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## Sale No. 835 - Public Auction Sale

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## Bidding Increments:

Bidding shall proceed in accordance with the following schedule:

Up to \$200; increase by \$10	Over \$7,500 to \$15,000; increase by \$500
Over \$200 to \$500; increase by \$25	Over \$15,000 to \$30,000; increase by \$1,000
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		

Gum Categories:	MINT N.H.	ORIGINAL GUM (O.G.)				NO GUM
						
	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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## Grading and Condition

<b>Superb</b>	Extraordinary item in the finest condition.
<b>Extremely Fine (XF)</b>	A stamp or cover of outstanding and exceptional quality.
<b>Very Fine (VF)</b>	Scott Catalog's standard. Stamps will present a nice, balanced appearance. Covers appear new or show only minimal wear.
<b>Fine-Very Fine (F-VF)</b>	Stamp and/or covers are sound. Stamps are fully margined but noticeably off-center. Covers show normal travel wear.
<b>Fine (F)</b>	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.
<b>Very Good (VG)</b>	Stamps with imperfect centering, stamps or covers with poor general appearance.

### Covers

Minor imperfections are normal for 19th-century envelopes that have been postally transmitted. These include, but are not limited to, nicks, edge or flap tears, or slight reductions; folded letters will often have at least one file fold. Further, covers may have an ordinary stamp with a minor defect. Acceptable forms of conservation include light cleaning and edge mending. These conditions, even if not described, are not grounds for return.

### Catalog Values

Unless otherwise noted, the currently available (2025 edition) Scott Catalogue values are quoted in U.S. dollars and rounded to the nearest dollar. Other catalogues are often used for foreign countries or specialized areas as required.

### Collection Lots

Please note that *all* collection lots are sold on an "as-is" basis and therefore **not returnable for any reason**. Every attempt has been made to provide an accurate description, and extensive imaging is available on our website. Most collection lots will contain stamps and/or covers with varying imperfections or faults. We strongly suggest that all lots of interest be viewed in advance of the sale.

*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



### **Mike Laszewski**

Mike began collecting stamps at the age of 11 after finding his deceased uncle's childhood album in his grandmother's attic. Thus began a lifelong love of stamps. His collecting was consistently fueled by his love of American history and the stories that his stamps told. Mike is a visual person which in part explains his attraction to philately as well as his career choice as a physician and specifically a pathologist. At times, his collecting was interrupted because of education, career development or the demands of raising his family, but he always came back to his albums to pursue and renew his passion.

Initially, collecting was focused on filling empty spaces in his albums with material he could afford, however over the years, he was able to narrow his focus and purchase higher quality material. He began collecting postal history, especially early 20th century commemorative issues later in life. His favorite commemorative issue is the 1901 Pan-American Issue because of the beautiful and colorful engraving of the stamps and the important stories that they tell about the industrialization and expansion of our nation in the post civil war era. Besides his philatelic pursuits, Mike enjoys spending time with his family, reading and working out and staying active.

# CONDITIONS OF SALE - Public Auction

THE PLACING OF A BID SHALL CONSTITUTE ACCEPTANCE OF THESE CONDITIONS OF SALE BETWEEN BIDDER AND DANIEL F. KELLEHER AUCTIONS, LLC ("KELLEHER")

## BIDDING

1. Unless announced otherwise by the auctioneer, all bids are per lot, as numbered in the printed Catalogue. Kelleher, as agent for the consignor or vendor, shall regulate the bidding and shall determine the manner in which the bidding shall be conducted. Kelleher reserves the right to withdraw any lot prior to sale (without liability to any potential purchaser or agent), to re-offer any withdrawn lot, to divide a lot or to group two or more lots belonging to the same consignor or vendor, and to refuse any bid believed not made in good faith. Estimates of sales prices contained in the printed Catalogue reflect the best judgment of Kelleher and are not minimum or upset prices.

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.

(e) Agents are responsible for the payment of the purchase price for all purchases made on behalf of their clients, unless other arrangements with the auctioneer have been confirmed in writing prior to the auction.

## PAYMENT FOR PURCHASES

4. (a) Payment for lots, including those on which opinions are desired (Extensions), shall be as follows:

(b) Floor Bidders. Payment of the purchase price, or such part thereof as Kelleher shall require, shall be made by the purchaser in cash, bank or certified check, credit card, PayPal or in such other manner as Kelleher may determine. The name and address of the purchaser of each lot shall be given to the auctioneer immediately following the sale of such lot.

(c) Mail/Internet/FAX/Website Bidders. A successful mail bidder will be notified of lots purchased. Before Kelleher will send such lots, payment in full must be received by Kelleher within three (3) business days of receipt of the aforesaid notification by the mail bidder. However, a purchaser known to Kelleher at its option may have purchases delivered or forwarded for immediate payment (by a dollar draft, ACH or wire transfer from a U.S. bank in the case of overseas purchasers). Mailed delivery will be to the address on the bid sheet and proof by Kelleher of receipt of a sending at the advised address shall constitute delivery. This includes disputes for payments made via PayPal and/or credit card. Buyer acknowledges that he/she waives their right to file a dispute in such cases with PayPal or their Credit Card Company. All charges for handling, delivery and insurance obtained by Kelleher on behalf of the purchaser shall be added to the purchase price; a minimum charge of \$20.00 will be made for same.

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.

(b) In the event that a bidder shall fail to comply with these Conditions of Sale ("Non-Complying Bidder"), then, as to any lot with respect to which such failure to comply occurs, Kelleher, may, in its sole discretion, re-offer such lot during the same auction or at an auction at a later time, or by private treaty sale at such time as Kelleher Auctions, in its sole discretion, deems appropriate and the Non-Complying Bidder shall be liable for the deficiency, if any, between the hammer price and the net proceeds of a sale to a subsequent purchaser, whether at auction or by private treaty, as well as for all costs and expenses of both sales, including all other charges due thereunder, including commissions with respect to both sales, whether payable to Kelleher or to a third party and all incidental damages. It shall be in Kelleher's sole discretion to determine whether to re-offer the lot theretofore hammered-down to a Non-Complying Bidder at the same auction, or by private treaty in due course, or at a subsequent auction conducted by Kelleher. In no event shall any surplus arising from the sale of a re-offered lot be payable to a Non-Complying Bidder.

(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:

Please contact us for our wiring instructions.

## 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, 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.

## SALES TAX/CUSTOMS DUTIES

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.

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Bids must be received at least 1 hour before sale commences — be sure to use FAX: (203) 297-6059 or EMAIL: bids@kelleherauctions.com

## PHONE BIDDING DURING THE SALE

Phone bidding space is limited and available on a first-come, first served basis. The importance of reserving early cannot be overstated!

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2001



2002



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2005



2006

- 2001 (★)** **1840, Queen Victoria First Issue, 1d black (Scott 1)**, Plate Ib, A-K, deep shade, three full to ample margins, just touches the frameline at bottom, light horizontal crease, unused without gum, bold color, side margins full, clear at top, nearly grazed at bottom; light stain at top right and in right margin, Fine, with 2025 R.P.S.L. certificate. SG 2; £12,500 (\$16,690). S.G. Spec. AS5; £12,000 (\$16,020). Scott \$12,500 as o.g. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2002 (★)** **1840, Queen Victoria First Issue, 1d black (Scott 1)**, Plate II, B-H, unused without gum, clear impression in rich color, clear to full margins three sides, just skimming frameline at bottom, Fine, with 2025 R.P.S.L. certificate. SG 2; £12,500 (\$16,690). S.G. Spec. AS14; £17,000 (\$22,700). Scott \$12,500 as o.g. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2003 ★** **1840, Queen Victoria First Issue, 1d black (Scott 1)**, Plate IV, A-B, small part o.g., a captivating four-margined example, clean and sound with bold color and particularly strong vignette, Very Fine, with 2025 R.P.S.L. certificate. SG 2; £12,500 (\$16,690). S.G. Spec. AS23; £12,000 (\$16,020). Scott \$12,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2004 (★)** **1840, Queen Victoria First Issue, 1d black (Scott 1)**, Plate VII, A-H, regummed, a beautiful stamp with deep, rich color, clean impression, and full to oversized margins all around; fresh, Very Fine, with 2025 R.P.S.L. certificate. SG 2; £12,500 (\$16,690). S.G. Spec. AS46; £16,000 (\$21,360). Scott \$12,500 as o.g. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2005 (★)** **1840, Queen Victoria First Issue, 1d intense black (Scott 1a)**, Plate IV, C-D, unused without gum, a striking stamp with immense color and sculptural presentation, close margins, in at right and bottom; vertical creases, Fine, with 2025 R.P.S.L. certificate. SG 1; £17,500 (\$23,360). S.G. Spec. AS22; £17,000 (\$22,700). Scott \$20,000 as o.g. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500
- 2006 (★)** **1841, 2d blue, "white lines" (Scott 4)**, plate IV, O-C, regummed, four-margined example with bold color; surface soiling, Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 R.P.S.L. certificate. SG 14; £5,000 (\$6,680). S.G. Spec. ES14; £6,000 (\$8,010). Scott \$6,000 for o.g. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



2007

- 2007 ☒** **1841, 2d blue, "white lines" (Scott 4)**, horizontal strip of 6, position FG-FL, full top & left margins, partial bottom and cut in at the right, tied by Beverley "67" numeral cancels on a folded cover to the U.S. Secretary of the Navy in Washington D.C.; red "PAID" and rocking "5/CENTS"; backstamped Beverley Jan 8, 1852, and Liverpool (Jan 9), Fine to Very Fine. Clean and attractive. SG 14. Estimate \$500 - 750



2008



2009



2010



2011

- 2008 ★** 1841, 2d pale blue, “white lines” (Scott 4a), Plate III, A-F, o.g., lightly hinged, appealing four-margined example with vibrant color and solid centering; small thin and rust spots, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 R.P.S.L. certificate. SG 13; £7,500 (\$10,010). S.G. Spec. E1(1); £9,000 (\$12,020). Scott \$8,650. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2009 ☒** 1847, Queen Victoria (embossed), 1s pale green (Scott 5), two singles tied by Liverpool “466” numeral cancels on a folded letter from Liverpool to New York via Canada with red “PAID” and *rocking* “5/CENTS”; one stamp with nearly four margins, the other 2+; overall, exceptionally fresh and attractive. SG 54. Scott \$2,350. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2010 ★★** 1854, Queen Victoria (embossed), 6d dull lilac, *watermark reversed* (Scott 7a var.), with o.g. showing no hint of hingeing; massive left margin, clear at top, in at bottom and right, Fine, with 2025 R.P.S.L. certificate. SG 59Wk; £19,500 (\$26,030). S.G. Spec. H3(2); £18,000 (\$24,030). Scott \$20,000 as normal. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2011 P** 1865, Queen Victoria, 4d vermillion, Plate Proof on unwatermarked, un gummed paper (Scott 43), fresh four-margined example, position FQ/QF, with clean color; hinge remnant, Very Fine. SG 94. S.G. Spec. J55; £1,250 (\$1,670). Estimate \$350 - 500



2012



2013



2014



2015

- 2012 (★)** 1867, Queen Victoria, 5s pale rose, Maltese Cross watermark (Scott 57a), Plate 2, H-J, attractive color, minor corner crease at bottom right, Fine appearance, Scott \$17,500.00, SG £15,000, regummed, an enticing stamp with bright color, clean impression, and bright paper; “soiled and toned” per certificate, the “soiling” incredibly faint, the “toned” we do not see; nibbed perf at left not noted by RPSL, Fine, with 2025 R.P.S.L. certificate. SG 127; £9,500 (\$12,680). S.G. Spec. J122; £17,000 (\$22,700). Scott \$17,500 as o.g. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2013 ★** 1877, Queen Victoria, 4d sage green, Large Garter watermark (Scott 70), plate 15, o.g., hinged, wonderfully fresh with outstanding centering and full, clean gum. SG 153; £1,600 (\$2,140). Scott \$1,850. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2014 ○** 1882, Queen Victoria, 5s rose on bluish paper, Anchor watermark (Scott 90), pristine with alluring color on fresh paper; neatly barrel cancelled, Very Fine. SG 130; £3,800 (\$5,070). Scott \$4,700. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2015 ○** 1882, Queen Victoria, 5s rose on white paper, Anchor watermark (Scott 90a), nicely centered with a “CS/7” grid cancel, Fine to Very Fine. SG 134. Scott \$4,500. Estimate \$500 - 750



2016



2017



2018

- 2016 ○ **1884, Queen Victoria, £1 brown lilac, Imperial Crowns watermark (Scott 110)**, sound and wonderfully fresh, well centered with socked-on-the-nose cancel, Very Fine. SG 185; £3,000 (\$4,000). Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2017 ★ **1911, King Edward VII, Somerset House printing, 2s6d dull grayish purple (Scott 139b)**, o.g., hinge remnant, fresh with subdued color and clear details, nicely centered and sound, Very Fine+. SG 315; £950 (\$1,270). Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2018 ★田 **1929, £1 P.U.C. (Scott 209)**, a choice upper left corner margin **block of 4**, fresh and beautifully centered, Very Fine. SG 438; £4,400 as singles (\$5,870). Scott \$4,400 as singles. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



2019



EX 2020



2021

## CAPE OF GOOD HOPE

- 2019 ★ **1858, Triangular, Perkins Bacon printing, 6d pale rose lilac on white paper (Scott 5)**, o.g., lightly hinged, pristine in a lovely, delicate shade, fresh with full margins, Very Fine, with 1992 B.P.A. certificate as Gibbons #7b (color as #7). SG 7; £1,200 (\$1,600). Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2020 ★/(★) **1863-64, "Hope" Seated, engraved, 1d dark carmine to 6d purple (Scott 12-14)**, a spectacular trio, each wonderfully fresh with exquisite color and full margins; 1d no gum, others full o.g., relatively lightly hinged, Very Fine+. SG 18-20; £1,175 (\$1,570). Scott \$1,125. Estimate \$350 - 500

## CAYMAN ISLANDS

- 2021 ★ **War Tax, 1919, 1½d on 2½d ultramarine (Scott MR3)**, a choice left sheet margin single, o.g., fresh and well centered, Very Fine. SG 55; £800 (\$1,070). Scott \$850. Estimate \$300 - 400

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2022

**FALKLAND ISLANDS**  
**THE KEY STAMP FOR A FALKLAND ISLANDS COLLECTION**

2022 ★★

**1964, 6d H.M.S. *Glasgow* error (Scott 151a)**, left margin single, the vignette picturing the *Glasgow* rather than the *Kent*, o.g., never hinged, bright and sound, flawlessly printed and Post Office fresh; set of normal (never hinged less 2sh, lightly hinged) accompany for comparison, along with write-up by John W. McDaniel, Jr., Very Fine. Scott \$30,000.  
Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000

(photo on front cover)

According to McDaniel, perhaps only one error sheet of 60 slipped past the inspectors, and was probably shipped to New York in a shipment of new issues. Discovered only in 1971 (seven years after issuance), with approximately only nine or ten examples “reported to date.”



2023



2024



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2026

## JORDAN

- 2023 ★** 1922, 5pi on 5p deep purple, perf 15x1 4, violet surcharge (Scott 27 var.), o.g., lightly hinged, Fine to Very Fine. *Exceptionally rare—Unlisted by Scott and unpriced by Gibbons, signed A. Brun. SG 26b.* Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2024 ★** 1922, 9pi on 9p ochre, perf 15x14, violet surcharge (Scott 28 var.), o.g., very lightly hinged, uncommonly fresh and well centered, Extremely Fine. The bottom center perf appears to be nibbed, but has a drop of the violet overprint ink on the back which bleeds through the perf. *Exceptionally rare—unlisted by Scott and unpriced by Gibbons. SG 27b.* Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2025 ★** 1923 Surcharges, 1/2pi on 9pi purple, red type 1a surcharge (Scott 98 var.), o.g., lightly hinged, exceptionally fresh, Fine to Very Fine. *Scott type II surcharge, signed Bloch, Champion. SG 75ab. SG £3,500 (\$4,670).* Estimate \$750 - 1,000

## LEEWARD ISLANDS

- 2026 ★★** 1945, King George VI, £1 violet & black on scarlet, perf 13 (Scott 115var), single, A very nice addition to any collection, Stanley Gibbons 114ba missing pearl, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. SG 114c/var; £1,700 (\$2,270). Estimate \$500 - 750

## NEW ZEALAND

- 2027** New Zealand, Invigorating Stock of Imperf & Perfed QV Revenues, 1867-78, On Vario stocksheets arranged by denomination, at least 1,400 QV Stamp Duty revenues, both imperforate & perforate with such better as Mowbray #R237 (6), R266A (4), R301 (8), R302 (7), R311 (5), R352 (7), etc, overall Fine to Very Fine, fully viewable online. Shipping charges apply - weight 3.4 lbs. (photo on web site) Estimate \$750 - 1,000



2028

- 2028 ○** 1935, Coat of Arms, Ultra High Values, £3,176 & £7,726 blue & gold (Kiwi R554 (2)), on a large piece of a document, both with full, 4mm margins, used with four stamps from the 1931 small Coat of Arms series totaling £160:4s; all tied by punched and Canterbury Stamp Duties Dept. c.d.s.s, 30 Sep 1936, Extremely Fine. *An exceedingly rare item and a true showpiece.* Kiwi \$1,200 (\$950). Estimate \$350 - 500

The document was apparently an annuity left by a man to his widow, specifying an amount payable to his widow, "so long as she shall remain my widow," making an exception should she remarry.

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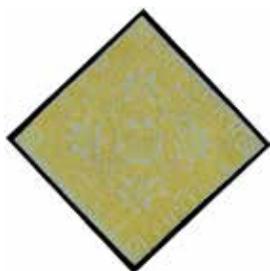
- 2029 ★** 1865, Queen Victoria, 10¢ blue, imperf. (Scott 4), full, lightly hinged o.g., bright and fresh with four nice, well balanced margins, Very Fine. Scott \$2,450. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2030 ○** 1865, Queen Victoria, 10¢ blue, imperf. (Scott 4), sound and fresh with attractive color and detail, four clear margins, and face-free blue postmarks, Very Fine, with 1989 Holcombe certificate. SG 12. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2031 ★** 1867, Seal of the Colony, 10¢ on 3d lilac rose, perf. 14 (Scott 10), o.g., lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh and nicely centered for the issue, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2032 ★** 1867, Seal of the Colony, 50¢ on 3d violet, perf. 14 (Scott 12), a marvelous mint epl, o.g., lightly hinged, exceptionally fresh and beautifully centered for the issue, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with a 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2033 ★** 1867, Seal of the Colony, \$1 on 3d green, perf. 14 (Scott 13), o.g., lightly hinged, bright, fresh and nicely centered for the issue, Fine to Very Fine, with a 2017 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2034 ★** 1867, Seal of the Colony, 5¢ on 3d bright red, perf. 12½ (Scott 14), o.g., exceptionally fresh and very well centered for the issue, Very Fine. *A Beauty!* signed Bloch. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



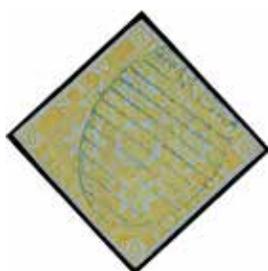
- 2035 ★** 1867, Seal of the Colony, 10¢ on 3d lilac rose, perf. 12½ (Scott 15), o.g., lightly hinged, exceptionally fresh and reasonably well centered, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2036 ★** 1867, Seal of the Colony, 25¢ on 3d orange, perf. 12½ (Scott 16), an outstanding mint example, o.g., lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh and well centered, Very Fine. Scott \$1,675. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2037 ★** 1867, Seal of the Colony, \$1 on 3d green, perf. 12½ (Scott 18), an extraordinary mint single, o.g., small hinge remnant, exceptionally fresh and and incredibly well centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *A true Gem!* with a 2015 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

**NEW BRUNSWICK**

- 2038 (★)** 1851, 3d red (Scott 1), unused without gum, four clear margins and fabulous color; tiny thin and faint pressed crease through "POSTAGE", Very Fine appearance. Scott \$5,500 for o.g. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2039 ★ 1851, 6d olive yellow (Scott 2), o.g., four clear margins and marvelous color, Very Fine, with a 2004 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$7,500. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000

2040 ○ 1851, 6d olive yellow (Scott 2), o.g., bright and fresh with large margins and a neat blue oval grid cancel; small corner crease at the left, Very Fine appearance, with a 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$300 - 400

### NEWFOUNDLAND

2041 ★★田 1860, 3d green (Scott 11A), a marvelous mint block of 4, o.g., never hinged, ample to large margins and outstanding color, Extremely Fine. *A choice multiple.* Scott \$1,000 as singles. Estimate \$600 - 800



2042



2043



2044

2042 ★★ 1870, 12c pale red brown & 12c brown (Scott 28-29), o.g., never hinged, a choice matching pair of Gems, both post office fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$660 (\$490). Scott \$460. Estimate \$300 - 400

2043 ★★田 1894, 12c brown (Scott 29), an incredible top sheet margin block of 6 with American Bank Note Co. imprint, o.g., never hinged(!), post office fresh and absolutely perfectly centered (each stamp a Gem!), Superb. Unitrade C\$1,800 as singles (\$1,340). Scott \$1,260 as singles. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2044 ★★ 1865, 13c orange on yellowish (Scott 30), o.g., never hinged, bright, fresh and beautifully centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *A real Beauty!* Unitrade C\$900 (\$670). Scott \$625. Estimate \$300 - 400

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2046



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- 2045 ★★田 **1894, 6¢ carmine lake (Scott 36)**, a remarkable bottom sheet margin **block of 9 with American Bank Note Co. imprint**, o.g., never hinged, bright, fresh and virtually well centered, Very Fine. Unitrade C\$1,890 as singles (\$1,400). Scott \$1,080 as singles. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2046 ★★田 **1894, 6¢ carmine lake (Scott 36)**, an extraordinary left sheet margin **block of 6 with American Bank Note Co. imprint**, o.g., never hinged, bright, fresh and *virtually perfectly centered*, Extremely Fine to Superb. Unitrade C\$1,260 as singles (\$940). Scott \$720 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2047 ★★ **1896, 1¢ brown (Scott 43)**, an extraordinary mint single, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and virtually perfectly centered, an Extremely Fine gem. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400



2048



2049

- 2048 ★★田 **1887, 1¢ deep green (Scott 44)**, a spectacular top margin **inscription block of 12**, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and beautifully centered throughout; some inconsequential separation in the selvage, still Extremely Fine and a truly marvelous showpiece! . *Unitrade value as a plate block and four singles*. Unitrade C\$1,620 (\$1,200). Scott \$840 ++. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2049 ★★ **1887, 3¢ umber brown (Scott 51)**, a truly extraordinary mint single, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and absolutely perfectly centered with fabulous color and contrast, a Superb Gem! Unitrade C\$480 (\$360). Scott \$350. Estimate \$300 - 400



2050



2051

2050 ★★田 1894, 5¢ bright blue (Scott 55), an impressive right sheet margin block of 4 with partial imprint, o.g., stamps never hinged, bright, fresh and quite well centered; reinforced separation in selvage only, Very Fine. Scott \$600 as singles. Estimate \$350 - 500

2051 ★★/★田 1887, 10¢ Schooner, line through “CE” of “CENTS” (Scott 59 & var.), a lower right corner margin inscription block of 8, the variety being the 2nd stamp in the top row, o.g., six stamps never hinged, including the variety, a fresh block; but average centering, the third vertical row of perforations partly reinforced, about Fine. Unitrade 59, 59i. Scott \$2,090+. Estimate \$500 - 750



2052



EX 2053



EX 2054



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2052 ★★ 1887, 10¢ black (Scott 59), an eye-popping mint “Jumbo”, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine to Superb. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$300. Estimate \$300 - 400

2053 ★★ 1897 Discovery of Newfoundland complete (Scott 61-74), a fresh, well centered set, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine+. Unitrade C\$995 (\$740). Scott \$700. Estimate \$300 - 400

2054 ★★ 1897 Discovery of Newfoundland complete (Scott 61-74), a choice, well centered set, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, the 30¢ & 35¢ each with 1997 Greene Foundation certificates for the blocks of 4 from which they were taken. Scott \$700. Estimate \$300 - 400

2055 ★★/★田 1897, 1¢ on 3¢ surcharges complete (Scott 75-77), all three types in a bottom sheet margin block of 4 (posns 38-39/48-49); top stamps are type A, lower left type B, lower right type C, o.g., never hinged except for the upper left stamp, fresh and unusually well centered, especially the bottom stamps, Fine to Very Fine, unidentified pencil signatures in selvage. A spectacular, and very rare multiple. Scott \$4,150 ++. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



2056



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EX 2058

- 2056 ★★ 1897, 1¢ on 3¢ surcharge, type B, normal & wide spacing (Scott 76 & 76 var.), a fresh, attractive lower left sheet margin horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine, with a 2014 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade 76, 76i; C\$900 as Fine singles (\$670). Scott \$1,250+. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2057 P 1908, 2¢ Map, three plate proof on India on card (Scott 86P), large-margined horizontal pairs in carmine, brown carmine, and brown, bright and fresh with large margins. *Unitrade prices the first two at C\$100 & C\$200, respectively, for singles, but does not list the brown.* Unitrade 86P., 86Pi, 86P var. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2058 ★ 1910 Guy Tercentenary complete, lithographed (Scott 87-97), a choice mint set of 12, 1¢ \$ 2¢ perf. 12x14, 5¢ perf. 12, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and especially well centered throughout—the key 6¢ type II is a Superb Gem! Extremely Fine to Superb. Unitrade C\$967 (\$720). Scott \$626. Estimate \$300 - 400



2059



2060



EX 2061



2062

- 2059 ★★ 1910, 2¢ Guy Tercentenary, perf 12 x 11½ (Scott 88c), an excellent example of this elusive perf variety, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully bright and fresh; centered to the left, as almost always, Fine to Very Fine, with a 2015 Sismondo certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2060 ★★ 1910, 2¢ Guy Tercentenary, perf 12 x 11½ (Scott 88c), an exceptional example of this elusive perf variety, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully bright and fresh; centered to the left, as almost always, Very Fine for the issue, with a 20143 P.S.A.G. certificate noting a tiny natural paper inclusion, *which is only visible on the reverse* and, in our opinion, need not have been mentioned. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2061 ★★ 1911, Guy Tercentenary (engraved) complete (Scott 98-103), an extraordinary mint set of 6, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,550 (\$1,150). Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2062 (★)田 1911, 12¢ King Edward VII (engraved), imperf. (Scott 102a), a choice, extra large-margined block of 4, without gum as issued, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$800 (\$590). Scott \$560. Estimate \$350 - 500



EX 2063



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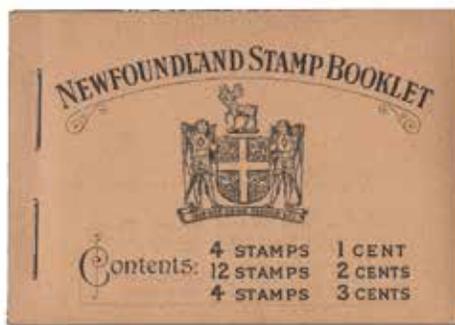


EX 2065

- 2063 ★★ 1919 Trail of the Caribou issue complete (Scott 115-126), a choice, beautifully centered set, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright, Extremely Fine. Scott \$575. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2064 BK★ 1923, 1¢ gray green & 2¢ carmine, booklet panes of 8 (Scott 131a, 132a), o.g., lightly hinged, exceptionally fresh; the 2¢ with minor separation. Scott \$810. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2065 ★★田 1929-31, 1¢-20¢ Re-engraved issue complete, unwatermarked (Scott 163-171), a choice set of mint blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, fresh and well centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,188. Estimate \$600 - 800



2066



2067

- 2066 ★★田 1929, 1¢ green, imperf (Scott 163c), o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with large margins; positions 7-8 with a light crease, otherwise Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,320 as pairs. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2067 BK★★ 1932, 1¢ green, 2¢ rose & 3¢ orange brown, Complete booklet (Scott 183a, 185b (3), 187a), all panes perf 13.2; a choice example with uncreased covers, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine. Unitrade BK2a; C\$1,200 (\$890). Scott \$900. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2068 ★★田 1933 Gilbert issue complete (Scott 212-225), a post office fresh set of blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully well centered; but the 32¢ with a small crease on the upper right stamp, otherwise Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,100. (photo on web site) Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2069 ★★ 1933, 2¢ Gilbert, double impression (Scott 213b), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh in robust color on bright paper, the doubling profound, Very Fine. Scott \$600. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2070 ★★ 1937, 3¢ orange brown, die II, vertical pair, imperf between (Scott 234c), with full right sheet margin, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2071 ★★/★田 Airmail, 1919, \$1 on 15¢ “Trans-Atlantic” (Scott C2), an exceptionally fresh, nicely centered **block of 4**, positions 1-2/6-7 in the 25-subject sheet, o.g., bottom stamps never hinged, top very lightly hinged, Fine to Very Fine, with a 2008 Sismondo certificate. Scott \$1,600 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600



2072



2073



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- 2072 ★★田 Airmail, 1919, \$1 on 15¢ “Trans-Atlantic”, four varieties in a single block of 4 (Scott C2, C2a, C2b C2 & C2 var.), from upper right to lower left: C2b, C2, C2a, C2ii (small comma after “POST”), o.g., never hinged, a choice, beautifully centered block, Very Fine, with a 2012 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C2, C2a, C2b C2 & C2ii; C\$3,900 (\$2,900). Scott \$1,955+. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2073 ★ Airmail, 1919, \$1 on 15¢ “Trans-Atlantic”, missing comma & period (Scott C2b), the left stamp in horizontal pair with a normal, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and well centered, Very Fine. Scott \$660. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2074 ★★ Airmail, 1921, 35¢ “Halifax”, four varieties in a single block of 4 (Scott C3, b, f, h), from upper right to lower left: C3, C3f, C3h, C3b, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and well centered, Very Fine. Unitrade C\$3,125 (\$2,320). Scott \$1,595+. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



EX 2075

- 2075 ★★ Airmail, 1921, 35¢ “Halifax”, narrow “AIR MAIL”, “1921” below “f” of “Halifax” (Scott C3j), a gorgeous mint example, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and mathematically centered, a Superb Gem! Scott \$700. Estimate \$350 - 500

**2076**2076 

**Airmail, 1930, 50¢ on 36¢ “Miss Columbia” Flight (Scott C5), position 3, lightly tied by one of two Oct 9 Harbour Grace c.d.s.s on a cover addressed to Lowestoft, Suffolk, where it was backstamped on Oct 13, Very Fine, with a 1964 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$15,000. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000**

(photo on back cover)

Only 48 stamps were sent to Harbour Grace Post Office, including two complimentary blocks to the pilot and the navigator. As a result only a few covers known from Harbour Grace.



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EX 2078

2077 P Airmail, 1931, 15¢ to \$1 Pictorials, black plate proof on thick white wove (Scott C6-C8 vars.), the \$1 with watermark, large balanced margins, Very Fine. Newf. Spec. AM 7n, AM 8k, AM 9l. Newf. Spec. \$1,030. Estimate \$300 - 400

2078 ★★☐ Airmail, 1931, 15¢-\$1 Pictorial issue complete, watermarked (Scott C9-C11), a choice set of blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,040. Estimate \$350 - 500



EX 2079



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2079 ★★☐ Airmail, 1931, 15¢-\$1 Pictorial issue complete, watermarked (Scott C9-C11), a choice set of blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,040. Estimate \$350 - 500

2080 ★★ Airmail, 1932, \$1.50 on \$1 Dornier DO-X Flight (Scott C12), a extraordinary mint example, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and absolutely perfectly centered, a Superb Gem. *Impossible to improve upon*, with 1999 C.P.E.S. certificate. Unitrade C\$800 (\$590). Scott \$400. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2081 ★★☐ Airmail, 1933, 5¢-75¢ Labrador complete (Scott C13-C17), a fresh, nicely centered set of blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$1,160. Estimate \$350 - 500

2082 ★★ Airmail, 1933, \$4.50 on 75¢ Balbo Flight (Scott C18), o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and virtually perfectly centered with extra large margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2007 C.P.E.S. certificate. Unitrade C\$900 (\$670). Scott \$475. Estimate \$350 - 500



2083

2083 ★★

**Official Seal, 1905 King Edward VII, black on blue (Scott OX1)**, an extraordinary top sheet margin single, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and very well centered, Extremely Fine. *A Gem!* Unitrade C\$2,500 (\$1,860). Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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2084 (★)

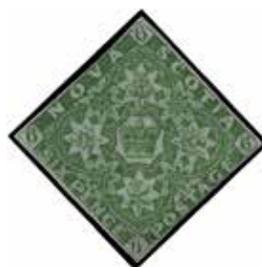
**1851, 3d bright blue (Scott 2)**, unused without gum, rich color and ample, well balanced margins, Very Fine, with a 1985 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$2,000 for o.g. Estimate \$400 - 600



2085

2085 ★

**1851, 3d dark blue (Scott 3)**, a lovely mint example, o.g., wonderfully fresh with ample to large margins and exquisite color, Very Fine. *A real beauty!* with a 2005 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



2086

2086 ★★

**1851, 6d yellow green (Scott 4)**, o.g., never hinged, fresh color with four clear margins; faint diagonal bend (not visible in watermark fluid), Fine to Very Fine. Unitrade C\$6,000 for Fine (\$4,460). Scott \$10,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



2087

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**1851, 6d yellow green (Scott 4)**, very lightly canceled with good margins and rich color, Fine to Very Fine, with a 2017 P.F. certificate. Scott \$775. Estimate \$300 - 400

## NOVA SCOTIA

## PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND



2088

2088 ★

**1861, 2d deep rose (Scott 1a)**, fresh and virtually perfectly centered with rich color and virtually full o.g., small faults only visible in fluid, Extremely Fine, with 2025 Vincent Graves Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



2089

2089 ★

**1861, 2d deep rose (Scott 1a)**, an choice mint single, o.g., lightly hinged, bright, fresh and very well centered amid extra large margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *Truly exceptional!* Unitrade C\$2,400 (\$1,780). Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



2090

2090 ★

**1861, 3d blue (Scott 2)**, an exceptional mint single, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Very Fine, with a 2017 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$4,000 (\$2,970). Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



- 2091 ★★田** 1872, 1¢ brown orange, part-perf (Scott 11 & vars.), an fabulous lower right sheet margin block of 4, **imperf at the bottom and the right, resulting in three different part-perf varieties!**, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and absolutely perfectly centered, a Superb Showpiece! Unitrade 11, 11v-11vii; C\$3,620 (\$2,690). Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2092 ★★** 1872, 1¢ brown orange, imperf bottom margin (Scott 11 var.), an exceptional, perfectly centered single with a full sheet margin, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb. Unitrade 11v. Unitrade C\$800 (\$590). Estimate \$300 - 400

## CANADA

- 2093 ○** 1851, Beaver, 3d red, on laid paper, imperforate (Scott 1), large balanced margins and clear laid lines with two, somewhat heavy, target cancels, otherwise Very Fine, with a 2005 B.P.A. certificate. Scott \$1,120. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2094 ○** 1851, Beaver, 3d red, on laid paper, imperforate (Scott 1), a gorgeous used single with clear laid lines, fresh color, ample to oversize margins, and a light target cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with a 1997 P.F. certificate. Unitrade C\$1,600 (\$1,190). Scott \$1,120. Estimate \$600 - 800



- 2095 ○** 1851, Prince Albert, 6d slate violet, on laid paper, imperforate (Scott 2), a lovely “on-piece” example with large balanced margins and a neat, central target cancel, the piece with a full strike of a red Montreal split-ring cancel, Jul 26, 1852, Extremely Fine. *Very attractive.* Unitrade C\$2,000 (\$1,490). Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2096 ○** 1851, Prince Albert, 6d slate violet, on laid paper, imperforate (Scott 2), four nice margins, somewhat heavy target cancel, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2097 ○** 1851, Prince Albert, 6d slate violet, on laid paper, imperforate (Scott 2), exceptionally fresh with ample to large margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with a 2011 P.F. certificate *graded VF-XF 85.* Unitrade C\$2,000 (\$1,490). SMQ \$2,250. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2098 ○ **1851, Prince Albert, 6d slate violet, on laid paper, imperforate (Scott 2)**, exceptionally fresh with clear to mostly large margins and an attractive, centrally struck target cancel, virtually Very Fine, with 2006 & 2013 P.F. certificates. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2099 ○ **1853, Beaver, 3d brown red, on wove paper, imperforate (Scott 4a)**, a striking *horizontal pair*, exceptional color, two Kingston 4-ring "18" numeral cancels and ample to large margins including *partial sheet margins at the right and bottom*, the bottom showing "Raw" of the Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson imprint at the lower left, Very Fine, with a 2015 P.S.E. certificate. Unitrade C\$700+ (\$520). Scott \$500+. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2100 ○ **1855, Prince Albert, 6d slate gray, on wove paper, imperforate (Scott 5)**, fresh and attractive with nicely balanced margins and a neat **blue** target cancel, Very Fine, signed A. Diena. Scott \$1,150+. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2101 ○ **1855, Prince Albert, 6d slate gray, on wove paper, imperforate (Scott 5)**, exceptionally fresh with ample to oversize margins (frame line of adjacent stamp at the top) and a light cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with a 1981 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$1,150. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2102 ○ **1855, Prince Albert, 6d brownish gray, on wove paper, imperforate (Scott 5a)**, exceptionally fresh and attractive with clear to mostly large margins, almost Very Fine. Scott \$1,700. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2103 ★ **1855, Jacques Cartier, 10d blue, on thick machine-made wove paper, imperforate (Scott 7a)**, a stunning mint single, o.g., lightly hinged, uncommonly fresh with incredible color and four ample to large margins; tiny, faint tone spot at the top (not mentioned on the accompanying certificate), otherwise Very Fine, with a 2015 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$28,000 (\$20,800). Scott \$19,500. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000
- 2104 ○ **1855, Jacques Cartier, 10d blue, on thick machine-made wove paper, imperforate (Scott 7a)**, a fresh, lightly canceled example with four close-but-clear margins, Fine to Very Fine, with a 2014 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2105 ★ **1857, Queen Victoria, 1/2d rose, imperforate (Scott 8)**, a spectacular mint single, o.g., lightly hinged, incredibly fresh and bright with large, beautifully balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with a 1981 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$2,800 (\$2,080). Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2106 ★ **1857, Queen Victoria, 1/2d rose, imperforate (Scott 8)**, o.g., lightly hinged, bright and fresh with three very large margins (frame line on adjacent stamp visible at the bottom), close but clear at the top, Very Fine, with a 2015 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2107 ○ **1857, Queen Victoria, 1/2d rose, imperforate (Scott 8)**, a pretty used single, wonderfully fresh and bright with nice margins and a neat partial 4-ring numeral cancel, Very Fine. *The numeral appears to be 28, Paris, C.W. - RF 4*, with 2011 P.F. & 1996 Brandon certificates. Unitrade C\$1,000 (\$740). Scott \$700. Estimate \$350 - 500



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2108 ★

1857, Queen Victoria, 7½d deep green, imperforate (Scott 9a), a marvelous mint example with full o.g., deep, rich color and clear to mostly large margins, nearly Very Fine. *An exceptionally rare mint example of this Canadian Classic*, signed Fiecchi, with 2015 Greene Foundation and 1971 Fiecchi certificates. Scott \$22,500. Estimate \$7,500 - 10,000

(photo on front cover)



- 2109 (★)** 1857, Prince Albert, 6d reddish purple, on very thick soft wove paper, imperforate (Scott 10), unused without gum, an attractive, fresh looking unused example with three nice margins and just cut to the outer frame line at the bottom; reinforced vertical crease at the left, otherwise almost Very Fine. *A nice looking spacefiller for this rare unused stamp.* Scott \$35,000 without gum. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2110 ○** 1857, Prince Albert, 6d reddish purple, on very thick soft wove paper, imperforate (Scott 10), fresh and clean with clear to mostly large margins, strong color, and a bold Montreal "21" 4-ring cancel, virtually Very Fine, with 2014 P.S.A.G. and 1963 R.P.S.L. certificates. Scott \$6,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2111 (★)** 1858, Queen Victoria, ½d rose, perf. 12 (Scott 11), a marvelous unused example, without gum, exceptionally fresh and quite well centered for the issue, virtually Very Fine. Scott \$4,200. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2112 ○** 1859, Beaver, 3d red, perf. 12 (Scott 12), fresh and *perfectly centered* with perfs clear on all sides; partial Montreal "21" 4-ring cancel; single blunted perf at the lower left, otherwise Extremely Fine and still quite choice. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2113 (★)** 1859, Queen Victoria, 1¢ rose, imperf. (Scott 14a var.), a fresh, attractive large-margined single, without gum as issued, Very Fine. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2114 (★)** 1859, Queen Victoria, 1¢ rose on very thick paper (Scott 14 var.), regummed, fresh and nicely centered, Fine to Very Fine, with a 2015 Greene Foundation certificate noting only "including gum". Unitrade 14ii. Unitrade C\$1,500 for no gum (\$1,110). Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2115 ★** 1859, Prince Albert, 10¢ brown (Scott 17b), perf. 12, a gorgeous unused example, small part o.g., fresh and well centered with exceptionally deep color, Very Fine, with a 1980 R.P.S.L. certificate as "without gum". Unitrade C\$2,000 (\$1,490). Scott \$1,175. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2116 ★** 1859, Prince Albert, 10¢ brown (Scott 17b), perf. 12 x 11¼ a lovely mint single, o.g., lightly hinged, incredibly fresh and quite well centered for this, Very Fine, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate. Unitrade C\$5,000 (\$3,720). Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2117 ★** 1859, Queen Victoria, 12½¢ yellow green (Scott 18), disturbed o.g., bright, fresh and extremely well centered; small thin; attractive, Extremely Fine appearance, with a 1975 P.F. certificate noting "traces of scraping" (sounds much worse than it is). Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2118 (★)** 1859, Jacques Cartier, 17¢ blue (Scott 19), regummed, exceptionally fresh and quite well centered, Very Fine. Scott \$1,100 for no gum. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2119 ★ 1868, Large Queen, 1¢ brown red (Scott 22), a gorgeous, incredibly fresh mint epl, o.g., very lightly hinged, mathematically centered with exquisite color, a Superb gem, with a 2000 C.P.E.S. certificate as *NH with a light natural gum skip*. Unitrade C\$2,000 (\$1,490). Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2120 ★ 1868, Large Queen, 1¢ brown red (Scott 22), wonderfully fresh and beautifully centered, o.g., lightly hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *Exceptional!* with a 2004 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$2,000 (\$1,490). Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2121 (★) 1868, Large Queen, 1¢ brown red (Scott 22), regummed, bright, fresh and very well centered, Very Fine. Scott \$1,175 for no gum. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2122 (★) 1868, Large Queen, 1¢ brown red, watermarked (Scott 22a), regummed, showing large part “S” of watermark, fresh color; perfs barely touching design at the top, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,500 for no gum. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2123 ★ 1868, Large Queen, 1¢ brown red, on thin paper (Scott 22b), an outstanding example of the thin paper variety, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and exceptionally well centered, Very Fine. Unitrade C\$2,400 (\$1,780). Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2124 (★) 1868, Large Queen, 2¢ green (Scott 24), a lovely, extra wide single, regummed, bright, fresh and well centered, Very Fine. Unitrade C\$1,400 for no gum (\$1,040). Scott \$800 for no gum. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 2125 (★) 1868, Large Queen, 2¢ green, on thin paper (Scott 24b), fresh and nicely centered, regummed, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$800 for no gum. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2126 (★) 1868, Large Queen, 3¢ red (Scott 25), unused without gum, exceptionally fresh and bright, Fine. Scott \$1,900 for no gum. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2127 (★) 1868, Large Queen, 3¢ red (Scott 25), a gorgeous example, unused without gum, fresh and very well centered with large, nicely balanced margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$3,000 for no gum (\$2,230). Scott \$1,900 for no gum. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2128 ★ 1875, Large Queen, 5¢ olive green, perf. 12 (Scott 26a), a marvelous, exceptionally fresh example of this rare perf. 12 x 12 variety, o.g., lightly hinged, reasonably well centered with exquisite color, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$8,000. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500
- 2129 ○ 1868, Large Queen, 6¢ dark brown, watermarked (Scott 27b), wonderfully fresh and lightly canceled with a clear “ILL” watermark, Fine. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2130 ☒ **1868, Large Queen, 6¢ yellow brown, diagonal bisect (Scott 27d)**, lower left diagonal half tied by a poorly struck oval grid on a small cover with a not-quite-legible Nova Scotia c.d.s. to Acadia College, Wolfville, N.S.; backstamped Bridgetown, N.S., Oct 1868; part of the lower right corner of the stamp missing, otherwise Fine. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2131 ○ **1868, Large Queen, 6¢ dark brown on soft white paper (Scott 27 var.)**, a lovely used example, fresh and nicely centered with a light, face-free radial cancel, Very Fine, with a 2007 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade 27ii. Unitrade C\$1,250 (\$930). Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2132 ★ **1868, Large Queen, 12½¢ milky blue (Scott 28 var.)**, o.g., lightly hinged, bright, fresh and very well centered, Very Fine. *A lovely example of this scarce shade.*, with a 2013 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade 28i; C\$3,000 (\$2,230). Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2133 ★ **1868, Large Queen, 15¢ red lilac (Scott 29b)**, an outstanding mint single, o.g., lightly hinged, exceptionally fresh and well centered, Very Fine, with a 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate. Unitrade C\$2,400 (\$1,780). Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2134 ★ **1873, Large Queen, 15¢ greenish gray, perf. 11½ x 12 (Scott 30a)**, an exceptionally attractive mint example, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and nicely centered with especially wide side margins, Fine to Very Fine, with a 1986 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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- 2135 (★) **1868, Large Queen, 15¢ gray, cracked plate (Scott 30 var.)**, position 65, an excellent example with the crack clearly visible in the left margin, regummed, incredibly fresh, Fine to Very Fine. Unitrade 30v. Unitrade C\$900 for Fine, no gum (\$670). Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2136 ○ **1868, Large Queen, 1¢ brown red, on laid paper (Scott 31)**, nicely centered and lightly canceled with rich, warm color, Very Fine for this. *An outstanding example of this rare stamp.*, with a 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate. Unitrade C\$12,500 (\$9,290). Scott \$9,000. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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- 2137 ★ 1875, **Small Queen, 6¢ brown (Scott 39d)**, o.g., fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. Scott \$675. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2138 ★ 1880, **Small Queen, 10¢ magenta (Scott 40a)**, an exceptional mint example, o.g., very lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh and nearly perfectly centered with rich, unmistakable color, Extremely Fine, with a 2016 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$1,750 (\$1,300). Scott \$1,225. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2139 ★★ 1888, **Small Queen, 5¢ gray (Scott 42), 1890's printing**, a pristine, beautifully centered bottom sheet margin single, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *A real beauty!* with 2025 Vincent Graves Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$650. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2140 ★★ 1888, **Small Queen, 6¢ red brown (Scott 43)**, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,200 (\$890). Scott \$800. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2141 ○ 1888, **Small Queen, 6¢ red brown, lesser re-entry (5¢ on 6¢) (Scott 43c var.)**, the left stamp in horizontal pair with normal, plate "A" positions 21-22, a lovely item, with intense color and sensational centering, the cancel not masking the re-entry; small tear in bottom of left stamp, otherwise Very Fine, with 2005 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$5,500 for normal. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2142 ★ 1893, **Small Queen, 8¢ violet black (Scott 44)**, post office fresh and nicely centered, Very Fine. Unitrade C\$1,400 (\$1,040). Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2143 ★★ 1895, **Small Queen, 8¢ blue gray, imperf. (Scott 44d)**, a fresh, attractive left *sheet margin single*, o.g., never hinged, large margins, Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,750 for a pair. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2144 ★★ 1897, **Small Queen, 10¢ brown red (Scott 45)**, a choice mint single, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine, with 2009 C.P.E.S. certificate. Unitrade C\$2,700 (\$2,010). Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2145 ★ 1897, **Small Queen, 10¢ brown red (Scott 45)**, o.g., lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh and mathematically centered with extra large top & bottom margins, an Extremely Fine gem! Scott \$625. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2146 ★ 1897, **Small Queen, 10¢ dull rose (Scott 45a)**, a gorgeous mint "Jumbo", post office fresh and well centered with oversize margins and marvelous color, Extremely Fine, with 2015 & 1985 Greene Foundation certificates. Unitrade C\$2,400 (\$1,780). Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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- 2147 ★★ 1893, Queen Victoria “Widow’s Weeds”, 20¢ vermilion (Scott 46), o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and remarkably well centered with brilliant color, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2148 ★★ 1893, Queen Victoria “Widow’s Weeds”, 20¢ vermilion (Scott 46), an extraordinary mint example, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and virtually perfectly centered with truly radiant color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2013 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$2,400 (\$1,780). Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2149 ★ 1893, Queen Victoria “Widow’s Weeds”, 20¢ vermilion (Scott 46), o.g., lightly hinged, been and wonderfully bright and fresh, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2150 ★★ 1893, Queen Victoria “Widow’s Weeds”, 50¢ deep blue (Scott 47), o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh and nicely centered with outstanding color, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2151 ★ 1893, Queen Victoria “Widow’s Weeds”, 50¢ deep blue (Scott 47), wonderfully bright and fresh with marvelous color and virtually perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$400. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2152 ★★ 1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, ½¢ black (Scott 50), o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and mathematically centered with an amazing, prooflike impression, a Superb Gem! Unitrade C\$450 (\$330). Scott \$275. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2153 ★★ 1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, ½¢ black (Scott 50), o.g., never hinged, fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. SMQ XF 90; \$375. Scott \$275. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2154 ★★ 1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, 6¢ yellow brown (Scott 55), o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$900 (\$670). Scott \$625. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2155 ★★ 1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, 8¢ dark violet (Scott 56), an exceptional mint example, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.S.E. & 2019 Greene Foundation certificates, the former *graded XF 90*. Unitrade C\$550 (\$410). SMQ XF 90; \$550. Scott \$300. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2156 ★★ 1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, 10¢ brown violet (Scott 57), o.g., never hinged, bright, fresh and very well centered, Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. SMQ XF 90; \$500. Scott \$300. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2157 ★★

1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, 10¢ brown violet (Scott 57), o.g., never hinged, bright and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine, with a 2021 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. SMQ XF 90; \$500. Scott \$450. Estimate \$400 - 500



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2158 ★★

1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, 20¢ vermilion (Scott 59), o.g., never hinged, nicely centered and exceptionally fresh with blazing color, Very Fine. Scott \$750. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2159 ★★

1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, 50¢ ultramarine (Scott 60), o.g., never hinged, fresh and perfectly centered, Extremely Fine to Superb. *A real Beauty!* Unitrade C\$1,500 (\$1,110). Scott \$775. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2160 ★★

1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$1 lake (Scott 61), o.g., never hinged, fresh and quite well centered; but fingerprint on gum, Very Fine, with a 1990 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$750 for hinged. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2161 ★★

1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$1 lake (Scott 61), a stunning, extra wide Gem, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and virtually perfectly centered with huge, beautifully balanced side margins and outstanding color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2013 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$3,000 (\$2,230). Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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2162 ★★

1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$2 dark purple (Scott 62), o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh and reasonably well centered with lovely color, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$2 dark purple (Scott 62), o.g., very lightly hinged, fresh and well centered with exceptional color, Very Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$500 - 750



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1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$2 dark purple (Scott 62), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh, bright and nicely centered with incredible color, nearly Very Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$350 - 500



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1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$2 dark purple (Scott 62), nicely centered with exceptional color and a neat Toronto c.d.s., virtually Very Fine. Scott \$1,125. Estimate \$350 - 500



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1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$3 yellow bister (Scott 63), a pretty left sheet margin single, o.g., never hinged, red offset, fresh and very well centered; small natural paper inclusion in the upper right margin, with 2016 Greene Foundation & 2022 P.S.E. certificates, the latter noting the inclusion. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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- 2167 ★★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$3 yellow bister (Scott 63)**, an exceptional mint example, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and very well centered with large margins and marvelous color, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *A Gem!* Unitrade C\$8,000 (\$5,940). Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2168 ★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$3 yellow bister (Scott 63)**, an outstanding mint single, o.g., lightly hinged, bright, fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. *A real Beauty!* with a 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate. Unitrade C\$2,000 (\$1,490). Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2169 ★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$3 yellow bister (Scott 63)**, o.g., lightly hinged, bright, fresh and nicely centered, Very Fine. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2170 ★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$3 yellow bister (Scott 63)**, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and nicely centered, Very Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2171 ★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$4 purple (Scott 64)**, o.g., very lightly hinged, bright, fresh and quite well centered, nearly Very Fine, with a 2013 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2172 ★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$5 olive green (Scott 65)**, o.g., lightly hinged, bright, fresh and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2173 ★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$5 olive green (Scott 65)**, an exceptional mint single, o.g., lightly hinged, bright, fresh and virtually perfectly centered with incredible color, Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2174 ★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$5 olive green (Scott 65)**, a lovely mint example, o.g., beautifully centered with deep, rich color, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded VF-XF 85*. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$1,850. Unitrade 65; C\$1,850 (\$1,380). Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500



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- 2175 ★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$5 olive green (Scott 65)**, an gorgeous mint single, o.g., fresh and beautifully centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2176 ★ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$5 olive green (Scott 65)**, an extraordinary mint single, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and absolutely perfectly centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2018 Greene Foundation certificate. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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2177 ○ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$5 olive green (Scott 65)**, a pretty used single; fairly well centered with a faint magenta Winnipeg corner cancel at the upper right, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,125. Estimate \$300 - 400

2178 ○ **1897, Queen Victoria Jubilee, \$5 olive green (Scott 65)**, an extraordinary used example, fresh, bright and virtually perfectly centered; canceled with a very lightly struck purple Quebec oval, Extremely Fine, with a 2007 P.F. certificate graded *XF 90*. Unitrade C\$1,600 (\$1,190). SMQ \$1,750. Scott \$1,125. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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2179 P **1897-98, Queen Victoria "Maple Leaf", ½¢ to 10¢ plate proofs on card (Scott 66P-73P)**, an immaculate set of 8, all bright and fresh with large balanced margins, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$2,000 (\$1,490). Estimate \$500 - 750

2180 ★★/★ **1897-98, Queen Victoria "Maple Leaf" issue, ½¢ to 10¢ complete (Scott 66-73)**, a bright, fresh set, o.g., 2¢, 3¢ & 5¢ never hinged, 6¢ hinge remnant, choice colors and good to outstanding centering; 6¢ with slightly toned perf tips at the top, otherwise Fine to Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$2,010. Estimate \$300 - 400

2181 ★★ **1897, Queen Victoria "Maple Leaf", 6¢ brown (Scott 71)**, a lovely mint single, o.g., never hinged, fresh and exceptionally well centered, Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF 90*. Unitrade C\$750 (\$560). SMQ *XF 90*; \$475. Scott \$350. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2182 ★★ **1897, Queen Victoria "Maple Leaf", 8¢ orange (Scott 72)**, a pristine mint example, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and exceptionally well centered with large, nicely balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2004 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$1,350 (\$1,000). Scott \$850. Estimate \$400 - 600

2183 ★★ **1897, Queen Victoria "Maple Leaf", 8¢ orange (Scott 72)**, a pristine top sheet margin strip of 4 with *imprint and plate No. 1*, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and nicely centered with extraordinary color, virtually Very Fine. *The Unitrade price, which adds 50% to the price of the singles, is C\$7,425 for Very Fine.* Unitrade C\$2,475 for Fine (\$1,840). Scott \$3,400 as singles. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2184 ★★ **1897, Queen Victoria “Maple Leaf”, 8¢ orange (Scott 72)**, a pristine mint example, o.g., never hinged, fresh and beautifully centered with blazing color, Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,100. Scott \$850. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2185 ★★ **1897, Queen Victoria “Maple Leaf”, 8¢ orange (Scott 72)**, an extraordinary, extra wide mint single, o.g., never hinged, fresh, bright and mathematically centered with radiant color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2013 P.F. certificate. Unitrade C\$1,350 (\$1,000). Scott \$850. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2186 ★★ **1898, Queen Victoria “Maple Leaf”, 10¢ brown violet (Scott 73)**, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and and virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$2,400 (\$1,780). Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2187 ★★ **1898, Queen Victoria “Maple Leaf”, 10¢ brown violet (Scott 73)**, a fresh mint example, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2188 (★)田 **1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, ½¢ black, imperf (Scott 74a)**, an exceptional left sheet margin block of 4, without gum, extra large margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Scott \$1,000 as pairs. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2189 (★) **1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, ½¢ black, imperf on vertically wove paper (Unitrade 74v)**, a choice horizontal pair, without gum as issued, wonderfully fresh with perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Scott 74a var.; \$500. Unitrade C\$500 (\$370). Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2190 (★) **1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 1¢ gray green, imperf (Scott 75a)**, without gum, exceptionally large, well balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-Sup 95*. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2191 ★★田 **1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 2¢ purple (Scott 76)**, top top margin block of 6 with partial imprint and plate #2, o.g., never hinged, fresh and well centered, Very Fine. Scott \$900 as singles. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2192 ★田 1899, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 2¢ purple, on thick paper (Scott 76a), Plate No.-1 Block of 8, o.g., top middle pair lightly hinged others never hinged, fresh and solid, Fine to Very Fine. *A scarce plate block.* Scott \$2,450 as singles. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2193 ★★田 1899, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 2¢ purple, on thick paper (Scott 76a), a marvelous mint block of 4, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and beautifully centered with gorgeous color, Extremely Fine to Superb. *A rare block of this very difficult variety, unpriced in SMQ, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95.* Unitrade C\$3,000 as singles (\$2,230). Scott \$1,500 as singles. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2194 BK★ 1900, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 2¢ carmine, complete booklet (Scott 77b), an exceptional booklet with pristine, uncreased covers and two fresh, F-VF panes, o.g.; which are stuck to the interleaving *on the tabs only*, otherwise Very Fine and Very Rare. Unitrade BK1; C\$4,500 (\$3,340). Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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- 2195 BK★★ 1899, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 2¢ carmine, booklet pane of 6 (Scott 77b), an exceptional pane, o.g., never hinged, fresh and solid and *as perfectly centered as a apne could possibly be;*; minor rust around the staple holes and slightly nicked lower left corner, but still Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$4,000 (\$2,970). Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2196 (★) 1899, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 2¢ carmine, type I, imperf (Scott 77c), a choice horizontal pair, without gum, exceptionally fresh and bright with generous, beautifully balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95.* Unitrade 77iv; C\$500 (\$370). SMQ XF-SUP 95. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2197 ★★ 1899, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 5¢ blue, on bluish paper (Scott 79), a fresh mint strip of 3, o.g., never hinged, fairly well centered with excellent color; left stamp with some light natural gum wrinkles, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,800 as singles. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 2198 ★★ 1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 6¢ brown (Scott 80), a gorgeous mint single, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and exceptionally centered, Extremely Fine, with a 1997 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$900 (\$670). Scott \$500. Estimate 300 - 400
- 2199 ★★ 1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 6¢ brown (Scott 80), a lovely little Gem, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and perfectly centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2021 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$900 (\$670). SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,150. Scott \$500. Estimate 600 - 800
- 2200 ★★ 1902, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 7¢ olive yellow (Scott 81), an exquisite mint example, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and mathematically centered with fabulous color, a Superb Gem! with a 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate. Unitrade C\$900 (\$670). Scott \$500. Estimate 500 - 750
- 2201 (★)田 1902, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 7¢ olive yellow, imperf (Scott 81a), a choice mint block of 4, without gum as issued, exceptionally fresh with large balanced margins and outstanding color, Extremely Fine. *A very rare multiple; only 200 stamps were issued.* Scott \$1,200+. Estimate 600 - 800
- 2202 ★★ 1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 8¢ orange (Scott 82), an incredible top sheet margin single, o.g., never hinged (lightly hinged in the selvage only), wonderfully fresh and beautifully centered with truly radiant color, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,950 (\$1,450). Scott \$1,250. Estimate 600 - 800
- 2203 ★ 1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 8¢ orange (Scott 82), slightly disturbed o.g., bright, fresh and perfectly centered with extra large top & bottom margins, Extremely Fine, with a 2017 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90 J*. Unitrade C\$650 (\$480). Scott \$450. Estimate 200 - 300



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- 2204 (★) 1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 8¢ orange, imperf (Scott 82a), a pretty horizontal pair, without gum as issued, large balanced margins and bright color, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate *graded VF-XF 85*. Scott \$1,100. Estimate 400 - 600
- 2205 (★) 1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 8¢ orange, imperf (Scott 82a), a choice horizontal pair, without gum as issued, large, perfectly balanced margins and marvelous color, Extremely Fine, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. Scott \$1,100. Estimate 500 - 750
- 2206 ★★ 1898, Queen Victoria “Numeral”, 10¢ brown violet (Scott 83), a fabulous mint single, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and perfectly centered with deep, rich color, an Extremely Fine to Superb Gem! with a 1999 C.P.E.S. certificate *as Unitrade 83i*, deep brown violet (same price as a normal brown violet). Unitrade C\$2,250 (\$1,670). Scott \$1,400. Estimate 800 - 1,200



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**1898, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 10¢ brown violet (Scott 83)**, a choice mint single, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and perfectly centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2017 P.F. & 2010 Greene Foundation certificates, the former *graded XF-S 95*. Unitrade C\$2,250 (\$1,670). SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,400. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

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**1898, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 10¢ brown violet (Scott 83)**, o.g., hinged, sound with alluring color and clean impression, mathematically centered, Extremely Fine. Scott \$525. Estimate \$350 - 500

2209 (★)

**1898, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 10¢ brown violet, imperf (Scott 83a)**, a pretty horizontal pair, without gum as issued, bright and fresh with beautifully balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. Unitrade 83ii; C\$1,250 (\$930). Scott \$1,100 for o.g. Estimate \$400 - 600

2210 (★)

**1898, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 10¢ brown violet, imperf (Scott 83a)**, an extraordinary left sheet margin horizontal pair, without gum as issued, exceptionally fresh with large margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-Sup 95 no gum*. Unitrade 83ii; C\$1,250 (\$930). Scott \$1,100 for o.g. Estimate \$500 - 750



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**1900, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 20¢ olive green (Scott 84)**, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *A Beauty!* Unitrade C\$3,000 (\$2,230). Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$500 - 750

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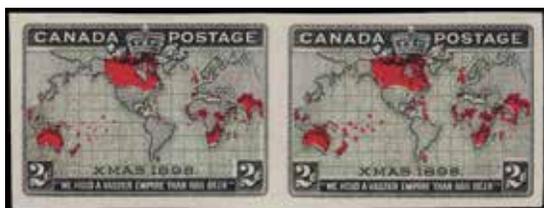
**1900, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 20¢ olive green (Scott 84)**, a superlative mint example, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and virtually perfectly centered in rich, prooflike color, an Extremely Fine gem! with a 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate. Unitrade C\$3,000 (\$2,230). Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

