SALE 991
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 2010

THE
PHILIP R. BEUTEL
COLLECTION
OF
UNITED STATES BOOKLET PANES,
COMPLETE BOOKLETS AND SAVINGS STAMPS

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Sale 991—Wednesday, June 23, 2010

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**Grades, Abbreviations and Values Used in Descriptions**

**Grades and Centering**

Our descriptions contain detailed information and observations about each item’s condition. We have also assigned grades to stamps and covers, which reflect our subjective assessment. For stamps, the margin width, centering and gum are described and graded according to generally-accepted standards (an approximate correlation to numeric grades is provided at right). Although we believe our grades are accurate, they are not always exactly aligned with third-party grading terms or standards for all issues. **A lot may not be returned because a certification service grades a stamp lower than the grade stated in the description.** Information from the P.S.E. Stamp Market Quarterly and P.S.E. Population Report™ is the most current available, but lots may not be returned due to errors or changes in statistics or data.

**Guide to Gum Condition**

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**Covers**

Minor nicks, short edge tears, flap tears and slight reduction at one side are normal conditions for 19th century envelopes. Folded letters should be expected to have at least one file fold. Light cleaning of covers and small mends along the edges are accepted forms of conservation. Unusual covers may have a common stamp with a slight crease or tiny tear. **These flaws exist in virtually all 19th century covers and are not always described. They are not grounds for return.**

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**Symbols and Abbreviations (see chart above for gum symbols)**

- Block
- Cover
- Fancy Cancel
- Essay
- Proof
- Trial Color Proof
- pmk.
- cds
- var.
- Postmark
- Circular Datestamp
- Variety
- No.
- Scott Catalogue Number
- hs
- ms.
- Handstamp
- Manuscript

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1900 BOOKLET ISSUE SPECIMENS


1002 S 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E (279BjS-E). Two, Positions A and M from the 360 subject plate, watermark inverted on Position A, h.r., fresh and Fine, Position M is relatively scarce, representing only approximately 6.7% of the total printing, Scott Retail as normal watermark and most common positions .................................................................(Photo Ex) 1,050.00

1003 S 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E (279BjS-E). Position D with plate no. 988, single h.r. reinforcing some perf separations between selvage and pos. 2, deep rich color, Fine-Very Fine ................................................................. 1,100.00

1004 S 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E (279BjS-E). Two, both Position D with plate nos. 989 (inverted watermark) and 990, original gum, one with two small h.r., both centered to left but with ample to wide bottom margins, Fine pair, Scott Retail as normal watermark.................................................................(Photo Ex) 2,200.00

1005 S 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E (279BjS-E). Position D with plate no. 991, original gum, tiny h.r. at top, fresh and Fine-Very Fine ............... ................................................................. 1,100.00
1006 S 2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E, Complete 25c Booklet (BK1-S). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279BjS-E, Position I, BIA Cover Type I-a.1, “Specimen.” Handstamp in black on front, also manuscript “One of the first one hundred books issued. Compliments of Edwin C. Madden,” with first part in red and signature in black, single small staple, covers are fresh and tight, light vertical crease through middle of front, panes centered a bit to top and left.

Very fine and choice. A desirable complete 25c booklet of the 2c type IV with specimen overprint from a premium plate position.

U.S. Booklets and Booklet Panes estimates that Position I represents only approximately 1.9% of the total printing, making it more scarce than the plate no. Position D panes and slightly more common than the rare positions N and O. Complete booklets, as with individual panes, are most often found from Position A.

Footnoted but unpriced in Scott... E. 2,000-3,000

1007 S 2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E, Complete 25c Booklet (BK1-S). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279BjS-E, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-a.1, “Specimen.” Handstamp in black on front, also manuscript “One of the first one hundred books issued. Compliments of Edwin C. Madden,” with first part in red and signature in black, single small staple, front cover with tear through staple and vertical crease, back cover pristine, panes centered a bit left, Fine appearance, a scarce complete Specimen booklet, footnoted but unpriced in Scott... E. 1,000-1,500


Very fine and attractive complete 25c booklet of the 2c type IV with specimen overprint.

Footnoted but unpriced in Scott... E. 1,500-2,000

1009 S 2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E, Partial 25c Booklet (BK2-S). Comprising only a single pane of six of No. 279BjS-E, all interleaving intact, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-b.1, no “Specimen.” Handstamp, manuscript “One of the first one hundred books issued. Edwin C. Madden Third Asst. P.M. Gen. ” in black, two staples, front cover with usual crease and with ms. “2 stitches” notation, pane is nicely centered, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. single pane of No. 279BjS-E with no premium for the full covers or interleaving... 750.00

1010 S 2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E, Complete Exploded 25c Booklet (BK2-S). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279BjS-E, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-b.1, “Specimen.” Handstamp in black on front, two staple hole covers with couple light creases, watermark inverted, collector backstamp on some of the stamps, Fine appearance, but unpriced in Scott... E. 500-750
1011 S  
**2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E, Complete 49c Booklet (BK3-S).** Comprising four panes of six of No. 279BjS-E, Position A, BIA Cover Type 1-a.2, “Specimen.” handstamp struck twice in black on front, once inverted, also manuscript "One of the first one hundred books issued. Edwin C. Madden April - 1900." in black, single large staple, minor wrinkling on front, no creases on back, panes are fresh, one with particularly choice centering.

**EXTREMELY FINE. A GORGEOUS AND RARE COMPLETE 49c BOOKLET OF THE 2c TYPE IV WITH SPECIMEN OVERPRINT.**

In a collection notable for completeness, this is the sole example of the Ty. IV 49c Green on Cream booklet owned by Mr. Beutel. As an indication of rarity, we have not offered any of No. BK3 either with or without the Specimen overprint and there were none in the Bush, Silverman, Floyd or Hertzka collections.

Footnoted but unpriced in Scott ................. E. 3,000-4,000

1012 S  
**2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E, Complete 49c Booklet (BK4-S).** Comprising four panes of six of No. 279BjS-E, Position A, BIA Cover Type 1-b.2, “Specimen.” handstamp on front, some staple rusting, typical staple crease and vertical crease on front with small corner nick, no creases on back, two panes particularly well-centered.

