

Confederate States United States & Foreign Stamps & Covers



SALE 1016
TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY
NOVEMBER 15-17, 2011

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Sale 1016—Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, November 15-17, 2011

Confederate States, United States and Foreign Stamps and Covers

Featuring the Rex H. Felton Collection of Confederate States
A new find of 1869 covers from Japan and China from the DeB. Randolph Keim Correspondence
Air Post and Postage Due Collections

Live auction to be held at Siegel Auction Galleries,
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Tuesday, November 15

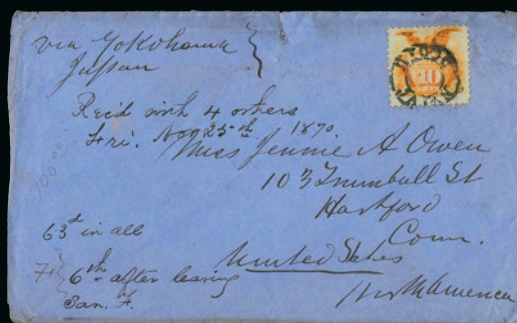
Session One (lots 501-593) at 10:30 a.m.

CSA thru Handstamped Paidlots 501-593

Session Two (lots 594-831) at 1:30 p.m.

Confederate States:

Postmasters' Provisionals	lots 594-646
General Issues Proofs, Off Cover	647-683
General Issues On Cover	684-798
Express, POW, Blockade-Run Mail	799-827
Group Lots.....	828-831



A cover from the Keim correspondence
from Japan and China (lots 1047-1055)

Wednesday, November 16

Session Three (lots 832-991) at 10:30 a.m.

Stampless, Postal History By State	lots 832-867
N.Y. Postmaster's Provisionals	868-877
1847 Issue	878-911
Specialized 1c 1857-60 Issues	912-991

Session Four (lots 992-1220) at 1:30 p.m.

1851-57 Issues	lots 992-1011
1861-68 Issues	1012-1046
Keim Correspondence; Japan & China ..	1047-1057
1869 Pictorial Issue	1058-1074
1870-88 Bank Note and Later Issues	1075-1120
Flight-Related and Air Post Covers	1121-1146
Pioneer Postal Cards, Postal Stationery ..	1147-1197
Official Seals, Christmas Seals.....	1198-1220

Thursday, November 17

Session Five (lots 1221-1375) at 10:30 a.m.

Carriers, Locals, Western Express	lots 1221-1316
U.S. Possessions	1317-1375

Session Six (lots 1376-1568) at 1:30 p.m.

Group Lots of Covers	lots 1376-1429
Foreign Stamps and Covers	1430-1568



Pre-Sale Viewing—Monday, November 14, 10am-4pm and by appointment

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Grades and Centering

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

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

Guide to Gum Condition

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

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

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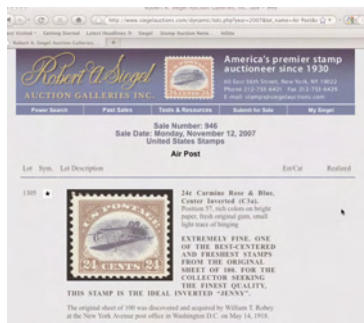
Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)

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

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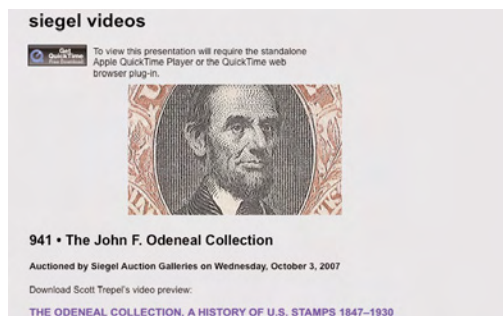


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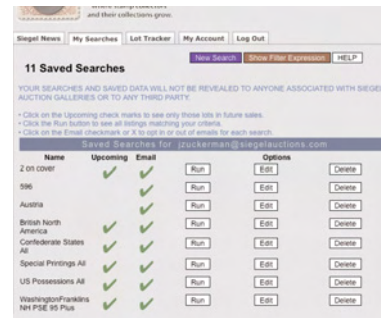
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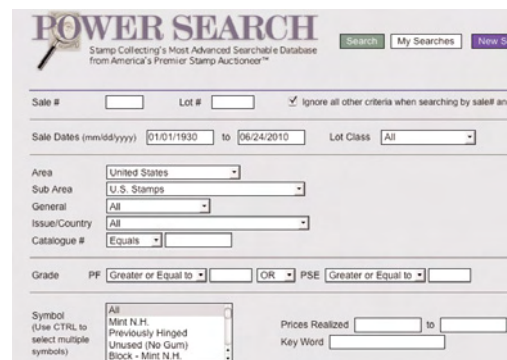
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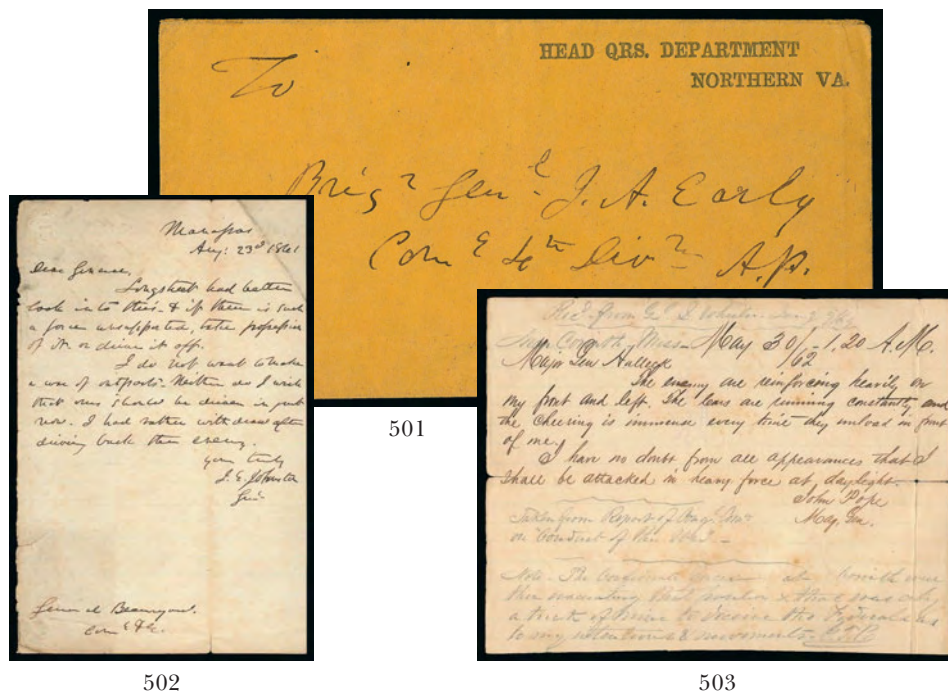
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TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2011, AT 10:30 A.M.
CONFEDERATE STATES
FEATURING THE REX H. FELTON COLLECTION
MILITARY FIGURES



- 501 ☒ **Joseph E. Johnston.** Buff cover with "Head Qrs. Department, Northern Va." two-line imprint addressed in the hand of **Commanding General Joseph E. Johnston to Brigadier General Jubal A. Early**, "To Brigr Genl. J. A. Early, Comg. 4th Divn A.P.", sent from Winchester Va. between October 1861 and April 1862, flaps opened and slightly refolded, Very Fine, a rare military cover from Gen. Johnston to Gen. Early, ex Seacrest and Walske, with 1990 Pannick certificate incorrectly attributing the cover to General Thomas J. "Stonewall" Jackson..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 502 ☒ **Joseph E. Johnston to P. G. T. Beauregard, Aug. 1861.** One-page letter datelined "Manassas Aug. 23d, 1861" from Johnston, in his hand, to Beauregard in response to reports of Union troop movements, reads in full "Dear General, Longstreet had better look into this & if there is such a force unsupported, take possession of it or drive it off. I do not want to make a war of outposts. Neither do I wish that we should be driven in part now. I had rather withdraw after driving back the enemy. Yours truly J.E. Johnston Genl.", reverse docketed with "Manassas, August 23, Genl. J.E. Johnston Comdg. Reports advance of 2,000 of enemy and ordered attention of Longstreet to the movement. Received August 23/61", this part does not appear to be in Beauregard's hand and was most likely written by an aide, possibly Thomas Jordan, Very Fine, a wonderful and historical letter between two of only seven men who would serve the Confederacy as full general officers, the First Battle of Bull Run was fought at Manassas only one month prior to this letter E. 1,000-1,500
- 503 **P. G. T. Beauregard, Jan. 1869.** Initialed "G.T.B." at bottom of of 1862 telegram transcription from Union General John "Headquarters in the Saddle" Pope at Corinth Miss. to General Henry Halleck in Washington, telegram reads "Maj. Gen Halleck, The enemy are reinforcing heavily on my front and left. The cars are running constantly and the cheering is immense every time they unload in front of me. I have no doubt from all appearances that I shall be attacked in heavy force at daylight. John Pope, Maj. Gen.", the telegram was given to Beauregard, probably to assist him in his research for the book on the Civil War that he published, by Confederate General Joseph Wheeler, who was also at Corinth (and later served in Congress and for the U.S. in the Spanish-American War), Beauregard writes in pencil on the telegram (regarding Pope's somewhat hysterical sounding message to Halleck) "The Confederate forces at Corinth were then evacuating that position and that was only a trick of mine to deceive the Federals as to my whereabouts and movements", some minor edge splitting, otherwise Very Fine, an outstanding original document which gives both a contemporary insight into the events at Corinth and a later recollection of it by two of the most prominent Union and Confederate generals of the Civil War E. 750-1,000

INDEPENDENT AND CONFEDERATE STATE USE OF U.S. STAMPS



- 504 ☒ **Brandon Miss. Jan. 9, 1861 — First Day of Mississippi Independent Statehood.** Clear strike of circular datestamp on U.S. 3c Red Star Die entire (U10) to Raleigh Miss., light foxing spots, otherwise Very Fine, a rare Mississippi secession day cover, signed Brian Green, Mississippi was the second state to secede after South Carolina E. 1,000-1,500
- 505 ☒ **Mobile Ala. Jan. 12, 1861.** Bold double-circle datestamp ties U.S. 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) on folded prices current to Providence R.I., some internal edge splitting, otherwise Very Fine, ex Kaplan, Alabama seceded on Jan. 11, 1861, the day prior to this cover's mailing date, the circular, strangely, is dated Jan. 12, 1860..... E. 200-300
- 506 ☒ **Holly Springs Miss. Jan. 22 and Feb. 17 (1861).** Two U.S. 3c Star Die entires, first with Jan. 22 circular datestamp to Greenville Va., couple minor cover flaws, Very Fine Independent State use, with 1994 C.S.A. certificate, second with Feb. 17 circular datestamp to New Orleans, fresh and Very Fine Confederate State use, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate (Photo Ex) E. 400-500
- 507 ☒ **Natchitoches La. Feb. 1 (1861).** Bold strike of circular datestamp on U.S. 3c Red Star Die entire to New Orleans, clear strike of boxed "Adv. 1" handstamp of New Orleans, missing top flap and slightly reduced at left, otherwise Fine E. 300-400
- 508 ☒ **Etowah Ga. Feb. 11 (1861).** Light strike of blue circular datestamp with date in ms. on cover to Howell Cobb at the Montgomery Convention, ms. "M.A. Cooper PM" free frank at top, small tear at top and on backflap, Very Fine, a scarce Confederate postmaster free frank sent prior to the June 1 establishment of the C.S.A. postal system (which did not allow postmaster free franks except for Department correspondence) E. 300-400



- 509 ☒ **Memphis Ten. Apr. 5, 1861.** Circular datestamp ties U.S. 3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26) on red and blue **7-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic** cover to New York City, stamp with faults, cover with few opening tears at top, otherwise Fine, scarce Tennessee pre-secession use of a Confederate patriotic, ex Boshwit..... E. 500-750
- 510 ☒ **Apalachicola Apr. 10, 1861.** Double-circle datestamp ties U.S. 3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26) on cover to New York, stamp with tiny corner crease top right, cover with small mended corner nick bottom left, Very Fine Florida Confederate use of a U.S. stamp E. 400-500
- 511 ☒ **Columbia S.C. Apr. 20 (1861).** Blue strike of circular datestamp ties U.S. 3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26), stamp is seriously defective with pieces missing, lifted and pasted onto parts of another stamp below it to appear complete, on red and blue **7-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic** cover to Clarksville Tenn., appears Fine, despite the stamp's condition this is a scarce Confederate use of U.S. postage on a Confederate patriotic to Tennessee, which had not yet seceded from the Union, this flag design is also not listed in the current Dietz and will be added to the forthcoming *Confederate States Catalogue* E. 500-750
- 512 ☒ **Alexandria Va. Apr. 21, 1861.** Double-circle datestamp ties U.S. 3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26), color slightly oxidized, on "**Young Ladies' Institute, S. Scott, Alexandria Va.**" clam shell design corner card cover to Cliff Mills Va., couple tears and some staining, still Fine appearing and scarce Independent State use of U.S. stamp on a college cover, Virginia seceded four days before this was sent, on April 17, signed Brian Green E. 400-500
- 513 ☒ **Montgomery Ala. Apr. 29, 1861.** Clear strike of circular datestamp ties U.S. 3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26), stamp defective, on "**Confederate States of America Treasury Department**" semi-official imprint cover to Charleston S.C., written in the hand of **Secretary of the Treasury Christopher Memminger**, cover with water staining, despite the condition this is a rare combination of Confederate use of a U.S. stamp and hand-written address by Memminger as Secretary — he served only from Feb. 21 to July 18, 1861... E. 300-400

COVERS TO FOREIGN DESTINATIONS
FROM INDEPENDENT AND CONFEDERATE STATES

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- 514 ☒ **New Orleans La. 1 Feb. (1861).** Clear strike of circular datestamp, "New York 6 Feb. 13" debit datestamp and "30" handstamp for double rate, on blue folded letter to **Chalon-sur-Saone, France**, French transit datestamp and "16" decimes due, Paris transit and Chalon receiving handstamps on back (small tear thru both), Very Fine and scarce Independent State use from New Orleans, Louisiana was an Independent State for only nine days, from Jan. 26 to Feb. 4..... E. 300-400
- 515 ☒ **New Orleans La. 27 Feb. (1861).** Circular datestamp and bold "**Steamship 10**" in circle handstamp on blue folded letter **from Mexico to New York**, datelined "**Puebla 14 de Febr. 1861**", Vera Cruz oval datestamp, light file folds, Very Fine cover from Mexico routed thru Confederate Louisiana to New York..... E. 400-500



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- 516 ☒ **New Orleans La. 8 Mar. (1861).** Large circular datestamp ties **U.S. 30c Orange (38)**, vibrant color, wide inter-pane centerline margin at right, on blue folded cover to **Bordeaux, France**, red "New York Paid 12 Mar. 16" credit datestamp, boxed "P.D." and 1861 French transits
- VERY FINE. A SCARCE CONFEDERATE STATE USE OF THE 30-CENT 1860 ISSUE TO FRANCE.
- Ex Baker. With 1985 P.F. certificate..... E. 1,500-2,000

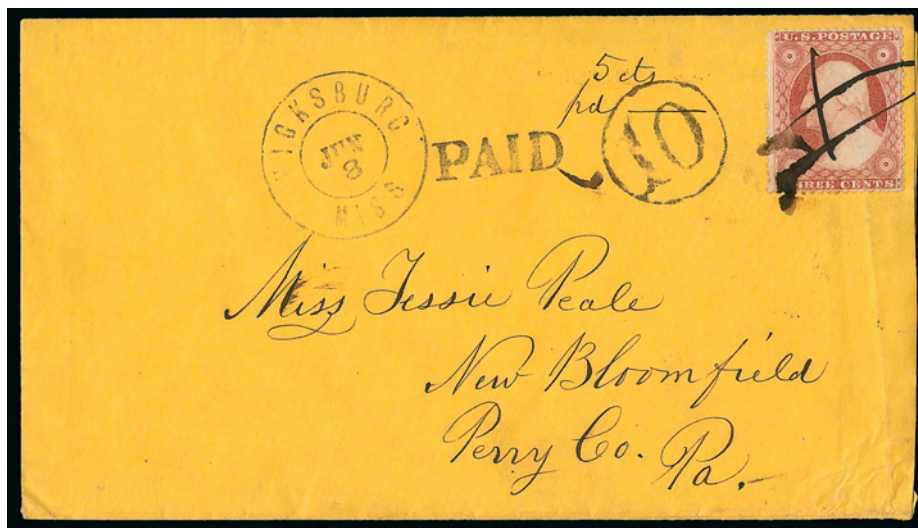


- 517 ☒ **New Orleans La. ? Mar. (1861).** Partly clear strike of large circular datestamp ties **U.S. 5c Brown, Ty. II (30A)**, scissors-separated at left and into design at bottom, on light blue folded letter to **Barcelona, Spain**, red "New York Br. Pkt. Apr. 2" datestamp, bold "8Rs." due handstamp, backstamped with London (Apr. 16, 1861) transit and Spanish receiving datestamps, some cover wear and central file fold, Fine and attractive cover with the U.S. stamp paying the British Open Mail rate to Spain from Confederate Louisiana E. 1,000-1,500
- 518 ☒ **New Orleans La. 21 Mar. (1861).** Circular datestamp ties **U.S. 5c Brown, Ty. II (30A)**, vertical strip of three, scissors-separated perfs leaving portions of stamps at top and bottom but cut into at sides, on blue 1861 folded letter to **Gironde, France**, red "New York Paid 3 Apr. 6" credit datestamp, various transits, faint horizontal file fold well clear of stamps, Fine, scarce use from Confederate New Orleans, ex Myers E. 1,500-2,000
- 519 ☒ **New Orleans La. 3 Apr. (1861).** Clear strike of large circular datestamp and "15" rate handstamp on blue folded cover to **Bordeaux, France**, "New York 3 Apr. 10" debit datestamp, red French transit datestamp and "8" decimes due handstamp, docketing inside, some small bleached spots, Very Fine transatlantic use from Confederate New Orleans ... E. 300-400
- 520 ☒ **New Orleans La. Apr. 1? (1861).** Circular datestamp ties **U.S. 10c Green, Ty. V (35)** on 1861 folded cover to **Puebla, Mexico**, New York company handstamp, "4" reales due marking, Fine and attractive usage, carried outside of the mails to New Orleans and posted there during the Confederate State period, accompanied by 1973 *Confederate Philatelist* article discussing a similar cover E. 750-1,000



- 521 ✉ **New Orleans La. 3 May, 1861.** Circular datestamp ties horizontal pair of U.S. 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) on printed prices current to **La Ferte Mace, France**, red Calais Apr. 24 transit, red "15" decimes due handstamp, slight wrinkling, still Very Fine, a scarce Confederate State circular-rate use to France, signed Ashbrook E. 750-1,000
- 522 ✉ **New Orleans La. 8 May (1861).** Circular datestamp ties U.S. 24c Gray Lilac (37), vertical pair with scissors-trimmed perfs at left and lower right, pair also tied by red "N. York Br. Pkt. 38" credit datestamp on cover to **Edinburgh, Scotland**, receiving backstamp, sealed opening tear at lower left and top center (could be made invisible with simple restoration), otherwise Fine, extremely rare double-rate use of the 24c 1860 from the Confederate State of Louisiana, ex Walske and Kaplan, with 1976 P.F. certificate E. 750-1,000
- 523 ✉ **New Orleans La. 11? May (1861).** Circular datestamp ties U.S. 5c Brown, Ty. II, and 10c Green, Ty. V (30A, 35) on blue 1861 folded letter to **Angoulême, France**, red "New York Paid 6 May 18" credit datestamp, appropriate transits, Very Fine Confederate State use of U.S. stamps, ex "J & J" E. 750-1,000
- 524 ✉ **New Orleans La. 15 May (1861).** Fully readable strike of large circular datestamp and "30" rate handstamp on yellow cover to **Caen, France**, "New York 6 May 22" debit datestamp, red French transit datestamp and "16" decimes due handstamp, Very Fine, scarce transatlantic use from Confederate New Orleans, with 2002 C.S.A. certificate E. 500-750
- 525 ✉ **Liverpool 13 AP 61.** Clearly struck circular datestamp and "19 Cents" debit handstamp on folded printed cotton market report with letter, addressed to D. H. London in Richmond Va., ms. ship directive *pr. Asia via Cork* at top left, "N. York Br. Pkt. Apr. 25" 24-cents due datestamp, also blue crayon "24", Very Fine and choice Independent State usage (Virginia was Independent State for only 20 days, from 4/17-5/20), the addressee, Daniel H. London, was a prominent Richmond merchant and pro-slavery, states' rights advocate, who served as president of the Southern Rights Association of Richmond, a very similar cover to this from the Walske collection arrived after the Washington-Richmond mails were suspended on May 23 and went to the Dead Letter Office E. 400-500

SUSPENSION OF MAIL SERVICE



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- 526 ☒ **Vicksburg Miss. Jun. 8 (1861).** Clear strike of double-circle datestamp with “Paid” and “10” handstamps, “10” crossed out and re-rated “5 cts.” in manuscript on yellow cover to New Bloomfield Pa., U.S. postage paid by **U.S. 3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26)** crossed out in manuscript

VERY FINE. AN OUTSTANDING COVER WHICH WAS ONE OF THE LAST PIECES OF REGULAR MAIL TO CROSS THE BORDER FROM THE CONFEDERATE STATES INTO THE UNITED STATES, SHOWING THE POSTAGE RATES OF BOTH GOVERNMENTS.

This cover was mailed from Vicksburg on June 8, seven days after the establishment of the Confederate postal system. It would normally have passed through Memphis, Tennessee. However, since the U.S. suspended service at that office on June 6, the letter was routed through Nashville, most likely arriving on June 10. It then went through Louisville on June 12 and to its destination in Pa. without penalty (there are other covers with almost the same dates that were diverted to the Dead Letter office after leaving Louisville). On June 12, 1861, the U.S. suspended service at the Nashville post office, which effectively closed down the last remaining northbound mail route from the Confederate States. The Nashville postmaster continued to forward northbound mail, but letters were stopped at Louisville starting on June 13, one day after this cover was allowed to go through.

From a new find. With 2009 C.S.A. certificate E. 1,500-2,000



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- 527 ☒ **Adams Ex. Co. * Louisville Ky. * Aug. 4, 1861.** Circular datestamp cancels **U.S. 3c Red Star Die entire (U27)** to Moorfield Va., blue “Nashville Ten. Aug. 6, 1861” circular datestamp with matching “Paid” and “10” handstamps (over 500-miles rate), original four-page letter enclosed, missing part of top flap and small corner repair at top right does not affect the 3c embossed stamp, still Very Fine, with 1986 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 1,000-1,500

SOUTHERN LETTER UNPAID



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- 528 ☒ **SOUTHN. LETTER UNPAID.** Bold strike of two-line handstamp in blue, only the first word somewhat incomplete, matching "DUE 3" straightline and "Louisville Ky. Jun. 29" double-circle datestamp (date struck in error), on small cover to Brandenburg, Kentucky, initially entered the C.S.A. mails with "Salem Va. Jul. 2" circular datestamp and manuscript "PM at Louisville will forward this letter to Brandenburg", matching "Paid 5ct" C.S.A. rate at top left, some ink bleeding from the Louisville handstamps and the ms. notation at bottom, part of top flap removed

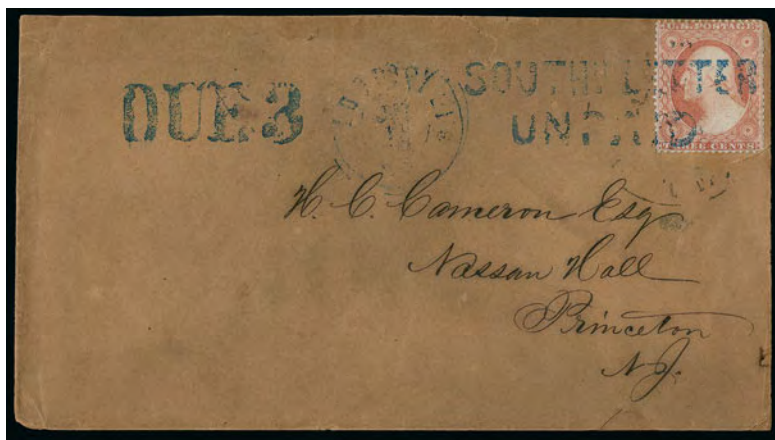
FINE AND RARE EXAMPLE OF THE "SOUTHERN LETTER UNPAID" MARKING ON A COVER ADDRESSED TO KENTUCKY. ONE OF THREE RECORDED WITH THE INCORRECTLY-DATED LOUISVILLE DATESTAMP.

By Postmaster General Blair's order of May 27, mail service to disloyal Southern states was discontinued. On or about June 8, mail exchange between Louisville and Nashville was also banned. Starting June 13, the Louisville postmaster, Dr. John J. Speed, decided to hold the northbound mail received from Nashville, rather than divert it to the U.S. Dead Letter Office. Speed sent a request to Washington D.C. for instructions on how to handle the mail that was rapidly accumulating. Speed received instructions from the U.S. Post Office Department, which were wired on June 24, advising him to "forward letters from the South for the loyal states as unpaid after removing postage stamps. . ." Since it was impractical to remove stamps from all of the letters (although apparently that was attempted at first), Postmaster Speed created the "Southn. Letter Unpaid" marking to explain to the addressees that the U.S. stamps applied by the senders were invalid for postage.

This cover was mailed from Salem Va. on July 2 and arrived at Louisville on approximately July 5. However, the postal clerk applied the June 29 marking in error, neglecting to change the date slug in his handstamp. There are two other covers listed in the *Special Routes* census that also arrived after June 29 but received the June 29 datestamp.

A total of 29 "Southn. Letter Unpaid" covers are recorded in the *Special Routes* book (No. 25 has been deleted as a fake since publication).

Census No. SLU-20. With 1994 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 7,500-10,000



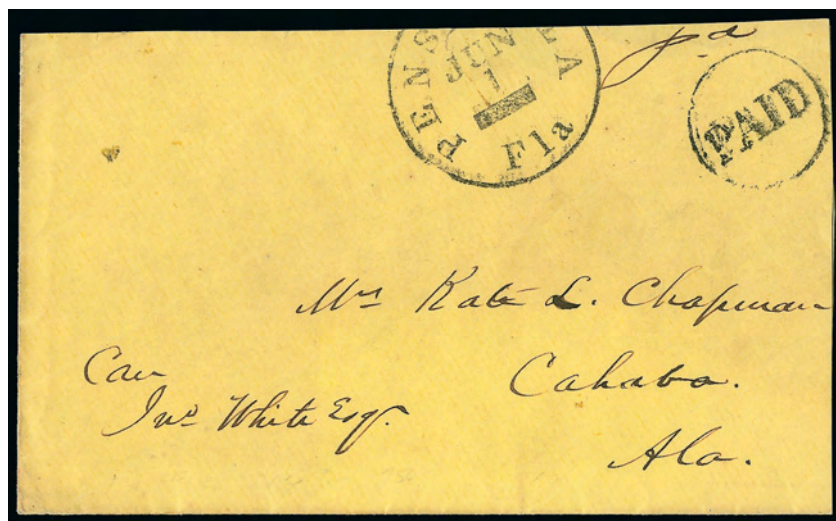
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- 529 ☒ **3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26).** Bright color, tied by neat strike of blue "SOUTHERN LETTER UNPAID" two-line handstamp, matching "Louisville Ky. Jul. 10" (1861) double-circle datestamp and "DUE 3" handstamp on dark brown cover to Princeton N.J., stamp also tied by light "Morristown Ten. Jul. 6" circular datestamp, missing part of top flap and few edge flaws, stamp with few short perfs at right and inconsequential scissors cut at left

A FINE AND RARE EXAMPLE OF THE "SOUTHERN LETTER UNPAID" HANDSTAMP.

Special Routes Census No. SLU-21. With 1988 P.F. certificate. E. 7,500-10,000

FIRST DAY OF CONFEDERATE POSTAL SYSTEM



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- 530 ☒ **Pensacola Fla. Jun. 1 (1861) — First Day of the Confederate Postal System.** Bold circular datestamp struck partly off cover, “Paid” in circle and ms. “Pd” on buff cover to Cahaba Ala., part of top flap removed in opening
EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE JUNE 1, 1861, FIRST DAY OF THE CONFEDERATE POSTAL SYSTEM AND ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE FROM A FLORIDA POST OFFICE.
With 1986 P.F. certificate..... E. 2,000-3,000

HANDSTAMPED PAID AND DUE MARKINGS



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- 531 ☒ **Marion Ala. Feb. 27.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with matching “Paid” straightline and “10” in circle handstamps on **violet, green and brown wallpaper** cover to Louisburg N.C., receipt docketing and box charge notation at left, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 532 ☒ **Mobile Ala. Jun. 12, 1861.** Bold double-circle datestamp and boxed “Paid 5” handstamp on cover with **wholesale grocer’s all-over lithographed** design to Montgomery Ala., trivial edge nick at bottom, Very Fine and attractive usage..... E. 500-750
- 533 ☒ **Montgomery Ala. Jun. 19, 1862.** Circular datestamp and “Due 5” straightline on **Mounted Dragoon and Verse Patriotic** cover to Prattville Ala., soldier’s endorsement at top left, light water stains, otherwise Very Fine, scarce soldier’s due Patriotic, with 1994 P.F. certificate E. 400-500

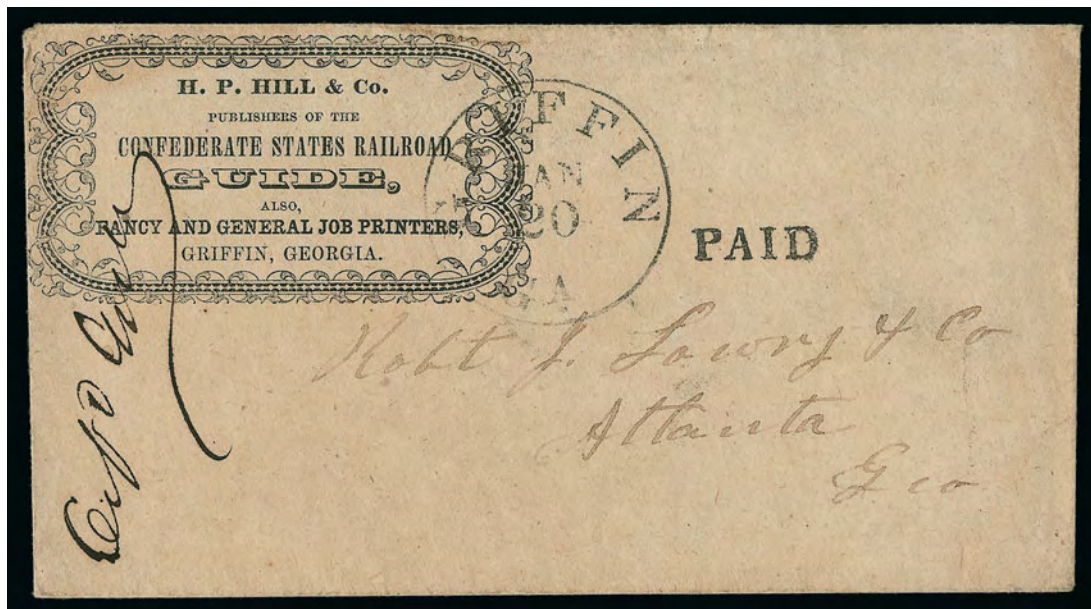


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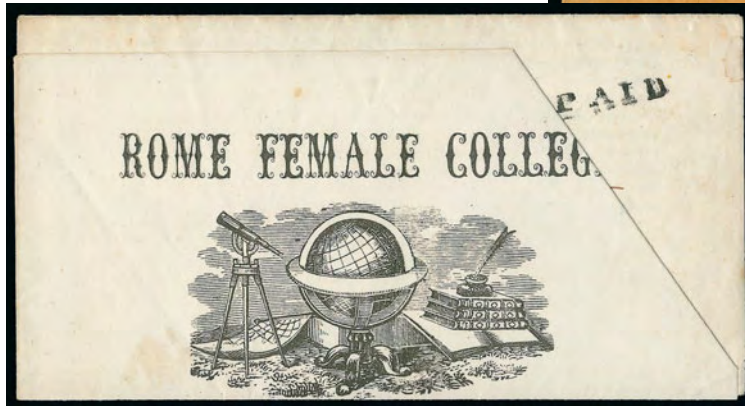
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- 534 ☒ **Fair Play Ark. Aug. 30 (1861).** Mostly clear strike of circular datestamp with day in blue pen, oval "Paid " handstamp and small "5" in same blue pen on three-page folded letter to Summerville Ala., interesting content related to war bonds and the scarcity of 5c for postage, file fold, Very Fine and rare, this is a newly-discovered town marking that will be listed in the forthcoming *Confederate States Catalogue* E. 300-400
- 535 ☒ **Paraclifta Ark. Mar. 18.** Circular datestamp with day and "Paid 10cts" in ms. on 1863 folded letter to Leaks Store Ark., Very Fine and scarce use between two small Arkansas towns, ex Hill and Agre E. 400-500
- 536 ☒ **Princeton Ark. Jan. 30.** Bold strike of **green** circular datestamp with matching "Paid" and "10" handstamps on cover to Carroll Hoy & Co. in New Orleans La., usual light filing holes, Very Fine and very rare, ex Emerson, Everett and Agre..... E. 500-750



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- 537 ☒ **Griffin Ga. Jan. 20. Paid.** Bold circular datestamp and handstamp on unsealed envelope paying the **2c** circular rate to Atlanta, fancy corner card at left for "**H. P. Hill & Co. Publishers of the Confederate States Railroad Guide, and Fancy and General Job Printers**", original 2pp circular with vignette of train, docketing at left
EXTREMELY FINE. A SPECTACULAR AND RARE 2-CENT CIRCULAR USE, CORNER CARD AND ADVERTISEMENT FOR THE H. P. HILL & CO. RAILROAD GUIDE.
The illustrated enclosure advertising the forthcoming guide states it will contain the "time-tables, connections and distances on all the railroads of the Confederate States; also the connecting lines of railroads, steamboats and stages", as well as a "complete guide to the principal hotels." Illustrated and discussed in Hubbell, p.33-34, where he called it "one of the greatest finds I ever made."**(Photo Ex)** E. 3,000-4,000



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- 538 ☒ **Kingston Ga. Oct. 24.** Neat circular datestamp struck in **brown-red** with matching “Paid” and “5” in circle handstamps on orange cover to Augusta Ga., box charge no. at top left, slightly reduced at top and missing top flap, trivial edgewear, otherwise Very Fine, this may be the only known example of the Kingston marking struck in this color and will be listed in the forthcoming *Confederate States Catalogue*, ex Agre, with 1994 C.S.A. certificate E. 150-200
- 539 ☒ **Rome Female College, Paid.** Printed circular dated Dec. 12, 1861 with illustrated scene of globe, telescope and academic books, addressed to Elijah Ga. with “Paid” handstamp for circular rate, corner folded over to reveal the “Paid” marking, Very Fine E. 300-400

KENTUCKY



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- 540 ☒ **Nashville Ten., Sep. 11, 1861.** Circular datestamp perfectly struck in blue with matching “Paid” and “10” handstamps on buff cover **originating in Confederate-occupied Columbus Kentucky and sent to C.S.A. Vice President Alexander Stephens in Richmond**, carried to Nashville where it entered the C.S.A. mails, back with ms. “John. G. Burch Columbus Ky., Sept 9th 1861 - Desires a change of position in the Army”, missing backflap as usual with Stephens covers, Extremely Fine, Kentucky proclaimed its policy of neutrality on May 20, 1861, but the pro-Confederate and pro-Union citizens within the state were wary of an invasion force throughout the summer months, with each side accusing the other of breaching neutrality, finally, to preempt a Federal occupation of Columbus, General Leonidas Polk ordered General Gideon Pillow to move on Sep. 3 on Hickman and Columbus E. 750-1,000
- 541 ☒ **Memphis Ten. Dec. 25, 1861.** Bold circular datestamp with yeardate inverted, ms. “Due 2c” on blue **commission merchant’s corner card cover from Hickman Ky.**, carried from Hickman and placed into mails at Memphis as a drop letter, small waterstain at bottom left, otherwise Very Fine, an extremely rare cover from Kentucky into the Confederate city of Memphis E. 1,500-2,000

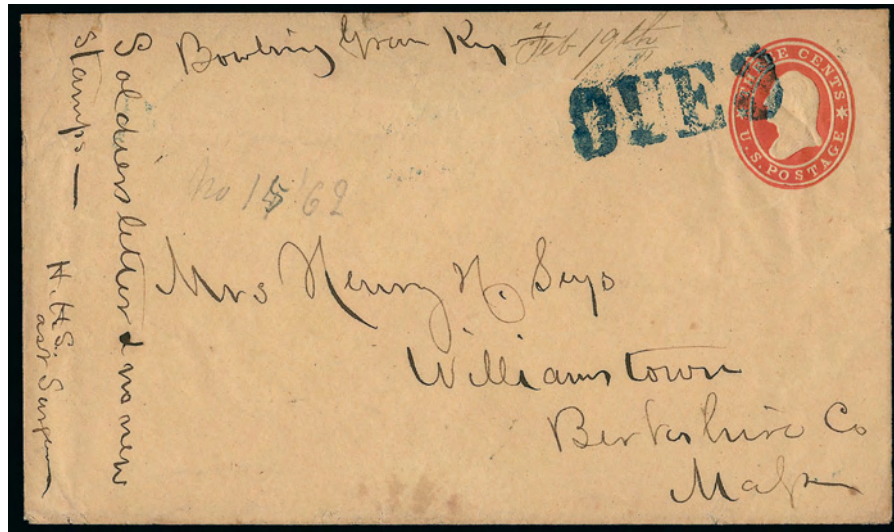


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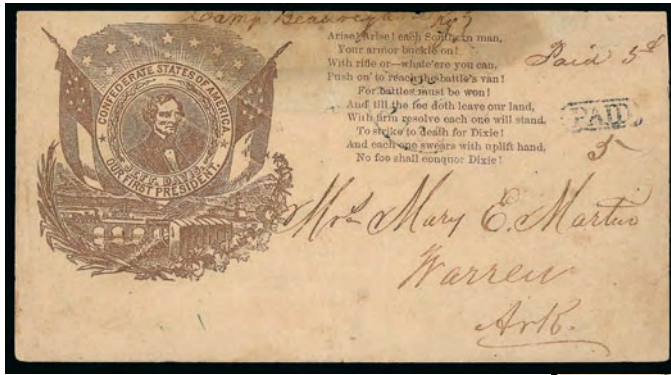
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- 542 ☒ **Bowling Green K.Y. Oct. 29 (1861).** Bold blue circular datestamp with inverted date, ms. "Due 10" with "10" changed to "5", on cover to Columbus Miss., soldier's endorsement at top "C.C. Malone, Co. K, 14th Miss. Regt." (Beauregard Rifles), with original letter (split in two) in which Malone writes of his company being reduced by sickness, very cold and in need of shoes, some minor edge toning, Very Fine use with original content from the Confederate post office at Bowling Green (occupied Sep. 18) E. 750-1,000
- 543 ☒ **Bowling Green Ky., Dec. 7 (1861).** Blue circular datestamp with black "Due 5" handstamp applied in Memphis en route and struck over ms. "Due 5" on orange cover to Osceola Ark., soldier's endorsement at top left, missing part of top flap, Very Fine usage during Confederate military occupation of Bowling Green, ex Boshwit E. 500-750



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- 544 ☒ **"Bowling Green Ky. Feb. 19th" (1862) — Earliest Reported Federal Use After Occupation.** Manuscript postmark on U.S. 3c Red Star Die entire to Williamstown Mass., endorsed "Soldiers letter & no new stamps — H.H.S. Ast Surgeon", obsolete embossed stamp cancelled by Louisville "DUE 3" straightline handstamp applied in transit, backflap removed, Very Fine, ex Schwartz, this is the earliest reported cover posted at Bowling Green after U.S. occupation, the Confederates evacuated completely by February 14, 1862, this was mailed just five days later..... E. 1,000-1,500



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- 545 ☒ **"Camp Beauregard Ky."** Ms. postmark with matching "Paid 5c" on brown **Jefferson Davis Medallion and Verse** patriotic cover to Warren Ark., light strike of "Columbus Ky." circular datestamp and "Paid" in oval handstamp, with ms. "5" rate, slightly reduced at top and missing top flap, some staining at top, otherwise Fine, ex Boshwit, mail from Camp Beauregard was brought to the nearby post office at Columbus..... E. 750-1,000
- 546 ☒ **Columbus Ky. Nov. 20? (1861).** Circular datestamp with matching "Paid" lozenge handstamp and ms. "20" on Capt. G.K. Miller correspondence cover to Equality S.C., pencil dating on back "Nov. 14th, 1861", some mended edges, otherwise Very Fine and scarce usage from Confederate Kentucky, the destination was over 500 miles so this represents a double rate cover E. 400-500



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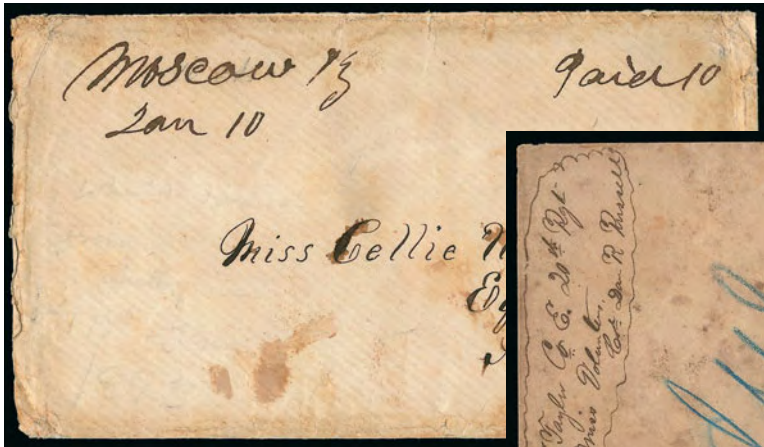
- 547 ☒ **Hickman Ky. Sep. 5, 1861.** Double-circle datestamp with manuscript "Pd 5" C.S.A. rate on small cover to Laconia Ark., pencil soldier's endorsement "John B. Abercrombie, Fourth Reg. Tenn. Vol.", rate overstruck "DUE 5" at Memphis, backflap partially removed and small mended nicks at top

THE EARLIEST RECORDED COVER FROM CONFEDERATE KENTUCKY, POSTMARKED JUST TWO DAYS AFTER THE SEPTEMBER 3, 1861, INVASION OF KENTUCKY BY THE CONFEDERATE ARMY.

Kentucky proclaimed its policy of neutrality on May 20, 1861, but the pro-Confederate and pro-Union citizens within the state were wary of an invasion force throughout the summer months, with each side accusing the other of breaching neutrality. Finally, to preempt a Federal occupation of Columbus, General Leonidas Polk ordered General Gideon Pillow to move on Hickman and Columbus; Pillow's troops entered Hickman on the morning of September 3. In response, General Ulysses S. Grant seized Paducah on September 6, and the Unionist movement in Kentucky gained momentum, ending neutrality.

This cover, postmarked at Hickman on September 5, is an extremely early Confederate occupation date. There is no record of an earlier postmark from any Confederate post office in Kentucky.

Ex Gallagher, Agre and Schwartz..... E. 1,000-1,500



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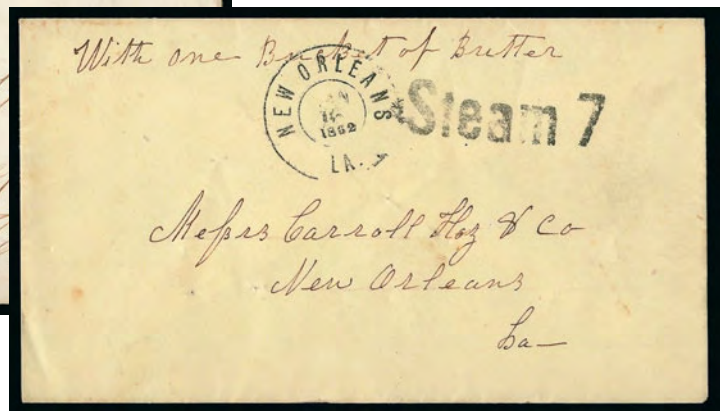
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- 548 ☒ **"Moscow Ky. Jan. 10" (1862).** Manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10" on Capt. G.K. Miller correspondence cover to Equality S.C., edge wear and staining, still Fine and scarce use from Confederate Kentucky and reported to be the only known example from Moscow..... E. 300-400
- 549 ☒ **Russellville Ky. Jan. 27 (1862).** Circular datestamp clearly struck on brown cover to Handeboro Miss., soldier's letter endorsement from member of 20th Regt. Miss. Vol., sender's directive "Via New Orleans La." — a circuitous route down the Memphis, Clarksville & Louisville R.R. and back up the Mississippi (Federal troops controlled the upper portion of the river) — two-line "DUE/10" handstamp applied at Memphis, blue crayon "Due 10", overall dampstaining but still Very Fine, a rare Confederate cover from Russellville, the site of the first Confederate convention of the provisional government of Kentucky, ex Gallagher..... E. 750-1,000

LOUISIANA



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- 550 ☒ **Bayou Goula La. 9 Dec.** Circular datestamp with date inverted, "Paid" in circle and re-rated with "10" handstamp struck over "5", on cover to Memphis Tenn., missing top flap and small edge tear into datestamp, otherwise Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 551 ☒ **New Orleans La. Jan. 16, 1862.** Double-circle datestamp and bold "Steam 7" straightline (5c postage plus 2c ship captain's fee), on fresh cover to Carroll Hoy & Co. at New Orleans, docketed "With one Bucket of Butter" at top, usual filing pinholes, Extremely Fine, scarce Mississippi River packetboat use, ex Weill..... E. 750-1,000



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- 552 ☒ **Shreveport La., Jul. 25, 1862.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with “Paid” and “10” handstamps on cover to South Sulphur Tex. with **blue 11-Star Confederate Flag, Cannon and Verse Patriotic** design, minor edge faults and edge staining, small piece of backflap missing, still Very Fine with all markings uncommonly clearly struck, a beautiful and rare Patriotic design of which only two are recorded, ex Skinner, unlisted in the current Dietz catalogue but will be listed in the forthcoming *Confederate States Catalogue* E. 1,500-2,000
- 553 ☒ **Tangipahoe La. Oct. 20.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with matching “Paid 5” handstamp on red and blue **11-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic** cover to Opelousas La., some soiling and wrinkling, missing top flap, still Fine and scarce E. 500-750



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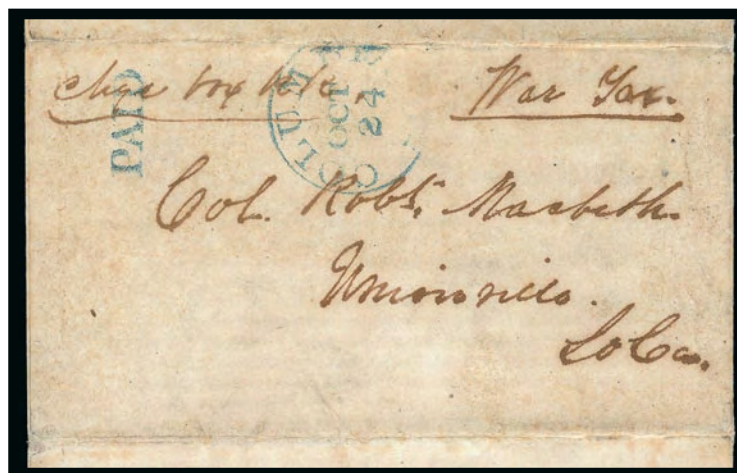


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- 554 ☒ **Holly Springs Miss. Dec. 19, 1861.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with “Paid” straight-line and ms. “5” on buff cover to New Orleans, fresh and Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 555 ☒ **Jackson Miss. Apr. 16 (1861).** Clear strike of circular datestamp with matching “5” in circle handstamp, soldier’s endorsement at top, on small neat red and blue **7-star Confederate Flag Patriotic** cover to Panola Miss., Extremely Fine, a beautiful soldier’s due Patriotic, ex Haas, signed Brian Green, with 1981 P.F. certificate E. 750-1,000
- 556 ☒ **Charleston S.C. Oct. 24, 1862.** Circular datestamp with matching “Paid 2” handstamp on **South Carolina Railroad corner card cover with illustrated train**, addressed locally, some minor wear, Very Fine, desirable and scarce combination of the corner card and drop use..... E. 750-1,000



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- 557 ☒ **Columbia S.C. Oct. 24 (1863).** Blue circular datestamp with matching “PAID” straightline on six-page “Confederate States of America Supplemental Instructions for Collectors and Assessors of Taxes” circular to Unionville S.C., endorsed “War Tax” at top right with charge box notation at top left, couple small stains, Very Fine, a rare and desirable 2c Confederate circular usage, featured in an article by Patricia Kaufmann in *The American Stamp Dealer & Collector* in April 2010 (article included) E. 750-1,000

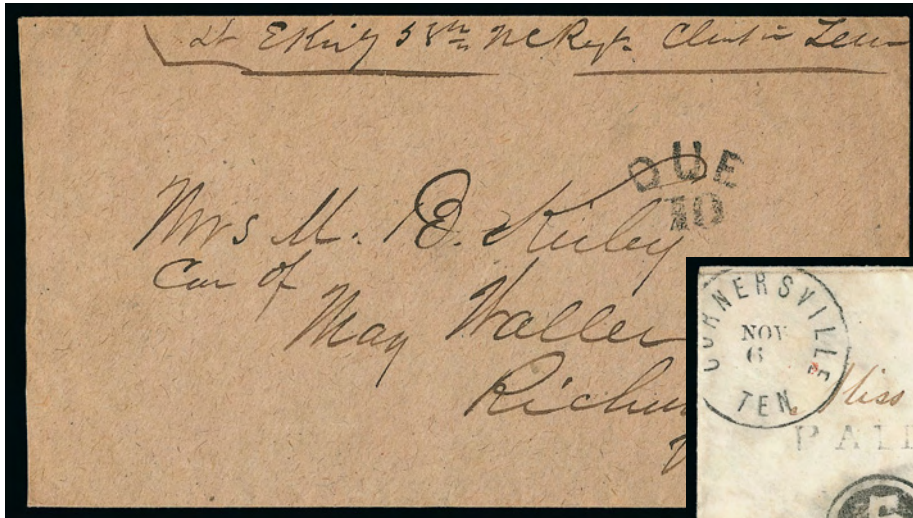


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- 558 ☒ **“Monticello S.C. Mar. 27th, 1861”.** Manuscript postmark with matching *Paid 3*” on small mourning cover to Greenville S.C., tiny tear at top and most of top flap missing, Very Fine small town Confederate manuscript “Paid” at the U.S. 3c rate E. 300-400
- 559 ☒ **Yorkville S.C. Jul. 28.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with ms. “Paid 10” on blue cover made from blank bank check to Fort Mill S.C., couple inconsequential age spots, Very Fine adversity use E. 200-300
- 560 ☒ **Chattanooga Ten. Dec. 9 (1863).** Partly clear strike of “roving” army field post circular datestamp, with matching “Due 10” handstamp on dark red, brown and violet wallpaper cover to Washington Ga., soldier’s endorsement by Private John McCorkle at bottom left, opened for display, Very Fine, ex Boshwit, the “roving” Chattanooga datestamp was taken from the city post office after evacuation and used as an army field office marking from Sep. 1863 to Jan. 1864, Private McCorkle was captured by U.S. forces at Nashville in Dec. 1864 and died of pneumonia at Camp Douglas in Feb. 1865 E. 500-750



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- 561 ☒ **Clinton Tenn. Apr. 28, 1863.** Manuscript "Lt. E. Kirby 58th N.C. Regt. Clinton Tenn." at top of fresh brown unsealed cover to "Mrs. M.B. Kirby, care of Maj. Waller A.Q.M. in Richmond", "Due 10" two-line handstamp, letter which no longer accompanies was dated Apr. 28, 1863, fresh and Extremely Fine soldier's due cover, accompanied by lengthy information on 58th N.C. Regt. including the report of Kirby's death at the Battle of Chickamauga in Sep. 1863 E. 300-400
- 562 ☒ **Cornersville Ten. Nov. 6.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with "Paid" straightline and bold **fancy negative "5" in circle** handstamp on tiny cover to Petersburg Tenn., light soiling and slight smudging of handstamp, Very Fine strike and extremely rare, only two examples of this fancy "5" are recorded, the other struck twice for 10c rate. E. 500-750



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- 563 ☒ **Jackson Ten. Jul. 2 (1861).** Neat circular datestamp with matching "Paid" in arc handstamp and pencil "10" for double rate on red and blue **7-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic cover** to Nashville Tenn., some light soiling and wear, small piece of backflap missing
VERY FINE APPEARING CONFEDERATE PATRIOTIC COVER USED ON THE DAY TENNESSEE WAS ADMITTED TO THE CONFEDERACY.
 Tennessee passed ordinances of secession on May 6, 1861 and was admitted as a Confederate state on July 2, 1861. Nashville was occupied by Federal troops beginning in February 1862, so while there is no year date on this cover it must be an 1861 usage.
 Ex Gallagher and Boshwit..... E. 1,500-2,000



- 564 ☒ **Kingsport Ten. Apr. 20, 1863.** Well-struck circular datestamp in red with “0” of “20”, year and extra “N” in ms., “Paid 10” in ms., on cover to Wytheville Va., answer docketing on front, Very Fine E. 300-400
- 565 ☒ **Memphis Ten. Nov. 14, 1861.** Clearly struck circular datestamp with matching “Due 5” handstamp on cover to Macon Miss., ms. soldier’s endorsement at top, slightly reduced at left and some edgewear, still Very Fine, ex Boshwit, this correspondence originates in western Kentucky, this cover was brought to Memphis by private courier where it entered the mails E. 200-300



- 566 ☒ **“Richland Sta. Ten. June 26”.** Manuscript 1861 postmark and matching “Paid 5” on **11-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic** cover to Stewarts Ferry Tenn., additional ms. “Lebanon Greys” written within flag design, original four-page enclosure datelined “Camp Trousdale June 26th 1861”, trivial toning, still Very Fine and rare Tennessee patriotic, signed Brian Green, the “Lebanon Greys” became Company H of the 7th Tennessee Infantry Regiment, Camp Trousdale was a staging and training area for Tennessee Confederate troops from June to Nov. 1861 E. 1,500-2,000



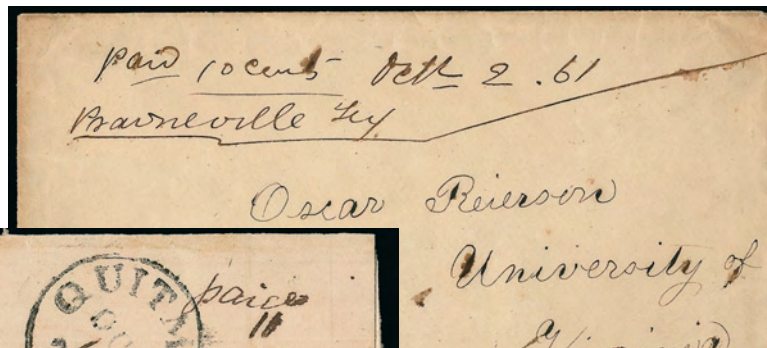
- 567 ☒ **Alto Tex. May 23.** Circular datestamp with day in ms. on cover to Cameron Tex., soldier's endorsement at top and ms. "Due 5" below, foxing and couple small tears, otherwise Fine, scarce town marking..... E. 200-300
- 568 ☒ **Anderson Tex. Jan. 23.** Boldly struck circular datestamp on **adversity cover** made from ship freight bill at Port of Galveston Tex., to military address at Galveston, ms. "Paid 10" and box charge no., very slight toning around edges, Extremely Fine strike E. 300-400
- 569 ☒ **Belton Tex. Nov. 15.** Circular datestamp with bold matching "Paid" and "10" handstamps on folded cover to San Antonio Tex., 1864 docketing inside, horizontal crease, Very Fine strikes..... E. 200-300
- 570 ☒ **Clinton Tex. Oct. 18.** Clear strike of woodcut circular datestamp with matching "Paid 10" in circle, on small 1863 folded letter to Brownsville Tex., letter datelined "Concrete Tex. Oct. 16th, 1863", some edge splitting, Very Fine and scarce, choice example of this handstamped Paid, ex Kohn..... E. 400-500
- 571 ☒ **"Gulf Prairie Texas, Feb. 29, 1864".** Ms. postmark with "Due 10c" on yellow attorney corner card cover to Fairfield Tex., soldier's endorsement at top, Very Fine, signed Brian Green..... E. 200-300
- 572 ☒ **Honey Grove Texas. Nov. 13.** Clear strike of red circular datestamp with day in manuscript, matching "Paid" straightline and "10" in circle handstamps, on 1862 cover to Greenville S.C., docketing at left, top flap tear and some light soiling, otherwise Very Fine and extremely rare, this is the only example we have encountered and may well be unique..... E. 400-500
- 573 **Houston Tex.** Partly struck circular datestamp on Feb. 5, 1864 issue of **Tri-Weekly Telegraph newspaper**, unaddressed, slight edge wear, Fine and rare example of the one-cent newspaper rate E. 150-200



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- 574 ☒ **"Panna Maria (Texas) Novbr 30/63"**. Manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10c" on 1863 cover to San Antonio, with brown red corner card depicting **detailed illustration of men herding cattle and sheep**, "Island's Rancho, Helena, Texas," imprint below (first three words deleted by same blue pen as address), small repair to bottom of top flap, Very Fine, a gorgeous and rare illustrated cover with a small Texas town postmark, from our 1984 and 1988 Rarities sales, Panna Maria is the oldest Polish settlement in the U.S. and was regarded as a Union-sympathizing community during the Civil War..... E. 1,500-2,000

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- 575 ☒ **"Prairieville Tex. Oct. 2, '61"**. Manuscript postmark and "Paid 10 Cents" on cover to the University of Virginia, some backflap staining, Very Fine 10c rate for over 500 miles E. 200-300
- 576 ☒ **Quitman Tex. Oct. 17**. Bold strike of circular datestamp with manuscript day and "Paid 10" overlapping the datestamp, on folded letter to Nacogdoches Tex., letter datelined, "Quitman Texas, Oct. 12, 1864", some edge splitting, Very Fine and scarce..... E. 300-400
- 577 ☒ **San Antonio Tex. Nov. 4**. Blue circular datestamp with red "Paid 5" handstamp on 1861 orange cover addressed to "Fort Mason via Fredericksburg", answer docketing at left, minor soiling, Very Fine, back with historical notes on the soldiers addressed on the cover..... E. 300-400

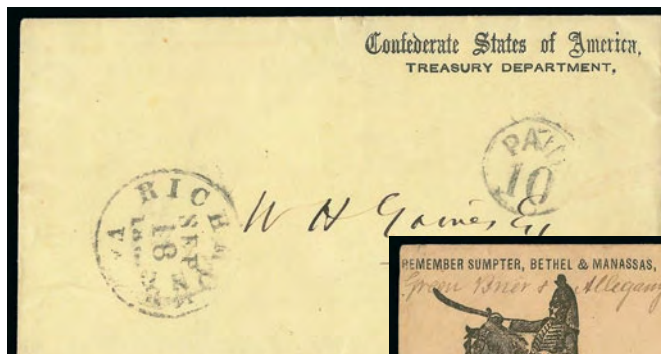


- 578 ☒ **Seguin *Texas* June 21.** Circular datestamp with stars and the month spelled out, matching "Paid" handstamp on 1863 folded cover to Brownsville Tex., Very Fine, ex Kohn..... E. 200-300
- 579 ☒ **Tyler Tex. Jul. 26.** Well-struck circular datestamp with matching "Paid" handstamp and pencil "10" rate on blue folded cover to Nacagdoches Tex. from the Starr correspondence, box charge number at top, 1863 docketing on back, light vertical file fold, Very Fine and scarce, ex Hill and Weill Brothers, Starr was appointed the Agent for the Trans-Mississippi Department in Feb. 1864 and has been the subject of extensive new archival research by Vince King..... E. 500-750
- 580 ☒ **Wharton Tex. June 1.** Clear circular datestamp with "Paid" handstamp and "5" in circle on amber cover to Columbia Tex., ms. "4" at top in same hand as address and may have been used to number the letters, top right corner flaw and tear on back, still Fine and rare, unlisted in Dietz, a 10c example was in the Camina collection E. 200-300
- 581 ☒ **York Town Tex. Mar. 1 (1863).** Bold strike of circular datestamp with ms. "Paid 5ct" on folded cover to Austin Tex., original letter written in German enclosed, cover with reinforcements along folds, some light staining, Very Fine strike, this is a newly-recorded town marking and will be listed in the forthcoming *Confederate States Catalogue*, includes biographical information on the addressee E. 200-300
- 582 ☒ **Petersburg Va. Jun 6.** Blue circular datestamp with matching "Due" and "10" handstamps on 1862 soldier's wallpaper cover to Griffin Ga., endorsed at top "Pr. C. M. McLaurin Co. D, 2nd Geo. Battery, Drewery's Bluff Va.", bottom flap folded up for display, typical cover faults, still Fine and scarce soldier's due wallpaper cover, McLaurin died of acute dysentery at Chimbarazo Hospital in Richmond in Dec. 1862 E. 300-400
- 583 ☒ **"Pruntys Va. 18 July 1862".** Manuscript postmark with matching "Free J.W. Carter PM" on buff cover to C.Y. Thomas in Richmond Va., docketing at top and on back, Very Fine, this was an illegal postmaster free frank, only official Post Office Department correspondence was allowed to be sent free E. 200-300



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- 584 ☒ **Richmond Va. Sep. 15, 1862.** Circular datestamp and "Due 10" straightline handstamp on pale green lithographed **captured Union Patriotic** cover, soldier's endorsement at top, note on back "20 miles in Mariland September the 8th 1862", sent from Confederate camp near Frederick City Md., postmarked at Richmond two days before Antietam, Very Fine, a rare Confederate soldier's due use of a captured Union Patriotic, particularly desirable with such a beautiful design, ex Walske E. 2,000-3,000



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- 585 ☒ **Richmond Va., Sep. 18, 186(?)**. Circular datestamp with matching "Paid 10" in circle on **Confederate States of America, Treasury Department** imprint cover to Gaines Landing Ark., backflap tear from opening, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 586 ☒ **Richmond Va. Jun. 2 (ca. 1863)**. Clear strike of circular datestamp with matching "Paid 10" in circle handstamp on cover to Union Va., Very Fine E. 150-200
- 587 ☒ **Travellers Repose Va. Jan. 31**. Manuscript postmark with "Due 10" on 1862 soldier's cover to Americus Ga. with **Mounted Dragoon, Sword, Verse** and **"Forti et Fideli nil Difficile"** Slogan (Nothing is difficult to the brave and faithful), "to arms! to arms!" verses at top and "Remember Sumpter, Bethel & Manassas" with ms. "Greenbrier & Allegheny" added below, soldier's endorsement by James E. Rylander of the 12th Ga. Infantry, some light wear and slightly reduced at right barely into the "0" of "10", still Very Fine, a scarce design made more desirable by the soldier usage, Rylander was killed at Cold Harbor in 1864..... E. 750-1,000



- 588 ☒ **Winchester Va. Oct. 26.** Circular datestamp with “Due” and “10” handstamps on red **Gen. Beauregard Patriotic** cover to Palmetto Ga., soldier’s endorsement at bottom left, cleaned and repaired at top right affecting circular datestamp, still Fine, scarce soldier’s due Confederate patriotic, ex Agre, with 1991 C.S.A. certificate E. 400-500
- 589 ☒ **Winchester Va. Oct. 1862.** Two covers, first bold “Winchester Va. Oct. 3” double-circle datestamp with “Due” and “10” in circle handstamps on bluish cover to Glenn Springs S.C., second with “Winchester Va. Oct. 12” circular datestamp with “Due” and “10” handstamps on bluish cover to Glenn Springs S.C., both with endorsement of Capt. Winsmith of 1st S.C. Vol., Extremely Fine, ex Walske.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 400-500
- 590 ☒ **Charlestown [West] Va. 29 Aug.** Perfect strike of circular datestamp with date in ms., “Paid” and “5” handstamps on 1861 orange cover to to Mrs. E.G. Lee in Lexington Va., wax seal on back, slightly reduced at right but markings unaffected, Very Fine strike of this West Virginia town marking, the sender was Edwin Gray Lee, who early in the war would serve as an aid to Thomas J. “Stonewall” Jackson and would rise to the rank of General, ex Peters, MacBride, Hart and Oswald E. 300-400
- 591 ☒ **Lewisburgh (West) Va. Nov. 26 (1861).** Clear strike of circular datestamp with bold “Paid 5” handstamp (altered from U.S. “3” handstamp), on buff cover to Three Springs P.O. Washington, small erosion spot does not affect the markings, Very Fine, a scarce up-rated handstamped “Paid” from West Virginia, ex Thayer E. 400-500
- 592 ☒ **White Sulphur Springs (West) Va. Oct. 21.** Circular datestamp on unrated cover to Meadows of Dan Va., endorsed at top “Wm. Smith Floyd’s Brigade, Fiftieth Va. Regiment. Co. K.”, some edge staining and wear, otherwise Fine Confederate use from West Virginia E. 200-300
- 593 ☒ **Handstamped Paid Markings.** 25 covers, range of towns with both 5c and 10c rates, incl. beautiful group of Alexandria Va. covers in red, a number of Louisiana covers incl. Mansfield, Minden, Laurel Hill, Baton Rough, Clinton, Thibodeaux and others, also S.C., Miss. and Ga., markings for the most part are clearly struck, some faults to be expected but overall a Fine and worthwhile group.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 1,500-2,000

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SESSION TWO (LOTS 594-831)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15, 2011, AT 1:30 P.M.

CONFEDERATE POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS

- 594 **Madison Court House Fla., 3c Gold on Bluish (3AX1).** Margins completely clear all around, fresh golden-bronze color, neat ms. "(P)aid in (Money)" cancel applied by Postmaster Samuel J. Perry, thin spot at top and small indentation to right of "Cents"

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. ONE OF ONLY SIX RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE MADISON COURT HOUSE POSTMASTER'S 3-CENT PROVISIONAL, AND THE STAMP THAT DEFINITELY LINKED THE MADISON PROVISIONAL TO ITS POSTMASTER, SAMUEL J. PERRY.

The Madison Court House Provisional was the subject of a definitive article by Patricia A. Kaufmann in the *American Philatelist* and the *Confederate Philatelist* (the article, with updates, can be viewed at <http://www.webuystamps.com/madison.htm>). The Madison Provisional is one of six stamps that the Scott Catalogue now lists separately as "3c 1861 Postmasters' Provisionals". They are distinct from the 5c and 10c Confederate Provisionals in that the postmasters who issued the stamps were still technically under the control of the U.S. Post Office Department, and were remitting postal receipts to the Department (and were avoiding ordering new U.S. stamps in anticipation of a final change in administrative control of their offices). The 1861 Provisionals are all 3c adhesives or handstamps, reflecting the then-current U.S. letter rate.



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This example of the Madison Court House stamp was instrumental in Kaufmann's efforts to have the stamps be declared genuine and listed separately from the 5c and 10c Provisionals. It bears the handwriting of Madison Court House Postmaster Samuel J. Perry. The portion of "(P)aid in (Money)" that appears on this stamp was compared to archival samples of Perry's handwriting by experts and determined to match. In a letter to J.W. Scott, reprinted in an 1872 issue of *The American Journal of Philately*, Perry specifically states that letters franked with his stamp had "Paid in Money" applied to them.

Only five off-cover examples of Scott 3AX1 are recorded, including the unique "CNETS" error, and only one on-cover example is recorded. This is the only example known with the "Paid in Money" cancel. There is also a unique Madison 5c Provisional press-printed entire, listed in the regular C.S.A. Provisional section (137XU1).

Ex Ferrary and Moody. "W.H.C." (Warren H. Colson) backstamp 12,500.00



595

- 595 ☒ **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Type II, margins to slightly in, beautiful dark shade and perfect impression showing all of the slips of the woodcutter's tool (most prominent in "P.M."), tied by grid on small cover to Richmond Va. and forwarded to Yorktown Va., light strike of "Athens Ga. Oct. 23 Paid" (1861) circular datestamp, "5" and "Paid" handstamps at upper right — apparently rated 5c at Athens, then uprated to 10c for distance over 500 miles — embossed seal on flap, few faint toned spots, barely reduced at top, Very Fine, a remarkable combination use of the Athens adhesive provisional and handstamped Paid, ex Wiseman, signed Ashbrook, with 2008 C.S.A. certificate..... 2,500.00



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- 596 ☒ **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Horizontal pair, left stamp Type I, right stamp Type II, huge margins to just in at lower right, cancelled by light strikes of grid, "Athens Ga. Oct. 25 Paid" (1861) circular datestamp on cover to Yorktown Va., few faint toned spots, slightly reduced at right and small mended nick in cover at right

VERY FINE APPEARING DOUBLE-RATE FRANKING WITH THE ATHENS PROVISIONAL. THIS TYPE I-II COMBINATION REFLECTS THE TWO-SUBJECT WOODCUT ENGRAVING.

Fewer than 20 pairs of the Athens 5c Purple provisional on cover are known. With 1980 C.S.A. certificate..... 5,500.00

- 597 (★) **Baton Rouge La., 2c Green (11X1).** Unused (no gum), full margins to just touched, bright color, sealed diagonal tear at left touches the word "Baton"

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT BATON ROUGE POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL.

Only four unused examples of the Baton Rouge 2c provisional are recorded, including one with the "McCormick" error (11X1a). None is sound.

Ex Ferrary (with his purple trefoil mark on back) 8,000.00



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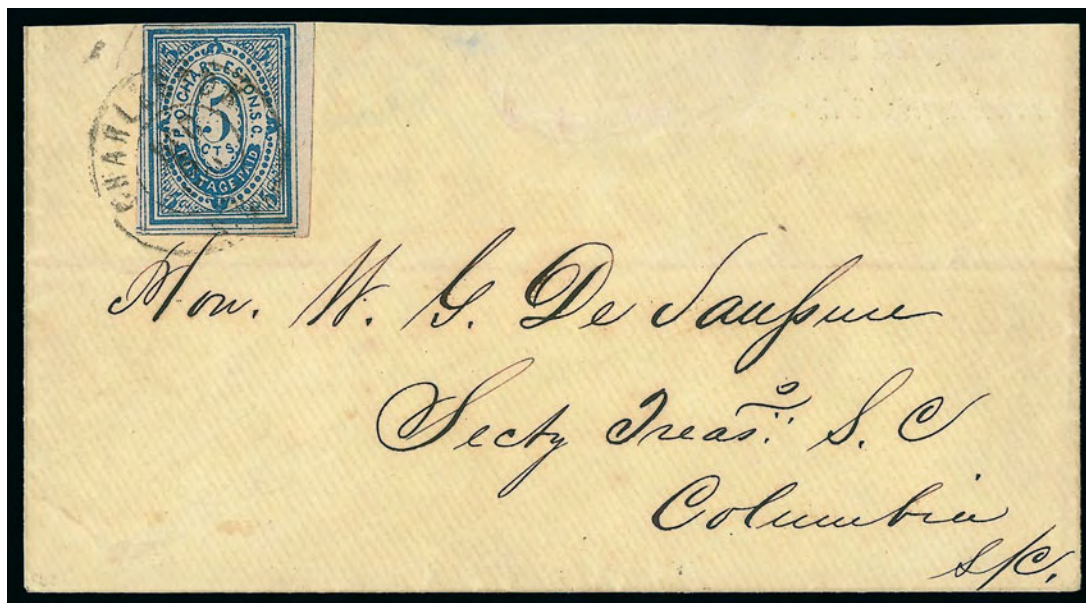
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- 598 **Baton Rouge La., 5c Green & Carmine (11X2).** Full margins three sides, just clear at bottom, neat part strike of Baton Rouge circular datestamp, couple tiny thin specks and small corner repair at bottom right adding two corner triangles portion of design, Very Fine appearance 1,400.00



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- 599 E **Charleston S.C., 2c Brown, 10c Blue Green, Essays on Wove (Dietz E-11-E12).** Large even margins, fresh colors, both with trivial thin spots, the 2c and 10c Charleston "Essays" are very rare, each with 1988 P.F. certificate E. 2,000-3,000



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- 600 ☒ **Charleston S.C., 5c Blue (16X1).** Large to huge margins three sides showing full frame-lines and portion of adjoining stamp at bottom, top left just touching frameline, tied by lightly struck "Charleston S.C. Dec. 5, 1861" circular datestamp on cover addressed to Hon. W. G. De Saussure, Secretary Treasurer of South Carolina at Columbia S.C., light horizontal fold clear of stamp, backflap removed and expert repair top center, Extremely Fine stamp on an attractive cover, with 1990 C.S.A. certificate, Lieutenant Colonel Wilmot Gibbs DeSaussure (1822-1886) of the 1st Artillery Regiment of the South Carolina Militia, which was later absorbed into the Army of the Confederate States of America, commanded Fort Moultrie on Sullivan's Island, December 1860-January 1861, and artillery at Morris Island, March-April 1861, in the harbor of Charleston, S.C. 2,500.00



601

- 601 ☒ **Charleston S.C., 5c Blue entire (16XU1).** Bold "Charleston S.C. Sep. 14, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Flat Rock N.C., expert repaired tears top left corner and at top barely into datestamp, Extremely Fine appearance, a remarkably fresh and attractive example of this rare press-printed provisional entire..... 4,000.00

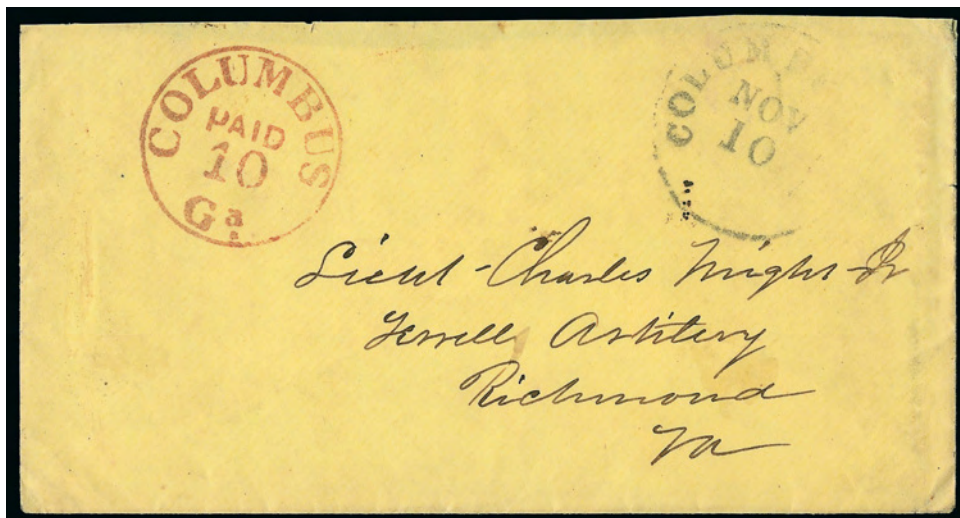


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- 602 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue entire (18XU1).** Clear strike with blue "Paid" and "Columbia S.C. 4 Dec." circular datestamp on cover to Charleston S.C., horizontal file fold thru datestamp and top flap tear, otherwise Very Fine..... 900.00
- 603 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue entire, Seal on Back (18XU4a).** Remarkably clear strike of oval provisional handstamp on side backflap, "Paid" in circle and "5" rate handstamp with matching bold "Columbia S.C. Jul. 26" (1861) circular datestamp on yellow cover to Chester S.C., flap folded out, stains expertly removed, Extremely Fine appearance..... 1,250.00



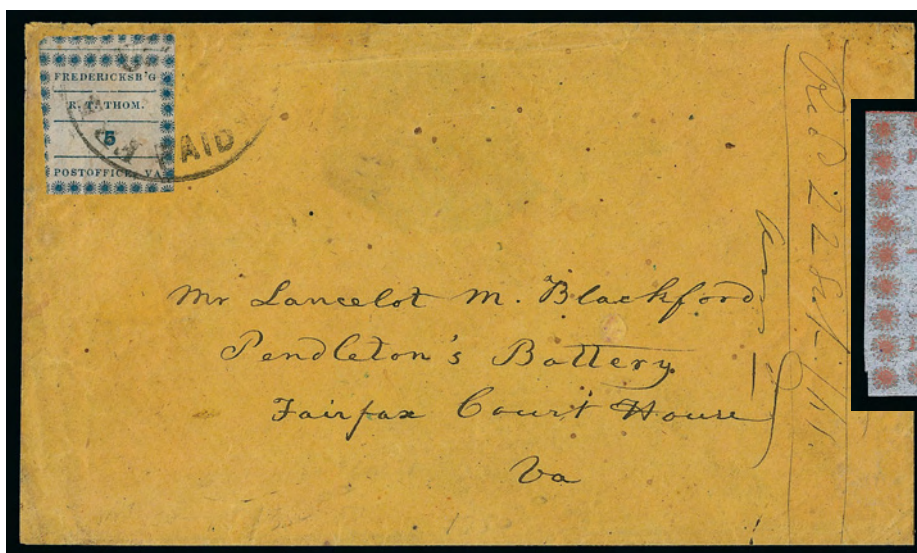
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- 604 ☒ **Columbus Ga., 10c Red entire (19XU2).** Bold strike of red provisional handstamp, partly clear "Columbus Ga. Nov. 10" circular datestamp on yellow cover to Terrill Artillery, Richmond Va., backflap removed, slightly reduced at top

VERY FINE. AMONG THE FINEST OF THE KNOWN EXAMPLES OF THE 10-CENT COLUMBUS PROVISIONAL AND THE LATEST LISTED IN THE CROWN CENSUS.