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**1900, Queen Victoria "Numeral", 20¢ olive green (Scott 84)**, a choice, perfectly centered mint example, o.g., lightly hinged, bright and fresh with ample, symmetrical margins and rich color, Extremely Fine to Superb. Unitrade C\$1,000 (\$740). Scott \$700. Estimate \$350 - 500

2214 ★★田

**1898, Imperial Penny Postage complete (Scott 85-86)**, a gorgeous set of sheet margin **blocks of 4**, the first a bottom sheet margin with American Bank Note Co., Ottawa imprint, the second with a right sheet margin; both are fresh and virtually perfectly centered, o.g., never hinged; the #85 with light natural gum bends, Extremely Fine and choice. Unitrade C\$1,215 as singles (\$900). Scott \$820 as singles. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2215 (★) **1898, Imperial Penny Postage, 2¢ black, gray & carmine, imperforate (Scott 85a)**, a pretty horizontal pair, without gum as issued, ample to large margins; small corner crease at the upper right, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *Only 200 stamps produced*, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate *graded VF-XF 85*, despite the corner crease. Unitrade 85iii; C\$700 (\$520). Scott \$500. Estimate \$200 - 300

2216 ★★田 **1903, King Edward VII, 2¢ carmine, type II, imperf. pair (Scott 90A)**, o.g., never hinged, fresh, crisply printed pane with plate number 14 in top selvage; horizontal crease in fifth row; light natural gum bends and wrinkles, two tiny tears in left margin not affecting stamps, Very Fine nonetheless, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate. Unitrade C\$9,850 as plate & singles (\$7,320). Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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2217 BK★ **1903, King Edward VII, 2¢ carmine, booklet pane of 6 (Scott 90b)**, a truly exceptional pane, o.g., lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh and unusually well centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$600 - 800

2218 ★★ **1903, King Edward VII, 2¢ carmine, type I (Scott 90e)**, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and and virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. *A choice example of the elusive type I*, with 2020 P.S.E. & 2018 Greene Foundation certificates, the former *graded XF 90*. Unitrade C\$700 (\$520). Scott \$375. Estimate \$200 - 300



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1903, King Edward VII, 5¢ blue, on bluish paper (Scott 91), a choice mint single, o.g., never hinged, virtually perfectly centered with extraordinary color, Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800

1903, King Edward VII, 5¢ blue, on bluish paper (Scott 91), o.g., never hinged, nicely centered and fresh, Very Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$300 - 400

1903, King Edward VII, 5¢ blue, on bluish paper (Scott 91), a fresh, solid, nicely centered **Plate No.-1 block of 8**, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$8,000 as singles. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

1903, King Edward VII, 7¢ olive bister, imperf (Scott 92a), a phenomenal upper right corner sheet margin horizontal pair, without gum as issued, choice in every respect, Extremely Fine to Superb. *A stunning showpiece*, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Scott \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1903, King Edward VII, 7¢ straw (Scott 92d), a choice right sheet margin single, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and quite well centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$700. Estimate \$350 - 500

1903, King Edward VII, 10¢ brown lilac (Scott 93), a pristine mint epl, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh and well centered, Very Fine. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1903, King Edward VII, 10¢ brown lilac (Scott 93), o.g., never hinged, exceptionally bright and fresh and reasonably well centered, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$350 - 500

1903, King Edward VII, 20¢ olive green (Scott 94), o.g., never hinged, wonderfully bright and fresh, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,900. Estimate \$600 - 800

1903, King Edward VII, 20¢ olive green (Scott 94), a lovely mint example, o.g., lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh and exceptionally well centered, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,250 (\$930). Scott \$875. Estimate \$300 - 400

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1903, King Edward VII, 20¢ olive green (Scott 94), premium mint single showing the deep characteristic color, exceptionally well-centered within large balanced margins, Extremely Fine, a stellar example of this elusive color variety, *the finest attainable centerring; priced at \$1050 as a "95" TOP OF THE POP!* with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ Gem 100J. Scott \$875. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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- 2229 ★★ 1908, King Edward VII, 50¢ purple (Scott 95), a gorgeous mint single, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine, with a 2015 P.F. certificate for the block of 4, this being the lower right stamp. Unitrade C\$5,250 (\$3,900). Scott \$3,400. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

(photo on front cover)

- 2230 ★ 1908, King Edward VII, 50¢ purple (Scott 95), o.g., very lightly hinged, exceptionally fresh and bright, Fine to Very Fine, with a photocopy of a 2015 P.F. certificate for the block of 4, this being the upper left stamp. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$300 - 300

- 2231 ★ 1908, King Edward VII, 50¢ purple (Scott 95), an extraordinary mint single, o.g., very lightly hinged, incredibly fresh and mathematically centered with marvelous color, an Extremely Fine to Superb Gem! Unitrade C\$1,500 (\$1,110). Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$600 - 800

- 2232 ★ 1908, ½¢-5¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 96-99), o.g., lightly hinged, a lovely quartet, each with proof-like presentation on fresh paper, sound and bright; ½¢ with light gum disturbance, Extremely Fine overall. Scott \$1,138. Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2233 ★★田 1908, ½¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 96), complete sheet of 100, plate number 1, o.g., never hinged, fresh-faced with sharp detail, folded in half vertically; positions 1-2 & 99 with creases, position 1 with a gum adherence, Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Unitrade C\$1,560 as plate & singles (\$1,160). (photo on web site) Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2234 ★★ 1908, 7¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 100), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bold color on like-new paper, near-perfectly centered amid oversized margins, Extremely Fine. Scott \$675. Estimate \$400 - 600

- 2235 ★ 1908, 7¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 100), fresh, bright and virtually perfectly centered within large balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90* despite noting a tiny gum crease at the bottom. SMQ \$575. Scott \$475. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 2236 ★★/★田 1908, 7¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 100), a choice plate No. 1 block of 4, o.g., top stamps never hinged, bottom stamps lightly hinged, fresh and absolutely perfectly centered as a block, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *Ex-Leggett*. Scott \$1,230 for singles. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2237 ★★ 1908, 10¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 101), a gorgeous mint Jumbo, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh with large, beautifully balanced margins, an Extremely Fine to Superb Gem. Unitrade C\$900 (\$670). Scott \$675. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2238 ★ 1908, 10¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 101), bright, fresh and well centered, Very Fine, with a 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate graded 80. SMQ VF 80; \$500. Scott \$675. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 2239 ★ 1908, 10¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 101), o.g., very lightly hinged, bright, fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded *VF-XF* 85. SMQ *VF-XF* 85; \$600. Scott \$200. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2240 ★★ 1908, 15¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 102), an extraordinary mint single, o.g., never hinged, fresh and mathematically centered amid extra large margins, a truly Superb Gem! with a 2015 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$1,050 (\$780). Scott \$600. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2241 ★★ 1908, 15¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 102), a lovely mint example, o.g., never hinged, fresh and beautifully centered with generous margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,050 (\$780). Scott \$600. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2242 ★★ 1908, 15¢ Quebec Tercentenary, imperf (Scott 102a), an exceptional horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with choice color and extra large, perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine. *Only 50 pairs are thought to have been issued, with a 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90.* Unitrade C\$2,500 (\$1,860). Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

2243 ★★ 1908, 20¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 103), o.g., never hinged, fresh and exceptionally well centered with extra large margins, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,200 (\$890). Scott \$700. Estimate \$500 - 750



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2244 ★★田 1908, 20¢ Quebec Tercentenary (Scott 103), a fabulous lower left corner margin **block of 4**, with pristine, never hinged o.g., incredibly well centered and post office fresh, the left stamps being particularly nice, especially the *lower left*, Extremely Fine. *Impossible to duplicate and worthy of the finest collections.* Unitrade C\$4,800 as singles (\$3,570). Scott \$2,800 as as singles. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500

2245 ★★ 1912-25, King George V “Admiral”, 1¢ to \$1 complete (Scott 104-122), a bright, fresh set, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,985. Estimate \$500 - 750

2246 ★★ 1912-25, King George V “Admiral”, 1¢ to \$1 complete (Scott 104-122), an exceptional, selected mint set, o.g., never hinged, all bright, fresh and well centered and including a few “Jumbos”, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$5,445 (\$4,050). Scott \$2,985. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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2247 ★★ 1¢/7¢ “Admirals” Premium Mint NH Assortment (Scott 104/114), 13 singles with some minor duplication including shade varieties, all boasting premium centering (some with oversized margins), lovely colors, and unblemished never hinged o.g., comprised of 104, 104e, 105g, 106, 107a, Unitrade 107i, 108, 109 (2), 110, 112, 114, most Extremely Fine, phenomenal group. Scott \$1,005. Estimate \$350 - 500

2248 ★★/★ 1912-25, King George V “Admiral”, 1¢/\$1 specialized collection (Scott 104//122), mounted on four Lighthouse pages, offering a near-complete basic set along with overprints and three pages of Scott- and Unitrade-listed varieties (all identified below the stamps); fresh and clean throughout, with sharp detail, bold color and generally superior centering; #111 regummed, others all appear o.g. with many never hinged, Very Fine or better, an admirable Admiral array, with certificates for #113b (2014 Gratton), #114 thin paper (1991 Greene Foundation), and #139 (2025 Greene Foundation). Shipping charges apply - weight 0.6 lbs. Scott approximately \$6,000. (photo on web site) Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2249 ★★田 1912, King George V “Admiral”, 1¢ deep blue green (Scott 104c), an exceptional mint block of 4, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and well centered with extraordinary color, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,200 as singles. Estimate \$300 - 400

2250 ★★田 1922, King George V “Admiral”, 2¢ yellow green, wet printing (Scott 107), a choice mint block of 4, o.g., never hinged, bright and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. Unitrade C\$600 as singles (\$450). Scott \$360 as singles. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2251 ★★田 1918, King George V “Admiral”, 3¢ brown, wet printing (Scott 108), a fresh top margin Plate No. 118 block of 20 from an upper left pane, o.g., never hinged, fresh, solid and nicely centered; couple small, minor creases in the selvage above position 2 (not affecting the plate block of 8), Fine to Very Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate noting the creases. Scott \$1,300 as singles. Estimate \$300 - 400

2252 ★★田 1925, King George V “Admiral”, 4¢ yellow ocher, dry printing (Scott 110d), a choice mint block of 4, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally bright and fresh with marvelous color, Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. SMQ XF 90; \$720 for regular #110. Scott \$600 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2253 ★★ 1912, King George V “Admiral”, 5¢ indigo (Scott 111a), a pristine mint example of this distinctive shade, o.g., never hinged, fresh and well centered, Very Fine. *Never hinged examples are quite rare.* Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2254 ★★ 1922, King George V “Admiral”, 5¢ violet, wet printing (Scott 112), top margin strip of 10 with imprint & plate no. 24, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh with great color, Fine to Very Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,100 as singles. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 2255 ★★田 1924, King George V “Admiral”, 5¢ violet, thin paper, wet printing (Scott 112a), an exceptional mint block of 4, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and well centered, Extremely Fine, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. SMQ XF 90; \$600 for regular #112. Scott \$350 as singles. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2256 ★★田 1915, King George V “Admiral”, 7¢ olive bister (Scott 113a), upper left corner margin block of 8 with Plate No A 5 and partial imprint, o.g., never hinged, exceptional color; natural gum skip affecting the two right stamps, Fine to Very Fine, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,760 as singles. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 2257 ★田 1924, King George V “Admiral”, 7¢ red brown, dry printing (Scott 114), top Imprint Plate No. A 8 block of 8, o.g., lightly hinged in the selvage only (stamps never hinged); fresh and nicely centered, Very Fine, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$520. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 2258 ★★ 1912, King George V “Admiral”, 10¢ blackish purple (Scott 116), a marvelous mint single, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and virtually perfectly centered with deep, rich color, Extremely Fine. *A wonderful example of this difficult value.* Unitrade C\$1,200 (\$890). Scott \$700. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2259 ★★ 1912, King George V “Admiral”, 10¢ blackish purple (Scott 116), o.g., never hinged, fresh and quite well centered, Very Fine. Scott \$700. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2260 ★★田 1922, King George V “Admiral”, 10¢ blue, wet printing (Scott 117), a fresh, well centered **block of 4**, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. SMQ **XF 90**; \$660. Scott \$600 as singles. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2261 ★田 1925, King George V “Admiral”, 10¢ bister brown (Scott 118), an extraordinary top part-imprint & **Plate No. 24 block of 4**, post office fresh and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, *An absolute Gem!* Unitrade C\$1,080 (\$800). Scott \$400 ++. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2262 ★★ 1925, King George V “Admiral”, 20¢ olive green, dry printing (Scott 119), an *phenomenal* mint Gem, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and mathematically centered with generous margins and exceptional color, Superb. *One in a million!* with 2019 P.F. certificate *graded S 98*. Unitrade C\$450 (\$330). Scott \$290. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2263 ★★ 1925, King George V “Admiral”, 20¢ olive green, dry printing (Scott 119), o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh and well centered with intense color, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *Quite likely the dark olive green shade (119c)*, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate *graded VF-XF 85*. Unitrade C\$450 (\$330). Scott \$290. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2264 ★★/★田 1925, King George V “Admiral”, 20¢ olive green, dry printing (Scott 119), an exceptional top sheet margin **block of 4 with imprint and plate No. A 6**, o.g., small hinge remnant in selvage, stamps hinged, fresh and well centered, Very Fine. *A very scarce plate block.* Scott \$1,160 as singles. Estimate \$250 - 350



- 2265 ★★** 1925, King George V “Admiral”, 50¢ black brown, dry printing (Scott 120), a choice mint single, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and well centered, Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF 90*. Unitrade C\$300 (\$220). Scott \$200. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2266 ★★** 1925, King George V “Admiral”, 50¢ black brown, dry printing (Scott 120), a choice mint example, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and well centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$300 (\$220). SMQ \$400. Scott \$200. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2267 ★★** 1912, King George V “Admiral”, 50¢ black, wet printing (Scott 120a), an extraordinary mint example of this difficult printing, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and and beautifully centered with deep, distinctive color, an Extremely Fine gem, with a 2007 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$3,000 !! (\$2,230). Scott \$875. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2268 ★★** 1923, King George V “Admiral”, \$1 orange, dry printing (Scott 122), a choice mint single, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and virtually perfectly centered with brilliant color, Extremely Fine, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF 90*. Unitrade C\$260 (\$190). SMQ \$350. Scott \$215. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2269 ★★** 1923, King George V “Admiral”, \$1 orange, dry printing (Scott 122), a spectacular *Jumbo*, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh, bright and virtually perfectly centered with incredible color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF-SUP 95J*. Unitrade C\$360 (\$270). SMQ \$675 for a normal XF-Sup 95. Scott \$215. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2270 ★★** 1913, King George V “Admiral”, 1¢ dark green, vertical coil, perf. 8 horizontally (Scott 123), a fabulous mint pair, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine. *Rarely seen this nice!* Unitrade C\$900 (\$670). Scott \$650. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2271 ★★** 1913, King George V “Admiral”, 2¢ carmine, vertical coil, perf. 8 horizontally (Scott 124), a *spectacular* mint single, o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and *absolutely* perfectly centered with marvelous color, a truly Superb Gem! with a 2013 C.P.E.S. certificate graded “100”. Unitrade C\$450 (\$330). Scott \$275. Estimate \$300 - 400

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EX 2274

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1913, King George V “Admiral”, 2¢ carmine, vertical coil, perf. 8 horizontally (Scott 124), a fabulous mint strip of 4, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and solid, and *unbelievably well centered*—the bottom stamp a superb gem., Extremely Fine to Superb. *Exceedingly rare this well centered.* Unitrade C\$1,800+ (\$1,340). Scott \$1,300+. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

1913, King George V “Admiral”, 2¢ carmine, vertical coil, perf. 8 horizontally (Scott 124), an outstanding mint pair, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh, bright and well centered, the *top stamp being a Superb Gem*, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Quite extraordinary* with a 2019 Greene Foundation certificate. Unitrade C\$900 (\$670). Scott \$650. Estimate \$500 - 750

1912-24, King George V “Admiral”, 1¢ to 3¢ horizontal coils, perf. 8 vertically (Scott 125-129, 130b), an outstanding complete set of six **strips of 4**, the 3¢ carmine being the scarcer dry printing, o.g., never hinged (3¢ brown has a gum skip on the two right stamps), F-VF to Extremely Fine. *Ex-Malibu*. Scott \$2,230. Estimate \$500 - 750

1923, King George V “Admiral”, 1¢ yellow, type I, wet printing, horizontal coil, perf. 8 vertically, block of 4 (Scott 126c), wonderfully bright and fresh, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$400 - 600

1924, King George V “Admiral”, 3¢ carmine, type I, wet printing, horizontal coil, perf. 8 vertically, block of 4 (Scott 130a), an outstanding example of this very rare block, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with a right sheet margin and centering identical to that of the illustration in *Unitrade*, Fine to Very Fine. *Only 109 blocks are possible*, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,625. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2277 ★★田 1924, King George V “Admiral”, 3¢ carmine, type I, wet printing, horizontal coil, perf. 8 vertically, block of 4 (Scott 130a), bottom sheet margin block with trace of type D lathework, o.g., never hinged, nsted at the left; couple slightly nibbed perfs at the right, otherwise Very Fine and quite rare. Scott \$2,625. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2278 ★★ 1924, King George V “Admiral”, 3¢ carmine, type II, dry printing, horizontal coil, perf. 8 vertically (Scott 130b), a fresh, well centered strip of 4, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Unitrade C\$1,250 (\$930). Scott \$900+. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2279 ★★ 1918, King George V “Admiral”, 1¢ dark green, experimental Toronto coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 131 var.), a choice, beautifully centered strip of 4, o.g., never hinged, fresh and solid, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,000 (\$740). Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2280 ★★ 1918, King George V “Admiral”, 1¢ dark green, experimental Toronto coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 131 var.), pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and well centered, Very Fine, with a 2008 P.F. certificate. Unitrade 131iv. Unitrade C\$500 (\$370). Estimate \$150 - 200



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- 2281 ★★ 1924, King George V “Admiral”, 2¢ yellow green, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 133), a choice strip of 4, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and exceptionally well centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,350 (\$1,000). Scott \$850. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2282 ★★田

1917, 3¢ Confederation (Scott 135), a choice mint block of 4, o.g., never hinged, bright and beautifully centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded *VF-XF* 85. Unitrade C\$840 as singles (\$620). Scott \$600 as singles. Estimate \$300 - 400



2283

2283 ★★田

1924, King George V "Admiral", 1¢ yellow, imperf. (Scott 136), a choice Imprint & Plate No. 179 block of 8, o.g., never hinged, a marvelous blk with gorgeous color and large margins all around including a full, wide top sheet margin, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,000 (\$740). Estimate \$350 - 500



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2284 ★★/★田

1924, King George V "Admiral", 3¢ carmine, imperf (Scott 138), a fabulous bottom margin Plate No. 127 block of 8 with full type D lathework, o.g., lightly hinged on the upper right stamp only, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF-SUP* 95. Unitrade C\$750 (\$560). Scott \$263 as plain pairs. Estimate \$500 - 750



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1926, King George V "Admiral", 2¢ on 3¢ carmine, type II (Scott 139c), a spectacular item, with deep lines and proof-like color, nicely centered on radiant white paper, the faintest of all possible cancels at top left and bottom right, nearly Very Fine. *Unpriced used in Scott or Unitrade; mint values \$850 and C\$1200, respectively*, with 2025 Greene Foundation certificate. Estimate \$500 - 750



2286

2286 ★★/★田

1927, 12¢ Laurier & McDonald, imperf. horizontally (Scott 147c), a choice lower left corner margin block of 4, o.g., the left pair never hinged, bright and fresh with large margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *250 pairs are estimated to exist*, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded *VF-XF* 85. Unitrade C\$400 as pairs (\$300). Scott \$300 as pairs. Estimate \$250 - 350



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EX 2288

2287 ★★田 1927, 20¢ Baldwin & Lafontaine, imperf. horizontally (Scott 148c), a choice lower right corner margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with large margins, Extremely Fine. 250 pairs are estimated to exist, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. Unitrade C\$480 as pairs (\$360). Scott \$360 as pairs. Estimate \$250 - 350

2288 ★★ 1928, King George V “Scroll” definitives, 1¢ to \$1 complete (Scott 149-159), set of 11, an pristine, selected mint set, o.g., never hinged, all wonderfully fresh and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine to Superb. Unitrade C\$2,180 (\$1,620). Scott \$1,495. Estimate \$400 - 600



EX 2289



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2289 ★ 1928, King George V “Scroll” definitives, 1¢ to \$1 complete, vertical pairs, imperf. horizontally (Scott 149e-159c), an excellent, lightly hinged set, bright, fresh and well centered; the 1¢ with a straight edge at the right and a tiny natural paper inclusion in the top margin, Very Fine. Unitrade C\$3,550 (\$2,640). Scott \$2,625. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

2290 ★★田 1928, King George V “Scroll”, 2¢ green, imperf (Scott 150b), a pretty left sheet margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh with large margins, Extremely Fine. 250 pairs believed to exist, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. Unitrade C\$280 (\$210). Scott \$250+. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2291 ★★田 1929, 20¢ Harvesting Wheat, imperf. vertically (Scott 157b), a gorgeous left sheet margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, fresh and perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. 250 pair are estimated to exist, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. Unitrade C\$750 as pairs (\$560). Scott \$540 as pairs. Estimate \$300 - 400

2292 ★田 1929, 50¢ Bluenose (Scott 158), top margin plate Number A-3 block of 6, sound with all perforations intact, in crisp color and detail, centering solid to superior throughout; positions 3, 4 & 6 never hinged, Very Fine. Unitrade 158; C\$2,950 (\$2,190). Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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2293 ★★ 1929, 50¢ Bluenose, imperf. pair (Scott 158a), o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh with generous, perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine. Only 250 pairs issued. Unitrade C\$1,500 (\$1,110). Scott \$1,125. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

An extraordinary example of this iconic “Bluenose.”

2294 ★★/★田 1929, \$1 Parliament (Scott 159), top margin imprint & plate No. 1 block of 6, o.g., stamps never hinged, hinge remnants in selvage, nicely centered; imprint weakly printed, gum thin position 3, still Fine to Very Fine. Scott is \$3,600 for never hinged singles. Unitrade C\$4,000 (\$2,970). Scott \$2,800. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

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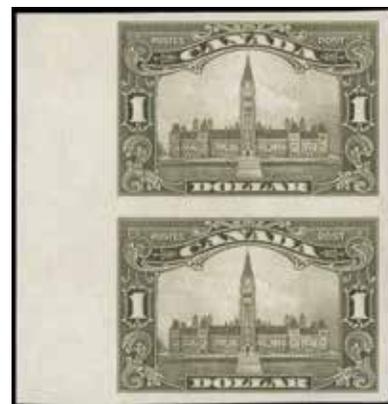
**2295**

**2295 ★★** 1929, \$1 Parliament, imperf (Scott 159a), a lovely vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, large balanced margins; bottom stamp with a light natural paper wrinkle, Very Fine. *250 pairs are believed to exist*, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded *VF 80*. Scott \$975. Estimate \$400 - 600



**2296**

**2296 ★★** 1929, \$1 Parliament, imperf. pair (Scott 159a), an exceptional left sheet margin pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with large margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,350 (\$1,000). Scott \$675. Estimate \$400 - 600



**2297**

**2297 ★** 1929, \$1 Parliament, imperf. pair (Scott 159a), a choice left sheet margin vertical pair, Very Fine. *Only 250 pairs issued*. Scott \$975. Estimate \$300 - 400



**2298**

**2298 ★★** 1929, \$1 Parliament, horizontal pair, imperf vertically (Scott 159b), horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, nicely centered; except the right margin a bit close, Fine to Very Fine. *250 pairs are believed to exist*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$975. Estimate \$400 - 600



**2299**

**2299 ★★** 1929, \$1 Parliament, vertical pair, imperf horizontally (Scott 159c), an extraordinary upper left corner sheet margin pair, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine to Superb. *250 pairs are believed to exist*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$1,350 (\$1,000). Scott \$975. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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**EX 2300**

**2300 ★★** 1930-31, King George V "Maple Leaf" definitives, 1¢ to \$1 complete (Scott 162-177), a selected set, o.g., never hinged, all bright, fresh and well centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,650 (\$1,230). Scott \$1,176. Estimate \$350 - 500



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2301 (★)

1930, 10¢ **Library of Parliament, imperf (Scott 173a)**, large-margined pair with partial right sheet margin, without gum, fresh and attractive; small hinge thin and “each stamp with a tiny blue pen mark,” per the accompanying certificate, Extremely Fine appearance. *Only 50 pairs exist*, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2302 ★★

1930, 12¢ **Quebec Citadel, imperf (Scott 174a)**, a gorgeous left sheet margin horizontal, o.g., never hinged, beautifully balanced margins; gum somewhat toned, though not mentioned on the certificate, Extremely Fine. *Only 75 pairs exist*, with a 2021 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. Unitrade C\$1,875 (\$1,390). Scott \$1,450. Estimate \$600 - 800



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2303 ★★

1930, 20¢ **Harvesting Wheat, imperf (Scott 175a)**, an extraordinary vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, large balanced margins and incredible color, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 75 pairs exist*, with a 2021 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$1,875 (\$1,390). Scott \$1,450. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



2304

2304 ★★

1930, 50¢ **50¢ Grand Pré & \$1 Mt. Cavell (Scott 176-177)**, a lovely pair of high values, o.g., never hinged, fresh and exceptionally well centered, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$1,200 (\$890). Scott \$840. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2305 ★★

1930, 50¢ **Grand Pré (Scott 176)**, o.g., never hinged, bright, fresh and beautifully centered, with a 2014 P.F. certificate *graded VF-XF 85*. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$425. Scott \$420. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2306 ★★田

1930, 50¢ **Grand Pré (Scott 176)**, block of 4, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,680 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2307 ★田 1930, \$1 Mt. Cavell (Scott 177), upper right "Plate No. 1" block of 4 without the top sheet margin selvage, fresh and well centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *Scott is \$2,100 for a full corner; Unitrade C\$3,000.* Scott \$1,680 ++. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2308 ★★ 1931, 10¢ Sir Georges Cartier, imperf (Scott 190a), an outstanding horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with large balanced margins, Extremely Fine. *Only 150 pairs were available.*, with a 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF 90*. Unitrade C\$1,300 (\$970). Scott \$900. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2309 ★★田 1932, King George V "Medallion", 2¢ black brown, imperf (Scott 196c), a pretty lower right corner margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine. *Only 150 pairs were available*, with a 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF 90*. Unitrade C\$1,400 as pairs (\$1,040). Scott \$750 as pairs. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2310 ★★ 1932, King George V "Medallion", 3¢ deep red, type I, imperf (Scott 197b), an lovely horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with large balanced margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *Only 150 pairs were available.*, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded *VF-XF 85*. Unitrade C\$700 (\$520). Scott \$375. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2311 ★★田 1932, King George V "Medallion", 3¢ deep red, type I, imperf (Scott 197b), a pretty upper right corner margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, the left margin a bit close, Fine to Very Fine. *Only 150 pairs were available*, with a 2024 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$750 as pairs. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2312 ★★ 1932, King George V "Medallion", 4¢ ocher, imperf. pair (Scott 198a), a choice bottom sheet margin horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with large margins, Extremely Fine. *Only 150 pairs were available*, with a 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF 90*. Unitrade C\$700 (\$520). Scott \$375. Estimate \$250 - 350



2313

2313 ★★

1933, 5¢ Steamship *Royal William*, imperf (Scott 204a), a choice vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh with large balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 75 pairs issued*, with a 2022 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$1,600 (\$1,190). Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$600 - 800



2314

2314 ★★

1934, 2¢ New Brunswick, imperf (Scott 210a), an outstanding bottom sheet margin horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh with large, beautifully balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 80 pairs produced*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$1,488 (\$1,110). Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$600 - 800



2315

2315 ★★

1935, 1¢ Princess Elizabeth, imperf (Scott 211a), a gorgeous horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh with large balanced margins, Extremely Fine. *Only 100 pairs were available*, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$425. Estimate \$200 - 200



2316

2316 ★★

1935, 2¢ Duke of York, imperf (Scott 212a), an exceptional horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh with large balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 100 pairs produced*, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2317 ★★

1935, 5¢ Prince of Wales, imperf (Scott 214a), a extraordinary upper left corner margin horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 100 pairs produced*, with a 2021 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-Sup 95*. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350



2318

2318 ★★

1935, 10¢ Windsor Castle, imperf (Scott 215a), a phenomenal vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and choice with large, perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 130 pairs produced*, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350



EX 2319



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- 2319 E **1935, Photo Essays complete (Scott 217-227, C5, E6)**, 13 in total, comprising 1¢-\$1 King George V Pictorials, 6¢ Airmail and 20¢ Special Delivery issues for the year; photo essays measure 42 x 49mm or 56 x 39mm depending on stamp's format, all mounted on thick card measuring 111 x 130mm (or turned); all photos clean, the cards with light toning and the occasional bump, still a lovely set of collateral material, Very Fine. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2320 ★★ **1935, 13¢ Charlottetown Conference, imperf (Scott 224a)**, a gorgeous vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with large margins, Extremely Fine. *No more than 150 pairs are possible.*, with a 2025 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$375. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2321 ★★ **1935, 13¢ Charlottetown Conference, imperf (Scott 224a)**, a choice upper right corner sheet margin vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with large margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 150 pairs produced*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$375. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 2322 ★★田 **1935, 50¢ Parliament Buildings in Victoria B.C., imperf (Scott 226a)**, an extraordinary top sheet margin **block of 4 with Plate No. 1** and partial imprint, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh with large, perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only six plate number blocks can exist*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$3,000 for a block of 6 (\$2,230). Scott \$550 ++. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500

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EX 2323



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- 2323 P 1938 Pictorials, 10¢, 20¢, 50¢ & \$1 plate proof on India on card (Scott 241P, 243P-245P), a choice set of horizontal pairs with vertical gutter between, bright and fresh with large balanced margins, Very Fine-Extremely Fine or Extremely Fine, each with a *graded* 2018 P.S.E. certificate, the 10 & \$1 VF-XF 85, the 20 & 50 XF 90. Unitrade C\$1,200 for plain pairs (\$890). Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2324 ★★ 1938, 10¢ Memorial Chamber, dark carmine, imperf (Scott 241b), an exceptional horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with large balanced margins, Extremely Fine. *No more than 75 pairs are possible*, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. Unitrade C\$1,125 (\$840). Scott \$750. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2325 ★★ 1938, 13¢ Halifax Harbor, imperf (Scott 242a), a gorgeous vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with outstanding margins, Extremely Fine. *No more than 75 pairs are possible.*, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate *graded* XF 90. Unitrade C\$1,125 (\$840). Scott \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2326 ★★ 1938, 13¢ Halifax Harbor, imperf (Scott 242a), a choice vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with large, perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 75 pairs produced*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded* XF-SUP 95. Unitrade C\$1,125 (\$840). Scott \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2327 ★★ 1938, 20¢ Fort Garry Gate, imperf (Scott 243a), an exceptional bottom sheet margin vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh with ample, beautifully balanced margins, Extremely Fine. *Only 75 pairs were available.*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded* XF 90. Unitrade C\$1,025 (\$760). Scott \$750. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2328 ★★ 1938, 50¢ Vancouver Harbor, imperf (Scott 244a), a choice vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with large balanced margins; tiny natural paper inclusion in the right margin, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *No more than 75 pairs are possible.*, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate *graded* VF-XF 85. Unitrade C\$1,125 (\$840). Scott \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2329 ★★ 1938, 50¢ Vancouver Harbor, imperf (Scott 244a), a choice vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with large, perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 75 pairs produced*, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$1,125 (\$840). Scott \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2330 ★★ 1938, \$1 Château de Ramezay (Scott 245), a phenomenal mint example, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and absolutely perfectly centered within generous, beautifully balanced margins, Superb, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded *SUP 98*. Unitrade C\$150 (\$110). SMQ \$572. Scott \$110. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2331 ★★ 1938, \$1 Château de Ramezay, imperf (Scott 245b), an exceptional vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh with large, nicely balanced margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *No more than 75 pairs are possible.*, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded *VF-XF 85*. Unitrade C\$1,500 (\$1,110). Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2332 ★★ 1938, \$1 Château de Ramezay, imperf (Scott 245b), an extraordinary vertical pair with upper right corner sheet margin and split arrow, o.g., never hinged, bright, fresh and choice in all respects, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 75 pairs produced*, with a 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$1,500 (\$1,110). Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 2333 ★★ 1939, 1¢ Royal Visit, imperf (Scott 246a), a choice left sheet margin horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with huge margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 100 pairs produced*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$1,050 (\$780). Scott \$725. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2334 ★★ 1939, 3¢ Royal Visit, imperf (Scott 248a), a marvelous left sheet margin horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh with huge margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 100 pairs produced*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$1,050 (\$780). Scott \$725. Estimate \$400 - 600



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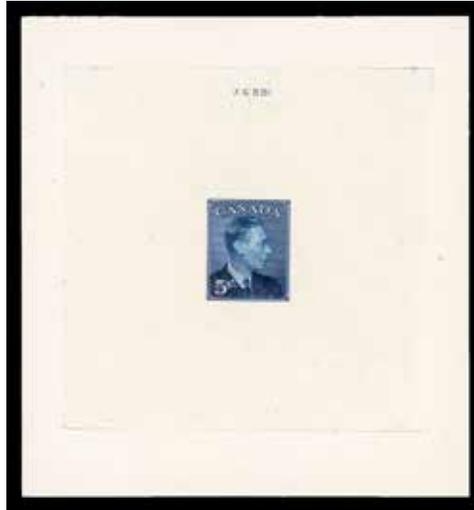
- 2335 ★★ 1942, King George VI, 3¢ dark carmine, imperf (Scott 251b), a choice horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with large, perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 150 pairs produced*, with a 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded *XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$600 (\$450). Scott \$400. Estimate \$250 - 350



2336

2336 ★★

1942, \$1 Destroyer, imperf. (Scott 262a), a choice vertical pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with left margin, Extremely Fine. Scott \$850. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2337 P

1950, King George VI, 5¢ deep blue, die proof on India, die-sunk on card (Scott 293P1), fresh and clean, the proof with die number XG881 at top; India measures approximately 75mm square on 92 x 98mm card; tiny scuff at left of design; card with thin in bottom left and right corners, Very Fine, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80. Estimate \$500 - 750



2338

2338 ★★

1994, \$2 Truro Normal School, inscriptions omitted (Scott 1376a), lower left corner sheet margin single (position 21), o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine. *Only 68 recorded.* Scott \$950. Estimate \$500 - 750



2339

2339 ★★

Airmail, 1928, 5¢ brown olive, vertical pair, imperf. horizontally (Scott C1c), P.O. fresh and with excellent centering, unblemished o.g., never hinged, Very Fine and choice, *by and far it would be hard to imagine a nicer pair*; with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95. Unitrade C1c; C\$525 (\$390). Scott \$367. Estimate \$500 - 750



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2340 ★★

Airmail Semi-Official, 1924 (25¢) Laurentide Air Service, 1st issue (Scott CL1), an extraordinary example with full tab from booklet, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh and well centered; small, insignificant rust stain around one staple hole in the tab—truly of no consequence, Extremely Fine and rare. *Only 200 were printed.* Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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2341 BK★★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1924 (25¢) Laurentide Air Service, 2nd issue (Scott CL2c), a pristine complete booklet: four panes of two, printing on both covers, o.g., never hinged, unbelievably fresh and solid, Extremely Fine. *There can't be a better one!* Unitrade CL2d. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2342 BK★★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1924 (25¢) Laurentide Air Service, 2nd issue (Scott CL2c), partial booklet containing three panes of two and a half pane of one, o.g., never hinged; front cover separated along crease and interleaving lightly stuck, otherwise Very Fine. *There can't be a better one!* Unitrade CL2d. Scott \$1,395 as panes. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2343 BK★★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1924 (25¢) Laurentide Air Service, 5th issue (Scott CL4a), complete booklet: four panes of two, o.g., never hinged; small scuff on front cover, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2344 ★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1926, Patricia Airways & Exploration, overpaid “RED LAKE” in black (descending) (Scott CL16 var.), o.g., very lightly hinged. *Only 200 were issued.* Unitrade CL16i. Unitrade C\$1,500 (\$1,110). Estimate \$400 - 600

2345 ★★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1927, Patricia Airways & Exploration Co., 10¢ Haileybury & Rouyn, “Red Lake” descending in black (Scott CL17a), o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$1,650. Estimate \$500 - 750



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2346 ★★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1927, Patricia Airways & Exploration Co., 5¢ on (50¢) type B overprint in red, ascending (Scott CL20b), o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine. *Only 200 were issued.* Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$600 - 800



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2347 ★ **Airmail Semi-Official, 1927, Patricia Airways & Exploration Co., 5¢ on (50¢) type D overprint in violet, ascending (Scott CL21a), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and perfectly centered; very light corner bend, Extremely Fine. Exceedingly rare - only 16 were issued. Scott \$2,450. Estimate \$750 - 1,000**

2348 ★ **Airmail Semi-Official, 1926, Patricia Airways 10¢ on (50¢), type A + type D overprints (Scott CL29, a, c, c), all four orientations of type D, o.g., lightly hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$1,075. Estimate \$300 - 400**



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2349 ★★

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**Commercial Airways Ltd. 1930 (10¢) orange, imperf (Scott CL50), a choice left sheet margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh with generous margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. Unitrade C\$750 (\$560). Scott \$450. Estimate \$300 - 400**

2350 ★★ **SCADTA Airmails, 1923, 50c green & 60c brown (Scott CLCA6-7), o.g., never hinged, bright, fresh and well centered, Very Fine. Only 150 of each were issued. Scott \$950. Estimate \$350 - 500**



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- 2351 ★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1918 (25¢) Aero Club of Canada, Toronto-Ottawa (Scott CLP1), o.g., fresh and well centered; tiny thin spot, Very Fine appearance. *An attractive mint example of this Airpost Rarity.* Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$500 - 750

Of the 194 copies sold, 167 were used, leaving just 27 mint examples available.

- 2352 ★★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1918 (25¢) Aero Club of Canada, Toronto-Ottawa (Scott CLP2), o.g., never hinged, fresh and perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. *Never hinged examples are very scarce.* Scott \$900. Estimate \$400 - 600

- 2353 ★★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1918 (25¢) Aero Club of Canada, Toronto-Ottawa (Scott CLP2a), o.g., never hinged, fresh and perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. *Never hinged tête-bêche pairs are quite rare.* Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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- 2354 ★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1918 (25¢) Aero Club of Canada, Toronto-Ottawa (Scott CLP2a), o.g., lightly hinged, bright and fresh, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2355 (★) Airmail Semi-Official, 1918 (25¢) Aero Club of Canada, Toronto-Ottawa (Scott CLP2a), unused without gum, perfectly centered with just a bit of light soiling, otherwise Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,200 for o.g. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2356 ★★

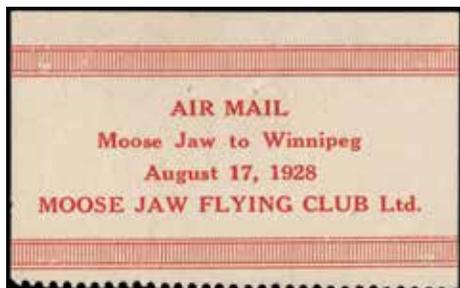
Airmail Semi-Official, 1918 (25¢) Aero Club of Canada, Toronto-Ottawa, *rough off-white paper* (Scott CLP2d), o.g., never hinged, unusually fresh and perfectly centered, Extremely Fine, *very difficult in a truly never hinged state*. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



2357

2357 ★

Airmail Semi-Official, 1918 (25¢) Aero Club of Canada, Toronto-Ottawa, *rough off-white paper*, **tête-bêche pair** (Scott CLP2e), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and choice, Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



2358

2358 ★

Airmail Semi-Official, 1928 (\$1) Moose Jaw Flying Club (Scott CLP7), o.g., lightly hinged, Very Fine and rare. *Only 200 were printed.*, signed Kessler. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



2359

2359 ★★

Special Delivery, 1898, 10¢ blue green (Scott E1), o.g., never hinged, fresh and nicely centered, virtually Very Fine. Scott \$725. Estimate \$150 - 200



2360

2360 ★★

Special Delivery, 1927, Confederation, 20¢ orange, **horizontal pair, imperf. vertically** (Scott E3b), an extraordinary right sheet margin pair, o.g., never hinged, bright, fresh and virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. *Only 250 pairs recorded*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. 500. Scott \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350

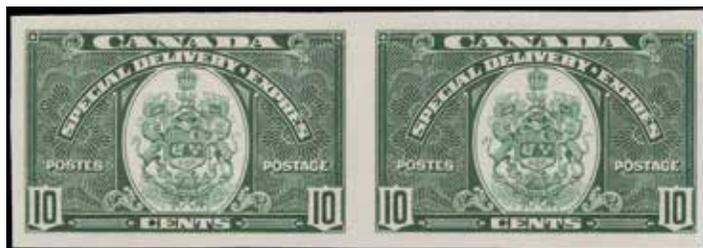
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2361 ★★

**Special Delivery, 1927, Confederation, 20¢ orange, imperf. horizontally (Scott E3c)**, o.g., never hinged, fresh, bright and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine to Superb. *250 pairs known*, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$500 (\$370). Scott \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350



2362

2362 ★★

**Special Delivery, 1939, 10¢ dark green, imperf (Scott E7a)**, a lovely horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and choice, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. *Only 75 pairs are known*, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate *graded VF-XF 85*. Unitrade C\$1,400 (\$1,040). Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$500 - 750



2363

2363 ★★

**Registry, 1875, 2¢ vermilion (Scott F1a)**, a phenomenal mint single, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh with oversize, perfectly balanced margins and marvelous color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$525. Estimate \$600 - 800



2364

2364 ★★

**Registry, 1888, 2¢ rose carmine (Scott F1b)**, a fabulous mint example of this scarce shade, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh with exceptional color and beautifully centered amid extra large margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with a 2006 C.P.E.S. certificate. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



2365

2365 ★★

**Registry, 1875, 5¢ dark green (Scott F2)**, a gorgeous mint example, o.g., never hinged, uncommonly fresh and virtually perfectly centered amid extra large margins, Extremely Fine to Superb. Scott \$420. Estimate \$350 - 500



2366

2366 ★★

**Postage Due, 1924, 2¢ violet, thin paper (Scott J2a)**, left sheet margin single with **full type D lathework**, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh, Fine to Very Fine. *Rare!* Unitrade C\$1,600 (\$1,190). Estimate \$350 - 500



2367

2367 ★★

**Postage Due, 1934, 1¢ dark violet, imperf (Scott J11a)**, an exceptional, large-margined horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine to Superb. *Only 100 pairs are possible*, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF-SUP 95*. Unitrade C\$1,000 (\$740). Scott \$700. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2368 ★★田 **Postage Due, 1935, 1¢ dark violet, imperf (Scott J15a)**, a gorgeous block of 4, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine. *Only 100 pairs are possible*, with a 2020 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. Unitrade C\$900 as pairs (\$670). Scott \$630 as pair. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2369 ★★/★田 **War Tax, 1915, King George V “Admiral”, 2¢ carmine (Scott MR2)**, left full pane of 100, plate number A9, post office fresh with bold color and clean detail; positions 91 & 100 hinged, others never hinged; minor perforation separations, Fine to Very Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Unitrade approximately C\$7,370 as singles (\$5,480). Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2370 ★★ **War Tax, 1915, 20¢ “Admiral”, overprinted “WAR TAX” (Unitrade MR2C)**, a gorgeous mint single, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally fresh and beautifully centered with extra large top & bottom margins, Extremely Fine, with a 2018 P.S.E. certificate *graded XF 90*. Scott MR2 var. Unitrade C\$720 (\$540). Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2371 ★★ **War Tax, 1915, George V “Admiral”, 5¢ dark blue, 2-line overprint (Scott MR2 footnote)**, o.g., never hinged, nicely centered with large margins and deep, rich color, Very Fine. Unitrade MR2B. Unitrade C\$1,600 (\$1,190). Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2372 ★★ **War Tax, George V “Admiral”, 50¢ black brown, 2-line overprint (Scott MR2 footnote)**, o.g., never hinged, fresh and nicely centered, Fine to Very Fine. *Never hinged examples are quite rare*. Unitrade MR2D. Unitrade C\$2,400 for VF (\$1,780). Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2373 ★★ **War Tax, 1916, George V “Admiral”, 2¢+1¢ carmine, type II (Scott MR3a)**, a phenomenal, mathematically centered mint example, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh with bright white paper and wide, symmetrical margins, a Superb gem. Unitrade C\$1,200 (\$890). Scott \$825. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2374 ★★ **War Tax, 1916, George V “Admiral”, 2¢+1¢ brown, type I (Scott MR4a)**, a pristine mint single, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and quite well centered with an oversize right margin, Very Fine. *Exceedingly rare in this superior condition*, with a 2013 P.S.A.G. certificate. Unitrade C\$4,500 (\$3,340). Scott \$3,150. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



2375



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EX 2377

2375 ★ War Tax, 1916, George V “Admiral”, 2¢+1¢ brown, type I (Scott MR4a), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and nicely centered, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$350 - 500

2376 ★★ War Tax, 1916, King George V “Admiral”, 2¢+1¢ brown, type I, coil, perf. 8 vertically (Scott MR7a), paste-up pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh and solid, Very Fine. *Rare this nice!* Unitrade C\$1,650 (\$1,230). Scott \$1,150. Estimate \$350 - 500

2377 ★★田 Officials, 1949, “O.H.M.S.” overprints, 1¢ to \$1 complete (Scott O1-O10), a pristine set of blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, bright, fresh and well centered, Very Fine. Unitrade C\$2,160 as singles (\$1,600). Scott \$1,474 as singles. Estimate \$500 - 750



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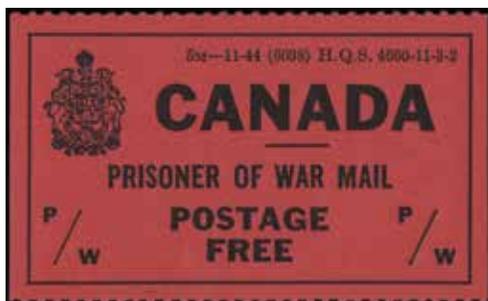


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2378 ★★田 Official, 1950, 10¢ Fur Resources, “G” overprint omitted (Scott O26a), position 3 in a choice vertical block of 10, o.g., never hinged, fresh and beautifully centered; position 4 with some trivial light bends (“light creases” according to the accompanying certificate), Extremely Fine, with a 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Unitrade C\$1,275 (\$950). Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$300 - 400

2379 ★★ Official Seal, 1902, black on bluish (Scott OX2), a choice, virtually perfectly centered mint example, o.g., never hinged, incredibly bright and fresh, Extremely Fine. *A real beauty!* Scott \$2,200. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

2380 ★★田 Official Seal, 1907, black (Scott OX3), top margin block of 4 with plate number, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



2381

2381 ★★

**P.O.W. Frank, 1944, black on red, rouletted (Unitrade PWF4)**, a pristine mint example, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine. Unitrade C\$800 (\$590). Estimate \$300 - 400



2383

2382 P

**Federal Bill Stamps, 1865-68, collection of India plate proofs (Van Dam FB18//FB55)**, 154 Second Issue (44 dollar values), including trial colors and a few pairs with duplication, plus six different Third Issue: Van Dam FB40, FB42, FB45 & FB53-55, generally Fine to Very Fine. Van Dam C\$3,950 (\$2,940). (photo on web site) Estimate \$300 - 400



2384

## WORLDWIDE A-Z BOLIVIA

2383 ★

**1930, 1b red brown & black Graf Zeppelin issue, gold overprint inverted (Scott C23a)**, o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with bold color and clean impression, the gold readily visible, Fine to Very Fine, *only 25 examples known*. Scott \$2,800. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

## CUBA

2384 ★

**1910, 10c "INMEDIATA" orange & blue, inverted center (Scott E4a)**, o.g., hinged, pristine with rich colors on like-new paper, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

(photo on back cover)

## EGYPT



EX 2385

2385 ★★/★

**1922, 2m vermilion, 4m green, 10m lake, Colossi of Thebes, "crushed crown" variety (Scott 79, 81, 83)**, trio of matched left margin blocks, the variety (position 192) the bottom right stamp on each; 2m never hinged, others with hinge remnant on top stamps, Very Fine, 2m signed Hass. Nile Post D79Ih, D81Id, D83Ie; \$2,350 as blocks of six. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



2386



EX 2387

2386 ▲ 1926, 5m-15m International Navigation Congress, “PORT FOUAD” overprints, *First Day-cancelled* (Scott 121-123), each a bright single tied by bilingual “Port Fouad/(Cash)” bridge cancel dated 21 DE 26; 15m with blunted perforations thanks to placement, the 10m value with semi-circle/dot guide mark in lower left corner, Very Fine, signed Hass. Scott \$750 used off-piece. Estimate \$500 - 750

2387 ★ 1926, 5m-50p King Fuad, “Port Fouad” overprints (Scott 121-124), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and sound with bright colors on like-new paper; 15m with guideline at top right, 50p particularly well-centered, Fine to Very Fine, 5m-15m signed Hass, 50p signed Calves & others. SG 141-144. Nile Post C17-C20. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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2388 (★) 1927, King Fuad, 5m, 10m & 15m, imperf tête-bêche pairs (Scott 135a, 136a, 139 vars.), tête-bêche pairs, “Cancelled” on the reverse; 5m & 10m are type I, 15m type II, without gum as issued, bright and fresh with large margins, Very Fine. Chalhoub D112j, D113i, D116i; \$1,500. Estimate \$500 - 750

2389 ○ 1931, 100m on 27m Zeppelin, violet overprint, *partial Suez Zeppelin datestamp* (Scott C4), fresh and bright with unobtrusive Suez cancel—the rarest Zeppelin Egypt flight—almost never encountered on single stamps, with only a few covers known, Very Fine. Nile Post C37. Estimate \$250 - 350



EX 2390

2390 ★★ 1953, Doubled (six bars) overprint complete (Scott C67-C89 vars.), 24 values, pristine mint, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine, *ex-Bileski*. Estimate \$250 - 350



EX 2391



2392

2391 ★

1948-49, **Philatelic Exposition Labels**, officially prepared non-franking labels prepared for 1944 IMABA Exposition in Basel, the 1949 CITEX in Paris and BIPITEC in Brussels; the IMABA labels comprise three normal mint singles plus two with oblique perfs, each at a different angle. The CITEX and BIPITEC labels each consist of three of the normal, imperf-between blocks of 4, two of the same with oblique perfs (each at a different angle) and six different imperf trial color blocks of 4; all clean and Very Fine, never hinged except, unfortunately, the imperf trial color blocks, which have become stuck together, a few of them showing slight damage from attempted separation. Still a desirable, rarely seen group. Estimate \$300 - 400

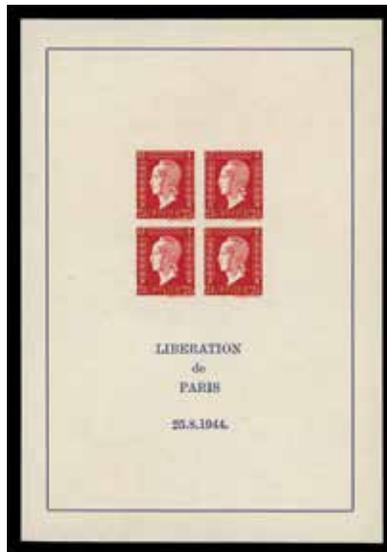
According to K. Beleski, only one sheet of 16 blocks of 4 was produced of the oblique perfs and the color trials for the two 1949 events, while only 25 each of the different 1948 oblique Pernambuco varieties.

## SUEZ CANAL COMPANY

2392 ★★田

**Suez Canal Company, 1868, 20c blue (Scott L3)**, positions 45-46/57-58/69-70, vertical block of 6, o.g., never hinged, fresh with crisp impression in rich color and full margins all around; light bend through bottom horizontal pair, otherwise Very Fine, signed Hass. SG 3. Nile Post SC3. Scott \$540 as singles. Estimate \$250 - 350

## FRANCE



2393

2393 ★★

1944, **2.40Fr Marianne (Dulac), "Liberation de Paris" miniature sheet of four, unissued (Scott 515 var.)**, imperforate on 121 x 172mm pane, the stamps in bold color with crisp lines; "Liberation/de/Paris/25.8.1944." printed below; wartime paper fresh and clean, o.g., never hinged; top right corner wrinkled, otherwise Very Fine. See footnote in Scott after #523. Yvert BF 4; €9,300 (\$10,040). Scott \$6,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



2394



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- 2394 ★★ Airmail, 1930, Plane over Marseille, 1.50fr ultramarine, “E.I.P.A.” perfin (Scott C6b), bottom margin single, with second perfin in selvage, *inverted*, o.g., stamp never hinged, hinged in selvage only, a beauty with deep, bold color and magnificent centering amid jumbo margins of pure white, Extremely Fine, a most appealing variety, with 2015 P.F. certificate. Yvert 6c. Scott \$700. Estimate \$350 - 500

## GABON

- 2395 BK★★ Airmail Semi-Official, 1962, Compagnie Transgabon labels, black on orange (1966 Sanabria S2a var.), complete unexploded booklet, comprising 25 panes of four; the labels, without value, were intended for use on internal mail to remote points lacking a post office, being applied to the mail when it was handed to the pilot; these labels on orange were for the 1962 Philatelic Exhibition at Libreville; stamps fresh and clean though warped from prior storage; cover’s tape hinge over staples fraying but holding, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine, a most uncommon find. 1966 Sanabria \$1,875 as 25 panes. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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## GERMANY EMPIRE & REICH

- 2396 ★★ 1913, Leignitz Zeppelin Flight, brown on orange & reddish brown on orange (Michel 11a-11b), set of 2, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, signed. Michel €3,000 (\$3,240). Estimate \$750 - 1,000

## GERMANY POST-WWII OCCUPATIONS ALLIED OCCUPATION/BIZONE

- 2397 ★★田 1948, 2pf blue Compulsory Surtax, printed on gum side (Michel 2 BB W G), vertical block of 8, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Michel €4,000 (\$4,320). Estimate \$750 - 1,000



EX 2398



2399

**ICELAND**

- 2398 ★ Airmail, 1933, “Hópflug Ítala” complete (Scott C12-C14), an excellent mint set, o.g., lightly hinged (the key 5kr very lightly), bright fresh colors; 1kr & 10kr with slightly toned gum, Fine to Very Fine, with a clear 1980 S. Kaiser certificate. Scott \$2075. Estimate \$600 - 800

**MEXICO**

- 2399 ★ 1932, “Servicio Oficial” overprint on 50c dark blue & claret (Scott CO18), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with crisp colors on bright paper, Fine, signed Ruidiaz twice, with 1975 A.P.S. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$350 - 500



EX 2400



EX 2401



2402

**MONACO**

- 2400 ★ Airmail, 1949 Plane & Arms complete, deluxe sheets (Scott C27-C29), three lovely and fresh complete sets, Very Fine. Yvert 42-44. Maury 42-44. Estimate \$300 - 400

**MOROCCO**

- 2401 ★★ 1978, Promotion of the Sahara, *unissued imperforates* (Scott 413 var.), o.g., never hinged, complete group of the 18 known unissued values (plus the issued 1d value imperforate); pristine and Post Office fresh with full, nicely balanced margins, Very Fine, a most uncommon offering. Michel 881 vars.; €10,800 (\$11,660). Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

**PHILIPPINES**

- 2402 ✉ 1898, King Alfonso XIII, 1m orange brown (Scott 192), tied by a blurry Manila c.d.s., Feb 11, 1898, on a folded lettersheet to Lund, Sweden; the letter, on an illustrated letterhead is from a Manila Stamp Dealer, Luis Moreno Jerez, offering packets of Philippine stamps, is Very Fine. Scott \$500+. Estimate \$300 - 400

SWITZERLAND



EX 2403



EX 2404

2403 ★★ **War Board of Trade, 1918, 3c-30c Overprints (Scott 101-8, 103a)**, full set which includes the 7½c type I and II overprints, pristine o.g., NH, fresh and Fine to Very Fine, a scarce set; 103a, 107 each signed Brun. Michel 11-8I, 3I III. Zumstein 1-8, 3a; SFr 3,680 (\$3,650). Estimate \$500 - 750

2404 ★ **Intl. Labor Bureau, 1923, 1fr-10fr (Scott 3022-26)**, bright colors, o.g. with the 3fr and both 10fr very lightly hinged, Very Fine; 5fr signed Bloch, 10fr green signed Brun. Zumstein 11-14, 30; SFr 1,900 (\$1,880). Estimate \$500 - 750

VENEZUELA

2405 ★★ **1951 State Coats of Arms, Regular Issues & Airs (Scott 464//631 & C338//C553)**, a marvelous mint, near-complete set (missing only #600, C503 and C507) on 24 hingeless album pages, o.g., never hinged; #615 with slight damage, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$3,327 for hinged. (photo on web site) Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

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2406



2407

2406 ☒ **Small Balance of Mainly Patriotic Covers, 18** Patriotics with more common designs, including five franked with 4¢ 1857s, one with a “Due 3” and one unused hand-colored *Magnus*; and three letters, one on a Patriotic letterhead; a generally clean, F-VF group. Shipping charges apply - weight 0.6 lbs. Estimate \$500 - 750

2407 ☒ **Small Balance of Northern Civil War covers, 25** covers and two fronts, all but three are Patriotics, including three unused; include a *reference* 5¢ 1856 usage with bogus markings; include some slightly better designs, but *the quality throughout is less-than-Fine*. Shipping charges apply - weight 0.6 lbs. Estimate \$500 - 750



2408



2409

**PATRIOTIC COVERS: FAMOUS PEOPLE**

- 2408 ★✉ **George Washington framed portrait (Weiss FP-GW 39)**, hand colored *Magnus* design, franked with a 3¢ rose tied by a Washington D.C. double circle datestamp, Sep 27, 1862; to Sutton, N.H.; stamp faulty, cover with minor edge flaws, Fine. *The Bischel cover was noted as the only recorded example; there are now two.* Bischel 60. Estimate \$500 - 750

**PATRIOTIC COVERS: FLAGS**

- 2409 ✉ **Flag Facing right, “The Union Forever” (Weiss Unlisted)**, red & blue design with a *cutout of the Eagle & Flag from another Patriotic envelope (Weiss E-L 237, Walcott 2409) pasted on the right end of the cover*; franked with a pair of 1857 3&cent (26) tied by a Buffalo, N.Y. duplex, May 6, 1861; *additionally, pasted on the reverse, is a large, 3-color oval cutout of an Eagle & Shield inscribed “BUFFALO;”* addressed to Little Falls, N.Y. A bit rough around the edges, but still Fine and quite a spectacular cover! Bischel 5459. Estimate \$500 - 750



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**PATRIOTIC COVERS: MALE DESIGNS**

- 2410 ✉ **Soldier With Flag Facing Left (Weiss M-L 60)**, red & blue design franked with a 3¢ pink (64) tied by a light blue target cancel with a matching Windsor, Vt. c.d.s., Jan 16, 1862; to Laconia, N.H.; reduced slightly at the right with a small taer in the lower right corner, otherwise Fine to Very Fine. *This imprint is not listed in the current C.S.A. Catalog.* Walcott 2035. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$350 - 500

**PATRIOTIC COVERS: REGIMENTAL**

- 2411 ✉ **59th Mass. (Infantry) Band**, spectacular *hand-drawn* 3-color design featuring the Regiment’s Canon & Anchor shield with a Drum & Bugle, as well as a *Masonic Square & Compass*; labeled by the artist as “No. 26;” franked with a 3¢ rose canceled Washington D.C., Oct 17, 1862(?), and addressed faintly, in three scrolls, to Jas. S. Baxter, Quincy, Norfolk Co., Massachusetts; reduced slightly at the right with a small, very light tone spot in the upper right corner, still Very Fine. *An extraordinary, beautifully executed and unique piece of patriotic art.* Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2412 ☒ **“R. Island Regiment - Hope” (Weiss Unlisted)**, large red & blue design featuring a top-hatted soldier with flag *used in 1887*; franked with A.B.N.Co 1¢ & 4¢cent (206 & 211) tied by Providence, R.I. c.d.s.s, May 28, 1887, **to London England** backstamped New York (May 29) and London (date not struck up); tear on address area; otherwise Very Fine and totally unique. Estimate \$500 - 750

### PATRIOTIC COVERS: SCENES

- 2413 ☒ **“No. 6 Movement of the Army from Washington to Richmond” (Weiss SC-MB 189 var.)**, all-over *Magnus* design in bronze, franked and addressed on the reverse with a 3¢ rose canceled Tennallytown, D.C., Oct 3; light foxing and edge wear, Fine. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2414 ☒ **“No. 7 Movement of the Army from Washington to Richmond” (Weiss SC-MB 190 var.)**, all-over *Magnus* design in bronze, franked with a 3¢ rose tied by an Alexandria, Va. c.d.s., Oct 7, 1862; stamp folded over top edge of cover, small sealed tear at the bottom, reduced just a tad at the right, Fine. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

### CONFEDERATE CIVIL WAR POSTAL HISTORY GROUPS & COLLECTIONS

- 2415 ☒ **Balance of Stamped Covers**, 25 covers comprising #1 (3, one with two singles), 2, 4, 6/7 (8, two with singles, one with three pairs), and 11/12 (12); nice variety but condition a mixed, especially on the better items. Shipping charges apply - weight 0.6 lbs. (photo on web site) Estimate \$500 - 750



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BY ISSUE

2416 ☒

**1861, 10&cent, Paterson printing, dark blue (Scott 2b)**, two singles, one with large margins all around, other full margins on three sides and cut along bottom frameline, tied by two strikes of “Augusta GA ??? 3” circular datestamp on orange cover to “Mrs. Maria Valentine, Care M.T. Valentine), Richmond VA”, Very Fine, with Jack E. Molesworth description on reverse noting that a CSA certificate exists calling it dark blue. Jack and the 3 PSE experts disagree, and it was sold as an indigo shade at a well known NYC auction house in 1997 (lot 3562) and again in 1999 (lot 1843) by Ivy & Mader, where acquired by the consignor. Lot numbers noted on the back of the cover, with 1994 P.S.E. certificate as indigo signed by experts Richard Frajola, Calvet Hahn and Randy Shoemaker. Offered as a dark blue because the CSA stands behind its prior opinion. Estimate \$500 - 750

We suspect Mrs. Maria Valentine was a member of the Valentine family, headed by Mann S. Valentine II, who made his fortune with Valentine’s meat juice, a 19th Century health tonic of iron made from boiled down bovine blood and meat and juices.

