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U.S. Stamps

Postmasters' Provisionals

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| 1 | ○ | New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ black on bluish , position 46, "ACM connected", very rare red Boston grid, good margins all around, very fine (9X1). | \$850 |
| 2 | ○ | New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ black on bluish , Bottom Corner Pair, positions 39 and 40, "ACM" connected, blue pen cancels, good to large margins all around, extremely fine (9X1). | \$2,000 |
| 3 | ○ | New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ black on bluish , Bottom Sheet Margin Pair, positions 37 and 38, "ACM" connected, NY red Paid cancels, well clear to large margins all around, ever so faint thin (right copy), still very fine and rare pair (9X1). | \$1,700 |
| 4 | ○ | New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ black on bluish , Pair, positions 7 and 8, "ACM" connected, NY red grid cancels, good margins all around, a few minor faults, very fine appearance (9X1). | \$1,700 |



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| 5 | ★ | New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ black on bluish , Pair, positions 13 and 14, "ACM" connected, unused, good to large margins all around, a few small faults, very fine appearance, <i>very rare</i> . Foundation Cert. (2012). (9X1a). | \$5,250 |
| 6 | ○ | New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ black on bluish , Pair, positions 28 and 29, "AC" connected, good margins all around, ever so faint ironed out crease or bend, almost very fine (9X1a). | \$2,000 |
| 7 | ○ | New York, N.Y., 1845, 5¢ black on bluish , without signature, Pair, positions 22 and 23, blue pen cancels, good margins on three sides to in at spots at bottom, light crease, <i>rare multiple</i> (9X1e). | \$2,600 |

1847 Issue

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| 8 | ○ | 1847, 5¢ red brown , brilliant red cancel, good to large margins all around, deep crisp color, extremely fine. Foundation Cert (2010). (1). | \$400 |
| 9 | ○ | 1847, 5¢ red brown , light red grid cancel, good margins all around, very fine. Foundation Cert. (1991). (1). | \$400 |
| 10 | ○ | 1847, 5¢ dark brown , cancelled by neat pen strokes which are appropriate for this early printing, incredible deep color and impression, enormous margins all around, showing a portion of adjacent stamp at left, superb (1a). | ECV \$250 - 300 |
| 11 | ○ | 1847, 5¢ orange brown , deep blue Philadelphia 5c c.d.s. Foundation Cert (1986). (1b). | \$935 |
| 12 | ○ | 1847, 5¢ orange brown , striking blue grid cancel, good margins all around, deep color, very fine. Foundation Cert. (2012). (1b). | \$835 |



- 13 ○ 1847, 10¢ black, double transfer (type “A”), position 1R1, showing double transfer in “X” at bottom right, neat BLACK circular grid cancel leaving “X” visible, intense deep color, good to large margins all around, extremely fine and very rare. Foundation Cert. (1998). (2 var.) \$2,850
- A wonderful combination of variety and cancel.*
- 14 ○ 1847, 10¢ black, light black grid cancel, good to enormous margins all around, portions of adjacent stamps right and bottom, extremely fine (2). \$1,275
- 15 ★ 1861, 5¢ orange brown, type II, very lightly hinged, very fresh color and paper, extremely well centered, reperfed, very fine appearance (30). \$1,250
- 16 P 1860, 90¢ blue, plate proof on India, margins all around, thin, very fine appearance (39P3). \$1,250
- 17 ★ 1862, 24¢ brown lilac, unused, centered, reperfed, very fine appearance (70a). \$1,250
- 18 ★ 1863, 24¢ lilac, part o.g., fresh color, bend or very light crease, fine (78). \$2,750



19	★	1867, 1¢ blue, E. grill , disturbed but complete o.g., fine for this rare unused stamp. Copy of Foundation Certificate for block of four (1985). (86).	\$3,250
20	○	1867, 1¢ blue, E. grill , neat complete U. STATES cancel placed diagonally across a very well centered stamp, crease, lovely very fine cancel (86).	\$450+
21	★★	1867, 1¢ blue, F. grill , Interpanneau copy, never hinged, deep luxurious color, ever so faint gum tone (not mentioned in Certs), fine. Foundation Cert. (1988), PSE Cert. (1995) "Never Hinged". (92).	\$3,000 as hinged
22	○	1867, 12¢ black, F. grill , lightly cancelled, well centered, very fine (97).	\$260

1869 Pictorial Issue

23	★	1869, 2¢ brown , "disturbed o.g.", deep color, well centered, very fine. Foundation Cert. (2014). . (113).	\$550
24	○	1869, 2¢ brown , clear "1869" in circle cancel (113).	ECV \$75 - 100
25	○	1869, 3¢ ultramarine , "socked on the nose" Pumpkin Face black cancel, very fine. Ex. G. Eubanks. (114).	ECV \$150 - 200
26	★	1869, 10¢ yellow , o.g., incredible grill, inclusion, fine (116).	\$2,000
27	★	1869, 10¢ yellow , rare "Interpanneau" copy with very rare part arrow, extremely fine. Ex. Saadi. Foundation Cert. (1989). (116).	ECV \$150 - 200
28	○	1870, 6¢ carmine , incredibly intricate cornice cancel, stamp very fine (148).	ECV \$75 - 100
29	○	1870, 12¢ dull violet , used in France or colonies: cancelled by a maritime "Anchor" in lozenge, fine. Ex. Stollnitz. (151).	\$220 as normal
30	○	1870-73, Group of 3 stamps: 15¢ Bank Note with Dominican Rep. oval, 30¢ with "398" in dots, 10¢ cut square with Mexico cancel , few faults. Two are Ex. Stollnitz. (152, 165, U91).	ECV \$100 - 125
31	○	1870, 24¢ purple , neat grid cancel, wide copy, great color, very fine (153).	\$230
32	○	1873, 10¢ brown , Used in China : cancelled by blue YBBCHINA NOV 12 1873 c.d.s., fresh and fine. Ex. Stollnitz. (161).	ECV \$200 - 250
33	○	1873, 12¢ blackish violet , segmented cork cancel, very fine (162).	\$145
34	★	1879, 30¢ full black , small part o.g., fresh, fine (190).	\$900
35	○	1888, 90¢ purple , light c.d.s. cancel, enormous copy, extremely fine (218).	\$250

1893 Columbian Exposition Issue

36	P	1893, Columbian Exposition complete, Plate Proofs on card , hinge remnants, \$5 with crease, fine to very fine. (230P4-245P4).	\$2,110
37	★	1893, Columbian 10¢ black brown , l.h. Foundation Cert (2014) Graded VF-XF 85. (237).	\$125
38	★★	1893, Columbian 15¢ dark green , n.h., very fine (238).	\$675
39	○	1893, Columbian 30¢ orange brown , Used in Cuba: cancelled by HAVANA_2 JUL CUBA 99 duplex cancel, fine. Ex. Stollnitz. (239).	ECV \$100 - 150

Wonderful for the Columbian Exposition specialist.

40	○	1893, Columbian \$2 brown red , neat PHILADELPHIA Fe 26 1906 c.d.s., excellent centering, very fine (242).	\$600
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U.S. STAMPS

41	★★	1894, 6¢ dull brown , Plate Number 184 and Imprint Strip of 3, n.h., fine to very fine (256).	\$1,650
42	★	1894, \$1 black, type II , o.g., fine. Foundation Cert (1987). (261A).	\$2,100
43	★★	1895, 8¢ violet brown , Tall Plate Number 58 and Imprint Strip of 3, n.h., fine to very fine (272).	\$750
44	○	1898, Trans-Miss. 2¢ copper red , Used in Mexico: cancelled “PROGRESSO OCT 11 98” (MEXICO) c.d.s., very fine. Ex. Stollnitz. (286).	ECV \$100 - 150
		<i>Wonderful for the Trans. Miss specialist.</i>	
45	○	1898, Trans-Miss. \$1 black , with bar cancel (see photo), fine (292).	\$725
46	○	1903, 1¢ blue green , Booklet Pane of 6, less tab, Position E, CHICAGO ILL oval cancels, beautifully well centered, few minor faults, fine, <i>extremely rare</i> . P.S.E. Cert. (2009). (300b).	\$8,000 with tab
		<i>Only 3 or 4 intact used booklet panes are believed to exist.</i>	
47	★	1913, Panama-Pacific 10¢ orange yellow . Foundation Cert. (2006) Grade VF-XF 85. (400).	\$360
48	★	1914, 2¢ carmine rose, type I, rotary coil , Pair, l.h., very fine (453).	\$325
49	★★/★	1914, 2¢ carmine rose, type I, rotary coil , Two Joint Line Pairs, one possibly n.h., l.h., well centered, each with thin, one with crease, very fine appearance (453).	\$1,350
50	★★	1915, 2¢ red, type II, rotary coil , Joint Line Pair, n.h., clear at top, fine (454).	\$850
51	★★/★	1926, White Plains souvenir sheets , 6 complete sheets, 2 n.h., 4 o.g., generally small faults, generally fine (630).	approximately \$2,600
52	★	1928, 2¢ carmine, type II , Plate Number Single, n.h., very fine (634A).	\$650



53	P	1936, 3¢ Susan B. Anthony, Trial Color Large Die Proof (135 x 175) in deep lilac, backstamped “Engraver’s Stock Proof Authorized by DKmh”, couple of wrinkles, very fine (784TC).	ECV \$1,000 - 1,250
54	★★	Airmail, 1918-23, First and Second Issues complete , n.h., select copies, very fine (C1-C6).	\$700



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Ex 54



55 ★★/★田Airmail, 1930, Graf Zeppelin complete, Top Plate Blocks of 6, each block hinged only on bottom center stamp, a normal number of gum wrinkles for the most part, with a few skips mostly on the 65¢, very fine (C13-C15).

\$11,700

A wonderfully centered set from the preferred position.

- 56 ★★田 **Airmail, 1941-44, Transport complete**, Plate Blocks of 4, n.h., 6¢ to 50¢ each with the signatures of the engravers and designers (C25-C31). ECV \$150 - 175
Very unusual.
- 57 ★★/★ **War Dept., 1873, 14 stamps**, comprising 1¢ (x4), 2¢ (x4), 3¢, 6¢ (x4), and 12¢, includes 5 pairs, mostly n.h., fresh, fine to very fine (O83-O86, O89). \$5,355
- 58 ★ **War Dept., 1873, 2¢ rose**, Imprint Strip of 4, n.h., almost separated vertically in center, very fine and impressive (O84). \$240
- 59 ★ **War Dept., 1873, 3¢ rose**, Pair, n.h., fresh, very fine, *rare* (O85). \$1,050
- 60 ★ **Cheever & Towle, 1849, 2¢ blue**, ungummed, large margins all around, ever so faint thin spot, still very fine (37L1). \$600
Far superior to any copy in the Golden Collection.
- 61 ○ **Revenue, 1871, First Issue, 6¢ Proprietary, perforated**, A.M.F.G. (Gianelli) Aug 3, 1871 3 line cancel, typical centering and fault-free, fine (R31c). \$2,000
Only 5 recorded copies with this cancel.
- 62 ○ **Revenue, 1864, First Issue, \$200 U.S. Internal Revenue, perforated**, neat light blue oval date stamps, vertical crease and a few short perfs, fine (R102). \$1,000



Ex 56



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- 63 E **Stock Transfer, 1940, \$100 bright green**, single copy with portion of receipt tab at left with complete perforations all around. Ex Smithsonian. (RD89 var.). ECV \$300 - 400
- The perforations at right must have been a trial as the single came directly from the Smithsonian archives auction in a remainder lot. Possibly unique.*
- 64 P **Stock Transfer, 1940, \$100 bright green, booklet pane of 4 with receipt tabs, imperforate**, proof less overprint and serial numbers, ungummed and extremely fine. Mentioned in Scott., *Ex Smithsonian* (RD89 var.). ECV \$400 - 600



- 65 ★★田 **Hunting Permit, 2005, \$15 Hooded Mergansers, press sheet, Central Cross Gutter Block of 16 With 4 Plate Blocks, unofficially known as “The Heart of the Sheet”, n.h., extremely fine, only 100 sheets printed** (RW72). ECV \$1,000 - 1,200
- 66 ★★ **Hunting Permit, 2006, \$15 Ross’s Goose, souvenir sheet, signed by the artist and engraver, n.h. PSE Cert (2006) Superb 98 OGnh.** (RW73b). \$375
- 67 ★✉ **Postal Cards: Interesting group of unused errors**, comprising U458 normal, d, and albino; UX27, 28, 38, 43 vars. showing massive shift of value and addressing label to the bottom and reverse. Great for exhibition (U458,d,var, UX27, 28,38, 43 vars). ECV \$150 - 200
- 68 ★田 **Confederate States, 1863, 2¢ brown red, Block of 8, n.h. (some typical disturbances), good to clear margins all around, very fine** (8). \$750 as 2 blocks of 4
- 69 ○ **Confederate States, 1863, 2¢ brown red, Pair, with beautifully presented blue GREENSBOUGH APR 1 c.d.s., extremely fine. Foundation Cert (2015).** (8). \$1,000
- April was the issuing month of the 5¢ Jackson stamp.*
- 70 ★ **Confederate States, 1863, 10¢ blue, “T-E-N”, o.g., “lightly toned at upper right” only, still very fine. Foundation Cert. (2014).** (9). \$900



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U.S. Postal History

Stampless

- 71 ☒ **Virginia Stampless: 1787 to 1849**, group of five covers comprising 1787 date-lined “Norfolk” plus manuscript “22”; 1832 manuscript “Gordonsville” plus manuscript “10”; 1846 manuscript “Cedarville” plus Lexington c.d.s. and blue Lynchburg fleuron; 1849 manuscript “Kennedys” plus manuscript “5”; and undated Onancock PAID “Missent” and Elliot’s Mills Mo. c.d.s. Several not listed in the ASCC catalogue ECV \$150 - 200
- 72 ☒ **Stampless Cover: 1797 From St. Petersburg Russia to Newburyport, MA**, folded letter regarding shipping, addressed to Moses Brown, bearing manuscript “40” paid “3/4”, red PAID JAN 5 1798 double circle, carried on the Falmouth Packet “*Halifax*” docketing manuscript “forwarded Mes. Claes Grill” in London. Very scarce and early origin ECV \$400 - 500
- The distinguished Moses Brown (1728-1836) was the co-founder of Brown University with his brother. He was an abolitionist, an industrialist and owned textile mills, one of which was the first water-powered mill in America. He outlived three wives.*
- The letter from St. Petersburg contains specific information on the contents of American ships leaving and their destinations, for the year 1797. Reference is made to the G.B. - France and the France - U.S. Wars, recommendations of products and requests that the sender’s firm, “Edward James Smith & Co” (a mercantile company) that they may do more business with Brown. An informative read.*
- 73 ☒ **WAR of 1812: Folded letter date-lined Washington Jan. 9th 1814**, from Lt. Col. W. Bomford to “Capt. J.H. Reese U.S. Ordin Dept. Baltimore” regarding “a Contract for the construction of Rockets”. There is, in the P.S., also a reference to “mines” and a Captain Babcock. Fascinating content. ECV \$250 - 350

1847 Issue

- 74 ☒ **1847, 5¢ red brown**, very fine, good to clear margins all around, tied by blue PHILADA Pa AUG 4 5cts c.d.s. on a manila envelope bearing matching c.d.s. to Wilmington (1). \$600
- 75 ☒ **Valentine Envelope: 1847, 5¢ red brown**, very fine, good to clear margins all around, tied by light grid on 1850 embossed envelope (some soiling and corner damage), bearing red NORWICH FEB 14 VT c.d.s. with enclosed letter (very romantic / drippy poem) head-lined “St. Valentines Head Quarters” (1). ECV \$250 - 350
- 76 ☒ **1847, 5¢ red brown**, very fine, good to clear margins all around, tied by black grid on 1850 folded letter bearing red BOSTON 8 NOV 5 cts c.d.s., to Bangor Maine (1). \$575
- 77 ☒ **1847, 5¢ red brown**, margins all around except just touched at top left, tied by black grid on 1850 folded letter bearing BOSTON 29 AUG 5 cts. c.d.s., to Haverhill, Mass (1). \$575
- 78 ☒ **1847, 10¢ black**, extremely fine, huge to large margins all around with portion of adjoining stamp at top, a lovely stamp, tied by a bright red grid on neat manila envelope (sealed tear), bearing red BOSTON 23 MAR 10cts and manuscript “Paid”, to New Hampshire (2). \$1,250
- 79 ☒ **1847, 10¢ black**, extremely fine, top sheet margin copy, enormous to good margins all around, tied by red grid on 1848 folded letter (some extraneous blue ink), bearing red NEW YORK FEB 19 c.d.s. to Port Gibson, Miss. (2). \$1,250



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- 80 ☒ **Used to Cayuga, Canada: 1852, 3¢ dull red, type I, late, three copies**, various margins including sheet margin with 1¢ blue type II, 2 margins, deep color, tied by grids on dark manila envelope (corner reinforced), bearing red ALBION APR 30 N.Y. c.d.s. black arc U. STATES on reverse QUEENSTON MAY 1 1852 transit and another red c.d.s. Lovely cover from obscure NY town to another town in Haldmand Co. The manner in which this rate was paid before the issuance of the 10¢ stamps in 1855 (11, 7). ECV \$300 - 350
- 81 ☒ **Used to Sardinia Italy: 1856, 5¢ red brown**, cut to shape, tied by rare ANNAPOLIS, Md. NOV 24 Md. c.d.s. to folded letter sheet (missing back side flaps), bearing manuscript, “17” decimes French Calais DEC 2 transit, manuscript “Per Cunard Line”, on reverse BOSTON PKT, red British transits and red boxed GENOVA 5 DIC 56 receiver. Rare origin and rarer destination (12). \$1,675 on cover to France
- 82 ☒ **Used to France: 1855, 10¢ green, type III Pair plus 1¢ Type IV**, large margins except at right, plus 1¢ Type IV (repair at top) all creased and tied by red grid on refolded 1855 folded letter bearing red PROVIDENCE I MAY 28 c.d.s., NY Packet, red PAID, French transit, manuscript “Per Steamer Baltic via NY & Liverpool”, on reverse British transit and PARIS 12 JUIN 55 receiver. (15, 9). ECV \$200 - 250
- Only 9 days past EKV for the 10¢.*

