

UNITED STATES STAMPS



Sale 1166 • Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 24-26, 2017

Robert A. Siegel
AUCTION GALLERIES, INC.

Sale 1166 — Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, October 24-26, 2017

United States Stamps

Featuring

The Edmund A. Ellis, III Collection

The Vaquero Collection of High-Grade Panama-Pacific Issues

Revenue Essays Album from the Morton Dean Joyce Collection, offered intact

An imprint and plate number block of four of the \$2.00 Trans-Mississippi Issue

Live auction to be held at Siegel Auction Galleries,
6 West 48th Street (off Fifth Avenue), 9th Floor, New York City

Lots are sold subject to an 18% buyer's premium and
any applicable sales tax (or customs duty for non-U.S. buyers)

Please carefully read the Conditions of Sale before bidding

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24

3:30 p.m.—Session One—Lots 501-664

Essays, Proofs and Specimens	501-542
Postmasters' Provisionals, 1847 Issue	543-584
1851-56 Issue	585-620
1857-60 Issue and Reprint.....	621-664



Examples from group offered in lot 1258

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

10:30 a.m.—Session Two—Lots 665-789

1861-66 Issue	665-688
Encased Postage, Postage Currency	689-695
1867-68 Grilled Issue, 1861 Re-Issue	696-730
1869 Pictorial Issue and Re-Issue	731-776
1870-73 Bank Note Issues	777-789

1:30 p.m.—Session Three—Lots 790-1118

1875-88 Bank Note Issues	790-814
1890-93 Issue	815-826
Columbian Issue	827-854
1894-98 Bureau Issue.....	855-880
Trans-Mississippi Issue.....	881-900
Pan-American Issue, 1902-08 Issue	901-933
Louisiana Purchase, Jamestown Issues	934-938
1908-12 Issues, Bluish Paper	939-970
1909-10 Issues	971-985
Panama-Pacific Issue.....	986-1005
1912-16 Issues incl. Booklet Panes	1006-1074
1917-20 Issues.....	1075-1118

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

10:30 a.m.—Session Four—Lots 1119-1257

1922-26 and Later Issues	1119-1185
Air Post	1186-1223
Special Delivery thru Offices in China.....	1224-1237
Officials thru Postal Cards	1238-1257

1:30 p.m.—Session Five—Lots 1258-1494

Revenue Essays and Proofs	1258-1269
First Issue Revenues	1270-1344
Second and Third Issue, Proprietary	1345-1355
Embossed Revenue Stamped Paper	1356-1368
Hunting Permits, Revenue Group Lots	1369-1380
Savings, Confederate States	1381-1395
U.S. Possessions.....	1396-1417
Group Lots by Issue	1418-1446
Collections and Accumulations	1447-1494

Pre-Sale Viewing

Monday, October 23, 10am-4pm, and by appointment

Robert A. Siegel

AUCTION GALLERIES, INC.

6 WEST 48TH STREET, 9TH FLOOR, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10036

Phone (212) 753-6421 • Fax (212) 753-6429 • E-mail: stamps@siegelauctions.com

Catalogues, internet bidding, resources, archives and the Siegel Encyclopedia at
siegelauctions.com



Robert A. Siegel

AUCTION GALLERIES, INC.

6 WEST 48TH STREET, 9TH FLOOR, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10036
 Phone (212) 753-6421 • Fax (212) 753-6429 • E-mail: stamps@siegelauctions.com
siegelauctions.com



Scott R. Trepel
 President
 strepel
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:strepel@siegelauctions.com)



John P. Zuckerman
 Senior Vice President
 jzuckerman
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:jzuckerman@siegelauctions.com)



Corey Long
 Senior Vice President
 clong
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:clong@siegelauctions.com)



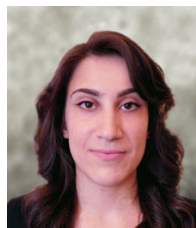
Daphne Cebek
 Accounts
 daphne
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:daphne@siegelauctions.com)



Helen Stewart
 Bids and Inquiries
 helen
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:helen@siegelauctions.com)



Emma Masiello
 Bids and Inquiries
 emma
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:emma@siegelauctions.com)



Jocelyn Weibel
 Digital Production
 jocelyn
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:jocelyn@siegelauctions.com)

Siegel International
 Dallas (214) 754-5991



Charles F. Shreve
 Director, Siegel International
 charles
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:charles@siegelauctions.com)



Andrew Titley
 International Specialist
 andrew
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:andrew@siegelauctions.com)



Chris Anderson
 International Specialist
 chris
[@siegelauctions.com](mailto:chris@siegelauctions.com)

Scott R. Trepel Principal Auctioneer (licensed by NYC Dept. of Consumer Affairs, #795952)

Information for Bidders

Bidding

The following means are available for placing bids:

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

Pre-Sale Viewing

Subject to availability, certain lots (except group lots) can be sent to known clients for examination. Requests must be made no later than 7 days prior to the sale. Lots must be returned on the day received. Postage/insurance costs will be invoiced.

In addition to regular viewing, clients may view lots by appointment. Our staff will be pleased to answer questions or provide additional information about lots.

Expert Certification

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

Shipping and Delivery

Procedures and charges for shipping lots are printed on the back of the Bid Form. **Bidders are responsible for all prescribed shipping charges and any applicable sales tax or customs duties.**

Price Realized

Prices realized are sent with each invoice. Bidders with e-mail will receive a Bid Results report after the sale. Session results are posted immediately to siegelauctions.com

Live Internet Bidding at Siegel Auctions

BIDDING FROM YOUR COMPUTER LETS YOU BE PART OF THE LIVE AUCTION FROM ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD!

There's **NO SUBSTITUTE** for following the auction in real time.
Live Internet Bidding lets you bid and buy as though you were right there in the saleroom.
And it's easy.

This step-by-step guide will instruct you how to register, set your browser and use the bidding interface.

Start by following the simple steps to become a registered Live Internet Bidder.
Once you've been approved for bidding, you can listen to the auction and place bids with the click of a mouse.

Registering with STAMP AUCTION NETWORK & SIEGEL AUCTION GALLERIES

Live Internet Bidding is managed by Stamp Auction Network (SAN).
To bid, you must be registered and approved by *both* SAN and Siegel.
To decide what you need to do, choose the description below that best fits you.



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

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

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

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

Then you just need to be approved by Siegel. Go to stampauctionnetwork.com/siegel and click on "Update Registration" at the top. Your SAN account information will be sent to us for approval (you might be asked for other trade references). Once approved by Siegel for bidding, you're ready for internet bidding.

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

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

Live Internet Bidding works by allowing registered bidders to observe and place bids.

Live Internet Bidding will work with any browser on both PC and Mac operating systems.

Before bidding by internet for the first time, we recommend finding a sale in progress and listening to the public broadcast or logging in as a registered bidder. This will help you develop a feel for the sale tempo and bidding interface.

Log on to the auction at stampauctionnetwork.com

When you're logged on as a Live Internet Bidder, the bidding interface shows a photo and description of the lot, the current bid (and your bidding status), options for placing competitive bids and buttons with bid increments.

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



"System Down" or "Lost Connection" events do occasionally happen.

If you have any problems with Live Internet Bidding please call **212-753-6421** for immediate assistance.

Conditions of Sale (please read carefully before bidding)

THE PROPERTY DESCRIBED IN THIS CATALOGUE WILL BE OFFERED AT PUBLIC AUCTION BY ROBERT A. SIEGEL AUCTION GALLERIES, INC. ("GALLERIES") ON BEHALF OF VARIOUS CONSIGNORS AND ITSELF OR AFFILIATED COMPANIES. BY BIDDING ON ANY LOT, WHETHER DIRECTLY OR BY OR THROUGH AN AGENT, IN PERSON, OR BY TELEPHONE, FACSIMILE OR ANY OTHER MEANS, THE BIDDER ACKNOWLEDGES AND AGREES TO ALL OF THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. The highest bidder acknowledged by the auctioneer shall be the buyer. The term "final bid" means the last bid acknowledged by the auctioneer, which is normally the highest bid offered. **The purchase price payable by the buyer will be the sum of the final bid and a commission of 18% of the final bid ("buyer's premium"), together with any sales tax, use tax or customs duties due on the sale.**
2. The auctioneer has the right to reject any bid, to advance the bidding at his discretion and, in the event of a dispute, to determine the successful bidder, to continue the bidding or to reoffer and resell the lot in dispute. The Galleries' record of the final sale shall be conclusive.
3. All bids are per numbered lot in the catalogue unless otherwise announced by the auctioneer at the time of sale. The right is reserved to group two or more lots, to withdraw any lot or lots from the sale, or to act on behalf of the seller. The Galleries will execute bidding instructions on behalf of clients, but will not be responsible for the failure to execute such bids or for any errors in the execution of such bids.
4. **Lots with numbers followed by the symbol ° are offered subject to a confidential minimum bid ("reserve"), below which the lot will not be sold. The absence of the symbol ° means that the lot is offered without a reserve. If there is no reserve, the auctioneer has sole discretion to establish a minimum opening bid and may refuse an offer of less than half of the published estimate. Any lot that does not reach its reserve or opening bid requested by the auctioneer will be announced as "passed" and excluded from the prices realized lists after the sale. The Galleries may have a direct or indirect ownership interest in any or all lots in the sale resulting from an advance of monies or goods-in-trade or a guarantee of minimum net proceeds made by the Galleries to the seller.**
5. Subject to the exclusions listed in 5(A), the Galleries will accept the return of lots which have been misidentified or which have obvious faults that were present when the lot was in the Galleries' custody, but not so noted in the lot description. **All disputed lots must be received by the Galleries intact with the original packing material within 5 days of delivery to the buyer but no later than 30 days from the sale date.**
(5A) EXCLUSIONS: The following lots may not be returned for any reason, or may not be returned for the reasons stated: i) lots containing 10 or more items; ii) lots from buyers who registered for the pre-sale exhibition or received lots by postal viewing, thereby having had the opportunity to inspect them before the sale; iii) any lot described with "faults," "defects" or a specific fault may not be returned because of any secondary fault; iv) photographed lots may not be returned because of centering, margins, short/nibbed perforations or other factors shown in the illustrations; v) the color of the item does not match the color reproduction in the sale catalogue or website listing; vi) the description contains inaccurate information about the quantity known or reported; or vii) a certification service grades a stamp lower than the grade stated in the description.
6. Successful bidders, unless they have established credit with the Galleries prior to the sale, must make payment in full before the lots will be delivered. Buyers not known to the Galleries must make payment in full within 3 days from the date of sale. **The Galleries retains the right to demand a cash deposit from anyone prior to bidder registration and/or to demand payment at the time the lot is knocked down to the highest bidder, for any reason whatsoever.** In the event that any buyer refuses or fails to make payment in cash for any lot at the time it is knocked down to him, the auctioneer reserves the right to reoffer the lot immediately for sale to the highest bidder. **Credit cards (Visa, Mastercard and Discover only) can be accepted as payment but will be subject to a 3% Convenience Fee, which will be added to the total of the entire invoice (including hammer price, buyer's premium, shipping**

and transit insurance charges and any applicable taxes).

7. If the purchase price has not been paid within the time limit specified above, nor lots taken up within 7 days from the date of sale, the lots will be resold by whatever means deemed appropriate by the Galleries, and any loss incurred from resale will be charged to the defaulting buyer. **Any account more than 30 days in arrears will be subject to a late payment charge of 1½% per month as long as the account remains in arrears. Any expenses incurred in securing payment from delinquent accounts will be charged to the defaulter.** A fee of \$250.00 per check will be charged for each check returned for insufficient funds.
8. All lots are sold as genuine. **Any lot accompanied by a certificate issued by The Philatelic Foundation or by Professional Stamp Experts within 5 years of the sale date is sold "as is" and in accordance with the description on the certificate. Such lots may not be returned for any reason, including but not limited to a contrary certificate of opinion.** Buyers who wish to obtain a certificate for any item that does not have a P.F. or P.S.E. certificate (dated as above) may do so, provided that the following conditions are met: (1) the purchase price must be paid in full, (2) the item must be submitted to an acceptable expertizing committee with a properly executed application form within 21 days of the sale, (3) a copy of the application form must be given to the Galleries, (4) in the event that an adverse opinion is received, the Galleries retain the right to resubmit the item on the buyer's behalf for reconsideration, without time limit or other restrictions, (5) unless written notification to the contrary is received, items submitted for certification will be considered cleared 90 days from the date of sale, and (6) in the event any item is determined to be "not as described", the buyer will be refunded the purchase price and the certification fee up to \$800.00 unless otherwise agreed to in writing.
9. Until paid for in full, all lots remain the property of the Galleries on behalf of the seller.
10. Agents executing bids on behalf of clients will be held responsible for all purchases made on behalf of clients unless otherwise arranged prior to the sale.
11. The buyer assumes all risk for delivery of purchased lots and agrees to pay for prescribed shipping costs. **Buyers who receive lots in the U.S. are obligated to pay whatever sales tax or compensating use tax might be due, and buyers outside the U.S. are responsible for all customs duties.**
12. **The bidder consents that any action or proceeding against it may be commenced and maintained in any court within the State of New York or in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, that the courts of the State of New York and United States District Court for the Southern District of New York shall have jurisdiction with respect to the subject matter hereof and the person of the bidder. The bidder agrees not to assert any defense to any action or proceeding initiated by Galleries based upon improper venue or inconvenient forum. The bidder agrees that any action brought by the bidder shall be commenced and maintained only in a Federal Court in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York or the State Court in the county in which Galleries has its principal place of business in New York. The bidder agrees not to use a public conflict resolution service and not to use any form of social media to publish comments or information about the Galleries and its employees which might harm the Galleries' reputation or business. These Conditions of Sale shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the substantive laws of the State of New York, and shall constitute an agreement that shall be binding on the parties, and their respective heirs, administrators, distributees, successors and assignees.**

SCOTT R. TREPEL, Principal Auctioneer
Auctioneer's License No. 795952
N.Y.C. Department of Consumer Affairs
80 Lafayette Street, New York, N.Y. 10013
Telephone (212) 577-0111

Revised 1/2017

Grades, Abbreviations and Values Used in Descriptions

Grades and Centering

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

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







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

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

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

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

Guide to Gum Condition

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

Covers

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

Catalogue Values and Estimates

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

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

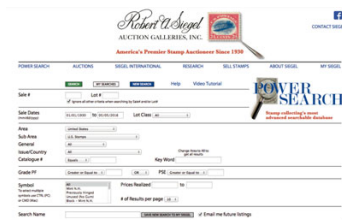
Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)

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

Resources @ siegelauctions.com

CATALOGUES AND PRICES REALIZED

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

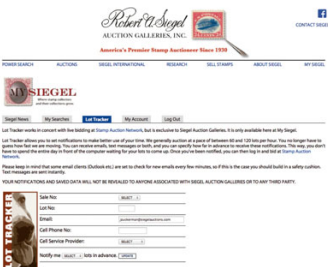


POWER SEARCH™

Search by Scott number or keyword through all of the sales at our website. The best resource in philately for research.

MY SIEGEL™

Save your Power Searches as want lists. We will automatically notify you when a match is included in an upcoming sale, whether it's as broad as any Columbian issue, or as narrow as a 241 graded 98. The most powerful want list in philately.

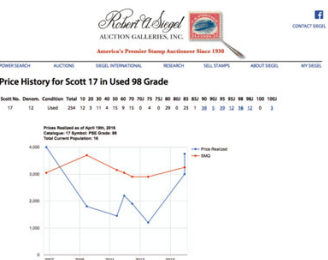


LOT TRACKER™

Never miss another lot because you were away from your computer. Log into My Siegel™, then set up notifications to get texts and/or emails 10-30 lots before yours comes up (live bidding is still through Stamp Auction Network).

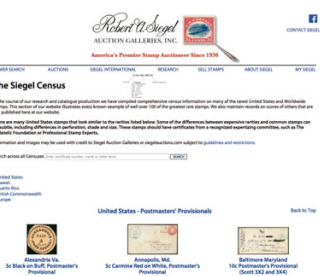
CENSUS DATA FOR RARITIES

The up-to-date census data for U.S. and select International rarities are a valuable resource for buyers, sellers and researchers. Every recorded example of almost 150 different rare stamps is described and, in most cases, photographed.



GRADED PRICE HISTORY

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



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

SESSION ONE (LOTS 501-664)
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2017, AT 3:30 P.M.

UNITED STATES STAMPS

ESSAYS AND PROOFS



- 501 E **New York N.Y., 5c Green, Large Die Essay on India (9X1-E1a).** Die sunk on 150 x 225mm card, Extremely Fine, not often seen in this full size 450.00
- 502 **Obsolete Bank Notes.** Two groups, first group of seven includes six notes with vignettes of Franklin, Washington or both as used for the 5c-10c 1847 Issue, also one note with eagle engraving used as the basis of the 1c Eagle Carrier (LO2), second group of 18 notes are mostly remainders including many from Louisiana, a few issued and signed, some flaws, overall Fine-Very Fine(Photo Ex) E. 400-500
- 503 P **1c-90c 1857 Reprints, Small Die Proofs on Wove (40P2-47P2).** Each on original gray card backing, beautiful fresh colors, Extremely Fine set, only 85 Roosevelt presentation albums were prepared in 1903(Photo Ex) 2,800.00
- 504 P **1c-90c 1857 Reprints, Plate Proofs on India and Card (40P3-47P3, 40P4-47P4).** Complete for both, the first 24c mounted on card, large margins, Very Fine-Extremely Fine sets(Photo Ex) 1,370.00

505EX



- 505 TC **1c-90c 1857 Reprints, Atlanta Trial Color Proofs on Card (40TC4-47TC4).** Complete set of all five colors for each of the eight denominations, ample to clear margins with just a couple of the 30c values touched or slightly in, gorgeous colors throughout

FINE-VERY FINE. A RARE COMPLETE SET OF THE ATLANTA TRIAL COLOR PROOFS FOR THE 1857 ISSUE.

The Atlanta trial color plate proofs on card were prepared for display at the 1881 International Cotton Exposition in Atlanta. Only one sheet of 100 of each value/color was printed. Very few have been kept together as intact sets.....(Photo Ex) 4,160.00

506EX



507EX



508EX

510

509



- 506 E **Toppan, Carpenter & Co., Schernikow Die Essays (63-E2a/72-E3a).** 23 full-size essays, each of the six denominations that come as Schernikow essays represented, each with at least two and most with several stages of the design present, variety of colors, Very Fine group.....(Photo Ex) E. 500-750
- 507 P **1c-90c 1861 Issue, Plate Proofs on India (63P3, 65P3, 66P3, 76P3, 68P3, 69P3, 78P3, 71P3, 72P3).** Including two 3c colors, large margins, rich colors, Extremely Fine set...(Photo Ex) 660.00
- 508 P **1c-90c 1861 Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (63P4, 65P4, 76P4, 68P4, 69P4, 70P4, 78P4, 71P4, 72P4).** Including both 24c colors, large margins, rich colors, Extremely Fine set.....(Photo Ex) 933.00
- 509 TC **24c Violet, Plate Proof on India (70TC3).** Brilliant color, detailed impression, large even margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, this is the scarcest color of the 1861 Issue plate proofs and is often missing from that set when offered, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate..... 500.00
- 510 P **5c Brown, Large Die Proof on India (76P1).** Two, each die sunk on approximately 75 x 75mm card, each shows full die sinkage, one with black number and imprint, other in issued color, latter few toned spots, otherwise Very Fine and highly exhibitable, ex Finkelburg, each with 2000 P.F. certificate 1,400.00



511EX

511 TC **1c-90c 1861-66 Designs, Atlanta Trial Color Proofs on Card (102TC4-111TC4).** Complete set of 50 in all five colors, large to huge margins (wider than normally seen), deep rich colors

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A MAGNIFICENT COMPLETE SET OF ATLANTA TRIAL COLOR PROOFS FOR THE 1861-66 ISSUE DESIGNS. THIS IS ONLY THE SECOND COMPLETE SET OF ALL 50 PROOFS WE HAVE OFFERED IN DECADES.

The Atlanta trial color plate proofs on card were prepared for display at the 1881 International Cotton Exposition in Atlanta. Only one sheet of 100 in each color was made available after 1881.

These are often offered either by denomination or other smaller groupings, because it is difficult to assemble the complete set.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 5,015.00



512



513

512 **\$10.00 Citizens Bank of Louisiana, S.S. Adriatic.** Obsolete banknote from remainders depicting the steamer *Adriatic* and with "DIX" (Ten) on back, National Bank Note Co. imprint, Very Fine, the iconic *Adriatic* engraving by James Smillie was the basis for the design of the 12c 1869 Issue, the 1874 Peru Postage Dues and a few other bank notes and stock certificates of the period, it is believed by many that the "DIX" on the back of this note was the basis for the Confederate name "Dixie"..... E. 300-400

513 **\$10.00 Citizens Bank of Louisiana, S.S. Adriatic.** Obsolete banknote from remainders depicting the steamer *Adriatic* and with "DIX" (Ten) on back, National Bank Note Co. imprint, Very Fine, the iconic *Adriatic* engraving by James Smillie was the basis for the design of the 12c 1869 Issue, the 1874 Peru Postage Dues and a few other bank notes and stock certificates of the period, it is believed by many that the "DIX" on the back of this note was the basis for the Confederate name "Dixie"..... E. 300-400

514 P **1c-90c 1869 Pictorial, Plate Proofs on India (112P3-122P3, 129P3).** Complete set of eleven, including both 15c, the Type III with top frame plate no. 31 and part imprint selvage, 3c with top part imprint selvage, Extremely Fine set, especially desirable with the plate number selvage..(Photo Ex) 1,205.00



514EX

515EX



- 515 P 1c-90c 1869 Pictorial, Plate Proofs on India (112P3-122P3, 129P3). Blocks of four, virtually all with choice large margins, excellent colors, 10c with some waterstaining at top

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A DESIRABLE SET OF BLOCKS OF THE 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE PLATE PROOFS ON INDIA PAPER.

This scarce set of blocks on India paper is largely free of the flaws that usually plague this fragile paper.(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 5,460.00



516

517EX

518EX

- 516 P 15c Brown & Blue, Ty. III, Plate Proof on India (129P3). Block of four, large margins, vignettes shifted strongly to top left, this must have offended someone because an unknown person has colored in the resulting white space with blue ink or crayon approximating the color of the vignette, small thin spot at top, Very Fine appearance and a very unusual item 1,600.00

- 517 **The American Bond Detector and Complete History of All the United States Government Securities.** Hardbound book from 1869, containing 22 engraved plates of designs or details of designs of all bonds issued under the Acts of Congress from July 17, 1861 to March 3, 1868, "with a full description of all genuine plates, and complete rules for the detection of counterfeits", also "valuable plates of existing coins, and important statistical tables" with eight plates of embossed illustrations of world coins, front cover detached, some waterstaining and light edgewear, the plates are overall very fresh, a very unusual and scarce book, the plates were printed at the Treasury Department from the original dies in possession of the U.S. government and the book was published by The American Bond and Currency Detector Co. in 1869, most we have been able to locate are in similar condition to the example offered here E. 1,000-1,500

- 518 P 1c-90c 1870-71 National Bank Note Co., Plate Proofs on India (145P3-155P3). Complete set of blocks of four, each with left sheet margin, all are mounted on card and so free from the faults that can plague this fragile paper, Very Fine-Extremely Fine and desirable set, also including set of bottom sheet margin singles also mounted on card(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 1,671.00



- 519 P 10c Brown, Plate Proof on India (150P3). Bottom imprint and plate no. 18 block of twelve, full to large margins, quite fresh, two minor tears at right, Very Fine appearance, a scarce proof plate block..... 2,000.00
- 520 P 1c-90c 1873 Continental Bank Note Co., Plate Proofs on Card (156P4-166P4). Complete set, large margins, rich colors, fresh and Extremely Fine set.....(Photo Ex) 1,240.00
- 521 P 1c-90c 1890-93 Issue, Plate Proofs on Card (219P4-229P4). Complete set of 12 with both 2c shades, large margins, rich colors, accompanied by original envelope, Very Fine(Photo Ex) 785.00
- 522 P 1c-\$5.00 Columbian, Small Die Proofs (230P2-245P2). Complete set from a Roosevelt album, carefully removed from gray card, 6c, 8c and \$4.00 slight "bleed-through" on backs from aniline ink, 30c trivial light black line in top margin, \$2.00 few lines of extraneous ink in top margin, \$5.00 light toning on back, otherwise Extremely Fine, only 85 sets issued(Photo Ex) 5,850.00
- 523 P 1c-15c 1894 Issue, Large Die Proofs on India (247P1, 250P1, 253P1-259P1). On approximately 147 x 197mm cards with full die sinkage, rich colors, 1c small toned spots on card, Very Fine, from a sample or presentation book(Photo Ex) 3,175.00
- 524 P 1c-10c 1894 Issue, Large Die Proofs on India (247P1, 250P1, 254P1-258P1). On approximately 152 x 200mm cards with full die sinkage, 5c is 103 x 118mm, rich colors, 2c toned and some other with toned spots, otherwise Very Fine, from a presentation or salesman's album.....(Photo Ex) 2,125.00
- 525 P 1c-15c 1894 Issue, Large Die Proofs on India (247P1, 255P1, 256P1, 258P1, 259P1). On cards from 97 x 100mm to 152 x 201mm, each shows full die sinkage, few trivial toned spots, overall fresh and Very Fine(Photo Ex) 1,325.00



526 P

1c-10c Panama-Pacific, Large Die Proofs on India (397P1-400P1). Removed from card and slightly larger than stamp size, 2c with small piece missing in top margin, 2c, 5c and 10c with shallow thins, Very Fine appearance, a rare group — we have never offered these before since keeping computerized records — Scott Retail as on card(Photo Ex) 7,000.00

526EX

527 TC **10c Carmine Lake, Small Die Trial Color Proof on India (400TC2).** 32 x 25mm, intense color, shallow thin spot

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE TRIAL COLOR PROOF FOR THE 10-CENT PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE, WHICH IS THE ONLY DENOMINATION KNOWN AS A TRIAL COLOR PROOF.

The Scott Catalogue lists the 10c in Brown Red as a large die trial color proof on India, and this Carmine Lake as a small die trial color proof on India. They are exceedingly rare — this is the first we have offered since keeping computerized records. We suspect the Scott value of \$1,100.00 is based on decades-old pricing and will be a fraction of its realization. 1,100.00



527



- 528 P **10c Blue, Special Delivery, Large Die Proof on India (E1P1).** On 224 x 149mm card with full die sinkage, rich color, small toned spot on card at left, small corner creases at right, still Very Fine.. 600.00
- 529 P **1c-50c Claret, 1894 Postage Due, Large Die Proofs on India (J31P1-J37P1).** On approximately 78 x 133mm cards with full die sinkage, fresh and Very Fine set(Photo Ex) 1,155.00
- 530 P **1c-90c Officials, Plate Proofs on Card (O1P4-O93P4).** Complete set of 92 mounted on album pages, full to large margins, Very Fine.....(Photo Ex) 878.00
- 531 TC **1c Eagle Carrier, Atlanta Trial Color Plate Proofs on Card (LO2TC4).** Complete set of all five colors, large margins, rich colors, Very Fine set(Photo Ex) 560.00
- 532 TC **(1c) Franklin Carrier, Eagle Carrier, Trial Color Proofs (LO1TC3a, LO1TC5a, LO2TC5a).** Large margins to just in, few small faults, Very Fine appearance.....(Photo Ex) 950.00

- 533 P **19th Century Essay and Proof Collection Balance.** Postmasters' Provisionals thru 1893 Columbian Issue plus Back-of-Book, many plate proofs on India or card, including 1857 Re-Issue complete on card, 1861-66 Issue to 90c, 1869 Pictorial complete on both India and Card, several Bank Note sets, Columbian set on card, plus a 30c trial color proof in Black, extensive Postage Dues, Officials and Newspapers, some large die proofs and essays, a few unlisted such as H. L. Peckman plate essay with Washington vignette in six different blocks of four, also a few Specimens, some small faults to be found though a large number are Very Fine, Scott Retail in excess of \$20,000.00.....*Not illustrated* E. 4,000-5,000
- 534 P **Proof Balance.** 26 items, Nos. 63P3 bottom margin block of four and bottom right corner margin pair, 165TC2, 219P4-229P4 set, 219DP3, 219DP4 block of six with left imprint, 220P3 block of four, 247P4 (2), 248P4 (2), 256P4 (3), 263P4, selected by the owner for superior condition, overall fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine(Website PDF) 6,280.00
- 535 P **Roosevelt Album Proof Balance.** Eight, including Nos. 63P2, 68P2, 74P2, 71P2 (2), 72P2, 241P2 and 284P2, all except 72P2 and 284P2 on original gray card backing, the Scarlet with "1866" label, Very Fine group, only 85 albums were produced*Not illustrated* 2,325.00
- 536 P **Proof Balance.** Group including Nos. 3P4-4P4, 40P4-47P4, 112P4-122P4, also some miscellaneous items including 222P imperforate pair and a couple revenue proofs, the 1869's with a couple values light soiling (3c and 6c) as well as slight thins on most, Very Fine or appear so.....*Not illustrated* E. 500-750

SPECIMEN OVERPRINTS



- 537 S **1c-90c 1888 American Bank Note Issue, "Sample" or "Sample A." Ovpts. (212S-K to 216S-N).** Thirteen Type K overprints (three 2c, extra 6c), set of ten Type L overprints (with extra 15c), and 5c with manuscript Type N, nearly all with original gum, some h.r., a few minor flaws but generally Fine-Very Fine, produced for the 1890 contract*Not illustrated* 1,875.00
- 538 S **1c-\$5.00 1895 Issue, "Specimen" Ovpt. Ty. E (264S-E-278S-E).** Complete set of thirteen values, original gum, some h.r. or slightly disturbed, fresh colors throughout, a couple with minor flaws, overall Fine-Very Fine(Photo Ex) 1,975.00
- 539 S **2c Red, Booklet Pane of Six, "Specimen" Ovpt. Ty. E (279BjS-E).** Two Mint N.H. panes, one Position D with plate no. 988, bright colors, perfs just touch at left, Fine, especially scarce with the plate number(Photo Ex) 2,250.00
- 540 S **2c Red, Booklet Pane of Six, "Specimen" Ovpt. Ty. E (279BjS-E).** Two Mint N.H. panes, bright color, Fine.....(Photo Ex) 1,500.00
- 541 S **1c-\$5.00 1902-03 Issue, "Specimen" Ovpt. Ty. E (300S-E-313S-E, 319S-E).** Complete set including the 2c Shield, no gum, bright colors, a couple with natural straight edge, a few minor imperfections, overall Fine-Very Fine, a scarce set.....(Photo Ex) 3,060.00
- 542 ★ **1c-\$100.00 1895-97 Issue, "Specimen" Ovpt. Ty. E (PR114S-E-PR125S-E).** Original gum, some h.r., three values with a shallow thin, \$100.00 with pulled perf at top, otherwise Fine-Very Fine ..
.....(Photo Ex) 1,500.00

POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS



- 543 (★) **New York N.Y., 5c Black, “ACM” Initials (9X1).** Unused (no gum), large to full margins, sharp impression, minor toned spots on reverse, one just barely shows thru at bottom left, otherwise Extremely Fine 1,500.00
- 544 (★) **Providence, Rhode Island, 10c Gray Black (10X2).** Unused (no gum), large to ample margins, Very Fine..... 725.00
- 545 (★)田 **Providence, Rhode Island, 5c & 10c Gray Black, Bogert & Durbin Second Reprint Sheet of Twelve (10X1-10X2R).** Complete sheet with lettering on reverse and printed in 1898, without gum as issued, large margins, Very Fine, only 171 sheets printed.....(Photo Ex) 1,000.00



- 546 **St. Louis, Missouri, 10c Black on Greenish (11X2).** Type II, Position 6, three large to full margins, close but clear at right, manuscript cancel and part of a red circular datestamp, minute surface rub at right and shallow thin spot at bottom

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

Scott does not assign a premium for St. Louis provisionals showing the red town datestamp..... 8,000.00

- 547 **St. Louis, Missouri, 10c Black on Gray Lilac (11X5).** Type II, Position 4, three large margins, close but clear at right, sharp impression, single pen-stroke cancel, tiny internal repair at bottom left

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

An attractive example of the distinctive and rare St. Louis “Bears” provisional..... 12,500.00



547

1847 ISSUE

- 548 **5c Red Brown (1).** Large to huge margins all around including **bottom right corner sheet margins**, rich color and detailed impression, unobtrusive strike of red grid cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A GORGEOUS CORNER-MARGIN
EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT 1847 ISSUE

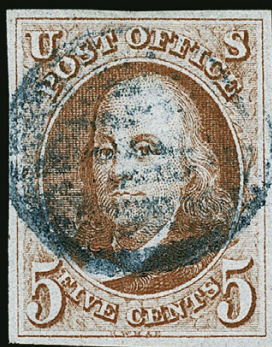
This stamp, in sound condition, is a true rarity.
..... 375.00



548



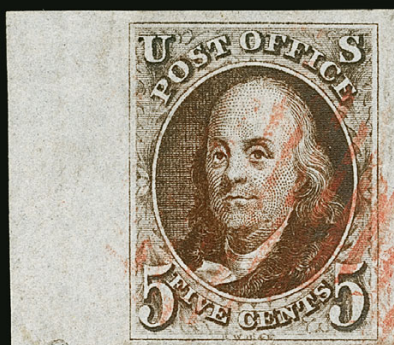
549



550



551



552



553



554

- 549 **5c Red Brown (1).** Large even margins, bright and fresh color nicely contrasted by well-struck red grid cancel, Extremely Fine, ex Wall, with 2000 P.F. certificate 375.00
- 550 **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins, dark shade and sharp impression, **blue grid** cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate 415.00
- 551 **5c Red Brown (1).** Bright shade, large margins all around including **top sheet margin**, neat manuscript "X" and red grid cancels, Extremely Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as pen-cancelled 200.00
- 552 **5c Red Brown (1).** Large to huge margins including **enormous left sheet margin**, intense shade and impression, light red square grid cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1980 and 1990 P.F. certificates..... 375.00
- 553 **5c Red Brown (1).** Huge margins to full including **left sheet margin**, bright color and crisp impression, neat strike of **red Pittsburgh circular datestamp**, Very Fine and attractive, with 1986 P.F. certificate 375.00
- 554 **5c Red Brown (1).** Huge margins to full including **left sheet margin** and part of adjoining stamp at bottom, neat strike of red grid cancel, Very Fine and attractive, with 1985 P.F. certificate .. 375.00



- 555 **5c Brown (1).** Large even margins, tied to small piece by red grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1977 P.F. certificate as Red Brown..... 400.00
- 556 **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to clear at lower right, rich color, neat strike of **magenta** grid cancel, fresh and Very Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate..... 650.00
- 557 **5c Red Brown (1).** Large margins to full, rich color, bold strikes of **blue grid** cancel, fresh and Very Fine, with 1985 P.F. certificate..... 415.00
- 558 **5c Red Brown (1).** Three with different cancels, one with a **black** grid, one with a red grid and the third with neat stylized pen cancel, second with large margins to just in, the other two tight in places but clear all around, Fine trio, black grid cancel with 1997 P.F. certificate stating that what appears to be a numeral “1” inside the cancel was caused by the contents of the cover**(Photo Ex)** 1,025.00
- 559 **5c Red Brown, Double Transfer Ty. B (1-B).** Position 90R1, large margins to just clear, rich color, light strike of red grid cancel and trace of manuscript at top center, fresh and Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate as Dark Brown, which it is not..... 550.00



- 560 **5c Red Brown, Double Transfer Ty. E (1-E).** Horizontal pair, left stamp showing double transfer of “U”, “Post Office” and left numeral “5”, large margins to just clear at top left, rich color complemented by bold strike of **red “St. Louis Mo. 10 Jan. 9” integral-rate circular datestamp**, double transfer stamp with vertical crease ending in small tear, still Fine and rare example of the “Mower Shift”, probably no more than a dozen examples are known, with 1989 P.F. certificate 2,125.00
- 561 **5c Orange Brown (1b).** Rich color, large margins to full at bottom, neat strike of **blue grid of Tiny Diamonds fancy cancel of Middletown Conn.**, miniscule corner crease, Very Fine strike of this desirable cancel, an on-cover example from our sale of the William H. Gross Collection realized \$10,000 hammer, this one is considerably more affordable E. 1,000-1,500



- 562 **5c Orange Brown (1b).** Brilliant color, large margins to clear, bold **blue** cancel, Very Fine, with 1981 P.F. certificate as Red Brown..... 790.00
- 563 **5c Orange Brown (1b).** Large margins to full, brilliant color and detailed impression, unobtrusive **blue circular datestamp** cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1981 P.F. certificate..... 790.00
- 564 **5c Orange Brown (1b).** Three large margins, close at bottom, sharp impression on nicely blued paper, bold red grid cancel, Very Fine, with 2001 and 2008 P.F. certificates..... 750.00
- 565 **5c Orange Brown (1b).** Large margins to full including part of adjoining stamp at top, radiant color nicely complemented by red grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1981 P.F. certificate as Red Brown..... 750.00
- 566 **5c Orange Brown (1b).** Large margins to full, radiant color, bold strike of **blue circular datestamp** cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1985 P.F. certificate..... 875.00
- 567 **5c Orange Brown (1b).** Full margins to clear, bright color nicely complemented by **blue grid** cancel, fresh and Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate..... 790.00
- 568 **5c Orange Brown (1b).** Large margins to clear, radiant color nicely complemented by red grid cancel, fresh and Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate..... 750.00

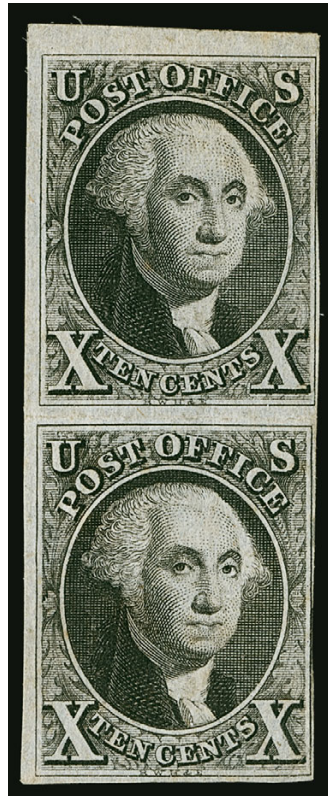
- 569 **5c Red Orange (1c).** Large margins to full at bottom left, brilliant color, unusual heavy plate bruise deposits ink across Franklin's face and in "U" at top, red cancel

FINE AND UNUSUAL EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE 1847 SHADE.

According to Wade Saadi, the Red Orange shade was produced exclusively during the last printing, stamps from which were part of the Fifth Delivery (December 7, 1850). 9,500.00



569



570

- 570 ★ **10c Black (2).** Vertical pair, original gum, large to huge margins at left and top, full at bottom and just clear of framelines at right, intense shade, light vertical crease between stamps does not affect the design of either, accompanying certificate mentions small corner crease on bottom stamp and tiny thin spot on top stamp — both of these are nearly undetectable

FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE ORIGINAL-GUM PAIR OF THE 10-CENT 1847 ISSUE.

To underscore the rarity of any original-gum multiple of the 10c 1847, there are only three unused blocks recorded (two with original gum), one of which is contained in the Hirzel collection at the Swiss PTT Museum. Only four pairs and a strip of three could be located in our computerized sale records using Power Search.

With 2016 P.S.E. certificate 80,000.00



571



572



573

- 571 **10c Black (2).** Large margins to huge including **left sheet margin**, detailed impression, neat strike of red square grid cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate 825.00
- 572 **10c Black (2).** Position 83R1, unusual break in frameline at lower right, large margins, crisp impression, unobtrusive strikes of red grid and **blue** cancels, Extremely Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate 875.00
- 573 **10c Black (2).** Full even margins, detailed impression, unobtrusive strikes of red cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1981 P.F. certificate 825.00



574



575



576

- 574 **10c Black (2).** Large to full margins all around including part of adjoining stamp at bottom, deep shade and detailed impression, face-free strike of red grid cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1982 P.F. certificate 825.00
- 575 **10c Black (2).** Large margins to ample at top, crisp impression, **blue grid** cancel, fresh and Very Fine, with 1985 P.F. certificate 875.00
- 576 **10c Black (2).** Large margins all around, sharp impression, unusually light red grid cancel, faint trace of a crease at right, appears Very Fine 825.00



- 577 **10c Black (2).** Large margins to full, cancelled by **black town datestamp**, tiny thin spot top left corner and small tear at upper left, otherwise Very Fine, scarce with a black town cancel.. 1,175.00
- 578 **10c Black (2).** Large margins to clear including part of adjoining stamp at left, intense shade and impression, neat strikes of red grid cancel, Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate 825.00
- 579 **10c Black (2).** Full margins to clear, deep shade, **blue grid** cancel, fresh and Fine, with 1982 P.F. certificate 875.00
- 580 **10c Black (2).** Ample to clear margins, red grid cancel and manuscript "GW" initials on forehead, faint toned spot at lower right, appears Fine, with 2003 P.F. certificate 825.00
- 581 **10c Black (2).** Large margins to cut in at top, crisp impression, red New York square grid cancel, Very Good, with 1984 P.F. certificate 825.00
- 582 ★ **5c Red Brown, 10c Black Reproductions (3, 4).** Without gum as issued, both with full margins to clear, Fine, 5c with 1981 P.F. certificate 1,900.00
- 583 ★ **5c Red Brown, 10c Black Reproductions (3, 4).** Without gum as issued, large to ample margins, 5c with small thin in the left margin, 10c with light horizontal crease at bottom, otherwise Fine-Very Fine 1,900.00
- 584 ★ **10c Black, Reproduction (4).** Without gum as issued, full even margins, crisp impression, Very Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate 1,050.00

1851-56 ISSUE

- 585 **1c Blue, Ty. Ib (5A).** Position 6R1E, large margins including **top sheet margin** to just barely touching at left, wonderfully bright early shade and sharp impression, **deep red circular datestamp** and neat black grid cancel, small thin spot at top

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1851 ONE-CENT TYPE Ib FROM PLATE ONE EARLY, FROM ONE OF THE TWO POSITIONS THAT FURNISHED THE BEST EXAMPLES OF THE TYPE.

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 burnished away. Positions 6R and 8R had less of the bottom erased than the other Type Ib positions, and for this reason they are more desirable examples of the type.

With 1984 P.F. certificate..... 12,000.00



585



586

- 586 **1c Blue, Ty. Ib (5A).** Position 8R1E, large margins to slightly in, neat grid cancel, lightly cleaned at top

FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE 1851 ONE-CENT TYPE Ib FROM ONE OF THE TWO POSITIONS ON PLATE ONE EARLY THAT FURNISHED THE BEST EXAMPLES OF THE TYPE.

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 burnished away. Positions 6R and 8R had less of the bottom erased than the other Type Ib positions, and for this reason they are more desirable examples of the type.

With 1941 American Board of Experts certificate to Spencer Anderson signed by John A. Klemann and J. M. Bartels. With 2017 P.F. certificate. *Sold for the benefit of the Smithsonian National Postal Museum.* 12,000.00

- 587 **1c Blue, Ty. Ib (5A).** Position 9R1E, three large margins, just barely touching the design at right, bright color, light manuscript cancel, small repair at bottom left, Very Fine appearance 4,250.00



587



588

588 **1c Blue, Ty. Ib/IIIa (5A/8A).** Positions 5/15R1E, vertical pair, Type Ib at top has **top sheet margin**, margins at sides to touched, Ty. IIIa just in at bottom, bright color, neat circular grid cancels, Ty. Ib with faint diagonal crease

A RARE 1851 ONE-CENT IMPERFORATE VERTICAL PAIR, CONTAINING THE ELUSIVE TYPE Ib, WHICH APPEARS VERY FINE.

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 (this pair shows the entry below 5R).

With 1979 P.F. certificate. Unpriced in Scott as this combination pair. Scott Retail for Ty. Ib/II combination (Ty. II is a lesser stamp than Ty. IIIa) 13,000.00



589

589 **1c Blue, Ty. Ia (6).** Plate 4 bottom row, large margins to barely touched at right, deep rich Plate 4 color, town cancel, sealed tear bottom right corner

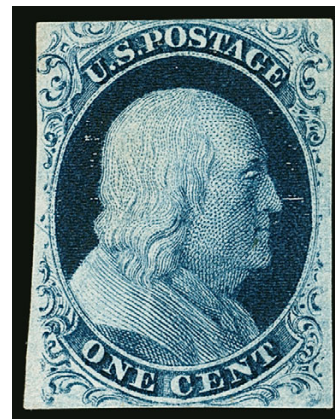
VERY FINE APPEARING USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1851 ONE-CENT TYPE Ia IMPERFORATE.

Stamps printed from Plate 4 were issued in April, May and briefly in June 1857 before perforations were introduced. The relatively small number of imperforate Plate 4 stamps issued during this period explains the rarity and desirability of any of the imperforate stamp types produced from this plate (Ia, Ic, II, III and IIIa). The extremely rare Type Ia, showing the full design at bottom, was furnished only by 18 of the 200 subjects on Plate 4 (the remaining two bottom-row positions were sub-type Ic).

With 1980 P.F. certificate describing the sealed tear as a repair 10,500.00

590

1c Blue, Ty. II, Plate 3 (7). Position 73L3 showing **plate cracks**, unused (no gum), rich color, slightly dry print, Very Fine, rare in unused condition, ex Wagshal, with 1981 and 2017 P.F. certificates, Scott Retail as original gum and with no premium for the plate crack \$4,500.00
 E. 750-1,000



590



591

591 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. II (7).** Plate 2, horizontal pair, huge margins all around showing part of four adjoining stamps at top and bottom, original gum, lightly hinged, rich color
 EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB ORIGINAL-GUM PAIR OF THE 1851 ONE-CENT TYPE II.
 With 1998 P.F. certificate..... 2,300.00

592

1c Blue, Ty. II (7). Plate 2, large to enormous margins including part of adjoining stamp above, bright shade that closely resembles the typical color of a Plate 1 Early stamp, complemented by **red New York City carrier datestamp**, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful 1c 1851, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$750.00) 180.00



592



594EX



595



593

593 **1c Blue, Ty. II, Cracked Plate (7 var).** Positions 2L2, 12L-13L2 and 23L2, irregular reconstructed multiple of four clearly showing the length of the cracked plate, margins large to touching, stamps in plating condition with faults though cancels leave crack visible, Fine 1,600.00

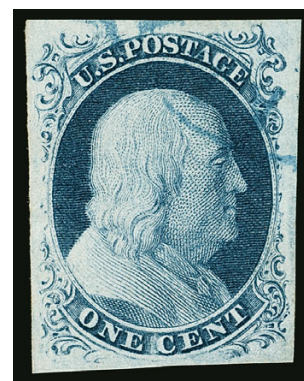
594 **1c Blue, Ty. II, IV (7, 9).** First Position 50L1E, huge to ample margins including **right interpane margin with centerline**, neat New York circular datestamp, Extremely Fine, second Plate 1L, recut once at top and bottom, large margins to just clear including part of adjoining stamp at bottom, **single vertical pen line which might be a precancel**, tiny corner crease at top right, Very Fine appearance, an excellent opportunity for additional research, illustrated in Ashbrook 1c book (Vol. 2, p. 93) with other precancels, the most recent certificate declines opinion as to whether it is a precancel so offered on its own merits, with 2004 P.S.E. and 2017 P.F. certificates.....(Photo Ex) E. 400-500

595 **1c Blue, Ty. III (8).** Plate 4, deep rich color, margins clearly showing large breaks at bottom and top, neat town datestamp, light horizontal crease, appears Very Fine, a most attractive Ty. III from Plate 4..... 2,000.00

596 **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa (8A).** Plate 4, large even margins all around, intense shade and impression, face-free strike of **blue** circular datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A MAGNIFICENT USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1851 ONE-CENT IMPERFORATE TYPE IIIA FROM PLATE 4. AN EXTREMELY DIFFICULT STAMP TO FIND WITH SUCH HUGE MARGINS.

With 2012 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$4,500.00) 875.00



596



597

597 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. IIIa-II (8A-7).** Positions 81-82L1E, left stamp (81L) **double transfer, one inverted**, margins to touching at bottom, light grid cancels, Ty. IIIa with small margin tear at top, appears Fine, Position 81L1E is not only an inverted transfer position, but the Neinken book describes it as the "finest" example of Type IIIa on Plate 1 Early, with 1980 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as pair without premium for the double transfer one inverted position..... 1,500.00



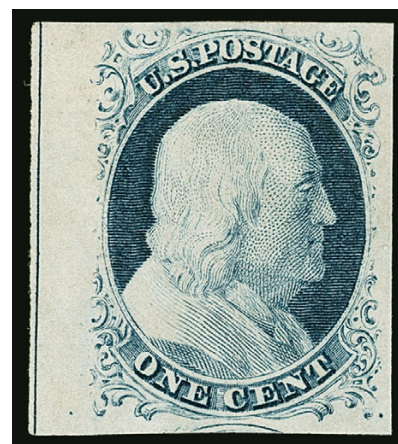
- 598 **1c Blue, Ty. II-IIIa (7-8A).** Positions 41/51R1E, vertical pair, bottom stamp Type IIIa with a wide break at top, large margins, particularly the important Type IIIa, tied on piece by well-struck blue "Ausable Forks N.Y. Feb. 8" circular datestamp, Very Fine-Extremely Fine..... 1,500.00

598

- 599 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. IV (9).** Position 61R1L with **surface crack at top right**, recut once at top, original gum, small h.r., large to huge margins including **interpane margin at left with centerline** and part of adjoining stamp at bottom, brilliant color on bright paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1851 IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT TYPE IV. A STAMP OF REMARKABLE FRESHNESS AND EYE APPEAL.

Ex Dr. Morris and Odeneal. With 2011 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$3,500.00). The SMQ for XF-Superb 95 cannot possibly factor in the left guideline margin on this stamp..... 750.00



599



600



601

- 600 **3c Dull Red, Ty. I, Vertical Half Used as 1c (11 var).** Left half, tied on small piece by clear "New York Nov. 27" circular datestamp, stamp with light vertical rub at left, otherwise Fine and rare, Scott Retail as complete cover (as Ty. II) \$5,000.00 E. 400-500
- 601 **3c Brownish Carmine, Ty. II (11A var).** Large margins to full including **left sheet or interpane margin**, radiant color beautifully complemented by **red circular datestamp**, fresh and Extremely Fine example of this desirable shade, with 2011 P.F. certificate 27.50



602

- 602 ★ **5c Red Brown (12).** Original gum, lightly hinged, three large margins, clear at bottom, deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper

FRESH AND VERY FINE. AN ATTRACTIVE AND RARE SOUND ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT 1856 ISSUE.

