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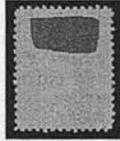
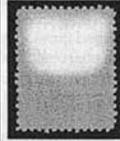
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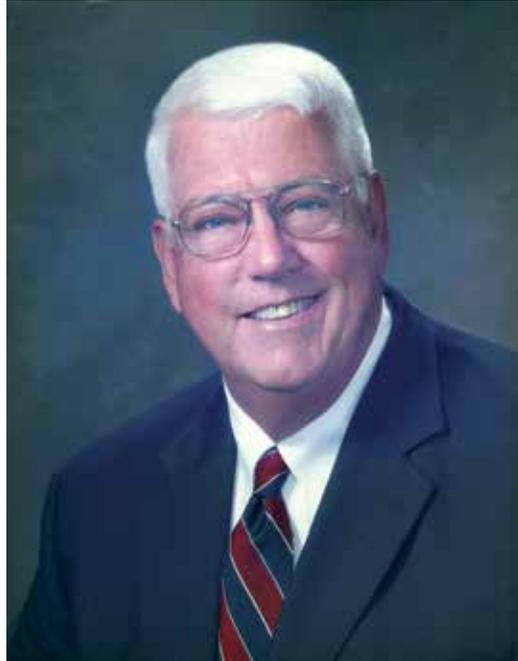
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Carlton B. Crenshaw

Carlton Crenshaw is a man whose accomplishments would overshadow most. He is one of those “larger-than-life” folks whose dedication to others never took a backseat. Maintaining his kind and gentle side, he strove to help others by utilizing his success. Earning a graduate degree from NYU in one year, first in his class, was one of the lofty goals he set and achieved. He later assisted with the NYU Stern MBA program, again giving back more than he received. He was a Bronze Star recipient for his service as a Marine in Vietnam, and an accomplished businessman, starting at the Sperry Corporation and becoming a corporate officer in just three years’ time. During his last 20 years in business, he was CFO for three companies, two of which he helped to take public. One of the gems he shared with us: “The most important lesson that I have learned in business is to never give up and keep moving forward. Every day is not perfect. If you can learn one new thing every day, that will really help you. You face many challenges that you have to overcome. Perseverance is a great concept and word.”

Carlton started collecting stamps at the age of 8. He would acquire them any way he could and shared that he would “dumpster-dive”, searching through trash cans and dumpsters to get stamps until he had the money to start buying them. He has even gotten one of his granddaughters interested in collecting. He formed several collections and, as they got close to completion, would sell them allowing others to enjoy them as he did.

Carlton is the founder of the Marine Corps League in Charlottesville, VA and was one of the founders of the Marine Corps Museum in Woodbridge, VA.

It is a great pleasure to be entrusted to bring his last collection of Quality United States Singles, both used and mint, to market. He was ever so proud of his coil issues, which are especially nice. Please enjoy this collection, as Carlton would want you to.

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UNITED STATES 1847 ISSUE

1001 ○ **1847, 5¢ red brown (Scott 1)**, fresh and clean four-margined example with solid, subdued color and a cleanly struck blue grid cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,750. Scott Stamp Values \$1,350. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1002

1002 ○ **1847, 10¢ black (Scott 2)**, fresh with robust color and lightly struck red grid cancel, wonderfully centered amid large, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1991 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,300. Scott \$850. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1003

1851 ISSUE

1003 ○ **1851, 1¢ blue, type II (Scott 7)**, a true jumbo in striking color and razor-sharp detail, with gargantuan lateral margins and town cancels essentially face-free, Superb, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 P.F. and 2015 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$3,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,100 as a "98". Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1004

1004 ○

1851, 1¢ blue, type III (Scott 8), position 61L4, a beauty with intense color, clean impression and four full, balanced margins; town postmark face-free, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$4,750. Scott \$1,650. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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1005



**ONE OF JUST THREE 98J-GRADED 1851 1¢ TYPE IIIA FRANKLINS
(SCOTT #8A, PLATE 4)**

- 1005** ○ **1851, 1¢ blue, type IIIa, plate 4 (Scott 8A var.)**, position 86L4, immaculate and sound, a superlative jumbo with impeccable color, detail and freshness, capturing substantial portions of adjoining stamps at sides; Missouri postmarks essentially face-free, Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of just three stamps to attain this summit grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$16,250. Scott Stamp Values \$9,000 as a "98". Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000

(photo on front cover)



1006

1006 ○

1852, 1¢ blue, type IV (Scott 9), position 88L1L, a sound, fresh jumbo with exceptional color and clarity and full to oversized margins all around; New York town postmarks, Superb, with 2004 P.F. (strip of three, this position 2) and 2020 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$1,900. Scott Stamp Values \$1,250 as a “98”. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1007 ○

1851, 3¢ orange brown, type II (Scott 10A), right margin single, fresh with radiant color and crisp impression, the margins capturing framelines of stamps above and below, the selvage capturing double-line divider at edge; all complemented by rich red grid cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, ex Gavula, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,100. Scott Stamp Values \$1,125. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



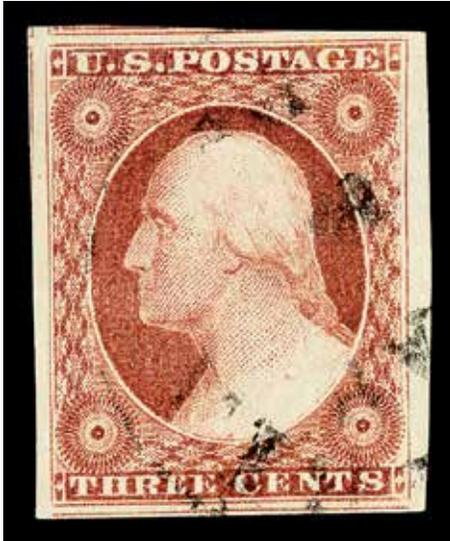
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1008 ○

1852, 3¢ dull red, type II (Scott 11A), a stellar example, looking like it was printed yesterday on gleaming white paper; sound with black c.d.s., Superb, with two 2006 P.S.E. certificates graded SUP 98, one as #11 (corrected in manuscript to #11A). SMQ **SUP 98**; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$500. Estimate \$500 - 750



1009

1009 ○

1851-52, 3¢ brownish carmine, type II (Scott 11A var.), a beauty with captivating color and crisp impression, centering superior amid jumbo margins; postmark faintly struck and face-free, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2016 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$375 as normal. Scott Stamp Values \$225 as a “95”. Estimate \$300 - 400

1010 ○

1856, 5¢ red brown (Scott 12), a stunner with deep, rich color and sharp detail, beautifully centered amid margins bordering on the jumbo; town postmark unobtrusive, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1989 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,100. Scott \$750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1010



1011

1011 ○

1855, 10¢ green, type I (Scott 13), a sound four-margined example, fresh with intense color and clean impression, with both black and red cancels, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,500. Scott Stamp Values \$2,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1012

1012 ○

1855, 10¢ green, type II (Scott 14), Post Office fresh with bright color and clear impression, wonderfully centered on like-new paper capturing portion of ornaments at left; New Orleans postmark, Superb, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$1,200. Scott Stamp Values \$1,150. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1013 ○

1855, 10¢ green, type III (Scott 15), sound with mathematical centering amid near-jumbo margins, with fresh color and impression and New Orleans Apr. 1 c.d.s. and traces of red cancels, Superb, ex Gavula, with 1991 & 2001 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the last graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$1,250. Scott Stamp Values \$1,300. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



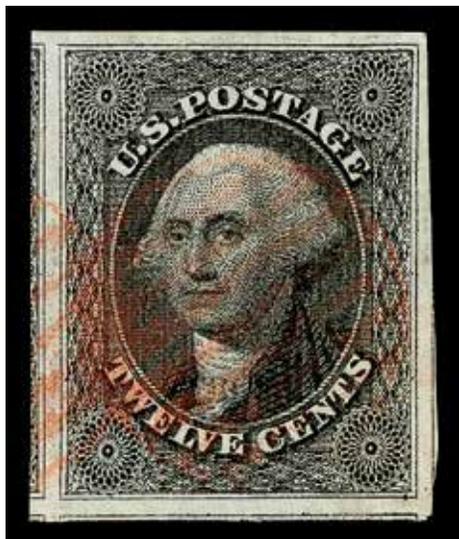
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- 1014 ○ **1855, 10¢ green, type IV, recut at bottom (Scott 16 var.),** position 54L1, a beauty with captivatingly deep, rich color and mathematical centering, sound with face-free town postmarks, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 and 2020 P.S.E. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$6,750 unplaced. Scott Stamp Values \$6,500 unplaced. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500



1015

1015 ○

1851, 12¢ gray black (Scott 17), with sharp detail in rich, deep color, wonderfully centered amid full margins of white capturing portions of three adjacent stamps with lightly struck red circular grid cancels, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,150. Scott Stamp Values \$1,050. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

1857 ISSUE

1016 ○

1861, 1¢ blue, type I (Scott 18), Post Office fresh with rich, bright color and superior centering on bright white paper, sound with double-ring town postmark, Extremely Fine, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2000 P.F. and 2019 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,600. Scott Stamp Values \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1016



1017

1017 ○

1857, 1¢ blue, type II (Scott 20 var.), plate 11, a lovely stamp with intense color and balanced centering, sound with bold black circular grid cancel, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ **XF 90**; \$850. Scott \$750. Estimate \$600 - 800

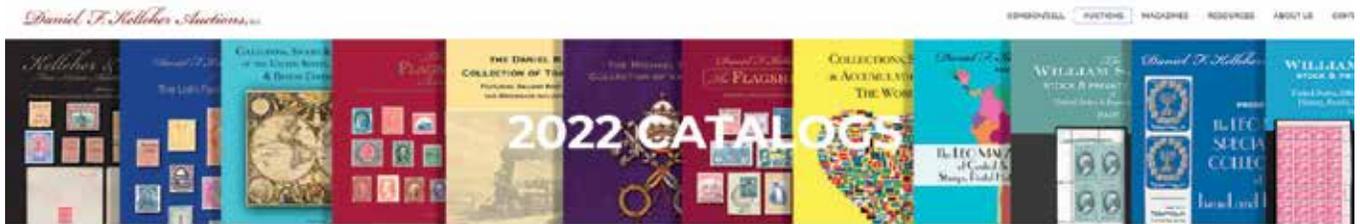


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1018 ○ 1857, 1¢ blue, type II (Scott 20 var.), Relief A, Plate 12, position 3L12, sound with luxuriant color and sensational centering; town postmark face-free, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, *PSE's Population Report* recording only three stamps at this apex grade, with 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,400. Scott Stamp Values \$3,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

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1019

1019 ○

1857, 1¢ blue, type III (Scott 21), position 15L4, Post Office fresh with robust color and full ornamentation, wonderfully centered on pristine paper; black c.d.s. and red transit cancel, Extremely Fine, *only nine 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1994 P.F., 2004 P.S.E. and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter two each graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,500. Scott \$1,350. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1020

1020 ○

1857, 1¢ blue, type IIIa (Scott 22), crisply printed in intense color with clear lines, sound and bright with lightly struck, essentially face-free double-ring town postmark, Extremely Fine, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,825. Scott Stamp Values \$1,750. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1021

1021 ○

1857, 1¢ blue, type IV (Scott 23 var.), recut twice at top and once at bottom (position 77L1L penciled on most recent certificate), sound and crisply printed in alluring color with full ornamentation and type characteristics visible, beautifully centered on lily-white paper with unobtrusive town postmarks, Extremely Fine, *only four 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.F. and P.S.E., plus 2012 & 2016 P.F. certificates, the P.S.E. and 2016 P.F. each graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,150 unplayed. Scott Stamp Values \$2,750 unplayed. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1022

1022 ○

1857, 1¢ blue, type V (Scott 24), attractive with full ornamentation (some lightly printed) and boldly colored vignette, all mathematically centered on bright paper with a double-ring town postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$825. Scott Stamp Values \$825. Estimate \$600 - 800



1023

1023 ○

1857, 3¢ rose, type I (Scott 25), fresh and sound with rich color and crisp detail; partial town postmark cleanly struck, Extremely Fine, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,350. Scott Stamp Values \$1,200.
Estimate \$800 - 1,200

1024 ○

1857, 3¢ dull red, type III (Scott 26), exceptionally centered and bright with sharp detail and partial blue grid cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2010 P.S.E. and 2011 P.F. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350



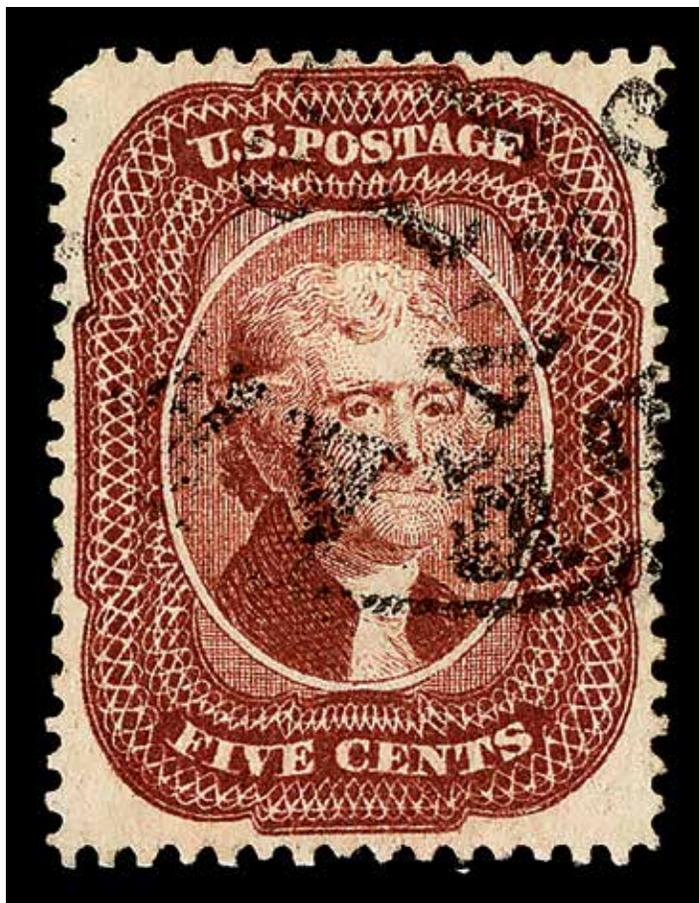
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- 1025 ○ 1858, 5¢ brick red, type I (Scott 27), fresh and sound with radiant color, superior centering, and postmark just grazing jaw line, Extremely Fine, *only seven 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1989 and 2007 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$5,100. Scott Stamp Values \$4,250. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1026

1026 ○

1857, 5¢ red brown, type I (Scott 28), captivating example with immense color depth and clarity, sound with clear margins all around and New Orleans postmark, Extremely Fine, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1995 and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$3,250. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1027

1027 ○

1858, 5¢ Indian red, type I (Scott 28A), position 23R1, a lovely four-margined example with fiery, rich color and near-mathematical centering, Extremely Fine, *only seven stamps grade thus, with just a single 95 higher*, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 1999 (strip of three, this position 2) and 2007 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$8,000. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000



1028

1028 ○

1859, 5¢ brown, type I (Scott 29), a stunner with crisp color and sharp detail, magnificently centered on lily-white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2023 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$4,500. Scott Stamp Values \$4,250. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1029

1029 ○

1860, 5¢ brown, type II (Scott 30A), an appealing stamp prettier than its grade, Post Office fresh and sound with bold color, clear with clean May 13 blue town postmark, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$825. Scott \$425. Estimate \$500 - 750

1031 ○

1857, 10¢ green, type II (Scott 32), a superlative example with bold color and clean impression, sound and mathematically centered with a c.d.s. cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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1032 ○

1857, 10¢ green, type III (Scott 33), a sensational beauty with exceptional color depth and clarity, sound and bright with near-perfectly balanced margins and a light c.d.s. cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2002 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,000. Scott Stamp Values \$3,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1030

1030 ○

1857, 10¢ green, type I (Scott 31), Post Office fresh with deep, rich color and superior centering, segmented cork cancel boldly struck, Extremely Fine, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$4,750. Scott Stamp Values \$4,250.

Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1033

1033 ○

1859, 10¢ green, type V (Scott 35), beautifully centered with fulsome color and light town postmark plus additional spot of canceling ink in right margin, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1991 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$525. Scott Stamp Values \$550.
Estimate \$400 - 600



1034

1034 ○

1859, 12¢ black, plate III (Scott 36B), a striking stamp, flawlessly printed and centered with wide-spaced black grill cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only a single 98 grades higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1999 P.F. and 2015 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000.
Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1035

1035 ○

1860, 24¢ gray lilac (Scott 37), fresh and sound with wonderful color and centering, the red grid cancel a pretty complement, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$4,000. Scott Stamp Values \$3,750.

Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1036

1036 ○

1860, 30¢ orange (Scott 38), with exceptional centering and bold, rich, unblemished color, sound with a New Orleans c.d.s., Extremely Fine, with 1994 P.F. and 2003 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,200. Scott \$500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1037

1037 ○

1860, 90¢ blue (Scott 39), a stellar example with intense color and deep lines, mathematically centered with a black circular grid cancel; small thin at top, top left corner repaired, Extremely Fine appearance, with 2020 Crowe certificate. Scott \$10,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1861 PREMIERE GRAVURES



1038

- 1038 ○ 1861, 10¢ dark green, First Design (Scott 62B), a dazzling stamp with striking color depth and nearly proof-like presentation, sound with black circular grid cancel and superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade thus, with just two 95s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1997, 2003 and 2012 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$4,750. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



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1861-1866 ISSUE

1039 ○ **1861, 1¢ blue (Scott 63)**, an attention-grabber with bright, deep color and mathematical centering, sound and fresh with black circular grid cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$550. Scott Stamp Values \$575. Estimate \$400 - 600



1040

1040 ○ **1861, 3¢ pink (Scott 64)**, clearly printed in rich, clean color, sound with centering prettier than its grade, neatly duplex-cancelled, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade thus, with just two 95s higher; in PSE's Population Report*, with 1996 AND 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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1041 ○ **1861, 3¢ rose (Scott 65)**, the picture of perfection, with bold detail in clear color, sound and bright with mathematical centering and a light socked-on-the-nose target cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$275. Estimate \$350 - 500



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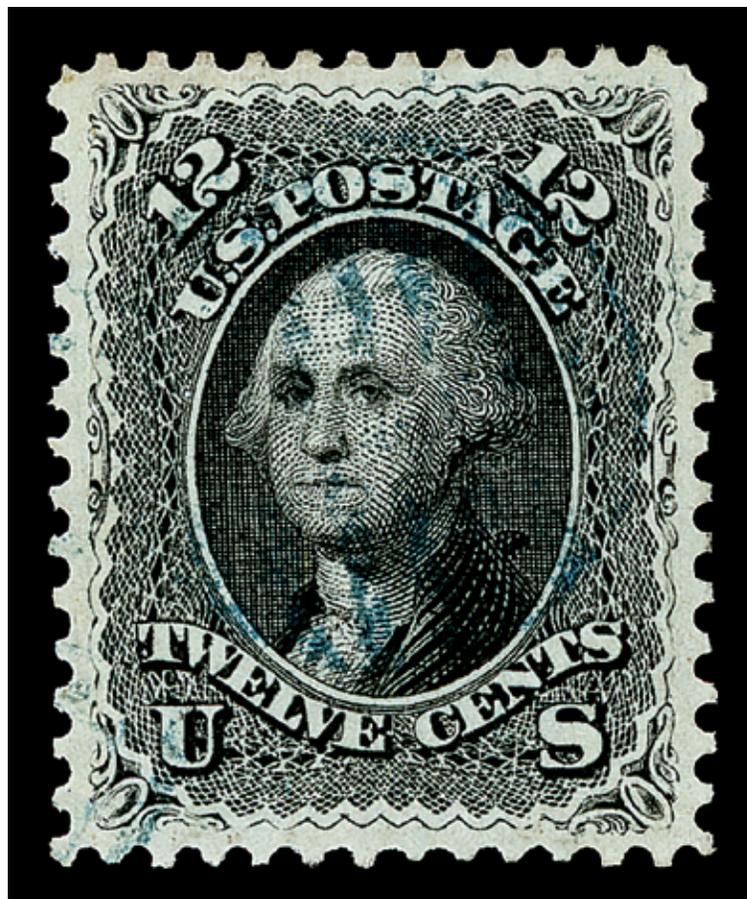
1861, 5¢ brown yellow (Scott 67a), fresh and wonderfully bright with vivid color and pristine paper, sound with red grid cancel, Extremely Fine, *only three 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,750. Scott \$1,160.
Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

1043 ○

1861, 10¢ green (Scott 68), a Post Office fresh gem, flawlessly printed in crisp color with sharp detail, mathematically centered amid jumbo margins and with a partial New York postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just three stamps at this grade, with only three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$1,400. Scott Stamp Values \$750 as a "95".
Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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1044 ○

1861, 12¢ black (Scott 69), a beauty with proof-like presentation, beautifully centered on immaculate paper with a lightly struck blue grid cancel, Superb, *only five 98Js grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,850. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1045

1045 ○

1862, 24¢ red lilac (Scott 70), clean impression in bold color, nicely centered on bright fault-free paper with socked-on-the-nose grid cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2012 and 2019 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,100. Scott Stamp Values \$1,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1046 ○

1861, 30¢ orange (Scott 71), a lovely stamp with deep, clean color, clear detail, and rarely encountered centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just six stamps at this grade, with only four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,250. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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- 1047 ○ **1861, 90¢ blue (Scott 72)**, pristine and sound with bold color and Boston “PAID” in grid cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2003 P.F. and 2014 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,250. Scott Stamp Values \$4,500. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1048

1048 ○

1863, 2¢ black (Scott 73), a beauty with robust color, deep lines and red circle-of-wedges cancel, all set within magnificent jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with just three 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$1,300. Scott Stamp Values \$750 as a "95". Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1049 ○

1862, 5¢ red brown (Scott 75), sound with rich, warm color and superior centering on like-new paper; San Francisco cogwheel fancy cancels, Extremely Fine, *only seven 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1966 & 2000 P.F. and 2020 Crowe certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,000. Scott \$425. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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1050 ○

1863, 5¢ brown (Scott 76), beautifully centered with deep color and sharp lines, sound with blue target cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,400. Scott Stamp Values \$1,400. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1051

1051 ○

1866, 15¢ black (Scott 77), Post Office fresh with bold color on bright white paper, wonderfully centered with circle-of-wedges cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2003 and 2011 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$500. Scott \$225. Estimate \$350 - 500

1052 ○

1863, 24¢ lilac (Scott 78), looking like it was printed yesterday, with fresh color and clean impression on bright white paper; partial circle-of-wedges cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$950. Scott \$425. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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1867 GRILLED ISSUE

1053 ○

1867, 3¢ rose, C. grill (Scott 83), eye-catching with pastel color and superior centering, lightly cancelled bringing grill into sharp relief, Extremely Fine, *only three stamps grade thus, a single 95 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,500. Scott \$1,150. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1054

- 1054 ○ 1867, 2¢ black, D. grill (Scott 84), sound and bright with proof-like presentation and segmented cork cancel in premium blue; clear grill impression on back, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only four stamps recorded at this grade, with seven higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1980 (pair, this position 1), 2005 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the last graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$8,750+. Scott \$4,250. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000



1055

1055 ○

1867, 3¢ rose, D. grill (Scott 85), fresh with deep color and clear impression, the quartered cork cancel highlighting grill, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade thus, with just five higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1976 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,000. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1056 ○

1867, 2¢ black, Z. grill (Scott 85B), a top-notch stamp with outstanding color, clarity and freshness, the grill lightly face-visible, the cancel completely face-free, Extremely Fine, with 1997 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,500. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



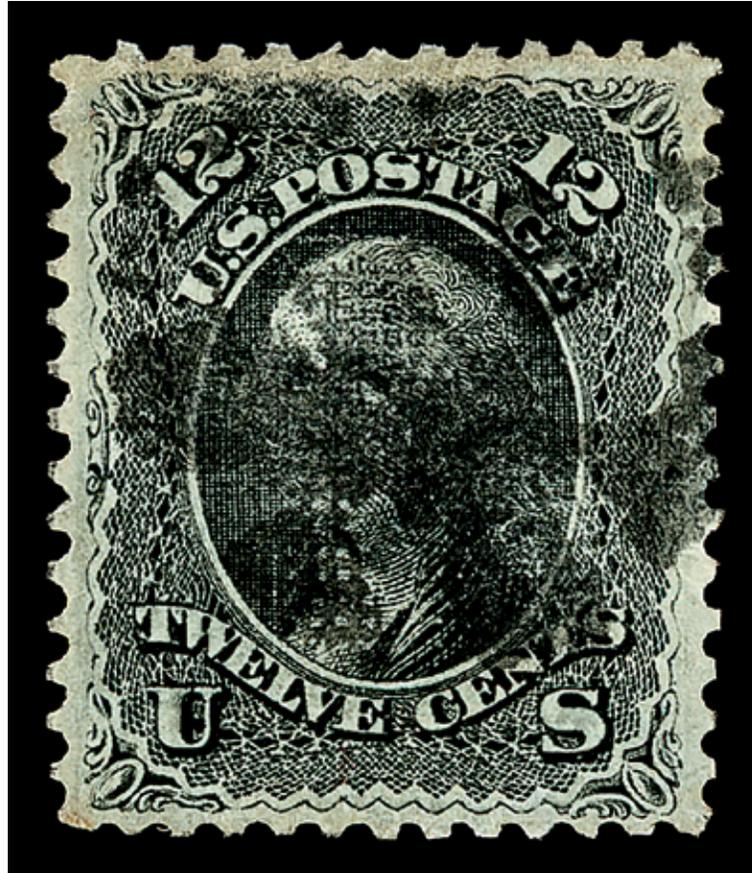
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1057 ○

1867, 3¢ rose, Z. grill (Scott 85C), fresh and clean with strong color and face-visible grill; straightline pen cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only two stamps grade thus, with seven higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$4,750. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1058

1058 ○

1867, 12¢ intense black, Z. grill (Scott 85E), fresh with strong color, face-visible grill and superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1976 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$5,000. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



1059

1059 ○

1867, 1¢ blue, E. grill (Scott 86), sound with clean color and detail, beautifully centered, with “PAID” cancel bringing grill into relief, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE’s Population Report*, with 1999 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$4,250. Scott Stamp Values \$4,750. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



1060

1060 ○

1867, 2¢ black, E. grill (Scott 87), a beauty with razor-sharp lines in crisp color, sound with circle-of-Vs cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *just three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1992 P.F. and 2013 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,200. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1061 ○

1867, 3¢ rose, E. grill (Scott 88), a gorgeous stamp, clearly printed on bright paper, mathematically centered with cork cancel highlighting grill, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just seven stamps thus graded, a single 95J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,000. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

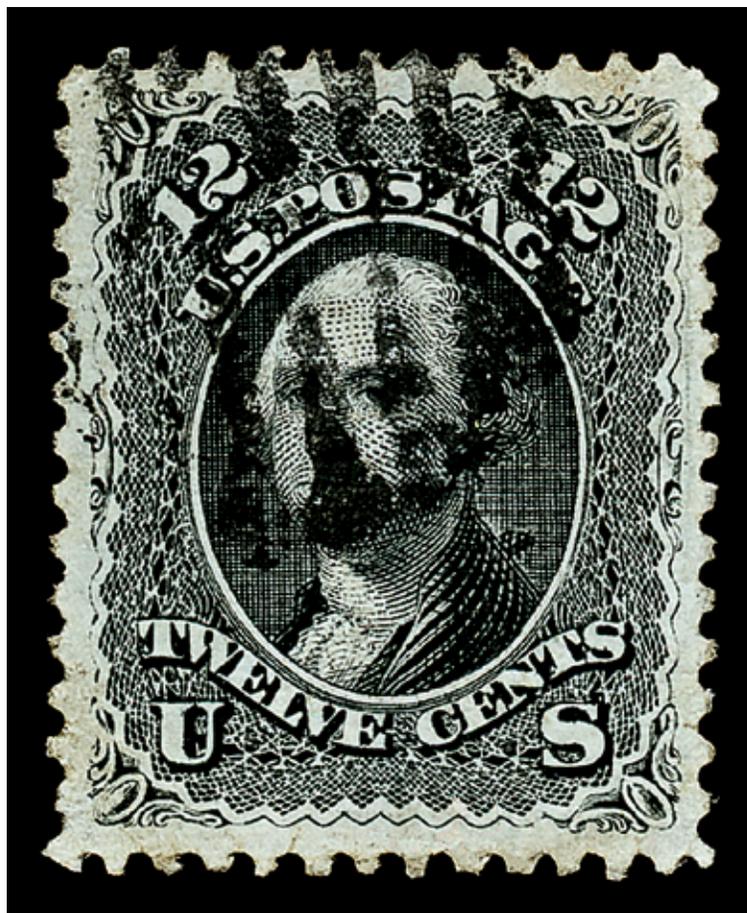


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1062

- 1062 ○ 1867, 10¢ green, E. grill (Scott 89), the picture of perfection with crisp color and sharp detail, sound, lightly cancelled and exquisitely set amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with just two 98Js higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$4,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,250 as a "95". Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1063

- 1063 ○ 1867, 12¢ black, E. grill (Scott 90), Post Office fresh and sound with mathematical centering and proof-like appearance; black circular grid cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of eight stamps at this grade, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,250. Scott Stamp Values \$3,000. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1064

1064 ○

1867, 15¢ black, E. grill (Scott 91), sound with superior centering and sharp detail in bold color; leaf fancy cancel, Extremely Fine, *only three 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 and 2019 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,750. Scott Stamp Values \$1,450. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

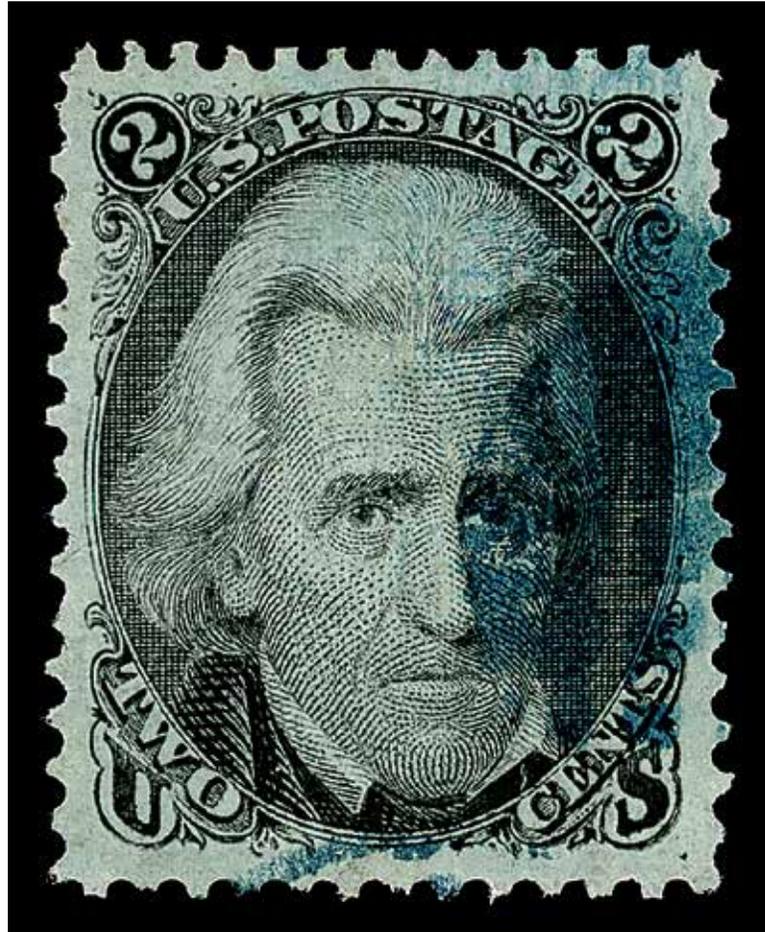
1065 ○

1867, 1¢ blue, F. grill (Scott 92), eye-catching with vibrant color and superior centering, sound with matching blue cancels, Extremely Fine, with 1988 P.F. and 2010 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,750. Scott Stamp Values \$1,750. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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1066

- 1066 ○ **1867, 2¢ black, F. grill (Scott 93)**, fresh and sound with clean impression in subdued color, wonderfully centered amid jumbo margins with vivid blue cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of only two stamps thus graded, with four 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 P.F. and 2010 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$3,250. Scott Stamp Values \$2,600 as a "95". Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1067

1067 ○

1867, 3¢ red, F. grill (Scott 94), Post Office fresh with vivacious color on pristine paper, sound with near-perfect centering; cork cancel lightly struck, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$500. Estimate \$350 - 500

1069 ○

1867, 12¢ black, F. grill (Scott 97), a pretty stamp with crisp detail in cool color, sound with balanced margins and a crossroads ("small circle of Vs" per certificate) cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2011 P.F. certificate graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ **XF 90**; \$800. Scott Stamp Values \$700. Estimate \$600 - 800



1069



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1070 ○

1867, 15¢ black, F. grill (Scott 98), clean and crisp with superior centering and a red Baltimore Foreign Mail cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1985 and 2019 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,100. Scott \$400. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1068

- 1068 ○ 1867, 10¢ yellow green, F. grill (Scott 96), a gorgeous stamp with bold, deep color on radiant white paper, exquisitely centered amid true jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only one stamp so grades, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$3,000 as normal. Scott Stamp Values \$2,600 as a normal "95". Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1071

1071 ○

1867, 24¢ gray lilac, F. grill (Scott 99), clean and bright with solid color, clear impression and superior centering, all lightly cork-cancelled, Extremely Fine, *only three stamps grade thus, with just five 95s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1986 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,250. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1073

- 1073 ○ 1867, 90¢ blue, F. grill (Scott 101), crisp with deep lines and wonderful color, on fresh paper sporting large, well-balanced margins; great eye appeal, Extremely Fine, *only seven stamps grade thus, with just two higher*; in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$7,500. Scott \$2,700. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500



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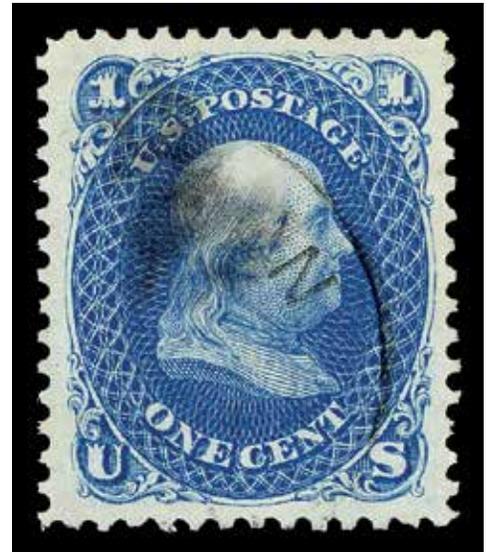
1867, 30¢ orange, F. grill (Scott 100), sound and fresh with refined, clean color and superior centering; interesting cork cancel, Extremely Fine, *only two 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2003 and 2021 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,250. Scott \$1,000.

Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

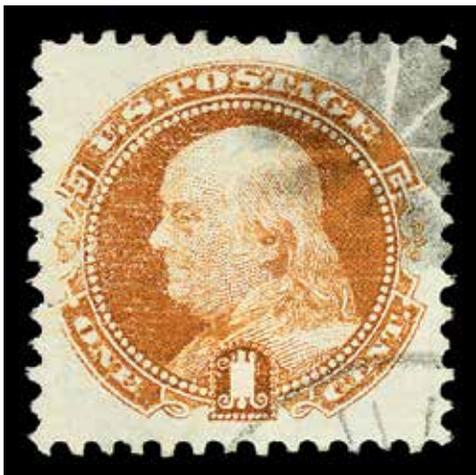
1875 RE-ISSUE OF THE 1861-1866 ISSUE

1074 ○

1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 1¢ blue (Scott 102), a beauty with intense color on bright white paper, sound with partial town postmark, Extremely Fine, *only 3195 sold; just four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1986 & 2002 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,500. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1074



1075

1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE

1075 ○

1869, 1¢ buff (Scott 112), Post Office fresh with unbelievable centering, color and clarity, grill faintly visible on face, the cancel light and unobtrusive, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,300. Scott Stamp Values \$1,150. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1076

1076 ○

1869, 2¢ brown (Scott 113), Post Office fresh with bold, rich color and mathematical centering amid margins that likely should have been “jumbo”, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$900. Scott Stamp Values \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800

1077 ○

1869, 3¢ ultramarine (Scott 114), a beauty with cool color and clear impression on glowing white paper; light cancel brings grill into relief, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,500. Scott Stamp Values \$1,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1077



1078

1078 ○

1869, 6¢ ultramarine (Scott 115), clean with bold color and mathematically centered, black geometric cancel so light as to appear unused at first glance, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with just two 98Js higher, in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,650. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1079

1079 ○

1869, 10¢ yellow (Scott 116), a captivating stamp with pristine, blazing color, mathematical centering, and a bold oval grid of rectangles cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2001 and 2011 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$900. Scott Stamp Values \$900. Estimate \$600 - 800

1080 ○

1869, 12¢ green (Scott 117), a beauty with rich color, crisp detail, and light segmented cork cancel, all wondrously centered on immaculate paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$950. Scott Stamp Values \$925. Estimate \$600 - 800



1080



1082

1082 ○

1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type II (Scott 119), attention-grabbing with rich colors and near-perfect centering, sound with target cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just six stamps at this grade, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1081

- 1081 ○ 1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type I (Scott 118), beautifully centered with jumbo margins (per PSAG), with rich colors and clean detail, lightly cork cancelled, Extremely Fine to Superb, SMQ for a 95 \$4,250, *only one stamp grade 95J, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95 and 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$7,000. Scott Stamp Values \$4,000 as a "95".* Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



1083

- 1083 ○ 1869, 24¢ green & violet (Scott 120), fresh and bright with mathematical centering and clear detail; light cancel allows design to show through, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, ex Kirke, with 1996 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$4,500. Scott Stamp Values \$4,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1084

1084 ○

1869, 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 121), a beauty with rich, radiant color and mathematical centering, sound and fresh with lightly struck circle-of-Vs cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four 95Js grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1984 & 2005 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates, the last graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$4,000. Scott Stamp Values \$3,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1085

1085 ○

1869, 90¢ carmine & black (Scott 122), sound and mathematically centered with face-visible grill and bright color, plus the lightest imaginable cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1983, 2009 and 2020 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$9,000. Scott Stamp Values \$8,750. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000

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1086

1875 RE-ISSUE OF THE 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE

1086 ○ **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 1¢ buff (Scott 123)**, Post Office fresh with bold color and sharp detail, flawlessly centered with faint black c.d.s. cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade thus, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,900. Scott Stamp Values \$3,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

1087 ○ **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 2¢ brown (Scott 124)**, choice example with bright, rich color and clean impression, lightly cancelled and beautifully centered; prettier than its grade, Extremely Fine, *only 4755 sold; four stamps grade thus, with four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1978 and 2013 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,000. Scott \$750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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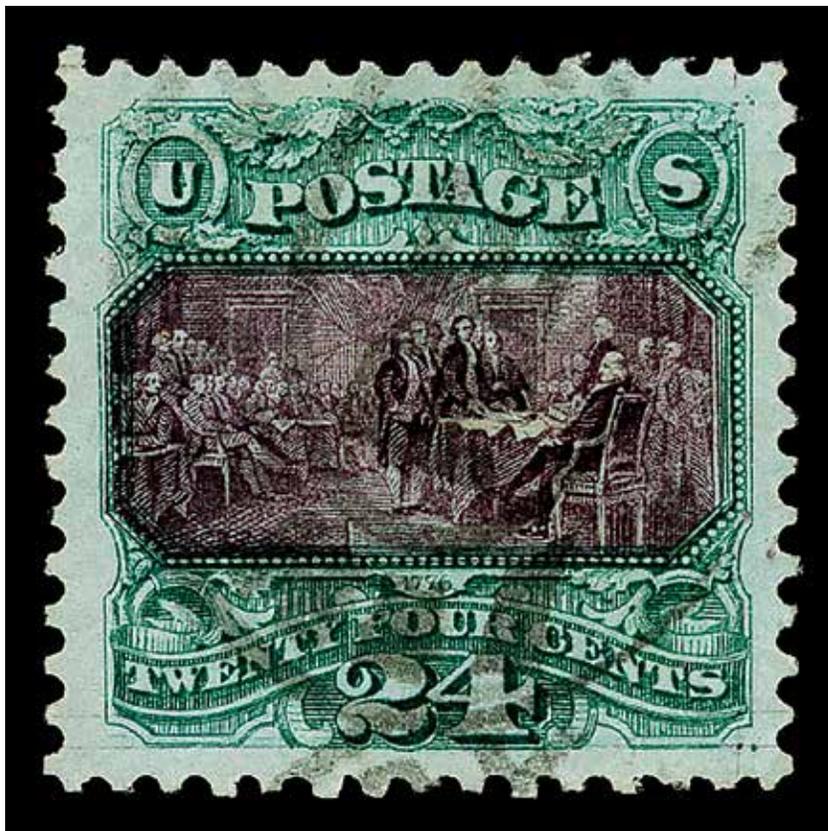
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- 1088 ○ 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 10¢ yellow (Scott 127), in deep, clean color with superior centering, sound with New York double-oval Registry cancel boldly struck, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 1927 sold; four stamps grade thus, with four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1962 and 2014 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$4,000. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1089

- 1089 ○ **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 15¢ brown & blue, type III (Scott 129)**, beautifully centered with intense colors and crisp details, unobtrusively duplex-cancelled, Extremely Fine, *only 1981 sold; one of nine stamps thus graded, a single 95J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1997 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$2,450. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1090

