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Upon request, estimate of value furnished on any lots in this auction.
Our sales offer many covers, cancellations, varieties and other items for which there is no catalogue value or where catalogue value does not reflect the actual value. In order to assist our clients, we are placing a fair net valuation on such lots as a guide to bidders. The chart below will be used.

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**FIRST SESSION**

**TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1976 — 1:00 P.M.**

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**UNITED STATES**

**FREE FRANKS AND AUTOGRAPHS**

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<td>John Quincy Adams, Autograph on Title Page of Oration on the Marquis de Lafayette, delivered in Congress 31 Dec. 1834. A Memorial 85 pages long. Covers missing &amp; some pages age toned; the autographed page Very Fine (Adams' complete signature seldom seen)</td>
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<td>Lewis Cass, (Buchanan's Sec. of State), Signature on 1858 document appointing a U. S. Consul to Tahiti &amp; The Society Islands. Tiny internal split. Fine &amp; Unusual</td>
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<td>Centennial Oration, Delivered by Robert C. Winthrop on July 4, 1876 at Boston; together with holograph signed letter of Winthrop in which he discusses the signing of the Declaration by Chas. Carroll of Carrollton (doubted in those days) Wonderful Centennial &amp; Historic Lot</td>
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<td>Mark W. Clark, Gen. U. S., Autograph on 1845 letter on official stationery of U. S. Forces in Austria. Also newspaper photo with autograph. Free franked envelope accompanies. Slight toning, Fine</td>
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<td>Free, Schuyler Colfax, Speak. of H. of R. (Later Vice-Pres.), clear “Congress Washington, D. C.” pmk on over-all litho envelope of the 38th Congress. 1864 Holograph letter enclosed on illustrated Congress stationery, also a short holograph note Headed H. of R. (1862) verifying the signature. Very Fine, with Congressional Wax seal on back (Photo)</td>
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<td>Eisenhower Autograph Collection, 60 autographed covers &amp; cards incl. 14 Cabinet Members, Governors of 34 states, etc. Facsimile autograph on letter &amp; facsimile autograph postmark. Very Fine lot</td>
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<td>Gideon Granger (Jefferson’s P. M. Gen.) Holograph 1800 letter to Hartford, Conn., Clear New York “Clamshell” pmk. Letter mentions “Col. Burr” (Aaron Burr) Letter suggests political intrigue; Very Fine, written the year before his appointment as P. M. G.</td>
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<td>Lyndon B. Johnson, Autograph on Jan. 20, 1961 cover (Inauguration date as V. P.) franked with three diff Flag stamps. Also letter on V. P. stationery with facsimile signature. Very Fine</td>
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<td>Jacqueline Kennedy, Autographed 8x10” photo, (while she was “First Lady†”). Tiny creases extreme R. B. corner, otherwise V. F., Scarce</td>
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**LOTS ON VIEW FROM THURS., APRIL 15th**

**OFFICE OPEN SATURDAY BEFORE SALE**

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John F. Kennedy, Collection of 107 autographs on cards & covers of people connected directly or peripherally with the John F. Kennedy presidency & his assassination, incl. family members, Warren Commission, doctors, secretaries & many others. An important collection in its field


James Madison, Autograph Free Frank, addressed to “General Cocke, Win's Tavern, Fluvanna Co., Va.”, a Turned Cover, original use to Mr. Madison as rector of the University of Va., Clear Oval “University of Virga.” pmk., slight slits along internal folds, still a Very Fine Historic Piece

Richard Nixon, Autograph as V. P. on 1956 cacheted cover. Very Fine

Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., Autograph on 1945 Official Army Letterhead, together with the War Dept. envelope in which it was mailed. Very light toning extreme top. Very Fine, one of the scarcer W. W. II Generals' signature


Harry S. Truman, Bess L. Truman, Autographs on separate cacheted covers, Mrs Truman's signature on First Day cover of Truman Memorial stamp (1499). Very Fine

U. S. Astronauts, Collection of 53 diff. on individual specially prepared cards. Very Fine & comprehensive lot


Danl. Webster, U. S. Senate, Free Frank, “Washington City, D. C.” in Red Circle, matching “Free” on neat folded cover to N. H.; small nick repaired at B. otherwise Very Fine

Oliver Wolcott, Jr., (Son of the Signer) Autograph Free Frank as Comp-troller of the U. S. on 1973 folded cover to Conn. Two Bishop Marks, Very Fine

Oliver Wolcott (Son of the signer) Autograph on 1822 folded letter, New Haven to Hartford ms. “Public Service”, “10” postage paid. Internal splits, Fine

Orville Wright, Autograph on 6c Orange on White Entire (UC6), “Dayton, Ohio, May 15, 1943” pmk., 25th Anniv. of First Air Mail Stamp, V. F.

Martin) Van Buren, Autograph Free Frank, Clear “Kinderhook, N. Y.” pmk. on neat envelope to Trenton, N. J. Exceptionally Fine, probably post-Presidentially

COLONIAL STAMPLESS COVERS

Hart Ford, Two str. lines, Brown caps, lines at sides; Fine strike on flap of Oct. 16, 1766 folded letter to New Haven, headed “Boston”, neat “1-8” rate mark. Least bit aged, Very Fine & Rare Colonial cover, Earlier than any date in stampless cover cat. Choice & Rare

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28 **Hartford, pd 2.16**, Neat ms. pmk in Brown on 1768 folded letter headed "Boston, 2 May 1768" to New Haven. Endorsed "The post master is desired to give this to Mr. Ingersoll as soon as the post arrives." A request for "Special Handling". It appears mail from Boston to New Haven went via Hartford. Choice Colonial cover (Photo) E. X

29 **New York, Bold caps, two lines, ms. "dt 2" on July 1756 folded letter to New Haven, Excellent state of preservation & earlier by 4 months than earliest date in Stampless Cover cat. Choice Colonial Rarity, the first handstamp pmk. used in America (Photo) E. XIII

30 **New York, Bold caps, two lines in Brown Red, Excellent strike, Red "2" (dwt) rate on folded cover, circa 1759 to New Haven. Very Fine Colonial cover (Photo) E. IX

31 **Phila Delphia, Large caps in Red, two lines, Brown Bishop Mark, on 1770 folded letter to New Haven, Red ms. "2.16" rate mark. Small internal splits, unusually clear strike, Fine & Attractive (Photo) E. IX

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**STAMPLESS COVERS**

32 **Augusta, Me., "Horn of Plenty"** Clear strike in Red, First type, tiny "Paid" ms "10" on 1829 folded letter to Waterford, Me., V.F. (Photo) E. V

33 **Baltimore, Aug., Bold Str. Line, "1/" & "2" ratemarks on neat 1790 folded letter to Phil'a., Very Fine (Photo) E. IV

34 **Balt Feb 26 (Baltimore) Bold Str. Line caps in Brown, ms. "25" on small, neat 1795 letter, ("B" of "Balt" struck off cover), Very Fine (Photo) E. IV

35 **Baltimore, Md. Red circle, ms. "30" War rate (20c+10c) on Sept. 1815 folded letter to Hagerstown, Md., Very Fine (Photo) E. III

36 **Baltimore, Md., Blue circle, "5" in oval, Red oval "West's Exchange Hotel, Baltimore" on 1845 folded letter, New Orleans to Washington. Carried by courtesy to Baltimore & left at West's Hotel for forwarding. Interesting contents looking to the purchase of a steamer for Texas mails. Fine, unlisted Hotel Forwarder E. V

37 **Boston, Light Magenta Str. Line, matching faint Bishop Mark, ms. "forw'd by Ship Russel, QDC, Capt Halland via Newburg" on folded letter dated 1785 to Norwich, Ct. Toned & some sealed splits along folds, otherwise Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. VIII


39 **Boston, Ms., Apr. 9, Light Red pmk. on folded letter to Woodstock, Vt., Light "Paid" & "18½" rate altered to "12½", 1816 cover, War rate reduced 50%. Letter headed "Cambridge, March 30, 1816" day before rate restored. When it reached Boston P. 0. then re-rated at the restored fee. Very Fine & Unusual (Photo) E. VI

40 **Boston, Paid, Rimless arc, Concord, N. H., 1 Paid, First in Magenta, other in Blue, Choice strikes on neat 1852, 1853 circulars to Davenport, Iowa, Very Fine (Photo) E. III


42 **Buffalo, N. Y., Blue Double Oval, "Steamboat" in fancy scroll on 1848 folded letter, Milwaukee, Wis. 1848 territorial origin. Small ink blots, small cover tear. Interesting usage to Conn., Fine (Photo) E. IV

43 **Buffalo, N. Y., Blue circle, "Paid 1 Cent" in fancy shield on 1852 Masonic circular. Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. IV

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44 Cherry Valley, N. Y., Red Rimless Arc, tiny letters, ms. date & "10" on 1823 folded letter to Herkimer (N. Y.), Fine & Scarce

45 Cleaveland, O., In Red Double Box (30x13mm), Bold strike, ms. "25" rate on 1833 folded letter to Conn., Very Fine, Interesting letter on travels to Cleveland (Photo)

46 p. Corsair, B, ms. endorsements on 1842 Riverboat letter, New Orleans to Louisville, Scarce this Early, Very Fine

47 Crown Pt., N. Y. Red Str Line Caps, Clear Strike, Nov. 17 ms. date & "Paid 12½" on 1831 folded cover to Albany. Also cover from same correspondence, pmk. & Apr. 21 (1831) date. Unlisted, Very Fine & Scarce (Photo)

48 East-Hartford, ( Ct), Bold oval in Bright Orange, matching "Paid" & "5" on 1845 folded cover to New Haven. Couple of toned spots, Fine, unlisted in Orange


50 Esperance, (N. Y.), Date in ms., also "Paid 6", Aug. 6, 1839 folded legal letter, Bold Strike, Very Fine

51 Kane, Iowa, Mostly Bold oily pmk., matching "5" on Neat Cover to Mo., Fine & Scarce

52 Lyme, N. H., April 16, Bold Str. Line caps, ms. day date, "1834" rate on 1840 folded letter to N. Y. State. Least bit aged at edges, Unlisted, Fine & Scarce (Photo)

53 Millbury, (MS), Clear 30mm circle, ms. "10" on 1826 folded cover to Boston. Unlisted type with "MS" in parentheses; earliest recorded date. Very Fine

54 N–York, April 13 (1791), Str. Line pmk, ms 5.8 rate on folded letter headed "Wilmington, N. C." to R. I. ms. "forwarded by Y. H. S. Le Roy & Bayard"; Scarce from N. C., small stain, still Very Fine (Photo)


56 Jefferson City, Mo. Mostly clear circle, str. line "Paid", ms. "State Department" & "Paid 5" on 1846 printed notice demanding election returns from F. H. Martin, Missouri Sec. of State. Fine & Interesting (Photo)

57 Martinsburg W. Va. in Blue Circle, lightly struck twice, matching Bold "Due 3" in circle, on Soldier's letter; "Fine, Very early use" of "W. Va." in postmark

58 New York, Ship 34, Retaliatory Rate, Two covers, July, Aug., 1848, to U. S. from Gr. Britain, one envelope, other a folded letter, both a bit worn & soiled. Scarce


60 New York, Red Circle, on Sept. 1815 folded letter to Albany, Bold "Paid" & "76½" War Rate (triple 25½c War rate) V. F., Scarce rate
New York, Apr. 8, Ornamented Red circle on 1816 folded cover to Providence, R. I., 8th day of restored rate. Normal 34c double date in ms. Very Fine & Scarce

New York, Small Red Circle, matching “Free” on 1817 Folded Letter to New Haven P. M.; “The President of the United States (Monroe) is . . . visiting Sandy Hook & the Forts in the Harbor below . . .” etc., Choice Historical Item, Very Fine


Onedia Castle, Onedia Depot, Onedia Valley, N. Y. Seven stampless covers, 1842-54. All diff. colors or types, one with additional “Utica, N. Y.” oval in Red, Very Fine Lot

Philadelphia Mar. 31, Clear Red circle on 1816 folded cover to Providence, R. I. First Day of Restored Rate, ending the 50% War surcharges but sender paid the old “25½” rate. Very Fine & Scarce

Pittsfield, Mass., “37½” War rate to New Haven, Ct., May 1815, Hartford, Con. Red circle “8” restored rate on Apr. 1816 folded letter to New Haven, Ct., Fine—Very Fine


Retaliatory Rate, Bold “29”, also truncate octagon, Red, “Paid at Liverpool” to Conn. Interesting letter, very sarcastic, about the Irish Rebellion, Fine

Rochester, N. Y., Italic caps in dotted oval in Dark Red, perfect strike, Free, 1821 folded letter to a P. M., Very Fine

Rochester, New-York, Red, Double Oval, ms. “10” rate on 1829 folded letter to Buffalo. Letter refers to a lost box sent by canal boat. Very Fine, Scarce type

Shabbona Grove, IIL, Clear Strike in Fancy Scroll, matching “Paid 3” in Smaller Scroll on cover to Chicago, Fine & Very Scarce (Photo)

Smithfield, Va. Bold Negative Oval, state initials not clear, “1834” rate, 1839 folded letter to Baltimore. Cover has faults, Fine appearing, Scarce (Photo)

Steamship 10, Steamship, Due 10, Two covers from Cuba, first via N. Y. with two Cuban Forwarders, Havana & Matanzas, other via Phil’a., small circle. First cover with tears, other has toning strip. Scarce lot

Syracuse, N. Y., Two covers, 1831, 1832, attached “6” & “Paid 10” Folded letters, Fine, Scarce

Taunton, Ms., Oct. 26, Bold Str. Line caps, almost perfect strike, ms. “10” rate on 1829 folded letter to Newport, R. I., Very Fine (Photo)

Troy, N. Y., Blue circle matching “Paid” & “3cts” in small double circle on 1847 – 3 page circular, Very Fine. Scarce, as rate applied only to circulators of more than one sheet

Uxbridge, Mass, Oct. 13, Bold Str. Line Caps, ms. “6” rate on neat 1830 folded letter to Providence, R. I., Very Fine (Photo)

War Rate, 1815, Three folded letters, 50% surcharge on regular rates, 12c for 8c Trenton to Phil’a., 30c for 20c, two covers, Pittsburgh, Utica to Phil’a., Fine lot

Stampless Covers, 22 plus 11 fronts. Wide range of cancels & uses, incl. Trans-Atlantic, Free Franks, Two ovals, Rimless etc. Mixed condition, Good—Fine Lot
81 ✎ Stampless Covers, New England (except Conn.) 213 covers, many Mass., lots of small towns, a few Drop Letters, considerable duplication, mixed condition, most Very Good–Fine .................................................. E. IV
82 ✎ Stampless Covers, Mostly Eastern (no New England) 195 covers, wide showing of rates & towns, considerable duplication. Mixed quality, Good–Fine ............................................. E. V

EXPRESS MAIL 1836-39 and 1845

86 ✎ Exp. Mail, “2.25” triple rate, Blue “Mobile, Ala.” large caps on Jan. 1837 folded letter to New York, Very Fine .................................................. E. IV
87 ✎ Exp. Mail, “3.00” Quadruple rate, Bold Blue “Mobile, Al.” large caps, on Mar. 1837 folded letter to New York, Very Fine .................................................. E. V
88 ✎ Pr. Express Mail, 1.50, Bold ms. Double rate, Bold Red “Montg’y, Ala.” pmk. on Dec. 24, 1836 folded letter to New York. Edges bit toned, Fine rare usage at very early date, less than six weeks after start of Express Mail (Photo) .......................................................... E. VIII
89 ✎ Express Mail, Paid 25, 1845 Revival of the Express Mail, Blue “New Orleans, La.” pmk., matching “Paid” on folded letter to New York, Mar. 2, 1845, Very Fine & Scarce .................................................. (Photo) E. VIII
90 ✎ (By Express Mail), “75” Blue “New Orleans, La.” pmk., matching “Paid” on Jan. 1837 folded letter to Martinsburg, Va. (now West Va.) Very Fine, scarce destination .......................................................... (Photo) E. VI
93 ✎ Express Mail, “3.00”, Blue “New Orleans, La.” pmk. on Dec. 23, 1836 folded letter to Phila., First month of usage, Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) .................................................. E. VII
94 ✎ Express Mail, “3.00”, Quadruple rate, altered from Red ms. “2.25” Blue “New Orleans, La.” pmk. on 1837 folded cover to New York, Very Fine .................................................. E. VI

CONNECTICUT

STAMPLESS COVERS

(A SPECIALIZED COLLECTION)

CONN. COLONIAL COVERS

95 ✎ NLd (New London), Double rate 4.16+16 (4 dwt+16gr) = (5(dwt) 8(gr). Neat 1772 Legal letter to Providence, via Newport with faint Red “New­port” in caps on the back. Minor stains, Very Fine considering age, with rare unlisted “Newport” .................................................. (Photo) E. XII
96 ✎ New London, Nov. 21, 1787. Folded letter to Chester “2.16” rate, overstylized “NL”. Internal split on fold, Fine, Scarce Confederation period usage .......................................................... E. VIII
CONN. STRAIGHT LINE POSTMARKS

97  Bridgeport, (Ct) Feb. 4, Bold Str. Line, “10” rate on 1808 folded letter to Norwich, Ct., Very Fine .......................... (Photo)  E. V

98  Derby, 15th April, Bold Str. Line, date in ms, matching “Paid” ms. “30” on 1800 folded cover to Hartford. Expertly sealed tear, Very Fine appearance, Scarce  E. V

99  Farmington, CT., August 11, Two Lines, Caps, tiny “Paid” red ms. “12½” to N. Y. City, 1831, Very Fine ........................................ (Photo)  E. VI

100  Farmington, CT., August 4, Two Lines, Bold Caps, on 1830 folded letter to Harrington, (Ct). Minor aging. Unusually Clear pmk., Scarce .... (Photo)  E. V

101  Farmington, CT., Sept. 8, Two lines, Clear Caps, tiny “Paid”, Red “37½” ms rate, folded cover to Geneva, N. Y. small brown ink smudge at T, otherwise Very Fine .......................................................... (Photo)  E. IV

102  Farmington, CT., Jan. 7, Two lines, caps. Light clear strike, “18¾” ms. rate on 1831 folded letter to New Haven, Very Fine ............................. (Photo)  E. IV

103  Farmington, CT., August 26, Two lines, Light, legible strike, ms “6” rate to Westfield, Mass. 1830, Minor faults, yet reasonably attractive ................ (Photo)  E. IV

104  Farmington, CT., Sep. 25, Two Lines, Caps. Light to Bold strike, “6” rate on neat 1830 folded letter to Westfield, Mass., Fine .......................... (Photo)  E. IV

105  Farmington, CT., Feb. 11, Two Lines, Partly clear caps, ms. “6” on neat folded cover to Hartford  E. III

106  Hartford, July 31, Two Lines, Large caps, ms “8” rate on 1796 folded letter to New Haven, Very Fine ............................. (Photo)  E. V

107  Hartford, Sept. 29, Two Lines, Bold Caps, “25” rate on 1796 folded letter to Boston, small cover faults, incl. toned spots, otherwise V.F. .... (Photo)  E. IV

108  Hartford, July 7, Two Lines, Bold caps, no rate, on 1796 folded cover to N. Y. City, Very Fine .............................. (Photo)  E. V

109  Hartford, Mar. 7, Two Lines, Large caps, ms. “10” rate to Providence, R. I., Fine  E. IV

110  Hartford, Feb. 10, Two Lines, Mostly clear caps, “12½” rate. Endorsed “To remain in the Post Office at Hartford for ten days & if not called for in that time to be forwarded to N. York”. Fine, Unusual  E. V

111  Hartford, Nov. 21, Two Lines, Large caps, small “Free” franked “E. R. Williams, Jr.” on front only to N. Y. City, Fine appearance .................................. (Photo)  E. III

112  Litchfield, Sept. 16, Two Lines, U/L case, Light, clear strike, tiny “Paid”, ms “24” on 1805 folded letter to Hartford, Interesting business contents, Age toning along filing fold, otherwise Fine & Scarce .................. (Photo)  E. V

113  Litchfield, Ct., February 1, Two Lines, Bold U/L case, (Note spelling of February) ms. “8” on long personal letter headed “Canajohary”; Probably carried privately to Litchfield to save postage. Slight aging, otherwise Fine & of uncommon interest  E. V

114  Litchfield, April 24th, Two Lines, U/L case, day date in ms., Italic “Paid”, “8” rate on 1806 folded cover to Farmington. Age toning spots, Scarce  E. III

115  Litchfield, Conn., Aug. 16, Two Lines, small caps, ms. date & “6” on immaculate 1827 folded letter to Hartford, Very Fine .......................... (Photo)  E. VI

116  Litchfield, Conn., Two lines, Caps, ms. date, “6” rate to Hartford, Insignificant sealed tear, still Very Fine  E. V


118  Litchfield, Conn., Aug. 30, Two Lines, Caps, date in ms, 6 altered to “18” (or vise verse) on immaculate 1828 folded letter to Hartford, Extremely Fine .............................................................. (Photo)  E. VII
Litchfield, Conn., Nov. 13, Two lines, Bold caps, date in ms, “12” 1828 double rate to Hartford, Very Fine (Photo) E. VII

Litchfield, Conn., Error of Spelling, Two Lines, caps, date in ms., Fine strike. Bit age stained & internal split. Interesting contents, Scarce & Attractive (Photo) E. VIII

Litchfield, Conn., Error of spelling, Two lines, partial strike, error just identifiable, “10” to Great Barrington, Mass., Interesting 1828 letter. Very Scarce

N. Haven, Mar. 3, Bold Red caps, date in U/L case, Red ms. “1(dwt)” on 1790 State Tax letter to Hartford, Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. VIII

N. Haven, Sept. 20, Red Str. Line caps, Bold strike, matching “Paid”, ms. “12½” on 1793 folded letter to Providence, least bit age toned, Fine & Scarce

N. Haven, Oct. 22, Bold Str. Line caps, Bold strike, matching “Paid”, ms. “12½” on neat 1793 folded letter to Hartford. Endorsed “The Postmaster is req. to send this immediately as per Direction.” Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. VIII

N. Haven, Aug. 5, Bold caps in Red Violet, “16” double rate on 1794 folded letter to Hartford. Least bit of aging, Very Fine (Photo) E. VIII


N. Haven, Jan. 19, Clear Red Str. Line caps, “17” rate on Military Letter to Phil’a. Officer requests clothing so he can get recruits. Minor aging, Fine

N. Haven, Feb. 24, Bold Red Str. Line caps, “17” rate to Phil’a. Folded cover to “Intendant of Public Stores” Endorsed “Public Service”, docketed 1801, Fine

N. Haven, June 4, Light Str. Line in Brown, ms. “2(dwt)” rate on 1791 folded letter to Hartford, slight age toning

N. Haven, Weak caps in light Violet on 1796 folded letter headed New York to Providence, Red ms “12½” Interesting contents relate to values of state currencies. Fine, except for the very light postmark

N. Haven, July 18, Light, mostly clear Red Str. Line caps, Bold Red “Paid”, “20” to Wilkes Barre, Pa., Long newy 1799 letter

N. Haven, Sept. 2, Red caps, Partly Clear Str. Lines, “10” rate on 1801 folded letter to Salisbury (Ct.), Fresh, neat cover

N. Haven, Nov. 21, Partly clear Red Str. Lines, “10” rate, 1801 folded letter to Salisbury. Interesting contents on the benefits of good, clean living; Fine cover

N. Haven, Jan. 30, Clear Red Str. Line, small part cut off top of folded 1802 cover. Fine reference piece

N. Haven, Feb. 10, Red Str. Line caps, partial strike, “8” rate on 1802 folded letter to Fairfield, Ct., headed “Yale College”, Personal college content

N. Haven, Feb. 15, Red Str. Line, Light partial strike, “10” rate on 1802 folded letter to Salisbury, Rather interesting personal letter

N. London, April 4, Bold Str. Line, U/L case, Large “Free” in Italic caps on 1798 folded letter to the P. M., Hartford, minor ink erosion, Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. VI

N. London August 26, Bold Str. Line, “Paid” in large Italic caps “20” ms. rate to Granby, Ct., slight aging, Fine strike (Photo) E. V

140  N London Oct. 23, Bold Str. Line, “12½” rate on large part of folded cover to New York. Minor age toning, yet Very Fine ................. (Photo) E. V

141  N  London Jan. 21, Bold Str. Line, ms. “Sh. 12” on 1801/02 folded letter headed Cowes, Isle of Wight, marked “Via London” & with forwarder’s endorsement on back, Very Fine ............... (Photo) E. VII

142  N  London March 14, Clear Str. Line, Bold “Sh 12” on 1800 folded letter headed “Rio Essequibo” (Br. Guiana) to Sharon, Ct., ms. Norwich forwarder, Minor wear, Fine, Rare usage ........................................... (Photo) E. VII

143  N  London July 18, Bold Str. Line on 1799 folded letter headed “Demerara” (Br. Guiana) to Norwich, Ct., Ms. “Sh 18” Double rate (8c) + 2c Ship Fee. Long business letter from a Ship Captain. Minor wear, Fine (Photo) E. VII


145  N  London August 2, Clear Str. Line, ms. “8” on 1799 folded letter to Saybrook. Interesting contents especially fear of Yellow Fever from a ship in from Havana, Fine .................. (Photo) E. VI

146  Norwich, Feb. 15, Clear Str. Line, “8” rate to Hartford on 1794 folded letter. Handsomely engraved address, Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. VII

147  Norwich, Sept. 25, Slightly blurred but legible str. line, Large Italic “Paid” in caps, ms. “Paid” & rate doubled “16” to “32”, account of enclosures. 1795 date line, minor erosion where ink is heavy, Fine & Rare .......... (Photo) E. V

148  Norwich, August * 1, Weak Caps, Date in U/L case. Bold “Paid” Italic caps, “8” rate to Hartford, 1803, Fine .................................. (Photo) E. IV

149  Norwich, August 8, Light Str. Line, Italic “Paid” in caps. “8” rate on 1803 folded letter to Hartford, Fine .................................. (Photo) E. VI

150  Norwich, August * 15, Light, clear Str. Line, Bold ms. “24” on 1803 folded letter to Hartford, Expertly sealed tear, otherwise Fine, Scarce type .......... (Photo) E. IV

151  Pomfret, Ct., Feb. 24, Clear Str. Line, paid postage “10” over “5” on 1831 folded letter to Providence. Few light age toning spots, otherwise Very Fine, ex-Chambers (Photo) E. V

152  So. Glastenbury, Ct., Red Caps, Clear Str. Line, ms. “10” on 1844 folded letter to Norwich. Fine & Scarce .................................. (Photo) E. V


154  Thompson, Ct., Str. Line caps, Heavy, partly overinked strike, “1834” rate to Albany, N. Y., 1837, Fine, Scarce .......... (Photo) E. IV

155  West Hartland, Ct., Aug. 12, Bold Caps, Two Str. Lines, day in ms. “10” rate to Middletown, Ct., L. half of 1843 folded letter lightly toned, otherwise Very Fine (Photo) E. V

156  West Meriden, Ct., Bold Str. Line Caps, matching Bold “5” on 1846 folded letter to New Britain. Slight aging, Very Fine .......... (Photo) E. V

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162  Willington, Ct., Paid III, Two Lines in Red, ms. date between, Beautiful strike on envelope to Mystic, Ct., Very Fine & Scarce ................. (Photo) E. VII

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164 Windsor, Ct., Small Str. Line caps, ms. date & “Paid 6” on 1843 romantic letter to Enfield, Conn., Very Fine .............................. (Photo) E. VI

165 Windsor, Ct. Small caps, ms. “12” rate on long letter originating Cuyahoga Falls (Ohio) to East Hartford, Ct. “Bootlegged” to Windsor (see letter) Very Fine & Unusual ........................................... (Photo) E. VI

166 Windsor, Ct., Small caps, Bold strike, ms. date enclosed in ms. “squiggles”, “6” rate on 1842 folded letter to Higganum, Ct., Very Fine .............. (Photo) E. V

167 Windsor, Ct., Bold Str. Line caps, curious strike, 3mm high at L., tapering to 1½ mm at R., “Paid 10” ms. on 1843 folded letter to Norwich, Very Fine ......................................................... (Photo) E. V

168 Windsor, Ct., Bold Str. Line U/L case, ms. date & “18¾” rate on 1841 folded letter to N. Y. State, Very Fine ..................................................... (Photo) E. V

169 Windsor, Ct., Tiny U/L case Str. Line, ms. date “6” rate to Springfield, Mass., Small cover tears & slight wear, Beautiful strike .................. (Photo) E. IV

170 Windsor, Ct., Tiny Str. Line, used for forwarding on 1842 folded letter “Southington, Ct.” ms. pmk. to Windsor, fwd. to Poquonock, Ct. Stained, Scarce use .......................................................... E. III

FANCY CANCELLATIONS

171 Collinsville, Conn., “Axe” (Ty. II 30x33mm) Perfect Bold strike, “6” rate on immaculate 1835 folded letter to Harwinton, Ct. Wonderfully Fine ................................................................. (Photo) E. XI

172 Collinsville, Conn., “Axe” (Ty. II, 30x33mm). Clear strike on 1838 folded letter, “10” rate to Orange, Ct., Very Fine .................................................. (Photo) E. X

173 Collinsville, Conn., “Axe” (Ty. II, 30x33mm). Clear strike, “12½” rate on 1840 folded letter to N. Y. City, Very Fine .................................................. (Photo) E. X

174 Collinsville, Conn., “Axe” (Ty. II, 30x33mm), Light, mostly Clear strike, “10” rate on fresh 1834 folded letter to New Marboro, Mass., Fine (Photo) E. IX


176 Haddam, Ct., Red truncate octagon, forwarding pmk. on 1850 envelope originating New Haven. Rate shown as 5+5 = 10 all in Red. Fine & Attractive ............................................................ E. IV

177 Haddam, Ct. Truncate octagon in Black (Scarcer), Fancy “Paid 3” on envelope to Clinton, Ct., Fine ................................................................. E. IV

178 Haddam, Ct. Truncate octagon in Black, Clear strike, Fancy “Paid 3” on tiny cover to N. Y. City, Fine, Scarce .................................................. E. IV

179 Hampton, Ct., Truncate octagon in Blue Green, Official’s Free Frank on folded cover to Albany, N. Y., Very Fine ........................................... (Photo) E. IV

180 Hampton, Ct., Truncate octagon in Indigo Blue, matching “Paid 3” in octagon, Excellent strikes, neat cover to Mass. Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. IV

181 Hampton, Ct. Truncate octagon in Blue Green, matching “Paid 3” in octagon on neat 1854 cover to N. J., letter enclosed, Fine ...................... E. IV

182 Harwinton, Ct. Blue Green Arc, boxed in semi-circle, matching crude “3 Paid” on 1852 folded letter to Texas, Very Fine & Scarce .......... (Photo) E. VI

183 Harwinton, Ct. Red arc in boxed semi-circle, Crude matching “3 Paid” on cover to Texas. Fairly clear strike, worn in corners, otherwise Fine ... E. III

184 Harwinton, Conn. Light, clear strike in Red framed arc, “12½” rate to N. Y. City. Folded letter bit wrinkled, Fine ................................. E. IV

185 Kensington, Con., Blue arc in fancy semi-circle, matching intertwined “Paid 3” in box. Clear strikes, cover worn & without flap, Scarce ..... E. III

186 Killingly, Ct., Red arc in octagon, Arced “Paid 3”, Clear strikes on neat cover to Canterbury, Ct., Very Fine ........................................ (Photo) E. IV

187 Killingly, Conn. Arc in octagon, “Paid 3” arced, all in Black on 1853 folded letter to N. H., Light, mostly clear strike, Fine ......................... E. III

East Lyme, Ct. Large rimless oval, fancy letters in Red, matching “Paid” & ms. “Drop 2”, Small cover shows few toned spots & a tear at extreme left. Rare & Attractive ............................................................................. E. IV

East Lyme, Ct., Large Green rimless oval, matching “5” in small circle on 1850 folded letter to N. Y. City. Bit of writing on face of cover, Scarce ... E. III

Tolland, Conn. “Baker’s Hat” Clear strike in Red, matching “5” on 1847 folded letter to Milford, Ct., I. O. O. F. Lodge letter with seal, Very Fine (Photo) E. V


Tolland, Conn. “Baker’s Hat”, Beautiful strike in Red, ms. “10” on 1843 folded letter to Norwich, Ct., Fine, Early use E. IV


Tolland, Conn. “Baker’s Hat”, Light, clear strike in Red, ms. “5” on neat folded letter to Norwich, Ct. E. III

Tolland, Ct. Bold Str. Line caps. in Double lined Box, on 1826 folded letter, “10” rate to Ashford. Cover toned at sides, otherwise Fine, Very Scarce unlisted type E. IV

West Hartford, Ct. Clear Truncate octagon, Fancy “Paid 3” on small, neat cover to Portland, Conn., Very Fine (Photo) E. V

Winchester Centre, Ct., Blue octagon, nearly complete strike, P. M. Free Frank on 1852 folded letter to Hartford. Slight age toning, Fine E. IV

Winchester Centre, Ct. Bold octagon, “3 Paid” in small octagon (over ms. “3”) Fresh, neat cover, edge of docketing over postmark, still Very Fine (Photo) E. IV

Windham, Ct. Rimless oval, Fair strike, Free Franked 1829 folded letter to Groton. Toned spot at lower right, otherwise Fine, Scarce E. III


MANUSCRIPT CONN. CANCELS

Hartford, Jan’y. 13, paid 12½c. Neat ms. pmk. on 1793 folded letter to Boston, “post paid”, Very Fine E. IV

Jewett City, Ct., March 17th (1816). “Paid 25½c” War rate to Ramapo Works, N. Y. Internal cover faults. Fine, Very scarce E. IV

Mansfield, Ct., Neat ms. pmk., “5” to N. Y. City, Large Red “Advertised 4 cts” Excellent strike. Very Fine, Scarce E. IV


Pomfret, (Conn.) May 11 (1815) ms. “15” War rate on folded letter to Bristol, R. I. Fine E. III

Five Covers, All ms. cancels, Each with special mailing instructions incl. one “to the care of the Stage Drl.” 1817-43, most early, Fine E. IV

Connecticut Stampless Covers, 136, all ms. cancels, some duplication of towns, but a number of diff. rates. None from the larger cities; many scarce P. O. represented. Few aged or faulty, Mostly Fine E. VIII

Stampless Covers, Conn. ms. town pmks. The collection of 198, nearly all diff. towns, any duplication is in rates or usages. 1803-1850’s, most 1830’s-40’s. Several small P. O. which only used ms. cancels. All in two neat cover albums. Important Students lot. Fine condition predominates E. IX
Collection of ms. town pmk. covers, 71 diff., all Free Franked by the Postmaster. 1806-1840's, mostly the later years. Choice group, many Very Scarce & the lot virtually impossible of duplication

CONN. OVAL POSTMARKS


Bridgeport, Con. Rimless oval, Four covers, 1813, 1816, 1817, 1823, First three in Brown to Brown Red, 1823 in Black Brown, 8c, 10c rates for short distances. Fine lot

Brooklyn, Ct. Rimless circle, Bold, Sharp strike, ms. "10" to New Haven. Very Fine, Unlisted (Photo)

Cheshire, Ct. Clear Red Oval pmks., 1840 with "Paid" in scroll, 1841 in Red, last type with "CT." close, Very Fine & Scarce

Deep River, Ct., ms. date in center, Bold Rimless oval (almost a circle) ms "22" on 1803 folded letter to Westfield, Mass., V. F. & Scarce (Photo)

East Hartford, Ct., Two covers, diff. sizes, 1842 in Red, 1846 in Orange Red, latter with "5" handstamp to N. Y., Fine

East Hartford, Conn., Three folded letters, Red Oval pmks 1842, with "Conn." in pmk in ms, 1846, with Bold "5" handstamp; no date, with Bold "Paid", matching "5", Fine–Very Fine

Litchfield, Conn., Large rimless oval, ms. date in center. "Paid 1894" on 1825 folded letter to N. H., Fine

Litchfield, Conn., Large dotted oval, ms "12½" rate on 1831 folded letter, Fresh, Very Fine & Scarce

Madison, Ct. Bold Blue Rimless oval ms date in center, "1894" rate on 1831 folded letter, Fresh, Very Fine & Scarce

Madison, Ct. Red Rimless Oval, on 1845 letter, "Free" to a P. M., Late use of this type with "D" of "Madison" omitted & "O" filled in, V. F.

