

AT 10:00 A.M.

United States

Stampless covers

- 1 ☒ 1837 (27 Oct) FL addressed to Mrs. D. P. Madison in Washington City, written by her cousin, Edward Coles, postmarked at Philadelphia (Oct 28) and rated 12½c due. On arrival at Washington, the post office crossed out the postage due and delivered the letter free of charge to Dolly Madison, whose free franking privilege allowed her to send and receive mail free of postage. The letter itself mentions the writer's visit to Washington and meeting with congressmen on the subject of President Madison's personal papers (Dolley Payne Todd Madison (May 20, 1768 - July 12, 1849) was the wife of James Madison, President of the United States from 1809 to 1817. She was noted for her social gifts, which boosted her husband's popularity as President. In this way, she did much to define the role of the President's spouse, known only much later by the title First Lady. Dolley Madison also helped to furnish the newly constructed White House. When the British set fire to it in 1814, she was credited with saving the classic portrait of George Washington. In widowhood, she often lived in poverty, partially relieved by the sale of her late husband's papers) 250.00



- 2 ☒ 1844 (20 Mar) FL from Los Angeles, Alta California (written in English at the "Floreasitas (Estado de Sonora)" and later at Los Angeles), to London, privately carried to Mazatlan, forwarded by "Copmann and Lomero" April 17th and at Guaymas by "Juan A. Robinson", where it entered the Mexican mail with "Franquedo en Guiamas" (postage paid) handstamp, conveyed to the British agency at Veracruz (cds), taken by the "Thames" and arriving in London July 6th, charged 2sh3p due, fine and scarce letter from Mexican Los Angeles to England 2,500.00

1847 Issue

- 3 ☐ 1847 5c red brown, neat red grid cancel, full margins all around incl. sheet margin at left, parts of adjoining stamps at right and bottom, minute flaws which in no way detract from the stamp's superb appearance, a rare positional piece, cat. \$425.....(1) 400.00
- 4 ☐ 1847 5c red brown, red cancel, margins in at lower left, creases, fine appearance, cat. \$425.....(1) 150.00

UNITED STATES FREE FRANKS
PRESIDENTIAL WIDOWS
DOLLEY P. MADISON



DOLLEY MADISON RECEIVES A LETTER
FROM EDWARD COLES, HER COUSIN
OCTOBER 28, 1837

The free franking privilege was granted to Dolley Madison on July 2, 1836, just five days after her husband's death. The privilege allowed her to send and receive mail free of postage. This letter, written by her cousin, Edward Coles, mentions the writer's trip to Washington, D.C., and meeting with congressmen on the subject of President Madison's personal papers. It was postmarked at Philadelphia and rated 12-1/2 cents due. On arrival at Washington, the post office crossed out the postage due and delivered the letter free.

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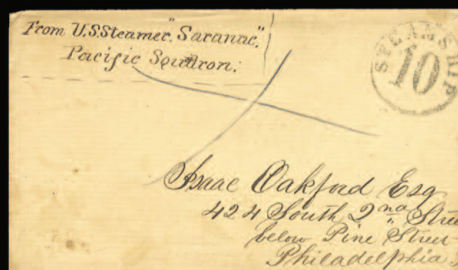
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- 5 ☒ 1847 5c red brown, large margins including part of adjoining stamp at left, cross-hatched pen cancel on FL used in 1851 from Mobile, Alabama to New Orleans, manuscript "Way 1" and red Jan 25 New Orleans arrival pmk, filing fold away from the stamp, fine cover, with 2009 PSE certificate(1) 250.00
- 6 1847 5c red brown, margins all around, cancelled by red grids and tied by blue Baltimore Jan. 27 departure pmk on coverfront, sent via New York to France, with boxed accountancy and "Ang. Calais" entry pmks, fine(1) 900.00
- 7 ☒ 1847 10c black, margins all around, close but clear at bottom left, fine, tied by red grids cancel on large part of outer FL, used in 1849 from New York to Marion, Alabama, filing fold well away from the stamp, cat. \$1,350(2) 700.00
- 8 ☒ 1847 10c black, margins all around, tied by light red grid cancel on outer FL to New Orleans, with faint cds alongside, filing folds away from the stamp, fine, cat. \$1,350(2) 700.00

1851-57 Issue

- 9 ○ 1851 1c blue, type IV, bottom margin vertical strip of three, pos.77,87,97R1L, black cds, margins all around, v.f. and attractive multiple, with 2004 PFC, cat. \$360(9) 250.00



- 10 E 1851 Bald, Cousland & Co., 3c Postage, imperf. essays on bond paper, two different in scarlet and black, v.f.,(11-E15b) 700.00



- 11 ☒ 1853 FL from New York to Tabasco, Mexico, sent via New Orleans, forwarded there August 1st by "J.W. Zacharie & Co." (embossed oval) franked with 4x3c red (overpaid by 2 cents) and continuing on the steamer "Texas" departing August 13th and arriving Veracruz, August 18th, where it was charged 3 reales due for internal postage(11) 1,500.00
- 12 ☒ 1860 outer FL from Paris to the U.S. Consul in Vera Cruz, sent by unknown means to New Orleans, where it was "Forwarded by E.J. Forstall" (oval handstamp), franked with 3c red on September 1st, carried by the schooner "Potomac", with no charges assessed in Mexico, some cover mending at top, fine(11) 500.00
- 13 ☒ 1851 3c orange brown, margins all around, tied by Winchester, CT town cancelled on embossed ladies cover to Amherst, Mass, v.f., with 2009 PFC(11A) 150.00
- 14 ☒ 1851 5c red brown, margins all around, but corners cut to shape, tied by bold New Orleans Aug 26 cds on FL sent in 1856 to France, endorsed "Per British Steamer" and showing part of red Boston Pkt pmk at bottom, sequence of transit and arrival pmks on back, fine(12) 500.00
- 15 ○ 1851 10c green, type II, large margins all around including large portion of adjoining stamp at left, used on piece in combination with 3c red brown, v.f.(14) 250.00



- 16 ○ 1851 12c black, horizontal pair, right stamp shifted transfer (1L-2L1), red grid cancels, margins all around, deep color, v.f., with 1978 PFC(17,17var) 1,000.00
- 17 ☒ 1851-68 Mississippi packet boats, four stampless covers, diff. markings including "Alice Vivian", "Str. Gov. Allen" (3c stationery entire) and steamers "Amanda" & "Dr Batey", mixed condition but good markings, fine-v.f. (web photo) 250.00

1857-61 Issue



- 18 ★ 1857 1c blue, type I, unused with original gum, bright color, sharp impression, well centered for this issue, fine, with 2002 PFC, cat. \$2,100(18) 1,000.00
- 19 ☒ 1857 1c blue, 3c dull red, and pair of 10c green, used in 1864 on patriotic cover paying 24c from Wyoming, NY to England, with "19" due and London arrival pmk, both in red, some toning, 1c with small tear at top, otherwise fine and attractive three color combination, with 1996 PFC, ex-Neinken(24,26,35) 750.00
- 20 ☒ 1861 Eagle & Shield, multicolored design with slogan on cover to Rushville, N.Y., franked with 1857 3c dull red, tied by Washington, D.C., Sep 3, 1861 cds, with original enclosure on "Secession Rope" caricature letterhead, fine and attractive cover(26) 150.00



- 21 ☒ 1861 cover (partly restored on back) from San Francisco, franked with 16 cents U.S. (10c and pair of 3c) overpaying the rate by 6c, to Guadalajara, via a ship of the PMSC line to Acapulco, where 2 reales was charged for internal postage, fine(26,35) 1,000.00
- 22 ☒ 1857 24c gray lilac, tied by red grids on cover via New York to London, with May 13, 1861 arrival pmk, minor cover flaws, otherwise fine, signed Alcuri, with 1984 Scott Philatelic Co. certificate, cat. \$1,000(37) 250.00



- 23 ○ 1857 90c blue, black cancel, well centered for this difficult issue, design clear of the perforations on all sides, small faults as often encountered in this high value, very rare genuinely used, with 2004 PFC ("with a tear at left center and small faults"), v.f. appearance, cat. \$11,000(39) 2,500.00
- 24 ☒ 1858 Mississippi boat Bluff City, red straight line "per Bluff City" cancel in red, neatly struck on 3c stationery entire envelope to New Orleans, with black "Steam" and New Orleans May 24 pmks, fine 250.00
- 25 ☒ 1861 outer FL with oval "Wells, Fargo San Francisco May 14" and "Paid" in blue alongside, addressed to the United States Consul in Victoria, Vancouver Island, sent by Capt. George G. Welles of the bark "Emily Banning," filing folds, otherwise fine, scarce Ship Letter 500.00
- 26 ☒ 1864 cover endorsed "from U.S. Steamer Saranac Pacific Squadron," addressed to Philadelphia, with "Steamship 10" payment at upper right, some toning, otherwise fine. USS Saranac was a sloop of war of the United States Navy. She was commissioned in 1850 and saw service protecting American interests in the Atlantic Ocean as well as the Pacific Ocean. During the Civil War, Saranac patrolled America's West Coast 150.00

1875 Reprints of the 1857-61 Issue

- 27 (★) 1875 5c orange brown, fairly well centered, beautiful color, unused without gum as issued, only 878 issued, with 2007 PSE certificate, cat. \$1,200(42) 600.00



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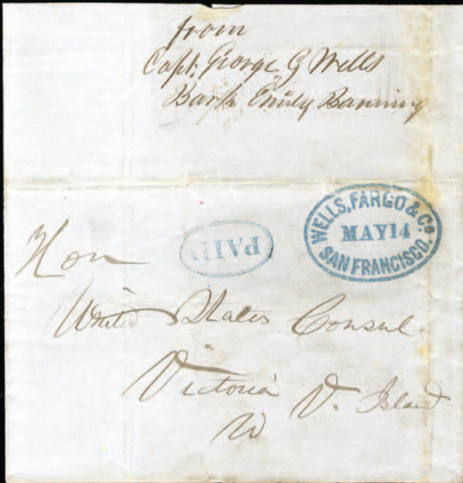


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- 28 (★) 1875 10c blue green, unused without gum as issued, usual centering, beautiful color, light purple stain from an owners hs which barely shows through (mentioned for accuracy only), fine, only 516 issued, with 2005 PFC, cat. \$2,500(43) 1,500.00
- 29 (★) 1875 10c blue green, usual centering for this issue, bright color, unused without gum as issued, fresh and fine, only 516 issued, with 2001 PFC, cat. \$2,500(43) 1,500.00
- 30 (★) 1875 90c deep blue, unused without gum as issued, well centered for this difficult issue, bright color, fine, with 1989 PFC, cat. \$4,000(47) 2,500.00
- 31 (★) 1875 90c deep blue, unused without gum as issued, well centered, v.f., only 454 printed, with 1988 PFC, cat. \$4,000(47) 2,500.00

1861-66 Issue

- 32 ☒ 1861 3c Washington, Lowenberg Essay on onionskin paper, printed in reverse, block of four, set-tenant with France 1c Empire, block of four, all in red brown, usual creases, fine, scarce 2,500.00
- 33 ★ 1861 10c dark green, full original gum, l.h., natural straight edge at left, beautiful color, fresh and fine, rare unused, with 2001 PSE certificate, cat. \$8,000(62B) 2,000.00
- 34 ★ 1861 3c brown rose, "Premiere Gravure", beautiful color, h.r., fresh and fine, with 2004 PFC (formerly Scott no.56) cat. \$550(65-E15h) 300.00
- 35 ☒ 1861 3c rose, "Paid" cancel on Eagle and Flag patriotic cover (slightly reduced at right) to Muskegan Co., with Sylvania, Ohio pmk at bottom, fine and attractive usage, with 2010 PFC(65) 150.00



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- 36 ☒ 1861 small letter to Green Co., Ohio, from Camp Dennison (Jun 26, 1863), franked with 3c rose tied by black target, with matching "Camp Dennison Miamiville" pmk. Camp Dennison, named for the governor of Ohio, was used throughout the Civil War as a general training and recruiting depot for Ohio troops. The camp also featured one of the largest hospitals of the Union Army, v.f., with 2001 PSE certificate(65) 150.00
- 37 ☒ 1861 cover (1865) from Bristol, N.H. to U.S Consul's Office in Swatow, China, with extraordinary franking of 15x3c rose (block of 10 and a strip of 5), paying the 45c rate via Southampton, tied by ms cancel, and red "Boston Paid" pmk, black "Bristol N.H. Jul.8" and red "Boston.Br.Pkt 40 11.Jul" cds, London and Hong Kong transit pmks, two stamps damaged and one missing, otherwise fine and very rare item.....(65) 750.00
- 38 ☒ 1861 12c black and 30c orange, cancelled by grids on small FL from Philadelphia (May 18, 66), addressed to Giuseppe Verde in Palermo, Sicily, red New York Paid, French maritime and boxed "PD", also Napoli and Torino transits, 7 June arrival pmk, filing folds away from the stamps, fine and appealing cover to Sicily(69,71) 250.00
- 39 ○ 1861 24c steel blue, black Paid grid cancel, well centered, v.f., with 1999 PFC, cat. \$915.....(70b) 700.00



- 40 ☒ 1861 2c black, one and a half stamps tied on cover by Sept.2, 64 manuscript cancel, paying the 3c rate on cover to Columbia Co, N.Y., additional ms notations on reverse, penciled "guaranteed used as 3c rate J.M. Bartels", fine and rare cover, with 1971 PFC, cat. \$1,500(73a) 1,000.00
- 41 ★ 1861 5c red brown, unused with part original gum, usual centering, fresh and fine sound example, rare unused, with 2004 PFC, cat. \$5,750(75) 1,000.00
- 42 (★) 1861 5c red brown, unused without gum, deep rich color, fine, cat. \$2,200(75) 300.00

1867 Grill Issue

- 43 ○ 1867 2c black, Z. Grill, black cork cancel, well centered for this issue, with fully intact perforations all around, v.f., with 2002 PFC, cat. \$1,300(85B) 750.00