The Crown census lists five examples of the 10c Columbus. While there are a few known outside the census, there are probably fewer than ten total in existence

Ex Kilbourne 2,250.00



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- 605 ☒ **Fredericksburg Va., 5c Blue on Thin Bluish (26X1).** Position 10, huge top margin showing nearly full bottom ornaments from stamp above, margins touching other sides to in at left, tied by light strike of "Fredericksburg Va. Paid" (date unclear) circular datestamp on buff cover to Pendleton's Battery at Fairfax C.H., small piece of top flap removed and some small sealed tears at top

FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT FREDERICKSBURG POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL ISSUE ON COVER.

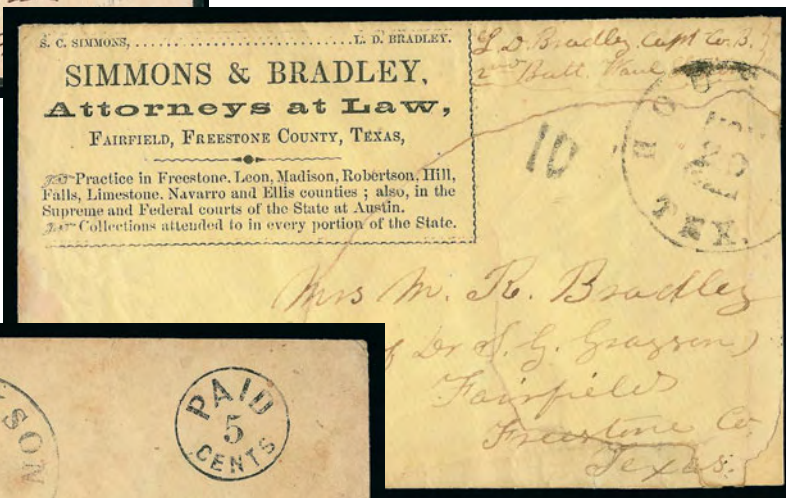
With 1990 C.S.A certificate 5,000.00

- 606 ★ **Fredericksburg Va., 10c Red on Thin Bluish (26X2).** Original gum, **sheet margin at right**, full margins other sides to touching at top, deep rich color, slight paper wrinkling as usual and tiny thin speck, otherwise Very Fine 1,250.00

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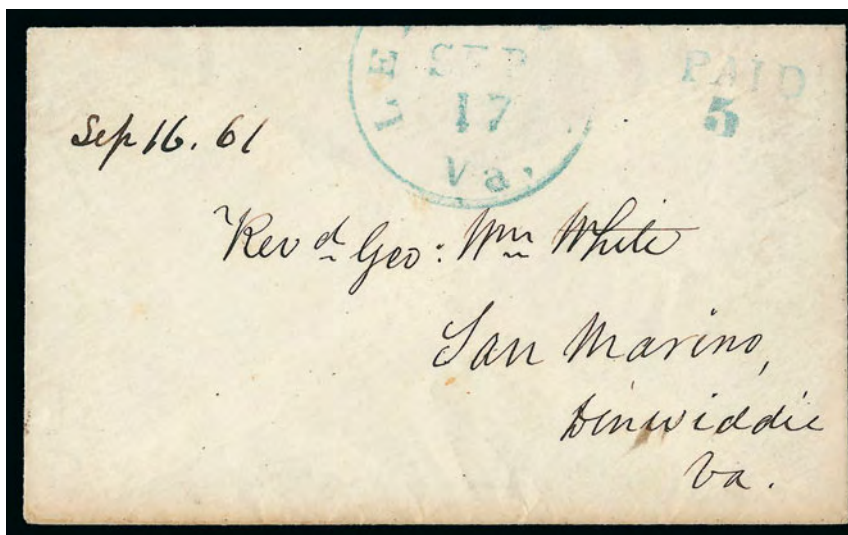
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- 607 ☒ **Galveston Tex., 10c Black entire (98XU3).** Clear strike of handstamped provisional and mostly readable “Galveston Tex. Sep. ?” double-circle datestamp on cover to Columbus Tex., Fine and rare, ex Kaplan, only two are recorded in the Crown survey though more exist — probably fewer than ten in total 2,400.00
- 608 ☒ **Houston Tex., 10c Red entire (40XU2).** Provisional handstamp struck at left on mourning cover to Columbia Tex., from the Adriance correspondence, partly struck Houston Tex. circular datestamp, top flap opening tear just extends into front, still Very Fine, perhaps a half dozen examples are known, ex Kaplan 1,500.00
- 609 ☒ **Houston Tex., 10c Black entire (40XU3).** Clear strike at right on light yellow **attorney’s corner card** cover to Fairfield Tex., soldier’s endorsement at upper right, reduced at right, significant repaired tears, still Fine appearance and scarce 2,250.00
- 610 ☒ **Jackson Miss., 5c Black entire (43XU1).** Bold strike of provisional marking with “Jackson Miss. Jul. 27” circular datestamp on buff cover to Pleasant Springs Miss., some minor soiling, otherwise Very Fine, ex Skinner 750.00



611

- 611 ☒ **Knoxville Tenn., 5c Brick Red on Grayish Laid (47X1).** Full margins to just in at right, tied by "Knoxville Ten. 4 Feb." double-circle datestamp on small pink-lined cover to Lyon's Store Tenn., 1862 docketing in pencil at top, cover with sealed tear at top center and cleaned, stamp lifted and reaffixed, Very Fine appearance, rare tied by the circular datestamp, perhaps ten exist with the stamp tied in this manner, ex Kimmel and Hill..... 7,000.00



612



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- 612 ☒ **Lexington, Va., 5c Blue, entire (135XU1).** Clear strike of blue "Paid 5" in circle hand-stamp with matching "Lexington Va. Sep. 17" datestamp on cover to San Marino Va., fresh and Very Fine, signed Brian Green..... E. 300-400
- 613 **Lynchburg Va., 5c Blue (52X1).** Clear margins to touching at left, fresh color, neat strike of Lynchburg circular datestamp at left leaves design perfectly clear, Very Fine 1,350.00

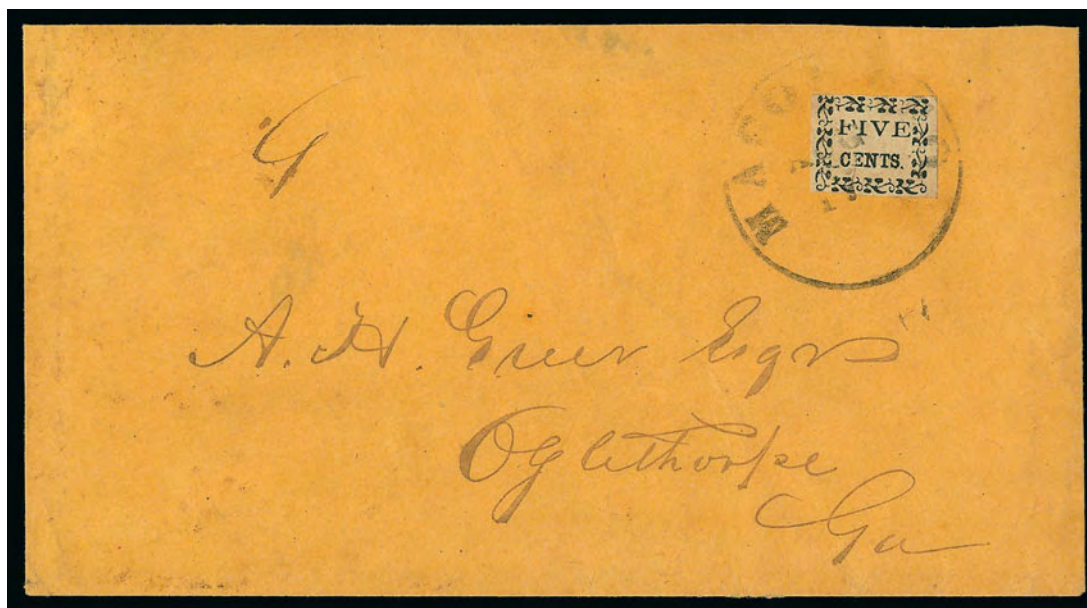


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- 614 ☒ **Lynchburg Va., 5c Blue (52X1).** Full margins at top and left, just touched at upper right and bottom, uncanceled, "Lynchburg Va. Sep. 23" (1861) circular datestamp on folded bank notice to Charlottesville Va., stamp with small tear at top

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE LYNCHBURG POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL USED ON COVER.

With 1992 Brian Green certificate 5,000.00



615

- 615 ☒ **Macon Ga., 5c Black on Yellow Wove (53X3).** Full to large margins, tied by large "Macon Geo. Aug. 17" (1861) circular datestamp on buff cover to Oglethorpe Ga., missing top flap

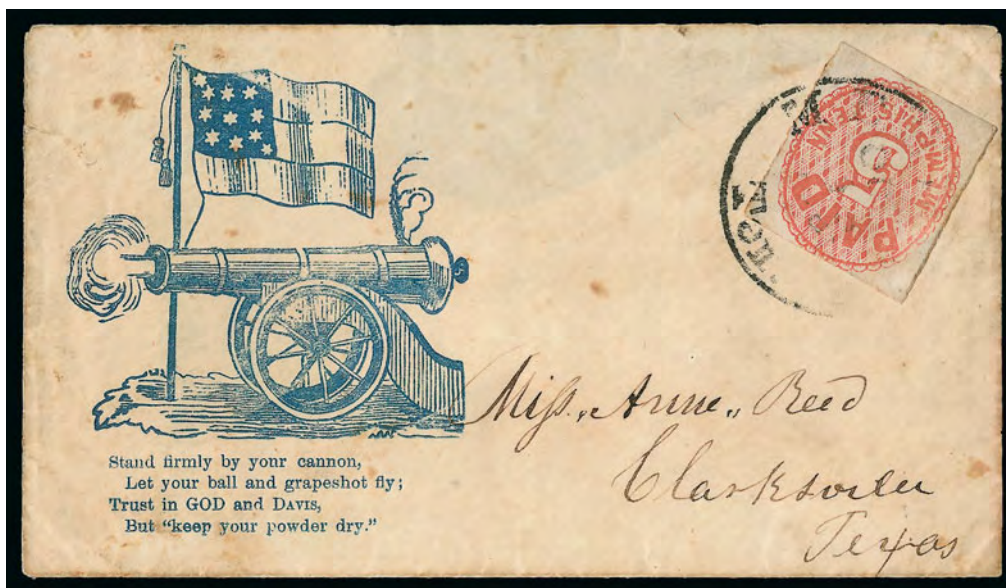
EXTREMELY FINE. A CHOICE AND FRESH MACON PROVISIONAL STAMP TIED ON COVER.

The use of this large Macon circular datestamp to tie the provisional is less frequently seen than the double-circle datestamp. Ex Ballard 6,500.00



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- 616 (★)田 **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2)**. Positions 31-33/41-43, horizontal block of six, unused (no gum), irregular but large margins incl. **bottom left corner sheet margins**, bright color, few faults incl. creases and toned spots, otherwise Very Fine, attractive position multiple, ex Boshwit..... 1,340.00



617

- 617 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2)**. Large margins three sides, touching at top, tied by "Memphis Ten." (date unclear) circular datestamp on cover to Clarksville Tex. with **blue 12-Star Confederate Flag, Cannon and Verse Patriotic** design, most of top flap missing and tear at left edge, scattered toning spots
 VERY FINE. A COLORFUL AND RARE USE OF THE MEMPHIS PROVISIONAL ON A PATRIOTIC COVER.
 With 1989 P.F. certificate..... 5,000.00



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- 618 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Horizontal pair, margins to slightly in, tied by bold strike of “Memphis Ten. Aug. ?” circular datestamp on **U.S. 3c Red Nesbitt entire (U9)** to Brig. Gen. Ruggles at Fredericksburg Va., stamps with small tears, cover with some edgewear

FINE. A RARE AND STRIKING USE OF THE MEMPHIS 5-CENT PROVISIONAL ON A DEMONETIZED UNITED STATES NESBITT ENTIRE. IDEALLY SUITED FOR EXHIBITION.

Ex Boshwit. Scott Retail as pair on normal cover \$3,500.00 E. 1,500-2,000



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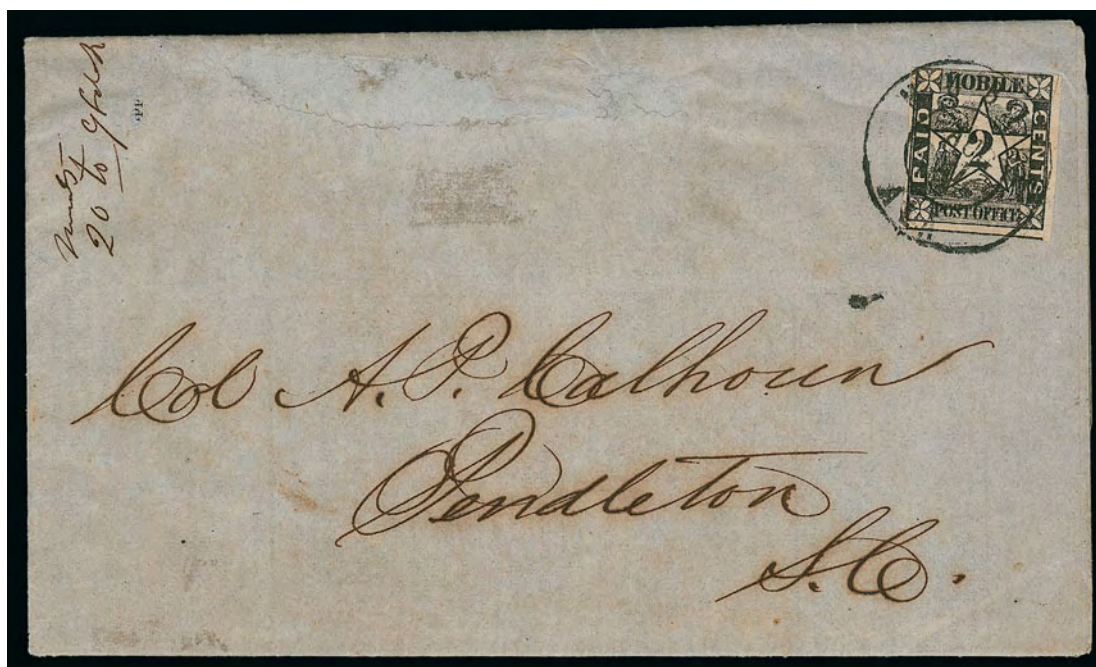
- 619 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Two, slightly overlapping, large margins to just in at left of left stamp, tied by “Memphis Ten. Jul. 28 1861” circular datestamp on cover to C.S.A. Vice President Alexander Stephens in Richmond, docketing on back indicates letter was sent by president of Memphis Chamber of Commerce in relation to Confederate finances, left stamp light vertical crease, some light cover staining and minor edge wear, Fine, a scarce multiple-rate use, ex Kaplan, with 1961 Raynor Hubble certificate, Scott Retail for single on-cover and single off-cover..... 1,940.00

- 620 ☒ **Milledgeville Ga., 10c on 5c Black entire (57XU1b).** Clear strike of “Paid 5c” provisional marking at right overstruck twice with “10”, one darker and slightly displaced from the other, light “Milledgeville Ga.” handstamp at left and “Milledgeville Ga. Dec. ? 5” circular datestamp on **druggist’s all-over advertising cover** to C.S.A. Vice President Alexander Stephens in Richmond, usual docketing on back related to an application for a quartermaster position, Very Fine and scarce, ex MacBride and Hart, listed in Crown census on p. 624, accompanied by 1945 letter to MacBride from August Dietz about the cover 1,000.00

- 621 **Mobile Ala., 2c Black (58X1).** Three large margins to just clear at right, bold Mobile double-circle datestamp, tiny margin tear at right, appears Very Fine.. 1,100.00



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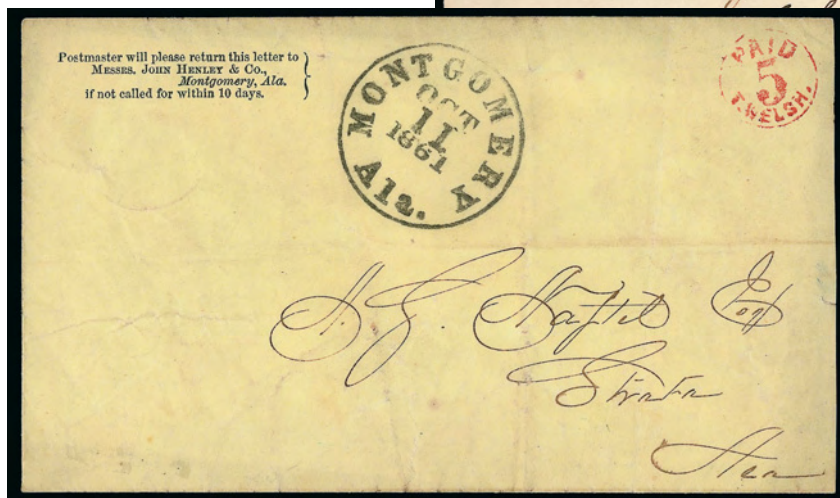
- 622 ☒ **Mobile Ala., 2c Black (58X1).** Full margins bottom and right with portion of adjoining stamp at bottom, clear at left and barely in at top, small scissor cut in upper right margin clear of design, tied by "Mobile Ala. Aug. 11, 1861" double-circle datestamp on gray folded prices current to Pendleton S.C., mended erosion hole near top

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE USE OF THE 2-CENT MOBILE PROVISIONAL ON A CIRCULAR-RATE COVER.

The Crown census records only 23 covers with the 2c Mobile provisional. 5,000.00



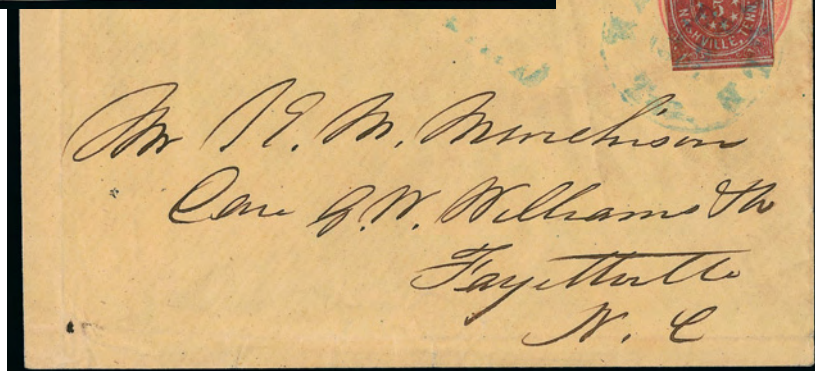
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- 623 ☒ **Mobile Ala., 5c Blue (58X2).** Full margins to barely touched at top, rich color, tied by "Mobile Ala. Sep. 12, 1861" double-circle datestamp on cover to Choctaw Agency Miss., mended top flap tear extends just into front, otherwise fresh and Very Fine... 1,800.00
- 624 ☒ **Montgomery Ala., 5c Red entire (59XU1).** Clear strike of provisional marking, neat "Montgomery Ala. Oct. 11, 1861" circular datestamp on yellow cover to Strata Ala., slightly reduced at right, some overall wear, Very Fine strikes, with 1989 P.F. certificate 1,100.00
- 625 ★ **Nashville Tenn., 3c Carmine (4AX1).** Horizontal strip of five (complete setting), unused (without gum as issued), large margins, Very Fine 2,250.00
- 626 ☒ **Nashville Tenn., 5c Carmine (61X2).** Margins to in, **affixed over U.S. 3c Pink entire (U35)** and tied by blue "Nashville Ten. Sep. 16, 1861" circular datestamp with matching "Paid" handstamp, to Fayetteville N.C., some slight wear, Very Fine and unusual use of the provisional on a U.S. entire, ex Boshwit, Scott Retail as on normal cover.. 3,000.00

Nashville Tenn., 5c Violet Brown (61X5). Huge margins top and left, full to clear other two sides, neat strike of Nashville **blue "5"** handstamp, couple small thin spots left edge and toning on back, still Very Fine and rare with the Nashville "5" used to cancel the stamp, our review of the Levi records found only one off-cover and one on-cover example cancelled in this manner..... 750.00



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- 629 ☒ **New Orleans La., 2c Blue (62X1).** Position 5, top sheet margin with **part imprint** “NEW OR(LEANS)” and large margins at right and bottom, slightly in along left, light shade, tied by “New Orleans La. 31 Aug.” (1861) circular datestamp on unsealed cover to Memphis Tenn.

FINE STAMP AND VERY FINE COVER. ONE OF TWO RECORDED USED IMPRINT COPIES OF THE NEW ORLEANS 2-CENT BLUE PROVISIONAL — THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED IMPRINT STAMP ON COVER.

Ex Knapp, Kilbourne and Skinner. Notation on back in Knapp’s hand “From the Ashbook collection 1920” E. 2,000-3,000



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- 630 ★ **New Orleans La., 2c Red (62X2).** Positions 25-26, horizontal pair, original gum, large margins incl. portion of adjoining stamp at right and **sheet margin at left** bright color, natural gum bend, Extremely Fine 475.00
- 631 (★) **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White, 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X3, 62X5).** Unused singles of each, first original gum, Jumbo margins incl. large portion of stamp at left and **top sheet margin with “sively in the N”** portion of “Usable exclusively in the New Orleans Post Office” imprint, small flaws incl. thin spots and creases, second unused (no gum), large margins incl. **bottom sheet margin with portion of imprint**, couple small flaws, Extremely Fine appearing pair(Photo Ex) 460.00
- 632 ★ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Horizontal pair with “Usable exclusiv(ely)” **portion of imprint**, original gum, full to large margins, small translucent stain, still Extremely Fine, ex Hall, Scott does not list and price the imprint examples, value for a normal pair 475.00
- 633 **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Large margins all around incl. **bottom sheet margin containing “le exclusiv”** portion of “Usable exclusively in the New Orleans Post Office” imprint, rich color on deeply blued paper, New Orleans circular datestamp, small thin spot near top and faint corner crease, appears Extremely Fine 200.00

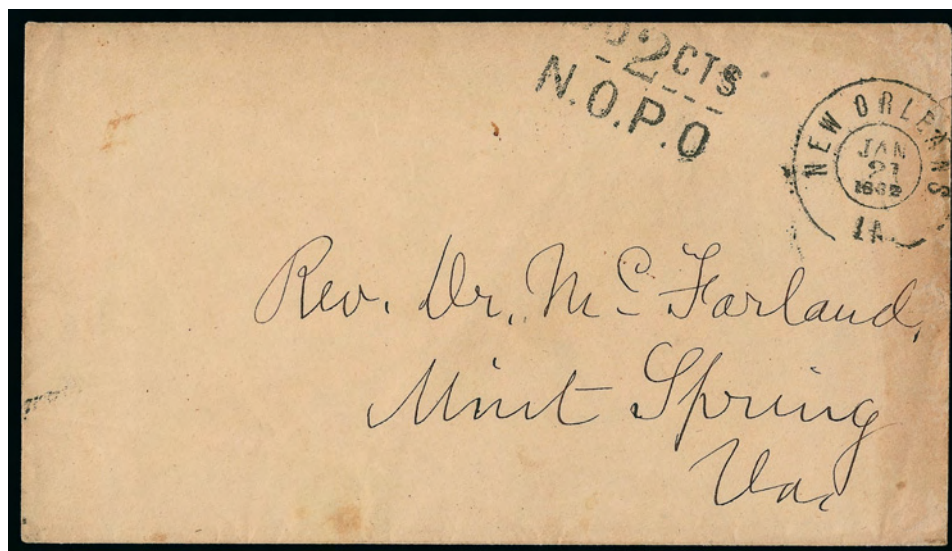


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- 634 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Two, Positions 5 and 13, former with “New Orlea(ns)” portion of imprint in top sheet margin, large margins to just touched, rich color on deeply blued paper, tied by “Paid” cancels, “New Orleans La. 6 Sep.” (1861) circular datestamp on yellow cover to “Hotel” in Bertie County N.C., arithmetic notations at left, few toned specks on stamps, still Very Fine, imprint copies of the New Orleans provisional are very scarce and desirable on cover E. 1,000-1,500
- 635 ★☐ **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Bottom block of six, large margins all around with “(Usa)ble exclusively in the New Orlean(s)” portion of imprint, original gum, two or three appear Mint N.H. except the naturally-occurring uneven gum application will likely prevent a certificate from saying so, Extremely Fine, a beautiful part imprint block, Scott Retail as block of four and pair with no premium for the imprint 1,100.00
- 636 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Huge margins all around including part imprint at bottom, tied by “New Orleans La. 11 Dec.” (1861) circular datestamp on grocer’s light gray lithographed advertising cover to Memphis Tenn., Extremely Fine, remarkably choice and attractive example of the Third Printing, which is quite scarce on cover, ex Kilbourne E. 1,500-2,000



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- 637 ☒ **New Orleans La., 2c Black entire (62XU3).** Full clear strike of "PD 2 CTS/N.O.P.O." two-line provisional handstamp with bold "New Orleans La. Jan. 21, 1862" double-circle datestamp on unsealed buff cover to Mint Spring Va., some slight toning at right edge

VERY FINE. ONE OF SIX RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE NEW ORLEANS 2-CENT PROVISIONAL ENTIRE.

Our records of New Orleans 2c handstamped provisional entires include the following six examples (in chronological order): 1) Jan. 21, 1862, circular rate to Rev. T. Lynch, Mebanesville N.C., with printed enclosure from Domestic Missions of the Confederate States, ex Walcott, Siegel 1985 Rarities sale; 2) Jan. 21, 1862, turned cover to McByrde, Pendleton S.C., inside with Pendleton "Paid 5", ex MacBride; 3) Jan. 21, 1862 usage to Mint Spring Va., the cover offered here; 4) Jan. 24, 1862, circular rate to J. Shelby & Co., Memphis Tenn., ex Judd, Skinner, Agre (Siegel Sale 954, lot 3222, realized \$6,500 hammer); 5) Apr. 7, 1862, circular rate to County Court, San Antonio Tex., 1982 Rarities sale, Siegel Sale 860 (lot 539, realized \$2,500 hammer); and 6) indistinct New Orleans double-circle datestamp on inbound cover from Galveston Tex. to Carroll Hoy & Co. in New Orleans, ex Knapp and Hall (Siegel Sale 966, lot 2615, realized \$6,000 hammer)....

9,500.00



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- 638 ☒ **Petersburg Va., 5c Red (65X1).** Margins clear to slightly in, affixed upside down and tied by blue "Petersburg Va. Oct. 11" (1861) circular datestamp on **grocer and commission merchant's blue cameo corner card** cover to Jeffres' Store Va., stamp with light toning at bottom, otherwise Fine, Scott Retail without premium for corner card

2,500.00



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- 639 ☒ **Raleigh N.C., 5c Red entire (68XU1).** Partly clear strike of red provisional handstamp, "5" crossed out and franked with **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1)**, tied by red grid cancel, blue "Raleigh N.C. Dec. 14 1861" double-circle datestamp on cover to Salem N.C., stamp with small nick at top right VERY FINE. A FASCINATING AND DESIRABLE COVER FRANKED WITH BOTH THE RALEIGH POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL HANDSTAMP AND A GENERAL ISSUE STAMP.

This is an unusual cover and a late appearance for the Raleigh Provisional. It seems that the sender or the Raleigh Post Office had the new stamps on hand by December 14 and simply used the provisional envelope as a matter of convenience. A review using Power Search found a cover postmarked Dec. 12 (two days before this cover) with no adhesive stamp and the provisional handstamp paying the postage. The only possibly later use we found was described by us as "Jan." (presumably 1862), but the double-circle datestamp strike is blurry and could just as likely be "Jun." (1861).

Ex Tate..... E. 2,000-3,000



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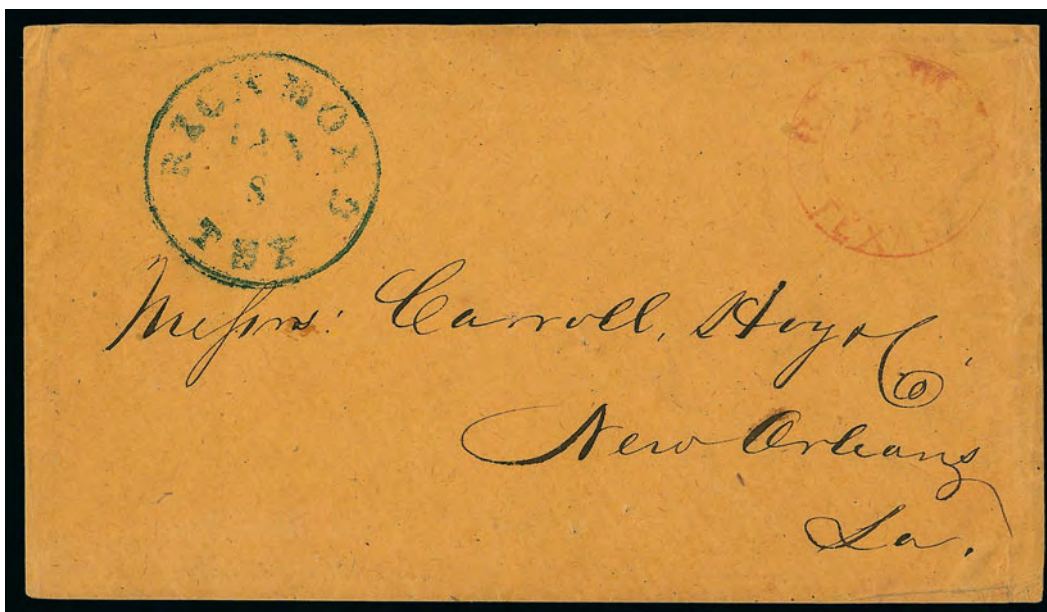
- 640 **Rheatown Tenn., 5c Red (69X1).** Position 1 in setting, full margins to touching at top left and lower left, small ms. cancel and trace of what may be handstamp cancel, light soiling and tiny sealed edge tear at top

FINE APPEARING AND RARE EXAMPLE OF THE THE RHEATOWN POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL.

The 5c provisional stamps issued by Postmaster D. Pence were printed by the same printer who produced the Tellico Plains Tenn. provisional. The June dates recorded for the Rheatown suggest that it came first, and the postmaster's own recollections place the issue in "midsummer 1861" (see Crown book, p. 307). Although dated examples show usage into April 1862, a relatively long period of time, the issue is extremely rare.

The same basic type form containing three subjects was used for the Rheatown and Tellico Plains Tenn. provisionals. For the Rheatown, all three were 5c denominations. The inside border at the top of each stamp is made up of seven ornaments; the unique arrangement of the ornaments in each subject enables philatelists to identify the position of any stamp.

Our records contain at least a half-dozen off-cover examples the Rheatown 5c, including an unused pair, the only known multiple, as well as five covers and one dated piece 7,500.00

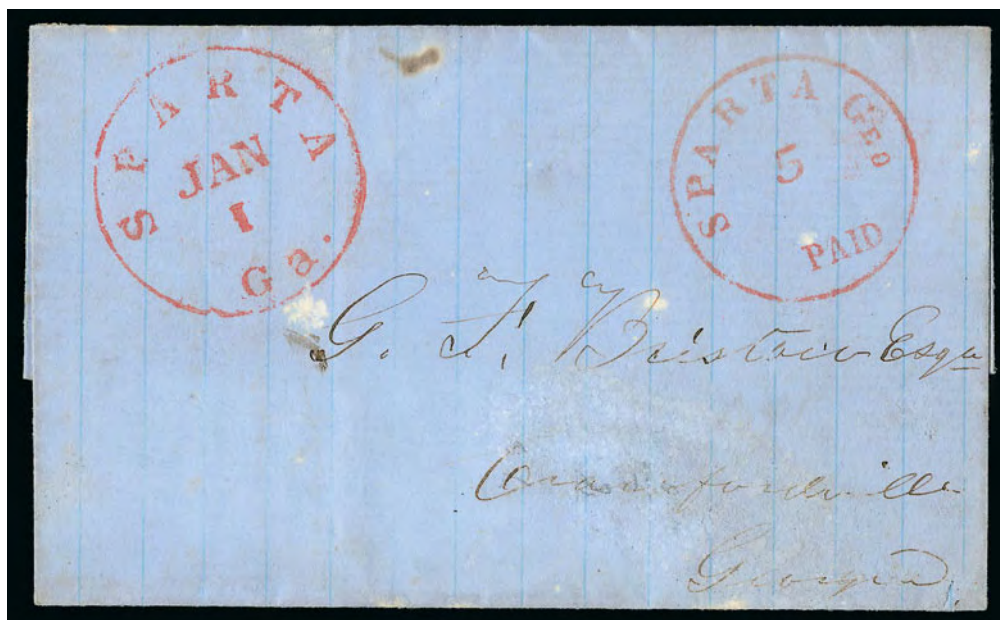


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- 641 ☒ **Richmond Tex., 5c Red entire (70XU1).** Light strike on orange cover to New Orleans, clear blue "Richmond Tex. Jan. 8" circular datestamp, couple inconsequential staple holes do not affect the markings

VERY FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE RICHMOND TEXAS 5-CENT HANDSTAMPED PROVISIONAL. THIS IS THE FIRST EXAMPLE WE HAVE OFFERED SINCE 2001.

Ex Judd and Camina. With 1994 C.S.A. certificate 2,500.00



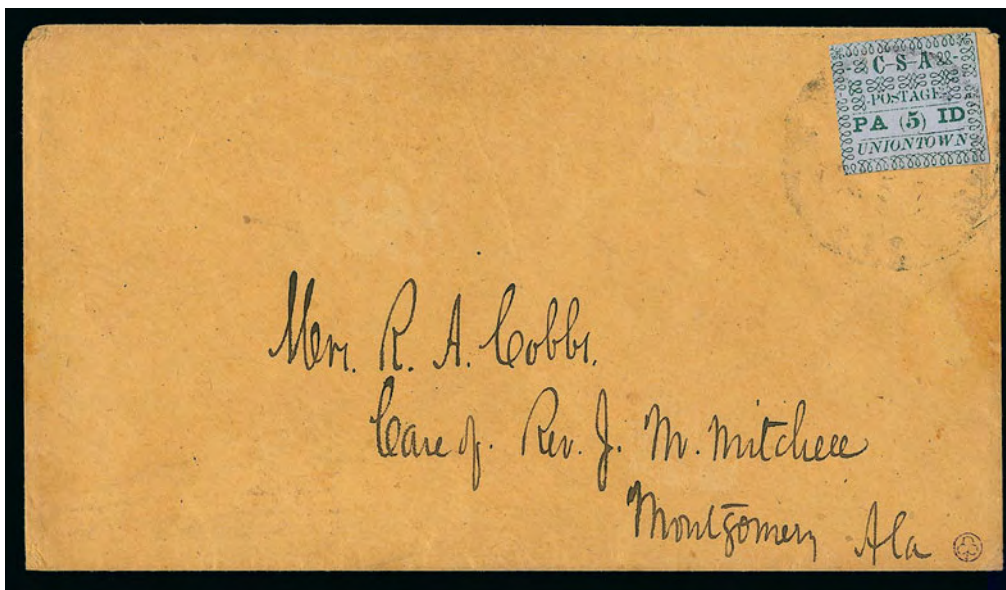
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- 642 ☒ **Sparta Ga., 5c Red entire (93XU1).** Clear strike of provisional handstamp with "Sparta Ga. Jan. 1" circular datestamp on blue ruled-line folded letter to Crawfordville Ga., letter datelined Dec. 31, 1861, some wear in address panel and couple small bleaching spots, otherwise Very Fine and very rare, ex Ballard, only four recorded in Crown survey, this is the example illustrated in the 2011 Scott Catalogue 2,000.00



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- 643 ☒ **Tuscumbia Ala., 5c Black entire (84XU1).** Clear strike with "Tuscumbia Ala. Nov. 22" circular datestamp on cover to Richland Ark., endorsed "Via Little Rock" at bottom left, Very Fine and rare, ex Brown and Gunter, only eight are recorded in the Crown survey 2,250.00



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- 644 ☒ **Uniontown Ala., 5c Green on Gray Blue (86X3).** Position 2, the only one of four positions with Lobe ornaments at top and Loop ornaments at bottom, close margins all around, tied by usual light strike of Uniontown Ala. circular datestamp on brown cover to Montgomery Ala., slight edge wear

A VERY FINE AND ATTRACTIVE COVER FROM THE COBBS CORRESPONDENCE. ONLY NINE COVERS WITH THE UNIONTOWN 5-CENT GREEN ON GRAY BLUE PAPER ARE RECORDED IN THE CROWN CENSUS.

Although the Scott Catalogue does not distinguish between types, the distinctive typography of Position 2 should qualify it as a major variety of Uniontown provisionals.

Ex Ferrary, Hind, Hall and Gross..... 10,000.00



645

- 645 (★) **Victoria Tex., 5c Red Brown on Green (88X1).** Unused (no gum), huge margins at bottom and right — presumably from the corner of the sheet — clear to touching at top and left, bright color, some light chipping of the surface coating and small natural paper bubble at right, neither of which are mentioned on the accompanying certificate

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE VICTORIA 5-CENT POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL. WE RECORD ONLY FIVE EXAMPLES, ALL UNUSED.

The five recorded examples of the 5-cent Victoria include: 1) Extremely Fine original gum copy with top right margins, ex Hall, Ferrary and Hind, currently in the D.K. Collection; 2) top-left margin stamp described as having original gum, ex Hessel ("small faults"); 3) original-gum stamp with vertical crease, ex Kilbourne, Lilly and Caspary; 4) left-margin uncanceled stamp, ex Steves (P.F. photo files); and 5) the stamp offered here, from a recent find. No cancelled Victoria 5c stamps or on-cover examples are known.

Illustrated in *Linn's Stamp News* article in 2008. With 2007 C.S.A. certificate as "Genuine" 17,500.00



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- 646 (★) **Victoria Tex., 10c Red Brown on Green (88X2).** Unused (no gum), tight but clear margins to just touched at left, bright paper and clear impression, thinned at center and horizontal crease ending in small tear at left

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. ONE OF ONLY FIVE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE VICTORIA 10-CENT POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL, OF WHICH THREE ARE UNUSED.

Our records contain five examples of the Victoria 10c Type I (large thin numerals): 1) Mar. 30, 1863 cover to J. San Roman, ex Kilbourne, Brooks, Weatherly; 2) Jun. 23 (1863) cover to C. Hellenkamp, ex Caspary and Muzzy; 3) Unused stamp with small repair, ex Hessel; 4) a severely damaged stamp with one third of lower right missing when discovered by A. Steves (P.F. photo files); and 5) unused from a recent find, the stamp offered here.

Illustrated in *Linn's Stamp News* article in 2008. With 2007 C.S.A. certificate 22,500.00

GENERAL ISSUE PROOFS



- 647 P **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig, Plate Proof on Wove (2P5).** Large margins, brilliant color and sharp impression showing every detail of the lithograph, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1984 P.F. and 2001 C.S.A. certificates..... 1,500.00
- 648 TC **5c Black, De La Rue, Trial Color Die Proof on Glazed Card (6TC1).** 92 x 60mm, deep shade, Very Fine, with 1999 C.S.A. certificate..... 900.00
- 649 P **5c Light Blue, De La Rue, Die Proof on Glazed Card (6P1).** Cut down and mounted on card, minor foxing around edges, otherwise Very Fine, Scott Retail as full-size 600.00
- 650 P **5c Light Blue, De La Rue, Plate Proof on Wove Paper (6P5).** Horizontal pair, Positions B63 and B64 in pencil on back, even margins, Very Fine and choice, signed Robson Lowe and with copy of 1976 P.F. certificate for panes of 400..... 300.00
- 651 P **5c Light Blue, De La Rue, Plate Proof on Wove Paper (6P5).** Large margins, fresh color, Very Fine and choice, with 1989 and 1998 P.F. certificates as "No. 6P5, Gray Blue Plate Proof on Wove", Scott lists the Gray Blue as 6TC (with \$600.00 retail value) but we feel this comes from the same Robson Lowe panes as the other 6P5's, Scott Retail as 6P5..... 150.00
- 652 TC **1c Black, Large Die Trial Color Proof on Glazed Card (14TC1).** 93 x 61mm, dated "Mar. 6-62" at top left, note in pencil on back reads "Note offset from Die proof of 5c in Pink" and with slight pink offset on back, some minor edge toning, corner crease at lower left, otherwise Very Fine, very scarce, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate..... 2,500.00
- 653 TC **1c Light Yellow Brown, Trial Color Plate Proof on Wove (14TC5).** Bottom margin single, large margins other sides, small corner crease at edge of margin (easily trimmed), few filled thins, appears Very Fine, with copy of 1976 P.F. certificate for two panes of 100 800.00

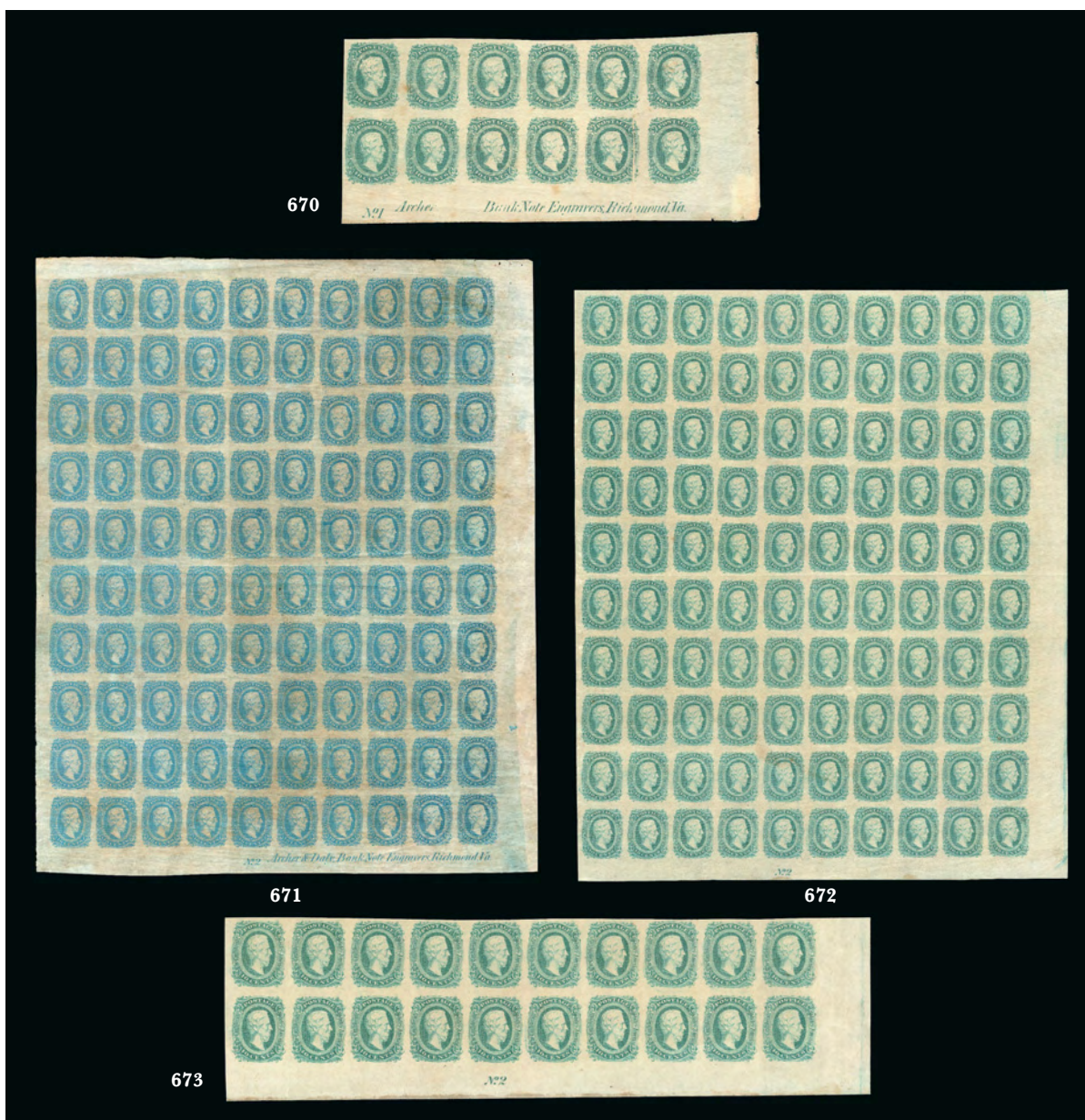
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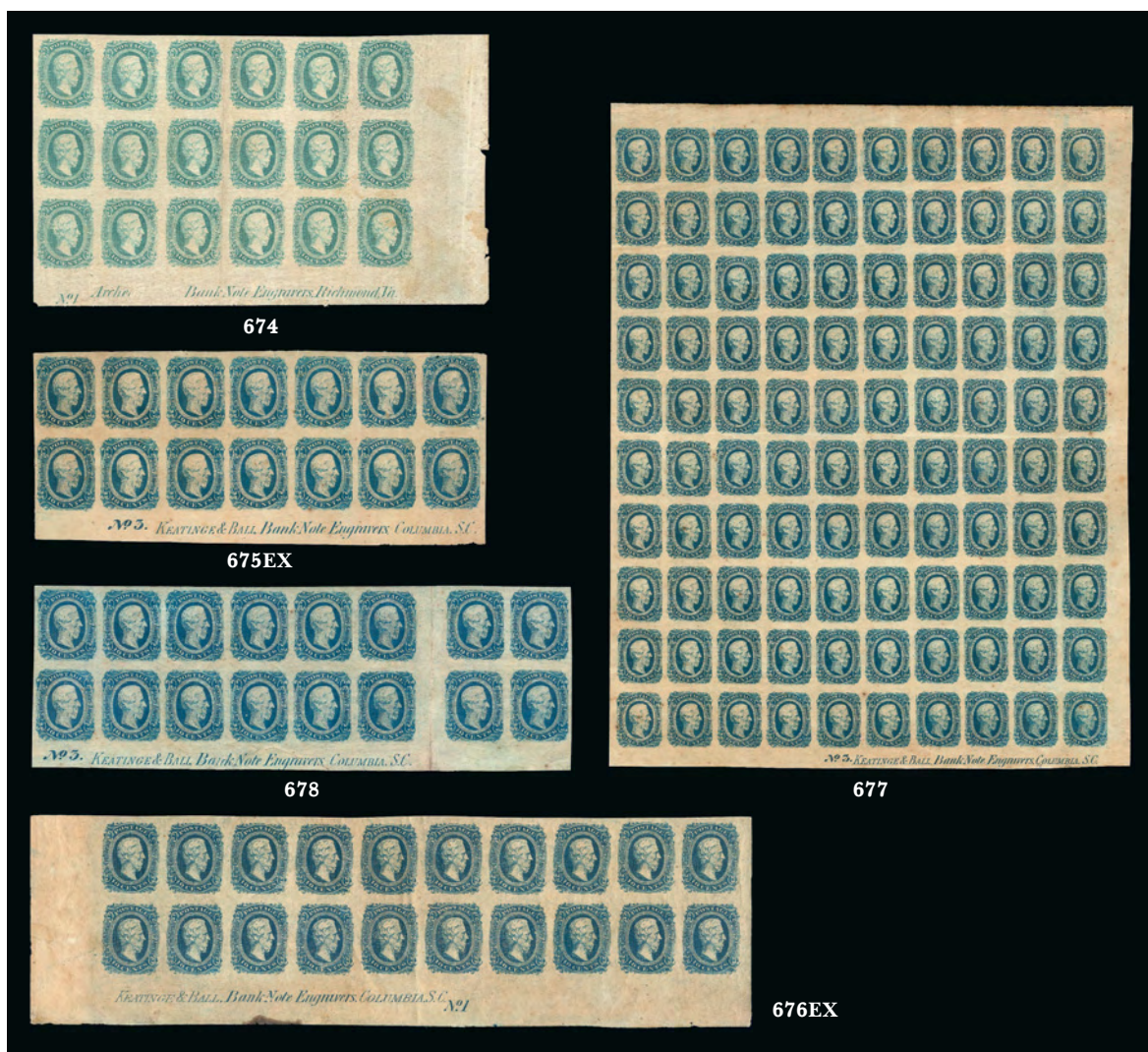
- 654 田 **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Block of 14 affixed to paper, margins all around except in at top right, "March" written in pen between pos. 1 and 6, couple light ms. lines are probably cancels but appears unused, faults mostly confined to edges, appears Fine, scarce large multiple E. 750-1,000
- 655 (★) **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Large margins all around incl. bottom sheet margin showing "IG, RICHMOND, VA." **portion of imprint**, unused (no gum), couple natural inclusions and very faint crease as often seen on the early General Issues, Extremely Fine appearance, a very rare imprint copy of the Hoyer & Ludwig printing, with 1999 C.S.A. certificate which does not mention the faint crease 425.00
- 656 **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Bottom sheet margin with "G, RICHMOND, VA." **portion of imprint**, neat ms. cancel, faults incl. nicked and thinned, backed with paper, still Very Fine appearance and rare with the imprint E. 200-300
- 657 ★ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Original gum, lightly hinged, beautiful color with large margins, fresh and Extremely Fine 300.00
- 658 ★ **2c Green (3).** Original gum, large margins, fresh color, two light vertical creases, Extremely Fine appearance 900.00
- 659 ★ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Horizontal pair, original gum with some slight toned spots, full to large margins, incredibly deep rich color, left stamp gum crease, Very Fine and choice, a lovely pair 625.00
- 660 (★) **10c Rose (5).** Original gum, beautiful color and large margins, light horizontal crease, Extremely Fine appearance 1,750.00
- 661 **10c Rose (5).** Two singles, each with huge bottom sheet margin **reconstructing the full Hoyer & Ludwig imprint**, first stamp shows "Lith. of Hoyer & Ludwig", second shows part of "G" and "Richmond, Va.", margins other sides large to full on both, first with dry print top right corner, Savannah Ga. circular datestamp, faults incl. heavy pressed vertical creases and couple small thins, Extremely Fine appearance, second light circular datestamp, Very Fine and choice, with 2006 C.S.A. certificate, rare and attractive reconstruction of the full imprint, Scott Retail with no premium for the imprints (Photo Ex) 1,000.00



- 662 **10c Rose (5).** Large bottom margin with “Richmond, Va.” portion of imprint, full to touching other sides, defective and rebacked, still Fine appearance and scarce with the part imprint 500.00
- 663 ★田 **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Pane of 100 with sheet margins on all sides, original gum unevenly applied in some places, few h.r. mostly around the margins, vast majority of stamps Mint N.H., Very Fine, Scott Retail as blocks of four*Not illustrated* 2,000.00
- 664 ★★田 **5c Blue, Local (7).** Mint N.H. pane of 100 with sheet margins all around, dry gum applied by brush as always, some slight toning on a few scattered stamps and in bottom left margin, otherwise Very Fine, Scott Retail as blocks of four ...*Not illustrated* 2,250.00
- 665 **5c Blue, Local, Printed on Both Sides (7b).** Very strong impressions both sides, one side inverted and split horizontally, showing portions of four subjects, neat blue circular datestamp, sealed tear, Very Fine appearance, ex Cunliffe 1,400.00
- 666 (★) **5c Blue, Local, 20c Green (7, 13).** Unused (no gum), each with **pre-printing paper fold**, 5c horizontal, Very Fine, 20c top right corner and especially dramatic, enormous Jumbo margins, small thin spot in margin at top right, Extremely Fine appearance, an attractive pair of these production varieties**(Photo Ex)** E. 400-500
- 667 **10c Blue, “TEN”, Sperati Reproductions.** Two, both with large margins, one with clear cancel, the other with what appears to be a trace of a cancel, Very Fine**(Photo Ex)** E. 200-300
- 668 (★) **10c Blue, “TEN” (9).** Unused (no gum), large margins to just clear at bottom, deep rich color, tiny thin speck near top, Very Fine appearance..... 575.00
- 669 ★田 **10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11c).** Pane of 100, “No. 1” and Archer & Daly imprint at bottom left with “Daly” deleted, original gum which is more complete than often seen, nearly all stamps Mint N.H., gum creasing throughout, bit of minor toning, Very Fine full pane, Scott Retail as singles 3,000.00



- 670 ★田 **10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11c).** Bottom right imprint and plate no. block of 12, "No. 1 Archer" with "Daly" removed, original gum, typical uneven application, paper h.r. in margin but stamps are Mint N.H., pre-printing paper fold at right, some gum toning barely visible from front, couple nicks and small margin tear, still Very Fine, Scott Retail as the more common Blue shade 450.00
- 671 ★田 **10c Milky Blue, Die A (11a).** Pane of 100, "No. 2" and Archer & Daly imprint at bottom right with "Daly" crossed out, usual uneven original gum with most stamps Mint N.H., some creasing and couple minor edge flaws, some light staining from gum shows thru on front, overall Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles 4,500.00
- 672 ★★田 **10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11c).** Mint N.H. pane of 100, plate "No. 2" only at bottom with no imprint, gum is evenly applied with only a couple drip spots and lacking they typical creasing — far better than normally encountered, single light fold thru 5th and 6th rows, small toned spot in ninth row, overall fresh and Extremely Fine pane, Scott Retail as singles..... 3,000.00
- 673 ★田 **10c Green, Die A (11d).** Bottom plate no. 2 block of 20 with full sheet margin at right, original gum, rather evenly applied with nearly all stamps Mint N.H., hinged in margins, beautiful color, some thinning in margin outside of design and tiny tear at bottom left also in margin, Extremely Fine, a scarce large plate number block of this better shade, with copy of 2008 C.S.A. certificate for the pane of 100 from which this came E. 750-1,000



- 674 ★田 **10c Blue, Archer & Daly Study (11, 11d).** Five multiples, each with Archer & (Daly) imprint and plate no., incl. original gum bottom plate no. 1 block of 18 in the Green shade (11d) with "Daly" deleted (small faults, Brian Green certificate), same shade in an original gum bottom plate no. 1 strip of six with "Daly" deleted, original gum left and right plate no. 2 blocks of 12 with "Daly" crossed out (one no gum), finally strip of six with plate no. 3 and "Daly" deleted (no gum), some flaws to be expected, overall Very Fine appearing and interesting group..... E. 750-1,000
- 675 ★田 **10c Blue, Keatinge & Ball Study (11-12).** Five multiples, each with Keatinge & Ball imprint and plate no., incl. original-gum No. 11 in strip of six with plate no. 2, original-gum No. 12 in plate block of 14 with plate no. 3 (faults), original-gum No. 12 in strip of 10 with plate no. 3, original-gum No. 12 in strips of six and seven with plate no. 4 (strip of seven with vertical gutter separating the first stamp), large margins throughout, typical toned gum and a flaw or two to be found, still Very Fine appearance, nice group (Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000
- 676 ★田 **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Three imprint and plate no. blocks of 20, Keatinge & Ball imprints from bottom left and right of plate no. 1 and bottom right of plate no. 2, typical toned gum and gum creases, toning also affects a few stamps on front and in margins, overall Very Fine appearance (Photo Ex) 1,755.00
- 677 ★田 **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Pane of 100, "No. 3" and Keatinge & Ball imprint at bottom right, toned original gum but evenly applied, most stamps Mint N.H., couple h.r., horizontal fold between 5th and 6th rows, few scattered toned spots, otherwise Very Fine, Scott Retail as plate block of 12 and blocks of four..... 2,405.00
- 678 ★田 **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Horizontal block of ten with gutter and additional block of four to right, Keatinge & Ball imprint and No. 3 at bottom of left block, original gum, a few stamps Mint N.H., couple small thin spots and tear thru part of imprint, folded along gutter, appears Very Fine..... 515.00



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- 679 ★★田 **10c Blue, Die B (12)**. Bottom imprint and plate no. blocks of 16, Keatinge & Ball imprints, left plate no. 3 with two stamps separated by gutter, right plate no. 4 with four stamps separated by gutter, original gum, both folded along gutters, first with creases and other small flaws, second with toning, Very Fine appearing pair of plate blocks (Photo Ex) 1,030.00
- 680 ★田 **10c Blue, Die B (12)**. Pane of 100, "No. 4" and Keatinge & Ball imprint at bottom left, original gum, typical gum creases and crackling, some stray printer's ink at bottom, toned spots throughout, otherwise Very Fine, Scott Retail as plate block of 12 and blocks of four 2,405.00
- 681 (★)田 **20c Green (13)**. Two bottom imprint blocks showing the different position of the imprint, first block of 12 with higher imprint, unused (no gum), small scuff top row, second block of eight with lower imprint, unused (no gum), couple small mended holes in margin, Very Fine appearing pair E. 500-750
- 682 ★田 **20c Green (13)**. Two bottom blocks of 10 reconstructed to show the full "Archer & Daly, Richmond Va." imprint, right block original gum, left block no gum, faults incl. creases and some staining in left block, Fine appearance Not illustrated E. 400-500
- 683 **Balance**. Small balance from the Rex Felton C.S.A. collection, incl. stamps with No. 13 in shades and a block of four, various other General Issues and reprints, also two copies of the steel plate engraving discussed and pictured by Dietz on p. 218 of his work *The Postal Service of the Confederate States of America*, stamps in mixed condition, the engravings are very interesting items (Photo Ex) E. 400-500

GENERAL ISSUES ON COVER



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- 684 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Large margins to in at top, tied by “Memphis Ten. Jan. 12, 1862” circular datestamp on red and blue **12-Star Confederate Flag and Verse with “M” Patriotic** to Nashville Ark., stamp lifted and hinged in place, edge tears, few repaired edge faults, missing part of top flap, otherwise Very Fine example of this scarce design, ex Boshwit E. 1,000-1,500
- 685 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Full margins to in at top, deep color, tied by “Mobile Ala. May 28 (1862)” double-circle datestamp on red and blue **11-Star Confederate Hand-Held Flag Patriotic** cover with 7th Alabama Regt. imprint to Burlison Ala., imprint changed in ms. to a company of the Mississippi Volunteers, stamp with couple small flaws, cover with mended corners and soiling, still Fine appearing and scarce design E. 750-1,000
- 686 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Large margins to close at left, tied by red “Smithfield Va. Jan. 16” circular datestamp on **11-Star Flag and Verse Patriotic** cover to Jamestown N.C., cover defective and repaired at right, top flap missing, appears Fine, from the Franklin D. Roosevelt collection with backstamp, ex MacBride and accompanied by letter from him stating he bought it in the 1946 sale E. 300-400
- 687 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Horizontal pair, margins clear to touched, tied by “Ashland Va. Apr. 19” double-line circular datestamp on **11-Star Waving Flag and Verse Patriotic cover** to Decatur Ga., J.W. Randolph imprint, some water staining at bottom and slight toned spots on stamps, otherwise Fine E. 400-500



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- 688 ☒ **5c Light Green, Stone 2 (1a).** Horizontal pair, full to large margins on three sides, in at left, left stamp tiny nick at lower left, bright shade, tied by mostly clear strike of blue **“Bowling Green Ky. Jan. 13”** (1862) circular datestamp on red and blue **11-Star Confederate Hand-Held Flag Patriotic** cover with 7th Alabama Regt. imprint, to Hickory Hill Tex., with original letter enclosure datelined *“Camp Hardee, Bowling Green Ky. Jany. 10th”* containing reference to **post office spying**: *“It might be wrong for me to say any thing of our numbers as this might be examined by some infernal Lincolnite before it reaches you. . .”,* mentions death of Col. Terry

VERY FINE. ONE OF THE MOST OUTSTANDING CONFEDERATE PATRIOTIC COVERS KNOWN FROM KENTUCKY — A RARE DESIGN AND ONE OF THE FEW COVERS FROM BOWLING GREEN WITH GENERAL ISSUE STAMPS.

Ex MacBride and Gallagher. With 2008 P.F. certificate E. 3,000-4,000



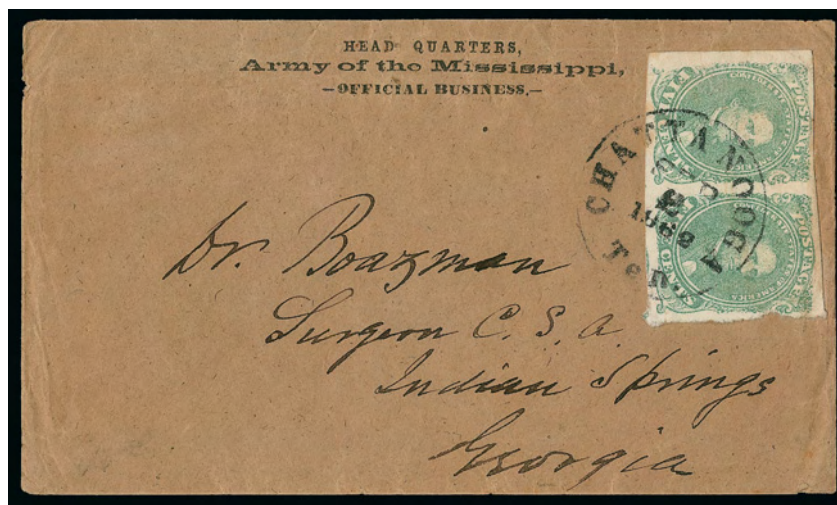
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- 689 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Two singles, tied by light strikes of **“Russellville Ky.”** double-circle datestamp on orange **Bethel College, Russellville Ky. illustrated cover** depicting the college building, people and horse drawn carriage, to Winchester Va., stamps with small flaws from placement near edge, inconsequential cover edge fold at left

VERY FINE. A SPECTACULAR BETHEL COLLEGE COVER WITH THE 5-CENT GREEN GENERAL ISSUE AND THE ONLY REPORTED USE OF THIS DESIGN. BETHEL COLLEGE WAS THE LOCATION WHERE THE KENTUCKY ORDINANCE OF SECESSION WAS PASSED ON NOVEMBER 20, 1861.

While the elected government of Kentucky remained loyal to the Union, a shadow government was formed which passed the secession ordinance at Russellville. This remarkable cover combines several desirable attributes, including a scarce Confederate Kentucky use to Virginia, a college cover and a beautiful lithographed design.

Ex Skinner. Illustrated in 1986 Dietz Catalogue on p. 236..... E. 4,000-5,000



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- 690 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Horizontal pair, large margins to just in at right, tied by “Chattanooga Ten. Sep. 2, 1862” circular datestamp on brown cover with “**Head Quarters, Army of the Mississippi, Official Business**” imprint to “*Dr. Boazman, Surgeon C.S.A., Indian Springs Ga.*”, stamps with few light toned spots, Very Fine, rare and attractive use, ex Boshwit E. 1,500-2,000



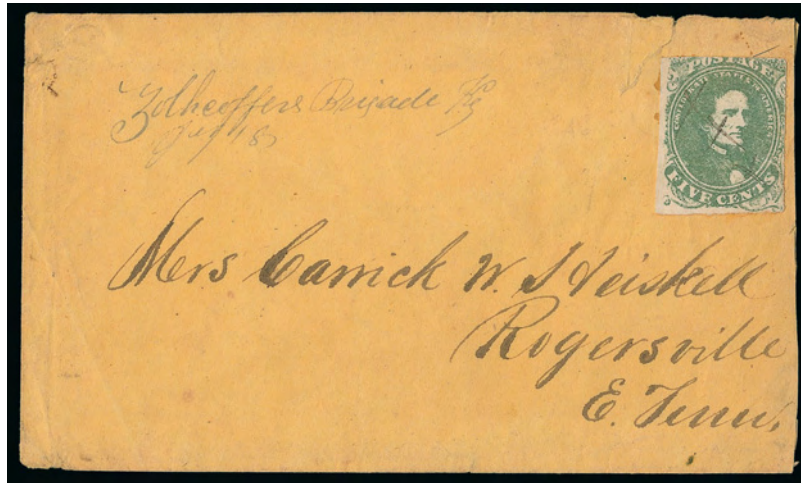
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- 691 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Large margins to jut touching at bottom, tied by “Savannah Ga. Paid Mar. 13, 1862” circular datestamp on cover to Clarksville Ga. with **Confederate States Surgeon General’s Office** semi-official imprint, Very Fine E. 400-500
- 692 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Large margins to just clear at top and left, tied by “Montgomery Ala. Jun. 13, 1862” circular datestamp on **Garrett & Pollard blue overall illustrated advertising cover with anvil and plow** to Lumberton N.C., “Due 5” straightline at top, top flap replaced and mended tear at top, stamp lifted and reaffixed, Very Fine appearance and an attractive design, the rate change to 10c had occurred 12 days prior, though this would likely have been a 10c rate for over 500 miles prior to June 1 E. 300-400
- 693 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Two covers, first cancelled by bold eight-point star fancy rosette, with “Abingdon Va. Dec. 19, 1861” circular datestamp on cover from Brig. Gen. Humphrey Marshall to V.P. Alexander Stephens in Richmond, docketed on back “*Camp Recovery, Prestonburg Ky.*”, stamp cut far in and cover faults but still a scarce fancy cancel, second cover 5c Stone 1, clipped at lower left, ms. Richmond Factory Va. postmark on A.K. Holt printed circulars corner card cover to Crawfordville Ga., Fine **(Photo Ex)** E. 300-400



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- 694 ☒ **"Zollicoffers Brigade Ky, Jan. 18"**. Manuscript postmark (1862) with matching "X" cancels on 5c Light Green, Stone 2 (1a), two margins to cut in, on light buff cover to Rogersville Tenn., backflap removed, slightly reduced at right, small opening tear at top

A REMARKABLE COVER WITH THE RARE "ZOLLICOFFER'S BRIGADE" MILITARY POSTMARK DATED JANUARY 18, 1862, ONE DAY BEFORE THE BATTLE OF MILL SPRINGS, IN WHICH BRIGADIER GENERAL FELIX K. ZOLLICOFFER WAS KILLED.

The Battle of Mill Springs was a significant defeat for the Confederates, because it was the first breach in their Kentucky defense line. It was during this battle, on January 19, that Brig. Gen. Zollicoffer was killed after becoming confused and riding his horse into Union lines, thinking he was among Confederate forces. Wearing a white raincoat, his identity was not immediately recognized, but as soon as it was, he was shot dead in the saddle.

Ex Gallagher and Walske E. 1,500-2,000



- 695 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1)**. Large even margins, rich color, tied by bold strike of "Holly Springs Miss. Mar. 4, 1862" circular datestamp on folded letter to Collinsburg La., letter with extensive edge splitting and some staining, stamp is an Extremely Fine Gem..... 300.00
- 696 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1)**. Large margins, deep rich color and fine impression, tied by "Bayou Goula La. 31? Mar" (1862) circular datestamp, day in ms. above month, on buff cover to Port Gibson Miss., Extremely Fine, an immaculate cover E. 300-400
- 697 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1)**. Large top and left margins, other sides clear to touching, rich color nicely contrasted by **blue** "Portsmouth Va. Nov. 22, 1861" double-circle datestamp on folded cover to Norfolk Va., letter portion removed but some writing still remains inside, some edge splitting, otherwise Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 698 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1)**. Clear margins, tied by **blue** "Lynchburg Va. Apr. 1" circular datestamp on cover to Surry Courthouse Va., fresh and Very Fine..... E. 200-300



- 699 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1 (1).** Huge left and bottom margins, full to clear other sides, tied by "New Orleans La. Jan. 26? 1862" wharf office double-circle datestamp on cover to local street address, lightly struck "N.O.U.S. City Post Jan. 26" circular datestamp, couple tiny stamp flaws, cover with small staple holes, otherwise Very Fine, a scarce example of carrier delivery of inbound mail received at the wharf..... E. 750-1,000
- 700 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Large margins, creased at top and couple nicks from being affixed slightly over edge, cancelled by grid, "Vicksburg Miss. May 27, 1862" double-circle datestamp on small buff cover to Clinton La., soldier's endorsement at top and "Via of Liberty" routing directive at bottom, fresh and Very Fine, the sender directed the cover to go inland via Liberty Miss. in order to avoid the Mississippi River, in late April New Orleans and Baton Rouge, to the south of Clinton, had fallen to Federal forces and by May 18 Union General Farragut had moved up the river to attempt to secure the surrender of Vicksburg (nine days before this cover was sent)..... E. 500-750
- 701 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Margins to in, tied by "Cleveland Ten. Apr. 11, 1862" double-circle datestamp on **U.S. 1c Blue Star Die entire (U19)** to Athens Tenn., stamp defective, still Fine, attractive cover, ex Boshwit..... E. 400-500
- 702 ☒ **5c Green, Stone 1-2, 5c Blue (1, 4).** Singles of each, tied together by pen cancel, red "Newberry C.H. S.C. May 9, 1862" double-circle datestamp on wallpaper cover to Churchville Va., overall cover wear which slightly affects stamps, left stamp toning, still Fine appearing and scarce two color 5c Jefferson Davis franking, ex Everett and Tate..... E. 500-750
- 703 ☒ **5c Green, 5c Blue (1, 4).** Irregular margins, tied by "Chattanooga Ten. May 27, 1862" circular datestamp on cover to Alexander Stephens at Richmond Va., stamps defective, still Fine, scarce combination..... E. 300-400



- 704 ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Large margins to just touching at top, tied by "Montgomery Ala. Feb. 11, 1862" circular datestamp on cover to New Orleans, two tiny pin holes in stamp, otherwise Very Fine 450.00
- 705 ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Huge margins to just touching at bottom left, light pen cancel, red "Camden S.C. Jan. 16" double-circle datestamp on small cover to Capt. Canteley of Blanding's Regiment, Manassas Junction Va., light edge staining at bottom, Very Fine, with 1977 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 200-300
- 706 ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Paterson (2).** Top left corner margin single, large margins other sides, slightly oxidized color, tied by perfect bold "Richmond Va. Oct. 17, 1862" circular datestamp on **Confederate States of America War Department, Surgeon General's Office** semi-official imprint cover to Winchester Va., top and one side flaps missing, edge wear, still Extremely Fine appearance, with 2007 A.P.S. certificate..... E. 750-1,000
- 707 ☒ **10c Light Blue, Paterson (2a).** Clear to large margins, tied by "Richmond Va. Nov. 20, 1862" circular datestamp on cover to Columbia S.C. with **Confederate States of America, Treasurer's Office.** semi-official imprint, Very Fine, ex Judd and Howard P. Green E. 300-400
- 708 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Large margins to just nicked at bottom incl. large part of adjoining stamp at top, tied by indistinct Richmond Va. circular datestamp on **grocer's green lithographed all-over advertising** cover to Massie's Mill Va., Very Fine, a lovely Confederate advertising cover E. 1,000-1,500



- 709 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Full to large margins incl. portions of adjoining stamps at sides, light vertical crease, tied by light strike of Vicksburg double-circle datestamp on 1862 buff cover to "Maj. Genl. M. Lovell, Grenada Miss.", Grenada crossed out and forwarded to Jackson Miss. with "Care of Maj. L. Mims", stamp tied by "Grenada Miss. Dec. 15" circular datestamp, pencil notation on back "Maj. Gen. M.L. Smith, in reference to abandonment of Vicksburg in 1862", Very Fine, an outstanding use between two prominent C.S.A. generals, sent from Vicksburg at the start of Union operations against that city, Martin Luther Smith was one of the few northern born generals to fight for the Confederacy, he planned and constructed the defenses of Vicksburg and was captured by Union forces when the city fell in 1863, after being exchanged he served as chief engineer for the Army of Northern Virginia, Lovell was the Confederate general who was blamed for allowing Union forces to capture New Orleans..... E. 750-1,000
- 710 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Large to huge margins incl. sheet margin and short transfer at top, tied by well-struck "Little Rock Ark. May 8" (1862) double-circle datestamp on cover to Paris Tex., slightly reduced at left, horizontal file fold at top affects stamp which also has small flaws at bottom, otherwise Very Fine, scarce use from Arkansas to Texas, ex Boshwit, with short biographical information on recipient..... E. 400-500
- 711 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Sheet margin at right, large to clear margins other sides, deep rich color, cancelled by blue circular grid with matching "Ashboro N.C. Jul. 29" circular datestamp on blue folded letter to Wilmington N.C., Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 712 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, Paterson (2).** Huge sheet margin at right, large margins other sides, tied by blue "Petersburg? Va." circular datestamp on back of cover to Island Ford N.C., cover cleaned to lighten water staining, stamp lifted and replaced and with light vertical crease in sheet margin as well as light diagonal crease over the top flap edge (only the former mentioned on accompanying certificate), Extremely Fine appearing stamp, with 2000 P.S.E. certificate..... E. 400-500
- 713 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Large even margins, small ms. cancel with matching "Scottsburg Va. Feb. 27" postmark on brown homemade cover to Palmer's Springs Va., stamp with tiny tear at bottom, otherwise Very Fine, a scarce Virginia manuscript town mark 325.00



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- 714 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Horizontal strip of five, Positions 42-46, large margins to just touched, tied by three neat strikes of "Atlanta Ga. Jan. 11" circular datestamps on cover to Talladega Ala., cover barely reduced at top with top flap replaced, small cover repair at top also slightly affects left stamp and is not mentioned on accompanying certificates

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE AND ATTRACTIVE STRIP OF FIVE OF THE 2-CENT GREEN ON COVER.

The addressee, "Col." Lewis E. Parsons was not a military colonel — the title was honorary. After the war he was appointed provisional governor of Alabama and served as the state's 19th governor until December 1865. While in office he tried to purchase Florida's panhandle. After his service as governor he was elected by the legislature to the U.S. Senate, but was refused his seat.

Ex Hessel. Warren Census no. GEO-013. Pictured in 2011 *Congress Book* on p. 36. With 1976 P.F. and 1999 C.S.A. certificates 13,500.00



715

- 715 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Block of five, Pos. 2-3/12-13/23, deep rich color, margins in at places and fifth stamp at bottom partially torn off, lower left stamp has small repair, tied by **vivid orange** "Kosciusko Miss. Aug. 20" circular datestamp on blue adversity cover to Bear Creek Ga., made from **printed receipt form**, folded open for display (address shown inverted in photo), minor cover faults

A FINE APPEARING AND SPECTACULAR COVER, COMBINING AN EXTREMELY RARE BLOCK, SCARCE ORANGE CANCELLATION AND ADVERSITY USAGE.

Only eight covers with the 2c Green used from Mississippi are listed in the Warren census and this is the only cover of that group that bears a block.

Warren Census no. MS-005. Pictured in 2011 *Congress Book* on p. 42. Ex Seybold, Knapp and Brooks. With 1997 P.S.E. certificate. E. 5,000-7,500



716

- 716 ☒ **2c Green (3).** L-shaped strip of four and single tied by "Shreveport La. Jan. 22, 1863" double-circle datestamp on manila cover to Marion La., year date inverted in datestamp, one backflap removed, one stamp sharp broken crease, couple stained spots

FINE APPEARING AND SCARCE 2-CENT GREEN LITHOGRAPH FRANKING FOR THE 10-CENT RATE.

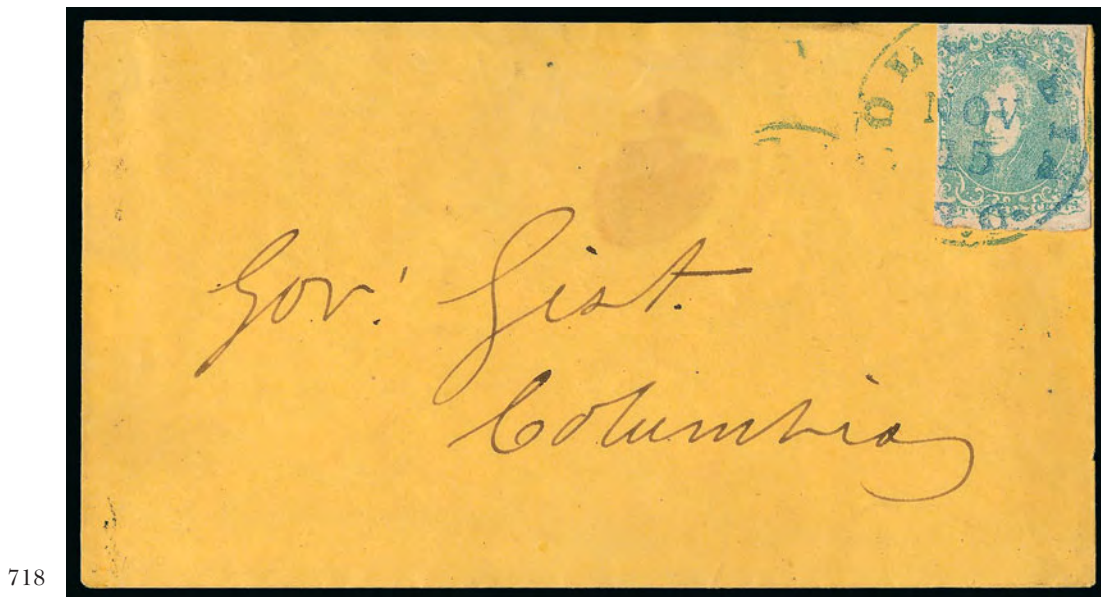
Only three covers with the 2c Green used from Louisiana are listed in the Warren census. Census no. La-003. Pictured in 2011 *Congress Book* on p. 41. Scott Retail for strip of five on cover is \$13,500.00..... E. 2,000-3,000



- 717 ✉ **2c Green (3).** Horizontal strip of five, defective with creases and tears, tied by bold “Brandon Church (Va.) April 25 (1862)” manuscript postmark on cover to military address “near Jamestown Island Va.”, some edge wear

FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE STRIP OF FIVE OF THE 2-CENT GREEN ON COVER AND THE ONLY RECORDED USE OF THIS MANUSCRIPT TOWN MARKING.

Brandon is a section of Prince George County Virginia along the James River. Warren Census no. IND-005 (meaning unidentified town marking). Illustrated in 2011 *Congress Book* on p. 63. Accompanied by biographical information on the addressees..... E. 1,500-2,000



- 718 ✉ **2c Green (3).** Ample to large margins on three sides, touched at left, tiny scissors cut in bottom margin, tied by blue “Columbia S.C. Nov. 15” (1862) circular datestamp on orange cover to “Gov. Gist, Columbia”, backflap removed and small stain above address

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE USE OF THE 2-CENT GREEN LITHOGRAPH ON A COLUMBIA DROP LETTER.