Madison, Ct., Two folded letters, Rimless ovals, 1840 in Bright Scarlet, 1842 in Dull Red, last type with "CT." close, Very Fine

Madison, Ct., Four covers, diff. type cancels, all rimless, 1828, 1832 in Blue, 1834 & undated in Red. Clear strikes, Fine Lot

Middletown, Ct., Red Rimless Oval, Clear strike, ms. "17" rate on 1809 folded letter to N. H., Very Fine
233 Middletown, Ct., Rimless oval in Brown Red, matching "Free" on 1812 folded letter to Tench Coxe, Philadelphia. Letter concerns military supplies for War of 1812 (Drums, Shoes, Caps) & is signed "Alex. Wolcott" (Nephew of the signer), Very Fine E. IV

234 Middletown, Ct., 17 Mar. 1815, Clear Rimless Oval, "15" War Rate on neat folded letter to Tolland, Conn., Very Fine E. IV

235 Middletown, Ct. Rimless Oval in Brown Red on 1814 folded letter to Windsor, Vt., misse rt to Windsor, Ct. & forwarded nearly two months later. Fwdg charge deleted, P. O. error, Fine E. III

236 Middletown, Ct., Four covers, Red Rimless ovals, two types, two "Free", others "12½" rate 1814-19, Fine Lot E. V

237 Middletown, Conn., Four covers, Red Double Lined oval with fleuron, 1822-25, each cancel a diff shade of Red, Fine Lot E. IV


239 New Haven, Ct. Neat Black Oval, "Sh. 27" rate on 1806 folded letter, Amsterdam to Providence, R. I., directed "via Bordeaux", ms. Forwarder's endorsement on back, Fine E. IV


242 New Haven, Ct., Clear Red Oval, ms "18½" Restored Rate on Nov. 1816 folded letter to N. Y. State. Bit aged, Fine E. III

243 Stamford, Ct., Green Double Oval, Bold strike, "Paid" in scroll, 1838 folded letter to N. Y. City, Very Fine E. IV

244 Stamford, Ct., Two covers, 1842-43, one with Red "Free" in Crescent; other, "Paid" in scroll. Letter to the Governor with interesting police content, Very Fine E. IV

245 Warehouse Point, Con. Clear Red Dotted Oval, ms. "Free" frank of P. M. on 1831 folded letter to N. Y. Very Early date, Stampless Cover cat. lists "1837" as earliest recorded use. Small rust spot, Fine E. IV

246 Woodbury, Ct., Bold Red Oval, "10" rate on 1839 folded letter to Danbury, Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. IV

247 Woodstock, Ct. Irregular Red oval, matching "Free" in oval, P. M. frank on 1849 folded letter to Boston, Very Fine E. IV


249 Oval Postmarks, Collection of 21 covers, diff. as to town, type or color 1808-1830's few aged, mostly Fine E. VIII

CONNECTICUT RIMLESS CANCELS

250 Chelsea Landing, Con. Rimless circle, clear strike, Bold ms. "12½" to N. H. 1819, Fine E. III

251 Clinton, Ct., Two covers, Bold Rimless circles, 1841-42, the 1842 unlisted type, being part rimless. Small fault, Fine E. IV

252 Clinton, CT., Bold Blue Rimless circle, "5" on 1845 folded letter. Very Fine, Unlisted in Blue (Photo) E. IV

253 East Guildford, Ct., Red Rimless circle, Clear strike, "20" on 1826 folded letter to Hartford, Fine E. III

254 Hartford *, Rimless circle, Fair strike, Bold "Paid" ms. "17" on 1795 folded letter to Phil'a., Scarce E. III

255 Hartford *, Bold Rimless circle, "Paid", "12½" rate on 1796 folded letter to N. Y. Minor age toning T. R., Fine & Scarce E. IV
Hartford *, Red Rimless circle, Sharp strike "25" rate to Norfolk, Va. on 1808 folded letter, Very Fine ................................................................. E. III

SPECIAL CONNECTICUT TOWN POSTMARKS

Bridgeport, Ct., Paid, Blue circle, matching "Paid 6" in arc on cover to Calif., Fine, Scarce type ................................................................. E. IV


Hartford, Ct., Paid, All in Magenta circle, ms. "1" Drop Letter rate on small 1855 envelope, Fine & Scarce ................................................................. E. III

Hartford, New Haven, Woodbury, Conn. Three covers, 1838, 1842, 1858. 1c Drop Letters, first two "1" ms., other "Paid 1" in circle, Fine ................................................................. E. III

Hartford, New Haven, New London, Norwich, Stonington, Stampless Covers, two shoe boxes full. Much duplication, but a good study of rates & uses. Weight approx. 5½ lbs. probably 500 or so covers. Fine student's lot ................................................................. E. V

Litchfield, Con. (Fancy "N") Bold pmk. on 1846 folded letter to Burlington, Iowa, Red "Burlington" pmk for forwarding back to New York, with 10c charge. Iowa Territorial use, approx. 6 mo. before statehood, Very Fine & Unusual ................................................................. E. V

Mansfield Centre, Ct., Two covers, 1831 with "Free" attached & folded cover with "10" attached. latter unlisted, Fine Lot ................................................................. E. III

New Haven, Ct., Two covers, 2c Drop Letter rate, 1848, diff. type "2" one 18mm tall, other 11mm, Fine & Scarce ................................................................. E. IV

Woodbury, Ct., Clear circle, matching "Paid 1" on local Drop Letter. Tiny nick at T., otherwise Very Fine, the rate unlisted ................................................................. E. III

CONNECTICUT SHIP LETTERS

Hartford, "Steamboat", New London, "Steam Boat" (two lines) Stonington, "Steam", All in Red, 1840's, Fine Lot ................................................................. E. IV


New Haven, Ct. Red circle, matching "Ship" within hull of ship Bold strike on 1830 folded letter to Middletown, Ct., datelined "Trinidad" ms. "20" rate. Fine ................................................................. E. V

New Haven, Ct. Black circle, matching "Ship" in hull of a ship & Bold "7" 1851 folded cover to Maine, datelined "Ponce" (P. R.), Very Fine, Scarce in black ................................................................. (Photo)

New Haven, Ct. Red circle, matching "Ship", within hull of a ship & Large Bold Red "7" on cover to Maine, datelined "Mayaguez" (Puerto Rico), Very Fine ................................................................. E. V

New Haven, Ct., Green circle, Green "Steam-Boat" in arc on 1836 illustrated (ship) Bill of Lading, New York to Hartford, Very Fine (Photo) ................................................................. E. V

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CONNECTICUT COLLECTIONS & SPECIAL GROUPS

293 Collection of Connecticut Town Postmarks; 160 all different towns, all circular town pmks. Nearly all are excellent strikes, 1818-1850's, with contemporary rates. A choice lot, nearly all Fine–Very Fine condition. Represents nearly all the circular postmarks listed in the latest Stampless Cover Catalogue, obviously many very scarce small P.O. are included. A beautiful collection, very difficult to duplicate E. X

294 CONNECTICUT STAMPLESS COVERS, The extensive collection of several hundred covers, early 19th Century – 1850's. All arranged alphabetically in two cartons. A wealth of different towns, types, colors and rates. Much beautifully written-up on 5x8” cards. No. ms cancels, no straight lines, but several fancy types, ovals, including rimless. This is a very important collection and it is impossible to do justice to it in a simple description. Average condition is high, relatively few with faults. A tremendous opportunity, for it is a brilliant study in itself and offers excellent opportunity for expansion E. XXVI

295 Connecticut Stampless Covers, 19 Folded Letters, Unusual rates or accessory markings, incl. “Advertised”, Corrected Rates, Instructions to P. M., Town & County, etc. Each cover selected for some unusual marks or uses, Fine–Very Fine E. V

296 Connecticut Stampless, 28 Ladies Envelopes, all small, embossed. Virtually all diff. as to towns or types. Many scarce small towns. Few faults, mostly Fine–Very Fine E. V

297 Double Circle Pmks., 25 nearly all diff. Wide var. of towns & types. Some duplication, usually diff. rates, etc. Excellent quality, most Fine–Very Fine, many scarce E. V

298 Connecticut Free Franks, Collection of 84 covers. 72 Free Franked by P.M., others by Congressmen, or to officials entitled to receive Free Franked mail. All ms. pmks. Many very small P.O. Fine–Very Fine Lot E. X

299 Postmasters' Free Franks, Coll. of 30 diff., some all ms., some “Free” & ms., few “Free” & Handstamp. Wide range of towns, some very small P.O. mostly 1840's. Fine Lot, Full of scarce P.O. E. VII

300 Free Franks of Congressmen, 10 diff., all diff., used within Connecticut. Fine Lot E. III

301 Free Franks to P. M. or other Public Officials, 38 Covers, Wide var. of Conn. town pmks., 1820's–1850's, most before 1840. Fine lot, rich in scarce & desirable covers, all diff. as to town, type or usage E. X

302 Forwarded Covers, Collection of 32, Forwarded within the State, From the State & To the State. A few with accessory handstamps, most in ms. & adding charge to the basic rate. Nearly all 1820's–1840's. Mostly Fine–Very Fine E. VI

303 Forwarded Covers, An extensive collection of 32 covers, all forwarded from original address, 1814–1852, Wide var. of rates according to distance & routes, mostly 1830's–1840's. Many forwarded within the state, others from other states. Fine–Very Fine E. VII

304 P.O. Business, Free, Ten Covers, All diff. types or towns, Printed or Handstamped, Fine, Scarce Lot E. VI

305 Conn. Circulars, 11 Complete Circulars, showing the 1c, 2c & 3c rates. Mostly folded ads. Nice var. of towns & rates, some within pmks., Fine Lot E. III

Connecticut Collateral, Three old maps (circa 1820) & 23 pieces, incl. 18th Cent. Sheriff's Writs, Couple of turned covers, P. O. Notices, etc. also few pictures of early mail carriage, Fine, Interesting Lot

WISCONSIN

TERITORIAL POSTMARKS

Burlington, W. T., October 11th, 1837, ms. pmk., Three lines, "Free" to Gov of Wisconsin Terr. Mineral Point. Small part of docketing into pmk. Fine & Scarce

Ives Grove, W. T., Sept. 26, Blue ms. pmk. & "Paid" on 1841 folded letters to Joliet, Ill., Slight aging, Fine & Scarce (Photo)

"Milwaukee, Wn. T." in Red circle, lightly struck twice, ms. 12½ rate on 1836 printed Stock Notice of "Milwaukie Steam Boat Company", Unusual, Fine


Pike, W. T., May 21, ms. pmk., "18¼" rate on folded official cover to Mineral Point, W. T., docketed 1837, Very Fine & Scarce (Photo)

Racine, Wisconsins, Free, B. B. Carey, P. M., on 1844 folded letter to Brunswick, Me., Red "Madison, Wis." & "Free" transit pmk. Carey was first P. M. of Racine, also its first M.D. Very Fine, Great Wisconsin Postal History Cover

Racine, W. T., July 28, ms. pmk., Free Frank to an M. C. 1836 folded letter to Lee in date line, W. T., Very Fine, Scarce

Racine, Wis. T. Bold circle, ms. "25" rate on 1843 folded letter to New York, Very Fine

Racine, Wis. T. Bold circle, Light "Free", franked by P. M., Neat 1844 folded letter to Buffalo, N. Y., Very Fine

Racine, Wis. T., Red circle, matching Paid & "20" in ms. on 1845 folded letter to N. Y. State, Fine

Racine, Wis. T., Red circle, Bold Double "Paid" & large "5" 1845 folded cover to Gov of Wisconsin at Madison, Fine

Racine, Wis. T., Olive Green circle, matching "10" in circle, 1846 Terr. use, Very Fine

Racine, Wis. T., Bit blurred Blue Circle, matching "10" in circle on folded letter datelined 1846, Fine

Racine, Wis. Two 1846 folded letters, one with "5" in box & two "Paid", other with "10" in circle, to N. Y. City, Fine

Racine, Wis. T., Three 1846 folded covers, Red, Blue & Black pmks, Blue "5" in box, Black "10" in circle, ms. "25" Red pmk., Fine Lot

Racine, Wis. T., matching "10" in circle, Clear strikes on 1847 cover, Very Fine

Rochester, W. T., Dec. 26, ms. pmk., "25" rate on 1841 folded letter to Vermont, Very Fine

Rochester, Wis., Clear Green circle, ms. "25" rate on 1844 folded letter to "Woodstock, V. T." (!) (Probably Vermont), Fine

Rochester, Wis. Bold Blue circle, ms. "10" rate, also "13" in ms. circle, probably for recording, 1846 Missionary letter to New York, Very Fine

Southport, Wis. T., Bold circle, ms. "25" on 1840 folded letter to Conn., Fine
328 Southport, Wis. T., Green circle, ms “25” on 1840 folded letter to Conn., Minor wear, Fine, owner claims only two covers recorded in green .......... E. V
329 Southport, W. T., Bold circle, matching “Free” on 1844 folded cover, P.M. Free Frank, Very Fine ........................................... E. IV
330 Southport, Wis. T., Bold Blue circle, matching “Paid”, “5” in circle, 1845 folded cover to Governor at Madison. Light filing creases, Very Fine .... E. IV
331 Southport, Wis. T., Bold circle in Red Orange, ms “25”. on 1845 folded letter to Mass, Very Fine ........................................ E. IV
332 Southport, Wis. T., Mostly clear circle in Brown, matching “10” in small octagon, Jan. 1848 folded letter to Racine, W. T., Fine, Scarce .......... E. III
333 Yorkville, W. T., March 28/‘45, ms pmk., Free Frank by P. M. on folded letter to Geneseo, N. Y., Fine & Scarce ................................ E. V

WISCONSIN STATEHOOD, STAMPLESS

335 Fountain City, Wis., Blurry pmk., but re-struck clearly on back of May 1861 cover to a Naval officer at Hong Kong, “Paid” in circle struck twice, “N. Y. Br. Pkt.” on back. Red ms “28” rate & “1(d)” for local Hong Kong charge Fine, Scarce usage .................... E. VI
336 Kenosha, Wis., Three Covers, “Paid 3” boxed semi-circle, “5” & “10” Bold italic numerals. Excellent strikes, Very Fine Lot ............................. E. IV
337 Racine, Wis. Bold circle, matching “Paid” on 1853 cover to England, Large ms. “24”, Red “3” Credit. Fine ........................................... E. III
338 Racine, Wis. Bare traces of Red Circle. Small boxed “5” on Printed “Odd Fellows” Lodge communication. Early statehood, yet interesting piece .... E. II
339 Racine, Wis., Seven covers, Early statehood to 1851, Each with diff rate mark, incl. “Free”, “Paid 3, 5 & 10”, in circle etc. Fine-Very Fine lot .... E. V
341 Thompsonville, Wis. Red circle, small caps, ms. “10” on neat embossed ladies envelope to California. Very Fine ........................................ E. IV
343 Wisconsin Stampless, Balance of Collection, 10 Covers, 5 Terr., others early statehood. Burlington, Kenosha, Racine, Southport, & an 1836 cover to Root River, W. T. Nearly all diff. as to town, rate or type. Fine Lot ........................................... E. VI

WISCONSIN — COVERS WITH STAMPS

344 Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 1, 1862, Clear pmk., 3c Rose Pink (64b) tied by target, on Patriotic Cover, Soldier on Horseback, Letterhead with similar design & Regimental Imprint, also another cover, similar design Regimental imprint but carried out of the mail. Choice Lot ................ (Photo) E. V
345 Racine, Wis. Jun 21, 1861, Clear pmk. on multicolor Patriotic Cover, Waving Flag, Camp Utley, 3c Red (26) tied by grid, Fine ........................................ E. IV

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346 Racine, Wis., Five covers, 3c Green Bank Note, tied by Fancy cancels. Incl. “Horseshoe” Two types, one with embossed return card, “Beaver on Log” (on pair, clear strikes, but needs some imagination) Crossed Square in Circle, on neat mourning envelope, open Triangle, (creases & small tear) others Fine—Very Fine ................................. E. IV

347 Sylvania, Wis., neat ms. pmk., 1c Blue, Ty. II (7), margins virtually all around, ms. cancel., not tied on 1856 circular to Hazel Green, Wis., Fine, scarce small P. O. ............................ E. V

348 Wisconsin Fancy Cancels, Seven, Bank Note—1896, incl. Stars, Cog-wheel, Triangle, & Three types “K” (of Kenosha) incl. two postal cards, Crude “K”, Fine lot ............................................................................ E. IV

TERRITORIALS & WESTERN COVERS

349 Camp Thomas, A. T., (Ariz. Terr.) 1880 Double Circle & target tie 3c Green (184) Cover slightly worn, minor tears, Fine ................................................................. E. IV

350 Dardanelle, Ark., March 28 (1837) ms. pmk., Free Frank of P. M. on 1837 folded letter; personal content with a short reference to the Creek Nation, Fine, Scarce ............................................ E. III

351 Fort Gibson, C. N., (Cherokee Nation), Light Clear Blue circle & target on 3c Green. Entire (U164) to N. C., Very Fine (Photo) ................................................................. E. VI

352 Denver City, K. T., Sep. 20, 1860, Clear strike of the small-lettered “Tombstone” pmk., 3c Red (26) perfs. touch, Vaguely tied by grid to N. Y. State with long, interesting letter complaining about tight money, etc. Part of R. side of cover restored, far from pmk. Fine appearance (photo) .................................................................... E. V

353 Denver City, C. T. 1862, Double circle ties pair of 3c Rose (65) one with tear, on cover to Mass., Fine ................................................................. E. VIII

354 Kit Carson, Colo. (Terr.) Circle pmk., light strike on 3c Green on Amber Entire (U83), legal size, Printed Cor. Card, to Mora, New Mexico (Terr.), Some soiling, otherwise Fine, Scarce ...................................................... E. III

355 Crow Creek, Dak., Bold pmk., 2c Red Brown (210) tied on cover with official card of “U.S. Indian Agency Crow Creek, D. T.” Very Fine (Photo) ................................................................. E. V

356 Deadwood, Dak. on 3c Green (184) Few nibbed perfs, Just tied by Target, clear “Deadwood, Dak.” pmk. on cover with Handsome all-over illustration on Reverse, of “Welch House”, with “Deadwood, D. T.” beneath, Attractive ................................................................. E. III

357 Fort Abercrombie, D. T., mostly clear pmk., matching target ties slightly defective 3c Rose (65) on cover to Cincinnati, Ohio. Corner card “U.S. Med. Department”, Fine & Scarce ................................................................. E. IV

358 Yanckton, Dak’a., Bold pmk., 3c Ultramarine (114) target cancel., not tied, Sealed tears in cover. Very scarce type pmk., unusual spelling ............... E. V

359 Apalachicola, F. Ty. Faint Red circle, Large Red “25” on 1844 folded letter to N. Y., Fine & Fresh ................................................................. E. IV

360 Boise City, Idaho Terr., Partly clear pmk., matching target ties 3c Rose (65) to cover with Internal Revenue Corner card, Fine ................................................................. E. III

361 Boise City, Idaho, Light Blue circle ties Fine 3c Ultramarine (114) on neat cover to N. Y. City; 1870 letter enclosed headed “Payute Valley, L. T.”, Fine, Scarce on 1869 Issue ................................................................. E. V

362 Fort Sill, Ind. Ter., Light duplex with target ties pair of 3c Green (147) perfs. touch, on small, neat cover to England. Bold Red “New York, Paid All” & British pmks. on back, Fine, Scarce usage ................................................................. E. III

363 Eufalu, Ind. T., Wheelock, Ind. T., Clear strikes, First on cover with 2c Red Brown (210) other on 2c Brown, Entire (U277). Covers bit soiled, Scarce ............................................................................ E. III
364 Wyandott, K. T. Bold Strike on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10). Very Fine & Handsome .......................................................... (Photo) E. IV

365 Wyandott, K. T., Bold Strike on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10), to "Hon J. W. Denver, Lecompton, Kansas"; Interesting 1858 letter enclosed discusses Murder investigation, etc. Sl. reduction at L., otherwise Very Fine & Rare .................................................................................................................. E. III

366 Wyandotte, Ks., Neat ms. pmk. on 3c Star Die Entire (U27) Military address to Kansas Terr., Horiz. creases & slight soiling. Scarce pmk. on Star Die .......................................................................................................................... E. IV

367 New Orleans, Oct. 1 (1805) Ornaments above & below dates, Recg. pmk. on Army Letter from Washington, Red Brown pmk. from Army Paymaster to paymaster for Terr. of Orleans. Earliest date of use of this pmk., according to Stampless Cover Cat. Slight aging, Very Interesting historic cover .................................................................................................................. E. VII

368 Detroit, Michigan, Clear Red Circle, ms. "10" on Green folded cover to Ann Arbor M. T. (Mich. Terr.), Very Fine .............................................................................................................................................. E. III

369 Detroit, Mich. T. Light oval, ms. "25" on 1830 folded letter to Phil'a.; "Wheatland, M. T., Mar. 7, 1837" ms. pmk. Early statehood, not noted by sender. Two folded letters, bit aged, "Wheatland" unlisted & scarce ... E. IV

370 Rollin, Mich., Feb. 15, 1837, Early statehood, ms. "25" on folded letter to Vermont. Unlisted either as Terr. or during statehood, Fine & Scarce .................................................................................................................. E. IV

371 Anoka, M. T., Clear Balloon Type pmk. ties 3c Pale Claret (11a) & 3c Red (26) on Cover to New Jersey, tiny cover faults, Scarce Minn. Terr. .................................................................................................................. E. V

372 New Dublin, M. T., September 2, 1857, Straight Line ms. cancel ties 3c Claret (11a), Fine on Cover to Mass., small negligible stain spots, otherwise Fine, Scarce Territorial ............................................................................. E. III

373 Fort Leavenworth, Mo. (Missouri Country), Bold pmk., matching extra-large "5" on folded letter datelined "June 28, 1849" from young man on his way to the Gold Rush; sent to Springfield, Mo., Scarce & Very Fine! (Photo) .............................................................................................................................................. E. V

374 St. Louis, Mo. T., Clear circle, ms. "12½" on 1831 folded letter to Columbia, (Mo.), Statehood Use, Fine & Scarce .............................................................................................................................................. E. VI

375 Fort Assiniboine, Fort Benton, Fort Buford, Montana, Clear to Bold pmks. on Three 1c Postal Cards (UX5), Fine--Very Fine Territorials .............................................................................................................................................. E. V

376 Fort Laramie, N. T. (Nebr. Terr.) Exceptional strike ties average 3c Red (26) to cover to Pa. Large nick restored L.B. corner, far from stamp. Fine appearance, Very Scarce ............................................................................. E. IV

377 Fort Wingate, N. M. 2c, 8c (267, 272). Tied by Bold Magenta "Registered, Dec. 17, 1897, Fort Wingate, N. M." Beautifully written address to Maine, Add'l handstamp "First Class", Very Choice .............................................................................................................................................. E. IV

378 Mesilla, N. M., Nov. 27/'56, ms. pmk. (handwriting difficult to read) 3c Red (26) tied by ms. cancel. on cover to Ohio. Small faults & minor aging at edges. Fine & Very Scarce .............................................................................................................................................. E. IX

379 Santa Fe, N. Mex. 1886. Clear circle, Territorial use, ties 2c Red Brown (210) to U.S. Army Paymaster, Bold "Magdalena, New Mexico" Rec. pmk. on back; Nick restored at top, Fine .............................................................................................................................................. E. III

380 Tubac, N. M., Five covers, 1859 ms. pmks. Each has a 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) Two Fine, others defective. A second stamp, probably a 5c 1857 has been removed from each. All to Ohio, "via Overland Mail". A "tragedy" lot but useful for reference .............................................................................................................................................. E. VIII

LOTS ON VIEW FROM THURS., APRIL 15th
OFFICE OPEN SATURDAY BEFORE SALE

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381 **Tubac, N. M.,** Neat ms. cancel, 3c Red, Ty. I (25) ms. cancel., Fine, on cover docketed 1869 to Ohio. Slight wear at edges. Fine, Scarce Terr. pmk. (Photo) E. IX

382 **3c Red, Ty. I (25).** Three covers, perf. in, as usual. Each with unusual address, to Tubac, N. M., one with Columbus, O. corner card, other “Via Overland Mail, St. Louis”, both in care of Santa Rita Silver Mining Co.”; The third cover to same addressee “Down Coach Coming East”. Fine lot of Great Postal History interest E. VI

383 **Tucson, N. M., By Overland Mail, Neat ms. pmk, 3c Red (26) ms. cancel, perf. defects, on cover docketed 1859 to Ohio. Choice & Rare Terr. Cover (Photo) E. X

384 **Tucson, N. M., Three covers, each with 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) tied, two Fine, other damaged, another stamp has been removed from each cover, (one with fragment of 5c Red Brown (28)) Together, they show the full circular pmk. A “tragedy” yet useful for reference E. III

385 **Keating, Oregon, Mar. 24, 1882, Bold oval, Perfect Strike on 3c Green Entire (U163).** Small tear extreme T. R., still a Handsome & Striking cover E. IV


387 **1842, Texas Republic, Folded cover from Antwerp, Belgium to the Minister of Texas to Paris, forwarded to New York. Red Long Box to indicate via Steamship, ms. “pr. British Queen” Excellent sequence of transit pmks., ms. rate marks. Small erosion of address obliterations, Fine & Scarce E. V

388 **1845, Texas Republic, Folded cover from Brussels, Belgium, to “Charge d'Affaires du Texas”, Paris, forwarded to London, ms. rate, all pertinent pmks., Very Fine E. V

389 **Brazo de Santiago, 24 March 1834, Pre-Texas War cover, via New Orleans, La. (Blue Green pmk) matching “Ship” & “27” rate to Conn. Letter describes virtually abandoned town & states “the country still is in a state of revolution,” Fine E. IV

390 **Brazos, Sept. 30, Clear Str. Line pmk., folded cover to Syracuse, N. Y., Enclosure, headed New Orleans tells of Yellow Fever epidemic which killed the writer shortly after writing this letter. Small cover tears, Fine Mexican War cover E. IV

391 **Breckenridge, Texas, August 25/59, ms. pmk. ties 3c Red, Ty. I (25) Fine, to cover to Ohio. Endorsed “Via Over Land Mail Rout” Cover bit age soiled. Scarce E. IV


393 **Ft. Davis, Tx, Oct. 28/58, ms. pmk. on badly damaged cover with a 3c Red, Ty. I (25) with large piece torn off. Rare small Fort near San Antonio. Desirable despite condition E. II

394 **Galveston, Texas, May 28, (1846), Red oval, Bold matching “10” to Conn. Owner claims Last Day Use of Republic of Texas, though Congress by Act of Mar. 29, 1846 extended U. S. Postal Rates to Texas. For this reason we offer it simply as a Fine Red “Galveston” oval E. V

395 **Camp Floyd, U. T., Dec. 11th/58, Neat ms. cancel., 3c Red (26) tied by ms. “X” on neat Blue envelope to N. Y., one of the best examples known; from the Porter correspondence, Very Choice & Rare Military Territorial cover (Photo) E. XI

396 **Salt Lake City, U. '65, clear Double circle, Matching target ties, sl. defective 3c Rose (65), Territorial use, Fine E. IV
397  Utah Territorial Covers, Six 1893 Pmk's on 2c Columbian Entires, Four Diff. Towns, mostly clear strikes, Fine Lot


399  Quillayute, Wash., Mar. 7, 1885, Bold Italic caps., matching Bold Pig in Circle, over stamp of 3c Red on Amber Entire (U332), Very Fine, Rare Spectacular Territorial (Photo)

400  Fort Fetterman, Wyo., (Terr.) Clear Blue circle ties 3c Green (184) perfs touch, cover slightly ink-stained, mostly on back, Fine & Scarce

401  Post Office, Paid, Victoria, Vancouver Island, Bold Blue oval, with U.S. 10c Green (68) tied by S. F. Cal. duplex on front only to New Orleans. Scarce & Attractive

402  Post Office, Paid, Victoria, Vancouver Island, Long Blue oval, Bold strike; two U.S. 10c Green (68) small faults, tied by heavy multi-bar grids, matching "San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 14, 1862" pmk. on cover to Phill'a., Fine, Scarce cover

403  Post Office, Paid, Victoria, Vancouver Island, Blue oval, clear strike, with U.S. 24c Gray (78a) perfs. in, tied by S. F. pmk. & target, also ms. cancel on 1867 cover to London. Address strengthened, slight aging, Fine & Scarce

404  Columbia, Clear Straight Line pmk., Cal, Dec 12/52 in ms., Bold "10", on Folded Letter to Maine, two 3c Red (11), average, one tied by the "Columbia" pmk., other by Small Rectangular Grids, Attractive & Very Scarce

405  Grass Valley, Cal. 6 Paid, in circle, Clear strike, also similar partial strike, on small Embossed Lady's envelope, Very Fine

406  Grass Valley, Cal., Red Circle, light strike; Matching, Bold "PAID" over "10" on small, neat envelope, Fine

407  Maine Prairie (Cal.) Nov. 20/63. Neat ms. pmk., 3c Rose (65) str. edge, ms. cancel, not tied on cover to N.Y. State. Letter, dated Nov. 15 remarks that "the first train of cars started out of Sac(ramento) on the new Pacific rail road". Choice Solano Co. cover, Scarce

408  Marysville, Cal. 10, Bold Blue pmk. on Illustrated "Mining Scene" Cover, Miner Panning for Gold, Miners working a Sluice Box, somewhat aged nevertheless Handsome, Very Scarce, ex-Knapp


410  10c Green, Ty. V (35). S.E. tied by Large Blue Grid & Black Town on Six-Horse Stagecoach cover, "Overland via Los Angeles", Randall & Co. impt. Blue "Marysville, Cal." pmk. stamp has tiny ms. markings. Very Fine & Rare Cover

411  Mayfield, Cal., Jan. 19/60, Ms. pmk at T. L. corner, matching "Paid 10" on cover to Brooklyn, N.Y. Nicks at T. restored. V. F. appearance

412  Moon's Ranch, Cal., Feb. 6th, 1854, neat ms. pmk., ms. "Paid 6" on cover to Ill. Very interesting letter from a misogynist who regards an uncle's marriage as a catastrophe. Also details on deer hunting & virtual extention of the antelope by hunters. Colusa Co. period. Fine & Scarce, opened at side

CALIFORNIA COVERS
Moons Ranch, Cal., Aug. 9th, 1854, ms. pmk., ms. "Paid 6” on cover to Ill. Long personal letter, no historic significance. Colusa Co. period, Very Fine & Scarce .............................................................. (Photo)  
E. VI

Moons Ranch, Cal., July 12th, 1855, ms. pmk., ms. “Paid 10” on cover to Ill., writer still a misogynist & commiserates with friends whom he learned had married. Flap torn, Fine, late Colusa Co. use ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VI

Moons Ranch, Cal., Dec. 13, 1855, neat ms. pmk., & “Paid” “10” on cover to Ill., Writer still deplores marriage; writes of rampant crime in California but considers detail too shocking. Very Fine, Very late Colusa Co. use, just before Tehama Co. was formed ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VII

Moons Ranch, Cal., Oct. 20 (1853). Neat ms. cancel. on cover to Ill., franked with defective pair 3c Red (11) ms. cancel., Great 1853 letter enclosed telling what happened when a woman was brought to the ranch to cook for a bunch of bachelors. Fine piece of Californiana, used during the five years Moon’s Ranch was in Colusa Co. ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VII

Moons Ranch, Cal., Sept. 1st, ms. pmk. on neat cover to Ill., 1862 letter enclosed, franked with 10c Green (66) partly cut away in opening. Searce, Tehama Co. period .................................................................  
E. IV

Moon’s Ranch, Cal., Jan’y. 15th, 1868, Neat ms. pmk. at left of cover to Ill., franked with 3c Rose (65), ms. cancel, perf. faults, Fine, Searce Tehama Co. P. O. .................................................................  
E. VI

Parks Bar, Cal., Feb. 12th, Clear ms. pmk., matching “Paid 6” on cover to N. J., least bit of wear, Very Fine & Scarce ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VI

Sacramento City, Cal. Perfect Black Circle, matching “Paid” & Shaded “6” on cover to New Hampshire, Very Fine, Handsome ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. IV

Sacramento City, Cal. Clear circle ties pair 3c Red (11). Large margins nearly all around, on cover to Maine, 1854, Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. III

Sacramento City, Cal. on 10c Green Entire, light “Sacramento City” pmk. to N. Y. State, slightly worn, still Fine ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. II

San Francisco, 1 July, 40, Bold, Perfect strike in Bright Orange on 1850 folded cover to Boston, 1849 docketing. Sold in Adm. Harris auction (Apr. 10, 1954) as of Hawaiian origin. Extremely Fine ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VII

San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 20, 1858, Paid, Red circle, diff. type than preceding lot, “15” in circle, “34” rate mark in pencil & Red Crayon on neat cover to Santiago, Chile, Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VI

San Francisco, Cal., May 21, 1860, Paid, All in Red, matching “15” in circle, Red crayon “34” rate mark to Chile, Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VI

San Francisco, Cal., Apr. 9, 1860, Red circle, matching “15” in circle, Bold British pmk. “Panama, May 21, 1860” on small neat cover to Santiago, Chile, Very Fine, via U.S. mails to Panama, thence by British Mail Boat, Red crayon for local charge ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VI

San Francisco, Cal., Apr. 21, 1860, Red circle, Red “15” in circle, Red crayon “34” to show full rate. British pmk. of Panama. Small cover to Santiago, Chile, Fine ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VI

San Francisco, Cal., May 5, 1861, matching “15” in circle, crayon “34” to show full rate on small neat cover to Santiago, Chile, Very Fine .................................................................  
E. VI

San Francisco on 10c Green Entire (U15) Clear “San Francisco, Cal. 1859” pmk. to N. Y. State, mended tear at top, otherwise Fine .................................................................  
E. II

Strawberry Valley, Cal. Light Red Circle, on Six-Horse Stagecoach cover, “From San Francisco via Los Angeles” in Ribbon, “Hutchings & Rosen- field” impt. A slightly defective 10c Green (68) with grid cancel, not tied, is in the T. R. corner, but its use on this cover cannot be verified ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VIII

Yreka, Cal. Nov. 30, 1857 in circle cancels 10c Green on Buff entire (U16) to Eastchester, N. Y., Handstamp of Buffalo at top of cover, Very Fine, Ex. Meroni ................................................................. (Photo)  
E. VI

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CENTRAL OVERLAND ROUTE TO DENVER

432 Central Overland California & Pikes Peak Express Co., St. Joseph, Mo. clear Green oval on 3c Entire (U10) “Platte City, Mi.” pmk. to Denver City, K.T., Cover defective but restored to a Fine appearance (Photo) E. VII

433 Central Overland California & Pikes Peak Express Co., Denver City, K. T., May 2. Clear oval on 3c Entire (U10), Green “St. Joseph, Mo., May 9” pmk. to Wisconsin, small cover nick L., Central Overland oval repeated on back, Fine for this (Photo) E. IX


435 Central Overland California & Pikes Peak Express Co., St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 7, Bold, slightly blurred oval, on cover to Central Overland agent at Central City, Cal., endorsed “Stage Business” & illegible signature (Ben Hughes?) Used 7 days after Wells, Fargo acquired the company & probably the last trip, as docketing approves accounting, Ex Chase, Knapp. Very Fine, An enormously rare historic cover (Photo) E. XV

436 Jones & Russell’s Pikes Peak Express Co., Denver City, Nov. 17, 1859, Clear strike, Free Franked by R. B. Bradford, the superintendent, addressed to W. B. Waddell, one of the executives who took over the company, Very Fine, probably unique usage (Photo) E. XIII

437 Hinckley & Co. Express, Denver City, Apr. 15, 1861, Mostly clear circle used on frank; 3c Red (26) tied by grid, “Omaha City, Apr. 20, 1861” pmk.; reduced cover to Pacific City, Iowa. Scarce usage, only 5 days to Omaha (Photo) E. VI

438 Hinckley & Co’s Express Mail, Printed Frank, Scroll type, clear Hinckley circle “Denver City, Nov. 5, 1860” on 3c Entire (U10) “St. Joseph, Mo., Nov. 15, 1860” pmk. to Georgia. Small tears sealed. Fine, as these come (Photo) E. X

PONY EXPRESS


441 Wells, Fargo & Co. Pony Express, $2.00 Red (143L1). Three Huge margins showing bits of adjoining stamps, B. frame line halved, tied on 3½x1½” corner of 10c Green on Buff Star Die (U33) by neat San Francisco “Running Pony” in Blue oval. Very Handsome & Attractive, Ex-Hollowbush (where it realized $625.00) (Photo) E. XIII
Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $2.00 Red (143L1). Three large margins, well clear at top; tied by “San Francisco, Running Pony” Blue oval, Green “St. Joseph, Mo.” pmk. on 10c Green on White Entire (U15) to New York. Cover a trifle wrinkled, not affecting stamp which is remarkably fine. Unlisted on 10c Green on White, Ty. I Entire. A magnificent, outstanding Rarity .................................................. (Photo) 3,000.00+

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $4.00 Green (143L2). Large Margins, Fresh color, part o.g., small thin, Very Fine appearance .................................................. (Photo) 125.00

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $1.00 Red (143L3). Block of Six, (3x2) Large margins, two vertical creases, one in margin between stamps, otherwise Very Fine .................................................. (Photo) 175.00+

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express (143L3). Block of Nine, Large Margins all around, Plated 6–8, 10–12, 14–16, Pos. 10 has a small abrasion & tiny stain at B., others Very Fine .................................................. (Photo) 250.00+