- 44 ○ 1867 10c green, E. Grill, black cork cancel, near perfect centering with wide margins, fully intact perforations on all sides, deep rich color, v.f. gem, with 1989 and 2001 Philatelic Foundation certificates, cat. \$350(89) 250.00
- 45 ★ 1867 12c black, F. Grill, unused with full original gum, l.h., rich color, usual centering with fully intact perforations on all four sides, fine and rare mint stamp, with 2004 PFC, cat. \$3,000.....(97) 1,500.00
- 46 (★) 1867 15c black, F. Grill, unused without gum, rich color and large margins, v.f., with 1981 PFC, cat. \$1,600(98) 700.00

1869 Pictorials

- 47 P 1869 1c-90c plate proofs on india mounted on large cards, bound in a special presentation album, hard bound with gold lettering "Proofs - United States Postage Stamps Series of 1869 Engraved by the National Bank Note Company", minor toning, fine-v.f.(112P-122P) 2,500.00



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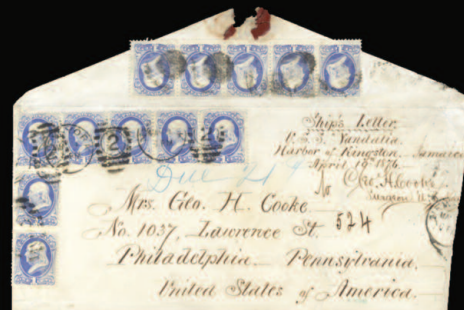
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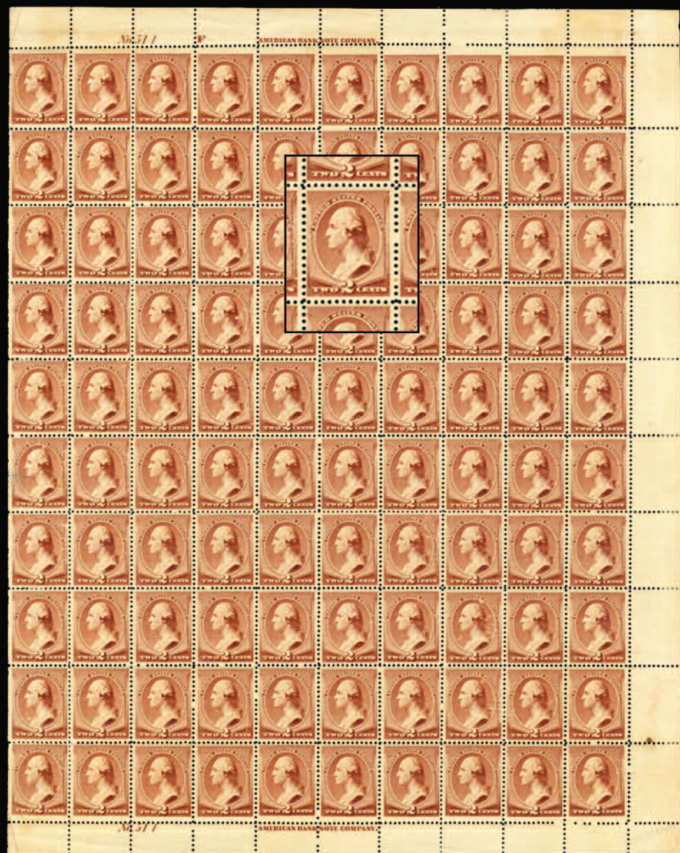
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| 48 ★ | 1869 6c ultramarine, well centered, fresh color, h.r., v.f., with 2004 PSE cert., cat. \$2,750(115) | 1,500.00 |
| 49 ✉ | 1869 FL from New York to Veracruz, franked with 10c orange, per steamer "Cleopatra", arriving October 24th. The ship returned to port October 4th and was delayed until October 11th, v.f. cover to Mexico(116) | 750.00 |
| 50 (★) | 1869 24c green and violet, unused without gum, centered to upper right, with hairline plate scratches at top left and through "Postage" variety, fine, with 1994 PFC (catalogue value does not include premium for variety) cat. \$2,800(120var) | 1,000.00 |
| 51 ○ | 1869 24c green and violet, used, well centered, v.f., cat. \$700(120) | 250.00 |
| 52 ★ | 1869 30c ultramarine and carmine, unused with original gum, h.r., well centered with wide margins, beautiful color, with 2001 PFC stating "reperforated at top and right", violet hs on reverse, v.f. appearance, cat. \$5,750(121) | 1,500.00 |
| 53 (★) | 1869 30c ultramarine & carmine, unused (regummed), nice colors, fresh and v.f., with 1995 PFC, cat. \$2,000(121) | 900.00 |
| 54 ○ | 1869 30c ultramarine and carmine, two used singles, well centered, one thin, the other with short perf., v.f. appearance, cat. \$900 (web photo)(121) | 200.00 |



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| 55 ★ | 1869 30c ultramarine & carmine, Without Grill, beautiful color, rich impression, full original gum, h.r., reperforated at left, otherwise fresh and v.f. example of this rare variety, with 2001 PFC, cat. \$11,000(121a) | 2,500.00 |
| 56 ○ | 1869 90c carmine and black, red cork cancel (rare), centered to top, fine, with 2000 PFC, cat. \$3,100.....(122) | 1,500.00 |

1875 Re-Issue of the 1869 Pictorials



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| 57 ○ | 1875 12c green, manuscript cancel, well centered, bright color, tiny corner crease at bottom right, otherwise v.f., only 1,584 issued, with 1975 PFC, ex-Coulter, cat. \$3,250(128) | 650.00 |
| 58 ★ | 1875 90c carmine & black, full original gum, excellent colors, fresh and fine, with 2001 PFC stating "tiny stain spot at right", actually a natural inclusion, fine, cat. \$3,750.....(132) | 1,500.00 |

1870-73 Banknote Issues

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| 59 ✉ | 1870 (31 Jan) San Francisco Foreign Mail, FL used in 1874 to San Jose, Costa Rica, franked with 10c brown, paying the pre-UPU 10c West Indies Rate (stated to be one of only five recorded to Costa Rica), usual filing fold, clear markings, fine, ex-Millet correspondence(137) | 500.00 |
| 60 (★) | 1870 6c carmine, unused without gum, perfectly centered, small stain at bottom, otherwise v.f., with 1996 PFC, cat. \$1,750(137) | 500.00 |



- 61 E 1870 2c unadopted design, completed die in black on ivory paper, v.f., rare, cat. \$1,000...(146-E7b) 750.00
- 62 ✉ 1870 FL originating from Hamburg and addressed to Laguna, Mexico, carried by a HAPAG Line steamer "Holstatia" departing January 15th and arriving New York January 28th, where 10c U.S. franking was added by an unknown forwarding agent, then via "City of Merida" to Campeche, arriving on 7th February, with 2 reales due, overall toning, scarce usage from Germany, via New York to Mexico(150) 500.00



- 63 ✉ 1870 Rev. Bissel cover to India, paying 44c with pair of 10c brown & single 24c, red London 28 Aug. 71 transit, also "36" and "2" in crayon on front, oval "Sea Post Office" and red "Ahmednuggur Camp PO." arrival pmks on back, v.f. cover to India(150,153) 1,200.00



- 64 ✉ 1874 (13 Mar) outer FL from New York per "City of Mexico" to Veracruz, 50c paid with U.S. stamps (2x10c and 30c), arriving March 26th, charged 8 reales due, fine cover to Mexico, with 1985 PFC(154,161) 1,000.00



- 65 ★田 1870 90c carmine, block of four, well centered, beautiful color, original gum (h.r.), fine-v.f., a fresh and spectacular block, surely one of the finest known, with 1991 PFC, cat. \$25,000(155) 12,000.00
- 66 匣 1876 large cover (somewhat reduced at right), addressed to Philadelphia, franked on both sides and paying 12c with singles and strips of 1c blue, tied by New York pmks, endorsed "Ship's Letter U.S.S. Vandalia Harbor of Kingston Jamaica, Geo H. Cooke, Surgeon," charged "due 21 cents" in crayon, with arrival pmk, some faults, generally fine and interesting (web photo).....(156) 250.00
- 67 ○ 1873 15c yellow orange, ribbed paper variety, red cancel, fine, with 2004 PFC(163var) 150.00
- 68 ★ 1873 90c rose carmine, beautiful color, wide margins, l.h., fresh and fine, with 2004 PFC, cat. \$2,250.....(166) 1,000.00

1881-1888 Banknote Issues

- 69 ★★田 1883 2c red brown, sheet of 100, mostly well centered, five stamps at left hinged (not affecting the two plate blocks), balance n.h., few hinge reinforcements at right selvage, couple of minor perf. separations, two stamps at left thin, otherwise well centered, mostly fine-v.f. A very rare sheet (catalogued as single stamps, without premium for blocks and plate blocks) cat. \$12,562(210) 7,500.00
- 70 田 1883 90c purple, an incredible block of forty, oval Boston Registered pmks, stamps amazingly well centered, straight edge at right, some toned spots and occasional perf. flaws, affixed on piece, with some perf. strengthening possible, fine and most impressive multiple, one of the only two known blocks of 40, signed Holcombe, with 1979 Mario Zanini cert. (catalogued as eight blocks of four and four pairs) cat. \$13,400.....(218) 5,000.00

1890-93 Issue

- 71 匣 1890 4c brown, imperf. horizontal pair, used in 1907 in combination with 2c Washington, with Sunbury cds and Special Delivery handstamp in violet, fine and scarce usage of the 1890 imperforates(222P) 500.00

1893 Columbian Exposition Issue



- 72 ★★田 1893 \$1 salmon, block of four, well centered, beautiful color, n.h. and post office fresh, some perf. strengthening, v.f. (cat. value for n.h. singles) cat. \$15,400.....(241) 7,500.00



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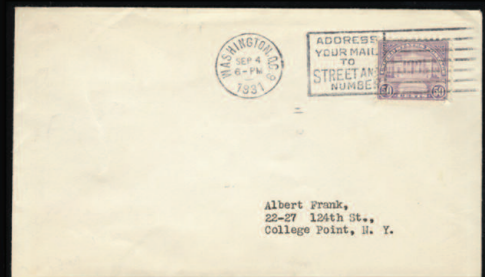
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1894-95 Bureau Issues



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- 73 P 1894 1c-\$5, complete set of small die proofs on gray cards from the Roosevelt Album, fresh and v.f., only 85 printed, cat. \$3,535(247-263P2) 2,000.00
- 74 ○ 1894 \$1 black, type II, used, minor flaws, fine appearance, cat. \$825.....(261A) 150.00
- 75 ★ 1894 \$5 dark green, well centered with wide margins, beautiful color, original gum, h.r., almost v.f., with 1990 and 2005 PFCs (the former stating "previously hinged", the latter "slightly disturbed o.g.") cat. \$4,500(263) 3,000.00
- 76 ★★ 1895 \$1 black, type II, never hinged and post office fresh, fine, with 2005 PFC, cat. \$3,750 ... (276A) 1,000.00

1901 Pan-American Issue

- 77 ★★田 1901 1c, 2c (19), 4c (15), 5c (17), 8c (5) and 10c (3), mostly n.h., occasional disturbed gum, few blocks, mostly fine-v.f., cat. \$8,122(294-299) 1,500.00

1902-3 Issue

- 78 S 1902 4c brown, with violet "Ultramar" handstamp, applied for overseas offices in Portugal (used for Philatelic Exhibition), disturbed original gum, fine and rare(303S) 350.00

1904-10 Issues



- 79 ★ 1908 Coils, 1c blue green, horizontal pair, well centered for this issue, beautiful color, fresh and fine, hs guarantee on reverse, only 80 pairs have been certified by the Philatelic Foundation, with 1982 PFC, cat. \$15,000(318) 7,000.00
- 80 ★/★★田 1904 Louisiana Purchase, 1c-10c blocks of four, 10c n.h., balance hinged, 1c with perf. flaws affecting a few stamps, 5c toned on gum, otherwise fine set of blocks, cat. \$2,165.....(323-327) 500.00
- 81 ★★ 1908 Coils, 1c green, vertical guide line pair, well centered, rich color, n.h., v.f., with 1985 and 1995 PFCs, cat. \$600.....(348) 350.00
- 82 ★★ 1908 Coils, 1c green, vertical guide line pair, well centered, beautiful color, n.h., fresh and v.f., 1990 and 2003 PFCs, cat. \$600(348) 350.00
- 83 ★ 1909 Coils, 4c orange brown, horizontal guide line pair, well centered, h.r., v.f., with 1993 PFC, cat. \$1,400.....(354) 600.00

1910-30 Issues

- 84 ★ 1910 Coils, 2c carmine, vertical guide line pair, rich color, top stamp h.r., bottom stamp n.h., fine, with 2002 PSE cert., cat. \$1,600(386) 500.00



- 85 ★★田 1914-15 10c orange, perf.10, right sheet margin block of four, with part imprint, n.h., fine-v.f., cat. \$6,800.....(404) 2,500.00
- 86 ★ 1915 \$1 violet black, fresh color, wide margins, l.h., fine, with 2004 PFC, cat. \$675.....(460) 250.00
- 87 ★ 1915 \$1 violet black, rich color, well centered, l.h., v.f., with 2004 PFC, cat. \$625.....(478) 300.00



- 88 ○ 1916 Coils, 2c carmine, used single, v.f. example of this rare coil, with 1987 PFC, cat. \$800(491) 400.00
- 89 田 1917 A.E.F., 1c green, booklet pane of 30, mostly well centered, n.h. and post office fresh, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,700.....(498f) 650.00
- 90 田 1917 A.E.F., 1c green, booklet pane of 30, n.h. and post office fresh, fine-v.f., with 2002 PFC, cat. \$1,700(498f) 650.00
- 91 田 1922-25 11c Hayes, Washington Oct.4, 1922 FDC, v.f., with AFDCS certificate, cat. \$650 (web photo)(563) 250.00
- 92 田 1922-25 14c Indian, Washington May 1, 1923 Worden FDC, v.f., cat. \$400 (web photo)(565) 150.00
- 93 田 1922-25 25c Niagara Falls, Washington Nov.11, 1922 Worden FDC, fine-v.f., cat. \$650 (web photo)(568) 250.00
- 94 田 1922-25 30c Buffalo, Washington March 20, 1923 Strasser FDC, v.f., cat. \$800 (web photo).....(569) 200.00
- 95 田 1922-25 50c Arlington Amphitheater, Washington Nov.11, 1922 FDC, v.f., rare, cat. \$1,250(570) 500.00