The Warren census records only seven examples of the 2c Lithograph used from Columbia, including three circulars — one of which was used locally. This is the only recorded drop-letter usage in the census.

Warren Census no. SC-029. Pictured in 2011 *Congress Book* on p. 49. With 1982 P.F. certificate E. 2,000-3,000



- 719 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Huge margins incl. **sheet margin at left** and part of adjoining stamp at right, vertical crease ending in small tears at left, minor gum toning, tied by "Griffin Ga. Jun. 11" circular datestamp on locally-addressed cover, Very Fine appearance, ex Matz and Burrows, Warren Census no. GEO-026, pictured in 2011 *Congress Book* on p. 37, with 1981 P.F. and 2004 C.S.A. certificates E. 1,000-1,500
- 720 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Large margins at left and bottom, clear to just in at bottom right, rich color, tied by "Mobile Ala. Jun. 27 1863" double-circle datestamp on fresh brown cover to Tibbee Station Miss., "Printed Circular" at top, Very Fine and attractive, Warren Census no. ALA-011, pictured in 2011 *Congress Book* on p. 33 E. 1,000-1,500
- 721 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Ample margins at sides, just touching or slightly in at top and bottom, small margin nick at left, tied by "Fayetteville N.C. Nov. 1, 1862" circular datestamp on local cover, Very Fine, Warren Census no. NC-005 E. 1,000-1,500
- 722 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Large margins to clear at right, tied by bold strike of "Richmond Va. Dec. 8, 1862" circular datestamp on "**Confederate States of America Treasury Department**" semi-official imprint drop cover, worn with sealed tears, backflap replaced, still a very presentable and extremely rare combination of 2c Green on cover with the Treasury Dept. imprint, Warren census no. VA-046 E. 1,000-1,500
- 723 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Large margins to in at top right where separated unevenly, tied by "Knoxville Ten. Aug. 11" circular datestamp on homemade cover to local addressee, **forwarded** to Saltville Va., Fine, unusual use which probably contained a printed circular and so was not charged additional postage for the forwarding, ex Boshwit and Cipolla, Warren Census no. TN-003, pictured in 2011 *Congress Book* on p. 51..... E. 1,000-1,500



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- 724 ☒ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Position 2, three large margins including top sheet margin, separated roughly at left slightly into design, tied by bold strike of "Corinth Miss. Mar. 22" (1862) double-line circular datestamp on **red Jefferson Davis Medallion and Verse Patriotic** cover to St. Helena Parish La., top flap reattached and tiny repairs at top, Very Fine appearance, the sender of the cover, Samuel. P. Hutchinson, was a private in the 4th Louisiana Infantry and was writing from camp two weeks prior to the Battle of Shiloh, in which his regiment participated, he was killed at Baton Rouge in Aug. 1862 E. 1,500-2,000



725

- 725 ☒ **5c Dark Blue, Stone 3 (4a).** Vertical pair, deep rich color and clear impression, clipped top right corner, tied by two strikes of "Wilmington N.C. 5 Paid Aug. 6" (1862) modified integral-rate circular datestamp on **10-Star Confederate States Flag with Blank Streamer and Verse Patriotic** cover to Hoover Hill N.C., Bonitz imprint, small scissors-cut between stamps, Very Fine, an attractive and scarce Patriotic, with 1983 P.F. certificate..... E. 1,000-1,500



726

- 726 ☒ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Irregular strip of four with top sheet margin and pair arranged into a neat block, also strip of three and additional pair, each with pen cancel on blue ruled paper wrapped around an enameled box lid which originally contained a hand-sewn Valentine, "Statesville N.C. Feb ?" circular datestamp to Charlotte N.C., couple stamps with nicks or small edge flaws

A SPECTACULAR AND HIGHLY EXHIBITABLE USE OF THE 5-CENT BLUE LITHOGRAPHED ISSUE. THIS IS THE LARGEST KNOWN FRANKING ON COVER.

Ex Tate E. 2,000-3,000



727

- 727 ☒ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Large margins, crease at top ends in small tear, tied by "Robertsville S.C. May 19 1862" circular datestamp on **white, blue and brown dual-pattern wallpaper cover** to Bennettsville S.C., opened for display, piece of back missing, Very Fine appearing and wonderful adversity cover with two distinctly different wallpaper patterns, with 1993 P.F. certificate, pictured in William Weiss Adversity Covers book where he states "the only such use I've seen" E. 750-1,000



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- 728 ☒ **5c Dark Blue, Stone 2 (4a).** Horizontal pair, gorgeous color, large margins top and left with portions of adjoining stamps, slightly in at right, tied by "Louisville Ga. Jul. 8" (1862) circular datestamp on back of **light blue wallpaper cover** to Newton Ga., forwarded to Berzelia Ga., with ms. "Forwd", "Due 10" and "Newton Ga. Jul. 11" circular datestamp, opened for display and barely reduced at bottom, Very Fine, ex Weill..... E. 300-400
- 729 ☒ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Horizontal pair, sheet margin at right, full at bottom and slightly in at top, affixed upside down and cancelled by light strike of New Orleans double-circle datestamp on 1862 **gray and light violet wallpaper cover** to Opelousas La., stamp with some edge toning and "surface scrapes" described on accompanying certificate, still Very Fine, a most unusual and desirable adversity cover with the wallpaper design on the outside rather than the inside of the envelope, with 1995 P.F. certificate E. 1,000-1,500
- 730 ☒ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Large margins to just in at right, nice color, tied by neat target with matching "Selma Ala. Apr. 14" (1862) circular datestamp on **notaries public protest notice dated New Orleans, Apr. 9, 1862** and addressed to Wetumpka Ala., carried out of New Orleans and posted at Selma, Very Fine cover sent only a week before the Union attack and two weeks before Union occupation of New Orleans, ex Malpass..... E. 750-1,000
- 731 ☒ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Large to huge margins, small ms. cancel, affixed over **U.S. 3c Red Nesbitt entire** with "Lenoir N.C. May 27" (1862) circular datestamp to "Genl. W.F. Jones" in Columbus N.C., endorsed "Via Columbia and Spartanburg" at bottom, light staining and tiny repaired nick at left, otherwise Very Fine E. 300-400



732

- 732 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Horizontal pair, three large margins incl. **imprint at bottom**, right stamp in, cancelled by "Richmond Va. Jul. 3, 1863" circular datestamp on cover to Antioch Ga., reduced at left, some edge repairs, stamps with few faults, appears Fine, scarce use especially with the part imprint E. 1,000-1,500



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- 733 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Large margins to just clear incl. "**Lith of Hoyer & Ludw(ig)**" portion of **imprint at bottom**, tied by "Richmond Va. Jun. 13, 1862" circular datestamp on orange cover to Gainesville Ga., stamp with some gum toning, cover slightly reduced at right, and couple minor edge tears, Fine appearing and scarce imprint example on cover, with 2000 C.S.A. certificate E. 750-1,000
- 734 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Three large margins, clear at top, tied by well-struck "Richmond Va. Jun. 1, 1862" circular datestamp on "**Confederate States of America Treasurer's Office.**" semi-official imprint cover to Corinth Miss., cover is reduced and refolded with most of top flap and part of one side flap replaced, also couple edge tears, still Very Fine appearing, illustrated in *Confederate Philatelist* (Jan.-Feb. 1993) where it is described as a new find (differing from the Dietz listed inscription in the capital letters of "Treasurer's Office"), accompanied by extensive biographical information on the soldier addressed, with 1999 C.S.A. certificate E. 750-1,000



- 735 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Large margins to close at right, tied by blue "Petersburg Va. June 27" circular datestamp on cover to Evergreen Ala., some overall wear incl. light horizontal file fold affecting stamp (not mentioned on certificate), reduced at left and bottom of cover refolded, Fine appearance, with 2000 C.S.A. certificate..... 800.00
- 736 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Full margins to barely clear top right corner, tied by grid cancel, "Athens Ga. 23" circular datestamp with no trace of a month, on small cover to Columbus Ga. with gorgeous blue **University of Georgia Athens embossed cameo corner card** depicting the state seal, couple negligible soiling spots, Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 737 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Horizontal pair, large to clear margins, fresh color, "Weldon N.C. Jul. 20, 1862" circular datestamp, blue "Paid" handstamp and ms. "10" beneath the stamps, on cover to Raleigh N.C., ms. "P.M. will please forward and oblige" and "Due 10", forwarded to Haywood N.C., stamps probably applied in Raleigh and are tied by blue grid with matching "Raleigh N.C. Jul. 23, 1862" double-circle datestamp, Jul. 19 origin docketing at left, some cover repairs, Extremely Fine appearing cover with a fascinating array of markings..... E. 400-500
- 738 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Horizontal pair, full even margins three sides, close but clear at top, tied by well-struck "Richmond Va. Apr. 9, 1863" circular datestamp on cover to Clarksville Ga., stamps affixed over **Treasurer's Department** semi-official imprint, missing most of top flap, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 739 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Horizontal pair, full margins to just clear at top left and bottom right, tied by neat strike of "Milledgeville Ga. Sep. 20" (1862) circular datestamp on "State of Georgia Adjutant and Inspector General's Office." semi-official imprint cover to Griffin Ga., slight reduction at right does not affect the imprint, fresh and Extremely Fine cover, with 1987 P.F. certificate E. 400-500



- 740 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue, Blue, Local (6, 7).** Horizontal strip of three of No. 6 and single of No. 7, a few small flaws incl. creases and a tiny tear, tied by **blue** strikes of circular datestamp on cover to Hillsboro N.C., cover with edge tears and wear, Very Fine appearance, nice combination of the two different printings paying the double rate E. 300-400
- 741 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Vertical pair, full margins except nicked at top corners, small pen mark filling in one nick, tied by bold "Welaka Fla." dateless double-circle handstamp and ms. "Dec 29" on small cover to D. H. Bryant, "Care of Capt. Robt. Harrison" at Hart's Road Station E. Fla., receipt docketing at top, overall light toning, appears Very Fine, scarce Florida usage, with 2006 P.F. certificate, accompanied by biographical information on the two officers addressed, a similar cover was in the Howard P. Green Collection (Siegel sale 822)..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 742 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. May 4, 1863" circular datestamp on **U.S. 1c Blue Star Die entire (U19)** to Richmond Va., small tear at top, Very Fine, attractive and scarce use..... E. 750-1,000
- 743 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, ample margins to slightly in, tiny ms. cancels, matching "Fleetwood Acady. Va. May 30" college postmark on invalid **U.S. 3c Red Star Die entire** to Staunton Va., Very Fine, rare and unusual Fleetwood Academy college cover, ex Brugh E. 300-400
- 744 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, affixed covering indicia of **U.S. 3c Star Die entire** and tied by perfect bold strike of "Richmond Va. Apr. 12, 1863" circular datestamp with day in manuscript, on cover to Parkinsville Va., right stamp folded up for display, Very Fine, ex. Walcott, Gibson, MacBride and Powell..... E. 300-400



- 745 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Two singles, tied by blue “Richmond Va.” circular datestamp on twice-addressed **U.S. 3c Red on Buff Nesbitt entire (U10)** to Lexington Va., top address also ties left stamp, cover with a few edge and top flap tears, still Very Fine adversity use of a U.S. entire..... E. 200-300
- 746 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, full even margins, tied by manuscript “March 4, Arkabutla Miss.” postmark on **olive, green and pink wallpaper cover** to Tibbee Station, Mobile & Ohio R.R. Miss., opened for display, some edge tears and small piece missing from folded over edge, still Very Fine, scarce use, the addressee, Henry L. Muldrow, was a distinguished C.S.A. cavalry officer and later served in Congress and in the Grover Cleveland administration E. 400-500
- 747 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, sheet margin at bottom, other sides full to slightly in, cancelled by two small ms. marks with matching “Champagnolle (Ark.) Apl. 28th (1863)” postmark on **adversity cover** to Arkadelphia Ark. made from **Haywood’s Balm Dandruff Treatment illustrated advertisement**, opened and refolded for display, Very Fine E. 300-400
- 748 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, half of right stamp broken off from pen cancel erosion, ms. “Bethel Tex. Apl. 11th” (1863) postmark on **wallpaper cover** to Austin Tex., Fine appearance despite the faulty stamp, a very scarce small Texas town adversity use E. 300-400
- 749 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, full margins, light corner crease top right, tied by “Pollard Ala. Sep. 25” circular datestamp on cover to Marianna Fla., Very Fine, a pretty cover, ex Hill..... E. 400-500
- 750 ☒ **Flat Rock N.C.** Two covers, first with horizontal pair of 5c Blue, Local (7), full to large margins with left sheet margin, grid cancels, “Flat Rock N.C. Mar. 31” circular datestamp on homemade buff cover to Columbia S.C., 1863 docketing on back, Extremely Fine, ex Kohn, also “Flat Rock N.C. July 5” circular datestamp with “Paid” and “10” handstamps on homemade cover to Greenville S.C., Very Fine and choice, ex Agre..... E. 200-300
- 751 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Large margins, tied by handstamp on homemade **newspaper wrapper** to Wytheville Va., ms. “October 3rd 1864” at top, trivial overall wear, Very Fine, scarce use overpaying the 2c rate E. 150-200



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- 752 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Horizontal strip of five with left sheet margin, large margins except where touching two stamps, couple tiny flaws from placement near edge, tied by **blue** "Columbia S.C. Jan. 2" (1865) circular datestamp on cover addressed to Edgar M. Lazarus, care of Capt. J. R. Mordecai on James Island S.C., ms. "1/1/65" docketing, wax seal on back, inconsequential small wax stain at bottom and small sealed top flap tear

VERY FINE 2-CENT RED JACK STRIP OF FIVE CANCELLED IN BLUE ON COVER — SENT TO THE "SIEGE TRAIN" ON JAMES ISLAND IN THE CHARLESTON HARBOR.

The South Carolina "Siege Train" was a special force of C.S.A. artillery that operated from James Island in an attempt to break the Union hold of Charleston Harbor. Captain Mordecai was assistant quartermaster and son-in-law of prominent Charleston resident Moses Mordecai..... E. 4,000-5,000



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- 753 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Horizontal strip of five, rich color, large margins to just clear at bottom of left stamps, sheet margin at left, tied by three strikes of "Marietta Geo. Jan. 1" New Year's Day circular datestamp on brown cover to Arkansas Senator Robert H. Johnson, address in beautiful script, some expert cover restoration on back at top and top left corner, still Very Fine, an attractive large franking of the 2c Red Jack paying the 10c rate..... E. 1,500-2,000



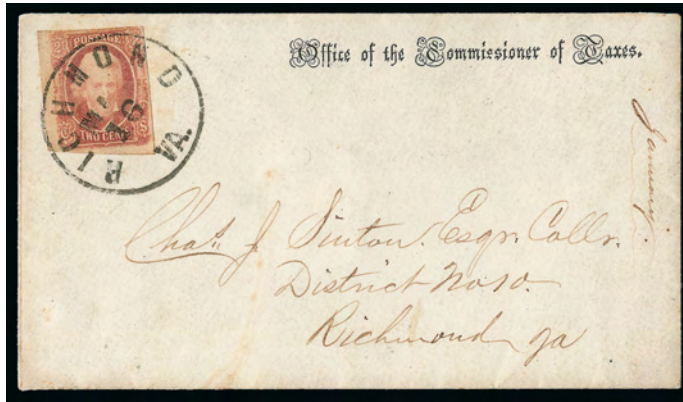
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- 754 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Two, large even margins, light diagonal creases and left stamp small tear, tied by lightly struck "Richmond Va. Jan. 3" circular datestamp on homemade oatmeal cover to Danville Va., Very Fine, rare double circular-rate usage, ex Howard P. Green, with 2000 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail for pair on cover is \$3,250.00.....
 E. 1,000-1,500



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- 755 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Horizontal pair, large margins to in especially at top right corner, tied by "Pittsylvania C.H. Va. Apr. 28" circular datestamp on blue cover to Adams Run S.C., from the Wise correspondence, ms. "Due 6cts" at top, Fine, unusual and scarce usage with 4c of the 10c rate paid in stamps and the remaining postage marked as due, with 1997 P.S.E. certificate, accompanied by biographical information on the Wise officers.....
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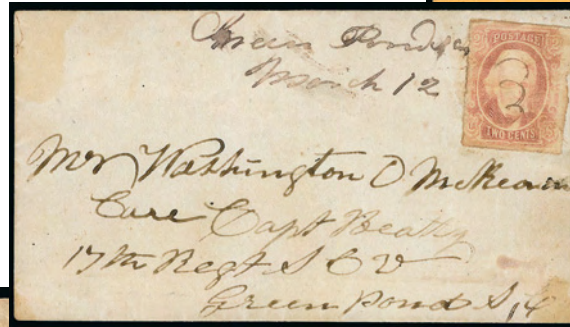


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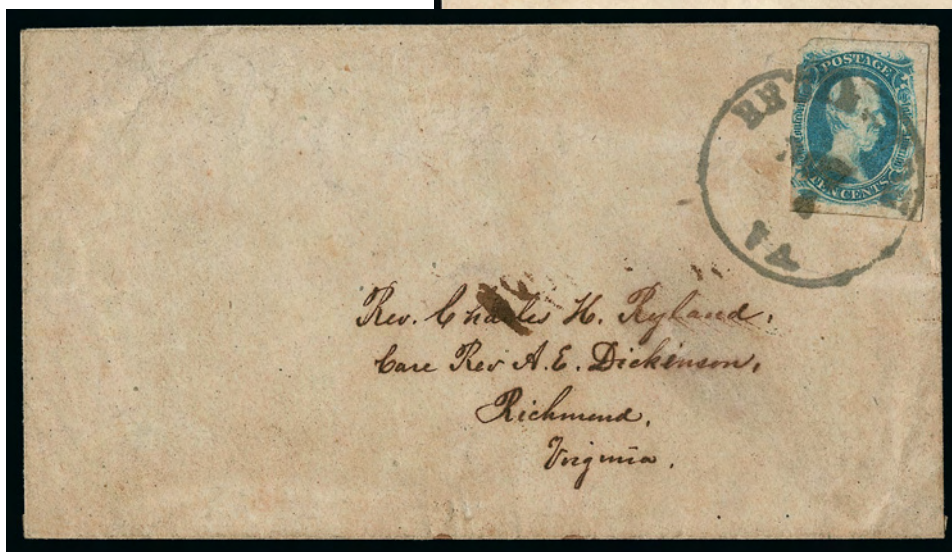
- 756 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Large margins to touched, tied by bold strike of "Richmond Va. Mar. 16" circular datestamp on "Office of the Commissioner of Taxes." imprint cover addressed locally, Very Fine and attractive drop letter usage, signed Dietz and with 1997 C.S.A. certificate, illustrated in 1983 P.F. booklet on the 2c 1863 issue by Brian Green.... E. 750-1,000
- 757 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Large margins bottom and left, clear other sides to just nicked at top left, tied by "Charleston S.C. Jan. 3, 1864" double-circle datestamp on small drop cover addressed locally, Very Fine, a pretty diminutive drop use, with 1981 P.F. certificate, signed Dietz and MacBride..... E. 750-1,000
- 758 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Large margins to just touched, cancelled by pen and with matching "Green Pond S.C. March 12" ms. postmark on small cover to local military address, stamp with few light scuffs, otherwise Fine..... E. 200-300
- 759 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Three huge margins incl. portion of adjoining stamp at top, touched at bottom, tied by "Richmond Va. Aug. 25" circular datestamp on legal-size drop cover to military surgeon in Richmond, ms. "Purveyor's Office, Official Business" endorsement at top, waterstains and folded in at left, appears Fine, ex Hall, with 2007 A.P.S. certificate..... E. 200-300



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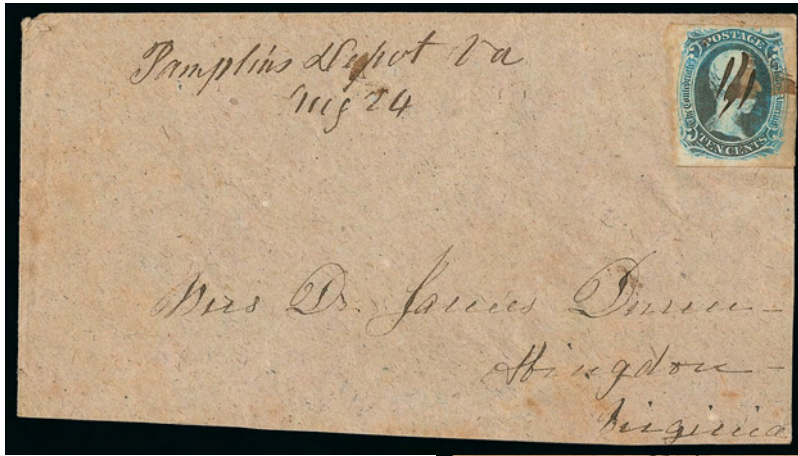


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- 760 ☒ **10c Gray Blue, "TEN" (9b).** Huge margins all around, bright color, pen-cancelled with matching "Clinton La. June 14/64" manuscript postmark on buff cover to Handsboro Miss., "Via Jackson, Miss. & Mobile" routing directive at bottom, barely reduced at left, Extremely Fine, a striking Jumbo-margined "Ten" on cover, ex Bleuler and Gross, the route directive would send the cover due north via Jackson, as Federal-occupied New Orleans was almost midway between Clinton and Handsboro..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 761 ☒ **10c Blue, "TEN" (9).** Full even margins, tied by "Charleston S.C. Jun. 23" circular date-stamp on small cover to Miss Minnie Mordecai in Columbia S.C., docketing at upper left, barely reduced at left, fresh and Very Fine, Moses Cohen Mordecai was Charleston's most prominent Jewish citizen before the war, his steamer *Isabel* (named after his wife) was the vessel that transported Major Robert Anderson and his men from Fort Sumter to the Union squadron following the first engagement of the war, accompanied by biographical information on Mordecai E. 1,000-1,500
- 762 ☒ **10c Blue, "TEN" (9).** Large margins to just in at left, light pre-use crease, tied by "Bruington Va. Nov. ?" circular datestamp on cover to Richmond Va., Fine, scarce town-mark, with 2008 C.S.A. certificate E. 300-400

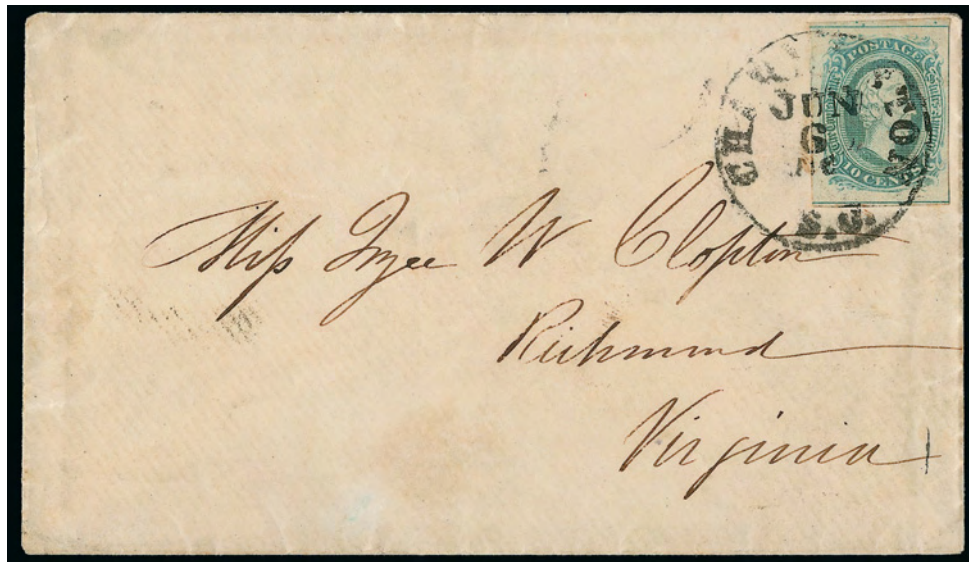


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- 763 ☒ **10c Blue, "TEN" (9).** Full to large margins, pen-cancelled with "Pamplin's Depot Va. Aug. 24" manuscript postmark on homemade cover to Abingdon Va., stamp with edge toning and cover slightly reduced at bottom, neither mentioned on accompanying certificate, Very Fine appearance, with 2000 C.S.A. certificate E. 300-400
- 764 ☒ **10c Blue, "TEN" (9).** Large margins to just in at bottom, small nick at right from separation but does not impact design, tied by two strikes of "Okolona Miss. Jul. 24" circular datestamp on **turned cover** to Bullock Ala., first use franked with 10c Milky Blue, Die B (12a), ms. cancel with matching "Oakley Ala. Jul. 11" postmark to military address in Pontotoc Miss., opened and folded over for display, Very Fine, a rare turned cover with the 10c "TEN"..... E. 1,000-1,500



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- 765 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Beautiful large margins at top and bottom showing complete framelines, full margins at sides, separated on frameline at right but much of it can still be seen, tied by "Charleston S.C. Jun. 6" circular datestamp on cover to Richmond Va., small repair on backflap
 VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A LOVELY 10-CENT FRAMELINE ON COVER. RARELY FOUND SHOWING SUCH A LARGE PORTION OF THE FRAMELINES.
 With 1982 P.F. certificate..... E. 2,000-3,000



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- 766 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Full to large margins showing full frameline at left and portion at bottom, tied by "Tuscaloosa Al. ? 8" circular datestamp on cover to Macon Ga., answer docketing at left, light staining and soiling not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Fine, with 1978 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 750-1,000
- 767 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Showing almost full framelines on two sides and trace of frameline at top, placed over U.S. 3c Red Nesbitt entire and tied by ms. "Junction No. 3 Oct. 13, 1863" postmark to Cowans Ford N.C., edgewear and seriously defective at left where torn open, stamp with small flaws, still scarce usage, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate ... E. 1,000-1,500
- 768 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Full frameline at left and significant parts at bottom and right, separated roughly well into stamp at top right, tied by "Morton Miss. Jul. 29" circular datestamp on small neat green cover to Howard Ga., Very Fine appearance despite the stamp flaw..... E. 500-750
- 769 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Large margins to full incl. full framelines on two sides and trace of frameline at bottom, tied by indistinct strike of "Shelbyville Tenn. Jun. 22" circular datestamp on homemade cover to Tullahoma Tenn., ms. "OB" at top left, some cover soiling and faults incl. repair at top left corner, otherwise Fine, rare Tennessee use of the 10c Frameline, most of the state was occupied by Federal forces by the time this stamp was issued, ex Boshwit..... E. 750-1,000



- 770 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A, B (11-12).** Three covers with single 10c stamps, one with enormous corner margins, pen-cancelled, small corner crease from affixing over top of cover far from design, an Extremely Fine Gem stamp, other two with stamps showing portions of imprint at bottom, Very Fine group(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 771 ☒ **10c Greenish Blue, Die A, Blue, Die B (11c, 12).** Two covers, No. 11c with large to full margins, strong color and impression, tied by "Richmond Va. May 2, 1863" circular datestamp on brown cover to Greenville Ga., Very Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate, No. 12 with large margins, tied by "Lynchburg Va. May 23" circular datestamp on brown cover to Lovington Va., corner and back tears, otherwise Very Fine(Photo Ex) E. 200-300
- 772 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Huge bottom **sheet margin with plate "No. 1"**, clear to full other sides, edge flaws from placement over corner of cover, tied by "Atlanta Ga. Nov. 12" (1863) circular datestamp on soldier's cover to Ewell's Corps, Richmond, with original enclosure datelined "Blackie Hospital, Atlanta, Wednesday, Nov. 11th '63", letter refers to the difficulty of writing home "since the late battle of Chicamauga, for I have had to remain all the time night and day right in the room which has contained 25 to 30 sick and wounded men. . . I can't get to read a paper one hour in each week.", Very Fine appearing and scarce plate number single on cover, made more desirable by the soldier content E. 500-750
- 773 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Bottom sheet margin with **part imprint**, torn from sheet producing irregular margins other sides, tied by "Savannah Ga. Paid Sep. 27?" (1864) circular datestamp on cover to assistant quartermaster in Macon Ga., answer docketing at left, stamp with some gum staining, otherwise Very Fine, scarce imprint single on cover E. 400-500
- 774 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, Die A (11a).** Gorgeous bright color, huge sheet margin at right, large to clear other sides, tied by bold strike of "Charleston S.C. May 8, 1863" circular datestamp on brown cover to Pendleton S.C., Extremely Fine and a very early use of the Keatinge & Ball stamp, Scott lists EDU as May 1, signed Brian Green E. 150-200
- 775 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Huge margins, faults incl. cut and small tear, pen-cancelled, on cover made from the page of an almanac or perhaps an astronomical table, to Confederate Vice President Alexander Stephens in Richmond, docketing on back indicates Liberty Va. origination, forwarded to Crawfordville Ga., with clear "**Forwarded 10**" octagonal handstamp, cover with water staining and other flaws, one corner folded up for display, Fine appearance, a nice combination of adversity usage and the Richmond forwarded handstamp E. 400-500



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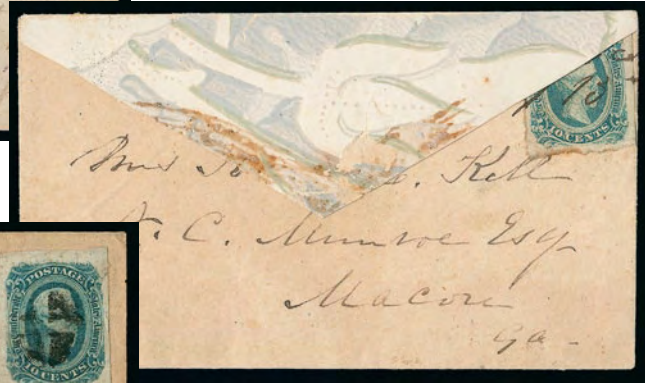


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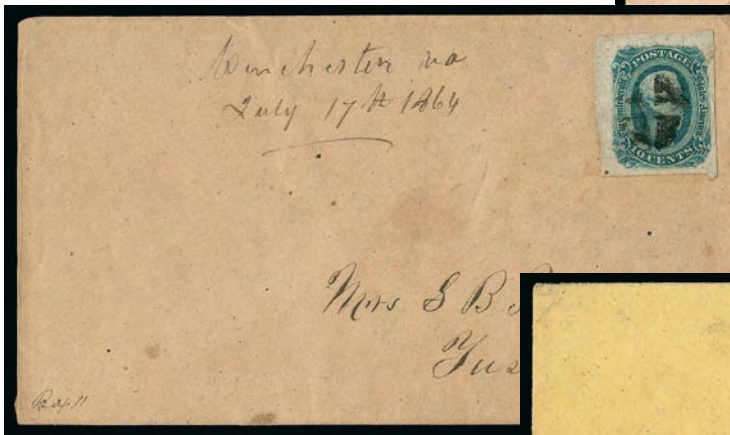
- 776 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Huge margins three sides, just clear at left, deep rich color, tied by “Richmond Va. Aug. 26” circular datestamp on yellow cover to Manson N.C. with **boxed** “North Carolina Depot, Richmond Va. Official Business.” imprint, small piece of top flap missing, minor edge nicks, otherwise Extremely Fine, a scarce semi-official imprint, the North Carolina Depot was located at Main and 8th Streets Richmond and issued clothing to North Carolina troops, an article about this cover by Patricia Kaufmann appeared in the *American Stamp Dealer* (Jan. 2010, copy included) E. 400-500
- 777 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Huge margins incl. sheet margin at right, tied by **blue** “Columbia S.C. Oct. 21” circular datestamp on **wallpaper adversity** cover to Camden S.C., some small cover tears and edge splitting, corner folded up for display, otherwise Very Fine cover and Extremely Fine stamp E. 400-500
- 778 ☒ **10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11c).** Large even margins, rich color, ms. cancel, matching ms. “Chickamauga Aug 29” **army field office postmark** on 1863 cover to Opelika Ala., flap removed, tiny tear at right, still an Extremely Fine example of this manuscript Army of Tennessee postmark, used prior to the fall of Chattanooga on Sep. 8, 1863, ex Walske..... E. 750-1,000
- 779 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Full even margins, tied by beautifully struck “JACKSON” **straightline** handstamp on cover to Macon C.H. S.C., some inconsequential toning around edges of stamp, Very Fine cover and strike, ex Skinner E. 500-750



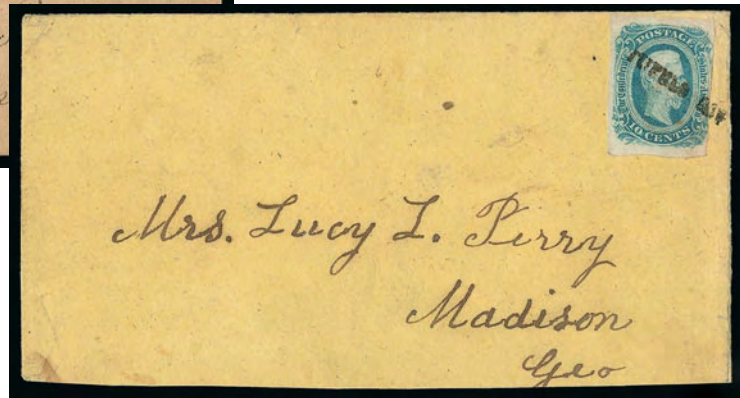
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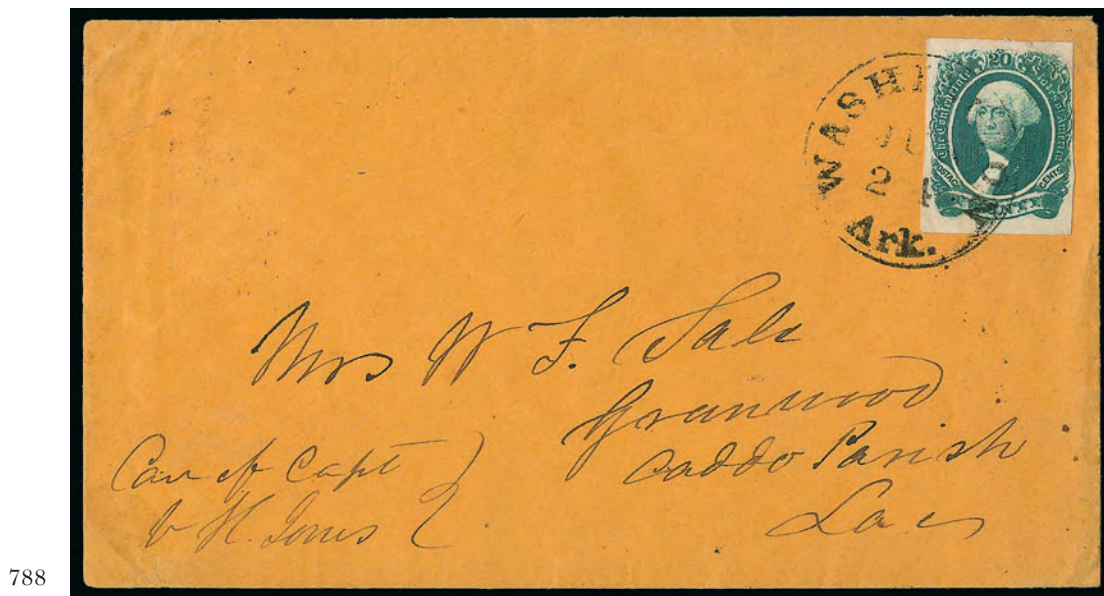


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- 780 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, Die B (12a).** Sheet margin at top, full to large at left and bottom, roughly separated at right slightly in, tied by "Jackson Miss. Nov. 23" circular datestamp on **blue, brown and white wallpaper cover** to Tibbee Station, Mobile & Ohio R.R. Miss., stamp with light horizontal crease, opened for display, Very Fine, the addressee is most likely the son of Henry L. Muldrow, a distinguished C.S.A. cavalry officer who later served in Congress and in the Grover Cleveland administration E. 500-750
- 781 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Full to large margins, some edge gum toning, tied by manuscript "Quitman Ga. Jul. 7, '63" postmark on small **gray and white wallpaper cover** to the wife of Lt. John Kell at Macon Ga., Very Fine, Kell was 1st officer of the *CSS Alabama*, a screw sloop-of-war which served as a commerce raider, attacking Union merchant and naval ships for two years until she was sunk by the *USS Kearsarge* in 1864 E. 500-750
- 782 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large to huge margins, beautiful deep shade and proof-like impression, cancelled by **small quartered cork with manuscript "Winchester Va. July 17th 1864" Army of the Valley District postmark** on manila homemade cover to Tuskegee Ala., Extremely Fine, the manuscript postmark and small "Crossroads" cancel are extremely rare, they were used briefly by Winchester postmaster Graves during the movement of Major General Early's Army of the Valley District in July 1864 (see Jaronski, "A Postal History of the Army of Northern Virginia", 1984 *Congress Book*, pp. 61-64), ex Walske E. 750-1,000
- 783 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to just in at lower right, tied by "**TUPELO MISS.**" straightline handstamp on small yellow cover to Madison Ga., missing bottom flap, Very Fine and rare marking, ex Skinner E. 500-750



- 784 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B, Keatinge & Ball (12 K&B).** Large margins to just touched at bottom right, cancelled by **Army of Northern Virginia 10-Bar Open Grid** on blue cover to Vance's Ferry S.C., small piece of backflap missing, Very Fine, ex Walske..... E. 200-300
- 785 ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Die B, Keatinge & Ball (12d K&B).** Large margins, gorgeous deep shade, tied by unusually clear strike of **Army of Northern Virginia 7-Bar Grid in Circle** cancel on homemade cover to Lenoir N.C., sender's endorsement "From G. W. F. Harper, 58th N.C. Regt. Care Lt. Davidson to Mail at Hickory Tavern", Extremely Fine, ex Judd and Walske E. 200-300
- 786 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large even margins, rich color, tied by **blue** "Columbia S.C. Nov. 17" circular datestamp on small cover to Flat Rock N.C., Very Fine and choice..... E. 150-200
- 787 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A, B (11-12).** 13 covers, nearly all are No. 11's, vast majority with four margin stamps and a few with quite large margins, couple color varieties incl. Milky Blue, different town uses, three with colored circular datestamps, a few faults but overall Very Fine, higher quality than often seen in groups of these covers.....*Not illustrated* E. 500-750



- 788 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Washington Ark. Jun. 24" circular datestamp on orange cover to Greenwood La., stamp with light diagonal crease at top right
VERY FINE APPEARANCE. THE 20-CENT GREEN IS EXCEEDINGLY RARE ON COVERS FROM ARKANSAS. The 20c Green was issued late in the war when most of Arkansas was under Union control.
Ex Winters and Boshwit. With 1994 P.F. certificate..... E. 2,000-3,000



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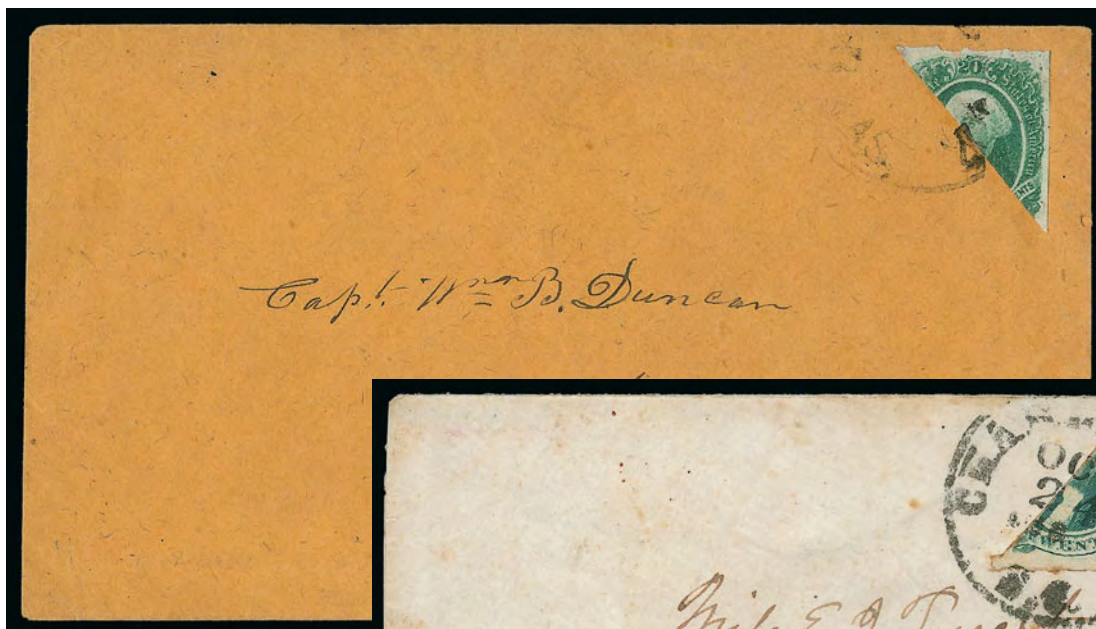
- 789 ☒ **20c Yellow Green (13a).** Large to full margins, tied by "Mount Lebanon La. Feb. 20" circular datestamp on cover to Shreveport La., 1865 docketing at right, minor wear, fresh and Very Fine, a choice 20c in a scarcer shade, ex Boshwit, with 1981 P.F. certificate 1,250.00
- 790 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Ample to large margins, tied by **red** "Petersburg Va. Dec. 17" circular datestamp on cover to Salem Va., three light stain spots, otherwise Very Fine, a beautiful and scarce cover with the 20c Green cancelled in red, ex Emerson and Brooks..... 1,450.00
- 791 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Mar. 25" circular datestamp on blue legal-size **War Department Semi-Official imprint** cover to Cottage House N.C. and **forwarded** to Hillsboro N.C., ms. "Cottage House N.C. April 1st Forwd. 10" ms. pmk., some overall wear, appears Very Fine, scarce usage, this is the only recorded 20c Green on a forwarded semi-official imprint cover..... E. 750-1,000



- 792 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Four margins, large at bottom, rich color, tied by **magenta** Augusta Ga. circular datestamp on blue cover to Montgomery Ala., small piece of one side flap missing, Very Fine, a most attractive cover and scarce with the violet handstamp, the Dietz Catalogue lists only five towns that used this color, ex Richey and Haas, signed Ashbrook..... E. 750-1,000
- 793 **10c Blue, Die A, 20c Green (11, 13).** Two covers, each made from **Fayetteville railroad schedule with illustrated locomotive**, No. 12 tied by Fayetteville double-circle datestamp on greenish cover to Raleigh N.C., No. 13 tied by Fayetteville circular datestamp on yellow cover to Raleigh, both stamps are defective and repaired, also cover repairs from edge splitting, still Very Fine and attractive pair of adversity covers.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 400-500
- 794 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Oct. 2, 1863" circular datestamp on orange legal-size cover to Lexington Va., red crayon "Due 10" at top right, docketed "after Reid's capture 1863 & 4", some edgewear incl. small piece out near stamp, Very Fine, probably due 10c for extra weight..... 1,250.00



- 795 ☒ **20c Green, Diagonal Half Used as 10c (13d, formerly 13c).** Bottom left diagonal half, large left margin, bottom clear, tied across the cut by bold "Savannah Ga. Nov. 8" (1864) circular datestamp on folded letter to Sumter S.C., contents a business letter signed "Henry Soller, Special Agt. Treas. Dept.", Very Fine, a fresh and desirable bisect use 2,000.00



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- 796 ☒ **20c Green, Diagonal Half Used as 10c (13d, formerly 13c).** Top right diagonal half, full margins, tied by indistinct Texas circular datestamp (from the Duncan correspondence, probably Liberty) on fresh orange cover to Galveston, Tex., Fine, with 2009 C.S.A. certificate and 1965 letter from Gordon Bleuler attesting to its authenticity 2,000.00
- 797 ☒ **20c Green, Diagonal Half Used as 10c (13d, formerly 13c).** Bottom right diagonal half, small toned spots, tied by bold strike of "Charleston S.C. Oct. 24 1863?" circular datestamp on cover to Anderson Court House S.C., edge nicks and diagonal piece out of back at bottom, still Fine appearance, signed Ashbrook and with 2006 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 798 ☒ **20c Green, Diagonal Half Used as 10c (13d, formerly 13c).** Bottom left diagonal half with huge margins, tied by "Montgomery Ala. Aug. 25" circular datestamp on brown homemade cover to Hayneville Ala., opening tear just under corner of stamp but not affecting it, otherwise Very Fine and fresh, ex Kaplan, with 1997 C.S.A. certificate 2,000.00

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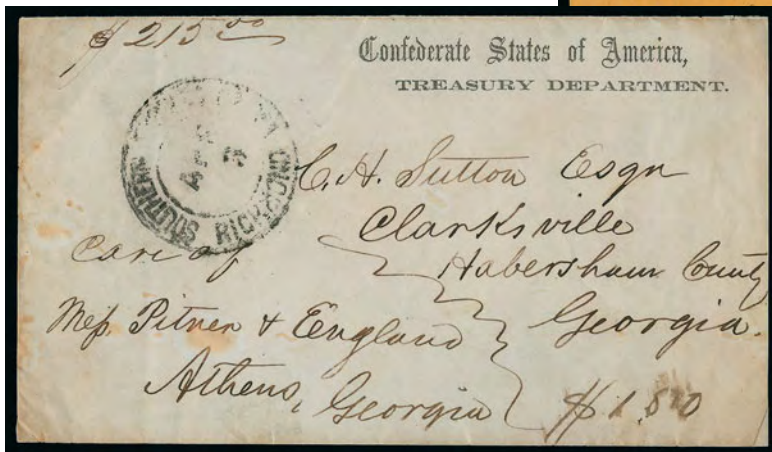
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- 799 ☒ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Two singles, each with clear to large margins, tied together by blue crayon, matching but lighter "Pd-CHP" manuscript endorsement by **Southern Express Augusta Ga. agent Charles H. Phelps** on brown homemade cover to Vicksburg Miss., Extremely Fine, a beautiful cover, a cover with similar Phelps initials is pictured in *Special Routes* (p. 185)..... E. 750-1,000
- 800 ☒ **Southern Express Co. Knoxville Tenn. Sep. 3.** Double-circle datestamp on brown cover to Cartersville Ga., ms. "75\$" refers to money enclosed, matching "Paid/EK/M" express rate notation, sender's forwarding notation at lower left, five neat wax seals on back, Very Fine, ex Hall, in the absence of a Confederate registry system, express companies were used to convey valuable mail matter..... E. 500-750
- 801 ☒ **Southern Express Co. Knoxville Tenn. Apr. 21.** Bold double-circle datestamp on ca. 1862 buff cover to Lynchburg Va., ms. "32c" express charge, "D.H." (Deadhead) notation, red Southern Express Co. wax seal, slightly worn, Very Fine, ex Hahn..... E. 400-500
- 802 ☒ **Southern Express Co. Richmond Va. Apr. 3.** Mostly clear strike of double-circle datestamp (ca. 1862) on "Confederate States of America Treasury Department" imprint entire to C.H. Sutton in Clarksville Ga., care of Pitner & England, ms "\$215.00" money contents noted at top and "1.50" express charge, some inconsequential age spotting and small corner repair, otherwise Very Fine, an extremely rare use of an official imprint entire with Southern Express marking, this is reported to be the only known Southern Express example with the Treasury Department imprint, ex Antrim..... E. 1,000-1,500

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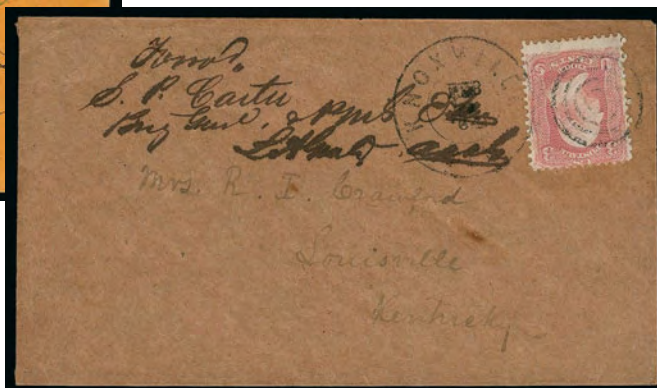
- 803 ☒ **Norfolk Va., Jan. 23, 1862.** Blue circular datestamp with matching "Paid 5c" in circle handstamp on inner **civilian flag-of-truce** cover with original letter from Philadelphia to Aiken S.C., outer envelope paying U.S. postage discarded at Fortress Monroe, C.S.A. postage paid by pasting **two 1838 U.S. half-dimes** to cover (overpaying rate by 5c), coins removed at Norfolk exchange point and cover now with two replacement half-dimes (one moved to reveal the Norfolk datestamp), tissue paper letter with some splitting and a piece of old scotch tape

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A DESIRABLE 1862 CIVILIAN FLAG-OF-TRUCE COVER WITH ORIGINAL LETTER TO SOUTH CAROLINA VIA OLD POINT COMORT AND NORFOLK.

This cover was exchanged on the C.S.A. side through Norfolk, before it was captured by Federal forces in May, 1862. It was sent late in the period when civilian flag-of-truce mail was tolerated. The enclosed letter is datelined Jan. 19 and reads in part: "Your letter two dated Aiken New Year's Day arrived yesterday with the warning in red ink 'letters hereafter must not exceed one page of notepaper or they will be rejected.' Comply carefully for we cannot do without hearing from you"..... E. 2,000-3,000



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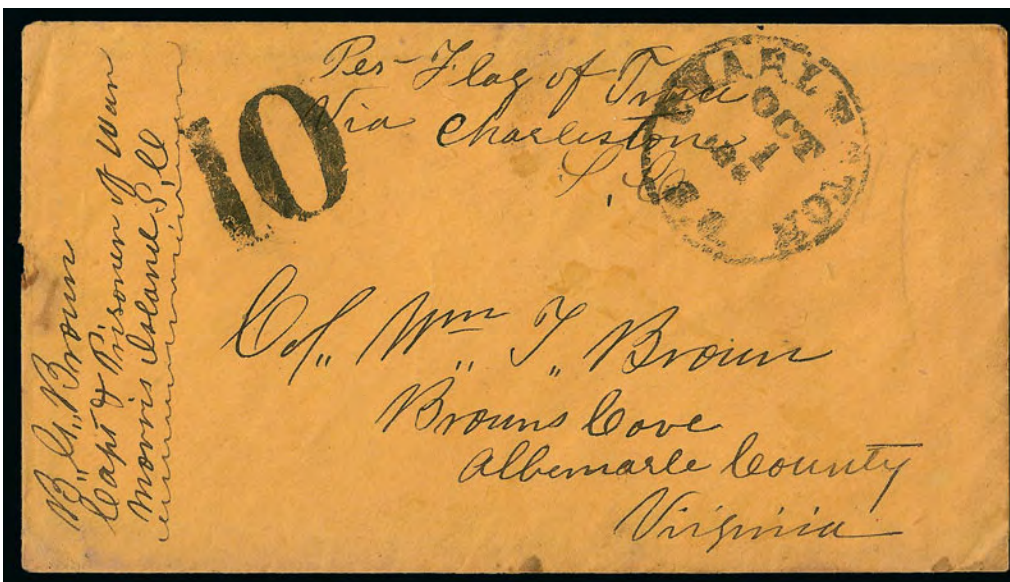
- 804 ☒ **Norfolk Va.** Blurry blue double-circle datestamp and matching "10" rate on orange 1862 **civilian flag-of-truce** cover to Clinton La., U.S. postage paid by 3c Deep Rose (65), corner slightly creased, tied by grid with matching "Perth Amboy N.J. Jan. 21" circular datestamp, ms. "Via Fortress Monroe" at bottom left, Fine, scarce use thru Norfolk exchange prior to capture by U.S. in May 1862, ex MacBride, Birkinbine and Walske E. 300-400
- 805 ☒ **Federal Provost Marshal, Knoxville Tenn.** Brown cover from Union-controlled Knoxville to Louisville Ky., censored with manuscript "Forwd. S.P. Carter Brig Genl. & PMG" and "L. A. Gratz aaag", 3c Rose (65) tied by target and "Knoxville Ten. Feb 1 '64" circular datestamp, research has failed to prove this was sent by a prisoner at the Federal Provost Marshal Prison in Knoxville, it may be a civilian flag-or-truce use, still Very Fine and in either case a desirable and rare cover, ex Walske E. 400-500

"IMMORTAL 600"



806

- 806 ☒ **"Immortal 600", Fort Pulaski Ga.** Buff inner prisoner-of-war cover to Arlington Va., endorsed "From C.E. Richards, Lt. 5th Kentucky Cav." and "Per Flag of Truce", pencil ms. "Ex" censor mark, "Charleston S.C. Jan. 7" (1865) circular datestamp and large "10" C.S.A. due handstamp, missing top flap, fresh and Very Fine cover from one of the C.S.A. prisoners who was used as a human shield on Morris Island and then transferred to Fort Pulaski, in retaliation for the use of Federal officers as human shields in Charleston, the recipient, Brig. Genl. Basil Duke, was one of the original "50" Confederate prisoners who were first ordered imprisoned at Morris Island — predecessors to the "Immortal 600", accompanied by an article on the "600" from *The American Stamp Dealer and Collector* by Patricia Kaufmann, which pictures and discusses this cover..... E. 500-750



807

- 807 ☒ **"Immortal 600", Morris Island S.C.** Inner prisoner-of-war cover to Browns Cove Va., endorsed "B. G. Brown, Capt. & Prisoner of War, Morris Island S.C." and "Per Flag of Truce Via Charleston S.C.", "Charleston S.C. Oct. 1, (1864)" circular datestamp and bold "10" due handstamp, Very Fine, in August 1864, approximately 600 Confederate prisoners were moved to Morris Island near Charleston by Federal forces, arriving on September 7, they were held in open barracks as "human shields" under direct shelling from Confederate forces in retaliation for Union prisoners being held in Charleston under shelling from U.S. forces, this cover is particularly desirable with the "Prisoner of war, Morris Island" docketing..... E. 1,000-1,500



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809

- 808 ☒ **Gettysburg Pa., Letterman General Hospital.** Buff prisoner-of-war cover from Lt. Col. Benjamin F. Little to his wife in Little's Mills N.C., endorsed "Through Comdg. Officer at Fortress Monroe Va." at lower left, manuscript "Examined, R. Bell Capt. & Prov. Marshal" censor's mark ties **3c Rose (65)**, also tied by blue grid, matching "Gettysburg Pa. 1863 Aug. 27" double-circle datestamp, partially struck Richmond circular datestamp and "Due 10" straightline handstamp for C.S.A. postage, docketing on top flap

VERY FINE LITTLE CORRESPONDENCE COVER FROM THE PRISON HOSPITAL ESTABLISHED NEAR THE GETTYSBURG BATTLEFIELD AND SENT VIA FLAG-OF-TRUCE TO RICHMOND.

Several covers from this correspondence are known with dual U.S. and C.S.A. frankings. The top left corner of the cover appears to have had a stamp affixed to it, but the "Due 10" straightline handstamp indicates that it was not there when it arrived at Richmond.

Benjamin Franklin Little was appointed captain in Company E, North Carolina 52nd Infantry Regiment, on April 28, 1862, and promoted to full lieutenant-colonel on July 3, 1863, the last day of the Battle of Gettysburg. During Pickett's Charge, Lt. Col. Little was severely wounded while leading his men and captured on the battlefield. After spending time at the Letterman Hospital at Gettysburg, he was transported on September 28 to West's Building Hospital in Baltimore, then to Ft. McHenry Prison on October 22, 1863. Records show he was mustered out on August 30, 1864, at Gettysburg. Parts of the Little correspondence are preserved at the Greensboro Historical Archives.

In the aftermath of the bloody battle of Gettysburg, approximately 22,000 soldiers of both armies required medical treatment, including thousands of wounded Confederate soldiers left behind as Lee began his retreat. Treatment of the wounded at Gettysburg was the responsibility of the Army of the Potomac. Dr. Jonathan Letterman, Medical Director for George G. Meade's Army issued orders on July 5, 1863, to establish a general hospital in the Gettysburg area and provide transportation and supplies to the site for treatment of the wounded. In his honor, the temporary hospital was named after him. The site chosen for the vast hospital camp was on the George Wolf Farm, roughly one and one-half miles east of Gettysburg on the York Pike. The hospital was ready by mid-July and staffed with a small army of surgeons, nurses, cooks, quartermaster and supply clerks while a detachment of infantry was detailed as camp guards to look after stores and hospitalized Confederate prisoners. Treated with equal care by the Union surgeons and nurses, the Confederate soldiers were later transported to northern prison camps before parole. Less than 100 patients remained at Camp Letterman by November 10 and it was officially closed a few weeks later. (from the *National Park Service* Gettysburg website at <http://www.nps.gov/archive/gett/gett-tour/sidebar/letterman.htm>).

Ex MacBride..... E. 1,500-2,000

- 809 ☒ **Battle of Gettysburg, Letterman or West's Hospital.** Buff inner prisoner-of-war cover to Lacy Springs Va., endorsed "Via Flag of Truce" at lower left, manuscript "Ex FRK" censor's mark, outer cover with U.S. postage discarded at exchange point, C.S.A. postage paid by **10c Blue, Die A (11)**, large margins to clear at left, tied by "Richmond Va. Aug. 25, 1863" circular datestamp, fresh and Very Fine prisoner-of-war cover, in the aftermath of the bloody battle of Gettysburg, approximately 22,000 soldiers of both armies required medical treatment, including thousands of wounded Confederate soldiers left behind as Lee began his retreat, the "Ex FRK" censor mark is known on Gettysburg prisoner covers from Letterman General Hospital and West's Building Hospital and was probably applied in Baltimore, accompanied by research on possibilities for identification of the Confederate soldier who sent the cover E. 750-1,000

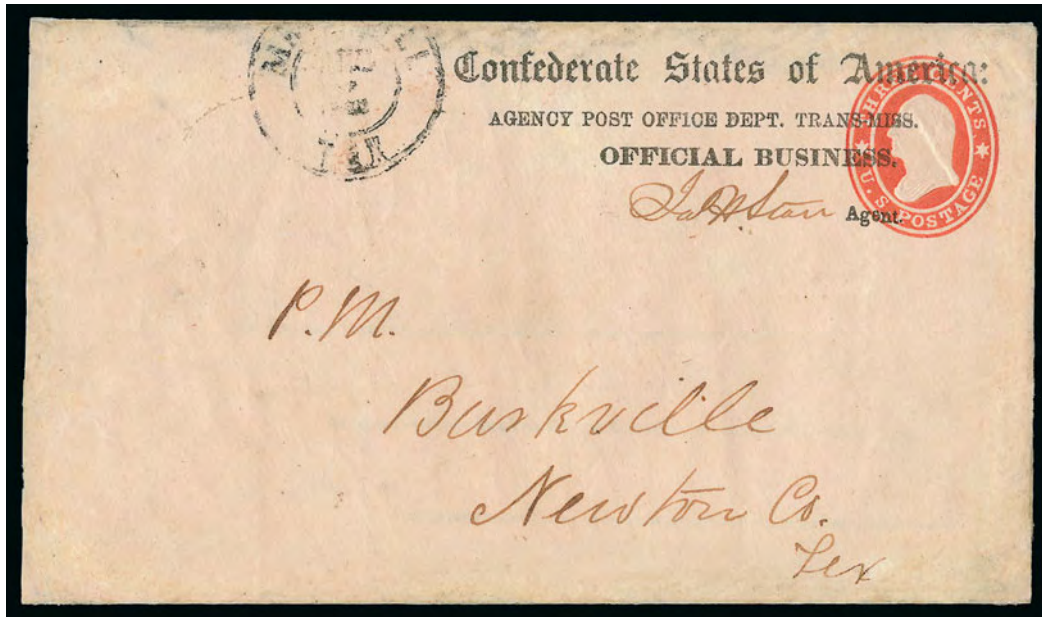


- 810 ☒ **Camp Chase, Columbus O.** Prisoner-of-war cover to Lexington Ky., manuscript examined marking at left appears to contain "Maj. Russ ADC" which is unlisted in Harrison book, 3c Rose (65) tied by target with matching "Columbus O. Oct. 5" (1862) double-circle datestamp, couple small edge tears and top flap tear, Fine..... E. 200-300

OFFICIAL MAIL

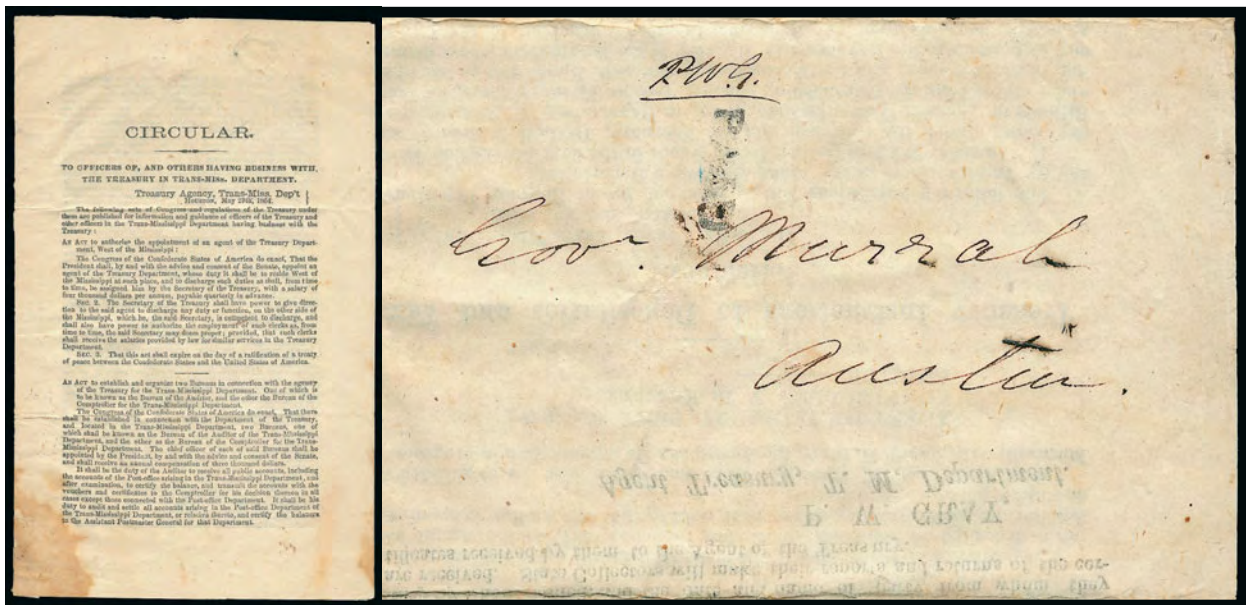
- 811 ☒ **Confederate States Marine Corps, Drewry's Bluff Va.** Manuscript "C.S.M.C." and "Paid" straightline on blue cover to Lieut. Edward Crenshaw at Drewry's Bluff Va., back with pencil "Receipt for Money Paid", with original two-page letter from Private Joseph Jones datelined "C.S. Str. Tallahassee, Wilmington N.C. Oct. 29th, 1864", missing one backflap, Very Fine and extremely rare Confederate Marine Corps cover and letter, accompanied by extensive biographical information on Crenshaw and a 1962 *Confederate Philatelist* article discussing a similar cover, which was at that time reported to be the first Marine Corps cover known..... E. 750-1,000
- 812 ☒ **"Headqrs. Sub Dist. North La. O.B. Very Important and with the utmost despatch."** Ms. endorsement on legal-size cover carried by military courier to Maj. G. M. Bryan, "Monroe" crossed out and directed "On the Road to Shreveport", vertical fold, Very Fine ... E. 200-300
- 813 ☒ **Post Office Department, Official Business, Chief of the Appointment Bureau.** Dietz Ty. IV, signed by B.N. Clements and on **U.S. 3c Red Star Die entire (U26)** to Postmaster Gravel Hill Va., "Richmond Va. Oct. 3, 1863" circular datestamp with matching "Free" handstamp, Very Fine E. 400-500

TRANS-MISSISSIPPI EXPRESS



814

- 814 ☒ **Agency Post Office Dept., Trans-Miss., Official Business, Agent.** Similar to Dietz Ty. I (except second line in caps), signed by Jas. H. Starr, on 3c Red Star Die entire (U26) to the postmaster of Burkville Tex., light strike of "Marshall Tex." double-circle datestamp (1864, date unclear), cover re-addressed inside, though if a turned usage it did not enter the mails a second time, trivial cosmetic improvement along edges and expertly cleaned, Very Fine and extremely rare, Starr was appointed the Agent for the Trans-Mississippi Department in Feb. 1864 and has been the subject of extensive new archival research by Vince King, ex Green, with 2000 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 1,000-1,500



815

- 815 ☒ **Trans-Mississippi Dept. Circular, May 29th, 1864.** Clear strike of Houston Tex. "PAID" straightline on back of "Treasury Agency, Trans-Miss. Dep't" five-page circular to Texas Governor Pendleton Murrah, endorsed "PWG" above the straightline by Peter W. Gray, agent of the Trans-Mississippi Department, E.H. Cushing Printers, Houston imprint on last page, circular covers the act establishing the Department, regulations relating to it and instructions to depositaries and tax collectors, stain at bottom left and some general minor wear, Very Fine, an outstanding Confederate item and extremely rare both as a Trans-Mississippi Dept. original document and as a Confederate circular E. 1,000-1,500



816

- 816 ☒ **Perote Ala. Feb. 11, 1863.** Perfect strike of circular datestamp with year date in error (should be 1864), matching bold "Paid" straightline and ms. "40" rate on cover to Monroe La., endorsed "*Express mail via Brandon Miss.*", address is faded but still legible, most of top flap missing and repaired at top barely into top right of postmark

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE WESTBOUND 40-CENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI POST OFFICE EXPRESS COVER WITH THE HANDSTAMPED "PAID". THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED WESTBOUND EXAMPLE WITH THIS MARKING.

The Krieger census lists this cover (E17) but at the time the census was published a full picture of it was not available. The census lists only two handstamped "Paid" Trans-Mississippi Express covers — one Eastbound and this one Westbound.

Ex Kohn. With 1987 A.P.S. and 1990 C.S.A. certificates, neither of which mentions any flaws..... E. 2,000-3,000



817

- 817 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Two singles, margins virtually all around, tiny erosion spot at top of left stamp and light crease right stamp, tied by "Richmond Va. Apr. 3" (1864) circular datestamp on cover to Rocky Mount, La., manuscript "*Per Express Via Brandon, Miss.*", some cover aging and barely reduced at right

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE 40-CENT WESTBOUND GOVERNMENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI EXPRESS RATE PAID WITH THE 20-CENT GENERAL ISSUE AND DIRECTED "PER EXPRESS VIA BRANDON MISS."

This cover was sent by Private Robert R. Hanks of the the 9th Louisiana Infantry, to his wife. Hanks was captured as a POW at the Rappahannock River on Nov. 11, 1863 and was exchanged in March 1864, just before this cover was sent.

Krieger Census no. E20. From our 1983 and 1987 Rarities sales. With 1983 P.F. certificate..... E. 2,000-3,000

BLOCKADE-RUN MAIL



818

- 818 ☒ **Nassau to Milledgeville Ga. via Charleston.** Clear strike of "Charleston N.C. Jan. 31 1864" circular datestamp, "Steam Ship" oval handstamp and ms. "12" in pencil (10c plus 2c ship fee) on **blockade-run** cover addressed to Gov. Joseph E. Brown in Milledgeville Ga., "per steamer *Little Hattie*" directive at top, receipt docketing vertically across front with list of vessels, enclosure datelined "*Nassau N.P. Dec. 5 1864*" headed J. C. Bailie, who worked for Adderley & Co. in Nassau (writing faded), Very Fine, ex Ballard, carried on blockade runner *Little Hattie*, 10 for 12 in successful trips..... E. 1,000-1,500



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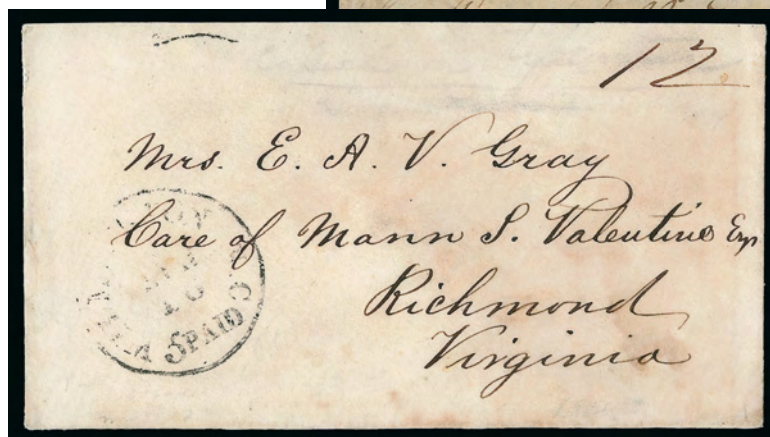
- 819 ☒ **Berlin to Richmond via Charleston S.C.** Partly legible strike of "Charleston S.C. Apr. 10" circular datestamp with oval "**Steam-Ship**" handstamp and pencil "12" rate (10c plus 2c ship fee) on **blockade-run** cover originating Aug. 9 (1864) in Berlin, Germany to Miss. Valentine at Richmond Va., missing top flap and toning, Fine, ex Agre, with 1987 and 2002 C.S.A. certificates, carried on the blockade runner *Chicora* from Nassau..... E. 750-1,000



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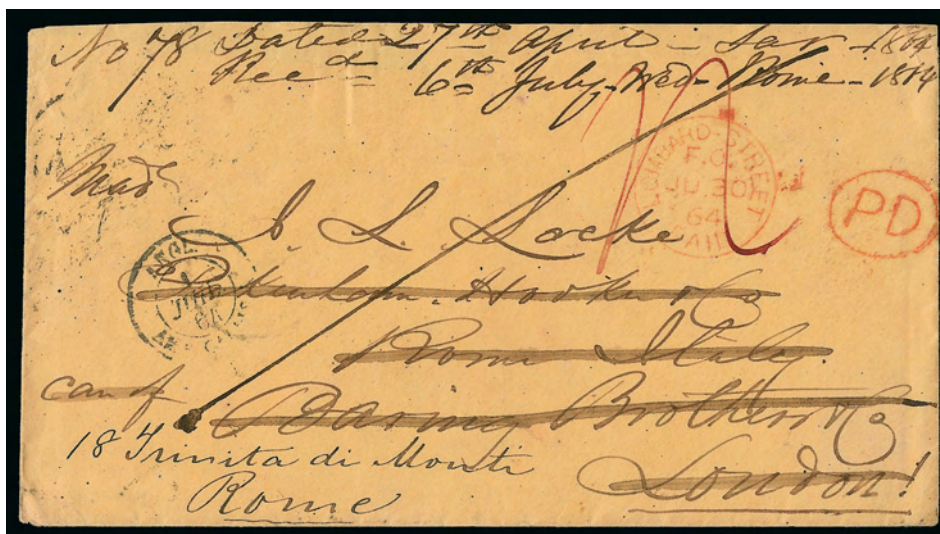
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- 820 ✉ **Liverpool to Petersburg via Wilmington N.C.** "Wilmington N.C. Aug. 13." circular datestamp and "SHIP" straightline handstamp with ms. "12" crossed out and re-rated "Due 22" for double 10c rate and 2c ship captain's fee on **blockade-run** folded letter datelined "Liverpool 4th July 1863" to Petersburg Va., notation on back "Ford. by G. C. & Co." (George Chambers & Co. Nassau), heavily dampstained and some paper erosion, otherwise Fine..... E. 750-1,000
- 821 ✉ **Nassau to Petersburg via Wilmington N.C.** Fully struck "Wilmington N.C. 5 Paid Feb. 12" integral-rate circular datestamp converted from 3c rate, matching "SHIP" straightline and ms. "12" rate (10c plus 2c ship fee) on incoming **blockade-run** cover to Petersburg Va., directed to "Polite attention of Geo. Campbell Esq.", very slightly age-toned, most of backflap removed and slightly reduced at top, still Fine and scarce, carried on the blockade-runner *Mary Ann*, arriving from Nassau on Feb. 10, 1864, ex Lehman, Everett and Walske..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 822 ✉ **Richmond via Wilmington N.C.** Mostly clear strike of modified "Wilmington N.C. 5 Paid Apr. 16 (1864)" integral-rate circular datestamp, ms. "12" ship rate (10c plus 2c ship fee) on incoming **blockade-run** cover to Richmond Va. *care of Mann S. Valentine*, no contents and no remaining docketing, erasure at top which may have been docketing, missing top flap and some light toning, otherwise Fine, with 1988 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 500-750



823

- 823 ☒ **Wilmington N.C. to Heidelberg, Germany, via England and France.** Outbound **blockade-run** cover from the Watson correspondence, detailed Mar. 30, 1863 receipt docketing on back, no apparent Nassau or Bermuda datestamps, carried by private ship to Great Britain, "Liverpool Ship Mr. 28, 1863" boxed handstamp and red London Mar. 28 ship-letter transit datestamp on back, "GB/1F60c" Anglo-French accountancy handstamp and French transit datestamp, blue crayon "1fl 15" collect postage, Very Fine, a rare blockade-run cover to Germany, Henry Watson Jr. was a lawyer and planter in Greensboro Ala., during the Civil War he relocated to Europe, his papers (including the letter carried in this cover) can be found in the Duke University Libraries (<http://library.duke.edu/digitalcollections/rbmscl/watsonhenry/inv/>) E. 1,000-1,500



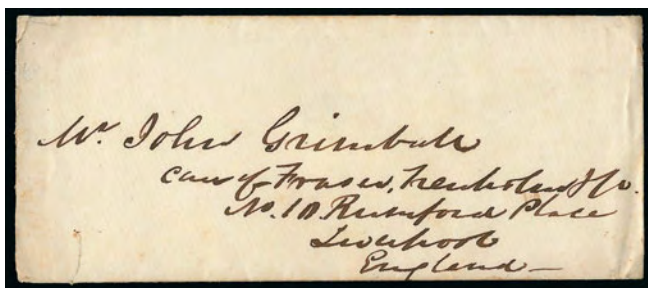
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- 824 ☒ **Savannah Ga. to Rome (Italy) via Wilmington, Bermuda and St. Thomas.** April 27, 1864 origin date on outbound **blockade-run** cover to Mrs. John Lorenzo Locke in Rome, in care of Baring Brothers in London and Parkenham & Hooker in Rome, manuscript "1/" shilling prepaid packet postage, delivered to Baring Brothers, who re-mailed it at nearby Lombard Street post office, red "Lombard Street Paid JU 30 64" circular datestamp and red "PD" in oval, Marseille, Paris and Rome backstamps, Jul. 6 receipt docketing, part of top flap missing, Very Fine, from the famed Locke correspondence, while the cover lacks clear transit markings prior to arrival in London, Steven Walske's notes on the back indicate the cover was carried aboard the blockade-runner *Helen II*, departing Wilmington May 12, 1864 and arriving Bermuda May 16, then carried on the *Merlin*, leaving Bermuda June 3 and arriving St. Thomas June 9, then aboard a Royal Mail steamer leaving June 15 and arriving Southampton June 29, most covers from this correspondence went through Nassau, including a cover that was mailed more than three weeks after this one yet arrived in Rome on July 4th, two days before this cover E. 1,000-1,500



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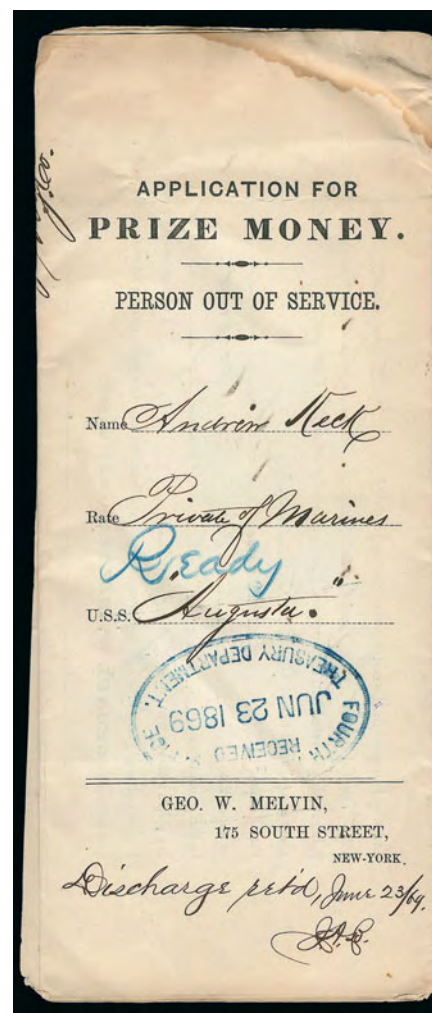
- 825 ☒ **Summerville S.C. to Liverpool via Wilmington and Nassau.** Small outbound **blockade-run** cover addressed to Mrs. C. L. Burckmyer, in care of Fraser Trenholm & Co. in Liverpool, England, entered British Mails with "Bahamas AP 16, 1864" circular dates-tamp on back, unpaid with 2sh due, comprising 1sh packet postage to England and 1sh penalty fee, blue crayon "1/5 + 7 = 2/" accounting (1p plus half of penalty retained by Bahamas P.O.), Liverpool receiving datestamp (May 28, 1864), minor edgewear and backflap tears, still Very Fine, ex Myers, with 2004 P.F. certificate E. 1,500-2,000



826

- 826 ☒ **Spartanburg S.C. to Liverpool, England.** Small outbound **blockade-run** cover to "Mr. John Grimball, care of Fraser, Trenholm & Co." in Liverpool, possibly addressed to "Mr." to disguise the fact that Grimball was a Confederate Naval officer, no postal markings but incl. photocopy of the original letter datelined "Spartanburg S.C. June 28, 1864", Very Fine, a desirable outbound blockade run cover with military connection, possibly carried from Charleston on the blockade-runner *Lynx* which departed July 1 for Bermuda, the *Lynx* was a Fraser Trenholm ship and the Firm was a major principal in the blockade-running business, Lieutenant John Grimball's 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, he was assigned to service abroad on Jan. 6, 1864, and was appointed to the famed C.S.S. *Shenandoah* on Oct. 8, 1864, the *Shenandoah's* exploits continued months after the end of the war, as she captured whalers for prize, Lt. Grimball was present when the first and last shots of the war were fired..... E. 400-500

- 827 **Prize Court, Applications for Prize Money.** Approximately 10 folded legal applications from sailors for claims of portions of "prize money" due to them from service on Union Civil War ships which captured Confederate vessels, dated from 1864 through late 1860's, several with revenue stamps affixed, variety of formats, ships and styles of document, one has a sailor's discharge papers attached, faults to be expected but overall a Fine and fascinating group of documents (Photo Ex) E. 300-400



827EX

CONFEDERATE STATES GROUP LOTS

- 828 ☒ **Confederate Military-Related Covers (6, 11, 11c, 12).** Four covers, incl. No. 6 horizontal pair, tied by "Lexington Va. Nov. 28" (1864) circular datestamp on legal-size cover to "*Col. William McLaughlin, (Chief of Artillery), Genl Williams Army, Narrows of New River Va. via Dublin Depot*", stained spots and minor edge tears, No. 11c tied by two strikes of **Army of Northern Virginia 7-Bar Open Grid** on cover to Mockville N.C, small corner repair, Nos. 11 and 12, each with large left sheet margin, tied by **Army of Northern Virginia 11-Bar and 10-Bar Open Grid** cancels, respectively, on separate covers, both with flaws, overall Very Fine appearing group, all ex Walske..... E. 400-500
- 829 ☒ **Confederate Soldier's Covers.** Three covers, first with "Monticello La. Jul. 8" circular datestamp with "Paid" handstamp and ms "5", soldier's endorsement, scarce town mark, other two are both due covers with "10" handstamps, from Charleston and Greenville S.C. respectively, Very Fine trio..... E. 300-400
- 830 ☒ **Confederate States Cover Balance.** Eight covers, nice variety of uses and stamps, incl. 10c Die A (11) with large even margins on immaculate appearing Office of the Commissioner of Taxes cover, cover has been refolded and worked but appears Extremely Fine, Jan. 1861 use from Augusta Ga. to France but missing its stamps, Treasury Dept. corner card from Richmond with "Paid 5cts." handstamp, U.S. 3c 1861 Issue (65) used on Jan. 1864 cover with Miamiville O. Camp Dennison circular datestamp to Will Gove O., No. 12 on cover to Signal Corps Army Northern Virginia, No. 4 with Victoria Tex. circular datestamp retraced in orange, couple others, Very Fine appearing group..... E. 500-750
- 831 ☒ **Confederate Stamped Cover Balance.** 13 covers, incl. No. 62X3 (cut in at left), two covers with No. 1, single covers with Nos. 2 and 4, the remainder No. 7 with all but one franked with a pair, the single used on an obsolete U.S. Star Die entire (stamp faulty), some cover or stamp faults to be expected, generally Fine with a few Very Fine..... 2,515.00

END OF SESSION TWO

SESSION THREE (LOTS 832-991)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2011, AT 10:30 A.M.