1857 Issue

- 83 ☒ **1861, 1¢ blue, type I, on cover**, fine copy, neatly tied by NEW YORK STATION D/1M__30 c.d.s. on local envelope. Very simple but attractive example of the carrier rate (18). \$700



- 84 ☒ **Used to France: 1858, 5¢ brick red, type I, Strip of Three, fine**, tied by NEW ORLEANS JUN 6 1859 c.d.s. strikes on folded letter bearing BOSTON PAID 12 JUN 15 transit, JUN 27 French entry, red boxed P.D., manuscript “sur dordogne” on reverse other transits and CASTILLONE receiver. (27). **\$6,250 strip off cover**
- An impressive cover.*
- 85 ☒ **Used to Netherlands: 1857 5¢ red brown, type I**, fine, tied by NEW ORLEANS NOV 8 c.d.s. on folded letter sheet bearing red NEW YORK c.d.s. transit, manuscript rate, on reverse red London transit and red ROTTERDAM 24-11-1857 receiver (28). \$1,300
- 86 ☒ **Used to France: 1861 5¢ orange brown, type II, three copies**, fine, tied by NEW ORLEANS DEC 28 c.d.s. strikes on folded letter (few back flap tears) bearing red NEW YORK 3 JAN 5 transit, blue Havre transit, on reverse other transits and Bordeaux 1861 receiver (30A). \$900 for stamps only



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- 87 ▲ **Used to Lauterbach, Alsace-Lorraine, France: 1857-61, 10¢ green, types II, III, I, Strip of Three**, fine, quite well centered, fresh, tied by purportedly TERRE HAUTE IND c.d.s. strikes on manila front, bearing red NEW YORK 7 PKT. PAID FEB 19 transit red boxed AACHEN 4.3 FRANCO and manuscript "1" (32,33,31). ECV \$300 - 500
A very rare strip to an equally rare destination.
- 88 ☒ **Used to France: 1859 10¢ green, type V, vertical strip of three**, fine, tied by NEW ORLEANS OCT 18 c.d.s. strikes on folded letter sheet (duplicate) bearing red NEW YORK OCT 24 PAID 24 transit, French Nov. 7, 1859 transit, blue company oval, on reverse further transits and Bordeaux receiver. Ex Skinner. Signed Ashbrook. (35). ECV \$300 - 400
- 89 ☒ **Used to Scotland: 1859, 10¢ green, type V, strip of three**, fine, tied by SAN FRANCISCO AUG c.d.s. strikes on envelope (addressee excised) bearing red London OC 60 transit, large red "3" and manuscript "Overland", partial Inverness receiver on reverse (35). ECV \$150 - 200
- 90 ☒ **Used to Scotland: 1857, 12¢ black, plate I, pair**, fine, tied by black grids on envelope bearing red and black NEW LONDON CT SEP 10 1859 c.d.s. strikes, on reverse red PAID LADYBANK SE 2 1859 receiver (36). \$900
- 91 ☒ **Used to England: 1857, 12¢ black, plate I, two copies**, fine, tied by red grids on blue folded letter, datelined 6 April 1859, bearing red NEW YORK Am PKT 3 APR 16, manuscript "by New York Steamer" and red London receiver. Very attractive (36). \$900
- 92 ☒ **Used to Scotland: 24¢ gray lilac**, very fine, tied by black grid and red NEW YORK 19 AUG 1 c.d.s. on blue folded letter sheet (trimmed side flaps), bearing manuscript "Per Stmr. Africa", on reverse Glasgow transit and BEITH AU13 1860 receiver (37). \$1,065
- 93 ☒ **Used to England: 1860, 24¢ gray lilac**, well centered, tied by grid on a somewhat dirty manila envelope bearing red KALAMAZOO, Mic. DEC 3 c.d.s., red 10 and manuscript "24", on reverse WHITECHURCH-SALOP receiver. Buhler handstamp. (37). ECV \$250 - 300

1861-1866 Issue

- 94 ☒ **Used to Canada: 1861, 10¢ dark green, First Design**, very fine, tied by ALBANY DEC 5 c.d.s. on yellow envelope with advertising "shield" on reverse along with HAMILTON DE 7 1861 c.d.s. receiver. Foundation Cert. (1983). (62B). \$2,100
- 95 ☒ **1861, 3¢ pink**, fine, tied by grid on envelope bearing CLEVELAND 1862 c.d.s., to Lockport NY. P.S.E. Cert. (1995). (64). \$900
- 96 ☒ **1861, 3¢ pink**, bright color, fine, replaced and lightly tied by light grid on envelope bearing FLUSHING (NY) JAN 31 c.d.s., to Hatfield Mass. Foundation Cert. (1986) for stamp. (64). \$900



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- 97 ☒ **“STAND BY THE FLAG” embossed patriotic envelope**, franked with 1857, 3¢ rose, type I, fine, tied by MYSTIC BRIDGE CT OCT 8 c.d.s. on pronounced albino envelope, to East Berlin Conn. Some toning around and on stamp (25). \$500
- 98 ☒ **1860’s Patriotic envelope: All over THE WAR FOR UNION-NEW YORK**, with flags, bearing 3¢ rose tied by NEW CREEK STATION VA OCT (?) during the Union occupation, on reverse printed BERLIN & JONES, envelope manufacturers, to Michigan ECV \$150 - 200
- 99 ☒ **1861 Patriotic Free Frank**, “H. Wilson” on rare blue “Jeff ____ Big Thing. Uncle Abe. — Can’t see it.” in front of the Capital Building (by S.C. Upham) envelope (minor soiling), bearing WASHINGTON D.C. NOV 28 1861 c.d.s., to Richmond. Wilson was a congressman who became Grant’s Vice President ECV \$250 - 300
- 100 ☒ **1864, LINCOLN/JOHNSON Campaign**, bearing 3¢ rose cancelled by grid, with DURAND (?) ILL c.d.s., to Tennessee “via Nashville”. Very attractive. Foundation Cert. (1991) “cover... repaired and reduced (slightly) at right”. (65). ECV \$300 - 400
- 101 **P.T. Barnum: Ephemera**, comprising wonderful museum advertising envelope franked with 1857 3¢ pair with enclosure a “SECRET” opened pamphlet by Professor Hutchings, plus letter head stationery bearing 1866 letter from Hyatt Frost, manager of the Zoological American Museum. Very attractive. ECV \$300 - 400
- 102 ☒ **P.T. Barnum, framed signed 1867 letter**, in Barnum’s hand to his good friend Sol. Smith. Contents concern Waldo Hutchings. Printed picture accompanies ECV \$150 - 300
- 103 ☒ **Used to Bohemia: 1861, 10¢ dark green, PAIR and SINGLE**, fine, tied by blue grids and CHICAGO Ill JAN ? c.d.s. strikes on manila envelope bearing red box AACHEN _ FRANCO and probably NY PAID transit, on reverse EGER c.d.s. receiver (68a). ECV \$250 - 350
- 104 ☒ **1861, 10¢ green, used with three different 2¢ Bank Notes**, tied by some “animal” cancel on San Francisco stamp & coin dealer’s registered envelope bearing SAN FRANCISCO, CAL REGISTERED NOV 21 1890, on reverse dealers “E.F. GAMBS FOREIGN STAMP IMPORTERS” Egyptian stamp seal. Very becoming (68, 183, 210, 213). ECV \$150 - 200
- 105 ☒ **Used From Rhenish-Prussia: 1861, 12¢ black**, fine copy, tied by grid on white envelope with complete enclosure, bearing CAMBRIDGE MS SEP 14 1861 c.d.s. to Roxbury Mass. There are no other post marks. Why would someone use a 12¢ stamp to pay a 3¢ envelope weighing .2 oz. Send us your thoughts and a bid (69). ECV \$150 - 200
- 106 ☒ **1863, 2¢ black, on Valentine cover**, very fine copy tied by precise four-ring target cancel on neat embossed Valentine local envelope bearing DELAWARE O. FEB 13 64 c.d.s., with frilly enclosure (73). ECV \$100 - 125
- 107 ☒ **Used to Klausen, West Prussia: 1861-65, 10¢ green and 5¢ red brown**, perfs touch or in, tied by red grids on manila envelope (two small holes), bearing red NEWARK N.J. MAR 20 PAID, red NEW YORK PAID 10 MAR 21 c.d.s. strikes, and boxed FRANCO, on reverse Hamburg 4/5/transit. (75, 68). ECV \$250 - 300

Very rare destination.



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- 108 ☒ **Used to France: 1861-66, 5¢ red brown with 10¢ green, PAIR and SINGLE**, fine, tied by black grids on 1862 re-addressed envelope (some reinforcing) bearing red NEW YORK PAID 18 NOV 15 transit, red French transit, on reverse initial Paris receiver thence PAU NOV 62 c.d.s. final destination (75, 68). ECV \$250 - 300

1867 Grilled Issues

- 109 ☒ **1867, 2¢ black, D. grill**, off-center but fresh tied by STATION A PHILADA. FEB 19 1st and target duplex on small watermarked Ladies envelope docketed on reverse“ recd. in ____ of 19 Febr 1868” - four days after EKU. An extremely rare cover. Foundation Cert (1989). (84). \$5,000
- 110 ☒ **1867, 3¢ rose, D. grill**, few short perfs, otherwise very fine, tied by segmented cork cancel and hinged (for grill id.) to envelope bearing red 2 ring CHARLESTOWN, MASS APR 9 68 c.d.s., to Boston . (85). \$1,200
- 111 ☒ **1867, 3¢ rose, Z. grill**, fresh bright color but for bottom left corner absent (before use), tied by NEW YORK JAN 29 c.d.s., on clean envelope to East Fishkill, NY. Very attractive. Ex B. Uding. Foundation Cert. (1985). (85C). \$4,000

Probably the listing example for the earliest known usage of an incredibly rare stamp.

- 112 ▲ **Used to Genoa, Italy: 1867, 2¢ black pair (few short perfs) and 10¢ green (off-center), E. Grills**, all tied by wedge cancels on most of a front (plus some reverse with postmarks) bearing red NEW YORK PAID ALL MAR 5 c.d.s., large black PD, various manuscript, red boxed BREMEN 17-3-68 FRANCO transit, on reverse Italian 21 MAR 68 c.d.s. transit (87,89). \$775 stamps off cover

The stamps have been hinged on the front to certify the grills. This is dated 2 days before the EKU listed by Scott. An exhibition item for grills.

- 113 ☒ **Used to Great Britain: 1867, 3¢ red, F. grill**, 2 SE pairs, probably originally a block of four, tied by impressive reversed “19” in circle cancels of Washington CT (AUG 31) on envelope bearing red NEW YORK PAID ALL and red LONDON 12 SP 68 c.d.s. transit, on reverse Liverpool receiver. Impressive (94). ECV \$300 - 350
- 114 ☒ **Used to France: 1867, 15¢ black, F. grill**, well centered very fine copy, tied by large red BOSTON DEC 15 PAID c.d.s. on neat mourning envelope, bearing French Dec. 27 Calais transit and boxed PD, manuscript “per Cuba”, on reverse 1868 Fontenay receiver. Very somber but pretty (98). ECV \$150 - 175
- 115 ☒ **Used to Callao, Peru, Ship “Genl. Butler”**: 1867, 24¢ gray lilac, F. grill and 1861, 10¢ green, cancelled by segmented corks on small envelope bearing triple strike of red transit NEW YORK APR 5 “X” c.d.s. and matching “12”, manuscript “PAID 34 unanswered”, with black “BATH ME. MAR 23” origin on reverse. A very rare franking of the F grill. Scott \$2600 for the 24¢ only on cover (99,68). ECV \$500 - 600
- 116 ☒ **Used to France: 1867, 30¢ orange, F. grill**, fine, fresh, tied by wedge cancel on “opened” envelope less two corners, bearing red NEW YORK PAID 6 OCT 5 c.d.s. and boxed PD, blue French transit on reverse dominant **French 50c Revenue stamps** tied by blue dotted cancel with notations, also transits and LA FLECHE 18 OCT 69 receiver. A rare combination (100). \$2,000



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- 117 ☒ **1869, 1¢ buff, Strip of Three**, fine, tied by segmented cork cancels on manila envelope bearing CAIRO, Ill. JUL 24 c.d.s., to Alfred, Maine (112). ECV \$300 - 400
- 118 ☒ **1869, 1¢ buff**, fine, tied by BOSTON MAY 24 c.d.s. and grid on U52 entire, an extremely rare combination to make up the 3¢ rate, to Sandy Point Stockton Maine (112, U52). ECV \$200 - 300
- 119 ☒ **Used to France: 1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type I**, fine, tied by “horse” cancel on manila envelope (some back flap reinforcing) bearing black NEW YORK 18 transit, blue CALAIS 22 AVRIL 69 entry pink straight line INSUFFICIENTLY PAID, large “16” handstamp and manuscript “Steamer”, on reverse PARIS receiver. Very scarce usage of a fancy cancel on a high value 1869 issue (118). ECV \$500 - 750
- 120 ☒ **1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type II**, almost very fine, neatly tied by SAINT MARY’S OH c.d.s. on 1870 court papers envelope containing depositions (a bit trimmed and reinforced) to Delaware. Interesting use of the 15¢ (119). ECV \$400 - 500
- 121 ☒ **1869, 15¢ brown & blue, type II**, almost fine, tied by 4-circle target cancels on 3¢ pink Registered entire (U58) with enclosure, bearing JONESTOWN APR 27 PA c.d.s., to Pine Grove Pa. Another rare stationery combination with the 1869 issue (119). ECV \$300 - 400
- 122 ☒ **1870, 2¢ red brown, horizontal bisect**, tied by blue 4-ring target cancel on yellow local envelope bearing matching blue WEST WILLIAMSFIELD O. AUG 2_c.d.s. Ex Gibson. (146c). \$800
- 123 ☒ **1870, 30¢ black**, fine, tied by blue CINCINNATI O. JAN 28 c.d.s. on 1874 mailed court document envelope (some inevitable faults) containing depositions against the Ohio and Mississippi Rail Way Company, to the Jackson County Court House (154). \$900
- 124 ☒ **1870, 30¢ black and 6¢ carmine**, fine, both with some perforation faults, tied by cork cancels on somewhat trimmed legal envelope bearing black BOSTON SEP 8 c.d.s. and manuscript “Fd. 8th Sept 1870” to Baltimore. An early usage for the 30¢ (154, 148). ECV \$250 - 300
- 125 ☒ **1883, 2¢ red brown, diagonal bisect**, tied by 3-ring target cancel on 2¢ vermilion (U442) entire (2 creases) bearing BUFFALO NY JUL 3 c.d.s., on reverse Cleveland JUL3 receiver. An interesting way to pay the 3¢ rate. (210 var.). ECV \$350 - 450
- 126 ☒ **1883, 2¢ red brown, diagonal bisect**, tied by segmented cork cancel on local envelope bearing TRENTON NJ May 13 c.d.s., paying open letter rate. Foundation Cert. (2005). (210 var.). ECV \$350 - 450



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- 127 ☒ **1883, 4¢ blue green, diagonal bisect**, tied on local envelope by SAINT LOUIS MO AUG 1887 duplex cancel, fine cover (211 var.). ECV \$500 - 600
- 128 ☒ **1883, 4¢ blue green, diagonal bisect**, tied by blue segmented cork cancel on light blue local envelope bearing matching blue NEWBURGH N.Y. FEB 28 c.d.s., another fine example of bisect . . . (211 var.). ECV \$500 - 600
- 129 **1893 Columbian Exposition.** Set of 6 engraved tickets plus 4 “Caxton” tickets with envelope plus Postal Cards Series No. 1, twelve cards. Nice matching sets ECV \$200 - 250
- 130 ☒ **1893, Columbian \$1 salmon**, very fine, tied by oval NEW YORK R strikes on registered envelope, bearing on reverse red boxed REGISTERED FEB 8 1897 NY and K 2-9-97 NY c.d.s. receiver . . (241). ECV \$500 - 600
- Delivery was only about six blocks.*
- 131 ☒ **1901, Pan-Americans complete**, Matching Envelopes cancelled by BUFFALO May 30-01 Expo Station machine cancel. Each with appropriate gripper marks, very fine (294-299). \$2,560
- 132 ☒ **1909, 1¢ green, bluish paper, four picture post cards**, fine group (some creases), each bearing single copy dated early March 1909 Washington D.C. (357). \$480
- 133 ☒ **1917, 2¢ deep rose, type Ia**, tied by CLEVELAND FEB 26 1920 duplex cancel on neat black and red CIGARS advertising cover. Quite attractive. Foundation Cert. (1991). (500). \$650+
- 134 ☒ **1920, 2¢ carmine rose, Offset imperf, type IV, Sheet Margin Copy**, extremely fine, tied by CHICAGO ILL MAY 8 1920 duplex cancel on Optician’s envelope. Earliest Known Usage by almost three years and in the issuing year. Foundation Cert. (2015). (532). ECV \$150 - 200



- 135 ☒ **First Day Cover: 1922, 11¢ greenish blue**, tied by FREEMONT OHIO OCT 4 1922 duplex on 2¢ entire bearing First Day handstamp, to New York City, *a very rare cover from a very popular issue* (563). \$3,750
- 136 ☒ **First Day Cover: 1926, 7¢ black, 8¢ olive green and 9¢ rose, rotary**, fine to very fine, tied by WASHINGTON DC MAY 29 1926 duplex cancels on C.E. NICKLES air mail envelope to San Francisco. The superior way to collect these values, the only values issued in 1926 . . . (588, 589, 590). ECV \$300 - 350