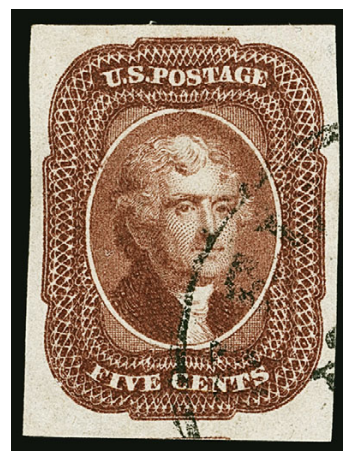
The spacing between stamps was very narrow, leaving little margin for error when separating the stamps, which explains why so few examples are known with four margins.

Ex "Laila". With 1980 and 1997 P.F. certificates..... 30,000.00

- 603 **5c Red Brown (12).** Enormous margins all around including part of adjoining stamp at bottom, deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, neat strike of New Orleans circular datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A BEAUTIFUL USED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT 1856 ISSUE, GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E.

With 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$4,350.00). Only four have graded higher (all at 98J) and only five others share this desirable grade..... 700.00



603



604

- 604 **5c Red Brown (12).** Huge margins all around including significant portions of adjoining stamps at sides, radiant color on bright paper, unobtrusive circular datestamps and portion of red postmark at left

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A HUGE AND STUNNING USED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT 1856 ISSUE. A TRULY EXCEPTIONAL EXAMPLE FOR THE PERFECTIONIST.

With 1999 P.F. and 2016 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$2,850.00). We cannot explain why this was not graded Superb 98J. 700.00

- 605 **5c Red Brown (12).** Large even margins all around, brilliant color on fresh paper, neat town datestamp with "Falls", Extremely Fine Gem, a superb used example of the 5c 1856 Issue, scarce used outside of New Orleans, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$2,100.00) 700.00



605



- 606 **5c Red Brown (12).** Full even margins all around, bright shade, neat strike of town cancel, faint diagonal crease at top right and tiny corner creases at top, otherwise Very Fine, with 2001 P.F. certificate 700.00
- 607 **10c Green, Ty. I (13).** Three huge margins, barely touched at top left, rich color, bold strike of unusual **oval of wedges inside outer rim** fancy cancel, Very Fine and striking... 850.00
- 608 ★ **10c Green, Ty. II (14).** Large part original gum, large to ample margins, intense color and impression, minute hinge thin, Very Fine appearance..... 5,000.00
- 609 ★ **10c Green, Ty. III (15).** Large part original gum, h.r., large margins to just touching at left, rich shade, minute pinpoint thin, Fine appearance..... 5,000.00
- 610 ★ **10c Green, Ty. III (15).** Disturbed original gum, three large margins, close but clear at top, rich color, small thin spot, Very Fine appearance..... 5,000.00

- 611 **10c Yellow Green, Ty. III (15).** Huge even margins including portion of the adjoining stamp at right, deep rich color, circular datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN EXCEPTIONALLY BEAUTIFUL USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1855 10-CENT TYPE III. THIS STAMP IS GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

The 10c Type III is defined by its incomplete bottom plumes and breaks in the circles at top. While the subjects on the 10c Plate 1 were spaced further apart than on other plates from the 1851-57 Issues, finding a true Gem 100 grade is still exceedingly difficult.

Ex Kirke. With 2002 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$2,700.00). Only three other used Type III's share this grade and none grade higher 150.00



611



612



613

- 612 **10c Green, Ty. III (15).** Huge perfectly balanced margins, light face-free strike of town datestamp, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,250.00) 150.00
- 613 **10c Green, Ty. III (15).** Large even margins, deep shade, grid cancel and tiny bit of manuscript, Extremely Fine, ex "Sevenoaks", with 1986 P.F. certificate..... 150.00



614

- 614 ★ **10c Green, Ty. IV (16).** Position 86L1, recut at top, original gum which covers approximately half the stamp, described as "small part original gum" on accompanying certificates, large margins to just touched at top right ornament, rich color, tiny thin at top FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 1855 10-CENT TYPE IV WITH PART ORIGINAL GUM. ONE OF THE RAREST OF ALL CLASSIC UNITED STATES UNUSED STAMPS. As an indication of rarity, we have offered fewer than a dozen unused copies with or without gum in all of our Rarities sales and in the last 16 years of auctions. Ex Curtis. With 1988 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates. Scott Retail as original gum 37,500.00

- 615 **10c Green, Ty. IV (16).** Position 86L1, recut at top, huge margins all around, rich color and proof-like impression on fresh paper, unobtrusive cancels including San Francisco circular datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB USED EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE 1855 10-CENT TYPE IV, GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E.

With 1996, 2010 P.F. (XF-Superb 95) and 2015 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$7,250.00). Only three examples grade higher (highest is a 98) 1,700.00



615



616

- 616 **10c Green, Ty. IV (16).** Position 3R1, recut at top, the **misplaced relief position** showing breaks in lines above each "X", full to large margins including part of adjoining stamp at left, magnificent rich color and proof-like early impression, lightly cancelled by black town datestamp and trace of red New York datestamp (we have not added premium to Scott value)

EXTREMELY FINE. A WONDERFUL EXAMPLE OF THE 1855 10-CENT TYPE IV FROM THE TOP-ROW MISPLACED RELIEF POSITION 3R1, WITH EXCEPTIONAL COLOR AND CLARITY OF IMPRESSION.

With 2015 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$2,800.00) ...
..... 1,885.00



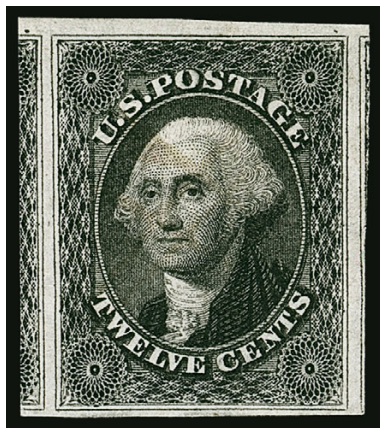
617



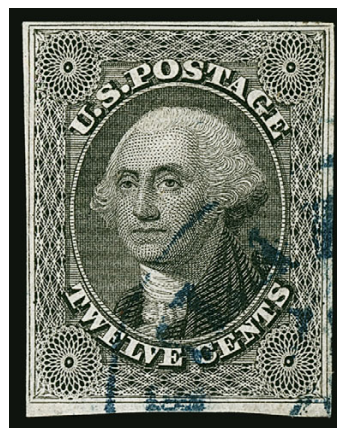
618

- 617 **10c Green, Ty. IV (16).** Position 54L1, recut at bottom, rich color, three ample to large margins, clear at top, neat strike of **blue circular datestamp**, fresh and Fine 1,790.00

- 618 **10c Green, Ty. IV (16).** Positions 64-65L1, horizontal pair, left stamp **recut at top and bottom**, right stamp recut at top, mostly large margins to just touching at bottom of right stamp, rich color on bright paper, light blue cancels, Fine-Very Fine, a rare pair of the 10c Ty. IV, there are only two places on the plate where a horizontal pair of Type IV can occur (other is Position 54-55L1) 4,500.00



619



620

- 619 **12c Black (17).** Huge margins including large part of adjoining stamps at sides and part of top sheet margin with guide dots, intense shade and impression on bright paper, unobtrusive pen cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1983 and 2002 P.F. certificates, Scott Retail as pen-cancelled 125.00
- 620 **12c Black, Very Thin Paper (17 var).** Clear to ample margins, proof-like impression typical of printing on thin paper, blue circular datestamp, Very Fine, with note from Dr. Amonette stating his opinion that the stamp is the thin paper variety 1,750.00

1857-60 ISSUE



621

- 621 **1c Blue, Ty. I (18).** Plate 12, perfect centering which clearly shows the characteristics of the type, deep rich color, razor-sharp impression on pristine paper, pretty strike of **red New York Paid City Delivery circular datestamp**

EXTREMELY FINE USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 PERFORATED ONE-CENT TYPE I. PARTICULARLY EYE-APPEALING WITH THE RED NEW YORK CITY CARRIER DATESTAMP.

The defining characteristic of Type I is that the entire design is printed, including the scrolls and plumes at bottom. Type I perforated stamps are only known from certain positions on Plate 12. Due to the narrow spacing between perforations and difficulties of production, this issue is usually found with part of the design cut off by the perforations. The example offered here, with bright color, a clear cancel and with the design characteristics clearly visible, is a true condition rarity.

Ex Dr. Hinrichs. With 1999 P.F. certificate..... 645.00

- 622 **1c Blue, Ty. Ia (19).** Plate 4, deep intense color, grid cancel, some short perfs and a few not fully formed at upper right not mentioned on accompanying certificate, appears Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate..... 9,000.00



622



623

- 623 **1c Blue, Ty. Ia (19).** Position 98R4, intense early color and impression, light town circular datestamp, small tear at bottom, Fine appearance, a scarce type which was produced only by 18 positions in the bottom row of Plate 4, with 1983 P.F. certificate..... 9,000.00

- 624 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. II (20).** Plate 12, original gum, lightly hinged, beautiful margins and centering, small natural inclusion in gum not visible on an album page and not mentioned on accompanying certificate
EXTREMELY FINE LIGHTLY-HINGED ORIGINAL-GUM
EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT 1857 TYPE II.
With copy of 1980 P.F. (for a block) and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$4,250.00) ... 900.00



624



625

- 625 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. III (21).** Plate 4, large part original gum, deep color and sharp detailed impression, small crease at top left

FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE PERFORATED 1857 ONE-CENT TYPE III.

This stamp was printed from Plate 4, which originally produced imperforate stamps and was used only briefly after the introduction of perforations in 1857 before being discontinued. Original-gum examples of stamps from Plate 4 are extremely scarce. 17,500.00

- 626 **1c Blue, Ty. III (21).** Position 45L4, rich color and bright paper, sharp impression, light strike of town datestamp, beautifully centered with clear breaks at top and bottom

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A GORGEOUS EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 ONE-CENT PERFORATED TYPE III, WHICH CLEARLY SHOWS THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE TYPE.

Due to narrow spacing on the plate, examples of this type often have the perforations cutting into the outer lines at either top or bottom or both. The example offered here clearly presents the characteristics of the type.

With 2001 P.F. certificate 1,750.00



626



627

- 627 **1c Blue, Ty. III (21).** Intense shade and impression on crisp paper, well-balanced margins with perfs completely clear of design on all sides, dark blue cancel

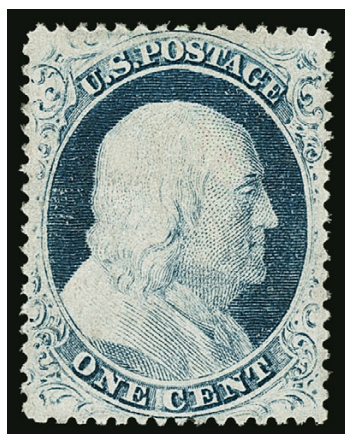
EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 ONE-CENT PERFORATED TYPE III.

Ex Dr. Morris. With 1999 P.F. certificate 1,800.00



628

- 628 **1c Blue, Ty. III (21).** Position 61L4, light (or lightened) pen cancel, attractive margins and centering for this tightly-spaced issue, Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail for pen cancel. 1,150.00



629



630



631

- 629 (★) **1c Blue, Ty. IV (23).** Plate 1L, recut once at top and bottom, unused (regummed), rich color, near perfect centering but called reperfed at top on most recent certificate (we are unconvinced), appears Extremely Fine, with 1984 P.F. (as sound) and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (as reperfed) 4,250.00
- 630° **1c Blue, Ty. IV (23).** Plate 1L, recut once at top and bottom, radiant color on bright paper, neat strike of **red New York City carrier** datestamp, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp and especially desirable with the red carrier cancel, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate 1,100.00
- 631 **1c Blue, Ty. IV (23).** Plate 1L, recut once at top and bottom, well-centered, crisp shade, light circular datestamp, Very Fine..... 900.00
- 632 ★ **1c Blue, Ty. V (24).** Original gum, h.r., choice centering and margins, Extremely Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, XF 90; SMQ \$550.00) 140.00



632

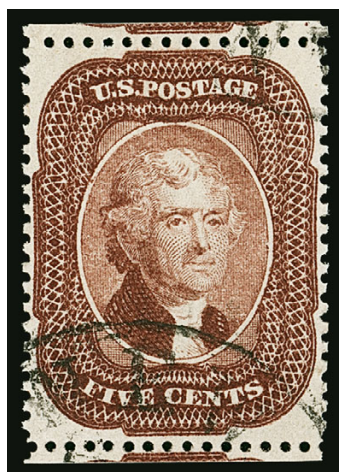


633

- 633 ★★ **3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26).** Mint N.H., unusually choice centering with Jumbo margins, post-office fresh color and paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp which is rarely seen with Jumbo margins, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$2,000.00), only three have graded higher (all at 98) and this is the only 95J, Scott Retail as hinged 75.00



- 634 **3c Dull Red, Ty. III (26).** Vivid color, almost perfect centering, circular datestamp cancel with "From" (railroad route agent's marking), perfectly struck, Extremely Fine Gem, a striking stamp, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$290.00) 10.00
- 635 ★ **3c Dull Red, Ty. IV (26A).** Position 44R10, original gum, lightly hinged, radiant color, choice centering, fresh and Extremely Fine, with copy of 1996 P.F. certificate for block..... 600.00
- 636 ★ **3c Dull Red, Ty. IV (26A).** Position 54R10, original gum, lightly hinged, brilliant color, Very Fine and choice, with 1996 P.F. certificate for block 600.00
- 637 ★ **3c Dull Red, Ty. IV (26A).** Position 55R10, original gum, bright color, light vertical crease, Very Fine appearance, with copy of 1996 P.F. certificate for block 600.00
- 638 **5c Brick Red (27).** Rich color and sharp impression, neat town circular datestamp, Very Fine, with 1998 A.P.S. certificate 1,600.00



639

- 639° **5c Red Brown (28).** Lovely shade on bright paper, remarkably choice centering with intact perfs at top and bottom which show the outer projections of both adjoining stamps, face-free strike of circular datestamp leaves design clearly visible

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A PHENOMENAL USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1857 5-CENT RED BROWN. THIS IS ONE OF THE MOST DIFFICULT ISSUES TO OBTAIN WITH SUCH WIDE MARGINS AND IN SUCH PRISTINE CONDITION. EASILY ONE OF THE FINEST IN EXISTENCE.

Due to the narrow spacing between stamps on the plate, the perforations often touch or go into the outer portion of the design on one or more sides. The intact perforations at top and bottom beautifully demonstrate this lack of spacing. The example offered here, with perfect centering and unusually wide margins, is a true condition rarity.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$9,850.00). Only two have graded higher (both 98, one of which brought \$17,000 hammer in our 2012 Kirke sale). Only four others share this grade, and we have offered only one of them in our past sales..... 1,100.00



640



641



642

- 640 **5c Red Brown (28).** Choice centering with perfs clear of design at all points, rich color, New Orleans town cancel, tiny corner perf tip creases at top, appears Extremely Fine..... 1,100.00
- 641 **5c Bright Red Brown (28b).** Well-centered, wonderfully rich color, black grid and red transit cancels, Very Fine, with 2000 P.S.E. certificate incorrectly identifying it as the Indian Red color (No. 28A) 2,300.00
- 642 **5c Bright Red Brown (28b).** Rich color in this 1858 shade, very light cancel, couple unpunched perfs at top, Fine..... 2,300.00

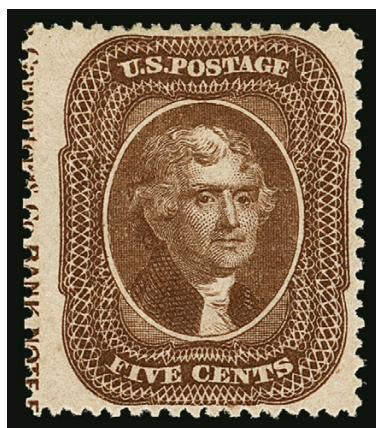
- 643 **5c Brown (29).** Rich color on bright paper, neat strike of large Boston "Paid" grid cancel, gorgeous centering with design clear of outer projections on all four sides

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1859 5-CENT TYPE I BROWN, WHICH IS GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E. — ONLY TWO HAVE GRADED HIGHER.

With 2001 P.F. certificate as on cover (the cover accompanies this lot). With 2015 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$4,500.00). Only two have graded higher (both at 98).... 390.00



643



644

- 644°★ **5c Brown, Ty. II (30A).** Original gum, with "Carpenter & Co. BANK NOTE E" of imprint captured at left, rich color, unusually wide and balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS EASILY ONE OF THE FINEST ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLES OF THE 5-CENT BROWN TYPE II IN EXISTENCE. A REMARKABLE STAMP, ESPECIALLY WITH THE CAPTURED IMPRINT.

Unlike its Orange Brown counterpart, the 5c Type II in Brown was not on hand in post offices when the 1861 demonetization order took effect. Therefore, original-gum examples of Scott 30A are far scarcer than Scott 30. The narrow spacing between subjects on the plate, as well as Toppan Carpenter's imprecise perforating, leaves collectors with very few well-centered original-gum examples. This remarkable stamp, with the captured imprint at left, is among the finest we have located among auction sales of the past 65 years. It would make an excellent companion to the example we offered in our 2017 Rarities sale, with captured imprint at right, which was graded XF 90 by P.S.E.

With 2017 P.F. certificate (XF 90 XQ), the "XQ" designation is bestowed on stamps of Extraordinary Quality 2,200.00



- 645 **10c Green, Ty. I (31).** Deep shade, well-struck “21” in concentric circles cancel of Montreal, reperfed at bottom, Fine appearance, with 1989 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail without any premium for the Canadian cancel which is listed but unpriced in Scott 1,200.00
- 646 **10c Green, Ty. I (31).** Position 100R1 showing **double transfer** at bottom, deep shade, neat town cancel, Very Fine..... 1,350.00
- 647 **10c Green, Ty. IV (34).** Position 3R1, recut at top, well centered with wide margins, fresh color and strong impression, neat San Francisco circular datestamp, Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate..... 2,100.00
- 648 **10c Green, Ty. IV (34).** Position 86L1, recut at top, neat strike of **red New York circular datestamp**, reperfed at top, otherwise Very Fine..... 2,275.00
- 649 **24c Gray Lilac (37).** Choice centering with unusually wide margins, rich color nicely complemented by **red grid** cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 1987, 1998 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,900.00)..... 465.00



650

- 650°(★) **90c Blue (39).** Unused (no gum), mathematically perfect centering with unusually wide and balanced margins, deep rich color and proof-like impression

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS MAY WELL HAVE THE WIDEST MARGINS AND MOST PRECISE CENTERING OF ANY EXAMPLE OF THE 90-CENT 1860 ISSUE WE HAVE EVER ENCOUNTERED. THIS REMARKABLE STAMP IS GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED IN ANY CATEGORY AND THE ONLY EXAMPLE TO ACHIEVE IT.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 95, SMQ \$3,250.00 as 95). This is the only example to achieve the grade of Superb 98 in *any* category (used, no gum, OG and NH). The next-highest grade in any category is a 95. As another indication of rarity, we have offered only two copies graded higher than a 90 in any of our auctions (a 90J with gum, and a 95 without gum). ... 1,200.00

- 651 **90c Blue (39).** Deep rich color, neat strike of red grid cancel, tiny corner crease at top left which has been repaired, Fine appearance, a rare genuinely used example, with 1988 P.F. certificate 11,000.00



651

1875 REPRINT OF 1857-60 ISSUE



652

- 652 ★ **1c-90c 1875 Reprint of 1857-60 Issue (40-47).** Complete set, without gum as issued, all bright and fresh colors, usual centering and nibbed perfs or scissors separation, a few small faults

FINE APPEARING COMPLETE SET OF THE 1875 REPRINT OF THE 1857-60 ISSUE.

Complete sets are rarely offered. This is an excellent opportunity to complete the entire issue with attractive appearing stamps 20,950.00



- 653 ★ **1c Bright Blue, Reprint (40).** Without gum as issued, bright color, Very Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate..... 600.00

653

- 654 ★ **3c Scarlet, Reprint (41).** Without gum as issued, vivid color on bright paper, exceptionally well-centered for this difficult issue

EXTREMELY FINE. AN OUTSTANDING CENTERED EXAMPLE OF THE 3-CENT 1857 REPRINT.

The Continental Bank Note Company made a new plate for the 3c 1857 Reprint, consisting of 100 subjects. 10,000 stamps were printed (100 impressions). 479 of the 3c were sold. The P.S.E. Population Report reveals how rare it is in any kind of sound and centered condition. Only three stamps are graded 90 and only three are graded above 90, with the highest graded 95J (Siegel Sale 973, lot 62).

With 1990, 2000 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$9,500.00) 3,000.00



654



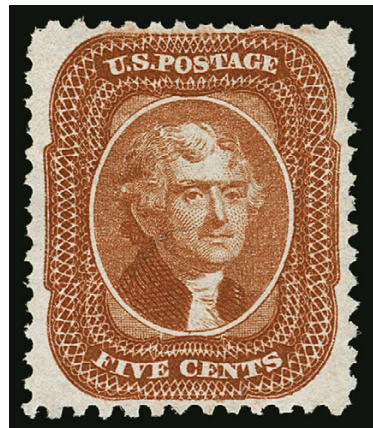
655

- 655 ★ **3c Scarlet, Reprint (41).** Without gum as issued, vivid color on bright paper, wonderfully well-centered for this difficult issue with perfs clear of design on each side

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE 3-CENT 1857 REPRINT.

Ex Coulter. With 1975 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$6,500.00). Only six have graded higher and three others share this grade..... 3,000.00

- 656 ★ **5c Orange Brown, Reprint (42).** Without gum as issued, rich color, choice centering with perfs clear of design all around, Extremely Fine, only 878 sold, with 1982 P.F. certificate 1,250.00



656

- 657 ★ **5c Orange Brown, Reprint (42).** Without gum as issued, bright colors, perfs scissors-separated but intact, Fine, only 878 sold 1,250.00



657



658

- 658 ★ **5c Orange Brown, Reprint (42).** Gum added over tiny thin speck, bright color, reperfed (not noted on certificate), Fine appearance, only 878 sold, with 2001 A.P.S. certificate 1,250.00

- 659 ★ **10c Blue Green, Reprint (43).** Without gum as issued, deep rich color on bright paper, attractive centering and margins, most recent certificate states reperfed at left, Very Fine appearance, only 516 sold, with clear 1982 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates 2,750.00

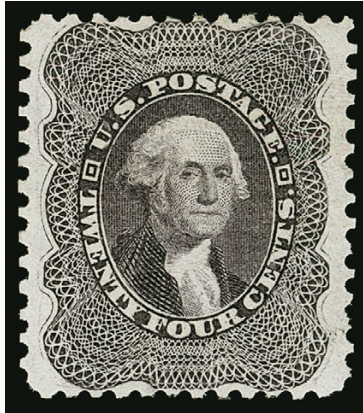


659



660

- 660 ★ **12c Greenish Black, Reprint (44).** Without gum as issued, intense shade and impression
 VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 12-CENT 1857 REPRINT.
 Only 489 sold. With 1985 P.F. certificate..... 3,000.00



661

- 661 ★ **24c Blackish Violet, Reprint (45).** Without gum as issued, deep rich color on bright paper, well-balanced margins top to bottom and side to side, reperfed at right (not mentioned on certificate), Very Fine appearance, only 479 sold, with clear 1984 P.F. certificate 3,250.00

- 662 ★ **30c Yellow Orange, Reprint (46).** Without gum as issued, vibrant color on bright paper, well-centered for this difficult issue

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 30-CENT 1857 REPRINT.

The Continental Bank Note Company reprinted the 30c stamp from the original plate of 200 subjects. 10,000 were printed (50 impressions). Only 480 were sold; the remaining 9,520 were destroyed on July 23, 1884.

With 1975 P.F. certificate..... 3,250.00



662



663

- 663 ★ **90c Deep Blue, Reprint (47).** Without gum as issued, deep shade and detailed impression, choice centering and margins

VERY FINE AND CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE 90-CENT 1857 REPRINT.

The Continental Bank Note Company reprinted the 90c stamp from the original plate of 200 subjects. 10,000 were printed (50 impressions). Only 454 were sold; the remaining 9,546 were destroyed on July 23, 1884, by order of the Postmaster General.

With 1979 P.F. certificate 4,000.00

- 664 ★ **90c Deep Blue, Reprint (47).** Without gum as issued, rich color on bright paper, fresh and Fine, only 454 sold 3,850.00



664

END OF SESSION ONE

SESSION TWO (LOTS 665-789)
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2017, AT 10:30 A.M.

1861-66 ISSUE



665



666

- 665 ★ **3c Brown Rose, First Design (56).** Original gum, outstanding centering and margins, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.F. certificate 550.00
- 666 (★) **90c Blue, First Design, Imperforate (62a).** Unused (no gum), large margins, rich color, Very Fine and quite scarce, with 1972 P.F. certificate noting “minute corner margin crease”, which is not actually present, with 2015 P.F. certificate as sound and identifying the stamp by its original Scott number (62a) as well as its essay number (72-E7g), unpriced as a single in Scott, Scott Retail as half of a pair 2,750.00



667

- 667 **10c Dark Green, First Design (62B).** Wide margins and choice centering, wonderful dark shade and intense impression of the First Design printing, which provides the backdrop for a vivid red “New York Paid Oct. 20” circular datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING USED EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT GREEN FIRST DESIGN, WHICH IS ONE OF THE MOST DIFFICULT ISSUES TO OBTAIN IN SUCH SUPERB CONDITION.

The 10c 1861 First Design (or Type I) was printed from Plate 4, which left very little space between the stamps for the 12-gauge perforation holes. Examples of Scott 62B (or 58) are rarely seen with margins framing the design on all sides. The stamp offered here is the rare exception, and it is even more remarkable as a used copy, free of faults, and with a complementary red cancel.

With 2015 P.F. certificate..... 1,710.00



- 668 **10c Dark Green, First Design (62B).** Deep rich color nicely complemented by **red circular datestamp** cancel, single short perf at bottom right, still Very Fine appearance, with 2017 P.F. certificate 1,710.00
- 669 ★★ **1c Blue (63). Mint N.H.,** deep rich color on bright paper, well-balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2005 and 2015 P.F. certificates, Scott Retail as hinged 300.00
- 670 **1c Blue (63).** Brilliant color, **blue Wells, Fargo & Co. Express** double-circle datestamp, Extremely Fine, scarce marking on the 1c 1861, ex Rose and Diamond, with 2015 P.F. certificate.. E. 300-400
- 671 **1c Dark Blue (63b).** Intense color in the true Dark Blue shade, nicely complemented by **red New York City carrier** circular datestamp, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine example of this distinct variety, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate 850.00
- 672 ★ **3c Lake (66).** Original gum, unmistakable rich Lake shade, Very Good, with 1966 P.F. certificate 2,000.00



673

- 673 **5c Olive Yellow (67b).** Radiant color in the true Olive Yellow shade, nicely complemented by **blue** grid cancel, well-balanced margins

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 1861 5-CENT IN THE DISTINCTIVE OLIVE YELLOW SHADE. THIS IS THE SCARCEST SHADE OF THE 5-CENT 1861 ISSUE, AND IT IS EXCEEDINGLY DIFFICULT TO FIND IN SUCH CHOICE CONDITION.

We have offered approximately a dozen unduplicated examples of the Olive Yellow shade in any condition since keeping computerized records. Of these, two were unused. It is difficult to find in sound and centered condition.

Ex "Golden Oak". With 1988 P.F. certificate..... 4,530.00

- 674 **10c Yellow Green (68).** Choice centering, intense shade with contrasting **red New York circular datestamp**, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp 65.00
- 675 (★) **12c Black (69).** Unused (no gum), wide margins and excellent centering, clear impression, Extremely Fine, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$850.00) 725.00

676°★田 **12c Black (69).** Block of six, original gum, top four stamps lightly hinged, **bottom two stamps Mint N.H.**, bright shade and crisp impression

FINE-VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE BLOCK OF SIX OF THE 12-CENT 1861 ISSUE, WITH THE BOTTOM STAMPS IN MINT NEVER-HINGED CONDITION. A BLOCK OF SIX IS ALSO THE LARGEST RECORDED UNUSED MULTIPLE, AND THIS MAY BE THE FINEST IN EXISTENCE.

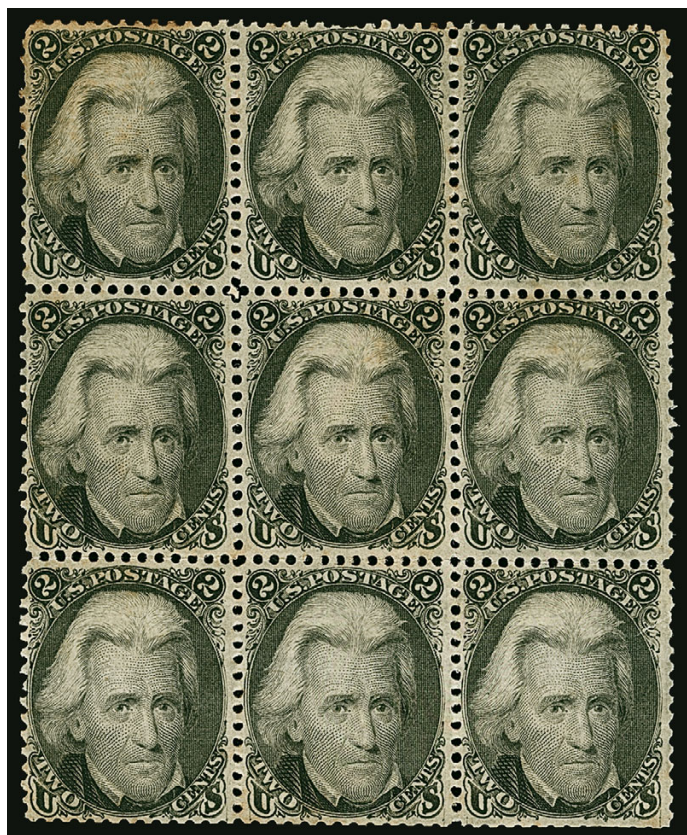
Linn's Stamp Facts notes the largest unused multiple is a block of six. The largest multiple we have offered in our auctions since 1979 is a block of four. Sinkler had a block of four. The Ishikawa collection contained a block of four. Walter Klein only had a pair. We offered a block of six in our 1979 Rarities sale, with disturbed gum on one stamp and "nearly full gum" on the others. The block offered here, with full original gum and with two Mint N.H. stamps, is a remarkable rarity.

With 1994 P.F. certificate stating "previously hinged on the top two, the balance are never hinged". We believe the center stamps show a faint trace of hinging or slightly uneven gum that would likely be called previously hinged by today's stringent expertizing standards. Scott Retail as block of four and pair with no premium for the two Mint N.H. stamps

..... 14,000.00



676



677

677 ★田 **2c Black (73).** Block of nine, original gum, most stamps appear **Mint N.H.**, choice centering and crisp impression, some perf separations, light toning most noticeable at top and on reverse, couple light fingerprints and bottom right stamp with tear, Fine-Very Fine appearance, Scott Retail as block of four, two pairs and a single 4,600.00



678



679



680

- 678 ★ **3c Scarlet (74).** Original gum, bright color, reperfed at top, Very Fine appearance, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 7,000.00
- 679 ★ **3c Scarlet (74).** Slightly disturbed original gum, brilliant color, small natural inclusion below Washington's ear, Very Fine and attractive..... 7,000.00
- 680 (★) **3c Scarlet (74).** Unused (no gum), bright color, light horizontal crease, Fine appearance, signed Bloch, Scott Retail as original gum 7,000.00



681

- 681 **3c Scarlet (74).** Four neat pen strokes, brilliant color, nice margins and centering, single slightly nibbed perf at top left

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE VERY SCARCE 3-CENT SCARLET TRIAL PRINTING.

As has been documented by Jerome S. Wagshal in a series of *Chronicle* articles (Nos. 56, 60, 61 and 62), Carl F. Rothfuchs, a Washington D.C. stamp dealer, obtained a supply of the 3c Scarlet in 1893 — probably from the Post Office Department in exchange for his assistance with the Columbian Exposition — and sold them with pen marks and original gum. The Rothfuchs lot is not from the same supply acquired by John W. Scott in the late 1870's, from which stamps exist uncanceled and cancelled with a New York City Station D oval.

With 1981 P.F. certificate..... 5,500.00

- 682 (★) **5c Red Brown (75).** Unused (no gum), deep rich Red Brown color, attractive margins and centering, Very Fine, with 1975 and 2015 P.F. certificates.... 2,100.00



682



683

- 683 **5c Red Brown (75).** Perfectly centered within balanced margins, deep rich color, razor-sharp impression on bright white paper, light target cancel and trace of red cancel at top

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB USED EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT 1862 RED BROWN.

Brookman notes "I consider the used Red Brown to be more scarce than Buff but the Buff is more scarce unused".

With 1994 P.F. certificate 485.00

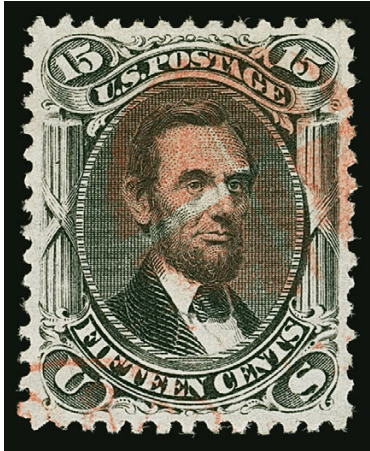


684



685

- 684 **5c Red Brown (75).** Lovely warm color, neat strike of Philadelphia circular datestamp, well-proportioned margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1996 P.F. certificate 425.00
- 685 ★田 **5c Brown (76).** Block of eight, original gum, deep intense color, centered to left, uncommonly fresh, one of the largest blocks of No. 76 still in existence and the largest we have offered since keeping computerized records, Scott Retail \$16,500.00 as two blocks of four E. 1,500-2,000



686

686

15c Black (77). Exceedingly well-centered within balanced margins, intense shade, crisp impression on fresh paper, **red** quartered cork cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE 1866 15-CENT LINCOLN. ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE WITH THE RED CANCELLATION.

With 2003 P.S.E. certificate 220.00



687



688

687 **15c Black (77).** Intense shade on bright paper, nicely complemented by **blue** cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate 195.00

688 **24c Lilac (78).** Rich color on bright paper, wide and balanced margins, **red quartered cork** cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, a pretty stamp, with 1988, 2000 and 2016 P.F. certificates 400.00

ENCASED POSTAGE



689



690

689 **J. Gault, New York N.Y., 24c Violet, Plain Frame (EP99).** Mica replaced, stamp with some wrinkling, back slightly discolored, otherwise Very Fine, a scarce example of the 24c Gault encasement, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 2,250.00

690 **Kirkpatrick & Gault, New York N.Y., 5c Red Brown (EP115).** Stamp with rich color, mica mostly intact with some crazing, Very Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate 500.00

POSTAGE CURRENCY



691

- 691 **50c Washington, Imperforate, "ABCo." Imprint (PC8).** Sheet of 16 with sheet margins on all sides, few light creases, few small tears in sheet margins, Very Fine appearance, a scarce intact sheet, Scott Retail as singles..... 2,800.00



692

- 692 **50c Washington, Imperforate, "ABCo." Imprint (PC8).** Sheet of 16, large margins to just in at bottom left, few creases and edge tears, otherwise Fine, scarce intact sheet, Scott Retail as singles..... 2,800.00



693

- 693 **50c Washington, Imperforate, "ABCo." Imprint (PC8).** Vertical strip of four, large margins, horizontal crease between two at center, Very Fine appearance, scarce multiple, Scott Retail as singles..... 700.00



694EX

- 694 P **5c-50c Postage Currency, Proofs (PC13P-PC16P).** Twelve items, including set printed on India paper with front and back on separate pieces, also four additional pieces of 25c (two front only, two back only) on paper closer to that used for the issued currency, few small faults often associated with the fragile India paper, Very Fine and very unusual.....**(Photo Ex)** E. 500-750
- 695 **Postage Currency Balance.** Two groups, first 15 items depicting the 5c and 10c U.S. 1861 Issue designs, including Scott Nos. PC1, PC3 (3), PC5, PC7 (3) and PC8 (7), generally decent margins, few faults, appear Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail for this group \$2,755.00, second group of approximately ten showing other non-stamp designs, these unlisted in Scott but listed in major currency catalogues, Fine-Very Fine group.....*Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000

1867-68 GRILLED ISSUE



696



697EX



698

- 696 **3c Rose, A. Grill (79).** With **part imprint selvage** at top, attractive color and margins, typical rough perfs for this issue, small circular segmented cork cancel, Very Fine, a striking 3c A Grill with the part imprint, with 1983 P.F. certificate..... 1,500.00
- 697 **3c Rose, C., D. Grills (83, 85).** First with unusual "E A" initials at top but otherwise uncanceled, second with cork cancel, both are Fine, Scott Retail for No. 83 as used..... **(Photo Ex)** 2,150.00
- 698 **2c Black, D. Grill (84).** Intense shade, light strike of unusual small circular segmented cork cancel, diagonal crease at lower left, Fine appearing example of this scarce stamp, with 1980 P.F. certificate 4,500.00
- 699 **2c Black, Z. Grill (85B).** Clear impression nicely complemented by **red** segmented cork cancel, fresh and Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate..... 1,500.00



699



700

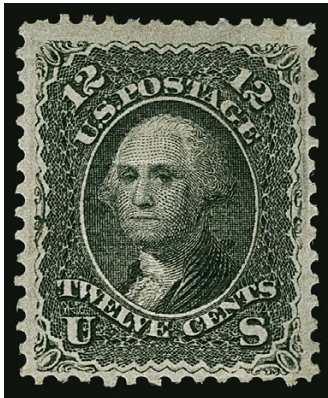


701



702EX

- 700 **3c Rose, Z. Grill (85C).** Attractive color and margins, bold rosette cancel, tiny corner perf tip crease at top right not mentioned on accompanying certificate, appears Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate .. 3,500.00
- 701 **12c Black, Z. Grill (85E).** Three extra wide margins, intense shade of the 12c Z Grill, circle of wedges cancel, Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate..... 2,500.00
- 702 **1c-90c E., F. Grills (86-101).** Complete set including an extra 3c F Grill with large imperforate margins (but may be trimmed), 10c E Grill with captured part imprint, two stamps with pen cancels and the rest handstamp cancels, small flaws to be expected, overall Fine appearance, Scott Retail approximately \$9,000.00..... E. 750-1,000



703

- 703 ★ **12c Black, E. Grill (90).** Original gum, small h.r., well-defined grill, intense shade
VERY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1868 12-CENT E GRILL.
Ex Frelinghuysen 5,000.00

- 704° ★ **1c Blue, F. Grill (92).** Original gum, lightly hinged, clearly-defined grill, pale shade
EXTREMELY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1867 ONE-CENT F GRILL.
With 2017 P.S.E. certificate 3,000.00



704



705

- 705 **1c Blue, F. Grill, Very Thin Paper (92 var).** Bright shade, bold strike of **blue** quartered cork cancel, well-balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine example of this paper variety, with 1997 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$1,250.00 as normal paper)..... 800.00



706

- 706 (★)田 **10c Yellow Green, F. Grill (96)**. Block of four, unused (no gum), intense color on bright paper (bleached to remove stains), few minor perf separations, Very Fine-Extremely Fine appearance, a scarce block, Scott Retail as original-gum block of four \$26,000.00, Scott Retail as no gum singles 3,600.00



707



708



709

- 707 **10c Yellow Green, F. Grill (96)**. Radiant color nicely complemented by **red** circle of wedges cancel, crisp paper, clearly-defined grill, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning used example of this issue, with 1996 and 2015 P.F. certificates..... 260.00
- 708 **10c Yellow Green, F. Grill (96)**. Wide margins, deep rich color, light cork cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$400.00)..... 225.00
- 709 **10c Yellow Green, F. Grill, Very Thin Paper (96 var)**. Rich color, partly readable “Hiogo, Japan” double-circle handstamp, Fine, with 1990 A.P.S. certificate 450.00

- 710 **24c Gray Lilac, F. Grill (99)**. Outstanding centering with wide and balanced margins, bright shade and fine impression on brilliant white paper, neat strike of town datestamp

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB USED EXAMPLE OF THE 1868 24-CENT F GRILL. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE STAMP IN SUCH CONDITION.

The higher-denomination F Grills were produced in limited quantities and are often found either off center or with choppy perforations. This stamp is a true condition rarity.

With 1988, 2001 and 2009 P.F. certificates .. 1,600.00



710



711



712

- 711 **30c Orange, F. Grill (100).** Bright color, clear grill points, neat quartered cork cancel and red datestamp, small tear at left, Very Fine appearance 1,120.00
- 712 **30c Orange, F. Grill (100).** Warm shade, part strike of “**Hiogo, Japan**” double-circle cancel, small repaired tear, Fine appearance, with 1987 P.F. certificate 1,400.00

1875 RE-ISSUE OF 1861-66 ISSUE



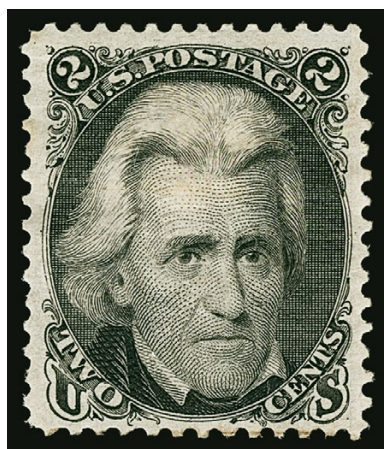
713

- 713 **1c Blue, Re-Issue (102).** Perfectly centered with wide margins, long and full perforations, lovely bright shade, light strike of cork cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN ABSOLUTELY STUNNING USED EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT 1861 RE-ISSUE, WHICH HAS BEEN GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E. — THIS STANDS ALONE AS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

The 1c Re-Issue was printed from a new plate of 100 subjects, compared to the original plate of 200 in two panes. 10,000 stamps were printed (100 impressions). 3,195 of the 1c were sold, by far the largest quantity of any denomination of the set. The remaining 6,805 were destroyed on July 16, 1884.

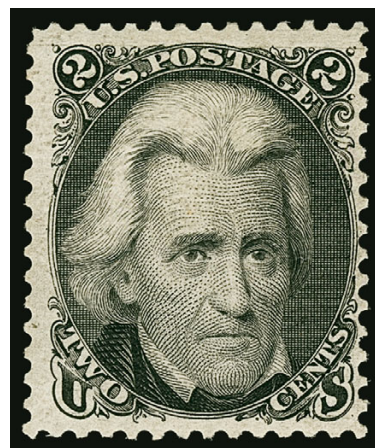
Our census of Scott 102 used, available at our website at <http://siegelauctions.com/dynamic/census/102/102.pdf>, records approximately 53 examples. Census No. 102-CAN-52. Ex Bowman. With 1987 P.F. certificate as Scott 63 (which it is not) and 2007 P.S.E. certificate as No. 102 (Superb 98; SMQ \$10,250.00). This is the highest grade awarded and the only to achieve it..... 1,600.00



714

- 714 ★ **2c Black, Re-Issue (103).** Original gum, h.r., a few slightly gum soaked perfs at bottom not mentioned on accompanying certificate, still Very Fine, only 979 sold, with 1983 P.F. certificate 3,500.00

- 715 ★ **2c Black, Re-Issue (103).** Original gum, crisp impression, Fine, only 979 sold 3,500.00



715



716

- 716 ★ **3c Brown Red, Re-Issue (104).** Slightly disturbed original gum from hinge removal, deep rich color, nice margins and centering

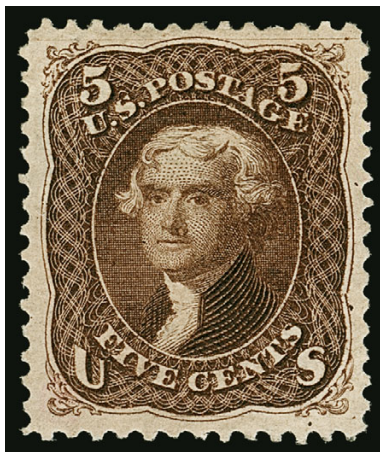
VERY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 3-CENT 1861 RE-ISSUE.

Only 465 sold. With 1982 P.F. certificate 4,000.00

- 717 ★ **3c Brown Red, Re-Issue (104).** Part original gum, strong color and impression, Fine, only 465 sold 4,000.00



717



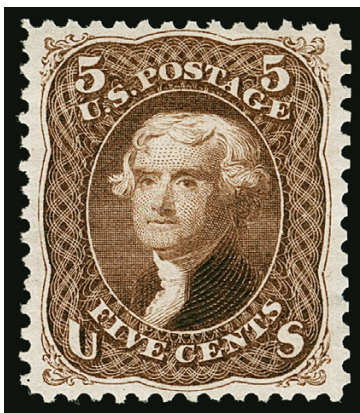
718

- 718 ★ **5c Brown, Re-Issue (105).** Original gum, deep rich color, perfect centering with Jumbo margins on post-office fresh paper, dealer's small backstamp

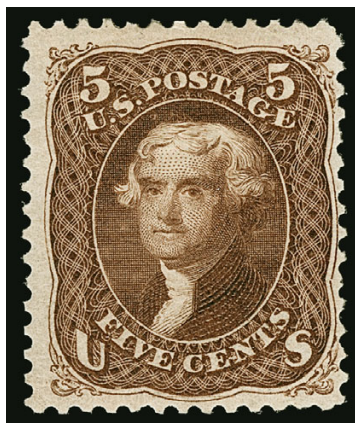
EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS SUPERB ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 5-CENT 1861 RE-ISSUE HAS BEEN AWARDED THE GRADE XF-SUPERB 95 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE ONLY EXAMPLE TO ACHIEVE THIS DESIRABLE GRADE.

The 5c Re-Issue was printed from a new plate of 100 subjects, compared to the original plate of 200 in two panes. The Re-Issue plate can be identified by a notch at bottom. 10,000 stamps were printed (100 impressions). Only 672 of the 5c were sold; the remaining 9,328 were destroyed on July 16, 1884.

With 2001 and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (OG, XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$13,000.00). This stamp was graded before P.S.E. started breaking out OGph vs. OGh. While the gum is intact and quite typical for the 1861 Re-Issues, we feel it would be graded OGh, XF-Superb 95 Jumbo if submitted today. This is the highest graded example in the P.S.E. Population Report and no others share this grade 2,600.00



719

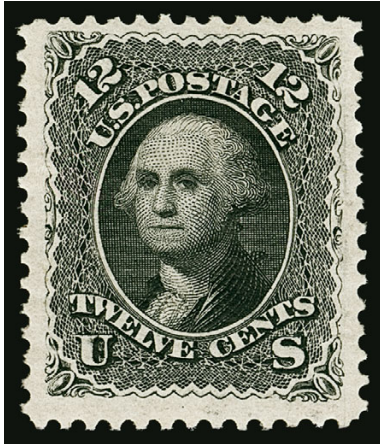


720



721

- 719 (★) **5c Brown, Re-Issue (105).** Unused (no gum), wide margins and attractive centering, rich color, Very Fine, only 672 sold, with 1950 A.P.S. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates ... 1,500.00
- 720 ★ **5c Brown, Re-Issue (105).** Large part original gum, rich color, Fine, only 672 sold 2,600.00
- 721 ★ **10c Green, Re-Issue (106).** Original gum, rich color and crisp impression, Fine, only 451 sold 3,100.00



722

- 722 ★ **12c Black, Re-Issue (107).** Disturbed original gum, bright shade and detailed impression, Jumbo margins

EXTREMELY FINE. A HUGE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 12-CENT 1861 RE-ISSUE.

Only 389 sold. With 1980 P.F. certificate 3,750.00

- 723 **12c Black, Re-Issue (107).** Wide margins all around, choice centering, intense shade, duplex cancel, filled hinge thin

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE USED EXAMPLE OF THE 12-CENT 1861 RE-ISSUE.

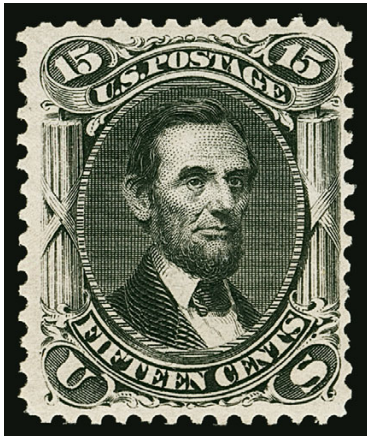
The 12c Re-Issue was printed from a new plate of 100 subjects, compared to the original plate of 200 in two panes. 10,000 stamps were printed (100 impressions). Only 389 of the 12c were sold; the remaining 9,611 were destroyed on July 16, 1884.

Our census of Scott 107 used, available at our website at <http://siegelauctions.com/dynamic/census/107/107.pdf>, records only 15 examples.

Census No. 107-CAN-15. With 2015 P.S.E. certificate ..
..... 15,000.00



723



724

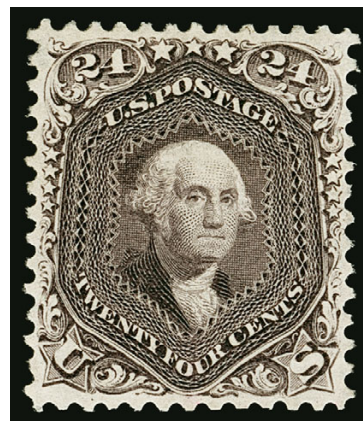
- 724 ★ **15c Black, Re-Issue (108).** Original gum, intense shade and impression, fresh and Fine, an attractive example of the 15c Re-Issue, only 397 sold, with 1986 P.F. certificate 4,500.00

- 725 (★) **15c Black, Re-Issue (108).** Unused (no gum), reperfed at left, appears well-centered, intense shade and impression, Very Fine appearance, only 397 sold
..... 1,750.00

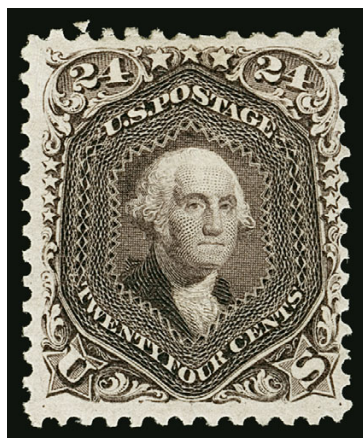


725

- 725A ★ **24c Deep Violet, Re-Issue (109).** Original gum, deep rich color and proof-like impression, well-centered but reperfed at bottom, appears Extremely Fine, small red backstamp, only 346 sold, with 1972 P.F. (as sound) and 2017 P.S.E. certificates..... 5,750.00



725a



726

- 726 ★ **24c Deep Violet, Re-Issue (109).** Original gum, rich re-issue color, sharp detailed impression, Fine, only 346 sold..... 5,750.00

- 727 ★ **30c Brownish Orange, Re-Issue (110).** Part disturbed original gum, lovely rich color, Fine, only 346 sold....
..... 6,000.00



727



728

- 728 (★) **30c Brownish Orange, Re-Issue (110).** Unused (no gum), bright color, attractive margins and centering, Very Fine, only 346 sold, with 1984 P.F. certificate ...
..... 2,800.00



729

- 729 ★ **90c Blue, Re-Issue (111).** Unused (no gum), deep rich color on bright paper, wide margins and well-centered

VERY FINE UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 90-CENT 1861 RE-ISSUE.