ADVERTISING/ILLUSTRATED COVERS  
GUN COVERS

2417 ☒

**[Gun & Powder] DuPont Smokeless**, gorgeous overall multicolor design featuring *sailors loading a deck gun* with illustrated game ads on the reverse; franked with a 1¢ green paying the printed matter rate from Philadelphia to Lancaster, Pa.; unsealed flap, Extremely Fine. Estimate \$600 - 800



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2418 ☒

**[Gun & Powder] Savage Hammerless Rifles & Ammunition**, colorful, very scarce design on a cover from New York (Jul 28, 1904) to Califon, N.J. (backstamped Jul 29); just the faintest trace of foxing along the top edge and reduced just a tad at the right, otherwise Very Fine and most attractive. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2419 ☒ [Guns & Powder] Winchester Hammerless Repeating Shotguns, multicolor *Hunter & Dog*, franked with a pair of 1¢ Parcel Post (Q1) tied by a Lexington, Ky. machine cancel, May 11, 194(?) ; reduced slightly at the right, light central vertical file fold, otherwise Very Fine. *A common design but an exceptional franking!* Estimate \$300 - 400

FIRST DAY COVERS  
HAND-PAINTED: DOROTHY KNAPP

- 2420 ☒ 1952, 3¢ Red Cross (Weisz 1016-1), fresh and clean unaddressed cover, the stamp tied by ASDA National Postage Stamp Show Station cancel (New York, NY, Nov. 21, 1952), Very Fine. Scott 1016. Estimate \$300 - 400



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EXPOSITION COVERS & POSTMARKS

- 2421 ☒ 1904, St. Louis World's Fair Official Souvenir "Hold to Light" Mail Card, oversized (227 x 151mm) card showing "Cascade Gardens and Grand Basin" on front, with space for address and stamp; no writing front or back, the card magnificently lighting up (including reflections on the water) when illuminated; *a pristine example.* Estimate \$250 - 350

FANCY CANCELS  
PATRIOTIC DESIGNS

- 2422 ○ *Lady Liberty*, appealing design, solidly struck over vignette of 3¢ green Washington (#207), whose shading adds an almost sculptural touch to the cancel, Very Fine strike. Estimate \$350 - 500



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### FRATERNAL DESIGNS

- 2423 ○ **Blue Masonic Square & Compass**, bold strike, socked-on-the-nose of a 3¢ rose red F. Grill (#94), the stamp fresh and sound, Extremely Fine all around, with 2023 P.F. certificate. Estimate \$300 - 400

### POSTAL MARKINGS

- 2424 ☒ **Peter G. Greider/Keystone/House/Lancaster, Pa, Stencil Postmark**, on cover (stamp roughly removed) to Frederick City, Md., with clean Lancaster Mar. 23 postmark and appealing football-shaped handstamped postmark with stars surrounding; cover with light soiling at bottom, otherwise sound, Fine to Very Fine, an eye-catching addition to your collection or exhibit. Estimate \$250 - 350

## AIRMAIL POSTAL HISTORY

### FRANCE BALLON MONTÉ



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- 2425 ☒ **1870 (Sept. 23), Ballon Monté The "Neptune" (Scott BM1)**, folded letter to Antwerp, Belgium, franked with 30c Napoleon Laureate tied by "2" in star with "Paris/22/Sept./70/Pl. St. Lazare" c.d.s.; red boxed "PD" additionally just tying the stamp; backstamped Antwerp Oct. 19 (day inverted), Fine to Very Fine. *A rare and desirable cover carried on the first balloon to leave Paris after the establishment of the siege.* Yvert 1. Scott \$10,700. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

RECORD FLIGHTS



EX 2426

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- 2426 ☒ **1931 (June 23), Round the World Flight by Wiley Post & Harold Gatty**, flown Flight Cover of the *Winnie Mae*'s record-setting flight (8 days, 15 hours, 51 minutes); franked by 2¢ Fourth Bureau tied by Mineola, N.Y. June 21, 1931 wavy line cancel and by Berlin 24.6.31 transit; two additional violet handstamps from the Soviet Union (one dated in manuscript 29VI31), plus an inverted wavy line Mineola receiver of July 1; "Round the World Flight/of the 'Winnie Mae'" corner card imprint with printed names and *signatures of both Post and Gatty*; accompanied by an International Newsreel photo of the pair with their commemorative bronze plaques, Very Fine. Estimate \$400 - 600
  
- 2427 ☒ **1938 (July 10), Round the World Flight by Howard Hughes**, 91 hours, 14 minutes, 10 seconds; large 6¢ Airmail entire, indicium cancelled by New York GPO duplex (July 10), with French 50c Sower tied by next-day Le Bourget postmark, a used Russia #637 added, tied by blue lines striking Moscow off the route list and by the post-flight cachet; the return to New York marked by 6¢ Winged Globe tied by New York GPO duplex of July 14; addressed to Jackson Heights, Long Island, and signed "With best wishes of/Albert I. Lodwick", Hughes' flight operations manager; vertical file fold at left and general age and travel wear, but overall sound, Fine to Very Fine. Estimate \$600 - 800

FIRST FLIGHTS



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- 2428 ☒ **1918 (Dec. 18), First Airmail Flight Cover, from New York to Bismarck, North Dakota**, business size "Aerial League of America" corner card cover, franked by 6¢ Airmail (#C1), addressed to North Dakota Governor Lynn J. Frazier; cover bears blind-embossed Great Seal of the State of North Dakota at right, violet winged tombstone "Aero/Mail" handstamp at lower left, typed notation indicating Dec. 20 receipt, plus signatures of A.S. Burleson (pilot), Governor Frazier, and R.E. Peary (Aerial League President); light toning, otherwise sound, Fine to Very Fine. Estimate \$350 - 500

## GRAF ZEPPELIN FLIGHTS

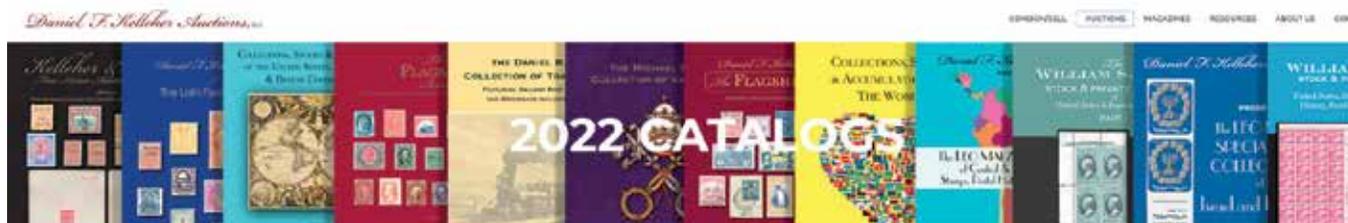


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- 2429 ✉ **1929 Round-the-World Flight postal card, autographed**, 1¢ Jefferson postal card addressed to Dr. L.E. Mueller at Lakehurst, N.J., uprated by 4¢ and 20¢ Fourth Bureaus and 5¢ Beacon Airmail, all cancelled by “Los Angeles/ARC/Cal.” double-ovals with additional Los Angeles Aug. 26, 1929 duplex cancel and violet flight cachet, bearing 15 different signatures including Eckener, Rosendahl, Wiley and Mueller plus other Engineers or Mechanics on the flight; clean and sound, accompanied by list of identified signatures, Very Fine. Estimate \$350 - 500

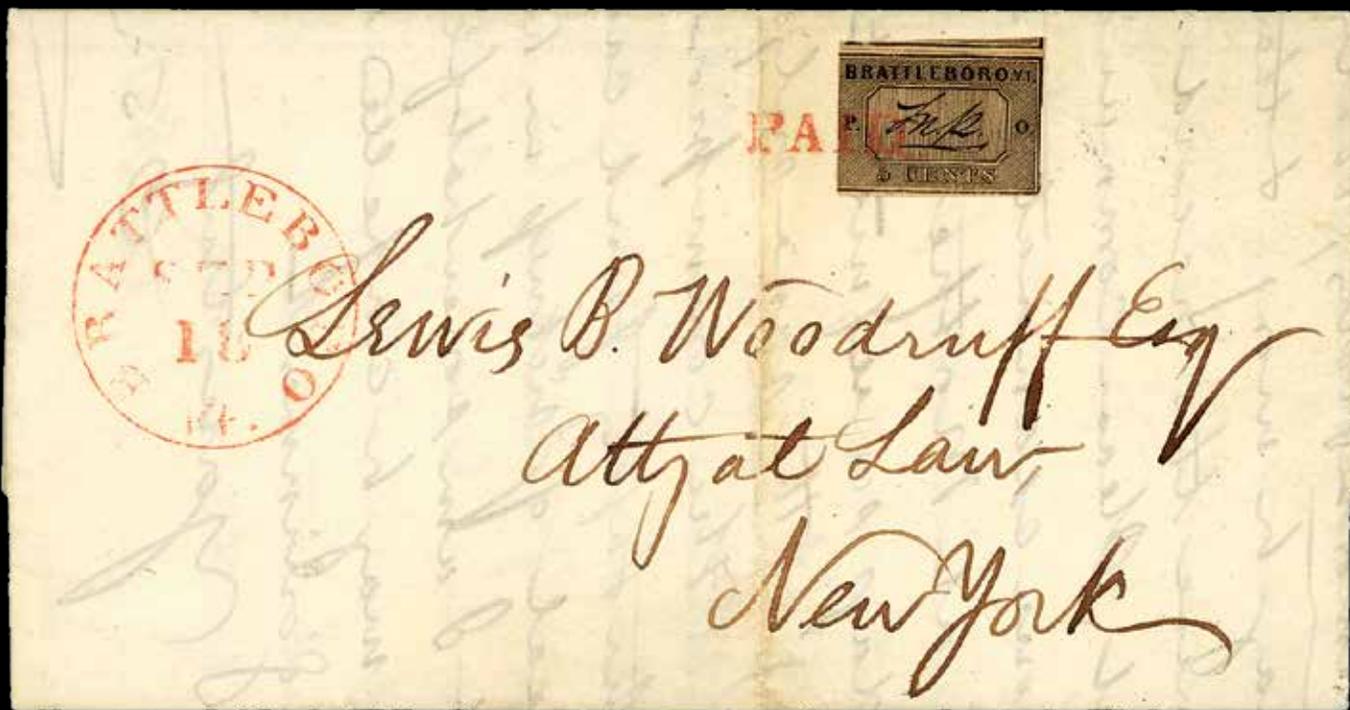
- 2430 **1936-39, Selection of 41 Flight Cachets & On-Board Markings**, all neatly struck on three roughly A4-sized pages, offering both Graf Zeppelin and Hindenburg flights, mostly from 1936-37 in red, violet and black; numerous North America Flight cachets plus Germany Flights, Sudetenland Flight, Olympics Flights, South America Flight, etc.; an attractive group for the Zeppelin enthusiast, Very Fine. (photo on web site) Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

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**UNITED STATES**  
**POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS**  
**SCARCE BRATTLEBORO, VT. 5¢ POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL (SCOTT #5X1)**

2431 ☒

**Brattleboro, Vt., 1846, 5¢ black on buff (Scott 5X1)**, position 8, huge top margin with part of adjacent stamp including dividing line, full margin at bottom including traces of “Engd. by Thos. Chubbuck, Bratto.” imprint, ample to slightly in at sides, tied by red “Paid” straightline, red “Brattleboro Vt. Sep. 18” circular datestamp at left center, on 1846 folded letter to attorney Lewis B. Woodruff in New York City, central vertical file fold clear of stamp, legal matter content, Very Fine and scarce, the census on the U.S. Philatelic Classics Society website lists and illustrates 34 used stamps off cover, 2 used stamps on pieces of envelopes, and 20 stamps on 19 covers. Of the 11 positions, there are 6 known examples of position 8 —only position with an imprint — 3 stamps and 3 covers, including another to Lewis Woodruff, which was last sold in the Bill Gross sale in 2018 for \$21,000 hammer, ex Hatfield and Bingham, with 1968 & 2001 P.F. certificates. Scott \$17,500. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000



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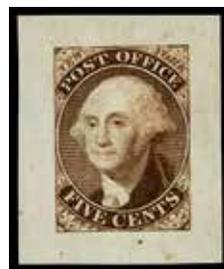
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- 2432 (★) New York, N.Y., 1846, 5¢ black on bluish, signed “ACM” connected (Scott 9X1), unused without gum, face-fresh with crisp detail in clean color, well centered with nicely balanced margins all around; light diagonal crease top left, tiny corner crease at right, otherwise Very Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2433 (★) New York, N.Y., 1846, 5¢ black on bluish, signed “ACM”, “AC” connected (Scott 9X1a), position 8, unused without gum, with intense color and crisp detail, clear to full margins all around; small toned spot and small thin in top margin, otherwise nearly Very Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2434 ○ New York, N.Y., 1846, 5¢ black on bluish, signed “A.C.M.” (Scott 9X1b), fresh and sound with deep color and clean impression; black manuscript cancel, Very Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$700. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2435 ★ New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ black on bluish, without signature, *reprint* (Scott 9X1e), from plate of nine, position 4, o.g., lightly hinged, sound with immense color depth and four full, balanced margins, Very Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,750 for issued stamp. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2436 ○ New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ black on bluish, without signature (Scott 9X1e), with crisp impression on bright paper, sound and four-margined with black manuscript cancel, Very Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$925. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2437 P New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ dull dark brown, trial color small die proof on bond paper (Scott 9X1TC2s), with dot in “P” of “POST” and scar on neck, measuring 31 x 38mm, cleanly printed and crease-free; minimal light toning in margins noted for accuracy, Extremely Fine to Superb, unpriced in SMQ, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95. Scott \$250. Estimate \$300 - 400

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- 2439 P 1847, 5¢ black brown, trial color large die proof on bond paper (Scott 1TC1bj), immaculate with full, balanced margins capturing cross-hatching surround, Very Fine. Scott \$800. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2440 P 1847, 5¢ black, trial color large die proof on bond paper (Scott 1TC1bk), eye-catching color and clarity on bright white paper, full margins capturing cross-hatching surround; couple areas of extraneous color in surround, one spot in forehead, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$800. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2441 (★) 1847, 5¢ red brown (Scott 1), left margin single, unused without gum, fresh, nearly four-margined example in subdued color; small tear at bottom left, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2442 ▲ 1847, 5¢ red brown (Scott 1), just four-margined example with strong color and blue “2”-in-circle cancel; tiny flaws at bottom, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$565. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2443 ☒ **1847, 5¢ red brown (Scott 1)**, horizontal pair with huge margin at right, full at top, ample at left and bottom, each with a red “5” cancel, blue “Baltimore Md. SEP 30” circular datestamp alongside, to Auburn NY, 1850 dateline, letter from uncle to niece opens by acknowledging receipt of her letter reporting her husband’s death and offering sympathy and condolences, page 3 discusses cholera; right stamp with 2 small faults, and while the cover exterior is toned, the contents are not, Fine to Very Fine, see the letter online, with 1993 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,150. Estimate \$300 - 400

2444 ○ **1847, 5¢ red brown (Scott 1)**, dry print variety per certificate, clean and sound with clear margins all around and red numeral “5” cancel, Fine to Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate. Scott \$525. Estimate \$250 - 350

2445 ○ **1847, 5¢ red brown (Scott 1)**, fresh with deep color; margins clear to full all around with black circular grid cancel, Fine to Very Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$500. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2446 ○ **1847, 5¢ red brown (Scott 1)**, richly colored stamp with just-clear to ample margins, sound with fancy “X” cancels, Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$500. Estimate \$250 - 350

2447 ○ **1847, 5¢ red brown (Scott 1)**, bright, four-margined example, sound and clean with blue town postmark, nearly Very Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$250 - 350

2448 ○ **1847, 5¢ red brown (Scott 1)**, clean and sound with full to oversized margins and a neatly struck red circular grid cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,750. Scott \$425. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

2449 ○ **1847, 5¢ orange brown (Scott 1b)**, sound with rich color and clear to full margins, blue “10” in circle cancel lightly struck; small stain (touch of manuscript ink?) at top center noted for accuracy, Fine to Very Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$815. Estimate \$400 - 600

2450 ○ **1847, 5¢ orange brown (Scott 1b)**, massive margins at left and bottom with barest trace of top frameline of adjacent stamp at bottom, full margins at top and right, red grid cancel, fresh color on nicely blued paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$675. Estimate \$400 - 600

2451 ○ **1847, 10¢ black (Scott 2)**, clean four-margined example, sound with bold color and sharp detail; light red circular grid cancel; couple small pen strokes at top left, Very Fine. Scott \$850. Estimate \$500 - 750



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**ST. LOUIS 10¢ BEARS (SCOTT #11X2) ON COVER****2438** 

**St. Louis, Mo., 1845, 10¢ black on greenish (Scott 11X2)**, Type III, Position 6, full to large margins at top and sides, ample at bottom, tied by well struck red “St. Louis Jan. 12” circular datestamp, red “PAID” straightline and manuscript “10”. on 1846 folded letter to Charnley & Whelen of Philadelphia, Extremely Fine, number 45 in the Faiman census, and is #21134 in the census on the U.S. Philatelic Classics Society website that lists and illustrates 51 solo use covers, was lot 3 in the the H.R. Harmer Dec. 13, 1848 auction of the original find of the Charnley & Whelen correspondence, with 2014 P.F. and Pascal Scheller certificates. Scott \$14,000. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000



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**1851 ISSUE**  
**ATTRACTIVE 1851 1¢ BLUE TYPE I (SCOTT #5)**

- 2458 ○ **1851, 1¢ blue, type I (Scott 5)**, full margins at bottom and right thankfully showing the complete design, into at top and left, well struck 7-bar grid cancel, rich color, sealed internal tear at center and tiny thin spot at upper right, Fine and scarce with 93 used examples known (including on cover). Scott footnote reads, *“Values for No. 5 are for examples with margins touching or cutting slightly into the design, or for examples with four margins and minor faults. Very few sound examples with the design untouched exist, and these sell for much more than the values shown.”*, ex Jefferys and Frese, with 1957 and 2011 P.F. certificates. Scott \$45,000. Estimate \$20,000 - 30,000

(photo on front cover)



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- 2452 ○ 1847, 10¢ black (Scott 2), eye-catching with intense color and razor-sharp detail, solidly centered on bright paper with faint red grid cancel, Very Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$850. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2453 ○ 1847, 10¢ black (Scott 2), large margins at top and right, full to large at bottom, ample to full at left, tied by red grid in circle cancel, on folded lettersheet addressed to D.S. Brown & Co. of Philadelphia, red “Cincinnati O. Aug. 11 10” integral rate circular datestamp at top right, no contents but docketed Aug. 11th 1847, stamp with a couple of faults only visible under high magnification, still Very Fine to Extremely Fine, This is a known 10¢ 1847 correspondence, with 2003 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2454 ○ 1847, 10¢ black (Scott 2), pen cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

## 1875 REPRODUCTIONS OF THE 1847 ISSUE

- 2455 (★) 1847 (1875 Reproduction), 5¢ red brown (Scott 3), 3 full margins, close at bottom, rich color, without gum as issued, Very Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2456 P 1847 (1875 Reproduction), 10¢ scarlet, “Atlanta” trial color plate proof on card (Scott 4TC4b), pair, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$900. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2457 (★) 1847 (1875 Reproduction), 10¢ black (Scott 4), without gum as issued, full to large margins all around, lovely dark charcoal color, Very Fine to Extremely Fine and very attractive, with 2004 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2459 ○ **1851, 1¢ blue, type Ib (Scott 5A)**, pos. 3R1E, large even margins all around, rich color, well struck and nearly complete 7-bar grid in circle cancel; horizontal crease ending in a tiny tear and a small diagonal crease at bottom left, otherwise Extremely Fine, Scott footnote reads, “Values for No. 5A are for sound examples with margins just clear or just touching the design on one or two sides. Examples with margins well clear of the design all around are scarce and will sell for more than the values shown.”, with 2007 P.F. certificate. Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000
- 2460 ○ **1851, 1¢ blue, type Ia (Scott 6)**, large even margins all around, deep dark color, blue circular date stamp; light stain at upper right and diagonal crease at bottom right, lovely Extremely Fine appearance, the blue cancel adds \$300 to the catalog value, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$9,550. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000
- 2461 ○ **1851, 1¢ blue, type IIIa (Scott 8A)**, large margin at bottom right to clear at left, 7 bar grid in circle cancel, fresh color on bright white paper; miniscule corner crease at bottom left barely shows when drying, lovely Very Fine appearance, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$750. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2462 ★ **1852, 1¢ blue, type IV (Scott 9)**, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh w strong color and clean impression w full to large margins clear of design, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$1,200. Scott \$725. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2463 ○ **1852, 1¢ blue, type IV (Scott 9)**, fresh and sound with solid color, bright paper, and full to oversized margins showing all ornaments; light, unobtrusive circular black cancel, Superb, with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$1,200. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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- 2464 ★ **1851, 3¢ orange brown, type II (Scott 10A)**, o.g., very lightly hinged, with intense color and clean detail, sound with partial right selvage and margins clear all around (close at top and bottom); difficult to find this pretty with gum, Very Fine, only seven o.g. and one never hinged examples recorded in PSE's Population Report, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$3,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2465 ○ **1852, 3¢ dull red, type II (Scott 11A)**, fresh and clean with bright color, clear impression, and jumbo margins all around; three partial New Orleans postmarks, Superb, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ **SUP 98J**; \$675. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2466 ○ **1856, 5¢ red brown (Scott 12)**, crisply printed in bright color on matching paper sporting large, balanced margins, cancels unobtrusive; toned spot at right, still Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$750. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2467 ○ 1856, 5¢ red brown (Scott 12), looking like it was printed yesterday, Post Office fresh and sound with clear to full margins and a lightly struck c.d.s., Very Fine, signed A. Brun, E. Diena, with Diena's 1984 certificate, plus 2025 P.S.E. graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80; \$700. Scott \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2468 ○ 1856, 5¢ red brown (Scott 12), fresh with appealing color and detail on bright paper, margins clear to large all around, the New Orleans postmark face-free, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1982 P.F. certificate. Scott \$750. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2469 (★) 1855, 10¢ green, type I (Scott 13), unused without gum, sound with intense color on glowing white paper; three margins clear to oversized, bottom angled and just nicking design at right, Fine to Very Fine, with 1979 P.F. certificate. Scott \$9,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2470 ○ 1855, 10¢ green, type I (Scott 13), right margin horizontal pair, positions 99-100L., pen cancels, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85 for strip. Scott \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2471 ○ 1855, 10¢ green, type II (Scott 14), horizontal pair, position 63-64L; right stamp very light vertical crease, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded XF 90 for pair. SMQ XF 90; \$600. Scott \$310. Estimate \$400 - 600



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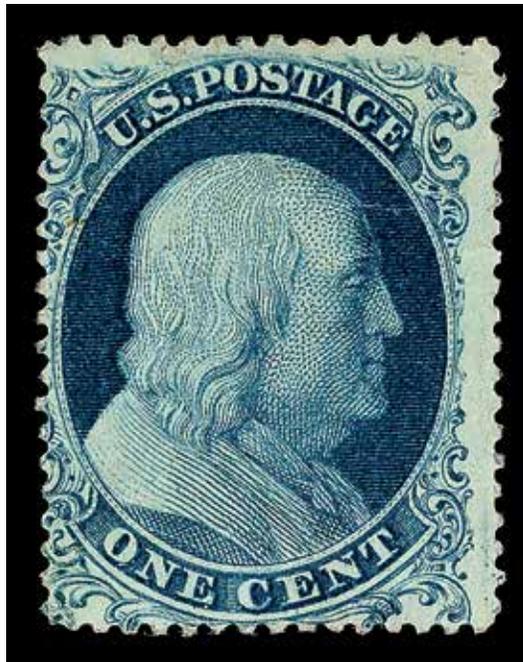


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- 2472 E 1851, 12¢ Washington essay, by Toppan, Carpenter, Casilear & Co., in brown violet (Scott 17-E2), die on India of almost complete design, bright and fresh with margins clear all around, Extremely Fine. Brazer 36E-B. Scott \$900. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2473 ○ 1851, 12¢ gray black (Scott 17), Post Office fresh with razor-sharp detail and large balanced margins; pen cancel removed, trace of red numeral "19" credit marking at bottom right, Superb, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$260. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

## 1857 ISSUE

- 2474 ○ 1861, 1¢ blue, type I (Scott 18), attractive stamp with bright color on matching paper, sound with partial Philadelphia postmarks, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$500. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2475 (★) **1857, 1¢ blue, type Ia (Scott 19)**, unused without gum, in proof-like color and clarity on bright, fresh paper; heavy horizontal crease at upper right, tear at right edge, otherwise Fine, a difficult stamp in any condition, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$20,000. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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- 2476 ○ **1857, 1¢ blue, type Ia (Scott 19)**, pos. 99L4, **design clear at left**, deep rich plate 4 color, bold circular datestamp (possibly New Haven Jan. 1); corner creases and small margin tears, Fine appearance(as usual; valued by Scott as fine), Scott footnote “Examples of this stamp exist with perforations not touching the design at any point. Such examples command very high prices. Type Ia comes from only the bottom row of both panes of Plate 4.”, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$10,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

- 2477 ○ **1857, 1¢ blue, type Ia (Scott 19)**, eye-catching with immense color depth and crisp detail, on fresh and sound paper with manuscript “X” cancel; q, Very Good to Fine, with 2023 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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- 2478 ○ 1857, 1¢ blue, types Ic & IIIa (Scott 19b,22), vertical pair, #19b top stamp, #22 bottom, positions 49 & 59L4, fresh with intense color and clear impression, centered to show full ornaments, each with light face-free manuscript cancel; tiny corner crease and short perforation at upper right of top stamp, otherwise Very Fine, unpriced (dashed) in Scott, with 1977 P.F. (clear) and 2025 P.S.E. certificates. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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- 2479 ★ 1857, 1¢ blue, type II (Scott 20), plate 2, position 70R2, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with clean impression in bold color, centered to capture nearly all ornaments fully; light horizontal crease, otherwise Very Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate. Scott \$850. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2480 ○ 1857, 1¢ blue, type III (Scott 21), fabulous dark color and a strong impression on bright paper, cancel at right edge leaves vast majority of the design clearly visible, Very Fine for this notoriously impossible issue. Scott \$1,350. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2481 ○ 1857, 1¢ blue, type IIIa (Scott 22), clean and bright with bold color and crisp lines, essentially face-free red Carrier cancel, Fine to Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2482 ○ 1857, 1¢ blue, type IV (Scott 23), horizontal strip of 3, a pretty item, Post Office fresh and sound with enticing color and centering, "Fall River [MA]" postmark and black circular grid cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, the left stamp even nicer, a rare multiple, with 1998 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,700. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



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- 2483 ○ **1857, 1¢ blue, type V (Scott 24)**, outstanding strike of “PAID” in circle cancel, choice centering, fresh color, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$350. Scott \$45. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2484 ★ **1857, 3¢ rose, type I (Scott 25)**, part o.g., crisply printed with deep color, the paper bright and centering solid for this tight-margined issue; faint perforation tip gum soaks visible under magnification noted for accuracy, nearly Very Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2485 ○ **1857, 3¢ rose, type I (Scott 25)**, horizontal strip of 4, a striking piece, with blind weakly punched perforations between positions 3 & 4, cleanly printed in alluring color on fresh paper; punched holes in positions 1, 2 & 4, tear at top right corner of position 2, otherwise Fine as valued in Scott. Scott \$800 as two pairs. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2486 ★田 **1857, 3¢ dull red, type III (Scott 26)**, top left horizontal block of 15, an uncommon large multiple, fresh and bright with full selvage at top and natural straight edge at left, six stamps lightly hinged, others appearing never hinged; damaged corner position 11, vertical gum crease through center column, otherwise Fine or better. Scott \$975 + as singles. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2487 ○ **1858, 5¢ brick red, type I (Scott 27)**, Post Office fresh with rich, bright color and crystal-clear impression, sound with superior centering and black circular grid cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2007 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$3,000. Scott \$1,450. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2488 (★) **1857, 5¢ red brown, type I (Scott 28)**, regummed, face-fresh with vivid, multi-toned color, sharp detail, and bright white paper; top right corner perf creased (repaired?) and small thins at left, neither called on accompanying certificate, Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$15,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



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- 2489 ○ **1857, 5¢ red brown, type I (Scott 28)**, sound with warm color and attractive centering with single-stroke pen cancel, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2490 ○ **1857, 5¢ red brown, type I (Scott 28)**, rich color on bright paper, choice centering, face free cancel at top left; tiny corner creases, Extremely Fine appearance, with 2004 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2491 ○ **1858, 5¢ Indian red, type I (Scott 28A)**, centered to bottom left, 1859 New Orleans circular datestamp, deep shade; faint crease at bottom, Fine, was sold as the bottom stamp in a vertical strip of 3 on piece of a cover to France, with 2005 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2492 ○ **1857, 10¢ green, type I (Scott 31)**, fresh with rich color on bright paper and unobtrusive red grid cancel; corner crease at bottom left, otherwise Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2493 ○ **1857, 10¢ green, type II (Scott 32)**, pair, #32 type II/#34 type IV pair positions 75-76L., blue Baltimore cds., Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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- 2494 ○ **1857, 12¢ black, plate I (Scott 36)**, pair, positions 65-66R, red grid cancels & blue 'PAID' transit cancel, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$1,280. Scott \$780. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2495 ★ **1860, 24¢ gray lilac (Scott 37)**, disturbed o.g., attractive with bold, rich color and clean impression, sound with alluring centering, Very Fine, with 2007 A.P.S. certificate. Scott \$1,450. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2496 ★ **1860, 24¢ gray lilac (Scott 37)**, o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with clean color and detail, the perforations clear of the design all around; weakly attached bottom right perforation tip noted for accuracy, otherwise Very Fine, with 1997 P.F. and 2016 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$1,450. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2497 ○ **1860, 24¢ gray lilac (Scott 37)**, with proof-like color and clarity, well centered with wide margins and a striking deep red grid cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, a beautiful example, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$465. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2498 P **1860, 30¢ black, trial color plate proof on India paper (Scott 38TC3a)**, large margin at left and full margins right and bottom, barely touching at top left, stunning dark color, Very Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2499 P **1860, 30¢ orange, large die proof on India paper (Scott 38P1)**, 43 x 45mm, bright color on fresh white paper, Very Fine, unpriced in Scott, *only 6 different examples have been offered on Stamp Auction Network since 1998, including this one*, with 1976 P.F. certificate. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2500 ★ **1860, 30¢ orange (Scott 38)**, o.g., lightly hinged, striking with attention-grabbing intense color, clear detail, and pristine paper, Very Fine and select, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2501 ○ **1860, 30¢ orange (Scott 38)**, nicely centered and sound, with deep, bold color and full red circular grid cancel; big margins and full perforations add to the allure, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1998 P.F. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2502 ★ **1860, 90¢ blue (Scott 39)**, disturbed o.g., Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded F-VF 75. SMQ **F-VF 75**; \$2,250. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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- 2503 ★ **1860, 90¢ blue (Scott 39)**, o.g., hinged, clean and sound with attractive centering and commanding color; a pretty stamp, Very Fine, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$3,250. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2504 (★) **1860, 90¢ blue (Scott 39)**, unused without gum, intense color on fresh paper with full perms all around, Fine. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$400 - 600

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1875 REPRINTS OF THE 1857 ISSUE



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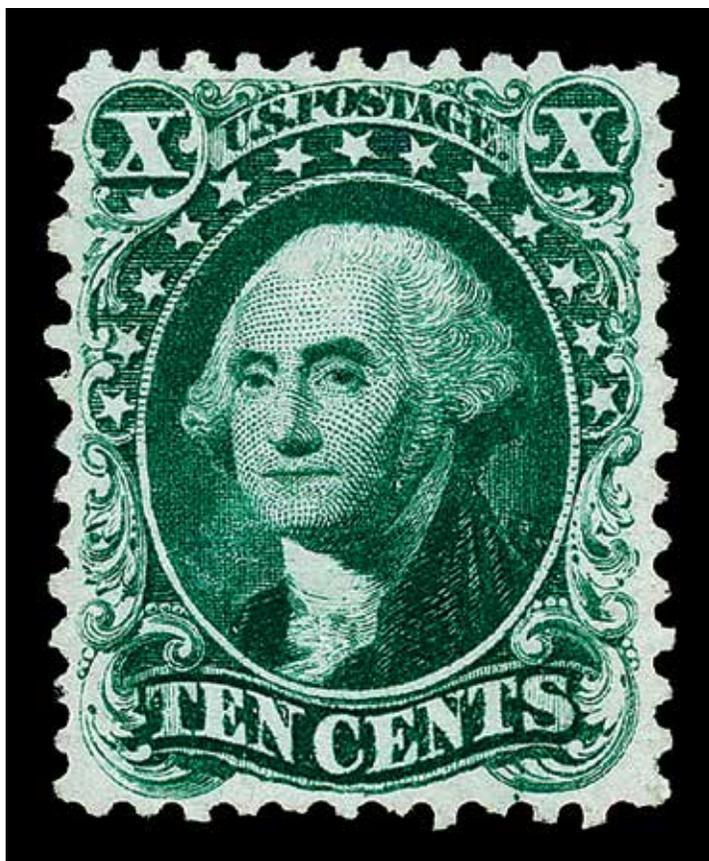
- 2505 P      **1857-60 (1875 Reprints), 1¢ to 90¢ complete, “Roosevelt” small die proofs on white wove paper (Scott 40P2-47P2),** a lovely set, all radiantly bright less a slightly oxidized 30¢, all evenly margined and still on album page cut-out, Very Fine, ex Klein. Scott \$2,800. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2506 (★)      **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 1¢ bright blue (Scott 40),** without gum as issued, gorgeous color on bright crisp paper, incredibly well c==q, Extremely Fine, *only 3,846 sold*, with 1988 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,000. Scott \$650. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2507 (★)      **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 3¢ scarlet (Scott 41),** without gum as issued, usually when there is a huge margin on one side, the perfs on the opposite side are either just touching or into the design, because this is an unusually large example, this is not the case for this stamp, plus the color is outstanding, Fine, *only 479 sold*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2508 (★)      **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 5¢ orange brown (Scott 42),** without gum as issued, gorgeous color, reperfed at right to appear Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 878 sold*, with photocopy of 1998 P.F. certificate for pair this being the right stamp. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2509 (★)      **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 10¢ blue green (Scott 43),** without gum as issued, immaculate with bold color and design on bright white paper, Fine to Very Fine, *only 516 sold*, with 1986 P.F. and 2026 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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**1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 10¢ blue green (Scott 43)**, without gum as issued, deep shade and proof-quality impression on lily white paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, The PSE Population Report notes 5 graded VF-XF 85, 2 XF 90 and 1 XF-S 95. That's it. If not for the shorter perf, this would grade higher., *only 516 sold*, 2000 P.F. & 1992 & 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the first 2 are clean and the last is graded VF-XF 85 and notes a shorter perf at the top right. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$5,500. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

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- 2511 (★) **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 12¢ greenish black (Scott 44)**, without gum as issued, beautiful deep charcoal color and highly detailed impression, well centered with wide margins at sides, Very Fine, *only 489 sold*, with 1980 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2512 (★) **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 24¢ blackish violet (Scott 45)**, without gum as issued, choice centering, lovely shade on crisp bright paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 479 sold*, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,250. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500
- 2513 (★) **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 30¢ yellow orange (Scott 46)**, without gum as issued, intense color, exceptionally fresh, Very Fine for this very challenging issue to find well centered and sound, *only 480 sold*, with 1998 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$3,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2514 (★) **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 30¢ yellow orange (Scott 46)**, without gum as issued, appearing like new with rich, unblemished color; reperfored at right, Fine, *only 480 sold*, with 2009 A.P.S. (clear) and 2026 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$3,250. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2515 (★) **1857-60 (1875 Reprint), 90¢ deep blue (Scott 47)**, without gum as issued, dark color, choice centering, Very Fine and very attractive, *only 454 sold*, with 1980 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

## 1861 PREMIERE GRAVURES



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- 2516 ★ **1861, 3¢ brown rose, First Design (Scott 56)**, now catalogued as #65-E15h, on stamp paper, gummed and perforated, o.g., hinged, a gorgeous example with rich, bright color on like-new paper, sound and well centered; nibbed perforation at bottom left, Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2517 ★ **1861, 3¢ brown rose, First Design (Scott 56)**, now catalogued as #65-E15h, o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with bold color, sound with superior centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, a lovely stamp, with 1997 P.F. certificate (stating Never Hinged) and 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2518 ○ **1861, 10¢ dark green, First Design (Scott 62B)**, target cancel, stunning dark color and proof like impression; tiny perf crease at upper right, handsome Very Fine appearance, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate graded VG 50. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

## 1861-1866 ISSUE

- 2519 ○ **1861, 3¢ pink (Scott 64)**, bright color nicely contrasted by the well struck blue "Cheektowaga N.Y. Nov. 2?" circular datestamp, Very Fine stamp and strike, While Cheektowaga is a healthy stamp collecting town, we don't recall ever having seen a Cheektowaga cancel this old before, with 20040 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 2520 P **1861, 3¢ rose, proof on stamp paper (Scott 65P5)**, horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh with intense color and sharp detail, margins full and balanced; left stamp with tiny tear at top left (not bottom left as on certificate), otherwise Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2521 ★ **1861, 3¢ lake (Scott 66)**, o.g., lightly hinged, lovely unmistakable lake shade, on crisp paper with long full perfs all around, Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2522 ○ **1861, 5¢ brown yellow (Scott 67a)**, deep color, red circular datestamp cancel, fresh and Fine, with 2004 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$1,160. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2523 ○ **1861, 5¢ olive yellow (Scott 67b)**, fresh-faced with alluring color; black "X" and red manuscript cancels (the latter appearing to read "Kans. U. 12/6", the University opened in 1866; could be worth further research); top right corner repaired; reperfored at left and top, Fine appearance, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$4,850. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2524 ○ **1861, 5¢ olive yellow (Scott 67b)**, fresh with radiant color on matching paper, nicely centered with red grid cancel; single shortish perforation at bottom (disguised by cancel), long perforation tip at top right with faint crease, Fine to Very Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,910. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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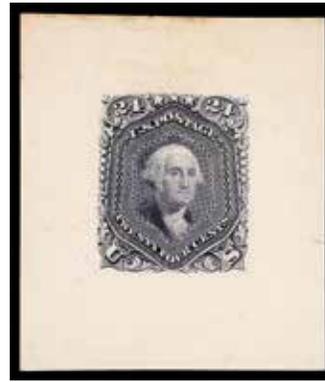


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- 2525 ○ **1861, 5¢ olive yellow (Scott 67b)**, eye-catching in rich, radiant color on fresh paper with light red circular grid cancel; couple shortish perforations (as often) hardly detract, Fine to Very Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,910. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2526 (★) **1861, 12¢ black (Scott 69)**, horizontal strip of 4, unused without gum, bright with crisp detail and fresh color; couple shorter perforations as nearly always, Fine+, a pretty multiple. Scott \$3,000 as singles. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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- 2527 ◯田 **1861, 12¢ black (Scott 69)**, horizontal block of 8, attractive multiple, clean with internal perforations intact; each with lightened manuscript cancel, Fine to Fine to Very Fine, with photocopy of 1998 P.F. certificate for block of 16, these the right half. Scott \$2,200 as two blocks of four. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2528 P **1861, 24¢ gray, trial color large die proof on India paper (Scott 70TC1a)**, 43 x 47mm affixed to card; very faint toning at top edge could easily be trimmed away, Very Fine. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2529 ◯ **1861, 24¢ violet, thin paper (Scott 70c)**, stunning and unquestionably violet color, bright white paper, red grid cancel; small thin spots and small tears, lovely Very Fine appearance, with 2002 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,290. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2530 E **1861, 30¢ Franklin, N.B.N.C. "Premiere Gravure" essay, in black (Scott 71-E2a)**, trial color large die proof on India paper, die sunk on card (formerly No. 61TC1), 54 x 52 mm off card, with die no. "446" and "National Bank Note Co." imprint at bottom, Very Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2531 ◯ **1861, 90¢ blue (Scott 72)**, exceptionally well centered and sharp impression, face free small geometric cancel at bottom right, fresh paper with long perms all around, Extremely Fine a wonderful stamp in every possible respect, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate. Scott \$625. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2532 ◯ **1863, 2¢ black (Scott 73)**, wonderfully centered with clean lines in crisp color, sound with largely face-free segmented cork cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$75. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2533 ★★/★田 1863, 2¢ black (Scott 73), horizontal block of 12, fresh and clean with flawless impression and attractive centering; positions 2-5 never hinged, others lightly, Fine to Very Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate for block of 18, these the lower two rows. Scott \$8,250 as three blocks. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

2534 ★ 1861, 3¢ scarlet (Scott 74), o.g., previously hinged, vivid color, centered to bottom right; tiny thin spot at left, Fine and fresh appearing example of this highly sought after stamp, which appears on the market generally once or twice each year. Scott \$7,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

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2535 ★ 1862, 5¢ red brown (Scott 75), o.g., hinged, face-fresh with bold color and clean impression; thin spot at top, Fine, with 1994 P.F. certificate. Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

2536 ○ 1862, 5¢ red brown (Scott 75), with sharp detail in rich, luxuriant color and showing frameline all around the design; neat Philadelphia c.d.s., Extremely Fine. A true condition rarity, worthy of placement in the finest collection, *only seven 95s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1998 P.F. and 2013 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,000. Scott \$425. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2537 ○ 1866, 15¢ black (Scott 77), Post Office fresh with crisp detail on clean paper, sound with segmented cork cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$500. Scott \$225. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2538 ○ 1863, 24¢ lilac (Scott 78), immaculate with strong color, clean impression, and bold circle-of-wedges cancel, Extremely Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$425. Estimate \$600 - 800

### 1867 GRILLED ISSUE

- 2539 ○ 1867, 2¢ black, D. grill (Scott 84), dark color, strong and complete grill impression, target cancel, Very Good to Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

- 2540 (★) 1867, 3¢ rose, D. grill (Scott 85), unused without gum, with subdued color on bright paper with face-visible grill; corner crease and perforation faults at lower right, Fine appearance, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2541 ☒ 1867, 3¢ rose, D. grill (Scott 85), boldly colored and grilled example with quartered cork cancel, on orange cover to Windsor, Broome Co, N.Y.; stamp with small perforation faults, the cover with normal edge wear for age; manuscript-dated "Sept. 30" postmark (illegible; consignor's hand-written notes include "Banks Division"), Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2542 ○ 1867, 3¢ rose, D. grill (Scott 85), small part of blue circle of wedges cancel leaves face and vast majority of design unobscured, strong and complete grill impression, Fine, there is a \$50 premium for a blue cancel, with 2001 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2543 ○ 1867, 3¢ rose, D. grill (Scott 85), fresh and sound with bold color, strong grill impression, and enticing rosette duplex cancel, Extremely Fine, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.F., 2011 P.S.E. and 2025 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$2,000. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

- 2544 ★ 1867, 2¢ black, Z. grill (Scott 85B), o.g., very lightly hinged, a pretty stamp with refined details in crisp color; paper bright with grill partially visible on face; small toned spots, Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$20,000. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500

- 2545 ○ 1867, 2¢ black, Z. grill (Scott 85B), fresh and clean with strong color and clean detail, the grill faintly face-visible, so lightly cancelled it appears unused, Very Fine, with 2023 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$600 - 800

- 2546 ○ 1867, 3¢ rose, Z. grill (Scott 85C), nearly complete strike of blue target cancel, strong and complete grill impression, good color, Fine and scarce in sound condition, with 1989 and 2004 P.F. certificates. Scott \$3,850. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2547 ○ **1867, 2¢ black, E. grill (Scott 87)**, beautifully centered with clean impression in subdued color, the blue cancel faint at upper right, Extremely Fine, with 1997 and 2019 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$625. Scott \$210. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2548 ★ **1867, 3¢ rose, E. grill (Scott 88)**, o.g., very lightly hinged, fresh and bright with face-visible fully struck grill, Fine to Very Fine, with 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2549 ★ **1867, 10¢ green, E. grill (Scott 89)**, o.g., very lightly hinged, appealing with cool color and clean detail, the grill fully struck and face-visible, three balanced margins, Fine+, with 1999 P.F. and 2020 P.S.A.G. certificates. Scott \$5,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2550 ○ **1867, 12¢ black, E. grill (Scott 90)**, fresh and sound with sharp detail in solid color, pristine paper, and superior centering; red cork cancel adds to the appeal, Extremely Fine, with 1997, 2010 and 2025 P.F. certificates, the last graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,100. Scott \$500. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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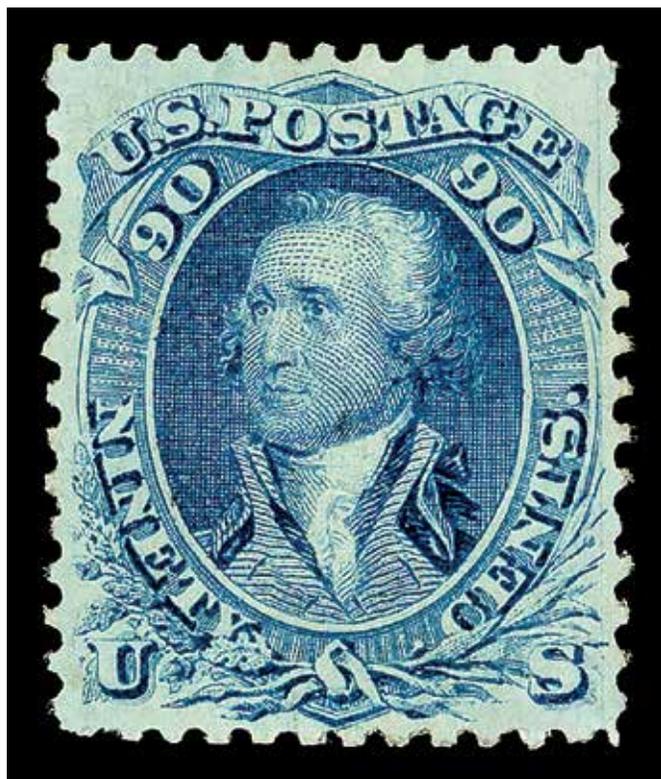
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- 2551 ○ **1867, 1¢ blue, F. grill, very thin paper (Scott 92 var.)**, a simply gorgeous stamp with rich color, pristine paper, outstanding centering and a sharp grill brought into relief by the cork cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$750. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2552 ★ **1867, 10¢ yellow green, F. grill, very thin paper variety (Scott 96 var)**, o.g., lightly hinged, deep dark color and sharp impression on crisp paper, clear grill, Fine and extremely rare sound full original gum example of the very thin paper variety. We recommend and anticipate aggressive bidding because experience taught us that there may not be another example available for a long while, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2553 (★) **1867, 12¢ black, F. grill, very thin paper (Scott 97 var.)**, unused without gum, fresh and sound on bright paper with clean impression, Very Fine, with 2003 A.P.S. and 2005 P.F. certificates. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2554 ○ **1867, 15¢ black, F. grill (Scott 98)**, fresh with solid color and clean detail in superior centering; faint black grid cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$300. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2555 ○ **1867, 15¢ black, F. grill, thin paper (Scott 98 var.)**, enticing variety with proof-like color and detail, Post Office fresh with superior centering and a target cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1996 and 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$650 for normal. Scott \$475. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2556 ○ **1867, 30¢ orange, F. grill (Scott 100)**, with immense color depth and clean lines, sound with a boldly struck fancy cancel, Fine, with 2000 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$350 - 500

**FRESH AND WELL-CENTERED 1867 90¢ F. GRILL (SCOTT #101)**



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**2557 ★** 1867, 90¢ blue, F. grill (Scott 101), small part o.g., clean example with clear grill, crisp color and bright paper; thin bottom right corner perforation unsurprisingly creased, still Very Fine, with photocopy of 1976 P.F. certificate. Scott \$16,000. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

1875 RE-ISSUE OF THE 1861-1866 ISSUE



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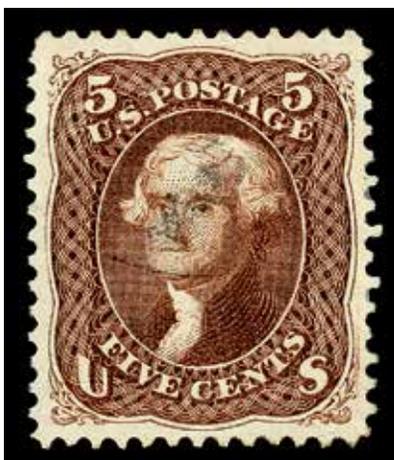


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- 2558 ○ **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 1¢ blue (Scott 102)**, an attention-grabbing stamp with superior color and centering, sound with essentially face-free cancels; barely visible pressed faint horizontal crease at center, still Extremely Fine, *only 3,195 sold*, with 2012 P.S.E. and 2014 P.F. certificates as sound with the latter graded XF 90, and 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$1,750. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2559 (★) **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 5¢ brown (Scott 105)**, unused without gum, fresh and clean with bold color on like-new paper, sound with clear impression, Very Fine, *only 672 sold*, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,150. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2560 (★) **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 5¢ brown (Scott 105)**, unused without gum, attractive with design cleanly printed in solid color, paper fresh with perforations clear all around; bottom left corner detached, Fine appearance, *only 672 sold*, with 1961 P.F. and 2023 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,150. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2561 ○ **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 5¢ brown (Scott 105)**, visually striking with clean impression on bright paper, wonderfully centered and lightly cancelled; 0.5mm tear upper right, 2.5mm tear bottom right, Extremely Fine appearance, *only 672 sold*, with 2020 Crowe and 2025 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$6,500. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000

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- 2562 (★) **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 10¢ green (Scott 106)**, unused without gum, eye-catching with deep, rich color and crisp detail, centered just to left on glowing white paper, Very Fine, *only 451 sold*, with 1991 and 2025 P.F. certificates. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2563 (★) **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 12¢ black (Scott 107)**, unused without gum, Post Office fresh with intense color and crisp detail, in superior centering on pristine paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 389 sold; just one stamp grades thus, with four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1999 and 2025 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$2,500. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2564 ★ **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 24¢ deep violet (Scott 109)**, o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with bold color and clean detail, well centered on like new paper; a lovely stamp, Fine to Very Fine, *only 346 sold*, ex Bianchi, with 1985 P.F. certificate. Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000
- 2565 (★) **1861-66 (1875 Re-issue), 90¢ blue (Scott 111)**, unused without gum, eye-catching with profound color and clean lines on wonderfully bright paper; clipped perforations at top, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, *only 317 sold*, with 1999 A.P.S. and 2026 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

### 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE



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- 2566 ○ **1869, 1¢ buff (Scott 112)**, attractive stamp with intense, rich color and superlative centering; cancel light and raising grill into relief, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,300. Scott Stamp Values \$1,150. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2567 ★ **1869, 2¢ brown, without grill (Scott 113b)**, previously hinged large part o.g., dark color and proof-quality impression, perfectly balanced margins left to right centered to bottom, Fine, in the last 15 years, from 2011 to 2025, there has been an average of 2 opportunities per year to purchase a 113b at auction, *we estimate that 15 singles and a block of 4 exist today*. Scott \$14,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2568 ★★ **1869, 3¢ ultramarine (Scott 114)**, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bold color and impression, grill fully struck, Fine to Very Fine, with 1999 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$225 as o.g. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2569 ★ **1869, 3¢ ultramarine, without grill (Scott 114a)**, slightly disturbed o.g., bright color on fresh white paper, Choice Very Fine and seldom offered this nice, *we believe that 15-20 exist*, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$13,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



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- 2570 ○ **1869, 12¢ green (Scott 117)**, beautifully centered within jumbo margins, dark color and detailed proof quality impression on bright paper with full perfs all around, quartered cork cancel, Extremely Fine, a phenomenal stamp in every respect. SMQ **XF 90J**; \$600. Scott \$130. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2571 ○ **1869, 12¢ green (Scott 117)**, a breathtaking example, sound with intense color and flawless centering; cork cancel leaves vignette fully visible, Superb, *only ten stamps grade thus, with a single 100J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$2,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2572 ○ **1869, 12¢ green, double grill (Scott 117 var.)**, with intense color and bold lines, with nicely balanced margins, black and red cancels, and grill at left and bottom, nearly Very Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate. Scott \$400. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2573 (★) **1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type I (Scott 118)**, regummed per 2025 PSE and o.g., lightly hinged per 1997 P.F., fresh colors with the type I characteristics clearly visible; small internal paper break at top, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, with 1997 P.F. & 2025 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$3,250 (as unused). Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2574 ○ **1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type I (Scott 118)**, with warm color and superior centering; circle-of-Vs cancel brings grill into relief, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,750. Scott \$900. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,300
- 2575 ○ **1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type I, double grill (Scott 118 var.)**, crisply printed with three balanced margins (top wide), traces of red and blue cancels in addition to black cork; doubling of grill clearly visible on back, Very Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,175. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2576 ○ **1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type I (Scott 118)**, lightly canceled, bright colors and sharp impressions, long full perfs all around, Choice Very Fine, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$900. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2577 ★ **1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type I, without grill (Scott 118a)**, o.g., hinge remnant at top, strong colors on fresh paper with even perf tips all around, Fine to Very Fine and very pretty, *The Philatelic Foundation has expertised less than 30 examples of which less than half are sound. Furthermore, our review of sale records shows that a 118a has appeared at auction 19 times in the last 13 years, with a frequency between 0 and 4 times per year*, with 1982 P.F. certificate. Scott \$11,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2578 ○ **1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type II (Scott 119)**, a lovely stamp with warm colors and superior centering, sound with light cork cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate. Scott \$200. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 2579 **1869, 24¢ Declaration of Independence, large numerals, green & reddish lilac trial color plate proof on india (Scott 120TC3a),** block of 4, large even margins all around, beautiful colors; tiny natural inclusion in margin above top right stamp, Extremely Fine, *with the always faulty india paper, this block is a condition rarity.* Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

Unpriced in Scott as a single and block; priced as a plate block at \$6,000.

- 2580 **1869, 24¢ green & violet (Scott 120),** sound with vivid color and clean impression, nicely centered on bright white paper and lightly cancelled, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$675. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2581 **1869, 24¢ green & violet (Scott 120),** fresh with bright frame and intense vignette, lightly cancelled on clean paper; prettier than its grade, Very Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$700. Scott \$675. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2582 **1869, 24¢ green & violet (Scott 120),** fabulous centering with wide balanced margins all around, beautiful colors on clean white paper, complete grill visible on reverse, rosette cancel at top left, Extremely Fine, with 1985 & 2007 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,000. Scott \$675. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2583 **1869, 24¢ green & violet, without grill (Scott 120a),** a gorgeous o.g. previously hinged example with wonderful colors on lily white paper with long even perfs all around, Very Fine for this notoriously challenging issue to find well centered, *our review of the online records of the Philatelic Foundation shows 37 o.g. examples, 22 of which have either gum or condition issues (or both). Our exhaustive review of auction catalogs from 1999 to present has shown that since 1998, between zero and 3 examples have appeared each year at auction.,* with 1971 P.F. certificate. Scott \$10,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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- 2584 **1869, 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 121),** o.g., very lightly hinged, fresh with colors in flawless registry; grill well-struck and lightly visible on face, Very Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000
- 2585 **1869, 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 121),** light cancel, features bright colors on fresh paper and well formed perf tips all around, Extremely Fine and very pretty, with 1986 P.F. certificate. Scott \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2586 **1869, 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 121),** eye-catching with superior color depth and centering, sound and fresh with unobtrusive segmented cork cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$450. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2587 **1869, 30¢ ultramarine & carmine, without grill (Scott 121a),** o.g., previously hinged, intense colors on brilliant white paper; 2 tiny stain spots affecting 3 perf tips and tiny backstamp does not show thru, Fine, with 1985 P.F. certificate. Scott \$8,000. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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2588 ○ **1869, 90¢ carmine & black (Scott 122)**, small cancel leaves much of frame visible, frame with bright color and a razor sharp impression on fresh paper with full even perf tips all around, outstanding centering for this issue, Choice Very Fine and sound, a rare combination as such, with 2008 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2589 ○ **1869, 90¢ carmine & black (Scott 122)**, fresh with luxuriant color and large margins; black cork cancel, Fine to Very Fine, a pleasing stamp, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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2590 ○ **1869, 90¢ carmine & black (Scott 122)**, fresh and sound with rich color and outstanding centering, plus light strike of premium (\$1,000) red cork cancel, Extremely Fine, ex Drs. Dauer, with 2004 and 2008 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$4,500. Scott \$3,100. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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2591 ★ **1869, 90¢ carmine & black, without grill (Scott 122a)**, our review of the online records of the Philatelic Foundation shows 41 o.g. examples, 29 of which have either gum or condition issues (or both) with many of the stamps with clean certificates have not been examined in years. Our stampauctionnetwork records show that since 2011, between zero and 2 examples have appeared each year (except one year where 4 appeared), o.g., couple hinge marks at top, intense colors and proof quality impressions on crisp paper; small diagonal crease at bottom right only shows in fluid, Choice Very Fine for this very difficult issue, with 1975 P.F. certificate generously noting a corner crease. Scott \$22,500. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE, CENTER INVERTED



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1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type II, center inverted (Scott 119b), fresh colors, small cancel at center; single short perf at top right, Fine to Very Fine, *approximately 115 used examples are believed to exist and a mere 15 are verified to be sound*, with 1971 P.F. and 2012 P.S.E. certificates. SMQ \$700. Scott \$27,500. Estimate \$7,500 - 10,000



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**1869, 24¢ green & violet, center inverted (Scott 120b)**, rosette cancel, exceptionally fresh colors and sharp impressions; few slightly blunted perfs at upper right, Fine, *approximately 90 used examples are recorded, including one on cover and a block of 4, of the approximately 85 off cover singles, only 20% are sound*, with 2012 P.F. certificate. Scott \$37,500. Estimate \$8,000 - 12,000



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**A BEAUTIFUL 1869 30¢ PICTORIAL WITH FLAGS INVERTED (SCOTT #121b)**

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**1869, 30¢ ultramarine & carmine, flags inverted (Scott 121b)**, circle-of-wedges cancel, exceptionally well centered within wide even margins; light horizontal crease and small margin repair at left edge, Extremely Fine appearance. *47 known examples—one part o.g., six no gum, and 40 used (38 available with one each in the Miller and Tapling collections), most faulty*, ex Lake Shore, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate; PFC #12170 and a 1997 P.S.E. certificate no longer accompany. SMQ **VG-F 60**; \$60,000 for 50 & 75,000 for 70. Scott \$85,000. Estimate \$30,000 - 40,000

P.S.E.'s population report notes it has examined one example graded 50 (\$60,000), none graded 60 (unpriced), and two graded 70 (\$75,000).