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- 137 ☒ **1968, 6¢ Flag over White House, pair, imperf horizontally**, very fine, tied by MINNEAPOLIS MN 1970 ALWAYS USE ZIP CODE duplex on Pacific Mutual Life Insurance Company window envelope, *less than 50 pairs issued*. Foundation Cert (2015) for pair removed to ascertain lack of perforation. (1338u). \$325 for unused
- 138 ☒ **Airmail, 1918-23, First and Second Issues complete**, 3 with plate numbers, with Pilgrim 1¢ and Beacon 5¢, all tied by BROOKLYN OCT 28 1928 c.d.s. strikes on Zeppelin flown 5¢ entire bearing violet Zeppelin United States - Germany strike, on reverse Friedrichshafen transit and Wesermunde receiver. A most impressive franking. (C1-C6, C11, 548). ECV \$250 - 300
- 139 ☒ **Postage Due, 1910, 2¢ deep claret, diagonal bisect**, tied by 4 ring target cancel on 2¢ carmine (U412) entire bearing 1913 Panama-Pacific 1¢ green tied by BUFF. & PITTS R.P.O. MAR 28 1913 c.d.s. strikes and POSTAGE DUE "1" handstamp, on reverse Glassmere receiver. Foundation Cert. (2004) "Philatelic bisect". (J46 var.). ECV \$150 - 200

Carriers and Locals

- 140 ☒ **Lancaster Business College (carrier?)**, violet fancy eagle in frame imprinted on envelope, "cancelled" by violet LANCASTER BUSINESS COLLEGE oval, 3 additional strikes on reverse. Letter from Chicago to Baltimore purportedly 1886 ECV \$250 - 300
- 141 ☒ **New York, N.Y., U.S. City Despatch Post, 1842-45, 3¢ black on blue green**, enormous margins all around, showing dividing lines on three and a half sides, creases, still very fine, cancelled by red U.S. in box and tied by matching CITY DESPATCH POST APR 24 1 O'CLOCK c.d.s. on petite folded letter. Very pretty (6LB5). ECV \$150 - 200
- 142 ☒ **New York, N.Y., U.S. City Despatch Post, 1842-45, 3¢ black on blue green**, good to large margins all around, crease (one) well clear of design, cancelled by red U.S. in box of folded letter sheet bearing red CITY DESPATCH POST MAR 9 9 O'CLOCK. Attractive. Foundation Cert. #0282373 (1994) does not accompany lot. (6LB5). ECV \$100 - 150
- 143 ☒ **D.O. Blood & Co., 1845 (2¢) black**, large margins all around showing dividing lines top and bottom plus partial sides, tied by filing crease on folded letter sheet. Fine genuine cover (15L5). \$800



- 144 ☒ **D.O. Blood & Co., 1846 (2¢) black**, frame-line touched in places, "tied" by filing crease on petite folded letter date-lined "Philadelphia Nov 4th 4_" (side flap missing), cute local letter asking a relative to "come up" because of sick "papa". Fine and adorable. (15L6). \$1,250



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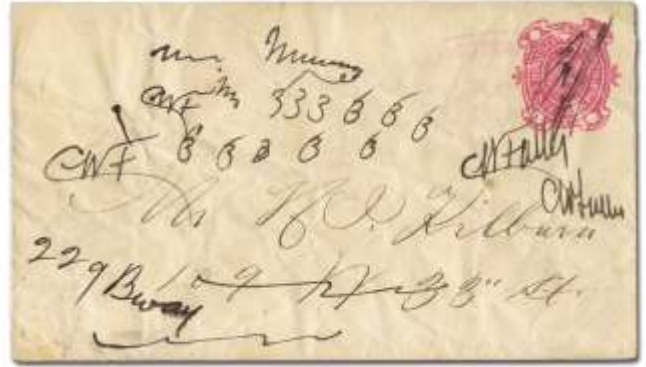


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| 145 | ☒ | Blood's Dispatch, 1848 (2¢) black on pale green , good margins all around, very fine, cancelled by appropriate black grid on envelope (couple of insignificant stain spots), a very rare and nice example of this issue. Ex Gibson. (15L11). | \$1,500 |
| 146 | ☒ | Boyd's City Express, 1860, 1¢ black on lilac , margins all around, some color change, together with 3¢ (#65) tied by NEW YORK APR _ double circle c.d.s. on envelope bearing manuscript "April 15 63", probably Dunkirk receiver (20L17). | \$500 |
| 147 | | Boyd's City Post, 1864, blue on orange , large margins all around, extremely fine, <i>rare</i> . Foundation Cert. (2014). (20LU11). | \$4,000 as entire |
| | | <i>Only one entire resided in the Golden Collection.</i> | |
| 148 | ☒ | Boyd's City Dispatch, envelope, 1878 (1¢) red on amber , diagonal laid paper envelope (wrinkled) cancelled by light violet company oval, cover readdressed and bearing notation and signature in same ink as new address (20LU30). | \$650 |
| 149 | ☒ | Hussey's City Post, 1859, 1¢ rose red , large to good margins all around, showing portion of adjoining stamp at bottom, extremely fine, tied by HUSSEY PAID 1 CT NOV 15 c.d.s. on local envelope. Pretty. (87L10). | \$400 |
| 150 | ☒ | Hussey's Post, 1869, 2¢ blue , margins all around including sheet at right, very fine, tied by HUSSEY PAID 2 CT OCT 30 c.d.s. on neat local envelope docketed "Oct 28 1869". Very nice. Ex Golden (lot #1215). (87L41). | ECV \$500 - 600 |
| 151 | ☒ | Hussey's Post, 1880, blue , margins except just into top frame-line, fine, tied by purple SPECIAL MESSAGE cancel on local Irving Insurance Company envelope which is the norm. Foundation Cert. (2013). (87L70). | ECV \$500 - 600 |
| | | <i>Our research shows there are only two known covers. This and that which resided in the Golden Collection.</i> | |
| 152 | ☒ | Messenkope's Union Square Post Office, 1849 (1¢) black on green , good margins all around, crease at top left tied by docketing receipt manuscript on small 1857 envelope bearing red NEW YORK APR 13, to Roxbury Mass. P.S.E. Cert. (2014) "stamp with two diagonal creases" (very light). (106L1). | \$500 for tied by h.s. |
| 153 | ☒ | Swart's City Dispatch Post, 1849-53 (1¢) red , margins all around, creased cancelled by "thumb" cancel on envelope (repaired tear at bottom) bearing BENTLEY'S MADISON SQUARE JAN 10 handstamp and black PAID. Interesting double local franking. Ex Needham. (136L9). | ECV \$200 - 250 |
| 154 | ☒ | Carriers & Locals East Coast. Group of eight covers comprising 1LB8, 26, 15L14, 11, 15L14, 26, 15L18, 26, 20L8, 20L10, Baltimore, Bloods, Bloods Penny Post (not tied), Boyd's; all others tied, plus a violet Boyd's 1882 oval, fine lot | \$1,300+ |



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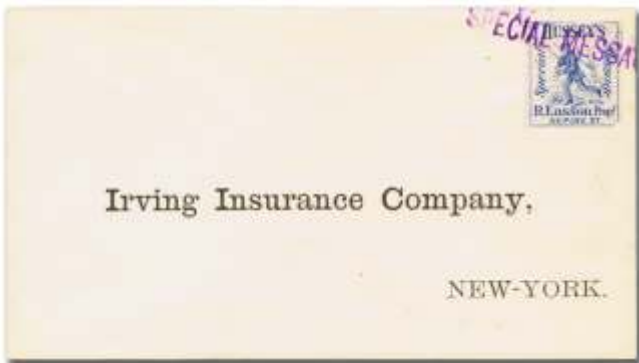
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California Steam Ship Mail

- 155 ☒ **NICARAGUA LINE IN ADVANCE OF THE MAIL**, beautiful strike of black oval on manila envelope (tear and stain) addressed to Nicaragua. ECV \$500 - 600
- Superior strike to the Hugh Feldman cover, to a very rare destination.*
- 156 ☒ **1851 Pacific Mail Steam Ship Company**, SAN FRAN S S PAN 8c JUN 29 red c.d.s. type II, on envelope bearing black 10 in circle, interestingly over manuscript "35", addressed to Nantucket. A very rare marking ECV \$500 - 750
- The Hugh Feldman collection had no examples of the red handstamping.*
- 157 ☒ **Used from Oregon Territory: 1851 Pacific Mail Steam Ship Company**, SAN FRAN S S PAN 8c MAY 27 black c.d.s. type II on folded letter bearing manuscript "8" datelined May 10 1851 Portland Oregon, addressed to Paymaster General Washington D.C. ECV \$400 - 600
- A very rare marking typically applied on ship.*
- 158 ☒ **1850 Per St. COLUMBUS**, red straight-line handstamps on envelope bearing matching red SAN FRANCISCO 17 JUNE 40 c.d.s., to East Granby, CT. First contract sailing of 1850. Ex Kramer ECV \$500 - 600
- The SS Columbus was built by Reeves and Brothers of Allowaystown, NJ and was sent to the Pacific by George Law for San Francisco-Panama service in 1850. In 1851 the ship was purchased by the Pacific Mail Steamship Company making this a rare independent line at the time of sailing. This was the maiden voyage of the Columbus from San Francisco departing on June 18, 1850.*
- 159 ☒ **1850's STEAMER WINFIELD SCOTT**, red two-line handstamp on manila envelope (some faults), bearing red COLLOMA CAL Nov 18 c.d.s. and matching "10", to Auraria Ga., *there was no example in red in the Hugh Feldman Collection.* Ex Knapp and Ex Wiltsee ECV \$500 - 750
- The Winfield Scott was built by Westervelt & MacKay of New York and was one of the early steamers running between Panama and San Francisco. The ship was wrecked on 1 December 1853 on the rocks off Point Arguello and is part of the Channel Islands National Park and Marine Sanctuary. The Winfield Scott wreck site is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The ship did not belong to the P. Mail or Vanderbilt lines. The cancel is extremely rare.*

Mississippi River Packets



- 160 ☒ **Ouachita Packet PRINCETON**, arc & straight line with "Cotton Bale" at center, neatly printed in blue on folded letter datelined "Camden Mar 28, 1848". A fancy and appropriate design (Milgram 1146). ECV \$1,000 - 1,500

- 161 ☒ **Steamer W.N. SHERMAN**, red double ring oval with center ornament, light but fine strike, on 3¢ red entire bearing manuscript "pr. M.L. Doneghuly" (Milgram 1471). ECV \$400 - 600

Steamed on Red & Mississippi Rivers to New Orleans. Handstamp also comes without center ornament. Known used in 1853. No example in the Hugh Feldman Collection.



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Western Express Covers

- 162 ☒ **Adams & Co Express, Marysville (Cal)**, clear red oval express company Aug. 14 datestamp, red "Paid" in double octagon, on brown cover addressed to Stockton. Scarce. With auction notations Bright (1902), Doane (1937). ASCC \$150 (1987) ECV \$100 - 150
- The Adams Express Company is one of the oldest companies listed on the New York Stock Exchange (NYSE: ADX). In 1849 the New England based company moved Daniel Hall Haskell to San Francisco as a resident partner. November 6, 1849 they started Adams & Co. Express with close ties but different directors. When the Adams Express incorporated in July 1854, California was not included. The 1855 collapse of Bacon & Company, Bankers brought about the March 1, 1855 close of the company. The employees and agents of Adams & Co. formed the Pacific Express Company.*
- 163 ☒ **1850's Adams & Co. Express, San Francisco**, red embossed shield design corner card, uncanceled on brown cover (some soiling), bearing manuscript "please deliver immediately", to Stockton (Mass). Rare ECV \$500 - 750
- 164 ☒ **Used to Chile: Adams & Co Express, J.M. Freeman Agent, Panama**, fine, clear red forwarder's marking in a oval on a manila cover, scarce ECV \$250 - 300
- Freeman's operated under their own name after the Adams & Co ceased operations in 1855.*
- 165 ☒ **1851 Adams & Co Express; forwarded to San Francisco**, fine, red oval on East-West folded letter date-lined New York April 1st 1851, to San Francisco. ASCC \$350 (1987) ECV \$200 - 250
- 166 ☒ **1859 Adams & Co's Express Coloma Used From Great Britain to "Alta" (California)**, large light blue oval on reverse of 1852 folded reinforced letter sheet bearing Great Britain red PAID 19 AUG 1852 c.d.s. London marking, black PAID and manuscript, "1/?"; quite wrinkled but an early usage from a rare origin ECV \$400 - 500
- 167 ☒ **J. Bamber & Co's Express, Bacon & Hardy, Oakland (Cal) Office Paid frank**, printed frank in elaborate rectangular design (Haller FB2 type 5), black oval "Wells, Fargo & Co. Express Grass Valley" Mar. 8 datestamps on 3¢ pink on buff entire (U35) to San Francisco, very scarce and attractive frank from this company, entire with small repair, still very fine ECV \$500 - 600
- 168 ☒ **Group of three local covers**, Bamber & Co's scroll with blue San Francisco cancel; red Freeman & Co's scroll with blue Stockton cancel to San Francisco; and unused Holladay Company over PAID. All on 3¢ entires ECV \$400 - 600
- 169 ☒ **Eureka Express Co Paid frank**, on 3¢ green entire to San Francisco, cancelled by blue WELLS, FARGO & CO EXPRESS NEVADA CAL oval, very fine ECV \$200 - 250
- 170 ☒ **Used from Panama: Freeman & Co's Express San Francisco**, red oval handstamp on folded letter bearing manuscript "J.L. Stephens", contents datelined 30 Junio 1855 on COVA & Co embossed and printed stationery. Ex Barkhausen, with Calvet Hahn description ECV \$150 - 200

COVER CONDITIONS

Minor faults including, but not limited to, file folds not affecting stamps, small tears and some backflap damage have not been noted in the descriptions of the catalogue, and are not grounds for the return of a lot.



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- 171 ☒ **Freeman & Co.'s Express, Paid**, green printed frank in scroll design over two Wells, Fargo & Co. Paid red printed franks on 10¢ green entire paste-up (hole at left), cancelled by Freeman & Co. Express Jacksonville Cal. attached 1861 addressing envelope bears blue Wells Fargo 1 Jul double line c.d.s. and matching blue oval PAID To New York. A very rare origin ECV \$400 - 500
- Jacksonville is now at the bottom of the Don Pecho Reservoir, but was originally one of the largest mining towns in the Mother Lode just north of Sonora. Later it became a tourist town before it was sunk.*
- 172 ☒ **Freeman & Co.'s Express, Paid**, three red franked 3¢ red stationery envelopes cancelled Express Coulterville, Marysville and Sacramento, all to San Francisco, very fine. ECV \$100 - 150
- One cover is addressed to Reverend John E. Benton, one of the most prominent pioneer pastors; the other is addressed to Fretz & Raleston, the predecessor of the Bank of California, from James Wilson in the Gold Rush town of Coulterville; the last is to a Mrs. A.J. Walsh.*
- 173 ☒ **Greenhood & Newbauer Northern Express, Paid frank**, printed express company frank (Haller FG6, type 1a) imitative of Wells, Fargo, with correct "Newbauer" spelling on 3¢ (U10) on buff entire cancelled by blue oval, also bearing blue Wells Fargo & Company Aug 13 oval, to San Francisco. This is a great example of the Greenhood & Newbauer Northern Express company connection with Wells, Fargo & Co at Marysville on the rarer correctly spelled "Newbauer" stationery. Interestingly the known error in the frank spelled "Newbaner" (see our next lot) is more common than the scarcer correct spelling of Newbauer ECV \$300 - 350
- The Greenhood & Newbauer Northern Express company was founded in 1856 by Herman Greenhood and Joseph Newbauer in Weaverville. In 1858, they purchased the W. F. Rowe Express company which connected with Wells Fargo at Marysville (1856 - Aug 1867). The company experienced financial difficulties in August 1867 and their routes were assumed by G. I. Taggarts.*
- 174 ☒ **Greenhood & Newbauer Northern Express, Paid frank**, printed express company frank (Haller, FG6, type 1a) imitative of Wells, Fargo, with "Newbaner" misspelling, on 3c red on buff entire (U10) cancelled by clear blue double-line oval "Greenhood & Newbauer Express, Weaverville Cal" also manuscript Febr 7, to San Francisco, fresh, extremely fine ECV \$200 - 300
- Compare this to the correct Newbauer spelling in the prior lot for an interesting pair.*
- 175 **Gregory's Express: Pocket Letter Book**, gilded edged pages for notions, elaborate cover with gilt printing. Great for an exhibition ECV \$100 - 125
- 176 ☒ **Hopkinson's Express, Paid frank**, printed express company frank (Haller FH13, type 2) in a fancy rectangular frame 3¢ pink on white entire (U58, slightly reduced), indicia uncanceled, to Nevada City Cal. Quite fresh, very scarce, very fine. Herman Toasperm & Ross OShaughnessy handstamps ECV \$400 - 500
- 177 ☒ **Hopkinson's Express, Paid frank**, printed express company frank (Haller FH13, type 2) in a fancy rectangular frame 3¢ pink on white entire (U58) (repaired corner), cancelled by manuscript "WF(?)" and bearing manuscript "March 22/?" to Nevada City, Cal., quite fresh, very scarce, fine. Ex Hackett with his handstamp ECV \$300 - 400
- This small company managed to use a number of printed franks during the brief periods of operations. Emerson Hopkinson purchased a route from Nevada City to the Dutch Flat area. He sold the route to A.J. Stone and then bought it back from Stone in February 1865.*
- 178 ☒ **Langton's Pioneer Express, Downieville (Cal)**, clear oval express company markings (Haller FL3, type 6), used with scarcer Langtons' Pioneer Express Paid printed frank printed in ornate frame on 3¢ pink on white entire (U58), also blue double oval datestamp "Wells, Fargo & Co., Marysville (Cal) July 3", believed to be 1865, to San Francisco, fresh and fine. Scarce and attractive double express company use from the Daneri correspondence ECV \$300 - 400
- Langton Express was founded and operated by Samuel W. Langton in February 1850. His route was Marysville up the Yuba River to Downieville. In February 1855, he sold out to Adams and Company. Two days later, the sale fell through (reportedly because Adams did not pay him). He then formed Langton's Pioneer Express, which he ran personally until 1864. Following his death, his family unsuccessfully continued the business until 1866 when they sold the business to Lamping and Company. Later that year, Lamping and Company sold the company to Wells Fargo and Company.*