The 90c Re-Issue was printed from the original plate of 200 subjects. 10,000 stamps were printed (50 impressions). Only 317 of the 90c were sold; the remaining 9,683 were destroyed on July 16, 1884.

With 1950 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates..... 3,250.00



730

- 730 (★) **90c Blue, Re-Issue (111).** Unused (no gum), dark shade, crisp detailed impression, Fine, only 317 sold..... 3,250.00

1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE



731



732



734

- 731 (★) **1c Buff (112).** Unused (no gum), brilliant color, unusually wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$850.00), this is a difficult issue to obtain in the higher grades 225.00



733

- 732 ★ **2c Brown (113).** Original gum, lightly hinged, with **part right arrow selvage**, bright shade, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, VF-XF 85; SMQ \$1,000.00), for the smart collector who wants to get an XF 90 stamp based on an 85 SMQ value, here it is 525.00
- 733 ★ **2c Brown (113).** Original gum, lightly hinged, with **right part imprint selvage**, bright color, fresh, Very Fine and choice, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, VF 80; SMQ \$625.00), in our opinion this is a solid 85 and possibly 90 525.00
- 734 ★ **2c Brown (113).** Original gum, rich color, Very Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate..... 525.00



- 735 **2c Brown (113).** Intense shade on bright paper, near perfect centering, beautifully struck **blue** target cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$775.00 for ordinary black cancel) 130.00
- 736 **2c Brown (113).** Rich color on bright white paper, wide margins and wonderfully well-centered, neat quartered cork cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$250.00)..... 80.00
- 737 ★ **6c Ultramarine (115).** Original gum, lightly hinged, lovely color on bright paper, Fine, scarce in sound original-gum condition, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate 2,750.00
- 738 (★) **6c Ultramarine (115).** Unused (no gum), choice centering with well-proportioned margins, bright color, tiny corner perf tip thin, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Curtis..... 1,000.00
- 739 **6c Ultramarine (115).** Mostly complete and clear “**Hiogo, Japan**” double-circle cancel, few creases, Fine, very scarce use on the 6c 1869 Issue 1,725.00
- 740 **10c Yellow (116).** Wide margins and outstanding centering, neat strike of waffle grid cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,050.00), only five have graded higher 120.00
- 741 **10c Yellow (116).** Excellent centering, wide margins, bright color, circle of wedges cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$425.00) 120.00
- 742 ★ **12c Green (117).** Part original gum, well-centered within unusually wide margins, fresh color, couple tiny thins at bottom left, Very Fine appearance, with 1993 P.F. certificate 1,900.00
- 743 **12c Green (117).** Gorgeous centering with unusually wide and balanced margins, intense shade and impression, neat cork cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 1993 P.S.E. certificate 120.00
- 744 **12c Green (117).** Near perfect centering with wide margins, strong impression and color, light cancel with traces of red transit, Extremely Fine, with 1994 P.F. certificate..... 120.00
- 745 **12c Green, Double Grill (117 var).** Clear second grill applied slightly to the lower left of the other, rich color, wide margins and well-centered, cork cancel, couple shorter perfs at lower right, appears Extremely Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate 400.00
- 746 **12c Green (117).** Light but readable “**Hiogo, Japan**” double-circle cancel, minute corner perf repair at top left, Fine appearance, an exceptionally scarce use 1,070.00



747

- 747 ★ **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Original gum, lightly hinged, unusually choice centering with wide margins, sharp impressions with perfectly aligned vignette and frame, bright colors and overall freshness rarely encountered in this issue

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. THE 15-CENT 1869 TYPE I IS VERY RARE IN THIS ORIGINAL-GUM CONDITION.

The 15c Type I comes from the first 1869 printing; in May 1869 the 15c went to press using the second frame plate, which produced Type II. In a condition census, both Type I and II would show similar numbers known in the top tier of original-gum condition — probably 8 to 10 of each. However, Type I is generally a rarer stamp and carries a much higher Scott Catalogue value.

Ex "Laila". With 2000 P.F. certificate 9,500.00



748



749



750

- 748 ★ **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Disturbed original gum, bright colors, Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate 9,500.00
- 749 ★ **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Part disturbed original gum, vignette showing unusual shift to the right, fresh colors, Fine, Scott Retail as original gum 9,500.00
- 750 (★) **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Unused (no gum), bright colors, downward vignette shift, tiny thin speck not mentioned on certificate, Fine appearance, with 1978 P.F. certificate 3,250.00

- 751° **15c Brown & Blue, Ty. I (118).** Unusually wide and even margins all around, deep rich colors and proof-like impressions, unobtrusive cork cancel
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A GORGEOUS USED EXAMPLE OF THE 15-CENT TYPE I 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE. ONE OF THE FINEST WE HAVE ENCOUNTERED.
- With 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo). With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$4,000.00). This looks like a Jumbo to us. 850.00



751



752

- 752 ★ **24c Green & Violet (120).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich colors on bright paper
VERY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 24-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE.

The 24c 1869 Pictorial, even in original-gum condition, is not a rare stamp. However, centering and soundness are elusive qualities among examples of this issue. 8,000.00

- 753 (★) **24c Green & Violet (120).** Unused (no gum), deep rich colors and proof-like impressions on bright and crisp paper, outstanding centering for this high value with well-proportioned margins

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 24-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE. A RARE STAMP IN THIS CHOICE CONDITION.

With 1981, 1996 P.F. and 2016 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$4,600.00). Only two unused Scott 120's have been graded higher by P.S.E. (one each no gum and original gum at 95)... 2,800.00



753



754

- 754 ★ **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Large part original gum which covers most of the back and missing slightly along edges, h.r., centered a bit to top, Fine
..... 4,500.00



755

- 755 **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Deep rich colors, bold cork cancel, **vignette shifted strongly to left**, Very Fine and choice, this is one of the most dramatic shifts on the 30c 1869 Pictorial we have ever encountered..... 425.00

- 756 **30c Ultramarine & Carmine (121).** Excellent centering with wide margins, fresh colors, Extremely Fine..... 425.00



756



757

- 757 (★) **90c Carmine & Black (122).** Unused (no gum), accompanying certificate notes pressed-out grill, which is curious considering that Scott 132 catalogues significantly less than Scott 122, Very Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate 4,000.00

- 758 **90c Carmine & Black (122).** Well-centered, segmented cork cancel, couple light creases, Very Fine appearance 1,800.00



758



759

- 759 P **15c-90c 1869 Pictorial Inverts, Plate Proofs on Card (120aP4, 121aP4, 122aP4, 129aP4).**
 Large margins all around, deep rich colors on bright cards
 VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL SET OF 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE INVERT PLATE PROOFS. ONLY ONE SHEET OF 100 OF EACH WAS PRODUCED.
 All known examples of these invert proofs come from the sheets in the Earl of Crawford collection. The 30c with 1980 P.F. certificate 11,000.00

1875 RE-ISSUE OF 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE



760EX



761



762

- 760 (★) **1c-12c 1875 Re-Issue of 1869 Pictorial Issue (123/133).** Six stamps, all unused (no gum), including Nos. 123-124, 126-128 and 133, fresh colors and attractive centering, Fine-Very Fine, all but the two 1c stamps with older P.F. certificates as sound.....(Photo Ex) 3,155.00
- 761 **1c Buff, Re-Issue (123).** Rich color on bright paper nicely complemented by **blue quartered cork** cancel, choice centering with well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$1,200.00), only six have graded higher (five at 95 and one at 98) and only four others share this grade..... 450.00
- 762 **2c Brown, Re-Issue (124).** Intense shade and impression, lightly cancelled, short perf at bottom, otherwise Fine, scarce in used condition, with 1985 P.F. certificate..... 800.00



763



764



765

- 763 (★) **3c Blue, Re-Issue (125).** Unused (no gum), bright color, reperfed at bottom (not mentioned on old certificate), appears well-centered and Very Fine, with 1981 P.F. certificate..... 2,500.00
- 764 ★ **3c Blue, Re-Issue (125).** Part original gum, attractive color, Fine, Scott Retail as original gum 5,000.00
- 765 **10c Yellow, Re-Issue (127).** Rich color, well-centered with wide margins, bold strikes of New York registry oval cancels, short perfs at right, otherwise Very Fine, scarce as SMQ estimates approximately 30 used examples are known, with 1985 P.F. certificate 2,000.00

- 766 ★ **12c Green, Re-Issue (128).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep rich color and proof-like impression, well-balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 12-CENT 1869 PICTORIAL RE-ISSUE.

With 2004 P.F. certificate 2,250.00



766



- 767 **12c Green, Re-Issue (128).** Intense shade and impression, oval registry cancel, small perf tear at right, otherwise Fine and scarce, the 12c 1869 Re-Issue is the second rarest of the set in used condition, the Rose book estimates 15-25 extant used copies and SMQ estimates 20 extant, with 1989 P.F. certificate 3,250.00
- 768 (★) **15c Brown & Blue, Re-Issue (129).** Unused (no gum), extra wide margins, rich colors, Very Fine and choice, with 1985 P.F. certificate 600.00
- 769 **15c Brown & Blue, Re-Issue (129).** Well-centered, heavy registry oval cancels, Very Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate 1,250.00
- 770 ★ **24c Green & Violet, Re-Issue (130).** Large part original gum which covers most of the back, vivid colors, well-centered, Very Fine and choice, with 1976 P.F. certificate, Scott retail as original gum 2,100.00
- 771 (★) **24c Green & Violet, Re-Issue (130).** Unused (no gum), deep rich colors and proof-like impressions, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate 900.00



772



773



774

- 772 ★ **30c Ultramarine & Carmine, Re-Issue (131).** Original gum, bright colors, wide margins and nice centering, Very Fine, with 1983 Friedl certificate 2,500.00
- 773 **30c Ultramarine & Carmine, Re-Issue (131).** Rich colors, well-centered, light oval registry cancels and trace of blue cancel at left, small perf tear at left (not mentioned on certificate), Fine appearance, SMQ estimates approximately 40 are known used, with 1981 P.F. certificate..... 2,900.00
- 774 ★ **90c Carmine & Black, Re-Issue (132).** Badly disturbed original gum, wide margins, fresh color, Very Fine, this is an attractive stamp, the appearance of which could be significantly enhanced by soaking off the messy gum, Scott Retail as original gum \$3,750.00, as no gum..... 1,500.00



775



776

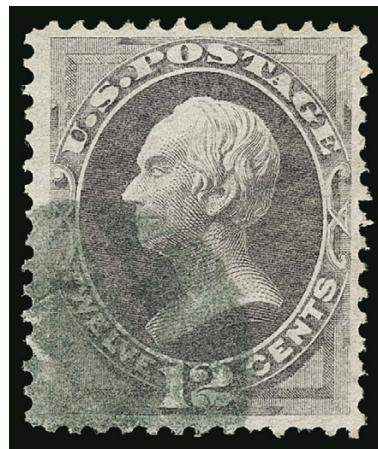
- 775 ★ **90c Carmine & Black, Re-Issue (132).** Disturbed original gum, fresh and bright frame color, three wide margins, Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate 3,750.00
- 776 **90c Carmine & Black, Re-Issue (132).** Choice centering with nicely balanced margins, neat strike of oval registry cancel, small thin spot, Very Fine appearance, scarce in used condition, SMQ estimates that approximately 40 used copies exist, with 1984 P.F. certificate 6,000.00

1870-71 NATIONAL BANK NOTE COMPANY ISSUE

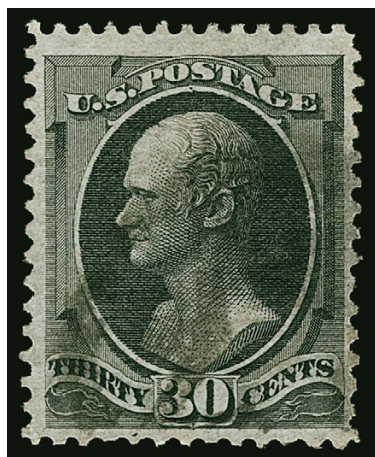
- 777 **12c Dull Violet, H. Grill (140).** Clear grill points at top, perfs well clear of design all around, circular cork cancel

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 12-CENT 1870 NATIONAL BANK NOTE COMPANY GRILLED ISSUE.

With 1969 and 1979 P.F. certificates 3,600.00



777



778

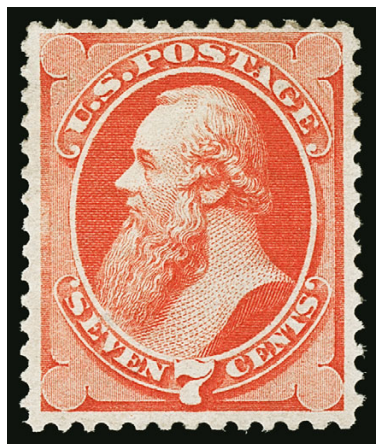


780



781

- 778 **30c Black, H. Grill (143).** Intense shade and impression, several rows of easily discernible grill points, attractive centering and margins, a fresh and Fine example of this scarce Bank Note grill, with 1979 P.F. certificate 4,000.00
- 779 No Lot.
- 780 **90c Carmine, H. Grill (144).** Noticeable grill points, bright color, unusual **Feathered Oval fancy cancel**, also traces of red cancel at top, couple tiny internal wrinkles visible only when drying, still Very Fine, we have seen this feathered fancy cancel on a 90c 1869 Pictorial as well, with 1980 P.F. certificate..... 2,500.00
- 781 **90c Carmine, H. Grill (144).** Few noticeable grill points, bright color, cork cancel, reperfed at right, appears Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate..... 2,500.00



782

782°★ **7c Vermilion, I. Grill (138A).** Original gum, strong grill points that are clearly visible, brilliant color

VERY FINE. A RARE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 1870 NATIONAL BANK NOTE ISSUE WITH I GRILL.

Starting with the 2013 Scott U.S. Specialized Catalogue, the I Grills were elevated to major catalogue number status. The listings are now consistent with other grill types such as A, B, C, D, Z, E and F Grills. Collectors will now have to acquire these I Grills in their quest for completeness. We anticipate that collector demand will be difficult to satisfy based on populations we have seen, especially in original-gum condition.

With 1969 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates..... 6,500.00

783 (★) **24c Purple (153).** Unused (no gum), deep rich color, well-centered, fresh and Very Fine 625.00



783



784

784 (★) **90c Carmine (155).** Unused (no gum), wide margins all around, wonderfully rich color on fresh paper, Extremely Fine and most attractive, with 1999 P.F. certificate 1,900.00

785 **90c Carmine (155).** Two stamps, first No. 155 unused (no gum), bright shade, faint diagonal crease across head, still appears Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate, also includes 30c Black, H. Grill (143), clear grill points, cork cancel, perfs partly trimmed and small tear at right not mentioned on accompanying certificate, otherwise Fine, with 2000 A.P.S. certificate.....

.....(Photo Ex) 5,900.00



785EX

1873 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY ISSUE

- 786 ★ **6c Dull Pink, Silk Fibers (159 var).** Original gum, lightly hinged, silk fibers clearly visible throughout, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, this variety is listed but unpriced in Scott, ex Hansen, with 2002 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as normal does not even approach a proper valuation 400.00



787



786

- 787 **7c Orange Vermilion (160).** Vivid color, gorgeous centering with wide and balanced margins, **5-Point Star fancy cancel**, Extremely Fine Gem, a gorgeous stamp and highly desirable with the premium cancel, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,750.00), only two have graded higher (98J and 100J, both offered in our Kirke sale) and two others share this grade..... 90.00

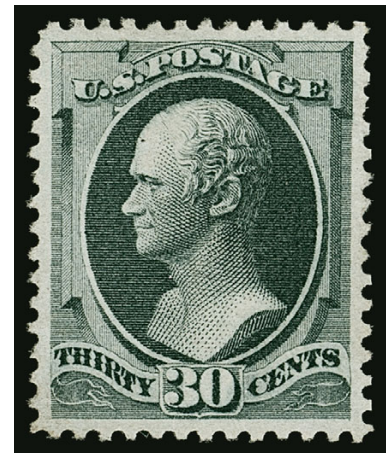
- 788°(★) **30c Gray Black (165).** Unused (no gum), choice centering with wide and balanced margins, bright shade

EXTREMELY FINE GEM UNUSED EXAMPLE OF THE 1873 30-CENT CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY ISSUE, WHICH IS GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

With 2010 P.F. and 2010 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$2,800.00). This is the highest grade awarded to an unused example of this issue. Two original-gum examples have also achieved this grade (the last one we sold brought \$16,500 hammer in 2016). An excellent stamp for someone who values centering..... 1,300.00



789



788

- 789 **90c Rose Carmine (166).** Wide margins, cork cancel, brilliant color, Very Fine and choice, with 1984 P.F. certificate..... 300.00

END OF SESSION TWO

Live Internet Bidding at Siegel Auctions

BIDDING FROM YOUR COMPUTER LETS YOU BE PART OF THE LIVE AUCTION FROM ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD!

There's **NO SUBSTITUTE** for following the auction in real time.
Live Internet Bidding lets you bid and buy as though you were right there in the saleroom.
And it's easy.

This step-by-step guide will instruct you how to register, set your browser and use the bidding interface.

Start by following the simple steps to become a registered Live Internet Bidder.
Once you've been approved for bidding, you can listen to the auction and place bids with the click of a mouse.

Registering with STAMP AUCTION NETWORK & SIEGEL AUCTION GALLERIES

Live Internet Bidding is managed by Stamp Auction Network (SAN).
To bid, you must be registered and approved by *both* SAN and Siegel.
To decide what you need to do, choose the description below that best fits you.



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

Live Internet Bidding works by allowing registered bidders to observe and place bids.

Live Internet Bidding will work with any browser on both PC and Mac operating systems.

Before bidding by internet for the first time, we recommend finding a sale in progress and listening to the public broadcast or logging in as a registered bidder. This will help you develop a feel for the sale tempo and bidding interface.

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

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

Log on to the auction at stampauctionnetwork.com

When you're logged on as a Live Internet Bidder, the bidding interface shows a photo and description of the lot, the current bid (and your bidding status), options for placing competitive bids and buttons with bid increments.

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

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

Then you just need to be approved by Siegel. Go to stampauctionnetwork.com/siegel and click on "Update Registration" at the top. Your SAN account information will be sent to us for approval (you might be asked for other trade references). Once approved by Siegel for bidding, you're ready for internet bidding.

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

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



"System Down" or "Lost Connection" events do occasionally happen.

If you have any problems with Live Internet Bidding please call **212-753-6421** for immediate assistance.

SESSION THREE (LOTS 790-1118)
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2017, AT 1:30 P.M.

1875 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING



790

790° ★ **3c Blue Green, Special Printing (169).** Without gum as issued, huge margins, full and intact perforations at top and right, scissors-separation at left and bottom, fresh and bright color

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 3-CENT CONTINENTAL HARD-PAPER SPECIAL PRINTING.

Our recently updated records for Scott 169 contain 35 examples that have been certified as genuine by The Philatelic Foundation (including one on cover). Of these, only three have perforations all around and are confirmed as sound.

Unpublished Census No. 169-UNC-16. Ex Curtis. With 1967 P.F. certificate... 23,500.00



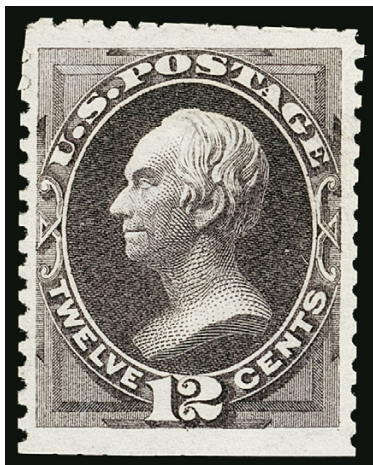
791

791° ★ **10c Pale Brown, Special Printing (172).** Without gum as issued, deep rich color, scissors-separated as often with full perforations on three sides, well-balanced margins

VERY FINE. A RARE SOUND AND CENTERED EXAMPLE OF THE 1875 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING.

Our census of Scott 172 contains 37 certified examples. A majority of these are scissors-separated into the perforations on at least one side. The example offered here, with wide margins, has better centering than most.

Census No. 172-UNC-37. With 2009 P.F. certificate 19,000.00



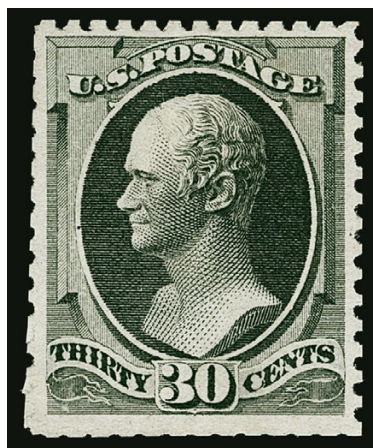
792

792° ★ **12c Dark Violet, Special Printing (173).** Without gum as issued, rich color on bright paper, choice centering with unusually wide margins, scissors-separated as usual but leaving perfs on three sides and extra wide margin at bottom

EXTREMELY FINE. ONE OF THE WIDEST-MARGINED AND BEST-CENTERED EXAMPLES OF THE 12-CENT 1875 CONTINENTAL SPECIAL PRINTING IN EXISTENCE.

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

Unpublished Census No. 173-UNC-26. Ex "Bayou" and "Laila". With 1970, 2002 and 2010 P.F. certificates. 6,250.00



793

793° ★ **30c Greenish Black, Special Printing (176).** Without gum as issued, crisp impression on fresh paper, scissors-separated as unusual but with **virtually intact perforations**, unusually choice centering

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE 30-CENT 1875 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING. EASILY ONE OF THE FINEST IN EXISTENCE.

Many examples of the Continental Bank Note special printings were separated by scissors, and so are often found with perforations partly missing or entirely trimmed away. Our recently updated census records for Scott 176 contain 50 copies. Of these, only three or four have perforations on all four sides.

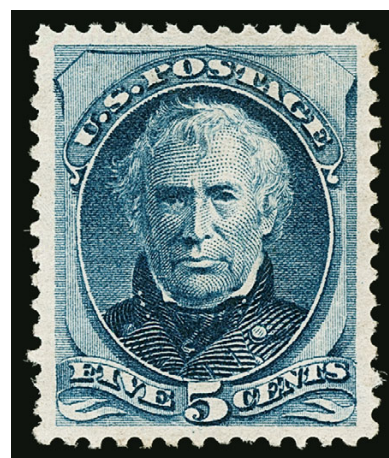
Unpublished Census No. 176-UNC-19. Ex "Laila". With 1972, 2000 and 2010 P.F. certificates 13,500.00

794° ★ **5c Blue (179).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color and detailed impression, choice centering with unusually wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE CONTINENTAL 1875 5-CENT TAYLOR. AN EXTREMELY DIFFICULT STAMP TO FIND IN SUCH EXCEPTIONALLY CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM CONDITION.

The addition of a 5c value was made necessary by the creation of the General Post Union in 1874, which specified a rate of 5c between member countries, effective July 1, 1875. Of the two regular-issue 5c Taylor stamps — Scott 179 (Continental) and Scott 185 (American) — the former is much more difficult to obtain in this superb original-gum condition because comparatively few multiples have ever been available to feed the demand for singles.

With 2000, 2009 and 2017 P.F. certificates (OGph, XF 90). By way of comparison, P.S.E. has only graded four higher than 85 (two at 90, one each at 90J and 95). 700.00



794



- 795 ★ **5c Blue, With Gill (179c).** Original gum, rich color and clear impression, clearly-defined grill points, Fine and scarce, it is believed that the Continental grills were made experimentally in 1876, after a stamp-cleaning court trial renewed fears of stamp re-use, the primary source of the rare J Grills was the Worthington collection, which was dispersed in 1917, it is believed that most or all examples in collectors' hands came from the archive of Charles F. Steel, who patented the grilling machines used between 1867 and 1873..... 4,500.00
- 796 (★) **2c Vermilion, Imperforate (178a).** Horizontal pair and single, the pair unused (no gum), large margins, vertical crease between stamps, the single original gum, large to huge margins, light horizontal crease at top mostly in margin, Very Fine appearance, pair with 1976 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail for pair \$600.00..... E. 200-300
- 797 ★★ **3c Green (184).** Mint N.H., pretty shade, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 1994 P.F. certificate for block of four..... 330.00
- 798 **5c Blue (185).** Choice centering with Jumbo margins, bold strikes of geometric cancel, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$525.00), only four have graded higher (three at 98, one at 98J) 17.50
- 799 **10c Brown, With & Without Secret Mark (187-188).** Horizontal pair, right stamp without secret mark, 1880 New York duplex cancels, couple barely noticeable creases, otherwise Fine and scarce combination pair, with 1988 P.F. certificate..... 725.00
- 800 **10c Brown, With Secret Mark (188).** Bright color, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, neat quartered cork cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95)..... 32.50
- 801 ★ **30c Full Black (190).** Original gum, intense shade, well-centered, Very Fine, with 1982 P.F. certificate..... 900.00

1880 AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING



802

802°★ **15c Orange, Special Printing (199).** Without gum as issued, radiant color, choice centering for this difficult issue, tiny thin spot as often occurs on this mesh paper

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE 1880 15-CENT AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY SPECIAL PRINTING.

Our census of Scott 199 contains 37 certified examples. Of these, only 12 are confirmed as sound, 10 have faults and 15 need to be reexamined according to current methods and standards. Many of the stamps, regardless of condition, are off center.

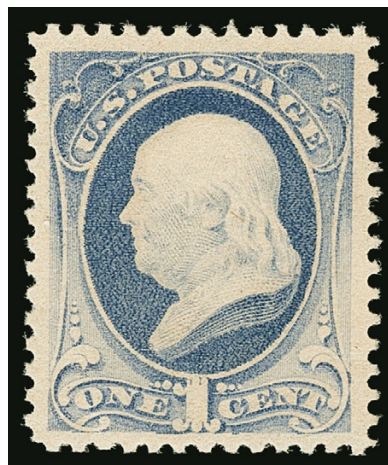
Census No. 199-UNC-14. With 1975 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates..... 32,500.00

1879-88 AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY ISSUE

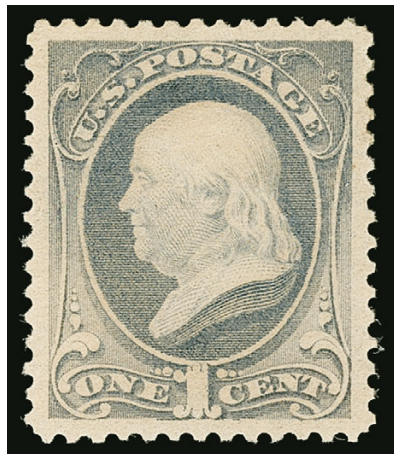
- 803 ★★ **1c Gray Blue (206).** Mint N.H., brilliant color on bright paper, choice centering with wide margins, long and full perforations

EXTREMELY FINE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1881 ONE-CENT RE-ENGRAVED ISSUE, SCOTT 206.

Ex "Hanover". With 1996 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$2,000.00). This is the highest grade awarded and only seven others share it. 225.00



803



804

- 804 ★ **1c Gray Blue (206).** Original gum, barest trace of hinging, bright shade and paper, near perfect centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,100.00), only one unused stamp has graded higher and only one other shares this grade (both are hinged), the highest grade awarded to a Mint N.H. example is 95 (offered in previous lot)..... 70.00



805

- 805 ★ **6c Rose (208).** Original gum, very lightly hinged, bright color, perfectly centered with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THE 1882 RE-ENGRAVED 6-CENT ROSE IS ONE OF THE MOST DIFFICULT ISSUES TO OBTAIN IN SUCH SUPERB CONDITION. A REMARKABLE CONDITION RARITY.

Despite being the major Scott listing, the Rose shade is far rarer than the Brown Red sub-shade, Scott 208a. Power Search located only one Mint N.H. example offered in our sales since 1993, and that is off-center with perfs almost touching the design. We have offered no multiples with Mint N.H. stamps. The online records of the Philatelic Foundation contain only two in Mint N.H. condition, but we doubt they would even grade 90. For the collector who values centering, a hinged copy is all there is. The example offered here, with light hinging and perfect centering, is a true condition rarity.

Ex "Hanover". With 2009 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98; SMQ \$7,000.00). This is the highest grade awarded and no others share it. P.S.E. has never graded a Mint N.H. copy. 750.00



806



807

- 806° ★ 田 **10c Brown (209).** Top imprint, plate no. 550 and letter "M" block of ten, original gum, bottom left stamp Mint N.H., deep rich color, Very Fine and attractive plate block, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, VF 80) 3,750.00
- 807 ★ **2c Pale Red Brown, Special Printing (211B).** Original gum, wide margins, fresh color, small natural inclusion, Very Fine, small backstamp 375.00



808

- 808 ★ **2c Pale Red Brown, Special Printing, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (211Bc).** Original gum, remarkably well-centered, wonderfully fresh with rich color
- EXTREMELY FINE. ONE OF THE FINEST CENTERED EXAMPLES OF THIS IMPERFORATE-BETWEEN ERROR IN EXISTENCE.
- The vast majority of these error pairs are centered to the top. Using Power Search, we could find no more than one or two which compare to the centering of the pair offered here 2,000.00

- 809 ★★ **2c Green (213).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression, mathematically perfect centering with wide margins, long and full perforations

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS QUITE POSSIBLY THE FINEST EXTANT MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1887 2-CENT AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY ISSUE. THIS STAMP IS GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED AND THE ONLY EXAMPLE TO ACHIEVE THIS PERFECT GRADE.

With 1997 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; unpriced in SMQ, SMQ \$5,100.00 as 98J). This is the highest grade awarded and no others share it. The next-highest is a single example graded 98J (realized \$6,000 hammer in our 2016 “Hanover” sale), followed by a single example graded 95J (never offered in our sales) followed by a few graded 95. The low population numbers at the higher end of the scale is an excellent indication for how rare this is in such superb condition..... 120.00



809



- 810 ★★ **2c Green (213).** Mint N.H., deep rich color, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,200.00), only three have graded higher 120.00
- 811 ★ **5c Indigo, Imperforate (216b).** Horizontal pair, original gum, h.r., large margins, rich color, Very Fine..... 1,400.00
- 812 ★ **30c Orange Brown, Imperforate (217a).** Horizontal pair, large margins all around including “AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY.” imprint at bottom, original gum, h.r., stamps with thin spots, Extremely Fine appearance, especially desirable with the imprint, with 1992 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,750.00
- 813 ★ **30c Orange Brown, Imperforate (217a).** Horizontal pair, large margins including bottom sheet margin, original gum, each stamp small thin spot, Extremely Fine appearance, with 1992 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,750.00
- 814 ★ **90c Purple (218).** Original gum, lovely bright color, balanced margins which are particularly wide at top and bottom, Very Fine and choice, with 1983 P.F. certificate..... 850.00

1890-93 ISSUE



- 815 ★★ **2c Lake (219D)**. Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, small natural inclusion at top right, Very Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate 550.00
- 816 P田 **2c Carmine, Imperforate (220d)**. Block of 32, unused (no gum), large margins, rich color, Extremely Fine, with 2011 Weiss certificate, Scott Retail as pairs..... 960.00
- 817 ★★ **5c Chocolate (223)**. Mint N.H. horizontal pair, rich color on bright paper, choice centering, Extremely Fine, we are surprised this has remained as a pair, Scott Retail as singles 400.00
- 818 ★★ **10c Green (226)**. Mint N.H., intense color, Very Fine and choice, with 1996 P.F. certificate (selvage has since been removed)..... 525.00



- 819 ★★ **15c Indigo (227)**. Mint N.H., selvage at top, excellent centering, remarkably wide margins all around, deep proof-like color and impression

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A JUMBO MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 15-CENT 1890 SMALL BANK NOTE ISSUE.

With 2011 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$2,875.00)..... 600.00

820 No Lot.

- 821 ★★ **15c Indigo (227)**. Mint N.H. strip of three with wide bottom plate no. 22 selvage, rich color, light natural gum bends, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, the left stamp is especially nice, Scott Retail as singles 1,800.00

819

- 822 ★★ **30c Black (228).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, Jumbo margins all around

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A GORGEOUS MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 30-CENT 1890 ISSUE. THIS ISSUE IS RARELY SEEN WITH SUCH WIDE MARGINS.

With 2015 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$4,750.00). The margins on this stamp are wider than on most of the 95's we have sold 900.00



822



823

- 823 ★★ **30c Black (228).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, wide margins, long and full perforations

EXTREMELY FINE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 30-CENT 1890 AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE.

This is probably the most difficult value of this series to find in such outstanding condition.

With 2006 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$3,100.00) 1,200.00



824



825



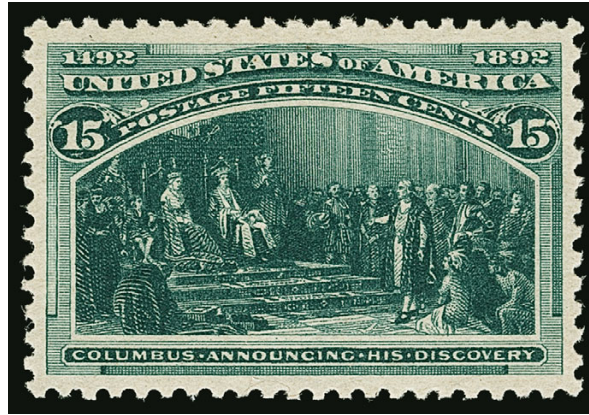
826

- 824 ★★ **30c Black (228).** Mint N.H., detailed impression on crisp paper, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1999 P.F. certificate 900.00
- 825 ★ **30c Black (228).** Original gum, barely hinged, sharp impression, almost perfectly centered, Extremely Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate..... 300.00
- 826 ★ **90c Orange (229).** Original gum, barely hinged, vivid color, wide margins, Very Fine, with 1993 P.F. certificate 475.00

COLUMBIAN ISSUE



- 827 **Columbian Exposition Multicolor Postal Cards and Tickets.** Postal Cards are Set No. 2 designs 1 and 3-9 with wrapper, set of six tickets in different colors, fresh and Very Fine, a colorful and useful group of collateral items from the Columbian Exposition.....
.....*Not illustrated* E. 200-300
- 828 ★田 **2c-10c Columbians (231, 233-234, 237).** Blocks of four, 2c with bottom imprint and part plate no., 2c Mint N.H., 4c bottom Mint N.H., 5c three Mint N.H., 10c lightly hinged, rich colors, Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles(Photo Ex) 1,555.00
- 829 ★★ **4c Columbian (233).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, choice centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,150.00)..... 160.00
- 830 ★★ **4c Columbian (233).** Mint N.H., well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$350.00)..... 160.00
- 831 ★★ **6c Columbian (235).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 1991 and 2012 P.F. certificates (XF 90) 160.00
- 832 ★★ **8c Columbian (236).** Mint N.H., precise centering with balanced margins, deep rich color on crisp paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,250.00) 160.00
- 833 ★★ **10c Columbian (237).** Mint N.H., bright shade and crisp impression, wide and balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1998 P.F. certificate 285.00



834

834 ★★ **15c Columbian (238)**. Mint N.H., wonderfully well-centered, stunning proof-like color and impression on fresh paper

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. AN ESPECIALLY HANDSOME MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 15-CENT COLUMBIAN.

With 1989 P.F. and 2016 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$5,000.00)..... 675.00



835 ★★ **15c Columbian (238)**. Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, a pretty stamp, with 1997 P.F. certificate 675.00

836 ★★ **30c Columbian (239)**. Mint N.H., deep shade and impression, wide margins, Extremely Fine, a stamp with great eye appeal, with 1980 P.F. certificate for block of four .. 725.00

837 **30c Columbian (239)**. Choice centering, detailed impression, neat strike of **framed "Registered" handstamp** used as a cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1987 P.F. certificate..... 100.00

838 ★ **50c Columbian (240)**. Original gum, barest trace of hinging, wide margins, dark color, Extremely Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate..... 600.00

839 (★) **50c Columbian (240)**. Unused (no gum), deep rich color, gorgeous centering, Very Fine 225.00



- 840 ★★ **\$1.00 Columbian (241).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, trivial natural inclusions, Fine..... 3,750.00
- 841 ★ **\$1.00 Columbian (241).** Original gum, lightly hinged, brilliant color, fresh and Very Fine 1,100.00
- 842 **\$1.00 Columbian (241).** Brilliant color, well-balanced margins, unobtrusive cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$1,250.00), only eight used copies have graded higher 575.00
- 843 ★ **\$2.00 Columbian (242).** Original gum, lightly hinged, detailed impression, fresh and Fine 1,150.00
- 844 ★ **\$2.00 Columbian (242).** Original gum, h.r., rich color, Fine 1,150.00
- 845 **\$2.00 Columbian (242).** Faintly cancelled (almost appears unused), detailed impression, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1987 P.F. certificate 575.00



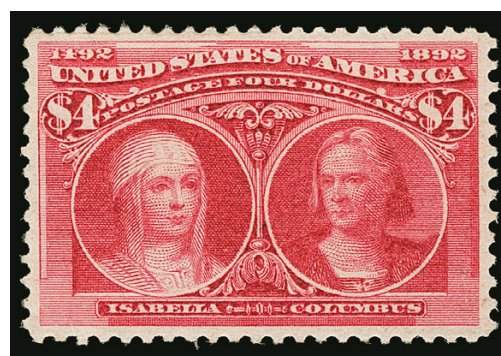
846

- 846° ★ **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Original gum, lightly hinged, intense color which is one of the darkest we have ever seen, well-proportioned margins
- EXTREMELY FINE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE \$3.00 COLUMBIAN. A STAMP WITH GREAT VISUAL APPEAL.
- With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$2,500.00) 1,500.00



- 847 ★ **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Original gum, fresh color, nice margins and centering, Very Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate 1,500.00
- 848 ★ **\$3.00 Columbian (243).** Original gum, h.r., small thin speck, Very Fine appearance 1,500.00

- 849 ★ **\$4.00 Columbian (244).** Original gum, well-centered, vivid color, balanced margins
EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL COLUMBIAN WITH EXTRAORDINARILY BRILLIANT COLOR.
With 2016 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, VF-XF 85; SMQ \$2,750.00) 2,000.00



849

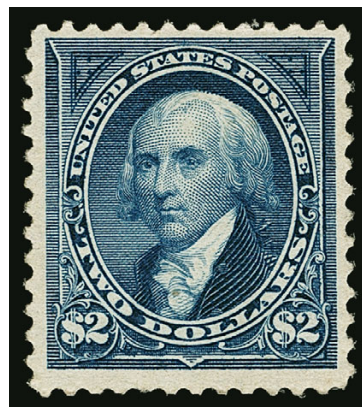
- 850 ★ **\$4.00 Columbian (244).** Original gum, lightly hinged, brilliant color, fresh and Fine 2,000.00
- 851 **\$4.00 Columbian (244).** Lovely color, attractively centered, circular datestamp at left, Very Fine, with 1988 P.F. certificate 1,050.00
- 852 ★ **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Original gum, crisp impression, three wide margins, Very Fine. 2,400.00
- 853 ★ **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Original gum, detailed impression, intense shade, fresh and Very Fine ... 2,400.00
- 854 **\$5.00 Columbian (245).** Wide margins, clear strike of an unusual circular datestamp cancel, Very Fine, with 1998 P.F. certificate 1,200.00

1894-98 BUREAU ISSUE



- 855 ★田 **1c Ultramarine (246)**. Pane of 100 with plate no. 24 selvage at top and left, significant number of stamps are Mint N.H., left selvage almost completely detached, few minor faults, appears Fine, a scarce pane*Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000
- 856 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. II (251)**. Mint N.H., brilliant color on crisp paper, Very Fine, with copy of 1992 P.F. certificate for strip 1,100.00
- 857 ★ **6c Dull Brown (256)**. Original gum, lightly hinged, near perfect centering, rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1989 P.F. and 2009 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$575.00) 160.00
- 858 ★★ **8c Violet Brown (257)**. Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, choice centering with Jumbo margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,800.00), only five have graded higher (four at 95, one at 98) and one other shares this grade (the other has a shortened perf mentioned on the certificate)... 475.00
- 859 ★ **50c Orange (260)**. Original gum, vibrant color, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, with 2001 P.F. certificate 500.00
- 860 ★ **\$1.00 Black (261)**. Large part original gum, exceptionally well-centered with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1983 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as original gum 1,000.00
- 861 ★ **\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (261A)**. Original gum, lightly hinged, proof-like impression on bright paper, Very Fine and choice, with copy of 2000 P.F. certificate for block of four and with 2003 P.F. certificate..... 2,100.00
- 862 ★ **\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (261A)**. Original gum, lightly hinged at right and bottom right (almost appears Mint N.H.), intense shade on bright paper, Very Fine, with 1982 and 2017 P.F. certificates 2,100.00
- 863 ★ **\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (261A)**. Original gum, lightly hinged, intense shade on fresh paper, Very Fine..... 2,100.00
- 864 ★ **\$1.00 Black, Ty. II (261A)**. Original gum, intense shade and impression on bright paper, Fine 2,100.00

- 865 ★ **\$2.00 Bright Blue (262).** Slightly disturbed original gum, bright color, natural inclusion in Madison's tie, Very Fine..... 2,750.00



865



866

- 866 ★ **\$5.00 Dark Green (263).** Original gum, h.r., rich color, small natural paper wrinkle at bottom left, Very Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 4,250.00

- 867 ★★ **1c Blue (264).** Mint N.H. with **left part imprint selvage**, rich color on bright paper, mathematically perfect centering with Jumbo margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS MAGNIFICENT MINT NEVER-HINGED STAMP IS GRADE GEM 100 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE POSSIBLE ON THE GRADING CHART.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$2,250.00 as 100). This is the highest grade possible on the grading chart and it is shared by only one other..... 17.50



867



868

- 868 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. II-III (266-267).** Mint N.H. block of four, left stamps Type II, brilliant color, Fine-Very Fine combination block, of the six plates used to print the Type II stamp (Scott 266), only one, plate 170, contained a combination of both Types II and III — only three rows from one pane were Type II, leaving a total of ten positions out of the plate that can yield this combination of types, Scott Retail as two pairs.... 1,200.00



- 869 ★★ **2c Pink, Ty. III (267a).** Mint N.H. with **wide top part imprint selvage**, radiant color, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,050.00), this is the highest grade awarded and only two others share it, this is also the first graded Mint N.H. example we have offered in one of our auctions..... 60.00
- 870°★★田 **3c Purple (268).** Mint N.H. top imprint and plate no. 107 block of six with wide selvage, choice centering throughout, Extremely Fine, a rare plate block in such superb condition and especially desirable from the top position, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,300.00
- 871 ★★ **4c Dark Brown (269).** Mint N.H. with **bottom plate no. 196** selvage, rich color, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2003 and 2015 P.F. certificates (XF 90)..... 125.00
- 872 ★ **15c Dark Blue (274).** Original gum, small h.r., perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, intense shade and impression on bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning stamp, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 98, SMQ \$1,650.00 as 98), this is the highest grade awarded to a hinged stamp and it is the only example to achieve this grade (one Mint N.H. has graded higher)..... 210.00
- 873 ★★ **15c Dark Blue (274).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2004 and 2015 P.F. certificates (XF 90) 625.00



874

- 874 ★ **15c-\$5.00 1895 Bureau Issue, Imperforate (274a-278a).** Set of five pairs representing the top values of the series, original gum, margins all around throughout with some large, 50c with top part arrow sheet margin, deep rich colors, 50c with slight thin in selvage only

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A SCARCE SET OF IMPERFORATE PAIRS OF THE HIGH-VALUE 1895 WATERMARKED BUREAU ISSUE.

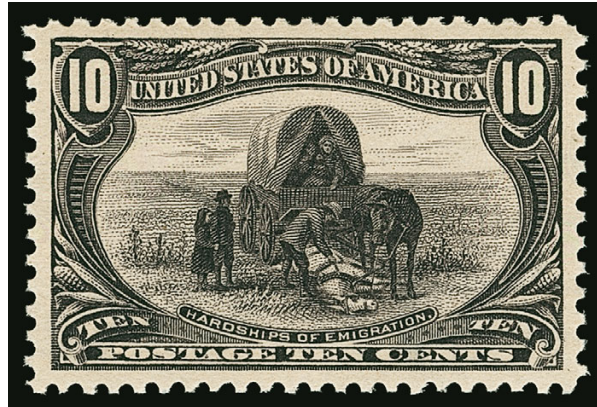
Although the Scott Catalogue at first did not recognize the imperforates as regularly-issued stamps, from 1916 they inserted a statement "All denominations of this issue exist imperforate but they were not regularly issued in that condition"..... 10,050.00



- 875 ★★ **50c Orange (275)**. Mint N.H., intense color, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1994 P.F. certificate for block of 16..... 775.00
- 876 ★ **50c Orange, Imperforate (275b)**. Horizontal pair, original gum, lightly hinged, radiant color, detailed impression, wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate 1,100.00
- 877 ★ **\$2.00 Bright Blue (277)**. Original gum, barely hinged, well-balanced margins and bright color, Very Fine and choice, ex "Laila", with 1996 P.F. certificate 900.00
- 878 ★ **\$5.00 Dark Green (278)**. Original gum, rich color, fresh, Very Fine, with 1982 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 879 (★) **\$5.00 Dark Green (278)**. Small part original gum, h.r., rich color, Very Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as no gum 800.00
- 880 ★★ **15c Olive Green (284)**. Mint N.H., pretty shade, wide margins, fresh and Very Fine, ex Dr. Morris, with 1990 P.F. certificate 475.00

TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE

- 881 ★★ **1c Trans-Mississippi (285)**. Mint N.H., brilliant color and detailed impression, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00)..... 75.00
- 882 ★★ **2c Trans-Mississippi (286)**. Mint N.H., vivid color on bright paper, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1988, 2004 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$625.00)..... 67.50
- 883 ★★ **5c Trans-Mississippi (288)**. Mint N.H., intense shade nicely complemented by bright paper, beautiful centering, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2007, 2012 and 2014 P.F. certificates (XF 90)..... 360.00
- 884 ★★ **5c Trans-Mississippi (288)**. Mint N.H., rich color, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1992 P.F. certificate 275.00



885

885 ★★ **10c Trans-Mississippi (290).** Mint N.H., deep shade and marvelous impression, perfectly centered with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS WITHOUT QUESTION ONE OF THE FINEST MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLES OF THE 10-CENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE. A SUPERB STAMP IN EVERY RESPECT.

Ex "Hanover". With 2011 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$11,750.00). This is the highest grade awarded and only six others share it..... 425.00





886



887



888

- 886 ★★ **10c Trans-Mississippi (290).** Mint N.H., beautifully centered, sharp impression on fresh paper, Extremely Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate 425.00
- 887 ★ **50c Trans-Mississippi (291).** Original gum, lightly hinged, crisp impression, fresh, Very Fine and choice, with 1998 P.S.E. certificate 600.00
- 888 **50c Trans-Mississippi (291).** Rich color, neat strike of oval cancel, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 2004 P.F. certificate 200.00



889

- 889° ★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Original gum, lightly hinged, crisp impression, wide and balanced margins
- EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A BEAUTIFUL ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE, WHICH HAS BEEN WIDELY DESCRIBED AS THE MOST BEAUTIFUL STAMP IN U.S. PHILATELY.
- With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF 90; SMQ \$1,750.00) 1,400.00

- 890 ★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Original gum, lightly hinged, proof-like impression, choice centering
- EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE.
- With 2001 P.F. certificate 1,400.00



890



891



892



893

- 891°★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Original gum, lightly hinged, deep shade, well-proportioned margins
EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE.
With 2006 P.F. certificate (VF-XF 85) 1,400.00
- 892 ★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Original gum, small h.r., intense shade, small corner perf crease at bottom right, appears Fine, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate 1,400.00
- 893 ★ **\$1.00 Trans-Mississippi (292).** Top imprint and plate no. 606 pair, original gum, lightly hinged, few sensibly reinforced perf separations at top of selvage (easily trimmed), Fine-Very Fine..... 3,500.00



894

- 894°★★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Mint N.H., rich color, detailed impression, well-balanced margins
EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL AND SCARCE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE \$2.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE.
All of the \$2.00 Trans-Mississippi stamps were printed in a single day's run on June 3, 1898. The \$2.00 was printed in sheets that have narrower spacing between the horizontal rows than between the vertical columns. For this reason, it is extremely difficult to obtain stamps with top and bottom margins that equal the sides.
With 1979 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$8,500.00). Only six Mint N.H. examples have graded higher (3 at 90, 3 at 95)..... 6,000.00



895

- 895 ★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Original gum, barely hinged, rich color and detailed impression, unusually wide margins for this difficult issue

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE \$2.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE, WHICH IS GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E.

All of the \$2.00 Trans-Mississippi stamps were printed in a single day's run on June 3, 1898. The \$2.00 was printed in sheets that have narrower spacing between the horizontal rows than between the vertical columns. For this reason, it is extremely difficult to obtain stamps with top and bottom margins that equal the sides. This stamp essentially achieves that unnatural effect, which could only occur when the horizontal perforations were applied in such a way that the holes impinged on the space allocated to the rows above and below.

With 2012 P.S.E. certificate (OGph, XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$5,600.00). Only three have graded higher (all at 98). 1,900.00



896

- 896 ★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Original gum, lightly hinged, detailed impression, wide margins and well-centered

EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$2.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE.

A handsome stamp. 1,900.00



897



898



899

- 897 ★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Original gum, fresh color, Very Fine, with 1977 P.F. certificate 1,900.00

- 898 ★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Original gum, lightly hinged, rich color, Very Fine 1,900.00

- 899 ★ **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** With top imprint selvage, original gum, lightly hinged, Fine 1,900.00



900

900 ★田 **\$2.00 Trans-Mississippi (293).** Top imprint and plate no. 613 block of four, original gum, bottom right and top left stamps h.r., rich color, selvage reduced, few expertly rejoined perfs between left stamps

FINE. A BEAUTIFUL AND RARE TOP IMPRINT AND PLATE NUMBER BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE \$2.00 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE. ESPECIALLY DESIRABLE FROM THE TOP POSITION.

The design of the \$2.00 Trans-Mississippi depicts the Eads bridge, which spans the Mississippi River at St. Louis. The original engraving was used on the admission ticket to the Republican Convention of 1896, which nominated William McKinley as candidate for president. The stamp, issued during the McKinley Administration, illustrates the natural boundary between East and West and so was appropriate for the Trans-Mississippi Issue. All of the \$2.00 Trans-Mississippi stamps were printed in a single day's run on June 3, 1898.

There are perhaps three imprint and plate number blocks of six in existence. The imprint and plate number block of four format is also extremely scarce, especially from the top position.

With 2017 P.F. certificate 100,000.00

PAN-AMERICAN ISSUE



901

901°★ **1c Pan-American, Center Inverted (294a).** Original gum, deep rich colors, detailed impressions, well-proportioned margins

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT.