**FINE-VERY FINE. A HIGHLY COLLECTIBLE AND RARE COMPLETE 49c BOOKLET OF THE 2c TYPE IV WITH SPECIMEN OVERPRINT.**

Footnoted but unpriced in Scott ............... E. 2,000-3,000

1013 S  
**2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E, Complete 49c Booklet (BK4-S).** Comprising four panes of six of No. 279BjS-E, three panes Position A, single pane Position M, BIA Cover Type 1-b.2, “Specimen.” handstamp on front in black, single sheet of interleaving missing, apparently a production error, usual staple crease and vertical crease on front, light crease on back, two panes centered slightly to top and two with choice centering.

**FINE-VERY FINE. A RARE COMPLETE 49c BOOKLET OF THE 2c TYPE IV WITH SPECIMEN OVERPRINT, WITH ONE PANE FROM THE PREMIUM POSITION M.**

Early U.S. booklets are occasionally encountered with panes from different positions on the plate. This example with a single pane of Position M (evidence of the horizontal guide line at top can be easily seen from the side of the booklet without bending back the covers) should be considered very desirable.

Footnoted but unpriced in Scott ............... E. 2,000-3,000

1014 S  
**2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Wmk., “Specimen” Ovpt. Ty. E, Partial 97c Booklet (BK5-S).** Comprising seven panes of six of No. 279BjS-E, one pane missing, Position I, BIA Cover Type 1-a.3, “Specimen.” handstamp overprinted twice on front, manuscript “One of the first one hundred books issued. Edwin C. Madden April - 1900” in black, single large staple, neat staple crease and trace of another crease on front, several well-centered panes.

**VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXTREMELY RARE 97c BOOKLET OF THE 2c TYPE IV WITH SPECIMEN OVERPRINT, FROM THE DESIRABLE POSITION I.**

Despite the single missing pane, this booklet should be considered very desirable. We have not encountered a full BK5 or BK5-S and there were none in the Bush, Silverman, Floyd or Hertzka collections. It is estimated that Position I (vertical guide line at left) represents only approximately 1.9% of the printing, making it rarer than the plate no. Position D.

Scott Retail for seven Mint N.H. panes, with no premium for the position or the intact covers and interleaving

................................. 6,750.00
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1015 ★ 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Panes of Six, Horizontal and Vertical Wmks. (279Bj-279Bk). 11 panes, Positions A-I and M, representing the complete set of collectible positions less the rare N and O (Positions J-K do not exist on this issue), original gum, few h.r., Position M barely hinged (appears Mint N.H.), extra Position A (part original gum), Position D with plate no. 991, several with inverted watermarks, couple of distinctly different shades, centering ranges from Very Good to Very Fine, with most Fine, a rare opportunity to acquire a nearly complete set of positions of this first U.S. booklet pane, Scott Retail as single Position D and the remainder the most common position (of the premium positions Scott separately prices only Position D)........... 6,350.00

1016 ★ 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Panes of Six, Vertical Wmk. (279Bk). Three, all Position D with plate nos. 1324, 1326 and 1327, last with inverted watermark, first and last h.r., second lightly hinged, edges a bit roughly cut on two, otherwise Fine, attractive group, Scott Retail as normal watermark ....... (Photo Ex) 4,050.00

1017 ★ 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Panes of Six, Vertical Wmk. (279Bk). Two, both Position D, with the only two Durland listed scarce plate nos. — 1368 and 1369, original gum, first with two h.r. (one reinforcing horizontal perf separations), slightly different shades, Fine-Very Fine appearing panes with extremely scarce plate nos.......................(Photo Ex) 2,700.00

1018 ★ 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Panes of Six, Vertical Wmk. (279Bk). Three panes and one block of four, all Position D with plate nos. 1370, 1371, 1491 and 990 (block), original gum, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail for the three booklet panes.............................................. (Photo Ex) 4,050.00

1019 ★ 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Pane of Six, Vertical Wmk. (279Bk). Position D with plate no. 1492, original gum, choice centering, bright color, Extremely Fine, a lovely booklet pane........................................................................................................ 1,350.00

1020 ★ 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Wmk. (279Bj). Position O, single h.r., centered to top, clear vertical guide line at left, Fine, the rarest position on the 360 subject plate with only approximately 0.3% of the total printing representing this position, exceedingly difficult to find, Scott Retail for the most common position ........................................ 500.00

1021 ★★ 2c Orange Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Wmk. (279Bj). Position M, Mint N.H., fresh and Fine, only approximately 6.7% of the total printing is represented by this position, Scott Retail as most common position ................................................................................. 1,000.00

1022 ★ 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Wmk. (279Bj). Position N, lightly hinged, centered to left but with wide margins at sides maximizing the vertical guide line at right, light vertical crease through left stamps, Fine appearance and extremely rare, with only approximately 0.4% of the total printing representing this position, Scott Retail for the most common position ........................................ 500.00

1023 2c Red, Ty. IV, Booklet Covers. 12 pairs of front and back booklet covers as issued for Booklets BK1-BK9 and BK1-S (which contained Nos. 279Bj-279Bk, 279BjS-E), BIA Cover Types I-a.1, I-d.1, I-e.1, I-e.2, I-e.3 and Specimen I-a.1, several include interleaving sheets, few with typical staple creases or a small fault, overall Very Fine, fascinating specialist group...Not illustrated E. 300-400
1024 ** 2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Watermark, Complete 25c Booklet (BK1). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279Bj, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-a.1, single small staple, pristine front cover, back cover with small corner crease and slight creasing along staple. Very Fine and scarce complete booklet, the similar 25c BK2 with buff cover is priced at $6,000.00 in Scott, this booklet is listed but unpriced, Scott Retail as two Mint N.H. panes with no premium for the complete booklet which Scott generally prices at a 3-times multiple versus separate panes .......................... 2,000.00

1025 * 2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Watermark, Complete 25c Booklet (BK1). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279Bj, Positions B and H, BIA Cover Type I-a.1, single large staple, light cover creasing, interleaving pages adhere to the panes, still Fine and scarce complete booklet with two premium plate positions, each of which are estimated to comprise less than 3% of the total printing, the similar 25c BK2 with buff cover is priced at $6,000.00 in Scott (for the most common position), this booklet is listed but unpriced, Scott Retail as two Mint N.H. panes with no premium for the complete booklet which Scott generally prices at a 3-times multiple versus separate panes......