UNITED STATES POSTAL HISTORY

STAMPLESS AND POSTAL HISTORY BY STATE

- 832 ☒ **“Albany 1ye 21 of Decemb 1696”.** Dateline on folded **autograph letter signed by Robert Livingston to Andrew Russell in Rotterdam, Holland**, red crayon “X I” marking indicating eight stuyvers due for transit across England, three stuyvers for delivery to Rotterdam (according to Cal Hahn), letter is difficult to read but mentions attacks on forts, in excellent condition for an early Colonial transatlantic letter
VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE EARLY LETTER FROM ONE OF THE WEALTHIEST AND MOST INFLUENTIAL MEN OF 17TH CENTURY COLONIAL AMERICA.
Fort Orange was established by the Dutch in 1624. In 1664 the Dutch relinquished Albany to British control. In 1686, largely due to the influence of Robert Livingston, Albany was granted the “Dongan Charter”, recognizing it as a city. Early letters from Albany are extremely rare, and this one from Robert Livingston, an iconic figure in New York history and in Colonial America as a whole, is outstanding. E. 1,500-2,000
- 833 ☒ **Pensa F. Oct. 15.** Neat strike of fleuron-type circular datestamp with ms. “50” rate notation on 1833 folded cover to Dr. George Morton in Va., endorsed “*mail via Milledgeville*” bottom flap also with endorsement “*The Post Master at Rockham Town will oblige a friend by forwarding this as soon as possible to Doct. Morton*” and signed by Jackson Morton, opened for display, some slight wear, Very Fine, Morton Jackson was a prominent Senator from Florida, and a member of the Confederate congress from 1862-65. E. 200-300
- 834 ☒ **Florida and New Orleans Stampless Covers.** Two covers, first “St. Marks Fla., Dec. 31st” manuscript postmark with matching “10” rate on 1849 folded letter to Petersville Conn., vertical file fold, some edge tears and edgewear, still Very Fine, scarce, also “New Orleans Febr. 17, 1810” dateline on folded letter to Secretary of the Navy in Washington, purple “PHI 14 MY” circular datestamp with matching “Free” handstamp, minor wear, Very Fine, carried outside of the mails to Philadelphia, during this time maritime frictions with England had become acute, setting the stage for the War of 1812 **(Photo Ex)** E. 200-300
- 835 ☒ **Indian Territory Covers.** 24 covers (a few are postcards), dates range from 1891-1907, franked with Bureau issues of those decades or on entires, range of nations and originations with 14 Chickasaw incl. Connersville on leather postcard, nine Cherokee and one Choctaw, little duplication of towns, some faults to be found, overall Fine-Very Fine..... *Not illustrated* E. 500-750
- 836 ☒ **Kansas Postal History.** 15 covers, mostly franked with Large Banknote stamps but also several earlier, incl. 3c Banknote on beautifully engraved Atchison Foundry Works cover, two different Fort Larned incl. one with 3c 1861, 3c 1857 tied by “Olathe Kan. Jul. 23” circular datestamp, 3c 1861 with Pawnee Fork circular datestamp (reduced into stamp), Cimarron horseshoe cancel, “Louisburg, Kan. May 7, ‘81” straightline, many others, some stamp and cover flaws, otherwise Fine-Very Fine *Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000
- 837 ☒ **“Express Mail”.** Two covers with sender’s endorsement, 1838 folded letter from New Orleans to **London** via New York forwarder, red “New Orleans La. May 13” circular datestamp and matching “Paid” handstamp, ms. “1.50” express rate, ms. “3/2” due, second is 1837 cover from New Orleans to Petersburg Va., “75” express rate, file folds, Very Fine **(Photo Ex)** E. 200-300
- 838 ☒ **Postal History Collection from the George Perkins Estate, New Bedford, Mass.** Large collection housed in binders and stored in nine Priority Mail boxes, huge number and variety of covers, from stampless through early 20th Century, some collected by the owner but the bulk from the files of the New Bedford law firm of Prescott, Bullard & McLeod and its predecessor firms which date to the 1820’s (and handled the Col. E.H.R. Green estate), the large number of stampless date beginning 1820’s and incl. domestic as well as group of incoming ship letters, stamped covers 1851 Issue forward, incl. very extensive group of advertising and illustrated, an unfortunate 1862 Patriotic from Honolulu with stamp removed, 3c entire from New Bedford to Honolulu, some foreign inbound, a group from early 1900’s used from U.S. Postal Agency Shanghai, postcards, railroads, WWI soldier’s mail, diplomatic mail, etc., also a collection of U.S. and foreign stamps and revenues, mixed condition but an interesting group and less frequently seen original business correspondence from this period, Perkins was well-known in numismatic circles for his collection of Colonial Connecticut Cents *Not illustrated* E. 2,000-3,000
- 839 ☒ **Massachusetts Covers.** 46 covers, 28 from Northampton with the earliest a 1796 use (manuscript postmark), the majority of the Northampton stampless but a few with stamps, covering mostly 1820’s-40’s with a couple later, also Boston straightline from 1800, ten later Boston postal cards from 1870’s-80’s, few other towns stampless incl. Harrison Square fancy scroll, Fine-Very Fine group *Not illustrated* E. 400-500



- 840 ☒ **Massachusetts Stampless Covers.** 12 covers, all but one are folded letters, better cancels incl. red South Dedham "Paid 3" in circle with flowers, three 1830's Dedham double-line boxed datestamps in red and blue, two with W. Brookfield Ms. straightlines, N. Brookfield ms. with red "Railroad Car" straightline, five W. Brookfield fancy oval incl. two in red, Very Fine group
.....Not illustrated E. 500-750
- 841 ☒ **Holly Springs Miss. Postal History.** 35 covers, majority stampless but also some with 1851-57 Issues and entires, one a C.S.A. use with pair of 5c London (6), variety of destinations, few different circular datestamps represented, a number of covers with content, Fine-Very Fine group.....
.....Not illustrated E. 200-300
- 842 ☒ **New Hampshire Stampless Covers.** Two covers, first beautiful strike of "PORTSMOUTH/MARCH 31" two-line datestamp on unrated folded cover addressed to Nicholas Gilman as Member of Congress in New York, minor wear, Very Fine strike, probably ca. 1789 use, second "Bath N.H. Mar. 22" red circular datestamp with matching "Paid 3" in circle handstamp on cover to Lyman N.H., with **embossed steamship design** at upper left, box charge no. at top center, Very Fine, a pretty cover
.....Not illustrated E. 200-300
- 843 ☒ **New Hampshire Covers.** 23 mostly stampless covers, incl. 1788 Portsmouth straightline, manuscript Piscataqua, five from Hanover incl. negative blue, red double oval of dots and three circular datestamps, also group with 3c 1868 Grills (defective), overall Fine-Very Fine group
.....Not illustrated E. 500-750
- 844 ☒ **New-York Ship Dec. 7.** Red circular datestamp with matching "30" rate handstamp on folded cover to Fair Haven Mass., endorsed "pr Crescent City", light vertical file folds and some soiling, still Very Fine cover, scarce 30c rate on mail from the West Coast E. 200-300
- 845 ☒ **Civilization of America.** Blue cover with J. Valentine imprint at bottom, depicting the civilizing of America with Indians and pilgrims at lower left progressing thru trains at right, red "New-York 5cts. Apr. 17" circular datestamp and used to Boston, small corner repair at bottom right, otherwise Very Fine, very few used examples are known, ex Grunin, with 2010 P.F. certificate.. E. 400-500
- 846 ☒ **IRVING/MAY 24/NY.** Three-line datestamp in octagonal double-line frame boldly struck in red with ms. "F. Th B Stoddard PM" free frank on 1837 folded letter to Geneva N.Y., Extremely Fine, gorgeous strike of this scarce town marking..... E. 200-300
- 847 ☒ **Sandy Hill N.Y. Half-Dime Rate Handstamp.** In **red** and **green**, red handstamp with matching "Sandy Hill N.Y. June 25" dotted oval datestamp on folded cover to Schuylerville N.Y. docketed 1846, slightly toned but a sharp detailed strike, green handstamp with matching "Paid" and "Sandy Hill N.Y. Dec. 11" dotted oval datestamp on 1845 folded letter to Albany, eagle design shows clearly, accompanied by a third folded letter dated Oct. 1844 with Sandy Hill oval, "Free" and postmaster's free frank, Very Fine, the rate marking was impressed from the reverse of a Capped Bust Half-Dime (minted 1829-37), these are the only two recorded examples according to Hahn.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 500-750



- 848 ☒ **“Southville N.Y. Dec. 24 Paid” Printed Town Marking.** Printed circular for **Temperance** advocates to “Sons of Temperance” at Sag Harbor N.Y. (address in manuscript), printed content dated Carthage N.Y. Dec. 23, 1852, from Rev. Joseph P. Livingston, editor of *Sinai and Calvary Reporter*, usual diatribe against alcohol, docketed with Jan. 6, 1853 receipt date, some faint toning along file fold, otherwise Very Fine, this rare printed postmark is noted by Cal Hahn as listing item E. 200-300
- 849 ☒ **New York Straightlines with Free Franks.** Three, “Springville N.Y.” with ms. May 6 (1842) date and “Samuel Lake Postmaster free” frank on folded letter, “Rochester NY/May 29” two-line date-stamp to comptroller’s office in Albany with ms. “Free” on cover docketed 1815 (ex Jarrett), and “brownish “Walworth, N.Y.” straightline with ms. Mar. 19 date and “Free T. G. Yeomans PM” frank to state treasurer at Albany, file folds, all three Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a scarce and attractive group(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 850 ☒ **New York “Steamship” Rates.** 19 folded letters, mostly early 1860’s, incoming to New York from the Lanman & Kemp correspondence with 10c steamship rate (three with 20c rate), most via Havana, variety of forwarders, one cover is to Liverpool, Very Fine group Not illustrated E. 400-500
- 851 ☒ **Wm. Bryan, Agent of the Texian Post Office Dt., New Orleans.** Large double-line oval hand-stamp on back, ms. “Fleming N.Y. Dec. 3d” and “Paid 18¾” rate on 1839 folded letter to Austin City Tex., Jan. 5, 1849 receipt docketing, slight wear along folds, Fine..... E. 200-300
- 852 ☒ **(Fall River Mass.) “STEAM-BOAT”.** Two folded covers to New Bedford Mass., each with deep red framed handstamp, matching “Fall River Ms.” circular datestamps dated May 18 and July 6, 1837, ms. “10” rate, light vertical file folds, Very Fine pair of covers.....(Photo Ex) E. 200-300
- 853 ☒ **STEAMBOAT MAIL FROM BOSTON.** Printed directional marking with pointing hand on two yellow covers with part-printed address to **Saint John, New Brunswick B.N.A.**, each with New York circular datestamp and “U. States” or “United States” ovals, 1859 damaged at left, 1861 Very Fine.....(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 854 ☒ **Richmond Va. to England.** Two folded letters from Richmond Va., first with red “Richmond Va. Aug. 21” (1839) circular datestamp, matching “Paid” straightline and red ms. “18¾” rate, back-stamped **“Paid” and “Steam” with ms. “25” rate** (applied at Richmond), sender’s routing “Via N.York pr Steam Ship Liverpool”, red “New-York Aug. 23” circular datestamp, “Liverpool/Ship Letter” backstamp and ms. “8” rate, second with **green** “Richmond Va. Jul. 16” (1842) circular datestamp, matching “Paid” and blue ms. “18¾” rate, backstamped **green “Ship” and “Paid” with ms. “12½” rate** (applied in Richmond), sender’s routing “pr packet of 20 July 1842 from New York to London”, red “Ship Letter” straightline handstamp and Aug. 10 backstamp, Very Fine, accompanied by Cal Hahn’s notes(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 855 ☒ **Great Western Freight Money Letter.** Sender’s directive “per Steamer Great Western”, blue “Baltimore Md. Mar. 15” circular datestamp, matching “Paid” with magentas ms. “18¾” rate and **“25” freight money charge** on folded cover to **London, England**, ms. “8” pence ship letter due, “1 AP 43/Liverpool/Ship” framed datestamp on back, file fold and docketing, Very Fine E. 200-300



- 856 ☒ **New Orleans La. Apr. 26 (1843).** Blue circular datestamp, matching "Paid" and blue ms. "50 + 50" freight money charge on folded letter to Guebwiller, France sender's blue oval handstamp and ms. directive "Steamer Great Western New York", "8 JU 43/Liverpool/Ship" framed backstamp, red transit and "Colonies/&c ART. 12" framed accountancy handstamp, red French transit datestamp, Guebwiller receiving backstamp, ms. due rate, slight ink erosion, still Very Fine and colorful, scarce double-rate freight money letter E. 300-400
- 857 ☒ **"P President 10th Feby 1848" Last Trip.** Ship-name directive on Feb. 1841 folded letter to Auburn N.Y., red "Paid Ship Letter London 9 FE 9 1841" Crown oval datestamp and Paid tombstone datestamp, ms. "8" ship letter rate, red "New-York Ship Mar. 2" datestamp, **forwarded to Dead Letter Office and then to Richmond Va.**, red Auburn and DLO datestamps, series of rate markings including "Triple \$1.33 1/4", small repair at top and fragile along toned folds, accompanied by a separate Jul. 31, 1840 **printed circular** to Philadelphia carried on the *President* privately to New York where it entered the mails as a ship letter, Fine-Very Fine, the Feb. 1841 letter was carried on the last trip of the *President* before it became the first steamer lost on the Atlantic E. 300-400
- 858 ☒ **First Westbound Trip with Retaliatory Rate.** Red "Paid at/Liverpool/JU 23 1849" octagonal datestamp and matching "1/" rate handstamp on 1848 blue folded letter to New York City, bold red "24" **retaliatory rate** handstamp applied at New York, content shows thru, Very Fine, carried on the *Cunarder Caledonia*, arriving at New York on July 8, the first westbound mail subjected to the new U.S. retaliatory rate E. 200-300
- 859 ☒ **1848 Retaliatory Rates.** One cover and three folded letters from Great Britain with Retaliatory Rates, including early use with "24" handstamp and "Paid at/Liverpool/JY 1 1848" datestamp on cover to Boston, also double rate on inbound folded printed prices and letter, other two inbound to Philadelphia and Boston, Very Fine group with colorful markings(Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000
- 860 ☒ **First Eastbound Trip with Restored Rate.** Folded letter to The Hague datelined New York, Jan. 10, 1849, sender's directive "*p Steamer Europa*", no U.S. postal markings, "America/Liverpool/JA 22/1849" receiving backstamp, ms. "1/8" **restored rate**, red Rotterdam transit backstamp, "120" due, Very Fine, the eastbound *Europa* sailing was the first to reach England under the restored rates E. 200-300
- 861 ☒ **Last Westbound Trip with Restored Rate.** Red "Paid at/Liverpool/FE 9 1849" octagonal datestamp and matching "1/" rate handstamp on folded letter to New Orleans, large red "12" **restored rate** handstamp, Extremely Fine, carried on the *Europa*, the last trip arriving from England to which the restored rates applied..... E. 200-300
- 862 ☒ **First Westbound U.S.-G.B. Treaty Sailing.** Feb. 8, 1849 folded letter from New Ross, Ireland, to New York City, backstamped with green and red datestamps and "Returned for Postage", ms. "1" shilling rate, large "3" handstamp, original directive crossed out and re-routed "*By Contract Packet*", "24" handstamp applied on arrival for U.S. packet postage, Very Fine, carried on the Ocean Line's *Washington* on its Feb. 20, 1849 westbound voyage, the first to arrive under the new U.S.-G.B. Treaty, Ashbrook notes at left..... E. 200-300



- 863 ☒ **PER U.S. MAIL PACKET/"ATLANTIC."** Two-line handstamp boldly struck in bright red on folded letter **from Penang, Straits Settlements, to Boston via London, England**, letter dated July 4, 1850, "Bearing" framed handstamp, ms. rates for overland mail via Marseilles crossed out, London Aug. 17 receiving backstamp, Liverpool Aug. 20 and 21 datestamps, carried on the Collins Line's *Atlantic*, departing Liverpool Aug. 21, arriving NYC Sep. 1, Very Fine, the two-line "Atlantic" marking is very rare, especially on mail originating in Malaysia E. 500-750
- 864 ☒ **Pr. Adams & Co. Express.** Docketing at top of folded letter datelined "*Mannheim 6 April 1854*" and addressed to San Francisco, red boxed "Returned for Postage" struck twice at left and crossed out, "LS 12 AP 12 1854" in Maltese Cross handstamp, also with "Aachen 10/10 5cts." double-circle datestamp, "Boston Br. Pkt. 30 Oct. 26" debit datestamp, some slight wear, still Very Fine, very unusual use, this was twice refused transit by British Open Mail and returned for postage, it finally made it into the Prussian Closed Mail system at the Aachen exchange office in October, a full five months after it was sent, sent on the Cunarder *Niagara* which departed Liverpool Oct. 14 and arrived in Boston on Oct. 26, it was charged 30c for Prussian Closed Mail (versus 21c for U.S. Open Mail), the sender's attempt to save 9c in postage resulted in a delay of seven months E. 400-500
- 865 ☒ **Saved from the Wreck of the Colombo.** Boxed handstamp on blue legal-size cover with "On Her Majesty's Service, Post Office" to New Bedford Mass., red "London JA 20, 1863" circular datestamp at right, "New York Br. Pkt. Feb. 8" circular datestamp and "10" in circle due marking, Feb. 9 receiving datestamp, with enclosure which is cover salvaged from the wreck, both with some faults, Very Fine, the P & O Company's *Colombo* was wrecked in fog on her way from Point de Galle to Suez on November 19 of 1862, the passengers and animals made their way to shore where they were helped by the natives, an officer was sent to the mainland to signal for help which did not arrive until the 30th, so the passengers and crew had to establish their own community until help arrived..... E. 300-400
- 866 ☒ **Earliest Reported Depreciated Currency Cover.** Folded letter datelined Liege, Belgium, May 13, 1863, to New York City, sender's blue oval handstamp, "Liege 11-S 13-5 63" circular datestamp, "Etats-Unis Par Ostende 14 Mai 8-9 II" backstamp with matching "AM. PACKET" straightline and ms. "7" due rate, the exact transatlantic sailing is uncertain, but Cal Hahn thought it was carried on the *City of Baltimore*, arriving in N.Y. on May 26, **bold "36" depreciated currency handstamp** applied on arrival (27c rate plus 9c premium for greenbacks), a bit fragile along folds, Very Fine... E. 200-300
- 867 ☒ **\$5.13 Depreciated Currency Rate.** Partly readable "Buenos-Ayres AP 2 1864" datestamp on back of cover endorsed "*From the United States Consulate Buenos Ayres*" in manuscript and addressed to U.S. Patent Office in Washington D.C., red London transit backstamp (Jun. 2), "New-York Br. Pkt. Jun. 15" receiving datestamp, ms. "240" rate, blue crayon "513/270" and pencil "Due 513" rates, \$5.13 total postage due in greenbacks, Very Fine, Cal Hahn reported this as the highest-rated depreciated currency cover he had seen E. 300-400

NEW YORK POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONALS



- 868 **New York Post Office, Aug. 18, 1846.** Pre-printed New York Post Office letterhead with a request for assistance related to \$15, written by an elderly man from Trenton N.J. who was apparently a **Revolutionary War veteran**, stating in part "please to attend to an old '76 request. . . David Whitehead, y 85...m2...d2", the latter a clear reference to his current age of 85 years plus, he would have been between 14 and 21 years of age during the war, a fascinating collateral item for the New York or Revolutionary War collector and warranting further research, there could not have been many veterans left in 1846, docketing on back indicates the New York Post Office answered Mr. Whitehead's letter the next day *Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 869 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, Without Signature (9X1e).** Position 4, large margins to clear at top, tied by pen strokes and red "New-York 5 cts. 25 Jul." (1845) integral-rate circular datestamp, matching "Paid" arc handstamp on folded letter to Plainfield N.J., contents datelined "New York July 25, 1845", Very Fine and choice early use of the Without Signature variety and unusual tied by the integral-rate circular datestamp, ex Weill, with notes on the back in the hand of Dr. Carroll Chase 1,400.00
- 870 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, "A.C.M." Initials (9X1b).** Type B without the additional roll in the letter "C", large to full margins, tied by two pen strokes, large blue "R" handstamp for recorded or registered struck over red "Paid" arc handstamp, matching "New-York 5 cts. 5 Dec." (1845) integral-rate circular datestamp on folded cover to Philadelphia, manuscript check mark to left of stamp which has a corner tear and couple tiny nicks, cover cleaned which slightly lightens the ms. pen strokes, Very Fine appearance and rare with the "R" registered handstamp, with fewer than five known, with 2011 P.F. certificate E. 1,000-1,500
- 871 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, "ACM" Initials (9X1).** Two covers to **New Orleans**, first Positions 13-14, horizontal pair, large margins all around to ample at top, tied by file fold and magenta manuscript pen strokes, red "New-York Nov. 3" circular datestamp and matching "Paid" arc handstamp on folded letter, file fold creases right stamp and small nick at top, Very Fine appearance, second cover with two singles, Positions 7 and 1, huge margins to cut in at right, tied by same magenta pen and New York markings except Sep. 12 postmark, on 1846 folded letter to same addressee, file fold thru right stamp, attractive and scarce pair of 10c over-300 miles rate covers to New Orleans..... **(Photo Ex)** E. 1,000-1,500
- 872 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, "ACM" Initials (9X1).** Horizontal pair, large margins to just touching at top right, cancelled by blue pen strokes, red "New-York 10 cts. 24 May" integral-rate circular datestamp with matching "Paid" arc handstamp on folded letter **to Natchez Miss.** made from the May 23, 1846 issue of the *Shipping and Commercial List* newspaper, back of paper used for the letter, minor tears and some small pieces out of the bottom of the newspaper when unfolded, all text is present, Very Fine, a rare use of the New York Postmaster's Provisional to pay the over-300 miles rate and the only example used to Natchez we have encountered, with 1998 Brettl certificate E. 1,000-1,500



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- 873 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, “ACM” Initials (9X1).** Positions 14-15, horizontal pair, full margins all around, nicked bottom left, tied by both blue and brownish-black penstrokes, red “New-York 10 cts. 4 Apr.” integral-rate circular datestamp, faint matching “Paid” arc handstamp on folded letter to **Galveston Texas**, stamps lifted and replaced, cover cleaned affecting the “Paid” handstamp and some wear

FINE APPEARING AND RARE USE OF THE 5-CENT NEW YORK POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL ISSUE TO PAY THE OVER-300 MILES RATE TO GALVESTON. ONLY THREE COVERS TO TEXAS ARE RECORDED.

The Republic of Texas had recently become a state when this cover was mailed.

Ex Meroni. With 1986 P.F. certificate..... E. 1,500-2,000



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- 874 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, “AC M” Initials (9X1a).** Huge even margins all around, deep shade, tied by large “New-York 5 Paid Jan. 31” integral-rate circular datestamp on 1846 folded letter to **Lyon, France**, red “Colonies &c. Art. 13.” framed accountancy handstamp, ms. “20” decimes due, Great Britain and French transits and Lyon receiving backstamp, file fold well below the stamp

EXTREMELY FINE GEM EXAMPLE OF THE NEW YORK POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL USED ON A BEAUTIFUL COVER TO LYON, FRANCE.

Carried on the Cunarder *Hibernia*, which left Boston on Feb. 1 and arrived Liverpool Feb. 14..... E. 2,000-3,000



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- 875 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, “ACM” Initials (9X1).** Position 2, the “**Big Shift**” double transfer, large margins three sides, irregularly cut in at right, pen cancels just tie the stamp at right, red “New-York 5 cts. 29 Apr.” integral-rate circular datestamp and matching “Paid” arc handstamp on 1846 prices current with letter from **Apalachicola, Florida, to Greenock Scotland**, carried outside the mails to New York, manuscript “*pkt Caledonia*”, Callomb & Iselin forwarder’s backstamp, “1/-” shilling due handstamp, Liverpool transit and Greenock receiving handstamps, Fine, a rare and unusual use of the New York Postmaster’s Provisional on a letter from Florida (admitted to statehood in March 1845) to Scotland, ex Pope E. 750-1,000
- 876 **New York N.Y., 5c Black, “ACM” Initials (9X1).** Huge margins, tied by blue pen, red “New-York 5 cts. 15 Sep.” integral-rate circular datestamp with matching “Paid” in arc handstamp, on portion only of folded letter **to Lille, France**, manuscript “*Steamer Caledonia*” at lower left, red “Colonies & Art. 12” framed accountancy handstamp, French receiving and due markings, British transit and Lille handstamps on back (half of back flap present), stamp with light buckling at right center, though not a full cover still Extremely Fine, with all markings exceptionally well struck, with 1985 Brettl certificate E. 500-750
- 877 ☒ **New York N.Y., 5c Black, “A.C.M.” Initials (9X1b).** Large margins to in at upper right, separated a bit roughly from the sheet, cancelled by blue penstrokes, red “New-York 5 cts. 30 Aug.” integral-rate circular datestamp with matching “Paid” in arc handstamp on 1845 folded letter **to Trieste, care of James Lang Esq., London, England**, Lang Freeland correspondence, endorsed “*p. str. Hibernia*” at lower left, British and Trieste receiving backstamps, manuscript rates, some erosion from the ink used to write the letter, otherwise Fine, rare use to Trieste, ex Pope E. 1,000-1,500

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- 878 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Pretty shade, margins to in, tied by red grid, matching “Quincy Flor. Apr. 1” circular datestamp on 1851 folded cover to Tallahassee Fla., horizontal file fold well away from stamp, Fine, scarce use of the single 5c in Florida, this is the only reported use of the 5c from Quincy, ex Hart, signed Ashbrook..... 600.00
- 879 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to clear, tied by blue grid, matching “Prov. & Wor. R.R. Aug. 20” railroad route agent’s circular datestamp on cover to New Haven Conn., gently cleaned with horizontal file fold barely affecting stamp, postmark expertly enhanced, otherwise Very Fine and attractive 835.00
- 880 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to clear, cancelled by manuscript “X” and also by red “Paid” handstamp, matching “Old Point Comfort Va. Mar. 9” circular datestamp overstruck by “Paid” handstamp and crossed out, also with manuscript “5” rating at upper right, minor wear, Very Fine, the only reported use of the 1847 Issue from Old Point Comfort, with 1981 P.F. certificate..... E. 500-750
- 881 (★) **5c Red Brown (1).** Full to large margins all around, affixed to folded cover to Philadelphia Pa. and **uncancelled**, “North Brookfield Ma. Jan. 13” circular datestamp, 1849 docketing inside, Very Fine, a most unusual occurrence for an 1847 stamp to be left uncancelled on a cover by both postal officials and 162 years of collectors, with 1989 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as unused without gum 2,400.00
- 882 ☒ **5c Red Brown, Dot in “S” (1 var).** Three large margins, clear to touched at top, cancelled by red grid, matching “New-York Jan. 23” circular datestamp on buff cover to Cooperstown N.Y., with 1851-dated enclosure, Very Fine, with 1982 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail with no premium for the variety..... 575.00
- 883 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Ample to full margins, tied by multiple strikes of red grid with matching “Boston 5cts. 15 May” (1849) integral-rate circular datestamp on folded letter to Dedham Mass., ms. “Paid”, Very Fine..... 575.00
- 884 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Deep shade approaching Brown, large margins to full, cancelled by manuscript, blue “Baltimore Oct. 18” circular datestamp on blue 1848 folded letter to Philadelphia, light file fold well away from stamp, Very Fine E. 300-400



- 885 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Large even margins, color oxidized, tied by pen cancels, perfect strike of red "East Brookfield Mass. June 13." (1848) circular datestamp on folded letter to Boston, datelined North Brookfield Mass., discoloration spot at top left of stamp, still appears Fine and an extremely rare use, this is the only recorded use of an 1847 Issue stamp from East Brookfield, which received no stamps of either denomination, North Brookfield received 1,100 of the 5c..... E. 300-400
- 886 ☒ **5c Brown, Double Transfer Ty. B (1-B).** Position 90R, large margins to just in, some toning affects stamp and cover, tied by bold strike of blue "Paid" oval handstamp, matching "Philada. Pa. 5cts. Aug. 10" circular datestamp on 1847 folded letter to Norristown Penn., stamp with tiny tear and small crease, otherwise Fine use of this double transfer, with 1996 P.F. certificate 685.00
- 887 ☒ **5c Dark Brown (1a).** Large margins to clear, tied by red grid, matching "Boston 5cts. 8 Feb." integral-rate circular datestamp on 1848 folded letter to Wareham Mass., light vertical file folds well away from stamp which has light diagonal bend or crease at lower left, Very Fine appearance, with 2010 P.F. certificate which does not note any creasing, note on back identifies this as coming from the First Delivery 900.00
- 888 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to clear, tied by blue grids, matching "Springfield Ms. ? 11" circular datestamp on cover to Hartford Conn., cover tears and some edgewear, otherwise Fine... 635.00
- 889 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to clear, tied by red square grid, matching "New-York May 19" circular datestamp on light green folded part-printed Prices Current from iron merchants to Philadelphia, some edge splitting, Fine 600.00
- 890 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Intense shade, large margins to in, cancelled by red grid, matching "Cincinnati O. 5cts. Nov. 16" circular datestamp on blue 1850 folded letter with **printed illustrated letterhead from Cincinnati Distillery**, to Louisville Ky., vertical file fold well away from stamp, Fine, unusual with the illustrated lettersheet..... 600.00
- 891 ☒ **5c Red Brown, Dark Brown (1, 1a).** On separate folded letter and folded cover, large margins to slightly in, former tied by blue Baltimore circular datestamp and red grid, latter fabulous color and impression with small ms. cancel (not tied), faint magenta Hartford Ct. circular datestamp at left with matching numeral "5" to left of stamp, Fine lot.....*Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 892 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Two singles, large margins to in, tied by red grids with matching "North Brookfield Ms. Oct. 3" circular datestamp on 1850 folded letter to Hornellsville N.Y., stamps with couple trivial flaws, appears Fine, only five covers with 5c 1847 stamps from North Brookfield are recorded in the Alexander census, this is the only cover paying the 10c rate and there are none known with 10c stamps.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 500-750



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- 893 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Horizontal pair, large margins except top left corner slightly diagonal just touching frameline, dark shade, tied by well-struck red "Ann Arbor Mic. Mar. 23" circular datestamp, repeated at left on 1848 blue folded letter to Detroit, light vertical file folds well away from stamp, Very Fine, an extraordinarily beautiful 5c 1847 cover, the rate from Ann Arbor to Detroit was 5c, this is an unusual double 5c rate..... 1,750.00



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- 894 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Horizontal pair, beautiful bright color, tied by blue grids, matching "Lowell Mass. 2 Apr." circular datestamp and "Paid" and "10" handstamps on folded cover to Allentown Pa., stamps affected from placement at edge of cover, some slight wear, left stamp tear at bottom, otherwise Fine..... 1,420.00
- 895 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Horizontal pair, right stamp shows inking anomaly at top, the two positions also show misalignment of entries on the plate, huge margins including **sheet margin at top**, cancelled by blue grids, matching "Lockport N.Y. Sep. 3" circular datestamp on 1850 folded letter to New York City, Very Fine, Jerome Wagshal regarded this as a double impression and it was so listed in Scott until the 2012 edition, with 2010 P.F. certificate 1,250.00
- 896 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Horizontal pair, deep color which is a bit oxidized, full margins to just in at right, tied by red grids and by "Boston 10cts. 10 Sep." integral-rate circular datestamp on 1849 folded letter to St. Louis, Very Fine 1,250.00



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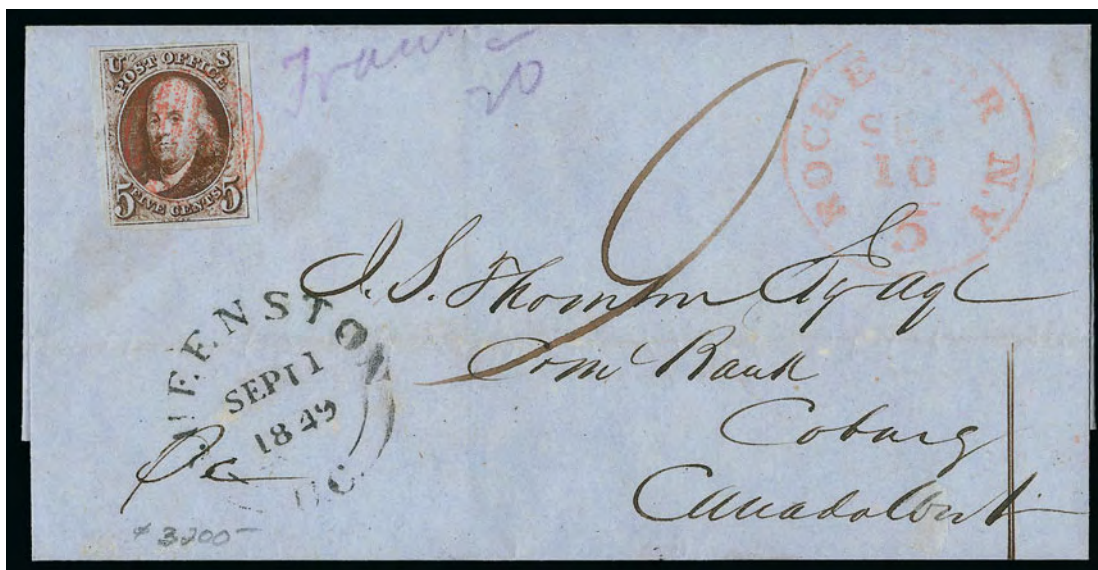


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- 897 ☒ **5c Orange Brown (1).** Large margins to full, tied by blue “Philada Pa. 5cts. Dec. 6” integral-rate circular datestamp, second strike at right on buff cover to “Miss Benjaline French, North 7th St. above Poplar, Westside, Philadelphia”, stamp with small tear at upper left, light cover stain from wax seal, otherwise Very Fine, a rare example of the 5c 1847 on cover ostensibly mailed within the city limits of Philadelphia but addressed outside the old city boundary prior to the consolidation of 1854, four such covers are known, all addressed to Miss Benjaline French, in a two-part *Chronicle* article by Dr. Vernon R. Morris, Jr. (Nos. 199-200), he presents a convincing theory that the covers addressed to Benjaline French were not overpaid drop letters, as previously thought, but were addressed beyond the limits of the old city of Philadelphia, prior to the Consolidation, Ex Ashbrook and Rust, with 1992 and 2010 P.F. certificates, the first declining opinion as to whether the stamp also prepaid the carrier fee..... E. 750-1,000
- 898 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to in at top, used with **D.O. Blood & Co. 1c Bronze on Black (15L13)**, light acid cancel, 5c tied by red square grid, matching “**Philada. Rail Road**” straightline handstamp on small cover to New York City, some wrinkling and overall wear, Fine and scarce, ex Knapp, with 2007 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 899 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to just in, rich color, tied by red square grid, matching “New-York Nov. 20” circular datestamp on 1848 folded letter to South Lee Mass., clear strike of “**PAID/BOUTON**” two-line handstamp struck just under adhesive, stamp with tiny corner crease at bottom left and slightly affected by vertical file fold, otherwise Fine, rare use of Bouton’s local post handstamp, ex Knapp, with 1998 note from Richard Schwartz confirming its genuineness E. 750-1,000



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- 900 ☒ **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to clear, tied by red grid cancel, matching “Rochester N.Y. 5 Sep. 10” integral-rate circular datestamp on blue 1849 folded letter **to Cobourg, Canada West**, ms. “9” Canadian due marking, Queenston transit, receiving backstamp, light horizontal file fold well away from stamp, Very Fine, scarce use of a single 5c 1847 Issue on a cover to Canada..... E. 1,000-1,500



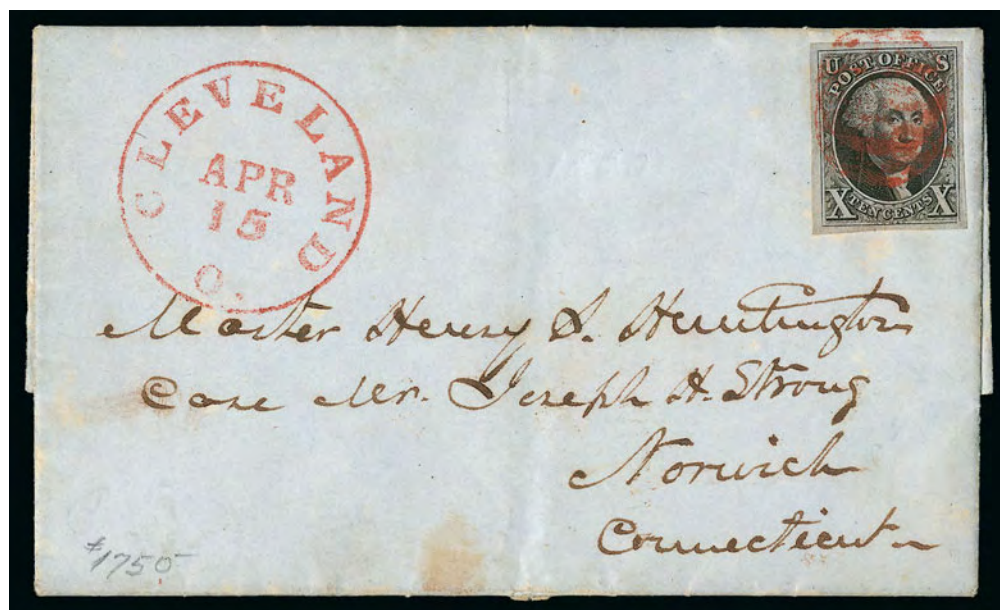
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- 901 ☒ **5c Brown, Double Transfer Ty. B (1-B).** Position 90R1, large to full margins, dark shade from early printing, distinct **pre-printing paperfold**, tied by red square grid cancels, light strike of matching “New-York Aug. 14” circular datestamp on 1847 folded letter **to Liverpool, England**, endorsed *pr Hibernia from Boston*, neat “1/-” due marking, clear receiving backstamp, light file folds do not affect stamp which has been lifted and put back on in the exact same spot, Very Fine appearance, ex Pope, Kapiloff and Hill, with 1999 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail with no premium for the double transfer position or the pre-printing paperfold..... 2,750.00



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- 902 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Large margins to barely in at top and with **huge sheet margin at bottom**, cancelled by bold red grid, matching "Mobile Ala. Jul. 16" circular datestamp on 1850 blue folded letter datelined "New Orleans July 15th 1850" to Philadelphia, vertical file fold does not affect stamp, Very Fine, desirable with such a wide sheet margin, with 1996 P.F. certificate 1,550.00



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- 903 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Large margins all around, intense shade, tied by red grid cancel, matching "Cleveland O. Apr. 15" circular datestamp on 1850 folded letter to Norwich Conn., fresh and Very Fine, with 2009 P.F. certificate..... 1,550.00



- 904 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Large to full margins, affixed with wax seal and just tied by red grid cancel, matching "Cincinnati O. 10 Dec. 3" integral-rate circular datestamp on cover to Pittsburgh Pa., wax seal also on back, tiny toned spot in Washington's shirt and small vertical crease, appears Very Fine, with 1982 and 2011 P.F. certificates..... 1,500.00
- 905 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Large to full margins, tied by light strikes of "Philada. Pa. 10cts. Jun. 12?" integral-rate circular datestamp on 1849 folded circular for **American Hair Dye of Philadelphia** to Piketon Ky., original letter also enclosed, Very Fine and choice..... 1,550.00
- 906 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Large even margins, tied by red manuscript cancel, red "Charleston S.C. 10 Jun. 7" circular datestamp on cover to Boston, stamp with small paper wrinkle at lower left, Very Fine appearance, with 2005 P.F. certificate..... 1,550.00
- 907 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Large margins to clear, bright shade, tied by red grid cancel, matching "Saint Louis Mo. 10 Feb. 8" integral-rate circular datestamp on blue 1851 folded letter to Philadelphia, horizontal file fold well away from stamp, Very Fine, a pretty cover, with 1997 B.P.A. certificate..... 1,550.00



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- 908 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Large margins to full, tied by red grid, matching "Catskill N.Y. Dec. 10" rimless datestamp on 1849 folded letter to Columbus O., matching red "10" handstamp, some age spots, light vertical file fold well away from stamp, Very Fine, the only recorded 10c cover used from Catskill N.Y., with 2001 P.F. certificate 1,550.00
- 909 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Large margins including **sheet margin** at left, just in at bottom, unusual dry printing at top, tied by red square grid with matching "New-York May 15" circular datestamp on 1848 folded letter to Clarksburg Va., file fold, Very Fine..... 1,550.00
- 910 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Three large margins, just clear at bottom, tied by **blue** grid, matching "Detroit Mich. Feb. 5" circular datestamp on blue folded cover to Pittsburgh Pa., Very Fine, small purple handstamp, with 1981 P.F. certificate..... 1,600.00
- 911 ☒ **10c Black (2).** Attractive shade, couple of small breaks in frameline at left, full margins to clear, tied by red grid, matching "Boston 10cts. 10 Jun." integral-rate circular datestamp on blue 1850 folded cover to **Montreal, Canada**, manuscript "Paid to the lines" and with manuscript "4½" due marking, receiving backstamp, gently cleaned and recent certificate notes vertical crease at right which is all but imperceptible, appears Fine, ex Card, with 2010 P.F. certificate..... 2,000.00

SPECIALIZED ONE-CENT 1851-57 ISSUES
INCLUDING PART OF THE JEROME S. WAGSHAL COLLECTION

- 912 **1c Blue, Ty. Ib (5A).** Position 4R1E, full margins at top and right showing most of the Type Ib characteristics, gorgeous bright Plate 1 Early shade and sharp impression, **blue** grid cancel, tiny scissors-cut of less than 1 mm at lower right

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1851 ONE-CENT TYPE Ib IMPERFORATE.

Type Ib was produced only as an imperforate stamp from Plate 1 Early. Six positions on Plate 1E furnished stamps qualifying as Type Ib — Positions 3-6R and 8-9R — distinguished by the complete design at top and nearly complete design at bottom. When first entered on the plate, these six positions (as well as 7R1E) had the complete design at top and bottom. However, unlike 7R, small portions of the bottoms were ironed out when the entries were made below them.

With 2010 P.F. certificate 10,000.00



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- 913 **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Positions 65R1E, **the most prominent double transfer on Plate 1 Early**, large to huge margins incl. portion of adjoining stamp at left, brilliant Plate 1E shade, cancelled by town datestamp, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb example of 65R1E, this is the most pronounced of the eight double transfers on Plate 1 Early, the lines of Franklin's shoulder and the lower label are extensively doubled, ex Neinken, with 2010 P.F. certificate for pair (left stamp with pinhole removed), Scott Retail as most common double transfer..... 160.00
- 914 **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Position 99L1E with **bottom sheet margin**, huge top margin showing large part of adjoining stamp, large margins at sides, bright Plate 1E shade, grid cancel and red New Orleans circular datestamp, couple tiny pinholes in margin at right, still Extremely Fine Gem appearance, with 2010 P.F. certificate..... 150.00
- 915 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Positions 34-36L1E, horizontal strip of three, ample margins to slightly in at top, tied by black grids with blue "Buffalo N.Y. Mar. 4" circular datestamp on 1852 folded letter to Cleveland O., some splitting along folds and file fold, still Very Fine, ex Neinken, with 2010 P.F. certificate, Scott retail as strip of three off-cover..... 525.00
- 916 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. II-IIIa-II (7-8A-7).** Positions 12-14R1E, horizontal strip of three, center stamp shows a clear break in outer line, large margins to just barely in, tied by **blue "South Carolina R.R. Jul. 2" route agent's** circular datestamp on lady's small cover with scalloped flaps to Columbia S.C., the strip and cover have been lightly cleaned, left and right stamps with small faults, Ty. IIIa with light gum toning, Very Fine appearance, ex Caspary and Wyer, with 1980 and 2010 P.F. certificates E. 300-400



- 917 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Position 4R1L, original gum, huge margins including **sheet margin** at top and part of adjoining stamps at left and bottom, just in at bottom right, deep rich color, fresh and Fine, a rare original-gum example of the only Type II position on Plate 1 Late 2,000.00
- 918 **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Positions 8-9L2, horizontal pair, huge margins all around showing parts of three adjoining stamps, brilliant color, neat strike of circular datestamp, Extremely Fine, a superb pair 325.00
- 919 **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Positions 93-94R2, horizontal pair, huge margins to clear including **sheet margin** at bottom, brilliant color, neat strike of Fall River Mass. circular datestamp, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a beautiful pair 325.00
- 920 **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Positions 21-22R2, horizontal pair, huge margins to full including **left inter-pane margin**, bright color, neat cork cancels, Very Fine and choice 325.00
- 921 **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Positions 86/96R2, vertical pair, large to huge margins, rich color nicely complemented by **bright red** face-free segmented cork cancels, top stamp with tiny tear at left, otherwise Extremely Fine, beautiful with the vivid red cancels, with 2011 P.F. certificate 365.00



- 922 (★) **1c Blue, Ty. II, Plate 3 (7).** Position 6L3, unused (no gum), large margins, wonderful intense shade and impression, internal paper rift shows on reverse, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Neinken, with 2010 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail \$9,000.00 as original gum E. 400-500

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- 923 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. II, Plate 3 (7).** Position 10R3 with **major double transfer**, original gum, full to large margins including part of right sheet margin, intense Prussian Blue shade, sharp impression showing double transfer lines, tiny filled thins and faint wrinkle-crease, Extremely Fine appearance, a rare example of the top right corner position of Plate 3, the Neinken book (page 227) discusses the presence of five major double transfers in the tenth vertical row of Plate 3 Right, indicating that Toppan Carpenter experienced problems entering the first column on Plate 3, with 2010 P.F. certificate, listed but unpriced in unused condition, Scott Retail for normal Plate 3 position with original gum 9,000.00



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- 924 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Position 83R3, large margins to clear, bright color, tied by **red "Paid/U.S. Mail/City Delivery/1/May"** carrier datestamp on cover to local address, also with additional carrier marking at left, stamp lifted and replaced slightly inaccurately, some slight cover soiling, still Very Fine, scarce New York Carrier use of the Plate 3 stamp, ex Judd, with 2011 P.F. certificate E. 300-400
- 925 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Large even margins, used with three slightly overlapping 3c Brownish Carmine, Ty. II (11A) and tied by two bold strikes of "New York Sep. 5" (1856) **Ocean Mail** circular datestamp with integral grid on buff cover to San Francisco, Cal., back of cover with "Excelsior: Steam Furniture Manufactory, Irving & Clark" illustrated design of a factory with a mountain in background, edge wear slightly wrinkles the corner of one stamp, otherwise Very Fine, attractive franking and design..... E. 300-400
- 926 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Three slightly overlapping singles, beautiful rich color, tied together by **manuscript "Hallowell" town name applied as a cancellation**, blue "Hallowell Me. Oct. 20" circular datestamp on blue cover to Brunswick Me., with 1852 enclosure, the stamps have small faults visible under close examination, otherwise Very Fine, although town postmarks were commonly applied in manuscript, the use of the town name as a cancel in conjunction with the handstamped town marking is extremely unusual E. 300-400
- 927 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Two, Plate 1E with sheet margin and Plate 2, used with **10c Green, Ty. II, III (14, 15)**, three, tied by "Stillwater M.T. Sep. 16" **Minnesota Territory** circular datestamp on 3c Red on White Nesbitt entire (U9) **to Erlenbach, Switzerland**, red "New-York Br. Pkt. Sep. 27" datestamp, French transit, British and Swiss backstamps, left 1c and center 10c stamps repaired with portion of bottom margin added, also couple minor cover repairs, Very Fine appearance, a striking Minnesota Territorial cover with unusual combination for 35c rate to Switzerland, ex Neinken, with 2010 P.F. certificate E. 500-750
- 928 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. II, IV (7, 9).** Two covers, first No. 7, Position 2R3, full to large margins, rich color, tied by large "Paid" grid, red "Boston Mass. 23 Jul." circular datestamp on buff cover to local addressee, stamp with tiny corner margin crease, appears Very Fine and choice, ex Emerson, second No. 9, Positions 87-89L1L, horizontal strip of three, each recut once at top and bottom, large margins all around showing two adjoining stamps at bottom, tied by light strike of bluish-green Va. town datestamp on cover to Appomattox C.H. Va., some minor cover wear and top flap tear from rough opening, still an Extremely Fine strip, both covers with 2011 P.F. certificate.....
.....Not illustrated E. 400-500



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929 **1c Blue, Ty. III-IIIa-IIIa (8-8A-8A).** Positions 81-83L4 (E Relief), large margins all around including **huge left sheet margin** and significant portion of adjoining stamp at right, the left stamp with wide breaks in top and bottom outer lines, neat strike of "Rock Island Ill. Jun. 25, 1857" circular datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A BEAUTIFUL 1851 IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT STRIP OF THREE FROM PLATE 4 WITH A COMBINATION OF TYPE III AND TWO TYPE IIIa.

Ex Emerson and Neinken. With 2010 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as combination pair of Types III and IIIa and single Type IIIa..... 5,850.00



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- 930 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. II, III, IIIa (7, 8, 8A).** Right stamp Ty. III, **Position 61L4, large margins incl. left sheet margin with “ton & Cincinnati” portion of imprint, middle stamp Ty. II, Position 2L4 with clear break in outer line at bottom, which meets the definition of Type IIIa, huge margins including part of sheet margin at top and adjoining stamp at bottom, left stamp Ty. IIIa, Position 77L4, large margins to just touched, all stamps tied together by two perfect strikes of red Flag and Flagpole in circle fancy cancel** (struck upside down), matching “Newark Valley N.Y. Aug. 20” circular datestamp on buff cover to Waverly N.Y., Ty. III stamp lifted and hinged in place to show imprint, cover barely reduced at left and with small mended opening nick at lower left corner

VERY FINE. A NOTEWORTHY AND UNIQUE COVER FROM NUMEROUS PERSPECTIVES. PLATE 4 STAMPS WITH ANY PORTION OF THE IMPRINT ARE EXTREMELY RARE. THIS COVER ALSO BEARS THREE DIFFERENT TYPES OF IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT 1851 STAMPS FROM PLATE 4 — A TYPE II STAMP FROM THE TOP ROW WITH A TYPE IIIa QUALIFYING BREAK IN THE BOTTOM LINE, A TYPE III STAMP FROM AN IMPRINT POSITION, AND TYPE IIIa. ITS PHILATELIC SIGNIFICANCE IS FURTHER ENHANCED BY ONE OF THE FEW PICTORIAL FANCY CANCELLATIONS USED DURING THE 1851 ISSUE ERA — THE PATRIOTIC RED FLAG IN CIRCLE OF NEWARK VALLEY, NEW YORK.

The stamps on this cover include two interesting Plate 4 positions. Position 2L4 (at center) is a top row Type II with the complete design at top, but the break in the bottom outer line also qualifies it as a Type IIIa. Position 61L4 is a Type III position with the lower portion of the imprint in the upper left sheet margin. Either stamp on cover would be a very desirable rarity, but the combination and additional Type IIIa stamp form what is undoubtedly a unique franking.

Newark Valley is partway between Binghamton and Ithaca N.Y. During the stampless period, Newark Valley used the pictorial “Kissing Doves” handstamp, and later (circa 1857) the postmaster used this patriotic fancy cancellation.

Ex Moody, Neinken and Wagshal..... E. 5,000-7,500



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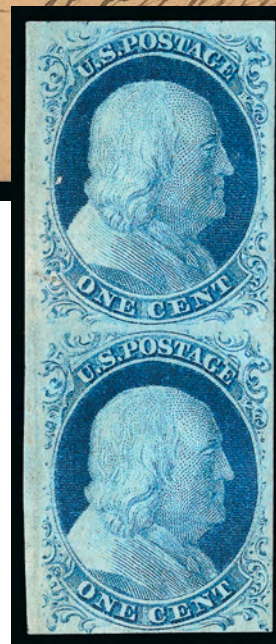
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- 931 (★) **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (8A).** Position 60R4, faintly cancelled (appears unused), large margins all around including **significant part of imprint in right sheet margin**, small flaws incl. tiny scuffs and small sealed tear, Extremely Fine appearance and an exceptionally rare example showing any part of the imprint from Plate 4, ex Emerson and Neinken, with 2010 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00
- 932 **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (8A).** Plate 4, wide break at top, huge margins all around including large portion of adjacent stamp at top, light town datestamps, beautiful Plate 4 color, small tear at top left entirely in margin, Extremely Fine appearance, a gorgeous stamp, ex Puliafito, with 1991 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates (VG-F 60)..... 1,250.00
- 933 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (8A).** Position 58L4, huge margins all around including part of adjoining stamps at sides, small margin tear at top, wide break in outer line at top, tied by neat strike of "Manchester N.H. Aug. 15, 1857" circular datestamp on cover to East Concord N.H., trivial cover wear, .Extremely Fine appearance, with 1993 P.S.E. and 2011 P.F. certificates, only the latter mentioning the small tear..... 1,200.00
- 934 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Positions 16/26R1L, vertical pair, top stamp recut once at bottom (only eight such recuts on plate), bottom stamp recut once at top and bottom, original gum, full to large margins, detailed impression and rich color, light vertical crease at left, otherwise Very Fine original-gum pair, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,650.00



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- 935 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Positions 36-38/46-48R1L, block of six, showing three different recuts, original gum, large margins to clear, bottom left stamp small sealed tear and small laminated thin extending into bottom center stamp, Very Fine appearance, ex Neinken, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate, Scott Retail as block of four and pair 5,650.00



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- 936 **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Positions 48-50R1L, horizontal strip of three, huge margins to clear including **part imprint and "1" of plate no.** at right, radiant color, neat strikes of San Francisco circular datestamp, center stamp light vertical crease and tiny pinhole, Very Fine-Extremely Fine appearance, a rare and desirable used multiple with part imprint and plate number, ex Cipolla, with 2010 P.F. certificate E. 1,000-1,500
- 937 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Position 71L1L, **triple transfer, one inverted**, huge margins to clear including **wide sheet margin** at left and part of adjoining stamp at bottom, tied by large "Paid" grid, red "Boston Sep. 19" circular datestamp on buff cover to local address, light crease at bottom, otherwise Very Fine and choice, a wonderful use of this position on a drop-rate cover, ex Neinken..... E. 300-400

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- 938 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Position 91-93L1L, horizontal strip of three, center stamp two tiny tears at bottom, left stamp 91L **triple transfer, one inverted, with huge left sheet margin**, each stamp recut once at top, large margins at top and bottom and just barely touched at right, beautiful bright shade more typical of Plate 1 Early printing than Plate 1 Late, the huge sheet margin allows the full inverted transfer to show, tied by two light strikes of "Clarksville Tenn. Mar. 21" circular datestamp on brown cover to Hopkinsville Ky. with **Washington Hotel dark blue cameo corner card**, with original 1854 letter from a traveling businessman

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. A SPECTACULAR COVER BEARING A ONE-CENT 1851 ISSUE STRIP CONTAINING ONE OF THE INVERTED TRANSFER POSITIONS ON PLATE ONE LATE — ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE WITH THE HUGE SHEET MARGIN AND BRIGHT BLUE SHADE.

The inverted transfers on Positions 71L, 81L and 91L were made after the top row of the right pane of Plate 1 Early was entered from the Type I single-relief transfer roll. According to Richard Celler's theory, the three inverted transfers were made from a Type I design 3-relief transfer roll as a sort of trial after the top row entries had been made and the plate was turned around 180 degrees. When another plate ("Plate 0") had to be discarded, the siderographer returned to Plate 1 and erased the three inverted transfers before completing the plate with entries surrounding 3R to 10R. On Plate 1 Early, Positions 71L and 81L are double transfers. Position 91L was entered a total of three times, so it is a triple transfer, one inverted. When the plate was reworked in 1852, 71L and 81L were re-entered (but not 91L), making them all triple transfers, one inverted. The stamp offered here comes from Position 91L on Plate 1 Late.

With 2011 P.F. certificate E. 1,500-2,000



- 939 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Position 41R1L with **plate crack**, ample to huge margins incl. inter-pane margin at left with trace of centerline, used with pair 3c Dull Red, Ty. I (11) on 3c Red Star Die entire (U10) to Coloma Cal., all stamps tied by neat manuscript "Midway Va., Feb. 14th 1856" postmark, which is extended with squiggly circles to encompass all the stamps and the indicia, 1856 docketing on back, Extremely Fine, a lovely 10c transcontinental cover, with 1978 P.F. certificate, signed Ashbrook but his comments have been erased from the back E. 400-500
- 940 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Vertical strip of three, large margins to just touched, each stamp cancelled by "X" **handstamp**, matching "Elizabethtown N.J. Dec. 18" circular datestamp on cover to Chester N.J., non-contemporary "1854" at left, top stamp small diagonal crease, bottom stamp tiny bit of edge toning, some slight cover wear, appears Very Fine, a rare and unusual cancel, with 2010 P.F. certificate E. 300-400
- 941 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Two, Positions 64L1L and 59L1L, used with **3c Dull Red, Ty. II (11A)**, Position 61R1L and cancelled by grids, red "Providence R.I. Jun. 12" circular datestamp on 1854 folded letter to **Paris, France**, red "Paid" ties one 1c, light strike of New York British Packet circular datestamp, French transits including due marking, receiving backstamp, 3c with diagonal crease, otherwise Fine, attractive usage, ex Neinken E. 200-300

- 942 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Three covers, incl. one with horizontal pair and bottom sheet margin single tied by red "Rock Island Ills. Sep. 25" circular datestamp on cover to Middletown O.; also horizontal strip of three with full centerline at right from Clinton La. to Washington Mich.; last is three singles used from St. Paul Minn. to Broomefield Pa., generally with faults, still interesting group *Not illustrated* E. 200-300
- 943 **1c 1851 Issue, Balance (7, 8A, 9).** 13 stamps, nearly all plated and all but one offered as individual lots in past Wagshal sales but with small flaws or in one case a contrary opinion on type identification, six of No. 7 incl. Pos. 71L1E with double transfer, one inverted, three of No. 8A incl. one with sheet margin, four of No. 9 incl. two unused (no gum), one is Pos. 91L1L with corner margins and triple transfer, one inverted, last is pair with red town cancel, Fine-Very Fine appearance, most accompanied by new certificates, total Scott Retail more than \$5,200.00 *Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500
- 944 **1c Blue, Ty. II, IV (7, 9).** Failed extensions balance of 14 singles and three pairs from the Estate of Raymond Vogel, incl. No. 7 from Plate 3 (3), another from Plate 4, nice group with large margins, mostly with tiny flaws such as tiny tear or light crease, one No. 9 cleaned, Very Fine-Extremely Fine appearance, all but seven with current certificates *Not illustrated* 4,657.50

1857 PERFORATED ONE-CENT ISSUE



- 945 **1c Blue, Ty. II (20).** Position 4R1L, the only position on Plate 1 Late which was not recut, perfs clear of design all around, new P.F. certificate says reperfed at part of top but really just some clumsily plucked-out blind perf discs, nicely centered, neat strike of circular datestamp, Extremely Fine appearance, with 2011 P.F. certificate 1,000.00
- 946 **1c Blue, Ty. II (20).** Position 89R2 with **major double transfer**, rich color on bright paper, choice centering, neat strike of circular datestamp at right, tiny tear at top, Extremely Fine appearance and rare in perforated form, this is the most pronounced re-entry on any U.S. stamp, Neinken states (p. 185) "The stamp, 89R2, is a re-entry, but not in the proper sense of this term, because the re-entry on the lower part of this position was an error, as it was not made to correct any existent fault of the original 89R transfer. . . 89R2 is a stamp showing the most pronounced double transfer, or re-entry, on any U.S. stamp (general issues) known from 1847 to date.", ex Neinken, with 2011 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 947 **1c Blue, Ty. II (20).** Plate 2, vertical strip of three, deep rich color, light strikes of 1858 Bedford circular datestamps, fresh and Fine 1,015.00
- 948 **1c Blue, Ty. II (20).** Top row of Plate 11, rich color, face-free circular datestamp, filled-in thins, still Very Fine, Plate 11 only yields Type II stamps from the top row of the plate 750.00
- 949 **1c Blue, Ty. III (21).** Plate 4, E Relief, bright color on crisp paper, neat strike of circular datestamp, well-balanced margins, a few blunted perfs at upper left from scissors separation, dealer backstamp barely shows thru, otherwise Very Fine, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (VG-F 60; SMQ \$575.00 as 50, \$1,050.00 as 60) 2,500.00
- 950 **1c Blue, Ty. III (21).** Position 61R4, attractive color, bold strike of grid cancel, well-proportioned margins, nibbed perf at lower left and trace of rubbing or scuffing bottom right corner, still Very Fine appearance, ex Neinken 2,500.00
- 951 (★) **1c Blue, Ty. III (21).** Position 36L4, bright color, cancel cleaned (appears unused), Fine appearance, ex Neinken, with 2011 Weiss certificate, Scott Retail as pen cancel 1,250.00

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- 952 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. III (21).** Positions 62-64R4, horizontal strip of three, rich color, tied by Feb. 9 New York town datestamp on cover to Garrettsville N.Y., left stamp nicked and right stamp few frayed perfs, cover slightly reduced at left

FINE-VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE STRIP OF THREE OF THE PERFORATED 1857 ONE-CENT TYPE III, WHICH CAN ONLY OCCUR IN A FEW PLACES ON PLATE FOUR.

Type III multiples can only occur on a few places on Plate 4 where two or more contiguous Ty. III positions were present (in this case three C Reliefs, Positions 62-64R4).

Ex Neinken. With 2011 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as off-cover strip of three \$8,750.00.....
..... E. 1,500-2,000



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- 953 **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (22).** Plate 4, wide breaks at top and almost a break at bottom, deep rich color and sharp impression, choice margins and cancelled by nearly complete strike of **red New York City carrier datestamp**, Very Fine, a beautiful stamp, with 2011 P.F. certificate 550.00
- 954 **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (22).** Plate 4, rich color, unobtrusive strike of grid cancel, small corner crease at bottom right, Very Fine appearance, ex Newbury 500.00
- 955 **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa, Triple Transfer (22 var).** Plate 11, A Relief, rich color, showing the triple transfer characteristics which are clearly visible at top, segmented cork cancel, Very Fine, an exceedingly rare position, Neinken devotes almost three pages (474-476) and four illustrations to this unusual position, which he calls "The most interesting stamp I have seen from Plate 11."..... 2,000.00
- 956 **1c Blue, Ty. IV (23).** Position 58R1L, recut once at top and bottom, showing **significant plate cracks** at bottom, bright shade, neat strike of circular datestamp, fresh and Very Fine, a desirable stamp..... 950.00
- 957 **1c Blue, Ty. IV (23).** Position 37R1L, recut once at top and bottom, beautiful centering with wide and well-balanced margins which clearly show the recut outer lines, brilliant color, neat strike of circular datestamp, most recent certificate notes small sealed tear at top which is insignificant if not imaginary, Extremely Fine appearance, scarce with such choice centering, ex Zoellner and Geary, with 1985 and 2009 P.F. certificates as sound, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate mentioning the tiny sealed tear 1,000.00

PLATE 5



- 958 ★★ **1c Blue, Ty. Va (24 var).** Position 38R5, **Mint N.H.**, radiant color, choice centering, fresh and Very Fine, a beautiful stamp, Scott Retail as hinged 1,000.00
- 959 ★★ **1c Blue, Ty. Va (24 var).** Position 26R5, **Mint N.H.**, brilliant color, wide margins, fresh and Very Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as hinged..... 1,000.00
- 960 ★★ **1c Blue, Ty. Va (24 var).** **Mint N.H.**, radiant color, Fine, Scott Retail as hinged 1,000.00
- 961 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. Va (24 var).** **Mint N.H.** but light fingerprint on gum, beautiful color, fresh and Fine 1,000.00
- 962 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. Va (24 var).** Original gum, barest trace of hinging, rich color, fresh and Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate 1,000.00
- 963 **1c Blue, Ty. Va (24 var).** Position 100R5, from the bottom row with **wide-spaced perforations** resulting in huge margins, rich color, bold grid cancel, Very Fine, the wide-spaced perforations found on top and bottom Plate 4 stamps can also be found on very few top and bottom row stamps printed from Plates 5, 7 and 8 (Neinken book, p. 325), ex Neinken 300.00
- 964 **Balance of the Neinken 1c 1857 Plate 5 Collection.** 112 items, including singles (a few unused), pairs and strips, also a few covers, all mounted on Neinken's original pages with his detailed plating notes, a fascinating study of Plate 5 by the expert who unraveled the mystery of Plate 5's composition, approximately 75% of the stamps (including those in multiples) are Type Va, includes 49-50R5 with trace of imprint, vertical Ty. Va strip Positions 80/90/100R5 which Neinken describes as a "marvelous plating piece", Ty. Va strip of five, Ty. V-Va-Va combination strip Positions 26-28L5, centering varies, some condition issues as is to be expected in a study collection based on plate varieties, still a very desirable holding assembled by one of the premier authorities on the 1c 1851-57 Issue and still intact on his personal album pages, Scott value must be more than \$20,000.00 *Not illustrated* E. 1,500-2,000
- 965 **Balance of the Wagshal 1c 1857 Plate 5 Study Collection.** More than 175 stamps including multiples, all from Plate 5 and many identified by position, some unused or with original gum, some Ty. Va positions, typical mixed condition for a plating study, still many well-centered and attractive stamps to be found, substantial four-figure Scott value..... *Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000

PLATES 7-10



- 966 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 81-82/91-92R7, block of four with **selvage at bottom**, original gum, showing **shoulder blisters** on all four positions, few small flaws incl. light toned spots, light bend on bottom stamps, small scoring mark at bottom left and tiny corner crease at top right, still Very Fine, a scarce block from Plate 7, illustrated on p. 363 of the Neinken book, ex Neinken..... 800.00
- 967 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 61-62/71-72R7, block of four, original gum, h.r., rich color from an early impression, bottom left stamp with **plate flaw over "TA" of "Postage"**, few shortish perfs at right, Fine-Very Fine, scarce multiple, illustrated in Neinken book on p. 362, ex Neinken 800.00
- 968 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 9-10/19-20L9, block of four, **top right stamp with prominent "earring" flaw**, original gum, h.r. at center, inter-pane margin at right showing part of centerline, top left stamp small natural inclusion, Very Fine and attractive multiple with the prominent "earring" flaw, Scott Retail as pair and two singles..... 1,050.00
- 969 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 37-38L9, horizontal pair, **right stamp with plate flaw** at lower right, original gum, single hinge mark, rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine, a beautiful pair..... 325.00
- 970 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 1-5/11-15L10, block of ten with **top left corner selvage**, original gum, five stamps and selvage h.r., unusual plate scratches in sheet margin, few small flaws incl. light vertical crease affecting center two stamps, Very Fine appearance, an impressive position multiple, Scott Retail as two blocks of four and a pair.. 1,925.00



- 971 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 85-86/95-96L10, block of four, original gum, lightly hinged, choice centering throughout, fresh and Extremely Fine, a beautiful block, ex Neinken..... 800.00
- 972 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 45-46/55-56L10, block of four, original gum, lightly hinged, bright shade, Very Fine and choice, ex Neinken..... 800.00
- 973 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 88-89/98-99L10, block of four, original gum, lightly hinged, deep rich color and detailed impression, Very Fine and choice, an attractive block, ex Neinken..... 800.00
- 974 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 47-48/57-58L10, block of four, original gum, deep rich color, Very Fine, an attractive block, ex Neinken..... 800.00
- 975 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 58-59/68-69L10, block of four, original gum, h.r. where few minor perf separations sensibly reinforced at right, Very Fine, ex Neinken..... 800.00
- 976 ★田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 36-37/46-47L10, block of four, original gum, bright color, bottom left stamp single tiny toned speck, Very Fine, ex Neinken..... 800.00



- 977 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Position 9L8, from the top row with **wide-spaced perforations** resulting in huge margins, rich color, unobtrusive cancel, Very Fine, scarce with the wide-spaced perforations, the wide-spaced perforations found on top and bottom Plate 4 stamps can also be found on very few top and bottom row stamps printed from Plates 5, 7 and 8 (Neinken book, p. 325), ex Neinken 40.00
- 978 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Position 31R9, unusually choice centering, **straddle-pane margin at left showing distinctive heavy Plate 9 centerline**, tied by "U.S.P.O. Despatch Phila. Jul. 10 8 AM" octagonal datestamp on small orange piece, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp 52.50
- 979 田 **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 63-64/73-74R9, block of four, bright color, each stamp cancelled by neat **blue "Balt. Paid" Carrier** handstamp, bottom right stamp sealed tear at left and light scoring mark at right, Fine-Very Fine appearance 625.00
- 980 **1c Blue, Ty. V, Imperforate Sheet Margin (24 var).** Horizontal pair with wide sheet margin at right, bright color, neat strikes of circular datestamp, repaired tear at far edge of selvage, Very Fine appearance, with 1987 P.F. certificate, Scott Catalogue does not list any perforation varieties for No. 24, the No. 36 pair imperforate between catalogues \$12,500.00 E. 400-500



- 981 **1c Blue, Ty. V, Laid Paper (24b).** Horizontal strip of three, showing clear horizontal laid lines, rich color, neat strikes of circular datestamp
 VERY FINE AND CHOICE. THIS IS THE LARGEST RECORDED MULTIPLE OF THE 1857 PERFORATED ONE-CENT TYPE V ON LAID PAPER. ONLY SIX IN TOTAL ARE RECORDED. A PHENOMENAL RARITY OF THE ISSUE.
 Our census of Scott 24b, which encompasses the records of Mortimer Neinken, Jerome S. Wagshal, auction records and the records of the Philatelic Foundation, contains one single, a pair and this strip of three, for a total of six copies. All have horizontal laid lines. This strip offers the opportunity to acquire half of the world's supply. Given its rarity, we consider it to be undercatalogued — for example, Scott 63 on laid paper catalogues \$7,000.00 in used condition.
 With 1992 A.P.S. certificate. 7,500.00

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- 982 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Three singles, Positions 89, 69 and 95L9, center stamp with **dash in head**, tied by blue manuscript at top left and cancelled by **"GLEN AUBREY, N.Y." straightline handstamp**, second strike at left with blue manuscript "July 8" date on cover to Philadelphia, center stamp small perf flaws at top left, some slight staining, Very Fine strike of this rare straightline handstamp, ex Neinken, with 2011 P.F. certificate..... E. 200-300
- 983 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Positions 91-92 and 21L7, horizontal pair and single, tied by square grids, matching **thimble-size "Montague Ms. Oct. 22, 1860"** circular datestamp on cover to Barre Mass., pair with small nicks and center stamp small tear at bottom, cover barely reduced at right and with some slight overall wear, Very Fine appearance, this diminutive town datestamp is very unusual and scarce, ex Neinken, with 2011 P.F. certificate..... E. 300-400
- 984 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Three covers, incl. single tied by circular datestamp on red and blue **Waving Flag Patriotic** to Providence R.I.; one with strip of three from New York to Chester Pa.; last bears single with **captured imprint** at left used in Reading Pa., few flaws, appear Fine-Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 985 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Two singles, two strikes of New York Jan. 7 circular datestamps on orange label on folded printed circular **to Bremen, Germany**, endorsed "*pr Arago*" and carried on that Havre Line's steamer, 1860 ultramarine French octagonal transit, red crayon "4" right stamp few tiny perf tears at lower right, still Fine and unusual use E. 200-300

GROUP LOTS OF ONE-CENT 1857-60 ISSUE

- 986 **Balance of the Wagshal/Neinken 1c 1857 Perforated Issues.** More than 200 stamps, many in pairs or strips, some unused and a few covers, some on original Neinken pages, includes Plates 1L (No. 23), 2 (No. 20), 4 (Nos. 21-22), 5-10 (No. 24) and 11-12 (Nos. 18, 20, 22), many plated and with an interesting plate variety, nice variety of cancels including "Paid", "Steamboat", red town and carrier datestamps, some faults to be expected, many Fine-Very Fine, a wonderful holding representing years of collecting and sharp-shooting E. 3,000-4,000
- 987 **Balance of the Neinken Collection of 1c 1857 Type V, Plates 7-10.** More than 150 items, including unused and used singles, strips and blocks, representation of the major "perforated" plates — Plates 7, 8, 9 and 10 — all mounted on original Neinken pages with his expert annotations, almost all plated, a tremendous variety of shades, impressions, relief types and plate varieties, includes a large number of blocks with original gum, condition generally Fine-Very Fine but some minor faults to be expected, a unique opportunity to acquire a significant section of the collection assembled by one of the premier authorities on the 1c 1851-57 Issue, substantial Scott value..... E. 3,000-4,000
- 988 **Balance of the Wagshal 1c 1857 Plate 11-12 Collection.** More than 50 stamps including pairs and strips, about half from Plate 11 including double and triple transfers, pairs, top-row Type II's and A/B Relief Type IIIa's, lots of nice Plate 12 material including pairs and strips, Position 74R12 double transfer with original gum (creased), some mounted on Neinken pages, condition and centering varies as usual for a collection emphasizing plating, generally attractive with many Fine-Very Fine stamps throughout, enormous Scott value E. 2,000-3,000
- 989 **Balance of the Neinken Collection of Unusual Cancellations on 1c 1857 Perforated Issues.** More than 100 items including singles, pairs, strips and a few used blocks, all on Neinken's original pages with his plating notes and annotations, the "Cancellations" section of the Neinken collection covered all plates from which perforated stamps were printed, most are No. 24 from Plates 7-10 but also includes Nos. 18, 20 & 22 from Plates 11-12, cancels include stars, "1ct", "Paid", "Steam Ship", other markings include Independent and C.S.A. Use, NYC carrier, Wells Fargo & Co., scarce town markings etc., some faults to be expected, yet overall Fine-Very Fine, hand-picked over many years by one of the foremost experts in classic U.S. philately E. 1,000-1,500
- 990 **1c 1857 Issue, Balance (18, 20, 22, 24).** 20 stamps with better types, offered as individual lots in past sales but with mostly small condition issues or contrary opinions on type, incl. four of No. 18, single with double transfer and blue grid cancel and strip of three, Positions 45-47R12, three of No. 20 incl. Plate 2 vertical pair and Plate 12 single, six of No. 22 incl. unused (disturbed original gum) single from Plate 11, unused (no gum) single from Plate 4, used vertical pair, seven of No. 24 incl. used block of four, vertical pair with inter-pane margin and centerline, all but two with new certificate, Fine-Very Fine appearing group, Scott Retail more than \$8,750.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 991 **Small Balance of Wagshal Collection.** Single stockbook sparsely populated with 100+ 1c 1851-57 stamps, also a handful of 10c Ty. V 1857 stamps and a few odds and ends, not much of value but we do note a used strip of three from Plate 2 (significantly cut in at top), used and original gum strips from Plate 1L (also cut in), very mixed condition, still Scott Retail for the strips and counting all the other 1c stamps as No. 24 is more than \$8,000.00 E. 300-400

END OF SESSION THREE

SESSION FOUR (LOTS 992-1220)
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2011, AT 1:30 P.M.