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $1.00 Red (143L3). Two Blocks of 16 with gutter between. Sealed tear in two stamps of left pane, faint crease in same row of four, otherwise Very Fine, Handsome .................................................. (Photo) 1,000.00+

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $1.00 Red, $2.00 Green (143L3, 143L4). Fresh color, Large margins, $2.00 minute thin, otherwise Very Fine .......... 115.00

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $1.00 Red, $2.00 Green, $4.00 Black (143L3–143L5). Fresh & Very Fine .................................................. 200.00

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $1.00 Red, 10c Brown, 25c Red (143L3, 143L7, 143L9). One $1.00, three each 10c & 25c, small faults, Fine–Very Fine Appearance; also Newspaper stamps Nos. 143L3P, 6, 7, 9. Fine–Very Fine. Attractive Lot .................................................. 148.50

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $1.00 Red (143L7). Margins virtually all around, Blue “Running Pony” cancels, small tear at R., Fine appearance .................................................. (Photo) 175.00

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $1.00 Red (143L3). Large, Even Margins all around; tied by San Francisco “Running Pony”, Oct. 2 cancel in Blue oval on 10c Green on Buff, Star Die Entire (U33) “Atchison, Kan., Oct. 16” in double circle to Baltimore, Md. Cover has closed tear across frank, neatly sealed not affecting stamp, which is Very Fine. A magnificent Pony cover .................................................. (Photo) 2,600.00

Wells, Fargo & Co., $2.00 Green (143L4). Block, Fresh Color, clear to Large Margins, Fine–Very Fine .................................................. 400.00

Wells, Fargo & Co., $2.00 Green (143L4). Block of Six, Large margins, Prominent printing flaw L. B. stamp, few light bends or wrinkles, otherwise Very Fine .................................................. (Photo) 580.00

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $4.00 Black (143L5). L. B. Corner Block of Six, Large to Huge margins, negligible light bend, still Very Fine, Block unpriced, cat. value given for singles .................................................. (Photo) 510.00+

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, Black Essays, Both types printed side by side, the $1.00 complete, & numerals “2, 2, 3, 4” to R., two styles of “2”. Adjacent is the other type with Vignette omitted, & three “25” to L. Each shows minor difference. Very Fine & Spectacular Essay, Very Scarce .................................................. (Photo) E. XII

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, Reprints in Black, Complete Sheet of 25, Each denom. in Vertical Strip of Five, the $4.00 neatly pen-crossed as always, Very Fine & Scarce .................................................. (Photo) E. XIII

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $1.00 Blue, “Garter” (143L6). Large part o.g., Ample to Large margins, slight thin, otherwise Very Fine, signed “Garter” .................................................. (Photo) 110.00

Wells, Fargo & Co., Pony Express, $1.00 Blue, “Garter” Proof on Thin Card (143L6P) Black, Large margins. Large writing across three, possibly an approval of design but not verifiable. Very Fine, Very Scarce (Photo) E. IX
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<td>Wells, Fargo &amp; Co., Pony Express, 10c Brown (143L7) Block, Large to Huge margins incl. T. Sheet margin, Fresh, Extremely Fine</td>
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<td>Wells, Fargo &amp; Co., Pony Express, 10c Brown (143L7). Block, Large to Huge margins, Tiny inclusion speck in one, others Very Fine</td>
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<td>Wells, Fargo &amp; Co., Pony Express, 10c Brown (143L7). Block of Eight, (2 x 4) Pos. 3–10. Large margins, Fresh, Extremely Fine</td>
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<td>Wells, Fargo &amp; Co. Pony Express, 25c Blue (143L8) Block, Large margins, incl. R. pane margin, except R. B. stamp close at R., due to uneven transfer. Fresh, Deep Color, Fine–Very Fine, Rare in Block</td>
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<td>Wells, Fargo &amp; Co., Pony Express, 25c Red (143L9). Large to Huge margins, incl. B. Sheet margin, tied by Blue Oval W. F. &amp; Co. “Virginia City, N. T.” repeated on the W. F. franked 3c Pink Entire (U95) Printed address to S. F., Least bit reduced far left, Very Fine</td>
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<td>Alta Express Co. Pictorial Printed Frank on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10) Light Company oval “Sacramento”, trivial stain at bottom, otherwise Very Fine &amp; Scarce</td>
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<td>467</td>
<td>Barnard’s British Columbia Express. Fancy Scroll Frank, on Unused 10c Green on White Entire (U41), also bearing “Wells, Fargo, &amp; Co.” Printed Frank. Clean &amp; Very Fine. Scarce</td>
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<td>468</td>
<td>California Penny Post Co., 5c Black on Buff (34LU9). Unused entire, negligible toned spot T. R., still Very Fine</td>
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<td>Gregory’s Express Pocket Letter Book, Unused, Very Fine</td>
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<td>Greenwood &amp; Newbauer Express, Printed Frank on 3c Red on White Entire (U9), Blue oval “Weaverville” company cancel to San Francisco, Fine</td>
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<td>Greenwood &amp; Newbauer Express, Print Frank on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10), Mostly Clear oval “Weaverville” company cancel to S. F. Small mended tear, otherwise Fresh &amp; Very Fine</td>
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<td>473</td>
<td>Hopkinson’s Express, Ornamented printed rectangle, on 3c Entire (U58) to Nevada City. Uncancelled, docketed 1866, Least bit age stained, Unusually Fine, Rare, Ex–Barkhausen</td>
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<td>Langton’s Pioneer Express, Marysville, Clear Blue oval on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10), Fancy Oval Printed Frank, pencil address erased, some small faults &amp; repair, Very Fine Appearance, Scarce</td>
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<td>Langton’s Pioneer Express, Fancy Oval Printed Frank on 3c Pink on White (U34). Partly clear Red Langton’s Oval over–struck with “Wells Fargo &amp; Co. Marysville” Blue Double Oval. Small piece out of cover at bottom, Fine &amp; Unusual</td>
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<td>476</td>
<td>Pacific Express Co., Printed “Horseman” frank on 3c Red on White Entire (U9). Mostly clear Blue Company oval on clean envelope to “Iowa Hill, Cal.” Very Fine</td>
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**Pacific Union Express Co.** Red Scroll frank on 3c Pink on White Entire ((U58), Bold Blue “T” cancel, Matching “Treasure City, Nev.” pmk., to East Boston, Mass. Minor wrinkling, otherwise Very Fine, Rare (Photo) E. VI

**W. L. Pritchard’s Fast Freight Line,** Palisade—Pivche, Nev. Printed franks, overall, two, one Buff, other Drab, on 3c Green Entire (U82) Wells, Fargo at left. Pritchard carried mail for W. F. & Co. from R.R. at Palisade into Central Nevada. Bit worn, Scarce

**Tracy & Co. Oregon Express,** Printed Frank in fancy Ribbon on 3c Pink on Buff Entire (U35), Unused, Very Fine

**Truman & Co., Wells, Fargo & Co., Whitney & Co.** Printed Franks on 3c Entires (U59, U163). Unaddressed halves of paste-ups except W. F. the complete paste-up (San Jose, Cal. to Austin, Nev.) Small flaws, Fine lot

**Wells, Fargo & Co., S. Frco.,** Bold Blue Double circle, Red “15” in circle, “Encaminada Por Hurtado Hermanos, Panama”, Red Crowned “Paid at Panama”, British mark & Bo. P.O. pmk. of Panama; small cover to Santiago, Chile. Wells, Fargo turned it over to Panama forwarder for dispatch by British Mail. Red crayon rate mark. Choice cover. Rare combination of Express Co., Forwarder a Postal service to deliver the small cover, Fine (Photo) E. IX

**Wells, Fargo & Co., S. Frco.,** Bold Blue Double circle, matching “Paid”, Red “15” in circle (U.S. postage) & same Panama forwarder as in preceding lot, to which it is identical except for being without British pmks. Small tear far left; otherwise Fine (Photo) E. VIII

**Wells, Fargo & Co., Printed Frank (Ty. E) on 3c Star Die Entire (U26) Blue “W. F. S. Frco.” in double circle. Unaddressed half of postage used as a receipt for the package it was attached to. Very Fine, Unusual usage**

**Wells, Fargo & Co. Pointed Frank (Ty. E) on 10c Green Entire (U40) with 2c Black (73) Tied by odd grid & Red “London, 1869” pmk. on cover to England, Clear W. F. oval “Victoria” An unidentified stamp has been removed from the cover, yet scarce & attractive**


**Wells, Fargo & Co., Printed Frank on 3c Pink Entire (U58) Blue oval W. F. & Co. Chico, to S.F., Very Fine**

**Wells, Fargo & Co., Mexican & Calif. Express, 25c, Neat printed Frank. (Thorp Ty. M) on 3c Pink Entire (U59) with patent lines. Unused, Very Fine & Scarce**

**Wells, Fargo & Co., Printed Frank (Ty. E) on 24c Blue Entire (U71) Large size, Printed address to S.F., Magenta W. F. oval “Virginia, Nev.” Tiny cover tears, otherwise Very Fine**

**Wells, Fargo & Co., Printed Frank (Ty. E) on 24c Blue Entire (U71) Large size, Printed address to S. F., Magenta W. F. oval “Virginia, Nev.” Small tear at T., otherwise Very Fine**

**Wells, Fargo & Co., Printed Frank (Thorp Ty. E), on 3c Star Die Entire (U27) Two, one “Marysville” in double oval; other “Sacramento” in double circle. Very Fine, Scarce on Star Die**

**Wells, Fargo & Co., Two Printed Frank on 3c Red Entires (U10), Diff. Shades of Buff Paper, Bold Blue Wells Fargo Double Circle pmks., Pine Lot**

**Wells, Fargo & Co.** Printed Frank with surcharge “Paid 25 Cts” on 3c Pink on Buff Entire (U35) to S. F., Clear Blue W. F. Oval “Carson City,” may have been carried by the Virginia City “Pony” using the 25c frank prepared for Idaho use, Very Fine, Rare & Unusual (Photo) E. VIII

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495 Wells, Fargo & Co. Printed Frank in T. L. corner of 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10), Clear Blue oval Wells, Fargo Steamboat marking. Fine and Scarce ................................................................. (Photo) E. VIII

496 Wells, Fargo & Co. Early Woodblock Frank on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10), Blue Hexagonal Wells Fargo Steamboat marking (L2-5), Clear Strike, Slight staining at bottom, otherwise Very Fine, Rare ........... (Photo) E. VIII

497 Wells, Fargo & Co. Printed Frank on 10c Green on White Entire (U40), Blue “Paid” in Oval, to Philadelphia, A 10c Green (68) barely tied. Small cover faults on back, otherwise Fine ....................................................... (Photo) E. VI

498 Wells, Fargo & Co. Printed Frank on 3c Pink on Buff Entire (U59), Blue Oval W. F. San Francisco. Unusual Illustrated Ad. of Sewing Machine Company, showing Woman using early Machine. Slightly reduced at R. just into stamp, otherwise Very Fine & Unusual ............ E. III

499 Wells, Fargo & Co. Express, S.FR.Co. cancel Clear Blue Double Circle ties 3c Red (26), Fine, on clean envelope to Marysville, Cal., Banker’s corner card. Very Fine ......................................................... (Photo) E. VI

500 Wells, Fargo & Co., Eleven franks, two are unused and four are fronts only, latter includes 3c Canada from Victoria and another with questionable stamp on used cover .............................................................................. E. VII

501 Wells, Fargo & Co., Nov. 10, 1869, Printed letter to stockholders, requesting approval of issuing more stock to acquire Pacific Union Express Co., which held exclusive express rights over the Pacific R. R. & refused Wells, Fargo the use of the railroad. Regarded as a sort of legal “black mail”. Very Fine historic piece ......................................................... (Photo) E. VI

502 Correspondence of 18 Covers, San Francisco to New York. One 10c Star Die (U32), others 10c Nesbitt, Both types & papers, (U15-U18) incl. Wells, Fargo frank overprinted on Green Freeman & Co. frank, a few with additional 10c #35. All more or less defective; some badly damaged, others only slight faults. Most have routing directions, some with Ship names. Good Study Lot ........................................................................... E. VIII

RAILROAD COVERS

(Listed according to Remele, used as a guide to type and rarity. Remele abbreviated to “Rem.”)


504 Indianapolis & Cincinnati R. R. (Remele I4a) Bold strike in Deep Blue on 3c Red Entire (U10) to Terre Haute. Letter enclosed headed “Lawrenceburgh, Apr. 14, 1855. Note on back states letter was brought to “the cars” for mailing, Very Fine, Very Rare ........................................ (Photo) E. VIII

505 Jack(sonville) & Tampa R. P. O. Light clear pmk ties 1c Blue (206) Strip of Three used on 2c Entire (U278) to Germany. Very Fine, Scarce, not listed in Towle-Mayer .............................................................................. E. IV

506 Kerneysville, B & O. R. R., Aug 3, 1865 (T-M #274S-14 var), Clear Blue Oval ties 3c Rose (65) on Small Mourning Cover, another strike to right of stamp, some negligible age toning, Unlisted in Blue ................................................................................. E. V

507 Mic. Central R. R. Mic. (Remele M5-6). Bold circle on 3c Red on Buff (U10), small cover faults, Attractive .................................................................................................................. E. III


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512  P. H. & Fishkill R. R. (Rem #P14), Clear Strike, matching Bold “Free” on Fresh 1855 Folded Letter to PM of Uncasville, Ct., Very Fine, Very Scarce .................................................. (Photo) E. V


END OF FIRST SESSION

DESCRIPTIONS

EXTREMELY FINE: The finest condition for noteworthy, outstanding copies.

VERY FINE: (V. F.) In prime condition such as to satisfy the requirements of particular collectors.

FINE: (F) Perforations or margins do not touch design on issues after 1890 but in some cases may just touch in earlier issues. If used, fairly light cancellation.

VERY GOOD: (V. G.) Generally nice appearance but margins or perforations may cut in slightly.

GOOD: Average off-centering or fairly attractive with slight defects.

ORIGINAL GUM is not to be expected on 19th century stamps unless so stated in the description.

MINT: With original gum and never hinged.

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SECOND SESSION
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 1976 — 1:00 P.M.

POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS

514 R New Haven, Ct., 5c Red on White, 1872 Seebeck Reprint (8XUIR). Very Fine, Scarce ......................................................... (Photo) E. VII

515✉ New York, N. Y., 5c Black (9Xl). Two choice singles, Large margins, one the Big Double Transfer at T., Pos. 7; Tied by Dark Blue ms. cancel, Red "New York, 10cts", "Paid" in arc on neat 1846 folded letter to Davenport, Iowa, Very Fine, A "Showpiece" ......................................................... (Photo) 375.00+

1847 ISSUE

516 5c Light Red Brown (1). Pretty color, Fine impression, Ample to Large margins, tied by Red Grid on small piece, trace of crease in T. margin clear of design, still Very Fine ......................................................... (Photo) 150.00

517✉ 5c Orange Brown (1b). Excellent Color & Impression, Large to Enormous Margins, shows trace of next stamp at L. Tied by light Red Grid, matching "Cincinnati, O. 5cts." on Immaculate Buff envelope to Steubenville, Ohio. Exceptionally Fine Stamp & Cover ......................................................... (Photo) 200.00+

518✉ 5c Orange Brown (1). Ample to Large margins, Fine color & Impression, Tied by Red Square Grid, N. Y. pmk on 1850 folded letter to Mass., Very Fine ......................................................... (Photo) 250.00

519✉ 5c Red Brown (1). Nice Color and Impression, Large Margins to just in at left. Tied by three Bold Red "5"s, and blue "Baltimore, Md." pmk. on dark brown envelope to Annapolis, Md. Fragile envelope has small pieces missing, one from front. Fine ......................................................... (Photo) 200.00

520✉ 5c Deep Orange Brown (1b). Ample to Large Margins, Gorgeous Color, Fine Impression, on Sep 10, 1847 Folded Letter tied by Blue Framed Grid, matching "Philada, Pa., 5cts." pmk., stamp has negligible aging specks, otherwise Very Fine ......................................................... (Photo) 200.00+

521✉ 5c Brown (1). Rich Chocolate Color & Sharp Impression, Large Margins all around, microscopic pinhole, tied by Red Square Grid, matching light "New-York" pmk. on envelope to Hudson, N. Y. Very Fine Appearance ......................................................... (Photo) 200.00

522✉ 5c Orange Brown (1b). Fine color & Impression, Large to Huge Margins except partly touched upper left. Tied by Blue Grid & edge of matching "Middletown, Con." pmk. "5" in oval, to Vermont, Fine & Attractive ......................................................... (Photo) 200.00+

523✉ 5c Brown (1). Ample to Large Margins, Fine Impression, ms. "X" cancel, "tied" by filing crease, Bold Blue "Eastern, R. R." pmk. on 1849 Folded Letter, Very Attractive ......................................................... E. VI

524✉ 5c Brown (1). Late impression, Margins all around, tied by Red Grid on large part of envelope, Albany to N. Y. C., creases, from contents of cover. Fairly attractive ......................................................... 200.00
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<td>Large Margins to slightly in, small faults, on July 1849 Folded Letter, well tied by Red Square Grid, matching “New-York” pmk., Fairly Attractive</td>
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<td>527</td>
<td>5c Chocolate Brown (I)</td>
<td>Late impression; Three large margins, barely touched B., ms. cancel, not tied, ms. “Scitico, Ct.” pmk. on May 1851 folded letter to Guilford, Ct., Fine, very small P. O., rare usage</td>
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<td>528</td>
<td>10c Black (2)</td>
<td>Three Huge Margins, trifle cut in R.B., Tied by Blue ms. cancel., ms. “Chattahoochee, Flo(rida)” pmk. &amp; “10” on Envelope to New York very slight aging &amp; small hole far from stamp. One of two on record, the other with similar markings &amp; from same correspondence. A Fine &amp; Very Rare cover</td>
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<td>529</td>
<td>10c Black (2)</td>
<td>Enormous margins with bits of next stamps at sides. Tied by Red Square Grid, Orange Red N.Y. pmk on 1851 folded letter to Canada, also tied by part of “Queenston, U. C.” pmk &amp; “9” ms. rate. Slight bleaching of margins, mostly T. &amp; R. &amp; faint filing crease, still a Remarkably Fine &amp; Attractive Looking Cover</td>
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<td>10c Black (2)</td>
<td>Large margins to trifle in upper left, Red Grid cancel., not tied, matching “Boston, 10cts” &amp; “Steam Boat” 1849 folded cover to N.Y., Fine, Scarce</td>
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<td>532</td>
<td>10c Black (2)</td>
<td>Three Huge Margins, touched to tiny bit in at top, tied by Red Square Grid on most of folded cover to North Carolina, Red “New-York” pmk., “Sept. 18, 1849” on back, Attractive</td>
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<td>533</td>
<td>10c Black (2)</td>
<td>Two singles, sharp impression, each with Huge Margins to just touched at T.L., one with tiny tear at top; Tied by Red Square Grids, Matching “New-York May 27” (1850) on large portion of refolded cover to Quebec, Canada. Red “London, L. C.”, ms. “1½” on front; part of “Quebec, L. C.” receiving pmk. on Reverse. Fine and Very Rare</td>
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<td>534</td>
<td>1c Blue, Ty. IV (9)</td>
<td>Pos. 10L1L, Large margins except tips of B. scrolls barely touching. Tied on 1853 circular to Davenport, Iowa, by “New York” pmk with Two Slugs, in date. Very Fine, scarcest of the “slug” type pmks</td>
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<td>1c Dark Blue, Ty. II (7), Vertical Pair, Pos. 1, 11L2</td>
<td>Intense Color, Three Large to Huge Margins, tiny bit in at Bottom, Red Grid Cancels, not tied, matching “U.S. Mail, City Delivery, 2” with “Paid” Above on locally used cover, Fine–Very Fine</td>
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<td>536</td>
<td>1c Blue, Ty. II (7)</td>
<td>Three Ample to Large Margins, mostly clear at top, Rich Color, Beautifully tied by “Richmond, Va., Jul 7, 1856” pmk. on Fresh Unsealed Circular Cover, Fine &amp; Choice</td>
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<td>1c Blue, Ty. II (7)</td>
<td>Margins Virtually All Around, Pl. 2, Rich Color, tied on 1856 Folded Prices Current by Bold Blue Grid, Fine</td>
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<td>1c Blue, Ty. II, Pl. 1E (7)</td>
<td>Two circulars, each with single tied by town pmk., “Westbury, Ms.” Large margins, trifle in at T., “Cincinnati, O.” cut in at B., Very Good–Fine</td>
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<td>539</td>
<td>1c Blue, Ty. II (7)</td>
<td>Three Ample to Huge Margins, slightly in at top, on Small Homemade Wrapper tied by “New York” Double Slug pmk., Scarce &amp; Attractive</td>
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1c Blue, Ty. II, IV (7, 9). One of first, two of latter, margins nearly all around, on cover, tied by "Dubuque, Iowa" pmks., cover trifle worn, otherwise Fine .................................................. 103.50+

1c Blue, Ty. II, IV (7, 9). Single of first, Pos. 64R1E, Horiz. Pair of latter, Pos. 1-2L1L, Margins All Around, small faults, tied on cover by "Alby. & Buffalo R. R." (Rem. A2-e), struck again at right, also with pencil "X" cancels partly erased, Apr. 1854 enclosure, Late Use of Pl. 1E, Scarce Cover ................................................................. E. VI

1c Blue, Ty. IV (9). Double Transfer, Pos. 80L1L, Large Even Margins, tied by Large Boston "PAID" on locally used cover, Red "Boston, Mass." pmk., Exceptionally Fine (Photo) .................................................. E. VI

1c Blue, Ty. IV (9). Large margins, Tied on 1853 circular by small, neat grid. Negligible toned spots at R. B., Very Fine ................................................................. 35.00

1c Blue, Ty. IV (9). Pos. 18L1L, Large Margins to tiny bit in, Grid cancel, not tied on April 1855 Folded Circular, Fine ................................................................. 35.00

1c Dark Blue, Ty. IV (9). Vertical Strip of Three, Pos. 74, 84, 94R1L, Rich Color, light wavy ms. cancel, ms. Mich. Town pmk. on cover to Conn., Nov. 1856 enclosure, bottom stamp Fine, Top Pair Large Margins & Extremely Fine ................................................................. 110.00+

1c Blue, Ty. IV (9). Horiz. Pair, used with 3c Orange Brown (10), all with large margins to slightly cut in, 1c pair lifted & reaffixed with hinge, pressed out crease in one, Grid & N. Y. pmks. paying Inland Rate on Aug 1852 Cover to Paris; A Union Square Local, 1c Apple Green (141L2) cut to shape & ms. cancel may have been used to prepay to the P. O. but not being tied, its use on this cover cannot be guaranteed, Scarce & Attractive .............. (Photo) E. VII

1c Blue, Ty. IV (9). Horiz. Pair, Full margins except bit in at top of L. stamp, used with 3c Dull Red (11) average, tied by "Albany, N. Y." paying 5c Inland fee on 1853 envelope to France, Red N. Y. Br. Pkt. ties & Bold French 26 decimes due mark, Fine ................................................................. E. VII

1c Blue, Ty. IV, 3c Red (9, 11). Horiz. Pair of first, Pos. 19-20R1L, Huge Margins to cut in, used in Combination with "L" Shaped Block of Five of the 3c, Huge Margins to cut in, on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10) tied by Blue Town pmks. to Navy Lt. aboard a U. S. Sloop in Havana, Cuba, Red "New-York, Dec. 3, 1855", Blue "NA" & matching "I", three stamps have small tears & cover bit worn yet Attractive, A Fascinating & Unusual Franking ................................................................. (Photo) 284.50+

1c-12c 1851-69 Issues. Eighteen stamps on fourteen covers, wide range incl. #7(damaged), 36(2), 69(2), 113, 115, etc. Destinations incl. Canada, Mexico, England & France, an Interesting Lot, Good–Very Fine ........................................ E. VIII

3c Orange Brown (10). Large margins all around, Tied by Bold grid, "Essex, Ct." pmk, on envelope (which has tiny toned spot), Extremely F. ................................................................. E. IV


3c Orange Brown (10). Margins nearly all around, T. R. corner slightly rounded, Nice Color. Well tied by Blue "Paid" over Square Grid in Shield, matching mostly clear "Bucksport, Me." pmk. Very Fine example of this Unusual Cancel ................................................................. (Photo) E. V

3c Orange Brown (10). Margins nearly all around, Tied by Blue "Chatham, Pa.", matching "Paid 3" in circle, Fine, Scarce 3-line recut T. L. triangle ................................................................. E. V

3c Orange Brown (10). Brilliant Shade, Three Large Margins, barely touched T. frame, tied by perfect Bold "Lancaster, Pa." in Bright Scarlet, repeated on the cover, Very Fine ................................................................. E. III
555 3c Orange Brown (10). Margins to just in, Tied by Red “Criss-Cross” Grid, matching “Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio” pmk. on July 28, 1851 folded letter, Fine .................................................. E. III

556 3c Orange Brown (10). Three covers, margins to just touched, Bold “Hallowell, Me.” pmk. Red Grid inside circle cancel (Akron, O.) & ms. cancel. on Forwarded cover, Fine lot .................................................. E. IV

557 3c Orange Brown, Red (10, 11). 16 covers, one #10. Shades, minor var. & cancels. incl. N. Y. single slug & triple slug in date. Several extra fine 4-margin stamps. All town cancels, mostly diff. Mostly Very Fine ......... E. VI

558 3c Red (11). Large to Huge Margins except trifle close bottom left corner, tied by “3 Paid” in Circle, Small “Grafton, N. H.” pmk., 24mm with Dash either Side of “N. H.”, on Fresh Cover, Very Fine .................................................. E. III

559 3c Red (11). Double Transfer, Line through “Three Cents” & Rosettes Double, 92L1L. Large Margins to just touched Light filing crease, tied by Blue “Richmond, Va.” pmk. on Neat Blue cover, Attractive ........................................... 35.00+


562 3c Red (11). Large Margins to slightly in, on Fresh 1855 Folded Letter tied by Bold Bright Green “Moosup Ct.” pmk., Choice Strike, Very Scarce .................................................. E. V


564 3c Red (11). Large Margins to slightly in, on Fresh 1855 Folded Letter by Green “Moosup, Ct.” pmk., Fine, Very Scarce .................................................. E. III


566 3c Red (11). Enormous Margins all around, shows parts of two adjoining stamps tied on Philadelphia “Phrenology” cover picturing a Head, mapped into numbered segments illustrating miniatures of cerebral influences. Scarce type, Very Fine .................................................. (Photo) E. VI

567 3c Red (11). Cuts into Five pieces, the vignette in center & the Four Rosette pieces in each of the four corners of a neat envelope, tied “Bridge-ton” to Rockland, Me., Choice curiosity cover .................................................. (Photo) E. V

568 3c Deep Claret (11a). Deep Rich Color, Three large margins, least bit in T., tied by incredible strike of small “Salem, Mass.” pmk on fresh, neat cover. Fine & Handsome .................................................. (Photo) E. IV

569 3c Claret (11a). Ample to Large margins, L. frame partly double, tied by small (25mm) neat “Salem, Mass.” pmk., Very Fine .................................................. E. IV

570 3c Red (11). Fine, tied by “Susquehannah Depot, Pa.” on tiny orange cover, also Templeton, Mass. “Paid 3” Stampless, Both embossed Lady’s covers, Attractive .................................................. E. III

571 3c Red (11). Three covers, diff. shades, Red Town pmk. & Black rec’g. pmk. (Scarce) Forwarded with add’l “Paid 3” & Registered. Margins to slightly in, Fine lot .................................................. E. IV


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574 3c Red, Claret (11, 11a). Eight covers, one with pair, one “Claret” one
Wisc. Terr. pmk. used 5 years after statehood. Red, Orange cancels., three
det. corner cards, & used with Blood Local (15L14). Couple of small
creases, mostly Fine—Very Fine E. VI
575 3c Red (11). 18 Covers, Each with Sheet Margin single, all plated; mostly
town cancels. Fine specialist Lot E. VI
576 3c Red (11). 38 covers, wide range, incl., Advertising, Ladies, Valentine,
Western, Plate Varieties, a Number of Better Items, Four Margin copies,
etc., Fine & Unusual Lot E. VIII
577 3c Red (11, 25, 26). 50 covers, 15 #11, 5 #25, rest #26. Nice var. of
town cancels, mixed condition, Fair—Fine, (a few extra in poor shape not
coundted) E. IV
577A 10c Green, Ty. II, III (14, 15). Vertical Combination Strip of Three, Pos.
58, 68, 78R, Ample Margins to barely touched, tied on large part of folded
Pkt., Paid”, Boxed “Aachen, Franco” also in Red, Fine & Very Attractive
(220.00+)
578 10c Green, Ty. III (15). Ample to Large Margins, Very Fine, used with
two 1c Blue Ty. IV (9), Pos. 80, 83RIL, huge margins to slightly in &
3c Red (26), short perfs. on Dec. 1857 Cover to France, each with ms.
“X” cancel, not tied, matching “Bolton, Ct.” pmk., Red U. S. & French
Transits, Handsome & Scare Combination (179.00+)
579 3c Red, 12c Black Imperforate (17, 26). 12c Barely touched at B., tied by
Brunswick, Me. pmk., two additional strikes, 3c also tied by clear Red
“Boston Paid 12” on cover to France, “Ship John L. Dimmock” in ms.,
Red 1858 French Transit and “PD”, Handsome example of Rare Mixed
Franking of Perf. & Imperforate issues, Fine (225.00+)
580 12c Black (17). Virtually Four Margins, Huge at Right & most of bottom,
used with Pair & two singles 3c Red (11), one being Major Double Trans­
fer Pos. 92L1L, tied by Grids & Red “Tombstone” on Cover to London,
“Muncy, Pa.” pmk., Bold Red “19” Br. Credit, Very Scarce Combination
(1857 ISSUE)
581 1c Blue, Ty. I (18). R. Imperf. Pane margin & Center Line, Well Centered,
Tied by Red N. Y. Carrier pmk. Cover torn at T. as carelessly opened.
Stamp Very Fine 225.00+
582 1c Dark Blue, Ty. II (20). Pl. 2, perfs. in two sides, Wide Left Imperf.
Pane Margin, on local use cover tied by Red New York Carrier, “U.S.
Mail, 4 P.M., Delivery” in Truncate Octagon, Attractive & Scarce 85.00
583 1c Blue, Ty. IIIa, Pl. 11 (22). Exceptionally fine copy from this plate,
Tied by “U.S.P.O. Dispatch, Phila. 2½ PM Jul 1” (1861), strike repeated
on Buff cover with Handsome embossed corner card of “Patee House,
Fine in Every Respect (225.00+)
584 1c Blue, Ty. IIIa, Pl. 11 (22). Nicely tied on unsealed circular to Vermont.
Partly slipped print at B., Fine 85.00
585 1c Blue, Ty. IIIa, Pl. 4 (22). S. E. Strip of Three 3c Red (26), faults, Tied
by Boston “Paid” in Grid, paying ten-cent rate on cover to Oregon City,
Ore. Back flap torn. Attractive Appearance 85.00
586 1c Blue, Ty. V (24). Few blunted perfs., tied on Dec. 1860 Folded Cir­
cular by Blue “Petersburg, Va.” pmk., Handsome Printed Blue Corner
Card in Fancy Frame, “Circular from Martin, Tannahill & Co., Grocers
and Commission Merchants, Petersburg, Va.”, Very Scarce 85.00
587 1c Blue, Ty. V (24). Horiz. Strip of Three, Well Centered, tied by "Hagerstown, Md." pmks., light strikes on Fresh Cover to Conn., Very Fine E. III

588 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) "Block" of three, centered to left, one S.E., tied by two strikes of Double Circle "Fort Dodge, Ioa" on cover to Vermont, slightly reduced at right, Fine & Scarce E. III

588A 1c Blue, Ty. V, 3c Red (24, 26). Two of first, one of latter, small faults, tied by Targets, "Terra Haute, Ind." Double Circle pmk. on Cover to Hong Kong, Brown Red "New-York, Br. Pkt.", ms. Due Mark, printed address to Lieutenant on the U.S.S. Hartford, London & Hong Kong backstamps, Attractive, Scarce 5c U.S. Internal Rate (Photo) E. VI

589 1c Blue, Ty. V, 3c Red (24, 26). Two 3c + 1c Carrier Covers, "Philadelphia, Pa." & Grids, one with Black Mourning Border, other with 21 Star Flag Multicolor Patriotic Corner card, 1c stamp on last has corner defect, otherwise Fine Lot E. III

590 1c Blue, Ty. V (24). Five covers, One with "Block" of three, another with Three singles, one with 3c Red (26), Fine lot for the specialist E. IV

591 1c Blue, Ty. V (24). Four covers & three fronts, diff. shades, reliefs, plates, one uncancelled, Three defective, others Fine E. IV

592 1c Blue, Ty. V, 1c Blue, 1861 (24, 63). Five covers, three paying Carrier Fee with 3c 1857 or 1861, one to Calif. with three 3c Red (26) other on 1c Entire (U19) Few faults, most Fine E. IV

593 1c Blue, 2c Black (24, 63, 73). Four Covers, two #63, incl. Red Carrier, "U.S. Penny Mail", "Phila. Pa. Post Office" cancels, other #63 an Unused Stamp affixed over Red "10" of "Paid 10" Stampless Cover, Fine Lot E. IV

594 1c Blue, Ty. V (24). Tied by "New-York" duplex on 3c Star Die Entire (U26), to Phila., paying Carrier Fee to the P.O., Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. V

595 3c Red, Ty. I, Ty. II (25, 26). 20 covers, Three #25, nicely centered, minor plate var. among the #26 & some with imprint bits. Two mourning envelopes, Few faults, most Fine Very Fine E. V

596 3c Red (26). Tied by oval Carrier pmk., Scott Ty. C32, "Philadelphia, Pa." in octagon indicating carrier fee paid on cover to N. Y. Small nick in cover at top. Fine appearance. (Footnote in Scott values at $100.00 to $200.00 according to usage) (Photo) E. VII

597 3c Red (26). Incredibly Well Centered, Tied by tiny rosette, "Milford, Conn." pmk. on small, neat cover to Danbury, Ct., Extremely Fine "Gem" E. III

598 3c Dull Red (26). Neatly tied by brownish "West Pittsfield, Mass." clear pmk. on neat cover with illustrated "Thompson & Co's Express corner card showing "Mercy", Locomotive, Very Fine, Very Scarce (Photo) E. VII

599 3c Red (26). Fine, tied by Mostly clear Blue "Charlotte, S.C." pmk. on cover with Illustrated Cor. card of "Charlotte & S. Carolina R. R. Co.," showing old Locomotive, Flap missing, Very Fine (Photo) E. V

600 3c Red (26). Well centered, Tied by small grid "Springfield, Ms." pmk. on Unusual Advertising cover of "American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions", illustrated Globe showing Africa, Asia, etc. Missent to Fayetteville, Vt. Very Fine Scarce Cover (Photo) E. IV


603 3c Red (26). Well centered, Irregular side perf partly blunted, Tied by Exceptionally Bold Clear "Lyre" "Canton, Miss., Oct. 16, 1860", Choice cover (Photo) E. IV


605A  3c Rose (26). Block, tied on back of Cover to Germany by Blue Hamilton, OH pmks., additional strike on front along with “N. York, Hamb. Pkt. 10” & Various Rate markings, one 3c stamp missing, the Block Fine, Scarce Franking 50.00+

606  3c Red (26). Ten selected covers; mostly scarce cancels. or minor plate var., Incl. couple of nice corner cards & a pretty Lady’s envelope. Better than usual condition, most Fine E. V


609  1c–3c 1857–69 Issues (26, 63, 73, 92, 113). Six Covers, incl. #26 on Handsome Embossed Charter Oak Corner Card cover, one #63 with Boots & Shoes “Corner Card, #63 + #73 3c Combination, the 1c Grill on Folded Prices Current, 2c Pictorial on Neat Unsealed Circular Cover, mixed quality, Scarce & Interesting Lot E. VI

610  5c Brown, Ty. II (30A). Five, used in combination with two 1c Blue, Ty. V (24), one faulty, others perfs. in, & 3c Red Single (26) on Cover to Canada, each with Bold Four Ring Target cancel, “Suspension Bridge, N. Y.” pmk., Attractive, Very Scarce Combination (Photo) E. VII

611  10c Green, Ty. I (31) Horiz. Pair, Cut from sheet with scissors, with excess margins T. & B., few left perfs. blunted. Perfs. touch, as usual, Tied by “San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 20, 1858” on 10c Entire (U15) with 3c Claret (11a) Very Fine & 1c Blue, Ty. I (18) perfs. trimmed T. & B. Red “15” U.S. credit, Fresh cover, Remarkable combination use to Chile (Photo) E. XI

612  10c Green, Ty. II (32). Four singles, all with perfs way in at L. Tied by “San Francisco, Cal., May 5, 1858”, Red “15” U.S. credit on neat cover to Chile, Attractive cover, 6c overpaid (Photo) E. VI


613  12c Black, Pl. I (36). Horiz. Pair, Tied by part of “Norwich, Ct.” on 1858 cover to London. B. perfs. cut in, Fine for the issue 75.00


614  12c Black, Pl. I (36). Horiz. Pair, Wide Perf. Shift, Left Stamp Shows Additional 3 mm of next stamp, Right stamp Huge Imperf. Pane Margin but with diagonal corner, used with two creased 3c Red (26) on cover to Germany, tied by Red Grids & Red “N. York, 7, Am. Pkt., Paid”, Boxed “Aachen, Franco” also in Red, Scarce & Interesting Cover E. V

LOTS ON VIEW FROM THURS., APRIL 15th OFFICE OPEN SATURDAY BEFORE SALE — 38 —
1861 ISSUE

615 1c Blue (63). Horiz. Strip of Four, tied on piece by “Philadelphia, Pa.” pmks., paying 3c Postage + 1c Carrier Fee, bottom perfs. touch, Scarce & Attractive ................................................................. 30.00+

616 1c Blue (63). Eleven, Range of Shades, All with New York Carrier cancels, one Red, one Blue, latter Very Scarce, others Black, mixed quality, Scarce Lot ................................................................. E. V

617 Drake’s Plantation Bitter’s, 1c Blue Encased Postage (EP10). Negligible mica crazing, otherwise Very Fine ................................................................. 65.00

618 □ 1c Blue, 3c Rose (63, 65), 1c S. E. & used to pay Carrier Fee, on Illustrated Ad. cover, showing Improved Spring Bed, Fine ................................................................. E. IV

619 □ 1c Blue, 3c Rose (63, 65). Five 3c + 1c Carrier Combination Covers, Four New York, other Blue Baltimore, Md., Fine Lot ................................................................. E. III

620 □ 1c Blue (63). Thirteen stamps on nine covers, incl. Carrier use with 3c Rose (65), two with single & three 3c, to Calif., Canada, Interesting group, Fine Lot ................................................................. E. VI

621 □ 1c Blue, 3c Rose (63, 65). Three 1c, Four 3c, (one Patriotic) all “Port Royal, S. C.” pmks., also two Soldiers’ Letters with “Port Royal” pmk., Seven covers, some military addresses, “Port Royal” was in Union hands throughout the War. Fine Lot ................................................................. E. V


623 □ 3c Pink (64). Excellent color, Well centered, R. Imperf. straddle margin, tied on neat cover by Blue Balloon type Vermont pmk., Very Fine, with P. F. Certificate (Photo) ................................................................. 140.00

624 □ 3c Pink (64). Rich, Deep Color, T. perfs. just touched, Tied by Blue “Baltimore, Md.” on cover with embossed Hotel corner card. Small repair at extreme left edge of cover, Fine ................................................................. 140.00

625 □ 3c Pink (64). Rich color, used with 1c Blue (63) paying Carrier postage, Both tied by N. Y. duplex on Patriotic Cover Blue Flag & Eagle, personal sentiment written in ribbon & ad on flap. Very Fine except for two short perfs. on the “Pink”, “Sept. 25, 1861” use (Photo) ................................................................. 275.00+

626 □ 3c Rose (65). Perfs. just touch, neatly tied by “Philadelphia, Pa.” pmk. to all-over Pink Advertising cover of Hamden’s Express Co., showing Expressman striding across river. Used as paste-up with some paper adhering to back, Very Fine, Scarce & Attractive (Photo) ................................................................. E. VI

627 □ 3c Rose (65). Marvelous Centering, tied by Blue Target, “Indianapolis, Ind.” pmk. to Illustrated Ad. cover of “Arctic Insurance Co.” showing Sailing Ship moored to Iceberg. Unusual, Very Pretty, Very Fine ................................................................. E. IV

628 □ 3c Rose (65). Tied Rimless Blue “Baltimore, Md.” pmk on Illustrated Ad. cover of Merrill Patent Fire Arms Manufacturing Co. in Red, showing Breech Loading Rifle, Very Scarce & Attractive (Photo) ................................................................. E. V

629 □ 3c Rose (65). Few perf. faults, tied by Target, “Rochester, N. Y.” pmk. on cover with Humorous Shoe Dealer’s Ad. showing Elephant wearing Boots & Holding Banner in his Trunk. Back flap missing & small mended cover tear. Clean & Attractive, Fine (Photo) ................................................................. E. IV

630 □ 3c Rose (65) Centered B. R., tied by Target, small “Phila, Pa” pmk. on Unusual Illustrated Advertising envelope of Florist, Fine & Scarce (Photo) ................................................................. E. IV

631 □ 3c Rose (65). Faulty top margin, Beautifully tied by Bold Blue Straight Line “Registered”, matching “Philadelphia, Pa.” pmk., on Fresh Cover, 1865 enclosure, Scarce & Attractive despite the faulty stamp ................................................................. E. III


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633 3c Rose (65). R. perfs. partly bent over edge of cover, Perfect, Bold Strike of Man's Face in Circle, "White House Station, N. J." pmk., not quite tied. Hole burned in cover. One of the best examples of this fancy cancel, we have seen.