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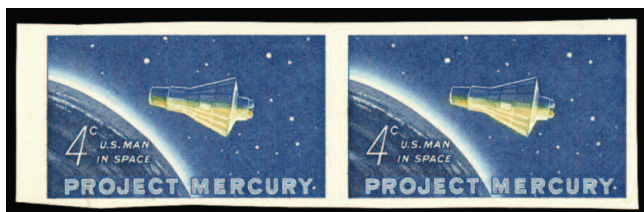
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- 96 ★★田 1922-25 \$5 carmine and blue, top margin double plate no. block of eight, n.h., fresh color, usual natural wrinkles, fine-v.f., cat. \$2,800(573) 1,500.00
- 97 ★★田 1922-25 \$5 carmine lake and dark blue, top margin double plate no. block of eight, n.h., well centered, fresh color, v.f., cat. \$3,750(573a) 2,000.00

98	✉	1922-26 Coils, 3c horizontal pair, 5c and 10c singles, each on a separate Washington D.C. FDC, fine-v.f., cat. \$290 (web photo)(600,602,603)	150.00
99	★★	1929 Kansas-Nebraska, complete sets, n.h., fine-v.f., cat. \$961(658-679)	400.00
100	✉	1929 Kansas & Nebraska, complete set of individual First Day Covers, with "Washington D.C. May 1, 1929" cds, some sent Air Mail, mostly fine-v.f., cat. \$2,560(658-679)	1,000.00
101	★★田	1929 Kansas, 8c olive green, block of four, n.h., v.f., cat. \$580(666)	250.00

Modern Issues

102	✉	1931 Regular Issue, 11c-50c complete set on individual Washington D.C. FDCs, fine-v.f., cat. \$2,270(692-701)	750.00
103	(★)田	1933 APS souvenir sheets, 100 sets, unused without gum as issued, n.h., occasional wrinkles or corner bends, mostly fine-v.f., cat. \$4,750 (web photo)(730-31)	1,200.00
104	✉	1938 Presidential Series, ½c-\$5, complete set of cacheted First Day Covers, fine-v.f. (web photo)(803-834)	250.00
105		1944 American Red Cross in France, group of seven items incl. a signed pass and letter addressed to the regional commander of F.F.I. (Forces Francaises de L'Interieur), also carte de visit of the special delegate and World War I French Red Cross cover to a military hospital, with two special cards etc., fine and interesting lot (web photo)	250.00



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106	★★	1961 Project Mercury, 4c imperforate horizontal pair, n.h., v.f.	500.00
107	★★田	1961 Project Mercury, 4c imperforate block of four, n.h., v.f.	1,000.00
108	★★	1976 Washington Reviewing his Army, imperforate souvenir sheet, 24c omitted, n.h., v.f., cat. \$1,200(1689f)	500.00



109	★★田	1992 Stock Exchange Bicentennial, 29c green & black center inverted, right sheet margin block of four, with additional inverted vignettes in margin, n.h. and post office fresh, v.f., one of two remaining blocks (the other realized \$71,875 including buyer's premium in our September 2011 sale). With only 56 examples known, this error is considerably scarcer than the Jenny and CIA inverts (catalogued as four singles), cat. \$74,000(2630c)	60,000.00
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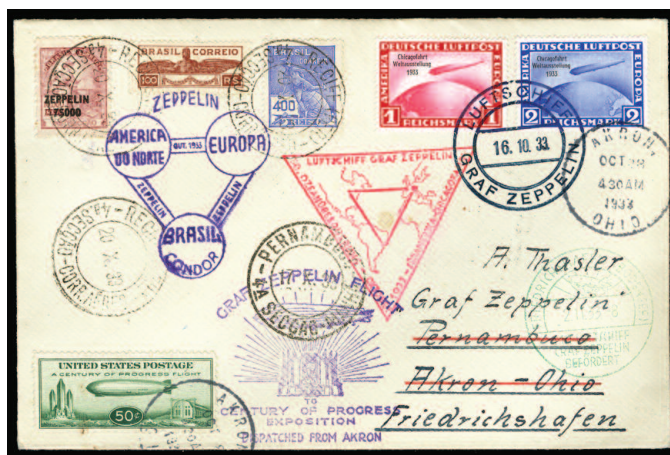
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Air Post

110 ○	1918 24c carmine & blue, vignette shifted downwards, used, fine(C3var)	250.00
111 ☐	1927 Lindbergh, unexploded booklet with two panes of three, n.h., fine-v.f. (web photo)(C10a)	100.00
112 ★/★★	1930 Zeppelin, set of three, 65c with plate no. at bottom, \$2.60 l.h., balance n.h., fine-v.f., cat. \$1,500(C13-15)	750.00
113 ★★	1930 Zeppelin, set of three, n.h., faint gum skips or inclusions, \$1.30 with toned perf., otherwise fine-v.f., cat. \$1,900(C13-15)	800.00
114 ☒	1930 \$1.30 and \$2.60, used on separate covers, \$1.30 addressed to Seville, Spain, with all appropriate cachets and markings, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,025(C14-15)	500.00
115 ☒	1930 \$2.60 blue, on flown 5c legal size stationery entire, additionally franked with 2c paying \$2.67 rate to Lakehurst, v.f., cat. \$625(C15)	350.00
116 ☒	1930 \$2.60 blue, used on flown cover to Lakehurst, v.f., cat. \$625(C15)	350.00
117 ☒	1930 \$2.60 blue, v.f. used on flown Apr. 29, 1930 Zeppelin cover with appropriate markings, cat. \$625(C15)	350.00



118 ☒	Flight Covers. 1931 (July 28), Round the World Flight by Herndon and Pangborn, cover signed by Hugh Herndon Jr, franked with 2c regular issue, also 3c Yorktown (cancelled Wenatchee, Wash. Oct. 5, fifteen days before this post office was authorized to sell the stamp), used with 3sen Japanese franking, appropriate cachets, also two Russian cancellations including Khabarovsk 30.8.31, tape adhesions at sides, rare cover, one of only 75 carried(AAMC TO1146)	750.00
119 ☒	1933 (July 15) attempted Ocean Flight, New York to Lithuania by Capt. Stefan Darius and Stanley Girenas flight cover from New York to Kaunas, Lithuania, July 15, 1933 "Lituanica" canc., franked with 3c violet, v.f., with six line cachet, signed by both pilots. Both flyers died when their plane was wrecked at Soldin, Germany, about 400 miles short of their goal. Mail was delivered to Kaunas on July 18, 1933, with arrival pmk(AAMC TO1081)	150.00



120 ☒	Zeppelin Flights. 1933 Century of Progress Flight cover franked with 50c green, originating from Akron, Ohio (October 8), with appropriate cachet at bottom, used in combination with German 1m and 2m (C43,44), cancelled on-board Graf Zeppelin (16 Oct), carried on the Chicago Flight to Pernambuco, where Brazilian franking was added and flown on 20th October from Recife back to Akron, Ohio, with "America du Norte - Europa Brazil Zeppelin and Condor" cachet, v.f., with arrival (28 October) and additional cachets and pmks on back, minute toned specks, nevertheless v.f. round-trip cover(C43,44)	1,000.00
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Postage Dues

- 121 ★ 1895 30c pale rose, l.h., v.f., with 2001 PSE cert., cat. \$450.....(J36b) 200.00

Locals

- 122 (★)田 1849-56 Boyd's Dispatch, 2c black, olive green, Swarts Dispatch 2c red brown, blocks of six, unused without gum, marginal creases, otherwise v.f., with 1974 PFCs (web photo) ..(20L11,136L4) 150.00
- 123 ★ 1850 Pomeroy & Co. Express, horizontal pair and a strip of three (originally a strip of five), full original gum, some creases and discoloration, otherwise fine and rare (web photo) 500.00
- 124 田 1850-52 1c blue on FL used from New York to Philadelphia, PA, tied by red star cancel, with corresponding "New York Paid 3c Dec. 15" cds, fine and scarce, with 2000 PFC, cat. \$1,250 (7LB12) 750.00

Officials

- 125 P 1873 plate proofs on card, complete except for Dept of State, each set with original post office envelope (scarce), fine-v.f., cat. \$634 (web photo)(O1/93P4) 300.00

Newspaper Stamps

- 126 (★)田 1875 5c dull blue, pane of 10, unused without gum as issued, hinge reinforcements, otherwise fine-v.f., cat. \$2,250(PR5) 1,500.00
- 127 P 1895 1c-\$100, complete set of small die proofs (removed from card), 1c thin, balance fine-v.f., cat. \$1,200(PR102-113P2) 500.00

Parcel Post

- 128 ★/★★田 **Parcel Post Postage Dues.** 1913 1c-10c, set of five, blocks of four, top stamps hinged, bottom stamps n.h. (1c with disturbed gum at bottom), fine-v.f. (catalogue value for singles) cat. \$2,170..... (JQ1-5) 500.00



- 129 ○ 1913 5c green, double oval cancel, perfectly centered with jumbo margins, with 2008 PSE cert. graded "Superb 98J", one of only two stamps (mint or used) to achieve this grade, with none recorded at "100", SMQ \$385+ (for Superb 98)(JQ3) 150.00

Postal Stationery

- 130 P 1950s unused and unfolded yellow letter sheet (153:176mm) essay, showing non-denominated Transportation indicia surcharge (19:22½mm) in black (Train, Airplane and Ship), perforated and gummed, v.f. and rare stationery essay (web photo) 250.00
- 131 P **Postal Stationery Air Post.** 1929-44 5c dark ultramarine, large uncut proof on empire bond (210x280mm), v.f. and extremely rare (web photo)(UC1P) 1,000.00
- 132 E **Postal Reply Cards.** 1878 stationery essay, imperforate and unfolded pair of 1c black, type 6, unused, v.f., rare (web photo)(UY1E-Jd) 500.00

Revenues

- 133 ○ 1871 1c blue and black, center inverted, well centered (for this notoriously off-centered issue), thins and tiny pinhole, otherwise v.f., with 2005 PSE certificate, cat. \$1,600.....(R103a) 600.00

Proprietary Stamps



- 134 ○ 1874 2c green and black on green paper, center inverted, faintly cancelled (appears unused), centered slight to right, as is every known example, except this one is much better centered than most, v.f. This copy (and perhaps one other), may be the only fault free example of this rarity in existence (Scott catalogue notes "No. RB2bc is valued with fine centering and small faults"), with 1989 PFC, ex-Joyce collection. In his privately published census, Larry Lyons records twelve copies of the 2c Proprietary invert on green paper. Of these, five appear to be used, and all twelve have at least one fault, cat. \$8,000.....(RB2bc) 7,500.00
- 135 ★○✉ [California State Revenue Documentary Stamps](#). 1857-66 collection of 23 mostly different imperforate mint sheetlets of four, with both Bill of Lading and Marine Insurance issues, denominations up to \$50,000(!), with controller's surcharges, also additional 111 sheets and 29 singles without the controller's marks (found in the state archives), with some unlisted varieties, many unique, with invoices from Phil Ward showing that the owner paid \$50-\$200 per sheet in 1960. Also included are 100+ Oregon and Nevada State revenues, mostly fine or better. A scarce lot 15,000.00

Telegraph Stamps

- 136 ☐ 1908 Chicago & Western Railway, unexploded booklet with 10 panes of 2c carmine, n.h., fine-v.f., back cover with minor stains, rare, cat. \$1,750 (web photo)(15TO2) 1,000.00

CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA

Postmasters' Provisionals - Charleston, SC



- 137 ✉ 1861 5c blue, entire envelope, reduced at left, part of side-flap missing from back, cancelled December 25 Charleston, S.C., addressed to Atlanta, fine appearance, ex-Ferrary, cat. \$3,500.....(16XU4) 750.00

Postmasters' Provisionals - Jackson, Miss.

- 138 ✉ 1861 "Paid 5 Cents" handstamped in black on small cover to New Orleans, LA, from Hardy's Station, Miss., with Jackson, Miss. Mar.8 pmk, fine and rare, with 2002 PFC, cat. \$750(43XU1) 500.00



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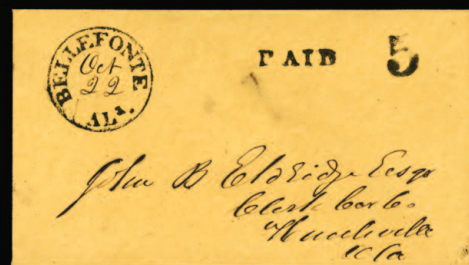
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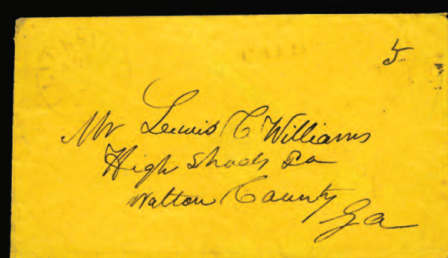
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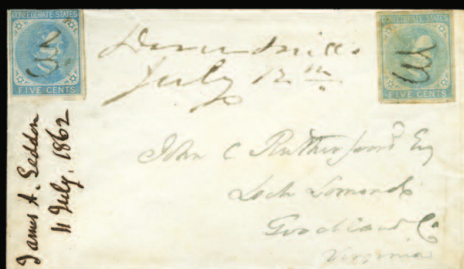
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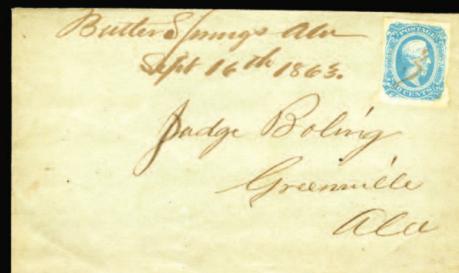
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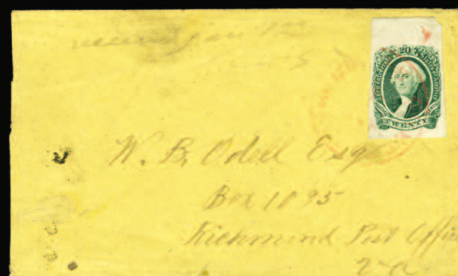
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139	✉	1861 5c black hs cover to Canton, Miss., with Jackson, Miss. Aug. 28 pmk, fine and rare, with 2002 PFC, cat. \$750.....(43XU1)	500.00
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Regular Issues