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1875 RE-ISSUE OF THE 1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE



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- 2595 ○            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 1¢ buff (Scott 123)**, pretty stamp with alluring color and clarity, nicely centered with face-free segmented cork cancel, Very Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350
  
- 2596 ○            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 1¢ buff (Scott 123)**, fresh and clean with intense color and clean impression, well-centered with black town and segmented cork cancels, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2024 Crowe certificate. Scott \$425. Estimate \$300 - 400
  
- 2597 ★            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 2¢ brown (Scott 124)**, o.g., hinge remnant at top, beautiful chocolate shade and razor sharp impression on gleaming white paper, Fine, a stunning stamp, *only 4755 sold*. Scott \$600. Estimate \$350 - 500
  
- 2598 (★)            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 3¢ blue (Scott 125)**, regummed, sound with alluring color on glowing white paper; small inclusion/stain below left scroll at bottom (not mentioned on accompanying certificate), Very Fine nonetheless, *only 1406 sold*, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
  
- 2599 (★)            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 3¢ blue (Scott 125)**, regummed, bright blue shade on shiny white paper; small gum soak at top right does not show when the stamp is in your album (neither does the regum by the way), Fine, *only 1406 sold*. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
  
- 2600 ★            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 6¢ blue (Scott 126)**, small part o.g., beautiful blue shade and a proof quality impression, Fine, *only 2226 sold*. Scott \$900 as no gum. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2601 (★)            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 6¢ blue (Scott 126)**, unused without gum, sound and fresh with gorgeous color on immaculate paper, Very Fine, *only 2226 sold*, with 1988 P.F. and 2025 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$900. Estimate \$500 - 750
  
- 2602 ★            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 10¢ yellow (Scott 127)**, o.g., previously hinged, vivid color; reperfed at right and bottom, otherwise Extremely Fine, *only 1947 sold*. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$500 - 600
  
- 2603 (★)            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 10¢ yellow (Scott 127)**, unused without gum, on fresh paper with superior centering and deep color; perforation faults at bottom, otherwise Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only 1927 sold*, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$750. Estimate \$500 - 750
  
- 2604 ★            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 12¢ green (Scott 128)**, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and sound with rich color on pristine paper, nearly Very Fine, *only 1584 sold*, with 1983 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
  
- 2605 (★)            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 12¢ green (Scott 128)**, regummed, face-fresh with intense color and attractive centering; faults; reperforated at right and bottom, Very Fine appearance, *only 1584 sold*, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$400 - 600
  
- 2606 (★)            **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 15¢ brown & blue, type III (Scott 129)**, unused without gum, beautiful deep rich colors, Fine, *only 1981 sold*, with 1990 P.F. certificate. Scott \$700. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 2607 ★ 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 24¢ green & violet (Scott 130), part o.g., attractive example with balanced colors in near-perfect registration and superior centering overall, Extremely Fine, *only 2091 sold*, with 1987 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2608 (★) 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 24¢ green & violet (Scott 130), unused without gum, outstanding colors and highly detailed impressions, notably bright and fresh, Fine, *only 2091 sold*, with 1979 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2609 (★) 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 24¢ green & violet (Scott 130), unused without gum, sound and fresh with bold colors and clean impressions, otherwise Very Fine, *only 2091 sold*, with 1988 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2610 ★ 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 131), o.g., lightly hinged, eye-catching with fresh paper and cleanly printed rich colors; reperforated at left, Very Fine to Extremely Fine appearance, *only 1535 sold*, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2611 (★) 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 131), unused without gum, beautiful colors; small thin, fresh and Fine, *only 1535 sold*, with 2001 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2612 (★) 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 131), regummed, fresh with bold colors flawlessly registered, sound and clean, Fine to Very Fine, *only 1535 sold*, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2613 (★) 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 30¢ ultramarine & carmine (Scott 131), regummed, face-fresh with strong colors on bright paper, all nicely centered; reperforated at left, Fine to Very Fine appearance, *only 1535 sold*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2614 ★ 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 90¢ carmine & black (Scott 132), o.g., lightly hinged, with crisp detail in bold, bright color on pristine paper, sound with clear margins all around, Very Fine, *only 1356 sold*, with 2008 and 2026 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500
- 2615 ★ 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 90¢ carmine & black (Scott 132), small part o.g., fresh colors and proof like impressions, Fine, *only 1356 sold*. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2616 ★ 1869 (1875 Re-issue), 90¢ carmine & black (Scott 132), o.g., lightly hinged, a lovely stamp with rich color and proof-like vignette, bright with clear margins all around; single short perforation at left not noted on either certificate, nearly Very Fine, *only 1356 sold*, with 2006 and 2025 P.F. certificates. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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2617 ★ **1869 (1875 Re-issue), 90¢ carmine & black (Scott 132)**, o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with bright color and strong lines, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, *only 1356 sold*, with 2006 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$7,750. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000

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2618 (★)田 **1869 (1881-82 Re-issue), 1¢ brown orange (Scott 133a), plate block of 4, lower left corner sheet margin block of 4 with plate “No. 33”, fresh and exceptionally well centered; reinforced separation between right stamps, position 4 with a facial thin at right, otherwise Very Fine, with 2024 P.F. certificate. *Very Rare - Scott prices a plate block of 10 at \$24,000!* Scott \$1,850 +++. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500**

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

2619 ★ **1870, 3¢ green, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 136), o.g., lightly hinged, beautiful bright color and a sharp detailed impression with a higher degree of grill visibility than typically found, Very Fine and very pretty. Scott \$575. Estimate \$500 - 750**

2620 ★ **1870, 6¢ carmine, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 137), o.g., lightly hinged, sound with fresh charming color and many grill points showing on face, margins clear all around, Very Fine, with 1990 and 2020 P.F. certificates. Scott \$5,000. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000**

2621 ○ **1870, 12¢ dull violet, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 140), light face free cancel, mostly complete grill impression, Fine, with 1987 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000**

2622 ○ **1870, 12¢ dull violet, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 140), fresh and bright with attractive color and clear margins all around; circle-of-wedges cancel lightly struck, Fine to Very Fine, with 2023 Crowe certificate graded F-VF 75. SMQ F-VF 75; \$2,750. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000**

2623 ○ **1870, 15¢ orange, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 141), wonderfully rich, bright color with solid centering and face-free cork cancel, Very Fine, with 1991 A.P.S. and 2004 P.F. certificates. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500**



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2624 ○ **1870, 15¢ orange, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 141), lightly canceled, brilliant color and a proof quality impression, many visible grill points at bottom; couple very tiny faults invisible to the naked eye. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$350 - 500**



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- 2625 ○ **1870, 24¢ purple, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 142)**, red face free cancel at bottom, exceptionally bright and fresh for this issue, visible grill points, beautifully centered within nicely balanced margins on crisp paper with full even perf tips; light horizontal crease only visible when drying, lovely Extremely Fine appearance, Scott assigns a \$750 premium for red cancels on this issue, with 1997 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$7,250. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000

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- 2626 ○ **1870, 30¢ black, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 143)**, circle of wedges cancel, lovely shade on crisp white paper and clear grill points at bottom; tiny corner perf crease at top right, Fine, with 2003 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2627 ○ **1870, 30¢ black, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 143)**, clean and bright with crisp detail and segmented cork cancels; full perforations all around, Fine to Very Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2628 ○ **1870, 90¢ carmine, H. grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 144)**, sharp proof like impression on bright white paper, many visible grill points, light cancel clear of most of the design; pulled perf at bottom left, otherwise Fine. Scott \$2,350. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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

- 2629 ★ **1870, 6¢ carmine, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 148)**, disturbed o.g., dark color on bright white paper, extremely fine centering with extra wide margins; cert reads "2 or 3 short perfs in the bottom left corner", Very Fine, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80J. SMQ VF 80J; \$1,300. Scott \$950. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2630 (★) **1870, 24¢ purple, without grill, N.B.N.C. printing (Scott 153)**, unused without gum; 2 short perfs at bottom, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$800. Estimate \$600 - 800

1879 AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE, SOFT PAPER



- 2631 ★★** 1879, 1¢ dark ultramarine, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 182), o.g., never hinged, striking with rich color and sharp impression, on immaculate paper with margins clear all around, nearly Very Fine, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$700. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2632 ★田** 1879, 1¢ dark ultramarine, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 182), block of 4, slightly disturbed o.g., Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate for block. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2633 ★** 1879, 6¢ pink, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 186), o.g., very lightly hinged, with superior centering, cleanly printed in cool shade, tiny corner crease at bottom left, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2005 (clear) & 2025 P.F. certificates. Scott \$900. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2634 ★** 1879, 90¢ carmine, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott 191), o.g., lightly hinged, clearly printed with intense color on pristine paper, sound with superior centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only two stamps grade thus, with six higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1984 and 2025 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$3,000. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

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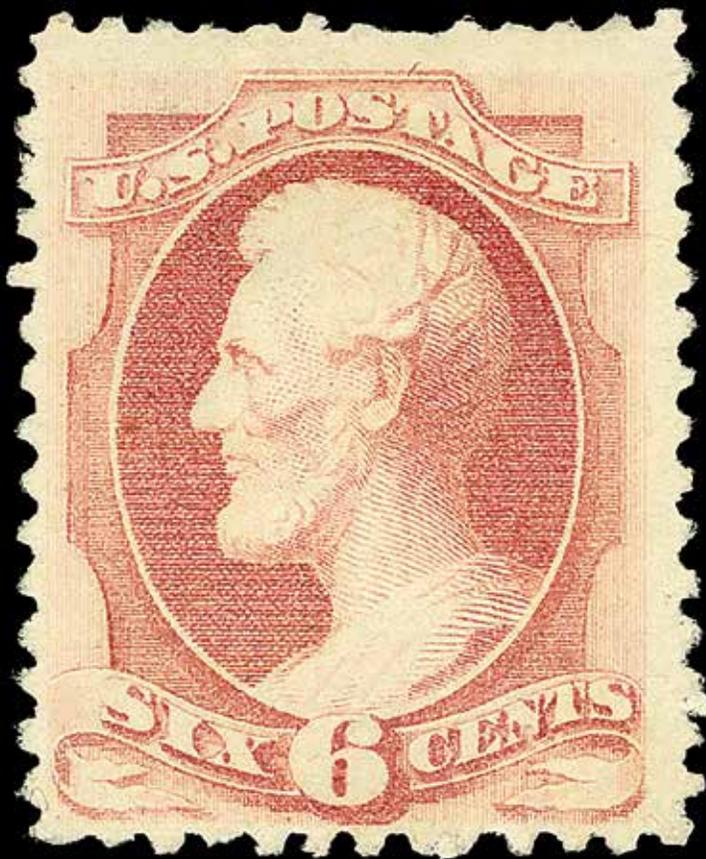
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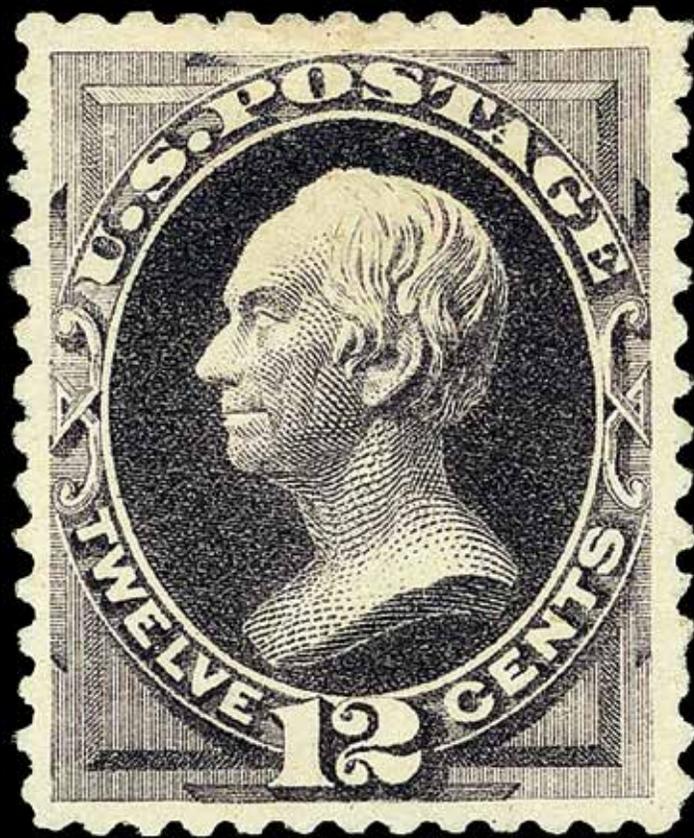
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## 1880-1882 SPECIAL PRINTINGS OF THE 1879 & 1882 ABNC ISSUE SOFT PAPER

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**1880, 6¢ dull rose, A.B.N.C. “Soft Paper” Special Printing (Scott 195)**, without gum as issued, bright and fresh, well-centered for this notoriously challenging and scarce issue; couple short perfs at bottom not noted on certificate per PF’s policy, couple tiny thin spots, Very Fine, *a mere 30 examples are known to exist, many of which have centering and faults comparable to this example. Only 28 are in collections with one each in the Miller and Luff collections (the online census — #6 & #28 are the same stamp, and this stamp is inexplicably no longer shown in the census)*, ex Newport (who purchased the stamp in a Stampazine auction, probably in the late 1960’s or early 1970’s), with 1962 and 2008 P.F. certificates, the latter noting tiny thin spots. Scott \$45,000. Estimate \$25,000 - 35,000

A total of 185 6¢ Special Printings, both Hard and Soft Papers, were sold.



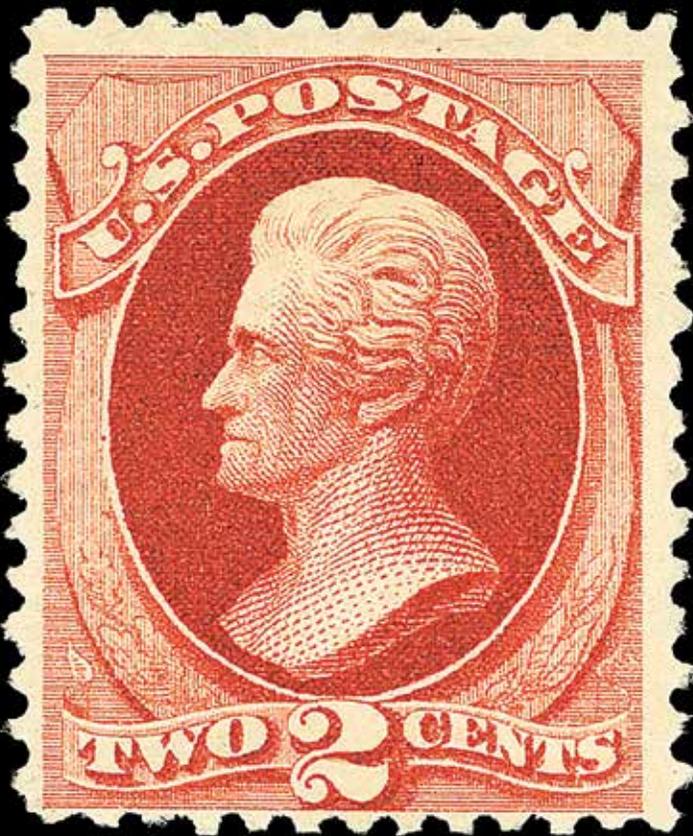
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**A SUPERIOR 12¢ ABNC “SOFT PAPER” SPECIAL PRINTING (SCOTT #198)**

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**1880, 12¢ blackish purple, A.B.N.C. “Soft Paper” Special Printing (Scott 198)**, without gum as issued, a gorgeous stamp with proof-like color and presentation along with distinguished centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only two stamps grade thus, with just four higher (two each 90 & 95) in PSE’s Population Report*, with 1986 P.F., 1997 P.F. and 2024 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$16,000. Scott \$9,000. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000

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**1880 2¢ “SOFT PAPER” SPECIAL PRINTING (SCOTT #203):  
ONE OF 15 KNOWN SOUND EXAMPLES**

- 2637 (★) **1880, 2¢ scarlet vermilion, A.B.N.C. “Soft Paper” Special Printing (Scott 203)**, without gum as issued, characteristic bold color on fresh bright white paper, completely sound, Choice Very Fine for this often “centered to bottom” issue, *20 examples (15 sound) are known to exist and all have been certified by the P.F., one of which is in the Miller collection and not available*, ex-Lessin & McCarthy, with 1948 and 2002 P.F. certificates. Scott \$80,000. Estimate \$50,000 - 60,000

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



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- 2638 P田 **1882, 5¢ carmine lake, trial color plate proof on India paper (Scott 205TC3b)**, block of 4, the India on card cut to size, sound with enticing color and razor-sharp detail, nicely margined; slight oxidation at top, otherwise Very Fine, *very rare*. Scott \$900 as singles. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2639 ★★ **1881, 1¢ gray blue, re-engraved (Scott 206)**, well-centered, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2640 ★★ **1882, 10¢ brown, re-engraved (Scott 209)**, o.g., never hinged, cleanly printed in deep color, sound and attractive, Very Fine, with 2020 P.S.A.G. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$475. Scott \$525. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 2641 ★★/★田 **1883, 2¢ red brown (Scott 210)**, top right corner margin horizontal block of 15 with part imprint, an uncommon survivor, fresh with immaculate color and gum, lightly hinged position 3, *all others never hinged*; sealed separations in top selvage between positions 1 & 2, otherwise intact, Fine to Very Fine or better, with 1989 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,935 as singles. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

## 1887 AMERICAN BANK NOTE CO. ISSUE

- 2642 ★★ **1887, 3¢ vermilion (Scott 214)**, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with vivacious color and clear detail, sound and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$475. Scott \$190. Estimate \$350 - 500

1890-1893 SMALL BANK NOTES ISSUE



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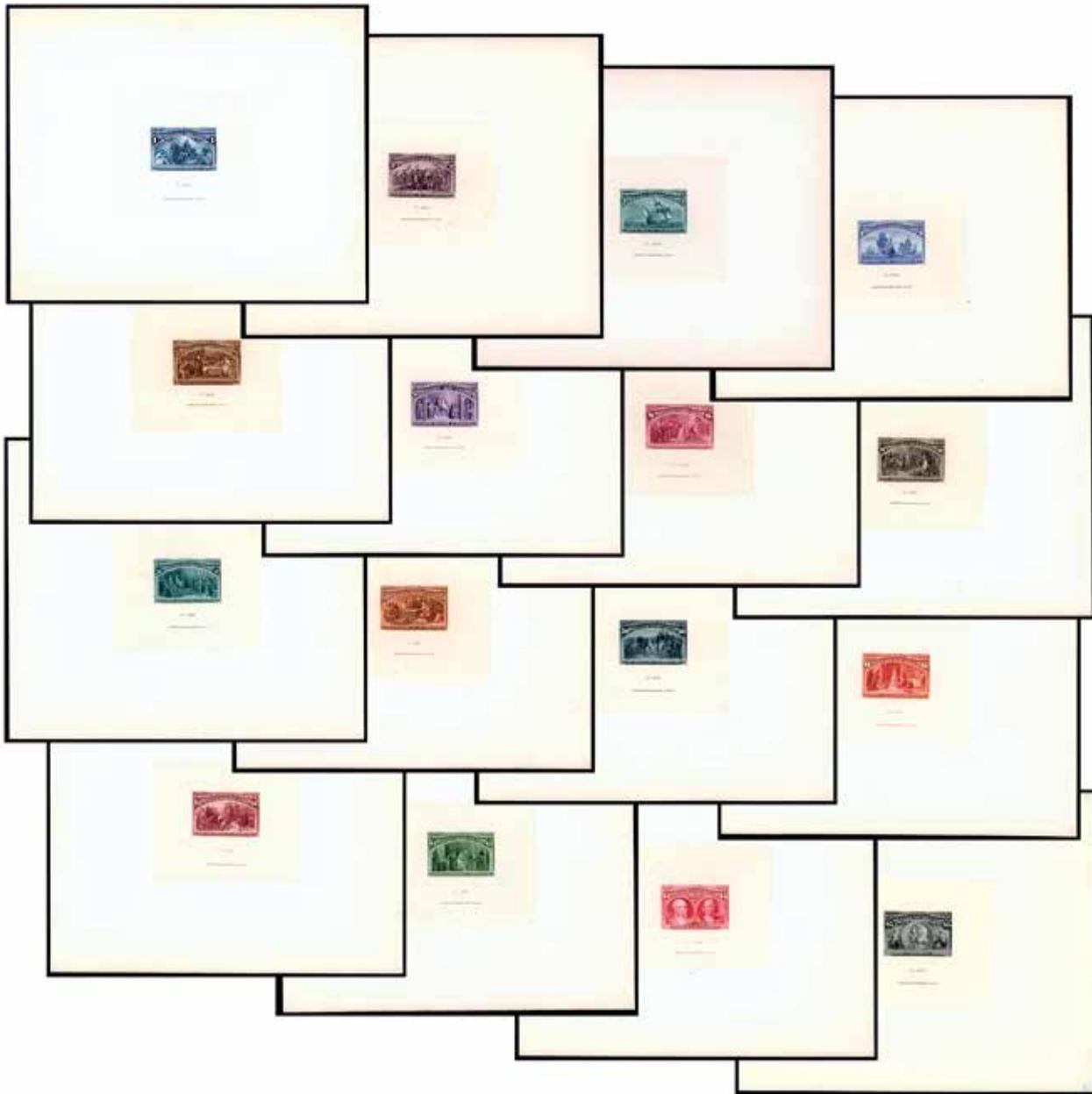
- 2643 ★★田 **1890, 2¢ lake (Scott 219D)**, block of 4, o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous block, sound and fresh with deep, bold color and clean impression, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$4,400 as singles. Scott \$2,300 as singles. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000
- 2644 ○ **1890, 2¢ carmine, cap on both “2’s” (Scott 220c)**, duplex cancel, nearly perfectly centered with balanced margins on bright white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$500. Scott \$35. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2645 ★★ **1890, 6¢ brown red (Scott 224)**, o.g., never hinged, face-fresh with near-perfect color, clarity and centering; two spots of offset on gum, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1993 P.F. (block of four, this position 3) and 2012 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,750. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2646 ★ **1890, 6¢ brown red (Scott 224)**, o.g., barest trace of hinge (appears never hinged), beautifully centered and rich color, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$295. Scott \$180. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2647 ★★ **1890, 15¢ indigo (Scott 227)**, o.g., never hinged, pristine with proof-like impression well centered amid oversized margins, Very Fine+, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$625. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 2648 ★ **1890, 30¢ black (Scott 228)**, Crisp balanced margins, the SMQ doesn't currently list a price for this grade, but if we look at the two closest grades of 95 and 98, we know that the price should fall somewhere between \$1,000 and \$2,350, o.g., previously hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J and 2010 P.F. certificate. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500

**1893 COLUMBIAN ISSUE**  
**AN EXQUISITE SET OF COLUMBIAN LARGE DIE PROOFS (SCOTT #230P1-245P1)**



**EX 2649**

**2649 P** **1893, Columbians complete, large die proofs, die sunk on card (Scott 230P1-245P1)**, as fresh as one could hope for, each in exquisite color and razor-sharp detail, *with die number (C-261 to C-266, C-302, C267 to C275) and American Bank Note Company imprint below*; India (74 x 63mm) die-sunk on 182 x 150mm card, Very Fine, a stellar group for the Columbian enthusiast. Scott \$15,750. Estimate \$7,500 - 10,000



EX 2650



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2650 P 1893, Columbians complete, plate proofs on card (Scott 230P4-245P4), each with deep color on sound card, all fully margined; a few toned spots or light edge scuffs, still Very Fine overall, a handsome addition to any collection. Scott \$2,110. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2651 ★★ 1893, 3¢ Columbian (Scott 232), sharp centering and vivid color, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$1,150. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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2652 ★★田 1893, 3¢ Columbian (Scott 232), bottom margin plate No. 76 block of 8 with imprint and “R”, o.g., never hinged, an exquisite example, Post Office fresh with deep color and bold detail, sound with exceptional centering and wide selvage, Extremely Fine. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

2653 ★★ 1893, 4¢ Columbian (Scott 233), o.g., never hinged, striking example with exquisite color and proof-like impression, all on bright white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2021 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$900. Scott \$150. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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**4¢ COLUMBIAN ERROR OF COLOR (SCOTT #233a)**

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**1893, 4¢ Columbian, blue color error (Scott 233a)**, pristine never hinged o.g., stunning characteristic dark color and proof quality impression on bright white paper, typical Fine centering, a lovely example of this sought-after Columbian error, *very scarce in sound never hinged condition*, with 2018 P.F. certificate. Scott \$32,500. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000



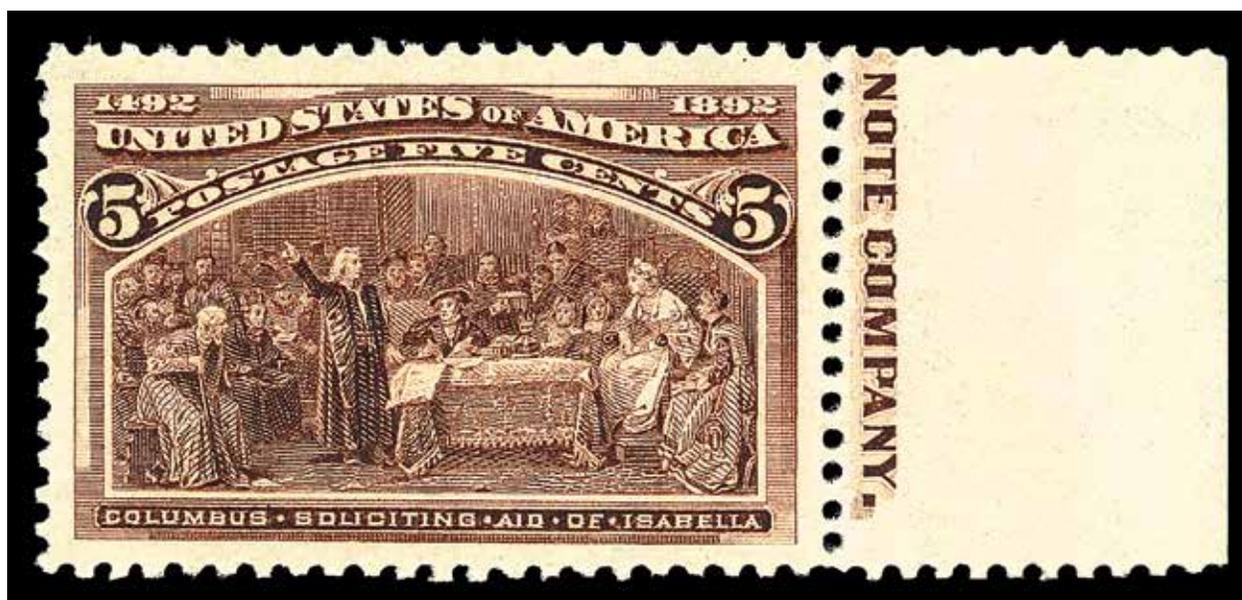
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**A SPECTACULAR 4¢ COLUMBIAN ERROR OF COLOR, GRADED VF-XF 85 (SCOTT #233a)**

- 2655 ★**      **1893, 4¢ Columbian, blue color error (Scott 233a)**, o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh and bright with intense, unmistakable color, its deep lines yielding razor-sharp detail, all in superior centering rarely encountered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, destined for a first-rank collection, *only a single stamp grades thus, with three (85J and two 90s) higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1989 and 2014 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$35,000. Scott \$18,000. Estimate \$20,000 - 30,000

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A MAGNIFICENT 5¢ COLUMBIAN POSITIONAL (SCOTT #234)



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2657 ★★

1893, 5¢ Columbian (Scott 234), right margin part imprint single, o.g., never hinged, a glorious positional, with deep color on like-new paper, sound and fresh with exquisitely balanced jumbo margins, Superb, *only eight stamps grade thus, with a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98 J. SMQ SUP 98J;* Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500



2656

2656 P 1893, 5¢ Columbian, large die proof, die sunk on card (Scott 234P1), proof positive that dark chocolate wins out; an immaculate impression with the deepest color possible, showing die number “C-265” and American Bank Note Company imprint below; card cut to size of India (69 x 62mm approximately), Extremely Fine, a simply breathtaking item. Scott \$900. Estimate \$350 - 500



2658

2658 ★★ 1893, 5¢ Columbian (Scott 234), o.g., never hinged, pristine and sound with superior centering and deep, bold color, Extremely Fine, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$450. Scott \$150. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2659 ★★ 1893, 5¢ Columbian (Scott 234), flawlessly preserved freshness, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$850. Estimate \$600 - 800



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2660 ★★ 1893, 5¢ Columbian (Scott 234), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with flawless centering, rich color and clean impression, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$850. Scott Stamp Values \$825. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



2661

2661 ★★ 1893, 5¢ Columbian (Scott 234), o.g., never hinged, a captivating jumbo with exceptional detail in flawless color, perfectly centered on radiant paper that could have been produced yesterday, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2016 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$1,600. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



2662

2662 ★★ 1893, 6¢ Columbian (Scott 235), o.g., never hinged, a superior-quality stamp with enticing color and detail set amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine, SMQ for 85J \$300, with 2023 P.F. certificate graded XF 90J and 2025 Crowe certificate grade VF-XF 85J. SMQ XF 90J; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$425 as a “90”. Estimate \$300 - 400



2663

2663 ★★ 1893, 6¢ Columbian (Scott 235), o.g., never hinged, a pretty stamp with solid color and near-perfect centering; welcome in any collection, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,050. Scott Stamp Values \$1,050. Scott \$150. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

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2664 ★★田 1893, 8¢ Columbian (Scott 236), horizontal block of 8, o.g., never hinged, with razor-sharp detail in regal color, bright and fresh, each stamp sound; perforation separations at right, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,120 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600



2665

2665 ★★田 1893, 10¢ Columbian (Scott 237), block of 4, o.g., never hinged, sound with strong perforations and intense color, crisply printed; a pretty multiple, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,060 as singles. Estimate \$600 - 800



2666

2666 ★田 1893, 10¢ Columbian (Scott 237), bottom margin block of 4 with imprint, glazed o.g., robust color and sharp detail, neatly printed on fresh paper; slight separations between positions 2 & 4, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$380. Estimate \$250 - 350



2667

2667 ★田 1893, 10¢ Columbian (Scott 237), bottom margin block of 4 with two plate No. 102, glazed o.g., fresh with bold color and crisp detail; slight separations between positions 1 & 3, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$380. Estimate \$300 - 400



2668

2668 ★★ 1893, 15¢ Columbian (Scott 238), plate #38 and partial imprint pair, o.g., never hinged, dark color on bright white paper with full even perforations all around, cert notes a tiny thin in the selvage which we don't see, Choice Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,400 as 2 typical singles. Estimate \$350 - 500



2669

2669 ★★ 1893, 30¢ Columbian (Scott 239), o.g., never hinged, pretty with bright color on matching paper, sound with clear margins all around, nearly Very Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$675. Estimate \$300 - 400



2670

2670 ★★ 1893, 30¢ Columbian (Scott 239), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with exceptional, deep color and clear detail, all wonderfully centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$1,000. Scott \$675. Estimate \$600 - 800



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2671 ★★

1893, 50¢ Columbian (Scott 240), o.g., never hinged, deep dark color and detailed impression, fresh paper with full even perfs all around, Very Fine, with 2002 & 2015 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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2672 ○

1893, 50¢ Columbian (Scott 240), lovely example with intense color and deep lines, wonderfully centered and fresh; nice "San Francisco/Cal." double-oval postmark adds to appeal, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2011 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,200. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



2673

2673 ★★

1893, \$1 Columbian (Scott 241), single with part imprint, appears freshly issued, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2013 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85 and 1978 and 2009 P.F. certificates. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$6,000. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



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2674 ★

1893, \$1 Columbian (Scott 241), slightly disturbed o.g., well centered with rich color and strong detail, Very Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800



2675

2675 ★

1893, \$1 Columbian (Scott 241), o.g., lightly hinged, sound and well centered in bright, clean color, Very Fine, with 1985 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800



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2676 ★

1893, \$1 Columbian (Scott 241), evenly glazed o.g., rich color, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750



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2677 (★)

1893, \$1 Columbian (Scott 241), regummed, sound with attractive centering and clean color, Fine to Very Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$500. Estimate \$250 - 350



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2678 ○

1893, \$1 Columbian (Scott 241), with clean lines and rich color, sound and bright with "Washington/7/[DC]" double-oval cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$775. Scott \$525. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2679 ★★

1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242), o.g., never hinged, gorgeous deep rich color and sharp impression on crisp fresh paper, Fine to Very Fine and beautiful, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$3,600. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242), o.g., lightly hinged twice, deep rich color and detailed impression on bright fresh paper, Fine and attractive. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2681 ★ **1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242)**, disturbed o.g., with captivating color depth and crisp lines, attractively centered; nibbed perforation at lower right, otherwise Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2682 ★ **1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242)**, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh-faced with luxuriant color and deep lines, attractively centered; faint horizontal crease not noted on accompanying certificate, otherwise Extremely Fine, with clean 2004 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2683 ★ **1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242)**, o.g., hinged, bright and crisp with rich color and superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,750. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2684 (★) **1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242)**, unused without gum, well-centered and sound, crisply printed in bold, rich color, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 2685 ○ **1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242)**, a beautiful stamp with radiant color, deep lines and like new paper; attractively centered with purple New York double-oval Registry cancel, Very Fine, with 2012 P.F. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2686 ○ **1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242)**, fresh and clean with intense color; cancel unobtrusive, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,250. Scott \$550. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2687 ○ **1893, \$2 Columbian (Scott 242)**, clean and sound with balanced, large margins; boxed Springfield cancels, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,250. Scott \$550. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2688 ★ **1893, \$3 Columbian (Scott 243)**, o.g., lightly hinged, a gorgeous stamp with rich color and clean, crisp impression and paper, all beautifully centered and sound, Extremely Fine, with 1991 P.F. and 2022 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,800 - 2,200



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- 2689 ★ **1893, \$3 Columbian (Scott 243)**, o.g., lightly hinged, beautifully centered with even margins, lovely color on fresh paper with full perfs all around, Extremely Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2690 ★ **1893, \$3 Columbian (Scott 243)**, o.g., lightly hinged once, fresh color and paper, Fine. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$500 - 750



**2691**

**2691** ○ **1893, \$3 Columbian (Scott 243)**, fresh with deep color and unobtrusive target cancel; tiny pinhole in right margin, otherwise Very Fine, with 1971 (clear) and 2014 P.F. certificates. Scott \$775. Estimate \$350 - 500



**2692**

**2692** ★ **1893, \$3 Columbian, olive green (Scott 243a)**, o.g., hinged, wonderfully fresh with bright color on matching paper, sound with margins all around, Fine+, with 1989 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$400 - 600



**2693**

**2693** ★ **1893, \$4 Columbian (Scott 244)**, o.g., barest trace of hinge, an attractive example of the \$4 Columbian, still Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate graded 70. SMQ F 70. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



**2694**

**2694** ★ **1893, \$4 Columbian (Scott 244)**, o.g., lightly hinged at top center, absolutely gorgeous color and proof quality impression on lily white paper, Very Fine, we have seen stamps with worse centering graded higher, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate grade. SMQ VF 80; \$2,150. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



**2695**

**2695** ★ **1893, \$4 Columbian (Scott 244)**, o.g., lightly hinged, a lovely stamp with radiant color on like-new paper, sound with superior, balanced centering, Extremely Fine, with 2001 and 2010 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ XF 90 XQ; \$4,150. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



**2696**

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**2696** (★) **1893, \$4 Columbian (Scott 244)**, unused without gum, crisp and clean in rich, luminous color; tiny paper inclusion dropout in Columbus' nose, otherwise Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$400 - 600



**2697**

**2697** ○ **1893, \$4 Columbian (Scott 244)**, duplex cancel, fresh color on crisp white paper, Choice Very Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$975. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



**2698**

**2698** ○ **1893, \$4 Columbian (Scott 244)**, immaculate in tempting color with clear to large margins all around; double oval cancel lightly struck and framing Columbus, nearly Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$975. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



**2699**

**2699** ★ **1893, \$4 Columbian, rose carmine (Scott 244a)**, o.g., lightly hinged, a captivating stamp with vivacious color on immaculate paper, sound and nicely centered, a welcome addition to any Columbian collection, Very Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80; \$2,150. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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- 2700 ★ **1893, \$5 Columbian (Scott 245)**, slightly disturbed o.g., deep dark color and a highly detailed impression on gleaming white paper with full even perf tips all around, Fine. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2701 ★ **1893, \$5 Columbian (Scott 245)**, o.g., hinged, with clear impression in crisp color, Fine to Very Fine, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2702 ★ **1893, \$5 Columbian (Scott 245)**, o.g., lightly hinged, striking with clear lines in bold color, very nicely centered on bright paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2703 ★ **1893, \$5 Columbian (Scott 245)**, o.g., barest trace of hinge (appears never hinged), deep dark shade and proof quality impression on bright white crisp paper with full even perf tips all around, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, ex Golden Oak, with 1983 and 2014 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$3,250. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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- 2704 (★) **1893, \$5 Columbian (Scott 245)**, regummed, exquisitely centered with strong color and clear lines, Extremely Fine, with 1992 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

**1894 FIRST BUREAU ISSUE, UNWATERMARKED**



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- 2705 ★★田 **1894, 1¢ ultramarine, unwatermarked (Scott 246)**, horizontal block of 6, o.g., never hinged, clean with enticing color on glowing white paper; post-cert separations between positions 1 & 2, Fine to Very Fine, with clear 2025 P.F. certificate for block of 12, this positions 1-6. Scott \$540 as single. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2706 ★★

1894, 2¢ pink, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 248), horizontal strip of 4, o.g., never hinged, with brilliant color on like-new paper, an eye-catching multiple; positions 2 & 3 with tiny natural paper inclusions, light separation between positions 3 & 4 (post-certification), otherwise Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$400 as singles. Estimate \$250 - 350



2707

2707 ★

1894, 2¢ carmine lake, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 249), bottom margin part imprint single, o.g., lightly hinged, a lovely jumbo with robust color and clean lines, sound and enticing, Extremely Fine, *one of just four stamps at this grade, a mere six grading higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90J. SMQ XF 90J; \$375. Scott \$190. Estimate \$300 - 400

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2708 ★★田

1894, 2¢ carmine, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 250), top margin vertical block of 18, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bright color, cleanly printed with natural straight edge at top; minor wrinkles resulting in several perforation breaks, still Fine to Very Fine, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,800 as singles. Estimate \$500 - 750

2709

2709 ★★

1894, 2¢ carmine, type III, unwatermarked (Scott 252), full wide top margin plate number 143 single, o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with radiant, bright color and clean impression, wonderfully centered with selva enough for another stamp plus, Extremely Fine, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate for strip of three, this position 3. Scott \$425. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500

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2710 ★★/★田

1894, 2¢ carmine, type III, unwatermarked (Scott 252), block of 4, wonderfully fresh with vibrant color and clean impression, the top left stamp never hinged, the others very lightly hinged; minor perforation separations at right and bottom, Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$830 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2711 ★★ **1894, 3¢ purple, unwatermarked (Scott 253)**, o.g., never hinged, mathematically centered in crisp color on fresh paper; an all-around lovely stamp, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2004 and 2012 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,675. Scott Stamp Values \$4,250. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

2712 ★★ **1894, 50¢ orange, unwatermarked (Scott 260)**, o.g., never hinged, radiant color on exceptionally fresh paper, Choice Very Fine, ex Geisler, with 2007 P.F. certificate (1982 P.F. for block no longer accompanies). Scott \$1,450. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

2713 ★★ **1894, \$1 black, type I, unwatermarked (Scott 261)**, o.g., never hinged, impressive color and sharp proof quality impression on crisp bright white paper, Fine, extremely scarce in sound never hinged condition, our review of stamp auction network sales from 2020 to date shows only 5 never hinged examples of Scott 261 being offered — one each year except 2023 where none was offered. If you require never hinged and you don't secure this stamp, you will most likely have to wait at least another 12 months., with 1983 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,200. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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2714 ★★ **1894, \$1 black, type II, unwatermarked (Scott 261A)**, o.g., never hinged, a lovely stamp with proof-like color and clarity, nicely centered on bright paper, Very Fine, with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$3,850 (inexplicably). Scott \$6,750. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



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2715 ★ **1894, \$1 black, type II, unwatermarked (Scott 261A)**, o.g., lightly hinged, dark color and highly detailed impression, Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,200. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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1894, \$1 black, type II, unwatermarked (Scott 261A), o.g., lightly hinged, an immaculate jumbo with proof-like three-dimensional presentation, sound and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 1992 P.F. and 2004 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95 (and as never hinged, corrected in pencil to "LH"). SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$6,625 as a "95". Scott \$2,200. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500



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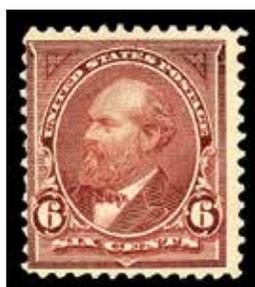


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- 2717 ★ **1894, \$2 bright blue, unwatermarked (Scott 262)**, o.g., hinged at top, beautiful deep blue shade and proof like impression; corner perf tip crease at bottom right, a very pretty stamp in Fine condition, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2718 ★ **1894, \$5 dark green, unwatermarked (Scott 263)**, o.g., crisply printed in robust color on bright paper; very tiny gum covered thin spot at center only visible in fluid, Fine appearance. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2719 (★) **1894, \$5 dark green, unwatermarked (Scott 263)**, regummed, fresh-faced with deep lines and color; top margin added, filled thin, Very Fine appearance, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,100. Estimate \$500 - 750

## 1895 FIRST BUREAU ISSUE, WATERMARKED

- 2720 ★★ **1895, 3¢ purple, D.L. watermark (Scott 268)**, horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, a stellar duo, pristine and sound, in enticing color and near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,350 as singles. Scott Stamp Values \$3,600 as singles. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2721 ★★ **1895, 4¢ dark brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 269)**, bottom margin plate number 460 strip of 10 with imprint and part arrow, o.g., never hinged, sound with all perforations intact, cleanly printed in bold, rich color; selvage at left and bottom wide, Fine to Very Fine, Scott value as plate number strip of 3 plus singles. Scott \$1,325. (photo on web site) Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2722 ★★ **1895, 5¢ chocolate, D.L. watermark (Scott 270)**, o.g., never hinged, a simply beautiful stamp, flawless in all respects, looking like it was printed yesterday, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2025 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$775. Scott \$105. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 2723 ★ **1895, 6¢ dull brown, USIR watermark (Scott 271a)**, lightly disturbed o.g., warm color and detailed impression, Fine (as are virtually all known o.g. examples), The Philatelic Foundation has certified 2 pairs (including one with plate no. and imprint), a strip of 3 (which has been broken either into a pair and single or 3 singles, but not all stamps have an "I" or "R" watermark) and 7 singles (4 sound). Stamp Auction Network has offered a 271a single 9 times since its inception and includes a 14 year gap between 2011 and 2025. Most are poorly centered. Only one is never hinged, but it is reperfed, with 2009 P.F. certificate. Scott \$15,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000
- 2724 ★★ **1895, 8¢ violet brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 272)**, o.g., never hinged, a beauty with sharp detail in bold color, sound with outstanding centering, Extremely Fine, with 2001 P.F. and 2008 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$210. Estimate \$350 - 500



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2725 ★★ 1895, 8¢ violet brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 272), bottom margin plate number 928 and imprint strip of 3, o.g., never hinged, with commanding color and sharp lines, attractively centered on pristine paper; a pretty item, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80; \$630 as singles. Scott \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600

2726 ○ 1895, 8¢ violet brown, USIR watermark (Scott 272a), target cancel, gorgeous dark color on brilliant white paper, complete sideways "R" watermark, Very Fine, approximately 65 used examples known, many with either poor centering or condition, this example in sound Very Fine condition and with a complete "R" watermark is a true condition rarity for this issue., with 1993 A.P.S. and 2007 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80; \$950. Scott \$950. Estimate \$500 - 750

2727 ★★ 1895, 10¢ dark green, D.L. watermark (Scott 273), full wide top margin plate number 64 and imprint strip of 3, o.g., never hinged, sound with appealing color and impression, fresh with gargantuan selvage, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate for strip of ten. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800

2728 ★★ 1895, 10¢ dark green, D.L. watermark (Scott 273), full wide top margin single, o.g., never hinged, pristine with rich color and sharp detail; three balanced margins (right closer) on like-new paper, the selvage able to fit another stamp, Very Fine, with photocopy of 2025 P.S.E. certificate for strip of ten. Scott \$300. Estimate \$200 - 300

2729 ★★ 1895, 15¢ dark blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 274), bottom margin plate number 52 single, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with deep lines and intense color, sound with choice centering, Extremely Fine, with 1994 (photocopy for strip of three, this position 3) and 2015 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,450. Scott \$600. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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2730 ○ 1895, 15¢ dark blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 274), light and face-free duplex cancel, deep dark color on bright white paper, exceptionally well centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95. Scott \$18. Estimate \$500 - 750

2731 ★★ 1895, 50¢ orange, D.L. watermark (Scott 275), o.g., never hinged, fresh with bright color and sharp detail, cleanly centered with all perforations clear; tiny scuff, perforation disc indent, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$725. Estimate \$250 - 350

2732 ★ 1895, \$1 black, type I, D.L. watermark (Scott 276), o.g., hinge remnant, Post Office fresh with proof-like presentation on pristine paper, prettier than its grade; single short perforation at bottom, otherwise Very Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$600. Estimate \$300 - 400

2733 ★ 1895, \$1 black, type II, D.L. watermark (Scott 276A), o.g., very lightly hinged, intense color and proof quality impression, completely sound, Fine example with tremendous visual appeal, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2734 ○ **1895, \$2 bright blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 277)**, New York City registry double oval cancel, deep rich color on fresh white paper, Choice Very Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate. Scott \$400. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2735 ★ **1895, \$2 dark blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 277a)**, o.g. with hinge marks, gorgeous dark shade and a very detailed impression, Very Fine and stunning, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$900. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2736 ★ **1895, \$5 dark green, D.L. watermark (Scott 278)**, deep rich color on brilliant white paper; small crease at top only visible when drying, Very Fine appearance, with 2005 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2737 ○ **1895, \$5 dark green, D.L. watermark (Scott 278)**, Post Office fresh with intense color and sharp lines, in superior centering with double-oval cancels, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$775. Scott \$600. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2738 ○ **1895, \$5 dark green, D.L. watermark (Scott 278)**, Post Office fresh with compelling color and deep, crisp lines, in balanced margins of pure white and with light boxed cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,250. Scott \$600. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2739 ○ **1895, \$5 dark green, D.L. watermark (Scott 278)**, gem-quality with immense color depth, mathematical centering, and a light, unobtrusive cancel; bright and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade thus, with just five higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,750. Scott \$600. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

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## 1898 FIRST BUREAU ISSUE, UPU COLORS



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- 2740 ★★ **1898, 2¢ rose carmine, type IV (Scott 279Bc)**, o.g., never hinged, clean and sound with attractive color and clean lines, Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate for pair, this position 2. Scott \$850. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2741 ★★田 **1898, 6¢ lake (Scott 282)**, block of 4, o.g., never hinged, with incredibly deep color and solid perforations; a pretty block, Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$560 as singles. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2742 ★★ **1898, 10¢ brown, type I (Scott 282C)**, o.g., never hinged, clean and sound with rich, bold color and clear impression, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$525. Scott \$525. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2743 ★★ **1898, 10¢ brown, type I (Scott 282C)**, o.g., never hinged, choice example with crisp detail in bright color, sound and clean with superior centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$850. Scott \$525. Estimate \$500 - 750

1898 TRANS-MISSISSIPPI ISSUE



EX 2744

2744 E

1898, 1¢//50¢ Trans-Miss. bicolor essays (Scott 285-E8//291-E8), die on India, die sunk on card, pristine quartet comprising 1¢, 8¢, 10¢ and 50¢ essays (#285-E8, 289-E4, 290-E4 and 291-E8); all on 62 x 50mm India die-sunk on 202 x 152mm card (10¢ 129mm tall); wonderful additions to any Trans-Mississippi collection, Very Fine. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



EX 2745

2745 P

1898, Trans-Miss. large die proofs, group of eight (Scott 285P1//293P1), complete less the \$1 value, each on 83 x 68mm India die-sunk on cut-down card measuring 105 x 87mm; crisp impressions and generally bright, fresh color; heavy toning mostly to card though affecting India on several, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$6,950. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



**EX 2746**

**2746 P** 1898, Trans-Miss. complete, large die proofs (Scott 285P1-293P1), in expected crisp detail on 60 x 50mm India die-sunk on 200 x 151mm cards; toning from previous storage, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$6,050. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



**EX 2747**

**2747 P** 1898, Trans-Miss. complete, "Roosevelt" small die proofs (Scott 285P2-293P2), on original gray card backing, the \$1 with extra card at bottom with the "1898" label from Roosevelt album, beautiful colors, Extremely Fine, ex Dragon. Scott \$6,750. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

The white wove paper on which they are printed is of a fibrous nature. The margins are small, seldom being more than 3-5mm in width. Values are for proofs affixed to the original gray card backing.



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2748 ★★ 1898, 4¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 287), o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous stamp with vivacious color and superior centering on bright white paper; couple tiny inclusions not noted on accompanying certificates, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2004 and 2019 P.S.E. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$4,250. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



2749

2749 ★★ 1898, 5¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 288), o.g., never hinged, one to pique your interest, with incredible color depth, crisp lines, and centering prettier than its grade; outstanding eye appeal, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$650. Scott \$290. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2750 ★★ 1898, 5¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 288), o.g., never hinged, a spectacular jumbo with proof-like detail in bold color, mathematically centered amid wide margins of white, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade thus, with just seven higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2003 and 2020 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$4,000. Scott \$290. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



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2751 ★★田 1898, 5¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 288), horizontal block of 10 from the lower right pane of plate no. 618, **separated into blocks of 6 & 4** and, unfortunately, *split between the imprint and the plate number*, o.g., never hinged, fresh and nicely centered with a straight edge at the left, Fine to Very Fine. *Still a lovely showpiece.* Scott \$2,900 ++. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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**10¢ TRANS-MISSISSIPPI GRADED SUP 98 (SCOTT #290)**

2752 ★★

**1898, 10¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 290)**, o.g., never hinged, a beauty with intense color on like-new paper, sound with near-perfect centering, Superb, *a Top of the Pop, one of just seven stamps to attain this highest grade in PSE's Population Report*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$15,000. Estimate \$12,000 - 15,000



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2753 ★★ **1898, 10¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 290)**, o.g., never hinged, a choice, fresh example with attention-grabbing color depth and superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$950. Scott \$400. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2754 ★ **1898, 50¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 291)**, o.g., small hinge remnant at center, phenomenal color and proof like impression, Extremely Fine and absolutely gorgeous; good luck finding a better looking sound example. Scott \$600. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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2755 ★★ **1898, \$1 Trans-Miss. (Scott 292)**, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with immense color depth and razor-sharp detail, all in superior centering. Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1982 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$4,700. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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2756 ★ **1898, \$1 Trans-Miss. (Scott 292)**, o.g., small thin hinge remnant made from selvage at top center, stunning deep dark color on crisp fresh white paper and featuring exceptional centering within nicely balanced margins, Extremely Fine a wonderful stamp. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

2757 ★ **1898, \$1 Trans-Miss. (Scott 292)**, o.g., barely hinged (if at all), incredible dark color on bright white paper, Fine, a stunningly beautiful stamp, *only 56,900 were issued to postmasters; an unknown quantity was destroyed in March 1900.* Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$500 - 750

2758 ★ **1898, \$1 Trans-Miss. (Scott 292)**, o.g., barest trace of hinge, intense dark color and highly detailed impression on brilliant white paper, Very Fine and choice. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2759 (★) **1898, \$1 Trans-Miss. (Scott 292)**, regummed, wonderful color and strong impression, choice centering, Very Fine. Scott \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600



**2760**

**2760** ○ **1898, \$1 Trans-Miss. (Scott 292)**, an attention-grabber with deep, intense color on bright white paper with neatly struck oval grid (duplex?) cancels, Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,125. Scott \$675. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



**2761**

**2761** ★ **1898, \$2 Trans-Miss. (Scott 293)**, o.g., single hinge remnant at top center, fresh color and crisp detailed impression, Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



**2762**

**2762** ★ **1898, \$2 Trans-Miss. (Scott 293)**, o.g., 2 partially overlapping hinge remnants at top center, fresh and sound with rich color and a detailed impression on crisp paper with long full perfs all around, Choice Very Fine. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



**2763**

**2763** ★ **1898, \$2 Trans-Miss. (Scott 293)**, disturbed o.g., clean with crisp detail and fresh color, three nicely balanced margins (right slightly wide), Fine to Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



**2764**

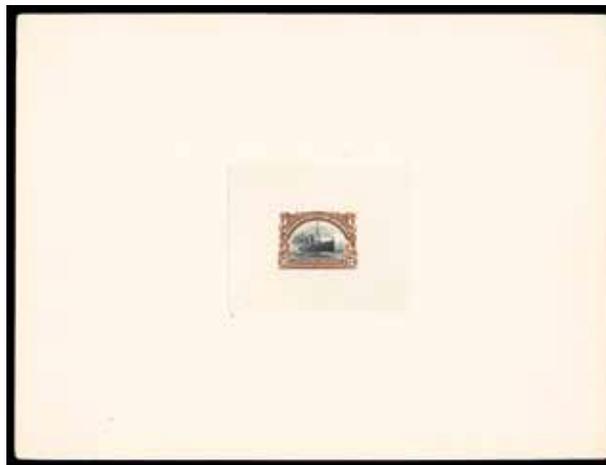
**2764** ★ **1898, \$2 Trans-Miss. (Scott 293)**, o.g. (sweated), rich color; reperfed at top, tiny inclusion speck, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$400 - 600



**2765**

**2765** ○ **1898, \$2 Trans-Miss. (Scott 293)**, canceled by 3 horizontal bars, fresh color, well centered for this tightly spaced issue, Very Fine and choice, with 1986 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800

**1901 PAN-AMERICAN ISSUE**



**EX 2766**

**2766** P **1901, Pan-Americans complete, large die proofs (Scott 294P1-299P1)**, bright set on 61 x 49mm India die-sunk on 203 x 152mm card, each with blue control number handstamp on reverse, India fresh; 1¢ and 2¢ card with toned spot at bottom center, still Very Fine. Scott \$3,450. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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**1901, Pan-Americans complete, *First Day Cover* (Scott 294-299)**, all six values on Registered corner card cover to Landau, Pfalz, Germany, each stamp tied by double-oval Philadelphia “RD” cancel with New York, NY Registry Exchange Label (#FX-NY1(aii)) at bottom center; reverse with violet Philadelphia double-ring “May/1/1901/Registered”, four-line “Registered/May 1 1901/Bourse/Philadelphia, Pa.” and “B/5/1/1901”-in circle handstamps, New York (May 2) and “Neustadt Ank.” (May 11) transits along with Landau May 11 receiver; a most attractive First Day for its age and travels, Very Fine and rare, with 2005 P.F. certificate. Scott \$30,000. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000

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- 2768 ★★ 1901, 1¢ Pan-American (Scott 294), broken bottom margin strip of 20 with plate number 1179 - 1168 with imprints and markings, the full bottom two rows, separated between positions 3-4/13-14, splitting the double-number plate block but leaving the single intact and sound, o.g., never hinged, nice, bold color and clean impression, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,095 as plate block & singles. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 2769 ★★ 1901, 2¢ Pan-American (Scott 295), o.g., never hinged, as fresh as the day it was sold at the post office in 1901 with extraordinary color, impression, paper and perforations, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$350. Scott \$40. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2770 ☒ 1901, 2¢ Pan-American, "low train" variety (Scott 295 var.), clean single with vignette strongly shifted into bottom frame, tied by Washington, DC duplex (May 27, 1901) on cover addressed to Notre Dame P.O., Indiana; normal wear, small tear to backflap, otherwise sound and an appealing *first-month use*, Fine to Very Fine. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2771 ★★ 1901, 4¢ Pan-American (Scott 296), exceptionally pure brightness, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,050. Estimate \$800 - 1,000



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- 2772 ★田 1901, 4¢ Pan-American (Scott 296), block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color and sharp lines, sound and solid with vertical guideline, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$800 as singles. Scott \$280. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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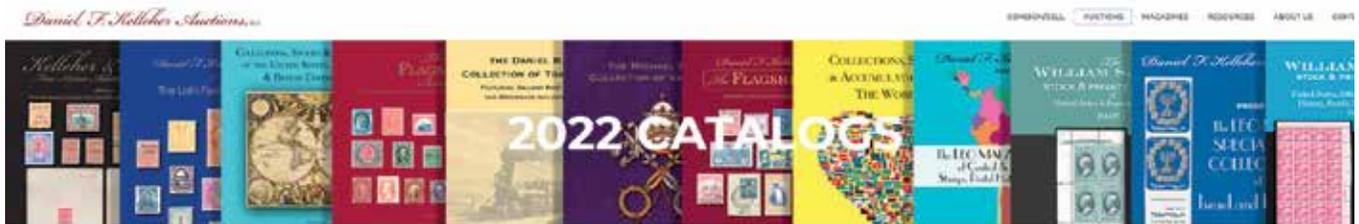
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- 2773 ★★ **1901, 5¢ Pan-American (Scott 297)**, crisp and vibrant tone, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,350. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500
- 2774 ★★ **1901, 8¢ Pan-American (Scott 298)**, o.g., never hinged, a lovely stamp with deep color, clean detail, and exceptional centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2015 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$950. Scott \$220. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2775 ★★ **1901, 10¢ Pan-American (Scott 299)**, top margin part arrow single with running initials, o.g., never hinged, with rich, vibrant frame and crisp vignette, beautifully centered on like-new paper, Extremely Fine, ex Zoellner from plate block of ten, with 2006 P.S.E. (photocopy for block of ten) and 2025 P.F. (for pair, this position 1) certificates. Scott \$300. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2776 ★★ **1901, 10¢ Pan-American (Scott 299)**, o.g., never hinged, fresh with bright, warm color and crisp vignette, in superior centering on immaculate paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 Crowe certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$350. Scott \$300. Estimate \$200 - 300

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**1901 PAN-AMERICAN ISSUE, CENTER INVERTED**  
**A RARE 1¢ PAN-AMERICAN INVERT BLOCK OF FOUR (SCOTT #294a)**

2777 ★田

**1901, 1¢ Pan-American, center inverted (Scott 294a)**, block of 4, deep rich colors and proof-like impressions, A RARE BLOCK OF FOUR OF THE ONE-CENT PAN-AMERICAN INVERT., o.g., hinge remnant, face-fresh with bold color and clean detail, well centered with intact perforations; bottom left stamp with a light natural gum bend, tiny hinge thins affect all but top left stamp (which is sound), Very Fine appearance. *A rare multiple, with only 13 blocks of four, one block of six and a block of 20 in the Levi records.* Scott \$75,000. Estimate \$20,000 - 30,000

Johl reports that these 1¢ inverts were found at at least four post offices (Bessemer, AL, Richmond, VA, Utica, NY, and in Connecticut) soon after they were issued.



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2778 ★ **1901, 1¢ Pan-American, center inverted (Scott 294a)**, disturbed o.g., fresh with bold colors, exceptional centering for this notoriously poorly centered issue, free of the usual thins and creases, Extremely Fine, the highest grade achieved by a 1¢ Pan American invert is XF 90. If submitted, this stamp should receive a comparable grade., with 1991 P.F. certificate. Scott \$11,500. Estimate \$8,000 - 12,000

(photo on front cover)



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**1901, 1¢ Pan-American, center inverted (Scott 294a)**, presentable example of this scarce and expensive stamp, with immense color depth and a light cancel; re-backed over creases and sealed tears, reperforated, Fine appearance, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$22,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



2780

**SOUND 2¢ PAN-AMERICAN INVERT (SCOTT #295a)**

2780 ★

**1901, 2¢ Pan-American, center inverted (Scott 295a)**, single hinge mark at top, centered to top left as are many of the unknown examples, completely sound, Fine, *because two distinct shades exist, 2 panes of 100 were released, and today approximately 70-75 examples are recorded, including about a half dozen used singles (all faulty) and two mint blocks (one rejoined)*, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$40,000. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000

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Scott footnote states “Almost all unused copies of No. 295a have partial or disturbed gum. Values are for examples with full original gum that is slightly disturbed.”



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**4¢ PAN-AMERICAN CENTER INVERTED (SCOTT #296a)  
BLOCK OF FOUR: ONE OF THE BEST CENTERED OF THE SIX EXTANT**

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**1901, 4¢ Pan-American, center inverted (Scott 296a)**, block of 4, large part disturbed o.g., lovely milk chocolate colored frame and well placed charcoal shade vignette on bright white paper; horizontal perfs mostly rejoined, few irregular perfs at top left, top right stamp tiny sealed tear and slight diagonal crease, Extremely Fine centering throughout and if this block were broken into singles, each would individually grade as Extremely Fine. *Off the market for the past decade, this is one of the best-centered of the six blocks of 4 that remain after all of these years, three of which are well centered and have both gum and paper faults*, ex Col. Edward H. R. Green, Eno and Bechtel. Scott \$400,000. Estimate \$175,000 - 200,000

Two sheets of inverts (400 stamps in four panes of 100) were intentionally printed but never sold at a post office. One pane was overprinted "Specimen". One pane was retained by the Post Office Department and affixed to a ledger page in the Post Office archives and in about 1916 or 1917, 97 copies from that pane were somewhat roughly removed from the pane, creating disturbed gum and thins, and traded for stamps the government's collection needed, 197 stamps were destroyed, and 106 stamps (both with and without "Specimen", including three from the retained post office pane), were distributed to friends and dignitaries.



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**FRESH 4¢ PAN-AMERICAN INVERT (SCOTT #296a)**

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**1901, 4¢ Pan-American, center inverted (Scott 296a)**, usual disturbed o.g., lovely rich colors, centered to bottom left; a very tiny thin speck visible only in fluid, and a very tiny scuff by rightmost wheel, only visible if you know where to look, Fine, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$75,000. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000

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According to Sloane (p. 283), "The stamp came about when an erroneous report reached the Post Office department that the 4¢ had been discovered in issue with center inverted. On receipt of this report, the Department felt that inasmuch as the error "already existed", it would not be amiss to have copies of the error themselves for specimen purposes and ... the suggestion was made to the Bureau that if any further errors were discovered in the reserve stock of stamps at the Bureau, they be turned over to the Department. None were found, but two sheets (400 stamps) were printed and delivered to Edwin C. Madden, Third Assistant Postmaster General. Some of these were handstamped "Specimen." in small type, and many copies, with and without "Specimen." were distributed to his friends in the Department and elsewhere. A sheet of 100 stamps without the overprint went into the files of the Post Office Department for the Government collection, and 194 copies were destroyed, leaving a balance of 106 given away. The sheet of 100 retained by the Post Office Department was broken up in about 1916 or 1917, and 97 copies were distributed in philatelic quarters in exchange for other material needed for the Government collection." The sheet of 100 that was broken was affixed to a ledger page, and when the stamps were removed, they often showed various degrees of disturbed gum and thinning. To that end, the footnote for the issue in the Scott catalog states "Almost all unused copies of No. 296a have partial or disturbed gum. Values are for examples with full original gum that is slightly disturbed."

