzkes 1584 & 1585) with matching "1" rate handstamp on reverse for local delivery to the British Office, **Very Fine**; with 2004 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
SG No. **CC1** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

14 ✉ **(British Post Offices Abroad) Paid at Zante,** blue crown circle handstamp on 1850 folded letter to **Marseille, France**, matching "Zante, 10 Dec., 1850" fancy oval date stamp and manuscript "3" internal rating, manuscript "1/2" British and "8" decimes due upon arrival, reverse with "Malta, De 13, 1850" transit backstamp, **Fine.**
SG No. **CC4**; £1,400 ($1,930) . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



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15 ✉ **(Crimean War) 1855 Crimea to Fort William, Scotland,** September 22nd "On Her Majesty's Service" cover franked by 1d vertical strip of three tied in transit at London by "47" numeral cancellations, backstamped by small "Post-Office/British Army" double-arc and arrival framed datestamps; cover edge wear and slight soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

16 ✉ **(Crimean War) 1856 Crimea to Dublin, Ireland,** July 19th single weight envelope posted in the Crimea some three weeks before peace was signed, sent to Dublin via Marseilles, franked by 1d strip of three cancelled by London "18" numeral type cancellation, with very fine "Post Office/British-Army" double-arc datestamp on reverse; few slight usual tone spots, **Very Fine for this.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

British Commonwealth

17 * **Aitutaki, 1916, King George V, 1s Vermilion,** se-tenant strip of 4, overprints showing (1st to 4th stamp) "Tai" without dot variety, normal overprint, "Tiringi" without dot on third "i", and "Tiringi" without dot on second "i", o.g., rich color, **Fine and rare.**
SG No. **14ab,14ad,14ac** . . . . . £960 for singles ($1,320)

Australian States

New South Wales

18 o **1850, Sydney View, 1d Pairs,** two pairs; horizontal pair of plate I pale red (S.G. 5) on small piece canceled "48" of Tarcutta, and vertical pair of plate II early impression, deep color (S.G. 7) canceled Sydney bars; later with slight crease in top stamp, **otherwise F.-V.F.** Scott No. 1b, 2.
SG No. **5, 7** £1,700 ($2,350)



19 o❐ **1850, Sydney View, 1d Dull Carmine, Plate I Re-Engraved, Hard Grayish Paper,** block of 4 (positions 19-20, 24-25), light barred numeral cancels, clear to large margins, rich color and crisp detailed impressions, **Very Fine,** *ex-T. Mann, Pack & Dale-Lichtenstein*; with 2012 B.P.A. certificate. SG No. 11.
Scott No. **2c** . . . . . Estimate $40,000 - 60,000

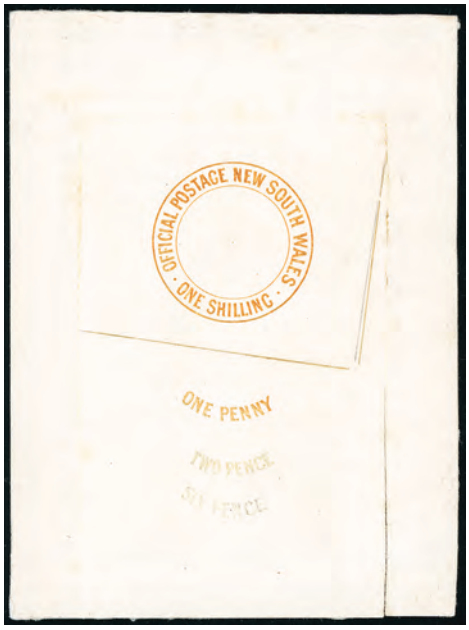
THE FINEST OF TWO KNOWN BLOCKS OF THE 1850 1D PLATE I RE-ENGRAVED SYDNEY VIEW ISSUE.



20 ✉ **1850, Sydney View, 3d Yellow Green, Yellowish Wove Paper,** in combination with **1851, Queen Victoria, 2d ultramarine** slightly overlapping on 1851 folded letter to **Barnsley, England**, tied by two strikes of barred "57" oval handstamps with red "Paid Ship Letter, Sydney, Oct 29, 1851" crown circle date stamp, reverse with oval "Raymond Terrace, New S. Wales, Oc 28, 1851" origin date stamp, manuscript "8" ship rate and reverse with red London entry and "Barnsley, Ap 5, 1852" receiving date stamp, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 9a+11.
SG No. **39+51** . . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

AN EXCEPTIONAL SYDNEY VIEW & LAUREATE MIXED FRANKING TO TO ENGLAND.





21 E **1854 (ca.) Queen Victoria "Official Postage" Vignette and Frame Essays,** two matching essays in brown orange on India die sunk on card; includes head essay of Queen Victoria (83x51mm) and circular 1sh frame design with additional "One Penny", "Two Pence" and "Six Pence" values below, the latter with corner crease not affecting die sink area, **Very Fine,** *ex-Judge H. Montgomerie Hamilton*.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

A UNIQUE PAIR OF EARLY QUEEN VICTORIA VIGNETTE AND FRAME ESSAYS.







22 P **1854, Queen Victoria "Diadem", Perkins Bacon & Co. Progressive and Final State Die Proofs,** three different in black on India mounted on card; includes progressive primary die proof prepared for the 6d value (56x61mm) showing head and outerframe with spandrels, void duty/value ribbons, progressive primary die proof prepared for the 1sh value (43x75mm) of head and outer frame "after entering the head", and final state die proof of head only (40x66mm) with the inner background strengthened, each in exceptional condition, **Very Fine and choice,** the **6 pence die is one of three recorded** (one of which is in the Royal Collection), the **1 shilling die is one of two recorded** (the other is in the Royal Collection) and both are *ex-Yardley, Ginger, Hutson & Manwood*, and the **head die is one of only two examples in private hands** and is *ex-Hutson & Manwood*; each with 2013 B.P.A. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

A WONDERFUL TRIO OF EXTREMELY RARE PROOFS OF THE 1854 DIADEM ISSUE.



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23 P **1854, Queen Victoria, 6d "Diadem", Perkins Bacon & Co. Progressive Die Proof,** in black on India mounted on card; primary die proof prepared for the 6d value (49x56mm) showing head and outerframe with spandrels, no value or labels, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

ONE OF THREE KNOWN EXAMPLES OF THIS 1854 6D DIADEM PROGRESSIVE DIE PROOF - ONE OF WHICH IS IN THE ROYAL COLLECTION.

24 P **1856, Queen Victoria, 1d Black, Perkins Bacon & Co. Die Proof,** on India mounted on card (50x51mm), **Very Fine,** of the original number printed (thought to be six) a number of these have been reduced to stamp size.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE 1856 SMALL DIADEM DIE PROOF - WITH ONLY A FEW EXAMPLES KNOWN.



25 o❒ **1856, Queen Victoria, 1d Orange Red,** watermarked "1", block of 12, 1858 Sydney town cancels, mostly large to huge margins, slightly touching second stamp at top, rich color, horizontal creases between rows, **Very Fine,** *ex-Burrus, Espana, Manwood & Alvarado*. Scott No. 32a.
SG No. **109** . . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

THE LARGEST RECORDED USED MULTIPLE OF THE 1856 1D QUEEN VICTORIA ISSUE.



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26 P **1856, Queen Victoria, 2d Black, Perkins Bacon & Co. Die Proof,** on India mounted on card (36x39mm), bright an fresh, **Very Fine,** a high percentage of the few proofs are cut down to more or less stamp size.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

AN EXTREMELY RARE 1856 SMALL DIADEM DIE PROOF - WITH ONLY A FEW EXAMPLES KNOWN.

27 P **1861, Queen Victoria "Medallion", 5s Black, Die Proof,** on card reduced to design size and mounted on card (41x41mm), the original die proof from the Day Book, light even toning, **still Very Fine.**
SG No. **174P** . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

A UNIQUE ORIGINAL DIE PROOF OF THE 1861 5SH MEDALLION ISSUE.



28 o **1885, Queen Victoria, 6d Mauve, Perf 12 X 10, Imperf Between,** Large Crown & NSW watermark, horizontal pair, sunburst cancels, rich color, couple tiny sealed margin tears at top, **Fine appearance,** a great New South Wales rarity, grossly undercataloged in Gibbons, *ex-Judge Hugh Montgomerie Hamilton*. Scott No. 66a.
SG No. **235cb** £2,500 ($3,450)



29 **/*❒ **1897, Queen Victoria "Medallion", 5s Reddish Purple, Imperf Between,** block of 4 (positions 4-5, 14-15), position 4 showing constant plate flaw below "F" of "Five", o.g., lightly hinged at top, bottom pair never hinged, well centered, strong bold color and exceptional freshness, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2013 B.P.A. certificate. Scott No. 101a.
SG No. **297ca** . . . . . £18,000 for two hinged pairs ($24,840)

THE ONLY SURVIVING BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE 1897 5SH MEDALLION IMPERFORATE BETWEEN FROM THE TWO SHEETS ISSUED OF THIS ERROR.

30 P❒ **Queensland, 1860, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Black, Plate Proof,** on wove, right margin block of 42, ample margins with full sheet margin, creasing in sheet margin well away from stamps and inclusion spot in one stamp, **still Very Fine,** in all probability, the largest multiple of this Perkins Bacon proof remaining, *ex-Meade*.
Estimate . . . . . $6,000 - 8,000

31 ✉ **South Australia, 1899 "Missent to Adelaide S.A.",** straight line auxiliary handstamp on Great Britian 2d brown postal card to Melbourne, uprated with 1d lilac and tied by London postmarks, reverse with printed American, Foreign and European Express package notice; some light toning and corner crease at upper right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

32 P❒ **South Australia, 1855, Queen Victoria, 2d Black, Plate 2, Plate Proof,** on wove, right margin block of 6, full margins, slight creasing and edge thin in margin only, **Very Fine appearance.**
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

33 *❒ **South Australia, 1855, Queen Victoria, 1s Black, Plate Proof,** on wove, corner margin block of 12, full margin, deep shade, faint creasing affecting a few stamps and thin in margin, **Very Fine appearance,** a scarce multiple.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

34 P **South Australia, 1867, Queen Victoria, 4d Black, Die Proof,** on India mounted on card, reduced to stamp size, **Very Fine,** very scarce.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

35 ✉ **Victoria, 1856-87 Victoria Incoming Due Covers,** 6 covers, five with frankings; 1856 England to Melbourne with G.B. 1854 6d purple and manuscript "3" ship letter charge, 1856 Glasgow to Melbourne unpaid letter with "5d" British ship rate handstamp and manuscript "6" due upon arrival, 1867 Hull, England to Melbourne with "Deficient Postage 10/Fine 6}¼" handstamp with additional "More To Pay" mark, 1868 Dublin to Melbourne with blue oval "6d., More To Pay" handstamp, 1886 U.S. to India forwarded to Melbourne with "6d, More To Pay" handstamp, and 1887 England to Melbourne redirected to Toowopm, Buenos Aires with "2d, More To Pay" oval handstamp for inner colonial rate; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

36 ✉ **Victoria, Postage Due, 1906, ½d Aniline Rose & Pale Yellow Green,** tied by manuscript on 1911 postcard to Melbourne redirected to Maffra, franked with **Russia 1909, 3k carmine** tied by **Pori (Finland)** cds, Melbourne receiving cds and "T ½" in oval handstamp with manuscript rate, **Very Fine,** an extremely rare single and **quite possibly unique solo Victoria ½d Postage Due usage**.
SG No. **D34** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

Australia

37 ✉ **1934, Kangaroo and Map, £2 Black & Rose,** C of A watermark, tied to part of registered bag to San Francisco Federal Reserve Bank (probably a gold shipment!), with Perth registry etiquette, missing other stamps, **Fine.** Scott No. 129 $800.
SG No. **138** . . . . . £550 for used ($760)

Postage Dues

38 ✉ **Postage Due, 1919, 3d Carmine & Yellow Green,** manuscript "23/11/36" date canceled on cover to Alberton, South Australia, **first flight with typed endorsement "Melbourne - Dutch East Indies, By courtesy of Messrs W.D. Rous and H.J. Van Beckman. Via Hornet Moth 'plane"**, cover franked with Netherlands Indies 1912, 7½ bister tied by "Koepang, 19. 10. 36" cds, two different "T" due handstamps and signed by both pilots, **Very Fine,** illustrated in Eustis *Australian Airmail Catalogue* (under number 642). Scott No. J54.
SG No. **D95** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

THE ONLY COVER FLOWN OF THE MELBOURNE - DUTCH EAST INDIES FIRST FLIGHT.

39 ✉ **Postage Due, 1957, 8d Carmine & Green,** tied by "Elizabeth St. P.O., Melbourne, 23 Ap, 57" **First Day of Issue** postmark on unaddressed cacheted cover; cover toning on reverse, **otherwise Very Fine,** a surprisingly rare first day of the 1957 8d Postage Due issue.
SG No. **D127** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

40 ✉ **Postage Due, 1832 London, England to Sydney, N.S.W.,** folded letter **to Governor of Sydney Major Genl. Bourke**, with red "London, Post Paid Ja 4, 1832" oval handstamp and additional tombstone handstamp, manuscript "2/8" rating and partial Sydney crown oval date stamp at right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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41 ✉ **Postage Due, 1855 Battersea, England to Melbourne, Victoria,** cover franked with **G.B. 1854, 2d blue, three singles** tied by "2" barred oval handstamps, red "1d" handstamp and manuscript "2" rate with three-line "Advertised and Unclaimed" handstamp, reverse with straight line origin handstamp and red G.P.O. Victoria cds, original enclosure, accompanied by original "Dead Letter Branch/Returned Paid Letter" return cover with printed Rowland Hill notice on inner flap and cover; original cover with small light stain affecting one stamp, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

42 ✉ **Postage Due, 1860 Dunfermline, Scotland to Bathurst, N.S.W.,** cover franked with **G.B. 6d lilac** (S.G. 69) tied by "113" barred handstamp with origin cds alongside, **redirected to Cowra** with **N.S.W. 2d blue** tied by oval handstamp, appropriate transit backstamps; slight cover soiling and small part of backflap missing, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

43 ✉ **Postage Due, 1877 London, England to Melbourne, Victoria,** consignee letter endorsed "Shippers Letter, pr *British Commerce*", handed over to the postal authorities in Melbourne and handstamped with **boxed "Loose Ship Letter" and "2d To Pay" in oval**; couple tone bands and tears at top, **otherwise Very Fine,** an early and limited use of both handstamps.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

44 ✉ **Postage Due, 1890 Buckingham, England to Redfern, N.S.W.,** cover franked with G.B. 2½d QV (S.G. 201) tied by duplex postmark, purple boxed "Deficient Postage - 1½, Fine 4d; 5½" and "Advertised, Unclaimed" handstamps, reverse with Redfern cds's and **The Largest Remainders of the NSW Docket System to Have Survived**, accompanied by the original G.B. Return Letter Office notice envelope when cover was returned, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

45 ✉ **Postage Due, 1890 Melbourne to Prahan, Victoria,** 1d printed private order corner card entire canceled by "Melbourne, Oc 18, 90" duplex, redirected to Mittagong via NSW Traveling Post Office with bold "More To Pay 2d" oval handstamp, redirected again to Sydney where it received a **green postage due docket** on reverse and blue crayon "2d" and "461" docket number on front, **Very Fine,** a late usage official the NSW docket system as postage due issue replaced these dockets in January 1891.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

THE ONLY RECORDED DOCKET REMNANT ON GREEN PAPER - ALL OTHERS HAVE BEEN RECORDED ON YELLOW PAPER.

46 (✉) **Postage Due, 1914 Fremantle to Perth, Australia,** piece of large O.H.M.S. front with origin cds and blue crayon 3/11 due rating for letter bundle, franked with **Postage Due 2s + 1s + 6d + 4d + 1d** tied by "Post Restante, 23 Jan, 14" cds's, **Very Fine,** possible unique with 1sh & 2sh high values unrecorded on cover.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

47 ✉ **Postage Due, 1877-1933 United States Incoming Due Covers,** 8 covers; with three pre-postage due issue usages including 3¢ entire to Sydney with "T" in circle handstamp and manuscript "1/6" due rating, unfranked 1902 N.Y. to Adelaide with "25 ctms" and "5" handstamps, 1902 Lamont, Okla. to N.S.W. dued "5d" with "Refused" and pointing hand return markings, 1910's underfranked covers with a mix of 2d & 3d due combinations, 1927 1d on post card and 1933 underfranked and forwarded cover with 2½d due franking, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

48 ✉ **Postage Due, 1862-1916 Official Imprint Covers,** group of 6 covers; with 1862 Ararat to Melbourne Detained for Postage notice, 1883 Melbourne to Ballarat unaccepted Official free frank, 1889 Victoria Postmaster General free frank cover (presumably used to return unclaimed letters), 1895 Melbourne Dead Letter Office entire to Eltham, 1904 D.L.O. cover and a 1916 Official death notice with 1d KGV with "T" perfin, **F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

49 ✉ **Postage Due, 1886-1935 Underpaid International Mail Group,** 10 covers and front; includes two 1886-90 G.B. covers with purple "Deficient Postage" box handstamps (3½d & 1/- due rates), later postage due usages with 1930 U.S. 2¢ entire with 3d + ½d due combination, 1930 Aerial Mail 6d due for 3d deficiency, couple 1930's airmail usage from India with mixed due frankings and a 1935 Iraq airmail bearing a high 1sh + 4d pair due frank, **F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

50 ✉ **Postage Due, 1938-72 Australia Postage Due Postal History Exhibition Balance,** of 59 covers an cards written-up on exhibition pages showing postage due usages for the period, covers selected for this exhibit for unusual and interesting usages; includes 1940 censor cover from Jaipur, India, 1939 Canada incoming with rate advisory auxiliary handstamp, 1941 deficient Papua airmail usage, 1940 unaccepted old Victoria Stamp Duty issue usage, 1949 First Official Airmail Express Delivery use, 1949 incoming from Malta with scarce 6d due block of 5, 1954 domestic compulsory "officially registered" usage, 1958 unfranked airmail cover from England, 1953 underfranked India airmail usage with 7d+4d due combination, 1952 unfranked cover from Lae, Papua New Guinea, 1952 printed matter rate usage from Spain, 1956 Tattersall cover with 1sh due, 1950's business reply cards with high value due assessments for multiple deficient cards, 1961 incorrect due assessment on Tattersall cover from New Zealand, etc.; an ideal collection for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Bermuda

The following represents a collection amassed over 30 years that highlight the combination frankings of USA and Bermuda stamps to pay airmail, special delivery, and forwarding fees. The collection starts with some pieces from the 19th century and then focuses on the development of airmail routes and has most early U.S. airmail issues represented with some outstanding rates and destinations, as well as Bureau and Prexie frankings that are also highly sought after. A book on this subject has been worked on and should come out towards the end of the year. There are a plethora of only recorded usages and the collection focused not only on the rates, but also on collecting every possible use of U.S. air mail and known special delivery stamps to make up those rates.

51 ✉ **1852 St Georges, Bermuda to Westchester County, N.Y.,** December 28, 1852 folded letter with U.S. 1851, 3¢ dull red tied by "New York, Dec 28" cds; light cover toning and small tear at bottom, **F.-V.F.,** this is a precursor to the need for combination frankings to expedite mail within the U.S. and was probably given to the ship's captain and paid a fee to apply the stamp and mail it within the U.S. (as Bermuda had not issued stamps until 1865), very rare as only 2 or 3 others are known during this period originating in Bermuda.
Scott No. **U.S. 11** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



52 ✉ **1886 Hamilton, Bermuda to Boston, Mass.,** legal size cover franked with **1880, ½ brown, five singles + 1883, 1d rose red three singles + 1886, 2d blue, two singles + 1884, 2½d ultramarine** paying the 5 times the 2½d letter rate (12½d), in combination with **U.S. 1885, 10¢ Special Delivery** (E1) all tied by "Hamilton, Bermuda, Dec 23, 85" duplex cancels (including the E1 contrary to regulations) cover arrived on Dec. 26th in NY and then delivered in Boston the next day; Special Delivery with margin flaws, **Very Fine,** a remarkable U.S. Special Delivery combination usage.
Scott No. **16+19b+20+22** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

Robert Markovits stated that he only knew of 5 covers from either Canada, U.K. and one from Germany that had an E1 combination franking and that this could possibly be the EKD for any combination franking as well as the only one from any British Colony. An exceptional exhibition item that was in the family's collection for over 100 years before it came on the market.



53 ✉ **1887 Bermuda to Rocky Hill, Ct.,** cover with **1884, 2½d ultramarine, pair** paying the supplementary fee for expediting the letter on a ship at the dock, in combination with **U.S. 1883, 2¢ brown** (210) added to guarantee local delivery in U.S., with notation at left **"P.M. (for postmaster). Please send to Mr. W. Nance, and he will pay messenger. J.W.C."** and manuscript "10c" in pencil for the special delivery fee at the time, "Hartford, Conn, Mar 15" duplex postmarks cancelling stamps upon arrival, Rocky Hill receiving backstamp; 2¢ stamp with small tear, **otherwise Very Fine,** an exceptional usage showing an unusual combination franking and request for special delivery service even though it had not been prepaid, *ex-G. Ulrich*.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

54 ✉ **1919 Bermuda - U.S. 1917 10¢ Special Delivery Combination,** May 1919 commercial cover with 2½d Caravel in combination with U.S. 1917 10¢ Special Delivery (E11) partially tied to N.Y. (backstamp May 31), **Very Fine,** very few U.S. Special Delivery covers are recorded prior to 1925.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

55 ✉ **1922-23 Bermuda Supplementary Mail - U.S. Special Delivery Combinations,** pair of commercial combination frankings; cover from Ye Old Victoria Lodge Bermuda with 2½d (2) tied by "Hamilton Dec 27, 1922" cds paying the double supplementary rate to N.Y. for posting covers at the ship dock to expedite delivery and also tying U.S. 1917 10¢ Special Delivery (E11a) to pay special delivery rate within U.S., similar cover from Dec 1, 1923, but with special delivery fee made up by two U.S. 4¢ Bureaus (556) on 2¢ on 3¢ purple entire; former with cover opening tears and a few erosion holes, **F.-V.F.,** both rare usages, as few supplementary rate covers exist in this period and with the latter being one of three known U.S. postal entires.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

(The next three USS Los Angeles Zeppelin Covers are the first time that the Feb 1925 and the 2 different Bermuda flight handstamp on the April 1925 flights have ever been offered in one sale. These are the only ones recorded in the market in 30 years, although it is estimated that less than 5 of each exist!)

56 ✉ **1925 New York, N.Y. to Hamilton, Bermuda,** Feb. 20th U.S.S. Los Angeles Zeppelin registered combination franked cover franked by **U.S. 1923, 8¢-24¢ Airmail issue** (C4-C6) tied by New York regular cancels and with Feb 20th scarce purple cancel, reverse re-registered (Bermuda label added) and franked by Bermuda stamps and returned by registered ship mail, Bermuda stamps were actually applied in the U.S. as some are postmarked by a Feb 19th backstamp, **Very Fine,** this is **the only registered Bermuda - U.S. combination franking of any Zeppelin flight relating to Bermuda**.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

57 ✉ **1925 Hamilton, Bermuda to New York, N.Y.,** April 16th USS Los Angeles zeppelin combination franked flight cover from Hamilton, with **U.S. 1922, 10¢ Special Delivery** (E12) applied in Bermuda cancelled April 21 and with full Bermuda 2-line flight handstamp reading "**Bermuda First/Overseas Airmail**" in black, **Very Fine,** this is the first one on the market in 30 years.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

58 ✉ **1925 Hamilton, Bermuda to Albany, N.Y.,** April 16th USS Los Angeles zeppelin combination franked flight cover to Albany and then forwarded with **U.S. 1922, 10¢ Special Delivery** (E12) applied in Bermuda with second type 3-line handstamp from Bermuda reading, **"Air Mail/Service/Bermuda"** and special delivery fee claimed handstamp on front; minor flaws, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

59 ✉ **1925 Hamilton, Bermuda to San Francisco, Cal.,** November 27, 1925 cover sent by ship from Bermuda, franked with **U.S. 1923, 6¢ Airmail** (C4) tied by NYC Dec 1 cds on flight cover to San Francisco, Cal. (backstamp Dec 4th), **Very Fine,** a rare cross country rate combination franking with Bermuda.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

60 ✉ **1925 Hamilton, Bermuda to Madison, Wis.,** July 27, 1925 cover sent by ship from Bermuda, franked with **U.S. 1923, 6¢ Airmail** (C4) tied by NYC Jul 30 cds on flight cover to Madison, WS (backstamp at each leg at Cleveland, Chicago, and Madison), **Very Fine,** rarely found combination on a westward flight from New York, pictured on page 37 of the Cwiakala Bermuda flight book.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

61 ✉ **1925 Hamilton, Bermuda to Chicago, Ill.,** Nov 27, 1925 cover sent by ship from Bermuda, franked with **U.S. 1923, 6¢ Airmail** (C4) tied by NYC Dec 1 cds on flight cover to Chicago, Ill (2 backstamps), **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

62 ✉ **1925 Hamilton, Bermuda to St. Louis, Mo.,** April 12, 1926 cover sent by ship from Bermuda, franked with **U.S. 1923, 16¢ Airmail** (C5) tied by NYC April 15 cds on flight cover to St. Louis (backstamp), **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

63 ✉ **1926 C.A.M. Flight Los Angeles, Cal. to Portland, Oregon,** Sep. 8, 1926; combination flight cover with **1922-28, ½d green + 1d carmine pair** tied by "Hamilton, 8 Sep.26" cds's paying ship rate to N.Y., then by train to Los Angeles, with **U.S. 1926, 10¢ Airmail** (C7) tied by Los Angeles Sep 17 cds on CAM flight to Portland (backstamp Sep18), **Very Fine,** a very attractive item carried by three different means of transportation.
Scott No. **82+83** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

64 ✉ **1926 C.A.M. Flight Seattle, Wash. to Bakersfield, Cal.,** Sep 8, 1926; combination flight cover with **1922-23, ½ green + 2d gray** tied by "Hamilton, 8 Sep.26" cds's paying ship rate to N.Y., then by train to Los Angeles (St Paul, Minn. RPO transit on the front), and with **U.S. 1926, 10¢ Airmail** (C7) tied by Seattle, Washington cancel on CAM flight to Bakersfield (backstamp Sep18), **Very Fine,** a very attractive item carried by three different means of transportation.
Scott No. **82+85** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

65 ✉ **1926 Bermuda - U.S. 1922 10¢ Special Delivery Combination,** Bermuda Hotel Inverurie corner card cover with Bermuda 2½d Caravel and U.S. 1922 10¢ Special Delivery (E12, XF centered) both tied by "Hamilton Oct 22, 1926" tourist slogan to Springfield, MA (backstamp); cover corner nick, **still Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



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66 ✉ **1929 Bermuda - U.S. 1928, 5¢ Beacon Airmail Combination Commercial Air Cover,** November 18, 1929 cover with **1926, 2½d Caravel** paying the ship rate to New York and with seven **U.S. 1928, 5¢ Beacon Airmails** (C11) on front and seven on reverse with two U.S. 5¢ Bureaus (557) on reverse all tied by "New York, N.Y., Nov 21" cancels paying the 80¢ air rate to the **British Ambassador in Bogota, Colombia** (backstamp) sent by the British Naval Commander-in-Chief of the America & West Indies Station; few minor stamp flaws, **Very Fine,** very rare and certainly **one of the most exceptional Beacon usages in existence**, *ex-Sir Henry Tucker*.
Scott No. **87a** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



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67 ✉ **1929-30 Bermuda - U.S. 1928, 5¢ Beacon Airmail Combinations,** pair of covers with Bermuda stamps showing different rates; Sep. 6, 1929 usage franked by Bermuda 2½d and U.S. 1928, 5¢ Beacon Airmail (C11) both tied by Bermuda machine slogan cancel to the Commander of the HMS Colombo at Catalina Island, Cal., and Bermuda 1d (paying the commonwealth 1d ship rate to Vancouver, Canada) and U.S. 1928, 5¢ Beacon Airmail (C11) tied by Bermuda machine slogan cancel on 1930 Special Airmail cover, **Very Fine,** the cover to Canada pictured in Cwiakala Bermuda Air Mail book (page 46), few commercial U.S. 1928, 5¢ Beacon Airmail and Bermuda combinations are recorded.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

68 ✉ **1929 Graf Zeppelin Flight to Hamilton, Bermuda,** August 2nd Graf Zeppelin Germany flight with **Germany 1928, 4m Zeppelin** (C37) addressed to Hamilton, Bermuda, with New York Aug 5th transit, Bermuda receiver on front of Aug 9th and rare Bermuda "Advertised" marking in black when it was posted in the newspaper to identify the recipient and subsequently returned to U.S., **Very Fine,** only two or three recorded from this flight in connection with Bermuda.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

69 ✉ **1930 Graf Zeppelin Flight to St Georges, Bermuda,** June 1930 Graf Zeppelin Europe/Pan-America illustrated flight cover originating in Newark, N.J., franked on reverse with **U.S. Airmails 1926 15¢ + 20¢, two singles + 1928 5¢ + 1930 5¢** (partial stamp) and addressed to St Georges, Bermuda (backstamp Jun 23), **Very Fine,** only two or three recorded with Bermuda as the ultimate destination.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

70 ✉ **1930 Bermuda - U.S. 1930, 5¢ Winged Globe For Special Delivery,** July 20, 1930 use of U.S. 1930, 5¢ Winged Globe Airmail vertical pair (C12) to pay the special delivery fee on a commercial Furness Lines combination cover to Atlantic, Mass. with Bermuda 2½d stamp tied by "Hamilton, Jun 20, 1930" cds, cover has "Fee Paid at North Quincy Branch" 5-line handstamp with time listed at 7:40am, **Very Fine,** the use of airmail stamps to pay for special delivery service was rarely done, especially on covers originating and franked in foreign countries.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

71 ✉ **1931 Island Zeppelin Flight to St. Georges, Bermuda,** July 1931 Island Zeppelin flight card addressed to Bermuda with green flight cachet, German postmark, and Bermuda July 17 backstamp, franked with uncancelled **Iceland 1931, 1k Zeppelin** issue (C10); some light toning around stamp, **F.-V.F.,** only this card and one cover are recorded going to Bermuda from this Island flight.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

72 ✉ **1931 First Transatlantic Commercial Flight attempt by Mrs. Beryl Hart and Lt. William MacLaren,** January 7, 1931; with both the cacheted card signed by MacLaren and cacheted cover both with St. Georges Jan 8 backstamp and both refranked with Bermuda stamps for local mail delivery, the flight only made it this far and the plane and pilots were never heard from again on their way to the Azores leg of the trip, **Very Fine and choice,** based on the Cwiakala book there are only 39 cards and 7 covers recorded for this flight.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

73 ✉ **1931-32 Bermuda - U.S. 1930, 5¢ Winged Globe Airmail Combinations,** Pair of commercial combination frankings with Bermuda stamps; July 8, 1931 cds ties Bermuda 1d paying ship rate to New York for covers going to **Victoria, British Columbia** with U.S. 1930, 5¢ Airmail (C12) tied by New York cds, and cover to Pasadena, Cal. with Bermuda 2½d ship rate to U.S. also with U.S. 1930, 5¢ Airmail and both tied by "Hamilton, Feb 17, 1932" machine cancel against regulations (has cut on front that does not detract or affect stamps or cancels); other with small flaws, **F.-V.F.,** very scarce commercial usages in this early period.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

74 ✉ **1932 Hamilton, Bermuda to Toronto, Canada,** unusual Bermuda/US combination air cover to Canada (backstamp Aug 9) with Bermuda 2½d and U.S. 5¢ Washington pair (710) all tied by Aug 6, 1932 Bermuda Tourist cancel, **Very Fine,** a rare use of this issue to pay the air mail rate to Canada, the only recorded use of this U.S. stamp in combination with Bermuda.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

75 ✉ **1933-37 Bermuda - U.S. 1922 5¢ Bureau Combinations,** pair of covers with U.S. 5¢ Bureaus paying commercial foreign air mail rates in combination with Bermuda stamps; Nov 5, 1933 Hamilton cancel ties Bermuda 2½d paying ship rate to N.Y. with U.S. 1922 5¢ Bureau, block of six (557) paying the air rate to **Georgetown, British Guiana** (backstamp Nov 11th), and April 13, 1937 Hamilton cds tied Bermuda KGVI 1½d paying ship rate to N.Y. and with U.S. 1922 5¢ Bureau, pair paying air rate to **Kingston, Jamaica**; former with cover folds and light toning on latter, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

76 ✉ **1934 Bermuda - U.S. 1932, 8¢ Winged Globe Airmail Combination,** Jul 19, 1934 commercial air cover from Bermuda to **Sydney, Australia**, franked by **1928, 1d Caravel pair** and with **U.S. 1932, 8¢ Winged Globe Airmail** (C17) all tied by Hamilton, Bermuda machine cancel paying the British sea rate from Bermuda at 2d and airmail service within the U.S. across country to California to catch the next ship to Australia, **Very Fine,** only a handful of commercial combination U.S./Bermuda covers are known going to the Pacific before WWII.
Scott No. **83** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

77 ✉ **1934 Bermuda - U.S. 1926, 15¢ Airmail Combination Frankings,** pair of very scarce combination usages of U.S. 1926, 15¢ Airmail (C8) with Bermuda stamps to foreign countries; March 24, 1934 cover with Bermuda 1½d postage and U.S. 1926, 15¢ Airmail tied by Bermuda tourist cancel to **Victoria, Canada** and very rare usage sent Sep 25, 1934 with two U.S. 1926, 15¢ Airmails paying the 30¢ rate to **Paramaribo, Dutch Guiana** (backstamp) with Bermuda "t" in circle due mark for 20 centimes, paid by adding a 10¢ Dutch due stamp on arrival, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

78 ✉ **1934 Bermuda & U.S. Commercial Combination Franking,** November 17, 1934 airmail cover to the British Legation in Lima, Peru (backstamp) with Bermuda 2½d ship rate postage to New York, N.Y. and then by air with U.S.1926, 20¢ Airmail pair (C9) paying the 40¢ rate tied by New York, N.Y. cds, **Very Fine,** a remarkable destination for a commercial combination franking originating in Bermuda as little mail going to South America from Bermuda is recorded.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

79 ✉ **1934 Bermuda - U.S. 1932, 8¢ Winged Globe Airmail Combinations,** pair of commercial combination frankings with Bermuda stamps; March 27, 1934 Hamilton tourist slogan ties both Bermuda 1½d paying ship rate to Canada, and U.S. 1932, 8¢ Winged Globe Airmail (C17) added to pay air rate to **Victoria, Canada** from New York, and November 1934 cover with tri-color 2½d Bermuda franking paying ship rate to U.S. and with U.S. 1932, 8¢ Winged Globe Airmail (C17) tied by Boston, Mass cds on cover going to Long Beach, Cal., **Very Fine,** this stamp and rate were used for less than two years and so these commercial covers originating from Bermuda are rare.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

80 ✉ **1935 Commercial Combination Airmail Cover,** June 1935 cover from Bermuda to the **British Legation in Lima, Peru** (backstamp) with **1935 2½d Silver Jubilee** tied by Ireland Island, Bermuda cds, in combination with **U.S. 1927 Lindbergh Airmail, vertical pair** (C10) on front and four **U.S. 1931, 5¢ Airmails** (C16) on reverse all tied paying the 40¢ air rate to Peru at the time; toning around stamps, **Fine,** this is the only recorded Bermuda combination usage with U.S. 1927 Lindbergh Airmail recorded.
Scott No. **102** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



81 ✉ **1936 Hindenburg Trans-Atlantic Flight from Hamilton, Bermuda,** May 6, 1936 very rare Hindenburg Trans-Atlantic US/Bermuda combination flight cover, franked with **1936 2½d dark blue & light blue** tied by Hamilton cds and **U.S. 1926, 20¢ Airmail pair** (C9) tied by "New York, May 11, 1936" machine postmark, flight cachet and Frankfurt backstamp, **Very Fine,** the Cwiakala Bermuda flight book only records one, however there are now 4 recorded examples, an exceptional usage originating from Bermuda and on a Hindenburg flight that started in Bermuda exactly one year before the disaster.
Scott No. **110** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

82 ✉ **1936 Hamilton, Bermuda Commercial Double Rate Air Letter,** Jun 10, 1936 legal size cover with **1936 1½d + 2½d KGV** (paying the double weight ship rate to New York) and eleven **U.S. 1926, 20¢ Airmails** (C9) applied to front and back and all cancelled paying the $2.20 air rate for a double weight letter to **Buenos Aires, Argentina** (backstamp), **Very Fine,** a rare rate that lasted a short time.
Scott No. **107+110** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

83 ✉ **1936 Registered Air Combination Franking,** Sep 10, 1936 cover to **Crossroads, Jamaica** (backstamp) with **1936, 1sh6d brown** tied by Hamilton cds, manuscript Bermuda "R 834" registration mark and **U.S. 1926, 20¢ Airmails** (C9) tied by regular New York, N.Y. cds; some light toning, **F.-V.F.,** few registered combination franked covers from Bermuda are recorded carried on foreign airmail flights during this time, the registration fee for the trip was prepaid in Bermuda while the airmail rate was paid with U.S. stamps.
Scott No. **114** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

84 ✉ **1936-37 Bermuda - U.S. 1934, 6¢ Winged Globe Airmail Combinations,** group of three combination frankings with Bermuda illustrating different types of usages; commercial cover from Inverurie Hotel in Bermuda with Bermuda 2½d paying ship rate to U.S. and U.S. 1934, 6¢ Airmail (C19) both tied by March 1936 machine cancel on cover to Miami, Florida; March 1936 cover with Pair of Bermuda 2½d Caravel tied by light "Docks Hamilton" cds paying the supplementary rate for covers posted directly at the dock to expedite shipping on the first available ship along with U.S. 1934, 6¢ Airmail tied by New York cds to Chicago (cover flaws); registered air usage to Washington State with Bermuda KGVI coronation stamps tied by "Hamilton, Jun 30, 1937" cds paying the 5½d regular ship rate to New York and then with U.S. 1934, 6¢ Airmail tied by New York cds paying air rate, **F.-V.F.,** scarce trio - especially the supplementary rate cover.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

85 ✉ **1937 Hamilton, Bermuda to Managua, Phillippines,** July 1937 cover franked by Bermuda KGVI 2½d Coronation to pay steamer/ship rate to New York, with U.S. 1923, 6¢ + 10¢ Bureaus (558+562) tied by "New York, Jul 19, 1937" cds on likely FAM first fight cover to **Managua, Nicaragua** (backstamp), **Very Fine,** very rare destination for a Bermuda/USA combination cover and the only one recorded.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

86 ✉ **1937 Bermuda - U.S. Airmail & Special Delivery Combination,** Hamilton Bermuda June 1937 cds ties KGVI 2½d Coronation on U.S. combination air and special delivery franking sent by ship to N.Y. and then by air (C19) to Boston, Mass backstamp and with Special Delivery (E15) both tied by different N.Y. cancels, **Very Fine,** less than five commercial Bermuda combination covers that show the prepayment of air and special delivery within the U.S. with the proper stamps.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

87 ✉ **1937-41 Bermuda - U.S. 1927 10¢ Special Delivery Combinations,** group of 4 different usages with U.S. 1927 10¢ Special Delivery (E15); 1937 single ship rate to N.Y. paid by KGVI 2½d Coronation, similar cover but at the supplementary rate with partial Docks Hamilton cancel in Dec 1937, KGVI 7½d air rate to New York used Oct 1941 (pictured on page 42 of Cwiakala Bermuda Air book), and a very scarce registry ship rate cover to N.Y. in Mar 1938, **Very Fine,** a great group for the specialist showing different Bermuda rates in combination with U.S. 1927 10¢ Special Delivery issue.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

88 ✉ **1937 Bermuda "Cavalier" First Flight Cover,** June 15, 1937 cover at 9d rate to N.Y. sent with U.S. 1927, 10¢ Special Delivery (E15) tied by N.Y. cancel and with "Fee Claimed" handstamp for the service applied on the front, **Very Fine and choice,** although this flight was fairly prolific, only a handful of combination frankings exist.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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89 ✉ **1938 Bermuda - U.S. 1934, 50¢ Transpacific Airmail Combination,** March 24, 1938 commercial cover with Bermuda KGVI 2½d and 1½d tied by Hamilton cds paying the double ship mail rate to New York, with U.S. 50¢ Bureau + 1934, 50¢ Airmail, two singles (701+C22) tied by N.Y. cds of March 28th paying the $1.50 triple air rate to **Manila, Philippines** (backstamp April 14th); cover wrinkles and opening flaws, **F.-V.F.,** this is the **only recorded commercial combination US/Bermuda air rate cover during the KGVI period from Bermuda to the Philippines**.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

90 ✉ **1938 Imperial Airways First Flight,** March 19, 1938 Baltimore, Md. to Bermuda carried the day after the Pan American Airway flight with Bermuda franking added and cancelled by "Hamilton March 22, 1938" cds for the return flight, backstamp in N.Y. on March 24th, **Very Fine,** not only are there only five covers recorded from this flight, this is the only one known for the return flight, which was probably done by Pan American Airway along the same route, a rare item of the early days of Bermuda commercial aviation.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

91 ✉ **1938 Pan American Airway Covers,** pair of very scarce FAM 17 Bermuda/US combination frankings both with flight cachet and backstamp; Canada/US/Bermuda three country franking paying for the return trip back to Canada (less than 10 recorded) and cover franked by U.S. 1934, 6¢ Airmail (C19) paying internal air mail rate from NYC to Baltimore, then with U.S. 1926, 10¢ Airmail (C7) tied by "Baltimore Mar 16, 1938" cds paying air rate to Bermuda and a Bermuda 1sh Caravel paying the air rate back to the U.S. (few recorded); light toning on the former, **otherwise Very Fine,** exceptional usages for this very popular FAM flight.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

92 ✉ **1938-39 Bermuda - U.S. 1926, 10¢ Airmail Combination Frankings,** group of three covers illustrating different types of usages; unusual 1938 Western World paquebot type usage with Bermuda franking rejected and U.S. postage cancelled on cover to Nassau, Bahamas (a bit soiled), commercial Hamilton Hotel cover with Bermuda 1/6p paying rate on SS Monarch of Bermuda and two U.S. 1926, 10¢ Airmails tied by N.Y. March 20, 1939 cds paying the very scarce double weight air letter rate, and May 1939 incoming U.S. air rate cover to St. Georges West, Bermuda that is refranked and forwarded back by ship with KGVI Bermuda 2½d tied by St Georges cds; few cover flaws, **F.-V.F.,** great and diverse usages of the U.S. 1926, 10¢ Airmail stamp.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

93 ✉ **1938 Bermuda - U.S. 1934, 20¢ Transpacific Airmail Combinations,** pair of commercial air covers from Bermuda using U.S. airmail routes to the West Indies and South America; Bermuda KGVI 2½d ship rate franking sent from Hamilton April 10, 1938 via N.Y. with U.S. 1934, 20¢ Airmail (C21) tied by N.Y. cds to **Half Way Tree, Jamaica** (backstamp) and similar from July 1938 with scarce 55¢ air rate to **Buenos Aires, Argentina** made up of U.S. 1926, 10¢ + two 1934, 20¢ Airmails; later with tone spots around some stamps, **F.-V.F.,** excellent commercial usages showing different air rates at the time.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

94 ✉ **1938 Hamilton, Bermuda to New York, N.Y.,** Hamilton Feb 2, 1938 cds ties various KGVI low values making the 9d air rate to N.Y. on commercial air/special delivery underpaid cover with U.S. 1¢ Bureau + 3¢ Washington, three singles (632+720) making up the prepayment of the special delivery rate and then with Bermuda due mark rated at high 180 centimes that was paid by 36¢ of U.S. due stamps (flaws from cover overlapp) applied to the front, **F.-V.F.,** apparently underpaid by 9d and charged at double penalty rate, though the special delivery portion was correct, an attractive and scarce combination franking.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



95 ✉ **1939 Special Dual Trans-Atlantic First Flight,** with first being the Sep 24, 1939 Horta flight to Bermuda, with special cachet and Bermuda arrival backstamp for Sep 26 and then censored with Bermuda CM21 #3 censor mark in blue green and refranked by Bermuda 1sh KGVI pair tied by "Hamilton, 16 Nov, 1939" cds, first flight along FAM 18 route back to the Azores with Nov 20th arrival, **Very Fine,** a spectacular dual first flight cover, with only four combination frankings recorded.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800



96 ✉ **1939 North Atlantic Air Service,** May 26, 1939 registered cover from **Great Britain to Bermuda** that was readdressed, refranked correct registered air rate (2sh3d with rare use of Bermuda KGVI 2sh keyplate for forwarding) and re-registered with Bermuda label **to Paris, France**, **Very Fine,** several flights occurred between the U.K., Bermuda and U.S. during the May-June period of 1939 and it is more than likely that this cover was on at least two of these flights, this is the only flight related incoming cover to Bermuda during this period with a high value keyplate used for forwarding to another country in Europe.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

97 ✉ **1939 Bermuda First Flights with Great Britain Forwarding Frankings,** three 1939 flight covers forwarded by ship to other countries; June 8 first flight from St. Georges to U.K. and then refranked with KGVI Coronation 1½d to pay ship rate to Sydney, Australia, similar cover, but franked with Bermuda 2sh keyplate for the June 21 flight to the U.K. and then forwarded to Geelong, Australia, and rare August 5, 1939 flight to U.K. (about 10 known) from St. Georges to U.K. and then refranked by G.B. KGVI 1½d to Guernsey (backstamp), **Very Fine,** a very scarce trio as several covers from this flight exist with a G.B. KGVI ½d applied by Francis Field to confirm that the planes had arrived, but not for forwarding the covers to other destinations like the trio above.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

98 ✉ **1939 Pan American Airway First Flight - Three Country Franking,** Jun 21, 1939 cover with **Bermuda 2sh KGVI** keyplate paying the proper air rate to the UK, then **G.B. 1½d KGVI** for ship rate to Que Que, Southern Rhodesia and then refranked by **Southern Rhodesia 1½d KGVI** tied by "Que Que, Jul 15, 1939" cds for ship rate back to Bermuda with N.Y. (8/6) and St. Georges (8/10) backstamps to prove the round trip, **Very Fine,** the only three country franking recorded for this flight.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

99 ✉ **1939-40 Bermuda - U.S. 1938, 6¢ Eagle Airmail Combinations,** pair of commercial air covers from Bermuda; March 20, 1939 tourist cancel ties Bermuda KGVI 2½d paying ship rate and U.S. 1938, 6¢ Airmail (C23) from the Princess Hotel to the St Francis Hotel in **San Francisco, Cal**. and a rare registered air cover franked by KGVI 1½d (2) and 2½d tied by Hamilton April 3, 1940 cds and with U.S. 1926, 15¢ + 1938, 6¢ Airmails, two singles of each (C8+C230 paying air rate to **Buenos Aires, Argentina** (backstamp), **Very Fine,** a very scarce franking and usage of this stamp on Bermuda combination cover.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

100 ✉ **1940-41 Bermuda - U.S. 1938 10¢ Prexie Combinations,** pair of covers with 10¢ Prexies used for paying commercial air rate and special delivery combinations with Bermuda stamps; Bermuda KGVI 1½d and U.S. 10¢ Prexie (815) both tied by April 13, 1940 Penguin slogan cancel with 10¢ paying the special delivery fee with fee claimed handstamp applied on arrival, ship rate was higher than franking and so postage due was charged with Bermuda and U.S. markings, and KGVI Bermuda 1½d and 6d tied by light Oct 1941 cds on air cover to Brooklyn, N.Y. (on reverse noted that it was sent from someone serving at APO 802) with cover readdressed back to Bermuda with U.S. 10¢ Prexie applied and tied by Brooklyn cds paying air rate; later with cover edge opening tears at top, **otherwise Very Fine,** scarce usages.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



101 ✉ **1941 Hamilton, Bermuda to Punjab, India,** war time censored combination franking cover with Bermuda stamps tied by "Hamilton Jul 21, 1941" cds paying the air rate to U.S., with six U.S. 5¢ Prexies (810) applied in Bermuda and cancelled in Boston on Jul 28th to prepay air rate from U.S. to Punjab, India (backstamp Aug 17), cover has a rare Bermuda handstamp in red reading "Insufficient Postage For Air Mail", cover was not censored in Bermuda or U.S. but on arrival in India; some perf toning, **F.-V.F.,** an outstanding three ocean Trans-Atlantic/Trans-Pacific/Indian Ocean Bermuda - Prexie combination censored franking.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



102 ✉ **1941 Bermuda - U.S. Naval Combination,** commercial use from serviceman on USS Tuscaloosa with **U.S. 1938, 15¢ Prexie, two singles + 1926, 10¢ Airmail** (820+C7) tied by bold "U.S. Navy, May 28 1941" purple 3-bar cancel on air cover to **Lisbon, Portugal**, U.S. Navy censor handstamp in same color as cancel, but then refranked with proper **Bermuda 2sh keyplate** tied by indistinct Hamilton cancel paying the air rate to Portugal, cover arrived 2 days later with Lisbon backstamp; couple sealed cover opening tears, **still Very Fine,** a unique and very unusual usage.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

This is a remarkable usage that was written up in the Bermuda Post magazine as the cover should have gone to the U.S. and then back through Bermuda on commercial air flights of the time. If the serviceman wanted the cover to be expedited on a clipper going through Bermuda at the time, it would make sense he would add a Bermuda stamp to do so. it is unlikely the U.S. base would have allowed him to take the cover to the Bermuda civilian post office if the cover had already been censored on base. Needless to say, it is the only such combination keyplate franking in existence in combination with U.S. stamps used at the U.S. naval base in Bermuda.

British Columbia & Vancouver Island

Postal Markings



103 ✉ **Victoria Post Office,** oval handstamp with matching oval "Paid" handstamp on 1860 cover to **London, England**, endorsed "England via New York", red "San Francisco, Cal, Paid, Jun 15, 1860" exchange cds and prepaid red crayon "116" cents rating for four-times the 29¢ rate, sent on the Butterfield overland mail route, New York magenta "76" manuscript rating credit to G.B., red London entry cds; cover edge wear at right, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

The Victoria frank was used to indicate prepayment of the 5¢ (2½d) Colonial postage to the United States prior to the introduction of Victoria stamps in the colony (EKU April 10th 1860).



104 ✉ **Victoria Post Office,** oval handstamp with matching oval "Paid" handstamp on 1860 cover to **London, England**, red "San Francisco, Cal, Paid, Apr 13, 1860" exchange cds and prepaid red crayon "29" cents rating for the 29¢ rate, sent on the Butterfield overland mail route, New York "19" handstamp rating credit to G.B., red London entry cds; cover edge wear at right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



105 ✉ **Victoria Vancouver Island, Post Office, Paid,** blue oval frank handstamp on cover to **Leamington, England**, additionally franked with **U.S. 1861, 24¢ red lilac** tied by cogwheel handstamp, matching "San Francisco, Cal., Oct 21, 1863" cds, red "New York Am. Pkt., 3, Nov 21" exchange cds additionally tying stamp, light red London entry cds; light cover edge wear, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U.S. 70** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



106 ✉ **Victoria Vancouver Island, Post Office, Paid,** blue oval frank handstamp on locally addressed cover to Nanaimo; small corner nick, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



107 ✉ **Victoria Vancouver Island, Post Office, Paid,** blue oval frank handstamp applied at right of small 1864 cover to London, England, with **U.S. 1861, 12¢ black, horizontal pair** applied over Victoria frank and canceled by cogwheel cancels, "San Francisco, Cal., Mar 14, 1864" cds tying pair, red "New York Am. Pkt., 3, Apr 6" exchange cds and red London entry cds, cover forwarded to Portsmouth; small cover edge flaws, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U.S. 69** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



108 ✉ **Victoria Vancouver Island, Post Office, Paid,** blue oval frank handstamp on cover to **Niagara, Canada West**, additionally franked with **U.S. 1861, 3¢ rose + 12¢ black** tied by "San Francisco, Cal., Jan 2, 1865" cds and target duplexes, red oval "U.S. 10cts, Paid" exchange handstamp, with original enclosure datelined "Victoria Dec 23, 1864"; light cover tone spots and 12¢ with short perf, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U.S. 65+69** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



109 ✉ **Victoria Vancouver Island, Post Office, Paid,** blue oval frank handstamp on 1866 cover to **Perth, Scotland**, additionally franked with **U.S. 1862, 24¢ lilac** tied by cogwheel cancel, matching "San Francisco, Cal., Oct 9" cds alongside, red "New York, Am. Pkt., 3, Nov 3" exchange and Liverpool entry cds's, receiving backstamp; light cover edge wear, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U.S. 78** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



110 ✉ **Victoria Vancouver Island, Post Office, Paid,** blue oval frank handstamp on 1866 cover to **Glasgow, Scotland**, additionally franked with **U.S. 1862, 24¢ lilac** (small margin tear) tied by cogwheel handstamp with matching "San Francisco, Cal., Feb 14" cds alongside, red "N. York Br. Pkt., Paid 19, Mar 13" exchange cds and receiving backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U.S. 78** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

Incoming Mail



111 ✉ **1863 Groydon, England to Victoria, V.I.,** cover with red "London, Paid, Mr 14, 63" exchange cds's, manuscript "1/2½" rating and "Free, Via New York" endorsement, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

The 1sh 2½d rate per half ounce from July 1851, provided that the letter carried the endorsement "Via United States" with prepayment compulsory.

112 ✉ **1875 Sydney N.S.W. to Victoria, B.C.,** endorsed "per City of Melbourne" and franked with **N.S.W. 1871, 1d red, two singles + 1872 6d lilac** and tied by "Sydney, Au 27, 1875" duplex postmarks, with enclosure regarding lumber market, clear receiving backstamps, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

Regular Issues

113 * **1860, 2½d Dull Rose, Perf 14,** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with strong color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **2**. $1,000



114 * **1860, 2½d Dull Rose, Perf 14,** horizontal pair, o.g., small hinge remnant, gum bend at bottom, strong color, **fresh and Fine,** a scarce multiple.
Scott No. **2**. $2,000

115 o **1860, 2½d Dull Rose, Perf 14,** cancellation group of 11 singles; includes "Post Office, Victoria V.I." crown oval handstamp in blue and black, barred oval handstamp in red, "1" in blue with S.F. cogwheel transit, and numerals in black including "1", "7" and "15"; few flaws, **Fine group.**
Scott No. **2**; $2,640 . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

116 o **1860, 2½d Dull Rose, Perf 14,** 7 singles with **New Westminster cancels**; including barred oval "1" in blue, red and black, oval "New Westminster, Post Office" handstamp in blue and black and a complete strike of 1865 "General Post Office" circular date stamp tying stamp on piece, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

117 o **1860, 2½d Dull Rose, Perf 14,** two singles with express cancels, blue **Dietz & Nelson's Express** circular handstamp, other with **Barnard's Express** "Paid" in oval handstamp, full clear strikes and both unusually well centered, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

118 F **1865, 5¢-10¢ Queen Victoria, Imperf, Sperati Reproductions,** photographic proofs on thick card with 6 examples of his various cancels, all but two with purple Sperati handstamp on reverse, **Very Fine,** a rare set.
Scott No. **3R-4R** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

119 F **1865, 5¢ Rose, Imperf, Sperati Reproduction,** proof on wove (54x71mm), with Sperati signature in pencil below, purple handstamp on reverse numbered "94"; couple minor wrinkles in margins away from design, **still Very Fine.**
Scott No. **3R** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



120 o **1865, 5¢ Rose, Imperf,** blue "Post Office, Victoria Vancouver Island, Paid" oval and black transit date stamp cancels, margins large to in at left, strong bright color, couple small thins at bottom not mention in certificate, **Fine and rare**; with 1961 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **3** $10,000

121 F **1865, 10¢ Black, Imperf, Sperati Reproduction,** trial color proof on thin card, purple "Reproducion Interdite" handstamp above and Sperati signature in pencil below, reverse with scarce yellow cachet handstamp and purple handstamp numbered "94", **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **4R** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

122 (*) **1865, 10¢ Blue, Imperf,** without gum, margins large in just in at right and bottom, stain on reverse showing slightly showing through in top left margin, **Fine appearance,** still a presentable example of this rare mint stamp.
Scott No. **4** . . . . . $5,000 for o.g.

123 o **1865, 10¢ Blue, Imperf,** blue "Post Office, Victoria Vancouver Island, Paid" oval handstamp, margins ample to just shaving design at bottom left, **Fine.**
Scott No. **4**. $1,100



124 o **1865, 10¢ Blue, Imperf,** blue "Post Office, Victoria Vancouver Island, Paid" oval handstamp, clear to large margins, edge thinning at bottom from separation mostly in margin, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **4**. $1,100

125 o **1865, 5¢ Rose, Perf 14,** two singles with **Wells, Fargo & Co. express** cancels; one with blue oval date stamp and other with blue "Paid" in oval cancels, latter with small natural paper wrinkle, **Very Fine strikes.**
Scott No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

126 ✉ **1865, 5¢ Rose, Perf 14, Right Wing Margin Single,** canceled by barred "35" in oval handstamp on cover to Nanaimo, B.C., matching "Victoria, B.C., Aug 15, 1868" cds, stamp tied by "New Westminister B.C., Aug 15, 1868" cds; light cover stain at lower right, **still Very Fine.**
Scott No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

127 * **1865, 5¢-10¢ Queen Victoria, Perf 14,** full o.g., matched centering, strong colors, **a Fine set.**
Scott No. **5-6** $975


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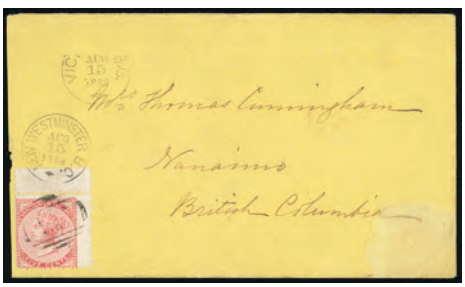
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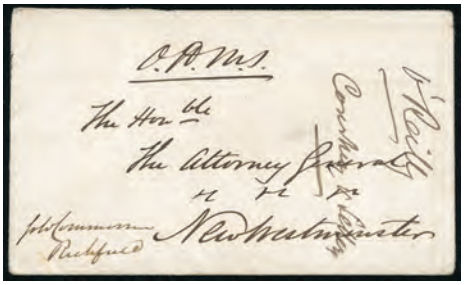
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128 o **1865, 5¢-10¢ Queen Victoria, Perf 14,** 5 singles with **barred numeral** cancels; 5¢ with "20" of Soda Creek and "26" of Langley, 10¢ with "1" of New Westminster, "13" of Quesnellemouth and "26" of Langley; one 5¢ with margin fault, **a Fine group.**
Scott No. **5-6** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

129 * **1865, 10¢ Blue, Perf 14, Watermark Inverted,** full o.g., strong color, **Fine.** SG No. 14w £800 ($1,100).
Scott No. **6 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

130 o **1865, 3d Blue,** 8 singles with different barred numeral cancels; includes 1 (New Westminster), 3 (Hope), 4 (Yale), 10 (William's Creek), 13 (Quesnellemouth), 20 (Soda Creek), 22 (Van Winkle) & 26 (Langley); some small flaws, **a Fine group**; one with 1973 B.P.A. certificate.
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



131 ✉ **1865, 3d Blue, Horizontal Pair and Single,** tied by light barred "1" in oval handstamps on cover overpaying the 12½¢ rate to Fort Yale, matching "New Westminister B.C., May 17, 1870" cds; cover opening tear at top and partial backflap, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



132 ✉ **1865, 3d Blue, Horizontal Strip of Four,** canceled by light barred "20" in oval handstamps of Soda Creek and manuscript "at Mr. McDougall's Mills" directive on 1869 mourning cover to **Renfrew, Canada**, paying the 25¢ upcountry rate under the 1867 Act, light New Westminster, B.C. cds at center, entered the U.S. mails with **U.S. 1861, 10¢ green** (68) tied by blue grid handstamp with matching Port Townsend, W.T. cds alongside, reverse with light Soda Creek origin and "Renfrew, Oct 23, 1869" receiving postmark; cover edge flaws and partial backflap, **Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



133 ✉ **1867, 2¢ on 3d Brown, Perf 14, Horizontal Strip of Three,** with wing margin at right having partly trimmed perfs, tied by two strikes of "35" barred oval handstamp on orange buff cover to Salem, Oregon, blue "Victoria B.C., May 5, 1871" origin cds and slightly indistinct Portland transit cds; minor edge wear, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **8** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

The 6¢ rate to the United States was in effect after July 1, 1870. The 3d, selling then as four for 25¢, was used more commonly for this rate.



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134 * **1867, 50¢ on 3d Violet, Perf 14,** o.g., small hinge remnant, rich bright color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **12** $900

135 * **1867, 10¢ on 3d Lilac Rose, Perf 12½,** full o.g., attractively centered, strong bright color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **15** $1,300



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136 o **1867, 10¢ on 3d Lilac Rose, Perf 12½,** neat blue "35" barred oval cancel of Victoria, choice centering, **Extremely Fine,** a lovely used stamp.
Scott No. **15** $1,000

137 * **1867, 25¢ on 3d Orange, Perf 12½,** full o.g., rich vibrant color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **16** $1,100



138 * **1867, $1 on 3d Green, Perf 12½,** part o.g., well centered with design clear of perfs, bright color, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **18** $2,500



139 * **1867, $1 on 3d Green, Perf 12½,** o.g., hinge remnant, attractively centered, vibrant color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **18** $2,500



140 * **1867, $1 on 3d Green, Perf 12½,** o.g., wide margins, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **18** $2,500



141 o **1867, $1 on 3d Green, Perf 12½,** blue "35" barred oval cancel of Victoria, strong color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **18** $1,750

142 ✉ **O. H. M. S.,** manuscript endorsement on ca. 1863 official cover from Postmaster O'Reilly "Gold Commissioner, Richfield" to the Attorney General in New Westminster, most likely carried by the Gold Escort, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



143 o **Newfoundland, 1865, 5¢ Brown on Yellowish,** light segmented cork cancel, exceptional centering amid beautifully balanced margins, strong color, **an Extremely Fine gem,** a lovely choice used stamp; with 2005 Sismondo and 2007 V.G. Greene certificates.
Scott No. **25** $375



144 P **Canada, 1851, 12d Black, Trial Color Large Die Proof on India,** large margins, strong impression on bright paper, **fresh and Very Fine.** Scott No. 3TC.
Unitrade No. **3TC** . . . . . C$8,500 ($6,630)

A RARE AND DESIRABLE 12 PENCE 1851 ISSUE "SCAR" DIE TRIAL COLOR IN BLACK.

The "Scar" die proofs show a "scar" in the CE of PENCE. All are rare, but black examples are particularly desirable.



145 ✉ **Canada, 1855, 6d Slate Gray,** in combination with **1852, 3d red** slightly overlapping on 1857 folded letter sheet to Quebec, tied by "21" in target handstamps with matching "Montreal, L.C., Sp 5, 1857" cds below, partial receiving backstamp; couple file folds affecting 3d and cover refolded with sideflap missing at left, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **5+4** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

ONE OF EIGHT TRIPLE RATE DOMESTIC USAGES BEARING THIS COMBINATION FRANKING. A STUNNING COVER!

146 ✉ **Canada, 1881 Esquimalt, B.C. to Melbourne, Australia,** cover endorsed "Via San Francisco" and franked with **Canada 1876, 5¢ slate green, horizontal strip of three**, tied by segmented cork handstamps with matching light "Esquimalt, Brit. Col., Ja 7, 81" origin cds, reverse with all proper transit markings; stamps with a few short perfs at top, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **Canada 38** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



147 ✉ **Cook Islands, 1892, First Issue, 1d Black, White Paper,** in combination with **1892, First Issue, 10d carmine, toned paper, horizontal pair** on legal size registered cover to W.A. Cooper in the Foreign Mail Dept. at the post office in San Francisco, Cal., tied by purple "Cook Islands, Rarotonga, P.O." circular handstamps, "Rarotonga, 6 Fe, 93" origin date stamp and Auckland registry transit, purple circular Government of the Cook Islands cachet handstamp on front and reverse, purple "Received in Bad Condition at San Francisco, Cal." handstamp below stamps; cover tears and edge nicks, **F.-V.F. for this,** a rare registry usage of first issues.
SG No. **1+4** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



148 ✉ **Falkland Islands, 1878 London, England to Port Stanley, Falkland Islands,** folded letter franked with **G.B. 1873, 6d gray** (S.G. 147) and tied by "London, E.C., No 22, 78" cds and bar duplex, bold red "1d" London handstamp showing a 1 pence "Colonial" fee due the Falkland Islands, discernible "Falkland Islands" post office receiving date stamp at center (Barnes F.1), **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

This letter likely left Southampton November 27, 1878 on the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company "Tamar", arriving at Montevideo on December 27, 1878. The Falkland Islands Company branch packet schooner was likely the "Black Hawk", arriving in Port Stanley on February 9, 1879. The addressee, J. Gerard, was the American Consul in Port Stanley at the time.

149 ✉ **Falkland Islands, 1923, King George V, 2d Deep Brown Purple, Horizontal Pair,** tied by "Falkland Islands, 16 Sp" cds (Barnes F.4F) on 1927 formula registered entire to New York, N.Y., Stanley registry etiquette and London transit, receiving backstamps, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 43.
SG No. **75** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

The foreign letter rate was 2½d for the first ounce and 1½d for each additional ounce. The registry fee was 3d. Assuming this was a double weight letter, for a total of 4d with the 3d registry fee paid in coin.



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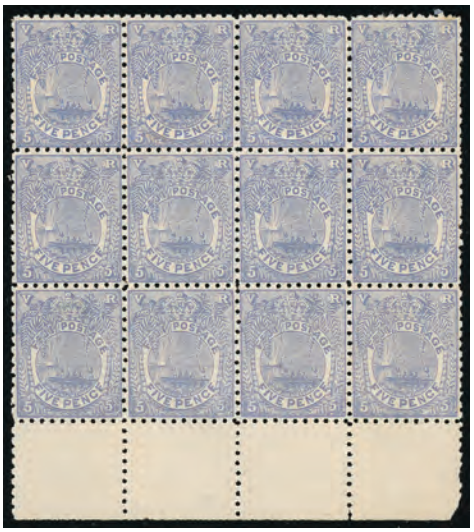
150 * **Falkland Islands, 1933, Centenary, 5s Black & Yellow,** full o.g., attractively centered, bright colors, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 74.
SG No. **136** £950 ($1,310)



151 o **Fiji, 1870, Times Express, 1s Black on Rose, Quadrillé Paper,** manuscript "#" cancel, full nicely balanced margins, **Very Fine and choice,** seldom seen in sound condition. Scott No. 5.
SG No. **4** £2,500 ($3,450)



152 **❒ **Fiji, 1893, Canoe, 5d Ultramarine, Perf 11¼,** bottom margin block of 12, o.g., never hinged, choice overall centering, strong color, faint gum wrinkle affecting three stamp at top, **otherwise Extremely Fine,** a very rare multiple, especially so in never hinged condition, *ex-Robertson*. Scott No. 58 var.
SG No. **91** . . . . . £2,040 for hinged singles ($2,820)



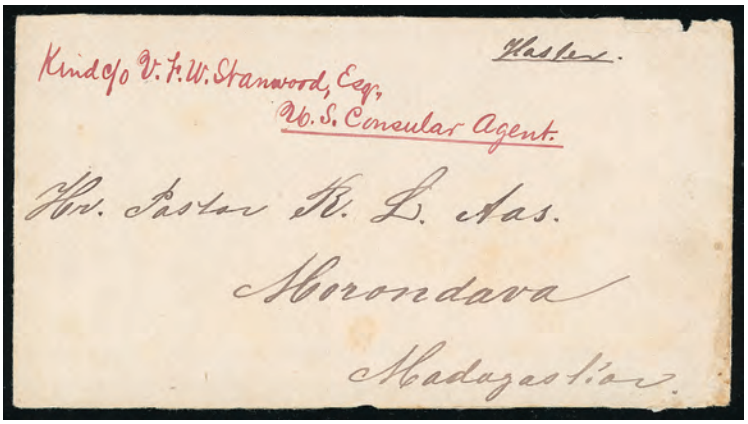
153 ✉ **Grenada, 1787 Slave List to Glasgow, Scotland,** folded letter endorsed "pr Favor Captn. Leitch of the Fame, Q.D.C." with straight line "Ship" handstamp and manuscript ratings, contents entitled "A List of Negroes upon Montreuil Estate 1st January 1787" and a listing of 155 slaves; some light tone spots, **still Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



154 * **India, 1856, Queen Victoria Typographed, 2a Yellow Green, White Paper, Prepared for use but not Officially Issued,** o.g., rich color, expert marks on reverse, **Fine**; with 2017 R.P.S.L. certificate. Scott No. 14.
SG No. **50** £3,500 ($4,830)

155 ✉ **Jamaica, 1871, Queen Victoria, 6d Mauve,** in combination with **1870, Queen Victoria, 2d rose, horizontal pair** on folded letter to Jacmel, Haiti, canceled by "A01" barred oval cancels with matching "Kingston, Jamaica, No 9, 74" cds, red crayon "8" rating and endorsed "Per R.M. Steamer *Tagus*"; some minor perf toning, **otherwise Very Fine.** Scott No. 11+8.
SG No. **12+9**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

156 ✉ **Jamaica, 1873, Queen Victoria, 1s Dull Brown,** in combination with **1870, Queen Victoria, 3d green** on folded letter to Jacmel, Haiti, tied by "A01" barred oval cancels with matching "Kingston, Jamaica, Mr 11, 74" cds, red crayon "1/-" rating and endorsed "Per R.M. Steamer *Elbe*", **Very Fine.** Scott No. 12+9.
SG No. **13+10** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



157 ✉ **Madagascar, 1882 U.S. Government Mail Service,** cover addressed to Rev. Aas in Morondava, with red manuscript "Kind c/o V.F.W. Stanwood, Esq., U.S. Consular Agent", endorsed "Haster" (urgent); light cover edge wear, **F.-V.F.,** the only recorded example from this mail service.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

The U.S. Government Mail Service is known to have existed in 1882, but no information is available about its lifespan. The service provided that letters were sent once a month by runners from the capitol to Majunga on the north coast and to Morondava on the west coast. The minimum postage to Majunga was 33 cents. As the postage for mail to Morondava was double that, it can be assumed that the letters went by ship from Majuna to Morondava and not by runners direct from the capitol to the west coast.

158 *❒ **Japanese Occupation of Malaya, 1943, Sultan, Selangor, $5 Green & Red, Kanji Overprint Inverted,** block of 4, full o.g., rich color, **Very Fine**; with 2015 B.P.A. certificate.
SG No. **J287a** . . . . . £1,300 for singles ($1,790)

159 **/*❒ **Nauru, 1916, King George V "Seahorse", 2s6d Brown, De La Rue Printing,** left margin block of 4, o.g., top left stamp very lightly hinged, others never hinged, fresh with rich bright color, **Very Fine and choice.** Scott No. 13.
SG No. **21** . . . . . £280 for o.g. singles ($390)

160 * **Nauru, 1916, King George V "Seahorse", 5s Bright Carmine, De La Rue Printing,** bottom sheet margin horizontal strip of 4, o.g., lightly hinged, exceptional centering, rich color, few perf separations in left margin, **Extremely Fine,** a choice multiple. Scott No. 14.
SG No. **22** . . . . . £400 for singles ($550)



161 *❒ **Nauru, 1919, King George V "Seahorse", 2s6d Chocolate Brown, Bradbury, Wilkinson Printing,** block of 4, full o.g., rich color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 16b.
SG No. **24** . . . . . £360 for singles ($500)



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162 **❒ **New Guinea, 1932, Bird of Paradise (without Dates), 10s Pink & 2s Dull Lake,** complete sheets of 30 with John Ash imprint at bottom, o.g., never hinged (minor gum tone affecting 2sh), rich colors, **Very Fine,** a scarce pair of sheets. Scott No. 44, 42 $1,950.
SG No. **188, 186** £1,800 ($2,480)

New Zealand

Crowned Circle Handstamps



163 ✉ **Paid at Nelson, New Zealand,** clear strike of red crown circle handstamp on 1848 folded letter to **Tewkesbury, England**, manuscript "The Eden leaves the London Docks June 3rd for Nelson" endorsement and "1/-" rate, reverse with "Nelson, Ju 7, 1848" origin, red London entry and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine.**
SG No. **CC2** £1,100 ($1,520)



164 ✉ **Paid at Petre, New Zealand,** sharp full strike of red crown circle handstamp on folded letter sheet to Wellington, red crayon "4" rating and "Wellington, Sp 3, 1859" receiving postmark, reverse with "Petre, Sp 1, 1859" origin date stamp, **Very Fine and choice,** one of the finest strikes of this rare handstamp.
SG No. **CC5** £1,400 ($1,930)



165 ✉ **Paid at Port Victoria, New Zealand,** clear full strike of red crown circle handstamp on 1853 folded letter sheet to **London, England**, manuscript "pr Tasmania" ship endorsement and "4" for double local 2d rate to Sydney, reverse with "Port Victoria, Mr 28, 1853" origin and London entry backstamps; minor cover edge wear, **Very Fine.**
SG No. **CC6** £1,200 ($1,660)



166 ✉ **Paid at Port Victoria, New Zealand,** clear sharp strike of red crown circle handstamp on cover to **London, England**, manuscript "2" local rating and blue "d6" packet rate handstamp, reverse with matching "Australian Packet, Liverpool, Ju 30, 55" transit cds, "Port Victoria, Mr 17, 1855" origin backstamp; light wax seal stain at center, **otherwise Very Fine,** this crown circle only exists with the local rate in manuscript applied on top of strike.
SG No. **CC6** £1,200 ($1,660)

Incoming Mail



167 (✉) **1848 Edinburgh, Scotland to Nelson, New Zealand,** slightly reduced ship letter front endorsed "private ship Blundell" at top with manuscript "Pd 8d" and "9" ratings, red Edinburgh and London transit datestamps, clear strike of the extremely rare "**Otakou, New Zealand, Se 18, 1848**" oval datestamp and partial Nelson arrival cds; sealed tear at top, **F.-V.F.**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

THE FINER OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE "OTAKOU" HANDSTAMP IN PRIVATE HANDS.

The Otago settlers did not approve of the name Otakou and on December 26, 1848 it was changed to Otago.

The Paul Kruger Collection of New Zealand

The following 156 lots represent one of the finest collections of New Zealand to come on the market in several years. It was Mr. Kruger's goal to seek out not only the finest examples of the issued stamps, but to find scarce shades, perforation and watermark varieties. Each stamp or cover has been hand select with virtually every item bearing a Robert Odenweller certificate of authenticity. We hope that the New Zealand enthusiast will find those items that will be cherished in there collection, the way Paul enjoyed assembling this fine collection.

1855 Chalon Issue, London Print, Imperforate, Wmk. Large Star



168 P❒ **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d-1s Complete, Black Plate Proofs,** three values 1d, 2d & 1sh on wove, blocks of 4, 2d & 1sh with left margins, full margins, 1sh with a few light creases affecting left pair, **otherwise Very Fine,** a scarce set of original plate proofs.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500



169 o **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Deep Carmine Red,** London printing, Large Star watermark, neat "16" barred oval cancel of Port Victoria, ample to large margins, rich bold color with sharp impression, **Extremely Fine**; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 1. Campbell Paterson No. A1a.
SG No. **1**. £17,000 ($23,460)

ONE OF THE FINEST SOUND USED EXAMPLES OF THE RARE 1855 1D QUEEN VICTORIA FIRST ISSUE.



170 o **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Dull Carmine,** London printing, Large Star watermark, barred "16" in oval cancel of Christchurch, clear to mostly in, rich color, **about Fine,** still a presentable example of this very rare 1d London printing first issue; with 2012 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 1. Campbell Paterson No. A1a.
SG No. **1**. £17,000 ($23,460)



171 (*) **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Greenish Blue on Blued Paper,** London printing, Large Star watermark, without gum, clear to ample margins, rich deep color on fresh distinctively blued paper, **Extremely Fine**; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 2. Campbell Paterson No. A2a.
SG No. **2**. £35,000 ($48,300)

A STUNNING UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 1855 2D LONDON PRINT ISSUE - A GREAT CHALON HEAD RARITY.



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172 o **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Greenish Blue on Blued Paper,** London printing, Large Star watermark, light "11" barred oval cancel of Port Ahuriri, rich deep color, large beautifully balanced margins all around, **Superb,** a truly spectacular gem; with 2000 B.P.A. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 2. Campbell Paterson No. A2a.
SG No. **2** £650 ($900)

173 o **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Greenish Blue on Blued Paper,** London printing, Large Star watermark, horizontal pair, light "6" barred oval cancel of New Plymouth, four large margins, rich vivid color, **Very Fine and choice,** a lovely multiple; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 2. Campbell Paterson No. A2a.
SG No. **2** £1,300 ($1,790)



174 (✉) **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Dull Blue on Blued Paper,** London printing, Large Star watermark, margins huge to just in at lower right, canceled by light barred "18" in oval handstamp on **illustrated "Ocean Penny Postage, Britain! Bestow This Boon, and Be in Blessing Blest" propaganda front** with sideflap to **London, England**, manuscript "6" rating alongside, sideflap with clear "Otago, De 22, 1855" origin cds, **Very Fine,** *ex-Hackmey*; with 1991 R.P.S.N.Z. & 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 2. Campbell Paterson No. A2a.
SG No. **2**. . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

A WONDERFUL AND EXTREMELY RARE USAGE OF AN OCEAN PENNY POSTAGE PROPAGANDA COVER FROM NEW ZEALAND.



175 o **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Yellow Green on Blued Paper,** London printing, Large Star watermark, barred oval cancel, four huge margins showing portions of adjacent stamps at sides, rich color with a fine impression, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1974 B.P.A. and 2011 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 3. Campbell Paterson No. A6a.
SG No. **3** £5,500 ($7,590)

A STUNNING USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1855 1SH LONDON PRINTING ISSUE WHICH CERTAINLY RANKS AS ONE OF THE FINEST IN EXISTENCE.



176 ✉ **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Yellow Green on Blued Paper,** London printing, Large Star watermark, large margins, somewhat irregular at left, which is just touched at top left, fine impression with fresh bright color, neatly tied by barred "6" oval handstamp on 1858 cover to **Bridport, England**, matching "New Plymouth, Oc 27, 1858" origin cds on reverse with light arrival cds, **Very Fine,** *ex-Hackmey*; with 1993 B.P.A. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 3. Campbell Paterson No. A6a (Z).
SG No. **3** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

1855-58 Chalon Issue, Auckland Print, Imperforate



177 (*) **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Red on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, without gum, margins ample to just clear at lower right, beautiful rich color on pristine deeply blued paper, **F.-V.F.**; with 2011 Odenweller and Behr certificates. Scott No. 4. Campbell Paterson No. A1c.
SG No. **4**. £12,000 ($16,560)

AN ATTRACTIVE SOUND UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 1855 1D AUCKLAND PRINT ISSUE.



178 o **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Bright Red on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, light face free barred oval cancel, four large margins, rich vibrant color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a beautiful lightly cancel stamp; with 2012 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 4. Campbell Paterson No. A1c (1).
SG No. **4** £2,000 ($2,760)



179 o **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Red on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, barred "6" in oval cancel of New Plymouth, ample to large margins, strong vivid color on fresh blued paper, **Extremely Fine,** a choice and scarce face-free canceled stamp; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 4. Campbell Paterson No. A1c (2).
SG No. **4** £2,000 ($2,760)

180 o **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Red on Blue Paper, with Papermaker's Watermark Showing Complete Letter "D",** Auckland printing, most likely from the Sands & McDougal/Melbourne watermark, barred oval cancel, margins large to in at upper right, slight edge thinning at right, **Fine appearance,** one of the few known full letters from the papermaker's watermark. Scott No. 4 var. Campbell Paterson No. A1c (Y).
SG No. **4 var.** . . . . . £2,000 for normal ($2,760)



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181 (*) **1856, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, without gum, ample to huge margins showing portions of adjacent stamps at top and upper right, rich vivid color an exceptional freshness, **Extremely Fine,** a stunning mint example of the 1856 2d Auckland print issue; with 1989 B.P.A. and 2011 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 5. Campbell Paterson No. A2b.
SG No. **5** £3,000 ($4,140)



182 o **1856, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, light face free barred oval cancel, four large margins all around, rich color and crisp impression, **Extremely Fine,** choice so nice; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 5. Campbell Paterson No. A2b (1).
SG No. **5** £300 ($410)



183 o **1856, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, horizontal strip of 3, barred "16" in oval cancels of Port Victoria, margins large to just shaving frameline at lower left, strong color, **F.-V.F.,** an attractive and scarce multiple; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 5. Campbell Paterson No. A2b (1).
SG No. **5** . . . . . £900 for singles ($1,240)



184 ✉ **1856, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue on Blue Paper, Vertical Strip of Three,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, margins large to in at bottom and upper left, center stamp with pre-use crease, manuscript canceled on cover to **Dublin, Ireland**, reverse with "Bluff Harbor, Ja 25, 1858" origin cds, carried by the European & Australian Royal Mail Service ship *Simis* leaving Sydney Feb 11, 1858 via Suez and Southampton with "Dublin, Ap 7, 1858" arrival backstamp, **Very Fine,** the vertical strip of three is the largest known during this period that had very few vertical multiples, *ex-Dumas, "Emerald" and Benvie*; with 1978 R.P.S.L. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 5. Campbell Paterson No. A2b (1).
SG No. **5**. . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

Bluff Harbor opened on March 1st, 1856. The office moved to Invercargill on November 20th, 1858 and reopened at Campbelltown on March 1st, 1863 when the name was changed to Bluff.



185 o **1856, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Pale Blue on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, light barred "10" in oval cancel of Wellington, huge margins, strong color and impression, **an Extremely Fine gem,** a wonderful superb stamp; with 2012 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 5. Campbell Paterson No. A2b (2).
SG No. **5** £300 ($410)

186 ✉ **1856, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, clear to large margins, tied by bold barred "1" in oval handstamp on small ladies cover to **Aberdeen, Scotland**, reverse with "Auckland, Sp 29, 1856" origin cds, manuscript "8" ship letter rating, red "10 Fe, 1857" entry cds on reverse; cover missing most of backflap with top of cover slightly folded over, **Very Fine**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 5. Campbell Paterson No. A2b (Y).
SG No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



187 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Green on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, barred "10" in oval cancel of Wellington, ample to huge margin showing portion of adjacent stamp at top, strong bright color, **Very Fine and choice,** rarely seen so nice; signed Alcuri (handstamp on reverse), with 1952 B.P.A., 1987 Alcuri and 2011 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 6. Campbell Paterson No. A6b.
SG No. **6** £3,750 ($5,180)

A WONDERFUL SOUND USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 1SH QUEEN VICTORIA HIGH VALUE.



188 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Green on Blue Paper,** Auckland printing, unwatermarked, neat barred "1" in oval cancel of Auckland, clear to large margins, strong color, **Very Fine,** an attractive sound example of this scarce high value; with 1972 R.P.S.L. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 6. Campbell Paterson No. A6b.
SG No. **6** £3,750 ($5,180)

1857-63 Chalon Issue, Imperforate, Unwmkd.



189 (*) **1858, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Dull Orange, Imperf,** unwatermarked, without gum, four ample margins, strong bright color, **Very Fine,** an attractive and fresh mint example; with 2007 R.P.S.N.Z. certificate. Scott No. 7. Campbell Paterson No. A1d (1).
SG No. **8** £3,250 ($4,480)



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190 o **1858, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Dull Orange, Imperf,** unwatermarked, barred "17" in oval cancel of Christchurch, four large margins, strong bold color, **Very Fine**; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 7. Campbell Paterson No. A1d (1).
SG No. **8** £750 ($1,040)



191 o **1858, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Dull Orange, Imperf,** unwatermarked, horizontal pair, barred "10" in oval cancels of Wellington, clear to huge margins, brilliant color, right stamp with tiny thin, **otherwise Extremely Fine**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 7. Campbell Paterson No. A1d (1).
SG No. **8** . . . . . £1,500 for singles ($2,070)



192 (*) **1858, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Dull Orange, Imperf,** unwatermarked, without gum, margins large to just clear at upper right, strong brilliant color, **Very Fine,** a very scarce mint example of the 1858 1d imperforate issue; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 7. Campbell Paterson No. A1d (2).
SG No. **8** £3,250 ($4,480)



193 o **1858, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Dull Orange, Imperf,** unwatermarked, barred "16" in oval cancel of Port Victoria, large margins, bright vibrant color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 7. Campbell Paterson No. A1d (2).
SG No. **8** £750 ($1,040)

194 o **1858, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Ultramarine, Imperf,** unwatermarked, barred oval cancel, margins ample to just shaving frameline at lower right, rich color, **Fine,** a scarce stamp; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 8g. Campbell Paterson No. A2c (1).
SG No. **8a** £1,000 ($1,380)



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195 (*) **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Pale Blue, Imperf,** unwatermarked, without gum, clear to full margins, strong vivid color, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce unused four margin stamp in sound condition; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 8e. Campbell Paterson No. A2c (2).
SG No. **9** £1,200 ($1,660)

196 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Pale Blue, Imperf,** unwatermarked, horizontal strip of 3, neat barred "1" in oval cancels of Auckland, full well balanced margins, beautiful bright vibrant color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a wonderful gem multiple; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 8e. Campbell Paterson No. A2c (2).
SG No. **9** £540 ($740)



197 ✉ **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Pale Blue, Imperf, Horizontal Strip of Three,** unwatermarked, clear to large margins, tied by barred "1" in oval cancels on cover to **Oxford, England**, reverse with matching "Auckland, Jy 13, 1859" origin cds and Oxford receiver, **Very Fine,** a choice four margin strip of the 1857 2d issue on cover to England; with 2012 Behr and 2012 Odenweller certificates. Campbell Paterson No. A2c (2).
SG No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

198 ✉ **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Pale Blue, Imperf, Horizontal Strip of Three,** unwatermarked, in at sides, canceled by barred "18" in oval handstamps on cover to **Dublin, Ireland**, reverse with "Dunedin, Oc 12, 1861" origin and "H.&K. Pact., De 20, 1861" transit postmarks, **Very Fine,** with mail leaving Melbourne on October 26th per *Northam* and arriving at Southampton on December 19th; with 2002 R.P.S.N.Z. & 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 8e. Campbell Paterson No. A2c (2).
SG No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



199 (*) **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue, Imperf,** unwatermarked, without gum, four well balanced margins all around, rich vivid color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a wonderful sound unused 1857 2d Chalon Head issue; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 8. Campbell Paterson No. A2c (7).
SG No. **10** £1,200 ($1,660)



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200 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Bright Blue, Imperf,** unwatermarked, barred "10" in oval cancel of Wellington, ample to mostly large margins, rich bold bright blue shade, **Extremely Fine,** an exceptional example of this unusual shade; with 1988 Holcombe certificate. Scott No. 8. Campbell Paterson No. A2c (8).
SG No. **10** £180 ($250)

201 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue, Imperf,** unwatermarked, horizontal strip of 3, barred oval and red boxed transit cancels, ample to large margins, rich bright color, **Extremely Fine,** an exceptional sound multiple; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 8. Campbell Paterson No. A2c (3).
SG No. **10** . . . . . £540 for singles ($740)



202 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Dull Blue, Imperf,** unwatermarked, left margin single, neat barred "11" in oval cancel of Port Ahuriri, four large margins, strong slightly dry print color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** an exceptional marginal single; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 8f. Campbell Paterson No. A2c (4).
SG No. **11** £275 ($380)



203 o **1859, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Bister Brown, Imperf,** unwatermarked, neat barred "12" in oval cancel of Petre, huge margins including part of next stamp at bottom, brilliant color enhancing a sharp impression, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderfully choice large margin stamp; with 1991 Holcombe (for S.G. 14) and 2015 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 9e. Campbell Paterson No. A5a (2).
SG No. **12** £500 ($690)



204 o **1859, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Pale Bister Brown, Imperf,** unwatermarked, very light barred oval cancel, ample to mosty large margins, bright color, **Very Fine and choice,** a lovely light canceled stamp; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 9e. Campbell Paterson No. A5a (9).
SG No. **12** £500 ($690)

205 P❒ **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Black, Plate Proof,** on wove, left margin block of 4, clear to ample margins, bold color, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

206 P❒ **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Black, Plate Proof,** on wove, top left corner margin block of 48, full margins, some light creasing mostly between stamps and small margin tear at left, **Very Fine appearance,** *ex-Boker*.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

THE LARGEST KNOWN MULTIPLE OF THE PERKINS, BACON & CO. 1857 6D CHALON HEAD PLATE PROOF.



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207 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Issues, Imperf,** unwatermarked, group of three shades: deep brown, brown and pale brown, barred oval cancels, clear to large margins, strong true colors, **Very Fine**; each with Odenweller certificate. Campbell Paterson No. A5a (3-5).
SG No. **13-14** £900 ($1,240)



208 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Brown, Imperf,** unwatermarked, faint barred oval cancels, large margins, vibrant color, **Extremely Fine.** Scott No. 9. Campbell Paterson No. A5a (4).
SG No. **13** £300 ($410)



209 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Pale Brown, Imperf,** unwatermarked, neat central barred "15" in oval cancel of Nelson, large well balanced margins, beautiful bright color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a stunning used gem; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 9h. Campbell Paterson No. A5a (11).
SG No. **14** £300 ($410)



210 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Chestnut, Imperf,** unwatermarked, light barred oval cancel, full to large margins, strong bright chestnut shade, **Very Fine**; with 2012 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 9f. Campbell Paterson No. A5a (12).
SG No. **15** £600 ($830)

211 o **1858, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Dull Emerald Green, Imperf,** unwatermarked, central barred "1" in oval cancel of Auckland, clear to large margins, strong bright color, **Very Fine,** a rare Chalon Head issue; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 10e. Campbell Paterson No. A6c (1).
SG No. **16** £1,800 ($2,480)

212 ✉ **1858, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Dull Emerald Green, Imperf,** unwatermarked, large margins to jut in at bottom right, on 1862 cover to **Durham, England**, tied by Wellington transit postmark and cancelled by barred "12" oval handstamp with matching "Petre, Ja 8, 1862" origin backstamp, cover sent via Marseilles paying the ½oz rate to England with arrival backstamp, some cover wear and stamp lifted for inspection and hinged back in place, **F.-V.F., a rare on cover usage**; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 10e. Campbell Paterson No. A6c (1).
SG No. **16** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



213 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Blue Green, Imperf,** unwatermarked, neat face free barred oval cancels, ample to large margins, strong vivid color, **Extremely Fine,** choice so nice; with 1998 Holcombe & 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 10. Campbell Paterson No. A6c (2).
SG No. **17** £1,800 ($2,480)

214 o **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Blue Green, Imperforate on Thin Vertical Mesh Paper,** unwatermarked, barred "16" in oval cancel of Port Victoria, margins large to slightly in at bottom, rich bold color, **Fine, a scarce variety**; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 10 var. Campbell Paterson No. A6ca.
SG No. **17 var.**. £1,800 ($2,480)



215 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Blue Green, Serrated Perf 16/18,** unwatermarked, fully serrated on all sides, neat barred "15" oval cancel of Nelson, wide margins with only a few perfs into design at bottom, rich vibrant color, trivial hinge thin, **Very Fine appearance,** *ex-Siggers*; with 1935 R.P.S.L. certificate. Scott No. 10b.
SG No. **26** £6,500 ($8,970)

ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THE RARE 1862 1SH NELSON SERRATED PERF ISSUE.



216 ▲ **1859, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue, Rouletted 7,** unwatermarked, left stamp on piece showing roulettes at bottom, in combination with **1859, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d blue, imperf**, tied together by barred "11" oval and **manuscript "Turanga"** cancels, right stamp with clear to large margins, left stamp with full margins and roulettes in at bottom, **Very Fine,** a unique piece. Scott No. 8c, 8.
SG No. **28, 10** £3,430 ($4,730)



217 o **1859, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Brown, Rouletted 7,** unwatermarked, barred "17" in oval cancel of Christchurch, showing roulettes at top and sides, margins full to just in at upper right, vibrant color, **Extremely Fine,** a choice used example of the 1859 6d Auckland roulette; with 1990 B.P.A. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 9c. Campbell Paterson No. A5a (X).
SG No. **29** £2,750 ($3,800)

1862-64 Chalon Issue, Imperforate, Wmk. Large Star



218 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Vermilion, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, without gum, nicely balanced large margins, rich vivid color, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 11e. Campbell Paterson No. A1e (3).
SG No. **34** £700 ($970)



219 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine Vermilion, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, from row 1, no. 1 of the sheet, without gum, four huge margins, deep rich color and exceptionally fresh, **Extremely Fine,** a beautiful mint gem; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 11d. Campbell Paterson No. A1c (4).
SG No. **35** £450 ($620)



220 * **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine Vermilion, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, o.g., small hinge remnant, large margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a beautiful sound mint original gum example; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 11d. Campbell Paterson No. A1e (4).
SG No. **35** £450 ($620)



221 * **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, horizontal pair, full o.g., large margins, rich color and exceptionally fresh, **Extremely Fine,** a choice and scarce original gum multiple; with 1996 A.P.S. certificate as normal Scott #11 shade. Scott No. 11d. Campbell Paterson No. A1e (5).
SG No. **35 var.** . . . . . £900 for normal shade singles ($1,240)



222 * **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Dull Deep Blue, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, plate I showing no wear, part o.g., full well balanced margins, rich bold color, **Extremely Fine,** a very scarce sound four margin stamp in mint condition; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 12 var. Campbell Paterson No. A2d (1).
SG No. **36** £800 ($1,100)



223 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Blue, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, regummed, full well balanced margins, bright and fresh with rich color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 12. Campbell Paterson No. A2d (2).
SG No. **36** £800 ($1,100)



224 ▲ **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Blue, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, plate I showing no wear, 3 singles, tied on piece by barred "7" in oval cancels of Wellington, rich deep color, left pair of stamps with full margins, right stamp just in at upper right, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 12. Campbell Paterson No. A2d (2).
SG No. **36** £285 ($390)



225 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Ultramarine, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, showing slight plate wear, barred "Dunedin" in oval cancel, ample to mostly huge margins, rich color, **Extremely Fine,** a remarkable large margin stamp; with 2014 Odenweller certificate 1992 Holcombe certificate as the *slate blue* shade. Scott No. 12d var. Campbell Paterson No. A2d (5).
SG No. **37 var.** . . . . . £200 for normal shade ($280)



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226 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Greenish Blue, Worn Plate, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, with intermediate plate wear, without gum, clear to large margins, strong color, **Very Fine**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 12g var. Campbell Paterson No. A2d (11).
SG No. **38** £700 ($970)

227 * **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Dull Blue, Very Worn Plate, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, full o.g., clear to ample margins, deep color, **F.-V.F.,** scarce in sound mint condition; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 12g. Campbell Paterson No. A2d (14).
SG No. **39** £700 ($970)



228 * **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Brown Lilac, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, full o.g. (tiny black speck adherences), large beautifully balanced margins, crisp detailed impression and strong color, **an Extremely Fine gem,** a superb mint stamp. Scott No. 13. Campbell Paterson No. A3a (1).
SG No. **40** £600 ($830)



229 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Brown Lilac, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, without gum, large to huge margins, strong bold color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a stunning large margin mint stamp; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 13. Campbell Paterson No. A3a (2).
SG No. **40** £600 ($830)



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230 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Issues, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, group of five shades: black brown, gray black, brown, deep red brown and red brown, barred oval cancels, clear to large margins, strong true colors, **Very Fine**; each with Odenweller certificate. Campbell Paterson No. A5b (1-5).
SG No. **41-43** . . . . . £610 for normal ($840)



231 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Brown, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, without gum, large margins, rich deep color enhanced by a crisp detailed impression, **Extremely Fine,** a premium mint example of the 1862 6d imperforate in the brown shade; signed Bühler, with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 14e. Campbell Paterson No. A5b (3).
SG No. **42** £2,000 ($2,760)



232 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Red Brown, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, without gum, nice evenly balanced margins, rich color and crisp detailed impression, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a lovely unused stamp; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 14. Campbell Paterson No. A5b (5).
SG No. **43** £1,600 ($2,210)



233 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Bluish Green, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, horizontal strip of 4, barred "7" in oval cancels of Wellington, ample to huge margins, rich bold bluish green shade, **Extremely Fine,** in perfect condition; with 1992 Alcuri and 2015 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 15g. Campbell Paterson No. A6d (1).
SG No. **44** . . . . . £1,300 for singles ($1,790)

A GORGEOUS AND RARE SOUND MULTIPLE OF THE 1862 1SH IMPERFORATE ISSUE.



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234 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Olive Green, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, light barred oval cancel, large to huge margins including portion of adjacent stamp at top, rich bold color, **an Extremely Fine gem,** an exceptional example in this scarce shade; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 15g var. Campbell Paterson No. A6d (6).
SG No. **44 var.**. . . . . £325 for normal ($450)

235 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Yellow Green, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, very light face-free barred oval cancel, large margins, beautiful rich deep vibrant color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a stunning used stamp; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 15. Campbell Paterson No. A6d (3).
SG No. **45** £350 ($480)



236 ✉ **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Yellow Green, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, margins large to a bit in at bottom, in combination with **1862, 2d blue, slight worn plate, imperf, Large Star watermark**, clear to huge margins, tied by neat barred circle cancels on cover to Blackstone, Mass., reverse with clear "Invercargill, My 12, 1863" origin cds, red crayon "8" and "5 Due" ratings, red London transit and matching "16 Cents" credit handstamp, "N. York Am. Pkt., 5, Aug 2" entry cds additionally tying 1sh, **Very Fine,** a scarce combination franking; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Campbell Paterson No. A6d (4), A2d (9).
SG No. **45+38** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000



237 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Deep Yellow Green, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, four large margins, light barred "1" in oval cancel of Auckland, rich intense shade, **Very Fine, a very pretty stamp**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 15 var. Campbell Paterson No. A6d (4).
SG No. **45 var.**. . . . . £350 for normal ($480)



238 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Bronze Green, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, face-free barred oval cancel, full well balanced margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine,** choice so nice; with 1979 B.P.A. and 2014 Odenweller and certificates. Scott No. 15f. Campbell Paterson No. A6d (5).
SG No. **45 var.**. £350 ($480)



239 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Bronze Green, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, barred "17" in oval cancel of Christchurch, ample to mostly huge margins showing portions of adjacent stamps at sides, intensely rich brown green shade, **Extremely Fine, an exceptionally choice example in this rare shade**; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 15f. Campbell Paterson No. A6d (5).
SG No. **46 var.**. . . . . £375 for normal ($520)



240 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Deep Green, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, light barred oval cancel, four ample to mostly large margins, deep color with fine impression, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 15d. Campbell Paterson No. A6d (7).
SG No. **46** £375 ($520)

1862-64 Chalon Issue, Rouletted at Auckland, Wmk. Large Star



241 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Orange Vermilion, Rouletted 7,** Large Star watermark, barred "1" in oval cancel of Auckland, showing roulettes on all four sides, margins clear to full, rich radiant color, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1990 B.P.A. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 11c var. Campbell Paterson No. A1e (Y).
SG No. **47** £850 ($1,170)



242 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Vermilion, Rouletted 7,** Large Star watermark, light barred oval cancel, showing roulettes on all four sides, margins huge to slightly in at bottom left, strong bright color, **Very Fine**; with 1978 R.P.S.L. and 2012 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 11c. Campbell Paterson No. A1e (X).
SG No. **48** £800 ($1,100)



243 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Blue, Rouletted 7,** Large Star watermark, showing roulettes on all four sides, neat barred "1" in oval cancel of Auckland, uncommonly wide margins, rich color, **Extremely Fine,** an exceptional example of the 1862 2d Auckland roulette issue; with 2000 B.P.A. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 12c. Campbell Paterson No. A2d (Y).
SG No. **49** £475 ($660)



244 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Greenish Slate Blue, Rouletted 7,** Large Star watermark, with slight plate wear and showing roulettes on all four sides, barred "1" in oval cancel of Auckland, clear to large margins, strong bold color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a premium example of this difficult issue; with 1969 R.P.S.N.Z. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 12c var. Campbell Paterson No. A2d (O).
SG No. **50** £850 ($1,170)



245 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Pale Blue, Rouletted 7,** Large Star watermark, horizontal pair, barred "16" in oval cancels of Port Victoria, showing roulettes on all sides and between stamps, bold color, **Very Fine**; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 12c var. Campbell Paterson No. A2d (N).
SG No. **51** . . . . . £1,200 for singles ($1,660)

AN EXTREMELY RARE AND CHOICE MULTIPLE OF THE 1862 2D AUCKLAND ROULETTE ISSUE USED IN PORT VICTORIA.

Although the Auckland roulettes normally bear the "1" obilterator of Auckland, some 2d copies where distributed to other locations including New Plymouth and Dunedin.



246 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Brown Lilac, Rouletted 7,** Large Star watermark, barred "1" in oval cancel of Auckland, showing roulettes on all four sides, margins large to just shaving frameline at bottom left, strong color, **F.-V.F.**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 13c. Campbell Paterson No. A3a (Z).
SG No. **52** £800 ($1,100)



247 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Black Brown, Rouletted 7,** Large Star watermark, light barred oval cancel, showing roulettes on all four sides (scissor separated at bottom with roulettes complete in margin), full margins around design, strong color and impression, **Very Fine,** a choice used example of the 1862 6d Auckland roulette in the black brown shade; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 14c var. Campbell Paterson No. A5b (Y).
SG No. **53** £475 ($660)



248 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Brown, Rouletted 7,** Large Star watermark, clear **"Drury, Jul 31, 63" town** cancel, huge margins, roulettes on three sides and scissor separated at right with rouletting 1mm into design, bold color, **Extremely Fine,** an exceptional example of the 1862 Auckland roulette that was not accurately placed; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 14c var. Campbell Paterson No. A5b (X).
SG No. **54** £600 ($830)

Drury is a small rural town near Auckland and the use this townmark on a 1862 Auckland roulette is very rare.



249 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Red Brown, Rouletted 7,** Large Star watermark, showing roulettes on all four sides, central barred oval cancel, full well balanced margins, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderfully choice roulette issue; with 2000 R.P.S.N.Z. and 2015 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 14c. Campbell Paterson No. A5b (V).
SG No. **55** £475 ($660)

1862-64 Chalon Issue, Serrated Perf. 16/18 at Nelson, Large Star



250 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Brown, Serrated Perf 16/18,** Large Star watermark, light barred "15" in oval cancel of Nelson, margins clear to ample, bold color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1959 B.P.A. certificate. Scott No. 14b var.
SG No. **64** £2,250 ($3,100)

A REMARKABLE FOUR MARGIN SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 1862 6D NELSON SERRATED PERFORATION ISSUE.

1862-64 Chalon Issue, Perf. 13, Wmk. Large Star



251 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Orange Vermilion, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, without gum, well centered with perfs clear of design, rich vivid color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine and choice, stunning gem**; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 16a. Campbell Paterson No. A1f (1).
SG No. **68** £2,750 ($3,800)



252 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Orange Vermilion, Perf 13, Double Perfs in Left Sheet Margin,** Large Star watermark, barred oval corner cancel, attractive centering, strong bold color, **Very Fine,** an unusual variety; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 16a var. Campbell Paterson No. A1f (1).
SG No. **68 var.** . . . . . £350 for normal ($480)



253 * **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine Vermilion, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, o.g., hinge remnant, rich deep color, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** very scarce; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 16. Campbell Paterson No. A1f (2).
SG No. **69** £2,750 ($3,800)



254 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Slate Blue, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, plate I showing slight early plate wear, regummed, well centered, deep color, **Very Fine**; with 1989 R.P.S.N.Z. (for S.G. 70) and 2011 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 17b. Campbell Paterson No. A2e (3).
SG No. **71** £750 ($1,040)



255 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Slate Blue, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, showing slight plate wear, barred oval cancel, strong bold color, **Fine,** a very attractive example of the 1862 2d Dunedin perf 13 issue as virtually all examples are found poorly centered; with 2014 Behr and Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 17b. Campbell Paterson No. A2e (3).
SG No. **71** £750 ($1,040)



256 ✉ **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Blue, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, rich color, tied by "Dunedin, No 15, 64" cds and barred "Otago" duplex on cover to Nelson, with "Deficient Postage 2d/Fine_2d" form handstamp and ratings with "4" pence due handstamp, "Nelson, No 18, 64" receiving postmark, **Very Fine and choice,** an attractive insufficiently paid letter usage, *ex-Dumas*; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 17 var. Campbell Paterson No. A2e (8).
SG No. **72 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



257 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, showing slight plate wear, without gum, beautifully centered for this extremely difficult issue, with intact perforations all around, rich color, **Very Fine and choice,** an exceptional mint stamp; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 17. Campbell Paterson No. A2e (5).
SG No. **72** £650 ($900)



258 (*) **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Brown Lilac, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, without gum, strong bright color, very fresh, **Very Fine,** a rare stamp in mint condition; with 2003 R.P.S.N.Z. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 18. Campbell Paterson No. A3b.
SG No. **74** £2,750 ($3,800)



259 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Brown Lilac, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, barred "25" in oval of Queenstown, wide margins with perfs well clear of design all around, strong color, **an Extremely Fine jumbo,** a remarkable and rare full margin example of the 1862 3d Dunedin perf 13 issue; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 18. Campbell Paterson No. A3b.
SG No. **74** £500 ($690)



260 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Red Brown, Perf 13, Imperf Vertically,** Large Star watermark, circular barred "Otago" cancel, wide margins at sides showing significant portions of adjacent stamps, deep rich color, **Very Fine,** an extremely rare 1862 6d Dunedin perf 13 issue lacking vertical perforations, *ex-Hackmey*; with 2006 R.P.S. and 2013 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 19 var. Campbell Paterson No. A5c (3).
SG No. **77 var.**; £120 for normal ($170) . . Estimate $200 - 300



261 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Yellow Green, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, barred "Otago" in circular duplex cancel, well centered, rich bold color, **Very Fine**; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 20b. Campbell Paterson No. A6e (4).
SG No. **80** £375 ($520)



262 o **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Deep Yellow Green, Perf 13,** Large Star watermark, nice full perforations, deep color, barred oval cancel, **Very Fine**; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 20b. Campbell Paterson No. A6e (5).
SG No. **80** £375 ($520)

1862-63 Chalon Issue on Pelure Paper, Imperforate



263 (*) **1863 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Orange Vermilion on Pelure Paper, Imperf,** unwatermarked, without gum, full margins to into frameline at bottom left, rich brilliant color on fresh paper, **Very Fine,** one of the few sound examples in existence; with 1963 B.P.A. certificate. Scott No. 21.
SG No. **81** £11,000 ($15,180)

A RARE SOUND UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 1863 1D IMPERFORATE ON PELURE PAPER.



264 o **1863 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Orange Vermilion on Pelure Paper, Imperf,** unwatermarked, light barred oval cancel, four large margins showing portion of adjacent stamp at top, rich radiant color and crisp detailed impression, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2012 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 21. Campbell Paterson No. A1g.
SG No. **81** £2,500 ($3,450)

AN EXCEPTIONAL USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1863 1D CHALON HEAD ON IMPERFORATE PELURE PAPER.



265 o **1862 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Ultramarine on Pelure Paper, Imperf,** unwatermarked, barred oval cancel, clear to mostly large margins, wonderful strong bold color especially for this extremely fugitive and pale color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 22c.
SG No. **82** £850 ($1,170)



266 o **1862 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Deep Green on Pelure Paper, Imperf,** unwatermarked, light barred oval cancel, full well balanced margins showing small portion of adjacent stamp at top, rich deep color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** an outstanding used example of the 1862 1sh on pelure paper; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 25b. Campbell Paterson No. A6f (1).
SG No. **86** £1,100 ($1,520)



267 o **1862 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Yellow Green on Pelure Paper, Imperf,** unwatermarked, barred "15" in oval cancel of Nelson, ample to large margins, deep color, **Very Fine, a rare stamp in this choice condition**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate and 1992 B.P.A. certificate as deep green shade (S.G. 86). Scott No. 25. Campbell Paterson No. A6f (2).
SG No. **86 var.** . . . . . £1,100 for normal ($1,520)

1862-63 Chalon Issue on Pelure Paper, Rouletted 7 at Auckland



268 * **1862 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Black Brown on Pelure Paper, Rouletted 7,** unwatermarked, small dot of printer's ink in "n" of "Pence", traces of o.g., showing roulettes on all four sides, large to huge margins with portion of adjacent stamp at bottom, bold color, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 24b. Campbell Paterson No. A5d (W).
SG No. **88** £3,750 ($5,180)

A TRULY EXCEPTIONAL MINT EXAMPLE OF THE 1862 6D AUCKLAND ROULETTE ISSUE.



269 o **1862 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Black Brown on Pelure Paper, Rouletted 7,** unwatermarked, light barred oval cancel, with roulettes on all four sides, bold color, **Fine,** a rare sound example of the 6d Auckland roulette on pelure; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 24b. Campbell Paterson No. A5d (W).
SG No. **88** £475 ($660)



270 o **1862 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Deep Green on Pelure Paper, Rouletted 7,** unwatermarked, ample to large margins showing clear roulettes, deep color, postmarked barred oval cancel, barred oval cancel, showing full roulettes at top and sides, margins clear to large, deep color, natural paper wrinkle at upper left not mentioned in certificate, **Very Fine, a very rare stamp**; with 1987 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 25c. Campbell Paterson No. A6f (1)Z.
SG No. **89** £1,800 ($2,480)

1862-63 Chalon Issue on Pelure Paper, Perf. 13 at Auckland



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271 o **1862 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Ultramarine on Pelure Paper, Perf 13,** unwatermarked, neat clear barred "Dunedin" in oval cancel, choice centering especially for this notoriously off-centered issue, strong bright color with the usual fading, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderful sound used example of the 2d Dunedin perf 13 on pelure issue; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 22a. Campbell Paterson No. A2f (Z).
SG No. **91** £800 ($1,100)

272 o **1862 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Black Brown on Pelure Paper, Perf 13,** unwatermarked, clear barred "Otago" in circular duplex cancel, choice centering, rich deep color, **Very Fine and choice,** an exceptional sound example of the 6d Dunedin perf 13 on pelure issue; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 24a. Campbell Paterson No. A5d (Y).
SG No. **93** £400 ($550)

1863 Chalon Issue on Thick White Paper, Imperforate



273 o **1863 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Dull Deep Blue on Thick Soft White Paper, Imperf,** unwatermarked, neat barred "17" in oval of Christchurch, ample to huge margin, rich vibrant color, **Very Fine and choice,** with Holcombe remark "*A superb copy of a very scarce stamp*"; with 1987 Holcombe & 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 26a. Campbell Paterson No. A2h.
SG No. **96** £800 ($1,100)

1863 Chalon Issue on Thick White Paper, Perf. 13



274 o **1863 Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Dull Deep Blue on Thick Soft White Paper, Perf 13,** unwatermarked, circular "Dunedin, Se 2, 63" date stamp cancel, beautifully centered with perfs clear of design, rich bold color, **Very Fine and choice,** a wonderful used example of the 1863 2¢ Provisional perforated issue; with 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 26. Campbell Paterson No. A2h (Z).
SG No. **96a**. £475 ($660)

1864 Chalon Issue, Imperforate, Wmk. NZ



275 * **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine Vermilion, Imperf,** N Z watermark, full o.g., large margins including portion of next stamp at left, beautiful deep rich color and detailed impression, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1979 B.P.A. and 2013 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 27. Campbell Paterson No. A1j.
SG No. **97** £950 ($1,310)

AN EXCEPTIONAL MINT ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1864 1D CARMINE VERMILION IMPERFORATE.



276 (*) **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine Vermilion, Imperf,** N Z watermark, without gum, ample to huge margins, rich deep color on bright fresh paper, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a pristine mint example; with 2012 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 27. Campbell Paterson No. A1j.
SG No. **97** £950 ($1,310)



277 o **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine Vermilion, Imperf,** N Z watermark, barred oval cancel, clear to huge margins encompassing portions of stamps at top, rich deep color, **Very Fine**; with 2012 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 27. Campbell Paterson No. A1j.
SG No. **97** £350 ($480)

278 o **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine Vermilion, Imperf,** N Z watermark, horizontal strip of 3, barred circular cancels, margins large to touching frameline at top left, rich bold colors, somewhat heavy crease in right stamp and thin at bottom of left pair, **Very Fine appearance,** a scarce multiple; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 27. Campbell Paterson No. A1j.
SG No. **97** . . . . . £1,050 for singles ($1,450)



279 * **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Pale Blue, Imperf,** N Z watermark, plate I, worn impression, part o.g., large margin all around, strong bright color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** an exceptional gem example of the 1864 2d imperforate issue; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 28. Campbell Paterson No. A2j (1).
SG No. **98** £1,500 ($2,070)



280 o **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue, Imperf,** N Z watermark, partial barred oval cancel, large to mostly huge margins, strong color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a wonderful gem used single; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 28. Campbell Paterson No. A2j (2).
SG No. **98** £275 ($380)



281 o **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Red Brown, Imperf,** N Z watermark, light face-free barred oval cancel, large well balanced margins, rich vivid color, **Extremely Fine,** an exceptional lightly canceled stamp; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 29. Campbell Paterson No. A5f.
SG No. **99** £700 ($970)



282 (*) **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Green, Imperf,** N Z watermark, left margin single, without gum, clear to large margins, rich vibrant color, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** an attractive mint marginal Chalon Head high value; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 30. Campbell Paterson No. A6h (1).
SG No. **100**. £1,800 ($2,480)

1864 Chalon Issue, Rouletted 7 at Auckland, Wmk. NZ



283 o **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine Vermilion, Rouletted 7,** N Z watermark, light barred "1" in oval cancel of Auckland, showing roulettes on all four sides, margins close to just in at bottom, rich color, **Very Fine,** a rare sound used example of the 1864 1d Auckland roulette; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 27a. Campbell Paterson No. A1j (Y).
SG No. **101**. £3,000 ($4,140)

1864-71 Chalon Issue, Perf. 12½, Wmk. Large Star



284 ✉ **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Carmine, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, tied by barred "O5" in oval handstamps on **the July 27, 1867 edition of "The Illustrated New Zealander" Dunedin newspaper from Waikouaiti, Otago to Gainford, England**, carried on the RMSP Co. *Rakaia* leaving Wellington on August 8th with mail arriving at Southampton on September 27th, newspaper with contents including an articles on "Wild Bull Hunting in Australia", "Bishop Selwyn's Fairwell Address at Auckland" and illustrations of Bishop Harper, Otago Benevolent Institute and the Custom House, Dunedin; small portion of newspaper front missing and soiling slightly affecting stamp, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Woolfe, Hackmey and Benvie*; with 2006 R.P.S.L. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 31 var. Campbell Paterson No. A1m (2).
SG No. **110 var.**. . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

THE EARLIER OF TWO KNOWN COMPLETE NEWSPAPERS FROM NEW ZEALAND TO ENGLAND AFTER THE INTRODUCTION OF POSTAGE IN 1867.

The 14th voyage was the last by the RMSP Co. to Southampton. Thereafter, Plymouth was used as it speeded up the mail landing.



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285 o **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d-1s Complete, Imperf, Large Star Watermark,** set of 7 values, most with light barred oval cancels, choice allover centering, strong to rich colors, **Very Fine and choice,** a lovely hand-selected set; with R. Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 31-36.
SG No. **111//120** £497 ($690)

286 P❒ **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue, Very Worn Plate, Plate Proof,** on stout unwatermarked paper, block of 18 formed from rejoined blocks of eight and ten (rows 19-20, positions 4-12), margins ample to slightly in at right, two vertical creases and a few pinholes, **Very Fine appearance,** still a very scarce large multiple, *ex-Stanley, Boker and Hackmey*.
SG No. **113P** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

In 1864 Davies printed a sheet of the 2d from plate I which he sent to Perkins, Bacon with a request for a new plate.



287 ✉ **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Pale Blue, Worn Plate, Perf 12½, Two Horizontal Pairs and Single,** Large Star watermark, in combination with **1864, 6d brown, perf 12½, Large Star watermark** on cover to **France**, tied by "Nelson, Mr 7, 67" cds and barred "N1" duplexes, Wellington and Dunedin transit backstamps; some light foxing and 6d with corner nick at bottom right, **F.-V.F.**; with 2015 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 32a+36a. Campbell Paterson No. A2m (2)+A5h (4).
SG No. **113+122a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



288 ✉ **1866, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue, Perf 12½, Horizontal Strip of Three and Single,** Large Star watermark, plate II in the early full blue shade, in combination with **1867, 3d deep mauve, perf 12½, Large Star watermark, vertical pair** on cover to New Castle, Del., tied by "Dunedin, Se 20, 67" duplex postmarks, endorsed "Per Otago via Suez" with magenta manuscript "8" rating, red London transit and "Boston Br. Pkt., 5, Dec 4" entry postmarks; top stamp in pair with margin defect and small part of backflap missing, **otherwise Very Fine,** a rare and attractive two-color franking, *ex-Woolfe & Hackmey*; with 2006 R.P.S.L. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Campbell Paterson No. A2n (7), A3d (9).
SG No. **115+118** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



289 * **1867, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Blue, Retouched, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, traces of o.g., wide margins, fresh with strong bright color, **Very Fine**; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 32 var. Campbell Paterson No. A2n (V).
SG No. **115a** £350 ($480)

290 ▲ **1867, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Lilac, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, tied on piece by 1867 Nelson town and barred "N1" oval duplex cancel, margin huge to just touching at bottom left, strong color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 33b. Campbell Paterson No. A3dw.
SG No. **117a** . . . . . £1,900 for pair ($2,620)

291 o **1867, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Lilac, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, single, barred "14" in oval and circular date stamp cancels, large to mostly huge margins, bright color, minute margin tear at bottom left, **Extremely Fine appearance,** a stunning large margin stamp. Scott No. 33b. Campbell Paterson No. A3d (W).
SG No. **117a** . . . . . £1,900 for pair ($2,620)



292 ✉ **1867, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Deep Mauve, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, rich color, tied by neat "Dunedin, Ju 10, 67" cds and barred "O" in oval duplex on cover to Napier paying the 3d interprovincial rate, with **"New Zealand Exhibition, 1865." imprint** at top and brown circular embossed crest of the same on backflap, "Napier, Jn, 21, 67" receiving backstamp, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-D. White*; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 33a. Campbell Paterson No. A3d (8).
SG No. **118** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

The New Zealand Exhibition was to promote agricultural and industrial products and manufactures of the Colony of New Zealand and other countries as may be useful in the development of the Colony.



293 ✉ **1867, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Deep Mauve, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, in combination with **1867, 3d lilac, perf 12½, Large Star watermark** on cover to **Sydney, New South Wales**, tied by bold "Wellington, Mr 15, 69" cds and barred "O70" oval duplexes, redirected to "Sportsmans Arms, Pitt Street" with red "Sydney, Ap 9, 1869" cds and boxed "Not Known By The/Letter Carrier" handstamp, Sydney transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine,** an interesting usage bearing both shades of the 1867 3d issue. Scott No. 33a+33.
SG No. **118+117** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

294 o **1867, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 3d Deep Mauve, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, barred oval cancel, clear to huge margins, rich color, small shallow thin, **Very Fine appearance.** Scott No. 33c. Campbell Paterson No. A3d (X).
SG No. **118a** £1,900 ($2,620)



295 (*) **1865, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 4d Deep Rose, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, without gum, well centered especially for this notorious off-centered issue, rich vivid color, **Very Fine,** a very rare sound mint example in this choice condition. Scott No. 34. Campbell Paterson No. A4d (2).
SG No. **119**. £3,250 ($4,480)

296 o **1865, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 4d Rose & Deep Rose, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, barred duplex and town cancels, strong color, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2012 Odenweller certificate for the deep rose shade. Scott No. 34 var., 34. Campbell Paterson No. A4a (1-2).
SG No. **119 var., 119** . . . . . £500 for normal ($690)



297 ✉ **1865, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 4d Yellow, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, in combination with **1864, 6d red brown, perf 12½, Large Star watermark** on cover to **Bolton Le Moors, England**, tied by "Dunedin, Au 31, 70" duplex postmarks, with manuscript "Via Suez and Marseilles" endorsement and clear strike of the **rare boxed "Insufficiently Paid/For Brindisi Route/Deficient Postage/"Due 3"" handstamp**, forwarded to Blackpool with partial Bolton cds on reverse; cover edge wear repaired cover opening at left, **F.-V.F.,** illustrated in the R.P.S.N.Z. handbook (volume VII, page 59), the only other cover recorded with this handstamp was in the John Woolfe sale in 2006, *ex-McNaught & Ellott*; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Campbell Paterson No. A4b (2), A5h (1).
SG No. **120+122** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

ONE OF ONLY TWO COVERS RECORDED FROM NEW ZEALAND WITH THIS DEFICIENCY HANDSTAMP.

The outbreak of the Franco-Prussian War on July 15, 1870 resulted in difficulties with the route through France, and from September to November of that year mail to Europe endorsed "via Marseilles" was diverted to the route via Brindisi. The September and October mails from New Zealand were surcharged 3d per half-ounce on delivery in the United Kingdom, where an explanatory handstruck marking was applied. This was the rate difference in charges in the United Kingdom for letters sent by the alternative routes, though for letters from New Zealand the actual rate difference was 5d per half-ounce.



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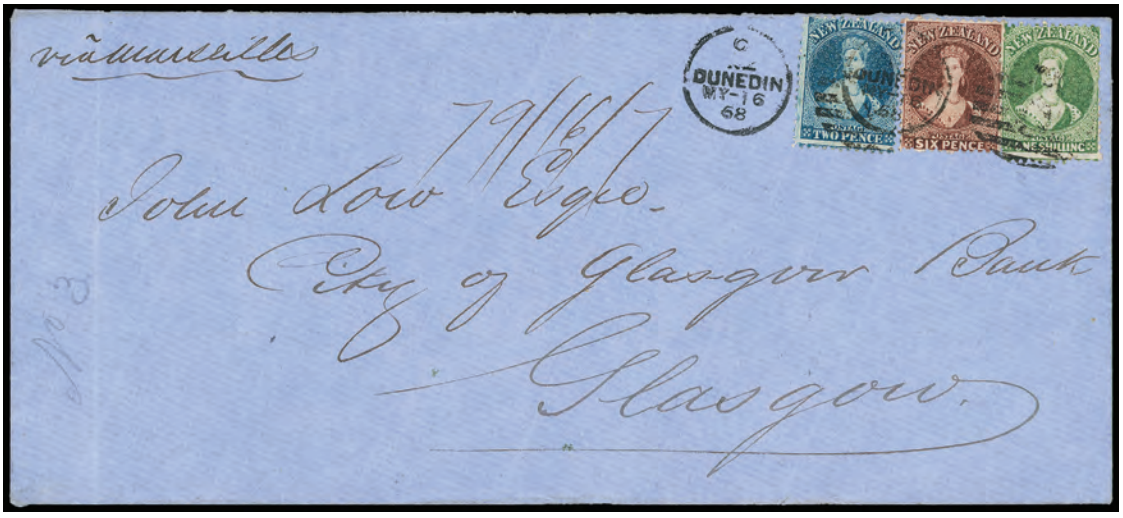

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298 ✉ **1865, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 4d Yellow, Perf 12½, Horizontal Pair,** Large Star watermark, tied by "Dunedin, Au 20, 67" cds and barred oval duplex on reverse of cover to **Melun, France** forwarded to Paris, carried per Bombay departing Sydney August 24th and arriving at Marseilles November 12th, various French transit and forwarding date stamps including red "Pass Ang V Suez, An A Mar, 12 Oct, 67" on front, **Very Fine,** the rate had been reduced to 8d on June 1st, 1867, *ex-"Antipodes" & Benvie*; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 35. Campbell Paterson No. A4b (2).
SG No. **120** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



299 ✉ **1865, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 4d Pale Yellow, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, in combination with **1864, 6d brown, perf 12½, Large Star watermark** on cover to **Golspie, Scotland**, tied by bold "Dunedin, Mr 21, 67" cds and barred "O" duplexes, "Via Marseilles and Suez" routing endorsement and "Golspie, My 13, 1867" receiving backstamp, **Very Fine,** scarce with little mail sent via Suez during the Panama contract period; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Campbell Paterson No. A4b (1)+A5h (5).
SG No. **120 var.+122a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

The Panama line S.S. "Otago" carried the New Zealand mail to Melbourne from Port Chalmers for mail to be carried on the P&O Line. Sailed that day (March 21st) from Otago, with the mails for Great Britain via Marseilles, per Melbourne. The via Panama mail left Sydney via Wellington where the NZ mail left on April 8th, arriving in Great Britain on May 26th.



300 ✉ **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Red Brown, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, fine single tied by **manuscript "HoHo, 16/6/67"** postmark on cover to **Stroud, England**, manuscript "via Panama" routing endorsement at top, reverse with "Hokitika, My 16, 67" origin, "Christchurch, My 23" transit and receiving backstamps; small cover tear at top and small portion of backflap missing, **F.-V.F.,** sent on the first voyage of the *Kaikora*. Scott No. 36.
SG No. **122** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



301 o **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Red Brown, Perf 12½, Imperf Vertically,** Large Star watermark, barred "5" in oval cancel, wide side margins, strong color, tiny filled thin, **Very Fine appearance,** an extremely rare unlisted perforation variety. Campbell Paterson No. A5h (2).
SG No. **122 var.** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



302 ✉ **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Dull Red Brown, Perf 12½, Two Singles,** Large Star watermark, tied by barred "O5" in oval cancels on double rate cover to **Pictou, Nova Scotia** with manuscript "via Panama { via New York" routing at top, reverse with "Waikouaiti, Oc 6, 68" origin and Dunedin transit cds's, "N.Y. Steamship, 10, Dec 13" rate cds below stamps for transit beyond Panama, Hamilton transit and partial receiving backstamps, **Very Fine,** a rare usage to Nova Scotia; with 1988 Holcombe and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 36 var. Campbell Paterson No. A5h (3).
SG No. **122 var.**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



303 * **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Green, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, o.g., well centered, rich vibrant color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a lovely mint original gum single; with 1988 Holcombe and 2006 R.P.S.L. certificates. Scott No. 37b.
SG No. **124** £650 ($900)

304 (*) **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Green, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, without gum, well centered, rich bold color, **Very Fine,** choice so nice. Scott No. 37b. Campbell Paterson No. A6m (1).
SG No. **124** £650 ($900)

305 o **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Issues, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, group of five shades: green, dull yellow green, deep yellow green, yellow green and pale yellow green, barred oval or town cancels, strong true colors, dull yellow green with corner crease, **otherwise Fine**; three with Odenweller certificate. Campbell Paterson No. A6m (1-5).
SG No. **124-125** . . . . . £620 for normal ($860)

306 * **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Yellow Green, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, horizontal pair, part o.g., well centered, strong bright color, **Very Fine,** a pretty multiple; with 1988 Holcombe and 2013 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 37a. Campbell Paterson No. A6m (4).
SG No. **125** . . . . . £650 for singles ($900)

307 ✉ **1864, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s Deep Yellow Green, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, in combination with **1864, 2d greenish blue + 6d deep red brown, perf 12½, Large Star watermark** on legal size via Marseilles endorsed cover to **Glasgow, Scotland**, tied by "Dunedin, My 16, 68" duplex postmarks; cover file fold at left, **Very Fine**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Campbell Paterson No. A6m (3)+A2n (2)+A5h (1).
SG No. **125 var.+115 var.+122** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

Carried by SS "Tararua" of the Panama Line from Port Chalmers on May 18th to Melbourne for mails per the P&O Line.

1871-73 Chalon Issue, Perf. 10, Wmk. Large Star



308 (*) **1871, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Brown, Perf 10,** Large Star watermark, without gum, strong bright color, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. 38.
SG No. **126** £900 ($1,240)



309 * **1871, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Reddish Brown, Perf 10, Partial Double Perfs at Bottom,** Large Star watermark, traces of o.g., well centered for this, strong bright color, **Very Fine,** an unusual perforation variety; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 38 var. Campbell Paterson No. A1n var.
SG No. **126 var.**. . . . . £900 for normal ($1,240)

1871 Chalon Issue, Perf. 10 x 12½, Wmk. Large Star

310 o **1871, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Brown, Perf 12½ Comp 10 (1 Side),** Large Star watermark, vertical pair showing perf 10 at top and bottom only, barred "8" in oval cancels of Petre, rich color, slight foxing at top and right, **otherwise Very Fine,** still an attractive and rare multiple; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 42 var. Campbell Paterson No. A1p (X).
SG No. **128a** . . . . . £400 for singles ($550)



311 (*) **1871, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Orange, Perf 10 x 12½,** Large Star watermark, horizontal pair, without gum, strong bright orange shade, **Very Fine,** a scarce unused multiple. Scott No. 43. Campbell Paterson No. A2r.
SG No. **130 var.**. . . . . £600 for normal singles ($830)



312 o **1871, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Orange Vermilion, Perf 12½ Comp 10 (1 Side),** Large Star watermark, showing perf 10 at bottom, plate II retouched position from row 20, no. 7 and sheet margin line watermark at bottom, neat circular face-free cancel, well centered with rich vibrant color, **Very Fine**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 43 var. Campbell Paterson No. A2r (X).
SG No. **130b**. £475 ($660)



313 o **1871, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Pale Blue, Perf 12½ Comp 10 (1 Side),** Large Star watermark, showing perf 10 at top, very light barred oval cancel, wide margins, strong bright color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1988 R.P.S.N.Z. and 2014 Odenweller certificates. Scott No. 44 var. Campbell Paterson No. A5j (Z).
SG No. **131c**. £450 ($620)



314 o **1871, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Deep Dull Orange, Imperf,** Large Star watermark, left margin single, barred "5" in oval cancel of Campbelltown, ample to large margins, rich color, **Extremely Fine,** variety unlisted in Gibbons and unpriced in Campbell Paterson. Scott No. 40. Campbell Paterson No. A2s (3X).
SG No. **133 var.**. . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

THE FINEST KNOWN EXAMPLE OF 1871 2D IMPERFORATE ON LARGE STAR WATERMARK PAPER - A GREAT RARITY WITH ONLY A FEW KNOWN.