- 1090 ○ **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 24¢ green & violet (Scott 130)**, Post Office fresh with rich colors solidly registered; wonderfully centered with relatively light cancel, Extremely Fine, *only 2091 sold; one of five stamps at this grade, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2003 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,500. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



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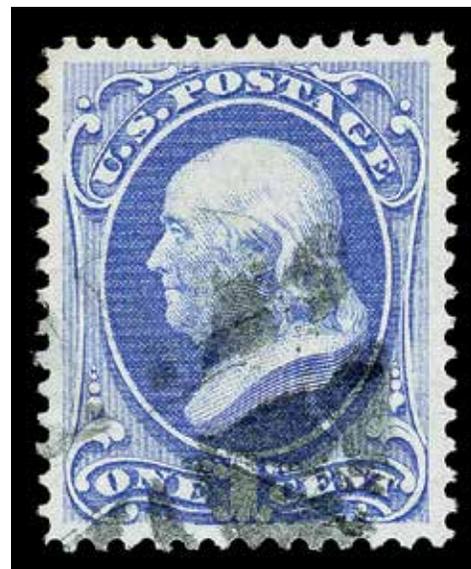
- 1091 ○ **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 131)**, choice example in true Post Office fresh condition, lightly cancelled and sound, Extremely Fine, *only 1535 sold; three stamps grade thus, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1983, 1999, 2017 and 2020 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$5,750. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



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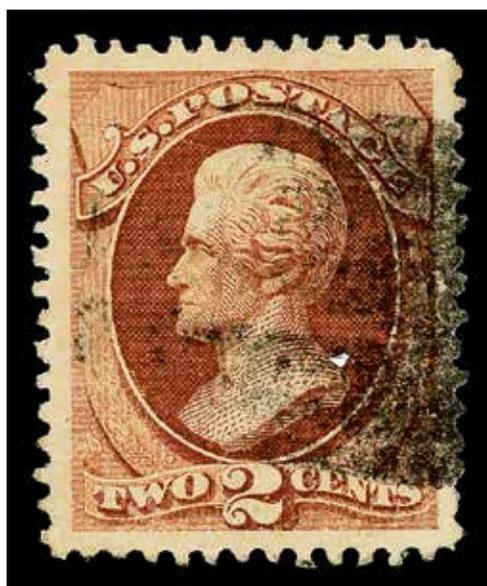
1870-1871 NATIONAL BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE, H GRILL

1092 ○ **1870, 1¢ ultramarine, I. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 134A)**, pristine with fresh color and clean impression, in superior centering on like-new paper sporting a four-ring target cancel, Extremely Fine, *a Top of the Pop*; *PSE's Population Report* records just three stamps at this summit grade, with 2005 and 2013 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$950. Scott \$400. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1093

1093 ○ **1870, 1¢ ultramarine, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing, vertical stitch watermark (Scott 134 var.)**, Post Office fresh with bright color on brighter paper, sound with superior centering and light cancel; the stitch watermark along right edge, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,850 as normal. Scott Stamp Values \$1,600 as normal. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1094

1094 ○ **1870, 2¢ red brown, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 135)**, a lovely jumbo, its rich color and clean impression mathematically centered; cork cancel at right just grazes chin, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, with only four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1999 A.P.S, 2001 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the last graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$950. Scott Stamp Values \$575 as a "95". Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1095

1095 ○

1870, 2¢ red brown, I. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 135A), Post Office fresh with rich, bright color and proof-like presentation, wonderfully centered with appealing cancel, Extremely Fine, *one of six stamps at this grade, with just four higher*, in PSE's Population Report, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$600. Scott \$350.
Estimate \$400 - 600



1096

1096 ○

1870, 3¢ green, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 136), Post Office fresh with bold, rich color and clean lines, flawlessly centered with four-ring target cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of only five stamps to grade thus, with just two higher*, in PSE's Population Report, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$550.
Estimate \$500 - 750



1097

1097 ○

1870, 3¢ green, I. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 136A), a breathtaking example, flawlessly printed and centered with face-visible grill and blue four-ring target cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a single stamp grades thus, with just three higher*, in PSE's Population Report, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$900. Scott Stamp Values \$1,200.
Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1098

1098 ○

1870, 6¢ carmine, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 137), choice with bright, rich color and clean detail, all in superior centering with lightly struck cork cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,250. Scott \$425. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1099

1099 ○

1870, 6¢ carmine, I. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 137A), Post Office fresh with alluring color and clear detail, well centered amid large to jumbo margins with black cork cancel; couple shorter perforations at right, otherwise Very Fine, with 2023 Crowe certificate. Scott \$950. Estimate \$250 - 350



1100

1100 ○

1870, 6¢ carmine, split H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 137 var.), an eye-catching jumbo with rich color on fresh paper, sound with cork cancels; short perforation at bottom, Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded F 70J. SMQ F 70J; \$325 for normal. Scott Stamp Values \$225 for normal "70". Scott \$500. Estimate \$250 - 350



1101

1101 ○

1871, 7¢ vermilion, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 138), a grand stamp with bold, pulsating color and proof-like detail, sound and beautifully centered with bold circle-of-wedges cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,100. Scott \$525. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1102

1102 ○

1871, 7¢ vermilion, I. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 138A), Post Office fresh with rich, radiant color and well-balanced margins; New York Foreign Mail cancel brings grill into relief, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade thus, a single 95J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1985 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$3,250. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1103

1103 ○

1870, 10¢ brown, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 139), eye-catching with fresh color and clean detail, solidly centered with light cork cancel, Extremely Fine, *only three stamps grade thus, with seven higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,500. Scott \$850. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



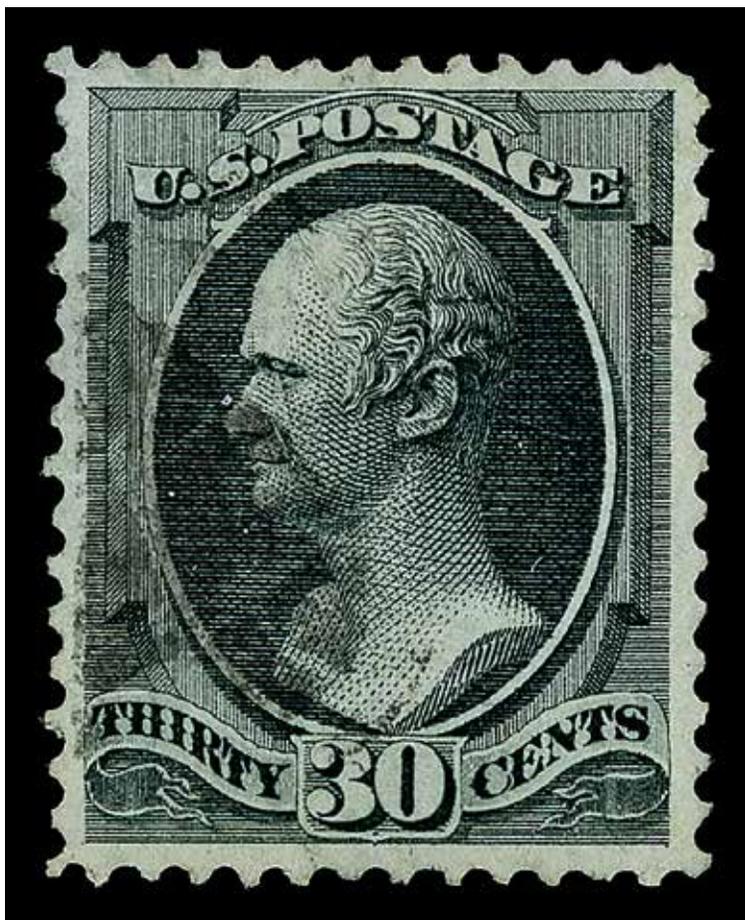
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- 1104 ○ 1870, 12¢ dull violet, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 140), select example with captivating, rich color and sharp detail, all in superior centering on like-new paper; bullseye cancel and partial town postmark, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only three stamps grade thus, with a single 90 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1999 and 2006 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$5,000. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1105

- 1105 ○ **1870, 15¢ orange, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 141)**, a lovely stamp with radiant color and near-perfect centering, the negative “square & compass” Masonic fancy cancel adding to the mystique, Extremely Fine to Superb, *the sole stamp at this grade, with just two 95Js higher; in PSE’s Population Report, with 2004 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95;* \$5,500. Scott Stamp Values \$6,000. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



1106

1106 ○

1870, 30¢ black, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 143), sound and wonderfully centered, cleanly printed in deep color, with lightly struck cork cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only one stamp grade thus, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1988 and 2024 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$5,000. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



1107

- 1107 ○ 1870, 90¢ carmine, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 144), captivating example with immense color and sharp lines, sound with superior centering and an intriguing cork cancel (bird on branch?), Extremely Fine, *only two stamps grade thus, with four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1989 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$4,500. Scott \$2,350. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1108

1870-1871 NATIONAL BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE, WITHOUT GRILL

1108 ○ **1870, 2¢ red brown, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 146)**, Post Office fresh with strong color and clean detail, sound and magnificently centered with face-free segmented cork cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1988 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500



1109

1109 ○ **1870, 3¢ green, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 147)**, a lovely jumbo with bold color and clean detail, sound and mathematically centered with duplex cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, SMQ for a 98 \$700, *only two stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$300 as a "95". Scott Stamp Values \$250 as a "95". Estimate \$300 - 400



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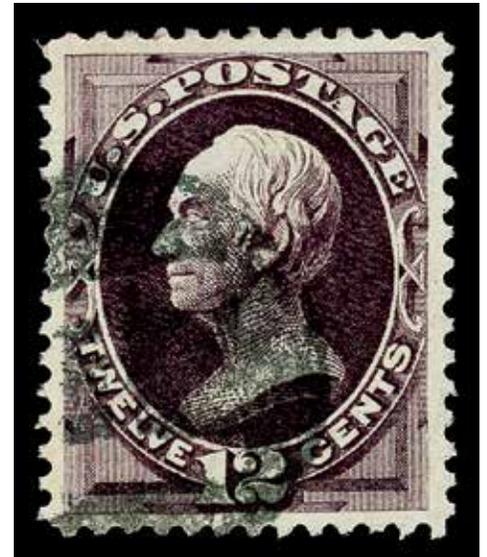
1110 ○ **1870, 6¢ carmine, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 148)**, a must-have for the Bank Note enthusiast, flawless in all respects with jumbo margins and a segmented cork geometric cancel, Superb, *only one stamp grades thus in PSE's Population Report, with a single 100J higher*, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$1,300 as a "98". Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1111

1111 ○

1871, 7¢ vermilion, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 149), Post Office fresh with vivacious color and exceptional centering, sound and fresh with cork cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$550. Scott Stamp Values \$675. Estimate \$400 - 600



1112

1112 ○

1870, 12¢ dull violet, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 151), a lovely stamp profound color and crisp lines, beautifully centered and bright with segmented cork cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade thus, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1999 and 2019 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,350. Scott Stamp Values \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1113

1113 ○

1870, 15¢ bright orange, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 152), clean with superior centering and bold, unadulterated color; circle-of-wedges cancel unobtrusive, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$700. Scott Stamp Values \$650. Estimate \$500 - 750



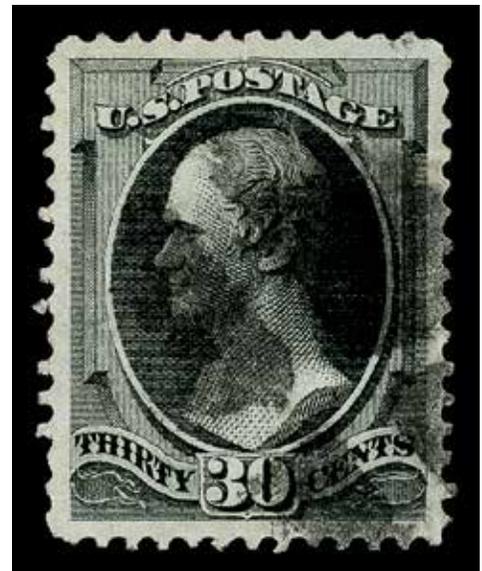
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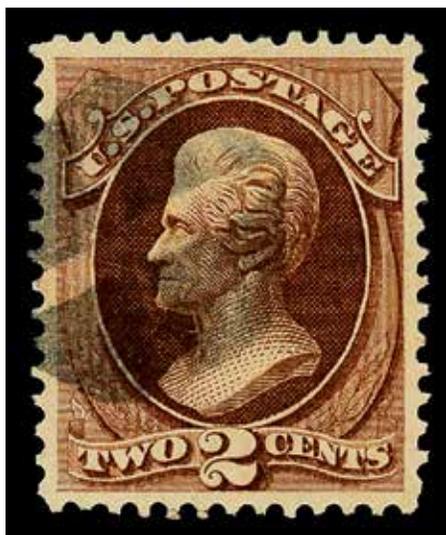
1870, 24¢ purple, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 153), beautifully centered on fresh paper, sound with pastel color and lightly struck cork cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1988 (photocopy) and 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$950. Scott Stamp Values \$1,500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1115 ○

1870, 30¢ black, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 154), Post Office fresh with rich color and clean impression, sound and mathematically centered with a segmented cork cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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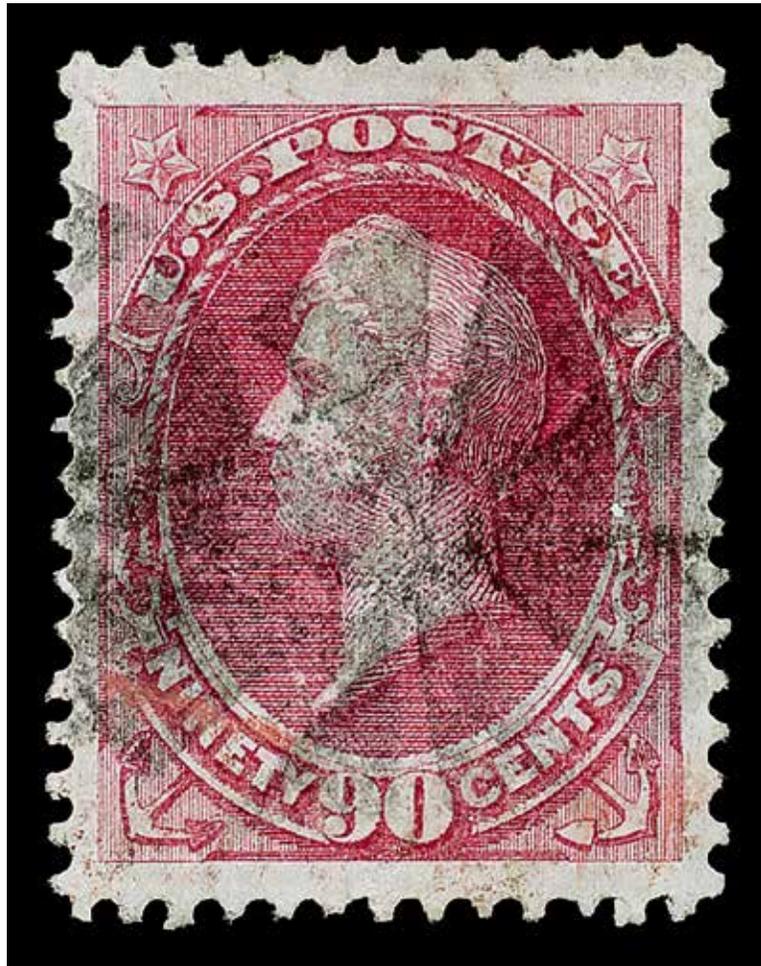


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1117 ○

1873 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE, WHITE WOVE

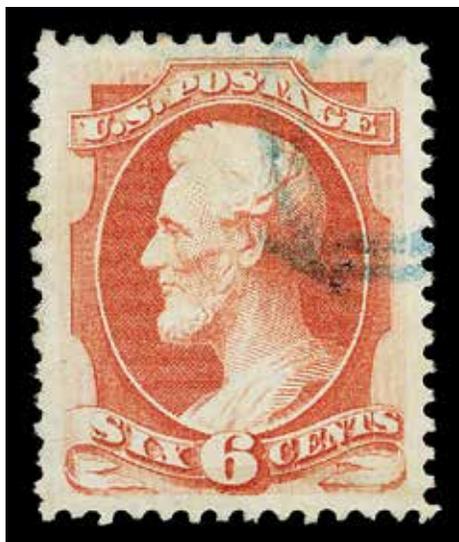
1873, 2¢ brown, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 157), clean and mathematically centered with deep, bold color and razor-sharp detail, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$400. Estimate \$200 - 300



1116

1116 ○

1870, 90¢ carmine, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 155), pristine with subdued color and clean impression, impeccably centered amid jumbo margins and sporting light circle-of-wedges cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$4,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,150 as a "95". Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1118

1118 ○

1873, 6¢ dull pink, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 159), fresh with solid color and clear details, wonderfully centered on like-new paper with a face-free blue cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$250 - 350

1119 ○

1873, 7¢ orange vermilion, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 160), choice example with proof-like presentation and near-flawless centering; bright with reverse "R" cork cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1996 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$550. Scott Stamp Values \$800. Estimate \$400 - 600



1119

1120 ○

1873, 12¢ blackish violet, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 162), select example with incredibly deep color and sharp clarity, sound and fresh with flawless centering and a light cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1997 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$675. Estimate \$500 - 750



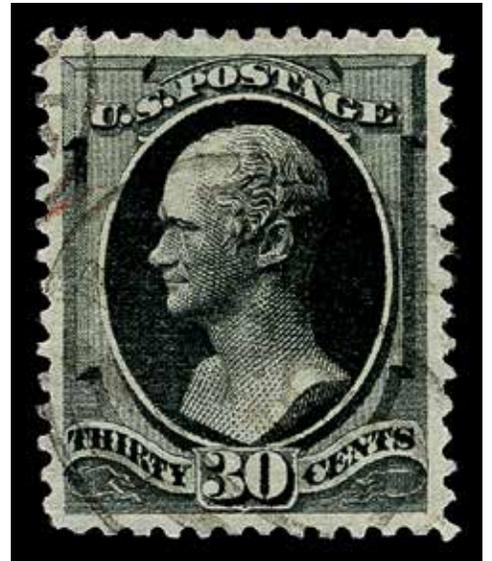
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1121 ○

1873, 15¢ yellow orange, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 163), Post Office fresh with radiant color and clean impression; light cancel and superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2002 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$400. Scott \$160. Estimate \$250 - 350



1122

1122 ○

1873, 30¢ gray black, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 165), eye-catching with intense color and clean lines, sound and beautifully centered with faint town postmark, Registry oval, and trace of red pencil, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$775. Estimate \$500 - 750



1123

1123 ○

1873, 90¢ rose carmine, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 166), fresh with bright color and crisp impression, wonderfully centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop; PSE's Population Report records just seven stamps at this lofty grade*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,800. Scott Stamp Values \$1,800. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

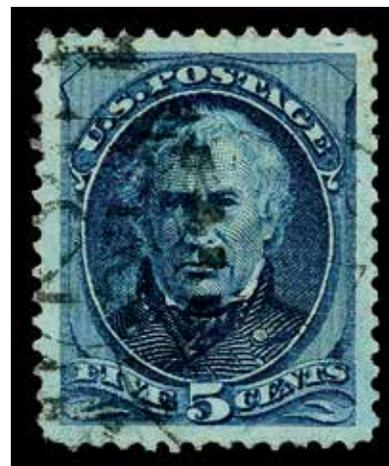


1124

**1875 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE,
YELLOWISH WOVE**

1124 ○ **1875, 2¢ vermilion, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 178)**, a stunning jumbo with rich, captivating color and sharp detail, gorgeously centered with a blue cancel (looking as though it's capturing a fingerprint?), Extremely Fine to Superb, SMQ for 98 \$800, with 2001 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$325 as a "95". Scott Stamp Values \$375 as a "95". Estimate \$250 - 350

1125 ○ **1875, 5¢ blue, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 179)**, Post Office fresh with immense color depth and bold lines, sound and wondrously centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade thus, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$250 - 350



1125



1126

**1879 AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE,
SOFT PAPER**

1126 ○ **1879, 5¢ blue, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 185)**, fresh with alluring color and jumbo margins; bullseye cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$525. Scott Stamp Values \$300 as a "95". Estimate \$350 - 500



1127

1127 ○

1879, 6¢ pink, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 186), with clean color and impression, well centered with duplex cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, with only two 98Js higher, in PSE's Population Report, ex Gavula, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400*

1128 ○

1879, 10¢ brown, A.B.N.C. printing, without secret mark (Scott 187), beautifully centered with captivating color and clarity, sound with duplex cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$575. Scott Stamp Values \$550. Estimate \$400 - 600*



1128

1129 ○

1879, 10¢ brown, A.B.N.C. printing, with secret mark (Scott 188), mathematically centered amid margins bordering on the jumbo, sound with intense color and light double-oval cancels, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400



1129



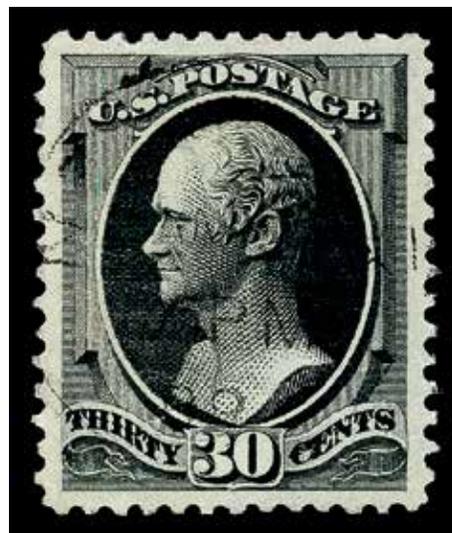
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1130 ○

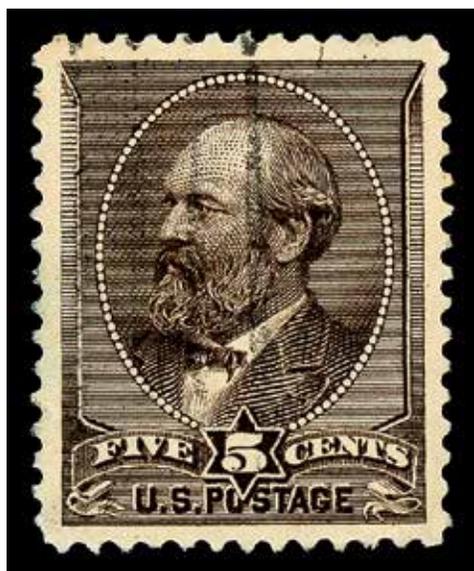
1879, 15¢ red orange, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 189), a gorgeous stamp with bold, clean color, clear impression and exceptional centering; black barred-oval cancel, Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with just three higher*, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2023 Crowe certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$1,400. Scott Stamp Values \$1,050. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1131 ○

1879, 30¢ full black, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 190), a simple stunner, with proof-like color and clarity, exquisitely centered and with the faintest c.d.s. imaginable, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$850. Scott Stamp Values \$800. Estimate \$600 - 800



1131



1133

1881-1882 AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE, RE-ENGRAVED

1133 ○

1882, 5¢ yellow brown (Scott 205), a striking jumbo with outstanding color and detail, flawlessly centered and faintly cancelled; blue ink on three perforation tips at left, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, with only four higher*, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$525. Scott Stamp Values \$300 as a "95". Estimate \$400 - 600



1132

1132 ○

1879, 90¢ carmine, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 191), Post Office fresh with deep yet subdued color, wonderfully centered on luminous paper, with “Boston/Mass.” oval cancels, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of only five stamps at this grade, with just three higher; in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,500. Scott Stamp Values \$3,750. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1134

1134 ○

1882, 6¢ rose, re-engraved (Scott 208), strikingly beautiful with rich color, clear, clean impression and detail, perfectly centered on bright white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop*; one of just seven stamps to attain this summit grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2002 P.F. and 2015 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$950. Scott Stamp Values \$1,150. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1135 ○

1882, 10¢ brown, re-engraved (Scott 209), a grand stamp all around, with immense color depth, deep, sharp lines, and fresh jumbo margins; Maltese Cross fancy cancel adds to the appeal, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$200 as a "95". Estimate \$250 - 350



1135



1136

1136 ○

1883, 4¢ blue green (Scott 211), Post Office fresh with proof-like presentation in bold color, sound with New York double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$300. Estimate \$250 - 350



1137

1887 AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE

1137 ○ **1887, 2¢ green (Scott 213)**, choice jumbo, beautifully centered in pale color, sound with black straightline cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, ex Gavula, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$200 as a “95”. Estimate \$250 - 350



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1138 ○ **1887, 3¢ vermilion (Scott 214)**, a stunning stamp, flawlessly centered in deep, vibrant color with sharp detail; double-oval New York (?) “3” cancel, Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with a single 98J higher; in PSE’s Population Report, with 2023 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98*; \$1,250. Scott Stamp Values \$1,200. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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1139 ○ **1888, 4¢ carmine (Scott 215)**, sound and Post Office fresh with enticing color, cleanly printed with balanced centering amid jumbo margins; duplex cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with two 98s higher; in PSE’s Population Report, with 2012 Weiss certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J*; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$300 as a “95”. Estimate \$300 - 400



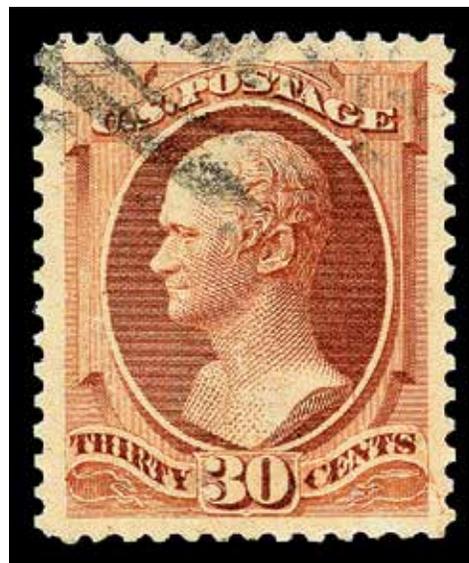
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1140 ○

1888, 5¢ indigo (Scott 216), select example with bold color and deep lines, all wonderfully centered on bright white paper and unobtrusively cancelled, Extremely Fine to Superb, with two 2010 P.F. certificates, one graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$250 - 350

1141 ○

1888, 30¢ orange brown (Scott 217), Post Office fresh with bright, rich color and crisp lines, sound with jumbo, balanced margins and face-free cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with a single 98J higher*, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$1,250. Scott Stamp Values \$775 as a "95". Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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1142 ○

1888, 90¢ purple (Scott 218), a stunning stamp with intense color, sharp lines, and centering far superior to most, all on lily-white paper with double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only a single 95J grades higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1978 and 2019 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,500. Scott Stamp Values \$1,400. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1143

1890-1893 SMALL BANK NOTES ISSUE

1143 ○ **1890, 1¢ dull blue (Scott 219)**, a picture-perfect Franklin, crisply printed in alluring color and flawlessly centered on glowing white paper, Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, with only five higher, in PSE's Population Report, ex Gavula, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98*; \$340. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$300 - 400

1144 ○ **1890, 2¢ lake (Scott 219D)**, Post Office fresh with unmistakable color on pristine paper, sound with jumbo margins and a neat target cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J*; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$225 as a "95". Estimate \$250 - 350



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1145 ○ **1890, 4¢ dark brown (Scott 222)**, sound and Post Office fresh with deep color and bold detail, all wonderfully centered amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just three stamps thus graded, with only four higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J*; \$330. Scott Stamp Values \$185 as a "95". Estimate \$250 - 350



1146

1146 ○

1893, 8¢ lilac (Scott 225), sound and clean with cool, crisp color and razor-sharp impression, day-one fresh with Cincinnati double-ring Registry cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$250 - 350

1147 ○

1890, 15¢ indigo (Scott 227), a boldly colored example with gem-quality centering amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of just six stamps to attain this highest grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 2009 and 2013 P.S.E. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95J (2009 with dealer's note "The cancel dropped this to 95J"). SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$550. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "95". Estimate \$400 - 600



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1148 ○

1890, 30¢ black (Scott 228), Post Office fresh with intense color and bold lines, neatly centered on bright white paper with a double-ring cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$380. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350



1149

1149 ○

1890, 90¢ orange (Scott 229), select example with bold, bright color and printing, sound on fresh paper with a light New York double-oval Registry cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$525. Scott Stamp Values \$850. Estimate \$350 - 500

1893 COLUMBIAN ISSUE

1150 ○

1893, 5¢ Columbian (Scott 234), Post Office fresh with immense color depth and clean lines, sound, mathematically centered and unobtrusively cancelled, Superb, *only three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$800. Scott Stamp Values \$775. Estimate \$600 - 800



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1151

1151 ○

1893, 10¢ Columbian (Scott 237), an eye-catching jumbo with alluring color and centering, cancel light and unobtrusive, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just four stamps to grade thus, with only two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$350 as a "95". Estimate \$300 - 400



1152

1152 ○

1893, 15¢ Columbian (Scott 238), a superlative stamp with rich, radiant color on bright paper, sound with Washington, DC double-oval cancel at right, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$825. Estimate \$500 - 750

1153 ○

1893, 30¢ Columbian (Scott 239), a lovely stamp with radiant color, clean, deep lines, and remarkable centering; duplex cancel at left, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$900. Scott Stamp Values \$850. Estimate \$600 - 800



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1154

1154 ○

1893, 50¢ Columbian (Scott 240), Post Office fresh with sensational color depth and centering, the light, partial cancel at lower right easily overlooked at first glance, Extremely Fine to Superb, *just four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,200. Scott Stamp Values \$1,250. Scott \$200. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1156

1156 ○

1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242), an immaculate example with bold color and razor-sharp detail on bright paper, sound with “New [York] U.S.A.” double-ring cancels, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four 98s grade higher in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$3,500. Scott Stamp Values \$3,250. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1155

1155 ○

1893, \$1 Columbian (Scott 241), an enticing dollar-value with incredibly deep lines and commanding color, sound with superior centering and a duplex cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,150. Scott \$525. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

1157 ○

1893, \$3 Columbian, olive green (Scott 243a), wonderfully bright and fresh with superior centering, deep color, and a near-maximal "Ashville/Aug/28/1893/N.C." postmark, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade thus, with just six higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,900. Scott \$775. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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1158

1158 ○

1893, \$4 Columbian (Scott 244), Post Office fresh with vivacious color and clean impression, sound with balanced margins and a light New York double-oval Registry postmark, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,150. Scott \$975. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1159

1159 ○

1893, \$5 Columbian (Scott 245), an appealing top-value Columbian, Post Office fresh with proof-like print on bright white paper, sound in superior centering with a Cranford, NJ double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1996 P.F., 2005 P.S.E. and 2009 P.F. certificates, the latter two graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,400. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

**1894 FIRST BUREAU ISSUE,
UNWATERMARKED**

1160 ○

1894, 2¢ pink, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 248), an enticing jumbo with vivid color and flawless centering; duplex cancel lightly struck, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just three stamps at this grade, with two 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$275 as a "95". Estimate \$350 - 500



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1161 ○

1894, 2¢ carmine lake, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 249), a striking jumbo with immense color, clean lines and a duplex cancel; a stamp with great presence, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$250 as a "95". Estimate \$350 - 500



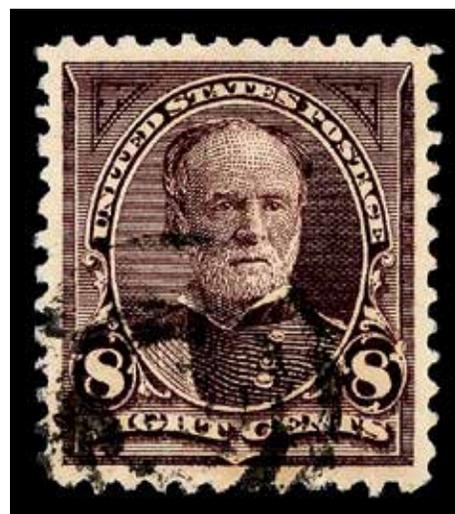
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1162 ○

1894, 2¢ carmine, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 250), bottom margin part imprint single, a stellar jumbo positional, in true Post Office fresh condition with radiant color, immaculate paper, and a nearly face-free duplex cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with just five higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J*; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$200 as a "95". Estimate \$200 - 300

1163 ○

1894, 8¢ violet brown, unwatermarked (Scott 257), an exceptional example with bold color and deep lines, flawlessly centered with unobtrusive target cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with just four 95Js higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95*; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$350 - 500



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1164 ○

1894, 10¢ dark green, unwatermarked (Scott 258), the definition of a jumbo, with razor-sharp detail in rich color, sound and lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of just six stamps to attain this summit grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2009 P.S.E. and 2011 P.F. certificates, the former graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J*; \$775. Scott Stamp Values \$425 as a "95". Estimate \$500 - 750



1165

1165 ○

1894, 15¢ dark blue, unwatermarked (Scott 259), attention-grabbing with incredible color depth and bold lines, in superior centering on bright white paper, unobtrusively cancelled, Extremely Fine, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$400.

Estimate \$250 - 350



1166

1166 ○

1894, 50¢ orange, unwatermarked (Scott 260), fresh and sound with vivid color, balanced margins, and a New York double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with a single 95J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,475. Scott Stamp Values \$1,450.

Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1167

1167 ○

1894, \$1 black, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 261), a striking Perry with intense color and razor-sharp detail, near-perfectly centered on bright paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$3,250.

Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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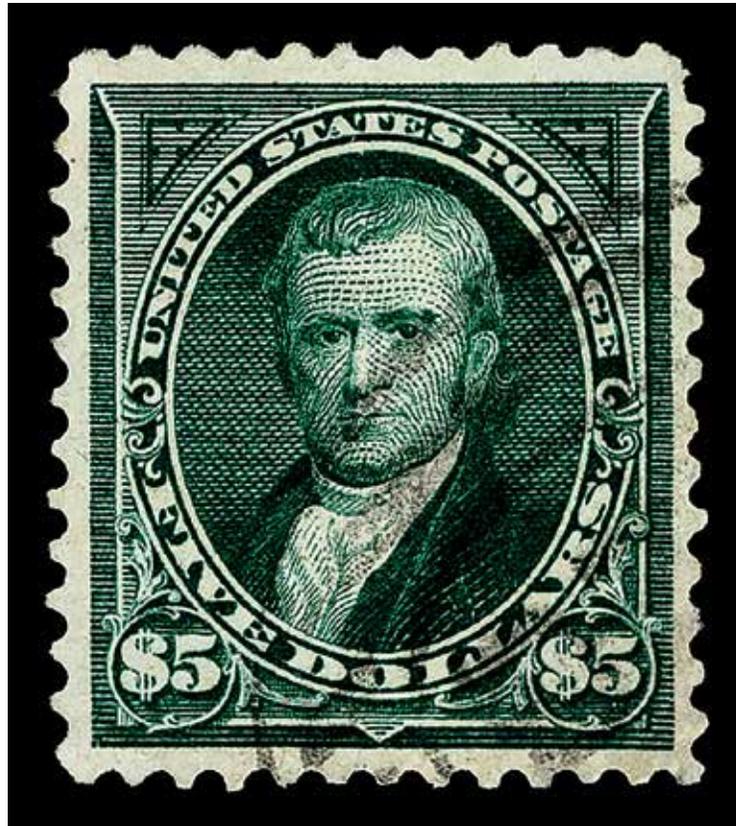
- 1168 ○ 1894, \$1 black, type II, unwatermarked (Scott 261A), fresh and sound with bold presentation amid solidly balanced margins, the cancel unobtrusive and face-free, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,850. Scott \$800.
Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

- 1169 ○ 1894, \$2 bright blue, unwatermarked (Scott 262), eye-catching with bold color, superior centering and a double-oval Registry cancel, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2000 and 2019 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,600. Scott \$1,500.
Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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- 1170 ○ **1894, \$5 dark green, unwatermarked (Scott 263)**, a superlative example with immense color, sharp lines, and wonderfully balanced margins; sound with faint cancel, Extremely Fine, *only one stamp grades thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$5,000. Scott \$2,600. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1171

1895 FIRST BUREAU ISSUE, WATERMARKED

1171 ○ **1895, 1¢ blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 264)**, a simply sensational stamp, seductive in color, clarity, centering and cancel, Superb, *one of just eight stamps to grade thus, with a single 98J higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98*; \$360. Scott Stamp Values \$475. Estimate \$300 - 400



1172

1172 ○ **1895, 2¢ carmine, type I, D.L. watermark (Scott 265)**, flawless in all respects, sound with intoxicating color and clear details, mathematically centered with cleanly struck machine cancel, Superb, *one of only two stamps thus graded, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98*; \$825. Scott Stamp Values \$875. Estimate \$600 - 800



1173

1173 ○ **1895, 2¢ carmine, type III, D.L. watermark (Scott 267)**, a stunner with refined color and impression, flawlessly centered with a lightly struck target cancel, Superb, *one of just eight stamps at this grade, with two 100s higher, in PSE's Population Report, ex Gavula, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98*; \$355. Scott Stamp Values \$400. Estimate \$250 - 350



1174

1174 ○

1895, 6¢ dull brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 271), Post Office fresh with mathematical centering and rich color, sound with light wavy line cancel, Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with just three 98Js higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2024 Crowe certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98*; \$1,150. Scott Stamp Values \$1,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1175

1175 ○

1895, 6¢ claret brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 271), Post Office fresh with compellingly rich color and deep lines, wonderfully bright with a cork cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just five stamps at this grade, with only five higher, in PSE's Population Report, ex Gavula, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95*; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$250 - 350



1176

1176 ○

1895, 8¢ violet brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 272), fresh and clean with cool color and impeccable centering; neat duplex cancel, Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98*; \$525. Scott Stamp Values \$600. Estimate \$400 - 600



1177

1177 ○

1895, 50¢ red orange, D.L. watermark (Scott 275a), clean and fresh with bright color and an interesting San Francisco double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade thus, with a single 100 higher*, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$825. Scott Stamp Values \$800. Estimate \$500 - 750

1178 ○

1895, \$1 black, type I, D.L. watermark (Scott 276), a striking stamp with proof-like presentation and exceptional centering, sound with face-free cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just six stamps at this grade, with two 98s higher*, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 1990 P.F. and 2018 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,000. Scott Stamp Values \$1,150. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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1180

1180 ○

1895, \$2 dark blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 277a), Post Office fresh with intense color and superior centering, crisply printed with double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine, *one of only eight stamps to grade thus, a single 98 higher*, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,000. Scott \$400. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1179

- 1179 ○ 1895, \$1 black, type II, D.L. watermark (Scott 276A), with deep color and razor-sharp detail, mathematically centered and sound, all faintly cancelled and alluring, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, PSE's *Population Report* noting just one stamp at this exalted grade, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$3,500. Scott Stamp Values \$4,000. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,000



1181

- 1181 ○ **1895, \$5 dark green, D.L. watermark (Scott 278)**, Post Office fresh with rich, deep color and sharp impression, wonderfully centered and lightly cancelled on bright white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$3,750. Scott Stamp Values \$3,750. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



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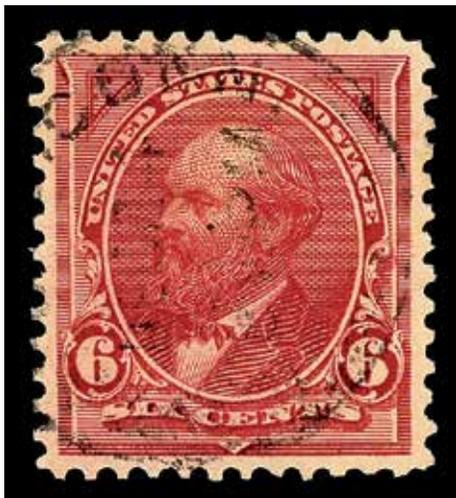
1898 FIRST BUREAU ISSUE, UPU COLORS

1182 ○ **1898, 1¢ deep green (Scott 279)**, a pristine stamp with proof-like color and clarity, sound amid jumbo margins with a light straightline machine cancel, Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, with a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J*; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "98". Estimate \$400 - 600



1183

1183 ○ **1898, 4¢ rose brown (Scott 280)**, Post Office fresh with rich, warm color and exceptional centering; duplex cancel largely unobtrusive, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only a single 98 grades higher in PSE's Population Report, with 2016 P.S.A.G. and 2019 P.S.E. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95*; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400



1184

1184 ○ **1898, 6¢ lake (Scott 282)**, pristine with luxuriant color and deep lines, mathematically centered with lightly struck socked-on-the-nose c.d.s. essentially face-free, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with two 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95*; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$300 - 400



1185

1185 ○

1898, 10¢ brown, type I (Scott 282C), fresh with rich, deep color, cleanly centered on bright white paper with a socked-on-the-nose target cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$300 - 400



1186

1186 ○

1898, 15¢ olive green (Scott 284), fresh and clean with bold color and superior centering; double-oval cancel lightly struck, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2023 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$300 - 400



1187

1898 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE

1187 ○

1898, 1¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 285), wonderfully centered jumbo in rich, bold color and sharp detail; faint duplex cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just six stamps grading thus, with only three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$300 as a "95". Estimate \$300 - 400



1188

1188 ○

1898, 2¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 286), Post Office fresh with enticing color and proof-like detail, all near-perfectly centered; bright and sound with duplex cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just five stamps at this grade, with five higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400

1189 ○

1898, 4¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 287), a stunner with intense, pristine color, near-perfect centering, and a clean New York Nov. 17, 1898 flag cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$625. Estimate \$400 - 600



1189



1190

1190 ○

1898, 5¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 288), Post Office fresh with mathematical centering, proof-like presentation, and crisp wavy line cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$650. Estimate \$300 - 400



1191

1191 ○ **1898, 8¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 289)**, with incredibly deep lines and intense color, wondrously centered with double-oval postmark and purple transit cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$625. Scott Stamp Values \$675. Estimate \$400 - 600