634 3c Rose (65). Str. edge R., Tied by quartered cork on Y.M.C.A. label stating they supplied the postage & would appreciate reimbursement. Fine, Interesting as stamp is affixed to the label.


636 3c Rose (65). Fine, Tied by "Fernandina, Fla., May '64" on cover to Maine. Corner card of Army Sutler for a N. Y. Reg't, Very Fine

637 3c Rose (65). Fine, just tied by Grid, "Beaufort, S. C." Str. Line on large (37 mm) circle, two strikes, one clear. Scarce Military pmk.


639 3c Rose (65). R. perfs. bent over edge, ms. cancel, not tied, (Ship) Island, Miss. Str. Line pmk, neat cover to Phil'a. Also two 3c 1861 covers addressed to ships of the Blockading Squadron, (one cover nicked corner), Interesting Lot

640 3c Rose (65). Nine selected covers, incl. Fine Patriotic, Virginia post-war Official cover with State Seal, some accessory markings, couple of good corner cards & fancy cover in shape of a trunk. V. G.–Fine Lot

641 3c Rose (65). Fourteen diff. Corner Card covers, Three Illustrated, Mixed Condition, Scarce Group

642 3c Rose (65). Collection of 70 covers, all from a Union soldier to his girl friend (?) at Van Wert, Ohio. Postmarks show his location in the North, then to Memphis & other cities in the C. S. A. Lots of duplication. Mixed condition as most covers opened carelessly. Unfortunately no letters are present, yet an interesting lot

643 2c Black, 3c Rose, 10c Green (65, 68, 73). Perfs. touch, used in combination on 1867 Cover to France, each tied by Large Star, with Small Star in Pentagon in Center, Clear "West Hampton, Mass." pmk., Red New York & Calais Transits, Box "PD" also in Red, bit of cover corner torn away & another small cover tear, still a Striking Showpiece (Photo)

644 2c Black, 3c Rose (65, 73). Horiz. Strips of Three of first, single of latter on cover to Canada, top margin faults due to slight overlap, cancelled with "U. States" in Arc Exchange Marks, Canadian backstamp, no other postmarks, small cover tear, Scarce 1c Overpayment Franking

645 10c Green (68). Centered, rounded corner perf., tied on Cover to Kingston, Jamaica, by Grid, Red "Milltown, Me." pmk., Lumber Dealer's Embossed Corner Card, small mend at top of cover, Scarce

645A 10c Green (68). Tied by Two Line "Steam Ship", "Due 10" on cover to U.S., ms. "Per North Star," Very Fine

646 10c Green (68). Two Covers to Canada, stamps Centered, tiny flaws, first Overall Children's Teething Medicine Advertising, tied by "New–York Jul 8, 1862" Double Circle & Target, other tied by Mich Town, Red "U. S. Paid 10" in Flattened Oval (McD #S–6), Exchange Mark, Attractive Lot

647 12c Black (69). Horiz. Strip of Three, used in combination with three 3c Rose (65), single & partly overlapped pair paying 45c Rate on Cover to Japan, tied by Odd Grids, "New Brunswick, N. J. Double Circle pmk., Normal Sequence of Transitis, with Red "1d" local delivery charge, Attractive & Very Scarce (Photo)
648 24c Brown Lilac (70). Used with 1c Blue (63) & two 10c Green (68), tied on Small Cover to Japan by Large Grids, "New Brunswick, N. J." Double Circle pmk., Red N. York, London & "Shanghai" Br. P. O. Transits, ms. "24" & "41" Rate Marks, part of address deleted with Blue pencil, Fine & Very Scarce


650 30c Orange (71). On Cover to France, tied by Target, "Newport, R. I." Double Circle, "New, Paid York" & Boxed "P.D." last Two in Red, Red Calais Transit, "Paid 30" in Circle, light strike at bottom right of cover, Fine (Photo) 150.00

651 30c Orange (71). Horiz. Pair, perf. tiny bit in at right, Bright Color, tied by Bold Odd Circles of Wedges, Red U.S. & French Transits on Illustrated Astor Hotel (New York) Corner Card Cover to France, without flap, A Beautiful Cover (Photo) 170.00+

654 2c Black (73). Exceptional Centering, "St. Louis, Mo." town pmk., Extremely Fine (Photo) 7.50

655 2c Black (73). Two shades, Both well centered, couple of partly blunt perfs., Very Fine 15.00

656 2c Black (73). Two, Beautifully Centered, one with blunted B. perfs., other reperf. R., Very Fine appearance 15.00

657 2c Black (73). Well Centered, Bold Blue Quartered Cork cancel, tied by matching "Newark, N. J." pmk. on Fresh Buff Cover, V. F. & Choice E. III

658 2c Black (73). Tied by Bold Grid on cover with neat Insurance Co. corner card, Fine E. III

659 2c Black (73). Centered to B. L., tied by "Circle of Wedges" on Handsome All-over Illustrated Ad cover of The Great American Tea Co. with Napoleon. Few light stains, Attractive E. IV

661 15c Black (77). Well Centered, few irregular perfs. as often, "New Orleans, La." pmk., Brown "New, Paid, York, 6", just tied by Blue Calais Transit on Cover to France, Red Boxed "PD" Fancy Blue Truncate Octagon Merchant's Corner Card, Handsome Cover (Photo) 175.00+

661A 24c Grey (78). Perfs. touch L., tied by Blue Target, matching "Cincinnati, O." pmk., Red "New-York Am. Pkt. 3" on small cover to England, small cover tears, otherwise Fine 50.00

662 24c Grey (78). Pair, minor flaws, tied by Black split cork cancels, & Red "N. York Am. Pkt. 6" on 1866 double rate cover to England. Printed corner-card; Red London receiving mark. Very Fine Appearance E. V

663 2c Black, E. Grill (87). Well Centered, small part of T. sheet margin with Imprint. Clear "naked eye" plate flaws on head & under "P. O." of "Postage". Tied by Red "N. Y. City" carrier cancel & grid. Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. VI

665 3c Red, F. Grill (94). Perfs touch, tied by exceptional strike of the "Corry, Pa." Eagle, with 1868 enclosure. Remarkably fine example of this attractive cancel ................................................................. (Photo) E. V

666 3c Red, F. Grill (94). Wonderfully Well Centered, tied by Large "MAY" in Circle, "Bridgeport, Ct." pmk., on neat cover, Fine .......................................................... E. III

667 3c Rose, F. Grill (94). Faulty, tied "Lexington, Va." pmk. to All-over Illustrated cover "The Farmer" showing Farm Scenes, Subscription Rates, etc.; cover cut just into design at L., Very Attractive & Scarce E. III

CIVIL WAR PATRIOTICS

668 Martinsburg W. Va. Bold pmk. in Blue, Matching "Due 3" in circle, on Patriotic Cover, showing Red Cross, "6th Corps, 1st Division", a Soldiers Letter, Scarce, Early use of "W. Va." in pmk., Very Fine E. III


670 Banks Division, Blue circle, part of "Due 3" on Soldier's Letter. Red Patriotic Cover, Girl with Flag. Interesting letter accompanies with gruesome war details but was not mailed in this cover. Trifle reduced R., Fine E. III

671 Soldiers Letter, Due 3, No pmk., a Patriotic Cover, multicolor "Battle of Monitor & Merrimac", framed by draped flags, to Washington, D. C., Fine & Attractive E. III

672 Blood's Penny Post, 1c Bronze on Lilac (15L14). Margins to tiny bit in, usual acid tie, used in combination with 3c Red (26), well-centered, tiny flaws, tied by Grid, Philadelphia Octagon pmk. on Multicolor Patriotic Cover, Flag, Clasped Hands, "The Constitution", etc., Blood's Date Time handstamp, cover trifle worn yet Attractive, Scarce E. IV

673 1c Blue, Ty. II, Pl. 12 (20). Extra wide R. straddle margin with over 1mm next stamp. Tied by Canton, Ill. pmk. on small Patriotic Cover, multicolor Waving Flag. Figuring on back, Fine, Very Scarce Drop Letter (Photo) 275.00+

674 1c Blue, Ty. V (24). Tied by Large "Paid" in Grid, Red "Boston, Mass." pmk. on Multicolor Patriotic Cover, Standing "Liberty" & Flag, local use, Embossed Coal, Wood & Bark Merchant's Cachet on Back Flap, Very Fine, Handsome 70.00+

675 1c Blue, Ty. V (24). Vertical Strip of Three, bottom perfs. touch, neat single stroke ms. cancel "Farmer, O., Sept 3/61" ms. Town pmk. on Multicolor Patriotic Cover, Floating Globe, Flag on Top, Imprints, cover least bit worn, otherwise Fine E. III

676 1c Blue, Ty. V, 3c Red (24, 26). Carrier Rate, tied by Grids, Town pmk. on Small Multicolor Patriotic Cover, Massachusetts State Seal, Indian & Imprint in Circle, Eagle & Flags Above, Fine, Scarce & Attractive E. IV

677 3c Red (26). Fine, Tied by "Oxford, O." pmk. on Patriotic cover, showing the Pirate Flag & "J. D. His Marque" scarce Design, Very Fine (Photo) E. V

678 3c Red (26). Very Fine, neat grid cancel., not tied, Red "Middletown, Ct., May 20, 1861" pmk on multicolor Patriotic Cover, Flag, stars in circles, to Jackson, Miss. neat docketing. Unusual use across the lines during the short time such mail was legal. Choice cover E. IV

679 3c Red (26). Tied on Multicolor Patriotic cover of Unusual design, Military Address, Scarce & Very Fine E. III
680 3c Red (26). Three Patriotic Covers, Two Scarce Designs, incl. the "Southern Menagerie", Ethan Allen, stamps faulty, two covers worn, Scarce Lot ............................................. E. III
681 3c Pink (64). Rich color, quite well centered, Tied by Blue "Louisville, Ky., Dec. 20, 1861" pmk. on multicolor Patriotic Cover, Fighting Rooster, "Up Boys & at 'em". Cover slightly age stained, Fine & Attractive, with P. F. Certificate ........................................... (Photo) 275.00
682 3c Pink (64). Strong, Rich Color, perfs. touch, as usual, Tied by Bold "Cynthiana, Ky." on multicolor Patriotic Cover, Portrait of Gen. Winfield Scott, Draped Flags, Eagle, War Symbols; Couple of light toned spots, scarce on such an attractive cover ............................................. (Photo) 275.00
683 3c Rose Pink (64b). Fine, Tied "Ypsilanti, Mich." on Patriotic Cover, oval draped portrait of Gen. McClellan with flags & Eagle, all in purple, Very Fine .................................................. (Photo) E. V
684 3c Rose Pink (64b). Fine, Tied by Bold "G. B. D." & date. (Gen. Banks Division) on Patriotic Cover, multicolor slogan over most of neat cover to Maine. Fine & Attractive ............................................. E. V
685 3c Rose (65). Str. edge R., Tied by Blue target on Multicolor Patriotic Cover, Soldier & Sailor at R. & L., Intertwined ribbon with name of each state, in Blue on Pink background. Tiny hit reduced extreme R. B., Rare design. Attractive .................................................. E. V
686 3c Rose (65). Well Centered, short corner perf., tied by Bold Spoked Wheel on Overall Brown Orange N.Y. State Patriotic Cover, Waving Banner, Seated Liberty, Eagle & Shield Inset of State Seal, "Morrisania, N.Y." pmk., Handsome & Scarce ............................................... E. IV
687 3c Rose (65). Tied by Ohio Town pmk. on Multicolor Patriotic Cover, Young Girl "exposing" her right calf to a row of infantrymen, Imprint Below, Fine except some perf. faults, Scarce Comical Design .................................................. E. III
688 3c Rose (65). Fine, Tied by "Old Point Comfort, Va." pmk. to overall multicolor Massachusetts Patriotic cover, with Patriotic Letter sheet from soldier, Fine, Scarce design .................................................. E. III
689 3c Rose (65). Well Centered, tied by "Cairo, Ill., Sep. 13, 1862" Double Circle pmks. on Battle Scenes Patriotic Cover, Union Gunboats Bombarding Rebel Fortifications, Five Line Quote from Feb. 21, 1862 Issue of the Richmond Dispatch, Very Fine, Very Scarce .................................................. E. VII
690 3c Rose Red (65). Well centered, Tied by Blue "Bank's Division" in circle on Patriotic Cover, Flag on Globe in Purple. Very Fine .................................................. E. III
691 3c Rose (65). Tied by clear "G. B. D., Oct. 26" in rimless oval on multicolor Patriotic Cover, Soldier with Flag, Fine, Scarcest type of Bank's Div. pmks. .................................................. E. IV
692 3c Rose (65). Perfs. touch, tied by Bold "Paid" in circle, "Fort Jefferson, Fla." pmk. on multicolor Patriotic Cover, Eagle & Shield, 7th Regt. N.H.V. imprint. (Fort Jefferson was in the Dry Tortugas west of Key West & served as a prison.) Unusually Fine & Scarce .................................................. (Photo) E. VII
693 3c Rose (65). Tied by Phila. pmk. on Blue Overall Illus. "Union Volunteer Refreshment Saloon & Hospital" rebacked front, Fine Appearance & Very Scarce .................................................. E. III
694 3c Rose (65). Horiz. Pair, small faults, tied on richly Colored Magnus Cover, "Panorama of Washington" (legal size), Three Patriotic panels, two with Washington motif. Enclosure a huge Magnus "flyer", 31 pictures mostly of Washington, D.C. Cover slightly worn, Very Rare used & with the sensational enclosure .................................................. E. IX
695 3c Rose (65). Tied by "Washington, D.C." pmk on Green overall New York State Patriotic cover; Interesting Soldier's letter, enclosure is on an Attractive New York Patriotic Letter sheet of Different design, A Fine, Scarce & Handsome pair .................................................. E. III

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696  3c Rose (65). Fine, Tied by "Old Point Comfort, Va." to Patriotic Cover showing the Steam Frigate Minnesota, Minor tears, Still Attractive, Rare Design .................................................. E. IV

697  3c Rose (65). Defective, tied by target, matching "Washington, D.C." pmk. on Patriotic cover of "Eleventh Regiment, Mass. Vols.", Matching design on enclosed Soldier's Letter, Cover has small closed tear, Fine & Very Scarce .......................................................... E. III

698  3c Rose, 12c Black (65, 69). Two of each, one 3c natural s.e., tied by Bold Half Circle of "V"s on Multicolor Patriotic Cover to France, Small Shield Over Roman Fasces, Imprints, Red "Boston, Paid 24", Red French Transits, A Fabulous Cover from the famous "Angell" correspondence (Photo) ................................................................. E. XII

699  3c Rose (65). Two Covers, stamps tied, small faults, first a Multicolor Patriotic, Border of 34 State Names in Star, Eagle & Shield, "Love One Another" in Ribbon, other an Overall Bookseller's Illustrated Design with Military Address, "Army of the Miss.", slight aging, yet an Attractive Pair of Covers .......................................................................................... E. III


701  3c Rose (65). Four covers, pmks. of cities captured by the Union, incl. New Orleans, Norfolk, Chattanooga, & Winchester, Va., this last a Purple Patriotic Cover with a grotesque portrait of Gen. Hunter, Fine Lot .................................................................................................. E. V

702  3c Rose (65). Four Patriotic Covers, also Patriotic Soldier's Letter, All slightly soiled or small faults, Very Good–Fine Lot .................................................................................................. E. III

703  3c 1857, 1861, 6c Bank Note (26, 65, 159). Four damaged Patriotic Covers, all unusual, incl. Magnus type, & a 6c Pink (159) on Coast Guard Memorial cover. Interesting group despite condition .................................................................................. E. III

704  Patriotic Covers, Seven Diff., Used with 3c Red, Rose (26, 65), Good–Very Fine .................................................................................................................. E. V

705  Patriotic Covers, Eight Diff., seven with 3c Rose #65, one with 3c Red #26. All tied by Various Towns or Grids, Several Scarce Designs, also incl. "Second Regiment Massachusetts Vols." Corner Card Cover with 3c Rose #65, Better Than Usual Quality, Scarce & Attractive Lot .................................................................................................. E. VII

706  The Union Rose, East and West, Bronze Magnus Cover, Picture of building of the Northwestern Sanitary Fair, Enclosure, "The Union Rose", Die cut, Two panels with Roses, 30 views of U.S. cities & buildings, all in Bronze, Unused, Very Fine & Handsome .................................................................................................. E. V

707  Lincoln–Davis Prize Fight, Set of 5 Rounds Complete hand colored, few with minor faults on back only. Unused, Attractive & Scarce Set .................................................................................................. E. VII

708  Abraham Lincoln, Eight Diff. Unused Patriotic Covers, Two Multicolor, One with Magnus imprint. Very Fine Lot .................................................................................................. E. VII


710  Camp Scenes, Seven diff. Unused Multicolor Magnus, Very Fine Group .................................................................................................................. E. IV

711  Kimmel Patriotics, Collection of 55 different, Many in full colors including Lincoln, Beautiful unused lot .................................................................................................................. E. XI

712  Patriotic Cover Album, Published 1861 by J. M. Whittemore & Co., Boston, Mass., containing 100 Diff. Unused Patriotic Covers; Album Slightly worn, Patriotics generally Very Fine, Many Better Types .................................................................................................. E. VII

713  Patriotic Covers, A Collection of about 600, Unused, Mostly Diff., incl. a Large number of Caricatures, Many Scarce, a "Rose of Washington", & includes a few Magnus covers; a Remarkable Accumulation & a Fascinating Record of Union Sentiments during the War .................................................................................................. E. XIII

714  Patriotic Cover Collection, 1,285 covers mostly different, Colorful lot including Kimmels, Lincolns, Magnus, Confederates, Many Scarce Designs, an Excellent Collection .................................................................................................. E. XV
Magnus Patriotic Letter Sheets, Four Diff., Multicolor, all Soldier's Letters, two headed “Alexandria”, one “Front Royal”, one “Army of the Potomac”; Some aging on two, Fine, Scarc Lot

Patriotic Letter Sheets, 105 Mostly Different; Many Scarce Designs, Many in Color; Virtually All are Soldier's Letters from a Wide Variety of Forts, Posts & Towns, Fascinating Contents, Almost Impossible to Duplicate, A Tremendous Opportunity for the Civil War Student

Magnus Illustrated Song Letter Sheets, 64 Diff., Unused, Multicolor, Very Fine

Magnus Illustrated Song Letter Sheets, over 120 mostly Different Unused Multicolor sheets, Very Fine, Scarce Lot

Multicolor Magnus Illus. Song Book, Series No. 1, Six Diff. songs, Very Fine

A Similar Lot, Very Fine

A Similar Lot, Diff. Songs & Designs, Very Fine

U. S. S. SHENANDOAH

The following group of covers, An original find, are all addressed to an engineering officer aboard the U. S. S. Shenandoah as it traveled over the world. They were mostly mailed from Tioga, Pa. While condition is inconsistent there is an intensively interesting study of rates & ratings. A few covers, with printed address, were mailed from the Shenendoah while in Africa & Asia. These are included following the U. S. Covers.


12c Black (69). Two defective singles & fragment of a third used with 10c Green (68) on cover to Table Bay, Cape of Good Hope, ms. cancels. Red “24” credit & “1d” local charge handstamp. A philatelic tragedy

12c Black (69). Two Horiz. Pairs, perfs touch, used with 10c Green (68) corner over edge of cover, all tied “Tioga, Pa. Jun. 12, 1868” in Blue Double oval on cover to Cape Town (So. Africa). An unidentified stamp removed from the cover, Red “48” credit crayoned & other rate marks. London & Cape Town transit; still an attractive cover (Photo)

3c Rose (65). Three, perfs. cut & two defective, unidentified stamp removed from cover. To Cape of Good Hope, via San Francisco, but sent via N. Y. (Carrier type backstamp). Tied by “Insufficiently Paid”. Fine & unusual cover despite its faults

12c Black (69). Horiz. Strip of Three, top perfs. trimmed, L. stamp folded almost entirely over back of cover, used with Vertical Strip of three 3c Rose (65) Fine, all paying 45c rate to Hong Kong, via N. Y. & London, Red “24” credit & Crayon “1(d)” local charge. Scarce & reasonably attractive (Photo)

12c Black (69). Partly severed Pair & Single, perfs. way in on pair, single folded almost entirely over edge of cover to Hong Kong. An unidentifiable stamp has been removed from back of cover. Red N. Y. & London transits, Tied by Red “40” credit & “1d” handstamp for local charge. Interesting usage (Photo)

24c Gray (78). Used with two 10c Green (68) & 1c Blue (63) paying 45c rate to Hong Kong, via Prussian Closed Mail through Trieste & Alexandria, 1868. Each stamp Fine average & with Crossed “Paid” cancel (two stamps on back) Red “34” credit, “Trieste” backstamp, “Alexandria” transit on face. Fine, Rare usage (Photo)
CAMPAIGN COVERS

740 3c Red (26). Tied by Conn. pmk. on White Lincoln–Hamlin Campaign Cover, S. Raynor impt., Railsplitter, Beardless Lincoln Portrait, Quotation. Back flap gone, Fine & Scarce Cover .............................................. (Photo) E. VIII

741 3c Red (26). Straddle Copy; Tied by N. Y. town on Fancy Buff Lincoln–Hamlin Campaign Cover, with Beardless Portrait, Railsplitter scene, Quotation, S. Raynor Impt, Scarce and V. F. ............................................. (Photo) E. IX

742 3c Rose (65). Corner fault, tied by “Washington, D. C. May 16” (1865) on Clean Pres. Lincoln Mourning Cover. Dated just one month after Assas­sination, Very Scarce & Attractive ......................................................... (Photo) E. IX

730 12c Black (69). Horiz. Pair, one damaged, used with 10c Green (68) Vertical Pair, one damaged, & 1c Blue (63) s. e., tied by grids & “East Smithfield, Pa.” paying 46c rate to Hong Kong, via London, 1866. Bold oval “Forwarded By Thomas Hunt & Co., Hong Kong” on back. N. Y. Br. Pkt. & London transit. Rare usage, Attractive despite faults .................................................. (Photo) E. VIII

729 24c Lilac (78). Used with 10c & 12c 1861 (68, 69) all defective, Bold “Paid” on 12c & 24c, all paying 46c rate to Hong Kong (1c overpayment of 45c rate) Red “24” credit, local “1d” handstamp. Fairly attractive cover ............................................................................... E. VI

731 10c Green (68). Horiz. Strip of Four (one stamp folded over edge of cover) used with 2c Black, 3c Rose (65, 73) paying 45c rate to Hong Kong via N. Y. Am. Pkt. & London, Red “24” credit & crayon “1” local Hong Kong fee. Fine & Attractive ................................................................. (Photo) E. IX

732 10c Dark Green (68). Perfs. cut in, not tied on cover to Yokohama, Japan, via San Francisco. Fine example of the 10c Trans-Pacific rate to the Orient. Small cover faults, still Fine .............................................................. E. VIII

733 10c Dark Green (68). Perfs. in, small nick, not tied on cover to Japan, Via California, docketed 1868. Quite attractive cover .............................. E. VII

734 12c Black (69). Horiz. Strip of Five, Folded over top of cover & L. stamp deep corner nick; used with two 3c Rose (65) perf, faults, ms. cancel­ties, paying the 66c rate to Calcutta, Hindustan, via England ms. “Care of American Consul”, Red “24” credit & normal sequence of transit pmks. Interesting & Attractive ................................................................. E. VIII


736 3c Rose (65, 88). Two covers, addressed to Boston & Philadelphia Navy Yards, respectively to be held for arrival of the Shenandoah, one a fancy lined envelope, Fine–Very Fine ........................................... E. III

737 CAPE OF GOOD HOPE, 1864–68, 1p, 1/- Blue Green, 4p Surcharge (16, 19a, 2o). Tied on cover from U.S.S. Shenandoah to Tioga, Pa., London & N. Y. Transits, U. S. 2c credit. Fine, Scarce combination (Photo) E. V

738 — 1864, 4p Blue, 1/- Blue Green (17, 19a). Two 4p, perfs. bit in, small faults, Tied on slightly reduced cover, U. S. S. Shenandoah to Tioga, Pa. Red “16 Cents” credit. Fine appearance, Scarce .................................................. E. IV

739 HONG KONG, 1863, 12c Blue, 30c Vermillion (15, 19). Perfs. bit in, as usual, Tied by “B62” in bars & Red “London, July 1868” transit on cover to U. S. A., Red “3 Cents” credit, Hong Kong & Shanghai back stamps. Cover opened to show both sides, Fine (Photo) E. V

740 INDIA, 1866, 4a Green, 8a Rose (26, 28). Faulty, Tied by Bold “B, 1” in octagon, Bombay, India to U. S. via London & Boston, Br. Pkt., 5. Cover tears & small nicks, yet attractive ............................................. E. III

Lincoln Campaign Cover, Portrait in Wreath, Rail Splitter panel. Carried out of the mail with original 1860 letter enclosed. Obscene remark on back. Very interesting content. Fine .......................... E. VII

3c Red, F. Grill (94). Rubbed perfs. L., Blue target cancel, not tied on Grant–Colfax Campaign Cover, Bold portraits at L. T. L. corner diagonal well clear of portrait, otherwise Fine, Scarce type .......................... E. V

2c Carmine (267). Tied on Illustrated 1896 William McKinley Campaign Cover, Scarce, Very Fine .......................... E. IV

2c Carmine (267). Perfs. in, tied by R. P. O. pmk on 1896 Wm. Jennings Bryan Campaign Cover. Washington & Bryan “Father & Son” portraits. Back of cover has overall Quotations, including the “Cross of Gold” speech. An unused cover of similar design accompanies, V. F. .......................... (Photo) E. VI

TEMPERANCE COVERS

South Dansville, N. Y. Black circle, “Paid 3” in circle, on allover Illustrated Temperance Propaganda cover. Fine & Scarce .......................... (Photo) E. VI

West Meriden, Ct. Partly clear Blue circle, matching “Paid 3” in circle, on allover Illustrated Temperance Propaganda cover, Very Fine .......................... (Photo) E. VI

Dansville, N. Y. 3 Paid. Clear Red circle on Illustrated Temperance Propaganda (Diff. from preceding lot) cover to Ohio. Minor aging, Fine .......................... (Photo) E. V

3c Dull Red (11). Margins to in, canceled Red grid, not tied on all–over Illustrated Temperance Propaganda cover. Indistinct red town pmk., Very Fine, Choice example .......................... (Photo) E. VI

3c Red (11). Defective, Tied by Large Boston “Paid” on Illustrated Maine Temperance Propaganda cover; Unusual Type, Fresh & Attractive cover .......................... (Photo) E. VI

1869 PICTORIAL ISSUE

1c Buff (112). Fine, light perf. toning, Tied by “Rome, Ga.” pmk. on Manila Drop Letter, Striking Large Photograph Gallery Advertising, Scarce Early Photography cover .......................... (Photo) E. VII

1c Buff (112). Tied by “Sing Sing, N. Y.” on 2c Die 3 Entire (U50) Reduced into embossed stamp at R., Tiny cover tears, Scarce combination .......................... E. IV

2c Brown, 3c Ultramarine (113, 114). Single 2c, Strip of Five 3c (R. 3c s. e. or R. perfs. trimmed) All well centered & tied by “Windmill” curious double–vane type, New Haven, Ct. to Copenhagen, Denmark, also tied by Red Transit pmks. of No. German Postal Union, Red “2½” partly traced over in pencil. Beautiful cover in very scarce usage .......................... (Photo) E. XI

3c Ultramarine (114). Fresh Color, on Neat Cover, Bold Blue Serifed “A” cancel, just tied by matching “Arcola, Ill.” pmk., Very Fine, Handsome & Scarce .......................... E. III

3c Ultramarine (114). Five covers, each with single, diff. cancels, incl. one “Jumbo”, also a Sunburst cancel. Fine–Very Fine Lot .......................... E. IV

3c Ultramarine (114). 11 Covers, Var. of shades & cancels incl. Leaf, Targets, Segmented Corks “Woman’s Head” (so–called), Generally high quality, several Fine–Very Fine .......................... E. V

3c Deep Ultramarine (114). Fine, Used in combination with Fine 3c Green (147) Tied by edge of “Southampton (N. Y.)” pmk. on neat cover to Phil’a. Boxed backstamp. Choice cover .......................... (Photo) E. V
6c Ultramarine (115). Fairly well centered, perfs. all clear, Tied by Red N.Y. transit on cover to England. Cover a bit worn, yet reasonably attractive ............................................ 100.00

10c Yellowish Orange (116). Split Grill Variety, perfs. in at top, Rich Color, tied by Rosette & “New-York” pmk. on Cover to Japan, ms. “via California”. Scarce & Fine ................................ (Photo) 135.00+

BANK NOTE ISSUES


6c Carmine, Grill (137). On 1870 Cover to England, Unusual Cork cancel, not tied, “New London, Va., Feb. 25” pmk., incomplete Red “New York, U.S. . . .”, Red London Transit. The Feb. 25, 1870 date given in Scott by over 45 days, however we cannot guarantee the use of this stamp on this cover ............................................. 60.00+

2c Red Brown (146). Tied by unusual Boston cancel, partly resembling a “doughnut” on 1c Blue, Star Die Entire (U19) late use of Star Die, which was remonetized in June 1864 while rest of set was demonetized. Fine & Scarce ................................................................. E. III

3c Green (147). Beautiful Centering, tied by Brilliant Red target, matching “Townsend, Del.” pmk. on fresh, neat cover (slightly reduced far left.) Extremely Fine & Handsome ........................................................................... E. III

3c Greens, Five covers, County cancel, Fancy cancels, Railroads, Fine Lot, Scarce ............................................................................................................................................... E. III

3c Greens, Specialized Groups of 16 Covers, all Putnam, Conn. Fancy Cancels, includes Geometries, U.S. Leaf, Fine and Attractive Lot .................................................................................................................. E. VII


24c Purple (153). Used with 1c, 3c “Continental” (156, 158) tied by light Red Cork cancel., weak “New Haven, Ct.” pmk. on tissue paper cover to Cape of Good Hope, Full range of transit & rate marks. Very Fine, ex-Knapp, with P. F. Certificate (Photo) ........................................................................................................ E. XI

1c Ultramarine (156). Tied by Bold Negative “76” Centennial cancel, on neat unsealed circular cover, Fine ......................................................................................................................... E. IV

3c Deep Green (158). Tied by Blue “GIN” Barrel, matching “Chicago, Ill.” pmk. on Neat Corner Card cover, trifle irregularly reduced at right, Fine & Scarce ................................................................. E. III

3c Green (158). “Boston, Mass., May 4,’76, 10 A.M.” pmk., in Leavitt machine cancel. of diagonal bars with two small quartered cork designs. Excellent impress. on neat cover, Choice & Very Scarce on a stamp. Earliest cancel. of its type (Photo) ........................................................................................................ E. V


15c Pale Orange (163). Perfs. touch, tiny nick, used with 3c Green (158), tied together by Rosette on Registered Cover, “Central Mine, Mich.” pmk., Scarce & Attractive ........................................................................................................... 75.00

7c Vermilion (160). L. perfs. touch, Tied by unusual segmented cork in double circle, Phila. corner card, Red “New York Transit” on cover to Prussia. Cover creased & tears, Fine appearance ........................................................................... 90.00
2c Vermilion (183). Well Centered, Tied by Bold “Chicago, Ill.”, Carrier on Gorgeous Multicolor Corner Card Cover of Printing Co. “Liberty” in Red, White, Blue & Gold, Very Fine Spectacular! ................. (Photo) E. IV

3c Green (184). Fine, tied by Target, matching “Philadelphia, Pa.” pmk. on “Fac Simile”(l) of a Mutreedy Envelope, B. L. corner slightly rounded otherwise Very Fine & Very Scarce ......................... (Photo) E. IV

5c Blue (185). Perfs. touch, tied by target, “Stratham, N. H.” to U. S. Consul, Foochow, China, Four neat backstamps, Choice, fresh cover ......... E. II


5c Brown (205). Tied by neat “Niantic, Conn.” on cover with part printed address to London, fwd. to Paris. Sticker used for fwdg. address, Blue 1883 oval on back of American Exchange In Europe” forwarder, Very Fine & Scarce ......................... E. IV