1026 ** 2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Watermark, Complete 25c Booklet (BK2). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279Bj, Position H, BIA Cover Type I-b.1, single large staple, front cover with light creasing along staple as usual CRISP AND VERY FINE. A WONDERFUL AND SCARCE COMPLETE BOOKLET FROM A PREMIUM PLATE POSITION. Position H is estimated to comprise less than 3% of the total printing. While Scott lists the cover shades for BK1 and BK2 as Cream and Buff respectively, this can much more easily be distinguished from BK1 by the thick yellowish waxed paper interleaving.............. 6,000.00

1027 ** 2c Red, Ty. IV, Vertical Watermark, Complete 25c Booklet (BK7). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279Bk, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-e.1 with “Special-delivery,” at bottom, usual staple creases are lighter than often found, minor wrinkles on front and back, panes are fresh and exceptionally well-centered EXTREMELY FINE. A BEAUTIFUL AND EXTREMELY RARE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF TWO PANES OF THE VERTICAL WATERMARKED 2-CENT TYPE IV WITH A COVER COMBINATION UNLISTED IN SCOTT FOR THIS ISSUE.

Scott lists cover Type BC2B for booklet No. BK7. The Special Delivery line appears on Scott cover Type BC2A, listed on booklet panes starting with the 1903 Issue.

Ex Silverman, where it realized $12,650 in the 2000 Bennett sale. Scott Retail for normal No. BK7 is $7,000.00.............................. E. 5,000-7,500
1028 ** 2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Watermark, Complete 25c Booklet (BK7). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279Bj, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-c.2-1, front cover with typical creasing along staple, otherwise free of defects, panes are nicely centered and fresh. VERY FINE AND SCARCE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF TWO PANES OF THE HORIZONTAL WATERMARKED 2-CENT TYPE IV. We have not offered another since keeping computerized records ........................................ 7,000.00

1029 ** 2c Red, Ty. IV, Vertical Watermark, Complete 25c Booklet (BK7). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279Bk, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-d.1, lighter staple crease than often found, front cover with slight soiling, panes are nicely centered and fresh. VERY FINE. A SCARCE AND DESIRABLE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF TWO PANES OF THE VERTICAL WATERMARKED 2-CENT TYPE IV. The vertical watermarked panes come from the 180 subject plate. .................................................. 7,000.00

1030 2c Red, Ty. IV, Horizontal Watermark, Complete 25c Booklet (BK7). Comprising two panes of six of No. 279Bj, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-c.1-1, tropicalized original gum, front cover with creasing along staple, back cover with vertical crease, otherwise Very Fine, a scarce complete booklet....... 7,000.00

1031 2c Red, Ty. IV, Vertical Watermark, Complete 49c Booklet (BK8). Comprising four panes of six of No. 279Bk, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-d.2, tropicalized original gum, front cover with small piece missing along top staple and with the typical crease, panes well-centered. A FINE AND VERY SCARCE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF FOUR PANES OF THE VERTICAL WATERMARKED 2-CENT TYPE IV. None of the three Scott listed 49c booklets of this issue are priced. Scott prices the 25c and 96c booklets between $6,000.00 and $15,000.00. We could not locate another example in Power Search .................................................. E. 2,000-3,000
1032 ** 2c Red, Ty. IV, Vertical Watermark, Partial Exploded 49c Booklet (BK8). Comprising three panes of six and one pane of five of No. 279Bk, Position E, BIA Cover Type 1-c.2, bit heavy cover wear and single stamp from one pane missing, an affordable example of this rare booklet from a premium position, much scarcer than from Position A, Scott Retail as three Mint N.H. panes with no premium for the covers...................... ..................................................... 3,000.00

1033 ** 2c Red, Ty. IV, Vertical Watermark, Complete 97c Booklet (BK9). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 279Bk, Position E, BIA Cover Type 1-d.3, couple very faint bends on back and at top of upper staple on front, four of the panes are particularly well-centered EXTREMELY FINE. A SPECTACULAR AND RARE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF EIGHT PANES OF THE VERTICAL WATERMARKED 2-CENT TYPE IV. ONE OF THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE BEUTEL COLLECTION. This choice highest value booklet of Scott 279Bk has all a collector of these issues could desire — a crisp, solid cover, Mint N.H. panes with choice centering and a premium plate position. Few of these booklets exist and we have not encountered a finer example. Ex Silverman, where it realized $17,600 in the 2000 Bennett sale..................... 15,000.00

1034 ** 2c Red, Ty. IV, Vertical Watermark, Complete 97c Booklet (BK9). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 279Bk, Position A, BIA Cover Type 1-d.3, original front cover missing and replaced but staples intact throughout rest of booklet, typical creasing along staple on back, panes are fresh and exceptionally well-centered EXTREMELY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THIS RARE 97-CENT BOOKLET ISSUE. While the replaced front cover will make this example more affordable than the previous lot, opportunities to acquire this booklet are very infrequent - especially with choice centering on all the panes. Scott Retail for the full booklet is $15,000.00. Scott Retail as eight Mint N.H. panes with no premium for booklet.......................... 8,000.00
1035 ★ 1c Blue Green, Booklet Pane of Six (300b). Position A, lightly hinged, deep rich color on bright paper, choice centering, Very Fine.......... 600.00

1036 ★ 1c Blue Green, Booklet Pane of Six (300b). Two, Positions B and C, first with single h.r., second bit heavy h.r., both showing the split arrows that define the positions, Fine-Very Fine, scarce positions which are each estimated to represent only 3.3% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position...................(Photo Ex) 1,200.00

1037 ★ 1c Blue Green, Booklet Pane of Six, Misplaced Plate Number (300b var). Position D with plate no. 3472 above the top left stamp, tiny h.r. on one, others relatively lightly hinged, couple minor perf separations between pos. 1 and 3, attractive centering with margins just clear of all stamps
FINE. A SPECTACULAR AND EXTREMELY RARE MISPLACED PLATE NUMBER BOOKLET PAN OF THE 1902 ONE-CENT ISSUE. FEWER THAN FIVE ARE KNOWN.