140	✉	1861 cover with blue "Peebles, Plum Mer & Co Commission Merchants Cameo" card, sent to New Orleans, LA., blue "Petersburg VA Nov 24 5cts" pmk, straight-line "Paid" and "10" in circle, few pinholes at right, otherwise fine and rare cover, with 2002 PFC	500.00
141	✉	1861 (22 July) small cover (slightly reduced at top) from Savannah, Ga, with oval "Paid 10", addressed to Alexander J. Stephens, Vice President in Richmond, Va, endorsed on reverse "Sarah A. Lawton, Savannah, Ga, July 22, 1861 - writes in relation of Confederate States flag." The story of this Georgia Belle could easily have been the inspiration for many a Civil War romance novel. Sarah was the great granddaughter of Sarah Porter Hillhouse (1763-1831), the first woman editor and printer in Georgia. Sarah spent her childhood at Fairfield, the Alexander plantation, on the edge of Washington, Ga. The home apparently still stands and was spared destruction in Sherman's March to the Sea. Her brother, Edward Porter Alexander (1835-1910), was a distinguished Confederate General of Artillery.....	200.00
142	✉	1861 United States 1857 3c dull red, type III (Scott's 26), tied by grids on cover to Marion C.H., S.C., matching "Charleston, S.C., Mar 12, 1861" cds, fine Confederate States usage	150.00
143	✉	1861 (6 Nov) Glennville, Alabama, cover to Norfolk, VA., endorsed "Paid 10", also care of "City Light Guards" (probably of Columbus, Georgia), some backflap problems, otherwise fine	150.00
144	✉	1861 United States 1857 3c dull red, type III (Scott's 26), tied by grids on cover to Union C.H., S.C., matching Charleston, S.C., Mar 21, 1861 cds, fine Confederate States usage	150.00
145	✉	1861 10c light blue, Hoyer & Ludwig, four large margins, tied by "Richmond, Va. Sep. 12, 1862" cds (Powell type 3b) on turned cover to Aurelia C.H., VA., inside usage to Richmond & hand carried, minor cover wrinkles, fine	150.00
146	✉	1862 5c blue (stone 2), tied by Fredericksburg, VA. 27 Mar 1862 pmk on cover to McDowell, N.C., fine, signed Brian Green	150.00
147	✉	1861 (22 Oct) Bellefonte, AL., handstamp, with date filled in by pen, "Paid 5" alongside, cover addressed locally, fine	150.00
148	✉	1862 (2 Apr) Clarksville, Ga. cds with matching straight line "Paid" handstamp & manuscript "5" rate on turned cover to High Shoals, Ga. (the inside use is a pre-War 1859 usage from Philadelphia to Clarksville, Ga., franked with 1857 3c dull red tied by "Philadelphia" octagon postmark), fine turned usage of a pre-War United States & Confederate States; also 1861 cover with Macon, Ga., Nov 27, double circle date stamp (Dietz type V) with matching "Paid 5" in circle handstamp, addressed to Savannah; also 1861 cover from Charleston, S.C. to Mrs. Louis Manigault (Louis Manigault was the son of a prominent wealthy rice planter from South Carolina. Manigault served as secretary to Dr. Joseph Jones, a Confederate surgeon and professor at Medical College of Georgia) in Macon, with matching "Paid 5" rate handstamp in circle, included is printed Adams Express Company, Charleston Receipt, fine lot, signed Dietz	300.00
149	✉	1862 5c light blue, De La Rue printing, vertical pair, tied by Enterprise, Miss. Feb 22 pmk on buff cover to Gold Hill, N.C., fine strike	150.00
150	✉	1862 5c light blue, De La Rue printing, horizontal pair, tied by Covington, Ga. Feb 12 pmk on cover to Richmond, Va, fine	150.00
151	✉	1862 5c, two singles, distinct shades, cancelled on opposite sides of a small cover addressed to John C. Rutherford, Esq in Loch Lomond, Goochland County, Va., with endorsement James A. Seddon, 11 July 1862 (James Alexander Seddon was an American lawyer and politician who served two terms as a Representative in the U.S. Congress, as a member of the Democratic Party. He was appointed Confederate States Secretary of War by Jefferson Davis)	150.00
152	✉	1862 5c, horizontal pair, tied by Atlanta Ga. pmk on large part of a wall-paper (bank) cover addressed to Albany, Ga.	150.00
153	✉	1862 10c blue, bright and unusual shade, cancelled by pen, with "Butler Springs Ala, Sept 16th 1863" alongside, addressed to Greenville, Ala, signed Geo Walcott	150.00
154	✉	1863 cover with Richmond, Va, blue san-serif circular postmark without date (Powell type 6f), soldier endorsed and addressed to Altavista, Va, matching straight line "Due 10" handstamp, fine and scarce Richmond postmark used for only a few weeks in May & June of 1863, only on army mail, ex Tickel	150.00
155	✉	1863 10c greenish blue, tied by Barton, Ga 27 Aug pmk on cover addressed to Richmond, Va., with oval "Evangelical Tract Society Petersburg Va" in oval, corner cachet, fine	150.00

- 156 ☒ 1863 20c green, top sheet margin example, tied by indistinct red postmark on cover (slightly reduced at left) addressed to Richmond Post Office, Va., stamp with tiny scissor cut at bottom margin only, cover cleaned, otherwise fine, cat. \$1,450.....(13) 250.00
- 157 ☒ 1864 Louisville, Ky, two covers, one Apr 1, 64, endorsed "soldier's letter" and addressed to another, with Army of the Cumberland, handstamped "Due 3", other used Feb 16, 64, addressed to a Prisoner of War at Rock Island, Illinois, with 3c U.S. franking, Dept of Prisons handstamp, fine (During the Civil War, Rock Island was home to a large Union army prison camp for captured Confederate soldiers. The island facilities were converted and built in 1863 and was not yet completed in December of that year when the first Confederate prisoners were incarcerated. The construction was makeshift and was built with little notice of prisoners arriving. The first to arrive were 468 Confederate prisoners captured in battles at Chattanooga, Tennessee, although, over 5,000 total would swell the population of Rock Island Prison in that month alone) 250.00
- 158 ☒ 1866 (29 Jan) small cover from London, franked with 1sh green, addressed to Commodore Samuel Barron, care of L.D. Crenshaw, Richmond, Va., fine cover, with "21 Cents" and arrival pmks. In 1862, Samuel Barron was sent to Great Britain to take command of the two ships (CSS North Carolina and CSS Mississippi), that were being built for the Confederacy. After the ships were seized by British authorities the following year, Barron traveled to France, remaining in Paris as "Flag Officer" commanding Confederate States Naval Forces in Europe 150.00

UNITED STATES POSSESSIONS

CANAL ZONE



- 159 ★ 1907 1c green and black, center and Canal Zone inverted, nicely centered with fresh colors, usual tropicalized original gum, light h.r. and small adhesion, v.f., with 2002 PFC, ex-Helme. Only 22 mint examples exist from the original sheet of 100, as 78 were used on mail before the error was discovered by a local philatelist named Elmer Ohlson, cat. \$3,750.....(22g) 2,000.00



- 160 ○ 1909 1c dark green and black, Center Inverted and "Canal Zone" reading down, a magnificent used example of one of the most famous of all of the Canal Zone errors, only four copies (all used), exist (the first example of this error was discovered in 1932 (23 years after issue) by George W. Wirth, who removed it from a postcard sent by a gentleman to his sister. The second example (with clipped perforations at left) was found in the 1950s. A third (badly defective) copy turned up in 1969). The example offered here, the last of the four known, was discovered in 1979 and is by far the best centered of the four. It is on bright paper, with deep rich color, with violet Cristobal cds. The perforations at right are scissor separated, typical of the handmade booklet panes, which is also a trait of the other three examples, making it likely that the error sheet was produced in this way. A faint crease, not mentioned on the accompanying 2004 Philatelic Foundation certificate, does not detract from this most attractive and very fine example of this world-class inverted center rarity; ex-Helme collection, cat. \$22,500.....(31a) 20,000.00

- 161 ★ 1909-10 5c deep blue and black, double overprint, l.h., fresh and fine with 2002 PFC, only 200 printed, cat. \$375.....(33a) 250.00



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- 162 ★★田 1912 2c vermilion & black, center inverted, block of four, n.h., usual gum toning, fine-v.f., with 1977 PFC (cat. value for hinged singles) cat. \$2,600.....(39e) 1,800.00
- 163 ★ 1912 2c orange vermilion and black, centered to top, fresh and fine example of this rare stamp, with 2001 PSE cert. cat. \$3,250.....(47) 2,000.00
- 164 ☒ **Air Post.** 1930 (Oct 21) cover from Cali, Colombia, flown via Cristobal to Germany, mixed franking with Colombian stamps (on both sides) fine, with appropriate transit pmks 300.00
- 165 ★田 **Postage Dues.** 1924 1c-10c surcharges, blocks of four, usual dried and somewhat disturbed gum, h.r., fine-v.f., cat. \$1,660.....(J12-14) 600.00

GUAM

- 166 ☒ 1900 cover franked with 1c, 2c and 5c, tied by San Luis D'Apra Feb 24, 1900 datestamp on cover to Altoona, Pa, San Francisco transit and arrival pmks, fine(1,2,5) 150.00
- 167 ☒ 1899 two covers, one franked with 1c and 2c, the other with 1c, 2c and 5c, each tied by San Luis D'Apra, Guam Dec 23, 1899 datestamps, Military Station No.1 Manila, Philippines transit and Altoona, Pa arrival pmks(1,2,5) 250.00
- 168 ☒ 1899-1902 balance of the original correspondence from Guam, total of 59 covers, of these 44 are franked with No.1,2,5, the other 15 are franked with No.2,5,8, all addressed to Mr. R.E. Cox in Altoona, Pa, with Manila or San Francisco transits, some toning and minor faults noted, mostly fine-v.f. A remarkable holding(1,2,5,8) 4,500.00
- 169 ☒ 1902 cover headed "Office of Inspector of Ordinance for U.S. Navy", franked with 2c, 5c and 10c, tied by Agana Island of Guam Jan 22 1902 cds and sent to Altoona, Pa., San Francisco transit and arrival pmks, fine (2,5,8) 250.00
- 170 (★)田 1899 \$1 black, type I, block of four, traces of original gum, minor perf. weakening and separations, bottom right stamp with small crease, otherwise fine and scarce multiple, with 1971 PFC, cat. \$1,750.....(12) 500.00



- 171 ☒ **Special Delivery.** 1900 10c Special Delivery, used in combination with 4c brown, both cancelled by straight line "Guam" in violet, also by pen on cover to San Francisco, Ca., with "Jun 27 1900" datestamp violet alongside, Manila transit and San Francisco arrival pmks on reverse, cover with filing fold resulting in a large tear (closed) at top, with wrinkles and faint stains affecting stamps, still fine and rare usage, cat. \$1,500.....(E1) 500.00



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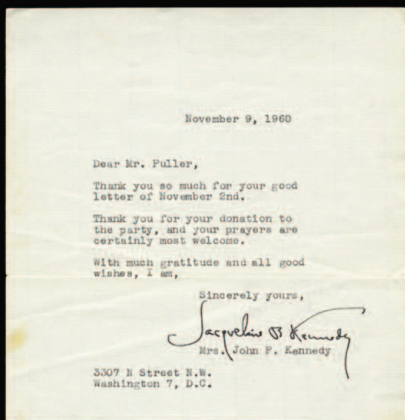
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- 172 ○ 1851 5c blue Missionary, appears unused, with margins all around, extensively repaired, with 1963 Philatelic Foundation certificate which states "that it is Genuine, Repaired & Used". We cannot find any evidence of a cancellation on this attractive example, last offered in the Siegel 1966 Rarity Sale (catalogue value \$35,000 for used, \$55,000 for unused)(2) 7,500.00
- 173 (★) 1851 13c Blue, Missionary, ample to large margins, unused, tiny part original gum, bottom right corner repaired, causing some staining, additional spot at top right covered-over on back, few other small faults, still a fine appearing stamp, considering the fragile nature of the paper of this rarity, with 1976 Philatelic Foundation certificate, cat. \$37,000 (last offered in the Siegel 1976 Rarity Sale)(3) 10,000.00
- 174 (★) 1864 1c black, margins just touching at left, unused without gum, fine, cat. \$550(19) 150.00
- 175 (★) 1864 1c black, large margins all around, unused without gum as often, thins, v.f. appearance, cat. \$550(19) 150.00
- 176 ✉ 1892 buff cover franked with single 1c green and pair of 2c red (Royal Family Issue) prepaying the 5c UPU rate to USA, unusual waffle canc. and San Francisco "Paid All" transit cds, v.f., with Boston arrival strike, rare & colorful Hawaiian cover 600.00

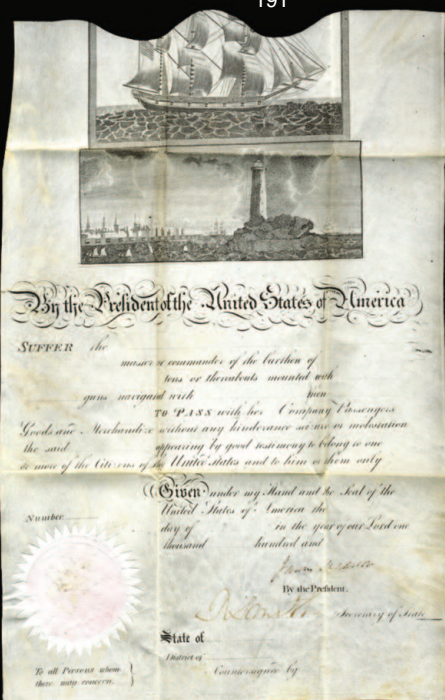


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- 177 ★ 1893 10c red brown, overprinted in red, unused with full original gum, h.r., fresh and fine, with 1982 Philatelic Foundation certificate. Two errors of the 1893 Provisional Government Overprint Issues were made. One sheet of the 6c Green, normally overprinted in red, was overprinted in black (Scott 66C), the other, in red instead of black. According to an affidavit by Louis T. Kenake, clerk of the Stamp Division of the Republic of Hawaii, the 10c sheet was issued to the postmaster at Kahuka, Oahu (Meyer-Harris, p. 240). The 6c sheet was purchased by Postmaster Jos. M. Oat and sometime around 1901 most of it was sold to dealer J. H. Makins, probably on behalf of Henry J. Crocker. The San Francisco earthquake is said to have destroyed a number of examples of both the overprint errors, cat. \$17,500.....(61B) 6,000.00
- 178 (★) 1893 6c green, overprinted in black, unused without gum, good color and fresh, with 1982 Philatelic Foundation certificate stating "genuine with a faint vertical crease at center", fine. Two errors of the 1893 Provisional Government Overprint Issues were made. One sheet of the 10c Red Brown, normally overprinted in black, was overprinted in red (Scott 61B), the other in black, instead of red. According to an affidavit by Louis T. Kenake, clerk of the Stamp Division of the Republic of Hawaii, the 10c sheet was issued to the postmaster at Kahuka, Oahu (Meyer-Harris, p. 240). The 6c sheet was purchased by Postmaster Jos. M. Oat and sometime around 1901 most of it was sold to dealer J. H. Makins, probably on behalf of Henry J. Crocker. The San Francisco earthquake is said to have destroyed a number of examples of both the overprint errors, cat. \$17,500(66C) 4,500.00



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Dear Bill:

I thought you might like to have a souvenir of the occasion on my induction as a Knight Commander of the Order of St. George With Grand Cross.