1192 ○ **1898, 10¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 290)**, a gorgeous stamp with robust color, clean lines, and unobtrusive postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$575. Scott Stamp Values \$525. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1193

1193 ○ **1898, 50¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 291)**, as pretty as they come, with mathematical centering, razor-sharp impression, and faint cancel essentially vignette-free, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$975. Scott Stamp Values \$1,350. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1194

1194 ○

1898, \$1 Trans-Miss. (Scott 292), eye-catching with captivatingly deep color and sharp detail, flawlessly centered with light Chicago double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2017 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,000. Scott Stamp Values \$4,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

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1195 ○

1898, \$2 Trans-Miss. (Scott 293), Post Office fresh with two-toned color and crisp detail, sound and bright with Philadelphia duplex, Extremely Fine, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,225. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1195



1196

1901 PAN-AMERICAN ISSUE

1196 ○

1901, 4¢ Pan-American (Scott 296), sound and clean with rich color and sharp vignette, lightly cancelled and mathematically set amid jumbo margins, Superb, *a Pop Topper, the highest grade awarded in PSE's Population Report being a 98 to two stamps*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$1,250 as a "98". Scott Stamp Values \$1,250 as a "98". Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1197

1197 ○

1901, 5¢ Pan-American (Scott 297), fresh and wonderfully bright with crisp impressions and mathematical centering; lightly duplex-cancelled, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350

1198 ○

1901, 8¢ Pan-American (Scott 298), Post Office fresh with intense color and sensational centering, sound with barely struck town postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$250 - 350



1198



1199

1902-1908 SECOND BUREAU ISSUE

1199 ○

1903, 4¢ brown (Scott 303), an attention-grabbing jumbo with deep, rich color and exceptional centering; double-oval cancels do not obscure vignette, Extremely Fine to Superb, SMQ for a 98 \$500, *only three 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$160 as a "95". Scott Stamp Values \$150 as a "95". Estimate \$250 - 350



1200

1200 ○

1903, 15¢ olive green (Scott 309), exquisitely choice example, with flawless color, line and centering, fresh as the day it was printed and with a barely-there cancel, Superb, *only one stamp grades thus, with just two 98Js higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$800. Estimate \$500 - 750

1201 ○

1903, 50¢ orange (Scott 310), wonderfully bright with crisp detail in unblemished color, mathematically centered and sound; New York "Branch" double-oval postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade thus, with just two 95Js higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$200 - 300



1201



1202

1202 ○

1903, \$1 black (Scott 311), choice example with immense color depth and sharp detail, sound and mathematically centered with New York double-oval Registry postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$550. Scott Stamp Values \$500. Estimate \$400 - 600



1203

1203 ○ **1903, \$2 dark blue (Scott 312)**, a lovely stamp with immense color depth, cleanly printed on bright paper with a New York double-oval postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just six stamps to grade thus, with only two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,500. Scott Stamp Values \$1,200. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1205

1205 ○田 **1906, 1¢ blue green, imperf. (Scott 314)**, bottom margin block of 4 with plate number 3231, Post Office fresh with deep color and clear impression, solidly balanced amid large margins; Washington, DC double-oval cancels; tiny fault at right in bottom selvage noted for accuracy, still Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2018 P.F. certificate. Scott \$95 as singles. Estimate \$200 - 300



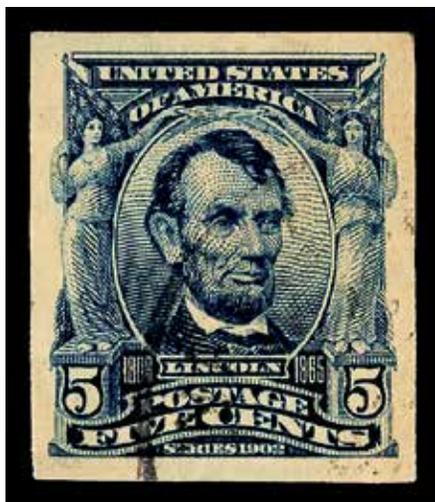
A SUPERB-GRADED 1903 \$5 MARSHALL (SCOTT #313)



1204

- 1204 ○ 1903, \$5 dark green (Scott 313), superlative in all respects, with incisive lines yielding bold color, perfectly set amid balanced margins with a double-oval Registry cancel, Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, PSE's *Population Report* recording only one stamp at this summit grade, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$8,000. Scott Stamp Values \$7,750. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000

(photo on front cover)



1206

1206 ○

1908, 5¢ blue, imperf. (Scott 315), a beauty with proof-like detail and color, unobtrusively cancelled and with superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only three 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,250. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1207 ○

1903, 2¢ carmine, type I (Scott 319), Post Office fresh with rich, radiant color and mathematical centering amid jumbo margins; neat wavy line cancel, Superb, *one of just six stamps at this grade, a single 100J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "98". Estimate \$350 - 500



1207



1208

1904 LOUISIANA PURCHASE ISSUE

1208 ○

1904, 3¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 325), striking stamp in deep, crisp color with razor-sharp detail, beautifully centered and most faintly cancelled, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, with only two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$280. Estimate \$250 - 350



1209

1209 ○

1904, 10¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 327), beautifully centered with rich color and crisp impression, machine cancel does not obscure, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$200 - 300

1907 JAMESTOWN ISSUE

1210 ○

1907, 2¢ Jamestown (Scott 329), a radiant beauty with rich color, deep lines and exceptional centering amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just three stamps at this grade, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$240 as a "95". Estimate \$250 - 350



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1211

1211 ○

1907, 5¢ Jamestown (Scott 330), Post Office fresh with proof-like color and detail, remarkably centered amid jumbo margins—most uncommon on this notorious issue, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with two 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$600. Scott Stamp Values \$400 as a "95". Estimate \$350 - 500



1212

**1908-1909 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
DL WMK, PERF 12**

1212 ○ **1908, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 334)**, a breathtaking example with rich, warm color, sharp detail, and unparalleled centering amid jumbo margins; duplex cancel just grazes jaw line, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, one of only four stamps to attain this summit grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$340 as a "98". Estimate \$600 - 800

1213 ○ **1909, 10¢ yellow, D.L. watermark (Scott 338)**, a "wow factor" Washington-Franklin, with luminous, fresh color on matching paper and absolutely precise centering, Superb, *a Pop Topper*, the highest grade awarded in PSE's Population Report being a single 98, with 2023 P.F. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$350 as a "98". Scott Stamp Values \$360 as a "98". Estimate \$500 - 750



1213



1214

1214 ○ **1909, \$1 violet brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 342)**, with razor-sharp detail in bold color, beautifully centered and lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with a single 98 higher*, in PSE's Population Report, with 2003 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$850. Scott Stamp Values \$700. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1215

**1908-1909 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
DL WMK, IMPERF**

1215 ○ **1909, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, imperf. (Scott 346)**, a simply massive stamp (can we say “jumbo”, boys and girls?); crisply printed in bright color on like-new paper; “Los Angeles/C” double-ring postmark, Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of only 11 stamps to attain this summit grade in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ **Gem 100**; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400



1216

1216 ○ **1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, imperf. (Scott 347)**, bottom margin part imprint single, a gorgeous positional in proof-like presentation on pristine paper; “New York/P” double-ring cancel, Superb, *one of only six stamps to grade thus, with just two 100Js higher, in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ **Gem 100**; \$600. Scott Stamp Values \$575. Estimate \$400 - 600



1217

**1908-1910 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
DL WMK, PERF 12 COILS**

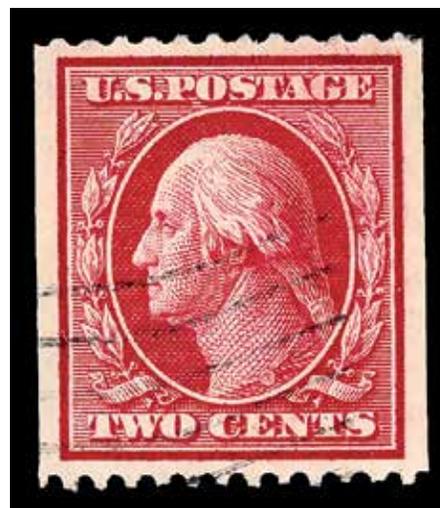
1217 ○ **1908, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 348)**, a stunning stamp, flawlessly printed in true Post Office fresh condition, the cancel light and essentially face-free, Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of only three stamps to receive this highest grade in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$625. Scott Stamp Values \$600. Estimate \$600 - 800



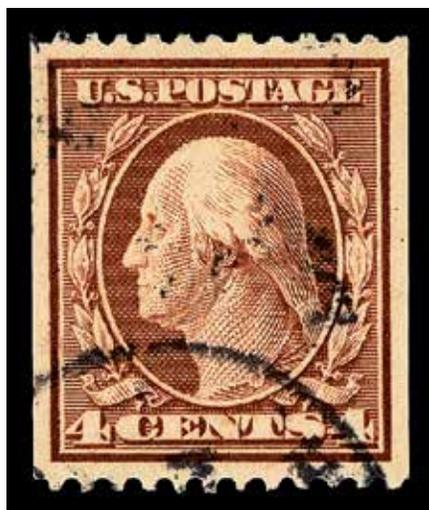
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1218 ○ 1908, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 348), guide line pair, sound and bright with rich color and clear impression; light machine cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, PSE's *Population Report* recording just a single line pair at this highest grade, with 2023 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

1219 ○ 1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 349), a beauty with exceptional eye appeal, in bold, rich color on pristine paper; cancel lightly struck and unobtrusive, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just six stamps at this grade, a single 98 higher*, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$600. Scott Stamp Values \$575. Estimate \$400 - 600



1219



1220

1220 ○ 1910, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 350), Post Office fresh and sound with rich, deep color and clear impression, mathematically centered with unobtrusive postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, PSE's *Population Report* noting just two stamps at this highest grade, with 1994 P.F. and 2020 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,550. Scott Stamp Values \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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1221 ○

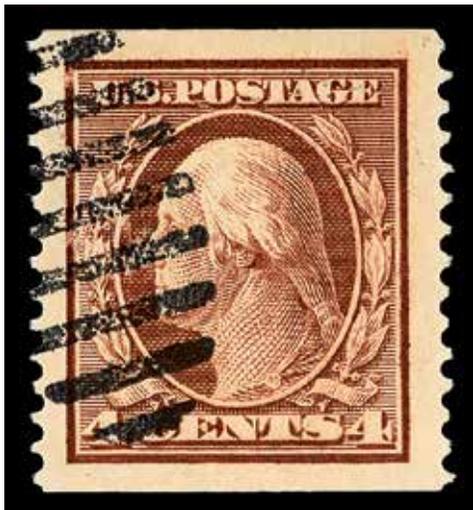
1909, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 352), fresh and clean with bold color, solid detail and superior centering, as faintly cancelled as one could hope, Extremely Fine, *one of only four stamps at this grade, with just six higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2015 P.S.E. and 2021 P.F. certificates, each graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$550. Scott \$225. Estimate \$400 - 600

1222 ○

1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 353), pristine jumbo with radiant, rich color and razor-sharp detail, beautifully centered and sound, Extremely Fine, SMQ for a 95 \$1,300, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2023 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90J. SMQ **XF 90J**; \$625 as a "90". Scott \$220. Estimate \$400 - 600



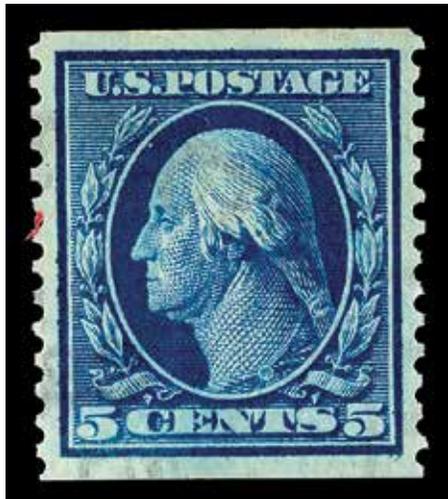
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1223 ○

1909, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 354), a no-quibbles jumbo with proof-like impression in bright, rich color, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, with a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$1,750 as a "95". Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1224

1224 ○

1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 355), a beauty with profound color and crisp lines, exceptionally centered with the faintest possible cancel, Extremely Fine, *only two stamps grade thus, with just two 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$750. Scott \$300. Estimate \$500 - 750

1909 COMMEMORATIVE ISSUES

1225 ○

1909, 2¢ Lincoln Centenary, bluish paper (Scott 369), Post Office fresh with bold color and detail, wonderfully centered with Belmont, NY double-oval postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just eight stamps at this grade, a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 and 2014 P.S.E. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$600. Scott \$225. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1910-1911 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, PERF 12

1226 ○

1911, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark (Scott 377), a true jumbo with rich color, sharp detail and balanced margins, Superb, *only two stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$300 as a "98". Estimate \$300 - 400



1227

1227 ○

1911, 10¢ yellow, S.L. watermark (Scott 381), an immaculate stamp with lustrous color and flawless centering amid jumbo margins, Superb, *only three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$775. Scott Stamp Values \$450 as a "98". Estimate \$600 - 800

1910 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, IMPERF

1228 ○

1911, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, imperf. (Scott 383), pair with vertical guide line between, sound and fresh with robust color and massive margins capturing framelines (full or partial) on each side, Superb, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$450 as singles. Estimate \$350 - 500



1228



1229

1910-1911 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, PERF 12 COILS

1229 ○

1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 385), guide line pair, sound and fresh with deep color and sharp impression, the lovely St. Louis Air-Mail slogan cancel adding to its appeal, Extremely Fine, *a Pop Topper; the highest recorded line pair in PSE's Population Report a single 85*, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,650. Scott \$850. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1230

1230 ○

1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 387), guide line pair, sound with perforations intact and superior centering; "Sacramento/Cal." double-oval cancels, Extremely Fine, with 1981 and 2021 P.F. certificates. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

1231 ○

1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 387), a grand stamp with robust color and clean impression, sound and bright with perfect centering, Superb, none recorded at this grade in PSE's Population Report, with just a single 98J higher, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$1,550. Scott Stamp Values \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1231



1232

1910-1913 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, PERF 8½ COILS

1232 ○

1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 390), pair, solid with intense color on pristine paper, the socked-on-the-nose cancel lightly struck and unobtrusive, Superb, a Top of the Pop, one of just two pairs to attain this highest grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$475. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1233 ○

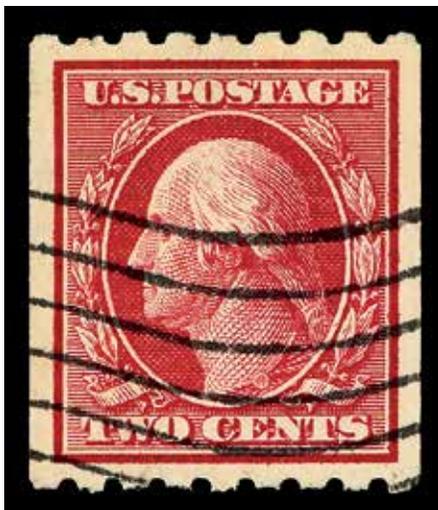
1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 390), guide line pair, Post Office fresh with exceptional color depth and clarity of line, gorgeously centered on bright white paper; non-contemporary 1933 Los Angeles duplex cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Top of the Pop*; PSE's *Population Report* records just ten line pairs at this highest grade, with 1985 Pinchot and 2018 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,100. Scott Stamp Values \$1,200. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1234

1234 ○

1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 391), guide line pair, pristine with radiant color and razor-sharp detail, in superior centering with duplex cancels, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, the sole line pair at this grade, with just four higher, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85 (reading incorrectly as never hinged). SMQ VF-XF 85; \$1,950. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1235

1235 ○

1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 391), fresh with profound color and razor-sharp lines, sound and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, only five stamps grade higher in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$310. Estimate \$250 - 350



THE CARLTON B. CRENSHAW COLLECTION



1236

1236 ○

1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 392), guide line pair, Post Office fresh with luxuriant color and sharp impression, sound and bright with duplex cancel, Extremely Fine, *only three line pairs grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1998 P.S.E. (strip of three, this positions 1-2) and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,000. Scott \$500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1237 ○

1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 392), Post Office fresh with exceptional color, clarity and centering, jumbo margins and an unobtrusive cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *the sole stamp at this grade, with only two 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$600. Scott Stamp Values \$300 as a "95". Estimate \$400 - 600



1237



1238

1238 ○

1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 394), eye-catching with bold color, razor-sharp detail, and mathematical centering, all unobtrusively cancelled, Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$625. Scott Stamp Values \$625. Estimate \$400 - 600



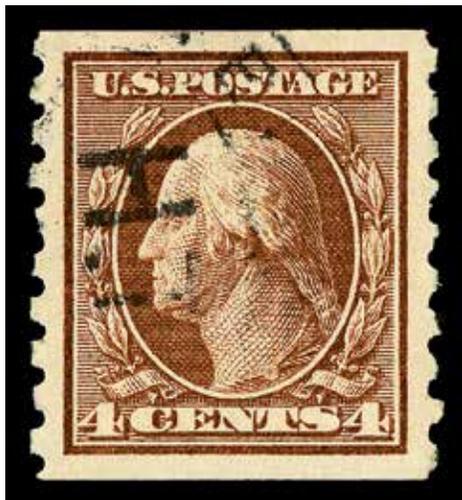
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1239 ○ 1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 394), guide line pair, sound and fresh with alluring color and clarity; neatly struck Benton Harbor, Mich. double-oval cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate. Scott \$650. Estimate \$400 - 600

1240 ○ 1912, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 395), guide line pair, with bold color, sharp detail and solid perforations; duplex cancels face-free on right stamp, Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.S.A.G. and 2024 P.F. certificates. Scott \$650. Estimate \$500 - 750



1240



1241

1241 ○ 1912, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 395), sound with superior centering, crisply printed in rich, warm color, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just six stamps at this grade, a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$400. Estimate \$250 - 350



1242

1242 ○

1913, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 396), a simply gorgeous stamp with rich, deep color, clean impression, and exceptional centering; duplex cancel at lower right completely face-free, Superb, a Top of the Pop; PSE's Population Report notes only four stamps at this exalted grade, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$850. Scott Stamp Values \$850. Estimate \$600 - 800

1243 ○

1913, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 396), guide line pair, sound and solid with profound color and deep lines in superior centering, Extremely Fine, one of just three line pairs at this grade, a single 95 higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 1994 P.F., 2019 P.S.E. and 2020 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,700. Scott \$825. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1243



1244

1913-1915 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE

1244 ○

1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange yellow (Scott 400), in rich, clean color with mathematically balanced margins, a real beauty with duplex cancel, Superb, only two stamps grade thus, with a single 98J higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$500 - 750



1245

- 1245 ○ 1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange (Scott 400A), Post Office fresh with radiant, deep color on immaculate paper; perfectly centered with duplex cancel, Superb, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$625. Estimate \$400 - 600

1912-1914 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN
ISSUE, SL WMK, PERF 12

- 1246 ○ 1912, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 405), a glorious jumbo with impeccable color, clarity and centering; sound and a welcome addition to any collection, Superb, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$150 as a "98". Estimate \$400 - 600



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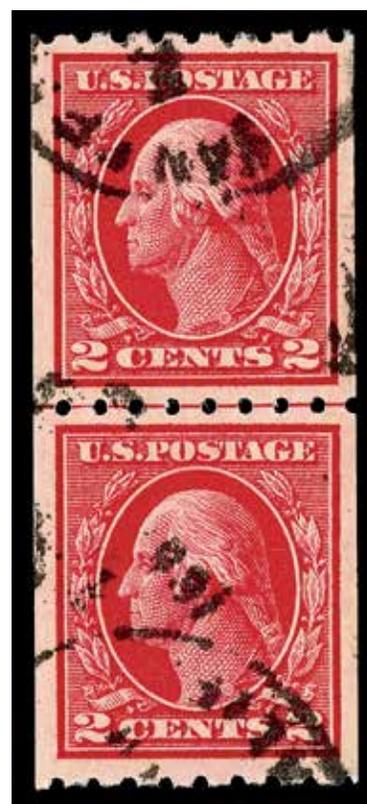
- 1247 ○ 1912, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 406), a flawless jumbo with pulsating color, sharp lines, and exceptional centering, Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$200 as a "98". Estimate \$400 - 600



1248

**1912 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
SL WMK, PERF 8½ COILS**

1248 ○ 1912, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 410), guide line pair, Post Office fresh and solid with superior centering and sharp detail, Extremely Fine, *one of just four line pairs at this grade, a single 95 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$475. Estimate \$350 - 500



1249

1249 ○ 1912, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 411), guide line pair, fresh and sound with solid perforations, rich, robust color and superior centering, Extremely Fine, *a Top of the Pop, PSE's Population Report noting just one line pair at this highest grade*, with 2002 and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$400. Scott \$175. Estimate \$300 - 400



1250

1250 ○ 1912, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 412), guide line pair, Post Office fresh with deep color and clean impression, lightly cancelled and sound, Extremely Fine, *only five line pairs grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$500. Scott \$250. Estimate \$350 - 500



1251

1251 ○

1912, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 413), guide line pair, looking like it was printed yesterday, with proof-like color and detail, sound in superior centering with essentially face-free cancels, Extremely Fine, a *Top of the Pop*, only two line pairs attaining this highest grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$975. Scott \$325. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1912-1914 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
SL WMK, PERF 12

1252 ○

1912, 15¢ gray, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 418), Post Office fresh with solid color and clean impression, mathematically centered and faintly cancelled, Superb, only five stamps grade thus, with five 98Js higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$500. Estimate \$400 - 600



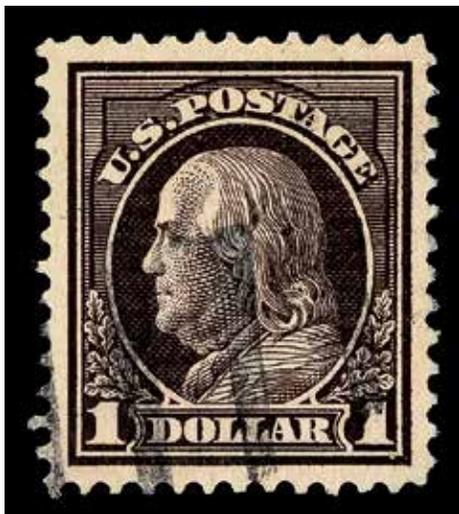
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1253 ○

1914, 50¢ violet, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 421), choice example e crisp color and clean detail, wonderfully centered with lightly struck double-oval postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2015 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$200 - 300



1254

**1912 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
DL WMK, PERF 12**

1254 ○ **1912, \$1 violet brown, D.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 423),** Post Office fresh with exceptional color and strength of line, exquisitely centered with light cancel, Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, a single 98J higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98;* \$1,450. Scott Stamp Values \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

**1913-1915 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
SL WMK, PERF 10**

1255 ○ **1914, 12¢ claret brown, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 435),** an attention-grabbing jumbo with deep, rich color on bright white paper, sound with double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only one stamp grades thus in PSE's Population Report, with two 98s higher, with 2022 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J;* \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$140 as a "95". Estimate \$200 - 300



1255



1256

1256 ○ **1915, 50¢ violet, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 440),** Post Office fresh jumbo with strong color and exceptional centering; Washington, DC double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J;* \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$250 as a "95". Estimate \$300 - 400



1257

1257 ○

1914, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 441), guide line pair, intense, rich color and deep lines, sound and lightly cancelled, centered just a hair from perfection, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Top of the Pop*; PSE's *Population Report* notes just two line pairs at this highest grade, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$675. Scott Stamp Values \$500. Estimate \$400 - 600



1258

1258 ○

1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 442), immaculate with captivatingly rich, deep color and mathematical centering; a real beauty, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$300. Estimate \$200 - 300



1259

1259 ○

1914, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 443), Post Office fresh with immense color depth on glowing white paper, sound with impeccable centering, Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2010 and 2013 P.S.E. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$550. Scott Stamp Values \$525. Estimate \$400 - 600



THE CARLTON B. CRENSHAW COLLECTION



1260

1260 ○ 1914, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 443), guide line pair, eye-catching with bold color, sharp lines and superior centering, plus purple boxed “Federalsburg/MD” postmark, Extremely Fine, *only three line pairs grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2014 P.F. certificate graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ XF 90; \$1,100. Scott Stamp Values \$850. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1261 ○ 1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 444), pair, captivating with rich, luxuriant color and peerless centering on pristine paper; town postmarks face-free on left stamp, Superb, *a Top of the Pop, PSE’s Population Report recording just one pair at this summit grade*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$1,300. Scott Stamp Values \$1,150. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1261



1262

1262 ○ 1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 444), a beauty with radiant color and sharp detail, mathematically centered and bright, Superb, *only two 100s grade higher in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2010 and 2016 P.S.E. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$600. Scott Stamp Values \$500. Estimate \$500 - 750



1263

- 1263 ○ 1914, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 445), guide line pair, a beauty with bold color, crisp impression and superior centering, sound and lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine, a *Top of the Pop*, only one line pair recorded at this summit grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 1995 (for strip of four) and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$5,500. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1264

1264 ○

1914, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 445), appealing and sound with bold color, clean impression and near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with two 98s higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$900. Scott Stamp Values \$1,000.* Estimate \$600 - 800

1265 ○

1914, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 446), pair, sound with solid perforations and virtually face-free double-oval cancels, Extremely Fine, with 2023 Crowe certificate. Scott \$425. Estimate \$300 - 400



1265



1266

1266 ○

1914, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 446), immaculate and fresh with rich color and mathematical centering; a true beauty, Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of only three stamps to attain this summit grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$1,150. Scott Stamp Values \$1,000.* Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1267

1267 ○

1914, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 447), in deep, rich color with yielding razor-sharp detail, sound with superlative centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just two stamps at this grade, with a single 95J higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$675. Scott Stamp Values \$575.* Estimate \$600 - 800

**1914-1916 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
SL WMK, PERF 10 ROTARY COILS**



1268

1268 ○

1915, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 448), a stunner with crisp lines in clean color, sound with mathematical centering, Superb, *one of just three stamps at this grade, with three 100s higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$425.* Estimate \$400 - 600



1269

1269 ○

1915, 2¢ red, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 449), Post Office fresh with rich color and crisp impression, wavy line cancel neatly struck, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,850. Scott \$650. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



THE CARLTON B. CRENSHAW COLLECTION



1270

1270 ○

1914, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 452), joint line pair, flawlessly printed and meticulously centered, the machine wavy line cancel light and unobtrusive, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop, only one line pair at this apex grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,000. Scott Stamp Values \$975. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1271 ○

1914, 2¢ carmine rose, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 453), sound and fresh with luxuriant color and clear impression, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400



1271



1272

1272 ○

1915, 2¢ red, type II, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 454), joint line pair, in captivating color on fresh paper; corner crease at bottom right, otherwise Extremely Fine, with 1991 (clear) and 2020 P.F. certificates. Scott \$600. Estimate \$500 - 750



1273

1273 ○

1916, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 456), clean with subdued color on bright white paper; Michigan double-oval postmark, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with three higher*; in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$960. Scott Stamp Values \$900. Estimate \$600 - 800

1274 ○

1916, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, horizontal rotary press coil (Scott 457), joint line pair, clean, crisp and bright with superior centering and Chicago duplex cancels, Extremely Fine, *a Top of the Pop*, PSE's *Population Report* noting *just one line pair at this summit grade*, with 2016 A.P.S. and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,000. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$600 - 800



1274



1275

1275 ○

1916, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 458), joint line pair, clean and sound with rich color and razor-sharp lines; double-oval cancel lightly struck and face-free, Extremely Fine, *only six line pairs grade thus, with just two higher*; in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$800. Scott Stamp Values \$650. Estimate \$600 - 800



1276

**1916-1917 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
FLAT PLATE, UNWMK, PERF 10**

1276 ○ **1916, 1¢ green, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 462)**, a beauty with luscious color and clean impression, mathematically set amid near-jumbo margins, Superb, *one of just five stamps at this grade, with a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400



1277

1277 ○ **1916, 2¢ carmine, type I, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 463)**, sound with compelling color and clarity on like-new paper, Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$300. Estimate \$250 - 350



1278

1278 ○ **1916, 7¢ black, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 469)**, an eye-catching jumbo with proof-like presentation on bright white paper, sound with interesting cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, SMQ for a 98 \$750, *no stamps recorded at this grade in PSE's Population Report, with just two higher*; with 2023 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$250 as a "90". Scott Stamp Values \$225 as a "95". Estimate \$200 - 300



1279

1279 ○

1917, \$2 dark blue, perf. 10 (Scott 479), boldly colored, crisply printed and near-flawlessly centered; cancels do not obscure, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$250 - 350



1280

1280 ○

1917, \$5 light green, perf. 10 (Scott 480), a lovely Marshall in rich color and exceptional centering; double-oval cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade thus, with just two 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$275. Estimate \$200 - 300



1281

1281 ○

1916, 2¢ carmine, type I, unwatermarked, imperf. (Scott 482), horizontal pair with vertical guide line between, pristine with bright color and Benton Harbor, Mich. 1917 duplex postmark; how these margins missed being labeled "jumbo" is beyond us, Superb, *only three pairs grade thus, with three 100Js higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ **Gem 100**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$170 as singles. Estimate \$200 - 300



1282

1916-1922 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, ROTARY PLATE, UNWMK, PERF 10 COILS

1282 ○ 1917, 3¢ violet, type I, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 489), an immaculate jumbo in crisp color with clean impression; cancel nearly face-free; an alluring stamp, Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, PSE's *Population Report* recording just one stamp at this highest grade, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$150 as a "98". Estimate \$350 - 500

1283 ○ 1916, 2¢ carmine, type II, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 491), a beauty with enticing color and centering, cleanly printed and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of nine stamps at this grade, a single 98 higher; in PSE's Population Report*, with 2002 P.F. and 2020 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,600. Scott \$800. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1283



1284

1284 ○ 1917, 3¢ violet, type I, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 493), joint line pair, clean and sound with crisp color on lily-white paper; Elgin, Ill. double-oval cancels neatly struck, Extremely Fine, a *Top of the Pop*, just two line pairs attain this highest grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$400. Estimate \$350 - 500



1285

1285 ○

1917, 4¢ orange brown, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 495), joint line pair, clean and crisp with radiant color and superior centering; Michigan duplex postmarks of Mar. 20, 1928, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only one line pair grades thus in PSE's Population Report, with a single 98 higher*; with 2003 P.S.E. and 2019 Crowe certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$350 - 500

1286 ○

1919, 5¢ blue, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 496), Post Office fresh with captivating color and detail flawlessly centered on pristine paper; neat Buffalo, NY roller cancel, Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2023 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$475. Estimate \$350 - 500



1286



1287

1917-1919 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, FLAT PLATE, UNWМК, PERF 11

1287 ○

1917, 2¢ deep rose, type Ia, perf. 11 (Scott 500), a fresh jumbo with radiant color and exceptional centering; sound and lightly cancelled, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of only two stamps at this grade, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1988 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$1,650. Scott Stamp Values \$1,100 as a "95". Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1288

1288 ○

1917, 4¢ brown, perf. 11 (Scott 503), choice example with vivacious color on immaculate paper; sound with cancel essentially face-free, Superb, *just seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$270. Estimate \$250 - 350



1289

1289 ○

1917, 5¢ blue, perf. 11 (Scott 504), a pristine jumbo with the deepest color imaginable and crisp lines, all mathematically centered and sound; a showpiece, Superb, *one of just five stamps at this grade in PSE's Population Report*, with only two 100Js higher, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$250 as a "98". Estimate \$300 - 400



1290

1290 ○

1917, 5¢ rose color error, perf. 11 (Scott 505), the picture of perfection with rich, radiant color, impeccable centering, and a face-free double-oval mute cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of only two stamps to summit PSE's Population Report*, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,500. Scott Stamp Values \$2,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1291

1291 ○

1917, 6¢ red orange, perf. 11 (Scott 506), the pinnacle of perfection, pristine with precocious color and immaculate paper, flawlessly centered, Superb, a must-have for the Washington-Franklin enthusiast. *A Pop Topper; the highest grade awarded in PSE's Population Report being a 98J to just two stamps*, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ **Gem 100J**; \$425 as a "98J". Scott Stamp Values \$270 as a "98". Estimate \$500 - 750

1292 ○

1917, 9¢ salmon red, perf. 11 (Scott 509), a glorious jumbo with refined color and clarity, glowing white paper and neat double-oval cancel, Superb, *the sole stamp at this grade, with a single 100J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "98". Estimate \$500 - 750



1292



1293

1293 ○

1917, 11¢ light green, perf. 11 (Scott 511), pristine jumbo with impressive color and razor-sharp detail; sound, bright and unobtrusively cancelled, Superb, *one of just three stamps at this grade, with only two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$575. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "98". Estimate \$400 - 600



1294

1294 ○

1917, 20¢ light ultramarine, perf. 11 (Scott 515), fresh and clean with subdued color, mathematical centering, and vignette-free light cancel, Superb, *one of only three stamps at this grade, with just five higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$280. Estimate \$200 - 300

1918 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
FLAT PLATE, PERF 11

1295 ○

1918, \$2 orange red & black (Scott 523), a bright and cheerful jumbo with luminous color on matching paper, sound with lightly struck c.d.s., Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$1,500. Scott Stamp Values \$850 as a "95". Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1295



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1918-1920 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
OFFSET, PERF 11

1296 ○

1918, 2¢ carmine, type Va, offset printing (Scott 528), a striking jumbo with rich, radiant color and clean impression, Superb, *only two stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$250 as a "98". Estimate \$300 - 400



1297

1297 ○

1918, 2¢ carmine, type VII, offset printing (Scott 528B), grand jumbo with radiant, rich color and crisp detail, sound and mathematically centered, Superb, *one of just five stamps at this grade, a single 100 higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2010 P.S.E. (graded SUP 98J) and 2011 P.F. certificates. SMQ SUP 98J; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$300 as a "98".*
 Estimate \$400 - 600

1918-1920 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
 OFFSET, IMPERF

1298 ○

1918, 2¢ carmine, type V, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 533), the picture of perfection, neatly framed by portions of all surrounding stamps; neat Benton Harbor, Mich. 1921 duplex cancel, Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of nine summiteer stamps in PSE's Population Report, with 2010 and 2013 P.S.E. certificates, each graded GEM 100J. SMQ Gem 100J; \$1,000 as a "100".* Scott Stamp Values \$1,050 as a "100".
 Estimate \$800 - 1,200



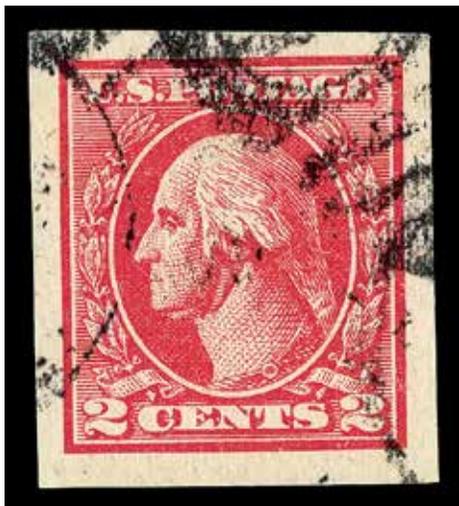
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1299 ○

1918, 2¢ carmine, type Va, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 534), Post Office fresh with gargantuan margins, bright and clean with cancel just punching Washington's nose, Superb, *one of just six stamps at this grade, with only four 100Js higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$275.*
 Estimate \$200 - 300



1300

1300 ○

1918, 2¢ carmine, type VII, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 534B), fresh and bright with near-jumbo margins, the duplex cancel essentially face-free, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2006 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,900. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

1919 VICTORY ISSUE

1301 ○

1919, 3¢ Victory, deep red violet (Scott 537a), "Salem/Ohio" precancel, sound and fresh with robust color on pristine paper, the precancel shifted to top, splitting the bars, nearly Very Fine, attractive and choice, with 2007 A.P.S. certificate. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1301



1302

1302 ○

1921 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, ROTARY COIL WASTE, PERF 11

1921, 2¢ carmine rose, type III, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 (Scott 546), an attractive stamp with rich color, razor-sharp detail, and a mute double-oval cancel, all within balanced margins, Extremely Fine, *one of just three stamps at this grade, with two 95s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$350. Scott \$190. Estimate \$250 - 350



1303

1920 PILGRIM TERCENTENARY ISSUE

1303 ○ 1920, 1¢ Pilgrim (Scott 548), Post Office fresh with bright color and clear impression, mathematically centered with Louisville, KY double-oval cancel, Superb, *one of just two stamps at this grade, with four higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98*; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$250 - 350

1922-1929 FOURTH BUREAU ISSUE

1304 ○ 1923, 2¢ Washington (Scott 554), a simply magnificent stamp, flawlessly printed and centered amid jumbo margins—a first-class Fourth Bureau, Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of only three stamps to summit PSE's Population Report, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ Gem 100J*; \$1,300. Scott Stamp Values \$375 as a “100”. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1304



1305

1305 ○ 1922, 15¢ Statue of Liberty (Scott 566), a pristine jumbo with bold color and crisp detail, the double-oval cancel light and unobtrusive, Superb, *one of just two stamps at this grade, a single 100J higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J*; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$210 as a “98”. Estimate \$300 - 400



1306

1306 ○

1923, 1¢ Franklin, imperf. (Scott 575), horizontal pair, Post Office fresh with proof-like presentation, massive margins capturing portions of all surrounding stamps; neat Benton Harbor, Mich. Feb. [3?] 1927 duplex, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, one of only three such pairs in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ **Gem 100J**; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$380 as "100" singles. Estimate \$350 - 500

1307 ○

1923, 1¢ Franklin, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 x 10 (Scott 578), magnificently centered with rich color, clean lines, and the faintest possible face-free cancel, Extremely Fine, *only three stamps grade thus, with a single 95 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$325. Scott \$160. Estimate \$200 - 300



1307



1308

1308 ○

1923, 2¢ Washington, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 (Scott 595), clean and sound with exceptional color, crispness and centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, one of only two stamps to attain this highest grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 1998 P.F. and 2010 & 2013 P.S.E. certificates, the latter two graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$3,150. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000 as a "95". Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1309

1309 ○

1923, 2¢ Washington, type I, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 599), perfect in all respects, with rich color, clean impression and meticulous centering, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*; one of only two stamps at this summit grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$350 - 500



1310

1310 ○

1923, 2¢ Washington, carmine lake color error, rotary press coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 606a), joint line pair, sound and alluring with bold color, razor-sharp detail and superior centering; neat, near-complete slogan cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, unpriced used in Scott, *just a single 98 is recorded in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.S.E. and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$2,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1311

1924 HUGUENOT-WALLOON TERCENTENARY ISSUE

1311 ○

1924, 1¢ Huguenot-Walloon (Scott 614), pristine jumbo with immense color depth and sharp detail, lightly cancelled and fresh, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, one of only two stamps at this apex grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "98". Estimate \$400 - 600



1312

1312 ○

1924, 2¢ Huguenot-Walloon (Scott 615), a gorgeous stamp with entrancing color, exquisitely centered amid jumbo margins and lightly cancelled, Superb, *a Solo Top of the Pop; the next nearest grade recorded in PSE's Population Report being five 98s*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ Gem 100J; \$750 as a "100". Scott Stamp Values \$700 as a "100". Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1925 LEXINGTON-CONCORD SESQUICENTENARY ISSUE

1313 ○

1925, 2¢ Lexington-Concord (Scott 618), Post Office fresh with rich color and razor-sharp detail, gorgeously centered with jumbo-bordering margins, Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, a single 100J higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98*. SMQ SUP 98; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$340. Estimate \$200 - 300



1313



1314

1314 ○

1925, 5¢ Lexington-Concord (Scott 619), pristine with crisp color and detail, magnificently centered amid margins that should have been called jumbo, cleanly cancelled at left, Superb, *one of only nine stamps at this grade, a single 98J higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98*. SMQ SUP 98; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500



1315

1925 NORSE-AMERICAN ISSUE

- 1315 ○ 1925, 2¢ Norse-American (Scott 620), simply breathtaking with proof-like colors and impression, mathematically centered amid large white margins, with Cleveland, Ohio double-oval postmark, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, PSE's *Population Report* recording just three stamps at this highest grade, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$300. Estimate \$250 - 350

- 1316 ○ 1925, 5¢ Norse-American (Scott 621), pristine with strong colors and clean detail, bright and mathematically centered, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*; only four stamps recorded at this apex grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.A.G. and 2017 P.F. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$295. Estimate \$250 - 350



1316



1317

1925-1929 ISSUES

- 1317 ○ 1926, 13¢ Harrison (Scott 622), bottom margin single, pretty marginal with crisp detail in rich color, flawlessly centered with boxed "Fayettev[ille]/W.V." postmark, Superb, SMQ for a 100 \$450, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$225 as a "98". Scott Stamp Values \$275 as a "98". Estimate \$200 - 300



1318

1318 ○

1926, 2¢ Sesquicentennial Exposition (Scott 627), perfectly centered and crisply printed in subdued color; light slogan cancel, Superb, *a Solo Top of the Pop*—the only stamp at this summit grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ **Gem 100**; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$400 - 600

1319 ○

1926, 5¢ Ericsson (Scott 628), bright and fresh with enticing color and centering; Washington, DC duplex *First Day* cancel, one of just five stamps at this grade, a single 98J higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$330. Estimate \$250 - 350