1902-1908 SECOND BUREAU ISSUE



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- 2783 ★★ 1903, 2¢ carmine (Scott 301), o.g., never hinged, a wonderful stamp in amazing condition that checks all the boxes - centering, color, paper, perforations, Extremely Fine to Superb, We feel this stamp is undergraded and should have received a Jumbo designation, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$425. Scott \$38. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2784 ★★ 1903, 3¢ bright violet (Scott 302), o.g., never hinged, eye-catching with deep, crisp color and sharp detail, sound and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2007 and 2013 P.F. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$825. Scott Stamp Values \$825. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2785 ★★ 1903, 6¢ claret (Scott 305), o.g., never hinged, eye-catching with deep, intense color with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2000 and 2007 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$450. Scott \$150. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2786 ★★ 1903, 10¢ pale red brown (Scott 307), o.g., never hinged, alluring with radiant, rich color and clean impression, sound on bright paper with near-perfectly balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only two stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,150. Scott Stamp Values \$1,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2787 ★ 1903, \$1 black (Scott 311), o.g., hinged, a no-nonsense jumbo with razor-sharp detail in crisp color, sound and fresh, Extremely Fine, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90 J. SMQ **XF 90J**; \$975. Scott \$575. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2788 ★ 1903, \$2 dark blue (Scott 312), o.g., very lightly hinged at top center, bright color and detailed impression, near perfect centering, Extremely Fine in every respect (color, centering, paper quality and impression), with 2005 P.F. certificate. Scott \$825. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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- 2789 ★ 1903, \$2 dark blue (Scott 312), o.g., hinged, cleanly printed in profound color, fresh with appealing margins, Very Fine, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$875. Scott \$825. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2790 ○ 1903, \$2 dark blue (Scott 312), mathematically centered on bright paper, sound with immense color depth; an eye-catching stamp, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2011 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,500. Scott Stamp Values \$1,200. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2791 ★ 1903, \$5 dark green (Scott 313), o.g., barest trace of hinge, a select example with wonderfully deep, rich color and perfect centering amid wide, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 1987 P.F., 2006 P.S.E. (graded XF 90) and 2025 P.F. certificates. SMQ **XF 90**; \$3,250. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2792 ★ 1903, \$5 dark green (Scott 313), o.g., central hinge mark, remarkably dark color and a highly detailed impression, fresh and Fine, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2793 ★ 1903, \$5 dark green (Scott 313), o.g., hinged, clean with bold color on like-new paper, Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 2794 ★ 1903, \$5 dark green (Scott 313), o.g., hinged, fresh with rich, deep color; reperforated at top, Fine to Very Fine appearance, with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2795 ★ 1903, \$5 dark green (Scott 313), o.g., very lightly hinged, in clean impression of bold, deep color, sound and solidly centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2796 ★★ 1906, 1c blue green, imperf. (Scott 314), o.g., never hinged, pristine jumbo with proof-like color and detail, massively centered on immaculate paper, Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ **Gem 100J**; \$450 as a "100". Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2797 ★★ 1908, 5c blue, imperf. (Scott 315), horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, from bottom right corner of pane, clean and sound with immense color depth and full margins, Extremely Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,600. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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- 2798 ★ 1908, 5c blue, imperf. (Scott 315), o.g., hinge remnant, deep dark color with extra wide margins, Extremely Fine, a lovely example, with 2002 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$350. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2799 ★★ 1908, 5c blue, imperf. (Scott 315), horizontal pair, pristine o.g., never hinged gum, huge margins, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine, with 1989 P.F. for block of 4 (top pair) and 2017 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$1,600. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2800 ★ 1908, 5c blue, imperf. (Scott 315), o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with bright color and crisp detail, mathematically centered on like-new paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$450. Scott \$350. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2801 ★ 1908, 5c blue, experimental coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 317), o.g., lightly hinged, clean and sound with intense color and clear impression, Fine, with 2004 (photocopy for pair, this position 1) and 2026 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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- 2802 ★ 1908, 1¢ blue green, experimental coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 318), o.g., very lightly hinged, appealing stamp with rich color and clean impression, sound with three balanced margins, wide at bottom, Very Fine, with 1999 and 2025 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80; \$6,000. Scott \$4,500. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

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- 2803 ○ 1903, 2¢ carmine, type II (Scott 319Fi), Evenly balanced margins, the SMQ does not give a premium for XQ, but no doubt if it did, it would be substantially higher than the current price, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95 XQ. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$300. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2804 ★ 1906, 2¢ carmine, type I, International Vending Co. perfs (Scott 320), o.g., hinged, fresh with rich color and solid centering amid oversized margins, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$3,000 for pair. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2805 ★★ 1906, 2¢ lake, type II, imperf. (Scott 320A), horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh with immense color depth and clean impression, mathematically centered and sound, Extremely Fine to Superb, a *Top of the Pop*, one of just two pairs achieving this summit grade in PSE's *Population Report*, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$525. Scott \$225. Estimate \$400 - 600

## 1904 LOUISIANA PURCHASE ISSUE

- 2806 ★★ 1904, 1¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 323), pristine freshness throughout, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$525. Estimate \$400 - 500



EX 2807

- 2807 ★★★ 1904, Louisiana Purchase complete (Scott 323-327), set of 5, full wide top margin imprint and plate number pairs, each sound and Post Office fresh with exceptional color and sharpness, the selvage tabs each tall enough for another stamp or more; 10¢ disturbed o.g., the others never hinged, Fine to Very Fine with superior eye appeal. Scott \$1,470. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 2808 ★★ 1904, 3¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 325), near top-grade centering, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$900. Estimate \$750 - 900
- 2809 ★★ 1904, 5¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 326), single with imprint, uncommonly sharp alignment, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95 and 2000 P.F. certificate. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,350. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,200
- 2810 ★★ 1904, 10¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 327), o.g., never hinged, pristine with rich color, clean impression, and near-flawless centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,000. Scott \$300. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2811 ★ 1904, 10¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 327), o.g., barest trace of hinge (appears never hinged), a striking jumbo with bold color, clean detail, and impeccable centering on fresh paper, Superb, *a new Solo Top of the Pop, its nearest competitors in PSE's Population Report being five 98s*, with 1987 P.F., 1990 P.F. and 2025 P.S.E. certificates, the last graded SUP 98 J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$750 as a "98". Estimate \$750 - 1,000

1907 JAMESTOWN ISSUE



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- 2812 ★★ 1907, 2¢ Jamestown (Scott 329), top plate number 360 single, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$375. Scott \$85. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2813 ★★ 1907, 5¢ Jamestown (Scott 330), o.g., never hinged, clean and bright with proof-like detail in regal color, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with photocopy of 2025 P.S.E. certificate for block of 12. Scott \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2814 ★★ 1907, 5¢ Jamestown (Scott 330), right margin single, o.g., never hinged, a gem with razor-sharp detail in luxuriant color, sound and bright with centering far superior to most, Extremely Fine, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$900. Scott \$375. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2815 ★★ 1907, 5¢ Jamestown (Scott 330), o.g., never hinged, a regal stamp with intense color and proof-like detail on immaculate paper, all with never-seen centering for this issue, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$3,500. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500

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



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**2816 ★★** 1908, 3¢ deep violet, type I, D.L. watermark (Scott 333), o.g., never hinged, select example with compelling, deep color and razor-sharp detail, wonderfully centered amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90J. SMQ XF 90J; \$275. Estimate \$200 - 300

**2817 ★★** 1908, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark (Scott 334), full wide top margin plate number 5217 single with star, o.g., never hinged, a certainly unique positional, with impeccable color, detail and centering amid jumbo margins; the wide top of wide tops, Superb, *only five stamps grade thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98 J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$3,000. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



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**2818 ★★** 1909, 50¢ violet, D.L. watermark (Scott 341), o.g., never hinged, a lovely example with captivating color, clean impression, and superior centering on bright paper, light gum wrinkle and gum refraction, insignificant and unmentioned on certificate, Extremely Fine, *only eight stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2007 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,600. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,600

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

**2819 ★★** 1908, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 348), pair, o.g., never hinged, sound with crisp detail and superior centering, capturing large part of vertical guide line at left, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate. Scott \$225. Estimate \$300 - 400

**2820 ★★** 1908, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 348), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with captivating color and clarity, in superior centering on like-new paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$725. Scott \$650. Estimate \$400 - 600

**2821 ★★** 1909, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 352), 3mm spacing, *paste-up strip of 4*, o.g., never hinged, tab below position 3, all in rich color and clean impression, Fine to Very Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate for strip of 5, right-most stamp since removed. Scott \$1,100 as two normal pairs. Estimate \$600 - 800



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2822 ★★ 1909, 1¢ green, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 352), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with intense, deep color and clean impression, sound with lovely centering prettier than its grade, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$450. Scott \$235. Estimate \$600 - 800



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2823 ★★ 1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 353), pair, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with razor-sharp detail in bright, rich color, sound with superior centering, Extremely Fine, with photocopy of 2024 P.S.E. certificate for strip of five. Scott \$525. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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2824 ★★ 1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 353), pair, o.g., never hinged, sound with deep color and deeper lines, nicely centered, nearly Very Fine, with photocopy of 2024 P.S.E. certificate for strip of four. Scott \$525. Estimate \$350 - 500



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2825 ★★ 1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 353), o.g., never hinged, pristine and sharp with intense color and wide margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with photocopy of 2024 P.S.E. certificate for strip of six. Scott \$220. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2826 ★★ 1909, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 353), o.g., never hinged, with proof-like detail in blazing, rich color, sound in superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$425. Scott \$220. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2827 ★ 1909, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 354), pair (2mm spacing), o.g., hinged, rich color and fine impression; left stamp with small diagonal crease at right center, still Fine to Very Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate. Scott \$600. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2828 ★ 1909, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 354), pair, o.g., lightly hinged, choice twosome with rich, warm color and razor-sharp detail, sound in superior centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$600. Scott \$575. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2829 ★ 1909, 4¢ orange brown, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 354), guide line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, sound and Post Office fresh with rich color, clean detail and select centering, Extremely Fine, *only five line pairs grade thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$2,500. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$1,800 - 2,500



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- 2830 ★★ 1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 355), pair, o.g., never hinged, deep blue color and detailed impression on bright white paper, post office fresh and intact perfs, Fine, with 1999 P.F. (color photocopy for strip of 7) and 2002 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$500 - 600
- 2831 ★ 1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 355), guide line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, prettily centered with proof-like detail in alluring color, fresh and appealing, Very Fine, with 2012 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2832 ★ 1909, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 355), guide line pair, o.g., hinged, fresh-faced with rich color and razor-sharp detail; stamps partially rejoined at bottom, otherwise Very Fine, with 1980 P.F. and 2025 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2833 ★ 1909, 10¢ yellow, D.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 356), pair, o.g., lightly hinged, pretty pair with radiant, unblemished color on bright, fresh paper with intact perfs, Very Fine for this very challenging issue to find in this impressive state of preservation for a 115 year old Perf 12 coil pair, with 1966 P.F. certificate. Scott \$8,250. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

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## 1909 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, BLUISH PAPER



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- 2834 ★ 1908, 3¢ deep violet, type I, D.L. watermark, on thick grayish paper (Scott 333 var.), o.g., hinged, fresh and beautifully centered with sharp detail; perforation thin at top and erroneous number lightly penciled on gum, still Very Fine to Extremely Fine appearance, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Unpriced in catalog but an excellent replacement for a bluish paper. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2835 ★ 1909, 3¢ deep violet, type I, on bluish paper (Scott 359), o.g., hinge remnant, face-fresh with bold color and clean detail; small thin spot, Fine, with 1975 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2836 ★ 1909, 3¢ deep violet, type I, on bluish paper (Scott 359), o.g., lightly hinged, rich color and strong impression on deeply blued paper; reperfed at left, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 2838 ★ 1909, 5¢ blue, on bluish paper (Scott 361), o.g., barest trace of hinge in bottom right corner (appears never hinged), an attractive stamp featuring outstanding color and a proof like impression, Very Fine which is better than the average example, *The 5¢ is the rarest bluish paper issue sold at a post office*, with 1996 P.F. certificate. Scott \$6,500. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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- 2839 ★ 1909, 6¢ red orange, on bluish paper (Scott 362), o.g., barest trace of hinge (appears never hinged), beautiful bright color on fresh paper with even perfs all around, Fine, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2840 ★ 1909, 6¢ red orange, on bluish paper (Scott 362), o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with vibrant color and clean impression, clear margins all around; reperfored at left, Fine to Very Fine appearance, with 1984 P.F. (clear) and 2025 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$600 - 800

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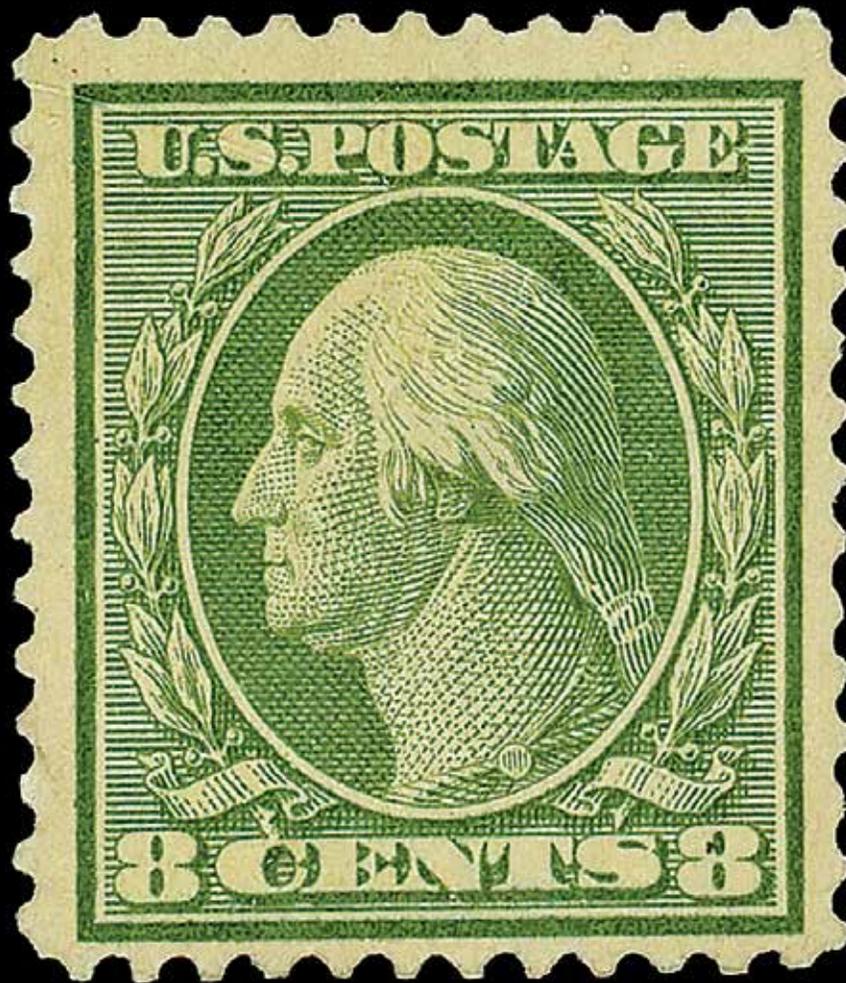
**SCARCE 4¢ BLUISH PAPER (SCOTT #360)**

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**1909, 4¢ orange brown, on bluish paper (Scott 360)**, o.g., very lightly hinged at top center, rich color on unquestionably deep blue paper, completely sound, Fine to Very Fine. *Our review of stamp auction network sales records shows these appear 1 to 4 times per year*, with 1980 and 2010 P.F. certificates. Scott \$27,500. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000

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Two men are solely responsible for the stamp being available to collectors. One meant well and the other didn't. The first was Arthur Travers, who worked in the Third Assistant Postmaster General's office. At his request, Travis received four complete sets of blue paper panes in 1909, sending one set each to the National Archives (Sloane noted in a Jun 5 1937 column that the Post Office Department "only recently discovered" it possessed a set of sheets), and to the National Museum. The generally accepted version of the story is that Steinmetz used his friendship with Travers to persuade Travers to steal part or all of the 200 blue paper examples of each denomination that were scheduled for destruction and give them to Steinmetz in exchange for a "commission" of \$1,500. Upon discovery, Travers was fired, indicted, then made a plea agreement to give the government the \$1,500 and the case was dropped. Then, in 1914, a philatelist named Joseph B. Leavy was officially appointed to organize the museum's collection. He broke the set of sheets given by Travers to the museum, retaining a block of each for the museum and trading most of the remaining stamps to dealers, with a large majority to the Nassau Stamp Company of NYC and a small group to famed Washington D.C. dealer H. F. Colman, in exchange for other materials the museum needed for its collection. Sloane wrote in his July 10, 1937 column (p. 292) "In fact, the number (of 4¢ & 8¢) in philatelic is about 150 each, according to a writer (Mekeel's Weekly, June 14th), who mentions a transaction in Philadelphia involving about 200 each of the 4¢ and 8¢, and which...a postal official was indicted and dismissed. This writer adds, "A fair number of stamps had ben sold but it is said the balance were returned and destroyed." He believes that 50 each remained in philatelic hands, all these additional to those swapped by the government at a later date.'"



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**SOUND 8¢ BLuish PAPER (SCOTT #363)**

**2841 ★** **1909, 8¢ olive green, on bluish paper (Scott 363)**, o.g., lightly hinged, lovely olive shade, centered to bottom right like many others, Very Fine and rare and will look great in your album. *Our review of stamp auction network sales records shows these appear 1 to 4 times per year*, with 1993 P.F. certificate. Scott \$30,000. Estimate \$20,000 - 30,000

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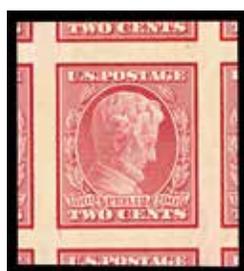
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- 2842 ★ 1909, 10¢ yellow, on bluish paper (Scott 364), o.g., lightly hinged, clean with radiant color on unmistakable paper, centered just to right; reperforated at right, Fine to Very Fine appearance, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2843 ★ 1909, 10¢ yellow, on bluish paper (Scott 364), o.g., lightly hinged at top and barely at bottom right, lovely vibrant color; reperfed at left, otherwise Fine, with 2004 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2844 ★ 1909, 10¢ yellow, on bluish paper (Scott 364), o.g., hinged, pretty stamp in lustrous color with three balanced margins (bottom wide); reperforated at right, near Very Fine appearance, with 1984 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2845 ★ 1909, 13¢ blue green, on bluish paper (Scott 365), o.g., lightly hinged at top, an outstanding stamp with gorgeous color and an extremely detailed impression on nicely blued paper, Fine to Very Fine, with 1994 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,600. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2846 ★ 1909, 15¢ pale ultramarine, on bluish paper (Scott 366), disturbed o.g., fresh color on strongly blued paper; reperfed at top, otherwise Fine, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2847 ★ 1909, 15¢ pale ultramarine, on bluish paper (Scott 366), right margin part imprint single, o.g., lightly hinged, an attractive stamp with bright color and clear details on unmistakable paper; selva tab could fit another stamp, Extremely Fine, *only five stamps grade thus, with just four higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2008 P.S.E. (photocopy for block of four, this position 2) and 2022 P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,000. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

## 1909 COMMEMORATIVE ISSUES



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- 2848 ★★ 1909, 2¢ Lincoln Centenary, imperf. (Scott 368), o.g., never hinged, flawlessly printed and magnificently framed by portions or all surrounding stamps, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ **Gem 100J**; \$410. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2849 ★★ 1909, 2¢ Lincoln Centenary, imperf. (Scott 368), horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, a beauty with fresh color and crisp detail, sound amid jumbo margins, Superb, *a Top of the Pop*, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ **Gem 100J**; \$820 as singles. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2850 ★ 1909, 2¢ Lincoln Centenary, bluish paper (Scott 369), bottom margin single, o.g., barest trace of hinge (appears never hinged), a choice jumbo, with immense color depth, crystal-clear detail, and perfect centering; a must-have for the Lincoln enthusiast, Superb, *the sole stamp to grade thus, with just a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 1991 P.F. (for block of four, this position 3, and for single) and 2025 P.S.E. certificates, the last graded SUP 98 J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$550.* Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2851 ★★ 1909, 2¢ Alaska-Yukon (Scott 370), o.g., never hinged, as pretty as they come, flawlessly printed and centered amid margins that are jumbo in all but name, Superb, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$310.* Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2852 ○ 1909, 2¢ Hudson-Fulton, imperf. (Scott 373), duplex cancel, huge even margins all around with small parts of adjacent stamps at top, left, and top left, superb in every respect, Superb, only 4 used stamps have achieved this highest possible grade. No examples have been graded 100J., with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$300. Scott \$28. Estimate \$300 - 400

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

- 2853 ★ 1910, 2¢ lake, S.L. watermark (Scott 375b), o.g., barest trace of hinge, dark rich color clearly in the lake shade, plus a proof quality impression on bright white paper with full even perfs all around and wide margins, Very Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate. Scott \$825. Estimate \$600 - 800

The inks used for postage dues were used by mistake in printing a small quantity of sheets of this issue.

- 2854 ★ 1910, 2¢ lake, S.L. watermark (Scott 375b), o.g., very lightly hinged, sound and fresh with bold color and sharp detail, Fine to Very Fine, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$825. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2855 ★★ 1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark (Scott 376), bright margins and sharp tone, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$550. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2856 ★★ 1911, 8¢ olive green, S.L. watermark (Scott 380), bottom margin part imprint single, o.g., never hinged, a lovely positional with robust color and clear details set amid fresh jumbo margins, Extremely Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90J. SMQ XF 90J; \$600. Scott \$200. Estimate \$600 - 700
- 2857 ★★ 1911, 15¢ pale ultramarine, S.L. watermark (Scott 382), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with clean color on bright white paper; a choice example, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with photocopy of 2012 P.S.E. certificate for block of four, this position 4. Scott \$500. Estimate \$500 - 750

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



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2858 ★★ 1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 12 horizontally (Scott 386), pair, o.g., never hinged, sound with solid perforations, design with razor-sharp detail in bold, deep color, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only one pair grades thus, with just two higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 1992, 2000 and 2012 P.F. certificates, the last graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$875. Scott \$700. Estimate \$600 - 800

2859 ★★ 1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 387), o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with solid detail in strong color, nearly Very Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$450. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2860 ★ 1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 387), guide line pair, o.g., lightly hinged, a stunning item, mathematically centered and crisply printed in enticing color, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Solo Top of the Pop, the only line pair so graded in PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,250 as a "90". Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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- 2861 ★ **1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 388), pair (3mm spacing), mount glazed o.g., phenomenal color and a highly detailed impression on fresh white paper, exceptionally fresh appearing and Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000**

The first day for Scott 388 is Nov. 1, 1910, and edu is Jan. 4, 1911. The first day for Scott 393, the perf 8½ coil, is Dec. 16, 1910 and the edu is Dec. 27, 1910 (BEFORE THE EDU FOR #388!!) We can infer from this that Scott 388 had a short print run before being replaced, explaining its rarity in the philatelic marketplace.

- 2862 ★ **1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 388), o.g., lightly hinged (small paper inclusion), Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded F-VF 75. SMQ F-VF 75; \$875. Estimate \$500 - 750**

- 2863 ○ **1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 388), clean and sound with bold, radiant color and sharp lines, centered just to right with duplex cancel, nearly Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000**



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- 2864 ○ **1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark, the “Orangeburg” coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 389), typical wavy line cancel; typical light diagonal creases, Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate. Scott \$9,000. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000**

(photo on front cover)

The 3¢ Orangeburg coil was made by the Post Office Department specifically for use by the Bell Pharmaceutical Company of Orangeburg NY on covers and clasp envelopes transporting product samples (which were not flat) to physicians and dentists. As a result of this commercial use, many of the surviving stamps are faulty (creases, tears, thins, etc.).

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



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- 2865 ★★ 1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 390), pair, o.g., never hinged, rich color and a proof-quality impression, plus superior centering on bright white paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, only 16 pairs have achieved this impressive grade and only 3 pairs have achieved a higher grade, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$250. Scott \$22. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2866 ○ 1910, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 390), a pristine jumbo with bold color and crisp lines, lightly cancelled and sound, Superb, *one of just two stamps grading thus, with a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$400. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2867 ★★ 1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, vertical coil, perf. 8½ horizontally (Scott 391), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, flawless in all respect, beautifully centered with rich color and clean impression; a worthy addition to any collection, Extremely Fine, with 1996 P.S.E. certificate for guide line strip of four, this positions 1-2. Scott \$575. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2868 ★★ 1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 393), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, pristine and sound with solid perforations and captivatingly deep, rich color, Very Fine+, with 1987 P.F. and 2013 P.S.A.G. certificates. Scott \$650. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2869 ★★ 1910, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 393), line pair, bright, newly issued look, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90 and 1976 P.F. certificate. SMQ XF 90; \$1,150. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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- 2870 ★★ 1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 394), 3mm spacing, *paste-up strip of 6*, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh, tab beneath position 4 with partial imprint and star, position 3 adding a rich, deep shade, Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$990 as three pairs. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2871 ★★ 1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 394), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color and razor-sharp lines, meticulously centered amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2004 P.F. and 2006 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$850. Scott Stamp Values \$600 as a "95". Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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2872 ★★

1911, 3¢ deep violet, type I, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 394), o.g., never hinged, choice example with rich color and crisp lines, sound with near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$600. Scott \$135. Estimate \$500 - 750



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2873 ★★

1913, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 396), pair, Clean border alignment, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95 and 2024 P.S.E. graded XF 90 certificate. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,150. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,200



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2874 ★★

1913, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 8½ vertically (Scott 396), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with exceptional color and centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$550. Scott \$135. Estimate \$400 - 600



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2875 ★★

1913, 1¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 397), fresh registration and bold impression, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$550. Estimate \$400 - 600

### 1913-1915 PANAMA-PACIFIC ISSUE



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1913, 1¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 397), top margin single with plate number 6128, deep fresh ink color, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$550. Estimate \$400 - 600



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1913, 2¢ Panama-Pacific, photo essay (Scott 398-E1), in black, mounted on card, design 34 x 22mm, mounted on 101 x 76mm thick gray card, depicting Golden Gate as adopted for the 5¢ design, reverse with "Stamp Division/P.O. Dept./Feb./21/1912" double-circle handstamp, Very Fine. *Unique thus.* Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500

This was a photo of an incomplete ink and wash drawing of frame design longer than adopted with photo of wash drawing of Golden Gate as eventually used (reduced) on 5¢ value. There is another 2¢ Panama-Pacific "Golden Gate" photographic essay that was offered in the Fekete collection that was embellished with additional ink and wash features.



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2878 ★★

1913, 2¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 398), o.g., never hinged, pristine with intense color, clean impression and mathematically balanced margins; an all-around beauty, Superb, with 2013 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$650. Scott Stamp Values \$850. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 2879 ★★ 1913, 5¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 399), sharp detail, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2016 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$650. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2880 ★★ 1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange yellow (Scott 400), o.g., never hinged, pristine in radiant color without a whisper of oxidation, sound and wonderfully centered, Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$400. Scott \$250. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2881 ★★ 1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange yellow (Scott 400), o.g., never hinged, mathematically centered with deep, rich color and bold impression, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$650. Scott \$250. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2882 ★★/★田 1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange yellow (Scott 400), block of 4, clean and sound with intense color, clean impression, and exceptional centering, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,200 as singles. Scott \$730 as singles. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2883 ★★ 1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange (Scott 400A), o.g., never hinged, absolutely pristine, with deep, pulsating color cleanly printed on glowing white paper, exquisitely centered with jumbo margins all around, Superb, *the sole stamp grading thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2003 and 2025 P.S.E. certificates, the former graded XF-SUP 95 J, the latter graded SUP 98 J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$4,600. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



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- 2884 ★★ 1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange (Scott 400A), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with immense color depth and superior centering; eye appeal outstrips its grade, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$775. Scott \$390. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2885 ★★ 1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange (Scott 400A), o.g., never hinged, an attention-grabbing stamp with luxuriant, pristine color on matching paper, sound and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2011 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,150. Scott \$390. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2886 ★★田 1915, 5¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 403), block of 4, o.g., never hinged, pristine with alluring color and clarity, well centered throughout and sound, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,600 as singles. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2887 ○ 1915, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 404), double oval registry cancel, extremely well centered within boardwalk sized margins on bright fresh paper, Extremely Fine, 3 have achieved this lofty grade and only 12 have graded higher (9 graded 95), with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90J. SMQ XF 90J; \$285. Scott \$70. Estimate \$250 - 350

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



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- 2888 ○ 1912, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 405), wavy line cancel, a phenomenal stamp with wonderful color and centering, plus a neat cancel on crisp paper with long even perf tips, Superb, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$300. Scott \$1. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2889 ★ 1912, 2¢ lake, type I, color error, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 406c), o.g., lightly hinged, with razor-sharp detail in bold, deep color, paper bright with perforations clear on all sides; tiny inclusion in bottom margin, Fine+, with 1985 P.F. certificate as #406var. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2890 ★ 1912, 2¢ lake, type I, color error, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 406c), Exceptionally rich hue, o.g., previously hinged, Extremely Fine, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$2,900. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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2891 ○ 1912, 2¢ lake, type I, color error, S.L. watermark, perf. 12, A GREAT RARITY (Scott 406c), grid cancel, clear lake shade and highly detailed impression on bright paper; few small shallow thins only visible in fluid, Fine appearance, *one of only 2 known used examples, the other is ex Natalee Grace & Gorham (2003 P.F. & P.S.E. certificates), with 2007 P.S.E. certificate.* Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

The inks used for postage dues were used by mistake in printing a small quantity of sheets of this issue.

1912 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, SL WMK, IMPERF



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2892 ★★/★田 1912, 1¢ green & 2¢ carmine, imperforate, Kansas City roulettes (Scott 408, 409 vars.), a pristine block of each, hinged at top (bottom stamps never hinged), on Aug. 4, 1919 Jackson County, Missouri affidavit of M.O. Canfield swearing to their authenticity; stamps with “MOC” and “WW” authentication initials penciled on back, Very Fine, an appealing auxiliary item. Scott \$300+. Estimate \$500 - 750

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

2893 ★★ 1912, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 412), guide line strip of 4, o.g., never hinged, pristine with bright, intense color and crisp impression, wonderfully centered on glowing white paper, Extremely Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate for strip of six. Scott \$370 as line pair & singles. Estimate \$500 - 600



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2894 ★★ 1912, 2¢ carmine, S.L. watermark, horizontal coil, perf. 12 vertically (Scott 413), very pretty pair with rich color and a highly detailed impression, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, only 5 pairs have earned this lofty grade with only 3 95s and a 98J exceeding it, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$385. Scott \$260. Estimate \$350 - 500

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

2895 ★ 1912, 10¢ brown yellow, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 416a), o.g., lightly hinged, pristine with intense color on like-new paper, Fine to Very Fine for this item, with 2001 P.S.E. and 2007 P.F. certificates. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$500 - 750

2896 ★ 1914, 20¢ ultramarine, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 419), o.g., very lightly hinged, all-around pristine stamp, with rich color, bright paper and mathematical centering, Superb, *only four stamps grade thus, with just three higher, in PSE's Population Report*, ex Laehder, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$800. Scott \$190. Estimate \$600 - 800

2897 ★★ 1914, 30¢ orange red, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 420), o.g., never hinged, in deep, pulsating color with bold lines and mathematical centering; a gorgeous stamp, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2025 P.F. 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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2898 ★★田 1914, 50¢ violet, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 421), full wide top margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, sound with rich color and solid perforations, fresh and crisply printed, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,100 as singles. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

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

2899 ★田 1912, 50¢ violet, D.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 422), block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged, with captivatingly deep, rich color and clear impression, sound with all perforations intact (horizontal guide line only makes it *appear* otherwise), Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$900. Estimate \$400 - 600

2900 ★★ 1912, \$1 violet brown, D.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 423), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with immense color depth and clean detail, Very Fine, with 1997 P.F., 2016 P.F. and 2023 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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2901 ★ 1912, \$1 violet brown, D.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 423), o.g., lightly hinged, the picture of perfection, with precision printing and perforating. Superb. A truly phenomenal stamp, for when only the best will do. *Only one stamp in any condition (o.g.) attains this top grade in PSE's Population Report, with 1991 P.F. and 2012 P.S.A.G. certificates, the latter graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100; \$2,250. Scott \$475.* Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

2902 ○ 1914, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 x 10 (Scott 423A), Chicago Illinois precancel, fabulous bright color on bright paper; natural straight edge at top and light horizontal crease, Fine appearance, *Scott footnote states "21 unused, 53 used, and 4 on cover examples are recorded. Of the used examples, 23 are precanceled Quincy IL (very scarce) or Chicago (usually inverted)."*, ex "Sirron", with 1988 P.F. certificate. Scott \$5,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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2903 ○ 1914, 2¢ rose red, type I, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 x 10 (Scott 423B), light wavy line machine cancel, deep rich color, centered to bottom right; pulled corner perf at top right, otherwise Fine, *Scott footnote states "one unused and 32 used examples are recorded. There are no precancels known for this issue."* This example is not among the 32 examples known to the editors., with 2012 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$15,000. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000

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1914, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 x 10 (Scott 423C), light grid cancel, intense color and strong impression; diagonal crease at top left is not visible when the stamp is in your album, Fine to Very Fine appearance, *Scott footnote states "24 used examples are recorded.3 are precanceled". We note that 14 of the 24 have faults and 4 need to be checked properly.*, ex Bakwin (where described as "A VERY HANDSOME EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE COMPOUND PERFORATION VARIETY, BEING ONE OF THE BETTER CENTERED AND MOST ATTRACTIVE OF THE USED SINGLES CERTIFIED BY THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION.", with 1950, 1990 & 2015 P.F. certificates. Scott \$21,500. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

(photo on front cover)



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- 2905 ○ 1914, 1¢ green, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 x 12 (Scott 423D), Dayton Ohio precancel, beautiful deep dark color; couple of very faint creases that only show when drying, Fine to Very Fine appearance, *Scott footnote states "51 used and 5 covers are recorded."* (actually, there are 5 postcards and 1 cover). Scott \$8,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

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

- 2906 ★★田 1914, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 428), top right full pane of 100 with plate number 7237, o.g., never hinged, with wide selvage top and right; rich color and razor-sharp detail throughout, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$7,900 as plates & singles. (photo on web site) Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2907 ★★ 1915, 11¢ dark green, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 434), o.g., never hinged, with strikingly bold color and sharp detail, mathematically centered on pristine paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$425. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2908 ★★ 1914, 15¢ gray, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 437), o.g., never hinged, a lovely stamp with strong, bright color, clean impression, and impeccable centering on bright paper, Superb, *only eight stamps grade thus, with just two 98Js higher; in PSE's Population Report*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$5,250. Estimate \$4,000 - 5,000



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2909 ★★/★田 1914, 15¢ gray, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 437), block of 4, fresh and sound with bright color on pristine paper, top left and bottom right stamps never hinged, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$790 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600



2910

2910 ★★ 1914, 20¢ ultramarine, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 438), o.g., never hinged, with radiant color on immaculate paper, sound with near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only nine stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,500. Scott Stamp Values \$2,250. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



2911

2911 ★田 1914, 20¢ ultramarine, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 438), left margin block of 4 with plate number 6908, o.g., lightly hinged, a pretty positional with clean color and impression on lily-white paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$800. Estimate \$500 - 750



2912

2912 ★★ 1914, 30¢ orange red, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 439), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with ravenous color and near-perfect centering; fresh, sound and *select*, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$3,000. Scott \$500. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



2913

2913 ★★/★田 1914, 30¢ orange red, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 439), block of 4, immaculate with intense color on bright paper, sound and nicely centered, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,450 as singles. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



2914

2914 ★★ 1915, 50¢ violet, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 440), o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, Very Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate for block of 4, this being the bottom right stamp. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$500 - 750

**A SUPERB PERF. 10 50¢ WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN  
SINGLE LINE WATERMARK (SCOTT #440)**



**2915**

**2915 ★★**

**1915, 50¢ violet, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 440), o.g., never hinged, a fabulous stamp featuring dark color and a proof-like impression on brilliant white paper with full even perms all around perfectly framing the design, Superb, one of only seven never hinged examples to earn this lofty and impressive grade, with just a single 100 higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$12,000. Estimate \$7,500 - 10,000**



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2916 ★★田 1915, 50¢ violet, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 440), block of 4, o.g., never hinged, face-fresh with bright color and clean impression, solidly centered with sound perforations; position 1 with a perforation disc on the gum, otherwise Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,400 as singles. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



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

2917 ★★ 1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 444), guide line pair, o.g., never hinged, a stunner with jaw-droppingly immense color and razor-sharp detail; an all-around beauty, Extremely Fine, *a very scarce and undervalued genuine coil*, with 1993 and 2006 P.F. certificates. Scott \$650. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

2918 ★★ 1914, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 445), pair, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with deep, rich color and proof-like detail, sound and enticing, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$2,000. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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2919 ○ 1914, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 445), Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$4,250. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



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2920 ★★ 1914, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 446), line pair, deep, clean strike, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90 and 2004 P.F. certificate. SMQ XF 90; \$2,850. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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2921 ○ 1914, 4¢ brown, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 446), guide line pair, lovely positional with strong color and impression, exceptionally lightly cancelled, nearly Very Fine, scarce used, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 2922 ○ 1914, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, flat plate coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 447), pair, fresh with immense color depth and clarity of line, wonderfully centered and lightly cancelled (left stamp face-free), Extremely Fine, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$375. Estimate \$500 - 750

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

- 2923 ★★ 1915, 2¢ red, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 horizontally (Scott 449), joint line pair, o.g., lightly hinged (bottom stamp arguably never hinged), beautiful color and a detailed impression, exceptionally fresh and complete sound and intact, Fine example of this short lived and very challenging joint line pair, with 1990 P.F. certificate. Scott \$13,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000
- 2924 ★★ 1914, 2¢ carmine rose, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 453), line pair, clean, untouched state, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2022 P.S.A.G. certificate graded VF-XF 85 and 1989 P.F. certificate. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$1,900. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2925 ★★ 1915, 2¢ red, type II, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 454), line pair, intense lively surface, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. and 2019 P.F. certificates, both graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$1,600. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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- 2926 ★ 1915, 2¢ red, type II, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 454), joint line pair, o.g., lightly hinged at top, bright color, typical misalignment of the entries where the plates came together, Choice Very Fine, with 1978 P.F. certificate. Scott \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2927 ★★ 1916, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 456), pair, o.g., never hinged, clean and fresh with crisp color and solid perforations, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80; \$1,150. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2928 ★★ 1916, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 456), o.g., never hinged, a glorious pair with cool color on lily-white paper and superior centering; both stamps with small blue "HH" in circle backstamps that do not show thru, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$1,350. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 2929 ★★ 1916, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 456), o.g., never hinged, crisply printed in cool color on lily-white paper, sound and appealing, Extremely Fine, with 2010 and 2025 P.S.E. certificates, each graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$975. Scott \$550. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2930 ★★/★ 1916, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 456), pair, o.g., hinge remnant at top center, sharp impression on fresh paper, Fine to Very Fine, each stamp signed Sloane. Scott \$575. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2931 ○ 1916, 3¢ violet, type I, S.L. watermark, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 456), Remarkably bright example, wavy line machine cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$380. Estimate \$250 - 350

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



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- 2932 ★★ 1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, imperf. horizontal coil (Scott 459), o.g., never hinged, immaculate with lustrous color and clean impression, sound and mathematically centered, Superb, *only three 100s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$750. Scott \$375. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2933 ★★ 1914, 2¢ carmine, type I, S.L. watermark, imperf. horizontal coil (Scott 459), o.g., never hinged, sound with deep color, sharp lines and balanced margins; minor natural gum skips at bottom, Extremely Fine, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$425. Scott \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400

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

- 2934 ★★ 1915, 2¢ pale carmine red, type I, S.L. watermark, perf. 11 (Scott 461), o.g., never hinged, choice example with vivid, rich color on immaculate paper, Extremely Fine, with 2021 P.F. certificate. Scott \$350. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2935 ○ 1915, 2¢ pale carmine red, type I, S.L. watermark, perf. 11 (Scott 461), fresh with luxuriant color and mathematical centering, cancel face-free and unobtrusive, Extremely Fine to Superb, *a Top of the Pop; PSE's Population Report records just one stamp at this apex grade*, with 2019 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,650. Scott \$375. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800

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



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- 2936 ★★ 1916, 5¢ carmine color error, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 467), the single error in a horizontal strip of 3, o.g., never hinged, rich color, fresh and Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2937 ★★ 1916, 5¢ carmine color error, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 467), o.g., never hinged, pristine with rich, deep color and solid centering amid jumbo margins; flanked by portions of adjacent 2¢ stamps, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80J. SMQ VF 80J; \$925. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2938 ★田 1916, 5¢ carmine color error, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 467), the double error in a block of 12, Post Office fresh with all perforations intact, hinge remnant position 2, position 1 with light gum disturbance, all other stamps—including the errors—never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 2939 ★★ 1916, 10¢ orange yellow, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 472), o.g., never hinged, with solid centering and clean impression, the color vivid less just a whisper of oxidation at lower right corner, still Extremely Fine+, with 2000 P.F. and 2025 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$250. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2940 ★★ 1916, 15¢ gray, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 475), o.g., never hinged, bright and clean with solid color magnificently set amidst jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only three stamps grade thus, with seven 98s higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$3,300. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500

**A SUPERB UNWATERMARKED PERF. 10 20¢ WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN (SCOTT #476)**



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**2941 ★★**

**1916, 20¢ light ultramarine, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 476), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with choice color and centering, flawlessly printed and sound, Superb, only nine stamps grade thus, with a single 98J higher, in PSE's Population Report, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$8,000. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000**



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- 2942 ★田 1916, 20¢ light ultramarine, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 476), block of 4, o.g., hinged, appealing with clean impression and vivid color, sound and nicely centered, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$960. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2943 ★ 1917, 50¢ light violet, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 477), o.g., very lightly hinged, a gorgeous stamp with regal color and clean impression, sound and near-perfectly centered amid bright, big margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 1976 P.F. certificate. Scott \$800. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2944 ★★ 1916, \$1 violet black, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 478), lively Post Office fresh glow, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. and 2006 P.F. certificates, both graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$2,350. Estimate \$1,800 - 2,200
- 2945 ★ 1916, \$1 violet black, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott 478), o.g., previously hinged at top leaving the majority of the gum undisturbed, rich color and proof quality impression, Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate. Scott \$575. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 2946 ★田 1917, \$2 dark blue, perf. 10 (Scott 479), bottom margin block of 4 with plate number 8015, o.g., very lightly hinged, well-centered throughout, in bold color with clean detail; a pretty positional piece, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$800. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2947 ★★ 1917, \$5 light green, perf. 10 (Scott 480), o.g., never hinged, solidly centered in gorgeous color and clean detail, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate for block of four, this position 1. Scott \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2948 ★★ 1917, \$5 light green, perf. 10 (Scott 480), o.g., never hinged, a high-grading beauty with flawless detail in bright, rich color, all near-perfectly centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,100. Scott \$375. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

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



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2950 ★★ 1917, 1¢ green, horizontal pair, imperf. between (Scott 498b), two pairs (positions 1-2 & 5-6) in right margin vertical block of 32 with plate number 10662; rows 3-8 with vertical blind perforations running through left “1”s; sharp detail in bold color, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,000 for two pairs. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

2951 BK★ 1917, 1¢ green, perf. 11, A.E.F. booklet pane of 30 (Scott 498f), position W2 or W8, o.g., lightly hinged positions 1, 4, 7 & 10, fresh and sound with bright, inviting color, Fine to Very Fine, with 2016 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$600 - 800



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2952 BK★★ 1917, 1¢ green, perf. 11, A.E.F. booklet pane of 30 (Scott 498f), position W11, o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with exceptionally deep color; siderographer’s initials (W.McA.) in left tab; massive top margin, the bottom stamps cut into less positions 29-30, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,700. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2953 BK★★ 1917, 1¢ green, perf. 11, A.E.F. booklet pane of 30 (Scott 498f), position W6, o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with proof-like color and clarity, tab at left shows guideline at bottom, no sign of the arrow at right, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,700. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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1916-1917 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE,  
FLAT PLATE, UNWMK, IMPERF

EXHIBITION-WORTHY IMPERFORATE 5¢ ERROR OF COLOR (SCOTT  
#485) IN BLOCK OF 30

- 2949 ★★田 **1917, 5¢ carmine color error, unwatermarked, imperf. (Scott 485)**, a true Post Office fresh right margin block of 30 with arrow, the error position 18, flawlessly printed with rich color and balanced margins all around, o.g., never hinged; small inclusion position 4 noted strictly for accuracy, Very Fine. *A centerpiece for the finest of collections.* Scott \$22,500 as block of nine. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000

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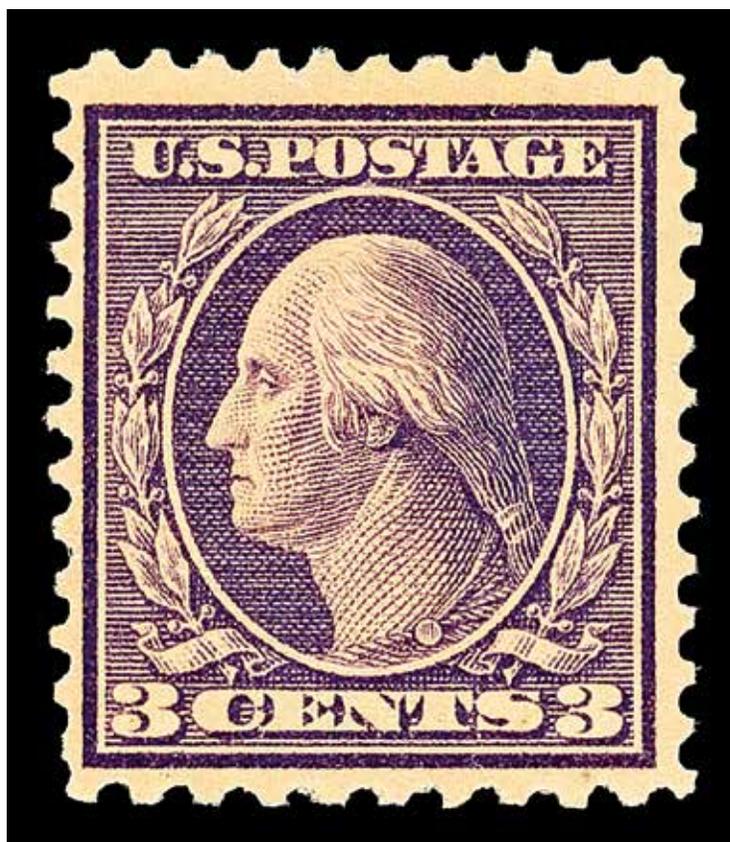
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**1917, 1¢ green, perf. 10 at bottom, 11 o.g. examples known! (Scott 498g)**, o.g., never hinged, gorgeous color, centered to bottom left, as fresh as the day it was printed at the Bureau over 100 years ago, Fine, *Our review of Philatelic Foundation records and sales on Stamp Auction Network located 11 perf 10 and 4 transitional (stamp part perf 10 and part perf 11, at either top or bottom) examples, consisting of 5 singles, top single in pair; 2 plus 2 transitional in a block of 25, 2 plate blocks of six with 1 and a transitional example, and a plate block of 6 with 1 example.* Scott \$27,500 as fine.

Estimate \$8,000 - 12,000

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1917, 3¢ dark violet, type II, perf. 10 at bottom, 3 o.g. examples known! (Scott 502e), o.g., never hinged, bright color and a sharp proof like impression; small very faint horizontal crease barely shows when drying, light pencil “perf 10 bottom”, 502 on back, Very Fine, we record 3 mint examples; the others are PFC 97347 & 560431 (perf 10 at top; light overall toning) and 128362 (perf 10 at bottom; no comments on hinging and condition), the perf 10 at top example sold at public auction in 2002 for \$12,500 hammer, with 2020 P.S.E. and 2013 A.P.E.X. certificates. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

(photo on front cover)

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2955 ★ 1917, 2¢ “Boston lake” color error, type I, perf. 11 (Scott 499h), o.g., very lightly hinged, a striking stamp with tell-tale distinctive, dull shade, crisply printed in superior centering; small natural paper inclusion, tiny thin at top left, otherwise Extremely Fine, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$600. Estimate \$400 - 600

2956 ★ 1917, 2¢ Boston lake color error, type I, perf. 11 (Scott 499h var.), o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with clean lines and defining shade, Fine to Very Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate as #499 noting shade. Scott \$600. Estimate \$300 - 400



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2958 ★★ 1917, 5¢ blue, perf. 11 (Scott 504), saturated color and fresh, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$475. Estimate \$400 - 500

2959 ★★ 1917, 5¢ rose color error, perf. 11 (Scott 505), pure, untouched freshness, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$2,150. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

2960 ★★田 1917, 5¢ rose color error, perf. 11 (Scott 505), the double error in a block of 12, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh in bright color, sound with natural straight edge at bottom; position 9 with light gum crease; perforation tip loss post-certification position 1, Fine to Very Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500

2961 ★★田 1917, 5¢ rose color error, perf. 11 (Scott 505), the single error in a complete bottom right pane of 100 #499 with plate number 7942, bright and fresh with crisp detail, the error (position 18) and its block of nine never hinged; position 100 hinged (all others never hinged); 2018 certificate also notes small gum disturbance and hinge reinforcements in right margin, nearly Very Fine, with 2018 and 2024 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$1,099 as positionals & singles. (photo on web site) Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2962 ★★田 1917, 5¢ rose color error, perf. 11 (Scott 505), the double error in a block of 12, o.g., never hinged, sound and bright with sharp detail and appealing centering, nearly Very Fine. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 2963 ○ 1917, 5¢ rose color error, perf. 11 (Scott 505), the single error in a horizontal strip of 3, a gem multiple, boldly colored and cleanly printed, sound with the lightest possible town duplex cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, an extraordinary piece, with 2002 P.F. certificate. Scott \$600 as used single. Estimate \$800 - 1,000



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- 2964 ○ 1917, 6¢ red orange, perf. 10 at bottom, 21 used examples known! (Scott 506a), Parkersburg W. VA. precancel, bright color, completely sound, Fine, 21 used singles and 1 stamp part perf 10 and part perf 11 are listed in Siegel's online census; of these, **only six singles are confirmed as sound** (including the one in the block; 2 unchecked). Between 2000 and 2020, zero to 2 appeared per year. None have appeared since we offered an example in late 2020, ex "Sirron", with 19?? (#85234) and 2011 P.F. certificates, former no longer accompanies. Scott \$8,000. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

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- 2965 ○ **1917, 8¢ olive bister, perf. 10 at top, 24 used examples known! (Scott 508c)**, Hartford Conn precancel, rich color, centered to right, completely sound, Fine, *11 sound, 12 faulty and 1 unchecked are listed in Siegel's online census; between 2000 and 2020, zero to 4 appeared per year; none have appeared since we offered an example in Feb. 2020, ex "Sirron", with 2009 P.F. certificate. Scott \$9,000.* Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

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**1917, 9¢ salmon red, perf. 10 at bottom, 39 used examples known! (Scott 509a)**, Reading PA precancel, lovely shade on bright white paper with full even perfs all around, small corner creases at top right and bottom right Fine appearing stamp, 35 used examples (7 sound, 21 faulty and 7 unchecked) are listed in Siegel's online census, plus we found 3 very faulty others in the PF records and one sound example with a Tell City Ind. precancel and a 1980 PFC (which we couldn't find) sold at auction in 2004 (meaning 39 used examples; with 34 precanceled); between 1998 and 2020, zero to 3 appeared per year; this is the second example to appear at auction between July 2020 and today, ex Floyd & "Sirron", with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$7,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

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2967 ★★

**1917, 10¢ orange yellow, perf. 11 (Scott 510)**, o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous stamp with immense color depth, bold and bright with exceptional centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$375. Scott Stamp Values \$425. Estimate \$350 - 500

2968 ★★

**1917, 11¢ light green, perf. 10 at bottom (Scott 511a)**, bottom right stamp with transitional perf 10/11, in top right corner block of four (the other stamps #511), o.g., never hinged, fresh with deep color and crystal-clear detail, Fine to Very Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$6,000+. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500

2969 ○

**1917, 11¢ light green, transitional perfs at bottom, 2/3 perf 10 & 1/3 perf 11 (Scott 511a)**, light cancel at bottom left leaves a high percentage of the stamp unobscured, bright color and a sharp impression; tiny thin spot at top center and top right corner perf tip crease, Fine, the vast majority are precanceled, off center, and faulty, since 1999, between zero and 3 used examples appear each year; with 2008 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,250. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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- 2970 ○ **1917, 12¢ claret brown, perf. 10 at top, 20 used examples known! (Scott 512b)**, Fine as are the vast majority of the 20 used examples known to exist, 7 sound (one on cover), 9 faulty and 3 unchecked are listed in Siegel's online census, which does not yet include the example we sold in our Aristocrats sale this past November; from 1998 to the present day, zero to 2 examples have appeared each year; ex Schilling, Zoellner, Blumenkoph, "Natalee Grace" and Curtis, with 1950 & 1998 P.F. certificates. Scott \$15,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

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- 2971 ○ **1917, 20¢ light ultramarine, perf. 10 at bottom, 14 examples known! (Scott 515d)**, boxed "Moline III." cancel, centered to top; reperfed at right, otherwise Fine as are most examples, 7 sound (including 1 transitional) and 6 faulty are listed in Siegel's online census, which does not yet include the defective example we sold last April. From 1998 to the present day, zero to 2 examples have appeared each year; no mint examples are known, with 1954 and 2013 P.F. certificates. Scott \$11,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

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- 2972 ★★ **1917, 30¢ orange red, perf. 11 (Scott 516)**, eye-popping color, wide borders, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$1,100. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,200

- 2973 ★★ **1917, 50¢ red violet, perf. 11 (Scott 517)**, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with robust color, clean detail and near-perfect centering, Superb, with 2012 P.S.A.G. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$1,000. Scott \$115. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

- 2974 ★★ **1917, 50¢ red violet, perf. 11 (Scott 517)**, crisp, clean strike, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$500. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 2975 ★★ **1917, 50¢ red violet, perf. 11 (Scott 517)**, o.g., never hinged, a beauty with flawless color, clarity and centering, destined for a connoisseur's collection, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$500. Scott \$115. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2976 ★ 1917, \$1 deep brown, perf. 11 (Scott 518b), slightly disturbed o.g., lovely deep shade and proof quality impression; reperfed at left, otherwise Fine, the shade identification in the Scott catalog is a misnomer as examples of this stamp must display hues of yellow throughout the design in order to be correctly identified as a #518b, with 2001 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$350 - 500

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

- 2977 ★★ 1917, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, perf. 11 (Scott 519), o.g., never hinged, with sharp detail and superior centering, sound and alluring, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2023 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$1,000. Scott \$950. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 2978 ○ 1917, 2¢ carmine, D.L. watermark, perf. 11 (Scott 519), clean and fresh with crisp color and sharp detail, with partial 1917 "BUY NOW/US Government Bonds/Second Liberty Loan" slogan cancel; small perforation faults, otherwise Very Fine, *rare used*, with 2010 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

### 1918 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, FLAT PLATE, PERF 11

- 2979 ★★ 1918, \$2 orange red & black (Scott 523), o.g., never hinged, Very Fine, with 2001 and 2011 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80; \$1,000. Scott \$1,125. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2980 ○田 1918, \$2 orange red & black (Scott 523), block of 4, clean with wonderfully bright color and sharp vignette, sound with Sept. 4 socked-on-the-nose c.d.s. lightly struck, Fine to Very Fine, a pretty dollar-value multiple. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 2981 ★★ 1918, \$5 deep green & black (Scott 524), o.g., never hinged, bright green and intense black on bright white paper, exceptional centering, Extremely Fine, with 1987 P.F. and 2017 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$500. Scott \$340. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 2982 ★★/★田 1918, \$5 deep green & black (Scott 524), bottom margin block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged (2 stamps never hinged), Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate for block. Scott \$1,020. Estimate \$600 - 800

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



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- 2983 ★★ 1920, 2¢ carmine, type IV, offset printing (Scott 526), near-perfect jumbo margin balance, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$500. Estimate \$350 - 500

1918-1920 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, OFFSET, IMPERF

- 2984 ★★ 1918, 2¢ carmine, type V, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 533), horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, pristine with glowing color on matching paper; full balanced margins all around, with vertical guide line, Extremely Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate. Scott \$425. Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2985 ○ 1918, 2¢ carmine, type V, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 533), horizontal pair with plate number 11260, Benton Harbor, Mich. duplex cancels, with 2019 P.F. certificate and 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ **Gem 100**; \$2,000 for two singles. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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- 2986 ★ 1918, 2¢ carmine, type VII, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 534B), massive top margin single with full margins other 3 sides, o.g., barely hinged (if at all), fresh and bright with clean impression; tiny inclusion at nose, Very Fine nonetheless, with 1959 and 2025 P.F. certificates, the former noting a paper fault (the inclusion not worthy of mention on the latter?). Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

- 2987 ★ 1918, 2¢ carmine, type VII, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 534B), left margin single, o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with radiant color on matching paper sporting full, balanced margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only a single 98 grades higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2001 P.F. (pair, this position 1) and 2026 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,350 (inexplicably). Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 2,500

- 2988 ★★/★田 1918, 3¢ violet, type V, offset printing, imperforate, *nine position blocks* (Scott 535), comprising all four corners, all four arrows and centerline; a wonderfully fresh and bright group showing shade varieties and striking differences in detail; upper left corner block never hinged, others hinged or with hinge remnants, Very Fine. Scott \$465. (photo on web site) Estimate \$250 - 350

## 1919 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, OFFSET, PERF 12½

- 2989 ★★田 1919, 1¢ gray green, offset printing, perf. 12½ (Scott 536), bottom right full pane of 100 with plate number 10052, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with crisp detail on bright paper; minor perforation separations, Fine to Very Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$4,760 as plates & singles. (photo on web site) Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

## 1919 VICTORY ISSUE



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- 2990 ★ 1919, 3¢ Victory, bright red violet (Scott 537a), o.g., previously hinged with tiny hinge remnant at left, gorgeous color and proof quality impression, Fine as are most known examples (Scott footnote “537a is valued in the grade of fine.”), at some point between Sept. 1980, and early 1983, 537a was changed from “bright red violet” to “deep red violet”, with 1976 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$500 - 750

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

- 2991 ★ 1919, 2¢ carmine rose, type II, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 x 10 (Scott 539), o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color and clean impression, three margins full, perforations just outside of frameline at top, Fine+, with 2007 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,700 as Fine. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 2992 ★ 1919, 2¢ carmine rose, type II, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 x 10 (Scott 539), o.g., small single hinge mark at top center, rich color, centered to top right, exceptionally fresh, typical Fine centering, the Scott Catalogue values this issue in the grade of Fine, with 1959 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,750 for Fine. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

## 1922 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, ROTARY SHEET WASTE, PERF 11

- 2993 ○ 1923, 1¢ green, rotary press sheet waste, perf. 11 (Scott 544), San Francisco California precancel, deep shade on bright white paper; thin spot and crease, typical Fine centering, the Scott Catalogue values this issue in the grade of Fine, with 1966 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 2994 ○ 1923, 1¢ green, rotary press sheet waste, perf. 11 (Scott 544), a lovely stamp with cool color on fresh paper, sound with light wavy-line cancel, perforations clear of design all around, Fine to Very Fine, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate for vertical pair, this position 2. Scott \$3,500 as Fine. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



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2995 ○ 1923, 1¢ green, rotary press sheet waste, perf. 11 (Scott 544), choice example with flawless color and impression, bright and clean with a light machine cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only two stamps grade thus, with two higher; in PSE's Population Report*, ex Louis Grunin's gold medal US 20th century collection, with 1958, 1992, 2001 and 2021 P.F. certificates, the last graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$7,750. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000

## 1920 WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN ISSUE, FLAT PLATE, PERF 11



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2996 ★★

1920, \$2 carmine & black (Scott 547), left margin part arrow single, o.g., never hinged, pretty positional with exceptionally strong colors and centering, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$475. Scott \$260. Estimate \$350 - 500



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2997 ★★田

1920, \$2 carmine & black (Scott 547), centerline block of 4, o.g., never hinged, sound and wonderfully centered throughout, in bold color with perforations solid and intact, Very Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500



2998

2998 ★★

1920, 5¢ Pilgrim (Scott 550), wide layout, sharp impression, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$650. Estimate \$500 - 750



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2999 ★★

1920, 5¢ Pilgrim (Scott 550), freshly preserved example, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400

## 1920 PILGRIM TERCENTENARY ISSUE

## 1922-1929 FOURTH BUREAU ISSUE



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1923, 2¢ Washington, perf. 10 at top, 32 used examples known! (Scott 554d), wavy line machine cancel, rich color and a sharp impression; slightly pulled perf at top left, still Fine, Siegel's online census shows 31 used examples with 22 sound (including 1 transitional, 4 on individual covers and 3 in a block of 6 with the bottom pair normal perf 11) and 9 faulty (including 1 in the previously mentioned block of 6), but does not yet include a defective example sold in May 2024; Since the start of 2013, only one used example appeared in the years 2013, 2015, 2016, 2019 and 2024; none were offered in the years 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 and 2025. **It may be a long wait for the next opportunity to acquire this stamp for your collection.** Ex "Sirron", with 2005 P.F. certificate. Scott \$5,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

(photo on front cover)



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- 3001 ★** 1923, 4¢ Martha Washington, perf. 10 at top, a mere 7 unused examples known! (Scott 556b), o.g., lightly hinged, rich color on exceptionally fresh paper, beautifully centered and completely sound, Very Fine and one of the finest centered for this extremely challenging issue, *our review of Philatelic Foundation records shows 2 never hinged (one transitional in a plate block of 6 & other PFC 333685; both sound), 2 faulty hinged, and 1 unchecked (PFC 130420), plus this sound o.g. stamp with a 2012 PSE cert and 1 no gum with a 2019 P.S.E. cert. thus we have 7 mint (2 NH, 3 o.g., 1 unchecked and 1 no gum), and these very rarely turn up at auction, the last o.g. example was offered in 2000 and the no gum example was offered in 2021, FYI we found 9 used examples consisting of 7 precanceled (San Francisco sound, Cleveland faulty, Johnstown PA sound, Jacksonville FL (sound top pair in vertical strip of 4 & 2 faulty singles) & 2 transitional (1 duplex cancel (faulty) & 1 double oval cancel (sound))), with 2012 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$8,000. Estimate \$8,000 - 12,000*

(photo on front cover)



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3002 (★)

**1923, 10¢ Monroe, imperf., without blue pencil defacing lines (Scott 562b)**, horizontal pair, without gum as issued, vivid colors on brilliant paper with even margins all around, trace of offset and pos. 79 & 80 noted in pencil on reverse with guideline at right; right stamp with light natural internal paper wrinkle through the head, which is invisible under magnification as well as the naked eye, Footnote in Scott Specialized reads, “Scott 562b is valued without gum and without blue pencil defacing lines.” and footnote in Scott error catalog reads, “Both (of the 2 imperf panes issued) contained large areas defaced by inspector’s blue pencil marks. It is estimated that only 40 to 50 unmarked pairs exist. Blue pencil marked pairs sell for less. No. 562b was issued without gum.”, *only 2 panes issued and only an estimated 40-50 unmarked pairs exist.*, signed Sloane, with 2009 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

3003 (★)

**1923, 10¢ Monroe, imperf. (Scott 562b)**, left margin horizontal pair, unused without gum, fresh and clean with bold, captivating color and full, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, *only 2 panes issued; unpriced in SMQ*, with 1999 P.F. (photocopy for block of four) and 2024 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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3004 ○

**1923, 10¢ Monroe, perf. 10 at top, 21 used examples known! (Scott 562c)**, Minneapolis Minn. precancel, strong color; light diagonal crease and small surface scrape at bottom right, typical Fine centering (and valued by Scott as such), *our review of Philatelic Foundation records found 21 used examples — the 20 listed in Siegel’s online census and a recently certified Cleveland Ohio precancel with transitional perfs at top and a perfin cancel and other faults, thus we have 18 precanceled (6 sound & 12 faulty), one sound pair with a Chicago registry oval and one sound stamp on cover; a used example of Scott 562c appeared basically once a year until about 2020, and this is the first one to hit the market since then (our sale #733), ex “Sirron”, with 2007 P.F. certificate. Scott \$7,500. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000*



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- 3005 ★★** 1923, 20¢ Golden Gate (Scott 567), right margin single with large five-point hollow star, o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous positional, pristine with deep color and exceptional centering amid jumbo margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$500. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3006 ★** 1923, 20¢ Golden Gate, horizontal pair, imperf. vertically (Scott 567a), o.g., lightly hinged at top center, rich color and detailed impression; light pencil note at bottom right, Fine, *only one half pane of 100 issued (50 pairs); sale records show that between 1998 and 2024 between 0 and 2 were sold each year, except for last year where 4 were sold, including 3 by us*, with 2020 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 3007 ★★** 1923, \$1 Lincoln Memorial (Scott 571), bold ink with deep contrast, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$700. Estimate \$600 - 700
- 3008 ★★** 1923, \$2 U.S. Capitol (Scott 572), radiant deep-hued example, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2021 P.S.E., 2021 Crowe and 2014 P.S.E. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$600. Estimate \$500 - 600



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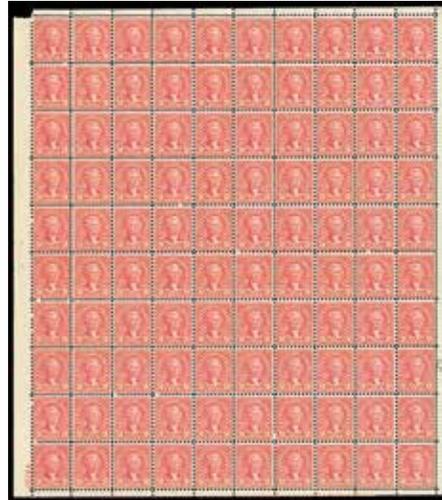


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- 3009 ★★** 1923, \$5 America (Scott 573), centerline block of 4, o.g., never hinged, a beautiful positional, mathematically centered, bright and sound, Extremely Fine. Scott \$825. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3010 ★★** 1923, \$5 America (Scott 573), bottom margin arrow block of 4, o.g., never hinged, a pretty positional, Post Office fresh with vibrant colors; faint horizontal crease at bottom of selva only, Very Fine. Scott \$720 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3011 ★★** 1923, \$5 America (Scott 573), centerline block of 4, monumental margins, cleanly struck, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,700 as 4 singles. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 3012 ★★** 1923, \$5 America, carmine lake & dark blue (Scott 573a), o.g., never hinged, a pretty stamp with bold colors and proof-like vignette; selva tab removed but included, Very Fine, with photocopy of 2024 P.S.A.G. certificate graded VF 80 for arrow block of four, this position 3. SMQ **VF 80**; \$175 inexplicably. Scott \$375. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 3013 ★★** 1923, 1¢ Franklin, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 581), bottom left full pane of 100 with plate number 14349, o.g., never hinged, fresh with intense color and full selva; separations between positions 4 & 5, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,266 as plate & singles. (photo on web site) Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3014 ★★** 1925, 3¢ Lincoln, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 584), o.g., never hinged, a broken full pane of 100 (blocks of 20 and 80), bottom left plate number 18446 block intact, the stamps cleanly printed in bold color; position 29 with a tear, Fine+, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate for intact pane. Scott \$6,185 as plate & singles. (photo on web site) Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



**3015**



**3016**



**3017**

- 3015 ★★田** 1926, 7¢ McKinley, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 588), top right full pane of 100 with plate number 18179, o.g., never hinged, a lovely item, with bold color and clean impression, paper sound and bright, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,921 as plate & singles. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3016 ★★田** 1926, 9¢ Jefferson, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 590), bottom left full pane of 100 with plate number 18194, o.g., never hinged, pretty with solid color on like-new paper; top left corner selvage tab missing, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,425 as plate & singles. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3017 ★★田** 1925, 10¢ Monroe, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 591), top margin vertical block of 15, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with unblemished color and clear to solid centering throughout, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,275 as singles. Estimate \$300 - 400

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**1923 1¢ ROTARY PRESS COIL WASTE (SCOTT #594):  
ONE OF ONLY 8 KNOWN WITH GUM**

3018 ★

**1923, 1¢ Franklin, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 (Scott 594)**, disturbed part o.g., rich color, design clear of perfs on all sides; corner crease at bottom right and small thin spot, Fine. Scott Catalogue states “both unused and used are valued with perforations just touching frameline on one side”. As mentioned earlier in the descriptions of the other 20th Century U.S. rarities, these issues were distributed without an announcement, and the lack of knowledge about their existence directly caused their scarcity today. *18 are known to exist, only 8 of which have full or part gum and no perforated initials. Most were removed from envelopes and postcards including ten without gum and eight with only a small part of original gum. This removal from paper often yielded a small thin, so that today, only six unused copies are sound*, ex Robert Hall, with 1963 and copy of 2008 (#260518) P.F. certificates. Scott \$67,500. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000

Scott Nos. 538-546, 578, 579, 595, 596 and 613 are made from rotary press sheet waste. Rather than just discard the perforated waste, the Bureau opted to utilize it by perforating and cutting the sheets into panes. The waste was put through the flat-plate perforator in use at the time, giving the sheets full perforations on all sides.