1c Gray Blue (206). Perfs. touch, Tied on Illustrated Shot-gun cover, showing how gun loads. Tiny diagonal clip R. B. corner. Attractive (Photo) E. IV

1c Gray Blue (206). Tied by “New York” Oval on Remington Firearms Cover, Dealer’s Imprint, Shotgun Above, purple Ammunition Advertising handstamp on back, tiny cover tear, otherwise Very Fine ......................... E. III

1c Gray Blue (206). S. e. single, tied by “Chicago” Straight Line pmk. on Overall Chicago Scale Co. Illustrated Cover showing various products such as Portable Forges, Dies, Anvil, Drill, Scare, etc., Very Handsome E. III


1c–5c Banknotes, Colorful Advertising Covers, 35 different, mostly illustrated, Attractive lot E. VIII


2c Red Brown (210) Cincinnati, Wheeling, Pittsburg Str, Chesapeake, Printed packet-mark, T. L. corner, tied by “Jacksonville, Fla.” Illustrated letter-head enclosed. The “Chesapeake” was moved from the Ohio River to Jacksonville to provide service, including the mails on the St. John River beyond Sanford, Also incl. two 1884 statements sent the owner. Cover tears skilfully mended. Attractive & Very Rare, claimed to be the only Florida Inland Packet cover on record ......................... E. VIII

2c Red Brown (210). On cover, few perfs, trimmed by careless opening, tied by Skull & Crossbones & Greenfield, Mass. pmk., Clear Strikes, also incl. off cover single with Bold Strike of same cancel, Handsome Lot ....... E. III

2c Brown, 2c Carmine (210, 220). Each on cover with striking Transportation Corner Card, first an old Hansom Cab & Horse (Two letterheads enclosed, same design) other an Electric Locomotive with Street car (Chicago 1890) without flap. Attractive Lot ....... E. IV
2c Brown (210). Tied by negative star, “Westport, Pa., Clinton Co., C. P. Noyes, P. M.” on Hotel corner card cover; sealed tears at top, also 3c Green Entire (U163) cancel. with vertical oblong of bars, curious oblong pmk. “Albemarle Co., Virginia, ? Clark, P. M.” (Town name not legibly struck.) Interesting Lot

1c–8c Bank Note–Bureau Issues, 21 covers, nearly all before 1890, selected for fancy cancels. & Corner Cards, many pictorial incl. “Buffalo Bill”, Sheriff of San Francisco, Town & County cancels, Railroad Ovals, Fancy Frames for stamp, P. M. name in “Shell” etc. Each an unusual item. Mixed quality, many Fine

1890-1898 ISSUES

1c, 2c 1890–98 Issues (Betw. 219–279B). Nine Choice Corner Card Covers. All unusual types, some imprinted both sides. Fine–Very Fine

2c 1890, 1895, 1898 (220, 267, 279B). Collection of 23 early machine cancels., nearly all diff. types from mostly diff. town & cities. Many scarce types, Fine–Very Fine

4c Brown, 6c Brown Red, Imperforate (222a, 224a). Large to Huge Margins, Tied on 1894 Registered cover, New York to Montreal, Canada, Very Fine, Rare on cover, with P. F. Certificate (Photo)

1c–8c Columbian (Betw. 230 & 236, U350) 15 stamps on 10 covers, most used abroad, 1893–1900. Fine lot, many interesting uses, some accessory markings

2c Columbian (231). Tied by 1894 Chicago Machine pmk. on Unusual Property Tax Propaganda Cover, Quotes & Imprints Front & Back. Stamp Framed by Slogan, Very Fine, Scarce


2c Carmine, Ty. III (267). Couple perf’s trimmed by careless opening, tied by “Newton, N. J.” Duplex on 1898 Beautiful Multicolor Shotgun Powder & Shell Advertising Cover, Mallard Drake’s Head “Crashing” through cover, negotiable aging specks, still Handsome

2c Carmine (267). Str. edge B., Tied by “Buffalo, N. Y.” oval machine cancel. with bars on stamp on handsome Gold & Black Duck Hunting cover, Ad for “Oriental Smokeless Powder” Regarded by specialists of these covers as the scarcest & most desirable of any in the group

2c Carmine (267). Used with Germany 20pf (49) paying forwarding postage on neat cover. Fine sequence of postmarks. Choice cover

2c Carmine, Red (267, 279B). Two covers, diff. early machine cancel. of Woonsocket, R. I., 1898 str. line, 1901, Two str. lines, each with small diagonal bar cancel., Very Fine

2c Carmine (267 var.). Two covers, Diagonal bisects, 1897 use, one, an R. B. half tied-by N. Y. machine pmk., other, T. R. half tied by “Newport, R. I.” duplex, with letter of authenticity. Both accepted as prepaid

1c Green (279). Tied on humorous post card, stamp affixed on a “carpet bag” with Umbrella, tied by str. line “Rochester, Ind.”; other side a rear view of a farmer with pants made from actual piece of tree bark. Couple of small faults – yet a real “Conversation Piece”
809 2c Red (279B). Tied on Beautiful Multicolor Chicago Post Card, Ferris Wheel & Lincoln Park Scene, by “Chicago, Ill. R. P. O., Jul 29, 1901” pmk. to Germany, Very Fine .......................................................... E. II

810 2c Red (279B). Two Fancy Corner Card covers, one tied by “Collection Wagon” pmk. of Washington, D. C., other by machine cancel of “Philadelphia & Germantown R. P. O.” in flag, Very Fine .......................................................... E. III

811 1c Trans-Mississippi (285). Well Centered, on 1c Black on Buff Postal Card (UX14), tied by “Brooklyn, N. Y., Jun 22, 1898” Duplex pmk. to Germany, Five Days after First Day of Issue, other side Beautiful Multicolor Picture of Rockaway Beach, Buildings & Female Bather, Very Fine, Scarce .................................................................................................................. E. III


813 2c Trans-Mississippi (286). Tied corner card cover by scarce early machine cancel., “Kewanee, Ill., date”, str. line, tied by row of Chevrons, 1893 use, Very Fine .................................................................................................................. E. III

814 U. S. Postal Agency, Shanghai & Oval Numeral Grid Duplex, cancels on Two Covers tying 5c Columbian (234) & 5c Chocolate (255) to Iowa, same correspondence, 1895 use, first with lengthy missionary letter headed “Chung King”, both covers somewhat age toned yet Attractive, Scarce .... E. V

SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR PATRIOTS

815 2c Carmine (267). Tied by Early Washington, D.C. machine cancel., Three str. lines incl. date, stamp tied by diagonal bars on Multicolor Spanish–American War Patriotic Cover, View of Camp Alger, Va., Very Fine, one of the scarcer designs .................................................................................................................. (Photo) E. VI

816 2c Carmine (267). Tied on Beautiful Multicolor Span.–Amer. War Patriotic Cover, showing Naval Battle, Kneeling Marine, Draped U. S. & Cuban Flags, “Remember the Maine”, “For Humanity, Country and Right.” Very Fine .................................................................................................................. (Photo) E. VI


818 2c Carmine (267). Tied to Span.–Amer. War Patriotic Cover. Multicolor Liberty with Eagle, Flag and Shield; Portrait of Commodore Schley in Circle of Stars, Scarce, Very Fine .................................................................................................................. (Photo) E. V

819 2c Carmine (267). S. E.; Tied to Span.–Amer. War Patriotic Cover, Multi­color Soldier holding Sword and Flag, 3-line “Camp Poland, U. S. Volunteer Infantry, Knoxville, Tenn.” Very Fine .................................................................................................................. E. III


822 2c Carmine, Ty. III (267). Small faults, tied by “Chickamauga Nat’l. Park, Ga.” pmk. on Jun 24, 1898 Spanish–American War Cover, Camp Thomas Imprint, Multicolor Crossed Cuban & American Flags Above, Eagle & Shield, Scarce .................................................................................................................. E. III

E. VI

1c Green, 1c Trans–Mississippi (279, 285). Tied to Span.–Amer. War Patriotic Cover; Multicolor Portrait of Pres. McKinley in Ornate Shield–like Frame with Eagle and American Flag Attractive, Very Fine (Photo)

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1c Trans–Mississippi (285). Pair, tied on Span.–Amer. War Patriotic Cover; Multicolor Portrait of Adm. Dewey in Ornate Shield–like Frame with Eagle and American Flag. Very Fine & Striking

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2c Trans–Mississippi (286). Tied to Span.–Amer. War Patriotic Cover; Bold, Multicolor U.S. & Naval Flags, Return Address & ad for Printers. Attractive, Very Fine

E. III

1c Trans–Mississippi (285). Tied by early machine pmk, "Kansas City, Mo." & dates in str. lines, diagonal bar cancel. Multicolor Spanish–American War Patriotic Cover, Large Waving Flag, Very Fine

E. III

2c Carmine (301), S.E., tied on Span.–Amer. War Patriotic Cover to Switzerland, Multicolor seated figure of Liberty with Globe, Flag & Eagle, Panel with U.S.S. Maine. Underpaid with New York Due Marking, 30 Centimes Swiss Postage Due stamps, Very Fine (Photo)

E. V

EXPOSITION COVERS

3c Green (158). Two Covers, Both with Overall Views of the Main Exhibition Building Centennial Exhibition 1876, Slate Works Illustrated Advertising on Front, "Philadelphia, Pa." pmks., both bit reduced, one corner fault, Scarce Lot

E. V

1c Grey Blue (206). Toned perfs., tied on Illus. Cotton Centennial Exposition cover, showing diff. Expo. bldgs., Reverse has All–over written description of the Fair, Fine & Very Scarce

E. III

3c Columbian (232). Tied by "World's Fair" machine cancel, on official Imprinted envelope with embossed stamp of Chile, Very Fine & Attractive (Photo)

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E. III
2c Red (279B). Tied by str. line “Grand Rapids, Mich.” machine pmk. with diagonal bar cancel. on “Grand Rapids Carnival of Fun” cover. All-over design in Red, Dancing, Costumes, Cherubs, etc., Very Fine & Attractive ........................................... E. III

2c Carmine (267). Tied by “Milwaukee, Wis.” str. line & dates in machine cancel., diagonal bars over stamp, Cover of The Wisconsin State Semi-Centennial, over-all design, Allegorical figure at left, Milwaukee Lake Front scene. Very Fine .......................................................... E. III


2c Red (279B). Tied by “Johnstown, Pa.” machine Flag cancel. on over-all pictorial cover of the “Johnstown Centennial”, all in Green picturing the first home in Johnstown, Very Fine, Scarce ........................................... E. IV


2c Red (279B). Str. edge, Tied by 1901 Toledo, O. machine cancel. with bars, on Brilliant color cover of Ohio Centennial & N. W. Terr. Exposition at Toledo, Reduced slightly at L., still attractive & Very Scarce ........................................... E. IV

1c Green (279). Tied on Toledo Bath Cabinet Cover Card Cover, by special Machine cancel, “Toledo, Ohio” in box, “Ohio Centennial, 1902” in oval, to Canada, nice series of transit pmks, Very Rare ........................................... (Photo)

2c Red (279B). Two covers, one with Toledo Hardware Co. Corner card, each tied by “Toledo, Ohio”, 1900 machine pmk. in oval, with “Ohio Centennial, 1902” in machine oval. Very Fine ........................................... E. IV

1c Green (279). Tied on Spanish–American War Patriotic Cover, Over-all Multicolor, Flag by “Buffalo, N. Y.” Involute Flag pmk., advertising “Pan–American Exposition” Circular use. Least bit worn in corners, Very Fine & Rare ........................................... E. VIII

1c Green (279). Tied on cover with Pan–American Expo. official emblem by oval “Buffalo, N. Y., machine cancel with “Pan American Exposition” in oval, Very Fine ........................................... E. IV


2c Carmine (267). Tied by “Milwaukee, Wis., duplex on Brilliant Multicolor cover celebrating the Milwaukee Jahrmarkt Sept 1902. A German Folk Festival, picturing marching, dancing, Beer Barrel, Out House, etc. Slight reduction at L., still a fantastic celebration cover ........................................... E. IV

1c Louisiana Purchase (323). Two “hold-the-light” illuminated post cards, Expo Bldg. & Gardens, 1904 St. Louis pmks., Fine ........................................... E. III
20th CENTURY

855  1c Pan–American (294). Pair, on 1901 Post Card, Buffalo, N. Y. to Shanghai, China. Great var. of pmks., incl. S. F. transit, U. S. Postal Agency, Shanghai Local Post & German Post. Very Fine

856  1c, 2c Pan–American (294, 295). Pair of 2c, all tied by “Phil’a ” machine pmk. on mourning envelope to Tientsin, China, “S. F.” transit “U. S. Postal Agency, Shanghai (blurred) & Chinese pmks of Shanghai & Tientsin, Very Fine

857  5c Pan–American (297). Tied by 1901 Phil’a machine flag pmk. on Mourning Envelope to Shanghai, China, forwarded by German Sea Post to Tientsin, with German pmks of both offices, Very Fine, Scarce usage (Photo)


859  10c Louisiana Purchase (327). Fine, vaguely tied on registered cover with Illus. “American Express Co. Travelers Check” in Blue. Fine & Attractive, Scarce, especially with this stamp

860  5c Jamestown (330). Well centered, nicely tied on 1908 cover. Unusual N. Y. State cancel. Very Fine

861  2c Red (406). Tied by “Vera Cruz” Duplex pmk. on cover to Puebla, Mex., Purple handstamp “No franqueado” Not accepted, & Mexican 10c Postage Due (35) tied on; U.S.—Marines occupation of Vera Cruz, very scarce Mixed franking, Very Fine


863  20th Century Covers, 20, selected for corner cards, cancels. & unusual frankings. Fine lot, many scarce


AMUNDSEN NORTH POLE “MAUDE EXPEDITION”

865  Amundsen North Polar, “Maude Expedition,” Cover to Seattle, 1c Green (498) Two, tied on special stamp labels, Legal size cover autographed “Warren G. Harding”, “Hubert Work” (his P. M. Gen.) & Roald Amundsen, July 28, 1922, Point Barrow, Alaska, Very Fine (AAMS 1021)

866  A Similar Cover, “Harding” & “Work” autograph, Amundsen dated July 28, 1922, Wainwright, Alaska. 2c Rose (499) tied by Special Green cachet, Very Fine

867  A Similar Cover, “Harding” & “Work” autographs, Amundsen autograph dated July 6, 1922, Nome, Alaska, 2c, 3c Offset, each tied on separate “stamp” by Nome pmk. Legal size cover, Very Fine

868  A Similar Cover, “Harding” & “Work” autographs, Amundsen autograph. July 28, 1922, Point Barrow, Alaska. 24c 1918 Air Post (C3) perfs cut in, placed sideways on special “stamp” Legal size cover has tears, Scarce

869  Same Flight, No autographs, Green cachet dated June 3, 1922, 3c offset (530) Tied on Error “stamp”, “ARI” for “AIR” by special Green cachet, Very Fine & Scarce (Photo)

870  Same Flight, Mint Sheet of Nine of the special “stamp” or label, each with unused 4c Brown (503) Center stamp the “ARI” error. Few separations & bits of selvedge gone from two corners, otherwise Very Fine, Scarce

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POSTAL STATIONERY, OFFICIAL

871 3c Red on White (U9). Entire, cancelled “Pittsburgh, Pa.”, All-over Illustration of Iron & Nail Works in Red Orange, Minor cover faults on reverse, Very Fine Looking, an “Eye-Catcher” ........................................ (Photo)  E. IV


874 3c+1c Red & Blue on White, Star Die Entire (U28). Unused, Very Fine, ex-Barkhausen ............................................................................. (Photo)  150.00

875 3c+1c Red & Blue on White, Star Die Entire (U28). Bold “New–York, Jun 12, 1861” & Unframed Grid Duplex pmk. to Fergusonville, N. Y., without flap & scorched around edges, Scarce ......................................................................................... E. III

876 ★ 3c+1c Red & Blue on Buff, Star Die Cut Square (U29). Unused, Fine ......................................................................................... 67.50

877 3c Green on Amber (U83). Entire, cancelled by Very Bold “Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 13, 3 PM” in Rectangle & Fancy Shield, the “Goff–Hursey” Patent & the First U. S. Machine Cancel, Envelope Slightly cut in at R., otherwise Very Fine & Rare ............................................ (Photo)  E. V

878 Postal Stationery, Mostly 19th Century, 29 covers, 15 are illustr. Advertising covers, balance interesting cancels, Most attractive lot........................................................................ E. VII

879 12c, 30c State (O63, O66). Both tied together on official State Dept. label dated Apr. 6, 1874 stating the package (from which this was taken) contains no written matter, & signed by the Chief Clerk. The 12c is nicked, 30c Fine. Very Scarce, possibly unique combination ............................................ (Photo)  E. VIII

880 Revenue Stamped Paper, 2c Orange “Tapeworm”, 56 segments (RN–A10 A). Margins virtually all around, folded twice, as usual, Very Fine, as these come, Very Scarce ........................................................................... 100.00

CARRIERS

881 P 1c Orange, Franklin Carrier Trial Color Proof on Wove (LOITCa). Tiny tear, otherwise Fine, Very Scarce ........................................................................ 130.00

882 1c Dull Blue, Franklin Carrier (LO1). Three Narrow Margins, cut in at top, paper split partly, Clear Orange Red “ENSI” (Kensington, Pa.) pmk., A Great Rarity, Probably Unique with this Postmark ........................................ (Photo)  E. XIII

883 ★ 1c Blue, Eagle Carrier (LO2). T. R. Corner Margin Block, Fresh, o. g., hinge remnant, negligible bend, Very Fine .................................................................................. 50.00

884 ★ 1c Blue Eagle Carrier (LO2). Margins All Around, tiny scissors cut in margin only, tied by Orange Red “Kensington, Pa.” pmk., matching “Paid 3” in Arc, light partly readable strike on folded cover to New Providence P. O., Pa., Rare, reportedly only four covers from Kensington known with Eagle Carrier ........................................................................ (Photo) 60.00+

885 ★ 1c, 2c Carriers (LO2, LO6, 1LB8, 1LB9, 5LB2, 6LB9, 6LB11). Mostly Unused, incl. extra nos. 1LB8 & 1LB9, some faults, F.-V. F. Appearance ........................................................................... 223.50

886 R 1c Blue, Franklin Carrier Reprint (LO3). Eight, First & Second Printing, incl. Shades, thinned or light creases, Very Fine Appearing Lot ................................................................................. 96.00

887 R± 1c Franklin Carrier, Reprint (LO3). Block, Margins All Around incl. Part B. Sheet Margin, small wrinkle in one, otherwise Very Fine (Photo) .......................................................................... 60.00

888 ★ 1c Blue, Eagle Carrier Special Printing (LO6). Rich Color, perfs. tiny bit in at left, Fine for this ............................................................................... 30.00

889 Baltimore, Md., 1c Green (1LB4). Clear to Large Margins, faint pencil cancel, negligible thin at top, Fine Appearance, Very Scarce ........................................................................ (Photo) 225.00
890 Baltimore, Md., 1c Blue (ILB6). Margins All Around, Neat Blue Grid cancel, Fine ........................................ 40.00
891 Baltimore, Md., 1c Blue (ILB6). Margins All Around, Fresh Color on cover to Phila., Pa., used with 3c Rose Ty. I (25), left perfs. trimmed by slight cover reduction, tied by Blue “Baltimore, Md.” pmk. Carrier stamp not canceled but no reason to doubt its genuine use, Rare & Very Attractive despite the perf. trimming, the #1LB6 + #25 combination unpriced .......................................................... 891
892 Baltimore, Md., 1c Red (ILB7). Touched to Large Margins, Fine, on piece with 3c Red (26), scissor separated trimming some perfs., both tied together by Blue “Baltimore, Md.” pmk., Attractive & Scarce ......................................................... (Photo) 200.00
893 Honour's City Express, 2c Black on Blush (ILB8). Irregular Margin due to careless tearing from sheet, Huge in Places, ms. cancel, “tied” by light age toning on local use cover, Scarce & Attractive (Photo) E. V
894 Charleston, S.C., Kingman's City Post, 2c Black on Blush (ILB14). Uncancelled, as often, Three Large Margins, touched at B., used with 3c Red (11), Fine, on 1853 invoice to Stateburg, S. C. Cat. for unused, Fine & Rare .......................................................... (Photo) 400.00
895 Steinmeyer's City Post, 2c Black on Yellow (ILB21). Large Margins, Nearly Full o.g., slight gum soaking, otherwise Very Fine ......................................................... (Photo) E. IV
896 Wharton's U.S. P.O. Despatch (5LB1). Block, small faults, Attractive Appearance, Scarc e ......................................................... (Photo) 65.00
897 Brown & McGill's U.S. P.O. Despatch, 2c Blue (5LB2). Nearly Four Full Frames, tiny bit in bottom left, on small cover to Paducah, vaguely tied by light Blue smudge used with Fine 3c Red (26) tied by Blue “Louisville, Ky.” pmk., slight cover soiling, Rare .......................................................... (Photo) 400.00
898 N.O. U.S. City Post, Green “Snow Shovel”, Date-Time Type, fairly clear strike, matching “Car 2” in Oval, 3c Brownish Carmine (11), Fine, tied by light Clinton, La. pmk. on Folded Letter written on “Silliman Female Collegiate Institute” Printed Circular, tiny eroded spot at top of filing fold, Still Attractive, Scarce (Photo) E. V
899 N.O. U.S. City Post, Blue “Snow Shovel”, Date-Time Type, partly readable strike, matching “Car 2” in Oval, Red “Biloxi, Miss.” & “5” pmks., slight toning & erosion specks along filing fold yet Attractive .......................................................... (Photo) E. IV
900 City Despatch Post, 3c Black on Grayish (6LB1). Large Margins, Fresh Color, Bold Red City Despatch Post cancel at bottom, small corner thin almost entirely in margin, Very Fine Appearance, Very Scarce (Photo) 450.00
901 U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Light Blue (6LB3). Four Nice Margins, Fresh Color, light horiz. crease, otherwise Very Fine .......................................................... (Photo) 200.00
902 U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Light Blue (6LB3). Large Margins, horiz. crease, otherwise Very Fine .......................................................... (Photo) 200.00
903 U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Light Blue (6LB3). Large Margins, Fresh Color, Neat Orange Red “U. S.” Octagon cancel, Very Fine .......................................................... (Photo) 70.00
904 U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Light Blue (6LB3). Four Nice Margins, Clear “U. S.” Octagon cancel, light creases, otherwise Very Fine .......................................................... (Photo) 70.00
905 U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Light Blue (6LB3). Clear to Large Margins, Fresh Color, Bold Orange Red “U. S.” Octagon, not tied, matching “New-York” pmk. on Folded Letter to Albany, N. Y., Violet ms. “12½” rate, Fine & Handsome .......................................................... (Photo) 150.00
906 U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Light Blue (6LB3). Large Margins, Bold Red “U.S.” Octagon, “tied” by light ironed out filing fold on local use folded notice of bankruptcy, Red “Paid” in Arc & City Despatch Post cancels, magenta ms. “3”, Attractive .......................................................... 150.00
907 U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Blue (6LB5). Large Margins, Red “U.S.” Octagon cancels, Very Fine .......................................................... (Photo) 65.00
U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Dark Blue (6LB5). Ample to Huge Margins, Rich Color, on piece, Red “U.S.” Octagon cancel, matching City Despatch Post pmk., small corner crease, otherwise Very Fine ........................................ 65.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Blue (6LB5). Ample to Large Margins, on piece, Red “U.S.” Octagon, not tied, matching City Despatch Post cancel, light crease, otherwise Very Fine .................................................. 65.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Blue (6LB5). Large Margins, Fresh Color, Red “U.S.” in Truncate Octagon, not tied on large part of folded letter to South Carolina, Red “New-York” pmk., Blue ms. “25” rate, stamp has barely noticeable closed tear, Very Handsome & Scarcie .................................................. 65.00+

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Greenish Blue (6LB5). Ample to Large Margins, creases, on front only of locally used folded cover, Red “U.S.” in Truncate Octagon, not tied, Bold “U.S. City Despatch Post” & “Paid” in Arc, both also in Red, Very Attractive .................................................. 65.00+

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Light Blue (6LB5). Ample to Large Margins, Red “U.S.” Octagon, not tied, matching City Despatch Post on Fresh locally used folded invitation, Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo) 100.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Blue, Greenish Blue (6LB5, 6LB6). Three Distinct Shades of first, Each with virtually Four Margins, Red “U.S.” Octagon cancels, all more or less faulty, Attractive Appearing Lot ................................................................. E. VI

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Greenish Blue (6LB5). Large Margins, tiny negligible corner creases, Red “U.S.” in Truncate Octagon, not tied, on locally used folded cover, doubly struck Red City Despatch Post cancel, small cover nick at top, still Attractive .................................................. 100.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Dark Blue (6LB5). Large Margins, Lovely Color, two Red “U.S.” Octagon cancels, not tied, matching City Despatch Post, ms. “3” on small fresh locally used cover, stamp has negligible crease in left margin, still Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo) 100.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Bright Blue (6LB5). Large Margins showing nearly Four Full Dividing Lines, Fresh Color, Bold Red “U.S.” Octagon, not tied, matching City Despatch Post cancel on Small Fresh Folded Letter, local use, Very Fine, A Lovely Cover ................................................................. (Photo) 100.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Dark Blue (6LB5). Ample to Large Margins, Rich Color, tied by Red “U.S.” Octagons, matching City Despatch Post pmk. on Folded Letter, local use, slight erosion along filing fold, Stamp Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo) 100.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Bright Blue (6LB5). Clear to Large Margins, slight corner crease, tied by Red “U.S.” Octagon, very light matching City Despatch Post pmk. on Folded Letter, local use directed to the Custom House, Very Fine Appearance ................................................................. (Photo) 100.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Bright Blue (6LB5). Large Margins, Red “U.S.” Octagon pmk., not tied on local use folded cover, Red City Despatch Post “Paid” in Arc (latter mostly under stamp). Fine ................................................................. 100.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Bright Blue (6LB5). Large Margins, light gum wrinkles, Red “U.S.” Octagon, not tied, matching Red “New-York” & “Paid” in Arc on Fresh Folded Letter to Portsmouth, N. H., Blue ms. “18½” rate, bits of address trifle smeared, still Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo) 100.00

U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Blue (6LB5). Large Margins, Red “U.S.” Octagon pmk., not tied on local use folded cover, Red City Despatch Post pmk., Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo) 100.00

923 ☉ City Despatch Post, 3c Dark Blue (6LB5). Clear to Large Margins, small repair at middle right, Red "U.S." Octagon, not tied on local use folded letter, Two Red City Depatch Post pmk., "Mar 30" & "Mar 31" Date Slugs, Fine Appearance, Unusual ........................................... 100.00

924 ☉ U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Blue (6LB5). Ample to Large Margins, tied by Red "U.S." Octagons, matching City Despatch Post on locally used folded cover, Very Fine .................................................. (Photo) 100.00

925 ☉ U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Bluish Green (6LB6). Clear to Large Margins, Red "U.S." Octagon cancel, Fine .............................................................. 65.00

926 ☉ U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Bluish Green (6LB6). Clear to Large Margins, Red "U.S." Octagon cancel, not tied on local use folded letter, Red City Despatch Post cancel, Fine .................................................. 125.00

927 ☉ U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Bluish Green (6LB6). Margins Virtually all Around, Huge at Left, tiny corner crease, Bold Red "U.S." Octagon, not tied, Red Orange City Despatch Post pmk., on somewhat aged folded letter, Attractive ................................................... 125.00

928 ☉ U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Green (6LB6). Large Margins, Red "U.S." Octagon cancel, not tied, matching Red City Despatch Post cancel on Folded Letter, local use, Very Fine .................................................. 125.00

929 ☉ U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Green (6LB6). Vertical Pair, almost completely separated by scissors, tiny wrinkles, each with Red "U.S." Octagon not tied on cover front, local use, Red City Despatch Post cancel, Very Fine Appearance, Very Scarce .................................................. E. VIII

930 ☉ U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Bluish Green (6LB6). Large Margins showing most of dividing lines, tied by Red City Despatch Post cancel on locally used cover, stamp has tiny creases at bottom, otherwise V.F. (Photo) 125.00

931 ☉ U.S. City Despatch Post, 3c Bluish Green, Double Impression (6LB6a). Three Huge Margins, light creases, Red "U.S." Octagon cancel, "tied" by light filing bend on local use folded letter, Clear Red City Despatch Post pmk., Rare, unpriced on cover ........................................... E. VIII

932 ☉ U.S. Mail, 1c Rose (6LB9). Margins to slightly in, typical light pencil cancel, not tied on Fresh 1849 Folded Letter to Boston, slightly smudged Red "New—York, 5cts." pmk., Scarce & Attractive ........................................... 150.00

933 ☉ U.S. Mail, 1c Rose (6LB9). Three Margins, uncancelled, "tied" by tiny stain speck on cover to Mass., Red "New—York, 5cts" pmk., small cover tears, Scarce ................................................... E. III

934 ☉ U.S. Mail, 1c Rose (6LB9). Three Margins, Fresh Color, on Feb. 1849 local use folded letter, uncancelled but no reason to doubt the genuineness of this item, Fine ................................................... E. III

935 ☉ U.S. Mail, 1c Yellow (6LB10). Margins All Around, vertical creases, tied by Red "New York, 5cts" pmk. on Small Embossed Ladies Cover to Rhode Island, Attractive & Very Scarce ........................................... (Photo) 125.00

936 ☉ U.S. Mail, 1c Buff (6LB11). Margins All Around, tied by Bold underinked Red "Paid", matching "New York City, U.S. Mail" pmk., partly readable strike, on locally used cover, Stamp Very Fine, Very Scarce ........................................... 100.00

937 ☉ U.S. Mail, 1c Buff (6LB11). Three Margins, on 1850 Folded Printed Circular, single pencil stroke cancel, not tied, Fine ........................................... 100.00

LOCALS

938 ☉ American Letter Mail Co., 5c Black (5L1). Margins all around, Series of Red Stars cancel, not tied. Red Local cancel & Bold "6" on folded cover to Phil'a, Very Fine ........................................... 35.00

939 ☉ American Letter Mail Co., 5c Black (5L1). Large margins, Bold ms. "H" cancel & "tied" by filing crease, 1844 folded letter to Phil'a., "Forwards By American Mail Company" Two lines in Red caps, Very Fine appearance ........................................... E. II
940 American Letter Mail Co., Black on Grayish (5L2). Large margins except bit cut in at L., ms. cancel not tied, Red Company oval New York on 1846 folded cover docketed “New London, Ct.” to N. Y., Fine ........................................ 90.00

941 American Letter Mail Co., Black on Grayish (5L2). Large margins, "tied" by heavy filing crease, Bold Red "Paid" on 1844 folded letter, N. Y.–Phil'a., Very Fine appearance .............................................................. E. III

942 D. O. Blood & Co., (2c) Black (5L6). Large margins to barely touched except top of T. L. corner cut diagonally. Paper evenly toned, Unusual Grid cancel, not tied, on 1848 local folded letter, the cancel similar to the grid found on #15L10 & 15L11, Scarce & Reasonably Attractive ............ (Photo) E. VII


944 Blood's Dispatch, Clear Double Circle on cover bearing Illustrated Druggist's Corner Card in Green, Enclosure dated July 1, 1853. Cover faults in corner card, otherwise Fine ................................................ (Photo) E. IV

945 Blood's Dispatch, Red on Dark Buff Entire (5L14). Tied Blood Circle, slight splits in embossing, Fine cover .................................................. 45.00

946 Boyd's City Express, 2c Yellow Green, Ty. II (20L2). Margins all around, Red "Free" just ties on large part of front only. Very Fine ........................................... 50.00+

947 Boyd's City Express, Bright Orange Red oval, slightly blurred strike on 1845 local N. Y. cover, Very Fine .................................................. E. II

948 G. Carter's Despatch, Philadelphia, Pa., 2c Black (36L1). Huge Margins to slightly in, tied by Bold ms. "X" cancel on Aug. 1849 Folded Cover, Two Blue "Phila, Pa. 5" pmks., one incomplete where a 5c 1847 stamp was affixed, Fine, cat. $175.00 used alone without U. S. franking ........................................ —


950 New York City Despatch Post, 2c Buff (40L8). On tiny fresh cover, tied by pencil, top right corner of stamp "skinned" off, a philatelic tragedy, yet useful for reference, cat. $500.00 off cover ........................................ —

951 Hale & Co., (6c) Blue, Cut Square (75L1). Address deleted by pen, "tied" by filing crease on 1844 folded letter, N. Y.–Phil'a., Endorsed "Hale's Express", Fine ......................................................... E. II

952 Hanford's Pony Express, 2c Black on Yellow (78L1). Margins all around, on 1848 folded letter to Conn., not tied, as usual, Red N. Y. 5cts pmk., Very Fine, offered as unused stamp, though there is no reason to doubt its use on this cover ........................................... 50.00+

953 Messenkope Union Square P. O., 2c on Green Glazed (106L1). Large margins, tied with 3c Red (11) slightly cut in on neat cover to Canandaigua, N. Y. Used after J. E. Dunham bought out the post in 1850; therefore a Dunham use. Dunham's Orange oval & Paid on stampless mourning envelope in same family correspondence & Knapp Research note accompanies. Very Fine & Rare ......................................................... (Photo) E. XI

954 Metropolitan Errand & Carrier Express, 1c Red Orange (107L1). Large Margins to just in at one point, broken filing crease, Tied by two strikes of "Paid" in octagon, repeated on Folded Letter, "Hinkley & Co's. Express" in oval, Fine example of this Rare, N. Y. local ......................................................... E. IV

955 One Cent Despatch, 1c Violet, Ty. II (112L1). Margins All Around, light "City Despatch" pmk., slight thin, Very Fine Appearance ......................................................... 50.00


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957  Philadelphia, Pa., 1c Gold on Black Glazed (7LB11). Margins All Around, tiny flaws, "tied" by light filing crease on Aug. 6, 1851 Folded Cover, 3c Orange Brown (10), average, tied by Blue Framed Grid, matching "Philadelphia, Pa." pmk., Attractive & Very Scarce, this combination listed but unpriced .................................................. (Photo) E. VI

958  Stringer & Morton, (1c) Gold on Block (134L1). Margins nearly all around, irregular at T. R., but clear; indistinctly tied by box on local Baltimore cover, which is creased far from stamp. Very Rare ........................................ (Photo) 750.00

959  U.S. City Despatch Post, Two Stampless Covers, Red & Brown Red pmks., Very Fine

960  U.S. City Despatch Post, Red pmks. on nine stampless covers, two Types, Very Good–Very Fine

**EXPRESS AND FOREWARDERS**

961  Harnden's & Co's Express, Boston, Pink label, type–set design with old R. R. coach in center, Tied by light filing crease on folded letter (1845) to New York, Very handsome, with post–card calling Harnden the first U. S. Expressman, & woodcut of his N. Y. Office, Choice lot ............................... E. IV

962  (Fwd By Moses) Taylor From San Francisco, Partial strike on 3c Pink Entire (U56) to N. Y. Endorsed “Via Steam, pr. Nicaragua” “N. York Steamship” & “Due 7”. Long 1865 letter enclosed, interesting content. Cover tears mended. Very unusual use, latest “via Nicaragua”we have seen, though we believe it actually went via Panama ..................................................... E. VII


964  Forwarded By Hayes & Treadwell, Franklin House, New York, Mostly Clear Blue Oval on back of May 1843 Folded Notice of Bankruptcy, Red “U. S. City Despatch Post” pmk., Blue ms. “1”, some age toning, otherwise Fine .......................................................................................................................... E. III

965  Pioneer Express Co., Mobile, Ala., Sep. 30, 1865, Small double circle on 3c Entire (U58) to Enterprise, Miss. Trifle worn & eroded at T., yet respectable appearance, Scarce post–war usage .......................................................................................................................... E. VI

**INLAND WATERWAYS**

966  Creole, Heavily Impressed Colorless Straight Line, written out again in light magenta on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U2), light “Steam” cancel, “New Orleans, La.” pmk., somewhat aged, Scarce Cover from the Buchannan, Carrol correspondence, ex–Knapp ..................................................... E. III

967  Detroit & Algonac R. F. D. Service, Steamboat, Clear large circle ties 2c Red (279B) 1901 use to Ohio. Very Scarce marking, Cover has small flaws, Choice example of this unusual usage ..................................................... (Photo) E. IV

968  Louisville and Cincinnati U. S. Mail Line Steamers in printed box, 3c Ultramarine (114) tied from Louisville, slightly reduced otherwise Fine .......................................................................................................................... E. VI

969  Steamer Meteor, Cleveland, Jun 10, 1870, Clear Red Circle on 3c Pink Entire (U59) to Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., slightly reduced L., Choice Strike, Fine & Very Scarce Great Lakes Packet Mark ..................................................... (Photo) E. VI