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Sincerely and fraternally,

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PHILIPPINES

179	✉	1899 (17 May) registered cover from Manila to Germany, franked with US 1c, 2c and block of 4x10c, paying 43c per "Union" via Singapore, Mil. Sta. No.1 Philippine Isls, San Francisco departure pmk, with Hamburg arrival cds on back, returned to sender, some filing folds and soling at bottom, mostly fine	150.00
180		1925-31 Certificate of Origin receipt addressed to New York, franked with imperforate block of 6x4c, strip of 3x6c, pair of 16c and two pairs of 1p (\$4.74 total), tied by Manila cds, fine	150.00
	(341,342,346,350)	
181	✉	Officials. 1921 2c green, handstamped "O.B." (shifted to left), irregular top sheet margin block of ten, used on back of a registered, legal size cover (slightly reduced at left) from Ililo to Manila, with Jan. 28, 1921 departure datestamp on front and official arrival pmk on back, fine	150.00

PUERTO RICO

182	✉	Postal Stationery. 1899-1900 1c-5c stationery entire envelopes, selection of 10 different including 4c brown (U10), plus 1c wrapper, unused, fine-v.f., cat. \$992 (web photo).....(U2/W1)	500.00
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AUTOGRAPHS OF FAMOUS PEOPLE

183		BENES, Eduard (1884-1948), Czechoslovak statesman; forced into exile by Hitler after the Nazi occupation of Sudetenland; president of the Czechoslovak government in exile, with headquarters in England (1939-45). ALS dated 29 May, 1918, in French on imprinted "Conseil National des Pays Tcheques" stationery, 4 pages, octavo, Paris. Benes writes: "Mon Colonel", regarding the Czech prisoners, including those in Russia, fine and very rare ALS, with full English translation (web photo)	750.00
184		COOLIDGE, Calvin (1872-1933), 30th U.S. President, signed photo by Harris & Ewing (9½:13 ½inches), with dedication at bottom and dated 1929, fine (web photo)	250.00
185		COOLIDGE, Calvin (1872-1933), 30th U.S. President, signed photo by Underwood & Underwood (9½:13½ inches), with dedication at bottom "to Theodore J. Krokus, with regards", fine (web photo)	250.00
186		COOLIDGE, Calvin (1872-1933), 30th U.S. President, signed appointment of a foreign service officer, dated September 24, 1927, signed by the President and Acting Secretary of State (web photo)	250.00
187		GILBERT, William and SULLIVAN, Arthur. A selection of relevant letters incl. 1872 ALS from Gilbert, 1883 4-page letter, also signed carte de visit (1880) and printed lithographed 6x9 portrait with facsimile signature from Sullivan, additional ALS by Sir Edward German (completed "Ivanhoe"), Sabine Baring-Gould ("Onward Christian Soldiers"), George Grossmith (actor), Richard D'Oyly Carte (manager), Sir Bernard ("Cox and Box"), Henry Irving (actor), a wonderful assembly (web photo)	2,500.00
188		HOOVER, Herbert (1874-1964), 31st U.S. President, signed full-face, bust pose photo (9x12inches), inscribed "To Harley C. Moore Jr, with the good wishes of Herbert Hoover", v.f. (web photo)	250.00
189		HUMPHREY, Hubert H (1911-1978), U.S. Political leader, Vice President (1965-69), two items, with typewritten letter headed "The Vice President, Washington", dated May 31, 1968 addressed to Mr. Pollock, President Textile Workers Union of America, v.f., also typewritten letter headed "The Vice President, Washington", dated April 19, 1968 addressed to Mr. Pollock, President Textile Workers Union of America, discussing the death of Martin Luther King, also accompanied by a copy of Humphrey's speech following Dr.King's assassination (web photo)	200.00
190		KENNEDY, Jacqueline, Onassis. Two items, one typewritten letter dated Nov.9, 1960 to Mr. Fuller thanking him for a donation to the party; the other the donation itself: a cashed check for \$2, endorsed by Mrs. Kennedy, v.f., scarce	1,500.00
191		LINDBERGH, CHARLES A. (1859-1924). 1918 check payable on the First National Bank of Little Falls, Minn. to his more famous son, Chas A Lindbergh, Jr (1902-1974), dated Dec.14, 1918 in the amount of \$25, stamped "Paid" and signed on back "C A Lindbergh Jr." An interesting Lindberghiana item, signed by the 16-year old Lindbergh Jr. Charles Sr. (Charles August Lindbergh Sr. was a United States Congressman from Minnesota's 6th congressional district from 1907 to 1917. He opposed both American entry into World War I and the 1913 Federal Reserve Act. He is of course known as the father of famous aviator Charles Lindbergh)	500.00
192		LISZT, Franz (1811-1886), Hungarian Romantic composer and virtuoso pianist who revolutionized keyboard technique and became a public idol, ALS (with his initials) in French "Pardon madam" (.. for being tardy with response ...), v.f.	700.00
193		LISZT, Franz (1811-1886), Hungarian Romantic composer and virtuoso pianist who revolutionized keyboard technique and became a public idol, ALS in French "Voici madam" .. , v.f.	700.00



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- 194 LOUIS XV (1710-1774), King of France, reigned 1715-1774, nicknamed "The Well-Beloved", large sheet representing part of the itinerary, dated 1751 and signed "Louis" (probably by his secretary), interesting document countersigned by various government officials (web photo) 300.00
- 195 MADISON, James (1751-1836) Fourth U.S. President, large folded Naval Commission, undated, with name left blank, beautifully engraved, signed by President James Madison and his Secretary of State Robert Smith, a fine showpiece, with embossed Government seal, rare 1,000.00
- 196 MEANY, George (1894-1980), U.S. Labor Leader, president of AFL-CIO, typewritten letter dated Feb.3, 1970 to William Pollock, President Textile Workers Union of America, v.f. (web photo) 150.00
- 197 ☒ SPACE, Russian Cosmonauts, Gagarin, Titov, Nikolayev and Popovich (Cosmonauts of Vostok 1-4), signed by three of the four including Gagarin, black and white group photo, v.f. 250.00

MARITIME MAIL IN THE AMERICAS

Chile

- 198 ☒ 1877 (20 Nov) cover from Caldera to USA, sent via Panama, with two 6d gray (pl.16), which do not belong on this cover, cancelled by "C35" duplex, with Caldera departure cds alongside, also Callao transit on back, with Panama (5 Dec), New York "Due 5 Cents" and arrival pmks, cover and stamp defects, scarce origin and unusual routing, sold as is (web photo)..... 150.00

Cuba

- 199 ☒ 1863 (18 May) outer FL from Havana to Vera Cruz, franked with 1r green, tied by oval grids, with "C.Suarez y Co." in oval, conveyed via a Spanish steamer "Mejico," arriving May 24th, fine 250.00

Haiti



- 200 ☒ 1863 (30 Nov) FL from Port Au Prince to Mazatlan, probably sent inside another cover, carried by the packet "Thames" via Jacmel to St. Thomas. From there, it was forwarded by "Hurtzig and Co" (oval handstamp on back, with docketing in manuscript) who placed it in the British mail paying "4" (pence in red crayon) for inter-Caribbean mail to Colon, via "Solent" (arriving December 17th). From there it was sent by rail to Panama, and was forwarded by C.A. Anderson to the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. Agency in Acapulco, which once again forwarded it, this time to its final destination, using the seldom seen Agency's forwarding mark in red. A rare item from Haiti to Mazatlan, Mexico, via St. Thomas, Panama and Acapulco 1,500.00

Mexico

- 201 ☒ 1813 (3 Nov) FL from Vera Cruz to Spain, via Havana (received on November 21st), forwarded on November 23rd by "Cueva Manzanar y Hermanos", placed aboard the warship "Nino" to Cadiz, via the Windward Islands, with red "Islas de Barlovento" origin handstamp, red "5R" due marking, fine. Stated to be the earliest known "Forwarded Letter" from Mexico, ex-Rosenthal 750.00
- 202 ☒ 1819 (6 Nov) FL from Bordeaux to Mexico, carried by a Spanish naval vessel "Galga" departing Cadiz November 28, routed through Cuba and therefore the "YNDIAS" marking, rated "3" reales for transit from Cuba to Mexico only, fine incoming letter from France, with June 20, 1820 response docketing 250.00
- 203 ☒ 1824 (24 Sep) FL from Mexico to London, forwarded in New York by "Le Roy Bayard & Co." (boxed handstamp) and placed on a private ship to London arriving at the port of Deal on December 24th, with "Deal Ship Letter" handstamp, charged 4 shillings due from recipient, fine 250.00
- 204 ☒ 1824 (13 Mar) FL from Veracruz to Cadiz, red "Nueva Espana" (origin hs), forwarded at New York by "J.B. Marie" 14 April, but still rated "7R" (reales) as if it had arrived directly from Mexico, fine and interesting item 500.00

- 205 ☒ 1825 (18 Mar) FL from Mexico City to London, carried to New Orleans and forwarded by H. Monro, taken on board "Le Frances" bound for Liverpool, arriving May 27th, with "Liverpool Ship Letter" handstamp, 2 shillings paid by recipient, fine example of pre-Admiralty Packet mail forwarded at New Orleans 250.00
- 206 ☒ 1825 (April) FL from Vera Cruz to Barcelona, probably originated at San Juan de Ulua (last Spanish holdout in Mexico) and carried by the Royal Spanish Navy frigate "Vengador", with "Yndias" and "7.R" due in Spain, fine example of mail carried by the Spanish Royal Navy. The Fort surrendered in November to General Miguel Barragan. 750.00



- 207 ☒ 1826 (18 May) FL from Veracruz to London; carried by a Royal Navy brig "Beaver" on June 4th to Kingston, Jamaica, where the mail was sorted and the red "Mexico" Fleuron added. From Kingston, the letter was sent to London on 24 July, arriving there on August 18th, with 3 shillings due noted, fine and extremely rare transit through Jamaica, ex-Rosenthal 1,500.00
- 208 ☒ 1826 (Aug) outer FL from Mexico City to Rixheim, France, with "Colonies Par Bordeaux" black hs, forwarded by "Lentagne, Suberville & Co" (city unknown), with September 12 arrival pmk, fine 150.00
- 209 ☒ 1833 (31 Jan) outer FL from Tampico to London, per packet "Sphinx," arriving April 5th, with handstamped "Oz at 12s/-per Oz" preceded by manuscript "1" (oz) and therefore rated 18 shillings on arrival, filing folds, otherwise fine 500.00
- 210 ☒ 1836 (Dec) FL from Mexico City to London, forwarded in Veracruz by "Manning, Marshall and Co." (oval handstamp), placed on the ship "George Washington" 4 January 1837 to New York, where it was forwarded by "C.A. and E.H. Eckscher" (manuscript February 3 date). The letter arrived in London on 2nd March, with "Liverpool Ship Letter" box and rated 3sh 2d, fine pre-stamp forwarded item. U.S. ships began handling mail in the Caribbean on a regular basis in 1848, but it was not until April 1853 that a contract was awarded by the government for the conveying of mail directly from Mexican ports. Prior to this, mail was generally placed on U.S. ships by forwarding agents. 200.00
- 211 ☒ 1837 (10 July) FL from Mexico City to Amsterdam, red "Franquedo Mexico" departure, per Packet "Skylark", red "England over Rotterdam" handstamp on back, various other markings and charges, fine 250.00
- 212 ☒ 1838 (3 Oct) FL from Veracruz to Philadelphia, carried per packet "Swift", New York, November 12 arrival pmk in red, fine cover used during the "Pastry War" (Guerra de los pasteles). In November 1838, a French pastry cook, Mr. Remontel, claimed that his shop in the Tacubaya district of Mexico City had been ruined by looters and demanded compensation. When payment was not forthcoming, King Louis-Philippe of France ordered a blockade of all Mexican ports from Yucatan to the Rio Grande, with most of the Mexican navy captured at Veracruz. With diplomatic intervention from Great Britain, French forces withdrew from Mexico on 9th March, 1839 500.00

- 213 ☒ 1841 (3 Apr) FL from Mexico to London, forwarded by "Hoffman y d'Oleire, Veracruz" by H.M. packet "Petrel" to New York, from where it was forwarded twice by "C. & F. Schumacher" and "Gilpin's Exchange Foreign Letter Office", taken by private ship "St. James" to Plymouth (with ship letter handstamp) and rated 8 pence for ship letters, finally arriving London on 29th May, fine letter with triple forwarding markings 500.00