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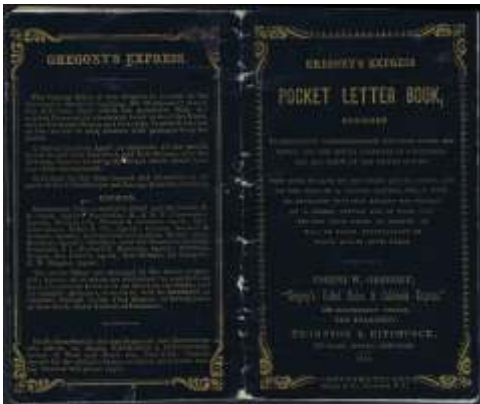
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- 179 ☒ **Langton's Pioneer Express, Downiesville**, on 3¢ pink entire to Folson, carried to Marysville & exchanged with Wells, Fargo & Co. with their blue double oval handstamp of Oct 29 Marysville applied, very deep impression. ECV \$150 - 200
- 180 ☒ **Langton's Pioneer Express, Downiesville**, on 3¢ pink entire to San Francisco, carried to Marysville & exchanged with Wells, Fargo & Co. with their blue double oval handstamp of Sept 4 Marysville applied, attractive, very fine. From the well-known Danier correspondence ECV \$150 - 200
- The Gold Hill (N.T.) of Tuesday, 16 August 1864 reports "SAD ACCIDENT - The Gold Hill (N.T.) 'News' of August 13th: Samuel LANGTON, well known in connection with Langton's Express Company, met with a terrible accident last night near Silver City. In endeavoring to pass with his sulky, an ox team heavily loaded with lumber, he was caught against the bank, his sulky crushed and himself thrown beneath the wheels of the wagon. His right leg was crushed so terribly that amputation was necessary and the operation was performed by Dr. TJADER, of Carson. LANGTON lies at the Golden Gate in great suffering."*
- 181 ☒ **Langton's Pioneer Express, West to East**, printed express company frank in fancy frame (Haller FL3, type 5), on 10¢ green on buff entire (U16), cancelled by blue segmented grid cancel matching, blue Marysville Feb 4 Paid by Stamps c.d.s. to Galway NY, scarce use of an express frank on a 10¢ Die, fine ECV \$250 - 300
- When the company began they had extensive routes from the mining areas. This included a steamboat service from Marysville and Sacramento to San Francisco.*
- 182 ★☒ **Langton's Pioneer Express, blue frank on unused 3¢ entire**, very rare blue franking on even rarer unused 3¢ entire titled "Express Matters", "Lot 40" probably used for bundling ECV \$100 - 150
- Did you know Langton's was also a passenger transportation company?*
- 183 ☒ **Langton's Pioneer Express, group of 3 franked covers**, comprising entires of 10¢ (2) and (1) 3¢ Star Die cut in. 10¢ to Philadelphia bearing New York transit; 10¢ to Sarusville Wis., with Downieville handstamp with rare faint "Oct ? 18 ?? year"; the 3¢ Star Die bears manuscript "12/6", to Nevada. Interesting grouping ECV \$350 - 400
- When Langtons began connecting with Wells, Fargo at Marysville in 1857 he discontinued the steamboat route.*
- 184 ☒ **Utah, Louise's Express**, manuscript marking on front of folded letter (stain) date-lined "Provo Aug 26th 1860" addressed to Great Salt Lake City. Letter refers to "Louise's Mail" and the content ranges from bears to sugar cane, melon crops to Mormon in Congress. Unlisted company ECV \$200 - 250
- 185 ☒ **"From Noisy Carrier's Mail, 77 Long Wharf S.F. Cal."**, green local express company marking in fancy frame used with mostly clear "San Francisco Cal. 10 Jan 16" date stamp on envelope to West Dennis Mass ECV \$200 - 300
- The Noisy Carrier was one of the most well-known letter bag operators in San Francisco. The company was founded by Charles Proctor Kimball. Kimball moved from Maine to San Francisco in 1849 and after several failed employment attempts, Kimball became a public crier for the Daily Journal of Commerce, where his exuberance earned him the nickname of "the noisy carrier". He established his first express line as Kimball & Cos Express. After the great fire on May 4, 1851, Kimball's reformed under Noisy Carriers. He opened a periodicals shop where he carried and distributed periodicals from all over the world.*
- 186 ☒ **Pacific Express Co., Jamestown (Cal.)**, rare bold red oval express company marking used with Pacific Express Co. Paid printed frank (Haller FP1, type 3a) on uncanceled 3¢ entire (U10) with horse and rider, to San Francisco. Quite fresh and neat, scarce and attractive use. Very interestingly sent to Noisy Carriers to the little known 64 and 66 Long Wharf, San Francisco ECV \$350 - 400
- No examples of the handstamp existed in Dale or Knapp, one in Edwards.*
- 187 ☒ **River Express, Stockton & San Francisco Paid frank**, printed green express company frank on 2¢ green entire (U312) uncanceled, fresh and very fine, scarce in this condition, as many are to Stockton ECV \$150 - 200

This company operated by steamboat between San Francisco and Stockton, 1874 to 1895.



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- 188 ☒ **Singer & Morrow Feather River Express (Cal.), Paid Frank**, printed express company frank in large fancy box (Haller FS7) on 3¢ red buff envelope (U10) (top edge a bit rough with small tear in frank) bearing partial blue oval Pacific Express Co. Nov. 9 c.d.s., to Coloma. A very rare combination express company usage, from the Singer Morrow partnership of 1855-57, fine ECV \$500 - 600
- Captain William E. Singer operated five different express companies all carrying mail between the Feather River mining camps and Marysville. In late 1855 Singer partnered with Thomas H. Morrow and formed the Singer & Morrow Company. The partnership ended in 1857 with the belief that Morrow was an unscrupulous partner.*
- 189 ☒ **Truman & Co's Express, S.F. & S.J. R.R. Express**, rectangular box frank with railroad line of text above and address below on 3¢ pink on white entire (U58), to San Francisco, cancelled by manuscript "J.G. (?) 27.1.68". Scarce in this condition, this operated between San Francisco and San Jose, Watsonville and Santa Cruz, 1861-1867, very fine, *eight reported used examples of this variety of frank.* ECV \$300 - 400
- James C. Truman began his J.C. Truman Express in January 1864 soon after arriving in San Francisco. He took Chapman as a partner on February 16, 1864 and after Chapman withdrew in 1865, he formed Truman & Co's Express. It operated from San Francisco to San Jose by rail and to Watsonville and Santa Cruz until 1868.*
- 190 ☒ **Wells & Co's Moore's Flat and Eureka Express, Paid frank**, printed express company frank in fancy frame (Haller FW7), on 3¢ pink on white entire (U58), uncanceled, to Sacramento, very fine and scarce used, one of the L.H. Wells companies ECV \$500 - 600
- Philip and Gregory began running the Nevada City, Emigrant Gap, and Moores Flat to Eureka South (Graniteville) route on Sep. 8, 1865. Philip sold his interest out to English on Feb. 28, 1866, and formed Gregory & English. This company lasted through June 3, 1868, when L.H. Wells bought out Gregory. English and Wells operated the company until Nov. 18, 1869, when L.H. Wells bought out English. Wells formed the L.H. Wells Moores Flat and Eureka Express. On Mar. 3, 1870, Wells sold a half interest in his express to A.W. Herring and renamed the company Wells and Herrings Moores Flat and Eureka Express. This configuration ran until 1871-72, when it became L.H. Wells and Co.s Express started in 1872.*
- 191 ☒ **Wells, Fargo & Co.**, large orange EXPRESS label depicting train and steamship (heavy printing) applied to Wells, Fargo & Co. franked 3¢ green entire, cancelled by blue Wells, Fargo & Co. SAN FRANCISCO oval, to Carson City ECV \$200 - 300
- 192 ☒ **Wells, Fargo & Co.**, small orange EXPRESS label SHASTA, CAL. applied to Wells, Fargo & Co. franked 3¢ red entire, cancelled by weak black Wells, Fargo & Co. EXPRESS SHASTA oval to San Francisco ECV \$150 - 200
- 193 ☒ **Wells, Fargo & Co's OVER OUR LINES IN THE UNITED STATES, Double Impression**, frank on local 2¢ brown entire cancelled by violet oval W.F. & Co, SAN FRANCISCO OCT 22 1886, duplicate cancel on the reverse, to San Francisco. ECV \$200 - 300
- A very late used frank, enhanced by possible unique double impression.*
- 194 ☒ **Wheeler's Express, Paid frank**, printed in a ribbon design (Haller GW10, type 1) on 3¢ pink on white entire (U34) (some stain spots) cancelled by blue double circle Wells, Fargo & Co. Jan 22 MARYSVILLE oval and faint blue "Wheeler's Express" most likely, La Porta, c.d.s., to Oroville, Cal. Scarce use. ECV \$300 - 400
- In 1862, George Morley sold his interest in the Holland, Morley & Company Express Company to Sam Wheeler. Holland and Wheeler serviced the same La Porte and Marysville routes as their predecessor Sam Wheeler was by accounts a feisty man who left the partnership in late 1863 to form The Wheeler's Express Company In 1864 R.H. Rutherford joined the firm and the name was changed to Wheeler, Rutherford & Co. Express. The company operated through 1865.*
Mr. Wheeler gained a bit of local notoriety in 1865 when a political difference led to a quarrel with the Superintendent Cohen of the Alameda Valley Railroad. Mr Wheeler "preferred to patronize the opposition". Cohen ordered the Conductor to put Wheeler off the train, "and on his refusal to do so, Cohen dismissed the Conductor. and called other workmen called to enforce the his "arbitrary order" .



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- 195 ☒ **Whiting & Co's Feather River (Cal.) Express, Paid frank**, printed express company frank in double-lined box (Haller FW12, type 2) with large "Paid" on uncanceled 3¢ red on buff Star Die entire (U27) (top back flap replaced), manuscript J Shirer (?) on left side, to Irvine City Cal., fine ECV \$150 - 300

The Whiting & Co's Feather River Express operated from 1857 to 1868. Fenton B. Whiting, partnered with Henry C. Everts, G. W. Morley, and E. E. Meek to form Whiting & Co's Feather River Express in 1857. They were the leading operators in northern Plumas County. The business was sold to Garland & Company in 1868.

Texas and Wars

Texas Annexation Period 1842-1845

At the conclusion of the Annexation there were Texans who were imprisoned in Mexico. Two Americans were sent to Mexico to negotiate. General Waddy Thompson, who had several high flying titles, "Excellency", "Envoy Extraordinaire". "Minister" etc. and Benjamin Green Esq. Secretary of the U.S. Legation. The following 5 lots are outer letter sheets, mostly from Vera Cruz, some with interesting docketing of what was in the letters. Most are to the General

- 196 ☒ **1842 Texian Prisoners Period.** Folded letter sheet bearing boxed VERA CRUZ AGOSTO 12 postmark, rare black "3" handstamp and very rare blue "SHIP" plus manuscript "Care Collector New Orleans", docketing "Velasco relating to Douglas, a Texian prisoner", to General Thompson ECV \$150 - 200
- 197 ☒ **1843 Texian Prisoners.** Folded letter sheet bearing extremely rare red boxed PUERTO DE MATAMOROS postmark and matching "1", docketing "Isaac D. Marks, Esq. U.S.V. Consul Matamoros" stating that "the rumor of shooting 30 of the Texian prisoners has not been confirmed Feb. 10", to Don Theodoro Ducoing y Co. Chilling and later confirmed ECV \$250 - 300
- 198 ☒ **1843 (?) Texian Prisoner Period.** Folded letter sheet missing bottom flaps bearing straight line LAGOS handstamp to Benjamin Green, manuscript May 30. Lagos de Mexico is North West of Leon ECV \$100 - 125
- 199 ☒ **1843 Texian Prisoners,** 5 folded letter sheets from 1842 to 1844, 4 addressed to General Thompson, 1 to Benjamin Green all bearing boxed VERA CRUZ date pinks, one with additional "3" handstamp, 4 with interesting docketing, one with reference to the arrival of a ship. Fine historical group ECV \$200 - 300
- 200 ☒ **1842-44 Texian Prisoner Period.** The remaining 19 folded letter sheets to Thompson and Green all bearing VERA CRUZ dated pen marks and a red JALAPA, good for the chronology of this period. Also thrown in because it doesn't belong anywhere else, about 30 black and white postcards, mostly of the Poncho Villa War ECV \$400 - 500

Sam Houston

- 201 ☒ **Sam Houston Deposition 1843.** #10 size folded letter sheet from "Washington (DC) June 24, 1843" bearing manuscript "\$1.50" postage, "Deposition of Sam Houston in the case of James Perkins vs Philip A. Sublett" on reverse a signed certification "received 26 Sept 1843 J.B. Johnson" addressed to the District Court of Saint Augustine County, St. Augustine Texas. Quite historical ECV \$150 - 200

EXTENSIONS AND EXPERTIZING

Any lots place on extension for expertizing **MUST** be submitted by Harmers International, Inc. Submission by the purchaser will nullify any extension request. Therefore, upon notification of purchase, please contact us by mail, telephone, fax or e-mail with the lot numbers you wish to submit and the desired expertizer .



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The Mexican War 1846-48

The following 5 lots comprise a correspondence (no letters) from a soldier, F. Woodbridge to his parents living in Detroit. F. Woodbridge was part of the General Winfield Scott (a namesake steamboat lot is elsewhere in this catalogue) invasion of Mexico commencing at Point Isabel, Texas to Vera Cruz, thence to Mexico City (Tampico was a stopover). Almost all envelopes bear the town (some obscure) and date hence a chronological roadmap of the campaign from January 16 1847 in Texas to Mexico City after the withdrawal date of June 1848. All mail was routed through New Orleans. Capable of being a nucleus for an exhibition collection.

- 202 ☒ **“Off Brazos Santiago Jan 13th”**, manuscript on envelope bearing PT. ISABEL JAN 16 1847 (Texas) 2 line postmark “10” handstamp, fine ECV \$150 - 200

“Port Isabels history is forever linked to the fate of two countries, the United States and Mexico. The importance of Port Isabels role is reflected in the great military minds that were sent to this area during the U.S.- Mexican War.” Port Isabel-Texas Tourist Bureau: The Walk of Generals.
- 203 ☒ **“Tacubaya Sept 1st”**, manuscript on envelope bearing VERA CRUZ MEX SEP 22 (1847) and manuscript “10”. Tacubaya is a Mexico City suburb ECV \$150 - 200
- 204 ☒ **“Mexico City Nov 10 + 25th”**, manuscript on envelope bearing VERA CRUZ MEXO NOV 29 (1847) 2-line handstamp, “X” handstamp, on reverse manuscript “Saturday night January 8th 1848” ECV \$150 - 200
- 205 ☒ **“Tacubaya” 1848**, group of 4 envelopes after the Treaty of Guadalupe. Manuscript May 6”, “May 18”, “April 4,6,7th”, one undated, each bearing VERA CRUZ boxed 2-line cancels dated respectively May 11, May 18, April 12 and May 11, fine group of the occupying period ECV \$350 - 400
- 206 ☒ **The Soldier F. Woodbridge War Correspondence remainder**, 37 envelopes comprising 10 Tampico commencing Jan 18 (1847), Lobos Islay 1 cover, Vera Cruz 6 covers, Lizardo (Anton) 1 cover, Perote -2 covers, Tepeyahulco 3 covers, Puebla 2 covers, Mexico City 2 covers, Tacubaya 2 covers, no towns, but dated 8 covers. Ratings include “Due 10” 2 have “10” + “20”, “SHIP”, “VERA CRUZ” 2-line, manuscript “via Louisville & Cincinnati” almost all with New Orleans transits. Wonderful for study. ECV \$1,000 - 1,500
- 207 ☒ **BRAZO (misspelled) FEB 27 (1848)**, 2-line marking on faulty folded letter sheet to North Carolina. Quite readable marking. After the Treaty and troop withdrawal. Not Woodbridge correspondence ECV \$200 - 300
- 208 ☒ **MATAGORDA MAY 21 TEXAS**, 3 line handstamp on manila envelope bearing manuscript “paid 10”, red NEW YORK 5 JUN ____ receiver, 4 page letter date lined “May 19 1849”, re-addressed to Vermont. Not part of the Woodbridge correspondence ECV \$100 - 150
- 209 ☒ **“VERA CRUZ MEXICO FEB _”**, 2-line handstamp with large “10” on 1848 folded letter sheet, 4 page letter date lined Orizaba Mexico Jan 27 1848 with most interesting war information “ . . . we came devilishly near catching Santa Ana” and more. To Indiana. Not part of the Woodbridge correspondence. ECV \$100 - 150

Confederate States and U.S. Possessions

- 210 ▲ **Confederate States, Postmaster’s Provisional, Memphis, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ red, Vertical Pair**, some margins and creases, tied by Memphis NOV 23 Tenn. c.d.s. on front (some faults), to Petersburg Va. Foundation Cert. (2015). (56X2). \$4,000 as cover



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- 211 ▲ **Confederate States, 1863, 10¢ blue, perf'd** (perf stain spots) tied by blue EMORY VA JUN 10 c.d.s. on turned front with imperforate example (pen cancelled) on reverse. Former Lynchburg, latter to Pigeon Run Va., *Interesting* (12f). \$900 on cover
- 212 ☒ **Danish West Indies, Used to the United States: 1874, 4¢ brown & dull blue, Pair**, tied by light FREDERICKSTED c.d.s. on envelope bearing on reverse double - circle NEW YORK PAID ALL transit and REDBANK N.J. FEB 24 1903 receiver (7). \$225 single on cover
- 213 ☒ **Danish West Indies, Used to the United States: 1874, 10¢ blue & brown, Horizontal Pair**, very fine, tied by CHRISTIANSTED 23, 10 1899 c.d.s. on envelope bearing merchant oval and manuscript "per Aiadiana", on reverse New York 11-1-99 PAID ALL receiver. A rare double rate usage. Facit 10. . (10). \$200 single on cover
- 214 ☒ **Danish West Indies, Used to the United States: 1900-02, 5¢ light blue and 8¢ on 10¢ blue & brown**, very fine copies tied by ST. THOMAS 16-10-1902 c.d.s. strikes on registered envelope bearing boxed R handstamp, numbers and manuscript "5.8c", on reverse New York oval transit and red LORAIN OHIO Oct 24, 1902 Registered receiver. Rare combination (22, 25). ECV \$300 - 400
- 215 ☒ **Hawaii, Official Mail: Used to Canada: G.P.O. HONOLULU PAID ALL JUN 5**, red double circle date stamp on fresh yellow 1872 envelope bearing SAN FRANCISCO JUN 18 transit, on reverse, blue oval WAILUKU JUN 1 origin, a Canadian transit and a FONT HILL JU 25 receiver ECV \$300 - 400

Far superior to the Golden and Tows example, the only one we have seen.