As discussed in an article in the U.S. Specialist (March 1998, pp. 129-130, copy accompanies), this error came about from the plate number being entered in the top margin over the fifth stamp to the right of the central guide line rather than over the fourth stamp, as was normally the case. The proof sheet in the Smithsonian National Postal Museum for plate no. 3472 vividly demonstrates the error.
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1048 ★ 1c Blue Green, Booklet Pane of Six (300b). Position D with plate no. 3514, lightly hinged, bright paper, nicely centered, Fine-Very Fine.......................... 1,300.00

1049 ★ 1c Blue Green, Booklet Pane of Six (300b). Position E, two small h.r., deep rich color, Fine and attractive position piece, Scott Retail as most common position........... 600.00

1050 ★ 1c Blue Green, Booklet Pane of Six (300b). Position F, single tiny h.r., two other stamps lightly hinged, bold horizontal and vertical guide lines which define the type, rich color, Fine-Very Fine, a scarce position which is estimated to represent only 2.0% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position.............................................. 600.00

1051 ★ 1c Blue Green, Booklet Pane of Six (300b). Position I, single h.r., bold vertical guide line which defines the type, rich color, Fine-Very Fine, the rarest position on the 180 subject plate, estimated to represent only 1.4% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position .............................................................................. 600.00

1052 1c Blue Green, 2c Carmine, Booklet Covers. Eight pairs of front and back booklet covers as issued for Booklet BK10 (which contained No. 300b), and 2 pairs of front and back booklet covers for Booklets BK11 and BK12 respectively (which contained No. 301c), BIA Cover Types I-k.1, I-m.1, I-n.1, I-o.1, I-c.1 and I-e.2, includes a couple interleaving sheets, few with typical staple creases, Very Fine specialist group ...........Not illustrated E. 200-300

1053 ★★ 1c Blue Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK10). Comprising four panes of six of No. 300b, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-j.1, front cover free of the usual creases but slightly faded, back cover detached and reinforced with hinges, two of the panes with particularly choice centering

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE AND DESIRABLE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF FOUR PANES OF THE 1902 ONE-CENT ISSUE.

This is the only complete booklet format that was issued for the 1902 1c stamp.......................... 6,500.00
**1054 ★★ 1c Blue Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK10).** Comprising four panes of six of No. 300b, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-m.1, beautiful and tight front and back covers remarkably free of the usual creases, only some slight staple rusting, panes centered a bit to the top.

**VERY FINE. A CRISP AND CHOICE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF FOUR PANES OF THE 1902 ONE-CENT ISSUE. RARE IN ANY CONDITION.**

This is the only complete booklet format that was issued for the 1902 1c stamp..... 6,500.00

**1055 ★★ 1c Blue Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK10).** Comprising four panes of six of No. 300b, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-I.1, front cover cracked along the usual crease and reinforced with old scotch tape and more recent archival tape, back with a few minor scuffs, panes are well-centered, with two particularly choice.

**FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF FOUR PANES OF THE 1902 ONE-CENT ISSUE FROM THE PREMIUM POSITION E.**

Position E is estimated to account for approximately 30% of the total printing, making it almost twice as scarce as Position A. Scott Retail for the most common position..... 6,500.00

**1056 ★★ 1c Blue Green, Booklet Pane Pairs (300b).** Two covers, each with booklet pane pair tied by waving flag machine cancel, first postmarked “San Antonio Tex. Apr-1 12-30P 1908”, second “San Diego Cal. Mar 16 11-PM 1908”, second with couple tiny tears and light soiling. Very Fine appearing and scarce on-cover usages, first with 1984 P.F. certificate

.......................(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
1057 ** 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position A, Mint N.H., vibrant color, Fine. 950.00

1058 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position B, appears Mint N.H. but with light pencil mark on gum, clear guide line at right, brilliant color, natural gum crease affects positions three and six, still fresh and Very Fine, scarce position which is estimated to represent only approximately 3.3% of the total printing, Scott Retail for hinged and most common position ................................................................. 500.00

1059 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position C, couple h.r., clear guide line at left, bright paper, Fine-Very Fine, desirable position which is estimated to represent only approximately 3.3% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position ................................. 500.00

1060 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1582, h.r., bottom stamps Mint N.H., vivid color and nice centering, pos. 4 small thin spot, Very Fine appearance ...................... 1,500.00

1061 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1583, bright color on fresh paper, choice centering, bottom four stamps particularly nice, Very Fine, an attractive plate no. pane ......................................................... 1,500.00

1062 ** 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1584, Mint N.H., bright color on fresh paper, beautiful centering, top four stamps particularly choice, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, a gorgeous plate no. pane, Position D with plate no. 1584 is listed in Durland as being scarce with only three to five known .................................................. 2,500.00

1063 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1585, few h.r., margins clear to wide, irregular edges as often seen on early booklet panes, Fine-Very Fine, listed as a scarce plate no. in Durland with only 3-5 known........................................... 1,500.00

1064 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1664, lightly hinged, vibrant color, lovely centering for this tightly spaced booklet, Very Fine and choice, listed as a scarce plate no. in Durland with only 3-5 known........................................... 1,500.00

1065 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1665, h.r., pretty soft shade distinctly lighter than the others in this group, Fine-Very Fine, listed as scarce plate no. in Durland with only 3-5 known........................................... 1,500.00
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1066 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1666, h.r. and a small paper adherence on gum of one, bottom four stamps with beautiful centering, Fine-Very Fine, it is nearly impossible to have all six stamps well-centered on these booklet panes.................. 1,500.00

1067 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1667, bit heavy h.r., pretty shade, thin spot through lower pair, Fine-Very Fine appearance, listed as scarce plate no. in Durland with only 3-5 known.......................... 1,500.00

1068 (**) 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1688, unused (traces of gum), choice centering, straight edges a bit rough as often seen, still Very Fine, listed as scarce plate no. in Durland with only 3-5 known, Scott Retail with original gum.......................... 1,500.00