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

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (OGh, VF-XF 85; SMQ \$19,500.00). Only six have graded higher (all at 90)..... 12,500.00



902

902 **1c Pan-American, Center Inverted (294a).** Rich colors, neat duplex cancel leaves entire design clearly visible, few pulled perfs at top, tiny sealed tear at bottom left

FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE USED EXAMPLE OF THE ONE-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT. OFFERED TO THE MARKET FOR THE FIRST TIME IN DECADES.

The 1c Pan-American Inverts were found in at least four different post offices around the country, soon after release of the issue in May 1901. According to the revised Johl-King book (p.7) "The first known copies of this error were discovered at Bessemer, Alabama, by the Carrell Jewelry Company on some circulars just prior to mailing them. When they realized the find they had made they lost no time in removing the stamps from the circulars and thus saved them to philately."

The 1c Pan-American Invert in used condition is considerably scarcer than unused. Our updated census, available at our website at <http://siegelauctions.com/dynamic/census/294a/294a.pdf>, records 48 used examples plus three on cover, for a total of 51 copies.

Census No. 294a-CAN-36..... 25,000.00



903

- 903 ★ **2c Pan-American, Center Inverted (295a).** Original gum, bright frame color and sharp vignette impression, choice centering, most recent certificate notes “trace of a prior tiny natural inclusion above the left ‘2’” — it has been this way in photos going back half a century and was never mentioned in three prior clear certificates

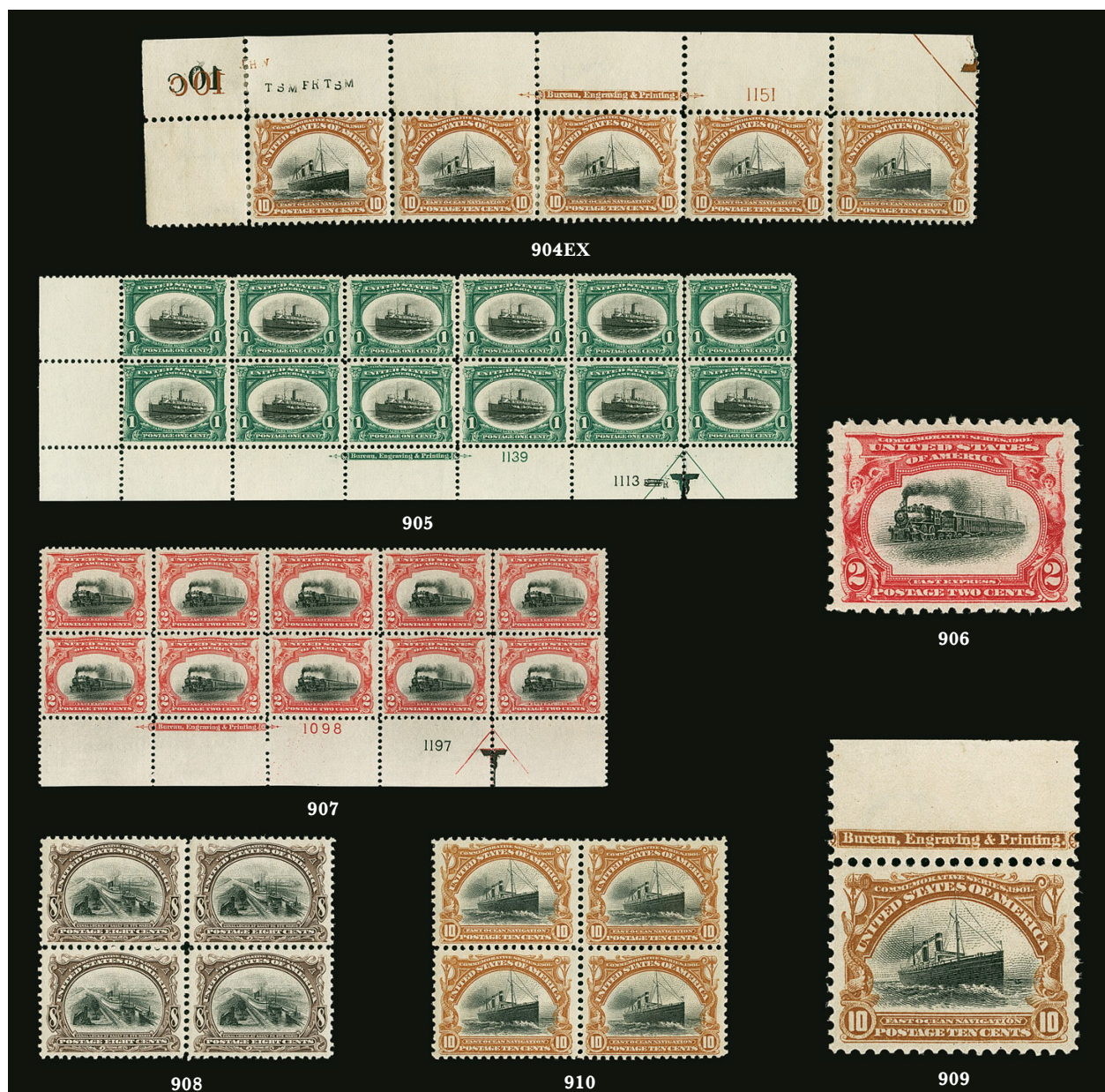
EXTREMELY FINE. ONE OF THE FINEST RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE 2-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT WITH ORIGINAL GUM.

A survey of the Levi records produced 64 single unused stamps (excluding the block of four and rejoined block of four). Many of these were described in auction catalogues more than 40 years ago; therefore, the determination of soundness is uncertain. However, assuming the old descriptions were reaffirmed today, approximately 45% of singles across all centering categories have faults.

Of the single stamps with Extremely Fine centering (a minimum grade of 85), we counted 13 sound and 9 with faults. This stamp has the distinction of being the only 2c Pan-American Invert offered in our very first Rarities of the World sale, in February 1964, where it realized \$8,000 versus the then-current Scott value of \$4,500.

With 1964, 1989, 2000 and 2006 P.F. certificates.

Click here for an introduction to the 1901 Pan-American Issue: http://siegelauctions.com/2013/1052/1901_Intro.pdf 55,000.00



- 904 ★ **1c-10c Pan-American (294-299).** Complete set of imprint and plate no. strips of five with corner selvage, 1c-2c bottoms, the others tops, each with mount glazed original gum, bright colors, some perf separations, Fine and attractive set.....(Photo Ex) 3,650.00
- 905 ★★田 **1c Pan-American (294).** Mint N.H. bottom left corner imprint and plate nos. 1139/1113 and arrow block of twelve, deep rich colors, choice centering throughout, few minor perf separations at bottom right in selvage only, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as plate block and singles..... 1,185.00
- 906 ★★ **2c Pan-American (295).** Mint N.H., deep rich colors on bright paper, perfectly centered with wide margins for this difficult issue, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,300.00), only five have graded higher (all at 98J)..... 40.00
- 907 ★★田 **2c Pan-American (295).** Mint N.H. bottom imprint, plate nos. 1098/1197 and arrow block of ten, rich colors, fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine 1,100.00
- 908 ★★田 **8c Pan-American (298).** Mint N.H. block of four, deep rich colors, choice centering, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as singles 920.00
- 909 ★ **10c Pan-American (299).** With top part imprint selvage, lightly hinged, rich colors, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$325.00), only three hinged and four Mint N.H. have graded higher..... 115.00
- 910 ★★田 **10c Pan-American (299).** Mint N.H. block of four, radiant color, fresh and Fine 1,200.00

1902-08 ISSUE



- 911 ★★ **1902-03 Issue Balance.** 13 Mint N.H. stamps, Nos. 300-308, 314, 319 and 320, better centering than normally seen in a group lot, Very Fine with some Extremely Fine, 8c with 1994 P.F. certificate for pair(Photo Ex) 1,107.50
- 912 ★★ **13c Purple Black (308).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$775.00) 100.00
- 913 ★ **50c Orange (310).** Lightly hinged, vivid color, wide and balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate 375.00
- 914 ★ **\$1.00 Black (311).** Lightly hinged, detailed impression, beautiful centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with copy of 1988 P.F. certificate for block 600.00
- 915 ★ **\$2.00 Dark Blue (312).** Lightly hinged, deep rich color, balanced margins and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine, with 1980 and 2011 P.F. certificates (XF 90 XQ), the "XQ" stands for Extraordinary Quality 950.00
- 916 ★ **\$2.00 Dark Blue (312).** Lightly hinged, choice margins and exceptionally well-centered, fresh, deep rich color, Very Fine and choice, with 2005 P.F. certificate 825.00
- 917 ★ **\$2.00 Dark Blue (312).** Deep rich color, nice margins and centering, Very Fine..... 825.00
- 918 ★ **\$5.00 Dark Green (313).** Slight gum disturbance from hinge removal, rich color, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1982 P.F. certificate as "o.g." 2,100.00
- 919 ★★ **1c Blue Green, Imperforate (314).** Mint N.H., enormous margins with parts of all eight adjoining stamps, rich color on post-office fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$450.00 as 100, unpriced in 100 Jumbo grade) 32.50
- 920 ★★田 **1c Blue Green, Imperforate (314).** Mint N.H. center line block of four, enormous margins with significant parts of all twelve adjoining stamps, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge center line block, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced as a block in SMQ), this is the highest grade possible on the grading chart 250.00



- 921 ★★田 1c Blue Green, 2c Carmine, Imperforate (314, 320). Mint N.H. imprint and plate no. blocks of six, 1c top, 2c bottom, rich colors, large margins, Extremely Fine(Photo Ex) 650.00
- 922 ★★ 5c Blue, Imperforate (315). Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, huge margins, Extremely Fine Gem..... 600.00
- 923 ★★ 5c Blue, Imperforate (315). Mint N.H., large and even margins, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$850.00)..... 600.00
- 924 ★★ 5c Blue, Imperforate (315). Mint N.H. horizontal pair, large margins, wonderfully rich color, Very Fine and choice..... 1,300.00
- 925 ★★ 5c Blue, Imperforate (315). Mint N.H. horizontal pair, rich color, Fine-Very Fine 1,300.00
- 926 ★★ 5c Blue, Imperforate (315). Mint N.H. horizontal pair, ample to large margins, Fine-Very Fine ... 1,300.00
- 927 ★ 5c Blue, Imperforate, U.S. Automatic Vending Co. Ty. I (315). Pair, top stamp h.r., well-centered, Very Fine and choice, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00
- 928 ★ 5c Blue, Imperforate, U.S. Automatic Vending Co. Ty. II (315). Rich color, even margins, Very Fine and choice, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00
- 929 ★ 5c Blue, Imperforate, U.S. Automatic Vending Co. Ty. III (315). Lightly hinged, well-centered, Very Fine and much rarer than its modest catalogue value would suggest, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00

930



- 930 ★ **1c Blue Green, Coil (318).** Pair, lightly hinged, deep rich color and detailed impression, left stamp tiny natural inclusion on Franklin's chin

FINE-VERY FINE PAIR OF THE RARE ONE-CENT 1908 HORIZONTAL COIL.

With 1974 P.F. certificate and older certificate with yeardate cut off 11,000.00



931

- 931 ★★ **2c Lake, Ty. II (319F; formerly 319f).** Mint N.H. with wide top part imprint selvage, intense shade and impression, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge stamp, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above a 98, SMQ \$1,100.00 as 98), this is the highest grade awarded and the only example to achieve it..... 25.00



932

- 932 ★★ **2c Lake, Ty. II, Imperforate (320A; formerly 320a).** Mint N.H., huge margins including parts of five adjoining stamps and part imprint at right, deep shade, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$875.00) ... 100.00



933

- 933 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. II, Imperforate (320Ad; formerly 320d).** Mint N.H. horizontal strip of four, full Schermack Ty. III perforations, well-centered with perfs clear of design on pos. 3, bright shade, left stamp with vertical crease, otherwise Very Fine and scarce, Scott Retail as hinged 750.00

LOUISIANA PURCHASE AND JAMESTOWN ISSUES



- 934 ★★ **1c-10c Louisiana Purchase (323-327)**. Mint N.H., rich colors, Very Fine and choice set, 3c-10c with 1990s P.F. certificates(Photo Ex) 845.00
- 935 ★★ **10c Louisiana Purchase (327)**. Mint N.H., bright color, choice centering, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.F. certificate (XF 90)..... 310.00
- 936 ★★ **1c-5c Jamestown (328-330)**. Mint N.H., rich colors, wide margins, Very Fine-Extremely Fine set, 5c with 1995 P.F. certificate.....(Photo Ex) 430.00
- 937 ★★田 **1c Jamestown (328)**. Five Mint N.H. vertical blocks of twelve, two with selvage at sides, other three natural s.e. at top, rich color, few have decent centering, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's scrap book(Photo Ex) 3,900.00
- 938 ★★田 **1c Jamestown (328)**. 39 Mint N.H. stamps, including bottom imprint and plate no. 3546 block of ten, block of six, five blocks of four and three singles, rich colors, generally Fine with a few Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles and plate block of six(Photo Ex) 2,970.00

1908-12 ISSUES



- 939 ★★ **1c-15c 1908-09 Issue (331-340)**. Mint N.H. except 8c lightly hinged, rich colors, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, 4c with 2000 P.F. certificate.....(Photo Ex) 914.50
- 940 ★★ **2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK22)**. Comprising four panes of six of No. 332a, scotch tape affixed over staple holes on front and back (back cover had eroded thru holes and become mostly detached), otherwise Very Fine example of this rare booklet, the 49c Pink booklets with the corner numerals are among the most difficult to find of the early booklets, the last intact example we offered realized \$4,250 hammer in 2016 2,750.00
- 941 **2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (332a)**. Position F showing complete guide line at right and with intact tab at top, strong color, two light strikes of Philadelphia Pa. oval registry cancels, Very Fine, not only a rare intact pane but scarce position which is estimated to represent only approximately 1.1% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position 500.00
- 942 ★★田 **13c Blue Green (339)**. 19 Mint N.H. stamps, including two blocks of six, block of five and a pair, rich color on bright paper, Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles(Photo Ex) 1,710.00
- 943 ★★ **50c Violet (341)**. Mint N.H., radiant color, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, a pretty stamp, ex Saadi, with 1989 and 1990 P.F. certificates 700.00
- 944 ★★ **\$1.00 Violet Brown (342)**. Mint N.H., deep shade, fresh and Very Fine 1,100.00
- 945 ★★ **\$1.00 Violet Brown (342)**. Mint N.H. with **top part imprint selvage**, intense shade, wide margins at sides, Very Fine..... 1,100.00
- 946 ★★田 **1c-5c 1908-09 Issue, Imperforate (343-347)**. Mint N.H. imprint and plate no. blocks of six, 2c with hollow star, 1c and 5c left margin, 3c top margin, 2c and 4c right margin, large margins other sides, Very Fine-Extremely Fine.....(Photo Ex) 1,205.00
- 947 ★★ **5c Blue, Imperforate (347)**. Mint N.H., huge margins including parts of five adjoining stamps and also part imprint at right, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$475.00) 60.00



- 948 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (348).** Mint N.H. pair, bright color, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,150.00), only three pairs have graded higher (at 100) 225.00
- 949 ★ **4c Orange Brown, Coil (350).** Guide line pair, lightly hinged, attractive margins and centering, Very Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate 1,175.00
- 950 ★ **4c Orange Brown, Coil (350).** Guide line pair, bottom stamp Mint N.H., rich color, Fine 1,175.00
- 951 ★ **5c Blue, Coil (351).** Guide line strip of four, center line pair Mint N.H., end stamps lightly hinged, deep rich color, Very Fine, with 1981 P.F. certificate 2,630.00
- 952 ★ **5c Blue, Coil (351).** Guide line pair, accompanying certificate states Mint N.H. but we detect barest trace of hinging, brilliant color, few reinforced perf separations, appears Very Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate as Mint N.H. 1,075.00
- 953 ★ **5c Blue, Coil (351).** Pair, lightly hinged, deep color and proof-like impression, Very Fine, with 2001 P.F. certificate 400.00



- 954 ★ **1c Green, Coil (352).** Guide line pair, not hinged but two tiny gum disturbances minimize the chance of a Mint N.H. certificate, Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate..... 825.00
- 955° **1c Green, Coil (352).** Guide line pair, deep rich color, neat flag machine cancel, Very Fine, scarce in used condition, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate..... 1,650.00
- 956 ★ **5c Blue, Coil (355).** Guide line pair, lightly hinged, intense color, Very Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate 1,500.00
- 957 ★ **5c Blue, Coil (355).** Guide line pair, small h.r., bright color, left stamp tiny corner nick at top right, right stamp tiny perf tear, otherwise Very Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate 1,500.00
- 958 ★ **5c Blue, Coil (355).** Guide line pair, small h.r., well-centered but with some slight toning, appears Extremely Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate 1,500.00



959

- 959 ★ **10c Yellow, Coil (356).** Lightly hinged, vivid color, wide margins
 VERY FINE AND CHOICE ORIGINAL-GUM EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT HORIZONTAL COIL,
 SCOTT 356.
 With 2017 P.F. certificate..... 3,250.00



960

- 960 ★ **10c Yellow, Coil (356).** Guide line pair, h.r., brilliant color, well-balanced margins
 VERY FINE AND RARE GUIDE LINE PAIR OF THE 10-CENT HORIZONTAL COIL, SCOTT 356.
 According to Johl (Volume 1, page 181), only 10,000 of the 10c Washington coil stamp were issued. They were made especially for a New York firm to send out advertising samples, similar to the 3c Orangeburg coil. Only a few rolls were sold to the firm, and the remaining rolls were distributed to some of the large post offices across the country. Dealers acquired several rolls, but because most contemporary collectors did not collect coils, many were used and destroyed.
 With 1969 P.F. certificate 16,000.00

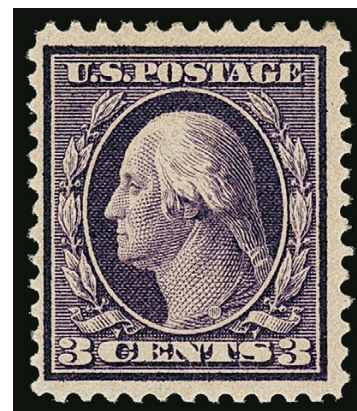
BLUISH PAPER



961



962



963

- 961 ★ **3c Deep Violet, Bluish (359).** Lightly hinged with "S.A." pencil initials on gum, well-centered on strongly blued paper, fresh and Very Fine, a choice example of this scarce stamp, ex Curtis, with 2010 P.F. certificate (VF 80)..... 1,800.00
- 962 ★ **3c Deep Violet, Bluish (359).** Lightly hinged, deep rich color, fresh and Very Fine, with 1987 P.F. certificate..... 1,800.00
- 963 ★ **3c Deep Violet, Bluish (359).** Lightly hinged, rich color, Fine, light violet backstamp, with 2017 P.F. certificate 1,800.00



964

964°★ **4c Orange Brown, Bluish (360).** Rich color on nicely blued paper, three wide margins
FRESH AND FINE EXAMPLE OF THE 4-CENT ON BLUISH PAPER.

The June 1910 Third Assistant Postmaster General's report states that 4,400 (eleven sheets) of the 4c were printed on Bluish Paper. It is believed that none of the 4c and 8c Bluish Paper stamps were distributed to post offices, and that all of the examples in collectors' hands reached the market through the Travers-Steinmetz exchange and the 1914 National Museum trades to H. F. Colman (12 copies) and Nassau Stamp Company (65 copies).

With 1973 P.F. (as block) and 2017 P.S.E. certificates 27,500.00



965

- 965 ★ **5c Blue, Bluish (361).** With **top part imprint selvage**, lightly hinged, bright color, well-centered with balanced margins

EXTREMELY FINE. AN OUTSTANDING AND RARE PART IMPRINT SINGLE OF THE 5-CENT BLUISH PAPER.

The 5c is third rarest of the set and the rarest of the regularly issued Bluish Paper stamps. The 4c and 8c values were not sold in post offices but reached collectors' hands through the Travers-Steinmetz exchange and the National Museum trades.

With 1986 P.F. certificate..... 5,750.00



966



967



968

- 966 ★ **6c Red Orange, Bluish (362).** Lightly hinged, brilliant color on blued paper, choice centering and margins, Extremely Fine, with 1985 P.F. certificate 1,250.00
- 967 ★ **10c Yellow, Bluish (364).** Brilliant color on characteristic intensely watermarked blued paper, nice centering and margins, Very Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate 1,600.00
- 968 ★ **13c Bluish Green, Bluish (365).** Lightly hinged, intense shade on nicely blued paper, reperfed at left, Fine appearance, with 2017 P.F. certificate 2,600.00



969



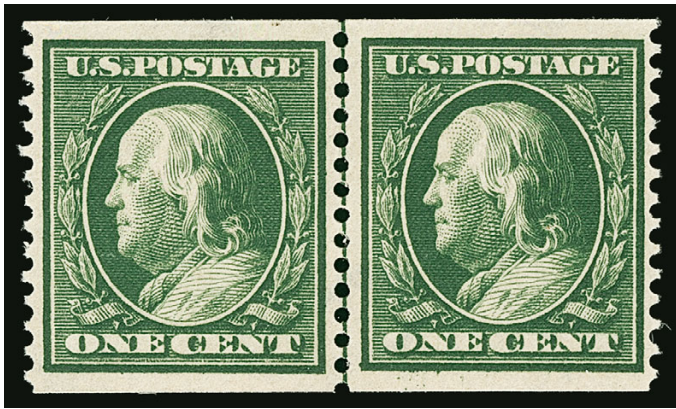
970

- 969 ★ **15c Pale Ultramarine, Bluish (366).** Lightly hinged, bright color, attractive centering, fresh and Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate 1,250.00
- 970 ★ **15c Pale Ultramarine, Bluish (366).** Choice centering, vivid color on deeply blued paper, Extremely Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate 1,250.00

1909-10 ISSUES



- 971 ★★田 2c 1909 Commemoratives (367-368, 370-373). Mint N.H. imprint and plate no. blocks of six, large margins, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, also including Mint N.H. centerline block of No. 371(Photo Ex) 2,135.00
- 972 ★★ 2c Lincoln, Bluish (369). Mint N.H., rich color on nicely blued paper, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$550.00) 320.00
- 973 ★★ 2c Lincoln, Bluish (369). Mint N.H., deep shade on nicely blued paper, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1995 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$550.00) .. 320.00
- 974 ★★ 1c-10c 1910-11 Issue (374-381). Mint N.H., brilliant colors, several with superior centering, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, four with 1990's P.F. certificates(Photo Ex) 750.00
- 975 ★★ 8c Olive Green (380). Mint N.H., radiant color, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1989 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$450.00)..... 225.00
- 976 ★ 2c Carmine, Coil (386). Guide line strip of four, top stamp h.r., other three stamps (including the guide line pair) Mint N.H., bright color, Fine-Very Fine, catalogued as a guide line pair and two singles 3,650.00
- 977 ★ 2c Carmine, Coil (386). Guide line pair, brilliant color, well-centered, tiny natural inclusion bottom stamp, Very Fine and choice, pencil notation on gum, with 1980 P.F. certificate 1,600.00

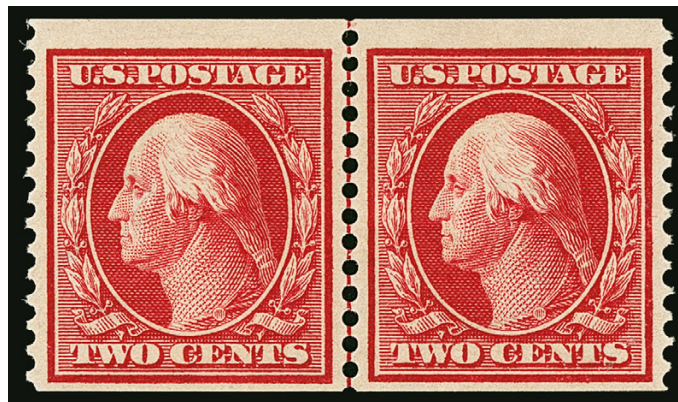


978



979

- 978 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (387).** Mint N.H. guide line pair, rich color, wonderfully well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1981 P.F. certificate 2,500.00
- 979 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (387).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine 400.00



980

- 980 ★ **2c Carmine, Coil (388).** Guide line pair, brilliant color, attractive margins for this elusive coil, particularly well-centered side-to-side
- VERY FINE AND RARE GUIDE LINE PAIR OF THE 1910 2-CENT PERF 12 COIL WITH SINGLE-LINE WATERMARK, SCOTT 388.

The 2c single-line watermark horizontal coil, Scott 388, was in production for only a short period of time before being superseded by the Perf 8½ issue, Scott 393. In addition, due to the greater popularity of the horizontal coils with users, combined with a wary attitude by many collectors that early coils were simply trimmed stamps, many were used and few preserved.

Light pencil notations on gum. With 1972 P.F. certificate 9,000.00



981

- 981° **2c Carmine, Coil (388).** Rich color, wide margins, neat machine cancel, Very Fine and choice, surprisingly difficult to obtain in sound used condition with decent margins, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate 2,250.00



982

982° **3c Deep Violet, Orangeburg Coil (389).** Wide margins, deep rich color, neat wavy-line machine cancel used at Orangeburg N.Y.

VERY FINE. A RARE SOUND EXAMPLE OF THE 3-CENT ORANGEBURG COIL WITH WIDE MARGINS.

The 3c Orangeburg coil was made by the Post Office Department in 1911, specifically for use by the Bell Pharmaceutical Company. They were used to send product samples to physicians and were put through the first-class cancelling machine at Orangeburg, New York. Due to the coil stamps' use on mass mailings, many of the surviving copies are faulty to some extent. The most common defects are corner creases or tears. This sound copy is far nicer than most.

With 2017 P.F. certificate 10,000.00



983



984

- 983 ★★ **3c Deep Violet, Coil (394).** Mint N.H. guide line strip of four, deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 1,195.00
- 984 ★★ **5c Blue, Coil (396).** Mint N.H. guide line pair, rich color, choice centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate (XF 90)..... 975.00
- 985 ★★ **5c Blue, Coil (396).** Mint N.H. pair, deep rich color, choice centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,150.00) . 375.00



985

PANAMA-PACIFIC GEMS FROM THE VAQUERO COLLECTION



986

- 986°★★ **2c Carmine Lake, Panama-Pacific (398a).** Mint N.H., deep rich color which is significantly different than the normally issued Carmine color, perfectly centered with wide and balanced margins, long and full perforations

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE IN THE CARMINE LAKE COLOR IS GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED AND THE ONLY EXAMPLE TO ACHIEVE THIS GRADE. THIS IS WITHOUT QUESTION THE FINEST WE HAVE EVER ENCOUNTERED.

In our opinion the Carmine Lake shade is almost as scarce as the Lake, Scott 398b. This is only the fifth copy we have offered since keeping computerized records, and this is the second in Mint N.H. condition (the other was centered strongly to right). The online records of the P.F. contain seven, including two Mint N.H. (one centered strongly to two sides), two with original gum and four with either disturbed gum or regummed.

With 2007 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$5,500.00). This is the highest grade awarded and the only example to achieve this grade. 2,500.00



987

987°★★ **1c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (401).** Mint N.H., deep rich color on bright paper, perfectly centered with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS GORGEOUS STAMP IS GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED AND THE ONLY EXAMPLE TO ACHIEVE IT.

Ex “Hanover”. With 2012 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,350.00 is hopelessly low). This is the highest grade awarded and the only example to achieve this grade. The SMQ value is absurdly low — a mere \$400 more than a 98, of which there are 11 recorded examples 60.00



988

988°★★ **2c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (402).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, essentially perfectly centered, long and full perforations all around

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT PERF 10 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE, WHICH IS GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E.

P.S.E. Encapsulated (Superb 98; SMQ \$2,350.00). Only two have graded higher (one at 98J, one at 100) and only five others share this grade. The much higher priced Scott 404, with far fewer stamps issued, has ten graded 98 or higher 170.00



989

989°★★ **5c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (403).** Mint N.H., deep rich color on unusually bright paper, Jumbo margins and perfect centering

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS IS WITHOUT QUESTION ONE OF THE FINEST MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLES OF THE 5-CENT PERF 10 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE. THIS MAGNIFICENT STAMP IS GRADED SUPERB 98 JUMBO BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

With 2008 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$3,850.00 in no way reflects its true rarity — the SMQ value for a 98 is only \$250.00 less than this). This is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only two others. This is the first time we have offered Scott 403 in this grade in one of our auctions. E. 10,000-15,000



990

990°★★ **10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (404).** Mint N.H., vibrant color and proof-like impression on fresh paper, almost mathematically perfect centering with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS MAGNIFICENT STAMP IS GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E. — ONLY ONE IS GRADED HIGHER.

Long before numerical grading, the rarity of 10c Panama-Pacific Perf 10 stamps in superb condition (hinged or not) was well-established. The 10-gauge perfs on this issue are almost always uneven or shortened from separation. Centering is rarely above Fine. Finally, the Orange ink on many examples has darkened. This stamp is the exception on all counts.

With 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$8,250.00). Only one Mint N.H. example has graded higher (at 100, which realized \$35,000 hammer in our Sale 1075 in 2014) 1,700.00

PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE FROM OTHER CONSIGNORS



- 991 ★★ **1c-10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 12 and Perf 10 (397-403).** Mint N.H., rich colors, several with beautiful centering, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, three with 1990's certificates(Photo Ex) 1,530.00
- 992 ★★田 **1c-2c Panama-Pacific (397-398, 401).** Mint N.H. top plate blocks of six except first is a plate block of nine, rich colors, first two minor perf separations, last with narrow selvage, Fine-Very Fine(Photo Ex) 1,845.00
- 993 ★★ **1c Panama-Pacific (397).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, unusually wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$600.00) 40.00
- 994 ★★田 **1c Panama-Pacific (397).** Mint N.H. pane of 70 with plate no. 6132 at bottom and left, natural s.e. at top and right, rich color, some perf separations especially at right (the plate blocks are solid but bottom plate block has gum skip), Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles and two plate blocks 3,220.00
- 995 **1c Panama-Pacific (397).** Choice centering with Jumbo margins, rich color, neat strike of machine cancel with exposition slogan, Extremely Fine Gem 2.00



996



997

- 996 ★★ **5c Panama-Pacific (399).** Mint N.H., deep shade, unusually wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 2000 P.F. and 2002 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,650.00), only five have graded higher (four at 98J and one at 100J) 160.00
- 997 ★★ **5c Panama-Pacific (399).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, well-balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$315.00) 160.00



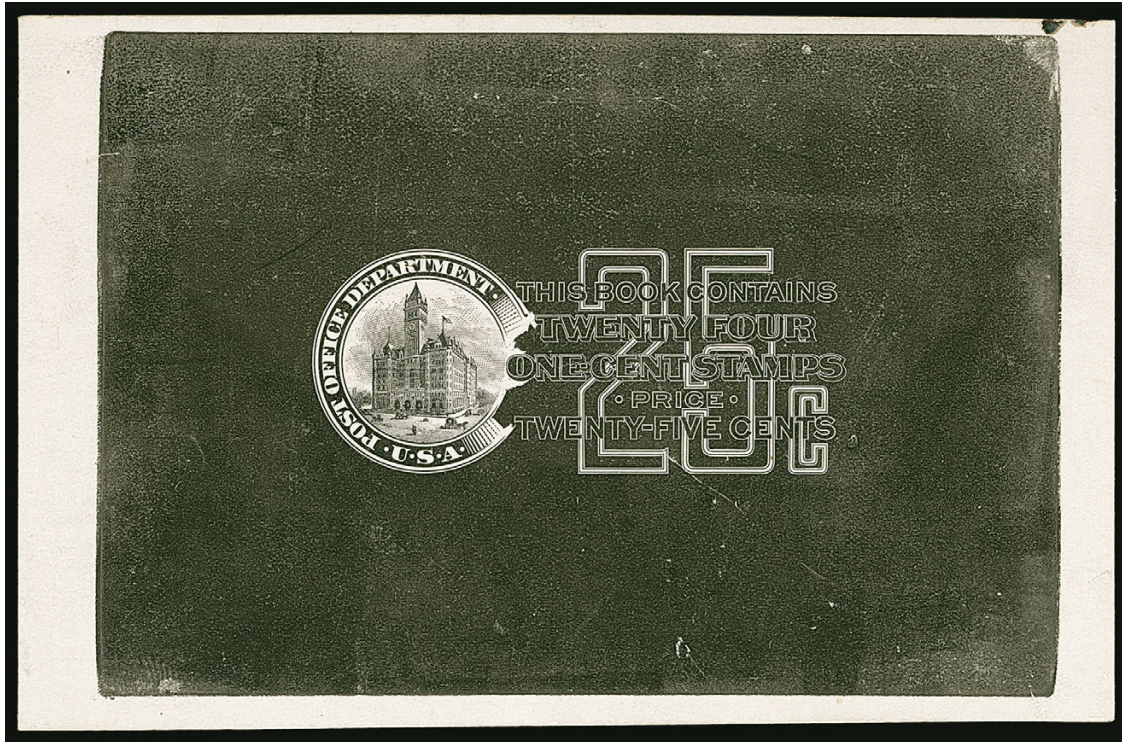
998

- 998 ★★田 **5c Panama-Pacific (399).** Mint N.H. right plate no. 6138 block of six, far better centering than normally seen, deep rich color
EXTREMELY FINE. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED PLATE BLOCK OF THE 5-CENT PANAMA PACIFIC PERFORATED 12.
We are surprised this plate block has remained intact 3,200.00



- 999 ★★田 **10c Orange Yellow, Panama-Pacific (400)**. Mint N.H. left plate no. 6135 block of six, intense color, top right stamp and top selvage natural paper crease, short perf in selvage at top, otherwise Very Fine 3,850.00
- 1000 ★★ **5c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (403)**. Mint N.H., intense shade and impression on bright paper, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate..... 390.00
- 1001 ★★ **5c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (403)**. Mint N.H., wide margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate 390.00
- 1002 ★ **10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (404)**. Lightly hinged, with wide **left plate no. 6143 selvage**, radiant color, well-proportioned margins, light wrinkling at edge of selvage (easily trimmed), Extremely Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate 700.00
- 1003 ★ **10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (404)**. Lightly hinged, bright color, choice centering and wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 1982 P.F. certificate..... 700.00
- 1004 ★ **10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (404)**. Lightly hinged, vibrant color, fresh, Extremely Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate..... 700.00
- 1005 ★ **10c Panama-Pacific, Perf 10 (404)**. Slightly redistributed original gum, intense shade, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 1983 P.F. (as original gum) and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (DOG, XF 90; SMQ \$850.00 as hinged) 700.00

1912-16 ISSUES INCLUDING BOOKLET PANES

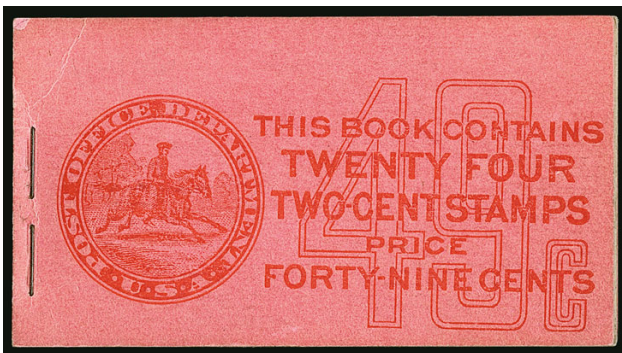


1006

1006 P **1c Stamps, Die Proof of Surface Printed Booklet Pane Cover for "Twenty-four One Cent Stamps" (Scott Booklet Cover BC4AP1).** Circa 1912, printed on 144 x 94mm card, blue Bureau die no. 533439 on back

VERY FINE. AN EXCEEDINGLY RARE PROOF IMPRESSION OF THE 24-CENT BOOKLET COVER. A WONDERFUL EXHIBITION ITEM.

Offered to the market for the first time since our Sale 720 (March 6-7, 1990, lot 820, realized \$10,000 hammer)..... E. 2,000-3,000



1007

1007 ★★ **2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK39).** Complete booklet of four panes of six of No. 406a, cover with faint crease at top left and along staple holes, otherwise Very Fine, a very rare booklet with the words "MUST BE PREPAID WITH PARCEL POST STAMPS" added to the inside of the front cover, this variety was discovered in 1956 and we have offered only one other since keeping computerized records 1,750.00



- 1008 ★★田 **7c Black (407)**. Mint N.H. top plate no. 6916 block of six, intense shade on bright paper, few perfs sensibly reinforced in top left selvage (easily trimmed so we consider this Mint N.H.), Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. 2,000.00
- 1009 ★田 **1c Green, 2c Carmine, Imperforate, Kansas City Roulette (408 var, 409 var)**. Blocks of four, 1c with selvage at right, 2c with selvage at left, on 1919 sworn notarized document stating that these blocks were rouletted at the Kansas City Post Office and purchased across the counter there, Fine-Very Fine, scarce E. 300-400
- 1010 ★★ **1c Green, Coil (410)**. Mint N.H. guide line pair, lovely color, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$325.00), only three have graded higher 65.00
- 1011 **2c Carmine, Coil (411)**. Rich color, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, neat machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ in this grade, SMQ \$150.00 as 95 has little relevance), this is the highest grade awarded and the only example to achieve it, the next-highest grade is a 95 17.50
- 1012 ★★ **8c Pale Olive Green (414)**. Mint N.H., pretty pastel color, Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge stamp, with 2004 P.F. certificate 100.00
- 1013 ★★ **8c-30c 1912-14 Issue (414-420)**. Mint N.H., rich colors, fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine group, three with older P.F. certificates (Photo Ex) 1,360.00
- 1014 ★★ **15c Gray (418)**. Mint N.H., fresh and bright, Very Fine and choice, ex "Vineyard", with copy of 1989 P.F. certificate for block 190.00
- 1015 ★★ **20c Ultramarine (419)**. Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, well-balanced margins, fresh and Extremely Fine 400.00



- 1016 ★★ **30c Orange Red (420)**. Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 1988 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$450.00), we are surprised this did not receive a Jumbo designation..... 250.00
- 1017 ★★ **50c Violet (421)**. Mint N.H., brilliant color, choice centering, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine, ex "Golden Oak", with 2005 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$1,650.00)..... 775.00
- 1018 ★ **50c Violet (421)**. Lightly hinged, rich color on bright paper, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 2004 P.F. certificate..... 350.00
- 1019 ★ **50c Violet (422)**. Lightly hinged, beautiful bright shade, wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 1999 P.S.E. and 2012 P.F. certificates (XF 90 XQ) 225.00
- 1020 ★ **50c Violet (422)**. Barely hinged at right (may just be natural gum skips), radiant color, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine 225.00
- 1021 ★田 **50c Violet (422)**. Bottom imprint, plate no. 5749 and letter "A" block of six, h.r., crisp color, perf separations sensibly reinforced, Fine and scarce plate block..... 4,750.00
- 1022 ★★ **\$1.00 Violet Brown (423)**. Mint N.H., wide margins and exceptionally well-centered, deep intense color on fresh paper, Very Fine and choice, seldom offered in such beautiful Mint N.H. condition, ex "Vineyard", with 2003 P.F. certificate 1,000.00
- 1023 ★ **\$1.00 Violet Brown (423)**. Lightly hinged, well-centered with unusually wide margins, rich color and sharp proof-like impression, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, with 2000 P.F. certificate 475.00
- 1024 ★ **\$1.00 Violet Brown (423)**. Lightly hinged, near perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1976 P.F. certificate 475.00
- 1025 ★★ **1c-20c 1913-15 Issue (424-438)**. Mint N.H., rich colors, several with better centering than normally seen, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, eight with 1990's P.F. certificates ..(Photo Ex) 1,615.00



- 1026 **1c Green, 2c Rose Red, Complete 73c Booklet (BK43).** Complete booklet of four panes of No. 424d and four panes of No. 425e, panes are Mint N.H. but each has "Fortuna Ledge AK Oct. 10" duplex cancel, cover with vertical creases including along staple, some pencil notations on back, Very Fine, an unusual item, with 1992 P.F. certificate, also two other intact booklets (both BK70) with cancels of Akiak AK.....(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
- 1027 ★★田 **5c Blue (428).** 50 Mint N.H. stamps, including three blocks of twelve, a block of four, pair, strip of four and irregular block of four, rich color, Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles(Photo Ex) 3,750.00
- 1028 ★★ **7c Black (430).** Mint N.H., deep shade, choice centering, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$450.00) 200.00
- 1029 ★★ **30c Orange Red (439).** Mint N.H., vibrant color, choice centering with wide margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp, with 1988 P.F. certificate 500.00
- 1030 ★★ **30c Orange Red (439).** Mint N.H., vibrant color on bright paper, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1996 P.F. certificate..... 500.00
- 1031 ★ **30c Orange Red (439).** Lightly hinged, vibrant color on bright paper, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1997 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (OGph, XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$850.00) 220.00
- 1032 ★ **50c Violet (440).** Pretty shade, unusually choice centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate 450.00
- 1033 ★ **3c Violet, Coil (445).** Guide line pair, rich color, Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 1,200.00
- 1034 **3c Violet, Coil (445).** Guide line pair, intense shade, duplex cancels, each stamp with light crease and right stamp with small thin, Very Fine appearance, scarce used pair, with 1993 P.F. certificate..... 2,750.00

- 1035 ★ **2c Red, Ty. I, Coil (449).** Joint line pair, slight gum disturbances, deep rich color

VERY FINE JOINT LINE PAIR OF THE 1915 2-CENT TYPE I VERTICAL COIL.

The 2c Type I rotary plate was used very briefly to make vertical coils issued in late 1915. It was briefly used because the Type I plate was not very deeply engraved and the curvature of the rotary press yielded impressions lacking in some of the details. The Bureau noticed this immediately, and quickly replaced it with the Type III plate (according to Scott, the EDU for No. 449 is Oct. 29, 1915, and the EDU for Type III is Dec. 10, 1915).

With 1983 P.F. certificate 13,500.00



1035



- 1036 ★★ **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. I, Coil (453).** Mint N.H. joint line pair, brilliant color, well-centered, fresh and Very Fine 1,450.00
- 1037 ★★ **2c Red, Ty. II, Coil (454).** Mint N.H. pair, rich color, Fine-Very Fine 360.00
- 1038 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. III, Coil (455).** Mint N.H. pair, brilliant color, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$425.00), only one pair has graded higher 42.50
- 1039 ★ **3c Violet, Coil (456).** Joint line pair, pretty pastel color, nice margins and centering, Fine-Very Fine, pencil notations on gum, with 1980 P.F. certificate 1,250.00



1040

1040°

3c Violet, Coil (456). Joint line pair, bright color, unusually wide and balanced margins, neat Detroit registry oval cancels

EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE USED JOINT LINE PAIR OF THE 1916 3-CENT COIL, SCOTT 456. ONLY A HANDFUL ARE KNOWN, AND THIS MAY BE THE FINEST.

Our informal search of joint line pairs of this issue found fewer than ten, several of which have faults.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (VF-XF 85; SMQ \$2,500.00). This is the highest grade awarded to a used joint line pair and it is shared by no others. ... 2,250.00



1041



1042



1043



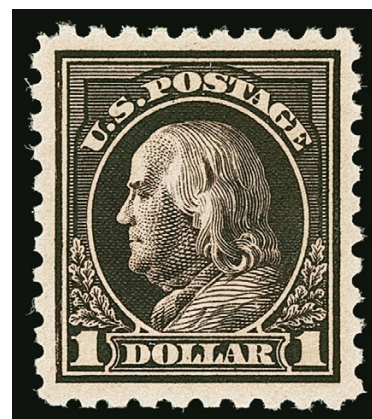
1044

- 1041 ★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate Coil (459).** Joint line pair with the usual crease between stamps, disturbed original gum, Very Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate 500.00
- 1042 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate Coil (459).** Mint N.H. pair, large margins, brilliant color, Extremely Fine 650.00
- 1043 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate Coil (459).** Mint N.H., large even margins, brilliant color, Extremely Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate 650.00
- 1044 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate Coil (459).** Mint N.H. pair, bright color, tiny spot of printer's ink in right stamp, Very Fine 650.00

- 1045 ★★ **\$1.00 Violet Black (460).** Mint N.H., intense shade on crisp paper, choice centering with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE PERF 10 DOUBLE-LINE WATERMARKED \$1.00 FRANKLIN ISSUE.

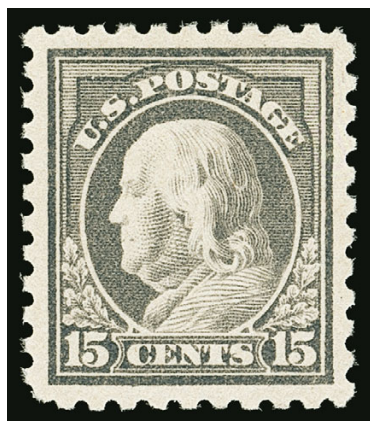
With 1966 P.F. and 2013 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$2,600.00)..... 1,450.00



1045



- 1046 ★★ **1c-\$5.00 1916-17 Issue (462-466, 468-476, 480).** Mint N.H. except 20c lightly hinged, rich colors, generally choice centering, 10c few small natural gum skips, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, six with 1990's P.F. certificates.....(Photo Ex) 2,451.00
- 1047 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. I (463).** 201 Mint N.H. stamps, including singles and blocks of sizes up to eight stamps, few with selvage, mostly originating from the same panes (from an old-time dealer's stockbook), bright colors, Fine-Very Fine, some are no doubt Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as singles*Not illustrated* 2,010.00
- 1048 ★★ **3c Violet (464).** Mint N.H., deep rich color on bright paper, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine, with 2004 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$325.00)..... 175.00
- 1049 ★★ **5c Blue (466).** Mint N.H., wonderfully balanced margins, fresh color, Extremely Fine Gem, a stamp with great visual appeal 160.00
- 1050 ★ **5c Carmine, Error (467).** Small h.r., rich color, choice centering, fresh and Extremely Fine, scarce with such choice centering, with 2012 P.F. certificate (XF 90) 475.00
- 1051 ★★ **5c Carmine, Error (467).** Mint N.H., in horizontal pair with normal 2c, brilliant color, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; SMQ \$1,600.00 for the single 467) 850.00
- 1052 ★★田 **5c Carmine, Error (467).** Mint N.H. double error in pane of 100, natural s.e. at bottom and right, plate no. 7942 at top, lacking left selvage, brilliant color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as double error in block of twelve and one plate block*Not illustrated* 3,150.00
- 1053 ★★田 **5c Carmine, Error (467).** Mint N.H. double error in pane of 100, natural s.e. at bottom and right, plate no. 7942 at top and left, brilliant color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as double error in block of twelve and two plate blocks.....*Not illustrated* 3,400.00
- 1054 ★★田 **5c Carmine, Error (467).** Mint N.H. single error in pane of 100, natural s.e. at top and left, plate no. 7942 at right and bottom, fresh and Fine, Scott Retail as single error in block of nine and two plate blocks*Not illustrated* 2,100.00
- 1055 ★★ **6c Red Orange (468).** Mint N.H., precise centering, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1991 and 2004 P.F. certificates..... 190.00
- 1056 ★★ **7c Black (469).** Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, well-proportioned margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 2012 P.F. certificate (XF 90) 270.00
- 1057°★★ **11c Dark Green (473).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,850.00), only two grade higher..... 95.00



1058

- 1058 ★★ **15c Gray (475).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, perfectly centered with wide margins, long and full perforations

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A REMARKABLE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1916 15-CENT PERF 10 UNWATERMARKED ISSUE, GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

According to Johl (p. 289), the only difference between this issue and the one before it is the absence of a watermark. It is difficult to see a watermark on the 15c stamp, so it was generally assumed that no change had taken place with this denomination, and was therefore overlooked by collectors. It was current for only six months.

With 2003 and 2004 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$7,000.00). This is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only five others 400.00



- 1059 ★★ **15c Gray (475).** Mint N.H., extra wide margins at sides, bright shade, Extremely Fine, ex "Piedmont", with 1997 and 2012 P.F. certificates..... 400.00
- 1060 ★★ **20c Light Ultramarine (476).** Mint N.H., beautiful soft pastel color, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine, ex "Vineyard", with 1994 and 2012 P.F. certificates..... 525.00
- 1061 ★ **50c Light Violet (477).** Small h.r., fresh color, outstanding centering and margins, Extremely Fine, with 1981 P.F. certificate..... 900.00
- 1062 ★ **50c Light Violet (477).** Lightly hinged, bright shade, wide and balanced margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1988 and 2002 P.F. certificates 900.00
- 1063 ★ **\$1.00 Violet Black (478).** Barely hinged, deep rich color, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, a pretty stamp, with 1981 and 2002 P.F. certificates..... 625.00
- 1064 ★ **\$1.00 Violet Black (478).** Lightly hinged, sharp impression on bright white paper, Extremely Fine, with copy of 2000 P.F. certificate for block of four..... 625.00
- 1065 ★ **\$1.00 Violet Black (478).** Wide margins and choice centering, intense shade, Extremely Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate 625.00
- 1066 ★ **\$1.00 Violet Black (478).** Lightly hinged, rich color, Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate 625.00
- 1067 ★★ **\$2.00 Dark Blue (479).** Mint N.H., intense color, Very Fine and choice, with 1992 P.S.E. certificate..... 475.00



1068

1068 **2c Deep Rose, Ty. Ia, Imperforate (482A).** Schermack perfs clearly visible at left, neat wavy-lines machine cancel, characteristic rich color, faint corner crease at top left

FINE APPEARANCE. ONE OF ONLY 40 RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS MAJOR 20TH CENTURY RARITY.

Scott 482A, like its slightly more famous predecessor, Scott 314A, was issued imperforate by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing and sold to the Schermack Company for use in its patented stamp-affixing machines. The Schermack "Sealer and Stamper" machine typically applied stamps one at a time, and, in most cases, the hyphen-hole perfs on one side would be cut off. Unlike Scott 314A, the release of imperforate sheets printed from the experimental Type Ia plates escaped the notice of contemporary collectors, and, therefore, has a very small survival rate.

Our census of Scott 482A, available at our website at <http://siegelauctions.com/dynamic/census/482A/482A.pdf>, records three covers, one unused single, a used pair and 40 used singles for a total of 46 stamps. Most examples are either cut well into the design or have the Schermack perfs trimmed away on one side.