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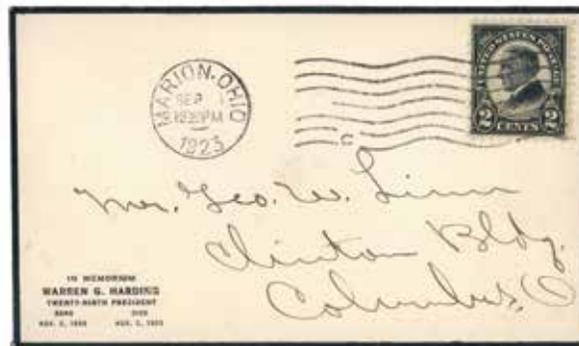
- 3019 ○ **1923, 1¢ Franklin, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 (Scott 594)**, very light cancel; natural straight edge at top, diagonal crease at right, Fine appearing example of this very scarce stamp, Scott footnote reads, “both unused and used are valued with perforations just touching frameline on one side.”, *approximately 125-150 are believed to exist*, signed Scott Stamp & Coin Co. (purple handstamp), with 1961 P.F. and 2003 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$10,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000
- 3020 ★★ **1923, 2¢ Washington, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 (Scott 595)**, o.g., never hinged, fresh with razor-sharp detail and precision centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only five stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2021 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,250. Scott \$425. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 3021 ★★ **1929, 2¢ Washington, type II, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 599A)**, joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, fresh with sound perforations and deep color, cleanly printed, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3022 ★★ **1929, 2¢ Washington, type II, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 599A)**, joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, clean and sound with solid perforations and crisply printed robust color, Fine to Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,150. Estimate \$500 - 750



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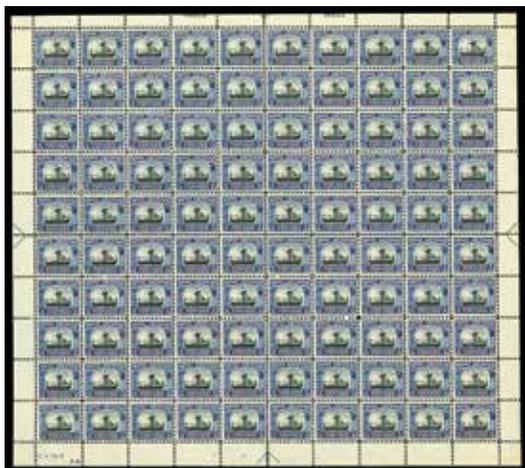
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- 3023 ★★ **1929, 2¢ Washington, type II, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 599A)**, pair, o.g., never hinged, pristine and sound with proof-like presentation and superior centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate for strip of six. Scott \$500. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3024 ★★ **1923, 2¢ Washington, type I, carmine lake color error, rotary press coil, perf. 10 vertically (Scott 599b)**, joint line pair, o.g., never hinged, rich color and detailed impression, post office fresh, Fine to Very Fine, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$950. Estimate \$300 - 400

## 1923 HARDING MEMORIAL ISSUE

- 3025 ☒ **1923, 2¢ Harding, flat plate printing, perf. 11, first George W. Linn First Day Cover (Scott 610)**, single tied by “Marion, Ohio/Sep 1/1923” **First Day of Issue** machine postmark, the mourning cover measuring 118 x 69mm with 1mm band with text at lower left, clean and sound, Very Fine. *Scarce with only approximately 200 produced in five sizes, some with different mourning band widths; considered the first cacheted First Day Cover.* Estimate \$300 - 400

## 1925 NORSE-AMERICAN ISSUE



EX 3027



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**1925, Norse-American complete (Scott 620-621)**, full panes of 100, o.g., never hinged, pristine and sound, each with bold color, crisp vignette, and appealing centering; pretty panes of these attractive stamps, Fine to Very Fine, Scott value as centerline and plate blocks plus singles. Scott \$3,328. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

## 1925-1929 ISSUES

3028 ★★

**1926, White Plains souvenir sheet of 25 (Scott 630)**, upper left plate number 18771 pane, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with crisp detail and alluring color, top and left selvage massive, Superb per PSE post-it accompanying certificate, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$475. Estimate \$300 - 400



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EX 3030

3029 ★★

**1926, White Plains souvenir sheet of 25 (Scott 630)**, lower right pane plate number 18771, o.g., never hinged, sound with radiant color and superior centering, Extremely Fine to Superb per PSE post-it accompanying certificate, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$475. Estimate \$250 - 350

3030 ★★田

**1926-34, Rotary press definitives, perf. 11 x 10½ 1¢ to 10¢ complete (Scott 632-634, 635-642)**, set of 11, full panes of 100, o.g., never hinged, lovely set, plates in varying corners, all Post Office fresh with bold color and clean lines; a couple with either narrow gum skips or losses to thin selvage (as expected), Fine to Very Fine. Brookman \$4,600. Scott \$3,058 Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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**CLEAN, SOUND 1923 2¢ HARDING ROTARY PRESS PERF 11 (SCOTT #613):  
ONLY 52 KNOWN**

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**1923, 2¢ Harding, rotary press printing, the rare perf. 11 (Scott 613)**, neat wavy lines cancel, well-centered for this notoriously challenging rotary waste issue, with perforations clear of design on all sides, dark shade and sharp impression, completely sound, Fine, Scott value for #613 is in the grade of fine. *52 are known to exist including 2 pairs and a strip of 3*, ex Lessin, with 1975 & 2002 P.F. certificates & 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded F 70. SMQ **F 70**; \$50,000.  
Estimate \$30,000 - 40,000

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- 3031 ★ 1928, 2¢ Washington, type II, rotary press printing (Scott 634A), vertical pair with gutter between, pretty item with immense color depth and bold lines, sound and neatly centered; top stamp lightly hinged, bottom never hinged, Fine to Very Fine, with 2016 P.F. certificate. Scott \$750. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3032 ★★田 1926, 2¢ Washington, type I, carmine lake color error, rotary press printing (Scott 634b), a gorgeous and exceptionally well centered block of 4, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$2,000 as 4 singles graded 85. Scott \$1,700. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3033 ★★ 1929, 2¢ Sullivan Expedition, lake color error (Scott 657a), o.g., never hinged, pos. 20 with natural straight edge at right, strong unmistakable lake color, post office fresh, Fine to Very Fine, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate for vertical pair, this being the bottom stamp. Scott \$625. Estimate \$300 - 400

### 1929 KANSAS-NEBRASKA ISSUE

- 3034 ★★ 1929, 8¢ Kans. (Scott 666), large margins, deep hue, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$475. Estimate \$350 - 500



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EX 3036

- 3035 ★★ 1929, Nebr., 1¢ to 10¢ complete (Scott 669-679), set of 11, o.g., never hinged, each crisply printed with solid centering and fresh gum; 6¢ oxidized, still a Very Fine set. Scott \$521. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 3036 ★★田 1929, Nebr., 1¢ to 10¢ complete (Scott 669-679), set of 11, blocks of 4, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully bright and clean, the perforations sound and intact, all nicely centered, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,082 as singles. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,200

1929-1937 ISSUES



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- 3037 ★★** 1930, 2¢ Massachusetts Bay Colony (Scott 682), o.g., never hinged, nearly perfect centering with huge margins all around, long full perfs on brilliant paper, Superb, of the many thousands in existence, a mere 7 have achieved this highly sought-after grade, only 5 have achieved a 100 grade with zero graded 100J., with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98J. SMQ SUP 98J; \$375. Scott \$1. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3038 P** 1930, 2¢ Charleston, small die proof on wove paper (Scott 683P2), pristine and sound with flawless color, clarity and centering (as expected), Superb, unpriced in SMQ, *one of only three known*, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ Gem 100. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 3039 ★★** 1931, 50¢ Arlington Amphitheater, rotary press printing (Scott 701), fresh tone and balance, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400

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**A WINNING FULL PANE OF 50 2¢ YORKTOWN DARK LAKE & BLACK (SCOTT #703b)**

- 3040** ★★田 **1931, 2¢ Yorktown, dark lake & black color (Scott 703b)**, right full pane of 50 with plate numbers (F)20661 - (F)20648, fresh-faced with bold lake and crisp vignettes, the two in printings in exceptional registration; positions 21-30 with gum disturbances from folding (possibly resealed, some separations in selvage only not noted on certificate), o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine, *tough as a single stamp; scarce as a full pane*, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$48,400 as plates & singles. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000



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3041 P 1932, ½¢ Washington Bicentennial, small die proof on wove paper (Scott 704P2), fresh and sound with crisp color, clean detail and large, balanced margins; originally produced in large die format then cut down to small die size (24 x 27mm), Very Fine, with 2019 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

3042 ★★ 1934, 3¢ Wisconsin, vertical pair, imperf horizontally (Scott 739a), o.g., never hinged, deep color on bright paper, post office fresh, choice centering, Extremely Fine example of this error pair, with 1987 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$500 - 750

3043 ★★ 1934, 3¢ Wisconsin, horizontal pair, imperf vertically (Scott 739b), o.g., never hinged, rich color and proof quality impression on crisp white paper, wide margins at sides, Choice Very Fine, approximately 80 pairs reported, with 1997 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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3044 ★ 1934, 1¢ Yosemite National Park, vertical pair, imperf horizontally (Scott 740a), o.g., very lightly hinged at top left, deep shade, better centered than most other examples, Choice Very Fine, Footnote in error catalog reads, "Caution: Fakes exist. All known genuine examples are signed "S.A." (Spencer Anderson) on the reverse in indelible pencil.", only 16 pairs or strips of 3 issued, each stamp signed S.A. and lightly in pencil Edward Stern, with 1998 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

### 1938-1954 PRESIDENTIAL SERIES

3045 ★★/★ 1938, 2¢//25¢ Prexies, "False Teeth" (Scott 806//829 vars.), sink your teeth into these partials; 14 different values, each as vertical pair with part perforations or blind perforations between, due to the perforation pins having been ground down through constant use; comprises #806, 809-810, 815-816, 818-820, 822-823, and 826-829; all face-fresh and sound, most lightly hinged, Very Fine, an uncommon find. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3046 ★★ 1954, Presidential Issue, \$1 Wilson, red violet & black, dry printing (Scott 832c), single with “TOP” imprint, Attractive centering, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$300. Estimate \$250 - 350

3047 ★★ 1938, Presidential Issue, \$5 Coolidge, red brown & black (Scott 834a), plate no. F22168 single with part arrow, o.g., never hinged, gorgeous colors and sharp detailed impression on post office fresh paper, Very Fine, an outstanding stamp, with 2005 P.F. certificate for plate block. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

### 1938-PRESENT ISSUES

3048 ★ 1956, Liberty Issue, \$5 Hamilton (Scott 1053), top left plate number 25367 single, o.g., barest trace of hinge (appears never hinged), as pretty as they come, a jumbo positional with proof-like presentation; destined for a collection of refinement, Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. SMQ Gem 100J; \$750 as never hinged. Scott Stamp Values \$350 as n.h. “100”. Estimate \$300 - 400

3049 ★★ 1961, Liberty Issue, 2½¢ Bunker Hill, horizontal coil, small perf. holes (Scott 1056 var.), Washington, DC Bureau precancel, pair, o.g., never hinged, immaculate with rock-solid perforations, each flawlessly centered with crisp detail, Superb, variety unpriced in SMQ, only nine 100s grade higher in PSE’s Population Report, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98. Scott \$850. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

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**THE FAMOUS CIA INVERT (SCOTT #1610c)**

3050 ★★

**1979, \$1 Rush Lamp, brown (engraved) inverted (Scott 1610c)**, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and well centered, Extremely Fine, normal accompanies, *only 115 reported; 95 from the original 1979 discovery and a block of 20 from the 2023 discovery*, with 1999 A.P.S. certificate (proving this stamp was part of the original discovery). Scott \$20,000.  
Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000

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For a full history of this invert, please read Ken Lawrence's 6,500-word Spotlight on Philately feature in the August 2023 issue of *Scott Stamp Monthly*.



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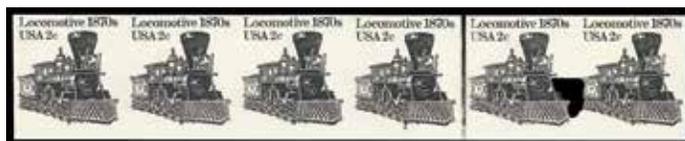
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- 3051 ★★ 1978, 8.4¢ Piano, horizontal coil, untagged (Bureau precanceled), imperf. pair (Scott 1615Cf), Oklahoma City, Okla. precancel, pristine strip of four, bright and clean, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine, *rare*. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3052 ★★ 1979, 15¢ John Paul Jones, perf. 12 (Scott 1789B), magenta plate number A0003 single with wide bottom selvage, pristine never hinged o.g., bright colors, as fresh as the day it was sold at the post office, Very Fine, *under 150 reported examples, according to the EFO Collectors Club website ([https://www.efoc.org/Resources/Hotchner\\_EFOs/AA\\_Type076.php](https://www.efoc.org/Resources/Hotchner_EFOs/AA_Type076.php)), with 2002 A.P.E.X. certificate for plate block of 10*. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,500

Accompanied by a copy of a piece published in the Dec. 1979 US Specialist (pp. 672 & 675) noting that the USPS stated that 30% of the stamps were perforated 12 both vertically and horizontally, 40% were perforated 11 x 12 (the horizontal perf 12 wheel replaced with a perf 11 wheel in error), the remaining 30% perforated 11 both vertically and horizontally. USPS was completely unaware of this until after the stamp was issued. Despite the similar printing quantities—and USPS’s offer to fill orders for particular perforation varieties only if full panes were ordered (while supplies lasted; orders for smaller units would also be filled but without regard to perforation requests)—very few of the perf 12 version have survived.



EX 3053



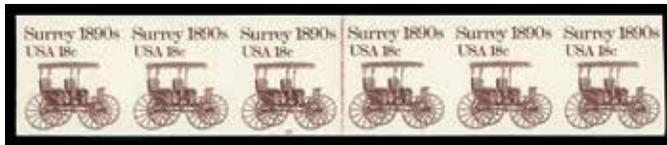
EX 3054

- 3053 ★★ 1981, 20¢ Flag over Supreme Court, horizontal coil, imperforate, narrow block tagging, *plate number strips* (Scott 1895d), group of six, with *strips of five* for plate numbers 2, 4, 5 and 10, and *strips of six* plate numbers 8 and 9, o.g., never hinged, all Post Office fresh and sound with full margins at ends, Very Fine. Scott \$1,510. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3054 ★★ 1982, Transportation Issue, 2¢ Locomotive, imperforate (Scott 1897Ac), plate number strips of 6, two different, each with joint line and plate number 3 or 4, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and bright, Very Fine. Scott \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 3055 ★★ 1983, Transportation Issue, 1¢ Omnibus, imperforate (Scott 1897b), plate number 5 strip of 4, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with full margins at sides, Very Fine, priced in Scott Catalogue of Errors as a strip of 3 or of 4, with 2021 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



3056

3056 ★★

1981, Transportation Issue, 18¢ Surrey, imperf. (Scott 1907a), plate number 10 and joint line strip of 6, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, extremely rare; the only other example that appeared on stamp auction network appeared in our Flagship sale #752 Feb. 2023 where it realized \$950 hammer. Scott \$575. Estimate \$500 - 750



3057

3057 ★★

1981, Transportation Issue, 20¢ Fire Pumper, imperf. (Scott 1908a), plate number 1 and joint line strip of 5, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine, extremely rare; the only other example that appeared on stamp auction network in the last 12 plus years appeared in our Flagship sale #752 Feb. 2023 where it realized \$1,500 hammer. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



3058

3058 ★★

1982, 20¢ Consumer Education, imperforate (Scott 2005a), plate number 2 strip of 4, o.g., never hinged, clean and bright with rich color and appealing centering; transition strip with increasingly dry printing left to right, Very Fine. Scott \$750 for strip of six. Estimate \$350 - 500



3059

3059 ★★

1985, 22¢ Flag over Capitol Dome, horizontal coil, wide block tagging, imperf (Scott 2115f), plate number 20 strip of 3 with extra pair at left and ½ of stamp at right, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh, Extremely Fine. Scott \$950 for plate strip of 6. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3060 ★★

1987, 22¢ Girl Scouts, red & black (engraved) omitted (Scott 2251b), top margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, lovely positional, Post Office fresh and sound, positions 7-8/17-18 penciled on reverse; with normal single for comparison, Very Fine, with photocopy of 2000 A.P.S. certificate for entire pane of 50. Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



3061

3061 ★★

1988, Transportation Issue, 16.7¢ Popcorn Wagon, imperf. (Scott 2261a), plate number 1 strip of 6, miscut with part of "Popcorn Wagon" printed at bottom, o.g., never hinged, post office fresh and bright, Very Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3062 ★★ 1988, 25¢ Flag & Yosemite, horizontal coil, prephosphored uncoated paper, imperf. (Scott 2280c), plate number 3 strip of 6, o.g., never hinged, wide margins at sides, bright and fresh, Very Fine. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400

3063 BK★★ 1991, 29¢ Wood Duck, black “29 USA”, booklet pane of 10, imperf between (Scott 2484g), complete unexploded booklet with both panes the error, with perforations at top and straight edge at bottom; clean and sound, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$500 - 750



EX 3064



EX 3065

3064 ★★ 1991 (29¢) “F” Tulip, horizontal coil, imperforate (Scott 2518a), plate number strips of 6, o.g., never hinged, bright and clean with full margins; one each plate number 1222 and 2222, Very Fine. Scott \$825. Estimate \$500 - 750

3065 ★★ 1991, 29¢ Flag over Mt. Rushmore, engraved coil, imperforate (Scott 2523b), plate number strips of 3 or 5, nice twosome comprising strip of three plate number 4 and strip of five plate number 7, o.g., never hinged, each fresh and sound, looking like new, Very Fine. Scott \$600 for strips of six. Estimate \$300 - 400



3066

3066 ★★ 1991, 29¢ Flag over Mt. Rushmore, “Toledo brown” coil, plate number 1 (Scott 2523c), strip of 7, o.g., never hinged, rich colors, gum and paper in pristine condition; left stamp with blunted perfs of no consequence, Choice Very Fine, extremely rare plate number 1 strip of 7; the only other plate no. 1 strip sold on stamp auction network was a strip of 5 in our Oct. 2020 Flagship sale. Scott \$4,000 for plate strip of 5. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



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3067 E 1992, Voyages of Columbus souvenir sheet, “First Sighting of Land”, essay (Scott 2624Pa), with background of No. 2627P, o.g., never hinged (gum bends), Extremely Fine. Estimate \$500 - 750

3068 BK★★ 1993, 29¢ American Musicals, booklet pane of 4 (Scott 2770a), part sheet of 11 uncut panes with normal horizontal perfs and bottom selvage (which would have belonged to the row of panes below); folded in half vertically through the center pane, clear tape at four spots in the bottom selvage, one stamp with a small gum disturbance, o.g., never hinged, otherwise Very Fine. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3069 ★★

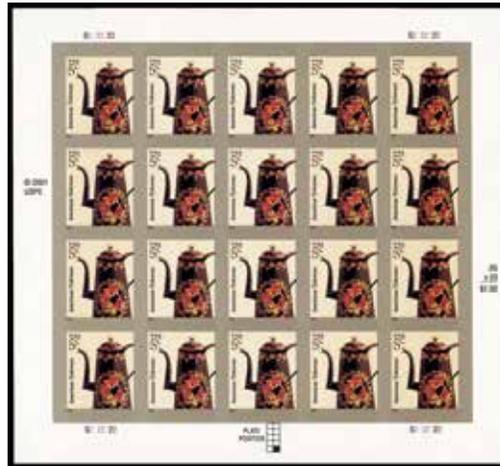
1996, 32¢ Flag over Porch coil, die cut 9.8 (Scott 2915A), red “1996” at bottom left, plate number 99999 strip of 5, this is the rarest plate number strip of this issue, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$500 - 750

3070 ★★

1996, 32¢ Flag over Porch coil, die cutting omitted (Scott 2915Ah), red “1996” at bottom left, 2 plate number 88888 strip of 6, o.g., never hinged, beautiful colors on bright white paper, Choice Very Fine, *these are the first examples of Scott 2915Ah plate strip with plate number 88888 to appear on Stamp Auction Network.* Scott \$350. Estimate \$400 - 600



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3071 ★★

1998, “H” non denominated postcard rate stamp (Scott “3269v”), o.g., never hinged, vivid colors on lily white paper and looks like it was printed yesterday, Extremely Fine, on page 217 of the 2006 Scott U.S. Specialized, there is an image of this stamp and a comment “Unused and used examples of an “H” nondenominated stamp inscribed “Postcard Rate” exist in the marketplace. There is no evidence that these stamps were ever officially issued. Values: unused \$2,400; used \$1,750.”, *According to a Heritage auction lot description from Feb. 2009, “slightly over 100 mint examples are known, mostly discovered in Greencastle Indiana”*, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

You can read all about this stamp at <https://www.mysticstamp.com/3269v-1998-h-rate-yellow-hat/#:~:text=In%201997%2C%20the%20U.S.%20Postal,20%C2%A2%20to%2021%C2%A2>. You can also read about the discovery of the first mint stamps here [https://www.suncommercial.com/banner\\_graphic/archives/article\\_c29ee7f0-c1b5-5a38-9983-1985ae894fd5.html](https://www.suncommercial.com/banner_graphic/archives/article_c29ee7f0-c1b5-5a38-9983-1985ae894fd5.html).

3072 ★★田

2008, 5¢ Toleware Coffeepot, sheet stamp, die cutting omitted (Scott 3756Ab), bottom right plate position, plate number S2222222, fresh from the post office, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



3073

3073 ★

2007, 26¢ Florida Panther, coil, die cutting omitted (Scott 4141a), plate number S1111 strip of 7, with slight color misregistration including a yellow vertical line between second and third stamps, Extremely Fine and scarce plate number error strip, with 2021 P.S.E. certificate (not noting yellow line). Estimate \$500 - 750



3074

**A TOP-GRADED RIGHT-SIDE UP JENNY (SCOTT #4806e)**

- 3074 ★★      **2013, \$2 Inverted Jenny, single from miniature sheet, airplane right-side up (Scott 4806e)**, o.g., never hinged, position 2 from pane with top selvage attached, Post Office fresh and pristine, all beautifully centered; accompanied by normal pane of six, 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 2014 P.F. (photocopy, for pane of six, position 6) and 2021 P.S.E. certificates, each graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$24,500. Scott \$13,500. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000



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- 3075 ★★ 2016 (49¢) (forever) Flag coil, die cutting and grayish blue (inscription and date) omitted (Scott 5052b), plate number B1111(1) strip of 7, also with two thin faint vertical lines of color (wiper blade residue) between second and third stamps, wide margins at sides, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine and absolutely gorgeous, *only a strip of 4 without a plate number has appeared on stamp auction network; this is the first time a plate number strip of any size with any plate number of Scott 5052b has ever appeared on stamp auction network*, with 2022 P.S.E. certificate (not noting lines of color). Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3076 ★★ 2019 (15¢) (additional ounce) Flag coil, die cutting omitted (Scott 5343a), plate number B1111 strip of 7, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, *only a leader strip of 3 has been offered on stamp auction network; this is the first time a plate number strip of any size with any plate number of Scott 5343a has ever appeared on stamp auction network*, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate. Unpriced in Scott. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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3077

3077 ★田

1857, 1¢ blue, type V (Scott 24), left margin plate No. 10.P. block of 8 with imprint, a lovely, very early plate, with bold color and reasonable centering, lightly hinged at top, other stamps appear never hinged; rejoined separations in selva (only) btw rows 4 & 5, still Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$4,500. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



3078

3078 (★)田

1867, 3¢ red, F. grill (Scott 94), bottom margin plate No. 34 block of 12 with imprint, unused without gum, a wonderfully bright and appealing early plate, with rich color and fully face-visible grills; vertical paper fold through column two, leading to internal tears within grill area, light stain position 2, otherwise Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$10,100 as o.g. plate & singles. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500



3079

3079 田

1869, 24¢ plate on India, green & reddish lilac (Scott 120TC3a), top right plate No. 20 block of 10 with imprint, immaculate with glowing colors on matching paper, margins even and full with complete selvage top and right, Very Fine, Trial Color unpriced as singles. Scott \$6,000 as plate block of 8. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

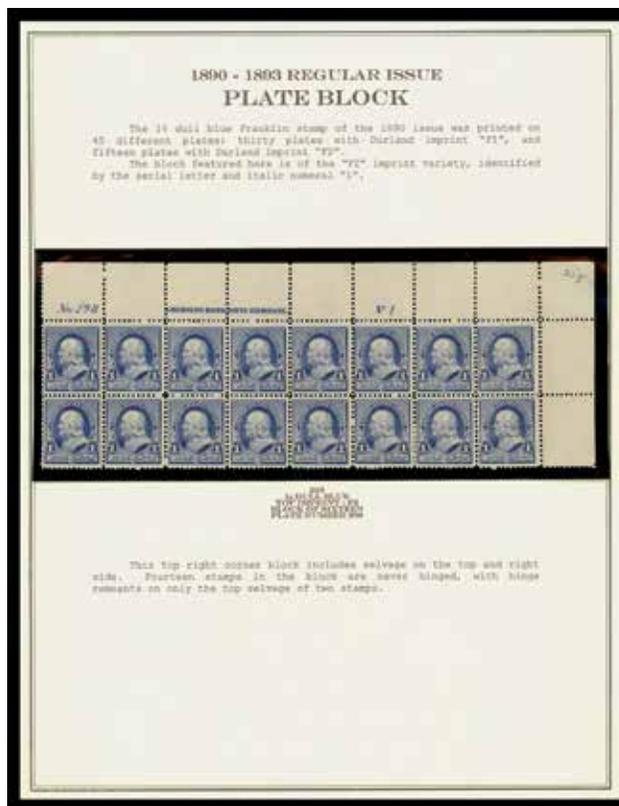
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3080 P田

1869, 24¢ green & violet, plate proof on India (Scott 120P3), bottom left plate No. 24 block of 10 with imprint, pristine with radiant frame and deeply-engraved vignette, fresh with balanced margins, Very Fine. Scott \$6,280 as plate of 8 & 2 singles. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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3081

3081 ★★田

1887, 3¢ vermilion (Scott 214), bottom margin plate No. 421 block of 10 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, immaculate front and back, in bright color and clear detail; centered to left, about Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

3082 ★田

1890, 1¢ dull blue (Scott 219), Durland imprint F2, top margin plate No. 298 block of 16 with imprint and "F1", fresh-faced and clean with enticing color and clarity; mounted on album page noting 14 stamps never hinged, hinge remnants in top selvage of two stamps, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,490 as plate & 2 singles. Estimate \$750 - 1,000





3083

3083 ★田

1893, 4¢ **Columbian (Scott 233)**, bottom margin plate No. 17 block of 8 with imprint and “D”, o.g., hinged, superlative plate with solid color, crisp detail, and wonderful centering, Very Fine. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



3084

3084 ★★田

1893, 5¢ **Columbian (Scott 234)**, top margin plate No. 6 block of 8 with imprint and “B”, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with full top margin, rich color and pristine gum, Extremely Fine. Scott \$4,700. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



3085

3085 ★田

1893, 8¢ **Columbian (Scott 236)**, bottom margin plate No. 131 block of 8 with imprint and “I I”, sound with deep color and clear impression; top row stamps hinged, bottom never hinged, Fine+. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



3086

3086 ★★田

1893, 10¢ **Columbian (Scott 237)**, bottom margin plate No. 99 block of 8 with imprint and “Y”, o.g., never hinged, sound with intense color and clean impression, nicely centered throughout, Fine to Very Fine, with 2012 P.F. certificate. Scott \$8,000. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



3087

**A SCARCE 50¢ COLUMBIAN PLATE BLOCK (SCOTT #240)**

**3087** ★★田

**1893, 50¢ Columbian (Scott 240)**, bottom margin plate No. 77 block of 8 with imprint and “S”, o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous plate with intense color, deep lines, and several exceptionally well-centered stamps; Very Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate for block of 10, two stamps since removed. Scott \$27,000. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000

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- 3088 ★★田 1895, 1¢ blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 264), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 495, rare this nice, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3089 ★★田 1895, 2¢ carmine, type III, D.L. watermark (Scott 267), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 170, Bright surface with contrast, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3090 ★田 1898, 4¢ lilac brown (Scott 280a), bottom margin plate number 532 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., lightly hinged, clearly printed in luxuriant color, sound with all perforations intact and solid centering, Very Fine, a scarce and undervalued shade, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$700. Estimate \$500 - 750



3091

- 3091 ★★田 1898, 10¢ Trans-Miss. (Scott 290), wide top margin plate number 617 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, fresh with sharp lines in inviting color, perforations clear of design throughout, all on like-new paper; odd spots of color (extraneous material during printing?) across positions 2-3 margins, Fine+. Scott \$5,750. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



3092



3093

- 3092 ★★田 1901, 1¢ Pan-American (Scott 294), o.g., never hinged, fresh with full sides and bottom selvage, plate numbers 1116 - 1125 blocks of ten and six plus four singles; clean with solid color, Fine, ex MLG Collection. Scott \$1,770 as plates & singles. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3093 ★★田 1901, 1¢ Pan-American (Scott 294), bottom margin plate number 1172 - 1125 block of 10 with imprint, arrow, markers and initials, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with intense colors and a slightly raised ship, well centered throughout; section of selvage missing just below markers and noted for accuracy, Fine to Very Fine or better. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$500 - 750



3094

3094 ★★田 1901, 1¢ Pan-American (Scott 294), bottom margin plate number 1181 - 1180 block of 20 with imprints and markings, o.g., never hinged, clean and sound with enticing color and full selvage, Fine to Very Fine, ex MLG Collection. Scott \$1,770 as plates & singles. Estimate \$500 - 750



3095

3095 ★★田 1901, 1¢ Pan-American, "High Ship" variety (Scott 294 var.), o.g., never hinged, attractive color and clarity, sound, a rising ship throughout, slightly forward towards right; full selvage, Fine to Very Fine, ex MLG Collection. Scott \$1,770 as plates & singles. Estimate \$600 - 800



3096

3096 ★★田 1901, 2¢ Pan-American (Scott 295), bottom margin plate number 1176 - 1231 block of 10 with imprint, arrow and markers, o.g., never hinged, a pretty, intact plate with subdued color and clean details, solidly centered and bright; light gum soak along bottom edge of selvage noted for accuracy, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750



3097

3097 ★★田 1901, 2¢ Pan-American (Scott 295), bottom margin plate number 1078 - 1079 block of 20 with imprints and markings, o.g., never hinged, a pretty piece with grand color and clean impression, selvage full and clean; crease and couple minor separations in selvage only, Very Good to Fine, ex MLG Collection. Scott \$1,660 as plates & singles. Estimate \$300 - 400



3098

3098 ★★田 1901, 4¢ Pan-American (Scott 296), full top margin plate number 1145 block of 10 with imprint, arrow and markers, and running initials, o.g., never hinged, a striking block with rich color and deeply lined vignette, sound on like-new paper, Very Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,430 as plate & 4 singles. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



3099

3099 ○田 1901, 4¢ Pan-American (Scott 296), wide bottom margin plate block of 8 with plate numbers 1145 and 1142, Crisp, full color strength, very scarce to find used; small piece out of bottom right selvage and small crease in same selvage leading up to a tiny corner crease of bottom right stamp, Fine to Very Fine. Estimate \$500 - 750



3100

- 3100 ★★田 1901, 5¢ Pan-American (Scott 297), top left plate number 1140 block of 10 with imprint, part arrow & markers, and running initials, o.g., never hinged, fresh with crisp color and detail, sound with all perforations intact and attractive centering, Very Fine, with 2001 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,320 as plate & singles. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



3101

- 3101 ★★田 1901, 8¢ Pan-American (Scott 298), top right plate number 1150 block of 12 with imprint, arrow & markers, and running initials, o.g., never hinged, a lovely oversized plate, the stamps deep, strong color, the perforations sound, and the initials turning the corner at top right, Fine. Scott \$7,320 as plate & singles. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



3102

- 3102 ★田 1908, 5¢ blue, imperf. (Scott 315), bottom margin plate number 2953 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., lightly hinged, clean and sound with deep lines and well-balanced margins, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



3103

- 3103 ★★田 1904, 3¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 325), wide top margin plate number 2104 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with razor-sharp detail in deep color, sound and clean with stamp-sized selvage, Fine to Very Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



3104

- 3104 ★★田 1904, 5¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 326), wide top margin plate number 2100 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, clean and bright with compelling color and crisp detail, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,850. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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3105 ★★田

1904, 10¢ Louisiana Purchase (Scott 327), full wide top margin plate number 2106 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, captivating with bold, rich color, clear details, and gargantuan selvage, sound and fresh, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



3106

3106 ★★田

1907, 5¢ Jamestown (Scott 330), bottom margin plate number 3556 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, bright and sound with exceptional color and deep, sharp lines, all nicely centered for this difficult issue; bottom stamps short gummed (not mentioned on accompanying certificate), Fine to Very Fine, with 1980 P.F. certificate. Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



3107

3107 ★★/★田

1908, 5¢ blue, D.L. watermark (Scott 335), top margin plate block of 6, Freshness remarkably well preserved, o.g., never hinged, except bottom center stamp that is previously hinged, Very Fine, with 2013 P.F. certificate. Scott \$595 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600



3108

3108 ★★田

1909, 2¢ Alaska-Yukon, imperf. (Scott 371), top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 5251, Bright impression with pure tone, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$350. Estimate \$400 - 600



3109

3109 ★★田

1909, 2¢ Hudson-Fulton (Scott 372), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 5391, Stunningly well centered wide top, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$425. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3112

- 3110 ★★田 1911, 6¢ red orange, S.L. watermark (Scott 379), wide top margin plate block of 6 with inverted star and plate number 5215, Lovely bright visual tone, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$800. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3111 ★★/★田 1911, 15¢ pale ultramarine, S.L. watermark (Scott 382), full top plate #4954 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., top center stamp lightly hinged with small shallow thin, other 5 stamps never hinged, lovely bright color and detailed proof-like impression, Extremely Fine, an outstanding plate block featuring full top selvage and 5 never hinged stamps. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3112 ★★田 1913, 1¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 397), full wide top margin plate number 6146 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, with proof-like presentation on immaculate paper, each stamp sporting large, balanced margins, the selvage tall enough to fit another stamp, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500



3113



3114

- 3113 ★★田 1913, 2¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 398), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 6309, Crisp tone with visual depth, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$625. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3114 ★★田 1913, 2¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 398), bottom margin plate number 6313 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, fresh with radiant, rich color and clear detail; tiny inclusion in top margin position 1 noted for accuracy, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$625. Estimate \$250 - 350



3115

3115 ★★田

1913, 5¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12 (Scott 399), bottom margin plate number 6134 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, with profound color and sharp impression, clean with gargantuan selvage; couple separations between positions 1 & 2, natural gum skips positions 3 & 6, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$3,200. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



3116

3116 ★★田

1913, 10¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 12, orange yellow (Scott 400), right margin plate number 6135 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully centered with bold, clean color and sound perforations throughout; tiny inclusion in position 1 & 4, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$3,400. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



3117

3117 ★★田

1914, 1¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 401), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 6549, Vibrant tone, cleanly struck, o.g., never hinged, Fine. Scott \$650. Estimate \$350 - 500



3118

3118 ★★田

1914, 1¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 401), left margin plate number 6944 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, on bright white paper in deep, rich color, sound and enticing, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$650. Estimate \$300 - 400



3119

3119 ★★田 1915, 2¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 402), bottom margin plate number 7034 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, a lovely plate with appealing color on like-new paper, sound and nicely centered, Very Fine. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



3120

3120 ★★田 1915, 5¢ Panama-Pacific, perf. 10 (Scott 403), wide top margin plate number 6129 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, sound and Post Office fresh with intense color and clean detail, Fine. Scott \$6,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



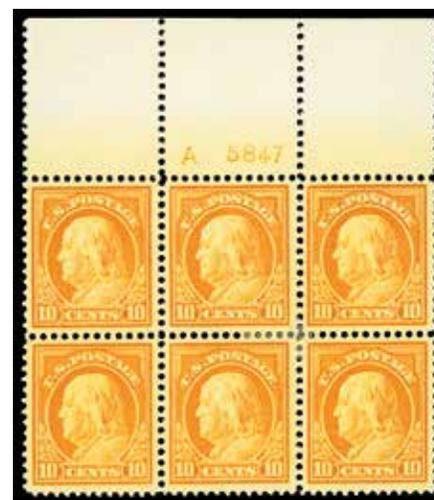
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3121 ★★/★田 1912, 8¢ pale olive green, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 414), bottom margin plate block of 6 with plate number 5721, Clear and deeply printed tone, o.g., top center stamp lightly hinged (5 stamps never hinged), Very Fine. Scott \$475. Estimate \$300 - 400



3122

3122 ★★田 1912, 8¢ pale olive green, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 414), top margin plate block of 6 with imprint and letter A, Handsome deep hue, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$800. Estimate \$400 - 600



3123

3123 ★★/★田 1912, 10¢ orange yellow, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 416), top margin plate block of 6 with letter A, Beautiful bold hue, o.g., hinged, 3 stamps with disturbed gum, 2 stamps never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400



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3124 ★★/★田 1912, 10¢ orange yellow, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 416), bottom margin plate block of 6 with letter A and plate number 5852, Glowing early ink character, o.g., top center stamp hinged (5 stamps never hinged), Fine to Very Fine top stamps Extremely Fine. Scott \$500. Estimate \$300 - 400

3125 ★★田 1914, 30¢ orange red, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 420), right margin plate number 6917 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, sound with deep, rich color and clean impression; a pretty plate, Very Fine, with 2006 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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3126 ★★田 1914, 30¢ orange red, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott 420), top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 6911, Fresh bold tone retained, o.g., never hinged, Fine. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

3127 ★★田 1914, 5¢ blue, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 428), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 7237, Brightly printed with precision, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$650. Estimate \$350 - 500

3128 ○田 1914, 6¢ red orange, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 429), left margin plate block of 6 with star and plate number 5419, Deep bright printed vibrancy, Columbus, Ohio precancel; naturally short perfs in top selvage, as often with the perf 10 issue, Extremely Fine. Estimate \$300 - 400



3129



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- 3129 ★★/★田 1914, 6¢ red orange, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 429), wide top margin plate block of 6 with star and plate number 5425, Strong fresh tone throughout, o.g., right stamps lightly hinged (4 stamps never hinged), Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$425. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3130 ★★/★田 1914, 8¢ pale olive green, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 431), wide top margin plate block of 6 with imprint, A and plate number 5718, Fresh vivid tone overall, o.g., center stamps lightly hinged (4 stamps never hinged), Choice Very Fine. Scott \$525. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3131 ★田 1914, 10¢ orange yellow, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott 433), bottom margin plate number 7215 block of 6, o.g., very lightly hinged, fresh and sound with intense, unblemished color on like-new paper, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$825. Estimate \$350 - 500



3132



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- 3132 ★田 1917, \$5 light green, perf. 10 (Scott 480), top margin plate number 8016 block of 6, o.g., lightly hinged, fresh with rich color, clear impression, and attractive centering, Very Fine. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 3133 ★★田 1917, 7¢ black, perf. 11 (Scott 507), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 10303, Brilliant impression and well-inked, o.g., never hinged, overall Very Fine. Scott \$450. Estimate \$300 - 400



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3136

3135 ★★田

1917, 15¢ gray, perf. 11 (Scott 514), top margin plate block of 6, Nicely aligned margins, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750

3136 ★★田

1917, \$1 violet brown, perf. 11 (Scott 518), bottom margin plate number 5782 block of 8 with imprint and "A", o.g., never hinged, a stunning plate block, Post Office fresh and sound with exquisite color and centering throughout; natural gum soak in selvage noted for accuracy, Very Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,290 as plate plus two singles. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

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**WIDE TOP PLATE BLOCK OF 11¢ WASHINGTON-FRANKLIN  
PERF 10 AT BOTTOM (SCOTT #511a)**

3134 ★田

**1917, 11¢ light green, plate block of 6, top stamps perf 11, bottom stamps perf 10 (Scott 511a var.),** o.g., lightly hinged, clean with enticing color and clarity, the bottom right stamp with transitional gauge; bottom left stamp with a pulled perforation at bottom, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$22,500. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000



3137

3137 ★★田

**1918, \$2 orange red & black (Scott 523), full top double plate #8179 - 8177 block of 8 with arrow and marker, o.g., never hinged, a lovely plate block with gorgeous color and clarity, strong perforations, Extremely Fine, ex-Zoellner where aggressively described as "very faint natural gum bends and tiny natural gum skip, very slight oxidation; the top left stamp shows very slight discoloration at left edge only not affecting gum. Scott \$17,500. Estimate \$7,500 - 10,000**

In August 1918, the \$2 Franklin was issued with an orange red frame, and in November 1920, it began appearing with a carmine frame; philatelists logically believed the carmine color to be an error, only to learn that carmine was the correct color, and Orange Red was, in fact, the wrong color. Johl Vol. 1 p. 307 lists the quantities delivered to postmasters during the fiscal years ending June 30, as reported by the Director of the B.E.P. — 1919 - 40,561, 1920 - 28,670, 1921 - 148,367. etc. Since stamps with a carmine frame were issued Nov. 1, 1920, exactly 4 months into the fiscal year, we will assume that 1/3 of the \$2 Franklins printed in 1921 were stamps with the orange red frame (approximately 49,500), which would mean that approximately 118,731 stamps were delivered with the orange red frame to postmasters. The stamps were printed in sheets of 100 meaning approximately 1,187 sheets were delivered, and with one plate block per sheet, one could assume that 1,187 plate blocks were produced, and as always, only a small percentage survived.



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3138 ★田 1918, \$5 deep green & black (Scott 524), wide top margin plate number 8179 - 8178 block of 8 with arrow and markers, a lovely plate with intense color and clean detail, well centered throughout with all perforations intact; hinged positions 6-7 only, Very Fine. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

3139 ★★田 1918, 2¢ carmine, type Va, offset printing, "CRNTS" variety (Scott 528 var.), position 2 in top margin plate number 12142 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound, the error exquisitely centered between massive top and bottom margins, Extremely Fine, a scarce item, with few others this appealing. Scott \$450 as o.g. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3140 ★★田 1918, 2¢ carmine, type VI, offset printing (Scott 528A), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 11607, Deep vivid color presentation, left stamps very well centered, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$800. Estimate \$500 - 750

3141 ★★田 1918, 2¢ carmine, type VII, offset printing (Scott 528B), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 12799, Bright luminous appearance overall, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$375. Estimate \$300 - 400

3142 ★★田 1918, 2¢ carmine rose, type IV, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 532), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 10918, Fresh, luminous overall appearance, o.g., never hinged; a couple light inclusions, Extremely Fine. Scott \$675. Estimate \$600 - 800



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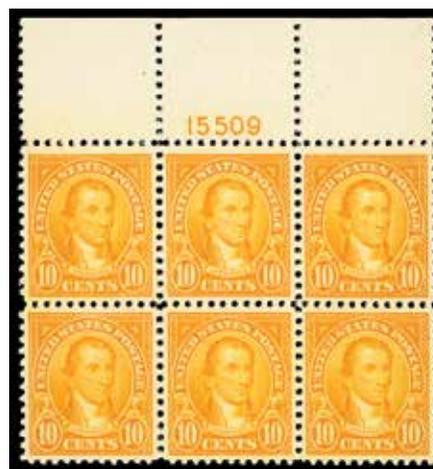


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- 3143 ★★田 1918, 2¢ carmine, type Va, offset printing, imperf. (Scott 534), wide right margin plate block of 6 with plate number 11433, Luminous tone and crisp printing, o.g., never hinged, Superb. Scott \$200. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3144 ★★田 1919, 2¢ carmine rose, type II, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 x 10 (Scott 540), top plate block of 4 with inverted S 30 and plate number 10471, Radiant tone, perfectly preserved, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$725. Estimate \$300 - 400



3145



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- 3145 ★★田 1920, \$2 carmine & black (Scott 547), top margin plate number 8179 - 8177 block of 8 with arrow and markers, o.g., never hinged, sound and fresh with bold color and clean impression, full top selvage, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$4,750. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500
- 3146 ★★田 1923, 10¢ Monroe (Scott 562), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 15509, Deeply inked with vivid quality, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2023 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400



3147

3147 ★★田

1923, 12¢ Grover Cleveland (Scott 564), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 19163, Fresh tone, beautifully preserved, several exceptional singles, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$160.  
Estimate \$250 - 350



3148

3148 ★★田

1923, 20¢ Golden Gate (Scott 567), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 19872, Deeply struck with vivid pigment, o.g., never hinged; gum skips, Very Fine. Scott \$400.  
Estimate \$250 - 350



3149

3149 ★★田

1922, 25¢ Niagara Falls (Scott 568), top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 16628, Deep glowing color, o.g., never hinged; light gum wrinkles on left stamps, Very Fine. Scott \$425.  
Estimate \$250 - 350



3150

3150 ★★田

1922, 50¢ Arlington Amphitheater (Scott 570), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 19145, Crisp tone with luminous quality, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$750.  
Estimate \$500 - 750

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3151

3151 ★★田

1923, \$1 Lincoln Memorial (Scott 571), wide top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 14268, Bright pigment with remarkable clarity, o.g., never hinged; minor gum skips, Very Fine. Scott \$525. Estimate \$300 - 400



3152

3152 ★★田

1923, \$5 America (Scott 573), full wide top margin plate number F14326 - F14327 block of 8 with arrow, o.g., never hinged, a stellar sought-after wide top, bright and clean on pristine paper, Extremely Fine. Scott \$2,600. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



3153

3153 ★★田

1923, 2¢ Washington, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 x 10 (Scott 579), top margin plate block of 4 with star and plate number 14537, Deeply colored with sharp precision, o.g., never hinged; gum wrinkle on top right stamp, short perf at lower left, Very Fine for this. Scott \$900. Estimate \$350 - 500



3154

3154 ★★田

1925, 4¢ Martha Washington, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 585), top right plate block of 4 with plate number 16079, Brilliantly preserved color depth, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$425. Estimate \$350 - 500



3155

3155 ★★田

1925, 10¢ Monroe, rotary press printing, perf. 10 (Scott 591), bottom left plate block of 4 with plate number 18539, Fresh tone with excellent clarity, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, as scarce as a \$5 Columbian. Scott \$750. Estimate \$500 - 750



**3156**

3156 ★★田

**1923, 2¢ Washington, rotary press coil waste, perf. 11 (Scott 595)**, o.g., never hinged, full guide line at left, deep color, post-office fresh and intact, wonderful centering for this extremely challenging issue, Choice Very Fine, Scott 595 is one of the rarest coil waste issues in plate block form that is missing from virtually all premium quality collections. Scott \$2,900. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



**3157**

3157 ★★田

**1928, 2¢ Washington, type II, rotary press printing (Scott 634A)**, bottom left plate number 19746 block of 4, o.g., never hinged, solid and sound with proof-like color and detail, nearly Very Fine, a choice plate, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500



**3158**

3158 ★★田

**1926, 2¢ Washington, type I, carmine lake color error, rotary press printing (Scott 634b)**, bottom right plate #19912 block of 6 with vertical perfs shifted right, o.g., never hinged, intense color and proof-quality impression; small corner creasing at bottom right, an extraordinary freak plate block, with 2013 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$5,150 as plate block & 2 single. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



**3159**

3159 ★★田

**1929, 2¢ Sullivan Expedition, lake color error (Scott 657a)**, top plate #F19784 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, gorgeous unquestionably lake color, intact perfs; natural gum skips and a natural perf indent at top of top center stamp, slightly reduced selvage, Extremely Fine, *we estimate that no more than 20 plate blocks exist, and very few of them have the highly desirable top selvage*, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate (not noting the slightly reduced selvage). Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

A review of sales records on stamp auction network shows only 13 plate blocks have sold on the platform in 25 years with only 1 example having top selvage, plus the P.F. has only certified one full top plate block, and the size this plate block's selvage exceeds the size of the selvage of the other 2 top plate blocks.



3160

3160 ★★田 1929, Nebr., 1¢ to 10¢ complete (Scott 669-679), set of 11, plate block of 4 set, beautiful set with glowing vibrant hue, o.g., never hinged; 3¢ with light bend, mentioned only for accuracy, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$5,160. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



3161

3161 ★★田 1929, 10¢ Nebr. (Scott 679), top left plate block of 4 with plate number 19235, Bright with excellent intensity and interesting overprint shift downward, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$1,275. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



3162

3162 ★★田 1935, 2¢//10¢ National Parks, imperforate, gummed (Scott 757//765 vars.), bottom margin plate blocks of 6, complete less 1¢ and 5¢ values (#756, 760), all sound and Post Office fresh with eye-catching colors and full, balanced margins, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$2,403. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



3163

3163 ★田 1938, Presidential Issue, 1¢ George Washington, rare plate number (Scott 804), top left plate #21864 block of 4, o.g., barest trace of hinging (if at all), post-office fresh and intact perfs, rich color, Very Fine, *an extremely rare plate number with only Nos. 21834 (Durland \$600) and 21868 (Durland \$750) being rarer; the only sold example we could find was at a NYC auction house 3 years ago for \$850 hammer; none has ever appeared on Stamp Auction Network.* Durland \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400



3164

3164 ★★田 1938, Presidential Issue, \$5 Coolidge (Scott 834), top margin plate block of 4 with plate numbers F 22167 and F 22169, Crisp, clean printing, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 Crowe certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$780 as singles. Estimate \$500 - 750

EXCEPTIONAL \$5 RED BROWN & BLACK PREXIE PLATE BLOCK (SCOTT #834a)



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3165 ★★田

1938, Presidential Issue, \$5 Coolidge, red brown & black (Scott 834a), top margin plate number 22166 - F22168 block of 4, o.g., never hinged, a magnificent plate with unquestionable colors flawlessly registered and superior centering throughout, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, a real beauty for the Prexie enthusiast, with 1991 A.P.S. and 2005 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$15,000. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000



3166

3166 ★★/★田 Airmail, 1918-23, First and Second Issues complete (Scott C1-C6), set of 6, face-fresh sextet of plates of six (#C3 plate of 12), #C1-C3 top margins, #C4 a wide top, #C5-C6 bottoms; all with attractive printing and clean paper; a couple small faults, generally Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$6,980. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



3167

3167 ★★田

**Airmail, 1923, 24¢ carmine (Scott C6), full left plate #14840 block of 6, pristine never hinged o.g., beautifully centered with remarkably fresh color, top left stamp with tiny inclusion barely visible on face, still an Extremely Fine premium quality plate block. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000**



3168

3168 ★★田

**Airmail, 1930, 65¢ Graf Zeppelin (Scott C13), top margin plate number F20077 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, sound and fresh with rich color and enticing centering throughout, the selvage lacking the usual staple holes, Extremely Fine, with 2011 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,200. Estimate \$1,800 - 2,200**



3169

3169 ★★/★田

**Airmail, 1930, \$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C14), wide right margin plate block of 6 with plate number 20087, Fresh, clean look, o.g., top left stamp lightly hinged (5 stamps never hinged), Very Fine. Scott \$3,600. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000**



3170

3170 ★★田

**Airmail, 1969, 10¢ Moon Landing (Scott C76 var.), top right plate block of 4, a Freak oddly close to an Error; the top right and bottom left stamps with shoulder patch omitted, but all stamps with traces of rose red in the LEM; sound and fresh, and a fun item to tease your fellow collectors with, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine, with 1996 P.F. certificate. Estimate \$250 - 350**



3171

- 3171 ★★田 **Special Delivery, 1893, 10¢ orange (Scott E3)**, bottom margin plate block of 10 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, sound with bright, unadulterated color; natural vertical gum wrinkle in left column (not affecting plate block), Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$17,800. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000



3172

- 3172 ★田 **Special Delivery, 1895, 10¢ blue (Scott E5)**, top margin plate number 257 block of 6 with imprint, face-fresh with intense, deep color on bright paper with wide top selvage; sealed perforations with selvage hinge-reinforcement between positions 2 & 3, stamps appear never hinged, Fine+. Scott \$5,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



3173

- 3173 ★田 **Special Delivery, 1902, 10¢ ultramarine (Scott E6)**, full top plate #5244-09 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., barest trace of hinging in selvage, stamps never hinged, bright color and sharp impression, very well centered; light overall toning, otherwise Extremely Fine. *This is an extremely rare (as in less than 5 known) plate block to find in never hinged condition.* Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

Scott E6, with its new "Messenger on Bicycle" design, has an earliest documented use date of Jan. 15, 1903. In December 1908 the "Merry Widow" Special Delivery stamp was issued, and the public outcry engendered the re-issue of Scott E6 in 1909 using 4 new plates #5240, 5243, 5244 & 5245. After a few months, the BEP added "-09" to these 4 plate numbers, which is the only way to identify the reprints, because they are otherwise identical to the 1903-1908 issue.