1069 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Two, both Position D with plate nos. 1689 and 1691, first with tropicalized original gum, multiple h.r. reinforcing perf separations, scarce plate no. in Durland, second with h.r., lower left stamp with thin spot and tiny hole, Very Fine appearance (Photo Ex) 3,000.00

1070 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1690, barest trace of hinging, beautiful rich color, nicely centered with perfs clear of all stamps, Very Fine, listed as scarce plate no. in Durland with only 3-5 known................................................................. 1,500.00

1071 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position D with plate no. 1771, two h.r. slivers, one reinforces slightly weak perfs between first and second row, otherwise gum is pristine, vivid color, Fine, listed as scarce plate no. in Durland with only 3-5 known.......................... 1,500.00

1072 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position E, h.r. slivers reinforce perf separations between selvage and top left stamp, light shade, bottom four stamps particularly well-centered, Fine- Very Fine, almost twice as scarce as Position A, Scott Retail as most common position........ 500.00

1073 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position F, lightly hinged, complete guide line at right, pretty pastel shade, bottom four stamps with choice centering, Fine- Very Fine, a premium example of this second most scarce position, estimated at only 2% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position.................................................. 500.00

1074 * 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c). Position G, lightly hinged, complete guide line at left, deep rich color, beautiful centering, Very Fine and choice, a lovely booklet pane, U.S. Booklets and Booklet Panes lists this and Position I as the rarest positions on the 180-subject plate for the 2c 1902 Issue, estimated at only 1.4% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position..... 500.00
2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c), Position H, Mint N.H., complete guide line at right which defines the type, deep intense shade, well-centered with ample to wide margins on all stamps, Very Fine and choice, a gorgeous example of this second-most scarce position, estimated at only 2% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position .......................................................... 950.00

2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (301c), Position I, lightly hinged, complete guide line at left which defines the type, rich color, attractive centering with wide margins at top and bottom of the pane, Fine-Very Fine, U.S. Booklets and Booklet Panes lists this and Position G as the rarest positions on the 180 subject plate for the 2c 1902 Issue, estimated at only 1.4% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position. 500.00

2c Carmine, Booklet Pane Pair (301c var). Mint N.H. pair from the bottom of the pane of six, with significant shift caused by pre-printing paperfold, corner crease on right stamp also likely caused by the production anomaly, interesting and dramatic variety ....

........................................................................................................... E. 150-200

2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK11). Comprising two panes of six of No. 301c, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-e.1, inside front of cover with “half” underlined, single large staple which may be a replacement as we see evidence of holes from two small staples, covers free of the usual creases and panes nicely centered, Very Fine appearance.............. 5,000.00

2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK11). Comprising two panes of six of No. 301c, Position H, BIA Cover Type I-e.1, inside front of cover with “half” not underlined, two staples with barest trace of rust underneath, covers free of the usual creases, panes with exceptionally choice centering

FRESH AND EXTREMELY FINE COMPLETE 25-CENT BOOKLET OF THE 1902 2-CENT ISSUE WITH PREMIUM POSITION H PANES.

Position H is defined by the vertical guide line at right, which is clearly evident on these panes. This position is listed in U.S. Booklets and Booklet Panes as the second rarest on the 180 subject plate, representing only approximately 2% of the total production, compared to more than 53% for Position A. With the combination of fresh covers, choice pane centering and a scarce position this should be considered a very desirable complete booklet.

Scott Retail for the most common position .......................................................................................... 5,000.00
1080  **  2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK12). Comprising four panes of six of No. 301c, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-e.2, inside front of cover with “half” underlined, two staples with barest trace of rust underneath, usual front cover crease along staples and light vertical crease in middle, panes centered a bit to the right.

FINE-VERY FINE. A SCARCE COMPLETE 49-CENT BOOKLET OF THE 1902 2-CENT ISSUE WITH PREMIUM POSITION PANES.

Position E is defined by a horizontal guide line between the top two rows of stamps. While more common than the rarest 180 subject plate positions, it is almost twice as scarce as the standard Position A.

Scott Retail for the most common position .................................................. 4,000.00

1081  **  2c Carmine, Partial 97c Booklet (BK13). Comprising three panes of six of No. 301c, five panes missing, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-e.3, inside front of cover with “half” underlined, usual staple crease and an additional vertical crease on front, one pane particularly well-centered, while not a complete booklet still Fine and scarce with multiple panes and the complete covers, Scott Retail as three Mint N.H. panes with no premium for the booklet format.............................. 2,850.00

1082  **  2c Carmine, Booklet Pane Pair (301c). Pair and single, tied by three strikes of “Ballston Spa. N.Y. Jul 2 3 PM 1903” duplex cancel, on cover to London, back with New York Foreign Branch circular datestamp, some edge wear and light soiling, otherwise Very Fine, a scarce international usage of the 1902 Issue 2c booklet stamps........ E. 200-300

1083  **  2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Nine panes comprising the complete set of collectible positions A-I, three Mint N.H. (Pos. E, F, H), Position D with plate no. 1845 which is a Durland listed scarce plate, almost universally choice centering, vertical guide lines are clear on the items where they should appear, overall Very Fine, an attractive and desirable complete set of positions, Scott Retail for one Position D and eight of the most common position .......................................................................................................................(Photo Ex)  1,620.00

1084  **  2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D incl. plate nos. 1890, 1891, 2111, 2112, 2203, 2375 and 2377, most lightly hinged, one with disturbed o.g., Fine-Very Fine.........................................................................................................................(Photo Ex)  1,925.00

1085  **  2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Five, all Position D incl. plate nos. 1892 and 1951, as well as Durland listed scarce plate nos. 1849, 1949 and 1952, couple with tropicalized o.g., others h.r., Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue .................................................................................................................................(Photo Ex)  1,375.00
1086 * 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Four, all Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 2121, 2122, 2123 and 2124, one lightly hinged, one with tropicalized o.g., Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue ................... (Photo Ex) 1,100.00

1087 * 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Five, all Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 2304, 2371, 2372, 2376 and 2497, couple lightly hinged, one with tropicalized o.g., Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue ................... (Photo Ex) 1,375.00