U.S. Stamp Collections and Various

- 216 E **20th Century Collection, Photographic Essays, 1940-1950.** 57 black and white oversize, generally 1 1/2" x 2" design size, all but 12 mounted on pages with appropriate stamps. Essays show no perforations and are of old-style photos, Scott #895-908, 922-952, 981-985, 987-991, 993-997. Generally very fine with appropriate stamps ECV \$500 - 1,000
- 217 P **19th Century: Group of 138 Plate Proofs and 14 Essays**, majority P4's in usual early sets from #3 to Bank Notes, including 1869's, Newspapers. Excellent selection with a vast majority fine to very fine . . . ECV \$1,500 - 2,000
- 218 ★○ **19th and 20th Century: Thousands of stamps**, in approval cards and small glassines in file boxes, totally disorganized but jam packed with very good material including Columbians to \$2, Trans-Miss. complete, 1869 etc., great unused 20th Century with plate blocks and singles like 634 o.g. There is also a nice holding of hundreds of classic revenues. You truly have to look through this - organizing will help a great deal. Also a carton of not very prime material ECV \$4,000 - 6,000
- 219 ★○ **Groups 19th Century.** Group of 13 generally fine to very fine appearing though varying faults such as reperforating, regumming and others, though a few truly very fine, includes #1, 19b (with Cert.), 26, 36 (with Cert), 68, 76, 113, 117, 191, 212, J20. Also a nice group of proprietary stamps ECV \$1,000 - 1,200
- 220 ★○ **Mostly 20th century collection and accumulation**, in one Harris album, First Day Cover book and one envelope, usual material and sets, also a Harris United Nation album and loose, generally fine. All in one carton ECV \$400 - 500
- 221 ★○ **19th & 20th Century.** Small collection of several hundred in old Nicklin album, used throughout though some stuck down unused (1¢, 3¢, C6, C18), some useful earlier revenues. ECV \$200 - 250

U.S. Postal History Collections and Various

- 222 ✉ **19th & 20th Century accumulation of about 130 interesting covers**, in 2 stock books, including classics, wonderful Civil War patriotics, several on original Siegel, Bennett and the old Kelleher lot sheets, plus associated “slave”, “colored troops”, up through 1869’s and Bank Notes, Zeppelin Flight frankings, fancy “Chickens”, and far better postal cards. Well worth the look and work. ECV \$2,500 - 3,000



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223	☒	Postal History 19th Century, Used to Foreign Destinations. A fine group of 17 covers, usages 1785 to 1869 including France, England, Mexico, Canada & Germany, values to 30c, nice assortment and useful	ECV \$1,250 - 1,500
224	☒	Mostly 19th century, hundreds of covers, groups of stampless, 3¢ reds, better classics, Patriotic, 4 Confederate; small but decent 20th century and shoebox of stationery, condition varies but much is useful. Well worth a look	ECV \$750 - 1,000
225	☒	Postal History - California Mails, 1850's to 1860's. From California 10¢ frankings 6 covers; to California 3 covers, one stampless, two 10¢ frankings; Express 3 Pacific Express Co frankings one postmarked MOK HILL, plus Wells, Fargo & Co. franking 3¢ entire with two 1861 3¢ plus 10¢ entire red frank (stained), red Freeman's oval and a manuscript, "Mother" to Santa Cruz. Interesting group of 16 covers, fine to very fine	ECV \$600 - 800
226	☒	Postal History Collection 19th Century. Group of 22 classic covers plus some paraphernalia, ranging from turned stampless, 2 territories, 1¢ blue, Confederate stampless and currency, etc. few stamps damaged, fabulous variety	ECV \$500 - 750
227	☒	1974-78 Space Shuttle Enterprise Test Flights: Collection of 142 different covers, representing the whole program, composed of Engle & Truly and Haise & Fullerton. The former have signed 6 covers, the latter signed 5 covers. Numerous other assortments and more than 60 signatures from shuttle carrier aircraft crews. Presented chronologically	ECV \$600 - 800

Forgeries and Speratis

228	F▲	Post Masters' Provisionals: Group of 6 Peter Winter fronts, comprising Alexandria, Annapolis, Buchanan (2), New York, St. Louis, fine to very fine	ECV \$100 - 125
229	F☒	Brattleboro, Vt., 1846, 5¢ black on buff, "tied" by BRATTLEBORO APR 21 VT c.d.s. on folded letter sheet bearing black PAID and "facsimile" handstamps on reverse. Not quite of the quality of the Jarrett covers. Scott \$30,000 if genuine (5X1 var.).	ECV \$200 - 250
230	F	1847, 10¢ black, Pair, no "gum", oversized stamps. Scott \$30,000 if genuine, very fine appearance (2 var.).	ECV \$100 - 150
231	F☒	1863, 2¢ black "bisect", tied on 3¢ entire by pen stroke. Scott \$1,500 if genuine (73).	ECV \$100 - 150
232	F☒	1908, 1¢ blue green coil, perf 12 horizontally, tied by duplex on 1907 picture postcard. Scott \$115,000 for unused (316 var.).	ECV \$150 - 200
233	F	1938, 3¢ Presidential, imperf, Pair, "gummed", very fine (807c var.).	ECV \$100 - 150
234	F☐	1954, 4¢ Lincoln, Block of 4 Plus Single, purportedly made by the Mafia in Brooklyn. Also two copies of 634 one overprinted "FAKE". Scott \$375+, n.h., fine (1036(CF1)).	ECV \$150 - 175
235	F☐	Airmail, 1918, 24¢ carmine rose & blue, center inverted, Block of 4, "unused". The wonderful Peter Winter replica of which only one sheet was printed. Impress everyone. Scott \$1,600,000 if genuine, fine (C3a var.).	ECV \$500 - 750
236	F	Swart's City Dispatch Post, 1849-53 (2¢) red, "tied" on book cover. Scott \$600 if genuine, very fine (136L4 var.).	ECV \$100 - 125
237	F	Wyman, 1844, 5¢ black, "used" on 1844 folded letter from England (Sextan), bearing one copy (one missing) "tied" by pen strokes to Mass., readdressed to Ohio. Most of the cover is genuine. (149L1 var.).	ECV \$150 - 200
238	F	Carriers & Locals: Collection of over 400, neatly arranged and grouped in stock book, no excessive duplicates, excellent to crude examples, some rare companies	ECV \$750 - 1,000



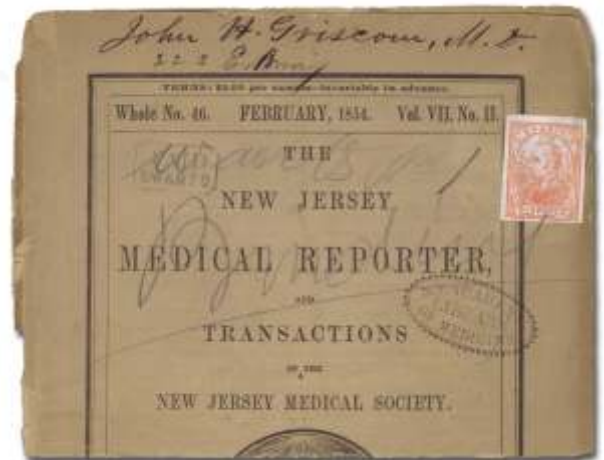
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- 239 F **U.S. Carriers & Locals: group of 265+ examples of reprints, forgeries etc.** on approval cards usual variety, but many unusual, plus 3 Confederate Postmasters ECV \$300 - 400
- 240 F **Revenue, 1862, group of 3 used stamps with trimmed perforations,** trying to be: R37a, 10¢ Power of Attorney; R63a, 50¢ Surety Bond, imperf; and R66b, \$1 Conveyance. Decent looking copies (R37a, R63a, R66b vars.). ECV \$100 - 125
- 241 F☒ **Rhodes & Whitney Express.** Three in blue, two Yreka, one Weaverville, all on genuine Wells, Fargo & Co. entires. A bit fragile. Ex Dale Lichtenstein ECV \$100 - 150
- 242 F☒ **Wells Fargo & Co. Express,** envelope bearing blue POST OFFICE VICTORIA oval and genuine cancelled U.S. 10¢ ECV \$200 - 250
- 243 F☒ **Wells, Fargo & Co. Paid, Boise Mines,** paid 50 cts franked 3¢ pink entire bearing counterfeit blue Wells Fargo & Co cancels. Signed J.A. Fox. ECV \$100 - 125
- 244 F☒ **Confederate States, Rheatown, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ red,** two copies “tied” on folded letter sheet by manuscript and PAID to Virginia. Interesting concept. Scott \$37,500 if genuine (69X1 var.). ECV \$300 - 350
- 245 F☒ **Confederate States, 1863, 10¢ blue, perf’d,** margins all around, genuinely tied on brownish envelope by DUBLIN VA cancel, appears to be rouletted, but is not. Unpriced as genuine (11e var.). ECV \$150 - 175
- 246 F **Confederate States, “Richmond City Post” collection of 62 cinderellas,** mounted and studied, types and varieties, 51 of which were produced by Taylor, great variety of colors, types and varieties, 12 are “cancelled”, nice patina ECV \$500 - 600
- 247 F **Austria: Italian Occupation, 1918, 10K deep violet with black overprint,** “Venezia Giulia”, “tied” on piece by c.d.s., very fine. Scott \$52,000 if genuine (N17 var.). ECV \$250 - 300
- 248 F **Austria: Italian Occupation, 1918, 90h and 4k,** o.g. lightly hinged, very fine. Scott \$5,650 if genuine (N46, 49 vars.). ECV \$100 - 125
- 249 F **Austria: Italian Occupation, 1918, 10k deep violet,** o.g., hand stamp? very fine. Scott \$235,000 if genuine (N50 var.). ECV \$250 - 300
- 250 F☒ **Barbados, 1861, “Britannia” (1d) blue, rough perf 14 to 16 and (4d) dull rose red, rough perf 14 to 16,** “tied” on mourning cover bearing Stamford CT receiver, NY. STEAMSHIP FORWARDED and Barbados origin on reverse. Most of it is genuine and quite well done. SG 24, 25 vars. (16, 17 vars.). ECV \$200 - 300
- 251 F **Canadian Provinces: Newfoundland, Airmail, 1919, 3¢ Hawker Flight,** quite good overprint artwork, o.g., very fine. Scott \$27,500 if genuine (C1 var.). ECV \$350 - 500
- 252 F **Canadian Provinces: Newfoundland, Airmail, 1919, 3¢ Hawker Flight,** “used”, very fine. Scott \$16,000 if genuine (C1 var.). ECV \$250 - 300



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- 253 F☒ **Canada, 1959, 5¢ St. Lawrence Seaway, center inverted, tied on 1971 envelope (some wrinkles) with 2¢ Due, curiously it seems to be quite genuinely used, so this forgery was used also to defraud the post (387a var.).** ECV \$300 - 350
- 254 F☒ **Cape of Good Hope, 1853, stampless cover, bearing “PORT ELIZABETH TO PAY” oval on small envelope. Close to real thing. Ex Dale-Lichtenstein** ECV \$125 - 150
- 255 F **Cape of Good Hope - Mafeking, 1900, “3d” on 1d rose, “double surcharge”, o.g., very fine (164 var.).** ECV \$100 - 150
- 256 F **Cape of Good Hope - Mafeking, 1900, 1s on 6d violet on rose (2) copies, one o.g. and used copy. Nice pair, very fine. Scott \$7,370 if genuine (175 var.).** ECV \$200 - 250
- 257 F **French Colonies: Cilicia, Adana-Aleppo Airmail, 1920, 2pi on 15c gray green and 5pi on 40c red & gray blue, o.g., fine. Scott \$19,000 if genuine (C1, C2 vars.).** ECV \$200 - 250
- 258 F **Egypt, 1926, 50pi Port Fuad, overprint is fake. Scott \$875 if genuine (124 var.).** ECV \$100 - 125
- 259 F☒ **France, - Ballon Monté, four folded flimsies, with stamps, one to New York (rough), one to Italy, one to Paris and one to “journale allemande.... Francfort”. Quite a group (see web site)** ECV \$350 - 400
- 260 F☒ **France, Egypt to France: 1886, cover bearing France 40c, Egypt 1866 1pi, 1867 pi, all “tied” by ALLESSANDRIA c.d.s. on 1867 envelope bearing boxed AFFRANCHISSEMENT INSUFFISANT and other markings, to Paris. Most of the cover is genuine** ECV \$300 - 400
- 261 F☒ **France, Egypt to France: 1867, France 40c and Egypt 1867 2pi, “tied” by cancels on most of an 1867 folded letter sheet bearing Zago c.d.s. and Egypt transit, to Marseille** ECV \$250 - 350
- 262 F☒ **France, to Uruguay Bureau: 1867, France 80c, Uruguay 1866 10c, each “tied” by respective cancels on 1867 partly genuine folded letter bearing Montevideo c.d.s, to Malaga Spain** ECV \$250 - 300
- 263 F☒ **France Used in Syria, 20c, “tied” by blue oval Paquebot Méditerranée cancel on folded letter bearing Beyrouth oval and other markings to Marseille** ECV \$150 - 200
- 264 F **German States: Bavaria, 1849, 1kr black, plate I, Sperati, “used”, B.P.A. handstamp. Scott \$2,250 if genuine, very fine (1 var.).** ECV \$150 - 200
- 265 F **German States: Oldenburg, 1859 and 1861: Group of Four, Sperati, 2g, ½g, 2g, 3g, “used”, B.P.A. handstamps, very fine (7, 12, 14, 15 vars.).** ECV \$350 - 400
- 266 F **German Offices in China, 1900, 50pf purple & black on salmon, the rarest of the overprints, o.g., fine. Scott \$29,000 if genuine. Michel 13 var. (22 var.).** ECV \$300 - 350



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267	F☒	Great Britain, 1840, 1d black on cover , fascinating genuine use of forged “Penny Black” used to defraud the post. Genuine 1858 violet London duplex with all appropriate Ireland transits to of all places a Post Office. Wonderful for a Penny Black exhibition. SG 2 var. (1 var.).	ECV \$100 - 150
268	F	Great Britain, “V R” Official, 1840, Queen Victoria, 1d black , genuine stamp with VR added, very fine. Scott \$35,000 if genuine. SG V1 var. (O1 var.).	ECV \$300 - 350
269	F	Great Britain, “V R” Official, 1840, Queen Victoria, 1d black , genuine stamp with VR added, very fine. Scott \$35,000 if genuine. SG V1 var. (O1 var.).	ECV \$300 - 350
270	F☒	Honduras, to Paris: 1865, 2r black on green, Pair , pen cancelled on 1876 front bearing France 30c Postage Due and a COLON-ASPINWALL (Colon, Panama) c.d.s. to Paris (1 var.). <i>No cover is known bearing Honduras #1.</i>	ECV \$350 - 450
271	F	Honduras, Air Post, 1925 to 1930, selection of 55 o.g. stamps and 4 covers , some may be genuine, some “signed”, some not counted. Probably catalogues \$9000 - if all genuine	ECV \$200 - 250
272	F	Indian States: Jammu & Kashmir, 1866-67, 4a gray black , probably a reprint, very fine. Scott \$3,000 if genuine (5 var.).	ECV \$100 - 125
273	F☒	Ionian Islands, 1859, Queen Victoria (½d) orange , “tied” on genuine Nov. 1861 envelope. Very impressive, very fine. Scott \$7,000 if genuine. SG 1 var. (1 var.).	ECV \$400 - 600
274	F	Italian States: Naples, 1860, Cross of Savoy, ½t deep blue, Sperati , “used”, B.P.A. handstamp, very fine. Scott \$3,250 if genuine. Sassone 16 var. (9 var.).	ECV \$200 - 250
275	F	Italian States: Papal/Roman States, 1852, 50b black on dull blue, Sperati , “used”, B.P.A. handstamp, very fine. Scott \$1,800 if genuine (10 var.).	ECV \$100 - 125
276	F	Italian States: Parma, 1859, Provisional Govt., 80c orange yellow, Sperati , “used”, B.P.A. handstamp, very rare, very fine. Scott \$250,000 if genuine. Sassone 18 var. (16 var.).	ECV \$400 - 500
277	F	Italian States: Sardinia, 1851, Victor Emmanuel II, 5c gray black, Sperati , “used” B.P.A. handstamp, very fine. Scott \$2,200 if genuine. Sassone 1 var. (1 var.).	ECV \$150 - 200
278	F	Italian States: Tuscany, 1851, 2s scarlet , “unused”, very fine. Scott \$17,000 if genuine (3 var.).	ECV \$100 - 125
279	F	Italy, 1878, 2c on Official 5L lake, inverted surcharge , o.g. hinge remnants, fine (43a var.). <i>On 2L (42a) invert would catalogue \$55,000 if genuine, unpriced on 5L.</i>	ECV \$100 - 150
280	F☒	Italy, Airmail, 1933, Balbo Trans-Atlantic Flight, 5.25L+19.75L triptych , “tied” on “flown” cover to Amsterdam. Bolaffi handstamp and signed. Scott \$3,000 if genuine. (C48 var.).	ECV \$300 - 350
281	F	Italy, Postage Due, 1870, 2c buff & magenta , “unused”, fine. Sassone 4b var. (J4 var.).	ECV \$200 - 250
282	F	Italy, Postage Due, 1890-94, 1L blue & magenta, double numeral , one genuine, o.g., fine . (J14 var.).	ECV \$100 - 125
283	F	Italy, Postage Due, 1890-94, 1L blue & magenta, numeral inverted , “cancelled”, original number removed, fine. Sassone 27a var. (J14b var.).	ECV \$100 - 150
284	F	Italy, Postage Due, 1903, 2L blue & magenta, double numeral , “used”, fine. Sassone 29 var. . . . (J16 var.).	ECV \$100 - 125
285	F	Italy, Postage Due, 1874, 5L blue & brown, double numeral , one genuine, cancelled, fine. Sassone 30 var. (J17 var.).	ECV \$100 - 125
286	F	Italy, Postage Due, 1903, 5L blue & magenta, double numeral , o.g., fine. Sassone 30 var. . (J18 var.).	ECV \$100 - 150
287	F	Italy, Postage Due, 1890-94, 10L blue & magenta , genuine stamp, “unused” with cleaned cancel, fine. Signed Brun. Sassone 27a var. (J20 var.).	ECV \$200 - 250