970  U.S. Ship Monongahela, Jul 17, 1884, Large Blue Double Circle, Bold Strike on Cover to Vt., 2c Red Brown (210), tied by “San Francisco, Cal. Jul 18, 1884” & Oval Numeral Grid Duplex, Very Fine Cover, Scarce & Unusual .......................................................................................................................... (Photo) E. VI

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971 Steamer New Era, Bold Str. Line caps in Red Fancy frame of arcs, to Camden (Ark.) Docketed 1867, some calculations written on face of cover, minor toning, Scarce .................................................. E. IV

972 Regular Saturday Packet, Alice Vivian, Capt. S. W. Abels, For Demopolis & Merrivether's Landing, Large Blue Oval, Fine Strike on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10), negligible additional blue from other covers on face, Fine, this Packet was in service on the Alabama & Tombigbee Rivers, ex-Emerson, Unlisted in Stampless Cover Catalog (Photo) .......................................................... E. V

973 Steamboat, Blue Str. Line, "Due 3" in circle, 3c Rose (65) perfs, touch, tied by Blue "Baltimore, Md. 1865" pmk. Partly complete Express Co. cancel. in double circle at L. B., name of company not printed. Fine .................................................. E. IV

LARGE AND MISCELLANEOUS COVER LOTS


975 Stampless Covers, Approx. 30 covers, mostly Civil War period, incl. some with official imprint, couple of 1c Drop Letters, few collateral items. Good–Fine Lot .................................................. E. IV

976 Corner Card Covers, Collection of 31, 1851–1895, most before 1890. Fascinating Group covering many industries, businesses, hotels, etc. Majority pictorials. Fine lot, full of scarce & unusual items .................................................. E. VII

977 Early Telegraph Envelopes, Nine diff., all with telegrams enclosed, all 1851–58 except an unusual 1873 Southern & Atlantic Tel. Co. envelope & telegram with portrait of Samuel F. B. Morse, inventor of the telegraph. Excellent condition .................................................. E. VI

978 19th Century Covers, Shoebox full, Mostly U. S., incl. Stampless, Some Interesting Naval Letters, Two Civil War Diaries (little on war), one written by Alfred P. Rockwell (later a Civil War General), foreign covers, nearly all Egypt & France, some misc. early 20th, Fair–Very Fine, worthy of inspection .................................................. E. VIII

979 Corner Card Covers, 1870's–1898, 53 covers, many illustrated, wide var. of industries, fine range of Hotel covers, many on Columbian Issues, some quite unusual & spectacular. Most Fine–Very Fine .................................................. E. VI

980 Collection of Ten Registered Covers, 1890–98, Incl. 10c Columbian, 4c, 10c Trans–Mississippi & various denominations 1890–98 Issues. Incl. six Str. Lines incl. one Chained Box & one Shield, others oval or circular. Choice Lot .................................................. E. VII

981 U. S. Covers to other Countries, 19 covers, Bank Note period, except damaged pair 10c Louisiana Purchase. Incl. a 3c Vermilion to France (soiled) Most in combinations, some on enetries. Few faults, mostly Fine .................................................. E. V

982 Corner Card Covers, Selected Lot of 14, Bank Note - Early 20th Cent'. Many with designs both sides, Wide var. of industries & products. Incl. old wall telephone (now celebrating 100th Anniversary) Particularly Fine & Interesting Lot .................................................. E. VI

983 19th & Early 20th Century Covers, Several Hundred, Interesting lot .................................................. E. VII

984 Fancy Corner Card or Advertising Covers, 16, Late 19th Cent'y–1911, Exceptional Lot. Wide var. industries & products. Some on both sides some multicolors incl. Duck & Horses; Unusually choice & desirable lot .................................................. E. VII

985 Illustrated Advertising Covers, Late 19th & Early 20th Century, 33 diff. covers, includes many in multi-color, a most attractive lot .................................................. E. VII

986 Typewriter Covers, 1894–1914, Eight, most illustrated, showing old, obsolete type machine. Fine Lot .................................................. E. IV

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987  Miscellaneous U. S. Covers, 23, 19th Century. 4 stampless (3 Trans-Atlantic) others mainly 1851-57, 1861 & a few Bank Note. Mixed condition, few faults, most Fine  

E. VI

988  Bank Checks, 19th Century, approximately 375 cancelled checks, mostly with 2c Blue (R152), some on Revenue Stamped Paper of 2c denomination, Fine–Very Fine Lot  

E. III

HISTORICAL COLLATERAL

989  Salem Witchhood Trial, Photo of original transcript of testimony of Abigail Hobbs, 19 April 1692, in which she confesses to practicing witchcraft. Linen mounted in two halves & in hard cover, cloth-bound folder. Great piece of Americana  

E. VI

990  Colonial Writ of Attachment, ms. date “1736”, Headed “George the Second”, etc., to a Sheriff Regarding £20 owed to an Estate, Very Fine  

E. IV

991  1777, The Council of Safety, Lancaster, Pa. Proclamation giving extraordinary powers to specified individuals to act against anyone found supporting the British. Copy of the original, in excellent condition & well suited for framing  

E. III

992  1781, Booklet of Logarithmic Solar Tables, published London, 1781, First page endorsed “Taken from a captured officer of Adm’l. Graves Squadron, 5 September 1781” Excellent condition, Fine piece of early operations of U. S. Navy  

E. V

993  Proclamation of Gov. James Bowdoin of Massachusetts, 1786, ordering action against participants in “Shay’s Rebellion”. Beautifully executed copy of the original, Fresh & suitable for Framing, Very Fine  

E. III

994  Thomas Paine, (American Pamphleteer & Proponent of Freedom). 1792 London pamphlet, written in condemnation of British political system & favoring the French Revolution, together with pamphlet of Mr. (John) King, defending Britain. Also two other Thomas Paine pamphlets, 1796, answering Paine’s alleged atheism and an 1874 Boston Booklet, “Testimonials to the Merits of Thomas Paine.” Excellent condition. Four important bits of Americana  

E. VIII


E. VI

996  New York, $1.00 Embossed Revenue (RM156). On Insurance Policy, Nov. 1798, covering Sloop “Rosetta” on voyage to Antigua, Very Fine. Also a Bill of Sale for the “Rosetta” 1795, split internally, Two choice post-revolution documents, the revenue stamp is Very Scarce  

E. VIII

997  Timothy Pickering, (Washington’s Sec. of War & State) Pamphlet of 1808 as Senator from Mass. warning of the likelihood of another war with Gr. Britain, giving data on illegal impressment of sailors. Excellent condition  

E. V


E. VI

999  Hartford & New Haven Turnpike Ticket, ca. 1800, printed in Blue, “Twelve Cents Five Mills To pass one Gate, for each Loaded Wagon, Sled, & P. Sleigh”, Oxcart & Buggy pictures, age toned, still Attractive, Scarce Collateral Item  

E. III

1000  U. S. Tax Act of 1815, A supplementary tax enacted to help pay for the War of 1812 (Act of 1814 raised postage rates 50%). This is primarily a tax on manufactured goods. Neat printed pamphlet, Very Fine  

E. III
1815 Pamphlet, All the Treaties with Great Britain, from Treaty of Paris 1783 (Ending Revolutionary War) to Treaty of Ghent, 1815 (Ending War of 1812) Published by Mass. House of Representatives. Bit worn at deckle edges, Generally Fine, Important Historic piece 

Germany, Postal Map, 1819, Four Linen Folders, 84 segments perfectly mounted, covering all of Germany, Austria, Poland, Switzerland & adjacent countries. Excellent condition, a handsome & extremely useful reference piece, Published in Paris 

Marquis de Lafayette, Collection of four booklets, 1824, Oration by Edward Everett welcoming him to Cambrige, Three Eulogies, 1835 by John Quincy Adams, Edward Everett & Dr. Wm. B. Sprague (Everett's lacks outer covers) otherwise Very Fine 

Texas, California, Printed copies of Speeches in Congress, 1845, by Mr. Drumgoole of Virginia on the Annexation of Texas; Speech of Mr. P. H. Silvester, 1850 on Admission of California affecting slavery. First Very Fine, other bit soiled & creased

Canal & Banking Co., Canal Bank (New Orleans), $5.00 Bank Notes, first Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edsom engraving with Franklin Vignette as on 1847 Issue, other Beautiful Engraving by Toppan, Carpenter with Washington Portrait as on 10c & 12c 1851 Issue, Uncirculated, Very Fine

Bank of Manchester, $2.00, $3.00 Bank Notes, 1837 Rawdon, Wright & Hatch Engravings, circulated with cuts indicating redemption, Each with Washington, Franklin Vignettes respectively as on 1847 Issue, Scarce

Impeachment of Pres. Andrew Johnson, Two Congressional Pamphlets, one of Chas. Sumner, a leading proponent of the impeachment, other Argument in Congress by Hon. John A. Bingham, urging the House to vote to impeach. Two historic documents, Excellent condition

1871, Siege of Paris, Small piece of film (3x5mm) part of a 3x4½cm film but into a quill & sent into Paris by Carrier Pigeon, together with printed explanation of how they were made & used. Also a large "flyer" locating the barricades where Parisians could meet a German attack if it came. Fine & Scarce

Columbian Collateral, Complete set of ten tickets, incl. Special Children's ticket, regular ticket & Light Engraved Souvenir ticket, neatly mounted with original souvenir ticket envelope, Very Fine

Interior Dept. Penalty or Corner Card Indicia, 27 diff. covers, many with contents, incl. Civil War Soldier's Letters, Affidavits, etc., all pmkd. Washington, D. C. or N. Y., N. Y. variable quality, an interesting lot

Cigarette Cards, over 700 cards, Nearly all multicolor, wide range of topics, incl. History, Nature, Sports, the Mails, Coins, Military, Excellent Memorabilia, also some old Cigar Box Labels, Attractive & Valuable Lot

Graf Zeppelin Collateral, Two official news service photos, showing loading mail on the Graf Zeppelin, June 3, 1930, day of take-off from Lakehurst- Postage rates show clearly on one. Very Fine (8x10") with original captions

END OF SECOND SESSION

LOTS ON VIEW FROM THURS., APRIL 15th
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THIRD SESSION
THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 1976 — 1:00 P.M.

CONFEDERATE STATES
HANDSTAMP POSTMARKS

This group, except where otherwise noted, is composed of Confederate Soldiers Letters, with Due 5, or Due 10 as the rate demanded. Where “Paid” is present it is noted in the description.

(Soldiers Letters are without contents unless otherwise mentioned.)

1013  Americus, Ga., Partly clear circle, Bold “Paid”, “10” in circle, addressed to a minister at military camp. Fine E. IV


1015  Covington, Va., Clear strike, ms. “Due 5”, small cover, somewhat age spotted, Fine, unlisted E. IV

1016  Fairfax C. H., Va. Clear circle, Str. Line “Paid 5” in caps on neat cover to Smith’s Turn Out, S. C., Very Fine (Photo) E. IV

1017  Forest Depot, Va. Bold Balloon type pmk. Tiny “Paid 5 Cents” two lines in caps. Military address on small, neat cover, Tiny nick at T., otherwise Very Fine (Photo) E. IV

1018  (Forest Depot, Va.). No pmk, Tiny July 23 & “Paid 5” (Similar in size to preceding lot) Clear strikes, Military address. Identified by the “Paid 5” which is the smallest type used. Minor aging. Fine & Scarce E. III

1019  Franklin Depot, Va. 1863, Blue circle, Tall letters, “Due 10” in arc on Soldier’s Cover; Coarse brown envelope, Return address of Va. Mount. Rangers, Fine E. III

1020  Henderson, Texas, Clear circle, no due mark but military return address classes it as Soldiers Letter, to Marshall, Tex. Very Fine, unlisted town (Photo) E. V

1021  Marion, Va. Clear circle, struck bit off edge of cover, Bold “Paid 5”, neat cover, military address E. IV


1025  Orange C. H., Va., Richmond, Va., Salem, Va., Staunton, Va., Strasburg, Va., Five Soldiers Letters, clear pmks but covers show wear or slight faults, still an attractive lot E. V

1026  Social Circle, Geo. Red circle, light legible strike, Bold “Paid” over “10”, on large part of home—made cover, made from ruled writing paper to an officer at Travel Repose, Va., Very Scarce E. IV

1027  Vance’s Ferry, S. C., matching “Paid” & “10” in circle, clear strikes. Military address, Fine & Scarce, Ex–Kohn (Photo) E. IV

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1028 ✡ Washington, N. C., Bit of circle off edge of cover, Bold “Paid” & “5” on small envelope, without flap, Fine & Scarce ................................................. E. IV


1031 ✡ Winchester, Va., three covers, two types pmks, Each “Due 10” on Soldiers Letters, one from a Captain, Very Good–Fine ......................................... E. III

1032 ✡ Woodstock, Va. ms. “Due 5” on Soldiers Letter, Fine ................................................. E. IV

1033 ✡ Soldiers Letters, Two covers, via Richmond with “Due 10” in caps, both from officers. One toned spots, other Very Fine ......................................... E. IV


1035 ✡ Three C. S. A. military letters, 1864, two dealing with excessive applications for furloughs; other a Military Telegram relating to troop movements. Bit worn, Fine contents ......................................... E. IV

WEST VIRGINIA — C. S. A. & CIVIL WAR

1036 ✡ Huntersville, Va. (Now West Va.) ms. pmk & “Due 5” on Soldiers Letter. Tears at T. & part of flap. Two toned spots, Very Scarce ......................................... E. III

1037 ✡ Harpers Ferry, Va. (Later West Va.) Double circle “Aug. 2, 1864” ties 3c Rose (65) on Sentimental Patriotic Cover, “The Girl I Left Behind Me” (Parting Scene & Verse) Minor wear, Fine & Scarce ......................................... (Photo) E. V

1038 ✡ Huttonsville, Va. (Later West Va.) Neat pmk., ms. “Paid 3cts” (as under Union control) on multicolor Patriotic Cover, Clasped Hands, Patriotic Symbols. Slight water stains at R., small cover faults, Very Scarce & Reasonably attractive ......................................... E. IV


1040 ✡ Parkersburg, Va., Sep. 24, 1861, (later West Va.) mostly clear pmk. on Deep Pink overall Patriotic Cover, Eagle, Shield & fancy background. No stamp but “Paid” handstamp, validating use. Came into West Virginia when that State was formed. Least bit reduced L., Fine, Very Scarce ......................................... E. VII

POSTMasters’ PROVISIONALS

1041 ✡ Mobile, Ala., 5c Blue (58X2). Four Margins tied by Mobile, Ala. Town pmk. on cover to Eutaw, Ala., cover with some minor faults otherwise Very Fine, Attractive ......................................... (Photo) 165.00

1042 ✡ New Orleans, La., 2c Blue, Red (62X1, 62X2). Clear to Large Margins, Fresh Colors, first o. g., Very Fine Lot ......................................... 50.00

1043 ✡ New Orleans, La., 5c Brown, White (62X3). Tied by indistinct town pmk on Turned Cover to New Iberia, other use to Desoto, carried by favor, evidenced by lack of stamps, Scarce ......................................... 75.00+

1044 ✡ New Orleans, La., 5c Brown (62X3–62X5), Touched to Large Margins, Town & “Paid” cancels, first tiny faults, otherwise Fine–Very Fine Lot ......................................... 107.50
GENERAL ISSUES

1045 ★ 5c Olive Green, St. A or B (1c). Fresh, Large Part o.g., touched to Large Margins, light crease & small repaired internal tear, otherwise Very Fine, Beautiful Color & Impression ................................................. 60.00

1046 ★ 5c Bright Green, St. 1, Unofficial Roulette (1 var). Fresh Color, tiny tear, otherwise Fine, Rare, Unpriced Unused (used cat. $50.00) .................................................................

1047 ★ 5c Green, St. 2 (1). Three Distinct Shades, two o.g., margins nearly all around, faults, mostly trivial, Fine–Very Fine Appearance ................................................. 97.50

1048 ★ 5c Green, St. 2 (1). Horiz. Pair, Fresh Color, Large Margins, creases, otherwise Very Fine ................................................. 70.00

1049 ★ 5c Bright Green, St. 1 (1). Horiz. Strip of Six, Large Margins, Major Part o.g., creases & few thin spots, some age staining on right strip of three, still Reasonably Attractive, Excellent Plating Piece, Very Scarce ................................................. 225.00+

1050 5c Olive Green, St. A or B (1c). Horiz. Pair, Pos. 43–44, Margins All Around, neat ms. cancels, trivial faint wrinkles, otherwise Very Fine ................................................. 55.00

1051 5c Green, St. 1, 2 (1). Four Used Singles, one tied on piece, incl. Shades, two plated positions (15 & 22 St. 2), margins nearly all around, small faults, Fine–Very Fine Appearance ................................................. 72.00

1052 5c Green, Blue (1, 4). Fourteen Used Stamps, Nine of first incl Olive Green, Shades, Cancels, etc, Mixed Quality, many Fine–Very Fine Appearance ................................................. 275.00+

1053 5c, 10c General Issues (1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 11, 12). Eighteen Used stamps, incl two Horiz. & a Vert. Pair #7, Seven #11, cancels, etc, mixed quality, some Fine–Very Fine ................................................. 229.00

1054 2c–20c General Issues (Betw. 1–13). 57 Used & Unused Stamps, incl. Shades, Pairs, Strips, Blocks, Better Items incl. #1 Used Pair, #5, #8 Used, #12e Unused, also #56X1, Charleston, S. C. Independent Statehood Cover with U.S. 3c Red (26), some reference material, mixed condition, Useful Lot ................................................. E. X

1055 ★★ 5c Olive Green, St. A (1c). Large margins, neat Nov. (1861) pmk. “Richmond, Va.” to Hickory Fork, Va., Extremely Fine (Photo) ................................................. 50.00

1056 ★★ 5c Olive Green, St. A (1c). Large to Huge Margins all around, tied by Mobile, 1862 Town pmk. on neat cover to Marion, Ala., Very Fine ................................................. 35.00

1057 ★★ 5c Olive Green, St. A (1c). Three Margins incl. Right Sheet Margin, tied by Town pmk. on small cover, slight soiling & reduced two sides, Scarce ................................................. 35.00

1058 ★★ 5c Olive Green, St. A (1c). Torn from sheet, into design at L., “Staunton, Va., Dec. 2, 1861” pmk. Endorsed “Official” & with “Express” at L.B., Letter enclosed refers to a missing box of personal nature & efforts to trace it; twice forwarded. Interesting cover ................................................. E. III

1059 ★★ 5c Light Green, St. 2 (1a). Margins all around, incl. L. B. corner margins, neat ms. cancel. Red “Emory, Va.” pmk., military address ................................................. E. IV

1060 ★★ 5c Green (1). Damaged Stamp tied on Northern Patriotic altered in ms. “Damn the Old Rag”, cover frailty, Scarce & Unusual ................................................. E. V

1061 ★★ 5c Green (1). Eight Covers, Range of Shades, Pmks, Nearly All with small faults, many Fine–Very Fine Appearance ................................................. 240.00

1062 ★★ 5c Green, 10c & 5c Blue (1, 2, 4). Each on cover tied by Diff. Town Pmks, small faults, Fine–Very Fine Looking Lot ................................................. 110.00+

1063 ★★ 5c Green, 10c & 5c Blue (1, 2, 4). Each on Separate Cover, Two copies of Last on one cover, each tied by Richmond Town Pmks, some small faults, otherwise Fine ................................................. 122.50+

1064 ★★ 5c Green, Blue (1, 4). Horiz. Pairs, each tied on cover, faults, Fairly Attractive Appearance ................................................. 135.00

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<td>5c, 10c General Issues (1, 7, 11, 12). Ten Stamps affixed on Eight Covers, prepared but not mailed, incl. turned cover with damaged but tied #1, also incl. Soldiers Letter “Due 10”, &amp; repaired Charleston, S. C. Handstamped “Paid 5”, Unused 5c Mobile (58X2) on cover, Fine Lot .......... E. VI</td>
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<td>1066</td>
<td>10c Blue, Light Blue, Paterson (2, 2a). Horiz. Pair &amp; Single respectively, margins all around, some o. g., faults, mostly small, Fine Appearance .......... 110.00</td>
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<td>1067</td>
<td>10c Light Blue, Paterson (2a). Clear to Large Margins, Lovely Color, Beautifully tied on piece by Blue “Pleasant Shade, Va.” pmk., slight crease at bottom, otherwise Fine, Very Handsome ............ 32.50</td>
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<td>1068</td>
<td>10c Blue (2). Three, Large to Huge Margins All Around, Shades, one tied to piece by Richmond, 1862 Year Date cancel, few small faults, Very Fine Appearance .... 75.00+</td>
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<td>10c Blue (2). Nine Stamps, incl. Three Unused, Mixed Stones, Shades, Cancel etc., Mixed Quality, Some Very Nice Appearing Stamps .......... 255.00+</td>
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<td>10c Dark Blue, Paterson, Light Milky Blue, St. Y (2a, 2b). Two Choice Shades, Town pmks., Clear to Large Margins, small faults, Very Fine Appearance .......... 60.00</td>
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<td>10c Light Blue, Paterson (2a). Mostly Large Margins, Beautifully tied on Homemade Cover by Blue “Petersburg, Va.” pmk., Very Handsome (Photo) 40.00</td>
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<td>10c Light Blue, Paterson (2a). Margins all around, tied by Balloon Type “Livingston, Va.” to Richmond, Coarse War time envelope, slight toning, Fine .......... 40.00</td>
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<td>10c Milky Blue, Stone “y” (2a). Tied by indistinct Culpepper C. H., Va. Town Pmk., on slightly reduced cover, Stamp with Four Huge Margins, tiny faults, otherwise Very Fine .......... E. IV</td>
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<td>1077</td>
<td>10c Deep Blue, Paterson (2b). Large to Huge margins with bit of next B. stamp. Very Deep color. Tied by small “Augusta, Ga.” Cover considerably docketed, clear of stamp, which is Very Fine despite corner margin crease E. V</td>
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<td>1078</td>
<td>10c Dark Blue, Paterson (2b). Tied by Town Pmk. on Homemade (from Bank Checks) Cover addressed to “Mrs. General Lovell”, stamp faulty, otherwise Fine Cover .......... E. IV</td>
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<td>10c Blue (2). Three, each on cover or Folded Letter, Tied by Diff. Town Pmks, mostly faulty, Fairly Nice Looking .......... 120.00+</td>
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<td>2c Light Green (3). Four Nice Margins, Wonderfully Fresh, Extremely Fine .......... (Photo) 125.00</td>
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<td>2c Light Green (3). Clear to Huge Margins, incl. Right Sheet Margin, Fresh, o. g., Pretty Shade, Very Fine .......... (Photo) 125.00</td>
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<td>2c Green (3). Margins All Around, Clear Mobile, Ala. Double Circle pmk., tiny thins &amp; small repair, Very Fine Looking .......... 175.00</td>
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<td>1084</td>
<td>5c Blue, St. 2, Misplaced Transfer (4 var.). Large to Huge Margins, incl. Bit of Next Stamp at Bottom Showing Variety Clearly, Fresh Color, Part o. g., tiny thin spot, Extremely Fine Appearance, Very Scarce (Photo) 125.00</td>
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<td>1085</td>
<td>5c Dark Blue, St. 2 (4a). Margins All Around, Unbelievable Shade Caused by Heavily Overinked Impression, Part o. g., minor age toning spots, otherwise Very Fine, Fantastic Color .......... 18.00</td>
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<td>1086</td>
<td>5c Dark Blue, St. 2, Horiz. Pair with Wide Vertical Gutter (4 var). Pos. 30–31, Margins All Around, typical brownish o. g., few natural gum wrinkles, Very Fine, Rare, listed but unpriced .......... (Photo) E. VIII</td>
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1087 ★ 5c Dark Blue, St. 2 (4a). Block, Clear to Large Margins, Rich Color, typical brownish o. g., few negligible age toning spots, otherwise Very Fine 90.00

1088 ★ 5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Block, Pos. 27–28, 37–38R, Margins All Around, o. g., “Popeye” Varieties, small surface scuffs on top pair, otherwise Very Fine 90.00+

1089 ★ 5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Block, Pos. 31–32, 41–42L, Large Margins incl. B. L. Sheet Corner Margins, part o. g., some age toning & small faults, otherwise Very Fine 90.00

1090 ★ 5c Dark Blue, St. 3 (4a). Block, Large Margins, Fresh, o. g., light crease at bottom with tiny negligible tears, top left stamp pinpoint thin speck, Exceptional Appearance, Very Scarce (Photo) 210.00

1091 ★ 5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Block of Eight, Pos. 7–10, 17–20R, Large to Huge Margins incl. Top Right Sheet Margin, few wrinkles, vertical crease affects two, some minor aging, otherwise Very Fine, Scarce & Attractive (Photo) 180.00+

1092 ★ 5c Dark Blue, St. 2 (4a). Block of Fifteen, Pos. 1–5, 11–15, 21–25R, Large to Huge Margins except cut in on two, incl. Top Sheet Margin, Wide Left Straddle Margin Showing Bits of the Three Adjacent Stamps, Fresh Color, creases & thin spot, negligible age toning, Mostly Very Fine, Rare 318.00+

1093 ★ 5c Light Milky Blue, St. 3 (4b). Block of Six (3X2) with over–two-thirds of next horiz. row at bottom, Choice Color, heavy mostly broken crease through middle horiz. row, other faults, mounted on piece of paper, Rare Block, plated as pos. 5–7, 15–17 E. VII 337.50

1094 ★ 5c Blue (4). 19 Mostly Unused Stamps, All but two are Plated Positions, incl. “Spur” & “Popeye” Varieties, Vertical Strip of Three, mixed quality, Choice Specialist Lot E. VI

1095 5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Margins to tiny bit in, small thin spot, Part of “Southern Express Co.” Double Circle, mostly clear strike, Very Rare, listed but unpriced (Photo) E. VI

1096 5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Ample to Large Margins, Fresh Color, tiny tear & negligible surface scuff, “Flower” cancel, Fine Appearance, Scarcer than cat. would indicate 40.00

1097 5c Light Milky Blue, St. 3 (4b), Margins All Around, small faults, Bold “Little Rock, Ark.” Double Circle pmk., Choice Strike, Scarce 75.00


1099 ★ 5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Touched to Large Margins, on cover, tied by “Kingston, N. C.” pmk., Fine 35.00

1100 ★ 5c Dark Blue, St. 2 (4a). Three Margins, touched at top, tied by Blue “Columbia, S. C.” pmk. on Homemade Cover (Printed Form), neat Iron Worker Embossed Oval Corner Card, Fine & Handsome E. V

1101 ★ 5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Pos. 36, Margins All Around, small surface Scuff, tied on cover by “Montgomery, Ala., Jun 7, 1862” pmk., small cover stain, Attractive 35.00

1102 ★ 5c Dark Blue, St. 3 (4a). Margins to touched, on cover, tied by Orange Red “Smithville, Va.” pmk., partly clear strike, cover slightly reduced at left, some slight age toning, otherwise Fine E. IV

1103 ★ 5c Dark Blue, St. 3 (4a). Margins All Around, Rich Color, on small cover tied by Dark Blue “Danville, Va., Jun 30 (1862)” pmk., Last Day of the 5c Rate, minor cover creases, otherwise Very Fine, Rare & Handsome, ex–Wiseman (Photo) E. VIII
5c Dark Blue, St. 3 (4a). Ample to Large Margins, Very Fine, tied by "New Orleans, La." pmk. on cover with N. O. merchant's corner card, Apr. 15 (1862) pmk., just 9 days before New Orleans fell to the Union & five days after earliest known use of St. 3; cover faulty, but Attractive, Important as a research piece, Very Scarce, ex- Matz ................................................................. E. VIII

5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Pos. 46, Margins to slightly in, tied by Large Balloon Type pmk. on Cannon Patriotic Cover (Dietz E–A–1f) to "Blacks & Whites, Nottaway" Unusually Fresh, Handsome & Rare, with APS Certificate (Photo) 400.00

5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Pos. 33, damaged top left corner, tied by Four Ring Target on Cannon Patriotic Cover (Dietz E–A–3d, Verse #3, without Imprint), partly clear "Selma, Ala." pmk., Very Attractive despite the faulty stamp, Rare .................. ...  (Photo) 400.00

5c Light Milky Blue, St. 3 (4b). Irregular margins, tiny corner crease, Fresh Color, tied on Cannon Patriotic Cover Front (Dietz E–A–3, Imprint #10, Verse #1), by North Carolina pmk., crease through design & tiny eroded spot, Rare, cat. $450.00 as a full cover (Photo) 450.00


5c Blue, St. 3 (4). Two Singles, touched to Large Margins, on cover tied by "Marietta, Ga." pmk., cover without flap & small mend, stamps Fine–Very Fine, Attractive .......................................................... 65.00

5c Blue, St. 2 (4). Two singles, margins to touched, one with small corner fault, partly readable Straight Line "Jackson" (Miss.) pmk. across the two stamps but not tied on cover, with rounded corner, to Shreveport, La., Rare, with CSA Certificate, owner states this cancel Unique on the 5c Blue #4 stamp .......................................................... E. VI

5c Blue, Light Milky Blue (4, 4b). Three Covers, two of latter, from the "Valentine" Correspondence, margins to slightly in, one tied by Grid, "Farmville, Va." pmk., other two by "Richmond, Va.", small faults or cover mends, still an Attractive Lot .......................................................... E. VI

5c Light Milky Blue (4b). Damaged single Used in Combination with creased 5c Blue London Print #6, both tied by "Little Rock, Ark." Double Circles, partly clear strikes on small redirected cover, Austin, Ark. to Little Rock, Military Address, tiny eroded spot from town deletion, below average condition but a Rare Cover .......................................................... E. VI

5c Blue (4, 6). Mixed Issues, tied by Virginia town pmk., on cover to Ga., margins a bit irregular on #4, 6 Fair margins, Scarce .......................................................... E. VI

5c Light Milky Blue, St. 3 (4b). Margins to touched, tiny ms. cancel, not tied on Turned Cover to Perdido, Ala., second use 10c Blue Corner Margin Single (11), tied by "Cahaba, Ala." pmk., cover opened three sides to show turned use, Scarce & Attractive .......................................................... E. VI

10c Dull Rose (5). Clear to Large Margins, Fresh, o. g., tiny thin specks, Fine Appearance (Photo) 235.00
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<td>1117</td>
<td><strong>10c Carmine (5a).</strong> Narrow margins virtually all around, small “V” shaped nick at left, Marvelous Shade, Town pmk. showing “Tall” which owner states could be “Tallahassee, Fla.” &amp; if so would be Unique on this, still a Very Scarce Stamp even if not a Florida</td>
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<td>1118</td>
<td><strong>10c Rose (5).</strong> Seven used stamps, shades, cancels, one on small piece, Mixed Quality &amp; one quite faulty (not counted), only Fair</td>
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<td>1119</td>
<td><strong>10c Rose (5).</strong> Huge Even Margins tied by Town Pmk on cover to Georgia, cover with small mended tear, stamp with vertical crease, otherwise Very Fine</td>
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<td>1120</td>
<td><strong>10c Rose (5).</strong> Four Margins, tied by Town Pmk on cover to Shreveport, La., stamp with tiny gum soak, otherwise Fine</td>
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<td>1121</td>
<td><strong>10c Rose (5).</strong> Four Huge Margins incl T &amp; L Corner Margins, tied by Richmond 1863 Town Pmk on cover with small mend at B.L., stamp with faint toned specks &amp; tiny scuff, otherwise Very Fine</td>
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<td>1122</td>
<td><strong>10c Rose (5).</strong> Four Large Margins, tied by Blue Town pmk. on cover to No. Carolina, minor fault in margins only, otherwise Very Fine</td>
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<td>1123</td>
<td><strong>10c Deep Rose (5).</strong> Three margins, slightly cut in at L., Tied by Bold Military grid cancel on home-made coarse envelope to S. C., Fairly attractive</td>
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<td>1124</td>
<td><strong>10c Rose (5).</strong> Tied on folded letter by Mobile Town cancel, stamp with small margins nearly all around, small faults, 200.00</td>
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<td>1125</td>
<td><strong>5c Blue, London &amp; Local Prints (6, 7).</strong> Pair of each on cover, also cover with two single #7, two with ms. cancel, other small soiling. Military or unusual addresses, Fairly attractive</td>
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<td>1126</td>
<td><strong>5c Blue, London Print (6).</strong> Large margins to cut in T. L., tied by “Richmond, Va.”, Apr. 1862 use on Turned Cover to Andersonville, S. C. Second use from Andersonville, with Fine 5c Green St. 1 (1) Apr. 25 pmk. military address on Charleston &amp; Savannah R. R., Cover bit aged &amp; partly opened to show both sides. Fine, Rare Early use, probably first week of #6</td>
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<td>1127</td>
<td><strong>5c Blue, London Print (6).</strong> Used Block, Town pmk. not tied on cover addressed to “Major General M. Lovell”, cover tears mended, Block with small faults, Scarce</td>
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<td>1128</td>
<td><strong>5c Light Blue, London Print (6).</strong> Block, Town pmk. not tied on cover addressed to “Major General M. Lovell”, cover tears mended, Block with small faults, Scarce</td>
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<td>1129</td>
<td><strong>5c Blue, London &amp; Local Prints (6, 7).</strong> 18 covers, 3 with singles, others with pairs. Mounted &amp; neatly written-up. Fine range of postmarks, many scarce. Most in Fine—Very Fine conditions. Better than average lot</td>
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<td>1130</td>
<td><strong>5c Blue (6, 7).</strong> Eight Pairs, each tied on cover, various pmks, Six addressed to Military addresses, nearly all Fine—Very Fine</td>
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<td>1131</td>
<td><strong>5c Blue (6, 7).</strong> 20 stamps, mostly Pairs on Eleven covers &amp; one Front only, Nice Range of Shades &amp; Pmks, incl. Straight Line Town, Mixed Quality, Some Fine—Very Fine</td>
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<td>1132</td>
<td><strong>5c, 10c General Issues (6, 7, 11, 11c, 12b, 12d).</strong> Blocks, Most o.g., Very Fine Lot</td>
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<td>1133</td>
<td><strong>5c Blue, Local Print (7).</strong> Vertical Pair, Tied by “Haynesville, Ala.” small pmk., to Demopolis, fwd. to Montgomery, Ala., ms. deletion of stamps &amp; “Demopolis, Ala.” pmk., Military address, Unusual as no forwarding charge shown, Very Fine</td>
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<td>1134</td>
<td><strong>5c Blue, Local Print (7).</strong> Horiz. Pair, Margins all around, Heavy inking causes “Black Eyes” on both. Tied by “Guineys, Va.” on neat cover, Very Fine</td>
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<td>1135</td>
<td><strong>5c Blue, Local Print (7).</strong> Horiz. Pair, Large margins, one stamp the “pop-eye” var. Beautifully tied by “Winchester, Va.” on cover to Ala., slight bend from bulge in cover, otherwise Very Fine</td>
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1137 ★ 1c-20c General Issues (6, 8, 11-14). Fifteen Unused Stamps incl. Block of #11, #13, Nearly all o. g., Mostly Fine—Very Fine ........................................ 99.25

1138 ★ 5c, 10c Blue (7, 11, 12). Four Covers, first a Horiz. Pair tied by Blue Petersburg pmk., two #11's, Milky & Greenish Blue, tied by Double Circle & Blue Towns, last tied by S. C. pmk., Fine—Very Fine Lot .................. 65.00

1139 ★ 5c–10c General Issues (7, 11, 12). Seven Stamps on Six Home-made Covers, incl. Pairs of #7, #7 with other stamp removed, military grid, mixed quality, some Fine—Very Fine .................................................. E. VII

1139A ★ 5c Blue (7). Horiz. Pair, nearly Four margins, Huge in places, crease, ms. cancel not tied on Turned Cover to Cotton Gin, Texas, other use 10c Blue (12), Four Margins ms. cancel, not tied Matching "Cotton Gin, Texas" ms. pmk. to Houston, small tear, Attractive, Very Scarce .................. E. VI

1140 ★ 2c Brown Red (8). Block with Top Sheet Margin, Fresh, o. g., Extremely Fine .......................................................... 45.00

1141 2c Brown Red (8). Margins Virtually All Around, incl. Left Sheet Margin, Town pmk., affixed to bit of original cover, Fine, signed Dietz .......... 50.00

1142 ★ 2c Red Brown (8). Large margins, incl. L. sheet margin irregular at R. barely touching at one point. Well tied by "Savannah, Ga." pmk. on 1864 printed circular to Columbus, Ga., Very Fine & Rare Cover, ex-Weatherly (Photo) 200.00

1143 ★ 10c Blue, "T-E-N" (9). Touched to ample margins, tiny closed tear & faint toning spot, otherwise Fine ........................................... 130.00

1144 ★ 10c Gray Blue, "T-E-N" (9b). Horiz. Pair, Virtually Full o. g., Large Margins, Lovely Color, faint horiz. bend, left stamp tiny pinhole, right stamp diagonal crease, otherwise Very Fine ........................................ (Photo) 275.00

1145 ★ 10c Gray Blue, "T-E-N" (9b). Horiz. Strip of Three, Beautiful Color, Nearly Full o. g., Large to Huge Margins incl. L. Sheet Margin, negligible light age toning spots, almost entirely in margins, otherwise Extremely Fine, Rare ................ (Photo) 405.00+