Two examples of this variety are illustrated in Odenweller "The Postage Stamps of New Zealand 1855-1873" with one bearing the barred "5" obilterator.



315 * **1871, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 6d Blue, Perf 12½,** Large Star watermark, full o.g., small hinge remnant, beautifully centered amid large well balanced margins, rich vibrant color and exceptional freshness, **an Extremely Fine gem,** a stunning mint stamp; with 2013 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 41. Campbell Paterson No. A5k (2).
SG No. **135** £325 ($450)

1873 Chalon Issue, Perf. 12½



316 (*) **1872, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Brown, Perf 12½,** unwatermarked, without gum, bold color, **F.-V.F.,** scarce especially in mint condition. Scott No. 47.
SG No. **137** £1,100 ($1,520)



317 o **1872, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Vermilion, Perf 12½, Watermarked TH Saunders (Double Lined Capitals),** plate II retouched, from row 18, no. 9, barred "S" in oval cancel, rich deep color, **Fine and scarce**; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 48 var. Campbell Paterson No. A2t (Y).
SG No. **138c** £800 ($1,100)



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318 * **1872, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 4d Bright Orange Yellow, Perf 12½,** unwatermarked, left margin horizontal pair, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and bright color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a handsome pair; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 49. Campbell Paterson No. A4c.
SG No. **139**. . . . . £400 for singles ($550)

319 o **1872, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 4d Bright Orange Yellow, Perf 12½,** unwatermarked, nicely used with "C" in barred oval cancel of Christchurch, attractive fresh color, **Very Fine and rare used example**; with 2011 Odenweller and Behr certificates. Scott No. 49. Campbell Paterson No. A4c.
SG No. **139**. £850 ($1,170)



320 o **1873, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 4d Orange Yellow, Perf 12½, Watermarked (Double Lined Capitals),** shows portion of **TH Saunders** watermark, "Wellington Oc 1873" duplex postmark, rich color, **Very Fine,** unlisted and unpriced used in Stanley Gibbons; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 49 var. Campbell Paterson No. A4c (Z).
SG No. **139a**. . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

AN EXTREMELY RARE CONTEMPORARILY USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1873 4D PERF 12½ ISSUE WITH THE "TH SAUNDERS" WATERMARK.

Robert Odenweller states in his book "The Postage Stamps of New Zealand: 1855-1873 The Chalon Head Issues" that few postally used copies the 4d unwatermarked are known and…"That is compounded even more with regard to the same stamp showing parts of the TH Saunders watermark. Very few copies are known…".

1873 Chalon Issue, Perf. 12½, Wmk. NZ



321 o **1873, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d Brown, Perf 12½,** N Z watermark, watermark inverted as usual, barred "C" in oval cancel, well centered amid typically tight margins, strong color and late impression - a characteristic of this late N Z watermark printing, **Very Fine and choice,** an exceptional example missing from even the most advanced collections; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 45. Campbell Paterson No. A1s.
SG No. **140** £8,000 ($11,040)

WITHOUT QUESTION ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THE 1873 1D BROWN PERF 12½ WITH "N Z" WATERMARK - A GREAT CHALON HEAD RARITY WITH ONLY A FEW KNOWN TO EXIST.

The 1d brown on NZ watermark paper is so elusive that this issue was not discovered until 1891. It's existence was doubted at the time however the plate wear on this issue could not be accounted for and would be nonexistent on the earlier printings (and in a different color). No unused examples are known and only two multiple are recorded - a rejoined pair and an intact pair on cover.



322 (*) **1873, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Vermilion, Perf 12½,** N Z watermark, without gum, deep rich color, **Very Fine,** a very scarce and elusive stamp in mint condition; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 46. Campbell Paterson No. A2v.
SG No. **141**. £1,200 ($1,660)

1873 Chalon Issue, Perf. 12½, Wmk. Lozenges



323 o **1872, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Vermilion, Perf 12½,** Lozenges watermark, light barred oval cancel, exceptional centering, strong vibrant color, **Extremely Fine,** a beautiful used gem; with 2014 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 50. Campbell Paterson No. A2x.
SG No. **142**. £500 ($690)



324 o **1872, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d Vermilion, Perf 12½,** Lozenges watermark, an equally scarce variety showing the space between the patterns, light barred "O 70" duplex cancel, wide margins, bright fresh color, **Very Fine**; with 2011 Odenweller certificate. Scott No. 50 var. Campbell Paterson No. A2x (Z).
SG No. **142 var.**. . . . . £500 for normal ($690)

1874-1899 Issues

325 **/*❒ **1874, Queen Victoria "Side Face", 3d Brown, Perf 12½,** N Z and Star watermark, block of 4, o.g., bottom left stamp never hinged, fresh with rich color, **Fine.** Scott No. 53 var.
SG No. **154** . . . . . £680 for o.g. ($940)

326 *❒ **1893, Queen Victoria "Side Face", 8d Blue, Brown-Purple Advert (3rd Setting), Perf 10,** N Z and Narrow Star Wide Apart watermark, right margin block of 10, full o.g., rich bright color, some gum wrinkles and thin in margin, **Fine,** a scarce multiple. Scott No. 66 var.
SG No. **225**. . . . . £900 for singles ($1,240)



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327 * **1899, Mt. Cook, 5s Vermilion, Perf 11¼, Imperf Between Stamp and Margin,** unwatermarked, full o.g., centered a bit into top, bold color, **Fine for this**; with 2015 B.P.A. certificate. Scott No. 98 var.
SG No. **270 var.**. . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE AND POSSIBLY UNIQUE IMPERFORATE VARIETY OF THE 1800 5 SHILLING MT. COOK ISSUE.

A recent discovery which was unknown to Prof. Derek Diamond. Listed for the first time by Campbell Paterson in June of 2016.

328 *❒ **Samoa, 1879, Samoa Express (2nd State), 1s Dull Yellow, Perf 12,** complete sheet of 10, full o.g., rich vivid color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 6c.
SG No. **7b** . . . . . £1,000 for singles ($1,380)

329 * **Samoa, 1879, Samoa Express (3rd State), 3d Vermilion, Perf 12,** complete sheet of 10, full o.g., nice overall centering, vibrant color, **Very Fine and choice,** very scarce so nice. Scott No. 3d.
SG No. **16** . . . . . £700 for singles ($970)

330 * **Samoa, 1879, Samoa Express (3rd State), 6d Bright Violet, Perf 12,** complete sheet of 10, full o.g., bright color, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 4d.
SG No. **17** . . . . . £650 for singles ($900)

331 * **Samoa, 1880, Samoa Express (4th State), 9d Orange Brown,** complete sheet of 10, full o.g., well centered within wide margins, **Very Fine.** Scott No. 5.
SG No. **20** . . . . . £800 for singles ($1,100)

332 ✉ **Transvaal, 1896, 1d Rose Red & Green, Blocks of 12, 9, 6 & 4, Two Pairs and Two Singles,** on oversized registered linen cover to London, England, all tied by "P.K.W. Barberton, Z.A.R., 3-Apr 97" cds's, reverse with Pretoria transit and red London oval receiver on front; cover and stamp defects, **Fine appearance,** still a remarkable multiple franking.
Scott No. **217** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

333 * **Zululand, 1888-93, "Zululand" on Great Britain, ½d-1s,** 10 values, o.g., most lightly to very lightly hinged, rich colors, **a Very Fine and choice set.** Scott No. 1-10.
SG No. **1/10** £584 ($810)

General Foreign

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334 ▲ **1913, 2pa on 5pa Yellow Buff, Eagle Overprint, two singles, one with blue 2pa surcharge inverted**, tied on piece by Elbassan town cancel, **Very Fine and rare,** this stamp was not sold at the Post Office, but was distributed to some Officials; with 1994 Holcombe certificate. Michel No. 1a.
Scott No. **footnote**; $3,600 for normal . . . Estimate $500 - 750

335 ✉ **1913, 1pi Bright Blue, Eagle and Beyiye Overprints, Beyiye Overprint Inverted,** in combination with **1913, 5pa + 10pa + 20pa + 2pi + 5pi inverted overprint**, on unaddressed cover canceled by blue "Vlone 11-7-1913" cds's, **Very Fine**; signed A. Diena, with 1993 Mikulski certificate.
Scott No. **15, 4-6, 8-10** . . . . . $4,625 for normal off cover



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336 ✉ **1913 Postal Card to Munich, Germany,** 1913 20pa rose postal card uprated with **1913, 20pa pair + 1pi pair + 2pi two singles on with inverted overprint** (Scott 6-8) all tied by blue "Vlone, 9.8-1913" cds's; light card staining at right, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very scarce usage.
Scott No. **6-8**; $1,900 off cover . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



337 o **1913, 10pi Dull Red, Eagle Overprint,** tied on piece by town cancel, **Very Fine,** a choice example of one of the rarest Eagle issues; with 1994 Holcombe certificate.
Scott No. **11** $4,750



338 * **1913, 1pi Black on Deep Rose, Eagle Overprint,** on Turkey postage due issue, tied on piece by town cancel, **Very Fine,** a rare key 1913 Eagle issue; with 1995 Holcombe certificate.
Scott No. **18** $2,500

339 ▲ **1913, 10pa on 20a Carmine Rose, Eagle Overprint in Red,** tied on piece by Elbassan town cancel, **Very Fine,** a very rare surcharge issue with red overprint; with 2008 Scheller certificate. Michel No. 16.
Scott No. **19 var.** . . . . . $1,250 for normal

340 ✉ **1919, 20q on 16h Green, Diagonal Bisect,** on picture postcard to Scutari, canceled by neat "Skode 8-6-20" cds, **Very Fine**; with 1996 Buhler certificate. Michel No. 62 var.
Scott No. **115 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

341 * **1940, 15q Red & 25q Blue Entires,** accompanied by the 1940 25q blue letter card, all bright and fresh, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

342 ** **Austria, 1936, 10s Dolfuss,** o.g., never hinged, well centered amid unusually wide margins, bright and fresh, **Very Fine and choice.** Michel No. 588.
Scott No. **380** $1,100

343 ✉ **Azerbaijan, 1922, 50,000r on 3000r Brown & Blue,** vertical pair on front and vertical pair and block of four on reverse, all tied by "Baku" cds on cover to Sweden; small stamp flaws, **Very Fine and scarce use.**
Scott No. **35** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

344 ✉ **Bolivia, 1925 (August 25) Cochabamba to La Paz First Flight,** pre-printed flight cover franked with 1925, 50c "Correo Aereo, 14-8-25" overprint issue tied by Cochabamba oval date stamp with La Paz receiving cds alongside, **Very Fine and choice,** a scarce early flight.
Scott No. **unlisted**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

345 (*) **Brazil, 1843, First Issue ("Bull's Eye"), 30r Black, Worn Impression,** showing couple plate scratches at upper right, without gum, margins large to just into top frameline at right, **Fine and rare.**
Scott No. **1b** $4,000

Chinese Empire

346 o **1878, Large Dragon on Thin Paper, 1ca Green,** black seal cancel, well centered, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1**. $550

347 o **1878, Large Dragon on Thin Paper, 1ca Deep Green,** red "Customs, Shanghai, Feb 7, 79" circular date stamp cancel, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1a** $550

348 (*) **1878, Large Dragon on Thin Paper, 3ca Brown Red,** without gum, choice centering, strong color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2**. $750

349 o **1878, Large Dragon on Thin Paper, 3ca Brown Red,** blue seal corner cancel, small corner crease, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Scott No. **2**. $450

350 o **1878, Large Dragon on Thin Paper, 5ca Orange,** neat full 1879 Shanghai Customs town cancel, choice centering with full intact perforations, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **3**. $400

351 o **1883, Large Dragon on Thick Paper, 5ca Yellow, Perf 12½,** black seal cancel, rich brilliant color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **9**. $650

352 * **1897, Large Figures Wide Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, ½¢ on 3ca Orange Yellow,** showing a shifted overprint, full o.g., small hinge remnant, rich color, slightly short perf at bottom, **Fine,** a very scarce mint stamp.
Scott No. **38** $2,500

353 o **1897, Large Figures Wide Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, ½¢ on 3ca Orange Yellow,** bright color, neat Customs cancel, **Fine.**
Scott No. **38** $850

354 o **1897, Large Figures Wide Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, 2¢ on 2ca Green,** full brown "**Customs, Shanghai, Apr 13, 1897**" town cancel, **F.-V.F.,** believed to be the **earliest known usage** of this stamp.
Scott No. **40** $350

355 * **1897, Large Figures Wide Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, 30¢ on 24ca Carmine,** o.g., large paper hinge remnant, rich bright color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **46** $1,200

356 o **1897, Large Figures Wide Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, 30¢ on 24ca Carmine,** large dollar circular cancel, bright color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **46** $1,300

357 o **1897, Large Figures Wide Surcharge on Dowager, 2nd Printing, ½¢ on 3ca Chrome Yellow, "t" of "Cent" Omitted,** brown "Customs Shanghai" town cancel, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce second printing variety.
Scott No. **47A** $850

358 * **1897, Large Figures Wide Surcharge on Dowager, 2nd Printing, 10¢ on 12ca Yellowish Orange,** full o.g. (cert. calls disturbed which is not the case), exceptional centering, strong bold color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2010 China Stamp Society certificate.
Scott No. **54** $375

359 * **1897, Large Figures Narrow Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, ½¢ on 3ca Orange Yellow,** o.g., well centered with strong bold color, **Very Fine and choice**; signed Holcombe.
Scott No. **56** $550

360 ** **1897, Large Figures Narrow Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, ½¢ on 3ca Orange Yellow,** brownish o.g., never hinged, **F.-V.F.,** scarce n.h.
Scott No. **56** $550

361 * **1897, Large Figures Narrow Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, ½¢ on 3ca Orange Yellow,** horizontal pair, brownish o.g., **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **56** $1,100

362 * **1897, Large Figures Narrow Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, 1¢ on 1ca Vermilion,** o.g., strong bright color, fresh and sound, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **57** $375

363 * **1897, Large Figures Narrow Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, 4¢ on 4ca Rose Pink,** o.g., very lightly hinged, bright color, **Very Fine**; with 2010 China Stamp Society certificate.
Scott No. **59** $300

364 * **1897, Large Figures Narrow Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, 5¢ on 5ca Dull Orange,** full o.g., rich deep color, fresh and well centered, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **60** $400

365 * **1897, Large Figures Narrow Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, 8¢ on 6ca Chocolate,** o.g., hinge remnants, rich color, **fresh and F.-V.F.,** a scarce surcharge issue.
Scott No. **61** $1,600

366 o **1897, Large Figures Narrow Surcharge on Dowager, 1st Printing, 10¢ on 12ca Brown Orange,** blue Shanghai town cancel, rich vibrant color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **63** $1,100

367 * **1897, Large 1¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue,** o.g., slight gum crease, **otherwise F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **78** $525



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368 o **1897, Large 1¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue,** brown Customs town cancel, wide margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **78** $350

369 * **1897, Small 2¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue,** o.g., hinge remnant, **fresh and Fine.**
Scott No. **79** $850

370 * **1897, Large 2¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue,** o.g., hinge remnants, rich bright color, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **80** $600

371 o **1897, Large 2¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue,** light brown large dollar dater cancel, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **80** $350

372 * **1897, Large 4¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue,** o.g., hinge remnant and pencil marks, bold vivid color, nibbed perf at upper right, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 2017 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **82** $1,650

373 o **1897, Large 4¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue,** brown town corner cancel, wide margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **82** $600



374 * **1897, Large $1 on 3¢ Red Revenue,** o.g., paper hinge remnants, strong color, some lightly toned perfs, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very scarce surcharge issue.
Scott No. **84** $9,000



375 o **1897, Large $1 on 3¢ Red Revenue,** brown and blue Pa-kua cancels, strong color, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce used Red Revenue high value.
Scott No. **84** $3,500

376 ✉ **1902, Chinese Imperial Post, Unwatermarked, 4¢ Chestnut,** tied by "Tientsin, 9 Jan, 02" bilingual cds on picture postcard to Germany, franked with additional Russia, Germany, Japan Offices and India Expeditionary Forces issue each tied by appropriate postmark (Japan issue by Russian Office cds), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **113** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Chinese Republic

377 * **1915, Hall of Classics, First Peking Printing, $5 Black & Scarlet,** full o.g., **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **238** $800

378 (*) **1942, Shensi & Kweichow "Domestic Postage Paid" Overprint Issues on Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, 16¢ Olive Brown,** without gum as issued, both bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** accompanied by corresponding surcharge issues (527n, 528o).
Scott No. **525n, 526o** $525

379 (*) **1943, West Szechwan, Kweichow & Hunan Surcharges on Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, 50¢ on 16¢ Olive Brown, Surcharges Inverted,** without gum as issued, **fresh and F.-V.F.,** a complete set of surcharges.
Scott No. **527r, 528r, 530r** $615

380 (*) **1943, Kiangsi Surcharge on Martyr, Hong Kong Printing, Unwatermarked, 20¢ on 17¢ Olive Green & 20¢ on 21¢ Sepia, Vertically Shifted & Split Surcharges,** without gum as issued, **both Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **541e, 546e vars.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

381 (*)❐ **1945, Kaifeng C. N. C. Narrow Type B Surcharge on Martyr, $10 on 20¢ Brown Lake,** bottom margin complete pane of 50 with imprint and plate number, without gum as issued, three stamps with surcharge varieties, position 17 with "Yuan" omitted, positions 6 & 16 with "Bi" for "Se", **Very Fine.** Chan No. 888, 888b-c $3,465.
Scott No. **622 var.** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

382 o **1948, Gold Yuan, Shanghai Union Press Surcharge on Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, 10¢ on $20 Pale Rose Red,** light face free town cancel, bright color, slightly rounded corner at bottom right, **still F.-V.F.,** a very scarce stamp in used condition.
Scott No. **836A** $300



383 o **1949, Gold Yuan, Hankow Surcharge on Revenue, $5,000,000 on $20 Brown,** town corner cancel, **Very Fine,** a scarce high value.
Scott No. **947** $750

384 **❐ **Airmail, 1948, Dah Tung Surcharge on Peking Printing, $50,000 on $1 Yellow Green,** block of 4, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine,** a scarce multiple.
Scott No. **C59** $700

385 (*) **Express Letter, 1941 ($2) Carmine & Yellow, Yellow Printing on Both Sides,** reverse with yellow printing strong and split, left margin single, without gum as issued, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce variety. Chan No. E10a $500.
Scott No. **E11 var.** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

386 (*) **Military Stamp, 1943, General Issue, 16¢ Olive Brown, Perf 10½-11,** without gum as issued, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce perforation variety.
Scott No. **M5a** $300


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387 (*) **Parcel Post, 1944, Chungking Central Trust Printing, $10,000 Slate Purple,** corner margin single, without gum as issued, wide margins, unusually rich color, **Very Fine and choice,** an exceptional example and rare as such.
Scott No. **Q5** $270

Chinese Provinces



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388 (*) **Sinkiang, 1944, "Limited For Use in Sinkiang Province" on Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, Paicheng Engraved Printing, $50 Blue, Imperf,** without gum as issued, full margins, **fresh and Very Fine,** a key rarity of Sinkiang Province, missing from most collections; signed Livingston.
Scott No. **178** $1,000

389 ** **Sinkiang, Airmail, 1932, Handstamped on Reaper, 15¢ Blue,** o.g., never hinged, Post Office freshness, **Very Fine,** an exceptional example and very rare in this quality; Chuch Chu handstamp, signed Bloch.
Scott No. **C3** . . . . . $2,700 for hinged

390 * **Sinkiang, Airmail, 1942, "Limited For Use in Sinkiang Province" on Peking Printing, 25¢ Orange Yellow,** full o.g., neatly hinged once, bright and fresh, **Very Fine**; P.C. Lee handstamp.
Scott No. **C6** $425

391 **❐ **Szechuan, 1933, Junk, Szechwan Overprint, 1¢ Orange,** top margin block of 50 with plate number and imprint, o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1** $550



392 (*) **Taiwan Province, 1948, "Limited For Use in Taiwan" Surcharge on Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, Chungking Dah Tung Printing, $100 on $20 Scarlet,** without gum as issued, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** a very scarce key Taiwan Province issue, with only 1,500 issued; L.Y. Woo guarantee handstamp on reverse.
Scott No. **58** $1,600

393 (*) **Taiwan Province, 1949, "Limited For Use in Taiwan" Surcharge on Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, 2nd Shanghai Dah Tung Printing, $200,000 on $3,000 Blue,** without gum as issued, beautiful centering and margins, **Extremely Fine,** a gem high value.
Scott No. **89** $900

394 (*) **Taiwan Province, 1949-50, Surcharges on N.E. Provinces, 2¢ on $44-50¢ on $44 Complete,** complete set with additional 5¢ on $44 violet surcharge issue, without gum as issued, nice overall centering, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **91-96, 92a**. $620

395 * **Offices in Tibet, 1911, Surcharge on Coiling Dragon, 1r on $1 Red & Pale Rose,** o.g., hinge remnant, fresh bright color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **10** $900

396 o **Offices in Tibet, 1911, Surcharge on Coiling Dragon, 1r on $1 Red & Pale Rose,** attractive, neat "Lhasa" double-circle datestamp cancel, **F.-V.F. and scarce.**
Scott No. **10** $900

China - Italian Offices Abroad



397 ✉ **Italian Offices in Peking, 1917 Victor Emmanuel III 2¢ on 5c Green, Inverted Surcharge, lower left stamp on block of six**, in combination with **1971 6c on 15c slate** on censored registered cover to Genoa, Italy, tied by "R.R. Poste Italiane, Pechino-Cina, 4.1.18" cds's, with Bologna entry datestamp on reverse, **Very Fine**; with 2016 Bottacchi certificate. Sassone No. 1b+1+3.
Scott No. **1a+1+5** . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

A UNIQUE MULTIPLE USAGE BEARING THE 1917 2¢ ON 5C INVERTED SURCHARGE ON COVER.



398 ✉ **Italian Offices in Peking, 1917 Victor Emmanuel III 40¢ on 1l Brown & Green,** attractively well centered for this stamp, in combination with **1971, 5c green** on registered express cover from the Italian Legation to Rome, tied by "R.R. Poste Italiane, Pechino-Cina, 1-12-17" cds with second strike below, showing framed handstamp stating censorship exemption alongside, backstamped on arrival; with portions of address panel cut out, **otherwise Very Fine**; signed Giulio Bolaffi, with 1953 Fiecchi and 2016 Bottacchi certificates. Sassone No. 7+10.
Scott No. **11+14** . . . . . Estimate $100,000 - 150,000

THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THE FIRST ISSUE 1917 40¢ ON 1L VICTOR EMMANUEL III ISSUE ON COVER - CONSIDERED TO BE THE MOST IMPORTANT RARITY OF THE ITALIAN POST OFFICES ABOARD ISSUES.



399 ✉ **Italian Offices in Peking, 1919 Victor Emmanuel III $2 on 5l Blue & Rose, Type III,** typical centering, fresh with balanced application of both the surcharge and overprint, used on registered cover to Genoa, Italy (part of the addressee's panel cut out), tied by "R.R. Poste Italiane, Pechino-Cina, 10.7.22" cds, with transit and arrival datestamps on reverse; upper back flap missing and cover refolded to improve appearance, **F.-V.F.**; signed Oliva, with 2016 Bottacchi certificate. Sassone No. 29.
Scott No. **30b** . . . . . Estimate $10,000 - 15,000

AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE SOLO USAGE OF THE 1919 $2 ON 5L TYPE III ISSUE - WITH NO MORE THAN THREE ON COVER EXAMPLES RECORDED.



400 * **Italian Offices in Peking, Postage Due, 1918, 4¢ on 10c Buff & Magenta,** o.g., quite well centered for this value despite the perforations being slightly in at left, strong colors, small corner flaw at top right, **otherwise Fine**; with 1958 A. Diena and 2016 Bottacchi certificates. Sassone No. 5 €180,000 ($221,400).
Scott No. **J5** $125,000

ONE OF THE GREATEST ITALIAN POST OFFICES RARITIES WITH ONLY SIX EXAMPLES OF THE PEKING 1918 4¢ ON 10C POSTAGE DUE ISSUE KNOWN.



401 ✉ **Italian Offices in Tientsin, 1917 Victor Emmanuel III 6¢ on 15c Slate,** in combination with **Peking 1917-18 1c brown, block of four and single + 5c green, block of four + 10c claret** (Scott 12+14+15) on registered censored cover to Paris, France, tied by "R.R. Poste Italiane/Pechino-Cina, 28.5.18" cds's, backstamped in transit at Bologna; cover top flap missing, **Very Fine**; with 2016 Bottacchi certificate. Sassone No. 3.
Scott No. **4** . . . . . Estimate $10,000 - 15,000

A UNIQUE MIXED FRANKING USAGE BEARING BOTH PEKING AND TIENTSIN ISSUE.



402 ✉ **Italian Offices in Tientsin, 1918 Victor Emmanuel III $2 on 5l Blue & Rose, Type I,** in combination with **1918, 40c on 1L brown and green** on registered cover (slightly reduced at base) to Genova, Italy, tied by "R.R. Poste Italiane, Tientsin-Cina, 19.8.22" cds with additionally strike alongside, together with registration markings and four-line "RR. PP. Italiane-Tientsin/Non Multabile/Affrancatura Secondo Tariffa/Poste Cinesi" instructional marking to avoid taxation, backstamped at Brindisi and Genoa, **Very Fine**; with 2016 Bottacchi certificate. Sassone No. 23+22.
Scott No. **23+22** . . . . . Estimate $7,500 - 10,000

AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE USAGE OF BOTH 1918 HIGH VALUES ON REGISTERED COVER TO ITALY.



403 ✉ **Italian Offices in Tientsin, 1918 Victor Emmanuel III $2 on 5l Blue & Rose, Type I,** exceptional centering, in combination with **1918 ½c on 1c brown, pair and single** on registered cover (slightly reduced at base) to Genova, Italy, tied by "R.R. Poste Italiane, Tientsin-Cina, 24.6.22" cds's, with a third strike alongside, both registration markings and four-line "RR. PP. Italiane-Tientsin/Non Multabile/Affrancatura Secondo Tariffa/Poste Cinesi" instructional marking to avoid taxation, backstamped on receipt, **Very Fine**; with 2016 Bottacchi certificate. Sassone No. 23+15.
Scott No. **23+15** . . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

A WONDERFULLY CHOICE ON COVER USAGE OF THE 1918-19 $2 ON 5L TYPE I ISSUE.



404 * **Italian Offices in Tientsin, Postage Due, 1918, 4¢ on 10c Buff & Magenta,** o.g., lightly hinged, choice centering for this notoriously off-centered issues, rich vibrant colors and remarkably fresh, **Very Fine and choice,** a truly exceptional example of this exceedingly rare postage due issue; with 2016 Bottacchi certificate. Sassone No. 5 €14,000 ($17,220).
Scott No. **J5** $9,500



405 **❒ **Italian Offices in Tientsin, Postage Due, 1918, 8¢ on 20c Buff & Magenta, "8 Cents" Double,** top left stamp in a block of 4 with normal, o.g., never hinged, fresh with rich colors, **Fine,** a wonderful example of this very rare double overprint variety, especially so in never hinged condition; signed A. Diena and Fiecchi, with 2016 Bottacchi certificate. Sassone No. 6a, 6.
Scott No. **J6a, J6** $5,920

China - Japanese Occupation

406 ** **Kwangtung, 1942, Chung Hwa Overprint Issue, 8¢ Green, Die I,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine**; signed Livingston.
Scott No. **1N26** $300

407 o **Kwangtung, 1945, Martyr, Swatow Provisional, $400 on 1¢ Orange,** neat town cancel, **F.-V.F.**; Ma Zung-sung guarantee handstamp.
Scott No. **1N59** $600

408 * **Shantung, 1941, Small Characters Overprint on Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, H.K. Chung Hwa Printing, Die III, $1 Sepia & Red Brown,** o.g., lightly hinged, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **6N17a** $425

China - People's Republic of China

409 (*) **1950, Tien an Men 3rd Issue (R3) Complete,** blocks of 4, without gum as issued, all bright and fresh, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **65-71** $1,183

410 (*) **1950-51, Tien an Men 4th Issue (R4) Complete,** horizontal pairs, without gum as issued, strong bright colors, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **85-94** $726

411 (*)❒ **1950-51, Tien an Men 4th Issue (R4) Complete,** blocks of 4, without gum as issued, all bright and fresh, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **85-94** $1,452

412 o❒ **1952, Gymnastics By Radio (S4) Complete,** used, with extras including 12 blocks of 4, six blocks of 8, two blocks of 12, etc.; many marginal blocks, fresh, without gum as issued; only a few items with small faults, **otherwise F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **141-150** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



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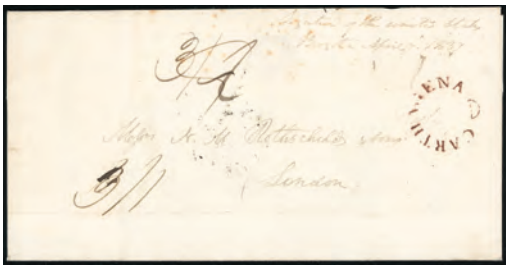

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413 ** **1980, 8f Year of the Monkey (T46),** o.g., never hinged, pristine mint single, **Very Fine,** a lovely example of this popular key issue; with 2017 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **1586** $1,750

414 ** **Taiwan, 1962, Palace Museum Paintings (2nd Series) Complete,** bottom margin singles, o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1355-1358** $525

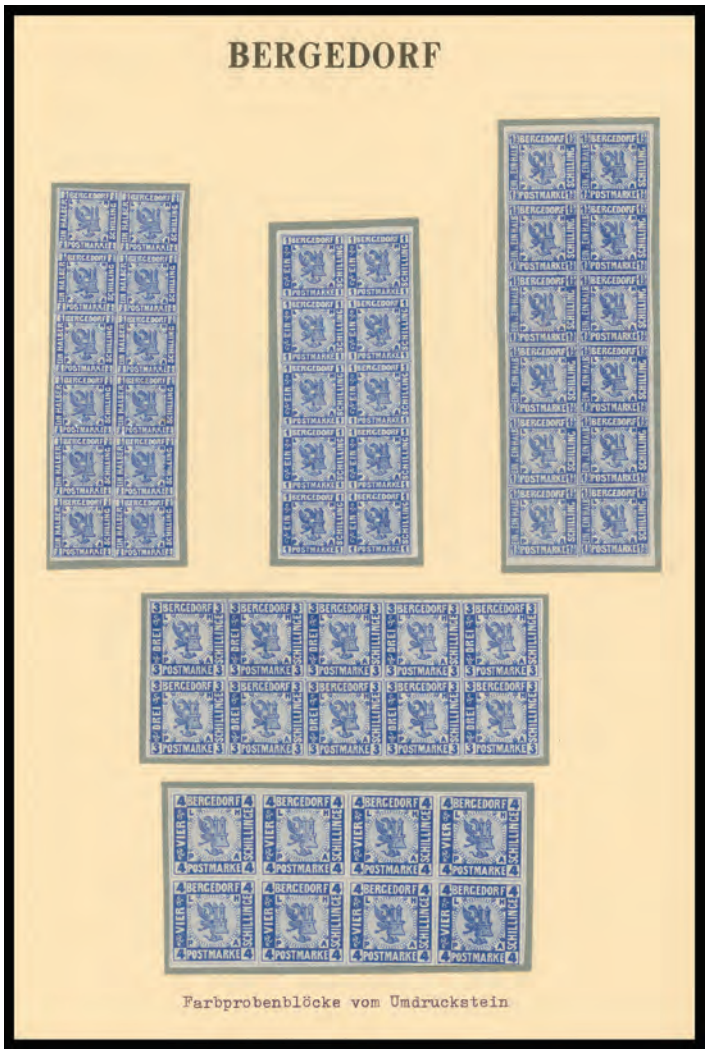
415 ✉ **Colombia, 1837 Carthhagena to London, England,** folded letter sheet endorsed "**Legation of the United States, Bogota, April 7, 1837**" at top, with reddish brown "Carthhagena" circular postmark and manuscript "3/1" rating, reverse with "Kingston, My 12, 1837" transit and "London, July 14, 1837" receiving postmark, forwarding notation on reverse from the Vice Consul at Carthhagena, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

416 S**❒ **Cuba, 1914, 2c Carmine Rose, Booklet Pane of 6, "Specimen" Overprint,** each stamp with additional security punch hole, complete sheet of 15 panes with plate numbers at top, o.g., never hinged, rich colors, some perfs separations mostly in margins, **otherwise Very Fine,** a rare sheet, with normal booklet panes cataloging $1,500 in Scott.
Scott No. **254aS** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

417 ✉ **Dominican Republic, 1891, 1p on 5c UPU Surcharge,** entire addressed to Paris, France, canceled by purple straight line "Santo Domingo, Abr 11, 1891" postmark, purple registry boxed handstamp and red Paris transit cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

418 * **France, Airmail, 1936, 50fr Emerald,** o.g., lightly hinged, rich bright color, **Very Fine.** Yvert No. 14.
Scott No. **C14** $825

German States



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419 P **Bergedorf, 1861 ½sch-4sch First Issue Complete, Transfer Block Trial Color Proofs,** of all five issues in black, red brown, red, green and blue, ½sch & 1½sch values in a block of 12 transfers, 1sch & 3sch in a block of 10 transfers and the 4sch value in a block of 10 transfers, each on medium grayish wove paper, all in a pristine fresh state of preservation, **Very Fine and choice.**
Michel No. **1TC-5TC** . . . . . Estimate $10,000 - 15,000

A UNIQUE COMPLETE SET OF THE 1861 BERGEDORF TRANSFER BLOCK TRIAL COLORS.

In 1858, Shanahan's Auction House in Dublin, Ireland sold this remarkable set to Albin Schwärzler of Bergedorf. The current owner has researched other examples of these blocks in other collections, auction catalogs and other sources for over thirty five years and has concluded that only four complete sets were ever printed. Many of the other blocks have been cut up to facilitate their sale so that apart from those offered here, it is no longer possible, according to the owner's research, to assemble a second complete set.



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420 EP **Bergedorf, 1869, 1½s "Schillinge - Schilling" Essay-Proof Se-Tenant Pairs,** an early private Moen proof, 11 horizontal pairs, and one essay single (position 7L), o.g., all with clear to large margins, **Very Fine,** a very rare group; a couple with certificates.
Scott No. **3EP** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

421 E **Bergedorf, 1859, 3s Arms Essay,** on medium wove, four in colors black, brown, green and orange, clear to huge margins, **a Very Fine set,** scarce.
Scott No. **4E** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

Schleswig-Holstein



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422 P **1865, ½sch-2sch "Holstein" Complete, Die Proofs on Thin Paper,** in the small mini-sheet format (each approximately 33 x 79 mm), each in pristine condition, **Extremely Fine,** an extremely rare set and possibly unique in full "mini sheet" format, not cataloged in Michel; each with 2009 C. Moller certificate.
Michel No. **19P-21P** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

423 P **1864-66, ½sch-4sch "Holstein" Complete, Die Proofs on Thin Paper,** complete set of seven values in original issued colors, couple with minor sheet flaws well away from designs, accompanied by two 1¼sch trial colors (reprint or proofs) in red and blue, **Very Fine,** a remarkable and rare complete set of proofs, not cataloged in Michel; each with 2007 C. Moller certificate.
Michel No. **19P-25P** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

424 P **1865-66, 1¼sch-4sch "Holstein" Complete, Die Proofs on Thin Paper,** set of four values in original issued colors, reduced to stamp size, **a Very Fine set,** not cataloged in Michel.
Michel No. **22P-25P** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

425 P **1865, 1⅓Sch Carmine "Holstein", Die Proofs on Thin Paper,** in the small mini-sheet format (33 x 79 mm), in pristine condition, **Extremely Fine,** an extremely rare proof and possibly unique in full "mini sheet" format, not cataloged in Michel.
Michel No. **23P** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

426 P **1866, 2sch Blue "Holstein", Die Proofs on Thin Paper,** in the small mini-sheet format (39 x 79 mm), in pristine condition, **Extremely Fine,** an extremely rare proof and possibly unique in full "mini sheet" format, not cataloged in Michel.
Michel No. **24P** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



427 *❒ **Germany, 1944 Hitler OSS Birthday Propaganda Souvenir Sheet,** sheet of 4 (147x104mm) in dark grey-green with sawtooth roulettes, glazed o.g. and partly stuck to an OSS (Office of Strategic Services) propaganda leaflet with purple "311" handstamp, some separation in roulettes at bottom, **Fine,** accompanied by two additional smaller leaflets with caricatures on reverse (similarly numbered "313" and "314") and the original two ring cellophane holder.
Michel No. **18b** €38,000 ($46,740)

AN EXTREMELY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 1944 HITLER PROPAGANDA SOUVENIR SHEET OF FOUR IN DARK GREY-GREEN - THE RAREST OF ALL PROPAGANDA ISSUES WITH ONLY A LITTLE OVER A DOZEN ARE KNOWN TO EXIST.

The American OSS was formed from a division that President Roosevelt enacted by Executive order and was under jurisdiction of the Joint Chief of Staff, giving the OSS the capability and status of a military branch. The goal of the operation was to disrupt the morale of the German people by using a method of large scale psychological operation (PSYOP) that the British MI6 had been pushing into service with the help of the Royal Air Force (RAF). The distribution of propaganda in letters and distributed by the German postal system was thought to be an ideal method of reaching the German population and undermine the support of Adolf Hitler. One tactic used in hopes of shaking the morale further in the German people, was to call upon master forgers to produce a variety of propaganda forgery stamps similar in nature to the current German issues. This souvenir sheet was to resemble the 1937 Hitler semi-postal souvenir sheet.

428 ** **Germany, 1933 Nothilfe Souvenir Sheet,** o.g., never hinged (barest trace of hinge mark in ungummed portion of sheet), rich colors, fresh and pristine, free from the usual faint sheet bends from gum, **Extremely Fine,** one of finest examples of this difficult sheet we have ever offered. Michel No. Block 2.
Scott No. **B58** $5,600

429 * **Greece, 1912, 1l-25d Cross & Eagle Issue Complete,** o.g., hinge remnants, rich colors, all bright and fresh, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **N150-N166** $1,058

430 P **Crete, 1905, 2l-5d Portraits & Views Issue, Presentation Proof Card,** complete series on bordered card with description text and Bradbury, Wilkinson & Co. imprint at bottom, reverse with purple Post & Telegraph cachet and signed by "L'Inspecteur Des Postes" director, **Very Fine and rare.**
Scott No. **74P-82P** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

431 ** **Greenland, 1945, 1öre-5kr Liberation Regular & Scarcer Overprints Complete,** o.g., never hinged, all bright and fresh, **Very Fine and choice,** a very scarce never hinged complete set. Facit No. 19-27, 22v2-27v2.
Scott No. **19-27, 22a-27a** $4,250



Ex 429



Ex 431



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432 ✉ **Guatemala, 1878, ½r Green Entire,** addressed to Totonicapan with red "Correos, Guatemala, Agt, 28, 1878" cds; missing backflap, **otherwise Very Fine,** a scarce local usage.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



433 P❐ **Guatemala, 1881, 1c Quetzal, Center Inverted, Plate Proof,** on India, bottom right corner margin block of 16 with A.B.N.Co. imprint, full margins and sheet selvage, rich colors and pristine, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **21P var.** . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE AND UNIQUE POSITION MULTIPLE OF THE 1881 1C QUETZAL ISSUE WITH CENTER INVERTED.

The Palermo Collection of Sicily

It is our pleasure to offer this outstanding collection which has been formed over several decades. The quality and beauty of these classic issues is evident in the following pages with several rarities including wonderful essays, multiples and covers, topped by the very rare 50gr on cover is a sight to behold.

Essays & Proofs



434 E **1858 Essays By Barone,** set as listed in Sassone (27 items), includes color variations 1a, 4a, 4b, 4c, 5a, 5b, 7a, and 16a; this collection contains all but one of the listed varieties of the Barone essay (P16 is missing from the set), each essay with clear to huge margins, **Very Fine**; each with E. Diena and/or Bottacchi certificate(s).
Sassone No. **P1-21** . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

A WONDERFUL EXTENSIVE COLLECTION OF THE 1858 BARONE ESSAYS WHICH WOULD EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO DUPLICATE.





435 * **1858 Essays By Barone, in Ochre, Vertically Superimposed Varieties,** two different; includes vertical pair superimposed not aligned and a vertical tête-bêche pair superimposed not aligned, the former with margin slightly in and scissor separation cut into one stamp, **still Very Fine for these,** a likely unique pair of superimposed Barone essays; with 2015 Bottacchi, one with 1997 Sorani and other with 1991 En. Diena certificates.
Sassone No. **P5 vars.** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000



436 * **Color Trial By Barbera & Lao, 1858 ½gr Bistre,** on handmade paper, large even margins, bright & fresh, **Very Fine**; with 1996 En Diena and 2013 Bottacchi photo certificates.
Sassone No. **P30**; €3,000 ($3,690) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



437 * **Color Trial By Barbera & Lao, 1858 ½gr Deep Purple,** on handmade paper, large even margins, bright & fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1996 En Diena and 2013 Bottacchi photo certificates.
Sassone No. **P32**; €3,000 ($3,690) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



438 * **Color Trial By Barbera & Lao, 1858 ½gr Blue,** on machine-made card with experimental horseshoe cancellation, large even margins, bright & fresh, slight thinning, **otherwise Extremely Fine and a very rare item with this trial cancelation which is listed but unpriced in Sassone**; with 1995 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **P35** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



439 * **Color Trial By Barbera & Lao, 1858 ½gr Blue,** on machine-made card, large even margins, bright & fresh, **Extremely Fine**; with 2009 Behr certificate.
Sassone No. **P35**; €3,500 ($4,300) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



440 * **Color Trial By Barbera & Lao, 1858 ½gr Carmine on Card,** a wonderful example with four large even margins and bright fresh color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a rare example on carton paper; with 2011 Bottacchi & 2012 Zanaria certificates.
Sassone No. **P40**; €13,500 ($16,600). . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



441 * **Color Trial By Barbera & Lao, 1858 ½gr "Lacca Bruno" on Card,** four large even margins and bright fresh color, **Extremely Fine and rare, a lovely gem**; with 1987 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **P41**; €13,500 ($16,600). . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



442 * **Color Trial By Barbera & Lao, 1858 ½gr Yellow Ochre, on Card,** four large margins and bright color, **Extremely Fine,** Listed but not priced in Sassone as this is thought to be the unique example in this shade (as per Diena cert.); with 1996 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **P41A**. . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

A MAJOR RARITY OF SICILY WHICH IS SIGNED BY EM. DIENA, A. DIENA, EN. DIENA AND G. BOLAFFI.







443 * **Essays By Lesaché, 1858 Three Different (No Denomination) in Black, Blue, and Red with Effigy and the Background Redone,** bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** the rose shade is listed in Sassone, but unpriced as it is thought to be unique; with 2010 Behr certificate.
Sassone No. **P45, 46 & 49** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1859 ½gr 1859 Ferdinand II



444 * **1859 Ferdinand II ½g Orange, Plate I on Palermo Paper,** o.g., hinge remnant, four large margins with bright color, **Extremely Fine**; 2002 Raybaudi certificate. Scott No. 10.
Sassone No. **1**; €1,200 ($1,480) . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



445 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II ½g Orange, Plate I on Palermo Paper, block of 4 with sheet margin at left (position. 21-22, 31-32; retouch 31)**, block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; signed Em. Diena, with 1978 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **1**; €9,000 ($11,070) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



446 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II ½g Orange, Plate I on Palermo Paper, top margin block of 8** Pos. 7-10, 17-20 (position 19 with retouch), o.g., small hinge remnant at top, 3 stamps never hinged at bottom, light vertical bend affecting positions 9 & 19 (not mentioned on certs.), **Extremely Fine, a beautiful multiple,** Sassone catalog value for two blocks of four; signed several signatures including Bolaffi, A. Diena, Vaccari & Colla, with 1998 R. Diena, 2001 Colla and 2016 Vaccari certificates. Scott No. 10.
Sassone No. **1**; €18,000 ($22,140) . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



447 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II ½g Orange, Plate I on Palermo Paper, top right corner margin block of 9** (positions 8-10, 18-20, 28-30; retouched 19), o.g., lightly hinged at top, and bottom block of six never hinged, large margins with vibrant bright color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** Sassone catalog for block and five singles, *ex-Rothschild: lot #258 from the Phillips sale of Nov 17, 1992*; signed by En. Diena with 1992 certificate. Scott No. 10.
Sassone No. **1**; €15,000 ($18,450) . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

A STUNNING MULTIPLE FOR THE CONNOISSEUR.



448 (✉) **1859 Ferdinand II ½g Orange, Two Singles** (Pos. 31 & 32, Pos. 31 retouched) and 1859 2gr blue, plate I (Pos. 36; retouch). tied by horseshoe cancels on large part cover front from Trapani to Palermo with red "Trapani, 2 Feb. '60" departure cds and Palermo arrival, front with the outer edges of which have been added and a bit of the Palermo address drawn in at bottom, **lovely Very Fine appearance**; Signed G. Bolaffi, A. Diena, and Em. Diena. Scott No. 10.
Sassone No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



449 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II ½g Orange, Plate I** (Pos. 27) tied in combination with **½gr orange, plate II (Pos. 64) + 2gr blue, plate III** on 1860 folded cover from Cefalú to Messina, 9 March 1860, tied by bold horseshoe cancel in most unusual horizontal position to **disguise reuse of ½gr stamps as Postal Fraud**, adhesives with large margins, 2gr lightly crease by file fold which has been neatly pressed out, **Very Fine,** Sassone catalog for #2 on cover; with 1955 A. Diena, 1970 Fiecchi, 1970 Sorani and 2011 Mentaschi certificates. Scott No. 10, *See lot 471 for additional Postal Fraud*.
Sassone No. **1+2+8**; €35,000 ($43,050) . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

A WONDERFUL POSTAL FRAUD WHICH SHOWS A RARE USAGE OF THE ½GR PLATE I IN COMBINATION WITH ½GR PLATE II.



450 ▲ **1859 Ferdinand II ½gr Orange, Plate I on Napoli Paper,** Pos. 51, tied by neat horseshoe cancel which obscures the King's face on small fragment, large even margins, **Very Fine and attractive**; signed Em. Diena, with 1972 Bolaffi certificate.
Sassone No. **1a**; €2,100 ($2,580) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



451 ▲ **1859 Ferdinand II ½gr Orange, Plate I on Napoli Paper,** horizontal pair (position 19-20, position 19 retouched), tied by two neat strikes of Horseshoe cancel on small fragment, large margins with bright fresh color, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1987 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **1a**; €4,200 ($5,170) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



452 o **1859 Ferdinand II ½gr Light Orange Yellow, Plate I on Napoli Paper,** vertical pair (position 41 & 51) with large margins and sheet margin at left, two strikes of neat horseshoe cancel and two line "Messina" postmark, **Extremely Fine and choice,** Sassone catalog for two singles; with 2004 R. Diena and 2014 Vaccari certificates.
Sassone No. **1aa**; €7,000 ($8,610) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



453 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II ½gr Light Orange Yellow, Plate I on Napoli Paper,** horizontal pair, large margins, tied in combination with **1gr dark green olive, Plate III** (nice margins) by three strikes of horseshoe cancels on small folded cover from Palermo to Naples, 1gr additionally tied by Palermo cds, Napoli arrival datestamp in red on reverse, **Very Fine,** A rare and most attractive small cover; signed A. Diena, with 2007 Colla & Roumet certificates.
Sassone No. **1aa**; €36,650 ($45,080) . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000



454 o **1859 Ferdinand II ½gr Light Yellow, Plate I on Napoli Paper,** large even margins, light Horseshoe cancel, **Extremely Fine,** a choice example of this scarce shade; with 2007 Colla certificate.
Sassone No. **1d**; €5,500 ($6,760) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



455 * **1859 Ferdinand II ½gr Orange, Plate II on Palermo Paper,** o.g., small hinge remnant, four nice margins, small scissor cut in dividing line at bottom, bright fresh color, **Fine**; with 2002 Raybaudi certificate.
Sassone No. **2**; €1,200 ($1,480). . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



456 ▲ **1859 Ferdinand II ½gr Orange, Plate II on Napoli Paper** (Pos. 80), nice four margin example tied by neat Horseshoe cancel on small fragment with 1859 "Messina" straight line postmark, **Very Fine and attractive**; 1979 En. Diena and 2017 Vaccari certificates.
Sassone No. **2a**; €8,500 ($10,460) . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



457 o **1859 Ferdinand II ½gr Orange, Plate II on Napoli Paper,** ample to mostly large margins, light strike of Horseshoe cancel, **Very Fine,** a scarce plate two stamp; with 1983 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **2a**; €7,000 ($8,610) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



458 o **1859 Ferdinand II ½gr Dark Orange, Plate II on Napoli Paper,** nice Horseshoe cancel, four full large margins, deep color, **Very Fine and scarce**; with 1972 A. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **2c**; €7,000 ($8,610) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1859 1gr Ferdinand II



459 o **1859 Ferdinand II 1g Rust Brown, Plate I** (Pos. 22)., large even margins, neat Horseshoe cancel, **Extremely Fine**; Signed Em. Diena and A. Diena. Scott No. 11.
Sassone No. **3**; €1,750 ($2,150). . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



460 o **1859 Ferdinand II 1gr Intense Rust Brown, Plate I**, State I (Position 93), huge even margins, light horseshoe cancel, intense color, **Extremely Fine and choice**; Signed Em. Diena, with 1972 A. Diena, 1988 En. Diena and 2014 Vaccari certificates.
Sassone No. **3a**; €2,000 ($2,460) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



461 o **1859 Ferdinand II 1gr Intense Rust Brown, Plate I,** state I (position. 77), large margins, light horseshoe cancel, bright fresh color, **Extremely Fine and choice**; Signed A. Diena, with 1968 Bolaffi certificate.
Sassone No. **3a**; €2,000 ($2,460) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



462 o **1859 Ferdinand II 1g Grayish Olive Green, Plate I,** state II (Pos. 22), large even margins, lovely horseshoe cancel, **Extremely Fine,** a gorgeous example of this rare stamp; signed by Mondolfo, G. Avanzo, Colla, with 2011 Raybaudi certificate.
Sassone No. **3c**; €10,000 ($12,300). . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



463 * **1859 Ferdinand II 1g Dark Olive Brown, Plate II, NA,** o.g., hinge remnant, four nice even margins, fresh color, **Very Fine,** a lovely example; signed Em. Diena, with 1977 Diena and 2011 Bottacci certificates.
Sassone No. **4a**; €6,000 ($7,380) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



464 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 1g Dark Olive Brown, Plate II, NA,** horizontal pair (Position. 63-64) on folded letter dated 20 January (first month of use) from Giarre to Catania; four nice margins tied by one strike of central horseshoe cancel, **Very Fine and attractive**; signed A Diena.
Sassone No. **4a**; €3,600 ($4,430) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



465 * **1859 Ferdinand II 1g Olive Green, Plate III, mint strip of 4** from the left margin of the sheet (Pos. 11-14)., o.g., lightly hinged, clear to large margins, fresh deep color, **Very Fine,** a scarce multiple; Signed A. Diena, En. Diena et al. Scott No. 12.
Sassone No. **5**; €1,800 as singles ($2,210) . Estimate $250 - 350



466 * **1859 Ferdinand II 1g Olive Green, Plate III,** o.g., hinge remnants, four margins, fresh color, **F.-V.F.,** a rare stamp; with 2014 R. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **5a**; €6,000 ($7,380) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



467 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 1g Olive Green, Plate III, Palermo Paper, block of 4**, o.g., very lightly hinged, ample to large margins including sheet margin at right (Pos. 59-60, 69-70), **Very Fine,** *ex-Rothschild from the Phillips sale of 20 Oct, 1988*; with 1988 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **5d**; €9,000 ($11,070) . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



468 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 1g Olive Green, Plate III, Palermo Paper,** horiz. pair, four large margins, tied by horseshoe cancel on cover from Messina (cds of 15 Mar 1860) to Milazzo, **Extremely Fine,** *ex-Seybold*; signed A. Bolaffi, Em. Diena, En. Diena and G. Avanzo.
Sassone No. **5d**; €2,400 ($2,950) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1859 2gr Ferdinand II



469 **❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Blue, Plate I** (Pos. 29-30, 39-40), block of 4 with four margin and sheet margin at right, bright fresh color, o.g., appears never hinged, **Very Fine and choice**; all stamps signed Bolaffi. Scott No. 13.
Sassone No. **6**; €2,500 ($3,080) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



470 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Blue, Plate I, Palermo Paper, block of 6** (Pos. 1-3, 11-13), ample to large margins including corner margin at top left, bright fresh color, o.g., never hinged at top, lightly hinged at bottom, **immaculate and Very Fine**; with 1990 En. Diena certificate. Scott No. 13.
Sassone No. **6**; €3,200+ ($3,940) . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



471 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 2gr Blue on Napoli Paper, Postal Fraud,** two stamps spliced together to create a 2gr Postal Fraud tied on 1859 folded cover from Termini to Sciacca with oval Termini postmark and Palermo transit cds, **Very Fine and unusual**; with 1977 En. Diena and 2010 Bottacchi certificates, *See lot 449 for additional Postal Fraud*.
Sassone No. **6a** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

ONE OF THE FEW KNOWN POSTAL FRAUDS. A RARE ITEM FOR THE SPECIALIST.



472 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Blue, Plate I, Napoli Paper, Second Day Usage** (Pos. 53), four large margins, tied by neat **blue** Horseshoe cancel on folded letter from Modica to Siracusa, letter is datelined **2 January 1859**, the second day of issue, **Extremely Fine and rare**; signed Mondolfo, A. Diena, En. Diena, with 2010 Bottacchi & 2012 Vaccari certificates.
Sassone No. **6a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



473 o **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Dark Cobalt Blue, Plate I, Napoli Paper,** four large margins, deep color, light Horseshoe cancel, **Extremely Fine**; with 1968 Bolaffi certificate.
Sassone No. **6c**; €900 ($1,110) . . . . . Estimate $75 - 100



474 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Dark Cobalt Blue, Plate I, Napoli Paper,** strip of 4 (Pos. 87-90) + **2gr light blue (Sass. #8) Plate III**, single, all tied by horseshoe cancel on 1860 folded cover from Messina (1.6.1869) **to Malta**, name of addressee eradicated, **Very Fine,** a rare combination of different plates in siege period of the Thousand of Garibaldi to the city of Messina, Sassone catalog for normal strip on cover; with 1996 Sorani and 2013 Bottacchi certificates.
Sassone No. **6c**; €22,500 ($27,680) . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

AN IMPORTANT AND HISTORIC COVER TO THIS RARE DESTINATION (SEE LOT 506).



475 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Blue Ultramarine, Plate I, Napoli Paper,** oily impression, **strip of 3** (position. 42-44), mostly large margins, tied by three strikes of Horseshoe cancel on 1859 folded cover from Caltagirone to Palermo with ideal strike of Palermo 4 March 1859 receiver, **Very Fine,** a very rare shade particularly on cover, Sassone catalog for single on cover; Signed Em. Diena, A. Diena, En. Diena, Grioni, with 1952 A. Diena, 1987 En. Diena and 2014 Vaccari certificates.
Sassone No. **6d**; €26,000 ($31,980). . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000



476 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Azzurro Smorto (Dull Blue), Plate I, Napoli Paper,** horizontal pair (Pos. 27-28) ample to mostly large margins, deep color. tied by two strikes of horseshoe cancel on 1859 folded cover from Cefalú to Palermo, early usage January 1859, **Extremely Fine**; with 1994 R. Diena certificate and signed A. Diena, Oliva.
Sassone No. **6e**; €8,000 ($9,840) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



477 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Azzurro Smorto (Dull Blue), Plate I, Napoli Paper** (Pos. 34), four large margins, tied by horseshoe cancel on 1860 folded cover from Girgenti 1 April 1860 to Palermo, and bearing Palermo receiver of 6 April, **Extremely Fine**; Signed A. Diena and Russo.
Sassone No. **6e**; €4,000 ($4,920) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



478 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Bright Blue, Plate I, Napoli Paper,** horizontal pair (Pos. 29-30), the right stamp being the "Virgola" (Comma) "2" variety, four large margins, tied by two strikes of Horseshoe cancel on folded cover from Caltanissetta (12 July 1859) to Palermo, with Palermo receiver (13 July 1859)., **Very Fine,** Sassone catalog for normal pair; 1972 A. Diena and 2010 Zanaria certificates.
Sassone No. **6f**; €4,000 ($4,920) . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



479 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Blue, Plate II, Palermo Paper, corner margin block of 4** (position 9-10 and 19-20), o.g., lightly hinged, **Extremely Fine, a gorgeous exhibition item**; signed G. Bolaffi; with 1997 Raybaudi certificate.
Sassone No. **7**; €15,000 ($18,450) . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



480 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Dark Cobalt, Plate II, Napoli Paper,** for large even margins, tied by horseshoe cancel on folded cover (19 April 1859) from Palermo to Catania, **Extremely Fine**; signed A. Diena.
Sassone No. **7c**; €3,500 ($4,300) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



481 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Light Blue, Plate II, Napoli Paper** (Pos. ret. 45), four margins tied by horseshoe cancel on folded cover from Palermo, 5.5. 1860 to Alcamo, date of the departure of the Mille di Garibaldi from Quarto for Sicily., **Extremely Fine**; with 2017 Vaccari certificate.
Sassone No. **7h**; €2,600 ($3,200) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



482 **❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Light Blue, Plate III, Napoli Paper, block of 10** (Pos. 51-5, 61-5), mostly large margins including sheet margin, o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine and attractive,** Sassone catalog for two blocks and two singles; with 1983 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **8**; €5,700 ($7,010) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



483 **❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 2g Bright Blue, Plate III, Palermo Paper, Complete Sheet of 100,** o.g., never hinged, extra large margins, the top margin showing the edge of the printing plate, sheet with horizontal fold at center & one stamp has a small thin, **Extremely Fine,** *ex-Rothschild, from the Phillips sale of 3 Nov 1994*; with 1994 En. Diena and 2008 G. Colla certificates. Sassone No. 8 €62,500 as blocks ($76,880).
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

A SPECTACULAR RARITY WITH A GREAT DISPLAY EFFECT.

1859 5gr Ferdinand II



484 * **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Rose Carmine, Plate I** (top left corner, position 1), large margins, bright rich color, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1986 En. Diena & 2011 Bottacchi certificates. Scott No. 14.
Sassone No. **9**; €1,650 ($2,030) . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



485 * **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Rose Carmine, Plate I,** horizontal pair (Pos. 46-47 with position 46 retouched), large even margins, o.g., small hinge remnant, **Extremely Fine**; signed Em. Diena with 1970 A. Diena certificate. Scott No. 14.
Sassone No. **9**; €3,300 as singles ($4,060) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



486 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Rose Carmine, Plate I,** block of four, o.g. two stamps never hinged, four large margins, bright fresh color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2015 Ghiglione certificate. Scott No. 14.
Sassone No. **9**; €8,750 ($10,760) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



487 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Rose Carmine, Plate I, block of 12** (Pos. 2-5, 12-15, 22-25), **Pos. 5 with retouch**, large margins including sheet margin at top, horizontal crease affecting second row, brownish o.g., hinged / never hinged, **Very Fine,** an impressive exhibition piece, Sassone catalog for two blocks and four singles, *ex-Rothschild from the Phillips sale of 20 Oct 1988*; with 1988 En. Diena certificate. Scott No. 14.
Sassone No. **9**; €24,100 ($29,640) . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000



488 o **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Rose Carmine, Plate I,** lovely single from the left sheet margin, large margins, bright fresh color, neat horseshoe cancel, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1997 Sorani certificate. Scott No. 14.
Sassone No. **9**; €1,300 ($1,600) . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



489 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Rose Carmine, Plate I,** horizontal pair (Pos. 58-59), large even margins, tied by two strikes of Horseshoe cancel on 1859 folded cover from Palermo 13.7.1859 to Genoa (sent by surface mail through the Papal States with manuscript "7" (baj.) due, then through Tuscany "Via di Sarzana" with Genoa arrival postmark on the reverse + indication "10" and charge "5" on the front, **Extremely Fine**; with 1981 En. Diena and 2012 P.Vaccari certificates. Scott No. 14.
Sassone No. **9**; €28,000 ($34,440) . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

VERY RARE AND REALLY LOVELY COMBINATION OF USAGE AND QUALITY.



490 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 5gr Carmine Rose, Plate I + 1gr Brown Olive, Plate II,** tied in combination on insured folded cover from Messina to Girgente by horseshoe cancels with two line "Messina" postmark and "Assicurata" oval handstamp at right, adhesive four margins showing most of dividing lines, **Very Fine**; Signed Lamy and Oliva.
Sassone No. **9+4b**; €9,000 ($11,070) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



491 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Carmine, Plate I,** block of 4 (Pos. 31-32, 41-42), o.g., lightly hinged, large margins including sheet margin at left, bright fresh color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a gorgeous block, Sassone catalog for the rose carmine shade, *ex-Rothschild, from the Phillips sale of 20 Nov 1986*; with 1986 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **9a**; €8,750 ($10,760) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



492 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Carmine, Plate I,** tied in combination with **1gr olive green, Pl. III + 2gr very dark blue Pl. III** on insured folded cover from Catania 8.6.1859 to Messina, all tied by three neat strikes of horseshoe cancel, adhesives with four margins, however the 1gr & 5gr are close at bottom, **Very Fine and a lovely three color franking**; with 2016 Colla certificate.
Sassone No. **9a+5a+8a** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



493 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Carmine, Plate I,** tied in combination with **2gr bright blue, Plate I** (Sass. #6g, Pos. 84 retouched) by single strike of horseshoe cancel on folded cover from Aderno to Catania (2 January 1860), adhesives with large margins except 5gr just touched at right, **Very Fine,** a very nice franking; with 1985 E. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **9a**; €9,000+ ($11,070). . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



494 o **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Blood Red, Plate I,** four large even margins, neat horseshoe cancel, deep fresh color, **Very Fine and attractive**; Signed Oliva, and Em. Diena with 1996 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **9c**; €2,000 ($2,460) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



495 ** **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Blood Red, Plate I** (Position 31), o.g., never hinged, ample to large margins including sheet margin at left, deep fresh color, **Very Fine and choice,** a rare shade of this stamp in outstanding condition; 1957 A. Diena, 1989 En. Diena and 2013 Vaccari certificates.
Sassone No. **9c**; €4,500 ($5,540) . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



496 ▲ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Brownish Red, Plate I** (Position. 83), large even margins tied by horseshoe cancel on fragment, fresh color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a wonderful example of this very scarce shade; signed A. Diena and G. Bolaffi, with 1991 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **9d**; €6,500 ($8,000) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



497 o **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Pale Vermilion, Plate I** (Pos. 8), four large even margins, neat horseshoe cancel, **Very Fine and scarce,** *ex-Rothschild from Phillips sale of 8 Nov. 1984*; with 1984 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **10**; €4,500 ($5,540) . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



498 o **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Vermilion, Plate I** (Pos. 41), four large margins, two strikes of horseshoe cancels, **Very Fine,** a lovely used example of this scarce shade; with 2007 Colla certificate.
Sassone No. **10a**; €6,000 ($7,380) . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



499 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Vermilion, Plate II,** block of 4 (Position 62-63, 72-73), o.g., lightly hinged at top, never hinged at bottom, four ample to large margins, post office fresh with bright color, **Very Fine and choice**; signed En. Diena. Scott No. 15.
Sassone No. **11**; €9,000 ($11,070) . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



500 o **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Vermilion, Plate II,** four nice margins, bright and fresh, neat horseshoe cancel, **Very Fine**; signed Em. Diena with 2014 Bottacchi certificate. Scott No. 15.
Sassone No. **11**; €5,000 ($6,150) . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



501 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Vermilion, Plate II,** tied by horseshoe cancels in combination with **1gr dark olive green, plate III, Palermo paper + 10g Indigo** paying the 1-ounce letter rate (8gr) plus registration (8gr), on a cover from Cefalù to Palermo dated 25 April 1860. [Palermo was under siege at the Convent of Gancia on this date.], and 5gr is additionally tied by Palermo arrival cds, adhesives well margined except 10g shaves frame at top, **Very Fine and attractive,** a lovely tricolor franking and combination; with 2011 Colla and 2012 Vaccari certificate.
Sassone No. **11+12b+5c**; €35,000+ ($43,050) . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

It should be noted that registered mail from Cefalù is rare, and a circular date cancellation on any Sicily stamp is scarce; this cover was featured in the Vaccari Magazine, no. 48, November 2012.

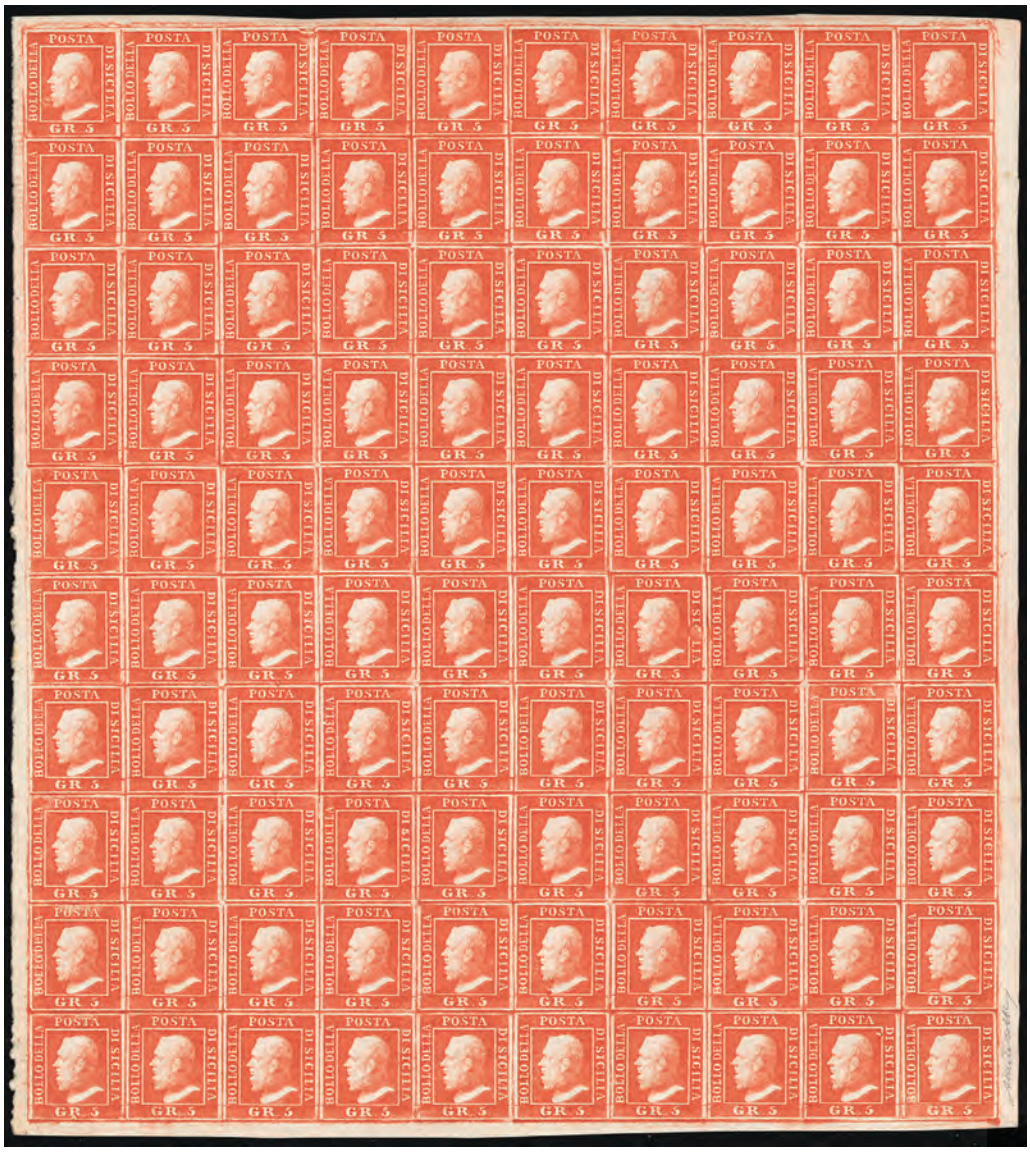


502 ** **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Bright Vermilion, Plate II** (Pos. 1), o.g., never hinged, corner margin single with large margins, bright fresh color, light natural wrinkle not mentioned on certificate, **Extremely Fine a gem**; with 2015 Ghiglione certificate.
Sassone No. **11a**; €1,250 ($1,540) . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



503 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Bright Vermilion, Plate II,** block of 10 (Pos. 31-35, 41-45), large margins including sheet margin at left, bottom left stamp shaving design at bottom, o.g., four stamps with hinge remnant at top, all other never hinged, outstanding freshness and color, **Extremely Fine**; signed A. Diena with 1964 G. Bolaffi certificate.
Sassone No. **11a**; €20,500 as 2 blks & 2 singles ($25,220) . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

A WONDERFUL SHOWPIECE OF THE FIRST ORDER.



504 **❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 5gr Bright Vermilion, Plate II, Palermo Paper, Complete Sheet of 100,** o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a highly important showpiece of great rarity and visual appeal in superb condition; signed A. Bolaffi, with 2012 Colla certificate. Sassone No. 11a €225,000 as blocks of 4 ($276,750).
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000



505 o **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Bright Vermilion, Plate II, Napoli Paper,** four large margins (tiny scissor cut in margin at bottom right corner), **Very Fine**; with clear 1963 A. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **11a**; €6,000 ($7,380) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



506 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 5g Bright Vermilion, Plate II, Palermo Paper,** two singles (clear to large margins) tied by horseshoe cancels on letter from **Messina to Malta** dated 22 May 1860, with Malta receiver on reverse 23 May 1860.; skillfully repaired with the addition of a small amount of paper along the top, and particularly behind the stamps, for protection, **F.-V.F.,** an outstanding usage; signed Em. Diena with 1988 En. Diena and 2012 Vaccari certificates.
Sassone No. **11a**; €42,000 for single on cover ($51,660) . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

A late-usage cover, and unique to Malta with this franking, surcharged '1' [penny] for delivery in Malta. Having been lost at some indeterminate time before 1941, this cover was re-discovered by a dealer in Malta in 1987. Note: Approximately two dozen Sicily covers to Malta are known (See Lot 474).

1859 10gr Ferdinand II



507 * **1859 Ferdinand II 10g Deep Blue,** large even margins, deep fresh color, **Extremely Fine**; signed A. Diena. Scott No. 16.
Sassone No. **12**; €1,650 ($2,030) . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



508 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 10g Deep Blue,** block of 6 (Pos. 3-5 and 13-15; position 5 retouched), large margins including sheet margin at top, brownish gum, very lightly hinged, **Extremely Fine, a gorgeous block,** *ex-Rothschild from Phillips 20 Oct 1988 sale*; with 1988 En. Diena and 2012 Zanaria certificates. Scott No. 16.
Sassone No. **12**; €12,300 as blk & 2 singles ($15,130). . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



509 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 10g Deep Blue,** horizontal pair (Pos. 2-3), close at top left to mostly large margins, tied by horseshoe cancel on insured letter from Messina to S. Agata di Militello with oval "Assicurata" + "Mes.a 24 Nov.e 1859", markings, on reverse is handwritten description of the rate of the time, **Very Fine, a very pretty cover**; signed A.Diena, Russo, Vaccari with 2015 Vaccari certificate. Scott No. 16.
Sassone No. **12**; €22,750 ($27,980). . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



510 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 10g Deep Blue** ((Pos. 94) tied in combination with **1gr olive green, plate III (Pos. 35), PA + 2 gr blue, plate III (Pos. 4), PA** tied on 1859 outer lettersheet from Catania to Rome, 29 August 1859, with Messina transit 2 September and Rome receiver 9 September on reverse; surcharged (by hand) 16 Baj postage due, adhesives with four margins, bottom flap added, **Very Fine and scarce three color franking**; with 1980 En. Diena certificate. Scott No. 16.
Sassone No. **12+5d+8d**; €5,500+ ($6,760) . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



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511 ▲ **1859 Ferdinand II 10g Black Indigo,** large even margins, neatly tied on fragment by horseshoe cancel, **Extremely Fine**; with 1972 A. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **12a**; €4,500 ($5,540) . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

512 * **1859 Ferdinand II 10g Indigo,** full o.g., large margins, Post Office fresh, **Extremely Fine**; with 2009 Behr certificate.
Sassone No. **12b**; €1,650 ($2,030) . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



513 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 10g Indigo,** block of 4 (Pos. 42-43 and 52-53; position 53 retouched), o.g., lightly hinged, large margins to just shaving design at bottom of bottom left stamp, natural vertical wrinkle affecting left pair (not mentioned on certificate), deep fresh color, **Very Fine**; with 1989 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **12b**; €9,000 ($11,070). . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



514 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 10g Indigo,** block of 9 (Pos. 1-3, 11-13, 21-23; positions 1, 11, 21, retouched), o.g., lightly hinged, large margins, deep color, **fresh & Extremely Fine,** a wonderful and rare multiple, *ex-Rothschild*; with 1988 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **12b**; €17,250 as blk & 5 singles ($21,220) . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000



515 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 10g Indigo,** 1, **block of 28** (Pos. 52-58, 62-68, 72-78, 82-88; position 58 retouched), mint with full original (dried) gum, large margins to close at top, incredibly fresh and rich color, small cut between stamps positions 52 and 62, light horizontal crease at top and in the margin between the 3rd and 4th vertical rows, **Very Fine,** An impressive multiple, Large multiples of the 10gr value are scarce; most of the stamps in this multiple demonstrate a distinct "Ivory Head" effect on the reverse; signed "Asineli, Torino", Raybaudi etc., with 1990 Dr. Enzo Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **12b**; €60,600 as 6 blocks & 4 singles ($74,540) . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

1859 20gr Ferdinand II



516 ** **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Slate Gray** (Pos. 10), o.g., never hinged, large margins showing full dividing lines and corner margin at top right, bright fresh color, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 1972 Bolaffi and 1989 En. Diena certificates. Scott No. 17.
Sassone No. **13**; €1,650 ($2,030) . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



517 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Slate Gray,** block of 4 (Pos. 46-7, 56-7), o.g., lightly hinged, four nice margins, fresh, **Extremely Fine and scarce**; signed A. Diena, with 1970 Bolaffi and 1991 En. Diena certificates. Scott No. 17.
Sassone No. **13**; €9,000 ($11,070) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



518 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Slate Gray,** block of 4 (Pos. 57-8, 67-8), o.g., very lightly hinged, large even margins, bright fresh color, small stain on top left stamp (not mentioned on certs.), **Extremely Fine,** a lovely block; with 1980 En. Diena certificate and 2001 Bolaffi Graded certificate (Graded "80"). Scott No. 17.
Sassone No. **13**; €9,000 ($11,070) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



519 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Slate Gray, Palermo Paper, corner margin block of 25** (Pos. 6-10 thru 46-50), o.g., mostly never hinged, large margins with corner margin at top right, two stamps slightly cut in at left, vibrant fresh color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** A stunning showpiece, with 1983 En. Diena certificate; Signed G. Bolaffi. Scott No. 17.
Sassone No. **13**; €50,850 as 4 blks & 9 singles ($62,540) . . . . . Estimate $7,500 - 10,000

*A rare multiple, believed to be the only surviving top right quarter sheet in private hands. This magnificent piece was featured in the **Sicily Stamp Centenary Auction in London, 10 June 1959, held by Robson Lowe**. It was by far the most valuable item in that auction, and was sold for £1,800. The Italian postal museum owns the only full sheet known.*



520 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Slate Gray,** tied in combination with **1gr. rust brown, Plate I + 2 gr. bright blue Plate III + 5 gr. carmine Plate I** on folded cover from Messina (1859. 12. 9.) to Livorno, adhesives all with nice margins except 20gr shaving design at bottom, **Extremely Fine**; with 1989 En. Diena certificate. Scott No. 17.
Sassone No. **13+3+8c+9a** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

A STUNNING FOUR COLOR FRANKING WHICH IS EXTREMELY RARE IN THIS OUTSTANDING CONDITION.



521 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Slate Gray,** tied by horseshoe cancels in combination with **2gr. light blue, Plate III** on 1860 folded cover from Messina 2.7.60. to Genova, red three line "Piroscafi Postali Francesi" handstamp on face and backstamped with red Genova arrival handstamp of 6.7. 60., adhesive with large margins to just shaving design of 20gr. at top right, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2011 Vaccari certificate. Scott No. 17.
Sassone No. **13+8**; €10,500 ($12,920) . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

A remarkable late usage. Garibaldi abolished the use of stamps carrying Ferdinand II's effigy on 23 July 1860.



522 o **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Blackish Slate,** four ample to large margins, neat horseshoe cancel, **Very Fine and scarce used**; with 2009 Behr certificate.
Sassone No. **13a**; €3,750 ($4,610) . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



523 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Dark Slate,** block of 4 (Pos. 6-7, 16-17), slightly brownish o.g., four large even margins with sheet margin at top, bright fresh color, top left stamp with small thin (not mentioned on cert.), **Very Fine**; signed Em. Diena, A. Diena and G. Bolaffi, with 1965 Bolaffi certificate.
Sassone No. **13c**; €9,000 ($11,070) . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



524 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Dark Slate,** corner margin block of 8 (Pos. 87-90 and 97-100), o.g., lightly hinged, large margins including large corner margin at bottom right, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderful and rare multiple, *ex-Rothschild in Phillips' sale of 25 Oct. 1990*; with 1990 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **13c**; €18,000 as two blocks ($22,140) . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



525 o **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Dark Slate,** four clear to large margins, neat horseshoe cancel, **Very Fine**; with 2010 Avi certificate.
Sassone No. **13c**; €1,600 ($1,970) . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



526 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Dark Slate,** tied by horseshoe cancel in combination with **2gr light blue, plate III**, Palermo paper on folded cover from Messina to Torino, 23 April 1860 (late usage), red three line "Piroscafi Postali Francesi" handstamp on face and backstamped with red Genova transit and Torino arrival handstamp of 27.4. 60., adhesive with four nice margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a rare late usage of which very few are known; with 1987 En. Diena certificate.
Sassone No. **13c+8**; €11,000 ($13,530). . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



527 *❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 20g Slate Violet,** block of 4 (Pos. 1-2 and 11-12), o.g., very lightly hinged, four large margins including sheet margin at top left, Post Office fresh condition, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2010 Sorani and 2012 Zanaria certificates.
Sassone No. **13d**; €9,000 ($11,070). . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1859 50gr Ferdinand II



528 * **1859 Ferdinand II 50g Dark Red Brown, Stampa Oleosa / Oily Impression,** o.g., lightly hinged, large even margins, **Very Fine**; signed Em. Diena and A. Diena. Scott No. 18.
Sassone No. **14**; €1,650 ($2,030) . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



529 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 50g Dark Red Brown,** block of 4 (Pos. 26-7, 36-7), o.g., never hinged at top, hinged at bottom, four large margins, deep rich color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2014 Ghiglione certificate. Scott No. 18.
Sassone No. **14**; €9,000 ($11,070) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



530 **❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 50g Dark Red Brown, corner margin block of 15** (Pos. 1-5, 11-15, 21-25), o.g., never hinged, large margins including corner margin at top left, bright fresh color, **Extremely Fine,** *ex-Rothschild from the Phillips sale of 20 Oct. 1988, Featured in Vaccari Magazine # 49, 2013 on the back cover*; with 1988 En. Diena & 2014 Vaccari certificates. Scott No. 18.
Sassone No. **14**; €29,550 as 2 blks & 5 singles ($36,350) . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

AN OUTSTANDING SICILIAN RARITY.



531 o **1859 Ferdinand II 50g Dark Red Brown,** four large margins, neatly cancelled by face free horseshoe cancel, deep fresh color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1963 A. Diena certificate. Scott No. 18.
Sassone No. **14**; €11,000 ($13,530). . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



532 ✉ **1859 Ferdinand II 50g Dark Brown Red,** tied in combination with **20gr slate grey** by horseshoe cancels on 1860 folded cover from Palermo (20 May) to Paris, paying the double rate to France for 15 grams, red circular entry stamp for France, adhesive both with four margins, **Extremely Fine**; with 1983 En. Diena and 2002 Colla certificates. Scott No. 18 $115,000.
Sassone No. **14+13**; €220,000 ($270,600) . . . . . Estimate $10,000 - 15,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE USAGE OF THE 50 GRANA ON LETTER IN OUTSTANDING QUALITY ON A MOST ATTRACTIVE COVER, WITHOUT DOUBT ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT ITEMS OF CLASSIC SICILY RECORDED.

One of 4 known covers bearing the 20 gr + 50 gr combination franking, two of which were directed to France and two to Naples. The second cover to France franked with the 50gr chocolate shade in a similar quality, sold for €34,000 in a Corinphila Auction of November 2016.



533 * **1859 Ferdinand II 50g Chocolate,** o.g., hinged, ample to mostly large margins, fresh color, **Very Fine**; signed Em. Diena, with 2009 Behr certificate.
Sassone No. **14a**; €2,000 ($2,460) . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



534 **/*❒ **1859 Ferdinand II 50g Chocolate, left margin block of 8** (Pos. 31-34 and 41-44), o.g., 7 stamps never hinged, Pos. 32 with small hinge remnant, four large margins all around including sheet margin at left, deep rich color which is Post Office fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice,** *ex-Rothschild from the Phillips sale of 8 Nov. 1984*; 1988 En. Diena and 2010 Bottacchi certificates.
Sassone No. **14a**; €18,000 two blks of normal shade ($22,140) . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000



535 ▲ **1859 Ferdinand II 50g Chocolate** (Pos. 26), with wide to full margins all around, tied by horseshoe cancel and almost complete **Civitavecchia Dalla Via Di Mare** town cancel on fragment (Presumably from a former single franking similar to the unique known cover with the same town cancellation)., **Very Fine, a wonderful Sicilian rarity**; with 1995 Sorani certificate.
Sassone No. **14a**; €42,000 ($51,660) . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

The 50gr is scarcer on piece than on cover. The Rothschild collection contained only 3 examples [Phillips sale 25241, 8 Nov 1984, lot numbers 399 & 416; and sale 26377, 20 Nov 1986, lot number 371], none of which is in the chocolate shade. This item is probably unique in having the town cancel tie the stamp to the piece : very scarce on Sicilian stamps.



536 **/* **1859 Ferdinand II 50g Dark Violet Lake Brown,** horizontal strip of 3 (Pos. 93-95; position 93 retouched), o.g., lightly hinged at center with end stamps never hinged, large margins including bottom sheet margin, **Extremely Fine,** a very rare strip in the dark violet lake brown shade which includes the most important of the two retouches; signed by A. Diena, En. Diena, Raybaudi & G. Avanzo with 2013 Bottacchi certificate.
Sassone No. **14b**; €15,000 as singles ($18,450) . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

Sicily Balance Collection

537 */o **1858-59 Sicily Balance Collection,** small balance collection in stockbook which includes two Barone essays, one mint ½gr, one mint 1gr & two used singles, five used 2gr. (one with red horseshoe cancel), one mint pair and two covers, two used and two mint 5gr, and two mint 20gr, one used and one cover, generally in nice condition (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500



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Ex 545



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Japan



538 * **1873, Cherry Blossom, 10s Yellow Green, Government Printing, Native Wove Paper,** o.g., lightly hinged, attractive shade, **Very Fine,** ex-Cole; with 2010 ISJP certificate.
Scott No. **16a** $1,150

539 o **1872, Cherry Blossom, 30s Gray, Matsuda Printing, Native Wove Paper,** Echizen Tsuruga town corner cancels, deep bold color, **Very Fine**; with 2014 ISJP certificate. J.S.C.A. No. 14.
Scott No. **18** $375

540 (*) **1899-1907, Chrysanthemums, 5r to 1y Nearly Complete, with Kanji "Mihon" Overprint,** set complete less the 5r, 1½s & 3s (#91, 94 & 97) values; Scott #99a (shade) included, unused without gum, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **91//108** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

541 ✉ **1901, Chrysanthemum, ½s Gray, Strip of Four, Two Pairs and Two Singles,** in combination with **1899, Chrysanthemum, 1s red brown, four singles + 3s violet brown + 4s rose, two singles** on 1902 cover to Alameda, Cal., Tokyo Foreign Mail postmarks canceling strip on reverse, backflap some adherence, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **92+93+97+99** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

542 * **1908, Empress Jingo, Unwatermarked, 10y Dark Violet,** lightly brownish o.g., deep, rich color with outstanding centering, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **114** $1,200

543 * **1929, Mt. Fuji & Deer, 8s Olive Green,** large ("old") die, o.g., lightly hinged, **fresh and Very Fine,** scarce.
Scott No. **174a**. $225

544 ✉ **1929, Mt. Fuji & Deer, 8s Olive Green,** large ("old") die, in combination with **1926, Scenery Series, 2s green** on cover to Banderhoof, British Columbia, tied by purple "Kyoto, Japan 2.4.80" cds, label on reverse, **Very Fine,** a very scarce usage of 8s "old die" on cover.
Scott No. **174a+194**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

545 ** **1924, Empress Jingo, 1st Watermark, Granite Paper, 5y-10y Complete,** o.g., never hinged, tiny hint of perf tip toning on 5y at top, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce never hinged set.
Scott No. **188-189** . . . . . $575 for hinged

546 **❒ **1935, 1½s New Year's Greeting,** miniature sheet of 20, o.g., never hinged, pristine and fresh, **Extremely Fine,** one of the finest examples of this sheet we have ever offered.
Scott No. **222a**. . . . . $600 for hinged

547 **❒ **1935, 1½s New Year's Greeting,** miniature sheet of 20, o.g., never hinged, minor gum wrinkle in margin and some faint gum tone, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **222a**. . . . . $600 for hinged

548 (*)❒ **1945, 3rd Showa Series, 10s Blue,** complete sheet of 100, without gum as issued, couple light horizontal creases affecting a couple rows (20 stamps), **otherwise Very Fine,** a very scarce sheet.
Scott No. **354A** $2,250

549 **❒ **1949, Exhibitions Complete,** complete sheets of 20, o.g., never hinged, rich colors, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **439-442** $2,090

550 **❒ **1949, 8y Philatelic Week,** miniature sheet of 5, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **479a**. $350

551 **❒ **1949-52, Cultural Leaders Complete,** complete sheets of 20, o.g., never hinged, few lower denomination sheet with a few tone spots affecting a stamp or two, **still a Very Fine set,** very scarce in full sheet format.
Scott No. **480-497**. $4,050

552 ** **1951, Scenic Spots Complete,** complete sheets of 20, o.g., never hinged, some gum flaws on few of the lesser sheets, **still a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **523-540** $4,290



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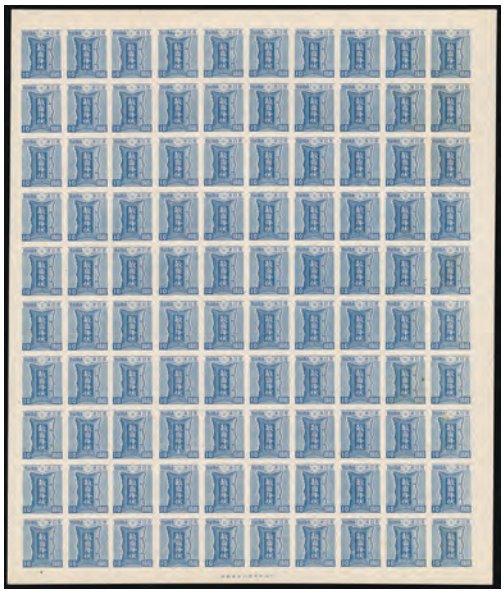

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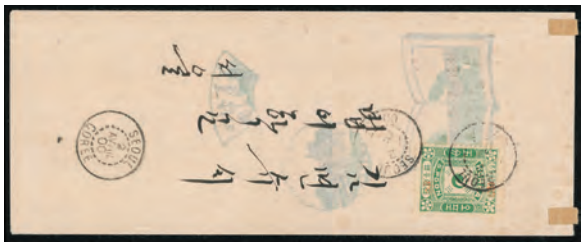

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553 ** **1934, Communications Day Souvenir Sheet,** o.g., never hinged, small gum wrinkle and a few small tone spots on gum, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C8** $2,000



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554 * **Japanese Offices in Korea, 1900, Chrysanthemum Issue, 5r to 1y Nearly Complete, Mihon Overprints,** missing the 1½s value, all chopped with large-sized, two-character "Mihon" overprints, hinged to page; most items with smallish faults as often encountered on these, **Fine to Very Fine**, scarce group to be sure, J.S.C.A. 231,000 yen as Mihons (HK$ 16,120).
Scott No. **1-2, 4-14** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

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555 * **1899 (ca.) Seoul Locally Used Cover Addressed to British Legation,** franked with 2nd printing Poonch set (Scott #6-9) tied by "Hansung" bisected circles; small tear to back flap, which does not detract from this lovely cover, **Fine and scarce.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

556 ✉ **1900 (January 10) Seoul Local Philatelic Cover,** franked with 2nd printing 25p with red Tai Han overprint (Scott #12) tied by Seoul cds with faint second strike; clean and fresh, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

557 ✉ **1900 (January 17) Picture Post Card from Seoul to Friedenau, Germany,** printed matter usage, card marked "Journey Around the World Publishing House"; franked with 1st printing 50p (Scott #9d), postmarked Seoul and with March 10 Friedenau receiving strike; views of Royal Palace and Gardens on reverse; attractive usage following January 1 currency change from poons to chons; stamp value converts to 5ch, a slight overpayment of the 4ch postcard rate, **Fine and attractive.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

558 ✉ **1900 (April 2) Seoul Local Cover,** to Foreign Language School franked with 5p Tai Han overprint (Scott #10) tied by two Seoul cds's with a third strike alongside; lovely design including fan, castle scene in floral outline and river scene in open book printed on envelope's interior lining, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

559 ✉ **1900 (October 24) Cover from Seoul to Seattle, WA,** franked with pair of 5ch perf 10 (Scott #23a), neatly postmarked with a second strike as well; November 19 Seattle duplex receiving backstamp; tear to top right corner, not affecting stamps or markings—still a very attractive cover; accompanied by copy of 1964 Zirkle handbook (p. 93), where the cover is illustrated., **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

560 ✉ **1903 1c-3c Falcon Issue,** two covers and one postcard all with Falcon Issue frankings, includes 1904 cover with 1c, 1904 plate proof on card with 1c + 3c Falcon franking and last is 1905 cover with 1c & 2c franking, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **40-42** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

561 ✉ **1904 (May 17) Philatelic Cover from Chemulpo to Tsingtau (German Kiautschou),** 1ch greenish blue postal card uprated with 2ch on 1st printing 25p and 4ch Falcon (Scott #36, 43), all canceled with "Chemulpo Coree" postmarks; May 30 Tsingtau Kiautschou receiving stamp on front, handwritten German message on reverse; fresh and attractive, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

562 ✉ **1904 (November 26), Postal Card from Chemulpo to Kiel, Germany,** a lovely, attractive 1 cheun card uprated by 3, 4, 5 and 6ch Falcon issues, all tied by "Chemulpo 26 Nov 04 Coree" cds's (note inverted month slug), with Kiel arrival marking of 17 January 1905, **F.-V.F.,** a colorful, scarce and delightful philatelic usage.
Scott No. **42-45** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

Liberia

563 P **1864, 12¢ Black, Trial Color Plate Proof on Thin Wove,** left margin horizontal pair, full margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a rare second transfer plate proof.
Scott No. **8TC**. . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

564 * **1866-69, 6¢-24¢ Issues Complete, Trial Color Plate Proofs on Thin Wove,** in black (fourth transfer), full margins, small flaws, **Very Fine appearance,** a very scarce set of fourth transfer proofs.
Scott No. **13TC-15TC** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



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565 *❒ **1866-69, 6¢-24¢ Issues Complete, Trial Color Plate Proofs,** marginal blocks of 4, complete set of 9 on thin paper (third transfer), in unissued colors red, blue, green and black, **Very Fine,** very scarce in multiple format.
Scott No. **13TC-15TC** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

566 ✉ **1881, 3¢ Black,** type 7, tied by neat six bar handstamp with matching "Monrovia, Liberia, Jan 19, 1892" rimless cds on cover address to Rosedale, Harper Co., **Extremely Fine,** fresh and attractive (no photo).
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

567 * **1885, 2¢ Green, Imperf Vertically,** left margin horizontal strip of 3, full o.g., fresh with rich color, very well centered, **Extremely Fine,** very scarce.
Scott No. **25 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1892-96 Definitive Issue

568 * **1892, 4¢ Green & Black, Center Inverted,** top margin single, o.g., lightly hinged, beautifully centered within large well balanced margins, strong colors, **Extremely Fine,** choice so nice.
Scott No. **35a** $225

569 * **1892, 4¢ Green & Black, Center Inverted,** full o.g., bold colors, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **35a** $225

570 * **1892, 8¢ Brown & Black, Center Inverted,** full o.g., small hinge remnant, rich colors, exceptionally fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **37a** $500

571 (*) **1892, 8¢ Brown & Black, Center Sideways,** with vignette centered close to center, without gum (as always), rich colors, **Very Fine,** a striking and very scarce error.
Scott No. **37b** $750



572 (*) **1892, 8¢ Brown & Black, Center Sideways,** horizontal pair, without gum (as always), showing single vignette vertically split between stamps, rich colors, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **37b** $1,500



573 (*) **1892, 8¢ Brown & Black, Center Sideways,** horizontal pair, without gum (as always), showing two vignettes vertically split between stamps, rich colors, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **37b** $1,500

574 * **1892, 16¢ Greenish Blue & 32c Lilac, Errors of Color,** left and right margin singles respectively, full o.g., select singles both exceptionally well centered, **an Extremely Fine gem pair**; with 1983 Friedl certificate.
Scott No. **41a, 46a**. $220



575 P❒ **1892, $5 Blue & Black, Trial Color Proof,** complete sheets of 10, **left horizontal pairs imperf between**, each stamp with "Waterlow & Sons Ltd., Specimen" overprint and security punch hole, without gum, **Very Fine,** an extremely rare perf variety with **only two sheets ever discovered**, with 1988 note regarding the R. Lowe discovery, *ex-Lockard*.
Scott No. **49TC** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

576 * **1892, $5 Carmine & Black, Center Inverted,** full o.g., strong colors, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **49a** $400



577 ** **1905, 5¢ Ultramarine & Black, Center Inverted,** o.g., never hinged, wide margins, deep rich colors and exceptional freshness, **Very Fine and choice,** a wonderful example of this rare inverted center in pristine never hinged condition, with only 60 mint known.
Scott No. **62a** . . . . . $1,500 for hinged

1901-02 Definitive Issue



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578 */o **1901-02, 1¢-50¢ Officials, "Ordinary" Handstamp,** all mint except 2¢ bister & black issue (only known in used condition), full o.g. for mint, rich colors and nice overall centering, **Very Fine**; many signed H. Bloch.
Scott No. **65-78** $1,753



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579 * **1901-02, $1 Blue & Black Official, "Ordinary" Handstamp** (type IIIB Monrovia handstamp), o.g., lightly hinged, strong colors, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **79** $325

580 * **1901-02, $1 Blue & Black Official, "Ordinary" Handstamp** (type IIIB Monrovia handstamp), full o.g., beautifully centered, few clipped perfs at lower right, **still Very Fine**; signed H. Bloch.
Scott No. **79** $325



581 * **1901-02, $2 Brown Official, "Ordinary" Handstamp** (type II Buchanan handstamp), o.g., hinge remnant, well centered, strong color, **Very Fine,** a very rare high value "Ordinary" handstamp issued from Buchanan.
Scott No. **80** $2,000



582 * **1901-02, $5 Carmine & Black Official, "Ordinary" Handstamp** (type III Monrovia handstamp), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with bright colors, **F.-V.F.,** a handsome example of this very rare high value stamp.
Scott No. **81** $2,500

583 * **1901-02, 1¢-32¢ "O S" & "Ordinary" Handstamps Complete,** o.g., most with h.r.'s, strong to rich colors throughout, **an F.-V.F. set**; few signed.
Scott No. **82-90** $1,575

584 P **1903, 3¢ Liberty Issue, Trial Color Die Proofs,** die sunk on bond (approximately 75x85mm) in red, brown, green and violet, **fresh Very Fine,** *ex-Fosdyke Ray*.
Scott No. **94TC** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

585 P **1904, 3¢ Liberty, Trial Color Die Proof on Wove,** on perforated sheetlets (approximately 53x68mm) in red brown, red, green, blue green and blue, couple with some slight toning in margins well away from design, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very scarce set.
Scott No. **94TC** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

586 P❒ **1904, 3¢ Liberty, Trial Color Plate Proof on Bond,** in red, block of 9, mounted on matted and framed card (150x145mm), "PB 525" card imprint, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **94TC** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

587 **❒ **1904, 3¢ Liberty, Multicolored Trial Color Plate Proof,** on wove, imperf, complete sheet of 50, o.g., never hinged, hinged in margins, poly color print in brown, green and black, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** very rare and quite possibly unique, *ex-Fosdyke Ray*.
Scott No. **94TC** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

588 ✉ **1903, 20¢ on 32¢ Greenish Blue,** tied by "Registered, Buchanan, Liberia, Apl 28. 09" cds (CP.20) on registered cover to Philadelphia, Pa., with double circle date stamp alongside (CP.19) and "R" in oval handstamp, Liverpool transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine,** an attractive single franking usage.
Scott No. **97** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

589 * **1906, 1¢//$2 Pictorials, Inverted Centers,** eight different, 1¢-5¢, 20¢, 25¢ & 75¢-$2 values, full o.g., all with rich colors, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **101a//112a** $975

590 ✉ **1906, 5¢ Ultramarine & Black,** tied by "**Registered, Harper, Liberia, Nov 22, 09**" cds's on 1893, 10¢ Cheeseman entire to Philadelphia, Pa., **large violet registry etiquette**, reverse with red London transit and receiving postmarks, **Very Fine and choice,** a rare Harper registry etiquette.
Scott No. **103** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

591 P **1906, 50¢-$5.00 Pictorials, Trial Color Plate Proofs,** set of 6 presentation proofs mounted on thick card, most with purple Perkins, Bacon & Co. oval handstamp on reverse, includes 50¢ blue and black, 75¢ brown and green, $1 green and black, $2 green and black & blue and black, and $5 carmine and black; light card toning on $5, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce group, *ex-Fosdyke Ray*.
Scott No. **109P-113P** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

592 (*)❒ **1906, $2 Pictorial, Vignette Omitted,** complete sheet of 20, without gum, with color pencil notations across stamps, soiling, creases and margin tears, **Fine,** still a rare production item, *ex-Cockrill*.
Scott No. **112 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1909-12 Definitive Issue

593 P **1909 (2¢) President Barclay, Vignette Die Proof,** in black die sunk on glazed card (97x78mm), showing light guidelines around, pencil "2nd" notation at top, slight soiling, **F.-V.F.,** a very rare working vignette essay, likely unique in this format, *ex-Fosdyke Ray*.
Scott No. **116P** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

594 E **1909, 5¢ Pictorial, Gunboat "Lark" Essay,** artist handpainted design on thick card (71x91mm), with blue frame and black ship at center, with light pencil notation "Liberia Postage" at top and "5 Cents 5" at bottom, **Very Fine,** a unique essay.
Scott No. **117E** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

595 E **1909, 5¢ Pictorial, Gunboat "Lark" Essay,** artist handpainted design on wove pasted on card deeply sunk at center (90x67mm), with blue frame and black and metallic gray ship at center, reverse with Perkins, Bacon & Co. Limited handstamp, **Very Fine,** a unique essay.
Scott No. **117E** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

596 P **1909, 15¢ Women Spinning Cotton, Engraver Trial Color Die Proof,** with frame design in yellow orange, die sunk on bond (59x71mm), showing guidelines from corners of design, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **119E** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

597 P **1909, 20¢ Pepper Plant, Engraver Die Proofs,** three different, die sunk on bond (approximately 60x75mm), showing guidelines from corners of design, one in issued colors, one with frame in orange and one with frame in buff and vignette in black, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **120P, 120TC** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

598 P **1909, 25¢ Circular House, Engraver Die Proof,** in issued colors, die sunk on bond (58x74mm), showing guidelines from corners of design, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **121P** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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599 EP **1909, 30¢ Barclay, Progressive Essay & Die Proofs,** 5 items; includes essay in black on glazed card showing unfinished design with star at upper right of portrait, similar essay design in brown on wove, essay in black on glazed card with star removed and additional detail in forehead, finished design in black on glazed card and similar die proof in dark brown on wove, **Very Fine,** *ex-Fosdyke Ray*.
Scott No. **122E, 122P**. . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

600 * **1915-16, 50¢ on $2 Deep Green & Black, Solid Obliterator,** o.g., lightly hinged, rich colors, **Very Fine and choice,** the scarcest of the 1915-16 surcharge issues.
Scott No. **147** $800

601 * **1915-16, 2¢ on 15¢ Indigo & Black, Black Error Surcharge,** o.g., lightly hinged, rich colors, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** a lovely example of this scarce handstamp surcharge issue.
Scott No. **151** $650

602 ✉ **1916, 3¢ on 6¢-10¢ on 24¢ Provisional Surcharges Complete,** tied by "Monrovia, Liberia, 27. II. 17" cds's on fresh registered cover to **Berne, Switzerland**, red registry etiquette and reverse with Sierra Leone, Liverpool & London transit date stamp and receiving cds; cover file fold, **Very Fine,** a lovely complete set on cover.
Scott No. **157-159**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

603 S **1921, 1¢-$5 "1921" Overprint Pictorials Complete, "Specimen" Overprints,** British P.O. specimen handstamps, without gum, $2 & $5 with inverted 1921 overprints, thin in 1¢ value, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very rare set.
Scott No. **195S-208S** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

604 P **1928, 3¢-$1 Map & Views Issues, Large Die Proofs,** on India due sunk on cards (approximately 150x225mm), each with serial number above (10¢ below) design, **a Very Fine set,** a very rare set of large die proofs.
Scott No. **230P-236P** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

1936 Definitive Issue

605 S **1936, 1¢ on 2¢ Rose & Black, "Specimen" Overprint,** o.g., lightly hinged, choice centering, bright and fresh, **Extremely Fine,** the only denomination from this issue to be overprinted "Specimen", **only 25 examples were produced**.
Scott No. **248S** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



606 * **1936, 1¢ on 2¢ Rose & Black, Inverted Surcharge,** part o.g., brilliant colors, **Very Fine,** an extremely rare variety with only a few known.
Scott No. **248 var.** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



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607 * **1936, 1¢ on 2¢ Rose & Black, Surcharge Doubled,** bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.,** only one pane of 25 was discovered.
Scott No. **248 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

608 *❐ **1936, 1¢ on 2¢ Rose & Black, Surcharge Doubled One Diagonal,** block of 4, slightly disturbed o.g., **fresh and Fine,** this being **one of two blocks known**.
Scott No. **248 var.** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

609 * **1936, 4¢ on 10¢ Dark Green, Surcharge Doubled, One in Red,** o.g., likely the red overprint was from a trial, **Very Fine,** only 25 examples ever produced.
Scott No. **250 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

610 ** **1936, 12¢ on 30¢ Red Violet & Black, Surcharge Doubled,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.,** only 25 examples ever produced.
Scott No. **253 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

611 ** **1936, 22¢ on $2 Light Violet & Black, Surcharge Inverted,** o.g., never hinged, fresh and pristine, **F.-V.F.,** only 25 examples ever produced.
Scott No. **257 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

612 ** **1936, 24¢ on $5 Dark Brown, Surcharge Inverted,** o.g., never hinged, fresh and pristine, **F.-V.F.,** only 25 examples ever produced.
Scott No. **258 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

613 * **1936, 1¢ on 2¢ Official, Surcharge Inverted,** o.g., lightly hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** only 25 examples ever produced.
Scott No. **259 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

614 (*) **1936, 6¢ on 15¢ Official, Surcharge Doubled,** without gum, rich colors, bottom left corner reattached, **F.-V.F. appearance,** a great rarity as **only five example were produced**.
Scott No. **262 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

615 ** **1936, 8¢ on 20¢ Official, Surcharge Inverted,** o.g., never hinged, well centered, **Very Fine and choice,** only 25 examples ever produced.
Scott No. **263 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

616 **❐ **1936, 25¢ Official, Imperf Vertically & Diagonally,** block of 4, o.g., never hinged, rich colors, **Very Fine,** very rare with **only five blocks in existence**.
Scott No. **270 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1940 Definitive Issue

617 P **1940, 3¢-10¢ 100th Anniversary Issue Complete, Master Die Proofs,** in issued colors on India mounted on brown card, with serial numbers at top, **Very Fine** (no photo).
Scott No. **277P-279P** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

618 P **1940, 5¢ 100th Anniversary Issue, Master Die Proof,** on India with serial number above, mounted on large "Index Copy" card with issue information, additional pencil notation above design, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **278** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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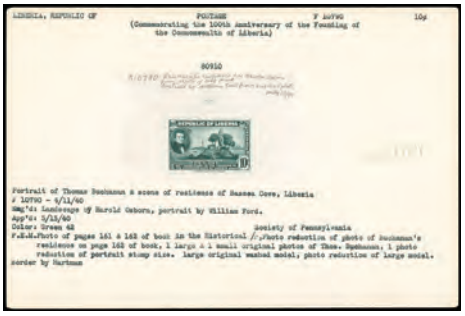

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619 E **1940, 10¢ 100th Anniversary Issue, A.B.N.C. Essay,** unadopted essay printed in deep blue with some handpainting in both gray and greenish blue, mica faced in sunken mount in special folder as submitted, reverse with "Please Return Within 30 Days to American Bank Note Co., Dec 15, 1939" handstamp, **Very Fine,** a unique essay.
Scott No. **279E** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

620 P **1940, 10¢ 100th Anniversary Issue, Master Die Proof,** on India with serial number above, mounted on large "Index Copy" card with issue information, additional pencil notation above design, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **279P** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

621 P **1952, 1¢-50¢ Ashum Complete, Large Die Proofs on Card,** complete set of regular and airmail issues on full card (approximately 115x140mm), all bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** very scarce.
Scott No. **332P-337P, C68P-C69P**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

622 E **1952, 3¢ Ashum, Essay,** handpainted watercolor and pencil design on thin card (75x86mm), with frame in violet and map vignette in greenish blue, additional "Harper Cape Palmas" pencil notation at bottom, **Very Fine,** a unique essay.
Scott No. **334E** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

623 P **1952, 4¢ Ashum, Trial Color Large Die Proof,** frame only in red on glazed card (128x153mm), bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** exceptionally rare with **only 3 examples recorded**.
Scott No. **335TC** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

Airmail Issues

624 ** **1938, 3¢-$1 Airmail Issues Complete, Imperforate,** with "Proof" overprint, in pairs, 4¢ value in orange and yellow, o.g., never hinged, all with full margins, fresh and pristine, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine,** with only 48 of each value produced in imperforate form and usually being this overprint.
Scott No. **C4-C13 vars.**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

625 ✉ **1942, 50¢ on 1¢-$1 Barred Airmail Provisional Issues Complete,** tied by "Monrovia, Liberia, 14. II. 1942" cds's on cacheted first flight cover to New York City, matching "R" in circle registry handstamp and reverse with transit and receiving postmarks, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C27-C36** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Registration Issues



626 * **1893 (10¢) Black Greenville,** o.g., few gum bends, well centered, **Very Fine and choice,** a lovely Registration Issue Rarity.
Scott No. **F2** $2,500



627 ** **1893 (10¢) Black Harper,** full o.g., small hinge remnant, fresh with bold color, wide margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a lovely example of this key Registration Issue Rarity.
Scott No. **F3** $2,500

628 ** **1903, 10¢ Registration Issue Complete, Centers Inverted,** all with o.g., usual centering with a few with perfs into design, fresh with rich colors, **a Fine set.**
Scott No. **F10a-F14a** $500

629 ✉ **1903, 10¢ Monrovia,** in combination with **1900, 2¢ orange red & black** on registered 1893, 3¢ Ashum entire to Minneapolis, Minn., all tied by "Monrovia, Liberia, 14 Jul, 1904" cds's, matching "R" in oval handstamp, Liverpool transit postmark and reverse with transit & receiving postmarks, **Very Fine,** a very scarce registry issue combination.
Scott No. **F13+58** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

630 P **1919, 10¢ Buchanan, Grenville, Harper & Robertsport, Reverse Trial Color Die Proof,** frame only compound proof in dark blue on thick wove (123x97mm), **Very Fine,** a very rare reverse design proof.
Scott No. **F15TC-F17TC, F19TC** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

631 P **1919, 10¢ Monrovia, Engraver Reversed Die Proof,** two frame and vignette proofs on bond showing guide marks, vignettes in black, one frame in red with manuscript "Robertsport" at top, other frame in green with manuscript "Harper" notation, **Very Fine,** a unique set of early color proofs.
Scott No. **F18P** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

632 P **1919, 10¢ Monrovia, Engraver Reversed Die Proof,** separate frame and vignette proofs showing guide marks, in black on India sunk on thick wove; slight reductions at top, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very rare pair of initial engraver's proofs.
Scott No. **F18P** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

633 **❒ **1893, 2¢-40¢ Postage Dues Complete, Imperforate,** bottom left corner margin blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, each with rich colors, fresh and pristine, **Very Fine and choice,** a very rare complete matching multiple set.
Scott No. **J3-J9 vars.**. . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

634 * **1916, "L F F 1¢" on 1¢ Green & Black,** full o.g., rich colors, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **M2** $600

635 * **1916, "L F F 1¢" on 1¢ Green & Black, Surcharge Inverted,** o.g., small hinge remnants, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F. and attractive.**
Scott No. **M2 var.**. . . . . $600 for normal

Official Issues

636 * **1892, 1¢//32¢ Officials, Additional "O.S." Overprints,** the complete set of 8 values, o.g., hinge remnants, rich colors, **an F.-V.F. set,** rare with only one sheet of each printed (von Saleski #O1a-O3a, O5a-O9a); each signed Bloch, with 1983 Friedl certificate.
Scott No. **O1-O3, O5-O9 vars.**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



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637 * **1898, 5¢ Lake & Black, Pair One without Overprint,** vertical pair with overprint omitted on top stamp, full o.g., fresh with rich colors, **F.-V.F.,** an extremely rare variety, variety unlisted by Scott (however lists this variety for O31).
Scott No. **O34 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



638 o❐ **1901-02, 1¢ Lilac Rose Official, "Ordinary" Handstamp** (type I Buchanan handstamp), block of 10, neat 1902 Buchanan town cancels, nicely centered throughout, some light oxidization, **Very Fine,** quite certainly one of - if not the largest known multiple of the 1¢ Lilac Rose "Ordinary" issue, *ex-Cockrill, Fosdyke Ray*; signed Bloch.
Scott No. **unlisted**. . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

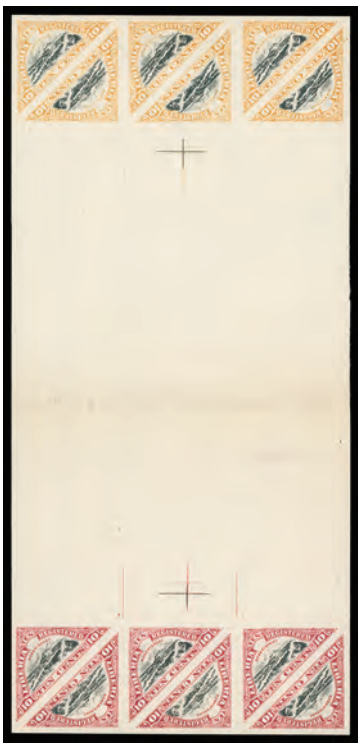
639 **/*❐ **1909, 15¢ Claret & Black Official, "O.S." Omitted and Center Inverted,** left margin block of 4, o.g., hinged at top, never hinged at bottom, well centered, rich colors, **Very Fine,** scarce.
Scott No. **O63 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

640 **❐ **1909, 75¢ Purple & Black Official, "O.S." Omitted and Center Inverted,** block of 4, o.g., never hinged, deep rich color, **fresh and F.-V.F.,** a very rare high value Official variety multiple.
Scott No. **O68 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Liberia Balances & Collections

641 */o **1860-89 Liberty & Numeral Issues Balance,** mostly mint on album pages; includes Liberty issues with modest to moderate duplication including #1 x5 (each cat $400), set of third transfer issues used, 1880 issues including multiples (1¢ showing all ten transfer types), following Numeral issues including imperf blocks and pairs; condition well above the norm, Scott cat. in excess of $3,800.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

642 */✉ **1892-1978 Back-Of-The-Book Balance Collection,** neatly displayed on pages in Scott albums; starting with Semi-Postal issues including a scarce 10¢ + 2¢ inverted surcharge in a corner margin block of 4, Airmail issues starting with two examples of #C2 (cat $250 each), good 1941 surcharge issues on flight covers, 1942-44 Specimen set, later issues with a host of trial proof material, Registry issues with #F1 (cat $250), second issue including imperf pair set and missing "10" set, 1903 issues with 36 trail color items including separate frame and vignette proofs, 1919 issue with imperf pairs including a printed on both block, scarce matrix se-tenant die proof sheets, etc., Military issues with a section of four sheets showing many scarce varieties (ex-Rosebaum, Lockard), Officials with a rare 1892, 1¢//32¢ Officials, additional "O.S." overprints (complete set of 8 values, only one sheet of each printed), 1906 issues with imperforate pairs and inverted centers, etc.; with condition well above the norm throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500



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643 */✉ **1892-1905 Pictorial Issues Balance,** mint issues and four covers displayed on album pages; 1892-96 issues includes higher denominations sheets with some duplication, imperf pars and blocks, imperf between including 1¢-2¢ & 8¢ values, section of Specimen overprint (different types) including Waterlow trial colors, 1897 3¢ bicolor issue with double red impression, 1897-1905 issues with specimens and a couple of scarce proof sheetlets; condition well above the norm.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

644 */o/✉ **1903-12 Liberty & Pictorial Issues Balance,** of mostly mint displayed on album pages; with 1903 Liberty issue with imperf and trial colors, 1906 Pictorial including unusual 75¢ misperf block, sheet of the high values, 1¢ inverted, 6 scarce proof sheetlets, nice range of imperforate items including trial colors, vignette only proofs, 30¢ die proof, 1909-12 Pictorials includes 5¢ specimen block, imperf pairs, 5 different inverts and a section of black proofs on thin paper, trial colors including 1¢ frame with brown printing on one side and black on the other (block of six and two singles, etc.; with condition well above the norm throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

645 */✉ **1910-28 Surcharge & Pictorial Issues Balance,** of mint issues and a few covers displayed on album pages; Surcharges including the 1915-16 ten types in singles and strips, 1916 Liberty surcharges with invert and sideway varieties including 10¢ invert on cover, 1918 Pictorials with a selection of a dozen high value trial color proofs, imperf pairs, etc., 1920 Surcharges with varieties, 1921 Pictorial with inverted overprints, 1926-27 1¢ on 2¢ surcharges with sheets showing variety, 1928 specimen set; condition well above the norm.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

646 **/* **1936 Provisional Surcharge Issue Balance,** a wonderful mint study of these neatly displayed and annotated on album pages; starting with regular issue surcharges with a host of scarce to rare varieties (many with 5 to 25 examples existing) including Scott #249 double print x2 (25 exist) and unusual misplaced surcharge (5 exist), #250 albino and double surcharge, #252 rose error of color, #253 double overprint, #254 sideways surcharge, #254 inverted surcharge, #255 double surcharge, etc., official issue section equally impressive with misplaced, double, albino surcharges as well as shade errors.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500



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647 **/* **1937-90 Regular Issue Collection Balance,** specialized collection of issues (lacking the 1952 Ashum issue) on pages in four Scott albums; the array of issues with highlights including 1941-47 issue specimens, 1947 Centenary imperf sheets, specialized 1949 Ashum Century of Independence Issue section with Jaffe/Szyk signed proof specimen blocks and sheets, progressive color trials, etc., etc., 1948-50 Presidents issue with specimens, vignette and frame proofs, 1950 National Literacy with scarce unfinished die proofs, 1953 Birds with the array imperfs, partial prints and perf varieties, 1955 Sports with many freak perf & printing items, 1958 European Tour issue with many flag errors in sheet format, and an array of other issues with similar varieties throughout; condition well above the norm throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

648 **/* **1952 Jehudi Ashmun Issue Balance,** specialized study displayed on album pages; starting with a set of corner margin plate singles, 3¢ invert single and imprint block, 10¢ invert, various sheets with misplaced centers, approximately 350 Specimen overprint items, mostly trial color proof corner margin singles with plate numbers, vignette and frame proof sheets and a run of the special Szyk presentation sheets.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

649 */o✉ **Carl Schultze Multicolored Lithograph Series Post Cards,** 13 cards mostly used (3 unused) from the series of 5 designs, several showing different card formats, 1890-1910's usages to Europe; condition varies, **F.-V.F. overall,** a very scarce group.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350



650 ** **Liechtenstein, 1934, Vaduz Exhibition Souvenir Sheet,** o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine.** Zumstein No. 104.
Scott No. **115** $2,250



651 (*)❒ **Macao, 1885, Local Surcharge, 40r on 50r Green, Perf 13½,** block of 4, without gum as issued, **fresh and F.-V.F.,** a scarce multiple; with 1997 Holcombe certificate.
Scott No. **21a** . . . . . $960 for singles



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653 (Front & Reverse)



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Mexico

Wells, Fargo Covers

652 ✉ **Wells, Fargo Y Cia., Ciudad De Mexico,** black on vermilion label on light red allover Secretaria De Hacienda imprint legal size linen cover to Eliza Mugarrieta (widow of Jose M. Mugarrieta, Consul of Mexico in San Francisco, Cal., pencil "Val $5.00" notation, reverse with 1891 date stamp and notation indicating contents included a letter from President Diaz; edge wear, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

653 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Mazatlan, Mex., Oct., 17, 1883,** two strikes of red oval date stamp tying **1883, 6c Numeral**, cons 2783 on green Wells, Fargo Y Cia franked paste-up cover to San Francisco, Cal., reverse with via Guaymas routing notation and violet "Paid" in oval handstamp, traveled by ship to Guaymas and then by rail to destination, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **148** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

654 ✉ **Wells, Fargo Y Cia Covers, 1883-97,** group of 8 used, two mint entires and three fronts; used including 1882, 3c Numeral pair (Hermosillo) tied by red express oval on 1883 cover to Berwick., Pa., 10c to 25c green frank entires with postmarks from La Honda, Tampico, Chihuahua, Guaymas, red Guanajuato with purple Leon receiver on part paste-up, unused with earlier green frank on U.S. 5¢ Garfield entire, also includes two additional legal size 20c Numeral entires (canceled & unaddressed) with franks re-rated 35c and down rated 50c to 40c; condition varies, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

State Postal Markings

655 ✉ **(Ixtlahuaca) Ixtlahuaca,** clear boxed postmark (Yag-Bash IX1, rarity 7) with manuscript date below, on 1852 folded letter to Mexico, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

656 ✉ **(Jalapa) Jalapa,** red box datestamp (YB JA7 - 4 points) on 1837 folded letter addressed to M. Burrough at the U.S. Consul in Vera Cruz who played an important diplomatic role in US-Mexico relations, **fresh and Very Fine,** the usage of this Jalapa date stamp is two years earlier than recorded in Yag & Bash.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

657 ✉ **(Mazatlan) Cosala,** sello negro wreathed cancel (Schatzkes 756) on 1864 folded letter sheet to Mazatlan, **F.-V.F.,** this is my only known Sello Negro from Cosala.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

658 ✉ **(Mazatlan) Culiacan,** group of five folded letters; includes straight line postmark (YB MZ 46) in red and black each with "3" rate handstamp, bold oval postmark in red (MZ 47) with "3" rate handstamp, and later fancy oval date stamp in red (YB MZ50) on two folded letters with "3" and "4" rate handstamps, **Very Fine overall.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

659 ✉ **(Mazatlan) Culiacan,** sello negro wreathed cancel (Schatzkes 760) on 1864 folded letter sheet to Mazatlan, **Very Fine,** this is my only known Sello Negro from Culiacan.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

660 ✉ **(Mazatlan) Mazatlan,** large red cds (YB MZ4) on four folded letters; three with separate "2", "4" & "6" reales rate handstamps, fourth with matching "Franco" wreath handstamp (MZ6A) and "2" rate handstamp on reverse; all select strikes, **Very Fine and choice,** the last being a very scarce handstamp combination.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

661 ✉ **(Mazatlan) Mazatlan Posted in San Sebastian (Guadalajara),** folded letter to Durango docketed from Mazatlan in 1847, carried out-of-the-mails and posted with red straight line "**V S Sebastian**" postmark (YB GD221), manuscript and red handstamp "2" reales rate marks, **Very Fine,** San Sebastian is closer to Durango but still at the bottom of the mountain range; signed Bash.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

662 ✉ **(Mazatlan) Mazatlan (Puerto De),** boxed postmark (YB MZ 2) on five folded letters; sharp strike in an unusual deep red on 1834 folded letter sheet to Tepic (four years earlier than listed in Yag & Bash), later 1839 strike in the common red, in brownish black, and in black with 2 rate handstamp on two folded letters, one with unlisted "Diciembre 12" straight line date stamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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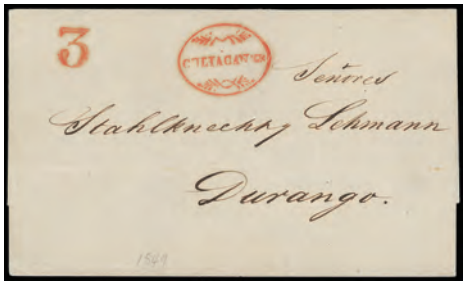

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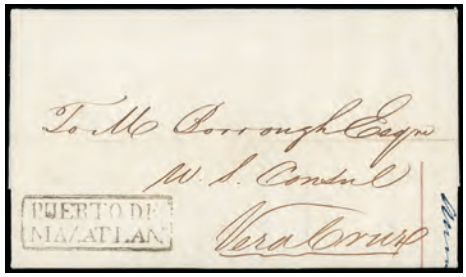

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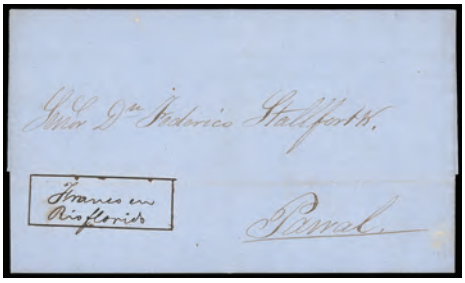

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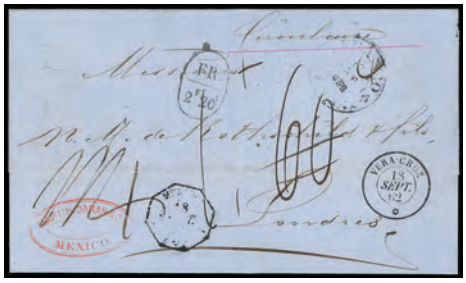

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663 ✉ **(Mazatlan) Mazatlan (Puerto De),** clear strikes of boxed handstamp (YB MZ2) on 1840 folded letter to M. Burrough at the U.S. Consul in Vera Cruz, **fresh and Very Fine,** Burrough played a major role in the diplomacy between the USA and Mexico.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

664 ✉ **Chihuahua Prestamp Cover Group,** of 10 folded letters; marking include Parral (YB CH102) in red and blue, Jesus Maria y Jose (CH80) in red, 1843 Chihuahua (CH4), Rosales (CH120), Bartolome (CH11) in red, brown Conchos (CH45) and two different Guadalupe y Calvo (CH61 and unlisted), accompanied by two mint 1883 4c unoverprinted entires, **F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

665 ✉ **Chihuahua Sello Negro Covers, 1864-66,** 10 covers elaborately written up, four of which are Imperial (French Occupation) mail, latter include an unrecorded manuscript Hidalgo (del Parral) and a manuscript boxed Rio Florido, Republican mail pieces include Conchos and red Rosales, both Imperial and Republican Santa Rosalia and Chihuahua are present, **Very Fine,** an interesting group.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

666 ✉ **Maritime Covers to France, 1862-65,** three covers; with Mexique or Mexique - Tampico octagons, one from Veracruz 1863 also bearing cds (with fleuron) of the ship *Louisiane* and another 1862 from Mexico City having similar cds (with fleuron) of the ship **Veracruz**, **Very Fine,** outstanding group.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

667 ✉ **Stampless Cover Collection,** mostly pre-stamp in three volumes, of 144 covers and fronts including nine Colonial Era (Yag-Bash CH2, CP30, JA1, M4, Q2, Q75, SL1, SL2, X1 - all fronts), couple maritime, and such scarce as S. Antonio de la Huertas (HR20) and a nice Jamiltepec (OJ51), some common duplicated, a few fragments with some rare markings, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

Maritime Mail Covers

668 ✉ **Vapor Nal. "Alejandro",** purple straight line handstamp on U.S. 1884, 2¢ brown entire to Mazatlan, with matching fancy circular "Franco" handstamp, reverse with purple "Thomas Bell & Co., San Francisco, Nov. 21, 1887" handstamp, **Very Fine and rare,** Thomas Bell was a wealthy investor in the New Almaden mine (a cinnabar - mercury mine). He owned a mansion at Bush & Octavia streets in San Francisco.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

669 ✉ **Vapor "Alejandro",** manuscript endorsement on registered cover to **Modena, Italy**, franked with **1887, 10c brown lilac on ruled paper, perf 6, strip of three** tied by grid handstamps, red oval "Mazatlan, Ene 25, 1888" origin date stamp (Schimmer Sin 28/7), Mazatlan registration handstamp with New York etiquette over it; stamps scissor separated and allover cover tone, **F.-V.F.,** a rare registered maritime usage.
Scott No. **205** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

670 ✉ **Curacao (pr. vpr.),** manuscript ship endorsement on 1906 cover to **Munch, Germany**, with additional "via Altata, Guaymas & New York" routing above, franked with **1903, 2c green, strip of three and pair** tied by Culiacan cds's, appropriate transit backstamps, **Very Fine,** illustrated in Schimmer/Heath's *Mexican Maritime Mail* (page 257), *ex-Schimmer*.
Scott No. **305** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



671 ✉ **Vapor Newbern, Agente De Correos,** purple oval handstamp (Schimmer maritime 30, rarity 9) tying **1885, Hidalgo Profile, 6c + 10c + 20c** on Mazatlan corner card cover to **Paris, France**, the cover boarded in Mazatlan and discharged in Guaymas with "Franco Guaymas Jul 16 1885" octagon date stamp on reverse (Schimmer Son 35/4), then by rail with Benson, Ariz. and New York transits. Paris receiver; 20c with pre-use corner nick, **otherwise Very Fine,** beautiful examples of this rare Newbern ship cancel, a wonderful showpiece.
Scott No. **155+156+158** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

Charpenter, Renaud Co was an importer of European goods sold retail in Mazatlan. The Newbern was associated with silver smuggling into the USA which had a high tariff on silver. It foundered on rocks at Pt Fermin, San Pedro, California and sank in 1893 with $250,000 in cargo, mostly silver, aboard.

672 ✉ **Vapor "Topeka",** manuscript endorsement with "via Colima" routing on cover to Ciudad Guzman, franked with grid canceled **1886, 10c Numeral**, red "Mazatlan, Set 18, 1888, Sinaloa Mexico" origin postmark (Schimmer Sin 287) and Manzanillo transit, traveled inland through Colima to Ciudad Guzman; partial backflap and stamp corner nick, **otherwise Very Fine,** the sea routing would have been preferable to overland during the September rainy season when some rivers may not be crossable, a fine maritime mail example with interesting routing, *ex-Whitehead, Schimmer*.
Scott No. **180** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

673 ✉ **"Willamette Valley",** ship endorsement on 10c Mulitas entire Miraflores, Baja California to Mazatlan, canceled by "San Jose Del Cabo, B.C., Jun 30 95" cds, Miraflores commercial corner card (26 June) on reverse, **Very Fine,** illustrated in Schimmer and Heath *Mexican Maritime Mail* (page 262), *ex-Koenig, Schimmer*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Postal History

674 **1827-28 Postal Related Broadsides,** five congressional decree broadsides, includes; 1828 decree establishes a postal route from Oaxaca to Acapulco via Ometepc and Ayutla by road, printed signature of Jose Ignacio Pavon, 1827 decree establishes a postal route from Refugio to Pueblo Viejo via Soto La Marina weekly, printed signature of Tomas Salgado, 1828 decree establishes an post office in the town of Jalpan, Queretaro, printed signature of Jose Ignacio, 1828 decree changes the name of the Villa De Guadalupe to Ciudad Guadalupe de Hidalgo, printed signature of Juan Jose Espinosa, and 1828. decree orders the rehabilitation of the Barra de Nautla for commercial freight, printed signature of Jose Ignacio Pavon, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

675 ✉ **1839 Mazatlan to London, England,** folded letter sheet docketed "Mazatlan, 25 Sep" and endorsed "**forwarded by…Sihuiro & Wersers Co.**" on reverse, sent overland to ship *Dewalion*, straight line "Liverpool Ship Letter" backstamp and "1/5" rating on front, red "Ja 2,1840" receiving backstamp; some soiling along file folds, **F.-V.F.,** an early forwarding usage which precedes the Royal Mail Steam Line.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

676 ✉ **1845 Mazatlan to London, England,** folded letter sheet endorsed on reverse "**forwarded…26th June, 1845, by…Sengstack & Schutte**" (operated 1843-47 in Mexico City) and "**1 July 1845 forwarded by Bronser Pensing & Co.**", front with "pr Royal Mail Steam Packet" ship endorsement and rated "2/3", reverse with "Vera Cruz, Julio 30" cds and British "Vera-Cruz, Jy 1, 1845" cds; file folds, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

677 **Presidential Signatures on Document,** two items; February 1856 military appointment signed by **President Ignacio Comonfort** assigning Colonel (later General) Santiago Tapia command of a cavalry regiment, with finely drawn National Emblem at top and intact Presidential "escudo" as well as a rare 8 peso revenue escudo missing only one of its petals, also present is a mining grant signed by **Porfirio Diaz**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

678 ✉ **Secretaria Particular Del Presidente De La Republica,** blue oval eagle cachet handstamp of the secretary of President Benito Juarez on cover to Jose M. Mugarrieta (Consulate) in San Francisco, Cal., Mexico cds alongside, "San Francisco, Cal., Feb 4, 1862" entry cds and "10" rate handstamp; cover opening nick at upper right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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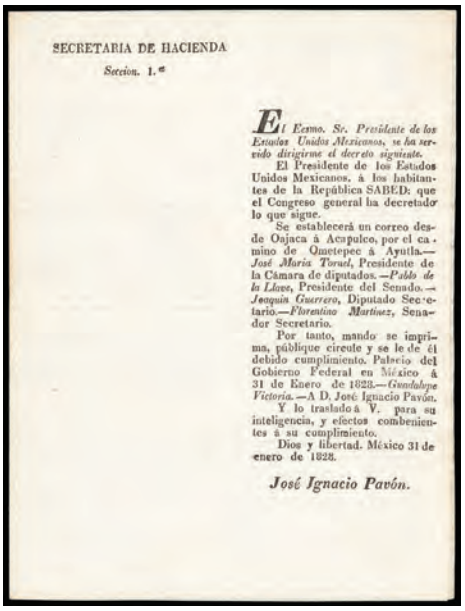

SECRETARIA DE HACIENDA

Seccion. 1.ª

El Excmo. Sr. Presidente de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos, se ha servido dirigirme el decreto siguiente.