1319



UNITED STATES



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1320 ○ 1926, White Plains souvenir sheet of 25, *First Day cancelled* (Scott 630), bottom right plate number 18773 pane, with multiple violet Exhibition cancels dated Oct. 18, 1926, fresh and sound with deep color and sharp detail, Fine to Very Fine, with 2008 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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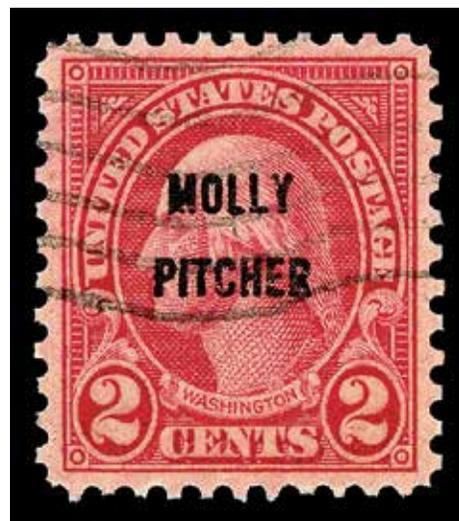
1321 ○ 1928, 2¢ Washington, type II, rotary press printing (Scott 634A), Post Office fresh jumbo with intense color and razor-sharp detail; duplex cancel nearly face-free, Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, one of only two such-graded stamps in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$575. Scott Stamp Values \$375 as a "98". Estimate \$500 - 750



1322

1322 ○ 1927, 2¢ Burgoyne (Scott 644), a breathtaking jumbo in deep, rich color on immaculate white paper, Superb, *the sole stamp at this grade in PSE's Population Report, with a single 100 higher*; with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "98". Estimate \$300 - 400

1323 ○ 1928, 2¢ Molly Pitcher (Scott 646), Post Office fresh with rich color and clean impression and overprint; sound and lightly cancelled, Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$250 - 350



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1324

1324 ○ 1928, 2¢ Hawaii (Scott 647), a beauty with deep, rich color and near-perfect centering, sound with faint cancel, Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of only two stamps at this summit grade in PSE's Population Report, ex Gavula*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400



1325

1325 ○ **1928, 2¢ Civil Aeronautics (Scott 649)**, Post Office fresh with captivating color and clarity, sound with near-perfect centering amid jumbo margins; *green Conference slogan cancel*, Superb, *one of just two stamps at this grade, with two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "98". Estimate \$300 - 400

1326 ○ **1928, 5¢ Civil Aeronautics (Scott 650)**, the high-flyer of the issue, sound with deep color, flawless centering amid jumbo margins, and a corner double-oval cancel, Superb, *a Solo Top of the Pop; the only stamp at this highest-possible grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ Gem 100J; \$950. Scott Stamp Values \$700 as a "100". Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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1327 ○ **1929, 2¢ George Rogers Clark (Scott 651)**, Post Office fresh jumbo with rich color and sharp detail; Vincennes, Ind. double-oval postmark adds to the appeal, Superb, *a Solo Top of the Pop, the only stamp at this highest grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ Gem 100J; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$450 as a "100". Estimate \$600 - 800



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1929 KANSAS-NEBRASKA ISSUE

1328 ○ 1929, 1¢ Kans. (Scott 658), beautifully centered in rich, radiant color, sound and fresh with lightly struck RPO c.d.s., Superb, unpriced in SMQ, *only three stamps grade thus, with a single 98J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$300 - 400

1329 ○ 1929, 2¢ Kans. (Scott 660), pristine with bold color, clear impression and mathematical centering; *cancelled only on bottom left perforation*, Superb, unpriced in SMQ, *only three stamps grade thus, a single 98J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400

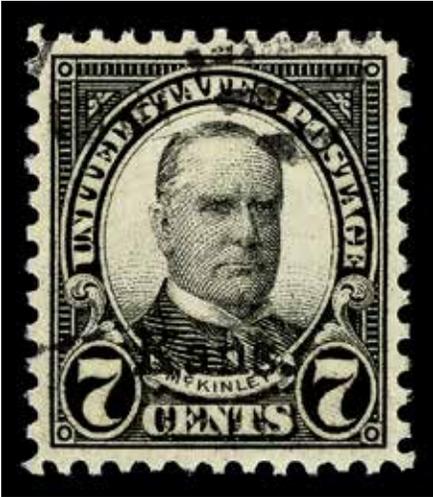


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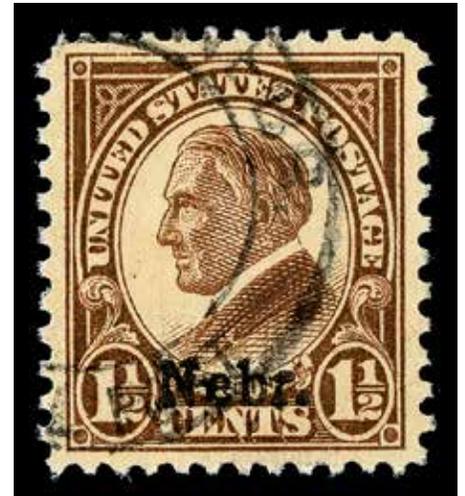
1330 ○ 1929, 4¢ Kans. (Scott 662), pristine and bright with rich color and mathematical centering amid jumbo margins; cancel at bottom completely face-free, Superb, *a Solo Top of the Pop, the only stamp at this summit grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$675. Scott Stamp Values \$450 as a "98". Estimate \$500 - 750



1331

1331 ○

1929, 7¢ Kans. (Scott 665), Post Office fresh with bold color and clean impression, flawlessly centered with a face-free cancel, Superb, a *Top of the Pop*; one of only three stamps at this summit grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2010 and 2013 P.S.E. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$600. Scott Stamp Values \$675. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1332 ○

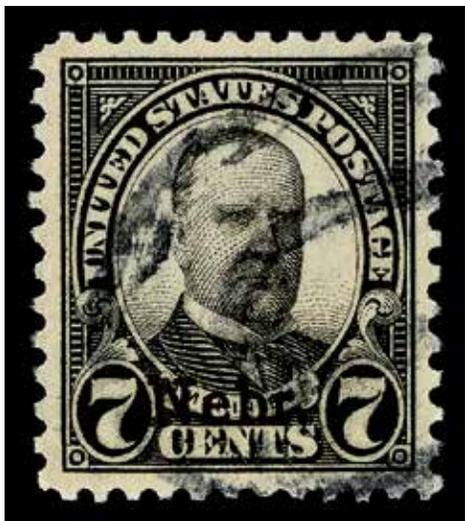
1929, 1½¢ Nebr. (Scott 670), pristine and sound with robust color and sharp detail, the double-oval postmark essentially face-free, Superb, a *Solo Top of the Pop*; the only stamp thus graded (its nearest competitor a single 98) in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$350 - 500



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1333 ○

1929, 5¢ Nebr. (Scott 674), a grand stamp with luxuriant color, exceptional centering, and a faintly struck cancel, Superb, one of just two stamps at this grade, a single 98J higher, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$500. Estimate \$300 - 400



1334

1334 ○

1929, 7¢ Nebr. (Scott 676), fresh with sharp detail and clear overprint, sound within jumbo margins; mute double-oval cancel, Superb, *a Solo Top of the Pop*, the only stamp to summit PSE's *Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$525 as a "98". Estimate \$500 - 750

1929-1937 ISSUES

1335 ○

1931, 2¢ Yorktown (Scott 703), an all-around winning stamp, in luxuriant color, sharp detail, and with unobtrusive wavy line cancel, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, one of just two stamps at this apex grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$475. Estimate \$400 - 600



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CONFEDERACY POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS

1336 ○

Mobile, Ala., 1861, 5¢ blue (Scott 58X2), with proof-like color and clarity on bright white paper, sound with three full margins (top wide) and bold socked-on-the-nose Mobile double-circle datestamp of Dec. 14, 1861, Extremely Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$450. Estimate \$400 - 600



1337

GENERAL ISSUES

- 1337 ○ **1862, 10¢ rose (Scott 5)**, a stellar stamp with bright color and Richmond c.d.s. of Sept. 15, 1862; large, balanced margins border on the jumbo, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,500. Scott \$400. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

- 1338 ○ **1863, 10¢ gray blue, “T-E-N” (Scott 9b)**, fresh and clean with rich color and clear impression, solidly centered on bright paper with essentially face-free c.d.s., Very Fine, with 1984 and 2000 P.F. certificates. Scott \$600. Estimate \$500 - 750



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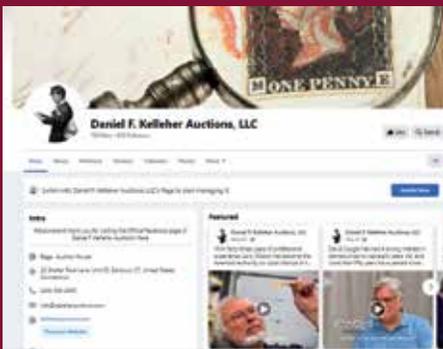
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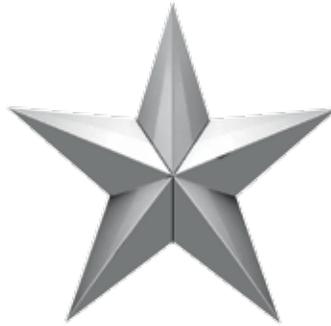
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Over \$500 to \$1,000; increase by \$50	Over \$30,000 to \$70,000; increase by \$2,500
Over \$1,000 to \$3,000; increase by \$100	Over \$70,000 to \$130,000; increase by \$5,000
Over \$3,000 to \$7,500; increase by \$250	Over \$130,000 at discretion of auctioneer.

Symbols Used

★★ Mint Never Hinged	☒ Cover	NYFM New York Foreign Mail
★ Mint with Gum	○ Used	TC Trial Color Proof
(★) Unused, No Gum/Regummed	S Specimen	SL Straight Line
R Reprint	E Essay	MS Manuscript
P Proof	▲ Piece	
o.g. Original gum	▣ Block	

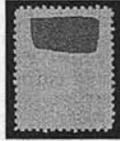
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	Mint Never Hinged Free from any disturbance	Lightly Hinged Faint impression of a removed hinge over a small area	Hinge Mark or Remnant Prominent hinged spot; may have part or all of the hinge remaining	Large part o.g. Approximately half or more of the gum intact	Small part o.g. Approximately less than half of the gum intact	No gum Only if issued with gum
Commonly Used Symbol:	★★	★	★	★	★	(★)

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Superb	Extraordinary item in the finest condition.
Extremely Fine (XF)	A stamp or cover of outstanding and exceptional quality.
Very Fine (VF)	Scott Catalog's standard. Stamps will present a nice, balanced appearance. Covers appear new or show only minimal wear.
Fine-Very Fine (F-VF)	Stamp and/or covers are sound. Stamps are fully margined but noticeably off-center. Covers show normal travel wear.
Fine (F)	Sound in all aspects. Perforated stamps will have the perforations clear of the design; imperforate stamps will not be cut into to any significant degree. Covers show extensive wear.
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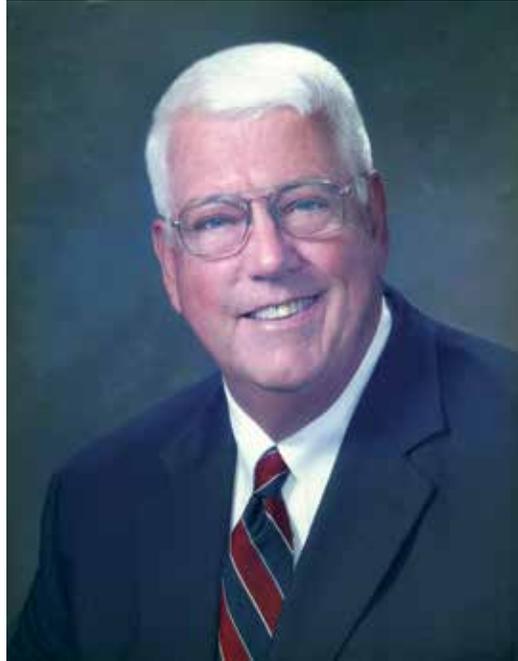
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Collection Lots

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Please note that late payment for purchases may, at Daniel F. Kelleher's option, be considered just cause to revoke all return privileges.

Featured Biography



Carlton B. Crenshaw

Carlton Crenshaw is a man whose accomplishments would overshadow most. He is one of those “larger-than-life” folks whose dedication to others never took a backseat. Maintaining his kind and gentle side, he strove to help others by utilizing his success. Earning a graduate degree from NYU in one year, first in his class, was one of the lofty goals he set and achieved. He later assisted with the NYU Stern MBA program, again giving back more than he received. He was a Bronze Star recipient for his service as a Marine in Vietnam, and an accomplished businessman, starting at the Sperry Corporation and becoming a corporate officer in just three years’ time. During his last 20 years in business, he was CFO for three companies, two of which he helped to take public. One of the gems he shared with us: “The most important lesson that I have learned in business is to never give up and keep moving forward. Every day is not perfect. If you can learn one new thing every day, that will really help you. You face many challenges that you have to overcome. Perseverance is a great concept and word.”

Carlton started collecting stamps at the age of 8. He would acquire them any way he could and shared that he would “dumpster-dive”, searching through trash cans and dumpsters to get stamps until he had the money to start buying them. He has even gotten one of his granddaughters interested in collecting. He formed several collections and, as they got close to completion, would sell them allowing others to enjoy them as he did.

Carlton is the founder of the Marine Corps League in Charlottesville, VA and was one of the founders of the Marine Corps Museum in Woodbridge, VA.

It is a great pleasure to be entrusted to bring his last collection of Quality United States Singles, both used and mint, to market. He was ever so proud of his coil issues, which are especially nice. Please enjoy this collection, as Carlton would want you to.

CONDITIONS OF SALE - Public Auction

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2. (a) Bids shall be made in the steps set forth on the bidding page for increments. (b) The highest bid acknowledged by the auctioneer shall prevail. Should a dispute arise between bidders (including a dispute between a floor or internet bidder and the auctioneer acting on behalf of a mail bidder, consignor or vendor, the auctioneer alone shall determine who the successful bidder is and whether to reoffer the lot in dispute. Should a dispute arise after the sale, the auctioneer's sale records shall be conclusive. On all lots sold, a commission of 20% * on the hammer price is payable by the buyer to the auctioneer together with any sales and use tax or customs duties. (c) Lots may be re-opened as necessary to accommodate connectivity issues or incorrect bids.

3. (a) The auctioneer reserves the right to bid on behalf of clients (and consignors or vendors) but shall not be liable for errors and omissions in executing instructions to bid, however received, and whether such errors or omissions be those of the bidder or agent or those of the auctioneer.

(b) Lots are offered subject to a reserve price. The auctioneer will implement such reserve price by bidding on behalf of the consignor/ vendor. (c) It may also be assumed that all consignors have been advanced monies against the sale of their consigned material and Kelleher therefore has a security interest in the consigned material over and above the normal auction commission.

(d) Purchases made by a consignor or vendor or his agent on his own lots shall be considered as a sale subject to commissions and sales tax as applicable.

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5. Title shall not pass to the purchaser until full payment has been received by Kelleher as agents for the consignor or vendor.

6. (a) Purchasers agree to pay for lots as specified in Condition of Sale 4 (or as the same may be modified by Condition of Sale 8), and no credit is extended; a late payment charge of 2% per month or fraction thereof shall be added if payment is not made in accordance with the aforesaid conditions.

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(c) A defaulting purchaser shall be deemed to have granted Kelleher a security interest in property in Kelleher's possession owned by such purchaser. Kelleher shall have all of the rights afforded a purchase money secured party under the Connecticut Uniform Commercial Code (UCC) with respect to such property and may apply against such obligations all monies held or received by it for the account of, or due from Kelleher to such purchaser. Kelleher is authorized to file a Financing Statement in order to perfect its rights as a secured party.

(d) If Kelleher takes any legal steps to secure payment of a delinquent account, the defaulting purchaser shall be liable for all legal and other expenses incurred by Kelleher to secure such payment, including but not limited to a reasonable allowance for attorneys' fees. For purposes of this paragraph, the term legal steps shall be deemed to include any and all consultation by Kelleher with its attorneys with respect to all matters arising out of a delinquent account.

(e) Unless otherwise acceptable to Kelleher, payment is to be made only in the form of cash, bank check or certified check, personal check (which must clear prior to delivery of lots), credit card (AMEX, Visa, MasterCard and Discover), PayPal or a bank ACH or wire transfer. Payments made by credit card are accepted as a courtesy without surcharge.

WIRING INSTRUCTIONS:

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EXHIBITION AND INSPECTION OF LOTS; QUALITY AND AUTHENTICITY

7. (a) See viewing schedule for on-premises viewing and please note that we are a certified State of CT, COVID-19 compliant business. As the guidance and rules change, please refer to the CT.GOV

or CDC.GOV websites. Ample opportunity is given for on premises inspection prior to the auction date, by appointment only, and upon written request and at Kelleher's discretion. Live video viewing is also available, please contact our offices to arrange same, at least one week prior to the sale date.

(b) Each lot is sold as genuine and correctly described, based on individual description as modified by any specific notations in this Catalogue or as announced at the time of sale.

(c) Quality. Any lot which a purchaser considers to be incorrectly described and was not examined by the bidder or his agent prior to the sale, may be returned to Kelleher within two weeks of its receipt by such purchaser ("Returning Purchaser"), provided, however, that the same is received by Kelleher within four weeks of the date of the auction and in its original packaging; however, Kelleher may, in its discretion, refuse acceptance of such returned lot. If an opinion of a mutually acceptable authority is desired (Extension), the period of time within which a lot must be received by Kelleher will be extended in accordance with Condition of Sale 7(g). In the event that a dispute cannot be resolved by reference to a mutually acceptable authority, and Kelleher thereupon undertakes to re-offer the lot with a description identical to the description disputed, the Returning Purchaser shall be liable for the deficiency, if any, between the proceeds of the sale to the Returning Purchaser and the proceeds of a sale to a subsequent purchaser, as well as for all costs and expenses of the re-sale, including commission, and all incidental damages. Any lot, the description of which is disputed, must be returned intact and in the original packaging and in the condition received (unaltered) by the purchaser. The following lots are not returnable except at the discretion of Kelleher: (i) lots from purchasers who attended the exhibition of the lots; (ii) lots examined by postal viewers; (iii) lots on account of their appearance, if they are illustrated in this Catalogue or online; (iv) lots described as having repairs, defects or faults for any reason. (v) lots containing more than ten (10) items. (d) Authenticity. Any lot which is declared other than genuine by a mutually recognized authority is returnable, provided such lot is received by Kelleher within four weeks of the date of the auction. Proof that a mutually acceptable authority declines to express an opinion is not grounds for the return of a lot. (e) Expenses incurred by a purchaser in the submission and the return of a lot under Conditions of Sale 7 is not subject to refund. (f) Numerical grading is subjective and is based upon the condition of each issue. Lots may not be returned if a third party grades a stamp at lower than our grade. (g) Lots with existing certificates from the Philatelic Foundation (PF) or Professional Stamp Experts (PSE), British Philatelic Association (BPA), Royal Philatelic Society (London) (RPSL) and Australia (RPSA), Vincent Graves Greene Foundation (VGG) or any other expertizing authority as recognized by the International Association of Philatelic Experts (AIEP), for items within their specialty and dated within the last seven (7) years from the date of sale, will be offered and sold on an "as-is" basis and as so stated on the certificate. Such lots may not be returned for any reason, including but not limited to a contrary verbal or written opinion or certificate.

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8. Unless presentation of satisfactory proof that it is exempted by law, a purchaser shall pay to Kelleher the compensating Sales and/or use taxes of any State claiming jurisdiction, which is being collected, reported and remitted to said State, based upon the Supreme Court Wayfair legislation enacted June, 2018. Buyers outside the U.S. are responsible for all customs duties. A purchaser shall indemnify Kelleher and hold it harmless of and from any claims of any jurisdiction for sales taxes relating to the purchase of articles at the auction, whenever the same may arise.

APPLICABLE LAW, JURISDICTION, ETC.

9. All matters arising out of this auction shall be governed by the laws of the State of Connecticut without giving effect to the choice of law principles thereof.

ARBITRATION

10. Any controversy or claim arising out of or relating to this auction shall be settled by arbitration in the City of New York, State of New York in accordance with the Rules of the American Arbitration Association and judgment upon the award rendered by the Arbitrator or Arbitrators may be entered in any Court having jurisdiction.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE OF ACTIONS

11. The purchaser at this auction (a) consents and submits to the jurisdiction of the Courts of the State of Connecticut and of the Courts of the United States for a judicial district within the territorial limits of the State of Connecticut for all matters arising out of this auction sale, including, without limitation, any action or proceeding instituted for the enforcement of any right, remedy, obligation and liability arising under or by reason thereof; and (b) consents and submits to the venue of such action or proceeding in the City of Danbury, County of Fairfield, State of Connecticut (or such judicial district of a Court of the United States as shall include the same, and (c) further consents that service of process in any action relating thereto may be effected by registered mail, return receipt requested address to the purchase at the address given to the auctioneer at the time of the sale.

BIDDING STEPS

12. Bidding Steps (Increments) are as published; bids made out of increment will be reduced to the next increment. Example: \$603 bid will be reduced to \$600, etc. "Split" or "Slice" bids are not accepted.

BIDS BY TELEPHONE

(a) Must be confirmed in writing unless waived by the auctioneer. (b) Any errors are the responsibility of the bidder. (c) No bids accepted less than 1 hour before the commencement of the sale.

BIDS BY FAX OR EMAIL

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Please call us at (203) 830-2500 to reserve your phone bidding space

STAMP AUCTION NETWORK (SAN)

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At our offices in Danbury, CT

Lots 1501-1848



1501

UNITED STATES POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS

1501 ★ Providence, R.I., 1846, 5¢ gray black (Scott 10X1), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh four-margined example with clean impression and crisp color, Extremely Fine, unpriced in SMQ, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90. Scott \$325. Estimate \$350 - 500

1875 REPRODUCTIONS OF THE 1847 ISSUE

1502 (★) 1847 (1875 Reproduction), 5¢ red brown (Scott 3), without gum as issued, a balanced, four-margined example, Post Office fresh with rich color and clean impression, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,400. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

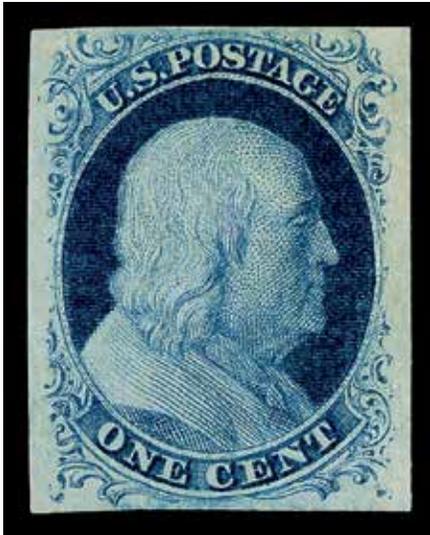


1502



1503

1503 (★) 1847 (1875 Reproduction), 10¢ black (Scott 4), without gum as issued, superior example with intense color on fresh paper, sound with full, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$2,500. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1504

1851 ISSUE

1504 ★ 1851, 1¢ blue, type II (Scott 7), o.g., very lightly hinged, select example with bold color on like-new paper, margins full and showing complete Type characteristics, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,250. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



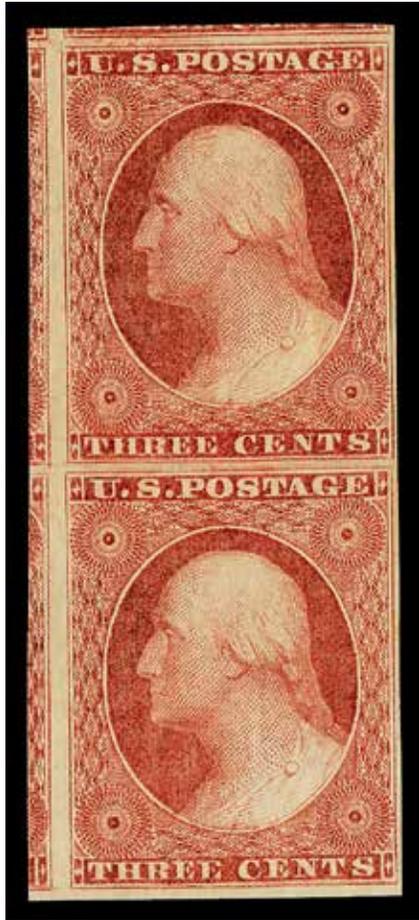
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1505 ★ 1852, 1¢ blue, type IV (Scott 9), o.g., lightly hinged, a lovely stamp with suffused, deep color in superior centering showing full ornamentation, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,500. Scott \$725. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1506

1506 ★ 1852, 3¢ dull red, type I (Scott 11), horizontal pair, o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh and sound, wondrously bright color on matching paper with full to oversized margins all around, Extremely Fine, with 1987 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,100 as singles. Scott \$650. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1507

1507 ★

1852, 3¢ dull red, type II (Scott 11A), positions 82-92L5L, vertical pair, o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with intense color and clean impression, three full to oversized margins (capturing at top and left), right side, Extremely Fine, with 1982 P.F. and 2023 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,100 as singles. Scott \$550. Estimate \$600 - 800

1508 (★)

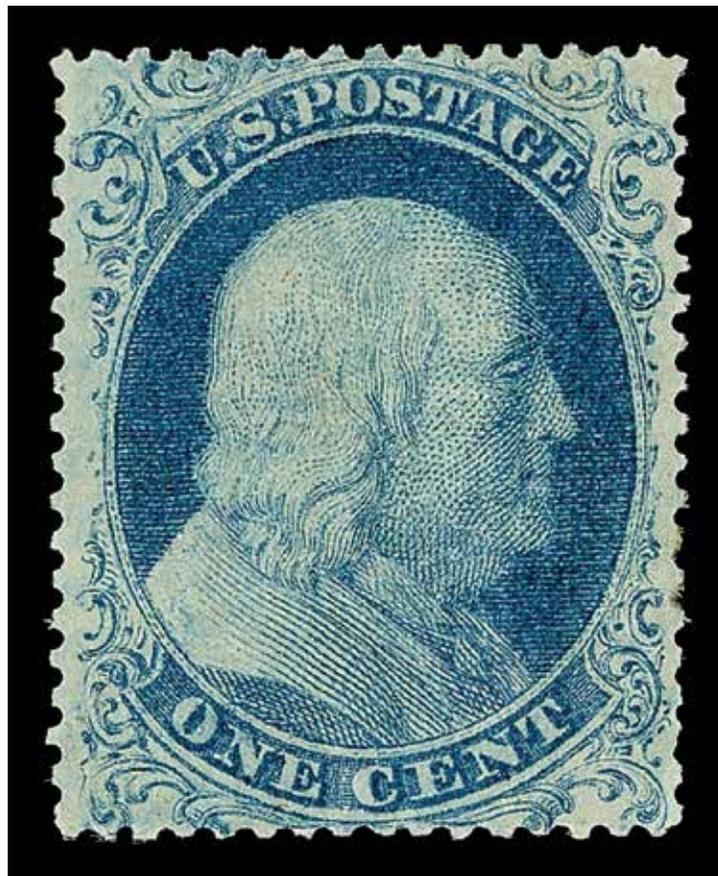
1855, 10¢ green, type II (Scott 14), unused without gum, a striking stamp with bold color and balanced full to oversized margins; faint scrape at left, otherwise Extremely Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1508



1857 ISSUE



1509

1509 ★

1861, 1¢ blue, type I (Scott 18), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with luxuriantly cool color on like-new paper, sound with superior centering capturing full ornamentation, Extremely Fine, *a Top of the Pop*, *PSE's Population Report records just seven stamps at this highest grade*, with 2018 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$5,750. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



1510

1510 ★

1857, 1¢ blue, type II (Scott 20), plate 2, o.g., very lightly hinged, sound and fresh with radiantly bright color on pristine paper; superior centering captures all ornaments, Extremely Fine, *one of only seven stamps at this grade, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$4,250. Scott Stamp Values \$4,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1511

1511 ★

1857, 1¢ blue, type V (Scott 24), o.g., very lightly hinged, pristine with proof-like color and crisp detail, wondrously centered on immaculate paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, with only four stamps recorded at this top grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$675. Estimate \$600 - 800

1512 ★★

1857, 3¢ dull red, type III (Scott 26), o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous stamp, with bright color on radiant paper, sound and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine, unpriced never hinged by Scott, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$625. Estimate \$400 - 600



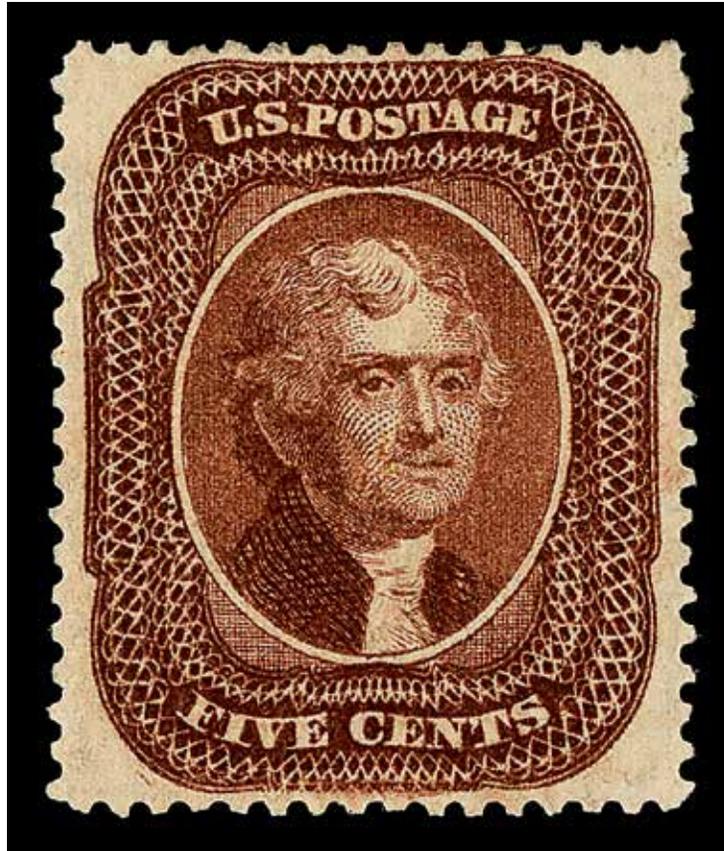
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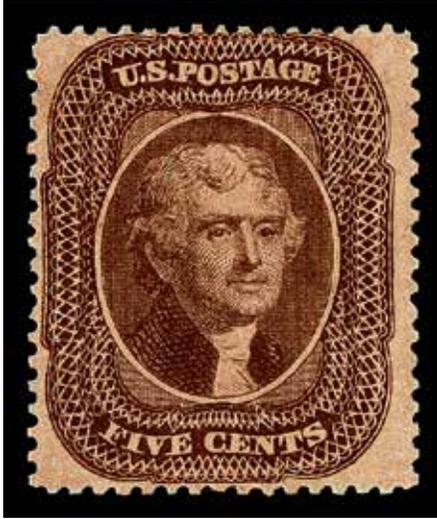
1513 ★★

1857, 3¢ dull red, type III (Scott 26), o.g., never hinged, a welcome addition to any collection, with radiant color, clean lines, and rarely encountered centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, unpriced never hinged in Scott, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,375. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1514

- 1514 ★ 1861, 5¢ orange brown, type II (Scott 30), o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with intense color and exceptional centering, Extremely Fine, *only three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,300. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1515

1515 ★

1860, 5¢ brown, type II (Scott 30A), o.g., hinged, sound example with immense color depth and clean impression; three balanced margins (right wide) on paper showing evidence of plate wash, Very Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$2,250. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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1516 ★

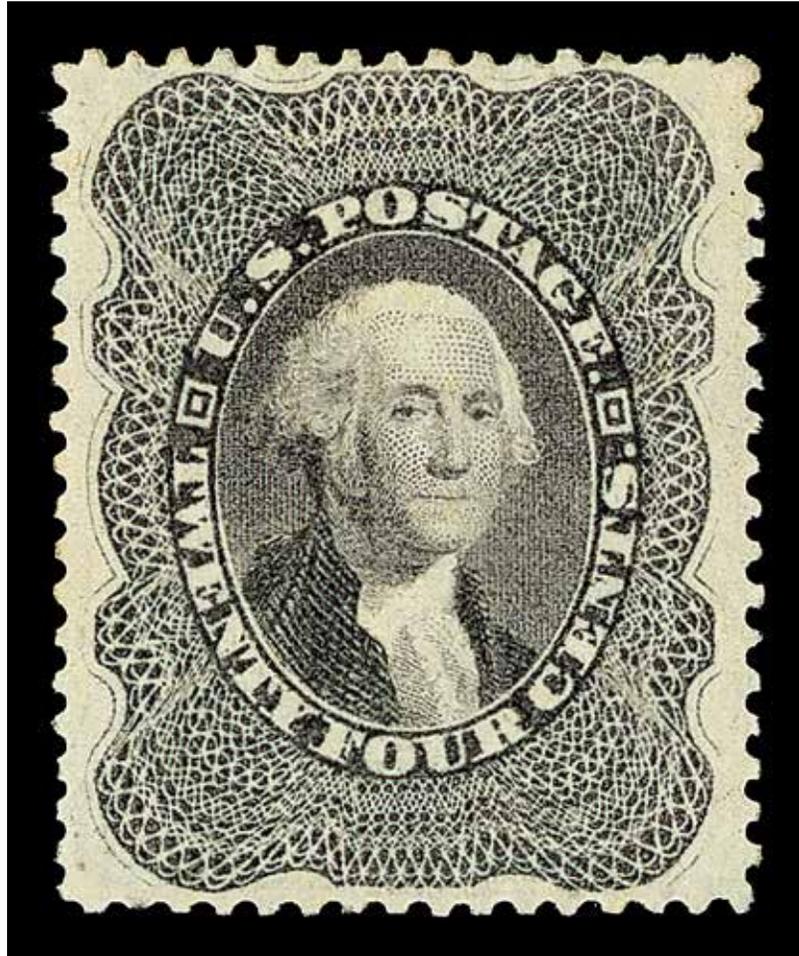
1859, 10¢ green, type V (Scott 35), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with extravagant color and clean impression, massively margined showing full ornamentation; an all-around pretty stamp, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just seven stamps so graded, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,200. Scott Stamp Values \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1517

1517 ★

1859, 12¢ black, plate III (Scott 36B), o.g., lightly hinged, clean with deep, bold color and crisp lines, in superior centering for this normally tight issue, Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,850. Scott \$800. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1518

1518 ★

1860, 24¢ gray lilac (Scott 37), o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with textbook color and razor sharp detail, beautifully centered on pristine paper, Extremely Fine, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,250. Scott \$1,450.

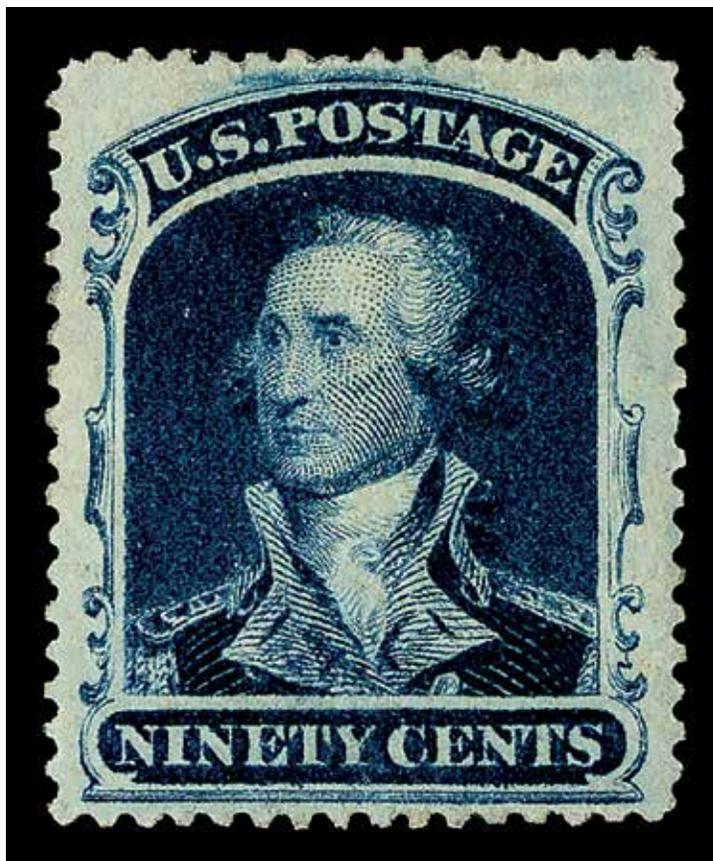
Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



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1519 ★

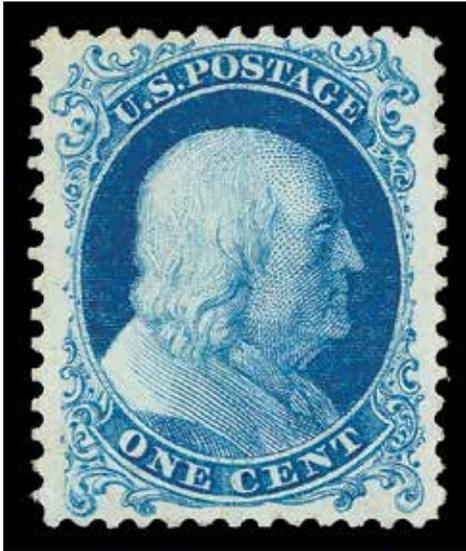
1860, 30¢ orange (Scott 38), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with bright color and superior centering, sound and alluring, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1983, 2003 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$5,000. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



1520

1520 ★

1860, 90¢ blue (Scott 39), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with profound color and strong lines, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1971 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$7,000. Scott \$3,000.
Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

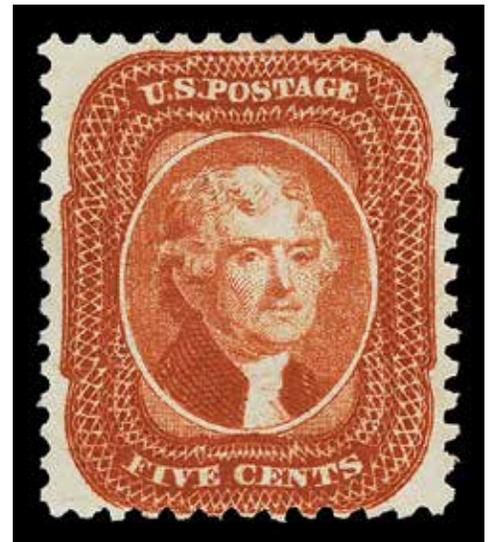


1521

1875 REPRINTS OF THE 1857 ISSUE

1521 (★) **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 1¢ bright blue (Scott 40)**, without gum as issued, incredibly bright with rich color, sharp detail, and superior centering on glowing paper, Extremely Fine, *only 3846 sold; just eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2002 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,000. Scott \$650. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

1522 (★) **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 5¢ orange brown (Scott 42)**, without gum as issued, pristine with radiant color on immaculate paper, crisply printed, centered just to bottom, Fine to Very Fine, *only 878 sold*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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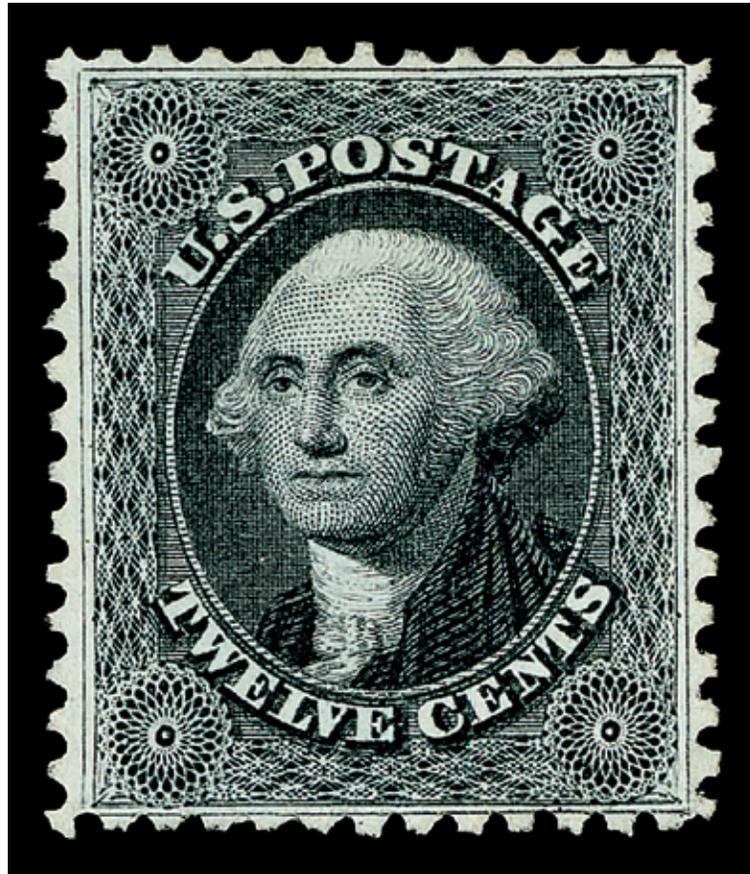
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1523 (★)