1146 ★ 10c Milky Blue, "T-E-N" (9a). Ample to Large Margins, Lovely Fresh Color, couple creases, one trifle heavy, otherwise Very Fine ............... (Photo) 135.00

1147 ★ 10c Gray Blue, "T-E-N" (9b). Large Margins, Choice Shade, couple faint vert. creases, tiny tear at right, otherwise Extremely Fine ............. (Photo) 130.00

1148 ★ 10c Blue, "T-E-N" (9). Incredible Huge Margins, Sharp Impression, Small Double Transfer, Tied by neat "Richmond, Va." on envelope to Leesville, Va., Extremely Fine ........................................... (Photo) 200.00+

1149 10c Blue, Frame Line (10). Pos. 7, Ty. I, Margins Virtually All Around Showing Parts of Two Frame Lines, Fresh Color, on piece, tied by "Richmond, Va. May 10, 1863" pmk., Fine & Handsome ............... (Photo) 450.00

1150 ★ 10c Blue (11). Badly cut in L. ms. cancel. used as seal on back of U. S. 3c Star Die Enlarged (U26) with "X" twice over head & "Defunct" alongside. Rare use of non-recognition in the C. S. A. ....................... (Photo) E. VIII


1152 ★ 10c Blue (11). Beautiful Four Margin Stamp, Neatly tied by Selma, Ala. Town Pmk., enclosure of Southern Telegraph Co.'s Message Form, Very Fine .................................................. E. IV

1153 ★ 10c Blue (11). B. Plate No. 2 single, Huge Margins except touching at R., tied by Mobile Town Pmk. on Cover, Military Address, Official Quartermaster's Dept. corner card, Very Fine Cover ............................................... (Photo) E. VI

1154 ★ 10c Greenish Blue (11c). Large margins, Tied by light, clear "Bristol, V. & T. R. R." to Abingdon, Va., Cover creased at L., far from stamp. Fine & Scarce .................................................. E. VI
10c Blue (11). Four Margins except in places at R., Tied by Nacogdoches, Texas Town Pmk on Turned Cover to Houston, Second use stamps removed, probably Pair of 5c Blue (6 or 7), part Texas Town Pmk to Louisiana, Attractive & Scarce ................................................................. E. V

10c Blue (11). Three Covers, addressed to “Mrs. General Lovell”, two with Grid Cancels, other Georgia Town Pmk, Stamps affixed over crosscut Official corner cards, some small faults, Attractive Lot ......................................................... E. V

10c Blue (11). Twelve Covers, Nice Range of Shades & Pmks, all Four Margin Copies, Nearly All Fine–Very Fine ......................................................... 180.00

10c Blue (11). Twelve Covers, Nice Range of Shades, Pmks, all Four Margin Copies, some military addressed, Nearly All Fine–Very Fine ......................................................... 180.00

10c Blue, Perforated (11d). “Talladega, Ala.” pmk., Fine & Scarce ......................................................... 40.00

10c Blue (11, 12). Fourteen Covers, nice range of Shades & Pmks, about half to military addresses, mixed quality, many Fine–Very Fine ......................................................... 210.00

10c Deep Blue (12). Horiz. Block of Twelve, with Bottom Keatinge & Ball Plate 3 Imprint, faulty, Reasonably Attractive Example of this Scarce Item ......................................................... E. IV


10c Blue (12). Four Large Margins except at T. R., tied by light Monticello, Florida Town Pmk., on cover to Richmond, couple light cover creases, Scarce ......................................................... E. IV

10c Blue (12). Rich Color, Ample to Large Margins, Beautiful Color, Perfectly tied on Fresh Cover by Blue “Greensborough, N. C.” pmk., Very Fine, ex–Emerson, also incl. #11 Mint Block with Plate No. 2 at B., three single #12, Diff. Town pmks., Choice Lot ......................................................... 35.75

10c Blue (12). Eight Covers, Nice range of Shades & Pmks, Nearly All Very Fine ......................................................... 120.00

10c Blue (12). Large Margins nearly all around, bit irregular at B., tied by Selma, Ala. Town Pmk. on Turned Cover to Ga., First used with Portion of 10c Milky Blue (2a), Mobile Pmk, cover with overall Grain etc. Advertising Message, Very Scarce & Unusual ......................................................... E. IV

10c Blue (12). Huge Margins, ms. cancel not tied on Turned Cover to Houston, Texas, ms. Kisatchee (?) La. pmk, First Use 10c Blue (11) tied by indistinct Red Town & ms. Pmks to Mansfield, La., some cover tears, Attractive, Very Scarce ......................................................... E. IV

20c Yellow Green, Dark Green (13a, 13b). Blocks, latter with Top Sheet Margin, Choice Shades, some o. g., few small faults, Very Fine Appearance ......................................................... 62.00

20c Green (13). Ample to Large Margins, Town pmk., Very Fine ......................................................... 50.00

20c Green, Diagonal Bisect (13c). Tied “Marshall, Tex.” not over the diagonal cut, neat envelope to Galveston, tiny age tears, Signed “Mac Bride”, “Schumacher” & illustrated on page 261 of Dietz “Postal History of the C. S. A.”. Very Fine & Rare ......................................................... (Photo) 500.00 +

1c Orange, Deep Orange (14, 14a). Touched to Large Margin, latter has vert. crease, otherwise Very Fine Lot ......................................................... 65.00

PRISIONER OF WAR

Examined, John Cassels, Capt. & Provost Marshal, Bold ms. censor mark. Red “By Flag of Truce Boat”, C. S. A. 10c Blue (12) Large margins, slight toning on letter headed “Wooley’s Deal, Jul. 30 ‘63”. Unsealed civilian Flag of Truce letter, Fine & Rare ......................................................... (Photo) E. X

Prisoner’s Letter, Examined, Fort Delaware, Del. Clear Oval ties 10c Blue Confederate (11), “Delaware City, Del.” pmk ties 3c Rose (65), on cover to “Saw Dust, Georgia”, ms. endorsement For Flag of Truce, stamps damaged, otherwise Very Fine, Rare ......................................................... (Photo) E. X

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1175 ☑ Norfolk, Va., Aug. 20, ’64, tied U. S. 3c Rose (65) to cover to a P. O. W. addressed in care of Provost Marshal at Point Lookout, Md. (Figuring on back of cover) Fine & Scarce, Norfolk served as Provost Marshal camp since falling into Union hands .................................................. E. V

1176 ☑ Prisoner-of-War Cover, Bold ms. box, labeled “Prisoner of War – Div. 23” Fort Delaware; 3c Rose (65) Perfs. in, tied by target, “Delaware City, Del.” pmk. to Baltimore. Bit of back torn, Fine .................................................. E. VI

1177 ☑ Prisoner-of-War Cover, ms. Ex. F. W. R. Censor mark, 3c Rose (65) faults, tied by “Sandusky, O.” duplex to Baltimore. From P. O. W. at Johnsons Is. Prison to Baltimore. Trifle reduced far left. Fine & Scarce with ms. censoring only .................................................. E. VI


1179 ☑ Camp Douglas, Prisoners Letter, Examined, Light mostly legible small circle. 3c Rose (65) Tied by Rosette & “Chicago, Ill., Jan. 3, ’65” to Kentucky, Fine .................................................. E. V

1180 ☑ Camp Douglas, Prisoner’s Letter, Examined, Small circle, Light partial strike. 3c Rose Pink (64b) Fine, tied by Chicago pmk. on neat cover to Kentucky, Fine .................................................. E. IV

1181 ☑ Camp Douglas, Prisoner’s Letter, Examined, Partly clear Censor oval, 3c Rose (65) Tied by Rosette & “Chicago, Ill.” 1864 pmk. on cover to Allensville, Ky., Fine & Scarce .................................................. E. VI

1182 ☑ R. I. Barracks (Rock Island) Prisoner of War, Examined Blue Censor oval on 3c Pink Entire (U34). Light Rock Island pmk., to Debington, Iowa. Sent unsealed for easy censorship, Minor stain, otherwise Very Fine .................................................. E. VI

1183 ☑ Per Flag of Truce Boat, In ms. on cover to Conn., U. S. 3c 1861 tied “Old Point Comfort, Va.” & Grid of Diamonds; also a coarse war-time envelope, same pmk., same correspondence. Probably P.O.W. covers as first left unsealed for the censor, Fine & Interesting .................................................. E. IV

1184 ☑ Prisoners Letters. Four, all headed “Carroll Prison” (an annex to “Old Capitol Prison”, All Censored, from J. D. Reamer, one of the accused in the John Wilkes Booth Conspiracy to assassinate Pres. Lincoln; Dated May 13, 15, 17, 19, 1865, Tragic letters to his wife, one soiled, others Fine, Important Historic Letters .................................................. E. VI

BLOCKADE RUN COVERS

1185 ☑ Blockade Run Cover, “Steam-Ship” in oval, Bit blurry “Charleston, S.C.” pmk., ms. “12” (C.S.A. postage + 2c Ship Fee) slightly aged small cover to Richmond, Va. Fine, Very Rare, “Charleston” a very scarce Blockade pmk. .................................................. (Photo) E. XIV

1186 ☑ Blockade Run Cover, From Germany, 6 Sept. 1862 to Houston, Texas. Folded letter, through the Gulf Coast Blockade at Brownsville, Tex., rimless pmk. & Bold “Paid 10” Rec’d 18 Jan. 1863, Exceptionally Fine & Rare, Ex-Emerson .................................................. (Photo) E. XIII

LOTS ON VIEW FROM THURS., APRIL 15th OFFICE OPEN SATURDAY BEFORE SALE
ADAMS EXPRESS


U.S. USED IN THE CONFEDERACY

1192 [ ] Baton Rouge, La., Mar. 6, 1861, Fairly clear pmk. on U.S. 3c Star Die Entire “Patent Lines” (U27) to New Orleans. Confederate usage, Fine & Scarce

1193 [ ] Carrollton, Miss., Feb. 5, 1861, Light, clear pmk. ties 3c Red (26), to New Orleans. Cover creased left, far from stamp which has couple of tiny pinholes. Second day use as Confederate State


1195 [ ] Charleston, S. C., Feb. 8, 1861, Prices current to R.I., 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) nicely tied, Fine & Scarce

1196 [ ] Charleston, S. C., Feb. 16, 1861, Bold pmk. on Cover to Sumter C.H., 3c Red (26), small nick, Grid Cancel, not tied, neat cover docketing, with enclosure, Scarce

1197 [ ] Charleston, S. C., May 18, 1861, mostly Bold Double Circle tied 3c Red (26), perf. faults on Small Cover to New York, minor aging, Scarce & Attractive

1198 [ ] Emory, Va., May 4 (1861). Blue pmk. ties 1c Blue, Ty. V (24) to Em­bossed Ladies Envelope. Local Drop Letter. Sentimental Valentine enclosed signed “My April Fool” Used during Virginia Independence Statehood. Fine, Very Scarce, Ex-Weatherly

1199 [ ] Griffin, Ga., May 31 (1861), Bold circle on 3c Star Die Entire (U27) to Greenville, Ga. Last Day U.S. Stamps Legally used in the Confederacy, Very Fine & Rare, Ex-Weatherly


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to Athens, Ga., another 3c Red (26) affixed over part of Montgomery
pmk. for fndg., “Athens, Ga.” pmk. Addressed to Hon. Howell Cobb,
prominent politician & later a C. S. A. General. Fnd. to Macon. Some
figures on face, Fine, Very Unusual

1202  New Orleans, La., Jan. 31, 1861, Heading on folded letter to Paris,
Black “New–18–York, Feb. 9,” & French rec’g. pmk. 24 Feb. ’61, 8
decimes due. Very Fine, used on the fifth day of Louisiana’s nine day
existence as an independent state. Very Rare .................................. (Photo)

1203  New Orleans, La., Mar. 2, 1861 Double circle pmk. on 3c Red on
White Star Die Entire (U26), First Month of Confederate Statehood,
from the Carroll, Hoy correspondence, with usual (tiny) filing holes, neat
docketing, Very Fine, Scarce .................................................. E. IV

1204  Richmond, Va., May 18, 1861 pmk. cancels 3c Red Star Die Entire
(U27), to Miss., Light wrinkle & minor internal tear, barely reduced at
R. clear of stamp, otherwise Fine, Scarce ................................... E. III

1205  Savannah, Ga., Jan. 21, 1861, Clear pmk. & Grid tie 3c Red (26),
nearly repaired, on Fresh Cover to Conn., Fourth Day of Independent
Statehood, Very Attractive & Scarce .......................................... E. IV

MISCELLANEOUS CIVIL WAR COVERS

1206  C. S. A. Post Office Dept., Franked “B. N. Clements, Chief of the Ap­
pointments Bureau, Bold “Richmond, Va.” pmk., matching “Free” on
3c Nesbitt Entire (U10) to the P. M., Fort Defiance, N. C.,” Tiny cover
flaws, Very Fine & Rare, Ex–Weatherly ..................................... (Photo)

1207  2c Black (73). Perfs. touch, Tied by Blue target & part of illegible
Blue town pmk on “U. S. Christian Commission, Middle Military Divi­
sion, Harper’s Ferry, Va.” imprinted envelope cut to make a newspaper
or other wrapper. Small faults, some glue stains from the wrapper. Fine
appearance, Rare usage .......................................................... E. VI

on U. S. Christian Commision cover, with Dove & sentimental message.
Bold Sanitary Commission handstamp on back. Minor stain extreme
right. Very Unusual cover ......................................................... E. IV

CIVIL WAR COLLATERAL

1209  Emory, Va., Postal History & Collateral, leading to the issue of the rare
C. S. A. Provisionals. There are five covers; one with U. S. 3c Red (26)
with Blue Illustrated Corner Card of Emory & Henry College, stamp
tied “Emory, Va.”; another with U. S. 1c Blue (9) bit cut into on small
cover with invitation to a social function, another 1c Blue (9) Large
Margins, ms. cancel, with gold invitation to a college function, & an Un­
used Block of U. S. 1c Blue Ty. V (24) showing the Full Sheet Margins
on which the provisionals were subsequently made (separated horizon­
tally), CSA Items incl. two covers to Emory from the Nye corre­spon­
dence, one a “Richmond, Va.” & “Paid 5” June 3, 1861, third day of the
CSA postal service, other with defective pair 5c Blue (7) addressed to
“Emory & Henry with March 1864 letter written on part of printed form
to list “Deserters”, letter speaks of wartime problems & the shortage of
stationery speaks for itself. The “Nye” letters tie on with the Pro­
visionals. A Very Important historic group of covers, neatly written up
on album pages ex–Weatherly ................................................. E. IX
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<td>1210</td>
<td>Hiram Paulding, Famed U.S. Admiral, Correspondence with Sidney Hawes, approx. 100 letters to him, all pre-Civil War, dating back to 1830's. Also incl. three letters signed by Josiah Tatnall, later a C.S.A. Commodore. Much data of great personal interest, Fine Historic Lot.</td>
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<td>1211</td>
<td>Alfred P. Rockwell, Civil War General, Collection of 11 pieces, Official letters &amp; forms, etc., written to him while a Captain, before his promotion to General. Fine Lot, Civil War content.</td>
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<td>1212</td>
<td>South Carolina, 20 Dec. 1860, Photo of the original Ordinance of Secession of South Carolina, signed by each member of the Secession Convention. Stain at B, Mounted between two panes of glass, edges cloth bound. Fine C. S. A. Historic piece.</td>
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<td>1213</td>
<td>C.S.A. Special Orders, Printed, relating to paroled officers, dated Mar. 10, 1865, near the close of the war. Several signatures &amp; endorsements, both sides. Coarse paper, split on folds, yet very interesting content.</td>
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<td>1215</td>
<td>Civil War Covers &amp; Letters, Collection of 29, four with official imprints, most are letters typical of the period, full of interesting military &amp; personal data; some with original 3c 1861 covers. Mixed condition, mostly Fine.</td>
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<td>1216</td>
<td>Contract for Hire of Slaves, Describes obligations to furnish specified clothing, payment of taxes by Lessee, additional note requires proper clothing for children who go with their mothers. No date &amp; eroded along fold. Must be quite old.</td>
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<td>1217</td>
<td>Slave Collateral, Assignment for cash of property of an Estate incl slaves, leases for slaves, as well as other property. Dated Jan 1, 1864, with 50c paid in U.S. Civil War Revenues (15-2c “Bank Check”, 20c Inland Exchange) Executed a year after Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation; a Union Estate with Southern property, Very Fine.</td>
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<td>1218</td>
<td>Slave Dealer's Corner Cards, Two in Green, First on 3c Red on Buff Entire (U10) “Richmond, Va. Sep. 21, 1860” pmk.; cover tears, incl. one into stamp. Second, same but with Name Change, on 3c Red (26), S. E. into design, tied by “Richmond, Dec 20, 1860”, few stains on cover, Very Scarce Pair of Covers.</td>
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<td>1221</td>
<td>Slavery Collateral, Booklet, 166 pages, Message to Congress, Mar. 5, 1866, being a report on progress in eliminating slavery and guarantees of freedom to former slaves. Front cover missing; otherwise Very Fine condition. Important piece of post-war memorabilia.</td>
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<td>1222</td>
<td>DANISH WEST INDIES, 1905, 40b Christian IX (35). Tied on Registered cover to U.S. with 10b &amp; Strip of Three 5b (31, 32) by neat “St. Thomas” 1906 pmk., Very Fine, Scarce combination.</td>
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<td>1223</td>
<td>Honolulu, Hawaiian Islands, Bold Red Circle (28mm) “San Francisco, Cal.” pmk, Large “Ship” &amp; “12” to Conn. cover without flap &amp; bit worn, with small tears.</td>
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1224 PHILIPPINES, Camp Keithley, Camp Marahui, Camp Overton, Moro, P.L., 12 Covers, five, three & four respectively, Contemporary Franking, 1905-09, incl. Stationery, OVpts., Mixed Franking, etc., all same correspondence, Good-Fine, Scarce Military pmks E. VII


1226 Mayaguez, Porto Rico, British pmk. & light “F85” tie two 2p Blue (30) Pl. 15 on 1877 folded letter to St. Thomas, backstamp of Br. P.O., Choice, Scarce cover (Photo) E. VIII

FOREIGN POSTAL HISTORY COVERS

1227 AFGHANISTAN, 1928, 40p Rose (244). Horiz. Pair, mixed franking with India 3a Air Post (C2) Vert. Pair to Germany, Return card of German Legation. Registered with fine sequence of pmks., Very Fine E. II

1228 AUSTRIA, 1863, 3kr Green, 15kr Yel. Brown (18, 26). Two of former, single of latter, tied by “Triest” pmks. on 1864 folded letter to Molfetta, Very Fine, Attractive, Scarce Combination (Photo) 75.65+

1229 — 1850-63 Issues. Seven stamps on four covers, incl. Very Fine 2kr Yellow (12), #23-25 on Handsome cover, Lombardy-Venetia 45c Blue, Ty 1 (6a), Scarce Lot, Very Fine E. V

1230 — World War I, “Sibenik (19)15” pmk., Fancy Purple “S. M. Schiff (ship) ‘Schwarzenberg’”, struck clearly three times, on large grey cover to Graz, Austria. Very Fine & Rare E. VI

1231 — Offices in Turkey, 1867, 5s Red, 10s Blue (3, 4). Tied by neat Bold “Constantinopol” pmk on folded letter to Trieste, Very Fine E. III

1232 AUSTRIA, LOMBARDY-VENETIA, Seven Choice Covers, Incl. Austria Nos 5, 22, 23, 73, 75, Lombardy No. 4 (2), #22 with scarce cancel, Very Fine E. IV

1233 — 1864, 3s Green, 5s Rose (21, 22). Horiz. Pair of each, Perfs in at T. of 3s, Tied by neat “Verona” pmks. on fresh 1866 folded cover to Milano, Choice cover E. IV

1234 BARBADOS, 1874, 1p Blue (45). Tied by small pmk. on unopened Prices Current to Trinidad, Very Fine, Scarce (Photo) E. V

1235 BELGIUM, 1858, 40c Carmine Rose (12). Large margins, neatly tied by “123” in bars, 1863 “Verviers” pmk. on folded letter to Lucern, Switzerland, Remarkably Fine (Photo) E. V

1236 CANADA, 1868, 6c Yellow Brown (27a). Two, perfs. just in at R., one defective corner, tied by Quebec duplex pmk., on cover to England, Scarce & Attractive E. III


1239 — 1888, 10c Blue (130). Nicely tied on 1889 folded letter to Vera Cruz, Exceptionally Fine, Scarce on cover E. III

1240 — 1894, 1c Ultramarine (134). Tied by light pmk., “Havana” corner card & Str. Line “Olivette” (Ship name) on unsealed circular envelope to Newfoundland. Fine, Very Unusual usage E. III

1241 — 1939, 10c Rocket Flight (C31). Tied on Cacheted Cover, Oct. 15, 1939, Very Fine E. III
1242  DOMINICA, 1879–88, 1/- Magenta, 1p Carmine, Revenue Ovpts. (GB. R3, R6). Single of former, two of latter, tied by “AO7” in bars, “Dominica” pmk. on bit worn 1895 Registered cover to St. Lucia, Fine & Quite Scarce

1243  EGYPT, 1866, 1p Rose Lilac (7). Centered to B., Fine, tied by “Alex­­andria” pmk. on small, neat, folded letter to Cairo, addressed in Arabic, Very Scarce & Attractive (Photo)

1244  FINLAND, 1866, 40p Rose (10). Only one perf. tooth partly short, Very Fine, Nicely tied by Blue “Helsingfors” pmk., ms. “via St. Petersburg” on clean 1874 folded cover to Köln, Attractive & Very Scarce (Photo)

FRANCE

1245  Port Paye, Arm. d'Angleterre, Two lines, Clear strike on folded cover circa 1797, Official oval cachet. Fine & Rare; This army organized to defend French coast from the British while Napoleon conducted his operations in Egypt (Photo)

1246  D'on E. Armee, Sambre & Meuse, Bold Red Two Lines on 1798 folded cover. Civilian address partly bleached out, “8” postal charge Date line “Aix la Chapelle, 30 Pluviale 1798 (18 Feb.) Scarce & Attractive (Photo)

1247  General Commandant, La 17e Division Militaire, Bold two line small caps on official document signed Lefevre (Military Gov. of Paris) Revolutionary date “8 Nivoise” (28 Dec. 1799) Lefevre later promoted to Napoleon’s Lt. Gen., Very Fine cover & autograph

1248  Stampless Covers, 1787–1843, 11 folded letters, most before 1830; 3 Revolutionary Letters on Official Imprinted Letter-heads. Some scarce, incl. oval “Port Paye”, Fine Lot

1249  Armee d'Espagne, Six folded letters, 1810–13 circa, Four in Red, Diff. numbers or types. Mixed quality, bit worn – Fine, Scarce Lot

1250  Armee d'Italie, Italy pmks. under French Control, Eight folded letters, Clear Str. Line pmks., Three on official printed forms. Very Fine Lot

1251  Stampless Covers, Mostly Napoleonic period, 22 diff., many with unusual cachets; Incl. some Italy & Belgium pmks, a few of Revolutionary period. A few with faults, mostly Fine–Very Fine

1252  1849, 1fr Carmine (9). Used with two 25c Blue (6). Large margins to slightly cut in, each tied by Criss-Cross Diamond Grid, Sedan to N. Y. Blue handstamp of U. S. Consul., Vertical crease through cover yet Fine appearance


1254  1849, 20c Black on Buff (3). Two covers, Margins all around, each tied by Diamond Grid, “Paris”, “Tours” pmks, 1850, Very Fine

1255  1849, 25c Blue, Light Blue, Deep Blue (6, 6a, 6b). Distinct Shades, one Extremely Fine, others margins to touched, Fine, Attractive Lot

1256  1849, 1853, 40c Orange, 80c Lake (7, 20). Vertical Pair 40c, Margins to cut in, T. stamp creased, 80c Horiz. Pair, margins to slightly cut in. 40c Roller dot cancel, 80c, numeral in dots cancel. Both to U. S. normal transit pmks. Fairly attractive

1257  1853, 10c Bistre, 40c Orange, 80c Rose (14, 18, 20). Mostly Large Margins, the 10c just touched B. R., tied on folded cover to Boston, with “Boston Br. Pkt. 5” though the letter is endorsed “per American Steamer” it went by first mail available, Fine
1258 1853, 20¢ Blue on Bluish (15). Horiz. Strip of Six, Large margins all around, Vert. crease between third & fourth stamps entirely in margin, tied by "A" in diamonds of dots on neat 1858 folded letter to Amsterdam Dr. Chase's notes on back, Very Fine

1259 1853, 25¢ Blue (17). Three Large Margins, partly cut in at T., Tied by Star of Dots, front only. Fine & Attractive

1260 1853-70 Issues, Seventeen stamps on four covers, incl. Six 40¢ Orange (59) on cover to Pa., 80¢ Rose (28) on cover to Vera Cruz, 10¢ (14) & Strip of three 40¢ (18) to Phila., Strips of five 1¢ Bronze Green (29) & 20¢ Blue (57), Domestic use, Fine & Scarce Group

1261 PARIS, A Specialized Study of the Star cancellations of Paris, 1860's-70's, 57 covers, many with multiple frankings, 7 are plain stars, all the others are stars with numerals in center. Neatly mounted and written-up, with details as to length of time the particular cancellations were used, quite a few covers used abroad, some to U. S. Denominations are 5¢-80¢ and include a few imperforates. Fine condition predominates, a few faulty but all of respectable appearance. An excellent nucleus on which to build an important collection in this field

1262 1870, 5¢ Green Bordeaux (41). Two Horiz. Pairs, each with Three Huge margins, just touched R., each with light filing crease, tied by "1307" in diamond of dots, on small neat 1871 folded cover to Dijon, Fine Appearance, Very Scarce

1263 1870, 20¢ Bordeaux, Ty. III (45). Two folded covers, shades; Each with Large to Huge Margins, Extremely Fine

1264 15¢ "Sage" on bluish (92b). Tied together with 10¢ Gray Revenue Stamp, paying 25¢ rate to Belgium, R. R. pmk in undulating circle "Ardres A. Hazebrouck" Cover tear sealed, Very Fine appearance


1266 1909-10, Pioneer Aviation Post Cards, Four, Picturing old planes in air, two at Aviation Meets. Three used, other with purple cachet. Very Fine Historic Lot

1267 Cover Collection, 58, incl. a few fronts only, 1849-1875. Mounted & written up according to pmk. & usage. Incl. better items (pair 80¢ #19 to U. S., etc.). Mixed condition, V. G.-Very Fine. Excellent study lot

1268 1853-70's Collection of 67 stamps on 43 covers, nearly all Napoleon & Ceres types (betw. 14 & 62) a few "Sage" issues incl. 1fr Ty. I pair. Values 10¢-80¢, several #20, 28, 36, etc. Nice range of cancels & pmks., Mixed condition, few faults, many Fine-Very Fine

1269 Offices in Turkey, Algeria, Six covers, All but one 1853-60 Napoleon, that a "Sage". Pmks. of Alexandretta, Algiers, Beyrouth, Constantinople, Smyrna. Mixed condition, V. G.-Fine, all clear pmks.


GERMAN STATES

1271 BADEN, 1853, 6kr. Black on Yellow (9). Horiz. Pair, Ample to Large margins All Around, tied by target on folded letter to Paris, with French receiving markings, Very Fine

1272 — 1860, 3kr Ultramarine (12). Very fine single on Embossed return card, folded cover, two single on cover to Switzerland, Fine Pair of covers.
1273 — 1862, 3kr Black on Yellow, Rural Postage Due (LJ2). Fine, tied on back of folded cover, Very Scarce

1274 BAVARIA, 1850-67, 16 stamps on 11 covers, several combinations of Nos. 10 & 11, #19 Crayon cancel, others virtually all Fine—Very Fine

1275 — 1862, 3kr Postage Due (J1). Large to Enormous margins, over 1 mm of next B. stamp. Neat "X" cancel, ms., as usual. "Landshut" pmk. on neat folded cover, Very Fine

1276 BRUNSWICK, 1853, 3sgr Rose (11). Three Large to Huge Margins, touched at R., tied by square grid on cover to Berlin, part of address deleted, Fine

1277 — 1857, 1½s Black on Brown (12). Two covers, first with Pair of 1½s, Large Margins to slightly in, second with "Block" of Three, small tear, otherwise Fine & Scarce

1278 HAMBURG, 30-8-72, Brilliant Red Circle on folded cover to Curacao, Red "P. P." (Post Paid) yet neat Red "12½ Cents" Curacao charge. One corner worn, Attractive scarce use

1279 128 Lubeck B. De Elbe (Mouth of the Elbe), 129 Oldenburg, Two folded letters, 1811, 1813, First to Bordeaux, other to Varel, Light, clear strikes. Fine & Very Scarce

1280 MECKLENBURG-SCHWERIN, 1856, 4/4s. Red (1). Horiz. Pair, Large Margins to touched at one point, light crease through two ¼s., tied by "Rostock" pmk. on folded cover, slight age toned spots, Fine Appearance, Very Scarce


1282 — 1858, 1sgr Rose, 2sg Blue (11, 12). Horiz. Pair of Each, 1sg pair with Huge margins all around, incl. part sheet margin, 2sg Large to Huge margins, not tied, on neat covers, Very Fine & Handsome

1283 — 1867, 2kr Orange (24). Well centered, tied by "Fuerth" pmk. on clean folded cover, Very Fine, Scarce Used

1284 — 1850-67 Issues, 37 stamps on Eight covers, incl. 22 of 1sgr Rose (17) on large part of cover to New York; Nice range of Issues, pmks., etc. Fine—Very Fine & Scarce

1285 SAXONY, 1851-63 Issues, Seven stamps on Six neat covers, Variety of pmks.; Includes Two 5ng Gray Blue (20a), Stamps & Covers Fine—Very Fine, Scarce group

1286 WURTTEMBERG, 1863, 1866, 18kr Orange, Perf. 10, 1kr Yel. Green, 3kr Rose, Rouletted (40-42). Small faults, tied on considerably worn cover to "Milledgeville, Ga." Scarce

1287 GERMAN STATES, Twelve Covers, 19th Century, some multiples, Attractive Lot

GERMANY

1288 1872, ¼gr Violet (1). Tied by "Solingen", in boxed arc Very Fine. Used with badly damaged Nos. 3 & 4 with 10gr Gray (12) ms. cancel. & small punch hole. Used to Trinidad, via London, crayon rate & weight marks. Very Unusual

1289 1872, ¼gr Orange (16). Used with pair 1gr (17) tied by neat "Hannover" pmk. to U. S., small scaling wax stain, otherwise Very Fine

1290 1872, ¼gr Violet, 1gr Rose (1, 4). Two S. E. singles of former, Fine, Vert. pair of latter, tied by "Bassum" in double circle on cover to Iowa, Fine & Scarce

1291 1872, 9kr Red Brown (25). Well-Centered, tied by "Frankfurt A/M" pmk. on Neat 1872 folded letter to France, Very Fine (Photo)
1292 1872-74, 2½gr Surcharge (27). Used with ½gr & 5gr Large Eagle (12, 20) on Registered cover to U.S. Perfs. in, as usual. Cover aged & soiled, Scarce combination ............................................ E. III

1293 1872-74, 9kr Brown (28). Tied with Three 3kr Rose (23) by “Blankenburg” boxed pmk., 1874 use to France, Small cover faults, stamps Fine 105.25+ .......................................................... E. IV

1294 U.S. 3c Green (158) Used with Germany 20pf Ultramarine (32) paying forwarding postage. German stamp tied by neat “Eisenacht-Berlin” str. line pmk. Small faults in cover, Fine & Scarce .................................................. E. IV

1295 1930, 4m South America Flight (C39). Tied on Cover, Friedrichshafen-Pernambuco (Brazil), Red Cachet, Fine .......................................................... 135.00+

1296 Offices in China, 1898, 25pf Orange, 56° Ovpt. (5) Used with China 1c Ochre, 2c Scarlet (99, 100). Mixed Franking, Tied by “Tientsin, Deutsche Post” pmk., struck again on 1900 cover to England, British receiving pmks. on back, the 25pf has tiny corner crease, still Fine & Very Scarce (Photo) .................................................. E. IV

1297 Prussian Closed Mail, Five covers, Germany to U.S. via U.S. Pkt., British Pkt., Hamburg & Bremen Pkts., incl. “Paid 3” 13c, 30c (2) & 60c rates. Fine lot, full of interesting postal & rate marks .................................................. E. V

1298 GREAT BRITAIN. “London, Dec. three 1801”, ms. franking with Rare type “Free” in Crown in Red circle, also Scottish Bishop Mark in red, Franking signature illegible, Fine & Scarce .................................................. E. VI

1299 — 2p. Blue (2). Margins All Around, narrow at left, Rich Deep Color, tied by black M.C. on 1841 folded cover, Fine (Photo) 85.00+ .................................................. E. IV

1300 — 1840-64 Issues. Six covers, incl. Penny Black (1), Two 1sh Green (5) cut to shape, Three covers to U.S., one to Italy, etc. Fine Lot .................................................. E. IV

1301 — Mulready Envelope Caricature, “Ackermann’s Comic Envelopes, No. 1” “Armagh Fe. 7, 1841” pmk. to Scotland, the stamp has been removed, still Attractive & Very Scarce .................................................. E. III

1302 GUATEMALA, C. Comfort, Purser, S. S. City of Sydney, Purple oval, Light legible strike ties 1c, 2c 1895 (264, 267) on 2c Entire (U31l) to Guatemala, Very Fine .................................................. E. IV

1303 HAITI, 1898, 5c Pale Blue, 15c Olive Green (59, 63). Tied by “Gonaives” pmk. on 1904 Registered Mourning Envelope to Phil’a. Cover tears sealed, Very Fine appearance, Scarce .................................................. E. III

1304 HONDURAS, 1890, 10c Orange (43). Tied by Bold Negative Star in Purple; “Tegucigalpa, 1891” pmk to Syracuse, N.Y. Fine & Scarce in regular postal use .................................................. E. IV

HONG KONG, NINETEENTH CENTURY

(A SPECIALIZED COLLECTION OF COVERS)

STAMPLESS COVERS


1306 Hong Kong, Mar. 30, 1846, Clear pmk on back of folded letter to France, via Ceylon & Marseille Bold “Too Late” in box also Red “Paid” in box. French transit pmks. Hong Kong “1/-” paid, France 17 decimes due (equals then current 34c rate), Very Fine (Photo) .................................................. E. VIII

1307 U.S. Consulate, Hong Kong, Mar. 24, 1846, Dateline on folded letter to Canton. “Western Line Boat” Strong strike. Chinese writing on back. Letter refers to a sick sailor in the hospital at expense of the ship-owner, Very Fine .................................................. E. VIII

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1308  Paid at Hong Kong, Large Red Crowned Circle (25mm) on 1850 folded letter to Madeira. Red London transit, ms. “2/7” rate, also $1.60 black handstamp. Very Fine & Scarce (Photo) E. IX

1309  Paid at Hong Kong, Large Red Crowned circle (25mm) on cover to Amoy, docketed 1850. Worn corners & internal splits. Scarce usage (Photo) E. VI

1310  Paid at Hong Kong, Small Crowned circle (21mm) in Red on 1855 folded letter, headed “Canton” to Marseille. French “East Indies” transit pmk. Hong Kong & French Due Mark, Tiny scorched at T., otherwise Very Fine, Scarce (Photo) E. VIII


1312  Hong Kong, Jan. 29, 1860, Dateline on folded letter to Boston; Hong Kong, London & Boston, Am. Pkt., Bold “45” charge, ms. “24” Br. debit. Very Fine (Photo) E. V


1314  Hong Kong, Merchant’s cachet & Blue 1865 pmk. on folded cover to France. Directed via French packet, “St.Ruvee” Red octagon packet mark, Fine (Photo) E. IV

1315  Hong Kong, Feb. 17, 1890, Bold pmk., Large “10c” on cover to Hong Kong. Return card of Arnoy business house on flap. Fine, Very Unusual E. VII

**HONG KONG FORWARDERS**

For convenience the words “Forwarded By” preceding the name are omitted. They are to be expected unless otherwise noted.