El Presidente de los Estados Unidos Mexicanos, á los habitantes de la República SABED: que el Congreso general ha decretado lo que sigue.

Se establecerá un correo desde Oajaca á Acapulco, por el camino de Ometepec á Ayutla.—*José María Tornel*, Presidente de la Cámara de diputados.—*Pablo de la Llave*, Presidente del Senado.—*Joaquin Guerrero*, Diputado Secretario.—*Florentino Martinez*, Senador Secretario.

Por tanto, mando se imprima, publique circule y se le de el debido cumplimiento. Palacio del Gobierno Federal en México á 31 de Enero de 1828.—*Guadalupe Victoria.*—A D. José Ignacio Pavón.

Y lo traslado á V. para su inteligencia, y efectos combenientes á su cumplimiento.

Dios y libertad. México 31 de enero de 1828.

José Ignacio Pavón.

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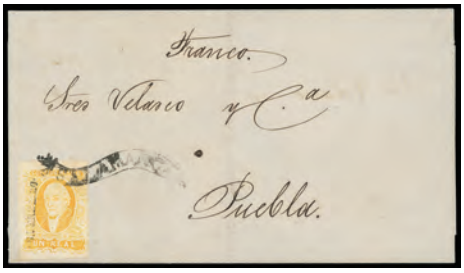

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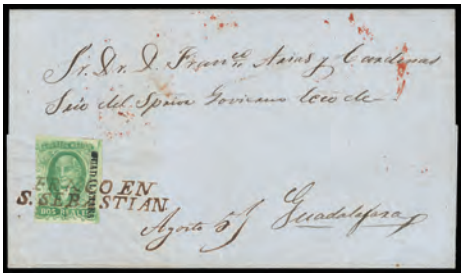

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679 ✉ **Acapulco, Consulate USA,** blue circular eagle cachet handstamp on folded tissue paper cover to Jose M. Mugarrieta at the Mexican Consulate in San Francisco, Cal., entered the U.S. mails with "San Francisco, Cal., Jul 24, 1862" cds and matching "10" rate handstamp; accompanied by picture post card of the U.S. Consulate in Acapulco, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

680 ✉ **Stampless Cover Accumulation, 1809-60's,** approximately 230 covers; mostly more common townmarks in duplication with better including a colonial 1809 Parras (YB ST 115), Chilapa (CB20), fancy Salamanca in ribbon and Zamora in oval chain, Ciudad de Ituride (CV41), etc.; condition varied, please inspect (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1856 Hidalgo Issue

681 ✉ **1856, First Issue, ½r Blue, Hermosillo, Horizontal Pair,** large margins, tied by two strikes of red **Hermosillo** straight line handstamp (Schatzkes 542, Taylor 1/2) on 1857 folded letter sheet to Guaymas; natural wrinkle in cover at upper left, **Very Fine and rare.**
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

682 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 1r Yellow, Queretaro,** tied to cover by ribbon cancel of **Salamanca** (Yag-Bash Q130, Taylor QE-19/1) which is a pre-stamp marking unrecorded as a cancel, **Very Fine,** the cover was sent in October 1856 so is from the first rate period, *ex-Schatzkes*.
Scott No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

683 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 1r Yellow, Queretaro,** rich color, tied by **Apaseo fancy eagle** cachet postmark (Schatzkes 1284A) on folded letter sheet to Acambaro, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

684 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 1r Yellow, Soyaniquilpan,** tied by **Soyaniquilpan** straight line postmark (Schatzkes 1547) on 1859 folded letter sheet to Mexico from the Escandon correspondence, accompanied by Mexico to Soyaniquilpan cover from correspondence franked with 1856, First Issue, ½r blue pair (Scott 1), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

685 o **1856, First Issue, 1r & 2r Hidalgo Issues, without District Overprint, Lerma,** circular **Tenacingo** cancel (Schatzkes 709), **F.-V.F. and scarce,** Lerma used from Tenacingo are almost always without district name (NF $950).
Scott No. **2c, 3d** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

686 o **1856, First Issue, 1r Yellow, without District Overprint (Polotitlan),** oval **Polotitlan** (Schatzkes 1145), thins and pinhole, **Very Fine appearance** (Follansbee $1,200); with 2006 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **2c** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

687 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, Guadalajara,** tied by **San Sebastian** two-line postmark (Schatzkes 392) on folded letter sheet to Guadalajara, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

688 (*) **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, Isla Del Carmen,** blue district overprint, without gum, clipped corner, **F.-V.F.,** very scarce and possibly unique unused (NF $1,000 as used); with 2012 MEPSI certificate.
Scott No. **3** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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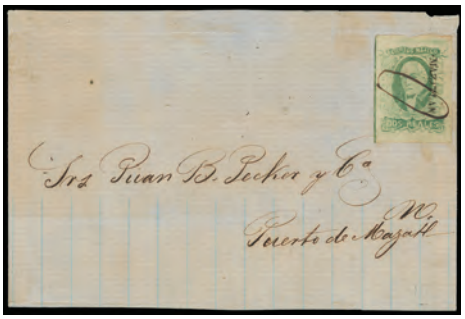

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689 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, Lagos,** singles on two folded letters from soldier (Republican army) Juan Evangelista Mugarrieta (younger brother of Jose M. Mugarrieta, Consul of Mexico in San Francisco) to family in Mexico City; first with **Lagos** district overprint and tied by oval Tepatitlan cancel (Schatzkes 696A) with additional "Franco" and Tepatitlan boxed handstamps (Schatzkes 692A, 692) on 1858 folded letter, interesting content telling of just having received new uniforms, of the enemy (conservative) forces facing them and of the expected attack from (General Manuel) Lozano coming from Tepic, enemy force details described, protecting bridge crossing at Colotlan, letter would have had to travel into conservative held territory before mailing to Mexico City, Tepatitlan is 190 miles (317 Km) South from Colotlan, the distance the letter would have traveled before mailing, second with **Guadalajara** district overprint tied by Guadalajara oval cancel (Schatzkes 295) on 1859 folded letter telling he is well and has sent 90 pesos, letter would have crossed battle lines into conservative held territory and Mexico City, or Juan would have crossed lines before writing this, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **3** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

690 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 2r Apple Green, Mazatlan,** tied by next **San Sebastian** boxed handstamp (Schatzkes 749) on 1857 folded letter to Durango, **Very Fine,** this stamp was part of a 60 subject plate.
Scott No. **3 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

691 (✉) **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, Mazatlan,** superb margins showing plate guideline at left edge, canceled by **Panuco manuscript mute oval** (always at a 45% angle) on cover front to Mazatlan, **Very Fine,** a very rare mute oval cancel from Panuco, with **only four examples recorded**.
Scott No. **3** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Schatzkes appears to record this cancel under Mazatlan as number 743, although it is now known being from Panuco.

692 o **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, Sultepec,** oval **Sultepec** cancel (Schatzkes 1551), pre-printing paper wrinkles, **Fine and rare.**
Scott No. **3** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



693 o **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, without District Overprint (Polotitlan),** oval **Polotitlan** (Schatzkes 1145), small tear at upper left, **otherwise Very Fine** (Follansbee $2,500); with 1973 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **3d** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

694 ▲ **1856, First Issue, 2r Yellow Green, without District Overprint (Yguala Or Tixtla),** tied on piece by "**Ciudad de Iturbide**" circular cancel (Schatzkes 1639 / 1848), could be Tixtla or Yguala districts depending on date of use, accompanied by 1857 postal document bearing the same cancel, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **3d** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

695 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 4r Red, Tampico,** in combination with **1856, First Issue, 2r yellow, Tampico** slightly overlapping on 1859 folded letter sheet to San Luis Potosi, tied by neat Tampico cds (Schatzkes 1585), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **4+2** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

696 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 4r Red, Veracruz,** tied by Veracruz cds (Schatzkes 1749) on 1861 folded letter sheet to Mexico, sent "**por Extraordinario**" (manuscript denoting by special express at double the non-express rate), **Very Fine,** scarce.
Scott No. **4** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

697 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 4r Red, Bisect, Guanajuato,** left portion of stamp tied by **Yrapuato** boxed handstamp (Schatzkes 494) on cover front to Mexico, **F.-V.F.,** a rare combination; signed J.K. Bash.
Scott No. **4a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

698 (*) **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac, Mazatlan,** Mazatlan box datestamp cancel in black (Schatzkes 739), **Very Fine**; with 1983 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

699 o **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac, Mazatlan,** red Mazatlan box datestamp cancel (Schatzkes 739), large to huge balanced margins, **Extremely Fine**; with 1996 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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700 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac, Puebla,** large margins to clear at bottom, tied to oversized cover by Puebla box cancel with July date, sent to Orizava, **F.-V.F.,** a rare non-registered single-franking for quadruple weight, *ex-Schatzkes*.
Scott No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

701 (*) **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac, San Luis Potosi,** with stitch watermark (rare this value), without gum, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

702 * **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac, without District Overprint,** horizontal strip of 3, o.g., bright color, horizontal crease mostly in right margin and small tone spot at bottom, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce mint multiple.
Scott No. **5b** . . . . . $675 for singles

The Unique Two Eights Fractional Franking From Sain Alto



703 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac (Zacatecas) Two Eights,** placed together and tied by straight line **Sain Alto** handstamp (Schatzkes 1910) on folded letter sheet paying the 2 reales rate to Zacatecas, sideflap docketed "Sain Alto, Enero 15 de 1859", **Very Fine,** *ex-Josling, Burrus and Schatzkes*; signed Josling and Calves, with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **5c**; $17,500 for single eight. Estimate $7,500 - 10,000

A UNIQUE FRACTIONAL FRANKING OF TWO EIGHTS OF THE 1856 8R HIDALGO ISSUE ON COVER FROM SAIN ALTO.

The docketing of January 15th, 1859 coincides with the known period of stamp shortages and numerous fractional frankings for the Zacatecas district.

704 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac, Zacatecas, Quadrisect,** lower right portion of stamp showing portion of district overprint, tied by neat **Nieves** boxed date stamp (Schatzkes 1896) on 1858 folded letter sheet to Zacatecas, **Very Fine and choice,** an attractive usage from this small town; with 1983 Jaretzky certificate.
Scott No. **5d** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



705 ✉ **1856, First Issue, 8r Red Lilac, Mazatlan, Bisect,** right portion of stamp with large margins and district overprint, tied by **Culiacan wreath** postmark (Schatzkes 760) on folded letter sheet, **Very Fine,** only eight covers among all districts are recorded by the Bash & Schimmer census, this being **the only cover from the Mazatlan district**; with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **5e** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

1861 Hidalgo Issue

706 o **1861, Second Issue, ½r-4r Hidalgo Issues, Hermosillo,** four including the 4r, each with red **Guaimas** cancel (Follansbee $1,500); ½r cut in at top, 4r with preprinting wrinkle, **others F.-V.F.,** a rare group.
Scott No. **6-9** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

707 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, ½r Black on Buff, Mazatlan, Horizontal Strip of Three and Single,** tied by two strikes of **Concordia** boxed handstamp (Schatzkes 750) on 1863 folded letter to Durango, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **6** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

708 *❐ **1861, Second Issue, ½r Black on Buff, Queretaro,** complete sheet of 60, full o.g., with complete unreduced selvage all around, some folds mostly between stamp but one affecting 6th horizontal row, few natural preprinting paper wrinkles, **F.-V.F.,** a great rarity with **only three sheets recorded**, another sheet was auctioned by us in 2016 for $6,000 hammer.
Scott No. **6** . . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

A REMARKABLE COMPLETE SHEET OF THE 1861 ½R ISSUE FROM QUERETARO.

709 o **1861, Second Issue, ½r Black on Buff, Tabasco,** oval **Cardenas** (Schatzkes 1561BA) small town postmark, large to huge margins, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **6** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

710 */(*) **1861, Second Issue, ½r-8r Hidalgo Issue Complete, without District Overprints,** set of singles with 1r & 2r with top sheet margin, plus additional blocks of 4 of 1r & 2r, all o.g. except ½r no gum, **Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 6A-12A.
Scott No. **6a-12b** $1,500



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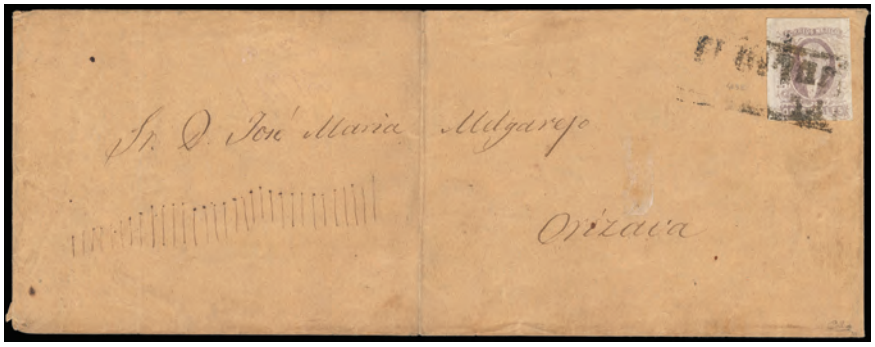

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711 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, ½r Black on Buff, without District Overprint (Chiapas), Horizontal Pair,** wide margins, tied by blue **Comitan** circular handstamp (Schatzkes 120) leaving left stamp uncancelled on folded letter sheet to San Cristobal, with blue official eagle cachet handstamp alongside, **Very Fine and scarce**; with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **6a** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

712 o **1861, Second Issue, ½r Black on Buff, without District Overprint (Tampico),** with the fancy eagle Administracion cancel of **H. Matamoros** (Schatzkes 733), **Very Fine,** until now unrecorded prior to the Eagle Issue.
Scott No. **6a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

713 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 1r Black on Green, Aguascalientes,** in combination with **1861, Second Issue, 2r black on pink, Aguascalientes** (large district overprints) on fresh 1863 folded letter to Guanajuato, tied by mute grid handstamps with Aguascalientes boxed date stamp alongside (Schatzkes 13 & 11A), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

714 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 1r Black on Green, Mazatlan, Horizontal Strip of Four,** plate IV, positions 12-16, tied by two strikes of Mazatlan boxed date stamp (Schatzkes 739) on 1863 folded letter to Durango, paying the ¾ ounce rate (2nd tariff); file folds, **F.-V.F.**; with 1988 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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715 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 1r & 2r Hidalgo Issues, Soyaniquilpan,** single of each tied by Soyaniquilpan straight line handstamp (Schatzkes 1546) on folded letters to Mexico City, 1r is tied to the reverse, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **7 & 8** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



716 o **1861, Second Issue, 2r Black on Pink, Isla Del Carmen,** fancy **Laguna** oval cancel (Schatzkes 588), natural vertical pre-printing paper fold, **Very Fine,** only 277 sent and only 2 or 3 of such may exist (NF $2,000), *ex-Schatzkes*; with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **8** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

717 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 2r Black on Pink, Mazatlan,** tied by bold boxed **Concordia** cancel (Schatzkes 750) on 1862 folded letter to Durango, **Very Fine,** *ex-Bash*.
Scott No. **8** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



718 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 2r Black on Pink, Veracruz,** wide margins, tied by light Veracruz cds on folded letter sheet to Mexico City, endorsed "**por Extraordinario del Paquete Ingles**" at top, **Very Fine,** a **rare mule train express usage carried by Rafael Veraza for the British Legation in Mexico City**.
Scott No. **8** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

The British Legation in Mexico City employed a gentleman named Rafael Veraza to carry the mails between there and Vera Cruz, probably from 1842 until 1864. Veraza would meet the R.M.S. Packet and carry the mail for Mexico City on mules with frequent relays. Over one mule the union Jack was draped and in spite of the many civil wars, this service was never interrupted.

719 o **1861, Second Issue, 2r Black on Pink, without District Overprint (Huejutla),** from the direct shipment, **Huejutla** straight line cancel (Schatzkes 550), small thin, **Fine and scarce,** only 510 sent (NF $400); with 1998 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **8c** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

720 o **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow, Hermosillo,** district name twice (no doubt anticipating probable use as a split) with red **Guaimas** (Schatzkes 546, Taylor HR-4/1), **F.-V.F.** (Follansbee $800).
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



721 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow, Mazatlan,** on 1861 docketed folded letter sheet **from Bahusachic** to Mazatlan, carried out-of-the-mails to Culiacan and canceled by **Culiacan fancy wreath** postmark (Schatzkes 760), **Very Fine,** a rare and possibly unique usage from Bahusachic entering the mails in Culiacan, Bahusachic had no post office.
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

722 (*) **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow, Morelia,** without gum, wide margins, **Very Fine and choice** (NF $240 as singles); with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

723 (✉) **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow (Colima), Vertical Bisect,** left half of stamp in combination with **1861, Second Issue, 4r black on yellow, without district overprint (Colima)** on cover front to Guadalajara, tied by bold fancy Colima oval handstamp (Schatzkes 178); front refolded, **F.-V.F.,** a rare bisect combination; with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **9a+9b**. . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

724 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow, Lagos, Bisect,** right portion of stamp showing district overprint, tied by Lagos straight line postmark (Schatzkes 657) on 1861 folded letter sheet to Guanajuato, **Very Fine,** of the 142 bisects on cover in the Bash & Schimmer census, only three are from this district; signed J.K. Bash, with 1995 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **9a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400


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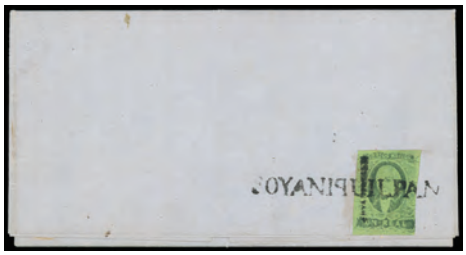
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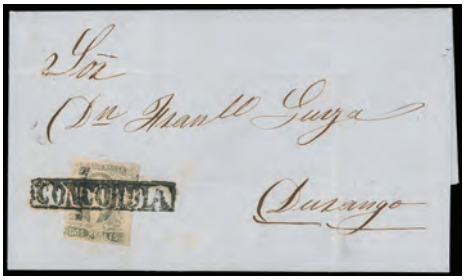
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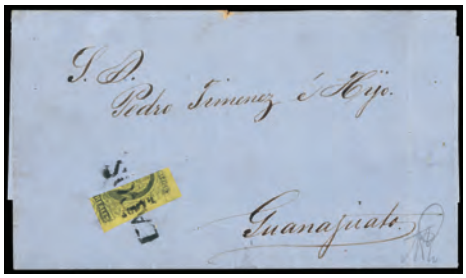
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725 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow, San Luis Potosi, Diagonal Bisect,** in combination with **1861, 1r black on green** on 1862 folded letter to Guadalajara, all tied by San Luis Potosi cds's (Schatzkes 1443), **Very Fine and choice,** less than 10 combinations are listed in the Schimmer census, *ex-Schwabe*; signed Calves, with 2007 Jaretzky, 2008 Scheller and 2010 MEPSI certificates.
Scott No. **9a+7** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



726 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 4r Black on Yellow, San Luis Potosi, Quadrisect,** upper portion of stamp in combination with **1861, Second Issue, 4r black on yellow, diagonal bisect, San Luis Potosi** on 1861 folded letter to Guadalajara, tied by San Luis Potosi fancy "Franco" handstamp (Schatzkes 1446A), oval "Chabot Hermanos, Sn. Luis Potosi" oval company handstamp and offset of the SLP circular date stamp (Schatzkes 1443) on reverse, **Very Fine,** *ex-Schatzkes*; signed Calves, with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **9c+9a** . . . . . Estimate $2,500 - 3,500

A RARE MIXED FRACTIONAL USAGE OF THE 1861 4R HIDALGO ISSUE FROM SAN LUIS POTOSI.



727 o **1861, Second Issue, 4r Dull Rose on Yellow, Mazatlan,** neat boxed Mazatlan datestamp cancel (Schatzkes 739), large to mostly huge margins, **an Extremely Fine jumbo,** remarkably choice.
Scott No. **10** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

728 o **1861, Second Issue, 4r Dull Rose on Yellow, Mazatlan, Fuerte wreath** cancels (Schatzkes 764), large margins, light vertical crease, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **10** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

729 * **1861, Second Issue, 4r Dull Rose on Yellow, Mexico,** position 60, showing prominent double transfer of the bottom ornaments, margin line at both right and bottom, right margin single, o.g., very lightly hinged, large margins all around, bright and fresh, **an Extremely Fine gem.**
Scott No. **10** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



730 ▲ **1861, Second Issue, 8r Black on Red Brown, Colima,** wide margins, in combination with **1861, Second Issue, 1r black on green**, without district overprint (pre-printing paper fold), tied on piece by **Colima** oval (Schatzkes 179, Taylor CO-1/4), **Very Fine,** 120 of the 8r were issued (Follansbee $550); with 2011 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **11+7b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



731 (✉) **1861, Second Issue, 8r Black on Red Brown, Jalapa, Two Singles,** used provisionally on registered front to Cordova, tied by "Certificado" in oval handstamp (Schatzkes 601) with additional strikes at sides, matching Jalapa oval handstamp and certification straight line date stamp (Schatzkes 600 & 597) with manuscript "18 de Julio de 1867" date, **Very Fine,** very few are known from the provisional period.
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000


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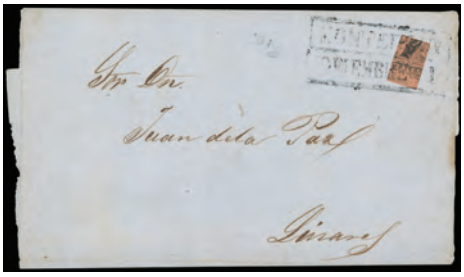
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732 o **1861, Second Issue, 8r Black on Red Brown, Morelia,** Morelia town cancel (Schatzkes 901), slight pre-printing fold, **Very Fine** (NF $250); with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

733 o **1861, Second Issue, 8r Black on Red Brown, Tula,** indistinct circular cancels, **Fine,** very rare with only 280 sold and few surviving.
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

734 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 8r Black on Red Brown, Mazatlan, Quadrisect,** right triangular portion of stamp showing district overprint, tied by **oval Sinaloa ribbon** postmark (Schatzkes 781) on 1861 folded letter sheet to Mazatlan; some light toning, **F.-V.F.,** a rare on cover quadrisect usage on cover from Sinaloa, with only a few triangular cuts known.
Scott No. **11b** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

735 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 8r Black on Red Brown, Monterrey, Quadrisect,** lower right portion of stamp tied by Monterrey boxed date stamp (Schatzkes 860l) on folded letter sheet to Linares; sheet missing side flaps, **F.-V.F.**; with 1981 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **11b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

736 o **1861, Second Issue, 8r Green on Red Brown, Orizava,** cancelled "Fr"(anco) (Schatzkes 1090D, Taylor OZ-1/9), **Very Fine,** 134 sent, rare (Follansbee $1,200).
Scott No. **12** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

737 o **1861, Second Issue, 8r Green on Red Brown, Puebla,** Puebla "Franco" cancel (Schatzkes 1147B), ample to huge margins, **Very Fine,** only 272 sent to this district (NF $350); with 2016 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **12** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

738 * **1861, Second Issue, 8r Green on Red Brown, Queretaro,** o.g., great margins, **Very Fine**; with 1974 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **12** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

739 o **1861, Second Issue, 8r Green on Red Brown, Tampico,** Santa Anna de Tamaulipas town cancel (Schatzkes 1585), wide margins, **Very Fine and choice,** with 119 sold (NF $750); with 1957 R.P.S.L. and 2004 M.E.P.S.I. certificates.
Scott No. **12** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

740 ✉ **1861, Second Issue, 8r Green on Red Brown (Lagos), Quadrisect,** upper left portion of stamp tied by **Lagos** straight line cancel (Schatzkes 663) on 1863 folded letter to Guanajuato, letter datelined "Lagos, Julio 12 de 1863"; cover file fold and light soiling, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Schatzkes*; signed Aguirre and Calves, with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate (no opinion).
Scott No. **12c**; $40,000 . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

The current MEPSI certificate reads "The Committee is unable to give an opinion, the 8 reales green on brown was not available for use in Lagos during the time of this letter.". Still, there was a stamp shortage in the summer of 1863 and it is possible that this stamp was brought in from another district and used provisionally during this time. This cover is being offered on its own merits "as is".

1864-66 Eagle Issue, First Period



741 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Chalco,** boxed **Xonacatepec** cancel (Schatzkes 98), **F.-V.F.,** with only 50 sent, a rarity.
Scott No. **19** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

742 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Chalco,** boxed **Xonacatepec** cancel (Schatzkes 98), **Fine,** with only 50 sent, a rarity.
Scott No. **19** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350


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743 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Chalco,** rejoined horizontal pair (two singles), central virtually complete strike of **Ayotla** oval cancel (Schatzkes 92) with 1865 manuscript date, faint pressed crease in left stamp, **Very Fine and choice appearance,** very rare with only 50 sent, Pietsch values "J" ($1,000-2,000).
Scott No. **19** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

744 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Cordova,** boxed **Huatusco** cancel (Schatzkes 196), small corner thin, **Fine appearance,** still a very rare stamp. Follansbee No. 17 $900.
Scott No. **19** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

745 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Guadalajara-Tepic,** negative Tepic cancel (Schatzkes 416), **Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 17 $250.
Scott No. **19** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

746 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Lagos,** Lagos mute "O" cancel (Schatzkes 666), large margins, horizontal crease, **Extremely Fine appearance,** very scarce with only 200 sent (NF $800).
Scott No. **19 var.** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800



747 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, without District Overprint (Lagos),** horizontal pair, complete strike of oval **Tepatitlan** cancel (Schatzkes 695), clear to mostly huge margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a very rare and attractive pair, with only 50 sent (NF $1,700).
Scott No. **19b** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

748 (*) **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Mexico,** without gum, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **19** $400



749 (✉) **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Queretaro,** margins huge to just in at two sides, in combination with **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 1r ultramarine, cons 171-1865 + 1864, Eagle (1st Period), 8r red, two horizontal strips of three** on reduced front (large piece) to Guanajuato, all tied by Queretaro boxed date stamps (Schatzkes 1262); preuse folds in piece do not affect stamps, **Very Fine,** an extremely rare tricolor high value franking from Queretaro.
Scott No. **19+22+25b**. . . . . Estimate $10,000 - 15,000

THE ONLY KNOWN 1864 ½R EAGLE ISSUE FROM THE FIRST PERIOD USED ON PIECE.

750 * **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Tampico,** full o.g., bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.**; with 1981 M.E.P.S.I. certificate. Follansbee No. 17 $350+.
Scott No. **19** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

751 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), ½r Brown, Tampico,** circular Tampico cancel (Schatzkes 1581), **F.-V.F.**; with 1989 M.E.P.S.I. certificate. Follansbee No. 17 $600.
Scott No. **19** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

752 */o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r & 2r Issues, Apam,** three singles; 1r mint, one of the 2rs has sub numbers "7-1865" with partial cancel "Franca Otumba" (Schatzkes 37), the last is ex-Josling and illustrated in Pietsch (page 91), **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 18-19.
Scott No. **22, 23b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

753 ▲ **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Apam,** tied on piece by bold **Otumba** cancel (Schatzkes 37) with 1864 manuscript date, **Extremely Fine,** a gem strike, with only 100 sent.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

754 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r & 2r Issues, Apam,** with bold matching **Otumba** cancels (Schatzkes 37), 2r with sub number "7-1865", **Very Fine,** 1r illustrated in Pietsch.
Scott No. **22, 23b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

755 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Apam,** straight line **Fresnillo out-of-district** cancel (Schatzkes 1869), **Very Fine,** illustrated in Pietsch (page 91).
Scott No. **22 var.** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

756 ✉ **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Apam,** tied by Apam negative seal cancel (Schatzkes 24) on 1864 folded letter to Mexico, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



757 ▲ **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Chalco,** tied on piece by bold **Yautepec eagle in wreath** cancel (Schatzkes 109), clear to large margins, **an Extremely Fine strike,** only 100 sent.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



758 ▲ **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Chalco,** tied on piece by **fancy Chalco wreath** cancel (Schatzkes 86), **Extremely Fine,** a superb item, illustrated in Pietsch (page 100), *ex-Larranaga, Pietsch*.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

759 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, without District Overprint (Chalco),** boxed Xonacatepec cancel (Schatzkes 98), thin at bottom, **Fine appearance,** still a very rare stamp.
Scott No. **22b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

760 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Chalco,** bold **Amecameca** oval cancel (Schatzkes 90) with manuscript date, margins large to touching at top right, **Very Fine,** rare with only 50 sent.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

761 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Chalco,** bold **Cuautla Morelos** circular cancel (Schatzkes 94), clear to ample margins, **Very Fine,** only 200 sent.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

762 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r & 2r Issues, Chalco,** four singles; used from **Cuautla Morelos** (Schatzkes 94), one 1r without sub-number while another has manuscript "32", both 2r have sub-numbers 21-1864 and 1-1865, **Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 18-19 $290+.
Scott No. **22, 23b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

763 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Cordova,** boxed **Huatusco** cancel (Schatzkes 196), ample to large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** only 100 sent.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

764 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Guanajuato,** well struck oval **Penjamo** cancel (Schatzkes 515), **Very Fine and choice,** with only **four examples recorded**, illustrated in Pietsch (page 157).
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

765 ⊠ **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Guanajuato,** tied by negative **Yrapuato** circular handstamp (Schatzkes 497) on fresh 1864 folded letter to Guanajuato, with manuscript dating around cancel at right, **Very Fine and choice.** Follansbee No. 18.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

766 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Huejutla,** light oval **Tuxpan** cancel (Schatzkes 580), full margins, tiny margin thin, **otherwise Very Fine,** this being **one of the five examples recorded**, *ex-Groth Marnet*; with 1988 M.E.P.S.I. certificate. Follansbee No. 18 $500+.
Scott No. **22 var.** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

767 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Jalapa,** small district name **from the direct consignment to Llanos**, boxed **San Juan de los Llanos** cancel (Schatzkes 619), **Very Fine and rare,** with only 100 sent. Follansbee No. 18 $850.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

768 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Jalapa,** circular Jalapa date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 596), large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** rare this nice. Follansbee No. 18 $250+.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



769 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Lerma,** boxed Lerma cancel (Schatzkes 704), mostly large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** rare, illustrated in Pietsch (page193), *ex-Pietsch*.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

770 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Lerma,** district name inverted, boxed Lerma cancel (Schatzkes 704), rich color, **Fine and rare.** Follansbee No. 18 $400.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

771 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r & 2r Issues, Morelia,** three singles used from sub-offices; 1r (fine) & 2r canceled **Zamora** (Schatzkes 1020) and 2r on piece canceled **Patzcuaro** (Schatzkes 962), **Very Fine overall.**
Scott No. **22, 23b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

772 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, without District Overprint (Morelia),** two singles canceled at suboffices; straight line **La Piedad** (Schatzkes 863) and straight line **Patzcuaro** (Schatzkes 962 without "Franco En"), **Fine.**
Scott No. **22b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

773 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Morelia,** out-of-district oval negative **Acambaro** cancel (Schatzkes 1273), ample to large margins, **Very Fine,** some 1st Period 1rs were "loaned" to Acambaro which is actually in Queretaro district.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

774 ▲ **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Pachuca,** bold boxed **Mineral del Chico** cancel (Schatzkes 1129), ample to large margins, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

775 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Queretaro,** boxed **San Luis de la Paz** cancel (Schatzkes 1324), ample to large margins, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

776 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Queretaro,** fancy **Salvatierra** "Franco" cancel (Schatzkes 1336D), clear to large margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300


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777 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, San Luis Potosi,** sub 45, blue oval **Ciudad del Maiz** date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 1501), large margins showing portions of adjacent stamps at sides, couple separation cuts in margins at top, **Extremely Fine,** a big stamp, with only 100 sent.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



778 ✉ **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Two Singles, San Luis Potosi,** in combination with **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r orange, San Luis Potosi** on June 1st, 1864 folded letter to Mexico City originating from Republican held Piedras Negras, all tied by oval San Luis Potosi handstamp (Schatzkes 1446), with enclosure **written in English by Hugh Franklin Young, a prominent agent for the Confederacy**, carried across the lines and posted in Imperial held San Luis Potosi, with interesting content regarding the C.S.A. Texas-Mexico cotton trade, **Very Fine,** a very rare across-the-lines usage with "at least two" per Pietsch (page 20).
Scott No. **22+23b** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

779 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r Ultramarine, Tepeji Del Rio,** straight line Tepeji del Río cancel (Schatzkes 1617), **F.-V.F.,** illustrated in Pietsch, *ex-Corbett & Pietsch*. Follansbee No. 18 $600.
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

780 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 1r & 2r Issues, without District Overprint (Zacatecas),** straight line **Fresnillo** cancel (Schatzkes 1869, **F.-V.F.,** rare and attractive.
Scott No. **22b, 23c** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

781 ✉ **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Apam,** large margins, tied by clear strike of Apam negative seal cancel (Schatzkes 24) on 1865 folded letter to Mexico, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **23b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

782 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Chalco,** bold **Tlayacapan** cancel (Schatzkes 107), vertical crease, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **23b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

783 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Cuernavaca,** fancy circular **Tetacala eagle** cancel (Schatzkes 230), **Very Fine and scarce,** *ex-Pietsch*.
Scott No. **23b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

784 * **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Jalapa,** small district name **from the direct consignment to Llanos**, boxed **San Juan de los Llanos** cancel (Schatzkes 619), **F.-V.F.,** with 300 sent. Follansbee No. 19 $600.
Scott No. **23b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

785 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Deep Orange (Maravatio),** without district overprint, circular **Figueroa** cancel (Schatzkes 724), margins large to just touching, **F.-V.F.,** very rare with only 50 sent. Follansbee No. 19A.
Scott No. **23c** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300


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786 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Deep Orange (Maravatio),** two singles without district overprint; one with usual oval Maravatio cancel (Schatzkes 713) and the other with the much rarer "Franco En Maravatio" oval (Schatzkes 719), **nearly Very Fine.**
Scott No. **23c** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

787 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Merida,** straight line **Tekax** cancel (Schatzkes 806), clear to large margins, **Very Fine,** illustrated in Pietsch (page 208).
Scott No. **23b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

788 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Deep Orange, without District Name (Morelia),** straight line **Pazcuaro** (Schatzkes 962 without "Franco En"), ample to mostly large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** illustrated in Pietsch (page 232).
Scott No. **23c** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

789 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Queretaro,** fancy **eagle in oval San Felipe** cancel (Schatzkes 1306), ample to huge margins, **Very Fine and choice,** illustrated in Pietsch.
Scott No. **23b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



790 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Queretaro,** perfect strike of **Villa de San Felipe crown oval** cancel (Schatzkes 1307) with manuscript date at center, full margins, **a Superb strike.**
Scott No. **23b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

791 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Tulancingo,** oval **Huasca** cancel (Schatzkes 1720) and manuscript at bottom, rich color, **F.-V.F.,** with only 53 sent.
Scott No. **23b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

792 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Yguala,** with **additional Mexico district overprint**, straight line Yguala cancel (Schatzkes 1846), **F.-V.F.,** one of nine recorded examples. Follansbee No. 19 $250.
Scott No. **23b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

793 * **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r Orange, Zacatecas-Aguascalientes,** two singles; one without name cancelled "0" (Schatzkes 1849B) and another with both "Zacatecas" and "Aguascaltes" names and heavier "0" cancel (Schatzkes 12), **Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 19, 19A $300.
Scott No. **23b, 23c** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

794 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 4r Green, Aguascalientes,** mute "0" cancel (Schatzkes 12), full margins, horizontal crease at bottom, **Very Fine appearance,** a very rare stamp, with only 100 sent.
Scott No. **24a** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

795 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 4r Green, Chalco,** no sub-number, circular **Cuautla Morelos** cancel (Schatzkes 94), rich bright color, **F.-V.F. and rare,** illustrated in Pietsch (page 101). Follansbee No. 20 $650.
Scott No. **24a var.** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



796 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 4r Green, Lagos, Lagos certification** boxed handstamp (Schatzkes 622), large margins to just touching outer frameline, rich color, **Very Fine,** a very rare stamp, with 100 sent.
Scott No. **24a** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

797 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 4r Dark Green, without District Overprint (Morelia),** straight line **Patzcuaro** cancel (Schatzkes 962), tiny surface scuff, **otherwise Fine,** a rarity. Follansbee No. 20A $1,500.
Scott No. **24b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

798 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 4r Green, Pachuca,** light circular Pachuca (Schatzkes 1119) and red crayon cancels, ample to mostly large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a beautiful example of this rarity, illustrated in Pietsch (page 257), *ex-Pietsch*. Follansbee No. 20 $600.
Scott No. **24a** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

799 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 4r Green, Queretaro,** clear oval **Ceyla** cancel (Schatzkes 1293), full well balanced margins, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **24a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



800 ✉ **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 4r Green, Zacatecas, Horizontal Strip of Four,** in combination with large margin **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r orange, Zacatecas** on 1864 folded letter sheet to Guanajuato, tied by two-line Zacatecas postmarks (Schatzkes 1851A), strip additionally tied by light manuscript at top, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2001 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **24a+23b** . . . . . Estimate $10,000 - 15,000

THE LARGEST KNOWN MULTIPLE OF THE 1864 4R EAGLE ISSUE ON COVER.



801 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 8r Red, Guanajuato,** sub 55, neat **Leon** circular date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 503), rich color, **Very Fine and rare.** Follansbee No. 21.
Scott No. **25b** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

802 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 8r Red, Puebla,** Puebla "Certificaion" handstamp (Schatzkes 1164) with manuscript date, margins large to just shaving, rich color, **Very Fine,** Pietsch states "H" ($200-500).
Scott No. **25b** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

803 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 8r Red, Queretaro,** Queretaro oval cancel (Schatzkes 1263), full margins, **Very Fine and choice,** with 500 sent, Pietsch "H" ($200-$500).
Scott No. **25b** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

804 o **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 8r Red, San Luis Potosi,** oval San Luis Potosi date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 1446), **Fine and rare,** only 100 sent and with five examples recorded. Follansbee No. 21 $1,000.
Scott No. **25b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1864-66 Eagle Issue, Second Period



805 o **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), ½r Brown, Morelia,** cons 141-1864, circular Morelia cancel (Schatzkes 900), margins large to just in at lower right, **F.-V.F.,** a major rarity of which only four or five examples are known from this consignment. Follansbee No. 22 $1,500.
Scott No. **19a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

806 o **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), ½r Brown, Morelia,** cons 141-1864, margins close to touching, **about Fine,** an affordable example of this rarity, with only 100 sent. Follansbee No. 22 $1,500.
Scott No. **19a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

807 o **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 1r & 2r Issues, Morelia,** three singles with sub-numbers; 1r & 2r 141-1864 sub 9 with **Patzcuaro** cancel (Schatzkes 962 var.) and 2r 141-1864 sub 8 with **Puruandiro** straight line cancel (Schatzkes 978), **F.-V.F.,** the latter *ex-Pietsch*.
Scott No. **22, 23a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

808 ✉ **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 1r Ultramarine, Puebla,** in combination with **1864, Eagle (1st Period), 2r orange, sub 75** on 1864 folded letter sheet to Puebla, tied together by boxed **Huahuapan** postmark (Schatzkes 1201); file fold affecting 2r, **F.-V.F. and attractive.**
Scott No. **22+23b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

809 */(*) **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 1r & 4r Issues, Tlalpujahua,** both cons 134-1864, 1r o.g. paper h.r., 4r without gum, full margins, 4r with small thin, **otherwise Very Fine,** only eight unused examples recorded of the 1r.
Scott No. **22, 24a** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

810 ✉ **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 1r Ultramarine, Tula,** cons 178-1864, full margins, tied by straight line Tula handstamp (Schatzkes 1690) on folded letter sheet to Mexico City, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **22** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

811 o **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 1r & 2r Issues, Zacatecas,** 1r & two 2r 166-1864, the 1r used from Fresnillo, a 2r cancelled Sombrerete (Schatzkes 1915), but the "star" is the 2r tied to piece by manuscript "Franco en Rio Gre" (Grande - Schatzkes unlisted), **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **22, 23a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

812 o **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 2r Orange, Ixtlahuaca,** cons 168-1864, manuscript date likely from Ixtlahuaca cancel (Schatzkes 593A), **Very Fine,** *ex-Quast*. Follansbee No. 25 $250.
Scott No. **23a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

813 o **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 2r Orange, Tulancingo,** cons 160-1864, central sharp strike of oval **Tulancingo eagle** cachet cancel (Schatzkes 1716), full margins, **an Extremely Fine and spectacular cancel.**
Scott No. **23a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

814 ▲ **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 4r Green, Isla Del Carmen,** cons 164-1864, tied on piece by boxed **Laguna** date stamp (Schatzkes 589), **F.-V.F.,** very rare, illustrated in Pietsch (page 173), *ex-Pietsch*. Follansbee No. 26 $400+.
Scott No. **24a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

815 *❒ **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 4r Green (Tlalpujahua),** cons 134-1864, no district overprint, block of 4, tropicalized o.g., couple small thins, **otherwise F.-V.F.,** rare if not unique; with 2008 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **24a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

816 ▲ **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 8r Red, Guadalajara-Tepic,** cons 167-1864, sub 11-1864, tied on piece by negative Tepic cancel (Schatzkes 416), **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **25a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

817 o **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 8r Red, Morelia,** 141-1864, sub 5 & 3, oval **Taretan "Franco"** cancels (Schatzkes 1002), little in at right, **F.-V.F.,** only 100 8r were issued in the 2nd Period and sub-offices usually received only 10 from these, *ex-Pietsch*.
Scott No. **25a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

818 o **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 8r Red, San Luis Potosi,** cons 127-1864 sub 4, fancy **Salinas del Penon Blanco "Franco"** cancel (Schatzkes 1532), **F.-V.F.,** with 50 sent, used 8r "subs" are rarities, illustrated in Pietsch.
Scott No. **25a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

819 ✉ **1864, Eagle (2nd Period), 8r Red, San Luis Potosi,** cons 127-1864, tied by San Luis Potosi oval handstamp (Schatzkes 1446) on folded letter sheet to Linares, **F.-V.F.,** a rare high value single franking, *ex-Koenig*; signed J.K. Bash.
Scott No. **25a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1864-66 Eagle Issue, Third Period

820 o **1864, Eagle (3rd & 4th Period), ½r & 2r Issues, Guadalajara-Cocula,** three with sub-numbers used from Tecolotlan; 2r 243-1864 sub 13-1865, 2r 24-1865 sub 18 (both Schatzkes 401), and ½r 131-1865 sub 40 (Schatzkes 397), **Very Fine,** scarce and nice quality. Follansbee No. 31, 35, 37.
Scott No. **20, 23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

821 o **1864, Eagle (3rd Period), ½r Lilac, Queretaro,** cons 241-1864, boxed Queretaro cancel (Schatzkes 1262), **F.-V.F.,** rare because it was actually used from Queretaro rather than a sub-office (see Pietsch page 298 - note 7), *ex-Pietsch*.
Scott No. **20a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

822 o **1864, Eagle (3rd Period), ½r Lilac, San Luis Potosi,** cons 189-1864 sub 49, manuscript **Salinas del Penon Blanco** dated cancel (Schatzkes 1535A), **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **20a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

823 o **1864, Eagle (3rd Period), ½r Lilac, Zacatecas-Aguascalientes,** cons 244-1864 sub 5-1865 with "Aguascaltes" name and "0" mute cancel (Schatzkes 12), **F.-V.F. and rare**; with 2006 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **20a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

824 */o/✉ **1864, Eagle (3rd Period), 1r & 2r Issues, Apam,** two singles and on cover; 1r 228-1864 (repaired tear), 1r 182-1864 tied to folded letter, and a rare mint 2r 228-1864 with sub number "6" (not recorded on 2r), 2r is fine, cover very fine, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **21a, 22a, 23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400


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825 o **1864, Eagle (3rd Period), 1r Ultramarine (Maravatio),** cons 215-1864, without district overprint, circular **Figueroa** cancel (Schatzkes 724), large margins, light crease, **Very Fine appearance,** rare with only 50 sent. Follansbee No. 29.
Scott No. **22a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

826 ▲ **1864, Eagle (3rd Period), 1r Ultramarine, Horizontal Pair, Monterrey,** cons 212-1864, sub 17, tied on piece by bold oval **Lapazos** cancel (Schatzkes 879), ample to large margins, **Very Fine,** choice so nice, *ex-Corbett & Pietsch*.
Scott No. **22a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400


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827 o **1864, Eagle (3rd Period), 2r Orange, Campeche,** cons 222-1864, Campeche boxed date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 57), nice margins especially for this district, **Very Fine,** illustrated in Pietsch (page 98), *ex-Pietsch*.
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

828 o **1864, Eagle (3rd Period), 2r Orange, Huejutla,** cons 216-1864, oval **Tuxpan** cancel (Schatzkes 580), **Fine,** rare with **only nine examples recorded**, *ex-Garcia Larranaga*. Follansbee No. 31 $350.
Scott No. **23 var.** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

829 ✉ **1864, Eagle (3rd Period), 2r Orange, Saltillo,** cons 232-1864, tied by boxed **Parras** date stamp (Schatzkes 1414) on cover to Durango; file fold affecting stamp, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **23 var.** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1864-66 Eagle Issue, Fourth Period

830 * **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 3c Brown, Mexico,** cons 71-1865 (200 issued), o.g., margins large to just shaving at lower left, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F. and attractive.**
Scott No. **18** $1,300

831 (*) **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 3c Brown, Mexico,** cons 157-1865 (100 issued), without gum, margins ample to in at top, small thin, **Fine appearance**; signed Jaretzky.
Scott No. **18** $1,300

832 ▲ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), ½r Lilac, Campeche,** cons 164-1865, tied on piece by Campeche boxed date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 57), **F.-V.F.,** only 200 sent with few survivors, illustrated in Pietsch (page 98). Follansbee No. 35 $250+.
Scott No. **20** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

833 ▲ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), ½r Lilac, Guadalajara-Tepic,** cons 24-1865, sub 21, showing massive plate flaw from position 71, tied on piece by neat oval Tepic cancel (Schatzkes 417), **Very Fine and choice,** a lovely showpiece.
Scott No. **20** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

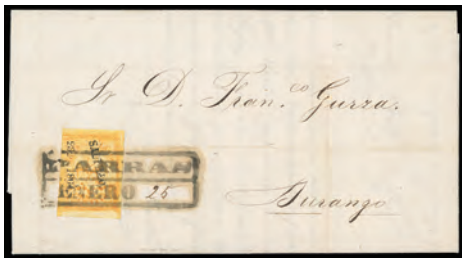
834 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), ½r Lilac, Guadalajara-Zapotlan,** four singles with sub-numbers; 24-1865 sub 15, 131-1865 sub 43, 155-1865 sub 52 and 211-1865 sub 2, **Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 35 $240+.
Scott No. **20** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

835 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), ½r Lilac, Guanajuato,** three singles with **sub-numbers used from Leon**; 58-1865 sub 56, 130-1865 sub 73 and 215-1865 sub 9, **Very Fine overall.**
Scott No. **20** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

836 ✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), ½r Lilac, Horizontal Pair, Guanajuato,** cons 215-1865, tied by Guanajuato cds (Schatzkes 483) on 1866 folded letter sheet to Leon; file fold affecting left stamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **20** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

837 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), ½r Lilac, Oaxaca,** cons 108-1865, sub 44, bold strike of boxed **Huahuapan** cancel (Schatzkes 1044), full even margins, **Very Fine and choice,** rare and beautiful, *ex-Pietsch*.
Scott No. **20** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

838 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r Blue, Chalco,** cons 12-1865, sub 8, sharp bold strike of **fancy Yautepec eagle** cancel (Schatzkes 107), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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839 ✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r Blue, Chalco,** cons 195-1865, sub 5, wide margins, tied by circular **Morelos** handstamp with boxed **Cuautla** date stamp alongside (Schatzkes 94 & 97), on 1866 folded letter sheet to Mexico, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

840 ✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r Blue, Chalco,** cons 12-1865, full margins, tied by **fancy Chalco wreath** cancel (Schatzkes 86) on reverse of folded letter sheet to Mexico City, with receiving date stamp alongside; couple mounting scuffs in backflap, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



841 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r Blue (Chihuahua),** cons 169-1865, with **Parral district name**, oval Parral cancel (Schatzkes 162), large margins, small shallow thin, **still Very Fine,** this being **one of three examples recorded in the Corbett-Pietsch census**, illustrated in Pietsch (page 109), *ex-Larranaga*.
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

842 ▲ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r Blue, Guadalajara-Tepic,** cons 55-1865 sub 26, in combination with **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r orange, cons 131-1865 sub 37 + 1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r green, cons 92-1865 sub 39**, tied on piece by two strikes of negative Tepic cancel (Schatzkes 416), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **21, 23-24** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

843 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r & 2r Issues, Matamoros,** two singles of each, all cons 135-1865, showing both without and with manuscript district name at bottom, boxed Matamoros date stamp cancels (Schatzkes 732), **F.-V.F.,** although a fair quantity of stamps was issues to Matamoros, the issue is quite scarce because the period of use was short. Follansbee No. 36-37 $200+.
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

844 ✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r Blue, Pachuca,** cons 167-1865, tied by "Pachuca, Oct 8, 1865" cds (Schatzkes 1120) on folded letter sheet to Mexico City, endorsed via "conducta de Don Juan Bustamente", Mexico receiving backstamp; cover soiling and edge wear, **Fine,** a rare over the battle lines usage.
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

Since Pachuca was in French hands and Bustamente was the Republican Governor to the north, arrangements would have to have been made for the passage of the mail across the lines.

845 o/✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r Blue, Soyaniquilpan,** cons 68-1865, straight line Soyaniquilpan cancel (Schatzkes 1546), full margins, small thin, accompanied by a October 1867 sello negro cover with the "Franco" straight line cancel (Schatzkes 1547) and 1r rate, **Very Fine appearance**; stamp with 2002 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

846 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r Blue, Tepeji Del Río,** cons 207-1865, bold sharp strike of straight line Tepeji del Río cancel (Schatzkes 1617), **Very Fine and attractive,** this being **one of five recorded examples**.
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

847 ▲ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 1r Blue, Zacatecas,** cons 59-1865, sub 77, tied on piece by negative **Carro** boxed cancel (Schatzkes 1858), clear to large margins, **Very Fine,** with only 50 sent.
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

848 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange (Chihuahua),** cons 169-1865, with **Sta. Rosalia district name**, oval Santa Rosalia cancel (Schatzkes 165), flaws including thin and tear, **Fine appearance,** still a very rare stamp with **only six examples recorded**. Follansbee No. 37 $600.
Scott No. **23 var.** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200


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849 ▲ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange (Guadalajara),** cons 55-1865, sub 25, tied on piece by fancy **Zacoalco** ribboned badge cancel (Schatzkes 365), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

850 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange (Guadalajara-Tepic),** three rare sub-numbers; 21-1865 sub 15 with **San Blas** (Schatzkes 424), 155-1865 sub 42 with **Santiago Ixcuintla** (Schatzkes 486), and 211-1865 sub 1 with **Ystlan** (Schatzkes 430), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

851 ▲ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, Jalapa,** tied on piece by **Jicaltepec** oval cancel (Schatzkes 658) and canceled by manuscript, **F.-V.F. and rare,** illustrated in Pietsch.
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

852 ▲ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, Matamoros,** cons 135-1865, tied on piece by boxed Matamoros date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 732) and with manuscript district name at bottom, large margins, **Very Fine,** *ex-Garcia Larranaga*; signed J.K. Bash.
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



853 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, Mazatlan,** cons70-1865, neat **Mexico** circular date stamp cancel, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.,** a **unique out-of-district usage**, illustrated in Pietsch *Imperial Eagles of Mexico 1864-66* (page 200).
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

854 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, Merida,** cons 134-1865, straight line **Tekax** cancel (Schatzkes 806) with manuscript date below, full margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

855 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r-8r Issues, Mexico,** all cons 77-1865 - **the consignment issued to P. Gutierrez**; ample margins to touching, 4r with minor thin, **otherwise F.-V.F.,** 2r scarce with 187 issued and 4r with 400 issued.
Scott No. **23-25** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

856 ✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, Queretaro,** cons 101-1866 sub 47, full margins, tied by bold **Valle de Santiago** handstamp with matching **Franco** straight line (Schatzkes 1340 & 1340A) on 1866 folded letter to Guanajuato, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

857 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, San Luis Potosi,** cons 208-1865, sub 1, **Tula de Tamaulipas** boxed cancel (Schatzkes 1538), large to huge margins, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

858 ✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, Soyaniquilpan,** cons 68-1865, tied by Soyaniquilpan straight line handstamp (Schatzkes 1546) on folded letter sheet to Mexico, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine,** the 2r franking is very scarce.
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

859 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, Yguala,** cons 28-1865, straight line Yguala (Schatzkes 1846) and manuscript date cancels, full margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

860 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, Yguala,** cons 183-1865, blue district overprint, blue oval Yguala cancel (Schatzkes 1846) with manuscript date, full margins, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

861 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, Zacatecas,** cons 148-1865, sub 77, sharp strike of negative **Carro** boxed handstamp (Schatzkes 1858), ample to large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** choice so nice, with only 100 sent.
Scott No. **23 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

862 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r Orange, without District Overprint (Soyaniquilpan),** cons 68-1865, oval **Polotitlan** cancel (Schatzkes 1550), **Very Fine,** with **only five such examples recorded**, illustrated in Pietsch.
Scott No. **23d** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

863 ✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r Green (Colima),** in combination with **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r orange (Colima)**, both cons 80-1865, tied by oval Colima handstamp on 1865 folded letter sheet to Guadalajara, reverse with matching "6" rate handstamp, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **24+23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

864 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r Green, Isla Del Carmen,** cons 32-1865, boxed **Laguna** date stamp (Schatzkes 589), **F.-V.F.,** very rare used. Follansbee No. 38 $350.
Scott No. **24** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

865 ▲ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r Green, Matamoros,** on piece in combination with **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 2r orange, Matamoros**, both cons 135-1865, tied by boxed Matamoros date stamp (Schatzkes 732) and manuscript district name at bottom; file fold affecting 4r, **Very Fine appearance,** an extraordinary and surely unique piece, illustrated in Pietsch, *ex-Pietsch*.
Scott No. **24, 23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

866 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r & 8r Issues, Mazatlan,** both cons 191-1865, Mazatlan box datestamp cancel (Schatzkes 739), matching clear to large margins, thinning in 8r, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **24-25** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200


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867 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r Green, Oaxaca,** cons 88-1865 (no sub-number), boxed **Tehuantepec** date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 1070), **Very Fine,** only 25 were sent.
Scott No. **24** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200





868 (✉) **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r Green, Durango, Vertical Bisect,** cons 13-1865 sub 22-1865, **two bisects of the same stamp used on two cover fronts** to Durango to different recipients, both canceled by bold boxed **Gavilanes** handstamps (Schatzkes 256) with manuscript "Nov 16/65" below on each; one reduced and repaired at right, **otherwise Very Fine,** an extremely rare usage with only 50 from this sub-consignment sent.
Scott No. **24d** . . . . . Estimate $6,000 - 8,000

A REMARKABLE MATCHING PAIR OF 1865 4R EAGLE BISECTS USED TO TWO DIFFERENT RECIPIENTS ON THE SAME DAY.

869 ✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r Green, Durango, Bisect,** cons 156-1864, lower portion of stamp with district overprint placed just below the bisection, tied by "Franco Durango, Dic." straight line date stamp (Schatzkes 239) with manuscript "17/66" alongside, on folded letters to Mazatlan, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 26½ $800.
Scott No. **24d** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

870 ✉ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r Green, Guadalajara, Bisect,** cons 24-1865, left portion of stamp with large margin, tied by oval **Colima** handstamp (Schatzkes 179) on 1865 folded letter to Guadalajara, **Extremely Fine and choice,** *ex-Burrus, Schatzkes*; signed Calves. Follansbee No. 38½ $500+.
Scott No. **24d** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

871 ▲ **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 4r Green, Saltillo, Diagonal Bisect,** cons 38-1865, upper right portion of stamp, tied on piece by **Parras** date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 1414), **Very Fine,** twenty five 4rs were sent to Parras, the only known bisects from these is this piece and a cover. Follansbee No. 38½.
Scott No. **24d** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

872 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 8r Red (Campeche),** cons 18-1865 a **Monterrey consignment** without district name, Campeche boxed date stamp corner cancel (Schatzkes 57), ample to large margins, **Very Fine,** unusual, Pietsch notes (page 99, note 7) a similar 4r stamp speculating that it migrated by ship.
Scott No. **25** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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873 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 8r Red, Matamoros,** cons 135-1865, partial manuscript district name at bottom, boxed Matamoros date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 732), small thins, **Fine appearance,** very rare with **only three recorded examples of this high value**, *ex-Bash*.
Scott No. **25 var.** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



874 o **1865, Eagle (4th Period), 8r Red, Puebla,** cons 37-1865, sub 42, bold **Atlixco** 1865 town cancel (Schatzkes 1180), clear to mostly large margins, **Very Fine,** with only 5 sent, **a unique stamp** with no examples yet recorded.
Scott No. **25** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1864-66 Eagle Issue, Fifth Period

875 * **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 3c Brown, Mexico,** cons 48-1866, full o.g., margins clear to just shaving frameline, bright and fresh, **Fine,** a very scarce original gum example, with only 300 sent to the Post Office on March 3, 1866; with 1972 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **18**

876 (*) **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 3c Brown, Mexico,** without gum, margins large to just shaving outer frameline at upper right, **F.-V.F.**; signed Bash.
Scott No. **18** $1,300



877 * **1866, Eagle (5th Period), ½r Lilac, Mexico,** cons 1-1866, o.g., hinge remnant, bright color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2018 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **20c** . . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

BELIEVED TO BE THE ONLY KNOWN MINT EXAMPLE OF THE 1866 ½ EAGLE ISSUE FROM THE FIFTH PERIOD -A GREAT EAGLE ISSUE RARITY.

This issue is only known from two consignments, 1-1866 and 17-1866 (both Mexico districts). It is believed that only 400 where sent in 1866. About ten used examples are known of which most are faulty.



878 o **1866, Eagle (5th Period), ½r Lilac, Mexico,** cons 1-1866, Mexico town cancel, ample to mostly large margins, crease and thin, **Very Fine appearance,** except for 400 lilacs divided between consignments 1 and 17, all 1866 medios are gray, with a low survival rate, these "Fifth Period Lilacs" are very rare - around ten used example are known all having some sort of fault, this is probably the finest looking example of this important rarity, having big even margins.
Scott No. **20c** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

879 */o **1866, Eagle (5th Period), ½r Gray & 2r Orange, Mazatlan,** three singles, all cons 62-1866; ½r used with Mazatlan boxed date stamp (Schatzkes 739), 2r with used on piece (Schatzkes 739) and a mint o.g. example, ½r with horizontal creases, **otherwise Very Fine,** Pietsch reports about 5 known of the ½r and 20 of the 2r.
Scott No. **20d, 23** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300


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880 * **1866, Eagle (5th Period), ½r-2r Issues, Tlalpujahua,** cons 106-1864, ½r single and block of 4 (two recorded) and singles of 1r & 2r, o.g., **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **20d-23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

881 * **1866, Eagle (5th Period), ½r Gray Lilac, Mazatlan,** cons 62-1866, Mazatlan box datestamp cancel (Schatzkes 739), ample to large margins, **Very Fine and choice,** Pietsch reports only 5 copies in used condition are known; with 1984 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **20f** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

882 o/✉ **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 1r & 2r Issues, Apam,** three 1r 15-1866, one tied to cover and another sub 4 Otumba (Schatzkes 37), plus a 2r 85-1866 used from Mexico City, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

883 ▲ **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 1r Blue, Apam,** cons 15-1866, sub 7, tied on piece by **Teotihuacan** oval cancel (Schatzkes 40), **F.-V.F. and rare.**
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

884 o **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 1r Blue, Merida,** bold sharp strike of oval **Maxcanu** cancel (Schatzkes 798B), small thin and tear, **Very Fine appearance,** extremely rare and quite possibly unique, illustrated in Pietsch, *ex-Bash, Adams and Corbett*.
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

885 o **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 1r Blue, Puebla,** cons 102-1866, neat Puebla circular date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 1161), full margins, **Very Fine and choice,** quite scarce, Pietsch notes that although more of these values were returned for Maximilian issues than were on these last invoices, some of these stamps were used.
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

886 o/✉ **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 1r Blue, Soyaniquilpan,** cons 81-1866, tied on folded letter sheet to Mexico City by straight line Soyaniquilpan handstamp (Schatzkes 1546) with additional matching date stamps, accompanied by used 1r single cons 68-1865 with same cancel, **Very Fine,** cover illustrated in Pietsch.
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

887 o **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 1r Blue, Tlalpujahua,** cons 106-1866, straight line **Angangueo** cancel (Schatzkes 1651), wide margins, few small thins, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **21** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



888 o **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 2r Orange (Chihuahua),** with **Parral district overprint**, cons 50-1866, oval Parral cancel with manuscript date, large margins, horizontal crease in bottom margins, **Very Fine,** very rare, Pietsch states there are only five examples recorded.
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800


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889 ✉ **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 2r Orange, Durango,** cons 20-1866, large margins, tied by "**Gavilanes**" and "Franco" boxed handstamps (Schatzkes 256) with "Agosto 20 de 1866" date alongside, on folded letter to Durango, enclosure from Hacienda de Pilar that includes a claim for expenses for "guerrilleros" on an expedition from Gavilanes to Huahuapa (including 8 bottles of Mescal at a cost of 4 pesos for 40 men), the addressee Buenaventura J. Saravia had been appointed Prefecto Político Superior del Departamento de Durango (Governor) by Emperor Maximilian. Responsible for keeping peace in this Department of Durango, it appears that his avenue for this was to support the guerrillas, at this time the French were leaving, but had not left, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



890 ✉ **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 2r Orange, Guanajuato,** cons 88-1866, tied by Guanajuato cds (Schatzkes 477) on 1866 folded letter sheet to **Hamm, Prussia**, with manuscript "Por el paquete Frances" endorsement at top, octagon "Mexique, 13 Juin, 66" French date stamp and blue crayon "9" rating, reverse with transit date stamps including French packet; stamp with file fold creases and small tear at bottom, **otherwise Very Fine,** only a handful covers from this issue are known to Germany.
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

891 o **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 2r Orange, Merida,** cons 90-1866, sub 1866-66, straight line **Tekax** cancel (Schatzkes 806), large to huge margins, minute scissor separation cut in margin of little consequence, **Extremely Fine,** rare, *ex-Adams*.
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

892 o **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 2r Orange, Merida,** cons 90-1866, oval **Valladolid** cancel (Schatzkes 814), fairly shallow thin, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

893 o **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 4r Green, Mazatlan,** cons 62-1866, Mazatlan box datestamp cancel (Schatzkes 739), margins large to touching, **Very Fine and rare,** Pietsch reports only 10 copies are known.
Scott No. **24** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

894 o❐ **1866, Eagle (5th Period), 8r Red (Jalapa),** cons 8-1866, block of 4, central Jalapa town (Schatzkes 596) probably a remainder cancel, **Very Fine,** still a spectacular and uncommon multiple.
Scott No. **25** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1866 Emperor Maximilian, Lithographed

895 */o **1866, Emperor Maximilian Issues,** four items; mint o.g. 7c (26) Guadalajara, cons 41-1866, sub 18 for Zapotlan & sub 2 for Teocuitatlan (paper h.r., M.E.P.S.I. certificate), mint o.g. 13c (27) Ixtlajuaca, cons 9-1866 (only 210 sent), used 25c (28) Ixtlajuaca, cons 9-1866 (only 350 sent), Mexico cds (tiny nick UL corner, small thins), mint o.g. 25c (29) Tepeji Del Rio without name, cons 15-1866, thin, and mint 13c (32) Cuernavaca without name, cons 9-867, block of 4, fold in middle, **generally F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **26//32** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

896 o **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Litho), 7c Lilac Gray (Pachuca),** cons 32-66, Pachuca 1866 town cancel (Schatzkes 1120), ample to large margins, small facial scuff at right, **Very Fine appearance,** with 560 sent (NF $175).
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

897 o **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Litho), 13c Blue,** three singles from small towns: Merida-Sisal (52-66), Guadalajara-Tonyla (41-66) and Chalco-Cuautla (59-66), all full margins, Merida single with thin, Guadalajara on piece, **still Very Fine group.**
Scott No. **27** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

898 o **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Litho), 13c Blue, Cuernavaca,** cons 63-66, rare **Tepecoacuilco** boxed cancel (Schatzkes 229), large margins, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **27** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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899 **/*❒ **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Litho), 13c Blue, Mexico,** complete sheet of 70, o.g., almost all never hinged, central vertical folded between stamp, **Very Fine,** only 5,108 were issued to exchange for demonetized Eagles, this is the **only known complete sheet recorded**.
Scott No. **27 var.** . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

900 o **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Litho), 13c Blue, Toluca,** cons 13-66, circular **Tenancingo** cancel (Schatzkes 1681), clear to large margins, couple tiny thins, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **27** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1866 Emperor Maximilian, Engraved

901 (*) **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Engraved), 7c Lilac, Mexico,** cons 3-867, two singles; one with four margins, other with "3 867" shifted to where only the very bottoms of the numbers show in the top margin, without gum, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **31**; $450 . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

902 * **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Engraved), 7c Lilac, San Luis Potosi,** cons 140-866, full o.g., ample to large margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **31**; $450 . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

903 * **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Engraved), 7c Lilac (San Luis Potosi),** cons 140-866, horizontal pair, o.g., lightly hinged, margins huge to shaving at upper right, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **31**; $900 as singles . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

904 ✉ **1866, Emperor Maximilian (Engraved), 13c Blue, Veracruz,** cons 28-66, large margins, in combination with **1866, Emperor Maximilian (engraved), 25c orange brown, Veracruz**, cons 15-66 on fresh folded letter sheet to Puebla, tied by Veracruz cds (Schatzkes 1757A), **Very Fine,** there are approximately ten covers known among all districts with these two engraved values together paying 38c rate.
Scott No. **32+33**. . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1867 Hidalgo, Gothic Mexico

905 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 2r & 4r Issues, Printed Both Sides,** three used singles; two 2r issues, one with enormous pre-printing fold which radically juxtaposed the images on the back, and one 4r issue, **Very Fine**; 2r issues with certificates.
Scott No. **37a, 38a**; $455 . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

906 * **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 4r Red on Yellow,** o.g., hinge remnants, full margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **38** $625

907 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico", 8r Green on Red Brown,** usual circular grid cancel, large margins, light vertical crease, **Very Fine appearance,** the rarest stamp of the post intervention provisional Gothic issues; with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **41** $4,000

908 o **1867, Gothic "Mexico" on Thin Gray-Blue Paper, 2r Green,** two-line **Puebla** date stamp cancel (Schatzkes 1153), natural preprinting paper fold, **F.-V.F. and rare,** only a handful of these exist cancelled outside of Mexico City.
Scott No. **44** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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909 (*) **1867, Gothic "Mexico" on Thin Gray-Blue Paper, 4r Rose,** without gum, wide margins, bright pastel-like color on distinctive gray blue paper, **Extremely Fine,** certainly one of the finest mint examples extant, of the 13,470 issued only 5-6 are known unused because the issue was sold out; with 2017 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **45** $3,000

1868 Hidalgo Issue, Thin Figures



910 ✉ **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Imperf), 6c Black on Buff, Camargo, Horizontal Strip of Four,** cons 29-69, without district name, canceled by two strikes of "Franco" boxed handstamp (Schatzkes 1823AB) on 1870 folded letter sheet; vertical file crease through first stamp, **F.-V.F.,** a unique usage from Camargo (NF $ 1,600 as singles off cover), *ex-Ricoy, Speaker*; with 2008 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **46** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

911 o **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Imperf), 6c Black on Buff, Mazatlan,** cons 8-69, boxed **Panuco** cancel (Schatzkes 774A), **F.-V.F.,** one of **two known examples of the Panuco boxed postmark**; with 1984 and 1985 M.E.P.S.I. certificates.
Scott No. **46** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



912 ✉ **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Imperf), 100c Black on Brown, Vertical Pair, Chihuahua,** cons 21-69, tied on folded letter by two Mexico cds, to Veracruz, **Very Fine,** stamps catalog $400 each in Follansbee and the pair, which has four margins, may be unique, *ex-Burrus and Schatzkes*.
Scott No. **50** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

913 o **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Imperf), 100c Black on Brown, Mazatlan,** cons 8-69, horizontal strip of 3, circular **Culiacan** cancels (Schatzkes 761), margins large to touching, **Very Fine**; signed J.K. Bash.
Scott No. **50** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

914 o **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Imperf), 100c Brown on Brown, Mazatlan,** cons 8-68, Mazatlan town cancel (Schatzkes 746), clear to ample margins, thin and small repaired tear, **F.-V.F. appearance,** very scarce; with 1981 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **51** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

915 (*) **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Imperf), 100c Brown on Brown, Tlaxcala,** cons 40-68, four margins, without gum, **Very Fine,** rare stamp.
Scott No. **51** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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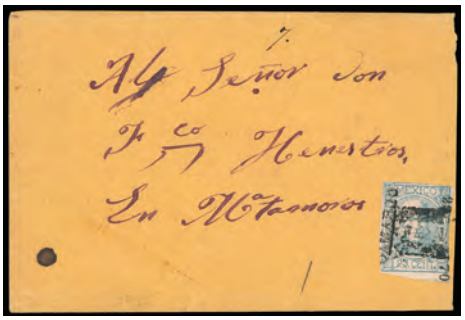

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916 o **1868, Hidalgo (Thin Figures, Perforated), 100c Brown on Brown, Tulancingo,** cons 15-68, circular cancel, in bottom left, **Fine,** rare with 100 sent (Follansbee $700); with 2008 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **57** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1868 Hidalgo Issue, Thick Figures

917 ✉ **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Imperf), 12c Black on Green, Mexico,** cons 1-71, in combination with **1869 50c black on yellow, Chihuahua, cons 21-70 + 100c black on brown, Queretaro, cons 12-71** on folded letter to Guadalajara tied by Mexico cds's (Schatzkes 821), light file fold affecting 12c, **still Very Fine,** an unusual and rare 3 color franking bearing three different districts; with 2005 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **59+62+64**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

918 ✉ **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Imperf), 25c Blue on Pink, Camargo,** cons 29-70 with Camargo suboffice overprint, tied on cover to Matamoros on fancy **Camargo** box handstamp (Schatzkes 56); cover reduced at right, **F.-V.F.,** 400 stamps sent with most not bearing the Camargo overprint with only a couple on cover examples known; with 2008 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **61** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



919 o❒ **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Imperf), 25c Blue on Pink, Puebla,** cons. 4-71, right margin block of 12, three full strikes of **fancy Tehuacan eagle oval** cancel (Schatzkes 1237C), horizontal crease affecting top stamps, **Very Fine appearance,** the discovery example of this rare cancellation; with 1989 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **61** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

920 **/*❒ **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Imperf), 25c Blue on Pink, Queretaro,** cons 12-69, block of 8, o.g., never hinged at bottom, ample margins, horizontal crease and small separation cut between stamps, **Very Fine,** one of the largest mint multiples known.
Scott No. **61** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



921 o **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Imperf), 50c Black on Yellow, Tlaxcala,** cons 40-70, indistinct name and cancel, **Very Fine,** rare district (Follansbee $700), perforated - imperf is not recorded.
Scott No. **62** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

922 ✉ **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Imperf), 50c Black on Yellow, Zacatecas,** in combination with **1868, 25c blue on light pink + 12c black on green, Zacatecas**, all cons 13-69, tied by circular Zacatecas handstamps (Schatzkes 1852) on folded letter to Mexico, **Very Fine,** an attractive and scarce three color franking 87c rate usage.
Scott No. **62+61+60**. . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

923 ✉ **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Imperf), 100c Black on Brown, Chihuahua,** cons 21-69, in combination with **1868, 25c blue on pink + 50c black on yellow, Mexico**, cons 1-69 on folded letter sheet to Veracruz, all tied by Mexico cds's (Schatzkes 821), **Very Fine and choice,** a lovely 3-color mixed district franking.
Scott No. **64+61+69**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

924 ✉ **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Perforated), 6c Black on Buff, Toluca, Horizontal Strip of Four,** cons 16-70, tied by two strikes of **Oro De Mexico** straight line handstamp (Schatzkes 1652 - 100 points.) on 1870 folded letter to Mexico, **Very Fine,** a very rare usage from Oro de Mexico; with 1988 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

925 (*) **1868, Hidalgo (Thick Figures, Perforated), 12c Black on Buff, Color Error, Ures,** con 31-71, without gum, well centered, **Very Fine**; with 1978 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **66b**; $575. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

926 o **1872, "Anotado", Imperf, 50c Black on Yellow, No Period After "50", Mazatlan,** cons 8-70, light town cancel, mostly large margins, **Very Fine.** Follansbee No. MEX 15.
Scott No. **74a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

927 (✉) **1872, Hidalgo Imperf, 100c Gray Lilac, Durango,** unwatermarked, in combination with **1872, 12c blue + 50c yellow, all cons 15-72**, tied by Durango cds on 1873 registered front to Mexico City, Durango certification boxed date stamp and additional cds' in corners; 12c with surface scrape at lower left, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **98+94+96**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1874-80 Hidalgo Portrait

928 P **1874-83, 5c-100c Hidalgo Profile Issue, Plate Proofs,** 5c-100c set of plate proofs on India (10c is a pair), plus additional 50c on card and a vignette essay (portrait in oval, color of the 100c) on card, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **106P-111P** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

929 ✉ **1874, Hidalgo Profile, 10c Black, Mazatlan,** cons 26-74, tied by circular Mazatlan postmark (Schimmer Sin 28/3) on cover to San Francisco, Cal., "San Francisco, Steamship, Jan 25" entry cds, "3" rate and straight line "Advertised" handstamp with "Not Found" eventually applied, reverse with additional advertised and dead letter markings; cover opening tears at right, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **107** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

930 (✉) **1874, Hidalgo Profile, 50c Green, Guanajuato,** cons 52-76, s.e. at right, on 1874, 10c green registered front to Guaymas, tied by San Luis de la Paz cds and certification boxed date stamp (Schatzkes 1324C & 1324B), **registered at four other transit Post Offices** including Allende (March 27), Lagos (March 29), Mazatlan (April 9) and Alamos (April 14), **Very Fine,** *ex-Bash, Schimmer*.
Scott No. **110** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

931 (✉) **1874, Hidalgo Profile, 100c Carmine, Orizaba, Horizontal Pair,** cons 2281, on 1881 registered front tied by blue Orizaba oval date stamp, matching boxed certification date stamp and rare and early "pointing hand" markings; left stamp with s.e. slightly into design, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **111** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

932 o❒ **1874, Hidalgo Profile, 100c Carmine, Mazatlan,** cons 4981, block of 18, pen remainder cancels, rich color and choice centering, **Very Fine,** these stamps where intended for Colima, but mis-sent to Mazatlan where the Mazatlan overprint was applied; with 1990 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **111** . . . . . $270 for singles

933 (*) **1875, Hidalgo Profile, 100c Carmine, Papel Sellado Watermark, Mazatlan,** cons 26-77, without gum, well centered, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **116** $600

1879 Foreign Mail Issue

934 ✉ **1879, Foreign Mail 1st Issue (Juarez), 5c Orange, Mazatlan,** cons 2781, tied by purple **Bacubirito** circular postmark (Schimmer Sin 6/1) on cover to Virginia City, Nev., reverse with San Francisco transit, partial receiving postmarks and red "Yedras Mining Co., Nov 29, 1881" oval date stamp; slight rough cover opening at left.
Scott No. **125** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

935 ✉ **1879, Foreign Mail 1st Issue (Juarez), 5c Orange, Mazatlan,** double cons "4781" error for "2781" (stamps intended for Ciudad Victoria were missent to Mazatlan that used them anyway), s.e. at left, tied by violet "Culiacan, 5 Jul, 1881" oval postmark (Schimmer Sin 18/1) on mining company corner card cover to Virginia City, Nev., San Francisco transit backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **125** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

The sender Las Yedras Mining Company was a large mining company. The addressee Richard Kirmin was an attorney in the mining city, Virginia City, then near its peak of production. His son, Richard Kerman became Mayor of Reno, then Governor of Nevada.

936 ✉ **1879, Foreign Mail 1st Issue (Juarez), 5c Orange, Mazatlan,** cons 2781, tied by grid handstamp on cover to San Francisco, octagonal red datestamp "Correo Mazatlan Ago 1 1881" (Schimmer Sin 28/5), red San Francisco receiver and pencil notation "Newbern"; cover toning, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **125** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

Shows 1879 tariff basic rate of 5 centavos that was continued in the new 1 April 1880 tariff. The Newbern was an inter-costal ship that plied the Sea of Cortez (Gulf of California) from Puerto Isabel on the Colorado River to Mazatlan and possibly as far as San Blas or Manzanillo and provided the sea connection by calling in San Francisco. The Newbern was associated with silver smuggling into the USA which had a high duty on silver. It foundered on rocks at Pt Fermin, San Pedro, California and sank in 1893 with $250,000 in cargo, mostly silver, aboard.

937 o **1879, Foreign Mail 1st Issue (Juarez), 85c Violet, Mazatlan,** cons 2779, neat grid cancel, **Very Fine and rare.**
Scott No. **129** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1882 Foreign Mail Issue



938 ✉ **1882, Foreign Mail 2nd Issue (Juarez), 24c Violet, Mexico,** cons 5483, tied by purple UPU oval date stamp on 1883 cover to **Paris, France**, with Vera-Cruz French paquet date stamp, sent the ship *Ville de Bordeaux*, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Scott No. **138** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

939 ✉ **1882, Foreign Mail 2nd Issue (Numeral), 2c Green, Mazatlan,** uprating on **1882, Foreign Mail 2nd Issue (Numeral), 3c carmine lake, Mazatlan** formula postal card to **Modena, Italy**, both cons 2783, 3c shows a reverse embossed "2783" (occurred when the sheet was used with others as a cushion beneath the sheet being overprinted to prevent that operation from punching through the very thin paper during overprinting), tied by grid handstamps with red "Mazatlan, Set, 22, 1883" oval date stamp, **Very Fine,** a rare usage of the UPU postal card.
Scott No. **146+147** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



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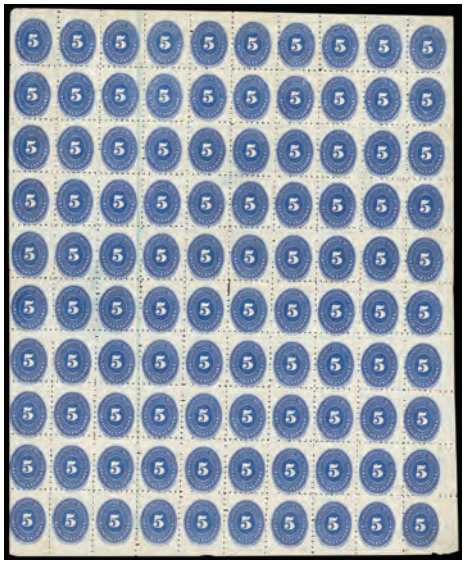

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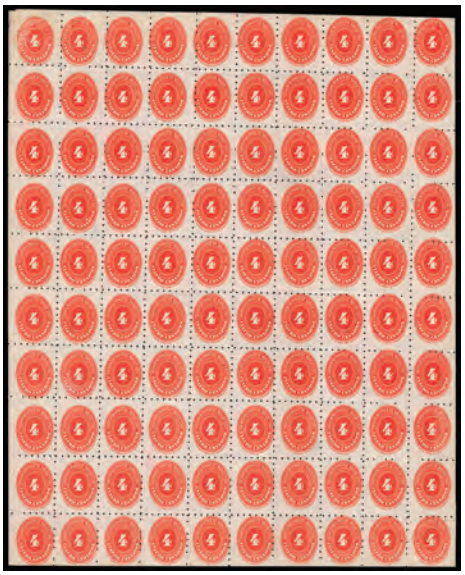

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940 ✉ **1883, Foreign Mail 2nd Issue (Numeral), 6c Blue (Hermosillo),** cons 483, tied by **Altar** oval handstamp on 1883 cover to Yuma, A.T., Tucson transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **148** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

941 ✉ **1882, Foreign Mail 2nd Issue (Numeral), 6c Ultramarine, Horizontal Pair, Mexico,** cons 5483, tied on cover to Paris, France by purple UPU oval, red "Vera-Cruz Paq Fr B No 1, 18 Avril, 83" octagonal date stamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **149** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1884-99 Issues

942 o **1884, Hidalgo Medallion, 1c Blue, Color Error,** light town cancel, with green ink offset on reverse from the normal color printing, **Fine.**
Scott No. **150b** $475

943 ✉ **1884, Hidalgo Medallion, 20c Green,** in combination with **1884, 1c green, pair and single + 12c dark green** on 1885 registered cover to Queretaro, all tied by violet Colima circular handstamps with matching "R" handstamps in corners and certification box date stamp at center, Lagos transit date stamp at top; 1c in pair nicked at bottom, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **158+150+157** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

944 ✉ **1886, Numeral Unwatermarked, 5c Blue, Perf 12,** s.e. at bottom, on cover to Portland, Maine, tied by violet "**Agente De Correos Vapor Newbern**" handstamp with additional strike at left, red San Francisco transit and receiving backstamp; cover a bit reduced at left, **F.-V.F.,** a rare and clear maritime marking.
Scott No. **178a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

945 (*)❒ **1887, Numeral on Blue Lined Paper, 5c Ultramarine, Perf 6,** complete sheet of 100, without gum, some flaws mostly at edges, **F.-V.F.,** a great rarity, this being **one of only two known complete sheet in existence**.
Scott No. **204** . . . . . $5,000 for singles

946 ✉ **1890, 10c Vermilion,** in combination with **1890, 20c vermilion** on 1892 registered cover from Yautepec to Mexico, with origin cds tying stamps and etiquette and **fancy Yautepec corner handstamps** in each corner, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **218+221** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

947 **❒ **1895, Numeral, 12c Vermilion,** complete sheet of 100, o.g., never hinged, brilliant color and exceptional freshness, **F.-V.F.,** a striking complete sheet (no photo).
Scott No. **219** . . . . . $1,400 for hinged singles

948 ** **1890, 20c Dark Violet,** horizontal strip of 4, o.g., never hinged, natural s.e. at bottom, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **220A** . . . . . $640 for hinged singles

949 ✉ **1890-95, Numeral, 25c Vermilion, Horizontal Pair,** in combination with **1890-95, 5c blue** on large 1893 registered cover with A.R. request, sent from the Secretary of Foreign Relations, Mexico City (seal printed on flap) to the Consul General of Mexico at Geneva, forwarded to Faenza, Italy, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **221+216** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

950 **❒ **1894, Numeral, 4c Vermilion,** complete sheet of 100, o.g., never hinged, rich color, few preprinting paper wrinkles, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce intact sheet.
Scott No. **234** . . . . . $4,000 for hinged singles



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951 P **1895, 1c-10p Mulitas, Caballero Almanac Black Proof Sheet,** printed in December 1895 to market the new Mulitas issue using the original dies, tear in sheet at left not affecting any stamp design, **Very Fine,** approximately 4-5 known to exist.
Scott No. **242P-256P** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

952 ✉ **1895, 15c Bright Blue,** in combination with **1895, 5c ultramarine, horizontal pair** tied together with the **rare Maravatio overprint**, on reverse of 1896 registered cover to Cassel, Germany, canceled by Tajimaroa oval handstamps, with appropriate etiquettes and transit markings, **Very Fine,** by this time the system of district overprints was long gone, for an unknown reason this little town used the district overprint on Mulitas stamps, this is the last example of the old overprints from the classic era used on Mexico stamps, probably only 4-5 covers exist.
Scott No. **263+261** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

953 ✉ **1895, 15c Bright Blue, Vertical Pair,** natural s.e.'s, in combination with **1895, 5c ultramarine** on registered cover to **Stockholm, Sweden**, tied by "Mexico, Apr 17, 95" cds's, Mexico and New York etiquettes, **Very Fine,** one of the few covers known to Scandinavia.
Scott No. **286+283** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

954 (✉) **1899, 20c Rose & Dark Blue, Horizontal Pair and Two Singles,** in combination with **1903, 10c blue & orange** on large A.R. registered judiciary wrapper to Puebla, tied by 1907 Atlixco cds's, purple registry handstamps and official cachets; file folds, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **300+308** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

955 */o **1899, 5p Carmine & Black,** three items; includes mint o.g. single, beautifully centered no gum single with "Muestra" overprint and a a used block of four with "2a Clase" cds (probably from a package), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **303** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

956 ✉ **1914 Culiacan Provisional Overprints,** two rare covers, one with overprinted 1910 1c (Scott 310) plus 4c Transitorio, other with overprinted 1910 5c (314) used with 1c Denver and 4c Transitorio, both are small mourning covers, **Very Fine and attractive.** Follansbee No. Culiacan 3, 7.
Scott No. **310 var., 314 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

957 ✉ **1914, 5c Orange, Culiacan Provisional Overprint,** in combination with 1c Denver and 4c Transitorio (356, 386) on corner card cover to Los Angeles, Cal., tied by "Mazatlan, 23 Ago, 1914" cds's; minor cover stain, **otherwise Very Fine.** Follansbee No. Culiacan 7.
Scott No. **314 var.** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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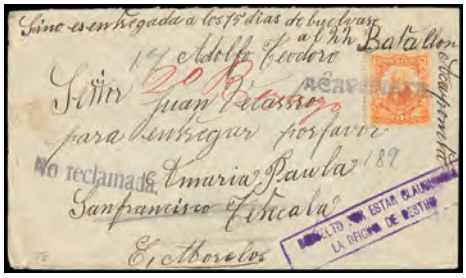

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958 ✉ **1914, 5c Orange, Baja California Provisional Overprint,** on corner card cover from La Paz to Mazatlan, with "Por vapor *Colon*" ship endorsement, canceled in transit with "Topolabampo, Sin., 10 Feb, 1915" cds and continued aboard ship to Mazatlan; cover reduced at left, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **314 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

959 ✉ **1914, 15c Gray Blue & Claret, Sinaloa Provisional Overprint,** tied by purple "**Lista, Concordia**, Nov 3, 1914" cds on registered corner card cover to Mexico, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine and attractive,** a rare usage from Concordia, the only known Concordia with this handstamp used for canceling purposes.
Scott No. **316 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

960 */o **1913 Sonora Issue Varieties,** five different singles; no seal issue with 1c without embossing (322 var.), 1c watermark (322b), 2c watermark (323b), 10c watermark (328a) and seal 10c watermark (339a); all unused except 10c (Hermosillo datestamp), **all Very Fine.**
Scott No. **322 var.//339a** $360

961 ✉ **1914, "GCM" Violet Overprint on 5c Orange,** tied by "Mazatlan, 9 Mar, 1915" cds on cover to **warrant officer aboard the ship Benito Juarez in Amapala, Honduras**, unclaimed and returned with numerous routing backstamps including Salina Cruz (Oaxaca), Tapachula (Chiapas), Veracruz, Amapala, then Salina Cruz, Acapulco, Manzanillo and Mazatlan; few small stamp flaws from overlapping cover at top, cover opened on sides for display, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Schimmer*.
Scott No. **374** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

962 ✉ **1914 Revolution Era - 1910, 5c Orange,** tied on cover by straight line Acaponeta handstamp, sent July 1914 to Tetecala, Morelos which **was occupied by Zapata** making delivery impossible, "Devuelta Por Estar Clausurada La Oficina De Destno" boxed handstamp indicates the office of destination was closed, returned to Acaponeta and unsuccessfully advertised, **Very Fine,** an outstanding postal history item of great rarity.
Scott No. **314** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

963 ✉ **1914 Revolution Era - Saucillo, Chihuahua,** 1c Denver issue pair tied to cover by the administrator's seal of **Saucillo, Chihuahua** used as a provisional cancel, mid-1914 usage, **Very Fine,** one or two other examples of this are known.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

964 **/* **1915, 1c-10c Oaxaca Issue, Multiples,** representing all values; includes 1c violet and gray violet (6th printing) in sheets of 42, 2c block of 41, 3c (4th printing) block of 24, 5c (type I) block of 10 with four tete-beche pairs and sheet number "151" selvage, 5c (type II) block of 38 and 10c sheet of 42; numerous printing errors including inverted "2" and missing numerals, some small flaws, o.g., mostly never hinged, **F.-V.F.;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **414-419** $1,456

965 **❒ **1915, 5c Oaxaca, Thick Numerals,** 1st printing, irregular block of 16 bearing seven tete-beche pairs and sheet number 190 in selvage, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine,** sheet number 190 is believed to be the highest number known for this printing; this block referred to in Nicholas Follansbee's *The Stamps of the Mexican Revolution 1913 - 1916* (page 152); (see photo on website).
Scott No. **417** $1,380



966 **❒ **1915, 5c Oaxaca, Thick Numerals,** 1st printing, block of 27 bearing 6 tete-beche pairs and sheet number 153, o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine,** a very scarce multiple.
Scott No. **417** $2,213



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967 ✉ **1915, 20c Red & Blue, "Villa" Monogram Overprint, Horizontal Pair,** from the Zapata occupation of the capital on commercial cover to Germany, sent uncancelled by U.S. Department of State Diplomatic Pouch (handstamp) with "Washington D.C., June 18, 1915" duplex postmark, Brazilian Consulate handstamp on reverse, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **462** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1856 Hidalgo Balance Lots

968 ✉ **1856 Hidalgo First Issue Cover Balance,** 27 covers and a couple fronts; mostly 2r single usages from a variety of towns including San Luis Potosi, Aguascalientes, Zitacuaro, Orizava, Morelia, Zacatecas, etc., 1r usages including a few pairs used in Puebla and S. Juan Buata. de Tabasco, also includes a 4r bisect usage on front from Morelia; useful group.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

969 */✉ **1856, First Issue Collection Balance,** massive three volume collection of well over 1,000 stamps (Scott $17,596) including a nice mint set without overprints and a few other mint, there are 179 medio reals, 37 4r and five 8r values (the latter all Mexico district), 32 districts are represented including Acapulco, Temascaltepec, Tlalpujahua, Tula, Tulancingo, while Polotitlan is represented by a ruined 2r which is not counted, some sub-office cancels, some faulty, **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

970 */o **1856, First Issue, Acapulco District,** eight stamps; including medio real mint (faults) and used (VF), four 1r (two different cancels plus manuscript pen strokes), two 2r (different cancels), **most F.-V.F.** (Follansbee $670); (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

971 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Apam District,** 24 stamps (Follansbee $1,110) of which nine are postally used ($495) though a medio strip of three (VF) is without name and bears a barely identifiable Schatzkes 26 cancel in blue, a medio real pair with blue names & Schatzkes 24 cancel is also VF, two 8r (one without name) have different remainder cancels, sello negro folded letter with negative Apam seal postmark (Schatzkes 26A) is also present, **F.-V.F. overall;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3b, 5** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

972 */o **1856, First Issue, Campeche District,** 12 stamps (Follansbee $550) of which six have the district name in red; 3 medio reals include one unused (no gum), the clef cancel (Schatzkes 58) is on several including a 4r and in red on a ½r, best is a VF 2r with "½" (Schatzkes 60); few have four margins, **generally Fine** (no photo).
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

973 o **1856, First Issue, Chalco District,** 11 stamps (Follansbee $485) of which six are medio reals, four different cancels including Morelos, Xonacatepec, Yautepec and Chalco wreath, cancels unfortunately not very clear, **generally Fine** (no photo).
Scott No. **1-2** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

974 * **1856, First Issue, Chiapas District,** nine stamps (Follansbee $420) including three medios, a VF 2r emerald canceled Pichucalco (Schatzkes 127) and a 1r canceled with a mercantile handstamp "L.A. Rabayo, Tonyla", **several are Very Fine or better**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

975 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Chihuahua District,** 25 stamps plus a sello negro folded letter and two covers (Follansbee $1,060), includes two nice 2r emeralds (one with red cancel) and five 2r deep blue greens, several sub-office cancels and some large 4-margin stamps, **generally Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1-3, 3a, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

976 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Cordova District,** 22 stamps, cover and front (Follansbee $678); includes four medios, nice 2r sapphires one of which is tied to front, a very big 2r yellow green tied to cover by Huatusco (Schatzkes 196), **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-3, 3a, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

977 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Cuernavaca District,** 24 stamps and a cover (Follansbee $868); includes seven medios (4 VF), a scarce 4r (F-VF), cancels include Ixtla (Schatzkes 223), particularly fine is a choice 1r with the re-entry of the 4r value tablet across Hidalgo's face tied to piece, **generally F.-V.F. or better**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

978 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Durango District,** 60 stamps, 4 covers and a front (Follansbee $1,169) plus a sello negro cover, one of the ten medios is mint (rest of the lot is used), nice 4r present, good showing of sub-office cancels, **mostly F.-V.F**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



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979 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Guadalajara District,** over 170 stamps (6 unused), 7 covers, 7 fronts and two splits tied to piece (Follansbee $3,190), 107 bear sub-office cancels, beat is probably red Santiago (Schatzkes 434) and there are several of the C. Guzman ribbon (Schatzkes 340), red ornament of Cuale (Schatzkes 377) tied a single medio real to one of the fronts, five 4r and one 8r are present; occasional fault, **most F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

980 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Guanajuato District,** over 90 stamps (including 5 on cover) and three splits tied to pieces (Follansbee $1,852), includes five 4r and one of the splits is a 2r, forty bear sub-office cancels (several different); occasional fault, **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

981 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Hermosillo District,** 31 used (one tied to cover) and a 1r unused (Follansbee $1,310), seven different cancels representing including Alamos (Schatzkes 544 - red), three 2r plate 1 including a VF emerald; occasional fault, **Fine overall**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

982 */o **1856, First Issue, Huejutla District,** two unused (2r) and 9 used (Follansbee $535, not counting a defective 4r which is $700), best is a nice 2r emerald, **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

983 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Jalapa District,** 63 used (including five covers) and one unused (Follansbee $1,231), 36 are from sub-offices, **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

984 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Lagos District,** 36 stamps including four covers (Follansbee $616), multiples include a strip of four ½r, **most Fine or better**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



Ex 985

985 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Mazatlan District,** of 11 covers (one stampless), 11 fronts and a 2r used out-of district (Guadalajara); includes Choix cover with 2r emerald posted in Fuerte (Schatzkes 762) and ½r strip of 4 usage, Culiacan fronts including two different postmarks to Mazatlan where postage was applied, Panuco straight line (773) on cover tying 2r, Mazatlan with couple combination covers, incoming maritime 1r front from Acapulco, etc., **F.-V.F. overall.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

986 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Mazatlan District,** approximately 75 stamps, some of which are on seven covers (Follansbee $1,308), 40 have sub-office or out-of-district cancels (several different, the two 4r are VF, best is an 2r emerald canceled Panuco (Schatzkes 773), **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

987 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Merida District,** ten stamps and cover with 1r pair tied (Follansbee $535) including a 2r emerald slightly cut in at bottom, **Fine** (no photo).
Scott No. **1-3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

988 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Mexico District,** select group of 23 stamps and 3 covers; the latter including single frankings ½r & 4r, two medios have the district names with dashes at each end, nice strip of four medios tied to piece, mint include a medio and two 4r (different shades and overprints), a very fine used 8r, several re-entries are present, **generally F.-V.F**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

989 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Morelia District,** approximately 95 stamps some of which are on 9 covers, plus three splits tied to piece (Follansbee $1,791), 69 have sub-office cancels (18 different), additionally there is a sello negro Pazcuaro (Schatzkes 962), the 8 r is cut in, **others are mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

990 * **1856, First Issue, Oaxaca District,** 43 stamps (Follansbee $971) plus a 2r cover, sixteen are from sub-offices (5 different), nicest is a 2r **Teposcolula** (Schatzkes 1076), **mostly generally F.-V.F.;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

991 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Orizava District,** 35 stamps (Follansbee $886) plus three covers and a sello negro, several stamps are superb and the two 4r are VF, **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

992 o **1856, First Issue, Pachuca District,** 32 stamps (Follansbee $1,385) of which 23 are from five sub-offices, some VF, 4r and 8r both have red Mineral del Monte cancels but both are cut in and thinned, two VF 1r have red district overprints, **mostly Fine**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

993 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Puebla District,** 97 stamps (Follansbee $1,699) plus five covers; 54 stamps bear sub-office cancels (14 different), medio 3-strip and 4-strip are attractive, many of the single stamps are outstanding, most of the six 4r are VF, the 8r is very close to being a four margin stamp, two of the covers (and six stamps) are Acatlan, **generally F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

994 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Queretaro District,** 84 stamps of which six are mint (Follansbee $1,187) plus six covers; 52 stamps and three of the covers bear sub-office cancels (18 different) including four with the large fancy **eagle cancel of Celaya** (Schatzkes 1291), **generally F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-4** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

995 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, San Luis Potosi District,** 12 mint stamps including 2 each of 4r & 8r (2 shades) and 81 used (Follansbee $2,022) plus six covers and a sello negro, the 4r is choice, some nice 2r shade varieties, 46 stamps and three covers bear sub-office cancels (13 different), **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

996 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Tabasco District,** eleven stamps (Follansbee $490) and a cover; includes three 2r emeralds and a 1r **Teapa** (Schatzkes 1570), better is a 1r with manuscript **"Monte Cristo"** (Schatzkes 1569AB) which is rare, **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

997 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Tampico District,** fifty stamps including three mint (Follansbee $490) and four covers; one with a 2r emerald, eight are from sub-offices including three with red **Prezas** (Schatzkes 1599), 4r is sound (Vg-F) but some of the better 2r shades are in top condition, **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

998 o **1856, First Issue, Temascaltepec District,** eight stamps (Follansbee $875); the beautiful ½r, two 1r and a 2r have district names and Tejupilco cancels, unoverprinted are canceled Temascaltepec (two types), **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3, 2b, 3c** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

999 */o **1856, First Issue, Tixtla Guerrero District,** three stamps (Follansbee $1,500); three margin ½r (most of bottom tablet cut away), fine 2r emerald and a F-VF unused 4r, **Fine overall**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1, 3b, 4** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1000 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Toluca District,** 31 stamps (Follansbee $839) and three covers one of which bears a nice 2r emerald, thirteen stamps are medio reals, a 1r is tied to piece by a fair strike of the rare Toluca Diligencias "Stagecoach" cancel (Schatzkes 1664), **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1001 o **1856, First Issue, Tula District,** eight stamps (Follansbee $720) including an unoverprinted ½r with partial **Zimapan** cancel (Schatzkes 1710), four others have the same cancel, **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1002 o **1856, First Issue, Tulancingo District,** fourteen stamps (Follansbee $905) including four ½r and two 2r emeralds, four are tied to pieces, pair and single canceled **Huachinango** (Schatzkes 1722), **mostly F.-V.F**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



Ex 1003



Ex 1005



Ex 1010

1003 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Veracruz District,** approximately 130 stamps and two splits including a cover (Follansbee $2,604) and four additional covers of which is a 2r + 4r combination, 89 bear sub-office cancels (16 different); many choice stamps, **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

1004 o **1856, First Issue, Victoria District,** sixteen stamps (Follansbee $870) including 2r emeralds, two of the four ½rs are nice, three are canceled **Santa Barbara** (Schatzkes 1822), **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1-3, 3b** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1005 */o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Zacatecas District,** 116 stamps (two mint) and 8 splits tied to pieces (Follansbee $3,080) and seven additional covers (one which bears three ½r) plus a sello negro cover, 80 plate;us five of the splits and four of the covers bear sub-office cancels (13 different), **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **1-5** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

1006 ✉ **1856, First Issue, Mazatlan District,** five attractive covers; the best being 1r pair canceled **Fuerte** (Schatzkes 763) and 2r plate 2 tied by red **Sinaloa** (Schatzkes 782), **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **2-3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1007 o/✉ **1856, First Issue, Monterrey District,** eleven stamps and 3 covers (Follansbee $214), two ½r are VF, but the chief virtue of the lot is a 2r plate 1 olive green tied to piece by **Montemorelos** (Schatzkes 888); condition is often outstanding, **F.-V.F. overall;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **2-3** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1008 o **1856, First Issue, Tlalpujahua District,** 12 stamps (Follansbee $1,290) include excellent 2r emerald and 4r, attractive and very scarce group, **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **2-4** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1009 */o **1856, First Issue, Maravatio District,** three unused 2r and 14 used (Follansbee $420), the medio real is superb, but the best is a canceled Zitacuaro (Schatzkes 730A - black) which is rare (stamp is VF), **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **1b, 2-2c, 3-3d** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1861 Hidalgo Balance Lots

1010 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue Collection Balance,** 665 stamps representing 30 districts with much duplication (for example, the fifteen #12s are all Mexico as are most of the 21 #10s), however there are some better stamps including some with sub-office cancels, the 48 mint are mostly without overprint including three 8r, of course those from the best districts are worth substantially more than Scott; occasional fault, **most F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **6-12**; $11,514. . . . . Estimate $2,500 - 3,500

1011 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue Collection Group,** 115 mostly used stamps representing 11 districts, the most common being Orizava and Tampico while the scarcest are probably Tula, Tulancingo and Victoria, includes excellent **Chalco**, couple of **Lagos** splits tied to pieces, good showing of **Maravatio** including a few sub-offices, there are eight **Tulancingo** including a ½r, Follansbee catalog $3,191 and additionally several cover are also present, **almost all F.-V.F.**
Follansbee No. **6-9, 9½, 11¼** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

1012 o **1861, Second Issue, Acapulco District,** seven including 4r., ½r single and pair, all without name but canceled Acapulco (Schatzkes 4), **F.-V.F.** (NF $990); (see photo on website).
Scott No. **6a-9a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1013 o **1861, Second Issue, Aguascalientes District,** five (one a 1r unoverprinted) plus three splits tied to piece and a 2r "Aguascaltes" overprint on cover front as well as both 1r & 2r with the same; the "Aguascaltes" items are very fine, **others Fine or better**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **7-8, 9½, 11¼** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1014 o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Apam District,** 12 used and two covers (Follansbee $1,310), most (including the two 4r) have remainder cancels, one 2r is tied to piece with district name applied above the stamp, **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-9, 7A-9A** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



Ex 1011



Ex 1026



Ex 1029

1015 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Campeche District,** unused 1r and 2r pair, plus 10 used including a 4r black on yellow (Follansbee $329) plus a maritime cover (no Mexican markings) to New York, four-margin medio real canceled with large "5" (Schatzkes 67) and an equally nice 4r with name has a light strike of the clef mute (Schatzkes 58), **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **6-9** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1016 o **1861, Second Issue, Chiapas District,** 27 stamps including four 4r black on yellow of which three are outstanding (Follansbee $876), seven different cancels present, several stamps are tied to piece, **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **7-9, 7A-9A** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1017 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Chihuahua District,** two unused and 22 used (Follansbee $425) plus five covers and three sellos negros, 14 stamps and four covers bear sub-office cancels (6 different) including manuscript Coronado and red Rosales, **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **6-8** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1018 */o **1861, Second Issue, Colima District,** unused 2r and 15 used (Follansbee $1,292) including beautiful ½r and 4r without name (canceled Colima) and a no margin 8r; expect for the last, **Very Fine;** (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6A-9A, 7-8, 11** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1019 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Durango District,** one unused 2r and 13 used including 1r strip of four and two nice 4rs, 6 splits tied to pieces - MEPSI certs for three (Follansbee $727) plus a sello negro cover Guanacevi (Schatzkes 258), **F.-V.F**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **7-9, 9½, 11 1/8** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1020 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Guadalajara District,** one unused ½r and 20 used plus 6 splits tied to pieces (Follansbee $937), cover has 1r pair with blue names and cancel, 14 items have sub-office cancels (7 different) including the flower of Tepic (Schatzkes 411) on ½r, 4r and a quarter of a 4r tied on piece, **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-9, 9½, 9¼**. . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1021 o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Guanajuato District,** 59 used plus 4 splits including a cover (Follansbee $1,344) plus 13 other covers; two 8rs are present, 50 items have sub-office cancels (14 different) including the small eagle cancel (Schatzkes 478), **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-9, 9½, 11** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1022 o **1861, Second Issue, Jalapa District,** 57 stamps including three 4r and a Vg-F 8r (Follansbee $1,064), four 2r are without name, believed to have been used during the French Intervention, 31 have sub-office cancels (10 different), **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **6-9, 11** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1023 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Mazatlan District,** two unused (½r & 8r which is pretty but has a tear) and 25 used plus two splits tied to pieces (Follansbee $1,360), includes 4r black on yellow and three 4r red on yellow each Very Fine to Superb, two covers and a sello negro are present, 16 items have sub-office cancels (6 different), two splits are tied by Culiacan (Schatzkes 760), **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-11, 9½, 11¼** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1024 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Mexico District,** eight unused including both colors of 4r and the 8r green on brown, 49 used ten of which are without district overprint, used Mexico (Follansbee $2,153) plus seven covers, one of which has the 4r red on yellow (Very Fine), very high quality, **nearly all are Very Fine or better**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **6-12** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1025 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Monterrey District,** unused 2r and 18 used plus two splits both of which are 4r black on yellow, cover and piece (Follansbee $997) plus four more covers, one with a 4r and four sellos negros, six have sub-office cancels (all different), the rare 8r is touched on three sides but is sound, **most are F.-V.F.**
Scott No. 6; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-9, 9½, 11** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1026 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Morelia District,** unused 1r-4r (black) plus 8r green on brown (big but with minor faults) and 54 used plus a 4r split tied to piece (Follansbee $1,625), also a cover and a sello negro, 40 have sub-office cancels (18 different), a 4r tied to small piece by **Sahuayo** (Schatzkes 989) is particularly impressive; condition is often outstanding, **mostly F.-V.F.**
Follansbee No. **6-9, 9½, 11-12** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800



Ex 1032



Ex 1056



Ex 1057

1027 o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Oaxaca District,** 35 stamps, three 4r bisects tied to piece (2 with MEPSI certs) and an 8r quadrisect piece (Follansbee $614), plus three covers, 28 items have sub-office cancels (6 different), **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-9, 9½, 11¼** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1028 o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Pachuca District,** 19 stamps (Follansbee $785) plus two covers, seven different cancels are present, the two ½r and the 4r are very pretty (good margins and red Mineral del Monte cancels), the rare 8r has two margins, **generally F.-V.F.;** (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-9, 11** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1029 o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Puebla District,** 62 stamps plus a quarter of an 8r tied to piece (Follansbee $1,833) plus four covers, many are VF to Superb, the 4rs (two of each color) are particularly nice, the three 8r (two green) are also desirable, 26 items have sub-office cancels (14 different), the most impressive being a 2r with bold **Amazoc** (Schatzkes 1175 - 300 points), **generally F.-V.F.**
Follansbee No. 6-12, 11¼.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

1030 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Queretaro District,** seven mint and 58 used stamps (Follansbee $1,440) plus six covers; covers include a 4r red on yellow single franking (stamp not tied but catalogs $180), 33 items have sub-office cancels (10 different), **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-11**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1031 o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Saltillo District,** 15 stamps, 4r bisect & 8r quadrisect both tied to pieces (Follansbee $595) plus one cover and seven sello negro covers, several stamps have sub-office cancels, **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-9, 9½, 11¼** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1032 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, San Luis Potosi District,** four mint, 36 used and five splits tied to pieces (Follansbee $1,644) plus seven covers and four sello negro covers, ten items have sub-office cancels, **mostly F.-V.F.**
Follansbee No. **6-12, 9½, 11¼** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1033 */o **1861, Second Issue, Tabasco District,** one mint and 8 used including a VF 4r (Follansbee $365), **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **6-9** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1034 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Toluca District,** mint ½r and 9 used (Follansbee $246) plus two covers; includes two outstanding ½r pairs, one of which is canceled Tejupilco (Schatzkes 1679A), other sub-office cancels are Temascaltepec, Tenacingo and Villa del Valle, **almost all Very Fine**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **6-9** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1035 o **1861, Second Issue, Tuxpan District,** seven (unoverprinted as always for this district), each canceled Tuspan (Schatzkes 1728), 4f has three big margins and touched at left, **F.-V.F.** (NF $950); (see photo on website).
Scott No. **6a-9a** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1036 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Veracruz District,** three mint including an 8r green on brown and 39 used (Follansbee $1,646) plus four covers, 12 items bear sub-office cancels (9 different), **generally F.-V.F.;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **6-12**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1037 o **1861, Second Issue, Veracruz Under French Occupation,** 13 stamps, 8 without overprint, all canceled with oval "Correos Franco Veracruz" (Schatzkes 1751) used during the early part of the French occupation of the port (Follansbee $757), **F.-V.F.;** (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **7A-8A, 8, 10-10A, 12-12A** Estimate $250 - 350

1038 */o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Zacatecas District,** three mint, 13 used and quarters of 8r tied to a piece and a cover (Follansbee $787), plus another cover and two sello negro covers, some very nice stamps, **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Follansbee No. **6-9, 11¼** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1039 o/✉ **1861, Second Issue, Zacatecas 1864 Provisionals,** unoverprinted 1r with double struck cancel (Schatzkes 1851A) and unoverprinted 2rs on cover and front, one tied by single strike of the same (front), other canceled with mute "0" (Schatzkes 1849B), **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **7b**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1040 o **1861, Second Issue Hidalgo Issue Group,** of seven better issues with district cancels; includes 4r black on yellow (Scott 9) Cuernavaca and Durango, 4r dull rose on yellow (10) Orizava and Puebla on piece, 8r black on red brown (11) Guanajuato and San Luis Potosi, and 8r green on red brown (12) Guanajuato (crease), **generally Very Fine;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **9-12**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1864-66 Eagle Balance Lots

1041 ✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue on Cover,** attractive group of and partial front; includes 1r ultra Durango pair (22) cons 156-1864 on cover, matching 1r & 2r solo usages from Leon to Guanajuato with fancy mute killer and cds, couple 2r usages from Aguascalientes, 1r+2r combination from Zacatecas, 1r Guanajuato usage and 2r Guanajuato used in Yrapuato, Tepic negative seal handstamp used on 1st period 2r (beautiful strike) and tying 2r+4r on portion of front; condition well above the norm overall; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1042 * **1864-66, Eagle Issue, without District Overprints,** six "1st Period" unoverprinted singles, a 1r ultramarine pair (rare multiple) and 4r & 8r in blocks of four, these are 25.5mm tall designs (NF $1,125+), 26 "unauthorized printing" stamps include a ½r pair with the massive plate flaw (position 71) and a 1r block of six, nine of the so-called essays (whose frames resemble U.S. 1851 3¢) are also present and include a 2r pair with invoice numbers, also a page of crude forgeries, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 17A-21A, 41A, 43A-46A; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **19b//25c** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



Ex 1043

1043 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue Balance,** massive accumulation of 1,918 stamps representing 34 districts, the best being Matamoros (four 1r), Tepeji, Tula and Tulancingo, a smattering of stamps with sub-numbers are present, 65 are unoverprinted mint, but these include two each of ½r brown and 1r ultramarine. Overprinted stamps include 44 ½r, 184 4r and 59 8r, district Mexico accounts for just under 25% of the catalog value; some faults, **most are Fine or better.** Follansbee No. 17/46 $40,477.
Scott No. **19/25** . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

1044 ✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue Cover Balance,** of 30 fairly common covers plus a few fronts (only a few from Mexico district), best being a 1r GTO 48-1865 sub 25 Irapuato, also ten sello negros covers of the period, **generally F.-V.F.** (no photo).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1045 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Apam,** 4th Period - 6 stamps and two covers; 1r 25-1865 and three 79-1865 of which two are subs (13 & 14) from Otumba (one tied to piece), two 2r 96-1865 include a sub 12 Otumba, covers have 1r 79-1865 and 2r 96-1865 tied by negative seal cancels (Schatzkes 24), **most Very Fine**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1046 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Campeche,** 14 stamps; one unused 1r 222-1864, including the rare ½r 222-1864 plus 2r (tied to piece) and 4r (corner fault) from the same consignment, also 1r & 2r fourth period and seven fifth period stamps including the 4r (309 sold), **generally Fine.** Follansbee No. 28//45 $1,250; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20a//25** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1047 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Chalco,** 17 different (sub-numbers) stamps from the 2nd, 4th & 5th periods, most are Morelos, but two are Amecameca (2r 157-1864 sub 10 and 1r 103-1865 sub 15), **mostly Very Fine,** a nice group. Follansbee No. 24/43 $450; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1048 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Colima,** ½r-8r 80-1865 with extra 4r tied to piece and other duplicates (including five noted by the collector as having been used during a stamp shortage), also ½r-8r 44-1866, the ½r present both mint and used, plus a 1r pair and some 1r-2r 122-1866 including two 1r pairs, 29 stamp total, **most Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 36/46 $1,064; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20/25** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1049 ✉ **1864-66, Eagle 1r-2r Issues, Colima,** seven covers; one two colors, one used "during a known stamp shortage" (per collector), and two late usages, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 36-37, 44**;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1050 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Cordova,** group of five unused and 36 used including a 4r 195-1864, 8r 51-1865 and First Issue ve Huatusco subs (two with sub-numbers: 2r 95-1865 sub 6 and 1r 208-1864 sub 2), most duplicates show minor variation such as different style of cancel, inverted name, numbers right instead of left, etc., **many are Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 18/44 $1,955; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20/25** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1051 o **1864-66, Eagle, 1r & 2r Issues, Cordova,** thirteen stamps with sub-numbers, all different, four are **Paso Del Macho** (Schatzkes 197), the others **Huatusco**, **most are Fine or better.** Follansbee No. 36-37, 43-44; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1052 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Cuernavaca,** group of 17 nearly all different, the two unused include a 4r 199-1864, **generally Fine or better.** Follansbee No. 18/43 $448; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21-24** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1053 o **1864-66, Eagle, 1r & 2r Issues, Cuernavaca,** two used from **Tasco** (Schatzkes 226); 1r 1st Period (small tear, looks Very Fine) and 2r 2nd Period 161-1864, **scarce and Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 18, 25; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **22, 23a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1054 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Durango,** 40 stamps (3 unused) and five covers (2r, various periods), excellent variety, but no sub-offices, best is an attractive ½r 156-1864, two 8r are faulty, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 23/45 $1,579; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20-25** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



Ex 1055

1055 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Durango,** 40 1r & 2r stamps used from ten different sub-offices, 23 have sub numbers, a couple are stamps illustrated in Pietsch's book, one 2r is tied to cover by **Papasquiaro** (Schatzkes 280 & 281), a **Gavilanes** sello negro is also included, few duplicates, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 24/44.
Scott No. **21-23** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1056 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guadalajara,** collection of 78 (7 unused) with minor duplication, plus 9 covers, invoices complete except for ½r 24-1865 and 211-1865, but no sub-consignments, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 17/46 $3,416.
Scott No. **19-25** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1057 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guadalajara-Zapotlan,** 48 stamps with sub-numbers, five mint include ½r 24-1865 sub 15, 4r 51-1866 sub 8 and two 8r (both with faults), used include a ½r 51-1866 sub 8 Teocuitatlan (faults), 4r 51-1866 sub 8, 18 1r and 23 2r, these include about ten duplicates, but there is also stamps used from Tonyla, Tapalpa, Sayula and a 2r Teocuitatlan - all worth premiums, additionally, there's a 4r bisect (24-1865) tied to piece (with MEPSI cert.), **many are Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 35/45.
Scott No. **20-25** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



Ex 1058

1058 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guadalajara-Cocula,** 17 stamps with sub-numbers, one unused (½r 51-1866 sub 13 Barca), four other ½r are all 20-1866 sub 7 but one is canceled **Union de Tula** (Schatzkes 406, thin) while the others are canceled **Cocula** (Schatzkes 370, one with MEPSI cert) others are all 1r & 2r with only a couple duplicates, 2r 92-1865 sub 34 and 131-1865 sub 40 are both **Autlan** (Schatzkes 375), a 1r 20-1866 sub 7 is **Union de Tula** (Schatzkes 406), **most Fine or better.** Follansbee No. 36-37, 42-44.
Scott No. **20d, 21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1059 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guadalajara-Tepic,** collection of 74 stamps (two mint ½rs), most having sub-numbers and mostly different, a cover and a front are also present, **mostly Very Fine,** impressive group. Follansbee No. 17/45 $1,629; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **19-25** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1060 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guadalajara,** five stamps with Colima sub-numbers; three 2r 24-1865 with subs 15 and 20 (x2), 1r & 2r 55-1865 sub 22, also four covers, two bearing stamps (1r x2 and 2r) with 55-1865 sub 22, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 31, 36-37; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1061 */o **1864-66, Eagle, 1r & 2r Issues, Guanajuato,** 4th Period Leon subs; all different except for a couple present both mint and used; eighteen 1r & thirteen 2r issues, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 36-37.
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1062 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guanajuato,** 1st Period: two unused (1r & 2r), 21 used and four covers (one a nice 1r from Leon), includes three conspicuous plate varieties where portions of the design did not print (another duplicate), there is a ½r with negative cancel, possibly La Luz which is unfortunately faulty, nice 4r with pinwheel mute of Leon, 12 other are used from sub-offices (Leon, Silao, Yrapuato), **many are Very Fine.** Follansbee No. 17-20 $1,090+; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **19, 22, 23b, 24a** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1063 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guanajuato,** 2nd Period collection of 29 stamps and 3 covers, includes nice examples of the ½r 148-1864, 4r 118-1864 and 8r 148-1864, a 1r 118-1864 has a scarce (this issue) oval Guanajuato (Schatzkes 468A, illustrated in Pietsch), there are nine different Leon sub-numbers, a 1r 148-1864 sub 56 Piedra Gorda (Schatzkes 511), five subs from Silao including a 1r 148-1864 without sub-number tied to cover (crease), three different Yrapuato subs include the 2r without sub-number, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 23-27.
Scott No. **20/25a** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1064 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guanajuato,** 3rd Period collection of 29 stamps (some duplicates) and 3 covers, includes three 4r 217-1864 one of which has some doubling or slurring of the impression, the 18 used from sub-offices (Leon, Irapuato and Silao) are all different (in terms of sub-numbers, or their lack of them) and comprise most of the value, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 29, 31-32; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21a-24** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1065 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guanajuato,** group of **5th Period Leon subs**, all different; nine 1r and thirteen 2r, also five 1r covers with Leon subs, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 43-44; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1066 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guanajuato,** group of **5th Period Irapuato subs**; all different, seven 1r and five 2r, also three 1r covers with same, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 43-44; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20-21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1067 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guanajuato,** 5th Period collection of 10 different stamps and 6 covers (all without sub-numbers), plus (more importantly) eight stamps of Silao with different sub-numbers, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 43-44; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1068 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guanajuato,** 4th Period collection of 23 stamps (some duplicates) and 7 covers, includes ½r 7-1865, 58-1865, 130-1865 & 215-1865, also 4r & 8r 58-1865, no sub-office items this lot, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 35-39 $472; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20-21, 23-25** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



Ex 1069

1069 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guanajuato,** collection of **4th Period Silao subs**; ½r 7-1865 sub 15, eight different 1r and fourteen different 2r, also three 1r covers, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 35-37; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20-21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1070 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guanajuato,** collection of **4th Period Irapuato subs**, all different; nine 1r and fourteen 2r, also a 1r cover, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 35-37; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20-21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



Ex 1061



Ex 1063



Ex 1083

1071 ✉ **1864-66, Eagle, 1r & 2r Issues, Guanajuato,** eight covers (seven 1r and a 2r) with 4th Period Leon subs, each different, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 36-37; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1072 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Guaymas,** group of 13 stamps, two are subs - 1r & 2r 116-1865 sub 2 Ures (Schatzkes 540), the 2r appear to be missing from the consignment number and date, four are unused including 4r 4th & 5th Periods, and 8r 116-1865 (nice stamp), few have faults (including the 1r 61-1866 which appears fine), **most are F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 35/46 $790; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20-21, 23-25** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1073 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Isla Del Carmen,** eight mint singles including ½r and 4r both 32-1865 and 84-1866, and 8r 84-1866, also an 8r block of four (surely rare, if not unique; few small faults), also used 1r & 2r 164-1864 two of each, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 24/46 $985; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20-25** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1074 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Jalapa,** 4th & 5th Period with **sub-numbers issued to Perote**; eight mint including a 4r (100-1865, sub 4-1866) and a 1r block, eight used 1r (two the same are tied to piece, otherwise all different) and six used 2r (different), **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23-24** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1075 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Jalapa,** 4th & 5th Period with **sub-numbers issued to Tesiutlan**; 13 stamps mostly different and used except for an 8r (8-1866, sub 5-1866, thin), three 1r, seven 2r and two ½r 23-1866 sub 6-1866, also a cover with 2r 100-1865, sub 8-1865, **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20d, 21, 23, 25** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1076 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Jalapa,** 25 used (the two 1866 8r with remainder cancels) and two mint (½r 8-1866 and 4r 100-1865 both have sub numbers, but the used do not), also two covers, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 19/46 $771; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20d/25** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1077 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Jalapa,** group of four earlier subs; 2r 132-1864 without sub-number tied to piece by Perote (Schatzkes 630, illustrated in Pietsch), 1r 230-1864, no sub-number with same Perote (irregular margin cutting in), other are both 2r, 230-1864 sub 1865-1 tied on piece by Perote (Schatzkes 630+630A) and 1865-2 canceled San Juan Los Llanos (Schatzkes 619), **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 25, 29, 31; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **22a, 23, 23a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1078 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Lagos,** group of 21 stamps and five covers; includes a couple used out-of-district, best stamp is a nice 8r 188-1865 and the nicest cover is a perfect 2r 1st Period. Follansbee No. 18/44 $800+; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21-23a-b, 25** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1079 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Lagos,** five stamp and on cover; used from **San Juan de los Lagos** (Schatzkes 675 or 678); 2r 1st Period, 1r 172-1864 pair, 1r & 2r 168-1865, also 2r 29-1866 tied to cover, **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21-23, 23b** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1080 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Maravatio,** fifteen stamps including a 1r 192-1865 with decipherable **Figueroa** (Schatzkes 724), **most are F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 19A/44 $620; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20-21, 23, 23c** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1081 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Mazatlan,** 22 stamps, the 4r 62-1866 present both mint and used, others all used, a 2r cover is also present, includes three different ½r and four 8r (3 different) one of which is very fine and illustrated in Pietsch (other 8rd have faults), piece with 4r + 1r 191-1865 is particularly attractive, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 28/46 $1,525; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20/25** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1082 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Merida,** 23 stamps (3 unused) including 13 with sub-office cancels (Sisal, Tizamin, Izamal, Maxcanu, Espita - rare, but not always clear), some faults, two Sisal with sub-numbers (rare) have thins but look nice, **F.-V.F. overall.** Follansbee No. 43-44 $1,080; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1083 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Mexico,** balance of 410 stamps collected by period and consignment number including 24 mint plus 29 covers, some minor duplication and some faults, **most are F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 17/46 $15,181.
Scott No. **19/25** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

1084 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Monterrey,** 2nd Period cons 175-1864; eleven stamps (2 unused - 1r & 2r) including nice examples of the 4r & 8r, the latter four margins and *ex-Pietsch* (illustrated in his book), 1r & 2r sub 12 **Linares** are also present, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 24-27 $820; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **22, 23a-25a** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1085 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Monterrey,** 3rd-5th Periods; 29 stamps (3 unused include the 8r 63-1865, thin) plus six covers, one with single 4r 212-1864, a 2r 212-1864 sub 6 is canceled **Linares** (Schatzkes 882); some light duplication, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 29/44 $978+; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21/25** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1086 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Morelia,** 3rd Period; 13 stamps bearing sub-numbers (one mint - ½r 220-1864 sub 5 & 9), also a used ½r 220-1864 sub 23 with Patzcuaro cancel (Schatzkes 962) and a sub 3 with blue cancel (possibly Tacambaro), others are 1r (five) and 2r including a nice sub 5 Taretan (Schatzkes 1002), some have great margins, **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20, 22a, 23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1087 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Morelia,** 4th Period sub-consignments of Patzcuaro (eight, one without sub-number), Sahuayo (three, including ½r 143-1865 sub 2 and 4r 84-1865 sub 2), and Zamora (five including ½r 143-1865 sub 38) also three "Jiquilpan" with indistinct blue cancels including ½r 143-1865 sub 39, and also a 4r 84-1865 sub 9 canceled Morelia, altogether there are 20 different, **most F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **20-21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

1088 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Morelia,** 5th Period sub-consignments of Patzcuaro (four), Cotija (two including a beautiful ½r with small faults), La Piedad (a 1r with indistinct blue cancel), Purepero (1r 16-1866 sub 8), Sahuayo (½r & 2r with blue remainder cancels), Taretan (two 2rs, one with error 106-1866 sub 17, both with Schatzkes 1002), Urupan (two, a 2r with manuscript cancel is faulty but rare), and Zamora (five), also a ½r 16-1866 sub 10 with blue Panindicuaro (Schatzkes 955), 20 different altogether, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 42-44; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20d, 21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1089 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Morelia,** group of 44 stamps and two covers; 2nd period is represented by two each of 1r & 2r (one 1r canceled Patzcuaro), while the thirteen 3rd Period stamps include a very fine 4f and two ½rs, two ½r 84-1865 include one with massive plate flaw, ½r 143-1865 and 8r 17-1865 (black cancel) are also present, there are two 4th Period 4rs and a 2r pair, a strip of three 2r 66-1866 may be unique, **mostly F.-V.F.,** a nice lot. Follansbee No. 24/45 $1,734+; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20, 20d, 21-25** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1090 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Morelia,** 1st Period; 1r 7 2r without name, plus seven with name and a 2r cover, includes the ½r (faint blue cancel) and 4r, as well as 2rs canceled **Zamora** (Schatzkes 1020) and **Patzcuaro** (Schatzkes 962 without "Franco En"), **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 17-20, 18A, 19A $740+; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **19, 22, 23b, 24a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1091 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Oaxaca,** nineteen stamps (2 mint) including two different ½r, unused 4r and a nice used 8r 40-1865, a 1r 40-1865 pair used Tehuantepec and 2r 88-1865 used Huahuapan both lack sub-numbers, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 35/44 $394+; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20-21, 23-25** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1092 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Oaxaca,** eighteen stamps used from sub-offices most with sub-numbers, all different (except for pair), Tehuantepec, Huahuapan, Tlaxiaco and Teotitlan are represented, a 2r tied to cover by Tehuantepec is also present, **mostly F.-V.F.;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1093 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Orizava,** beautiful group of 58 stamps (2 mint include a nice 4r 1st Period) and five covers, three medios include 1st Period, six 4r include two 1st period (besides the mint) and a choice 114-1865 (200 sent) as well as a 2-1866, 8rs are 159-1864 (x2) and 140-1865, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 17/45 $2,554+.
Scott No. **19/25** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

1094 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Pachuca,** 29 stamps (one mint) and a cover, includes some used from sub-offices (without sub-numbers) plus a couple with but used from the main office, best stamps are 4r 151-1864 (ex-Pietsch) and a beautiful 2r 151-1864 Zacualtipan (Schatzkes 1140), **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 18/43 $776; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21/24a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1095 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Pachuca,** ten stamps with sub-numbers, one a 2r 199-1865 sub 2 Atotonilco (Schatzkes 1126) - a beauty, others are Mineral Del Monte, all different including a 4r 124-1865 sub 6 (ex-Pietsch), **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23-24** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1096 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Puebla,** 1st Period - 16 stamps used from 10 different sub-offices exhibiting 14 different cancels, some are outstanding examples, rarest is Tecali (Schatzkes 1227) but it is a rather poor strike, **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **22, 23b** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1097 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Puebla,** 3rd Period - 11 stamps used from 7 different sub-offices all bearing sub-numbers, no duplication, **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 22a, 23** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1098 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Puebla,** 4th & 5th Periods - 53 stamps with sub-numbers, two unused (including the lot's only ½r), the rest used from eight sub-offices, no duplication, also includes a cover (2r 156-1865 sub 87 Tehuacan), **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **20** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1099 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Puebla,** group of 86 stamps (four unused all ½r including 1st Period) plus 11 covers, 24 are used from sub-offices, most with sub-numbers, all different, five 8rs include a 1st Period; occasional fault, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 17/45 $2,251+.
Scott No. **20-25** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