Census No. 482A-CAN-25. With 1977 and 2017 P.F. certificates 65,000.00

A.E.F. BOOKLET PANES



1069



1070



1071



1072EX

- 1069 ★★田 **1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f).** Position W4 or W10, guide line at left, Mint N.H., exceptionally fresh, Fine-Very Fine 1,700.00
- 1070 ★★ **1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f).** Mint N.H., with tab at right and with interleaving, rich color, fresh and Fine 1,700.00
- 1071 ★★田 **1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f).** Virtually intact booklet containing eight panes and all interleaving for the two missing panes, back cover intact, front cover mostly removed but accompanies, Fine, very few intact booklets are known (Scott Retail for intact booklet is \$22,500.00), Scott Retail as Mint N.H. panes 13,600.00
- 1072 ★田 **1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f).** Ten panes of 30, six with tabs at left including three with siderographer's initials, the four with tab at right also including one with siderographer's initials, one with interleaving, most with h.r., few with small thin spots, half with perfs touching on one side, Fine-Very Fine group from various positions (Photo Ex) 10,500.00



1073

- 1073 ★田 **2c Rose, Ty. I, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (499f).** Lightly hinged, brilliant color, two stamps small natural inclusions, one with small ink mark on gum (none of this mentioned on accompanying certificate)

FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT A.E.F. BOOKLET PANE. IT IS BELIEVED THAT NO MORE THAN 20 EXIST IN ANY CONDITION.

The A.E.F. booklet panes were issued in September 1917, primarily for use by the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe during World War I. Only 3,000 panes were prepared of both the 1c and 2c denominations. By October they were no longer needed, as Congress voted to allow mail to be sent free of charge by active members of the Armed Forces. Many of the panes were destroyed.

With 2008 P.S.E. certificate 22,500.00



1074EX

- 1074 **1c Green, 2c Rose, Ty. I, Complete \$3.00 and \$6.00 A.E.F. Booklet Covers (BK64, BK65).** Front and back covers, intact staples at right and eleven pieces of interleaving without any stamps, green cover reads "300 1 Cent Postage Stamps \$3", pink cover reads "300 2 Cent Postage Stamps \$6", few small cover faults, Very Fine, it is unfortunate that no stamps accompany but these are phenomenal collateral items, there are no known part or complete A.E.F. booklets of the 2c and there are believed to be only five or six covers of empty 2c booklets(Photo Ex) E. 500-750

1917-20 ISSUES



- 1075 ★★ **1c-9c 1917-21 Issues (498/543).** Approximately 850 Mint N.H. stamps, including Nos. 498 (60), 499 (155 plus block of 94 which originally contained a 505 single error), 509 (75) and 543 (460), mostly in multiples such as seven blocks of eight of 509, some with decent centering, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine with a few Extremely Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles *Not illustrated* 3,218.00
- 1076 ★★ **1c-\$1.00 1917-19 Issue (498-499, 501-504, 506-518).** Incl. No. 512a, Mint N.H., rich colors, overall far better centering than normally seen in a group lot, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, three with 1990's P.F. certificates **(Photo Ex)** 798.50
- 1077 ★★ **1c-13c 1917-19 Issue (498-499, 501-504, 506-513).** Mint N.H. plate blocks of six, ten are top plate blocks, four are bottom, rich colors, Fine-Very Fine with a few bordering on Extremely Fine **(Photo Ex)** 3,272.50
- 1078 ★★ **1c Green (498).** Mint N.H., bright color, beautiful centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, ex "Hanover", with 2009 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$325.00), only three have graded higher 0.75
- 1079 ★ **2c Rose, Ty. I, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Vertically (499b).** Fresh color, centered to the bottom as are the majority of this error, Fine, Ward handstamp, Datz states that 100 pairs are reported but they appear with far less frequency than that number would suggest 550.00
- 1080 ★★ **2c Deep Rose, Ty. Ia (500).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, three well-balanced margins, Very Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate 550.00
- 1081 ★★ **3c Light Violet, Ty. I (501).** Mint N.H., brilliant color on bright paper, phenomenal centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$500.00), only one has graded higher (at 98J) and ten others share this grade 22.50



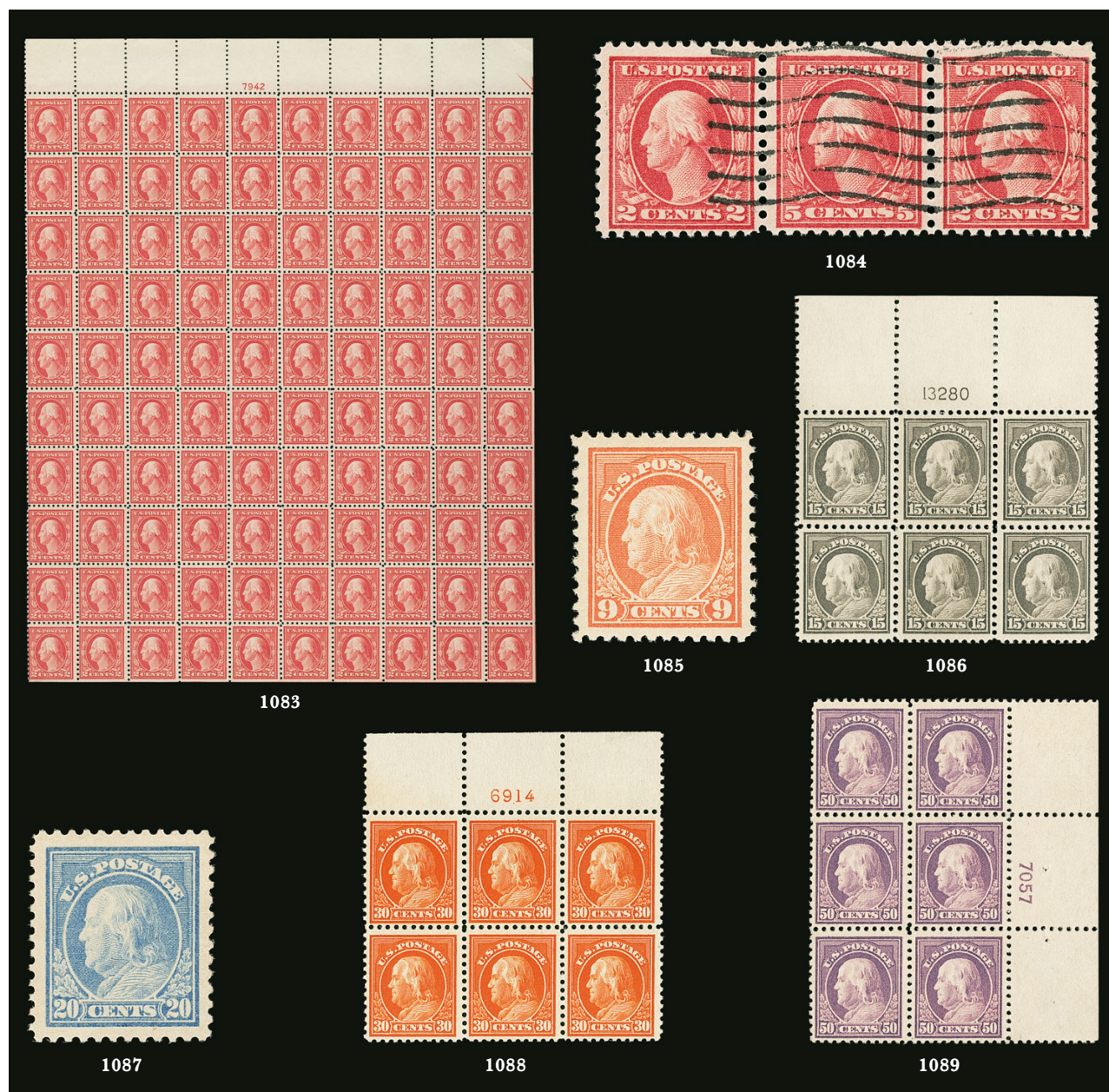
1082

- 1082 ★★ **5c Rose, Error (505).** Mint N.H., warm shade, gorgeous centering with wide margins

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF SCOTT 505, WHICH IS GRADED SUPERB 98 BY P.S.E.

During the production of the normal 2c plate No. 7942, three positions were noted to be defective. The plate was sent back to the siderographer, who burnished out the three positions and mistakenly re-entered them using a transfer roll for the 5c stamp. The error passed unnoticed and the sheets were issued to the public as Perf 10, Imperforate and Perf 11 (Scott 467, 485 and 505).

With 1994 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$4,250.00). Only two have graded higher (both 100) and only nine others share this desirable grade 625.00



- 1083 ★★田 **5c Rose, Error (505)**. Mint N.H. double error in pane of 100, natural s.e. at bottom and right, plate no. 7942 at top, lacking left selvage, brilliant color, the errors are fresh and Very Fine, Scott Retail as double error in block of twelve and one plate block .. 2,070.00
- 1084 **5c Rose, Error (505)**. Horizontal strip of three, middle stamp the error, neat wavy-line machine cancel, rich color, fresh and Fine..... 600.00
- 1085 ★★ **9c Salmon Red (509)**. Mint N.H., vibrant color, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, ex “Hanover”, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$300.00)..... 27.50
- 1086 ★★田 **15c Gray (514)**. Mint N.H. top plate no. block of six with wide selvage, fresh and bright color, Very Fine and choice, ex “Vineyard”, with 2003 P.F. certificate 900.00
- 1087 ★★ **20c Light Ultramarine (515)**. Mint N.H., lovely pastel color, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$800.00)..... 90.00
- 1088 ★★田 **30c Orange Red (516)**. Mint N.H. top plate no. 6914 block of six, vibrant color, few trivial natural gum skips, Very Fine 925.00
- 1089 ★田 **50c Red Violet (517)**. Right plate no. 7057 block of six, lightly hinged, deep rich shade, exceptionally fresh, well-centered, Very Fine..... 1,600.00



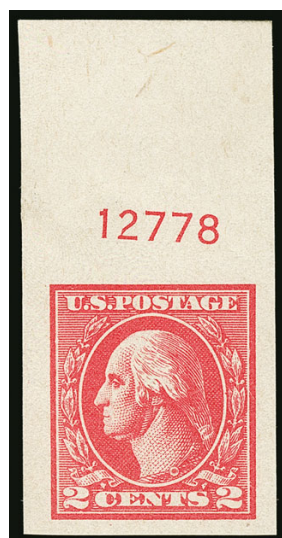
- 1090 ★★ **\$1.00 Violet Brown (518)**. Mint N.H., intense shade and impression on bright paper, wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,600.00) 95.00
- 1091 ★★田 **\$1.00 Violet Brown (518)**. Mint N.H. bottom imprint, plate no. 5782 and letter "A" block of six, rich color, well-balanced margins, Very Fine and attractive Mint N.H. plate block 2,100.00
- 1092 ★★田 **\$1.00 Violet Brown (518)**. Mint N.H. bottom imprint, plate no. 5782 and letter "A" block of six, rich color, few minor perf separations in selvage, Very Fine..... 2,100.00
- 1093 **\$1.00 Deep Brown (518b)**. Unobtrusive cancel at top, intense shade, choice centering, negligible short perf at top, tiny corner perf crease at bottom left, Extremely Fine appearance, according to Johl, a small number of stamps were printed in this distinctive shade early in the issue of the 1917 \$1.00 stamp, during the course of the six years that the stamp was issued, all other printings were made in the Violet Brown shade, with 2017 P.F. certificate 1,250.00
- 1094 ★★ **\$2.00 Orange Red & Black (523)**. Mint N.H., rich colors, wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate for block 1,150.00
- 1095 ★★ **\$5.00 Deep Green & Black (524)**. Mint N.H., rich colors, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate..... 360.00
- 1096 ★★田 **\$5.00 Deep Green & Black (524)**. Mint N.H. top arrow and double plate nos. 8179/8178 block of eight, rich colors, natural gum skips and bends, few minor perf separations at top, light natural paper crease, Very Fine and scarce in Mint N.H. condition ... 6,000.00



- 1097 ★★ **1c-3c 1918-20 Offset Issues (525-530, 531-534A, 535-536).** Mint N.H., large margins, fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine group(Photo Ex) 732.00
- 1098 ★ **1c Gray Green, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (525c).** Bright and fresh, Fine, a rare error that occurred in the two right-hand rows from the left pane of the plate and so is always found with straight edge at right..... 750.00
- 1099 ★★田 **1c-2c 1918-20 Offset Issue (526/536).** 124 Mint N.H. stamps, including Nos. 526 (57), 528 (47) and 536 (20), in multiples up to block of eight, also some singles, fresh colors, mostly Fine-Very Fine*Not illustrated* 5,117.50
- 1100 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. V (527).** Mint N.H., vivid color on bright paper, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp, ex "Hanover", with 2001 and 2006 P.F. certificates (Superb 98), by way of comparison only two have graded higher at P.S.E. and the P.F. has graded none equal or higher..... 40.00
- 1101 ★★田 **1c-3c 1918-20 Offset Issues (528-536).** Nine plate blocks of six, including Nos. 528 (with monogram), 528B, 529, 530, 531, 535 and 536, also including plate blocks of Nos. 538 and 540, most are Very Fine-Extremely Fine*Not illustrated* 1,940.00
- 1102 ★★田 **2c Carmine, Ty. VI (528A).** Mint N.H. right plate no. 11606 block of six, interesting plate scratches in margin, intense color, post-office fresh, couple tiny natural gum skips, Very Fine, ex "Silver Lake" 800.00
- 1103 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. VII (528B).** Mint N.H., brilliant color, Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$650.00) 50.00
- 1104 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. VII (528B).** Mint N.H., brilliant color on bright paper, Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1998 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$650.00)..... 50.00



- 1105 ★★ **1c Green (531)**. Mint N.H., with **top plate no. 9952** sheet margin, huge margins other sides, radiant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ, SMQ \$150.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible on the grading chart 21.00
- 1106 ★★ **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. IV, Imperforate (532)**. Mint N.H. right plate no. 11433 block of six, large margins, brilliant color, fresh and Extremely Fine 625.00
- 1107 **2c Carmine, Ty. V, Imperforate (533)**. Huge margins all around including parts of five adjoining stamps, neat Chicago machine cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.F. (as on cover) and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (Gem 100; SMQ \$1,000.00), accompanied by cover on which this originated 125.00
- 1108 田 **2c Carmine, Ty. V, Imperforate (533)**. Bottom plate no. 11260 block of six, cancelled by Benton Harbor Mich. Oct. 29, 1920 duplex datestamps, Extremely Fine..... E. 300-400
- 1109 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. Va, Imperforate (534)**. Mint N.H. with wide **right plate no. 11433** sheet margin, huge margins other sides, brilliant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$100 as 100) 26.00



- 1110°★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. VII, Imperforate (534B)**. Mint N.H. with **top plate no. 12778** sheet margin, huge margins other sides, brilliant color

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE SCARCE 2-CENT TYPE VII IMPERFORATE ISSUE.

Most Type VII stamps were used by private vending and affixing machine companies. However, unlike Scott 314A and 482A, a small supply of the imperforate 2c Type VII stamps did reach the public.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$4,500.00) ... 3,750.00

1110

- 1111 ★★ **2c Carmine, Ty. VII, Imperforate (534B).** Mint N.H., large even margins, rich color

VERY FINE MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE RARE TYPE VII IMPERFORATE OFFSET ISSUE.

Most Type VII stamps were used by private vending and affixing machine companies. However, unlike Scott 314A and 482A, a small supply of the imperforate 2c Type VII stamps did reach the public.

With 1983 P.F. certificate 3,750.00



1111



1112



1113

- 1112 **2c Carmine, Ty. VII, Imperforate (534B).** Large balanced margins, bright color, light machine cancel, Very Fine, purple backstamp, with 1981 P.F. certificate 1,400.00
- 1113 ★★ **3c Violet, Ty. IV, Imperforate (535).** Mint N.H. with **left plate no. 8781 sheet margin**, enormous margins other sides, deep rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ; SMQ \$125.00 as 100), this is the highest grade possible on the grading chart..... 18.00



1114

- 1114 ★ **2c Carmine Rose, Ty. II, Rotary Perf 11 x 10 (539).** Mint N.H. but described on accompanying certificate as "previously hinged due to fingerprints on the gum", the "fingerprint" is so faint it is barely visible, rich color and detailed impression, three wide margins, fresh and Fine, with copy of 1983 P.F. certificate for block and 2017 P.F. certificate as single, Scott Retail as hinged 2,700.00



1115

- 1115 ★★ **1c Green, Rotary Perf 10 x 11 (542).** Mint N.H., brilliant color and crisp impression, almost perfectly centered with huge margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a gorgeous stamp, the rotary press waste issues are notoriously difficult to obtain in such superb condition, ex "Scarsdale" and "Hanover", with 2003 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates (Superb 98; SMQ \$850.00), this is the highest grade awarded and only six others have achieved this desirable grade..... 30.00

- 1116 ★★ **5c Pilgrim Tercentenary (550).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression, wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,575.00), only six have graded higher.... 75.00

- 1117 ★★田 **5c Pilgrim Tercentenary (550).** 68 Mint N.H. stamps including siderographer's initials blocks of four and six, four other blocks of four, two other blocks of six, few strips, pairs and singles, rich color on bright paper, Fine-Very Fine with a few Extremely Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles
.....*Not illustrated* 5,100.00



1116



1118

- 1118 **5c Pilgrim Tercentenary (550).** Bright shade, unobtrusive cancel, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in this grade in SMQ, SMQ \$650.00 as 98), this is the highest grade awarded to a used example and no others share it..... 14.00

END OF SESSION THREE

SESSION FOUR (LOTS 1119-1257)
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2017, AT 10:30 A.M.

1922 AND LATER ISSUES

- 1119 ★★田 ½c-\$2.00 1922-31 Issues (551/701). 60 mostly Mint N.H. plate blocks, including Nos. 551-572 (\$2.00 lightly hinged), 581-587, 589-591, 622-623, 632-634, 635-642, 692-701, some natural gum skips and bends, No. 565 small toned spots, also including block of four of No. 572, rich colors, several with better centering than normally seen

FINE-VERY FINE WITH SOME EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE OPPORTUNITY TO ACQUIRE A VIRTUALLY COMPLETE SET OF PLATE BLOCKS OF THE 1922-25 ISSUE DESIGNS WITH ALL THE PERFORATION PERMUTATIONS.

Two with certificates.....
.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 13,248.00



1119EX

- 1120 ★★ ½c-\$5.00 1922-25 Issue (551-573, 575-577). Mint N.H. except 3c and 20c lightly hinged, 10c and 25c small natural gum skips, rich colors, several with superior centering, Very Fine-Extremely Fine set.....*Not illustrated* 1,055.60
- 1121 ★★田 1c-30c 1922-25 Issue (552/569). Almost 500 Mint N.H. stamps in glassines, including Nos. 552 (76), 553 (approx. 113), 555 (66), 560 (30), 561 (36), 564 (70), 566 (40), 568 (21) and 569 (27), mostly in multiples of various sizes, some with better centering than normally seen in a group such as this, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles approximately*Not illustrated* 9,772.50
- 1122 ★★田 6c Red Orange (558). 204 Mint N.H. stamps, including **block of 91** with plate no. 15894 at right, missing bottom plate block and three other stamps, other multiples include blocks of 48, 16, 12, 8 and a few others, brilliant color, few are very nicely centered, some minor perf separations, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine with a few Extremely Fine, from an old-time dealer's stock of scrap, you used to be able to go to a show and a dealer would break panes into plate blocks for you, Scott Retail as singles and one plate block*Not illustrated* 14,460.00
- 1123 ★★田 10c Orange (562). 100 stamps, 94 Mint N.H. including three blocks of 16, blocks of 15, 9, 8 (2), two plate blocks (one lightly hinged), vibrant colors, most of the larger blocks s.e. on one side, few with especially nice centering, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine with a few Extremely Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles and two plate blocks*Not illustrated* 3,535.00



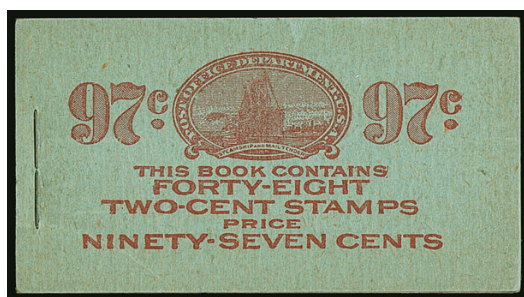
1124

- 1124 (★) 10c Orange, Imperforate Pair (562b). Horizontal pair, unused (no gum) as are all known examples, vivid color, ample to large margins, the usual light blue crayon has been lightened on left stamp, Very Fine, with 1977 A.P.S. certificate, according to *United States Stamps 1922-26* by Gary Griffith, dealer Philip Ward purchased a pane in 1925 in Oklahoma, large areas were marked for destruction with a blue crayon 1,900.00



- 1125 ★★ **12c Brown Violet (564).** Mint N.H., rich color and proof-like impression, perfectly centered with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$425.00), only five have graded higher 11.50
- 1126 ★★田 **\$2.00 Deep Blue (572).** Mint N.H. bottom plate no. 14306 block of six, rich color on bright paper, Extremely Fine, a beautiful Mint N.H. plate block..... 1,000.00
- 1127 ★★田 **\$5.00 Carmine & Blue (573).** Mint N.H. top arrow, marker and double plate nos. F14326/F14327 block of eight, rich colors, Very Fine and choice, a beautiful plate block..... 2,650.00
- 1128 ★★田 **\$5.00 Carmine & Blue (573).** Mint N.H. top arrow, marker and double plate nos. F14326/F14327 block of eight, brilliant colors, well-balanced margins, few natural gum bends, Very Fine.. 2,650.00
- 1129 ★★田 **\$5.00 Carmine & Blue (573).** Mint N.H. centerline block of four, bright colors on post-office fresh paper, near perfect centering, Extremely Fine Gem position block, Scott Retail as singles with no premium for the position..... 800.00
- 1130 ★★田 **\$5.00 Carmine & Blue (573).** Mint N.H. right arrow block of four, rich colors, choice centering, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as singles with no premium for the position 800.00
- 1131 ★田 **\$5.00 Carmine Lake and Dark Blue (573a).** Top arrow, marker and double plate nos. F14326/F14327 block of eight, lightly hinged, deep rich color, single perf at bottom with small stain, Very Fine..... 2,500.00

- 1132 ★★田 **1c Green, Rotary (578)**. 84 Mint N.H. stamps including three blocks of twelve, three blocks of ten, block of eight, block of six and two pairs, two smaller blocks with top selvage, rich color, six stamps natural s.e. at bottom, few minor perf separations, overall fresh and Fine with a few Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles*Not illustrated* 13,440.00
- 1133 ★★ **1c-10c 1923-26 Issue, Perf 11 x 10, 10 (578-579, 581-591)**. Mint N.H., brilliant colors, overall beautiful centering, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, No. 578 with 1992 P.F. certificate...*Not illustrated* 712.00
- 1134 ★★田 **2c Carmine, Rotary (579)**. 89 Mint N.H. stamps, including seven blocks of eight, block of six, five blocks of four, two pairs and three singles, radiant color, one block of eight with perfs touching on four stamps but otherwise overall decent centering for this rotary press issue, two blocks of eight and one block of four with top selvage, fresh and Fine with some Very Fine, a wonderful holding from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles*Not illustrated* 13,350.00
- 1135 ★★田 **1c Green, Perf 10 (581)**. 382 Mint N.H. stamps, including **two panes of 100** (significant perf separations), plate block of four, singles, pairs and multiples up to block of 16, nice range of shades (Scott lists two sub-shades), typical rotary press centering of mostly Fine with a few Very Fine, a fantastic holding from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles and three plate blocks*Not illustrated* 9,075.00
- 1136 ★★田 **1½c Brown, Perf 10 (582)**. Just over 200 Mint N.H. stamps, in blocks of ten or smaller plus few singles, some with selvage, bright color, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles*Not illustrated* 2,700.00
- 1137 ★★田 **2c-10c 1923-26 Issues (583/595)**. 253 Mint N.H. stamps, including panes of 100 of No. 583 and 590, 31 copies of No. 585 and 19 copies of No. 591 (includes plate block), three singles of No. 595, fresh colors, overall Fine-Very Fine group, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles*Not illustrated* 6,902.50

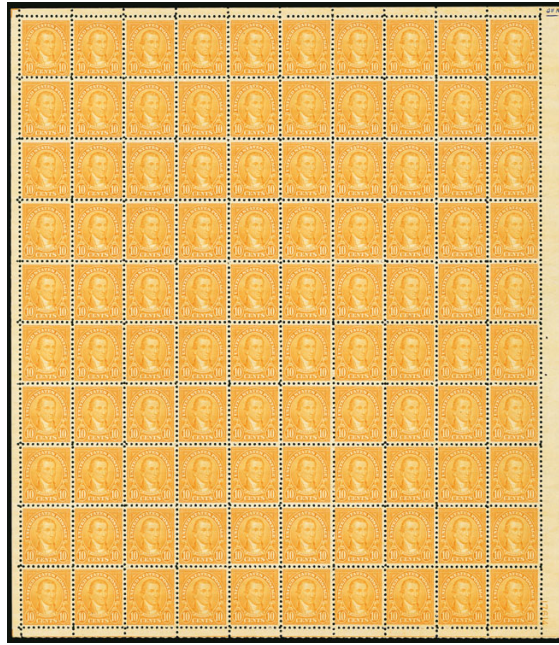


1138



1142

- 1138 ★★ **2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK74)**. Comprising eight panes of six of No. 583a, bright and fresh with tight covers, cover with light crease at left, panes with Fine centering, Scott assigns almost no premium for the complete booklet versus eight Mint N.H. panes 1,750.00
- 1139 ★★田 **3c Violet, Perf 10 (584)**. Mint N.H. pane of 100 with plate no. 17162 at bottom right, rich color, several with unusually choice centering especially in fourth and fifth row towards the center, pen notation in selvage at top right, few trivial perf separations in top selvage, Fine-Very Fine with several Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as singles and plate block.....*Not illustrated* 6,425.00
- 1140 ★★田 **3c Violet, Perf 10 (584)**. Mint N.H. block of 23 with selvage at right and bottom, intense shade and impression, several with superior centering which would no doubt grade highly, tear in selvage only opposite Position 20, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, we doubt this will remain intact for much longer, Scott Retail as singles.....*Not illustrated* 1,437.50
- 1141 ★★田 **3c Violet, Perf 10 (584)**. 53 Mint N.H. stamps, including blocks of 19, 15, 6 (2), strip of three and two pairs, several with selvage, few with very nice centering, fresh and Fine-Very Fine with few Extremely Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles ...*Not illustrated* 3,312.50
- 1142 ★★ **4c Yellow Brown, Perf 10 (585)**. Mint N.H., pretty shade, unusually choice centering with wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$800.00), only five have graded higher 37.50
- 1143 ★★田 **5c Blue, Perf 10 (586)**. Mint N.H. block of 76 with selvage on three sides, rich color, few better centered than normally seen, few trivial perf separations, Fine-Very Fine with a few Extremely Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles.....*Not illustrated* 2,850.00
- 1144 ★★田 **5c Blue, Perf 10 (586)**. 153 Mint N.H. stamps, including blocks of 30, 19, 14, 12 and other multiples such as two plate no. 16608 blocks of four, six singles, rich color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles and two plate blocks.....*Not illustrated* 6,287.50
- 1145 ★★田 **7c Black, Perf 10 (588)**. 87 Mint N.H. stamps, including blocks of 24, 18, 8, 6, 5 and 4 (4) plus strip of four, pair and four singles, both largest multiples with corner selvage (one with pen notation in selvage), fresh and Fine-Very Fine group, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles.....*Not illustrated* 2,392.50



1146

- 1146 ★★田 **10c Orange, Perf 10 (591)**. Mint N.H. pane of 100 with plate no. 17614 at bottom right, vibrant color as fresh as the day it was printed, several stamps with phenomenal centering (especially in righthand column just above the plate block), small pen notation in top right of selvage, few perf separations in plate block

FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE INTACT PANE OF 100 OF THE 1925 10-CENT PERF 10 ROTARY ISSUE, SCOTT 591.

Virtually all multiples with such well-centered stamps have already been broken. Scott Retail as singles and plate block 9,390.00



1147

- 1147 ★★田 **2c Carmine, Rotary, Perf 11 (595)**. Mint N.H. block of 35 with top selvage, rich color and detailed impression

FRESH AND FINE-VERY FINE. A RARE LARGE MULTIPLE OF THE 2-CENT PERF 11 ROTARY PRINTING, SCOTT 595.

The largest multiple we have sold since keeping computerized records is a block of eight. Scott Retail as singles 16,625.00



1148

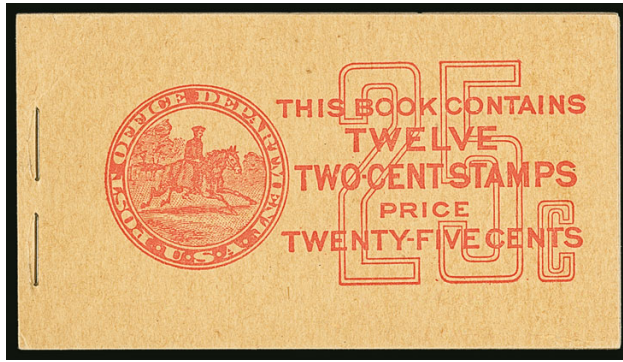


1149



1150

- 1148 ★★ **2c Carmine, Joint Line Strip of Four, Ty. I, II (599-599A).** Mint N.H., left two stamps Type I, right two stamps Type II, deep rich color, Fine-Very Fine, with 2005 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as combination joint line pair and two singles..... 1,550.00
- 1149 ★★ **2c Carmine, Joint Line Pair, Ty. I, II (599-599A).** Mint N.H., left stamp Type II, deep rich color, wide margins, Fine-Very Fine 1,350.00
- 1150 ★★ **2c Carmine Lake, Coil (599b).** Mint N.H. pair, deep and distinctive color, choice centering, Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate for strip of four 650.00
- 1151 ★★田 **2c Harding, Rotary, Perf 10 (612).** Seven Mint N.H. panes of 100, six with plate no. 14900 and one with plate no. 14901, one of the panes is broken apart (not affecting the plate block) and has three stained stamps, the other panes intact with some typical perf separations in selvage, centering is generally Fine as these rotary press stamps come, Scott Retail for plate blocks and singles.....*Not illustrated* 25,340.00
- 1152 ★★田 **2c, 5c Norse-American (620-621).** Mint N.H. panes of 100, rich colors, few perf separations not affecting plate blocks, Fine-Very Fine*Not illustrated* 3,469.50
- 1153 ★★田 **2c, 5c Norse-American (620-621).** Mint N.H. top arrow and double plate no. blocks of eight, rich colors, fresh and Very Fine*Not illustrated* 975.00
- 1154 ★★ **2c White Plains Souvenir Sheet (630).** Mint N.H., fresh and Very Fine..*Not illustrated* 600.00
- 1155 ★★ **2c White Plains Souvenir Sheet (630).** Six, Mint N.H., better centering than normally seen, one with dot over "s", few usual natural gum skips and bends, few gum wrinkles, Very Fine-Extremely Fine group.....*Not illustrated* 3,650.00
- 1156 ★ **2c White Plains Souvenir Sheet (630).** Five, either lightly hinged or with few stamps h.r., few minor perf separations sensibly reinforced on one or two, overall Fine-Very Fine*Not illustrated* 1,750.00



1157

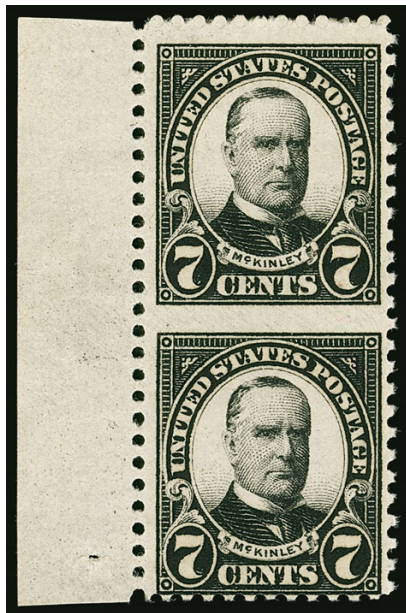
- 1157 ★★ **2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet With Experimental Cellophane Interleaving (BK80a).** Comprising two panes of six No. 634d, BIA Cover Type IV-c.3-4, wonderfully fresh and Fine-Very Fine, this is one of 56,000 booklets made in the spring of 1928, despite a fairly substantial quantity made this is extremely rare and only the third we have encountered 2,500.00

- 1158 ★田 **2c Carmine, Ty. II (634A).** Top left corner plate no. 19645 block of four, top left stamp small glazed spot, others Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, Very Fine and attractive..... 2,200.00

- 1159 ★★田 **5c Dark Blue, 6c Red Orange (637-638).** Accumulation of Mint N.H. stamps in blocks including 153 of 5c and 181 of 6c, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles.....
.....*Not illustrated* 1,038.00



1158



1160

- 1160 ★★ **7c Black, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (639a).** Mint N.H., with selvage at left, small fingerprint on gum of bottom stamp, Very Fine, scarce, according to Gary Griffith, this variety was first reported in 1939, the postmaster in a small town near Cleveland was annoyed that several panes had some rows of perforations missing, he cut some apart by hand and then gave up, throwing them in a box which was later purchased by a stamp collector (rumored to be Karl Koslowski), it is believed that about 20 pairs and two blocks of four were purchased, it is also known with a Mobile Ala. precancel..... 1,000.00

- 1161 ★★田 **5c Hawaii Ovpt. (648).** Mint N.H. pane of 100 with plate no. 18908 at top left, rich color, fresh and mostly Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles and plate block.....*Not illustrated* 2,489.00

- 1162 **1c-10c Kans-Nebr. Ovpt. (658/679).** Accumulation of 1,163 Mint N.H. stamps, including two intact panes of 100 of No. 670, pane of 671 (lacking two pieces of narrow selvage), few large multiples of No. 658, also includes Nos. 663 (122 copies), 670 (141 copies), 673 (65 copies), 674 (18 copies), 676 (31 copies plus plate block), 678 (62 copies), 679 (13 copies), few perf separations to be expected

FINE-VERY FINE WITH A FEW EXTREMELY FINE. A WONDERFUL OLD-TIME HOLDING OF KANSAS-NEBRASKA STAMPS IN A QUANTITY RARELY OFFERED BEFORE.

From an old-time dealer's stockbook. Scott Retail as singles and few plate blocks
.....*Not illustrated* 19,712.50



1163EX

- 1163 ★★田 1c-10c Kans., Nebr. Overprints (658-679). Complete set of Mint N.H. plate no. blocks of four, rich colors, choice centering throughout

FINE-VERY FINE WITH SOME EXTREMELY FINE. A DESIRABLE COMPLETE SET OF MINT NEVER-HINGED PLATE BLOCKS OF THE KANSAS-NEBRASKA ISSUE.

Three with P.F. certificates from late 1980's or early 1990's.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) 8,985.00



1164EX



1165



1170

- 1164 ★★ 1c-10c Kans. Overprints (658-668). Mint N.H., bright colors, most have beautiful centering, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, an attractive set(Photo Ex) 431.50
- 1165 ★★ 6c Kans. Ovpt. (664). Mint N.H. with left selvage, radiant color, perfectly centered with unusually wide margins for this difficult issue, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp in every respect, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,500.00), this is the highest grade awarded and only one other shares this desirable grade, this is also the first time we have offered this grade in one of our auctions 50.00
- 1166 ★★田 7c Kans. Ovpt. (665). 109 Mint N.H. stamps, including blocks of 12, 10, 9, 8 (4), 6 and few other multiples, also 18 singles, detailed impressions, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singlesNot illustrated 5,450.00
- 1167 ★★田 9c Kans. Ovpt. (667). 245 Mint N.H. stamps, including block of 96 (lacking plate block), blocks of 80, 40 and 16 plus few smaller multiples and singles, radiant color, several with far better centering than normally seen — look at bottom left of block of 96 and same area on block of 80 — vibrant color, few notations in selvage are meaningless, few trivial perf separations, Fine-Very Fine with several Extremely Fine Gems, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles.....Not illustrated 6,737.50
- 1168 ★★田 10c Kans. Ovpt. (668). 86 Mint N.H. stamps, including blocks of 12, 10, 8 (2), 6 (2), 4 (5) plus few pairs, strips and singles, vibrant color, few with better centering than normally seen, few minor perf separations, mostly Fine-Very Fine with a few Extremely Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles.....Not illustrated 3,870.00
- 1169 ★★田 7c Nebr. Ovpt. (676). Mint N.H. block of 78 with selvage on three sides, intense shade and impression, several with far better centering than normally seen (check out the 7th and 8th columns about halfway down), trivial crease in selvage at top right, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a scarce intact large multiple with some stamps that will no doubt grade very highly, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles.....Not illustrated 3,510.00
- 1170 ★★田 9c Nebr. Ovpt. (678). Mint N.H. top left plate no. 18744 block of four, fresh color, Fine-Very Fine 675.00



1171

- 1171 ★★ **3c Presidential, Horizontal Pair, Imperforate Between (807b).** Mint N.H. with top selvage, rich color, vertical crease between stamps, Very Fine and scarce, desirable with the top selvage, with 1974 P.F. certificate..... 2,000.00

- 1172 ★★田 **3c Presidential, Booklet, Imperforate Vertically (807d).** Mint N.H. block of nine, imperforate between left stamps, small staple holes from booklet at top, the variety caused by a foldover which caused vertical crease on right stamps

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE BOOKLET PANE OF NINE STAMPS OF THE 3-CENT PRESIDENTIAL ISSUE, IMPERFORATE VERTICALLY BETWEEN TWO LEFT COLUMNS.

The right six stamps should have been the booklet pane, but due to the foldover the pane was miscut, resulting in this striking variety. The Rustad book illustrates two others (p. 52) including one with a vertical gutter.

With 1981 P.F. certificate. Signed in pencil on back. Listed but unpriced in Scott. E. 2,000-3,000



1172



1173



1174



1175

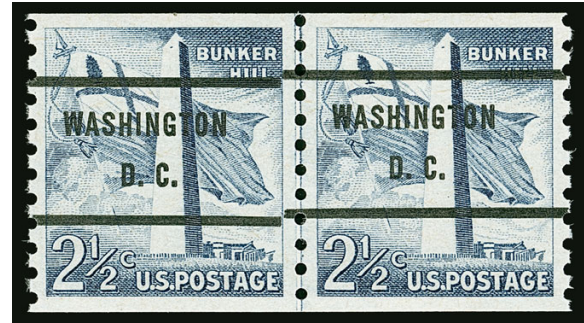
- 1173 ★★田 **\$2.00 Presidential (833).** Mint N.H. top double plate no. block of 20 with arrow, registration markers and denomination, vignette shifted strongly to top left, Fine-Very Fine..... 450.00
- 1174 ★★田 **\$5.00 Presidential (834).** Mint N.H. top double plate no. 22166/22169 block of four, signed in selvage by designer **Victor S. McClosky** and engraver of lettering and frame **George L. Huber**, Very Fine, unusual with the signatures, Scott Retail as normal..... 350.00
- 1175 ★★ **1 1/2c Presidential, Coil (849).** Mint N.H. joint line pair, perfectly centered with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; unpriced in SMQ, SMQ \$420.00 as 98), this is the highest grade awarded and the only example to achieve it..... 4.50

- 1176 ★★ **2½c Bunker Hill, Small Holes Variety (1056 var).** Mint N.H. joint line pair, neat Washington D.C. precancel **showing gap on the joint line**, bright color, choice centering

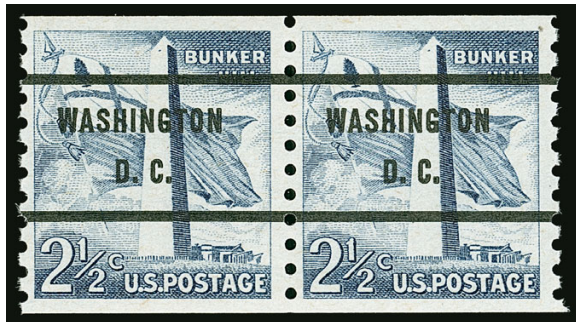
EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE MINT NEVER-HINGED JOINT LINE PAIR OF THE 2½ CENT BUNKER HILL WITH SMALL HOLES.

Scott Catalogue notes this is only known with Bureau precancel. This is the first genuine joint line pair we have offered since 2002.

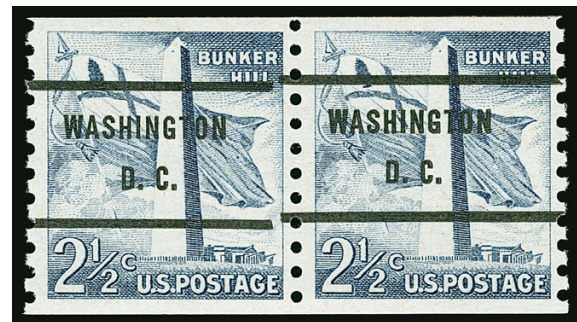
With 2017 P.F. certificate 3,000.00



1176



1177



1178



1179

- 1177 ★★ **2½c Bunker Hill, Small Holes Variety (1056 var).** Mint N.H. pair, neat Washington D.C. precancel, Very Fine and choice, scarce, this is only known with a precancel, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 850.00

- 1178 ★★ **2½c Bunker Hill, Small Holes Variety (1056 var).** Mint N.H. pair, neat Washington D.C. precancel with unusual **gap in precancel**, Very Fine and choice, a scarce variety, with 2017 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail without premium for the precancel line gap... 850.00

- 1179 ★★ **10c Skylab, Imperforate Between and at Bottom (1529a var).** Mint N.H. vertical pair, blind perfs along top edge but imperforate between and at bottom, Very Fine and very unusual, with 2017 P.F. certificate, unlisted in Scott E. 200-300



1180

1180 ★★ **\$1.00 Candle Holder, Brown (Engraved) Color Inverted (1610c).** Mint N.H., with **right side selvage and white band printed on stamp**, fresh colors and well-centered

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A BEAUTIFUL MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE FAMOUS C.I.A. INVERT WITH THE WHITE BAND, WHICH ONLY COMES FROM THE RIGHT VERTICAL ROW OF THE SHEET.

Popularly called the "C.I.A. Invert", a single pane of 100 stamps was purchased at the McLean Va. Post Office by employees of the C.I.A., for use on mail from the agency. They noticed the error, pooled together funds to buy a replacement sheet and kept the pane for themselves. When it was discovered who had purchased the stamps, a scandal ensued over who actually owned the stamps. Of the pane of 100, only 93 sound examples reached collectors.

The far right column of ten stamps has a white band running down the side. This white band should have been in the unprinted gutter at right.

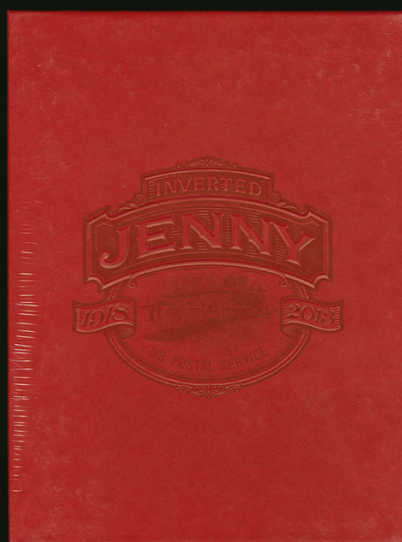
Scott Retail with no premium for the scarcer position..... 17,500.00



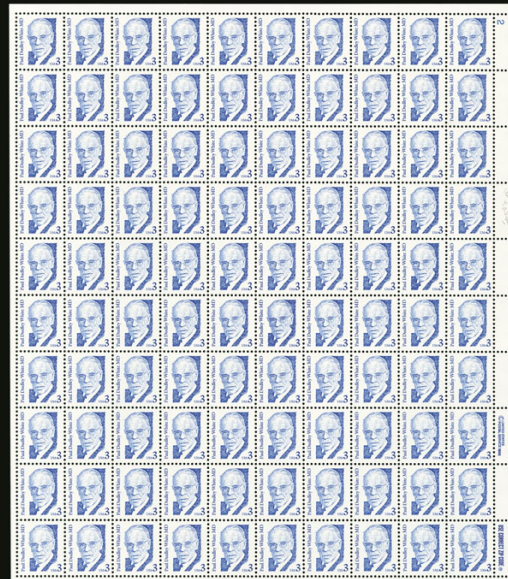
1181



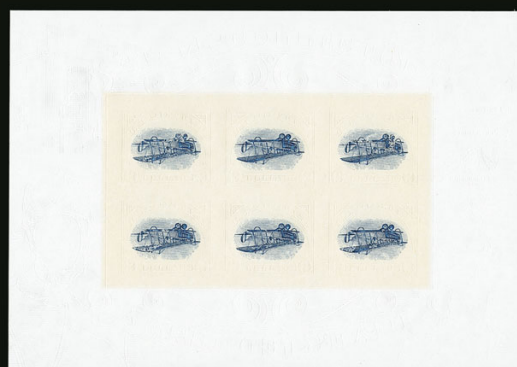
1183



1185

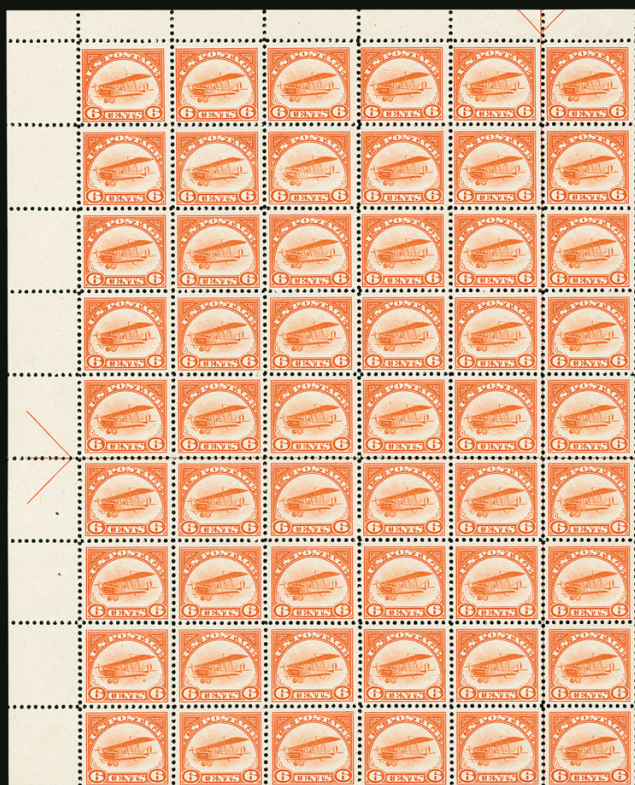


1182



1184EX

- 1181 ★★ **10.9c Hansom Cab, Imperforate (1904b)**. Strip of four with joint line between right pair, neat Bureau gap precancel, Very Fine and choice, Scott Retail as two pairs with no premium for the joint line pair (which is listed but unpriced)..... 250.00
- 1182 ★★田 **3c Paul Dudley White, Tagging Omitted (2179b)**. Mint N.H. pane of 100 with plate no. 2 at top right corner and zip block at bottom right, rich color, fresh and Very Fine, very rare especially as an intact pane, Scott Catalogue notes the tagging omitted error appeared before the untagged variety (Scott 2170a) and can be distinguished by the plate nos., only plates 2 and 3 produced the error, this intact pane is a great rarity, accompanied by normal pane from plate 2 for comparison and also a block of 24 believed to be the variety but not counted due to lack of plate no., Scott Retail as 100 singles..... 7,500.00
- 1183 ★★ **15c Beach Umbrella, Blue Omitted (2443c)**. Intact booklet containing one normal pane and one pane of the error, fresh and Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as just the error pane 1,150.00
- 1184 P **\$2.00 Red & Blue, Inverted Jenny, Limited Edition Souvenir Kit (4806 var)**. Commemorative box containing an array of proof material and sheets, including sheets of six with vignette only, frame only, complete stamps but without background design, albino stamps with background design, die wipe sheet, also normal sheet and first day precancelled sheet, plus 48-page booklet, Very Fine, very few of these kits were sold before the USPS ended the sales program (Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000
- 1185 P **\$2.00 Red & Blue, Inverted Jenny, Limited Edition Souvenir Kit (4806 var)**. Commemorative box sealed in original Post Office cellophane containing an array of proof material and sheets, including sheets of six with vignette only, frame only, complete stamps but without background design, albino stamps with background design, die wipe sheet, also normal sheet and first day precancelled sheet, plus 48-page booklet, Very Fine, very few of these kits were sold before the USPS ended the sales program E. 750-1,000



1186



1187



1188



1189



1190EX



1191EX



1192



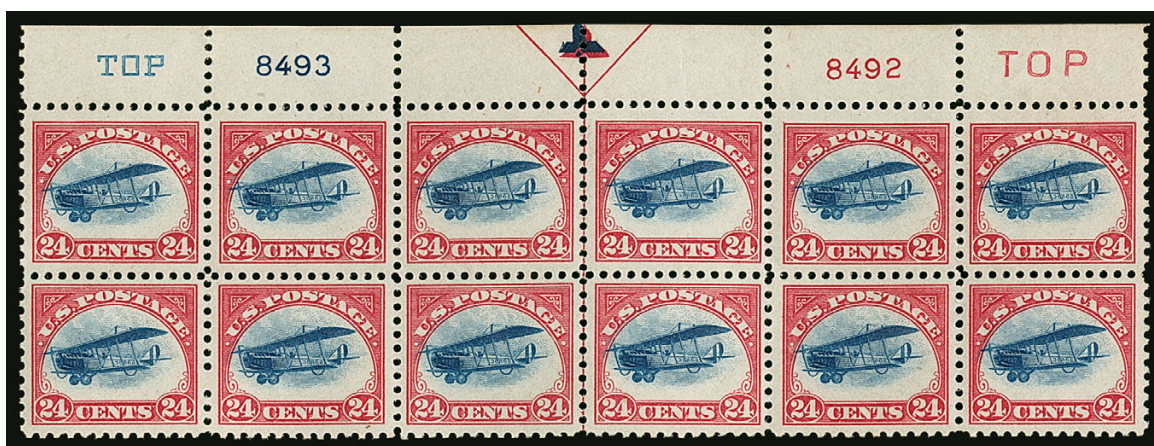
1193



1194

AIR POST

- 1186 ★★田 **6c Orange, 1918 Air Post (C1).** Mint N.H. top left corner selvage block of 54 with arrows at top and left and centerline, vibrant color, few trivial natural inclusions to be expected, Fine-Very Fine and attractive large multiple, Scott Retail as singles with no premium for the arrow or centerline blocks 6,480.00
- 1187 ★★田 **6c Orange, 1918 Air Post (C1).** Mint N.H. block of 16, includes centerline at bottom center, brilliant color, few small natural inclusions, Fine-Very Fine and attractive multiple, Scott Retail as singles 1,920.00
- 1188 ★★田 **6c Orange, 1918 Air Post (C1).** Mint N.H. block of ten, brilliant color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles 1,200.00
- 1189 ★★田 **6c Orange, 1918 Air Post (C1).** Mint N.H. top arrow and plate no. 9155 block of six, rich color with some slight oxidation at top, Very Fine 1,000.00
- 1190 ★★田 **6c Orange, 1918 Air Post (C1).** Three Mint N.H. multiples and one single, blocks of 15, 14 and 10, last with top left corner selvage, vivid color, first with bit heavy natural gum creases, Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles..... (Photo Ex) 4,800.00
- 1191 ★★田 **6c Orange, 1918 Air Post (C1).** Three Mint N.H. multiples: left arrow block of four, top block of four with plate no. and part arrow, last is irregular block of seven with left selvage, brilliant colors, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles (Photo Ex) 1,800.00
- 1192 ★★田 **16c Green, 1918 Air Post (C2).** Mint N.H. top arrow and plate no. 8900 block of six, rich color, Very Fine and choice 1,350.00
- 1193 ★田 **16c Green, 1918 Air Post (C2).** Top arrow and plate no. 8900 block of six, stamps Mint N.H., lightly hinged in gummed selvage, rich color, Very Fine 900.00
- 1194 ★田 **16c Green, 1918 Air Post (C2).** Top plate no. 8900 and arrow block of six, lightly hinged, natural gum skip at top left, trivial natural inclusion at bottom right, Extremely Fine centering 900.00



1195

- 1195 ★★田 **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Mint N.H. top arrow, double plate nos. 8492/8493 and double "Top" block of twelve, rich colors, choice centering, few natural gum skips, Very Fine 2,000.00



1196



1197



1198EX

- 1196 ★田 **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Top arrow, double plate nos. 8492/8493 and double "Top" block of twelve, lightly hinged, rich colors, Very Fine 1,250.00
- 1197 ★田 **24c Carmine Rose & Blue, 1918 Air Post (C3).** Top arrow, double plate nos. 8493/8492 and double "TOP" block of twelve, lightly hinged, rich colors, few natural gum skips, few toned spots on back, Fine-Very Fine..... 1,250.00
- 1198 ★★田 **8c Dark Green, 1923 Air Post (C4).** Mint N.H. blocks of twelve and sixteen, rich colors, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles(Photo Ex) 1,120.00

- 1199°★★ **16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5).** Mint N.H., perfectly centered with wide margins, deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, long and full perforations



1199

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. THIS STUNNING MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF SCOTT C5 IS GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED AND ONLY ONE OTHER HAS ACHIEVED IT.