1316  N. E. Burrows & Sons, Magenta Double oval, Fairly clear strike on 1873 cover to Boston, via London. Postage paid by 2c, 8c, 24c “Victoria” (8, 13, 18) Tied by “B62” in bars. London & Boston Transits, “2 Cents” credit in arc. Fresh & Handsome, scarce combination (Photo) E. IX

1317  Carter & Co., small Red oval. Letter headed “Shanghai, 21 June ’63” to Lyon, France. “Shanghai”, “Hong Kong” & French Transit, Unusual “GB, 1F 22 3/10C” in diamond. 9 decimes Due. Small toned streak, otherwise Very Fine (Photo) E. V


(Cover) E. VII

COVERS WITH STAMPS

1862, 8c Buff (2). Horiz. Pair, just tied by Blue “B62” in bars, small cover, printed address to Bombay, India, directed “per Str. Ganges”. Small cover faults, Fine ................................................................. E. VII

1863, 2c, 4c, 12c Victoria (8, 10, 15). Three 12c, all tied by “B62” in bars on cover to London, Normal transit pmks. Cover neatly restored far right. Attractive ................................................................. (Photo) E. VII

1863, 2c Brown, 30c Vermillion (8, 19). Fine, Tied on folded cover to London by “B62” in bars & edge of Red London rec’g. pmk., “Hong Kong, Jul 11, 1870” on the back. Fine & Attractive ................................................................. (Photo) E. VI

1863, 2c Brown, 30c Vermillion (8, 19). 30c defective, Tied by Bold “B62” in bars on folded letter to London, ms. rate, Red London rec’g. pmk. Attractive ................................................................. E. IV

1863, 2c Brown, 30c Vermillion (8, 19). Pair of each, wing margin, perfs. in, as usual. Tied by Blue “B62” in bars, Cover with printed address to London. “Hong Kong, Feb. 14, ’65” pmk. on back, which is torn to permit reading a note on the inside, Fine ................................................................. (Photo) E. VI

1863, 4c Slate, 18c Lilac (10, 17). Fine, Fairly clear wmk. on #17, Tied by Bold “B62” on 1871 folded letter to France, Red “P.D.” with serifs. 11 (dec) Due, normal sequence of postmarks. Fine & Scarce ................................................................. (Photo) E. VII


1863, 4c, 12c, 48c Victoria (10, 15, 21). Fine, 48c Wing Margin, Tied by “B62” in bars, on neat letter to London. Red ms. rate. Hong Kong despatch, London rec’g pmks. Fine & Attractive ................................................................. (Photo) E. VI

1880, 5c Ultramarine (11). Block of Eight, Tied on back of Registered cover to Constantinople by neat “Shanghai, Au. 14, 1899” pmk., Hong Kong, Suez, Alexandria transits, British P. O. Constantinople rec’g pmk. Cover opened to show both sides. Minor wear at edges, Fine, Scarce .... E. V


1863, 6c Lilac, 8c Orange Buff (12, 13). Four 6c, all making 32c rate to Ireland. Most with defects, Tied by “B62” in bars Appropriate transit pmks., 1866 use, Fairly attractive ................................................................. E. IV

1863, 8c Orange Buff (13). R. wing margin, tied by “B62” on 1872 cover with Blue “Foochow foo” 1871 backstamp, “Hong Kong” & “San Francisco” Paid All, Red ms. “4” slight soiling on or near stamp. Scarce usage E. VI

1863, 8c Victoria (13). Four singles (two with defects) Tied by “B62” in bars on 1870 cover to London, Very Fine appearance ................................................................. E. V


1863, 8c Orange Buff, 24c Green (13, 18). Fine, Tied by Bold “B62” in bars on neat cover to London, “Hong-Kong, Jan. 24, ’70” on back. Unusual small London rec’g. pmk., Choice cover ................................................................. (Photo) E. VII
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<td>1863-90, 8c, 10c Victoria (13, 44). First tied on cover to Singapore, protection ovpt. &quot;Meyer &amp; Co.&quot;; other tied on cover to Germany, &quot;TJOBIAS&quot; in caps, in oval, Very Fine</td>
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<td>1339</td>
<td>1863, 10c, 30c Victoria (14, 20). Tied by &quot;B62&quot; in bars &amp; by San Francisco Registry label on 1883 cover to Lima, Peru; Hong Kong pmk., Red &quot;R&quot; in circle &amp; Chinese chops &amp; writing, Purple &quot;San Francisco, Registered&quot; on back, opened to show both sides, Tremendously Scarce usage (Photo)</td>
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<td>1340</td>
<td>1863, 12c Blue (15). Deep Color, Tied by &quot;B62&quot; in bars, &quot;Hong Kong, Nov. 1, '77&quot; pmk. to London. Tiny tear at T., Fine &amp; Attractive</td>
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<td>1341</td>
<td>1863, 12c Blue (15). Tied by &quot;B62&quot; in bars, &quot;Hong Kong, Jan. 4, '79&quot; on cover to Hamburg, &quot;Via Brindisi&quot; in script handstamp, faint cover crease, Very Fine</td>
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<td>1342</td>
<td>1863, 12c, 24c, 48c Victoria (15, 18, 21). Typical centering, tied by &quot;B62&quot; in bars, paying 84c rate Shanghai to Conn., via Hong Kong &amp; London, 1868 pmks of &quot;Shanghai&quot;, &quot;Hong Kong&quot; &amp; London. Faint N. Y. Pkt. pmk., ms. rates. Endorsed &quot;Ships Letter, U. S. Steamer Oneida&quot;. Tiny bit reduced &amp; minor wear. Rare, Attractive (Photo)</td>
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<td>1343</td>
<td>1863, 12c, 24c, 48c Victoria (15, 18, 21). Perfs. in, as usual, Each with &quot;B62&quot; in bars cancel. Manila origin (Merchant's cachet) to Nantucket, Mass., London &amp; New York transits, crayon rates &amp; 6c British debit. By private ship from Manila to Hong Kong, thence via Marseille to England. Cover creased &amp; without flap, Attractive, Scarce rate (Photo)</td>
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<td>1344</td>
<td>1863-1900, Twelve stamps, 2c Green, 4c Rose, 10c Ultramarine, 12c Blue, (15, 37, 39, 45) Fantastic combinations on half of large cover, all handstamped &quot;D. &amp; Co., Ltd.&quot; to guard against theft. Very Attractive, with six 12c Blue</td>
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<td>1346</td>
<td>1863, 30c Vermilion (19). R. Wing margin, Fine, Tied by &quot;B62&quot; in bars, ms. due charge, on 1871 cover to London. Faint wax stain &amp; cover thinned. Fine, underpaid usage (Photo)</td>
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<td>1347</td>
<td>1882, 2c Rose (36). Gutter margin, Tied by &quot;Hong Kong, Jan. 18, '94&quot; &amp; purple commercial oval on unsealed envelope to Leipzig, Germany. Bit wrinkled, Scarce &amp; unusual use</td>
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<td>1349</td>
<td>1882, 2c, 4c, 5c, 10c Victoria (36, 38, 40, 44). Six stamps (two 4c, two 5c) Mostly Well Centered, each tied by &quot;Hong Kong&quot; pmk. on 1897 Registered cover to Germany. Very Fine, Scarce &amp; Attractive</td>
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<td>1350</td>
<td>1890-1900, 10c Violet on Red (44) &amp; 10c Ultramarine (45), Two Covers, First tied by Hong Kong pmk. &amp; French Pkt. &quot;Ligne N. Paq. Fr. No. 5&quot;, other tied by &quot;Victoria, Hong Kong&quot; &amp; similar French Pkt. pmk., to France &amp; Austria, respectively. Fine–Very Fine</td>
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<td>1351</td>
<td>United States Consulate, Hong Kong, United States Consulate at Auckland, N. Z., The Hong Kong two lines imprinted: other with Auckland in ms. Contemporary postage beautifully tied; Auckland with Magenta &quot;Paid All&quot;. Two Very Handsome Covers</td>
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<td>1352</td>
<td>Covers to Hong Kong, Eight incl. 1857 Stampless from Boston, four from London, 1860, 1862 (2), latter two only 1d postage stamps, 1933 from Samoa, 1863 from New South Wales, Many interesting uses, Fine–Very Fine</td>
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1353  1882, 2c Rose (36). Tied by “Hong Kong, Mar. 25, '98”, mixed franking with China ½c, 1c Litho (86, 87). Tied by Bold native “Foochow” pmk., Return card of Boarding School “Hing Hua City” to U. S. A., negligible light crease, Very Fine & Scarce ......................................................... (Photo) E. VIII

1354  1882, 2c Rose (36). Horiz. Pair, Tied together by bold “Shanghai” pmk. on China 1c Postal Card, mixed franking with China 1897 ½c & 2c Litho (86, 88) Tied by large Chinese “Chefoo” pmk., “Shanghai” & “Hong Kong” transit pmks. 1898 use to London, Very Fine & Scarce ......................... (Photo) E. VI

1355  1882, 2c Rose (36). Tied on China 1c Postal Card, with China 1c, 2c “Dragons” (99, 100). Kuangning, Manchuria date line, “Newchang” pmk. & Hong Kong transit to Germany, Very Fine ......... (Photo) E. V

1356  1882, 2c Rose (36). Pair, used on China 1c Postal Card, with 1c, 2c “Dragons” (99, 100). Large Native Canton pmk., Hong Kong transit & Blue crayon to Germany, Very Fine .......... E. V

1357  1882, 2c Rose (36). Horiz. Pair, Tied by blurry “Shanghai” pmk., on China 1c Postal Card, mixed franking with China, Litho & Engraved (86, 87, 99) Large native pmks. of Peking & Shanghai, Peking to London, 1896, Very Fine & Scarce .................... (Photo) E. VI

1358  1882, 2c Rose (36). Horiz. Pair, “Shanghai” pmk. not tied, on China 1c Postal Card, mixed franking with China 2c 1897, 1898 (88, 100) tied by bars & large native “Wuhu” pmks. “Hong Kong” transit pmk. to Germany, Very Fine & Scarce .............. (Photo) E. VI

1359  1882, 2c Rose (36). Horiz. Pair, Tied by “Shanghai” pmk., mixed franking with China 4c Orange Brown (113) on postal card to Germany, V. F.

1360  1882, 2c Rose (36). Horiz. Pair, “Shanghai” pmk not tied on China 1c Postal Card, mixed franking with China 2c 1897, 1898 (99, 100) tied by bars & large native “Peking” pmk to Germany. “Hong Kong” transit & “Muenchen” rec’g. pmk. R. half of card partly faded ............. E. V

1361  1882, 2c Rose (36). Horiz. Pair, Tied by “Hong Kong” pmk. on Shanghai Local 1c Postal Card, Brown English & Chinese inscriptions; affixed over China 4c Brown (101) tied by bars, to Germany, “Shanghai Local Post” pmk., & normal transits, Very Fine ........................................ E. VII

1362  1882, 2c Rose (36). Vertical Strip of Five, Tied by Hong Kong pmks & “I. P. O.” in box, affixed to back of cover to Singapore, mixed franking with Vertical Pair China 5c Salmon (102) tied by 1900 Foochow pmk., Two Red “Chops”, Singapore rec’g. pmk., Very Fine .................... E. VI

1363  1896, 4c Slate (38). Used on China 1c Postal Card, with China ½c-4c Dragons (98-101) Canton pmk., Hong Kong transit, “I. P. O.” in box, Very Fine ................................................ E. IV

1364  1882, 5c Ultramarine (40). Pair, Tied by Shanghai, Ap. 2, 1897, Mixed franking with pair China 2c on 2cn Green (30) tied by Bar cancel. Bold “Customs, Hankow” on the cover to Alsace “Customs, Shanghai” & Hong Kong” transits, Alsace rec’g. pmk. Very Fine & Scarce ........................................... (Photo) E. VIII

1365  1890, 10c Violet on Red (44). Mixed Franking with 8 China #98-101, incl. #98 Block, #99 Pair, to Germany, “Chefoo” pmk., Hong Kong transit & “I. P. O.” in box, Very Fine & Handsome ........................................ (Photo) E. V

1366  1890, 10c Violet on Red (44). Horiz. Pair, Tied by “Shanghai, Ap. 5, ’96” Used in combination with Chungking Local 10cn Violet, tied by Rectangular Purple pmk., to England. Least bit irregular top of cover, Very Fine & Rare ................................................ (Photo) E. IX
1367 □ 1890, 10c Violet on Red (44). Horiz. Pair, Bold “Shanghai” pmk., not tied, affixed over assortment of nine Chinese stamps, incl. 4c 1897, 10c 1898 & seven 1c 1898, Registered to California. Large native “Shanghai” pmk on back Seattle & San Francisco registry pmk. Torn at top left, otherwise Fine, Striking combination

E. IV

1368 □ 1890, 10c Violet on Red (44). Two singles on Registered cover to Boston, tied by Hong Kong pmk; mixed franking with China ½c-5c Litho (86-90) assortment of eight stamps incl. pairs ½c & 2c Tied by “Canton” large native pmk., routed via Montreal. Very Fine, A Striking Cover ...

E. VIII

1369 □ 1891, 20c Green, Surcharge (61). Affixed partly over stamp of Shanghai Local 1c Brown Entire, Blue Local Post cancel., Tied by “Shanghai, Aug. 6, ’94”, Registered to Germany, Hong Kong transit on back. Very Fine & Scarce

E. IX

1370 □ 1891, 20c Surcharge (61). Two singles, tied by neat “Hong Kong, May 5, 1900” Mixed franking with China 3cn Lilac (11) & 24cn Carmine (24) both tied by Bold “Wuchow” pmk. to Germany, Canton & Hong Kong transits, German rec’g. pmk. The 24cn is stained in corner, otherwise Very Fine. Rare usage (Photo)

E. VII

1371 □ 1890, 10c Violet on Red (44). Unused pair on cover to Melbourne (Australia) Uncancelled, “Loose Ship Letter” in double oval, “2½d” Due handstamp & Due stamps (J11, J13) Top of cover has bad nick. Scarce usage

E. III

COVERS THROUGH HONG KONG

CANTON

1372 □ Canton, Feb. 28, 1835, Dateline on folded letter to Macao. Chinese writing on flap. Undoubtedly carried privately as no mail service was in operation in 1835. Small split on one edge, otherwise Very Fine, Very Rare

E. VIII

1373 □ Canton, 25 Mar. 1847, Dateline on script printed Form Letter to London, via Hong Kong (rimless pmk) unusual type ms. rate. Very interesting business contents on Exports, Currency, Tea, American Ships in China, etc. Very Fine

E. V

1374 □ Canton, July 2, 1847, Dateline on folded letter sent privately by “Schr. Anglona, via Woosung” to Capt. of Schooner Patrel, Chinchow, for which a $4.00 charge was made. Exceptionally Fine example of China Coast mails before regular service began

E. VIII

1375 □ 1863, 8c Orange Buff (13). Very Fine, Tied by Bold “B62” in bars, cover originated in Canton, Blue pmk., Mar. 18, 1875, rec’d same day in Hong Kong. Chinese writing on back of the neat cover, Very Choice

E. V


E. V

1377 □ 1882-1902, 10c Lilac (42). Two singles, Tied by Bold “Cl” in bars, “Canton, July 1, ’83” pmk. on neat cover to N. J., ms. “Per. O & O. S.S. Copter”. Fine services of transit pmks on back. Very Fine & Handsome (Photo)

E. III

MACAO

1378 □ Post Office, Macao, 10c Cents, Large Red Circle (40mm) on 1834 letter Canton to Macao, (per) “St George, Nov. 28”. Letter enclosed in an outer cover (in lieu of envelope) Inconsequential sealing wax stain, yet Very Fine & Scarce

E. X
1379  Correio, Macao, 10 Sep. 1848, Three lines on folded letter to Canton
headed “Bombay”; Hong Kong transit on back & “pr Charles Grant”
deleted & sent pr “Duke of Cornwall” ms. rate marks. Very Fine, Rare
usage ........................................... ...... ...... .......... ...... E. X

1380  Correio, Macao, 22 Feb. 1853, Three-line handstamp on folded letter
to Canton. Blue crayon weight mark on back, “16/100” rate on face.
“pr Sta. Lucia”. Note in Chinese on back. Very Fine & Rare (Photo) E. X

MANILA

1381  Manila, 19 Aug. 1860, Docketing & Manila business cachet on folded
cover to Boston. Hong Kong, London Transits, Boston, Am. Pkt. on
back. Bold “Boston, 45” ms. “24” for British debit. Very Fine ...

1382  Manila, 24 Jan. 1861, Docketing & merchant’s cachet on folded cover
to Boston, endorsed “via Marseille”, pmks show via Hong Kong, London &

1383  Manila, 5 Oct ‘64, Dateline on folded letter to New York, via Hong Kong.
Red “Overland, via Marseilles” in box, ms. rate marks & “5 Cents” debit
handstamp. Red “Paid” in arc of N. Y., Fine ................................. E. V

1384  Manila, 1863-80, 2c, 30c Victoria (8, 19). Tied by “B62” in bars on 1867
folded cover docketed “Manila” & with Manila merchant’s cachets on
London 30c has slight abrasion at L., Fine appearance .......................... E. IV

SHANGHAI

1385  Shanghai, Oct. 18, 1851, Dateline on folded letter to Boston, via Hong
Kong, “Ship Letter, Victoria, Hong Kong” Italic caps, deleted by Forbes,
London forwarder, “Forbes & Forbes” oval on back, ms. Far East rate
deleted, & Bold “24” with “19 Cents” credit for Trans-Atlantic rate, per
“Africa”. Very Fine, Extremely Interesting usage ...................... (Photo) E. IX

1386  Shanghai, Paid, Red pmk. on cover to Long Island, “Shanghai Sep. 3,
1862”, “Hong Kong” transits, “Boston, Br. Pkt. 5”, Red Crayon “1/8”
rate, “5 Cents to pay” in pencil. Cover slightly worn, Reasonably attractive
E. III

1387  Shanghai, Dec. 1863, Red pmk. & dateline on folded letter to Boston,

1388  Shanghai, Mr. 8, ’64, Red pmk. on folded letter to France “Hong Kong”
transit, French “Poss. Ang. V. Suez” transit. Red Crayon rate mark “48”
Very Fine ............. ............ ............ ....... ....... ...... .......... E. V

1389  Shanghai, Paid, Red pmk. on neat 1864 cover to Germany, Transit pmks
on back, incl. Shanghai, Hong Kong, German transit & Breslau rec’g.
pmk. Red Crayon rates except for large “6”, Very Fine .................... E. IV

1390  1862, 8c Buff (2), Fine, Tied by Blue “B62” in bars on folded cover to
Hong Kong, from Shanghai, Blue “Shanghai, Jy. 4, ’65” pmk., Blue “Hong
Kong, Jy. 9, ’65” backstamps. Ship letter, “pr Singapore”, Very Fine ...

1391  1863, 4c Slate, 24c Green (10, 18). Two 4c, making the 32c rate Shanghai
to Scotland. Shanghai & Hong Kong, 1864 backstamps, Scottish rec’g.
pmk. Seal of Shanghai bank on flap. Stamps tied by Blue “B62” in bars,
Fine .............................................................................. (Photo) E. VII

1392  1863, 4c, 6c, 24c Victoria (10, 12, 18). All tied by Blue “S1” in bars
(Shanghai) on small cover to U.S., Shanghai, Hong Kong, London &
N. Y. transits, Red Brush stroke rate & “2 Cents” debit. Trifle age soiled,
still Very Fine ................................................................ (Photo) E. VIII

1393  1863, 6c, 8c Victoria (12, 13). Fine, Tied by Bold Blue “S1” in bars,
“Shanghai” on cover, per French Mail to Hong Kong. Transit pmks on
back of 1874 cover. Restored at top, clear of stamps, Fine appearance ...

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1394 – 1863, 6c Lilac, 24c Green (12, 18). Fine, tied by Blue “SI” in bars, (Shanghai) on 1875 cover to London, “Shanghai”, “Hong Kong” transits. Red London rec’g. pmk., Very Fine (Photo) E. VII

1395 – 1863, 6c Lilac, 30c Violet (12, 20). Latter with wing margins, Tied by “B62” on cover from Shanghai (Merchant’s cachet) “Hong Kong, Dec. 10, ’74” transit, French pkt. pmk. via Brindisi to Lyon, France. Tape mend on back only, Fine E. V

1396 – 1871, 30c Violet (20). Uncancelled, on folded cover docketed “Shanghai, 29 Jun ’72” to France. “Shanghai”, “Hong Kong” transit, marked “Insufficiently Prepaid” which invalidated the stamp, which is “tied” by part of pen mark deleting the rate. “G. B., IF, 66C” exchange mark & 15 (dec) due, Very Fine (Photo) E. VI

1397 – 1882, 2c Rose (36). “Shanghai” pmk., not tied, mixed franking with China lc 1898 pair, on back, tied by bars. Large native “Wuhu” pmk., also “Shanghai” part of address heavily deleted, otherwise Very Fine E. VI

OTHER CITIES


1399 – 1891, 20c Surcharge (61). Tied by Hong Kong Registry, mixed franking with seven China “Dragon” (99-102) all on back, tied by “Kiuangchow” 1902 pmk., Registry handstamp sent to “Bonavista, Newfoundland” Clear rec’g. pmk. Very Fine cover. Rare usage E. VIII

1400 – ICELAND, 1931, 1kr Zeppelin (C10). Tied by “Reykjavik” pmk. on Souvenir Cacheted post card to U. S., Couple partly bent corners on card, still Very Fine E. IV


1402 – Bombay, Madras, India, Two covers to U. S. First 1854 with Bombay Forwarder & via Boston, Br. Pkt.; other Madras to N. Y. with “India, Paid” in Crescent. Both with rate & packet marks. Fine Lot E. V

1403 – Calcutta, India, docketing on 1850 folded letter to Boston. Endorsed “Per Overland Express Mail, via Bombay”. Great sequence of transit marks incl. Red “India” in box, London “Maltese Cross” 24c Trans-Atlantic rate with “19 Cents” Br. credit. Fine study cover E. V


1405 – IRAN, 5s Green Ty. 1 (53). Tied “Kazvin” in Circle, “Teheran” receiving mark, also three Native markings all on Back of small, neat cover, Very Fine, Scarce cover (Photo) E. V

ITALIAN STATES

1406 – PARMA, 1852, 15c Black on Pink (3). Horiz. Pair, Large margins, Tied by neat “Parma” in circle on 1850 folded letter to Genoa, small scissors cut in margin only between stamps, still Extremely Fine (Photo) E. VIII

1407 – 1852, 40c Black on Blue (5). Three ample to Large margins, frame line halved at B., tied by grid on folded letter to Venice, Fine (Photo) 110.00+

1408 – 1854, 15c Red (7). Ample to Large Margins, Brilliant color, Tied by Str. Line “Parma”, dated pmk. on folded letter to Piacenza, Very Fine (Photo) E. VII

1410 ROMAN STATES, 1852, 2b Black on Yellow Green (3a). Large margins, slight buckling from folds in cover. Tied by Blue “Cento” Str. Line caps. Curious type “Cento” pmk. with date in small double circle. Very Handsome, Rare pmk. E. X

1411 SARDINIA, 1861, 63, 5c Olive Green, 10c Bistre, Head Double (10b, 11 var). Both Large Margins, Perfectly tied by “Pavia, 3 Jan. ’63” pmk. on neat folded letter. “Double Head” unlisted, shows clearly, Extremely Fine & Rare, Signed (Photo) E. X


1413 TUSCANY, 1851, 1cr Carmine (4). Horiz. Pair, Three Large Margins, Large to clear margins at B., used with 2cr Greenish Blue (5a). Margins to trifle cut in L. Each with Bold “P.D.” repeated on the 1855 folded letter, Red “Livorno” pmk. to Modena. Spectacular cover with the Beautiful & Scarce 1cr pair (Photo) E. V

1414 — 1851, 2cr Blue on Very Blue Paper (5 var.). Margins virtually all around. Tied by Bold Rectangle of small Diamonds, “Livorno, 1852” pmk. on small, neat folded cover, Very Fine E. VI


1417 TWO SICILIES, 1858, 1gr Rose Lake (2a). Two singles, Huge margins except L. stamp close T. L., Fine color, Tied by boxed “Annulato”, Blue Merchant’s cachet of Naples, Very Fine E. V

1418 — 1858, 2gr Rose Lake (3a). Horiz. Pair & Single, Large Margins, Fine Color, small “Annulato” in box cancel. Fresh 1860 folded cover, Tiny ink stain edge of one stamp. Very Choice cover E. V

ITALY

1419 106 Alexandre, (Dept. of Marengo) Town in Italy, site of Napoleon’s famous battle & victory over the Austrians. Bold Str. Line & Oval Treasury cachet on 1813 folded official form, Very Fine E. III

1420 1851, Packet Cover, Genoa to Livorno. Bold Blue oval of S. S. Co. with old Steam Ship in center, Fine & Attractive E. V


1422 1861, 1c Black, Newspaper (P1). Vert. pair & Horiz. Strip of Three, tied by “Brescia” pmks. on printed notice, the strip has Ample to Huge margins, the pair has large margins & light crease; A Handsome & Very Fine cover (Photo) E. V

1424  Aegean Is., Collection of 12 covers, 45 stamps, incl. Castellorizo, Kos, Rhodes, Scarpanto, Smyrna Military Post, only two Constantinople. Most are registered & all used in commercial correspondence. Contemporary stamps of the 1920's. Very Scarce on commercial covers

1425  IVORY COAST, 1892, 25c Black on Rose (14). Tied by "Grand-Bassam" pmk., 1900, French "Loango-Marseille" packet pmk. to U.S., Very Fine & Scarce cover

1426  Kingston, Jamaica, 2 Jan. 1826, Rimless circle on back of large part of folded letter to Edinburgh, (Scotland) "2/5" rate & large boxed "1/2" in Green, special carriage tax, Very Fine piece

1427  — 1883-89, ½p Bl. Green, 1p Lilac & Red Violet (16, 24). Single of first Strip of Four of latter, Well Centered, tied by oval "Jamaica, Registered" pmks. on small, fresh Registered cover to Augusta, Maine, with New York & Augusta Reg. markings on Reverse, Very Fine, Scarce & Attractive

1428  JAPAN, Packet Boat, Str. Line caps in Purple, Japan 10s Blue (103). Tied by "Honomolu, H. Isls" 1907 pmk. S.S. return card on back, Fine

1429  LEEWARD ISLANDS, 1890, ½p Victoria (1). Horiz. Strip of Five, Tied by clear "St. Kitts" pmk. on 1899 cover to Brooklyn, N.Y. Brooklyn R. P. O. street car backstamp. Couple of minor cover tears, Fine & Scarce

1430  MADAGASCAR, Military Expedition, 1901, "Tananarive" pmk., ms. Corps d'occupation de Madagascar" & Censor signature to Paris, Very Fine, used during a 1901 rebellion against French rule, Scarce

1431  MALAYA, Johore 1892-4 1c-3c (18-20), 3c on 4c Lilac & Black, No Period (26a). Single of each, Well Centered, lightly tied on 1899 Registered cover to Singapore, Red Reg. Marking, Singapore receiving pmk. on back. Fresh & Very Fine, a Very Scarce cover (Photo)


1433  — 1882-1910 Issues, 21 stamps, Eleven Different Nos., on Three Registered covers, to Belgium, Bombay, India & Santa Cruz, Cal., Wide Range of pmks. Fine-Very Fine. An Extremely Interesting & Scarce Lot

1434  NETHERLANDS, 1852, 5c Blue (1). Large to Huge Margins, Rich Color, tied by "Amsterdam, Franco" pmk. on printed circular from Trieste to Amsterdam, Extremely Fine (Photo) 32.50+

1435  — 1864, 10c Lake (5). Horiz. Pair, centered to T. R., tied on folded letter, Rotterdam to Prague, Attractive & Scarce

1436  NETHERLANDS INDIES, "Soerabaja" Red str. line in circle, ms. "95" rate on 1855 folded letter to Batavia, Ink has eroded part of address, otherwise Very Fine, Scarce

1437  — Samarang, Two covers, 1859, 1862, Large ovals, one in Blue, with "Osgerfrankeerd", "52" & "65" rates, one with merchants' cachet, Very Fine

1438  — 1913, Two Entirels, 17½c, 25c Queen Wilhelmina, Ornamental Frame, One with "Soerabaja" pmk., other Registered "Makasser" pmk. both to the Netherlands, Scarce, (owner values $65.00) Fine

1439  New Brunswick, Dec. 27, 1773, Dateline on Colonial letter to "New Port, R.I.", ms. endorsement "to the care of Mr. Roosevelt", so no postal markings, Very Fine & Scarce

1440  POLAND, World War I, Krakow, Illustrated Religious Corner Card, Post Card "Bialystok" 1917 pmk to New York, Fine & Scarce
1441 — 1940, Warsaw Ghetto Cover, Official Russian Post Card from P.O.W. in Koselsk Camp No. 2. Stamp with German cancel, Extensive series of postal markings indicate it was sent to Warsaw Ghetto, but addressee was expelled from the Ghetto as non-Jew, so cover was returned to Moscow. Mounted on page with full explanation of use & all postmarks. Very Fine & Rare ........................................... (Photo) E. XII


1443 ROMANIA, 1862, 30pa Blue (18). Large to Huge margins, trivial corner crease, tied by "Bakeu, Moldova" pmk. on neat folded letter, Scarce & Attractive .................................. (Photo) E. IV

1444 ST. VINCENT, 1883-1898, 4p Yellow, 5p Lilac & Black (49, 67). Tied together by "Kingstown" pmks., & by "Registered, London" in Red Oval, to Germany, Very Fine ................................................................. E. V

1445 — 1890, 2½p on 1p Blue (56). Block, centered slightly to Top, tied by "Kingstown" pmks. on 2p Lilac Registry Entire to Cincinnati, Ohio, 1898 usage, Fresh, Very Fine, Very Scarce (Photo) E. VI

1446 SURINAM, 1873, 25c Ultramarine (11). Tied by Bold "Paramaribo" double circle on 1897 corner card cover to Texas. Very Choice, Scarce on cover ...... (Photo) E. IV

1447 SWITZERLAND, 1851, 5r Light Blue & Red (10). Large margins all around, tied on small cover, Geneva pmk., without flap, V.F. (Photo) 80.00+

1448 — 1851, 5r Lt. Blue & Red (10). Large to Huge margins, incl. Full Dividing Lines on two sides, tied on small Mourning cover, without flap, Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo) 80.00+

1449 — 1851, 5r Lt. Blue & Red (10). Large Margin All Around, Shows Large part of Dividing line on all sides, tied on slightly worn mourning cover, without flap, Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo) 80.00+

1450 — 1851, 5r Lt. Blue & Red (10). Ample to Huge Margins, neatly tied on small cover postmarked Geneva, without flap, Fine ................................................................. 80.00+

THAILAND

1451 1892 Stampless Registry Envelope, "Puket, 30–3–'92" pmk. to Bangkok, Magenta oval cachet all in Thai. Back of envelope, (partly open sides, without flap) covered with Thai Imprint; also a similar unused Registry envelope with Bangkok control mark. Fine & Scarce ................................................................. E. IV

1452 1910, 2s–1t, Surcharges & Definitives (Betw. 118 & 144) 1910 Registered Cover to England, franked with 11 diff. stamps, mostly surcharges in the #128–137 group. Very Fine & Attractive, Scarce on cover ................................................................. E. IV

1453 1941, 10s–1b Pictorials (210, 212, 213, 215). Two Censored covers to Germany, 1941, with Nazi Censor seal some erosion & returned to sender via Istanbul & Japan (return pmk dated 1943); other, Nov. 1941, handstamp. "Service Suspended, Return to Sender" British Censor Seal, Fine range of transits, Finally returned to Thailand in 1946. Two Fine & Rare War Covers ................................................................. E. V

1454 1920, 50s "Scout's Fund" (B30), Tied on Registered Post Card to U.S.A. by "Bangkok, 7–4–'25" pmk., N.Y. Registry oval, Very Fine, Rare on cover ................................................................. (Photo) 75.00+

1455 20th Centy Covers, Ten, with 36 stamps, some postal stationery, mostly 1930's–1941, incl. some better. All with pmks other than Bangkok, Incl. R. R. pmk & small towns. Couple soiled, most V.F., Scarce Lot ................................................................. E. III
1456 1915-40's, 27 stamps on 7 covers, some on Registry envelope with special stamp. All with "Bangkok" pmk., two sent via Saigon, Fine, Interesting Lot ................................................................. E. III

1457 Air Mail Covers, six, with 18 stamps, some better, Incl. a War Time Censored cover to Mexico, a much forwarded cover to Ceylon, finally returned to sender. Colorful, Interesting Lot ................................................................. E. IV

1458 1899-1905, Eight Letter Sheets, seven with additional stamps, mostly of 1899 series, four to U.S., three to Germany, other local use, Very Fine, Scarce usages ................................................................. E. V

1459 1908-34, Postal Cards, Six, Five with additional franking incl. Red Cross & "Victory" ovpts., used locally to Switzerland & to U.S., Incl. one with special U.P.U. Commem. pmk., Fine-Very Fine ................................................................. E. IV

TIBET

1460 1932, ½t Orange, Pin Perf (9). Tied by town pmk., in Tibetan, used to seal cover with printed address, Tibetan & English, to "P.O. Gyantse, Tibet" Name of addressee cut out. Queer Tibetan handstamp on back. Fine, Very Scarce ................................................................................................................. E. VI

1461 1934, 2½t Dark Blue (15). Vertical Strip of Three, Ample to Large Margins, tied by "Gyatse" pmk., on back of cover with Colored Embossed design of Mountain & tiger on back. Addressed entirely in Tibetan. Fine & Scarce in private correspondence ................................................................................................................. (Photo) E. IX

1462 1934, 1t Carmine (16). Horiz. Strip of Four, Top row of Sheet, Huge to Enormous Margins incl. Sheet margins three sides. Tied by clear "Lhasa" pmk., addressed entirely in Tibetan. Tear in cover neatly sealed, stamps Very Fine, Rare cover ................................................................................................................. (Photo) E. IX

1463 TONGA, "Tin Can Mail", Two Covers 2½p stamps nos. 58 & 72, Very Fine Lot ................................................................................................................................................................................................. E. III

1464 WESTERN AUSTRALIA, 5p Olive Bistre (94). Tied by "Collie, '05" in sm. circle, struck twice on Reg. cover to N. Z., showing illus. "Pills & Ointment" corner card, Very Fine & Attractive ................................................................................................................................. E. III

MISCELLANEOUS LOTS

1465 EUROPE, 57 stamps on 34 covers, mostly 19th Century, Incl. Germany, Gr. Britain, Belgium, Malta, Switzerland, etc. Numerous interesting uses & postal markings. Few faults Mostly Fine-Very Fine ................................................................................................................................. E. VII

1466 Nineteenth Century Foreign Covers, 23 Covers, Attractive Lot ................................................................................................................................. E. VIII


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GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS

1468 Lists of Post Offices, 1803, 1811, 1813, 1819, 1836, & 1854, The Chester County (PA) Historical Society, SEPAD, reprints, Six Very Fine Volumes ................................................................................................................................. E. III

1469 Table of Post Offices, 1825, gathered signatures, unbound, will make a Very Fine privately bound volume ................................................................................................................................. E. III

1470 Table of Post Offices in the U.S., 1831, Privately Bound, Very Fine ................................................................................................................................. E. VI

1471 U.S. Register, 1833, Privately Bound, Very Fine ................................................................................................................................. E. IV
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| 1473 | List of Post Offices, 1837, Privately Bound, remarkably fresh | E. V |
| 1474 | Table of Post Offices, 1842, original binding, docketed contents, Very Fine | E. V |
| 1475 | Table of Post Offices, 1846, Original Binding, Normal wear, Very Fine | E. V |
| 1476 | List of Post Offices, 1857, Original Binding, normal wear, still Very Fine | E. V |
| 1477 | Tables of Distances, P. O. D., 1873, No covers | E. II |
| 1478 | P. L. & R., 1879, Original Boards, Very Fine | E. II |
| 1479 | List of Post Offices, 1881, Original Binding, Covers loose, Contents Very Fine | E. II |

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| 1481 | The Massachusetts Register &amp; U. S. Calendar, 1824, listing, among other information, Postmasters, Stage Routes, etc., Paper Bound, normal wear, still Very Fine | E. II |
| 1482 | The Massachusetts Register &amp; U. S. Calendar, 1827, Paper Bound, minimal wear, Very Fine | E. III |
| 1483 | The Massachusetts Register &amp; U. S. Calendar, 1832, paper bound, normal wear, still Very Fine | E. II |
| 1484 | Mnemonika, or Chronological Tablets, being a compendium of important events from the &quot;Creation of the World to the present . . .&quot; &amp; including a List of Post Offices in the U. S., published in 1812 at Philadelphia, Front cover missing, contents Very Fine | E. III |
| 1485 | Special Delivery, Booklet with complete list of all First Special Delivery Offices in the U. S., Act of Congress, Mar. 3, 1885, operation commenced Oct. 1, 1885. Advertising of Remington Typewriter. Excellent, Fresh condition | E. V |
| 1487 | The U. S. Postage Stamps of the 19th Century, Brookman, 1966, Three Volumes, Like New | E. III |
| 1490 | Cyclopedia of U. S. Postmarks &amp; Postal History, Norona, 1975 Reprint, cpl. in one volume, Like New | E. IV |
| 1491 | U. S. Railroad Postmarks, 1837–1861, Remele, 1958, Like New | E. VII |
| 1493 | History of the “Free Franking” of Mail in the U. S. Stern, 1936, with Supplements, Very Fine | E. IV |
| 1494 | United States Stamped Envelopes, Thorp, Sixth (Century) Edition, Like New | E. V |
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