1851-57 ISSUES



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- 992 ☒ **3c Orange Brown, Ty. II (10A).** Large to huge margins, deep rich color, tied by "Detroit Mich. Mar. 3" circular datestamp on cover with **blue DeGraff & Kendrick Boiler and Machine Builder's embossed corner card** cover to New York, Extremely Fine, a beautiful cover..... E. 750-1,000



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- 993 ☒ **3c Orange Brown, Ty. II (10A).** Rich color, full margins to just in at left, tied by blue "Philadelphia Pa. Oct. 11" (1851) circular datestamp and used with **D. O. Blood & Co., Philadelphia Pa., 1c Bronze on Black Glazed (15L13)**, acid tied, "Blood's Despatch Oct. 11 9. P.M." double-circle datestamp on illustrated Philadelphia & New York Steam Transportation Co. folded bill of lading to New York, Very Fine, ex Mason and Gibson, Scott Retail for No. 15L13 tied and used with 3c Orange Brown \$1,000.00..... E. 200-300
- 994 ☒ **3c Orange Brown, Ty. I, II (10-10A).** Six covers, incl. one a with "Philadelphia Pa. Jul. 2" (1851) circular datestamp, a **second day use**, one with a pair, another with N.Y. Express Mail circular datestamp (pen canceled), bright colors, a flaw or two incl. one oxidized, overall Very Fine, each purchased as an individual lot in sales past.....(Photo Ex) 1,780.00
- 995 ☒ **3c Orange Brown, Dull Red (10/11A).** 19, covers, incl. nice group of four margin stamps with good color and a neat grid or circular datestamp cancel, several Orange Browns, also No. 11 on turned cover, No. 11A with "Maysville Arks March 31" manuscript postmark (rare town marking, Maysville \$34.38 in net postal proceeds for Jul. 1, 1856-Jun. 30, 1857), also No. 11 with well-struck **Odd Fellows' Three Links, Seeing Eye and Crossed Arrows fancy cancel**, on cover but did not originate, the cancel is genuine (2011 P.F. certificate), lot also with three misc. others incl. 10c Green, Ty. II (32) on Quaker-dated cover, few flaws to be found but overall Fine-Very Fine, nice group.....Not illustrated E. 400-500



- 996 ☒ **3c Dull Red, Ty. II (11A).** Tied by well-struck "New-York Sep. 10" circular datestamp on brown cover to New London Conn., with dark blue **"Free Trade, No Monopoly!" slogan above and below ornately-framed stamp collar**, cover with trivial edgewear incl. small repaired tears at top, Very Fine appearance and rare, among the earliest forms of stamp collars used in the United States, a similar example (ex Piller) sold in our Jarrett Sale 970, Chase illustrates another on p. 355, otherwise we found no others using Power Search E. 400-500
- 997 ☒ **5c Red Brown (12).** Horizontal pair, margins to in, **used with vertical pair of 10c Green, Ty. II/III (14/15)**, tied by "New Orleans La. Jul. 12, 1857" circular datestamps on gray folded cover **to Bordeaux, France**, red "New York Paid 24 Jul. 22" credit circular datestamp, French transit and receiving backstamps, scarce, our estimate reflects the rough condition E. 400-500
- 998 ☒ **10c Green, Ty. III (15).** Horizontal pair, **used with 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) and horizontal pair of 3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26)**, tied by "Wabash Ind. Nov. 17" circular datestamps on **3c Red Nesbitt entire to Germany**, endorsed "via New York & Bremen", red "N. York U.S. Pkt. 8 Paid Nov. 28" credit circular datestamp, blue "America Uber Bremen Franco" handstamp, Frankfurt and 1857 receiving backstamps, few flaws incl. small piece out at upper right and soiling and 1c flaws from placement at edge, still Very Fine, colorful and unusual franking, the 8c credit marking is unusual E. 400-500



- 999 ☒ **3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26).** Bright color, tied by large "Paid" grid, red "Boston Mass. Apr. 12" double-circle datestamp on **"Liberty, July 4, 1776" Fireworks Dealer's illustrated cover** to New Bedford Mass., receiving backstamp, back of cover also has additional illustration of ship, warehouse and text listing other products they sell, with original 1861-dated enclosure which also has several illustration of fireworks, flag and "Balloons of All Sizes", few trivial toned spots, Very Fine, a very unusual and beautiful cover and enclosure E. 750-1,000



- 1000 ☒ **3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26).** Two, small flaws, tied by corks, "Chester Pa. May 29, 1861" circular datestamp on red and blue **Eagle, Shield and Flags "The Union and the Constitution" Patriotic** cover to Pottstown Pa., docketing reads "Jefferson Davis who has tampered with the American Eagle, will yet live to feel its claws", with original enclosure with fascinating contents incl. "What a lamentable affair the assassination of Col. Elsworth was. He is a great loss to the country. I saw him at the 'Continental' the evening Mr. Lincoln was there. He was one of the President's attendants.", minor edgewear, Very Fine, a pretty cover with great contents E. 500-750
- 1001 ☒ **3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26).** Attractive margins, cancelled by cork with "North Scituate R.I. Jun. 14" circular datestamp on red and blue **Rhode Island "Hope" with Anchor, Flag and Charging Soldier Patriotic** cover to Easton Pa., a few light toned spots incl. on stamp at bottom, otherwise Very Fine, attractive design E. 200-300
- 1002 ☒ **5c Red Brown (28).** Vertical strip of three with **sheet margin at left**, scissors-trimmed perfs other sides, rich color, with **horizontal strip of three 10c Green, Ty. II (32)**, scissors-trimmed perfs at right and bottom, tied by "New Orleans La. Dec. 11, 1857" circular datestamp on folded letter **to Paris, France**, red "New York Paid 36 Dec. 23" credit datestamp (three-times 12c credit for British Packet) also ties 5c strip, transit and receiving datestamps, horizontal file fold does not affect stamps which have some minor toning, small tear bottom right of right 10c stamp, Very Fine appearing and impressive triple-rate franking..... E. 750-1,000
- 1003 ☒ **5c Brown (29).** Vertical strip of three with huge **inter-pane margin and centerline**, showing absence of perfs along the centerline, scissor separated at left with intact perfs, tied by grid cancels with matching "New Orleans La. Sep. 12" double-circle datestamp on blue 1860 folded cover to **Bordeaux, France**, New York 12c credit datestamp, boxed "P.D." handstamp and French transit and receiving datestamps, some splitting along folds and age spotting mostly along edges which only slightly affects perfs in a couple places, otherwise Fine, a striking and rare centerline strip on cover, signed Ashbrook who calls it "exceptional" E. 750-1,000
- 1004 ☒ **5c Brown (29).** Vertical strip of three, scissors separated with intact perfs at right, full other sides to missing at bottom, tied by "New Orleans La. Dec. 21, 1859" circular datestamp on folded tissue paper letter **to Orne, France**, red "Boston Paid 6 30 Dec." credit datestamp, transit and receiving backstamps, light indentations at left of middle stamp, fresh and Very Fine cover, Scott Retail as strip of three off cover \$1,250.00 E. 400-500



- 1005 **10c Green, Ty. III/II (33, 32).** Three items, incl. vertical pair, top stamp Type III, bottom stamp Type II, scissors-separated into top perfs, **used with 1c Blue, Ty. II (22)**, tied by "Washington D.C. Nov. 18" circular datestamps on legal-size cover front only to New York City; second is No. 32 from Lafayette Ind. to San Francisco; third is No. 33 from Milford Conn. to San Francisco, overall Fine-Very Fine, first with 2008 P.F. certificate, others with older P.F. certificates..... E. 300-400
- 1006 ☒ **10c Green, Ty. V (35).** Horizontal strip of three with **captured imprint** at left, tied by "Philadelphia Pa. Jun. 25, 1860" octagonal datestamps on orange cover **to Stettin, Prussia, Germany**, red "N. York Hamb., Pkt. 20 Jun. 30" circular datestamp, neat "Franco" handstamp, Hamburg and receiving backstamps, slightly reduced at left and some wear, left stamp small corner crease at lower left, still Fine, the 20c credit marking is unusual..... E. 300-400
- 1007 ☒ **12c Black, Plate 1 (36).** Horizontal pair, choice centering, tied solely by red "Phila. Br. Pkt. 19" **credit datestamp** on cover to London, England, red "Paid G.B. 1858 24MY24" receiving datestamp, some minor gum soaks around perfs and small flaw between the stamps in the perfs, still Very Fine appearance and desirable cancelled solely by the Philadelphia British Packet marking .. E. 300-400
- 1008 ☒ **12c Black, Plate 1 (36).** Crisp impression, used with **3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26)**, tied by "Worcester Mass. Nov. 6" circular datestamp on 1859 blue cover **to Paris, France**, red "New York Paid 12 Nov. 9" credit datestamp, French transit also ties 12c, missing top flap, Very Fine, a pretty cover .. E. 200-300
- 1009 ☒ **12c Black, Plates 1, 3 (36-36B).** Two covers, first with two Plate 1 singles tied by blue "Charlottesville Va. Jun. 5" circular datestamp on 1858 cover to London, England and **forwarded to Glasgow, Scotland with Great Britain 2p Blue (29)**, London and Glasgow receiving backstamps, few cover tears and small stamp flaws, appears Fine, ex Gibson, second cover Plate 3 horizontal pair on 1859 pre-printed cover from New York to Sheffield, England, some edge wear, appears Fine.....(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 1010 ☒ **12c Black, Plate 3 (36B).** Horizontal pair, used with **horizontal pair of 3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26)** and tied by blue grid cancels and matching "Louisville Ky. Oct. 4, 1860" circular datestamp on folded letter **to Oldenburg, Germany**, red New York 7c credit datestamp also ties stamps, red boxed "Aachen Franco" handstamp, faint vertical file fold affects right 12c, still Very Fine, ex Klein..... E. 750-1,000
- 1011 ☒ **30c Orange (38).** Horizontal pair, s.e. at right, tied by "Philadelphia Pa. Dec. 18, 1860" octagonal datestamp on **registered cover to Vienna, Austria**, red "New-York Dec. 19, 1860" circular datestamp (used on registered mail to foreign countries), red "Recomandirt" and boxed "Aachen Franco" transit handstamps, receiving backstamp, expertly sealed cover tear at upper left, right stamp with small sealed tear at top left, still Very Fine, an exceedingly rare registered cover to Austria with a pair of the 30c 1860 issue paying double rate, with 2011 P.F. certificate, ex Gibson, Klein, Kapiloff and DuPuy E. 1,000-1,500

1861-68 ISSUES



- 1012 ☒ **3c Pink (64).** Rich color, tied by neat strike of target, "Painesville O. Sep. 17, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Grand Rapids Mich., trivial edgewear, Very Fine and attractive early use, ex Bilden, signed Brookman 1,100.00
- 1013 ☒ **3c Pink (64).** Brilliant color approaching Pigeon Blood Pink, tied by **greenish-blue** "Woonsocket R.I. Jan. 4" circular datestamp on orange cover to military address at Alexandria Va., 1862 docking on back, reduced at left, stamp has short vertical pre-use crease at bottom right, otherwise Very Fine 1,100.00
- 1014 ☒ **3c Pigeon Blood Pink (64a).** Bright shade, tied by "Medina N.Y. Sept. 26, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Union Springs N.Y., bold **"DUE 3"** in circle handstamp, opened a bit unevenly at right and minor edgewear, few short or pulled perfs at bottom, otherwise Very Fine example of this desirable shade, ex Hulme, with 2009 P.F. certificate..... 5,750.00
- 1015 ☒ **3c Rose (65).** Average centering, perf faults at left, tied by full clear strike of **blue Masonic All-Seeing Eye** fancy cancel and matching "Washington Ind. Oct. 15" circular datestamp on orange cover to Dillsburg Pa., the cover is a bit reduced at right as usual for this correspondence (from which most, if not all, examples of this rare cancel originate), still Very Fine, similar cover realized \$3,250 hammer in our recent "Artemis" sale..... E. 500-750
- 1016 ☒ **3c Rose (65).** S.e. at left, tied by "Alexandria Va. Oct. 7, 1861" double-circle datestamp on purple **Capitol Building Patriotic** to Etna N.Y., stamp with light corner crease at top left, minor edgewear, still Very Fine and attractive Magnus design, ex Walcott..... E. 200-300
- 1017 ☒ **3c Rose (65).** Defective, tied by "Old Point Comfort Va. May 28" double-circle datestamp on red and blue **"Patriot of '76" George Washington Patriotic** cover to Holyoke Mass., cover with some wear, still Fine, attractive design, ex Walcott..... E. 200-300
- 1018 ☒ **3c Rose (65).** Eight singles arranged to form an irregular block, tied by targets on 1864 cover to **London, England**, clear "Lynn Mass. 24 Paid Feb. 18" circular datestamp in magenta, bold red "Boston Am. Pkt. 3 Paid Feb. 20" exchange circular datestamp also ties two stamps, backflaps sealed by top sheet selva from **British postage stamps**, couple stamps with small flaws incl. one with perf faults from placement at edge, still Very Fine, rare example of the Lynn 24c integral rate datestamp resembling the credit markings used at exchange offices E. 400-500



- 1019 ☒ **3c Rose, 2c Black (65, 73).** Two covers, 3c cancelled by bold strike of **blue "10" numeral**, matching "Tully N.Y. Jun. 13" circular datestamp on cover to military hospital in Washington D.C. and redirected to Tully, barely reduced at right and trivial soiling, Very Fine, rare with the "10" numeral on the 3c stamp, 2c Black Jack tied by Maltese Cross cork cancel and unusual "Philadelphia Pa. Apr. 20 3PM" circular datestamp on unsealed cover to local street address, Very Fine, this style of Philadelphia datestamp is atypical and must have been a short-lived device..(Photo Ex) E. 200-300
- 1020 ☒ **5c Buff (67).** Tied by target, "New-York 22 Jan." double-circle datestamp on blue folded cover to **Halifax, Nova Scotia**, bold "5" due marking, color slightly faded, stamp affected by vertical file fold, otherwise Fine 1,400.00
- 1021 ☒ **10c Yellow Green (68).** Rich color, tied by circle of wedges, "New York Sep. 20" circular datestamp on 1867 folded letter to **Demerara, British Guiana**, clear "St. Thomas SP 30, 1867" and Georgetown backstamps, ms. "4" crossed out and re-rated "5", sender's instructions "pr Brazilian Str. Guiding Star", vertical file folds do not affect stamp, Very Fine, extremely rare use to British Guiana, our computerized records contain only one other, with two 5c stamps, offered in our Sevenoaks sale in 2000, and we are aware of another 10c cover E. 750-1,000
- 1022 ☒ **10c Yellow Green (68).** Vertical strip of three, bright color, cancelled by segmented corks and tied by "Dayton Nev. Dec. 28" circular datestamp on 1865 cover to **Bremen, Germany**, red "N. York Br. Pkt. Paid 7 Feb. 25" credit datestamp, blue boxed "Aachen Franco" handstamp, receiving backstamp of May 15, stamps affected from placement at edge of cover, few cover edge tears, otherwise Very Fine, very unusual use from Nevada to Germany which took 2½ months to reach its destination E. 400-500
- 1023 ☒ **12c Black (69).** Vertical pair, tied by grid cancels with matching "Kingston N.Y. Apr. 8" (1867) double-circle datestamp on small cover to **London, England**, red New York 19c credit datestamp and London "Paid" receiving datestamp, Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 1024 ☒ **12c Black (69).** S.e. at left, used with 3c Rose (65) and tied by **red** "Newark N.J. 29 Sep." double-circle datestamps on orange cover with shoe manufacturer's return address to **Frankfurt, Germany**, red "N. York Brem. Pkt. Paid 12 Sep. 29" credit datestamp, blue "America Ueber Bremen Franco" handstamp, receiving backstamp, Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 1025 ☒ **24c Red Lilac (70).** Deep rich color and detailed impression, tied by large circle of V's cancel, "Newburgh N.Y. Apr. 14" circular datestamp on 1863 cover to **Norwich, England**, red "N. York Br. Pkt. Paid 19 Apr. 14" circular datestamp, receiving backstamp, fresh and Very Fine, with 2011 P.F. certificate..... 350.00

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- 1026 ☒ **24c Red Lilac (70).** Gorgeous color, tied by neat strike of **red** grid cancel, matching "N. York Br. Pkt. Paid Apr. 23" circular datestamp and also red "N. York Hamb. Pkt. Paid 10 May 3" credit datestamp on 1862 orange cover to **Prussia, Germany**, Hamburg and receiving backstamps, small "Franco" handstamp, trivial edgewear, Very Fine, a pretty cover apparently overpaying the 15c rate via Bremen-Hamburg Mails E. 300-400
- 1027 ☒ **24c Red Lilac (70).** Tied by grid on folded letter with indistinct origination datestamp, datelined "Marple 6th Mo. 6th 1862" and addressed to **Liverpool, England**, care of Brown, Shipley & Co. and with their receiving handstamp, **forwarded to London**, forwarding postage paid by **G.B. 1p Red** tied by "466" in barred oval and "Liverpool JU 23, 1862" circular datestamp, Liverpool and London backstamps, some minor splitting along folds, Very Fine, a desirable mixed franking, ex Haas and Hyzen E. 500-750
- 1028 ☒ **24c Steel Blue (70b).** Used with **1c Blue (63)** and **12c Black (69)**, all three cancelled by neat "Paid" handstamps, "Gorham Me. Feb. 2?" (ca. 1862) circular datestamp on cover to **St. Petersburg, Russia**, "Portland Me. Am. Pkt. 46 Mar. 1" debit datestamp, red Aachen backstamp, blue manuscript due markings, 24c stamp with some discoloration and cover restored at right, top right corner and back, Very Fine appearance, prepaid for the 37c Prussian Closed Mail rate but over the single-rate weight limit and treated as unpaid, this must have been sent prior to May 1863 when the rate via Prussian Closed Mail was lowered from 37c to 35c, ex Gibson, with 2010 P.F. certificate E. 1,000-1,500
- 1029 ☒ **24c Steel Blue (70b).** Rich color, tied by large "Paid" grid, red "Boston Br. Pkt. 19 Dec. 17" circular datestamp on 1862 cover to **Dublin, Ireland**, transit and receiving backstamps, missing part of top flap, some slight toning just affects stamp, still Very Fine 1,350.00



- 1030 **30c Orange (71).** Horizontal pair and six singles, tied by crossroads cancels on blue linen-lined piece, red "New York Registered Jun. 15, 1857" circular datestamp, ms. registry no. at top, stamps with few flaws incl. one cut in at left, still Fine and unusual large franking..... E. 300-400
- 1031 ☒ **30c Orange (71).** Just tied by blue segmented cork, blue "Memphis Tenn. Dec. 20" circular datestamp on 3c entire (U58) to **Hannover, Prussia**, red "N. York Am. Pkt. 7 Dec. 26" credit datestamp, blue boxed "Aachen Franco" handstamp, some edge wear and light stains, appears Fine, unusual combination overpaying the 28c rate by Prussian Closed Mail, with 1998 Holcombe and 2011 Weiss certificates..... E. 200-300
- 1032 ☒ **30c Orange, 3c Red, F. Grill (71, 94).** Two covers, first No. 71 used with 3c Rose (65), both tied by grid of bars cancel with matching "Trenton Ill. 10 Sept." circular datestamp on 1864 cover with red and blue patriotic borders on backflaps to **Luzerne, Switzerland**, stamps with small flaws and cover with some edgewear, Fine appearance, second cover 3c F. Grill with wide margins to in at top, tied by bold strike of "**Mummers**" fancy cancel and matching "Philad'a. Pa. Dec. 10" circular datestamp on small cover to Utica N.Y., fresh and Very Fine strike.....(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 1033 ☒ **2c Black (73).** Crisp impression, **used with 1c Blue (63)** and tied by large grids and "New-York Nov. 28, 1863" double-circle datestamp on **Union Glass Works illustrated building** folded letter to Meriden Conn., minor edgewear, Very Fine and attractive..... E. 300-400
- 1034 ☒ **2c Black (73).** Nicely balanced margins, tied by negative **Star of David** and "New Haven Con. Jun. 30" circular datestamp on **Western Railway, California** corner card cover used locally, Very Fine and choice, a pretty cover, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate..... E. 300-400



- 1035 ☒ **2c Black (73)**. Cancelled by quartered cork and **used with 12c Black (69)**, tied by indistinct circular datestamp on orange cover **to Genova, Italy**, red "New York Paid All Direct Apr. ?" circular datestamp, red "4" credit handstamp, 1868 transit backstamps, 2c with some blunted perfs, cover with expert repairs at top left and underneath stamps (does not affect stamps), still Very Fine and unusual cover sent via North German Union Direct Mails, with 2010 P.F. certificate. E. 300-400
- 1036 ☒ **2c Black (73)**. Used with **two 3c Rose (65) and horizontal pair and single of 10c Green (68)**, cancelled by targets and large "Portland Me. Dec. 28, 1866" double-circle datestamps on orange cover **to Srendburg, Denmark**, red "N. York Br. Pkt. Paid ?" circular datestamp and also red "18" in circle handstamp, blue boxed "Aachen Franco" handstamp, missing most of top flap, some overall soiling and wear, stamps with few flaws, still Fine and unusual franking..... E. 500-750
- 1037 ☒ **5c Red Brown (75)**. Three singles, generally defective, tied by cork cancels with matching "Washington DC. Jul. 10 1864" double-circle datestamp on buff cover **to Paris, France**, red New York credit datestamp and French receiving handstamp, appears Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate E. 200-300
- 1038 ☒ **5c Red Brown, 5c Brown (75, 76)**. Six covers, incl. three with No. 75 incl. two singles from Penn. to Cal., single to Nova Scotia and single used with 10c to France, three with 5c Brown incl. one with two used to Canada, other two with 10c to France, some flaws, appear Fine-Very Fine..... (Photo Ex) E. 1,500-2,000
- 1039 ☒ **5c Brown (76)**. Vertical pair, tied by "N. York Steamship" handstamp on light yellow cover to Lynn Mass., top stamp short perfs at right, still Very Fine and attractive use E. 200-300
- 1040 ☒ **15c Black (77)**. Choice centering with wide and balanced margins, tied by cogwheel cancel, "San Francisco Cal. Jan. 30" double-circle datestamp on light yellow 1867 cover **to St. John, New Brunswick**, receiving backstamp, barely reduced at left, Extremely Fine, a superb stamp and cover E. 300-400



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- 1041 ☒ **3c Rose, A. Grill (79).** Perfs largely intact, tied by neat strike of small target cancel, "Dixon Sep. 17 '67" circular datestamp with unclear state name on cover to New Bedford Mass., part strike of receiving backstamp, stamp with small tear at top, cover reduced at left, appears Very Fine, Scott Retail as on cover \$2,750.00..... E. 500-750
- 1042 ☒ **1c Blue, E. Grill (86).** Rich color, clearly-defined grill, tied by target, "Penn Yan N.Y. Jun. 27" double-circle datestamp on locally-addressed cover, accompanied by printed "List of Peddlers who hold licenses to sell foreign goods in New York, May 10th, 1868", minor edgewear, Very Fine..... 625.00
- 1043 ☒ **1c Blue, E. Grill (86).** Two, clearly-defined grills, tied by segmented corks, "New Haven Ct. Sep. 29" circular datestamp on unsealed Grocery Dealer's corner card cover to local address, with original printed enclosure for Colton's Select Flavors extract dealer's circular, Very Fine..... E. 400-500



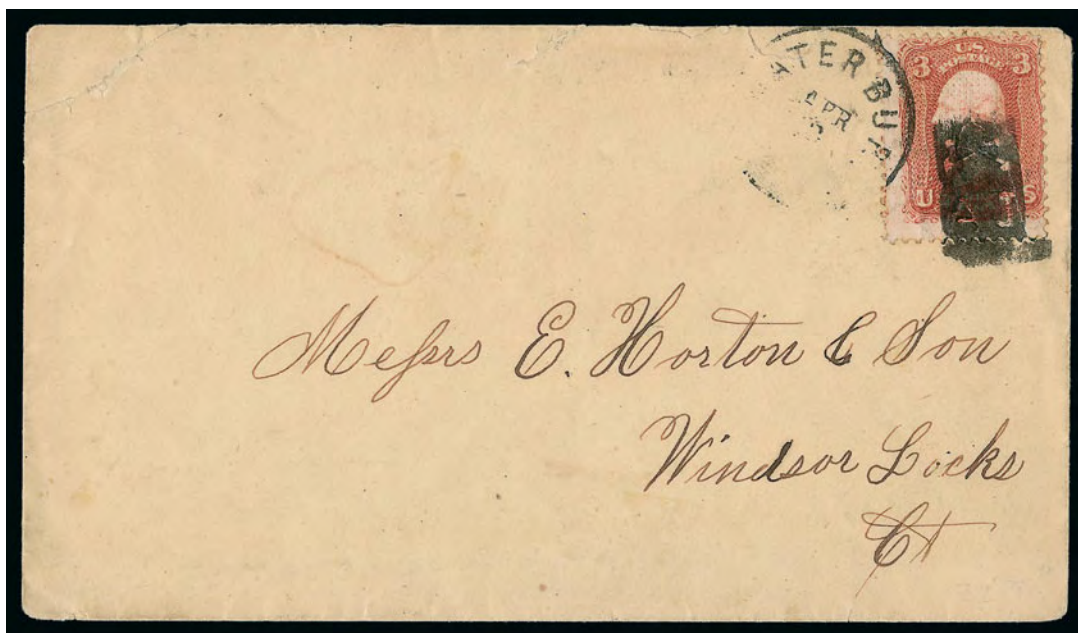
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- 1044 ☒ **1c Blue, E. Grill (86).** Three, clear grills, cancelled by square grids on cover with purple "J. Bigler & Co." illustrated corner card cover depicting floating lumber and ships, to Nyack N.Y., blue July 25, 1868 company origination handstamp from Newburgh N.Y., slightly reduced at right and some minor soiling around a few perf tips, still Very Fine, a pretty cover and desirable use of the 1c E Grill..... E. 1,000-1,500



1045

- 1045 ☒ **2c Black, 3c Red, F. Grill (93, 94).** Horizontal strip of four of 3c, clearly defined grills, tied by corks, "Brooklyn N.Y. Nov. 9" circular datestamp on 1868 cover to **Naples, Italy**, red Nov. 10 transit datestamp, red crayon credits, red "Hamburg Franco" boxed handstamp also ties 2c, large "P.D." handstamp, transit and receiving backstamps, some toning at left affecting left stamp, otherwise Very Fine use paying the 14c rate by North German Union Direct Closed Mails E. 300-400



1046

- 1046°☒ **3c Red, F. Grill (94).** Rich color, clear grill, tied by bold strike of "A.J." **Skull and Crossbones fancy cancel** (Rohloff Type R-5) and Waterbury circular datestamp on cover to Windsor Locks Conn., cover with few tears, stamp with light diagonal crease
 VERY FINE STRIKE OF THE DESIRABLE ANDREW JOHNSON TOMBSTONE WITH SKULL FANCY CANCEL. VERY RARE USED ON A COVER.

Andrew Johnson assumed the presidency after the assassination of Lincoln in 1865. He was unable to secure the nomination for the 1868 election, partly because he had alienated many politicians and the public. This sentiment is reflected in the fancy cancel.

With 1994 P.S.E. certificate..... E. 2,500-3,000

CORRESPONDENCE OF DE BENNEVILLE RANDOLPH KEIM

De Benneville Randolph Keim (1841-1914), was a native of Pennsylvania and a prominent reporter and writer in the years from the Civil War through the latter part of the 19th Century. In 1862 he was sent by *The New York Herald* to cover the headquarters of Union General Ulysses S. Grant. He would cover 26 battles during the War and accompanied Grant through the surrender of Vicksburg and Sherman in his march to the sea. After the Civil War he continued as an Indian War reporter, following Generals Sheridan and Custer. His reports formed the basis for his book *Sheridan's Troopers on the Borders: A Winter Campaign on the Plains*.



After Keim had served in several foreign assignments, Grant, concerned about corruption and mismanagement, appointed Keim as a special agent and sent him to U.S. consulates in China, Asia, Egypt and South America. It was during these activities that the covers in the following section were sent to his future wife, Jennie A. Owen. Keim's discovery of corruption and inefficiency in the U.S. consulate in China nearly led to the impeachment of George F. Seward, the American consul in Singapore. Seward, the nephew of William H. Seward, President Lincoln's secretary of state, was recalled to Washington to explain allegations of fraud in his dealings with the Woosung railroad in China. The allegations against Seward were dropped, however, and he returned to China as consul. (<http://readingeagle.com/article.aspx?id=91566>). During his travels, Keim also leaked the story of the Chinese Manchu Dynasty rape of French nuns and massacre of Chinese citizens who had been converted to Catholicism. He spent his final 20 years in Washington, publishing some of its first sightseeing guides.



1047

- 1047 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** Two, tied by quartered cork cancels and "San Francisco Cal. Nov. 18" (1870) circular datestamp on cover to Hartford Conn., magenta "**China and Japan Steam Service**" oval handstamp at left, pencil docketing on back "4222 m. from S.F., written Sept. 22" and with no indication of origin, carried aboard the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s *China*, which departed Yokohama on Oct. 23, 1870, and arrived in San Francisco Nov. 17, slightly reduced at left where small tear, some minor wear, right 10c stamp flaws at top

VERY FINE. A RARE DOUBLE-RATE COVER FROM JAPAN TO THE UNITED STATES, STRUCK WITH THE "CHINA AND JAPAN STEAM SERVICE" OVAL. FROM THE KEIM CORRESPONDENCE.

This cover does not have a Japanese postmark, but we can deduce its origin and route, based on the docketing and correspondence. This must have missed the sailing of the PMSS *Great Republic*, which left Hong Kong on Sep. 12 and departed Yokohama on Sep. 23. The sender — De Benneville Randolph Keim — was apparently still at sea when the *Great Republic* left Yokohama. This and four other covers in the Keim correspondence were carried on the *China*, which departed Yokohama on Oct. 23. The letters (no longer present) were written by De Benneville Randolph Keim to his future wife, Miss Jennie A. Owen. E. 3,000-4,000



1048

- 1048 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** Horizontal pair, bright color, tied by quartered cork cancels, "San Francisco Cal. Nov. 18" circular datestamp on cover to Hartford Conn., pencil docketing on back "C' Written at sea 3260 miles Sept. 18, Rec'd Nov. 23, 1870. Two days after this he rec'd my 1st dispatch", magenta "China and Japan Steam Service" oval handstamp at left, minor edgewear

VERY FINE. A RARE DOUBLE-RATE COVER FROM JAPAN TO THE UNITED STATES WITH THE "CHINA AND JAPAN STEAM SERVICE" OVAL HANDSTAMP.

This was carried aboard the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s *China*, which departed Hong Kong Oct. 12, Yokohama on Oct. 23 and arrived in San Francisco on Nov. 17. It is one of five separate letters received by Jennie A. Owen from her future husband, De Benneville Randolph Keim, during his travels in Japan and China. E. 1,500-2,000



1049

- 1049 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** Two and part of a third, tied by circle of wedges cancel, "San Francisco Cal. Sep. 13" circular datestamp on 1870 cover **from the Pacific Mail Steamer America** while at sea to Hartford Conn., magenta "China and Japan Steam Service" oval handstamp at left, sender's routing "Per Pacific Mail Steamer America at Sea Pacific Ocean", defective where opened at right causing loss of part of third stamp, other stamps light corner creases, still Fine and very unusual use, the sender — De Benneville Randolph Keim — was a passenger on the outbound trip of the PMSS *America*, which departed San Francisco on July 1, arrived in Yokohama on July 23 and in Hong Kong on Aug. 2, it then made the return trip, departing Hong Kong on Aug. 12, Yokohama on Aug. 22 and arriving in San Francisco on Sep. 12. E. 750-1,000



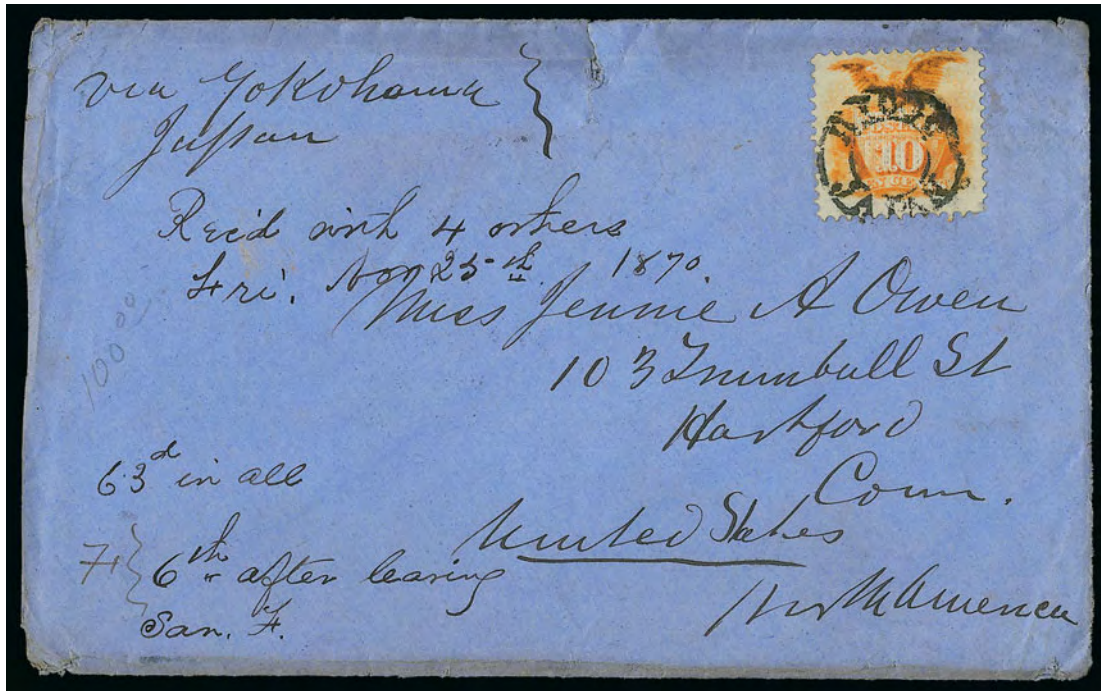
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- 1050 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** Vertical strip of three, cancelled by three strikes of “Hiogo Japan” double-circle handstamp on cover to Miss Jennie A. Owen in Hartford Conn., the strip is also tied by segmented cork cancel and “Yokohama Japan Oct. 23” (1870) circular date-stamp, sender’s routing “Via Yokohama” at upper left, pencil docketing on back “Hiogo Jeddo Yokohama Sept. 29 to Oct. 4”, “San Francisco Cal. Nov. 18” double-circle backstamp, the Yokohama marking strengthened in manuscript (most likely by Jennie Owen, who kept a careful log of the correspondence), few short perfs of little consequence, some slight edgewear

VERY FINE. A RARE MULTIPLE OF THE 10-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE ON A TRIPLE-RATE COVER FROM JAPAN TO THE UNITED STATES, POSTMARKED BY THE U.S. POST OFFICES AT HIOGO AND YOKOHAMA. THE HIOGO MARKING IS EXTREMELY RARE ON COVER, AND THIS YOKOHAMA CORK KILLER HAS NEVER BEFORE BEEN RECORDED. THE USE OF BOTH OFFICE MARKINGS ON ONE COVER IS EXTRAORDINARY.

This cover originated at Hiogo, Japan. It was carried on the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.’s branch line *Golden Age*, as it travelled from Shanghai to Yokohama, departing Shanghai on Oct. 13, 1870, and arriving in Yokohama on Oct. 21. It was then carried by the PMSS *China*, which departed Yokohama on Oct. 23 and arrived in San Francisco on Nov. 17. It was delivered to the recipient, Jennie A. Owen, at the same time as four other pieces of mail from De Benneville Randolph Keim, her future husband.

The Frajola, Perlman and Scamp book lists a summary of Yokohama postal markings in an appendix. This cancellation is unlisted, but appears to fit in with others used in the same time period. The “Hiogo Japan” circular handstamp is frequently encountered off cover, but is almost never seen on cover. Power Search contains only two examples used on cover with the 10c 1869 Pictorial, and only two others used on other denominations.
..... E. 15,000-20,000



1051

- 1051 ✉ **10c Yellow (116).** Tied by “**Hiogo, Japan**” circular handstamp on blue cover to Hartford Conn., sender’s routing “*Via Yokohama Japan*” at upper left, receipt docketing “*Rec’d with 4 others Fri. Nov. 25th 1870*” and also pencil “*Hiogo-Oct. 11*” on back, neat “San Francisco Cal. Nov. 18” double-circle backstamp, slightly reduced at left, small edge tear at top

VERY FINE. A RARE USE OF THE 10-CENT 1869 ON COVER FROM JAPAN WITH THE HIOGO DOUBLE-CIRCLE HANDSTAMP. THIS IS AN EXTREMELY RARE MARKING ON COVER.

This cover was carried on the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.’s branch line steamer *Golden Age*, which departed Shanghai on Oct. 13, 1870, and arrived in Yokohama on Oct. 21. It was then carried by the PMSS *China*, which departed Yokohama on Oct. 23 and arrived in San Francisco on Nov. 17. It was delivered to the recipient, Jennie A. Owen, at the same time as four other pieces of mail from De Benneville Randolph Keim, her future husband.

The “Hiogo Japan” circular handstamp is frequently encountered off cover, but is almost never seen on cover. Power Search contains only two examples used on cover with the 10c 1869 Pictorial, and only two others used on other denominations.... E. 5,000-7,500

1052



- 1052 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** S.e. at left, tied by U.S. Postal Agency in Shanghai circle of wedges cancel (probably Frajola-Perlman-Scamp Type SHA-Can9), but without the usual circular datestamp, on cover to Hartford Conn., sender's routing "Via Yokohama Japan" at upper left, pencil docketing on back "Oct. 14-70" and also pen "The last of his writing Oct. 14 I have now rec'd an account of his daily doings every day since he sailed from S. Sfr. in fact since he left me at V.", "San Francisco Cal. Nov. 18" double-circle backstamp, barely reduced at left, some slight edgewear

VERY FINE. A RARE USE OF THE 10-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE FROM SHANGHAI TO CONNECTICUT VIA YOKOHAMA, JAPAN.

This cover was carried on the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.'s branch line steamer *Golden Age* from Shanghai to Yokohama, departing Oct. 13, 1870, and arriving Oct. 21. It was then carried by the PMSS *China*, which departed Yokohama on Oct. 23 and arrived in San Francisco on Nov. 17. It was delivered to the recipient, Jennie A. Owen, at the same time as four other pieces of mail from De Benneville Randolph Keim, her future husband. The cover offered here is unusual in that it has the Shanghai killer but no origination circular datestamp. E. 1,000-1,500

1053



- 1053 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** S.e. at left, cancelled by circle of wedges, light strike of "P.O.D. U.S. Con. Genl. Shanghai Nov. 13" circular datestamp on cover to Hartford Conn., sender's routing "via American Mail from Shanghai, China" at upper left, receipt docketing "near Pekin at Tientsin" below stamp, receipt docketing of Dec. 28, 1870, magenta "San Francisco Cal Paid Dec. 21" backstamp, minor edgewear, Very Fine, carried on the branch line of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. from Shanghai to Yokohama, then carried aboard the *Japan*, which departed Yokohama Nov. 25, 1870, and arrived in San Francisco Dec. 20..... E. 750-1,000



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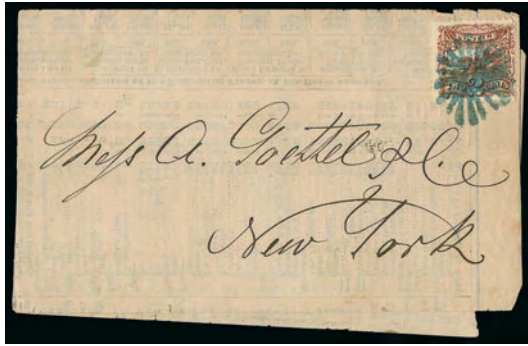
- 1054 ☒ **10c Yellow Green, F. Grill (96).** Bright color, tied by circle of wedges cancel, matching “P.O.D. U.S. Con. Genl. Shanghai Dec. 14” circular datestamp on 1870 cover to Hartford Conn., endorsed “From Peking via Shanghai China” at left, “San Francisco Cal. Jan. 18” transit datestamp and “10” due handstamp, light pencil “Due 10” marking, some edgewear incl. tears at left and at top, Very Fine, carried on the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.’s branch line steamer *Oregonian* from Shanghai to Yokohama, where it arrived on Dec. 21, then carried on the *America*, which departed Yokohama Dec. 22 and arrived in San Francisco Jan. 17, 1871, additional 10c due for weight, this was carried on the same vessels as the following cover..... E. 500-750



1055

- 1055 ☒ **10c Yellow Green, F. Grill (96).** Cancelled by circle of wedges, matching “P.O.D. U.S. Con. Genl. Shanghai Dec. 14” circular datestamp on cover to Hartford Conn., receipt docketing “Rec’d Jan. 25, 1871”, at left, “San Francisco Cal. Jan. 18” transit datestamp, some slight edgewear, date of Shanghai marking drawn in (probably by recipient who kept careful records of the correspondence), Very Fine, carried on the Pacific Mail Steamship Co.’s branch line steamer *Oregonian* from Shanghai to Yokohama, where it arrived on Dec. 21, then carried on the *America*, which departed Yokohama Dec. 22 and arrived in San Francisco Jan. 17, 1871, this was carried aboard the same vessels as the previous cover E. 750-1,000

1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE



1058



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- 1058 ☒ **2c Brown (113)**. Rich color, tied by **blue Spokes fancy cancel** on folded printed price list to New York, some splitting along folds, small filing hole, Very Fine strike of this colorful cancel, ex Haas..... E. 200-300
- 1059 ☒ **2c Brown (113)**. Horizontal pair, tied by targets and by "Providence R.I. Sep. 18" circular datestamp on cover to **Menton, France**, red "New York Feb. 19" transit, stamps also tied by "**GB 40c**" **Anglo-French accountancy marking**, neat "10" decimes due marking, 1870 docketing at left, with original enclosure, Very Fine Open Mail use E. 300-400



1060

- 1060 ☒ **2c Brown, 3c Ultramarine (113, 114)**. All three tied by quartered cork cancels on 1870 cover to **Santo Domingo, West Indies**, 3c originally affixed alone and tied by "Rochester N.Y. May 30" duplex datestamp, held for additional postage and marked with blue crayon "Due 7", 2c and **5c Brown, F. Grill (95)**, affixed over due marking and tied by cork cancels, "Rochester N.Y. Jun. 4" circular datestamp (struck after 7c postage was added), light strike of red New York circular datestamp, endorsed "**Per Steamer Tyblu**", receiving datestamp, some slight wear, 2c light corner crease and 3c with light gum soak

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE MIXED-ISSUE FRANKING WITH THE 5-CENT F GRILL AND 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE PAYING THE AMERICAN PACKET RATE TO SANTO DOMINGO IN WHAT IS NOW THE DOMINICAN REPUBLIC. SENT DURING PRESIDENT GRANT'S FAILED ATTEMPT TO ANNEX SANTO DOMINGO. A FASCINATING RARITY.

During late 1869 and early 1870 the Grant Administration, following the tenets of the Monroe Doctrine, attempted to annex Santo Domingo. Justifications included their lack of funds to maintain government, a potential place for the settlement of ex slaves, and security considerations which included keeping European powers out of the area and the establishment of a naval base. Frederick Douglass was one of the leaders of the effort, which was ratified in Santo Domingo but failed the ratification process in Congress. The U.S. would occupy the island from 1916-24 partly to ensure payment of debts.

From a new find..... E. 2,000-3,000



- 1061 ☒ **3c Ultramarine (114)**. Rich color, tied by **negative Star of David fancy cancel**, "Bradenburg Ky. Aug. 10" circular datestamp on attorney's corner card cover to Belton Tex., sender's instructions "The P.M. will please forward to J.S. if not at Belton" and **forwarded** to Salado Tex., neat "Belton Tex. Aug. 20" circular datestamp at left, ms. "forw'd" at left, apparently not charged forwarding postage, stamp with some toning and small corner crease, cover tear at left and some overall wear, still Fine and unusual use..... E. 200-300
- 1062 ☒ **6c Ultramarine (115)**. Horizontal pair, wide margins to just touching at bottom, tied by cork cancels, "Evansville Ind Mar. 26" (1870) circular datestamp on small cover to naval officer in care of B. F. Stevens, **London, England**, blurry red New York transit, London receiving datestamp on back, red **B. F. Stevens** oval forwarding datestamp, Very Fine, an attractive small double-rate cover directed to a U.S. Navy vessel by B. F. Stevens, the U.S. Despatch Agent, ex Moody..... E. 400-500
- 1063 ☒ **10c Yellow (116)**. Two, each tied by "N. York Steamship Feb. 17" circular datestamp on 1870 shipping merchant's yellow corner card cover to **Cardenas, Cuba**, sender's blue datestamp, "NA" oval and "2" due handstamp for internal Cuban postage from Havana to Cardenas, slightly reduced and slight bend at right not affecting stamps, Very Fine, scarce double-rate American Packet usage, ex Coulter..... E. 750-1,000
- 1064 ☒ **10c Yellow (116)**. Tied by segmented cork cancel, red "New York Jan. 22" (1870) circular datestamp on baker's buff corner card cover to **Strasbourg, France**, no French entry datestamp but "16" decimes due handstamp for double rate (letter weight 10-15 grams), Strasbourg receiving datestamp, Very Fine, the Alsatian capital of Strasbourg was ceded to Germany in 1871 after the Franco-Prussian War, ex Coulter..... E. 300-400
- 1065 ☒ **10c Yellow (116)**. Enormous margins incl. inter-pane margin at right, tied by part strike of "Paid" **Shield** fancy cancel and "Dedham Mass. Nov. 14" (1870) circular datestamp on cover to **Hamburg, Germany**, red "New York Paid All Br. Transit Nov. 16" circular datestamp, reduced about 1/3 in. at left, otherwise Very Fine, ex Coulter..... E. 200-300
- 1066 ☒ **10c Yellow (116)**. Tied by bold circle of wedges cancel, "Milwaukee Wis. Jul. 5" (1870) circular datestamp on buff cover to **Hannover, Germany**, red "Chicago Paid All Direct Jul. 7" and "Gronau 22/7" backstamps, red boxed "Bremen Franco" datestamp dated Jul. 21, 1870, Very Fine, carried on the NGL's *Main*, departing New York on Jul. 9 and arriving in Southampton on Jul. 19 — the day the Franco-Prussian War was declared, which effectively closed down the route — this is one of a few known 1869 Pictorial covers prepaid at the 7c NGU rate (overpaid 3c) prior to disruption of the service due to war, see Laurence book on the 10c 1869 Issue and article in PRA 1982 Register (pp. 8-9) for a discussion of the 7c NGU pre-war covers including mention of this cover, ex Juhring and Coulter..... E. 300-400

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- 1067 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** Two singles, vibrant color, tied by **blue** targets and matching "Cincinnati O. Aug. 25" circular datestamp on orange cover with European Exchange Office corner card to **Bavaria, Germany**, printed "Per Steamer via Bremen or Hamburg" at top crossed out by "Per Closed Mail via England" handstamp, red "N. York Paid All Br. Transit Aug. 27" circular datestamp, receiving backstamp, few cover faults, still Very Fine, with 1988 P.F. certificate E. 500-750
- 1068 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** Vertical pair, superb centering, tiny corner crease, cancelled by two strikes of **blue** target, "Nat. Mil. Asylum O. May 1" (Dayton O.) circular datestamp on brown legal-size cover to **Ensisheim, Alsace, France**, red "New York Paid All Br. Transit May 4" datestamp, "Ensisheim 2-3M 19 5" receiving backstamp, with original 1871 enclosure from an inmate to the mayor of his native town, Very Fine, carried on the *Malta* on the last Cunard sailing from New York for 2½ years, when this was mailed on May 1, 1871, Alsace was still technically French, although German forces controlled the region — by the time it reached Ensisheim, the treaty ending the Franco-Prussian War and ceding Alsace to Germany had been signed, ex Coulter E. 1,000-1,500
- 1069 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** Horizontal pair, rich color, tied by quartered cork cancels, "Chicago Ill. Mar. 1" circular datestamp on 1870 cover to **Dettingen, Prussia**, red "Chicago Paid All Direct Mar. 3" transit datestamp on back with "3" inverted, red boxed "Bremen Franco" datestamp (Mar. 10, 1870), Stuttgart receiving backstamp, cover with overall soiling and a few edge nicks, otherwise Very Fine double-rate NGU use E. 150-200
- 1070 ☒ **10c Yellow (116).** Vertical pair and single, rich color, tied by cork cancels and indistinct red circular datestamp on cover to **Dresden, Germany**, red 1870 "Hamburg Franco" transit, endorsed "*Per Steamer Hammonia*", some slight wear incl. small tear at upper left, Fine and unusual franking, with 2000 P.S.E. certificate E. 300-400



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- 1071 ☒ **12c Green (117).** Two covers, first tied by circle of wedges on **Grant-Colfax Campaign cover to Leeds, England**, red "New York Paid All May 22" circular datestamp, Chicago backstamp, slightly reduced at right, some trivial wear, Fine, scarce use, second tied by rosette, red "New York Paid All May 19" circular datestamp on architect's corner card cover **to London, England**, red 1869 London datestamp, stamp with short perf at top right, cover with edge tears, otherwise Fine, early use(Photo Ex) E. 500-750
- 1072 ☒ **12c Green (117).** Rich color, short perfs at top, used with **3c Ultramarine (114)** and tied by quartered cork cancels, red "New York Paid 3 Sep. 28" circular datestamp on cover **to Paris, France**, red boxed "PD" handstamp, blue French transit datestamp, Very Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate..... E. 150-200
- 1073 ☒ **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Full margins and attractive centering, tied by quartered cork cancel and "Gonzales Tex. Jun. 18" circular datestamp on **registered 3c Pink entire (U58)** corner card to Richmond Va., ms. registration numbers, light edge staining and cover with defective top left corner which does not affect the stamp or markings, otherwise Very Fine, scarce registered use of the 15c Ty. I, ex Seybold 1,900.00
- 1074 ☒ **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. II (119).** Tied by circle of V's cancel, red "New York Br. Transit Paid All Jul. 24" circular datestamp on cover **to Worms, Germany**, endorsed "Pr City of London, Prussian Closed Mail" and with red Verviers-Coeln transit datestamp, receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at right, some overall wear, still Very Fine..... 900.00

1870-88 BANK NOTE ISSUES



- 1075 ☒ **3c Green, Grill (136).** Strip of three and three singles, clear grill on the three singles, traces on the stamps in the strip, strip tied together and singles cancelled or tied by blue target, matching "Mapleton Minn. Aug. 7" circular datestamp struck on back of yellow registered cover to Commissioner of Indian Affairs in Washington, blue "Received At Indian Office Aug. 14, 1873" datestamp struck on front and back, docketed on front (in same hand as address) "Bids for Winnebago Indian Trust Lands," docketing on back notes \$10.20 currency enclosed, couple minor flaws incl. one stamp affected from placement over edge of cover, otherwise Very Fine, an unusual use of the 1870 3c Grilled Issue, with 1988 P.F. certificate..... E. 400-500
- 1076 ☒ **7c Carmine, Grill (138).** H. Grill, vertical pair tied by segmented cork cancel, "Louisville Ky. Oct. 24 5 P.M." circular datestamp on cover to **Hanover, Germany**, red "New York Paid All Br. Transit Oct. ?" circular datestamp ties pair, transit datestamp on back, top stamp with tear and couple creases, some toned perfs and light cover soiling, still appears Very Fine, scarce 7c grilled pair on double-rate cover to Germany, with 2011 P.F. certificate..... E. 300-400
- 1077 ☒ **1c Ultramarine, 2c Brown (145, 146).** Tied by Leaf cancel and "Philadelphia Pa. Aug. 23" circular datestamp on cover with **tannery's red illustrated cameo corner card** to Pawtucket R.I., 1873 docketing at lower left, Very Fine, a colorful cover and scarce cameo design. E. 200-300
- 1078 ☒ **2c Red Brown, Vertical Half Used as 1c (146b).** Two covers, each used in combination with complete stamp for 3c rate, both covers with Dimock Pa. circular datestamp and ms. dates, each bisect cancelled by corks, with original enclosures, some faults incl. one opened roughly and affecting stamp, otherwise Fine, interesting pair from an original correspondence showing how bisects were accepted at small-town post offices, one with 2007 P.F. certificate..... 1,600.00
- 1079 ☒ **7c Vermilion (149).** Horizontal pair, tied by unusual square-shaped wedges cancel, "St. Louis Mo. Mar. 25" circular datestamp on **registered cover to Oker, Germany**, red "New York Registered Mar. 28" circular datestamp, matching "Direct Serv. Paid All" handstamp, various registry nos., receiving backstamp, faint horizontal file fold well away from stamp, Very Fine, 6c rate plus 8c registry fee..... E. 200-300
- 1080 ☒ **10c Brown, 12c Dull Violet (150, 151).** Tied by circle of wedges cancel, red "Boston Paid 25 Feb." circular datestamps on cover to **Ahmednuggur, India**, red crayon "18" credit marking, red 1873 London transit, red "1d" British Colonial rate handstamp, Sea Post and receiving backstamps, minor wear, Very Fine and attractive use, ex Knapp E. 500-750



- 1081 ☒ **12c Dull Violet (151).** Pretty shade, tied by "Middleborough Mass. Oct. 25" circular datestamp and cork cancel on cover to **Constantinople, Turkey**, red "New York 4 Oct. 26" transit with integral 4c credit, red German "Wfr 1½" credit handstamp, receiving backstamp, missing part of top flap, some edge flaws, stamp with tiny tear at lower right, Fine appearance, overpaying the 11c rate by 1c E. 300-400
- 1082 ☒ **15c Bright Orange (152).** Tied by "Detroit Mich. Registered Apr. 28" circular datestamp on **registered** 3c Green entire addressed to **Creek Agency, Indian Territory**, stamp partly lifted to determine whether grilled or not, minor oxidation and some soiling around perfs, still Very Fine and scarce registered use to Indian Territory..... E. 200-300
- 1083 ☒ **1c Ultramarine, 2c Vermilion (156, 178).** Tied by **blue** segmented cork cancels and matching "Chicago Ill. W.D. Sta. Feb. 24 7AM" circular datestamp on blue cover with **manufacturer's illustrated corner card** to Lowell Mass., slightly reduced at right, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1084 ☒ **1c Ultramarine, 5c Blue (156, 179).** Tied by quartered cork cancels, "Burlington N.J. Dec. 2" circular datestamp on cover to J. F. Bingham aboard U.S. Flagship *Pensacola* in care of U.S. consul in **Panama**, sender's ship-name directive "Per P.M. Str. 'Acapulco'", red "New York Br. Transit Dec. 5" datestamp crossed out with blue crayon, "New York Dec. 16" datestamp, stamps with small faults, otherwise Fine, unusual use E. 150-200
- 1085 ☒ **3c Green (158).** Two, one with straddle-pane margin showing arrow and part of stamp in adjoining pane, rich color, tied by single clear strike of **New York Foreign Mail Star in Circle** cancel (Weiss ST-8P6) on cover to **Hamilton, Bermuda**, red "New York Dec. 24" circular datestamp and matching "SHORT PAID" boxed handstamp, scarce "N.Y.P.O./ONE RATE/ SHORT PAID" three-line handstamp on back, ms. "20" at lower right, two horizontal folds clear of stamps, otherwise Very Fine, an unusual and very scarce cover, Kirke census reports six New York Foreign Mail cancel uses to Bermuda E. 150-200
- 1086 ☒ **6c Dull Pink (159).** Bright color, tied by **red** cork cancel, matching "Baltimore Md. Feb. 5" circular datestamp on orange "**Allan Steamship Line**" **corner card cover** to **Liverpool, England**, endorsed "p Republic" at top and carried by that White Star Line's vessel, receiving datestamps, vertical file fold affects stamp, otherwise Fine, scarce use and desirable with the Allan Line corner card E. 200-300
- 1087 ☒ **10c Brown (161).** Horizontal pair, tied by two full strikes of "**76**" **1876 Centennial Year** cancel, "Hollidaysburgh Pa. May 4" circular datestamp on yellow **registered cover** to **Switzerland**, addressed in Old German style scrawl (how the post office deciphered the address is a mystery), red "New York Registered May 10" datestamp, Philadelphia registry datestamp and Swiss receiving datestamps on back, "CHARGE" Swiss registry handstamp, blue crayon forwarding notation, reduced slightly at top and quite a bit at left, exhibits well on standard page, Fine appearance, an unusual registered cover with the rare "76" Centennial Year cancels..... E. 150-200



- 1088 ☒ **10c Brown (161)**. Two used with **2c Vermilion (178)** and **5c Blue (179)**, tied by targets, "New Haven Conn. Jun. 30" circular datestamps on 1876 tissue-paper cover **to Wellington, Cape of Good Hope**, red "New York 50 Jul. 1" credit datestamp, red London transit and "3d" British Colonial credit handstamp, receiving datestamp at upper left, slightly reduced at left, overall wear with few tears and edge flaws, still Very Fine and colorful use paying the 27c rate via Southampton E. 500-750
- 1089 ☒ **10c Brown, 12c Blackish Violet (161, 162)**. Tied by grid cancels, "Denver Colo. May 12" circular datestamp on 1874 cover **to Bombay, India**, red "Chicago Ill. Am. Pkt. 18" credit handstamp, red London transit, Sea Post backstamp, red "1d" British Colonial credit handstamp also ties stamps, Very Fine, scarce use to India thru the Chicago exchange office, signed Ashbrook.... E. 400-500
- 1090 ☒ **12c Blackish Violet (162)**. Horizontal pair, s.e. at left, used with **1c Ultramarine, 3c Green (145, 147)**, all tied by cork cancels, "Richmond Va. Apr. 9" (1875) circular datestamp on cover **to Buenos Aires, Argentina**, red "New York 24 Apr. 10" credit datestamp and red London "Paid" transit, few trivial toned spots and right stamp light diagonal crease, backflap removed, otherwise Very Fine, attractive example of 28c British Mail rate to Argentina, signed Ashbrook, with 2011 P.F. certificate E. 400-500
- 1091 ☒ **15c Yellow Orange (163)**. Bright color, tied by quartered cork cancel, bold "Waltham Mass. Oct. 8" (1875) circular datestamp on **registered cover to Lausanne, Switzerland**, "Registered" in circle handstamp applied at Waltham, red "New York Registered Oct. 9" transit datestamp, "CHARGE" framed Swiss registry handstamp, receiving backstamps, stamp has tiny inconsequential tear between two perfs at upper left, otherwise Very Fine, 5c GPU/UPU rate plus 10c registry fee E. 150-200
- 1092 ☒ **30c Gray Black (165)**. Bright shade, tied by "New-York Aug. 25 P.M. 3" duplex handstamp on 1877 folded letter **to Guadalajara, Mexico**, endorsed "Str. City of Mexico" at top, receiving backstamp, "35c" due marking, light horizontal file fold does not affect stamp, Very Fine, attractive use, ex Albert 725.00
- 1093 ☒ **5c Blue (185)**. Nicely balanced margins, tied by cork cancel with light strike of "Killingly Ct. Dec. 10" circular datestamp on cover **to Kobe, Japan**, oval "Too Late" handstamp applied in San Francisco, "Yokohama. Japan. Feb. 5" transit datestamp, back with New York (Dec. 11) and San Francisco (Dec. 18) transit backstamps, Hiogo (Feb. 8) receiving backstamp, Very Fine, ex Emerson E. 300-400



- 1094 ☒ **5c Blue, 5c Yellow Brown (185, 205).** Two covers, first No. 185, rich color, tied by target, "Milwaukee Wis. Jan. 25" circular datestamp on 1879 cover **to France and forwarded** to Nice, forwarding postage paid by **France 15c Blue (92)** tied by double-circle datestamp, blue hotel backstamp, minor edge tear at far left, Very Fine and attractive mixed franking, second No. 205, tied by cork, "Sandy Hill N.Y. Sep. 1, 1882" circular datestamp on cover **to Bhamo, Burma**, with Brindisi, Sea Post Office and third indistinct backstamp, slightly reduced at left, stamp with perf flaws, still Very Fine use to a rare destination.....(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 1095 ☒ **15c Red Orange (189).** Tied by "New York Jul. 16 7PM 89" duplex datestamp and oval on **Catholic publisher's illustrated corner card cover to Natal, South Africa**, building illustration on back, Very Fine, 15c treaty rate covers to Natal (non-UPU) are scarce, but the use of an illustrated ad cover is even rarer E. 200-300
- 1096 ☒ **5c Yellow Brown (205).** Tied by large circle of wedges cancel, "Boston Paid Jul. 28" circular datestamp on grayish brown cover with **watchmaker's blue illustrated corner card** to London, England, red receiving datestamp, Extremely Fine E. 200-300
- 1097 ☒ **6c Rose (208).** Two horizontal pairs tied by lightly struck cork cancels and circular datestamp (Chicago City Minn.?) on insurance corner card cover **to Sydney, New South Wales**, San Francisco transit and receiving backstamps, slightly worn, Fine, scarce franking for double 12c treaty rate, ex Albert E. 200-300
- 1098 ☒ **6c Rose (208).** Horizontal strip of four, tied by "New-York Mar. 3, 1883" duplex datestamp and numeral oval cancels on large-size cover **to Sydney, Australia**, endorsed "Via San Francisco" at top left, red crayon "2" at left, left stamp sealed tear, cover with small tear at top, Very Fine appearance, double 12c treaty rate E. 300-400
- 1099 ☒ **2c Red Brown (210).** Two used on separate covers, **each with attempted use of 2c revenue stamp for postage**, both marked "Held for Postage", one from Utica N.Y. with printed address and 2c Bank Check tied, other from Peekskill N.Y. with 2c Liberty uncanceled, Very Fine pair of attempted revenue use covers.....(Photo Ex) E. 200-300
- 1100 ☒ **12c Treaty Rate to Australasia.** Three covers, incl. May 1879 to Brisbane, Queensland with four 10c and three 3c (Nos. 184, 187) paying quadruple 12c rate, May 1885 printed address cover to Auckland, New Zealand, with Nos. 209 and 210, and May 1888 to Auckland N.Z. with strip of six 2c Green (213), over weight limit with "Due 12" and "Insufficiently Prepaid" handstamps, trimmed at right into stamp, Fine group of scarce Bank Note covers(Photo Ex) E. 200-300



1101

- 1101 ☒ **4c Blue Green, Diagonal Half Used as 2c (211 var).** Bottom right diagonal half well-tied across the cut by **blue** quartered cork cancel, matching "Newburgh N.Y. Feb. 28 3PM" circular datestamp on locally-addressed cover to Robert Whitehill (resident of Newburgh), small paper clip rust stain over stamp, minor wear and toning, otherwise Fine, very rare..... E. 300-400



1102

- 1102 ☒ **5c Indigo (216).** Affixed over 1p and tied by large dotted grid cancel, used with **Samoa, 1890, 1p Green, 2p Brown Orange, Perf 12 x 11½ (11b, 13b)**, affixed overlapping, tied by blue "Apia, Samoa, Mar. 26" double-circle datestamp on cover to Baltimore Md., red San Francisco transit and Baltimore receiving datestamp on back, backflap removed
VERY FINE. A COLORFUL THREE-STAMP MIXED FRANKING FROM SAMOA TO THE UNITED STATES.
Ex Hollowbush E. 1,500-2,000

LARGE NUMERAL POSTAGE DUE COVERS OF FOREIGN ORIGIN



1103EX

- 1103 ☒ **Large Numeral Postage Due Issue Covers of Foreign Origin.** 89 covers incl. a few postal stationery items, all originating in foreign countries and bearing various U.S. Large Numeral Postage Due stamps up to the 10c value, a very diverse array of origins and frankings grouped by geographic location including British North America, Danish West Indies, Latin America, Jamaica, Great Britain, France, Monaco, Belgium, Italy, Switzerland, Northern Europe and Scandinavia, Austria, Hungary, Germany, Russia and Turkey (please note there are no China or Japan covers), the Due frankings reflect the various changing regulations for assessing postage due on international mail, some sent unpaid, but many with foreign postage underpaying rates, colorful and rare frankings abound, condition generally excellent

AN OUTSTANDING GROUP OF INTERNATIONAL MAIL POSTAGE DUE COVERS WITH THE UNITED STATES LARGE NUMERAL ISSUE — THE “BANK NOTES” OF THE POSTAGE DUE ISSUES — PRESENTING A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY TO LAUNCH AN EXHIBIT-WORTHY COLLECTION. PROBABLY THE LARGEST AND MOST IMPORTANT OFFERING OF ITS KIND SINCE THE ARFKEN SALE NEARLY 20 YEARS AGO.

These covers were acquired one at a time over two decades with a total cost of \$14,798 (the owner's cost is noted on each cover, but many were acquired more than 10 years ago). We feel our estimate is conservative and does not factor in the enormous labor and transaction costs that would be necessary to build such a collection up from scratch. This lot is worth careful examination and an aggressive bid.(Photo Ex) E. 10,000-15,000

LARGE NUMERAL POSTAGE DUE ISSUE DOMESTIC COVERS



1104EX

1104 ☒ **Large Numeral Postage Due Issue Domestic Covers.** 73 covers incl. a few postal stationery items, all bearing Large Numeral Postage Due stamps up to the 30c value, hand-selected for unusual frankings and character including rejected 5c 1888 bisect and attempted illegal use of revenue stamps, advertising and exposition covers, Special Delivery frankings, large Valentine, unusual cancels incl. Heart-punch (Baltimore) and blue New York oval (very rare), the single most valuable item is a Publisher's Weekly package label on front with regular Bank Note issues and 96c postage due paid by 2c, 10c and two 30c No. J19, some minor faults but condition is generally excellent

A WONDERFUL COLLECTION OF DOMESTIC COVERS WITH THE LARGE NUMERAL ISSUE — THE "BANK NOTES" OF THE POSTAGE DUE ISSUES. PROBABLY THE LARGEST AND MOST IMPORTANT OFFERING OF ITS KIND SINCE THE ARFKEN SALE NEARLY 20 YEARS AGO.

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LATE 19TH AND EARLY 20TH CENTURY COVERS



- 1105 ☒ **4c Columbian (233)**. Deep rich color, used with **1c Dull Blue (219)**, tied by bold "New-York Jul. 25, 1893" duplex cancel on **North German Lloyd Steamship Company illustrated** cover depicting a steamship with a sail, to **Waltershausen, Germany**, receiving backstamp, Very Fine and pretty cover..... E. 300-400
- 1106 ☒ **Columbian Exposition Postal Cards**. Nine complete unused sets of Goldsmith Postal Cards, incl. few different sets as identified by UPSS, also incl. three outer wrappers (faulty), Very Fine groupNot illustrated E. 500-750
- 1107 ☒ **2c Carmine, Ty. I (265)**. Bright color, tied by barely discernible Philadelphia Pa. machine cancel on **black cover with white address** to South Dartmouth Mass., with enclosure from Collection Dept. of Mercantile Union Co. dated July 11, 1895, some slight wear, Very Fine, this is the first all-black cover we have ever encountered, fitting for use by a collection agency..... E. 200-300
- 1108 ☒ **3c Purple (268)**. Used with pair 1c Deep Green (279) and tied by two strikes of "San Francisco Jul. 9 98 4 PM" duplex cancel on **red and blue Spanish-American War Patriotic** cover with photographs of Dewey and others to **Hamburg, Germany**, New York transit and Hamburg receiving backstamps, 3c stamp with small wrinkle and cover with some minor corner wear, Very Fine, an outstanding design..... E. 300-400
- 1109 ☒ **50c Orange (275)**. Used with 8c 1895, 6c, 10c Ty. I and 15c 1898 and 10c 1895 Special Delivery on 5c Blue Grant entire, 1900 registry use to Germany, lightly tied by edge of canceller in purple (probably at the request of the sender to treat as "philatelic mail"), New York registry label on the 6c and 5c embossed stamp, nice range of transits, few typical light cover toning spots, otherwise Fine, colorful combination and no doubt very scarce..... E. 300-400
- 1110 ☒ **2c Red, Ty. IV (279B)**. Horizontal pair and three singles, cancelled or tied by handstamps, "Nogales Ariz. Oct. 6, 1900" circular datestamp on registered 2c entire to **Mexico**, the rare **El Paso registry label** (No. FX-EP1b) affixed and tied by pencil registry no., receiving backstamp, trivial edgewear, Very Fine, colorful and scarce use, Scott Retail \$600.00 E. 200-300
- 1111 ☒ **8c Violet Black (306)**. Natural s.e. at top, used with **2c Battleship Revenue**, cancelled by purple "Lewiston Cal." handstamp on registered cover to San Francisco, pencil "Jan. 4, 09" manuscript below one strike of the cancel, also with purple "Rated Up at San Francisco" handstamp and blue crayon "Postage Due 2c", receiving backstamp, 8c with vertical crease, still Very Fine and attractive attempted use of the Revenue stamp which was not accepted as valid postage E. 200-300
- 1112 ☒ **1c Green, Bluish (357)**. Used with **1c Green (331)**, the right stamp the Bluish Paper issue with wide and balanced margins, both stamps tied by "New York N.Y. Sta. Y Apr. 10, 1909" duplex cancel on cover to Mount Kisco N.Y., receiving backstamp, file fold at bottom, Very Fine, a rare and desirable combination of the regular and Bluish papers on the same cover, a review of Power Search failed to find another E. 300-400
- 1113 ☒ **1c Green, Bluish (357)**. Deep color on nicely blued paper, well-centered with selvage at bottom, tied by "Washington D.C. Mar. 5, 1909" duplex cancel on "**President Taft and Family**" photograph postcard to Clark's Mills Pa., Very Fine and choice, mailed the day after Taft's inauguration as President E. 200-300



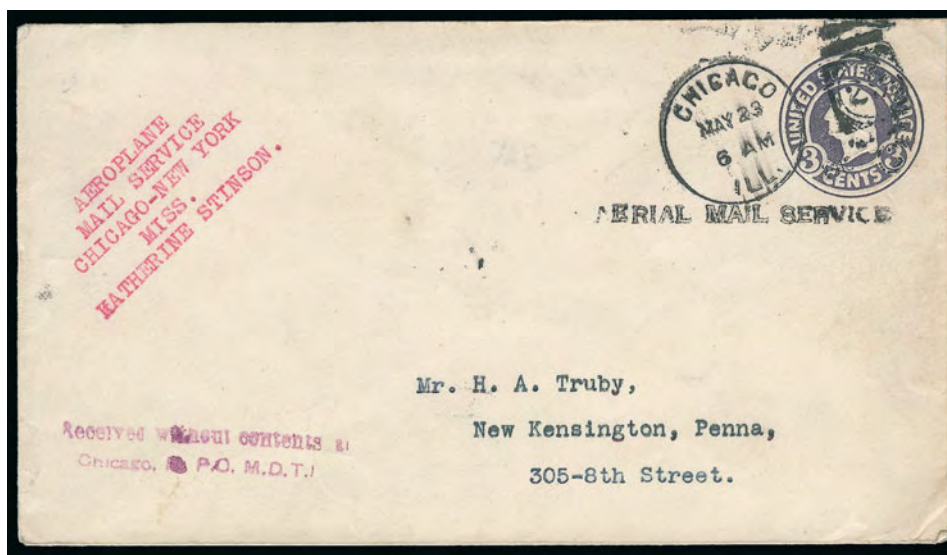
- 1114 ☒ **1c Green, 2c Carmine, Bluish (357-358).** Singles of each on cover, first tied by Washington D.C. Mar. 6 duplex cancel to local address, second tied by Washington D.C. Mar. 5 duplex on "United States Senate Committee to Investigate Trespassers Upon Indian Lands" corner card to Philadelphia, barely reduced at right, both stamps Fine, fresh pair of covers ...**(Photo Ex)** 410.00
- 1115 ☒ **2c Carmine, Bluish (358).** Natural s.e. at right, used with **block of four and single 2c Carmine (332)**, tied thru perfs by Baltimore Md. registered ovals, magenta "Baltimore Md. Reg. Div. Nov. 29, 1909" double-circle datestamp on cover to Cleveland O., Cleveland registered backstamps, Very Fine, a desirable combination of the regular and Bluish papers on the same cover E. 200-300
- 1116 ☒ **2c Lincoln, Bluish (369).** Vertical strip of three and pair, affixed slightly overlapping and used with two singles of 1c Green (331), tied by multiple strikes of "Washington D.C. Apr. 5, 1909 9 AM" duplex cancel on cover to New Hartford N.Y., Utica N.Y. receiving backstamp, small edge tear at left does not affect stamps, Very Fine, a rare multiple use of the Bluish Lincoln on cover, Scott Retail as five used singles with no premium for the use on cover 1,375.00
- 1117 ☒ **5c Rose, Error (505).** In horizontal pair with normal, used with additional 1c and 10c stamps and tied by "Columbus Ohio" boxed roller cancel on registered cover to **Sydney, New South Wales, Australia**, purple "Registered" handstamp below stamps, purple "Columbus Ohio Registered Oct. 3, 1918", San Francisco and receiving backstamps, missing part of top flap, some toning, soiling and overall wear, 10c small flaw, still Fine, scarce and attractive use of the 5c error in pair with normal 2c to a foreign destination, approximately 50 covers are recorded in total..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1118 **1c-\$5.00 1922-25 Issue (552, 554-573).** Strips of three, tied by red "POSTES ET TELEGRAPHES/MADAGASCAR, COLLECTION DE BERNE" handstamps on part of ledger book, Very Fine, an impressive page from the Madagascar archives, this represents the entire supply of these issues, accompanied by article from *United States Specialist* E. 500-750
- 1119 **\$5.00 Carmine & Blue (573).** 20 copies comprising block of 13 and singles, used with 7c, two 20c and 50c, tied by blind ovals on large part of registered cover front only to the Treasurer of the United States in Washington D.C., return address indicates New York origin and pencil "1000000" may indicate original contents, few creases affect stamps, still Fine, an impressive item E. 300-400
- 1120 **\$5.00 Carmine & Blue (573).** Six tags, each with multiple copies, incl. one with block of four used with 1c, 12c and 25c stamps from Waterbury Conn. to Boston; one with strip of three and 50c from Chicago to Des Moines; one with strip of three used with 1c, 6c, 20c, 50c and two \$2.00 within Penn.; one with strip of three and pair used with three \$1.00 perfins; one with two pairs used with three \$2.00, one \$1.00 and three other stamps; last contains six copies used with eight other stamps, all perfins, few flaws to be expected from items that were attached to heavy parcels and tossed around, still Fine-Very Fine, impressive and desirable group.....*Not illustrated* E. 500-750

FLIGHT-RELATED AND AIR POST COVERS

- 1121 ☒ **AN IMPORTANT COLLECTION OF 1918 AIR POST ISSUE COVERS.** 57 covers mounted on annotated exhibit pages, a wonderful range of flights and frankings from the earliest U.S. government airmail routes, the collection starts with four covers carried on the famous **May 15-16 First U.S. Government Flight**, each with 24c No. C3 — the true First Air Post Issue — including May 15 Washington DC-New York northbound flight by Lieut. Boyle, who flew in the wrong direction and crashed-landed in a field near Waldorf Md., the flight was completed the following day (one cover to NYC with black “May/15/1918/First Trip” duplex, received May 16; other to Kansas via Phila. with same duplex in purple tying a stamp with vignette shifted strongly to left that almost qualifies as a “Fast Plane” variety), before the second attempt more mail was added to the flight (one cover to NYC with black “May/16/1918” Washington duplex, stamp with wide left half-arrow selvage), and finally a May 15 successfully completed flight cover northbound from Phila. to NYC with bold “First Trip” datestamp and May 15 receiving backstamp; the collection continues with the **24c Airmail Rate Period** (May 15-Jul. 13) represented by six 24c No. C3 covers, including Jun. 3 experimental flight Washington DC to Boston via New York (AAMC 103) to Dr. Alexander Graham Bell in Boston (cut-down legal-size cover), two covers flown Jun. 9 Boston to New York First Flight (AAMC 105, Jun. 9 scarce date) with special large circular datestamp (one signed by Lt. Torrey H. Webb), one cover with special “Air Mail/New York to/Columbia Country Club/Washington/June 15, 1918” boxed datestamp and Red Cross label on back (very rare, AAMC 106, value \$1,000.00), Jul. 10 flown postcard from Washington DC to Brazil via NYC with additional 2c stamp (flown cards with No. C3 are very scarce), finally a **last day of 24c rate** cover with Jul. 13 New York duplex (Jul. 14 was a Sunday without flights, Jul. 15 was the first day of 16c rate), Phila. receiving backstamp and “Over There” cachet; the **16c Airmail Rate Period** (Jul. 15-Dec. 14) comprises 18 covers, including **four No. C2 Jul. 15 First Day of Rate** covers carried on different routes (Washington-NYC, Washington-Phila., NYC-Washington and Phila.-Washington), also Jul. 15 Washington-Phila. cover overpaid with 24c No. C3 and “Help Humble the Hun” WWI anti-German label showing biplanes dropping bombs, and another Jul. 15 Phila.-NYC registered cover with No. C3 and 10c Parcel Post (rare franking), balance of 16c Rate Period covers include No. C3 overpaid to Ireland with “Over There” cachet, No. C2 on two covers flown on Sep. 5 “pathfinder” flight from New York to Chicago (AAMC 108b) with New York flight duplex and special oval cachet, another from same flight postmarked at Cleveland (AAMC108d), return flight postmarked Chicago (three AAMC 109) and one postmarked Lock Haven (AAMC 109c), No. C2 on two covers with New York duplex and Newark N.J. datestamp (experimental airfield), No. C3 Roessler “Winged Letters” illustrated cover to Holland with censor label on back, finally Nov. 11, 1918 Armistice Day flight cover prepared by Philip H. Ward Jr.; the **6c Airmail Rate Period** (Special Delivery no longer mandatory) commences with **three rare No. C1 Dec. 16 First Day of Rate** covers with Washington DC, New York and Phila. duplexes — a remarkable complete representation of the three major cities with Scott value of \$2,000.00 each — followed by a Dec. 17 Second Day postcard, three covers with No. C2 paying 6c rate plus 10c Special Delivery fee, six covers from the May 3-10, 1919 Macon Ga.-Montgomery Ala.-Atlanta Ga. flights (AAMC 115a, 115b, 115c, 115f two, 115f/g only recorded combination), three No. C1 flown covers with 1919-dated duplex datestamps (Washington Jan. 16, Phila. Jan. 1 and Jul. 18, one to AEF in France); balance of 12 covers comprising Nos. C1-C3 on registered and flown mail, such as AAMC 121 (only 134 flown, value \$200.00), AAMC 131, AEF Postal Express Service (two covers, Nos. C1 and C3, not flown), two “Complete Set” 6c-24c registered covers (not flown but scarce, 24c on one has shifted vignette almost qualifying as “Fast Plane”), registered cover with 24c and 20c Parcel Post (two earliest U.S. stamps to depict a plane), registered cover to Germany with German stamps for Bremen-Berlin airmail, No. C3 on three later first flight covers; condition is overall excellent, some with minor folds or small stamp flaws

A RARE OPPORTUNITY TO ACQUIRE AN OUTSTANDING COLLECTION OF COVERS BEARING THE FIRST UNITED STATES AIR POST ISSUES, INCLUDING EXAMPLES OF THE MAY 15-16 FIRST U.S. GOVERNMENT FLIGHT, SCARCE FIRST DAYS OF THE 16-CENT AND 6-CENT RATES, AND AN ARRAY OF COVERS REFLECTING THE EARLY YEARS OF GOVERNMENT POSTAL AVIATION IN AMERICA.