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- 288 F **Japan, 1874, Cherry Blossom, 6s violet brown, foreign wove paper, with syllabic**, postal counterfeit to defraud the post, “o.g.”, fine. With copy of Woodward sketches. (36 var.). ECV \$100 - 125
- 289 F☒ **Mauritius, 1847, “Post Office Mauritius”, 1d orange red and 2d deep blue, on cover**, an almost exact duplicate, front and back of the famed “Bordeaux” cover, the stamps being attached. SG 1, 2 var. (1, 2 var.). ECV \$250 - 300
- 290 F **Mauritius, 1848, “Post Paid”, 1d orange vermilion on yellowish (12 copies) and 2d deep blue on gray (4 copies)**, all in blocks and different printings on thin card (3, 4 var.). ECV \$100 - 150
- 291 F **Mexico, Airmail Official, 1930, 20c black violet, red “OFICIAL” overprint inverted**, o.g., very fine (C011c var.). ECV \$100 - 150
- 292 F☒ **New Zealand, 1856, Queen Victoria “Chalon Head”, 2d blue on blue paper**, Auckland printing, unwatermarked, “used” on a cover to which it does not belong, with Sydney Ship Letter OC 3 1853. SG 5 var. Campbell-Patterson A2b(y) var. (5 var.). ECV \$100 - 150
- 293 F **New Zealand, 1862, Queen Victoria “Chalon Head”, 6d gray brown, imperf**, Large Star watermark, nicely cleaned cancel, almost very fine. Scott \$1,950 for unused if genuine. SG 43 var. Campbell-Patterson A5b(2) var. (14g var.). ECV \$100 - 150
- 294 F **Romania, Moldavia, 1858, 81pa blue on bluish wove paper**, “unused”, margins all around, extremely repaired faults which is strange on a forgery. Scott \$50,000 if genuine (4 var.). ECV \$100 - 150
- 295 F **Russia, 1884, 3.50r black & gray, vertically laid paper**, on “horizontally laid paper, used”. Scott \$15,000 if genuine. Michel 38x. (39a var.). ECV \$400 - 600
- 296 F **Spain, 1851, Isabella II, 2r red**, “used”. Scott \$7,000 if genuine. Edifil 8 var. (8 var.). ECV \$200 - 300
- 297 F **Spain, 1853, Isabella II, 2r vermilion**, black “grid cancel”. Scott \$4,000 if genuine, very fine. Edifil 19 var. (21 var.). ECV \$200 - 250
- 298 F **Spain, 1865, Isabella II, 4cu blue**, genuine, probably trimmed perforations. Scott \$2,750 if genuine, very fine. Edifil NE2 var. (68 var.). ECV \$100 - 150
- 299 F **Switzerland, Zürich, 1850, “Wintherthur”, 2½rp black & red, Sperati**, “used”, B.P.A. handstamp. Scott \$3,500 if genuine, very fine. Zumstein 12 var. (1L5 var.). ECV \$150 - 200
- 300 F **Switzerland, Geneva, 1847, Large Eagle, 5c black on dark green and 5c black on yellow green, Sperati**, two of latter, “unused” and “used”, B.P.A. handstamps. Scott \$9,000 if genuine, very fine (2L3, 2L4 var.). ECV \$250 - 300
- 301 F **Switzerland, Basel, 1845, Dove, 2½rp black, crimson & blue**, most of a genuine stamp, lower third finished by probable reprint “tied” on part of cover by red Basel c.d.s. Scott \$13,500 if genuine. Zumstein 8 var. (3L1 var.). ECV \$250 - 300



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302	F☒	Switzerland, 1857, Sitting Helvetia (“Strubel”), 10rp blue, carmine silk threads on thin paper, diagonal bisect, “tied by grill” cancel on genuine folded letter sheet. Very well done. Ex Consul Weinberger. Scott \$7,250 if genuine. Zumstein 23E var. (27a var.).	ECV \$300 - 400
303	F☒	Tibet, 1914, Second Issue, dull ink, 4t deep blue, corner copy “tied on native cover”, very fine (7a var.).	ECV \$100 - 150
304	F☒	Tibet, 1914, Second Issue, dull ink, 8t carmine. Scott \$1,100 if genuine (8a var.).	ECV \$150 - 175
305	F☒	Tibet, 1912-50 Group of 11 covers, mostly with multiple frankings on native covers including one second design. Good examples of the reprint art	ECV \$125 - 150
306	F▲	Uruguay, 1858, 240c dull vermilion, “tied” on front bearing MONTEVIDEO 1 JUL10 oval, very fine. Unpriced (6 var.).	ECV \$250 - 300
307	F	Worldwide, The Foreign Forgery Remainder of a Few Hundred. Comprising Spain overprints, Uruguay “Heron” and “Albatross”, Saar 1929, 1948 and Germany 1949 sets with fancy cancels, German States, Japan, Poland, Iceland “I Gildi”, Spain, U.S., Italy, Guatemala surcharges, Argentina Corrientes blocks, etc, and 2 Italian and 1 Greek covers. Well worth inspection.	ECV \$300 - 400

British Commonwealth Issues

Australian States

New South Wales: 1850-51 Sydney View Issue

308	○	1850, Sydney View, 1d pale red, plate I, bluish paper, “47” in grid cancel, close to large margins all around, very fine. SG 5; £500 (\$740). (1b).	\$725
309	○	1850, Sydney View, 1d dull lake, plate I, bluish paper, light grid cancel, good margins all around, ever so faint crease, still very fine. SG 6; £500 (\$740). (1e).	\$725
310	○	1850, Sydney View, 1d dull carmine, plate I re-engraved, yellowish paper, partial grid cancel, good margins all around, deep color, crease, very fine appearance. SG 8; £375 (\$560). (2).	\$600
311	○	1850, Sydney View, 1d carmine, plate I re-engraved, laid paper, grid cancel, clear to good margins all around, almost very fine. SG 13; £600 (\$890). (2b).	\$800
312	○	1850, Sydney View, 1d dull carmine, plate I re-engraved, thick bluish paper, grid cancel, clear to large margins all around showing traces of adjacent stamps at top and at left, almost very fine. SG 11; £375 (\$560). (2c).	\$750
313	○	1850, Sydney View, 1d dull carmine, plate I re-engraved, yellowish paper, “hill unshaded”, position 2/3, light grid cancel, good margins all around, bright color, very fine. SG 8b; £700 (\$1,040). (2f).	\$925
314	○	1850, Sydney View, 1d dull carmine, plate I re-engraved, bluish paper, “no trees on hill”, position 2/2, light grid cancel, ample to large margins all around, very fine. SG 11a; £700 (\$1,040). (2l).	\$650
315	○	1850, Sydney View, 1d crimson lake, plate I re-engraved, bluish paper, light grid cancel, good to large margins all around, wonderful impression, extremely fine. Royal Cert.(1984). SG 9; £375 (\$560). (2n).	\$800



- 316 ★ 1850, Sydney View, 2d dull blue, plate I, late impression, full original gum, good to very large margins all around showing some guide-lines, extremely fine. Signed H. Block. SG 18; £4,000 (\$5,960). (3). \$4,500
- Incredibly rare stamp with gum and outstanding margins.*
- 317 ☒ 1850, Sydney View, 2d dull blue, plate I, late impression, good to lightly touched margins all around, tied by grid cancel on small envelope bearing APPIN AU7 1850 oval date stamp receiver, on reverse SYDNY AU 6 and CHIPPENDALE transits. SG 18; £360 (\$540). (3). ECV \$300 - 400
- 318 ○ 1850, Sydney View, 2d dull blue, plate I, retouched, light grid cancel, good to enormous margins all around, showing frame lines over 2 sides, crease, still very fine. Foundation Cert. (1985). SG 20; £275 (\$410). (4). \$400
- 319 ○ 1850, Sydney View, 2d dull blue, plate II, worn impression, light grid cancel, good to enormous margins all around, guide lines on two sides, extremely fine. SG 25; £160 (\$240). (5). \$300



- 320 ★ 1850, Sydney View, 2d gray blue, plate II, early impression, unused, good to large margins all around, thin spot, still very fine, *an incredibly rare stamp*. SG 23; £7,500 (\$11,180). (5h). \$8,500
- 321 ○ 1850, Sydney View, 2d gray blue, plate II, early impression, “no whip”, position 1/4, 1/8, neat numeral in grid cancel, good to enormous margins all around showing guide lines top and left, intense color, extremely fine. SG 23e; £425 (\$630). (5l). \$500
- 322 ○ 1850, Sydney View, 2d indigo, plate II, early impression, light grid cancel, good to large margins all around, extremely fine. SG 21; £350 (\$520). (5n). \$375
- 323 ○ 1850, Sydney View, 2d deep blue, plate III, light grid cancel, enormous to clear margins all around, showing guide lines three sides, very fine. SG 30; £200 (\$300). (6). \$300
- 324 ○ 1850, Sydney View, 2d deep blue, plate III, “no whip”, position 2/3, 2/7, light grid cancel, good to enormous margins all around, extremely fine. SG 30a; £350 (\$520). (6c). \$475
- 325 ★ 1850-51, Sydney Views, remainder group of five stamps, generally with small faults or just cut in, still nice stamps (2, 2a, 5h, 7). \$1,650
- 326 ○ 1851, Sydney View, 2d dull blue, plate V, wove paper, grid cancel, good to enormous margins all around, showing guide-lines on almost three sides, superb. SG 37; £180 (\$270). (8). \$300

327	○	1851, Sydney View, 2d dull blue, plate V, wove paper, grid cancel, good to large margins all around showing guidelines over two sides, extremely fine. Signed Diena. SG 37; £180 (\$270). (8).	\$300
328	○	1851, Sydney View, 2d dull blue, plate V, wove paper, light grid cancel, good margins all around, very fine. SG 37; £180 (\$270). (8).	\$300
329	○	1851, Sydney View, 2d dull ultramarine, plate V, laid paper, very light grid cancel, good margins all around, very fine. SG 38; £375 (\$560). (8a).	\$425
330	○	1851, Sydney View, 2d dull blue, plate V, wove paper, “pick and shovel omitted”, position 2/5, good margins all around, very fine. SG 37a; £500 (\$740). (8c).	\$525
331	○	1851, Sydney View, 2d ultramarine, plate V, thick wove paper, numeral in grid cancel, good to large margins all around, showing guideline at right, very fine. SG 36; £180 (\$270). (8d).	\$300
332	★	1850, Sydney View, 3d yellow green, bluish wove paper, unused, good to large margins all around, central thin spot and crease, very fine appearance. SG 42; £5,500 (\$8,200). (9).	\$6,250
333	○	1850, Sydney View, 3d yellow green, bluish wove paper, heavy partial grid cancel, good margins all around, very fine. SG 42; £250 (\$370). (9).	\$325
334	★	1850, Sydney View, 3d yellow green, yellowish wove paper, unused, fresh bright color, margins added all around, very fine appearance. SG 39; £6,000 (\$8,940). (9a).	\$7,000



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- 335 ○ **1850, Sydney View, 3d yellow green, yellowish wove paper**, grid cancel, good to enormous margins all around, very fine. Foundation Cert. (1986). SG 39; £300 (\$450). (9a). \$350
- 336 ○ **1850, Sydney View, 3d yellowish green, laid paper**, grid cancel, good margins all around, very fine. SG 43e; £600 (\$890). (9b). \$925
- 337 ○ **1850, Sydney View, 3d emerald green, bluish wove paper**, light grid cancel plus red cancel from foreign use, good to large margins all around, very fine. Signed Diena. SG 43; £250 (\$370). (9d). \$350



- 338 ☒ **Western Australia, Used to New York: Postal-Fiscal, 1882, 1d pair, 3d, 6d and 1s, Crown CA watermark, complete set less the rare 2d, all tied by PERTH duplex cancels on registered envelope bearing large R in circle and number and red manuscript “+” on reverse violet boxed, NEW YORK NOV 29 1894 receiver. Very rare. SG F11, F13-F15. (AR3//AR7). ECV \$1,500 - 2,000**
- 339 ★ **Australia, 1923, Kangaroo and Map, 6d chestnut, “broken leg”, At Left in Horizontal Pair With Normal, 3rd watermark, o.g., nice presentation of the variety, fine. SG 73a. (49 var.). ECV \$100 - 125**
- 340 ○ **Barbados, 1855, “Britannia” (½d) yellow green, imperf, Pair, light “1” in grid cancels, good to large margins all around, very fine, a rare pair. Ex Consul Weinberger. SG 7; £220 (\$330). (5a). \$250**
- 341 ★☒ **Barbados, 1855, “Britannia” (1d) pale blue, imperf, Block of 18, “regummed and treated to remove stains”, heavy creases removed, color affected, nevertheless impressive, very fine appearance. SG 9; £2,700 (\$4,020). (6a). \$3,060**
- 342 ☒ **British Guiana, Used to British Guiana: Great Britain, 1847-54, Queen Victoria, 1s pale green (embossed) + 1d red brown (embossed is cut to shape), tied by “498” in grid cancels on folded letter sheet (less bottom back flaps), bearing MANCHESTER SP1 1856 c.d.s., manuscript “Per Ori” on reverse red G.B. transit and DEMERARA SP 24 1856 receiver. SG 17, 54. (5, 8). ECV \$600 - 800**
- Great Britain covers (pre UPU) are incredibly rare to British Guiana, perhaps less than 60 in all. We know of only one other cover bearing an embossed issue stamp.*
- 343 ☒ **British Guiana, Used to British Guiana: Great Britain, 1865, Queen Victoria, 6d lilac, Emblems watermark, wing-margin strip of four (one file crease) tied by “18” in grid cancels on complete blue folded letter, datelined “1 December 1866” bearing DEMERARA DEC receiver on reverse., very, very rare destination. SG 97. (45). ECV \$300 - 400**
- 344 ★ **Canadian Provinces: Pre Stamp: British Columbia & Vancouver Island, Wells, Fargo & Co. Express Victoria V.I., three “Wells Fargo & Co. Victoria V.I.” one tying U.S. 1857 3¢ to printed paste-ups, reverse cover absent (26). ECV \$500 - 750**

The U.S. 1857 Issue is rarely seen on the British Columbia covers. There was only one in the Dale-Lichtenstein Collection and four in Wellburn.

345 ☒ **Canadian Provinces: Nova Scotia, Used to the United States via New Brunswick: 1851, 6d yellow green** (filing crease) tied by black grill on folded letter bearing blue NEW BRUNSWICK circle on reverse red YARMOUTH c.d.s., Sydney transit and ST. JOHN NB DE 15 1855 transit, to Boston. One of only seventeen 1860 covers known that year. Ex Col. Green (Sale 19 Lot 817). (4). \$1,600



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- 346 ○ **1851, Beaver, 3d red, laid paper**, sheet margin copy with part imprint, other sides good, neat blue “5” in five-ring cancel, extremely fine (1). \$1,000



- 347 ✉ **Used to New York: 1851, Prince Albert, 6d slate violet, laid paper**, good to large margins all around, very fine, tied by target cancel on bank folded letter bearing red MONTREAL AP 8 1852 c.d.s., PAID and curved CANADA (2). \$3,100
- 348 ○ **1855, Prince Albert, 6d slate gray**, margins all around, very fine. Foundation Cert. (1978). (5). \$1,500
- 349 ○ **1855, Prince Albert, 6d greenish gray**, target cancel, good to large margins all around, very fine . (5b). \$1,500
- 350 PS **1859, Prince Albert, 10¢ black brown, Plate Proof on India, vertical SPECIMEN overprint in carmine**, Pair, large margins all around, extremely fine. Unitrade 16Pi. (16 var.)Unitrade C\$900 (\$760)
- 351 ★ **1868, Large Queen, 2¢ green**, hinge remnants, quite well centered, deep color, very fine (24). \$900
- 352 ★ **1868, Large Queen, 3¢ red**, unused, fresh, fine (25). \$1,900
- 353 ★ **1877, Small Queen, 10¢ dull rose lilac**, part o.g., fresh, fine (40). \$1,750
- 354 ★★田 **1923, King George V “Admiral”, \$1 orange, Block of 4**, n.h., fine to very fine (122). \$960
- 355 ★★田 **1930, 50¢ Grand Pré, Block of 4**, n.h., very fine (176). \$1,400
- 356 ★★田 **1930, \$1 Mt. Cavell, Block of 4**, n.h., fine to very fine (177). \$1,400
- 357 ★★田 **1938, \$1 Chateau, Block of 4**, n.h., very fine (245). \$480
- 358 ★ **Airmail Semi-Official, 1925- 32, Group of 19**, l.h. to o.g., very fine (CL5//CL52). \$870
- 359 ○ **Cape of Good Hope, 1861 “Wood Block”, 1d carmine**, lightly cancelled, margins all around, left corner repair, very fine appearance. SG 13a; £3,500 (\$5,220). (7a). \$4,000
- 360 ▲ **Dominica, 1886, Queen Victoria, 1d lilac, bisected with 4d grey**, tied together by DOMINICA DE 27 86 A07 duplex on piece of letter showing some addressing. SG 14a, 24; £2,250 on cover (\$3,350). (18a, 22). \$2,350 on cover

This item may only be returned if it receives a negative expertising certificate.