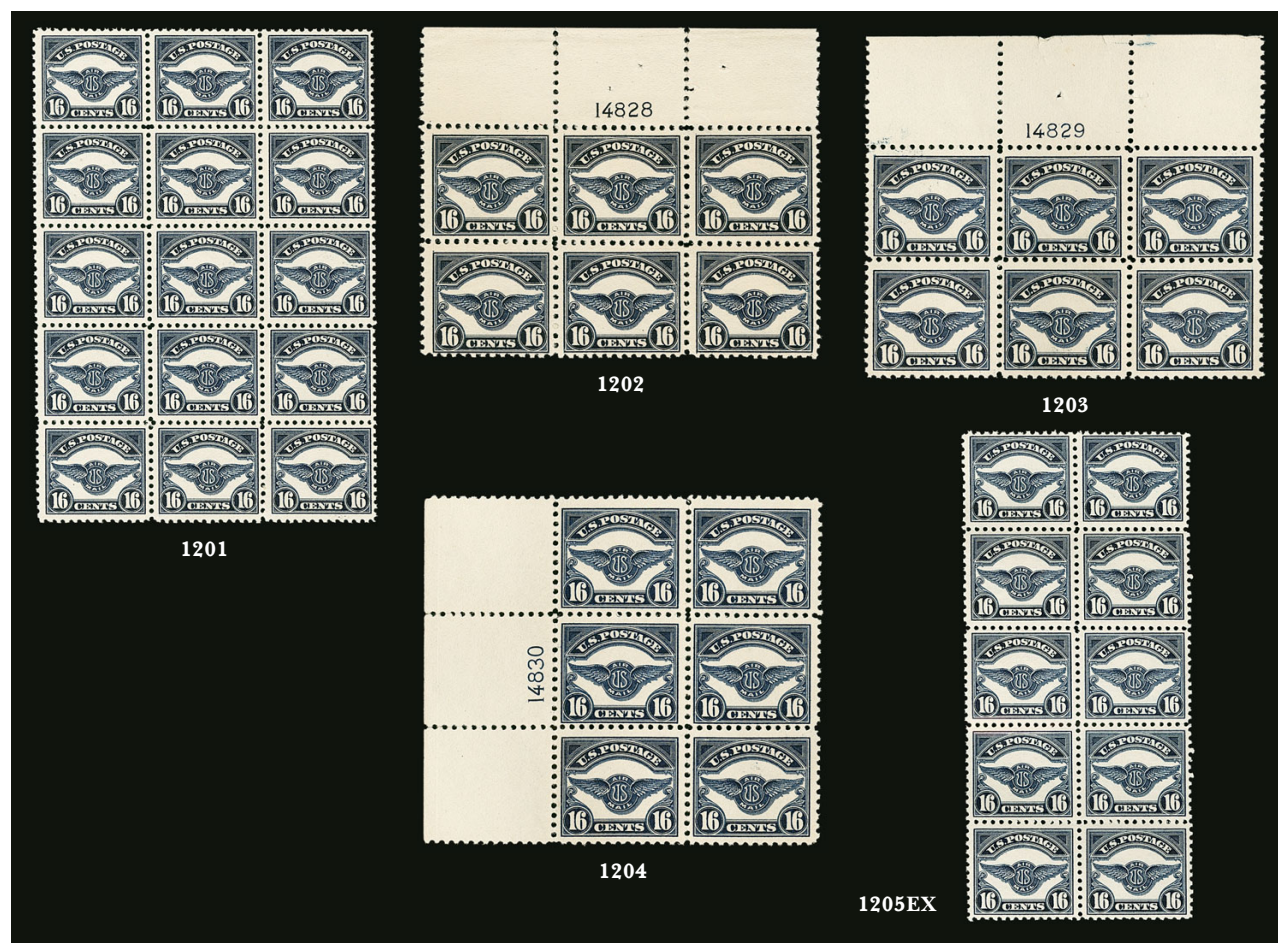
The first two series of United States Air Post issues, Scott C1-C6, are among the most recognizable U.S. stamps. They were printed in relatively small quantities compared to later issues — Scott C5 saw just over 5.3 million stamps issued, versus over 42 million for Scott C7. C5 is also one of the most difficult of the series to obtain in such a high grade, based on Population Report numbers.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$3,900.00). This is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only one other. This is the first time we have offered this grade in one of our auctions..... 130.00

- 1200 ★★ **16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, unusually wide and balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,350.00), only three have graded higher (one at 98J and two at 100) 130.00

1200





- 1201 ★★田 16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5). Mint N.H. block of 15, rich color on bright paper, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles 1,950.00
- 1202 ★★田 16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5). Mint N.H. top plate no. 14828 block of six, deep rich color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, desirable from the top position, outside the two in this sale, we have offered only one other top plate block since 2009 and that one had perf separations..... 2,150.00
- 1203 ★★田 16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5). Mint N.H. top plate no. 14829 block of six, rich color on bright paper, fresh and Fine, outside the two in this sale, we have offered only one other top plate block since 2009 and that one had perf separations 2,150.00
- 1204 ★★田 16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5). Mint N.H. left plate no. 14830 block of six, rich color on bright paper, Fine-Very Fine 2,150.00
- 1205 ★★田 16c Dark Blue, 1923 Air Post (C5). 31 Mint N.H. copies, including blocks of ten, six, four (2), plus irregular block of four and three singles, rich color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, from an old-time dealer's stockbook, Scott Retail as singles.....(Photo Ex) 4,030.00

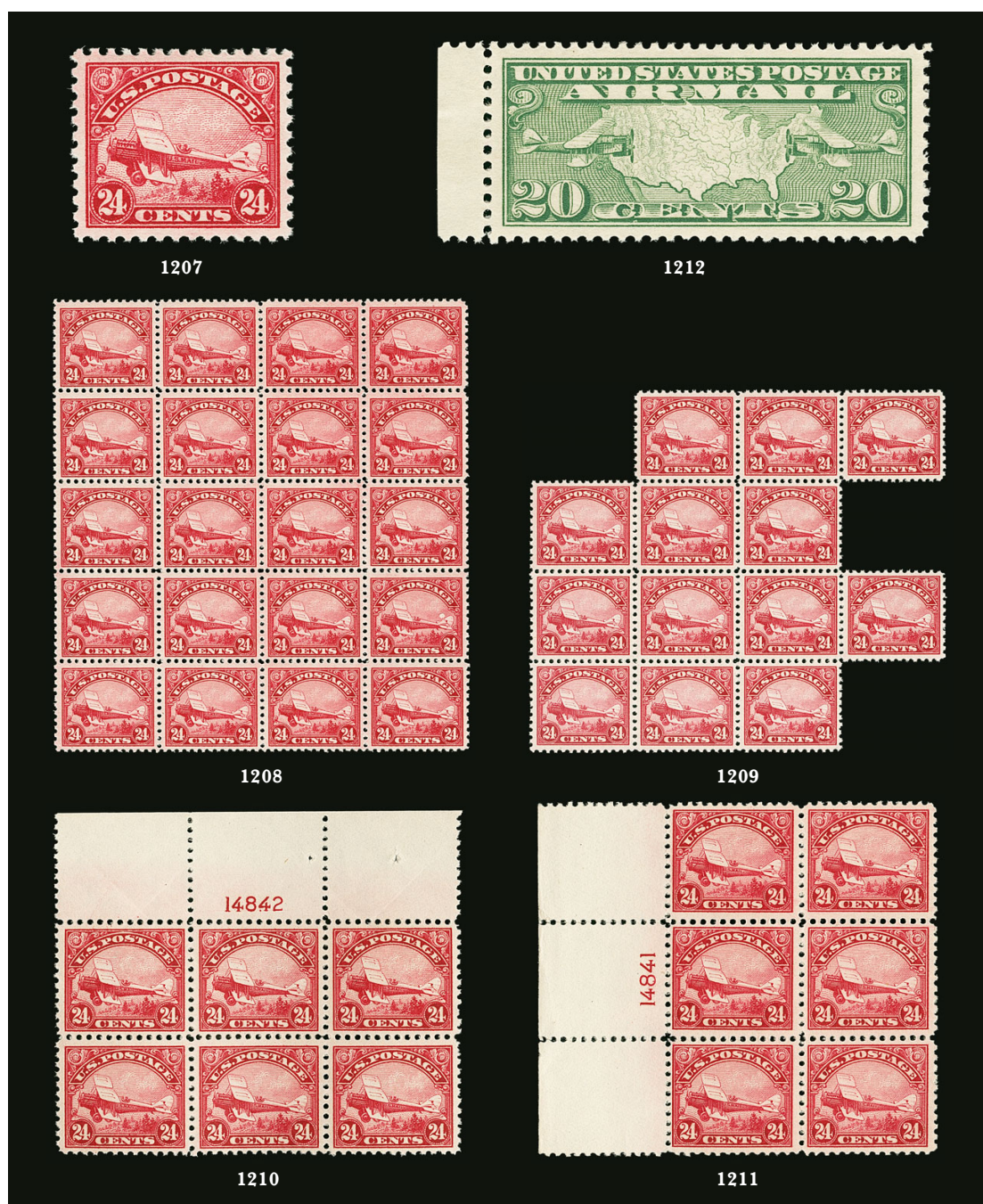
- 1206°★★ 24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6). Mint N.H., intense shade and impression, mathematically perfect centering

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A GORGEOUS MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE 1923 24-CENT AIR POST, WHICH IS GRADED GEM 100 BY P.S.E. — THIS IS THE HIGHEST GRADE AWARDED.

With 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100; SMQ \$3,250.00). This is the highest grade awarded and it is shared by only eight others..... 140.00



1206



- 1207 ★★ **24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).** Mint N.H., deep rich color, beautiful centering, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; SMQ \$1,200.00).... 140.00
- 1208 ★★田 **24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).** Mint N.H. block of 20, rich color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles 2,800.00
- 1209 ★★田 **24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).** Mint N.H. irregular block of 13, rich color on bright paper, mostly Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles 1,820.00
- 1210 ★★田 **24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).** Mint N.H. top plate no. 14842 block of six, brilliant color, detailed impression, natural gum skips and bends, still Very Fine, scarce top position plate block, this is the first top plate block we have offered since 2010 2,750.00
- 1211 ★★田 **24c Carmine, 1923 Air Post (C6).** Mint N.H. left plate no. 14841 block of six, intense shade and impression, fresh and Fine 2,750.00
- 1212 ★★ **20c Map (C9).** Mint N.H. with left selvage, brilliant color, choice centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; SMQ \$375.00), only seven have graded higher 13.50



1213



1214



1215



1216



1217



1218

- 1213 ★★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Mint N.H., rich colors, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine set, with 1997 or 1999 P.F. certificates 1,875.00
- 1214 ★★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Mint N.H., fresh colors, Fine-Very Fine ... 1,875.00
- 1215 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). First two Mint N.H., \$2.60 lightly hinged, \$1.30 particularly well-centered, bright colors, Fine-Very Fine..... 1,475.00
- 1216 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). First two Mint N.H., rich colors, 65c small natural gum skips, Fine-Very Fine set 1,475.00
- 1217 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). 65c Mint N.H., other two lightly hinged, 65c and \$1.30 Extremely Fine, \$2.60 Very Fine..... 1,250.00
- 1218 ★ 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). 65c and \$1.30 with side plate no. selvage, 65c h.r. and surface scuff, \$1.30 thin or translucency at right, \$2.60 central thin, otherwise Fine set..... 1,165.00



1219

- 1219 ★田 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Blocks of four, 65c Mint N.H., \$1.30 three Mint N.H., \$2.60 bottom pair Mint N.H., rich colors, nice centering throughout

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE SET OF BLOCKS OF FOUR OF THE GRAF ZEPPELIN ISSUE.

Scott Retail as singles 6,475.00



1220



1221

- 1220 65c-\$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (C13-C15). Plate no. singles, 65c with plate no. at right, others at left, duplex and slogan cancels, fresh colors, 65c with slightest trace of paper wrinkle, Fine-Very Fine set 1,140.00
- 1221 ★★ \$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (C14). Mint N.H., bright color, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.F. certificate (VF-XF 85) 625.00
- 1222 ★★田 8c Winged Globe, Air Post (C17). 19 Mint N.H. panes of 50, each has plate no. at top right, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as plate blocks and singles
.....*Not illustrated* 4,208.50
- 1223 ★★田 50c Chicago Zeppelin (C18). Mint N.H. top plate no. 21171 block of six, few light natural gum skips, Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 700.00

SPECIAL DELIVERY



1224



1225

- 1224 ★ **10c Blue, Special Delivery (E4).** Original gum, lightly hinged, Jumbo margins and outstanding centering, rich color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2011 P.S.A.G. certificate (OGph, 95 Jumbo)..... 850.00
- 1225 ★★ **10c Blue, Special Delivery (E5).** Mint N.H., rich color on bright paper, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, with 1991 P.F. certificate (selvage since removed)..... 500.00

- 1226 ★ **10c Deep Blue, Imperforate (E5a).** Vertical pair, original gum, h.r., large margins, few tiny thins and tiny scrape on bottom stamp

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE IMPERFORATE PAIR OF THE 1895 SPECIAL DELIVERY ISSUE.

We have offered only two others since our 1992 Rarities sale, both of which had small faults.

With 1979 P.F. certificate..... 4,500.00



1226



1227



1228

- 1227 ★★ **10c Dark Ultramarine, Special Delivery (E11 var).** Mint N.H. with plate no. 13394 selvage at top, intense color in the deeper Scott-listed sub-shade, bright paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1993 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$300.00) 45.00
- 1228 ★★ **10c Gray Violet, Special Delivery (E11b).** Rich color on bright paper, gorgeous centering with Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a phenomenal stamp, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 98, SMQ \$950.00 as 98), this is the highest grade awarded and the only example to achieve it 75.00



1229

- 1229 ★田 **10c Ultramarine, Registration (F1).** Top imprint, plate no. 5720 and "A" block of six with wide selvage, radiant color, light crease in top left corner of selvage, Very Fine appearance..... 1,800.00

POSTAGE DUE AND OFFICES IN CHINA

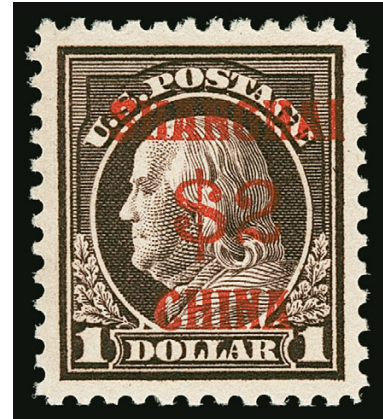


- 1230 ★ **10c Brown (J5).** Original gum, called disturbed on most recent certificate, choice centering, Extremely Fine, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate as hinged, with 2017 P.F. certificate as disturbed original gum..... 900.00
- 1231 **50c Carmine Lake (J58).** Faint blue vertical crayon cancel which has been lightened, regummed, rich color, light diagonal crease at bottom left, appears Fine, 2005 P.F. certificate no longer accompanies..... 1,600.00
- 1232 **50c Carmine Lake (J58).** Rich color, attractive margins and centering, unobtrusive cancel (not a precancel), light creasing at top, appears Very Fine..... 1,600.00
- 1233 ★★ **2c on 1c-30c on 15c Offices in China (K1-K2, K4-K7, K9-K14, K16-K18).** Mint N.H., rich colors, fresh and Very Fine with some Extremely Fine, five with 1990's P.F. certificates.....(Photo Ex) 3,705.00
- 1234 ★ **\$1.00 on 50c Offices in China (K15).** Lightly hinged, deep rich color, perfectly centered, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2003 P.F. certificate..... 575.00
- 1235 **\$1.00 on 50c Offices in China (K15).** Pretty shade, light boxed Shanghai cancel, Fine, scarce in used condition..... 1,000.00

- 1236 ★★ **\$2.00 on \$1.00 Offices in China (K16).** Mint N.H., deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, gorgeous centering

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB MINT NEVER-HINGED EXAMPLE OF THE \$2.00 OFFICES IN CHINA ISSUE, WHICH IS GRADED XF-SUPERB 95 BY P.S.E.

With 1997 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$5,150.00). Only two have graded higher (both 98, one of which realized \$10,500 hammer in Oct. 2016) and none share this desirable grade. 1,000.00



1236



1237

- 1237 ★★ **4c on 2c Offices in China (K18).** Mint N.H., brilliant color on bright paper, unusually choice centering with wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$1,475.00), this is difficult to obtain in the higher grades — only three have graded higher (all at 95J) and only four others share this grade, the highest grade we have offered in our auctions is a single 90J back in 2009 230.00

OFFICIALS



1238



1239

- 1238 ★ **2c Executive (O11).** Original gum, crisp impression, wide margins, Very Fine and choice, ex Inman, with 1985 and 2016 P.F. certificates (VF-XF 85) 550.00
- 1239 ★ **15c Post Office (O53).** Original gum, h.r., essentially perfect centering with extra wide margins, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate (OGh, 95 Jumbo)..... 140.00
- 1240 **\$2.00 State (O68).** Rich colors, neat handstamp cancel, few faults including repaired at right, Fine appearance, scarce in used condition, with 1981 P.F. certificate..... 3,000.00



1240



1242



1241EX



1243

- 1241 ★ **\$2.00-\$20.00 State (O68-O71).** Complete set of the dollar values, \$2.00 adherence on gum, \$5.00 no gum, \$10.00 part original gum, \$20.00 original gum, flaws to be found including \$5.00 color slightly altered and \$20.00 reperfed, otherwise Fine set seldom offered together.....(Photo Ex) 14,600.00
- 1242 ★田 **6c Treasury (O75).** Top imprint and plate no. 51 block of 20 with selvage at sides, original gum, eight h.r., few Mint N.H., some perf separations including few sensibly reinforced, vertical crease does not affect plate block, Fine appearance and a rare multiple, Power Search contains only an unused block of six and only four in Mint N.H. condition (contained in the block), Scott Retail as plate block of twelve and singles..... 2,860.00
- 1243 ★田 **6c Treasury (O75).** Block of 32 with selvage at left, original gum, several Mint N.H. but due to natural uneven application of gum we decline to state exactly how many, four stamps at bottom right h.r. where some perf separations sensibly reinforced, few other perf separations, light vertical crease at right, the majority are sound and Fine-Very Fine, a scarce large multiple, Power Search contains only one multiple larger than a pair (a block of six) and only four Mint N.H. stamps (which are in the block), Scott Retail as hinged singles 3,840.00



1244

- 1244° ★ **1c Agriculture, Soft Paper (O94).** Without gum as issued, vibrant color, choice centering with well-proportioned margins

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE 1879 ONE-CENT AGRICULTURE AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY PRINTING ON SOFT PAPER.

As discerning collectors know, the Officials can be extremely difficult to obtain in sound, centered condition. This is especially true of the American printings on soft porous papers, which are prone to faults.

With 2016 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates (XF 90; SMQ \$9,000.00). Only one has graded higher (at 98J) and one other shares this grade. 6,000.00



1245



1246



1247

- 1245 S **30c Interior, Specimen Ovpt. (O23S).** Without gum as issued, vibrant color, expertly reperfed at right, tiny pinhole, Very Fine appearance, one of the most attractive examples of the very scarce 30c Interior Special Printing, only 75 sold, ex Golden, with 2015 P.F. certificate 2,500.00
- 1246 S **90c Post Office, Specimen Ovpt. (O56S).** Without gum as issued, some perfs trimmed or blunted by scissors separation, faint horizontal crease below “90”, otherwise Fine and scarce, only 82 sold, with 2006 P.F. certificate 1,600.00
- 1247 S **15c Treasury, Specimen Ovpt. (O79S).** Without gum as issued, rich color, perfs clear of design all around, fresh and Fine, scarce with only 75 sold, with 1999 and 2016 P.F. certificates..... 1,600.00

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS



1248

- 1248 ★ **\$6.00 Ultramarine, 1875 Issue (PR26).** Original gum, h.r., radiant color on bright paper, small vertical thin to right of h.r., appears Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate 4,000.00

- 1249 ★ **96c Pink, 1894 Issue (PR99).** Part original gum, h.r., deep rich color, surface scuff at top left corner, horizontal crease is not very noticeable

VERY FINE CENTERING. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 1894 96-CENT UNWATERMARKED BUREAU NEWSPAPER ISSUE. ONE OF THE GREATEST OF ALL NEWSPAPER ISSUE RARITIES — ONLY ELEVEN ARE CONTAINED IN OUR CENSUS.

Our recently updated census of PR99 (available at <http://siegel-auctions.com/dynamic/census/PR99/PR99.pdf>) contains eleven unused copies and none used. Of these only two are confirmed as sound (two others need to be re-examined for condition). Only five others are confirmed as having gum.

Census No. PR99-POG-11. With 2017 P.F. certificate.. 50,000.00



1249



- 1250 ★ **50c Carmine, 1895 Issue (PR107).** Original gum, h.r., deep rich color on bright paper, fresh and Fine 2,750.00
- 1251 ★ **\$2.00 Scarlet, 1895 Issue (PR108).** Original gum, vivid color, fresh and Very Fine, ex Lutwak, with 1981 P.F. certificate 2,250.00

PARCEL POST, CARRIER, POSTAL STATIONERY

- 1252 ★田 **25c Parcel Post (Q9).** Top plate no. 6176 block of six, stamps Mint N.H., lightly hinged in gummed selvage at top right where few perf separations expertly reinforced, bottom center stamp natural perf disc inclusion, Very Fine, scarce plate block, Scott Retail as hinged 2,450.00
- 1253 **50c Parcel Post (Q10).** Brilliant color, detailed impression, neat strike of registry oval cancel, Jumbo margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate, (XF-Superb 95 Jumbo; SMQ \$650.00), only four have graded higher (highest is 98J) and two others share this grade 50.00
- 1254 ★★ **1c Blue, Eagle Carrier (LO2).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins with framelines or design portions of all eight surrounding stamps, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; Carriers & Locals unpriced in SMQ), this is the highest grade possible on the grading chart, twelve Eagle Carrier stamps are graded 100J, reflecting the tragic destruction of complete panes to create such examples, Scott Retail as hinged 50.00
- 1255 E **3c Pink on Buff entire, Red Nesbitt Advertising Collar (Undersander E26Go).** Bright colors, fresh and Very Fine, Undersander value 500.00

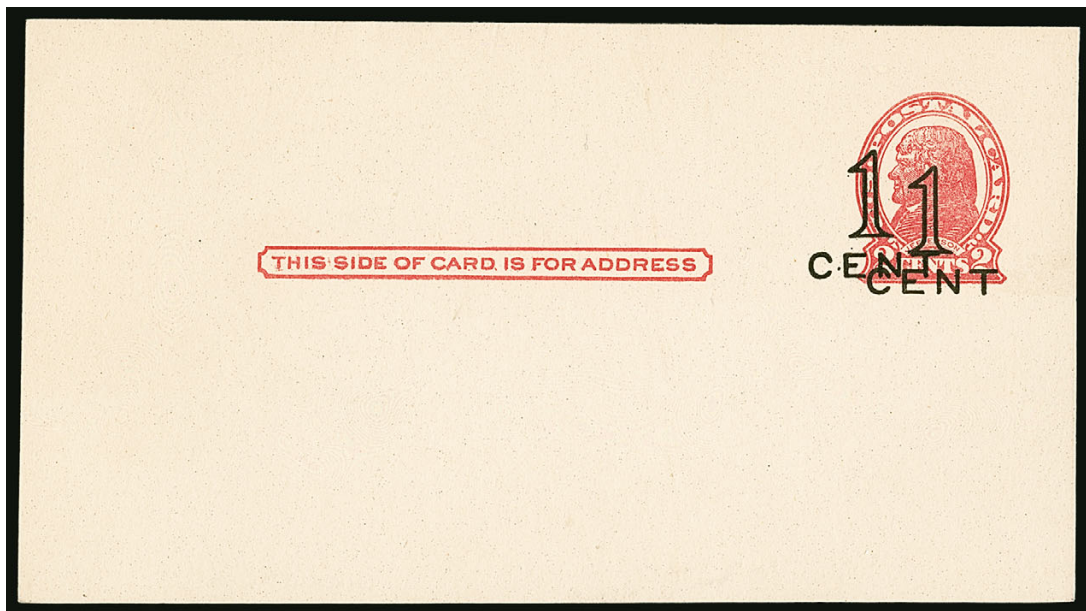


1256

1256 ☒ **1½c on 1c Blue on Manila, entire (U507B).** Clear strike of surcharge, rich color, faint bends at top left and bottom right

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THIS POSTAL STATIONERY RARITY. VERY FEW ARE KNOWN.

We have offered only one other since keeping computerized records..... 5,750.00



1257

1257 ☒ **1c on 2c Red on Buff, Die I, Postal Card, Double Surcharge (UX34a).** Mint card, two bold and well displaced surcharges, fresh, Extremely Fine and scarce 1,000.00

END OF SESSION FOUR

UNITED STATES REVENUE ESSAYS

ENGRAVED AND PRINTED BY THE AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

DIE ESSAYS

FOR A 2 CENTS STAMP

HEAD OF WASHINGTON PRINTED IN LINED OVAL
BY A SECOND OPERATION

ALL
HAVE BEEN
CUT
AROUND EDGES
OF DESIGN



BLACK



BROWN

TO
APPEAR
AS
IMPERFORATE
STAMPS



CARMINE



GREEN



ORANGE



DARK ORANGE



SCARLET



VIOLET

THIS PORTRAIT OF WASHINGTON

WAS ALSO USED ON THE 10 ¢ AND 12 ¢ POSTAGE STAMPS OF 1861

SURFACE PRINTED FROM THE ENGRAVED DIE



PURPLE

THE PENCILLED AREAS
INDICATE WHERE THE VIGNETTE AND INSCRIPTIONS
WERE INTENDED TO BE LOCATED

THE COLORLESS PARTS OF THE DESIGN ARE EMBOSSED
FROM BEING FORCED INTO THE RECESSED LINES OF THE DIE

UNITED STATES REVENUE ESSAYS

ENGRAVED AND PRINTED BY THE NATIONAL BANK NOTE CO.

PLATE ESSAYS

25 CENTS CERTIFICATE

POSITION NO. 6



BLUE



BROWN



DEEP CARMINE



GREEN



RED



YELLOW BUFF

THE ADDITIONAL VERTICAL LINE WITHIN THE LEFT OUTER
FRAME LINE IS CLOSE TO THE DESIGN, WHILE THE EXTRA
RIGHT LINE IS CLOSE TO THE OUTER RIGHT FRAME LINE

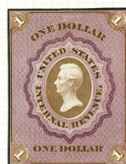
UNITED STATES REVENUE ESSAYS

ENGRAVED AND PRINTED BY THE NATIONAL BANK NOTE CO.

DIE ESSAYS

THE VIGNETTE, OUTER FRAME AND LETTERING ARE ENGRAVED

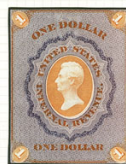
THE BACKGROUND IS SURFACE PRINTED IN FUGITIVE INK



PURPLE AND DULL OLIVE



VIOLET AND BRIGHT GREEN



VIOLET AND ORANGE



VIOLET AND RED

UNITED STATES REVENUE ESSAYS

ENGRAVED AND PRINTED BY THE AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO.

DIE ESSAYS

COMPLETED DESIGN CONSISTING OF
A SURFACE PRINTED FRAME AND AN ENGRAVED VIGNETTE



BROWN



ORANGE



ROSE
FRAME



DEEP ROSE
FRAME



DULL RED



BLUE



ROSE
FRAME



BLUE
VIGNETTE

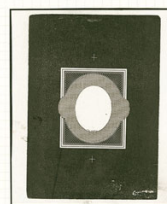
THE SHEARED SPECIMENS SHOW THE EFFECT OF TAMPERING
ON THE FUGITIVE INK OF THE FRAME

UNITED STATES REVENUE ESSAYS

ENGRAVED AND PRINTED BY THE NATIONAL BANK NOTE CO.

DIE ESSAYS

THIRD AND FINAL STAGE OF A FRAME
FOR THE DEFINITIVE ESSAY



BLACK

SURFACE PRINTED FROM AN ENGRAVED DIE



BROWN



DULL PINK

SLOTTED
FOR
PRINTING

SESSION FIVE (LOTS 1258-1494)
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2017, AT 1:30 P.M.

REVENUES

ESSAYS AND PROOFS

ALBUM OF REVENUE ESSAYS FORMERLY IN
THE MORTON DEAN JOYCE COLLECTION
OFFERED INTACT

1258°E **Revenue Essays in an Album formerly in the Morton Dean Joyce Collection.** Beautiful red leather Godden album ex Morton Dean Joyce, with remarkable hand-written pages, purchased intact and now offered to the market for the first time in decades, labelled "Revenue Essays, American Bank Note, Vol. 1", the album starts with the first essays listed in the Turner book with the Liberty Head vignette and engraved frame (Essay 1-A) with several different papers and colors represented, continues with an outstanding group of the same with word "Canceled" added including some with frame only and on different papers, continues with a comprehensive group of Essay 2 showing vignette only on three different papers and in multiple colors, Essay 2-A is also well-represented in various colors, Essay 2-C and 2-E also included, Essay 3-A includes eight different colors, it then switches to National Bank Note Co. essays including Essay 6-B with several positions represented and two strips of three, Essay 8 with three of the varieties, great group of Essay 10 with singles and strips of four, Essay 12 with seven different, Essay 14 with four different (one perforated), Essay 15 (4), Essay 19 (5), Essay 20 (7), Essay 21 (8), Essay 25 with pencil suggestions for wording, 25-B also with pencil lines, 25-C, 25-F, 25-G, 25-H with 15 different, Essay 26 with seven different, Essay 26-A, Essay 31 (3 including Green in India), Essay 36, Essay 36-B (6 including four perforated), last page contains all three of Essay 32-B, two pages partly cut apart (one is a half page, another looks like one essay was cut out) but the other 58 pages are intact, no doubt there will be some small faults but the overall appearance is remarkably fresh

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. A REMARKABLE ESSAY COLLECTION FORMERLY CONTAINED IN THE MORTON DEAN JOYCE COLLECTION, WITH 60 BEAUTIFULLY MOUNTED AND ANNOTATED PAGES OF AMERICAN BANK NOTE COMPANY AND NATIONAL BANK NOTE COMPANY ESSAYS. SEVERAL ARE UNIQUE. A FANTASTIC OPPORTUNITY TO ACQUIRE ONE OF THE LAST GREAT HOLDINGS OF THESE REVENUE ESSAYS.

Most of the albums from the Joyce collection were broken after the estate collection was dispersed in 1991. This album is offered for the first time since then. It is a rare opportunity to acquire, all at once, a comprehensive collection of these rare essays on pages with detailed notes. A PDF of the entire album is available at our website
.....(Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 30,000-40,000



1259



1260



1262



1261



1267EX



1263EX



1268EX



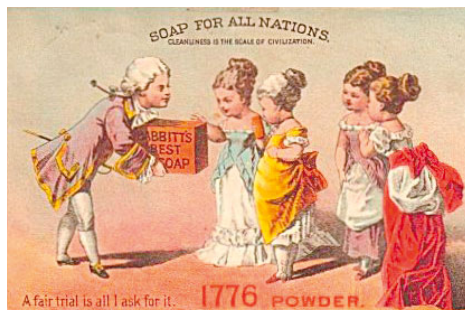
1264EX

- 1259 TC **2c Black, Proprietary, Trial Color Plate Proof on India (R13TC3a).** Block of 24, huge margins including top right corner margin, detailed impression, few small flaws normally associated with this fragile paper, Extremely Fine appearance, scarce and attractive multiple, Scott Retail as singles 1,800.00
- 1260 P# **\$25.00 Mortgage, Plate Proof on Card (R100P4).** Block of 24, large margins all around, deep rich color, Very Fine and choice, an extremely rare multiple of the \$25.00 Mortgage, the largest recorded multiple for the issued stamp is a reinforced block of twelve (perforated) and the largest proof block we have offered before is a block of four, Scott Retail as blocks of four 4,050.00
- 1261 P# **\$50.00 USIR, Plate Proof on Card (R101P4).** Block of 24, rich color on bright card, large margins, Very Fine and choice, the largest recorded multiple of the issued stamp is a single block of 27 (perforated, on piece) followed by a block of twelve (imperforate), the largest multiple of the proof we have ever offered is a block of four, Scott Retail as blocks of four 5,700.00
- 1262 E **\$500.00 Blue, Series of 1914, Large Die Essay (R249E; Turner 150-B).** Die sunk on card measuring 130 x 201mm, design missing scroll shading and numeral omitted, reverse with "840580" serial number and dated Jun. 12, 1917, Very Fine and rare ... E. 500-750
- 1263 TC **First Issue Revenue Trial Color Proof Blocks.** Eight blocks of four, Nos. R3TC3, R7TC4, T13TC3, R22TC3, R51TC3 (2), R88TC3 and R99TC4b, wonderful condition except last with some slight waterstaining, fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a scarce group (Website PDF) 3,800.00
- 1264 P# **First Issue Revenue Proof Blocks.** 64 blocks of four, some on India and some on card, including Nos. R1P4, R2P4, R2P3, R6P3, R18P3, R22P4, R41P3, R41P4, R46P3, R51P3, R51P4, R52P3, R56P3, R57P3, R58P3, R60P3, R62P3, R65P4, R72P3, R73P4, R80P3, R85P4, R89P4, R90P4, R92P4, R93P4, R96P4, R97eP4 (some waterstaining), also including R57P3 imprint and plate no. strip of five, large margins and bright colors, fresh and Very Fine, a rare assemblage in far better condition than normally seen..... (Photo Ex/Website PDF) 14,836.00
- 1265 P **First Issue Revenue Proofs.** Stock pages containing 75 singles, 20 pairs and a strip of three, some are scarce such as Nos. R26P4, R28P4, R39P4, R43P4, R45P4, R80P3, R84P4, R97P4, R100P4 and R101P4, also includes a nice group of Trial Color proofs (\$2,860.00 worth of the Scott value) such as Nos. R3TC4 pair, R3TC5, R16TC5 pair, R51TC3a, R51TC3e, R52TC3e pair and R99TC4b, fantastic condition with gorgeous colors and large margins, overall fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a fantastic group, Scott Retail as singles (Website PDF) 10,737.00
- 1266 P **Revenue Proof Collection.** Over 100 different plate proofs, most of the value in the First Issue, which goes to the \$50.00, also Second Issue to \$50.00, Third Issue complete to \$20.00, and Proprietary to 10c, nearly all are card proofs with an occasional India proof, catalogue values to \$230.00, majority Very Fine, Scott Retail approximately..... *Not illustrated* 6,000.00
- 1267 P **Second Issue Revenue Proofs.** Stock pages containing 18 blocks of four, four pairs and nine singles, includes Trial Color, India and plate proofs, better items include blocks of four of R104TC5, R119P4 (2), R120P4 (2), R121P4, R126P3, R126P4, R130P3 with right imprint, and R131P3 with left imprint and plate no. sheet margin (sealed tear in selva is barely noticeable), other notable include R126P4 pair and two singles and R131P4 single, large margins, deep rich colors, fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine, an attractive group (Website PDF) 5,158.00
- 1268 P **Revenue Proofs and Essays.** Stock pages of plate proofs and essays, including block of four of R144P4, singles of R150P3 and R150P4, RB3TC5a block of 15 with bottom imprint sheet margin, also ten Turner-listed essays such as 59A (two pairs and three singles, no duplication of colors), 76-A, 77-A (two different) and 78-B, overall fresh and Very Fine, an interesting group (Photo Ex/Website PDF) E. 1,000-1,500
- 1269 P **Private Die Proprietary Match & Medicine Proof Collection.** More than 220 items in a stockbook, one full-size large die proof (RO103P1), the rest are die, plate or trial color proofs (plus a couple of essays) cut down to sizes ranging from stamp size to 35 x 35mm or larger, huge range of issues with very little duplication, a number of multiples included, some flaws to be found especially on the India paper items but many are sound and Very Fine, an interesting group with substantial catalog value, also includes the two Private Die and Match & Medicine books by Christopher West (the nom-de-plume of Elliott Perry)..... *Not illustrated* E. 1,500-2,000

FIRST ISSUE REVENUES



1270



Ad for Babbitt's soap (not included in lot 1270)

- 1270 **1c Playing Cards, Imperforate (R2a).** Large margins all around, fresh and bright color, beautiful bold strike of “**B.T. Babbitt Mar. 5, 1863**” handstamp cancel

EXTREMELY FINE. A RARE AND OUTSTANDING HANDSTAMP-CANCELLED EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT PLAYING CARDS ISSUE. VERY RARE IN SUCH PRISTINE CONDITION AND WITHOUT A MANUSCRIPT CANCEL.

The company that used this stamp was founded by businessman and inventor Benjamin T. Babbitt, widely known for his “Babbitt’s Best Soap”. He was famous for his innovative advertising, was a friend of P. T. Barnum and became a household name in the mid to late 1800’s.

Ex Albert. With 1983 P.F. certificate 3,500.00

- 1271 **1c Playing Cards, Imperforate (R2a).** Large even margins all around, radiant color, neat April 28, 1867 manuscript cancel

EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE ONE-CENT PLAYING CARDS FIRST ISSUE.

Ex “Scarsdale”. With 2001 P.F. certificate ... 3,500.00



1271



1272

- 1272 **1c Playing Cards, Part Perforated (R2b).** Wide margins, brilliant color, neat manuscript cancel

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE PART-PERFORATED ONE-CENT PLAYING CARDS FIRST ISSUE.

This is a surprisingly difficult issue to obtain in sound condition and with such wide margins. Ex Handy, Floyd and “Scarsdale”. With 1985 and 2001 P.F. certificates 2,250.00



- 1273 (★) **1c Proprietary, Imperforate (R3a).** Unused (no gum), brilliant color, large even margins all around, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp, unlisted in Scott as unused, Scott Retail as used 1,250.00
- 1274 **1c Telegraph, Imperforate (R4a).** Large even margins, brilliant color, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, scarce in such choice condition, ex Kingsley 800.00
- 1275 **1c Telegraph, Imperforate (R4).** Large to full margins, rich color, neat 1864 manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice..... 800.00
- 1276 **1c Telegraph, Imperforate (R4).** Large margins, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, attractive color, Very Fine and choice, with 1984 P.F. certificate 800.00
- 1277 **2c Playing Cards, Blue, Part Perforated (R11b).** Incredibly well-centered with exceptionally wide imperforate margins top and bottom, rich color, 1865 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a huge stamp, ex Tolman and "Wildhorse", with 2007 P.S.E. certificate..... 325.00
- 1278 (★) **2c Proprietary, Blue, Part Perforated (R13b).** Unused (no gum), deep rich color, well-proportioned margins, Extremely Fine, ex DePriest, with 1999 P.F. certificate as used..... 350.00
- 1279 **2c Proprietary, Blue, Part Perforated (R13b).** Well-centered, dark color, neat manuscript cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine..... 350.00
- 1280 **2c Proprietary, Blue, Part Perforated (R13b).** Choice centering, lovely rich color, light 1864 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate 350.00
- 1281 **4c Playing Cards, Perforated (R21c).** Well-proportioned margins, brilliant color, manuscript "X" cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp, ex "Scarsdale", with 2001 P.F. certificate 800.00
- 1282 田 **5c Certificate, Imperforate (R24a).** Block of six, large margins all around, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, fresh color, Very Fine and choice, a particularly handsome block, ex "Cathedral" Collection, with 2007 P.F. certificate, catalogued as a block of four and a pair 285.00

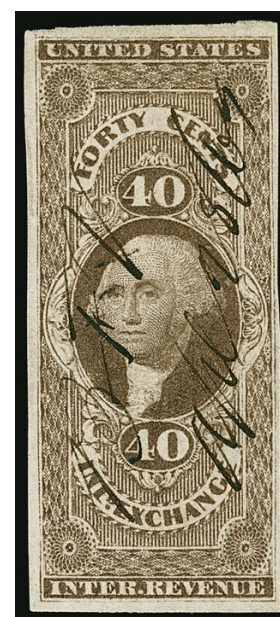


- 1283 **10c Certificate, Imperforate (R33a).** Large margins all around, fresh color, unobtrusive manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, ex "Wildhorse", with 2014 P.F. certificate 400.00
- 1284 **10c Certificate, Imperforate (R33a).** Large to full margins, deep rich color, neat May 27, 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1997 P.F. certificate 400.00
- 1285 **10c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R36a).** Large even margins, neat 1863 **magenta** manuscript cancel, rich color, Extremely Fine, a stamp with great eye appeal 500.00
- 1286 **10c Power of Attorney, Imperforate (R37a).** Large to huge margins, pretty shade on crisp paper, unobtrusive Nov. 19, 1864 manuscript cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, a pretty stamp, ex "Scarsdale", with 2000 P.F. certificate 1,100.00
- 1287 **10c Power of Attorney, Imperforate (R37a).** Large margins to full, bright color, neat manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice, an attractive stamp, with 1998 P.F. certificate .. 1,100.00
- 1288 **20c Foreign Exchange, Perforated (R41c).** Perfectly centered, extraordinarily wide margins, fresh color, portion of 1864 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1999 P.F. certificate for a pair (this the top stamp) 80.00
- 1289 **20c Inland Exchange, Part Perforated (R42b).** Block of four, large margins including part of adjoining stamps at top, bright shade, 1864 manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice, scarce block, ex Kingsley, only five blocks of four are recorded by Curtis. 300.00
- 1290 **25c Bond, Imperforate (R43a).** Huge margins including **top sheet margin**, rich color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Tolman 300.00



- 1291 **25c Life Insurance, Part Perforated (R47b).** Beautiful centering with wide margins, rich color, detailed impression, manuscript “#” cancel, Extremely Fine, ex “Scarsdale”, with 2002 P.F. certificate..... 1,000.00
- 1292 **25c Protest, Part Perforated (R49b).** Bright color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, ex “Wildhorse”, with 2014 P.F. certificate..... 1,100.00
- 1293 **25c Protest, Part Perforated (R49b).** Large margins, rich color, neat manuscript cancel at right, Extremely Fine, ex DePriest, with 1999 P.F. certificate 1,100.00
- 1294 **25c Warehouse Receipt, Part Perforated (R50b).** Wide margins, detailed impression, neat manuscript cancel, small natural paper wrinkle in bottom margin, Very Fine..... 1,200.00
- 1295 **25c Warehouse Receipt, Part Perforated (R50b).** Cancelled by June 10, 1863 manuscript cancel on Jefferson Gold and Silver Mining Company stock certificate, light folds well away from stamp, Very Fine, attractive use on document, Scott Retail as used 1,200.00

- 1296 **40c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R53a).** Large margins to ample at right, deep rich color and proof-like impression, neat manuscript cancel
- VERY FINE. A RARE SOUND LARGE-MARGINED EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT INLAND EXCHANGE IMPERFORATE ISSUE.
- Almost every example of this First Issue rarity we have offered has had a document crease or margins close or cutting in on at least one side.
- Ex Lyons. With 2000 P.F. certificate 2,500.00



1296



- 1297 **50c Passage Ticket, Imperforate (R61a).** Large and balanced margins all around, rich color, cancelled solely by double-circle datestamp which leaves the entire design clearly visible, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; Revenues are unpriced in SMQ) 140.00
- 1298 **50c Surety Bond, Imperforate (R63a).** Large margins, bright color, unobtrusive manuscript cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, ex DePriest, with 2001 P.F. certificate 400.00
- 1299 **60c Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R64a).** Huge margins, vibrant color, 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem 110.00
- 1300 **70c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R65a).** Large margins all around, neat manuscript cancel, marvelous intense color, Extremely Fine, with 2003 P.F. certificate 725.00
- 1301 **70c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R65a).** Large even margins, deep rich color, neat 1864 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, ex Kingsley 725.00
- 1302 **70c Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R65a).** Full to large margins all around, rich color, neat Apr. 19, 1864 two-line handstamp cancel, sealed edge tear at right, appears Extremely Fine 725.00
- 1303 **\$1.00 Passage Ticket, Imperforate (R74a).** Large margins all around, radiant color, neat face-free strikes of July 1866 double-circle datestamp cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, especially desirable with the handstamp cancel, with 2009 P.F. certificate 350.00



1304

- 1304 **\$1.30 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R77a).** Large margins to full, brilliant color, neat Feb. 1, 1864 manuscript cancel, just a hint of a paper wrinkle or small crease at top when drying (not mentioned on accompanying certificate)
- VERY FINE APPEARING FOUR-MARGIN EXAMPLE OF THE \$1.30 FOREIGN EXCHANGE IMPERFORATE FIRST ISSUE REVENUE.
- Only 3,878 were issued imperforate (44 sheets with 82 stamps returned for perforating). No multiples are known for this issue.
- With 1985 P.F. certificate 10,000.00

- 1305 **\$1.60 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R79a).** Large margins all around, deep rich color and proof-like impression, light strike of handstamp cancel, Extremely Fine, ex Makepeace and Kingsley..... 1,500.00



1305



1306

- 1306 **\$1.60 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R79a).** Rich color, large margins, Oct. 1865 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2001 P.F. certificate 1,500.00

- 1307 **\$1.60 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R79a).** Large to huge margins all around, wonderful deep rich color and neat manuscript cancel, light crease in top margin well clear of design, still an Extremely Fine Gem as the crease can be removed without compromising the appearance of this very scarce and beautiful example..... 1,500.00



1307



1308

- 1308 **\$1.60 Foreign Exchange, Imperforate (R79a).** Large margins to full at top, rich color, neat strike of red 1864 handstamp cancel, tiny corner crease at bottom left, Very Fine appearance and rare with a red handstamp cancel, a Power Search review of this issue failed to locate any other examples cancelled in red (or any other color besides black)..... 1,500.00



1309

- 1309 **\$2.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R82a).** Huge margins, fresh color, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, ex Buford and Kingsley 150.00

- 1310 **\$2.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R83a).** Large margins to clear at top left, rich color, bold June 15, 1863 manuscript cancel, small faint corner crease at top right not mentioned on accompanying certificate

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE \$2.00 PROBATE OF WILL IMPERFORATE.

With clear 1977 P.F. certificate 7,750.00



1310



1311

- 1311 **\$2.50 Inland Exchange, Imperforate (R84a).** Large margins to just clear at left, bright color, neat December 23, 1864 manuscript cancel, vertical crease

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE RARE \$2.50 INLAND EXCHANGE IMPERFORATE.

With 1982 P.F. certificate 10,000.00



1312

- 1312 **\$3.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R85a).** Large margins, intense color on bright paper, neat manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, ex DePriest, with 2001 P.F. certificate 200.00



- 1313 **\$5.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R88a).** Huge margins all around, brilliant color, neat May 8, 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, ex "Scarsdale" and Inman, with 2000 P.F. certificate..... 300.00
- 1314 **\$5.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R88a).** Ample to huge margins, fresh color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine..... 300.00
- 1315 **\$5.00 Manifest, Imperforate (R90a).** Large to mostly huge margins, fresh bright color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine..... 250.00
- 1316 **\$5.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R91a).** Huge margins all around, brilliant color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95).... 200.00
- 1317 **\$5.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R92a).** Huge margins all around, rich color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.F. certificate (XF-Superb 95).... 800.00
- 1318 **\$5.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R92a).** Large margins all around, radiant color, 1863 manuscript cancel, light staining on back, still Extremely Fine, ex "Wildhorse", clear 1991 P.F. certificate no longer accompanies..... 800.00
- 1319 **\$10.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R93a).** Large margins, rich color, light manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine..... 900.00
- 1320 **\$10.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R93a).** Large margins to clear, deep rich color, neat manuscript cancel, fresh and Very Fine, with 2005 P.F. certificate..... 900.00



- 1321 **\$10.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R93a).** Large margins, intense shade and impression, light manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice, ex Schauss 900.00
- 1322 **\$10.00 Charter Party, Imperforate (R93a).** Large margins to barely touched at top, intense shade and impression, manuscript cancel leaves design clearly visible, Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate 900.00
- 1323 **\$10.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R94a).** Huge margins all around, deep rich color, neat Jun. 19, 1863 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a beautiful stamp 175.00
- 1324 **\$10.00 Conveyance, Imperforate (R94a).** Huge margins to ample at bottom right, deep rich color, 1863 manuscript cancel, shows slight doubling of outer frameline at top, Extremely Fine, ex "Wildhorse", with 2007 P.S.E. certificate, Scott Retail as normal 175.00
- 1325 **\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a).** Wide balanced margins, faint manuscript cancel, small crease at top right described by the P.F. in 1991 as a corner crease but in 2003 as a small diagonal crease, appears Extremely Fine, 1991 and 2003 P.F. certificates no longer accompany 900.00
- 1326 **\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a).** Ample to large margins, deep rich color, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine 900.00
- 1327 **\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a).** Large margins to full, intense shade, neat 1863 manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice 900.00
- 1328 **\$10.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R95a).** Rich color, large margins to clear at bottom right, neat manuscript cancel, Very Fine 900.00

- 1329 **\$10.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R96a).** Large margins all around, rich color, neat manuscript cancel leaves entire design clearly visible
EXTREMELY FINE GEM EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE \$10.00 PROBATE OF WILL FIRST ISSUE.
Evidence points to an imperforate supply of 856, as 792 others (11 sheets) were returned for perforating.
Ex Buford and Kingsley..... 3,500.00



1329



1330

- 1330 **\$10.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R96a).** Large margins all around, intense shade and impression, faint manuscript cancel
VERY FINE AND CHOICE EXAMPLE OF THE \$10.00 PROBATE OF WILL IMPERFORATE FIRST ISSUE.
Evidence points to an imperforate supply of 856, as eleven sheets (792 others) were returned for perforating. They were first delivered Dec. 18, 1862.
With 1980 P.F. certificate. 3,500.00

- 1331 **\$15.00 Mortgage, Perforated (R97c).** Gorgeous centering, rich color, neat manuscript cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, scarce in such choice condition, with 2003 P.F. certificate .. 300.00



1331



1332

- 1332 **\$20.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R99a).** Large to huge margins, vibrant color, 1864 manuscript cancel
EXTREMELY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE \$20.00 PROBATE OF WILL IMPERFORATE ISSUE.
Ex "Wildhorse". With 2003 P.S.E. certificate (XF 90; Revenues unpriced in SMQ) 3,500.00



1333 **\$20.00 Probate of Will, Imperforate (R99a).** Brilliant color, large margins to full, light manuscript cancel, fresh and Fine 3,500.00

1334 **\$20.00 Probate of Will, Perforated (R99c).** Intense shade, neat 1864 manuscript cancel, Fine 3,000.00

1333



1334



1335 **\$25.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R100a).** Huge margins all around, intense shade and impression, neat 1865 manuscript cancel

EXTREMELY FINE GEM. A SUPERB AND SPECTACULAR EXAMPLE OF THE IMPERFORATE \$25.00 MORTGAGE FIRST ISSUE REVENUE STAMP.