1100 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Puebla,** 2nd Period - 13 stamps used from 6 different sub-offices all bearing sub-numbers, no duplication, **mostly F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **22, 23a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1101 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Queretaro,** group of 59 stamps and 9 covers, all are 1r & 2r except for a 4r 129-1864 (and half of a 4r tied to piece by Queretaro box which "looks promising" but is omitted from the catalog valuation), 29 are used from sub-offices, most with sub-numbers and these are most of the value, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 18/44 $741+; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21-24a, etc.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1102 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Queretaro,** 1st Period; ten stamps (one unused 1r) and a cover (2r), 4r is canceled Ceyla and the 8r is canceled out-of-district at Guanajuato (both fine), attractive 1r canceled Salamanca (Schatzkes 1330), **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 18-21 $630+; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **22, 23b, 24a, 25b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1103 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Queretaro,** 4th Period - 95 stamps with sub-numbers representing 14 sub-offices including Jalpan (2r 38-1865 sub 34) and a beautiful Apaseo 2r 174-1865 sub 1, the Ceyla group includes two 4r 86-1865 with subs 59 & 81, three of Acambaro and nine with manuscript Iturbide are notable, except for three 1r pairs, all are different; occasional fault, **mostly F.-V.F.,** an extraordinarily difficult group to duplicate. Follansbee No. 36-38.
Scott No. **21, 23-24** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

1104 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Queretaro,** 5th Period - 43 stamps with sub-numbers, representing 11 sub-offices, except for two pairs - all are different, also two covers (2r from Ceyla and 1r 33-1865 sub 21 Salamanca which has file fold crease), **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500


Ex 1087


Ex 1093


Ex 1099


Ex 1105


Ex 1106


Ex 1107



Ex 1098



Ex 1103



Ex 1104

1105 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Queretaro,** 3rd Period - 30 stamps used from nine sub-offices, different sub-numbers except a 1r 198-1864 sub 60 Iturbide (Schatzkes 1310B) is a very fine pair, **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **22a, 23** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1106 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Queretaro,** 1st period - 13 stamps used from eight sub-offices plus a Ceyla cover, also present a beautiful sello negro cover of the period with Valle de Santiago (Schatzkes 1338), **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **22, 23b** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1107 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Queretaro,** 2nd Period - 15 stamps used from six sub-offices, different sub-numbers, includes a 2r 129-1864 sub 40 with manuscript cancel of Iturbide (Schatzkes 1310B), 1r 129-1864 sub 42 San Felipe (Schatzkes 1307) and 1r 171-1864 sub 50 Salamanca (Schatzkes 1330); occasional fault, **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **22, 23a** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1108 ✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Queretaro,** 4th Period sub-offices tied to six covers; two 2r Ceyla, three S. Mig. Allende (1r, two2r) and a 2r 38-1865 sub 36 tied by blue Valle de Santiago (Schatzkes 1340), **F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1109 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Saltillo,** 6 mint and 13 used, mint includes two 8r 34-1866 with and without district name, used with four from Parras (Schatzkes 1414) and a slightly cut in ½r 34-1866, **generally Fine.** Follansbee No. 29/46 $520; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20d, 21, 22a, 23, 25** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1110 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** 4th Period - incredible lot of 61 stamps bearing sub-numbers, nearly all different except for a mint ½r 10-1866 sub 11 (MEPSI cert), all are used from 16 different sub-offices, these include Cedral, Espiritu Santo, Guadalcazar, Jaral, Mazapil, Moctezuma, Santa Maria del Rio, Villa de San Francisco to name those which are probably scarcest, though even the more frequently seen towns have their rarities as well; occasional fault, **mostly F.-V.F.,** it might not be possible to duplicate this lot in a lifetime. Follansbee No. 35-37.
Scott No. **20, 21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000


Ex 1111

1111 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** twenty 3rd Period stamps used from nine sub-offices, all bearing sub-numbers, these include 4r 226-1864 sub 2 Catorce and ½r 189-1864 sub 48 Matehuala., all different except two 1r 189-1864 sub 50 are tied to a piece (Catorce - Schatzkes 1472), in addition there is a mint 4r 226-1864 sub 11, a 2r 189-1864 sub 44 with fancy Cedral (Schatzkes 1475) is rare but has rather poor margins, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 28-29,31-32.
Scott No. **20a, 22a, 23-24** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



Ex 1110



Ex 1124



Ex 1129

1112 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** group of 79 stamps (4 unused), 16 covers and a sello negro cover of the period, several have sub-numbers, includes seven 4r and three 8r, an 8r 57-1866 is scarce and nice, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 18/44 $2,136.
Scott No. **20/25a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1113 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** eight 2nd Period stamps used from six sub-offices, six bearing sub-numbers, these include 1r 127-1864 sub 44 Cedral (Schatzkes 1478), 2r 127-1864 without sub-number Venado (Schatzkes 1539), and a rare 4r 170-1864 sub 62 Tula de Tamaulipas (Schatzkes 1538), in addition there is an unused 8r 127-1864 sub 11, no duplication, **mostly F.-V.F;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **22, 23a, 24a, 25a** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1114 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** 1r & 2r 1st Period without district name used from sub-offices, four of each value representing Jaral (Schatzkes 1496), Charcas (Schatzkes 1483), Moctezuma (Schatzkes 1514), Rio Verde (Schatzkes 1528), and Venado (Schatzkes 1539), **mostly Fine or better,** three stamps illustrated in Pietsch and one with M.E.P.S.I. certificate, a rare group.
Scott No. **22b, 23c** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

1115 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** thirteen 1r & 2r 1st period (with district name) used from nine sub-offices; towns including Catorce, Cedral, Ciudad del Maiz (1r blue cancel, 2r black), Concepcion, Guadalcazar, Jaral (1r pair tied to piece), Matehuala, Pinos, Penon Blanco, **mostly F.-V.F.,** a beautiful and rare group, with four stamps illustrated in Pietsch.
Scott No. **22, 23b** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

1116 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** 21 4th Period stamps and a cover, all from **Catorce** (Schatzkes 1472), all bearing sub-numbers, all different except for 1r 10-1865 sub 13 being a pair and the 2r 208-1865 sub 2 tied to cover duplicates a loose stamp, the 4r 208-1865 sub 21 is a highlight - rare, but has a small surface thin or scuff at upper right, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 36-38.
Scott No. **21, 23-24** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

1117 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** twenty seven 4th Period stamps used from **Matehuala** (16 1r, 11 2r) with different sub-numbers except a 2r has the number missing and there is a 1r pair, many have four excellent margins, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 36-37.
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1118 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** 5th Period - 20 stamps bearing sub-numbers, used from 7 different sub-offices, 1r 57-1866 sub 24 Salinas pair and 1r 77-1866 sub 37 Charcas single and pair (tied to piece) are the only instances of duplication, a 2r 46-1866 sub 23 Santa Maria del Rio is particularly nice, **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 43-44.
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1119 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, San Luis Potosi,** ten 4th Period stamps used from **Salinas del Peñon Blanco** (various cancels including manuscript) all bearing sub-numbers, all different except for 1r 208-1865 sub 18 being a pair, several are ex-Pietsch and illustrated in his book, additionally, there is a 2r 208-1865 sub 10 tied to a cover by the large oval (Schatzkes 1534) - quite attractive, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 36-37; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1120 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Tampico,** group of 41 (8 unused) including 1r-4r 1st Period both mint and used, plus 1r & 2r without overprint (used), also includes two covers, **generally F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 18-20, 18A-19A, 24/44 $2,295.
Scott No. **20-24, 25a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1121 * **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Toluca,** 21 stamps, the best being a 2r 1st Period nicely cancelled Tescaltitlan (Schatzkes 1684) and nice 1r & 2r 137-1864, the latter cancelled Tejupilco, a 2r 91-1865 sub 16 1865 is indistinctly cancelled Temascaltepec and a 2r 79-1866 sub 19-1866 is Tenancingo, the two ½r are faulty (the 1st Period looks nice, though), **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 17/43 $1,022; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **19/23b** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1122 */o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Toluca,** five 4th Period 1r & 2r and two 5th Period 2r all with sub-numbers, one 2r is unused, offices are Temascaltepec, Tenancingo and Villa del Valle, scarce to rare, couple thinned, **generally Fine**; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1123 o **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Tulancingo,** fourteen stamps including a thinned ½r 1st Period, **most Fine.** Follansbee No. 17/44 $1,125; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **19, 21-3, 23a, 23b** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200


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1124 * **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Veracruz,** group of 87 (9 unused include a nice ½r 1st Period and two later 8rs), plus 11 covers and a stampless soldier's letter to France, "duplicates" are usually minor varieties in actuality, many common stamps are in uncommonly beautiful condition, **F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 17/44 $3,918.
Scott No. **19/25a** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1125 */o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Zacatecas,** 46 stamps (one mint) plus seven covers and two sellos negros, includes nine with sub-numbers (7 different)., **mostly F.-V.F.** Follansbee No. 18/44 $1,360+; (see photo on website).
Scott No. **20/25a** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1126 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Zacatecas,** 37 4th & 5th Period stamps with sub-numbers (all different) used from ten sub-offices (no Aguascalientes). Additionally there's a 2r Sombrerete cover, two ½r 148-1865 subs 84 & 1, Sombrerete have faults, **most Fine or better.**
Scott No. **20-21, 23** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1127 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Zacatecas-Augascalientes,** 9 1st-3rd Period stamps without sub-numbers (Follansbee catalog value $369) and 26 subsequent stamps with different sub-numbers, also four covers, **mostly F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **21/24a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1128 o/✉ **1864-66, Eagle Issue, Zacatecas,** ten 3rd Period stamps and a cover used from sub-offices: two from Fresnillo (Schatzkes 1869), the rest, including a ½r 244-1864 and the cover, from Sombrerete (Schatzkes 1912 or 1913), **mostly F.-V.F.;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **22, 23a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1866-1903 Balance Lots

1129 */o **1866-67 Emperor Maximilian Issue Collection,** of 495 stamps plus a few French stamps with CEM bureau cancels, a nice carte de viste of the emperor and his wife, and a quantity of unoverprinted stamps, includes three engraved 7c unused (small faults), strip of three used 25c Mexico 120-866, used pair of 25c Mexico 28-1866, several mint blacks of four (various, including 25c Mexico name only chocolate shade) and various with sub-numbers, some used, 26 districts are represented, there are duplicates and some faulty (as usual), but also some premium varieties, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **27-34**; $12,097 . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

1130 ✉ **1866, Emperor Maximilian Cover Group,** six covers and a front, all 25c single frankings; stamps include Mexico 28-1866, Mexico 87-1866, Leon 47-1866, sub 7 (the front), Guanajuato 112-866, Puebla 108-866, SLP 12-1866 and SLP 74-1866, **Very Fine;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **28-29, 33** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1131 */o/✉ **1867 Gothic "Mexico" Issue Collection,** 200 stamps in binder, Scott catalog value $10,841 from which sixteen different cataloging $1,797 would make a basic collection (couple present both mint and used) which could be augmented by two pairs (one 4r), five covers, a few plate varieties (including the 2r position 189 large plate crack) and some used outside of Mexico City selected from the rest, includes a 4r printed on both sides, also a few "curiosities" not counted; condition varies, **F.-V.F. overall.**
Scott No. **36//45a** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1132 ✉ **1867 Gothic "Mexico" Issues on Cover,** group of 8 covers; includes three 2r black on pink (37) single usages, two with Mexico cds and one with mute grid canceller, 1r + 2r (36+37) combination usage to Durango, 1r blue (43) single and two 2r green (44) single usages, one showing crack plate flaw, and a 1r + 2r (43+44) combination usage; couple with flaws, **generally Very Fine;** (see photo on website).
Scott No. **36//44** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1133 ✉ **1868 Full Face Hidalgo Issue on Cover,** group of 25 covers and three fronts; with 12c solo usage from Apam and several pairs usages, strip of three Parasquiaro to Durango, 12c+25c combination from Mazatlan, 25c solo usages from various towns including Mazatlan, Acapulco, Sinaloa, Allende, Guad Y Calvo (red straight line), Ario de Rosales, Saltillo with attractive governor official eagle cachet handstamp, etc., 50c solo usages from Mexico and Matamoros, combination with 25c from Tepic and 12c from Durango; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1134 ✉ **1872 Hidalgo Profile Issue on Cover,** group of 17 covers and front; includes 6c two pairs (stamp fault) tied by Tula Tampas oval, 12c solo usage from Ojo Calientes, two 12c+25c combination frankings from Tampico and Acatlan, 25c usages from an array of towns including Matamoros (negative seal cancel), Matehuala, S.L.P. with Papel Sellado watermark issue (Scott 83), C. Gutzman, Veracruz, Ville Ortega de Rio Grande, etc., also a 25c front to Philadelphia additionally franked with U.S. 3¢ Banknote, 50c solo usage to Saltillo; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



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1135 */o **1874-1883 Hidalgo Profile Issue Group,** 20 selected stamps, mostly unused, values from 4c-100c, seven are high values in excellent condition, districts include La Paz, Chalco, Cuautitlan, Merida, Chiapas and Oaxaca (NF $593) (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1136 ✉ **1874-81 Hidalgo Profile Issue on Cover,** group 28 covers; includes 4c on printed notice Mexico to Mazatlan, 10c orange usages from Toluca and Salamaca (on tri-indicia entire), 10c black usages including 25c combination from Puebla, most 25c solo usages with an array of towns including Tlacotalpam, S.L.P. with variety of townmarks, Tacamraro, Maravatio, Leon, Oaxaca, Celaya, Monterrey (oval date stamp in black and red), C. Guzman, Guadalajara (oval date stamp in purple and red), S. Juan de los Lagos, etc. (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1137 ✉ **1874-81 Hidalgo Profile Issue, Mazatlan Covers,** balance of 10 covers; including five numerals wide apart usages including 10c usage to Newton, Mass. via San Francisco, 10c+25c combination to Guadalajara and 50c solo usage to Tepic, other with numeral at top including 5c on postal card and a 5c+10c x2 to Alamos, other 25c usage to various destinations; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1138 */o **1879-83 Foreign Mail Issue Collection,** of over 1,180 stamps with a Scott catalog value of over $14,800, plus quantities of unoverprinted mint (not counted) organized in three volumes mainly by district, most of which are represented, great many stamps of which only 100-200 (or fewer) were issued, 25c and higher denominations are figured as unused with a few exceptions that are clearly postally used (including three 85c, 50c yellow and a faulty but impressive 100c orange), some scarce stamps are worth major premiums; some duplication to be expected, **F.-V.F. overall.**
Scott No. **123//149** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000



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1139 */o **1884-85 Hidalgo Medallion Issue Selection,** selection of high value rarities in great condition; includes a 5 pesos blue green Sc #230 with MEPSI cert (Sc $1,200), the largest multiple known (strip of 5 unused) of the 25c blue Sc # 173 ($1,125), a used strip of 3 of 5 pesos blue Sc # 163 ($900), and an impressive array of rare varieties: 2 pairs of 10c imperf Sc # 156a), 2 pairs and a block of 2c imperf Sc# 151a ($825), a block of 6 of 50c imperf Sc #160a ($450) and the rare 25c with COLECCION overprint; total Scott value $5,025.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1140 */✉ **1886-87 Numeral Issue Group,** with 14 items: includes rare private post card to Russia, a cover from Tubutama, Sinaloa with the stamp cut-to-shape, eight 20c dark violet (4 n.h. and one block of 4), unused block of 6 of 2c ledger lines o.g. Sc 202, two n.h. 4c imperf between Sc #215, 2 postal cards to rare destinations (Angola and Brazil), a U.S. postal card with a Mexican stamp, and others; stamps alone catalog $2,096; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1141 ✉ **1886-95 Numeral Issue on Cover,** 18 covers and a half a dozen fronts; includes two 1888 1c on 2c Colima Provisional surcharge usages to Texas, scarce 5c ruled line perf 6x12 in combination with normal perf 12 on cover from Piaxtla (ex-Schimmer), other 5c ruled lines usage including Mazatlan to New York and another to San Francisco forwarded to Susanville, 10c on Hidalgo Express frank cover Matamoros to Puebla, other usages from town including San Ignacio and Batopilas, uprated 6c entire with additional 20c "Falta De Porte", etc.; interesting group; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1142 o/✉ **1886-95 Numeral Issue Balance,** eleven exhibit pages showing an excellent variety of cancels on ten covers (one registered), two express entires, four postal cards and 28 other items (stamps, pieces), among the scarcer is a violet oval Piaxtla (Taylor SIN 43/3) tied a 5c to cover, 5c postal card canceled with administrator's seal (fancy) of Canitas (Taylor ZAC 5/1), Puerto Angel (OAX 53/5) is also quite scarce, as is Petatlan, Guerrero, there is a page of mute cancels, couple of railroad cancels, but more impressive is a 10c cancelled J.V. Comfort, Steamer City of Sydney, **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1143 ✉ **1886-95 Numeral Issue Cover Balance,** 40 covers and three postal cards, among the more interesting are an unrecorded type Huisquilucan (Mexico State), Puerto Angel (OAX 53/5), Hermanas, Coahila going to London, and two with mutes of Guaymas (42-V) and Mineral del Monte (unrecorded), **generally F.-V.F.**; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1144 ✉ **1886-95 Numeral Issue Usages,** three covers unusual for their postal markings, one with 5c from Colima bears circular "despues de la hora" (received after hours), a 2c postal card up-rated 1c has two strikes of the circular "Havarr" (probably a carrier's mark), and a cover with 10c tied by superb strike of Ortiz (SON 60/3), **Very Fine**; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1145 ✉ **1886-95 Numeral Issue Cover Group,** six covers and a front, all registered bearing sixteen stamps (8 different) including a pair of Scott 199, destinations include England, Austria, France and Germany, **F.-V.F.,** attractive group; (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1146 */o/✉ **1895-99 Mulitas Issue Group,** 19 items; includes $5 and $10 pesos singles Sc# 255, 256 ($1,390) one with a MEPSI cert., a cover with an US-Mexico mixed franking, 3 covers and 1 piece with mixed frankings Aguilitas-Mulitas (very rare probably no more than 50 exist), 3 postage due covers (one with "Nota Instructiva", one to Montreal), a striking registered cover with two 12c brown in 2 different colors, a rare used strip of 5 of 12c brown, a cover with a strip of 5 of 4c, and a 2c bisect on a wrapper Sc #243a ($250); attractive group.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1147 */o/✉ **1899-1903 Aguilitas Issue Collection,** neatly arranged in 2 binders in 96 protector sheets, most items come from the prestigious Schimmer collection, about 195 items (148 covers, 22 used postal cards and 25 fronts) from 1c-50c, 4 covers and 2 fronts bear the 50c, this is not an accumulation but a selection of better items, the fronts include 15 very attractive judiciary wrappers showing the business documents rate and a $1.15 paid with mostly 15c stamps, 48 items have 3 or more stamps, many covers are bicolor and 9 are tricolor, several are striking, although the basic rates were 5c and 10c, 25 items paid a postage of more than 20c, rates include the uncommon solo usages of 1c and 2c stamps, the rare Muestra rate, 4 postage dues and 2 unusual covers with 1908 suplementario stamps, 120 items are to foreign countries including Cuba, New Zealand, Belgium, Japan, Rome, Peru, Chile, Luxemburg, Denmark, Hungary, Norway, Australia, Austria and Sweden, domestic include small town cancels: Mina, Hornos, La Ojuela, Chilac, Casino Aleman, Tochimilco, Ventana, Baja California (Santa Rosalia, Tijuana, Ensenada), Ameca, Huamantla, Minillas, Tepeaca, Sain Alto, Rio Verde, Magdalena, Omitlan, Cañitas, Totimehuacan, Calpulalpa, Huachinango, Chiautla and Tapachula, the collection includes 275+ stamps (many unused) of all denominations (1c-5 pesos), a 2c red bisect from Tijuana and a 10c violet with the rare MUESTRA overprint.
Scott No. **294//309** . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

Miscellaneous Balances

1148 */o/✉ **1899-1916 Issues Stock,** neatly arranged in binder with modest to moderate duplication at times; best mint are Scott #294-302 (plus duplicates of 294-301), 310-320, 423-433, a 465 that is probably good, 484-494, 527, 528-538, these catalog over $1,000, additionally there are a great many stamps in the $10-$30 range, 1915 Villa Monograms including inverts some of which are probably good, including Scott 444, several covers also present (no photo).
Scott No. **294** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1149 ✉ **Mazatlan Sub-Office Postmarks, 1839-51,** 13 stampless covers; includes bold **Copala** (Schatzkes 753) with and without unlisted "Franco" handstamp, **Cosala** (754) with "3" rate handstamp in red and black, **Culiacan** with straight line (YB MZ46) in red and black, red fancy oval (MZ47) and two different date stamps (MZ48 & MZ50), **Panuco** straight line in red (Schatzkes 773), red boxed Rosario (YB MZ116), 1839 **Sinaloa** in oval (MZ120), etc., **generally F.-V.F. or better;** (see photo on website).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1150 */o/✉ **1856-1919 Mixed Balance,** odds and ends, with 17 items of classics and Revolution; impressive strip of 3 used of 2r first issue (Sc#3), 2 blocks of 25c Maximilian with Mexico name only (7,227 issued to exchange for demonetized Eagles), nice Maximilian 7c engraved with Mepsi cert. (Scott $450), pristine stampless Soyaniquilpam cover, Merida stampless registered front, U.S. Charleston to Mexico front probably from war times, two 1882 used postal stationary covers one to Constantinople, Turkey, 4 unused premium genuine revolutionary stamps with Carranza overprints Sc# 482, 482v inverted, 483, one with MEPSI cert indicating NH ($405), a 5 pesos unused Gobierno Constitucionalista + Villa overprints NF 480C-SP, and 3 nice looking White Sonora covers without seal that look philatelic (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1151 F **1856-67 Fakes & Reprints Collection,** of approximately 260 stamps and 19 covers mostly arranged on pages in binder; virtually all Hidalgo issues with numerous reprints with forged overprints and cancels, fake splits on piece and on cover including works of Raoul De Thuin, some Spiro forgeries with a nice array of types and cancels, a 1861 4r block of 59 with fake Veracruz overprints, group of recent certified items (mostly covers) with dubious items hiding in collections including Josling & Schatzkes; an interesting reference group.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1152 */o/✉ **1917-1940 Issues Stock,** arranged in two binders, includes a smattering of earlier (1915-16 without overprints) and later (including two 1993 TEXPEX booklets), mostly modest to moderate duplication including several 1940 Centenary sets; catalog value will easily exceed $3,000 (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1153 ✉ **20th Century Covers,** balance of approximately several hundred covers and cards; mostly earlier including Sonora issues, registered with blue and green eagle seals on reverse, censor mail, interesting array of picture postcards showing a nice array of towns, official corner card, consular mail, etc.; worth a look (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1154 */o **Mexico Accumulation,** filling large box; includes 3 packed stockbooks, couple sparse Scott albums, filled Lighthouse albums, etc., loads of 1950-70 & Exporta definitives; inspect (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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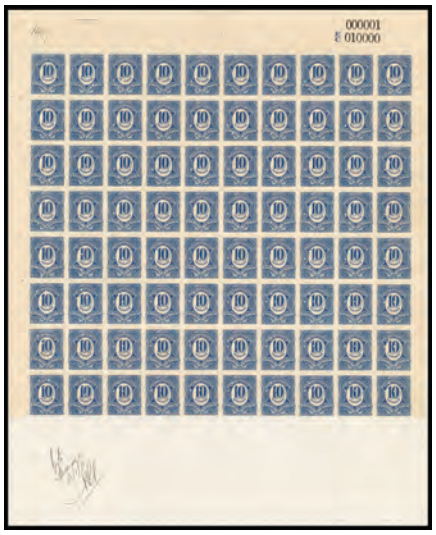

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1155 ✉ **1914 Transitorio Issue on Cover,** 60 covers of which ten represent nearly all of the value, these include seven official mail (frankings usually multiples of 3 centavos (3c, 6c, 9c up to 18c) including a registered with two 20c plus a 2c Denver issue - highly unusual, a registered cover bears four Scott 369 and another bears the 20c, one has 2c pair plus 1c Ejercito issue, and one is an 8c (4c pair) approximation of the 5c rate (due to stamp shortage), etc., **F.-V.F.** (no photo).
Scott No. **354//369** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1156 */o/✉ **Mexico Cover Balance,** with approximately 100 mostly post-revolution covers, most value in two covers - one with Scott C53 (1p Geographical Congress) and a 1944 insured letter with three 10c Scott #G4 (not common), a collection of general issues stamps and stampless covers in two Elbe albums; inspect (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1157 */o **Back-Of-The-Book Stock,** hundreds in binder with modest to moderate duplication; includes Porte De Mar which should catalog over $300 (including JX24), but this is minor compared to the officials which are most of the lot's value, most of the 1895-98 officials appear to be genuine and there are may cataloging in the $10-$30 range, best are mint O74, O194 & O195; worth examining (no photo).
Scott No. **1918** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

Airmail Issues

1158 * **1934, 20c-20p National University Issue Complete,** full o.g., rich vibrant colors throughout, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **C54-C61** $2,685

1159 ✉ **Airmail Cover Group, 1927-83,** 60+ covers, mostly commercial usages with a few event items; includes 1930 Scadta first flight, registered, 1929 inaugural flights including pilot signed, 1930's usages to Germany with German flight handstamps, 1930 flight to Honduras, 1934 Macon airship cachet flight cover, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Postage Dues

1160 ✉ **1908 Postage Due Issues on Cover,** three covers, one a U.S. 2¢ entire sent from U.S. occupied Veracruz to Mexico City with 10c Due not tied, the others with dues well tied by Cartero handstamps, one having 1c + 5c added to a 2c franked 1912 cover from Veracruz and other with 10c added to 5c cover sent Mexico City to La Cananea, Sonora in 1911 (addressed to the president of the local Madero-Vasquez Gomez political organization), **F.-V.F.,** covers with dues properly used are scarce.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1161 P **1908, 1c-10c Postage Dues Complete, Suplementario Proofs,** matched set of five upper panes of 80, each stamp with rhomboid perf-in as proofs, each multiple is mounted on a large cream card sheet for approval and 2 signatures, each multiple has the plate number "000001" and "010000" with letters A through D (1c, 2c, 4c, 5c & 10c), **Very Fine,** a unique set, these stamps were issued in 1908 and were used also during the Mexican Revolution.
Scott No. **J1-J5** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

Revenue Issues

1162 */o **Mexico Contribucion Federal Revenue Collection, 1874-1937,** a wonderful mounted collection of 312 stamps of which 156 are the large pre-1894 issues which are such marvelous examples of the engraver's art, duplication mostly has purpose (shades, overprints, etc); owner's 2011 catalog value $2,091. Stevens No. CF1//CF438 (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1163 */o **Mexico State Revenue Collection,** neatly mounted and written up on pages in Scott album; includes Coahuila (36), Durango (134), Guerrero (23), Michocan (7), Morelos (97), Oaxaca (7), Puebla (10) and Yucatan (36); owner's 2011 catalog value $2,126 (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

1164 */o **Mexico Revenues, Documentos Y Libros Collection, 1874-1915,** collection/hoard mounted and annotated on pages in a packed 3 ring binder of more than 200+ pages, mostly used with a smattering of mint comprising 3,750+ stamps, mounted by issue and value with concentration in Documentos y Libros issues, many varieties listed, double transfer, double perf etc, with many nice multiples, on piece, a multitude of district and municipal overprints and substantial and useful duplication that should yield more varieties, warrants inspection (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1165 */o **Mexico Metales Precioso Issue Revenue Collection, 1895-1914,** 89 stamps neatly mounted and written up on album pages, appears to complete lacking one stamp; owner's 2011 catalog value $782. Stevens No. MP1//MP76 (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

1166 */o **Mexico Revolution Issue Revenue Collection, 1900,** of 456 stamps neatly mounted and written up on album pages; owner's 2011 catalog value $1,369. Stevens No. RV1//RV79 (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Postal Stationery



1167 ✉ **1892, 10c Vermilion, Advertising Sheet and Envelope,** entire addressed to **Paris, France**, canceled by "Veracruz, May 12.93" cds, with French "Ligne B" ship date stamp and Paris transit; couple trivial small tears around indicia window, **Very Fine,** a very rare foreign destination usage of this entire, accompanied by a pristine unused example. Higgins and Gage No. 38A.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

These were printed as a special order containing a printed flyer with many advertisements and an embossed image of the 10c. The envelope has a cut die cut oval window revealing the indicia. The user would only pay 5c and the remaining 5c would be subsidized by the advertisers.

1168 * **Mexico Postal Stationery Accumulation,** several hundreds mint items, with many compound indicia, district overprints, couple Wells, Fargo Y Cia franks, some later issues; please inspect (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1169 */o **Mexico Postal Stationery, 1885-1960,** group of approximately 130 items mostly mint with little to no duplication; includes illustrated advertising postal cards, proof and specimen, run of airmail entires including a 25c double impression indicia, express frank entires of Wells, Fargo Y Cia, Hidalgo and Nacional Mexicicano, usages including railroad, etc. (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

Officials

1170 ✉ **(Officials) 1899-1930 Official Cover Balance,** of 8 covers and partial front; three are 1889-1903 stampless, official allover illustrated covers with departmental seal printed on flap, two plus the front have #O2 tied, a 1922 cover has 10c tied and Presidencia de la Repubilca corner card with national arms, two from 1930: one stampless, the other registered with 40c stamp tied, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Scott No. **O2//O188**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1171 ✉ **(Official Seals - Dead Letter Office) 1913-15 Rezagos (Dead Letter) Archive Covers,** 16 covers sent between February 1913 and February 1915 all with Rezagos seals and most with accumulated postal markings applied after the contents were searched for information needed for attempted returns to sender (each ending in failure), markings include Lista, Mala Direccion, Recibida Abierta, No Reclamada, etc., three covers impacted by **military events** (Oficina Clausurada - P.O. closed) including the battles of Torreon and Monterrey and the occupation of Tampico, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1172 ✉ **Official Mail Accumulation, 1920-70's,** hoard of hundreds, from normal to oversized items from a wide range of offices, post office including some forms, diplomatic mail, etc.; a nice group for the specialist; please inspect (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Provisional Issues



1173 ✉ **Chiapas, 1866, 1r Black on Light Green, Chiapas Provisional, Horizontal Pair,** full margins, affixed on reverse of 1867 folded letter sheet sealing cover as usual, to Oaxaca with two strikes of **Tuxtla** script handstamp (Schatzkes 132) tying pair, front with additional strike and matching "Franco" handstamp (Schatzkes 132A); light cover edge wear and left stamp with sealed upper corner opening tear and small margin tear at lower right in pair, **still Very Fine appearance,** almost all covers of this issue show tears given the custom in Chiapas of sealing the covers with the stamps; signed J.K. Bash, with 1959 Bureau de Peritajes, 1992 and 2010 M.E.P.S.I. certificates.
Scott No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE ON COVER USAGE OF THE 1R CHIAPAS PROVISIONAL IN MULTIPLE FORMAT.

1174 ✉ **Guadalajara, 1867, 2r Black on White,** tied by strike of circular C. Guzman handstamp (Schatzkes 342) on 1867 folded letter to Guadalajara, **Very Fine**; with 2002 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



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Ex 1181



Ex 1182



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1175 ✉ **Guadalajara, 1867, 2r Black on White,** tied by ribbon handstamp (Schatzkes 343) on folded letter sheet dated in the first month of issue on January 29, 1867, matching C. Guzman banner postmark (Schatzkes 340), to Guadalajara 650, **Very Fine,** all covers from the first period are rare; with 2002 M.E.P.S.I. certificate.
Scott No. **6** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

General Foreign

1176 ** **Monaco, 1972 2,00f "Albert" Durer Error,** unissued error (Albert instead of Albrecht), bottom left corner margin single, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and choice,** very rare. Scott No. 817 var.
Maury No. **915A**. €6,000 ($7,380)

1177 ** **Monaco, 1972 2,00f "Albert" Durer Error,** unissued error (Albert instead of Albrecht), horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine and choice,** very rare. Scott No. 817 var.
Maury No. **915A** €12,000 ($14,760)

1178 P **Paraguay, 1881 Lion Issue, Plate Proofs,** imperf proof sheets of 100 on thick carton paper; 1c in brown and black, 2c in rose and brown and 4c in blue and brown, also sheets of unissued 2r in brown and green, issued sheets with "Litho. L. Gourmand. Buenos Aires" imprints at sides; minor selvage flaws, **otherwise Very Fine** (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1179 P **Paraguay, 1881 Lion Issue, Plate Proofs,** imperf proof sheets of 100 on wove; 1c in brown, black and rose, 2c and 4c in blue and black, with "Litho. L. Gourmand. Buenos Aires" imprints at sides; minor selvage flaws, **otherwise Very Fine** (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1180 P **Romania, 1872-79, King Carol I Issue Proofs,** 16 stamps part perf and imperf; includes 1½b in blue, green, bistre, carmine and orange (pair), 5b in red brown and black (single and pair), 10b in green, black, bistre and orange, 25b in black and carmine; few small flaws, **generally Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1181 P **Romania, 1880, King Carol I "Perle" Issue Proofs,** 10 items; 15b issue with die proof on India stamp size and a imperf gummed proof with blue "Project" overprint, 25b with 8 proofs on various colored papers with "Print Anulat" overprint in blue; one 25b with repaired tear, **a Fine group.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1182 P **Romania, 1885-89, King Carol I "Vulturi" Issue Trial Colors,** 12 issues; 1½b in blue (tear) and red brown on light buff paper, four 5b black on different paper types and 15b black block of 4 and pair on wove, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1183 ✉ **Russia, 1898, 4k Red Postal Card,** to Japan canceled by **Korea "Gensan, I.J.P.O."** cds, with matching boxed Paquebot handstamp and red arrival cds; some card toning, **Fine,** a scarce usage from the Japanese Office in Gensan, Korea.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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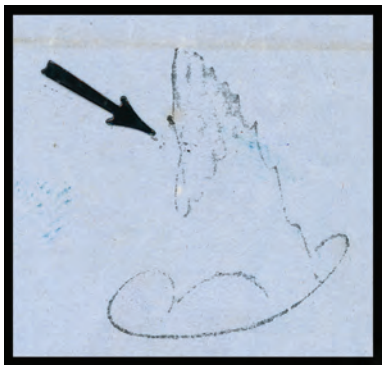


1184 ✉ **Puerto Rico, 1855 (May 13) Guayama, Puerto Rico to New York N.Y. via Cuba,** blue datelined folded letter from the Lanman Kemp correspondence, bold blue "Guayama, Puerto Rico, May 9" cds and matching "Franco" handstamp adjacent and "2" reales rating handstamp, second strike of Guayama (5.13) backstamp, sent from San Juan with blue "Baeza, 15 May 1855" dispatch cds, reverse with blue "Havana, Isla de Cuba, 2 Jun 1855" transit cds and **black "Rubric" handstamp**, carried by steamship from Havana to New York, black "10, Steamship" circular due handstamp for 10¢ steamship rate, file folds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THE RARE CUBA "RUBRIC" HANDSTAMP ON TRANSIT MAIL FROM PUERTO RICO TO THE UNITED STATES.

ONE OF ONLY THREE RECORDED STRIKES OF THE CUBA "RUBRIC" HANDSTAMP.

This unusual rubric-shaped handstamp was rarely applied to correspondence in transit through Havana during May 1855. In an article "The Auditor's Rubric" by Adolfo Sarrias & Yamil H. Kouri Jr. (copy accompanies lot), they suggest "this marking was applied as an intervention postmark, applied to letters held for lack of payment of Cuban transit fee. The delay for forwarding the letters suggests that the Havana post office held them until someone paid the postage. It is possible that the Cuban Postal Administration sent a notice to the addressee requesting the payment or that a third party, the consul from the addressee's country, a business associate, etc. made the payment.The handstamp appears to be the rubric signature of Manuel Arias, who appears to have been a mail inspector and is listed for 1857 and 1859 as the 1st Intervening Officer, second in importance after the Postmaster General.

Tannu Tuva

1185 * **1933, 35k on 15k Brown, Type III Surcharge,** o.g., hinge remnant, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** a choice example of this scarce surcharge issue.
Scott No. **44** $1,500

1186 ** **1935, Camel, 3t Red Brown, Imperf Between,** marginal pair, o.g., never hinged (hinged in selvage only), few natural gum wrinkles slightly creasing, **Very Fine and very scarce.**
Scott No. **69 var.** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1187 (*) **1943, 22nd Anniversary, 25k Slate Blue on Buff Paper,** complete sheet of 5, without gum as issued, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **120** $900

1188 */(*) **1943, 22nd Anniversary Issue, Buff and White Papers,** seven issues missing 25k black on buff for total completion, 25k black on white o.g., others without gum as issued, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **120, 122-123, 120a-123a** $685

1189 (*) **1943, 22nd Anniversary, 25k Slate Blue on White Paper,** complete sheet of 5, without gum as issued, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **120a** $500

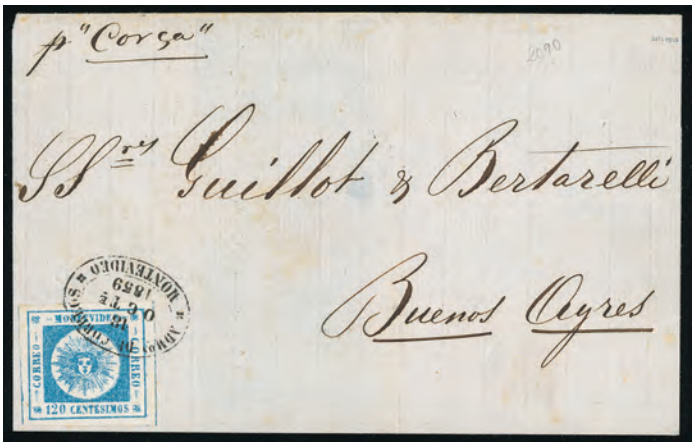
1190 (*)❒ **1943, 22nd Anniversary, 25k Black on White Paper,** complete sheet of 5, without gum as issued, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **121a** $600

1191 * **Thailand, 1899, King Chulalongkorn, 1a on 12a Lilac & Carmine, Surcharge Type N, Inverted "1",** full o.g., well centered, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **66a** $300

1192 o **Thailand, 1918-19, Blue, Imperf, Dusit Thani Local Post Issue,** large even margins, neat corner cancel, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderful example of this very rare local issue.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

The Dusit Thani local issue were used at the palace in the Democracy Model City. Only a few are known genuinely used.

Uruguay



1193 ✉ **1859, 120c Blue, Thin Figures,** ample to mostly large margins, tied by neat "Montevideo, 18 Oct, 1859" oval date stamp on folded letter sheet to Buenos Ayres, manuscript **"pr Corça" ship** endorsement at top, **Very Fine,** a very usage sent on the steamer *Corça* as this ship was in service for a few short period of time.
Scott No. **10** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



1194 (*)❒ **1859, 240c Vermilion, Small Figures,** block of 4, without gum, **top left stamp showing colorless spot in top left spandrel** (subtype 13A), other types 14/15-16, creases affecting bottom left and right stamps, small nick in top margin, **Very Fine appearance,** this being **one of only four blocks of four recorded bearing subtypes**.
Scott No. **12** . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

1195 ✉ **1866, 5c Blue, Imperforate,** ample to mostly large margins, tied by fancy sunburst handstamp on folded letter sheet to Tacuarembo, matching "Montevideo, 15 Enero, 1866" oval date stamp; cover with bottom flap missing, **Very Fine,** one of the earliest recorded on cover examples of this stamp; with 2008 C. Rocha certificate.
Scott No. **30** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



1196 (✉) **1866, 15c Yellow, Imperforate, Trisected,** right third of stamp tied by Rocha oval handstamp on 1866, 5¢ blue postal front addressed to Montevideo, initially misdirected to Rocha with Montevideo transit (19.7.1870), having been the addressee's surname "Rocha" mistaken for the name of the Rocha city, then franked with third of 15c value paying the single rate, with double oval of Colonia as transit and Montevideo cds (5.8.1870) alongside, **F.-V.F.,** postal stationery envelopes with additional franking are very scarce with this franking being unique, illustrated in the "Uruguay Filatélico" of 1939, *ex-Lee & Podestá*; with 2008 C. Rocha certificate.
Scott No. **32 var.** . . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

ONE OF ONLY TWO EXAMPLES OF A 1866 15C LARGE NUMERAL TRISECT STAMP ON COVER.



1197 ▲ **1866, 5c Blue, Perf'd,** on combination with **Revenue 20c + 50c "Timbre Nacional"** issues tied on piece of 1875 document by manuscript signature, **Very Fine,** this is the **only example of revenue stamps used in combination with any large numeral issue**; with 2008 C. Rocha certificate.
Scott No. **35** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



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Ex 1200



1198 ✉ **1866, 15c Orange Yellow, Perf'd,** in combination with **1877, 5c green + 50c black, rouletted** on reverse of registered cover to Colonia forwarded to Carmelo, all tied by "4" in oval grid handstamps, "Nueva Palmira, 17 Seti, 78" oval origin date stamp and boxed "Recomendada" handstamps on front; cover reduced at sides and top, **Fine and rare,** this being **the unique on cover usage of this franking**; with 2008 C. Rocha certificate.
Scott No. **37+40+43**. . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000



Ex 1199

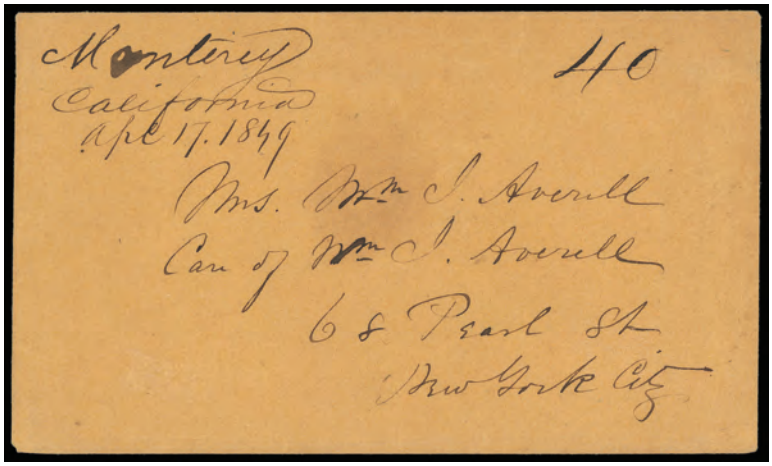
1199 ** **Yemen, 1993, Provisional Surcharge Issue Group,** selection of the highest 11 different surcharges, comprises all in marginal strips of four unless noted; with Scott 621, 621B, 627 (block of 6), 638-644 and 645 (block of 4), several have R surcharges both with and without period, o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine,** an extremely rare multiple grouping, some quite possibly unique in multiple format. SG No. 119, 133-142 £5,600+ ($7,730).
Scott No. **621//645**; $6,100+ . . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

1200 ** **Yemen, 1990 Revenue Sheet Group,** five different in full sheets; first three small 2r (Riyals) stamps, perf 12½x13, in brown, pink and green in sheets of 100 each, also a slightly larger 5r pale blue and pink perf 13x13¼ in a sheet of 50 and perf 12 in a sheet of 100 (folded once), o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

United States Postal History

California Postal History

1201 ✉ **Benicia, Cal., Jan 19 (Solano),** balloon type cds (SOL-100) tying **1851, 10¢ green, type II** on 1855, 10¢ Nesbitt entire to Massachusetts, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **14** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



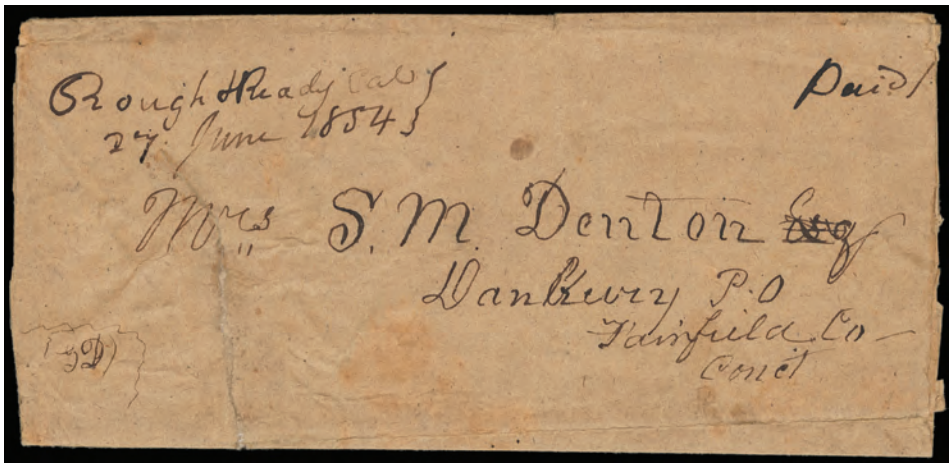
1202 ✉ **"Monterey, California, Apl 17. 1849",** manuscript postmark (MOT-1610) and matching "***40***" cent rating on orange buff cover to New York N.Y., accompanied by blue enclosed letter datelined "Monterey, California April 13 1849" from a member of the U.S. Military to his sister describing the 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.**
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.

1203 ✉ **Placerville, Cal., Nov 17 (El Dorado),** cds (ELD-2980) tying four margin **1851, 10¢ green, type III** on cover to Weston, O., **Very Fine,** *ex-Tatham.*
Scott No. **15** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1204 ✉ **Rattlesnake Bar, Cal. (Placer),** addressing on incoming 1853, 6¢ Nesbitt entire uprated with **1851, 1¢ blue, type IV + 3¢ dull red**, all tied by two strikes of "Searsmont, Me., Aug 30" cds; couple cover folds, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **9+11+U14** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



1205 ✉ **"Rough & Ready, Cal. 27 June 1854" (Nevada),** manuscript postmark with matching "*Paid 1*" rating on buff wrapper to Danbury Conn., **Very Fine,** undoubtedly a unique usage of this rare transcontinental circular rate from California.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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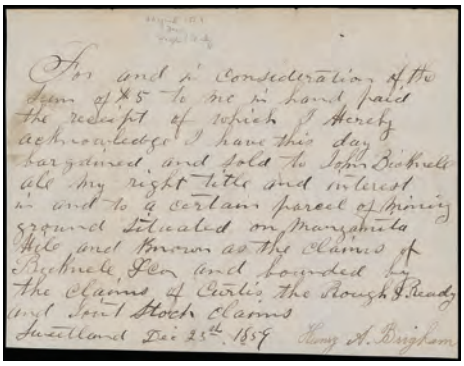

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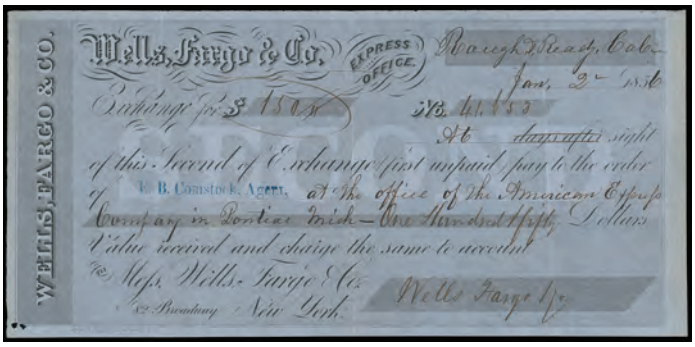

1206 **Rough and Ready, Cal. - Wells Fargo & Co. Express Exchange Note (Nevada),** 9 x 4.375", from "Rough & Ready, Cal. Jan. 2-1856" paid to the order of "E.B. Comstock, Agent" at the office of the American Express Company in Pontiac, Mich - One Hundred & fifty"; some creasing, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

1207 ✉ **(Rough & Ready) 1859 (Dec. 23) Sweetland, Cal. (Nevada),** datelined receipt for mining claim reading in part, "…for a certain parcel of mining ground situated on Manzarita Hill and known as the claims of Bicknell & Co. and bounded by the Claims of Curtis the Rough & Ready and Joint Stock Claims, Sweetland Dec 23rd 1859…" and signed "Henry A. Brigham", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1208 ✉ **Sacramento City, Cal., Jun 19 (Sacramento),** two strikes of balloon type cds (SAC-2520) tying **1851, 1¢ blue, type IV + 3¢ dull red, three singles** on cover to Hartford, Ct.; center 3¢ stamp damaged, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Scott No. **9+11** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

1209 ✉ **San Francisco, Cal. (San Francisco),** three 1850's incoming folded letters from Great Britain; each with 1/2½d rating, includes 1852 from Paisley, 1855 from London and 1858 from Dundee, each with S.F. "Paid" straight line handstamp applied upon arrival, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1210 ✉ **California Town & County Postmarks on Cover, 1860-90s,** collection of 57 covers and a card, nice range of postmarks mostly from 1880-90's with some duplication and T&PM's; with towns including 1879 Maxwell, 1885 Suisun City, 1886 & 1891 Gibsonville (different types), 1884 Goodyear's Bar, 1885 & 1897 Mountain House (different types), Madera and Redding types, 1891 Raymond with fancy star duplex, 1885 Fowler, 1886 Traver, l881 Willows, 1883 Baird oval, 1889 Portville, 1878 Orland octagon, Aila oval in purple and black, unusual 1885 Roberts makeshift straight line and circle date stamp postmark, etc.; condition a bit varied with strong clear strikes throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Western Routes & Forwarders



1211 ✉ **(Mail Routes) New York & California Steam Ship Line For San Francisco. via Nicaragua, C. Morgan, Agent.,** illustrated steamship corner card on cover to Sheffield, Mass., "New - York, Ship 5 cts., Jun 6" cds, **Very Fine,** a rare advertising envelope from this short-lived line (March to July 1853), *ex-Polland*.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1212 ✉ **(Mail Routes) Overland Mail - from San Francisco via Los Angeles,** illustrated **Six-Horse Stagecoach design** with Hutchings & Rosenfield imprint below, on cover to Rockville, Md., franked with grid canceled 1857, 10¢ green, type V, matching "San Jose, Cal., Sep 2" cds; sealed cover tears with one affecting design, **Fine.**
Scott No. **35** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



1213 ✉ **(Mail Routes) Steam Mazatlan,** oval handstamp and "San Francisco, Cal., Feb 22" cds (Williams SAF-600) on incoming folded letter datelined "Fuerte, Jvre 28 de 1865", with additional "San Francisco, Cal., 10, Feb 22" integral rate cds used as due marking (William SAF-330); cover with some light toning along file fold, **otherwise Very Fine,** and a **very rare usage from El Fuerte, Mexico**.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

The letter would have to have crossed from Republican held territory into French held Mazatlan for a steamship to San Francisco, so this may explain the long time between writing in Fuerte and receipt in San Francisco.



1214 ✉ **(Mail Routes) Steam Mazatlan,** oval handstamp applied at San Francisco on inbound covers, postmarked "San Francisco, Cal./May 16, 1865" double circle and addressed to the Office of the P.M.S.Co. in San Francisco with black "10" due rate handstamp for the steamship rate; small flap fault, **Very Fine and scarce short-lived steamer marking.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Western Express Covers

1215 ✉ **Adams & Co., Express, San Francisco,** blue oval handstamp on blue folded cover docketed "Marysville, Feb 1 1853" on reverse to Sacramento, Cal., forwarded to San Francisco, blue "**Wells, Fargo & Co, Express, Sacramento**" oval handstamp, **Very Fine and scarce combination use.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1216 ✉ **Central Overland California & Pike's Peak Express Co., Denver City, K.T.,** oval date stamp on cover addressed to Leavenworth City, Kans., franked with 1857, 3¢ dull red tied by grid handstamp; cover a bit reduced at left, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1217 ✉ **The Central Overland California & Pikes Peak Express Company, St. Joseph, Mo., Dec 17,** clear oval handstamp on 1857, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Chenango, N.Y., entered the mails with "Saint Joseph, Mo., Dec 18" cds cancelling indicia; cover lightly cleaned, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1218 ✉ **Everts, Snell & Co.'s Express, Feather River,** blue oval handstamp with "Evert" for "Everts" mis-spelling (EVS-102), on incoming 1852 cover to Marysville, Cal., "Abion, Mich. Dec 27" origin cds and matching "X" in circle rate handstamp; minor edge wear, **Very Fine,** *ex-Knapp*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1219 ✉ **Freeman & Co.'s Express,** red ribbon frank on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Genl. Denver in Weaverville, Cal., with **Wachhorst & Denver jewelry merchant corner card** at lower left, frank crossed-out and posted with "Sacramento City, Cal., Jul 17, 1860" cds, **Very Fine,** Freeman had already sold to Wells, Fargo & Co. in late 1859.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1220 ✉ **Freeman & Co.'s Express, Sac. Messr.,** blue oval date stamp canceling on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Weaverville, Cal., red ribbon frank at top and **B.F. Rountree grocer corner card** at bottom left; a bit reduced at left, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1221 ✉ **Gregory's Express "Not Paid",** straightline handstamp on blue cover addressed to J.W. Gregory, Express Office at San Francisco, Cal.; toned upper right corner, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1222 *✉ **Gregory's Express "Pocket Letter Book",** unused 1851 gold on black glazed letter book, Thompson & Hitchcock imprint, with original buff envelope, **Extremely Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1223 ✉ **Gregory's Express, Sacramento,** bold strike of blue oval handstamp and matching "Paid" oval handstamp on orange cover to San Francisco, Cal.; trivial edge wear, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1224 ✉ **From Gregory's Express., San Francisco,** nicely struck blue three-line handstamp and matching "Not Paid" oval handstamp on Mar. 8th 1852 folded letter from San Francisco to Sacramento, Cal.; couple vertical file folds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1225 ✉ **Northern Pacific Express Co.,** dark blue frank on 2¢ brown entire **addressed to Juneau, Alaska**, purple "Northern Pacific Express Co., San Francisco, Cal., Jun 3, 1887" oval date stamp, **Very Fine,** a rare usage to Alaska.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1226 ✉ **Pacific Express Co., San Francisco,** two different blue circular date stamp postmarks (PAC-100 & PAC-101) canceling on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entires to Sacramento City, early usages prior to the horse & rider franks; some minor edge wear on former, **still Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1227 ✉ **Pacific Express Co., San Francisco,** blue circular date stamp and black oval (PAC-101 & PAC-108) on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Iowa Hill, Cal., with additional "Paid" in oval handstamp used as frank; small edge flaws, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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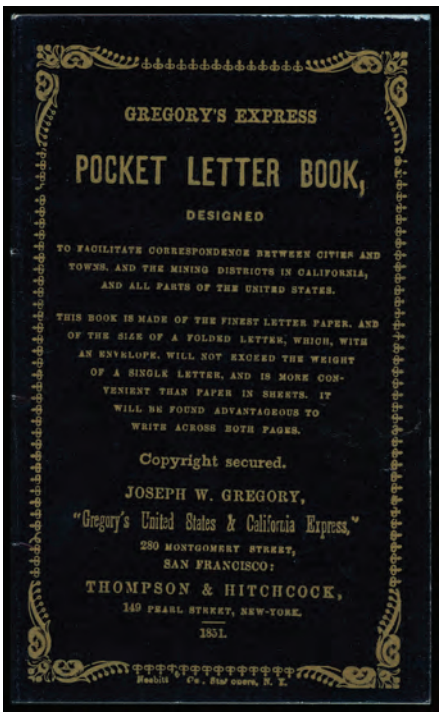

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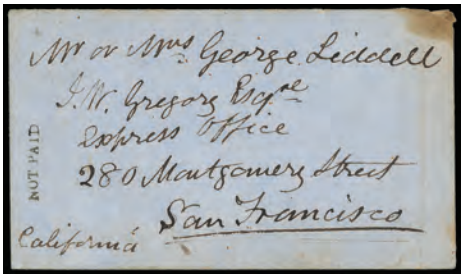

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1228 ✉ **Reynolds & Co.'s Express, Forwarded,** clear oval handstamp **showing "Fodwarded" mis-spelling**, on incoming cover to San Francisco, manuscript "Mirickville, Mass., Oct 26" (Myrickville) origin postmark and matching "40" rate, manuscript "2" dollar express fee in pencil for forwarding to miner beyond San Francisco; some light edge wear, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very scarce early usage, handstamp variety unlisted by Thomas.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1229 ✉ **Reynolds, Todd & Co.'s Express, Forwarded By,** blue oval handstamp on two covers; San Francisco handstamp (RTO-102) with matching "Not Paid" in oval to Tuttletown, and Stockton handstamp (RTO-101) with small "Paid" handstamp to Columbia, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Wells, Fargo & Company

1230 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Colton, Cal., January 23, 1894,** purple oval date stamp (type 16-02) on 1887, 2¢ green entire to Los Angeles, printed frank (WFE-060) at top, Wells, Fargo & Co. receiving cds on reverse; reduced at left, **F.-V.F.,** extremely rare and **believed to be unique**.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Colton was a small railroad station located south of the town of San Bernardino on the Union Pacific Railroad line. Two different types of hands stamps are known from this location. Both are unlisted in Leutzinger and both are considered unique.

1231 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Coronado, Cal.,** purple oval express handstamp with **"G.W. McKenzie" agent marking** on 1887, 2¢ green entire from Mokelumne Hill to San Diego Cal., purple "F.E. Blaisdell, M.D., Mokelumne Hill" return address handstamp, printed black Wells Fargo paid frank, reverse with "Charges Accounted For In" handstamp; reduced slightly at right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

1232 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Gilroy, Cal., May 23, 1890,** perfect bold strike of purple oval date stamp (Leutzinger type 10-1) on 1887 2¢ green entire to San Francisco, Cal., black Haller type J printed frank, **Extremely Fine,** illustrated in Leutzinger (pg. 238).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1233 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Gold Hill,** two different oval date stamp on 1864, 3¢ pink entires; one in blue with "N.T." and in red with "Nev." state designation, latter with black company frank and minor wrinkling, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1234 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Greenwood, Express,** red oval handstamp (Leutzinger type 1-24) on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to San Francisco, black company frank at top, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1235 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Hanford, Cal.,** dark purple oval handstamp cancels 2¢ green on amber entire to San Francisco Cal., red "Wells, Fargo & Co's Express, San Francisco, Cal., Aug 16, 1890" oval arrival datestamp, **Very Fine and scarce,** only a few examples known from Hanford.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1236 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co. Incoming from San Francisco, 1850-80's,** group of six entires; including one double U.S. 1864, 3¢ pink entire paste-up usage to the "Cottonwood & Richfield Wagon Road" in Cariboo, three advertising usages including shaded ad, printed (Castle Grocers) and handstamp, two with "Collect" handstamps; some edge wear on shaded ad, **generally Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1237 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Marysville,** full blue oval "Express" handstamp on fresh buff cover to San Francisco, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a beautiful early express handstamp.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1238 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Oceanside, Cal.,** purple oval handstamp cancels 2¢ green entire to San Diego Cal., printed black Wells Fargo paid frank; reduced slightly at right, **Very Fine,** this handstamp is believed to be one of two known, Oceanside was a small ocean side railroad station which is located just south of Camp Pendleton.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



1239 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Paid 50 Cts.,** black surcharge on company frank, on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to San Francisco, cal., canceled by blue oval "Wells, Fargo & Co., Stockton" date stamp, **Very Fine,** a **very rare example of the "Paid 50 Cts." surcharge**, apparently a few of these were printed for carriage from remote mining areas in the Sierras out of Stockton, *ex-Dale-Lichtenstein*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1240 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Placerville, Cal., Apr 30, 1888,** perfect strike of red oval date stamp on 1887, 2¢ green part paste-up entire, black company frank at top, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a gem strike.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1241 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Sac. City, Aug. 30,** clear strike of blue oval date stamp on 3¢ red (U9) Nesbitt entire to Stockton, Cal. with blue Wells Fargo & Co. company frank at top; partial backflap, **Very Fine,** a choice example of this scarce frank, *ex-Hackett*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1242 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Sac. City, Mar 4,** double oval date stamp (Leutzinger type 11-5) on 1853 3¢ Nesbitt entire to San Francisco, with **Blue Company Printed Frank** at top, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **U10** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Controversy still exists over the significance of the "Blue Franks". Many believe that it was a steamship frank, as they came into existence when the steamship cancels disappeared in 1854, while others have conjectured that they may have denoted a special service.

1243 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Express, Sacramento,** blue oval handstamp on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Sonora, with **Blue Company Printed Frank** at top left, **Very Fine,** a very scarce special company frank on a 1853 3¢ Nesbitt entire.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

It is speculated that the blue frank designated special carriage on the Sacramento River steamboats, because Wells Fargo's handstamped "Steamboat" markings cease to appear at just the time when the blue franks come into use.



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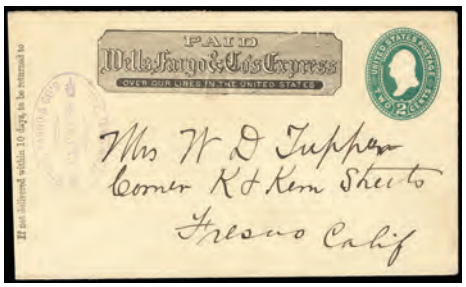

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1244 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Sacramento,** red oval Gothic "Express" handstamp on fresh buff cover to San Francisco, matching "Paid" in oval handstamp, **Very Fine and choice,** a choice example of this early handstamp.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



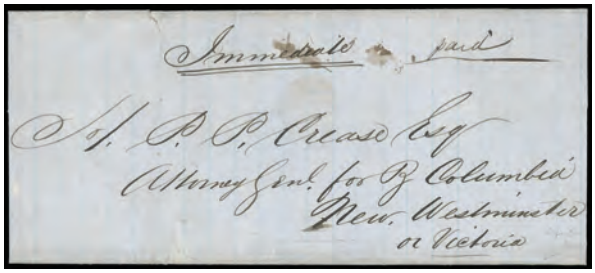
1245 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co. Express, Sacramento,** bold strike of red oval handstamp and matching "Paid" oval handstamp on orange buff cover to San Francisco Cal., manuscript **precancelled 3¢ dull red (11A)** bottom sheet margin single (pos. 94L2) affixed; small edge flaws, **Very Fine and rare Wells Fargo precancel usage,** *ex-Gibson, Polland, Baker*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1246 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Salt Lake City, U.T.,** blue oval date stamp on 1864, 3¢ pink entire to New York City, company frank and Salt Lake City corner card at top, handed over for local delivery with "**Boyd's Dispatch, 86 Fulton St.**" circular date stamp and matching "Paid" in circle handstamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1247 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., San Luis Obispo, Cal., May 14, 1887,** sharp bold strike of purple oval datestamp cancels 2¢ brown entire to San Francisco, black printed Wells Fargo paid frank, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1248 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Sonoma, Express,** blue oval handstamp canceling on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Emil Dresel in Sonoma, with red **Jacob Gundlach, Bavaria Brewer, San Francisco allover shaded ad**, company frank and 1861 docketing at left; central file fold, **otherwise Very Fine,** Dresel was the former partner of Charles Kuchel in a San Francisco lithography business which produced many California birds-eye views.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1249 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co. Express, Steamboat,** blue framed handstamp on clean 3¢ Nesbitt buff entire with "Hewlett & Collins, General Merchandise, Stockton, Cal." oval backstamp to San Francisco Cal., printed black Wells Fargo paid frank, central erosion spot, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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1250 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Steamboat,** clear full blue oval Gothic "Express" handstamp on 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to San Francisco, black company frank at top, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1251 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Steamboat,** blue oval river mail "Express" handstamp (Leutzinger type 2-3) on cover from Sacramento to San Francisco, **Very Fine,** *ex-Barkhausen*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1252 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Stockn. Messenger, Paid,** oval handstamp with "Paid" at center tying 1857, 3¢ dull red on cover to San Francisco, black company frank at top; some cover edge toning, **F.-V.F.,** a very rare usage of the Stockton Messenger handstamp bearing a Paid mark at center, unlisted in Leutzinger.
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1253 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co., Suisun,** blue oval date stamp and gothic "Express" oval; clear strikes each on separate 1864, 3¢ pink entires to San Francisco from the Pierce correspondence, black company frank at top, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1254 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Wawona, Cal.,** perfect strike of purple oval express handstamp at left on 1887, 2¢ green entire to Fresno; slight reduction at left, **Very Fine and choice,** a rare express handstamp with only three examples recorded.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1255 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Windsor,** black oval handstamp (Leutzinger type 3-2) on 1864 3¢ pink entire to San Francisco, Cal., black Haller type E printed frank; light fold and small scuff affecting indicia, **otherwise Very Fine,** rare with only a few examples known.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1256 ✉ **Wells Fargo & Co. Express Balance,** of 11 entires; with town handstamps including 1890's San Bernardino and Santa Ana, 1880's Bakersfield and Hamilton, Nev., Gothic express handstamps of Visalia, San Rafael and Silver City, Utah, two different allover shaded ads from San Francisco (one unused), 1890's Wells, Fargo & Co. and Denver & Rio Grande Express combination usage to N.Y. (backflap missing), and a unused Columbian entire addressed to Sobrante with "Wells, Fargo & Co. Will Please Drop From Train." handstamp, **generally Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

British Columbia Expresses

1257 ✉ **Ballou's Fraser River Express,** folded letter sheet carried by Ballou's and addressed to the Attorney General for British Columbia "New Westminster or Victoria", with signed notation on reverse "Mr Crease is not at N W but at Victoria, Ballou", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



1258 ✉ **Ballou's Fraser River Express, B.C., Paid,** black ribbon frank (BAL-001) on cover to the Treasury Office in New Westminster, with red "New Westminster, Post Office, British Columbia" oval frank at upper right; small cover opening tear at top and partial backflap, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Wellburn*.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

ONE OF SIX RECORDED USAGES OF THE BALLOU'S FRASER RIVER EXPRESS BLACK RIBBON FRANK.

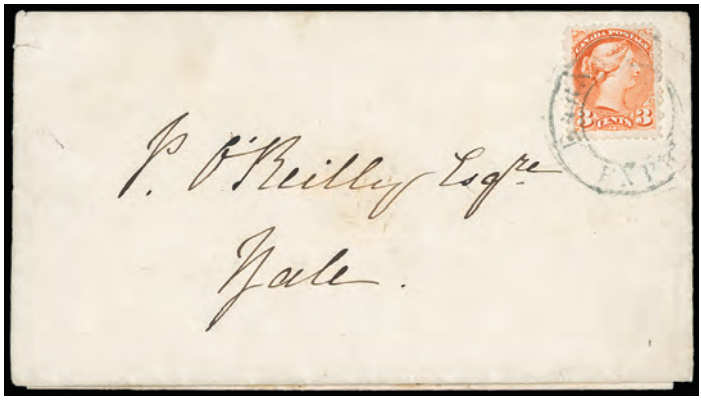
Ballou's operated from Victoria B.C. to the mines on the Fraser and Thompson Rivers in British Columbia starting in 1857. In 1862, Ballou sold his business to Dietz and Nelson's.

Barnard's Express

1259 ✉ **Barnard's British Columbia Express,** circular handstamp (BBC-100) tying Canada 1873 3¢ orange red on cover to Victoria, with company printed ribbon frank at left; small cover opening edge tears at right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1260 ✉ **Barnard's (British Columbia) Express,** two strikes of circular handstamp (BBC-102) on incoming U.S. 1870, 3¢ green entire to Cariboo from San Francisco, Cal. with **Wells, Fargo & Co.** printed frank at top, one tying Canada 1873, 3¢ orange red, matching "Collect" in oval handstamps; sealed cover opening tear at bottom right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1261 ✉ **Barnard's British Columbia Express, Paid.,** printed ribbon frank on cover to Yale, franked with **Canada 1873, 3¢ orange red** tied by "Barnard's Express" circular handstamp (BBC-102); cover opening edge nick and minor edge wear, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

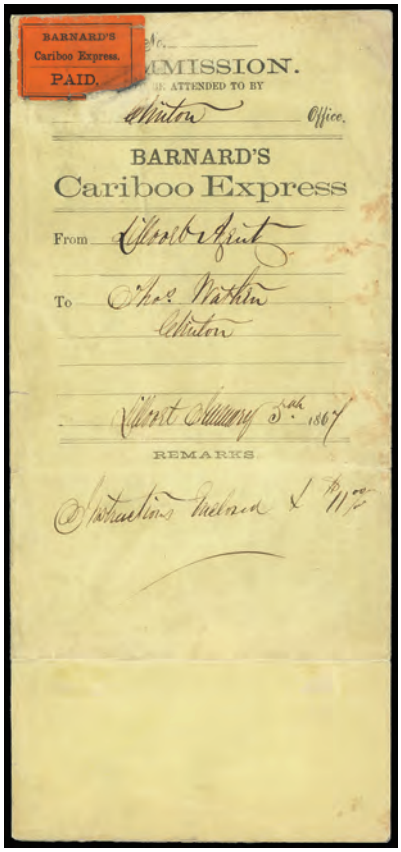




1262 ✉ **Barnard's British Columbia Express, Paid.,** printed ribbon frank on paste-up cover to Yale reverse franked with **Canada 1873, 3¢ orange red** tied by Barnard's Express circular handstamp (BBC-102), with additional strike on reverse; covers separated from display, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1263 *✉ **Barnard's British Columbia Express, Paid., Quesnelle.,** printed sideways (BBC-001c) on unused U.S. 1861, 10¢ green entire (U40) with Wells, Fargo & Co. printed frank at top, **Extremely Fine,** two unused examples are the only examples recorded in Thomas.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1264 *✉ **Barnard's British Columbia Express, Paid., Yale.,** printed sideways on two unused U.S. 1861, 10¢ green entires with Wells, Fargo & Co. printed frank at top; one with 2mm "Yale." directive on U40 (BBC-001d) and one with 1.5mm "Yale" directive on U41 (BBC-001C); former with mounting adhesion on reverse, **still Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



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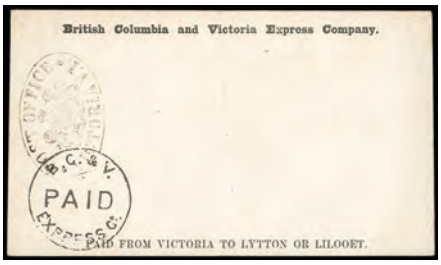

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1265 */o✉ **Barnard's British Columbia Express Balance,** of five covers; 1870's San Francisco to Cariboo - Wells Fargo combination usage,scroll frank local usage with Canada 3¢ tied by blue crayon, three unused scroll frank covers including "Victoria and New Westminster" underprint frank and one with "The British Columbia Express Company." straight line overprint, also 2 different Canada Large Queen issues with fake "BxR" shield postmarks, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



1266 ✉ **(Barnard's Cariboo Express) Lillooet.,** straight line handstamp (BCE-103) tying **1865, 3d blue, two singles** on cover to Barkersville, circular "F.W. Foster, Lillooet" merchant corner card handstamp; right stamp with pre-use tears and cover with light soiling and a bit reduced at left, **Fine,** accompanied by contemporary Barksville news clipping showing the two routes of Barnard's Express, connecting with Dietz & Nelson at Lillooet and Yale., *ex-Welburn*.
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

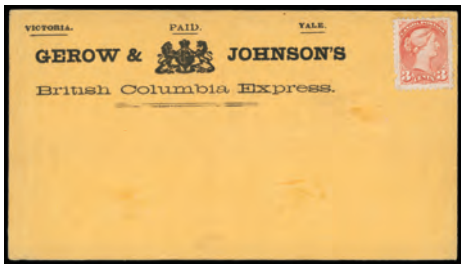
1267 ✉ **Barnard's Cariboo Express, Paid.,** black on vermilion label (flaws) on 1867 collection envelope from Lillooet agent to the Clinton office; file fold and minor toning, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1268 ✉ **Barnard's Express,** circular handstamp (BBC-102) on cover addressed to Victoria, V.I. forwarded to New Westminster, faint "Coll." in pencil at upper left and docketed "Rec'd Mar 1867", no indication of government postage paid, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1269 *✉ **Barnard's Express. Paid.,** printed three-line frank on unused cover, with "Post Office, Victoria, V.I." oval coat of arms frank at left and matching "Paid" in oval handstamp, **Extremely Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1270 ✉ **(British Columbia and Victoria Express Company) B.C. V. Express Co., Paid.,** blue circular handstamp frank (BVC-100) on folded letter sheet to Victoria, with **1860, 2½d pale dull rose, perf 14** uncancelled used to pay local postage; large mended cover tear, **Fine,** British Columbia & Victoria Express was operated by Frank Barnard in 1862 and usages are rare, similar cover with same addressee and uncancelled stamp in Welburn collection. SG No. 3.
Scott No. **2a** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1271 *✉ **British Columbia and Victoria Express Company,** imprint at top of cover with "Paid From Victoria to Lytton or Lilooet" at bottom, with "Post Office, Victoria, V.I." oval coat of arms and circular "B.C. & V. Express co., Paid" handstamp franks at left; faint central fold, **still Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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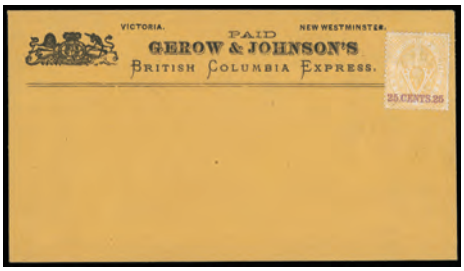

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1272 ✉ **British Columbia Express Co. (Forwarded By),** black on red label affixed to cover to "A. Henderson Esq., B.C. Express" in Cache Creek; cover corner nick, edge wear and a bit reduced at left, **F.-V.F.,** a very rare usage of the British Columbia Express Co. label, *ex-Welburn*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Antoine Henderson was a stagecoach driver for the British Columbia Express Co.

1273 ✉ **British Columbia Express Company.,** purple straight line handstamp applied over Barnard's ribbon frank, on cover to Cache Creek franked with **Canada 1873, 3¢ orange red** tied by "Paid" in oval express handstamp; some light cover edge wear, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1274 ✉ **British Columbia Express Co. (Forwarded By), Charges $ 1.00 Col.,** purple boxed handstamp with pencil rating, on U.S. 2¢ brown entire to Fort Yale, B.C., Wells, Fargo & Co. black printed frank at top; light soiling, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce unlisted handstamp, *ex-Mader*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

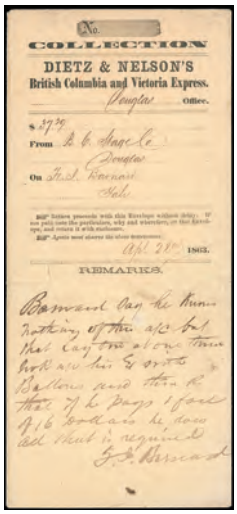


1275 ✉ **Dietz & Nelson's British Columbia & Victoria Express,** black ribbon frank (DIE-002) on cover to William's Creek, with blue "Post Office, Paid, Victoria, Vancouver Island" oval frank, additionally franked with **1860, 2½d dull rose, horizontal pair** tied by blue "Dietz & Nelson's, B.C. & V., Express" circular handstamp, manuscript **"Coll 1.00" express fee collected by Barnard's Express** who carried the letter from Yale to Williams Creek' cover opening tear at left slightly into Victoria frank, **otherwise Very Fine,** an attractive combination express usage.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000



1276 (✉) **Dietz & Nelson's British Columbia & Victoria Express,** black ribbon frank (DIE-002) on U.S. 1861, 3¢ pink rebacked front to San Francisco, Cal. with Wells, Fargo & Co. printed frank at top, uprated with U.S. 1861, 3¢ rose and 1860, 2½d dull rose (2), black on vermilion "**Barnard's Cariboo Express. Paid.**" label affixed at top and all tied by blue "**Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria, Jun 4**" oval date stamps, additional small blue oval "W.F. & Co., Jun 9, 1864" date stamp and blue crayon "2" indicate double rate, **Fine appearance,** a very rare triple express usage.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

Sent by Barnard's Express from the Cariboo Mines to Yale, Dietz & Nelson to Victoria and Wells, Fargo & Co. to San Francisco.



1277 ✉ **Dietz & Nelson's British Columbia and Victoria Express,** 1863 collection envelope from the B.C. Stage Co. in Douglas on F.I. Barnard in Yale, with remarks regarding transaction with Ballou, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1278 *✉ **Gerow & Johnson's British Columbia Express,** printed company frank with Victoria and Yale directives above, on unused cover franked with Canada 1872, 3¢ orange red, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1279 *✉ **Gerow & Johnson's British Columbia Express,** printed company frank with Victoria and New Westminster directives above, on fresh unused cover, 1869, 25¢ on 3d orange hinged on cover (may not belong), small "G&J, E" express initial handstamp on backflap, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Gerow & Johnson underbid Barnard's Express for the mail contract in 1871 and also started an express. They lasted only two months before selling out to Barnard.



1280 ✉ **Northern Pacific Express Co.,** light blue frank (NOR-011b) on Canada 1877, 3¢ red entire to San Francisco, manuscript "per Steamer Elder ship" endorsement, canceled by "Victoria, Canada, Ap 25, 87" cds and grid duplex, red entry postmark, **Extremely Fine,** a very rare usage of this frank.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

Northern Pacific Express cover the Pacific Northwest from British Columbia to San Francisco connecting with Wells, Fargo & Co.

Wells, Fargo Express in British Columbia

1281 *✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co.,** black printed frank on unused 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire (U10), with blue "**Victoria V.I., Paid**" frank handstamp at left, **Very Fine and choice,** a very rare early unused entire with this Victoria frank handstamp.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1282 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Paid., red company frank** on U.S. 1861, 10¢ green unaddressed part paste-up entire to **London, England**, canceled by grid handstamps with bold blue "Paid" in oval express handstamp, blue **"Post Office, Victoria "oval coat of arms frank** and red "London, Jy, 30, 63" entry postmark; central tear at top into frank, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very scarce red frank usage.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1283 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Paid.,** black company frank at left of U.S. 1863, 3¢ pink entire addressed to San Francisco, with grayish brown **"J.P. Davies & Co., Auctioneers and Commission Merchants…Victoria, V.I." allover shaded ad**, light Victoria and Portland, O. postmarks; light cover soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1284 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Paid.,** black company frank on incoming U.S. 1863, 3¢ pink entire to Victoria, V.I., additionally franked with **1869, 5¢ on 3¢ bright red** tied by blue "Wells, Fargo & Co., San Francisco, Oct 1" oval date stamps, matching "Paid" in oval handstamp; nick and opening tears at top affecting frank, **F.-V.F.,** After running out of Vancouver Island stamps, Wells Fargo bought a supply of 5¢ surcharge stamps to pay arrival charges, uses on cover are unusual.
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1285 *✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Printed Frank Covers,** group of seven franked entires; including san-serif "Victoria, Vancouver Island." frank (WFE-220) in black and two in blue (shades), two serif italic "Victoria, Vancouver Island." franks (WFE-220a), one with 1865 3d franking, and two "Victoria and British Columbia" franks (WFE-221) on white and orange yellow envelopes, **Very Fine,** a lovely collection of entires.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1286 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria V.I., Express,** blue oval handstamp canceling on U.S. 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Sacramento, black company frank and **oval "Victoria, Post Office" frank handstamp** at upper left; upper right corner restored including large portion of indicia, **F.-V.F. appearance,** an extremely rare usage of the "Victoria, Post Office" frank handstamp prepaying on a Wells Fargo entire, with only three or four examples known, *ex-Jessup*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1287 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria,** blue oval date stamp cancelling on U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire to San Francisco, uprated with U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red tied by second strike of handstamp, black company frank and **"Post Office, Victoria" oval coat of arms frank** handstamp; cover corner wear, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1288 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria,** partial strikes of blue oval date stamp canceling on U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire to San Francisco, black company frank and blue **"Victoria, V.I., Paid" frank** handstamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

1289 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria, Feb 20,** blue oval date stamp on U.S. 1861, 10¢ green part paste-up entire, with **"J.P. Davies & Co., Auction & Commission Merchants…Victoria, V.I." advertising corner card**, additionally franked with **1869, 5¢ on 3¢ bright red** tied by blue "35" barred oval of Victoria, entire canceled by circle of wedges handstamp, **Very Fine,** this is the only Victoria merchant who used advertising on Wells Fargo envelopes.
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1290 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria, Sep 9,** two strikes of bold blue oval date stamp on part paste-up cover to San Francisco, one tying **Canada 1872, 6¢ yellow brown** for double rate, black Victoria company frank at top; small stamp flaws and part backflaps, **F.-V.F.,** an unusual usage of a Canada 6¢ Large Queen issue.
Scott No. **Canada 39** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1291 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria, V.I., Express,** blue oval handstamp tying **Canada 1872, 3¢ dull red, horizontal pair** on cover to San Francisco, black Victoria company frank at top, 1872 docketing; cover slightly reduced at right, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce usage of the Wells, Fargo & Co. Gothic "Express" handstamp.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1292 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria,** blue oval handstamp (without date) tying Canada 1873, 3¢ orange red on cover to San Francisco, company Victoria printed frank at top; slight cover soiling, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1293 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria,** three strikes of blue oval handstamp (without date) tying **Canada 1873, 3¢ orange red, vertical strip of five** on oversized paste-up cover to San Francisco, reverse with company Victoria frank cover additionally franked with Canada 3¢ tied by handstamp; 3¢ single with pre-use nick at upper right and oversized cover reduced, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **Canada 37** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1294 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria, B.C., Express, Dec 10, 1885,** two strikes of purple handstamp tying **Canada 1873, 3¢ orange red, two singles** on cover to Portland, Ore., with General Office of the "**British Columbia Express Co., Frank S. Barnard, Manager.**" corner card; cover reduced at left into corner card and some toning at bottom, **F.-V.F.,** Frank Barnard was the eldest son of Francis Barnard.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1295 ✉ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Victoria, B.C., Express, Apr 19, 1890,** purple oval date stamp tying **Canada 1888, 3¢ bright vermilion** on cover to San Francisco, violet "Wells, Fargo & Co., San Francisco, May 2, 1890" oval date stamp additionally tying stamp, company Victoria printed frank at top, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **Canada 41** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Town Postmarks Arranged by State

1296 ✉ **Alaska Picture Post Cards,** group of 57 cards with a nice showing of real-photo; includes various early views including Wrangle and Juneau, Trident Volcano, Norris and Taku Glacier, "Russian Flyers Land At Safety" Nome, many used from various towns; condition a little mixed with many scarce items.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

Colorado

1297 ✉ **Colorado City C.T, Jun 29,** clear strike of cds and matching target cancels 3¢ pink (U34) entire to Charles City Iowa, sharp strike of "Charles City Ioa, Jul 11" arrival cds with ms. "1862" written in; minor staining, reduced slightly at right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Colorado City was founded on May 22nd 1859 by Colorado Town Company, a group of pioneers from Denver and Auraria. They claimed land near Ute Pass leading to the gold discoveries at Fair Play and Hamilton in South Park. The post office opened May 24th 1860 in Kansas Territory.

1298 ✉ **"Currant Creek, Colo May 24th / 71",** manuscript postmark with matching manuscript strokes cancel 3¢ green (147), flaws, on yellow cover to Marion Oh.; with interesting original enclosure and two additional enclosures from correspondence; slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine and scarce cover from a very small office,** *ex-Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



1299 ✉ **Denver City K.T., Mar 28, 1861,** clear strike of serifed "Tombstone" postmark (third type) on cover to Anamosa, Iowa, franked with 1857, 3¢ dull red just tied by grid handstamp, **Very Fine,** a nice example of this early fancy territorial postmark.
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1300 ✉ **Denver City C.T., Dec 31,** type 1 cds ties 3¢ rose (65) on "Cassidy & Collier, Rocky Mountain Law, Collecting & Real Estate Agency" corner card cover to Finleys Lake N.Y., **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1301 ✉ **Denver City, Col., Advertised, Aug 28, '65,** clear cds and matching "Due 2" in circle handstamp on incoming cover, franked with 1861, 3¢ rose tied by blue Indiana town and fancy duplex postmark; cover reduced at right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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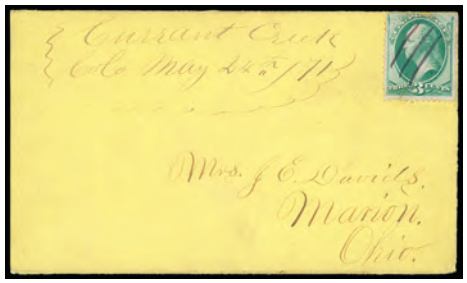

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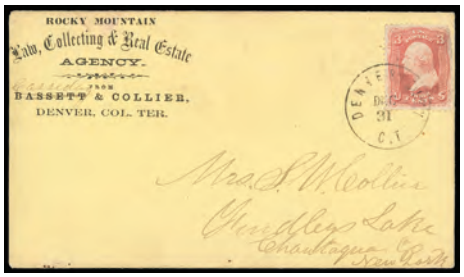

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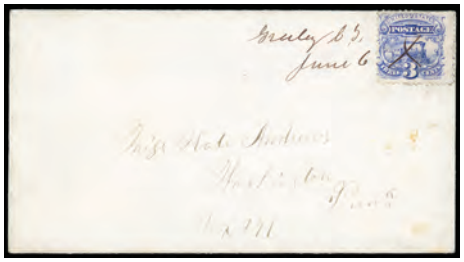

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1302 ✉ **Fort Lewis, Colo. Aug 7, 1881,** clear strike of cds with matching target cancel on 3¢ green (207) on Copenhagen N.Y., original enclosed letter datelined "In Camp near Fort Lewis Col." from soldier reads in part… "I received a letter from you a few days ago while on a scout…I think I am feeling better than I have for months past…", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



1303 ✉ **"Ft Lupton C.T., Sep 15 / 65",** manuscript postmark ties 3¢ rose (65), wide margins with right s.e., on small cover to Springfield Ill.; 3¢ light pre-use crease, reduced slightly at right, **F.-V.F.,** one of only a few known postmarks from Fort Lupton, illustrated in Jarrett's Colorado book., *ex-Jarrett*.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

This early fur trading post was established in 1836 on the south side of the South Platte River. It was revived as a stage stop on the road to Denver and obtained a post office in January 1861 while still part of Nebraska Territory. It became part of Colorado Territory the next month.

1304 ✉ **Garland C.T. Oct 17,** sharp bold strike of cds with matching cork cancel on 3¢ green (158) on cover to Lake City Colo., fancy printed "Thomas & Co. Storage, Forwarding and Commission Merchants" corner card, blue oval Paid handstamp, original enclosed merchant letter inquires about collecting $335 due from Mr. Roley now living in Tellurium, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

Garland was established in Costilla county just west of La Veta Pass in 1858. The settlers in the valley needed protection from the roaming Ute tribe in the valley. The area was at one time in the New Mexico Territory, however, after the survey in 1861 became part of the Colorado Territory.



1305 ✉ **Georgetown Col. T., Jan 8,** cds with red manuscript "Paid" rating on fresh orange cover to Ripon Wis., original 1868 enclosure with interesting content "*...In Central City about two weeks ago a (man) poisoned his wife...some four or five years ago I wrote to you that I was going to get married and the girl rather played off on me. That was the same girl and (on) her dying bed she told her mother that she would like to see me and talk to me but I was twenty miles away and she did not send for me...I can forgive her...but let her go to the place where she may enjoy everlasting bliss or anything else*", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

This unusual stampless use is probably due to a temporary shortage of stamps. This is the earliest recorded use of this postmark.

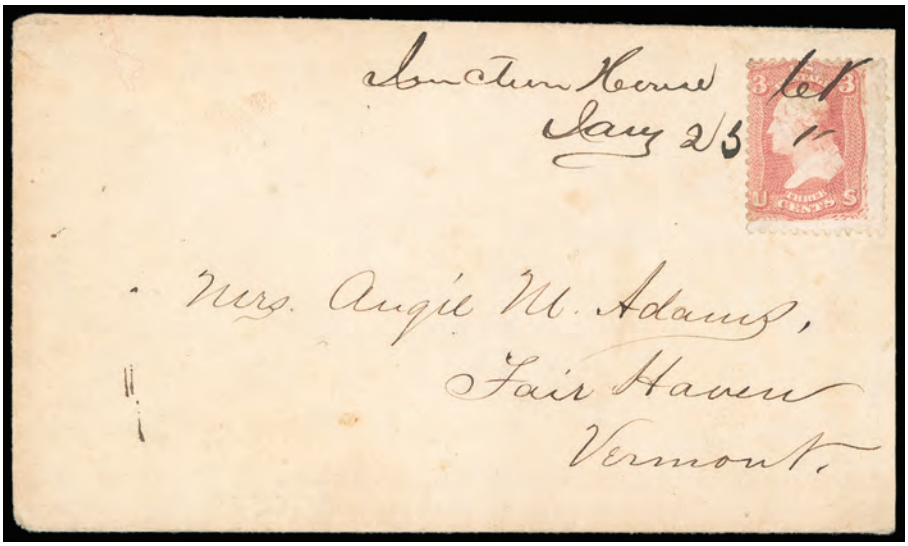
1306 ✉ **Georgetown, Colo, Nov 22** (Jarrett No. 116) cds ties **1¢ blue (63)** on locally addressed drop letter; reduced slightly at right, **Very Fine and scarce Colorado Territorial use,** *ex-Pacetti*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

The Georgetown, Colorado post office was established on June 18, 1866. This cancel was used between May 2nd 1870 and October 18, 1875, which would make this a late use of the 1861 1¢ issue.

1307 ✉ **Greeley C.T., June 6,** manuscript postmark and matching "X" cancel on **3¢ ultramarine (114)** on 1870 cover to Washington, Pa., **Very Fine,** an early use from this recently opened office, *ex-Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

The Greeley Post Office was started on April 21st 1870, to serve the postal needs of the new town settled by the New York organized Union Colony. It took its name quite naturally from its sponsor, Horace Greeley, famous editor and owner of the New York Tribune.

1308 ✉ **Greeley Colo. Mar 10,** red type II cds duplexed with circle of wedge cancel tying **3¢ green (147)** on orange cover to Oberlin Oh., Bank Note with matching segmented cork killer on neat cover to Ohio, small ink smudge in address, slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine strike of cds,** *ex-Persson*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



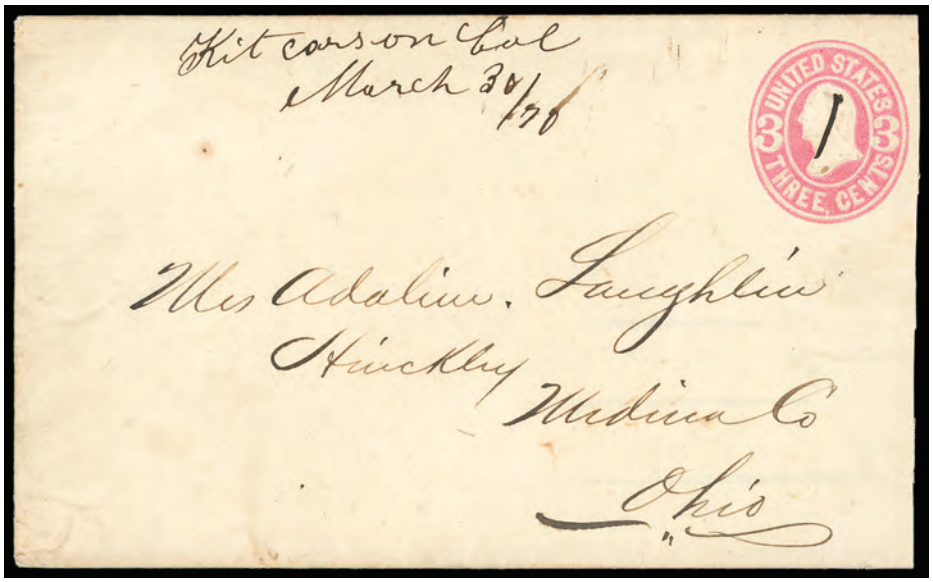
1309 ✉ **"Junction House, C.T., Jany 25",** manuscript postmark tying 3¢ rose (65) on cover to Fair Haven Vt.; cover slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

THE EARLIEST OF ONLY THREE RECORDED COVERS FROM THIS OFFICE.

The Junction House post office was located just west of where Beaver Creek meets the South Platte River. Only a month after it opened in December 1864 the office found itself encircled by the Arapaho, Cheyenne and Sioux raids which followed the Sand Creek battle. Beaver Creek stage station, five miles away, was burned on January 14, 1865, and on the overland road stage stations and telegraph lines were destroyed for 75 miles down river, all the way past Julesburgh. The Junction House post office became Fort Morgan on July 16, 1866.

1310 ✉ **Kit Carson Col. Aug 30,** cds with matching target cancel on 3¢ pink (U58) entire to Taos N.M., printed return address of W.H. Chick & Co., Wholesale Grocers and Commission Merchants at left, original datelined letter in German mentions garrison and 5 rifles; reduced at right, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Newburn*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

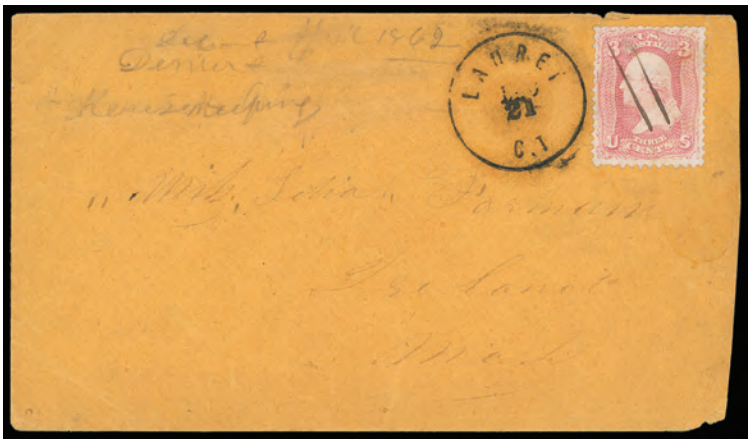
1311 ✉ **Kit Carson, Col., Jul 15,** bold cds and matching target tying 1869, 3¢ ultramarine on cover to Taos, N.M., Grocer corner card with "K.P. Railway" endorsement, **F.-V.F. and scarce,** this handstamp was used only during the territorial period, after 1871.
Scott No. **114** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



1312 ✉ **"Kit Carson, Col., March 30/70",** manuscript postmark with matching stroke canceling 3¢ pink (U59) entire to Hinckley Ohio; slight reduction at right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

This is the earliest of only a few manuscript postmark usages from Kit Carson, known used between March 30th and July 4th, 1870.

The town of Kit Carson was located in Bent county on the eastern plains of Colorado Territory. It was an early Indian trading post and named for the famous frontier scout Christopher Carson.



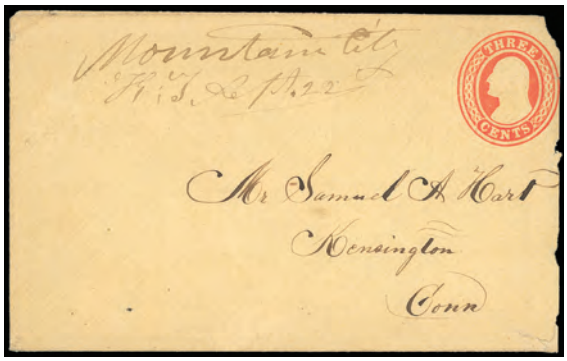
1313 ✉ **Lauret, C.T., Dec 21,** bold cds with manuscript cancelled 3¢ rose pink (64b) on 1861 orange cover to Freeland Mass.; couple minor cover edge nicks and reduced at right, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

ONE OF ONLY FOUR KNOWN EXAMPLES OF THE LAURET C.T. POSTMARK.

The Lauret post office was established on November 14, 1861 and the name was changed on December 21, 1865 to Buckskin.

1314 ✉ **Manitou, Col., 4/8,** manuscript postmark on 1873 cover to Kansas City franked with manuscript cancelled 3¢ Banknote, cover with printed **Manitou Hotel corner card**; light edge stain at lower right and small piece of backflap missing, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

This resort, also known as Manitou Springs, was a popular destination in the 1870-80s.



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1315 ✉ **"Mountain City K.T., Sept. 22",** manuscript postmark on uncancelled 3¢ red (U10) buff Nesbitt entire addressed to Kensington Conn., indicia with second albino impression; slight rough opening at right, **otherwise Very Fine,** *ex-Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

This mining camp was established in Gregory Diggings in 1859. The post office opened January 17, 1860.

1316 ✉ **Mountain City K.T., 2nd Feb,** manuscript postmark just tying **1857, 3¢ dull red** on cover to Berlin, Vt., stamp additionally pen cancelled; stamp with corner nick and cover edge wear and reduction at left, **Fine,** a very scarce example of this pre-territorial postmark.
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

This mining camp was established in Gregory Diggings in 1859. The post office opened January 17, 1860.

1317 ✉ **Pueblo, C. Ty., Mar 24,** sharp strike of black cds and matching target cancel ties 3¢ ultramarine (114), faulty from separation, on lovely printed Thatcher Bros. corner card cover with preprinted address to Thatcher Bros. & Co. at Trinidad, Colorado, with original 1870 letterhead enclosure dealing with payments for food and farm supplies; some minor edge staining and reduced slightly at right, **Fine,** *ex-Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1318 ✉ **Pueblo, C. Ty., Jul 27,** sharp strike of red cds and matching target cancel ties 3¢ green (147) on lovely printed Thatcher Bros. corner card cover with preprinted address to Thatcher Bros. & Co. at Trinidad, Colorado, with original 1870 letterhead enclosure that mentioned receipt of gold dust "*...Gold Dust matter to hand. I have now sent gold to Denver & when proceeds are reported from there we will credit your account...*"; some minor edge staining and reduced slightly at right, **a Very Fine strike of this postmark,** *ex-Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350



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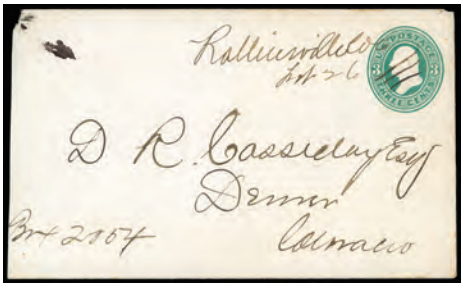

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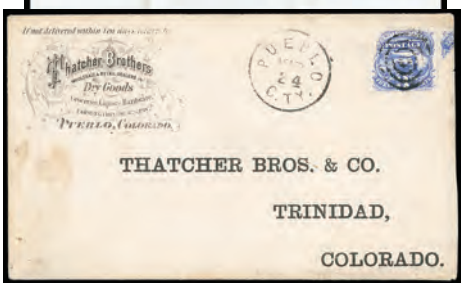

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1319 ✉ **"Rollinsville, Col., Feb 2",** manuscript postmark cancels 3¢ green entire to Denver Col., 1874 year docketing on reverse; a bit reduced at left and ink stain top left, **otherwise Very Fine and scarce territorial postmark,** *ex-Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Rollinsville was located in northern Gilpin county founded by prospectors from Central City area. Frederick Gooch was appointed the first postmaster opening the office on January 31, 1871.

1320 ✉ **"Salina Colo, Aug 22",** manuscript postmark with matching "X" ties 5¢ blue (179), small flaw, on cover to Baccarat, France, red "New York, Aug 30" exchange cds and red Calais (9.10) entry cds, reverse with Paris (9.10) and Baccarat (9.11) arrival cds, **Very Fine and scarce town,** *ex-Newburn* (no photo).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

The principle mining camps in Boulder county were Salina, Left Hand (Gold Hill), Ward District and Sunshine.

1321 ✉ **Sunshine, Boulder Co., Colo, Apr 3 1885,** bold strike of serrated oval postmark on 2¢ red entire to Bald Mountain Colo.; reduced slightly at left, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-David New, Bauer*.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

The small town of Sunshine was located in a rich gold mining area in central Boulder County only eight miles west of Boulder City. J.J. Jilson was the first postmaster opening the post office in April 1875 with the yearly postal receipt totaling just $63.56.

1322 ✉ **Denver Covers, 1860-80s,** group of 23 covers; includes "Denver City, Kans" cds with matching "Paid" handstamp, two different 1860's "Denver City" postmarks (single and double circle date stamps), first type "Denver" postmark in black and blue, later postmarks including letter duplexes, various corner cards including American House and St. Nicholas Hotel, usage to Germany, later ad covers including John P. Lowers "Guns, Pistols, Ammunition" illustrated ad showing **Man with Rifle and Bullseye Target**; condition varies, **F.-V.F. overall.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1323 ✉ **Colorado Cover Balance, 1860-80s,** of 56 covers and cards; with better items including 1867 manuscript Georgetown C.T. postmark, manuscript Greenland, 1879 Hugo, 1880's Lariat, 1860's Nevada C.T., Rollinsville manuscript, 1860's Black Hark Point on corner card cover, 1860's Fort Sedgewick, 1876 Colorado Springs in illustrated stove ad cover, 1877 Garland, various Mountain City postmarks, Greeley including in red, etc.; condition varies, **F.-V.F. overall.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Florida

1324 ✉ **"Camp Barrancas, November 24th 1821" (Military Government Period),** datelined folded letter to Brig. General Jesup, Quartermaster General, Washington D.C., Captain endorsement, entered mails with "**Pensacola./ Dec. 4.**" two-line postmark and manuscript "Free" rating; some toning, some faults and fold separations, **Fine and scarce use from Camp Barrancas.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1325 ✉ **"Fort San Carlos De Barrancas, West Florida, January 24th 1823",** dateline on folded letter addressed to Secretary of War John C. Calhoun, Washington D.C., entered mails with "**Pensacola. / Jan. 31st.**" two-line postmark and manuscript "25" rating crossed out and updated to "Free", letter concerns soldier's appointment as sutler and difficulties resulting from contraction of yellow fever; folded separations, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1326 ✉ **"Fort Sherrard M.F., April 2, 1839",** datelined folded letter to Winchester Va. endorsed "Via Tallahassee, M.F.", entered mails with "Tallahassee Flo. April 5, 1839" oval postmark and manuscript "25" cent rating, some toning, **Fine and rare Fort.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1327 ✉ **Garey's Ferry, Mar 24,** manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10" on 1846 folded letter to New York; light even toning, **F.-V.F.,** a rare manuscript postmark from Garey's Ferry, with less than a half dozen examples known.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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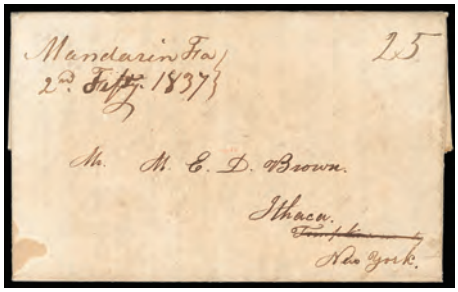

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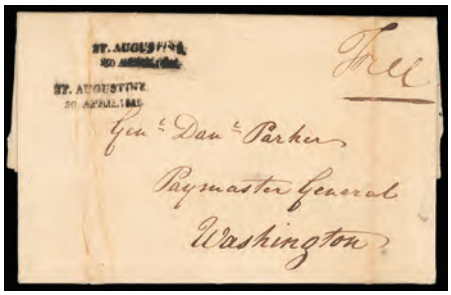

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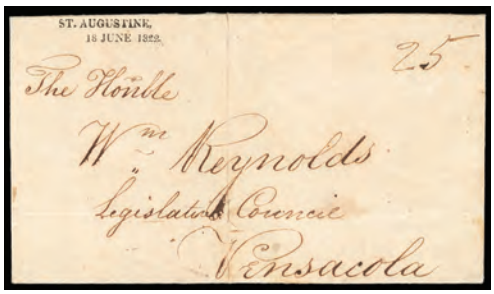

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1328 ✉ **Key-West, Florida, Dec 15,** remarkable bold strike and matching "Free" rating handstamp on clean 1832 folded letter to Major General Thos. Jesup, Quartermaster General, Washington D.C., endorsed "On Service" at top left, letter requesting supplies mentions that ships from New Orleans seldom stop at Key West while vessels from the North to the Gulf of Mexico pass close to the Key; small internal cover tear, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1329 ✉ **Magnolia Fl[A] / April* 8**. two-line postmark with "Free, E. Simms, P.M." free frank on 1834 folded letter to La Prairie, Lower Canada, red "Montreal, Apr 28" cds and "4½" pence due rating, red "La Prairie, "Apl 28" rimless postmark with manuscript date and matching "forwd." rating at lower left; stain spot at top, **otherwise Very Fine,** *ex-Meroni*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1330 ✉ **Mandarin, Fa, 2nd Feby, 1837,** manuscript postmark with matching "25" rate on folded letter to New York, contents with mention of Indian alarms, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1331 ✉ **Marianna Fl. T. "May 3",** complete clear strike of cds with manuscript dating and matching "25" cent rating on pretty green 1838 folded letter to New York N.Y., horticulture contents, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

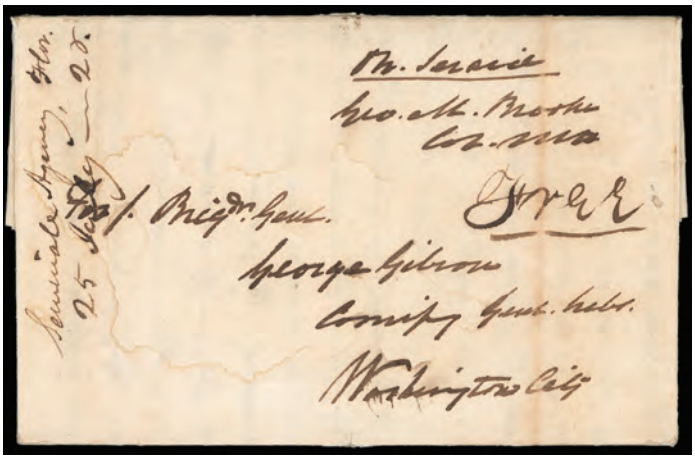


1332 ✉ **Pensacola, Jun 24.,** sharp strike of two-line postmark and red manuscript "Free" rating on 1822 folded letter to Major C.J. Nourse, Actg. Adjt. Genl., Washington D.C., endorsed "On Service, L. Whiting, Adjt. 4th Art." at top right, letter datelined "Headquarters Pensacola Jun 23 1822"; light file folds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350



1333 ✉ **Port Leon, Flo "Dec 2",** rimless circular postmark with manuscript date and matching "25" cent rating on folded letter datelined "St. Marks, Novr 27 1842" to Bangor Me., **a Very Fine strike of this scarce postmark,** *ex-Meroni*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

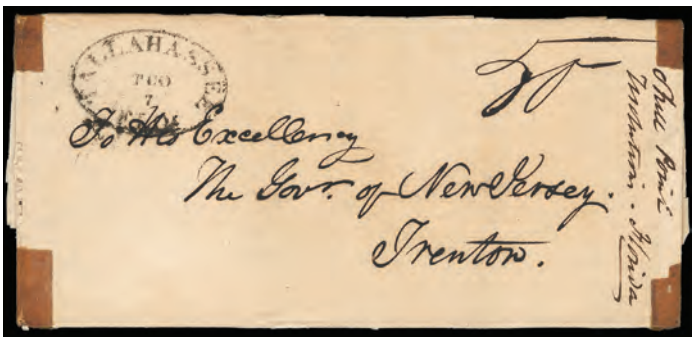
1334 ✉ **Quincy Flo., "Decr 5",** clear strike of red oval postmark with manuscript date and matching "18¾" rating to Montgomery Ala., good domestic contents with much reference to sickness, selling negroes, and getting 'fat and saucy' in Florida; trivial edge wear, **Very Fine,** an attractive example of this marking usually found almost always weak or incomplete.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



1335 ✉ **Seminole Agency, 25 July (18)28,** manuscript postmark at left on folded letter to Brig. Gen. George Gibson in Washington D.C., manuscript "Free" and "On Service, Geo. M. Brooke"; slight staining, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

THE EARLIEST KNOWN USAGE FROM SEMINOLE AGENCY.

Seminole Agency, established on May 3rd, 1828, was located in Alachua County near Fort King. It was on the main military and post road connecting Micanopy and Tampa Bay.



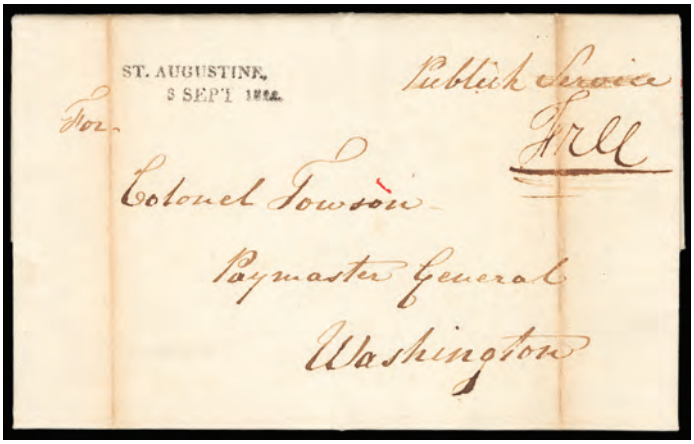
1336 ✉ **"Shell Point Florida, Septr. 30th 1835",** dateline on folded letter with "Tallahassee, Flo, Tco 7" oval datestamp (Oct month slug wrong letter order) and manuscript "50" rating addressed to The Governor of New Jersey, Trenton, original broadside enclosure 19.5"x11.5" accompanies headed **The Shell Point Meeting** starting, "*In pursuance of public notice, a very large meeting of the citizens of Shell Point took place on the 19th inst. to express themselves upon the question which has created such universal excitement throughout the slave holding States.*"; letter tape stained and separated folds, broadside split at center and fold separations, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

A HISTORICAL LETTER AND DOCUMENT SHOWING THE PRO-SLAVERY SENTIMENTS IN FLORIDA TERRITORY.

The Shell Point Meeting broadside is apparently a statement by the pro-slavery populace of Shell Point, residents of a village near Tallahassee in the Florida Territory. The impetus for the meeting was probably a reaction to the mailing of thousands of copies of tracts issued by the American Anti-Slavery Society to individuals in the Southern states. After an indignant mob removed a mass of these papers from the post office at Charleston, S.C., in July, 1835, and burned them, Postmaster-General Amos Kendall wrote postmasters in the South sanctioning their removal of such literature. Feelings grew bitter throughout the country and violent means were used to silence unwelcome opinions.

The resolutions passed at the Shell Point, Florida Territory meeting are indicative of the bitter fears that the federal government was not going to entirely protect the Southern states' slave-holding rights. In part: "Resolved, that we ever look upon this as the GREAT SPLITTING QUESTION among the States; that most political questions are subordinate, and many others owe their existence to it; all of which has ever appeared to us a political absurdity. For, why should this interest create opposition from any quarter, when it is known that products of the 'slave labor' balances the trade of the whole republic, and squares accounts with all other nations."

The immediate target of the wrath of the citizens of Shell point was Arthur Tappan, a leading founder of the American Anti-Slavery Society. Referring to a Louisiana law making a capital offense of aiding or abetting the circulation of incendiary abolition papers, the resolves call for the governor of New York to give up "such conspicuous person or persons as are known to be foremost in this work of crime and sedition, so that the question may be fairly tried as to their liability under the law ...such is our pity, scorn, and contempt of Arthur Tappan and his coadjutors...that we heartily approve of the conduct of the citizens of New Orleans, Charleston, Macon, and elsewhere, in offering a premium for said Tappan, and we will be pleased to pay a pro-rata amount for his delivery." The proceedings of the meeting were to be published in all newspapers in the U. S. Especially mentioned are particular papers in Florida, Washington, Richmond, Charleston, Nashville, New Orleans and Mississippi.



1337 ✉ **St. Augustine, "8 Jany" (American Military Government Period),** straightline postmark with manuscript date and matching "Free" rating on 1822 folded letter to James Gadsden, Adjutant & Inspector General, Washington D.C., contents concern the desire of the military sutler at St. Augustine to supply troops at Savannah; some separations along file folds, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

THE EARLIEST RECORDED HANDSTAMPED MARKING OF THIS OFFICE DURING THE AMERICAN MILITARY GOVERNMENT PERIOD.

1338 ✉ **St. Augustine, 30 April 1822.,** double strike of two-line postmark and manuscript "Free" rating on folded letter to Gen. Danl. Parker, Paymaster General, Washington D.C.; fold staining, **Fine,** a very early territorial use.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1339 ✉ **St. Augustine, / 18 June 1822.,** sharp complete strike of two-line postmark on folded cover to William Reynolds, Legislature Council, Pensacola, docketed that originally contained a petition of sundry inhabitants of St. Augustine paying a limitation to contracts not under seal; central file fold, **clean and Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1340 ✉ **St. Augustine, E. Flo., Mar 24,** bold strike of oval datestamp as forwarding postmark (type XII) on folded letter with manuscript "Middleburgh N.Y., March 3d 1831" origin postmark and matching "Free" rating to Postmaster originally at St. Augustine and forwarded to Jacksonville, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1341 ✉ **St. Marks, Florida,** usual strike of segmented circular postmark on 1832 folded letter to Tallahassee, matching **small "Ship"** handstamp and light "14¼" rating alongside, contents with a detailed listing of parts & components of a shipment of machinery for assembly of a very large steam engine from West Point, N.Y. to Tallahassee, **F.-V.F.,** a rare St. Marks usage bearing the small "Ship" handstamp, with only two strikes recorded.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1342 ✉ **Tallahassee, Fl^{A}, July 15**, bold oval postmark (type IVa) and manuscript postmark on 1829 folded letter to Washington D.C.; reinforce fold splitting, **a Very Fine choice strike,** *ex-Meroni*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1343 ✉ **Tampa, Florida, November 15th, 1841,** exceptional strike of rimless circular postmark with manuscript day, on folded letter to Washington D.C., matching "free" rating, **an Extremely Fine strike.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



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Florida Balances

1344 ✉ **Florida Territorial Balance,** of sixteen folded letters; includes Apalachicola first type cds in black and red, Key West oval postmark with matching "Free", Magnolia straight line date stamp including two to Canada, Pensacola 2nd and 3rd type cds's, Port Leon 2nd type cds, St. Augustine including letter with Indian content, earliest Quincy oval, St. Joseph and Tallahassee; condition well above the norm overall, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

1345 ✉ **(Georgia) "Fort Wilkinson, 26th June 1798" (Georgia),** manuscript postmark with matching "25 cts Paid, J.Whitney P.M." rating on folded letter from Fort Sutler to Snow Hill Md., contents concern sale of land by Indians, "*...white persons who have settled amongst them (the Indians) and who from their long residence there and natural corrupt hearts have become more savage than the real Muskogee...tired of the Indian business*"; tong and reinforced fold separations, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

THE EARLIEST RECORDED UNITED STATES FORT POSTMARK.

Fort Wilkinson was named for General James Wilkinson located on Oconee River four miles south of Milledgeville site of negotiation of June 1802 land treaty with Creeks. Fort Sutler's letter.

Illinois

1346 ✉ **Bluffdale, Illinois, Jan. 15,** red homemade double-oval datestamp and manuscript "25" rating on docketed 1832 folded cover to Rev. Brigham at New York N.Y., **Very Fine and choice strike.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

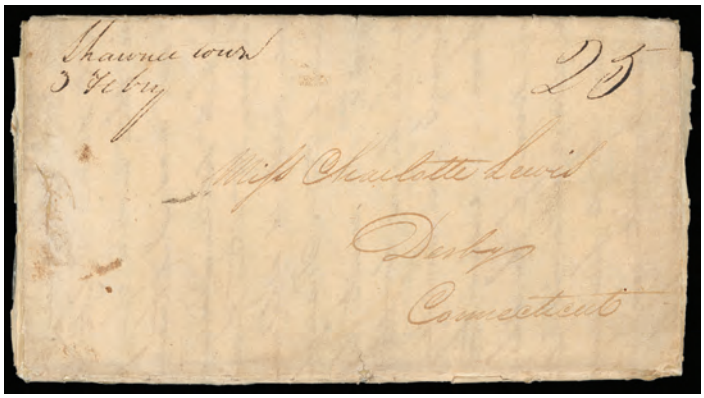
1347 ✉ **"Equality Ill, April 27th",** manuscript postmark below crossed out manuscript "Raleigh Ill, Apr 27" postmark and "Paid 5" rating on blue 1850 folded letter datelined "Marion Ill. 27th April 1850" to Hopkinsville Ky.; light edge toning, **F.-V.F.,** this letter was written by a black man.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1348 ✉ **Galesburg Ill,** clear strike of brownish straightline remailing postmark with red manuscript "May 26" date and "25" cent rating on 1842 folded letter to New York N.y., originally mailed with "Canton Ills. May 11" cds and matching "Paid" handstamp with manuscript "10" rating to Galesburg (pencil address erased and remailed); file fold, **Very Fine and attractive use,** *ex-Rohloff.*
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1349 ✉ **Jacksonville Ill Nov. 29,** rimless oval postmark with manuscript "25" rating on 1830 folded letter to Mocksville N.C., long letter, **Very Fine and scarce postmark.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1350 ✉ **Jacksonville Ill. Feb 9,** red double oval datestamp and manuscript "25" rating on clean 1833 folded letter to Middlebury Vt., interesting long letter telling of journey from south to Illinois "*through the Cherokee Nation*", mentions Illinois land at $1.25 an acre, tells building of log house, encourages friend to visit him and possibly settle in Illinois "*We apprehend no more trouble from the Indians, the Indian War and short crops last year were drawbacks*", etc., **Very Fine and rare marking.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1351 ✉ **Saint Marie, Illinois,** fancy starred double-circle postmark with manuscript "21 March 1848" date and "Paid 10cts" rating on transatlantic folded cover **to France**, red Le Havre (5.9) entry cds with manuscript "10" decimes due rating, Brumath (5.12) arrival backstamp, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



1352 ✉ **"Shawnee town, 3 Febry" (Territory),** manuscript postmark and matching "25" cent rating on 1811 folded letter to Derby Ct., written by Peter Lewis who in 1818 was appointed by Territorial Governor Ninian Edwards as a Captain in the 6th Regiment; faults mostly at edges, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Meroni*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Shawneetown was at the time one of the most important towns in the Illinois Territory. It had one of the principal land offices and was a shipping point for salt.

1353 ✉ **Winchester. Ill.,** straightline postmark with red manuscript "Apl 1" rate and "25" cent rating on 1834 folded letter to Colchester Vt.; cover faults including folds reinforcement, **Fine and rare straightline.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1354 ✉ **Fort Scott, Kansas Territory to Lecompton, Kansas Territory, 1858 (May 16),** orange cover to **Hon. J.W. Denver, Governor of Kansas Territory**, endorsed "Express" at lower left, docketed as from "Judge Williams" at left and pencil "May 16, 1858" dating at bottom; small opening tear, **Fine and scarce Kansas Territory military express use.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

This Kansas Territorial cover was sent via military express from Fort Scott to Lecompton. James W. Denver was the Territorial Governor of Kansas from December 1857 to November 1858. Judge Joseph J. Williams of the Third Judicial District of Kansas was pre-slavery and he supported the Lecompton Constitution. He was writing Denver to undermine the referendum that suspended this constitution in January 1858. Several original letters have survived, including four in the Wichita State University Archives.

Louisiana



1355 ✉ **Nouvelle Orleans 20 Ju 1747,** dateline on folded letter to Bordeaux, France, with straight line "De Rochefort" French entry handstamp at upper right, **Very Fine,** a very rare early usage from New Orleans during the French period.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

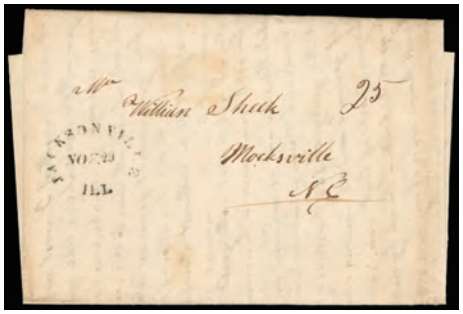
La Nouvelle-Orléans (New Orleans) was founded in Spring of 1718. The French colony was ceded to the Spanish Empire in the 1763 Treaty of Paris.



1356 ✉ **Nueva Orleans - 21 De Mayo 1803,** ship's register folded letter sheet to Bordeaux, with red straight line "Yndias" handstamp and the **exceedingly rare "Nueva Orleans" fancy oval wreath handstamp** on dispatch, signed by the postmaster of New Orleans "Marín" with accompanying "franco" notation above indicating postage paid, reverse with "Payo 32 rls" following the norm for this postal document, well preserved with all four flaps complete, including the red wax used to close the cover and being one of the characteristics which determined the ship's register to be considered as a sealed postal correspondence, **Very Fine,** *ex-Kouri*.
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

ONE OF ONLY EIGHT RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE SPANISH "NUEVA ORLEANS" OVAL WREATH POSTMARK IN PRIVATE HANDS.

Louisiana was under Spanish administration as part of the Viceroyalty of New Spain (1762-1802), when it was retroceded to France according to the Third Treaty of San Ildefonso (1800) and the Treaty of Aranjuez (1801). However, Spain agreed to continue administering the territory until November 30th of 1803 when the French took possession of the colony, three weeks before Louisiana Purchase on December 20th. Additional significance of this cover is that it is one of only two ships register covers known originating from a colony and sent to a non-Spanish destination (this item had to be submitted to the Spanish consul to Bordeaux, as indicated on front). Additionally this is an exceptional postal usage during the short period of Spanish provisional administration after the official transfer to France.



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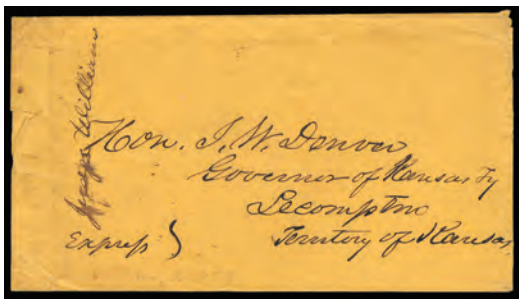

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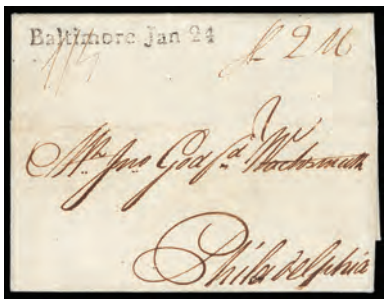

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1357 ✉ **Nueva - Orleans, 1 Julio En 1813,** dateline on folded letter written in Spanish, to Veracruz, Mexico, manuscript "Goletta Proserprina" schooner endorsement at lower left, with "3" reales rate marking for an unpaid single weight maritime letter, matching "Yndias" straight-line handstamp, **Very Fine and choice,** The "Yndias" handstamp is identical to the type previously used in New Orleans. Since the post office was closed with the end of the Spanish dominion in Louisiana in 1803, this postmark most likely was taken to and used in Havana, *ex-Kouri*; with 2014 Comex certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

AN EXTRAORDINARY USAGE OF THE "YNDIAS" HANDSTAMP OF NEW ORLEANS APPLIED OUTSIDE THE CITY.



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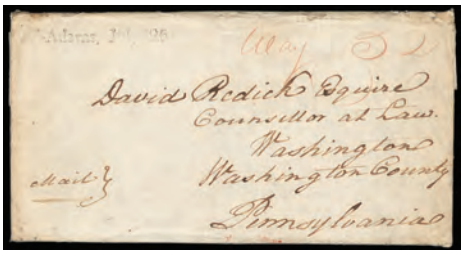

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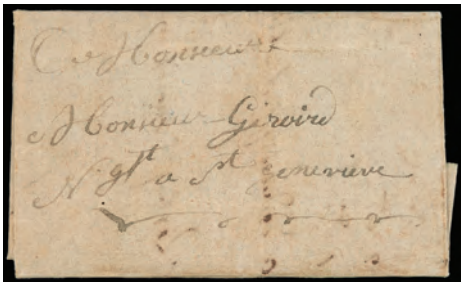

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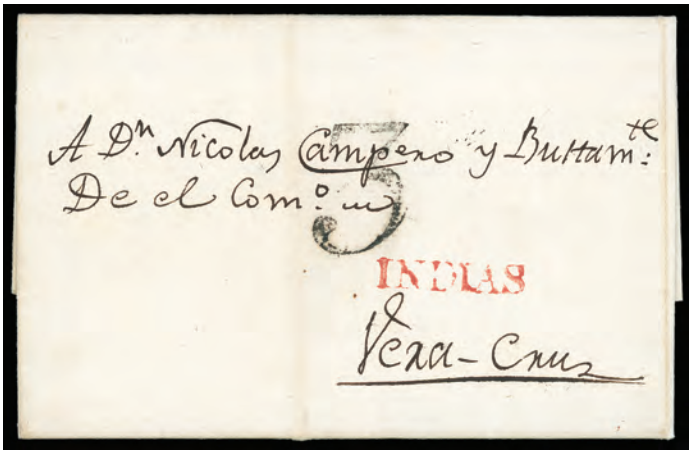
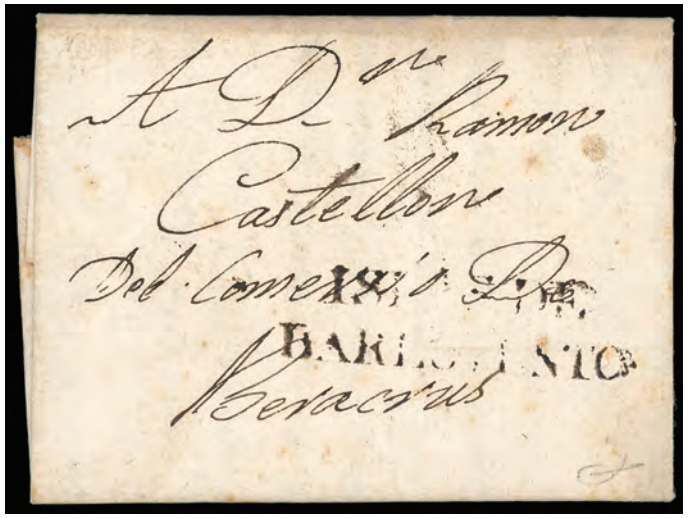


1358 ✉ **Nueva Orleans, 21 Junio, 1813,** folded letter addressed to **Veracruz, Mexico**, carried to Havana and entering the mails in Cuba with small red "**Indias**" straight line handstamp (P.E. 37) and black "3" reales due marking as stipulated by the 1812 tariff for an unpaid single weight letter, **Very Fine and choice,** only four items are recorded with this small "Indias" Cuban postmark used before 1821 and quite remarkable on mail originating from Louisiana.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000



1359 ✉ **Nueva - Orleans 1 De Junio De 1813,** dateline on folded letter sent to **Veracruz, Mexico**, charged in Havana with red "3" reales due marking to pay the single maritime rate, **Extremely Fine,** a rare entire, *ex-Kouri*; with 2014 Comex certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000



1360 ✉ **Nueva Orleans, 3 Diciembre De 1815,** dateline on folded letter from to Veracruz, Mexico, with Havana **two line "Islas De, Barlovento" transit handstamp** (P.E. 33), **F.-V.F.,** a Havana marking which was very rarely struck in black and **the only so far recorded originating from New Orleans**, *ex-Kouri*; signed Guinovart.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000



1361 ✉ **New Orleans, 1 De Feirero De 1853,** dateline on folded letter to **Madrid, Spain**, with distinct red "Vigo, 7 Mar, 1853" transit cds, red "Yndias" straight line and matching "5.R" rate handstamps applied upon arrival in Madrid, **Very Fine,** this extremely rare "Yndias" postmark of Madrid has not been reported in any catalog.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000



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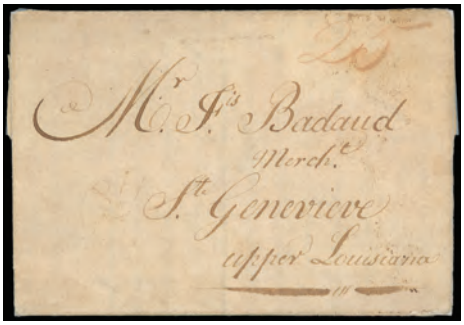

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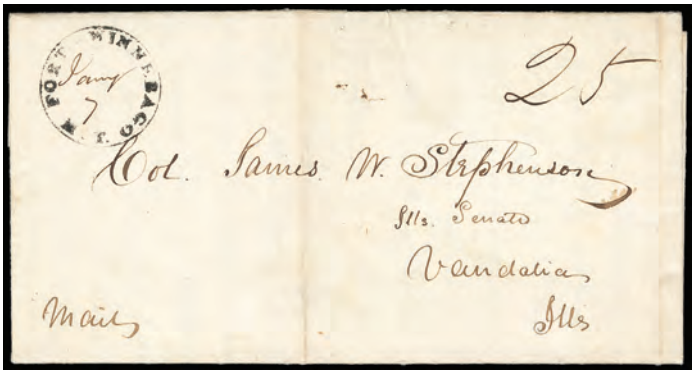
1362 ✉ **(Maryland) Baltimore,** straightlines on 1789 & 1790 folded ship letters comprising "Baltimore Jan 24" complete strike of straightline postmark and manuscript "Sh 2 16" rating on folded letter datelined "Bordeaux 3 Novembr. 1789" to Philadelphia Pa., flap with manuscript "Baltimore 23 January. 1790. Received & forwarded… Wm. Taylor" forwarder's endorsement, manuscript "1/4" local currency rating, *ex-Jarrett*, other with "Baltimore, March. 21" straightline postmark and manuscript "Sh 4.16" rating on folded letter datelined "Rotterdam 28th November 1789" to Philadelphia Pa., manuscript "Recd a forwd Balt. 21 March 1790" forwarder's endorsement on flap, manuscript "2/2" local currency rating, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



1363 ✉ **(Michigan) Fort Winnebago M.T. "Dec 31",** circular postmark with manuscript date and matching "25" rating on blue circa 1834 folded letter to Philadelphia Pa.; horizontal file fold and internal tears, **F.-V.F. and rare Michigan Territory fort,** *ex-Beals*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1364 ✉ **(Michigan) Fort Winnebago M.T. "Jany 7",** circular postmark with manuscript date and matching "25" rating on 1835 folded letter to Vandalia Ill.; file folded and small edge tear, **a Very Fine and rare Michigan Territory fort.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



1365 ✉ **(Michigan) "Grand Blanc, Jan 25" (Michigan Territory),** manuscript postmark with "Paid 10" rating on 1833 folded cover to Territorial Governor George B. Porter, Detroit Mich., docketed "*Oakland to have a new townsp to be called Grand Blanc…*", panel split, **Very Fine appearance.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

THE EARLIEST RECORDED POSTMARK OF GRAND BLANC, MICHIGAN TERRITORY.