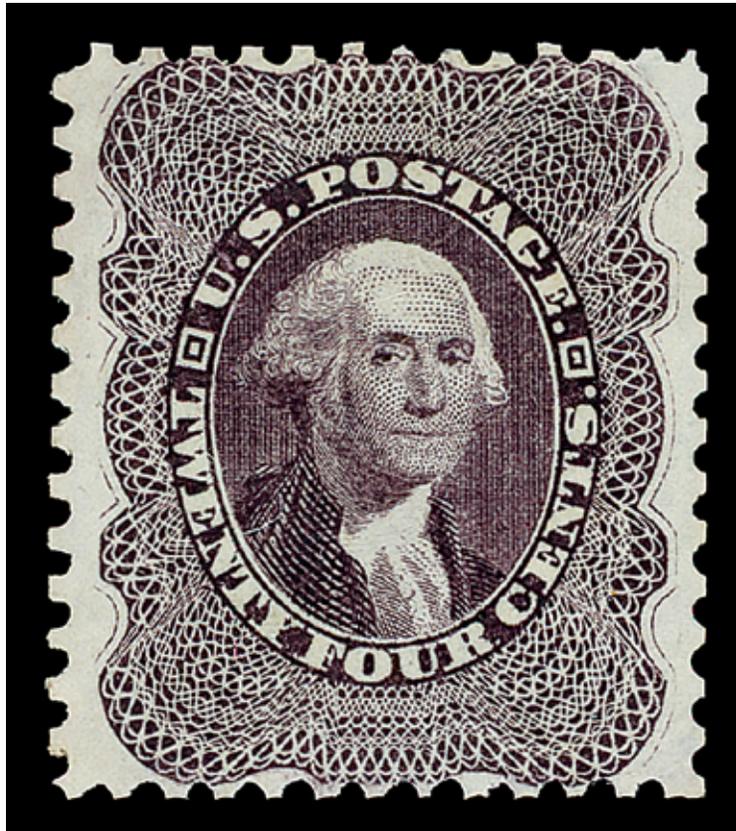
1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 5¢ orange brown (Scott 42), without gum as issued, a beauty with radiant color, clean impression, and superior centering on bright paper, Extremely Fine, *only 878 sold; just three stamps grade thus, with two 95s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1969, 2000 and 2023 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$5,250. Scott Stamp Values \$5,750. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



1524

1524 (★)

1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 12¢ greenish black (Scott 44), without gum as issued, in true proof-like condition, beautifully centered on immaculate paper, Extremely Fine, *only 489 sold; one of just five stamps to grade thus, with a single 90J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2002 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$8,500. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000



1525

1525 (★)

1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 24¢ blackish violet (Scott 45), without gum as issued, a gorgeous stamp, with immense color depth on immaculate paper, perfectly centered amid its margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 479 sold*, with 1990 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,250. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



1526

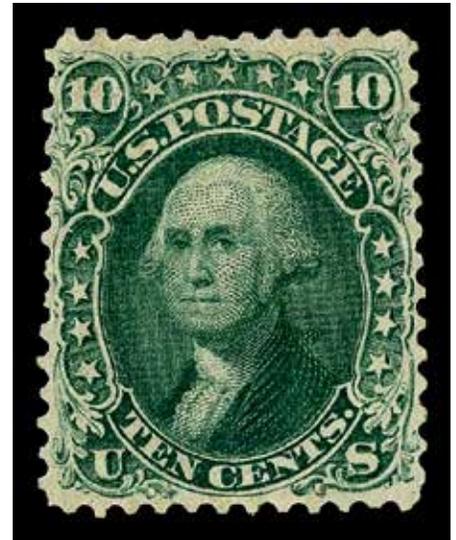
1526 (★)

1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 30¢ yellow orange (Scott 46), without gum as issued, fresh with rich, radiant color, fault-free and bright with solid centering, Very Fine, *only 480 sold*, with 2017 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

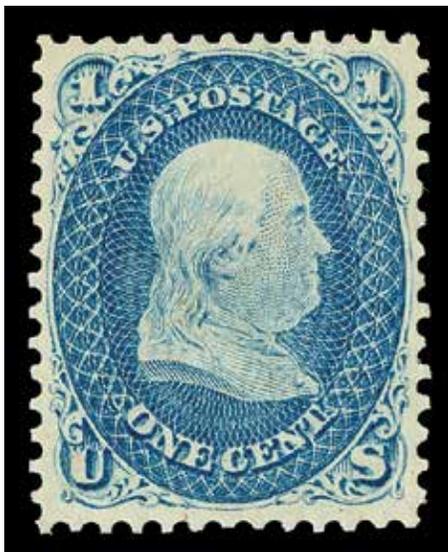
1861 PREMIERE GRAVURES

1528 ★

1861, 10¢ dark green, First Design (Scott 62B), o.g., lightly hinged, face-fresh with robust color and crisp impression; reperfornated at top and left, diagonal crease at bottom left, Very Fine appearance. Scott \$8,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1528



1529

1861-1866 ISSUE

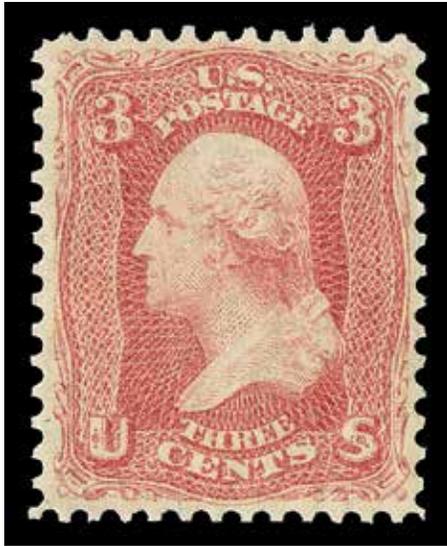
1529 ★

1861, 1¢ blue (Scott 63), o.g. (very) lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with bright, clean color and crisp detail; lovely centering on bright white paper, Extremely Fine, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1987 P.F. and 2012 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$800. Scott \$275. Estimate \$600 - 800



1527

- 1527 (★) **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 90¢ deep blue (Scott 47)**, without gum as issued, an immaculate stamp with deep, bold color and razor-sharp lines, wonderfully centered on like-new paper, Extremely Fine, *only 454 sold; just five stamps grade thus, with two 95s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 P.F. and 2017 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$8,000. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500



1530

1530 ★

1861, 3¢ rose pink (Scott 64b), o.g., very lightly hinged, pristine with unblemished color and clear impression, sound and alluring, Extremely Fine, a *Top of the Pop*; PSE's *Population Report* recording just a single stamp at this highest grade, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,350. Scott \$800. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1531

1531 ★

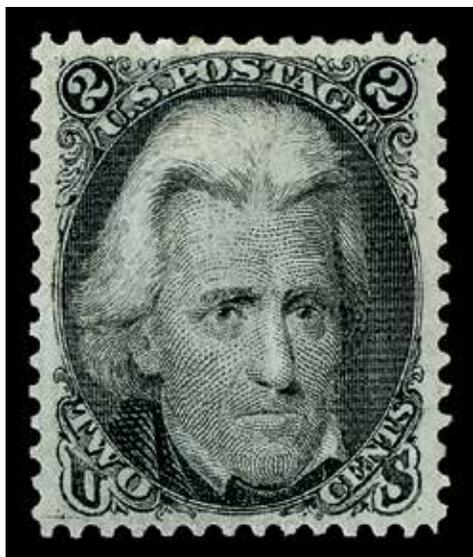
1861, 3¢ rose (Scott 65), o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with bright color and outstanding centering, Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$350. Scott \$125. Estimate \$250 - 350



1532

1532 (★)

1861, 90¢ blue (Scott 72), unused without gum, pristine with alluring color and clarity, sound with large, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade thus, with just four higher*, in PSE's *Population Report*, with 1978 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,500. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1533

1533 ★

1863, 2¢ black (Scott 73), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with enticing color and detail, exceptionally well centered; a true condition rarity, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of just six stamps at this top grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$3,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000*

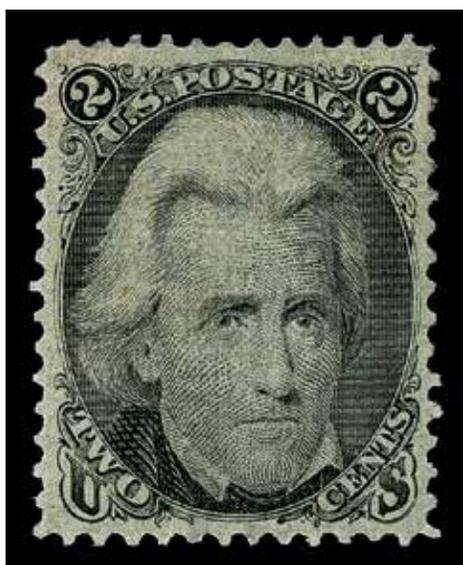
1534 (★)

1863, 5¢ brown (Scott 76), unused without gum, Post Office fresh with strong color and crisp detail, perforations clear on all four sides, Very Fine, with 2001 P.F. certificate. Scott \$550.

Estimate \$300 - 400



1534



1535

1867 GRILLED ISSUE

1535 ★

1867, 2¢ black, F. grill (Scott 93), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with subdued, suffused color and face-visible grill, all in superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade thus, with two 95s higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2003 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,650. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800*



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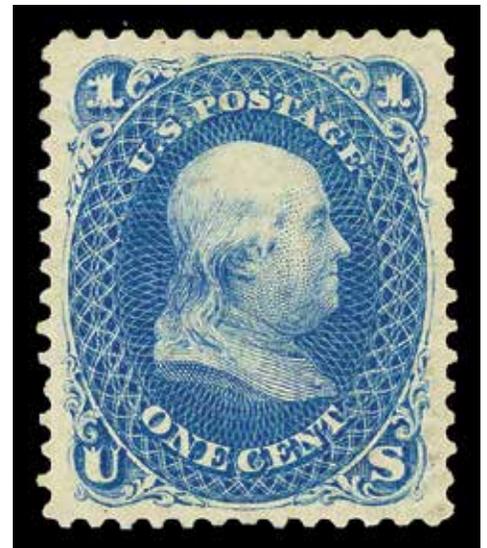
1536 ★

1867, 3¢ red, F. grill (Scott 94), o.g., lightly hinged, crisply printed in luxuriant, fresh color, sound with face-visible grill and exceptional centering, Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade thus, with five higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 2017 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,100. Scott Stamp Values \$1,000.* Estimate \$800 - 1,200

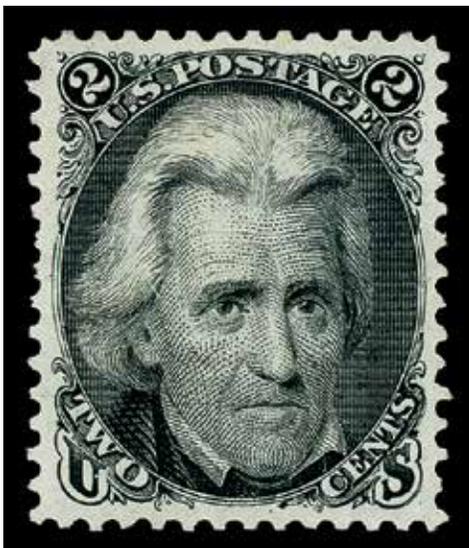
1875 RE-ISSUE OF THE 1861-1866 ISSUE

1537 ★

1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 1¢ blue (Scott 102), o.g., previously hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color and clean detail, near-perfectly centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only 3195 sold; just five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report, with 1995 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,750.* Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1537



1538

1538 (★)

1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 2¢ black (Scott 103), unused without gum, attention-grabbing with proof-like presentation and superior centering on pristine paper, Extremely Fine, *only 979 sold; one of just four stamps at this grade, with two higher; in PSE's Population Report, with 1989 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$2,800. Scott \$1,600.* Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

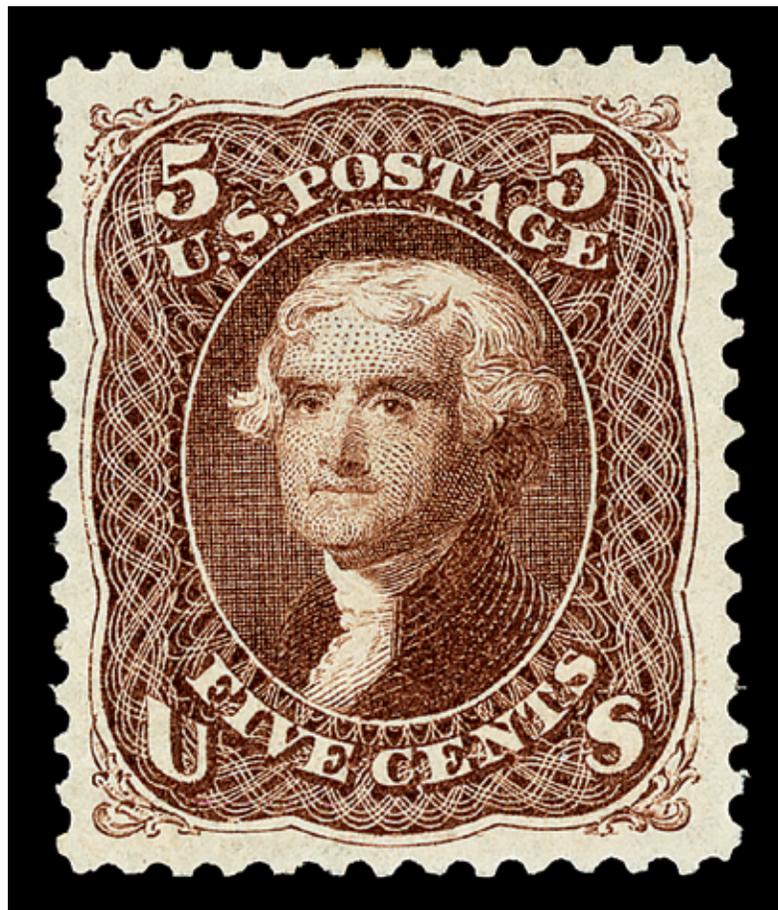


1539

1539 ★

1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 3¢ brown red (Scott 104), o.g., lightly hinged, the connoisseur's choice, looking like it was printed yesterday, with proof-like presentation on pristine, bright paper, Extremely Fine, *only 465 sold; just three stamps grade thus, with a single 95 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2005 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$9,000. Scott \$3,750.

Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000



1540

1540 ★

1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 5¢ brown (Scott 105), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with bold color and sharp detail in lovely centering on like-new paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 672 sold*, with 2014 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$4,500. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1541

- 1541 (★) **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 5¢ brown (Scott 105)**, unused without gum, sound, fresh and mathematically centered, a true rarity in crisp color and detail, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only 672 sold; a Solo Top of the Pop, the nearest grade recorded in PSE's Population Report a single 85*, with 1992 P.F. and 2010 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,500. Scott Stamp Values \$3,250. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1542

1542 (★)

1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 10¢ green (Scott 106), unused without gum, richly colored and crisply detailed, looking like new on bright paper with large, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, *only 451 sold; the sole stamp at this grade, with just two 95s higher; in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$3,000. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

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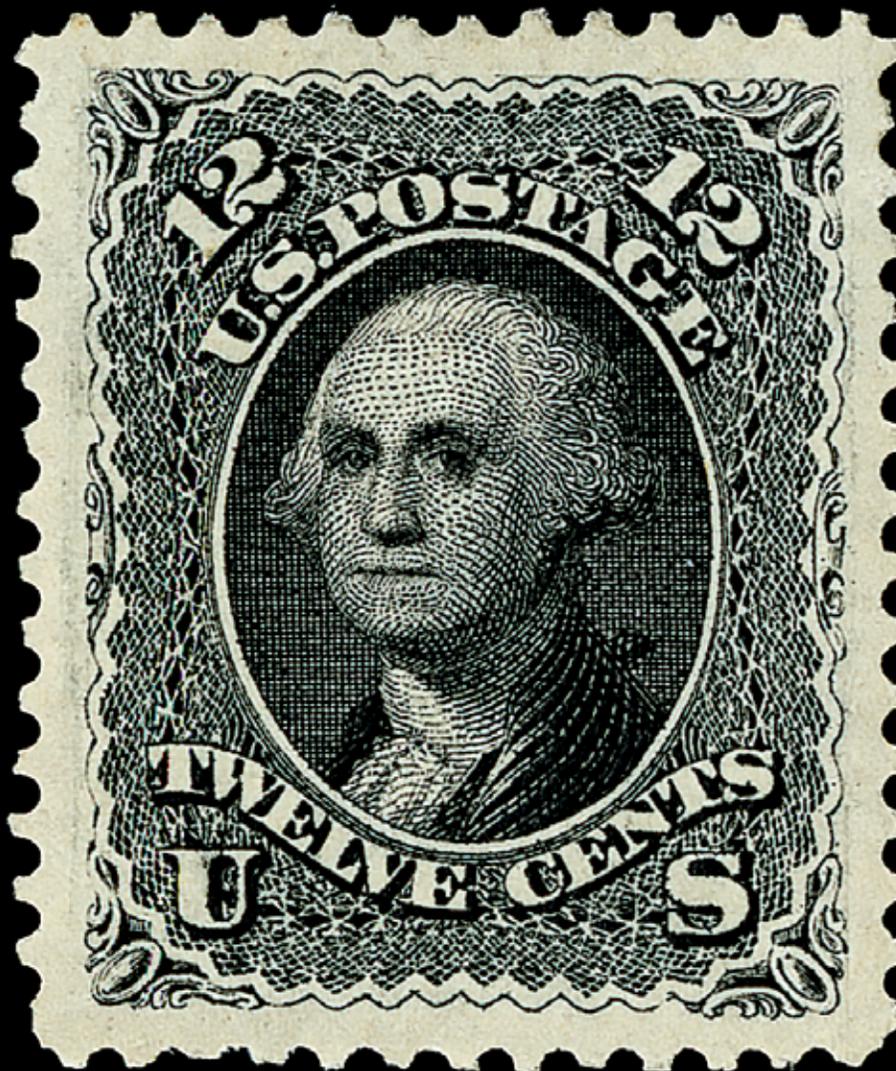
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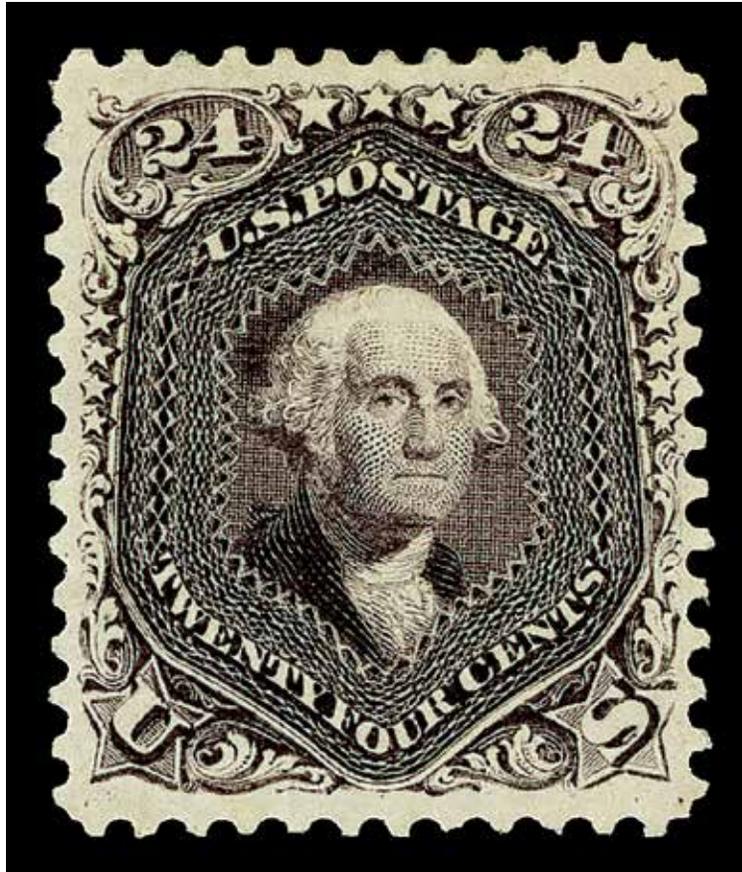
1543



**A SUPERLATIVE 1875 RE-ISSUE OF THE 1861-66 12¢ WASHINGTON
(SCOTT #107)**

- 1543 ★** **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 12¢ black (Scott 107)**, o.g., lightly hinged, with proof-like presentation flawlessly centered on bright paper; destined for the most refined of collections, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only 389 sold; just five stamps grade thus, with five higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1974, 1997 and 2009 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$12,500. Scott Stamp Values \$13,000. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000

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1544

1544 ★

1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 24¢ deep violet (Scott 109), o.g., lightly hinged, a beauty with ravenous, deep color and sharp detail, all in superior centering on fresh paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 346 sold; just two stamps grade thus, with six higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$8,500. Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500



1545

1545 (★)

1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 90¢ blue (Scott 111), unused without gum, pristine and bright with vivacious color and clean impression, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 317 sold; just two stamps grade thus, with four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$4,000. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1546

1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE

1546 ★ 1869, 2¢ brown (Scott 113), o.g., lightly hinged, a choice example with fresh color and clean impression, beautifully centered and sound; clear grill impression on reverse, faintly visible on face, Extremely Fine, with 2016 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$1,600. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1547 ★★ 1869, 3¢ ultramarine (Scott 114), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bright color on brilliant paper, sound with strong grill, Extremely Fine, unpriced never hinged in Scott, with 1998 and 2017 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1547



1548

1548 ★★ 1869, 3¢ ultramarine, split grill (Scott 114 var.), bottom margin single, o.g., never hinged, pristine jumbo with deep, bold color, massive bottom margin showing plate bite, the grill split at top and bottom of stamp, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1990 P.F. and two 2025 P.S.E. certificates (one graded VF-XF 85J). SMQ **VF-XF 85J**; \$1,250 as normal. Scott Stamp Values \$350 as normal "85". Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1550

- 1550 ★ 1869, 12¢ green (Scott 117), o.g., very lightly hinged, choice example with superior centering and flawless impression, sound and clean, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$5,500. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



1549

1549 ★

1869, 6¢ ultramarine (Scott 115), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with solid color and clear margins all around, sound with grill lightly face-visible, Very Fine, with 1995 and 2025 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80; \$2,750. Scott \$2,600. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1551 ★

1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type II (Scott 119), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with immense color depth, the vignette razor-sharp; three balanced margins (centered just to bottom), Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1551



1552

1875 RE-ISSUE OF THE 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE

1552 (★)

1869 (1875 Re-issue), 1¢ buff (Scott 123), unused without gum, Post Office fresh with rich, deep color and strong detail, wonderfully centered and bright, Extremely Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate. Scott \$220. Estimate \$250 - 350



1554

1554 ★

1869 (1875 Re-issue), 6¢ blue (Scott 126), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and clean with solid color and crisp detail, sound and enticing, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only 2226 sold; a Top of the Pop, one of just five stamps to attain this apex grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 1983 and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$6,750. Scott Stamp Values \$7,000. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500



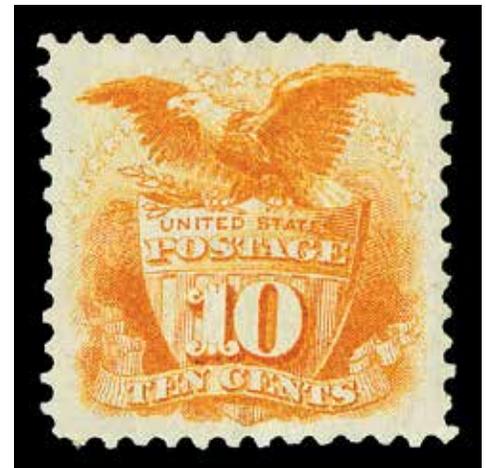
1553

1553 ★

1869 (1875 Re-issue), 2¢ brown (Scott 124), o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color and sharp detail, beautifully centered on pristine paper, Extremely Fine, *only 4755 sold; just six 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2017 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,600. Scott \$600. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1555 ★

1869 (1875 Re-issue), 10¢ yellow (Scott 127), o.g., very lightly hinged, select example with radiant, unblemished color and superior centering on bright paper; a stamp with great eye appeal, Extremely Fine, *only 1927 sold*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,350. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



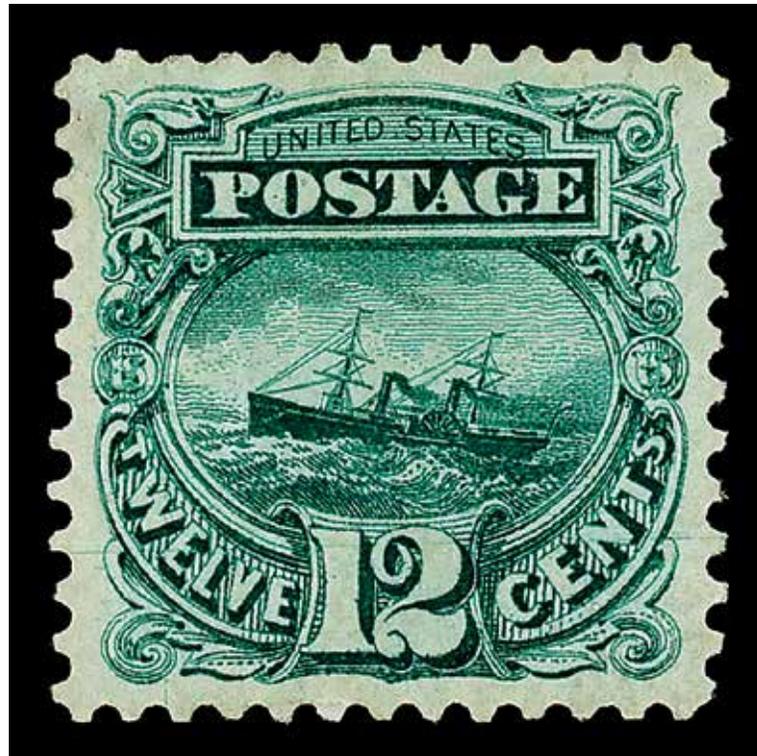
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1557

1557 ★

1869 (1875 Re-issue), 15¢ brown & blue, type III (Scott 129), disturbed o.g., Post Office fresh with enticing centering, strong colors and crisp details, Extremely Fine, *only 1981 sold*, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,150 for o.g. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1556

1556 ★ 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 12¢ green (Scott 128), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with profound color and sharp lines, magnificently centered on pristine paper; a superlative stamp in all respects, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only 1584 sold; just one stamp grades thus, with four 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.F. and P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$9,500. Scott Stamp Values \$9,000. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000



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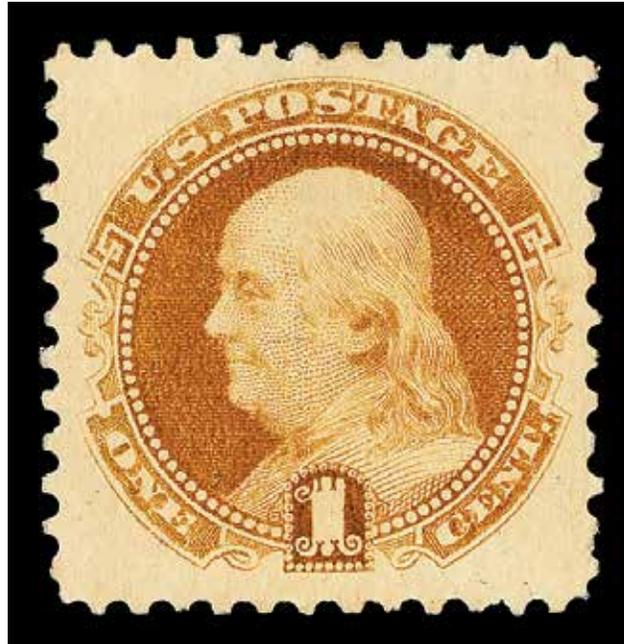
1558 ★

1869 (1875 Re-issue), 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 131), o.g., hinged, immaculate with robust colors in clean registration and with stupendous eye appeal; creased corner perforation at bottom right, Extremely Fine, *only 1535 sold; just nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$6,000. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1559

1559 ★ 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 90¢ carmine & black (Scott 132), o.g., hinged, pristine with bright color and crisp details, neatly centered on fresh paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 1356 sold*, with 1999 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$5,500. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1560

1560 (★) 1869 (1881-82 Re-issue), 1¢ brown orange (Scott 133a), without gum as issued, a real looker with captivating color and centering, fresh and sound, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$625. Scott \$425. Estimate \$400 - 600

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1870-1871 NATIONAL BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE, H GRILL



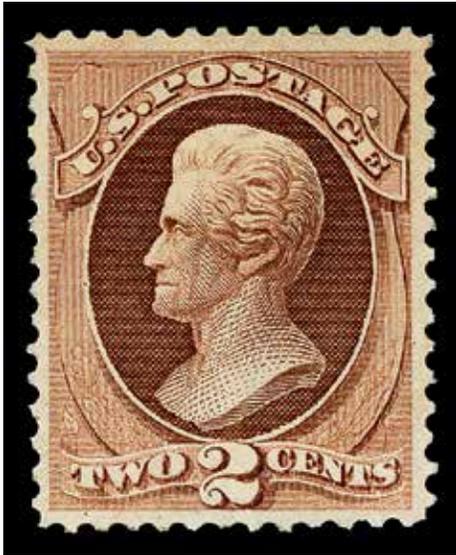
1561

- 1561 ★ 1870, 2¢ red brown, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 135), right margin single, o.g., very lightly hinged, immaculate marginal with fresh, clean color and mathematical centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, PSE's *Population Report* recording just one stamp at this summit grade, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$4,750. Scott Stamp Values \$4,750. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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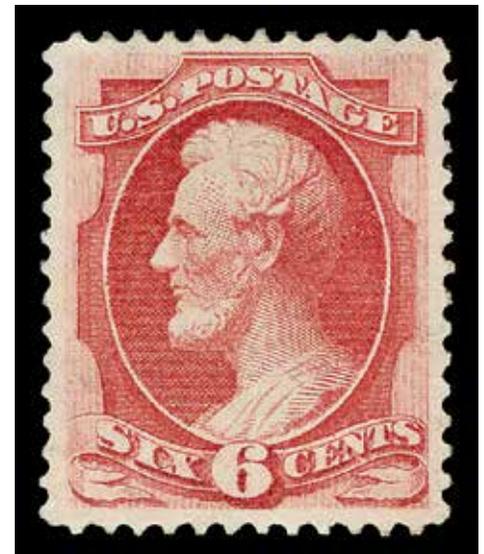
1562 (★) 1870, 10¢ brown, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 139), unused without gum, Post Office fresh with rich color and crisp details, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, a *Pop Topper*, the highest grade awarded in PSE's *Population Report* being two 80s, with 1999 and two 2016 P.F. certificates, one of the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$3,250. Scott \$2,700. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1563

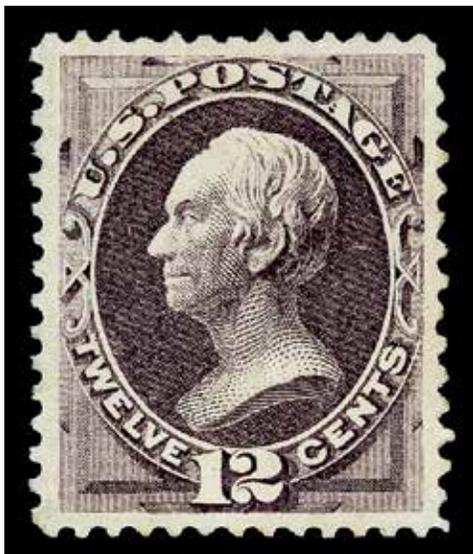
1870-1871 NATIONAL BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE, WITHOUT GRILL

1563 ★ 1870, 2¢ red brown, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 146), o.g., very lightly hinged, clean with rich, robust color and clean detail, prettily centered and sound, Very Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate. Scott \$350. Estimate \$200 - 300



1564

1564 ★ 1870, 6¢ carmine, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 148), o.g., lightly hinged, a lovely stamp with rich, fulsome color and balanced margins of fresh white, Extremely Fine, *only two stamps grade thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2015 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,750. Scott \$950. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1565

1565 (★) 1870, 12¢ dull violet, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 151), unused without gum, a stunner with crisp color and detail, beautifully centered on like-new paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Pop Topper; four 90s being the highest grade recorded in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,450 as a "90". Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1567

1567 ★

1870, 90¢ carmine, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 155), o.g., lightly hinged, choice example with lustrous color and rich lines, solidly centered; light natural gum bend and small faint natural inclusion in right margin, neither mentioned on accompanying certificates, still Very Fine, *a scarce stamp this nice*, with 2000 P.F. and 2024 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$5,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1566

1566 (★)

1870, 24¢ purple, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 153), unused without gum, fresh and sound with strong color and clean impression, nicely centered, Very Fine, *one of only four stamps at this grade, with four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80; \$650. Scott \$650. Estimate \$400 - 600

1873 CONTINENTAL BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE,
WHITE WOVE

1568 ★

1873, 1¢ ultramarine, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 156), o.g., hinged, pristine with cool color and flawless centering amid jumbo margins, Superb, *a Pop Topper, the highest grade recorded in PSE's Population Report being a single 95J*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$1,600 as a "95J". Scott Stamp Values \$1,200 as a "95". Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1568



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1569 ★

1873, 3¢ green, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 158), o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with radiant color and balanced margins; sound and appealing, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$300. Scott \$110. Estimate \$200 - 300



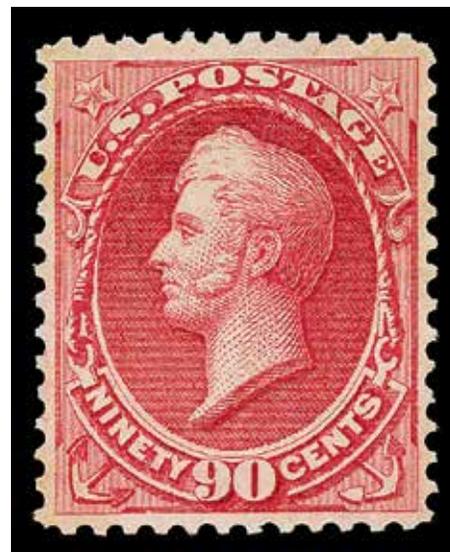
1570

1570 ★

1873, 10¢ brown, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 161), o.g., lightly hinged, choice example with bold color and detail, solidly centered on fresh paper, Extremely Fine, with 2002 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,350. Scott \$800. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1571 ★

1873, 90¢ rose carmine, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott 166), o.g., very lightly hinged, a lovely example with robust, radiant color, clear details and superior centering, sound and enticing, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2000 and 2009 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$3,150. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1571



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1879 AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE, SOFT PAPER

1572 P

1879, 3¢ ultramarine, A.B.N.C. printing, trial color proof on stamp paper, perf'd (Scott 184TC6a), fresh with enticing color and clean impression, sound with balanced margins; a pretty "might have been", Extremely Fine, unpriced in SMQ, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**. Scott \$300. Estimate \$300 - 400



1574

1574 ★

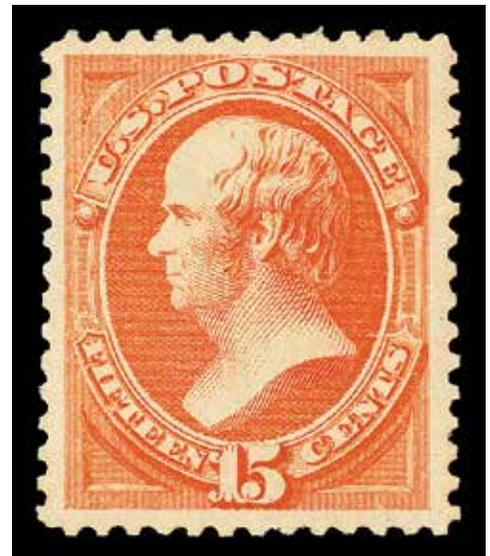
1879, 10¢ brown, A.B.N.C. printing, with secret mark (Scott 188), o.g., very lightly hinged, fresh and sound with intense color and sharp lines, a pretty stamp, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2005 and 2006 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$4,000. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1573

1573 ★

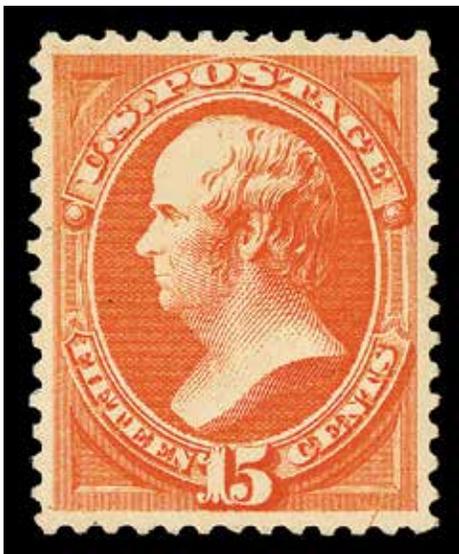
1879, 5¢ blue, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 185), o.g., lightly hinged, an enticing stamp with immense color depth and crisp lines, sound and attractively centered, Extremely Fine, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1993 and 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$800. Scott \$550. Estimate \$600 - 800



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1575 ★★

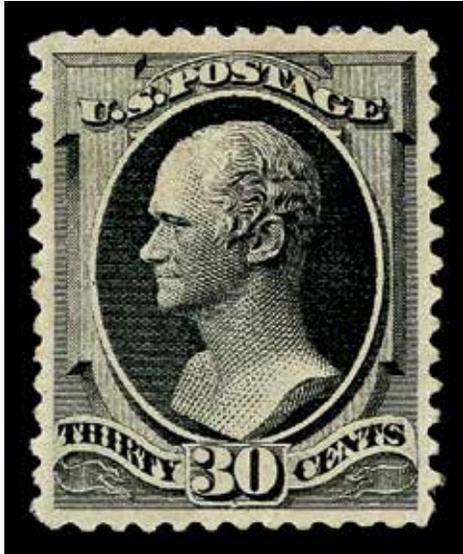
1879, 15¢ red orange, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 189), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bright, unadulterated color, cleanly printed and with superior centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85 XQ. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$1,100. Scott \$600. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1576

1576 ★

1879, 15¢ red orange, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 189), o.g., hinged, choice example with radiant color and strong impression on bright, fresh paper, Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$450. Scott \$180. Estimate \$300 - 400



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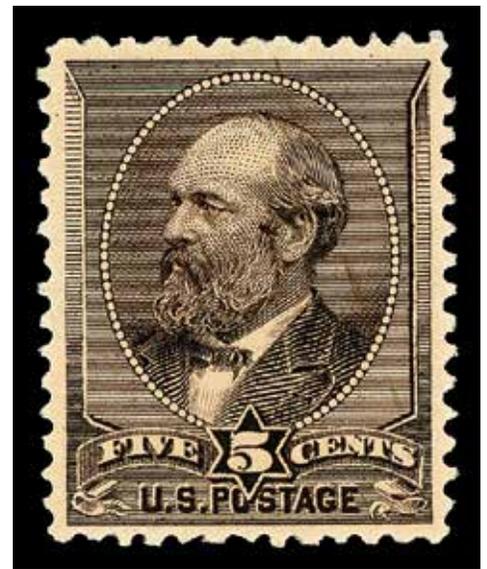
1577 ★

1879, 30¢ full black, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 190), o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with deep color and crisp detail, sound and wonderfully centered, Extremely Fine, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,750. Scott \$850. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

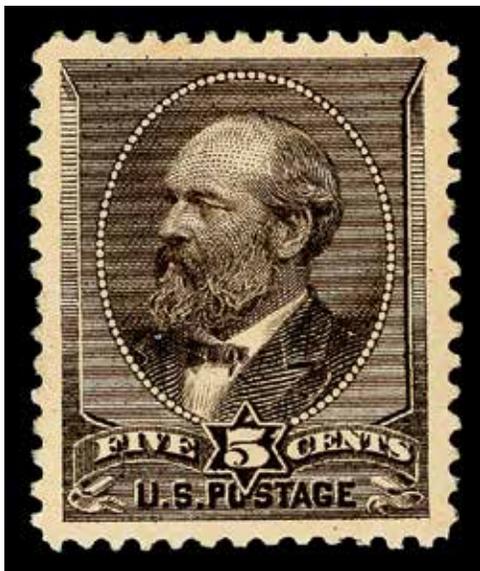
1881-1882 AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE, RE-ENGRAVED

1578 ★★

1882, 5¢ yellow brown (Scott 205), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with strong color and sharp detail, fresh with superior centering; small inking anomaly, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$1,400. Scott \$775. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



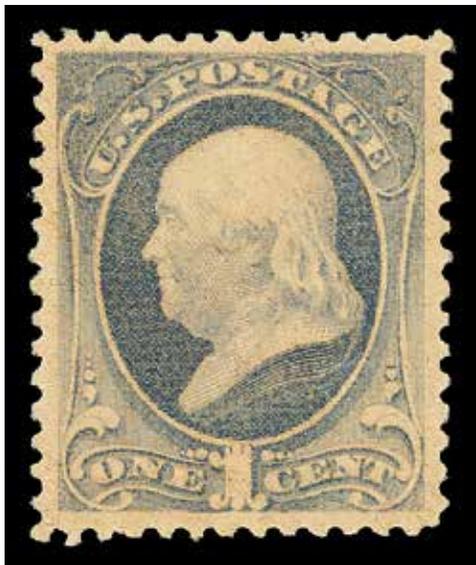
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1579 ★

1882, 5¢ yellow brown (Scott 205), o.g., hinged, a pristine, sound jumbo with bold color and near-perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only one stamp grades thus, with just five higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$1,500. Scott Stamp Values \$1,150 as a "95". Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1580

1580 ★★

1881, 1¢ gray blue, re-engraved (Scott 206), o.g., never hinged, clean printing in subdued color, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$550. Scott \$240. Estimate \$350 - 500



1581

1581 ★

1882, 6¢ deep brown red, re-engraved (Scott 208a), o.g., lightly hinged, a striking stamp with strong color and bold impression, sound and fresh with eye-catching centering, Extremely Fine, with 2021 Crowe certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,200. Scott \$600. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1583

1583 ★★

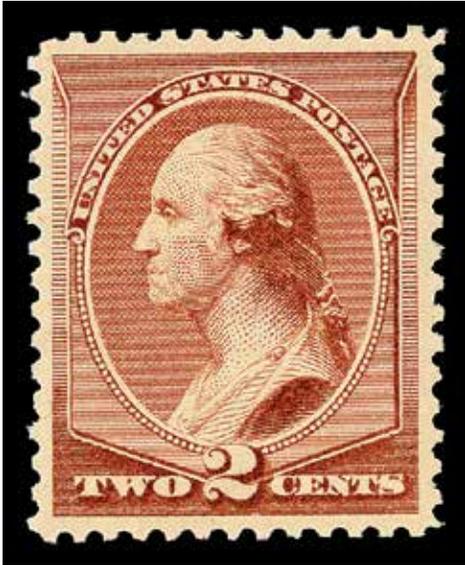
1883, 2¢ red brown (Scott 210), o.g., never hinged, appealing with bright color and clear impression, set amid full, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$575. Estimate \$350 - 500