Great Britain

- 361 ★ **1840, 1d black**, Plate 2 N-J, regummed, good margins all around, “faults”, very fine appearance. Brandon Cert. (2014). SG 2; £12,000 (\$17,880). (1). \$11,000



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- 362 ○ **1840, 1d black**, Pair, Plate 7, I-B and I-C, red Maltese cross cancels, margins all around, fresh, very fine. SG 2; £2,000 (\$2,980). (1). \$1,250
- 363 ○ **1840, 1d black**, Pair, Plate 6, H-K and H-L, red Maltese Cross cancels, margins except at places, fine. SG 2; £1,100 (\$1,640). (1). \$1,250
- 364 ☒ **1840, 1d black**, Plate 4, M-K, good margins all around, tied by red Maltese Cross on folded letter sheet bearing red BURTON ON TRENT JY 22 1840 c.d.s. on reverse. SG 2; £750 (\$1,120). (1). \$640
- 365 ○ **1884, Queen Victoria, 5s rose and 10s ultramarine**, c.d.s. cancels, well centered, fine to very fine. SG 180, 183; £775 (\$1,160). (108, 109). \$800
- 366 ○ **1884, Queen Victoria, 10s ultramarine**, Pair, Anchor watermark, very lightly cancelled, extremely fine. SG 183; £1,050 (\$1,560). (109). \$1,100+

A very rare high value multiple in sound condition.



- 367 ★ **"V R" Official, 1840, Queen Victoria, 1d black, Pair, letters E-G, E-H, unused, redistributed gum, faint horizontal crease, top margin expertly added along with just the top frame-line. The restoration is magnificent and virtually undetectable. A magnificent exhibition piece. SG V1; £90,000 as pair (\$134,100). (O1). \$70,000 as singles**
- Blocks of four are more common than pairs. We note 6 blocks and 5 pairs exist. Many major collections, including Gross, "Daisy", Dale-Lichtenstein & Ferrari had no multiples.*
- 368 ☒ **Hong Kong, Used to England: 1863-64, Queen Victoria, 30¢ vermilion and 2¢ brown**, Crown CC watermark, fine, tied by "B62" cancels on complete folded letter bearing red LONDON SP 14 66 c.d.s. receiver, manuscript "Via Marseille", on reverse HONG KONG JY 28, 1866 c.d.s., large red AUGUSTINE HEARD & CO. HONG KONG forwarded. SG 15, 8a. Yang 15, 8a. (19, 8). ECV \$400 - 500
- An excellent example of the 32 cent rate to London, far superior to the only example in the Ishikawa Collection.*
- 369 ☒ **Hong Kong, 1912, King George V, 2¢ deep green**, very fine, tied by special HONG KONG UNIVERSITY 14 MAR 12 c.d.s. on local envelope. This cancel was only in use for the opening ceremonies (6 days) and is quite attractive. SG 101. (110). ECV \$100 - 125
- 370 ☒ **Hong Kong, Used to Germany: 1¢ brown Treaty Port postal card overprinted CHINA 1½¢**, bearing uprated 1921, Hong Kong King George V, 4¢ carmine rose tied by Hong Kong 12 May 27 c.d.s. SG 120. (133). ECV \$100 - 150
- 371 ☒ **India & States, Indian Rocket Mail: 1934, 1935 group of 4 flown covers**, chronologically Dec 16, 1934 "First Night Firing Rocket Dispatch" (E-Z5C1) signed Stephen H. Smith; Dec 18 1934 red "Shore to Ship by Rocket" (E-Z7C1a) signed W. Shenton; June 6 1935 "Rocket Parcel Dispatch" (E-Z11C1) signed "Stephen H. Smith"; April 10 1935 Rocket "Parcel" (E-Z6C1) signed Smith & Dudley, each in original Siegel Feb. 1979 lot sheet with description and prices totaling about \$270. ECV \$200 - 250
- 372 ★★ **Ireland, 1928, 5s rose red Seahorse, wide and narrow settings**, Vertical Pair, o.g., wide stamp n.h., fresh, fine. SG 84a; £450 as hinged (\$670). (78a). \$700



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- 373 ★★/★ **Ireland, 1925, 10s dull gray blue Seahorse, narrow overprint**, Pair, o.g., corner copy n.h. (accent almost missing), very fine. SG 85; £300 as hinged (\$450). (79). \$800
- Most impressive.*
- 374 ○ **Mauritius, 1848-59, "Post Paid", 1d bright vermilion, Intermediate Impression**, good to clear margins all around, fine. SG 10; £2,750 (\$4,100). (3b). \$2,850
- 375 ○ **Mauritius, 1859, Lapirot issue, 2d blue, Intermediate Impression**, neat grid cancel, good to large margins all around, an almost imperceptible tone spot in the bottom margin, still very fine. SG 38; £1,400 (\$2,090). (14Bc). \$1,250
- 376 ★ **Nauru, 1916, King George V "Seahorse", 10s deep bright blue, De La Rue printing**, o.g., very rare shade, very fine. R.P.S. Cert. (1980). SG 23d; £500 (\$740). (15e). \$575

New Zealand



- 377 ★ **1855, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 2d dull blue on blued paper, London printing, Large Star watermark, unused, margins all around, clear two spots at right, various faults, none detracting from the brilliant color and appearance of this extremely rare stamp. Odenweller Cert (2013) states only "one closed tear ... corner crease and five spots of rust..." (barely noticeable). SG 2; £35,000 (\$52,150). (2). \$40,000**
- Our records show under 15 unused examples exist and have resided in most but not all of the great New Zealand collections. All but three are with faults or cut in.*
- 378 ○ **1857, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1s green on blue paper, Auckland printing, unwatermarked, light cancel, margins all around except at top left, fresh color, quite fine for this rare stamp. Odenweller Cert. (2015). SG 6; £3,750 (\$5,590). Campbell-Patterson A6b. (6). \$4,250**



- 379 ★ **1862, Queen Victoria "Chalon Head", 1d carmine vermilion, perf 13, Large Star watermark, a great New Zealand rarity, unused, brilliant color and well centered, some short perforations, fine. Odenweller Cert. (2015). SG 69; £2,750 (\$4,100). (16). \$3,000**
- Missing from great New Zealand collections including Bartrop and Gordon Kaye, better than the Burrus copy.*

- 380 ★ **1878, Queen Victoria “Side Face”, 2s deep rose, perf 12 x 11½, N Z and Star watermark, disturbed o.g., unusual centering for this issue, fine. SG 185; £375 (\$560).** (59). \$750
- 381 ▲ **Samoa, 1914, G.R.I. 6d on German Samoa 50pf black & purple on buff, bisect, together with 3d on 25pf orange and black (105) tied by APIA SAMOA 12-9-14 c.d.s. strikes on part of front and all of reverse bearing third strike of c.d.s. Undoubtedly genuine, but certificate of no opinion is not grounds for return** (108 var.). ECV \$200 - 250

V. Adler had only 5 covers of the G.R.I Issue not including low value post cards.



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Foreign Issues

382	✉	Argentina, 1864, Rivadavia, watermarked, perf 11½, 10c green , perforations all around, tied by black CORREO NATIONAL DE ROSARIO concave oblong postmark on folded letter sheet bearing ROSARIO 19 MAR 68 c.d.s. to Buenos Ayres, <i>rare cancel</i> (12).	\$350
383	✉	Austria, Used to United States: 1883 Double Eagle 2kr brown & black , fine copies, all tied by WIEN 1885 c.d.s. strikes on re-addressed envelope with enclosure bearing RAVENNA O. AUG 12 1885 c.d.s. (original address) on reverse NEW YORK double circle transit and additional Ravenna, to Greensburg Pa. a fine 3-color franking. Michel 44, 45, 46. (41, 42, 43).	ECV \$100 - 150
384	★★	Austria, 1936, 10s Dolfuss , n.h., extremely fine. Michel 588; €1,400 (\$1,540). (380).	\$1,100
385	★★	Austria, 1946, 5g+3g and 12g+12g Anti-Fascist Exhibition, unissued , n.h., fine to very fine. Michel VI-VII; €2,600 (\$2,860). (B178 vars.).	\$2,000

China

386	○	1878, Large Dragon on thin paper, 1ca green , round black chop cancel, very fine (1).	\$550
387	○	1878, Large Dragon on thin paper, 3ca brown red , oval black cancel, very fine (2).	\$475
388	○	1883, Large Dragon on thick paper, 3ca brown red, perf 12½ , attractive blue chop, fresh bright color, very fine (8).	\$450
389	○	1883, Large Dragon on thick paper, 5ca chrome yellow, perf 12½ , very rare CUSTOMS NEWCHANG c.d.s. cancel, bright color, very fine (9a).	\$950
390	★	1885, Small Dragon, 1ca green, perf 12½ , o.g., extremely fine (10).	\$225
391	★	1885, Small Dragon, 1ca green, perf 12½ , o.g., fine (10).	\$225
392	○	1885, Small Dragon, 3ca lilac, perf 12½ , distinctive blue chop cancel, fine (11).	\$140
393	★	1885, Small Dragon, 5ca greenish yellow, perf 12½ , o.g., vertical crease, very fine appearance . . (12).	\$450
394	★	1888, Small Dragons, 1ca-5ca complete, clean-cut perf 11½-12 , l.h. to o.g., fine to very fine (13-15).	\$800
395	★	1894, Empress Dowager 60th Birthday, 1st printing, 4ca rose pink , o.g., very fine (19).	\$240
396	★	1894, Empress Dowager 60th Birthday, 1st printing, 12ca brown orange , o.g., very fine (23).	\$675
397	★	1897, Small Figures surcharges on Small Dragons, 1¢ on 1ca green, 2¢ on 3ca mauve, 5¢ on 5ca olive yellow, set of three , o.g., fine to very fine (25, 26, 27).	\$508
398	★	1897, Small Figures surcharges on Empress Dowager, ½¢ to 10¢, set of 7 with duplicate ½¢ , o.g., fine to very fine (28-34).	\$373
399	★	1897, Large Figures wide surcharge on Dowager, 2nd printing, 10¢ on 9ca yellow green , o.g., with hinge remnant, fine (53).	\$200
400	★	1897, Large Figures narrow surcharge on Dowager, 1st printing, 4¢ on 4ca rose pink , o.g., fine (59).	\$300
401	○	1897, Small 2¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue , light cancel, fine (79).	\$450



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- 402 ★ **1897, Large 2¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue**, unused, thin, very fine appearance (80). \$550
- 403 ○ **1897, Large 2¢ on 3¢ Red Revenue**, black cancel, thin, fine (80). \$375
- 404 ★ **1912, Shanghai Statistical Dept. “Republic” overprint, \$1 red & pale rose**, o.g., very fine . . . (158). \$400
- 405 ★★/★ **1912, Waterlow & Sons “Republic” overprints, ½¢ to 50¢**, o.g., 5¢ to 50¢ n.h. except 20¢ unused, excellent set, fine to very fine (163//174). \$561
- 406 ★★ **1912, London: Waterlow & Sons “Republic” overprint, \$1 red & pale rose**, n.h., very rare in this condition, extremely fine (175). \$225
- 407 ☒ **Cilicia, Used in Turkey to the United States: 1920, O.M.F. surcharged issue, 5pa, 10pa, 1pi and 2pi**, neatly arranged and tied by ADANA 5-7-21 c.d.s. strikes on square envelope to San Francisco. Interesting Jaffa return address on reverse. ECV \$200 - 250



- 408 ☒ **Denmark, Used to the United States via Germany: 1867 envelope (frail) bearing 1858-62 8s green pair (one folded over edge), 1864-68 3s red violet, and 4s red 9 copies**, most stamps faults to varying degrees) all cancelled by “1” in target cancels, on envelope bearing black and red Copenhagen 1-12 c.d.s. strikes, “29-1-67” manuscript, on reverse blue boxed LUBECK 12-2 transit, to California (8 (2), 12, 13 (9)). ECV \$1,000 - 1,250
- Rare transit and very rare destination.*
- 409 ★ **Dominican Republic, 1868, ½r on greenish pelure paper**, o.g., margins all around, creases, fine, *rare with gum* (16). \$260
- 410 ★ **Egypt Local - Suez Canal Company, 1868, Set of 3 plus 1, 5c, 20c, 40c**, plus extra 5c, unsigned and not counted, o.g. Signed A. Diena. (L2, L3, L4). \$440
- 411 ☒ **France, Ballon Monté: Gazette des Absents Nov 30, Empire 20c blue tied by star cancel**, bearing ST. NAZAIRE Dec 1 (?) c.d.s. to Dinan (Cotes du Nord) arriving Dec. 7. Most probably “Franklin” catalogue \$350, but very close to “Volta” date, catalogue \$55,000. Maury €500 (\$550)
- 412 ★★ **France, Airmail, 1927, 2fr orange & blue, 5fr dark blue & buff**, sheet margin copies, n.h., fine and very fine. Yvert 1, 2; €50 (\$1,040). (C1, C2). \$800
- 413 ★ **France, Airmail, 1928, 10fr on 90c “Ile de France”**, very l.h., very fine. Yvert 3; €3,500 (\$3,850). (C3). \$2,400
- 414 ★★ **France, Airmail, 1936, Plane Over Paris, 85c to 3.5fr nearly complete, set of six**, including 85c deep green, 1.50fr blue, 2.25fr violet, 2.50fr rose, 3fr ultramarine, 3.50fr orange brown (corner copy), n.h., very fine. Yvert 8-13; €90 (\$320). (C8-C13). \$247



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- 415 ☒ **French Colonies: Tahiti, Used to the United States: 1901 cover, franked with Navigation and Commerce 1c pair, 2c 2 copies, 4c, 5c, 10c, 15c, 2 copies, 20c, 25c all tied by PAPEETE 18 JUIL 01 c.d.s. strikes on #10 Consular Service envelope, on reverse San Francisco transit and Washington D.C. AUG 4 1901 receiver. Fabulous 8-color franking (1-4, 6,8,10,11). ECV \$400 - 500**



- 416 ☒ **German States: Bavaria, Used to the United States: 1862, 1kr yellow (x2), 3kr rose and 18kr vermilion red (x2), no margins, all tied by "145" target cancels on envelope bearing half-circle FURTH 17-9 cancel - red AACHEN 18-9 PAID 23, N YORK OCT 3 transit cancel, manuscript "via England" and red "35". To New York. Attractively set up 3-color franking. Michel 8, 9a, 13a. (9, 10, 14). ECV \$1,000 - 1,250**

- 417 ★ **Germany, 1935, OSTROPA souvenir sheet, unused, only few penetrations, very fine. Michel Block 3; €1,100 (\$1,210). (B68). \$875**

- 418 **Germany, German Zeppelin 1933 Book ZEPPELIN-WELTFAHRTEN, 64 small photos and some text SB, in German. Fascinating. Also Falk book. ECV \$125 - 150**

- 419 ☒ **Greece, Used to the United States: 1896, 1st Modern Olympic Games, 10L slate gray, Strip of 3, tied by Greek c.d.s. cancels on reverse of envelope to President "Mac-Kinley", also bearing New York transit and WASHINGTON D.C. DEC 10 96 receiver (120). ECV \$100 - 150**



- 420 ☒ **Italian States: Modena, Used to the United States: 1852-53, 1L black and 15c black on yellow, 1L in at top together with lovely pair of 15c tied by bar cancels, on 1858 folded letter bearing various Italian markings, including red "21", "12", RD, red Bordeaux 11 DEC 58 transit, red boxed ___ Service, and large red PHILADELPHIA PAID JAN 5 receiver, on reverse GENOA 7 DEC 58 origin and transits. Rare high franking to a rare destination (9, 3). \$9,000 for 1L on cover**

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- 421 ☒ **Used to the United States: 1865, Victor Emmanuel II, 5c slate green, 10c buff and 40c carmine, all fine and tied by "186" in dots cancels on folded letter bearing PALERMO 13 MAI 70 c.d.s., and red NEW YORK PAID ALL c.d.s. (receiver), on reverse Milano and Genoa transits, very fine 3 color franking (26, 27, 31). ECV \$150 - 200**
- 422 ★ **1865, Victor Emmanuel II, 40c carmine, o.g., fresh color, fine. A.D. signature. (31). \$8,750**
- 423 ☒ **Used to the United States via Cuba: 1865, Victor Emmanuel II, 40c lilac, 2 fine copies, tied by "12" in dots cancel on envelope bearing FIRENZE 18 GEN 68 c.d.s. blue ITALIA c.d.s., blue boxed NE2 and probably red U.S. PAID c.d.s. on reverse, Italian transit and attractive blue HABANA 11 FEBR 1863 transit, to New York. Wonderful and extremely rare routing (32). ECV \$400 - 500**