1088 * 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D incl. plate nos. 2467, 2506, 2549, 2550, 2551 and 2600, four lightly hinged, two with small h.r., bright colors, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue ................... (Photo Ex) 1,650.00

1089 * 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 2498, 2499, 2504, 2507, 2601 and 2602, Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue ................... (Photo Ex) 1,650.00

1090 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g, 319n, 319p). One of each shade, all Mint N.H. from Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 2548 (Scarlet), 2772 (Carmine) and 3196 (Carmine Rose), one with small gum skip, Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue ................... (Photo Ex) 1,850.00

1091 * 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 2604, 2783, 2924, 2926, 2931 and 2934, one lightly hinged, most others tropicalized o.g., two with particularly nice centering, Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue ................... (Photo Ex) 1,850.00

1092 * 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Nine, all Position D, couple lightly hinged, five with tropicalized o.g., several are quite well-centered, Fine-Very Fine, also incl. a Die I pane made to appear as a Die II pane by pasting on a plate no. tab (not counted) .......... (Photo Ex) 2,475.00

1093 * 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six (319g). Position D with Durland listed scarce plate no. 2955, tropicalized o.g., brilliant color and exceptionally well-centered, Extremely Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue ................... 275.00
1094 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D, one with small h.r., others previously hinged on two stamps, rich colors, nicer centering than often seen, Very Fine and attractive ................................................. (Photo Ex) 1,650.00

1095 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Five, all Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 2925, 3011, 3012, 3014 and 3019, tropicalized o.g., generally nice centering, Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue, also includes two previously unknown plate no. tabs (3236 and 3237) which are not known on full booklet panes, pictured in the U.S. Specialist (photocopy accompanies the lot) ............... (Photo Ex) 1,375.00

1096 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 3197, 3198, 3199, 3397, 3398 and 3436, couple with h.r. but gum intact on all, bright colors with some shade variation, attractive centering throughout, Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue (Photo Ex) 1,650.00

1097 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Seven, all Position D incl. plate nos. 3354, 3359, 3387, 3388, 3409, 3525 and 3526, couple with h.r. but gum intact on all and one barely hinged, bright colors with some distinct shade variation, attractive centering, Fine-Very Fine ....................... (Photo Ex) 1,925.00

1098 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 3437, 3443, 3444, 3449, 3521 and 3532, couple with h.r., balance lightly hinged, bright colors with some shade variation, two with particularly nice centering, Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue, the plate no. 3443 pane pictured on front of U.S. Specialist (March 1997) as a new discovery, photocopy of article included ................................................. (Photo Ex) 1,650.00

1099 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D, incl. plate nos. 3549, 3553, 3662, 3740, 3754 and 3762, three with h.r., others lightly hinged, several particularly dark and vibrant shades, one with some perf separations, Fine-Very Fine ................................. (Photo Ex) 1,650.00

1100 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 3550, 3645, 3661, 3664, 3669 and 3997, couple with h.r., balance lightly hinged, bright colors, Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue .................................................. (Photo Ex) 1,650.00

1101 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Six, all Position D, incl. plate nos. 3763, 3766, 3810, 3814, 3817 and 3819, two with h.r., others barely or lightly hinged, nice range of shades, four with choice centering, Fine-Very Fine .................................................. (Photo Ex) 1,650.00
1102 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Four, all Position D, incl. plate nos. 3822, 3999, 4001 and 4106, couple with small h.r., choice centering throughout, fresh and Very Fine-Extremely Fine group ............................................ (Photo Ex) 1,100.00

1103 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Three, all Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 4002, 4435 and 4439, first lightly hinged, other two h.r., distinctly different shades, Fine-Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue .................................................... (Photo Ex) 825.00

1104 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Seven, all Position D, incl. plate nos. 4108, 4115, 4382, 4418, 4430, 4423 and 4445, mostly lightly hinged, couple with small h.r., range of shades and several with nice centering, two with light toned spots on one edge, Fine-Very Fine group, also incl. plate no. 4367 and 4457 singles (not counted)...... .............................................................. (Photo Ex) 1,925.00

1105 (★) 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Twenty, all Position D incl. several Durland listed scarce plate nos., all unused (either no gum or trace of o.g.), range of centering, mostly Fine-Very Fine, plate no. panes are rarely offered in this quantity, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue, Scott Retail as original gum.......................................................... Not illustrated 5,500.00

1106 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Watermark (319g var). Position D with plate no. 3300, lightly hinged, lovely color and choice centering

VERY FINE. A RARE AND DESIRABLE PLATE NUMBER BOOKLET PANES OF THE 2-CENT SHIELD ISSUE WITH HORIZONTAL WATERMARK.

As described in U.S. Booklets and Booklet Panes (p. 52), during late December 1906 to January 1907, sheets from eight plates were printed using horizontally watermarked paper, delivered in error by the manufacturer, rather than the normal vertically watermarked paper. Other than the early 360 subject plates for No. 279Bj-k, this is the only U.S. booklet pane known on horizontally watermarked paper. 9,500.00
1107  *  2¢ Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Watermark (319g var). Position D with plate no. 3299, watermark also inverted and reversed, two h.r., rich color. Fine and rare, other than the early 360 subject plates for No. 279Bj-k this is the only U.S. booklet pane known on horizontally watermarked paper.......................................................... 9,500.00

1108  *  2¢ Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Watermark (319g var). Position D with plate no. 3302, watermark also reversed, two h.r., rich color, about Fine, rare, other than the early 360 subject plates for No. 279Bj-k this is the only U.S. booklet pane known on horizontally watermarked paper ........................................................................................................ 9,500.00

1109  *  2¢ Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six, Horizontal Watermark (319g var). Position D with plate no. 3307, lightly hinged, crisp paper and nicely centered

   VERY FINE. A CHOICE AND RARE PLATE NUMBER BOOKLET PANE OF THE 2-CENT SHIELD WITH HORIZONTAL WATERMARK.