A Power Search review located a few Extremely Fine sound examples of the \$25.00 Mortgage Imperforate in our past sales, but none have four huge margins to match this stamp (the one stamp that does has a tear). This could arguably be the finest extant.

Ex Curtis..... 2,700.00

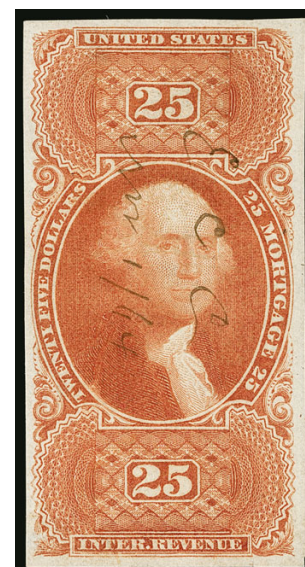
1335



1336 **\$25.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R100a).** Large to huge margins, deep rich color, neat April 1865 manuscript cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate..... 2,700.00

1337 **\$25.00 Mortgage, Imperforate (R100a).** Large even margins, rich color, neat June 1, 1864 manuscript cancel, tiny surface scuff at bottom left and slight central wrinkle, appears Extremely Fine.... 2,700.00

1336

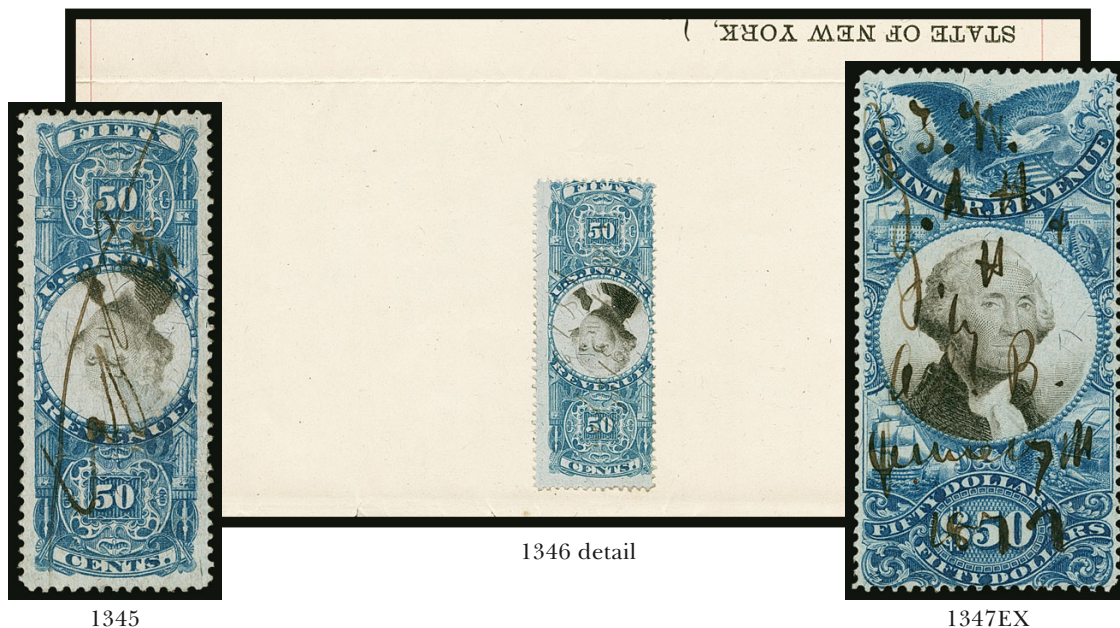


1337



- 1338 **\$25.00 Mortgage, Perforated (R100c).** Vibrant color, beautiful centering, unobtrusive 1868 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine Gem, a stunning stamp..... 250.00
- 1339 **\$25.00 Mortgage, Perforated (R100c).** Deep rich color nicely complemented by blue "Union Pacific R.R. Co., 20 Nassau St., N.Y., Oct. 16, 1868" oval datestamp cancel, Very Fine and choice, desirable with the blue oval datestamp..... 250.00
- 1340 **\$50.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R101a).** Large to huge margins, magnificent color, barest trace of manuscript cancel, appears unused at a glance, Extremely Fine 325.00
- 1341 **\$50.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R101c).** Well-centered with wide margins, deep rich color and proof-like impression on bright paper, neat 1870 manuscript cancel, Extremely Fine, a beautiful stamp..... 210.00
- 1342 **\$50.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R101c).** Intense shade and impression, unobtrusive manuscript cancel, wide margins, fresh and Extremely Fine, scarce in such choice condition..... 210.00
- 1343 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Imperforate (R102a).** Large to ample margins, rich colors, manuscript cancel, faint vertical edge and corner creases at right, appears Very Fine..... 2,750.00
- 1344 **\$200.00 U.S.I.R., Perforated (R102c).** Bright colors, Sep. 1865 manuscript cancel, couple short perfs at left, appears Fine..... 1,000.00

SECOND AND THIRD ISSUE REVENUES



- 1345 **50c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Center Inverted (R115b).** Rich colors, wide margins, manuscript cancel large sealed internal tear, otherwise Extremely Fine 1,150.00
- 1346 **50c Blue & Black, Second Issue, Center Inverted (R115b).** Fresh colors, light Jan. 31, 1872 manuscript cancel, used on Oneida County New York indenture with matching date (a land transfer for the consideration of \$15.50), indenture with edge splits but intact, Fine and desirable use of the 50c Second Issue Invert on document, Scott Retail without premium for the document 1,150.00
- 1347 **\$20.00, \$25.00, \$50.00 Blue & Black, Second Issue (R129-R131).** Each with neat manuscript cancel without cuts, \$20.00 Very Good, \$25.00 light horizontal crease and appears Fine, \$50.00 Fine.....(Photo Ex) 3,650.00



- 1348 **\$200.00 Red, Blue & Black, Second Issue, "Small Persian Rug" (R132).** Bright colors, choice centering with perfs clear of design all around, neat purple July 2, 1872 manuscript cancel, light vertical crease

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF ONE OF THE MOST COLORFUL STAMPS IN UNITED STATES PHILATELY.

Both the Small and Large "Persian Rug" stamps were printed in sheets of one. Because of their size, the large number of perforations on each stamp, and the fact that they were used on documents which were frequently folded across the stamps, most examples have faults to varying degrees. This is a very attractive example and one of only 446 issued.

With 1982 P.F. certificate 9,000.00

1348



1349

1349 **\$500.00 Red Orange, Green & Black, Second Issue, “Large Persian Rug” (R133).** Well-centered with wide margins, unobtrusive strikes of black circular datestamp cut cancels at top and bottom leave the full intricate design completely visible, light horizontal crease at top

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. A BEAUTIFUL EXAMPLE OF THE CELEBRATED \$500.00 “LARGE PERSIAN RUG” WITH A FACE-FREE CANCEL. ONE OF THE MOST COLORFUL AND ELABORATELY ENGRAVED STAMPS IN ALL OF PHILATELY.

Only 210 were issued, and it is safe to say that most examples are faulty to some degree. In addition, manuscript cancels almost always touch or obscure part of the central Washington medallion. A review of our online census records will attest to the extreme rarity of this stamp with a face-free cancel.

A document exists from July 24, 1874, detailing the purchaser of each. The Kingsley census records 76 copies, and our expanded census, available at our website at https://siegel-auctions.com/display_census.php?id=16, contains 87.

Kingsley Census No. 28-4. From our 1986 Rarities of the World sale where acquired by the current owner. Scott Retail is for a “very fine appearing example with a light circular cut cancel or with minor flaws” 17,500.00



1350



1351EX



1352

- 1350 **2c Orange & Black, Third Issue, Center Inverted (R135b).** Wide margins, deep intense color, manuscript cancel, Very Fine and choice, with 1996 P.F. certificate..... 475.00
- 1351 **50c Green & Black on Violet and Green Papers, Proprietary (RB8a, RB8b).** Both with blue Starkey & Palen handstamp cancels, May 8, 1880 and Nov. 28, 1881 respectively, RB8a with small crease and tiny corner perf thin, RB8b with light diagonal crease, Fine appearing pair with matching cancels which also nicely show the paper color differences(Photo Ex) 1,850.00
- 1352 (★) **\$1.00 Green & Black on Violet Paper, Proprietary (RB9a).** Unused (no gum), faint crease and stained on bottom right corner, otherwise Fine example of this issue which is scarce used and very rare unused, it is also almost always encountered with faults, Scott Retail as used 3,500.00



1353

\$5.00 Green & Black on Violet Paper, Proprietary (RB10a). With top selvage, rich color, well-centered with margins that show complete design elements all around, manuscript cancel, tiny thin spot to left of Washington portrait and a hint of a corner perf crease

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE SCARCE \$5.00 PROPRIETARY ON VIOLET PAPER.

Examples of the \$5.00 Proprietary Issue almost invariably have faults, due to the stamp's large size and the nature of its use. This example is better than most. The Kingsley book contains a table showing 2,109 stamps ordered and he records only 119 copies extant 11,000.00

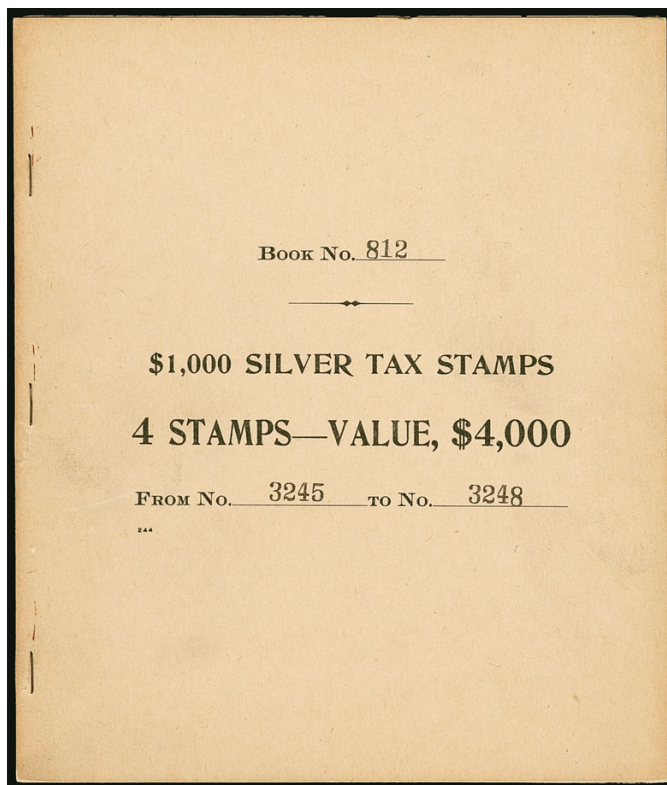
1353

1354

\$5.00 Green & Black on Violet Paper, Proprietary (RB10a). Rich color, centered to left but design elements intact, manuscript cancel, a few creases, one of which ends in a closed tear at left, Fine appearance, with 1972 P.F. certificate. examples of the \$5.00 Proprietary Issue almost invariably have faults, due to the stamp's large size and the nature of its use, the Kingsley book contains a table showing 2,109 stamps ordered and he records only 119 copies extant 11,000.00



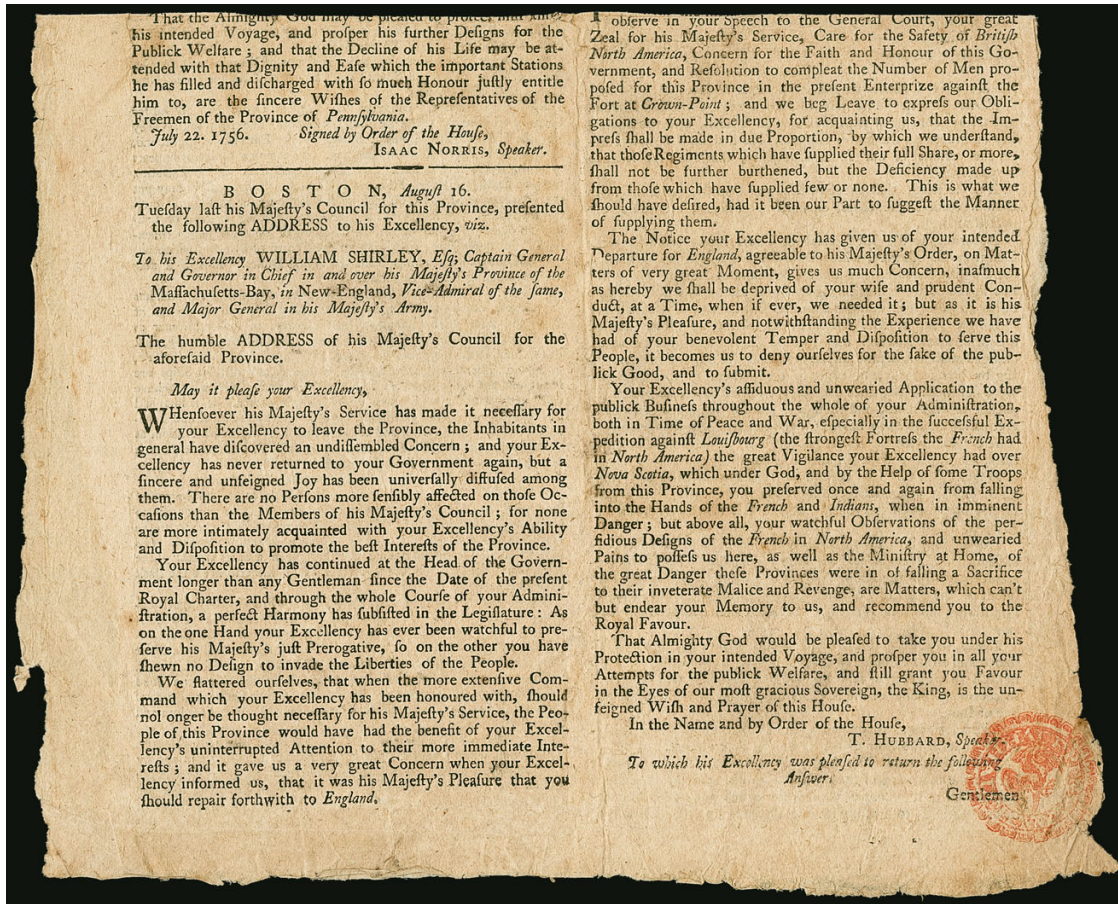
1354



1355

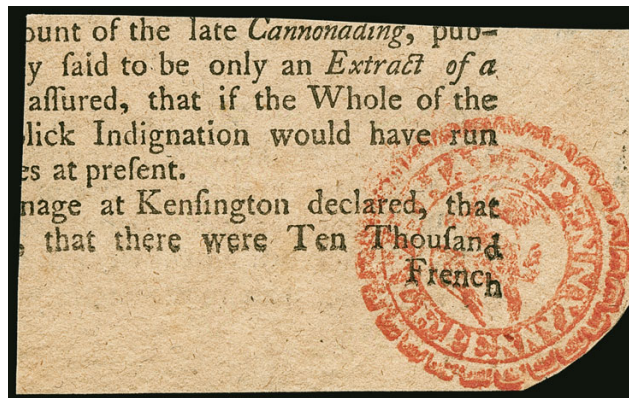
1355 ★田 **\$1,000.00 Gray, Series 1944 Without Ovpt., Silver Tax, Booklet (RG132a).** Containing one pane of four \$1,000.00 stamps with tabs at left, serial Nos. 3245-3248 and booklet No. 812, top stamp with trivial light creasing at far top from edge of booklet, Very Fine and rare, a mere **three examples** have been recorded 5,000.00

EMBOSSSED REVENUE STAMPED PAPER



1356

- 1356 ½p Red, Colonial Revenue (RM1). Act of January 8, 1755, in effect May 1, 1755, to April 30, 1757, beautiful bold strike at the bottom right corner of a *Boston Evening Post* newspaper dated August 23, 1756, interesting contents including letter published regarding William Shirley's recall to England (Shirley was governor of Massachusetts Bay and became commander in chief of North America after Braddock's death), also news reports from around the world, some edge flaws barely affect the stamp, Very Fine strike of this scarce early typographed revenue 2,500.00



1357

- 1357 ½p Red, Colonial Revenue (RM1). Clear strike on 65 x 40mm piece of newspaper, Very Fine strike, with 1982 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as on document 2,500.00



- 1358 **2p Massachusetts (RM2).** Clear embossing at top left of part-printed bond dated 1755 and 1756, usual folds, light edgewear, Very Fine, with 1982 P.F. certificate..... 400.00
- 1359 **2p Massachusetts (RM2).** Clear embossing at top left on 1755 part-printed land document, slight edgewear, some strengthening along splits at folds, still Very Fine 400.00
- 1360 **4p Massachusetts (RM4).** Clear embossing at top left of part printed receipt dated Oct. 8, 1755, some slight splitting along folds but in an excellent state of preservation, Very Fine and scarce, with 1982 P.F. certificate..... 700.00
- 1361 **½p New York (RM9).** Clear strike on full front page of December 4, 1758 copy of *The New York Mercury*, war-related contents (battles, casualty figures, list of officers killed or taken prisoner), left margin slightly reduced, Very Fine strike of this rare Colonial revenue stamp, with 1985 P.F. certificate 1,600.00
- 1362 **6p "America", General Issue (RM26).** Sharp impression on 68 x 40mm piece with part of Quebec dateline, also clear "Nine Pence Quire (2S)" paper cost mark next to seal, Very Fine and extremely rare, very few are known and most only exist as cut squares, with 1987 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as on document..... 4,500.00
- 1363 **1sh "America", General Issue (RM27).** Sharp clear impression at top left of 8 x 13 in. handwritten Summons from Jan. 4, 1766 executed in Quebec and written in French, remarkably fresh with only minor splitting along folds, fresh and Very Fine, many examples have handwriting over the embossing, the example offered here is perfectly clear, with 1987 P.F. certificate..... 2,500.00

THE EARLIEST REPORTED USE OF THE "AMERICA" REVENUE—
THE STAMP THAT STARTED THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION



1364

1364°

2sh3p, Die A "America", General Issue (RM30). Gorgeous sharp impression on **November 2, 1765** renunciation of an inheritance executed in Quebec and written in French, "Nine Pence Quire" (6S) paper cost mark handstamp, properly paying the 2sh3p rate for releases, some slight edgewear and minor splitting along folds

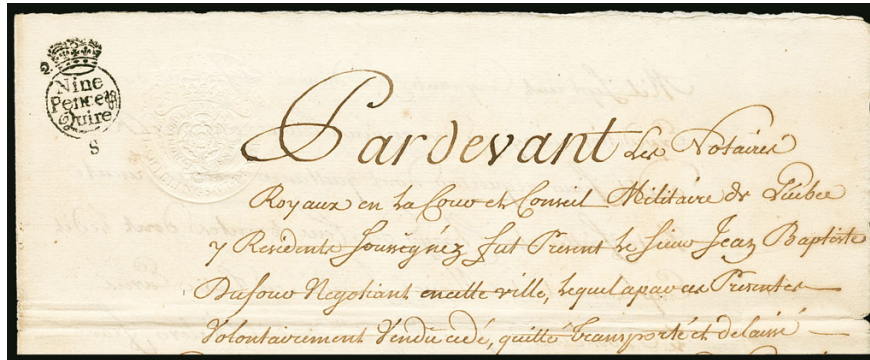
VERY FINE. THIS IS THE EARLIEST REPORTED USE OF ANY OF THE "AMERICA" REVENUES, WHICH BECAME EFFECTIVE ON NOVEMBER 1, 1765. PERHAPS FIVE OR SIX ARE KNOWN OF THIS DENOMINATION. THIS IS THE STAMP THAT STARTED THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION. A PHENOMENAL PIECE OF AMERICANA.

The Stamp Act, passed by British Parliament in 1765, was one of the first attempts to directly raise revenue from the American Colonies after the War. The law imposed duties on all legal and commercial papers, pamphlets, newspapers, almanacs, cards, and dice. They ranged in value from three pence to ten pounds.

Attempts to raise revenue by imposing the Stamp Act produced widespread outcry among American colonists, leading to riots against stamp agents in many cities. Parliament was forced to repeal the law the following year. In reaction to the shocking demonstration of colonial opposition, the British government soon responded with stronger measures, including new taxes and the placing of troops in cities such as Boston.

American resistance precipitated by this British Tax Stamp, and the escalating hostilities on both sides, led to the Boston Massacre in 1770, the Boston Tea Party in 1774, and the Revolutionary War shortly thereafter.

Scott Retail \$3,250.00 with no premium for the early date. This is the first we have offered in decades..... E. 4,000-5,000

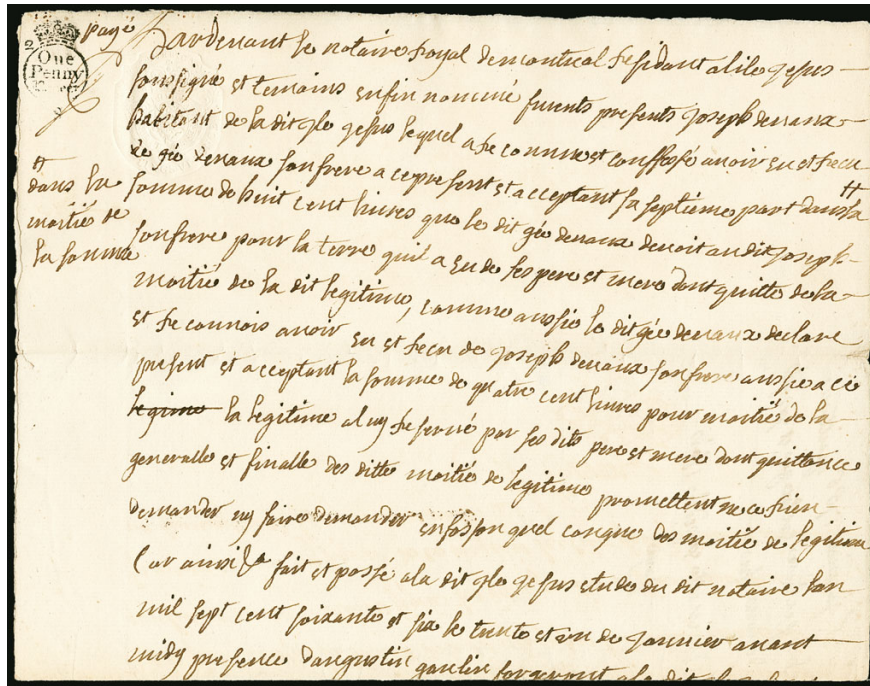


1365

- 1365 **2sh6p "America", General Issue (RM31).** Sharp clear impression on Dec. 24, 1765 agreement executed in Quebec and written in French, 8½ x 13 in., neat "Nine Pence Quire (2S)" paper cost mark handstamp next to embossing, minor splitting along file folds sensibly reinforced with few hinges but remarkably fresh

VERY FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 2-SHILLING 6-PENCE GENERAL ISSUE USED IN QUEBEC.

Very few intact documents are known. With 1987 P.F. certificate..... 4,000.00



1366

- 1366 **2sh6p "America" General Issue (RM31).** Bold impression on handwritten 1766 document written in French, 9¼ x 15 in., "One Penny Quire (2S)" paper cost mark next to embossing, fresh and Very Fine example of this rare embossed revenue issue..... 4,000.00

- 1367 **Embossed Revenues Collection.** Neatly mounted collection of more than 80 documents in a single Scott album, extensive range of items with Scott Retail values up to \$800.00, some highlights include RM2, RM4, RM11, RM12, RM46 (two), RM58, RM99, RM100, RM400 (faulty), RM451, RM453 and many others, typical flaws to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine with many clear strikes, the collection has been annotated by the owner on notebook paper with Scott Retail values totaling more than \$10,000.00.....Not illustrated E. 2,000-3,000

- 1368 **Revenue Stamped Paper Collection.** Housed in two three-ring binders, more than 250 items with duplication, wide range of Scott Nos. from RN-A1a thru RN-X Spanish-American War issues, nice array of documents with bonds included, also a few proofs, Fine and fascinating collection which has been meticulously annotated by the owner on notebook paper with Scott Retail values totaling more than \$7,500.00.....Not illustrated E. 1,000-1,500

HUNTING PERMITS



1370



1371

- 1369 No Lot.
- 1370 ★★ **\$1.00 1936 Hunting Permit (RW3).** Mint N.H., rich color, wide and beautifully balanced margins, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95; SMQ \$900.00) 325.00
- 1371 ★★田 **\$1.00 1938 Hunting Permit (RW5).** Mint N.H. bottom left plate no. 138602 block of six, rich color, well-balanced margins, free from the gum skips that can plague this issue, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate 4,500.00
- 1372 ★ **\$1.00-\$15.00 1934-2006 Hunting Permits (RW1-RW73).** Mint N.H. singles, each selected by the owner for centering and freshness, Extremely Fine group, much higher quality than typically seen on runs of Hunting Permit stamps.....*Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500
- 1373 ★ **\$1.00-\$3.00 1934-60 Hunting Permits (RW1/RW27).** 25 unused stamps, including Nos. RW1-RW6, RW8-RW9, RW26, RW27, few hinged such as RW1, few with plate nos. such as RW2, overall Fine, Scott Retail approximately*Not illustrated* 3,000.00

REVENUE GROUP LOTS

- 1374 **First Issue Revenues Balance.** Stock pages of high-quality stamps, including Nos. R51a, R64a pair, R81a, R90a, R91a, R97c, R98a, R98c, R98d, R101c, selected by the owner for superior condition and overall eye appeal, few small faults to be expected (our usual disclaimer), Very Fine-Extremely Fine and desirable group.....(Website PDF) 3,679.35
- 1375 **First and Second Issue Revenues Balance.** Seven, Nos. R65b, R86c, R87c, R89a, R114, R124 and R125, all selected by the owner for superior eye appeal, one or two may have a minor fault, Very Fine-Extremely Fine group 615.00
- 1376 **19th Century Revenues Collection.** On Scott pages, virtually all of the value in the first three issues, First Issue imperforate with Scott Retail up to \$500.00 including the \$1.60 Foreign Exchange, some part-perforated, perforated to Scott values of \$500.00 including R44c with triple transfer and \$20.00 Probate of Will, Second Issue denominations to \$50.00, plus **50c and \$1.00 with inverted centers**, Third Issue complete to \$20.00, plus **2c with inverted center**, and a few others, mixed condition including cut cancels on some of the Second and Third issues, Fine-Very Fine appearance E. 2,000-3,000
- 1377 **Revenues Collection.** Housed in a thick Scott album, extensive collection from First Issue through Hunting Permits, First issue with some better including R2b (1980 P.F. certificate), R31, R33b, R71a, R74a, R101a, others and largely complete for the less than \$300.00 Scott Retail items, several uses on documents, the genuine highest value stamps have been removed and offered individually and the dubious and questionable high-catalog value items have been segregated onto separate stock cards (and are not included in our estimate), Second Issue complete through \$10.00, Third Issue complete with invert No. 135b, from there the collection contains a range of other Revenue categories including a nice collection of Narcotic Tax stamps, faults and or cut cancels to be expected, overall Fine-Very Fine, an attractive collection E. 3,000-4,000
- 1378 **Revenues High Quality Collection.** On Scott pages, each stamp was handpicked for large margins or centering, vast majority of the value in the first three issues, catalogue values to a couple hundred dollars each, a few more including No. R129, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, ten P.F. certificates accompany E. 1,000-1,500

- 1379 **Beer Stamp Collection.** On stock and album pages, more than 140 items with some duplication, wide range of issues from REA1 thru REA198, none of the rarities obviously but a number of stamps with Scott Retail values of \$200.00 or more, mixed condition as usual for beer stamps, Fine appearing collection which has been meticulously annotated by the owner on notebook paper with Scott Retail values totaling more than \$9,500.00..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1380 **Match & Medicine Collection.** Housed in two Aldrich albums, many hundreds of stamps covering the full range of Match, Medicine, Perfume and Playing Card companies, none of the rarities but lots of stamps with Scott Retail of \$100.00 or more along with the numerous less expensive items, also includes a group of approximately ten original medicine boxes or containers with M&M stamps affixed, mixed condition as would be expected with a collection of these issues, overall a worthwhile collection worth review, the individual stamps meticulously annotated by the owner on notebook paper with Scott Retail values totaling more than \$16,000.00..... E. 2,000-3,000

SAVINGS STAMPS



- 1381 ★★ **25c Blue Green, Savings, Booklet Pane (S2a).** Two Mint N.H. panes, with and without electric eye marks in tab, rich colors, fresh and Fine to mostly Very Fine, these are surprisingly scarce in Mint N.H. condition, apart from an unexploded complete booklet from our 1992 Rarities sale, these are the only two Mint N.H. panes listed in Power Search.....(Photo Ex) 1,625.00
- 1382 ★田 **\$5.00 Sepia, Savings (S5).** Bottom plate no. 166068 block of six, Mint N.H. except for small spot of gum disturbance on top left stamp, rich color and detailed impression, Very Fine..... 800.00
- 1383 ★ **\$1.00 Treasury Savings (TS1).** Disturbed original gum, intense shade, margins to cut in at left, small thin spot, appears Very Good, a presentable example of an extremely difficult issue to find in any semblance of decent condition..... 3,750.00
- 1384 (★) **\$5.00 Orange on Green, War Savings (WS6).** Unused (no gum), brilliant color, attractive centering and margins for this difficult issue, sound and Fine..... 1,250.00

- 1385 **Savings Stamps and Ephemera Collection.** Choice collection in a single Scott album, most of the Postal Savings, Savings and War Savings issue are present less the two most valuable stamps (WS6 and TS1), some of the better include unused PS2 and PS5 cards, PS7 plate block, PS10, WS2-WS5, others, also Postal Notes used on forms, what makes the collection particularly attractive is the plethora of forms, cards and booklets that were issued to mount the various issues, including Treasury Savings, most of these are unused but some are used as well (including PS2 and PS5 with complete stamps), condition is nice throughout with a couple of the better stamps without gum, overall a Very Fine and desirable collection, owner's catalogue value for the stamps alone exceeds \$5,000.00.....*Not illustrated* E. 1,500-2,000

CONFEDERATE STATES



1386



1387



1388

- 1386 ★★ **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Mint N.H., huge margins including **part imprint at bottom**, rich color on crisp paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate (Superb 98; unpriced in SMQ), Scott Retail as hinged..... 160.00
- 1387 田 **10c Light Blue, Paterson (2a).** Block of four, original gum, minor h.r. and small paper adherence on top left stamp, mostly large margins all around, a few trivial toned specks on gum, Very Fine..... 1,750.00
- 1388 ★ **2c Green (3).** Original gum, h.r., large margins, bright color, natural inclusion at top right, Very Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate..... 1,000.00



1389



1390

- 1389 **10c Rose (5).** Huge margins, pretty shade, bold Savannah circular datestamp, few light creases, otherwise Extremely Fine..... 450.00
- 1390 ★★ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Mint N.H., enormous margins all around including parts of all eight adjoining stamps, brilliant color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$400.00 as 100, unpriced in Jumbo grade), Scott Retail as hinged 16.00



1391

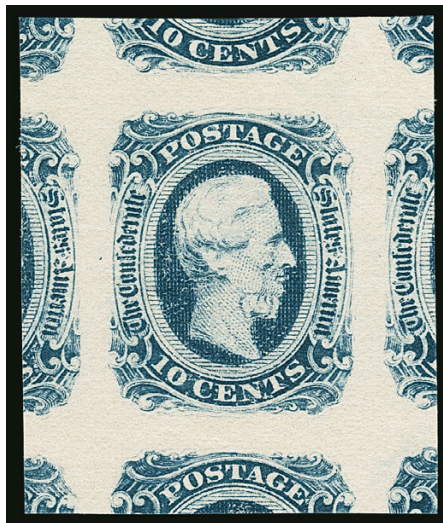


1392



1393

- 1391 ★★ **2c Brown Red (8).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins showing parts of all eight adjoining stamps, deep rich color on fresh paper, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$1,900.00 as 100, unpriced in Jumbo grade), this is the highest grade possible on the grading chart, Scott Retail as hinged 75.00
- 1392 (★) **10c Blue, "TEN" (9).** Unused (no gum), large to huge margins, fresh color, Extremely Fine, ex Diamond, with 1991 P.F. certificate..... 600.00
- 1393 ★★ **10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11c).** Mint N.H., enormous margins all around including large portions of all eight adjoining stamps, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; unpriced in SMQ above the grade of 100, SMQ \$550.00 as 100), Scott Retail as hinged 30.00



1394



1395

- 1394 ★★ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Mint N.H., Jumbo margins including significant portions of all eight adjoining stamps, wonderful depth of color, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$700.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J), this is the highest grade possible on the grading chart, Scott Retail as hinged 20.00
- 1395 ★★ **1c Orange (14).** Mint N.H., huge Jumbo margins including portions of all eight adjoining stamps, bright color, Extremely Fine Gem, a superb stamp in every respect, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate (Gem 100 Jumbo; SMQ \$2,550.00 as 100, unpriced as 100J), Scott Retail as hinged..... 100.00

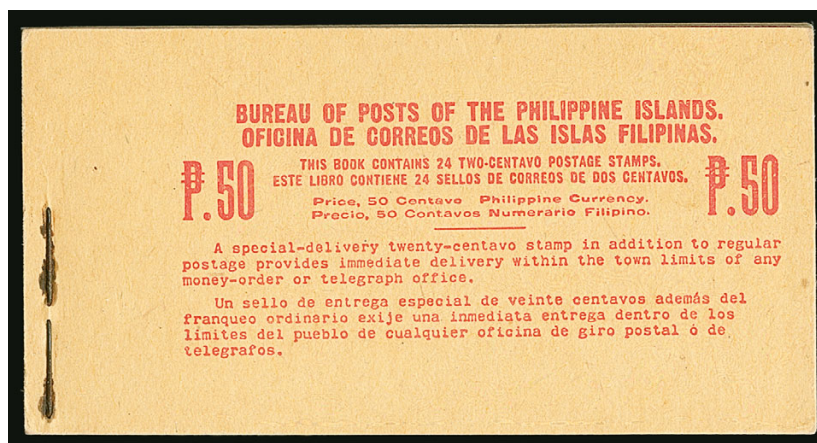
U.S. POSSESSIONS



- 1396 ☒ **CANAL ZONE, 1904, 5c Blue (2).** Tied by violet barred "Canal Zone" with matching "Canal Zone, Ancon, Jun. 27, 1904" circular datestamp on cover to Cristobal, arrival datestamp also ties stamp, violet "U.S. Public Health and Marine Hospital Service" handstamp, Very Fine and scarce, only ten covers are recorded prior to Jul. 28, this is the **fourth day of use** E. 200-300
- 1397 **CUBA, Puerto Principe, 1898-99, 3c on 1m Orange Brown (179D).** Fourth Printing, Position 4, neat Dec. 28 double-circle datestamp, well-centered, fresh color, Very Fine, signed Senf and Bloch 750.00
- 1398 **CUBA, Puerto Principe, 1898-99, 5c on 2m Orange Brown (185).** Second Printing, Position 2, tied on small piece by well-struck double-circle datestamp, fresh color, Very Fine 500.00
- 1399 **CUBA, Puerto Principe, 1898-99, 3c on 1m Blue Green (201).** Fifth printing, Position 2, tied on small piece by neat strike of Jan. 20 double-circle datestamp, fresh color, Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate 350.00
- 1400 **CUBA, Puerto Principe, 1898-99, 3c on 2m Blue Green (204).** Fifth Printing, Position 4, tied on small piece by Jan. 17 double-circle datestamp, fresh color, Fine, ex Tows 875.00
- 1401 **CUBA, Puerto Principe, 1898-99, 3c on 3m Blue Green (205).** Fifth Printing, Position 1, neat double-circle datestamp, well-centered, fresh color, Very Fine 400.00
- 1402 **CUBA, Puerto Principe, 1898-99, 3c on 3m Blue Green (206).** Fifth Printing, Position 4, tied on small piece by Jan. double-circle datestamp, Fine and scarce, signed Bloch 550.00
- 1403 **CUBA, Puerto Principe, 1898-99, 5c on 3m Blue Green (216).** Fifth Printing, Position 4, tied on small piece by Jan. 29 double-circle datestamp, corner crease at bottom right, Very Fine appearance, scarce 1,000.00
- 1404 **CUBA, Puerto Principe, 1898-99, 5c on 4m Blue Green (217).** Fifth Printing, Position 2, light circular datestamp, traces of perf toning, otherwise Fine, signed Bloch 900.00
- 1405 **CUBA, 1898-99 Puerto Principe Balance.** 22 stamps, most are used and tied to small piece, couple unused, catalogue values up to \$300.00 and including Nos. 182, 184, 189, 192 (2) and 193 plus others, couple small flaws to be expected but mostly Fine-Very Fine, five certificates accompany with a few others signed *Not illustrated* 2,315.00



- 1406 P **CUBA, 1899, 1c-10c Republic Issue, Small Die Proofs on Wove (227P2-231P2, E3P2).** On original gray cards from a Roosevelt presentation album, last with some oxidation, 231P2 small toned spots, otherwise Very Fine and scarce, only 85 were produced(Photo Ex) 1,250.00
- 1407 **GUAM, 1899, \$1.00 Black, Ty. I (12).** Blue "Guam" cancel, intense shade, Fine, with 1984 A.P.S. certificate 400.00
- 1408 ★ **PHILIPPINES, 1901, \$1.00 Black, Ty. II (223A).** H.r., wide and balanced margins, small corner repair, Extremely Fine appearance, with 1982 Friedl certificate 2,000.00
- 1409 ★★ **PHILIPPINES, 1903, 4c Brown (229).** Mint N.H., impeccably well-centered, wide margins, intensely rich color and proof-like impression, Extremely Fine Gem, with 1983 and 2007 P.F. certificates (XF-Superb 95) 175.00
- 1410 **PHILIPPINES, 1903, \$2.00 Dark Blue (238).** Intense shade and impression, Very Fine ... 800.00



1411

- 1411 ★★ **PHILIPPINES, 1939, 2c Rose, Booklet Pane of Six, Bottom Left Stamp "Wealth Common-" (433b).** Unexploded booklet containing four panes, each with bottom left stamp showing the error, Mint N.H. with interleaving, booklet cover free of creases near staples, small rust marks near staples

VERY FINE. AN EXTRAORDINARY COMPLETE BOOKLET CONTAINING ONE OF THE RAREST ERRORS OF THE PHILIPPINES.

We are now aware of four intact booklets, as follows: 1) Offered in our 1996 Rarities sale (ex Diamond, who found two of the error booklets decades ago inside a sealed package of normal booklets); 2) Offered in our 2009 sale of the "Laila" collection; 3) Offered in our 2013 sale of the Diamond Collection (his second example); and 4) the booklet offered here. An intact booklet was offered in our 1999 Rarities sale, but it was not illustrated (we believe it to be one of the aforementioned booklets). Only 24 panes were issued in total, which would have been six complete booklets. Assuming all four booklets are still intact that would leave only eight single panes — we have offered only four single panes since keeping computerized records.

Scott Retail as four panes 16,000.00



1412

- 1412 ★★ **PHILIPPINES, 1939, 2c Rose, Booklet Pane of Six, Bottom Left Stamp “Wealth Common-” (433b).** Mint N.H., rich color, small rust spot near staple holes

FRESH AND FINE. AN ATTRACTIVE AND RARE MINT NEVER-HINGED BOOKLET PANE WITH BOTTOM LEFT STAMP CONTAINING THE “WEALTH COMMON-” ERROR.

Only 24 were issued, which would have been six complete booklets. We are now aware of four intact booklets, so only eight should be available as single panes. We have offered only four other single panes since keeping computerized records. 4,000.00

1413



1414

- 1413 ☒ **PHILIPPINES, 1899, 1c Deep Claret, Postage Due (J1).** Block of nine, tied by “Manila P.I. Sep. 8, 02” circular datestamps on legal “Department of Finance and Justice, Manila” corner card cover and addressed locally, **used as postage** rather than as postage due, cover with slight wear around edges, Fine, No. J1 was authorized for regular postage from Sept. 5-19, 1902, likely the largest multiple known on cover E. 1,000-1,500
- 1414 ★ **PHILIPPINES, 1901, 30c Deep Claret, Postage Due (J7).** Lightly hinged, beautifully centered, uncommonly wide margins, rich color and sharp impression, Extremely Fine Gem, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate (XF-Superb 95) 250.00
- 1415 ★ **U.S. Possessions High Quality Unused Collection.** On Scott pages, while it is sparse in some places, what is here was handpicked for centering and freshness, some Canal Zone including used No. 2 with P.F. certificate (one of the few used stamps in the collection), and U.S. overprints, basic set of the Cuba U.S. overprints, Guam includes 50c and \$1.00 (both with P.F. certificate), strongest is Philippines, with first set complete to 50c, 1902 Overprints to \$1.00, with that value particularly choice (and with P.F. certificate) and all of the Postage Dues, majority in Very Fine condition, a collection worth building upon E. 1,000-1,500
- 1416 **U.S. Possessions Accumulation.** Interesting group of stamps and some postal history, most of which are on dealer or auction lot cards, scarcer items noticed including early Canal Zone, Guam 1c and 2c used in Marianas, Philippines unused Nos. 212, 224 and 237, even Military Station cancels from Philippines and Cuba, plus more, mostly Fine or better E. 750-1,000
- 1417 ★ **U.S. Possessions Mostly Unused Balance.** Much of the value in Philippines, with U.S. overprints to 50c, some duplication, also Cuba including a block and plate block, a little Hawaii, condition above the norm, most Fine-Very Fine, with many Very Fine E. 500-750

GROUP LOTS BY ISSUE

- 1418 **1845-69 Issues, Collection Balance.** Mostly used stamps mounted on album pages, nice range of issues with numerous better stamps, including Nos. 9X1, 1-2, 9 (unused), 12, 17, 18, 27, 29, 30-30A, Nos. 36-39 unused, 62B, 63 o.g. pair, 67-72 (30c appears unused), 75 single and pair, 77 (appears unused), 102, 112-122, also a handful of covers with 1c-3c 1857 Issue, mixed condition with some flaws to be expected, some appear Fine, Scott Retail more than \$20,000.00 E. 3,000-4,000
- 1419 **1c 1851-57 Issue Specialized Collection.** Many dozens of mostly used stamps, including pairs, strips and ten covers, 1851 are Types II and IV, with many of the better positions, such as a reconstructed block of the "big crack", position 4R1L (in a strip of three with two Type IV), double transfers, several examples of the triple transfer, one inverted, 1857 is mostly Type V, but does include some of the better types, including No. 19 (clipped perfs), 21 and a pair of No. 23, also some Type Va, several of the better plate varieties, also an unused, original gum selvage block of eight, group of Paid cancels, also a few essays, condition is mixed, as it was assembled to show the important features of the stamp rather than choice condition, though there are many attractive four-margins or well-centered stamps E. 3,000-4,000
- 1420 **1869 Pictorial Issue, Collection Balance.** Over 50 stamps on dealer or auction lot cards, each denomination represented for the entire issue including duplicates of values such as the 24c-90c with at least two of each, particular focus on the 12c Adriatic, predominately used but including a few unused, some varieties such as split grills, better cancellations and even a couple potential re-issues, we notice quite a few with Jumbo margins, some small faults to be expected, majority Fine-Very Fine E. 3,000-4,000
- 1421 **1870-93 Bank Note Issues, Collection Balance.** Stamps mounted on album pages, mostly used through the Continental issues and then mostly unused from the American issues through the Small Bank Notes, the unused with a mix of original gum and some no gum, several grills including Nos. 134-135 (unused), 137-139, 141, ungrilled issue complete with unused 15c, Continental issues complete, 1879 American Bank Note issue unused less the 10c, 30c and 90c, later American issues mostly complete unused, 1890-93 Small Bank Notes complete unused, mixed condition with some flaws to be expected, overall Fine group with some attractive stamps E. 2,000-3,000
- 1422 **1870-88 Bank Note Issues, Collection Balance.** Mostly unused, some used, with values to 90c, we notice better Scott numbers represented, scarcer items appear to be either unused (no gum) with a handful regummed, somewhat mixed condition though the catalogue value should prove to be quite high, still a valuable group, mostly Fine or better E. 1,500-2,000
- 1423 **1894-98 Bureau Issue Group.** Small but better selection of items including unused Nos. 263, 272a (with P.S.E. certificate as pair from which this originated), 276-277, some used including No. 276-276A combination pair, even a set of unused Small Bank Notes (No. 219-229), couple small faults, mostly Fine-Very Fine E. 1,500-2,000
- 1424 ★ **1894-1902 Bureau Issues, Collection Balance.** Nice collection of unused stamps on album pages, the vast majority original gum including some Mint N.H., 1894 Unwatermarked complete to the 50c, also includes Mint N.H. combination block of four of Nos. 266-267 (from plate 170), 1895 Watermarked complete to the \$2.00, 1898 Issue complete, 1902 Issue complete to the \$1.00, also two No. 301c booklet panes, six certificates accompany E. 1,500-20,000
- 1425 ★ **Columbian & Trans-Mississippi Issues (230-245, 285-293).** Nearly complete sets of each issue unused, missing only the \$1.00 Trans-Mississippi and including an extra \$3.00 Columbian, the lower values original gum with some Mint N.H., nearly but not all of the dollar values regummed or no gum, the better stamps generally with small flaws, still attractive sets with Fine or Fine appearing stamps, six P.S.E. certificates accompany, Scott Retail more than \$10,500.00 E. 2,000-3,000
- 1426 ★ **Early Commemorative Issues, Collection Balance.** Unused stamps on stock cards, mostly original gum with a few disturbed and couple Mint N.H., including Pan-Americans, Louisiana Purchase, Jamestown, 1909 Commemoratives with 2c Lincoln on Bluish, Panama-Pacific less No. 404, a couple with flaws, overall Fine 1,758.00
- 1427 ★ **Washington-Franklin Issues, Collection Balance.** Extensive unused collection on album pages and stock cards, nearly all original gum with some Mint N.H., 1908-12 Issue sheet stamps complete less No. 342, a few genuine flat plate coils and some of the usual suspect coils not counted in our estimate, 1c-2c Bluish, 1912-14 Issues complete less No. 423, 1914-15 Issue complete, Nos. 433-435 Mint N.H. blocks of four, later issues including many joint line pairs, also Nos. 460, 473-474 Mint N.H. blocks of four, 479-480, 505 error in a block of nine (no gum), 498-517 in blocks of four, 523-524, 538a and 540a Mint N.H. blocks of four, 547, others, a few flaws may be encountered but condition is generally nice throughout, several certificates accompany E. 4,000-5,000

- 1428 **Washington-Franklin Issues, Collection Balance.** Nearly all neatly mounted with identification on reverse of mount or on original auction lot cards, wide range of issues in both unused and used condition, with singles, blocks, positional pieces, varieties such as imperforate between and double impressions, coil pairs, joint line pairs and more, we notice numerous items that catalogue hundreds each including 15c Bluish Paper, overall quality is above average with quite a few well-centered examples, a few certificates accompany, Fine-Very Fine, worthy of close inspection..... E. 3,000-4,000
- 1429 ★★ **Washington-Franklin Issues, Collection Balance.** Stock pages of mostly Mint N.H. stamps, including Nos. 335, 337, 340, 407, 415, 420, 464, 466 and 468, better condition than normally seen in a group, fresh and Fine-Very Fine with some Extremely Fine, twelve with certificates (three graded 90)(Website PDF) 5,126.00
- 1430 ★★ **Imperforate Coil Pairs.** 32 imperforate coils (and one booklet pane) on a stock page, ranging from Nos. 1058a to 1597e, Very Fine, Scott Retail approximately..... 1,600.00
- 1431 ★ **Private Vending and Affixing Machine Balance.** More than 50 items on stock sheets and album pages, wide range of companies and issues present, a number in the \$100.00-\$300.00 catalogue value range, Fine-Very Fine E. 1,000-1,500
- 1432 ★ **Private Vending and Affixing Machine Balance.** 55 mostly different items, either pairs or a few strips of four, good representation of companies, catalogue values to \$800.00, several \$100.00-\$400.00, a few minor faults, but mostly Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail 4,650.00
- 1433 ★★ **Air Post Balance.** Stock pages of mostly Mint N.H. stamps, including Nos. C1-C6, C7-C12, C16 onwards mostly complete, better centering than normally seen in group lots, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, three with certificates (C3 with natural inclusion), Scott Retail up to Scott C31 850.00
- 1434 ★ **Special Delivery Balance.** 14 unused stamps, including Nos. E2 and E3 with original gum, rest Mint N.H. including Nos. E6-E9, E11-E18, most Very Fine, Nos. E8 and E9 with 1990's P.F. certificates 2,280.75
- 1435 ★ **Postage Due Collection.** Nearly all unused on Scott pages, contains most of the stamps from the first three issues, all of the Bureau sets to the 50c (Nos. J31-J58 including the scarce No. J58), and the later issues, most with original gum, mixed condition but many Fine-Very Fine stamps present, Scott Retail approximately \$28,000.00 E. 3,000-4,000
- 1436 **Officials Collection.** Stamps mounted on album pages, largely complete in a mix of used and unused, the unused with mix of original gum, disturbed gum and no gum, including Agriculture complete (1c and 3c used), Executive complete unused (all are no gum), Interior complete (3c, 15c, 90c used), Justice complete (3c, 12c, 15c, 30c, 90c used), Navy complete used, Post Office complete mostly used (10c, 12c, 24c unused), State complete through 90c (1c, 6c, 7c, 12c, 24c, 90c unused), Treasury complete (3c, 6c, 12c, 30c unused), War complete (more than half unused), range of Soft Paper stamps with some better, also eight Special Printings including 6c Agriculture and State, mixed condition with flaws to be expected, many appear Fine, high retail value E. 3,000-4,000
- 1437 **Officials Collection.** Mounted on pages in a single binder, stamps mostly complete either unused or used less the dollar value State Dept. and the soft papers, also includes complete set of plate proofs on card, approximately 14 stamped covers including 3c Executive on Executive Mansion corner card cover, finally a handful of stampless covers relating to official uses including John Quincy Adams free frank (cover front only), mixed condition, overall Fine collection E. 1,000-1,500
- 1438 ★ **Newspapers and Periodicals Balance.** Scott album pages of unused stamps, starts with nice showing the large format issue, 1875 Continental printing also has several better with denominations to \$3.00, 1879 American issue well-represented with values to \$60.00, 1885 Issue with several better, also with PR114-PR125, some unused (no gum) or regummed, some faults, some Fine-Very Fine, a worthwhile group E. 3,000-4,000
- 1439 **Newspapers and Periodicals Balance.** Album pages of mostly unused stamps, including Nos. PR1-PR8, nice selection of Continental issue to the 96c, nice American Bank Note Co. issues with denominations to \$60.00, some unused (no gum), some faults, some appear Fine-Very Fine, four with certificates E. 3,000-4,000
- 1440 **Back-of-Book Collection.** Housed in a single Scott album, wide range of material beginning with Officials which are largely complete used (less the rare items), Newspapers including several of the early large format, the bulk of the collection is Revenues with complete Hunting Permits through 1980's and some later, First Issue Revenues with imperfs and part perfs, nothing expensive but many are genuine, including No. R102c and a few uses on documents, later issues with R150 and a range of others, mixed condition with flaws to be found, overall a useful collection E. 1,000-1,500
- 1441 ★ **Back-of-Book Unused Balance.** Special Deliveries complete through 1927 including No. E15c, a complete set of Parcel Post, Newspaper Stamps which include some facsimiles, and a few others, slightly mixed condition, Fine-Very Fine appearing E. 1,000-1,500