- 214 ☒ 1844 (July) letter forwarded four times between its origin at Mazatlan and its destination, London. Two Mexican forwarders are indicated in the manuscript "Sengstack & Schutte" at Mexico City and "Braune Busing" at Veracruz who paid local postage required before the letter was given to the British Agency, indicated by the "Franco en Veracruz." Missing the packet by one day, it was carried by the "Tay" to Tampico then by unknown means (another forwarding?) to New Orleans. Forwarded by "Schmidt & Co." to Boston and forwarded from there by "Barnard Adams & Co." (oval markings from both companies) and via Cunard steamer "Acadia", finally arriving London on 15th September. A complicated and rare item, one of only three such letters known, ex-Rosenthal 1,000.00
- 215 ☒ 1846 (Mar) FL carried out of the mails from Mexico City to Veracruz, forwarded by "R. De Munoz y Munoz" (oval handstamp), entering British mail at Veracruz 1 April 1846, sent by ship to Wakefield, via Southampton, rated 2 shillings 3 pence, with arrival pmk 250.00
- 216 ☒ 1848 (13 July) FL from Veracruz to Philadelphia, with "Paid at Vera Cruz" crown circle, departure pmk on back, manuscript 2 shillings paid, carried on the "Great Western" to New Orleans (July 23 arrival pmk), rated 22 cents for double-weight ship letter, with straight line "ship" hs, little paper erosion, otherwise fine 500.00
- 217 ☒ 1851 (6 Apr) FL From Veracruz to France, with Mexican and British Agency datestamps, via London with "Colonies & c. Art. 13" Anglo-French Convention accountancy box (which was used from February 1846 to December 1855), carried by "Trent" to St. Thomas (April 16), then by "Great Western" to Southampton (May 8), arriving at Le Havre May 9th, where it was rated 15 decimes to be paid by the recipient 250.00
- 218 ☒ 1854 (5 May) FL from Veracruz to Villa Clara, Cuba, 1sh paid (red crayon), with "Paid at Vera Cruz" crown circle, departure datestamp on back, handstamped "Yndias" (twice) on arrival in Cuba, charged "4" reales to the recipient, fine 500.00
- 219 ☒ 1855 (24 Oct) FL from Fresnillo to France, with boxed departure datestamp, sent via the British Agency at Veracruz (Dec 5 cds on flap), (arriving in London 4 January 1856). The "Colonies & c. Art. 18." (referring to the relevant section of the Anglo-French Convention treating accountancy markings) was only in use during 1856 and is much scarcer than its predecessors, "12" and "13", rated 30 decimes by France, with appropriate transit and arrival pmks 250.00



- 220 ☒ 1859 (6 Mar) small cover from Veracruz, addressed ("aspirant de marine aboard de la Corvette L'Eurydice") to a sailor on board a British Admiralty ship "Eurydice", sent per packet "Medway" via Jamaica and Puerto Rico to St. Thomas (March 20), taken by the packet "Thames" to Panama, arriving March 30th, rated 2 shillings (red crayon), with "Paid at Vera-Cruz" crown circle, endorsed "Por Panama, Voie Anglaise", fine and delightful cover, ex-Rosenthal 1,000.00



- 221 ☒ 1861 (2 Dec) FL from Veracruz to Madrid, with "Paid at Vera Cruz" crown circle, paying 1sh (in crayon), sent per "Clyde" via Havana to St. Thomas (arrived December 12), then per "Shannon" to Southampton (arrived January 1, 1862) and on to Spain, where it was charged 8Rs (in blue) on arrival January 3rd, filing fold away from the markings, fine cover to Spain 1,500.00
- 222 ☒ 1864 (2 Dec) cover from Tampico to France, with "Correos Franco Tampico" departure pmk, sent via London (arriving February 17th), without the customary exchange marking and London transit (having probably been left in the mailbag), rated 8 decimes, fine 250.00
- 223 ☒ 1866 (12 May) large part of a FL (side panels missing) from Veracruz to Spain, with "Franqueado Vera Cruz", quadruple-weight paid with perforated strip of 4x80c Empire, cancelled by anchor in dots, taken by steamer "France," arriving St. Thomas May 22nd and St. Nazaire June 6th, exchanged at Irun June 7th, "16Rs." due from recipient in Santander 500.00



- 224 ☒ 1866 undated cover from El Fuerte ("Franco en el Fuerte" departure handstamp) to Massachusetts, via Mazatlan, through San Francisco, with July 4 cds, handstamped "10" cents due, also rare "Steam Mazatlan", plus additional "2" on back, minor abrasions, otherwise fine, ex-Knapp, Rosenthal 2,500.00



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- 225 ☒ 1867 outer FL from Acapulco to Madrid, sent via the Pacific Mail Steam Ship Company to Panama, forwarded by "Hourquet Poylo & Cia", who entered it into the British mails at their consular office (cds), with red London transit cds on back, rated "4R" in red on arrival in Spain, fine, ex-Rosenthal 1,000.00
- 226 ☒ 1874 (4 Mar) unfranked FL from Mexico City, via Veracruz to Barbados. This letter was carried on the "Eider" to St. Thomas, arriving March 16th, then per "Arno" (March 19th) arriving the same day at Barbados. This is the only recorded pre-UPU Mexican cover to Barbados and the latest recorded usage of the "Paid at Vera-Cruz" crown circle, with "8" (d) paid, appropriate transit and arrival pmks, fine, with appropriate transit and arrival pmks, ex-Rosenthal 1,500.00

Panama



- 227 ☒ 1849 (7 Nov) FL from Tepic to Lima, forwarded in Mazatlan by Pedro Faure, sent by steamer "California" to Panama, November 22nd, forwarded by unknown agent, 1 shilling "Paid in Panama" (crown circle in red) then by the Pacific Mail Steamship Co. steamer "New Grenada" departing November 27th and arriving at Callao on 9th December. The penciled "2" is the 2r charge in Peru (1r for ship letter and another 1r for internal postage), fine. A rare cover to Peru, used during the gold rush 1,500.00

Puerto Rico

- 228 ☒ 1866 (19 Nov) from Ponce to New York, with blue forwarding agent's cachet "Forwarded by J. Arena & Co.", endorsed "Mariposa," with company departure datestamp, also oval "S. Michelena New York" struck on arrival 250.00
- 229 ☒ 1869 (11 Dec) FL from St. John's (San Juan), via "U.S. Packet" to St. Thomas and New York, franked with pair of 4d (pl.11), with faint departure and transit pmks, "Steamship 20" on arrival, fine(1) 300.00

Uruguay

- 230 ☒ 1867 (15 Dec) FL to Bordeaux, franked with France 80c Empire, cancelled by Anchor in diamond of dots, with departure cds alongside, carried to Rio de Janeiro by the "Aunis," then by the "Estramadure" to Bordeaux, with framed "P.D," Bresil/Bordeaux receiving pmk, some toning, otherwise fine 200.00



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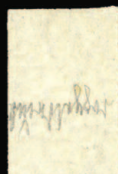
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WORLDWIDE STAMPS AND POSTAL HISTORY

ALBANIA

- 231 ☒ 1913 1pi ultramarine, black overprint inverted, cancelled by blue Vione cds on cover addressed to Austria, fine, signed Diena, with 2000 APS cert.(7var) 500.00



- 232 ○ 1913 10pi dull red, usual centering, used on piece, fine, with 1992 Raybaudi certificate, cat. \$4,750(11) 1,000.00
- 233 ★ 1913 10pa blue green, with additional red overprint, h.r., v.f., signed Rommerskirchen, Diena etc., with 2003 Bernard Behr certificate, cat. \$900(13A) 250.00
- 234 ★ 1913 10pa on 20pa carmine rose, violet instead of black handstamp, h.r., corner perf. crease, fine and very rare stamp, signed Prindushi, Herbert Bloch, with 1984 Friedl Expert Committee certificate (catalogue value for the black handstamp) (Mi.16var, cat. Euro 2,720) cat. \$1,250(19) 500.00
- 235 ★田 1914 20pa on 10q, sheet of 50 (perf. separations, partly rejoined), surcharge inverted, couple of minor flaws, many stamps n.h., fine-v.f. (web photo)(40a) 500.00
- 236 ★田 1914 5pa on 2q, sheet of 50 (perf. separations, partly rejoined), surcharge shifted diagonally resulting in 19 stamps without surcharge, creating interesting varieties incl. at least 10 pairs, each with one stamp missing surcharge, also varieties with part surcharge, some shifted to sheet margin etc., great item for a specialist (web photo)(47var) 500.00
- 237 ☒ 1919 handstamped in violet, complete set of six, used on locally addressed registered cover, Scutari 3.4.19 pmks, 1fr with inverted "r" of "Frank", filing fold away from the stamps, v.f. (Mi.47-52)(98-104) 250.00
- 238 ★★田 1927 overprints, 11 diff. including 10q perf. 11½, in quantities of 50-1,570 of each, large multiples, n.h., mostly fine-v.f. (Mi.151A/61A) cat. €21,947 (web photo)(197/207) 1,500.00
- 239 ★ **Air Post.** 1929 overprints, complete set of seven, l.h., fine-v.f., signed Mikulski, Diena etc., cat. \$818(C22-28) 250.00
- 240 ★★田 **Postage Dues.** 1926 20q green, double impression, one inverted, sheet margin block of four, n.h., gum offsets and creases, otherwise fine, with 2002 Alex Rendon cert.(J32var) 250.00

Albanian Locals

- 241 ☒ **Korca.** 1914 handstamped directly on envelope, two strikes of 10pa (red) on violet double eagle, cancelled "Korce 19.3.1914" (First Day of Issue), filing fold away from the markings, fine and rare cover, signed Diena(Mi.U2) 500.00
- 242 ☒ 1914 handstamped directly on envelope, two 25pa (red) on violet double eagle, cancelled "Korce 15.4.1914", addressed to Elbasan, with arrival pmk, filing fold away from the markings, fine, signed Prendushi etc., with arrival pmk(Mi.U3) 750.00

Shkodra

- 243 ○ 1915 Skanderbeg Issue, four-line handstamp in red, two diff., also black overprint on 5pa on 2q, all inverted, the former cancelled on pieces, fine-v.f., signed Prendushi, Diena(Mi.1b,2,3var) 500.00

ALLENSTEIN

- 244 ★○ 1920 issues complete, duplicated used and unused, mostly three of each, with cancels and shades, fine-v.f. (web photo)(1-28) 150.00
- 245 ★/★★ 1920 3m black violet, double overprint, sheet margin single, also unissued 40pf carmine, sheet margin single, plus 15pf carmine brown, the former l.h., signed Landre, the latter two n.h., fine-v.f., signed Mikulski, cat. €810(Mi.4b,l,14DD) 300.00

ARGENTINA



- 246 (★) 1864 10c green, unused without gum, large margins all around, beautiful color, v.f., signed Herbert Bloch etc., with Bernard Behr certificate (YT 9) cat. €3,750(9) 1,500.00
- 247 ✉ 1874 cover from Buenos Aires to Marseille, franked with 2x5c Rivadavia, tied by faint Buenos Aires cds, with French Packet Buenos Aires (Mar.10) pmk alongside, sent via the French P.O. where 2x10c and 80c Ceres was added, tied by anchor canc., endorsed "Par Gironde", "Henry Sani" merchant's cachet, Bordeaux entry pmk (Apr.7) on reverse, fine mixed franking, with 2001 Brun cert. 500.00
- 248 P 1891 20p plum, large die proof on card, v.f.(88P) 200.00



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- 249 ★ 1899 Liberty, 5p orange & black, center inverted, incredibly fresh and l.h., well centered, v.f., with 1999 PFC. Only 50 printed (YT 128a) cat. €4,000(140a) 1,500.00
- 250 ★ 1910 Centenary of the Republic, 5p orange & violet, center inverted, top sheet margin imprint single, well centered, dried tropicalized (but not toned) gum, lightly hinged, v.f., with 2002 PFC. Only 100 printed, cat. \$750.....(173a) 500.00
- 251 ✉ **Air Post.** 1930 Argentina-Brazil flight to New York, franked with 3x1p Zeppelin with additional 5c (one folded over), tied by Buenos Aires cds, with usual cachets, fine-v.f.(C28) 200.00




- 252 ✉ **Flight Covers.** 1928 Scadta, 30c Colombia handstamped "A-U" (Argentina & Uruguay), used with 4c government franking on cover via Barranquilla to Bogota, with arrival pmk, fine, scarce 1,000.00
- 253 P田 **Revenue Stamps.** 1920 (ca), 5c+10c and 5p+10p se-tenants, uncut imperf. pane of 20, folded between stamps, unused without gum, some paper separations and tears, stamps v.f. (web photo). 500.00

LOCALS - TIERRA DEL FUEGO


- 254  1914 Round the World card, with stamps of Argentina, cancelled "Ushuaia (Tierra del Fuego)", also Chile, Japan, Papeete (Tahiti), Honolulu (Hawaii), Yokohama and Tokyo (Japan), with appropriate stamps and postmarks, fine and unusual 250.00

AUSTRIA



- 255  1850 cover franked with 3kr and 6kr Arms, tied by "Wien 1 July" datestamps and sent to Verona, where it was additionally franked with 30 Centesimi brown and sent to Venice, both Verona and Venezia pmks on back, stamps with margins all around or just touching (6kr), fine and interesting "forwarded" mixed franking combination Austria/Lombardy-Venetia cover, with Matl, Sorani and Colla certificates(3-4) 5,000.00



- 256  1865 large cover (opened for display) from Wiener Neustadt, Austria, 13 May to Mexico, franked with 3kr green (2), 10kr blue (2) and 15kr brown (7) for a total of 131kr, addressed to a lieutenant in the Hussar regiment of Austrian Volunteers at Puebla, Mexico. The letter was intended to be sent via Paris and St. Nazaire, but the French ship had departed (red boxed "apres le depart" hs), so it was sent instead by British ship "Seine" departing Southampton May 17th and arriving at St. Thomas May 31st, then by "Conway" departing June 17th, with a stop at Puerto Rico, arriving at Veracruz June 27th. The ½r concessionary rate (applied by a black handstamp) was charged - the only recorded instance of this on inbound mail. A remarkable cover, of importance to both Mexican and Austrian philately 7,500.00