As described in U.S. Booklets and Booklet Panes (p. 52), during late December 1906 to January 1907 sheets from eight plates were printed using horizontally watermarked paper and delivered in error by the manufacturer. Other than the early 360 subject plates for No. 279Bj-k this is the only U.S. booklet pane known on horizontally watermarked paper ...................................................... 9,500.00

1110  *  2¢ Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six (319g var). Position 11E with part left arrow at end of the horizontal guide line, lightly hinged, vivid color, centered to the right as is necessary in order to create the variety

   A RARE CAPTURED LEFT ARROW BOOKLET PANE OF THE 2-CENT TYPE I SHIELD.

In perforating and cutting the panes, the entire left, right and bottom arrows were normally cut off, with only the top arrow partly appearing on the issued booklet panes (Positions B and C). This rare variety occurred due to a misalignment of the paper with the cutting blades ........................................................................................................ E. 1,500-2,000
1111  2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six (319g). Position D with plate no. 4115, pretty pastel color, neat strikes of "Titusville Pa." boxed cancels, affixed to paper backing which may be part of the original envelope, Fine-Very Fine, a scarce complete used pane with a plate no................................................................. 850.00

1112  2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six (319g). Position G, clear guide line at left, which along with the horizontal guide line between the first two rows defines the position, deep shade, bold strikes of "Titusville Pa." boxed cancels, several h.r. which reinforce a few perf separations at top, shallow thin spot, Fine-Very Fine appearance, a rare complete used pane from Position G, which is tied for the rarest position on the 180 subject plate, representing an estimated 1.4% of the total printing, Scott Retail for the most common position ................................................................. 550.00

1113  2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Panes of Six (319g). Three full panes on cover, first Position E used with 4c Brown (377) on 1914 registered cover from Jewett City Conn. to Philadelphia; second Position E but missing top tab and used on 1908 illustrated corner card from Philadelphia to Wilmington Del., side of pane faulty from placement near edge; last is Position E used on 1927 flight cover from Washington to Chicago with sheet of four Official Seals on back (LOX11), couple small stamp or cover faults, Fine-Very Fine appearance, scarce group of panes on covers...................(Photo Ex) E. 500-750

1114  2c Carmine, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319h). Position D with plate no. 4441, bottom four stamps Mint N.H., vivid color, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, Carmine Die II booklet panes are scarce, particularly plate no. positions................................. 1,500.00

1115  2c Carmine, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319h). Position D with plate no. 4442, h.r., bottom pair Mint N.H., bright color, attractive and Fine-Very Fine, Carmine Die II booklet panes are scarce, particularly plate no. positions ...................................................... 1,500.00

1116  2c Carmine, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319h). Position D with Durland listed scarce plate no. 4444, h.r., bottom pair Mint N.H., crisp paper, Fine-Very Fine, Carmine Die II booklet panes are scarce, this plate no. pane is extremely rare as Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue ...................... 1,500.00

1117  2c Carmine, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319h). Position D with plate no. 4446, couple small h.r., vivid color, Fine-Very Fine, Carmine Die II booklet panes are scarce, particularly plate no. positions......................................................... 1,500.00
1118 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319h). Position D with plate no. 4551, deep rich color, Fine-Very Fine. Carmine Die II booklet panes are scarce, particularly plate no. positions ................................................................. 1,500.00

1119 ★ 2c Carmine, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319h). Position D with plate no. 4558, rich color, beautiful centering. Very Fine-Extremely Fine, an outstanding example of the scarce Carmine Die II booklet pane, made even more desirable by the plate no. position ................................................................. 1,500.00

1120 ★ 2c Scarlet, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six (319p). Position A, Mint N.H., brilliant color, choice centering, tiny 1.5mm tear at bottom of bottom right stamp, Very Fine appearance .................................................. 350.00

1121 ★ 2c Lake, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319q). Position D with plate no. 4594, bottom four stamps Mint N.H., deep rich color, Fine-Very Fine ................................................................. 550.00

1122 ★★ 2c Lake, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319q). Position D with Durland listed scarce plate no. 4598, Mint N.H., beautiful color in the true Lake shade, Fine-Very Fine. Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue ...... 900.00

1123 ★ 2c Lake, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319q). Three, two from Position D with plate nos. 4602 and 4749, third from Position A, two with h.r., Position A Very Good, plate no. panes Fine .................................................................(Photo Ex) 1,400.00

1124 ★ 2c Lake, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319q). Position D with Durland listed scarce plate no. 4607, h.r., lovely dark shade, Very Fine, Durland records only one known for each of the listed scarce plate nos. for this issue .......................................................... 550.00

1125 ★★ 2c Lake, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319q). Position E, Mint N.H., deep rich color, Fine, scarce Mint N.H. Die II pane ................................................................. 575.00
1126 ★ 2c Lake, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319q). Position F, barely hinged, clear guide line at right, exceptional centering, vibrant color, Extremely Fine gem, a gorgeous Lake Die II booklet pane from a premium position, which is estimated to represent only 2% of the total printing, making it rarer than the plate no. Position D, of the more than 150 2c Shield booklet panes in the Beutel collection this is the finest one we have seen, Scott Retail as most common position ........ 300.00

1127 ★ 2c Lake, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319q). Position G, two stamps h.r., others Mint N.H., clear guide line at left, nice centering, rich color, Very Fine, scarce from this premium position which is estimated to represent only 1.4% of the total printing, tying it for the rarest position with Position I and making it more than twice as rare as the plate no. Position D, Scott Retail as most common position ........................................ 300.00

1128 2c Lake, Ty. II, Booklet Pane of Six (319q). Position E, multiple strikes of Kansas City Mo. boxed cancels, deep rich color in the true Lake shade, nice centering, couple light creases in bottom stamps, Very Fine appearance, Scott Catalog assigns a 2.5-times premium to the Die II Lake booklet pane in used condition (and prices it in italics) versus unused, we believe the relative scarcity of a genuinely used pane is far greater than that multiplier, this is the first we have offered since keeping computerized records, Scott Retail as most common position ......................... 750.00

1129 2c Shield Issue, Booklet Covers. 48 pairs of front and back booklet covers as issued for Booklets BK14 to BK17 (which contained Nos. 319g-319q), owner’s inventory indicates that only approximately 13 BIA cover types are missing, with approximately 24 present, BIA Covers range from I-e.1 through I-o.5, some with interleaving present, a few faults to be expected, a fascinating group that would be exceedingly difficult to duplicate ........................................ Not illustrated E. 500-750