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3174 ★田 **Special Delivery, 1902, 10¢ ultramarine (Scott E6),** bottom margin plate block of 6 with plate number 1481, Nicely preserved freshness, o.g., previously hinged; minor reinforced perforations at bottom, Fine. Scott \$3,250. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



3175

3175 ★★田 **Special Delivery, 1925, 15¢ deep orange (Scott E13),** right margin plate block of 6 with plate number 16836, Exceptionally bright and clean, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$700. Estimate \$350 - 500



3176

3176 ★★田 **Special Delivery, 1925, 15¢ deep orange (Scott E13),** full wide top margin plate number 16836 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, attention-grabbing with blazingly fresh color and solid centering throughout; a beautiful (ultra-)wide top plate, Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$700. Estimate \$500 - 750



3177

3177 ★田 **Registry, 1911, 10¢ ultramarine (Scott F1),** bottom margin plate number A5726 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., very lightly hinged, fresh with glacial color on bright paper, sound with all perforations intact, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ VF 80. Scott \$1,650. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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- 3178 ★★田 Postage Due, 1895, 1¢ deep claret, D.L. watermark (Scott J38), top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 147, Strong color and freshness, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$450. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3179 ★★田 Postage Due, 1895, 3¢ deep claret, D.L. watermark (Scott J40), top margin plate block of 6 with plate number 70, Fresh with excellent clarity, o.g., never hinged; light gum wrinkle on top left stamp, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3180 ★田 Postage Due, 1895, 5¢ deep claret, D.L. watermark (Scott J41), bottom margin plate block of 6 with plate number 255, Fresh with vibrant ink, o.g., previously hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 3181 ★★田 Postage Due, 1910, 1¢ deep claret, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott J45), top margin plate block of 6 with star and plate number 5510, o.g., never hinged, well-kept and fresh, Fine to Very Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate. Scott \$950. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3182 ★★田 Postage Due, 1910, 1¢ deep claret, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott J45), top margin plate block of 6 with star and plate number 5522, Bright, post office fresh, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$950. Estimate \$400 - 600



3183

3183 ★田

Postage Due, 1910, 3¢ deep claret, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott J47), bottom margin plate number 5523 block of 6 with imprint and star, a striking item with captivatingly deep color, sharp detail, and solid centering throughout; lightly hinged position 2 only, the others never hinged, Very Fine. *An extremely rare plate block, this particularly nicely centered; as singles, Scott \$8,625, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$6,000.* Estimate \$7,500 - 9,000



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- 3184 ★★田 Postage Due, 1914, 1¢ carmine lake, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott J52), left margin plate block of 6 with star and plate number 5541, Clean, bright appearance, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,700. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3185 ★田 Offices in China, 1919, 40¢ on 20¢ deep ultramarine (Scott K13), right margin plate number 6935 block of 6, fresh with crisp color on lily-white paper, sound and appearing never hinged (position 2 with barest trace); right column naturally short gummed, Fine to Very Fine, with 2011 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,300. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3186 ★★田 Offices in China, 1922, 4¢ on 2¢ carmine (Scott K18), right margin plate number 13129 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, crisply printed in bright, bold color on like-new paper with wide selvage; interesting spots of extraneous surcharge ink, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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- 3187 ★★田 Postal Savings, 1940, 50¢ dark blue green (Scott PS9), bottom margin plate number 22544 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, looking like it was printed yesterday, with undimmed color or freshness; small gum void position 2 noted for accuracy, Very Fine. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3188 ★★田 Parcel Post, 1913, 5¢ Mail Train (Scott Q5), full top margin plate number 6218 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, pristine and bright with all perforations intact, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,550. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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3189 ★★田

Parcel Post, 1913, 10¢ Steamship and Mail Tender (Scott Q6), bottom margin plate number 6162 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color on bright paper; a couple sealed vertical perforations in selvage below positions 5 & 6, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



3190

3190 ★★田

Parcel Post, 1913, 15¢ Automobile Service (Scott Q7), left margin plate number 6261 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with crisp impression in rich color, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$3,700. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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3191 ★★田

Parcel Post, 1913, 20¢ Airplane Carrying Mail (Scott Q8), bottom margin plate number 6192 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, sound with suffused color and clean impression; paper bright with intact perforations throughout, Fine. Scott \$9,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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3192 ★★田

Parcel Post, 1913, 25¢ Manufacturing (Scott Q9), left margin plate number 6174 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, cleanly printed in strong color; adherence position 4, Fine. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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3193 ★★田 Parcel Post, 1913, 75¢ Harvesting (Scott Q11), right margin plate number 6299 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, pristine with rich color and superior centering; natural perforation disc dimple position 1, Extremely Fine, a scarce plate block never hinged. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,500

3194 ★★田 Parcel Post, 1913, 75¢ Harvesting (Scott Q11), top margin plate number 6299 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, pristine and fresh with wonderful color and clarity, sound and nicely centered, nearly Very Fine, make hay and bid. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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3195 田 Documentory, 1872, Third Issue, 1¢ plate proof on card, vignette only in claret (Scott R134P4 var.), left margin plate number 6 block of 10 with imprint, an attractive plate with crisp detail in alluring color shading toward a red brown, natural deckle edge at left; neat crease between rows 4 & 5, otherwise sound, and Very Fine nonetheless. Turner Essay 80. Estimate \$600 - 800

3196 田 Proprietary, 1871, 4¢ green, essay of frame only, die on cardboard (Scott RB4-E var.), bottom margin plate number 7A block of 12 with imprint, with balanced margins and the expected razor-sharp detail in deep color, Carpenter imprint; faint toning along bottom edge of selvage only, Very Fine nonetheless, a pretty piece. Turner Essay 115A. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3197 ★★田 **Federal Duck Stamp, 1936, \$1 Canada Geese (Scott RW3),** top margin plate number F134318 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, fresh with clean impression and all perforations intact; a couple usual diagonal gum ridges, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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3198 ★★田 **Federal Duck Stamp, 1938, \$1 Pintail Drakes (Scott RW5),** full wide top left plate number F138602 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, in pristine color and clear impression, the top selvage tall enough to fit another stamp; diagonal gum wrinkles at left, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$4,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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3199 ★★田 **Federal Duck Stamp, 1944, \$1 White-fronted Geese (Scott RW11),** bottom left plate number 155590 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, appealing with luminous, unblemished color on like-new paper, selvage at left and bottom full to oversized; small inclusion position 1, a couple natural vertical gum skips, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$750. Estimate \$350 - 500



EX 3200

3200 ★★田 **Federal Duck Stamp, 1948, \$1 Buffleheads (Scott RW15),** complete set of four plate number 160101 blocks of 6, a pretty quartet, each with appealing color and centering, o.g., never hinged; tiny natural inclusion position 1 upper left block, natural gum skips on lower left block, still Very Fine. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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3201 ★★田 **Federal Duck Stamp, 1950, \$2 Trumpeter Swans (Scott RW17),** top left plate number 161536 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and enticing; vertical gum skip on central stamps, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400



**3202**

**3202 ★★** War Savings, 1917, 25¢ deep green (Scott WS1), bottom margin plate block of 6 with plate number 59045, Lively color, fresh look, unpriced as never hinged, very rare such, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,200 for hinged. Estimate \$500 - 750



**3203**

**3203 ★★** War Savings, 1945, \$5 violet brown (Scott WS11), bottom margin plate number 150133 block of 6, o.g., never hinged, clean and sound with striking color and sharp detail, Very Fine. Scott \$500. Estimate \$300 - 400

**AIRMAIL**

**3204 ★★/★** Airmail, 1927-39, Group of eight full panes, either Airmail issues or airmail-related, comprising #C10 (2; upper left plate number 19004 never hinged, lower left 19005, positions 5, 30, 50 and left selvage hinged); #C11 upper right F19694-F19698 never hinged (bottom row folded; figured as 50 singles as selvage separation in plate block); #C19 (2 never hinged; bottom right 21599 and upper right 21237); #C24 bottom right 22384 never hinged (position 1 damaged, not counted); #CE1 upper left 21312 never hinged; and #650 lower left 19659 (positions 1, 3, 5, 46, 48-50 hinged); clean with fresh color throughout; some selvage separations or individual tab losses, still a pretty group for collector and dealer alike, generally Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$3,268. (photo on web site) Estimate \$600 - 800



**3205**

**3205 ★★** Airmail, 1918-23, First and Second Issues complete (Scott C1-C6), set of 6, o.g., never hinged, all cleanly printed with solid to superior centering, #C3 with plane shifted to left; #C1 oxidized, all others Post Office fresh, Very Fine to Extremely Fine group. Scott \$645. Estimate \$350 - 500

**3206**

**3206 ★★** Airmail, 1918, 6¢ orange (Scott C1), o.g., never hinged, a stellar stamp with exceptional centering and vivid color on glowing white paper; hints of guide lines at top and right, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$360. Scott \$110. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 3207 ★★ **Airmail, 1918, 24¢ carmine rose & blue, “grounded plane” variety (Scott C3 var.),** o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with bold colors, the plane’s wheels riding the tops of “CE”, Fine, signed Sanabria, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

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- 3208 ★★ **Airmail, 1918, 24¢ carmine rose & blue (Scott C3),** o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color and near-perfect centering, the plane running ahead of schedule (though not fast), Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$500. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3209 ★ **Airmail, 1918, 24¢ carmine rose & blue, “Round the clock” flight (Scott C3),** group of seven showing different shifts of the vignette, o.g., lightly hinged, all in lovely color, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$455. (photo on web site) Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3210 ★★ **Airmail, 1923, 24¢ carmine (Scott C6),** o.g., never hinged, a gem-quality example with razor-sharp detail in bold, rich color, all flawlessly centered, Superb, an absolute beauty, with 2016 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$1,100. Scott \$130. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3211 ★★ **Airmail, 1923, 24¢ carmine (Scott C6),** o.g., never hinged, a beauty with rich color, sharp detail, and near-perfect margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$400. Scott \$130. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3212 ★★ **Airmail, 1923, 24¢ carmine (Scott C6),** left margin plate number 14841 single, o.g., never hinged, a simply all-around beauty of a positional, flawless printed with immense color depth, sound and bright with near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2006 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$400. Scott Stamp Values \$450. Estimate \$350 - 500



EX 3213



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- 3213 ★★田 **Airmail, 1926-27, Map & Planes complete (Scott C7-C9)**, set of 3, full panes of 50, a pretty trio, each with intense color and solid detail, #C7 a lower left pane with plate number 18246 and siderographer's initials (C.V. De B.); #C8 upper right plate F18748; #C9 lower right plate 18890 and plate finisher's initials (W.E.S.); sound with all perforations intact, the 15¢ particularly nicely centered throughout, o.g., never hinged, Fine to Very Fine or better. Brookman \$1,675. Scott \$1,178 as plates & singles. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3214 ★★ **Airmail, 1926, 15¢ Map & Planes (Scott C8)**, balanced with fresh tone, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$325. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 3215 ★★ **Airmail, 1927, 10¢ Lindbergh (Scott C10)**, Large centered margins with premium XQ designation, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2024 P.F. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$350. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 3216 ★★ **Airmail, 1930, Graf Zeppelin complete (Scott C13-C15)**, set of 3, o.g., never hinged, rich colors on fresh papers; \$1.30 couple typical few tiny natural gum skips, Very Fine and very attractive set. Scott \$1,675. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3217 ★★ **Airmail, 1930, Graf Zeppelin complete (Scott C13-C15)**, set of 3, o.g., never hinged, fresh and clean, each with bright color and clear impression, sound with solid centering, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,675. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3218 ★★ **Airmail, 1930, Graf Zeppelin complete (Scott C13-C15)**, o.g., never hinged, attractive set with warm colors and clean impressions, #C13 a top margin single; #C13 perforation tip stains at left, #C14 with inclusion, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$1,675. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 3219 ★/(★) **Airmail, 1930, Graf Zeppelin complete (Scott C13-C15), set of 3, crisp with enticing color and clarity; #C13-C14 o.g., lightly hinged, #C15 regummed, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,080 as o.g. Estimate \$400 - 600**
- 3220 ★★ **Airmail, 1930, 65¢ Graf Zeppelin (Scott C13), glowing, bright fresh shade, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$1,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800**
- 3221 ★★ **Airmail, 1930, 65¢ Graf Zeppelin (Scott C13), o.g., never hinged, a fabulous stamp with intense color, clean impression and immaculate gum, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$600. Scott \$250. Estimate \$500 - 750**



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- 3222 ★★ **Airmail, 1930, 65¢ Graf Zeppelin (Scott C13), right margin plate number 20077 single, o.g., never hinged, pristine with deep color and crisp lines; interesting partial offset of *different* plate number on reverse of selvaige tab, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$600. Scott \$250. Estimate \$500 - 750**
- 3223 ★★ **Airmail, 1930, \$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C14), bright fresh color, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$2,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000**



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- 3224 ★★ **Airmail, 1930, \$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C14), left margin plate number 20088 single, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh positional with warm color and exceptional centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,250. Scott \$575. Estimate \$800 - 1,200**



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- 3225 ○ Airmail, 1930, \$1.30 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C14), very highly graded with only two used stamps graded higher, duplex cancel, Superb, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$2,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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- 3226 ★★ Airmail, 1930, \$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C15), o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous, choice stamp with exceptional centering and margins and intense color on pristine paper, Superb, *only two stamps (a 100 and a 100J) grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$4,500. Scott \$850. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000



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- 3227 ★★ Airmail, 1930, \$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C15), o.g., never hinged, a Post Office fresh beauty with lovely color and detail, meticulously centered and sound, gum without the usual bends, skips or creases, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2014 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$1,500. Scott \$850. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 3228 ★ Airmail, 1930, \$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C15), o.g., very lightly hinged, flawlessly printed and mathematically centered, the gum looking for all the world to be never hinged, Superb, *only two 100s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$1,000. Scott \$525. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3229 ★ Airmail, 1930, \$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C15), o.g., very lightly hinged, richly colored with clear detail, sound and bright with exceptional centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$725. Scott \$525. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 3230 (★) **Airmail, 1930, \$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C15),** regummed, face-fresh with exceptional color and centering on like-new paper, Superb, *unpriced regummed in SMQ, but a Top of the Pop, one of just three stamps to summit PSE's Population Report*, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100. SMQ **Gem 100**; \$3,500 as o.g. Scott \$525. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3231 ○ **Airmail, 1930, \$2.60 Graf Zeppelin (Scott C15),** a gem-quality used example with profound color, flawless centering, and a lightly struck, unobtrusive duplex cancel, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,000. Scott \$550. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 3232 ★★ **Airmail, 1931, 5¢ Winged Globe, rotary press printing (Scott C16),** Gorgeous margin harmony, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$700. Estimate \$600 - 800

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**AIRMAIL SEMI-OFFICIAL  
EXCEPTIONAL 5¢ BUFFALO BALLOON (SCOTT #CL1)**

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**Airmail Semi-Official, 1877, 5¢ Buffalo Balloon (Scott CL1)**, Schoendorf Type II, o.g., lightly hinged once at top center, huge margins all around and stunning bright blue color and a highly detailed impression, Extremely Fine PSE has only graded 2 examples of CL1, and the other is no gum 85, an absolutely fabulous stamp and unquestionably one of the finest examples extant, *only 300 printed, 23 of which were used*, with 2014 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**. Scott \$7,500. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000

(photo on front cover)

According to the Scott Specialized catalog “This stamp was privately issued by John F.B. Lillard, a Nashville reporter. It was used on covers carried on a balloon ascension of June 18, 1877 which began at Nashville and landed at Gallatin, Tenn. and possibly on other flights...The stamp was reported to have been engraved by (Mrs.?) J.H. Snively and printed in tete beche paris from a single die. Lillard wrote that 300 were printed and 23 used.”

SPECIAL DELIVERY



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- 3234 ○ **Special Delivery, 1888, 10¢ blue (Scott E2)**, the connoisseur's choice, flawless in exquisite color, clarity and freshness, Superb, *the sole stamp at this grade, a single 98J higher, in PSE's Population Report*, with 2012 P.S.A.G. and 2025 P.S.E. certificates, each graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$850. Scott Stamp Values \$750. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 3235 ★★ **Special Delivery, 1895, 10¢ blue (Scott E5)**, o.g., never hinged, with intense, rich color and exceptional centering, Extremely Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate. Scott \$475. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3236 ★★ **Special Delivery, 1895, 10¢ blue (Scott E5)**, top margin plate number 880 single, o.g., stamp never hinged, hinged in selvage only, pretty positional with intense color and deep lines, sound and clean; nice eye appeal, Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate for strip of three, this position 3. SMQ F 70; \$225. Scott \$475. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 3237 ★★ **Special Delivery, 1902, 10¢ ultramarine (Scott E6)**, bottom margin plate number 5243 single, o.g., stamp never hinged, very lightly hinged in selvage only, a beautiful positional, Post Office fresh with razor-sharp detail, sound and well centered amid extra-wide margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1997 P.S.E. and 2023 P.F. certificates, the latter graded VF-XF 85J. SMQ VF-XF 85J; \$1,000. Scott \$500. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 3238 ★★田 **Special Delivery, 1902, 10¢ ultramarine (Scott E6)**, block of 4, o.g., never hinged, fresh and sound with bright color and sharp detail, Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded F 70. SMQ F 70; \$900 as singles. Scott \$2,000 as singles. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3239 ★ **Special Delivery, 1911, 10¢ ultramarine (Scott E8)**, o.g., lightly hinged, an outstandingly fresh jumbo with exceptional centering and color, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only seven stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with 2013 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$300. Scott \$120. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 3240 ★★ **Special Delivery, 1914, 10¢ ultramarine (Scott E9)**, o.g., never hinged, a gorgeous jumbo with near-perfect centering, bright and fresh, Extremely Fine to Superb, *only six 98s grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, ex Curtis, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$2,000. Scott \$425. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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**Special Delivery, 1917, 10¢ ultramarine (Scott E11)**, deep hue and precision centering, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$550. Estimate \$400 - 600



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**Special Delivery, 1917, 10¢ ultramarine, “pink back” variety (Scott E11 var.)**, left margin plate number 11814 block of 6, fresh with intense color and solid centering, the back aglow in pink; top stamps hinged or hinge remnant, bottom four stamps never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$900. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3243 ★★

**Special Delivery, 1922, 10¢ deep ultramarine (Scott E12a)**, o.g., never hinged, pristine with proof-like color and detail, sound and mathematically centered, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2007 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$575. Scott \$130. Estimate \$400 - 600

POSTAGE DUE



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3244 ★★

**Postage Due, 1879, 2¢ brown (Scott J2)**, o.g., never hinged, fresh with rich color and clean impression, sound with choice centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, *only four stamps grade higher in PSE's Population Report*, with two 2016 P.S.A.G. certificates, one graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85; \$1,300. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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**Postage Due, 1879, 10¢ brown (Scott J5)**, o.g., previously hinged, lovely color, beautifully centered for this very challenging issue on fresh paper; light horizontal crease only visible in fluid, attractive Very Fine appearance, As an indicator of scarcity of J5 with superior centering, PSE has graded one used example at S-98, and nothing else above XF-90, with 2004 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$950. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3246 ★

**Postage Due, 1884, 3¢ red brown (Scott J17)**, o.g., very lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with lavish color, flawless impression, and choice centering, Very Fine, scarce and undervalued, particularly this nice, with 1988 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$600 - 800



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**Postage Due, 1884, 3¢ red brown (Scott J17)**, o.g. (lightly) hinged, a lovely jumbo with warm color and crisp impression, beautifully centered and sound, Extremely Fine, *a Solo Top of the Pop, the single stamp at this apex grade in PSE's Population Report (with only two others in any condition, one each used and never hinged, matching it)*, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90J. SMQ XF 90J; \$1,700. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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**3248 ★★** **Postage Due, 1884, 50¢ red brown (Scott J21)**, o.g., never hinged, well centered with appealing color and detail, Very Fine+, *truly scarce in never hinged condition*, with 1982 and 1999 P.F. certificates. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

**3249 ★** **Postage Due, 1884, 50¢ red brown (Scott J21)**, o.g., previously hinged including 2 small hinge remnants, strong and unquestionably red brown color, well centered with even margins and a detailed impression; natural paper inclusion at bottom right not visible when in your album, Very Fine, this stamp would grade higher if not for the inclusion, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$1,700. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

**3250 ★★田** **Postage Due, 1891, 1¢ bright claret (Scott J22)**, full bottom plate #313 block of 10 with imprint, o.g., never hinged, gorgeous radiant shade and proof-quality impression, outstanding centering throughout; usual very light natural gum bend at bottom right does not detract, still Extremely Fine for this plate block which is nearly impossible to acquire in any condition, much less sound and never hinged. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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**3251 ★★/★田** **Postage Due, 1891, 5¢ bright claret (Scott J25)**, full bottom plate #318 block of 10 with imprint, o.g., pos. 2, 3 & bottom row never hinged, pos. 1, 4, 5 tiny h.r., deep rich color and sharp proof-like impression, unbelievably well centered throughout, Extremely Fine, *extremely rare plate block with an estimated 10-15 known*. Scott \$1,450. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

Plate blocks are either top or bottom and from plate #318, the only plate number used for the issue.

**3252 ★★** **Postage Due, 1891, 10¢ bright claret (Scott J26)**, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully bright with clean impression on immaculate paper, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$500. Scott \$500. Estimate \$300 - 400

**3253 ★★** **Postage Due, 1891, 50¢ bright claret (Scott J28)**, o.g., never hinged, pristine with intoxicating color and sound centering, Very Fine, with 2003 and 2008 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded VF 80. SMQ **VF 80**; \$1,700. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

**3254 ★★** **Postage Due, 1894, 2¢ vermilion (Scott J30)**, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with rich, brilliant color and clean lines; tiny inclusion at lower right not noted on accompanying certificate, Fine to Very Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,900. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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- 3255 ★★ Postage Due, 1895, 5¢ deep claret (Scott J34), left margin part-arrow single, o.g., never hinged, pretty positional with deep, captivating color and razor-sharp detail, all on fresh paper sporting large margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 1994 P.F. and 2013 P.S.A.G. certificates. Scott \$850. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3256 ★ Postage Due, 1895, 50¢ deep claret (Scott J37), o.g., previously hinged, lovely shade and proof like impression, fresh and Fine. Scott \$1,800. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3257 ★★田 Postage Due, 1895, 3¢ deep claret, D.L. watermark (Scott J40), bottom margin block of 4, o.g., never hinged, a pretty block with vibrant color and bold, clean detail, all on bright paper; reattached selvage tab below position 4 noted for accuracy, Fine to Very Fine, with 2016 P.F. certificate. Scott \$900 as singles. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3258 ★★/★田 Postage Due, 1895, 5¢ deep claret, D.L. watermark (Scott J41), bottom plate #71 block of 6 with imprint, o.g., top center and bottom row never hinged, top corners lightly hinged, lovely deep claret shade on crisp fresh paper with intact perfs, Extremely Fine, with 2019 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,340 as singles. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 3259 ★★ Postage Due, 1896, 50¢ deep claret, D.L. watermark (Scott J44), o.g., never hinged, with deep, crisp color and razor-sharp detail, Fine to Very Fine, *scarce never hinged*, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$925. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3260 ★ Postage Due, 1912, 50¢ deep claret, S.L. watermark, perf. 12 (Scott J50), o.g., small paper hinge remnant made from a piece of selvage affecting a small part of the gum leaving a large majority unblemished, bright color and proof quality impression on bright white paper with long full perfs all around, Fine to Very Fine, an attractive o.g. example of this high value postage due issue. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3261 ★★田 Postage Due, 1914, 1¢ carmine lake, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott J52), horizontal block of 6, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with rich color and bold detail, each solidly centered, the whole sound with perforations intact, Fine to Very Fine, with 2017 P.F. certificate for vertical block of 12 (these the bottom two rows). Scott \$1,320 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600



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**Postage Due, 1914, 30¢ carmine lake, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott J57)**, o.g., never hinged, well centered with robust, deep color and crystalline clarity; big-margined and sound, Very Fine++, with 2010 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$525. Estimate \$350 - 500



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**Postage Due, 1914, 50¢ carmine lake, S.L. watermark, perf. 10 (Scott J58)**, o.g., lightly hinged, beautiful color and very detailed impression on gleaming white paper, **completely sound**, Fine example of the key postage due issue, which is valued by Scott in the grade of Fine to Very Fine and appears at auction at an average of 2 to 3 times per year, in varying condition., with 1976 P.F. certificate (genuine, unused, o.g.). Scott \$11,500. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



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**Postage Due, 1916, 1¢ rose, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott J59)**, o.g., hinge remnant; light horizontal bend at center (which is a small thin line that shows only when drying), still Very Good (which accurately described most mint examples), with 2002 P.S.E. certificate graded VG 50. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

3265 ★★

**Postage Due, 1916, 2¢ rose, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott J60)**, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with luscious color and crisp detail, near-flawlessly centered and fresh; an all-around pretty stamp, Extremely Fine, with 1996 and 2009 P.F. certificates. Scott \$625. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

3266 ★★

**Postage Due, 1916, 2¢ rose, unwatermarked, perf. 10 (Scott J60)**, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF 80 & 1996 P.F. certificate. SMQ VF 80; \$575. Estimate \$400 - 600

3267 ★★田 Postage Due, 1917, 3¢ carmine rose, 5¢ deep claret & 10¢ deep claret, unwatermarked, perf. 11 (Scott J63, J64b, J65b), fresh multiples, 3¢ an irregular vertical block of eight, 5¢ a right margin horizontal block of ten, the 10¢ an irregular block of 16, o.g., never hinged, all fresh and clean, the 3¢ richly hued, all clearly printed, Fine to Very Fine, nice stock for the online dealer. Scott \$1,645. (photo on web site) Estimate \$250 - 350



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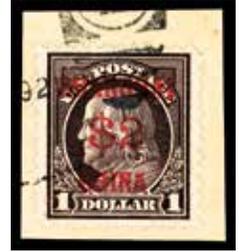
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3268 ★★ Postage Due, 1930, 50¢ carmine (Scott J76), o.g., never hinged, pristine and fresh, crisply printed and very nicely centered, sound with perfect gum, Very Fine. Scott \$375. Estimate \$250 - 350

### U.S. POSTAL AGENCY IN CHINA

3269 ★★ Offices in China, 1919, 18¢ on 9¢ salmon red (Scott K9), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh and sound with vibrant color and superior centering, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$425. Scott \$150. Estimate \$300 - 400

3270 ★★ Offices in China, 1919, 20¢ on 10¢ orange yellow (Scott K10), o.g., never hinged, eye-catching in bold, unblemished color on bright white paper, Extremely Fine, with 2002 P.F. certificate. Scott \$140. Estimate \$250 - 350

3271 ★★ Offices in China, 1919, 20¢ on 10¢ orange yellow (Scott K10), o.g., never hinged, a beauty with rich, unblemished color and near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$900. Scott Stamp Values \$1,450. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

3272 ★ Offices in China, 1919, \$2 on \$1 violet brown (Scott K16), o.g., lightly hinged, Post Office fresh with proof-like presentation on glowing aper, sound and well centered, Very Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate. Scott \$425. Estimate \$250 - 350

3273 ▲ Offices in China, 1919, \$2 on \$1 violet brown (Scott K16), fresh with proof-like color and clarity, mathematically centered, tied to small piece by 1921 duplex, Extremely Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate. Scott \$700. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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3274 ★★ Offices in China, 1922, 4¢ on 2¢ carmine (Scott K18), o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded XF 90 XQ. SMQ **XF 90J**; \$950. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

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OFFICIAL



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3275 P **Agriculture Dept., 1873, 1¢ to 30¢ complete, small die proofs (Scott O1P2-O9P2),** a lovely set, each with flawless, unblemished color and full cut-out from album page (6¢ album page oddly cut at lower left), Very Fine. Scott \$900. Estimate \$500 - 750

3276 O **Official, 1873, Bright group of 13 used (Scott O2//O92),** your lucky day, comprising #O2 (2), O18, O23, O24 (2), O28, O38, O40, O75, O76, O82 and O92, offering a range of cork, colored or c.d.s. cancels, each with luxuriant color (shades) on bright paper, sound with several jumbos; a grand lot, Very Fine or better. Scott \$514. Estimate \$300 - 400



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3277 ★ **Executive Dept., 1873, 1¢ carmine (Scott O10),** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh color and strong impression, Fine and attractive, with 2004 P.F. certificate. Scott \$900. Estimate \$300 - 400

3278 ★ **Executive Dept., 1873, 2¢ carmine (Scott O11),** o.g., lightly hinged, fresh and clean with incredible color depth and sharp lines, all pleasingly centered, Very Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate. Scott \$575. Estimate \$350 - 500

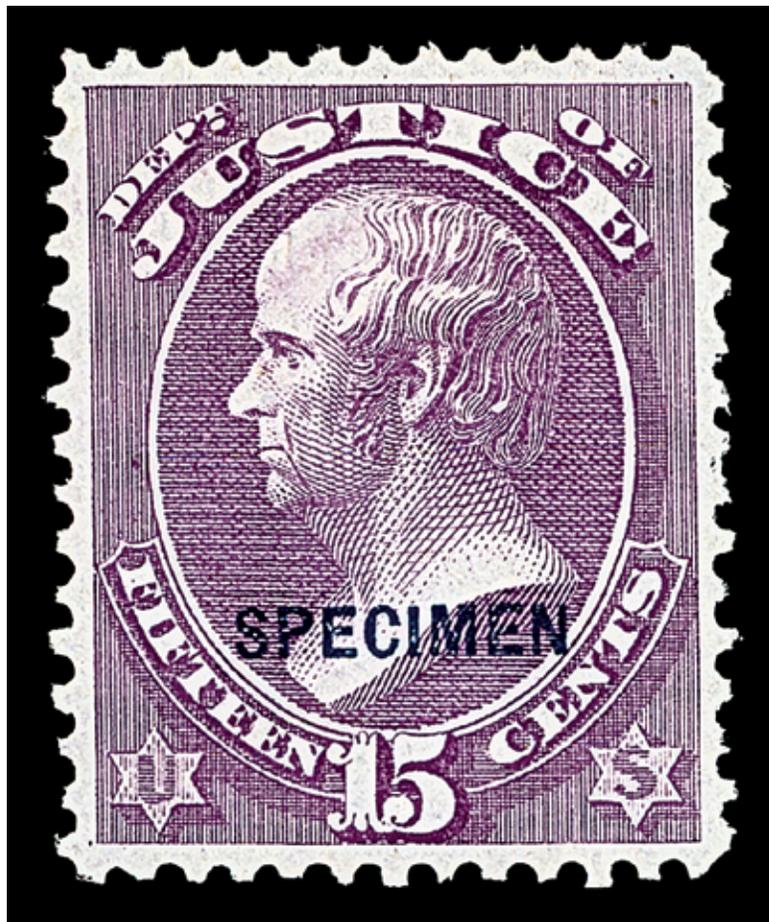
3279 ★★/★ **Interior Dept., 1873, 1¢ to 90¢ complete (Scott O15-O24),** bright set, each with clean impression, 3¢, 6¢, and 12¢ regummed, 15¢ & 24¢ hinged, others never hinged; occasional small fault, otherwise generally Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,310. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3280 ★/(★) **Justice Dept., 1873, 1¢ to 90¢ complete (Scott O25-O34),** pretty set offering a range of shades, all face-fresh and appealing; small faults; 10¢-24¢ & 90¢ regummed, others hinged, still generally Fine to Very Fine, #O34 with 2003 Bach/Eichele certificate (erroneously as never hinged). Scott \$4,335. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

**SUPERLATIVE 15¢ JUSTICE DEPARTMENT  
SPECIAL PRINTING SPECIMEN (SCOTT #O31SD)**



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Justice Dept., 1875 Special Printing, 15¢ purple, overprinted "Specimen" (Scott O31SD), jewel-like hue and razor-sharp centering, without gum as issued, Extremely Fine to Superb, unpriced in SMQ, *only 157 sold*, with 2016 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500



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3282 ★★/★ Navy Dept., 1873, 1¢ to 90¢ complete (Scott O35-O45), clean set with attractive color, 1¢ and 3¢ never hinged; couple small faults; 24¢ & 30¢ regummed, 90¢ no gum, others hinged, otherwise Fine to Fine-Very Fine. Scott \$4,845. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

3283 ★ Navy Dept., 1873, 7¢ ultramarine (Scott O39), o.g., hinged, immaculate with crisp detail in alluring color, margins balanced with right extremely wide; lower left corner perforation tip bent over stamp (as imaged on certificate) but present, Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$700. Estimate \$300 - 400



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3284 ★★/★ Post Office Dept., 1873, 1¢ to 90¢ complete (Scott O47-O56), clean, sound set with crisp impressions and solid color; 10¢, 12¢, 24¢ and 90¢ regummed, 30¢ hinged, otherwise never hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,155. Estimate \$300 - 400

3285 ★/(★) State Dept., 1873, 1¢ to 90¢ values (Scott O57-O67), appealing set of cent values, Post Office fresh with intense color and clean detail; occasional small fault; 6¢ proof perfed & gummed; 10¢, 15¢, 30¢ & 90¢ regummed, others hinged, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$2,965. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3286 S State Dept., 1875 Special Printing, 24¢ bluish green, overprinted "Specimen" (Scott O65SD), without gum as issued, Post Office fresh with intense color and bright overprint, nicely centered with full perforations all around, Very Fine, with 2016 P.F. certificate graded VF 80. Scott \$600. Estimate \$350 - 500

3287 (★) State Dept., 1873, \$2 green & black (Scott O68), unused without gum, rich colors and highly detailed impressions; very light pencil on reverse, Fine, with 2008 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$850. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 3288 ★ State Dept., 1873, \$5 green & black (Scott O69), large part o.g., fresh and sound with rich color on like-new paper, Fine, with 2022 P.F. certificate. Scott \$8,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 3289 ★ State Dept., 1873, \$5 green & black (Scott O69), o.g. with small areas of gum loss in top corners, in the preferred and much prettier green shade, crisp paper with full perfs all around, Fine, an absolutely stunning stamp, with 2008 P.F. certificate. Scott \$8,000. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500
- 3290 (★) State Dept., 1873, \$10 green & black (Scott O70), regummed, exceptionally well centered with nicely balanced margins, lovely colors, sound paper, Extremely Fine, with 2009 Weiss certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 3291 (★) State Dept., 1873, \$20 green & black (Scott O71), unused without gum, light shade and strong impressions, well centered; PF notes faint soiling but we disagree, Extremely Fine, with 2008 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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- 3292 ★★/★ Treasury Dept., 1873, 1¢ to 90¢ complete (Scott O72-O82), each crisply printed with bold color and clean lines; small fault or two; 1¢-3¢ and 30¢-90¢ regummed, 24¢ lightly hinged, others never hinged, generally Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$4,018. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3293 ★★ Treasury Dept., 1873, 7¢ brown (Scott O76), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with strong color and sharp detail, solidly centered on like-new paper, Very Fine. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3294 S Treasury Dept., 1875 Special Printing, 90¢ dark brown, overprinted "Specimen" (Scott O82SD), without gum as issued, with proof-like color and detail on pristine paper sporting jumbo, particularly tall margins, centered just to left, Fine to Very Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,650. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



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3295 ★★田 **War Dept., 1873, 15¢ rose (Scott O90)**, bottom left plate #87 block of 14 with imprint, o.g., **all 14 stamps never hinged**, hinge remnants in selvage including 2 reinforcing perfs, lovely bright and rich color on fresh paper, exceptionally well centered for this issue, Very Fine and a true condition rarity, very scarce premium quality plate block. Scott \$3,640 as 14 never hinged single. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

3296 (★) **Agriculture Dept., 1879, 1¢ yellow (Scott O94)**, without gum as issued, gorgeous radiant shade on bright white and completely sound paper, Very Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate. Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500

3297 ★ **Treasury Dept., 1879, 90¢ brown (Scott O113)**, o.g., hinged, eye-catching with deep lines yielding crisp detail; horizontal creases, small thin at top, otherwise Fine, with 2015 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$11,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

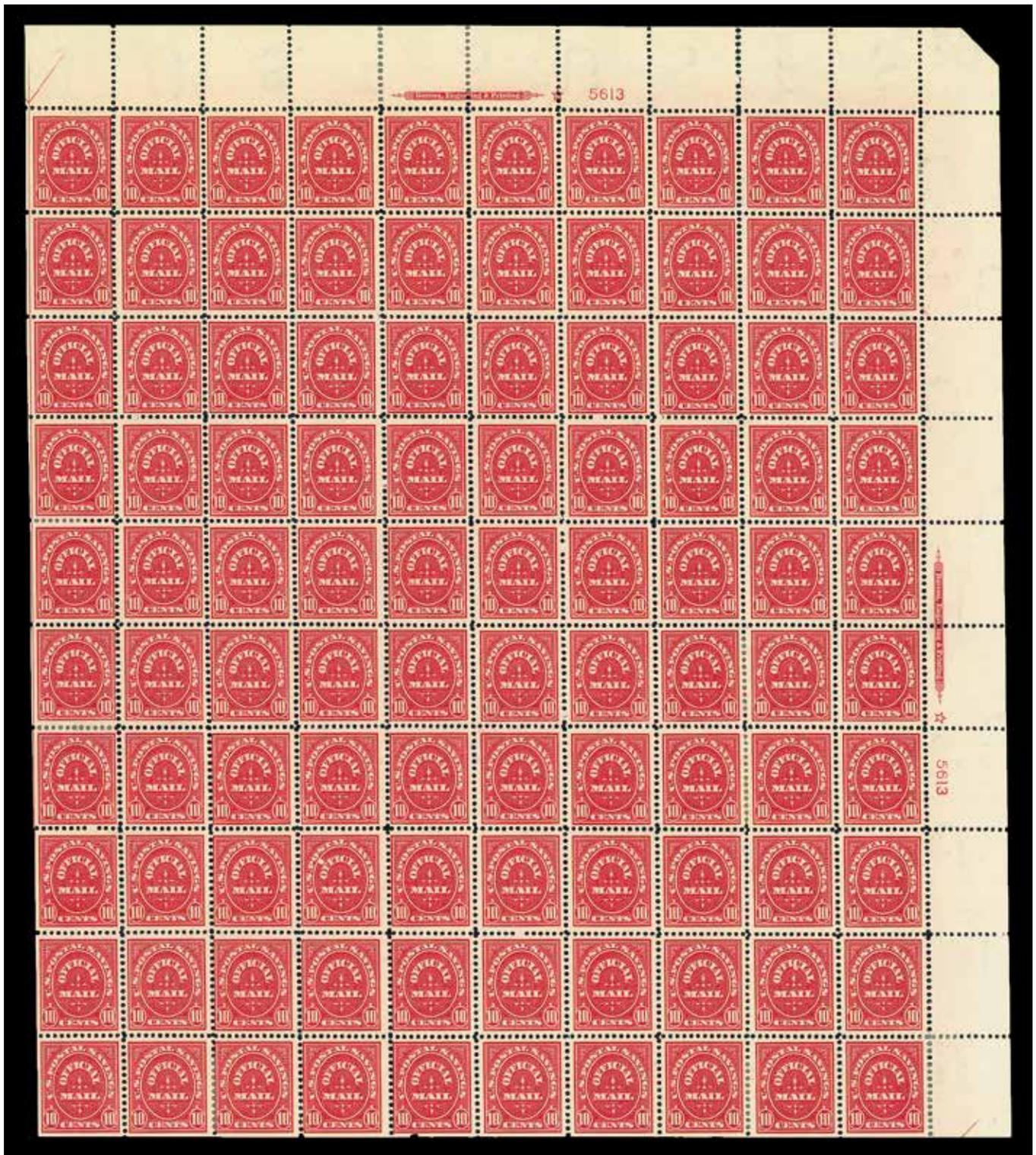


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3298 (★) **Treasury Dept., 1879, 90¢ brown (Scott O113)**, unused without gum, deep rich color; reperfed at bottom, couple small thins and light creases only visible in fluid, almost Very Fine appearance. Scott \$5,000. Estimate \$600 - 800

3299 (★)田 **War Dept., 1879, 6¢ rose red (Scott O117)**, full pane of 100 with plate No. 60 and imprint, unused without gum, fresh-faced with clean color and impression; numerous sensible hinge reinforcements, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,535 as o.g. Estimate \$500 - 750



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Postal Savings Official, 1911, 1¢ dark violet-10¢ carmine (Scott O124-O126), full panes of 100, each an upper right pane with complete selvage with two plate number, star & imprint blocks of six, 1¢ plate number 5646, 2¢ plate 5500, and 10¢ plate 5613 (with full top); fresh-faced with lovely colors, some hinge reinforcements or other small edge flaws, unused without gum, Fine to Fine-Very Fine. Scott \$11,100 for o.g. plates & singles. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

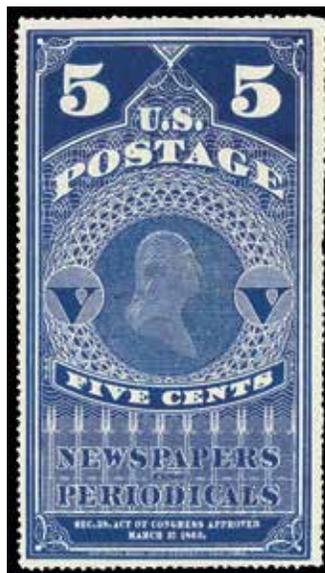
NEWSPAPER



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- 3301 (★) Newspaper, 1865, 5¢ dark blue (Scott PR1), without gum as issued, clean with rich color, full perforations, and free from the usual bends and creases, Fine to Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$750. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 3302 (★) Newspaper, 1865, 5¢ light blue (Scott PR4), without gum as issued, eye-catching with crisp impression on brilliant white paper; minor perforation faults, still Fine to Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$900. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3303 (★) Newspaper, 1865, 5¢ dark blue (Scott PR4a), without gum as issued, well centered in bold color on pristine paper; perforation faults, otherwise Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$900. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3304 ★ Newspaper, 1875, 24¢ rose, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR17), o.g., hinged with very small gum loss along top and left edges, lovely pastel shade, Fine. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 3305 ★ Newspaper, 1875, 48¢ rose, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR19), o.g., hinged, bright and crisp on like-new paper, sound with perforations clear on all sides, Fine+, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3306 ★ Newspaper, 1875, 72¢ rose, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR21), o.g., hinge remnant, in pristine color and clear lines, bright and inviting; reperforated at top; single nibbed perforation at bottom not noted on certificate, Fine appearance, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3307 ★ Newspaper, 1875, 84¢ rose, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR22), o.g., hinge remnants, lovely shade on bright crisp paper, centered to top right, Fine and very attractive, with 2003 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$1,850. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 3308 ○ Newspaper, 1875, 84¢ rose, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR22), fresh and clean with clear impression and superior centering; manuscript cancel, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, unpriced used in SMQ, with 2025 P.F. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ VF-XF 85. Scott Stamp Values \$825. Scott \$450. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3309 ★ Newspaper, 1875, 96¢ rose, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR23), o.g., hinge remnants at top and center, deep shade and detailed impression; reperfed at bottom, small thin at top from hinge removal, Very Good appearance, *a review of Stamp Auction Network records shows between 0 and 3 examples have been offered each year, and most years it is either 0 or 1, with 2010 Weiss certificate.* Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3310 ★ Newspaper, 1875, \$1.92 dark brown, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR24), o.g. (sweated), deep dark shade on brilliant white paper with full perfs all around, wonderfully centered with full even margins, Extremely Fine, *this is only the fourth example since March 2022 to be sold on Stamp Auction Network — all by us — there were 2 in Sept. 2022, none in 2023, 2024 and 2025, and we just sold one this past Jan. 16. This is by far the nicest looking o.g. example to be sold in at least 15 years,* with 1983 P.F. certificate incorrectly stating reperfed at bottom and 2009 A.P.E.X. certificate noting 2 blind perfs punched out at bottom. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3311 ★ Newspaper, 1875, \$6 ultramarine, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR26), large part o.g., clear impression in crisp color on backdrop of snow-white paper; small thin in lower left corner, otherwise Fine, with 2007 P.F. and 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$4,250. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 3312 ★ Newspaper, 1875, \$9 yellow orange, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR27), o.g., hinge remnants at top and right, stunning intense shade on crisp white paper; expertly reperfed at right and a few small faults barely visible (if at all) to the naked eye, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, signed twice including A. Roig. Scott \$4,500. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 3313 (★) Newspaper, 1875, \$9 yellow orange, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR27), unused without gum, sound with rich, unblemished color and clear to oversized margins all around, Fine to Very Fine, with 2008 P.F. and 2026 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3314 ★ Newspaper, 1875, \$12 blue green, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR28), o.g., lightly hinged, enticing in rich color on radiant white paper, well centered with full perforations all around; natural gum crease, still Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$4,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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- 3315 ★ Newspaper, 1875, \$24 dark gray violet, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR29), o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with bold color and clean impression, Fine to Very Fine, with 1989 & 2002 P.F. and 2026 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$4,750. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500
- 3316 ★ Newspaper, 1875, \$36 brown rose, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR30), part o.g., rich color, centered to top right, sound paper, Fine, *o.g. examples of this issue appear on the market usually twice per year, and most examples are Fine and faulty*, with 2008 P.F. certificate. Scott \$5,500. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 3317 ★ Newspaper, 1875, \$48 red brown, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR31), o.g., previously hinged, gorgeous color on lily white paper; expertly reperfed at left and bottom, Extremely Fine, *o.g. examples of this issue appear on the market only once or twice per year, and most examples are Fine and faulty*, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$7,500. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 3318 (★) Newspaper, 1875, \$60 violet, C.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR32), unused without gum, pretty shade on crisp paper, extremely well centered with full perfs all around, Very Fine to Extremely Fine if graded *absolutely*, if graded *relatively*, it would be much higher; knowledgeable collectors know that this issue is nearly impossible to find well centered and sound; this is **the highest graded example**, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$2,250. Scott \$2,600. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500
- 3319 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 2¢ gray black, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing on horizontally ribbed paper (Scott PR33a), without gum as issued, gorgeous charcoal color and proof-quality impression on brilliant white paper, Very Fine, with 1992 and 2025 P.F. certificates, the former as PR33. Scott \$500. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 3320 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 3¢ gray black, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing on horizontally ribbed paper (Scott PR34a), without gum as issued, fresh and bright with razor-sharp detail in cool color, Fine to Very Fine, with photocopy of 2008 P.F. certificate for block of four, this position 3. Scott \$550. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 3321 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 8¢ gray black, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR37), without gum as issued, rich charcoal shade on lily white crisp sound paper, outstanding centering with nearly equal distance between design and perfs, Choice Very Fine, *only 1,930 sold*, with 2001 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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3322 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 9¢ gray black, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR38), without gum as issued, gorgeous color and a proof quality impression on fresh white paper, Extremely Fine in every respect, and certainly in the conversation for the finest extant, *only 1,795 sold*, with 2000 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

3323 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 10¢ gray black, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR39), without gum as issued, remarkably strong color and impression on sound crisp paper, Very Fine, an extraordinarily large stamp, *only 1,499 sold*, with 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$600 - 800



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3324 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 12¢ pale rose, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR40), without gum as issued, perfect centering within immense even margins, amazing color, proof quality impression, sound paper appearing to have been printed yesterday and not over 150 years ago, Extremely Fine to Superband **unquestionably the finest known example**; we could continue but we all get the point, *only 1,313 sold*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$4,400. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

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- 3325 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 24¢ pale rose, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR41), without gum as issued, bright and fresh, Fine, *a paltry 411 were sold*, with 2002 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3326 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 36¢ pale rose, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR42), without gum as issued, bright radiant color and razor sharp impression on contrasting bright white paper, Fine, *only a mere 330 were sold*, with 1984 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3327 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 48¢ pale rose, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR43), without gum as issued, clean and bright on pristine paper; natural straight edge at top, Very Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 3328 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 48¢ pale rose, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR43), without gum as issued, bright vibrant color and crisp impression on immaculate paper, Very Fine and very pretty, *a paltry 268 sold*, with 1992 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3329 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 60¢ pale rose, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR44), without gum as issued, rich color and detailed impression on crisp fresh white paper, Very Fine, *a paltry 222 sold*, with 2010 Weiss certificate noting a few short perfs at bottom (which would not expect to be noted on a new certificate). Scott \$4,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,500



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- 3330 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 72¢ pale rose, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR45), without gum as issued, pretty shade and proof quality impression, remarkably well centered and bright; tiny blue ink speck in the bottom right margin, still Extremely Fine, *a measly 174 were sold*, with 1994 P.F. certificate. Scott \$4,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 3331 (★) Newspaper, 1875, 84¢ pale rose, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR46), without gum as issued, centered to top right and completely sound example of this rare stamp, Fine, *only 164 sold*, with 1998 P.F. certificate. Scott \$5,750. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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- 3332 (★)** Newspaper, 1875, 96¢ pale rose, C.B.N.C. “Hard Paper” Special Printing (Scott PR47), without gum as issued, beautiful color and fine impression; light horizontal crease and light perf staining, lovely Very Fine appearance, With a mere 141 copies issued and the nature of the paper and the people handling them over the years, sound examples are small in number and appear maybe once every year, *only 141 sold, and only 30 have been certified by the Philatelic Foundation as genuine*, with 1994 P.F. certificate. Scott \$10,000. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000
- 3333 ★** Newspaper, 1879, 36¢ red, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR65), o.g., lightly hinged, warm color, well centered and sound (unlike most examples), Very Fine and fresh, with 2001 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3334 ★** Newspaper, 1879, 60¢ red, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR67), slightly disturbed o.g., clean with outstanding color and detail, solidly centered; several unpunched perforations at top and bottom, Very Fine, with 1990 A.P.S. and 2026 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$550 as no gum. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3335 ★** Newspaper, 1879, 72¢ red, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR68), o.g., barely hinged at top edge leaving virtually all of the gum untouched, stunning color, choice centering with perfs well clear of design, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, an exceptional stamp in every respect. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800
- 3336 ★** Newspaper, 1879, 84¢ red, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR69), o.g., barest trace of hinge at top center (appears never hinged), pretty shade, 3 even balanced margins, centered to right, Fine and completely sound. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 3337 ★** Newspaper, 1879, 96¢ red, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR70), o.g., lightly hinged at top center leaving the vast majority of the gum in pristine condition, gorgeous color, perfectly centered side to side and large balanced margins at top and bottom, completely sound and extremely beautiful, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, ex Vineyard (where it sold for \$1,700 hammer vs a catalog value of \$850), with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 3338 (★)** Newspaper, 1879, 96¢ red, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR70), regummed, well centered with clean color and clear lines, Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$700. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 3339 ★ Newspaper, 1879, \$3 red vermillion, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR72), o.g., lightly hinged, a beauty with radiant color on fresh paper, sound and nicely centered, Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate *erroneously as never hinged*. Scott \$625. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3340 ★★ Newspaper, 1879, \$9 orange, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR74), o.g., never hinged, post office fresh with radiant color and pristine gum, Fine to Very Fine, with 1992 P.F. certificate. Scott \$800 as hinged (unpriced NH). Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3341 ★ Newspaper, 1879, \$48 yellow brown, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR78), o.g., very lightly hinged, with rich color and deep lines, a lovely, sound example, Fine to Very Fine, with 2002 P.F. and 2026 P.S.E. certificates. Scott \$900. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3342 ★ Newspaper, 1879, \$60 purple, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR79), o.g., lightly hinged at top center, exceptionally fresh and bright color, highly detailed impression, Very Fine and attractive. Scott \$850. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3343 (★) Newspaper, 1879, \$60 purple, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR79), unused without gum, with crisp lines and bold color, sound and fresh with nicely balanced margins, Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$350. Estimate \$250 - 350



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- 3344 (★) Newspaper, 1883, 2¢ intense black, A.B.N.C. "Soft Paper" Special Printing (Scott PR80), without gum as issued, stunning dark color and proof like impression on lily white paper, Fine to Very Fine, with 1997 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3345 ★★ Newspaper, 1885, 24¢ carmine, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR83), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with enticing color on like-new paper; couple short perforations at left not noted on accompanying certificate, Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$500 as o.g. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3346 ★★ Newspaper, 1885, 48¢ carmine, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR85), o.g., never hinged, bold color, strong impression on fresh sound paper, pristine gum, Very Fine and very scarce in sound never hinged condition, Stamp Auction Network records show that the last 3 sound never hinged examples were sold in 2024, 2019 and 2012, ex Silver Lake, with 1994 P.F. certificate. Scott \$975. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3347 ★ Newspaper, 1885, 72¢ carmine, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR87), o.g., hinged, sound with bold color, solid detail, and attractive centering, Fine to Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$600. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 3348 ★★ **Newspaper, 1885, 84¢ carmine, A.B.N.C. printing (Scott PR88)**, o.g., never hinged, exceptionally well centered with absolutely gorgeous color and proof-quality impression, Extremely Fine, The last six never hinged examples of this stamp offered in the last 20 years on Stamp Auction Network were in 2006, 2012, 2020 (thin), 2023, 2024 & 2025., ex Silver Lake where it realized \$1,500 hammer, with 1994 and 2004 P.F. certificates. Scott \$900 for hinged (unpriced NH). Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3349 ★★ **Newspaper, 1894, 2¢ intense black, Bureau printing (Scott PR91)**, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2009 Weiss certificate. Scott \$1,075. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3350 ★ **Newspaper, 1894, 4¢ intense black, Bureau printing (Scott PR92)**, o.g., barest trace of hinge at top right leaves over 99% of the gum in perfect condition, dark color and proof quality impression, very well centered, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate for pair, this being the left stamp. Scott \$550. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 3352 ★ **Newspaper, 1894, 10¢ intense black, Bureau printing (Scott PR94)**, o.g., tiny hinge remnants, dark color, well centered within balanced margins, Very Fine, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate harshly graded F 70. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3353 ★ **Newspaper, 1894, 12¢ pink, Bureau printing (Scott PR95)**, o.g., hinged, lovely color; vertical crease and minor faults that will not be seen when the stamp is in your album, Fine appearance, with 2010 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3354 ★ **Newspaper, 1894, 24¢ pink, Bureau printing (Scott PR96)**, pretty pastel color on bright white paper; small thin at top right, Fine appearance, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$500 - 750



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**SUPERIOR EXAMPLE OF THE 1894 6¢ NEWSPAPER (SCOTT #PR93)****3351 ★★**

**Newspaper, 1894, 6¢ intense black, Bureau printing (Scott PR93)**, o.g., never hinged, intact perfs and small part of adjacent stamp at left, full even perf tips on the other 3 sides, gorgeous color on brilliant white paper, truly outstanding centering, Very Fine to Extremely Fine and most likely the finest example known, never hinged examples of PR93 appear on the market about once every 2 years in any condition; examples in this superior condition are once in a collecting lifetime opportunities. Don't miss this one, *only 9,705 issued*, with 2010 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**. Scott \$11,500. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000

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**LOVELY 1894 60¢ PINK NEWSPAPER (SCOTT #PR98)**

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**Newspaper, 1894, 60¢ pink, Bureau printing (Scott PR98)**, o.g., lightly hinged, remarkably well centered; horizontal crease, Fine, footnote in Scott that this issue is valued in the grade of fine; a stamp with only one small fault should be considered a condition rarity, *approximately 23 mint examples are believed to exist, and the number of sound examples can be counted on one hand; a review of recent stamp auctions show this is the first example to be offered to the market since March 2023*, with 1994 P.F. certificate. Scott \$35,000. Estimate \$20,000 - 30,000

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**HANDSOME 1894 \$6 PALE BLUE NEWSPAPER (SCOTT #PR101)****3356 ★**

Newspaper, 1894, \$6 pale blue, Bureau printing (Scott PR101), o.g., couple small hinge remnants at top center & a light pencil notes, lovely “blue sky” shade on lily white paper; reperfed at left and bottom, horizontal crease at bottom left, Choice Very Fine appearance, footnote in Scott that this is valued in the grade of fine-very fine. Siegel’s online census images 6 original gum examples (3 sound & 3 faulty), plus 4 uncanceled but gum status unknown (3 unknown condition, including the example in the Miller collection; 1 with a thin), ex Lilly & Whitpain, with 1965 and 2010 P.F. certificates. Scott \$50,000. Estimate \$15,000 - 20,000



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- 3357 ★ Newspaper, 1895, 50¢ carmine, Bureau printing, unwatermarked (Scott PR107), o.g., hinged, face-fresh with proof-like clarity and bold, rich color; tiny hinge thin, Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3358 ★ Newspaper, 1895, \$2 scarlet, Bureau printing, unwatermarked (Scott PR108), o.g., hinge remnant at center, vivid color on bright white paper; central thin from hinge removal and tiny thin at top left, natural straight edge at top, Fine to Very Fine appearance. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3359 ○ Newspaper, 1895, \$5 ultramarine, Bureau printing, unwatermarked (Scott PR109), captivating with strikingly rich color and sharp lines, neat central Saint Louis oval cancel leaving vignette fully visible; faults, Fine to Very Fine appearance, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3360 ★ Newspaper, 1895, \$10 green, Bureau printing, unwatermarked (Scott PR110), o.g., hinge remnants, exceptionally bright color and detailed impression, well centered with nicely balanced margins; small internal crease. some light offset, otherwise Very Fine, with 2005 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3361 (★) Newspaper, 1895, \$20 slate, Bureau printing, unwatermarked (Scott PR111), unused without gum, strikingly fresh face with razor-sharp detail in regal color, well centered on like-new paper; two tiny thin spots, otherwise Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 3362 ★ Newspaper, 1895, \$50 dull rose, Bureau printing, unwatermarked (Scott PR112), o.g., hinge remnants at top, warm rich color and proof like impression; reperfed at left and bottom, small central thin and perf tip thin at top from botched hinge removals, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, with 2009 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3363 ★ Newspaper, 1895, \$100 purple, Bureau printing, unwatermarked (Scott PR113), o.g., previously hinged, beautiful shade and proof quality impression; reperfed at top and left, small thin spots, otherwise Fine, with 1989 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3364 ★★ Newspaper, 1897, \$2 scarlet, Bureau printing, D.L. watermark (Scott PR120), o.g., never hinged, a striking stamp with incredibly deep, vibrant color on bright white paper, sound and wonderfully centered, Extremely Fine, with 2014 P.S.E. and P.F. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ XF 90; \$300. Scott Stamp Values \$225. Estimate \$200 - 300

PARCEL POST



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**Parcel Post, 1913, 1¢ Post Office Clerk (Scott Q1)**, premium, untouched condition, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2007 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ SUP 98; \$600. Estimate \$500 - 600



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**Parcel Post, 1913, 1¢/75¢ selection (Scott Q1//Q11)**, blocks of 4, fresh and clean group, comprising #Q1-Q6 plus #Q11, the lower values with top two stamps very lightly hinged, the bottom two never hinged, the 75¢ with three hinged (hinge reinforcement at left), the bottom right stamp never hinged; shades ranging from the profound to the brilliant, generally Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$1,219 as singles. Estimate \$400 - 600



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**Parcel Post, 1913, 2¢ City Carrier (Scott Q2)**, well-balanced and neatly aligned, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ XF-SUP 95J; \$575. Estimate \$400 - 600



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**Parcel Post, 1913, 2¢ City Carrier (Scott Q2)**, Attractive centering quality, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400



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**Parcel Post, 1913, 3¢ Railway Postal Clerk (Scott Q3)**, bottom left full pane of 45 with plate number 6254 and imprint, o.g., never hinged, fresh on bright paper, with deep color and clean impression; siderographer's initials (D.H.S.) in lower left selvage, Very Fine to Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,407 + as plates & singles. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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**Parcel Post, 1913, 4¢ Rural Carrier (Scott Q4)**, Well-spaced centered example, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ XF-SUP 95; \$825. Estimate \$600 - 800



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3371 ★★田 Parcel Post, 1913, 15¢ Automobile Service (Scott Q7), full right plate no. 6261 and “FIFTEEN” block of 8, o.g., never hinged, beautiful deep rich warm color, proof-quality impression; two very tiny natural gum skips and few expertly rejoined vertical perfs which are of no consequence to the savvy buyer, Extremely Fine for this plate block, *only 3 plate blocks with the imprint have been sold on Stamp Auction Network, and the closest is the hinged example in the MLG collection sold in 2009; the others were in 1996 & 2012.* Scott \$3,100. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

3372 ★★ Parcel Post, 1913, 50¢ Dairying (Scott Q10), o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with radiant color and exceptional centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, *choice*, with 2011 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,400. Scott \$525. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

3373 ★ Parcel Post, 1913, 50¢ Dairying (Scott Q10), o.g., hinged, a lovely stamp with bright color and choice centering, sound and enticing, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$600. Scott \$210. Estimate \$400 - 600



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3374 ★★ Parcel Post, 1913, 75¢ Harvesting (Scott Q11), o.g., never hinged, mathematically centered and sound with immense, deep color and sharp detail, all on pristine paper, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2019 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$1,050. Scott \$180. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

3375 ★★ Parcel Post, 1913, \$1 Fruit Growing (Scott Q12), Attractively framed margins, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2008 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$2,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

3376 ★ Parcel Post, 1913, \$1 Fruit Growing (Scott Q12), o.g., lightly hinged, sound and fresh with vibrant color and near-perfect centering, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2004 P.S.E. certificate. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$650. Scott \$260. Estimate \$500 - 750

3377 ★田 Parcel Post, 1913, \$1 Fruit Growing (Scott Q12), block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged, sound and clean with radiant color and deep lines, nearly Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,040. Estimate \$600 - 800

PARCEL POST POSTAGE DUE



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**Parcel Post Postage Due, 1913, 10¢ dark green (Scott JQ4), full bottom plate #6250 block of 6, The 10c is the rarest plate block of the series., o.g., never hinged, gorgeous proof-quality color and impression on post office fresh white paper, Extremely Fine, an exceptional premium quality plate block and a true condition rarity., with 2011 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$10,500. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500**

This plate block is nearly identical to the example in the MLG collection that was described as “possibly the finest extant”, which was sold in 2009 for \$11,500 hammer.

SPECIAL HANDLING



EX 3379

3379 P **Special Handling, 1928-29, 10¢-25¢ complete, large die proofs (Scott QE1P1-QE4P1),** pristine set on 112 x 109mm India (25¢ 102 x 87mm) die-sunk on approximately 201 x 152mm card, each with typed approval date and signature of Postmaster General Harry S. New on front, plus blue control number handstamp on reverse, Very Fine. Scott \$6,000. Estimate \$3,500 - 5,000

CARRIER



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3380 (★)田 **Carrier, 1851, 1¢ Eagle (Scott LO2),** bottom margin part imprint block of 6, Rare as a nearly complete plate block, without gum as issued; vertical crease between left and center stamps, Very Fine, with 2005 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$300 as singles. Estimate \$500 - 750



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3381 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Honour's City Express, 1851-58, 2¢ black on bluish (Scott 4LB8),** ample margins all around just barely touching 2 pearls at bottom left, manuscript cancel removed causing 2 small scuffs, used with 3¢ dull red, Ty. II (11A), huge margins at sides, ample to close top and bottom, tied by blue "Charleston, S.C. Paid Jul. 3" circular datestamp on clean fresh cover addressed to Philadelphia, Extremely Fine, with 2020 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$300 - 400

CARRIER - SEMI-OFFICIAL



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- 3382 (★) **Charleston, S.C., Honour's City Express, 1851-58, 2¢ black on bluish (Scott 4LB13)**, unused without gum, full to huge margins all around; pressed out creases, still Very Fine, *a review of Stamp Auction Network found only 3 unused examples of this stamp, all have faults, the other 2 last sold in 2015 and 2016.* Scott \$750. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3383 (★) **Charleston, S.C., Kingman's City Post, 1851-58, 2¢ black on bluish (Scott 4LB15)**, unused without gum, pos. 5, full to enormous margins all around; diagonal crease ending in a tear at right, Extremely Fine appearance, *15 examples of this stamp have been recorded, 7 have pen or pencil cancels on covers or pieces of covers, and 8 are uncanceled, but of the 8 uncanceled, 3 are on a cover, and 2 are on a cover front, leaving 3 uncanceled singles; also noteworthy is that only 2 are position 5 — the top stamp in the uncanceled strip of 3 on cover and one described as "uncanceled on piece or cover" from the Costales photo file, which we don't have — so we don't know if this is that stamp or a different one, meaning there may in fact, now be 16 recorded examples of this stamp, with 2021 P.F. certificate.* Scott \$800. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3384 ★ **Charleston, S.C., Steinmeyer's City Post, 1859, 2¢ black on pink (Scott 4LB20)**, bottom right corner single, o.g., lightly hinged, with solid color and clean impression, margins full, selvage large to gargantuan, Extremely Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate. Scott \$200. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3385 ✉ **Philadelphia, Pa., U.S.P.O. Despatch, 1850-52, 1¢ gold on black (Scott 7LB11)**, clear to large margins all around, uncanceled, used with 5¢ red brown 1847 (Scott #1), huge margin at left with frameline of neighboring stamp and ample to full margins other 3 sides, tied by blue grid and blue "Philada. PA Jun. 9 5cts" integral rate circular datestamp, on folded outer address sheet to Pikesville MD; PF states the 5¢ has "some natural discoloration at bottom right", Very Fine, *Robert Meyersburg stated in the November 1991 issue of The Chronicle (page 232) that there are six covers with 7LB11 and US #1, all used in 1850 & 1851, ex Gibson (backstamp noting he acquired this item from Ward in 1942), signed Ward (purple small backstamp), with 2020 P.F. certificate.* Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

Meyersburg owned two — March 30 1851 to the editor of the New York Herald (ex Gibson) and Nov. 28 (1850) to Doylestown PA — plus we found one April 22 to Charlestown VA that appeared in a 2006 auction but the PF declined opinion in 1988 on whether the 7LB11 originated (unsure if this was counted in Meyersburg's census); the Charlestown cover was the last time one of the six examples appeared at auction, and the 1991 Meyersburg sale was the second to last time.

**Kelleher offers telephone bidding during the auction for clients on a priority basis, so please call us to arrange for phone bidding as soon as possible.**



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- 3386 ☒ **Philadelphia, Pa., U.S.P.O. Despatch, 1850-52, 1¢ blue (Scott 7LB12)**, small margins to just touching, lightly tied by a red star cancel on an American Peace Society envelope locally addressed by name only; includes the original letter, dated Dec 31, 1850, a romantic/spiritual New Year greeting from a man to his wife; two small, skillfully mended edge tears, otherwise clean and Very Fine Very Fine. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$600 - 800

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- 3387 ☒ **Blood & Co., 1850 (1¢) bronze on black (Scott 15L13)**, wide margin at left with full frameline and tiny part of adjacent stamp, ample margins other sides, acid tied, used with 3¢ Orange Brown, Ty. II (10A), textbook color, full margins at sides, close to just in at top and bottom, tied by well-struck blue “Philadelphia Pa. Nov. 29” (1851) circular datestamp, strong “Blood’s Despatch Nov. 29 9.P.M.” double circle datestamp adjacent to stamp, on small cover to Eaton NY, Extremely Fine, with 2007 P.F. certificate stating #10, which it is not (there was no distinction made in 2007). Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 3388 ☒ **Blood & Co., 1854 (1¢) bronze on lilac (Scott 15L14)**, full margins at top and left, close to huge margin at bottom with small part of adjacent stamp, full margins to into at right, tied by “Philadelphia PA May 2” octagonal datestamp, with strip of 3 of 1¢ 1857 Type V (Scott #24), Blood’s same day handstamp at bottom left, beautiful large cameo of a building on back, and original enclosure datelined “May 1st, 1861”, page 1 is partially printed with the prices in ink and page 3 is a printed notice; left pair of #24 faulty and cameo affected by rough opening, otherwise Very Fine, with 2006 P.S.E. certificate. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3389 ☒ **Bouton’s Franklin City Despatch Post, 1847 (2¢) black on green, “Bouton” (Scott 16L1a)**, full margins on 3 sides, just into inner frame line at the top, uncanceled on folded letter datelined “New York, Wed. June 23rd, 1847”, to North Stamford, Ct., red “New-York/5 Cts Jun. 25” integral rate circular datestamp; addressee’s last name removed, stamp faulty, Very Fine and attractive, The interesting and easily read three-page letter is from a struggling teacher to his brother, urgently requesting a loan of \$10, *An extremely rare cover. The Philatelic Foundation has certified only this cover and three off-cover examples without the manuscript “Bouton”, ex Chapman, Lilly and Erivan.* Scott \$7,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



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**Bouton's Manhattan Express, 1847, 2¢ black on pink (Scott 17L1)**, full to large margins, uncanceled as usual, on brown cover to Miss Amanda Littell at her local street address, pencil "WB— Deliver this without fail this day. Dean" and "Paid Bouton" printed in identical pencil, with original letter datelined "New York 1st March /(18)48" and begins with "My Dear Amanda" and invites her to join the writer and his sister to a performance, stamp and cover stained, otherwise Very Fine, *only 4 covers are known; 2 of the others are 1) Sept. 8 addressed to Edwards Pierpont on Wall St.; 2) Sept. 13 to Boston (name portion of address restored) and there is also the ex Hall example to Washington D.C. on Sept. 9 that the P.F. says doesn't belong but everything else looks ok*, Schwartz and Geisler, with 2000 P.F. certificate stating the "Paid Bouton" pencil notation is "not a contemporary marking". Scott \$4,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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**Bouton's City Dispatch Post, 1848, 2¢ black on gray blue, used with 5¢ 1847 (Scott #1) on cover front (Scott 18L2)**, both stamps with full to huge margins all around, the local tied by red "Paid/Bouton" two-line handstamp, and the 5¢ 1847 tied by red square grid, red "New-York Jan. 30" circular datestamp, addressed to Utica NY, Very Fine, *only 6 covers and 2 fronts with 1847 and 18L2 combinations and recorded*, with 2000 P.F. certificate. Scott \$20,000 for cover. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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**California Penny Post Co., 1855, 10¢ blue (Scott 34L3)**, without gum as issued, full margins other sides; 2 tiny toned specks in left margin of bottom stamp, still Extremely Fine, *very few of examples of 34L3 have appeared on SAN, after this appeared in 2000, singles appeared in 2006, 2007, 2008, 2013, 2022 and 2023, a horizontal strip of 3 also appeared in 2023, and once an example was sold, it has stayed off the market*. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750

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**City Dispatch Post, 1842, 3¢ black on grayish (Scott 40L1)**, o.g., hinged, pristine with crisp detail and color, mathematically centered amid huge margins, Extremely Fine. Scott \$375. Estimate \$400 - 600

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**Floyd's Penny Post, 1860 (1¢) blue (Scott 68L1)**, huge margins all around, bright color, tied by blue "Floyd's Penny Post, Chicago" oval handstamp on small locally addressed cover; slightly reduced at left, otherwise Very Fine, ex Knapp & Wagshal, with 2021 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$400 - 600



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3395 ☒ **Jenkins' Camden Dispatch, 1853, black (Scott 89L1)**, ample to large margins, pencil cancel, used on small cover locally addressed in pencil to Miss Eleanore H. Davis; part of backflap removed and small opening tear at top right, Very Fine. These stamps are either Halstead Type 3 or 4 with the latter being 1857 or later. We printed the 2 relevant pages from Halstead's article in the first issue of *The Penny Post* (Jan. 1991) and include, *We determined there are 13 covers franked with #89L1 are recorded (3 with 3¢ 1851 & 10 solo)*, ex Schwartz & D.K. (where it sold for \$950 hammer), with 2014 P.F. certificate stating (it is genuine). Scott \$900. Estimate \$400 - 600

3396 ☒ **Letter Express, 1844, 5¢ black on pink (Scott 96L1)**, massive bottom margin, full even margins other 3 sides, cancelled by manuscript "X" with additional ink smearing which ties the stamp to folded letter with business content datelined Detroit, Oct. 10 184? (probably 1844), addressed to Buffalo NY; toning along right edge clear of stamp, stamp with usual slight oxidation, and the letter is toned at the left edge and a small part of the slightly reduced right edge, all of which disappear when folded, Extremely Fine stamp, with 2005 P.F. only mentioning toning at right and 1949 A.P.S. certificates. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$300 - 400



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3397 ☒ **Messenkope's Union Square Post Office, 1849 (1¢) black on green, on cover with 3¢ dull red Type II (#11A) (Scott 106L1)**, both with full to large margins all around and tied by a single strike of "New-York Oct. 17" circular datestamp on cover to Homer N.Y.; local with very faint corner crease at bottom left and top back flap removed (neither noted on certificate), Extremely Fine, ex Boker & Golden (where it sold for \$1,900 hammer), with 1992 P.F. certificate stating #11 (there was no distinction made in 1992). Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$500 - 750

There are at least five covers with No. 106L1 to this address, 2 of which also are franked by a 3¢ 1851.