1582

1582 ★★

1882, 10¢ brown, re-engraved (Scott 209), o.g., never hinged, a ravishing beauty with profound color, crisp detail and mathematical centering; destined for a collection of refinement, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just four stamps at this grade, a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,500. Scott Stamp Values \$3,250. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



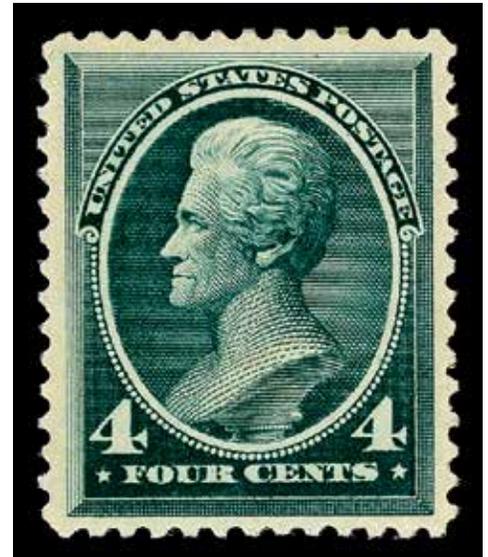
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1584 ★

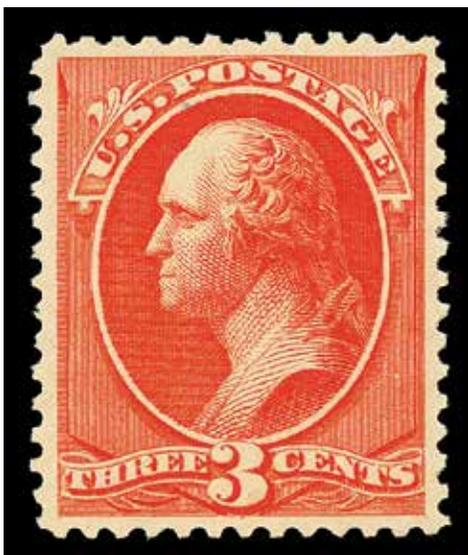
1883, 2¢ red brown (Scott 210), o.g., barest trace of hinge, wondrously fresh and bright with alluring color, clarity and centering, Superb, *one of just two stamps at this grade, a single 98J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$350 - 500

1585 ★

1883, 4¢ blue green (Scott 211), o.g., lightly hinged, a gorgeous stamp with bold color and razor-sharp detail, solidly centered on bright white paper; prettier than its grade, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2023 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$425. Scott \$225. Estimate \$250 - 350



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1887 AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE

1586 ★★

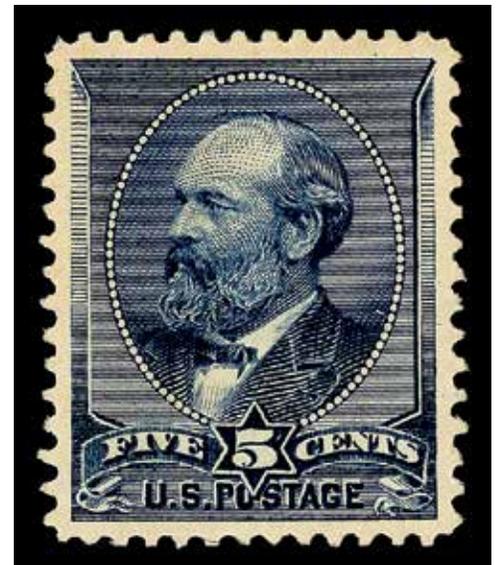
1887, 3¢ vermilion (Scott 214), o.g., never hinged, immaculate with mathematical centering and rich, radiant color; a welcome addition to the finest of collections, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,400. Scott Stamp Values \$1,350. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1587

1587 ★★

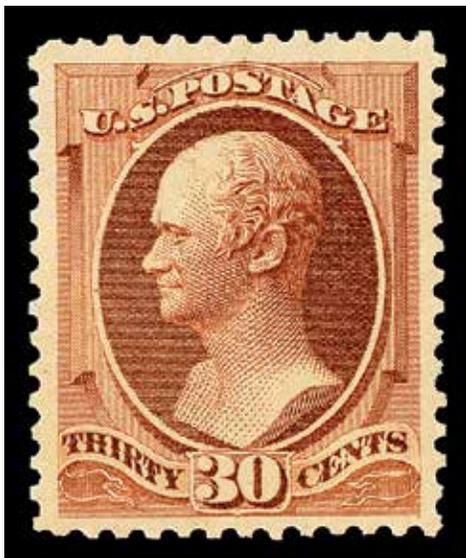
1888, 4¢ carmine (Scott 215), o.g., never hinged, attention-grabbing with bold, bright color flawlessly set amid wide margins, Extremely Fine, with 1998 and 2007 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,800. Scott Stamp Values \$1,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1588

1588 ★

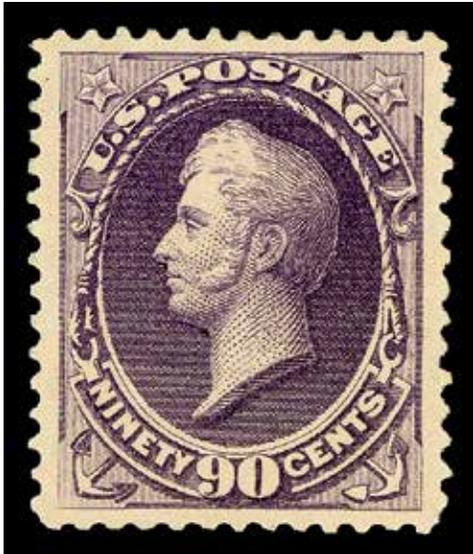
1888, 5¢ indigo (Scott 216), o.g., hinged, choice stamp with bold color and crisp detail, sound and fresh with superior centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$900. Scott Stamp Values \$1,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1589

1589 ★★

1888, 30¢ orange brown (Scott 217), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with rich, warm color and clean detail, sound with superior centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1981, 1997 & 2007 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates, the last two each graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$1,750. Scott \$1,075. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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1590 ★

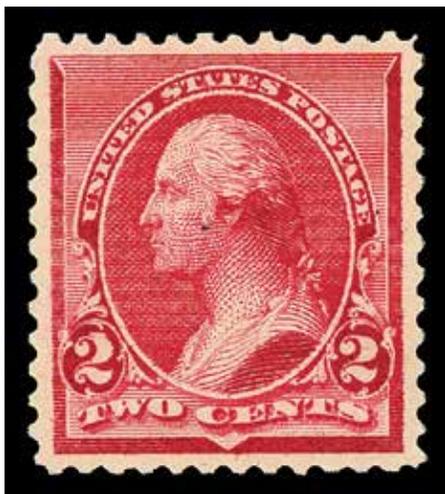
1888, 90¢ purple (Scott 218), o.g., very lightly hinged, face-fresh with proof-like presentation and mathematical centering; corner crease at top left, Extremely Fine to Superb, *just five 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with clean 1984 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. (latter graded XF-SUP 95) certificates, plus 2021 P.S.E. certificate noting corner crease. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$3,500. Scott Stamp Values \$3,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1591 ★

1890, 2¢ lake (Scott 219D), o.g., barest trace of hinge, a lovely stamp with crisp detail in captivating color, sound and wonderfully centered on bright white paper, Extremely Fine, with 1982 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$300 - 400



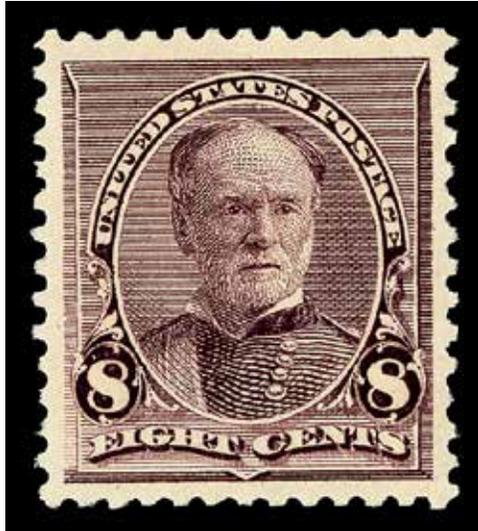
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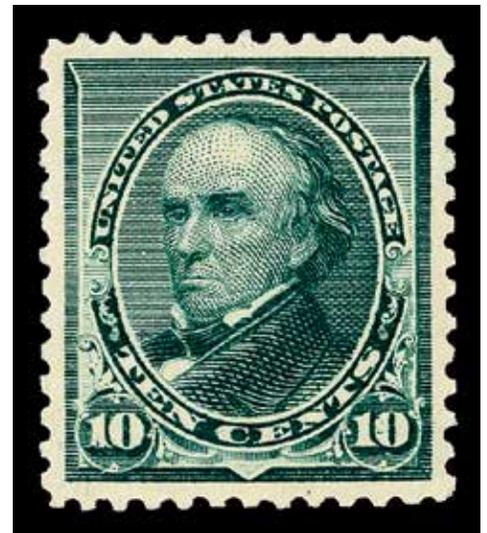
1890, 2¢ carmine, cap on left "2" (Scott 220a), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color and clean detail; small spot at end of sideburn imaged but not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,150. Scott \$450. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1593

1593 ★

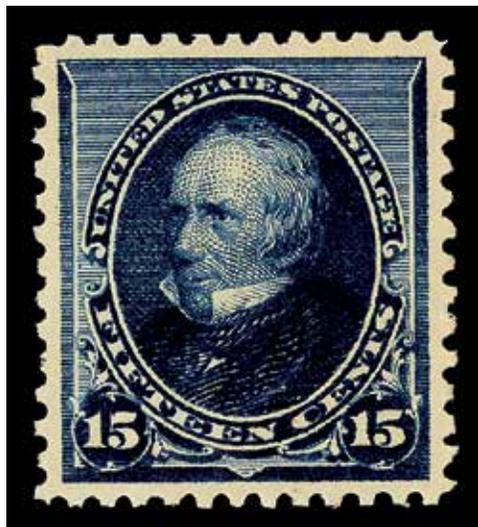
1893, 8¢ lilac (Scott 225), o.g., hinged, an immaculate jumbo with cool color and crisp detail on glowing white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, one of just two stamps at this summit grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$225 as a "95". Estimate \$250 - 350



1594

1594 ★

1890, 10¢ green (Scott 226), o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with rich, bright color mathematically centered on matching paper; crisp and alluring, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$575. Scott \$550. Estimate \$350 - 500



1595

1595 ★★

1890, 15¢ indigo (Scott 227), o.g., never hinged, an all-around gorgeous stamp, with profound color, clean impression and mathematical centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2002 and 2022 P.F. certificates (with bottom margin, since removed), the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$5,150. Scott Stamp Values \$5,500. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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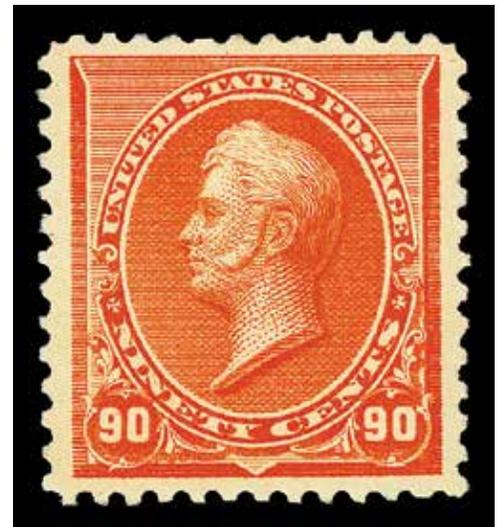
1596 ★

1890, 30¢ black (Scott 228), o.g., very lightly hinged, pristine and bright with proof-like presentation, Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$550. Scott \$300.

Estimate \$350 - 500

1597 ★

1890, 90¢ orange (Scott 229), o.g., very lightly hinged, a beauty with bright, rich color and sharp details, well centered amid balanced, near-jumbo margins, Extremely Fine, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$850. Scott \$475. Estimate \$600 - 800



1597



1598

1893 COLUMBIAN ISSUE

1598 ★★

1893, 2¢ Columbian, “broken hat” variety (Scott 231 var.), top margin single with plate number and part imprint, o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous positional, immaculate and sound with deep color and sharp detail, Extremely Fine, unpriced in SMQ, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$475. Scott \$160.

Estimate \$300 - 400



1599

1599 ★★

1893, 3¢ Columbian (Scott 232), o.g., never hinged, clean and sound with deep, bold color and mathematical centering; a welcome addition to any collection, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$675. Scott Stamp Values \$650. Estimate \$500 - 750

1600 ★★

1893, 4¢ Columbian (Scott 233), o.g., never hinged, a grand stamp with proof-like color and detail, beautifully centered on immaculate paper; prettier than its grade, Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$350. Scott \$150. Estimate \$250 - 350



1600

1601 ★★

1893, 5¢ Columbian (Scott 234), wide top margin part imprint single, o.g., never hinged, looking like it came off the press yesterday, fresh and sound with clean color on glowing white paper with margins bordering on the jumbo, Extremely Fine, a gorgeous positional, with 2017 P.F. certificate graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ XF 90; \$450. Scott \$150. Estimate \$300 - 400



1601



1602

1602 ★★

1893, 6¢ Columbian (Scott 235), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color and sculptural presentation, sound and bright with near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,050. Scott Stamp Values \$1,050. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1603 ★★

1893, 8¢ Columbian (Scott 236), o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with rich, luxuriant color and crystal-clear detail, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$350. Scott \$140. Estimate \$250 - 350



1603

1604 ★★

1893, 10¢ Columbian (Scott 237), o.g., never hinged, crisply printed and sound, with superior centering amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90J. SMQ XF 90J; \$1,400. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1604



1605

1605 ★★

1893, 15¢ Columbian (Scott 238), o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with stand-out color and centering; a welcome addition to any Columbian collection, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,600. Scott \$700. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1606 ★

1893, 30¢ Columbian (Scott 239), o.g., hinged, select stamp with rich, deep color and bold line, bright with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$400. Scott \$225. Estimate \$300 - 400



1606



1607

1607 ★

1893, 50¢ Columbian (Scott 240), o.g., very lightly hinged, beautifully centered with deep, bold color on bright paper; prettier than its grade, Extremely Fine, with 1988 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$850. Scott \$450. Estimate \$600 - 800



1608

1608 ★

1893, \$1 Columbian (Scott 241), o.g., hinged, a stunner with flawless color, detail and centering; destined for the most refined of collections, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$4,500. Scott Stamp Values \$5,000. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000

1609 ★

1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242), o.g., lightly hinged, clean and sound with rich color and crisp detail, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1998 P.F. and 2014 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$1,350. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1609



1610

1610 ★

1893, \$3 Columbian, olive green (Scott 243a), o.g., very lightly hinged, fresh with outstanding centering and deep color, a stamp welcome in any collection, Extremely Fine, with 1988 (as #243) and 2008 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,500. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$1,800 - 2,200



1611

1611 ★ 1893, \$4 Columbian, rose carmine (Scott 244a), o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with radiant color and clean impression, beautifully centered and sound, Extremely Fine, *only two stamps grade thus, with four 95s higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2002 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90*; \$4,150. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

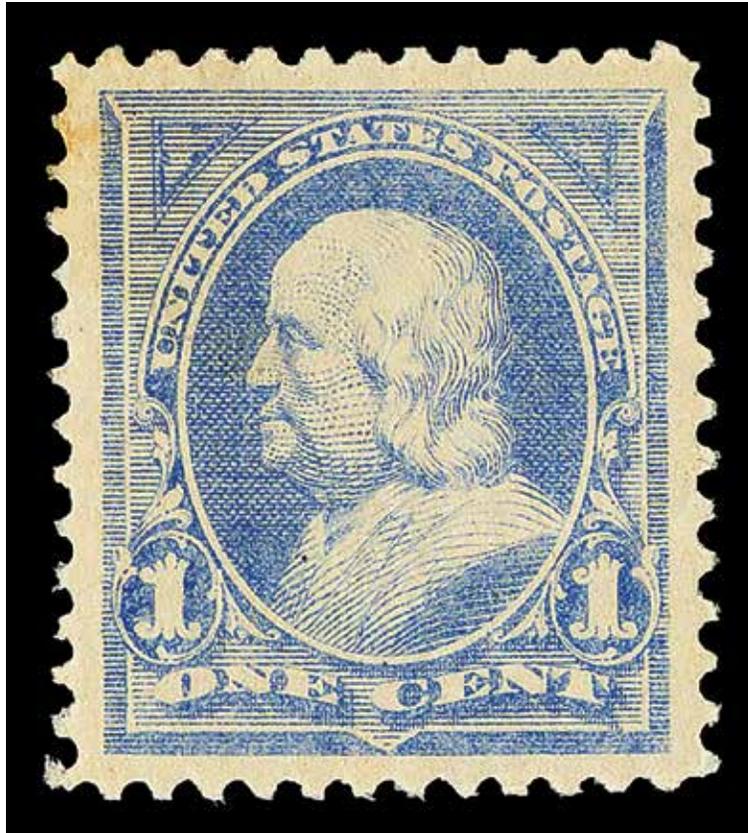


1612

1612 ★ 1893, \$5 Columbian (Scott 245), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with eye-catching color and deep lines, full margins all around; short corner perf at bottom left, otherwise Very Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1894 FIRST BUREAU ISSUE, UNWATERMARKED



1613

1613 ★★

1894, 1¢ ultramarine, unwatermarked (Scott 246), o.g., never hinged, pristine with bright color and mathematical centering amid jumbo margins, Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, one of just five stamps at this apex grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$3,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,900 as a "98". Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

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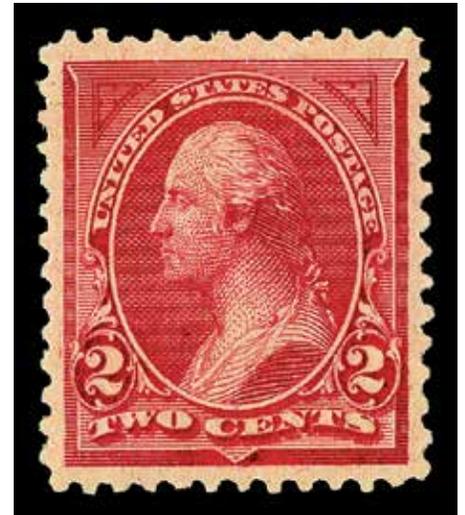
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1614 ★★

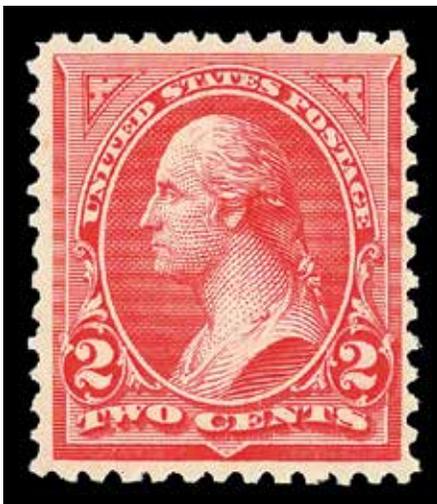
1894, 1¢ blue, unwatermarked (Scott 247), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with proof-like color and detail, sound and bright and flawlessly centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade thus, with five 95Js higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2005 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,950. Scott Stamp Values \$2,100. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1615 ★★

1894, 2¢ carmine lake, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 249), o.g., never hinged, pristine with radiant, rich color and clear detail, prettier than its grade, Extremely Fine, ex Houpt, with 2007 and 2013 P.F. certificates, each graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,200. Scott \$550. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1615



1616

1616 ★★

1894, 2¢ carmine, type II, unwatermarked (Scott 251), o.g., never hinged, pretty stamp with radiant color on matching paper, sound and cleanly centered, Fine to Very Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$600 - 800



1617

1617 ★

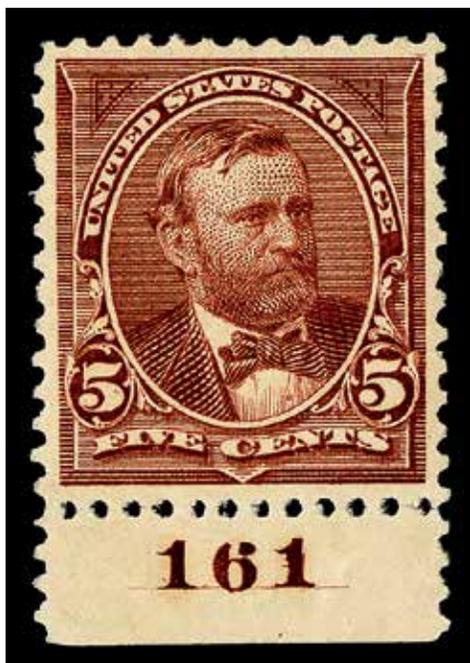
1894, 3¢ purple, unwatermarked (Scott 253), top margin part imprint single, o.g., barest trace of hinge, Post Office fresh with alluring color and clear impression, near-perfectly centered; a superior positional, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of just six stamps to summit PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$550. Scott Stamp Values \$550. Estimate \$400 - 600

1618 ★

1894, 4¢ dark brown, unwatermarked (Scott 254), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with robust color and clear detail, sound with balanced margins, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$335. Scott \$200. Estimate \$200 - 300



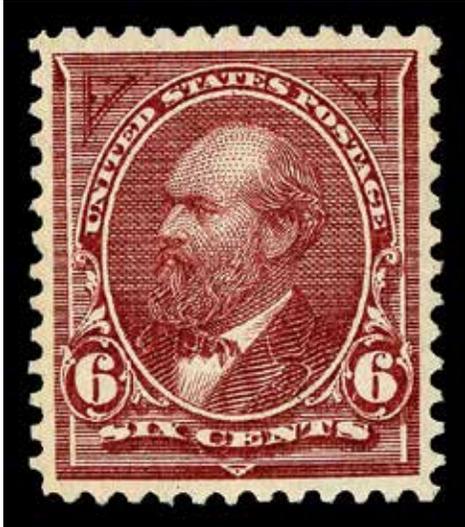
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1619 ★

1894, 5¢ chocolate, unwatermarked (Scott 255), bottom margin plate number 161 single, o.g., lightly hinged, a lovely positional with rich, warm color and near-perfect centering; a welcome addition to any collection, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$525. Estimate \$350 - 500



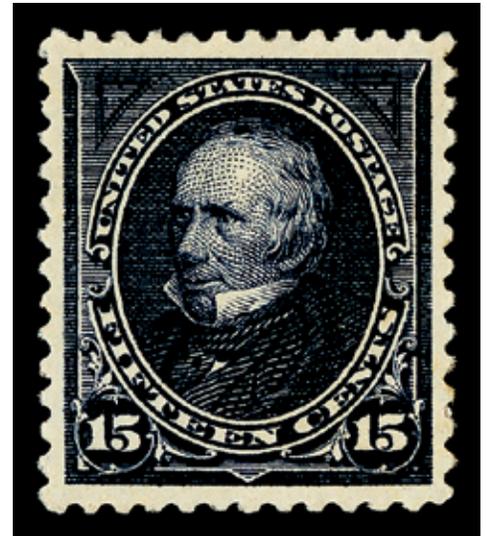
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1620 ★

1894, 6¢ dull brown, unwatermarked (Scott 256), o.g., very lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh with vivid color, sharp detail and bright white, well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1991 and 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$535. Scott Stamp Values \$575. Estimate \$400 - 600

1621 ★

1894, 15¢ dark blue, unwatermarked (Scott 259), o.g., lightly hinged, a beauty with commanding color and sharpness, wonderfully centered on fresh white paper, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1999 and 2017 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ **XF 90**; \$690. Scott \$275. Estimate \$500 - 750



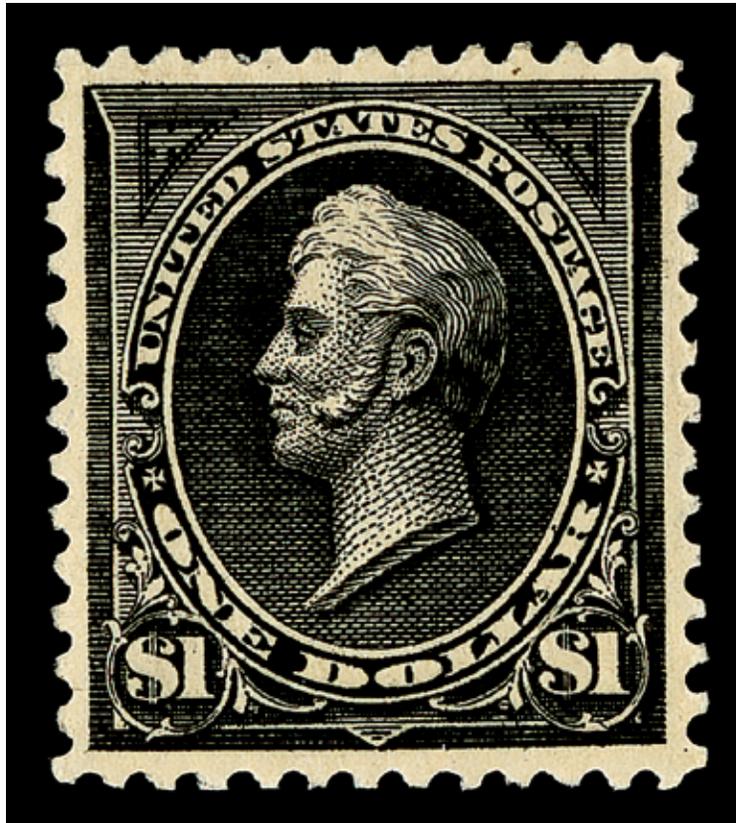
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1622 ★

1894, 50¢ orange, unwatermarked (Scott 260), o.g., barest trace of hinge, choice example with crisp impression in bright, fresh color, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,200. Scott \$475. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1624

1624 ★

1894, \$1 black, type II, unwatermarked (Scott 261A), o.g., hinged, alluring with razor-sharp detail in bold, rich color, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2001 P.F. and 2019 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,750. Scott \$2,200. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1623

1623 ★

1894, \$1 black, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 261), o.g., barest trace of hinge, a crisp, clean example with proof-like presentation and superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. and 2010 P.F. certificates, each graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,875. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

1895 FIRST BUREAU ISSUE, WATERMARKED

1625 ★★

1895, 1¢ blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 264), o.g., never hinged, select example with proof-like presentation mathematically centered on bright paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$600. Scott Stamp Values \$375 as a "95". Estimate \$500 - 750



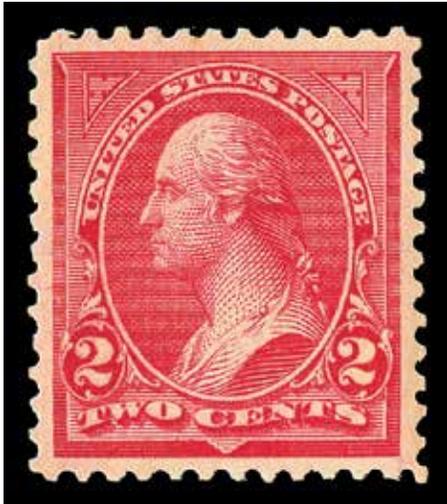
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1626 ★★

1895, 2¢ carmine, type I, D.L. watermark (Scott 265), left margin single, o.g., never hinged, a grand marginal with pristine color and paper, solidly centered amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90J. SMQ XF 90J; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "90". Estimate \$400 - 600



1627

1627 ★★

1895, 2¢ carmine, type III, D.L. watermark (Scott 267), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with vivacious color and mathematical centering; a beauty, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2023 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$335. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$250 - 350

1628 ★★

1895, 4¢ dark brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 269), o.g., never hinged, pristine and sound with crisp color on like-new paper, Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400



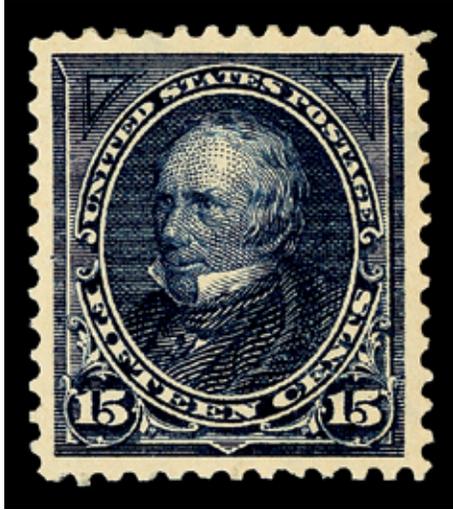
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1629 ★★

1895, 5¢ chocolate, D.L. watermark (Scott 270), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with mathematical centering and crisp detail in fresh, rich color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$775. Scott Stamp Values \$850. Estimate \$600 - 800



1630

1630 ★

1895, 15¢ dark blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 274), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with deep lines and strong color set against bright paper, Extremely Fine, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$400. Scott \$200. Estimate \$300 - 400

1631 ★★

1895, 50¢ orange, D.L. watermark (Scott 275), bottom margin plate number 75 single, o.g., never hinged, fresh with vivid color and superior centering, cleanly printed and sound; previously hinged in selvage (2005 certificate), “small gum adherences” (2019), Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *one of just four stamps at this grade, with four higher, in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2005 and 2019 P.S.E. certificates, each graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$1,450. Scott \$725. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



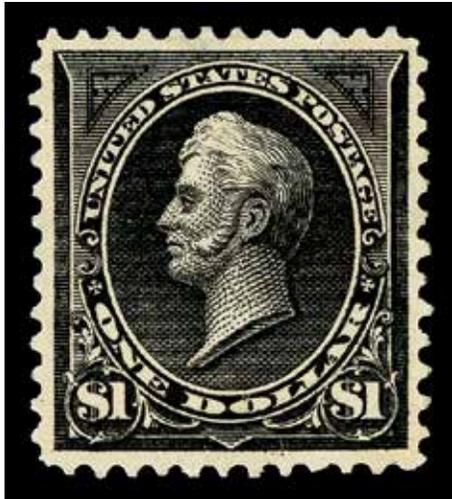
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1632 ★

1895, \$1 black, type I, D.L. watermark (Scott 276), o.g., lightly hinged, clean and sound with razor-sharp detail in crisp color, Extremely Fine, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE’s Population Report*, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,300. Scott \$600. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



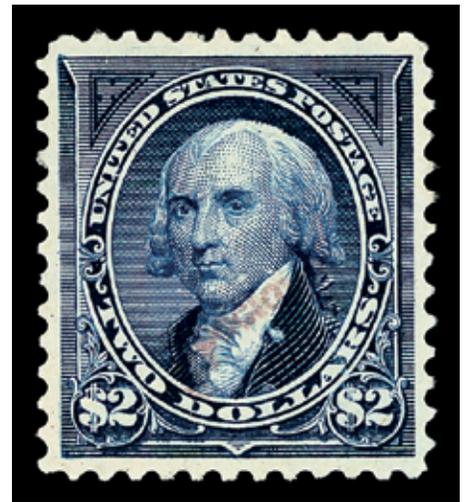
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1633 ★

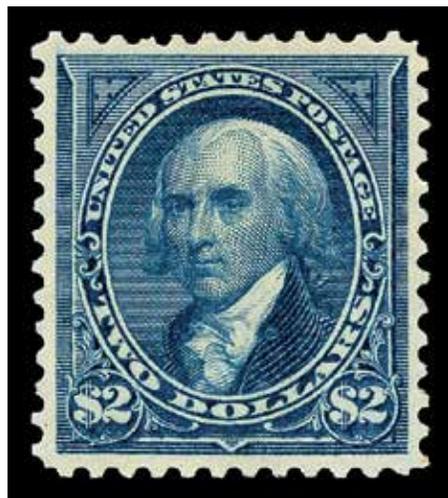
1895, \$1 black, type II, D.L. watermark (Scott 276A), o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with intense color and sculptural presentation, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$1,750. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1634 S

1895, \$2 dark blue, D.L. watermark, overprinted "Specimen" (Scott 277SE), o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with razor-sharp detail in enticing color, sound and beautifully centered, the overprint at an angle through collar, Extremely Fine to Superb, unpriced in SMQ, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,850 for issued stamp. Scott \$300. Estimate \$400 - 600



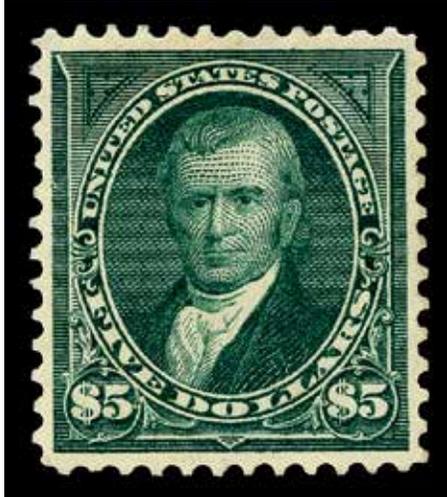
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1635 ★

1895, \$2 bright blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 277), o.g., lightly hinged, a beauty with captivating color and superior centering, bright and sound, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,500. Scott \$900. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1636

1636 ★

1895, \$5 dark green, D.L. watermark (Scott 278), o.g., lightly hinged, boldly colored with deep lines and superior centering; a pretty stamp, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,500. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500

1898 FIRST BUREAU ISSUE, UPU COLORS

1637 ★★

1898, 1¢ deep green (Scott 279), o.g., never hinged, an eye-catching jumbo with cool, captivating color and sharp lines, sound and bright, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate as plate number single, selvage since removed, graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$550. Scott Stamp Values \$400 as a “95”. Estimate \$400 - 600



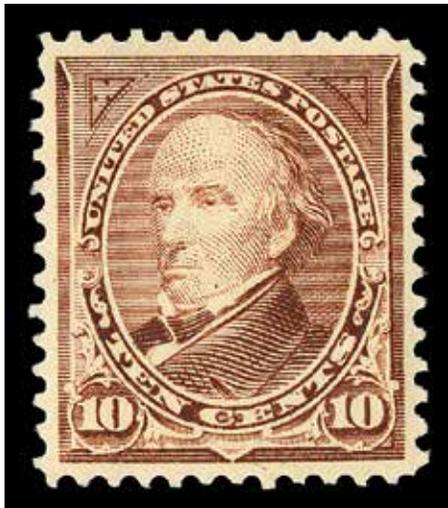
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1638 ★★

1898, 1¢ deep green (Scott 279), left margin single, o.g., never hinged, sound and Post Office fresh with bright color and bold lines, sound with mathematical centering, the selvage large enough to fit another stamp, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400



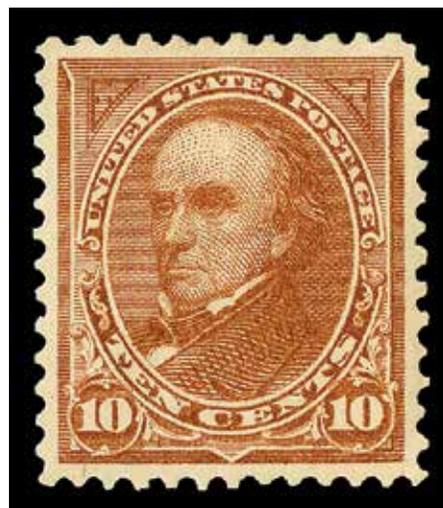
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1639 ★

1898, 10¢ brown, type I (Scott 282C), o.g., lightly hinged, compelling with crisp detail and near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$325. Scott \$175. Estimate \$200 - 300

1640 ★

1898, 10¢ orange brown, type II (Scott 283), o.g., hinge remnant, Post Office fresh with rich, suffused color, cleanly printed and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2023 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95.* SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$575. Scott Stamp Values \$700. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1898 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE

1641 ★★

1898, 1¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 285), o.g., never hinged, pristine with sylvan color and razor-sharp detail, on bright paper with balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1997 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$625. Scott Stamp Values \$575. Estimate \$500 - 750



1642

1642 ★★

1898, 2¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 286), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with captivating color and deep lines, beautifully centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$625. Scott Stamp Values \$650. Estimate \$500 - 750

1643 ★

1898, 4¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 287), o.g., barest trace of hinge, remarkably bright with rich, unblemished color and mathematical centering; a welcome addition to any collection, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$300 - 400



1643



1644

1644 ★★

1898, 5¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 288), o.g., never hinged, a stunner with proof-like color and detail, flawlessly centered on pristine paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2009 P.F. certificate as plate number single, selvage since removed, graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,500. Estimate \$1,800 - 2,200



1645

1898, 8¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 289), o.g., never hinged, captivating with the deepest imaginable color crisply set against pristine paper; a striking addition to any collection, Extremely Fine, with 2010 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,250. Scott Stamp Values \$1,100. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

1646 ★★

1898, 10¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 290), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with crisp impression in solid color, sound with enticingly balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$950. Scott \$400. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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1647 ★

1898, 50¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 291), o.g., hinged, crisply struck, richly colored, and mathematically centered; a true beauty, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1983 P.F. and 2021 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,700. Scott \$600. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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- 1649 ★ 1898, \$2 Trans-Miss. (Scott 293), o.g., very lightly hinged, mathematically centered in bold, two-toned color, sound and fresh, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2006 and 2021 P.F. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$5,600. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



1648

1648 ★

1898, \$1 Trans-Miss. (Scott 292), o.g., very lightly hinged, attention-grabbing with proof-like color and detail, rich color, and superior centering on pure white, Extremely Fine, with 1993 and 2008 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,800. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1901 PAN-AMERICAN ISSUE

1650 ★★

1901, 1¢ Pan-American (Scott 294), o.g., never hinged, clean with clear impressions, in bright, rich color and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$575. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1651

1651 ★★

1901, 2¢ Pan-American (Scott 295), o.g., never hinged, in bold, rich colors on immaculate paper, sound and fresh with the train slightly ahead of schedule, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$300. Estimate \$300 - 400



1652

1652 ★★

1901, 4¢ Pan-American (Scott 296), o.g., never hinged, clean with crisp details and warm frame, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$325. Scott \$170. Estimate \$250 - 350

1653 ★★

1901, 5¢ Pan-American (Scott 297), o.g., never hinged, a captivating stamp with clean, cool colors and crisp details, in near-perfect centering on snow-white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,350. Scott Stamp Values \$1,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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1654 ★★

1901, 8¢ Pan-American (Scott 298), o.g., never hinged, a lovely example with crisp color and detail, flawlessly centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$950. Scott Stamp Values \$1,350. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1655

1655 ★★

1901, 10¢ Pan-American (Scott 299), full top margin plate number 1151 single, o.g., never hinged, a Post Office fresh positional with bright, warm color and cleanly lined vignette, sound with balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 and 2015 P.S.E. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,875. Scott Stamp Values \$2,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

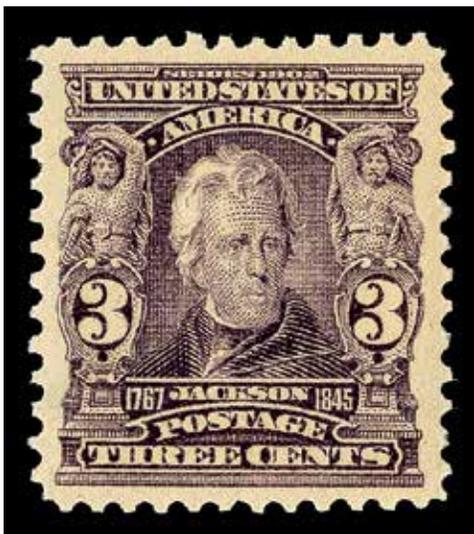
1902-1908 SECOND BUREAU ISSUE

1656 ★★

1903, 1¢ blue green (Scott 300), o.g., never hinged, the picture of perfection with rich color, clean impression and exceptional centering, Superb, *only two 100s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$800. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1656



1657

1657 ★★

1903, 3¢ bright violet (Scott 302), o.g., never hinged, with razor-sharp detail in crisp color, sound and fresh with well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$825. Scott Stamp Values \$825. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1658

1658 ★★

1903, 4¢ brown (Scott 303), o.g., never hinged, cleanly printed in warm color, sound with alluring centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,150. Scott Stamp Values \$1,500. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

1659 ★★

1903, 5¢ blue (Scott 304), o.g., never hinged, a select example with deep color and sharp detail, nicely centered on pristine paper, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$400. Scott \$150. Estimate \$300 - 400



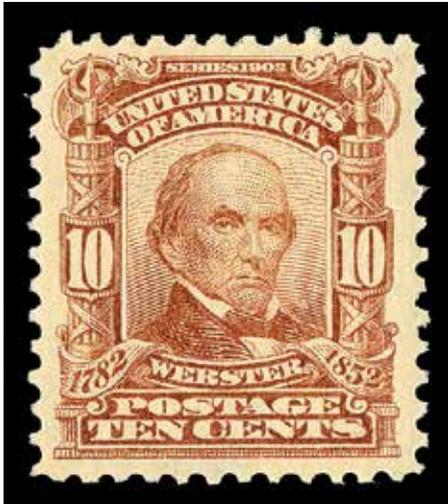
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1660 ★★

1903, 6¢ claret (Scott 305), o.g., never hinged, eye-catching with robust, rich color on glowing white paper, meticulously centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,150. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