As we approach the 100th anniversary of U.S. government airmail service, the significance of covers from this early era of aviation increases. This is one of the largest collections of the subject ever offered intact at auction. It will provide the buyer with a foothold in collecting with ample room for expansion.....(Photo Ex) E. 20,000-30,000



1122



- 1122 ✉ **1918, May 23, Katherine Stinson, Chicago-New York N.Y. (AAMC 102).** 3c Violet entire, "Chicago Ill. May 23 6 AM" duplex datestamp, to Harry A. Truby, red "Aeroplane Mail Service Chicago-New York Miss. Katherine Stinson." five-line typewritten cachet, black "Aerial Service" straightline handstamp and violet "Received without contents at Chicago P.O. M.D.T.I." two-line handstamp, New York May 31 receiving backstamp

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE EARLY UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT FLIGHT BY FAMED AVIATRIX KATHERINE STINSON, THE FIRST FEMALE UNITED STATES AIRMAIL PILOT.

Only 60 pieces of mail were carried on this historic flight by Katherine Stinson, America's "sweetheart of the skies". The attractive Stinson sisters and their brother were all pioneer aviators. According to the *American Air Mail Catalogue*, "this was a special flight by Katherine Stinson, the first woman sworn in as a U.S. air mail pilot. After a 600-mile flight in about 10 hours, Stinson landed at Binghamton N.Y., where her plane nosed over on several take-offs, and an eight-day wait ensued for several replacement propellers and dry ground from which Stinson could complete the flight. Finally, on May 31 Stinson flew from Binghamton to the Garden City N.Y. landing field." E. 2,000-3,000



1122A EX

- 1122A ✉ **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Four flown covers with stamps tied by duplex datestamp, stamps show shifted vignette in High, Low, Fast and Slow Plane positions, these are strong shifts but not necessarily strong enough to meet the certification standards for the "Fast" and "Grounded" Plane (we do not know of any standard for High or Slow), three with Washington DC duplex and one with Phila. duplex (with letter enclosure from U.S.S. *New Hampshire*), Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a wonderful matched group ideally suited for exhibition E. 1,500-2,000
- 1122B ✉ **U.S. Flight and Air Post Issue Covers.** 26 covers or cards, variety of better items including No. 6 on Macon-Atlanta flight cover (AAMC 115f), registered covers with No. C1, various other flight covers incl. government and experimental domestic flights 1920-24, generally in the \$50-\$100 AAMC value range, a few with creases or folds, still a Fine-Very Fine group Not illustrated E. 750-1,000



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- 1123 ☒ **Charles Lindbergh.** Bold signature “C.A. Lindbergh” at top of first flight cover from Miami to **St. Johns, Antigua**, 10c Spirit of St. Louis (C10) and 15c Gray (696) tied by target and 15c tied by “Miami Fla. Sep. 20 8 A.M.” duplex, purple “First Flight San Juan-Paramaribo” cachet, cover also signed “O.W. Pittman P.M.” above the cachet by Miami Postmaster Owen Pittman, St. John’s receiving backstamp, Extremely Fine, a gorgeous Lindbergh piece, mounted on an exhibit page and accompanied by a Mint N.H. plate block of six of No. C10..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1124 ☒ **3c Parcel Post (Q3).** Used with singles of 1c, 3c, 8c and 12c of the 1917 Issue, tied by “Air Mail Service Wash. N.Y. Phila. Washington May 15, 1918 First Trip” datestamp on Roessler “Winged Letter” cover with illustration of airplane to Houston Tex., some minor cover and perf toning, 1c with light creases, Fine appearing cover overpaying the 24c rate by 3c..... E. 300-400



1125

- 1125° ☒ **65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15).** Bright colors, tied by easily readable “Washington D.C. Apr. 19 2PM 1930” duplex cancels on **First Day** cover addressed to Philip Ward Jr. in Philadelphia, clear strike of April 21 receiving backstamp
 VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A BEAUTIFUL FLOWN FIRST DAY COVER WITH ALL THREE DENOMINATIONS OF THE GRAF ZEPPELIN SERIES.
 This is a desirable cover, because the date of the cancellation is very clear and it has a receiving backstamp..... 15,000.00



- 1126 ☒ **65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15).** Each tied by "Washington D.C. Apr. 19, 1930" machine cancel on separate cacheted flown **First Day** cover or card (65c), addressed to Davenport Ia., New York or Lakehurst backstamp, first with couple light corner bends, otherwise fresh and Very Fine set(Photo Ex) 3,500.00
- 1127 ☒ **65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15).** Each tied by "Washington D.C. Apr. 19, 1930" machine cancel on separate cacheted flown **First Day** cover or card (65c), addressed to N.Y. or Pa., first with couple light corner bends, otherwise fresh and Very Fine set(Photo Ex) 3,500.00
- 1128 ☒ **\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15).** Wide margins with **plate no. at left**, tied by "Washington D.C. Apr. 19, 1930" cancel on cacheted **First Day** cover to Buffalo N.Y., Lakehurst backstamp, fresh and Very Fine First Day cover 1,200.00
- 1129 ☒ **65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15).** Four separate cacheted flight covers or cards, three addressed to Bridgeport Ct. incl. 65c (on post card), \$1.30 and \$2.60 — which is also franked with 10c Special Delivery (E12), also a second \$1.30 value on cover to Czechoslovakia, 65c stamp with light vertical crease, otherwise Very Fine(Photo Ex) 1,600.00
- 1130 ☒ **65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15).** Three separate cacheted flight covers or cards, the 65c on an unusual very thick grade of cardboard to Lima O., \$2.60 also to Lima, \$1.30 to Baden, Germany, Very Fine trio(Photo Ex) 1,200.00
- 1131 ☒ **\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C15).** Rich color, tied by neat "Varick St. Sta. N.Y. May 6, 1930" datestamp on **loor green cachet** cover to Shelbyville Ind., usual cachets, May 31 Lakehurst backstamp, tiny piece out at top left, otherwise Very Fine and choice, one of only two known loor cacheted covers and the only one bearing the \$2.60 Graf Zeppelin stamp, ex Berkun E. 500-750



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- 1132 ☒ **\$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (C14).** Horizontal pair, tied by neat "Varick St. Sta. N.Y. May 6, 1930" datestamp on **loose green cachet** cover to Peoria Ill., usual cachets, May 31 Lakehurst receiving backstamp, Very Fine and choice, only two examples of this cachet are known, ex Berkun E. 500-750
- 1133 ☒ **Alabama to Sudan FAM Flight.** Cover bearing 10c and **\$1.00 Presidential** (815, 832), tied by "Dothan Ala. Apr. 18, 1942 10AM" duplex, second strike at left, and addressed to **Khartoum, Sudan**, back of cover with "Khartoum 1 May 42" circular datestamp and "Field Post Office 214, 2 MY 42" receiving datestamp, fresh and Very Fine, this cover pays the exact rate of \$1.10 for FAM from San Francisco to Hong Kong or Singapore and by air onwards to Sudan, accompanied by copy of letter rates E. 300-400
- 1134 ☒ **1930, September — Mildred Bruce Around the World Flight, Karachi to Jaidpur (AAMC 1120 var).** India 1a stamp tied by "Jodpur 27 OCT. 30" circular datestamp on unaddressed cover signed by Bruce, New Delhi backstamp, Fine, not flown but still an interesting item signed partway through her trip E. 200-300



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- 1135 ☒ **1936, August 5 — Los Angeles-U.S.S.R. Experimental Flight.** Flown cover bearing U.S. 16c Air Mail Special Delivery stamp and 3c TIPEX stamp used with Russian stamp, tied by "Moscow 26.9.36" circular datestamps, with purple cachet, New York backstamp, signed by **pilot Levanovsky and copilot Levchenko**, some inconsequential edgewear, Very Fine and rare, only a small handful known, a similar flown example sold in our Sale 1011 along with a non-flown example for \$7,000 hammer, accompanied by two original letters from the U.S.S.R. embassy in Washington stating this was a test flight for scientific research purposes and that almost no mail was carried, also accompanied by newspaper article about the flight with photograph of the pilot E. 2,000-3,000

AIR POST GROUP LOTS

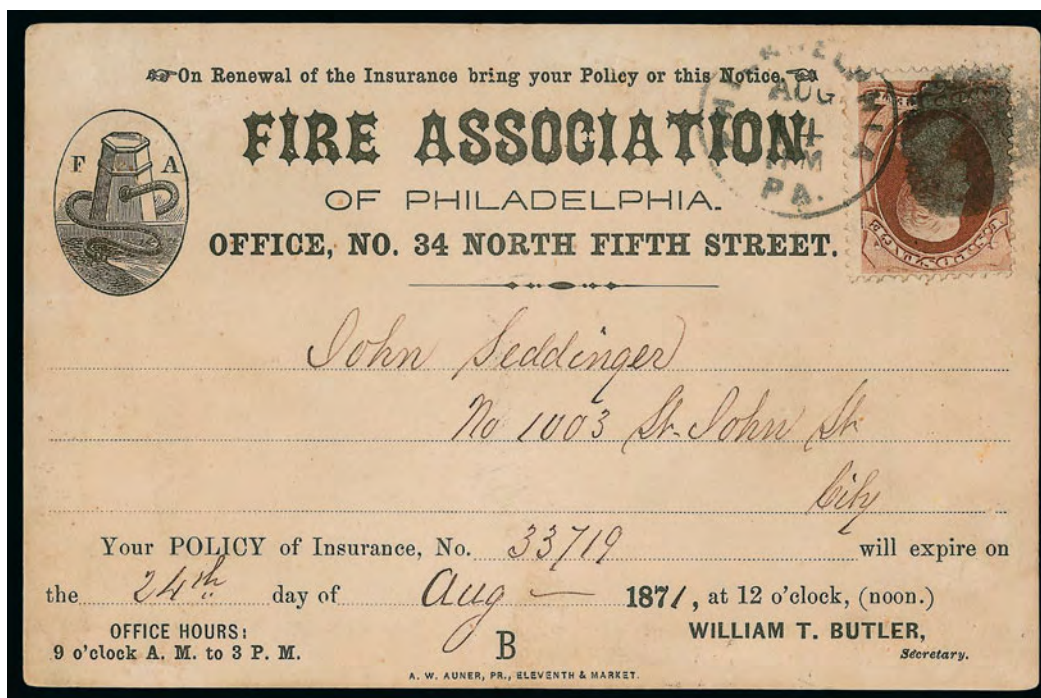
- 1136 ☒ **Flight Covers in the Pacific.** Approximately 44 covers neatly arranged in three-ring binder, incl. Jan. 9, 1934 cancelled aboard the U.S.S. Constitution, Jan. 10, 1934 San Francisco-Hawaii, 1935 Midway Island flight covers, also few Midway flight from 1940 with cachets, nice group of four from Wake Island incl. one canceled by U.S.S. Nitro on Feb. 26, 1935, also some interesting covers signed by pilots and crew, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, a fascinating collection..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1137 ☒ **Flight Covers.** 40 covers, many oversize with "Airgram" printed design and also with various cachets, used from 1928-30, most with 5c Beacon Air Post (C11) stamp, incl. FDC, flight cover from Chile to Minn., mixed franking with Ceylon, overall Fine-Very Fine..... E. 400-500
- 1138 ☒ **Air Mail First Flight Covers.** Four cover binders containing approximately 725 mostly cacheted covers, from 1929-80's, range of markings incl. Chicago motor truck (different types), several elusive flights, formed over a period of 33 years and offered intact, overall fresh and Very Fine, a comprehensive collection..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1139 ☒ **First Flight Covers, Pan American 1946 Speed Test.** 135 flight covers from the U.S., mostly from three themes, first is nice group of First Flights from 1920's-40's, second group is Trans-Pacific covers from 1940's, third group makes up almost half the covers and is the Nov. 1, 1946 Pan-American Airways "Speed Test" flight to 28 Latin American cities, which resulted from the lowering of the airmail rate to 10c, all these are franked with Latin American stamps for the return of the cover to the U.S., many cities represented, Very Fine and desirable group of flight covers..... E. 500-750
- 1140 ☒ **Signed Registered Air Post Covers.** 55 legal-size covers, each bearing different **government signature**, incl. President **Herbert Hoover**, Gov. **Franklin D. Roosevelt**, Sec. of Treas. **A. Mellon**, all franked with 5c Beacon and 1930 Xmas seal, most uprated with a variety of 2c Reds incl. 2c Edison coils (few with line pairs), one each with Kans. and Nebr. ovpts., most with file folds, generally Very Fine E. 500-750
- 1141 ☒ **Florida Flight Covers.** Approximately 177 covers, best item is No. C2 tied by "Arcadia Fla. Dor Br. Aug. 19" circular datestamp on cover to N.Y., reported to be the earliest known use from Door Branch, among the rest are many first flights, nice range of frankings, handstamps and destinations incl. some domestic, cities represented incl. Miami, Cocoa, Sebastian, St. Petersburg, Hollywood, Tampa, Jacksonville, Key West, Lakeland, Vero Beach, West Palm, Daytona, others, nice condition, Very Fine group E. 750-1,000
- 1142 ☒ **Air Post, Uses from China.** Two covers, one with 10c Map (C7) and block of ten of China 1c Orange Junk tied by "Shanghai Jun. 6, 1927" circular datestamps to Washington DC, other with 5c Globe (C12), 2c Due (J71), and block of four and two singles of 4c Gray Junk, tied by Nanking circular datestamps to Tronesta Pa., U.S.S. Barker printed corner card, three different postage due markings, couple file folds clear of stamps, Very Fine E. 300-400
- 1143 ☒ **World War II Air Couriers and "BY BOMBER".** Two Air Courier covers, one legal-size and one large-size, both with penalty for private use at top right and addressed to Bureau of Public Relations, War Dept., Washington D.C., "Direct from the European Theater of Operations" printed at left on first, also three bomber packets with boldly struck handstamps, "BY BOMBER PACKET", "BY U.S. BOMBER POUCH" and "BY O.W.I. BOMBER POUCH", censor markings and labels, few minor faults, Very Fine group..... E. 500-750
- 1144 ☒ **Zeppelin and Other Flight Covers.** 25 covers or cards in Lighthouse album, 10 are flown Zeppelin covers, lot incl. two covers from 1932-33 Russian Polar expedition, one from 1909 Frankfurt show (none known flown, this posted at Frankfurt post office), Zeppelins incl. few U.S. incl. Nos. C18 (one First Day), nice group from Liechtenstein and Switzerland, range of cachets and flights, fresh and Fine-Very Fine group E. 750-1,000



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- 1145 ☒ **10c Ultramarine, Registration (F1).** Used with 5c Blue (378), both stamps tied by boxed "Clymer Pa." handstamp on 1914 **registered bank corner card cover to Naples Italy**, Clymer Pa. Registered, New York (Aug. 14) and Italian backstamps, original letter in Italian enclosed, overall light toning, otherwise Very Fine, scarce use to Italy E. 300-400
- 1146 ☒ **U.S. Registered Package.** Oversize penalty cover from Navy Dept. in Washington D.C. to "Admiral Frank F. Fletcher, U.S.N., Commander-in-Chief, U.S. Atlantic Fleet", ms. "U.S.S. Wyoming" and with "Care Postmaster New York City" handstamp, pencil "Envelope in which was enclosed my appointment as Admiral by President Wilson", March 12, 1915 origination backstamp with various transits, Very Fine, unusual item Not illustrated E. 150-200

POSTAL CARD FORERUNNERS



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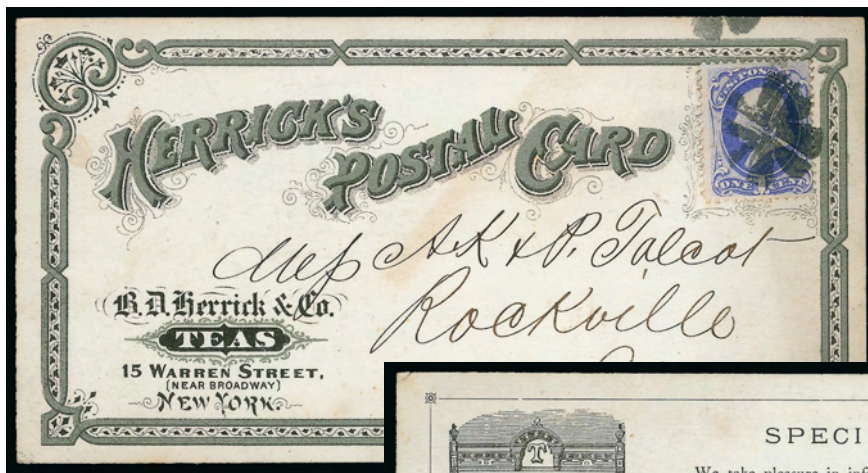
- 1147 ☒ **Fire Association of Philadelphia.** Postal card forerunner depicting fire hose and hydrant, with 2c Red Brown (146) tied by cork cancel and "Philadelphia Pa. Aug. 14" (1871) circular datestamp, locally addressed, trivial age spotting, Very Fine, a rare example of one of the earliest forerunners of U.S. postal cards..... E. 1,000-1,500



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- 1148 ☒ **"Herrick's Postal Card".** Elaborate forerunner card for Herrick's Tea Company in New York, bearing 2c Brown (157) tied by Leaf cancel, to New Bedford Mass., Very Fine, desirable and scarce..... E. 750-1,000
- 1149 ☒ **"Herrick's Postal Card".** Elaborate forerunner card for Herrick's Tea Company in New York, bearing 2c Brown (157) cancelled by grid, **missent** to Milton N.H. and forwarded to Milton Mills N.H., blue manuscript "Missent" and also "Mills" added to address, light strike of "Milton N.H. Mar. ?" circular datestamp, tear at left, corner crease at upper left, still Very Fine and unusual use of this scarce early card E. 750-1,000



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- 1150 ☒ **"Herrick's Postal Card"**. Oversize forerunner card for Herrick's Tea Company in New York, elaborately printed in metallic ink on front and with illustration of building on back, bearing 1c Ultramarine (156) tied by circle of V's cancel, to Rockville Conn., minor edgewear, Very Fine example of this beautiful and very rare forerunner card..... E. 1,500-2,000



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- 1151 ☒ **Taylor & Smith, Designers, Lithographers, Label Printers, Engravers on Wood.** Wonderfully elaborate chromolithographic card produced by this Philadelphia printer, back with additional patriotic design in blue, 1c Ultramarine (156) tied by quartered cork cancel, to Cross Rivers N.Y., stamp with rounded corner at top right, Very Fine, a beautiful and very rare multicolored design E. 1,500-2,000



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- 1152 ☒ **Billings, Clapp & Co., Citrate of Magnesia.** Light green forerunner card with illustration of bottle, back of card with 1c Ultramarine (145) cancelled by cork, blue "Billings, Clapp & Co. Boston, Sep. 9, 1872" oval company handstamp to Concord N.H., fresh and Very Fine, rare design and early card..... E. 1,000-1,500



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- 1153 ☒ **J. H. Abbott & Cos. Special Post-Message.** Orange forerunner card with wonderfully elaborate designs, advertising for weekly report and expense account books for commercial travelers, with 1c Ultramarine (156) tied by bold oval "Boston Mass." handstamp, to Westfield Mass., few light bends, Very Fine, a beautiful and very rare design..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1154 ☒ **W. H. Graff & Co., Commission Merchants, Produce.** Green and black forerunner card with Wiseman of Pittsburgh imprint, bearing 1c Ultramarine (156), lightly cancelled, from Pittsburgh to Shanks O., minor overall wear, Very Fine E. 500-750



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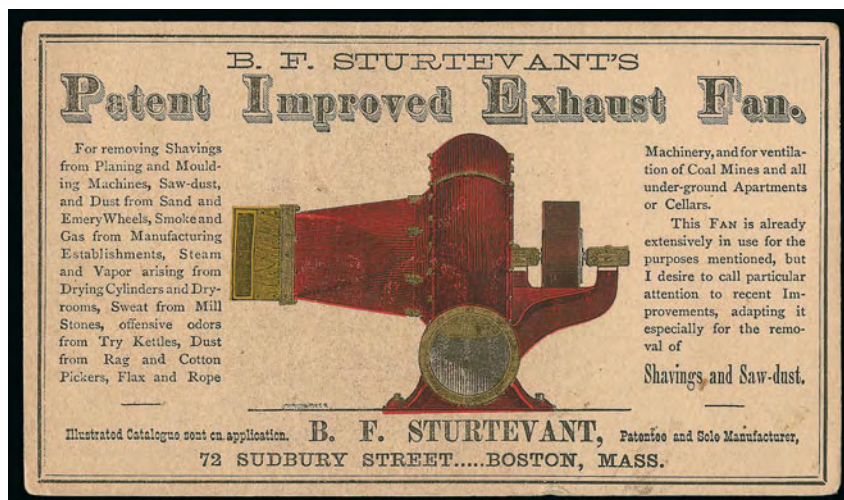
- 1155 ☒ **“Postal Card of Catlin, Brundrett & Co.”** Forerunner card for woolen merchants in New York, nice elaborate border, with 1c Ultramarine (156) tied by target and indistinct New York duplex datestamp, to Barnegat N.J., some slight toning, Very Fine E. 500-750



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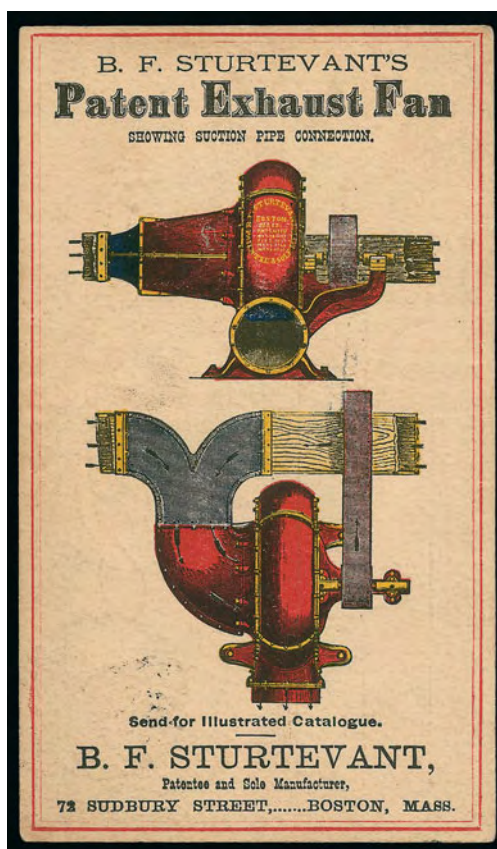
- 1156 ☒ **The Argand with the Clinkerless Grate.** Two multicolored forerunner cards, unused, first depicts woman and child next to the stove with Weed, Parsons & Co. imprint, light pencil on back, second with red and blue illustration of the stove with Van Benthuyssen imprint, trivial soiling, Very Fine, very scarce, the design for the stove allowed for the repositioning of fuel without opening(Photo Ex) E. 500-750

ADVERTISING ON FIRST ISSUE POSTAL CARDS



1157

- 1157 ☒ **B. F. Sturtevant's Patent Improved Exhaust Fan.** Beautiful illustrated chromolithographic advertisement depicting the fan and describing its many uses, on 1c Postal Card from Boston to Sutton N.H., slight edgewear, Very Fine, multicolored advertising on postal cards is rare..... E. 1,500-2,000



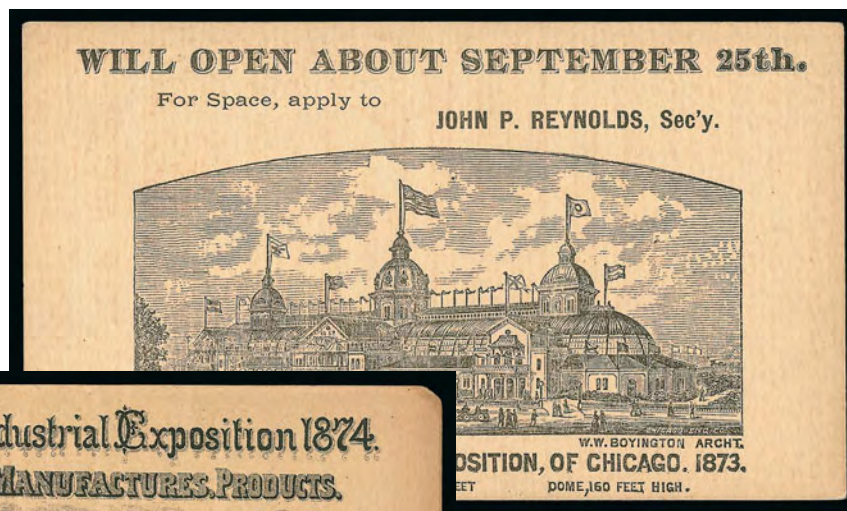
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- 1158 ☒ **B. F. Sturtevant's Patent Exhaust Fan.** Beautiful illustrated chromolithographic advertisement depicting two different views of the device, on 1c Postal Card from Boston to Warren N.Y., some spotting on address side, still Very Fine, rare multicolored advertising card..... E. 1,500-2,000



1159

- 1159 ☒ **American Coffee, Drug and Spice Mills.** Beautiful illustrated chromolithographic advertisement for this Philadelphia mill on 1c Postal Card to Tarentum Pa., some slight wear incl. crease at top right corner, still Very Fine, a rare multicolored card E. 1,500-2,000



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- 1160 ☒ **Inter-State Industrial Exposition, of Chicago, 1873.** Beautiful unused illustrated 1c Postal Card advertising for space at the exposition, Very Fine, very scarce, the 1873 Interstate Industrial Exposition in Chicago was held after the Great Fire, it was the first to issue cards but very few survive E. 1,500-2,000
- 1161 ☒ **Fifth Cincinnati Industrial Exposition 1874.** Magnificent advertising for "The Largest Exposition ever held in the United States" and covering eight acres, on 1c Postal Card used to Marion Iowa, some slight edgewear, Very Fine, a gorgeous card which is scarce E. 1,500-2,000



- 1162 ✉ **Dr. S. B. Collins' Opium Antidote.** Illustration of building and advertisement for curing opium habit, LaPorte Argus Steam Job Print imprint, on 1c Postal Card from LaPorte Ind. to Portland Me., slight corner bends, Very Fine advertisement for a cure for opium (as opposed to an opium cure)..... E. 750-1,000
- 1163 ✉ **Dr. S. B. Collins' Painless Opium Antidote.** Illustration of building and advertisement for curing opium habit, S.E. Taylor & Co. Steam Job Printers imprint, on 1c Postal Card from LaPorte Ind. to Saratoga Springs N.Y., trivial edgewear and some slight overall soiling, Very Fine and attractive design E. 750-1,000
- 1164 ✉ **Springfield Gas Machine.** Elaborately illustrated design depicting a building with air pump in cellar and gas generator in separate vault with elaborate text, with John Keim imprint, on 1c Postal Card to Thompsonville Ct., Very Fine, a beautiful card E. 750-1,000
- 1165 ✉ **Dr. Flint's Quaker Bitters.** Wonderful illustration of man with flask of bitters on Dec. 1873 1c Postal Card to New York City, fresh and Very Fine, scarce design.. E. 500-750
- 1166 ✉ **People's Candidate for State Senator, John B. Hall.** Campaign design pointing out that election is on Wednesday Sept. 1, 1875, on unused 1c Postal Card, Very Fine, rare campaign design E. 300-400
- 1167 ✉ **Riverview Academy, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.** Beautifull illustration depicting four students in uniform, on 1c Postal Card to Beech Creek Pa., blue receiving handstamp on design, Very Fine..... E. 500-750



- 1168 ✉ **People's Line Steamers, New York.** Illustration depicting sidewheel steamer and advertising daily service between New York and Albany, on 1c Postal Card from New York to Constableville N.Y., some waterstaining, otherwise Very Fine, scarce E. 400-500
- 1169 ✉ **Goold's Patent Landau Sleigh.** Illustrated advertisement for sleigh manufacturer on 1c Postal Card used from Albany N.Y. to South Bay City Mich., minor toning and slight edgewear, still Very Fine, unusual advertisement..... E. 300-400
- 1170 ✉ **Norris, Hull & Co., Manufacturers of Ladies Fine Sewed Boots.** 1873 illustrated advertisement from Portland, Russell Richardson imprint, depicting building on unused 1c Postal Card, slight edgewear, Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 1171 ✉ **Cash Paid for Land Warrants.** Illustration depicting farm on 1c Postal Card cancelled by blue Mount Vernon O. circular datestamp, to Portland Me., minor bend at upper left, light soiling, Very Fine E. 500-750
- 1172 ✉ **Dr. Nichols Wrought-Iron Furnace.** Illustration depicting a cross-section of the product, on 1c Postal Card from Boston to Lexington Mass., minor bend at upper left and some slight soiling, Very Fine, attractive E. 500-750
- 1173 ✉ **Blandy's Engine and Saw Mill Works, Newark Ohio.** Dec. 1873 illustration depicting saw mill machine on 1c Postal Card to Coatesville Pa., cancelled by blue handstamp with matching circular datestamp, small nicks at edges and light bends, some slight soiling, still Very Fine and attractive design E. 500-750



- 1174 ☒ **The Swift Mill, Lane Brothers, Millbrook N.Y.** Illustration depicting the coffee or spice mill on unused 1c Postal Card, some internal creasing and light overall soiling, Very Fine ... E. 300-400
- 1175 ☒ **Robbins' Spring Check.** Illustration of a beautiful horse with bridle and hook, manufacturer in Adrian Mich., on unused 1c Postal Card, some slight overall soiling, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 1176 ☒ **Robbins' Spring Check.** Illustration of a beautiful horse with bridle and hook, manufacturer in Adrian Mich., on unused 1c Postal Card, fresh and Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1177 ☒ **Temperance Hotel, Syracuse N.Y.** Illustration depicting the hotel and exhorting "no extra charge for warm room", on unused 1c Postal Card, Very Fine E. 300-400
- 1178 ☒ **Norris, Hull & Co., Manufacturers of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Sewed Boots, Shoes and Slippers.** May 1873 illustration depicting their building, with Russell Richardson imprint, on unused 1c Postal Card, Very Fine E. 300-400
- 1179 ☒ **Lane's Portable Coffee Roaster, Lane Brothers, Millbrook N.Y.** Illustration with two views of the roaster on 1c Postal Card to Jaffrey N.H., minor edge toning, Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 1180 ☒ **Lansdell's Patent Portable Railway Syphon.** Illustration depicting the syphon in red on unused 1c Postal Card, minor edge soiling, Very Fine, attractive with the design in red E. 300-400
- 1181 ☒ **Printing, by R. E. Hammond, Yaphank New York.** Illustration depicting Standing Liberty on 1c Postal Card used from Yaphank to Ellsworth Me., minor corner bends, Very Fine.... E. 200-300
- 1182 ☒ **Bay State and Union Horse Powers.** Illustrated card depicting treadmill machine for horses to power saws on unused 1c Postal Card from St. Johnsbury Vt., Very Fine, very unusual theme.. E. 200-300



- 1183 ☒ **Blatchley's Horizontal Ice Cream Freezer.** Illustration depicting two different views of the machine, manufacturer in Philadelphia, on 1c Postal Card to Holidaysburg Pa., minor overall soiling, Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 1184 ☒ **Cumberland Mills, Oswego N.Y., Aug. 31, 1874.** Illustration depicting building and prices for flour and feed on 1c Postal Card to New Hartford N.Y., Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 1185 ☒ **The Original Concord Axles, Fisherville (Concord) N.H.** Illustration depicting axles on 1c Postal Card cancelled by blue cork, matching Fisherville circular datestamp to New Marlboro Mass., some toning mostly on front, few creases, otherwise Very Fine E. 300-400
- 1186 ☒ **Salt, Measuring Faucet.** Two, first for Eagle Brand Dairy Salt with red illustration of patriotic theme on 1c Postal Card from Boston to South Carver Mass.; second depicts hand-crank measuring faucet attached to barrel of molasses on 1c Postal Card from Mechanicsburgh Pa. to New Holland Pa., latter with some soiling, Very Fine(Photo Ex) E. 200-300
- 1187 ☒ **Putnam's Improv'd Spring Bed, Boston.** Illustration depicting a bed on 1c Postal Card to Roley's Corner N.H., note from Putnam "Please send along another car load right away, Putnam, Boston April 9, 1874", minor overall soiling, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1188 ☒ **New Cohansey Fruit Jars.** Illustration depicting the jar and stating its benefits, on 1c Postal Card from Philadelphia to Tunbridge Vt., minor overall soiling, some edgewear, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 1189 ☒ **Advertising Postal Cards.** Seven unused 1c Postal Cards, range of themes incl. Prat's Steamer, Red Star Line, Safety Lamp, Charter Oak Life Insurance, Tobacco Knife, Wrought Iron Fence, last is for pen, overall Fine-Very Fine.....(Photo Ex) E. 400-500
- 1190 ☒ **Advertising Postal Cards.** Twelve used 1c Postal Cards, themes incl. Furniture Manufacturer, Ice Cream Freezer, School Desks and Seats, Carriage, Sphinx Registering Machine, Cloth, Saw Works, Sled, few others, few flaws, overall Fine-Very Fine, a nice diverse group ..(Photo Ex) E. 500-750

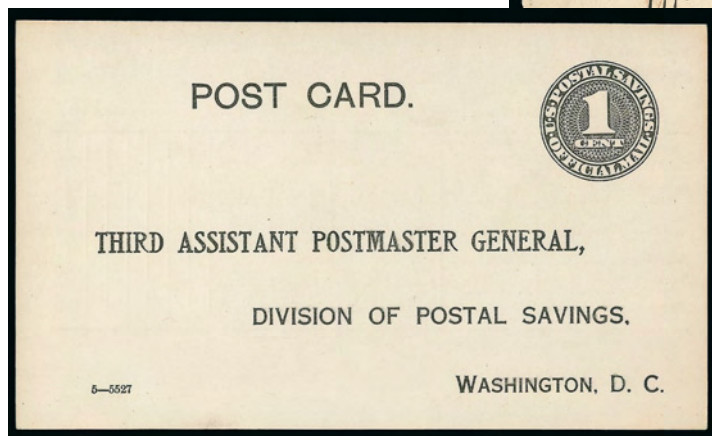
POSTAL STATIONERY



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- 1191 ☒ **3c Red on White entire, Die 2 (U3).** Cancelled by “New-York Jun. 28” circular datestamp with blue “Theodore Schwartz, Paris Green embossed corner card and addressed to Germany, “N. York Br. Pkt. 23 Jun. 28” debit datestamp, blue manuscript German due marking, some overall wear incl. light bend at top, still Fine and unusual, used in 1856 and carried on the Havre Line’s *Arago* E. 300-400
- 1192 ☒ **10c Chocolate, Air Post Letter Sheet (UC16b).** Unused and unfolded, Very Fine, scarce color error, also incl. UC54 reverse die cut also unfolded*Not illustrated* E. 450.00
- 1193 ☒ **Postal Stationery, Specimen Entires.** Over 150, nice range of issues with few U40, denominations to 90c, nice range of styles and placement of “Specimen” ovpt. (many would make nice full corners), some Officials, overall Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* E. 400-500
- 1194 ☒ **Postal Stationery, Unused Entires.** Small carton of unused entires, wide range of issues and sizes, few better such as U85, U86, few U351, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine*Not illustrated* E. 400-500
- 1195 ☒ **Postal Stationery, Used Entires.** Just over 100, nice group of Plimptons, some War Dept., denominations to 30c, also incl. No. 217 used with other stamps on 4c entire to Germany, few others to foreign destinations, U67 used as paste-up with Wells, Fargo imprint, few flaws, many Fine-Very Fine, also incl. registered cover with four different Trans-Mississippi stamps (not on entire).....*Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 1196 ☒ **1c Express, Perforated (R1c).** Bright color, tied by blue “Jay Cooke & Co. Philadelphia Feb. 14, 1868” oval handstamp, with original enclosure of handwritten Valentine poem, opening tear at left, Very Fine, scarce use of the Revenue on a cover apparently delivered outside the mails*Not illustrated* E. 500-750
- 1197 ☒ **1c Black on White, Official Postal Savings Postal Card (UZ1 var).** Mint card with shorter second “A” of “Assistant”, preprinted back as always, fresh and Very Fine, Scott Retail as normal, this variety unlisted..... 800.00

OFFICIAL SEALS

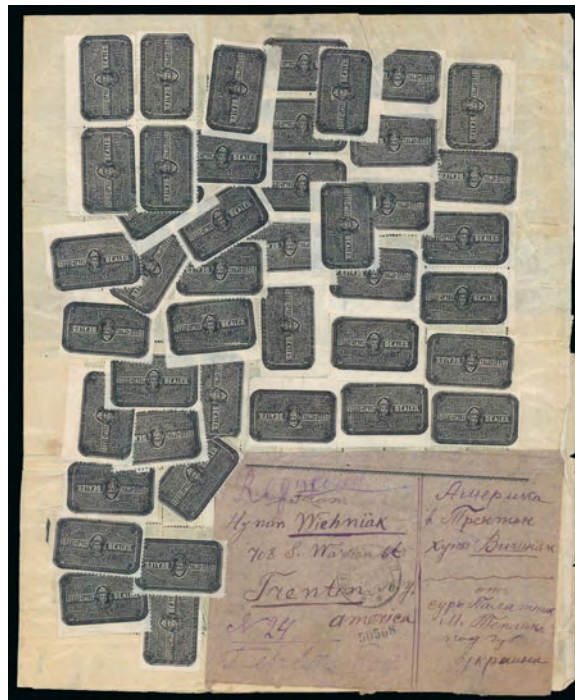


- 1198 P **1877, “Post Obitum” Official Seal, Brown Hybrid Large Die Proof on India (OX1P1).** 47 x 30mm affixed to 93 x 71mm card, with full sinkage from 4-9mm around India paper, Very Fine, extremely rare, these exist only as hybrids..... 1,750.00
- 1199 P **1877, “Post Obitum” Official Seal, Brown Hybrid Large Die Proof on India (OX1P1).** 47 x 30mm, affixed to 92 x 70mm card with full sinkage immediately around the India paper, small mount remnant on back, Very Fine, extremely rare, these exist only as hybrids..... 1,750.00
- 1200 P **1900, Official Seal, Red Brown, Hybrid Large Die Proof on India (OX11P1).** Cut to shape and affixed inside of die sinkage on 97 x 72mm card, couple mount remnants on back, Very Fine and scarce, large die proofs of this issue are known only as hybrids and in this color 750.00
- 1201 **Black on White, Typeset Seal (LOX1).** Two, first Type 3, wide margins, “Leland Brooks” pencil signature, few minor wrinkles, second Type 5, original gum, margins clear all around, tiny internal wrinkle, Very Fine and choice appearance, scarce, only eleven used off-cover and seven unused examples recorded (Kotanchik, p. 196).....(Photo Ex) 1,000.00
- 1202 ★田 **Black on White, Typeset Seal, Rouletted (LOX8a, LOX8c, LOX8d, LOX8e, LOX8f).** Tête-bêche block of four, Setting 2, containing four perf gauge types, Pos. B and D are the transitional types, original gum, few tiny toned spots and natural gum creases, one seal with small stain, otherwise Very Fine, scarce, with 1973 P.F. certificate (old Scott No.), also includes single rouletted 12.5, Setting 2, Pos. A, original gum, small thin spot, finally two used singles of LOX8f, Setting 4, both are signed and creased as usual, one uncanceled and variety missing 3rd dot from end in signature line, other with part circular datestamp and small tear, Very Fine appearance(Photo Ex) 2,200.00
- 1203 ★ **Black on White, Blue on White, Typeset Seals (LOX12-LOX13, LOX17, LOX17b, LOX18).** One of first, two of second, original gum, No. LOX12 Type I with undamaged frame, one No. LOX13 with slight gum soak at top and small thin, also much better centered than usual as the other known examples are centered strongly left, three of LOX17 showing different plate flaws and singles of LOX17b and LOX18, original gum, few small flaws to be found incl. thin spots or light crease, despite moderate catalog values these are all scarce(Photo Ex) 2,600.00
- 1204 (★)田 **1888, Official Seal, Chocolate, Imperforate (OX5a).** Two multiples, first full sheet of 72, Setting 1B, no gum, faults include two 70mm and one 25mm tears repaired with archival tape, few nicks in selvage and light creasing, still a Fine appearing and extremely rare complete sheet with only a few known, also block of 12, original gum, small h.r. on one, others Mint N.H., tiny scissors cut in left margin well away from the design, Extremely Fine, according to Kotanchik (p. 102-103) an unknown quantity of sheets of the typograph first printing was delivered to the Post Office Department rather than to the BEP for perforating and some found their way into collector hands, full sheet listed but unpriced in Scott, Scott Retail as pairs.....*Not illustrated* 2,400.00
- 1205 ☒ **1888-95, Official Seals (OX7, OX8, OX9).** Three covers incl. first with all or parts of six seals, variety of markings and uses, Very Fine, No. OX8 is very rare on cover, Kotanchik records only six, lot also incl. two covers on an exhibit page with postmaster-created seals, Tilton N.H. and Tuxedo N.Y. respectively*Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 1206 ☒ **Official Seals on Cover.** 33 covers, range of issues incl. couple from 1900, majority from 1907 and 1919 Issues, on covers bearing stamps from the 1902 Issue, Washington-Franklins, few from later issues and several inbound with foreign stamps, mixed condition of course with seals, Very Fine group*Not illustrated* E. 200-300



1207EX

- 1207 ☒ **Black on White, Typeset Seal, Rouletted 12.5 and 16.5 (LOX8a, LOX8f).** Two covers, first Setting 2, Pos. C, affixed over right edge of 2c entire, "Mattawamkeag Me. Oct. 5 1904 11 AM" duplex cancel on cover to Lincoln Me., struck twice with "Unclaimed" pointing hand and returned to Mattawamkeag, second Setting 4, affixed over top edge of envelope, used with 2c 1895 Issue, "Bryn Mawr Pa. Jul. 15 01 2 PM" duplex cancel on cover to Watch Hill R.I., Philadelphia machine cancel and Watch Hill receiving circular datestamp on reverse, Very Fine and scarce usage of these seals on cover(Photo Ex) 3,000.00



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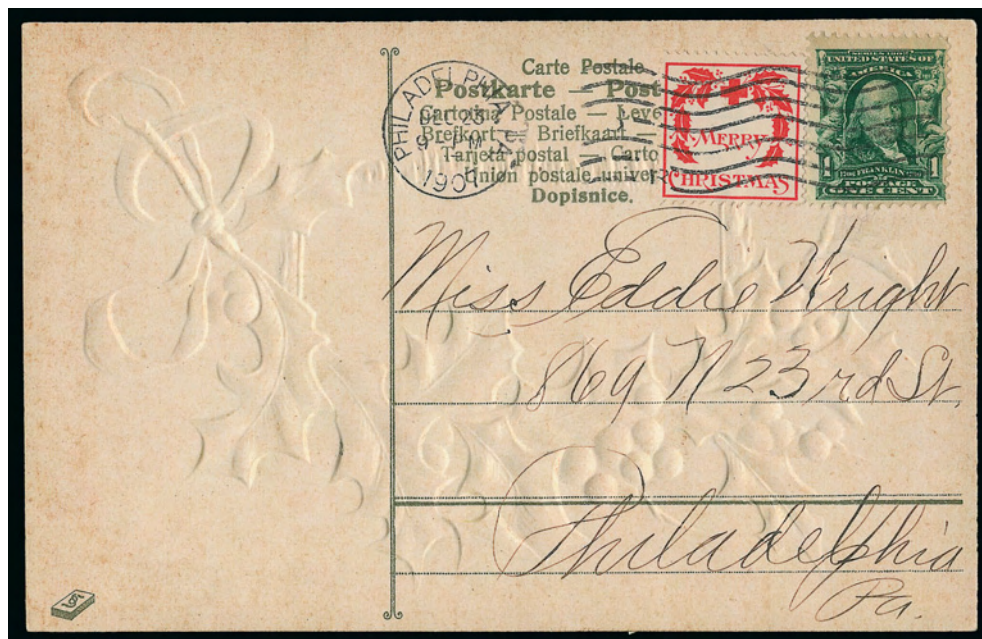
- 1208 ☒ **1917, Official Seal, Black (OX18).** Jan. 3, 1923 registered cover from South Russia to Trenton N.J., franked with an astonishing **150 1912 2 Kopek Russian stamps in three blocks of 50**, franking is more than three times as large as the cover, upon arrival in New York Registry Office 56 seals were applied to hold the stamps together (front and back), item was then sent under separate cover from superintendent of Post Office in Trenton to Princeton (not to original addressee), enclosed note from postmaster states, "I am enclosing the Registered letter that I told you about yesterday, which comes from South Russia. These 150 stamps represent 2 Copeks each under the old form of government, and these would represent about 250,000 Rubles, which it requires to bring a Registered Letter from Russia to America. . .", cover has faults as would be expected, an outstanding item that surely must represent the largest number of seals extant on one cover, illustrated in Kotanchik (p. 155)..... E. 400-500

CHRISTMAS SEALS
FIRST ISSUE TYPE I — “MERRY CHRISTMAS”



1209

- 1209 ☒ **1907, Type I, “Merry Christmas” (WX1).** Rich color, used with 1c Blue Green (300) and tied by “Philadelphia Pa. Dec. 23, 1907” pmk. on embossed Christmas card to Osceola Mills Pa., 1c stamp with diagonal crease at upper right, still Very Fine, Green’s catalogue value \$1,000.00 E. 750-1,000



1210

- 1210 ☒ **1907, Type I, “Merry Christmas” (WX1).** Used with 1c Blue Green (300) and tied by “Philadelphia Pa. Dec. 23, 1907” pmk. on embossed Christmas card to local address, few minor toned spots, Very Fine, scarce on card, Green’s catalogue value \$1,000.00 E. 750-1,000



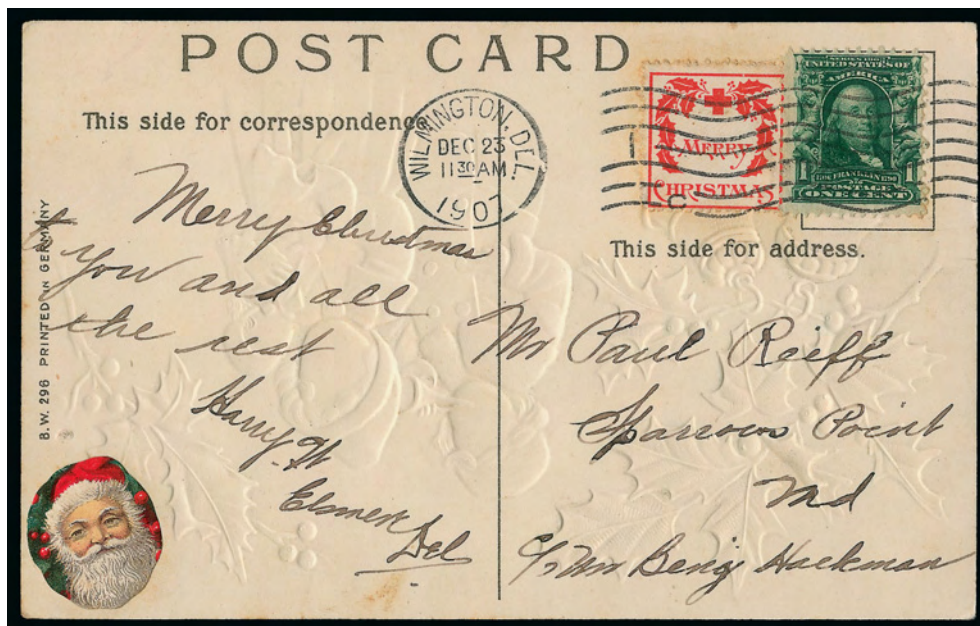
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- 1211 ☒ **1907, Type I, "Merry Christmas" (WX1).** Rich color, used with 1c Blue Green (300) and tied by "Derby Pa. Dec. 23, 1907" duplex cancel on embossed Christmas card to West Philadelphia, Very Fine, Green's catalogue value \$1,000.00..... E. 750-1,000



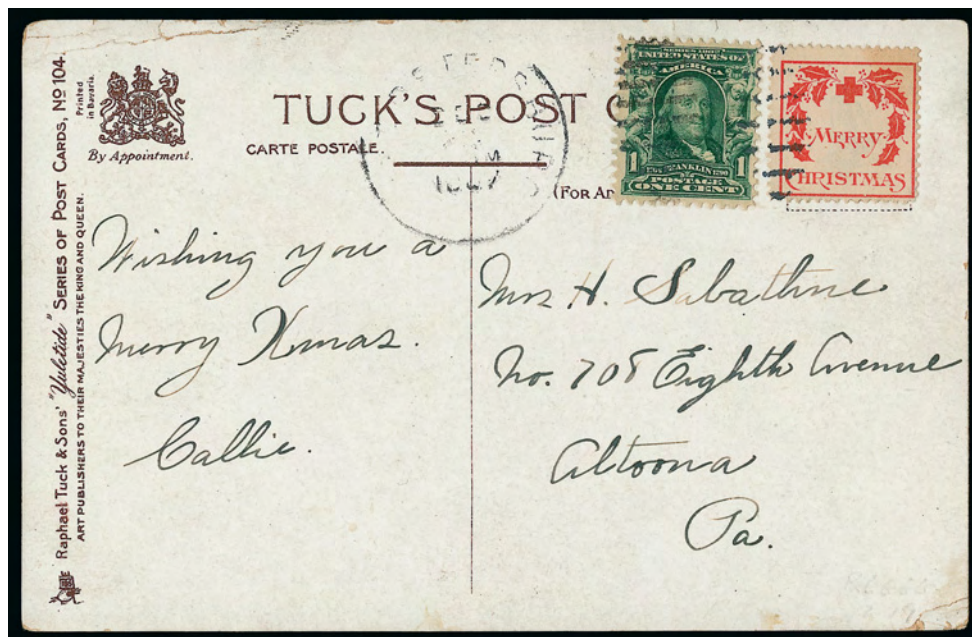
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- 1212 ☒ **1907, Type I, "Merry Christmas" (WX1).** Used with 1c Bue Green (300) and tied by "Wilmington Del. Dec. 23, 1907" pmk. on embossed Christmas card to Chalford Pa., also with receiving datestamp of the 24th, minor soiling, Very Fine, Green's catalogue value \$1,000.00 E. 750-1,000



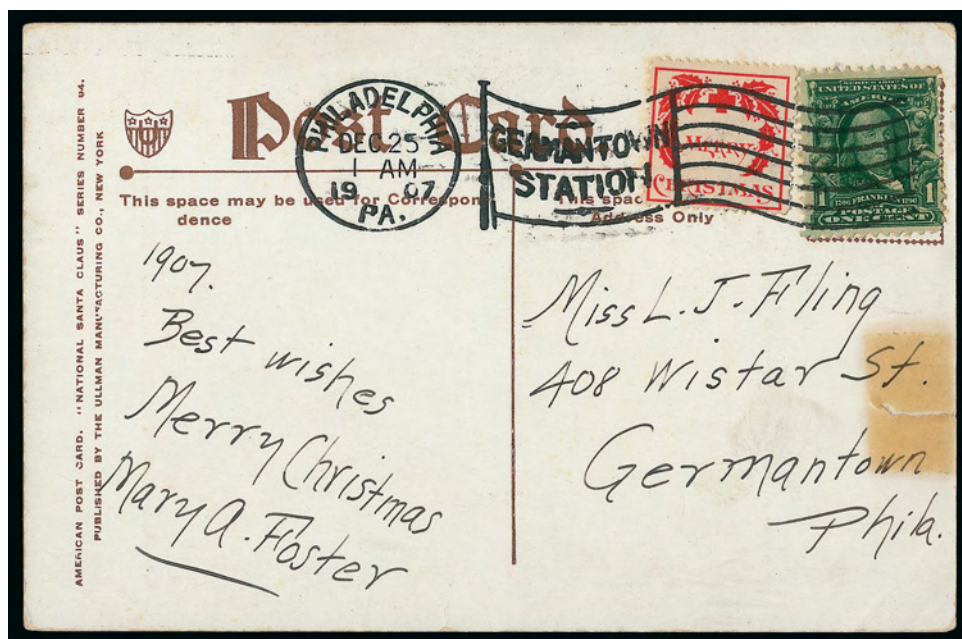
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- 1213 ☒ **1907, Type I, "Merry Christmas" (WX1).** Rich color, used with 1c Blue Green (300) and tied by "Wilmington Del. Dec. 23, 1907" pmk. on embossed Christmas card to Sparrow's Point Md., some soiling around stamp from gum, otherwise Very Fine, Green's catalogue value \$1,000.00..... E. 500-750



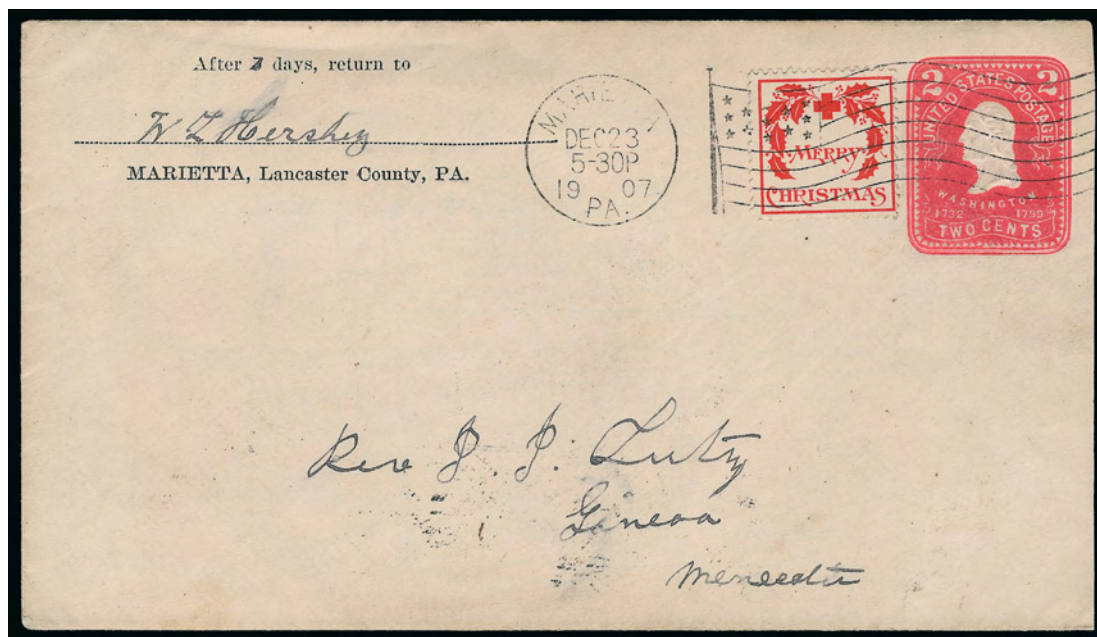
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- 1214 ☒ **1907, Type I, "Merry Christmas" (WX1).** Used with 1c Blue Green (300) and tied by indistinct Dec. 24, 1907 pmk. on multicolored Christmas card to Altoona Pa., few corner creases, still Very Fine, scarce, Green's catalogue value \$1,000.00..... E. 500-750



1215

- 1215 ☒ **1907, Type I, "Merry Christmas" (WX1).** Rich color, used with 1c Blue Green (300) and tied by bold "Philadelphia Pa. Dec. 25, 1907, Germantown Station" pmk. on multicolored Christmas card to Germantown Pa., tape stain and small tear at right, otherwise Very Fine use on Christmas Day, Green's catalogue value \$1,000.00..... E. 500-750



1216

- 1216 ☒ **1907, Type I, "Merry Christmas" (WX1).** Rich color, used on 2c Carmine entire and tied by "Marietta Pa. Dec. 23, 1907" pmk. to Geneva Minn., also with Harrisburg Pa. (Dec. 24) and receiving backstamp (Dec. 26, oops one day late!) backstamps, barely reduced at right, Very Fine, scarce used on an entire, Green's catalogue value \$1,000.00..... E. 750-1,000

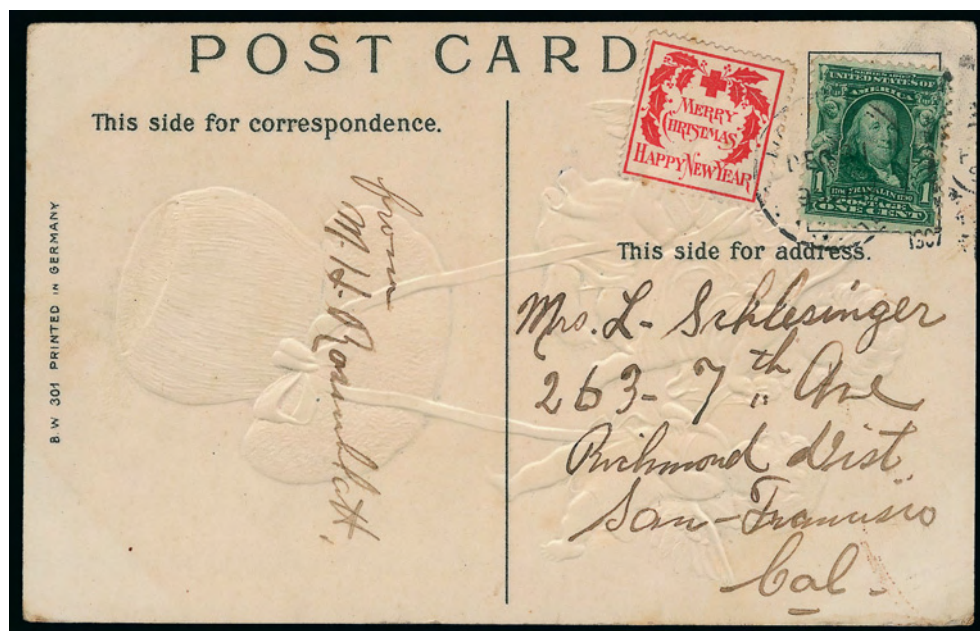
CHRISTMAS SEALS

FIRST ISSUE TYPE II — “MERRY CHRISTMAS HAPPY NEW YEAR”



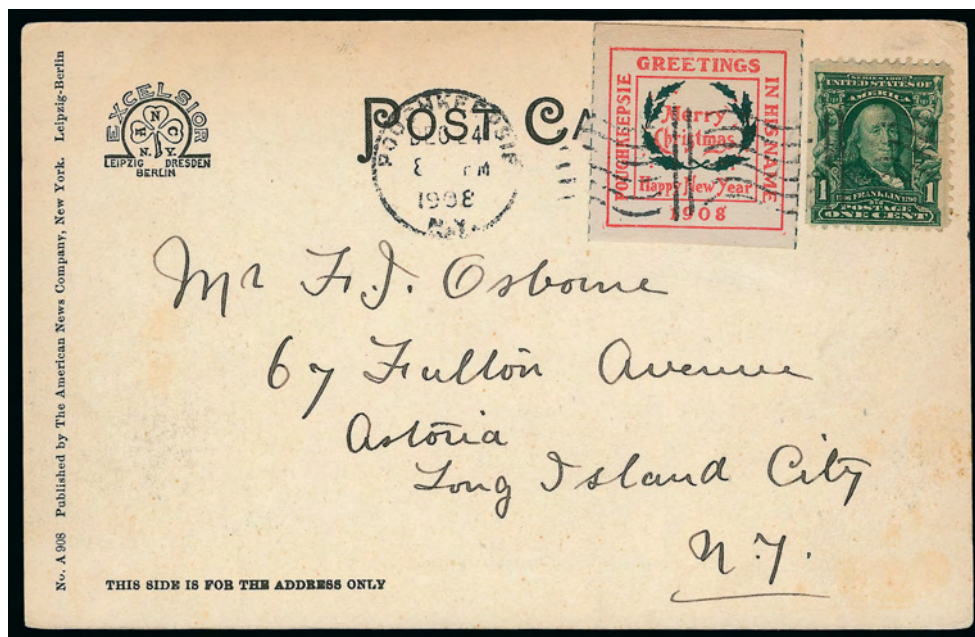
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- 1217 ✉ 1907, Type II, “Merry Christmas Happy New Year” (WX2). Used with 1c Blue Green (300) and tied by “Wilmington Del. Dec. 23, 1907” pmk. on embossed Christmas card to Oak Hills Pa., Very Fine, scarce, Green’s catalogue value \$1,200.00..... E. 1,000-1,500



1218

- 1218 ✉ 1907, Type II, “Merry Christmas Happy New Year” (WX2). Used with 1c Blue Green (300) and tied by indistinct town with clearly readable “Dec. 31, 1907” duplex cancel on embossed Christmas card to San Francisco, Very Fine and scarce used on New Year’s Eve, Green’s catalogue value \$1,200.00 E. 1,000-1,500



1219

- 1219 ☒ **1908, Poughkeepsie N.Y. Provisional.** used with 1c Blue Green (300) and tied by "Poughkeepsie N.Y. Dec. 24, 1908 8 PM" pmk. on picture post card depicting Museum at Vassar College to Astoria N.Y., trivial edgewear, Very Fine, scarce provisional Christmas seal used on Christmas Eve E. 400-500
- 1220 ☒ **1908, Types I and II (WX3, WX4).** Eleven items, incl. six cards, four entires and one cover, nine with either WX3 or WX4, another is post card with 1c stamp and red and silver design from American Red Cross, last is embossed Christmas card with 1c stamp and "Xmas Post, Greetings" label, few small flaws, overall Fine-Very Fine and diverse group.....(Photo Ex) E. 400-500

END OF SESSION FOUR

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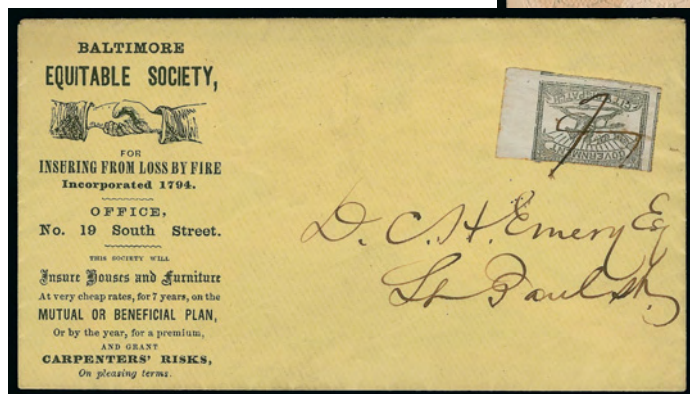


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SESSION FIVE (LOTS 1221-1375)
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2011, AT 10:30 A.M.

CARRIERS AND LOCALS



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1222



- 1221 ☒ **Baltimore Md., 1c Black (1LB8).** Huge right sheet margin, two others sides enormous, slightly in at top, tied by ms. "F" initial (J. S. Fusselbaugh) on yellow local cover with **Equitable Society insurance company corner card**, Mar. 1860 enclosure, Very Fine, scarce and very attractive, ex Schwartz and Wall..... E. 500-750
- 1222 ☒ **St. Louis "1 ct" in Frame.** Perfectly struck handstamp — the finest we have seen — on large embossed Valentine cover to Miss Laura Scott at local street address, with beautiful green and white pictorial Valentine enclosure embellished with love poem in sender's hand, cover stained at top left, otherwise Very Fine, a scarce marking on an unusually beautiful Valentine, with 2002 P.F. certificate E. 750-1,000



1223

- 1223 ☒ **Philadelphia Despatch Post, Philadelphia Pa., (3c) Black on Grayish (15L3).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Chester Pa. Jul. 17" circular datestamp with day in manuscript, red "Philadelphia Pa. Jul. 16" origination circular datestamp and manuscript "6" due marking, on 1844 folded letter to Chester Pa., light vertical file folds incl. one slightly affecting edge of adhesive which also has some slight soiling

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE PHILADELPHIA DESPATCH POST STRIDING MESSENGER STAMP USED ON COVER. ISSUED IN 1843, THIS IS THE WORLD'S FIRST PICTORIAL STAMP. IT IS ESPECIALLY RARE TIED BY A POSTAL MARKING.

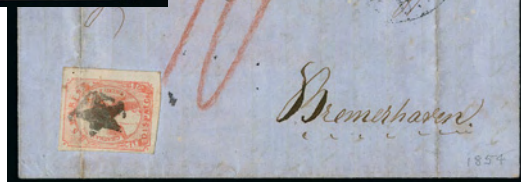
This cover comes from a new find. The Chester Pa. datestamp and "forwarded" notation are present without any indication of the forwarding address or additional postage charge..... 12,500.00



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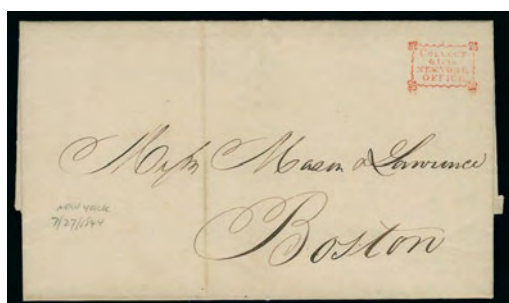


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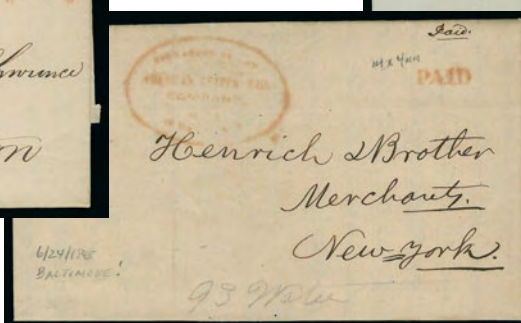
- 1224 ☒ **Blood's City Despatch, Philadelphia Pa., (1c) Bronze on Black Glazed (15L16).** Acid tied, used with "Blood's Despatch May 16" circular datestamp on cover to Germany, "N. York U.S. Pkt. 14 May 20" debit circular datestamp, "30" due marking, red "America Uber Bremen" handstamp at upper left, some overall soiling and wear incl. edgewear, still Very Fine, very unusual use of the Blood's without any additional postage to a foreign destination E. 500-750
- 1225 ☒ **Boyd's City Express, New York N.Y., 2c Black on Yellow Green (20L2).** Large margins, cancelled by red "Free" handstamp, matching "Boyd's City Express Post Oct. 28 12 O'C" oval datestamp on 1844 folded cover, vertical file fold well away from stamp, Very Fine 450.00
- 1226 ☒ **Swarts' City Dispatch Post, New York N.Y., (1c) Pink on Wove (136L10).** Large to huge margins, small star cancel, filing crease thru stamp, used on 1854 blue folded letter to Bremerhaven, Germany, "N. York U.S. Pkt. 9 Oct. 7" debit datestamp, red crayon "10", sender's routing "from Steamer Herman of Bremen", file folds (one thru stamp), Fine, scarce U.S. packet use to Bremen, ex Golden and Kuphal..... E. 300-400

INDEPENDENT MAILS

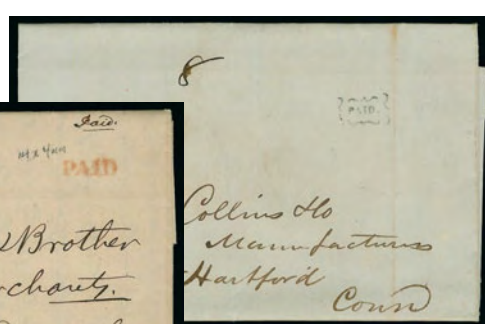
AMERICAN LETTER MAIL CO.



