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## Cardboard Plate Proofs

From the sets of 500 each of the prior issues  
printed in the five indicated years by the  
American Bank Note Co. for Congressional distribution.

1879 .0133



1885 .0095



1890 .0120



1895 Early .0110



1895 Late .0125

Year of issue determined by card thickness.  
Indicated to one ten-thousandth of an inch.