- 1442 ★ **Back-of-Book Balance.** Stock pages of unused singles and multiples, including Nos. C1-C6 with two each of C1 and C5, C10a, C18 two singles and plate block, Special Delivery including Nos. E5 and E7, Officials including E35 and E38, nice group of Postage Dues, some faults, some Fine-Very Fine E. 500-750
- 1443 ★ **Cut Square Collection.** A few hundred mostly unused on Scott pages, includes Officials, catalogue values to \$300.00, most with large margins, some loose material including a few entires, overall a fresh collection with the vast majority Very Fine or better, five P.F. certificates accompany, Scott Retail in excess of \$5,000.00 E. 1,000-1,500
- 1444 ★ **Postal Stationery Balance.** Five cut squares and three entires on auction lot cards, the one feature that holds them together is they have a Thomas Jefferson portrait in the indicia, includes No. UO39 cut square and UO59 entire, also No. U92 entire with Wells, Fargo imprint, most are Very Fine, Scott Retail exceeds \$1,000.00 E. 300-400
- 1445 ☒ **Postal Stationery and Postal Cards Balance.** Ten items, including UX32 with second surcharge on back, Undersander E99Xg essay, U492 cut square, overall Fine-Very Fine E. 300-400
- 1446 ☒ **Postal Card Balance.** Fourteen items on auction lot cards, the one thing they all have in common is a portrait of Thomas Jefferson in the indicia, mint cards cataloguing in the \$25.00-\$100.00 range, including some varieties, Puerto Rico No. UX1, used include Nos. UX27C and UX27D, two uprated with 1c stamp to Sweden and Queensland, nice condition throughout, Very Fine..... E. 300-400

COLLECTIONS AND ACCUMULATIONS

- 1447 **High Quality United States Collection Offered Intact.** In a Scott album, a large majority are Very Fine-Extremely Fine stamps that were purchased one-at-a time, **a remarkable 425 certificates accompany**, nearly all P.F. or P.S.E., including over 100 that are graded, the collection starts with the 1847 Issue and the value goes to the 1930s, the early issues are primarily used, including 5c and 10c 1847, plus both Reproductions unused, nice group of the 1857 Issue, including No. 29 graded XF 90 by P.S.E., an excellent representation of the 1861 Issue, including the grilled stamps (some unused in this period), 1869 Pictorials to 90c including an unused 24c, the Bank Note issues contain both unused and used, attractive Commemoratives, some decent Bureau issues, extensive Washington-Franklins, this is the period where more graded certificates will be found, capped off by a beautiful Mint N.H. No. 523 graded XF-Superb 95 by P.S.E., coils collected both as singles and line pairs, the later issues contain a plethora of graded certificates at 90 and higher, including Mint N.H. 8c Nebr. graded Superb 98 by P.S.E., Back-of-Book was similarly collected, with Air Post (including a lovely Mint N.H. Graf Zeppelin set - latter two graded XF 90), Special Deliveries, nice run of Postage Dues, Offices in China, Officials, Newspaper Stamps, Parcel Posts, and Hunting Permits, nearly all of the certificates are "clean" - not mentioning any faults, the tiny number (less than one percent) that are mentioned are quite minor
- THE RARITY OF OFFERING ONE LOT AT AUCTION WITH THIS MANY HIGH-QUALITY SALEABLE STAMPS CANNOT BE OVERSTATED.
- The resale potential is enormous on this choice collection..... E. 40,000-50,000
- 1448 **High Cataloguing Balance of an Old-Time Collection.** On Elbe pages in three binders, the collections was formed primarily in the 1960s and 1970s, the collection starts with some Postmasters' Provisionals and goes through the 1920s, plus there are some more modern errors, primarily an unused collection with a small number of used stamps and a few covers, multiples also augment the collection, many scarce and high cataloguing stamps throughout, for instance the 1851 Issue includes used No. 8, original-gum No. 8A, lightly cancelled No. 12, No. 13 strip of three on cover to Trieste, No. 14-16 set-tenant pair on piece, No. 17 unused single and used pair, later issues are similarly filled with scarcer items, particularly the 1861-67 Issues, which includes several unused grilled stamps, Bank Notes well-filled, Commemoratives just about complete including the Columbian and Trans-Mississippi sets, excellent run of Washington-Franklins, including better Bluish Papers and coils in singles and pairs, varieties sprinkled throughout, condition is mixed as expected on a collection formed in this period, however many original-gum Fine-Very Fine stamps will be found, some Mint N.H. as they are all housed in mounts, a valuable collection boasting an enormous catalogue value E. 30,000-40,000
- 1449 ★ **Useful Accumulation.** Many hundreds on stockcards and two binders, much is lower and medium priced unused 20th Century in Very Fine or Extremely Fine condition (many of these Mint N.H.), some 19th Century, used and Back-of-Book, condition ranges from Fine appearing with a small fault to Extremely Fine (though majority are Very Fine or better), therefore inspection is necessary E. 4,000-5,000

- 1450 ★ **Accumulation.** Three stock books of mostly unused stamps, including nice group of modern imperforate varieties such as 1503a, 1508a, 1563a, 1704a, 1730a, 1734a, 1823a, 1856d, 1863f, 2003a, 2015a, 2025a, 2026a, 2096a (2), 2210a, 2550a, 2921a, 3112c, C108d, also some better booklet panes such as 25 of No. 406a each with different plate no., 1c A.E.F. pane (one stamp h.r. and small thin spot), also 2c and 4c Trans-Mississippi blocks of four, some Private Die Proprietary, few Hunting Permit plate blocks, some U.N., few other better, most Fine-Very Fine, a wonderful group..... E. 3,000-4,000
- 1451 **Accumulation.** Massive accumulation in several cartons, including few 3-ring binders with booklet panes, strength in Possessions, Revenues, some face, also 21 small dealer's books with strength in booklet panes such as 2c Shield shades (5), 332a (3), 405b (2), 501b and 502b (14), also some better Officials, Test coils and an array of other areas also represented, two metal filing drawers with even more booklet panes and intact booklets (some used), some faults to be expected, a comprehensive old-time holding E. 3,000-4,000
- 1452 **Accumulation.** Various unused and used stamps and a few covers, including unused Nos. 241, 245, 293, 1922-25 Issue with several better including few First Day covers, 571 plate block, C4 plate block, Q1-Q11, nice group of Officials including unused 90c Justice and other better, few Newspapers and Periodicals, K1-K14, K17-K18, few Revenue multiples such as R24b block of four, mixed condition with some Fine-Very Fine, a diverse group E. 2,000-3,000
- 1453 **Interesting Small Accumulation.** Most on dealer or auction lot cards, with Columbian Issue, Trans-Mississippi including \$1.00, 1902 Issue with unused \$1.00 and used \$2.00-\$5.00, better Panama-Pacific, some later issues, plus Back-of-Book including better used Offices in China and unused No. K15, No. R154 used on accepted cover with 1c Trans-Mississippi, even some fractional and postal currency, mostly Fine-Very Fine E. 1,000-1,500
- 1454 **Balance.** 16 items, including unused Nos. 39, 211, 240, 274, 399, 440, 634A, J6, used No. 243, nice group of five 1c paste-up coil pairs, few faults overall Fine-Very Fine..... E. 1,500-2,000
- 1455 No Lot.
- 1456 **Small Balance.** Three stamps, No. 9X1P5a reprint on bond (light crease), No. 426 nicely centered but regummed, No. 212 Mint N.H. with a trivial perf thin, overall Very Fine or appear so, two 2017 P.F. certificates accompany E. 200-300
- 1457 **Balance of Consignment.** Two boxes, includes a Scott album with some useful stamps (though condition is mixed), a couple stockbooks, postal cards, cut squares and more E. 500-750
- 1458 **U.S. Collection Balance.** In three banker's boxes, large number of stamps including a few items that make the lot, including commemorative album with Columbians to \$1.00, Pan-Americans, Louisiana Purchase and Panama-Pacific (less No. 404) unused, White Plains sheet, couple sets of C1-C6, some face as well, mixed condition on the older stamps E. 500-750
- 1459 **Balance of Stamps Depicting Thomas Jefferson.** Several dozen items on auction lot cards with Thomas Jefferson as the subject, much of the value in 1857 5c, with unused or used of the various types and colors (several with certificates), including two pairs, also 5c 1861 Issue, 10c Bank Notes, 10c Officials, 50c Bureau Issue, later issues such as 2c Liberty on Silkote paper (P.F. certificate), also some proofs and specimens, mixed condition, but overall a useful lot E. 2,000-3,000
- 1460 **Collection Balance, 1847-1976.** In two Scott albums and a sheet file, early issues a little spotty and mostly used, including 1847 5c and 10c, plus 5c Reproduction, 1857 90c unused, some Grilled including No. 85B (choice appearing but with small repair), 1869 Pictorials to 90c, from 1893 on it is mostly unused, with Columbians to \$2.00, later Commemoratives complete including the Trans-Mississippi issue, 1902 Issue complete to \$5.00, excellent range of Washington-Franklin heads, including coil singles and pairs, both 5c Errors in blocks of nine, and a solid run of later issues, Air Post complete including the Graf Zeppelin set, and a few Special Delivery stamps, plus a few mint sheets, 19th Century in mixed quality, most with Fine-Very Fine appearance, much of the 20th Century is Fine-Very Fine with many Mint N.H., overall a useful collection, nine certificates accompany E. 7,500-10,000

- 1461 ★ **Collection Balance.** Two 3-ring binders of mostly unused stamps, including Nos. 551-573, 630, 658-679, better multiples including plate blocks of Nos. 328, 346, 373, 398 (pen in selvage), 401 and 473, one album is mostly back-of-book with nice Special Delivery, Postage Due including set of P2's, Parcel Post Q1-Q12 unused and used plus blocks of four of 1c, 5c, 15c and 25c, few Parcel Post plate blocks such as Q1 (8, some with imprint), Q2 pane of 45, Q3 (3), Q6 block of 15, also few on cover, few Revenues such as Boating, some faults, many Fine-Very Fine, an unusual old-time holding..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 1462 **Classics Balance.** Housed on stock cards, dealers pages or auction lot cards, much is used but also with some unused, numerous better Scott Nos. noticed, including 1847 5c on piece with Montreal circular datestamp, 10c with "Specimen" overprint, 1851-56 Issue with Nos. 12-15, 1857-60 Issue with 18, 20-24, 32-34 and thru 1867-68 Grilled Issue with Nos. 79, 83, 85B, 99-101, five certificates accompany, mixed condition to be expected though the total catalogue value should prove to be substantial, mostly Fine or better..... E. 4,000-5,000
- 1463 ★ **19th Century Balance.** 29 mostly unused stamps, including Nos. 24, 26, 151, 178 (regummed), 183, 206, 209, 210, 211, 218 (Mint N.H.), 227, several Mint N.H. including Nos. 207, 212, 213, 214, 215, 219, 220-225, several with nice centering, Fine-Very Fine with a few Extremely Fine, 16 with certificates mostly from 1990's..... 8,142.50
- 1464 **19th & 20th Century Balance.** Stock pages of unused and used stamps, including unused Nos. 63, 71, 72, 117, 189, 229, 244, 245, 276, 291, 299, block of four of 113-E3e (no gum), also 236 strip of six with two plate nos. and imprints, faults including some regummed, few appear Fine E. 2,000-3,000
- 1465 ★ **Balance, 1893-1901.** Stock pages containing 47 unused stamps, including Mint N.H. Nos. 230-232 plus additional 2c with broken hat, 234-236, 246-248, 252, 253, 255, 264, 267 (2, shades), 268-270, 272, 280, 282, 282a, 283, 285-287, 289, 294-298, lightly hinged Nos. 250, 254, 256-259, 273, 282C, used No. 240, also No. 243 (regummed), eleven Columbian Exposition tickets are also included as are ten unused color post cards from Pan-American Exposition with unused 1c stamps affixed, rich colors, most Very Fine with some Extremely Fine, 28 with mostly 1990's certificates, Scott Retail does not include the tickets or cards 7,614.50
- 1466 ★★ **20th Century Balance.** Approximately 375 mostly Mint N.H. stamps on stock pages, including Nos. 343-347, 348, 350, 351, 357-358, 367-373, 382, 396, 407, 459, 460, 461, 547-550, Nebr. ovpts. complete less 6c, 692-701, 803-834a including 832b, several other better, better centering than normally seen, most Very Fine with some Extremely Fine, a very worthwhile group, 20 with mostly 1990's certificates ..(Website PDF) E. 2,500-3,500
- 1467 ★ **20th Century Collection Balance.** Neatly mounted in a single Scott album, lots of Mint N.H., begins with 1922 Issue complete, others include Nos. 595, 599A joint line pair, White Plains sheet, 634A, four complete sets of Kansas-Nebraska ovpts., a number of coils with leader tape, back-of-book including Air Post C1-C6, C13, Special Delivery mostly complete unused, Postage Due largely complete less the rarer stamps, includes Mint N.H. J60, Offices in China missing only K11, K12 and K16, Parcel Post complete, overall Fine-Very Fine with much in the latter category, Scott Retail over \$7,500.00... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1468 ★★田 **Blocks Balance.** About 15 multiples, including plate blocks of Nos. 621 (3), 833, C4 (2), C18, imprint and plate no. block of four of No. 287, blocks of six of Nos. 285 and 286 with plate no. and part imprint, few other better, several Mint N.H., few with faults, overall Fine-Very Fine E. 1,000-1,500
- 1469 ★★ **Commemoratives Balance.** Mostly Mint N.H., including Nos. 230-233, 297 (2), 298 (3), 325, 330 (2), nice group of Pan-Americans, Panama-Pacific, up to Scott 550, far better centering than normally seen in a group lot, Very Fine-Extremely Fine..... (Website PDF) 4,642.85
- 1470 ★★ **Definitives Balance.** Stock pages of mostly Mint N.H. stamps, including Nos. 219D, 221 pair, 224 (2), 227, 304 (3), several other better 1902 Issue, some blocks of four including Nos. 571, 572, 573 and 701, better condition than normally seen, few small faults, Fine-Very Fine with a few Extremely Fine.....(Website PDF) 7,883.50
- 1471 ★ **Graded Balance.** 21 items, 20 with graded P.S.E. certificates from 2007 or 2009, including used No. 117 (85), Mint N.H. Nos. 298 (85), 328 (90), 348 (95), 560 (PF 95), Q3 (95), hinged including Nos. 472 (95J), E8 (98J), Very Fine-Extremely Fine group, SMQ value \$4,160.00 1,288.75
- 1472 ★ **High-Grade Balance.** Three stamps: No. 397 OGph 100; Q8 OGph 95, last is F1 OGH 98J, Extremely Fine Gems, with 2011 or 2014 P.S.E. certificate, SMQ value \$870.00..... 216.50
- 1473 ★★田 **Panes Balance.** 20 Mint N.H. panes, Nos. 617 (3), 649 (11) and 650 (6), mostly fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as plate blocks and singles 4,410.50

- 1474 ★★田 **Plate Block Balance.** Five 3-ring binders of mostly Mint N.H. stamps, including Nos. 549-550, 614-616, 617-619, 646-648, 704-715, National parks perforated and imperforate, 803-834, 1053, many modern issues with higher denominations, Air Post including C4 (2), C10, C18 and C24, also souvenir sheets overall fresh and Very Fine with some Extremely Fine ..
..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 1475 ★田 **Plate Block Group.** On album pages and stockcards, much is Regular Issues from 1923 onward, including the Presidential Series to \$5.00 (with an additional \$5.00), some Back-of-Book, particularly Hunting Permit stamps, including No. RW20, condition is above the norm, with many Very Fine and a large number Mint N.H. E. 1,000-1,500
- 1476 ★ **Booklet Collection and Balance.** Nice collection of intact booklets and booklet panes in Scott album with hand made quadrille pages and loose, including 279Bk (5, all different positions including plate no.), 279Bj including one pane with "Specimen" ovpt., 300b (6 including 3 with different plate nos.), 301c (8), 33 of the 2c Shield in a wide range of shades and from different positions including seven with plate nos., 331a (10 unused plus one on cover), 332a (11), complete booklets including BK14, BK27 (cover torn and taped), BK31, BK48, BK51 (some soiling on cover), BK53, BK63 with denomination crossed out by violet bar (ms. on cover), BK69, BK81 with panes cancelled in Alaska, BK94, BK114, many items identify plate scratch or other feature, some Mint N.H., few faults, overall a Fine-Very Fine and fascinating collection of booklets and booklet panes..... E. 4,000-5,000
- 1477 ★田 **Booklet Panes Collection.** Through the 1970s on Scott pages, includes the first booklet pane (279Bj,k) with both horizontal and vertical watermarks, also one with "Specimen" overprint, four varieties of the 2c Shield, Washington-Franklins, and all of the later issues, including complete booklets, plus Air Post, a few minor imperfections but mostly Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail over \$4,000.00..... E. 750-1,000
- 1478 ★★ **Booklets Balance.** Eight items, including BK14, BK46, BK76, BK100, panes of 300b (with plate no.), 319g, overall Fine, Scott Retail approximately \$5,075.00 E. 750-1,000
- 1479 ★ **Booklet Panes Collection.** Housed in a Scott album, including Mint N.H. No. 301c, range of the No. 319 issues, Washington-Franklins including a few booklet covers, later issues through modern and C10a, a few better positions are present in the earlier booklet panes, overall Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail more than \$3,000.00 E. 500-750
- 1480 ★ **Booklet Panes Collection.** To 1992 in a Scott album, includes 2c 1903, several Washington-Franklins, and a solid run of modern (including Express Mail stamps) adding up to a fair amount of face value, also better loose material, including complete booklet of two of No. C10a and three examples of BK159, most Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine..... E. 500-750
- 1481 **Certified Group.** Over 100 stamps, mostly higher quality, each with a P.F. or P.S.E certificate, including more than 30 graded, some 19th Century used, such as a four-margin No. 1, much of the value in 20th Century Mint Never Hinged or lightly hinged, several with P.S.E. grades of 90 or 95, many medium priced stamps in superior condition, some Back-of-Book, including Postage Dues, Officials and Hunting Permit stamps, a small number of the certificates mention a flaw (most are quite minor), vast majority Very Fine or Extremely Fine E. 4,000-5,000
- 1482 **Collection, 1847 thru 20th Century.** Housed in a single Scott album, wide range with many better stamps, early issues nearly all used including 1847 Nos. 1-2, 1851-57 Nos. 12, 17, 28-29, 30A, 39, 1861-68 largely complete including Nos. 67, 72, 75, 83, E and F Grills largely complete, 1869 Pictorials complete, a few genuine Bank Note grills, nearly all unused beginning with the 1887-93 issues which are complete, Columbians complete with \$2.00, \$3.00 and \$5.00 original gum (all dollar values with P.S.E. certificates), 1894-95 Bureaus with some of the dollar values used, Trans-Mississippi complete with original gum, 1902 Issue complete with 15c-\$5.00 used, Washington-Franklins including a few genuine coils, Panama-Pacific complete, later issues largely complete with White Plains sheet, Air Post including Graf Zeppelin C13-C15, Parcel Post complete and some Postage Dues, mixed condition on the 19th Century with varying degrees of problems to be expected on the better stamps, overall Fine appearing collection with substantial retail value, Scott Retail in excess of \$50,000.00 E. 7,500-10,000
- 1483 **High Quality Used Collection, 1847-1929.** On Scott pages, the collector was just starting to form a used collection, so at first it seems a little sparse, however the stamps that are present are nearly all Very Fine or Extremely Fine, much of the value in 19th Century including a nice four-margin No. 1, various medium priced stamps, scattered but useful 20th Century, some Back-of-Book, as mentioned the overwhelming majority is Very Fine-Extremely Fine, 26 certificates (twelve P.F., thirteen P.S.E., and one A.P.S.) accompany, including ten graded..... E. 1,500-2,000
- 1484 **19th & 20th Century Collection.** Three albums of unused and used stamps, including unused Nos. 219-228, 230-239, 241, 244, 245, 293, 369, 397-400A, 480, 551-573, 630, 658-679, C1-C6, used including Nos. 1-2, 17, 100, 120, 122, 242-243, 292, other better, some faults especially noticeable on the earlier issues, some Fine-Very Fine..... E. 5,000-7,500

- 1485 ★ **Unused Collection.** In three Scott albums, a handful of early 1851-69 Classics, picks up steam with the Bank Notes, Columbians through \$1.00, good coverage of Washington-Franklins with values to \$5.00, Panama-Pacific complete, 1920's issues, later issues to 1970's including White Plains sheet and a range of freaks and a few errors, back-of-book with Offices in China complete less K16, Graf Zeppelin C13-C14, Special Delivery complete, also some Revenues, mixed condition and the early album has many pages that are stained, though it does not appear to affect the stamps which are in mounts, some are Fine E. 2,000-3,000
- 1486 **Collection.** In a single Scott National album, good coverage of the Classics including Nos. 2, 14-15, 27, 70, 75-78, **12c Z Grill (85E)**, F Grills complete less the 10c, 1869 Pictorials through the 24c, range of Bank Notes, Columbians including \$1.00 and \$3.00-\$4.00, 1894-95 Bureaus largely complete, Trans-Mississippi complete to \$2.00, 1902 Issue to \$2.00, Washington-Franklins including some coils, later issues through 1980's, mixed condition on the 19th Century, overall Fine collection E. 2,000-3,000
- 1487 **Collection Balance.** Box with four albums and two stock books, one album with earlier used and unused stamps, including Nos. 1, 11 with disturbed original gum, 30-30A, 37-38, 134A (two), Columbians unused through 30c, Pan-Americans, these earlier issues very mixed condition, condition in the later issues picks up and highlighted by more than 60 certificates including some high grades (though modest SMQ values), back-of-book represented including C13 and some other graded Air Post, the stock books with some duplication of used and unused, finally a section of Revenues, overall Fine appearance with some Very Fine and Extremely Fine 20th Century E. 1,000-1,500
- 1488 **Collection.** In a Scott Album, sparsely filled with a few useful items including Kansas-Nebraska Set, some loose items and mint sheets with over \$125.00 in face, mostly Fine-Very Fine E. 400-500
- 1489 ★田 **Multiples Collection.** Substantial collection housed in three albums, essentially all multiples with plate blocks, blocks and plate strips, strong coverage from 1890's forward with a few earlier such as No. 212 imprint and plate no. strip of five, a few Columbians in blocks including 6c, wide range of 1894-95 Bureaus in various formats with several better (Scott Retail for individual multiples up to \$800.00), Pan-Americans with plate block of 2c and two blocks of 4c, 1902 Issue including blocks of 3c-6c and 8c-13c with some of these Mint N.H., Louisiana Purchase with Mint N.H. block of 5c, range of Washington-Franklins including **plate block of six of No. 500** (Scott Retail \$2,000.00), strong coverage from 1922 Issue forward including Mint N.H. \$1.00 plate block and blocks of four with plate no. of Nos. 572-573, centerline block of 573, two White Plains sheets, Presidentials plate blocks, No. 1053 plate block, back-of-book also with good coverage including Air Post C1-C6 in various multiple formats, C18 plate block, a few other back-of-book, overall a nice collection with many better and useful multiples, worth careful review, Scott Retail well over \$20,000.00..... E. 5,000-7,500
- 1490 ★★ **Modern Mostly Commemoratives.** Incl. 40 of the 1992 Columbus souvenir sheets, group of Trans-Mississippi commemorative sheets with some of just the \$1.00, few others including Pan-American Invert sheets, also two panes of 20 of \$5.00, few others, face value approximately 1,192.00
- 1491 ★★田 **Dealer's Book of Large Multiples.** Old-time dealer's book of large multiples, includes 47 copies of No. 612, four panes of No. 617 and five of No. 646, 150 copies of 647 and 76 of No. 648, also six panes of 100 of 1864b with overall tagging plus some scrap, few panes with perf shifts and one with prominent ink smear, few other shifts or tagging varieties, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, a wonderful old-time holding E. 1,000-1,500
- 1492° **Dealer's Stock Cards.** Two small glassine-size boxes of unused and used stamps on dealer's stock cards, including unused Nos. 251, 274, 288, 323-326, multiples including 247 plate block (rejoined), 463 plate block, used Nos. 90, 92, 116, 163 (2), some back-of-book including unused Special Delivery, Postage Dues, Hawaii No. 32, few other better, some faults, some Fine, owner's catalogue value \$17,373.00..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 1493 ★★ **Imperforate Multiples and Freaks.** Stock book containing hundreds of mostly Mint N.H. imperforate pairs and larger multiples, starts with No. 1058a (6 pairs and 2 strips of four) and goes on from there, better items including 1615b, 1897b, 1898Ac paste-up single (with 1990 PFC), 2135a strip of four, 2256a pair, 2260c pair, 2517a pair, 2550a strip of three, 2913 imperf strip of six with plate no. 77767, nice group of freaks including misperfed such as C25a miscut, some color missing or mostly missing, overall fresh and Fine-Very Fine, a fantastic group from an old-time dealer, just looking at this takes us back to our youth when one would walk into a stamp store and spend hours poring over which one to choose, conservatively catalogued by us at more than \$21,000.00..... E. 2,000-3,000
- 1494 ★★ **Modern Postage Lot.** Mostly 15c and higher, many in booklets, some sheets, plate blocks, and a small amount of scrap, several dollar values up to \$9.95, Fine-Very Fine, face value exceeds 900.00

END OF SALE — THANK YOU

Grading Index to Sale 1166

Bold text means highest grade awarded

Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
100J	264	867	2017 PSE 100J NH
100J	314	919	2015 PSE 100J NH
100J	314	920	2017 PSE 100J NH
100J	531	1105	2017 PSE 100J NH
100J	534	1109	2017 PSE 100J NH
100J	535	1113	2017 PSE 100J NH
100J	LO2	1254	2016 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA6	1390	2015 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA8	1391	2015 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA11c	1393	2013 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA12	1394	2013 PSE 100J NH
100J	CSA14	1395	2015 PSE 100J NH
100	15	611	2005 PSE 100 USED
100	213	809	2017 PSE 100 NH
100	320A	932	2017 PSE 100 NH
100	347	947	2017 PSE 100 NH
100	401	987	2012 PSE 100 NH
100	533	1107	2017 PSE 100 USED
100	849	1175	2017 PSE 100 NH
100	C5	1199	2017 PSE 100 NH
100	C6	1206	2017 PSE 100 NH
98J	206	804	2008 PSE 98J OGph
98J	274	872	2013 PSE 98J OGph
98J	319F	931	2017 PSE 98J NH
98J	403	989	2008 PSE 98J NH
98J	411	1011	2017 PSE 98J USED
98J	498	1078	2009 PSE 98J NH
98J	550	1118	2017 PSE 98J USED
98J	564	1125	2017 PSE 98J NH
98J	664	1165	2017 PSE 98J NH
98J	C9	1212	2016 PSE 98J NH
98J	E11b	1228	2017 PSE 98J NH
98	12	603	2008 PSE 98 USED
98	15	612	2012 PSE 98 USED
98	39	650	2017 PSE 98 NG
98	62X5	1386	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	102	713	2007 PSE 98 USED
98	160	787	2013 PSE 98 USED
98	208	805	2009 PSE 98 OGph
98	290	885	2011 PSE 98 NH
98	295	906	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	348	948	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	397	993	2007 PSE 98 NH
98	399	996	2002 PSE 98 NH
98	402	988	Enc. PSE 98 NH
98	404	990	2009 PSE 98 NH
98	455	1038	2009 PSE 98 NH
98	473	1057	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	475	1058	2004 PSE 98 NH
98	501	1081	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	505	1082	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	518	1090	2007 PSE 98 NH
98	527	1100	2006 PF 98 NH
98	542	1115	2007 PSE 98 NH

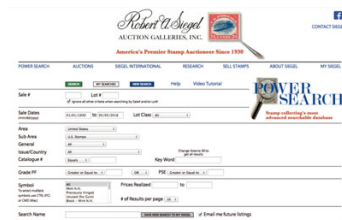
Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
98	550	1116	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	585	1142	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	C5	1200	2017 PSE 98 NH
98	C6	1207	2017 PSE 98 NH
95J	12	604	2016 PSE 95J USED
95J	26	633	2015 PSE 95J NH
95J	105	718	2005 PSE 95J OG
95J	118	751	2017 PSE 95J USED
95J	185	798	2017 PSE 95J USED
95J	233	829	2017 PSE 95J NH
95J	439	1031	2017 PSE 95J OGph
95J	509	1085	2007 PSE 95J NH
95J	515	1087	2004 PSE 95J NH
95J	528B	1103	2004 PSE 95J NH
95J	528B	1104	2017 PSE 95J NH
95J	Q10	1253	2017 PSE 95J USED
95	7	592	2015 PSE 95 USED
95	8A	596	2012 PSE 95 USED
95	9	599	2011 PSE 95 OGh
95	12	605	2009 PSE 95 USED
95	16	615	2010 PF 95 USED
			2015 PSE 95 USED
95	26	634	2008 PSE 95 USED
95	28	639	2017 PSE 95 USED
95	29	643	2015 PSE 95 USED
95	112	731	2017 PSE 95 NG
95	113	735	2007 PSE 95 USED
95	116	740	2009 PSE 95 USED
95	165	788	2010 PSE 95 NG
95	188	800	2007 PF 95 USED
95	206	803	2005 PSE 95 NH
95	213	810	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	229	1409	2007 PF 95 NH
95	236	832	2009 PSE 95 NH
95	238	834	2016 PSE 95 NH
95	256	857	2009 PSE 95 OGph
95	267a	869	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	285	881	2010 PSE 95 NH
95	286	882	2006 PSE 95 NH
95	293	895	2012 PSE 95 OGph
95	299	909	2017 PSE 95 OGph
95	308	912	2008 PSE 95 NH
95	315	923	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	396	985	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	398a	986	2007 PSE 95 NH
95	410	1010	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	534B	1110	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	E11	1227	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	J7	1414	2010 PSE 95 OGph
95	K16	1236	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	K18	1237	2017 PSE 95 NH
95	R61a	1297	2016 PSE 95 USED
95	R91a	1316	2010 PF 95 USED
95	R92a	1317	2010 PF 95 USED

Grade	Scott	Lot	Year/Service/Grade
95	RW3	1370	2005 PSE 95 NH
90J	37	649	2017 PSE 90J USED
90J	227	819	2011 PSE 90J NH
90J	228	822	2015 PSE 90J NH
90J	257	858	2017 PSE 90J NH
90	16	616	2015 PSE 90 USED
90	20	624	2017 PSE 90 OGph
90	24	632	2003 PSE 90 OGh
90	30A	644	2017 PF 90 OGph
90	41	654	2008 PSE 90 NGAI
90	92	705	2017 PSE 90 USED
90	113	736	2017 PSE 90 USED
90	116	741	2007 PSE 90 USED
90	120	753	2016 PSE 90 NG
90	123	761	2017 PSE 90 USED
90	179	794	2017 PF 90 OGph
90	228	823	2006 PSE 90 NH
90	233	830	2003 PSE 90 NH
90	235	831	2012 PF 90 NH
90	241	842	2017 PSE 90 USED
90	243	846	2017 PSE 90 OGph
90	269	871	2015 PF 90 NH
90	274	873	2015 PF 90 NH
90	292	889	2017 PSE 90 OGph
90	312	915	2011 PF 90 OGph
90	327	935	2015 PF 90 NH
90	369	972	2007 PSE 90 NH
90	369	973	2017 PSE 90 NH
90	380	975	2005 PSE 90 NH
90	396	984	2017 PF 90 NH
90	399	997	2017 PSE 90 NH
90	404	1005	2017 PSE 90 DOG
90	420	1016	2008 PSE 90 NH
90	421	1017	2004 PSE 90 NH
90	422	1019	2012 PF 90 NH
90	430	1028	2007 PSE 90 NH
90	460	1045	2013 PSE 90 NH
90	464	1048	2005 PSE 90 NH
90	467	1051	2017 PSE 90 NH
90	467	1050	2012 PF 90 OGph
90	469	1056	2012 PF 90 NH
90	O94	1244	2017 PSE 90 NGAI
90	R99a	1332	2003 PSE 90 USED
85	69	675	2011 PSE 85 NG
85	96	708	2013 PSE 85 USED
85	113	732	2017 PSE 85 OGph
85	244	849	2016 PSE 85 OGh
85	292	891	2006 PF 85 OGph
85	293	894	2017 PSE 85 NH
85	294a	901	2017 PSE 85 OGh
85	456	1040	2017 PSE 85 USED
85	C14	1221	2015 PF 85 NH
80	113	733	2017 PSE 80 OGph
80	359	961	2010 PF 80 OG

Resources @ siegelauctions.com

CATALOGUES AND PRICES REALIZED

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

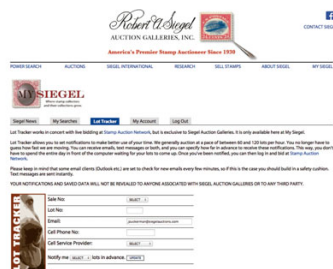


POWER SEARCH™

Search by Scott number or keyword through all of the sales at our website. The best resource in philately for research.

MY SIEGEL™

Save your Power Searches as want lists. We will automatically notify you when a match is included in an upcoming sale, whether it's as broad as any Columbian issue, or as narrow as a 241 graded 98. The most powerful want list in philately.

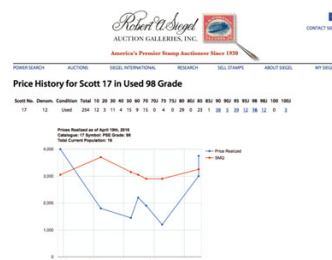


LOT TRACKER™

Never miss another lot because you were away from your computer. Log into My Siegel™, then set up notifications to get texts and/or emails 10-30 lots before yours comes up (live bidding is still through Stamp Auction Network).

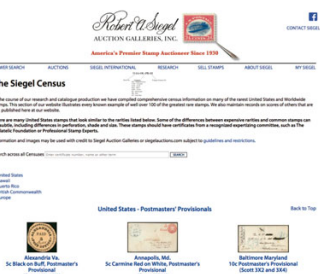
CENSUS DATA FOR RARITIES

The up-to-date census data for U.S. and select International rarities are a valuable resource for buyers, sellers and researchers. Every recorded example of almost 150 different rare stamps is described and, in most cases, photographed.



GRADED PRICE HISTORY

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



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

Live Internet Bidding at Siegel Auctions

BIDDING FROM YOUR COMPUTER LETS YOU BE PART OF THE LIVE AUCTION FROM ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD!

There's **NO SUBSTITUTE** for following the auction in real time.
Live Internet Bidding lets you bid and buy as though you were right there in the saleroom.
And it's easy.

This step-by-step guide will instruct you how to register, set your browser and use the bidding interface.

Start by following the simple steps to become a registered Live Internet Bidder.
Once you've been approved for bidding, you can listen to the auction and place bids with the click of a mouse.

Registering with STAMP AUCTION NETWORK & SIEGEL AUCTION GALLERIES

Live Internet Bidding is managed by Stamp Auction Network (SAN).
To bid, you must be registered and approved by *both* SAN and Siegel.
To decide what you need to do, choose the description below that best fits you.



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

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

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

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

Then you just need to be approved by Siegel. Go to stampauctionnetwork.com/siegel and click on "Update Registration" at the top. Your SAN account information will be sent to us for approval (you might be asked for other trade references). Once approved by Siegel for bidding, you're ready for internet bidding.

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

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

Live Internet Bidding works by allowing registered bidders to observe and place bids.

Live Internet Bidding will work with any browser on both PC and Mac operating systems.

Before bidding by internet for the first time, we recommend finding a sale in progress and listening to the public broadcast or logging in as a registered bidder. This will help you develop a feel for the sale tempo and bidding interface.

Log on to the auction at stampauctionnetwork.com

When you're logged on as a Live Internet Bidder, the bidding interface shows a photo and description of the lot, the current bid (and your bidding status), options for placing competitive bids and buttons with bid increments.

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



"System Down" or "Lost Connection" events do occasionally happen.

If you have any problems with Live Internet Bidding please call **212-753-6421** for immediate assistance.



BIDS

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

Sale 1166

October 24-26, 2017

PADDLE #

1

Please provide the following information:

NAME

ADDRESS

CITY/STATE/ZIP

PHONE MOBILE

EMAIL

2

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

STAMP FIRM PHONE

STAMP FIRM PHONE

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

3

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

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

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

4

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

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

SIGNED DATE

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



Additional Bids

Sale 1166

October 24-26, 2017

PADDLE #

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

Shipping & Insurance

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

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

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

Standard Shipping Charges

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

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

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

2/2015

Bidding Increments

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

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

PRICES REALIZED FOR SALE 1166---10/24/2017

United States Stamps

Robert A. Siegel Auction Galleries, Inc.
6 West 48th Street, 9th Floor, New York, NY 10036
Tel (212) 753-6421 Fax stamps@siegelauctions.com

Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized
501	275	543	450	585	3,250	629	2,550	671	1,400	713	5,750	756	250	799	130
502	400	544	400	586	2,600	630	1,000	672	375	714	1,700	757	1,100	800	275
503	1,500	545	650	587	1,700	631	400	673	2,800	715	1,200	758	450	801	325
504	650	546	2,000	588	2,400	632	425	674	700	716	2,500	759	8,500	803	1,400
505	2,500	547	3,000	589	2,100	633	2,300	675	600	717	1,300	760	1,600	804	450
506	750	548	2,300	590	750	634	275	676	8,000	718	5,250	761	750	805	6,750
507	275	549	400	591	3,250	635	225	677	775	719	1,600	762	200	806	1,800
508	350	550	350	592	700	636	550	678	3,000	720	650	763	1,500	807	300
509	225	551	210	593	325	637	160	679	2,300	721	850	764	850	808	2,600
510	425	552	475	595	700	638	450	680	1,100	722	2,000	765	700	809	4,500
511	3,250	553	300	596	3,500	639	8,000	681	2,600	723	5,250	766	2,400	810	850
512	275	554	300	597	225	640	600	682	750	724	2,600	767	1,000	811	475
513	375	555	190	598	550	641	550	683	2,900	725	650	768	600	812	650
514	600	556	225	599	1,600	642	450	684	425	725A	2,000	769	400	813	475
515	1,900	557	190	600	250	643	3,250	685	1,100	726	1,300	770	700	814	700
516	225	558	500	602	7,500	644	3,750	686	1,600	727	2,200	771	650	815	250
517	700	559	180	603	2,700	645	275	687	300	728	2,200	772	1,700	816	550
518	900	560	1,100	604	4,750	646	600	688	450	729	3,000	773	950	817	375
519	500	561	1,100	605	950	647	850	689	325	730	1,400	774	1,200	818	375
520	650	562	225	606	300	648	550	690	225	731	700	775	1,900	819	1,200
521	550	563	550	607	325	649	1,300	691	3,000	732	700	776	1,500	821	1,500
522	2,200	564	500	608	850	650	2,900	692	650	733	1,400	777	2,100	822	2,600
523	700	565	375	609	700	651	1,200	693	250	734	300	778	1,500	823	1,800
524	475	566	275	610	550	652	6,250	694	650	735	950	780	800	824	550
525	300	567	225	611	2,400	653	350	695	1,000	736	150	781	375	825	275
526	950	568	250	612	900	654	4,000	696	750	737	375	782	4,000	826	350
527	2,600	569	1,700	613	180	655	4,750	697	325	738	325	783	375	827	225
528	160	570	10,500	614	10,000	656	2,900	698	700	739	225	784	1,300	828	750
529	325	571	700	615	4,750	657	325	699	325	741	275	785	850	829	1,100
530	700	572	750	616	2,000	658	400	700	850	742	200	786	425	830	225
531	450	573	650	617	650	659	1,700	701	950	743	350	787	1,400	831	300
532	375	574	650	618	1,200	660	1,800	702	850	744	190	788	2,600	832	1,100
533	6,750	575	500	619	325	661	1,600	703	950	745	150	789	250	833	300
534	1,800	576	450	620	550	662	2,200	704	4,500	746	160	790	9,000	834	4,500
535	900	577	350	621	4,750	663	2,800	705	1,800	747	3,500	791	7,000	835	650
536	575	578	450	622	1,600	664	1,600	706	1,300	748	950	792	2,800	836	600
537	350	579	650	623	1,500	665	600	707	500	749	700	793	7,500	837	170
538	450	580	350	624	3,000	666	1,700	708	350	750	450	794	3,750	838	375
539	325	581	300	625	2,400	667	2,800	709	170	752	1,300	795	700	839	90
540	275	582	950	626	2,100	668	850	710	1,800	753	2,900	796	120	840	900
541	475	583	800	627	3,000	669	1,200	711	160	754	550	797	275	841	500
542	225	584	700	628	650	670	350	712	180	755	1,700	798	400	842	700

PRICES REALIZED FOR SALE 1166---10/24/2017

United States Stamps

Robert A. Siegel Auction Galleries, Inc.
6 West 48th Street, 9th Floor, New York, NY 10036
Tel (212) 753-6421 Fax stamps@siegelauctions.com

Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized
843	350	886	400	929	750	972	325	1015	350	1057	1,500	1100	1,500
844	400	887	375	930	3,750	973	350	1016	325	1058	2,600	1101	950
845	1,900	888	130	931	1,400	974	500	1017	1,300	1059	400	1103	425
846	3,500	889	2,000	932	1,200	975	375	1018	375	1060	400	1104	450
847	850	890	1,500	933	425	976	850	1019	325	1061	600	1105	225
848	400	891	1,200	934	600	977	425	1020	425	1062	700	1106	250
849	2,300	892	475	935	750	978	5,000	1021	950	1063	650	1107	650
850	600	893	2,600	936	275	979	600	1022	1,600	1064	475	1108	475
851	475	894	9,000	937	450	980	3,250	1023	375	1065	425	1109	160
852	1,100	895	6,000	938	350	982	12,000	1024	475	1066	475	1111	2,300
853	1,100	896	1,500	939	475	983	550	1025	1,100	1067	325	1112	650
854	1,500	897	700	940	450	984	2,100	1026	500	1068	10,500	1113	160
855	950	898	1,300	941	250	985	850	1027	700	1069	400	1114	2,600
856	300	899	950	942	375	986	13,000	1028	325	1070	325	1115	750
857	400	900	42,500	943	1,200	987	5,000	1029	375	1071	2,000	1116	2,000
858	1,100	902	3,000	944	450	988	3,500	1030	325	1072	3,500	1117	800
859	350	903	36,000	945	400	989	10,000	1031	600	1073	4,750	1118	1,200
860	1,100	904	475	946	415	990	10,000	1032	375	1074	1,400	1119	2,900
861	600	905	275	947	275	991	950	1033	425	1075	550	1120	325
862	800	906	900	948	800	992	500	1034	500	1076	600	1121	1,700
863	650	907	375	949	650	993	400	1035	2,900	1077	1,200	1122	1,900
864	500	908	450	950	550	994	1,300	1036	500	1078	500	1123	550
865	700	909	800	951	1,200	995	90	1037	130	1079	350	1124	700
866	1,600	910	200	952	700	996	750	1038	350	1080	275	1125	350
867	4,000	911	500	953	300	997	180	1039	375	1081	475	1126	800
868	225	912	500	954	300	998	3,000	1040	3,000	1082	2,900	1127	1,800
869	850	913	400	956	500	999	800	1041	275	1083	950	1128	1,600
870	5,000	914	950	957	275	1000	850	1042	400	1084	475	1129	900
871	275	915	1,100	958	850	1001	300	1043	375	1085	200	1130	500
872	1,300	916	450	959	3,250	1002	700	1044	250	1086	750	1131	1,050
873	700	917	350	960	8,500	1003	475	1045	1,600	1087	400	1132	1,300
875	600	918	700	961	1,400	1004	500	1046	1,500	1088	300	1133	325
876	550	919	650	962	1,200	1005	500	1047	900	1089	450	1134	1,700
877	450	920	1,100	963	900	1006	4,000	1048	225	1090	550	1135	1,000
878	950	921	275	964	15,000	1007	1,300	1049	250	1092	425	1136	250
879	350	922	625	965	6,250	1008	600	1050	850	1093	300	1137	850
880	350	923	600	966	2,100	1009	225	1051	1,200	1094	550	1138	600
881	700	924	850	967	1,800	1010	225	1052	1,300	1095	300	1139	750
882	850	925	550	968	1,100	1011	1,400	1053	950	1096	1,400	1140	300
883	650	926	550	969	650	1012	190	1054	625	1097	350	1141	500
884	350	927	425	970	2,100	1013	750	1055	700	1098	500	1142	550
885	15,000	928	850	971	650	1014	140	1056	425	1099	1,200	1146	2,000
												1190	500

PRICES REALIZED FOR SALE 1166---10/24/2017

United States Stamps

Robert A. Siegel Auction Galleries, Inc.
6 West 48th Street, 9th Floor, New York, NY 10036
Tel (212) 753-6421 Fax stamps@siegelauctions.com

Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized	Lot#	Realized
1191	375	1233	700	1276	275	1320	350	1365	3,000	1408	275	1450	4,000
1192	700	1234	650	1277	700	1321	500	1366	2,600	1409	475	1451	4,250
1193	425	1235	400	1278	170	1322	130	1367	4,000	1410	375	1452	3,500
1194	400	1236	7,500	1279	500	1323	400	1368	2,800	1411	6,500	1453	2,500
1195	900	1237	1,100	1280	350	1324	190	1370	550	1412	1,500	1454	2,150
1196	600	1238	325	1281	650	1325	150	1371	1,500	1413	1,000	1456	225
1197	500	1239	250	1282	140	1326	190	1372	1,200	1414	275	1457	500
1198	500	1240	300	1283	325	1327	200	1373	425	1415	1,600	1458	1,800
1199	8,500	1241	1,800	1285	325	1329	4,750	1374	850	1416	1,100	1459	2,900
1200	1,200	1242	600	1286	750	1330	1,100	1375	225	1417	700	1460	11,500
1201	500	1243	500	1287	550	1331	425	1376	4,250	1418	3,500	1461	3,250
1202	625	1244	7,000	1288	300	1333	700	1377	8,000	1419	4,250	1462	4,750
1203	425	1245	425	1289	550	1334	300	1378	2,500	1420	3,750	1463	3,750
1204	400	1246	700	1290	160	1335	2,500	1379	2,600	1421	1,800	1464	3,250
1205	650	1247	375	1291	1,000	1336	1,300	1380	4,750	1422	2,300	1465	3,500
1206	3,250	1248	325	1292	1,900	1337	325	1381	2,100	1423	2,100	1466	3,500
1207	800	1249	12,500	1293	1,100	1339	325	1382	350	1424	2,100	1467	3,000
1208	700	1250	750	1294	600	1340	225	1383	475	1425	2,800	1468	1,400
1209	425	1251	1,100	1295	650	1341	325	1384	850	1426	325	1469	1,000
1210	1,100	1252	1,200	1296	4,500	1342	140	1385	2,100	1427	7,000	1470	2,400
1211	500	1253	500	1297	600	1343	850	1386	700	1428	6,750	1471	2,300
1212	200	1254	325	1298	180	1344	200	1387	425	1429	2,700	1472	550
1213	1,100	1255	650	1299	225	1345	180	1388	300	1430	450	1473	850
1214	700	1256	1,900	1300	375	1346	900	1389	400	1431	1,300	1474	2,700
1215	650	1257	425	1301	650	1347	550	1390	375	1432	1,400	1475	1,600
1216	650	1258	26,000	1302	160	1348	4,500	1391	800	1433	250	1476	7,000
1217	750	1259	400	1303	500	1349	10,500	1392	400	1434	500	1477	550
1218	550	1260	950	1304	6,250	1350	350	1393	475	1435	5,750	1478	1,000
1219	3,000	1261	1,100	1305	2,500	1351	475	1394	850	1436	2,500	1479	750
1220	750	1262	500	1306	650	1352	700	1395	1,500	1437	2,100	1480	375
1221	425	1263	650	1307	500	1353	2,400	1396	130	1438	4,250	1481	6,000
1222	425	1264	3,000	1309	140	1354	1,900	1397	750	1439	4,750	1482	15,500
1223	185	1265	2,800	1310	2,100	1355	950	1398	650	1440	5,750	1483	3,750
1224	1,500	1266	2,100	1311	2,800	1356	800	1399	600	1441	1,300	1484	7,500
1225	225	1267	1,800	1312	140	1357	350	1400	375	1442	550	1485	5,000
1226	1,000	1268	850	1313	850	1358	425	1401	450	1443	1,800	1486	5,500
1227	225	1269	4,750	1314	225	1359	400	1402	650	1444	150	1487	2,000
1228	1,400	1270	8,000	1315	150	1360	750	1403	800	1445	160	1488	550
1229	325	1271	5,500	1316	425	1361	850	1404	800	1446	170	1489	12,000
1230	750	1272	2,100	1317	1,000	1362	3,000	1405	1,900	1447	85,000	1490	750
1231	500	1273	550	1318	275	1363	2,600	1406	225	1448	55,000	1491	1,200
1232	500	1274	700	1319	1,700	1364	9,500	1407	160	1449	5,250	1492	1,400