Grand Blanc was established in territory that was Oakland County before Genesee County was organized on March 8, 1836. George Bryan Porter (1791-1834) was an American statesman in Pennsylvania and Territorial Governor of Michigan from August 6, 1831, until his death on July 6, 1834.

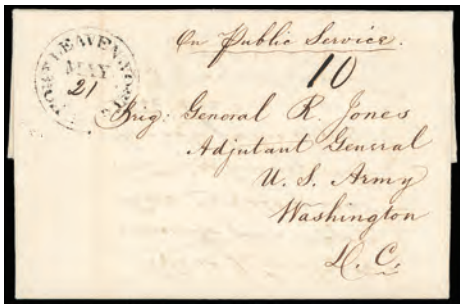
1366 ✉ **(Michigan) Owosso, Mich., May. 23,** fancy truncated box postmark and manuscript "Free, E. Gould, P.M." postmaster free frank on 1844 folded letter to Ithaca N.Y., **F.-V.F. and exceedingly scarce.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1367 ✉ **(Mississippi) F-Adams, July 26,** partial straightline with red red manuscript "***Way 52***" rating on folded letter datelined "Bayou Sarah July 24th 1805" to Washington Pa., some edge wear, **F.-V.F. and scarce territorial use.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Missouri

Early Mail

1368 ✉ **1800 (Mar. 19) Mine À Breton, Spanish Louisiana to St. Genevieve,** folded letter datelined "Mine à Breton, le 10 7bre 1800" in French from Cervcitier Nicolas Sachar accounting for sale of lead to Honiere Giroird, **Fine and scarce early use.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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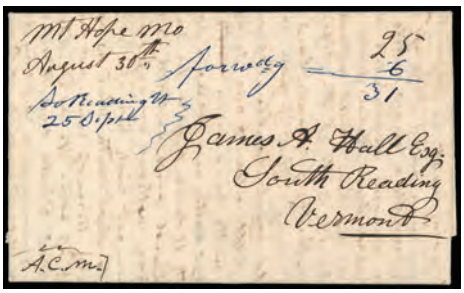

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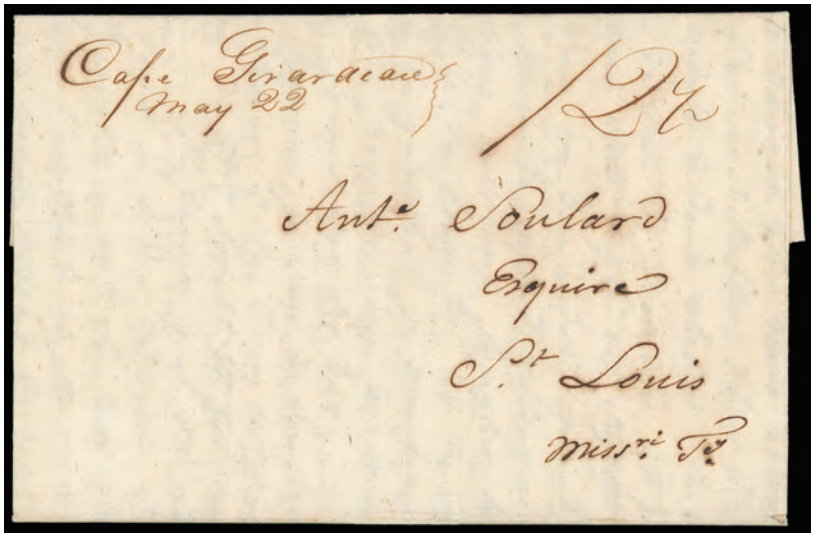
1369 ✉ **1807 (Oct. 24) St. Genievieve, Louisiana Territory to Mine à Breton,** folded letter datelined "St. Genievieve 24 October 1807" concerning a lead transaction and accounting of other transactions; cover tear and soiling, **Fine and early letter.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1370 ✉ **1810 (Feb. 2) Philadelphia Pa. to St. Genevieve, Louisiana Territory,** datelined folded letter with "Phi, 2 Feb" reddish brown cds and red manuscript "25" cent rating, **Fine and scarce incoming use.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1371 ✉ **1810 (Mar. 19) New York N.Y. to St. Genevieve, Louisiana Territory,** folded letter in French from Ferrien De Reviere to Francois Badaud with red "New York, Mar 19" cds and light manuscript rating, transcription of letter accompanies; cover tear and soiling, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Missouri Territory



1372 ✉ **(Missouri Territory) "Cape Girardeau, May 22",** neat manuscript postmark with matching "12½" rating on 1820 folded letter to St. Louis, Missouri Terr., **Extremely Fine and choice,** *ex-Alexander*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

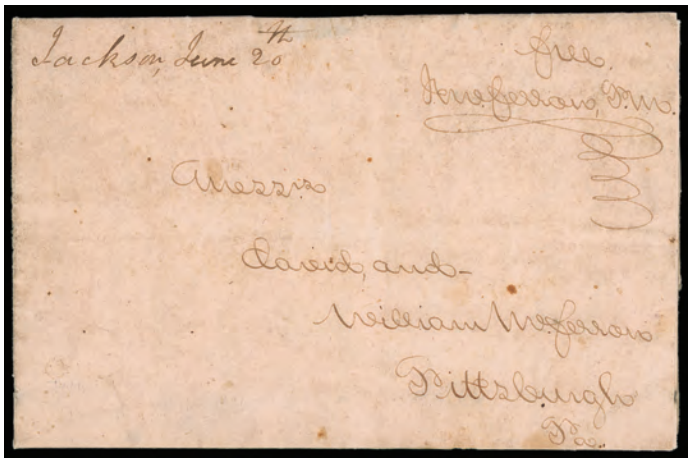
This letter illustrates how quickly some of the French residents of Missouri Territory integrated with the incoming Anglos from east of the Mississippi River. The writer, B. Cousin, tells his friend, Soulard, that he has married "…l'aimable Eliza M. Hunt…" and that he has become the temporary clerk of the court during the absence of Joseph McFerron, who is attending the Constitution Convention leading to statehood for Missouri.



1373 ✉ **(Missouri Territory) "Herculaneum, April 2nd",** manuscript postmark and matching "10" restored rating on 1816 docketed folded cover to St. Louis; horizontal fold and light overall toning, **F.-V.F. restored rate use,** *ex-Alexander*.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

A RARE RESTORED RATE USE FROM MISSOURI TERRITORY.

Effective April 1st 1816, the "War Rate" 50% surcharge in postal rates was repealed and the rates of 1799 and 1810 were restored. This cover was mailed just after the repeal and charged at the correct old rate of 10¢ for a distance of between 40 and 90 miles.



1374 ✉ **(Missouri Territory) "Jackson, June 20th",** manuscript postmark on 1817 folded letter with manuscript "Free, J. McFerron, P.M." free frank endorsement, **Very Fine,** This is the latest recorded use of this Jackson manuscript postmark., *ex-Alexander*.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Jackson is located about 15 miles from the Mississippi River in Cape Girardeau County. The post office was established in 1811. This letter was written by Joseph McFerron who was the postmaster at Cape Girardeau.



1375 ✉ **(Missouri Territory) St. Louis, July. 31,** two-line postmark with matching "39½" cent war surcharge rating on datelined folded ALS letter from **Alexander McNair** to his brother Col. Dunning McNair near Pittsburgh Pa., endorsed "per mail" at lower left; some toning and soiling, **Fine,** *ex-Nettles*.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

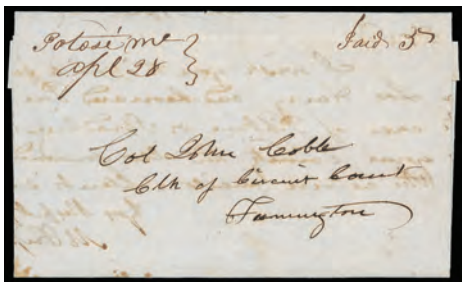
A SCARCE WAR RATE USE FROM MISSOURI TERRITORY.

This letter from Alexander McNair to his brother reads in part "…Col. Miller with his Regt is ordered from this country to another district and will leave this country tomorrow with all his young men. I remain here to sell out the goods, but fear we will lose money on the Whiskey…" and signed "A McNair". Alexander McNair (1775-1826) was a true American frontiersman, politician and first Governor of the States of Missouri from 1820 to 1824. In 1804, McNair traveled to what is now Missouri shortly after the United States acquired the area from France in the Louisiana Purchase. He married Suzanne de Reihle de Regal, the daughter of French Marquis.

Unorganized "Missouri Country" Territory



1376 ✉ **(Unorganized Missouri Territory) "Cant Leavenworth, January 24",** manuscript postmark and "Paid 18¾" rating on folded letter datelined "Fort Leavenworth, 25th January 1833" to St. Louis Mo., endorsed "Care of Messrs Shaw & Cross Merchts", letter mentions travels "…I reached home from Council Bluff on the 10 Inst. or rather, I arrived on the opposite side of the river and the ice was running to such a degree, that they could not cross for me. I consequently had to go down to Liberty and wait till the ice ceased running…"; light toning and edge wear, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750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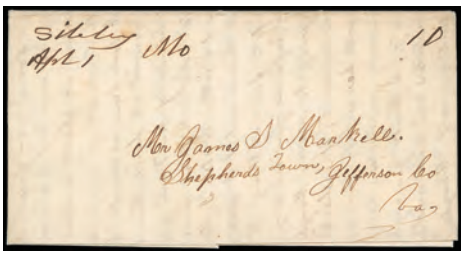
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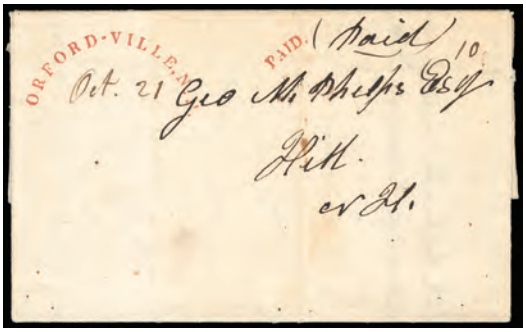
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1377 ✉ **(Unorganized Missouri Territory) Fort Leavenworth, Mo. May "21",** cds with manuscript day and matching "10" rating on folded letter datelined "Head Quarters May 19, 1846" from Capt. J. Burgwin to Brig. General R. Jones, Adjutant General, U.S. Army, Washington D.C., endorsed "On Public Service", letter from commanding officer reading "…a man calling himself 'John Hood' and representing himself to have deserted from the Carlisle Barracks in 1841 being then a Dragoon recruit, surrendered himself to me…"; light file fold, **clean and Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Fort Leavenworth was part of unorganized territory from establishment in 1828 until 1854 when Nebraska Territory became a state.

Statehood

1378 ✉ **Greenfield Mo.,** red cds cancels 3¢ red (U10) buff Nesbitt entire to Jefferson City Mo., forwarded with sharp complete strike of red "Jefferson City, Mo. Jan 17" cds and bearing **3¢ orange brown (10)**, strong color, cancelled by pen strokes, **Very Fine and scarce orange brown use from Missouri.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1379 ✉ **Jefferson City Mo. "Jan 21",** cds with manuscript dating and matching "Paid" handstamp with ms. "Paid 12½" rating on 1835 folded letter to the land office at Chilicothe Mo. signed from future Governor **Thomas Reynolds**, minor file fold toning, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Thomas Reynolds (1796-1844) was the Chief Justice of the Illinois Supreme Court as well as the seventh Governor of Missouri (1840-44). He is notable for being one of the few American politicians to die by suicide while in office.

1380 ✉ **Monroe C.H. Mo "March 12",** bold strike of fancy circular postmark with manuscript dating and matching ms. "Paid 18¾" rating on folded cover to Juliett Ill.; top flap of letter removed, light overall toning, **a Very Fine strike.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1381 ✉ **"Mt Hope, August 30th",** manuscript postmark with matching "25" cent rating 1840 to South Reading Vt., forwarded with blue "So Reading Vt, 25 Sept" postmark and matching "forwdg 6" rating totaled to "31" cents, interesting letter reads in part "…I have traveled in a number of counties in this state and can say that I am very much pleased with the situation of it. The mighty Mississippi River washes its eastern boundary then through the interior is the Muddy Missouri bringing the remains of the ages from the Rocky Mountains. The natural resource of this state are not excelled by any other in the Union…I am teaching the young military drill and hot to fire…I have two classes one in Boonville and one in Arrow Rock 100 miles below this…The state is rapidly settling up and there is an abundance of government land yet for a dollar and a quarter per acre…", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1382 ✉ **"Platte City, Mo. Feb 13",** olive green cds and matching "Free" rating handstamp on 1848 folded letter with blue ms. "Jas H. Johnston PM" free frank to Philadelphia Pa., **fresh and Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1383 ✉ **"Potosi Mo, Apl 28",** manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 5" rating to Col. John Coble, Clerk of Court at Farmington, letter requests the issuing of a subpoena to Harvey and Leonard Parker in court case, **Fine.**
Estimate. . . . . $75 - 100

1384 ✉ **"Sibley Mo., Apl 1",** manuscript postmark and matching "10" rating on 1848 folded letter to Shepherds Town Va., **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1385 ✉ **"Sni Bar, Mo, May 17",** manuscript postmark with matching "5" rating on 1854 folded letter to the Clerk of the Circuit Court La Fayette County; docketing and address crossed out, **Fine and scarce town.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1386 ✉ **Warrensburg Mo. Nov 14,** red cds and manuscript "10" rating on 1842 folded letter to Clerk of the Circuit Court at Vanburen; filing docket, toning at right, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $50 - 75

1387 ✉ **(New Hampshire) Orford-Ville, N.H.,** bold and complete arc postmark with manuscript "Oct. 21" date and matching red "Paid." handstamp with "10" rating on 1844 folded letter to Hill N.H., **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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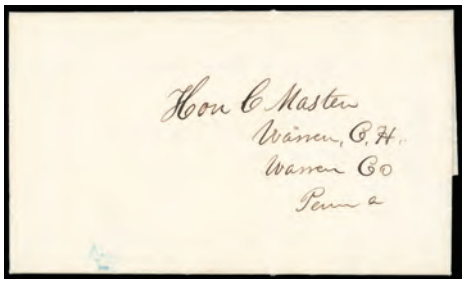

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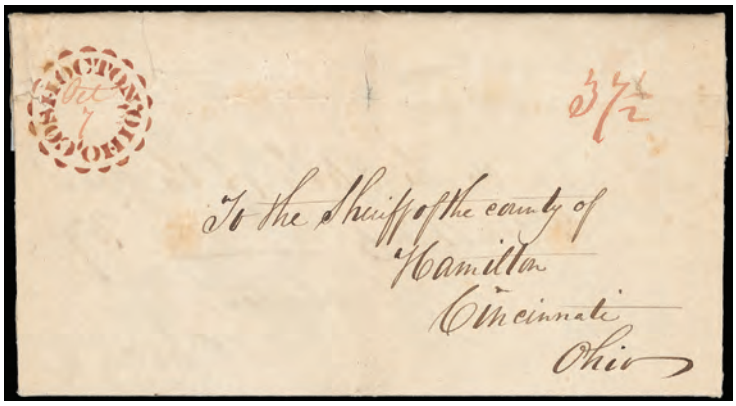
1388 ✉ **(New Hampshire) New Hampshire Stampless Postal History,** group of four better covers comprising 1795 "Portsmouth/July 15" italic two-line postmark to Newburyport, 1797 "Portsmouth, N.H./Septr. 15" two-line postmark to Boston, 1844 "Orford.Ville, N.H." red arc postmark to Nashua, and 1820s Hanover N.H. negative blue serrated box postmark to Gardiner Me.; some faults, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

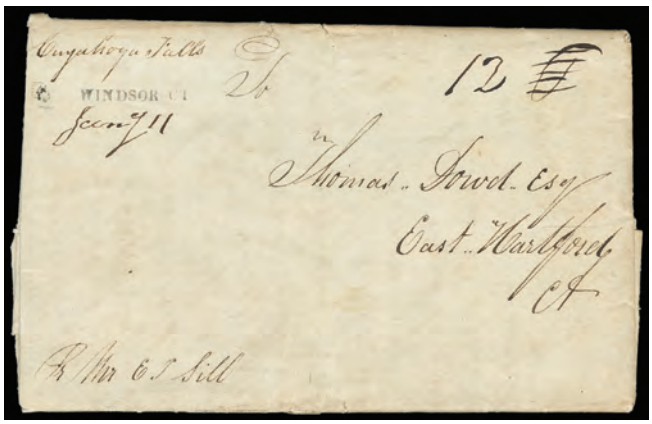


1389 ✉ **(Northwest Territory) "Cincinnati 1st June 1801"**, manuscript postmark with matching "17" rating on folded ALS of Daniel Symmes to Capt. William Clark, Louisville Ky. concerning land transaction, postscript note on flap "As Uncle William wished to hear from family before his departing probably you had best see the contents of this letter"; worn folds, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

William Clark was an American explorer, soldier, Indian agent, and territorial governor. A native of Virginia, he grew up in pre-statehood Kentucky before later settling in what became the state of Missouri. Along with Meriwether Lewis, Clark helped lead the Lewis and Clark Expedition of 1803 to 1806 across the Louisiana Purchase to the Pacific Ocean, and claimed the Pacific Northwest for the United States.



1390 ✉ **(Ohio) Coshocton, Ohio, "Oct 7",** reddish-brown scalloped rim stencil postmark with red manuscript date and matching "37½" rating on 1832 folded letter to Cincinnati Oh., letter turned upon arrival with Cincinnati Oct. 22nd cds back to Coshocton; cover edge faults and edge tears affect marking, **still a Very Fine and choice strike of this rare fancy stencil postmark.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



1391 ✉ **(Ohio) "Cuyuhoga Falls O",** manuscript postmark and matching rating on folded letter datelined "December 15th 1842" to East Hartford Ct., apparently carried privately and entered mails with "**Windsor Ct**" straightline postmark and manuscript "Jany 11" date with matching "12" rating.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



1392 ✉ **(Ohio) Granville, Ohio "Oct. 28.",** bold strike of fancy oval postmark with manuscript date and matching "12½" cent rating on 1830 folded letter to Marietta Oh., **clean Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1393 ✉ **(Ohio) Ohio Stampless Postal History,** group of 18 stampless covers comprising Chillicothe (5), Cleveland, Columbus, Hanging Rock, Hudson, Jackson C.H. (3), Lancaster (2), Middlefield, West Milton (2), Zanesville; nice group, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1394 ✉ **(Vermont) Johnson, Vt., July 26,** perfect red strike of ornamental cds on embossed ladies cover to Malone, N.Y., with matching **fancy negative "Paid" in "3" rate handstamp**; some faint staining at upper left, **Extremely Fine,** choice strikes, a virtually identical cover from the same correspondence (without the trace of staining) sold in the Peter Sharrer sale by Siegel Auctions for $2300 hammer price.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

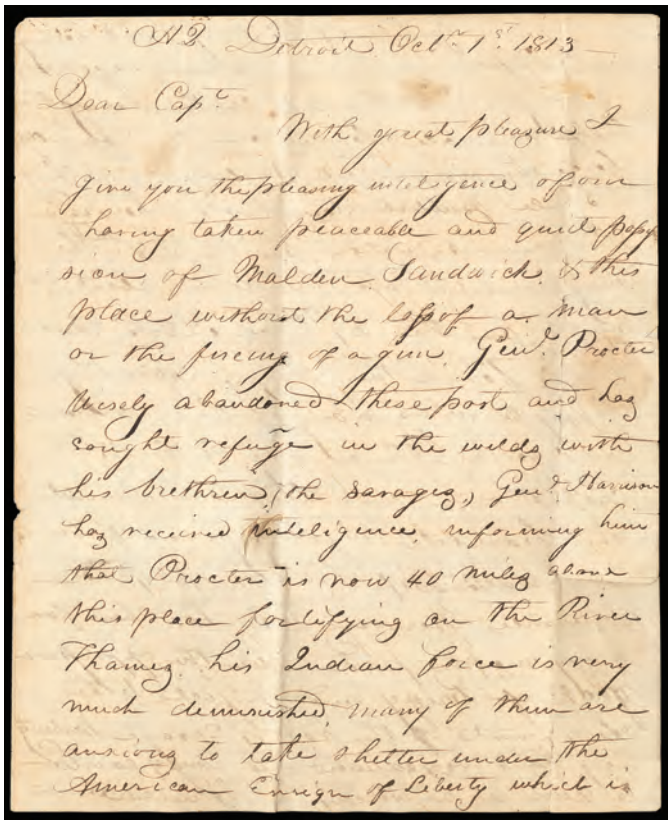


1395 ✉ **(Washington) 1900 Port Townsend, Wash. to Manila, P.I.,** registered 2¢ red corner card entire uprated with **1899, 2¢ red, two singles** (279B) on reverse and **Puerto Rico 1900, 1¢ green & 2¢ red pairs** (215-216) on front, U.S. frankings canceled by purple **fancy Kicking Mule handstamps** and Puerto Rico stamps by "N" in circle handstamp, green "Registered, Port Townsend, Wash., Nov 20, 1900" date stamp, S.F. registry postmarks; cover opened at side for display and repaired nick in backflap, **Very Fine,** a very unusual usage.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



1396 ✉ **(Wisconsin) Green Bay, W.T. "Mrch 14.",** red straightline handstamp and red manuscript dating with matching "Paid 25" rating on folded cover to Albany N.Y., reverse with 1837 docketing; small edge tear, light file fold through marking, **Very Fine and desirable example of this rare straightline,** *ex-Chase*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300





1397 ✉ **(War of 1812) "H.Q. Detroit Octr. 1st. 1813",** dateline on folded letter carried to nearest post office, entered mails with manuscript "L. Sandusky, Oct 7" postmark and "17" cent rating to Capt. Sam C. Vance, Cincinnati Oh., great content including, "*Dear Capt., With great pleasure I give you the pleasing intelligence of our having taken peaceable and quiet possession of Maiden Sandwich & this place, without the loss of man or the firing of a gun. Genl. Proctor wisely abandoned this post and has sought refuge in the wilds with his brethren (the savages), Genl. Harrison has received inteligence informing him that Proctor is 40 miles above this place fortifying on the river Thames. His Indian force is very much diminished. Many of them are anxious to take shelter under the American Ensign of Liberty which is gloriously flapping its wings and hovering over upper Canada and our regained Territory. On the 27th in the evening the troops were all landed on the Canada shore we found Fort Maiden in ashes and all public stores and store houses in the same situation. On the 28th the Army marched up the river about 5 miles, on the 29th we entered Sandwich 1 found citizens apparently happy to see us. Many of them no doubt truly so. On the evening of the 28th Crossed over into this place amidst the heart felt rejoicing and felicitous acclamation of hundreds of poor miserable persons who had been for many months past under the oppressive gook of teriny and subject to the chastisement of the rod of savage barbarits. Every hand was extended and lungs exerted to give us a welcome and grateful reception immediately after the embarkation of the troops at Sandwich for this place the American flag again waived over the remaining walls of the destroyed Fort Detroit which was burned three days previous to our arrival. The army marches again tomorrow morning, its destination mot generally known, but easily to be conjectured. Proctor is not more than 40 miles above this place - Genl Mc-Arthur's Brigade I'm told are to go on to (Fort) Michilimack - inac whether there to remain or not I'm not able to say. We shall go by water if positively ordered to that place. I'm anxious to see that country, tho have not much inclination to winter there…Yours Sincerely CS Clarkson*", **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

A REMARKABLE WAR OF 1812 LETTER CONCERNING THE TAKING OF FORT MALDEN.

1398 ✉ **(Missouri) "Camp Lucas, May 30, 1847",** dateline on folded letter to Hon. C. Master at Warren C.H., Pa., letter from soldier to his father reading in part "…Else this reaches you I will be on my way to Sante Fee. I am appointed Ensign for the Battalion. I will send all my clothes home… Write me every month as the mail leaves every month for Sante Fe. Direct to J.V. Master, 1st Battalion of St. Louis, Volunteers, Comp (E), Sante Fe, New Mexico…Excuse haste we march in the morning. Now if you can get me an office in the regular army. It will be acceptable.", **fresh and Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

John Masters enlisted at Oregon, Missouri on May 15th 1847. Mustered into service on July 4, 1847 as Private assigned to Capt. James Craig Company C in the Battalion Missouri Mounted Volunteers. Honorably discharged November 8th 1848 at Fort Leavenworth, Mo.

Mexican War Letters

by 1st Lieutenant and Adjutant William Snyder 1st Regiment Illinois Volunteers



1399 ✉ **1847-1848, Illinois Volunteers on the Santa Fe Trail, 15** letters from members of the 1st Illinois Volunteers, traveling on the Santa Fe Trail in the summer and fall of 1847 and returning in 1848. Though the fighting had ended in that part of the eventual Mexican cession, soldiers were being sent to hold it for the United States. The letters begin upon steamer "L.V. Lind" in the Missouri River at Boonville, Missouri, and follow the regiment to Ft. Leavenworth, Cottonwood Creek (near current-day Lost Spring, KS), Cold Spring (in what is now the Oklahoma panhandle), and Santa Fe, with one letter from Cold Spring on the return trip. Most are to John Snyder in Belleville, IL, from his brother William. The soldiers raise hell in Missouri, foraging and even stealing alcohol. The trek is at first a "*pleasure trip…We have found the most beautiful country*" rather than the dry brush they were told about. But that was still in Kansas! some excellent military content upon arrival at Sante Fe from William including Oct. 18th 1847: "*An expedition to El Paso some 337 miles from here will start on Thursday next, and with it if I live I am soon to go. Our company has refused upon taking the vote, to go. I am very sorry for this as from all accounts a fine opportunity to do something worthy of this soldier…The expedition will consist of eighteen of as fine companies as the U.S. service can boast of five Companies of the Mo. Battalion of Infantry, five Companies of the Mo. Mounted Regt., Capt. Henson detail light Artillery and Co. G. of the 1st Regt. U.S. Dragoons. We will go to the Pass (El Paso) where we understand that Armijo is waiting for use with some 1,500 or 2,000 men and after getting through them will probably advance against Chihuahua and Durango…", Sante Fe Nov. 14th by military express "…The Colonel had a visit from chiefs of the Utah tribe (Utes) they are decidedly the finest specimens of natures nobility, I ever set my eyes on…" and notes "There is an express going out this day to the States…Colonel Newby is not liked at all there is not a man in Sante Fe that like him he is going way in few days we are looking for Colonel Price every day…", Sante Fe March 1848 "…New has arrived…to the effect that Gen. Uruea with a force of from six to ten thousand strong is advancing against the Territory. But two days since it was reported that he had advanced upon El Paso, and totally defeated Col. Ralls of the mo. Mntd Regt. The latter suffering a loss of one hundred killed alone…Last night and this morning we added travel reports to the effect that Uruea with seven thousand men, was at a town called Donana - forty five miles, this side of El Paso. If this be the case, he has defeated by far greater part of the force that Gen. Price intended to rely upon, ad there is hot working store for us suckers…we have a fight in the territory it will be with tremendous odds against us….", Sante Fe Apr. 24th 1848: "…Next Monday (1st May) I am off for a campaign against the Navajo Indians. Our detachment will consist of one hundred and fifty Missouri Volunteers under Major Reynolds and fifty Illinoisians who have been mounted for that purposes - under command of Capt. Moses of our Regiment the whole under command of Col. Newby. Our campaign will be through one of the toughest and most desolate regions in the world, being that Country between this territory and the California basin…Governor Armijo was captured by Genl. Price in an action last month at Santa Cruz. He is now upon is parole and residing at Albuquerque. We are daily expecting his arrival here….I wonder how the old fellow will feel when he finds me, a U.S. volunteer occupying his most spacious room at his old Palace. Our news from the South Mexico as well a from the U.S. induce us to believe that peace will soon be made…*" With much interesting content on sickness in the ranks, searches for Sterling Price (who had gone south to Chihuahua), and William's growing collection of Native American artifacts, meteorites, and other curiosities from the Old Southwest., **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Risvold where it brought $20,000+.*

Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

A REMARKABLE MEXICAN-AMERICAN WAR CORRESPONDENCE FROM AN ILLINOIS VOLUNTEER. SOLDIER LETTERS FROM MISSOURI AND ILLINOIS VOLUNTEERS WHO SERVED IN THE "ARMY OF THE WEST" ARE RARE AS SO FEW MEN SERVED IN THESE REGIMENTS.



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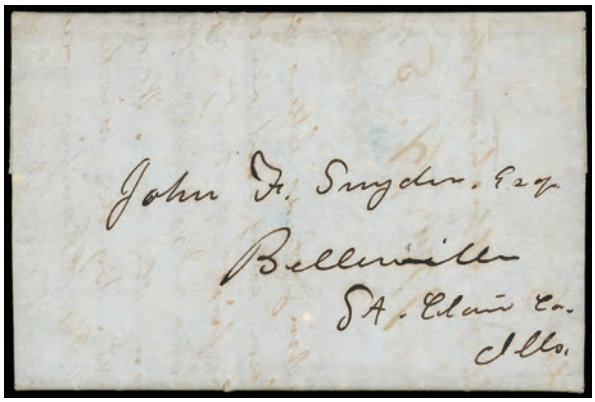

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No. 13



No. 15

(1) *6-25-1847 Boonville, Mo. Traveling on the steamboat L. V. Lind to Fort Leavenworth, enjoying the excitement.*

(2) *6-28-1847 Fort Leavenworth Finally arrived after the steamboat hit many snags in the river, and health of the troops not good as sixty men are sick with measles.*

(3) *7-3-1847 Fort Leavenworth Nothing much, training and packing supplies getting ready to depart for Santa Fe.*

(4) *8-2-1847 Cottonwood Creek On the Plains 173 miles from Fort Leavenworth. Constant wind and cold weather in August need three blankets every night, but enjoying the best health ever.*

(5) *10-18-1847 Santa Fe, New Mexico Letter sent via Mr. Coon. Looking forward to going to El Paso and a battle against Gen. Armijo 2,000 men. We have 18 companies from Missouri and Illinois with artillery and will soon leave.*

(6) *10-18-1847 Santa Fe Parcel Letter via Military Express Lt. Snyder is a collector sending home native clothing items from the Indian Pueblo, and a gold ring worth $16.00 made from gold mined twenty miles away.*

(7) *11-2-1847 Santa Fe Parcel via Military Express The Colonel met chiefs of the Utah tribe (Utes), and are the finest specimens of natures nobility, I ever set my eyes on. Much illness, but the health of the men is rather improving.*

(8) *11-14-1847 Santa Fe Fair with tear I had spell of fever, and seven have died out of our companie, and 50 died since we came here. Colonel Newby is not like at all and we hope for a change when Colonel Price arrives.*

(9) *1-30-1848 Santa Fe Parcel Letter via Military Express A large complaint abut the poor quality of the beef ration.*

(10) *2-10-1848 Santa Fe Parcel Letter via Military Express Capt Turner has stolen a great deal of the regiment's money he was given to be taken home for the men. We hope to find him as this very sad.*

(11) *2-28-1848 Santa Fe Parcel Letter via Military Express Sending home Indian artifacts and minerals and meteorites specimens. Mr. Chouteau just arrived and going onto California.*

(12) *2-28-1848 Santa Fe No Postmark (Tear) By Politeness of Dr. Furlong, parcel with meteorites and cassalite rock.*

(13) *3-21-1848 Santa Fe Gen. Urrea with 7 thousand troops are north of El Paso. Snyder worries that General Price with his 1,500 men have been badly defeated near El Paso. Yet we here are ready for such a fight with only 1,200 men.*

(14) *4-24-1848 Santa Fe Parcel letter via Military Express Leaving soon for campaign against the Navajos in the West.*

(15) *8-29-1848 Cold Spring, Texas Short letter written at Camp Cold Springs, the men in high spirits going home again.*



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Railroad Covers

1400 ✉ **Memphis and Charleston Railroad,** green all-over ad on reverse of cover bearing 3¢ rose (65) tied by blue Memphis, Tenn. duplex to New York, N.Y., matching green "Gayoso House" corner card; minor flap tears, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1401 **1879 Railroad Passes,** four different issued to the President and Acting President of the R.Y.R. and C.R.R.; includes Kent Co. and Smyrna and Delaware Bay Railroads, Raleigh and Caston and Raleigh and Augusta Air-line Rail Road Companies, Macon & Brunswick Rail Road and Missouri & Nebraska Railway Company, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Foreign Mail

1402 ✉ **1835-1837 Capt. Hale Correspondence to Glastonbury Ct. Incoming from Cape Town, Batavia, Singapore,** early correspondence of 9 inbound ship letters comprising 1835 Cape Town via Philadelphia with red Full Rigged Ship octagon handstamp, 1836 "At Sea" dateline via U.S. Consul forwarder to Salem Mass. "Ship", 1837 "Bark Brothers at Sea" dateline via U.S. Consul forwarder to Salem Mass., 1837 "Bark Brothers" dateline with Liverpool forwarder's endorsement per "N. America" via New York, two 1837 "Again at Sea" letters with Batavia forwarder's endorsement via Boston, 1837 Batavia via St. Helena "J. Solomon" forwarder and Boston "Ship", 1837 Singapore via St. Helena U.S. Consul forwarder and New York "Ship", 1837 Singapore with blue "Forwarded by Balestier, Singapore" forwarders oval and U.S. Consul at St. Helena forwarder's endorsement via New York "Ship" (toned); also includes 1835 "Glastonbury Ct" to Captain Hale care of Boston and forwarded privately, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

A WONDERFUL EARLY CORRESPONDENCE FROM AFRICA AND THE FAR EAST.

1403 ✉ **(Pioneer Steamship) 1840 (Jul. 28) Glasgow, Scotland to Salem, N.Y.,** datelined folded letter with red "Glasgow, Paid, Jy 28, 1840" boxed datestamp and red manuscript "8d" prepaid ship rating, reverse choice red strike of crowned "Ship Letter / 30 JY 1840 /Liverpool" handstamp, carried as endorsed by the British and American Steam Company's ***President*** departing Liverpool Aug. 1st to New York arriving Aug. 17th, red "New-York, Ship, Aug 13" cds and manuscript. "20½" cents due rating for 18½¢ inland plus 2¢ ship fee, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

A SCARCE USE CARRIED ON THE MAIDEN VOYAGE OF THE PIONEER STEAMSHIP "PRESIDENT".

The "President" of 2,366 tons was built at Carling & Young's London yard in 1840 for The British and American Steam Navigation Company. Left from London on her maiden voyage to New York on the 1st August 1840 arriving on the 18th. On the "President"'s fourth return voyage from New York she was lost without trace on the 11th March 1841 with the loss of 136 lives. This would bankrupt the British and American Steam Navigation Co.

1404 ✉ **(Freight Money Letter) 1840 (Dec. 4) Baltimore, Md. to Rotterdam, Netherlands,** folded letter showing red "Baltimore, Md. Dec 4" cds with manuscript "18" and "25" ratings for 18¢ inland postage and 25¢ steamship **freight money fee**, red "New York Dec 10" cds and matching "**Too Late**" handstamp, carried by Havre Line *Formosa* from New York Dec. 16 to Havre arriving Jan. 12, red Havre arrival cds, Rotterdam (1.16) arrival backstamp and manuscript "80" Dutch cents due rating, **F.-V.F.,** A scarce freight money letter via France to Rotterdam, *ex-Winter*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Letter endorsed for the steamship Great Western from New York, however it arrived at New York the day after the steamship sailed. It was marked with a red handstamp "TOO LATE" and placed on the next sailing packet for France. The New York postmaster normally returned unused freight money fees to the origin post office. Letter marked for 80 Dutch Cents postage due, 50 Cents French transit and 30 Cents for Dutch transit from Bergen to Rotterdam. Letter considered a freight money cover even though it was transported across the Atlantic on a vessel that did not charge the freight money fee.



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1405 ✉ **1841 (Jan. 2) Leith, Scotland to Richmond, Va.,** folded letter with red "Leith Jan 2, 1841" cds with red manuscript "1/-" shilling prepaid packet rating, red London (1.2) transit, carried as endorsed by Cunard Line *Columbia* from Liverpool Jan. 5th to Boston arriving Jan. 21st, red "Boston 'Ship' Jan 21" cds and manuscript "27" due rating for 25¢ inland postage plus 2¢ ship fee, **Very Fine,** Letter carried on **Maiden Voyage** of the Cunard Line *Columbia*., *ex-Winter*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

"Columbia" was the last of the original four wooden, side-wheel paddle steamers with which Samuel Cunard started the operations of his line in July 1840. She was 1,175 tons and built at Greenock in 1840. She ran aground and was wrecked at Cape Sable, Nova Scotia on July 2nd 1843 without loss of life.

1406 ✉ **1841 (Feb. 16) St. Louis Mo. to Aberdeenshire, Scotland,** folded letter with blue "St. Louis Mo. Feb 16" cds and matching "Paid" handstamp with blue manuscript. "25" cent rating, flap with Liverpool "L, America" oval handstamp and "1/-" shilling due rating handstamp, red Edinburgh Paid (3.17) cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1407 ✉ **1841 (Oct. 1) Derry, Ireland to Washington, D.C.,** datelined folded letter endorsed "On Public Service" and addressed to Genl. R. Jones, Adjt. Genl. U.S. Army, with faint red "Derry, OC 1, 1841" cds, red Dublin boxed "Paid, OC 3, 1841" datestamp and red ms. "1/-" packet rate prepayment, black dotted circle Liverpool "D, Oct 4, 1841" cds, carried by Cunard *Columbia* from Liverpool Oct. 5th to Boston arriving Oct. 21st, red "Boston Ms. Ship Oct 21" cds and blue "27" cents due rating for 25¢ inland postage plus 2¢ ship fee, crossed out as letter and sent free to a government official, **Very Fine, An Exceptional Example of a Rare Liverpool Datestamp**.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

The dotted-circle Liverpool datestamp was used only in 1841 on outgoing packet letters carried by Cunard.

1408 ✉ **1842 (Jan. 3) Manchester, England to Boston, Mass.,** folded cover with red "Manchester JA 3 1842" origin datestamp and red manuscript "1/-" shilling prepaid packet rating, Liverpool "D, Jan 4, 1842" octagon backstamp, carried by Cunard Line *Britannia* from Liverpool Jan. 4th to Boston arriving Jan. 21st, Boston red "Ship/6" fancy ribbon due handstamp; some docketing on face, **Fine and rare,** *ex-Winter*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Letter marked one penny in red ink for British inland fee in error and then marked 1 shilling for the packet rate. Liverpool transit octagonal datestamp on reverse has the code letter "D" at the top, a scarce version of the uncommon octagonal marking. Less than a half dozen examples have been recorded and they were used for a three week period from December 1841-January 1842.

1409 ✉ **1846 (Feb. 28) New York, N.Y. to Francomont, Belgium,** folded letter with red "New-York '5 Paid' 28 Feb" cds, carried by Enoch Train Sailing Ship *Joshua Bates* from Boston Mar. 5th to Liverpool arriving Mar. 28th, Liverpool Ship (3.28) and London (3.29) backstamps with manuscript "1/4" debit rating to Belgium, Ostend (3.31) and Verviers (4.1) backstamps, framed accounting handstamp with blue manuscript ratings totaled to "22" decimes due rating, **Very Fine and choice use, a scarce packet letter for Belgium sent on non-contract sailing ship,** *ex-Winter*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Letter endorsed "p Cambria" and included among the 8,000 letters sent to Boston on the coastal steamer Mohegan from New York which was delayed in a snow storm and missed the sailing of Cunard steamship Cambria on Mar. 1, the scheduled contract steamer. Boston's postmaster sent the delayed mails on the next available sailing ship to Liverpool. London debited Belgium 1s 4d under Anglo-Belgium Treaty of 1844 (8d ship rate plus 8d British transit to Belgium). Belgian accounting handstamp shows 16 decimes owed to U.K. plus 6 decimes internal fee for total postage due of 22 decimes.



1410 ✉ **1847 (Jan. 13) Havre, France to Kingston, Mass.,** datelined blue folded letter with blue "Forwarded by / Yours respectfully / Havre '14 Jan '47' Wm. Slade" three-line forwarder's handstamp, red London Paid (1.19) Maltese cross and matching "Paid Ship Letter, London, 19 IA 19, 1847" crown rimless oval with red "8" pence prepaid rating, carried by Sands & Co. ***Sarah Sands*** from Liverpool from Jan. 20th to New York arriving Feb. 10th, red "New-York, Ship, 7 cts, Feb 11" integral due cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

A RARE USE CARRIED ON THE MAIDEN VOYAGE OF PIONEER STEAMSHIP "SARAH SANDS".

The "Sarah Sands" of 1,400 tons was built for Sands & Company of Liverpool by James Hudson & Company, also of Liverpool as an iron screw propelled vessel and launched in September 1846. The maiden voyage from Liverpool to New York left on the 20th January 1847 and the Prices Current shown below traveled on that voyage.

1411 ✉ **1847 (Dec. 3) London, England to New York, N.Y., Turned and Reused Back to London,** cover with red "Guilford St." straightline on flap, red London (12.3) and "Paid 1/-" shilling prepaid rating, carried by Cunard Line *Hibernia* from Liverpool Dec. 4th to Boston arriving Dec. 25th, New York red "7" cents due handstamp, sender turned and resent on return trip of the *Hibernia* from New York Jan. 2nd to Liverpool arriving Jan. 16th, London (1.17) backstamp with manuscript "1/-" due rating, small opening tear, **otherwise Very Fine,** *This is the first recorded turned transatlantic cover crossing the ocean twice on the same vessel., ex-Winter*.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1412 ✉ **(Retaliatory Rates) 1848 (Jul. 6) Guilford, England to London, England, mourning cover** with "Guilford, JY 6, 1848" single-arc datestamp and red manuscript "1/-" prepaid rating, red London Paid (7.7) cds and Liverpool (7.7) transits, carried as endorsed by Cunard Line *Hibernia* from Liverpool Jul. 8th to New York arriving Jul. 21st, New York red "**24**" cent due rating handstamp; edge wear and small faults, **Fine,** ***One of the earliest recorded example of the scarce New York small "24" retaliatory rating handstamp***.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1413 ✉ **(Retaliatory Rates) 1848 (Aug. 26) Vera Cruz, Mexico to London, England via New Orleans,** datelined folded letter with red "Forwarded by Schmidt & Co., New Orleans" forwarders oval on flap, entered mails with black "New Orleans, La. Sep. 16" cds and matching "Paid" and "34" rating handstamps, carried by Cunard Line *Europa* from New York Sep. 27th to Liverpool arriving Oct. 9th, red London (10.10) arrival backstamp and manuscript "1/-" shilling due rating; minor fold wear and toning, **F.-V.F.,** *An uncommon example of New Orleans "34" retaliatory rating handstamp.*
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1414 ✉ **(Retaliatory Rates) 1848 (Sep. 5) Paris, France to Boston, Mass.,** folded letter with red Paris cds and manuscript "15" décimes prepaid rating on reverse, carried by Cunard Line *Acadia* from Liverpool Sep. 9th to Boston arriving Sep. 24th, London "Paid 6 SP" and Liverpool (9.7) transits, red "24" retaliatory due rating for 24¢ packet fee; light toning, *ex-Winter*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Letter carried on 12th of 25 Cunard voyages westbound to Boston under the retaliatory order.

1415 ✉ **(Retaliatory Rates) 1848 (Nov. 17) New Orleans, La. to London, England,** folded letter with black "New Orleans La. Nov 18" cds and matching "Paid" and "34" rate handstamps for prepaid single rate of 10¢ postage plus 24¢ packet fee, carried by Cunard Line *Acadia* from Boston Nov. 29th to Liverpool arriving Dec. 12th, London (12.13) backstamp arrival and manuscript "1" shilling retaliatory due packet rating; two file folds, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Winter*.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Letter carried on the 22nd of 26 Cunard mail east bound voyages to England under the retaliatory order. This was the final mail voyage of the "Acadia" for Cunard.

1416 ✉ **1852 (May) Ship Loo Choo at Sea, North Atlantic to Dorchester, Mass. via Cowes, Isle of Wight,** folded letter from sailor on board the ship *Loo Choo* in North Atlantic, latitude 29ºN 11'W, which was transferred to another ship headed to England and landed at Cowes, "**Cowes / Ship-Letter**" backstamp, British manuscript "32" cent debit to U.S. for "8" pence (16¢) incoming ship fee plus 16¢ transatlantic packet service, carried by Cunard Line *Africa* from Liverpool May 8 to Boston arriving May 20, red "New-York 'Ship' May 20" exchange cds and manuscript "37" cent postage due with 5¢ added for inland postage, **Very Fine,** *ex-Winter*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

The U.S.-U.K. convention of 1848 had a provision for this 37¢ rate, which is uncommon. The New York Ship cds is rare on transatlantic convention mail.

1417 ✉ **1853 (Nov. 9) St. Louis Mo. to Lucerne, Switzerland,** folded letter with red cds and bold red "20" rating handstamp, bold "PART / PAID" two-line handstamp paid to French border only, red Le Havre transit cds, red Basel (12.7) transit backstamp, red crayon "65" and dark red "90" rappen due rating; some ink bleed, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Risvold*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150


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1418 ✉ **1856 (Apr. 25) Edinburgh, Scotland to New York, N.Y.,** blue folded letter with red Edinburgh (4.25) backstamp and bearing **G.B. 1s green, embossed (5)**, large margins to touched, tied by Edinburgh "131" roller cancel, red Liverpool (4.26) transit and matching "5/Cents" credit handstamp, carried by Cunard Line *America* from Liverpool Apr. 26th to Boston arriving May 10th, New York red "Paid" arc handstamp; horizontal fold, **Very Fine**; with 2008 Sismondo certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1419 ✉ **1856 (Sep. 4) Mokelumne Hill, Cal. to Urrugne, France,** fancy embossed cover with "Mokelumne Hill Cal. Sep 4" cds and matching "Paid 26" rating handstamp for the 21¢ American packet rate plus 5¢ West Coast fee, carried by Ocean Line *Washington* from New York Oct. 4th to Brest arriving Oct. 20th, Calais (10.20) entry cds and matching "8" decimes due handstamp, reverse with Paris aux Pyrenees (10.21) railroad cds and Behobie (10.23) arrival cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



1420 ✉ **1857 (Jul. 10) Madison, Ind. to Port Stewart, Ireland,** cover with "Madison Ind. Jul 10" cds, black "N. York Br. Pkt. '5' Jul 14" debit exchange cds, carried by Cunard Line *Niagara* from Boston Jul. 15th to Liverpool arriving Jul. 26th, Dublin "**American Mail, JY27 1857**" rimless cds with attached "**1/**" shilling due rating, Coleraine (7.27) arrival backstamp, **Very Fine,** *ex-Winter*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

AN UNCOMMON EXAMPLE OF THE DUBLIN "AMERICAN MAIL" MARKING WITH ATTACHED RATE.

In January 1856, London authorized Dublin to mark rates on Irish mail when there was insufficient time to do so in Liverpool.

1421 ✉ **1857 (Oct. 6) St. Louis Mo. to London, Canada West,** buff cover with clear "St. Louis Mo. Oct 6, 1857" cds and matching "10" rating handstamp, partial "United States, 6" pence exchange oval, reverse with Windsor (10.8) and London (10.9) arrival cds; flap torn, **Very Fine,** *ex-Nettles*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



1422 ✉ **1858 (Aug. 9) New York, N.Y. to Plymouth, England,** datelined folded letter sent unpaid with "N. York Br. Pkt. '5' Aug 10" debit exchange cds to G.B., carried on Cunard Line *Europa* from Boston Aug. 11th, she collided with *Arabia* near Cape Race and put into St. John's, Newfoundland for repairs, mail and passengers were picked up at Halifax by Cunard Line *Persia* that arrived at Liverpool on Aug. 28th, Liverpool America (8.28) backstamp and matching "1/-" due handstamp, Plymouth (8.29) arrival cds, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Graham Booth*.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

ONLY A FEW COVERS FROM THIS WRECK VOYAGE HAVE SURVIVED.



1423 ✉ **1859 (Feb. 18) Camp Floyd, Utah Territory to Dublin, Ireland,** choice strike of rimless "**Camp Floyd, U.T., February 18**" cds and matching "Paid 3" in arc overwritten with manuscript "24" rating at upper right on buff cover to Dublin, Ireland, New York reddish black "19" credit handstamp, carried by Cunard Line *Asia* from New York Mar. 30th to Liverpool arriving Apr. 10th, sharp strike of "America, Paid, Dublin, AP 11 1859" (Robertson P1) arrival datestamp for late mail closed bag from Liverpool; vertical file fold at left, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

AN EXCEPTIONALLY RARE CAMP FLOYD UTAH TERRITORIAL TRANSATLANTIC USE WITH A CHOICE STRIKE OF THE RIMLESS POSTMARK.

The letter likely traveled East from Camp Floyd by stage or horse via the Salt Lake City to St. Joseph route, where it then went to New York by rail. It left New York Mar. 30th on the Cunard Line "Asia", arriving at Liverpool Apr. 10th. From there, it went by rail to Holyhead, across the Irish Sea by boat, to Dublin.

1424 ✉ **1859 (Jun. 23) Boston, Mass. to Calcutta, India,** datelined folded letter endorsed "via Marseilles" and taken privately to New York, red "New-York, Am. Pkt., Jun 25" exchange cds and matching "Paid" framed handstamp with pencil "21" cents rating for British open mail, carried on New York & Havre Co. *Fulton* from New York Jun. 25th to Southampton arriving Jul. 7th, red London (7.8) transit backstamp and manuscript "1/-" due rating for packet to Calcutta plus French transit, carried by P&O *Panther* from Marseilles to Alexandria, and *Nemesis* from Suez to Calcutta, "Calcutta, Steam Letter, 1859 Aug 11" framed handstamp with "8" anna due (1/-) due rating, **Very Fine and choice use to India,** *ex-Arthur White*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

A SUPERB STRIKE OF CALCUTTA'S STEAMSHIP ARRIVAL POSTMARK.

1425 ✉ **1860 (Apr. 19) St. Louis, Mo. to Frankfurt, Germany,** perfect strike of cds and red "Paid 30" oval rating handstamp for Prussian Closed mail rate on blue folded letter, red "N.York '7 Paid' Apr 25" credit exchange cds, red "Aachen Franco 8 / 5" framed transit, Frankfurt (5.9.1860) arrival backstamp, **Very Fine,** *ex-Nettles*.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



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1426 ✉ **1861 (Oct. 1) New York, N.Y. to Barcelona, Spain,** folded cover bearing **1¢ blue (63) pair** and **3¢ rose (65)**, tied by New York foreign mail black grid cancels (Kirke 60-02-01-GR), red "New York, Br. Pkt., Oct 1" exchange cds, reverse with blue "Forwarded By, Rivera & Hall, New York" double-line oval, carried by Cunard Line *Europa* from Boston Oct. 2nd to Queenstown arriving Oct. 12th, red London (10.14) transit backstamp, sent in closed bag by rail from Calais to the Spanish exchange office, "Espana, Junquera, 15 Oct 61" and Barcelone (10.17) backstamps, black "4.R^{s}" due handstamp; opened on three sides for display, **a Very Fine exhibition use at the 5¢ British open mail rate.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1427 ✉ **1867 (Jun. 13) Bowensburgh, Ill. to Dublin, Ireland,** orange cover bearing **10¢ green (68) vertical pair**, guideline s.e. at right, tied by target cancels, matching "Bowensburgh, Ill. Jun 13" cds, partial "Boston Br. Pkt. '5' Jun 18" exchange cds with matching "Short Paid" framed handstamp and sent as an unpaid letter, carried on Cunard Line *Cuba* departing Boston Jun. 19th to Queenstown arriving Jun. 27th, Dublin (6.28) arrival cds and "1/-" due handstamp; small backflap fault., **Very Fine and attractive example of short paid treatment under the 1848 treaty.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

The 1848 treaty did not allow part-paid letters, and stipulated that they would be treated as unpaid.

1428 ✉ **1867 (Jul. 26) Urknaa, Sweden to Lafayette, Ind.,** gray cover with "Urknaa, 26/7" origin cds, blue manuscript "Via Prussia & Ostende" and "2½" rating, black "Aachen, 3/8, Cts." cds and framed "**Aus Schweden / per Stralsund**" handstamp, additional blue manuscript "5" debit rating on reverse, carried by Inman Line *City of Paris* from Liverpool Aug. 7th to New York arriving Aug. 17th, black "New.York, Am. Packet., Aug 17" cds, **F.-V.F.,** A rare use of the "Aus Schweden" framed handstamp on incoming U.S.-Prussian treaty mail.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1429 ✉ **1839-68 Transatlantic Balance,** group of 15 covers; includes 1839 Boston, Mass. to Oporto, Portugal private ship letter showing red "Forwarded Through, Gilpin's Exchange, Reading Room and Foreign Letter Office, N-York" oval backstamp, 1845 Gibraltar to Richmond Va. sent privately to London where it entered mails, 1846 New York to Oporto, Portugal private ship letter, 1848 Zante, Ionian Islands to Boston, Mass. (ex-Winter), 1850 New York to Edinburgh, Scotland carried on Cunard Line Hibernia from Boston, 1853 Cincinnati Oh. to Blamont, France use by American Service direct, 1856 California to London, England, 1857 Genoa, Italy to Salem Ma. carried privately to England with red "Forwarded By, Baring Bros. & Co., Liverpool" forwarding agent cachet (Rowe rarity 3), 1864 Mayaguez, Puerto Rico to Portland Me., 1864 New York to Edinburgh, Scotland carried on Cunard Line Asia from Boston (ex-Hugh Feldman), 1868 New Orleans La. to Le Havre, France franked with 15¢ black (77) vertical pair, 1846 Rio de Janeiro, Brazil to London, England endorsed "Express Packet", 1873 Miragoane, Haiti to Le Havre, France and 1865 Ponce, Puerto Rico to London, England carried on the RMSP Seine from St. Thomas, **generally Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500



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1430 ✉ **1844-67 U.S.-G.B. Transatlantic Balance,** group of 13 covers; with 1844 N.Y. to England by Cunard Line *Arabia*, 1847 Liverpool to Boston, Mass. by Cunard Line *Cambria* (ex-Winter), 1849 Liverpool to Petersburg, Va. by Cunard Line America (only example seen with the "SHIP" handstamp on a letter carried under the postal convention, ex-Winter), 1850 Liverpool to New York carried on the maiden voyage of Cunard Line *Asia*, 1856-1875 group of three printed circulars bearing G.B. 1d red solo frankings, 1860 Madison Wis. to Stockport, England with scarce Detroit exchange office use, 1861 London to New York closed-bag treatment via Portland, 1867 depreciated currency use, etc., **generally Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1431 ✉ **1871, 1887 Solar Eclipse Expeditions,** two covers, first bearing 2¢ red brown (146) tied by Boston duplex on local cover endorsed "The Solar Eclipse in India, Print Copy", second cover bearing 2¢ green (213) cancelled by cork cancel duplexed with "Amherst Mass., Apr 30, 1888" cds on cover with printed "American Eclipse Expedition to Japan, 1887" framed corner card to Washington D.C., **Very Fine and scarce pair of eclipse expedition covers.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Fancy Cancellations

1432 ✉ **"1" of South Woodstock Vt.,** bold strike of large purple cancel, matching "South Woodstock Vt., Nov 7" cds on 1¢ black (UX5) postal card to Heartland Vt., 1878 message, slight overall toning, **Very Fine and scarce cancel,** The South Woodstock "1" is scarcer than the "3".
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1433 ✉ **"3" of South Woodstock Vt.,** two covers, one with large bold "3" in purple ties 3¢ green (184), matching "South Woodstock Vt. Feb 6" cds to Galesville Wisc., second with large bold "3" in black ties 3¢ green (207), fancy purple "South Woodstock, Vermont, May 27 1881" double-circle postmark on cover to Rockport Me., small edge tear and partial flap, **Very Fine and scarce pair in both known colors.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



1434 ✉ **Axe Head,** bold strike ties **3¢ dull red (11A)**, rich color, three margins, matching "Collinsville Ct. Apr 2" cds to Patterson N.Y.; reduced slightly at right into address, **Very Fine,** *ex-Judge Fay*; with 1992 P.F. certificate.
Skinner-Eno No. **PO-Wt 6** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THE COLLINSVILLE AXE HEAD FANCY CANCEL ON THE 1851 ISSUE, AND THE EARLIEST RECORDED STRIKE OF THIS CANCEL.

Reference: The Three Collinsville Axes, W.J. Duffney.

1435 ✉ **Bat,** bold strike on fresh **3¢ rose (65)**, matching "Hingham Ms. Feb 16" cds on clean cover to Boston Mass., **Very Fine and choice strike of the Hingham Bat.**
Skinner-Eno No. **PA-Bt 1** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



1436 ✉ **Devil & Pitchfork,** clear strike duplexed with "West Meriden Conn. Jun 6" cds on 3¢ pink (U58) entire to Providence R.I., docketed from O.H. Platt, June 5th 1866" at left, **a Very Fine strike of this desirable fancy cancel.**
Skinner-Eno No. **PH-F 40** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



1437 ✉ **Grid,** large oval grid cancel ties **3¢ dull red (11A) horizontal pair**, large margins to touched, oval "Weaverville Cal." postmark with magenta "Feby 6" dating on light blue cover to Elizabethtown Ky., **Very Fine,** *ex-Clifford, Haas*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

This large oval grid cancel is rather unusual as it was designed to cancel a pair of stamps.



1438 ✉ **"I Cure U, Trademark",** remarkably sharp strike of this rare precancel on 2¢ green (213), used on cover with "Harshaville Pa., Dec 28, 1887" cds to Beaver Pa.; reduced slightly at left, **Very Fine and interesting cancel,** an outstanding strike.
Cole No. **PC-16** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED ON COVER EXAMPLES OF THIS RARE PRECANCEL.



1439 ✉ **Keyhole,** bold strikes on 6¢ carmine (148) and 15¢ bright orange (152), each with rich color, small faults, **Very Fine and choice strikes.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

There is only one recorded cover bearing the Pottsville Pa. "Keyhole" cancel dated August 1st 1871 to Spain. The cancels are always struck carefully to avoid the vignette profiles, which of course, was the intention in the design of the cancel.



1440 ✉ **"Kid",** three strike of negative fancy cancel duplexed with partial "Virginia City, Aug 28" cds on cover to Auburn N.Y.; reduced slightly at left, **Very Fine and remarkable fancy cancel**; with 1998 A.P.S. certificate.
Cole No. **unlisted** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

THE ONLY RECORDED COVER WITH THIS VIRGINIA CITY BILLY THE "KID" FANCY CANCEL.

Billy the Kid (1859-1881), born Henry McCarty, was an American Old West gunfighter who participated in New Mexico's Lincoln County War. He is known to have killed eight men. After murdering a blacksmith during an altercation in August 1877, Bonney became a wanted man in Arizona Territory and returned to New Mexico, where he joined a group of cattle rustlers. He became a well-known figure in the region when he joined the Regulators and took part in the Lincoln County War. In April 1878, the Regulators killed three men, including Lincoln County Sheriff William J. Brady and one of his deputies. Bonney's notoriety grew in December 1880 when the Las Vegas Gazette in Las Vegas, New Mexico, and The Sun in New York City carried stories about his crimes. Sheriff Pat Garrett captured Bonney later that month. In April 1881, Bonney was tried and convicted of the murder of Brady, and was sentenced to hang in May of that year. He escaped from jail on April 28, 1881, killing two sheriff's deputies in the process and evading capture for more than two months. Garrett shot and killed Bonney at Fort Sumner on July 14, 1881.


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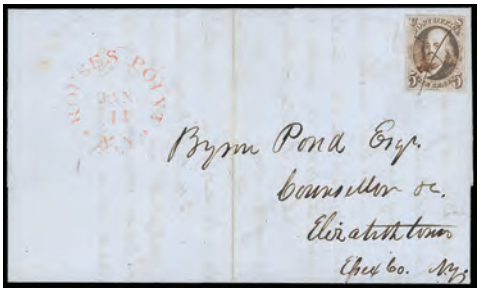
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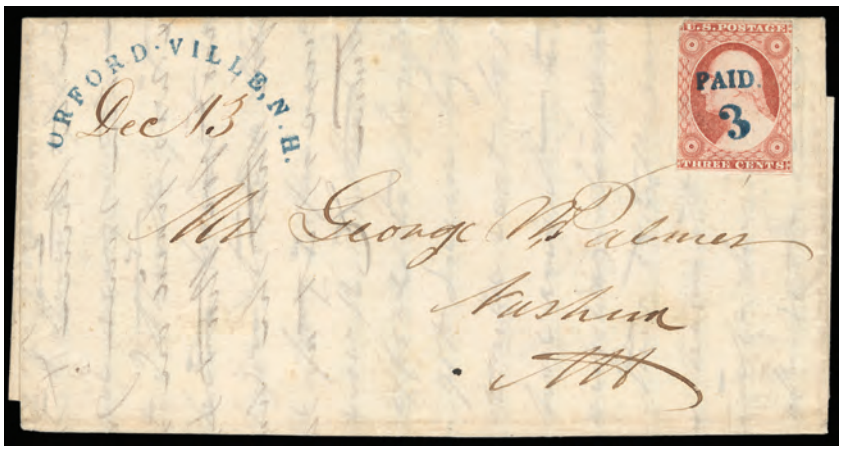
1441 ✉ **"Lincoln" and Stars in Circle of Albany, N.Y.,** worn state, duplex postmark tying **3¢ rose (65)**, missing second stamp from vertical pair, on corner card cover to Otto, N.Y.; slight cover staining, **Fine appearance.**
Skinner-Eno No. **PC-NP 15a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1442 ✉ **Negative "D",** bold strike duplexed "Boston Mass., Jan 3, 1881" tied by **1¢ blue, type IV (9)**, huge margins including bottom sheet margin except in at top, **a Very Fine and unusual late demonetized use of the 1851 issue.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1443 ✉ **"New York, Sep 20" Ocean Mail,** sharp nearly complete strike of cds on two **5¢ red brown (12)** singles originally used as a pair, right stamp four full margins, left stamp full margins except touched at left, rich color on bright paper, **fresh and Very Fine,** *ex-Eno*.
Skinner-Eno No. **PM-OM 1** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

A REMARKABLE USE OF THE NEW YORK OCEAN MAIL CDS ON THE 5¢ 1856 IMPERFORATE ISSUE.



1444 ✉ **Orford-Ville, N.H.,** sharp strike of blue arc town postmark and manuscript "Dec 13" dating with matching intense bold **"Paid" straightline and "3" rating handstamps (Skinner-Eno PM-PNc 1)** cancelling **3¢ dull red (11)**, margins to in at sides, corner nick, on 1852 folded letter to Nashua N.H., **Very Fine and rare use.**
Skinner-Eno No. **PM-TA 1** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



1445 ✉ **Pointing Hand,** clear detail strike cancels **3¢ dull red (11A)**, four margins, matching "Westville Ct., Nov 1" cds on buff cover to Schraalenburg N.J.; file fold barely affects 3¢, some cover wear and small faults, **a Very Fine choice.**
Skinner-Eno No. **PH-HF1** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THIS EXCEPTIONAL FANCY CANCEL FROM WESTVILLE CT. IT IS THE EARLIEST RECORDED POINTING HAND CANCEL FROM ANY TOWN.

Postmasters' Provisionals Issues

1446 ✉ **New York, N.Y., 5¢ Black on Bluish,** large margins to just in, tied by red grid cancel with matching "Boston, 5 cts, 12 Aug" integral-rate cds on gray folded cover from the Howland & Aspinwall correspondence to New York N.Y., manuscript "Post Paid" at bottom left; address cut out and replaced as often seen by this correspondence, **Very Fine appearance and scarce use cancelled by the Boston grid cancel.**
Scott No. **9X1** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



1447 ✉ **New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ Black on Bluish, Without Signature,** Position 24, margins ample to slightly in at top right, tied by file fold crease and two strokes of black pen, red "New-York, 5 cts., 16 Jul" integral-rate cds with matching "Paid" arc handstamp on gray folded letter datelined "New York July 16, 1845" to Hartford Conn., manuscript "Paid", **Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **9X1e** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

A scarce July 16th 1845 use which is the second earliest date known, fewer than five are recorded from this date. This cover is interesting as the red curved "Paid" handstamp was used to cancel most of the first day July 15th 1845 usages. This second day usage has the stamp cancelled by manuscript even though the "Paid" handstamp is present. It suggests that there was no decided upon approach to cancel the New York provisional stamp at this point.

An Outstanding 10¢ St. Louis Bear in Gem Condition



1448 ✉ **St. Louis, Mo., 10¢ Black on Greenish,** Type III, Position 6, large margins all around, intense early shade and impression showing every detail with perfect clarity, tied solely by red "St. Louis Mo., Feb 21" cds, matching red "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "10" rating on 1846 gray folded letter from the Charnley & Whelen correspondence to Philadelphia Pa., **Extremely Fine, A Stunning Gem.**
Scott No. **11X2** $14,000

A BEAUTIFUL AND CHOICE 10¢ ST. LOUIS "BEAR" PROVISIONAL COVER FROM THE FAMOUS CHARNLEY & WHELEN CORRESPONDENCE, RARELY SEEN TIED SOLELY BY THE RED CDS.

St. Louis Postmaster John M. Wimer issued the St. Louis "Bears" Provisionals from November 1845 until the first United States General Issue became available in July 1847, in denominations of 5¢ and 10¢ first, followed by a 20¢ value later.



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1847 Issue

1449 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** clear to huge margins, couple small natural paper creases, canceled by blackish blue grid handstamp on 1850 cover to **Montreal, Canada**, matching "Saratoga Springs, N.Y., Dec 9" cds, manuscript "4½" due rating and partial receiving backstamp; cover with central wax seal stain, **otherwise Very Fine,** a scarce 1847 5¢ single usage on cover to Canada; signed Ashbrook, with 2005 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1450 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** ample to mostly large margins, tied by manuscript cancel on 1850 folded letter to Elizabethtown, N.Y., red rimless "Rouse's Point, N.Y., Jan 11" cds at left, **Very Fine,** the **only recorded 1847 5¢ single franking usage from Rouse's Point in the Alexander census**; with 2008 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1451 ✉ **5¢ red brown,** horizontal pair, dark shade, large margins to just clear, each stamp cancelled by manuscript squiggles, blue "Baltimore Md. Mar 26" cds on 1849 folded letter to Proctorsville Vt.; file fold affects right stamp, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **1**. $1,000

1452 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** ample to large margins, tied by red grid cancel on cover to Palmyra, matching "Nunda, N.Y., Feb 10" cds; stamp with light crease and a bit of cover staining at upper right, **F.-V.F.,** the **only recorded 1847 issue usage from Nunda, N.Y. in the Alexander census**; with 2010 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1453 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** margins large to a bit into frameline at lower right, tied by blue "Granville, N.Y., May 30" cds on cover to Orwell, Vt.; stamp with small tear and slightly oxidized, **Very Fine appearance,** this being **the only recorded 1847 5¢ usage from Granville, N.Y. in the Alexander census**; with 2008 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1454 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown, Two Singles,** tied by manuscript cancels on cover to Detroit, Mich., blue "Rome, N.Y., May 22" cds; minor stamp flaws, **F.-V.F. appearance,** the **only known multiple usage of 1847 5¢ issue from Rome, N.Y**. unlisted in the Alexander census; with 2010 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

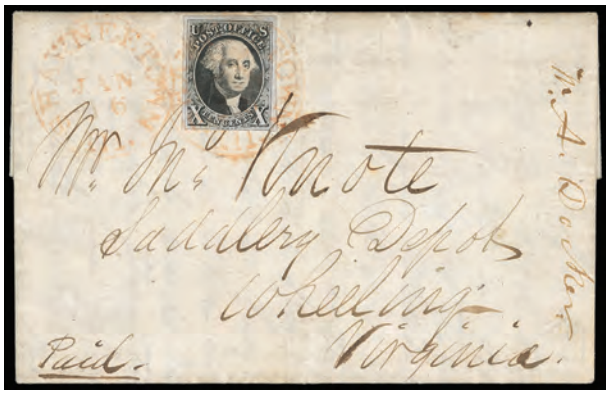
Rome received no 1847 stamps of either denomination.

1455 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown,** ample margins, tied by blue grid cancel on cover to Fishkill, N.Y., matching "Norwichtown, Ct., Apr 26" cds alongside, **Very Fine**; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

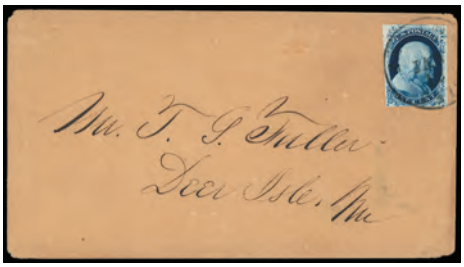
1456 ✉ **5¢ Red Brown, Double Transfer (Type "A"),** position 80R1, showing double transfer of top frame line, clear to large margins, manuscript canceled on cover to Middlebury, Ct., light "Wallingford, Ct., Jun 15" cds (cert. calls ink degradation) with manuscript day; stamp oxidized, **F.-V.F.,** one of three 1847 issue usages from Wallingford, Ct.; signed Ashbrook, with 2008 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1 var.** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1457 ✉ **5¢ Dark Brown, Horizontal Pair,** clear to huge margins, scissor separation cut between stamps at bottom, tied by red grid cancels on 1849 folded letter to Philadelphia, Pa., matching "Boston, 10cts, Jan 27" cds; cover folds, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1458 ✉ **5¢ Dark Brown, Dot in "S" Variety,** ample to large margins, tied by manuscript cancel on 1848 folded letter to **Toronto, Canada**, bold blue "Lockport, N.Y., Mar 16" origin cds, manuscript "4½" due rating and partial red Queenstown exchange office postmark, receiving backstamp, **Very Fine,** a scarce 1847 5¢ single usage to Canada; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1a var.** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



1459 ✉ **10¢ Black,** four mostly large margins, tied by **red** "Shawneetown Ill., Jan 16" cds, additional strike adjacent on 1849 folded letter to Wheeling, Virginia, **Very Fine and choice Illinois use.**
Scott No. **2**. $1,050



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1851-57 Issues

1460 ✉ **1¢ blue, type II,** vertical strip of three, position 11-21-31L1E, beautiful color, large margins, tied by bold strikes of **New York square grid cancels**, matching bold strike of red "New-York, Jul 23" cds on blue 1851 folded letter to Newport R.I.; bottom stamp creased from fold, **otherwise fresh and Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1461 ✉ **1¢ Blue, Type II,** plate 3, clear to large margins, intense deep color, tied by indistinct cds on unsealed cover to Deer Isle, Me., **Very Fine and choice,** a scarce solo usage of the 1856 1¢ plate III on cover; with 2007 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **7** $600





1462 ✉ **10¢ Green, Type II, Right Margin Horizontal Strip of Five,** large margins all around, tied by "New York, Nov 20, 1856" cds's on reverse of folded letter sheet to San Francisco, endorsed "Steamer George Law via Aspinwall"; center stamps with indentations from wax affixing device and lettersheet with creases, **Very Fine.**; with 2014 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **14** . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

ONE OF THE LARGEST STRIPS OF THE 1855 10¢ TYPE II ISSUE ON COVER.



1463 ✉ **1¢ Blue, Type V,** vertical pair, used with **3¢ dull red (26)**, tied by "Paid" cancels and "Terre Haute Ind Nov 7" cds on cover with preprinted address to Lieut. R.L. Law on the USS Hartford at **Hong Kong, China**, bold red "New-York Br. Pkt. Nov 13" exchange cds, carried by Cunard Line *Europa* from Boston Nov. 14th to Queenstown arriving Nov. 25th, red London (11.27) transit backstamp and manuscript "1/1" 1s1d due rating, Hong Kong (1.23) arrival backstamp, **Very Fine,** *ex-Richardson*.
Scott No. **24** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

A CHOICE USE AT THE 5¢ BRITISH OPEN MAIL RATE TO HONG KONG.



1464 ✉ **10¢ Green, Type V,** tied by "Stockton Cal., Jan 12" csd on yellow Merriam business correspondence use to Springfield Mass., buff **"Per Overland Mail Via Los Angeles" illustrated six-horse stagecoach design** cut-out with Kierski & Bros. Booksellers Stockton Cal. imprint pasted on upper left corner, reverse with red and black illustrated Kierski & Brother Book Sellers ad showing book press, books etc.; flap torn with bit of paper loss, 10¢ trivial toned perf, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **35** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

A REMARKABLE "PER OVERLAND VIA LOS ANGELES" ILLUSTRATED STAGECOACH PASTE-UP COVER, THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THIS IMPRINT.

Kierski & Bros. of Stockton Cal. probably printed a sheet of this illustrated Overland Mail six-horse stagecoach design directive to cut out and paste on their existing illustrated advertising envelopes. An unusual use that we have not previously recorded.

1861-1866 Issue



1465 ✉ **3¢ Pigeon Blood Pink,** with rich true pigeon blood pink color, tied by "Old Point Comfort, Va., Oct 22" cds on 1861 cover to Canton Mills, Maine with **"The House That Uncle Sam Built" red Capitol building patriotic design**, year docketing on reverse; stamp with a few light toned perfs, **Very Fine**; with 2003 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **64a** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

A WONDERFUL PATRIOTIC USAGE BEARING THE RARE 1861 3¢ PIGEON BLOOD PINK ISSUE.

1466 ✉ **3¢ Pigeon Blood Pink,** fine single with bright color, tied by grid handstamp on cover to St. Paul, Minn., matching "Brewster's Station, N.Y., Oct 19" cds, **Very Fine,** an attractive sound example of the rare 1861 3¢ Pigeon Blood pink on cover; with 1989 and 2005 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **64a** $5,000

1467 ✉ **3¢ Rose,** s.e. at right (which may be natural) with crudely added perfs, cancelled by target cancel with Newark, O. double circle postmark alongside on **spectacular allover advertising cover** for "Blandy's Newark Machine Works", overall illustrated design in red and showing a steam engine in black, addressed to Morrisdale, Pa., **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1468 ✉ **1861-68 Issue Covers,** group of four covers comprising 30¢ #71 used with #65 on 1863 Williamsport Pa. legal-size cover, #73 pair used with two #65's from Canandaigua N.Y. to Toronto, Canada, #65 used with #69 (replacement) to France with New York "Insufficiently Paid" straightline, and #94 on 3¢ pink #U59 entire from Dixon Ill. to Canada, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **65//94** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1469 ✉ **10¢ Yellow Green,** three singles, used with 3¢ rose (65), all with deep rich color and cancelled by matching unusual ring cancel, matching bold "Wassaic N.Y., Oct 20" cds on cover **to Victoria, Australia**, red "N.York Br. Pkt. Paid, Oct 22" exchange cds and magenta "28" cent credit rating to G.B., carried by Cunard Line *Persia* from New York to Queenstown arriving Oct. 31st, red London Paid (11.1) transit; sealed edge tears and stamp flaws, **Fine appearance**; with 1977 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **68** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1470 ✉ **10¢ Yellow Green,** two singles, used with 1¢ blue (63) and 3¢ rose (65), tied by two strikes of sharp Boston large "Paid" grids, bold "Boston Am. Pkt. '3 Paid' Oct 10" credit exchange cds, carried by Inman Line *City of Baltimore* from New York Oct. 10th to Liverpool arriving Oct. 23rd, red London Paid (10.24) arrival cds; couple small stamp flaws including 1¢ trimmed at edge, **fresh and Very Fine appearance,** *ex-Arthur White*.
Scott No. **68** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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1471 ✉ **10¢ Dark Green,** tied by grid cancel on folded letter to **Mazatlan, Mexico**, letter datelined "**Glascow 11th Feby, 1867**", privately carried from Scotland and placed in the mails in the U.S., "1" (reales) due handstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **68a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1472 ✉ **12¢ Black,** used with 3¢ rose (65), tied by "New Orleans La, Jul 29 '65" duplex to Gironde, France, red "New York 'Paid 12' Aug 9" exchange cds, red Calis (8.20) entry cds with matching framed "PD" handstamp, **Very Fine and colorful.**
Scott No. **69** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



1473 ✉ **30¢ Orange,** horizontal pair, used with **3¢ rose (65) pair**, beautiful early bright shades, tied by three clear strikes of Boston large "Paid" grid cancel on blue 1862 folded cover **to Port Elizabeth, Algoa Bay, Cape of Good Hope**, endorsed "via England, p City of Washington" at top left, reverse with red "Boston Am. Pkt. Paid Jun 20" exchange cds and red crayon "12" for double the 6¢ credit to G.B., carried by the Inman Line *City of Washington* from New York Jun. 21st to Liverpool arriving Jul. 3rd, red Lonfon Paid (7.4) transit cds and red crayon "1" pence credit, red Cape of Good Hope Aug. arrival backstamp, **Very Fine,** *ex-Knapp (lot label affixed)*; with 2007 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **71** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

A RARE 1861 ISSUE FRANKING FOR DOUBLE THE 33¢ BRITISH MAIL RATE VIA ENGLAND.

For some reason, London rated the letter as a single rate (1 pence) instead of the double rate (2 pence) for the British colonial postage.



1474 ✉ **30¢ Orange,** used with **1¢ blue (63)** and **3¢ rose (65)**, each tied by four-ring cancel, matching "San Francisco Cal., Apr 18, 1863" double-circle datestamp on yellow cover **to Santiago, Chile**, red crayon "24" cent credit rating to G.B., British P.O. "Panama, AP 26, 65" double-arc transit datestamp, Chile red "25" due handstamp for inland postage; 1¢ faulty, cover tear at left, **otherwise Very Fine and colorful use,** *ex-Paliafito, Myers*.
Scott No. **71** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



1475 ✉ **30¢ Orange,** used with **3¢ rose (65)** and **24¢ red lilac (70)**, each tied by circular grid cancel, matching "Sheffield Ms. Jul 3" cds on cover **to Singapore**, partial red exchange cds on reverse with matching bold "48" credit handstamp to G.B., endorsed "Via Marseilles" at top left, red London Paid (7.16.64) transit cds and red crayon "1" pence colonial credit rating, red Singapore arrival backstamp; no flap, top left corner restored, 24¢ faulty, **Fine and rare three-color 1861 issue franking to an exotic destination.**
Scott No. **71** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



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1476 ✉ **30¢ Orange, horizontal pair**, used with 3¢ rose (65) tied by cork cancels duplexed with "New Orleans La., Jul 27" cds on triple-rate cover **to Genova, Italy**, red "New York 'Paid 18' Aug 4" credit exchange cds and additional red crayon "18", red Havre (8.16.66) octagon transit datestamp and small red "PD" framed handstamp, Genova (8.19) arrival backstamp; light horizontal file fold and tape stain, **F.-V.F.**; with 2002 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **71** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



1477 ✉ **2¢ Black,** two singles, used with **3¢ rose (65) horizontal strip of four**, tied by unusual Boston foreign mail large open grids, red "Boston 'Paid 12' Feb 11" credit exchange cds on cover to Meaux, France, red Calais (2.24) entry cds and matching small "PD" handstamp; right stamp in trip affected from edge placement, **Very Fine,** colorful and unusual franking overpaying the 15¢ treaty rate to France by 1¢, *ex-Knapp (lot label affixed)*.
Scott No. **73** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1478 ✉ **2¢ Black, vertical strip of five**, used in combination with **3¢ rose, E grill (88)** and **10¢ green, E grill (89) pair**, all tied by circular grid cancels on large homemade brown cover to Concord N.H. prepaying eleven-times the 3¢ letter rate; small flaws, **Fine and scarce franking.**
Scott No. **73** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

1479 ✉ **2¢ Black,** vertical pair, well centered, used with two **3¢ rose (65)** singles, each cancelled by blue cork cancels duplexed with "Nashville Ten. Jan 8" cds to Toronto, Canada, Jan. 11th 1868 arrival backstamp, bottom 2¢ small flaw, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **73** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1480 ✉ **15¢ Black,** used with **3¢ rose (65)**, pair and single, each cancelled by targets, matching "South Branch N.J. Aug 14" cds to London, England, red "New-York Am. Pkt. '3' Aug 18" credit exchange cds, bold London Paid (8.30.66) arrival cds; 3¢ pair creased from edge placement, **otherwise Very Fine and scarce franking for the 24¢ treaty rate,** *ex-Ainsworth*.
Scott No. **77** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1867-70 Issues

1481 ✉ **3¢ Red, F. Grill,** two pairs, cancelled by blue four-ring targets, matching "Gainesville Fla., Mar 5" cds on 3¢ pink (U59) entire to Berlin, Germany, red "New York Paid All, Br. Transit, Mar 10" exchange cds and red "Verviers, 22 3 1, Coeln, Franco" transit, Mar. 23rd arrival backstamp; right top 3¢ trimmed, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **94** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



1482 ✉ **15¢ Black, F. Grill,** used with **1¢ blue, 3¢ rose, F. grills (93, 94)**, all cancelled by manuscript on 3¢ pink (U58) entire **to Lisbon, Portugal**, addressed to an ensign on U.S.S. Kenosha in care of American consul, "Ripley O. Mar 1" cds, red "New York Paid All Br. Transit, Mar 4" exchange cds and matching "12" credit handstamp to G.B., red London Paid (3.15) transit and matching oval "PD" handstamp, Lisbon (3.20) backstamp and oval "Franca" handstamp tying 1¢ and 15¢; small faults including irregular reduction at right, **Fine and rare destination,** *ex-Landau*.
Scott No. **98** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

ONE OF TWO RECORDED 1866-67 15¢ COVERS TO PORTUGAL.



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1483 ✉ **2¢ Brown,** in combination with **1868, 10¢ green, F. grill** and applied after 10¢ was initially cancelled by "Hillsborough, Ill, Jul 10" cds and quartered cork duplex, on 1869 cover to **London, England**, carried on the maiden return voyage of HAPAG's *Silesia* to Plymouth, with red New York exchange and London receiving date stamps; cover reduced at left, **Very Fine**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **113+96** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1484 ✉ **3¢ Green, H. Grill,** six singles, small flaws, tied by circle of wedges on 1873 cover from Harrison Square Mass. **to Cordova, Argentina** at the 18¢ treaty rate by American and British packet, red "New-York '8' Jul 23" exchange cds, 1873 docketing on back; part of return address inked out, tiny edge tear, **Fine,** *ex-Starnes*.
Scott No. **136** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

Airmail Issues

1485 ✉ **1918, 6¢ Orange,** tied by purple "Air Mail Service Wash. N.Y. Phila., Phila., Dec 16, 1918" postmark on **First Flight** cover from Phillip Ward to Henry Colman in Washington D.C.; mount toning on reverse, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C1**; $2,000 . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1486 ✉ **1928, 10¢ Lindbergh, Booklet Pane of 3,** beautifully centered amid wide margins, tied by two strikes of "Washington, D.C., May 26, 1928" **First Day of Issue** duplex postmark on airmail cover to Los Angeles, Cal., with **hand-drawn illustration of Lindbergh and the Spirit of St. Louis** in pencil, Chicago transit and receiving backstamps, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C10a**; $875 for FDC . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1487 ✉ **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** each tied by "New York, N.Y. Varick Sta., Apr 30, 1930" cds on 5¢ airmail entire carried on complete Zeppelin round-the-world flight, appropriate U.S. and German flight cachet handstamps, **Very Fine complete set use.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** . . . . . $1,050 as used set

1488 ✉ **1930, 65¢ & $1.30 Graf Zeppelin,** each nicely centered, tied by "Washington D.C., May 5, 1930" duplex on Zeppelin round-the-world flight post card, appropriate U.S. and German flight cachet handstamps, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C13, C14** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1489 ✉ **1930, 65¢ & $1.30 Graf Zeppelin,** single of each tied by "New York, N.Y., Varick St. Sta. May 6, 1930" duplex on 1¢ postal card carried on complete Zeppelin round-the-world flight, appropriate U.S. and German flight cachet handstamps, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C13, C14**; $500 as used singles . Estimate $150 - 200

1490 ✉ **1930, $1.30 Graf Zeppelin,** well centered, tied by "Varick St. Sta. N.Y., Apr 30, 1930" machine cancel on Zeppelin flight cover, purple "Pan-America, Round Flight" diamond cachet handstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C14**; $375 . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1491 ✉ **1930, $1.30 & $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** single of each, used with 5¢ Beacon (C11), tied by "New York, Grand Central, Apr 29, 1930" duplex on cover carried on complete Zeppelin round-the-world flight, appropriate U.S. and German flight cachet handstamps, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C14, C15** . . . . . $900 as used singles

1492 ✉ **1930, $1.30 & $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** $1.30 with plate #20086 selvage, each tied by "New York, N.Y. May 7, 1930" duplexes on 5¢ airmail entire carried on complete Zeppelin round-the-world flight, appropriate U.S. and German flight cachet handstamps, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C14, C15** . . . . . $900 as used singles

1493 ✉ **1930, $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** exceedingly well centered, tied by "Varick St. Sta., N.Y., Apr 26, 1930" slogan machine cancel along with 5¢ dark blue (557) on round flight cover, purple U.S. and red German flight cachets with green Zeppelin Lakehurst transit backstamp, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C15** $575

1494 ✉ **1930, $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** rich color, tied by "Varick St. Sta., N.Y., Apr 23, 1930" machine slogan cancel on legal-size flown Zeppelin around-the-world flight cover, purple U.S. and red German flight cachet handstamps, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C15** $575

1495 ✉ **1933, 50¢ "Chicago" Zeppelin,** block of four, bright and fresh, tied by two strikes of "New York, N.Y., Varick St. Annex, Oct 2, 1933" **first day** duplexes on flown Zeppelin flight cover, purple U.S. and red German triangular flight cachet handstamps, **Very Fine and scarce first use of block.**
Scott No. **C18**; $200+. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

Special Delivery Issues



1496 ✉ **1908, 10¢ Green,** nice single tied by "Washington, D.C., Jun 12, 1909" duplex on 1909 1¢ McKinley Postal Card used locally, card shows violet double circle "Fee Claimed at" and Time dial at left, **Very Fine and scarce usage.**
Scott No. **E7**. . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

ONE OF ONLY 5 RECORDED USES ON POSTAL CARDS.



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Ex 1497



Ex 1498



Ex 1499

1497 ✉ **1908, 10¢ Green, Hotel Advertising Covers,** lot of 11 covers with 10¢ Merry Widow franks on Hotels advertising covers, most in combination with 2¢ Washington-Franklin, couple with faults, **Fine.**
Scott No. **E7** $4,400

1498 ✉ **1908, 10¢ Green, Postal History Collection,** stunning collection of 192 covers franked with 10¢ Merry Widow showing various frankings and usages, all arranged by date, most in **Very Fine** condition, however some are defective, a wonderful lot that would take a lifetime to duplicate, worth careful inspection (cat. value $76,800).
Scott No. **E7** . . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

1499 ✉ **1908, 10¢ Green, Advertising Covers,** interesting group of 16 covers with 10¢ Merry Widow frankings on various different advertising covers, mixed condition, worth inspection.
Scott No. **E7** $6,400

1500 ✉ **1908, 10¢ Green, Cover Selection with Commemorative Frankings,** group os 15 covers with Commemorative frankings in combination with 10¢ Merry Widow, mixed condition, an interesting lot worth inspection (Scott cat. $6,000), **generally F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **E7** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1501 ✉ **1908, 10¢ Green, Railroad Post Office Usages,** lot of seven different covers franked with 10¢ Merry Widow with various different R.P.O. cancels, mixed condition.
Scott No. **E7** $2,800



Ex 1500



Ex 1501



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Registry Usages



1502 ⊠ **El Paso, Tex.,** registry label with large Gothic serif letter and manuscript number "4537" affixed on 1904 Russian 4k postal card **to Mexico** bearing Russia **2k green (47)** single and pair, and **4k rose (41)**, all tied by Helsingfors (3.11) cds, New York (3.23) transit oval, purple El Paso (3.30) backstamp, **Very Fine,** *Census No. EP-19.*
Scott No. **FX-EP1a** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

A SCARCE REGISTERED POST CARD USE FROM FINLAND TO MEXICO VIA THE UNITED STATES.



1503 ✉ **Jacksonville, Fla.,** purple straightline handstamp on label with manuscript "1866" number, affixed on cover bearing 10¢ orange brown (283) tied by oval cancel, reverse with Minneapolis Minn. (1.23.1900) origin cds and purple Jacksonville (10.27) transit, Trinidad, Cuba (11.1) arrival cds; light tape stains at sides, **Very Fine and choice,** *ex-A.R.T. collection*; with clear 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **FX-JA2** $2,500

ONE OF THE FINEST OF ONLY 5 RECORDED HANDSTAMPED JACKSONVILLE REGISTRY LABEL USAGES.



1504 ✉ **Laredo, Tex.,** registry label with ms. "2589" number on blue 1892 Russia 14k registered entire to Zacatecas, Mexico uprated with 3k pair tied by blue Russian (5.25) cds, black dotted "R" in circle handstamp, reverse with New York (6.18) and Zacatecas (6.27) backstamps, **Very Fine,** *Census No. LA-2*.
Scott No. **FX-LA1**; $1,000 . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

THE EARLIEST OF 27 RECORDED LAREDO, TEXAS REGISTRY LABEL USAGES.



1505 ✉ **Laredo, Tex.,** registry label with ms. "726" number on 1898 registered cover from British Honduras to Puebla, Mexico bearing **British Honduras 1c, 2c, 5c and 12c (38-39, 41, 44)**, tied by three strikes of "Belize, British Honduras, AP 20 98" cds, reverse with New Orleans (4.26) cds, purple "Laredo, Tex. Apr 28 1898" straightline and Puebla (5.1) arrival backstamps, Laredo transit registry handstamp; tiny corner tear, **clean and Very Fine,** *Census No. LA-26*.
Scott No. **FX-LA1**; $1,000 . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



1506 ✉ **Naco, Arizona,** registry label with script handstamp name and "5636" number affixed on Argentina 15c entire uprated with **Argentina 4c orange (126)** strip of three tied by "Buenos Aires 11 Jul 1907" cds to El Paso Tex. and then forwarded to Mexico, Buenos Aires black on white registry label, New York (3.4) backstamp, purple El Paso (8.9) cds, purple Naco, Son. framed registry backstamp, **Very Fine,** *Census No. NA-3*.
Scott No. **FX-NA2**; $3,500 . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

ONE OF ONLY THREE RECORDED NACO, ARIZONA EXCHANGE LABELS USED ON COVER, THIS BEING ONE OF ONLY TWO HANDSTAMPED EXAMPLES.



1507 ✉ **New Orleans, La.,** registry label with "11122" number on 1901 registered "Pattern Post" wrapper with address label and intact cords from Leeds, England to San Jose, Costa Rica, redirected via Panama to Curacao, bearing **GB 1½d and 2½d** cancelled by oval "Leeds Registered 23 MR 01" datestamps, red London (12.26) transit oval, reverse with New York (3.30) and New Orleans (4.5) transits, partial Curacao arrival datestamp and additional framed "Niet Opgevraase/Non reclamé" handstamp in French and Dutch, returned to sender with Curacao registry label and Panama (5.7) backstamp transit; cover opened out for display and a few minor peripheral faults, **F.-V.F.,** rare and distinctive usage, *Census No. NO-3*.
Scott No. **FX-NO1**; $600 . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



1508 ✉ **(New Orleans, La.),** utility black label greenish "5197" number on 1891 Brazil 100r postal entire to Guatemala uprated with **500r olive (95)** tied by partial San Paulo (11.26) cds, matching registry handstamp adjacent, reverse with Brazil (11.27), New York (12.25) and New Orleans (12.29) transits, purple Guatemala Jan. arrival cds, **F.-V.F.,** *Census No. NO-5*.
Scott No. **FX-NO4**; $525 . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

ONE OF ONLY 12 RECORDED NEW ORLEANS BLANK NAME REGISTRY LABEL USAGES.



Ex 1509

1509 ✉ **(New York) 1887-1896 Mexico Registered Covers with New York Registry Labels,** group of **4** each having New York N.Y. registry label comprising 1887 Mexico City with 3c, 5c, 12c numerals to Italy, 1887 Mexico City with 10c, 10c numerals on post card to France (ex-Schimmer), 1893 Guanajuato with 5c, 10c (3) to Argentina, 1896 Durango 4c entire uprated to Denmark, **Very Fine and attractive group.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1510 ✉ **New York, N.Y.,** used with **1¢, 2¢ 5¢ and 10¢ Bureaus (279, 279B, 281, 282C)**, tied by purple "Key West Fla., Registered, Feb 24 1900" cds **to Constantinople, Turkey**, reverse with New York (2.28) transit and Constantinople (3.12) arrival cds, **Very Fine registered use with a four-color franking.**
Scott No. **FX-NY1a**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



1511 ✉ **New York, N.Y. "City",** registry label with "59346" number on 1895 cover from Kansas City, Mo. **to Principality of Trinidad, South Atlantic** bearing 1894, 6¢ dull brown (256), strip of three, tied by roller grid cancel, endorsed "Via Liverpool, an Island about 300 miles east Rio de Janeiro, Brazil", purple three-line "Registered, Kansas Mo." purple postmark, New York (1.6) transit backstamp and New York "City" registry exchange label affixed, red London transit oval, Rio de Janeiro (2.6) transit backstamp, returned to sender with D.L.O. (9.18) backstamp and record handstamp; right 5¢ faults, some cover wear, **F.-V.F.,** *an exceptionally rare destination valid only for two years*.
Scott No. **FX-NY1b (unlisted)** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

The Principality of Trinidad was declared in 1893, when the American James Harden-Hickey claimed the uninhabited island Trindade and Martim Vaz in the South Atlantic and declared himself as James I, Prince of Trinidad. According to Harden-Hickey's plans the island would, after being recognized as an independent country, become a military dictatorship under his leadership. Brazil, with Portuguese support, pressed a successful claim to Brazilian sovereignty in 1895.



1512 ✉ **San Francisco, Cal.,** registry label with sheet margin selvage on cover from Brigham, Utah to **Taiohae, Nukuhiva, Marquesas Islands** (now French Polynesia), franked with pen-cancelled 8¢ violet brown and 10¢ orange brown (272, 282C) for the double UPU registry rate, manuscript "Via San Francisco and New Zealand", purple "Brigham, Utah Jul 9, 1900" boxed postmark, San Francisco (7.12) and Papeete, Tahiti (8.14) backstamps, **Very Fine and exceedingly rare destination,** *ex-A.R.T. collection*.
Scott No. **FX-SF1a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Nukahiva Island, a small speck in the South Pacific, was surely the recipient of very little registered mail. The return address suggests the recipient was a Mormon Missionary.



1513 ✉ **San Francisco, Cal.,** registry label with "18605" number on 1900 illustrated Standard Varnish Works building ad cover **to New Zealand** bearing **1¢ green, 2¢ carmine, 5¢ blue, 10¢ brown (279, 279B, 281, 282, 283)** tied by New York "P" registry ovals prepaying the double UPU letter rate of 5¢ for first ounce plus 3¢ for second and 10¢ registration fee, New York (12.7) and San Francisco (12.13) transit backstamps, Dunedin (1.18) arrival backstamp; opened on three sides, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **FX-SF1a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



1514 ✉ **San Francisco, Cal.,** two registry labels on 1903 registered cover from **Ottawa, Canada to Yokohama, Japan forwarded back to British Columbia** bearing Canada 5¢ blue pair tied by circular grid cancel with matching "Ottawa, Canada, Jan 23 03" cds below, San Francisco (1.31) transit cds when San Francisco "8119" registry label affixed, forwarded from Yokohama with Feb. 26th purple backstamp and Yokohama registry label affixed to Vancouver, San Francisco (3.16) backstamp with second San Francisco "21045" registry label affixed, finally forwarded to Rossland B.C. with Mar. 22nd arrival cds, reverse with number of B.C. railroad transits; some edge faults and wear, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **FX-SF1a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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1515 ✉ **San Francisco, Cal.,** registry label with "64197" number on 1903 registered cover from **Mexico City, Mexico to Tientsin, China** bearing Mexico 1c-5c, 15c, 20c Coat of Arms (296, 299-300, 304-307) mixed issue franking tied by four strikes of Mexico City Dec. cds, two Mexican registry handstamps, reverse with Ciudad Juárez (12.10), El Paso (12.11), San Francisco (12.14) and Shanghai transit backstamps; some edge wear, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **FX-SF1a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1516 ✉ **San Francisco, Cal.,** registry label with "5685" number on 1906 registered cover **from Guatemala to Batavia, Java** bearing Guatemala 1c, 5c and 10c pair tied by barred "R" cancels, New Orleans (1.8) and San Francisco (1.12) backstamps, San Francisco label crossed out, New York (1.18) transit backstamp with New York exchange label FX-NY1a unlisted affixed, London (1.27) and Batavia (2.27) backstamps, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **FX-SF1b**; $400 . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1517 ✉ **Seattle, Wash.,** registry label with "24826" number on 1905 cover from Austria to Yokohama bearing **Austria 1905 1h-10h Franz Josef, varnish lines (86a-89a, 97a)** tied by Vienna (5.25) cds, appropriate backstamps including New York (6.13) and Seattle (6.9) cds, trifle rough opening at top, **otherwise Very Fine,** *Census No. SE-27.*
Scott No. **FX-SE1b**; $800 . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1518 ✉ **Seattle, Wash.,** registered label with "14941" number on 1908 registered 2¢ entire from Indianapolis, Ind. **to Syen Chyun, Korea** bearing **1¢ green (300)** and **8¢ violet black (306)** tied by bars cancel, originally sent in wrong direction to New York where **New York, N.Y. registry label (FX-NY1a unlisted)** affixed and later crossed out upon forwarding, reverse with New York (10.2) and Seattle (10.6) transits; small edge flaws and label remnants, **Fine,** a rare destination, *Census No. SE-22.*
Scott No. **FX-SE1b**; $800 . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

1519 ✉ **Seattle, Wash.,** registry label with "45594" number affixed on missent 1910 registered cover **from Victoria, Australia to Melbourne, Australia** bearing Victoria 4d olive tied by "Geelong, Victoria, MR 16 10" cds, New York (4.24) backstamp and "Missent" straightline handstamp, Seattle (4.29) backstamp transit where label affixed, Melbourne (6.14) arrival backstamp, **Very Fine,** *Census No. SE-20.*
Scott No. **FX-SE1b**; $800 . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Carrier and Locals

1520 ✉ **Boston, Mass., 1849-50, 1¢ Blue on Slate,** large margins to touched, tied by **diamond grid** fancy cancel, used with **10¢ orange brown (10A)**, margins to shaving frameline, tied by perfect sharp strike of small "Paid" in grid cancel, red "Boston '3' 27 Aug" integral-rate cds on orange buff cover to Mount Vernon N.H., "Ans. Sept. 1" docketing top right, **Very Fine and scarce small Boston paid carrier use.**
Scott No. **3LB2** $500



1521 ✉ **Spaulding's Penny Post (2¢) Value Omitted Coin Handstamp,** bold strike on folded letter sheet addressed to Buffalo, N.Y., entered mails with red "New York, 10cts, Dec 15" integral rate cds, "Received Dec 16th, 1847" pencil docketing to the right of Spaulding handstamp, Very Fine, signed George Sloane, **Very Fine,** *ex-Needham, Hollowbush, Petri, Hahn*; with 2005 P.F. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF SPAULDING'S PENNY POST COIN HANDSTAMP WITH VALUE REMOVED.

Proprietor of Spaulding's Penny Post, Enos W. Spaulding, raised the posts letter rate on November 15th, 1847 from one to two cents. Three different Spaulding's coin handstamps are known and are all unique. The first bearing the "One Cent" value is undated but obviously was used prior to the rate change. This cover with the value removed was posted approximately one month after the rate change to two cents. A later usage of the coin handstamp in April of 1848 bears a illustrated dove at the center. Shortly thereafter, Spaulding introduced his Striding Messenger handstamp and adhesives.



1522 ✉ **American Letter Mail Co., 1844, 5¢ Black, Thin Paper (2nd Printing),** position 18, large margins to just touched at lower left, tied by exceptionally clear strike of **red Field of Stars** fancy cancel on Jan. 21, 1845 folded letter from Boston to New York City with street address for delivery, red "Forwarded by the American Letter Mail Company, New York, N.Y." oval handstamp; bottom edge wear erosion, **otherwise Very Fine,** an outstanding strike of this early fancy cancellation.
Scott No. **5L1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

United States Postage Stamps

Postmasters' Provisionals



1523 o **New York, N.Y., 5¢ Black on Bluish,** cancelled by **red "U.S" in octagon** used by the United States City Despatch Post, tall margins; faint creases, tiny crease, faint vertical crease visible only in fluid, Very Fine appearing, **Very Fine appearance and rare example of this handstamp on the New York Postmaster's Provisional.**
Scott No. **9X1** $1,675

Fewer than 12 examples of the U.S. City Despatch Post "U.S." octagon handstamp are recorded.





1524 o **New York, N.Y., 5¢ Black on Bluish, Papermaker's Watermark,** Position 31, large margins to touched, clear portions of two letters of double-line watermark along left side of the stamp, cancelled by New York red "Paid" straightline; small faults, **F.-V.F. appearance**; with 2013 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **9X1 var.** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

A RARE AND DESIRABLE EXAMPLE OF THE NEW YORK POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL ON PAPER SHOWING PART OF THE PAPERMAKER'S WATERMARK.

In his Chronicle series Philip T. Wall recorded watermarks with portions of an "E" or an "F". In the 1936 MacGuffin article in the American Philatelist, it was reported that of 2,000 stamps examined six copies were found to have a watermark, with the letter "J" identified. The stamp offered here clearly has an "E", and the second letter could certainly be a "J".

1525 o **New York, N.Y., 5¢ Black on Gray, Signed ACM,** blue pen cancel, full margins, deep bold color, thins and tiny tear at top, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **9X3** $2,250

1526 (*) **New York, N.Y., 5¢ Black on Bluish, without Signature,** without gum, clear margins, light horizontal crease, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **9X1e** . . . . . $3,750 for no gum



1527 (*) **Providence, R.I., 5¢ Gray Black,** without gum, large even margins, exceptionally fresh, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **10X1** $225

1528 * **Providence, R.I., 5¢ Gray Black,** bottom left corner margin single, o.g., small hinge remnants, small thin in sheet margin well away from design, **still Very Fine and choice**; with 2000 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **10X1** $350

1529 o **St. Louis, Mo., 5¢ Black on Greenish,** lightened pen cancel, margins to in at left and bottom, small thin and horizontal crease, **about Fine appearance,** an "affordable" example of this rare St. Louis Provisional issue; with 2015 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **11X1** $8,000

1847 Issue

1530 * **5¢ Brown,** full o.g., margins ample to just into frameline at upper right, lovely late impression with bold brown color, **Fine,** a very scarce mint 1847 5¢ issue bearing full original gum; with 2002 P.S.E. certificate for block.
Scott No. **1** $6,500

1531 * **5¢ Red Brown,** large part o.g., margins large to clear at top right, fresh with bright color, light horizontal crease at top, **F.-V.F. appearance,** still an attractive example of this rare mint first issue; with photocopy of 1985 P.F. certificate for pair.
Scott No. **1** $6,500

1532 (*) **5¢ Red Brown,** without gum, bold color and crisp detailed impression, ample well balanced margins, **Very Fine,** a very attractive unused stamp.
Scott No. **1** $2,300

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533 * **5¢ Brown,** horizontal pair, o.g., margins large to clear at top and just in at lower right, strong color and late impression on bright paper, tiny scissor cur between stamps at bottom and small light tone spot on left stamp not mention on certificate, **Fine appearance,** a rare mint multiple; with photocopy of 2002 P.S.E. certificate for block.
Scott No. **1** $15,500



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1534 o **5¢ Pale Brown,** red grid cancels, ample to large margins, soft bright shade, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 1982 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the later **(Graded VF-XF 85; SMQ $500)**.
Scott No. **1** $375

1535 o **5¢ Red Brown,** full strike of **red numeral "5"** cancel, ample to large margins, strong color, **Very Fine**; with 2007 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded VF-XF 85, SMQ $500)**.
Scott No. **1** $475

1536 o **5¢ Red Brown,** central black grid cancel, clear to large margins, strong color, **Very Fine**; with 2004 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **1** $450

1537 o **5¢ Red Brown,** left margin single, red town and grid cancels, full margins and rich color, **Very Fine**; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** $375

1538 o **5¢ Red Brown,** red grid cancels, full margins, **Very Fine**; with 1980 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1** $375

1539 o **5¢ Red Brown,** central strike of blue straight line "Paid" handstamp, ample margins, strong color, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Bruce Daniels, Dec 14, 1957, lot 58.*
Scott No. **1** $425

1540 o **5¢ Orange Brown,** full strike of **red numeral "5"** cancel, clear to huge margins, bright color, **Very Fine**; with 2013 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1b** $850

1541 o **5¢ Orange Brown,** blue grid cancels, ample to mostly large margins, rich vivid color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1988 & 2002 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **1b** $750

1542 o **5¢ Orange Brown,** blue grid cancel, ample to large margins, faint horizontal crease, **Very Fine appearance,** *ex-Robert A. Siegel, Feb. 3rd 1960, lot 100.*
Scott No. **1b** $790

1543 o **5¢ Orange Brown,** horizontal pair, blue grid cancels, clear to large margins, strong color, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce multiple; with 2015 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **1b** $2,000



1544 o **5¢ Red Orange,** right margin single, blue numeral "10" and red grid cancels, margins large to just touching frameline at top left with full sheet margin at right, bright true red orange color, **Very Fine**; signed Ashbrook as this shade, with 2005 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1c** $9,500

A HANDSOME SOUND SHEET MARGIN EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1847 5¢ ISSUE IN THE RED ORANGE SHADE.

1545 o **5¢ Brown Orange,** black grid cancel, ample to huge margins showing portion of adjacent stamp at top, unusually rich color, **Very Fine,** choice so nice; with 2013 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **1d** $1,075

1546 o **5¢ Brown Orange,** blue cancel, clear to large margins, rich brilliant color, **F.-V.F. and attractive**; with 1977 and 2017 P.F. certificates, the latter **(Graded F-VF 75, SSV $750)**.
Scott No. **1d** $1,040

1547 P **10¢ Deep Blue, Trial Color Large Die Proof on Bond,** with cross-hatching, 29 x 33 mm, dazzling deep shade, fresh and attractive, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **2TC1be** $800


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1548 P **10¢ Dull Blue Green, Trial Color Large Die Proof on Bond,** with cross-hatching, 29 x 33 mm, rich bold impression, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **2TC1bg** $800

1549 P **10¢ Orange Vermilion, Trial Color Large Die Proof on Bond,** with cross-hatching, 26 x 34 mm, bold rich shade, exceptionally fresh and attractive, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2TC1bi** $800

1550 P **10¢ Golden Brown, Trial Color Large Die Proof on Bond,** with cross-hatching, 34 x 39 mm, a gorgeous deep rich shade, remarkably fresh, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **2TC1bj** $800

1551 P **10¢ Dark Brown, Trial Color Large Die Proof on Bond,** with cross-hatching, 30 x 38 mm, a striking shade, fresh and handsome, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2TC1bk** $800

1552 P **10¢ Dark Brown, Trial Color Large Die Proof on Bond,** with cross-hatching, 28 x 33 mm, true rich color, a striking impression in premium quality, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **2TC1bk** $800



1553 o **10¢ Black,** light blue grid cancel, large margins and rich color, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **2** $850



1554 o **10¢ Black,** lightened manuscript and blue town and grid cancels, exceptionally wide margins, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 1985 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **2** $825

1555 o **10¢ Black,** blue "Paid" in oval cancel, clear to large margins, bold color, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-H.R. Harmer, Jan. 20th 1958, lot 191.*
Scott No. **2** $900

1556 o **10¢ Black,** red square grid cancel, clear to large margins, faint vertical crease, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Scott No. **2** $800

1875 Reproductions of the 1847 Issue

1557 (*) **5¢ Red Brown, Reproduction,** without gum as issued, margins clear to large, strong color, **fresh and Fine.**
Scott No. **3** $850

1558 (*) **10¢ Black, Reproduction,** without gum as issued, ample to large margins, light even toning, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **4** $1,050

1851 Issue



1559 * **1¢ Blue, Type Ib,** position 8R1E, full o.g. (cert. calls disturbed which is far to harsh), margins full to a bit in at left, rich bold color and strong detailed impression, **Fine and attractive,** a search of the P.F. Certificate Search reveals only two original gum examples - one which is cut into on three sides (heavily at top) and another faulty example; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **5A** $45,000

ONE OF THE FINEST SOUND ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLES OF THE RARE 1851 1¢ TYPE IB FROM THE DESIRABLE POSITION 8R1E.

Type Ib was produced only as an imperforate stamp. Only six positions on Plate 1 Early are Type Ib: Positions 3-6R and 8-9R. Type Ib is distinguished by showing complete design at top and nearly complete design at bottom. All Type Ib stamps are very scarce, and the two best examples (8R offered here and 6R) are rare.



1560 o **1¢ Blue, Type Ib,** position 4R1E, Cincinnati, O. town cancel, margins large to just shaving the upper scroll at left, bright distinctive plate one early color, **Very Fine**; with 2009 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded VF 80, SMQ $8,750)**.
Scott No. **5A** $8,500

A HANDSOME SOUND USED EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1851 1¢ TYPE IB.

The type 1b issues were only produced from the early state of plate one. Six positions at the top of the right plate, positions 3R-6R and 8R-9R, furnished all of these issues.

1561 o **1¢ Blue, Type Ia,** position 96L4 and half of position 97L4, town cancel, rich color on bright paper, in at lower left, tear at left, **Fine appearance,** still a presentable example of this rare 1851 1¢ type; with 2008 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **6** $10,000

1562 o **1¢ Blue, Type Ia, "Curl in C" Variety,** position 97R4, light town cancel, margins large on three side to in at top, deep color, tiny filled thin, **Fine appearance,** still a presentable example of this rare 1851 1¢ issue; with 2013 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **6 var.** $12,000



1563 o **1¢ Blue, Type II,** neat grid cancels, huge margins encompassing portions of stamps at top and bottom, beautiful bright Plate 1 Early color, **a Superb jumbo,** a very attractive jumbo gem; with 2002 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **(Graded Superb 98J, SMQ $3,000)**.
Scott No. **7** $125

1564 o **1¢ Blue, Types II & IIIa,** plate 1E, vertical strip of 3 (type IIIa at center), blue waffle grid cancels, strong color, horizontal crease at center, **F.-V.F. appearance**; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **7, 8A** $1,575

1565 o **1¢ Blue, Type III,** position 46L4, town cancel, margins large to just into lower scroll at right, rich vibrant color, **Very Fine**; signed S. Ashbrook.
Scott No. **8** $2,000



1566 o **1¢ Blue, Type IV,** bold town cancel, large to huge margins showing portions of adjacent stamps on all sides, bold color and sharp impression, **an Extremely Fine to Superb jumbo,** a lovely large-margin gem; with 1996 (for pair), 1998 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **(Graded XF-Sup 95J, SMQ $925)**.
Scott No. **9** $80



1567 ** **3¢ Dull Red, Type I,** Positions 4-8L2L, large margins at top and bottom, end stamps slightly in, stunning rich radiant color on bright paper, o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **11** . . . . . $1,550 as o.g.

A BEAUTIFUL NEVER HINGED STRIP WITH CENTER STAMPS VF-XF.

1568 o **3¢ Plum, Type II, No Inner Line and Frame Line Close to Design at Right,** light town cancel, margins large to into frameline at top, perfect rich true plum color, light diagonal crease at bottom left, **Fine appearance,** still a wonderful color example of this rare shade; with 2006 P.S.E. certificate (for Scott 11 which is incorrect).
Scott No. **11A** $2,200

1569 o **5¢ Red Brown,** black town and red transit cancels, ample margins, rich deep color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **12** $700

1570 P **10¢ Green, Type I, Large Die Proof on India,** modified to stamp size, impressive rich color and appearance, **Fine,** with misplaced P.F. certificate, a very rare proof
Scott $5,000 as full proof.
Scott No. **13P1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1571 P **10¢ Green, Type I, Large Die Proof on India,** modified to stamp size, rich deep shade, **Fine,** very rare and affordable, Scott $5,000 as full proof.
Scott No. **13P1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1572 o **10¢ Green, Type II,** blue town cancel, ample to mostly large margins, rich color and crisp impression, **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 2013 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded XF 90, SMQ $350)**.
Scott No. **14** $160

1573 o **10¢ Green, Type II,** town and light red cancels, wide margins, rich bright color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1983 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates, the latter **(Graded XF 90, SMQ $350)**.
Scott No. **14** $150

1574 o **12¢ Gray Black,** full to huge margins including adjacent stamps at top, beautiful contrasting red grid cancels, minute corner crease top left that can be trimmed, **otherwise Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **17** $280

1857 Issue

1575 o **1¢ Blue, Type III,** clearly showing breaks at top and bottom, town cancel, deep color, tiny pressed out corner crease at bottom left, **F.-V.F. appearance**; with 2011 Weiss certificate.
Scott No. **21** $1,600



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1576 o **1¢ Blue, Type IIIa,** circular grid and small portion of violet cancels, well centered, rich vivid color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1993 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **22** $450

1577 o **1¢ Blue, Type IV,** light town cancels, strong bright color, attractively centered, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1994 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **23** $900



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1578 o **5¢ Brick Red, Type I,** town cancel, rich brilliant color, **F.-V.F.**; with 2001 and 2012 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **27** $1,450

1579 o **5¢ Indian Red, Type I,** neat grid cancel, rich deep color, choice centering with perfs clear of design, pressed vertical crease, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2004 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **28A** $3,500

1580 o **5¢ Brown, Type I,** horizontal pair, Baton Rouge, La. town cancel, rich color, **F.-V.F.**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **29** $800



1581 o **5¢ Orange Brown, Type II,** grid cancel, choice centering with perfs well clear of design, strong color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1997 P.S.E. and 2002 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **30** $1,400

1582 * **5¢ Brown, Type II,** full o.g., deep color, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.,** an attractive mint example.
Scott No. **30A** $2,200

1583 * **5¢ Brown, Type II,** full o.g., rich deep color, **fresh and Fine**; with 2008 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **30A** $2,200

1584 o **10¢ Green, Type IV,** position 76L1 (recut at bottom), blue Cincinnati, O. town and red boxed foreign transit cancels, strong color and wide margins with recut clearly visible at bottom, **F.-V.F.**; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **34** $2,250

1585 o **10¢ Green, Type IV,** position 64L1 (recut at top & bottom), very light town cancel, with recuts clearly showing at top and bottom, rich color and crisp impression, **F.-V.F.,** a very attractive light canceled stamp; with 1984 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **34** $2,600

1586 o **10¢ Green, Type IV,** position 65L1 (recut at top), grid cancel, wide margins, rich color and crisp impression, **F.-V.F. and attractive**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **34** $2,100

1587 * **12¢ Black, Plate III,** o.g., small paper hinge remnant, strong bold color, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **36B** $700



1588 * **24¢ Gray Lilac,** o.g., very lightly hinged, well centered amid wide margins, uncommonly rich color on bright fresh paper, **Extremely Fine,** a beautiful mint stamp; with 2001 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **37** $1,450

1589 (*) **24¢ Gray Lilac,** without gum, brilliant rich color, attractively centered with perfs just touching design, **exceptionally fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **37** $550

1590 ▲ **24¢ Gray Lilac,** well centered with wide margins, tied by large grid cancel and small part of red exchange cds on small piece, **Very Fine and attractive,** *ex-Max Pool, Feb. 18th 1958 lot 113*.
Scott No. **37** $400

1591 * **30¢ Orange,** o.g., lightly hinged, incredibly fresh example, **Fine,** an attractive stamp.
Scott No. **38** $2,150

1592 * **90¢ Blue,** slightly disturbed o.g. (a few very faintly gum soaked perfs), tiny corner crease, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **39** $3,000

1593 o **90¢ Blue,** circular grid cancels, well centered within wide margins, deep color, few blunt perfs at upper left and short corner perf at bottom right, **Fine appearance,** a rare used example of the 1860 90¢ issue; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **39** $10,000

1875 Reprint of the 1857 Issue

1594 (*) **3¢ Scarlet, Reprint,** without gum as issued, rich deep color, small hinge thin at top, **F.-V.F. appearance,** one of the scarcest of the 1857 reprints with only 479 sold; with 1967 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **41** $3,000

1595 (*) **5¢ Orange Brown, Reprint,** without gum as issued, well centered, strong color, few clipped perfs at upper right, **otherwise Very Fine**; with 2009 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **42** $1,150

1596 (*) **10¢ Blue Green, Reprint,** without gum as issued, rich color on bright paper, perfs clear of design, small diagonal crease at bottom right, **F.-V.F. appearance**; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **43** $2,500

1861 First Designs

1597 * **10¢ Dark Green, First Design,** disturbed o.g., deep color, couple small light creases not detracting, **Fine appearance,** still a presentable example of this rare and elusive mint first design; with 2002 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **62B** $8,000

1598 * **1861, First Designs, 1¢ to 90¢ Complete,** plate proofs on India, close on one side of 5¢ and 12¢ rest margins ample to large, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **63-E11c-72-E7e** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

1861-1866 Issue

1599 * **1¢ Bright Blue, Plate Scratches, Vertical pair**, top stamp showing plate scratches across top, exceptional depth of color, each with cork cancel, **Very Fine and choice pair,** *ex-Koppersmith, Born*; with 1990 and 2014 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **63 var.**; $105 as normal pair . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1600 * **3¢ Pink,** o.g., bright true pink color, flaws including vertical crease and a closed tear, **Fine appearance,** a very rare and seldom offered mint stamp; with 1969 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **64** $14,000

1601 E **3¢ N.B.N.C. "Premiere Gravure" Essay, in Deep Red,** complete design, small die on pale cream soft wove, o.g., rich color, **Very Fine,** very scarce.
Scott No. **65-E15e**. $1,250

1602 P **1861 Issue Proofs and Essays,** small group comprising two "A.B.N.C." essays (65-E7A vars.) in blue and green, plus 3¢ Atlantas (104TC4) in black and scarlet, both with large margins, **Very Fine group.**
Scott No. **65 var.** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1603 P **3¢ Rose, Large Die Proof,** on India paper die sunk on 140 x 199mm card, hint of vertical toning band, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **65P1** $1,000

1604 P **1861, 3¢ Rose, Proof on Stamp Paper,** horizontal pair, o.g., large balanced margins, rich bold color, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **65P5** $1,000



1605 * **5¢ Brown Yellow,** full o.g., rich vivid color, small tear at bottom and corner perf crease, **Fine appearance,** still an attractive example of this very rare mint stamp; with 1978 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **67a**. $30,000

1606 o **5¢ Olive Yellow,** neat town cancels, well centered, distinctive bold olive yellow color, flaws with clipped perfs at lower right, **F.-V.F. appearance,** the rarest of the buff shades; with 2000 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **67b** $4,750

1607 (*) **24¢ Brown Lilac,** without gum, wide margins, strong bright color, **F.-V.F.**; with 1985 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **70a** $1,250

1608 o **24¢ Violet,** town cancel, rich deep true violet color, **F.-V.F.**; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **70c** $2,250

1609 o **24¢ Violet,** bold red grid cancel, rich color, **F.-V.F.,** an attractive example of this scarce shade; with 1982 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **70c** $2,290

1610 E❒ **2c-5c Green on Pale Yellow Wove, 1861-66 Essays,** complete sheet of twelve; one stamp internal tear, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **73-E3h, 73-E4h, 73-E5h** . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

1611 P **3¢ Scarlet, Trial Color Small Die Proof,** affixed on Roosevelt gray card with nice margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **74TC2** $375

1612 o **3¢ Scarlet,** four horizontal black pen strokes, well centered color a bit faded, **Fine appearance,** still a presentable example of this rare stamp; with 1976 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **74** $5,500

1613 o **5¢ Brown,** fancy cogwheel cancel, wide margins and rich color, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **76** $120



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1614 P **15¢ Black, Large Die Proof,** on India paper modified to 30 x 60 mm with full imprint at bottom, very fresh and attractive, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **77P1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1615 o **15¢ Black,** very light cancel, perfectly centered with large evenly balanced margins all around, rich color, short perf at bottom right, **Extremely Fine,** an exceptional gem despite the minor flaw; with 2009 P.S.E. **Graded** certificate **(XF 90, SMQ $550)**.
Scott No. **77** $180

1616 o **24¢ Dark Lilac,** fancy star in circle cancel, rich bold color, couple tiny corner creases, **otherwise Very Fine**; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **78** $375

1617 o **24¢ Lilac,** quartered cork cancel, choice centering and margins, rich color, **Extremely Fine**; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **78** $375

1618 * **24¢ Gray,** o.g., hinge remnant, fresh with rich vibrant color, tiny corner perf crease, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **78b** $2,750

1619 * **24¢ Gray,** horizontal pair showing **double row of perforations at top**, full o.g., strong bold color, **Fine**; with 1983 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **78b** $5,800

A RARE MINT MULTIPLE OF THE 1863 24¢ ISSUE BEARING THIS UNUSUAL PRODUCTION FLAW.


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1620 o **24¢ Gray,** neat circle of wedges cancel, wide margins and strong color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate **(Graded 80)**.
Scott No. **78b** $425

1867 Grilled Issues

1621 E **5¢ Bicolor Essay, in Six Different Colors,** vignette only, without outer frameline, on India, vignette only, without outer frameline, on India, part of 1869 experimentation for bicolor printing, colors include deep green, deep red orange (2, one oxidized), lake, scarlet & ultramarine), each with normal punch holes through alignment lines, **Extremely Fine and rare,** Scott $2,000 each.
Scott No. **79-E35f**. . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

1622 E **5¢ Bicolor Essay, in Black,** vignette only, without outer frameline, on India, vignette only, without outer frameline, on India, part of 1869 experimentation for bicolor printing, without normal punch holes through alignment lines, fresh; small hinge remainder, **Very Fine,** catalogue value is for similar color, unlisted black color, incredibly rare and the first we have seen.
Scott No. **79-E35f**; $2,000 . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1623 * **3¢ Rose, C. Grill,** full o.g., centered into upper left, fresh with strong bright color, strong grill impression, **about Fine,** a rare original gum mint stamp; with 1997 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **83** $5,500



1624 o **3¢ Rose, D. Grill,** light town cancels, attractively centered amid large oversized margins, bright vivid color and strong well defined grill impression, **a Very Fine jumbo,** choice and rarely encountered so large; with 2010 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **85** $1,050

1625 o **3¢ Rose, D. Grill,** neat segmented grid cancel, rich color, **Fine**; with 2014 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **85** $1,000

1626 * **2¢ Black, Z. Grill,** mount disturbed o.g., strong color and grill impression, **Fine,** a very presentable example of the rare 1867 2¢ Blackjack Z. grill in mint condition; with 2011 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **85B** $17,500



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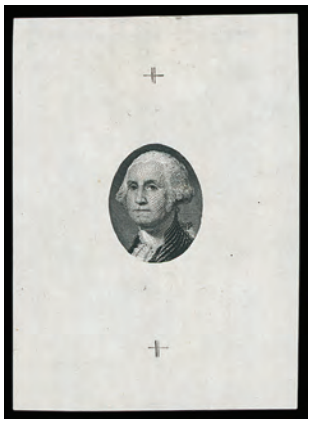

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1627 o **2¢ Black, Z. Grill,** neat blue town cancel, rich deep color, **Fine and attractive**; with 2013 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **85B** $1,250

1628 o **12¢ Intense Black, Z. Grill,** cork cancel, deep color, tiny grill thin and pulled perf at top, **Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **85E** $2,400

1629 o **1¢ Blue, E. Grill,** horizontal strip of 4, target cancels, attractively centered amid wide margins, strong bold color, couple tiny margin tears in right stamp, **otherwise Very Fine,** a scarce used multiple; with 1998 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **86** . . . . . $1,900 for two pairs

1630 *❒ **3¢ Rose, E. Grill,** block of 12, full o.g., strong bright color and strong clear grill impressions, some reinforcing and light creasing with pulled perf at lower left, **Fine appearance,** a rare large multiple; with 2013 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **88** . . . . . $18,000 for three blocks of 4

1631 o **12¢ Black, E. Grill,** light cancel, wide margins, deep color, **Very Fine**; with 2015 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **90** $375

1632 o **1¢ Blue, F. Grill,** horizontal strip of 3, three strikes of **negative Masonic Square & Compass cancel**, strong bright color, **Very Fine strikes,** fancy cancel believed to be that of East Woodstock, Vt. (S-E FR-M3b 59).
Scott No. **92**; $1,400 for pair and single . . Estimate $150 - 200

1633 * **5¢ Dark Brown, F. Grill,** full o.g., deep color and detailed impression, strong grill impression, **fresh and Fine**; with 1977 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **95** $3,500



1634 o **5¢ Brown, F. Grill,** blue town duplex cancels, perfectly centered amid evenly balanced margins all around, strong vibrant color and full well defined grill impression, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** one of **only three used examples to obtain this grade with none higher** and the highest mint example grading 90; with 1997, 2015 P.F. and 2015 P.S.E. certificates, the **latter two (Graded XF-Sup 95, SMQ $9,500)**.
Scott No. **95** $875

ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THE 1867 5¢ JEFFERSON F. GRILL ISSUE IN ANY CONDITION.

1635 o **5¢ Brown, F. Grill, Very Thin Paper,** target cancel, strong color, **F.-V.F.**; with 2014 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **95 var.** $900

1636 * **24¢ Gray Lilac, F. Grill, Split Grill,** disturbed o.g., strong color, **about Fine,** still a very presentable example of this rare mint grill high value; with 2015 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **99 var.** $8,750



1637 o **24¢ Gray Lilac, F. Grill,** quartered cork cancel, well defined grill impression, strong bold color with all margins well clear of design, **Extremely Fine and choice,** an outstanding used gem; with 2015 and 2016 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **99** $1,600

AN EXCEPTIONAL USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1867 24¢ F. GRILL ISSUE - ONE OF THE MOST DIFFICULT GRILLED ISSUES TO OBTAIN IN CHOICE CONDITION.

1638 (*) **90¢ Blue, F. Grill,** regummed, strong color and grill impression, **Fine,** a rare mint 1867 grill high value; with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **101** . . . . . $5,500 fo no gum

1639 (*) **90¢ Blue, F. Grill,** without gum, fresh with rich color, few nibbed perfs and small corner crease at bottom left, **Fine appearance**; with 2009 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **101** $5,500

1875 Re-issue of the 1861-1866 Issues

1640 * **2¢ Black, Re-Issue,** full o.g., fresh with rich color, **F.-V.F.,** scarce with only 979 sold; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **103** $3,250

1641 * **5¢ Brown, Re-Issue,** full o.g., rich color, couple small sealed margin tears, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Scott No. **105** $2,400

1869 Pictorial Issue



1642 * **2¢ Brown, without Grill,** o.g., lightly hinged, nicely centered amid uncommonly wide margins for this variety, brilliant color and exceptionally fresh, **Very Fine for this,** a very rare without grill variety with approximately a dozen examples known including a block of four, many many of which are faulty and/or cutting into the design; with 1995 and 2010 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **113b** $14,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE SOUND ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 2¢ PICTORIAL ISSUE WITHOUT GRILL.



1643 * **3¢ Ultramarine, without Grill, Gem top Right Corner Margin Single,** o.g., barest trace of hinge, well centered amid wide margins, rich color on very fresh bright paper without the usual toning, **Extremely Fine**; with 1991 and 2010 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **114a** $13,000

ONE OF THE FINEST KNOWN EXAMPLES OF THE RARE 1869 3¢ PICTORIAL WITHOUT GRILL - A GREAT CONDITION RARITY OF THIS ELUSIVE STAMP.