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- 257 ★★ 1919 4k carmine and black, center inverted, n.h., fine and rare, pencil signed, cat. \$2,500.....(222a) 2,500.00
- 258 ○ 1936 10sh Dollfuss, cancelled on piece, v.f., cat. \$725(380) 300.00



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- 259 ★田 **Semi-Postals.** 1933 WIPA souvenir sheet of four, h.r. in margin, stamps n.h., v.f., cat. \$2,500(B111) 1,200.00
- 260 ★田 1933 WIPA souvenir sheet, h.r. at top with slight toning from adhesive used for presentation booklets, stamps n.h., v.f., cat. \$2,500.....(B111) 1,200.00
- 261 ★★田 1946 Renner, complete set of souvenir sheets of four, n.h. and post office fresh, v.f., one signed Buhler etc. (Mi.772-75) cat. €2,300(B185-88) 800.00
- 262 ☒ **Postal Stationery.** 1913 5h green, private stationery card, with German 5pf Germania, indicia inverted at lower left, sent from Reichenau to Germany, with Schneekoppe (4 Aug) cds below, fine and unusual "mixed franking" combination card 250.00

AZERBAIJAN

- 263 ☒ 1923 (16 July) money transfer card franked with 6x50k Trans-Caucasian Federated Republics (star handstamp), one stamp folded over, tied by Agdash Elisav. cds, addressed to Baku, with arrival postmark, also framed "Oplacheno" (paid) and related Trans-Caucasian postal markings, fine 250.00
- 264 ☒ 1923 (7 June) money order (for 200,000r) franked with 4x50k Trans-Caucasian Federated Republics (star handstamp), tied by Prishib, Baku gov. cds, addressed to Lenkaran, with arrival postmark, fine 250.00
- 265 ☒ 1923 (24 May) money order (for 54,650,000r) franked with 50k and 5x1r imperf. Trans-Caucasian Federated Republics (star handstamps), tied by Prishib, Baku gov. cds, addressed to Lenkaran, some creases at right, otherwise fine, with arrival postmark 250.00

BELGIAN CONGO

- 266 ★ 1909 10fr black and green, overprinted Congo-Belge, perforated 14½, also three handstamped varieties including one inverted and another with double handstamp, h.r., fine-v.f., scarce(40a,40b,var) 500.00

BELGIUM

- 267 (★) 1851 20c blue, unused without gum, margins virtually all around, good color, fine (catalogued without gum) cat. \$475.....(7) 150.00
- 268 ★ 1875 5fr deep red brown, unused with original gum, h.r., fresh and fine stamp, signed Bloch etc., with 1982 Friedl Expert Committee certificate, cat. \$1,700(39) 500.00
- 269 ★/★★ **Semi-Postals.** 1929 Orval Abbey, "L" and Crown Overprint, complete set, top value l.h., others n.h., fine-v.f., signed Stolow (COB 272A-K) cat. \$650(B69-77var) 350.00
- 270 ★ 1929 Orval Abbey, "L" and Crown Overprint, complete set, l.h., fine-v.f., cat. \$650(B69-77var) 250.00



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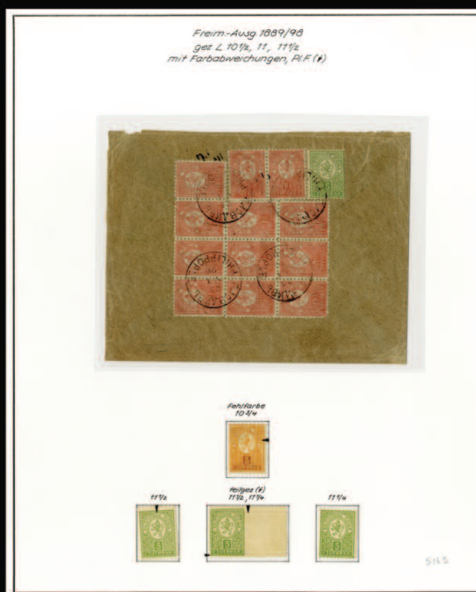
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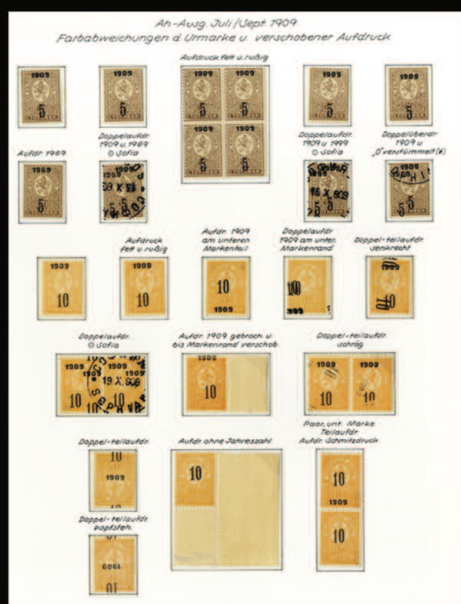
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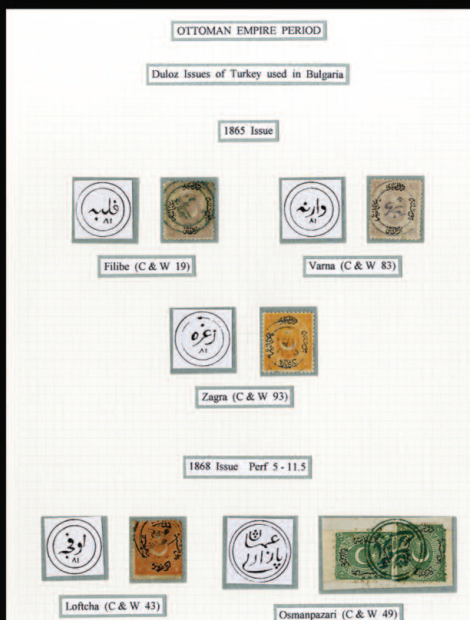
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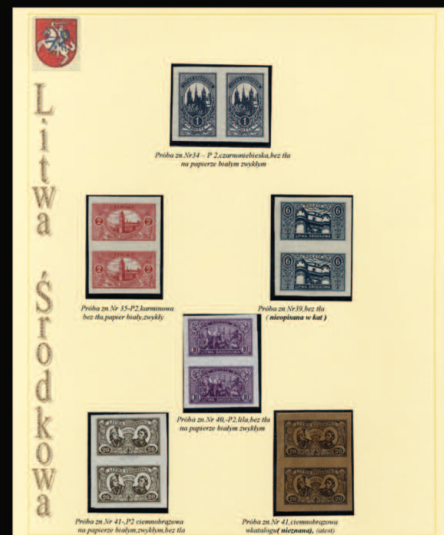
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271 ★	1929 Orval Abbey, "L" and Crown Overprint, complete set, h.r., 5f with faint thin, otherwise fine-v.f., cat. \$650.....(B69-77var)	200.00
272 ★	1929 Orval Abbey, "L" and Crown Overprint, complete set, h.r., two low values with minute toned spots, otherwise fine-v.f., few signed Stolow (COB 272A-K) cat. \$650.....(B69-77var)	250.00
273 ★	1933 "Braine-L'Alleud" overprints, complete set, l.h., fine-v.f., unlisted in Scott's (COB 374A-K) cat. €2,125.....(B114-122var)	500.00
274 (★)★	1933 "Braine-L'Alleud" overprints, complete set, top value l.h. (creased), others unused without gum, fine-v.f., cat. €2,125.....(COB 374A-K)	500.00
275 ★	Parcel Post. 1915 20c olive green, without engraver's name, l.h., v.f., signed Bloch, cat. \$260 (Q53)	150.00
276 ★	1915 2fr violet, nice color, small h.r., fine, signed Bloch, cat. \$1,900.....(Q59)	500.00

BOLIVIA

277 ★	1868 Nine Stars, 500r black, h.r., fresh and fine, cat. \$1,000.....(14)	400.00
278 ☒	1898 (Oct) registered cover from Cochabamba to Boston, franked with rouletted 1c and horizontal pair of 10c, tied by grids, with La Paz transit, sent via Lima (registration handstamp), with New York and Boston arrival markings.....	150.00
279 ☒	1898 (27 July) cover (opened for display) from La Paz to Concepcion (Chile), franked on both sides with nine copies of 1c rose, cancelled by grids and Valparaiso transit.....	150.00



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280 ○	1911 "20 Cents/1911" Villa Bella provisional surcharge on 2c green and black, appears unused, fine, signed Herbert Bloch, rare, cat. \$2,500.....(97)	1,000.00
281 ○	1917 "Correos /10 Cts./1917" on 1c blue, Cobija provisional surcharge in carmine, type I, used, well centered, fresh with strong bright colors of both the stamp and surcharge, portion of the black violet Cobija cds and a similar strike on the reverse as a control, v.f., signed Roig, cat. \$1,750.....(102)	750.00



282 ★★	Air Post. 1924 10c vermillion & black, center inverted, lower right sheet corner single, hinged in margin only, stamp n.h., v.f., signed Sanabria, with certificate. Only 50 examples of this inverted center were printed (YT 124a, catalogue value for hinged) cat. €4,500.....(C1a)	2,500.00
283 ★	1930 1b red brown and black, gold surcharge inverted, h.r., fine, signed Brun etc., only 25 printed (San.37a).....(C23var)	500.00

BOSNIA & HERZEGOVINA



- 284 1897 (5 Nov) 5k stationery entire, additionally franked with typographed 2k, 3k and 10k, last two perf. 11½, registered from Sarajevo to Denmark, small cover tears away from the stamps, fine and very rare usage, with Hofsens 9.11.97 arrival pmk 2,000.00
- 285 ★★ **Semi-Postals.** 1915 7h on 5h green perf. 9½, block of four, n.h., v.f. (catalogue value for singles) cat. \$1,400.....(B3a) 500.00

BRAZIL

- 286 ○ 1843 30r black, red postmark (dating back from the pre-philatelic period), margins all around, v.f., with Sismondo cert., cat. \$550.....(1) 300.00



- 287 ★ 1844 "Inclinados" 90r black, type II, unused small part original gum, strong color, margins all around, clear doubling of the lower part of the closed loop of the figure "9", fine stamp, with 2004 Brian Moorhouse certificate, cat. \$950.....(10) 1,000.00
- 288 (★) 1898 surcharged "700r" in green on 700r yellow, unused without gum, v.f., signed Diena, with 1988 Alex Rendon certificate, cat. \$850(126a) 250.00
- 289 1906-16 unexploded "4\$900" booklet, with four panes of 6x200r blue, all adhering to glassine interleaves, toned, otherwise fine intact booklet (web photo)(178a) 250.00
- 290 ★ **Air Post.** 1927 500r on 10r, also 500r on 50r double surcharge, h.r., fine-v.f., each with Brian Moorhouse cert., rare, cat. \$675.....(C6A,7a) 300.00

BULGARIA



- 291 ★★ 1882 3s orange and yellow, background inverted, the unique block of four, never hinged, re-joined (in places) vertically and horizontally, each stamp with a handstamped guarantee mark, also pencil signed at lower left, with 1960 R.V. Karaivanoff and 2002 Alex Rendon certificates. A showpiece of Bulgarian and International philately (YT 14a, catalogue value for hinged singles) cat. €30,000(12a) 15,000.00



- 292 ○ 1882 3s orange and yellow, background inverted, used, beautiful color and perfect centering, v.f. example of this splendid rarity, only nine examples recorded, signed Holcombe, with 2002 PFC (YT 14a, €3,500) cat. \$4,000.....(12a) 3,000.00
- 293 ★田 1889-1891 Lion issue, perf. 13¼ x 13½, collection on five pages, with 1s (7), 2s (3), 3s (4), 5s (6, including a block of four), 5s color trial in gray, 10s (4), 25s (3), 30s (8 including block of four), 50s (9), 1L (8, including a block of four); also eight different imperforate horizontal pairs, imperf. block of four on thin paper of 10s, plus 50s gray, trial color imperf. block of four (Karaivanoff cert.), varieties noted with 5s error of color (gray instead of green) etc., mostly fine-v.f., scarce group(28-37,39var) 1,000.00
- 294 ★田☒ 1889-1891 Lion issue, perf. 12½ (printed in Sofia), collection on seven pages, with 1s (10, including a block of four and different papers), 2s (8, including a block of four), 3s (6), 5s (14, including control and date block of four), 10s (7), 15s (15, including a block of four), 25s (9, including a block of four), also the scarcer perf. 10½, 11, 11½ (including 5s error of color in orange, Mi.32F), also shades, varieties and plate flaws, four covers etc., fine and scarce lot(28-37var) 500.00
- 295 ★田☒ 1901 Tsar Ferdinand Issue, collection on 19 exhibition pages, also on cards, with 32+ trial color proofs, some multiple values and spectacular shifts of center (all with Karaivanoff certificates), issued stamps in large panes and blocks from various printings and different types, including large cross gutter panes, many with marginal inscriptions, numerous plate flaws, errors (double impression) and varieties including double and shifted perforations, plate flaws etc. There are also 10 covers including TPOs, cards and stationery items. A splendid collection(57-69) 1,000.00
- 296 P 1901 5s brown and black, imperf. trial color proof, double impression of center, shifted to bottom left, numeral "5" omitted from corners and struck twice in center, v.f., with Karaivanoff cert.(60P) 250.00
- 297 P 1901 10s orange and blue, imperf. trial color proof, center shifted and printed twice (once in margin), also "100" instead of "10" at top, v.f., with Karaivanoff cert.(61P) 250.00
- 298 P 1901 50s orange and blue, imperf. trial color proof, center shifted and printed twice (once in margin), also "500" instead of "10" at top, v.f., with Karaivanoff cert.(65P) 250.00
- 299 ★田☒ 1909 (July-Sept) overprint, specialized collection written up exhibition style on 16 pages, also stock cards, all different varieties including multiples of 1s lilac showing "1900" and "1999" errors, 5s pair, one stamp without overprint; two singles, plus a block of 10 with inverted overprints, pairs with "1990" and "1999" errors, also "1990" variety overprinted in green, pair and block of eight with red (proof) overprint (with Karaivanoff certificates), also a used pair; "1909" inverted, "10s" on 50s double overprint, block with error "1990" in red, also variety in black, "909" single, block with missing overprint on two stamps, also three covers, one with "1990," generally fine-v.f., fascinating lot, accompanied by 18 Karaivanoff certificates(77-81,77a-81b) 2,500.00