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- 1227 ☒ **Collect 6¼ cts. New York Office.** Clear strike of framed handstamp on Jul. 7, 1844 folded letter from New York to Boston, carried by American Letter Mail Co., file folds well away from marking, Very Fine, ex Schwartz E. 200-300
- 1228 ☒ **Forwarded by American Letter Mail Company, Office, 56 Wall St. N.Y.** Partly clear red oval handstamp with "Paid" handstamp on folded letter datelined "Baltimore June 24th, 1845" to New York, ms. "Paid" at top and pencil street address "93 Water", light file folds, Very Fine, ex Schwartz E. 200-300
- 1229 ☒ **American Letter Mail Company, Philadelphia.** Small ornate framed "Paid" handstamp with ms. "8" rate (6c prepaid + 2c local delivery charge) on July 18, 1844 folded letter from Philadelphia to Hartford Conn., light file folds do not affect the markings, fresh and Very Fine, scarce marking, ex Schwartz E. 150-200



- 1230 ☒ **Forwarded by American Mail Co. from No. 109 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.** Clear strike of red circular datestamp and matching sans-serif "PAID" straightline, **conjunctive use with red "Boyd's City Express Post, Sep. 1 9 O'C."** datestamp, perfectly struck, on folded letter datelined "Phila. Aug. 29, '44" to New York and delivered by Boyd's, light file folds and tiny tear at bottom, otherwise Very Fine and rare, ex Hollowbush, only a few ALMCo./Boyd's conjunctive covers are known to us, ex Schwartz E. 500-750
- 1231 ☒ **Forwarded by American Letter Mail Company, Office, 56 Wall St. N.Y.** Red handstamp with pencil "8" due (6c plus 2c local delivery charge), red "Overton & Co's City Mail, Office, 3 Broad Street" handstamp on Mar. 7, 1845 folded letter from Philadelphia to New York, some minor wrinkling, Very Fine, carried by American Letter Mail Co. and turned over to City Mail Co. for local delivery, ex Schwartz..... E. 300-400
- 1232 ☒ **Boyd's Brooklyn City Express Post, Sep. 24 9 O'C.** Light but readable strike of red oval datestamp on folded letter datelined "Philadelphia, Sep. 23, 1844", to Brooklyn and delivered by Boyd's, red sans-serif "PAID" straightline handstamp unlike any marking used by Boyd's but identical to the **American Letter Mail Co.** "Paid" used by their Philadelphia office in this period — therefore, this is a conjunctive use carried by American Letter Mail in Philadelphia to Boyd's in Brooklyn, at a very early stage of the latter's service in Brooklyn, Very Fine, ex Golden, only a few ALMCo./Boyd's conjunctive covers are known to us..... E. 500-750
- 1233 ☒ **American Letter Mail Company, Philadelphia, New York.** Five folded letters, three from Philadelphia, first two with ornate framed "Collect 6" in red and "Collect" in black handstamps on letters to Boston, also "Forwarded by American Letter Mail Co. from No. 109 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia" circular datestamp with matching "Collect" and "6" on cover to New York, red "Forwarded by American Letter Mail Company, Office, 56 Wall St. N.Y." and "Collect" box handstamp on folded letter originating in New London Conn., last with small "Collect" straightline from New York to Boston, clear markings and Very Fine group, ex Schwartz...*Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 1234 ☒ **American Letter Mail Company.** Six stampless covers each with red handstamp, several different markings represented incl. one from Chester Pa., two from Philadelphia, one from Boston (ex Knapp), one from New York, one from Philadelphia in 1844 with "Collect" handstamp, last from Philadelphia in Feb. 1845 with red "6" handstamp, overall Fine-Very Fine, ex Schwartz*Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 1235 ☒ **American Letter Mail Company, Philadelphia, New York, Boston.** Balance of eight folded letters, variety of handstamps with the ovals and circles, also New York office three-line handstamp and couple with collect box, most interesting item is folded letter with the Philadelphia office circular handstamp and ms. "Collect 37½ cents", most likely contained six letters unpaid at 6¼ cents each, lot also contains a Jan. 25, 1844 newspaper clipping from *Boston Courier* announcing service, few flaws to be found but overall Fine-Very Fine group, ex Schwartz*Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000

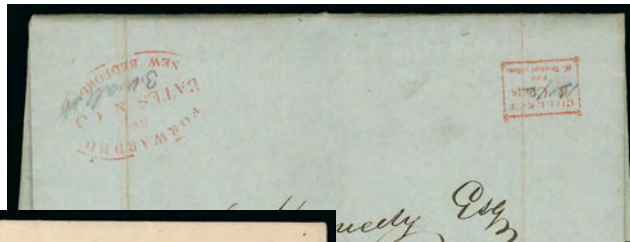


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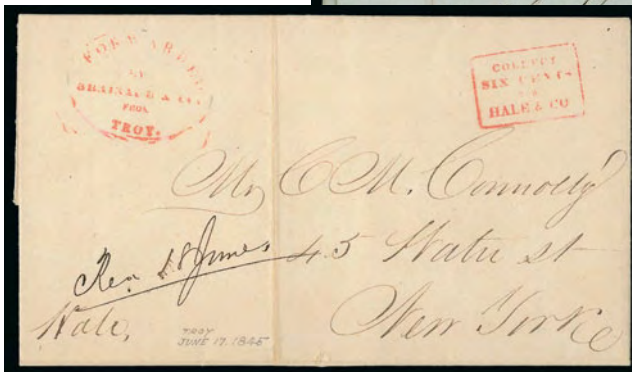


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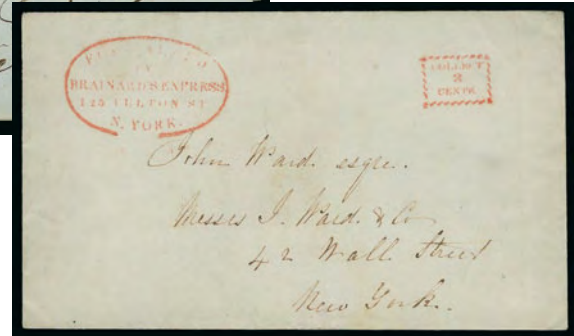
- 1236 ☒ **American Letter Mail Co., (5c) Black (5L1).** Margins mostly clear of framelines, cancelled by **blue ms. "EHB" agent's initials**, used on Dec. 27, 1844 folded letter from New York City to Hartford Conn. with pencil "2" local delivery charge, faint bleeding of address from light cleaning, still Very Fine, extremely rare use of American Letter Mail Co. stamp to Hartford, with 2001 P.F. certificate E. 400-500
- 1237 ☒ **American Letter Mail Co., (5c) Black on Gray (5L2).** Huge margins, tied by ms. cancel, red "Forwarded by American Letter Mail Co. from No. 109 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia" circular handstamp on undated folded cover to Philadelphia, some intact contents indicating Boston origin, sealed tear at bottom, otherwise Very Fine, ex Hall, with 2001 P.F. certificate, this circular handstamp was used briefly in 1844..... E. 200-300



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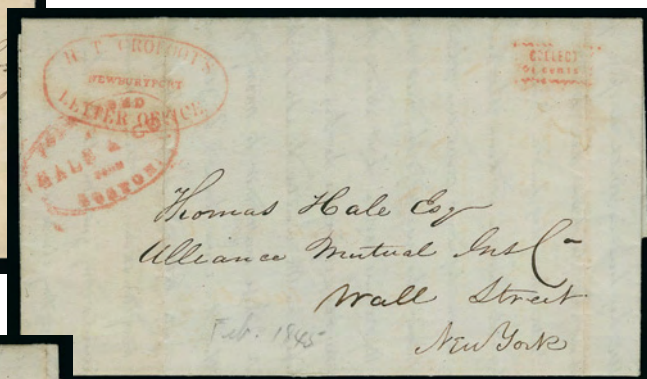


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- 1238 ☒ **Forwarded by Bates & Co. from New Bedford.** Clear strike of red oval handstamp and Collect box with pencil "12½" rate written over 6c on folded letter datelined Feb. 26, 1845 from New Bedford to New York City, ms. address, Very Fine, E. C. Bates operated a letter express between New Bedford, Boston and New York City in 1844 thru mid-1845, ex Schwartz E. 200-300
- 1239 ☒ **Forwarded by Brainard & Co. from Troy.** Red oval handstamp and "Collect Six Cents for Hale & Co." box on Jun. 17, 1845 folded letter from Troy to New York City street address, ms. "Hale" at bottom, Very Fine, scarce conjunctive use, ex Schwartz E. 200-300
- 1240 ☒ **Forwarded by Brainard's Express, 125 Fulton St., N. York.** Clear strikes of red oval handstamp and "Collect 3/Cents" box on cover to New York City street address, fresh and Very Fine, choice example of the first 3c rate in the U.S., ex Middendorf and Schwartz E. 400-500



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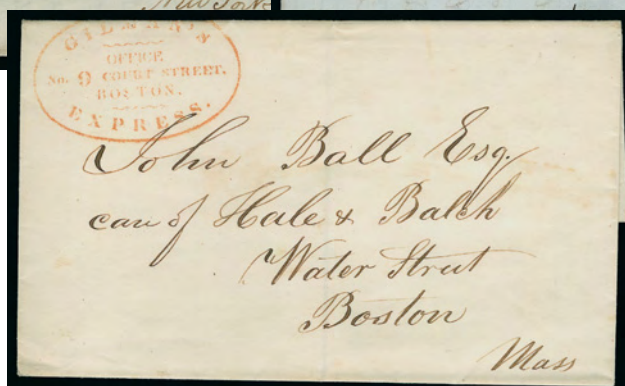
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- 1241 ☒ **H. T. Crofoot's Letter Office, Newburyport (Mass.).** Clear strikes of red oval handstamp and matching framed "Collect 6 1/4 Cents" handstamps on Nov. 4, 1844 folded letter from Newburyport to North Andover Mass., Very Fine, Crofoot operated his letter express between Newburyport and Boston in 1844 thru mid-1845, ex Schwartz..... E. 200-300
- 1242 ☒ **H. T. Crofoot's Letter Office, Newburyport (Mass.).** Red oval and matching framed "Collect 6 1/4 Cents" handstamp on folded letter datelined Feb. 10, 1845 to New York City address, **conjunctive use with Hale & Co. Boston oval**, file folds, Fine and scarce, Crofoot operated his letter express between Newburyport and Boston in 1844 thru mid-1845, ex Schwartz E. 300-400
- 1243 ☒ **H. T. Crofoot's Letter Office, Newburyport (Mass.).** Red oval handstamp and matching framed "Collect 6 1/4 Cents" handstamp on Jan. 1845 and Apr. 1845 folded letters to New York City, mostly readable strikes, Fine, ex Golden **(Photo Ex)** E. 150-200
- 1244 ☒ **H. T. Crofoot's Letter Office, Newburyport (Mass.).** Red oval handstamp and matching framed "Paid" handstamp on Mar. 15, 1845 folded letter to Boston, missing one page and small hole but interesting content remains incl. "I commend to your attention (an article) by John Neal called 'Instinct of Childhood', in which a gentleman persuades his child to release her birds from the cage and the child afterwards applies the same arguments to the condition of her father's slaves.", Fine, ex Schwartz E. 150-200
- 1245 ☒ **Gilman's Express, Office, No. 9 Court Street, Boston.** Red oval handstamp struck partly off top of folded cover to Boston street address, fresh and Very Fine, ex Schwartz E. 100-150

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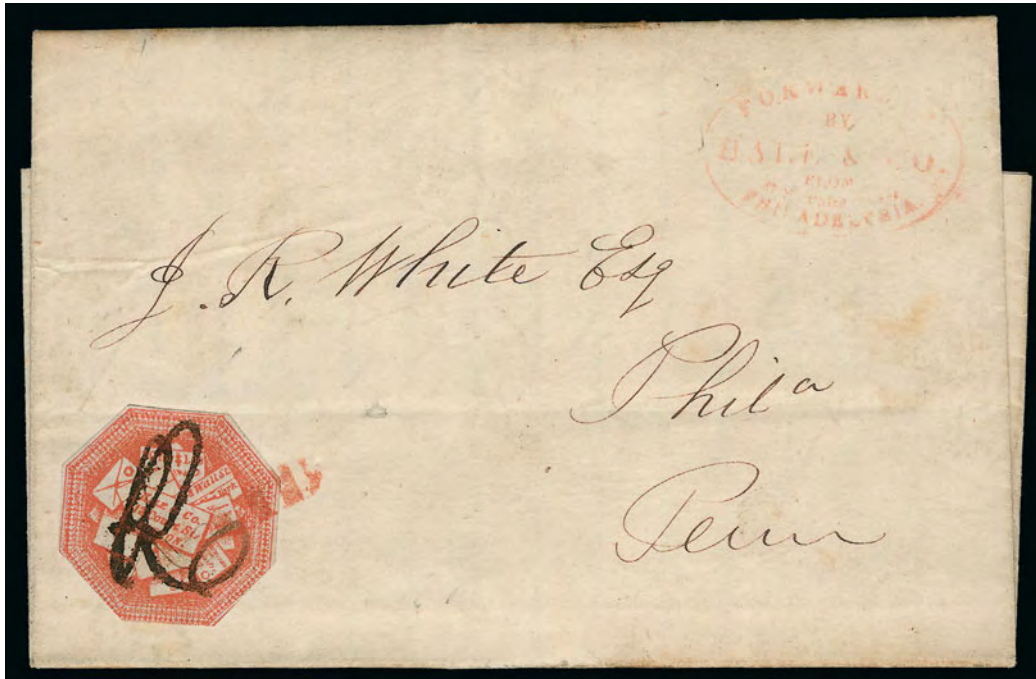
- 1246 ☒ **Hale & Co. Hartford, New Haven, Boston.** Three folded letters, first light strike of red oval "Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Hartford", second same handstamp from New Haven, last is black "Hale & Co's. Mail Paid at Boston" two line handstamp, file folds and one with light toned spots, Fine group, ex Schwartz(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 1247 ☒ **(BOSTON MASS.) Forwarded Through/Hale & Co.'s/Letter Office 13/Court St. Boston.** Remarkably detailed strike of four-line framed handstamp in red on Jan. 24, 1844 folded letter to New York City, file fold near bottom, fresh and Extremely Fine cover, a superb strike, this early Hale & Co. handstamp is rather scarce in itself, to find a strike this perfect is extraordinary, ex Schwartz..... E. 500-750
- 1248 ☒ **(BOSTON MASS.) Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Boston.** Oval handstamp and matching Collect box on Aug. 26, 1844 folded letter from James Hale in New York City to his mother in Newburyport Mass., ms. "Per Hales & Co. Express", minor edge toning, Fine, ex Schwartz E. 200-300
- 1249 ☒ **(HAVERHILL MASS.) Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Haverhill.** Bold clear strike of red oval handstamp with matching Collect box on Aug. 27, 1844 folded letter to New York, file fold thru markings and some edge splitting inside, otherwise Very Fine, , ex Schwartz E. 200-300
- 1250 ☒ **(HAVERHILL MASS.) Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Haverhill.** Partly readable red oval handstamp with matching Collect box and Boston oval on Sep. 25, 1844 folded letter and bill of lading to Philadelphia, slightly toned file fold, Fine and rare, ex Golden E. 150-200
- 1251 ☒ **(SALEM MASS.) Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Salem.** Two covers, first with partly clear strike of oval handstamp and Collect box on Oct. 25, 1844 folded letter to New York City, second without the oval and with red Collect box and ms. "Express" on Apr. 7, 1845 folded letter to New York City, Very Fine pair(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 1252 ☒ **(WORCESTER MASS.) Hale & Co.'s Mail Worcester.** Red oval handstamp and ms. "Penny Post Paid" on Mar. 27, 1845 folded letter to New York City, file fold, Very Fine, ex Hall, notations regarding the penny post charges are scarce..... E. 400-500



- 1253 ☒ **(PORTSMOUTH N.H.) Forwarded by Hale & Co.'s Great Eastern Mail.** Black oval handstamp and Collect box on Sep. 17, 1844 folded letter from Portsmouth N.H. to Boston, small piece out of flap just extends to top front, otherwise Very Fine, ex Golden..... E. 400-500
- 1254 ☒ **(ALBANY N.Y.) Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Albany.** Red oval handstamp and matching light Collect box on Apr. 2, 1845 folded letter from Albany to New York City street address, central file fold, Very Fine, ex Schwartz..... E. 150-200
- 1255 ☒ **(NEW YORK N.Y.) 6 1/4.** Bold red rate handstamp on Mar. 9, 1844 folded letter from New York City to Boston, file folds, Extremely Fine strike of this early rate handstamp, Gutman records only nine examples in his Hale book, ex Schwartz..... E. 200-300
- 1256 ☒ **(NEW YORK N.Y.) 12 1/2, 6.** Bold red rate handstamps on Jul. 23, 1844 folded letter from New York City to Philadelphia, file folds do not affect markings, Very Fine strikes, an unusual triple-rate cover on which Hale used a combination of the Spanish and American-based coinage handstamps, ex Schwartz..... E. 200-300
- 1257 ☒ **(NEW YORK N.Y.) "MAILED LATE FOR THE".** Red straightline handstamp with pencil "11th", matching red Collect box on Nov. 11, 1844 folded letter to Boston, file fold does not affect markings, Very Fine, this marking indicated the letter missed that day's northbound mail, ex Schwartz..... E. 300-400
- 1258 ☒ **(NEW YORK N.Y.) "MAILED LATE FOR THE".** Red straightline handstamp with pencil "2nd", matching red Collect box and pencil "8" (for 6c rate plus 2c local delivery charge) on Feb. 1, 1845 folded letter from Brooklyn to New Haven, Feb. 5th receipt docketing, Very Fine, this marking indicated the letter missed that day's northbound mail, ex Schwartz..... E. 300-400



- 1259 ☒ **Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Courier & Enquirer Building, New York.** Red oval handstamp and matching Collect box on Dec. 3, 1844 folded letter **from Birmingham, England, to Hartford Conn.**, "Forwarded by John A. Newbould New-York" black oval handstamp on flap, Very Fine, scarce transatlantic usage, ex Hall E. 300-400
- 1260 ☒ **Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Courier & Enquirer Building, New York.** Red oval handstamp with "P.P.P." Penny Post Paid straightline, red Collect box and "Paid" on Apr. 10, 1845 folded letter to Boston, toned and worn file folds, Fine strikes and very rare "P.P.P." marking, ex Golden E. 400-500
- 1261 ☒ **Collect Six Cents for Hale & Co.** Red framed handstamp on Jun. 14, 1845 folded letter from New York City to Philadelphia, red "Boyd's City Express Post, Jun. 14 4 O'C" oval datestamp, file folds and some light toning, Very Fine and rare use of Boyd's local post to deliver letter to Hale & Co. for southbound trip to Philadelphia, ex Schwartz E. 400-500
- 1262 ☒ **"Per Hales Express".** Manuscript endorsement, red "U.S. City Despatch Post Jul. 10, 1 O'Clock" Type II circular datestamp on 1844 folded letter from Boston to New York street address, blue "1" rate, Very Fine, rare Independent Mails and Carrier combination, ex Golden E. 150-200
- 1263 ☒ **Forwarded by Hale & Co. from 37 S. Third Street, Philadelphia.** Red oval handstamp and matching Collect box on Jan. 2, 1845 folded letter to Webster Mass., red "Worcester Ms. Jan. 9" government circular datestamp and ms. "6" rate, one week after mailing, slightly soiled file fold, otherwise Very Fine, very scarce example of Hale handing over mail to the U.S. Post Office, ex Hall E. 500-750
- 1264 ☒ **Hale & Co.** Three covers, each with red Hale & Co. handstamp, two with red oval Boston handstamps, last from New Haven to Philadelphia with two strikes of oval handstamp and red "Paid" straightline, Fine group *Not illustrated* E. 100-150
- 1265 ☒ **Hale & Co. Cover Balance.** 42 covers, five with stamps (75L5) and the rest stampless, nice range of markings with several handstamped numerals incl. "6" and "6 1/4", cities incl. New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Providence, Northampton, variety of Collect box handstamps, some flaws to be found but overall Fine and useful large group of these covers *Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000



1266

- 1266 ☒ **Hale & Co., (5c) Red on Bluish (75L2).** Cut to shape and tied by red “PAID” straightline of Hale Boston office on folded letter datelined “Salem, May 27, 1845” to Philadelphia, bold ms. “R” applied to stamp on arrival or on route, red “Forwarded by Hale & Co. from 37 S. Third Street, Philadelphia” oval handstamp applied on arrival, light file folds, Very Fine, a rare example of the Hale Red on Bluish stamp tied by a handstamp, the “R” cancel is usually found on Hale’s Blue stamps (always in connection with Philadelphia)...
..... E. 750-1,000



1267

- 1267 ☒ **Hale & Co., (5c) Red on Bluish (75L2).** Neatly cut to shape, vivid color, ms. “W” cancel, used on folded cover to Providence R.I., red “Hale & Co’s Mail/Paid at Boston” framed handstamp, pencil “Del Pd” (Delivery Paid), docketed “Jany 3” (1845) from William Coffin, Extremely Fine, choice example of the scarce Red stamp used on cover, ex Hall, with 2001 P.F. certificate..... E. 400-500



- 1268 ☒ **Hale & Co., (5c) Red on Bluish (75L2).** Cut to shape, small crease at top, ms. "S" cancel (not tied), brownish-black "Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Boston" oval handstamp and ms. "Paid" on Sep. 19, 1844 folded cover to New York City, file fold at top, Fine and scarce, ex Golden, with 2000 P.F. certificate E. 300-400
- 1269 ☒ **(NORTHAMPTON MASS.) Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Northampton.** Red oval handstamp, blurry strike, (5c) Red on Bluish (75L2), cut to shape, tiny tear at bottom, ms. "T" initial and "X" cancel on Feb. 8, 1845 folded letter to Boston, toned file folds (one thru stamp), otherwise Fine, very scarce, ex Golden, with 2000 P.F. certificate E. 200-300
- 1270 ☒ **Hale & Co., (5c) Blue, Street Address Omitted (75L5).** Cut to shape, uncanceled, light pre-use crease, red "Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Baltimore" oval handstamp struck on front and back of April 28, 1845 folded letter to New York City, this is the earliest of the series of transaction reports from the Brandreth correspondence, the sender writes "I now send by the express mail, because I get ten stamps for 50 cts. which is worth saving, if they are delivered promptly." — Hale & Co. commenced service in Baltimore on April 24, 1845, four days before this letter was sent (the whole Hale letter-express operation was closed down on June 30th), the additional handstamp on back and absence of a cancel on the adhesive indicate that Hale's Baltimore agent was unfamiliar with procedures for canceling mail, Very Fine, ex Kelly and Golden, with 2000 P.F. certificate..... E. 300-400
- 1271 ☒ **Hale & Co., (5c) Blue, Street Address Omitted (75L5).** Cut to shape, tied by red "Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Courier & Enquirer Building, New York" oval handstamp on Nov. 18, 1844 folded letter to Boston, second strike to right, file folds, Very Fine, ex Golden..... E. 200-300
- 1272 **MONEY REMITTED TO EUROPE THROUGH HARDEN & CO.** Black on blue design with fancy border, 11 x 9¼ in., text lists countries, ALSO, STEERAGE PASSAGE PROCURED, normal folds, fresh and Very FineNot illustrated E. 200-300
- 1273 ☒ **"Harnden's Express".** Sender's routing in pencil on Dec. 9, 1839 folded letter from Salem Mass. to New York City street address, ms. "Please deliver immediately", file folds, Very Fine early Harnden use, ex Schwartz E. 100-150



1274



1275

- 1274 ☒ **Jerome & Co.'s Express, No. 8 Court St. Boston.** Framed handstamp with Collect box on folded letter to Portland Me., datelined "Bangor (Me.) Sep. 29, 1844" Very Fine, likely carried to Boston and then back to Portland, ex Schwartz..... E. 100-150
- 1275 ☒ **Jerome & Co.'s Express, No. 8 Court St., Boston.** Red framed handstamp with matching framed "Paid", used in conjunction with "Forwarded by Hale & Co. from Salem.", struck twice incl. over the Jeorme handstamp, ms. "Express - paid" on Oct. 2, 1844 folded letter from Bangor Me. to Salem Mass., file fold thru markings at left, Very Fine and scarce conjunctive use, Jerome carried Hale's mail between Maine and Boston, ex Schwartz E. 300-400



1276

- 1276 ☒ **Jerome & Co.'s Express, No. 8 Court St., Boston.** Framed handstamp used in conjunction with Hale & Co., (5c) Blue, Street Address Omitted (75L5), large margins to touching at sides, manuscript crossed-lines precancel, on Jul. 18, 1844 folded letter from Boston to Bangor Maine, red "Forwarded by Hale & Co.'s Great Eastern Mail" oval handstamp, file fold does not affect stamp or markings, Very Fine and desirable conjunctive use, Jerome carried Hale's mail between Maine and Boston, conjunctive-use covers with Hale adhesives are very rare, ex Schwartz E. 1,000-1,500



- 1277 ☒ **Forwarded by Overton & Co., 29½ State Street, Boston.** Clear strike of oval handstamp with matching small “5” express rate on Aug. 13, 1844 folded letter from Boston to New York City street address, red “Forwarded by Overton & Co. 3 Broad Street, New York” oval, ms. “2” (local delivery charge) and “7” total, light file folds, one thru the Boston marking, Very Fine, ex Schwartz..... E. 200-300
- 1278 ☒ **Forwarded by Overton & Co., 29½ State Street, Boston.** Perfect strike of oval handstamp with “Paid” straightline and ms. “Paid”, on Dec. 17, 1844 folded letter from Boston to Portsmouth N.H., fresh and Very Fine, ex Schwartz E. 150-200
- 1279 ☒ **(BOSTON MASS.) PAID.** Clear strike of Overton & Co. handstamp with ms. “+ Delivery” on Apr. 23, 1845 folded letter from Boston to Hartford Conn., central file fold and small stain at top, otherwise Very Fine cover and strike, ex Schwartz E. 150-200
- 1280 ☒ **Overton & Co’s City Mail, Office, 3 Broad Street.** Red oval and black “6” collect rate handstamp on Jan. 2, 1845 folded letter from Boston to New York City street address, slightly soiled horizontal file fold, otherwise Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1281 ☒ **Overton & Co’s City Mail, Office, 3 Broad Street.** Red oval handstamp, red “PAID” straightline (used by both Pomeroy and Overton), ms. “paid 2c cts.” and “Express” on undated folded letter to New York City street address, Very Fine, this cover without contents must have originated in upstate New York, carried by express and prepaid 2c for local delivery by City Mail Co. — the “Paid” marking was first used by Pomeroy’s Albany office, then by Overton on covers dated in early October 1844, the two companies had offices in the same building in Albany, and it seems certain that Overton inherited these devices when Pomeroy quit the mail business — ex Schwartz.. E. 200-300
- 1282 ☒ **Overton & Co’s City Mail, Office, 3 Broad Street.** Clear strike of red oval handstamp, pencil “8” rate (6c plus 2c local delivery charge) on Jan. 10, 1845 folded letter from Providence R.I. to New York City street address, slightly reduced at left of lettersheet when unfolded, Very Fine, ex Schwartz..... E. 100-150
- 1283 ☒ **(PEEKSKILL N.Y.) “Overton’s Express Oct. 15th”.** Ms. marking and “Paid 6¼” express rate on Feb. 12, 1844 folded letter from Peekskill N.Y. to Quakertown N.J., carried to New York City where it entered U.S. mails with red “New York Oct. 15” circular datestamp and pen “10” collect rate (for 31 to 80 miles), express paid notation also crossed out, file fold and minor flap tear, Very Fine and interesting use, the 16¼c total paid was more than the regular mail rate would have been (12½c for 81 to 150 miles) ex Schwartz E. 200-300
- 1284 ☒ **City Mail Co., Office, 6 Wall Street.** Clear strike of framed handstamp, “Charleston S.C. Aug. 2” (1845) circular datestamp with matching “10” rate for over 300 miles, on mostly complete folded cover to New York City street address, missing one flap and one internal page, otherwise Very Fine, sent after the Independent Mail companies were put out of business by the new postal law that took effect July 1, the City Mail local post continued to operate, this is an unusual from-the-mails cover, ex Schwartz..... E. 300-400

POMEROY'S LETTER EXPRESS



- 1285 ★田 **Pomeroy & Co.'s Express.** Orange on grayish-white (with brown occlusions (see Stimmell article in *Penny Post*, Aug. 1992), complete sheet of 12 with original gum, usual creasing and minor faults, still Very Fine, a remaindered sheet but nonetheless very scarce, ex Golden E. 400-500
- 1286 ☒ **Livingston, Wells & Pomeroy.** Six covers, five are folded letters, most with ms. express designations representing different examples of various Pomeroy companies incl. Livingston Wells & Pomeroy, Livingston & Wells, Livingston & Pomeroy, Pomeroy's Express, one each with "Paid" or "Cd." handstamps, one with some staining but overall Very Fine, nice group of covers related to one of the great private express operations, ex Schwartz (Photo Ex) E. 500-750
- 1287 ☒ **Pomeroy & Co. Express, Paid.** Rimless red circular handstamp and ms. "Ford. by Pomeroy & Co." on Oct. 27, 1843 folded letter from New York City to Albany N.Y., file fold thru handstamp and contemporary ink blot below "Paid", Fine, very scarce marking, ex Schwartz E. 400-500
- 1288 ☒ **(ALBANY N.Y.) PAID 2.** Struck upside down in red, likely by two different handstamps, on Jul. 10, 1844 (no city designation) folded letter to the chief clerk of the State Banking Department in Albany N.Y., no other express or mail designations but based on the year and the 2c rate (U.S. drop rate was 1c in 1844) this is almost certainly a local delivery for 2c by Pomeroy, file fold between the two markings, Very Fine and fascinating cover, undoubtedly rare, ex Schwartz E. 400-500
- 1289 ☒ **Forwarded by Pomeroy & Cos. Express, From Buffalo.** Bold strike of red handstamp with matching "Paid" straightline, ms. "Paid 1111" and "Pomeroy & Co. Paid" on backflap of Nov. 11, 1843 folded letter from Buffalo to New York City street address, some edge splitting and heavy file folds, otherwise Fine, the strikes Extremely Fine, ex Schwartz . E. 500-750



- 1290 ☒ **(BUFFALO N.Y.) "Free from Pom. & Co."**. Manuscript express designation on folded letter from **Pomeroy & Co. partner Henry Wells** to the president of the Utica & Schenectady Railroad in Albany N.Y., datelined "**Pomeroy & Comps. Office 158- Main St., Buffalo Sept. 14th, 1843**", file fold at right, Very Fine, letter relates to complaints about railroad service..... E. 300-400
- 1291 ☒ **Forwarded by Pomeroy & Cos. Express, From New York**. Clear strike of red handstamp on Sep. 29, 1843 folded letter to Albany N.Y., file folds and couple light stains, otherwise Very Fine, ex Schwartz..... E. 300-400
- 1292 ☒ **POMEROY'S MAIL**. Red straightline handstamp applied at Buffalo, matching truncated "Pomeroy & Cos. Express" handstamp and large "PAID" straightline applied on arrival at Albany on Jul. 22, 1844 folded letter from New York City to Albany N.Y., central file fold, Very Fine, a desirable combination of Pomeroy markings applied at different offices along the route, ex Schwartz..... E. 500-750
- 1293 ☒ **Boyd's City/Express Post/July 5 9 O'C.** Clear strike of red rectangular framed datestamp with small "PAID" straightline applied by **Pomeroy & Co.**, on Jul. 3, 1844 folded letter from Utica N.Y. to New York City street address, Extremely Fine conjunctive use, we have recorded this "Paid" on a Pomeroy off-cover Yellow paper stamp, ex Schwartz..... E. 400-500
- 1294 ☒ **Boyd's City/Express Post/July 10 9 O'C.** Perfect bold strikes of red rectangular framed datestamp and matching "Free" handstamp on July 8, 1844 folded letter from Buffalo N.Y. to New York City, pencil street address, sender's ms. endorsement "**Pomeroy's Express**", "Paid" and red "Paid" handstamp applied by Pomeroy, file folds, Very Fine conjunctive use, ex Golden..... E. 500-750
- 1295 ☒ **Boyd's City/Express Post/July 20 9 O'C.** Red rectangular framed datestamp used in conjunction with "**Pomeroy & Cos. Express**" truncated handstamp, ms. "**Collect 6 1/4**" rate on undated folded cover to New York City street address, small tear at top, Very Fine and scarce Pomeroy/Boyd's conjunctive use, ex Schwartz..... E. 200-300

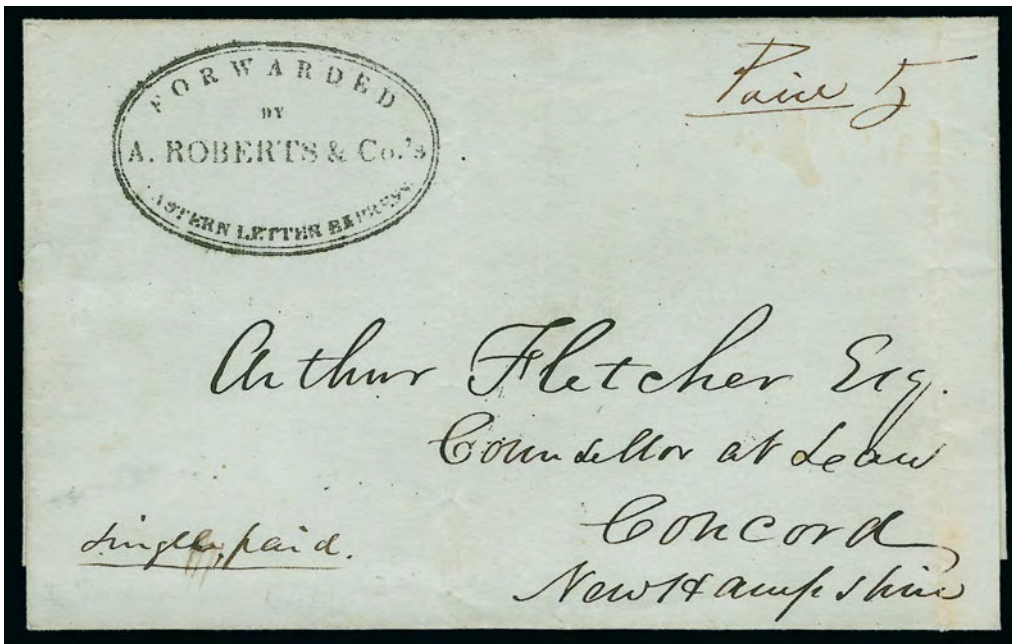


- 1296 ✉ **Boyd's City/Express Post/Aug. 19 9 O'C.** Red rectangular framed datestamp clearly struck on blue folded letter datelined Aug. 16, 1844 from Rochester to New York City street address, ms. "Collect 6 1/4" rate, Very Fine, based on origin and collect marking this is a conjunctive use with Pomeroy, ex Golden E. 300-400
- 1297 ✉ **Boyd's City/Express Post/July 10 9 O'C.** Red rectangular framed datestamp, ms. "Collect 4" and pencil "Collect 1/-" rates on Jul. 8, 1844 folded letter from Rochester to New York City, file folds, Very Fine, based on origin and collect marking this is a conjunctive use with Pomeroy E. 300-400
- 1298 ✉ **Boyd's City/Express Post/Aug. 19 9 O'C.** Red rectangular framed datestamp clearly struck on folded letter datelined Rochester, Aug. 17, 1844, to New York City street address, ms. "Collect 6 1/4" rate, pencil "Coll 6", toned file fold, otherwise Very Fine, based on origin and collect marking this is a conjunctive use with Pomeroy, ex Golden E. 300-400
- 1299 ✉ **Boyd's City/Express Post/Aug. 16 9 O'C.** Red rectangular framed datestamp on folded cover docketed on back Aug. 15, 1844 to New York City street address, ms. "Collect 6 1/4" rate and pencil "Collect", slightly toned file fold, otherwise Very Fine, scarce conjunctive use, ex Schwartz E. 200-300
- 1300 ✉ **Boyd's City/Express Post/Aug. 5 9 O'C.** Red rectangular framed datestamp and "U.S. Express Mail, Boston Mass. Aug. 3" circular datestamp on 1844 Suffolk Bank, Boston, folded credit notice to New York City street address, no rate markings, file fold, Very Fine, rare conjunctive use of the Boston U.S. route agent marking with Boyd's handstamp for local delivery, ex Schwartz E. 500-750



1301

- 1301 ☒ **Pomeroy's Letter Express, 5c Black on Yellow (117L1).** Large margins to just in at top, cancelled by ms. "C" applied by Rochester agent, conjunctive use with bold red "Boyd's City Express Post, Agst. 19 O'C" framed datestamp and "Paid/J.T.B." handstamp on folded cover from Rochester N.Y. to New York City street address, docketing indicates Jul. 30, 1844 origin, vertical file fold does not affect stamp or markings, Very Fine, a scarce and desirable conjunctive use E. 1,000-1,500



1302

- 1302 ☒ **Forwarded by A. Roberts & Co.'s Eastern Letter Express.** Bold and clear strike of double-line oval handstamp, ms. "Paid 5" rate and "Single, paid" on folded cover to Concord N.H., backflap with Sep. 11, 1844 receipt docketing, light file folds, small amount of glue adhering to edge of backflap, Very Fine and scarce Independent Mail marking, ex Schwartz E. 400-500

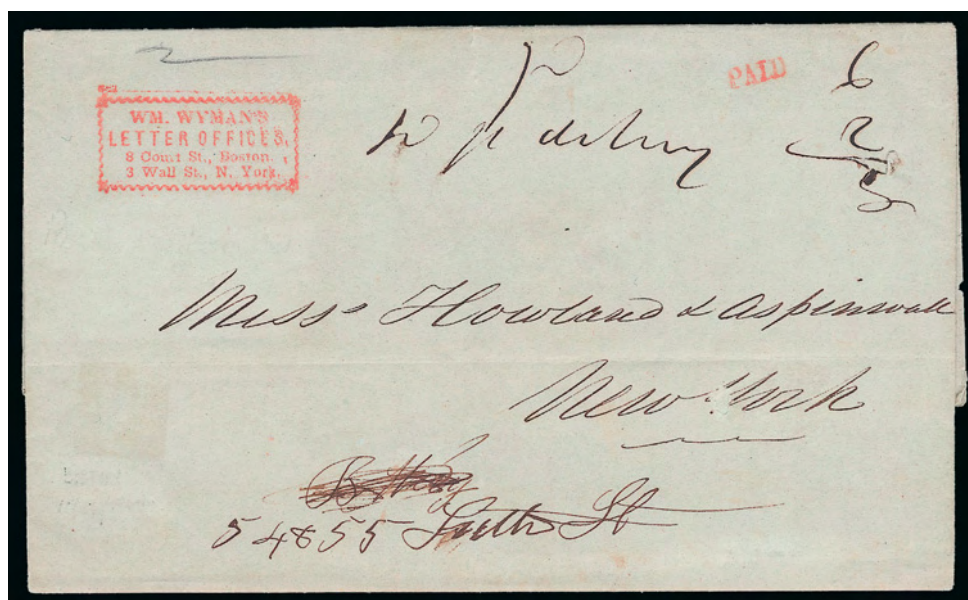


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- 1303 ☒ **Wells & Co. Express Mail from Chicago.** Small circular handstamp perfectly struck on Sep. 9, 1844 folded letter from Chicago to Sidney Shepard in Buffalo, fresh and Extremely Fine, a remarkably choice example of this extremely rare Wells' Chicago handstamp, ex Abt and Golden..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1304 ☒ **(Wells' Letter Express Collateral) Charging Marine Vignette.** 3c Rose (65), just tied by part of "Palmyra N.Y. Aug. 10" circular datestamp, clear second strike to left, on cover to Scipioville N.Y. with red and blue **13-Star circular Patriotic seal with American Marine and Flag**, stamp with corner perf crease bottom left and cover slightly reduced at left, otherwise Very Fine, this is the same image as on the circular Wells' Letter Express stamps, the depiction of an American marine charging ashore with sword raised and Union Flag waving, and a naval vessel in the background, has been described as a commemoration of the Battle of Lake Champlain during the War of 1812... E. 150-200



1305

- 1305 ☒ **Wm. Wyman's Letter Offices, 8 Court St., Boston, 3 Wall St., N. York.** Perfect strike of red framed handstamp and matching small "PAID" straightline, ms. "for delivery" with "6", "2" and "8" total for express charge plus 2c for local delivery, on Oct. 26, 1844 folded letter to New York City street address, Howland & Aspinwall correspondence, wear on one inside edge, Very Fine, ex Schwartz..... E. 300-400

WESTERN EXPRESSES



1306



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1309

- 1306 ☒ **Greenhood & Newbauer Northern Express.** Printed frank (Haller FG6, Ty. 1) on 3c Red Nesbitt entire (U10) to San Francisco, "Greenhood & Newbauer's Express, Weaverville Cal." double-line oval handstamp and ms. "May 11" date, minor edge tears at top, Very Fine, attractive use E. 200-300
- 1307 **Jones & Russell's Pike's Peak Express Co., Denver City, Jan. 5, 1860.** Bold strike of circular datestamp on cover with 3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26) tied by "Leavenworth K.T. Jan. 30, 1860" circular datestamp to Spring Green Wis., trivial edgewear, stamp with small tear at lower right and with some slight waterstaining affecting stamp, otherwise Very Fine, Jones & Russell operated the express that was absorbed into the Central Overland California & Pikes Peak Express Company, of Pony Express fame..... E. 300-400
- 1308 ☒ **Lamping & Co's Express.** Printed frank (Haller FL1, Ty. 1) on 3c Pink entire (U58) to San Francisco, cancelled by "Lamping & Cos. Express Downieville" oval handstamp, conjunctive use with blue "Wells, Fargo & Co. Marysville May 15" oval datestamp, some age spots, entire with some oxidation, still Very Fine, Lamping's Express (successor to Langton) served the Downieville mining region and connected with Wells, Fargo & Co. at Marysville E. 300-400
- 1309 ☒ **Pacific Express Co.** Horse and rider frank (Haller FP1, Ty. 1) on 3c Nesbitt entire cancelled by "Mokelumne Hill Cal. Jan. 8" circular datestamp to San Francisco, couple letters of address strengthened, Extremely Fine appearance E. 200-300



1310

- 1310 ☒ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Virginia City Pony Express, 10c Brown (143L7).** Three full margins, barely in at right, tied by blue "Wells, Fargo & Co. Carson City Nov. 13" oval datestamp on 3c Pink entire (U35) with Wells, Fargo & Co. printed frank to Sacramento, sender's instructions "Important. Deliver Immediately.", tiny nick at top

VERY FINE. A SCARCE USE OF THE VIRGINIA CITY PONY EXPRESS 10-CENT BROWN.

Scott Retail \$4,000.00 makes no sense, considering that the ratio of 10c Brown to 25c Blue covers is 1:3 (according to Gamett census)..... E. 3,000-4,000



1311

- 1311 ☒ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Virginia City Pony Express, 25c Blue (143L8).** Ample margins to just touched at bottom right where light corner crease, tied by blue "Wells, Fargo & Co. Virginia City Nev. Aug. 23" oval datestamp on 3c Pink entire (U34) with black Wells Fargo & Co. printed frank, to San Francisco, barely reduced at right, entire with some oxidation, gently cleaned, Very Fine appearance 4,500.00

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- 1312 ☒ **Wells, Fargo & Co. Nevada Feb. 9.** Blue oval datestamp cancels 3c Red Star Die entire with printed frank to San Francisco, minor wear, Very Fine, ex Downing ... E. 200-300
- 1313 ☒ **Wells, Fargo & Co., Cedar Pass, Mar. 20.** Clear strike of blue oval datestamp on 3c Pink entire with printed frank to Lynchburg Va., missing part of top flap and some edgewear, Very Fine, scarce use with the Cedar Pass designation E. 200-300
- 1314 ☒ **2c Red on Amber entire, Round "O" in "Two" (U248).** Used entire with **Wells, Fargo & Co. black frank**, Chinese writing on front and back, slightly reduced at right, pencil address erased, slight wear, otherwise Fine, an extremely rare postal stationery issue, this catalogues \$1,650.00 but we have made four previous attempts to sell it — our estimate of \$50-75 reflects the seller's expectations at this very bleak point..... E. 50-75
- 1315 **Express cancels on Battleship Revenues.** Six album pages with approx. 80 stamps, mostly 1c denominations but also some 2c and couple 10c and "I.R." overprint stamps, each with express company handstamp incl. Adams (one on receipt), Am. Ex., Nat. Ex., W.F. & Co. Ex., U.S.X., Pac. & U.S., C.I.E.X., C&K, So. Ex. Co., Fine and interesting group.....*Not illustrated* E. 150-200
- 1316 ☒ **Bains Merchants Line Telegraph, Office, 29 Wall St.** Corner card in different shades of red on two locally-addressed covers, one with remnants of contemporary label on top flap causing slight gum staining, other faintly toned, otherwise Fine, an attractive and scarce pair.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 200-300

U.S. POSSESSIONS — CANAL ZONE

- 1317 ★ **1904-06, Third Series Specialized Collection.** Nos. 9-14 on pages, approximately 150 stamps with singles and blocks of four or larger, all with excellent descriptions which incl. Scott or CZSG catalog numbers, several better incl. used No. 11b (35 known, faulty) and 12c (large sealed tear), several with one or two Antique Letters (non-Scott listed), also small collection of Fourth Series Nos. 16-17 with various surcharges similarly annotated, generally Fine-Very Fine, great lot for the specialist *Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500
- 1318 ★★田 **1906, 1c on 20c Violet, Ty A, C, 2c on 1p Lake, Ty. D (16, 16b, 17).** Panes of 100, selvage at sides with imprints, first two natural s.e. with part arrow at bottom, last natural s.e. with part arrow at top, few small flaws to be expected, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as blocks of four *Not illustrated* 837.50



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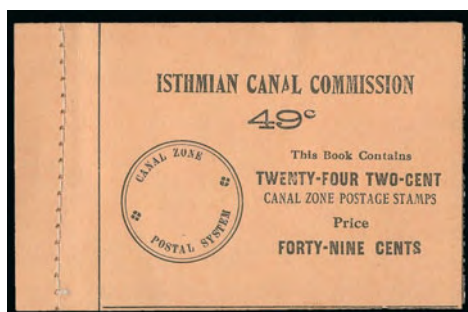
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- 1319 ★ **1907, 1c Green & Black, Ovpt. Reading Down, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (22a).** H.r., deep rich colors, right stamp tiny thin spot, Very Fine appearance, it is believed only 50 were produced, with 1999 P.F. certificate 1,100.00
- 1320 ★ **1907, 1c Green & Black, Ovpt. Reading Down, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (22a).** Slightly tropicalized original gum, h.r., rich colors, Fine, scarce, only 50 were issued 1,100.00



1321

- 1321 ★★ **1909, 2c Vermilion & Black, Ovpt. Reading Up, Booklet Pane of Six, Handmade, Perf Margins (32c).** Complete booklet of four panes with tabs at bottom, with salmon-colored cover intended for use with the one-cent stamps, front cover almost completely detached VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXTREMELY RARE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF THE 2-CENT WITH THE COVER FOR THE ONE-CENT PANES PRINTED ON THE WRONG COLORED STOCK. VERY FEW ARE KNOWN.
- According to *Canal Zone Stamps* a few 1c covers were printed in the color used for the 2c, and they were overlooked by the postal employees assembling the booklets, who went by color. It is possible that the purchaser at the post office window obtained these at half price. Approximately a half-dozen are known.
- Scott Retail as four panes with no premium for the incorrect cover 3,500.00



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1324EX

- 1322 ★ **1909, 2c Vermilion & Black, Ovpt. Reading Up, Booklet Pane of Six, Handmade, Perf Margins (32c).** Two panes in booklet originally containing four panes and costing 49c, adhering to interleaving as usual, Very Fine..... 1,750.00
- 1323 ★田 **1924, 1c Green (67).** Block of four, slightly tropicalized original gum, h.r., bright color, top left stamp small thin spots, left stamps light diagonal crease, top right stamp small adherence at top left, otherwise Very Fine, scarce multiple 2,250.00
- 1324 ★ **1924, 1c Deep Green, Ty. "A" Ovpt., Booklet Pane of Six, 1926, 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (71e, 97b).** First complete unexploded 25c booklet of four panes, Mint N.H. with very slight tropical disturbance, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as four hinged panes, second single pane, lightly hinged, rich color, light diagonal gum bend, Very Fine, with 1988 P.F. certificate(Photo Ex) 845.00

- 1325 ★ **1925, 2c Carmine, "Canal" Only Ovpt. (84a).** Top selvage single, lightly hinged, rich color, choice centering
EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE "CANAL" ONLY VARIETY. ONLY TWENTY WERE PRINTED.

This variety was created when the sheet was shifted downwards during overprinting. 180 stamps bear the "Zone Canal" variety. Only twenty were printed with "Canal" only. It is believed the bottom panes were destroyed.

With 1993 and 2006 P.F. certificates, the former as a pair with Scott No. 84b 2,500.00



1325



1326EX

- 1326 ★★ **1925-26, Overprint Varieties (85a, 86b, 91c).** First bottom center stamp in block with five normal, natural s.e. at top, tropicalized original gum, Fine and scarce, with 2006 P.F. certificate, second in rejoined horizontal pair with normal, Positions 7-8 from bottom right pane, disturbed original gum, h.r., the variety light gum soaks at bottom, otherwise Fine, approximately 30 are known, with 1999 P.F. certificate, last Mint N.H., bright shade, Fine, Scott Retail as hinged(Photo Ex) 1,825.00



- 1327 ★ **1926, 17c Black, “Zone” only, “Zone Canal” (91a, 91c).** Vertical pair with selvage at bottom, bottom stamp “Zone” only, tropicalized original gum, crisp impression, erased pencil notation in selvage leaves slight indentation, Very Fine, scarce and desirable pair, only 20 of the “Zone” only were printed, with 1998 P.F. certificate 1,275.00
- 1328 ★田 **1925, 1c Carmine Rose, Postage Due, “Zone Zone” Ovpt. (J18a).** Center stamp in block of nine with eight normal, natural s.e. at top, the error and several others Mint N.H., some vertical perf separations between first two rows, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, scarce, only approximately 15 of the 75 printed are known — the rest are lost to philately, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate, Scott Retail as just the error 1,500.00
- 1329 ★ **1925, 10c Rose Red, Postage Due, Double Ovpt. (J20c).** Single hinge mark, brilliant color, clear second overprint, three wide margins, Very Fine and choice, only one pane of 100 received the second overprint 450.00
- 1330 ★ **Canal Zone Balance (6/J17b).** 49 stamps incl. unused Nos. 6-8, 13 var. block of four (“Panama” 16mm long), 13 var. pair (“Panama” 5mm below bar), 31c booklet pane, 35 block of four, 39d, 46 block of four, 52a, 53a block of four, 70-81, J3 and J17b pair, also used Nos. 7-8 (two of each), a few flaws to be found but overall Fine-Very Fine, nice group, two P.F. certificates accompany, approximate Scott Retail.....*Not illustrated* 6,000.00
- 1331 ★ **Canal Zone Collection and Accumulation.** Over 450 stamps neatly arranged in a stock-book, nearly all unused and fairly complete to 1939, generally one to four of each, incl. some interesting varieties, virtually all Fine-Very Fine, useful lot, ex Laila*Not illustrated* E. 3,000-4,000
- 1332 **CUBA, 1899 Issue, Balance (221S/J3).** 21 stamps in singles or multiples, incl. “Specimen” Overprints Nos. 221S-226S, original gum, h.r., Mint N.H. left selvage block of four of No. E1 with part arrow, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, bottom imprint and plate no. 492 strip of three of No. E1a, original gum, h.r. where some perf separations reinforced, few thins, ms. in selvage at bottom left, top imprint and plate no. 255 block of eight of No. J3, original gum, five stamps Mint N.H., others h.r., Fine, approximate Scott Retail.....*Not illustrated* 3,700.00
- 1333 ★★田 **CUBA, 1899, 5c on 5c Blue (225).** Mint N.H. top imprint and plate no. 410 block of six with wide selvage, deep rich color, choice centering throughout, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a beautiful Mint N.H. plate block, Scott Retail as hinged 800.00



- 1334 ☒ **DANISH WEST INDIES, 1874, 14c Lilac & Green, 1905, 2fr Orange Red & Brown (12, 38).** Two items, No. 12 original gum, radiant colors, Fine, dealer's backstamp, No. 38 with top left corner selvage, cancelled by well-struck "St. Thomas 8 4 1907" circular datestamp on registered cover to **Dresden, Germany**, registry markings at left, receiving backstamp, Extremely Fine, an immaculate and attractive cover (Photo Ex) 1,750.00
- 1335 ★ **GUAM, 1899, 1c-50c Ovpts. (1-8, 10-12, E1).** 14 stamps, incl No. 2a, original gum, generally with h.r., two 50c, one oxidized, the other rich color and Very Fine, \$1.00 unused (no gum) and Fine, otherwise Fine-Very Fine group (Photo Ex) 2,185.00

HAWAII

- 1336 ☒ **"Kailua Isl. of Hawaii Oct. 2nd 1836".** Dateline on lengthy 3½ page letter from the Andrews correspondence to Pittsford, N.Y., wonderful descriptive contents regarding the native Hawaiians, their dress, food, geographical comments and much more, light red New Bedford Ms. Apr (?)8 (1837) circular datestamp, faint matching straightline "Ship", ms. "27" rate (25c postage and 2c ship fee), carried by whaling ship to New Bedford, some internal splitting no doubt exacerbated by many readings, Fine appearance, wonderful early Hawaiian letter E. 750-1,000
- 1337 ☒ **Hawaii to Mass.** Three orange-buff covers, two with red "Honolulu Hawaiian-Islands Nov. 23" circular datestamp (used on same day) and "San Francisco Cal. Dec. 5, 1861" double-circle datestamp, one with "Ship" handstamp and "12" rate to Fair Haven Mass., other with "Ship" handstamp and blue crayon "22" double rate (2 x 10c plus 2c ship fee) to New Bedford Mass., third with "San Francisco Cal. Nov. 28, 1861" double-circle datestamp and "Ship" and "12" handstamps to same New Bedford addressee, but lacking any origination marking, fresh and Very Fine, fascinating group E. 750-1,000
- 1338 ☒ **12c Black (69).** Choice centering, red "Honolulu U.S. Postage Paid Feb. 17" (1863) circular datestamp on cover to Miss Nellie Fairbrother in New Bedford Mass., stamp uncanceled at Honolulu, tied by cogwheel cancel, red "San Francisco Cal. Paid Mar. 6, 1863" circular datestamp, Apr. 3 receiving backstamp, slightly reduced at left, some edgewear incl. small tear at top, still Very Fine, carried on the *Yankee*, which departed Honolulu Feb. 17 and arrived in San Francisco Mar. 5, unusual with this style of San Francisco marking, with 1981 P.F. certificate E. 300-400
- 1339 ☒ **5c Brown (76).** Bright color, red "Honolulu U.S. Postage Paid May 19" (1866) circular datestamp on blue cover to H. M. R. Fitzsimmons in Reading Mich., stamp uncanceled at Honolulu, tied by cogwheel cancel, "San Francisco Cal. Jun. 11" circular datestamp, carried on the bark *Cambridge*, which departed Honolulu May 19 and arrived in San Francisco June 10, missing part of top flap, otherwise Very Fine, ex Knapp E. 300-400



1340

1340°✉ **1853, 5c Blue, Thick White Wove (5).** Large even margins all around, tied by "San Francisco Cal. 5 Jan." (1856) circular datestamp on **United States 1855 10c Pale Green on Buff Nesbitt entire (U18a)** to Samuel W. Rodman, New Bedford Mass., receipt docketing at left "D. C. Waterman 11 Dec/55" indicating that the letter was written by D. C. Waterman on Dec. 11, 1855 (a significant point, as discussed below), light horizontal fold away from stamps, two tiny toned spots on stamp and small piece out of side flap on reverse

VERY FINE. THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF A HAWAIIAN STAMP USED ON A UNITED STATES 10-CENT NESBITT ENTIRE.

This cover was carried on the brig *Agate*, which departed Honolulu on Dec. 10, 1855, and arrived in San Francisco on Dec. 27. It was postmarked in San Francisco on Jan. 5 (1857) when the mail was bagged for Panama. The receipt docketing identifies the letter writer as D. C. Waterman, head of a prominent Honolulu shipping and commercial firm, and gives the letter date as Dec. 11, 1855. This is one day *after* the *Agate* is reported cleared from Honolulu in published sailing records. This date sequence and the absence of a Honolulu postmark suggest two possibilities. The first is that Waterman handed his letter to someone boarding the ship and asked them to mail it in San Francisco (if this occurred, then the sailing date was actually Dec. 11). The other possibility is that the letter was posted on board the *Agate* and given to the ship purser to add to the mail. In either case, the 5c Hawaiian stamp was affixed but not cancelled in Honolulu. After arrival in San Francisco, the cover was sent to Panama on the *Golden Gate*, which departed on Jan. 5.

The U.S. over-3,000 miles prepaid rate was raised from 6c to 10c, beginning on April 1, 1855 (and prepayment was made compulsory for letters posted in the U.S.). The Hawaiian stamp was intended to pay the rate for internal Hawaiian postage. Normally this letter would have been charged 2c for the ship captain's fee plus the 10c for U.S. postage, but there is no indication of how the ship fee was paid.

Fred Gregory records a total of 40 examples of Scott No. 5 on cover. Only one is known used solely with a 10c stamp (Siegel 1999 Rarities sale, lot 60). This use on a 10c Nesbitt entire is the only recorded Hawaiian Kamehameha Issue mixed franking with a U.S. embossed envelope stamp.

Gregory Census No. 5-16. Ex Seybold, Barkhausen and Krug. With 1964 and 2011 P.F. certificates..... E. 5,000-7,500



1341EX

1341

1853, 13c Dark Red, Thick White Wove (6). Unused and used, first no gum and margins to just in, second similar margins and face-free red circular datestamp, both with flaws, appear Fine(Photo Ex) 2,350.00



1342

1342 ☒ **1861, 5c Blue, Thin Bluish Wove (9).** Two, one has large margins all around, other clear to large, tied by square grid cancels, "Honolulu Hawaiian-Islands Feb. 27" circular datestamp on cover to Reading Mich., "San Francisco Cal. Mar. 21, 1864" double-circle datestamp and "SHIP 12" straightline due handstamp, minor sealed opening tears in flap barely visible along top

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE DOUBLE-RATE FRANKING WITH THE 1861 5-CENT KAMEHAMEHA III THIRD PRINTING.

This was evidently treated as a double-rate letter at Honolulu and charged the double 6c unpaid rate at San Francisco.

Signed Bloch and with 1970 Friedl certificate E. 2,000-3,000



- 1343 **1859, 2c Light Blue, Bluish White (13).** Plate 3-A, Type II (Westerberg Position 2), clear margins to just in, tied by red **"Postage Paid"** in oval handstamp on small piece, also with ms. cancel, Fine 5,000.00
- 1344 **1859, 2c Dark Blue, Bluish White (13).** Plate 3-A, Type VI (Westerberg Position 6), large margins to just in, neat strike of red **"Postage Paid"** handstamp, bit heavily thinned, otherwise Fine 5,000.00
- 1345 (★) **1863, 1c Black, Grayish (15).** Five from Plate 4-A, Westerberg Positions 4, 6, 8, 9 and 10, unused (no gum), margins to in, some flaws, otherwise Fine, still a presentable group..... **(Photo Ex)** 3,250.00
- 1346 **1863, 2c Black, Grayish (16).** Seven used copies from several different plates, large margins to in, range of cancels incl. ms., Lahaina, red grid, generally defective, otherwise Fine, valuable group **(Photo Ex)** 5,950.00
- 1347 **1865, 5c Blue on Blue (21, 22).** Three singles, first No. 21, Plate 9-A, Type X (Westerberg Position 2), large even margins, square grid cancel, few small age spots, vertical crease at right, Very Fine appearance, second No. 22, Plate 12-A, Type VI (Westerberg Position 2), full margins to just in at top right, faintly cancelled at bottom and also by blue crayon, Fine, last No. 22, Plate 12-A, Type IX (Westerberg Position 1), large margins to full, cancelled by bold strike of grid and also by San Francisco double-circle datestamp, thin spots, horizontal crease at bottom, appears Very Fine **(Photo Ex)** 2,300.00
- 1348 (★) **1864, 1c Black, Laid (23).** Complete reconstruction of Plate 8-A, unused (no gum), full margins to close, some flaws to be expected, Fine and desirable reconstruction 3,000.00
- 1349 (★) **1865, 1c Dark Blue (25).** Partial plate reconstruction of Plate 11-A, consisting of the five positions of the right column plus Positions 3 and 7, unused (no gum), full margins to just in, few flaws to be expected (plating quality), appear Fine **(Photo Ex)** 2,450.00
- 1350 **1861-69, 2c Pale Rose, Horizontally Laid, 2c Carmine Rose, Vertically Laid, 2c Red, Re-Issue (27, 28a, 29).** Unused and used of each of first two, No. 28a unused with original gum, couple trivial flaws, complete sheet of fifteen of the Re-Issue, original gum, some slight creasing and toned spots, appear Fine..... **(Photo Ex)** 2,140.00
- 1351 **1864-91, 1c-18c Royal Portraits (30/52C).** Approximately 113 used stamps, most with target cancels, some flaws to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail more than \$2,000.00..... *Not illustrated* E. 400-500



1352

- 1352 ✉ **10c Yellow Green (68).** Bright color, **used with Hawaii, 1866, 5c Blue (32)**, tied together by target, 10c also tied by circle of wedges, on cover to Rochester Vt., large red "Honolulu U.S. Postage Paid Dec. 10" circular datestamp and well-struck "**Hawaiian Steam Service**" oval handstamp, neat "San Francisco Cal. Dec. 24" circular datestamp, slightly reduced at top and some edge tears and wear, 5c stamp few tiny flaws, otherwise Fine, the 5c stamp paid the internal Hawaiian postage, and the 10c stamp paid the Pacific Mail Steamship Company contract mail rate from Hawaii to the U.S. 4,000.00



1354



1353

- 1353 ✉ **1871, 6c Yellow Green (33).** Horizontal pair, bright color, tied by target with three-hole punch, red "Honolulu Paid All Feb. 28, 1877" rimless circular datestamp on cover with attorney's return address to New Bedford Mass., magenta "San Francisco Paid All Mar. 9" circular datestamp, receiving backstamp (Mar. 16), with original enclosure, some edgewear, still Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1354 ★田 **1883, \$1.00 Rose Red (49).** Block of four with **selvage at right**, original gum, small h.r. at left where few perf separations sensibly reinforced, with **embossed impression** in selvage, radiant color, small toned spot between bottom stamps, otherwise Very Fine .. 1,450.00



1357

- 1355 ★田 **1893, 1c-10c Provisionals, Red Ovpt. (53, 54, 55-57, 59, 61).** Blocks of four, all except two stamps Mint N.H., Nos. 53 and 59 with selvage at side (first with part imprint), also incl. used block of four of No. 71 and used block of nine of No. 54, also block of six of No. 59 with faint double overprint (counted as normal), fresh and Fine-Very Fine group, Scott Retail approximately Not illustrated 1,000.00
- 1356 **1893, 1c-\$1.00 Provisional Ovpts. (53/73).** Approximately 36 unused stamps, original gum, few h.r., and 30 used stamps, some duplication incl. two 50c, few small flaws to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail approx. Not illustrated 2,300.00
- 1357 **1893, 5c Ultramarine, Category II Double Ovpt. (59e).** Bright shade, second overprint is partial and struck off partly at left (this is probably from the rightmost vertical row in the sheet), neat strike of duplex cancel, small tear at left and pulled perf, Very Fine appearance, a rare used example of this popular variety with one of the overprints of moderate strength 4,000.00



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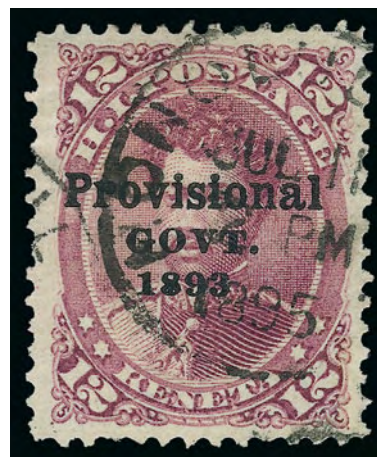
- 1358 ★ **1893, 6c Green, Category II Double Ovpt. (60e).** Original gum, h.r., rich color, second overprint shifted to bottom and is only partial (this may be from the top row of the sheet), Fine 1,000.00
- 1359 ☒ **1893, 12c Black, Red Ovpt., 10c Red Brown, Black Ovpt. (62, 68).** Each tied by neat "Honolulu H.I. May 23, 1893" duplex cancel on **First Day** covers, both addressed to H. S. Crocker & Co. in San Francisco, each with San Francisco May 31 receiving backstamp, fresh and Very Fine.....(Photo Ex) E. 400-500
- 1360 (★) **1893, 12c Black, Category I Double Ovpt. (62d).** Traces of original gum, choice centering, well-balanced margins, second overprint split horizontally, Extremely Fine, a beautiful example of this variety, with 2007 P.F. certificate..... 2,000.00



1361

- 1361 ★ **1893, 2c Rose, Category II Double Ovpt. (66e).** Original gum, h.r., brilliant color, clear second overprint, three wide margins
VERY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT ROSE WITH DOUBLE OVERPRINT. VERY FEW ARE KNOWN.
With 2006 P.F. certificate. 2,750.00

- 1362 **1893, 12c Red Lilac, Black Ovpt. (69).** Canceled by "Honolulu H.I. Jul. 11, 1895" circular datestamp, rich color, couple partly nibbed perfs, otherwise Fine, a rare stamp used 500.00



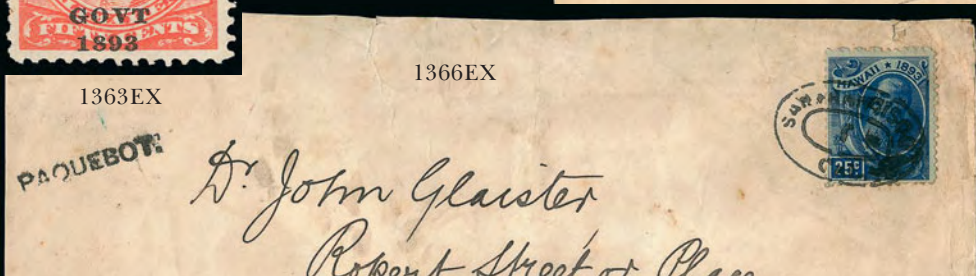
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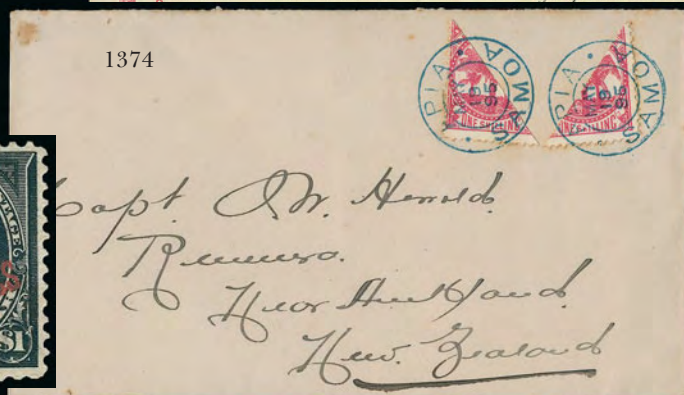
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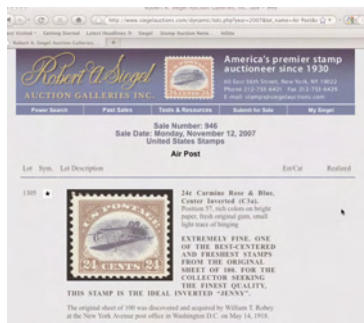
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- 1363 ★ **1893 Issue, No Period After "Govt." (71b, 72b).** One of first and two of second, No. 71b slightly disturbed original gum, h.r., bright color, fresh and Fine, first No. 72b original gum, h.r., brilliant color on crisp paper, Very Fine and choice, second 72b in pair with normal, left stamp the variety, original gum, h.r., radiant color, Fine, lot also incl. block of four of No. 72, bottom right stamp Mint N.H., radiant color, fresh and Fine.....**(Photo Ex)** 1,695.00
- 1364 ☒ **1893, 50c, \$1.00 Rose Red, Black Ovpts. (72, 73).** Used with **1893 12c Black, Red Ovpt. (62)** and tied by light strikes of red "Honolulu Hawaii Apr. 21, 1897" double-circle dates-tamp (Ty. 273.01) on **registered cover to Ulm, Germany**, New York registry label, San Francisco, N.Y. and Ulm backstamps, negligible perf tip toning, address partly erased, \$1.00 slightly discolored, otherwise Very Fine, rare 1893 Provisional Overprint franking, ex Ishikawa and *Honolulu Advertiser*..... E. 400-500
- 1365 ★★☐ **1894, 12c Blue (78).** Mint N.H. sheet of 40 with selvage and imprints at left, right and bottom, rich color, few weak perfs, Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. singles*Not illustrated* 1,700.00
- 1366 ☒ **PAQUEBOT.** Four covers with straightline handstamp, first with Hawaii 25c Blue (79), tied by San Francisco oval with black single-line "PAQUEBOT" on cover to London (cover faults), other three with red/magenta two-line "Paquebot (N.Y.-2d Div.)" handstamp, one with pair German 10pf (48), tie by German Seapost, Hamburg circular datestamps on 1894 "Hamburg-Amerika Linie Hamburg." corner card cover to Germany, other two are postal cards from Brazil and Curacao to New York and Ireland respectively, some faults to be found but overall Fine appearing group**(Photo Ex)** E. 750-1,000
- 1367 **1899, 5c Blue (82).** Bottom margin strip of three **with imprint**, tied by multiple strikes of Honolulu duplex cancel on 1899 legal size cover to Berkeley Cal., San Francisco transit and Berkeley receiving backstamps, vertical file fold well away from stamps, Very Fine, attractive imprint strip on cover E. 150-200
- 1368 ☒ **Passed Free of Duty, Custom House, Honolulu.** Purple handstamp struck on registered wrapper for *Saxon Philatelic Journal*, addressed to Pepeekeo, Hawaii, franked with Germany 20pf and 40pf pair tied by Colditz circular datestamps, "Ausfuhrfrei!" (free export) catalog and magazine label, Colditz registry label, Chicago, Honolulu and Hilo backstamps, wear and faults but Fine appearing and nice piece of Hawaiian philatelic "free trade" E. 150-200
- 1369 ★★☐ **1877, 1901 Revenue Issues (R1, R7, R12).** Mint N.H. blocks of four, large margins, rich colors, couple slight gum imperfections on R7 of little consequence, R12 with bottom selvage, captured imprint, few natural gum skips, Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles**(Photo Ex)** 950.00
- 1370 **Hawaii Balance.** 15 mostly used stamps, incl. Nos. 8-10, seven Numerals, Nos. 28, 28a, 50 and 51 with favor cancels, mixed condition, some Fine*Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000
- 1371 (★) **PHILIPPINES, 1901, \$1.00 Black, Ty. II (223A).** Unused (no gum), intense shade, small thin spot, tiny tear at left, appears Fine 2,250.00
- 1372 ★ **PHILIPPINES, Balance (212-222, 219a, 224, 289, C13, J5, Cut Squares).** Original gum, couple h.r. in the group through No. 224, No. 289 is a Mint N.H. top right corner block of four, two of No. C13, one with h.r., No. J5 h.r., few trivial flaws, Fine-Very Fine, lot also incl. 47 different cut squares, virtually all different and most full corners, Very Fine, approx. Scott Retail.....*Not illustrated* 4,700.00
- 1373 ☒ **SAMOA, 1895, ½p Purple Brown, 1p Blue Green, Perf 11 (9d, 11f).** Rich colors, tied by "Apia, Samoa May 31, 1899" double-circle datestamps on **picture postcard depicting view and Malietoa, King of Samoa**, additionally franked by **Germany 10pf Carmine (48)** tied by different Apia circular datestamp, addressed to Minden, Germany, receiving datestamp at lower left, Very Fine, a beautiful postcard, ex Vogel..... E. 400-500
- 1374 ☒ **SAMOA, 1895, 1sh Rose Carmine, Diagonal Bisects (18a).** Two, each tied by blue "Apia, Samoa, May 19, 1895" double-circle datestamp on cover addressed to Capt. Harrold in New Zealand, neat Auckland receiving backstamp, some minor toning around stamps, otherwise Very Fine, obviously philatelic but still an interesting cover, ex Vogel, discussed in the Odenweller book on p. 250..... E. 200-300
- 1375 **U.S. POSSESSIONS, Balance.** Album pages and few stock pages of unused and used stamps, few Cuba and Hawaii but strength is in Philippines, range of issues represented, mixed condition, few Fine-Very Fine*Not illustrated* E. 200-300

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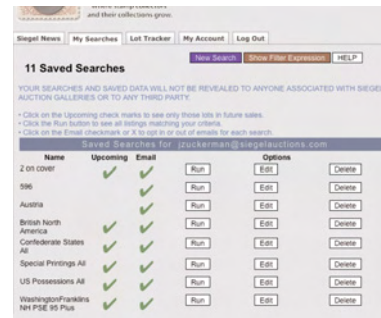
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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2011, AT 1:30 P.M.

GROUP LOTS OF COVERS

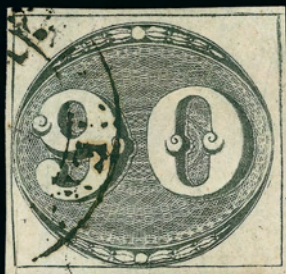
- 1376 ☒ **3c 1851-68 Covers.** 43 covers, approx. five No. 10 or 10A (a couple oxidized), 25+ No. 11 or 11A, the balance Nos. 65 and 94, a number are folded letters, some varieties in the No. 11's incl. center line copy, green cancel, triple transfer, others, couple Civil War related items in the 1861 Issue, some faults but overall Fine-Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 1377 ☒ **5c-12c 1861 Issue Foreign Destination Covers.** Three covers, first Nos. 73 (two) and 78a, used from New Orleans to Baden, Germany, red New York transit, blue boxed "Aachen Franco" handstamp, horizontal file fold affects bottom 2c stamp, unusual franking, second No. 69 used with No. 65 from Cincinnati to Breisach, Germany, last vertical pair of No. 76 used from Washington D.C. to Forestville, Canada West, few flaws to be found but overall Very Fine appearance E. 500-750
- 1378 ☒ **1861-66 Issue Covers to Germany.** Thirteen, incl. vertical pair of No. 71 on legal-size cover to Bavaria; Nos. 68 and 76 to Oldenburg; No. 68 from Cincinnati; Nos. 63, 65 and 70 on insufficiently paid cover; two of No. 76 to Berlin; horizontal strip of three of No. 68 to Bavaria; cover with two Black Jacks and 24c to Bavaria; another similar to Prussia, few other better incl. one with advertisement on back, mixed condition, still appear Fine-Very Fine, fascinating group of various rates and frankings..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 1379 ☒ **1869 Pictorial Issue Covers to Germany.** Four covers and one front only, incl. three with single 10c, one with two 10c, one with 12c from Ill. (probably overpaid 2c), last is 15c used from New London Conn. on cover front only, few faults, appear Fine-Very Fine E. 400-500
- 1380 ☒ **1869 Pictorial Issue Covers.** 34 covers, one 1c, two 2c and the balance 3c, one of the 3c covers contains a letter with a Mint N.H. sheet margin single attached at top by the selvage for return postage, rest fairly ordinary uses with a couple pairs and corner cards, cancels include blue, stars and a heart, mixed condition, overall Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail with the unused single more than \$1,500.00 E. 300-400
- 1381 ☒ **1869 Pictorial Issue Cover Balance.** Nos 112, 114 and 115, one of each, 1c tied by circle of V's cancel on yellow cover with **insurance co. corner card** to local street address, 3c horizontal pair, used with **10c Green, E. Grill (89)**, tied by fancy cork on legal-size State of Illinois Auditor's Office lithographed cover to Monmouth Ill., slightly reduced at right, 6c tied by cork, "New-York Nov. 1?" circular datestamp on **illustrated Scientific American Patent Agency** cover to Tenn., bottom left corner of stamp defective, some edgewear, overall Fine-Very Fine trio, ex Coulter..... E. 500-750
- 1382 ☒ **1870-83 Bank Note Issues on Domestic Covers.** Nine, variety of markings and uses incl. 1c 1870 & 10c F Grill on registered cover, strip of six 1c 1870 Grill, 3c on cover with Phoenix Arizona territorial datestamp and illustrated corner card, etc., minor faults, Fine-Very Fine group..... E. 500-750
- 1383 ☒ **1870-88 Bank Note Covers.** 17, incl. few foreign uses such as pairs of No. 158 and 178 to France; two each of Nos. 146 and 147 to Italy; No. 150 from U.S. Post Office in Shanghai; 10c on cover from Yokohama (missing another 10c); pair of No. 185 to Switzerland; two with No. 189 to Italy; No. 184 with France Postage Due; No. 159 to Cape Verde Islands, few other interesting, overall fresh and Very Fine, a wonderful core holding..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 1384 ☒ **1870-88 Bank Note Issue Covers to Germany.** Eight, incl. one with pair of No. 147 and No. 145 tied by Shield fancy cancels from St. Louis to Hamburg; single No. 149 from St. Paul Minn. to Leipzig; pair of No. 146 and 150 from Philadelphia to Wollstein; pair of No. 205 used with strip of three of 1c on registered 2c entire to Dohren; pair of 5c No. 185 from Cincinnati to Munster, some flaws, overall appear Fine-Very Fine, interesting group E. 500-750
- 1385 ☒ **1870-88 Bank Note Issues Cover Balance.** Approximately 100 covers, all but a few bearing Banknote Issues, majority are 3c denominations incl. a few grills, also many other 1c and 2c, no higher denominations except for one re-engraved 10c, wide range of colored markings and some nice star cancels, many corner cards with a few illustrated, one with stamp collar, mixed condition, overall Fine-Very Fine..... E. 400-500
- 1386 ☒ **5c 1875-88 Bank Note Issue Covers (179, 185, 205, 216).** 33 covers, all but three foreign destinations, nice range of countries in addition to England, France and Germany, incl. Ireland, Switzerland, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Norway, Syria, a couple with additional stamps, some double rates, couple registered, some flaws to be found but overall Very Fine E. 500-750

- 1387 ☒ **Columbian Issue and Small Bank Note Postal Card Balance.** Nine 1c Postal Cards used to foreign destinations, incl. three with lithographed Columbian Exposition designs on backs with 1c and 2c Columbian and 1c Small Bank Note respectively, one of the other cards with 1c Columbian not accepted at the 2c rate because the card exceeded the UPU size limits and with **10c and 20c Swiss Postage Due stamps (J24, J25)**, mixed condition, appear Fine..... E. 200-300
- 1388 ☒ **1938 Presidential Issue on Cover.** 128 "Prexie" covers, wonderful range of frankings, uses and destinations, incl. groups to Canal Zone, Argentina and China, large group with other foreign destinations around the World, group of parcel tags with dollar denominations incl. two with blocks of four of the \$5.00, numerous rates paid with both single and combination frankings, registered, airmail, etc., each cover with individual tag noting the rate paid, some flaws to be found but overall Very Fine, nice group E. 500-750
- 1389 ☒ **Locals and Express Balance.** Five items, incl. Perkins' Exeter Express label on Adams Express cover to Newton N.H. (1862 use), 15L18 on cover with No. 26, two Boyd's covers and a Blood's used with No. 11, mixed condition, few appear Fine-Very Fine E. 100-150
- 1390 ☒ **Local Post Stampless Covers.** Nine covers or folded letters, incl. four Kenyon's Letter Office, New York, mostly clear strikes of red oval handstamp to Bridgeport, Louisville, Boston and Franklin (N.H.), latter two with "U.S. Express Mail N.Y. N. York Aug 30" and "Jun 26" circular datestamps (1849), attractive group with the local and express combinations, also Putnam's Penny Post, Fitchburg Mass, Stait's Despatch Post/Adams Exp'ss, Boyd's City Express (a bit tattered), Philadelphia Despatch Post and California Penny Post San Francisco, some flaws to be found but overall a Fine-Very Fine group, most ex Hahn..... E. 400-500
- 1391 ☒ **Illustrated Advertising Covers.** Approximately 390 covers, begins with Large Banknotes and shows stamps mostly through 1902 Issue, with a few later Washington-Franklins, incl. Commemoratives and Regular Issues, nearly all with at least an advertising corner card and the vast majority elaborately illustrated, wonderful range of designs showing the wares of 19th to early 20th Century merchants, many with stamp collars, also a few Spanish-American War Patriotics, some faults to be found but overall Very Fine, an attractive group of covers that puts to shame today's "junk mail" E. 1,000-1,500
- 1392 ☒ **Advertising Covers.** 73 covers, earliest is 1850's, latest 1930's, with most from the 1890's Bureaus to the Washington-Franklin Issues, nice variety of designs with most illustrated, designs incl. ornate gold Music Vale Seminary on back of cover with with 3c 1851, hotels, machinery, real estate, agriculture, one brewing, "Ancient Indian Relics" with arrowhead, baking, insurance, others, some faults to be found, overall Very Fine, interesting group.. E. 500-750
- 1393 ☒ **Autographs, Free Franks, Presidential Picture Post Cards.** Franked items incl. Lucretia Garfield on small mourning cover, Albert Gallatin free frank as Secretary of the Treasury; George Bush (probably autopen) on Jan. 20, 1989 unfranked Inauguration Day cover; Marc Chagall signature on colorful 1963 cover, also small group of items sent to various U.S. presidents such as F.D.R., Grant, few older documents, other signatures incl. F.D.R. as Governor of New York, finally about 25 different Presidential Picture Post Cards, from Washington through Theodore Roosevelt, all from the Tuck series no. 2328 E. 500-750
- 1394 ☒ **Stampless Covers to and from Germany.** 42, mostly from U.S. to Germany, incl. one forwarded by Harnden's in Boston thru England; three with Anglo-French accountancy markings, range of originations, routings and markings, couple of forwarders, few printed Prices Current, few flaws, overall Fine-Very Fine and diverse group..... 1,000-1,500
- 1395 ☒ **Covers to Germany.** Four, incl. two 3c Nesbitt entires, one from Baltimore and other from Glenn Springs S.C., also 3c Pink entire to Berlin with "Insufficiently Paid" handstamp last bears 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (11A) from New York to Bavaria, appropriate transit and due markings, some flaws, appear Fine-Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1396 ☒ **Covers Mostly to Foreign Destinations.** Five, incl. four singles of No. 33 from Cleveland O. to San Francisco paying quadruple rate, one with vertical strip of three of Nos. 14/15/14 from Peoria Ill. to Germany, one with Nos. 65 and 69 from San Francisco to France, one with three No. 65 and single 63 to Canada, last with two No. 65 with two No. 73 to Canada with blue embossed corner card, each has some flaws incl. soiling or staining, still Fine and unusual group..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1397 ☒ **Forwarded Covers with Redirect Labels.** Collection mounted on exhibit pages and housed in a binder, 35 covers each from the U.S. to a foreign destination and redirected or forwarded with an adhesive label over the original address, frankings include Banknotes through Washington-Franklin Issues, with a couple from the late 1920's, several with foreign stamps paying forwarding postage or postage due stamps, some faults to be expected, overall Very Fine, a nice start to an interesting exhibit E. 1,000-1,500

- 1398 ☒ **Insurance-Related Covers.** Three covers, first with 1c Blue, Eagle Carrier (LO2), red star cancel on Delaware Mutual Insurance corner card cover used in Philadelphia, second with Blood's City Despatch 1c Bronze on Lilac (15L14), acid tied, Blood's double-circle datestamp, on all-over lithographed insurance cover, last is 1842 stampless cover from Havana Cuba to New York, forwarded to London, oval "Harnden & Co. New York Express" handstamp, references "insurance" with contents related thereto, few flaws to be found but overall Very Fine appearing group E. 400-500
- 1399 ☒ **Involute Flag Machine Cancels.** 35 covers, 1896-99, variety of styles of this distinctive cancel representing both American Postal Machine and Boston Imperial Co., most franked with Bureau issues but a few are postal cards, Very Fine group..... E. 500-750
- 1400 ☒ **Unused Kimmel Civil War Patriotics.** 10 unused Kimmel hand-colored covers, all vivid multi-colored designs, couple with small flaws incl. one small tear, overall Very Fine, these are the "creme de la creme" of Civil War patriotics and highly sought, even in unused condition E. 300-400
- 1401 ☒ **Magnus Design Civil War Patriotics.** 18 unused Magnus design covers, incl. gold and multicolored, several better designs, one stained, one front only, overall Very Fine E. 300-400
- 1402 ☒ **Civil War Patriotic Covers.** 23 covers, nice range of mostly multi-colored designs incl. flags (one Cavalry), Constitution, Lady Liberty, U.S. Capitol, "Excelsior", three men toasting "Spirit of the South", couple embossed, most franked with 3c Rose (65) with a couple 3c 1857 Issue, most accompanied by descriptive slip with Walcott no., mixed condition with some quite attractive, overall Fine E. 500-750
- 1403 ☒ **Civil War Patriotic Covers to Germany.** Three stampless, incl. red and blue Eagle and Flag on Globe to Baden; red and blue Standing Liberty and Shield from Buffalo N.Y. to Bavaria; third is 34th Regt. Illinois Volunteers with Eagle design to Wurttemberg, appropriate due markings, some edgewear, Fine-Very Fine and interesting group E. 300-400
- 1404 ☒ **Magnus "Secesh Chain" Patriotic Covers.** 24 different unused Magnus Bronze colored "Secesh Chain" covers, these are numbered between 1 and 30 and feature oval portraits of high-ranking Confederate States individuals starting with Jefferson Davis as no. 1, Alexander Stephens no. 2, Gen. Beauregard no. 4, Gen. Lee no. 5, and so on, mounting remnants on backs but otherwise fresh and Extremely Fine, nice group E. 300-400
- 1405 ☒ **New York, New Jersey and Transatlantic Stampless Covers.** 33 covers, 19 N.Y. stampless with several better incl. Triangle N.Y. triangular handstamp, War of 1812 50% surcharge rate, six N.J. stampless incl. South Orange to Canada West with "United States/6d" straightline, three Middletown Point with "V" rate handstamp, finally 8 transatlantic from New York or incoming to Boston, incl. three to the Netherlands, Fine-Very Fine group.. E. 500-750
- 1406 ☒ **Railroad, RPO and Streetcar Covers.** Approximately 262 covers, from 1880's-1960's, wide variety of frankings and uses, most with stamps but a few with meters, some interesting uses incl. a "bisect" of the 2c Black Harding, overall nice condition, Fine-Very Fine E. 300-400
- 1407 ☒ **Registered Parcel Tags.** 21 tags, franked with a variety of stamps from the 1922 Issue and a few with Washington-Franklins, nearly all with higher denominations from 50c-\$2.00, rates as high as \$4.00, all stamps with perfin and typical tag wrinkles but overall Very Fine, interesting lot and easily displayable..... E. 400-500
- 1408 ☒ **Wine-Related Covers.** Approximately 35 covers, wonderful variety of corner cards, most illustrated, several in color, franked with range of stamps incl. 1861-68 Issue, Banknotes, early Bureaus, Washington-Franklins, a few foreign, also incl. several issues of *Enophilatelia*, *Journal of Wine on Stamps*, few cover or stamp faults to be found but overall an attractive and Very Fine group E. 400-500
- 1409 ☒ **Spanish-American War Patriotics.** Six different multicolor designs, 1898-99, franked with 1c or 2c Bureau issues, one with stamp missing, designs incl. "Cuba Libre — On to Havana" slogan with U.S. and Cuba flags and soldiers, with stamp tied by "Tampa Fla. Jul. 22 9-PM 1898" involute flag machine cancel, the earliest reported date for this cancel, also "Invincible in War, Triumph in Peace" slogan with crossed flags, lion and eagle, a few minor stamp or cover flaws to be found, otherwise Very Fine group..... E. 500-750