1644 P **6¢ Deep Dull Blue, Trial Color Large Die Proof,** full die sinkage on card, 51 x 71mm, with imprint at bottom, h.r.'s, rich color which is distinctly different from the issued stamp for the large die color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** with 2016 P.F. certificate, which no longer accompanies, rare, *ex-Laehder*.
Scott No. **115TC1ae** $2,500

1645 * **6¢ Ultramarine,** full o.g., hinge remnant, wide margins, rich bold color, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 2001 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **115** $2,750

1646 * **24¢ Green & Violet,** full o.g., strong colors, **Fine,** a presentable original gum example of this rare mint Pictorial high value; with 1987 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **120** $7,500

1647 o **24¢ Green & Violet,** crossroad cancels, large margins, strong bright colors, **F.-V.F.**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **120** $650

1648 o **24¢ Green & Violet,** light cork cancel, nicely centered, strong colors, tiny corner perf crease, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **120** $650

1649 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Scarlet,** die on India, die sunk on card, die on India, removed from card, 68 x 50 mm, a magnificent engraving, fresh and rare, **Extremely Fine.** Brazer No. 121E-Ca.
Scott No. **121-E1a**. $800

1650 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Black,** die on India, die sunk on card, die on India, removed from card, 69 x 50 mm, with imprint at bottom, fresh, intense printing, **Extremely Fine and scarce.** Brazer No. 121E-Ca.
Scott No. **121-E1a**. $800

1651 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Blue,** die on ivory paper, die on India, die sunk on card, die on ivory paper, with imprint at bottom, **Extremely Fine,** a gorgeous fresh example of this exceedingly rare 1869 Pictorial essay. Brazer No. 121E-Cc.
Scott No. **121-E1g**. $1,000


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1652 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Blue,** die on clear white bond, die on clear white bond, 42 x 37 mm, fresh bright rich color, **Extremely Fine.** Brazer No. 121E-Cd.
Scott No. **121-E1i** $600

1653 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Blue,** die on yellowish cloudy bond, die on yellowish cloudy bond, 45 x 40 mm, deep beautiful shade, **Extremely Fine.** Brazer No. 121E-Ce.
Scott No. **121-E1j** $600

1654 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Blue,** die on yellowish cloudy bond, die on yellowish cloudy bond, 40 x 37 mm, attractive shade, deep rich engraving; right irregular corner and slight hinge remnant show through, **otherwise Very Fine.** Brazer No. 121E-Ce.
Scott No. **121-E1j** $600

1655 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Orange,** die on yellowish cloudy bond, die on yellowish cloudy bond, 32 x 31 mm, attractive, fresh and scarce, with bright pronounced color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1998 P.F. certificate. Brazer No. 121E-Ce.
Scott No. **121-E1j** $600

1656 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Black,** die on smoky yellow greenish bond, die on smoky yellow greenish bond, 37 x 36 mm, **Extremely Fine,** a handsome example of this rare essay. Brazer No. 121E-Cf.
Scott No. **121-E1k** $600

1657 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Black,** plate on thin surface-tinted paper, two on salmon red and pale pink, both large margins, **Very Fine,** appealing design and engraving. Brazer No. 121E-Ck.
Scott No. **121-E1p** $550


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1658 E **30¢ Burgoyne Essay, in Dull Red Violet,** plate on bond, with red bands at top and bottom, attractive and fresh, **Very Fine,** an excellent essay. Brazer No. 121E-Co.
Scott No. **121-E1s** $350

1659 o **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine,** quartered cork cancel, rich colors, large oversized margins, **a Very Fine jumbo**; with 1992 and 2006 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **121** $450

1660 o **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine,** segmented grid and red transit cancels, well centered amid oversized margins, rich colors, **a Very Fine jumbo**; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **121** $450

1661 (*) **90¢ Carmine & Black,** without gum, rich colors, **Fine,** a scarce sound unused example of this Pictorial high value.
Scott No. **122** $3,750

1662 o **90¢ Carmine & Black,** light cork cancel, strong colors, few short perfs at right and bottom, **otherwise Fine.**
Scott No. **122** $1,700

1875 Re-issue of the 1869 Pictorial Issue

1663 * **2¢ Brown, 1875 Re-Issue,** part o.g., rich vibrant color, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.**; with 1980 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **124** $600

1664 (*) **3¢ Blue, 1875 Re-Issue,** without gum, rich brilliant color, attractively centered, **Very Fine,** the scarcest of the Pictorial re-issues with only 1406 sold; with 2004 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **125** $2,500

1665 o **6¢ Blue, 1875 Re-Issue,** cork cancels, choice centering, bold color, **Very Fine,** a rare used example of the 1869 6¢ Pictorial Re-issue; with 2014 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **126** $3,000

1666 * **12¢ Green, 1875 Re-Issue,** full o.g., wide margins, deep color, **fresh and Fine**; with 2006 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **128** $2,000

1667 * **15¢ Brown & Blue, Re-Issue, Type III,** o.g., rich colors, attractively centered, small natural paper inclusion, **Very Fine**; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **129** $1,300

1668 (*) **15¢ Brown & Blue, Re-Issue, Type III,** regummed, rich deep colors, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **129** $575



1669 o **15¢ Brown & Blue, Re-Issue, Type III,** crescent shape cancel, rich colors, well centered amid wide margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a handsome used 15¢ Pictorial Re-issue; with 1971 A.P.S. and 2007 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **129** $1,000

1670 o **15¢ Brown & Blue, Re-Issue, Type III,** duplex duplex cancel not obscuring vignette, wide margins, rich vibrant colors, **Very Fine,** an attractive used 15¢ Pictorial Re-issue.
Scott No. **129** $1,250



1671 * **24¢ Green & Violet, 1875 Re-Issue,** o.g., lightly hinged, strong bright colors, very fresh, **Very Fine**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **130** $2,000

1672 * **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine, 1875 Re-Issue,** large part o.g., rich deep colors, **fresh and Fine**; with 2006 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **131** $2,250


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1673 o **30¢ Ultramarine & Carmine, 1875 Re-Issue,** partial duplex cancels, wide margins, rich color, **F.-V.F.,** a rare re-issue in used condition; with 1993 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **131** $2,750

1674 * **90¢ Carmine & Black, 1875 Re-Issue,** disturbed o.g., well centered amid large margins, slight soiling, small margin thin at top not mentioned on certificate, **Very Fine appearance**; with 1977 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **132** $3,750

1870-1871 National Bank Note Co. Issue, Grilled

1675 * **6¢ Carmine, H. Grill,** disturbed o.g., strong bright color and full clear grill impression, **Fine,** a very scarce mint grill issue; with 2007 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **137** $5,000

1676 * **7¢ Vermilion, H. Grill,** o.g., rich brilliant color, full strong grill impression, **Fine,** very scarce; with 1992 and 2003 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **138** $4,250

1677 (*) **7¢ Vermilion, H. Grill,** unused without gum, brilliant strong color, fresh, many strong grill points, **F.-V.F.**; with 1979 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **138** $1,550

1678 (*) **10¢ Brown, H. Grill,** with horizontal stitch watermark at center, without gum, deep rich color and crisp detailed impression, **F.-V.F.**; with 1989 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **139** $2,550

1679 o **24¢ Purple, H. Grill,** double ring cancel, bright color and strong well defined grill impression, two small sealed tears at top, reperfed at bottom not mentioned on certificate, **F.-V.F. appearance,** still an attractive example of this rare grilled Banknote issue; with 1960 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **142** $6,750

1680 (*) **30¢ Black, H. Grill,** without gum, deep color, clear grill impression, reperforated at top, **Fine appearance,** still a very presentable example of this very rare unused grill Banknote issue; with 1981 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **143** $7,500

1681 o **90¢ Carmine, H. Grill,** lightly canceled, rich bright color, small thins, **Fine appearance**; with 1979 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **144** $2,500



1682 o **90¢ Carmine, Double Grill,** clearly showing two distinct grill impressions, neat corner cork cancel, rich vibrant color, **F.-V.F.,** an extremely rare 1870 National Banknote grill issue variety, variety listed but yet to be priced in Scott; with 2002 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **144 var.**; $2,500 for normal . Estimate $2,500 - 3,500

THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THE 1870 90¢ NATIONAL BANKNOTE DOUBLE GRILL VARIETY.

1683 (*) **2¢ Red Brown, I. Grill,** without gum, rich color, strong well defined grill impression, **F.-V.F.**; with 2015 Weiss certificate.
Scott No. **135A** . . . . . $2,000 for o.g.



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1684 o **7¢ Vermilion, I. Grill,** segmented cork cancel, rich vibrant color, clear grill impression, **Fine and attractive**; with 2015 Weiss certificate.
Scott No. **138A** $850

1685 o **7¢ Vermilion, I. Grill,** cork cancel, rich color and strong grill impression, cert. mention nibbed perf which we find no evidence of, **Fine**; with 2016 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **138A** $850

1870-1871 National Bank Note Co. Issue, Without Grill

1686 P **6¢ Carmine, Large Die Proof,** full die sinkage, 70 x 81 mm, crisp and fresh, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **148P1** $1,750

1687 E **1870, 12¢ N.B.N.C. Clay Essay, in Violet,** complete unadopted design, die on India, mounted on card, stamp size with close margins, **Fine,** scarce and attractive. Brazer No. 115aE-Fd.
Scott No. **151-E7a** $900

1688 * **12¢ Dull Violet,** disturbed part o.g., bold color, couple perf flaws and slight soiling at top, **Fine appearance**; with 2009 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **151** $3,000

1689 o❐ **12¢ Dull Violet,** block of 4, cork cancels, bright color, some reinforced perf separations, **Fine,** a scarce used multiple.
Scott No. **151** $2,250

1690 * **15¢ Bright Orange,** o.g., rich radiant color, well centered; reperforated at right and virtually unnoticeable margin crease, **attractive Very Fine appearance**; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **152** $3,500

1691 * **15¢ Bright Orange,** o.g., rich vibrant color, **Fine**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **152** $3,500

1692 * **24¢ Purple,** part o.g., strong color, wide margins, couple shorter perfs, **Very Fine**; with 2016 P.S.E. **Graded** certificate **(VF 80)**.
Scott No. **153** $1,800

1873-1875 Continental Bank Note Co. Issue

1693 P **1¢ Black, Trial Color Plate Proof on Card, top plate block of 16,** generous margins and quite choice; top margin slightly modified, **Very Fine,** unpriced in Scott as plate block.
Scott No. **156TC4**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



1694 o **2¢ Brown, Double Paper,** neat central Maltese cross cancel, exceptional centering amid beautifully balanced margins, rich deep color, **an Extremely Fine gem,** a search for certified examples of this variety revealed only a very small number of used examples exist, grossly undercataloged in Scott; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **157a**. $200

CERTAINLY ONE THE FINEST KNOWN EXAMPLES OF THE 1873 2¢ BANKNOTE ON DOUBLE PAPER.



1695 o **10¢ Brown, Horizontal Pair Imperf Between,** bold cork cancel, bright color, negligible corner crease at bottom left, **otherwise Very Fine,** a fresh and striking example of this Continental rarity, a tremendous exhibition piece, *ex-Isleham*; with 1986 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **161d** $17,500

THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF THE 1873 10¢ CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE ISSUE IMPERFORATE BETWEEN.

It is the only known example of a Bank Note issue imperf between, other than the 3¢ Continental and the 2¢ Special Printing of 1883.



1696 * **90¢ Rose Carmine,** o.g., fairly light hinging, beautiful rich bright color on fresh paper, **Very Fine,** a striking stamp; with 2001 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **166** $2,250

1875 "Hard Paper" Special Printings



1697 (*) **2¢ Dark Brown, 1875 Special Printing,** without gum as issued, centered to right with intact perfs trimmed at left, rich color, **Fine**; with 1974 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **168** $6,000

AN ATTRACTIVE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 1875 2¢ CONTINENTAL SPECIAL PRINTING ISSUE.



1698 (*) **2¢ Dark Brown, 1875 Special Printing,** without gum as issued, centered low with wide margins, intact perfs scissor separated at left and bottom, rich color on bright fresh paper, **Fine**; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **168** $6,000

AN HANDSOME EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1875 2¢ CONTINENTAL SPECIAL PRINTING ISSUE.



1699 (*) **3¢ Blue Green, 1875 Special Printing,** without gum as issued, wide margins with perfs clear of design at right, usual scissor separations with intact perfs at right and bottom, stunningly rich intense color and remarkable freshness, **F.-V.F.**; with 1970 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **169** $21,500

A STRIKING SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 1875 3¢ CONTINENTAL SPECIAL PRINTING ISSUE.



1700 (*) **10¢ Pale Brown, 1875 Special Printing,** without gum as issued, scissor separated with intact perforations on three sides, centered to top with nicely balanced margins around, rich bright color, **Fine**; with 1970 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **172** $17,000

A RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 1875 10¢ CONTINENTAL SPECIAL PRINTING ISSUE.



1701 (*) **10¢ Pale Brown, 1875 Special Printing,** without gum as issued, scissor separated with intact perfs at left and top and large portions on other sides, strong color on bright fresh paper, minute margin tear at bottom (if any), **Very Fine appearance**; with 1999 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **172** $17,000

AN ATTRACTIVE FULL MARGIN EXAMPLE OF THE 1875 10¢ CONTINENTAL SPECIAL PRINTING ISSUE.



1702 (*) **12¢ Dark Violet, 1875 Special Printing,** without gum as issued, scissor separated with intact perfs on three side and partial at bottom, well centered, strong bold color, **Very Fine**; with 1941 American Board of Experts certificate.
Scott No. **173** $5,500

AN CHOICE FULL MARGIN EXAMPLE OF THE 1875 15¢ CONTINENTAL SPECIAL PRINTING ISSUE.



1703 (*) **24¢ Dull Purple, 1875 Special Printing,** without gum as issued, deep rich color and sharp impression, scissor separated with full intact perfs giving the appearance of balanced oversized margins, **Very Fine and choice,** a lovely and rare 24¢ Continental Special Printing issue; with 1983 and 2002 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **175** $3,400

1704 E **1877, 3¢ C.B.N.C. Washington Essay,** complete unadopted design, die on white glazed paper, **three different** shades, black, blue and scarlet, complete unadopted design, die on white glazed paper, all approximately 36 x 43 mm, gorgeous fresh colors, **Extremely Fine.** Brazer No. 115aE-Fd.
Scott No. **184-E13b** $2,250

1705 E **1877, 3¢ C.B.N.C. Washington Essay, in Scarlet,** THREE above CENTS, die on white glazed paper, 63 x 58 mm, outstanding shade, **Extremely Fine and attractive.** Brazer No. 115aE-Fd.
Scott No. **184-E14b** $500

1706 * **6¢ Pink,** full o.g., strong bright color, **F.-V.F.**; with 1994 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **186** $900

1880 “Soft Paper” Special Printings



1707 (*) **2¢ Black Brown, 1880 Special Printing,** without gum as issued, beautifully centered amid large well balanced margins, rich bold color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine and choice**; with 1967 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **193** $17,000

ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THE RARE 1880 2¢ AMERICAN SPECIAL PRINTING ISSUE.

1883 Special Printing



1708 (*) **4¢ Deep Blue Green, 1883 Special Printing,** without gum as issued, bright fresh paper and deep intense color indicative of this issue, **Fine,** a lovely example of this extremely rare Special Printing issue, *ex-Sheriff*; with 1971 P.F. and 2015 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **211D** $47,500

AN ATTRACTIVE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 1883 4¢ AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. SPECIAL PRINTING ISSUE.

This Special Printing is from a trial printing by a new steam-powered American Bank Note Co. press. Approximately 1,000 of these stamps (in sheets of 200 with an imperforate gutter between panes of 100) were delivered as samples to the Third Assistant Postmaster General and subsequently made their way to the public market.

Official Postal records show that twenty six examples of this Special Printing where issued. The Philatelic Foundation has certified all but one of these. Out of the mere twenty five that has been certified, five examples are recorded with small flaws.


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1881-1888 American Bank Note Co. Issues

1709 ** **1¢ Ultramarine,** o.g., never hinged, well balanced margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **212** $290

1710 P **30¢ Orange Brown, Large Die Proof,** on India, die sunk on 72 x 84mm card, vivid color and fresh impression, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **217P1** $750

1890 Issue

1711 o **90¢ Orange,** registry oval cancel, exceptional centering within wide margins, rich vibrant color, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a gem used high value.
Scott No. **229** $150

1893 Columbian Issue

1712 ** **3¢ Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, precision centering amid large well balanced margins, rich radiant color and exceptional freshness, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2016 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **232** $105

1713 ** **4¢ Columbian,** left margin single with part imprint, o.g., never hinged, choice centering amid oversized margins, rich radiant color on bright fresh paper, **an Extremely Fine jumbo,** a striking stamp; with 2009 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded XF 90J, SMQ $540)**.
Scott No. **233** $140

1714 **❒ **4¢ Columbian,** block of 4, o.g., never hinged, strong color and wide margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **233** $520



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1715 *❐ **6¢ Columbian,** bottom margin plate no. "104" block of 6 with imprint, full o.g., rich color, gum crease affecting bottom stamps and a few perf separations, **otherwise F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **235** $1,150

1716 ** **8¢ Columbian,** top margin plate no. "130" strip of 4 with imprint and "I I" letters, o.g., never hinged, unusually wide margins, rich vivid color, **F.-V.F. and attractive.**
Scott No. **236** . . . . . $560 as n.h. singles

1717 **❐ **8¢ Columbian,** block of 6, o.g., never hinged, fresh with deep color, vertical gum crease affecting left pair, **otherwise F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **236** $960

1718 **/*❐ **8¢ Columbian,** bottom margin plate no. "130" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., hinged, bottom right stamp never hinged, well centered throughout, rich color, natural gum crease affecting a couple stamps, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **236** $1,025

1719 ** **15¢ Columbian,** bottom margin pair with imprint, o.g., never hinged, fresh with rich deep color, **Very Fine,** an attractive position pair.
Scott No. **238** $1,350

1720 *❐ **15¢ Columbian,** block of 4, o.g., hinge remnants, rich bold color, **fresh and Fine.**
Scott No. **238** $850

1721 **/*❐ **15¢ Columbian,** block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged, bottom right stamp never hinged, rich color, natural paper inclusion on bottom right stamp, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **238** $1,200

1722 ** **$1 Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, rich deep color, **fresh and Fine**
Scott No. **241** $3,400



1723 * **$1 Columbian,** o.g., very lightly hinged, rich deep color, exceptional centering, small natural paper inclusion at right, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **241** $1,100

1724 * **$1 Columbian,** full o.g., strong bright color, nicely centered, **nearly Very Fine.**
Scott No. **241** $1,000

1725 * **$1 Columbian,** o.g., lightly hinged, well centered amid nicely balanced margins, rich vibrant color, natural paper inclusion at top right, **Very Fine**; with 2002 & 2017 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **241** $1,100

1726 * **$1 Columbian,** o.g. (2017 P.F. cert. stated disturbed which is quite harsh), rich bright color, attractive centering, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 1997 & 2017 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **241** $1,100

1727 * **$1 Columbian,** slightly disturbed o.g., rich deep color, small thin, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Scott No. **241** $1,100



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1728 * **$2 Columbian,** o.g., flaws including thin and small corner crease, **Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **242** $1,150

1729 o **$2 Columbian,** oval registry cancels, rich deep color, wide margins, **Very Fine**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **242** $525

1730 ▲ **$2 Columbian,** tied on piece 1893 town cancel, rich vibrant color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **242** $600



1731 ** **$3 Columbian,** pristine o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering amid evenly balanced margins, vibrant color and true Post Office freshness, totally trivial perf flaw at top mentioned for accuracy, **an Extremely Fine gem.**
Scott No. **243** $4,250

A WONDERFUL NEVER HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE $3 COLUMBIAN ISSUE.

1732 * **$4 Columbian,** large part o.g. (wide gum skip at bottom), rich deep color, **F.-V.F.**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **244** $2,000

1733 * **$4 Columbian,** slightly disturbed o.g., intensely rich color and exceptional freshness, **Fine.**
Scott No. **244** $2,000

1734 * **$4 Columbian,** o.g., gum adherences, deep rich color, small natural paper inclusion and thin, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **244** $2,000

1735 (*) **$4 Columbian,** regummed, strong color, wide margins, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **244** $1,000

1736 (*) **$4 Columbian,** regummed, strong bright color, reperfed at top, **Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **244** $1,000



1737 ** **$5 Columbian,** o.g., never hinged, remarkably fresh with strong color and a crisp impression, **F.-V.F. and attractive,** a rare $5 Columbian high value in never hinged condition.
Scott No. **245** $9,500

1738 * **$5 Columbian,** o.g. (glazed gum), strong color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **245** $2,300

1739 * **$5 Columbian,** disturbed o.g. with some foreign offset, rich bold color, **Fine.**
Scott No. **245** $2,300

1740 * **$5 Columbian,** o.g., strong bold color, reperfed at right, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Scott No. **245** $2,300

1741 o **$5 Columbian,** neat 1893 town and duplex cancel, rich color, wide oversized margins, **F.-V.F. and attractive.**
Scott No. **245** $1,150

1894 Bureau Issue

1742 *❒ **15¢ Dark Blue,** corner margin block of 4, o.g., hinge remnants, rich color on bright paper, tiny thin speck in top right stamp, **otherwise F.-V.F.**; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **259** $1,150

1743 * **$1 Black, Type II,** o.g., hinge remnant, deep color, couple hinge thins, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Scott No. **261A** $2,100

1744 o **$1 Black, Type II,** oval cancel, rich color, **Very Fine**; with 1993 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **261A** $800

1745 * **$5 Dark Green,** o.g., paper hinge remnant, deep rich color, **about Fine,** a very rare mint stamp.
Scott No. **263** $4,000

1746 * **$5 Dark Green,** full o.g., deep intense color, reperfed at top and bottom, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **263** $4,000

1747 (*) **$5 Dark Green,** regummed, deep rich color, reperfed at top, **Fine appearance,** a very scarce mint high value.
Scott No. **263** $2,100

1748 o **$5 Dark Green,** registry oval cancel, rich deep color, thin and small corner creases, **F.-V.F. appearance,** a scarce high value.
Scott No. **263** $2,750

1895 Bureau Issue, Watermarked



1749 ** **2¢ Pink, Type III,** o.g., never hinged, precision centering amid large beautifully balanced margins, rich radiant color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** one of the finest examples with this being **one of four examples to obtain this grade with none higher**; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded XF-Sup 95, SMQ $1,050)**.
Scott No. **267a** $60

1750 ** **8¢ Violet Brown,** bottom margin plate number strip of 3 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, fresh with rich color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **272** $750

1751 * **$1 Black, Type I,** o.g. (glazed gum), nice margins and centering, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **276** $600

1752 * **$1 Black, Type I,** slightly disturbed o.g., deep color, **F.-V.F.**; with 2003 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **276** $600

1753 * **$1 Black, Type II,** o.g. (slight mobilization of gum), rich color, **Fine**; with 1983 S.P.A. certificate.
Scott No. **276A** $1,250

1754 * **$2 Bright Blue,** strip of 3 with plate number and imprint, o.g., left pair with hinge remnants, rich deep color, attractive centering, bright and fresh, left stamp with added corner perf, **otherwise Very Fine,** an attractive and scarce high value plate number strip; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **277** $4,000



1755 o **$5 Dark Green,** neat double oval cancel, bright color, **Extremely Fine,** a choice example; with 1996 P.F. and 2015 P.F. certificates, the latter **(Graded XF 90, SMQ $1,250)**.
Scott No. **278** $625

1756 o **$5 Dark Green,** oval registry cancel, attractively centered, beautiful deep rich color, **Very Fine**; with 1982 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **278** $600

1757 ** **1¢ Deep Green,** o.g., never hinged, evenly balanced margins and exceptional centering, rich color and Post Office fresh, **Extremely Fine to Superb,** a lovely gem; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded XF-Sup 95, SMQ $375)**.
Scott No. **279** $25

1758 **/*❒ **4¢ Rose Brown,** bottom margin plate block of 6 with plate number and imprint, o.g., lightly hinged (2 stamps never hinged), exceptionally well centered, rich fresh color; few light tone spots on back that do not detract from this beautiful plate block, **otherwise Very Fine to Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **280** $650

1898 Trans-Mississippi Issue

1759 * **1898, Trans-Miss., 4¢ Orange & Black, Large Die with Black Vignette on India Proof,** die sunk on card, rich fresh color, beautiful appearance; reduced 68 x 59mm, very slight soiling in margin mainly and slight corner crease at upper left, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **287-E9** $550

1760 ** **4¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, well centered with nicely balanced margins, radiant color, **Extremely Fine**; with 1990 P.F. certificate for pair.
Scott No. **287** $300

1761 **❒ **5¢ Trans-Miss.,** block of 4, o.g., never hinged (few tiny gum skips in left pair), wide margins, deep rich color, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **288** $1,000



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1762 *❐ **8¢ Trans-Miss.,** block of 4, o.g., hinge remnants, strong color, thin in top right stamp, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **289** $550



1763 ** **50¢ Trans-Miss.,** o.g., never hinged, rich deep color and proof-like impression, perfectly centered within large well balanced margins, exceptional freshness, **an Extremely Fine to Superb gem,** with this being one of six examples to obtain this never hinged grade with only two examples grading higher (both 98); with 2016 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded XF-Sup 95, SMQ $14,000)**.
Scott No. **291** $1,800

AN OUTSTANDING LARGE MARGIN NEVER HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1898 50¢ TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE.

1764 * **$1 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., very lightly hinged, bright and fresh with deep bold color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **292** $1,400

1765 * **$1 Trans-Miss.,** glazed o.g., wide margins, deep intense color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **292** $1,400

1766 (*) **$1 Trans-Miss.,** regummed, well centered amid large margins, natural s.e. at right (rarely found as such), **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **292** $800

1767 * **$2 Trans-Miss.,** o.g., fairly light hinging, strong color, expertly reperfed at bottom, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **293** $1,900

1768 * **$2 Trans-Miss.,** full o.g., lovely rich deep color, exceptional freshness, **Fine.**
Scott No. **293** $1,800

1901 Pan-American Issue

1769 ** **Pan-Americans Complete,** well centered set, bright and fresh, o.g., never hinged, 5¢ pulled perf, **otherwise Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **294-299** $957

1770 ** **1¢ Pan-American,** plate number "1123" strip of 5 with imprints, part arrow and siderographer's initials, o.g., never hinged, attractive centering amid wide margins, rich colors and very fresh, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **294** $250

1771 **/*❐ **1¢ and 2¢ Pan-American,** complete panes of 100, 1¢ with two bottom plate blocks of 10, missing left selvage, few faults and some minor separation, o.g., never hinged; 2¢ with two top plate blocks of 10 showing imprint and no. 1114 plus pressman's initials, full selvage at sides, strong colors on bright paper, few perf separations, o.g. some never hinged but also some slight gum disturbance, the 2¢ sheet cataloged as o.g., **Fine and scarce pair of sheets.**
Scott No. **294, 295** . . . . . $8,300+



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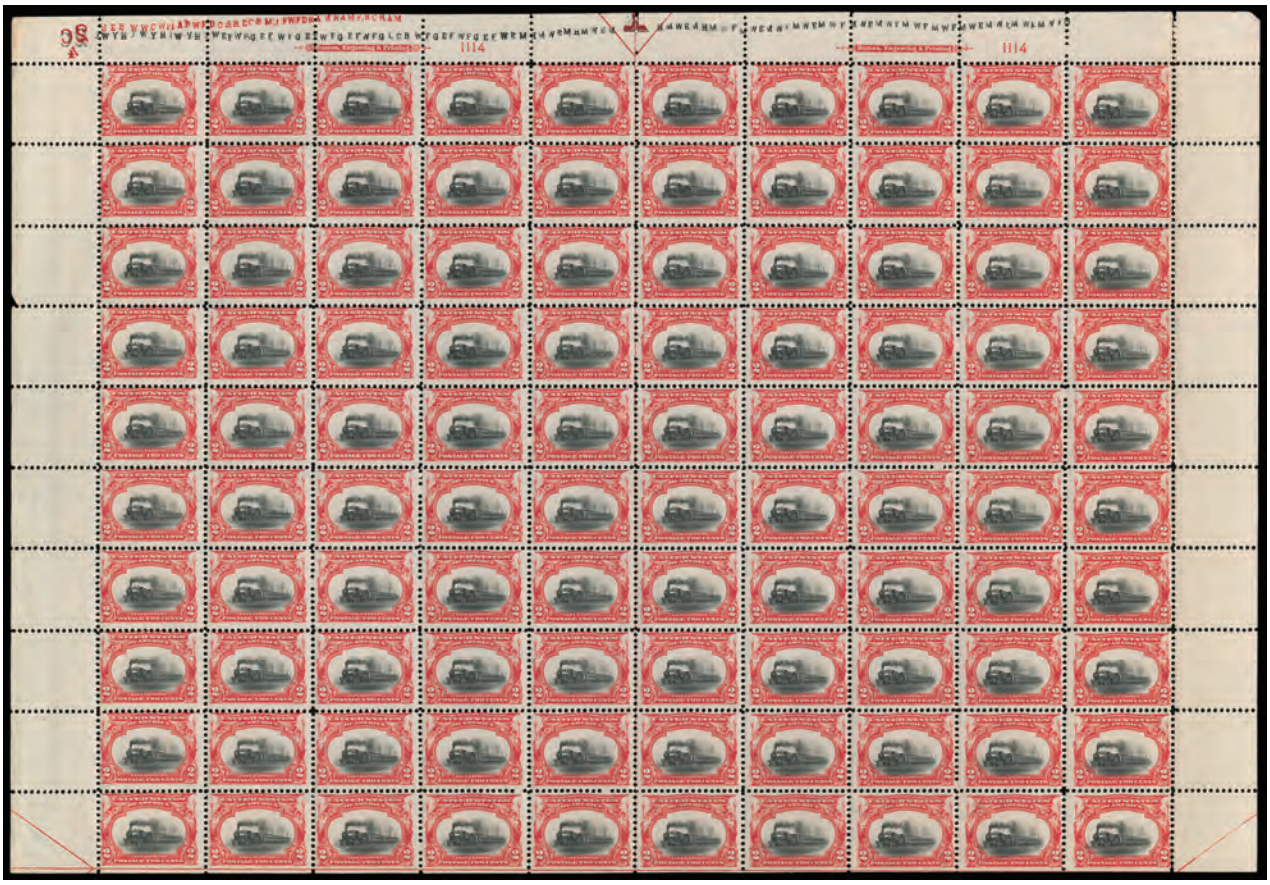

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1772 **/*❒ **4¢ Pan-American,** top margin plate no. "1145" block of 6 with imprint and siderographer's initials, o.g., very lightly hinged at top, never hinged at bottom, rich vibrant colors on bright fresh paper, beautifully centered throughout, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine,** *ex-Drucker*; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **296** $2,100



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1773 * **4¢ Pan-American, Center Inverted,** o.g., fairly lightly hinging which is normally found with disturbed gum, centered just slightly in to touching at bottom with nicely balanced margins around, rich vivid colors, **Fine**; with 2012 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **296a** $85,000

A SOUND ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 4¢ PAN-AMERICAN WITH CENTER INVERTED. A GREAT 20TH CENTURY RARITY.

The 4¢ invert was printed deliberately as the result of a misunderstanding. After the discovery of the 1¢ and 2¢ inverts in mid-1901, the Third Assistant Postmaster, Edwin C. Madden, decided to track down any additional errors. He had his assistant instruct the Bureau of Engraving and Printing to send any inverted Pan-American stamps to Madden's office. No inverted stamps in fact remained on hand, and interpreting Madden's communique as an unconditional demand for inverts, the Bureau produced four sheets of them from the 4 cent plates and sent 400 copies on to Madden. About about half were marked "Specimen" and between 1901 and 1904 Madden distributed 172 examples.



1774 **❒ **5¢ Pan-American,** top margin plate no. "1140" block of 6 with imprint and siderographer's initials, o.g., never hinged, rich colors on bright paper, attractively centered, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **297** $3,750

1775 **❒ **5¢ Pan-American,** bottom margin plate no. "1140" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, rich colors, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.,** an attractive 5¢ Pan-Am plate block in never hinged condition.
Scott No. **297** $3,750

1776 *❒ **8¢ Pan-American,** block of 4, o.g., hinge remnant, wide margins and rich colors, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **298** $400

1777 *❒ **10¢ Pan-American,** block of 4, o.g., small hinge remnants, exceptional centering amid wide margins, strong colors, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **299** $525

1902-1908 Regular Issues

1778 o **$1 Black,** duplex cancel, mammoth margins, deep color, **an Extremely Fine jumbo,** one of the largest 1903 $1 issues we have ever encountered; with 2009 P.S.E. and 2014 P.F. certificates, the former **(Graded XF 90J, SMQ $350)**.
Scott No. **311** $95

1779 * **$5 Dark Green,** o.g., hinge remnant, intensely rich color, bright and fresh, small central thin, **F.-V.F. appearance.**
Scott No. **313** $2,000



1780 o **$5 Dark Green,** neat oval registry cancel, rich color, nicely balanced margins, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **313** $675

1781 **❒ **1¢ Blue Green, Imperf,** top margin plate no. "4498" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, large margins, deep color, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **314** $325

The 1908 4¢ Brown Imperforate with Schermack Type III Perforations



1782 o **4¢ Brown, Imperforate, Schermack Type III,** wavy line machine cancel, full Schermack perfs on both sides, very well centered for this difficult issue with design clear of perfs, deep rich color, **Very Fine**; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **314A** $50,000

A VERY RARE AND CHOICE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 1908 4¢ IMPERFORATE WITH SCHERMACK TYPE III PERFORATIONS - WITH ONLY FORTY TWO USED EXAMPLES RECORDED.

In April of 1908, the Schermack Company received orders of a 4¢ denomination from two of their Detroit clients, the Burroughs Adding Machine Company and the Hamilton Carbardt Company. Altogether, 10,000 stamps were ordered and 25 sheets were sent by the Bureau without perforations on May 12th, 1908.

According to the Siegel Census, only 32 used singles are recorded. Only eleven of these are deemed sound.



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Ex 1785



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1783 **/* **5¢ Blue, Imperf,** horizontal pair, o.g., left stamp lightly hinged, right stamp never hinged, large to huge margins, deep color and pristine freshness, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **315** . . . . . $925 for singles

1784 * **5¢ Blue, Imperf,** left margin horizontal pair, o.g., hinge remnant, mostly large margins, strong bright color, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **315** $625

1904 Louisiana Purchase Issue

1785 ** **Louisiana Purchase Complete,** o.g., never hinged, hand-selected for rich colors and choice centering, **a Very Fine and choice set.**
Scott No. **323-327** $770

1786 **❒ **3¢ Louisiana Purchase,** top left corner margin plate no. "2104" block of 8 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, rich vibrant color, bright and fresh with full intact perforations all around, **F.-V.F. and attractive.**
Scott No. **325** $2,090

1787 **❒ **5¢ Louisiana Purchase,** top margin plate no. "2100" block of 4 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, nice overall centering, deep bold color, **Very Fine and choice**; with 2006 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **326** $1,150

1788 **❒ **10¢ Louisiana Purchase,** top margin plate no. "2108" block of 4 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, rich deep color and exceptional freshness, **F.-V.F.**; with 2008 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **327** $2,150

1908-1910 Washington-Franklin Issue, DL Watermark



1789 * **$1 Violet Brown,** o.g., fairly light hinging, beautifully centered amid nicely balanced margin, deep bold color, corner perf folded over of no consequence, **Extremely Fine,** choice so nice; with 1985, 1987 & 2017 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **342** $475

1790 ** **4¢ Orange Brown, Vertical Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged (top stamp with fingerprint on gum), rich color, **F.-V.F.**; signed Gilbert, with 2017 Crowe certificate.
Scott No. **350** $2,600

1791 * **5¢ Blue, Vertical Coil,** line pair, o.g., top stamp with hinge remnant, rich color, very fresh, **Fine.**
Scott No. **351** $1,075

1792 * **2¢ Carmine, Horizontal Coil,** line pair, o.g., strong bright color, **Fine.**
Scott No. **353** $750



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1793 * **4¢ Orange Brown, Horizontal Coil,** line pair, full o.g., rich vibrant color, **fresh and Fine**; with 1980 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **354** $1,400

1794 * **4¢ Orange Brown, Horizontal Coil,** line pair, full o.g., rich color, **F.-V.F.**; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **354** $1,400

1795 * **5¢ Blue, Horizontal Coil,** line pair, slightly disturbed o.g., deep color, **Fine.**
Scott No. **355** $1,500

1909 Bluish Paper Issue

1796 *❒ **2¢ Carmine, Bluish Paper,** right margin plate block of 8, o.g., hinge remnants at top and bottom, strong color, bright and fresh, some faint black offset on reverse, **F.-V.F.**; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **358** $1,160

1797 * **3¢ Deep Violet, Bluish Paper,** right margin single, o.g., lightly hinged, rich color, centered into bottom, **about Fine**; with 2009 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **359** $1,800

1798 * **5¢ Blue, Bluish Paper,** o.g. (small glazed area at top right), rich deep color, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce bluish paper issue; with 2017 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **361** $5,750

1799 * **6¢ Red Orange, Bluish Paper,** o.g., rich bold color, reperforated at right, **Fine appearance**; with 1984 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **362** $1,250



1800 * **13¢ Blue Green, Bluish Paper,** full o.g., small hinge remnant, rich deep color, attractive centering and margins, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine**; with 2007 P.F. **Graded** certificate **(VF-XF 85, SSV $3,100)**.
Scott No. **365** $2,600



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1801 * **13¢ Blue Green, Bluish Paper,** o.g., lightly hinged, deep rich color on distinctively bluish paper, **F.-V.F.**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **365** $2,600

1802 **/*❐ **2¢ Lincoln, Imperf,** matched position set of four plate blocks of 6 with imprints, o.g., hinge remnants, mostly never hinged including left and right margin blocks, strong colors, one stamp in left margin block with gum wrinkle, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **368** $1,180

1910-1911 Washington-Franklin Issue, SL Watermark

1803 **/*❐ **15¢ Pale Ultramarine,** top margin plate no. "4952" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., three stamps lightly hinged, others never hinged, nice overall centering, bold color, perf separations at top between left pair, **otherwise Very Fine,** a scarce plate block.
Scott No. **382** $2,500



1804 ** **1¢ Green, Vertical Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged (small gum skips), exceptional centering, vibrant color and very fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a gem line pair, *ex-Lee Gilbert, May 11th 1956, lot 293.*
Scott No. **385** $1,000

1805 ** **1¢ Green, Vertical Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged, deep intense color, Post Office fresh, **F.-V.F.**; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **385** $1,000

1806 * **2¢ Carmine, Vertical Coil,** line pair, o.g., hinge remnant at top, rich vibrant color, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **386** $1,600

1807 ** **2¢ Carmine, Horizontal Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged, rich vibrant color, **F.-V.F.**; with 2014 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **393** $650

1808 ** **3¢ Deep Violet, Horizontal Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged (small gum skips), well centered, bright color and Post Office fresh, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **394** $925



1809 ** **4¢ Brown, Horizontal Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged (small gum skips in right stamp), rich color and exceptional centering, **Extremely Fine,** choice so nice.
Scott No. **395** $1,100

1810 ** **5¢ Blue, Horizontal Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh with rich intense color, **Very Fine**; with 2013 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded VF 80)**.
Scott No. **396** $975

1913-1915 Panama-Pacific Issue

1811 ** **Panama-Pacific Complete, Perf 12,** o.g., never hinged, each hand-selected for exceptional centering, rich vibrant colors, **an Extremely Fine set.**
Scott No. **397-400A** $830



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1812 *❐ **1¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 12,** full extra wide selvage plate block of 6, o.g., small hinge remnants; small offset, does not detract from this magnificent plate block, **Extremely Fine,** it would be difficult to find another example with this choice centering.
Scott No. **397** $300



1813 * **2¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 12, Lake Color Error,** o.g., hinge remnant, natural s.e. at left, deep true lake color, cert. mentions two tiny thin spots which may be inaccurate, **Very Fine appearance,** a very presentable example of the extremely rare 2¢ Pan-Pacific lake error of color, with only a handful of examples known to exist; with 2008 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **398b** $5,250

1814 **/*❐ **5¢ Panama-Pacific, Perf 10,** block of 4, o.g., hinge remnant at top, bottom left stamp never hinged, fresh with bold color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **403** $825

1912-1914 Washington-Franklin Issue, SL Watermark, Perf. 12

1815 * **10¢ Brown Yellow,** full o.g., rich "mustard" color, very fresh, **Fine,** very rare with about two dozen certified examples known; with 2001 P.S.E. and 2007 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **416a** $2,750

1816 ** **30¢ Orange Red,** left margin plate block of 6, o.g., never hinged, immaculate and fresh, strong bright color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **420** $2,400

1817 **❐ **30¢ Orange Red,** right margin plate block of 6, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, very well centered, light natural bend affecting top right stamp, **Very Fine to Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **420** $2,400


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1818 * **$1 Violet Brown,** o.g., lightly hinged, deep rich color, well balanced margins, **Extremely Fine,** a choice high value; with 1995 & 2002 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **423** $475

1914-1915 Washington-Franklin Issue, SL Watermark, Perf.10

1819 * **3¢ Violet, Horizontal Flat Plate Coil,** line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, deep bold color, **fresh and F.-V.F.**; with 2001 P.F. certificate for strip.
Scott No. **445** $1,200

1820 o **2¢ Red, Type I, Vertical Rotary Coil,** machine cancel, rich vibrant color, **F.-V.F.**; with 1983 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **449** $600

1821 ** **2¢ Carmine Rose, Type I, Horizontal Rotary Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged, rich vibrant color, exceptional freshness, **F.-V.F.**; with 1990 P.F. certificate for strip and 1994 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **453** $1,450

1822 ** **2¢ Red, Type II, Horizontal Rotary Coil,** line pair, o.g., never hinged, strong bright color, **Very Fine**; with 2013 P.F. certificate **(Graded VF 80)**.
Scott No. **454** $850

1823 * **3¢ Violet, Horizontal Rotary Coil,** line pair, o.g., neatly hinged once, strong color, **fresh and Fine**; with 2000 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **456** $1,250

1824 ** **2¢ Carmine, Imperf Horizontal Coil,** pair, o.g., never hinged, wide margins and Post Office fresh, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **459** $600



1825 o **2¢ Carmine, U.S. Automatic Vending Type III Perfs,** nice neat slogan cancel, a beautifully centered example with the characteristic deep color of this rotary coil; a small corner crease which does not detract from this great rarity, **still Very Fine**; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **459**. $15,000

EXCEPTIONALLY RARE AND DESIRABLE WITH ONLY ONE OTHER EXAMPLE CERTIFIED BY THE P.F.



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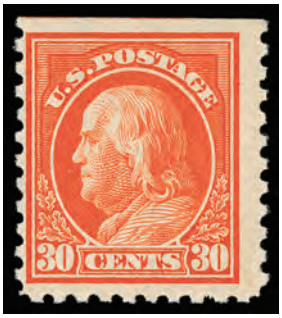
1916-1919 Washington-Franklin Issue, Unwatermarked, Perf. 10



1826 **/*❒ **15¢ Gray,** top margin plate no. "5780" block of 6 with imprint & "A", o.g., center stamps hinged, others never hinged, rich bold color, nicely centered with strong intact perfs throughout, **F.-V.F.,** only a few examples of this rare plate block exist today; with 1981 and 2017 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **475** $8,000

ONE OF THE FINER EXAMPLES OF THE EXTREMELY RARE 1916 15¢ WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN IMPRINT & "A" PLATE BLOCK.



1827 ** **30¢ Orange Red,** position 3 from the plate #6917 sheet, o.g., never hinged, natural s.e. at top, intensely deep color and very fresh, well centered for this notoriously off-centered issue with design clear of perforations at the left, **Fine and rare,** a lovely example of the rare 30¢ perf 10 Washington-Franklin issue on unwatermarked paper; with 1972 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **476A** . . . . . $4,500 for the grade of fine

1917-1919 Washington-Franklin Issue, Perf. 11

1828 B**/* **1¢ Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane of 30,** o.g., 6 stamps hinged (3 h.r.), others never hinged, rich deep color, nice overall centering for this difficult pane, one stamp with thin, **otherwise Very Fine**; with 2015 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **498f** $1,050

1829 ** **2¢ Lake, Type I,** o.g., never hinged, rich "Boston Lake" shade, **fresh and Fine**; with 2008 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **499h** $1,000

1830 **/*❒ **5¢ Rose Error,** the single error in a block of 9, o.g., top center stamp h.r., others including error never hinged, rich bright colors, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **505** . . . . . $650 for hinged

1831 **❒ **5¢ Rose Error,** the single error in a block of 9, o.g., never hinged, strong color, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **505** $1,000



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1832 **❒ **5¢ Rose Error,** the double error in a block of 12, o.g., never hinged, well centered, bright and fresh with intact perfs all around, **Very Fine and choice,** a difficult multiple to find so nice, *ex-Harmer Rooke, Nov. 14th 1956, lot 373*.
Scott No. **505** $2,000

1833 o❒ **5¢ Rose Error,** the double error in a block of 12, light oval cancels, strong brilliant color, some rejoined perforations at left, **otherwise Very Fine,** a extremely rare used multiple, this is one of three examples certified by the Philatelic Foundation; with 1988 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **505** $3,000

1918-1923 Issues



1834 * **$2 Orange Red & Black,** full o.g., exceptional centering amid large margins, rich colors and very fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a stunning high value; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **523** $500

1835 o❒ **$2 Orange Red & Black,** block of 4, Brooklyn, N.Y. town cancels, strong colors, exceptional centering with right stamps amid huge margins, **Extremely Fine and choice,** certainly one of the finest used block known.
Scott No. **523** $1,300

1836 **❒ **2¢ Carmine, Offset Imperf, Type V,** top margin plate no. "11260" block of 6, o.g., never hinged, large evenly balanced margins, vibrant color, **Extremely Fine,** a choice offset issue plate block in never hinged condition; with 1995 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **533** $1,800

1837 **/*❒ **2¢ Carmine, Offset Imperf, Type VI,** top margin plate block of 6, o.g., top center stamp hinged, deep color, large well balanced margins, **Extremely Fine,** *ex-Edson Fifield, Dec. 3rd 1957, lot 592*.
Scott No. **534A** $400



1838 o **2¢ Carmine Rose, Type II, Rotary Coil Waste, Perf 11 X 10,** light town cancels, strong color, **Fine**; with 1995 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **539**. $17,500

AN EXTREMELY RARE SOUND USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1919 2¢ TYPE II ROTARY COIL WASTE PERF 11 X 10 ISSUE.

This series was issued in June of 1919 and is the result of 170 subject coil sheets which had been perforated 10 vertically, but were remainders or and oversupply. The sheets were taken and perforated 11 horizontally on a flat plate perforator and issued in sheets of 170 subjects. Many sheets were defective as far as coil production was concerned but could be saved as sheet stamps.



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1839 o **1¢ Green, Rotary Sheet Waste, Perf 11,** wavy line machine cancel, with perfs just clear of design at right, rich color, **Fine,** an attractive example of this notoriously off-centered sheet waste issue; with 1996 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **544** . . . . . $3,500 for the grade of fine



1840 o **1¢ Green, Rotary Sheet Waste, Perf 11,** wavy line machine cancel, particularly well centered for this notoriously off-centered issue, strong vivid color, **Very Fine**; with 1956 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **544** . . . . . $3,500 for the grade of fine

A CHOICE USED EXAMPLE OF THIS SCARCE 1923 1¢ PERF 11 ROTARY SHEET WASTE ISSUE.

This rare sheet waste issue is the result of a small stack of 1¢ rotary sheets that were run through the perf 11x11 machine that was being used for the flat plate printings at that time. It was not discovered until 1936 when three used examples came to light.



1841 o **1¢ Green, Rotary Sheet Waste, Perf 11,** Peoria, Il. precancel, perfs a bit into frameline at bottom, rich bold color, **Fine**; with 2009 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **544** . . . . . $3,500 for the grade of fine

1842 *❒ **1¢ Green, Rotary Coil Waste, Perf 11,** top margin plate no. "11766" block of 4 and "S30" imprint, o.g., lightly hinged, strong color, **Very Fine and scarce,** *ex-Kelleher, May 12th 1956, lot 366.*
Scott No. **545** $1,100

1922-1925 Regular Issue

1843 **/*❒ **$1 Violet Black & $2 Deep Blue,** arrow blocks of 4, o.g., $1 lightly hinged at top, others never hinged ($2 gum skips in top stamps), both bright and fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **571** $700

1844 P **$2 Deep Blue, Large Die Proof on India,** modified to 33 x 31 mm, attractive, deep rich color, fresh, **Extremely Fine,** rarely offered in any size.
Scott No. **572P1** $2,500

1845 **/*❒ **$5 Carmine & Blue,** centerline block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged at top, bottom stamps never hinged, choice overall centering, rich vibrant colors, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **573** . . . . . $540 for singles



1846 **❒ **$5 Carmine & Blue,** top margin plate block of 8 with two plate numbers and guide arrow, o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering, rich radiant colors and Post Office freshness, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **573** $2,600

A GEM NEVER HINGED PLATE BLOCK OF THE 1923 $5 AMERICA ISSUE.

1847 **/*❒ **$5 Carmine Lake & Dark Blue,** top margin plate block of 8 with two plate numbers and guide arrow, o.g., very lightly hinged in selvage and one stamp, others never hinged, intense colors, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce and seldom offered plate block.
Scott No. **573a** $2,625

1923-2011 Issues

1848 *❒ **1923, 1¢ Green, Rotary Coil Waste,** top plate block of 4, o.g., hinge remnant at top, bottom stamps lightly hinged, extraordinary centering for this very difficult plate block, fresh and bright color, **Extremely Fine,** choice.
Scott No. **578** $1,100



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1849 o **1923, 1¢ Green, Rotary Coil Waste,** light boxed slogan cancel, perfs just into frameline at left, rich bright color, **Fine and attractive,** Scott catalog value for stamp with perforations just touching frameline on one side; with 2008 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **594** $10,500

A HANDSOME SOUND AND LIGHTLY CANCELED EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1923 1¢ GREEN ROTARY COIL WASTE PERF 11 ISSUE.

The coil waste issues came about from the unusable portions (or waste) the derived when producing coils from the horizontal rotary printings. In the case of the 1923 1¢ coil waste (594) the waste had not been previously perforated and therefore were entirely perforated with the flat plate perforator which gauged 11x11. Since the Bureau did not consider this "coil waste" a different issue, no formal announcement was issues prior to their release. It wasn't until 1925 that this issue was discovered in used condition and by the next year only four examples were on record.

1850 o **1923, 1¢ Green, Rotary Coil Waste,** light wavy line machine cancel, rich color, perfs in at right, **about Fine,** Scott catalog value for perforations just touching frameline on one side; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **594** $10,500



1851 o **1923, 1¢ Green, Rotary Sheet Waste,** "Kansas City, Mo." Bureau precancel, rich color, centered to right with perfs just touching to clear, light stain in top margin which has been removed, **Fine**; with 1975 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **596** . . . . . $130,000 for the grade of fine

AN ATTRACTIVE EXAMPLE OF THE 1923 1¢ ROTARY SHEET WASTE PERF 11 (SCOTT 596) ISSUE - A GREAT 20TH CENTURY RARITY WITH ONLY FIFTEEN EXAMPLES RECORDED.

This is without question the rarest United States issue of the 20th century. It was probably produced during the middle of 1924 however it was only discovered in 1962. This issue was the result of "coil waste" but rather than made from horizontal coil sheets, such as Scott #578-579 and #594-595, this issue was made from vertical coil waste sheets. The difference being in the measurement of the design as the horizontal coil design is wider since the plates have been stretched by curving them in that direction in order to fit the cylinder on the rotary press. In the same fashion, the vertical coil plates were curved in the vertical direction causing the design to stretch vertically.

To date, the Siegel census now contains fifteen examples of this issue of which over half are deemed faulty.



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Ex 1843



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1852 ** **1929, 2¢ Carmine, Horizontal Coil, Types II & I,** line pair (left stamp type I, right stamp type II), o.g., never hinged, rich color, P.O. fresh, **F.-V.F.**; with 2013 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **599A,599** $1,350

1853 ** **White Plains Souvenir Sheet,** excellent centering throughout, o.g., never hinged, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **630** $575

1854 F❐ **1932, 2¢ Carmine, Offset Litho Forgery,** block of 6, o.g., five stamps never hinged, centering as always, bright and fresh, **Fine,** a very rare multiple and may well be one of the largest multiples known.
Scott No. **634(CF1)** . . . . . $900 for block of 4

1855 ** **1928, 2¢ Carmine, Rotary, Type II,** o.g., never hinged, rich color and well centered, **Very Fine and choice**; with 1997 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **634A** $600

1856 **❐ **1928, 2¢ Dark Carmine, Rotary, Type II,** left margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, deep color, **Fine,** very uncommon in the dark carmine shade; with 2013 P.S.E. certificate.
Scott No. **634A** . . . . . $2,400 for singles

1857 ** **1929, Kans., 1¢ to 10¢ Complete,** 13 complete sets, o.g., never hinged, all fresh with strong colors, **generally F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **658-668** $5,610

1858 ** **1929, 6¢ Kans.,** o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering with evenly balanced margins, strong color, **Extremely Fine to Superb**; with 2005 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded XF-Sup 95, SMQ $375)**.
Scott No. **664** $50



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Ex 1857



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Ex 1861



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1859 ** **3¢ Wisconsin, Imperf Vertically,** left margins horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and pristine with wide margins and perfect centering, rich color, **Superb,** very scarce with approximately 80 pairs reported; with 2016 P.F. and 2013 P.S.A.G. certificates **(both Graded S 98)**.
Scott No. **739b** $1,750

WITHOUT QUESTION ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THE 1934 3¢ WISCONSIN IMPERF VERTICALLY ISSUE EXTANT.



1860 ** **7¢ Parks, Imperf Vertically,** horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, well centered amid wide margins, very fresh, **Extremely Fine,** very scarce in never hinged condition, rare and undercataloged as such, with only 50 pairs issued; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **746a** $2,000

AN EXCEPTIONAL NEVER HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1934 7¢ PARKS IMPERFORATE VERTICALLY VARIETY.



Ex 1864



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1861 **❐ **$1-$5 Presidentials,** top margin plate blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, hand-selected for choice centering and wide margins, **an Extremely Fine set.**
Scott No. **832-834** $505

1862 **❐ **$5 Presidential,** centerline block of 4, o.g., never hinged, exceptional centering and P.O. fresh, **Superb**; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate **(Graded 98)**.
Scott No. **834** $375

1863 ** **$5 Hamilton,** right margin single, o.g., never hinged, perfect centering and margins, **a Superb gem**; with 2014 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded Gem 100, SMQ $550)**.
Scott No. **1053** $50

1864 **❐ **$5 Hamilton,** matched position set (4) of plate no. "25367" blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **1053** $880

1865 ** **1972, 8¢ Tom Sawyer, Red & Black Omitted,** corner margin strip of 3, o.g., never hinged, **fresh and Very Fine,** only 150 issued.
Scott No. **1470b** $2,400

1866 **❐ **2004, 37¢ American Choreographers, Pane of 20, Misprinted and Miscut,** showing five Balanchine stamps (3843) and half of five de Mille stamps (3842) at left, lower center plate position and diagram at center and 10 blank stamps at right, crease in selvage at right no doubt during the production of this error, **Very Fine,** believed to be unique, the listing example in Scott (but unpriced).
Scott No. **3843c** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

1867 ▲❐ **2010 (44¢) Forever Holiday Evergreens, Die Cutting Omitted,** se-tenant block of 4, tied on piece by 2011 Green Bay, Wis. wavy-line machine postmark, full margins, **Very Fine,** a very rare contemporary used example of this elusive se-tenant error block, listed but unpriced in Scott; with 2017 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **4481c** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

1868 ** **2011 (44¢) American Scientists, Die Cutting Missing on Backing Paper,** from misaligned die-cutting mat, top horizontal strip of 4 in complete se-tenant sheet of 20, **Very Fine,** a rare error, listed but unpriced in Scott.
Scott No. **4544b** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Airmail Issues

1869 **❐ **1918, 24¢ Carmine Rose & Blue,** top margin plate block of 12 with plate no.'s "8493" & "8492", double "Top" and arrow, o.g., never hinged, fresh with strong colors, **Fine.**
Scott No. **C3** $2,000

1870 *❐ **1918, 24¢ Carmine Rose & Blue,** top margin plate block of 12 with plate no.'s "8493" & "8492", double "Top" and arrow, o.g., lightly hinged, strong colors, bottom left stamp with perf flaw at left, **otherwise Fine.**
Scott No. **C3** $1,250



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1871 F❒ **1918, 24¢ Carmine Rose & Blue, Center Inverted, Peter Winter Engraved Forgery,** block of 4, without gum, rich colors, **Fine,** a very scarce forgery.
Scott No. **C3a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Peter Winter of Bremen apparently began offering forgeries sometime in the early 1980's. By 1985 he had arranged to launch a major marketing scheme. A catalog was issued under the name ProPhilForum picturing and pricing forgeries of many classic stamps, about 185 different in total with an addition of 31 cover fronts. The forgeries themselves were produced by an art printer in Germany. Mostly they were photolithographs, but a few were engraved.

1872 F **1918, 24¢ Carmine Rose & Blue, Center Inverted, Peter Winter Engraved Forgery,** circular town cancel, **Fine,** one of only a handful of "used" examples created by Winter.
Scott No. **C3a** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



1873 ** **1923, 16¢ Dark Blue,** o.g., never hinged, large evenly balanced margins and precision centering, rich color and pristine freshness, **Superb,** a wonderful gem; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded Superb 98, SMQ $1,350)**.
Scott No. **C5**. $130

1874 **❒ **1923, 16¢ Dark Blue,** block of 9, o.g., never hinged, bold color, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C5**. $1,080



1875 **❒ **1923, 16¢ Dark Blue,** bottom margin plate no. "14828" block of 6, o.g., never hinged, with lightened signature of Postmaster General Harry S. New in margin, choice allover centering, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **C5**. $2,150

1876 **/*❒ **1923, 24¢ Carmine,** bottom margin plate no. "14843" block of 6, o.g., top left and bottom center stamps lightly hinged, others never hinged, strong color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C6**. $1,850



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Ex 1877



Ex 1878

1877 ** **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** o.g., never hinged, rich colors, **a Very Fine and choice set**; each with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,750

1878 ** **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** plate number singles, o.g., never hinged ($2.60 small natural gum skips), nice overall centering, **a Very Fine set**; each with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,750

1879 ** **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** o.g., never hinged, rich colors, **an F.-V.F. set**; each with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,750

1880 * **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** full o.g., deep rich colors, **a Very Fine set.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,165

1881 * **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** 65¢ left margin plate no. single, o.g., lightly hinged, rich colors, all fresh, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** $1,105

1882 **❒ **1930, Graf Zeppelin Complete,** right margin blocks of 4 with plate numbers, o.g., never hinged, rich colors and well matching centering, $1.30 with tiny margin tear and corner crease in bottom right stamp, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **C13-C15** . . . . . $7,000 for n.h. singles

1883 ** **1930, $1.30 Graf Zeppelin,** o.g., never hinged, wide margins, **fresh and Very Fine**; with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **C14** $575

1884 * **1930, $2.60 Graf Zeppelin,** left margin plate number single, o.g. (glazed gum), choice centering, deep color, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **C15** $575

1885 o **1972, 11¢ City of Refuge, Blue & Green Omitted,** top margin single, contemporary slogan machine cancel, **Very Fine,** only 92 examples reported, this maybe one of the only examples in used condition; with 1975 A.P.S. certificate.
Scott No. **C84a** . . . . . $600 for mint

1886 **❒ **2012, $1.05 Amish Horse and Buggy, Die Cutting Omitted on Front,** complete sheet of 20, **Very Fine,** a rare intact sheet.
Scott No. **C150a** . . . . . $7,000 for pairs



Ex 1879



Ex 1880



Ex 1881



Ex 1882



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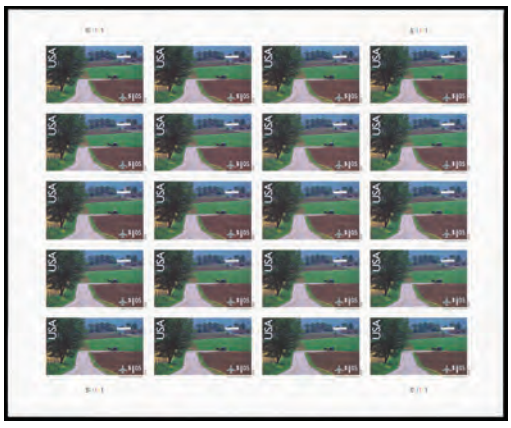

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1900



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Ex 1902



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Special Delivery

1887 * **1885, 10¢ Blue,** top right corner margin horizontal pair with plate no. 496, o.g., small hinge remnants, deep bold color, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce plate number pair.
Scott No. **E1** $1,100

1888 ** **1888, 10¢ Blue,** o.g., never hinged (minute gum skip), rich bold color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **E2** $1,150

1889 ** **1893, 10¢ Orange,** bottom right corner margin plate number "552" strip of 4 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, rich bright color, stamps within oversized margins, natural gum wrinkles, **Extremely Fine**, an attractive and rare plate strip.
Scott No. **E3** $4,250

1890 **/*❒ **1902, 10¢ Ultramarine,** block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged at top, bottom stamps never hinged, attractive centering, strong bold color, **fresh and nearly Very Fine.**
Scott No. **E6** . . . . . $1,510 for singles

1891 E **1908, 10¢ Woodblock Essay, with Background Printing,** woodblock essay of entire design on yellowish wove in dull grey blue with dull grey blue background, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Scott No. **E7-E4a var.** $450

1892 * **1908, 10¢ Green, Full Sheet of 70,** o.g., most n.h., however the sheet is hinged on black backing sheet with some perf separations and hinge reinforcements (Cat. $5920 as 58 hinged singles and two hinged Plate Blocks), **F.-V.F. and one of the few remaining sheets.**
Scott No. **E7** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

1893 **❒ **1908, 10¢ Green,** bottom right stamp well centered, left margin block of 4 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **E7** . . . . . $560 as n.h. singles

1894 **❒ **1908, 10¢ Green,** bottom block of 21 with three rows of the pane including plate number "4917" and imprint block and showing initials "J.P.P." of siderographer John P. Prender at left, o.g., never hinged, bottom left and right stamps with minor stain spots, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **E7** $3,500

1895 * **1908, 10¢ Green, Plate Block Selection,** group of 10 plate blocks with imprint and plate number, 3 top plates, two left plates, two bottom and three right margin plates, o.g., many o.g., n.h. stamps, **Fine.**
Scott No. **E7** $10,750

1896 **/* **1908, 10¢ Green, Blocks of 4,** group of 13 blocks of four with many o.g., n.h. stamps, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **E7** . . . . . $3,900 as hinged blocks

1897 * **1908, 10¢ Green, Position Piece Group,** nice lot which includes 5 imprint and plate strips of three, 10 imprint or plate number pairs, one plate block of six, one imprint & plate number strip of 5, and one imprint block of 4, a nice lot worth inspection, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Scott No. **E7** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

1898 **❒ **1911, 10¢ Ultramarine,** bottom margin plate no. "5514" block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged (gum skips in selvage barely affecting a couple stamps), rich deep color, wide margins, **F.-V.F.,** a rare plate block in never hinged condition.
Scott No. **E8** $2,750



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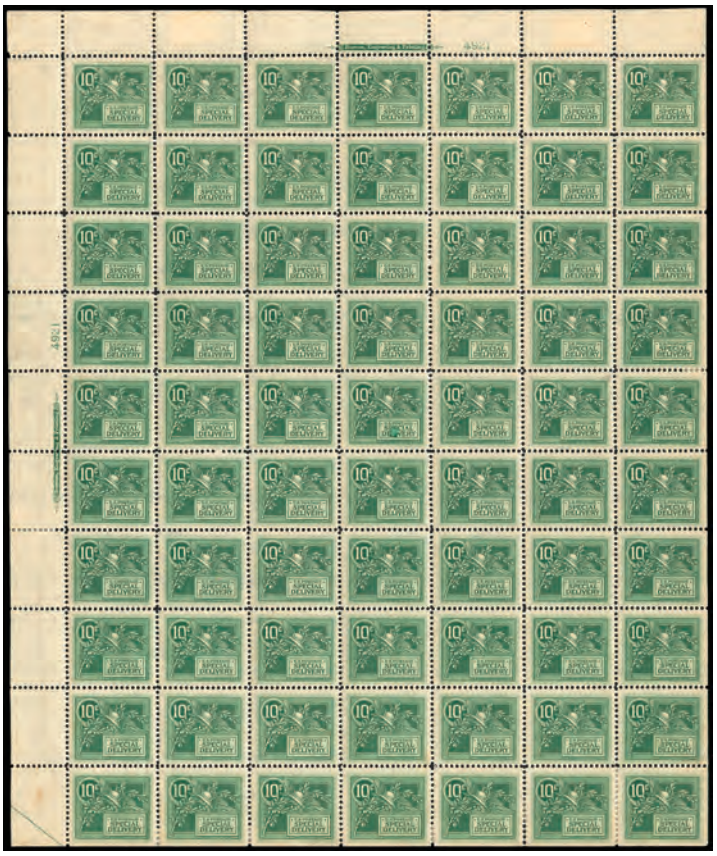

1892



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Ex 1896



Ex 1897



Ex 1895



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Postage Due



1899 * **1879, 50¢ Deep Brown, Special Printing,** o.g., hinge remnants, natural s.e. at left, distinctive deep brown color, **F.-V.F.,** a handsome example of the rare 50¢ Postage Due Special Printing, an estimate of no more than 179 examples of this special printing where ever issued; with 2016 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **J14** $7,000

1900 * **1912, 50¢ Deep Claret,** o.g., small hinge remnants, rich bold color, bright and fresh, **Fine and scarce**; with 2011 Weiss certificate.
Scott No. **J50** $1,100

1901 o❐ **1914, 30¢ Carmine Lake,** left margin plate block of 6 with imprint and star, Minneapolis, Minn. precancels, deep color, **Fine and scarce.**
Scott No. **J57** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

Offices in China

1902 * **1919, 2¢ to $2 Complete,** o.g., strong colors throughout, **an F.-V.F. set.**
Scott No. **K1-K16** $1,920

1903 * **1919, 2¢ on 1¢ - 60¢ on 30¢ Offices in China Issues,** plate blocks of 6, o.g., some with hinge remnants, rich colors throughout, some oxidation on 12¢ on 6¢, **Fine.**
Scott No. **K1-K14** $10,950

1904 *❐ **1919, 2¢ on 1¢ - 60¢ on 30¢ Offices in China Issues,** left or right margin plate blocks of 6, o.g., some with hinge remnants, strong colors throughout, some oxidation on 12¢ on 6¢ and natural paper wrinkle affecting two stamps on 60¢ on 30¢, **Fine.**
Scott No. **K1-K14** $10,950

1905 **/*❐ **1919, 2¢ on 1¢ Green,** ten plate blocks of 6 each with a **different plate number** (#'s 8431, 9478, 13219, 13220, 132222, 13257, 13301, 13318, 13342 & 13343), o.g., couple plates never hinged, one plate with margin staple tear, **a F.-V.F. plate group.**
Scott No. **K1**. $3,600

1906 **/*❐ **1919, 2¢ on 1¢ - 14¢ on 7¢ Offices in China Issues,** plate blocks of 6, o.g., hinged, 3¢ block never hinged, rich colors, 12¢ on 6¢ oxidized, **otherwise F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **K1-K7** $4,875

1907 **❐ **1919, 2¢ on 1¢ Green,** top margin plate no. "13318" block of 6, o.g., never hinged, wide margins, rich deep color, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **K1**. $600

1908 **/*❐ **1919, 4¢ on 2¢ Rose,** 10 plate blocks of 6 each with a **different plate number** (#'s 9190, 9198, 9199, 9200, 13438, 13440, 13534, 13535, 13540 & 13567), o.g., one plate never hinged, couple with margin faults and a few with natural flaws, **a Fine plate group.**
Scott No. **K2**. $3,300

1909 *❐ **1919, 8¢ on 4¢ -12¢ on 6¢ Offices in China Issues,** eleven plate blocks of 6, each with a **different plate numbers**; includes two 8¢ on 4¢ blocks (#'s 8496 & 8497), four 10¢ on 5¢ blocks (#'s 9116, 9117, 13272 & 13274) and six 12¢ on 6¢ blocks (#'s 7822, 7828, 7837, 13372, 13373 & 13375), o.g., few with hinge remnants, some flaws including oxidization affecting 12¢ on 6¢ blocks, **otherwise a Fine plate group.**
Scott No. **K4-K6** $7,950

1910 *❐ **1919, 14¢ on 7¢ Black,** five plate blocks of 6 each with a **different plate number** (#'s 8898, 8899, 12561, 12563 & 12564), o.g., couple with tropicalized o.g., **a F.-V.F. plate group.**
Scott No. **K7**. $5,250

1911 **/*❐ **1919, 18¢ on 9¢ - 30c on 15c Offices in China Issues,** nine plate blocks of 6, each with a **different plate numbers**; includes three 18¢ on 9¢ blocks (#'s 6922, 6918 6930), four 20¢ on 10¢ blocks (#'s 8436, 8438, 13405 & 13403) and two 30¢ on 15¢ blocks (#'s 7927 & 7929), o.g., some h.r.'s, one each of the first two values never hinged, **a Fine plate group.**
Scott No. **K9-K11** $8,375



1901



Ex 1903



Ex 1904



Ex 1905



Ex 1906



1907



Ex 1908



Ex 1909



Ex 1910



1921



1922



1923



1924



1925



1926

1912 **/* **1919, 18¢ on 9¢ Salmon Red,** right margin plate no. "11774" block of 6, o.g., hinge remnants, center stamps never hinged, strong bright color, top right stamp showing overprint anomaly at right edge of stamp design, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **K9** $700

1913 **/*❒ **1919, 18¢ on 9¢ Salmon Red,** bottom margin plate no. "11773" block of 6, o.g., central hinge remnant, stamps at sides never hinged, strong vivid color, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **K9** . . . . . $810 for singles

1914 **/*❒ **1919, 20¢ on 10¢ Orange Yellow,** right margin plate no. "13404" block of 6, o.g., hinge remnant, bottom stamps never hinged, attractively centered, rich bold color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **K10** $725

1915 **❒ **1919, 20¢ on 10¢ Orange Yellow,** left margin plate no. "13404" block of 6, o.g., never hinged, rich deep color, small outer margin tear at center, **otherwise F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **K10** $1,300

1916 **/*❒ **1919, 30¢ on 15¢ Gray,** bottom margin plate no. "12590" block of 6, o.g., top stamps slightly disturbed, two stamps at bottom never hinged, bold color, bright and fresh, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **K12** $1,150

1917 *❒ **1919, 40¢ on 20¢ Deep Ultramarine,** right margin plate no. "6933" block of 6, tropicalized o.g., strong color on bright paper, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **K13** $1,300



1918 * **1919, $1 on 50¢ Light Violet,** top margin plate no. "7049" block of 6, interleaving adherence on tropicalized o.g., strong vibrant color, top right stamp with small small margin flaws at left, **Fine appearance,** a very rare and seldom offered plate block; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **K15** $17,500



1919 *❒ **1919, $1 on 50¢ Light Violet,** left margin plate no. "7049" block of 6, tropicalized o.g., strong bright color, top left stamp showing dash at lower right of "1" variety, small internal crease in bottom right stamp, **otherwise Fine**; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **K15** $17,500

AN ATTRACTIVE AND VERY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE $1 ON 50¢ OFFICES IN CHINA ISSUE.

1920 **/*❒ **1922, 2¢ on 1¢ Green,** six plate blocks of 6 each with a **different plate number** (#'s 10584, 10595, 10600, 11729, 11790 & 11792), o.g., couple with h.r.'s, three plates never hinged, all bright and fresh, **a Fine plate group.**
Scott No. **K17** $7,800

Officials

1921 S **Justice Dept., 1875 Special Printing, 1¢ Purple, Overprinted "Sepcimen" (Error),** exceptionally well centered; small faults, without gum as issued, **Extremely Fine appearance,** very rare; with 2000 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **O25SDa** $1,900

1922 S **Justice Dept., 1875 Special Printing, 10¢ Purple, Overprinted "Specimen",** brilliant fresh color; scissors separated but with intact perfs, without gum as issued, **Fine,** only 163 sold; with 1998 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **O29SD** $1,250

1923 S **Navy Dept., 1875 Special Printing, 1¢ Ultramarine, Overprinted "Sepcimen" (Error),** without gum as issued, a fresh crisp example, **F.-V.F.,** extremely rare; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **O35SDa** $2,500



Ex 1911



1912



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Ex 1920



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Ex 1933



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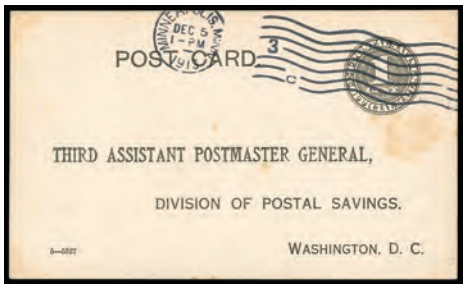

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1924 S **Navy Dept., 1875 Special Printing, 1¢ Ultramarine, Overprinted "Sepcimen" (Error),** without gum as issued, choice centering with wide margins, a rare stamp; few short perfs do not detract, **otherwise Extremely Fine,** *ex-"Lake Shore"* .
Scott No. **O35SDa** $2,750

1925 P **State Dept., 1873, 3¢ Green, Small Die Proof ("Panama-Pacific"),** slightly dry print, **Very Fine and rare,** a handsome addition to any official collection, rare, only 3-5 known.
Scott No. **O59P2a** $600

1926 S **Treasury Dept., 1875 Special Printing, 30¢ Dark Brown, Overprinted "Specimen",** without gum as issued, deep rich color, completely sound, **F.-V.F.,** rare - only 74 sold.; with 2006 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **O81SD** $1,600

Newspaper Stamps

1927 (*) **1875 Special Printing, 24¢ Pale Rose,** without gum as issued, rich bright color on fresh paper, **Fine,** very scarce with only 411 stamps sold; with 2017 Crowe certificate.
Scott No. **PR41** $2,100

1928 (*) **1875 Special Printing, 84¢ Pale Rose,** without gum as issued, strong brilliant color on bright fresh paper, **Fine and rare,** a difficult special printing issue to obtain in sound condition, with only 164 issued; with 2003 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **PR46** $5,250

The 1875 $1.92 Continental Bank Note Newspaper Special Printing



1929 (*) **1875 Special Printing, $1.92 Dark Brown,** without gum as issued, beautiful intensely rich color on fresh bright paper, well centered for this difficult issue, **F.-V.F.**; with 1992, 2007 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates.
Scott No. **PR48** $20,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 1875 $1.92 SPECIAL PRINTING ISSUE WITH ONLY 41 SOLD.

1930 * **1879-94, 8¢, 12¢ & $24, Privately Perforated Special Printings,** full o.g., rich colors, 12¢ & $24 with thin, **F.-V.F. appearance,** these privately perforated Special Printings where produced in very small numbers and are extremely rare; each with P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **PR61, PR76, PR82 vars.** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

1931 ** **1894, 4¢ Intense Black,** o.g., never hinged, unusually wide margins, fresh with bold color, **F.-V.F.,** a big stamp; with 2004 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **PR92** $1,275

The Rare 1894 $3 Bureau Newspaper Issue



1932 * **1894, $3 Scarlet,** full o.g., hinge remnant, rich vivid color, small thin at top and reperforated at right, **Very Fine appearance**; with 1979 & 2009 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **PR100** $50,000

AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE ORIGINAL GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1894 $3 BUREAU NEWSPAPER ISSUE.

1933 **/* **1913, 1¢ to $1 Complete,** o.g., hinged 2¢, 20¢ (h.r.'s) and $1 (l.h.), others never hinged, well centered throughout, 25¢ with small facial scuff, **otherwise a Very Fine set**; 20¢ with 1989 P.S.E. certificate for block and $1 with 1985 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **Q1-Q12** $1,701

1934 B** **1912, 97¢ Booklet, Green on Lavender Cover,** complete and unexploded, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, vertical wrinkle in front and back cover, **Fine.**
Scott No. **BK33** $1,750

1935 B** **1912, 73¢ Booklet, Red Cover,** complete and unexploded, o.g., never hinged, slight scuffing on back cover, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce intact booklet.
Scott No. **BK34** $3,000



1941



1942



1943



1944



1945



1946



1936 (*)❒ **California Penny Post Co., 1855, 5¢ Blue,** sheet of 20 with two panes of 10 with gutter between panes, without gum, large margins at top and bottom with full sheet margins at sides, tiny thin spot bottom right and light corner creases in right selvage not mention on cert, **Extremely Fine,** *ex-Lilly, Boker and Golden*; with 2007 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **34L2** . . . . . Estimate $2,000 - 3,000

THE LARGEST KNOWN MULTIPLE OF THE CALIFORNIA PENNY POST 5¢ CITY DELIVERY ADHESIVE ISSUE.



1947



1948



1949



Ex 1953



Ex 1954



Ex 1955

Postal Stationery

1937 * **1860, 10¢ Green,** cut square, large margins, **fresh and Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U32** $1,250

1938 E **1929, 5¢ Blue Airmail Stamped Envelope, Essay on Bond Proof,** full sized with "Empire Bond" papermaker's watermark (215x280mm), **fresh and Extremely Fine,** one of the **only two recorded examples of this essay**.
Undersander No. **EAM1BC** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1939 * **1873, 1¢ Brown on Buff,** watermarked Large U.S.P.O.D., minor faint toning on reverse, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **UX1** $400

1940 o **1913, 1¢ Black,** preprinted card, short second "A" in Assistant plate variety, canceled by Minneapolis, Minn., Dec 5, 1913 machine postmark; some light toning, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **UZ1** $500

Revenue Issues

1941 * **1862, 1¢ Express, Part Perf,** partially perforated strip of four, o.g., scarce multiple; light crease between first and second stamps, light crease on second stamp, small oil spot on third stamp, scarce multiple., **Fine.**
Scott No. **R1b** . . . . . $400 as 2 used pairs

1942 ▲ **1862, 70¢ Foreign Exchange, Part Perf,** horizontal pair, scarce part perf pair on piece with R63c and R24c (2 singles), **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **R65b** $950

1943 o **Documentary, 1942, $60 Carmine,** light manuscript cancel, fresh; usual natural straight edge at right and top, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **R357** $1,500

1944 o **Documentary, 1952, $2,500 Carmine,** fresh and attractive, handstamp date cancel; usual natural straight edge at right, small trivial surface scuff at bottom left, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **R617** $275

1945 o **Documentary, 1952, $10,000 Carmine,** handstamp and light cut cancels; usual natural straight edge at right; neatly reperforated at bottom, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **R619** $1,200

1946 o **Documentary, 1952, $10,000 Carmine,** handstamp, manuscript and cut cancels; usual straight edge at right and bottom; a couple insignificant tiny staple holes, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **R619** $1,200

1947 o **Playing Cards, 1917, 7¢ on 2¢ Blue,** ample to large margins all around, a couple flaws, **otherwise F.-V.F.,** a very scarce stamp.
Scott No. **RF7** $1,100

1948 o **Playing Cards, 1919, 8¢ on 2¢ Blue,** inverted overprint as always, mostly large margins except at right, **Fine,** a very difficult stamp to find in sound condition.
Scott No. **RF15** $650

1949 o **Silver Tax, 1941, $100 Gray,** rich color, wide margins, unobtrusive manuscript cancel; usual natural straight edge at right, tiny perf thin at left, without gum as issued, **still Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RG80** $700



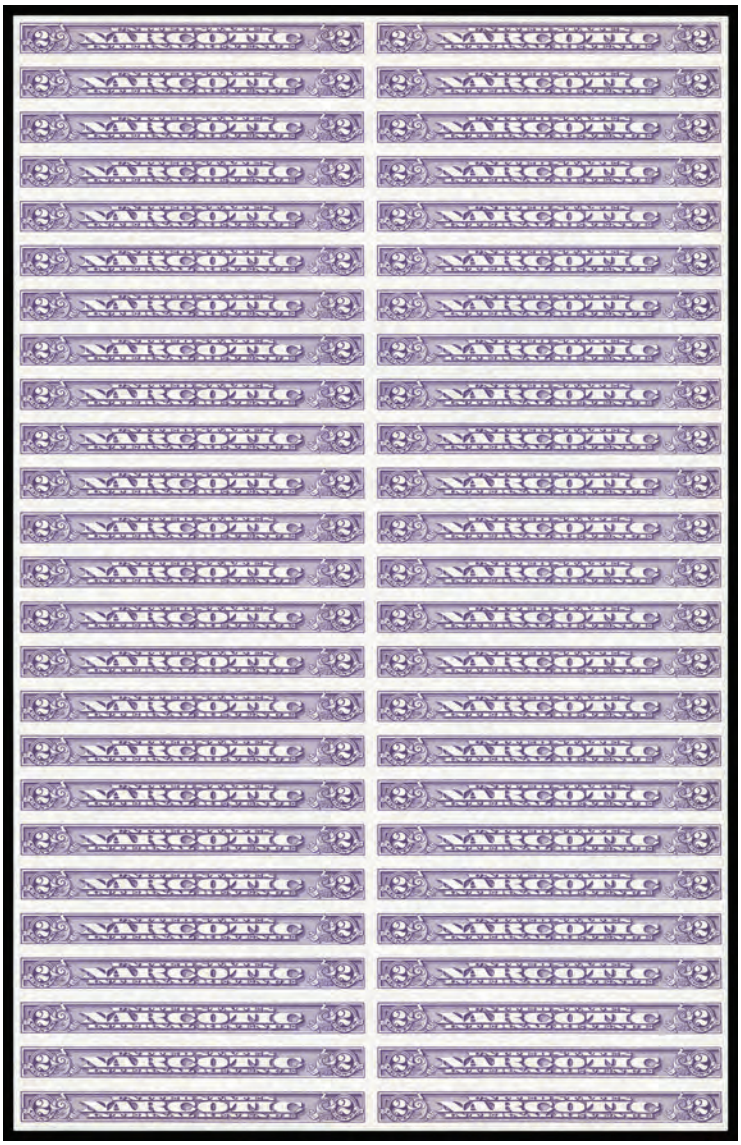
1950 o **Silver Tax, 1942, $500 Gray,** attractive light magenta handstamp and blue manuscript cancels, wonderfully well centered, a couple of nibbed perfs and very faint crease, **otherwise Very Fine,** an extremely rare stamp and seldom offered; with 2017 P.F. and 2003 A.P.S. certificates.
Scott No. **RG106** $6,000

1951 **❒ **Narcotic Tax, 1963, 2¢ Violet, Imperf,** complete sheet of 50, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** a scarce intact sheet.
Scott No. **RJA80a** $8,750

1952 **❒ **Narcotic Tax, 1963, 2¢ Violet, Imperf,** complete sheet of 50, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, **Very Fine,** a scarce intact sheet (no photo).
Scott No. **RJA80a** $8,750

1953 ** **Marihuana Tax, 1962 $1-$10 Complete Set,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **RJM5-7** $1,275

1954 ** **Marihuana Tax, 1937, $1-$10 Complete Set,** o.g., never hinged, bright fresh colors, $5 with gum crease, **Fine.**
Scott No. **RJM1-3** $1,300



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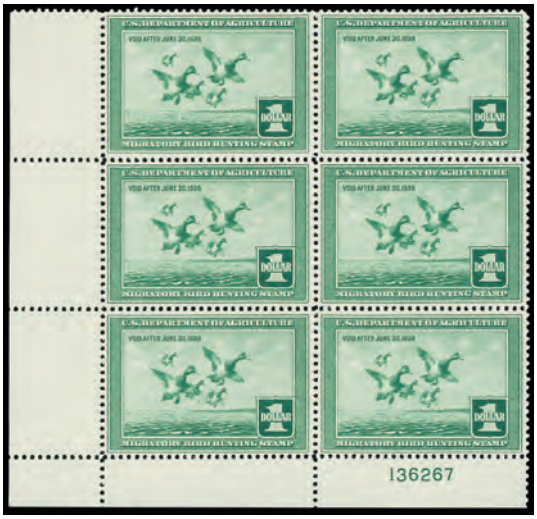

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1955 o **Distilled Spirits Excise Tax, 1950, 1¢ to $50,000 Complete,** several with minor staple holes, RX23 has slight margin crease, **otherwise Very Fine,** a scarce complete used set.
Scott No. **RX1-RX25** $1,578

Duck Stamps

1956 **❐ **1934, $1 Mallards,** top margin block of 6 with plate number, o.g., never hinged (line gum skip affecting right stamps, rich color, **fresh and Fine.**
Scott No. **RW1** $4,500

1957 ** **1936, $1 Canada Geese,** top margin plate number single, o.g., never hinged (tiny natural gum skips), choice centering, **a Very Fine to Extremely Fine jumbo**; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded VF-XF 85J, SMQ $425)**.
Scott No. **RW3** $350

1958 **❐ **1936, $1 Canada Geese,** bottom margin block of 6 with plate number, o.g., never hinged (some light gum bends), rich color, **fresh and F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **RW3** $1,950

1959 **❐ **1937, $1 Scaup Ducks,** corner margin block of 6 with plate number, o.g., never hinged, fresh with bold color, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **RW4** $1,650

1960 ** **1971, $3 Cinnamon Teals,** 22 singles, o.g., never hinged, includes grade 85 (5), 90 (7), 95 (7) and 98 (3), **Extremely Fine overall**; each with P.S.E. certificate **(Graded 85 to 98, SMQ $2,120)**.
Scott No. **RW38**. $935

1961 B* **1941, $5 Cotton Order Booklet,** complete unexploded booklet of 5 panes of four of the 25¢ black "U.S.D.A." issue, signed in pencil, cover wear, **F.-V.F.,** a very scarce intact booklet.
Springer No. **1G5** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1962 ** **1913 Christmas Seal, Type I,** o.g., never hinged, **Very Fine,** a lovely example of this very rare key Christmas Seal issue.
Scott No. **WX11**. $1,400



1957



1958



1961



1962



Ex 1960



1963



1964



1965



1966

Encased Postage

1963 * **Take Ayer's Pills, 1¢,** beautiful intact mica, **Extremely Fine,** a wonderfully choice encased postage issue. Hodders & Bowers No. 17.
Scott No. **EP8** $500

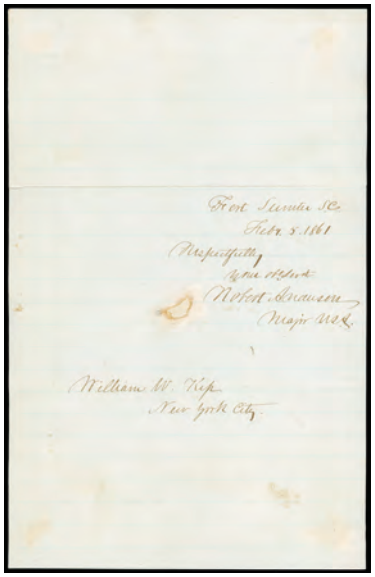
1964 * **Ayer's Sarsaparilla, 1¢, Medium "Ayer's",** stamp well centered, small crack in mica at top, **still Very Fine.** Hodders & Bowers No. 28.
Scott No. **EP13** $500

Misc. Currency

1965 **1830's John Roots Bitters "Advertising Scrip",** an attractive "Choice Fine" example of this Match and Medicine related "money"; Rare; PMG graded and encased **Choice Fine 15**.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1966 * **1862, 5¢ Brown, Imperf Edges,** horizontal strip of 5, usual circulation wear and creases, **Fine and scarce multiple.**
Scott No. **PC5** . . . . . $425 for singles





1967 ✉ **Major Robert Anderson Turned Cover,** addressed **in the hand of Major Robert Anderson, Commander of Fort Sumter**, to New York City, franked with 1857, 3¢ dull red (lower right corner nick) canceled by grid handstamp, matching "Charleston, S.C., Feb 6, 1861" cds, **with original signed enclosure datelined "Fort Sumter, S.C., Feby. 5, 1861"**, with inside of cover initially addressed and hand-carried to "Majr. Robert Anderson, Fort Sumter" **in the hand of David F. Jamison - President of the Secession Convention**; small cover tear at top, accompanied by a second cover addressed in the hand of Major Robert Anderson to Westchester, N.Y. on January 15, 1861 which is probably the first postmark date after mail service resumed from the fort (non-contemporary docketing and slight soiling), **F.-V.F.**; signed Brian Green, with 2014 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $2,500 - 3,500

A RARE AUTOGRAPHED LETTER AND COVER SENT BY MAJOR ROBERT ANDERSON DURING THE SIEGE OF FORT SUMTER.

On December 26, 1860, Major Robert Anderson of the U.S. Army surreptitiously moved his small command from the vulnerable Fort Moultrie on Sullivan's Island to Fort Sumter, a substantial fortress built on an island controlling the entrance of Charleston Harbor. An attempt by U.S. President James Buchanan to reinforce and resupply Anderson using the unarmed merchant ship Star of the West failed when it was fired upon by shore batteries on January 9, 1861. Mail exchange was stopped by the Confederates from Fort Sumter from January 1st to the 14th and resumed thereafter.

Patriotic Covers

1968 ✉ **Col. Geary,** portrait patriotic design on cover to N.J., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose tied by "Philadelphia, Pa., Jul 25, 1863" cds; cover tears, **Fine.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



1969 ✉ **The Constitution,** red and blue design with "United We Stand, Divided We Fall." below, on cover to San Juan, Cal., franked with **1859, 10¢ green, type V** tied by red "Hancock, Mi" cds and segmented target handstamp, **Very Fine,** a scarce patriotic usage to California; with 1991 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **35** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1970 ✉ **Flag,** red and blue design with "The War For The Union" slogan alongside, on cover to Connecticut, "New Orleans, La., Apr 6, 1863" cds with matching "Held For Postage" oval handstamp, franked with 1861, 3¢ rose tied by targets with additional June New Orleans cds, reverse with **"This Letter was dropped in the Post Office without stamp…" label** on backflap; light cover soiling and edge wear, **F.-V.F.,** an unusual usage.
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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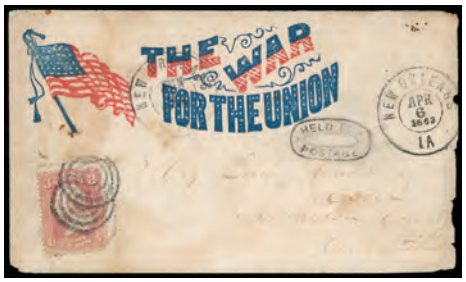

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Ex 1972



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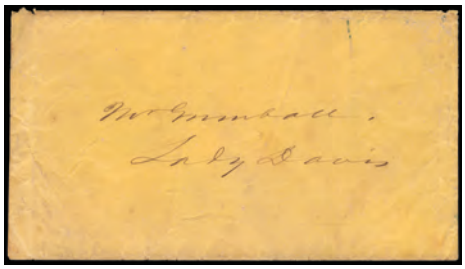

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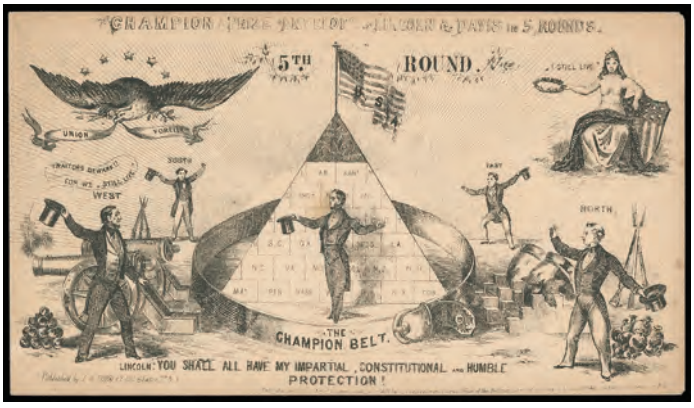
1971 ✉ **from Company #3. 1st Vet. Cavalry, N.Y.S. Vols.,** illustrated soldier and horse with camp in foreground design on cover to Campbelltown, N.Y., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** tied by "Washington D.C., Dec 17, '63" cds and target duplex, with **matching illustrated letterhead** datelined from Camp Stoneman, D.C. and mentioning Harlin's Express Co., with additional Adams Express Co. receipt, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

1972 **Generals - Illustrated Lettersheet Proofs,** set of 10 different Union Generals in black, blue and red, portrait designs with allegorical frame used for patriotic lettersheets, most with J.G. Wells imprint below, each on glazed card, most with block impressions from other prints, **Very Fine,** a rare patriotic lettersheet proof set.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1973 ✉ **The Girl Not Left Behind,** battlefield scene design showing **Women Attending to Wounded Soldier**, on cover franked with 1861, 3¢ rose tied by "Washington D.C., Oct 4, 1862" cds, Wells imprint on backflap, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **65** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



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1974 *✉ **Lincoln & Davis in 5 Rounds,** the complete set of five unused patriotic covers depicting caricature battle between the North & South, printed by J.H. Tinley, **Very Fine,** a rare and popular caricature patriotic set.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000


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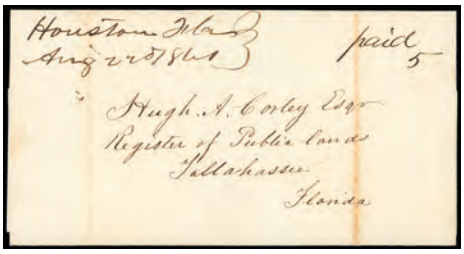
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Confederate States of America

Civil War Postal History



1975 ✉ **Adams Express Company, Knoxville, Tenn., May 2,** three strikes of oval handstamp on money letter to Abington, Va. with "Paid 4/-" (bits, 50¢) express rate, endorsed at top left "40$ from John Dobbins", trivial edge wear, **Very Fine and rare.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

1976 ✉ **(Documents) 1864-65 Confederate States of America Official Documents,** group of three to James S. Turner as administrator of the estate of Thomas Presley, 1864 certificate for $400 of Registered Bonds paying 4% datelined "Depositary Office, Chester SC 9 March 1864" signed by J.L. Hams; 1865 letter datelined "Quartermasters Office, Chester S C March 30th 1865" requesting delivery of corn and fodder; and 1865 official letterhead receipt for the corn and fodder amounting to $4736.13 signed by assist. quartermaster, **F.-V.F. trio.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

1977 ✉ **(Naval) 1861 (C.) to John Grimball C.S.N. on CSS *Lady Davis***, orange cover addressed to "Mr. Grimball, Lady Davis", carried privately and without postal markings, **Fine,** an early use to John Grimball on the *Lady Davis*.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Midshipman Grimball came back to South Carolina on leave in late 1860 and was in Charleston with his family when S.C. seceded on Dec. 20th. He immediately resigned from the U.S. Navy and joined the South Carolina Navy where he was appointed Master and assigned on Jan. 5th 1861 to the small ship "Lady Davis". Four days later Master Grimball and the "Lady Davis" were at Fort Moultrie in Charleston's harbor area when the first shot of the Civil War was fired from nearby Morris Island at the US merchantmen "Star of the West" when it attempted to resupply the Federal forces on Fort Sumter. The shots from Morris Island were heard at Fort Moultrie where S.C. forces there joined the firing.

State Postmarks



1978 ✉ **Mobile, Ala., Jun. 12, 1861,** double circle postmark on yellow advertising cover to Oroville, Ala. with boxed "Paid 5" rate handstamp, cover showing blue **cameo style corner card** for "Walker, Mead & Co., Mobile", included is printed letterhead enclosure for "Dissolution of Copartnership" between John Walker and Lucien Mead, reduced at right, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1979 ✉ **Williams Mill, Ala., Jul. 16,** bold cds on 1861 folded cover to Tallahassee, Fla. with manuscript "Paid 5¢" rate, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

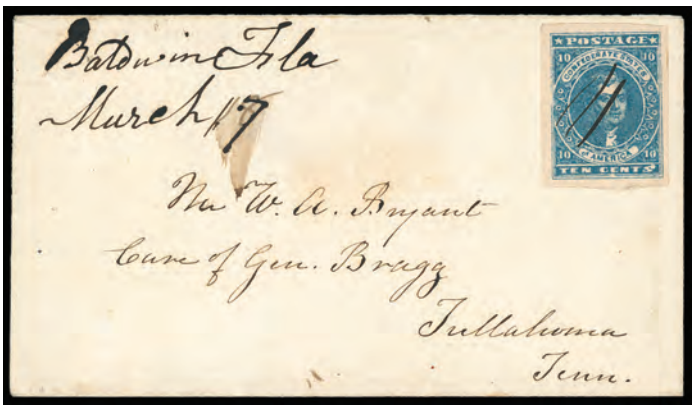
1980 ✉ **Fort Smith, Ark., Jun 24, 1861,** double circle postmark of cover to Crawfordville, Ga. with "Paid" handstamp (Dietz type A) with manuscript "10" rate, addressed to Vice President A. Stephens, with manuscript note on reverse asking for Vice President's influence in obtaining the position of Commissary General McCullochs Brigade, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1981 ✉ **Little Rock, Ark., May 2, 1863,** double circle postmark of cover to Treasury Dept. in Richmond with "Paid 10" rate handstamp in circle (Dietz type C), **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Florida Postmarks



1982 ✉ **Apalachicola Fla., March 16, 1861,** printed dateline on folded "Apalachicola Times Letter-Sheet Prices Current" to Providence, R.I., franked with United States 1¢ blue, type V (24), tied by bold "PAID" straightline, **Very Fine, a scarce Confederate State use of U.S. postage**, C.S.A. Catalog value $1,000.00; with 1977 C.S.A. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



1983 ✉ **Baldwin, Fla., March 17,** manuscript postmark on neat cover franked with manuscript cancelled 1861 10¢ dark blue (#2b) to Tullahoma, Tenn., adhesive with large even margins and is bright and fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice,** a wonderful Florida usage.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



1984 ✉ **Brookville, Fla., June 21, 1862,** manuscript postmark on folded cover franked with 1861 5¢ green (#1, light crease), manuscript cancelled and addressed to Tallahassee, top flap missing, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



1985 ✉ **Executive Department, Tallahassee, Florida.,** imprint on orange semi-official cover with "Tallahassee, Dec 4" cds and matching straight line "Paid" handstamp with manuscript "5" rating to Macon Ga., manuscript "Ch: Ex: Dpt:" at top left; slightly reduced at right with sealed cover tear, **Very Fine appearance a rare Florida semi-official imprint cover.**
C.S.A. Catalog No. **S-FL-02** $1,000

1986 ✉ **Fernandina, Fl[A].**, Jan. 16, 1862, cds with matching "Paid 10" markings (Dietz type C) on cover with stylized manuscript address to Butthatchie Miss., light soiling, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1987 ✉ **Fernandina, Fla., Jan. 11, 1862,** cds tying 1861 5¢ green (#1, top margin single, just touched at top right) on cover to Griffin, Ga., manuscript endorsement "From 4th Regt. F.V. C.S.A., Company D", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



1988 ✉ **Greenwood, Fla., Aug. 22,** postmark with inverted date on United States 1861 3¢ Star Die entire to Griffin, Ga, with "Paid" and "5" rate in circle (Dietz type A, $1000, pictured in Dietz) handstamps, **demonetized indicia crossed out with manuscript "No Good"**, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

1989 ✉ **Houston, Fla., Aug. 22d, 1861,** manuscript postmark on folded cover to Tallahassee with matching manuscript Paid 5, two vertical file folds, **Fine and scarce.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1990 ✉ **Jacksonville, Flor., Aug. 1,** cds with two strikes matching straight line "Paid" with "5" rate handstamp (Dietz type A) on cover to Charleston, cover endorsed" B.F. Carr" who reportedly is the Postmaster, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



1991 ✉ **Jacksonville, Fla., Mar. 11 (1861),** double circle postmark tying U.S. 1857 3¢ dull red on yellow cover used during the Confederacy, addressed to New York with **blue cameo advertising corner card of Judson House, Near Terminus of Fla. AT. & G.C.R.R**. small defect at top right, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

1992 ✉ **Little River, Fla, Sept. 21, 1863,** manuscript postmark on small cover to Charleston, S.C. franked with manuscript cancelled 10¢ blue (11, cut in at top right), small cover reduction at left, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1993 ✉ **Madison, Fla., Jul. 15,** forwarding postmark on cover franked with manuscript cancelled 1863-64 10¢ blue (large margins, close at bottom), cover originated from Georgia with manuscript Attapulgus, Ga., July 13 postmark, cover addressed to Madison, Ga., cover missent to Madison, Fla. with manuscript "Missent" applied with forwarding postmark, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1994 ✉ **Marianna, Fla., May 5,** cds tying 1861 5¢ green (#1, four margins) on small embossed ladies' cover to Quincy, Fla., cover with couple small edge flaws, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

1995 ✉ **Monticello, Flor, Sep. 21,** cds with matching "Paid 10" in arc (Dietz type C) on small cover to Dixie, Ga., cover turned and used to Monticello, no markings, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1996 ✉ **Monticello, Flor., Oct. 14,** cds tying 10¢ blue (11, four margins, minor corner wrinkle) on blue cover to Lake City, Fla., **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1997 ✉ **Ocala, Fla., Jul. 15,** cds with matching straight line "Paid" with "10" rate handstamp (Dietz type C, $2500) on 1862 turned cover to military address (7th Regt. Florida Volunteers) in Chattanooga, Tenn., inside usage with manuscript postmark and used to Ocala, Fla., **Very Fine and rare.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

1998 ✉ **Pensacola, Fla.,** two covers with July dates, each with different type "Paid" and "5" markings (Dietz types D & F), one missing flap & other with flap damage, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

1999 ✉ **Pensacola, Fla., Mar. 2,** cds tying 1861 5¢ green (#1, large margins to just touched at top) on cover to Centreville, Ala., cover with small corner repair at top left, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2000 ✉ **Quincy, Flor., Jan. 16,** cds tying 1861-62 10¢ blue (four margins, hint of toning) on neat cover to Athens, Ga., **F.-V.F. and attractive.**
Scott No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

2001 ✉ **Tallahassee, Fla., Apr. 18,** neat cds tying 1861 10¢ blue (#2) on cover to Lake Providence, La., adhesive with small surface abrasion and slightly cut in at l, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **2** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

2002 ✉ **Waldo, Fla., Jun. 17, 1862,** cds tying 1861 10¢ blue (#2, defective) on adversity cover made from printed ledger sheet, addressed to Bailey Mills, Fla., **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



2003 ✉ **Waldo, Fla., Oct. 16, 1863,** cds (date & year slug inverted) tying 10¢ blue (11, mostly large margins) on adversity cover made from **Confederate States of America, The State of Florida printed bond**, bottom left corner split for display and hinged back in place, addressed to Lake City, Fla., **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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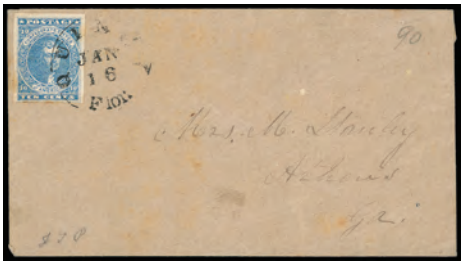

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2004 ✉ **Warrington, Fla., Jul. 2 (1862),** cds tying 1862 5¢ blue (two singles, one large margins, other just in) on **adversity cover** to Centreville, Ala., cover made from printed Bank Form, small cover repair at right edge, **Very Fine,** a nice use of the Warrington Fla. evacuation postmark struck at Pollard Ala., Warrington's postmaster, S. M. Davidson, used this device at Pollard from June 15 thru Nov. 12, 1862, this is a very choice example.
Scott No. **6** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



2005 ✉ **Warrington, Fla., Oct. 14 (1862),** cds tying 1862 5¢ blue (horizontal pair, four margins, small wrinkle) on cover to Selma, Ala., manuscript endorsement "Via Montgomery", flap defective, **Very Fine,** a nice use of the Warrington Fla. evacuation postmark struck at Pollard Ala., Warrington's postmaster, S. M. Davidson, used this device at Pollard from June 15 thru Nov. 12, 1862, this is a very choice example.
Scott No. **6** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

2006 ✉ **Washington, Fla., Sep. 13,** cds with matching "Paid" handstamp and "5" rate handstamp in circle (Dietz type B) on cover to Mobile, Ala., reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



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2007 ✉ **"Welaka Fla.",** dateless double-circle handstamp and manuscript date tying 1862, 5¢ blue, Archer & Daly printing (horizontal pair, full margins except nicked in two places), on small cover to D. H. Bryant, "Care of Capt. Clark - Fla. Rangers" at Hart's Road Station - Fla. R.Rd., E. Fla., receipt docketing at top, small cover repair at bottom right, **Very Fine,** a scarce Florida usage; with 1986 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



2008 ✉ **Welaka, Fla.,** dateless double-circle handstamp and manuscript "July 9" date tying 1862, 5¢ blue, Archer & Daly printing (horizontal pair, full margins except just in at bottom right), on cover to D. H. Bryant, "Care of Capt. H.S. Ronth, Lake City, Fla., receipt docketing at top, some cover aging and central cover stain, **Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

2009 ✉ **Florida towns,** small lot of 6 covers and two fronts, all with Florida postmarks and franked with 1863-64 10¢, includes St. Marks, two Tallahassee, four Lake City and one Quincy, few small faults, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



2010 ✉ **Atlanta, Ga., May 7, 1861,** neat cds on United States 1861 3¢ Star Die entire to Athens, Ga., flap torn, **Very Fine and choice,** a nice Confederate usage.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2011 ✉ **Blakely, Ga., Nov. 11,** perfect strike of cds with matching "Paid" handstamp (Dietz type A) with on neat cover to Macon, Ga., trivial corner wear, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2012 ✉ **Crawfordsville, Ga., Nov. 7,** neat cds with matching "Paid" in oval handstamp (Dietz type A) with manuscript "10" rate on neat cover to Vice President Alexander Stephens in Richmond, docketing on reverse asking for Stephens to discharge soldier and send him home to his mother, most of flap missing, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



2013 ✉ **Savannah, Ga.,** duplex dated with what appears to be "Mar. 29, 1861" on United States 1861 3¢ Star Die addressed to Howell Cobb in Montgomery, entire forwarded to Macon with United States 1857 3¢ dull red (defective) tied by "Montgomery, Ala., Mar. 27, 1861" cds, **Very Fine,** date of one postmark must be incorrect, a nice Confederate usage of United States postage.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



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2014 ✉ **Spring Place, Ga., Jun. 9,** perfect strike of cds with matching straight line "Paid" & "5" rate handstamps Dietz type A) on neat cover to Manchester, S.C., **Extremely Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



2015 ✉ **Valdosta, Ga.,** three covers, first with small cds and "Paid 5" handstamps (Dietz type B), second with large cds dated Dec. 17, 1862 with "Paid 10" in arc handstamp (Dietz type E) and third with similar postmark & rate handstamp but with year date obliterated, last with manuscript notation "Via Glenn Springs, S & U R.R.", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

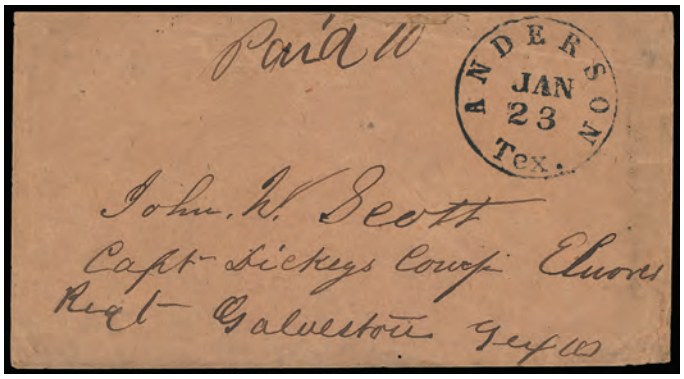
2016 ✉ **Canton, Miss.,** two covers used in 1862, each with Canton cds and with fancy type "Paid 5" (Dietz type C), **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2017 ✉ **Charleston, S.C.,** three covers all with Charleston cds's, includes two with double circle postmark "Paid" in circle with "5" & "10" rate handstamps (Dietz type E & G), plus third cover with single rim large cds and Dietz type E rate handstamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2018 ✉ **Columbia, S.C.,** three covers all with blue Charleston, S.C. cds's, includes "Paid" in circle with large "5" & "10" rate handstamps (Dietz type G & M), plus third cover with Dietz type J rate handstamp, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2019 ✉ **Reidville, S.C., June 15, '63,** manuscript postmark on United States 1861 3¢ Star Die with manuscript "Paid 10" to Greenwood, indicia crossed out of demonetized postage, flap torn resulting in small tear at top, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2020 ✉ **Madisonville, Tenn., 7 May,** manuscript postmark on manuscript canceled U.S. 3¢ Star Die entire to Pine Level, Ala., **Very Fine,** Alabama was admitted to the Confederacy February 4th and Tennessee became an independent state a month later on June 8th.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



2021 ✉ **Anderson, Tex., Jan. 23,** neat cds with manuscript "Paid 10" rate on cover to Galveston, bit reduced at top with small repair, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150



2022 ✉ **Bonham, Texas, Nov. 6,** cds with manuscript "Paid 10" rate on cover to Jefferson, Tx., flap torn, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



2023 ✉ **Marshall, Txs., Jun 30,** bold strike of cds with excellent straight line "Paid" and "10" handstamps on cover to Darien, Ga., hint of edge wear, **still Extremely Fine,** *ex-Hill & Myerson*.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300



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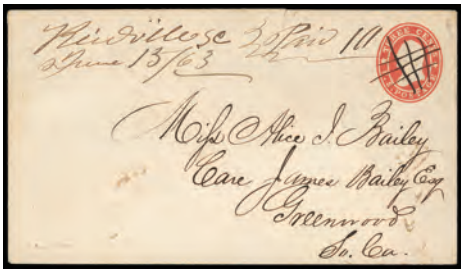

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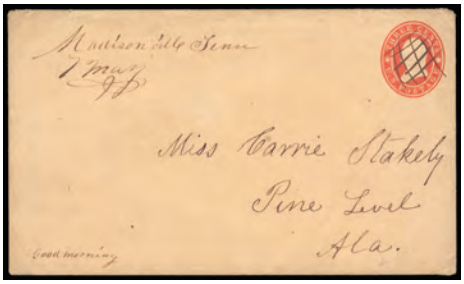

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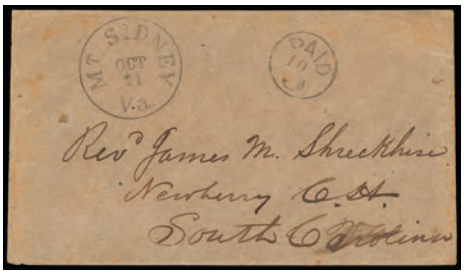

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2024 ✉ **Owensville, Tex., Dec. 24,** cds with matching straight line "Paid" handstamp on cover with military address to 3rd Calvary Battalion, Texas State Troops, Sabine Pass, Texas, small stain at bottom left, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



2025 ✉ **Texana, Tex., May 31,** balloon type cds with "Paid" handstamp on **adversity cover** made from printed form, addressed to San Antonio, slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2026 ✉ **Mt. Sidney, Va., Oct. 21,** neat cds with matching "Paid 10" in revalued "5" handstamp in circle (Dietz type B) on cover to Newbury C.H., S.C., **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2027 ✉ **Suffolk, Va., Jul. 30,** neat cds with matching "Paid 5" handstamp (Dietz type C) on cover to Linville River, N.C., cover endorsed "**Via Raleigh, N.C.**", **Very Fine.**
Estimate. . . . . $75 - 100



2028 ✉ **Tudor Hall, Va., Aug. 26, 1861,** bold cds with matching "Paid 5" in arc (Dietz type B) on yellow cover to Richmond, endorsed at top, "If not called for forward to Fort Mills, S.C.", cover postmarked with Richmond, Va., Aug, 30, 1861 cds with matching "**Advertised 2**" handstamp (Dietz type U), cover with original enclosure datelined "Camp near Bull Run, Aug. 22nd, 1861", letter contains information regarding the First Battle of Bull Run, **Very Fine,** a lovely cover and usage.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2029 ✉ **(Virginia) Richmond Va., Jun 12, 1861,** cds with matching "Paid 5" in circle rating handstamp on U.S. 3¢ red (U26) star die entire to Goochland County, Va., **Very Fine,** This is the first day of use for the circled "5" rating handstamp.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2030 ✉ **Junction (Va.) Apr. 24th, 1861,** manuscript postmark on cover franked with U.S. 1857 3¢ dull red, cover sent to Harper's Ferry (West Virginia), the adhesive was uncancelled and cancelled on arrival with "Harper's Ferry, Va., Apr. 27, 1861" cover set for forwarding with address crossed out and manuscript "Ford 3", however there is no forwarding address and second strike of Harper's Ferry double circle applied on Apr. 30,1861, flap tear, **Very Fine and unusual,** A rare West Virginia Independent State Usage, Harper's Ferry is located in Jefferson County which was later incorporated into the Union State of West Virginia in 1863, *ex-Thayer*.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Postmasters' Provisional Issues

2031 ✉ **Abingdon, Va., 1861, 5¢ Black,** Postmasters' Provisional handstamp on neat ladies' cover with embossing on flap, postmarked with matching Abingdon, Va., 1861 Nov., 5 cds to Milledgeville, Ga. small cover tear at top left just touching Postmasters' Provisional handstamp, **still Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **2XU2** $1,750

2032 ✉ **Albany, Ga., 1861, 5¢ Greenish Blue,** Postmasters' Provisional handstamp on neat cover with matching Albany, Ga., Aug. 19, 1861 cds to Macon, Ga., reduced at left and flap missing at left, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **3XU1** $1,000



2033 ✉ **Athens, Ga., 1861, 5¢ Purple,** four huge even margins, fresh color and lightly cancelled on buff cover to Eagle Mills Post Office, N.C. with Athens, Ga., Paid, Nov. 1 cds at left, **Extremely Fine**; signed Colson & Wm. Boggs.
Scott No. **5X1** $2,500

2034 ✉ **Atlanta, Ga., 1861, 5¢ Black,** Postmasters' Provisional handstamp on neat cover with matching Atlanta, Ga, Sep. 13, 1861 cds to Athens, Ga., neat restoration at top, not affecting markings, **Extremely Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **6XU2** $1,000



2035 ✉ **Baton Rouge, La., 1861, 5¢ Green & Carmine,** just touched at top to mainly huge margins including sheet margin at right showing the printed background well into the sheet margin, adhesive with bright fresh color, tied by Baton Rouge, La., Dec. 7, 1861 cds on cover to Paint Rock, Ala., cover slightly refolded at edges (not mentioned on certificate), **Extremely Fine and attractive**; with 1986 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **11X2** $5,000

2036 ✉ **Charleston, S.C., 1861, 5¢ Blue,** large margins to just touched at bottom, tied by Charleston, S.C., Dec. 20, 1861 double circle postmark on cover to Camden, S.C., light horiz cover fold, not affecting adhesive, **Fine.**
Scott No. **16X1** $2,500



2037 ✉ **Columbia, S.C., 1861, 5¢ Blue,** Postmasters' Provisional handstamp in blue with matching "Columbia, S.C., 5 cts, 12 Sep." cds to South Carolina, **Extremely Fine,** *ex-Weill*.
Scott No. **18XU1** $900



2038 ✉ **Fredericksburg, Va., 1861, 5¢ Blue on Bluish,** three large margins and just touching ornaments at bottom, fresh color, tied on cover by Fredericksburg, Va. Paid, addressed to Vice President Stephens, flap missing and with use notation requesting a soldier's furlough, original enclosure included, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **26X1** $5,500



2039 ✉ **Houston, Texas, 1861, 10¢ Red,** red Postmasters' Provisional handstamp with black Houston, Tex., Feb. 24, 1862 cds on small mourning cover to Columbia, Tex., minor light aging, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **40XU2** $2,000

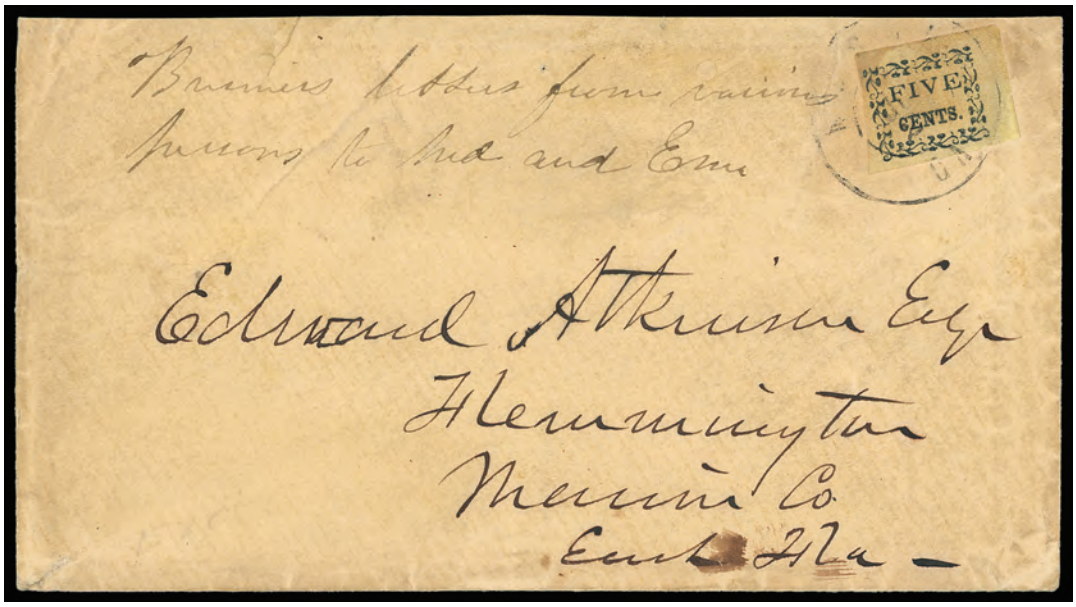


2040 ✉ **Lynchburg, Va., 1861, 5¢ Blue,** an outstanding large margin single with bright fresh color, tied by "Lynchburg, Va., Oct. 12" cds on orange cover to Forest Depot, Va., **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **52X1** $7,000

25 single Lynchburg provisional stamps are recorded on cover in the Calhoun census, about one-third have stamps with four full margins, while the majority is cut into on one side.



2041 ✉ **Macon, Ga., 1861, 5¢ Black on Light Blue Green,** corner margin single which is a bit in at left, tied by Macon, Ga. double circle postmark on 1862 folded cover to Mt. Jonah, Ga., datelined "Geo. Academy for the Blind", cover appears to be an adversity usage as the outside is previously used, **F.-V.F.**; signed Dietz.
Scott No. **53X1** $6,000

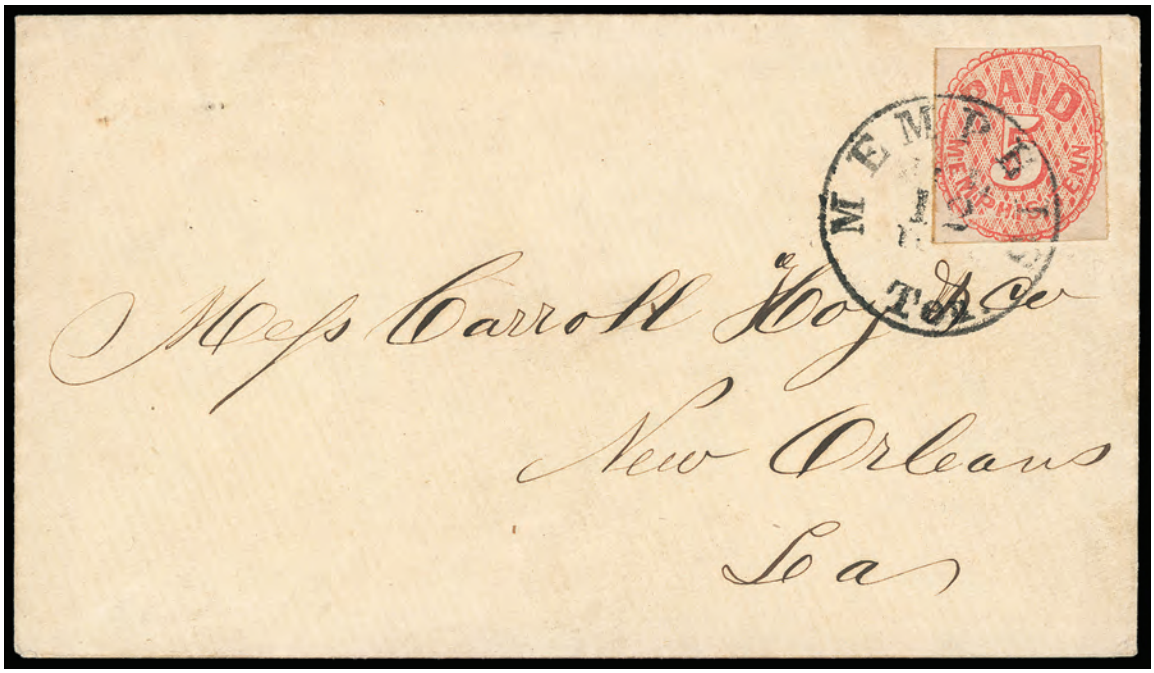


2042 ✉ **Macon, Ga., 1861, 5¢ Black on Yellow on Laid,** top right corner margin single with large margins, tied by Macon, Ga. double circle postmark of cover to Flemmington, Fla., adhesive with light staining (not mentioned on certificate) and 1979 P.F. mentions tiny tear at bottom left, of which we find no trace, flap missing & small cover tear at top, **Very Fine,** *ex-Seybold*; with 1966 Friedl and 1988 P.F. certificates.
Scott No. **53X6** $8,000

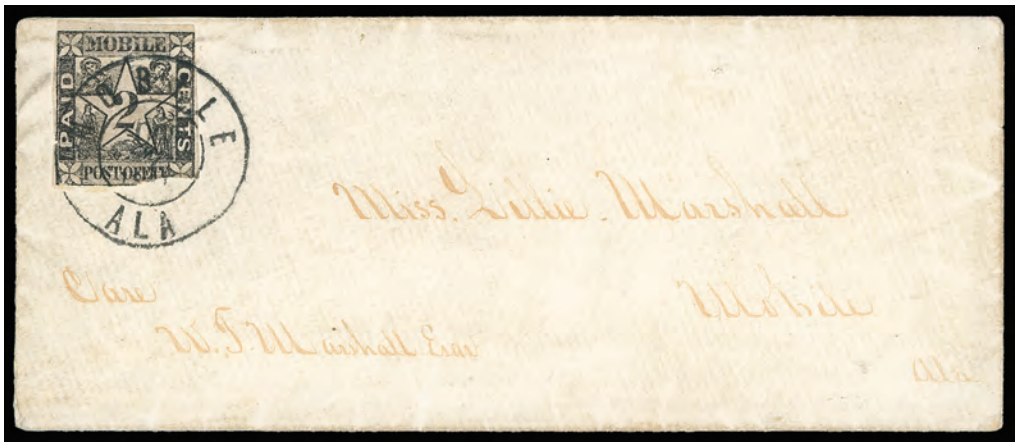
A RARE CONFEDERATE POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONAL OF WHICH ONLY A HANDFUL ARE KNOWN. AN OUTSTANDING EXAMPLE OF THIS RARITY.

2043 ✉ **Marietta, Ga., 1861, 5¢ Black,** clear strike on lemon cover to Macon, Ga. with, neat "Marietta Geo., Sep. 14" circular datestamp, bit reduced at top, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **54XU1** $500

2044 ✉ **Memphis, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ Red,** a huge margin stamp, showing adjoining stamps at right and bottom and ample at left, tied by "Memphis, Ten, Oct 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Macon, Tenn., neat repair along top and repositioned backflap, **stamp is Extremely Fine,** *ex-Knapp, Brooks, Emerson, MacBride and Everett*; with 2007 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **56X2** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



2045 ✉ **Memphis, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ Red,** nice square cut stamp, touched at top and bottom, tied by neat "Memphis, Ten." cds on cover to New Orleans, flap torn, **Very Fine,** a pretty cover.
Scott No. **56X2** $2,000



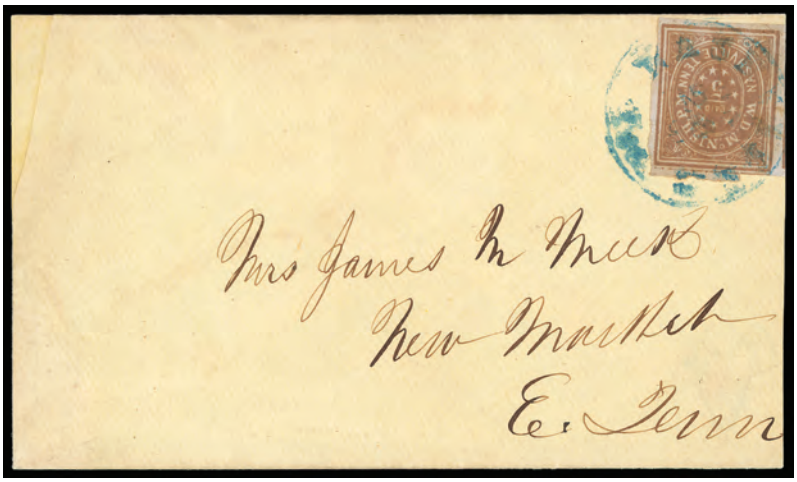
2046 ✉ **Mobile, Ala., 1861, 2¢ Black,** nice margins except small piece out at bottom right, hint of light rub in top tablet, tied by perfect strike of "Mobile, Ala., Oct. 7" double circle on small Ladies' cover used locally, **Very Fine, a pretty cover.**
Scott No. **58X1** $6,000



2047 ✉ **Mobile, Ala., 1861, 5¢ Blue,** four large even margins, neatly tied by bold Mobile, Ala., Aug. 24, 1861 double circle on lemon cover to Orrville, Ala., includes original enclosure, bit reduced at left, **Extremely Fine,** a lovely cover & adhesive.
Scott No. **58X2** $2,000



2048 ✉ **Nashville, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ Brick Red,** 3½ nice margins to in at bottom left, fresh color and nice impression, tied by blue Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 3, 1861 cds on neat cover to Castatian Spring, Tenn., includes original enclosure, tiny bit reduced at top and flap missing, **Very Fine and rare,** *ex-Matz*; with 1990 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **61X3** $3,500



2049 ✉ **Nashville, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ Violet Brown,** four large margins, tied by blue Nashville cds on cover to New Market, Tenn., bit reduced at right and cover corner repair at top left, **Very Fine appearance,** a rare stamp on cover.
Scott No. **61X5** $4,250



2050 ✉ **New Orleans, La., 1861, 2¢ Blue,** couple tiny faults, tied by New Orleans, La., 31 Aug. cds on cover to French Camps, Miss., flap missing & corner repair at top right under adhesive with a bit on the postmark drawn in, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2002 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **62X1** $5,000



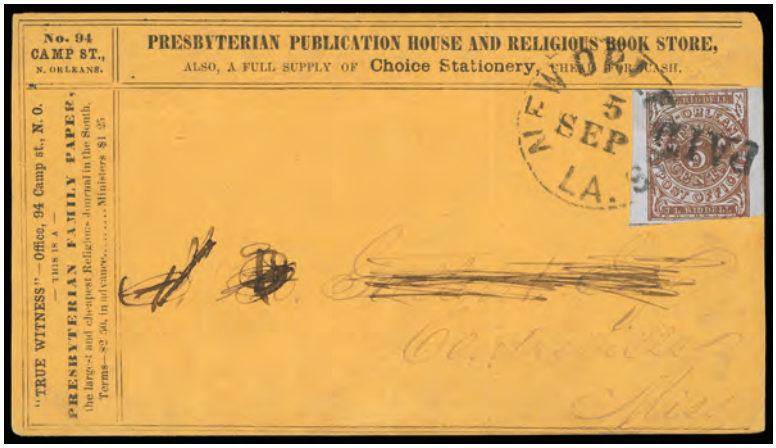
2051 ✉ **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ Brown,** vertical pair with four ample to mostly large margins, cancelled by two strikes of straight line "Paid" on cover to North Creek, Ark., postmarked New Orleans, La. cds, flap missing, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **62X3** $850

2052 ✉ **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ Ocher,** four ample to mostly large margins, manuscript cancelled on cover to Rodney, Miss., manuscript endorsement at bottom left "Mary T" and pencil endorsement at top "June 18th, 1861, Linsey & Lewels", large hinge remnants on reverse, **Very Fine,** *ex-S. Brown*.
Scott No. **62X3b**. . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

A very nice cover bearing the rare Ocher shade with was probably used from a nearby town.



2053 ✉ **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ Red Brown,** large even margins, neatly tied by bold New Orleans, La., 12 Oct. cds on folded cover to Memphis, left flap detached (but included), **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **62X4** $425



2054 ✉ **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ Red on Bluish,** large margins to just in at bottom right, cancelled by straight line "Paid" & tied by "New Orleans, La., 5 Sep." cds on printed advertising cover Centreville, Miss., name of addressee crossed out, printed advertising of **Presbyterian Publication House and Religious Book Store, New Orleans**, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **62X7** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



2055 ✉ **Petersburg, Va., 1861, 5¢ Red,** large margins to just cutting ornament tip, tied by blue "Petersburg, Va. Mar. 11" cds on 1862 folded cover to Charleston, S.C., **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **65X1** $2,500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2056 ✉ **Savannah, Ga., 1861, 5¢ Black,** provisional markings with Sep. 30, 1861 cds on small cover Milledgeville Ga., slightly reduced at left and right, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **101XU1** $400



2057 ✉ **Talbotton, Ga., 1861, 10¢ Black,** Postmasters' Provisional handstamp with matching Talbotton, Ga. Apr. 5, 1862 double circle postmark on neat cover to Tappahannock, Va., trivial small tear at left, **Extremely Fine, one of the finest know examples.**
Scott No. **94XU2** $1,000

General Issues



2058 ✉ **1861, 5¢ Green,** large margins except small nick at top, minor gum stains, tied by small Augusta, Ga. cds on cover to Sumter, S.C., cover forwarded with 1863 5¢ blue (#4, mostly large margins, nick at right) tied by Sumter, S.C. cds and forwarded to Petersburg, Va., **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



2059 ✉ **1861, 5¢ Green,** virtually four complete margins, tied by blue "Bowling Green Ky." cds on cover to Como, Miss., flap missing & small repair cover nick at top, **F.-V.F.,** scarce Kentucky usage.
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



2060 ✉ **1861, 5¢ Green,** mostly large margins, light crease, tied by bold "Richmond, Va., Mar. 4, 1862" on **turned usage** to Jeffress Store, Va., inside usage franked with 1863 5¢ blue (#4, lightly touched on two sides) tied by blue Jeffress Store, Va. cds and addressed to Junction, Va., **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



2061 ✉ **1861, 5¢ Green,** three large margins, just in at bottom, tied by blue "Lynchburg, Va., Mar. 17" cds on **advertising cover** with printed corner card of Commission Merchants, cover addressed to La Fayette Hill, Va, cover with vertical crease, **still Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

2062 ✉ **1861, 5¢ Green,** two four margin singles, tied by indistinct cds on neat cover to Prattville, Ala., tiny cover nick at bottom left, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **1** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



2063 ✉ **1861, 10¢ Blue,** just barely shaving frameline, trivial gum staining, tied by "Jackson, Miss, Aug. 13" (1862) cds on folded cover addressed to B. Grimball in Spartanburg, S.C., written by his son, John and contains wonderful content regarding the final battle and ultimate fate of the **Ram Arkansas**, *I have at last arrived in Jackson from the late Ram Arkansas which is no more having been burnt above Baton Rouge. We were sent down to cooperate with Breckenridge in his attack, but our engines failed us. And after working night and day at our machinery, several times it was reported ready and every time it broke down. Still we worked on to do our best, expecting an attack every minute. Finally the "Essex" was reported coming up, and our engines also reported ready. So we launched out to meet her but had scarcely cut our lines when the engines again broke down, and we succeeded in getting into the bank. We were now lying in such a position that we could not bring a gun to bear on the enemy, if she chose her position, and the iron was so thin towards them that every shot would have gone through her. So that was nothing left for us but to burn her, which we did under fire of our enemy. I lost everything except my watch and a suit of linen clothes which I had on.*, some splits along folds, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2**. . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

AN IMPORTANT AND HISTORICAL COVER AND LETTER.