3398 (★) **Wells Fargo & Co., 1861, \$1 red (Scott 143L3)**, horizontal pair, unused without gum, sound with bold color and ample to oversized margins, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**. Scott \$300 as singles. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 3399 ○ **Wells Fargo & Co., 1861, \$1 red (Scott 143L3)**, four-margined example with bold color and blue Pony Express cancel; faint creasing at bottom right, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$350 - 500
- 3400 ★ **Wells Fargo & Co., 1861, \$2 green (Scott 143L4)**, o.g., very lightly hinged, clean and sound with robust color and solid margins all around, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**. Scott \$475. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3401 ★ **Wells Fargo & Co., 1861, \$4 black (Scott 143L5)**, o.g., lightly hinged, a gorgeous stamp with proof-like color and detail, near-flawlessly centered on fresh, bright paper; natural gum inclusion at left, Extremely Fine, with 2018 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**. Scott \$275. Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 3402 ☒ **Westervelt's Post, 1863 (1¢) black on buff, on cover with 3¢ rose (#65) (Scott 144L1)**, local with three full margins and just into at top, both tied by large circular grid cancel, "Chester N.Y. Sep 1" circular datestamp alongside local and manuscript "Elmore Ellison, agent for ???" at top right, on orange cover to Warwick NY, Extremely Fine and very rare cover, *there are very few known with this combination, and a very tiny number have both stamps tied by a handstamp cancel; this is only the second example of this combination to appear on the market since 2017*, with 1986 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$500 - 750

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- 3403 ☒ **Westervelt's Post, 1864 (1¢) red on pink, on cover with 3¢ rose (#65), addressed in Westervelt's hand (Scott 144L9)**, the local slightly overlapping the #65 with both stamps tied by heavy strike of circular grid cancel, "Chester N.Y. Apr. 30" circular datestamp, on yellow cover to Goshen NY; cover with small faults at top and left edges clear of stamps, Very Fine, pencil note on back "Pelander" refers to famed dealer Carl Pelander (1893-1966) who became a stamp dealer and auctioneer in 1937 and held 130 auctions from 1940 to 1963., *we estimate that 5 to 10 examples of covers with this combination exist today, and not all have both stamps tied, and not all are in Westervelt's hand*, with 1986 P.F. certificate "they are genuinely used on cover". Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



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3404 ☒ **Westtown, 1853-67 (2¢) gold, on cover with 3¢ green 1873 C.B.N.C. printing (#158) (Scott 145L2), 3¢ with deep dark color and tied by well struck target cancel, local with small neat pen stroke moved from back to bottom left, with "Street Road PA" circular handstamp and pencil "12/10" date, addressed to Parkesburg PA, opened neatly at right, Very Fine and fresh cover, with 1999 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$200 - 300**

3405 ○ **Wyman, 1844, 5¢ black (Scott 149L1), typical large manuscript "X" cancel, enormous bottom sheet margin, huge margin at top, sides large to clear at upper right; faint crease in bottom selvage, Very Fine appearance, a beautiful example of the first stamp with the image of a train, ex Hall. Scott \$750. Estimate \$500 - 750**



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3406 ☒ **1882 (1¢) black, Friend's Boarding School, type III (Scott 151L3), Single with manuscript cancel from Friend's Boarding School to the post office at Barnesville, OH Feb 5, 1883, with 3¢ green #158 used to pay postage to Spencer's Station, OH, purple Spenser's Station receiving mark same day, Very Fine, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500**

## POSTAL STATIONERY ENVELOPES & WRAPPERS

3407 ★ **Envelope, 1887, Plimpton & Morgan Issue, 1¢ blue on oriental buff (Scott U298), cut square, clean with rich color and full margins; a tough item, Very Fine, with 1995 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$4,500. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500**

POSTAL CARDS



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- 3408 ★ **Postal Card, 1914, 1¢ green on buff, die I, USGPO tape vertical paste-up (Scott UX27)**, nice example with tape pre-printed “United States/Government/Printing Office” over GPO seal, clean with fresh impression (heavier, as expected, across the tape), Very Fine. 2015 UPSS S37EPUv-2; \$450. Estimate \$250 - 350

REVENUE  
FIRST TO THIRD ISSUES

- 3409 ○ **Revenue, 1862, First Issue, 1¢ Express, imperf. (Scott R1a)**, a gorgeous stamp with bright color and faint manuscript cancel on glowing white paper, sound with mathematical framing by portions of surrounding stamps, Superb, *a must-have for the Revenuer*; with 2019 P.S.E. certificate graded GEM 100J. Scott \$125. Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3410 ○ **Revenue, 1863, First Issue, 4¢ Playing Cards, perf'd (Scott R21c)**, wonderfully fresh and bright with clear margins all around and an 1863 manuscript cancel; tiny corner perforation crease at bottom right, otherwise Very Fine, with 2019 P.F. certificate. Scott \$700. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3411 ○ **Revenue, 1862, First Issue, \$20 Probate of Will, imperf. (Scott R99a)**, and exceptional example: ample to large margins, marvelous color and neat manuscript cancel; small faults, otherwise Very Fine, with a clean 2005 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$500 - 750



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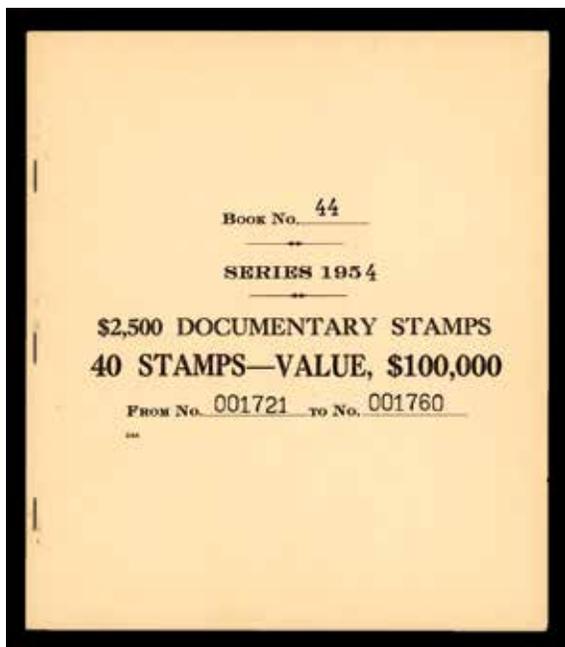


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- 3412 ○ **Revenue, 1864, First Issue, \$200 U.S. Internal Revenue, imperf. (Scott R102a)**, a pretty stamp, sound with vivid colors and clear margins all around, manuscript cancelled April 10, 1865, Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

(photo on back cover)

- 3413 ○ **Documentary, 1874, Fourth Issue, 2¢ orange & black on green, center inverted (Scott R151a)**, sound and fresh with solid color and clear margins all around; neat manuscript cancel, Fine to Very Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$800. Estimate \$400 - 600



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EX 3415



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- 3414 BK(★) **Documentary, 1954, \$2,500 Windom (Scott R685a)**, complete unexploded booklet, sound with original staples, the stamps rather early sequence numbers 001721-001760; all panes present and complete, undamaged, without gum as issued, Very Fine. Scott \$8,000. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500

## STOCK TRANSFER

- 3415 ★/○ **Stock Transfer, 1918-1940 Issues (Scott RD1-RD23, RD25-RD60)**, mostly mixed NH & previously hinged (as noted), no gum Nos. RD17, RD19-RD21 (as issued), RD36, RD38, RD49, and RD56, used Nos. RD11, RD23, RD30-RD32 & RD60, in mounts on 4 Scott album pages, Fine to Very Fine, fully imaged online. Scott \$3,013. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3416 ○ **Stock Transfer, 1940, \$1,000 orange (Scott RD66)**, “Guaranty Trust Co. of N.Y. Cancelled Dec. 3, 1940” circular datestamp and “G T Co.” perfin cancels, deep orange color; tear at right, Fine appearance, with 2013 A.P.E.X. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

We identified 21 different serial numbers, 20 of which are between #17550 & #17555 & #17646 & #17669, all of which have either a cut or a perfin cancel.



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- 3417 ○ **Stock Transfer, 1950, \$10,000 Gresham (Scott RD338)**, neat “S.C.C., Sep 21” handstamped cancel, small faults including a crease that appears to just break the paper through the “U” in “Revenue”, otherwise Extremely Fine. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 3418 ○ **Stock Transfer, 1951, \$60 Cobb (Scott RD358)**, light Stock Clearing Corp. "S.C.C." handstamp and cut cancels, the latter barely breaking the paper, rich color, evenly balanced margins left to right and top to bottom; single toned perf tip at bottom right, otherwise Very Fine, *14 or 15 have been sold on Stamp Auction Network, including 5 with perfin cancels.* Scott \$800. Estimate \$500 - 750

## WINES

- 3419 ○ **Wines, 1934, \$50 yellow green, perf 12 at left (Scott RE107C)**, light partial strike of violet handstamp and embossed roller cancels; faults, Fine to Very Fine appearance, *only 2 examples with the tablet removed have been sold on Stamp Auction Network, both with faults.* Scott \$10,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

## MOTOR VEHICLE USE

- 3420 ★★/★ **Motor Vehicle Use, 1942-46, Complete mint (Scott RV1-RV53)**, mounted on White Ace pages, each fresh and bright; #RV1 lightly hinged, all others with full, unblemished gum on face, Very Fine. Scott \$2,879. (photo on web site) Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

## HUNTING PERMIT DUCK STAMPS

- 3421 ★★ **Federal Duck Stamp, 1947, \$1 Snow Geese (Scott RW14)**, stunning in every way, monumentally wide margins, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2020 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$850. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 3422 ★★ **Federal Duck Stamp, 1963, \$3 Brants (Scott RW30)**, As fresh as day one, o.g., never hinged, Superb, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded SUP 98. SMQ **SUP 98**; \$400. Estimate \$300 - 400

SAVINGS  
POSTAL SAVINGS

3423 ★ **Postal Savings, Savings and War Savings, 1911/1961 (Scott PS1/PS15, S1-S7, WS1/WS13)**, consisting of Nos. PS1, PS4, PS6-PS15, S1-S7 including S1a and with S6 as a plate block instead of a single, WS1, WS4 & WS7-WS13, all never hinged except Nos. PS10 & WS4 very lightly hinged, rich colors, in mounts on 4 Scott album pages, Fine to Very Fine with a few better, fully imaged online. Scott \$1,200. (photo on web site) Estimate \$300 - 400

SAVINGS



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3424 BK★★ **1955, \$10 Booklet of 4 panes (Scott S2a)**, complete unexploded booklet, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$3,400. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

WAR SAVINGS

3425 (★) **War Savings, 1917, \$5 deep green, rouletted (Scott WS3)**, unused without gum, clean and sound with solid color, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$475. Estimate \$250 - 350



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3426 ○ **War Savings, 1919, \$5 carmine, used on document (Scott WS5)**, uncanceled single in position 1 of a War-Savings Certificate Series of 1920; the certificate with stains and flaws well away from the stamp, itself bright with attractive centering, and Very Fine. Scott \$500. Estimate \$300 - 400



3427

3427 ★

War Savings, 1920, \$5 orange on green (Scott WS6), o.g., lightly hinged, sound with rich, bright color and clean impression, Fine to Very Fine, with 2001 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$4,500.



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3428 BK★

Pacific Postal Telegraph-Cable Co., 1886, 15¢ black, Booklet (Scott 14T2), containing seven panes of 5, very slightly toned with somewhat dry, "tropicalized" o.g., the covers with small, very minor flaws, Fine to Very Fine. *An exceedingly rare booklet.* Scott \$5,600 ++.



3429

3429 ★

Sanitary Fair, Boston, Mass., 1864, 10¢ green (Scott WV3), o.g., hinged, clean and sound with fresh color and undamaged scallops, Fine to Very Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$700.

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**3¢ 1861 POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS**  
**ONE OF JUST SIX KNOWN EXAMPLES OF THE MADISON COURT HOUSE, FL 3¢ GOLD**  
**POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL (SCOTT #3AX1)**



**3430**

- 3430** ○ **Madison Court House, Fla., 1861, 3¢ gold (Scott 3AX1)**, clearly struck “Madison C.H. Flo. Feb. 21” (1861) circular datestamp, full to large margins all around; deep thin and tiny pinhole, Extremely Fine appearance of this very scarce stamps with only. *Six known examples of this issue (all used, 5 off cover & 1 on cover) plus the unique used “CNETS” error and the unique used 5¢ black on yellow entire (#137XU1)*, ex Judge Philbrick, Sir William Avery, Ferrary, Lapham, Moody, Briggs and Gorham, with 1996 C.S.A. certificate and Trish Kaufman dealer display page. Scott \$20,000. Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

Noted C.S.A. expert Trish Kaufmann conducted the definitive research proving these 3¢ Madison Court House Florida Confederate Postmaster's Provisionals were genuine. The article is on her website, [www.trishkaufmann.com/madison](http://www.trishkaufmann.com/madison).



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3431 ★/○

Nashville, Tenn., 1861, 3¢ carmine, Memphis, Tenn., 1861, 2¢ blue, 2¢ blue partial print, 5¢ red (Scott 4AX1, 56X1, 56X1a, 56X2), pretty group comprising #4AX1 no gum horizontal strip of 3, #56X1 no gum horizontal pair with wide left margin & small faults, #56X1a no gum & 56X2 used, Fine to Very Fine on the whole. Scott \$1,600. Estimate \$400 - 600

## POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS



3432

3432 ○

Athens, Ga., 1861, 5¢ purple (Scott 5X1), faint cancel at top, huge bottom selvage, full to large margins other 3 sides, rich color on bright paper; small thin spot at top left, attractive Very Fine appearance, Footnote in Scott reads, "Dangerous fakes exist of Nos. 5X1 and 5X2. Certificates of authenticity from recognized committees are strongly recommended.", with 1993 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,000. Estimate \$500 - 750

Frank Crown's online census of all 3 Athens Georgia provisionals (Scott 5X1, 5X2 & 5XU1) can be found at <https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/Res-Cen-ATH-GA-v31-220720.pdf>.

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- 3433 ○ Athens, Ga., 1861, 5¢ red (Scott 5X2), neat grid cancel, large margins at top and left, ample at right and close at bottom, completely sound, Fine to Very Fine and very scarce, in his online census of all 3 Athens Georgia provisionals (Scott 5X1, 5X2 & 5XU1), Frank Crown records two used stamps and one cover as Type A and 4 stamps and 5 covers as Type B for a total of 12 known used examples of Scott 5X2. This is one of the 4 Type B used stamps. The website is <https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/Res-Cen-ATH-GA-v31-220720.pdf>, ex Weill Brothers' stock and Sharrer, with 1990 P.F. certificate (obtained by the buyer after the Weill auction). Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$6,000 - 8,000



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**Baton Rouge, La., 1861, 5¢ green & carmine (Scott 11X2)**, unused without gum, large margins at top and right and clear margins at left and bottom, completely sound, Fine to Very Fine, *extremely scarce*; *In its nearly 30 year history, Stamp Auction Network has offered only one o.g. example and two other no gum examples. and one of the no gum examples is faulty.*, ex-Weill Brothers' stock, with 1990 P.F. certificate (obtained by the buyer after the Christie's auction of the Weill Brothers' stock; one number higher than the 5X2 in this sale. Scott \$1,500 undervalued in our opinion. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,500

Frank Crown begins his online census for this issue with the following introduction "The Baton Rouge 5¢ Maltese-border provisional was typeset and printed in two colors. The lettering and border were printed in red over a green bull's eye and spider web background... The plate consisted of two horizontal rows of five subjects. The stamps were printed at the offices of the Baton Rouge Daily Gazette & Comet." (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/10/Res-Cen-BAT-LA-A02-v11-231008-7.pdf>).

3435 ○

**Charleston, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue (Scott 16X1)**, partial "Charleston Nov. 3" (1861) circular datestamp, full framelines at left and bottom and mostly complete at right, fresh color; small corner crease at top right, Very Fine, Footnote in Scott "Values are for stamps showing parts of the outer frame lines on at least 3 sides. The vast majority of this stamp (have) small faults and are valued thus", with 1988 P.F. certificate. Scott \$800. Estimate \$500 - 750

3436 ★

**Charleston, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue on orange (Scott 16XU3)**, 20 x 27mm cut square; thin at top, Very Fine, with 1983 P.F. certificate (not noting thin). Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$350 - 500

Frank Crown's online census of the Charleston provisional entires begins with "the envelopes were probably prepared from a wood cut die and printed by the typographic method in the upper right corner of envelopes of various colors. The Charleston Mercury announced the availability of the Charleston stamped envelopes in the 15 August 1861 issue... The design of the indicium is very similar to the design of the adhesive provisional. For this reason, the firm of Evans and Cogswell is believed to have printed both... More details on the printing can be found in Richard Calhoun's 2012 book on the Charleston provisionals. Crown also wrote "There are several dangerous fakes of the 5¢ blue Charleston indicium."

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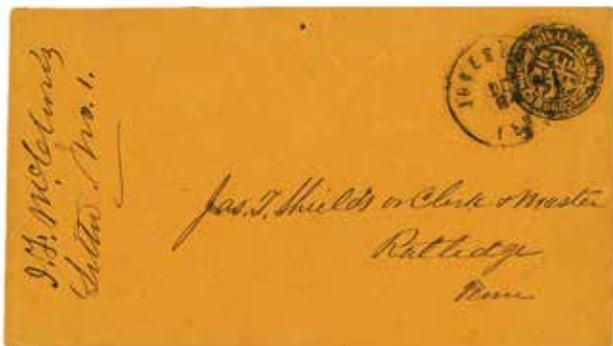
**Fredericksburg, Va., 1861, 5¢ blue on bluish (Scott 26X1)**, o.g., small hinge remnant at top right, position 6, three large margins, clear at top; small thin spot at top center, Very Fine appearance. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$350 - 500

Frank Crown's online census of the Fredericksburg provisional entires begins with "Both the 5-cent and 10-cent Fredericksburg provisionals were typeset and printed on thin blue paper. The printing form consisted of two horizontal rows of five subjects each. Two impressions of the printing form were made on each printed sheet."

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**Fredericksburg, Va., 1861, 10¢ red on bluish (Scott 26X2)**, o.g., fresh color on nicely blued paper, three full margins but into at bottom; typical wrinkling/creasing including small corner crease at top left, still Fine appearing and both scarce and elusive, *approximately 35 mint and no gum examples are believed to exist; during 2017-2025, either zero (2017-2020 and 2023) or 1 example (2021, 2022, 2024 & 2025) appeared on the market. There are no known covers or used stamps.* Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

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- 3439 ✉ **Jonesboro, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ black (Scott 45XU1)**, bold strike of provisional handstamp which is canceled by “Jonesboro Tenn. Dec. 24” (1861) circular datestamp, on fresh buff cover addressed to Rutledge Tenn.; top backflap with sealed tears from rough opening does not detract, *Frank Crown’s online census of both Jonesboro Tenn. provisionals (Scott 45XU1 & 45XU2) records 5 covers and no cut squares of 45XU1* (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/07/Res-Cen-JON-TN-CVR-v12-240716.pdf>); **the other 4 last appeared at auction in 1967, 1978, 1980, and 2007**, ex Brandon. Scott \$5,500. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

The intro to the census reads “The Jonesboro provisional marking is in the form of a seal featuring the rate in the center and the name of the postmaster (J. E. Williams) and the name of the town in a circle around the center. The device was handstamped on envelopes. Two different colors of ink were used to handstamp the Jonesboro provisional envelopes: black and dark blue.

- 3440 ★ **Jonesboro, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ dark blue (Scott 45XU2)**, 31 x 33mm cut square, intense color; diagonal crease at left just clears indicia, Very Fine, *Frank Crown’s online census of both Jonesboro Tenn. provisionals (Scott 45XU1 & 45XU2) records 14 covers & 5 cut squares (4 unused/uncanceled and one pen canceled) of 45XU2* (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/07/Res-Cen-JON-TN-CVR-v12-240716.pdf>), with 1984 P.F. certificate. Scott \$5,000. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

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- 3441 ○ **Knoxville, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ brick red (Scott 47X1)**, very light pen “X” cancel, full margins all around; tiny thin and small sealed tear not noted on certificate, otherwise Very Fine, *very scarce; exactly zero used examples have appeared on Stamp Auction Network since 2018, and none in 2016 and 2017 either. We found only 10 examples that have appeared on the market since 2001, with 9 appearing just the one time and the tenth appearing in 2000 & 2003. If you don’t want to wait for a used stamp, you can go for a cover if you want, but Crown records only 23 in his online census* (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/Res-Cen-KNO-TN-A-220406.pdf>), and they are more expensive than the used off cover stamps, with 1990 C.S.A. certificate stating “Genuine used Provisional”. Scott \$700 undervalued in our opinio. Estimate \$350 - 500

- 3442 ○ **Knoxville, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ carmine (Scott 47X2)**, light double circle datestamp, ample to large margins; small corner crease at bottom left and tiny shallow thin speck at top right, Very Fine appearance, *extremely rare; Stamp Auction Network has offered only 4 different examples (plus the previous lot as 47X2 despite the cert as 47X1). Of the 4 examples, 2 have pen cancels (both sound) and 2 have handstamp cancels (both faulty). This will be the 5th example offered on SAN. If you don’t want to wait for a used stamp, you can go for a cover if you want, but Crown records only 7 in his online census* (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/04/Res-Cen-KNO-TN-A-220406.pdf>), and they are more expensive than the used off cover stamps. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$600 - 800



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- 3443 ○ **Macon, Ga., 1861, 5¢ black on light blue green, comma after “office (Scott 53X1 var),** Macon Ga. double-circle datestamp, large margins at right, full even margins other sides on a beautiful shade of light green paper, Extremely Fine, *this is an extremely scarce variety used and off cover; the Sharrer sale was in 2012 and only one other has sold since (in 2014). No off cover examples of this variety have appeared on the market since 2014.* Ex Sharrer & Crocker, signed Bloch, with 1986 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

(photo on front cover)

In his online census, Frank Crown records 15 covers franked with this variety and 18 covers franked with the normal stamp. (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/Res-Cen-MAC-GA-A04-v12-220721.pdf>).

- 3444 ○ **Macon, Ga., 1861, 5¢ black on yellow (Scott 53X4),** light cancel, ample margins with rounded corners, exceptionally fresh, Very Fine and extremely rare, *only 3 used off cover examples have appeared on Stamp Auction Network, one of which was sold in 2015 for \$2,300 hammer and resold by us in 2018 for \$4,500 hammer. The others appeared in 2011 and 2008. This will be the 4th. The Philatelic Foundation has certified a total of 4 off cover examples (3 of which were sold on SAN; the 4th is described as laid paper and appears to be unused (PFC #44378). If you don't want to wait for a used stamp, you can go for a cover if you want, but Crown records only 13 in his online census (https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/Res-Cen-MAC-GA-A013-v22-220722.pdf), but 3 are dubious, and covers are more expensive than used off cover stamps,* with 1972 P.F. certificate and accompanied by Confederate Philately Inc. (Jack E. Molesworth) dealer display page. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

- 3445 ○ **Memphis, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ red (Scott 56XU1),** 30 x 35mm cut square, light circular datestamp, dark color on bright paper; small faults not visible when in your album, handsome Very Fine appearance, *approximately 2 cut squares and 7 used entires have been recorded. See below.* Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$400 - 600

The Memphis Tenn postal stationery provisionals are very interesting. The postmaster knew that Confederate stamps would not be available for months after the US 1857 issues were demonitized. He published a brief announcement in his publication “Memphis Daily Avalanche” on June 8, 1861 literally closing with an invitation to the public to bring their own envelopes to use for the indicia to be printed upon. Any color envelope could be supplied, and Scott lists 4 different shades of envelope — white, amber, orange and cream. Because the papers were privately supplied and not government issue, the CSA handbook has only 1 listing for all examples, regardless of paper. To that end, Frank Crown’s online census on the CWPS website (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/12/Res-Cen-MEM-TN-E01-v11-231224.pdf>) lists 11 cut squares (1 mint and 10 used) and 32 used postal stationery entires (22 solo) with this indicia but does not attempt to assign Scott classifications. We found and mined online data records and assigned catalog values to 6 of the 10 used cut squares and 28 of the 32 entires — **56XU1 (1 cut square and 11 entires), 56XU2 (3 cut squares and 7 used entires), 56XU3 (2 cut sauares and 9 used entires)** and 56XU4 one unique example, and it was covered by a CSA #11 which paid the postage. This cut square is not listed in the census.



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- 3446 ○ **Memphis, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ red on amber (Scott 56XU2)**, 23-25 x 23-26mm cut square, “Memphis Ten. Dec(?) 1861” circular datestamp with “1861” inverted, deep shade on distinctive amber colored paper; tiny thin speck at top center, lovely Fine appearance, *approximately 3 used cut squares and 7 used entires have been recorded. See below*, with 1986 P.F. certificate. Scott \$3,000. Estimate \$600 - 800

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- 3447 ○ **Memphis, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ red on orange (Scott 56XU3)**, 28 x 33mm cut square, nearly complete strike of Memphis Ten. circular datestamp, deep shade on distinctive orange colored paper, completely sound, Extremely Fine, *approximately 2 used cut squares and 9 used entires have been recorded. See below*, with 1990 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,500. Estimate \$500 - 750

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- 3448 ▲ **Mobile, Ala., 1861, 2¢ black (Scott 58X1)**, full to large margins on three sides, close at lower left, tied by Mobile, Ala. double-circle datestamp on small piece, Very Fine, ex Wishnietsky, Wall, signed Costales. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

- 3449 ▲ **Mobile, Ala., 1861, 2¢ black (Scott 58X1)**, Mobile Ala. double circular datestamp on small piece, full to large margins at sides and bottom, into at top, intense color and sharp impression; light toning at bottom right, otherwise Fine, *In his online census, Frank Crown records 39 used examples (37 singles and one pair) of this issue (https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2024/06/Res-Cen-MOB-AL-A01U-v1-0-240620.pdf)*, with 2017 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,200. Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 3450 ▲ **Mobile, Ala., 1861, 5¢ blue (Scott 58X2)**, tied by perfectly struck “Mobile Sep 18, 1861” double circular datestamp on small piece (as are many used examples), full margin at left and barest trace of adjacent stamp at top right, ample margins other sides, exceptionally bright color, Fine. Scott \$1,050. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3451 ☒ **Nashville, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ carmine (Scott 61X2)**, large margins to clear, tied by bold strike of blue “Paid” handstamp, matching “Nashville Ten. Aug. 25, 1861” circular datestamp on cover to Blountville East Tenn., stamp with pieces replaced, still Very Fine and scarce with the stamp tied by a “Paid” cancel. There is another cover with the stamp tied by a “PAID” marking and an August 25, 1861 cds to Fayetteville NC, ex-Seybold with his backstamp. Scott \$3,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3452 ○ **Nashville, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ gray, 5¢ violet brown (Scott 61X4, 61X5)**, lightly struck blue cancels; both faulty with the latter repaired, otherwise Fine duo that are perfect for reference, 61X4 with 2011 A.P.E.X. & 61X5 with 1980 A.P.S. certificates. Scott \$2,250. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3453 ○ **Nashville, Tenn., 1861, 10¢ green, plate variety with “TENM” and “white spot” at lower right (Scott 61X6 var)**, lightly struck blue cancel, large margin at top, ample margins other 3 sides; large repaired tear across top, Fine appearance, *it has been reported that approximately 25 mostly faulty used examples are known*, ex Pegram, with 2009 C.S.A. certificate. Scott \$3,750 as normal. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

The C.S.A. handbook lists Scott 61X6 as No. NAS-TN-05, the “TENM” variety as No. NAS-TN-05a and the “white spot” variety as No. NAS-TN-05b, it does not price either variety. The handbook notes that “the “TENM” variety is found on all examples from one position, and the “white spot” is found on some but not all stamps with the “TENM” variety. Apparently, this variety resulted from damage or deterioration of the plate after printing began.” Previous auction descriptions note a comma after “P” in “P.M.”, and it is there, but neither Scott nor the C.S.A. handbook discuss this. For a reason unknown to us, Scott does not discuss any varieties on this issue.



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- 3454 ○ **Petersburg, Va., 1861, 5¢ red (Scott 65X1)**, blue Petersburg VA circular datestamp, full to large margins at sides and bottom with traces of adjacent stamp at right, clear to just into at top, fresh color and paper, completely sound, Very Fine and very pretty, with 1994 P.F. certificate. Scott \$500. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3455 ○ **Pleasant Shade, Va., 1861, 5¢ blue (Scott 67X1)**, position 4, an exceptionally scarce used stamp, cleanly printed with satisfying margins and a faint blue town postmark at left; faults including piece out at top left, Fine to Very Fine appearance otherwise, with 2025 P.F. certificate. Scott \$15,000. (photo on web site) Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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- 3456 ○ **Rheatown, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ red (Scott 69X1)**, small light manuscript “X” cancel at center, setting 2, huge margins, fresh and bright color and paper, completely sound and absolutely gorgeous, Extremely Fine, *The Rheatown provisional was typeset and printed on white wove paper in a form of three settings which can easily be identified. In his online census (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/Res-Cen-RHE-TN-v1-1-210420.pdf>), Frank Crown records 13 examples total — 3 mint singles (one from each setting; setting 2 & 3 were once a pair), 4 used singles (2 each from setting 1 and 2), and 6 covers (one setting 1, 3 setting 2 and 2 setting 3).*, ex Hessel and Brandon, with 2018 P.F. certificate. Scott \$6,500. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000



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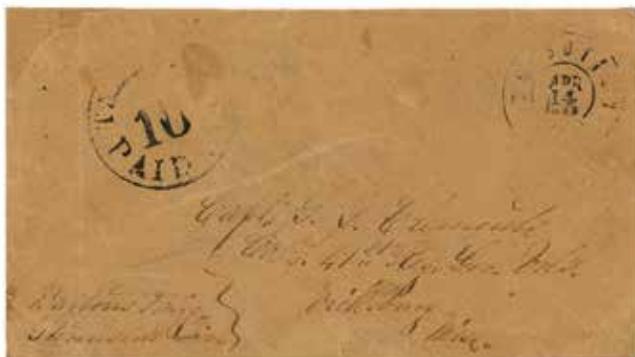


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- 3457 ○ **Ringgold, Ga., 1861, 5¢ blue black (Scott 71XU1)**, overlapped with “Ringgold Geo. Jan. 22” (1862) circular datestamp on small piece, Extremely Fine, *In his online census (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/07/Res-Cen-RIN-GA-v11-220722.pdf>), Frank Crown records 9 examples total — 1 unused cut to shape and attached to a piece of non-contemporary paper, 3 with Ringgold circular datestamp either a few mm away or overlapping and cut from the cover with small margins (including this offering), and 5 covers, including 1 with with a pair of #7 — all have been either offered at auction or obtained a certificate of authenticity, with 1984 P.F. certificate. Scott \$8,500. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500*

Per the Confederate handbook, “The Ringgold Georgia provisional was typeset in 3 concentric rings. The outer ring contains “C.S. POSTAGE and “FIVE CENTS.” The middle ring contains the name of the town and state. In the center circle is an indistinguishable design. The setting was handstamped on envelopes.”

- 3458 ★ **Tellico Plains, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ red (Scott 81X1)**, large part o.g. covering left 75% of the stamp, setting 1, bright color; usual minor flaws, Very Fine, *Like the Rheatown, the Tellico Plains provisional was typeset and printed on white wove paper in a form of three settings which can easily be identified; setting 1 is 5¢ and has a period after “Johnson”, setting 2 is 5¢ and has a comma after “Johnson” and setting 3 is 10¢. In his online census (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2023/01/Res-CEN-TEL-TN-v30-230119.pdf>), Frank Crown records 21 examples total of the 5¢ consisting of 12 setting 1 (11 mint singles and one cover) and 9 setting 2 (9 mint singles and one used), ex Powell. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$750 - 1,000*



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- 3460 ☒ **Talbotton, Ga., 1861, 10¢ black (Scott 94XU2)**, provisional handstamp at top left, on brown cover addressed to Capt. S. D. Clements, Co. F. 41st Reg. Ga. Vols., Vicksburg Miss., docketed “Bartons Brig Stevensons Division” at bottom left, “Talbotton GA. Apr. 14, 1863” double circle datestamp at top right; Jack Molesworth note on back “cover expertly restored”, lovely Very Fine appearance and impressive to a military address, ex Bogg, with 1990 C.S.A. certificate stating only “genuine”. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$600 - 800

GENERAL ISSUES

- 3461 ★★ **1861, 10¢ blue, Paterson printing (Scott 2)**, o.g., never hinged, wonderfully fresh with bright color on matching paper, sound and solidly centered, Very Fine, with photocopy of 2019 P.S.E. certificate for block of four, this position 3. Scott \$275 as o.g. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3462 ★田 **1861, 10¢ blue, Paterson printing (Scott 2)**, block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged, a stellar multiple looking like it was printed yesterday; fresh, clean and sound with maximal margins all around, Extremely Fine to Superb, with 2018 P.F. (block of six, this the left four stamps) and 2023 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$3,400 as singles. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$2,500 - 3,500



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- 3463 ☒ **1861, 10¢ dark blue, Hoyer printing (Scott 2b)**, a pretty horizontal pair with clear to large margins canceled by two neat red grids on a cover with a light red “Sparta Ga. Jan 8” circular datestamp on cover to C.S.A. Vice President, Alexander H. Stephens in Richmond, by his brother, Linton Stephens and is docketed as such in Stephens’ hand on the reverse, repaired at bottom and exploded, top flap removed, Very Fine appearance, Jack E. Molesworth description on reverse. ex Burrus (lot 831) C.S.A. Catalog \$2,000. Scott \$1,775. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3464 ○ **1861, 10¢ dark blue, Paterson printing (Scott 2b)**, wonderfully fresh with immense color depth and clear type characteristics; town postmark essentially face-free, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded VF-XF 85. SMQ **VF-XF 85**; \$275 as #2. Scott \$300. Estimate \$500 - 750



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**5¢ VICTORIA, TX POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL  
(SCOTT #88X1): ONLY FIVE KNOWN**

3459 (★)

**Victoria, Tex., 1861, 5¢ red brown on green (Scott 88X1)**, unused without gum, large margin at right, ample to just into other 3 sides; repaired small faults, Very Fine appearance, with 1985 C.S.A. (obtained by Jack E. Molesworth after the 1985 Rarities sale, stating “genuine, small repairs and a tear”) and 2023 P.S.E. (stating “genuine, unused, no gum, with small faults”). Scott \$17,500. Estimate \$10,000 - 15,000

Only five recorded in Frank Crown's online census (<https://www.civilwarphilatelicsociety.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/01/Res-Cen-VIC-TX-v1-2-210112.pdf>), 1 with o.g., 2 with part o.g., and 2 without gum (including this stamp). There is also a photo in the possession of the PF of a left margin uncanceled stamp from the Steves collection that hasn't been seen in years.



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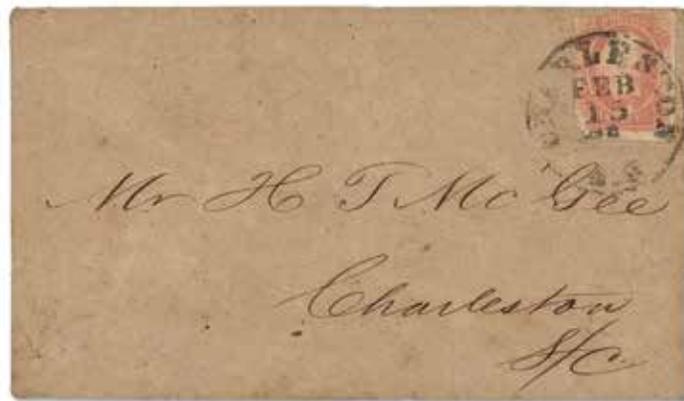


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- 3465 ○ **1861, 10¢ light milky blue, Stone Y (Scott 2e)**, an immaculate, four-margined example, fresh as the day it was printed with partial town postmark, Very Fine. Scott \$325. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3466 ☒ **1862 (Mar or May 30), 2¢ green, five singles on adversity cover (Scott 3)**, full margins to into, individual pen "X" cancels with Camden S.C. Mar. or May. 30 circular datestamp on small cover made from unused ledger paper, addressed to Charleston SC, small faults, Fine stamps on a Very Fine cover. Unlisted in Dan Warren's census of #3 on cover published in the 2011 Congress book. There are 266 covers in the census., signed "#3's Guarantee Genuinely used on this cover J.E. Mol. Scott \$12,500 for strip of 5. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3467 ★ **1862, 5¢ blue (Scott 4)**, position 27/37 penciled on back, vertical pair, o.g., hinged, remarkably fresh and bright with intense, deep color and large margins capturing partial scroll of adjacent stamp at upper left, Extremely Fine, with 2024 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$625. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3468 ★田 **1862, 5¢ blue (Scott 4)**, block of 4, o.g., hinged (adherence), clear impression in intense color, all margins clear to oversized, even if uneven at right, Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$1,250. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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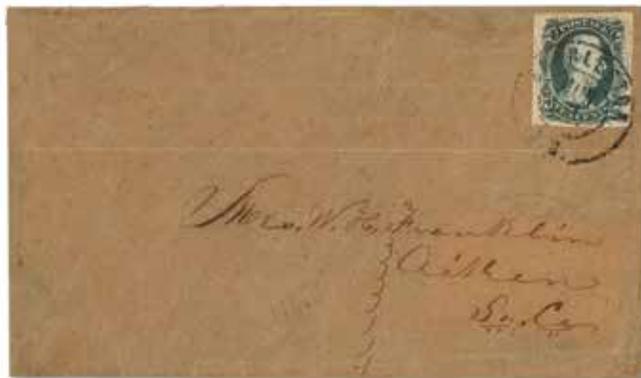


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- 3469 (★) **1862, 10¢ rose (Scott 5)**, unused without gum, with deep, rich color and three large margins (clear at top); tiny sealed tear at top, otherwise Fine. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3470 ☒ **1863, 2¢ brown red (Scott 8)**, three full to large margins, into at top left and bottom left corner fault, tied by "Charleston SC Feb. 15, 1864" circular datestamp on locally addressed cover, exploded with inside addressed to same recipient but no stamp and no postal markings, meaning the first address was a wrong one so the sender turned the cover and addressed it properly the second time, Fine, see the inside online. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 3471 ○ **1863, 2¢ brown red (Scott 8)**, sound with full to large margins all around, in crisp color with lightly struck blue North Carolina double-ring postmark, Very Fine. Scott \$350. Estimate \$250 - 350



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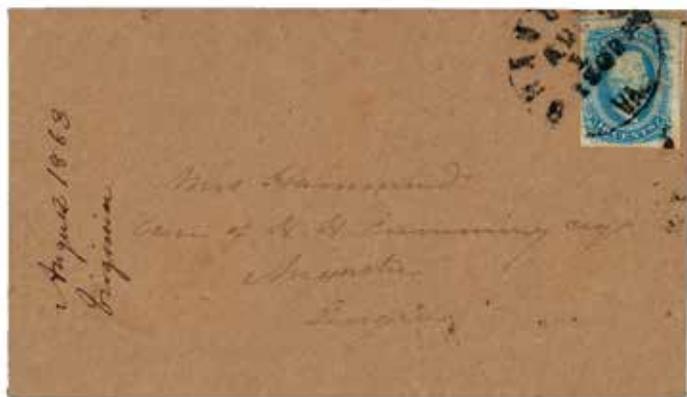


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3472 ★ **1863, 10¢ blue, “T-E-N”, double transfer (Scott 9 var.)**, o.g., hinged, a breathtakingly fresh stunner with rich, solid color, sharp detail (twice!), and bright white paper; full to oversized margins, Very Fine+. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

3473 ☒ **1863, 10¢ gray blue, “T-E-N” (Scott 9b)**, dark shade, full to large margins, very faint diagonal crease, tied by “Charleston S.C. Jun. 5” double circle datestamp on cover addressed to Aiken S.C. then turned and franked with #7 horizontal pair tied by “Aiken S.C. Jun. 9” circular datestamp to what appears to be a faint James Island military address, horizontal crease clear of stamps, still Very Fine, a fabulous example of the gray blue shade. The Aiken cancel is 32mm and not recorded in Dietz. Scott \$1,500. Estimate \$500 - 750

3474 (★) **1863, 10¢ blue, “frame lines” (Scott 10)**, unused without gum, face-fresh with bright color and sharp impression, clear to full margins capturing frame lines at top and left; horizontal crease ending in small nick at right center, otherwise Fine to Very Fine, with 2026 P.S.E. certificate. Scott \$5,500. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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3475 ☒ **1863, 10¢ blue, “frame lines” (Scott 10)**, pos. 25, Ty. I, full frameline at top and mostly complete at right, barely touched at left, barely visible faults, tied by “Orange, C. H., VA Aug. 1, 1863” circular datestamp on brown cover to Augusta Georgia, otherwise Fine. This was described as a normal #10 in the Wiseman sale and #10c in the auction where acquired by the consignor. The consignor and we disagree. We do agree that this is an unusual shade. The consignor called it a deep milky blue. Ex Wiseman (June 1971) with his boxed “RWW” handstamp on back. Acquired by the consignor in a 1997 auction. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

3476 ○ **1863, 10¢ blue, “frame lines” (Scott 10)**, Charlottesville VA face-free blue partial double circle datestamp, nearly complete framelines at sides, lovely color for this 160+ year old stamp, completely sound, Very Fine and very pretty, with 2007 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

3477 ★★ **1863, 10¢ blue, group of five (Scott 11)**, o.g., never hinged, each clean and bright with clear impression on fresh paper, margins full to oversized, Extremely Fine to Superb, all with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95**; \$750. Estimate \$400 - 600

**3478 ★★** 1863, 10¢ blue (Scott 12), full pane of 100 with plate No. 3 and Keatinge & Ball imprint at bottom, o.g., never hinged, in solid color and clear detail; toning and several natural inclusions, small faults along left edge, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$5,265 as o.g. plate & blocks. (photo on web site) Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

**3479 ★★** 1863, 10¢ blue (Scott 12), full pane of 100 with plate No. 3 and Keatinge & Ball imprint at bottom, o.g., never hinged, cleanly printed in strong color with dark, streaky K&B ink; internally sound; toning, the imprint slightly cut into, otherwise Very Fine. Scott \$5,265 as o.g. plate & blocks. (photo on web site) Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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**3480** 1863, 20¢ green (Scott 13), full to large margins, used with faulty 10¢ greenish blue, Die B (12c) with wide sheet margin at right, both tied by "Americus Ga. May 22" circular datestamp on legal size cover with attorney's boxed corner card to "Honorable Wm. E. Smith, M.C. (Member of Congress) in Richmond VA, repaired tears, top backflap removed, otherwise Fine and very scarce example of the 30¢ triple rate (1-1½ oz), with Jack E. Molesworth description on left backflap, ex-Col. Green (May 1943 Harmer Rooke sale / Green sale #8) and 1988 Rarities of the World auction, signed Dietz, with 1983 P.F. certificate stating "it is a genuine usage" with no mention of faults. Estimate \$500 - 750

**3481 ★★** 1862, 1¢ orange, unissued (Scott 14), horizontal pair, o.g., never hinged, Post Office fresh with deep color with full, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$700 as singles. Scott \$220 as o.g. singles. Estimate \$500 - 750



**3482**

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**3482 ★★** 1862, 1¢ orange, unissued (Scott 14), o.g., never hinged, pristine jumbo with radiant color and massive margins; tiny natural paper inclusion, Extremely Fine to Superb, SMQ for a 98 \$600, with 2017 P.S.A.G. certificate graded XF-SUP 95J. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**; \$475 as a "95". Scott \$110 as o.g. Estimate \$400 - 600

**3483 ★★** 1862, 1¢ deep orange, unissued (Scott 14a), top margin single, o.g., never hinged, fresh and bright with full, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, with 2025 P.S.E. certificate graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**; \$350 for normal. Scott \$145 as o.g. Estimate \$250 - 350

UNITED STATES POSSESSIONS  
CANAL ZONE



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3484 ☒

1904, 2c Map, rose (Scott 1), tied by a bar cancel and by Bohio & Cristobal, both dated Jun 30, 1904, on a picture postcard to Colon; the card pictures a Canal Dredge, "City of Panama", and the Panama Rail Road Wharf in Colon. Scott \$1,650. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



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3485 ★

1904, 5c Map, blue, "CANAL ZONE" inverted (Scott 2a), o.g., exceptionally fresh and well centered, Very Fine, with a 1995 P.F. certificate. Scott \$775. Estimate \$300 - 400



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1904, 8¢ on 50c bister brown, "CANAL ZONE" omitted (Scott 14a var.), an outstanding used block of 9, positions 33-35/53-55, fresh and beautifully centered, canceled in Panama; couple short perfs on the right side, otherwise Very Fine and very rare. Estimate \$400 - 600



3487

3487 ★

1904, 8¢ on 50c Map, bister brown (Scott 15), o.g., fresh and Fine to Very Fine. Only 435 examples were issued. Scott \$2,000. Estimate \$800 - 1,200



3488

3488 ★

1907, 1c Balboa, horizontal pair, imperf. between (Scott 22a), a gorgeous pair, o.g., lightly hinged, wonderfully fresh and beautifully centered, Extremely Fine. Only 50 pairs were issued. Scott \$1,100. Estimate \$400 - 600



3489

3489 ★

1906, 10c Obaldía, violet & black, imperf between stamp and bottom sheet margin (Scott 26 footnote), an extraordinary mint example with full sheet margin and partial imprint, o.g., very lightly hinged, Extremely Fine. One of the finest of just 10 recorded examples. CZSG 26.1. Estimate \$400 - 600



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3490 BK★★ 1909, 2c Córdoba, vermilion & black, type I overprint, booklet pane of 6, handmade, perf. margins (Scott 32c), tab at the top, a remarkable example with top tab and large part of sheet margin inscription in tab, o.g., *never hinged(!)*, incredibly bright and fresh; natural straight edge at the right, Fine to Very Fine. *A terrific specialist item.* Scott \$800 for hinged. Estimate \$500 - 750

3491 ★★ 1915, 5c Arosemena, deep blue & black, type III overprint (Scott 48), left margin single, o.g., never hinged, a gem positional with proof-like colors and detail, sound on fresh paper, Very Fine to Extremely Fine, a rare stamp this nice. Scott \$425 for o.g. Estimate \$600 - 800



3492

3492 ★ 1921, 1c Balboa, light green & black, type V overprint, "CANAL" double (Scott 55f), the right stamp in a horizontal strip of 4; second "CANAL" printed directly over "ZONE", a second "ZONE" in the right selvage, o.g., very lightly hinged (left two stamps never hinged), a choice, Extremely Fine example of this rare error. *One of just 10 examples recorded,* with a 2007 P.F. certificate. Scott \$1,818 as singles. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



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3493 ★★ 1924, 1c Arms of Panama, dark green, Specimen, imperforate between pair (Scott 68S), each stamp with security punch hole at bottom left and red "Specimen" overprint at center, o.g., never hinged, bright color on fresh white paper, Very Fine, plate number F7428 noted in pencil on the reverse of both stamps as well as "B118" & "B119" on the left and right stamps, *and probably unique.* Estimate \$300 - 400



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EX 3496

- 3494 ★★田 1924, 2c Arms of Panama, carmine, left pairs imperforate between (Scott 69S), in top margin block of 6 with plate number F7428, no vertical perfs between left stamps, each stamp with security punch hole at bottom left and red "Specimen" overprint at center, selvage slightly reduced and few perf seps in top selvage reinforced, natural straight edge at right, o.g., never hinged, Extremely Fine, plate number F7428 and plate position noted in pencil on the reverse, *and probably unique*. Estimate \$400 - 600

This looks very much like a thought to issue booklet panes for this issue, which was never done.

- 3495 ★★/★ 1924-25, overprints on U.S. definitives, flat "A", ½¢ to \$1 complete (Scott 70-81), an exceptionally fresh complete set of 12, o.g. (1¢, 1½¢ & 5¢ never hinged), Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$515. Estimate \$250 - 350

- 3496 ★★/★ 1925-28, overprints on U.S. definitives, sharp "A", 2¢ to \$1 complete (Scott 84-95), a bright, fresh, well centered set of 12, o.g. (2¢, 3¢, 12¢, 15¢ & \$1.660 never hinged), Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$660. Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 3497 ☒ 1915 (Nov 22), Postage Due Cover from Kingston to Las Cascadas, 2c olive brown (J5), strip of 5 on the reverse of and unfranked cover, canceled by 3-ring targets partially covering Nov 22 Kingston and Nov 25 Las Cascadas/Rec'd. c.d.s.s; front with with "T"-in-circle handstamp; slightly soiled, Fine and rare. Estimate \$300 - 400

- 3498 ☒ 1920 (Feb 3), Postage Due cover from Chapleton, Jamaica to Culebra, 1c & 2c olive brown (J4, J5): two strips of 3 of the 1c and a pair of the 2c, canceled by Feb 9 Culebra duplexes, paying double thw 5c deficiency, on an unfranked with a Feb 3(?) Chapleton c.d.s. and a partial "T"-in-circle; reduced slightly at the right, Fine to Very Fine. *An exceedingly rare franking indicating a shortage of the 10c Postage Due.* Estimate \$350 - 500



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3499 ○ **Airmail Officials, 1941, 5¢ to 40¢ complete, overprint type II (Scott CO8-CO12), along with CO1-CO4, CO6-CO7 & O1-O7, all tied by Balboa Heights undated rotary cancels on a (Post Office?) display sheet—about 8" x 10½"—with the date and quantity of each stamp's first printing penciled below it., Very Fine. A UNIQUE CANAL ZONE COLLECTABLE. Scott \$842+.** Estimate \$500 - 750

3500 ○ **Airmail Official, 1947, 6¢ Gaillard Cut, yellow brown, overprint type I, inverted (Scott CO14a), sound with warm color and lightly struck wavy line cancel; full o.g. never hinged, Fine to Very Fine, with 2016 P.F. certificate. Scott \$2,000.** Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

3501 ★ **Postage Dues, 1914, 1¢-10¢ complete (Scott J1-J3), lovely trio with enticingly intense color and crisp detail; #J1 & J2 with glazed o.g., #J3 disturbed o.g. with gum crease, still Fine to Very Fine or better, and a pretty addition to any collection. Scott \$1,335.** Estimate \$400 - 600



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3502 ★★ **Official, 1941, 5¢ blue, "O" over "N" in "Panama" (Scott O3), pristine never hinged o.g., bright color and proof-like impression on fresh paper, Fine, and *incredibly scarce stamp in sound never hinged original gum condition with perforations on all sides. We don't recall seeing another never hinged example.* CZSG O3. Scott \$1,000 as hinged. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000**

3503 ○ **Official, 1941, 50¢ rose lilac, type Ia overprint (Scott O8), canceled to order with full, lightly hinged o.g., exceptionally fresh, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$550.** Estimate \$250 - 350

3504 ○ **Registration Envelope, 1918, 10¢ on 5c black & red on cream, narrow surcharge (Scott UF1), size 11, used with a 2c type IV (53) from Cristobal to Stuart, Fla., Sep 8-18, 1920; stamps tied by one of two Cristobal double-ovals with a Sep 8 c.d.s. alongside; backstamped with a light Stuart c.d.s.; opened at flap, splitting stamp, otherwise Very Fine. UPSS RE1; \$2,500. Scott \$2,000.** Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 3505 ★田 1899, 4¢ Lincoln, lilac brown (Scott 4), wide bottom margin plate block of 6 with plate number 792, Lively, glowing printed quality, slightly tropicalized o.g., Very Fine. Scott \$1,750. Estimate \$800 - 1,200

HAWAII

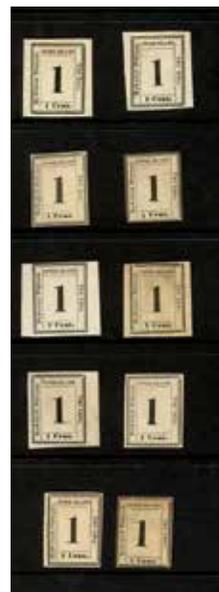
- 3506 ★ 1853, King Kamehameha III, 13¢ dark red on thick white wove paper (Scott 6), o.g., small hinge remnant at top center, huge left margin, large margins top and right, ample at bottom, beautiful rich color on crisp white paper, Choice Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate. Scott \$900. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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- 3507 ★★ 1868, King Kamehameha III, 5¢ blue, re-issue, line through "Honolulu" variety (Scott 10a), position 2, in complete sheet of 20, o.g., never hinged, a clean, fresh example; the sheet with light toning and a thin in bottom selvage, Very Fine. Scott \$925. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3508 S★★田 1868, King Kamehameha III, 13¢ dull rose, re-issue, overprinted "Specimen" (Scott 11SA), complete sheet of 20, o.g., stamps never hinged, hinged in top selvage only, in pastel color with sharp, clean overprints; toning and a couple small inclusions, Fine to Very Fine, Scott value as hinged singles and blocks. Scott \$620. Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3509 (★) 1864, Numeral, 1¢ black, complete reconstruction of all ten positions (Scott 19), Plate 6-A, 10 singles, unused without gum, virtually all with full to large margins; few small faults as expected including some with toning, Fine to Very Fine appearance, accompanied by album page with mounts ready to receive the stamps. A scarce and desirable plate reconstruction, ex Crocker, Atherton. Scott \$6,250 as singles. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



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- 3510 ★ **1865, Numeral, 5¢ blue on blue (Scott 22)**, Plate 12-A, Type VII, position 3, o.g., hinged, Post Office fresh with deep color on fresh paper, sound with large, balanced margins, Extremely Fine, signed (unclear), with 2014 P.S.A.G. certificate. Scott \$575. Estimate \$800 - 1,200
- 3511 ★ **1865, Numeral, 5¢ blue on blue (Scott 22)**, Plate 12-A, position 4, o.g., lightly hinged, a beauty with bold color cleanly printed, sound with large, nicely balanced margins, Extremely Fine, a choice example worthy of any collection, with 1997 P.F. and 2018 P.S.E. certificates, the latter graded XF 90. SMQ **XF 90**. Scott \$575. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3512 ★ **1864, Numeral, 2¢ black on laid paper (Scott 24)**, bottom margin single, o.g., hinged, a truly superlative stamp, fresh, sound, clean and bright, not to mention the never-encountered massive margins, Extremely Fine to Superb, surely one of the finest extant, destined for a refined collection, signed twice, with 2014 P.F. certificate graded XF-SUP 95. SMQ **XF-SUP 95J**. Scott \$350. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 3513 ★★☐ **Revenue, 1897, \$1 dark blue (Scott R11)**, bottom full pane of 50, o.g., never hinged, fresh with appealing centering; slight offset or disturbances on gum, Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$625 as singles. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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### KAHULUI RAILROAD

- 3514 ○☐ **Kahului Railroad, 1894, 5¢ blue**, block of 4, striking block with blistering color and snow-white paper; cancelled by horizontal blue and vertical red crayons, Very Fine, just lovely, with 2025 P.F. certificate as MH-151 (KR7). Meyer-Harris 151. Estimate \$500 - 750

### PHILIPPINES

- 3515 ★★/★ **1899-1904, Selection of eight mint (Scott 221//J2)**, arranged on black card and comprising (lightly hinged unless noted) #221 never hinged, 223, 225, 228 never hinged, 230, 237, E1 bottom margin plate number 880 single, and J2 never hinged; all fresh and bright with appealing color, clarity and centering; a lovely addition to collection or stock, Very Fine. Scott \$1,478. Estimate \$600 - 800



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3516 ★★

1903-04, 1¢ blue green & 2¢ carmine (Scott 226, 240), Post Office fresh group comprising 13 #226 (single, three pairs, block of six (separations)) and 18 #240 (single, pair, strip of three and three blocks of four), all with strong color, clean overprints and attractive centering, o.g., never hinged, Very Fine. Scott \$517 as singles. Estimate \$300 - 400



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3517 ★

1904, \$1 black, \$2 blue & \$5 green (Scott 237-239), a bright, fresh set of the three dollar values, o.g., hinge remnants, Fine to Very Fine, signed Bernichon, En. Diena & Sorani. Scott \$1,650. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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3518 ★★/★田

1904, \$2 dark blue (Scott 238), an outstanding mint block of 4, o.g., lightly hinged at the top, never hinged at the bottom, incredibly fresh and quite well centered, Fine to Very Fine+. Scott \$2,400. Estimate \$1,200 - 1,800



EX 3519

3519 ★

1906, 2c-10p Definitives complete (Scott 241-254), an exceptionally fresh, nicely centered set, o.g., Fine to Very Fine. Scott \$541. Estimate \$250 - 350



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3520 BK★★

1917, 6c deep violet, booklet pane of 6 (Scott 292c), o.g., never hinged, incredibly fresh and solid, Fine to Very Fine and rare. Only 75 panes were issued. Scott \$550. Estimate \$250 - 350



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1944, 30c orange red, handstamped "VICTORY" (Scott 483), o.g. with interleaving adhering, intense color, straight edge at the left, Fine to Very Fine. Only 200 were issued, with only 53 unused examples reported in the Brewster census. Scott \$800. Estimate \$350 - 500



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Airmail, 1926, 4p Madrid-Manila Flight (Scott C14), an excellent mint example, o.g., small hinge remnant, fresh and beautifully centered, Very Fine+. Only 700 issued, with a 2003 P.F. certificate. Scott \$800. Estimate \$350 - 500



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- 3523 (★) **Airmail, 1944, 4c rose carmine, handstamped “VICTORY” (Scott C63), an extraordinary unused example, without gum, incredibly fresh and a virtually perfectly centered, Extremely Fine. Only 122 were issued. Scott \$3,750. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000**

(photo on front cover)

Only 71 unused examples are recorded in the Brewster census; this is surely one of the finest examples extant.

- 3524 ★★ **Special Delivery, 1944, 20c dull violet, handstamped “VICTORY” (Scott E8), exceptionally fresh and quite well centered, o.g., never hinged, but very slightly dry (tropicalized), Very Fine. Only 138 were issued with just 53 unused examples recorded in the Brewster census, with a 2007 P.F. certificate noting “slightly tropical o.g.” Scott \$1,400. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500**

- 3525 ★ **Special Delivery, 1944, 20c blue violet, handstamped “VICTORY” (Scott E9), bottom sheet margin single, o.g., barely hinged, wonderfully fresh, Fine to Very Fine. 600 issued with 100 unused examples recorded in the Brewster census, with a 2007 P.F. certificate. Scott \$550. Estimate \$300 - 400**



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- 3526 ★★田 **Occupation, 1943, 1p on 4p blue & black (Scott N7), top right corner margin horizontal block of 6, fresh with deep colors and enticing centering, never hinged less tiny spot of gum disturbance position 1 and in selvage; gum soaks along outer edges of selvage noted for accuracy, still Very Fine, a tough stamp, ex Plass. Scott \$930 as singles. Estimate \$600 - 800**

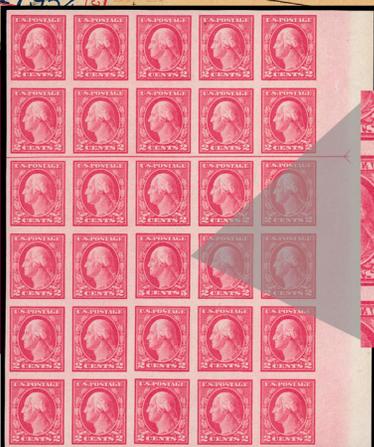
**RYUKYU ISLANDS**

- 3527 ★★ **Airmail, 1959, 3rd Issue surcharged, 9¢ on 15y blue green, surcharge inverted (Scott C14a), o.g., never hinged, bright and fresh, Fine to Very Fine. J.S.C.A. A14va. Scott \$800. Estimate \$300 - 400**

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