- 300 ★田 1925 15s black and buff (error of color), the unique block of four, re-joined vertically and horizontally, each stamp with a handstamped guarantee mark, with 2002 Alex Rendon certificate. A showpiece of Bulgarian philately (Mi.187a) cat. €12,000(193a) 3,000.00



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- 301 ★★田 1945 Liberty Loan souvenir sheets, 100 sets, n.h., fine-v.f. (YT Block 2-3) cat. €1,750 (web photo)..
.....(489-90) 250.00



- 302 田 **Air Post.** 1962 Russian Cosmonauts, Nikolayev and Popovich, 1s and 2s, each missing black variety, blocks of four, cancelled to order, fine-v.f. and rare Space Thematic. Only 100 of each printed, with 1963 Diena certificates(C94-5var) 1,000.00

Bulgaria under the Ottoman Occupation

- 303 ○✉ 1866-75 Duloz issues used in Bulgaria, two exhibition pages with 12 good strikes written up according to Coles and Walker, with Chirpan, Roustchouk, Tornova, Nova Zagora, Filibe, Osmanpazari, Loftcha, Shumna, Varna and Zagra, also a cover from Shumna, franked with two different adhesives, with transit and arrival pmks on back 750.00

CENTRAL LITHUANIA

- 304 ★ 1920 surcharges, complete set of 10, mostly l.h., usual centering, fine-v.f., signed Herbert Bloch, with 1983 Friedl Expert Committee certificate, cat. \$3,227(13-22) 750.00
- 305 P 1920-22 imperforate trial color and plate proofs, singles and pairs, occasional blocks of four, all issues well represented, total of 385 pieces, written-up (in Polish) on pages, with regularly issued stamps mounted alongside, most signed Miszczak, Schmutz and others, with several Z. Wiatrowski certificates, generally v.f. A substantial collection of proofs (not to be confused with the commonly available printers waste), only 30-200 of each printed(1/6,23/58,J1-6P) 5,000.00
- 306 ✉ 1922 correspondence of seven registered covers from Wilno to Verona, Italy, franked with a total of 89 stamps, many diff. incl. postage dues and semi-postals, perf. and imperf., with transit and arrival pmks; also five additional covers or cards to USA 2,000.00

CHILE

- 307 ○✉ 1854-65 Issues, selection of 22 stamps with 5c (10), 10c (8), 20c (2) and 1c (2), including five pairs, plus 10c diagonal bisect with entire stamp used on FL to Valparaiso, variety of colors, mostly with full margins, fine-v.f.(3/14) 1,200.00
- 308 ★★田 1953 Stamp Centenary souvenir sheet of two, unused without gum as issued, minute toning at lower left, fresh and v.f., rare (Mi.473-74) cat. €750(276,C168) 250.00
- 309 ★★ **Postage Dues.** 1924 2c-5p numerals (including two of last), left margin block of 12, centers inverted, n.h., fine-v.f., with 2008 APS cert. A scarce multiple, only a handful intact se-tenant blocks exist(J48-58var) 500.00
- 310 ★田 **Revenue Stamps.** 1907 Consular Stamps, 10p green and black, center inverted, block of four, l.h., top right stamp with a pulled perforation, top left stamp with a natural inclusion, otherwise v.f., rare, with 2009 PFC 500.00

CHINA



- 311 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, black postmarks, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425(1-3) 1,000.00



- 312 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, each with a blue chop, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425.....(1-3) 1,000.00



- 313 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, different postmarks (3c and 5c with blue chops), usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425(1-3) 1,000.00
- 314 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, each with a blue chop, usual perforations, well centered, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425(1-3) 1,000.00
- 315 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, different postmarks, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425(1-3) 1,000.00
- 316 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, last two, each with a blue chop, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425.....(1-3) 1,000.00



- 317 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, different postmarks, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425(1-3) 1,000.00



- 318 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, last with a blue chop, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425.....(1-3) 1,000.00
- 319 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, different postmarks, last with part manuscript, usual perforations, fine, cat. \$1,425.....(1-3) 1,000.00
- 320 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, different postmarks, last one with blue chop, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425(1-3) 1,000.00
- 321 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, different postmarks, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425(1-3) 1,000.00

- 322 ○ 1878 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c orange, set of three used, different postmarks (1c red chop), usual perforations, 3c thin, others fine-v.f., cat. \$1,425(1-3) 1,000.00



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- 323 ○ 1878 3c brown red, neatly cancelled "Customs Chinkiang April 9 80," well centered, beautiful color, v.f.(2) 1,000.00
- 324 ○ 1878 3c brown red, neatly cancelled "Customs Chefoo Sep 23 80," perfectly centered, v.f.(2) 1,000.00
- 325 ○ 1878 3c brown red, oval Chefoo strike, fine(2) 300.00
- 326 ○ 1878 3c brown red, five copies, each with a different postmark, slight shade variations, fine-v.f., cat. \$2,250(2) 1,500.00
- 327 ★ 1878 5c orange, unused with original gum, h.r., fresh and v.f., cat. \$900(3) 700.00
- 328 ○ 1878 5c orange, five used examples, different postmarks, paper and shade variations, fine-v.f., cat. \$2,250(3) 1,500.00
- 329 ○ 1878 5c orange, four used examples, different postmarks and shade variations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,800(3) 1,200.00



- 330 ○ 1883 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c yellow, set of three used, different postmarks (last one blue), usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,700(7-9) 1,000.00



- 331 ○ 1883 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c yellow, set of three used, each with a blue postmark, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,700(7-9) 1,000.00



- 332 ○ 1883 1c green, 3c brown red, 5c yellow, set of three used, different postmarks, usual perforations, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,700(7-9) 1,000.00



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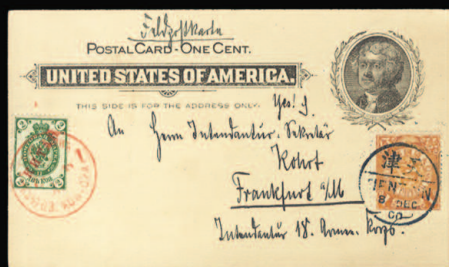
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- 337 ☒ 1894 (30 Nov) cover franked on reverse with horizontal strip of 3x3c purple (Small Dragon), tied by chops and blue Customs (Chunking) cds, with corresponding Customs Shanghai (Dec 4) pmk alongside, sent via the French Post Office in Shanghai to Germany, French 25c type Sage added on front to pay external postage, faint toning, fine usage, with Gudenahagen arrival (8 Jan) on back 3,500.00



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- 338 ★ 1894 Dowager, 1c-24c complete, unused with original gum, h.r., fresh, fine-v.f., cat. \$2,975..(16-24) 2,000.00
- 339 ★ 1894 Dowager, 1c-24c complete, unused with original gum, h.r., fresh, fine-v.f., cat. \$2,975..(16-24) 2,000.00
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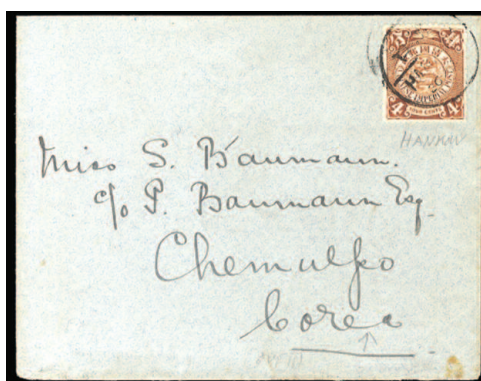
- 341 ★ 1894 Dowager, 1c-24c complete, unused with original gum, h.r., fresh, fine-v.f., cat. \$2,975..(16-24) 2,000.00
- 342 ★ 1897 Dowager surcharges, ½c-30c complete, unused with original gum, h.r., fresh, fine-v.f., cat. \$1,902(28-37) 1,500.00



- 343 ★ 1897 \$1 on 3r red, nearly perfect centering, fresh original white gum, h.r., v.f., seldom encountered this nice, cat. \$9,000.....(84) 5,000.00



- 344 ☒ 1898 (Nov) Shanghai local 1c stationery entire envelope (tear at upper right, opened for display), cancelled Local Post Shanghai in red, franked with additional 1 candarin (cancelled by pen cross), sent via the United States Postal Agency Shanghai, where 1c, 2c and 15c (rounded perf. at upper right) U.S. franking was added to pay the required charges via San Francisco (24 Nov) and New York (30 Nov), endorsed "registered" and with corresponding label and handstamp alongside, sent to Teplitz (Bohemia), with arrival (11 Dec) pmk on back, usual cover wear, fine and extraordinary combination 4,000.00
- 345 ☒ 1900 (8 Dec) 1c Coiling Dragon, cancelled by Tientsin postmark on US stationery card, sent via the Russian Post Office, where 2c "Kitai" was added and tied by red postmark; also another card, this one franked with ½c brown, tied by blue Tientsin pmk, sent via the Japanese Post Office where 2x1c brown were cancelled by the I.J.P.O. cancels, each card endorsed "Feldpost" and addressed to Germany, fine 150.00



- 346 ☒ 1904 (28 Sep) cover, with four-page letter headed "H.M.S. Fearless" (interesting contents regarding Russo-Japanese War and other disturbances in the area), posted from Hankow, via Shanghai to Chemulpo, Korea, franked with 4c C.I.P. tied by Hankow cds, bearing transit pmks of the I.J.P.O. Shanghai, arriving Chemulpo (17 Oct), fine 250.00



- 347 ★ 1915 Hall of Classics, \$2 blue and black, First Peking Printing, perf. 14, center inverted, a striking example of this rarity which is particularly well centered and with strong colors on fresh paper, with guide line at top, disturbed gum, h.r., slightly shorter perf. at left, very fine gem with great eye appeal and one of the great rarities of Chinese Philately, with 2009 Pascal Scheller certificate. It is believed that only about 30 examples of this error are known today (China Stamp Society Specialized 2012 catalogue No.277a, catalogue value \$275,000), cat. \$172,500.....(237a) 100,000.00

- 348 P 1940 \$1 Sun Yat-sen, plate proof of frame design on ungummed watermarked paper, top margin pair with part imprint, v.f. 150.00



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- 349 P 1945 Treaty, engraver's sample die proofs on cards, plus additional master die in black (value tablets blank), each with plate number at top, v.f., possibly unique group of seven die proofs(593-98P) 5,000.00
- 350 P 1945 Pres. Lin Sen, engraver's sample die proofs on cards, plus additional two master dies in black and green (vignette only and frame only), each with plate number at top, v.f., possibly unique group of eight die proofs(599-604P) 6,000.00
- 351 P 1945 Inauguration of Chiang Kai-shek, engraver's sample die proofs on cards, generally in black, two with flag in color, plus an additional master die in black (value tablets blank), each with plate number at top or bottom, fine-v.f., unique group of seven die proofs(605-610P) 5,000.00



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- 352 P 1947 Chinese Postal Administration, three master dies in black or green, engraver's sample die proofs on cards, each with plate number at top, v.f., unique 2,500.00
- 353 P 1947 Chinese Postal Administration, \$20 black, \$50 ultramarine, unissued values, engraver's sample die proofs on cards, each with plate number at top, v.f., unique 2,500.00



- 354 P 1947 Chinese Postal Administration, complete set of five engraver's sample die proofs on cards, each with plate number at top, v.f., possibly unique(776-780P) 4,000.00

355	(★)田	1949 unissued Silver Yuan 10c on \$1,000 Lithographed "Transportation", left sheet margin block of four, unused without gum as issued, v.f.(Chan S11d)	200.00
356	(★)	1950 Surcharges, complete set, without gum as issued (n.h.), some faint toning, still fine-v.f.(1205-1236)	250.00

CHUNKING

357	○	1895 2can orange, horizontal strip of six, each stamp with 2 Oct. 95 datestamp, fine (web photo) ... (SG M2)	150.00
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HANKOW

358	(★)	1895 5c yellow green, type I, vertical strip of four, unused without gum as issued, some creases, otherwise fine (web photo).....	350.00
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CHINA - PRC

359	★	1960 Goldfish, complete set, h.r. or lightly disturbed gum, some light toning, fine-v.f. (web photo)... (506-517)	400.00
360	★★	1960 Goldfish, complete set, n.h. with slight gum disturbances (one without gum), some gum staining, otherwise fine (web photo).....(506-517)	400.00
361	★★	1960-61 Chrysanthemums, complete set, n.h. but with some gum disturbances and toning, otherwise fine (web photo).....(542-559)	650.00
362	★	1962 Mei Lan-fang, complete set, few with sheet margin at top, hinged, overall gum toning, otherwise fine-v.f. (web photo)(620-627)	850.00
363	★★田	1993 Mao, 20f imperforate upper right sheet corner margin and part imprint block of six, n.h., v.f. (web photo)(2478var)	500.00
364	★★田	1997 Macao Landmarks, 100f & 150f, imperf. bottom left corner blocks of four, n.h., v.f. (web photo)(2813-14var)	750.00
365	★★田	1998 Chou En-Lai, 150f, imperforate top sheet corner margin and imprint block of eight, n.h., v.f. (web photo)(2849var)	750.00
366	★★田	1998 Mountain Peaks, 50f, imperforate top sheet corner margin and imprint block of four, n.h., v.f. (web photo)(2870var)	500.00
367	★★田	1999 International Year of the Elderly, 80f imperforate top sheet margin block of six, n.h., v.f. (web photo)(2972var)	500.00
368	✉	Postal Stationery . 1997 40c Exposition for Economic Achievements of World, postal card printed on both sides, one with blue indicia on right and guide marks at top with yellow, light brown and blue normal and dark brown and blue rotated at 90 degrees clockwise, v.f. and spectacular variety (web photo)	250.00

North China

369	(★)田	1938 1c Nationalist Sun on Newsprint Paper, imperf. bottom margin block of six, unused without gum as issued, minor flaws, otherwise fine, cat. \$2,400 (web photo).....(Yang NC3)	750.00
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