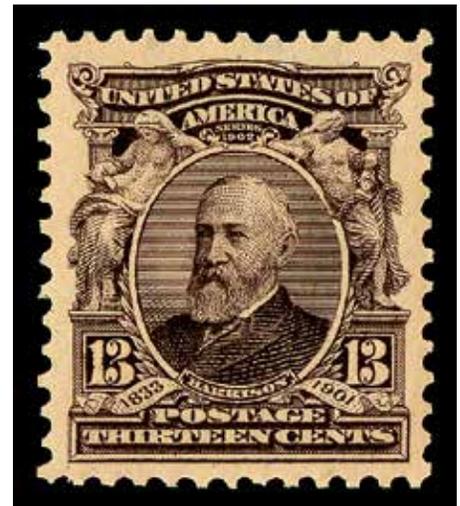
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1661 ★★

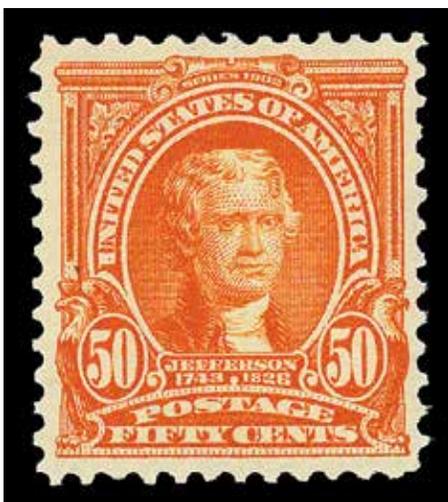
1903, 10¢ pale red brown (Scott 307), o.g., never hinged, select example with crisp, light color and razor-sharp detail; a pretty stamp, Extremely Fine, with 1997 A.P.S. and 2020 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$425. Scott \$150. Estimate \$300 - 400

1662 ★★

1902, 13¢ purple black (Scott 308), o.g., never hinged, attention-grabbing with mathematical centering and bold, rich color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$800. Scott Stamp Values \$775. Estimate \$600 - 800



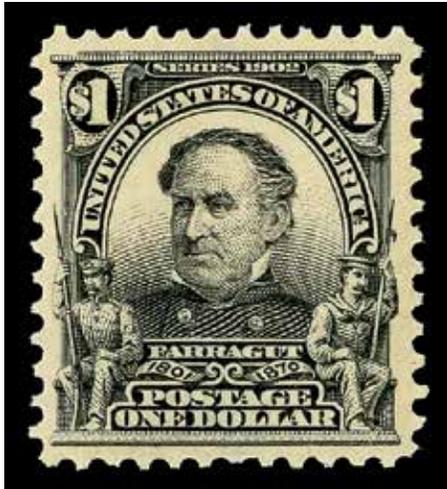
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1663 ★

1903, 50¢ orange (Scott 310), o.g., lightly hinged, a pretty stamp with rich, deep color and superior centering on glowing paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2003 and 2025 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$450. Scott \$425. Estimate \$300 - 400



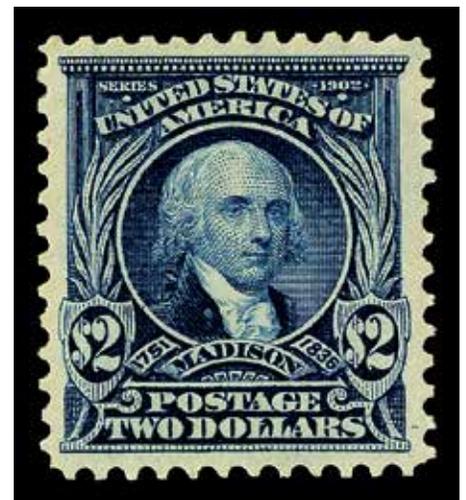
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1664 ★★

1903, \$1 black (Scott 311), o.g., never hinged, a lovely stamp with razor-sharp detail in crisp, clean color, solidly centered on bright white paper, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$3,500. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

1665 ★

1903, \$2 dark blue (Scott 312), o.g., lightly hinged, clean and fresh with rich color and flawless impression, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,600. Scott \$825. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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1666

1666 ★

1903, \$5 dark green (Scott 313), o.g., hinged, eye-catching with bold, deep color and clear impression, well centered on like-new paper, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$3,250. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1667

1667 ★★

1906, 1¢ blue green, imperf. (Scott 314), left margin single, o.g., never hinged, a massive stamp, clean and bright; as pretty a marginal as they come, Superb, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400

1668 ★★

1908, 5¢ blue, imperf. (Scott 315), left margin single, o.g., never hinged, sound with enticing color and clarity, the margins bordering on the jumbo, the selvage wide enough for an additional stamp, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,000. Scott \$600. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1668



1669

1669 ★★

1903, 2¢ carmine, type I (Scott 319), right margin plate number 2717 single, o.g., never hinged, a flawless jumbo with radiant color and clean impression, the selvage wide enough to fit an additional stamp, Superb, only four stamps grade thus, with four 100Js higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$1,650. Scott Stamp Values \$1,000 as a "98". Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1670

1670 ★★

1906, 2¢ carmine, type I, imperf. (Scott 320), top margin part imprint single, o.g., never hinged, a lovely positional with fiery color and deep lines, perfectly framed by portions of all surrounding stamps, Superb, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$250 - 350

1904 LOUISIANA PURCHASE ISSUE

1671 ★★

1904, 1¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 323), bottom right plate number 2117 single, o.g., never hinged, sound and Post Office fresh with bright color and clean impression, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2012 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$650. Estimate \$400 - 600



1671



1672

1672 ★★

1904, 3¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 325), o.g., never hinged, superior quality example with cool color and crisp impression, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$325. Scott \$170. Estimate \$250 - 350



1673

1673 ★★

1904, 5¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 326), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with suffused color and superior centering, sound and enticing, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$475. Scott \$180. Estimate \$350 - 500

1674 ★★

1904, 10¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 327), o.g., never hinged, a lovely stamp with warm color on bright paper, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2010 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$750. Scott \$300. Estimate \$500 - 750



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1907 JAMESTOWN ISSUE

1675 ★★

1907, 2¢ Jamestown (Scott 329), o.g., never hinged, with razor-sharp detail in rich, radiant color, beautifully centered for this difficult issue, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400



1676

1676 ★★

1907, 5¢ Jamestown (Scott 330), o.g., never hinged, cleanly printed in bold color with well-balanced margins all around, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$900. Scott \$375. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

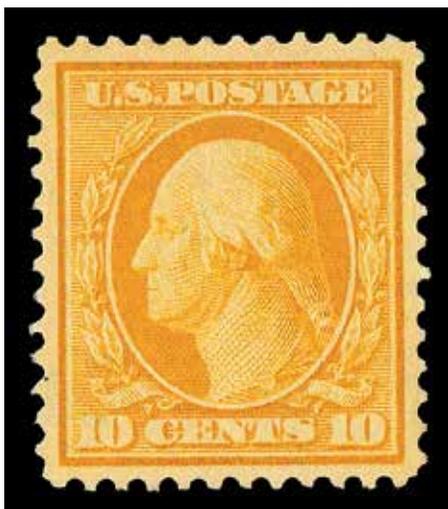
1908-1909 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
DL WMK, PERF 12

1677 ★★

1908, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 334), bottom margin part imprint single, o.g., never hinged, choice positional with alluring color and sharp detail, near-perfectly set amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, ex Vernon Morris, with 1990 (block of four, this position 3) & 2001 P.F. and 2009 P.S.E. certificates, the last graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$1,000. Scott Stamp Values \$700 as a "95". Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1677



1678

1678 ★★

1909, 10¢ yellow, D.L. watermark (Scott 338), o.g., never hinged, choice example with deep, rich color and mathematical centering; great eye appeal, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$375. Scott \$165. Estimate \$300 - 400



1679

1679 ★★

1909, 13¢ blue green, D.L. watermark (Scott 339), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bold color and razor-sharp detail, wonderfully centered on like-new paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$675. Scott Stamp Values \$675.
Estimate \$500 - 750

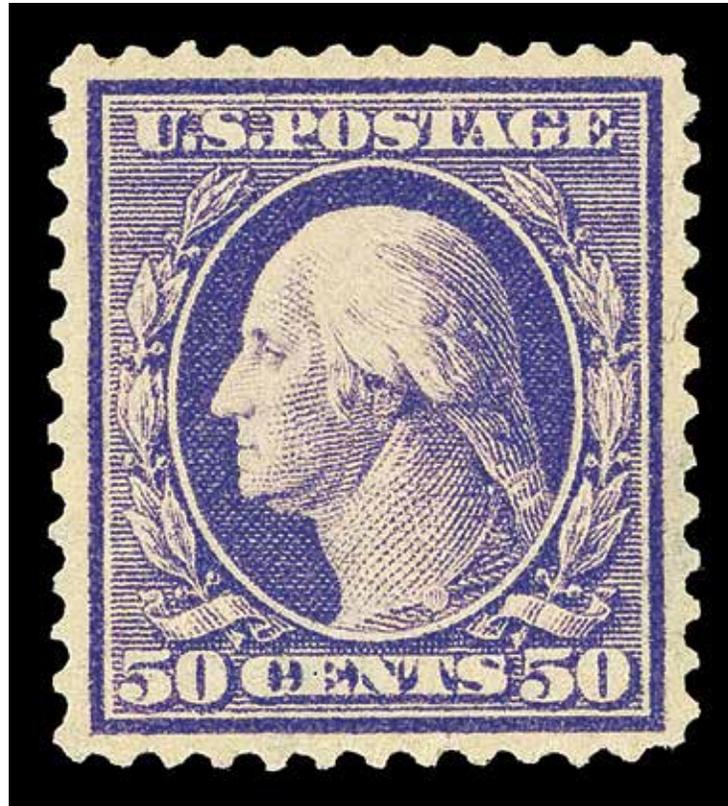
1680 ★★

1909, 15¢ pale ultramarine, D.L. watermark (Scott 340), o.g., never hinged, bright and clean with clear color and superior centering; a pretty stamp, Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$375. Scott \$160.
Estimate \$300 - 400



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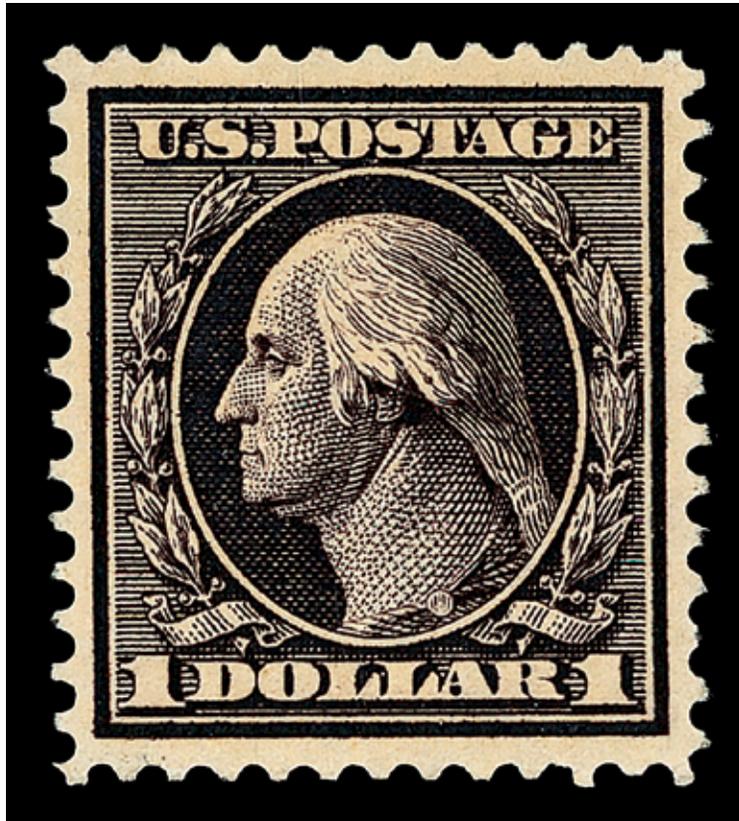
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1681

1681 ★★

1909, 50¢ violet, D.L. watermark (Scott 341), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with captivating color and clarity, beautifully centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$4,850. Scott Stamp Values \$5,750. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



1682

1682 ★★

1909, \$1 violet brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 342), o.g., never hinged, a striking stamp with superlative proof-like presentation and centering; destined for a collection of distinction, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1983 P.F. and 2020 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$8,250. Scott Stamp Values \$8,250. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000



1683

**1908-1909 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN
ISSUE, DL WMK, IMPERF**

1683 ★★ 1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, imperf. (Scott 347), right margin part imprint single, o.g., never hinged, pristine with intense color and razor-sharp detail, massively margined capturing framelines of surrounding stamps, Superb, *only three 100Js grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ **Gem 100**; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$480. Estimate \$350 - 500



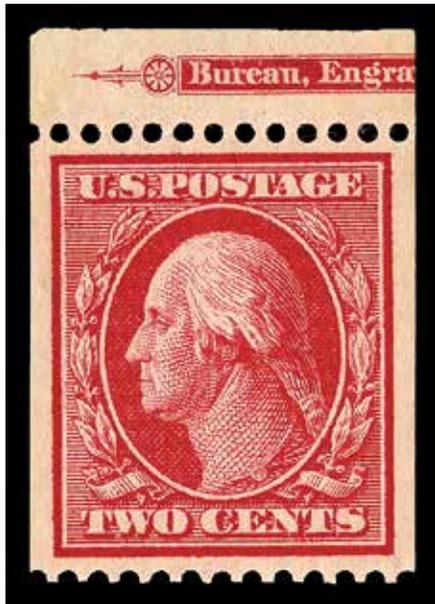
1684

1684 ★★ 1908, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 348), pair, o.g., never hinged, choice example with bright color and refined lines, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$650. Scott \$225. Estimate \$500 - 750



1685

1685 ★★ 1908, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 348), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, clean and crisp with elegant line and near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of seven line pairs at this grade, with just three 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,700. Estimate \$1,800 - 2,200



1686

1686 ★★

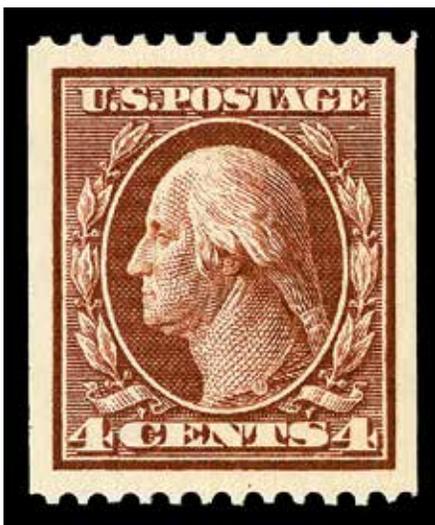
1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 349), top margin part imprint single, o.g., never hinged, an eye-catching stamp with gloriously rich color and clean impression, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$450. Scott \$235. Estimate \$350 - 500

1687 ★

1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 349), joint line pair, when only the best will do, sharply printed in color verging on lake, each stamp mathematically centered, the pair sound; top stamp very lightly hinged, bottom never hinged, Superb, *a Solo Top of the Pop, the only line pair at this apex grade in PSE's Population Report (the next-nearest a single 95)*, with 2004 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$2,400. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1687



1688

1688 ★★

1910, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 350), o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous stamp in bold, rich color and sharp line, wonderfully centered on bright paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95 XQ. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1689

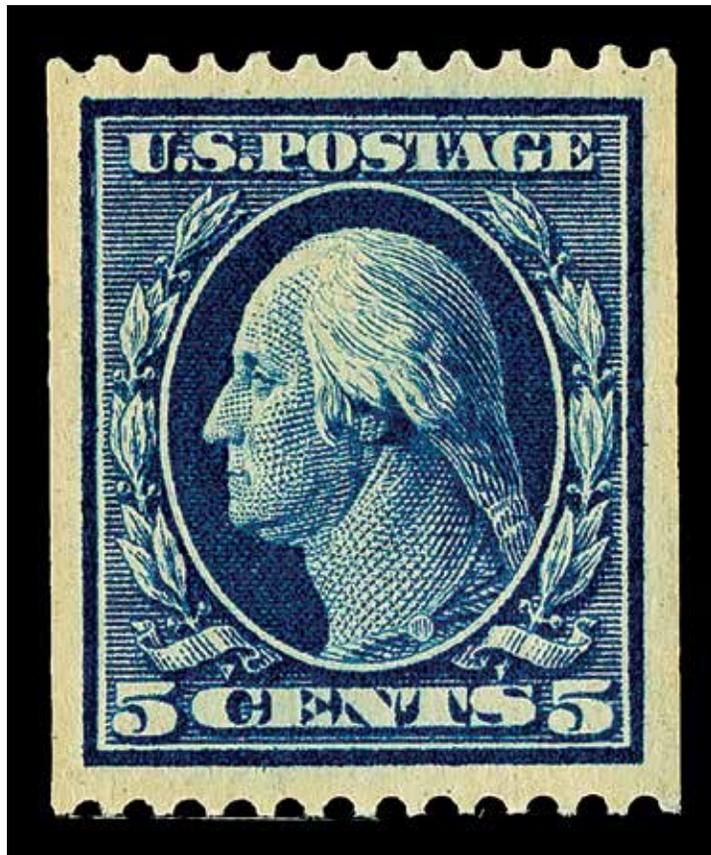
1689 ★ 1910, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 350), guide line pair, o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with intense color and crisp line, neatly set amid balanced margins, Extremely Fine, *only four line pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$2,100. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

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1690

1690 ★★

1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 351), o.g., never hinged, flawless in all respects, with bold color and razor-sharp detail in superlative centering, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, one of just four stamps at this highest grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 1985 P.F. (pair, this position 1) and 2010 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$3,100. Scott Stamp Values \$2,850. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

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1691



- 1691 ★★ **1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 351),** guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, exquisitely sharp and bright with intense color, fresh and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six line pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1995 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$8,000. Scott Stamp Values \$7,000.
Estimate \$7,500 - 10,000

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1692

1692 ★★

1909, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 352), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with strong color and near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade thus, with just a single 95J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$975. Scott Stamp Values \$900. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1693 ★

1909, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 352), guide line pair, o.g., barest trace of hinge, sound and beautifully centered in cool color, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of just three line pairs at this summit grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 1999 P.F. and 2010 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1693

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1694

1694 ★★

1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 353), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with rich color and sharp lines, all in near-perfect centering with jumbo margins, Superb, *a Solo Top of the Pop*, the only stamp at this grade in PSE's Population Report in any condition (with only a single no gum 100 higher overall), with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$2,500 as a "98". Scott Stamp Values \$3,000 as a "98". Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



1695

1695 ★

1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 353), guide line pair, o.g., hinged, sound with intense color and sharp detail, mathematically centered on fresh paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of only three line pairs at this highest grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 1999 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,500. Scott \$850. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

1696 ★★

1909, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 354), 3mm spacing, o.g., never hinged, pristine with crisp detail in warm color, sound with alluring centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of only two stamps at this grade, with two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1987 P.F. and 1999 & 2018 P.S.E. certificates, the last graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,750. Scott Stamp Values \$1,850. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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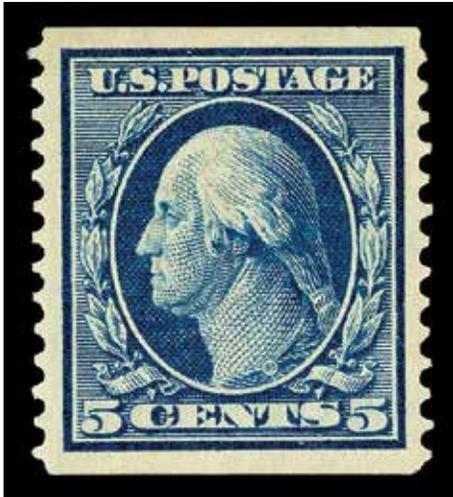
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1697

1697 ★★

1909, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 354), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous item with luxuriant color, sharp impression and superior centering capturing horizontal guide line at bottom, Extremely Fine, a Solo Top of the Pop, the only line pair at this apex grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2004 P.F., 2008 P.S.E. and 2019 P.F. certificates, the latter two each graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$6,200. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



1698

1698 ★

1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 355), o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with proof-like color and impression, exquisitely centered on bright white paper, Superb, a *Pop Topper*; the highest grade recorded in PSE's Population Report being three 95s, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$625 as a "95". Scott \$250. Estimate \$600 - 800

1699 ★

1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 355), guide line pair, o.g., very lightly hinged, bright with bold color and clean lines, sound and wondrously centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Pop Topper*; the highest-graded items in PSE's Population Report being five 90s, with 1994 P.F. and 2019 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,350 as a "90". Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1699



1700

1700 ★★

1909, 2¢ Lincoln Centenary, imperf. (Scott 368), left margin plate number 4976 single with running initials, o.g., never hinged, an exceptional jumbo with rich color, crisp detail, and massive margins; stamp perfectly framed by portions of five surrounding stamps, Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ Gem 100J; \$410. Scott Stamp Values \$325 as a "100". Estimate \$300 - 400



1701

1701 ★★

1909, 2¢ Lincoln Centenary, bluish paper (Scott 369), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with deep color on unmistakable paper, sound in superior centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$400. Scott \$300. Estimate \$250 - 350

1702 ★★

1909, 2¢ Alaska-Yukon (Scott 370), o.g., never hinged, immaculate with cool color and sharp detail, mathematically centered amid near-jumbo margins, Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$310. Scott Stamp Values \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400



1702



1703

1910-1911 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, PERF 12

1703 ★★

1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark (Scott 375), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with radiant, deep color and clean impression, near-perfectly centered amid large margins, Superb, *only nine 98Js grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$650. Estimate \$400 - 600



1704

1704 ★★

1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark (Scott 376), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with clean color and appealing detail, solidly centered on like-new paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$275. Estimate \$250 - 350

1705 ★★

1911, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark (Scott 377), o.g., never hinged, select example with robust color and outstanding clarity and centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2003 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95 XQ. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$500. Estimate \$300 - 400



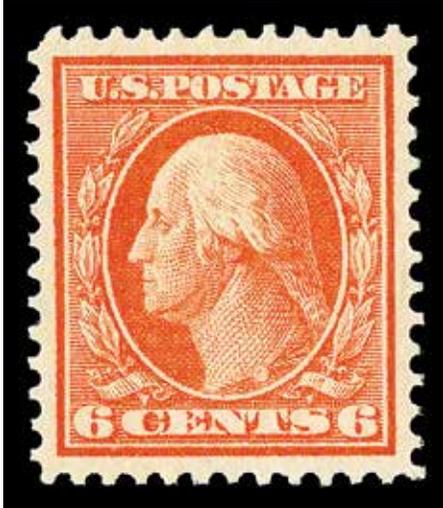
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1706

1706 ★★

1911, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark (Scott 378), o.g., never hinged, an eye-catching jumbo with profound color and razor-sharp lines, sound and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$800. Scott Stamp Values \$475 as a "95". Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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1707 ★★

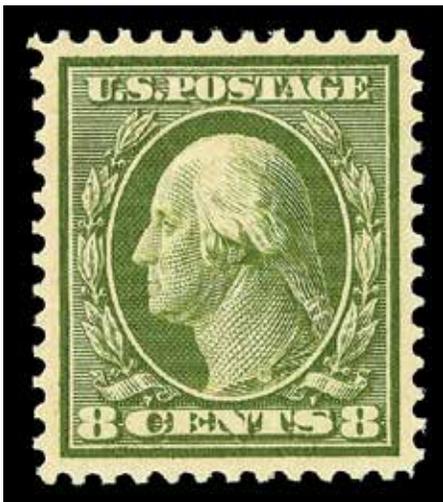
1911, 6¢ red orange, S.L. watermark (Scott 379), o.g., never hinged, choice stamp with rich, radiant, unblemished color gorgeously centered on glowing white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$480. Estimate \$350 - 500

1708 ★

1911, 6¢ red orange, S.L. watermark (Scott 379), o.g., barest trace of hinge, a faultless stamp with radiant color, clean impression, and impeccable centering amid jumbo margins, Superb, *one of just two stamps at this grade, with six 98Js higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$210 as a "98". Estimate \$300 - 400



1708



1709

1709 ★★

1911, 8¢ olive green, S.L. watermark (Scott 380), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with deep, compelling color and clean detail, on fresh white paper sporting balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 and 2022 P.S.E. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,150. Scott Stamp Values \$1,100. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



1710

1710 ★

1911, 15¢ pale ultramarine, S.L. watermark (Scott 382), o.g., very lightly hinged, a superior stamp with bright color and clean lines, solidly centered and fresh, Extremely Fine, with 1997 and 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$350. Scott \$225. Estimate \$250 - 350

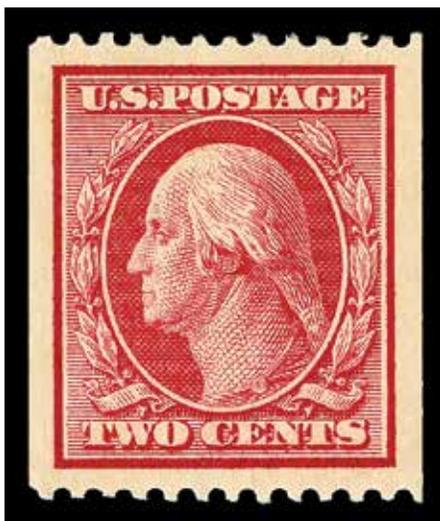
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1711 ★★

1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 385), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, sound with immense color depth on like-new paper, each stamp and the pair in near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine, only two line pairs grade thus, with just two 95s higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 1986 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$2,000. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



1711



1712

1712 ★

1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 386), o.g., very lightly hinged, proof-like with rich color and sharp detail, flawlessly set amid jumbo margins of pure white, Superb, a Pop Topper, the highest grade recorded in PSE's Population Report a single 95, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$350 as a "95". Scott \$140. Estimate \$400 - 600



1713

1713 ★★ 1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 387), o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with bold color and superior centering; a pretty stamp, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,100. Scott \$450. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

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1714

1714 ★

1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 387), guide line pair, o.g., very lightly hinged, sound and fresh with strong color, clean impression, and superior centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, PSE's *Population Report* recording a single line pair at this grade though unpriced in *SMQ*, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. *SMQ XF-SUP 95*; \$2,250 as a "90". Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1715

1715 ★★

1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 388), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with bold color and clean impression, a lovely stamp with well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine, *none recorded at this grade in PSE's Population Report, with only three higher*; with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$8,500. Scott \$4,250. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000

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1716

1716 ★

1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 388), pair (3mm spacing), o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with radiant color and superior centering, sound with horizontal guide line captured at top, Extremely Fine, *none recorded at this grade in PSE's Population Report, with just a single 95 higher*, with 2014 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$5,500. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

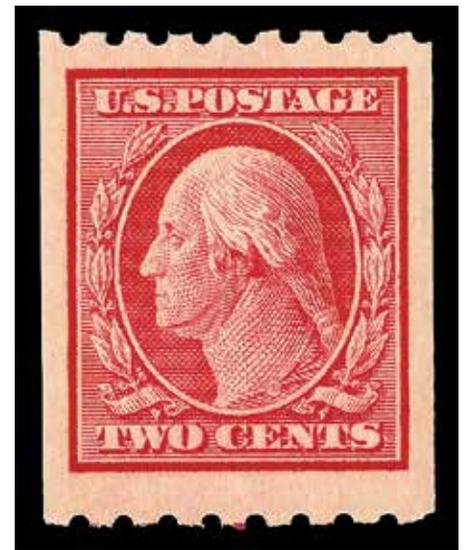


1717

**1910-1913 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN
ISSUE, SL WMK, PERF 8½ COILS**

1717 ★★ 1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 390), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, pristine and sound with bold, deep color on like-new paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$300 - 400

1718 ★★ 1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 391), o.g., never hinged, make space in your album for this pristine jumbo with the most gargantuan margins imaginable, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90J. SMQ **XF 90J**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$225 as a "90". Estimate \$250 - 350



1718



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1719 ★ 1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 391), guide line pair, o.g., very lightly hinged, a beauty with ravishing color and detail, exquisitely centered on fresh, clean paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *one of just five at this grade, a single 95J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$475. Scott \$260. Estimate \$350 - 500



1720

1720 ★★

1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 392), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, sound and Post Office fresh with immense color, crisp lines, and superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only eight line pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1979 P.F. (strip of four, this center two stamps) and 2021 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$700. Scott \$400. Estimate \$500 - 750

1721 ★★

1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 393), pair, o.g., never hinged, choice example with immense color depth, clean and sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$475. Scott \$260. Estimate \$350 - 500



1721

1722 ★

1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 393), guide line pair, o.g., small hinge remnant, face-fresh with radiant color on pristine paper, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2001 A.P.S. and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$400. Scott \$300. Estimate \$300 - 400



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1723 ★★

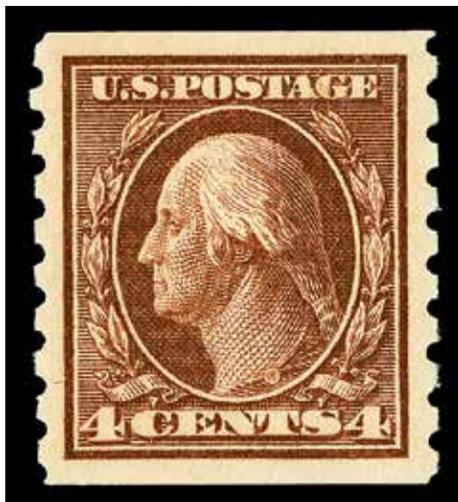
1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 394), o.g., never hinged, a simply gorgeous stamp in bold, sharp detail, with the richest color and most precise centering imaginable, Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$1,150. Scott Stamp Values \$1,100. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

1724 ★

1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 394), guide line pair, o.g., very lightly hinged, fresh and sound with intense color and crisp impression, all neatly centered; a pretty item, Extremely Fine, *only seven line pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$625. Scott \$425. Estimate \$400 - 600



1724



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1725 ★★

1912, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 395), o.g., never hinged, a choice, Post Office fresh example with rich color and cris detail, all with near-perfectly balanced margins of bright paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2002 and 2010 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$600. Scott Stamp Values \$600. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1912, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 395), guide line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, a must-have for the Washington-Franklin enthusiast, flawlessly centered and boldly printed in deep, rich color, Superb, a Pop Topper, six 95s being the highest recorded in PSE's Population Report, with 1999 P.F. and 2020 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$1,000 as a "95". Scott \$475. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

1727 ★★

1913, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 396), o.g., never hinged, pristine with deep, suffused color and bold detail, fresh with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$300. Scott \$135. Estimate \$200 - 300



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1728 ★★

1913, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 396), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with rich color and exceptional centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Pop Topper*; three 90s being the highest grade recorded in PSE's *Population Report*, with 1989 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,750 as a "90". Scott \$975. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1729

1913-1915 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE

1729 ★★ 1913, 2¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 398), o.g., never hinged, bright and clean with radiant color and mathematical centering, Superb, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$850. Estimate \$600 - 800

1730 ★★ 1913, 5¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 399), o.g., never hinged, an immaculate jumbo with profound color and flawless centering; a choice stamp for a refined collection, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1993 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$800. Scott Stamp Values \$600 as a "95". Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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1731 ★★ 1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange yellow (Scott 400), o.g., never hinged, pristine with rich, unblemished color and captivating margins, sound and alluring, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$400. Scott \$250. Estimate \$300 - 400



1732

1732 ★★

1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange (Scott 400A), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with deep, radiant color on bright white paper, sound with near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, SMQ for a 95J \$1,900, with 1996 P.F. & 2008 P.S.E. (as bottom margin single, selvage since removed) and 2017 P.F. certificates, P.S.E. graded XF-SUP 95J, 2017 graded XF-SUP 95 XQ. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$1,900. Scott \$390. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1733 ★★

1914, 1¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 401), o.g., never hinged, a select jumbo with bold color and deep lines, wonderfully centered on pristine paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$375 as a “95”. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1734 ★★

1915, 2¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 402), o.g., never hinged, pristine and bright with vivid color and clean impression; a welcome addition to the finest of collections, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$900. Scott Stamp Values \$850. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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1735 ★★

1915, 5¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 403), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with crisp, clean detail in bold color, wonderfully centered and fresh, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,350. Scott Stamp Values \$1,300. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1736 ★★

1915, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 404), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with intense color, clean and bright with superior centering; great eye appeal, Extremely Fine, with 2004 and 2017 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ XF 90; \$2,200. Scott \$1,700. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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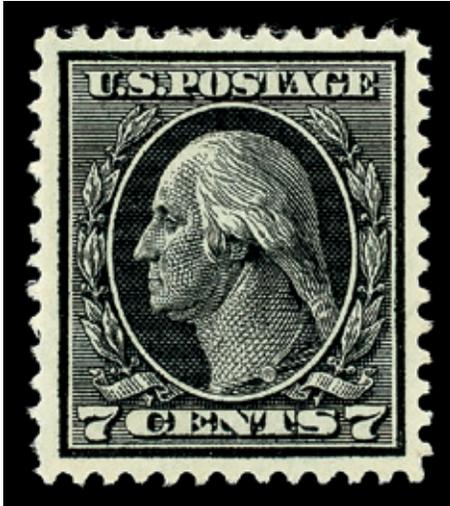


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1912-1914 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, PERF 12

1737 ★★

1912, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 405), o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous stamp with sublime color and fresh lines, all within balanced, jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$160 as a "95". Estimate \$300 - 400



1738

1738 ★★

1914, 7¢ black, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 407), o.g., never hinged, pristine with proof-like presentation and mathematical centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,000. Scott Stamp Values \$900. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

1912 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, PERF 8½ COILS

1739 ★

1912, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 412), guide line pair, o.g., barest trace of hinge, the picture of perfection, with profound color, razor-sharp detail, and faultless centering, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, just one line pair recorded at this highest grade in PSE's Population Report, with 2006 P.S.E. and 2007 P.F. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$350 - 500



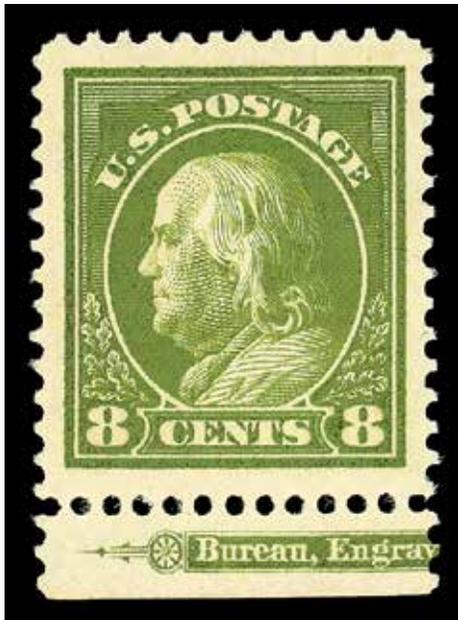
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1740 ★

1912, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 413), guide line pair, o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with radiant color and alluring centering, Extremely Fine, *only six line pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$450. Scott \$275. Estimate \$300 - 400



1741

**1912-1914 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
SL WMK, PERF 12**

1741 ★★ 1912, 8¢ pale olive green, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 414), bottom part imprint single, o.g., never hinged, sound and Post Office fresh with bold, solid color and pristine jumbo margins; a pretty positional, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$875. Scott Stamp Values \$500 as a “95”.
Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1742 ★★ 1912, 8¢ pale olive green, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 414), o.g., never hinged, pristine with eye-catching color and clarity, beautifully centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2007 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$525. Scott Stamp Values \$500.
Estimate \$400 - 600

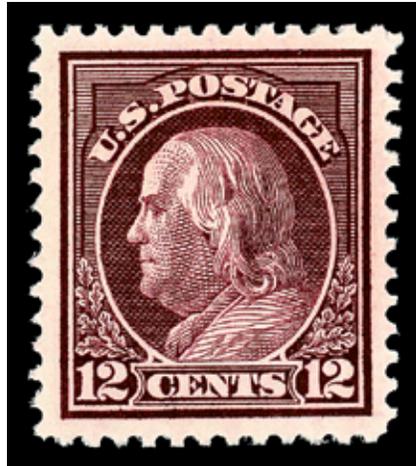


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1743 ★★ 1912, 10¢ orange yellow, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 416), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with mathematical centering, cleanly printed in bold, rich color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$550. Scott Stamp Values \$550.
Estimate \$400 - 600



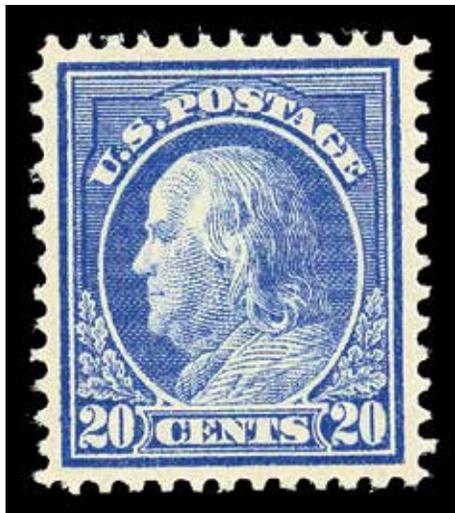
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1744 ★★ 1914, 12¢ claret brown, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 417), o.g., never hinged, with proof-like presentation beautifully set amid jumbo margins; welcome in any collection, Extremely Fine to Superb, SMQ for 95 \$625, with 1997 & 2010 P.F. and 2021 P.S.E. certificates, 2010 graded XF-SUP 95 XQ, 2021 graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$925. Scott Stamp Values \$550 as a “95”. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1745

1745 ★★ 1912, 15¢ gray, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 418), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with solid color and clean detail, sound with near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$775. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$600 - 800



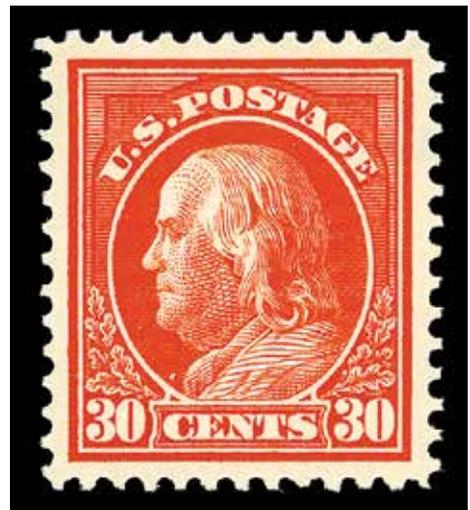
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1746 ★★

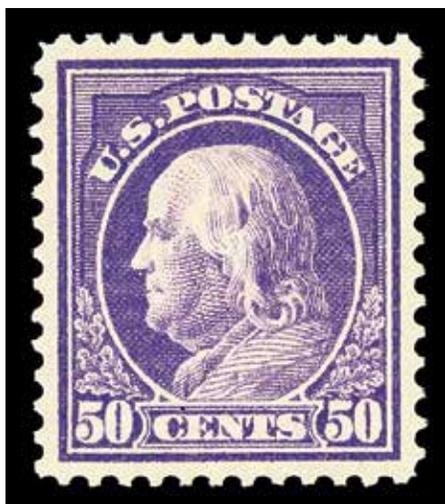
1914, 20¢ ultramarine, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 419), o.g., never hinged, a stellar stamp with bright color, sharp detail, and exceptional centering on pure white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,550. Scott Stamp Values \$1,525. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

1747 ★★

1914, 30¢ orange red, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 420), o.g., never hinged, choice example with radiant color and bold impression, bright and sound with exquisite centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,250. Scott Stamp Values \$1,150. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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1748 ★★

1914, 50¢ violet, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 421), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with alluring color and clarity, pristine with flawless centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$4,500. Scott Stamp Values \$3,750. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



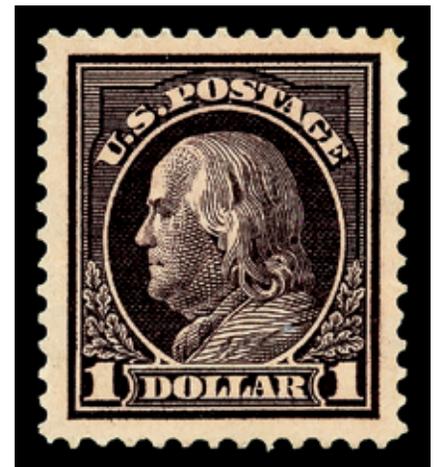
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**1912 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
DL WMK, PERF 12**

1749 ★★ 1912, 50¢ violet, D.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 422), o.g., never hinged, sound and clean with crisp color and clean impression; a beauty worthy of the finest collection, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine stamps grade thus, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,750. Scott Stamp Values \$2,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

1750 ★

1912, \$1 violet brown, D.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 423), o.g., barest trace of hinge (appears never hinged), a Post Office fresh jumbo with intense, deep color and bold lines, a lovely stamp, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1983 P.F. and two 2007 P.S.E. certificates, one of the latter graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$1,300. Scott \$475. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



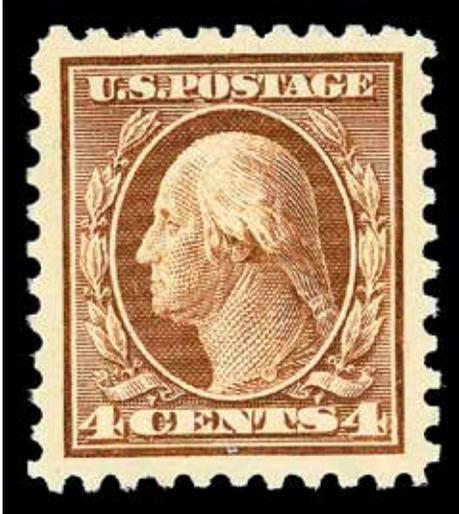
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**1913-1915 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
SL WMK, PERF 10**

1751 ★★ 1914, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 426), o.g., never hinged, a grand stamp with enticing color and clarity, beautifully centered amid margins bordering on the jumbo, Superb, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$850. Scott Stamp Values \$1,050. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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1752 ★★