John Grimball, First Lieutenant Confederate Navy, was born in Charleston, S.C. and graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, June 1858. Grimball resigned from U.S. Navy the day South Carolina seceded, 20 December 1860, when he entered the service of that state and continued therein until the formation of the Confederacy when he was transferred to the Confederate Navy. He was on duty at Fort Moultrie when the "Star of the West" attempted to reinforce Fort Sumter. He served on the Confederate Steamer "Lady Davis" at the battle of Port Royal, and on the "Ram Arkansas", in her celebrated fight on the Mississippi River.

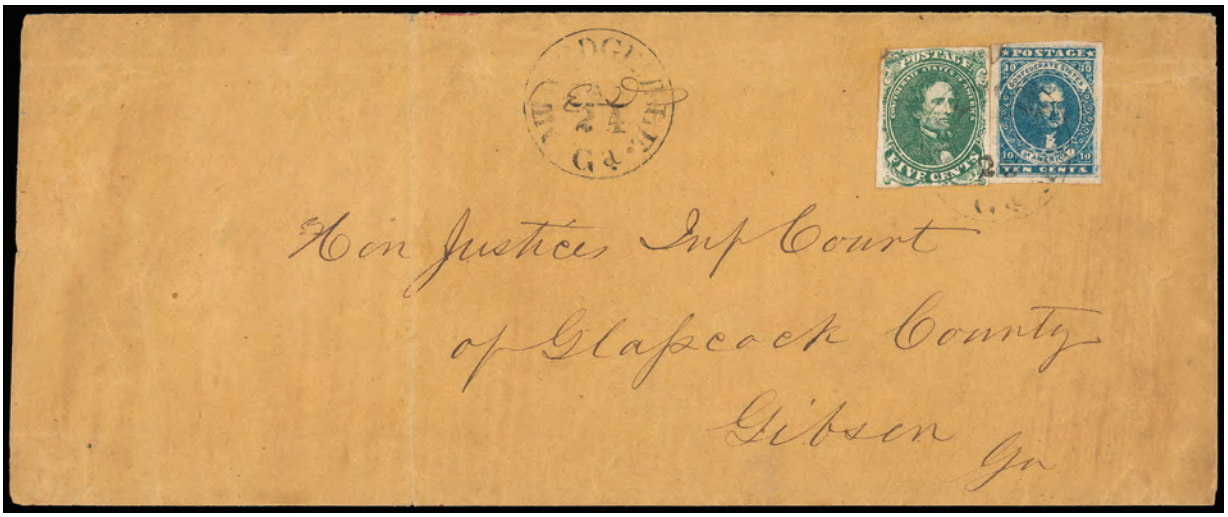


2064 ✉ **1861, 10¢ Blue,** clear to mostly large margins including sheet margin at right, hint of faint corner crease in sheet margin, tied by Mobile, Ala., Oct. 20 double circle postmark on neat cover to Demopolis, Ala., cover forwarded to Artesia, Miss. with "Demopolis, Ala., Nov.3" forwarding postmark and manuscript "Paid 10" rate, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **2**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

2065 ✉ **1861, 10¢ Blue,** huge margins, manuscript cancel and tied by "Lynchburg Va." cds on buff cover to Gordonsville Va., forwarded with "Gordonsville Va., Oct 3, 1862" cds and bold "Due 10" rating handstamp to Madison C.H., additional light manuscript "Due 10" and "Ford 10" ratings, original 1862 letter accompanies, **Fine and unusual forwarded use.**
Scott No. **2**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

2066 ✉ **1861, 10¢ Blue,** four large even margins, manuscript cancelled single on cover to Richmond with "Fleetwood Acady, Va." manuscript postmark, reduced at left, and somewhat irregular on front, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **2**. . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

2067 ✉ **1861, 10¢ Blue,** three large margins, cut to frameline at right, tied by bold Mobile, Ala., Jul. 17 double circle postmark on small ladies' cover to Statesburgh, S.C., cover reduction at left, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **2**. . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



2068 ✉ **1861, 10¢ Dark Blue, Hoyer Printing,** in combination with **1861, 5¢ green, Stone 1** on legal size court cover to Gibson, Ga., tied by "Milledgeville, Ga., Jan 24" cds with second strike at top center; cover file fold and stamps with flaws including 10¢ with small corner repair, **Very Fine appearance,** a very rare triple 5¢ rate franking, *ex-MacBride*; with 2000 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **2b+1** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



2069 ✉ **1861, 10¢ Light Milky Blue,** four large margins, tied by nice strike of Proctor's Creek, Va., Nov. 1, 1862 cds on cover to Charlotte, N.C., minor cover reduction at right, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **2e** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

2070 * **1862, 2¢ Green,** o.g., lightly hinged, ample to large margins, bright color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **3** $1,000

2071 * **1862, 2¢ Green,** part o.g., ample margins, strong color and impression, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **3** $1,000

2072 * **1862, 2¢ Green,** o.g., lightly hinged (small gum wrinkle), ample to large margins, bright and fresh, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **3** $1,000

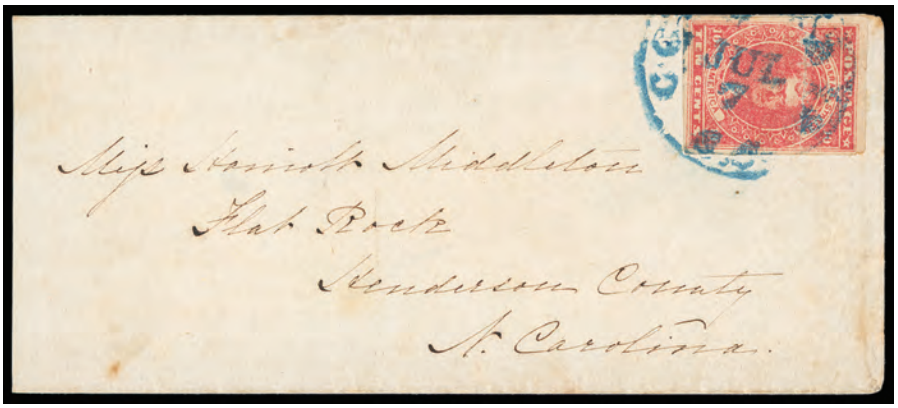
2073 * **1862, 2¢ Green,** o.g., very lightly hinged, ample margins, lovely pastel-like color, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **3** $1,000

2074 ✉ **1862, 2¢ Green,** minor defect, tied by Richmond, Va., Feb. 6, 1863 on cover to North Garden, Va. paying the 2¢ circular rate, **cover turned** and inside usage with defective 10¢ milky blue (2a), some wear, **Fine and a rare usage**; signed Dietz, with 1976 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **3** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

2075 ✉ **1862, 2¢ Green,** cut in at left, tied by Augusta, Ga. cds on drop rate cover, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **3** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

2076 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Light Milky Blue, Stone 2, Horizontal Pair,** clear to ample margins, tied by "Winchester, Va., Nov 4" cds on homemade cover to Louisburg, N.C.; stamps with horizontal crease at top, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **4b** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

2077 ✉ **1862, 10¢ Rose,** ample to large margins, small scissor separation cut in margin at top right, tied by "Richmond, Va., Jun 23, 1862" cds on cover to New Market, S.C., manuscript "**Please forward by Mill Way courier**" endorsement at left; cover missing bottom flap, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **5** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



2078 ✉ **1862, 10¢ Carmine,** four nice even margins, light crease, tied by blue Columbia, S.C., Jul. 7 cds on cover to Flat Rock, N.C., small cover repair on reverse, **Very Fine,** a lovely example of the rare Carmine shade; with 1990 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **5a** $5,000



2079 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Light Blue, De La Rue Printing,** horizontal pair, large margins to just in at right, tied by Jackson, Miss., Aug. 21 cds on cover addressed to "Asst. Surgeon Chas. M. Morfit CSN, Care Capt. Clarence Morfit CSN", light horiz bend affecting pair, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **6**. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Charles M. Morfit, was born in Maryland. Appointed from Maryland. Assistant surgeon, June 10, 1861. Assistant surgeon, October 23, 1862, to rank from October 2, 1862. Assistant surgeon Provisional Navy, June 2, 1864. He served on CSS Ram "Arkansas", 1862. Special duty, 1862-63. Captured on CSS "Oconee" by USS "Madgie", August 20, 1863, near Savannah; transferred from Fort McHenry to City Point, Va., for exchange, November 21, 1863. CSS Albemarle, 1864.



2080 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Light Blue, De La Rue Printing,** two horizontal pairs, left pair virtually four large margins, right pair cut in at bottom, both tied by "Charleston, S.C., Aug. 16, 186" cds's on cover to Flat Rock, N.C., **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **6**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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2081 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Light Blue, De La Rue Printing,** two pairs, vert. pair (slightly cut in) and horizontal pair (large margins) both tied by "Columbia, S.C., Oct. 27" cds's on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C., defective flap, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **6** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



2082 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing,** two singles, one cut in, tied on cover by "Spartanburg, S.C., Aug. 16, 1864" double circle postmark on cover with Naval address to "Lieut. John Grimball, Confed. States Navy, Vicksburg, Mississippi", cover forwarded to Columbus, Ga. with manuscript **Navy Dept. Jackson** (Miss.) forwarding endorsement and matching "Free" for Officer's letters, flap missing & some cover aging, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

A RARE AND UNUSUAL NAVAL USAGE.



2083 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing,** horizontal pair, four even margins, manuscript cancelled on 1863 folded cover with neat strike of "**VA C RR Cobham, 8 Jun.**" cds with Military address to Lt. Col. A.L. Rives, Engineer Bureau, War Department, Richmond, cover datelined "Castle Hill" and written by his father, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Alfred L. Rives, came from a distinguished Virginia family and went on to be a prominent engineer prior to, during and after the War.

2084 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing,** horizontal pair, slightly cut in, tied by "Richmond, Va., Dec. 19, 1862" cds with second strike alongside on **advertising cover** with printed corner card of "West & Johnson, Publishers, Booksellers & Stationers", cover with military address to Letcher Army, near Fredricksburg, Va., **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

2085 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing,** two four margin singles on **forwarded cover**, postmarked with "Greensborough, Ala., Apr. 29" origin cds and "Paid 10" handstamp's on cover to Richmond, forwarded to Charlottesville with adhesives tied by Richmond cds (left stamp moved to show Paid handstamp & rate), **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



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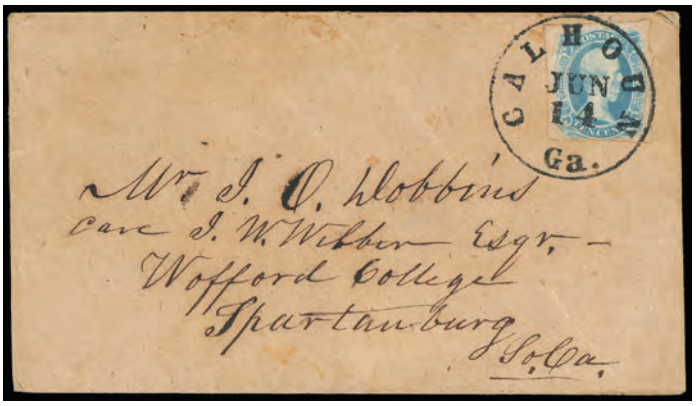
2086 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing,** horizontal pair with four nice margins, tied by neat strike of Abbeville, S.C., Jul. 21 cds on mourning cover to Wright's Bluff, S.C., trivial circular paper clip rust, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

2087 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing,** two singles in distinctively different shades, tied by Spartanburg, S.C., Oct. 19, 1863 double circle postmark on cover to Rockmount, N.C., **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

2088 ✉ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing, Transient Plate Flaw in "Five", Vertical Pair,** both stamps showing different circular flaws between "VE" in "FIVE", manuscript canceled on cover to Verdersville, Va., no origin townmark; cover edge wear, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **7** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150



2089 ✉ **1863, 2¢ Brown Red,** large margins to just shaving at bottom, top left corner appears to be replaced, however no mention on clear 1984 P.F. cert., tied by neat strike of "Georgetown, S.C., Mar. 19" cds on blue **printed adversity cover** to Laurel Hill, S.C., made from from printed Way-Bill, **Very Fine and attractive,** a nice use of the 2¢ unsealed circular rate.
Scott No. **8** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000



2090 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "T-E-N",** large margin to just touching at bottom, tied by perfect strike of "Calhoun, Ga., Jun. 14" cds on cover to Wofford College, Spartanburg, S.C., flap tear, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



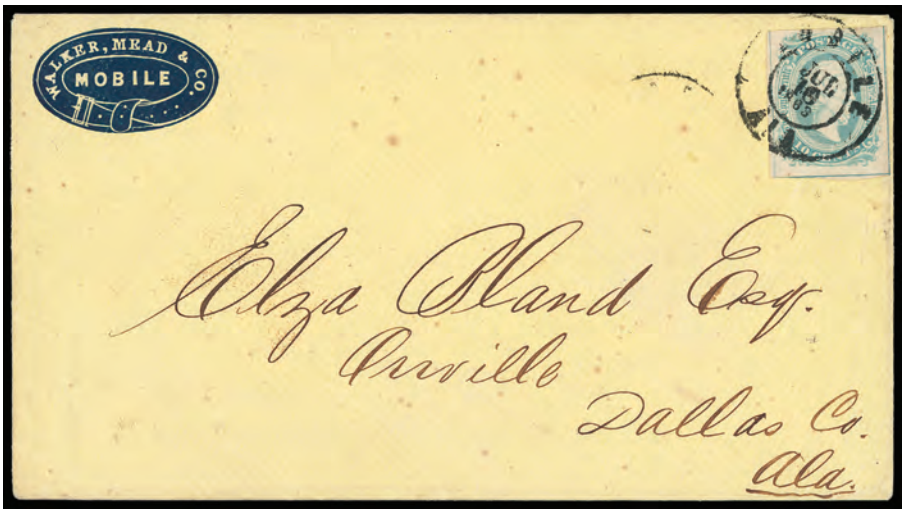
2091 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "T-E-N",** large margin to touching, tied by perfect strike of "Calhoun, Ga., Jun. 14" cds on cover to Wofford College, Spartanburg, S.C., flap tear", **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **9** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

2092 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Milky Blue, "T-E-N",** ample margins, tied by Richmond, Va. cds on cover to Savannah, Ga.; some light toning, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **9a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



2093 o **1863, 10¢ Blue, "Frame Lines",** neat Mobile, Ala. town cancel, large margins showing full framelines at right and bottom with partial framelines at left and top, brilliant color, **an Extremely Fine gem**; with 2013 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded XF-Sup 95, SMQ $8,250)**.
Scott No. **10** $1,900

AN EXCEPTIONAL USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1863 10¢ JEFFERSON "FRAME LINES" ISSUE.





2094 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "Frame Lines",** outstanding single showing **three full framelines**, tied by Mobile, Ala., Jul. 10, 1863 double circle postmark on **lemon advertising cover** to Orrville, Ala., advertising corner card in blue of "Walker, Mead & Co., Mobile", included is original enclosure, **Extremely Fine, a beautiful cover in outstanding condition.**
Scott No. **10** . . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000



2095 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "Frame Lines",** large margins to touched at left, **full frameline at right**, small corner wrinkle at top left, tied by "Mobile, Ala., Jul. 23, '63" double circle postmark on yellow advertising cover to Orrville, Ala., cover showing blue **cameo style corner card** for "Walker, Mead & Co., Mobile", **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **10** $3,000

2096 ** **1863, 10¢ Blue,** huge jumbo showing parts of all eight adjacent stamps, strong color and impression, o.g., never hinged, natural gum creases and toned spot at lower right extreme margin, **an Extremely Fine jumbo**; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate **(Graded VF-XF 85J)**.
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $100 - 150

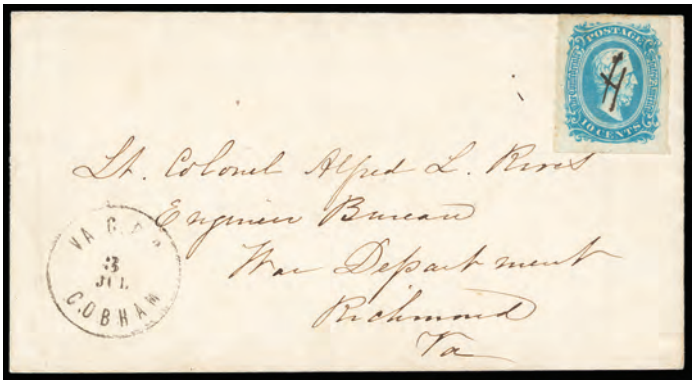
2097 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue,** horizontal pair, four large margins, tied by grid cancels on 1864 cover with matching "Aberdeen, Miss, Apr. 7" cds to Arkadelphia, Ark.; minor soiling affecting stamps and cover not mentioned on cert, **F.-V.F.**; with 1986 P.F. & C.S.A. certificates.
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750



2098 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue + 10¢ Blue Strip of 3,** tied by three strikes of "Jackson, Miss., Jul. 3" cds's on cover to Columbus, Ga., **Very Fine**; with 1986 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **11+12** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

According to the certificate, despite the prepayment of the 40¢ Trans-Mississippi rate, there is no proof that this cover originated west of the river.

2099 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue,** four large margins, tied by "Charleston, S.C., Jun 15, 1864" double-circle postmark on small **adversity cover made from red, white & blue printed Bank Check**, addressed to Walterboro S.C.; part of cover opened out to show adversity usage and reinforced split along fold, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



2100 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue,** four large even margins, manuscript cancelled on 1863 cover with neat strike of "**VA C RR Cobham, 3 Jul.**" cds with Military address to Lt. Col. A.L. Rives, Engineer Bureau, War Department, Richmond, **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Alfred L. Rives, came from a distinguished Virginia family and went on to be a prominent engineer prior to, during and after the War.

2101 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue,** two four margins singles in different shades, on homemade cover to Richmond, 1st tied by blue Columbia, S.C., Jul. 22 cds and 2nd singles tied by Richmond, Va., Jul, 26 cds, **Very Fine an unusual usage as there seems to be no evidence of due markings or forwarding.**
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

2102 (✉) **1863, 10¢ Blue,** four large margins, tied by Richmond, Va., Sep. 16 cds on **turned cover front** with one flap to the Army of Tennessee with manuscript "Per Flag of Truce" endorsement at top left, reverse with **United States 3¢ rose (65)** tied by segmented cork cancel with Old Point Comfort, Va., Oct. 20 double circle postmark and manuscript "Per Flag of Truce" endorsement, addressed to Murfreesboro, Tenn., **Very Fine and unusual double flag of truce use.**
Scott No. **11** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

2103 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue, Perf'd,** tied by blue "Petersburg, Va., Jul 28" cds on 1863 folded letter to Augusta, Ga., with second strike of cds dated one day earlier; stamp with small tear and ink spot, **F.-V.F.,** thought to be unofficial 12½ perfs, but is actually perf 12; signed S. Ashbrook as "Unofficial Perforation", with 2008 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **11e** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



2104 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue,** large margins to in at top, tied by indistinct Florida town double circle postmark on attractive Wallpaper cover in yellow, violet, tan and white, addressed to Camden, S.C., slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **12** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



2105 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue,** four large margins, light crease, light grid cancel with Flat Rock, N.C., Mar. 28 cds on attractive **wallpaper cover with attractive floral design**, used to Columbia, S.C., small piece out of reverse, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **12** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



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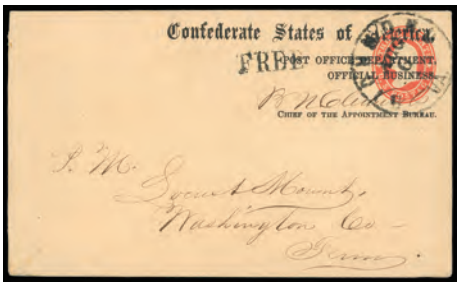

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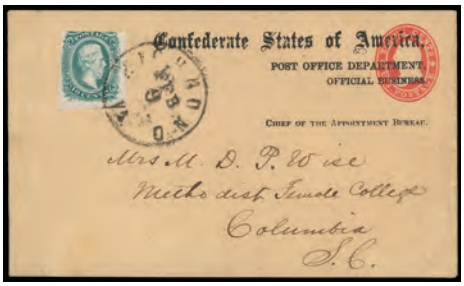

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2106 ✉ **1863, 10¢ Blue,** large even margins, rich color, tied by town cds on **orange wallpaper cover** to J.W. Roby, care Maj. A.S. Anderson, Co. S 1st Ma Brig, Mabeal Ala., **Very Fine and attractive.**
Scott No. **12** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

2107 ✉ **1863, 20¢ Green, Horizontal Pair,** margins large to just in at top, tied by "Albany, Ga., May 21, 1864" cds on legal size allover **Hartford Fire Insurance Company illustrated shaded ad cover** to Richmond Va.; missing backflap and vertical file folds not affecting stamps, **Fine,** a rare usage; with 2002 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **13**; $4,500 . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

2108 ✉ **1863, 20¢ Green,** margins huge including portion of adjacent stamp at bottom to just in at left, in combination with **1863, 10¢ milky blue** on legal size homemade cover to Dundarack N.C., tied by "Richmond, Va., Mar 31" cds's, manuscript "Office of Comm. of Taxes" at top; cover slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine,** a rare triple rate combination usage, *ex-Judd*.
Scott No. **13+11a** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

2109 ✉ **1863, 20¢ Green,** margins large to just touching, tied by **brown** "Gordonsville, Va." cds on homemade cover to Orange C.H., Va.; stamp with light creases, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **13** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

2110 ✉ **1863, 20¢ Green,** four irregular margins, large sealed tear, tied by blue Columbia, S.C. cds on neat blue cover to Society Hill, S.C., **handsome Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **13** $1,250



2111 ✉ **1863, 20¢ Green, Diagonal Bisect,** lower right portion of stamp tied by light strike of "Selma, Ala., Oct. 31" cds on 1864 cover to Canton, Miss., with bold oval "**Quartermasters Dept., Selma, Ala., S. Hillyer Maj. & Q.M., C.S.A.**" semi-official handstamp (WD-QM-15), with original enclosure Quartermaster's Office letterhead from Edward Hillyer and signed "Boy of Maj. S. Hillyer"; cover missing backflap, **Very Fine**; with 1976 P.F. certificate and 1934 August Dietz letter of attest.
Scott No. **13d** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE 1863 20¢ DIAGONAL BISECT USAGE ON A QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT SEMI-OFFICIAL COVER.



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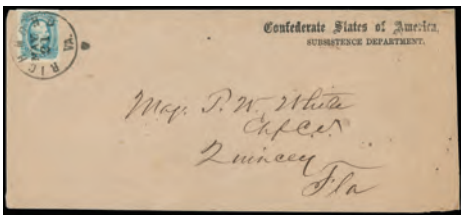

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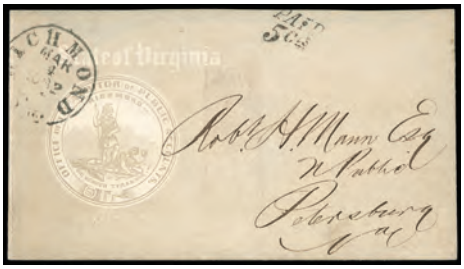

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Official Covers

2112 ✉ **Confederate States of America, Post Office Department, Official Business, Chief of the Appointment Bureau,** official imprint endorsed by "B.N. Clements" on U.S. 3¢ star die entire (U26) cancelled by "Richmond Va., Aug. 6" cds with matching "Free" rating handstamp to Locust Mont, Tenn., **Very Fine and attractive,** *ex-Muzzy*.
C.S.A. Catalog No. **APP-02** $500

2113 ✉ **Confederate States of America, Post Office Department, Chief of the Appointment Bureau,** official imprint on U.S. 3¢ red (U26) star die entire bearing 10¢ blue (11), large margins to in at top, tied by "Richmond Va., Feb. 9" cds and addressed to the Methodist Female College in Columbia, S.C., **Very Fine,** a nice usage of Official entire as a private usage. C.S.A. Catalog $500 as official.
C.S.A. Catalog No. **APP-02 var.** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

Semi-Official Covers

2114 ✉ **Adjutant General's Office, Raleigh, N.C.,** semi-official imprint on cover bearing **10¢ blue, short transfer at top (11 var.),** tied by red Raleigh N.C. cds to Col. A.A. Horbin, Mocksville N.C.
C.S.A. Catalog No. **S-NC-10**; $400 . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

2115 ✉ **Office of the Commissioner of Taxes,** semi-official imprint on cover bearing 10¢ blue (11), four large margins, tied by "Richmond Va., Nov 4, 1863" cds to Wytheville Va., **Very Fine.**
C.S.A. Catalog No. **TD-13** $350

2116 ✉ **Office Assistant Quartermaster, Official Business,** large imprint on handcarried cover to congressman Clark at thr House of Representatives in Richmond, Va., with notation "Mr. Welsh please deliver to Mr. Clark", **Very Fine,** believed to be the **Only Known Imprint of This Type**; with 1972 C.S.A. certificate.
C.S.A. Catalog No. **WD-QM-10** . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350

On February 20, 1862 Representative Curry of the Confederate Congress' Rules Committee suggested that a committee on Post Offices and Post Roads be established. Subsequently, on the 25th of February it was announced that nine Congressman would comprise the newly formed committee. Two of these members were W.W. Clark of Georgia and Israel Welsh of Mississippi.

2117 ✉ **Confederate States of America, Subsistence Department,** semi-official imprint on tan cover bearing **10¢ blue (11),** four margins, tied by "Richmond Va., May 21" cds to Maj. T.W. White, Chf. C.M., Quincy Fla., **Very Fine.**
C.S.A. Catalog No. **WD-SD-03** $350

Major Pleasant Woodson White (1820-1919) was the Chief Commissary for the State of Florida. The Pleasant W. White papers are housed in the Tebeau Collection of the Alma Clyde Field Library in Cocoa.

2118 ✉ **Confederate States of America, Treasury Department,** imprint (TD-06) on cover to the Assistant Paymaster kin Selma, Ala., franked with **1862, 5¢ light blue, De La Rue printing, horizontal pair** tied by Richmond, Va. cds, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **6** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

2119 ✉ **State of Virginia, Auditor of Public Accounts,** all-over gray shaded semi-official cover with "Richmond Va., Mar 4, 1862" cds and matching "Paid, 5 cts" rating handstamp to Petersburg Va., **Very Fine and choice.**
C.S.A. Catalog No. **S-VA-05**; $750 . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

Confederate Patriotic Covers



2120 ✉ **7-Star Flag,** design (CSAC F7-16) in red, white and blue on stampless cover to Knoxville, Tenn., postmarked Warrenton, Va., Oct. 1 cds with manuscript "Due 10" rate, manuscript military endorsement at left, some cover aging, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



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2121 ✉ **11-Star Flag,** design (CSAC F11-9) with Military Unit Designation "Company A., 7th Alabama Regiment." in red, white and blue on stampless cover postmarked **Warrington, Fla.** with straight line Paid and 5 in circle rate handstamp, addressed to Auburn, Ala., some minor defects, **F.-V.F. and a rare Florida usage.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2122 ✉ **11-Star Flag with "Bartow" Imprint,** red and blue patriotic with hand holding flag pole, on cover with "Lynchburg Va., Aug 28 1861" cds and "Paid 10" handstamp to Rio Ga.; minor edge strengthening, **Very Fine.**
C.S.A. Catalog No. **F11-9**; $1,500 . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



2123 ✉ **12-Star Flag,** design (CSAC 12-3) in red, white and blue on stampless cover postmarked Richmond, Va., Jun 19, 1861 cds and matching "Paid 10" in circle rate handstamp, addressed to Louisiana, small cover fault at top right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



2124 ✉ **(Captured United States Patriotic) Eagle & Flag,** red, white and blue design on captured cover with Fairfax C.H., Va. cds to Dublin, Va., manuscript "5" rate at right, tiny mend tear at right & light vert. cover crease through design, **Very Fine and choice,** ex-Weill, Bischell; with 2001 C.S.A. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750



2125 ✉ **Jefferson Davis Medallion,** design (CSAC JD-2) in red, white and blue on stampless cover hand carried to Fearn Springs, Miss., manuscript endorsement at bottom left "Care of Mr. H. Reid", minor corner wear, **Very Fine and rare design.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2126 ✉ **Jefferson Davis Medallion,** purple patriotic design with Seven Star Flags and 10 Stars in Background, "March to the battle field" verse, "Fredericksburg Va., Nov 9" cds and matching "Paid" straightline to Wilmington N.C., pencil "Nov. 9th 1861" origin dating; reduced at right and some toning, **Fine,** This is a rare example of a Fredericksburg "Paid".
C.S.A. Catalog No. **JB-1B**; $1,000 . . . . . Estimate $250 - 350



2127 (✉) **Tent and Flag,** design (CSAC TF-5) with Military Unit Designation "Capt. Draper's Company A., 7th Reg. Alabama Vol." in red, white and blue on stampless cover (rebacked) postmarked **Warrington, Fla.** with manuscript "Paid 5" and "5" in circle rate handstamp, addressed to Alabama, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Prisoner of War Covers



2128 ✉ **Point Lookout, Md.,** orange prisoner-of-war cover bearing **3¢ rose (65),** couple short perfs, tied by target cancel duplexed with "Point Lookout Md. Apr 5" cds to Pittsylvania C.H. Va., endorsed "P.M. Martin, Lt Col, 53d Va Vols, Pris: of War" at left, manuscript "By Flag of Truce Through Comdg off: Fortress Monroe" endorsement at top, large oval "Approved J. N. Patterson Capt. & Provost Marshal Point Lookout, Md." examiner's handstamp (Type 1), exchanged via Old Point Comfort and Richmond with "Richmond Va., May 6" cds and matching "Due 10" handstamp for Confederate postage, **Very Fine and choice prisoner-of-war use with the large J.N. Patterson examiner's handstamp.**
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Lt. Col. Rawley White Martin of the 53rd Virginia Volunteers (Armistead's Brigade) was wounded during Pickett's Charge at Gettysburg and was by certain accounts the first man over the wall during that climactic battle, he survived and lived nearly another 50 years.



2129 ✉ **Johnson's Island,** homemade envelope franked with United States 3¢ rose (65), light bend, tied by waffle grid with Old Point Comfort, Va., Sep. 14 double circle alongside, addressed to a lieutenant at Johnson's Island, Block #8, manuscript notation "For Flag of Truce" and manuscript prison Examiner's marking at top, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2130 ✉ **Point Lookout Prison, Point Lookout, Md.,** franked with **U.S., 1861 3¢ rose** tied by "Washington, D.C., Dec 2, '63" duplex on cover to Drakes Branch, Va., in combination with **1863 10¢ blue**, tied by "Richmond, Va., Dec 12" cds, endorsed "Via Flag of Truce, Richmd & Fortress Monroe" and type I "Approved/ Point Lookout" oval handstamp of Capt. J.N. Patterson; partial backflap, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **11+U.S. 65** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600



2131 ✉ **Rock Island Barracks,** prisoner of war combination cover franked with United States 1861 3¢ rose (65, small defect) tied by target cancel and Rock Island, Ill., Mar. 19, '64 double circle postmark, cover addressed to Alabama with Rock Island Barracks, Approved Prisoner's Letter examined marking, used in combination with Confederate States of America 1863 10¢ blue (12, right margin single with large margins) tied by Richmond, Va., Apr. 23 cds, flap missing & tiny reduction at top (not mentioned on clear cert.), **Very Fine and rare,** *ex-Antrim, Hart*; with 1987 C.S.A. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Blockade Covers



2132 ✉ **1863 Folded Cover from Mexico to Houston, Tex.,** used from **Matamoros with blue oval forwarder's handstamp** who delivered the cover to Brownsville, where the cover entered the Confederate States of America Postal system with rimless **"Brownsville, Tex., Apr. 20"** postmark with "Paid 10" straight line rate handstamp; tape stains along folds at top & bottom, **F.-V.F.**; with 2000 P.S.E. certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

A RARE USAGE EVADING THE UNITED STATES BLOCKADE.



2133 ✉ **1863, 20¢ Green, Horizontal Pair,** clear to large margins, uncancelled on cover sent by courier, addressed to "Col. Benj. Allston, Gen. Kirby Smith's Staff, Shreveport, Louisiana"; some cover edge soiling and missing most of backflap, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **13**; $3,000. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

A RARE TRANS-MISSISSIPPI EXPRESS COURIER USAGE SENT TO THE INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE TRANS-MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT.



2134 ✉ **Charleston S.C. to Liverpool via Wilmington and Nassau,** cover originating in Charleston S.C. to John Grimball, in care of Fraser Trenholm & Co. in Liverpool, England, left Wilmington, N.C. on the blockade runner *Syren* on February 25 and arrive in Nassau with light **"Bahamas, Mr 1, 1864" transit backstamp** applied upon arrival, sent unpaid with blue crayon "1/5 + 7 = 2/" (two shillings due) and "2/-" due rating handstamp, Liverpool (4.3) arrival cds; slight rough opening at top, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

AN EXCEPTIONALLY RARE OUTBOUND BLOCKADE-RUN COVER.

Lieutenant John Grimball's early career included service on the C.S.S. "Arkansas", an ironclad operating near Vicksburg and reputed to be the most feared ship of the C.S. Navy. The Arkansas ran aground and was burned by the crew. Lt. Grimball was assigned to service abroad on Jan. 6, 1864, and this cover was sent by Grimball's father.

The "Syren" belonged to the Charleston import & Export Company. She made 33 round trips through the blockade, the most of any blockade runner and came through the blockade to Charleston her last time on February 16, 1865, two days before Charleston fell to Union forces. She was tied up in the Ashlet River and set afire when the Feds arrived.

United States Possessions

Canal Zone

2135 * **1932, 3¢ on 2¢ Carmine,** 7 entires, minor edge toning at top, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **U12** $1,575

Hawaii

Postal History



2136 ✉ **Forwarded by Wm. G. Irwin & Co., Shipping and Commission Merchants, Honolulu, H.I.,** large fancy purple oval backstamp on cover to Union City Mich. bearing **6¢ yellow green (33) pair**, tied by two bold strikes of San Francisco cross-roads (MH 61) cancels, magenta "San Francisco, Paid All, Jun 23" exchange cds; open on three-sides for display, **Very Fine.**
Gregory No. **AUXFWDR-IRWIN**. . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

A SCARCE WM. G. IRWIN & CO. HONOLULU FORWARDERS OVAL USE TO THE UNITED STATES.

2137 ✉ **Honolulu, H.I., Paid All, Feb 27, 1877,** red rimless cds (**MH 221.02, R2**) on orange cover bearing 6¢ yellow green (33) tied by segmented rings cancel to New Haven Conn., magenta "San Francisco, Paid All, Mar 9" exchange cds, original 1877 letter accompanies; top right corner nick and top edge staining, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

THIS IS THE EARLIEST RECORDED USE OF THE HONOLULU 221.02 FOREIGN MAIL CDS.

2138 ✉ **Kaunakakai, Molokai, Jan 17, 1896,** purple 281.01 cds with matching four-ring cancel ties 2¢ brown (75) on cover to Kemehameha School at Honolulu, Honolulu (1.18) arrival backstamp; reduced slightly at left, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2139 o **"SHIP" of Japan,** clear strike of straightline cancel on 5¢ ultramarine (39), **Very Fine and scarce cancel.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2140 ✉ **Stmr. C.R. Bishop, Hawaiian Mail Service, Jun 13, 1885,** bold strike of purple cds (**Davey 361, 1RR**) on 2¢ lilac rose (38), **a Very Fine strike.**
Gregory No. **AUXSH-I-I (Bishop)**. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

2141 o **Stmr. Iwalani, Hawaiian Mail Service, Sep 2 1884,** clear strike of blue cds (**Davey 362, 1R**) on 1¢ purple (30); wide margins, some perf toning, **a Very Fine and scarce strike.**
Gregory No. **AUXSH-I-I (Iwalani)** . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

2142 ▲ **Stmr. W.G. Hall, Hawaiian Mail Service, Feb 23, 1886,** bold strike of purple cds (**Davey 365, scarcity 2**) ties 2¢ lilac rose (38); wide margins with right s.e., on small piece, **a Very Fine strike.**
Gregory No. **AUXSH-I-I (Hall)** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



2143 ✉ **Too Late.,** straight line handstamp in black (**MH unrecorded, 1RRRR**) on Board of Health imprint cover bearing **2¢ brown (75)** tied by "Honolulu. H.i., Nov 12, 1895" duplex to Dr. B.D. Bond at Kohala, Hawaii, reverse with matching black "**COLL. 3.50 P.M.**" straightline handstamp (MH 753, R2) and purple "Kohala, Hawaii, Nov 20, 1895" arrival cds, **Very Fine and rare "Too Late." use in combination with the collect marking.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Both the "Too Late." and "Coll. 3.50 P.M." markings are listed only in purple.



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2144 ✉ **Waiahole, Oahu, Apr 3, 1889,** clear full strike of purple cds **(282.023, 1RRRR)** on 1882, 1¢ postal card to Chicago, Ill., uprated with 1883, 1¢ green and tied by matching target handstamps, "Honolulu, H.I., Apr 5, 1889" cds and partial red San Francisco transit postmark, **Very Fine and choice.**
Scott No. **42+UX1**. . . . . Estimate $3,000 - 4,000

THE FINER OF TWO ON COVER EXAMPLES OF THE WAIAHOLE POSTMARK.

Prior to the discovery of this postal card, only a June 5th 1889 postal card with the uprate stamp missing and a off cover stamp were the only known examples. The off-cover stamp sold in our Gary Peters Collection of Hawaii sale (Sale 65, 3/18/16) for $2,800 hammer.

Picture Post Cards

2145 ✉ **Aloha Nui, "Hula Girls",** picture post card with "Hula Girls" scene, message reads "Honolulu 12/8/99, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year" to San Francisco, bearing 2¢ rose (81) tied by "San Francisco, Cal." double-oval and bearing purple "PAQUOBOT" straightline; some staining on address side, **Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



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2146 ✉ **"Aloha Nui" Picture Post Card Correspondence,** group of 19 different cards out of 24 originally mailed from the same correspondence, each bearing 2¢ brown (75) tied by "Honolulu H.I., Oct 25, 1898" duplex to San Francisco Cal., designs as numbered by sender comprise I. "Honolulu Harbor" (close view of ships and harbor), II. Beach at Hilo, Hawaii", IV. "Hawaiian Grasshut", V. "Native Flowergirls", VI. "Coconut Island, Hilo, Hawaii", VII. "Diamond Head", VIII. "Active Crater of Haemaumau 1893", IX. "Rainbow Falls, Hilo, Hawaii", X. "Honolulu Harbor" (showing fisherman on beach with harbor in distance), XI. "Palace and Birdseye view of Honolulu", XII. "Royal Group", XIII. "Native Grasshut", XIV. "Royal Luau", XV. "Wailuku, Maui", XVI. "Native making Poi", XVII. "Roasting pig underground", XVIII. "Pineapple Plantation, Pearl City", XX. "Volcano House, Hawaii", and XXIV. "Government Building and Statue of Kamehameha I", messages are sequential beginning, "Waikiki, 10/23/98, My Dearest, I shall mail my letter finished or unfinished it is too hot to write long letter. Will write to you in sections on postals which are intended for your collection", mentions "…He introduced him to me Prince David of the royal family who celebrated the Princesses birthday & I was invited to dinner I refused but the Prince insisted that I drink a few glasses of champagne…", on the Volcano House card he writes "…I'll not go to the Volcano, I'm too lazy & besides the fire is out…", etc.; some wear and small faults, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

A REMARKABLE ASSEMBLAGE OFFERED TO AUCTION FOR THE FIRST TIME.

2147 ✉ **View Picture Post Card Series,** of six cards: Preparing a Luau, View from Punchbowl, Diamond Head, Pali Road, Native making Poi and Hawaiian Hotel, each with a personal notation relating to view and green "Private Mailing Card, Authorized By Act of Congress, May 19, 1899" handstamp on reverse, **Very Fine and choice.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350





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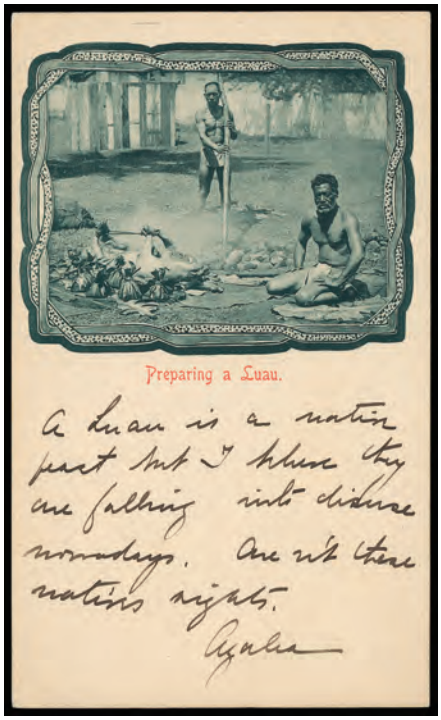

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Advertising Covers



2148 ✉ **E. W. Holdsworth., Honolulu,** two-line handstamp on flap of 1893 registered wrapper to Colchester, England bearing 25¢ dark violet, red ovpt (64) tied by four-ring cancel, two strikes of red "Honolulu, Hawaii, Sep 4, 1893" cds (273.01, scarcity 2) with matching "R" registry and "A.R." return receipt handstamps, red London Registered entry postmark also ties stamp, Colchester (10.4) arrival backstamp, **Very Fine and rare registered wrapper use.**
Peters-Uota No. **EWH-HS-1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

Wrapper usage probably prepaid for five-times the 2¢ second-class rate for each 2 ounces plus 10¢ registry and 5¢ return receipt fees. E.W. Holdsworth was the designer of the 1894-99 Hawaiian Pictorial Issues.



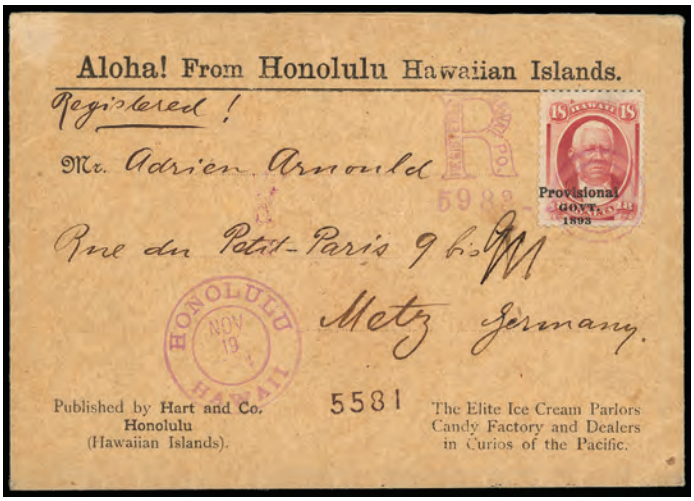
2149 ✉ **Elite Ice Cream Parlors and Candy Factory Seal,** blue serrated circular adhesive ad seal showing "Hart & co., Honolulu" heart at center, affixed on reverse of reduced legal-size cover to Lowell Mass. bearing **1¢ green, red ovpt (55) pair** and **6¢ yellow green, red ovpt (60) strip of three**, each tied by three strikes of purple four-ring cancel, matching partial "Honolulu, Hawaii" double-circle datestamp and "Registered" R handstamp at left, endorsed "Registered" at top left, reverse with Montreal, Canada and Boston (11.21.1894) transits, and Lowell (11.21) arrival oval; small flaws, **Fine.**
Peters-Uota No. **HAR-AS-1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS HART & CO. ELITE ICE CREAM SEALS.



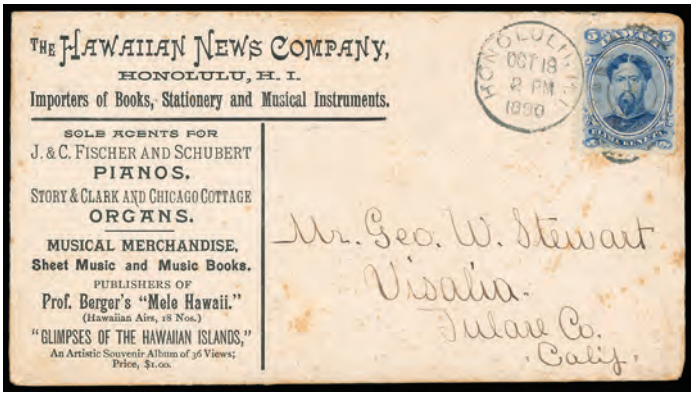
2150 ✉ **HART & CO. Honolulu,** purple straightline at lower left on legal-size blue registered cover to San Francisco Cal. bearing franking of two **2¢ rose (43)** pairs, five **5¢ ultramarine (39)** singles, and **2¢ rose, black ovpt (66)**, all tied by purple four-ring cancels, red "Honolulu, Hawaii, Sep 13, 1893" cds with matching "R" registered and "A.R." handstamps, San Francisco (9.20) arrival backstamps; two 5¢ faulty, **Very Fine.**
Peters-Uota No. **HAR-AS-unlisted** . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

Queen Liliuokalani was deposed on Jan. 17, 1893. Postmaster Oat issued an order in April 1893 that after May 20th, the unoverprinted stamps would not be valid. This envelope was apparently ignored as show by this cover with "invalid" stamps accepted and an overprinted 2¢ added to make up needed postage.



2151 ✉ **Hart and Co. Honolulu, "Aloha! From Honolulu Hawaiian Islands",** large advertising brown cover **to Germany** for "The Elite Ice Cream Parlors, Candy Factory and Dealers in Curios of the Pacific" bearing **18¢ dull rose, black ovpt (71)** tied by purple four-ring cancel, matching "Honolulu, Hawaii, Nov 19, 1894" double-circle datestamp and "R" registered number handstamp, **Very Fine.**
Peters-Uota No. **HAR-CC-1** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

This envelope style was used by Hart & Co. to send printed souvenir views via printed matter abroad. This cover was prepaid four-times the 2¢ per 2 oz. second class rate plus 10¢ registry fee.



2152 ✉ **The Hawaiian News Company, Honolulu, H.I.,** broadside style advertising cover listing sole agents for pianos, organs and publishers, bearing **5¢ ultramarine (39)** tied by "Honolulu, H.I., Oct 18, 1890" duplex to Visalia Cal.; minor cover toning, **otherwise Very Fine and rare ad cover.**
Peters-Uota No. **HINC-BS-1** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

THE FINER OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS HAWAIIAN NEWS CO. BROADSIDE ADVERTISING COVER.

Hawaiian News Co. were book, stationery and musical instrument retailers.

2153 ✉ **Hobron Drug Co. Ltd., Druggists, Honolulu, H.I.,** printed corner card on gray cover with illustrated red "Putnam's Cherry Cough Comfort" advertising on reverse, bearing **1¢ yellow (74)** tied by "Honolulu, H.I. Jun 1, 1896" duplex locally addressed to Manuel, the Barber, purple "Return to Writer" hand handstamp; light edge wear, **Very Fine and attractive ad.**
Peters-Uota No. **HOB-IL-2**. . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

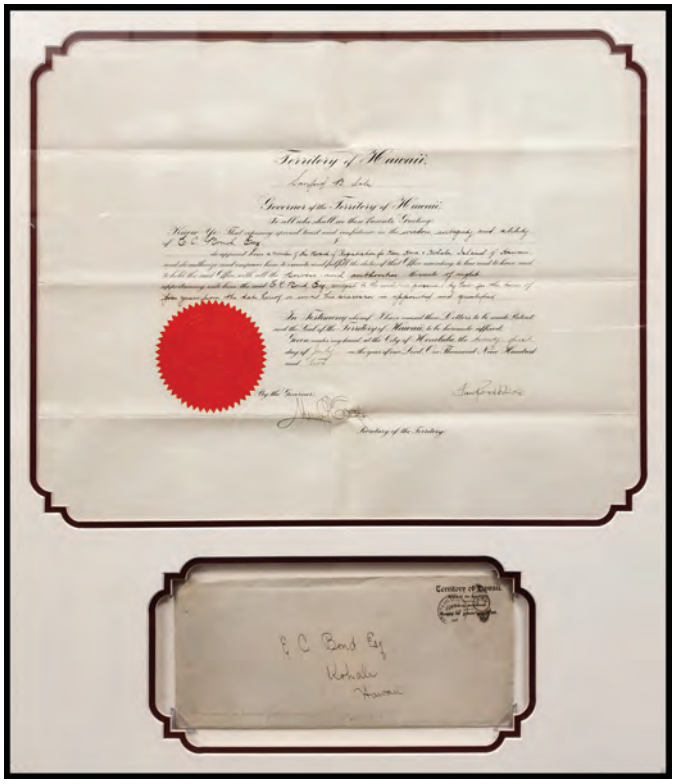


2154 ✉ **Willard E. Brown, Stock and Bond Broker, Honolulu, H.I.,** three-line purple backstamp on cover with blue printed "William E. Brown, Stock Broker, Honolulu, H., I." corner card (WEB-CC-2) bearing 2¢ rose (81) tied by "Honolulu. H.I., Mar 1, 1899" duplex to W.J. Laurie, Spreckelsville, Maui, **Very Fine,** *ex-Peters*.
Peters-Uota No. **WEB-HS-1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

Misc. Documents, Correspondence and Ephemera

2155 ✉ **1894 & 1895 Republic of Hawaii Ribbons,** two ribbons, blue 1894 July 4th Sanford B. Dole President, Member of the Constitutional Convention blue ribbon showing Eagle at center with "Hawaii" star, and gold 1895 July 4th Anniversary Day General Committee ribbon; some wear, **Fine and scarce pair.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

The Republic of Hawaii was the formal name of the nation of Hawaii between July 4th 1894, when the Provisional Government of Hawaii ended, and August 12, 1898, when it was annexed by the United States as a territory of the United States. The Territory of Hawaii was formally established as part of the U.S. on June 14, 1900. After Queen Liliuokalani was overthrown in 1893, the new Republic of Hawaii was led by Sanford B. Dole and Lorrin A. Thurston, who were native-born subjects of the Hawaiian kingdom and speakers of the Hawaiian language, but had strong financial, political, and family ties to the United States.



2156 **1902 Sanford B. Dole Appointment Proclamation,** 16x12" document of Sanford B. Dole (1st Governor Territory of Hawaii) appointing E.C. Bond to the Board of Registration of the Big Island of Hawaii, with large red Official Hawaiian Seal; signed by Governor Dole and the Secretary of the Territory Henry Cooper; with original official business letter that the document was sent in; matted and framed, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2157 **Governmental Hall "Pass",** 1893 printed form on pink laid paper (5½x4¼"), with "Officer of the Day" signature line; fold, **Very Fine,** very rare.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150





2158 **(King Kalakaua) Coronation Ceremony Royal Invitation, 1883,** multicolored Royal Arms on Mantle invitation (205x146mm) in English to Mr. & Mrs. W.H. Bailey, with original royal envelope franked with 1878, 1¢ violet tied by Honolulu target handstamp; cover with light toning and minor edge wear, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

A WONDERFUL AND RARE EXAMPLE OF THE ENGLISH VERSION OF THE 1883 ROYAL INVITATION.

On February 12, 1883 one of the most grand and regal events ever witnessed in Hawaii was held at the recently completed Iolani Palace in Honolulu. Nine years to the day after his election as Mo'i, David La'amea Kamanakapu'u Mahinulani Naloiaehuokalani Lumialani Kalakaua was crowned in a majestic coronation ceremony.

2159 **(King Kalakaua) Iolani Palace Invitation,** 1875 invitation (7¾x5") with colorless embossed royal seal, sent by H.M. Chamberlain E.H. Boyd; usual horizontal folds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2160 **King Kamehameha IV,** Medcalf #20, 8¾" x 7¼" lettersheet with embossed black Royal crown monogram imprint and black border; some toning, central fold, **F.-V.F.,** *Medcalf $550.*
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2161 **(King Lunalilo) Iolani Palace Dinner Invitation,** 1873 printed dinner invitation (7x4") with Royal Arms with three ring border imprint, sent by H.M. Chamberlain H.G. Crabbe; horizontal folds, **Very Fine and scarce.**
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2162 ✉ **(Spanish American War) 1899, 2¢ Rose,** tied by "Honolulu. H.I., Aug 7, 1899" duplex on cover endorsed "Soldiers Mail, J.M. Graham, 1st Lieut. 19th. Inf." to father General Wm. M. Graham, Brooklyn N.Y., original letter accompanies detailing his travels, shipboard duties, stowaways, deserters, etc. "*...In coming into Honolulu Honolulu we passed the Tartar just leaving with Hdqtrs. & two battalions of 19th on board. This morning the Newport left here with the other two companies of this battalion. I was officer of the day on coming in and had a thunder of a job keeping all hands on aboard...went out to Diamond Head in a horse car and saw some of this native suf bathing where they use the board. On the way back we saw the Palace but did not go in...The Hawaiian band was down and plated all the latest two steps. The have about thirty pieces and are fine...Expect to arrive Manilla 25th or 26th...*", **a Very Fine Spanish-American war soldier letter.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2163 ✉ **(Transportation) Volcano Stables & Transportation Co., Ltd.,** transportation voucher for "One Package Not Exceeding 10 Pounds"; light crease and small edge nick, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2164 ***U.S.S. Pensacola*** Calling Card, printed card (1875 Honolulu, 5½x3½") for dancing to Rear Admiral Almy, Captain Gherardi, and the officers of the "Pensacola", **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Regular Issues

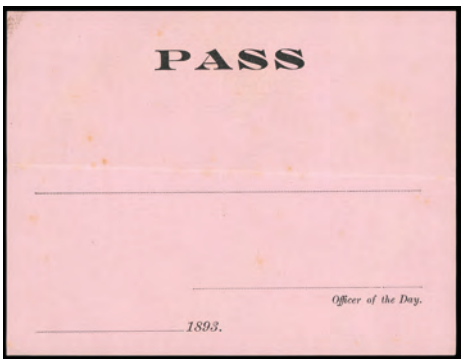


2165 (*) **1857, 5¢ Manuscript Surcharge on 13¢ Dark Red,** Type I (Clark) Numeral, unused (no gum), margins to touching framelines at sides, rich color, **Very Fine**; signed Small "W.H.C." backstamp (Warren H. Colson), with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **7**. $7,000

A LOVELY UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 5-CENT ON 13-CENT PROVISIONAL SURCHARGE.

The 5¢ provisional surcharge was necessary due to a shortage of 5¢ stamps just after the transition from Postmaster Whitney to Jackson. Most were made by Jackson's clerk, Alvah Clark, around the start of 1857. New supplies of the 5¢ stamp (Scott No. 8) were received at the end of June 1857.

2166 **❒ **1868, 5¢ Blue, Re-Issue,** complete sheet of 20, full o.g., stamps never hinged, overall toning, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **10** $630



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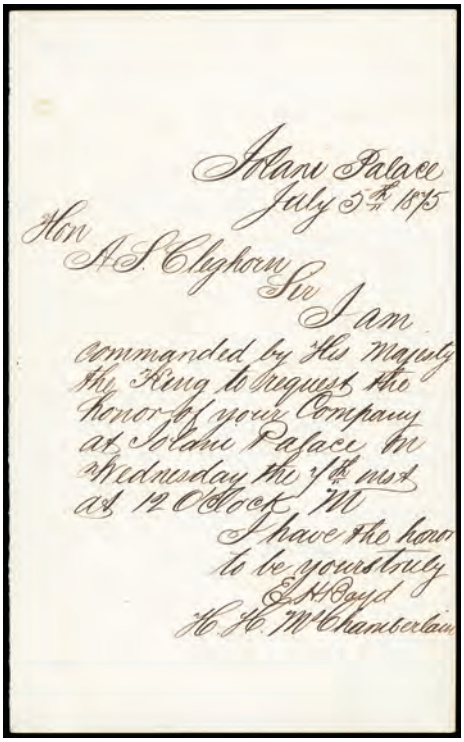

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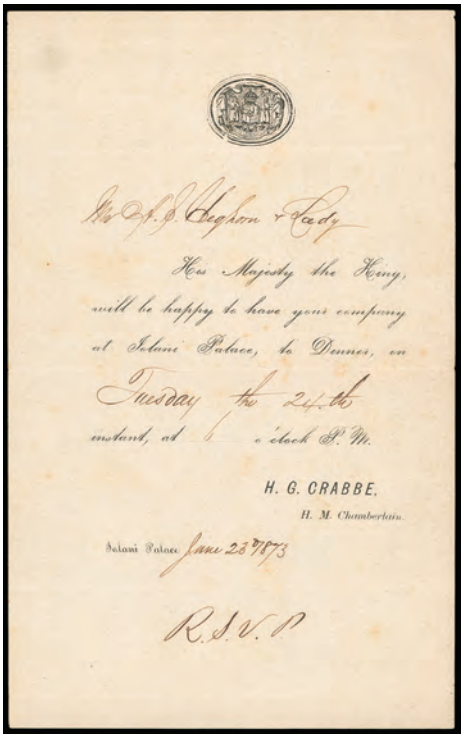

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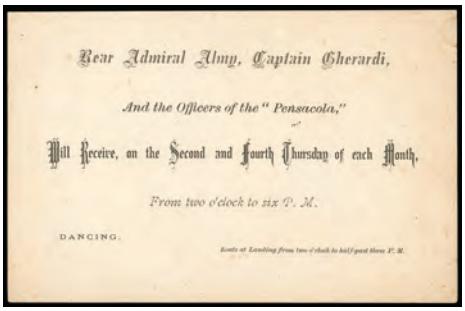

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2167 S❒ **1868, 5¢ Blue, Re-Issue, Overprinted "Specimen",** complete sheet of 20, strong color with position 2 showing the line through Honolulu variety, some thin spots and two hinge stains, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **10SA** $705

2168 S**❒ **1868, 13¢ Orange Red, Re-Issue, Overprinted "Specimen",** complete sheet of 20, o.g., never hinged, minor tone spot, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **11SA** . . . . . $675 as o.g.



2169 o **1863, 1¢ Black on Grayish,** plate 4-A, type VI, position 6, full **blue oval negative "W&D" oval cancel** believed to be a private marking, ample to large margins, **Very Fine,** *ex-Ferrari and Caspary*; with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate.
Scott No. **15** . . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

A LOVELY EXAMPLE OF THE 1863 1¢ NUMERAL ISSUE BEARING THIS UNIQUE NEGATIVE "W&D" CANCELLATION.



2170 (*) **1864, 2¢ Black,** plate 5-C, type VI, position 6, without gum, ample to huge margins, **Extremely Fine.**
Scott No. **20** $775

2171 * **1865, 2¢ Dark Blue,** plate 10-A, complete reconstruction of all ten positions, o.g., most are four margin copies, few just in; small faults as always, **Fine to Extremely Fine** centering, two with Philatelic Foundation certificates.
Scott No. **26** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

2172 (*) **1865, 2¢ Dark Blue, "Broken Toe" Variety,** plate 10-A, type II, position 10, without gum, ample to large margins, tiny thin, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **26** $350

2173 **/*❒ **1869, 2¢ Red, Re-Issue,** complete sheet of 15, showing "Standard" papermakers watermark at top, rich color, full o.g. with only one stamp hinged, h.r. in top left margin, rich color, couple small thin spots in margin only, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Scott No. **29** $795

2174 S **1866, 5¢ Blue, Black "Specimen" Overprint,** medium serifed letters, rich color, small faults, without gum, **Fine and scarce.**
Scott No. **32S** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



2175 ✉ **1866, 5¢ Blue,** two, each cancelled by matching bold pen stroke, on 1866 double-rate cover to Derry N.H., bold strike of red "Honolulu, U.S. Postage Paid, Dec 10" cds, endorsed "By Steamer from S.F.", combination franking of **United States 3¢ rose (65) and 5¢ brown (76)**, each cancelled by rim of San Francisco target cancel, matching bold "San Francisco Cal. Jan 10" cds, Feb. 1st 1867 receipt docketing at left; left No. 32 torn, minor edge flaws, **Very Fine,** *ex-Honolulu Advertiser, Twigg-Smith*.
Scott No. **32** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE AND UNUSUAL HAWAIIAN AND UNITED STATES MIXED FRANKING.

This cover is from the Fifth Sub-Period of the Late Treaty Period. As a double-rate cover, the 5¢ Hawaiian postage correctly prepays two-times the 5¢ rate, but the U.S. postage was underpaid at 8¢. The sender perhaps thought the rate was only two-times the 3¢ letter rate plus the 2¢ ship fee.

2176 ✉ **1866, 5¢ Blue,** tied by "Honolulu, H.I. Feb 01, 1891" duplex (day inverted) on cover to Tarrytown N.Y., original letter with content on the death of King Kalakaua (1836-1891), reads in part "*...I guess you have heard of the death of our king. It was very sad to think he should die in a foreign land. He went for the benefit of his health and on his return we were gong to hive him a grand reception, and now everything is change into mourning. The arches that were built are now hung in black. All stores are draped and the Palace and Government House are beautifully decoration or at least hung in black. The news was such a sudden shock that we could hardly realize it but when the Charleston appeared in the harbor draped in mourning and the casket was brought from the ship to the palace, the native wailed very piteously and the Queen's grief as she saw the coffin turned the hardest of hearts. She wrung her hand and seemed as though her grief was more than she could bear. I saw the King lie and the coffin given to him by the American Govmnt is very elaborate being heavenly draped in black velvet. He is to be buried next Sunday and will have a grand funeral. I will write again and tell you all about it. We feel very sorry. He was such a kind man, and many secret acts of kindness will be remembered. The present Queen is a more dignified person and will no doubt hold her position well...*"; no flap and edge faults, **Fine.**
Scott No. **32** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

A REMARKABLE ACCOUNT OF THE DEATH OF KING KALAKAUA.

King Kalakaua (1836-1891) died on January 20th in California. The news of Kalakaua's death did not reach Hawaii until January 29th when the Charleston returned to Honolulu with the remains of the King. As his designated heir-apparent, Liliuokalani ascended to the throne on January 29th.

2177 (*) **1882, 1¢ Blue,** wide horizontal pre-printing paper fold, without gum, **fresh and Very Fine,** rare on Hawaiian issue.
Scott No. **37** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

2178 ✉ **1882, 5¢ Ultramarine,** two singles, tied by black four-ring cancels, matching "Honolulu, Hawaii, Oct 1" cds on 1884 **mourning cover** to Act. Commander John H. Henderson, **H.M.S. *Swiftsure*** at Esquimalt, British Columbia, reverse with San Francisco (10.8) transit and Victoria (10.13) arrival cds; small edge flaws and flap tear, **Very Fine and scarce mourning cover use.**
Scott No. **39** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



2179 ✉ **1883, 1¢ Green,** single and pair, tied by "Honolulu. H.I. Apr 12, 1889" duplex as forwarding postage on **Switzerland 10c postal card** to Honolulu, Hawaii where forwarded back to Switzerland around-the-world trans-Pacific, endorsed "via Sydney", reverse with San Francisco (3.29, 3.31), Honolulu (4.7) and Sydney (5.30) transits, Zurich (7.5) arrival cds; sender requests "Will you be so kind and send me this card around the world by the same steamer off Honolulu by way of Japan…", **Very Fine and unusual around-the-world postal card use.**
Scott No. **42** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

2180 ✉ **1893, 1¢ Green, Red Overprint,** vertical pair, tied by four-ring cancel on unsealed 1893 buff cover **to Austria**, reverse with New York (9.25.93) transit and Vienna (10.6) arrival cds, **Very Fine and scarce use at the 2¢ UPU printed matter rate.**
Scott No. **55** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



2181 ✉ **1893, 5¢ Ultramarine, Red Overprint,** tied by "Honolulu, H.I., Dec 5, 1893" duplex postmark on cover **Georgetown, South Africa forwarded to Demerara, British Guiana**, manuscript "unknown at Georgetown, Cape Colony" endorsement at left, various Cape Colony and London transit and "Georgetown, B. Guiana" receiving backstamps; cover edge wear and slight soiling, **F.-V.F.,** an extremely rare and **unique usage to both South Africa and British Guiana**.
Scott No. **59** . . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500



2182 * **1893, 6¢ Green, Double Red Overprint (I),** both overprints heavy, o.g. with couple of very light, inconsequential natural gum creases, fresh with rich color, **Very Fine,** a beautiful example and by far **the rarest of all the type I overprints**; with 2011 P.F. certificate for pair.
Scott No. **60e var.**. . . . . Estimate $5,000 - 7,500

ONE OF ONLY TWO CERTIFIED EXAMPLES OF THE 1893 6¢ BANKNOTE ISSUE RED DOUBLE OVERPRINT TYPE I.

2183 ✉ **1893, 10¢ Vermilion, Black Overprint,** used with **5¢ deep indigo, red ovpt (58) pair**, each tied by red "Honolulu, Hawaii, Apr 2, 1897" cds, matching "R" registered and "A.R." return receipt handstamp to London, England, black "Registered, Liverpool, 24 AP 97" oval transit, British blue crayon cross marking, London (4.26) arrival backstamp, **Very Fine and attractive registered use,** *ex-Overland*.
Scott No. **67** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



2184 ✉ **1893, 18¢ Dull Rose, Black Overprint,** horizontal pair, used with 12¢ black, red ovpt. (62) pair and 10¢ red brown, black ovpt (68) pair, each tied by purple four-ring cancel on large-size cover with red Theo. H. Davies & Co. flap cachet to E.F. Gambs, San Francisco Cal., matching "Honolulu, Hawaii, Sep 29, 1894" cds, "R" registered and "A.R." handstamps, pink red "REGISTERED" straightline with manuscript "by E.W. Holdsworth, Honolulu H.I." at lower left, endorsed "Per S.S. Arawa" at top left, reverse with partial Vancouver transit cds and purple San Francisco Registered (10.19) arrival cds, **Very Fine and striking use,** *ex-Tows*.
Scott No. **71** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

E.W. Holdsworth was the designer of the 1894-99 Hawaiian Pictorial Issues.

2185 ✉ **1894, 1¢ Yellow,** horizontal pair, tied by "Hilo, Hawaii, Aug. 15. 98" double-circle datestamp on wrapper to Switzerland, reverse with Unterageri (9.15) arrival cds, tear at left, **a Very Fine and scarce wrapper use at the 2c printed matter rate to Switzerland.**
Scott No. **74** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

2186 o **1894, 2¢ Brown,** manuscript **"Hoaeae, 2/17/97" plantation postmark** and partial Honolulu town cancel, **Very Fine,** the only manuscript example we known of from Hoaeae.
Scott No. **75** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300



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2187 ✉ **1894, 5¢ Rose Lake, Left Margin Horizontal Pair,** tied by "Honolulu, H.I., Aug 28, 1894" duplex postmarks on cover to **Valkeakoski, Finland** forwarded to Helsingfors, registry endorsement crossed out at upper left, reverse with San Francisco transit and Finish receivers, **Very Fine,** a very rare destination.
Scott No. **76** . . . . . Estimate $600 - 800

2188 ✉ **1894, 12¢ blue,** used with **1¢ dark green (80) strip of three** and **5¢ blue (82)**, tied by three strikes of "Honolulu, Hawaii, Nov 10, 1899" cds (282.11, R6) on cover with printed Bank of Hawaii corner card (BOH-CC-1) to Messrs. Makins & Co., San Francisco Cal., matching red solid "R." registry handstamp, endorsed "F.C. Atherton" on reverse, purple San Francisco (11.17) arrival backstamp, **a Very Fine registered use.**
Scott No. **78** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



2189 ✉ **1894, 25¢ Deep Blue,** tied by magenta "Honolulu, Hawaii Aug 19 1896" cds and matching registry handstamp adjacent on 1896 registered cover from Hawaii to Newburyport Mass, reverse with San Francisco (8.27) and Newburyport (9.9) backstamps, purple "Unclaimed" and "Returned to Writer" straightlines, San Francisco (9.15) backstamp and **San Francisco, Cal. (FX-SF1a) registry label** with "12847" number affixed for outbound return; reduced at right and lower right corner improved, **F.-V.F.,** *ex-Bleuler, Omdahl*.
Scott No. **79** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

2190 **❒ **1899, 2¢ Rose,** pane of 50, o.g., stamps never hinged, minor separation reinforced at bottom imprint, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **81** $175

2191 o **1899, 2¢ Rose, "Flying Goose" Flaw,** barely cancelled leaving flaw clearly visible, brilliant color; very light crease, **Very Fine appearance.**
Scott No. **81 var.** $350

2192 o **1899, 2¢ Rose, "Flying Goose" Flaw,** lightly cancelled leaving flaw clearly visible, radiant color, **fresh and Fine.**
Scott No. **81 var.** $350

Postal Stationery

2193 *✉ **1884, 10¢ Black, Blue Inside,** Mint entire, light rubber band stain, **Fine and scarce entire,** would make a superb cut corner.
Scott No. **U9** $600

2194 o **1897, 1¢ Red on Buff, Larger Border Frame,** canceled by "Honolulu, Aug 28, 1897" duplex postmark, used locally, with printed **American Union Party meeting notice** on reverse; minor edge flaws, **Very Fine,** a very rare printed notice.
Scott No. **UX8a** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200



2195 ✉ **1894, 2¢ green,** cancelled by faint "Honouliuli, Oahu, Aug 24, 1897" double-circle datestamp (MH 281.02) and addressed to the Weekly Mail **at Bangkok, Siam**, additional "Honolulu, H.I. Aug. 24, 1897" transit duplex, Hong Kong (9.23) transit and partial Bangkok arrival cds, message datelined "Ewa Mil, Oahu" and requests a copy of their publication and ad information; some thinning on back from adherence, **otherwise Very Fine and exceptionally rare Hawaiian destination,** *ex-Advertiser*.
Scott No. **UX9** . . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

2196 */o✉ **Postal Cards with Printed Messages,** group of 10 mint and used comprising seven UX1 and three UX8, messages include YMCA, Department of Interior, Wilder's S.S. Co., B.F. Eblers & Co. Millinery Reception, Board of the Hawaiian Evangelical Assoc., Social Science Assoc., Honolulu Water Works, General Church Union, Oahu College; some faults.
Scott No. **UX1, UX8** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400



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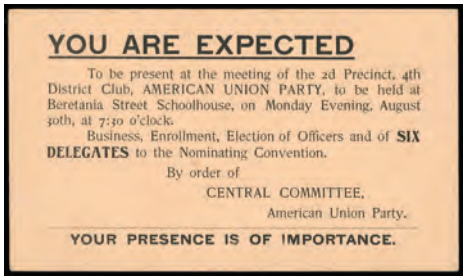

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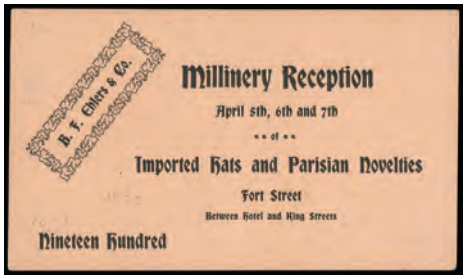

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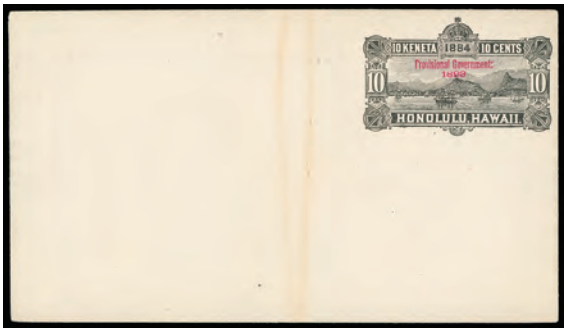

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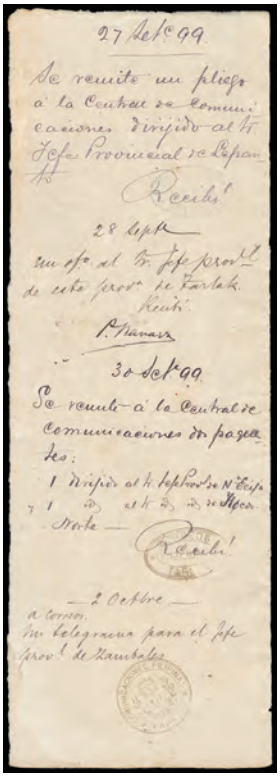

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Revenue

2197 E **Playing Cards, 1892, 25¢ Black, Essay on Grayish Wove,** 12"x1¼", prepared for use but never issued, full o.g., two creases as, right reinforced separation, **otherwise Very Fine,** a very scarce intact band as most examples have been cut down to fit into albums.
Meyer-Harris No. **571** . . . . . Estimate $400 - 600

2198 o **1894, 25¢ Violet Brown,** light red cancels, slight margin scuffing, **F.-V.F. appearance,** one of the scarcest revenue issues.
Scott No. **R10** $1,000

2199 **1994 Royal Hawaiian Proof Set,** consists of 3 Gold Coins (total .4 oz.), and Silver Dollar; housed in Special Holder; beautiful and rare.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2200 **1994 Royal Hawaiian Proof Set,** consists of 3 Gold Coins (total .4 oz.), and Silver Dollar; housed in Special Holder; beautiful and rare.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

Philippines

2201 ✉ **Burauen, Leyte, Phil, Feb 5, 1945, 5:00 PM,** provisional manuscript postmarks in circle resembling circular date stamps, tying **1945, 2¢-20¢ + 1p Victory issues** on legal size cover to Taunton, Mass., notation by sender "Re-Opening P.O., 1st Victory stamps, sold at Burauen, Leyte, P.I., cancelled in ink because Japs had confiscated regular cancellation stamps" at left with and postmaster certification above; some minor toning, **Very Fine.**
Scott No. **485-492, 494** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

2202 ✉ **Registered Covers, 1899-1904,** four items; 1899 Manila to N.Y.C. bearing U.S. 5¢ Bureau two singles and 1900 Manila to Colorado on Headquarters corner card cover franked with 1899, 10¢ brown (217), 1899 Cebu to N.Y.C. on U.S. 2¢ entire uprated with 1899 3¢ +5¢ (215+216), and 1904 Camp Stotsenburg to Rizal on 1¢ entire uprated with 1910, 8¢ (222); some flaws, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2203 **Revolutionary Government, 1899 Manila Communications Department Office Accounting Report,** from September 27th to December 27th, accounting (on both sides of document) of various telegram communications, with various handstamps, **Very Fine,** an unusual telegram receipt form.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

Ryukyus

2204 (*) **Amami District, 1948, "Ken" (Inspection Seal) on Mt. Fuji and Cherry Blossoms, 10s Red Orange, Imperf,** without gum as issued, large margins all around, very light bend at bottom, **fresh & Extremely Fine,** exceptionally rare, only 48 issued.
Scott No. **2X16** $2,500

2205 (*) **1958, U.S. Currency Provisional, $1 Rose Lilac, Imperf Between,** horizontal pair, without gum as issued, **F.-V.F.,** a desirable error.
Scott No. **53a** $500

2206 ✉ **Samoa, 1887, 1d Green + 2d Yellow,** tied by "Apia, Samoa, Jan 28" cds on 1881 cover to Lynn, Mass., in combination with **U.S. 1890, 10¢ green** (226) tied by waffle grid handstamp, reverse with San Francisco transit and receiving postmarks; flaws in 2d stamp, **F.-V.F.,** a scarce combination; with 1977 P.F. certificate.
Scott No. **11+13** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

United States Cover Collections

Postal History by Subject

2207 ✉ **Abraham Lincoln Collection,** wide assortment of Lincoln related collateral including numerous photographs and illustrations, unused patriotic covers and songsheets, carte-de-visite, campaign cover, Lincoln stamp issues on cover and a host of a couple hundreds related covers and cards.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2208 ✉ **(Advertising) Cameo Corner Card Group,** of six covers; three blue merchant cards from New York, Cincinnati and Indianapolis each franked with 1851, 3¢ dull red (11/11A), one in red on backflap advertising whalebone (backflap tear, N.Y.), one in **green** from New York and an oversized illustrated steam engine and boiler boxed cameo from Pittsburgh, Pa. (edge nick) each bearing 1857, 3¢ dull red, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2209 ✉ **Advertising/Illustrated Cover Accumulation,** of approximately 230 covers and cards, mostly 1880-1920's with some earlier and later usages; nice array including New England Stamp Co. G.B. £5 stamp facsimile corner card registered wit 5¢ Trans-Miss pair, Panama Rail Road Co., 1893 World's Columbian Expo allover ad, Flexible Flyer sled multicolored ad, Merchant's Gargling Oil including early 1863 corner card (one of the earliest for this M&M revenue issue company), early 1893 Kodak camera label (started in 1892), four colored carnival covers from various states, also a rum of colored illustrated ad designs on 1920's postal cards, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2210 ✉ **California Postal History Group,** little over 100 California town covers with many ghost towns, 9 express usages (many Nevada) and a mix of other covers including a few other western states; includes a few early with 1850's Mokulumne Hill, most 1870-80's usages with Bodie, Fiddletown, Borden oval, Lundy (Bennett correspondence), Corralitos, Hayden Hilll, Wrights, Howe, Forest City (unusual triple strike) and New Jerusalem just to name a few, express mostly W., F. & Co.; condition mixed, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2211 ✉ **California Postal History Group,** of 19 good to better items; includes group of 5 Placerville from early stampless to 1899 R.P.O., 1850's "Culloma" & "Coloma", 1857 Yreka, early privately carried mail to San Francisco, unusual 1850 S.F. to London usage, 1851 red Sacramento City cds and "40" rate, other foreign and transcontinental usages, few later items, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2212 ✉ **Colorado Picture Post Cards, 1900-40s,** collection of **400** sleeved cards comprising 271 mint and 129 used cards, topics include downtown Denver: Thayer publishing cards circa 1909 (7), buildings and street scenes 1900-1920 (37), railroad union station, capitol etc (48), city park scenes 1907-20 (13), Colorado Springs Garden of Gods mountain scenery (54), Colorado Springs Pikes Peak 1905-20 (33), Colorado Railroads (11), Red Rocks (13), Royal Gorge (22), Col. Eastern Mountain Scenery (47) incl. Central City (13), Col. Western Scenery (72), etc., various town views and scenes, panoramic views and street scenes, no real photos, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2213 ✉ **Cover Accumulation,** of approximately 380 covers and cards mostly housed in albums; wide array of material including early stampless including steamboat and transatlantic, San Juan Puerto Rico crown circle on incoming to Boston, Banknote usages including foreign destinations (15¢ registered to Germany) and fancy town duplexes, small 1858 cover to France with 10¢ two singles, Wells, Fargo & Co. Express, Civil War related including */o patriotics and some mixed CSA, locals mostly Blood's and Boyd's usages with a Union Square 1¢ green tied on cover front, perfins and private perfs, some ephemera and literature including Winter's transatlantic and early auction catalogs including the 1946 F.D.R. sale and Knapp part 2; condition varied, worth careful evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2214 ✉ **Cover Balance,** few hundred mostly 20th century covers and cards; includes some early stampless, interesting auxiliary marks including "Fraudulent" and "Cannot Locate Without Vessel's Name", some Possessions, also a run of Am. Airlines first flights and a charred crash cover; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2215 ✉ **Cover Group including Illinois, 1861-1900s,** group of 31 covers including 20th century fancy cancels, registered, etc. strong Illinois, better includes #284, 290 Blue Island Ill. registered to Holland, #213, E1 1889 use with red "Hennepin Ill." cds, Chicago Ridge Ill 1930 yellow pumpkin fancy cancel, Lanesville Ill. 1931 registered with fancy lion cancels, many are ex-Paige.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2216 **Ephemera Group,** of 43 items; mostly early sewing machine advertising cards, early 18th century book print, 1920-30 magazine prints, ad booklets, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2217 ✉ **Fancy Cancels Reference Collection, 1860's,** of approximately 350 covers mostly bearing Scott #65 frankings; an array of cancel types including mostly geometrics, letters including initials, "OK", pictorials including crescent moon, straight line postmarks including Fort Smith, Ark, some dubious cancels, etc.; condition mixed but virtually all different, inspection a must.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2218 ✉ **Machine Cancel Group, 1890s-1900s,** small group of 22 covers including Hamden, American, Barry, and Evans, some scarcer types, worthwhile group.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2219 *✉ **Magnus Unused Patriotic Covers,** balance of 70 covers; nice array of designs including bronze states, Ellsworth, map designs, allover views, rare **allover eagle design in gold**, many multicolored handpainted (most numbered in pen in corner); condition varied with some minor duplication.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2220 ✉ **Masonic Cover Collection,** lifetime collection of over 175 items on stock pages in a binder, including covers, postcards and misc. ephemera, features corner cards, stamps and covers with/fancy cancels, revenue match stamps, early Canada, printed matter etc., well worth inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2221 ✉ **Massachusetts Hand-Carried Covers, 1816-22,** stampless folded letters addressed to Elizabeth Edwards mostly in Boston and Marlborough, mostly nice condition for these.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200



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2222 ✉ **Panama Pacific Exposition Balance, 1915,** of mostly ephemera items and includes postcards, covers and some mint stamps; ephemera including a 1904 letter from the White House to the Secretary of the Treasury to make payment on the secured Panama territory under the New Panama Canal Co. and signed Theodore Roosevelt, exposition letter to Exhibitors, post Exposition permit (pass), wood post card, various monographs, etc.; a useful group for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2223 ✉ **Patriotic Cover Balance,** of 20 covers plus a few other related items; includes two with matching letterhead enclosures and two others with original enclosures, nice array of design, few dubious usages not counted; condition mixed, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2224 **Patriotic Lettersheet Collection,** of 15 used and 16 unused lettersheets; most better items-colored illustrated designs, mint sheets mostly accompanied by a matching patriotic cover, including Generals (three from matching series), eagle, flags, cannon, etc, used including one with original cover, couple rare Howell poem sheets, perhaps the best the "Game Cock of Uncle Sam" design, some interesting content in letters; condition a bit varied, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2225 **Patriotic Song Sheet Collection,** 100 sheets virtually all different in binder; includes 21 Magnus sheets (4 are lettersheets) mostly multicolored, other publishers including Magee and Marsan, some popular songs including "The Star-Spangled Banner" and "Boston Tea Party"; condition mixed with Magnus designs mostly in nice condition; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2226 *✉ **Patriotic Unused Cover Balance,** of over 180 covers virtually all different; wide array of designs with many scarce items throughout; with scarce multicolored designs, uncommon caricatures from publishers including D. Murphy's Son, Gates and the ever popular Berlin & Jones designs, other scarce publishers including Kimmel, Magnus "like" designs (no imprint but likely Magnus), interesting small format covers, allover including scarce "Art Ward Jr's Speech at Camp Dennison"; condition varies, worth careful evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2227 */o✉ **Picture Post Card Accumulation,** of approximately 300-400 cards mostly used; includes section of exposition related including S.F. Pan-Pacific including souvenir folder and many multicolored cards, Exposition cancels from 1904 St. Louis and 1909 Seattle, Wash., 1¢ Parcel Post usages (1st and 2nd month usages), section of Christmas Seals usages, etc.; worth evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2228 ✉ **Post Cards including Alaska and Expos,** collection of over **340** post cards including Alaska, holidays of Christmas, Easter, etc., Expos include Alaska-Yukon (55), Jamestown (10), Pan-Pacific (10) and 5 Pilgrims, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2229 ✉ **Spencerian Script Cover Balance,** 25 covers and cards bearing fancy script addresses, including early 1860's items to the turn of the century, few illustrated bird incorporations into address, etc.; condition varies, an interesting and useful group.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2230 ✉ **Steamboat and Ship Mail, 1810-1853,** group of 13 covers including 1810 Savannah Ga. fancy scroll "Ship" handstamp cover, manuscript markings of "Steam 12½", "S B 37½", "SB 12½", "Steam 25" etc., some content, mixed condition.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2231 ✉ **U.S. Mail Agency in Vera Cruz, Mexico Collection, 1914,** extensive collection of hundreds of covers and cards, much mounted and written-up on pages; includes a "U.S.S. Dolphin, Apr 7, 1914" postmark on postcard from Tampico two days before the paymaster and a detachment of marines where arrested by Mexican Federals officers starting the U.S.-Mexico conflict, letter datelined "U.S.S. San Francisco, Hdqts, Custom House Vera Cruz, Mex., Apr. 26, 1914" on Mexican official letterhead from marine/sailor detailing the gruesome takeover of Custom House in the April 21st, early postal history including a April 20 registered letter to Sweden mailed a day before the takeover with next postmark being a U.S. Seapost registration handstamp of May 31 due to U.S. Postal Agency not starting operation until May 4th, with additional May 4th and May 5th First and Second Day of operation usage of U.S. Mail Agency (using provisionally the Mexican postmarks), May 10th First Day usage of the "U.S. Vera Cruz Mexico" flag cancellation (first U.S. postmark used) as well as latest known on Nov 10th, May 19th local usage with U.S. 1¢ stamp, later usages showing proper/improper usages of U.S. and Mexico postage, unusual postmark and philatelic usages, comprehensive section of Naval postmarks used during the occupation including mail room slips, well over 100 rare unused real-photo postcards and much more, **generally F.-V.F. or better.**
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

A WONDERFUL ASSEMBLY OF MATERIAL SPANNING THE 1914 UNITED STATES OCCUPATION OF VERA CRUZ.

2232 ✉ **United States Cover Accumulation,** approximately 100 or so covers; emphasis in Civil War material including many Sanitary Fair corner card covers, patriotics, nice selection of 2¢ Blackjack covers, few Alaska covers, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2233 ✉ **United States Covers, 1802-1900s,** box of covers including some decent, note 1802 "Orangeburgh S.C., May 1st" free frank to John E. Calhoun concerning patent, 1823 Sangamos Ill., mixture including some FDCs, flight covers, correspondence, etc., worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2234 *✉ **United States Picture Post Card Group,** of over 150 cards with many real-photo; includes an array of natural disaster views, California including 1923 San Francisco American Legion Parade and 1930 Grauman's Chinese Theater L.A. (during Howard Hughes film Hell's Angels), Native Indian, many other nice views and scarce cards, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2235 ✉ **Valentine Cover Collection,** of 16 covers mostly with enclosures, with many oversized items, also included are dozens of Valentine enclosures including many elaborate designs, additional Valentine motif items and a group of 14 17th century multicolor German folded notices and covers (many with religious context); an interesting group.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2236 ✉ **Weigand Cachet Covers,** group of 42 different comprising 10 Department Flags including Cmnr. of Fisheries, Secretary Commerce, etc., 10 United Nations and 22 Naval cachets for various ships.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2237 ✉ **Western Express Cover Balance,** 20 good to better covers; mostly Wells, Fargo & Co. usages with towns including Knight's Ferry, Eureka (Nev.), Placerville, scarce New York, three allover shaded ads as well as a few other ad usages, attractive red frank usage, few interesting later usages, other expresses including Langton's (including an unused entire), early Adams, Pacific Union Ex. Co., etc., also a selection of five unused U.S. entire with W., F. & Co. franks (couple Mexican franks).
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

Back of the Book

2238 ✉ **1933, 50¢ "Chicago" Zeppelin First Day Cover Collection,** group of **9** first day flown covers comprising six from New York including three single franked, one with pair, two with strips of three (vertical and horizontal), Akron Oh. Oct 4th, Miami Fla. Oct. 6th, and Chicago Oct. 7th, various cachets, **Very Fine group.**
Scott No. **C18**; $1,900. . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

2239 ✉ **Airmail Flight Covers, 1937 F.A.M. 14 San Francisco-Hong Kong,** group of **394** covers carried on F.A.M. 14 first flight San Francisco-Hong Kong (107 covers), and Hong Kong-San Francisco franked with U.S. or Hong Kong stamps (190 covers), group from Manila to Macao on first flight via P.A.A. (97 covers) franked by Macao stamps, all with appropriate cachets except for US covers held for the return flight only, old AAMC value $2,250.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2240 ✉ **Postal Card Accumulation, 1873-2002,** housed in 2 red dealer boxes with probably close to a couple of thousand mint and used cards; appears more than half are pre-1930's with a substantial amount 19th century mint and used, many sleeved and identified by Scott and UPSS numbers, with duplication in all areas, includes unsevered paid reply, Air cards, some advertising etc., with some varieties noted, overall a useful assortment, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2241 ✉ **Reply Postal Card Usages From Foreign Origins, 1914-61,** group of 16 cards incoming to the U.S., from countries including Canada (4¢ Postage Due), Germany, Italy, Egypt, Greece, U.K., Israel and the Netherlands, some later uprates; condition varied, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2242 **Worldwide Coin Extravaganza,** dealers lot of everything in 5 large boxes; the owner retired as a dealer more than 20 years ago; inspect for full evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2243 ✉ **U.S. and Possessions Cover Group,** varied assortment of 19th and 20th Century covers, postcards and souvenir items, including advertising, better FDCs, special Air Post items, Hawaii, Canal Zone, Philippines, Confederate and much more, some great items here, well worth close inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

United States Stamp Collections

2244 P **United States Proof & Essay Accumulation, 1845-82,** of 95 items in stockbook including pairs and blocks; includes N.Y. Provisional essay and trial colors, 1861-67 issue proofs including 3¢ Roosevelt die proof, color paper essays, grill essays, 1869 Pictorial issue with a number of small numeral essays, Banknotes including Roosevelt die proofs, specimens including Official issues, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2245 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1970,** extensive "Old School" collection that is nearly complete except for extreme rarities; but also includes some **great rarities** with certificates like the **3¢ Orangeburg coil** (#389) with 1992 P.F. certificate, attractive Fine+ with small corner crease; all of the good stuff is here with a Scott catalog of $367,827 and 55 mostly P.F. certificates; most everything that needs a cert has a cert but the exceptional thing about this collection is the condition which is far above normal, if a stamp has flaws, it is still very nice looking; there are of course some real gems here, too (the collection was put together before grading), gems include mint #64b, #523 and #E4 beauties, seldom, if ever, is such a wonderful collection offered intact, but this is a true "Estate" - extensive and spectacular.
Estimate . . . . . $60,000 - 80,000

2246 */(*) **United States Collection, 1847-2016,** mint collection with only a handful of used issues housed in 5 Scott albums, with many of the rare early issues present; starting with 1847 issues complete used, #3-4 present, 1851 issues with mint Scott #7, 9-11, 14 & 17, mint 1857 issues (many with certs) with many 1¢ types including #18 x2, 20, 22 & 24 x2, 3¢ types with #25 & 26, 5¢ types highlighted by a unused #28 (flaws but catalogs $15,000), as well as #29, 30 & 30A present, 5¢ types with #32-33 & 35, high values also present with #36, 37-39, 1857 Reprints with 1¢ & 5¢ issues, impressive 1861 issues starting with 3¢ first design (56) following by the basic denominations complete with some additional shades, 1867 grills starting with unused 2¢ Z. grill followed by complete E. grill issues (10¢ used) and F. grills with 1¢-3¢ & 10¢-24¢ present, 1861 Re-issues with 1¢, 5¢ & 12¢ issues present, Pictorials with 1¢-15¢ & 30¢ with a few additional, following Re-issues including 1¢-2¢, 6¢-10¢ & 24¢ values, 1870 Banknote grills with 1¢-3¢, 7¢ & 15¢ present, following Banknotes virtually complete with a few additional mint & used issues, complete small banknotes, Columbians 1¢-$1 & $3 with many additional examples up to the 50¢ value, 1894 Bureaus complete to the $1 type I and a $2, 1895 issues missing only #276A for completion, Trans-Miss issues complete with additional including 50¢, Pan-Ams complete, 1902 definitives complete to the $2, Louisiana & Jamestown complete, 1909 2¢ reds including Lincoln bluish, Pan-Pac issues lacking only #404 with some additional, strong completion in Washington-Franklin issues starting with 1908 regular issues complete with additional high values, following coils including line pairs, bluish paper present including 1¢-2¢, 10¢ & 15¢ issues, 1910 perf 8½ coils complete in singles and line pairs with some additional pairs, later rotary issues near complete missing only some of the rare issues including many line pairs, #467 in pair and #505 in block and a single, #519 (with cert), Franklin dollar values present, offset issues complete, good coil wastes present, complete to near complete later issues including 1922-25 definitives, White Plains sheet, Kans-Nebr sets, etc. with extensive modern issue including mini-sheets, coil strips, etc., back-of-the-book with Airmails & Special Deliveries complete with some additional, #F1 x2, Postage Dues near complete missing only J50 with J58 used (no special printings), and Parcel Posts, Special Handling, P.P. Postage Due and Offices in China all complete mint, mix of Official issues including specimens, Ducks appear complete, some good C.S.A. and other additional issues including revenues and cut squares; condition mixed mostly confined to the early issue with enormous overall catalog value, accompanied by 58 certificates, inspection a must to truly appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $40,000 - 60,000

2247 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1973,** housed in Minutemen album; extensive showing of mostly used classic issues starting with 1847 issues complete, 1851 issues including 1¢ type IIIa (8A, with certs), 5¢ which appears unused, 10¢ types including recut, near complete 1857 issues including better 1¢ types and all high value present, similar 1861-67 issues including #56, following grills including high values, Pictorials lacking only 24¢, Banknotes with grills missing only 24¢ & 90¢ with completion in following issues, Small Banknotes complete, 1894 Bureaus complete to the $2 including $1 types mint, Columbians complete with mostly mint dollar values, 1895-98 Bureaus complete including dollar values, Trans-Miss complete with gem centered $1 (no gum) and o.g. $2, 1902 definitives complete, mint #315, strong showing of Washington-Franklin issues mostly mint, scarcer used coils including #449 and #491, offset appear complete (534B needs checking), good coil wastes, White Plains sheet, Kans-Nebr complete, airmails complete including Zepps (C13-C14 used), Deliveries complete, nice showing of Dues, Offices in China mostly complete including high values mostly used, */o representation in Officials with better mint, later Newspaper sets, Parcel issues complete, representation sections of cut squares and revenues including Ducks, etc.; condition mixed with much value throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2248 */o **United States Collection, 1847-2015,** regular & commemorative issues housed in eight Scott albums, somewhat eclectic with additional pages for booklet panes, proofs, private perfs, EFO's and Cinderella material scattered throughout; starting with 1847 issues complete with additional #1 and #2 forgery, special printing proofs, 1851 issues with various 1¢-10¢ types, useful 1857 issues, 1861-67 issue starting with a basic India proof set, mostly complete used with some duplication, 24¢ specimen, etc., E. & F. grills selection, 1869 Pictorials complete with additional card proof set, Banknotes with proof set, few grills and good completion thereafter with the occasional shade variety, small banknotes complete mostly mint with additional, bureaus mixed */on to the dollar values, with additional Philippine and Cuba overprint issues, Trans-Miss & Pan-Ams complete mint, 1902 definitives complete mint with additional shades, #315 single and pair, 1903-06 1¢ & 2¢ private perf pairs and 2¢ shades, booklet panes and Philippine overprint issues, etc., Louisiana, Jamestown, 2¢ reds & Pan-Pac issues complete mint, strong mint completion in Washington-Franklin issues with many better coil pairs, 1¢-2¢ bluish, host of private perfs including unlisted Kansas City and Wilson, booklets, freak perf and printings, #467 & 505, later dollar values with duplication, complete Offices in China issues, 499h lake (with cert.), etc., 1922-26 definitives including additional shades, coil wastes, postal forgery, etc., Canal Zone issues, Kans-Nebr, White Plains sheet, etc., later with interesting ancillary material including Park issue Peckmore prints, modern material with strong face value; an interesting and valuable collection, inspection highly recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

2249 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1980,** housed in Scott National album, with many of the difficult 19th century stamps that are missing from most collection, offered intact with the vast majority of the stamps correctly identified, mostly used with better stamps that include Scott #1-2, 7, 9, 12, 15, 17, 23 (PSE cert), 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 30A, 31, 36, 64b, 67a, 68-72, 76-78, 83 (PSE cert), 84 (PSE cert), 85 (APS cert), 85C (PSE cert), 85E (PSE cert), 89, 90, 93-96, 98, 99 (PSE cert), 100-101, 112-21, 134A, 135, 135A, 137A, 138, 138A (Weiss cert), 141A (PSE cert), 143 (PSE cert), 145-55, 160, 162, 163, 165-66, 182-91, 190 block of four, 218, 228, 229, 230-40, 242, 246-59, 262, 264-75, 277, 278, 285-92, 294-99, 300-11, 341, 404, 658-79, back-of-the-book with #C1-6, E1-6, E8-11, J1-7, J15-20, J22-26, J36, J38-44, Q1-12 (mixed mint and used), RW1-9 and various other ducks; usual mixed condition with very high overall catalog value, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2250 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1978,** mounted in Scott National old time brown hingeless album with a strong level of completion; with better used issues including Scott #1-2, 7, 9, 20, 23 with PSE certificate, 28 (3), 29, 30A, 31, 70-72, 75, 76 (removed cancel), 78, 85 (removed cancel), 85B PSE certificate, 85E, 87 (removed cancel), 92, 93, 95-100, 101 PSE certificate, 115-19, 121, 138, 145-51, 153, 166, 191, 217 (2), 218, 262-63, 292, 658-79, C1-6, some special deliveries, dues, O36-38, O44, O53-55, Treasury, War and Interior official sets, Q1-12, decent first to third issue revenues, RW2, RW5 and mint / unused includes: 22, 24, 35, 36, 37, 63, 65, 68, 69, 73, 77, 94, 97, 113, 114, 120, 189, 158-61, 212-16, 230-42, 255-57, 277, 264-72, 275, 285-91, 293, 294-99, 300-6, 310, 323-27, 328-30, 338-39, 339 block of four, 374-81, 397-400A, 401-3, 424-37, 439, 460, 468-474, some coil waste, offsets, 573, 630, 692-701, 803-32 plate blocks, C18, interesting Newspaper facsimiles, RW4, RW5, RW12-14 and other $1 and $1 ducks and some possessions; condition varied with extremely high overall catalog value with many better elusive singles, worth evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2251 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1961,** housed in Kabe hingeless album, offered intact, with used including Scott #1-2, 29, 33, 39 (Boston large "Paid" in grid cancel looks O.K.), 118, 120-22, 191, 217, 261A-63, 277, and strong mint issues with #7, 9, 11, 24, 26, 112, 205, 212, 213, 230-35, 237, 242, 245 (SE), 285-89, 294-99, 323-30, 397-400A, 547, 551-69, 573 (shades), various Washington-Franklins, 630, C1-3, C4-6, E1-4, E8, PR77, unused include #17, 35, 36, 63 (x2, shades), 68-69, 72, 77, 76, 113, 114, 115, 119, 148, 150, 160, 162, 209, 215, 221-4, 236, 238, 240-41, etc., also note good Newspaper issues, condition varied with extremely high catalog value, worth proper evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2252 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1971,** housed in Scott album; from #1 (appears mint) on with a useful range of classics, 1857 issues with denominations to the 12¢, 1861 issues with values to the 90¢ and shades including 24¢ steel blue, grills including sound 12¢ F. grill thin paper var., 1869 Pictorial complete, Banknotes mostly used with high values present, 1¢ Continental block with red "Paid All" cancels, later and small banknotes with mint, Columbians to the 50¢ mostly used, bureaus up to the $1, 1902 definitives to the $2, mix of early 19th century with useful to good Washington-Franklins including coils, etc., back-of-the-book with completion in airmails including mint Zepps, complete special deliveries including #E11 pink back n.h. (80J), #F1 +2¢ tied by Shanghai oval on piece, other issues somewhat sparse with some good mint, including Possessions; condition mixed mostly confined to earlier issues, accompanied by 6 P.S.E. certs, owner's 2015 Scott catalog $31,776.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2253 * **1847, 5¢ Franklin & 10¢ Washington, Die & Plate Proof Collection,** an amazing holding of (16) 5¢ and (16) 10¢. We note die proofs, plate proofs, an array of trial colors will compliment an advanced collection or inventory or be the basis for an award winning collection. Most are stamp size with a few die proofs including a 5¢ and 10¢ just showing cross hatching, brilliant colors including blues, oranges, browns, reds and more shades of the same. We didn't take the time to separate the die proofs from the plate proofs, therefore the Scott retail value only as the plate proofs is in excess of $20,000; some faults as expected in a collection of this size and scope, overall **F.-V.F. appearance**, worth a careful review.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2254 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1930s,** arranged on stockpages; starting with a strong range of used classics with pleasant duplication including #1 x2, 1851 issues with sound 4-margin #12, 10¢ type I-III and 12¢ all 4-margin, 1857 issue with denominations to the 30¢ and various types represented, 1861-67 issues with various shades and high values including 3¢ pink, 5¢ buff, 90¢ x3, etc., E. & F. grills with high values, 1869 Pictorial complete used with mid-value duplication (90¢ well centered) and a 1¢ Re-issue unused, fair showing of Banknotes with some mint, Bureaus with a few dollar values, Columbian high values including $1 & $2 unused and used $1 x2 and $4, useful showing of later issues through Washington-Franklins mostly used, Prexies including a rum of plate blocks to the $2, mix of back-of-the-book issues with airmails including #C15 in piece and over 25 #C18's mostly mint, few M&M's with Dalley's Horse Salve issue (RS73, Cat $300), cut squares and postal card hoard, Hawaii including a few numeral issues and Banknotes, Doonsebury stamp album signed by G. Trudeau, etc.; condition mixed with many high catalog value items throughout, inspect for evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2255 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1950's,** basic collection of issues written up on pages in 8 binders; starting with #1, 1851 basic designs complete, 1857 designs to the 30¢ mixed */o, 1861 issues including high values, useful grills, 1869 Pictorials to the 30¢., used Banknotes with high values present, small banknotes complete mint, bureau with good mint issues to the 50¢ values, similar 1902 definitives, strong completion in Wash-Frank issues mint with later high values, coil pairs, 4th bureaus with completion to high values, Kans-Nebr, etc., commemoratives with Columbians to the 50¢ mint, Trans-Miss to the 10¢ mint with additional used, Pan-Ams and good completion in later issues including White Plains souvenir sheet and additional plate blocks starting in the 1920's, back-of-the-book with good airs, special deliveries, Ducks mint with additional RW1 on licence, etc.; worth proper review.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2256 */o **United States Balance, 1847-1950's,** substantial run of mint issues with a few early used classic mostly identified in glassines and on stockcards, including some blocks and plate blocks; starting with 1847 issue complete used and a few good 1850-60's mint issues, later mint Banknotes including n.h., Columbians including 50¢ and $2, Trans-Miss with 50¢, 1902 definitives up to the 15¢, 1909 2¢ reds, Pan-Pac including #404, 4th Bureau sets including 1922-25 issues complete, Kans-Nebr complete, better commemorative plate blocks, White Plains sheet, Prexies, etc., back-of-the-book with airmail 1st & 2nd issues, #C14 and later plate blocks including #C18, good special delivery issues, #F1 XF, n.h., other issues up to Ducks, also included a small hoard of modern British Comm. Silver Jubilee commemoratives (worth about $50); condition varies mostly confined to earlier issue, worth proper evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2257 */o **United States Collection, 1847-1965,** on album pages; starting with a useful range of mostly used classics including two #1 singles in shades and #2, 1861-67 issues including high values, various E. & F. grills, 1869 Pictorials to the 30¢ including unused 2¢-3¢, various Banknotes mostly used including some high values, Columbians to the 50¢ mostly mint, Bureaus with some good mint including #276, Trans-Miss tot he 50¢, Pan-Ams complete mint, 1902 definitives mixed */o to the $1, later mint commemoratives up to the 1909 2¢ reds including 2¢ Lincoln bluish, good showing of Washington-Franklin issues mostly mint with coil single and pairs with many line pairs, mint 4th Bureaus including 1922-26 series, coil wastes, Kans-Nebr, etc., White Plains sheet, later definitives to the 1960's, back-of-the-book with mint airs including #C1-C6 and Zepps complete, special deliveries complete mixed */o, Ducks with mint issue from 1974 to 2006; condition varies, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2258 o **United States Collection, 1847-1920,** arranged by issues on stockpages; starting with #1, selection of 1851 issues including 10¢ & 12¢ issues, 1857 with good 5¢ types and denominations to the 30¢, useful 1861-67 issues including 5¢ shades including buff and 24¢ shades with other high values present tot the 90¢, grills with high values, 1860 Pictorials complete to the 90¢, Banknotes with better grills and later high values present, small banknotes complete, bureaus to the $1 values, Columbians and Trans-Miss tot he 50¢, good showing of later issues with both useful definitives and commemoratives, some back-of-the-book; condition mixed with strong overall catalog value, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2259 **/*/o **United States Errors and Freaks Group,** lots of special and spectacular items including #1 with natural pre-printing fold and 1976 13¢ Clara Mass full sheet of 40 with striking **double horizontal perfs**, etc.; should be inspected to be appreciated.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2260 * **United States Collection,** collection/accumulation housed in 8 binders with other some additional including covers (mostly FDCs); albums include some early classics including 1847 issue complete, latter material including Columbians complete including with additional */o high values, multiple mainly in blocks of four starting at the Trans-Miss issue, Pan-Pac complete mint, one album with a good showing of issues mostly used including Pictorials complete, some plate block material including Prexies complete, Zepp set, etc.; condition varies with many better stamps throughout, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2261 o **United States Used Balance, 1850-1910's,** small selection of 21 stamps, many with choice centering and/or large margins; includes Scott #9, 63, 65, 70 on piece, 78a, 121, 159, 165, 179, 182, 236 with purple star cancel, 248 jumbo, 311, 347 pair with guide line, 402-403, 427, O6, O18 & R100c, some flaws but many choice items throughout.
Scott No. **7//R100c**; $2,290+ . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

2262 */(*) **United States Collection, 1851-1929,** of mint arranged by issues on stock and album pages; starting with a few 1851 issues, 1857 issues with denomination represented to the 12¢ including regummed #29, 1861-67 issues with denominations to the 30¢, good grill issues, 1869 Pictorials with denominations to the 30¢, Banknotes with better high values present, small banknotes complete, Columbians complete to the $5, Bureaus with values up to the $2, Trans-Miss complete tot he $2, Pan-Ams complete, 1902 definitives to the $2, Louisiana & Jamestown sets complete, strong completion in Washington-Franklin issues with complete regular sets and coil singles with some better pairs present, #449h lake pair, #505 in block of 9, dollar Franklins, good coil wastes, etc., 1922-26 definitives complete and later 4th bureaus including Kans-Nebr complete, White Plains sheet, etc., back-of-the-book issues with airmails including #C1-C6 & C13-C15, early special deliveries and dues to high values, Offices in China complete including the shades, few Officials, Newspaper with first issues complete and a strong showing of later issues, useful Ducks with some used; condition mixed mostly confined to early issues with later n.h. starting from the 1890's, huge overall catalog value, careful inspection a must.
Estimate . . . . . $15,000 - 20,000

2263 */o **United States Classics Group, 1851-75,** assemblage of Classic issues on three BWH Poole album pages with cover page bearing Poole's signature, highlights including Scott #17, 30A, 36, 37A, 38, 67, 68, 70, 70b, 71, 72, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 83, 91 (double grill), 92, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, also 1869s with/1¢-90¢ values all represented including some no-grill issues, the collection overall contains much used, many with premium cancels, some duplication and faults which is to be expected in this genuine oldtime holding, owner's Scott $57K+, inspection recommended, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2264 */o **United States Balance,** mix of stamps on stockcards; includes nice looking early classics including 1851 issues with four margin #12 & 17, 1861 issues including #62B, some grills, 1869 Pictorials, cancel group mostly Columbian issues, some revenues and 2¢ CSA mint, etc.; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2265 */o **United States Collection, 1851-1900s,** mint and used on homemade album pages, early mostly used includes 1861 issue to 12¢ value, 1869 issue 1¢-12¢, Banknotes to the 90¢, Small Banknotes to 90¢ plus Bureaus, Columbians to the 50¢ incl. mint 8¢ and 30¢, Trans-Miss. to the $1, 294-299, 1902-03 issue to $2, 323-327, Wash-Franklins, back of the book incl. Special Delivery, Q1-Q12, few officials, postage dues, some face values; mixed condition.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2266 o **United States Used Collection,** mostly used collection on Scott National pages featuring many well-centered stamps including Scott #32, 36, 70b, 71, 72, 75, 78, 89, 90, 91, 92, 95, 96, 97, 98, 100 (1869 issues less 118 and 122), 134, 138, 151, 152, 154 etc., also some mint or unused (stuck) including #20, 239, 260, 284 and 291, better cancels throughout, owner's Scott value $15K, neat little group, worth inspection, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2267 **/* **United States Mint Balance, 1860-1930's,** small selection of 17 stamps, many with choice centering and/or jumbo margins; includes Scott #73 block of 4, 161, 185, 235, 265, 398, 617, 619, 689, 744, 749, C12, O92 & O107; some flaws but many choice items throughout.
Scott No. **73//C12**; $2,813 . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

2268 o **Fancy Cancel Accumulation, 1860-90s,** several hundred or so stamps on stockpages; mostly geometrics including stars, circle of V's, N.Y.F.M., others including Face with initials, patent, numerals and letters, shields, etc.; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2269 o **Classic Used High Value Accumulation, 1861-88,** of over 160 used mostly high value denominations on cards; includes over 35 1861 90¢ values, 1869 Pictorials mostly 15¢ types with some lower and higher values and a selection of 90¢ Banknotes, nice array of cancels including attractive fancy geometrics, color cancels, etc.; condition varies, owner's Scott cat $72,625, ideal group for internet sales, worth proper evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2270 o **1861 1¢ Issue - Cancel Group,** of 12 stamps; cancels including fancy four leaf clover, N.Y. steamship, patent, red carrier, various towns including pair, also a 1¢ dark blue (63b); condition varies, owner's cat $1,370.
Scott No. **63** . . . . . Estimate $200 - 300

2271 o **Fancy Cancels,** lot of 28 stamps and 1 cut square; all with fancy cancels and many exceptional and/or scarce; including 30¢ 1869 (#121, cat $425++) with nice "1870" cancel, #U218 with "Mortar and Pestle" cancel, etc; enormous retail.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2272 */o **United States Banknote Issue Group, 1870-93,** mint and used assortment on three Poole album pages, highlights including Scott #137, 145, 147, 149, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 160, 179, 185, 187, 188, 190, 191, 208, 218, 229 etc., slight duplication, condition varies, owner's Scott 20K+, generally fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2273 */o **United States Color and Paper Reference Balance, 1874-1929,** of 8 stamps; includes 1847 5¢ in the blackish brown shade (1a, crease), #10 with intense color (graded 80), 3¢ & 15¢ Banknote double paper (15¢ missing bottom paper), #634b n.h. with intense carmine lake color, other choice lake color shades of #657a n.h. and #681a n.h. (small tear), also a special printing #PR37 for paper comparison, accompanied by a nice stampless Chicago "10" in cogwheel usage; Scott cat $5,355+.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2274 * **1888, 1¢-90¢ American Bank Note Issue, "Sample" or "Sample A." Ovpts. (212s-K to 216s-N),** thirteen type K overprints (three 2c, extra 6c), set of ten Type L overprints (with extra 15c), and 5c with manuscript Type N, nearly all with original gum, some h.r., a few minor flaws but generally **Fine-Very Fine**, produced for the 1890 contract.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2275 **/* **United States Mint Group, 1890-1930's,** selection of 32 singles and multiples (mostly plates); includes Columbian 1¢ plate strip and 15¢ & 30¢ singles, 4¢ & 8¢ Trans-Miss, Pan-Am & Jamestown sets, later 1920-30's commemoratives, airmails #C1-C6 with a couple additional, includes a few commemorative covers and used (not counted); overall centering well above the norm, Scott cat $2,417+.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2276 */o **United States Imperfs & Coils, 1890-1932,** neat mostly mint collection on old Poole pages with early imperf pairs and Washington-Franklin coils and singles, including Scott #219D, P5 (4), 255P5, various 1902-23 singles and pairs and more, interesting lot, worth inspection, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2277 **/* **United States Mint Group, 1890-1932,** assortment of various blocks of four and singles on small black stock cards, blocks of four including Scott #221, 225, 226, 232, 302, 304, 376-78 etc., some stamps n.h., slight duplication, owner's Scott $3500, worth inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2278 */o/✉ **Columbian Exposition Exhibit Collection,** 18 large exhibit pages primarily exhibiting stamp issues, stationery items and ephemera; including complete mint set of the Columbian issue, complete proof set on India and an additional complete set on card, bicolor ticket set as well as other tickets including "Children's Day", Chicago & Manhattan Day, Return Pass and Fair Concessions, few Exposition cancel items, Columbian registration stamp, etc., various stationery items mint, set of official post cards including wrapper (flaws), a Puck card, Kohler cards and some other scarce postal cards (condition a little varied), other ephemera including a official Exposition catalog.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2279 */o **United States Group, 1893-98,** mostly mint collection on four old Poole pages including Scott #230-41, 251, 258, 259, 260, 261A, 274, 276, 283, 284, 291 etc., slight duplication, condition varies, owner's Scott $9K+, generally fine to very fine or better generally F-VF+.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2280 ** **United States Mint N.H. Group, 1893-1950s,** nice assortment of n.h. material on small black stock cards, including Scott #397-99, 1053, C1 (2), C3, C5, C6 (2), C18, 285 (block of four), $2 Prexie plate block, some coil pairs and Farley imperf blocks, owner's Scott $4,500+, worth inspection, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2281 ** **United States Never Hinged Dealer Backup Stock,** from old time dealer, all never hinged, with each stamp sorted into individual envelopes, containing: 548 (300), 576 (200), 617 (200), 618 (200), 619 (150), 620 (200), 627 (260), 628 (800), 648 (344), 650 (448), 709 (150), 710 (100), 714 (100), 717 (1086), 721 line pairs (90), 722 line pairs (208), 837 (400), 839 line pairs (659), 840 line pairs (290), 841 line pairs (520), 842 (100), 842 line pairs (420), 844 line pairs (50), 848 line pairs (150), 850 line pairs (160), 863 (115), 867 (200), 873 (100), 1056 line pair (300), C37 (100), C52 (200), E14 (300), J88 (75), J101 (33), BKC5 (5) and BKC7 (24); a nice old time stock with much retail potential, owner's Scott catalog $42,929, inspect.
Scott No. **548//J101**. . . . . Estimate $4,000 - 6,000

2282 **/* **United States High Quality Mint Group** (with a couple used); highlights include #263 almost VF, #66 LH, #129 VF, #E1 Jumbo, etc.; tremendous amount of high quality here with a Scott catalog of $17,822.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2283 **/*/o **United States Gem Certified Group,** of 30 stamps, each with certificate confirming their extraordinary condition; highlights include #18 pair tied to piece (Scott $2,000), #13 (Scott $800), #1 ($375), #117 (XF 90) and 909-21 each slabbed 98, lot not often offered intact.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2284 */o **United States Balance,** of 30 items; includes 1869 Pictorial essays, */o classics including huge margin #17, unused #29 (cat $1,750) and #75 (cat $2,100), other choice centered 1860's issues, later well centered jumbo items */o including back-of-the-book, #629 n.h. plate single graded XF-Sup (P.S.E.), few better possession issues, etc.; evaluation highly recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2285 **/*/o **United States Commemoratives Group,** lot of mostly mint; mixed condition but generally nice looking including fresh $5 Columbian; Scott cat. $10,142.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2286 o **United States Better Used Selection,** only the best used; 69 used stamps chosen and set aside because of the high quality very popular are (used) with a Scott of approximately $5,000-6,000.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2287 */o **United States Collection,** mainly housed in Scott album; collection starts with G.B. 1840 1d & 2d issue followed by a sparse but useful range of early classics including used #31, 71, 1867 grills including a choice 1¢ F. grill and 30¢, Banknotes with later high values, mixed of mostly used turn of the century with some high values, 2¢ Lincoln bluish mint, little value in Washington-Franklin definitives, Kans-Nebr. mint, etc., back-of-the-book with mint 1st & 2nd issue airmails, good representation in revenues, etc., include a second album of material, mint block hoard, commemorative sets, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2288 */o **United States Remainder of Estate,** the Good - the Bad - and the Ugly; but a whole lot of value; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2289 */o **United States Miscellaneous,** in 2 large boxes; lots of postage, silver medallions, better plate blocks, etc.; a lot of value here; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2290 */o **United States Collection,** useful group in five albums; includes mix classic issues including a four margin 5¢ Providence Provisional, some later high values, good due and revenue issues including a nice RW1 on licence, some Possessions, etc.; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2291 */o/✉ **United States Miscellaneous,** lot of unlisted material, revenues, etc.; and excellent lot for hunting material.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2292 */o/✉ **United States Collection,** useful "meaty" collection housed in All American album; mostly used from mixed condition classics to the 1970's, back-of-the-book issues and various covers running throughout, with duplication in singles and sets with nothing too expensive - but lots of it; please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2293 **/* **United States "Oxidized" Group,** interesting lot of 55 oxidized orange stamps; almost all better numbers in great condition except for oxidation; includes $429 gem with PF certificate not mentioning oxidation! (Scott cat $4,600+).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2294 */o **United States Collection,** two volumes 19th and 20th century mint and used in a Liberty album including mint Kansas-Nebraska complete, Prexies and Liberty issues to $5, Scott #C2, C5, 50¢ Zeppelin etc., also binder with mint UN, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2295 */o **United States Group, 1901-32,** mostly mint collection on well-filled Poole pages, highlights including Pan-Americans, 1902 issues (Scott# 311-13 used plus extra 212 mint), Louisiana Purchase, Jamestown, Panama-Pacific (both perfs), Kansas-Nebraska, 551-73, all complete, also Washington-Franklins 331-42, 374-82, 414-21, 422-23, 424-39, 462-66, 468-76, 479-80, 523-24, 547 and others, owner's Scott $17K+, fresh and worth review, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2296 **/* **United States Coil Starter and Trailer Collection, 1908-59,** lot of 136 strips, includes #344 imperf coil leader strip of 5, #348 leader single, #497 trailer line strip of 5, #656 leader and trailer strips of 5, varieties from 1954 Liberty issue, etc.; generally never hinged, fresh and nice; very scarce and seldom offered.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2297 **/* **United States Plate Block Collection, 1920-86,** 4 volume collection; face value is about $1,100 but includes $5 Hamilton (#1053), perf and imperf Parks, 1932 Washington Bicentennial (#704-15), 1925 Norse American set (#620-21), etc.; generally nice l.h. to n.h., F-VF, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2298 **/* **United States Collection, Post 1922,** lots of better items include #599A line pair, 5 Legends of the West recall sheets, 3 nice n.h. White Plains souvenir sheets, etc.; very high retail.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2299 */✉ **United States Collection Balance, 1932-40,** includes specialized collections of the 1932 Bicentennial and 1940 Famous American Issues with plate blocks and FDC's and additional, also included are three unused Godden albums with gold gilt edge pages in original slipcases.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2300 ** **Coil Rolls, 1939-1969,** group of **16** coil rolls comprising: 848, 849, 850, 851, 1059A (4), 1304, 1305, 1338A (2), C41, C65 and C73 (2), o.g., never hinged.
Scott No. **848//1338A, C41//C73** . . . . . $5,890 as pairs

2301 * **(Face Value) United States Mint Sheet Collection, 1940-60s,** in seven sheet albums, mostly 3¢ sheets as well as some 4¢ and 5¢ issues, also higher value, regular issues, Airmail, etc., review recommended, face value $1,321, very fresh and generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2302 ** **P.S.E. Graded 98 Commemorative Group, 1940-50's,** 103 mostly different 3¢-4¢ n.h. commemoratives, each with 2014 certificate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2303 ** **P.S.E. Graded 98 Encapsulated Stamp Group, 1940-50's,** 101 stamps, including Famous American and Overrun Nations issues as well as other commemoratives of the period, duplication in some issues, SMQ $4,715.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2304 ** **1960, 4¢ Project Mercury - Echo I Issue, Unexploded Pad,** complete unopened pad of 100 sheets of 50 (5,000 stamps), BEP cover sheet stamped "October 30 1961" indicating printing date well-ahead of its February 20th 1962 release, after 56 years this may be one of the few remaining unopened pads released on the completion John Glenn's epic flight, very fine.
Scott No. **1173** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

2305 ** **(Face Value) Coil Rolls Accumulation, 1970-90's,** with $1725.60 face in coils, A to G series plus 33¢ & 34¢.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2306 **/* **United States Booklet Pane Collection, 1900-32,** extensive collection of booklet panes; nearly complete for period including a fresh, never hinged and F-VF 1¢ AEF pane of 30 (Scott catalog $5,500) but also includes a block of 13 of the 2¢ AEF pane (not counted), nice lot in especially nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2307 */o **Airmail, 1928, 5¢ Beacon Issue Accumulation,** mix of mint and used issues mostly on stock pages in two volumes, including 8 plate block and many blocks of 4, plate strips, marginal imprints, used plate number singles, etc.; many item noted for minor plate or production flaws, some interesting cancels and perfin initials; a useful group for the specialist; *ex-Goodkind*.
Scott No. **C11** . . . . . Estimate $150 - 200

2308 * **Offices in China Issue Plate Block Balance,** of 21 plate blocks; includes K1 x3, K2 x2, K4-K5, K6 x6 (oxidation), K7 x2, K9 x4, K10 & K13; some flaws to be expected with many stamp n.h. throughout; worth careful evaluation.
Scott No. **K1//K12**; $14,350 ++ . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

2309 */o **United States Officials Group, 1873-1911,** mostly mint collection, well-filled on old Poole pages, including Scott #O2-O3, O5- O25, O27-O32, O35-8, O41, O55- O65, O73-5, O78-9, O82-4, O86-93, also postal savings O121-23 and more, fresh, clean lot, well worth inspection, owner's Scott $19K, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2310 */o **Officials Group,** fresh and attractive group of mint, unused, used and proofs on stock pages in a binder, good selection covering all departments, plus a few 1910-11 Official Postal Savings issues, including complete State Department card proofs to $20, owner's Scott $3,800, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2311 ** **Booklet Accumulation,** group of **46** booklets comprising BK90 (5), BK92, BK96, BK97 (3), BK104 (4), BK105 (2), BK106 (3), BK107 (3), BK109, BK110 (4), BKC4 (8), BKC6 (3), BKC8 (4), BKC10 (4), o.g., never hinged.
Scott No. **BK90//BK110, BKC4//BKC10** $1,280

2312 */✉ **Fresno and San Francisco Bicycle Mail Route Collection,** housed in binder; no original covers but does include stamps and ephemera of the period as well as later commemorative items; includes #12L1 affixed to illustrated "Victor Cyclery" Banta corner card cover with Overman handstamp, #12L2 single and sheet of 6, #12LU2 entire, defaced die impression on used Banta corner card cover in 1894 (addressed by Banta) and a mint example of the same, couple Banta letterhead enclosures one with stamp affixed, etc.
Scott No. **12L1** . . . . . Estimate $500 - 750

2313 * **Cut Square Group,** small group including U10, U15, U27, U35, U41a, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2314 * **Cut Square Better Group, 1861-87,** 17 squares mostly full corners and high values; includes U42, U45, U69, U93, U96, U99, U102, U107, U204, U206, U210, U218, U221, U338, U340, U341 & U346, all fresh and VF to XF, Scott cat $1,760.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2315 */o **United States Postal Stationery Collection,** mostly mint housed in four Scott albums; starting with cut squares sparse in early issues with good to strong completion after 1884, airmails, postal cards missing only the rarities and includes G.E. card, completion in paid reply cards, etc.; a nice collection to expand upon.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2316 */o **United States Postal Card Collection, 1873-1983,** nearly complete mint with a few used; extensive "Old School" collection in Scott album; it is all here - nothing missing (except #UX36!) - includes choice **Full Face McKinley pre-printed** and 1920 Surcharge (#UX31) Gem with APS certificate; complete and beautiful condition; Scott catalog $12,500.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2317 (*) **Wine Issue Stock, 1942-54,** x50 sets, RE108-13, RE115-28, RE130-1, RE133, RE135-41, RE144-7, RE149, RE151-4, RE160, RE173-4, RE180-1, RE183-6, RE188, RE190-3, RE195-6, RE199-201, RE203, all unused no gum as issued, several of the stamps have straight edges; face value $8,405 and Scott catalog value in excess of $20,000.
Scott No. **RE108//RE203**. . . . . Estimate $1,000 - 1,500

2318 ** **State Duck Hoard, 1990's,** of 11 different issues in quantities, includes Montana and Virginia, face $9,200+ and Scott cat in excess of $15,000.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2319 ** **California Duck Stamp Collection, 1979-2013,** complete issues including the scarce 1995 souvenir sheet, n.h. and very fine; Scott cat over $700.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2320 */o **Back-Of-The-Book Collection,** of **Revenues, Telegraphs, War Savings, etc.**; extensive "Old School" collection in Scott album; with a Scott catalog value of approximately $200,000; this collection has nearly everything but the extreme rarities; highlights are numerous and include the **Small Persian Rug and a $5 Proprietary Large Rug**, great sections of "red and green" issues, great Telegraph collection, the two rare Savings issues (#WS6 and TS1) etc.; but the real highlight of this fantastic collection is the overall condition which is far above normal; seldom (if ever) is such a nice revenue collection offered intact but this is a true "Estate" - extensive and spectacular!
Estimate . . . . . $30,000 - 40,000

2321 * **Back-Of-The-Book Group, 1885-1933,** attractive collection on Poole pages, mostly mint with slight duplication, including Scott #C1-6, plus C2 (5), C3 (3 one with high flying plane), C18, E1, E2, E3, E4-5, E6, E7-9, JQ1-4, Q1-12, Q10 etc., owner's Scott $7,400, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2322 */o **Back-Of-The-Book Collection,** in Scott album, somewhat eclectic with additional labels, proofs, covers, corresponding issues and other ephemera items; airmails complete mint with additional including #C3 fast airplane variety, Zepp section includes German Zepps including Chicago flight set, C23c color error, host of air labels, booklets, etc., section of Airletters, special deliveries, postage dues near complete mostly mint, including mint #J29 (cat $2,250), J58-J59 with additional N.O. precancels, additional Possessions overprint issues, etc., Parcel Posts complete mint, Offices in China complete mint, fair to good showing of official issues including a full set of card proofs missing only the 24¢ State issue, savings issues present, test stamps, official seal, some CSA, Pony Express reprints, modern local and other additional material.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2323 **/*/o **Back-Of-The-Book,** nice lot of mostly better and interesting material; includes 1930 $2.60 Zeppelin mint never hinged, #OX30 booklet of 12 full panes (Scott $600+), #PR113 nice LH (Scott $3,500!), etc.; inspection will be rewarding.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2324 */o **Back-Of-The-Book and Possessions Group,** nice mint and used accumulation on black stock cards and stock pages, eclectic group including Airs Scott #C2, C4,C5, C18 (all mint, some n.h.), various used Shanghais, Officials, Revenues, Ducks (unexploded booklet), Confederate, Canal Zone, Hawaii including #16 used with/cert., Puerto Rico, Columbus stamp (mint n.h.), Philippine Revenues, worth a close look, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2325 */o **Back-Of-The-Book Collection,** various issues on album pages; includes useful Dues (cat $237), */o Special Deliveries wit some n.h. (cat $686), Parcel Post & Special Handling issues (estimate SCV $650), some Officials, cut squares and various revenue issue worth checking.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2326 */o **Back-Of-The-Book Group,** mostly mint collection in mounts on Scott pages including Scott #C1-12, C18 etc., E3, E5-9, E11-23, F1, JQ1-4, O127-58, also various Postage Dues J1//104 mint and used, plus Q1-12 used, clean group, owner's Scott $3,400+, worth inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Confederate States of America

2327 */o/✉ **Confederacy Balance Collection,** mix of covers and stamps on stockpages in binder; includes a wonderful run of unused allover Confederate Flag covers as well as other printed flag designs and other patriotics, various stamp issues with better, some ephemera items, etc.; condition varies, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2328 F✉ **Confederate Counterfeit Cover Collection,** reference group of over 90 covers with some additional stamps on stock and albums pages, encompassing both Postmaster Provisionals & Regular issues; with a myriad of both genuine and fake stamps used on sometimes genuine covers, including multiple and mixed frankings usages, bisects, corner card cover, perf'd, etc.; a interesting group.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2329 F **Springfield Facsimiles Collection,** production collection housed on album and stock pages in binder; includes four original proof designs (1862 5¢ & 1863 20¢ on board backing with original touch up and 1863 10¢ with and without frameline on thin glazed card, original photographic proof set-up of 25 for the original plate of the 1862 5¢ and 1863 10¢ issues, final black proofs in thin glazed in blocks and sheets for 8 different issues with additional, few other additional photographic proof items, complete set of original Springfield sheets with additional, Tasco booklet and Tatham Co. return label, etc.; a fascinating group.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Beginning in the mid 1930's, a set of 14 counterfeits of the Confederate General Issue stamps were made and sold by a stamp dealer in Springfield, Mass. These facsimiles were also used in the TASCO Booklets prepared in 1941 by the Tatham Stamp Company of Springfield, Mass. In order to make the counterfeits, a set of original drawings made by August Dietz in 1919 were used. The drawings were copyrighted, and the use of these drawings was done without the permission of August Dietz.