- 1410 ☒ **World War I American Soldiers' Covers.** Approx. 22 covers, both to and from France, a few franked with Washington-Franklin stamps, nice variety of censor markings, several with **"Deceased Verified"** handstamps, faults to be expected, Fine-Very Fine and interesting group E. 300-400
- 1411 ☒ **World War I Prisoner of War Covers.** 40 covers, range of origins and destinations, variety of censor markings, also an interesting facsimile cover and letter inscribed "Prisoners of War." and "No Stamp Required", which was apparently dropped over German lines as aerial propaganda, Very Fine group E. 400-500
- 1412 ☒ **Wreck and Crash Covers 1886-1974.** Six covers, incl. from Edinburgh to Austin Ill. with label on back **"P.O. New York, N.Y. July 6th, 1886. This piece of mail forwarded from Queenstown, Ireland, per steamer Oregon on march 7th and damaged by the sinking of that vessel off Fire Island on March 14th. Recovered from the wreck July 1-4."** (stamps floated off), also 1926 Mendota Minn. Elmes Patridge First Flight, 1933 Toledo O. Nicholas Laurenzana (burned), 1936 Ventura Cal. Western Air Express, 1959 New York American Airlines, and 1974 Nairobi Lufthansa 747, damaged obviously, fascinating group E. 500-750
- 1413 ☒ **U.S. Cover Accumulation.** Two large plastic bins with hundreds and hundreds of covers, starts with a smattering of 3c 1851 Issue (incl. one with Blood's No. 15L13) , to Banknotes, Bureaus, Washington-Franklins, 1922 Issue, 3c-5c Commemoratives and later, also First Days, postal cards and entires, etc., we note one double size shoebox with more modern commercial covers but the rest appear to be older issues, no particular theme evident, just a lot of covers, also a handful of stamps incl. some 3c Banknotes E. 300-400
- 1414 ☒ **Early U.S. Cover Accumulation.** Approx. 2,000 covers, each in an individual glassine and stuffed into a book box, stampless through the early 1900's with the majority from the Banknote period, but also a fair number stamped from the 1850's-60's, we note stampless as early as 1804 with most of the rest much later, many but not all are Connecticut related, no high denomination frankings but a vast number of covers, the sorting of which will fill many hours, from the "Farmington" collection E. 1,500-2,000
- 1415 **U.S. 19th & 20th Century Stamp and Cover Accumulation.** Small group of unused and used stamps and some covers, incl. No. 65 on Patriotic, No. 26 on Patriotic (2), few Revenue documents, No. 65 on Rhomboid cover, few other interesting, some flaws, many Fine-Very Fine E. 300-400
- 1416 ☒ **U.S. Covers.** Small group of covers, incl. 5c 1847 with red grid cancel, No. 37 to England, No. 77 to France (2), No. 116 to France, No. 117 to England, few other interesting, mixed condition, some appear Fine-Very Fine E. 750-1,000
- 1417 ☒ **1920's to Modern U.S. Cover Accumulation.** Two stuffed book boxes with a couple thousand plus covers, largely 1910's to latter part of 20th Century with many postal cards and entires, many but not all Connecticut related, each cover in an individual glassine E. 300-400
- 1418 ☒ **U.S. Cover Balance.** Small balance from the Wagshal Collection, 30 or so covers with stamps from the 1851-61 Issues incl. three color 1857 Issue franking to France, 1c and two 3c 1857 on cover to Switzerland, few 1c Ty. V multiples on covers, several interesting odds and ends incl. 1844 letter from Boscawan Postmaster Worcester Webster (creator of the unique provisional), used Mulready Lettersheet with Maltese Cross cancel, uncut sheet of four \$10.00 Canal Bank obsolete banknotes with Washington and Franklin engravings used on 1851 Issue (toned), also "Boston Mass. Jan. 2, 1895" Eagle and Thunderbolt Machine Cancel on R.P.O. slip labeled "papers", used for only one day in 1895, mixed condition, overall Fine and interesting group E. 400-500
- 1419 ☒ **U.S. Postal History Balance.** 11 covers, ranging from stampless to 1870's plus two later, nice variety with several somewhat better, incl. red Brattleboro Vt. rimless datestamp on 1834 folded letter, Mansfield La. with fancy "10" and "5" rate handstamps struck over each other, few 1860's incl. stampless paid "Lincoln Pills and Bragg Grapes" Patriotic from Weston Va. (now West Va.) to Ohio, with content (water staining), C.S.A. No. 11 on insurance illustrated cover, "Fashionable Furniture" dealer's blue cameo corner card from Cincinnati to Paris (rebacked), few others, the later incl. No. 561 First Day, some flaws to be expected but overall Fine-Very Fine appearance E. 500-750
- 1420 ☒ **U.S. Cover Balance.** 21 covers and one front only, incl. three Confederate States such as No. 1 on cover, few other interesting such as Nos. 63 and 73 on State Normal University illustrated cover, No. 65 tied by blue Wells, Fargo Los Angeles oval handstamp on 3c entire to San Francisco, another No. 65 used from Waterbury Conn. with segmented grid (faults), four with various Pan-Americans, also pair of 1c Trans-Mississippi on Spanish-American War patriotic, generally few faults but Very Fine appearance E. 500-750

- 1421 ☒ **U.S. Cover Balance.** Approx. 39 stamped covers or entires, largely Mass. uses, several better items incl. 5c 1847 from Rochester N.Y. to Lockport N.Y., 12c 1869 from North Brookfield Mass., 3c 1857 and 1868 on separate Patriotics, 3c 1861 used to occupied New Orleans in 1864, a number of Brookfield and Dedham Mass. uses with stamps ranging from 1857 Issue to 2c Black Jack E Grill to Banknotes, others incl. group of advertising covers, mixed condition, overall Fine E. 500-750
- 1422 ☒ **U.S. Cover Balance.** Approximately 35 items, wide range of material, incl. couple Locals, couple Patriotics, No. 35 (ms. cancel) used to Timbucktu Cal., C18 Oct. 2 New York FDC, 250 and E3 combination, few better 2c Red FDC's, 619 block of four on Washington D.C. FDC, 620-621 cacheted FDC's, two each \$2.00 and \$5.00 1938 Presidential FDC's (different cachets), C3 May 15, 1918 First Flight used with 3c Violet No. 501 and a small group of 2c "Black Jacks", mostly from same correspondence, incl. one with fierce looking Feline Corner Card and "Americus Club" imprint, mixed condition, still a useful lot..... E. 500-750
- 1423 ☒ **U.S. Cover Balance.** Eleven, incl. vertical pair of 5c Brown (76) from Chester Pa. to Havana, Cuba; No. 117 to England; No. 100 to Germany; No. 32 from San Francisco to Pa.; pair of No. 33 from San Francisco to Pa., another similar; No. 15 from Forest City Cal. to Pa.; few advertising covers, somewhat mixed condition but some Fine-Very Fine.. E. 750-1,000
- 1424 ☒ **U.S. Cover Balance.** Nine covers, incl. seven Patriotics with range of designs mostly with 3c Rose (65), also 3c Pink entire from Iowa to Germany, last is legal-size paste-up of top portion of 3c Pink entire with Wells, Fargo & Co. printed frank with two 3c Rose (65) from Millerton to San Francisco, mostly Fine-Very Fine E. 500-750
- 1425 ☒ **Small Better U.S. Cover Group.** Five covers and one stamp on piece, incl. Nos. 68 and 78 used from Holmes Hole Mass. to **Paita, Peru**, No. 148 used from Hartford to London, England with B.F. Stevens agent handstamp, single and strip of four of No. 114 on domestic five-times rate cover, No. 151 used from Bordentown N.J. to Devon, England, No. 152 with single and strip of six of No. 147 on domestic registered cover, finally No. 116 on piece with nice blue Cincinnati datestamp and target but reperfed, covers with faults to be found but appear Fine E. 500-750
- 1426 ☒ **U.S. Cover Balance.** Seven mostly stampless covers, virtually all sent free thru the mails incl. James Buchanan free frank; one with "Official Business of Auditor's Office P.O.D." two-line handstamp, also 1866 Post Office Dept. official imprint from return letter office, few flaws, appear Fine-Very Fine E. 300-400
- 1427 ☒ **U.S. and Foreign Cover Balance.** Approx. 40 covers, mostly U.S. with a few foreign, best foreign is Denmark No. 19 pair on cover to Paris (Scott Retail \$240.00 for single on cover), 11 or so with Large Bank Notes, three "Economist Stamp Co. Nassau Street" registered covers from 1940's with 3c, 8c and 10c Columbians along with Prexies, few faults, eclectic but interesting group E. 150-200
- 1428 ☒ **U.S. Cover Balance.** 58 covers, from 1857 Issue through Banknotes plus a few Bureaus and Washington-Franklins, incl. No. 26 on "A National Song" Patriotic and No. 65 on two different Patriotics, the bulk of the group is domestic uses of 3c 1861 and Banknotes, mixed condition, some Fine E. 150-200
- 1429 **Appraisal of the Col. Edward H. R. Green Stamp Collection.** Three-volume 1937 typed inventory and line-by-line appraisal for the Col. Green stamp collection, housed in three-ring binders, completed by the Prescott, Bullard & McLeod law firm which handled his estate, we have no idea if it is complete for every item that was in the Green collection but it is very extensive, an example of a single page shows, from Box 51, the 5c Carmine Error (Scott 485) in ten different blocks with an appraised value of \$6,400, the original binding spines are disintegrating but the pages are undamaged, a fascinating and rare look at philately's past, Col. Green, the son of the "Witch of Wall Street" Hetty Green, was one of the most famous collectors in history and was the buyer of the Inverted "Jenny" Airmail sheet from Eugene Klein, his vast collection was disbursed by numerous auction firms in 28 sales during the 1940's — as a side note, Bob Siegel was not given any part of the Green collection, because he would not hire J. W. Scott as his auctioneer E. 300-400



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GENERAL FOREIGN STAMPS AND COVERS

- 1430 ☒ **AUSTRIA, Freedom Overprints, 1944-45.** 18 unused post cards, each bearing several stamps of Germany with "Osterreich" ovpt., different overprints incl. horn, star, cross, sun, others, no doubt includes reference items but still a pretty group*Not illustrated* E. 200-300
- 1431 **BELGIUM, 1863-65, 1c-40c King Leopold I (13-16).** Beautiful red leather binder and slipcase of stamps and covers artfully arranged on quadrille pages, nice group of unused incl. 1c (6), 6c (10), 20c (3) and 40c (2), great representation of each denomination used incl. 40c with just over 100 singles, eleven pairs, three strips of three and a block of four, nice selection of other denominations with unused blocks of 12, 8, 6 and three blocks of four of 1c, pages arrange by either plate variety, cancellation or other logical order, also incl. nice group of approximately 22 covers with mixture of frankings (none with 1c), few different destinations incl. domestic, France, Canada and U.S., some flaws to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine, a phenomenal specialized collection*Not illustrated* E. 5,000-7,500
- 1432 **BELGIUM, Diamond of Dots Cancels Collection.** Pages containing 262 different numbers in diamond of dots cancels plus some duplication, on stamps from 1863-70 issues, some faults to be expected, appears Fine-Very Fine, a fun study, a total of 455 numbers were authorized so there is still opportunity to add to the collection*Not illustrated* E. 500-750
- 1433 **BELGIUM, Mourning Stamps.** Three-ring binder with hand-made pages of the 1934 Albert I mourning stamp (257) and Queen Astrid mourning stamps (B166-B168), for Albert I the collection includes an imperforate with top sheet margin, pages showing frameline breaks and varieties, few multiples incl. one with unlisted button variety, shades, for Queen Astrid the collection includes imperforate set with top sheet margins, unused and used blocks, sets on cover, various cancels, plate blocks of ten and few varieties, overall Fine-Very Fine, fascinating specialized collection*Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 1434 **BELGIUM, 1946, Reduced Denomination Issues.** Album with handmade quadrille pages showing the "-10%" handstamped overprints, mostly arranged by town with examples of the three denominations from each, also page with several other issues bearing the overprint, few covers, multiples and used, overall Fine-Very Fine and fascinating collection of these issues which were authorized as a means of using up existing stamps when the postal rate was lowered ..*Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500
- 1435 **BRAZIL, 1843, 30r-90r "Bullseyes" (1-3).** Complete used set, margins all around, first two thin spots, last closed scissors cut, Fine-Very Fine appearance, after the Great Britain 1p Black, this is the second earliest postage stamp issue of the world (there was an issue in the United States in 1842 for local mail delivery)**(Photo Ex)** 2,425.00
- 1436 **BURMA, India Used In.** Three stuffed three-ring binders containing approximately 185 covers or cards arranged by year of use, from 1885 thru 1941, range of stamps with some Postal Stationery, range of town markings incl. Kyawzan (registry label), Katha, nice group from Rangoon, several others, destinations incl. U.S., England, fair number of domestic uses, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, a fascinating group*Not illustrated* E. 2,000-3,000

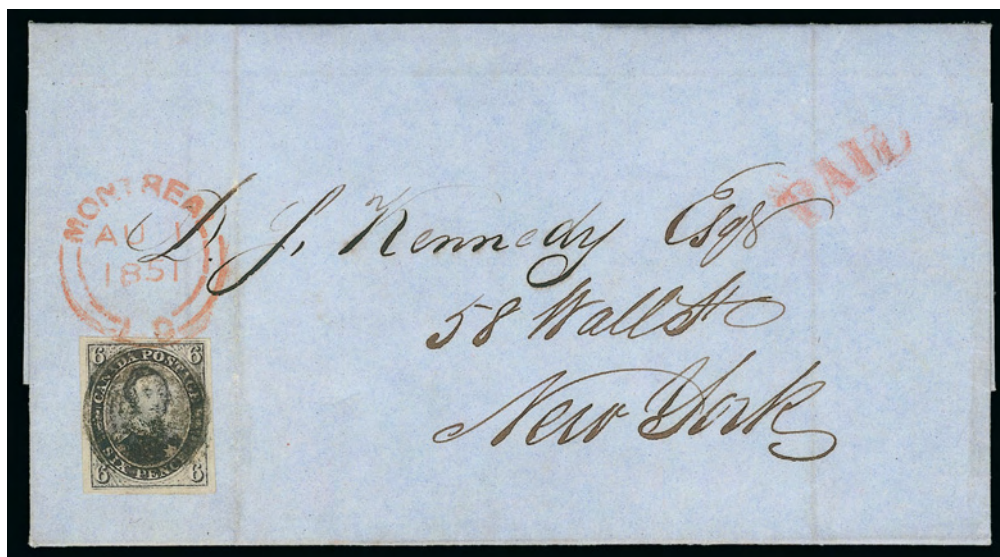
CANADA

- 1437 **Champlain & St. Lawrence Rail Road, Lower Canada.** Complete uncut sheet of six railroad banknotes, two of each denomination from 7½p to half dollar, printed by Rawdon, Wright & Hatch, New York, couple small flaws incl. small piece torn out in top left corner of pos. 2 (hinged in place), folded in half, Fine appearance, a nice piece E. 300-400



1438

- 1438 ☒ **1851, 3p Orange Vermilion (1a; SG 1a).** Horizontal pair, large margins to full, tied by targets, red "Montreal JU 24, 1852" circular datestamp on light blue cover to Walpole N.H., red "Canada" in arc, faint trace of gum on face, stamps lifted to confirm identification, left stamp small tear
VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN ATTRACTIVE USAGE OF A PAIR OF THE CANADA 3-PENCE ORANGE VERMILION SHADE ON A COVER TO THE UNITED STATES.
From the Miss Parkman correspondence. Ex Foxbridge. With 2011 P.F. certificate.... E. 2,000-3,000



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- 1439 ☒ **1851, 6p Grayish Purple, Laid (2; SG 2).** Large even margins, perfectly placed target cancel and tied by red "Montreal L.C. Au. 1, 1851" rimless circular datestamp on fresh blue folded letter to New York City, red cross-border "Paid" in arc, couple vertical file folds clear of stamp, Extremely Fine, a very early cross-border use of the 6p Grayish Purple (issued May 15)..... E. 1,500-2,000
- 1440 **1852, 3p Red, Thin Oily Paper (4d var).** Huge margins incl. part of three adjoining stamps, bold target cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, Scott Retail as normal thin wove paper **(Photo, p. 228)** 225.00
- 1441 **1897, \$4.00 Jubilee (64; SG 139).** Rich color, virtually face-free purple cancel, fresh and Very Fine, SG £600 **(Photo, p. 228)** 1,000.00
- 1442 ★ **1908, 50c Purple (95).** Magnificent margins and perfect centering, lightly hinged, rich color on bright white paper, Extremely Fine Gem, truly remarkable example of this difficult King Edward VII high value **(Photo, p. 228)** 650.00
- 1443 ★ **3c Carmine (109).** Eight different top imprint and plate no. strips of four or five, includes nos. A122, 156, 159, 160 and 162-164, virtually all stamps Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine..... E. 400-500
- 1444 ★★ **1911-25, 4c-\$1.00 Admiral (110-111, 113-122).** Mint N.H., incl. extra Nos. 116 and 119, fresh, Fine-Very Fine **(Photo Ex, p. 228)** 2,905.00
- 1445 ★★田 **1930-31, 50c Grand Pre (176).** Mint N.H. block of four, fresh and bright, Fine-Very Fine **(Photo, p. 228)** 1,500.00
- 1446 ★★ **Intact Booklets.** Five intact booklets, incl. Unitrade Nos. BK9a, BK4a, BK23b, BK20a and BK20b, usual small flaws, overall Fine-Very Fine, Unitrade C\$2,970.00..... *Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000
- 1447 ★ **1885, Red Weights and Measures, No Value (Van Dam FWM33).** Bottom right corner horizontal strip of ten with British American Bank Note Co. Montreal imprint at bottom, original gum, numbered "00191-00200", some hinge reinforced selvage separations, Fine, scarce and an attractive showpiece **(Photo, p. 228)** C\$ 500.00
- 1448 ★ **CANADA, Unused Accumulation.** Several hundred stamps, one of each to small quantities, wide ranging composition with some Small Queens (incl. 50c Widow Weeds), various Jubilee values incl. \$2.00 (possibly regummed) and \$3.00 unused (no gum), Maple Leafs incl ½c Proof and first issue 6c, King George V \$1.00 Admiral (two), some nice booklet panes and coils, better Pictorials, few Unitrade listed varieties, scattering of Air Post, Special Delivery, Postage Dues, some Small "OHMS" perfins and more, quite a large part Mint N.H., overall Fine-Very Fine with unusually higher quality than typically encountered, premium lot..... *Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500
- 1449 ★★ **CANADA, 1935-53 Issues.** Small lot of better Mint N.H. pictorials, incl. Nos. 223-227, 241-245, 257-262, 271-273, 294, 302, 465B and O32, generally one to three each to No. 302, thereafter 321 (17), 465B (eight plate blocks of four) and O32 (three singles and five plate blocks of four), Very Fine lot *Not illustrated* 2,012.25
- 1450 ★ **CANADA, Balance.** Stock pages of approximately 70 mostly unused stamps and a few proofs, incl. unused Nos. 38 (no gum), 51, 53-55, 57, 66 (11), 69, 73, 96-103, 125-130, 131-134, 158 (4), 217-227, C4, E6 (2), also block of four of No. 54, overall Fine-Very Fine..... *Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 1451 **CANADA AND PROVINCES, Collection.** Beautiful Scott three-ring-binder with slipcover of unused and used stamps, incl. few unused Jubilees such as 1c, 2c, 10c, 15c and 20c, several later issues are used, also incl. nice group of Newfoundland, few blocks and plate blocks of Canada at the end of the album, overall Fine-Very Fine *Not illustrated* E. 300-400

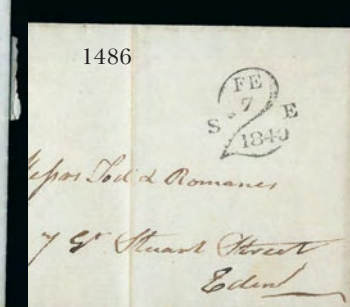
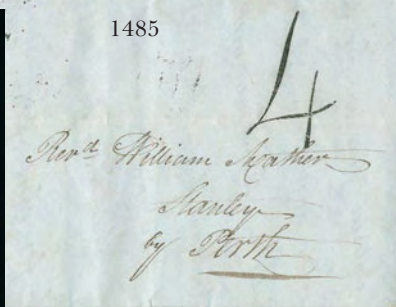
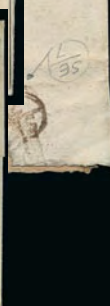
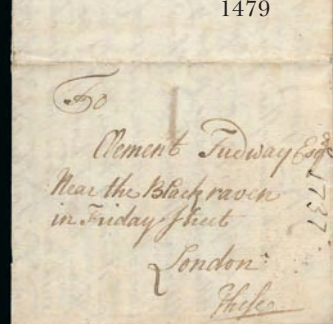
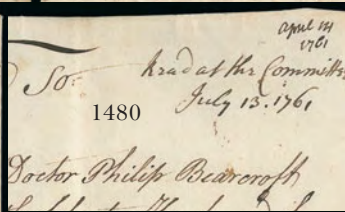
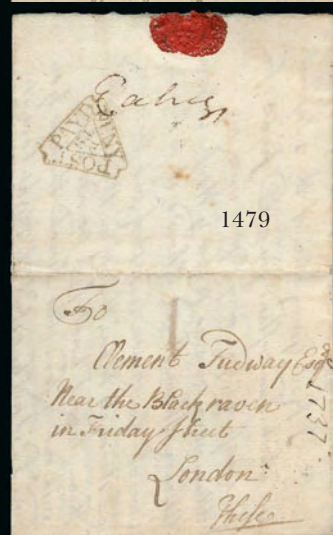
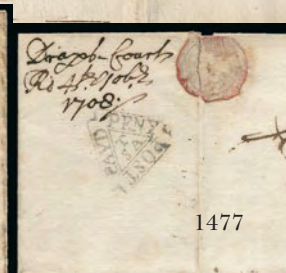
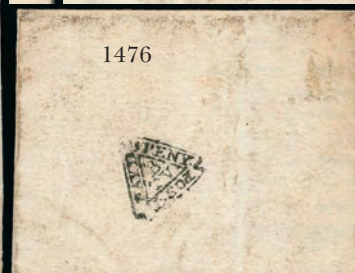
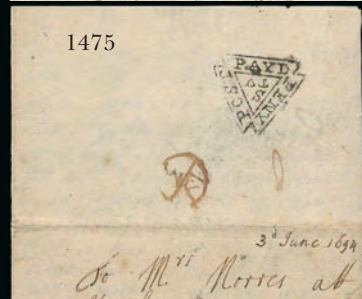
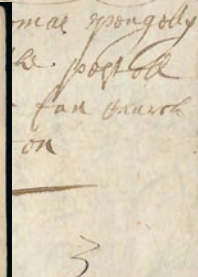
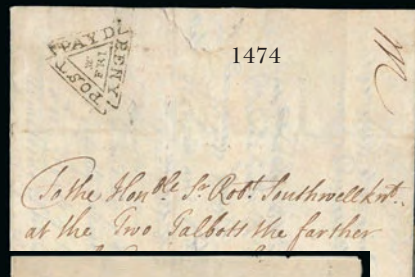
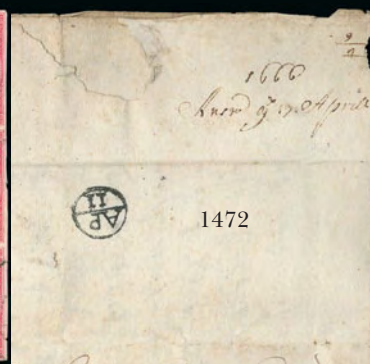
- 1452 **CAPE OF GOOD HOPE, 1855, 4p Blue (4; SG 6a).** Two, huge margins incl. one with **sheet margin at left**, rich colors, neat cancels, Extremely Fine, SG £120.....**(Photo, p. 228)** 130.00
- 1453 **CAPE OF GOOD HOPE, Triangles Collection.** Home made quadrille pages of approximately 78 used Triangles, range of shades and printings, all four denominations represented incl. ten 1sh, many with three margins, few flaws to be expected, many appear Fine-Very Fine, a nice collection*Not illustrated* E. 1,500-2,000
- 1454 ★田 **CHINA, 1897, 1c on 1c Green (25).** Block of four with **gutter margin** at left and also vertical strip of three, slightly toned original gum, few flaws incl. top pair in block with thin spots, some slight soiling, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles.....*Not illustrated* 420.00
- 1455 ★ **CHINA, 1897, 2c on 3c Red Revenue (80).** Original gum, h.r., rich color, Very Fine.....**(Photo, p. 228)** 450.00
- 1456 ☒ **COLOMBIA, 1892, 5c Orange Brown on Pale Buff, 10c Bister Brown on Rose (152, 153).** Horizontal pair of 5c, tied by large purple "Barranquilla 4 JUN 1895" double-circle datestamp on registered cover **to Honolulu, Hawaii**, Colombia and San Francisco registry labels, New York transit backstamp, also with red July 4 receiving double-circle datestamp, Very Fine, a very scarce use**(Photo, p. 228)** E. 500-750
- 1457 ☒ **CROATIA, 1945, Storm Trooper Souvenir Sheet (B76).** Tied "on cover" by Jan. 9, 1945 commemorative cancellations, Very Fine, although 2,500 sheets were printed, none are known to have passed through the mail, used are "favor" cancelled only, signed Dr. Rommerskirchen and GPSY**(Photo, p. 228)** 1,600.00
- 1458 ☒ **DENMARK, Stampless Covers.** Nine, incl. three straight lines, two to France (1807, 1812), Denmark via Hamburg, other "LAUENBOURG" (1835), other six are fancy Copenhagen time/date handstamps, all different years covering 1853-1858 to France, most from same correspondence, nice range of markings, Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* E. 200-300
- 1459 **FINLAND, 1929, 10m Light Brown & Black, Perforated 14½ x 14½ (108a).** Helsinki Nov. 8, 1929 circular datestamp, Very Fine, scarce variety.....**(Photo, p. 228)** 450.00
- 1460 ★★ **FRANCE, 1936, 50fr "Bank Note"(C15; Yvert PA15).** Mint N.H., slight toning apparent on gummed side, otherwise Very Fine, Yvert e1,500.....**(Photo, p. 228)** 1,150.00
- 1461 **FRANCE, 19th & 20th Century Accumulation.** Album pages and glassines covering a wide range of issues, unused incl. Nos. C15, C31, C32, used incl. 5fr Laureated, also few souvenir sheets such as PEXIP, French Colonies, some Indo-China, mixed condition, some Fine-Very Fine*Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500



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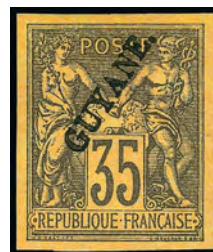
- 1462 ☒ **FRENCH COLONIES, 1859, 10c Bister on Yellowish (3).** Two horizontal pairs, large margins to clear, tied by "CCH" lozenge cancels, blue "**Corr. D. Armees Saigon 28 Aout 64**" military octagonal datestamp on blue cover to Paris, France, red boxed "PD" handstamp, endorsed "*Vie Anglaise a Suez*" at lower left, receiving backstamp, some slight wear, Very Fine, attractive and scarce use of 10c Eagle multiple for the double 20c military rate to France, ex Vogel..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1463 ☒ **FRENCH COLONIES, 1859, 40c Orange on Yellowish (5).** Large margins, rich color, used with **1859, 10c Bister on Yellowish (3)**, tied by lozenge-Terre, Guadeloupe, 27 Juin 1863" rimless circular datestamp on cover to France, clear strike of "**Apres le Depart**" boxed handstamp, fresh and Very Fine, scarce with the auxiliary marking which indicates it did not make its intended ship, this is also an early use of the marking, ex Vogel E. 200-300



- 1464 ☒ **FRENCH COLONIES, 1859, 40c Orange on Yellowish (5).** Large margins, used with **1859, 10c Bister and 1865, 20c Blue (3, 4)**, each tied by well-struck lozenge cancel, "Reunion, St. Denis, 30 Sep. 70" double-circle datestamp on blue folded letter to **Port Louis, Mauritius**, red boxed "PD" handstamp, horizontal file fold well clear of stamps, Very Fine, a colorful franking for the 70c British Packet rate, ex Vogel..... E. 500-750
- 1465 ☒ **FRENCH COLONIES, 1873, 80c Rose on Pinkish (23).** Block of nine, huge margins to barely touched incl. significant portion of adjoining stamps at left, few strikes of "Cayenne 2 JAN 79" double-circle datestamps, few flaws incl. vertical crease affecting center row and light creases and small tears, appears Very Fine, scarce large multiple of the 80c, purple Marchand backstamp, Scott Retail as singles 1,260.00
- 1466 ☒ **FRENCH GUIANA, Stampless Covers.** 23, incl. one from 1828, 1833, 1836, few from 1839, nice group from 1840's and 1850's, all going to France, range of rates and other markings incl. "Guyane Francaise" in both red and black, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* E. 500-750
- 1467 ☒ **FRENCH GUIANA, Covers.** 17 covers bearing a wide range of stamps, incl. pair of French Colonies No. 1 with No. 3 on folded printed circular to Bordeaux, Nos. 3 and 14 to Dordogne, Nos. 11 and 13 on cover to Bordeaux, Nos. 10, 13 and 19 to Bordeaux, several other better, overall Fine-Very Fine, fascinating group.....*Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500
- 1468 **FRENCH GUIANA, Stamp Balance.** Collection of approximately 72 used French Colonies stamps, mostly mounted on quadrille pages, incl. block of six of No. 3, pair of No. 9 and also single of same used on piece with No. 14, several No. 13, cancels incl. lozenges in black and blue, few different Cayenne markings, also with French Guiana No. 4 with corner sheet margin, few small flaws to be expected, overall a fresh and Fine-Very Fine group*Not illustrated* E. 200-300



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- 1469 ★ **FRENCH GUIANA, 1892, 2c Green on Greenish (12).** Horizontal pair, large margins, unused (no gum), bright color, Very Fine and choice, Brun backstamps and also signed, Scott Retail as singles 1,500.00
- 1470 ★ **FRENCH GUIANA, 1892, 35c Black on Orange (14).** Large margins all around, unused (no gum), rich color, Very Fine and choice, a scarce issue, three backstamp (including Brun) 2,500.00
- 1471 **GERMANY AND AREAS, 19th & 20th Century.** Accumulation of unused and used stamps, incl. German States, few souvenir sheets incl. Ostropa (toned), also Offices in China and Turkey, Cameroon, Carolina, Togo, mixed condition, few Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000

GREAT BRITAIN

- 1472 ☒ **"Yarmouth April 9th 1666".** Dateline on folded letter to London, bold "AP/11" in circle bishop's marking, some slight wear, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1473 ☒ **PENNY POST PAYD W/FRI.** Clear strike of triangular handstamp on side flap of folded letter with remarkably neat handwriting to Strand, clear "W A f l" handstamp, light horizontal file fold, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1474 ☒ **PENNY POST PAYD.** Clear strike of triangular handstamp on folded letter datelined "House of Commons Jovis 23rd May 1689" and addressed to St. James's, contents lists various items before the House, also with "AF" in circle handstamp, light file folds, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1475 ☒ **PENNY POST PAYD S/TU.** Bold strike of triangular handstamp on June 3, 1694 folded letter to an address near Liverpool, bishop's marking handstamp, minor wear, Very Fine and attractive use E. 400-500
- 1476 ☒ **PENNY POST PAYD ?/TU.** Bold strike of triangular handstamp on back of folded letter datelined "London 24th July 1705" to Lord Winsor in Chelsea, some overall soiling, still Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1477 ☒ **PENNY POST PAYD T/SA.** Clear strike of triangular handstamp on back of folded letter datelined "Cliffords Sat. 4th Dec. 1708" to Lothbury, light vertical file fold, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1478 ☒ **PENNY POST PAYD W/SAT.** Clear strike of triangular handstamp on back of folded cover, partial strike of "SE/7" bishop's marking, some soiling, Very Fine E. 200-300

- 1479 ☒ **PENNY POST PAYD, W/TH.** Clear strike of triangular handstamp on folded letter datelined "Ealing May 5, 1737" to London, "1" rate, Very Fine.....(Photo, p. 232) E. 200-300
- 1480 ☒ **PENNY POST PAID P/WE.** Bold strike of triangular handstamp on folded cover to London, various docketing incl. "Wednesday July 8th 10 O'Clock" at lower left, Very Fine...(Photo, p. 232) E. 200-300
- 1481 ☒ **PENNY POST PAYD T/FR.** Bold strike of triangular handstamp on back of folded letter datelined "Highgate July 31st 1767" and addressed to a hospital, also with "9 O'Clock" handstamp, Very Fine(Photo, p. 232) E. 200-300
- 1482 ☒ **PENNY POST PAYD H/TH.** Clear strike of triangular handstamp on back of folded letter datelined "Whitechapel Dec. 3rd 1777" to the Foundling Hospital, endorsed "P. Post Decr. 3d", light strike of "3 O'Clock" handstamp, Very Fine(Photo, p. 232) E. 200-300
- 1483 ☒ **PENNY POST NOT PAID.** Clear strike of handstamp on folded letter datelined "Aberdeen 17 Sept. 1782" to a coppersmith in London, light vertical file fold well away from marking, Very Fine(Photo, p. 232) E. 200-300
- 1484 ☒ **London "Dockwra" Handstamp, ca. 1780's.** "Penny Post Paid/W/MO" (Westminster depot, Monday) government-type triangular handstamp and small circular "1/O'Clock T" datestamp on back of folded cover to Chumery Lane, mostly clear strikes, Very Fine, this version of the famous "Dockwra" handstamp was used from 1752 to 1794, the original "Dockwra" is one of the first handstamps in the world to denote prepayment of postage at a uniform fee.....(Photo, p. 232) E. 300-400
- 1485 ☒ **Stanley/Penny Post.** Clear strike of two-line handstamp on folded letter, red "Glasgow DE 13, 1839" and "Dec. 14 1839" backstamps as well as red boxed "26" backstamp, addressed to "Stanley, by Perth", neat "4" handstamp, fresh and Very Fine.....(Photo, p. 232) E. 200-300
- 1486 ☒ **2 FE 7 1840 SE.** Clear strike of rate handstamp with integrated date on folded cover to Edinburgh, light vertical file fold well clear of marking, Very Fine, scarce and unusual marking(Photo, p. 232) E. 750-1,000



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- 1487 **1840, 1p Black (1; SG 2).** Plate 1b, AK, large margins, tied by red Maltese Cross handstamp on cover front only with top flap to Edinburgh, back with Sept. 18, 1840 origination datestamp, Very Fine, also accompanied by horizontal pair of 2p Blue (4; SG 14) tied on 1849 folded cover to Northampton.....(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 1488 **1840, 2p Blue (2; SG 5).** RK, huge margins incl. part of adjoining stamp at top, rich color, neat strike of Maltese Cross cancel, Extremely Fine, SG £675 800.00
- 1489 **1840, 2p Blue (2; SG 5).** MH, huge margins to clear incl. part of adjoining stamp at bottom, rich color, neat Maltese Cross cancel, fresh and Very Fine, SG £675..... 800.00
- 1490 **1840, 2p Blue (2; SG 5).** Horizontal pair, GE-GF, large to huge margins incl. part of adjoining stamp at right, attractive color on bright paper nicely complemented by **red Maltese Cross** cancels, Very Fine and choice, SG £1,350 with no premium for the red cancels, Scott Retail also with no premium for the red cancels 1,600.00
- 1491 **1840, 2p Blue (2; SG 4).** Horizontal pair, FD-FE, large margins to full, intense shade and impression, neat Maltese Cross cancels, Very Fine and choice, SG £1,800 1,600.00



- 1492 ☒ **Covers to Mexico.** Four items, first bears horizontal strip of three of 2p Blue on cut-out from printed matter wrapper with printed address; second is 1858 folded letter bearing two 1sh, 2p and 1p stamps from Glasgow to Mexico; third bears 1p on 1851 front only from London to Durango; fourth with two 1p and 10p stamps tied by "Manchester 17 JU 76" duplex cancels to Puebla, neat "25cs" handstamp for postage due, endorsed "*pr French packet*", few minor flaws but overall Fine-Very Fine.....(Photo Ex) E. 500-750
- 1493 ☒ **1847, 1sh Green (5; SG 54).** Horizontal pair, large margins to just in, cancelled by "466" barred ovals on blue folded cover to Boston Mass., neat "Liverpool F.R.H. JU 7, 1856" backstamp, red "5 Cents" credit, large Boston receiving datestamp, right stamp affected by light vertical file fold, left stamp with pre-use vertical crease, appears Very Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate.... E. 750-1,000
- 1494 ☒ **1855, 4p Rose on White (22; SG 63).** Horizontal pair, tied by "Kirkcaldy OC 21 1859" and "210" in bars datestamp on blue folded letter to **Amsterdam**, endorsed "*Via Ostend*" at upper left, London and receiving backstamps, small tape stain at top, otherwise Very Fine, scarce, SG £650 for single used on cover..... E. 300-400
- 1495 ☒ **1855, 4p Rose on White (23; SG 64).** Horizontal pair, tied by "Kirkcaldy DE 11, 1857" and "210" in bars datestamp on blue folded letter to **Amsterdam**, endorsed "*Via Ostend*" at upper left, London and receiving backstamps, light vertical file fold well away from stamps, Very Fine, scarce, SG £550 for a single used on cover..... E. 300-400
- 1496 **1864, 1p Rose Red (33; SG 43).** Pages containing used single and arranged by plate, plates complete from 71 thru 225 (less Plate 77 of course), some flaws to be expected, still overall Fine-Very Fine and attractive groupNot illustrated 2,030.00
- 1497 ☒ **1865, 1sh Green (48; SG 101).** Tied by barred oval handstamp on **mourning** cover to Limerick, neat strike of "Panama ? MR 20 71" circular datestamp and receiving datestamp of April 12, large "6" handstamp and also with "**Insufficiently Prepaid**" handstamp, London transit backstamp, missing part of top flap, some edge flaws, still Fine, scarce use, SG as on on cover..... £ 350.00
- 1498 ☒ **1865, 1sh Green (48; SG 101).** Horizontal pair, **used with 1p Rose Red (33; SG 43)**, tied by "466" in barred ovals, "Liverpool 10 JU 73" circular datestamps on part-printed folded letter to **Vera Cruz, Mexico**, neat "2" reales due marking, fresh and Very Fine, scarce use..... E. 500-750



- 1499 **1888, £1 Brown Violet (123).** Rich color, choice centering, few faults incl. creases, appears Very Fine, SG £3,250..... 4,250.00
- 1500 **1913, £1 Seahorse (176; SG 403).** Choice centering with wide margins, rich color on bright paper, clear strike of 1915 London circular datestamp, Extremely Fine, SG £1,250 ... 1,550.00
- 1501 ☒ **1849, 1p Black, Mulready Letter Sheet (U3).** A76, cancelled by "312" in barred oval handstamp to Fairford, neat "Gloucester AU 23, 1845, transit and receiving backstamps, some slight wear, still Very Fine, very scarce cancelled with the barred oval handstamp, this is usually seen cancelled by the Maltese Cross, SG £425 with no premium for the cancel, Scott Retail with no premium for the cancel 500.00
- 1502 ★田 **BRITISH OFFICES IN MOROCCO, 1925-31, 2sh6p, 5sh Sea Horses (218-219; SG 53-54).** Complete sheets of 40 with selvage all around, rich colors, many stamps Mint N.H., each with waterstaining at bottom affecting approximately five stamps on each, few flaws, appear Fine-Very Fine, SG £3,800*Not illustrated* 4,200.00
- 1503 ★★田 **BRITISH OFFICES IN MOROCCO, 1935-36, 2½p Ultramarine (231).** Mint N.H. block of 60 with selvage at right and bottom, deep rich color, fresh and Very Fine ...*Not illustrated* 6,600.00
- 1504 **BRITISH OFFICES IN MOROCCO, Multiples.** Nice group of multiples of British Offices in Morocco, incl. blocks of 60 of Nos. 221, 222, 232, 237 and 239, few others, also blocks of 20 of Nos. 218 and 219, few French Currency, some Tangier ovpt. incl. Nos. 505-507 in blocks of 60, few flaws as normally seen on larger multiples, many Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail approximately*Not illustrated* 4,900.00
- 1505 ☒ **BRITISH FORCES IN EGYPT.** Three covers, each with clear "Egypt Postage Prepaid" double-circle with crown handstamp ("6", "24" and "6") and M.P.O. Alexandria or Cairo circular datestamp, back of each with "British Forces in Egypt Letter Seal" or "Letter Stamp" affixed over flap (SG A1, A8 and A9 respectively), some opening tears at top, one more pronounced than the others, otherwise Very Fine**(Photo Ex)** E. 200-300
- 1506 ☒ **PAID AT HONG KONG.** Crowned circle handstamp in red (Ty. CC3) on orange cover to **Bombay, India**, neat "Hong Kong 15 JA 1859" and receiving backstamps, red "4" crayon rate, slightly reduced at left, Very Fine, late use of the marking E. 200-300
- 1507 **HUNGARY, First Madonna Issue, 1921-26.** Range of material mounted as an exhibit on 25 pages, plus approx. 24 addl. covers, focuses on two-currency frankings with many unusual examples, largely covers but also includes the Black Die Proof and stamps with imperforates and perforated, plate varieties, shades, etc., an attractive and useful group which could form the basis of a new single-frame exhibit*Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000
- 1508 **JAPAN, 1872, ½s Brown on Wove Paper, Top Character in Left Label Missing Two Diagonal Top Strokes (9a).** Light cork cancel, Very Fine 1,250.00



- 1509 **MALAYSIA, Kelantan, 1922, 4c-\$5.00 "MALAYA BORNEO EXHIBITION" (3a/23a; SG 30-38).** Used set, neat unobtrusive strikes of circular datestamp, Fine-Very Fine, no doubt CTO but still very nice, SG £1,100.....(Photo Ex) 1,275.00
- 1510 **MALAYSIA, Pahang, 1891, 2c on 24c Green (10; SG 10).** Rich color, cancelled by neat strike of mute Pahang P.O. handstamp, Very Fine, scarce, with 2005 B.P.A. certificate, SG £1,100 1,250.00
- 1511 **MALAYSIA, Pahang, 1897, 2c on Half of 5c Blue (21; SG 18).** Tied on small piece by handstamp, fresh and Very Fine, with 2005 B.P.A. certificate, SG £400..... 450.00
- 1512 **MALAYSIA, Japanese Occupation of Malacca, 1942, 12c Blue Violet, Postage Due (NJ5; SG JD15).** Clear handstamp, neat double-circle datestamp cancel, Very Fine, scarce, with 2005 B.P.A. certificate, SG £650 725.00
- 1513 **MALAYSIA, Japanese Occupation of Pahang, Perak, 1942, Postage Dues.** Six used stamps, incl. SG Nos. 176b, 185a, 192b, 194a, 198a and 200b, each with neat cancel, fresh and Fine-Very Fine group, each with 2005 B.P.A. certificate, SG value £ 1,470.00
- 1514 ★ **MEXICO, 1872, 50c Blue Error of Color (90a, 102b).** One of each, first original gum, slightly irregular perfs as always, fresh and Extremely Fine, second unused (no gum), typical rough margins, well-centered and Very Fine(Photo Ex) 975.00
- 1515 ☒ **MOROCCO, Zeppelin Flight Covers.** Four, incl. one with 1sh and 3p Morocco Agencies stamps tied by "Tangier 22 JU 33" oval datestamps to Brazil; another with pair of 1p on 1p and 40c on 4p used on May 25, 1933 to Pernambuco, Brazil; another with 1sh, two 6p, 25c on 2½p and 15c on 1½p used on Sept. 13, 1933 to Pernambuco; last with blocks of four of 2p and 1½p "Tangier" ovpt. used with single 1p to Rio de Janeiro on Oct. 4, 1944, each with clear strikes of cachets and appropriate transit markings, fresh and Very Fine groupNot illustrated E. 1,000-1,500
- 1516 **NATAL, 1902, £5 Black & Violet (98; SG 144).** Rich colors, neat strike of "Durban, Natal JU 3 05" double-circle datestamp, fresh and Fine, SG £700 825.00
- 1517 ★ **NATAL, 1908, £1 10sh Violet & Orange Brown on Chalky Paper (109; SG 162).** Lightly hinged, brilliant colors, fresh and Fine, SG £1,300 2,000.00
- 1518 ★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1870, 6c Dull Rose (35).** 62, blocks of four or larger, Mint N.H., incl. block of 19 with top and right imprint selvage, Fine, not often seen in large multiples and especially in post office Mint N.H. conditionNot illustrated 2,325.00
- 1519 ★★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1894, 6c Carmine Lake (36).** 35, incl. pairs, strips and blocks, one strip of five with full top imprint, Mint N.H., fresh, strong color, all Fine-Very Fine or better, lovely lot.....Not illustrated 2,537.50
- 1520 ★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1887, 3c Umber Brown (51).** 66, singles and blocks of four, o.g., virtually all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine lotNot illustrated 4,125.00

- 1521 ★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1887-96, ½c Rose Red, Orange Red, Black (56-58).** 64, eight and 130 respectively, virtually all in pairs, strips and blocks incl. block of 50 with bottom imprint of No. 58, also incl. twelve No. 46 and two blocks of four No. 55, o.g., virtually all Mint N.H., nearly all Fine-Very Fine with one of the No. 55 blocks (Mint N.H.) particularly attractive, Scott Retail in excess of \$5,500.00.....*Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000
- 1522 ★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1897-1901, ½c-5c Royalty (78-79, 81-82, 85).** No. 78 Mint N.H. sheet of 100, No. 79 506 Mint N.H. examples incl. three sheets of 100, No. 81 302 Mint N.H. examples with two sheets of 100, No. 82 block of 72 and No. 85 two sheets of 100, these last two unused (no gum) with some minor light gum staining, nearly all Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail for the Mint N.H. part about \$6,500.00, the no gum part over \$10,000.00*Not illustrated* E. 1,500-2,000
- 1523 ★★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1c, 2c Guy, Lithographed (87, 87 var., 87b, 87b var., 88, 88a).** Accumulation, incl. five sheets of 100 No. 87b plus blocks of 30 and 50, each of the sheets incl. the “NFW” error, complete sheet of 100 No. 87, also with error, Nos. 88 and 88a blocks of ten and 20 respectively, all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail only prices the error stamps in hinged condition.....*Not illustrated* 5,270.50
- 1524 ★★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1928, 1c-30c Pictorials (145-150, 152-157, 159).** Over 700 stamps in various quantities, from 17 to about 120, generally 25 to 75 each, incl. pairs, blocks and part sheets, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 6,885.90
- 1525 ★★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1921-31, 1c-15c Pictorials (163-170).** Approximately 700 stamps, 100 to 158 each of 1c-5c, twelve to 40 each of 6c-15c, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 5,621.25
- 1526 ★★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, Omnibus Issues.** 1935 Silver Jubilee with over 900 stamps in various quantities, at least 160 complete sets, 120 of which are in complete sheets of 60, 1937 Coronation with fairly even quantities of 165 of each value, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 6,349.80
- 1527 ★★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1941-47, 1c-48c Pictorials (253-270).** Nearly 3,000 Mint N.H. stamps, generally 60 to 200 of each with a couple in higher quantities, quite a number of complete sheets, some with plate nos., also sheets or blocks containing 38 gutter pairs of No. 267 (CS No. 267i), ten of these are folded between one stamp and gutter, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail about \$2,900.00 not including Canadian Specialized premium for gutters and plate blocks... *Not illustrated* E. 500-750
- 1528 ★★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, Air Post Accumulation, 1931-33.** Over 500 Mint N.H. stamps, incl. Nos. C6-C7, C9-C10, C13-C14 and C17, quantities range from about 15 to over 180 of each, also incl. 149 of No. C19, all in large multiples or complete sheets, Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 15,110.50
- 1529 ★★ **NEWFOUNDLAND, 1939-49, 1c-10c Postage Due (J1a-J6).** Well over 1,000 Mint N.H. stamps, 360 of No. J1a, 129 to 172 each of others, all in large blocks, part and complete sheets, fresh, Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 12,262.50

1530



- 1530 **NEW BRUNSWICK, 1860, 5c Connell, 10c Queen Victoria, Se-Tenant Trial Color Plate Proof on India Paper (5TC, 9TC).** 53 x 24mm with wide gutter between, printed in deep blue with card backing, diagonal broken crease from about middle of gutter to about middle of the Connell stamp, otherwise Very Fine, very rare proof from the Sir Gawaine Baillie collection, Connell, a provincial postmaster, had his own portrait engraved on the 5c stamp instead of Queen Victoria, once this was discovered the entire printing of the Connell stamp was seized and destroyed although a few escaped destruction and today are very rare and much sought-after stamps..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1531 ★ **NEW BRUNSWICK, 1860-63, 1c-17c Pictorials (6-8, 10-11).** Accumulation of over 400 stamps, incl. 237 and 183 respectively of the 2c and 5c, unused (no gum), incl. complete sheets of 2c (no selva) and 5c, other three values virtually all o.g. with a few Mint N.H., about 40 of each, incl. 1c blocks of four and eight with full imprint selva, 12½c handsome top right corner selva block of 30, 17c with six blocks of four and block of 16, o.g. but with some light black offset, generally Fine-Very Fine, more than just a wholesale accumulation due to the scarce large multiples that will surely “dress up” an exhibit collection of this Canadian Maritime Province, approximate Scott Retail as original gum \$14,000.00*Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500
- 1532 ★★ **NOVA SCOTIA, 1860-63, 1c Black, 8½c Green, 12½c Black (8, 11, 13).** 175 evidently all Mint N.H. stamps, 83, 68 and 24 of each respectively, singles, pairs, blocks of four and larger, incl. blocks of 24 and half sheet of 50 of 1c and block of 24 of 12½c, several selva imprints, Fine-Very Fine, nice lot with several attractive items for display.....*Not illustrated* 4,018.00

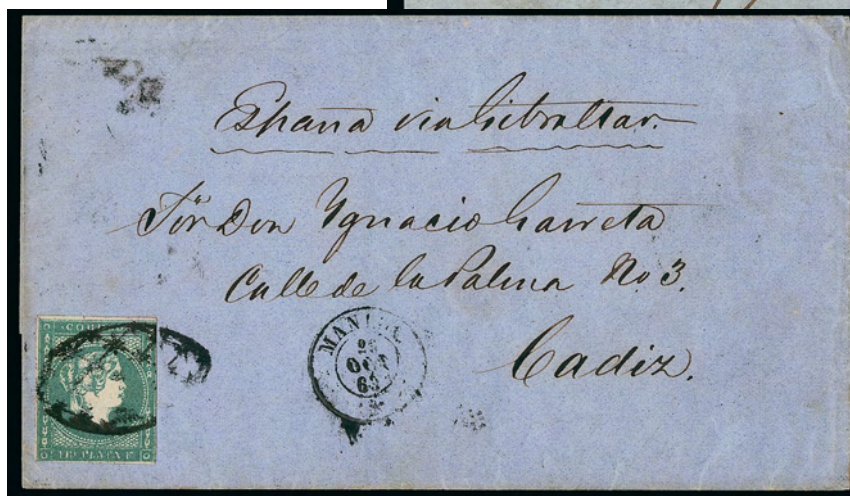
PHILIPPINES



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- 1533 ☒ **PHILIPPINES, 1856, 2r Carmine (9).** Large and even margins all around, deep rich color, tied by parrilla handstamp, "Manila Iss. Filips. 5 JUL 1856" double-circle datestamp on folded letter to **San Sebastian, Spain**, neat Cadiz and receiving backstamps, fresh and Very Fine double-weight use E. 500-750
- 1534 **PHILIPPINES, 1859, 5c Vermilion (10).** Horizontal strip of three with **unusual wide spacing** between right stamps, vibrant color, huge margins to just barely in at upper right, tied by "Manila Iss. Filips. 20 SET 1859" double-circle datestamp on locally-addressed cover front only, few light folds not affect stamps, Very Fine and unusual triple-rate local use E. 1,000-1,500
- 1535 ☒ **PHILIPPINES, 1863, 1r Gray Green (18).** Large margins to just in, tied by neat strike of parrilla handstamp, "Manila 23 OCT 63" double-circle datestamp on blue folded cover to **Cadiz, Spain**, endorsed "*Espana via Gibraltar*" at top and carried via Suez and Gibraltar, receiving backstamp of Algeciras, fresh and Very Fine single-weight rate use to Spain..... E. 750-1,000



1536



1537

- 1536 ☒ **PHILIPPINES, 1871, 5c Blue (39).** Tied on top flap of cover by parrilla handstamp, "Manila 13 MAR 71" double-circle datestamp on folded letter to Lingayen, endorsed "Pangasinan" at top (province containing Lingayen), cover tear at top, some slight wear, some minor soiling around perfs, still Very Fine and early use of the new denominations E. 500-750
- 1537 ☒ **PHILIPPINES, 1872, 12c Rose (43).** Bright color, tied by "Prov. De La Union Arinhay" with crown handstamp, "Manila ? OCT 7?" double-circle datestamp on small folded cover, docketing indicates date is Oct. 12, 1874, some slight wear, Very Fine and desirable use from Arinhay to Manila, the municipal crown cancel is scarce E. 750-1,000



1538

1538°✉ **PHILIPPINES, 1864-74, 12-4/8c Blue, 12c Gray Lilac (23, 37, 48).** Large margins, cancelled by oval handstamps, 12c tied by octagonal "Certif" handstamp on registered cover to Manila, **sent from Mariana Islands**, neat "Manila 28 SET 77" double-circle datestamp, missing top flap, defective at left

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- 1539 **PORTUGAL, Stockbook.** 244 stamps in stockbook, mostly used before 1930, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail approximately \$1,300.00.....*Not illustrated* E. 200-300
- 1540 ★ **PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND, Accumulation, 1862-72.** Over 1,000 stamps neatly arranged on stock sheets, incl. Nos. 5-6 and 9-16, only five of No. 13, between 14 to 41 each of Nos. 6, 9-10, 115 to 235 each of others, incl. complete sheet of 100 of No. 16, virtually all o.g. with many Mint N.H., of note is a very nice No. 10 original gum block of six (three Mint N.H.), overall Fine-Very Fine with some in higher grade, accumulations such as this from this small Canadian Maritime Province are rarely seen.....*Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500
- 1541 **ROMANIA, Collection, 1866-1994.** Nine volumes of unused and used stamps, incl. nice group of Semi-Postals with few miniature sheets, great selection of Topicals, most Fine-Very Fine, great comprehensive collection.....*Not illustrated* E. 400-500
- 1542 ★ **SAMOA, 1914, 3sh on 3m Black Violet (112; SG 113).** H.r., rich color, small thin spot at top edge, still Very Fine, scarce, two backstamps, with 1985 Kilian certificate, SG £1,400 1,200.00
- 1543 ★ **SAMOA, Balance.** Six unused stamps on old Stampazine lot cards, incl. Nos. 101c (BPA cert), 180, 200-202, also unlisted £20 Black & Yellow, overall Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail for listed*Not illustrated* 1,710.00
- 1544 ☒ **TUSCANY, 1851-57, 9cr Gray Lilac, 2cr Greenish Blue (8, 13a).** Vertical pair of 9cr, large margins to in, tied by indistinct strikes of "Firenze 17 OTT 1858" double-circle datestamps, additional clear strike at right, on folded letter to **Norfolk, Virginia**, boxed "PD" handstamp, red "Br. Service" handstamp, red "Boston Paid 15 Nov. 5" credit circular datestamp also ties 2cr stamp, French transit, few small flaws, appears Fine, scarce franking..... E. 500-750
- 1545 **VICTORIA, 1858, 6p Blue (30; SG 73).** Horizontal strip of three, horizontal pair and six singles, Perkins & Bacon London printing, used with **three each of 3p Blue and 1sh Blue (SG 48, 81)**, 3p stamps J. S. Campbell printing, Pos. 5-6-1, straddling two transfer groups of 24, tied by "1" in grid cancels on cover front only to New York, sender's route directive "*Via Marseilles*", red "London MY 16, 1859" circular datestamp, red "96" (cents) and "4/-" (shilling) credit markings to the United States for 6 x 16c by American packet, "30" due marking applied in New York for 6 x 5c U.S. internal rate also ties a stamp, one stamp missing from lower left (most likely a 6p), file folds affect most stamps which also have other flaws, otherwise Very Fine, a spectacular appearing front which is the highest franking we have encountered on a Victoria cover E. 1,500-2,000
- 1546 ☒ **VICTORIA, Clipper Ship Covers.** Six covers, franked with Victoria 6p incl two with pairs, ships incl. *Invincible*, *Jeddo*, *Marco Polo*, *Mermaid*, *Ocean Chief* and *Sardinian*, destinations to London and Scotland, Very Fine group.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 750-1,000

FOREIGN COLLECTIONS AND ACCUMULATIONS

- 1547 ★★ **British Commonwealth Silver Jubilee Omnibus, 1935.** 62 different sets, Mint N.H., some occasional very light gum toning with the exception of Australia which shows on the front, others visually appear as if they were issued yesterday, Fine-Very Fine lot E. 400-500
- 1548 ★★田 **1937 Coronation Omnibus Issue.** Accumulation of mostly Mint N.H. corner selva blocks of four, few faulty but most Fine-Very Fine, we don't know if this is a complete set but there are enough to make us think it's close, also incl. small book with singles hinged in place..... E. 300-400
- 1549 ★ **1948 Silver Wedding Omnibus.** 136 Mint N.H. stamps, lacking only two North Borneo stamps to be complete, fresh and Fine-Very Fine..... E. 500-750
- 1550 **Accumulation.** Group of unused and used stamps in glassines, wide range of countries represented, incl. D.W.I., Poland No. 1, some New Zealand, Australia and States, few Germany, Japan, Switzerland, Italy and many others, also few covers, some flaws, some Fine-Very Fine, a treasure trove of medium-catalogue value stamps in mixed condition .. E. 1,000-1,500
- 1551 **Worldwide Accumulation.** Small carton consisting of six old-time albums or stock books, mostly full of kiloware but one album is better with U.S. used Nos. 1, 9, some Bank Notes, Columbians, Pan-Americans and few other better, foreign countries with some China such as No. 78 used, few other better, mixed condition, some Fine-Very Fine..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1552 **Worldwide Accumulation, 19th & 20th Century.** Massive accumulation in five cartons of unused and used stamps, housed in glassines, boxes, stockbooks, album pages and the occasional album, better organized than most in file folders by country, stockbook of Greece, mixed condition with some Fine-Very Fine, a great winter project..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1553 **Accumulation.** Carton of unused and used stamps and also some covers, wide range of items incl. some U.S. such as face, unused 1c and 15c Columbians, used 2c 1869 Pictorial, Montserrat No. 84, John Glenn signature on Project Mercury sheet, some items relating to U.S. Marines, few G.B. sheets, somewhat mixed condition but better items are generally Fine-Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1554 **Worldwide Accumulation.** Three albums and stock pages of unused and used stamps, mostly childhood albums but few better items on the stock pages incl. nice St. Helena, Barbados, Angola, mixed condition, some Fine-Very Fine..... E. 500-750
- 1555 **Accumulation.** Album pages of various countries, mostly from very old album that was cut apart, range of countries incl. Mauritius, few from South and Central America, some Barbados, Bermuda, mixed condition, few may be Fine-Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 1556 **Foreign Balance.** Small group of mostly unused stamps on Regency lot cards or in glassines, different countries incl. Belgium, New Zealand, Ross Dependency, overall Fine-Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 1557 P **British Commonwealth Proofs.** Two items, incl. Mauritius 1p and 2p "POST OFFICE MAURITIUS" compound die proof on stout wove paper in black (1TC-2TC), most likely a reprint but prepared a long, long time ago, light folds and corner crease far from die sinkage area; New Zealand 2p Black plate proof on card, complete sheet of 120, Design A1 and presumably 2TC although exact attribution is unknown, impressions vary across the sheet although majority of them are very clear, generally Very Fine, unusual lot from an old-time holding..... E. 300-400
- 1558 ★ **British North America, 19th & 20th Century.** Well-maintained collection of unused and used stamps on stock pages, incl. some earlier issues such as Canada used Nos. 4, 14 (2), 17, 18 (2), 19, 20, 23, 23a, 24, 26, 27, 27c, 28, 29b, unused Nos. 8, 46, 47, 50-64 (\$2.00 and \$4.00 with "Specimen" ovpt.), 149-159, 162-177, some perforation varieties such as 141a, 147a, 147c, 148a, 153b, Canada blocks of four, also some nice Newfoundland incl. Nos. 73, C2, C3, C6-C19, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 1559 **Collection, 19th & 20th Century.** Massive collection housed in ten Minkus Supreme Global Stamp albums, phenomenal range of countries represented, far more complete than normally seen, many better countries incl. Austria, Belgium, some nice China, Czechoslovakia, Denmark, France, Germany, G.B. incl. Penny Black, Russia, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey, many others, some faults to be expected, some Fine-Very Fine, an impressive and extensive collection E. 4,000-5,000

- 1560 ★ **Foreign Collection, 19th & 20th Century.** Wonderfully organized collection of unused stamps on stock pages, wide range of countries represented, incl. nice Australia, Bermuda with Nos. 118-128, Falkland Islands with some early issues and also Nos. 22-29, 30-39, 41-48, 65-74, 84-96, 107-120 and 128-142, Falkland Islands Dependencies incl. Nos. 1L1-1L8 in blocks of four, 1L19-1L33, some New Zealand, New Guinea incl. Nos. C28-C43 and C46-C59, Niger Coast Protectorate Nos. 43-48, Northern Rhodesia 25/45, North Borneo, nice group of Omnibus issues with 1935 Silver Jubilee, 1937 Coronation, U.P.U., Papua with Nos. 94-108, far better condition than most group lots, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine E. 3,000-4,000
- 1561 ☒ **Foreign Covers.** Almost 100, range of countries represented with many from Europe, some Zeppelin flights, some nice cachets, overall fresh and Very Fine, nice group E. 2,000-3,000
- 1562 **Eastern Europe.** Two volumes and few pages of unused and used stamps, countries incl. Croatia, nice group of Bulgaria incl. unused Nos. 1-18, 20, 21, 22-24 and few other better, also some nice Montenegro with strength in Occupation issues, few signed or with certificates, overall Fine-Very Fine and worthwhile group E. 2,000-3,000
- 1563 **Europe.** Three albums, pages and loose stamps in glassines, incl. comprehensive album of Austria, some Italy, Russia, album of Spain which is very comprehensive and contains many earlier issues, also album pages of Spain from 1936-66, album of Spanish Colonies, Switzerland, some faults, many Fine-Very Fine, worth close inspection... E. 3,000-4,000
- 1564 **Foreign Accumulation.** Two stockbooks of unused and used stamps, wide range of countries represented, incl. G.B. with two used Penny Blacks, Falkland Islands with Nos. 54-64, nice group of Omnibus issues incl. 1937 and 1953 Coronation, also some China, French Colonies, Japan, Germany and others, mixed condition, some Fine-Very Fine, a diverse group E. 1,000-1,500
- 1565 ☒ **Foreign Covers.** Approximately 100, wide range of countries and issues represented, incl. Asia with few Japan, Europe with some nice Germany and also others, First Days, Zeppelin Flights, several other interesting areas such as registered, far better condition than normally seen in lots of this nature, wonderful cachets, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, a great lot E. 4,000-5,000
- 1566 ☒ **Foreign Flight Covers.** 46 covers, mostly 1930's-40's with a few earlier or later, wide range of countries and routes incl. both Pacific and Atlantic flights, originations include a number of Fiji, Australia and New Zealand, also Germany, Russia, Hong Kong, Saudi Arabia, Cuba, Macao, many others, nice condition throughout, Very Fine and attractive group E. 1,000-1,500
- 1567 ★田 **Worldwide Multiples Balance.** Small group of multiples, incl. nice group of panes of 60 of Bermuda 1936-40 Issue, some U.S. National Parks, some faulty, some Fine-Very Fine E. 200-300
- 1567A **Worldwide Accumulation, 19th-20th Century.** Few cartons of unused and used stamps, incl. some stampless covers, flight covers with few Zeppelin, wide range of countries represented incl. nice Europe, some China and a host of others, many nicely arranged on stock pages, few flaws to be expected, many Fine-Very Fine, worth close inspection E. 2,000-3,000
- 1568 **Worldwide Accumulation.** 27 three-ring binders and loose group of unused and used stamps, wonderful range of countries and areas represented incl. some nice Japan, strong in Europe with some decent Germany, Russia and many others, overall Fine-Very Fine, worth close inspection E. 3,000-4,000

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509	600	552	2,600	593	2,100	634	1,100	676	750	718	1,900	760	550	801	700
510	1,200	553	800	594	19,500	635	1,300	677	1,500	719	950	761	850	802	1,400
511	450	554	140	595	1,700	636	3,500	678	300	720	1,700	762	375	803	2,100
512	400	555	2,000	596	2,100	637	4,500	679	350	721	1,400	763	325	804	475
513	275	556	R	597	7,000	638	2,100	680	1,300	722	1,000	764	1,300	805	550
514	700	556	R	598	800	639	2,800	681	2,500	723	1,000	765	2,100	806	2,700
515	650	557	800	599	5,250	640	6,000	682	425	724	5,000	766	1,600	807	1,600
516	2,700	558	375	600	1,300	641	1,600	683	325	725	2,100	767	900	808	1,900
517	750	559	300	601	R	642	1,900	684	4,500	726	2,500	768	800	809	1,300
518	850	560	850	601	R	643	3,750	685	1,200	727	1,900	769	900	810	200
519	700	561	300	602	475	644	7,500	686	375	728	250	770	350	811	900
520	700	562	650	603	700	645	11,500	687	425	729	1,000	771	160	812	450
521	550	563	1,300	604	3,000	646	11,500	688	5,000	730	275	772	600	813	350
522	600	564	225	605	2,900	647	1,300	689	4,250	731	325	773	325	814	1,000
523	850	565	225	606	2,500	648	550	690	1,300	732	650	774	110	815	1,300
524	1,300	566	1,500	607	1,500	649	190	691	475	733	425	775	250	816	2,200
525	425	567	225	608	550	650	180	692	1,200	734	450	776	450	817	2,100
526	2,700	568	375	609	550	651	100	693	475	735	425	777	750	818	2,100
527	1,000	569	250	610	500	652	1,400	694	1,700	736	800	778	700	819	950
528	6,000	570	325	611	5,250	653	190	695	325	737	325	779	1,600	820	750
529	5,250	571	900	612	400	654	750	696	300	738	275	780	1,900	821	900
530	3,750	572	750	613	950	655	900	697	190	739	325	781	700	822	750
531	900	573	450	614	1,600	656	200	698	150	740	225	782	650	823	1,500
532	600	574	1,600	615	5,750	657	325	699	650	741	950	783	R	824	1,400
533	600	575	300	616	850	658	450	700	550	742	550	783	R	825	1,200
534	500	576	300	617	4,000	659	500	701	550	743	275	784	150	826	275
535	350	577	600	618	2,600	660	700	702	550	744	400	785	170	827	600
536	700	578	250	619	550	661	1,900	703	275	745	160	786	100	828	350
537	3,500	579	550	620	2,200	662	550	704	160	746	750	787	900	829	375
538	250	580	350	621	700	663	1,000	705	250	747	900	788	3,000	830	800
539	500	581	325	622	1,900	664	1,100	706	750	748	425	789	750	831	1,100
540	650	582	600	623	1,300	665	1,200	707	350	749	650	790	650	832	2,000
541	1,900	583	225	624	900	666	700	708	1,300	750	180	791	750	833	250
542	650	584	2,700	625	1,400	667	140	709	500	751	350	792	850	834	350

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835	600	878	2,200	920	275	962	325	1006	180	1050	24,000	1092	500	1133	350
836	225	879	800	921	950	963	200	1007	225	1051	11,500	1093	300	1134	150
837	110	880	350	922	500	964	5,500	1008	200	1052	1,300	1094	550	1135	2,600
838	3,250	881	5,000	923	650	965	2,000	1009	300	1053	1,300	1095	180	1136	1,500
839	325	882	225	924	180	966	1,600	1010	550	1054	1,100	1096	110	1138	600
840	325	883	250	925	180	967	325	1011	1,200	1055	1,100	1097	225	1139	550
841	300	884	250	926	325	968	400	1012	350	1056	600	1098	160	1140	275
842	160	885	225	927	275	969	300	1013	110	1057	2,600	1099	300	1141	400
843	225	886	250	928	500	970	550	1014	750	1058	80	1100	170	1142	450
844	225	887	300	929	13,000	971	500	1015	375	1059	400	1101	800	1143	200
845	1,300	888	225	930	10,000	972	600	1016	250	1060	4,000	1102	1,300	1144	750
846	700	889	225	931	650	973	475	1017	225	1061	250	1103	9,000	1145	160
847	800	890	225	932	650	974	225	1018	275	1062	650	1104	5,750	1146	110
848	600	891	425	933	950	975	275	1019	180	1063	1,300	1105	425	1147	1,100
849	600	892	400	934	475	976	275	1020	160	1064	160	1106	275	1148	1,000
850	300	893	3,500	935	2,100	977	160	1021	1,000	1065	110	1107	110	1149	750
851	170	894	375	936	4,500	978	110	1022	400	1066	160	1108	300	1150	1,500
852	425	895	2,300	937	500	979	120	1023	325	1067	425	1109	350	1151	1,400
853	200	896	375	938	4,250	980	650	1024	225	1068	750	1110	350	1152	850
854	900	897	800	939	400	981	7,500	1025	160	1069	225	1111	300	1153	900
855	700	898	1,000	940	550	982	650	1026	250	1070	550	1113	110	1154	300
856	1,050	899	475	941	250	983	160	1027	950	1071	700	1114	160	1155	475
857	425	900	1,000	942	225	984	200	1028	2,400	1072	300	1115	275	1156	325
858	200	901	2,100	943	2,100	985	200	1029	425	1073	325	1116	650	1157	1,200
859	225	902	750	944	2,700	986	5,500	1030	300	1074	300	1117	2,500	1158	1,200
860	350	903	750	945	160	987	5,000	1032	225	1075	400	1118	1,400	1159	1,700
861	700	904	600	946	325	988	4,500	1033	225	1076	225	1119	110	1160	2,500
862	325	905	550	947	225	989	5,250	1034	400	1077	800	1120	130	1161	2,100
863	250	906	700	948	180	990	2,200	1035	225	1078	250	1121	21,000	1162	750
865	375	907	650	949	500	991	1,100	1036	300	1079	350	1122	2,100	1163	600
866	550	908	500	950	600	992	2,700	1037	110	1080	600	1122	1,500	1164	750
867	1,100	909	600	951	425	993	180	1038	850	1081	160	1122	750	1165	400
868	150	910	900	952	900	994	650	1039	170	1082	110	1123	375	1166	200
869	1,300	911	2,000	953	500	995	400	1040	550	1083	130	1124	160	1167	425
870	800	912	2,700	954	150	996	1,700	1041	325	1084	150	1125	10,000	1168	400
871	650	913	1,500	955	1,000	997	350	1042	200	1085	90	1126	1,300	1169	250
872	750	914	225	956	225	998	325	1043	200	1086	225	1127	1,200	1170	200
873	1,200	915	180	957	700	999	550	1044	1,300	1087	100	1128	500	1171	375
874	8,500	916	375	958	550	1001	350	1045	250	1088	1,100	1129	950	1172	375
875	900	917	425	959	550	1003	325	1046	2,200	1089	275	1130	550	1173	300
876	450	918	375	960	140	1004	225	1047	5,250	1090	350	1131	475	1174	300
877	850	919	275	961	150	1005	225	1048	1,700	1091	300	1132	400	1175	200

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1176	170	1219	1,500	1262	650	1304	200	1348	600	1392	550	1436	550
1177	200	1220	400	1263	900	1305	375	1349	375	1393	275	1437	475
1178	200	1221	1,200	1264	140	1306	400	1350	500	1394	900	1438	2,000
1179	200	1222	650	1265	1,400	1307	300	1351	450	1396	650	1439	1,800
1180	275	1223	12,000	1266	2,100	1308	900	1352	1,300	1397	325	1440	R
1181	160	1224	2,200	1267	1,100	1309	650	1353	375	1398	225	1440	R
1182	150	1225	180	1268	1,000	1310	12,500	1354	550	1399	250	1441	400
1183	200	1226	1,000	1269	325	1311	5,500	1355	650	1400	325	1442	950
1184	200	1227	700	1270	550	1312	140	1356	450	1401	425	1443	375
1185	200	1228	500	1271	475	1313	750	1357	800	1402	900	1444	475
1186	150	1229	225	1272	80	1314	100	1358	350	1403	350	1445	225
1187	150	1230	2,200	1273	190	1315	170	1359	550	1404	650	1446	850
1188	150	1231	700	1274	225	1316	140	1360	1,000	1405	450	1447	325
1189	400	1232	1,500	1275	700	1317	1,100	1361	950	1406	225	1448	1,400
1190	400	1233	750	1276	2,100	1318	350	1362	275	1407	100	1449	325
1191	400	1234	475	1277	950	1319	275	1363	750	1408	800	1450	375
1192	130	1235	1,600	1278	400	1320	300	1364	500	1409	300	1451	225
1193	1,500	1236	500	1279	225	1321	850	1365	400	1410	180	1452	250
1194	275	1237	300	1280	425	1322	275	1366	600	1411	225	1453	1,400
1195	1,500	1238	350	1281	200	1324	130	1367	120	1412	150	1454	350
1196	275	1239	800	1282	110	1325	1,900	1368	110	1413	1,600	1455	350
1197	550	1240	950	1283	325	1326	325	1369	450	1414	1,100	1456	400
1198	160	1241	600	1284	300	1327	450	1370	450	1415	325	1457	750
1199	225	1242	700	1285	325	1328	1,200	1371	225	1416	800	1459	R
1200	110	1243	275	1286	500	1329	200	1372	650	1417	225	1459	R
1201	350	1244	275	1287	550	1330	950	1373	110	1418	1,500	1460	350
1203	325	1245	190	1288	325	1331	1,700	1375	225	1419	500	1461	900
1204	700	1246	325	1289	900	1332	475	1376	450	1420	800	1462	700
1205	650	1247	800	1290	425	1333	475	1377	850	1421	750	1463	120
1206	475	1248	275	1291	600	1334	375	1378	1,600	1422	650	1464	600
1207	325	1249	275	1292	850	1335	250	1379	650	1423	950	1465	600
1208	500	1250	110	1293	750	1336	475	1380	550	1424	425	1466	600
1209	900	1251	225	1294	950	1337	500	1381	750	1425	300	1467	2,600
1210	900	1252	750	1295	600	1338	350	1382	950	1426	225	1468	450
1211	850	1253	170	1296	350	1339	275	1383	2,000	1427	275	1469	550
1212	1,200	1255	350	1297	700	1340	8,500	1385	650	1428	400	1470	900
1213	500	1256	1,900	1298	350	1341	275	1386	700	1429	600	1471	1,100
1214	450	1257	450	1299	160	1343	950	1387	250	1431	23,000	1472	190
1215	450	1258	850	1300	1,100	1344	550	1388	600	1432	1,200	1473	225
1216	2,500	1259	300	1301	1,700	1345	475	1389	110	1433	200	1474	500
1217	2,300	1260	600	1302	1,100	1346	750	1390	650	1434	375	1475	325
1218	1,100	1261	650	1303	1,500	1347	425	1391	6,250	1435	425	1476	250
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1529	1,800
1530	2,900
1531	1,800
1532	500
1533	300
1534	650
1535	1,100
1536	350
1537	1,100
1538	10,000
1539	90
1540	2,200
1541	650
1542	250
1543	550
1544	250
1546	750
1547	750
1548	225
1549	1,400
1550	1,800
1551	1,100
1552	2,100
1553	475
1554	500
1555	300
1556	225
1557	900
1558	5,500
1559	6,750
1560	4,500
1561	1,500
1562	1,800
1563	10,000
1564	3,500
1566	550
1567	350
1567	2,400
1568	3,000