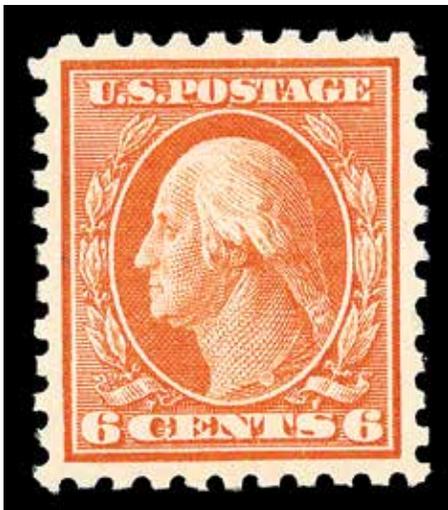
1914, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 427), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with crisp color and clean detail, in near-perfect centering on glowing white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$500 - 750

1753 ★★

1914, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 428), o.g., never hinged, choice example with luxuriant color and razor-sharp detail, bright and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$600. Scott Stamp Values \$550. Estimate \$500 - 750



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1754 ★★

1914, 6¢ red orange, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 429), o.g., never hinged, immaculate with glowing color and mathematical centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$600 - 800



1755

1755 ★★

1914, 7¢ black, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 430), o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with captivating color and alluring centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,350. Scott Stamp Values \$1,300. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1756 ★★

1914, 8¢ pale olive green, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 431), o.g., never hinged, a flawless Franklin with rich, deep color, exceptional centering, and immaculate paper, Superb, *only four 98Js grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$1,750. Scott Stamp Values \$1,700. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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1757 ★★

1914, 9¢ salmon red, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 432), o.g., never hinged, a lovely stamp with clean, unblemished color and outstanding centering on pristine white, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$900. Estimate \$600 - 800



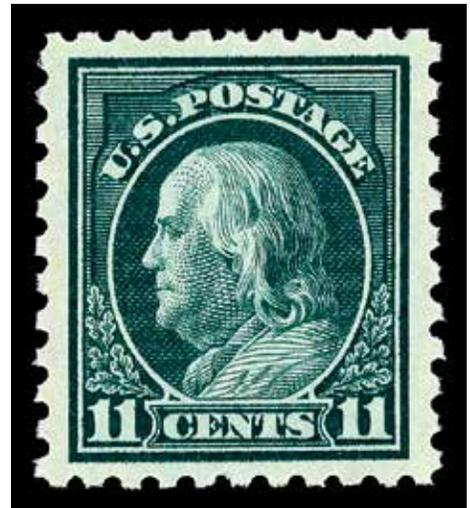
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1758 ★★

1914, 10¢ orange yellow, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 433), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with vivacious color without a hint of oxidation, sound and bright with exceptional centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$600 - 800

1759 ★★

1915, 11¢ dark green, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 434), o.g., never hinged, a lovely stamp with profound color and bold lines on bright white; exceptional eye appeal, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2000 P.F. and 2021 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500



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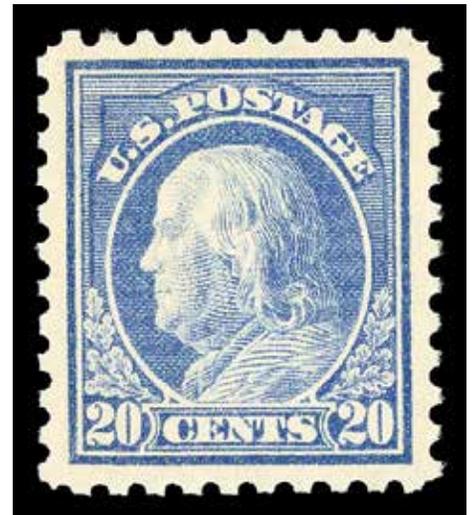
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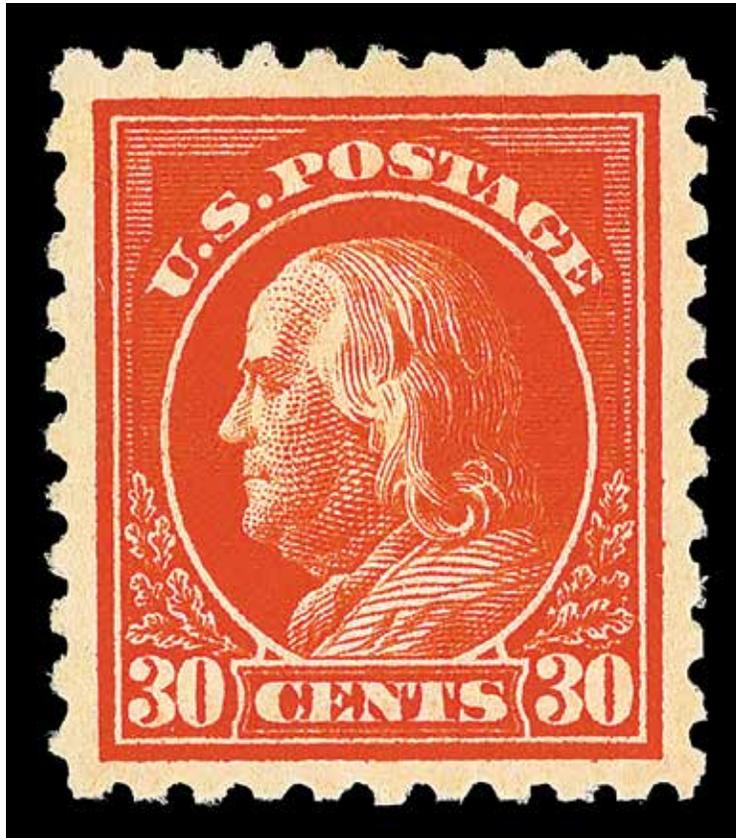
1914, 15¢ gray, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 437), o.g., never hinged, a striking stamp with bright color, clean impression, and superior centering on vivid white, Extremely Fine, with 1990 and 2010 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ XF 90; \$575. Scott \$275. Estimate \$400 - 600

1761 ★★

1914, 20¢ ultramarine, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 438), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with crisp delicate color and clean impression, bright and wonderfully centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1997 P.F. and 2016 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,500. Scott Stamp Values \$2,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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1762 ★★

1914, 30¢ orange red, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 439), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with vibrant color and cris detail, solidly centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,000. Scott Stamp Values \$3,250. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



1763

**1914 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
SL WMK, PERF 10 COILS**

1763 ★★

1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 442), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with rich color and solid perforations, attractively centered, Extremely Fine, *only nine line pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1989 and 2015 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$350. Scott \$130. Estimate \$250 - 350

1764 ★★

1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 444), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, pristine with rich color and sharp detail, fresh with superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only eight grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2002 P.F., 2006 P.S.E. and 2014 P.F. certificates, the latter two graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,500. Scott \$650. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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1765 ★

1914, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 445), o.g., lightly hinged, mathematically centered and fresh in bold, rich color and sharp detail, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2002 and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$750. Scott Stamp Values \$525. Estimate \$500 - 750



1766

1766 ★★

1914, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 446), pair, o.g., never hinged, captivating with rich color and crisp detail in balanced, jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two grade thus, with just six higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2003 P.F. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$3,600. Scott Stamp Values \$3,000 as a "95". Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



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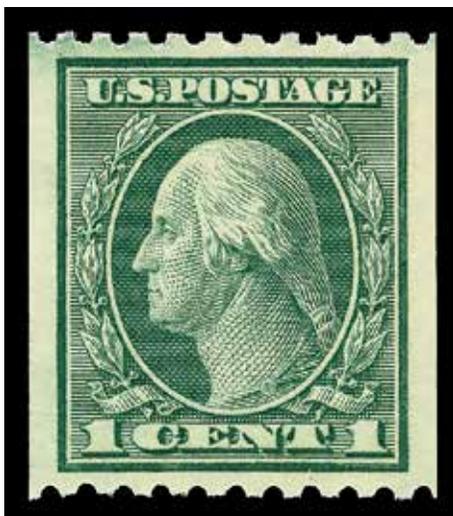
1914, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 447), pair, o.g., never hinged, pristine with rich color and clean detail, each stamp with superior centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1994 P.F. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$775. Scott Stamp Values \$1,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1768 ★★

1914, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 447), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, alluring with intense color and razor-sharp detail, sound and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine line pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,750. Scott Stamp Values \$1,600. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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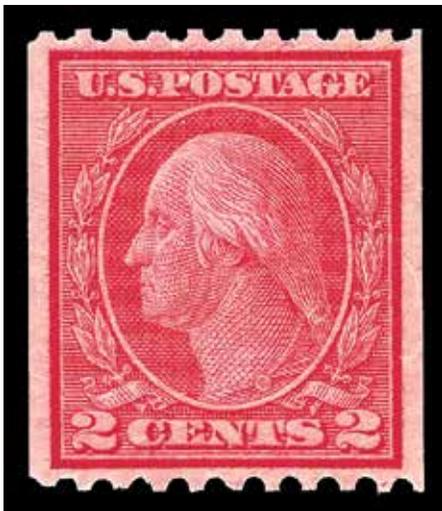


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1914-1916 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, PERF 10 ROTARY COILS

1769 ★★

1915, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 448), o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound, flawlessly printed and centered; destined for a collection of distinction, Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$550. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1770 ★★

1916, 2¢ carmine, type III, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 450), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bright, suffused color and mathematical centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500

1771 ★★

1914, 2¢ carmine rose, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 453), pair, o.g., never hinged, a stellar item with sharp detail in rich color, sound and fresh with superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only six pairs grade thus, with just two 95s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,750. Scott \$625. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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1772

1772 ★

1914, 2¢ carmine rose, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 453), joint line pair, o.g., very lightly hinged, sound and Post Office fresh with intense, deep color and superior centering; a pretty item, Extremely Fine, *only two grade thus, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,000. Scott \$750. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1773

1773 ★★

1915, 2¢ red, type II, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 454), pair, o.g., never hinged, a choice item with bold color and clean impression, wonderfully centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,150. Scott Stamp Values \$1,300. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1774 ★★

1915, 2¢ red, type II, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 454), joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with radiant color and clear impression, sound and enticing, Extremely Fine, *a Top of the Pop, only eight line pairs attaining this apex grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,600. Scott \$850. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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1775 ★

1916, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 456), o.g., hinged, exquisite with captivating color and crisp detail, near-perfectly centered on pure white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$500. Scott \$250. Estimate \$350 - 500



1776

1776 ★★

1916, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, horizontal rotary press coil (Scott 457), o.g., never hinged, clean and sound with deep color and exceptional centering; a pleasing pair, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only eight 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$450. Scott \$150. Estimate \$400 - 600

1777 ★★

1916, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically, cracked plate (Scott 457 var.), joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, a scarce variety, the error the right stamp, the pair pristine and sound, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$500 as normal. Scott \$390 as normal. Estimate \$500 - 750



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1778

1778 ★★

1916, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 458), o.g., never hinged, pristine with rich, robust color and sharp detail, flawlessly centered and sound, Superb, *only a single 100 grades higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$525. Estimate \$500 - 750



1779

1779 ★★

1916, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 458), joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, sound and fresh with vivid color and crisp impression, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,100. Scott \$375. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1914 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, IMPERF, ROTARY COIL



1780

1780 ★★

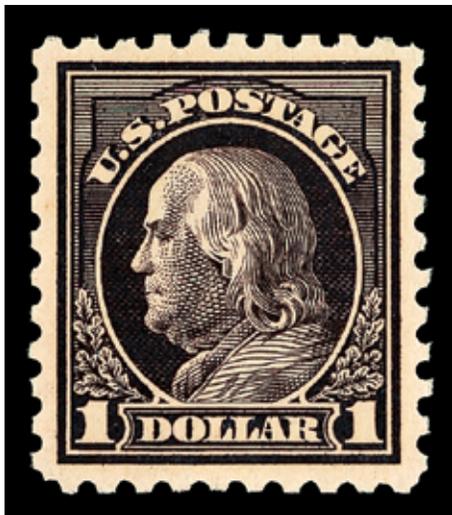
1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, imperf. horizontal coil (Scott 459), o.g., never hinged, pristine with rich, radiant color and clean detail, sound with balanced, full margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$500. Scott \$375. Estimate \$400 - 600



1781

1781 ★★

1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, imperf. horizontal coil (Scott 459), joint line pair without crease, o.g., never hinged, sound and Post Office fresh with luxuriant color and sharp detail, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,500. Scott \$1,850. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



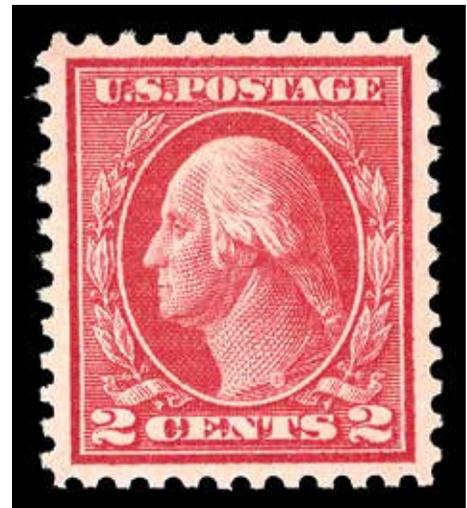
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**1915 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
DL WMK, PERF 10**

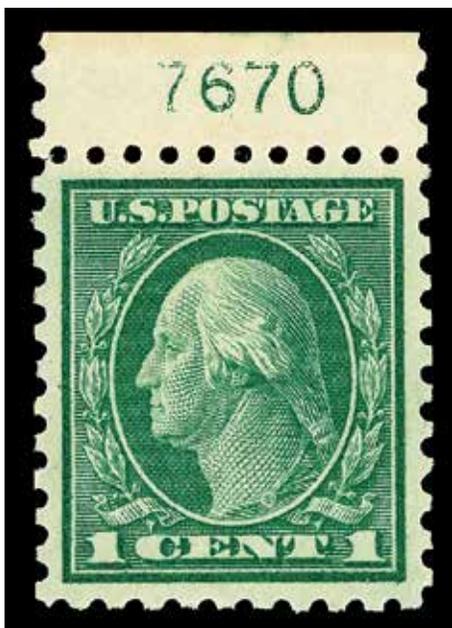
1782 ★ 1915, \$1 violet black, D.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 460), o.g., hinged, a captivating stamp with proof-like color and clarity, beautifully centered on pristine paper, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$850. Scott \$650. Estimate \$600 - 800

**1915 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
SL WMK, PERF 11**

1783 ★★ 1915, 2¢ pale carmine red, type I, S.L. watermark, perf. 11 (Scott 461), o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with exuberant color and full, balanced margins of pristine white, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2005 and 2017 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,000. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000. Estimate \$1,800 - 2,200



1783



1784

**1916-1917 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
FLAT PLATE, UNWMK, PERF 10**

1784 ★★ 1916, 1¢ green, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 462), top margin plate number 7670 single, o.g., stamp never hinged, hinged in selvage only, choice positional with proof-like color and sharp detail, immaculate with mathematical centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$200. Estimate \$250 - 350



1785

1785 ★★

1916, 3¢ violet, type I, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 464), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with sharp detail in solid color, soundly centered amid near-jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$825. Scott Stamp Values \$1,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1786 ★★

1916, 4¢ orange brown, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 465), o.g., never hinged, eye-catching with rich color and exceptional centering, fresh, sound and enticing, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$625. Scott Stamp Values \$625. Estimate \$500 - 750



1786



1787

1787 ★★

1916, 5¢ blue, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 466), o.g., never hinged, a pretty stamp with razor-sharp color and clarity, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 1986 P.F. (block of four, this position 4) and 2012 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$400. Scott \$160. Estimate \$300 - 400



1788



A SUPERLATIVE 1916 PERF 10 5¢ COLOR ERROR

- 1788 ★★ 1916, 5¢ carmine color error, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 467), o.g., never hinged, when only the best will do, a magnificent example with superlative color, freshness and centering, Superb, *only five stamps grade thus, with a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$12,000. Scott Stamp Values \$10,500. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000



1789

1789 ★★

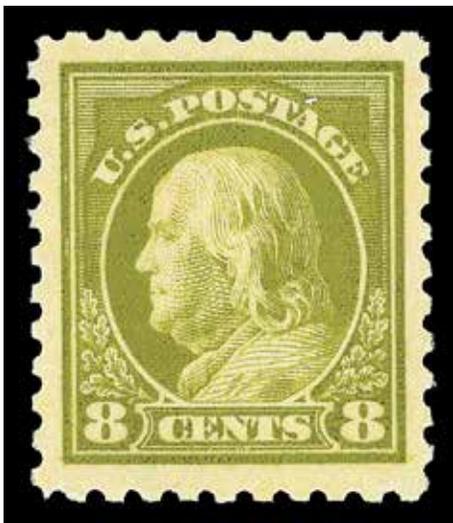
1916, 6¢ red orange, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 468), o.g., never hinged, on wondrously bright paper in near-perfect centering; light oxidation along framelines, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,250. Scott Stamp Values \$1,150. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1790 ★

1916, 7¢ black, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 469), o.g., very lightly hinged, a gorgeous stamp with luxuriant color and deep lines, sound and mathematically centered, Superb, *one of just six stamps at this grade, with only two 100s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$725. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$500 - 750



1790



1791

1791 ★★

1916, 8¢ olive green, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 470), o.g., never hinged, a fresh, bright jumbo with lavish color and near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$1,250. Scott Stamp Values \$950 as a "95". Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1792

1792 ★★

1916, 9¢ salmon red, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 471), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with radiant color and solid lines, beautifully centered on glowing white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1995 P.F. and 2022 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$775. Scott Stamp Values \$900. Estimate \$600 - 800

1793 ★★

1916, 10¢ orange yellow, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 472), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with radiant, deep color and near-perfect centering; couple pinprick inclusions not noted on accompanying certificate, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,400. Scott Stamp Values \$1,400. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1793



1794

1794 ★★

1916, 11¢ dark green, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 473), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with immense color and deep lines, sound with nicely balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$625. Scott Stamp Values \$675. Estimate \$500 - 750



1795

1795 ★★

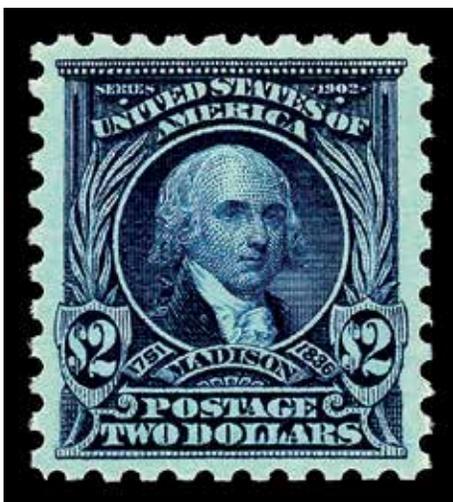
1916, 15¢ gray, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 475), o.g., never hinged, choice example with bright color and clean impression, mathematically centered on glowing white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,250. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1796 ★★

1916, 20¢ light ultramarine, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 476), o.g., never hinged, immaculate with vivid color and clean impression, bright, sound and in superior centering, Extremely Fine, ex Houpt, with 2007 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,000. Scott \$500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1796



1797

1797 ★★

1917, \$2 dark blue, perf. 10 (Scott 479), o.g., never hinged, eye-catching with bold color and crisp detail, sound with alluring centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1980, 2003 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,500. Scott Stamp Values \$1,400. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1798

1798 ★★

1917, \$5 light green, perf. 10 (Scott 480), o.g., never hinged, pristine with bright color and superior centering, sound and enticing, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,100. Scott \$375. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1916-1922 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, ROTARY PLATE, UNWMK, PERF 10 COILS

1799 ★★

1917, 3¢ violet, type I, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 489), joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with subdued color and clean lines, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, one of just six line pairs at this summit grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$950. Estimate \$600 - 800



1799



1800

1800 ★★

1917, 3¢ violet, type I, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 493), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with brisk color and clean lines, flawlessly centered and sound, Superb, *only two 98Js grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$300 - 400



1801

1801 ★★

1917, 3¢ violet, type I, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 493), joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, sound and fresh with alluring color and impression, crisply centered, Extremely Fine, *only nine line pairs grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$400. Scott \$230. Estimate \$300 - 400

1802 ★★

1917, 4¢ orange brown, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 495), o.g., never hinged, sound with rich, warm color and mathematical centering; a lovely coil, Superb, *only a single 100 grades higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 and 2025 P.S.E. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$275. Estimate \$300 - 400



1802

1803 ★★

1917, 4¢ orange brown, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 495), joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with bright color and crisp lines, attractively centered, Extremely Fine, with 2016 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$350. Scott \$160. Estimate \$250 - 350



1803



1804

1804 ★★

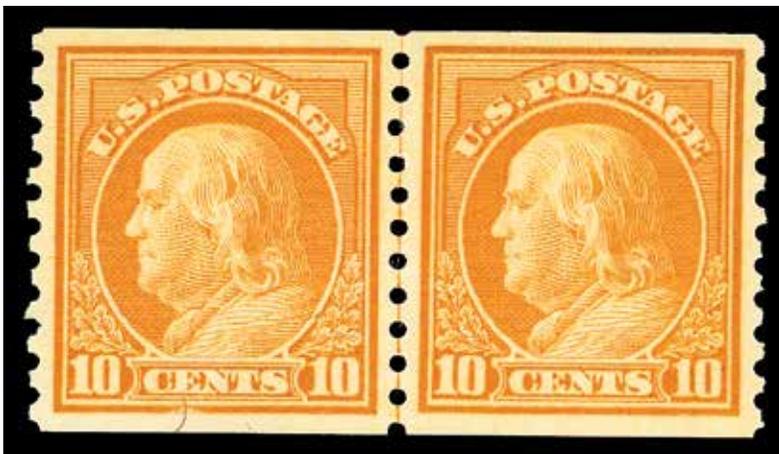
1919, 5¢ blue, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 496), joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, a lovely item with captivating color and razor-sharp detail, sound and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$275. Estimate \$250 - 350

1805 ★★

1922, 10¢ orange yellow, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 497), o.g., never hinged, an exquisite stamp with radiant, rich color amid flawless margins; a must-have for the Washington-Franklin enthusiast, Superb, only six 100s grade higher in PSE's Population Report, with 1994 P.F. and 2007 & 2025 P.S.E. certificates, the last two graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$275. Estimate \$300 - 400



1805



1806

1806 ★★

1922, 10¢ orange yellow, unwatermarked, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 497), joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bold color and superior centering on bright paper; eyelash (?) inclusion on left stamp imaged but not noted on accompanying certificate, Extremely Fine, only nine grade higher in PSE's Population Report, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$350. Scott \$260. Estimate \$250 - 350



1807

**1917-1919 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,
FLAT PLATE, UNWMK, PERF 11**

1807 ★★ 1917, 2¢ deep rose, type Ia, perf. 11 (Scott 500), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with fulsome color and precision centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,400. Scott Stamp Values \$2,350. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



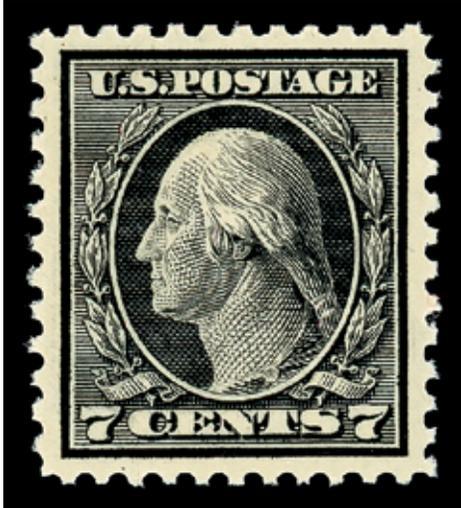
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1808 ★★ 1917, 4¢ brown, perf. 11 (Scott 503), o.g., never hinged, mathematically centered in alluring color and crisp impression; faint discoloration in hair imaged but not called on accompanying certificates, Superb, with 2006 and 2025 P.S.E. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$650. Estimate \$350 - 500



1809

1809 ★★ 1917, 5¢ rose color error, perf. 11 (Scott 505), o.g., never hinged, immaculate with luxuriant color and crisp impression, sound with well-balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,150. Scott Stamp Values \$2,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



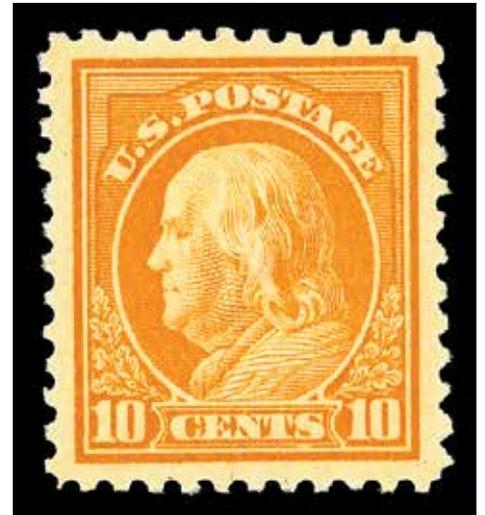
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1810 ★★

1917, 7¢ black, perf. 11 (Scott 507), o.g., never hinged, choice example with crisp detail in clean color, sound with mathematically balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$350 - 500

1811 ★★

1917, 10¢ orange yellow, perf. 11 (Scott 510), o.g., never hinged, clean and sound with bold, vivacious color and balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$350 - 500



1811



1812

1812 ★★

1917, 15¢ gray, perf. 11 (Scott 514), o.g., never hinged, bright with robust color and clear impression, sound with nicely balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$550. Estimate \$400 - 600



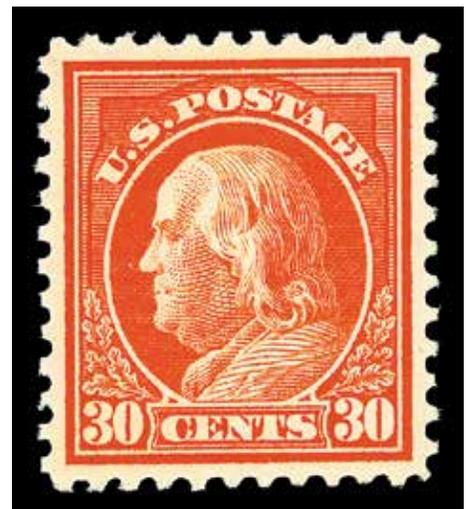
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1813 ★★

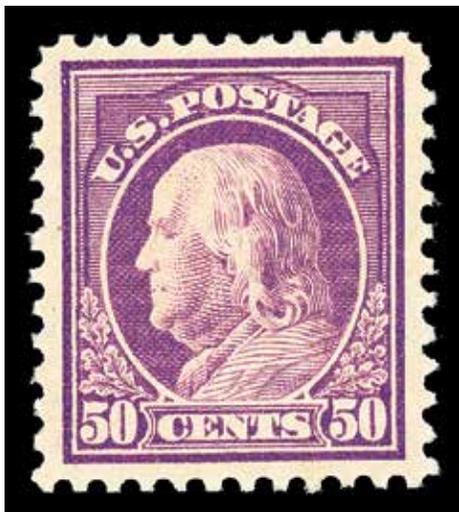
1917, 20¢ light ultramarine, perf. 11 (Scott 515), o.g., never hinged, a stunner with impeccable color, clarity and centering amid jumbo margins; one for the true connoisseur, Superb, *only seven stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.S.A.G. and 2013 P.F. certificates, the latter graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$1,750. Scott Stamp Values \$1,350 as a "98". Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1814 ★★

1917, 30¢ orange red, perf. 11 (Scott 516), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with immense color depth and bold lines, beautifully centered with tremendous eye appeal, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$400 - 600



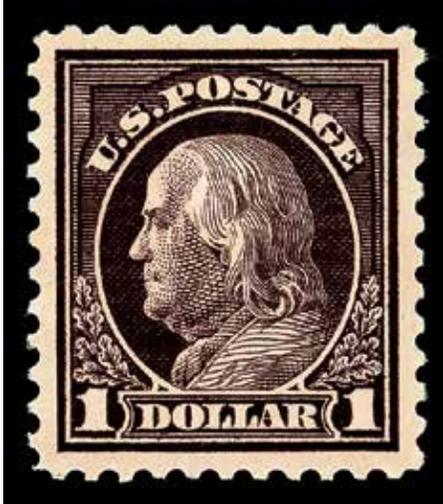
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1815 ★★

1917, 50¢ red violet, perf. 11 (Scott 517), o.g., never hinged, enticing with rich color and exceptional centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2006 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$475. Estimate \$350 - 500



1816

1816 ★★

1917, \$1 violet brown, perf. 11 (Scott 518), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with proof-like color and impression, near-perfectly centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$525. Scott Stamp Values \$475. Estimate \$400 - 600

1917 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, FLAT PLATE, DL WMK, PERF 11

1817 ★★

1917, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, perf. 11 (Scott 519), o.g., never hinged, a choice example with compelling color and detail, sound and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine, with 1990, 2000 and 2022 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,600. Scott \$950. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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1918 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, FLAT PLATE, PERF 11

1818 ★★

1918, \$2 orange red & black (Scott 523), o.g., never hinged, a lovely stamp with radiant color and sharp lines, in balanced centering on immaculate paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,500. Scott \$1,125. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



1819

1819 ★★

1918, \$5 deep green & black (Scott 524), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bright color on matching paper, vignette with deeply engraved lines, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$800. Scott \$340. Estimate \$600 - 800

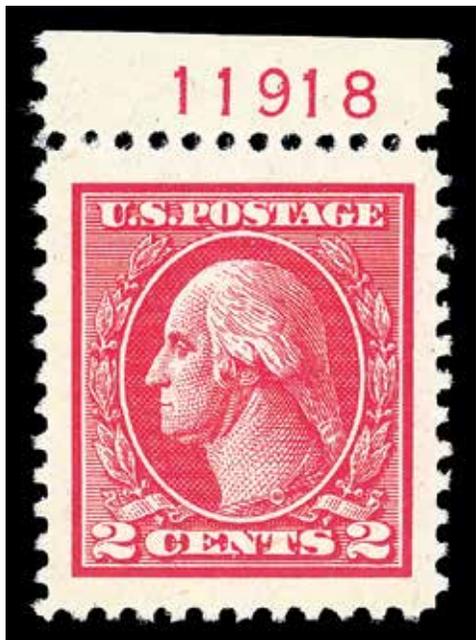
1918-1920 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, OFFSET, PERF 11

1820 ★★

1920, 2¢ carmine, type IV, offset printing (Scott 526), o.g., never hinged, a sensational example with near-perfect centering on immaculate paper, sound with enchanting color and clarity, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$500. Scott Stamp Values \$525. Estimate \$350 - 500



1820



1821

1821 ★★

1918, 2¢ carmine, type Va, offset printing (Scott 528), top margin plate number 11918 single, o.g., never hinged, a no-questions jumbo of luminous white paper, the design vivacious and near-perfectly centered; a captivating positional, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$200 as a "95". Estimate \$250 - 350



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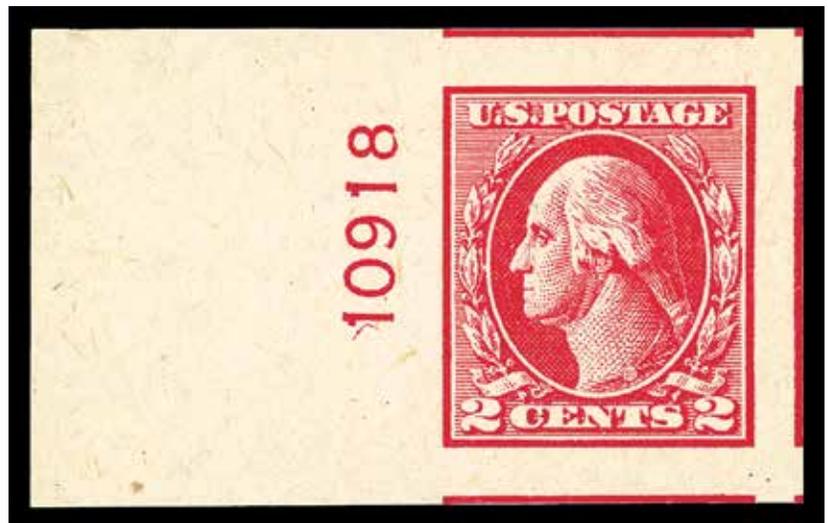
1822 ★★

1918, 2¢ carmine, type VII, offset printing (Scott 528B), o.g., never hinged, in radiant color on glowing white paper, sound with crisp detail and outstanding centering amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$400 as a “95”. Estimate \$400 - 600

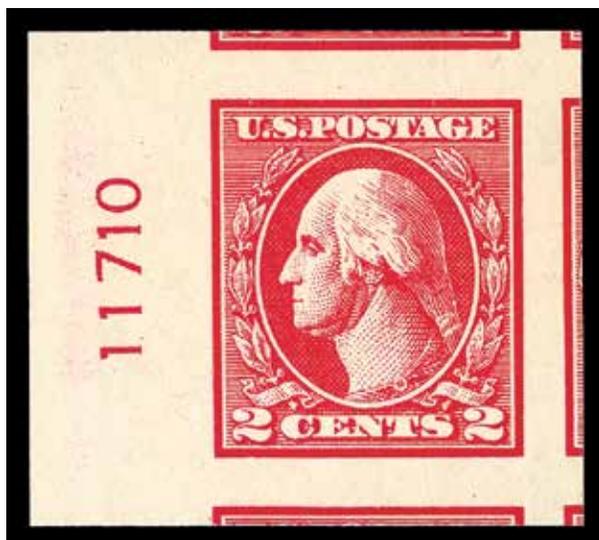
1918-1920 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, OFFSET, IMPERF

1823 ★★

1918, 2¢ carmine rose, type IV, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 532), left margin plate number 10918 single, o.g., never hinged, pristine and fresh with deep color, perfectly framed by portions of adjacent stamps, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ **Gem 100J**; \$400 as a “100”. Scott Stamp Values \$425 as a “100”. Estimate \$300 - 400



1823



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1824 ★★

1918, 2¢ carmine, type VI, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 534A), left margin plate number 11710 single, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with compelling color and refined detail, massively margined capturing framelines of surrounding stamps, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ **Gem 100J**; \$500 as a “100”. Scott Stamp Values \$525 as a “100”. Estimate \$350 - 500



1825

1919 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, OFFSET, PERF 12½

1825 ★★ 1919, 1¢ gray green, offset printing, perf. 12½ (Scott 536), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with cool color and crisp detail, mathematically centered on bright white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$375. Estimate \$350 - 500

1919-1920 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, ROTARY COIL WASTE, COMPOUND PERFS

1826 ★★ 1919, 1¢ green, rotary press coil waste, vertical pair, imperf. horizontally (Scott 538a), o.g., never hinged, pristine and sound with rich, deep color and clean impression, Extremely Fine to Superb, unpriced in SMQ or Scott Stamp Values, #538 carries a premium of nine times from an grade of 80 to a 95, only three examples grade thus, with a single 98 higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2006 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95. Scott \$125. Estimate \$400 - 600



1826



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1920 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, FLAT PLATE, PERF 11

1827 ★★ 1920, \$2 carmine & black (Scott 547), o.g., never hinged, in deep, rich colors on like-new paper, sound and fresh with near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$800. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



1828

1920 PILGRIM TERCENTENARY ISSUE

1828 ★★ 1920, 2¢ Pilgrim (Scott 549), bottom margin plate number 12432 single, o.g., never hinged, a lovely positional, with deep lines and robust color, wonderfully centered amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$175 as a "95". Estimate \$300 - 400

1829 ★★ 1920, 5¢ Pilgrim (Scott 550), o.g., never hinged, with exceptional color depth, cleanly printed and magnificently centered on bright white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$500. Estimate \$300 - 400



1829



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1922-1929 FOURTH BUREAU ISSUE

1830 ★★ 1923, 1¢ Franklin (Scott 552), o.g., never hinged, choice with select color, clarity and centering; as pretty as they come, Superb, with 2008 and 2021 P.S.E. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$230. Estimate \$300 - 400



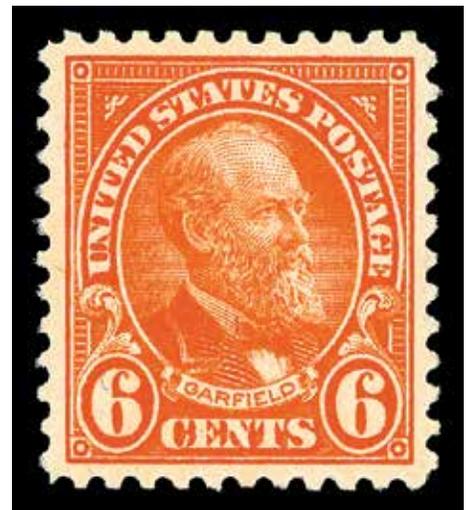
1831

1831 ★★

1925, 1½¢ Harding (Scott 553), o.g., never hinged, mathematically centered in luxuriantly rich color, looking like it was printed yesterday, Superb, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400

1832 ★★

1922, 6¢ Garfield (Scott 558), o.g., never hinged, a stand-out on any album page, with the most compelling color imaginable, beautifully centered on bright paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$300. Estimate \$300 - 400



1832



1833

1833 ★★

1923, 8¢ Grant (Scott 560), o.g., never hinged, fresh with solid color and crisp impression, sound and well centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500



1834

1834 ★★

1923, \$2 U.S. Capitol (Scott 572), o.g., never hinged, pristine with deep color on bright paper with straight-down-the-middle-of-the-aisle centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$300. Scott \$110. Estimate \$250 - 350

1835 ★★

1923, \$5 America (Scott 573), o.g., never hinged, immaculate with radiant colors in near-perfect registration, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$425. Scott \$180. Estimate \$350 - 500



1835



1836

1836 ★★

1923, 1¢ Franklin, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 581), o.g., never hinged, select example with bright color and proof-like impression, sound and fresh with mathematical centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400



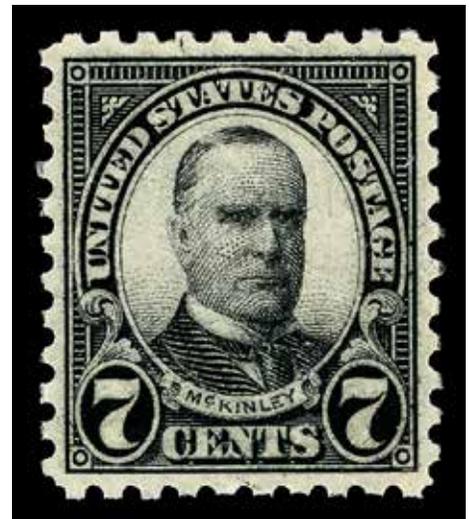
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1837 ★★

1925, 3¢ Lincoln, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 584), o.g., never hinged, fresh and crisp with enticing color and superior centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$325. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$300 - 400

1838 ★★

1926, 7¢ McKinley, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 588), o.g., never hinged, richly colored and solidly centered, a lovely stamp, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$275. Estimate \$250 - 350



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1839

1839 ★★

1926, 8¢ Grant, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 589), o.g., never hinged, clean with intense color on bright paper, centered just a hair from perfect, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$350. Estimate \$250 - 350



1840

1840 ★★

1925, 10¢ Monroe, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 591), bottom left plate number 16107 single, o.g., never hinged, a pretty positional with full selvage, the stamp near-perfectly centered in exceptionally deep color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$450. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$400 - 600

1841 ★★

1923, 2¢ Washington, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 (Scott 595), o.g., never hinged, in captivatingly rich color, crisply printed and flawlessly centered; an all-around pretty stamp, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2001 and 2019 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,500. Scott Stamp Values \$1,900. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



1841



1842

1842 ★★

1929, 2¢ Washington, type II, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 599A), pair, o.g., never hinged, in rich, deep color with sharp detail clearly presenting type characteristics, sound and uncommonly well centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1979 P.F. and 2011 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,300. Scott \$500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



1925-1929 ISSUES



1844

1844 ★★

1928, 2¢ Washington, type II, rotary press printing (Scott 634A), o.g., never hinged, a top-notch example with exceptional depth of color and clarity of line, sound and fresh, Superb, *only five 100s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1981 P.F. and 2020 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$3,500. Scott Stamp Values \$3,750. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



1843

1843 ★★

1925, 17¢ Wilson (Scott 623), o.g., never hinged, with complete proof-like presentation, a simply gorgeous stamp, Superb, SMQ for a 98J \$400, *only two stamps grade 100J in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.S.A.G. and P.S.E. certificates, P.S.A.G. graded GEM 100J, P.S.E. graded SUP 98J. SMQ **Gem 100J**; \$2,250. Scott Stamp Values \$800 as a "100". Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

1845 ★★

1928, 2¢ Valley Forge (Scott 645), o.g., never hinged, if you're looking for perfection, your prayer's been answered; immaculate with rich, radiant color, razor-sharp detail, and absolutely flawless centering, Superb, *only a single 100J grades higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ **Gem 100**; \$475. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$500 - 750



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1929-1937 ISSUES

1846 ★★

1931, 17¢ Wilson, rotary press printing (Scott 697), top left plate number 20535 single, o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous positional, in crisp color with refined detail, all wondrously centered on like-new paper, Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$350. Scott Stamp Values \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400



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1847

1847 (★)

Charleston, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue (Scott 16X1), unused without gum, face-fresh with bold color and sharp impression, bright with full margins; tiny thin speck, otherwise Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

GENERAL ISSUES



1848

1848 ★★/★田

1861, 10¢ dark blue, Hoyer printing (Scott 2b), block of 4, usual slightly unevenly applied o.g., bottom left stamp never hinged, huge margins all around including part of adjacent pair at top, all in gorgeous color; each bottom stamp with small translucency when held to light, still Extremely Fine, a beautiful block. Scott \$2,600. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

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