United States Possessions

2330 */o **U.S. Possessions Group, 1899-1904,** useful lot of mint, unused and used on stock pages in a binder, including Cuba, Guam including Scott #1-6, 11 and E1, Philippines, Puerto Rico, owner's Scott $2,400, worth inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2331 */o **U.S. Possessions Group,** small lot of mostly better items; highlights include attractive examples of Canal Zone #O8 (used as always, Scott $550) and Philippines #224 used (cat. $325), #225 x 2 mint (each cat. $650), #238 used (cat $800); condition is mixed but the highlights are exceptionally nice.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2332 */o **U.S. Possessions Collection,** housed in Scott album; starting with Canal Zone 1904 U.S. overprint set complete mint, good showing of following Map and Portrait issues, similar later issue and back-of-the-book, Cuba complete mixed */o, mint Guam up to the 50¢ with guard mail issue complete, Hawaii starting with #9 on (no Numerals) missing only a few Banknote issues, officials complete, good Kahului Railroad issues up to the $1, most revenues present, strong Philippines with complete mint 1899 issue with shades, 1901 issue mint to the $5 missing only #223A, 1903 issues mint to $2, excellent later completion mixed */o, airmails with first issue high values, C17, and later issues complete, good other back-of-the-book including customs, Guerrilla Postal Service block of six, revolutionary issues, etc., Puerto Rico with rectified spirits issues; condition varied with much value throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

Hawaii

2333 o **Hawaii Cancels and Postmarks Collection, 1860-90's,** well over 100 stamps on stockpages in binder; better marks including "Waimea H" manuscript (1R), Steamer Hall date stamp (scarcity 2), various targets including nice strike of 4-ring dashed (ring4-24(dashes), 1R), letter including "FD" in circle (San Francisco mark used on loose letters), "PD" in target (scarcity 2), scarce "K", some towns, also a 1876 cover to New Haven Conn. franked with 6¢ Banknote pair from Honolulu.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2334 o/✉ **Town Cancel Collection,** a nice collection of 129 stamps and 8 covers; each item identified and written up; many chosen for exceptional strike; individually priced in pencil with a total of about $3,000.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2335 o **Town Cancels,** 163 stamps, each neatly arranged, mounted and identified; lots of great strikes from this very popular area.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2336 o/✉ **Town Cancel Collection,** neatly written up on pages, includes 7 covers band 54 stamps; including 6¢ Kahului Railroad manuscript cancel tied to piece, great negative "HI", etc.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2337 */o **Hawaii Reference Balance,** several hundred or so on stockpages; mostly early Kamehameha and Numeral issue forgeries with some off-quality genuine thrown in, Banknote forgeries, other manuscript and specimen fakes, etc.; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2338 */(*) **Hawaii Collection, 1857-99,** of mint issues arranged in stockbook; starting with 5¢ Kamehameha issues (Scott #8-9) and various reprints, later numerals #22-26 (three with certs), #28 o.g. and re-issue/reprints, strong completion in Banknote issues with overprint varieties including double overprint (#66f & 71f), split overprint, no period, etc., back-of-the-book with complete Officials, revenues, stationery including 2¢ blue inside and 10¢ Special Delivery entires, postal cards including a couple paid replys (folded); condition a little varied.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2339 */o **Hawaii Stock, 1864-99,** Banknote & Pictorial issues in duplication on stockpages; strong in mint issues with 1864-86 Banknotes including 18¢ x8 (cat $100 each), 50¢ x3 (cat $200 each) and $1 x2 (cat $375 each), overprints including 12¢ black overprint x4 (cat $350 each) as well as other better in duplication, similar used with slightly heavy duplication on some of the more common issues, Pictorial with a nice showing of mint and used; condition varied, inspect for evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2340 */o **Assortment, 1868-99,** colorful group of mint, unused and used on stock pages in a binder, including Scott #48-9 etc., owner's Scott $2,600, review recommended, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2341 */o/✉ **"from Pre-History to Statehood" Exhibit Collection,** written-up on pages in binder; mostly told through modern commemorative issues from other countries, G.B. 1840 1d black, etc., but does have better Hawaii material includes signatures of Kemehameha III, King Kalakaua and Liliuokalani on piece, couple later Numeral issues, useful Banknote issues including some nice on cover, interesting later statehood items and ephemera, also some volcano cards and a */o collection with some nice items.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2342 **Railroad Group,** nice lot of original material including 11 different photos of Locomotives; an 1891 letter with Oahu Railway ornate letterhead; 1902 Kona and Kaui Railway Co. Bond; Kahului Railroad Co. merchandise order, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2343 **/* **Philippines Collection, 1899-1945,** mint issues (and 2 used) on album pages; with a selection of 1899-1904 U.S. overprint issues up to the 50¢, various later singles and sets including Scott #253 and 445, airmail sets and some special deliveries; nice fresh well centered material, owner's Scott cat $3,000.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

Foreign Country Collections

2344 ✉ **Africa, Postal History of African Liberation Wars, 1950-1990,** collection of 28 covers and a 1995 mortgage bond, interesting group written up with background information on the political and historical nature of each cover/section, starts off with a 1902 cover from Swakopmund to Windheok as a forerunner of the German colony, 1950 South West African Native Labour Assoc. (SAWNLA) corner card cover which began in 1943 to recruit Ovambo laborers from northern Namibia to work in diamond mines in the south, 1953 cover posted from the headquarters of the 70th East Africa Infantry Brigade at Nyeri, in the central highlands of Kenya, a British Army counter-insurgency unite that waged war against the Mau Mau, 1961 French military cover from Algeria to France during the height of the anti-colonial insurrection led by the National Liberation Front, 1970 cover from Essexvale, Rhodesia to Luanshya in neighboring Zambia marked postage due because the Rhodesian stamp was not recognized, three Rhodesian military uses with official handstamps, highlight of collection is 1976 air letter to a South African infantry rifleman in the war zone from his mother at Johannesburg with bilingual boxed "VERNITIG SODRA GELEES / DESTROY AFTER READING" is an early relic of the border war, etc., a wonderful collection with insightful write-ups worthy of further study and development into an award-winning exhibit.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

Africa was an early waystation for navigators during the Age of Exploration, and for more than 500 years suffered the gruesome consequences of conquest, colonization, and the Atlantic slave trade. Europeans initially settled along the coastal areas, and gradually advanced into the interior.

2345 */o **Africa and Indian Ocean Stock,** approximately 1,200 stamp arranged in stockbook; majority used except Ghana all n.h., mostly modern with some Mauritius from QV issues, few covers, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Albania

2346 */o **Albania Better Accumulation,** mint and used assortment in glassines, stock cards, auction pages, including Scott #2, 5-8, 17, 120-4, varieties etc., owner's Scott $4K+, careful review recommended, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2347 */o/✉ **Albania Balance Group, 1913-53,** includes early Eagle issues (3 suspected forgeries, one with inverted overprint with Holcombe cert.), few other cover and stamps including 1950 air set n.h.; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2348 o/✉ **Albania 1913 Independence Issue Group,** on 7 philatelic covers, 6 are FDC's, one with mixed Skanderbeg franking, some variety including inverted eagle, also 6 loose stamps.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2349 */o/✉ **Albania, 1913 Handstamp & Typewritten Issues,** 29 items; includes complete issues mixed */o and two covers bearing four values each; condition a little varied.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2350 ✉ **Albania Italian Occupation Covers, 1939-40,** 5 covers and postcard; to Italy or Germany, all franked with 1939-40 Occupational issues, including registered, censored, diverse frankings, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2351 **/* **Andorra Collection (Spanish and French),** extensive collection of both administrations; includes many better sets like French #1-22, etc.; also includes Proofs, Imperfs, Varieties, Unlisted, few covers, etc.; an exceptional collection of this country, Scott catalog on stamps alone over $5,000.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2352 */o **Argentina Collection, 1858-1970,** of over 440 stamps mostly used on old album pages; includes Cordoba (Sc. 1), Corrientes (Sc. 7), Confederation (Sc. 1), Rivadavia (11b, 12-13), others Sc. 5, 7, 9, 12, 30-32, etc., some back-of-the-book; owner's 2018 Scott cat $1,870 (not counting reprints).
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2353 */o **Asia Area Collections,** mostly mint housed in Palo album; includes **Mongolia** with first issues complete, high value 1926 revenue overprint issues needing to be checked, good showing of later issues, **Tanna Tuva** with 1926-27 issues complete, good 1932 & 1933 surcharges present, later basic pictorials, 1942 Independence set with unissued used and the 1943 Anniversary set, **Korea** to 1903 with early issues complete, 1900 issues up to the high values mixed */o, surcharge issues and Falcon issues to the 20ch, **Nepal** mixed */o and approaching completion, and **Tibet** with first issues complete, better 1914 high values and some shiny paint issues, later 1933-34 issues complete; many better single and sets throughout, inspection a must.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2354 ✉ **Asia Cover Group,** clean accumulation of covers, postcards and stationery from Thailand, Korea, Mongolia, Tibet, Macau, Indonesia, Philippines, Indochina, Laos and Vietnam (no China or Japan), review recommended, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2355 ** **Asia (Southeast) Never Hinged Holding, 1950-70s,** substantial mint n.h. selection of sets and singles ranging from 1950-70s, including Vietnam, Laos and Cambodia, all in quantities of 1-50 each, in glassines with value, Scott number and quantities noted, owner's approximately Scott $10K, well-balanced holding, worth inspection, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2356 */o **Australia Collection, 1913-30,** specialized collection of 59 stamps with perforated "OS" initials; includes mint 10/- Kangaroo, etc.; generally F-VF (10/- tiny stain), **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2357 * **Australia Used Accumulation, 1913-2000,** in 3 stock books and on pages; better value on pages with Roos, KGV with issues to about the 1930s, occasional mint stamp in mounts, stock books filled with jam-packed manila pages from early to later with some heavy duplication, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2358 */o **Austria Collection, 1850-1950,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly used to the 1934 starting with completion in 19th century issues with some additional varieties, 1891-1907 Laureate issues including additional varnish issues, similar virtually complete thereon including 1908-16 set, 1910 Birthday set, 1936 10sch Dollfuss mint and the good 1945 Styria issues mint, back-of-the-book with completion in mint Semi-Postals including the good 1930 sets, good 1933 50g WIPA single (no souvenir sheet), airmails complete mint, useful to good newspapers, military, occupationals and dues, also complete Bosnia & Herzegovina issues with some variety; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2359 */o **Austria Collection, 1850-1977,** well represented */o in Scott album; starting with 4-margin first issues on with strong completion in early issues, later issues missing mostly the scarcer issues, similar back-of-the-book with good completion, occupationals and offices, etc.; owner's 1989 Scott cat $4,638.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2360 */o **Belgium Collection, 1849-1944,** well formed collection in Scott album; completion in regular issues with early issues mostly used, 1865 1fr and following issues with thick and thin papers, 1875 5fr present with neat town cancel, 1919 Albert set mint, 1921 & 1924 Expo sheets, 1930 Antwerp sheet, near complete mint semi-postals missing the 1918 high values and better later present, complete officials, newspapers, dues, parcels lacking only the 1915 issues, etc.; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2361 *✉ **Bolivia Picture Post Card Real-Photo Series,** group of 70 unused cards each with "Casa Kavlin La Paz - Oruro Cochabamba (Bolivia)" imprint on reverse, a wonderful array of views, native people, ruins, daily life,etc.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2362 o **Brazil Mute and Town Postmarks,** group of 125 stamp each with properly identified cancels by P. Ayres (P.A.) (1937) and Dingler & Lopez (D.L.) (2000) catalogs, with Ayres (98) different corks and D.L. (23) and a few unidentified, cancels on Don Pedro (1860/88) and more rarely on small head issues (1881/84); inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

British Commonwealth



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2363 * **British Commonwealth Collection, 1840 - 1960,** extensive collection all neatly mounted in 18 large size binders, the majority of the 19th Century material is used and the vast majority of the 20th century is mint, several Pound values can be found throughout the collection and the real value of the collection is in the King Edward VII through the King George V era, the highlights are far to many to list all, but to touch on but a few, includes a very fine used **Great Britain** section represented by over 50 Penny Blacks and many early Pound values including a £5 Orange, £1 Seahorse and a £1 PUC, plus 1870 1½d rosy mauve mint (S.G. 53a), **Gibraltar** includes the £5 mint, **Hong Kong** with a fine mint and used selection, **Ceylon** with "Specimen" on the High values, **Falkland Islands** almost complete collection, **Canada** Jubilee series mint to the $5, **Kenya and Uganda** mint £1-£3 values mint, plus the £10, £50 and £100 values with "Specimen" overprints, the good **Malta** 10sh is present mint, **Sierra Leone** shows strength throughout, plus much more, a few fiscal cancels are noted on some of the used high values, but the overall condition is well above average, this is a once in a lifetime opportunity to acquire such a fine intact collection.
Estimate . . . . . $125,000 - 150,000

THIS COLLECTION SHOULD BE INSPECTED IN PERSON TO FULLY APPRECIATE.

2364 */o **British Commonwealth Accumulation,** strong assemblage of sets and singles on black stock cards and larger pages, mostly mint including n.h. and some used throughout, features Straights Settlements KGVI 1¢ Japanese Occupation sheet of 100 (SG cat. £1350) and much more, well worth careful inspection, generally fine to very.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2365 */o **British Commonwealth Collection,** oldtime collection of issues on pages in four early albums, with good to better singles and short sets throughout; includes Rhodesia first issue to mid-values and good later, Togo with KGV occupational specimens, early Hong Kong QV issues, Malaya Exposition overprint issues, mint N.W.P.I., useful Canada and Provinces, C.G.H. and some Mafeking issues, good mint Cyprus with early issues present, Mauritius with four margin 1848 1d QV intermediate impression used (Scott 3b, cat $2,850) and a 1859 2d pair as well as a host of later issues, good Strait Settlement issues, G.B. from #1 on, mint Bechuanaland and useful India, and much more, worth proper evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2366 ✉ **British Commonwealth Cover & Card Accumulation,** 19th and 20th century, neat accumulation of approximately a couple hundred better items including postcards, postal stationery etc., nice selection of 19th Century Great Britain and much 20th Century Colonial material, generally WWII era or earlier, featuring Registered, Censored, Airs etc., nice holding, worth inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2367 */o **British Commonwealth Collection,** housed in various Scott albums and numerous presentation folders; includes **Great Britain** separate mint and used collection, used starting with 1840 1d & 2d with later QV issues including additional plate singles, later high values including 1891 £1, later King issues including seahorses, etc., mint collection from 1856 with a pleasant showing of early issue with strong completion from 1930's on, also Channel Islands including 1993-2006 modern presentation packs, various Commonwealth countries mostly mint with strength in 1930-40's with some earlier material.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2368 */o **British Commonwealth Sundry,** mix of material in two large boxes; including modern inverted errors, India, Canada, Bermuda #26 specialized, G.B., Ireland including gutter pairs, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2369 **/*/o **British Commonwealth Accumulation,** 19th and 20th Century mint and used accumulation in a large box on stock pages, album pages, stock cards, approval pages and in glassines, including runs of sets and singles of Cayman Islands, Gibraltar and Malta on small dealer cards in files boxes, also folders of Great Britain and Canada, groups of smaller colonies present, inspection highly recommended, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2370 */o **British Commonwealth Collection, 1940-70s,** in four Scott Albumsimpressive 20th Century mostly mint collection in mounts, well-filled with/mint sets and singles, much n.h., nice KGVI including Silver Wedding and better QEII Definitive sets throughout, great opportunity to obtain a clean, fresh collection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2371 ** **British Commonwealth Souvenir Sheet and Modern Issues Accumulation,** hoard of issues on dealer pages filling large box, mostly souvenir sheets with the occasional sets, much in African and island countries, much topical interest throughout, no doubt substantial overall catalog value; please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2372 */o **British Pacific Collections,** mostly mint issues on album pages; includes near complete **Aitutaki** issues, **Cook Islands** with some choice early issues and later completion including the 1931 fiscal issues and some better later fiscals, nice showing of **Niue** and **Penrhyn Island** issues; nice fresh material with condition well above the norm, owner's S.G. cat £3,193.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2373 */o **British Pacific Collections,** virtually all mint on album pages; includes a nice run of mint **N.W.P.I.** issues with values up to the 5sh, **Samoa** with good later fiscal overprint issues */o and some nice mint **Tonga**; condition well above the norm, owner's S.G. cat £2,340.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2374 */o **Bulgaria Collection, 1879-1944,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; virtually complete issues lacking only a handful of early error issues, with mixed */o issues to 1912 and virtually all mint thereafter, includes Lion coat of arms issues including the scarce 1885 50s on 1fr surcharge (Scott 22), 20th century mint including 1931-35 Balkan Games sets, back-of-the-book with complete mint Semi-Postals and Airs, complete Dues with used early issues, Postal Tax, Officials, etc.; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2375 */o **Cambodia, Collection, 1951-73,** mostly complete for the period mint n.h. collection in mounts on Minkus pages in a binder, highlights include Scott #1-16, 18//37, Deluxe souvenir sheets including C1a-3a, some early mint stationery, few covers, etc., attractive and worth review.
Scott No. **1//1355 + BOB** . . . . . Estimate $300 - 400

2376 */o **British Columbia & Vancouver Island Stamp Balance, 1860-69,** selection of 38 stamps on stock and exhibit pages; 1860 2½d perf'd with two mint and two used with express cancels, 1865 5¢ perf'd three mint singles, over a dozen 1865 3d issues */o including express tied to piece, surcharges issues */o, used with different cancels and minor mint duplication, includes used $1 on 3d high value, few dubious items not counted; mostly sound material with occasional flaw, Scott cat. in excess of $12,000.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2377 ✉ **British Columbia & Vancouver Island Cover Balance,** group of nine covers, front and a few miscellaneous items; stamp usages including 1860 2½d perf'd on lightly soiled cover, 1865 5¢ perf'd on cover to New Westminster, 1865 3d blue pair canceled by barred oval "34" handstamp (an unknown office) on cover (unique on cover, missing U.S. stamps), 1867 2¢ on 3d strip of three on cover to N.Y., couple 1860's incoming, etc.; scarce material with condition a little mixed.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2378 */o/✉ **Newfoundland Collection, 1857-1940's,** mostly mint on stock card and pages with some nice early used and some 1940's covers; includes some mint early classics including Scott #5 & 8 (no gum), #49 imprint block (2 stamps n.h., one stamp thin, with cert.) and nice fresh well centered later issues with some n.h.; owner's Scott cat $4,576+, worth evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2379 */o **Canada Group, 1852-1953,** mint and used on small black stock cards, including mint Scott #71, 120 (2), O25, used #4, 4d, Jubilees 50¢, $1, $2 and $5 etc., 103, also Newfoundland used #21, 22 (2), condition varies, slight duplication, owner's Scott $6K+, better items throughout, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2380 o **Canada 1859 5¢ Beaver Issue Plating Study,** of 274 stamps arranged on stockcards; includes plate from the first three states and 1st perfs (missing only position 55) and 3th perf plate from states 6-11 which is complete, etc., includes noted re-entry, captured imprints, "rock in falls" variety, etc.; condition varies, Scott basic cat $10,275 not including and premium for variety, a very difficult group to assemble. SG No. 32.
Scott No. **15** . . . . . Estimate $1,500 - 2,000

2381 ** **Canada Mint N.H. Group, 1897-1953,** seemingly all n.h. group on small black stock cards, including Jubilees, Blue Nose, Scott #262 (2) etc., also Newfoundland #18-19, mostly fresh, slight duplication, inspection recommended, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2382 ✉ **Canada, Flag Machine Cancel Group,** group of three better covers comprising two with Montreal "Victoria 1837-1897" flag machine cancels (Langford type 4-5) and one with #86 tied by Canadian Postal Supply Company flag machine cancel, **a Very Fine trio.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2383 */o **Canada & Provinces Collection, 1851-1985,** nice little collection in Scott Album; highlights include 1897 $3 Jubilee used, 50¢ Bluenose mint, Provinces cat $1475 and are attractive; generally o.g., F-VF, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2384 o **Cape of Good Hope Collection, 1864-1906,** many hundreds on early albums pages; showing the range of issues for the period with better and variety, including the 1874 1d on 6d surcharge and a 1879 3d on 4d slight "kiss" double surcharge (Scott $4,500 for full), some later officials, most material in cancellation study with a wide range of townmarks, duplexes, letters and numbers, auxiliary, German seapost, section of multiples including impressive 5sh blocks of 8 and 12, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2385 ✉ **Postal History Collection, 1901-1938,** collection of **116** covers including registered mail, airmail, town cancels, etc., wide variety of frankings including 1935 Pictorial issue, some better noted including two 1901 "Zissler" registered covers to London bearing 1900 ½d. and 1d. blocks of four and singles, 1904 registered cover to Birmingham bearing 1902-03 ½d. (2), 1d. vertical pair, 2½d., 6d. and 1/-; 1908 registered cover to England via Cuba bearing 1907 (Mar.) 4d. and 1907-09 ½d. and 1d.; 1912 registered cover to England bearing 1907-09 1d., 2½d., 3d., 6d. and 1/-; etc., attractive collection.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

China

2386 */o **China Classic Issues,** interesting assortment identified on black stock pages, including large and small Dragons, various Dowager issues, Coiling Dragons and other useful material, condition varies, worth inspection, generally fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2387 */o **China Collection, 1878-1930's,** selection of mint and used issues on old album pages; starting with a used 3c Large Dragon and various small dragon issues, various 1894 issues up to the 24¢, better red revenue issues */o up to the 4¢, useful selection of later issues, back-of-the-book issues, local Shanghai issues and a few covers; Scott catalog approximately $6,800+, worth careful inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2388 */o **China Collection,** on album pages; includes large dragon (1), small dragons (5), Dowager (Sc. 16/8, 24) other including Sc. 28, 30, 32/3, 47/9, 86/7, 89, J51/8, J59/66, etc.; condition varies with owner's cat $2,400+.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2389 */o **China Group, 1885-1906,** pleasing assortment of mint and used on black stock cards in a binder, including small Dragons, Dowager issues and Chinese Imperial Post issues with/Scott #105 50¢ specimen overprint, features better cancels, attractive and worthwhile, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2390 */o **China Collection, 1888-1993,** mint and used collection mounted in a Minkus album, starts with early Imperial including Scott #13, 14, then early Republic with 146-59, 219, 237-9, Emperors 1355-8, also worthwhile section of PRC with nice runs of mint sets including 1067-71, 1074a, 1075, 1090-1109, 1111-16, 1121a, 1122-54, 1181-1204, 1207a-1248, 1250-80 etc., substantial catalog value, well worth inspection, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2391 */o **China Varied Accumulation,** interesting assortment of mint and used sets and singles on black stock cards and larger pages, wide variety of items ranging from early Republic, Shanghai, Treaty Ports, Foreign Offices and Taiwan mint sets to 1970s, well worth close inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2392 ✉ **China Cover Group,** varied and worthwhile assortment of mostly 20th Century covers, postcards, postal stationery etc., including items from early Republic to mid-century and later with much value in PRC, features red band junk covers (one with/advertising), post-war inflation covers, PRC Cultural Revolution items etc., worth inspection, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2393 */o **China Collection,** mostly 20th Century mint and used collection in a Scott album and stockbook, with many sets of both Republic and PRC including 1960 Goldfish complete mint and various Provinces issues, stockbook contains mostly Sun Yat Sen issues with/wide variety of overprints and surcharges, well worth close inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2394 o **China Cancellation Collection,** of over 180 stamps mostly China (coiling dragons, junks, etc.), few local issues, but others including Hong Kong (Treaty Ports), nice array of towns, tombstone. paquebot, Peking oval cancel, dollar chop, pakua, etc., plus an extra 32 PRC stamps on piece; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2395 */o **China Collection,** general collection of 19th and 20th century mint and used collection on homemade pages in a binder with Nationalist issues and PRC, some better to be found throughout, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2396 ✉ **China Postal History to United States, 1910s-1930s,** original correspondence group of 64 covers with a variety of frankings, few registered, many with The Oberlin Shansi Memorial Schools, Taiku, Shansi, China corner cards; some missing stamps, **Fine,** worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

China (People's Republic)

2397 ** **China (People's Republic) Holding,** attractive group of complete mint n.h. sets on black stock pages including Scott #612-14, 828-32, 1090-94, 1104-16, 1121a, 1122-48, 1211-27, 1245-77, 1286-98, 1389-98, clean and fresh, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2398 */o **China (People's Republic) Sets and Booklets,** accumulation of mint n.h. sets including Scott #708-10, 1099-1102, 1122-25, also Butterfly set 661-80 (missing three values) and Mei Fan Lan set 620-26 CTO n.h. (missing 627), plus six booklets including 1862a, 63a, also ROC Mask set 1471-74 in n.h. pairs and others, clean and fresh group on small dealer stock cards, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2399 */o **China (People's Republic) Accumulation, 1947-83,** worthwhile group of mint and used sets and singles on black stock cards and some larger pages, including Cultural Revolution issues, Back of Book, some booklets and presentation folders, review recommended, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2400 */o **China (People's Republic) Collection, 1949-2003,** mostly mint on album pages in three binders, with used confined to pre-Revolutionary issues; early issues with a mix of mostly reprints and original sets, strong completion in 1950 issues, later better mint including 1961 Horse & Camel set (592-599), 1963 Children's Day set, 1963 Landscapes (716-731), 1964 Peonies (767-781) and Vessels (783-790), Cultural Rev. issue with 1966 Lu Hsun (924-926), 1967 Firefighters (927-929) and a selection of better issue, strong completion from 1969 on with some of the good souvenir sheets present, etc.; mint predominately hinged with n.h. including revolutionary issues; worth evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2401 */o **Colombia Varieties Group,** of over a dozen items on cards; includes 1961 Atlantico department A.B.N.Co. essays (5 different), other interesting specimen material including multiples, #442 double impression block, surcharge and overprint errors; a nice group for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2402 */o/✉ **Costa Rica Accumulation,** of mostly better mint singles and sets on album and stock pages; includes Soto first issue with additional including high value, similar second issue, 1905 Portraits with better perf 14 set and many imperf pairs, later interesting varieties, officials, etc., also a genuine 1936 registered cover with a Scott 150a surcharge forgery; Scott approx cat $2,700, interesting group, worth proper evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

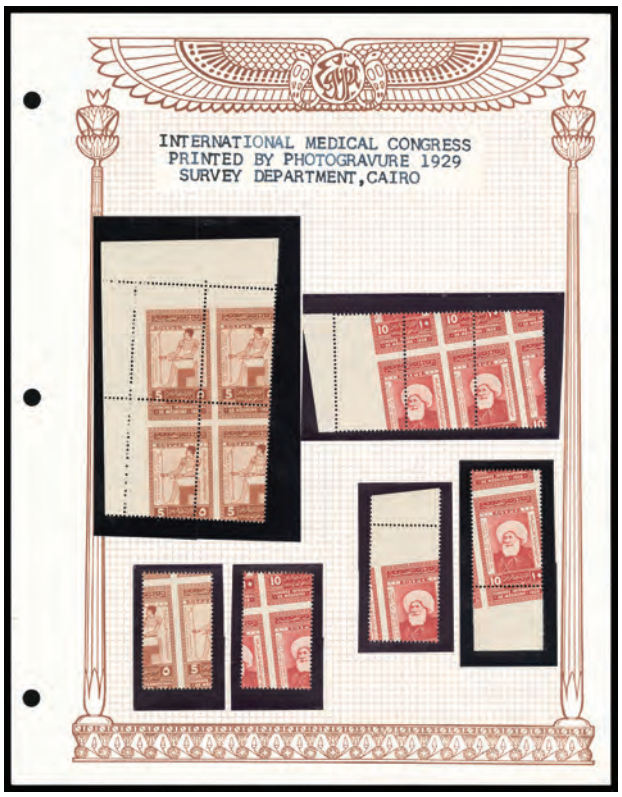
2403 */✉ **Czechoslovakia Collection, 1918-44,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; complete regular issues mostly used to the 1930's and predominately mint thereafter, with additional rouletted and scarce imperf issues in the 1919-20 issues and later issue types present, good showing of overprint Semi-Postals, 1925-26 Congress issues on cover/card (both signed Gilbert), airmails complete with additional types, newspapers and dues complete, Czech Army Post issues complete including Lion surcharges, Bohemia & Moravia issues complete mint; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2404 */o **Denmark Collection, 1851-1947,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; with primarily used issues to mid-1930 and mint thereafter, starting with #1 with additional essay, Emblem issues complete used to 1868, following Numerals near complete with additional page for inverted frames, completion in later issues including 1912 surcharges and 5k high value used, 1918 Newspaper surcharge sets present, Faroe 2o on 5o tied on piece, better later surcharges, 1933-40 advertising pairs used, Faroe 1940-41 Surcharge set on cover, Semi-Postal & Airs complete, Officials complete used (O5 both mint and used), newspapers, dues, parcels, etc. all complete; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2405 */o/✉ **Denmark and Faroe Islands Collection, 1851-1975,** nice collection in Scott album, includes nice Denmark #1 folded cover, Faroe #1 cover (with 5 ore Denmark), Faroe mint #1 and set of Faroe #2-6 mint; condition is generally very nice (Scott over $10,000).
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2406 * **Ecuador, 1949 F.D. Roosevelt Airpost Labels,** a highly specialized collection of Singles, Blocks, Sheets, Ovpts, Offsets, Covers and Errors, few faults, generally Very Fine, an outstanding group which could be the basis for an award winning collection, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2407 */o **Collection with Forged King Farouk Signed Stamps,** backstamps are forgeries, mostly mint collection on Minkus pages mounted with hingeless mounts, nearly all sets with each stamp bearing the Royal backstamp, includes 108-113 (on Palace Collections card), 172-176, 177-188, 189, 190 used without seal, 242-251, 281-283, O60-O68, N1-N19, NC1-NC12, NE1 etc., plus additional stockbooks and mounted collections, FDC, etc., **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400



2408 **/* **Egypt, Collection Balance including Royal Oblique Perforations, 1925-1947,** balance of collection including 106 imperf, 191 imperf on Palace card, 277 imperf, Royal Oblique Perfs: 128-141 less 138, 142-147 incl. 145a & 146a, 150-152, 153 single and blk/4, 154 three singles and strip/3, 191-197, 206-216, 217-219, 225-227, 228-230, 242-251 less 244 & 247A, 253 two single and pair, 254-255, 266, 271 four singles, 280 two singles, 281-283, 284 blk/4, 285 two singles and pair, 286 single and str/3, 287 four singles, 292-294, 296-298, 317, B1, B9 three singles, B10 single and pair, B11 single and pair, B12 single and strip/3, E2 two singles and blk/4, E4 single and blk/4, J30-J39 (no 20m), M13-M15 two singles, O39-O50, O51-O59, o.g., never hinged but some affected by mount, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

A FABULOUS COLLECTION OF EGYPT WITH ROYAL OBLIQUE PERFORATIONS.

2409 */o **Estonia Collection, 1918-40,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; 1918 first issues including used perf/imperf and straight line overprints, following issues (no "Eesti Post" handstamp issues) with completion and some parallel */o, Semi-Postals complete mostly mint and **Airmails complete mint including all the better overprint pair issues**; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2410 ✉ **European Disinfected Mail Group, 1828-57,** 21 stampless covers, mostly Levant and Central Europe, most with disinfection cachet on reverse, 1840 letter to London with puncture holes, etc.; interesting group for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2411 ✉ **Europe & Colonies Cover Holding,** accumulation of a couple hundred 19th and 20th Century covers and postcards, including Western and Eastern Europe with/much Germany & Area, some Russia, Belgium & Colonies, Italy & Colonies, Scandinavia etc., also various souvenir sheets and better items throughout, review recommended, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2412 */o **Europe & Colonies Collection,** 19th and 20th Century mint and used collection in six binders with many thousands of stamps, three binders feature Austria to Vatican City, also Colonies from Angola to Zambezia, additional three binders including various Eastern Europe countries, condition varies, review recommended, generally fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2413 */o **Europe Collection, 1940-70s,** in three Scott albums, mint and used in mounts, well-filled with/mint sets and singles, much n.h., some used, including nice sections of Austria, Belgium and Colonies, Germany including Berlin, Greece, Italy and Colonies, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Netherlands and Colonies, Portugal and Colonies, Saar, San Marino, Spain and Colonies, Scandinavia, Turkey and Vatican, inspection will prove rewarding, fresh, clean and generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2414 **/* **Falkland Islands Collection,** on stock pages; highlights include 1952 KG Definitive set complete never hinged, etc.; original gum LH-NH, F-VF and fresh, Scott over $1,000.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2415 */o **Finland Collection, 1856-1949,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly used to the 1930's starting with nice 4-margin #2 (manuscript and town cancels), number of 1866 issue up to the 1m, 1875-90 Coat of Arms issues complete including better values, similar 1891-1916 Russia Coat of Arms, following Lion Arms issues appear to be complete, back-of-the-book with complete airs, semi-postals and military issues, also Karelia including the 1922 set; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2416 */o **Finland Revenue and Railway Issue Collection, 1866-1963,** of 491 stamps neatly mounted and written up on quadrille pages in Scott album; includes 329 documentary issues, 141 railway stamps, 12 Helsingfors local post and 9 railway parcel stamps; those listed in 1998 Saarinen catalog valued at $2,007.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2417 */o **Collection, 1849-1968,** mint and used collection starting with used classics, noted includes #2 (x4), #7 (x10), #9 (x9), #10 (x3) plus #10 used on cover, 5f gray #37 (x6), Bordeaux issue incl. #39 (x5), #46 (x5), #48 (x8), 1925 souvenir sheet #226 used, #241 used, #329, good completion on the semi-postals, airmails including C15 used, etc.; mixed condition, high catalog value; a wonderful collection with plenty of potential.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2418 */o **France Collection, 1849-1949,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly used to 1937 and mint thereafter, nice showing of early classics with strong completion from 1862 on with complete or near complete sets, including 1863-70 with attractive lightly canceled 5fr, turn of the century issues missing only a couple rarities with additional later types, completion in 20th century with mint highlights including 1923 1f Congress, 1925 Expo sheet, 1927 Strasbourg sheet, 1929 Le Havre Expo issue, 1937 PEXIP sheet, 1940's French "Spy" stamps, etc., mint Airmails lacking only C3-C4 with 1931 1.50fr EIPA perfin issue (C6b), 1936 issues complete mint including 50f, 50f Banknote issue used, complete Semi-Postals mixed */o with all early 5f high value present and mint, Newspapers including mint P2, Dues lacking one issue for completion, etc.; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2419 */o **France & French Area Collection,** 19th and 20th Century mint and used on homemade pages in a binder, thousands including Andorra, Monaco, French Colonies etc., some better throughout, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2420 */o **France & French Area Collection, 1940-70s,** in two Scott albums, mostly mint in mounts, well-filled with/mint sets and singles, much n.h., some used, including nice France semi-postals (many n.h.), independent French Colonies with much Africa, also Andorra and Monaco, worth inspection, clean, fresh and fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2421 */o/✉ **France & Colonies Group,** mostly 20th Century assortment of better covers and postcards, much Colonial material including Airmail, Registered, Censored etc., many from WWII era or earlier, also group of mint sets and better singles including imperfs and proofs, interesting mix, worth inspection, generally fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2422 */o **French Colonies Collection, 1884-1940's,** Mainly Africa pre-independence collection in large folio Yvert & Tellier album (most hingeless with clear mounts) through 1940s, includes: Anjouan, Benin, Cameroun, French Guinea, French India, French Sudan, Gabon, Grand Comoro, Guadeloupe, Ivory Coast, Martinique, Reunion, St. Pierre & Miquelon, Somali Coast, Togo, Tunisia, and Wallis & Futuna; several of these countries are complete, or virtually complete, with many later n.h.; very high quality with some better items signed by Calves, Brun or others; the Navigation and Commerce Issues are virtually complete throughout, a few early stamps are with c.d.s. cancels, rest are all mint; condition well above the norm throughout, with an owner's catalog of $31,441, an excellent basis for further continuation.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2423 *✉ **St. Pierre & Miquelon Specialized Post Card Collection,** extensive assembly of 319 cards arranged in card album with detailed listing of cards; the majority of cards printed by the "Societe des Oeuvres de Mer" with the early series with red imprints (first 68 cards) and later cards in black, an array of views including many ship view and scenes on deck of fishing vessels, fishing village in Saint Pierre, with marine hospital vessels includes Saint-Yves, Saint-Jeanne-D'Arc, Saint-Francois-d'Assise, etc., other cards with views of Iceland, many cards with St. Pierre & Miquelon frankings on face as well as France and Iceland, **generally Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

AN EXTENSIVE SPECIALIZED COLLECTION OF THE "SOCIETE DES OEUVRES DE MER" PICTURE POST CARDS.

German Area

2424 **German Ephemera Collection,** on pages in Linder album; with a collection of return letter labels, early to later issues from a variety of towns, including full sheets, various types noted, tokens and Notegeld, inflationary currency, stock coupons, etc.; unusual group, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2425 */o **Germany and States Collection,** extensive "Old School" collection in Scott album + extra specialized areas; States alone Scott $20,000-25,000.; pretty nice condition, includes Bavaria #1, etc; Germany not missing a whole lot from 1872-1957 including both 5m from 1900, 1920 1 1/4 Quatrefoils, all souvenir sheets mint, Zeppelins mint, etc.; also includes very early used booklet panes (very rare!); overall especially nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2426 */o/✉ **Germany Balance,** mix of material in large box; includes Bavaria stock, perfin collection and other German States including some on cover items, stockbook of Heligoland with some better genuine high values, Thurn & Taxis shield essays, Zepp sets, study of the 1875-90 2m high value, scarce Bergedorf essay, etc.; worth careful inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2427 */o **German Area Collection, 1850-1930's,** various areas on album pages; includes States including Prussia, Saxony, Wurttemberg, Danzig near complete missing only a handful of key items, Marienwerder, Memel with occupationals including the better surcharges (signed Friedl), Saar with complete semi-postals, Schleswig & Silesia issues; with condition above the norm throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2428 */o **German Area Collection, 1872-1971,** mint and used collection of a couple thousand stamps in mounts on quad pages in a Scott album, 19th and early 20th Century mostly used; begins with Empire through Germania, Reich issues, used Officials, WWII occupations, post-war mix of mint and used mint, some currency reform and DDR mint and used; please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2429 */o **Germany Occupation and Colonies Collection,** extensive "Old School" collection in Scott album; tremendous completeness with numerous better items (mostly signed if necessary!); Yacht issuing countries alone Scott nearly $16,000; condition is far above normal and inspection will be well-rewarded.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2430 */o **German Area Group,** of mostly mint sets and singles on stockcards; includes good Inselpost issues, propaganda issues and array of 1940's local issues; a nice specialist group, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2431 F **German States Forgery Collection,** remarkable 5 volume collection of many thousands housed on stockpages in Linder albums, with material from stocks and collections including L. Razatz, F. Billig, John N. Luff, Y. Sperati, C. Kane, Dr. Bohne and K. Lowy among others, with much identified by GPS numbers in page margins; **Baden** with nice section of Numeral and Coat of Arms issues as well the rural postage dues, couple Sperati 18kr Arms issues with different cancels, Fournier Arms issues and a complete page from album, **Bavaria** starting with a comprehensive study of the 1849 1kr first issue including Sperati (3) with different numeral cancels, Spiro and many others, later issues including back-of-the-book, reprints, telegraph sheets, "essays", etc., **Bergedorf** with original ½s proof from the position used to create the Sperati reproduction (ex-Salm) followed by a signed Sperati proof sheet of the same, extensive study other forgeries including partial ½s and full 1½s Fohl sheets as well as other Fohl blocks, forged cancels, etc., **Bremen** extensive with page of 9 Sperati items including types of the 5sgr green issue and signed proof, Fournier pages, etc., **Brunswick** with a run of horse issue Fournier sheets as well as other forgeries including 2s & 3s Sperati forgeries (with certs), Hamburg with Fournier and Spiro sheets, extensive private reprint study of the 2nd & 3rd issues with a myriad of shades (much ex-Walske), interesting section of postal stationery with indicia multiples (ex-Luff), Fournier album pages, etc., **Hannover** well represented with set of Fournier Coat of Arms issues sheets, Crown and Numeral issue including Goldner sheet, KGV issues with various sheets and numerous forgery types, Sperati Crown & Horn and KGV issues (9 items), etc., **Heligoland** with forgery types as well as reprints with an array of cancels, stationery, etc., **Lubeck** with Spiro sheets (ex-Kane), Fohl/Fournier sheets, etc., nice **Mecklenburg-Schwerin** with many interesting forgeries including three Sperati, **Oldenburg** highlighted by "complete" section of Sperati issues followed by a comprehensive array of others, **Saxony** with a wonderful section on the 3pf first issue including Sperati proof, unused and three used with different cancels, interesting later issues, Schleswig-Holstein with Fournier pages, Thurn & Taxis, Wurttemberg with Sperati proof items and 18kr repro., NGU items, etc.; a truly wonderful assembly of material.
Estimate . . . . . $10,000 - 15,000

2432 */o **German States Stock,** substantial holding of mostly used issues on stockpages in 9 albums and stockbooks; mostly more common issues including Baden first and second issues in quantities, similar Bavaria early numerals with a few high values, with later issues in quantities/sets, useful Brunswick and Hamburg, little Oldenburg and and Prussia including a section of target numeral cancels on first issues, later Saxony and well represented Thurn & Taxis in modest to heavy quantities, includes some tax issues, etc.; interesting holding with much material and postmark interest, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2433 F **Peter Winter German States Forgery Collection,** approximately 450 items arranged on stockpages in Linder album; extensive showing of Winter creations starting with Baden 1851 9kr deep rose gutter pairs including various cancels and the 9kr blue error including on fronts, 1860 9kr rose including in sheet with Moldavia issue, Bavaria 1849 1kr sheet and strips on fronts, later high values in block with various cancels, etc., Brunswick with multiples on fronts including bisect, Bremen issues with various issues on fronts, Hannover 1863 3pf green with various cancels and on fronts, nice showing of various Lubeck issues unused, used and multiples including usages, similar Oldenburg including large blocks and combination frankings, Saxony focusing on 1850 3pf first issue including sheets from different designs/printings, cancel "study", combination frankings on fronts and essay designs, Wurttemberg with bisect usages, 1873 70kr including full sheet with imprint and registered usages, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

Peter Winter of Bremen apparently began offering forgeries sometime in the early 1980's. By 1985 he had arranged to launch a major marketing scheme. A catalog was issued under the name ProPhilForum picturing and pricing forgeries of many classic stamps, about 185 different in total with an addition of 31 cover fronts. The forgeries themselves were produced by an art printer in Germany. Mostly they were photolithographs, but a few were engraved. After filed complaints from the philatelic community, leading to the near shut down of Winter's operation, he arranged with Silke Kratel in Geneva to handle his forgeries through the newly created House of Stamps. After a year or so the House of Stamps was shut down by Swiss postal authorities in response to complaints.

2434 */o **Bavaria Collection, 1849-1920,** housed on album and stock pages in Linder album; comprehensive showing of issues starting with 1849 1kr unused from plate 1 and a used 4-margin example, 3kr including a scarce 3kr unused from plate 1 (4 margins, with cert.), quantities of used from various later plates as well as later numeral issues mostly used up to the 18kr with somewhat heavy duplication in some issues, substantial showing of following coat of arms issues */o including cancels and shade varieties, myriad of later issues including imprint blocks, Germania overprint issues including high value sheets, back-of-the-book with semi-official airs, telegraph, locals, etc.; condition varies with much material throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2435 o **Bavaria Specialized Numeral Cogwheel Collection, 1850-69,** several hundred issues mounted in specialized early Kasbohrer numeral cogwheel album; album with spaces for both regular cogwheel and segmented target giving spaces for each number, includes and additional group of a couple hundred numeral issue mostly bearing numeral cancels; album in excellent condition and an ideal collection for further continuation.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2436 */o **Bergedorf Private (City) Post Collection (A. Salvador),** annotated on exhibit pages with many rare items throughout; starting with the 2pf provisional triangle issue with a unique photo of the five pen essay designs and imperforate proof (from the unique block of 4, both ex-Glaswald), followed by a block of 64 - the largest known multiple, varieties including imperf between, color shift and misperforation, following definitive issue of five values with perf and imperf, section of "cancellation" items, color proof set six different colors, 9 compound essay/proof sheets on different papers in combination with Lubeck local designs, color proof block sheets of 10 on thick card (25 items), includes additional proof set including Lubeck locals, postal cards, etc.; a fascinating and rare group.
Estimate . . . . . $5,000 - 7,500

2437 * **Bergedorf Private (City) Post Unique Sheet Collection,** group of **six different sheets of 100 each known to be unique in sheet format**; includes the 2pf brown, 3pf orange brown 10pf dark green and 15pf yellow brown perforated and the 3pf orange brown and 15pf yellow brown in imperforate format; 2pf perf'd missing top selvage and a few perf separations in 10pf sheet, couple light folds in imperf sheets. Michel No. 2-3, 5-6, 3U, 6U.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2438 F **Hamburg Reference Collection,** of approximately 400 items on album pages in binder; 1859 issues doubtful & forged postmark, various 1864 reprints showing color and shade varieties, paper types with sections of forged cancellations, study of 1866-67 issues including various reprints, postal stationery including genuine entires mint and used with a selection of forgery cuts, *ex-C. Walske*.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2439 ✉ **Auschwitz Pow Card Group,** 7 Auschwitz POW cards from correspondence plus a few other items; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2440 */o **Germany Collection, 1852-1949,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mixed */o with much parallel */o throughout, some states material including nice Baden and Bavaria, regular issues near complete starting with 1872 Eagles complete as well as the later Empire used, Germania issues mostly used including the better 1900 5m types, parallel */o inflationary issues worth checking, some better post-war issues, airmails complete mint including all the Zepp issues, semi-postals complete including all the souvenir sheets, Officials complete with parallel */o, some military airpost issues, occupationals including good Polish issues, etc.; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2441 */o **Germany Stock,** mixed stock of mint and used on dealer cards in two stockboxes; includes some States material, early Empire to modern issues, back-of-the-book with airs including Zepps, officials, some colonies, etc.; modest to moderate duplication, owner's approximately cat $5,250.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2442 */o **Germany Collections, 1952-2003,** in 10 Lighthouse albums combining to make at least three collections; includes Bundespost, Berlin, DDR, good value in early used Berlin some signed, early Bundespost semi-postals, DDR some better souvenir sheets, few sparsely filled though, overall nice condition and much material, viewing recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2443 **Germany Zeppelin Luftschiff Photographs, 1900-31,** 71 photographs produced in Germany after the end of WWII using the negatives in the Zeppelin Museum at Friedrichshafen, all numbered 6½x4½'' (no 64 slightly reduced at bottom), includes the following airships LZ1-4, 6-7, 10-11, 13-14, 17-18, 22-23, 25, 36, 40-41, 42, 45, 47, 72, 92, 95, 100, 102, 112-114, 120-121, 126 & 127, enclosed all equivalent L numbers used by the German Navy, plus photo of hangers, construction, F. von Zeppelin, etc., photo (when possible) has been pencil annotated with reference to launch, decommission, crash dates, reconnaissance, attack flights over England, bombs dropped, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2444 *✉ **Germany Zeppelin Postcard and Ephemera Collection,** in album, with 50 postcards from different German printers and ephemera including letterhead Zeppelin paper, covers, propaganda, postal stationery, letters written onboard, hotel menu, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2445 ✉ **Germany Zeppelin Flight Covers, 1930-39,** 54 covers and cards all with German frankings; with better items including 2m South America Zepp on 1930 Baltic flight cover (stamp cats $400 off cover), 1m Polar Zepp on 1932 flights (Sieger 138 & 143) and 2m Chicago Zepp on 1933 Century of Progress flight cover, several other Zepp issue usages and numerous other flights; inspection recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2446 **Germany Zeppelin Hindenberg (LZ129) Interior Photo Collection,** of 18 photos showing luxuries and commodities for passengers; includes in flight and interior views with dining room, promenade, reading and writing room, radio room, etc., five scenes at Lakehurst including three of her being secured to her mooring mast and two to the ground in May 1936, during construction, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2447 *✉ **Germany, Hindenburg Specialized Post Card Group,** of 14 unused cards; includes scarce group of 10 1938 "Verlag Gebr. Metz, Tubingen" multicolored photocards of the airships interior, also an unusual black & white realphoto card of Hindenburg in flight (summer 1936) over Atlantic passing the *SS Bremen* with the Queen Mary in background, and 3 multicolored "Kunstzverlag Michel & Co." cards of airship over Frankfurt (1936); some with minor flaws.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2448 */o/✉ **Germany, Officials, 1903-1943,** an absolute mammoth accumulation of thousands upon thousands of officials neatly displayed on sheets in 7 Lighthouse albums, a lifetime collection that would be extremely difficult to recreate; mint and used arranged intelligently from issue to issue with deep duplication, rich in used items with most high-values present including Scott O3 used 23 singles and 3 on piece (did not notice O40-O46 used) includes singles, sets, multiples mint and used, on piece, over 350 covers and cards spanning the period, includes Prussia #21, Baden #16, Bavaria, and Wurttemberg, Franchise, many pages with handstamped certs etc, quite an impressive and desirable holding with owner's catalog of more than €62,400, inspection highly recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2449 */o **German Post Offices Specialized Accumulation,** many hundreds of single stamps from early Reichpost issues to Germania issues on stock cards and pages of clear well struck cancels and printings, sorted by city and type, with a great selection of China, a lot for the specialist; owner's Scott $7,500 +.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2450 */o **German Colonies Yacht Issue Collection,** virtually all mint on Scott pages; Cameroun to Togo mostly in complete sets with some missing only the high values; worth evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2451 * **Croatia Collection, 1941-45,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; complete mint issues with additional sheets in the semi-postal issues, including scarce 1944 Storm Trooper set (no souvenir sheet), dues & officials complete; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2452 */o **Germany Post World War II Collections, 1945-89,** collections of Berlin and DDR housed in four albums; **Berlin** mostly mint to 1989 with better early mint sets present including 1949 von Stephen, 1949 green surcharges with high value n.h., virtually complete thereafter missing only the Currency Victims souvenir sheet, three volume DDR collection to 1982 starting with a run of Soviet Zone issues, collection appears complete from 1948 Russian Zone overprint on mostly mint with occasional duplication, including 1948 Goethe & 1950 Stamp Day semi-postal sheets n.h., mostly n.h. in later.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2453 */o **Germany, Post World War II Collection, 1960-90's,** of Berlin and DDR in 8 albums; mint and used all with neat town cancels, also 1940-90s Austria in two volumes; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2454 */o **Germany - Soviet Zone Collection, 1944-46,** various singles and sets housed in Lighthouse albums; includes useful general occupationals, better items in local issues with highlights including scarce Fredersdorf overprint issues (most items signed), better Großräschen issues, Lobau D overprint long set (missing only the low value), good Netzschkau-Reichenbach issues, Niesky se-tenant strip; nice fresh material throughout, old Michel catalog value €7,390, worth review for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2455 ✉ **Gibraltar Postal History Collection, 1739-1847,** of 51 stampless covers mostly written-up on exhibition pages, covering an array of Gibraltar / Spanish markings during the period (about half originating in Gibraltar), with various rates, including disinfected mail, etc.; a lovely group for the specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Great Britain

2456 */o/✉ **Great Britain Balance,** in album and several binders; includes over a dozen 1840 1d black issues off cover and three on cover, unused Mulready 1d x2 and 2d, four used 1d Mulready entires, caricature Mulready and a Ocean Penny Postage propaganda cover, other good stamp items including £1 PUC used, ephemera items including Queen Victoria and Prince Albert signatures on document, Queen Victoria letter and mourning cover on Buckingham Palace stationary, 1821 letter from W. Mulready and signature of John Thompson (engraver of Mulready envelope design), also a collection of later QV issues, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2457 **/*/o **Great Britain Collection, 1840-1970,** exceptional 3 volume collection in beautiful Gibbons Oriel Albums; Volume 1 Victoria (Scott $5,151) used VF-XF and Choice; Volume 2 Three Kings (Scott $4,447) nearly all never hinged or choice used including 1929 PUC £1 mint and probably never hinged but counted as hinged, and Volume 3 QEII (Scott $571) all never hinged; great collection with a total Scott of $10,169.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2458 o **Great Britain Early QV Group, 1840-50's,** of 22 stamps; includes 11 1840 1d black (most 4-margin) including four margin pair and magenta cancel, two 1840 2d singles, one with **rare blue Maltese cross** an other 4-margin, 2d lines pair and strip of 3 and a 1d strip of four; some flaws, worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2459 */o **Great Britain Collection, 1840-1949,** collection on Scott album pages; mostly used to the 1930's starting with a nice 4-margin 1840 1d black, 1847-54 1sh & 6d embossed issues, 1860-70's issues mostly complete, 1883-84 complete including 2sh/6d-10sh high values, 1891 £1 green high value, 1901-02 KEVII issue to the 5sh, 1913 & 1919 Seahorses to the 10sh, unused £1 PUC, etc., back-of-the-book with 1d Mulready envelope, dues and a handful of Officials worth checking; with condition above the norm throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2460 o **Great Britain Used Group, 1840-1952,** used accumulation on stock cards and album pages, great selection of line engraved and surface printed Victoria issues to 2-shilling value including 3 penny blacks, also later high values to 10-shilling (Scott #94-6, 108-9), wide variety of plate numbers, some KEVII to KGVI, duplication of better values, condition varies, owner's catalog $15K, well worth careful inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2461 */o **Great Britain Royal Omnibus Collection,** mint and used collection in four binders, includes Great Britain 1840-2003 volume (with/Penny Black), binder of mostly G.B. booklets (2 x Wedgwood) plus eight different Hong Kong, two binders of Royal Omnibus mint sets from 1937 King George VI, Coronations through Queen Mother's Century and memorial issues, also QEII Silver Weddings and various other related issues etc.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2462 */o **Great Britain & Commonwealth Collection,** 3 Volumes19th and 20th Century mint and used collection on homemade pages in three binders with thousands of stamps from Aden to Zululand, one volume of Great Britain, better stamps throughout including some mint KGV, Silver Jubilees, KGVI Silver Wedding and UPU, condition varies, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2463 */o **Great Britain QEII Mostly Mint Collection, 1953-70,** of Pre-Decimal issues in two volumes, includes singles and blocks of 4 or 6, some used, good coverage with high degree of completion for the period, former Warwick Auction lots, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2464 ** **Great Britain Machins Collection,** 232 different singles + 1 booklet; organized in small stock book with Stanley Gibbons identifier; never hinged and VF lot, **Very Fine.**
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2465 */o **Grenada Postal Stationery Collection, 1886-1951,** of 63 items with much on written-up on exhibit pages; postal cards, wrappers, registration entires, etc. with a number with specimen overprint items (many only 300-400 issued); worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2466 * **Guanacaste Collection, 1885-89,** mint issues (couple stamps used) annotated on Scott album pages, with many of the scarce & rare issues throughout; completion in first issues with both plate III & IV issues present, second issues complete including the two red overprint issues (Scott 12 & 13, cat $2,000 each), third issues mostly complete, fourth series types with highlights including 2¢ type e (Scott 24, cat $1,500) and 1¢ types **Fine** & g (Scott 27, cat $2000 & Scott 35, cat $3,000), 2¢ type g x2 (Scott 32, cat $1,500, one with cert.), few later issues; many rare and seldom offered issues, Scott cat in excess of $17,500.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2467 */o **Guatemala Postal Stationery Group,** of 24 mostly early items including a few cover and postcard usages; includes several wrappers all used including to Russia, 2 scarce railway items including 1903 Inauguration stationery.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2468 */o **Hungary Collection, 1871-1943,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; complete mixed mint and used starting with 1871-72 Josef litho & engraved issues complete mostly used, early 19th century mostly used including additional 1900-04 issue perf varieties, the good 1932 2f surcharge present (signed Friedl), semi-postals and airs complete mint, official complete used, newspapers & dues complete, occupationals missing only a half dozen issues with additional, etc.; truly impressive completion with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2469 o **Iceland Collection, 1873-1995,** beautiful well formed collection of used issues housed in Lighthouse album, with **stamps carefully selected for neat town cancels throughout**; collection approaching completion to mostly complete throughout missing basically a few of the early high values and scarce turn of century Provisionals, includes 1873 issues lacking only the 16s perf 12½, 1876-1901 issues missing only 1898 50a, 1897 Provisionals including Scott 33 x2 and 33A tied on piece (each cat. $750), following King definitive issues appear complete including a few additional surcharge issues and near complete later regular issues, both with semi-postals including souvenir sheets, airmails missing only the 1933 Hopflug set, and Officials mostly complete; with overall condition well above the norm throughout, owner's approximately Scott cat $22,000, a truly must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2470 */✉ **Iceland Collection, 1873-1949,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mixed mint and used with some parallel */o at times, starting with 1873 first issues to the 8s mint, good following perf 12½ issues, 1876 complete mostly mint and good later Numerals, 1902 King set complete used, good 1902-03 "I Gildi" issues, 1907-08 Kings set complete mint, 1912 Frederick set used, 1915-18 set complete mint, all the good 1920's King and surcharges present, 1930 Views set mint, later completion mostly mint, semi-postals complete mint, airs lacking only the 1933 Hopflug set, official missing only O1 and couple I Gildi issues for total completion, including 1930 Views set mint; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2471 o **India Used Group,** lot of 23 stamps, all Victoria and Edward issues, all cancelled in ADEN, scarce lot.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2472 * **Gwalior (Indian Convention State) Collection, 1885-1940,** specialized mint collection housed on Scott album pages; includes complete basic issues with additional overprint and setting overprints type sets including 1885 13mm Hindi overprints as well as the long and short overprints complete, 1903-07 issues with 1st and 2nd setting issues, later issues complete including officials with first issue shades, etc.; overall condition above the norm, owner's 2018 S.G. cat £3,319 for specialized with additional 2018 Scott cat $2,668.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2473 * **Jind (Indian Convention State) Collection, 1885-86,** of the first three sets both regular and official issues complete; some flaws on a few key stamps, no reprints or forgeries, owner's 2018 Scott cat $3,880.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2474 */o **Ireland Collection, 1922-1945,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; near complete for the period (missing the 1922 Thom Seahorse set) mostly mint with parallel */o running throughout collection, includes Dollar sets complete mint, 1922-23 Thom set to the 1sh used, following KGV & Seahorses mint with varieties, later definitives complete including coil pairs including se-tenant overprint vars., etc.; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2475 */o **Israel Collector Balance,** stockbook of mint and used definitives, airs, dues, souvenir sheets etc., also page of Palestine 1918-45, group of booklets B8//25 (Bale value booklets alone $469), mint sheet files with various commemorative sheets and partial sheets, two 1950 presentation books signed by director of posts, also group of over 50 covers including. six Palestine 1945-47, 11 early Israel Doar Ivri covers 1948-49 two of which are First Coin FDCs 1-9 without tabs, plus 24 Commemorative covers 1949-89, 1967 taxi mail x 2, 1974-75 meters, postcards PC1 & 3, aerograms AS3 x2, AS4 x2, AS5-7 and two 1959 postcard booklets, valuable lot, please review.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2476 */o **Italian Area Group,** 19th and 20th Century accumulation with the majority of value in pre-1940 Italy, mint including Scott #26, 47-8, used including 49, 72 (4), plus small stockbook of used postage dues, also Colonies, San Marino, Italian Social Republic, Italian Occupation of Lubiana, some n.h. throughout, owner's Scott $10K+, plenty of interesting material to go through, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2477 */o **Italy Collection, 1863-1952,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly mint with a high degree of completion; starting with 1862 issues with a few reprints noted, following Kings definitive issues appear to be complete and virtually complete, 1922 Philatelic Congress set, 1924 Mazoni set and better 1930's sets, back-of-the-book with semi-postals lacking only the BLP overprints, airmails virtually all mint including 1930 7.70l Squadron, 1933 Balbo pair and all the good sets present, 1934 Gold Crown airpost official (CO2, cat $875), all delivery issues present, Pneumatic complete, newspaper, dues parcel posts complete, military, occupation and a few states issues; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2478 */o **Fiume Collection, 1918-24,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly mint with the occasional used, includes complete mint 1918 Hungarian issues including the scarce high value (needing to be checked for genuine), later regular issues approaching completion, back-of-the-book issues complete; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2479 */o/✉ **Italian Occupations - A.M.G. Collection, 1943-53,** extensive 2 volume collection; includes most mint issues, varieties, covers, etc.; many scarce and rare items; nice condition.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

Japan

2480 o **Japan Early Used Group, 1871-77,** neat collection on Scott pages including Scott #1-4 with/4 margins (except #3), #6, 16 etc., also group of 1874 1 sen blue #33 with/all 12 syllabics present, review recommended, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2481 */o **Japan Collection, 1872-1970's,** mostly mint housed on Minkus pages in binder with a substantial stock of mint issues from 1894 through 1970's in several binders, stockbooks and later sheet material on pages; starting with 1872 ½s & 1s dragons mint, various used cherry blossom issues including good used high values, 1876-1910 definitives mixed */o, 20th century commemoratives mostly mint including 1916 10s Heir Apparent, 1921 50th Anniversary set, 1934 Communications airmail souvenir sheet present (C8, no gum), 1935 Mt Fuji souvenir sheet, most Park souvenir sheet present and well as later better souvenir sheets, back-of-the-book with offices and China Japanese Occupation issues, etc., additional stock with good early commemorative mint including blocks, later souvenir sheets with better and more modern including mini sheet; condition a bit varied with much material throughout; worth proper evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2482 ** **Japan Blocks Collection, 1894-1964,** fresh and attractive collection of mint n.h. blocks of four in mounts in a Scott album, including Meiji Silver Wedding Scott #85-6, Japan-Korea #110, Military Review #111-12, Yoshihito Enthronement #148-51, 50th Anniversary Postal Service #163-66, Battleships #167-70, Yoshihito Silver Wedding #190-93, UPU #198-201, Kwangtung set #227-29, Scenes #439-42, Famous Men #480-97 and others, lovely assortment, inspection recommended, hard to find a collection this nice, generally fine to very fine or betterGen F-VF+.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2483 * **Japan Collection, 1894-1964,** exceptional mint collection of singles in mounts in a well-filled Scott album, mostly n.h. from 1925 onward, highlights including Scott #154 Heir Apparent "Hat" (LH), 155-70, 198-211, 214-34, 280-323, 480-97, 520-21, 521B, 523-40, C1-2, C3-7, C9-42 and more, some minor toning, still a lovely lot worth consideration, fine to very fine or better.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2484 */o **Japan Collection Balance, 1894-1990s,** mint collection balance of several hundred stamps and souvenir sheets with numerous better items including 1905 3 sen Korea (Scott #110), 1906 Russo-Japanese War set (#111-2), 1921 Postal Service set (#163-6), 1924 5 yen Empress Jingo (#188, thin), 1927 UPU Anniversary set (#198-201), 1936 Kwantung set (#227-9), 1937 Tazawa set to the 1 yen (#239-52), 1938-1939 Showa Coils (#276-9) in vertical pairs, 1952 Unwatermarked 100 yen Blast Furnace, 500 yen Locomotive (#521A-B), 1929-1934 Airmail set (#C3-7), 1950 Pheasant Airmail set (#C9-13), etc., also partially-mounted used collection and a small group of miscellaneous foreign stamps.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2485 ✉ **Japan Cover Group,** diverse group of about 100 covers, postcards, postal stationery etc., including some early items, features first flight covers, registered, censored, WWII, Japanese Occupation, Ryukyus etc., great lot for the specialist, generally F-VF or better.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2486 */o✉ **Japan Military Postcards,** beautiful accumulation of 330 sleeved Japanese military postcards from 1900 through WW2, mixed b&with and color, mostly mint but does include some actual feldpost and censor usages, virtually all different, very attractive and difficult to assemble.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2487 ** **Japan Better Item Group,** small but worthwhile group of Parks souvenir sheets with/folders including Scott #463a, 464a, 572, also booklets including #131a, 427a, 611a etc., and other better items, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2488 ** **Japan Old Time Sheet Holding, 1935-68,** immaculate collection of fresh n.h. full sheets including some large multiples housed in two sheet albums and a sheet file, assembled many years ago by a meticulous collector, highlights including 1949 UPU #474-77, Moon and Geese sheet of five n.h. #479a, 1950-52 Parks sheets of 20, 501-4, 542-5, 561-4, 569-72, 1948 Red Cross sheets of 30 B9-10, partial sheets including 1947-49 Athletics 400a, 421a, 473a, 1949 Parks 450-53, 460-63, Scott value nearly $20K, excellent opportunity for a collector or dealer, difficult to find a holding this nice, very fine, o.g., never hinged.
Estimate . . . . . $4,000 - 6,000

2489 ** **Japan N.H. Definitive Blocks Collection, 1936-66,** lovely assortment of definitives and New Year stamps in blocks of four in mounts on Scott pages, many better sets and singles including Scott #257//75, 351//68, 369-72, 517, 521B, 584, 609, 636, 636A etc., fresh and worth review, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2490 ** **Japan Parks Issue Blocks, 1936-64,** attractive n.h. collection in a Scott album including pre-war issues with Scott #223-26, 280-93, 303-11, 315-23, post-war issues including Scenic Spots #523-40 and others, worth inspection, fresh and very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2491 ** **Japan N.H. Souvenir Sheet Collection, 1938-66,** extraordinarily fresh collection in mounts in a Scott album, begins with pre-war Parks including Scott #306a, 311a, 318a and 323a, also Beauty, Moon and Geese sheets of five #422a and 479a, Children's Day imperf sheet of 10 #456, New Years from 1950 Tiger #498 onwards, 50 Yen (sheet of one) #521c etc., including original folders for Parks and other souvenir sheets, VF throughout, well worth inspection, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2492 * **Japan Commemorative Sheet Holding,** an impressive, fresh selection of a few hundred Commemorative sheets of 20 or 10 ranging from 1949-71, including much New Year, Philatelic Week, Letter Writing Week, Parks, Sports etc., some duplication, Scott value well over $10K, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2493 ** **Japan Airmail Mint Blocks, 1929-53,** blocks of four of Scott C3-C7 & C9-C43, all n.h. with some gum flaws on a some of the block with the majority sound and fresh; Scott cat $5,739.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2494 o **Japan Postal Card Hoard, 1900-50,** over 5,000 in a banker box, all used, a goldmine for the cancel collector, a few view cards noted; please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2495 ✉ **Latin America Covers, 1827-1949,** group of 78 items; diverse countries and frankings, early stampless including 1836 New York to Lima with U.S. Consul Guayaquil forwarder handstamp, cancel interest, airs, registered, good destinations; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2496 */o/✉ **Latin America Accumulation,** eclectic assortment of stamps and covers including Mexico Revenues, Colombia Republic insured letter stamps, various proofs, early postcards, censored covers and more, well worth inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2497 */o **Latin America Stock,** hundreds of issues on dealer stock cards in two stock boxes, from early classics to approximately 1950's; strong in Mexico issues, also Argentina, Brazil, Cuba and a few others, some additional modern sheet and souvenir sheet stock; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2498 */o **Latin America Postal Stationery, 1879-1949,** approximately 300 items mostly mint from countries including Argentina, Bolivia, Cuba, Costa Rica, Uruguay, etc., including illustrated postal and letter cards, specimen, registered and uprated items, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2499 */o **Latvia Collection, 1918-41,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; near complete issues starting with complete regular issues with occasional parallel */o, 1918-19 Arms complete mint with some additional used, following Allegory issues mostly mint sets, 1920 5k Arms printed on both sides (Scott 76 var.), later Arms sets used and mint from 1937 on, Air & Semi-Postal Airs complete with many additional imperf sets, including the key 1933 "Latvija-Afrika" set, Semi-Postals complete mint again with many additional imperf sets, Occupational approaching completion with first 1919 Russian Occup sets (2N1-2N22, all signed Dr. P. Jem), etc.; rarely seen collection in such completion, with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2500 * **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.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2501 */o **Lithuania Collection, 1918-40,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly mint with occasional parallel */o at times, completion in Vilnius & Kaunas issues with types noted in Vilinius issues including a rare 40sk type III, parallel */o and scarce border varieties, etc., completion in later issues including additional scarce to rare varieties, highlight including vertical network watermark on 1919 Knight issues, 1920 high value trial printing issues, the scarce 1922 3¢ surcharges (all signed Friedl), following 30¢ on 8auk imperf between unlisted variety, later perf & imperf sets, etc., complete semi-postals with rare 1926 issue (only 100 printed, signed), airmails lacking one lesser stamp for completion with many perf & imperf sets, including the scarce 1936 40¢ "F. Vaitkus" overprint issue tied to piece, occupationals including German and displaced person camp issues; rarely seen collection in such completion, with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2502 */o **Luxembourg Collection, 1852-1949,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; regular issues appear to be complete lacking only the 1923 10fr View sheet or single, mostly used 19th century with additional including 1879 1fr on 37½¢ missing surcharge (Scott 39b) and the 1891 20¢ brown "unissued" (Scott 62b), 10¢ Duke William and following 15¢ Duchess sheets along with the three Duchess emergency sheets, Semi-Postals complete including Professionals set, better Officials starting with 1875-76 Frankfurt & Luxembourg Print sets complete, few good 1878 issues and 1878-80 issues complete, good 1881 S.P. overprints, etc., dues & occupationals complete; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2503 */o **Macao Better Item Group,** very nice assortment of Macao singles, sets and blocks including a few early bisect on piece, Scott #146a block of four with/inverted overprint, 168 block of four n.h., 337 block of four and pair n.h., C7-15 (two sets, one signed), J1-11, J23-32 and more, nice lot, review recommended, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2504 */o/✉ **Middle East Accumulation,** assortment of stamps and covers mainly from Iran but also including Saudi Arabia, Turkey (early postal stationery), Afghanistan and some Israel tab items and forerunners, should be inspected, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2505 */o **Monaco Collection, 1885-1982,** nicely assembled mint and used mounted in Scott Specialty album; includes Scott 1-8 (4,6,8 used), 11//29, includes 20 o.g. h.r., 30-35, 125-130 used, 145-158 mint, 176 used, nicely filled through 1982 lacking earlier souvenir sheets, back-of-the-book with few semi-postal sets, nice Air sets including C1 used, C21-26, C40 mint, C41-43 used, C53-54 mint, Air semi-postals CB7-10 mint, CB11-14, few pages of dues, owners cat $5,000, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2506 * **Mongolia Mint Collection, 1924-26,** mounted on Scott pages beginning with the 1924 First Issue and the 1926 "Postage" overprint series in each of the listed overprint colors of violet, black and red; also includes the exceptionally rare $5 with black overprint (unpriced in Scott), as well as the 50¢ and $1 values with unlisted-in-Scott red overprints, Very Fine throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

Excellent and interesting provenance, as the lot is accompanied by a handwritten 1936 "Certificat" in French (with typed translation), on the royal letterhead of Prince S. de Mégève, Comte de Capré, stating that he purchased this collection which had won first prize at the 1928 Monte Carlo and 1929 Le Havre Exhibitions and, in his estimation, "is worthy of a place in a museum.".

2507 */o **Montenegro Collection, 1874-1944,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly mint starting with first issues including the key 25n top value mint as well a a nice showing of 2nd & 3rd printings mixed */o, complete mint regular issues from 1894 on, dues and receipt issues complete mint, and most of the better 1941-44 occupational sets present; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2508 */o **Netherlands Collection, 1852-1947,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly used to 1920's with completion in 19th century issues including Princess & Queen high values and better types, 20th century appears complete including 1905 10g Queen high value used, 1913 Centenary set complete, later syncopated perf sets present, etc., back-of-the-book equally complete including syncopated perf sets in semi-postals, 1942 Legion souvenir sheet mint, Marine Insurance complete mint, etc.; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2509 */o **Netherlands Holding,** mint and used collection/accumulation in six stockbooks and a binder, including some early used with the majority of value in later mint sets and souvenir sheets, strength in semi-postals, also Netherlands Colonies and other Europe, plus 2001-09 Year Sets, some duplication, huge catalog value, inspection will prove rewarding, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2510 * **New Republic Collection, 1886-87,** of 11 stamps on album pages; includes Scott #1, 5, 17-20, 27, 30, 38, 42 & 46; nice and fresh throughout, Scott cat $1,089.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2511 ✉ **Nicaragua Cover Group, 1895-99,** of 9 covers and card; diverse range of frankings, foreign usages including Italy and registered to Germany with N.Y. exchange etiquette; condition varied, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2512 */o **Norway Collection, 1854-1947,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly used to 1939 with 19th complete including later Numeral perf variety, 1907-18 King Haakon sets mint and later complete including the scarce "London 17/5/43" overprint set (Scott cat $850), all back-of-the-book issues complete with additional Official perf varieties; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2513 */o/✉ **Palestine Collection, 1918-48,** specialized study of issues on album and stockpages in oversized binder; starting with 1pi deep blue issue (2 mint and one used) and later issues in duplication including one or sets of mint and heavier duplication in used showing shades, postmark sections, mint multiples, perf varieties, overprint settings, better items including 1921 10pi London overprint used (Scott 46, cat $600, with APS cert), well over 30 on cover usages, later Pictorial issues including paper types, town cancel study, dues, etc.; an excellent collection for study and expansion.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2514 */o **Palestine Revenue Collection,** various mint and used issues and several dozen documents in album; starting with a section of Immigration Tax Stamps showing the various 1920-30's issues, 1927 Palestine Definitive Revenues with on document including combination with postage issue, court fee, etc., section of Palestine Mandate including some railway, section of fiscals; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2515 */o/✉ **Panama & Canal Zone Stationery & Cover Group, 1885-1960,** of 32 items; various mint stationery items including registered, covers and cards with cancels including Cartun and Gorgona, airmail including auxiliary handstamp, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2516 ✉ **Panama Registration Cover Group,** of six items; best a rare Colombia 1892 10c Registration used with Panama 1892 10c orange to Stockton Cal. (Colombia Scott #F12 + Panama 18), two 1904 Panama 10c Registration + A.R. 5c blue combination (Panama F11 + H4, 72, 76, 78) & (F11 + 78 A.R. var., 71, 72, 78), 1902 Panama 20c on 10c Registration used with Panama 20c violet pair (F5 + 19), 1895 Colombia 10c Registration used with Panama 1892-96 10c orange (Colombia F11 + Panama 18) and a Peru, 1894, 1c-10c Pres. Bermudez 8-color registered franking endorsed "Via Panama Certificado"; a very fine a scarce group.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2517 */o/✉ **Peru Collection, 1858-2001,** well formed 9 volume collection and study on Linder stockpages all annotated and identified, with a **specialized section of classics issues with a 1858-71 transfer type plating/study** and includes a number of nice on cover items; starting with 1858, 1d Coat of Arms issue with superb unused example and approximately 120 used including some pairs, includes a color/shade study, a showing of mostly 13 pairs showing reconstructions and the 20 transfer types with notable transfer flaws identified, the 1858, 1p Coat of Arms issue includes an unused example and sixteen used showing the ten transfer flaws and plate varieties, the ½p buff issue wit three transfer types and an additional 1d plating and backstock, 1858 Large Letter (2nd) issue with nearly 100 1d examples including many pairs, with some plating identification and additional study, and the 1p with a couple unused and well over 50 used examples showing transfer types and plating marks noted on some, 1860-61 Third Issues with the 1d with many hundreds showing the various impressions and retouched and a similar section of the 1p value again with hundreds, 1862-63 Embossed issues with many 1d examples showing a variety of shades, */o examples of the Arms embossed sideways, 1p issue including proof, 1862-63 Embossed issues with shade study, town cancels and a calendar of dates (good completion), 1p with mint and some used, following embossed locomotive & llama issues with a nice showing with the later in shades and some multiple, following regular issues with good completion overall and modest to moderate duplication at times, back-of-the-book similar with airmails including a sheet of C3, 1936-37 Views issues with 10p high value (ex-FDR), 1938 & 1949-50 Waterlow specimen punch sets, etc., good dues with later specimens, parcel post, occupationals, revenues, etc., nice volume of stationery mostly mint, some modern sheet stock (heavy duplication); condition varies mostly in early material with overall condition above the norm, with early classic plating/study issue cataloging well in excess of $35,000, inspection a must.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2518 */o/✉ **Peru Picture Post Card Collection,** of approximately 470 sleeved cards; mostly mint with many used, undivided backs, real-photos including Machupicchu and other Cuzco Inca ruins, diverse range of town views, daily Peru life, etc., inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2519 */o/✉ **Peru Picture Post Card Collection,** of approximately 420 sleeved cards; mostly mint with many used, undivided backs, real-photos including Chan Chan ruins and other Inca structures, diverse range of town views, daily Peru life, etc., inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2520 */o/✉ **Peru Picture Post Card Collection,** of approximately 280+ sleeved cards; mostly mint with many used, undivided backs, real-photos including Chan Chan ruins and other Inca structures, diverse range of town views, daily Peru life, etc., inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2521 */o **Poland Collection, 1860-1946,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; virtually complete lacking some of the rare 1919 Cracow issue and the 1919 German issues, mixed */o with some parallel */o at times, from #1 on, 1918-19 surcharges with some interesting varieties, good Cracow overprint issues (needing to checked), 1924 Arms issue including scarce used high value, 1928 Expo sheet, 1934 Katowice Expo set on cover, Semi-Postals & Airs complete mint including the better souvenir sheet, Officials & Newspapers, Dues complete except the Cracow issues, occupationals, etc.; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2522 */o **Portugal Collection, 1853-1953,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; early issues mostly used with little to no reprint material, with 1856 to 1866-67 issues complete, later 19th century definitives complete to near complete with occasional types noted, similar 20th century definitives mostly mint, early commemoratives fair to good showing with later completion, better 1940's semi-postal souvenir sheets and other back-of-the-book well represented; worth inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2523 */o **Romania Collection, 1858-1945,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mixed */o with nice showing of early coat of arms issues mostly mint, 1865 Cuza complete mostly mint, following Carol definitives lacking only a couple 1894 watermark issues for completion, 1903 New Post Office issue complete mint, 1906 Expo set mint and complete thereon, semi-postals complete virtually all mint, airs complete mint including better overprints, officials, dues missing only a couple issues, postal tax, occupationals, etc.; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Russia

2524 */o **Russia Collection, 1857-1943,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mixed mint and used starting with 4-margin #1 used (pen cancel), following coat of arms issues near complete missing only three issues, including good 1884 high value mint and later issues with variety, early 20th near complete to complete, good later sets including 1931-32 Regular issue imperf set mint, 1933 Museum surcharge set used, and virtually all the later sets present mostly in used condition, Semi-Postals complete including the 1922 Children's set (1k imperf signed Friedl) and the 1923 Labor set (high value signed Friedl, Airmails complete including 1931-32 Zepp sets including perf's 50k color error mint, 1931 South Pole perf & imperf sets, 1935 1r on 10k Moscow-S.F. surcharge issue mint, 1937 souvenir sheets, etc, dues complete, good occupationals and some useful territories; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2525 **/* **Russia Collection,** mostly mint N.H. collection in three stockbooks, strong in topical including transportation with/ships, planes, trains, cars etc., also flora and fauna and others, many souvenir sheets including Scott #1080a-82a and 2106 (footnote set of 2, stamp on stamp), UPU imperf set 1392a-93a, Moscow subway sets 687-92 and 1481-87 etc., should be inspected, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2526 */o **Russia Collection, 1934-82,** housed in two Minkus albums; with mint issues to the 1950's with better sets present including Scott C53-C57 x3 (cat $517 each), 540-545 x2 ($350 each), 551-554 ($407), 546-550 ($547), C58-C67 (cat $1,032), C68 x2 ($725) both signed RPS, 559-569 n.h. ($925) and later good sets and souvenir sheet, useful 1960-70's used CTO issues; nice fresh mint in early better.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2527 */o/✉ **Russia Back-Of-The-Book & Miscellaneous Group,** group of revenue issues and other private issues, few triangle stampless covers, etc.; unusual group, worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2528 * **Russian Offices in the Turkish Empire Group,** lot of 47 different Navigation and Trade Company overprints, fresh, F-VF, scarce, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2529 */o **Ryukyus Collection, 1946-72,** mostly mint in mounts housed in Scott album; starting with 11 different Japanese Provisional issues (total cat $730), mint regular issues approaching completion missing #17 a few others, airmails and delivery complete, revenues up to but not including the scarce high values, nice run of stationery items, section of varieties and specimens, etc.; nice fresh material throughout.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2530 ** **Ryukyus Collection, 1948-72,** attractive mint n.h. collection of singles and blocks, fairly complete less Scott #17, in a Scott album, two sheet files (1958//71) and a small stockbook, a pleasant collection, worth review, fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2531 o **Samoa, 1914 G.R.I. Issue Study,** on album pages with issues up to the 9d on 80pf; ½d issues both showing major varieties including comma after "I", "1" to the left of "2" in "½" (in blocks with normal), as well as minor broken bar varieties and surcharge shifts shown in multiples, 2½d singles and multiples including missing fraction bar vars., 4d & 5d issues with dramatic surcharge shifts splitting overprint., 6d issue with three multiples showing the inverted "9" for "6" var.; number of issues also showing shade vars., S.G. cat £4,003+ not including unlisted vars. Michel No. 101-109.
Scott No. **101-109**. . . . . Estimate $750 - 1,000

2532 */o **Scandinavia Stock,** identified on dealer stock cards, many hundreds with strong showing of mint, includes used classics and issues mostly to the 1940's, includes some unlisted including essay; owner's Scott cat $21,824, worth proper evaluation, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2533 */o **Serbia Collection, 1866-1943,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; regular issues mixed */o and missing one early issue and the French "Poste Serbes" issues for total completion, includes complete Arms issues, Vienna printings complete with scarce mint 10p, later Prince issues lacking only 40p Belgrade, newspapers complete, dues missing one stamp, good occupations with Austrian issues complete mint and most of the German issues present including sheets; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2534 ** **Singapore Mint Never Hinged Stock,** clean holding with each item identified by Scott number and quantity in individual glassines starting around 1963, main value from about 1974-84 including run of sets, most in quantities of 100, offered in folded blocks, part and full sheets etc., also various miniature sheets including Scott #141a (5), excellent holding, owner's approximately Scott $29K, worth inspection, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2535 */o **South Africa Selection,** various issues mostly mint on stock and album pages; includes a run of South Africa bilingual pairs, early mint Zululand issues and an attractive used 1896 2sh6d with cert., couple good Maeking issues, Orange River Colony issues including S.G. 139-147; nice fresh material throughout, owner's S.G. cat in excess of £1,500.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2536 * **South Africa Collection, 1910-40,** of mint issues on Scott album pages; starting with KGV issues to the 10sh including shades and coils, following 1930's bilingual pairs with better values present and some shades variety with near completion in later, semi-postals and airs complete, dues and a nice showing of official issues; nice fresh material throughout (no reprints and forgeries), owner's 2018 Scott cat $4,209.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2537 * **(Spanish Antilles) Cuba, Philippines & Puerto Rico (Spanish) Postal Cards,** 34 items including 3 reply cards, includes a few CTO cards; condition a little mixed; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2538 */o **Sweden Collection, 1855-1947,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly used early issues including 1858 & 1872-79 sets complete, later numerals complete and King issues approaching completion, completion in coils missing only the few rarer singles, 1924 UPU sets complete, mint completion after 1936, back-of-the-book with complete semi-postals including 1916 unwmked set used, official, city & dues all complete; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2539 ✉ **Sweden Airmail Cover Collection, 1928—2002,** specialized collection approximately 500 covers housed on pages (most annotated) in four springback albums; starting with 1828 "Stockholm - London, Overnight Service" cachet cover, 1930 Stockholm to Rotterdam First Night Flight, other 1930's airmail covers including 50ð Aerodrome FDC's, later jet flight items including cachet items, polar flight and balloon mail, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

Switzerland

2540 */o **Switzerland Collection, 1850-1977,** housed in Scott album; starting with a nice showing of used 1850-52 Federal Coat of Arms issues, imperf Helveltias including good high values, completion in following seated Helvetias and well represented thereon with some good completion in 20th century, semi-postal lacking mostly the better souvenir sheets, airs from mint #C2, officials, etc.; condition varies, owner's 1989 Scott cat $9,312.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2541 */o **Switzerland Collection, 1854-1944,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; mostly used regular issues to 1930's starting with imperf Seated Helvetia issues with better high values, 1881 issues mint and later definitives approaching completion including some better varieties, 1934 NABA sheet mint, semi-postal appear complete for the period including mint souvenir sheets, airmails complete mixed */o, dues missing only 2nd & 3rd sets and franchise issue complete mint including better 1927 with/o control #'s issues; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2542 */o **Switzerland Collection, 1861-1978,** mint and used issues housed in Scott album, used with neat unobtrusive town cancels being the rule; with a good showing of 19th century definitives and strong completion from 1908 on with primarily mint in later issues, semi-postals mostly used in early issues, no souvenir sheets but good completion in sets, fair showing of other back-of-the-book issues; nice material throughout and ideal for continuation, owner's Scott $2,200+.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2543 * **Switzerland, Basel 1917-65 Street Car Stamp Collection,** of 262 different neatly mounted & written up on quadrille pages; includes monthly issues (175) and weekly stamps (87), unlisted in any catalog and a difficult collection to duplicate.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2544 */o **Switzerland Canton Bern Revenue Collection, 1809-1970's,** specialized collection neatly mounted and identified on pages in Scott album, appears virtually complete, with 496 Cantonal and 700 municipal issues from 85 different towns; starting with 1809-1833 documents (6), 1960-70's city of Bern receipts (17), many varieties, overprints, multiples, including tete-beche and booklet panes; choice condition and a specialists delight, 1999 Gainon catalog value SFr 7,250.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2545 */o **Switzerland Canton Bern Revenue Collection 1862-1972,** specialized collection of Cantonals (225) and Municipals (1005) attractively mounted and identified on pages in Scott album; with mint and used, varieties, multiples, booklet panes; choice condition and difficult to duplicate, 1999 Gainon catalog value SFr 8,050, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2546 */o **Switzerland Canton Geneva Revenue Collection 1860-1983,** specialized collection of (548) mounted and identified on Scott pages; quite a diverse holding of Effets de Commerce, Letter de Voiture, Bourse, Checks, Personal tax, and more, mint and used, with a few proofs, an attractive holding in very fine condition, 1999 Gainon catalog value SFr 3,580, inspection recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2547 */o **Switzerland Canton Neuchatel Revenue Collection, 1876-1977,** collection neatly mounted on Scott quadrille pages; includes 150 cantonal and 40 municipals from 8 towns, strong in Judiciary 1876-1920 mounted by perforation along with 1879 imperf plate proofs in blocks, then Emolument issues with 3 permits to purchase arsenic, General Tax issues through 1977 with 5 contracts to purchase vehicles, interesting and clean selection, 1999 Gainon catalog value SFr 1,660, please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2548 */o **Switzerland Revenue Collection, 1817-1957,** of 3,399 revenues including Federal issues (221), Cantons Aargau (403), Basel (282), Bern (856), Fribourg (194), Geneva (419), Graubunden (34), Luzern (557), Neuchatel (208), Schaffhousen (17), Uri (35), Tricino passport (38) and Zurich (135); 1999 Gainon catalog value 17,997 Swiss Francs, .
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2549 */o **Switzerland Revenue Collection,** 1,708 stamps neatly mounted and written up on album pages in Scott album; **Federal Issues** include consular (65), military police (51), effets de change (276) including 11 documents (21 unlisted), **Canton Bern** of 527 stamps including 4 prestamp documents, embossed revenues (8), poster tax (8) and many others, also 688 municipals from 39 different towns; 1999 Gainon catalog value 7,922 Swiss Francs.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2550 */o **Switzerland Federal Issues, 1915-1970,** specialized collection of more than 260 mounted and identified on Scott pages; a very diverse holding with Consular h (5 passport pages), Army Police, Military Border Detachments, Rheintal, Swiss Border, Platzkommando, Nord Ost Schweiz, Simplon, few Luxury and Cigarette Tax and more, a very attractive collection, 1999 Gainon catalog value SFr 2,985, please review.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2551 */o **Switzerland Revenue Collection, 1860-1970's,** specialized collection mounted with eye appeal in Scott album on quadrille pages, includes Cantons: Aargau, Fribourg, Geneva, Luzern, Neuchatel, Nidwald, Schwyz, Zug, with Vaud municipals and additional pages of Baden, Bremgarten, Wettingen, and Wohlen, a myriad of issues, sets, plate proofs, varieties listed and unlisted, and a few documents, an exceptional and detailed offering, 1999 Gainon catalog value SFr 11,540 for listed items.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2552 */o **Switzerland Revenue Collection, 1860-1957,** of 2,773 stamps & 2 documents neatly written up on quadrille pages in Scott album; from Cantons Aargau (367), Basel (411) including 1862-84 Police issues (18 different), Fribourg (222), Geneva (210), Luzern (489), Schwyz (18), Solothurn (60), Ticino (40 passport issues), Vaud (602) & Zurich (354), includes 740 municipal issues and 28 unlisted; 1999 Gainon catalog 13,407 Swiss Francs.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2553 */o **Switzerland Revenue Collection, 1860-1983,** of 2,502 stamps neatly mounted & written up on quadrille pages in Scott album; from Cantons Aargau (335), Bern municipals (874) from 40 different towns, Fribourg (403), Geneva (502), Luzern (356) & Ticino passport issues (32); 1999 Gainon catalog value 12,376 Swiss Francs.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2554 */o **Switzerland Canton Basel & Geneva Revenue Collection, 1860-1983,** neatly mounted and written up on pages in Scott album; **Basel** of 804 stamps includes police (200), bill of exchange (68), berdereaux (23), stemplemarken (59), betreibungsamt (59) and 109 municiples of 17 different towns, **Geneva** of 773 stamps includes effets de commerce (353), letter de voiture (137), bourse (63), personal tax (41), emolument (78); a total of 1,537 revenues with l999 Gainon catalog value 11,640 Swiss francs.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2555 */o **Switzerland Revenue Collection, 1862-1971,** of 2,291 stamps & 16 documents (mortage, etc.) neatly mounted and written up on quadrille pages in Scott album; from Cantons Nidwald (8), St. Gallen (200), Schaffhausen (17), Solothurn (63), Thurgau (50), Uri (8), Valais (520 + 16 documents) and Vaud (1,424); 1999 Gainon catalog value 9,884 Swiss Francs.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2556 */o **Switzerland Canton Basel Revenue Collection, 1866-1951,** of 345 stamps neatly mounted and written up on pages; includes scarce selection of police issues (146) including */o, blocks and a rare gutter pair, betreibungsamt (63) with a rare bisect on piece; 1999 Gainon catalog value 5,384 Swiss Francs.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2557 */o **Switzerland Bern Municipal Revenue Collection,** 453 stamp neatly mounted and written up on album pages from 36 different towns; 1999 Gainon catalog value 2,426 Swiss Francs.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2558 ** **Thailand Never Hinged Stock,** many thousands of sets, singles and miniature sheets from about 1960 on, majority of value from 1970s-82, most in quantities of 50-100 each in glassines with value, Scott number and quantities noted, including many large folded blocks or folded sheets, owner's approximately Scott $40K+, worth inspection, generally very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2559 * **Tonga 1d Postal Card Group, 1906-11,** includes complete set of the 1906 multicolored view cards (one CTO unaddressed), 6 different of the 1911 black view cards and 7 different of the 1911 brown views; a fine and scarce group.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2560 ** **Tuvalu Collection, 1976-87,** mint collection in mounts on custom pages (by owner); **near complete never hinged issues for the period** including additional variety and sections of Funafuti, Nanumaga, Nanumea, Niutao, Nui, etc.; condition above the norm throughout, owner's 2016 Scott cat $1,236 (with inventory).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2561 **/*/✉ **Vatican Collection, 1929-56,** mint issues on White Ace pages in binder; complete for the period with highlights including a very fine **1934 Surcharge set** l.h. with A. Diena cert., the better airmail issues present including #C16-C17 & C20 as well as the other back-of-the-book issues, few covers and presentation booklets; nice fresh material throughout, owner's Scott cat $4,800.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2562 **/* **Vatican Collection, 1929-95,** mint collection housed in Schaubek album; starting with representative Papal States issues, issues virtually all complete missing some of the key early regular and airmail issues and better early items are generally hinged with other material generally n.h., other back-of-the-book issues present including parcels approaching completion.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2563 */o **Vatican Collection, 1929-45,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; virtually all mint and complete with some issues beyond 1945, includes the 1934 Surcharge set and all better early sets present, back-of-the-book complete including the good 1949 airmail set; with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600



2564 */o **Venezuela, 1871-78 First Escuelas Transfer Type Collection,** an amazing 30 year collection in 5 volumes put together by one of the co-authors of "VENEZUELA "ESCUELAS" 1871-1878 V Printing (1874)" (and VIII Printing (1877))", the collection comprises some 1661 stamps with many blocks from 465 of the possible 550 transfer types of the lithographic stones of the 9 printings of the 15 different values, this is a specialized collection for the specialist and no reference is made to the Scott catalogue which only lists the general types (Scott#22-36) and not the 9 printings which are recognized by collectors of this issue, all stamps are identified by transfer type based on the original work by Messrs Hall and Fulcher in 1924 in "The London Philatelist" and later published in book form with 170 pages under the title of "The Postage Stamps of Venezuela" (a labor of love but the owner is getting older!!), illustrated is a selection of the green higher values, an opportunity not to be missed.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2565 */o **Yugoslavia Collection, 1918-44,** well formed collection on Scott album pages; virtually complete issues starting with Bosnia & Herzegovia forerunners complete mint including better 1920 surcharges, special deliveries & semi-postals complete with additional reversed surcharges and inverts on first issues, Croatia issues lacking only the 10f rarity, later issues only missing a couple stamps, semi-postals ans airs complete, dues complete, etc., occupationals with all the good Ljubljana set present mint; truly impressive completion with condition above the norm throughout, a must see to appreciate.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

Worldwide Collections

2566 */o **Worldwide Collection, 1840-1940,** housed in three bulging Scott International albums, with many better issues throughout; starting with Abyssinia (Ethiopia) with many good mint sets noted, Armenia with numerous "Z" overprints and surcharges worth checking, Andorra (Spanish) with the 1931-38 control number set mint (Scott 13a-22a, cat $308) and without control 40c key value (#31A, cat $700), Argentina with better early issues, Australia with many better used high value Roos, Belgium packed with issues including back-of-the-book, useful Canada including revenues, good Canal Zone, C.G.H. from better triangles, Ceylon, China from a selection of small dragon issues on with better later, Denmark with some good earlier issues, useful Fiji, strong France from first issue on including Offices and Colonies, Great Britain highlighted by a mint and used 1840 1d black issue with good later, useful India with States, Italy strong with good later mint issues including back-of-the-book, Peru with better early issues on, good Switzerland, Tuscany with three better mint (no gum) issues (one with cert., Scott cat $10,000+), also one volume of Russia (to the 1990's) with many good singles and sets throughout; condition varies with much material throughout, careful inspection highly recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2567 */o **Worldwide Collection, 1940-2000s,** large collection of tens of thousands of stamps housed in 32 large Scott International albums, with most countries well represented throughout; some of the stronger countries include strong Belgium, Canada, France (well filled with strength in mint) with airmails and colonies, Germany with some earlier material, India including earlier officials and revenues, Israel with tabs, Japan, Mexico, Monaco, Spain, strong mint Switzerland, Thailand and useful British Commonwealth throughout, perhaps the best is the "China" with Taiwan and good PRC including Thoughts of Mao set used CTO (cat $750) and earlier non-reprint material; inspection recommended for evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $7,500 - 10,000

2568 F **Fournier "Album De Fac-similés" Collection,** original two volume collection of hundreds of items assembled by L'Union Philatélique de Genève; first volume with **title page "No. 2" originally owned by E. Friederich, President of L'Union Philatélique de Genève** (Friedrich led the effort to produce sample collections for sale to the philatelic community), with additional material including various original Fournier packet envelopes, facsimile price sheets and circular correspondences addressed to various dealers including Henry Heckler and Warren H. Colson; the 2 volume work shows completion and includes additional material mounted in margins, volume one includes the special "Pages Réservées Aux Experts"; with other additional notes, material and Ragatz book *The Fournier Album of Philatelic Forgeries*, *ex-C. Walske*.
Estimate . . . . . $6,000 - 8,000

2569 F **Fournier "Album De Fac-similés" Collection,** original collection of hundreds of items assembled by L'Union Philatélique de Genève; with **title page "No. 17"**, country pages showing near completion in the reproductions (missing a few items and a postmark and surcharge cut), includes the special "Pages Réservées Aux Experts" (12 pages) with hundreds of additional items, additional "Obliterations", "Surcharges" and "E'preuve des Cliches dont les Timbres N'Existent Plus au Stock" sections; a deluxe early edition, some toning affecting some items at the front of the collection.
Estimate . . . . . $3,000 - 4,000

2570 */o **Worldwide Collection - Part I Aden-Italy, 1840-1940,** mint and used substantial collection in two Scott International albums, better country sections including much British Commonwealth with KGV Jubilees and KGVI sets, also Argentina, Australia, Austria, Bavaria, Belgium & Colonies, Canada, Canal Zone, China, Cyrenaica, Denmark, Egypt, Ethiopia, Finland, Germany & States, Great Britain & Offices, Greece, Hawaii, Hong Kong, Iceland, Italy & Colonies, France and Community, Latin America, Portugese Colonies, Scandinavia etc., condition varies, huge catalog value, careful inspection will prove rewarding, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2571 */o **Worldwide Collection - Part II Ivory Coast-Zululand, 1840-1940,** mint and used substantial collection in two Scott International albums, better country sections including much British Commonwealth with/KGV Jubilees and KGVI sets, also Japan, Latvia, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Mauritius, Mexico, Monaco, Netherlands & Colonies, Newfoundland, New Zealand, Nicaragua, North Borneo, Norway, Persia, Peru, Portugal, Romania, Russia, Saar, Sarawak, Serbia, Spain & Colonies, South Africa, Straight Settlements, Sudan, Sweden, Switzerland, Tunisia, Turkey, Uruguay and Venezuela, condition varies, huge catalog value, well worth inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $2,500 - 3,500

2572 */o **Worldwide Collection,** oldtime collection housed in 5 albums, with early classics to the 1920-30's; includes much of early Latin America including states, Korea, French Colonies and Offices including a good run of mint China sets, useful Germany, Iceland with #O1, early Japan worth checking, Switzerland with Rayon types, a little Br. Commonwealth, etc.; lots of material, worth inspection.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2573 ✉ **Worldwide Cover Stock,** dealer's back up worldwide cover stock of around 1000 covers all sleeved and priced from all over the globe, many better and interesting items, mostly older commercial mail with stationery, registered and censors with minimal duplication; owner's retail exceeds $18,000.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2574 */o **Worldwide Collection,** in 1928 Scott Album; several countries strong including United States (Scott $7,170, including mint set 1901 Pan-Americans, nice used 65¢ Zeppelin, etc.) and especially Australia with Kangaroo Hawaii-values 1924 £1 Gray (cat. $425), 1929 10/- Pink and Gray (cat. $725) and 1930 £2 dull red and black (x4 cat. $3,700!); condition overall pretty nice.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2575 */o **Worldwide Collection,** in 15 Scott albums; tens of thousands of stamps from 19th century British Commonwealth to modern Latin America and everything in between, useful to good issues throughout, lots of mint Europe 1940-60's and early used, some good China, includes some covers including early G.B., etc.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2576 */o **Worldwide Collection, 1840-1993,** in 24 Scott International albums; thousands of stamps but still rather sparsely filled, but interestingly much of what was put in was in the form of complete mint sets; should be inspected as binders and pages now retail over $8,000.
Estimate . . . . . $1,500 - 2,000

2577 */o/✉ **Worldwide Balance,** unusual mix of material; including a substantial world cover stock sleeved and priced (mostly between $5-$50) including some mint stationery, much Japan, etc., fairly useful world collection noting a India 10r Ghandi mint, some U.S. covers mostly RPO's, modern stationery, also group of 9 framed U.S. duck prints (signed and numbered); worth proper evaluation, stock.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2578 */o **Worldwide Collection,** in 1888 Scott Album with thousands of stamps; highlights include United States cat. over $5,000. (with nice #1 with cross Paid cancels), Brazil #2, GB #1 etc.; lots of nice material in this oldtime album.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2579 */o/✉ **Worldwide Balance,** mixed of stamps and covers; stamps with better including France 1869 5fr used x2 and Canada high value Jubilees including mint 50¢-$2 and used $2 x3 and $5 x2, handful of cover with best including a 1867 franked cover from India to U.S., couple old stamp albums with some useful; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2580 ** **Worldwide Mint Accumulation,** thousands of modern n.h. issues in single, multiple and souvenir sheet format, various quantities, includes Hungary, Greenland, French & British Colony, etc., much topical interest; owner's approximate catalog value $21,000; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2581 ** **Worldwide Mint Accumulation,** thousands of modern n.h. issues in single, multiple and souvenir sheet format, various quantities, includes Hungary, French & British Colony, etc., much topical interest; owner's approximate catalog value $21,500; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2582 ** **Worldwide Mint Accumulation,** thousands of modern n.h. issues in single, multiple and souvenir sheet format, various quantities, includes Hungary, French & British Colony, etc., much topical interest; owner's approximate catalog value $21,500; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2583 */o **Worldwide Collection,** mixed mint and used issues housed in three large Supreme Global albums; sparse to well filled starting with Aden 1939-48 View set, Latin America issues including useful early mixed classics, Australia with used Roos up to shilling values, highlight with China starting with mint small dragon set and good mint sets from 1920's, 1955-56 souvenir sheets and later mint sets, useful France and Russia, etc.; worth review.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2584 */o **Worldwide Consignment Balance,** of dozens of albums, binders stockbooks and additional in folders and glassines, in five large boxes; includes a range of worldwide collections with a hoard of "loose" material, includes useful British Commonwealth, a complete UN collection including the better early souvenir sheet x2, virtually complete mint Israel collection lacking tabs only on the better early issues, some covers including FDC's, etc.; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2585 ** **Worldwide Mint Accumulation,** thousands of modern n.h. issues in single, multiple and souvenir sheet format, various quantities, includes Hungary, Netherlands, French & British Colony, etc., much topical interest; owner's approximate catalog value $18,800; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2586 ** **Worldwide Mint Accumulation,** thousands of modern n.h. issues in single, multiple and souvenir sheet format, various quantities, includes French & British Colony, etc., much topical interest; owner's approximate catalog value $18,300; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2587 */o **Worldwide Better Grouping,** mix of singles, sets and multiples on cards; includes South Africa Scott 30 used bilingual pair (cat $500), Falkland Is. S.G. 6w variety (no gum with creases, cat £1,500), Mauritius S.G. 247g (cat £325), better European including Italy and Area, Ukraine imperf between varieties, CGH unlisted inverted watermark variety, Australia Scott 55 used (cat $400), St. Vincent S.G. 220 mint n.h. sheet of 50 (cat £450), etc.; worth careful evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2588 */o **Worldwide Sundry,** mix of material in two large boxes; including modern inverted errors, Italy, Benelux, Vatican including covers, Russia, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2589 */o **Worldwide Sundry,** mix of material in two large boxes; including modern inverted errors, Italy & Area, Benelux, Eastern Europe collections, Russia, some British Comm., etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2590 */o **Worldwide Sundry,** mix of material in two large boxes; including modern inverted errors, Italy & Area, Benelux, France and Scandinavia, Russia, some British Comm. and U.S, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2591 */o **Worldwide Sundry,** mix of material in two large boxes; including modern inverted errors, imperfs, Italy & Area, Benelux, Airmails, Russia, some British Comm. and U.S, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2592 */o **Worldwide Sundry,** mix of material in two large boxes; including modern inverted errors, Liberia, Monaco collection (first page with owner's cat $6,300+), Benelux, Airmails, Russia, some British Comm. and U.S, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2593 ✉ **Worldwide Postal History, 1700s-1900s,** estate carton full of stampless and stamped postal history including early Italy, Great Britain, Germany incl. Hitler post cards, later India, Canada etc.; recommend careful viewing as value abound with a range of material accumulated over a lifetime of collecting.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2594 o **Worldwide Collection,** housed in six large world albums, designed to the overflow from a main world collection, with one main oversized album bulging with stamps (owner claims over 250,000 stamp in total); wide range of issues and countries with possible surprises for the diligent viewer.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2595 */o **Worldwide Balance,** includes large 55 exhibit page collection entitled "The Story of WWII" with dozens and dozens of various issued singles and sets from various countries during the war (including the occasional better) as well as interesting ephemera items, etc., stock book with much Japanese Occup of Neth Indies overprint material as well as other WWII era items, and collections of Ukraine, Armenia, Georgia, Azerbaijan, TFR & Far Eastern Republic all with useful material please inspect for full evaluation.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2596 ** **Worldwide Mint Accumulation,** thousands of modern n.h. issues in single, multiple and souvenir sheet format, various quantities, includes Hungary, Netherlands, French & British Colony, etc., much topical interest; owner's approximate catalog value $12,000; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2597 ** **Worldwide Mint Accumulation,** thousands of modern n.h. issues in single, multiple and souvenir sheet format, various quantities, includes French & British Colony, etc., much topical interest; owner's approximate catalog value $12,000; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2598 */o **Worldwide Accumulation,** 2 large boxes full of albums, includes some nice U.S.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2599 */o **Worldwide Balance,** of anything, includes a beautifully written up U. S. collection; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2600 */o **Worldwide Grouping,** substantial group of miscellaneous; includes small Chinese and India collections, complete set of U.S. Ducks, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2601 */o **Worldwide Collection,** in 1935 Scott Album; 1,000s of stamps including attractive U.S. (#C1-6, etc.) and Australia 1929-30 5/-thru £2 used (Scott $1,800); should be inspected.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2602 */o **Worldwide Collection,** in beautifully rebound 1902 Scott Album; highlight is beautifully fresh, mint Columbians 1¢-50¢ and $2 values (Scott $2,249), mixed condition, very pretty album.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2603 */o **Worldwide Mystery,** large box full of old to very old albums (inspection will be rewarded) + $100s and $100s of value in nice unused mounts.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2604 */o/✉ **Worldwide Selection,** small mint and used group including Egypt 1938 £1 Royal Wedding (224) four unused singles (cat $200 each), some Belgium including 92-102, #121 mint ($275), Switzerland, Albania, Bavaria, Cape of Good Hope £1 triangle, G.B., etc. German and Italian States covers, mixed condition.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2605 ✉ **Worldwide Cover Accumulation,** box of better and interesting covers; includes beautiful, huge ornate United States stampless cover, Shanghai Local Post cover, U.S. #CM3 cover (Scott $500, all proper markings!), 1888 Queensland Discharge Certificate, etc.; inspection will be rewarded.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2606 */o/✉ **Worldwide Miscellany,** mix with much better material including a French collection, a UNICEF UN collection, old time Worldwide, etc.; nice lot.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2607 */o/✉ **Worldwide Joint Issue & U.N. Collections,** various collection and consignment balance material in two large boxes; includes U.N. collection including FDC's, joint collections issues honoring U.N., U.S. Constitution, Brussels Worlds Fair, International Red Cross, JFK, FDR, additional material including a couple early worldwide collections, few artist proofs, rocket mail with flown items, etc.; worth a look.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2608 ** **Worldwide Mint Accumulation,** thousands of modern n.h. issues in single, multiple and souvenir sheet format, various quantities, includes Hungary, Greenland, French & British Colony, etc., much topical interest; owner's approximate catalog value $7,000; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2609 ** **Worldwide Mint Accumulation,** thousands of modern n.h. issues in single, multiple and souvenir sheet format, various quantities, includes Hungary, Greenland, French & British Colony, etc., much topical interest; owner's approximate catalog value $7,000; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2610 */o **Worldwide Collection,** 19th and 20th century mint and used in two old Scott albums without covers, eight stockbooks and a folder, nice assortment of material throughout both albums and stockbooks including China with Coiling Dragons, Junks etc.; condition mixed, review recommended.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2611 */o **Worldwide Miscellaneous,** box of anything and everything; includes a Legend of the West recall sheet, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2612 */o/✉ **Worldwide "Bileski" Group,** shoebox of material from this "King of Varieties" dealer, emphasis on Canadian issues (including Rare Revenues); very interesting lot with half-century old prices of over $2,000 (amount paid by previous owner!).
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2613 */o/✉ **Worldwide Balance,** mix of material in two large boxes; includes stock albums/binders with some useful material including China, collection of UN, useful British Commonwealth, etc.; inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

Airmail and Zeppelin Collections

2614 ✉ **Aviation Postcards,** group of approximately 200 items mostly U.S. with some foreign including dirigible cards; many scarce pioneer cards, photos of FAM and CAM flights including pilot signed, Dornier card signed by Clara Adams, also caricature and reprint items, etc.; a nice group for the aviation specialist.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2615 */o **Worldwide Airmail Issue Selection, 1930-40's,** mostly unused sets including Iceland Sc# C4-C8, Denmark Sc# C1-C5, Spain Edifil #1079-1082, Monaco Sc C10-C13 and C27-C29, Portugal Sc# C10 and Russia Sc# C75a (cancelled); catalog value $1,200+.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2616 */o/✉ **Worldwide Airmail Collection,** on specialized pages in two Scott albums; mostly used and fairly sparsely filled with some good Germany, New Caledonia Paris-Noumea set used, Russia, few covers dotted throughout; excellent foundation for continuation, inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2617 */o/✉ **Worldwide Zeppelin Issues,** group of various singles, sets and a couple of flown covers; off cover virtually all mint including sets from Liechtenstein including blocks, Iceland, Germany (n.h.), Egypt, Ifni, Russia, Bolivia including inverted varieties and multiples, covers including Hungary Zepp set and U.S. #C18 block of 4 with plate number; Scott cat $3,363 for off cover.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2618 */o **Zeppelin Issue Collection,** mostly mint issues in Scott album, includes Argentina Scott #C20-C24 (cat $325) with additional "Muestra" specimen set, Brazil & Egypt issues, both Liechtenstein sets, Iceland, San Marino, Italy and areas, Paraguay sets, Russia with C15-C19 and Malygin sets imperf and perf and others.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2619 ✉ **Worldwide - Zeppelin Flight Cover Group, 1931-34,** of 12 flight cover and cards; perhaps the best is 1932 South America flight from France (Sieger 157), 1931 Egypt flight card with Egypt Zepp issue, 1931 Hungary & 1932 Danzig flight cards, other usages from Liechtenstein and four South American countries, also includes 10 flight related cards (some non-Zepp).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2620 ✉ **Zeppelin Covers & Cards,** group of various items in a cover album, Germany features six cards and nine covers with/two different 1912 Rhein/Main air cards flown on Airship "Schwaben", 1909 Zepp photo card and six other 1924-38 cards including 1rm Zepp stamp on card and three covers with 4rm Zepp stamps, also Brazil, France, Liechtenstein with/1936 Zepps, Switzerland cards, U.S. cards and covers plus misc. ephemera, also three Byrd Operation Highjump covers and two Tonga Tin Can Mail covers, varied and worthwhile, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2621 */o **Worldwide Postal Stationery Accumulation,** 5 binders with optimistically priced better foreign postal stationery, items from $50-$500, Japan, Germany, Vatican, Italy and many other countries noted; priced to sell at $22,692.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2622 */o **Worldwide Postal Stationery Hoard,** 2 large boxes with over 10,000 items- almost every country represented, mostly for the $1 box but better items could be found; please inspect.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

Topical Collections

2623 */o **Worldwide Scouts Topical Stock,** neatly mounted on 3 or 4 line black stock cards and larger type cards for souvenir sheets, predominantly never hinged with minimal duplication, very attractive and ready for immediate resale or internet, values to $70 with most between $20- $30, many scarce items; retail exceeds $17,000.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

2624 ✉ **Worldwide Topical Covers,** dealer's back up stock of worldwide topical covers of around 700 covers all sleeved and priced from all over the world with both FDC's and commercial mail, includes a wide variety of thematic subjects including Fauna and Flora, huge variety with minimal duplication; owner's retail exceeds $10,000.
Estimate . . . . . $1,000 - 1,500

2625 */o **Worldwide Topicals,** mostly 20th Century mint n.h. and some used in six stockbooks, including Hungary, Romania and DDR, rich in Topicals with/Space, Olympics, Transportation, Flora and Fauna, Art etc., lots of souvenir sheets including Hungary C67 sheet of four, and imperfs C149-56, also some older used France, Italy and U.S., well worth inspection, generally fine to very fine.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2626 ✉ **Horse Racing Topical Covers,** fantastic accumulation of covers, includes 19th Century, fancy advertising,etc.; should be inspected to be appreciated.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2627 **/* **Worldwide, Europa Topical Collection, 1956-89,** beautiful 3 volume collection, lightly hinged to mostly hundreds of never hinged complete sets and souvenir sheets; enormous retail on this popular area.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2628 **Worldwide Coins,** one man's stock of reasonably priced and identified material; includes many better and popular issues; mostly older material includes items from 1700's, Ancients (Roman) Silver dollars, etc.; huge value - retail.
Estimate . . . . . $2,000 - 3,000

Philatelic Literature

2629 **[Denmark] Koefoed, O.,** *Danske Postfrimærker 1851-1901,* 1901, hardbound with gold gilted raised crown and posthorn emblem on front, 156 pgs, with tipped in stamp reprints; some light aging/wear.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2630 **European Auction House Catalogs,** approximately a couple hundred 21st century catalogs in four large boxes with many hardbound; includes Corinphila with name sales including Kuphal's Hamburg, Witting's & Indarte's Brazil, etc., H. Kohler with Kircher's Germany, other houses includes Dr. Derichs, Till Neumann and C. Gartner.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

German Area

2631 **Germania-Berichte,** Zeitschrift des Germania-Rings, 1900-35, Nr 1-408, complete hardbound run (in German).
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2632 **Bohne, W.,** *German Philatelic Society Reference Manual of Forgeries, Vols 1-15,* 1975-98, loose leaf in 15 special 3-ring binders, most with slipcases, with additional releases; minor/normal use.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2633 **German Literature Balance,** 50+ handbooks, catalogs and monographs filling two large boxes, most in German; includes Munk *Kohl Briefmarken Handbuch Band I-V*, Meier zu Eissen *Die Deutschen Privatpost-Anstalten Band I-III*, Schmidt *Handbuch der Deutschen Privat-Postwertzeichen*, Jensen *The German Handbook - A Guide for the English Reading Collector, Vol. I-II*, Diederichs *Die Umgestaltung des deutschen Postwesens zwishen der Franzosischen Revolution (1792) und dem Wiener Kongress (1814/1815)*, Lechte *Das Kongreich Hannover Band I*, Beyerodt *Postfreimarken in Schleswig-Holstein 1850-67*, near complete run of Boker Collection auction catalogs (missing one sale), Burrus German States, various volumes of Bohne *Reference Manual of Forgeries*, etc.; a wealth of information.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2634 **Krötzsch, H.,** *Hugo Krötzsch Literature Group,* of 24 publications (in German); includes the 11 volumes of *Die Postfreimarken der Deutschen Staaten* series with some duplicate volumes and plates, *Die Postfreimarken von Russland* and *von Schweden* with additional handbooks and reprints; normal/light use.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2635 **European Auction House Catalogs,** several hundred mostly 21st century catalogs in four large boxes, with a **strong emphasis in German Area material**; includes Walter Kruschel mostly 1970-80's, Potsdam Phil., Nordphila, Loth, Pumpenmeir, Kohler and a few others.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2636 **German Periodical Balance,** of 100+ publications mostly in German and 21st century, filling two large boxes; includes runs of Thurn und Taxis e.V., Privatpost, The German Postal Specialist, Mitteilungen, Preussen Studien and the DASV.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2637 **Boker, J.,** *The Boker Collection of Old German States, Sales 1-8,* 1985-88, Kohler sales #245/63, deluxe hardbound edition in 2 volumes with slipcase, 1196pgs, like new.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

The finest collection of German States ever assembled.

2638 **Moens, J.B.,** *Bibliotheque des Timbrophiles - Les Timbres de Prusse, Schleswig, Holstein,* 1887 & 1884, original ¼ leather hardbound, 236 pgs, in French; normal use with some light outer edge wear.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2639 **German States Literature,** balance approximately 50 handbooks (in German) as well as various monographs and dozens of early auction sale catalogs filling two large boxes; handbooks including Berger *Die Postwerthzeichen de Herzogthuns Branschweig* (1893), C. Lindenberg *Die Breifmarken von Baden*, Billigs *Grosses Handbuch der Falschungen Alt-Deutschland*, Grobe *Altdeutschland* (2 copies), Feuser *Die Nummerstempel der Altdeutschen Staaten*, Muller & Mark *Ultdeutschland unter der Lupe*, im Bund Deutscher Philatelisten *Baden-Handbuch Band II-III*, Lenthe *Hannover*, im Bund Deutscher Philatelisten *Hanbuch der Poststempel Band 1-2* (Schleswig-Holstein) and *Band 9* (Hamburg), Bade *333 Jahre Braunschweigische Post 1535-1867*, Muller *Die Deutsche Reichspost 1871*, Kohler *Die Briefmarken von Wurttemberg 1851-1881* (1940), Knapp *Der "Sachsen-Dreier"*, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2640 **German States Monographs,** softbound publications in 25 matching folios, including a few specialized auction sales; many early including Glasewald *Die Abstemplungen der Marken von Baden* (1898), Rommel *Geschichte der Sachsischen Zeitunkgsmarken* (1894), *Die Postwertzeichen von Lubeck* (1895) and *Die Postwertzeichen des Bergedorfer Postbezirks* (1892), Wulbern *Originale und Neudrucke von Helgoland* (1906), run of 1934-35 Billig publications, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2641 **[Bavaria] Bayern - Die Sammlung J.S. Elster,** 1997, Corinphila, limited deluxe edition (no. 12 of 25), hard spiral bound reproduction of collection; minor use.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2642 **[Heligoland] Moens, J.B.,** *Heligoland & ses Timbres,* 1897, original ¼ leather hardbound, 272pgs, in French; exceptional condition with minimal outer edge wear, a rare classic.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2643 **[Helgoland] Moens, J.B.,** *Heligoland & ses Timbres,* 1897, hard rebound, 272pgs, in French; minimal page wear, a rare classic.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2644 **[Germany] Leder, S.,** *Katalog des Reichspostmuseums,* 1897, maroon hardbound, 575 pages, gold gilt page ends; minor use/wear.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2645 **[Great Britain] Robson Lowe,** *The Philatelist,* 1934-1979, 45 volumes bound (binding almost new), few early issues are photocopies and a couple issues are damp effected.
Estimate . . . . . $400 - 600

2646 **[Great Britain] The Philatelist,** 1870-76, includes loose broken 1870-72 (volume. IV//VI) run of thirteen issues, hardbound for 1874 (volume. VIII) and quarter leather hardbound for years 1875-76 (volumes. IX-X), various articles including "The Spud Papers" with dozens of tipped in forgeries.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2647 **[Great Britain] The Record of Philately,** Vol 1#1 March 1935 cplt Vol 1 #12 March 1936 HB GB postal history periodical edited by E.F. Hurst.
Estimate . . . . . $50 - 75

2648 **[Ireland] Shanahan's Stamp Auctions Ltd.,** 1954-59, broken run of 61 catalogs starting with auction #6 through to the Burrus G.B. & Netherlands sale #102; some typical edge wear (as usual); includes catalog run notes and paperback by S. Brady *Doctor of Millions*.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2649 **[Sicily] Vaccari, P.,** *Sicilia 1859 Comparative Plates of Stamps,* 2009, hardbound, 120pgs + 15 loose color plates in folio, like new, **accompanied by full leather album with matching leather slipcase and gold gilt edge pages** with frontpage entitiled "Regno Delle Due Sicilie - Sicilia".
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2650 **[Sicily] Diena, E.,** *A History of the Postage Stamps of Sicily,* 1904, hardbound ¼ leather, translated by E.B. Evans, 143pgs + 20 autotype plates; light/moderate wear.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

Mexico

2651 **Mexicana,** MEPSI, 1952-2016, early reference pages 1-96 from 1952, 1957 volume 6 no. to 2016 volume 65 no. 1 appears to be complete (or near complete), includes index, a wealth of information.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2652 **Pietsch, D.,** *Imperial Eagles of Mexico 1864-66,* Pietsch, D., Imperial Eagles of Mexico 1864-66, 2013, hardbound, 431 pages, new edition of 300, the revised Corbett with color illus. throughout; like new.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2653 **Mexico 19th Postal Related Directories,** research group including two early hardbound works; includes J. Duran's 1856 work *Itinerarios Y Derroteros De La Republica Mexicana* detailing distances between towns (in leagues), and D. Nava's 1892 *Directorio General De Correos Y Telegrafos De Los Estados Unidos Mexicanos* (both normal use), also photocopied works including 1877 *Informe Presentado Al C. Ministro De Gobernacion Por El Administrador General De Correos*, a postal code directory for 1902-03, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2654 **Mexico Literature Balance,** well of a dozen handbooks (mostly softbound) as well as auction catalogs, periodical run and copious manuscripts (mostly photocopies) and monograms in various binders, in two large boxes; titles include Liera/Backal *Handbook of Mexican Philately, The 1856 Issue Vol 1-2*, Schimmer *Hidalgo Profile Issue 1872-74* and *1895-1899 Mail Transportation Issue of Mexico* and *Hidalgo Envelopes 1874-1884* (all signed), APS *The Yucatan Affair*, Banchick *Handbook of Classic Mexico*, Billings *Mexico Postal Issue of 1874-1883*, periodical run of Amexfil from first issue on, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2655 **[Switzerland] "Le Fac=Simile",** 1910-13, no. 1-24 complete, hardbound, Organe Mensuel editie par la Maison F. Fournier; a very rare run.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

United States

2656 **Ashbrook, S.,** *19th Century U.S. Postal History - A Special Service Prepared by Stanley Ashbrook,* in two grey buckram binders 309+346pp. Includes Index to Special Services in third grey clamshell solander containing 163 fine line photographic plates. "Special Services" was sent to 29 subscribers between June 1951 and December 1959 and constitutes an important linchpin to a collection.
Estimate . . . . . $750 - 1,000

2657 **Ashbrook, S.,** *The United States Ten Cent Stamp of 1857-57,* 1936, hardbound, 87pp deluxe edition #46 (extremely rare offering) along with 8x10" autographed framed photograph of Stanley Ashbrook.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2658 **George Turner Legal Documents,** in three ring folder relating to sale of his philatelic library; folio consisting of (1) inventory 28 type written pages (2) instruction of submittal 5pp from attorney Nicholas Ward (3) Philip Wall letter to SMB of Sept 1980 (4) Herbert Trenchard prospectus (5) Turner letter from SMB dated Jan 1979; another important historical philatelic document.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2659 **Manuscript Stamp Album,** Charles de Jaeger (father of stamp albums and first recorded philatelist.) Letter from Homer Alexson offering sale along with Linn's, Scott article and communication from Smithsonian circa 1970s regarding item.
Estimate. . . . . $75 - 100

2660 **Philatelic Icons Photographs,** photo album twenty pages of photographs consisting of portraits of 50 plus major philatelic icons including Ferrary, Tapling. Scott, Green. Steinmetz, Phillips, Tiffany, Bacon, Luff, Morgenthau, Kleeman, Gibbons, Booty, Earl Crawford, Caspary, Brazer, Ackerman, Herst, Colby; another important historical document.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2661 **Stanley Ashbrook Four Auction Sales,** of Great Britain by Herst 1958; One Cent Blues by Harmer 1958 with handwritten PRs; Confederate States by Fifield 1958; Stampless Covers by Paige 1959 a rare and important offering.
Estimate . . . . . $300 - 400

2662 **Stanley Ashbrook Handbooks,** five handbooks; *The US Issue of 1869* SC 69pp 1943+letter from Ashbrook to Philip Ward and tear sheets from Amer Philatelist plus *The US Ten Cent Stamp of 1855-1857* SC 1936 87pp, *The Types of US One Cent of 1851-1857* SC Feb 1922 35pp plus *The Types and Plates of US One Cent 1851-1857* SC undated 93pp+tear sheets; plus *United States Twelve Cents 1851-1857* SC 1926 23pp.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2663 **Transatlantic Mail Literature,** group of 6 publications; includes Winter *Understanding Transatlantic Mails Vol. 1-2*, Hubbard & Winter *North Atlantic Mail Sailings 1840-75*, Hargest *History of Letter Post Communications Between the United States and Europe, 1845-1875 2nd Edition*, Rowe *Postal History of Forwarding Agents*, Starnes *U.S. Letter Rates to Foreign Destinations 1847 to GPU-UPU*, also the 2013 Rumsey sale of Winter's Trans-Atlantic Mails.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2664 **Machine Cancel Periodicals,** *Flag Cancellations* Vol #1 Sept 1963 cplt Vol XVII #5 April 1979 whole #1-93 thence large format *Flag Cancellation* Vol XVI June 1979 cplt Oct 1986 #94-138 continued as *Machine Cancel Form* Jan 1987 #139 cplt #147. with *I Plus Maximum Card Society of America* Vol 2#5 April 1952 cplt Vol 6 #2 March 1956.
Estimate . . . . . $100 - 150

2665 **U.S. Periodical Group,** six miscellaneous rare early periodicals including *Collector Advertiser* Vol 1 #1 June 2 1927 to Vol VII #1 Feb 1924; plus *The Philatelic Journalist* Vol 1 #1 Oct 1971 cplt Vol 11 #6 Dec 1982; plus nine issues of *Spencer Anderson Bulletin* :1938; plus *Gammmans Stamp Notes* Vol 1 #1 June 1913 to Vol 2 #1 Nov 1913; plus *Postage Stamps* Vol 1#1 May 1923 to Vol 1#5 Oct 1923; plus *Fidelity's Washington Letter* Vol 1 #1 1938; also *On The Record from Belmont Faires* from SPA Journal Vol 26#7 March 1964 cplt Dec 1977 in two matching HB volumes; plus Postal Historian Quarterly HB Vol 1#1 Sept 1977 cplt Vol I #4 1979 (last issue).
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2666 **U.S. Philatelic Classics Society,** *The Chronicle,* nos. 1-236 hardbound in 28 volumes (binding as new), includes the very scarce nos 1-44, loose issues from 2013-2016; extremely valuable reference.
Estimate . . . . . $600 - 800

2667 **UPSS,** *Journal of the United States Postal Stationery Society,* 1956-2016, broken run of issues (yet much complete) filling large box, a wealth of postal stationery information.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

Worldwide

2668 **Bacon, E.,** *Catalogue of the Philatelic Library of the Earl of Crawford & Supplements,* 1911, hardbound, 923pgs + 1926 supplement 129pgs (original as released) + 1938 8pgs addenda, all bound in; binding excellent, pages untrimmed at right; one of the great philatelic libraries, *ex-C. Walske*.
Estimate . . . . . $500 - 750

2669 **Moens, J.B.,** *"Prix Courant De Timbres Poste" and "Timbre Poste",* group of 16 volumes; includes *Prix Courant De Timbres Poste* 1892, 4 volumes., hardbound ¼ leather and 1893 version, 4 volumes. hardbound ¼ cloth, and 1890-1900 run *Timbre Poste* journal (8 volumes); all with original bindings of normal wear including some end defects.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2670 **Ohrt, P.,** *Handbuch aller bekannten Neudrucke staatlicher Postfreimarken,* 1906, hardbound, 636pgs, in German, with authors later work *Neudrucke und ihre Kennzeichen, Band I-IV*, 1907-28, hardbound, 4 volumes with additional Band I-II incorporated volume; normal/light use.
Estimate . . . . . $250 - 350

2671 **Ferrari, De La Renotiere,** *Die Ferrary - Auktionen,* 1987 reprint, Broquelet & Gilbert Paris, hardbound, sales 1-14 complete, including index & Edelmann (Zurich) Greece sale (#12), with pr's; like new.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

2672 **Collin, H. & Calman, H.,** *A Catalogue for Advanced Collectors of Postage Stamps, Stamped Envelopes & Wrappers,* 1901, 1349pp + plates, professionally rebound, 3 volumes, a wonderful reference for 19th Century, extensive plates, and including discussion of counterfeits for every country; light use.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2673 **John Boker Handwritten Letter,** four page letter to Dr. Bierman dated June 28, 1988 describing acquisition of different collections (German, Russian Levant, CSA) and sales to various parties, plus second one page April 1989 letter regarding CSA submissions to Philatelic Foundation along with Boker obituary 1913-2003; an important historical philatelic document.
Estimate . . . . . $150 - 200

2674 **Senefelder, A.,** *The Invention of Lithography,* 1911, English version translated by J.W. Mueller, 1st edition, hardbound, 229 pgs, with tipped in illustration of Senefelder bust (corner crease) of the inventor, father and perfector of lithography; minor use.
Estimate. . . . . $75 - 100

2675 **Literature Balance,** of 25 publications and a mixed run of *The Collectors Club Philatelist* 2012-17; includes Earee *Album Weeds I-VIII*, Muller *Grundbegriffe der Postwertzeichenkunde*, Bungerz *Grosses Lexikon der Philatelie*, Hager *Grosses Lexikon der Philatelie I-II*, Reinheimer, A. *Kurzgefasste Beschreibung Der Essays-Sammlung Von Martin Schroeder* (1901), Ragatz *The Fournier Album of Philatelic Forgeries*, Bertuch *Geographische Ephemeriden* (1808), Rupp *Alsace-Lorraine 1870/71*, etc.
Estimate . . . . . $200 - 300

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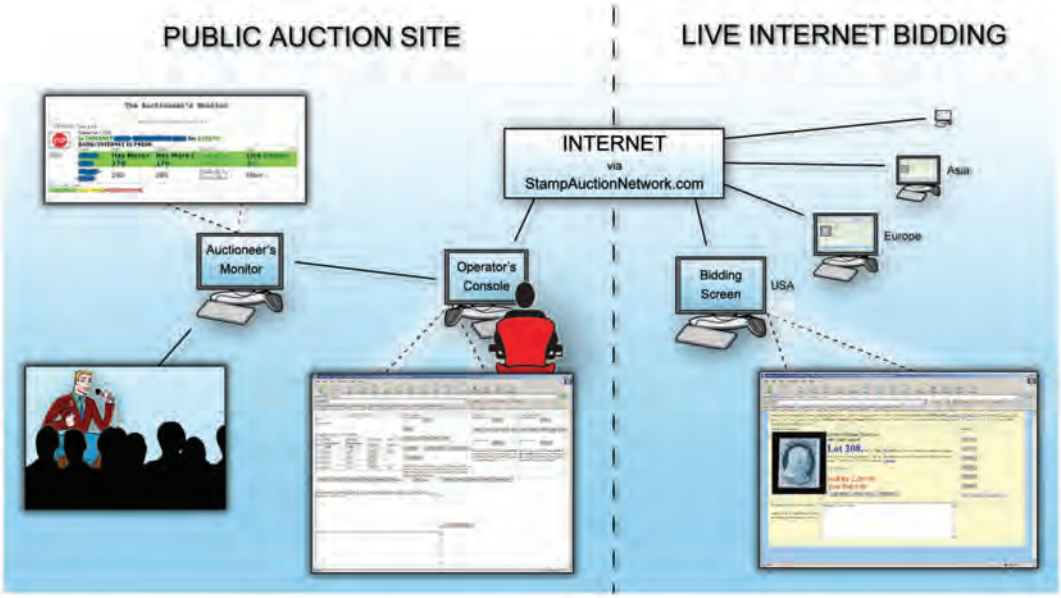

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