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- 424 ★ **1878, 2c on Official 1L lake**, hinge remnant, fine. Sassone 33; €360 (\$400). (41). \$650
- 425 ☒ **Used to the United States: 1863-79, Humbert I, 50c violet, Pair, and Numeral, 1c gray green, Strip of 5**, all tied by boxed ROMA 11-04-84 cancels on Hotel QUIRINAL re-addressed envelope (open 3 sides), bearing SCOTCH PLAINS - NJ c.d.s (1st receiver), on reverse double circle NEW YORK PAID ALL Nov 24 transit plus hotel blue oval handstamp NYC receiver (50, 24). ECV \$200 - 250
- 426 ☒ **Parcel Post, 1955-59 Receipt, 4 values**, 1000L, 300L, 50L, 30L halves tied by BOLOGNA 11-10-59 c.d.s. strikes to Virginia for liver biopsy needles. Rare. (Q90, Q87, Q83, Q81). ECV \$100 - 125
- 427 ☒ **Japan, Used to the United States: 1899, Chrysanthemum, 3s violet brown (pair and single) and 1s light red brown**, tied by 38-1-8 local cancel on native envelope bearing TOKYO 8 JAN c.d.s., on reverse San Francisco transits and WASHINGTON D.C. FEB 8 1905 duplex receiver. Most colorful (97, 93). ECV \$150 - 200
- 428 ☒ **Mexico, 1886-87, Numeral Issues**, 1c x5, 2c, 3c x2, 4c, 6c, 11 stamps (1 on reverse), all tied by MEXICO 30 VIII89 c.d.s. strikes on large blue registered cover, bearing registered label, on the reverse large red Boston Mass. Sep 9, 1889 receiver. An impressive 5-color franking (174(5), 176, 179, 185, 186, 196). ECV \$200 - 300



- 429 ☒ **Netherlands, Used to the United States: 1894, outstanding Express envelope**, bearing 1888 William 12½¢ and 3¢, Wilhelmina 3¢, 5¢, 7½¢, 10¢ (2), 7 stamps tied by S'HERTOGEN BOSCH 15 JAN 94 c.d.s. strikes bearing straight line BRIEVEN-BUS and manuscript "Express", on reverse double circle New York Paid All, Washington DC Jan 28 receiver and very rare 2 line LATE MAIL. A lovely 6-color franking (29, 23, 40, 42, 43 (2), 41, 23). ECV \$1,000 - 1,500
- 430 ★★ **Netherlands, 1896, Princess Wilhelmina, 5g bronze green & red brown**, n.h., very fine, *very rare*. NVPH 48; €2,750 for n.h. (\$3,020). (54). \$700 for hinged
- 431 ☒ **Netherlands Colonies: Surinam, Used to the United States: 1890 cover**, 1¢ gray 3 copies, 2½ carmine, 1902 ½¢, 2 pairs 5¢, all tied by PARAMARIBO 13-4-1904 c.d.s. strikes on envelope bearing manuscript "per S.S. Parismina" (Amer S.S. Co.), on reverse double-circle New York Paid All and Philadelphia May 2 receiver. Nice four color franking (17, 19, 44, 49). ECV \$200 - 300
- 432 ○ **Portugal, 1853, Queen Maria II, 50r deep yellow green**, light "1" in grid cancel, very fine (3). \$875
- 433 ○ **Portugal, 1870, King Luiz, 240r pale violet**, neat "40" in grid cancel, very fine (33). \$475



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The following 10 covers comprise the correspondence of the H. Theologo Freres Company which was a merchant company operating out of the Ottoman Empire and associated areas. This correspondence is sometimes between branch offices within Romania. These covers are from a family find. Never previously seen or offered for sale.



- 434 ☒ **Moldavia, 1854, 54pa blue on greenish paper, enormous to clear margins all around, “registration fold”, tied by blue GALATZ 7/10 MOLDOVA c.d.s. on mourning folded letter to Jessy, on reverse H. Theologo Freres handstamps. A lovely and rare cover, *Heimbuchler 2015 Cert. “a new discovery” (2).* \$10,000 for used stamp**
- 435 ☒ **Moldavia, 1858, 40pa deep blue on white paper, enormous to good margins all around except just touched at top, tied by red band FRANCO-GALATZ cancel on blue 1861 folded letter, bearing matching red GALATZ 5/7 MOLDOVA c.d.s. On reverse blue Jassy receiver (9).** ECV \$300 - 400
- 436 ☒ **Moldavia, 1859, 40pa blue on white wove paper, good margins all around, filing crease, tied by blue oval FRANCO GALATZ on blue 1869 folded letter bearing matching blue GALATZ 12/4 MOLDOVA and blue H. THEOLOGO FRERES company oval and red crayon “X”, on reverse red JASSY 14/4 receiver (9).** ECV \$300 - 400
- 437 ☒ **Moldavia, 1859, 80pa red on white wove paper, margins all around, fine, tied by bluish boxed FRANCO FOKSCHANY cancel on white registered 1861 folded letter bearing matching FOKSCHANI 8/8 MOLDOVA c.d.s., RECEPISSE handstamp and manuscript “No 19”, on reverse GALATZ 9/8 receiver (10).** ECV \$400 - 600
- 438 ☒ **Moldavia, 1859, 80pa red on white wove paper, margins all around except just touched at top left, filing crease, tied by blue FRANCO FOKSCHANY cancel on 1861 folded letter bearing matching FOKSCHANI 24/6 MOLDOVA c.d.s., blue RECEPISSE, manuscript “93” and blue HAGGI DEMETERIOAN company oval, on reverse red GALATZ 27/6 receiver (10).** ECV \$400 - 600
- 439 ☒ **Wallachia, 1862, 30pa deep blue on white wove paper, margins, but touched at places, tied by black boxed FRANCO FOKSCHANY cancel on 1864 folded letter (addressed and written in Arabic) bearing FOKSCHAYY 21/5 c.d.s., on reverse BUCURESCI 23/5 receiver (18).** ECV \$200 - 300
- Interesting manuscript under the stamp.*
- 440 ☒ **Wallachia, 1864, 30pa deep blue on white wove paper, margins all around, corners clipped but clear, tied by BUCURESCI 19/11 c.d.s. on white 1863 folded letter sheet bearing duplicate c.d.s. and blue FRATELLI A.H. ELIAS company oval, on reverse GALATZ 21/11 receiver (21).** ECV \$200 - 300



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- 441 ☒ **1865, Prince Alexander, 20pa red, Type I**, large margins three sides, very fine, tied by diamond grill on 1868 folded letter sheet, bearing GALATZ 26/5 MOLDOVA c.d.s. and bluish H.THEOLOGO FRERES company oval, on reverse JASSY 26/5 receiver (24). ECV \$100 - 125
- 442 ☒ **1868, Prince Carol, 18b scarlet**, good to large margins all around, very fine, tied by FOCSANI 3/5 c.d.s. on 1868 folded letter sheet, bearing duplicate c.d.s., blue oval company handstamp, to Galatz (36). ECV \$100 - 200
- 443 ☒ **1871, Prince Carol, 10b blue**, good margins all around, very fine, tied by blue GIURGIU 12 JAN 72 c.d.s. on folded letter sheet bearing blue D.P. SMILOFF GUIRGEVO company oval, on reverse BUCURESCI 13 JAN receiver, to Galatz (45). ECV \$150 - 200

Russia

- 444 ○ **1858, First Issue perforated, 20k blue & orange**, neat “597” in rectangle of dots cancel, perfectly centered, couple of short perforations, still very fine (3). \$1,750
- 445 ○ **1858, First Issue perforated, 20k blue & orange**, neat numeral in rectangle of dots cancel, perfectly centered, small thin, fine. Signed Richter. Michel 3x. (3). \$1,750



- 446 ☒ **1858, First Issue perforated, 20k blue & orange**, well centered, “filing crease”, tied by “443” in rectangle of dots cancel on folded letter sheet bearing merchant oval, on reverse BERDYANSK 14 NOV 1860 departure, to Odessa. Buchsbayew Cert (2015), E. Diena Cert (1991). (3). \$15,000

A Great Rarity of Russian Philately.



- 447 ☒ **Used to Piraeus, Greece: 1858, 10k brown & blue**, three copies, fine (all with clipped perforations at bottom) tied by TAGANROG 15 APR 1865 c.d.s. strikes on fumigated folded letter sheet (slit at left) bearing FRANCA in circle, red crayon and Greece 10L and 40L. paying incoming tax, on reverse duplicate origin c.d.s. A most colorful and extremely rare cover. Michel 5. (8). ECV \$1,000 - 1,250



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- 450 ☒ **Used to the United States: 1889 cover**, franked with 4K (2 copies), 20K, 1889-92 1K, 2K, 3K, 5K, 7K all tied by St. Petersburg Mar 3 1895 c.d.s. strikes on large registered envelope (top left corner damaged) bearing red boxed R Russie handstamp, on reverse large violet 3/29/95 handstamps and red New York Registered receiver. Fabulous 7-color franking (41, 43, 46-50). ECV \$100 - 150
- 451 ☒ **Spain, Used to the United States: 1867, Isabella II, 20c lilac, six copies**, couple of stain spots, tied by “7” in grid cancels on folded letter sheet bearing SEVILLA 30 OCT 67 c.d.s., P.D. in circle, “5” handstamp, red LONDON transit and PHILA receiver, on reverse Spain transit. A hard way to make a 120 centimos rate. F. Graus Certificate (1989). Edifil 92. (93). ECV \$150 - 200
- 452 ☒ **Spanish Cuba, Used to Philadelphia: 1879, 50c gray, bisect**, tied by CIENFUEGOS 31 MA1 1879 c.d.s. on envelope bearing red HAVANA APR 2 1879 oval and manuscript “fm Santiago de Cuba”, on reverse NEW YORK PAID ALL double circle and PHILADA PA REG'D APR receiver. Rare usage (86a). ECV \$100 - 150

Switzerland

- 453 ▲ **Used to the United States: 1854-55, Sitting Helvetia (“Strubel”), 40rp yellow green, 10rp blue and 15rp rose**, each margins all around except one side, all tied by grids on rebacked cover bearing ZURICH 7 FEB 55 c.d.s., red SUISSE French transit, PP in circle, manuscript “via Havre pr steamer St. Louis” and NEW YORK PKT MAR 1 receiver. Zumstein 23A, 24A, 26A. (. 19, 22, 21). ECV \$300 - 500



- 454 ☒ Used to the United States: 1854-55, Sitting Helvetia (“Strubel”), 40rp pale yellow green (“blassgelbgrün”), plus 10rp blue, both with 3 margins, tied by grids on petite envelope bearing YVERDON 19 NOV 55 c.d.s., P.D. handstamp, manuscript “par Liverpool Angleterre”, large NY 3 receiver c.d.s., on reverse two French transits. Moser Cert. (1977). Zumstein 26Aa, 23A. . . . (18 var., 16). ECV \$1,250 - 1,500



- 455 ☒ Used to the United States: 1854-55, Sitting Helvetia (“Strubel”), 40rp yellow green, strip of 3, pair and single, margins all around and two touched at places, plus 20rp pale orange, margins two sides, tied by grids on folded letter bearing P.D. handstamp, 6 in circle, red manuscript “2”, and red SUISSE LES ROUSSES, on reverse various French transits, to New York. Zumstein 26A, 25B. (19, 23). ECV \$2,500 - 3,000



- 456 ☒ Used to the United States: 1854-55, Sitting Helvetia (“Strubel”), 40rp yellow green, 3 singles mostly with margins all around, plus 5rp red brown, margins all around, tied by grids on folded letter sheet (missing bottom flap) bearing red probably Swiss c.d.s. boxed P.D., plus 6 in circle, on reverse red LE HAVRE 29 MAI 56 transit, to New York. Eichele / Bach Cert. (1998). Zumstein 26C, 22B. (29, 15). ECV \$1,500 - 2,000



- 457 ☒ Used to the United States: 1856-58, Sitting Helvetia (“Strubel”), 1fr lavender, yellow silk threads and 15rp dark rose, both margins all around, very fine, tied by NEUCHÂTEL 21 JANV 62 c.d.s. strikes on folded letter bearing red SUISSE PORTARLIER 22 JANV 62 c.d.s., boxed PD, manuscript “via Liverpool” and red NEW YORK PAID FEB 6 receiver. J.C. Marchand Cert. (2001) and Guggisberg Cert. (1982). Zumstein 27D, 24G. (31, 38). ECV \$1,500 - 1,750



- 458 ☒ Used to the United States: 1862-63, Sitting Helvetia, 1fr reddish bronze and 10c blue, both very fine, tied by GENEVE 7 FEV 66 c.d.s. strikes on folded letter bearing blue merchant oval, black PD, red Swiss transit and New York receiver. Rare high value franking. Renggli Cert. (1991). Zumstein 36a, 31. (50b, 44). ECV \$1,000 - 1,500

British Commonwealth and Foreign Collections and Various

- 459 ★○ Austria, 1850 to 1941, excellent collection of many hundred used, o.g. and some n.h. sets, all the popular ones, regular, semi-postals, air post and back of the book. Generally fine to very fine. The companion collection of the "Central Europe" collection in the auction. ECV \$750 - 1,000
- 460 ★ Canadian Provinces: Newfoundland (primarily), 19th & 20th Century accumulation of several hundred, mostly o.g. stamps on approval cards and in small glassines. A good assortment of imperforates and classic issues, the good 20th Century sets, also some Nova Scotia stamps and seven covers plus B.C. & V.I. Very useful group in generally fine to very fine condition ECV \$3,000 - 4,000
- 461 ★○ Canada, 1852 to 1890's, Collection of 44 stamps, on approval cards, 25 o.g. to unused, 19 used, 7 Large Queens all unused. A few small faults though better than normal find approximately \$26,000
- 462 ★○ Canada, 1859 to 1960's Collection, a few hundred in Harris Specialized album, used to 1925 and random, pretty complete there on and n.h. to o.g. with a few high values used, sets, back-of-the-book, generally fine to very fine ECV \$500 - 600
- 463 ★★/★田Canada, 1930 to 1945, mostly common sets random values, all in blocks of four plus four singles and 2 coils, mostly n.h. including Air mails values to \$1.00 and fine n.h. block of 4 of 50c Admiral, rest fine to very fine. \$2,000+
- 464 ★○ Canada & Provinces, Revenues: An extensive collection of thousands, the better are mounted on 64 gilt edge exhibition pages documenting each of the provinces. There are also 2 shoe boxes of glassines with thousands and some lot sheets; PLUS a small but useful accumulation of regular issues in glassines and on approval card. Well worth inspection. ECV \$3,000 - 4,000
- 465 ○ Great Britain, 1854 - 1937 Collection, a couple hundred used stamps on annotated quadrille pages, many identified towns, duplicates, sets, perforations, plates. Some mixed condition, but useful for the specialists (14 to 234). \$6,200
- 466 ★○ New Zealand, 1882-1906, small remainder collection, including 61-67 (\$433), 122-25 (\$333), 108b single - unpriced, Pigeon 1s unpriced; plus Penrhyn Island #10-12 (\$142); Samoa 114-19 (\$27), generally fine to very fine \$935 plus unpriced

- 467 ★○ **Romania, 1858 to 1889, collection of 76**, primarily used on old-time album pages, few usual reprints or forgeries, fairly complete, mixed condition. ECV \$300 - 400

Area Collections and Various

- 468 ★★ **British Omnibus Issues, 1935 Silver Jubilee**, n.h., 241 of 245 including Ascension and Hong Kong, neatly mounted on quadrille pages, very fine. Complete issue catalogs as \$1351 as hinged, Never Hinged should be over \$2000 ECV \$750 - 1,000
- 469 ★★ **British Omnibus Issues, 1948 Silver Wedding Issue**, 69 n.h. sets including Hong Kong and Singapore, very fine ECV \$750 - 1,000
- 470 ★○ **British Commonwealth, Primarily America including Canada** (7 albums) also Great Britain and Europe (3 albums), Pacific with Australia (4 albums), all housed in Scott Specialty albums, strong 1970's and 1980's, some earlier including Omnibus (UPU may be complete), recent obviously pristine, earlier used and original gum. All in four cartons. ECV \$1,500 - 2,000
- 471 ★○☒ **British Commonwealth and Foreign, 19th and 20th Century**. The remainder collection of many hundreds of stamps on approval cards and small glassines in one file box plus pages and 24 British Commonwealth 19th century covers. Very disorganized but better can be found. Worth inspection ECV \$400 - 600
- 472 ☒ **British Commonwealth and Foreign, Collection, primarily 20th Century**. Selection of 107 covers, of which 49 are British, many large bearing high frankings, also parcel post receipts, British military, vast majority, pre WWII many priced and written up. Useful retail lot almost ready to go with great variety ECV \$300 - 500
- 473 ★○ **British Commonwealth and Foreign, mostly 20th century mint and used**, in 3 alphabetical file boxes, 2 foreign, 1 British, thousands of mostly modest stamps, also one album of Russia, few earlier, fine to very fine. ECV \$300 - 400
- 474 ☒ **British and Foreign Collection: Primarily 20th Century**. Accumulation of a couple of hundred mostly larger covers with higher frankings, many already priced for retail, the strength in pre WWII .ALSO a packet with a lot of old Bank Note ECV \$100 - 150
- 475 ★○ **Europe (Central), Belgium, France, Netherlands, Switzerland, 1850 to 1945**, four fabulous collections in one Scott Specialty album. Mostly countries, very complete with the right sets both used, o.g and some n.h., regular, semi-postals, airs, back of the book, almost everything. Very useful and exceptional condition. This has to be seen ECV \$4,000 - 5,000
- 476 ★○ **Worldwide, 19th and early 20th century, a few thousand primarily used stamps**, in 3 randomly filled old-time Schaubek albums plus a mint album and quadrille pages, useful small stamps abound. See used 1930's Russia. Worth a slow look ECV \$750 - 1,000

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