1130 ★★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 25c Booklet (BK14). Comprising two panes of six of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-e.1, covers are fresh with just the usual staple creasing and a light horizontal bend on the front which is barely noticeable, both panes with nice centering, Very Fine, a fresh and crisp complete booklet........................................................................ 1,100.00

1131 ★★ 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Partial 25c Booklet (BK14). Two partial booklets, first with single pane of four stamps of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-g.1, front with usual staple creasing and back with vertical crease, one stamp with a small tear, incomplete but still a rather scarce back cover, second with one pane of six stamps of No. 319g, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-n.2, wrinkling on one interleaving sheet, covers pristine, Very Fine appearance .........................(Photo Ex) E. 300-400
1132 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 25c Booklet (BK14). Comprising two panes of six of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-i.1, very fresh and tight covers without the normal creasing, light ms. Scott No. pencil mark on front, one pane with particularly choice centering, a crisp and Extremely Fine complete booklet.............................................................. 1,100.00

1133 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 25c Booklet (BK14). Comprising two panes of six of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-i.2, covers are tight and crisp without the normal creasing, panes with Fine centering, first pane particularly nice, Very Fine complete booklet......................... 1,100.00

1133A ** 2c Lake, Ty. II, Complete 25c Booklet (BK14 var). Comprising two panes of six of No. 319q, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-k.2, fresh and crisp covers with no trace of creasing, panes with nice centering, few perf separations in horizontal row of one pane, Very Fine, a rare complete booklet of the 2c Lake Ty. II Shield Issue, Scott assigns a 2.4-times premium for a normal pane of the Lake Ty. II versus the much more common Carmine Ty. I, but does not separately list Ty. II complete booklets, ex Hertzka, Scott Retail for normal BK14..................................... 1,100.00

1134 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 25c Booklet (BK14). Comprising two panes of six of No. 319g, Position B, BIA Cover Type I-j.1, covers are absolutely pristine with no trace of creasing, panes show the clear guide line at right and evidence of the top part arrow is visible through the binding, stamps with choice centering, Extremely Fine, an outstanding complete booklet of the 2c Ty. I Shield from the premium Position B which is estimated to represent only approximately 3.3% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position........................................ 1,100.00

1135 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 25c Booklet (BK14). Comprising two panes of six of No. 319g, Position D, with plate nos. 4435 and 4439, both Durland scarce plate nos. and listed as only one known of each, BIA Cover Type I-m.2-2 (with “A” of Antigua under “wf” of Newfoundland on IBC—the existence of this cover type is speculated upon in the BIA cover list but unconfirmed in the 1999 version), covers are fresh without the normal creasing, panes with choice centering EXTREMELY FINE COMPLETE BOOKLET OF THE 2-CENT SHIELD WITH TWO PLATE NUMBER PANES. Scott Catalogue does not price a complete booklet with plate no. panes. Scott Retail for normal booklet is $1,100.00 and is nearly identical to two plate no. panes, this does not adequately reflect the value of this complete booklet.................................................. E. 1,500-2,000

1136 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 25c Booklet (BK14). Comprising two panes of six of No. 319g, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-k.2, covers are fresh without the normal creasing, stamps centered slightly to left and grade Fine, overall Very Fine complete booklet from a better position — which is almost twice as scarce as Position A, Scott Retail as most common position.................... 1,100.00

1137 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 25c Booklet (BK14). Comprising two panes of six of No. 319g, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-m.2-2 (with “A” of Antigua under “wf” of Newfoundland on IBC—the existence of this cover type is speculated upon in the BIA cover list but unconfirmed in the 1999 version), covers are fresh without the normal creasing, thin mount remnants on back, first pane with particularly choice centering, Very Fine complete booklet from a better position which is almost twice as scarce as Position A, Scott Retail as most common position.................... 1,100.00
1138 ** 2c Lake, Ty. II, Complete 25c Booklet (BK14 var). Comprising two panes of six of No. 319q, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-o.2, pristine covers without the usual creasing, stamps well-centered, Very Fine and choice, a rare complete booklet of the 2c Lake Ty. II Shield from the better Position E. Scott assigns a 2.4-times premium for a normal pane of the Lake Ty. II versus the much more common Carmine Ty. I, but does not separately list Ty. II complete booklets, Scott Retail for normal BK14 from the most common position.................. 1,100.00

1139 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 49c Booklet (BK15). Comprising four panes of six of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-i.2, covers with soiling but free of creasing, two panes with choice centering, overall Fine ................................... 1,350.00

1140 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 49c Booklet (BK15). Comprising four panes of six of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-i.3, few inconsequential cover wrinkles and lighter staple crease than often encountered, panes generally Fine centering except last one very choice, overall Fine and attractive.......................................................................................... 1,350.00

1141 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 49c Booklet (BK15). Comprising four panes of six of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-l.3, covers are crisp and tight without the typical creasing, panes with Fine centering, slightly cut in at bottom stamps, fresh and Very Fine complete booklet, ex Hertzka....................................................................................................... 1,350.00

1142 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 49c Booklet (BK15). Comprising four panes of six of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-k.3, covers are crisp and tight without the usual creases, two of the four panes with exceptional centering, other two Fine-Very Fine, overall Very Fine complete booklet.................................................. 1,350.00

1143 ** 2c Lake, Ty. II, Complete 49c Booklet (BK15 var). Comprising four panes of six of No. 319q, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-o.3, crisp covers without the usual creasing, majority of stamps well-centered

VERY FINE AND CHOICE. A RARE COMPLETE 49-CENT BOOKLET OF THE 2-CENT LAKE SHIELD TYPE II. Scott assigns a 2.4-times premium to a Mint N.H. pane of the Lake Ty. II versus the Carmine Ty. I, but does not differentiate between the two in its complete booklet listings. Scott Retail for normal BK15 of $1,350.00 does not reflect the rarity of this Ty. II booklet......... E. 1,500-2,000
1144 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 49c Booklet (BK15). Comprising four panes of six of No. 319g, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-e.2, pristine covers without the typical creasing, panes with Fine centering, one slightly better than the others, crisp and Very Fine complete booklet from the better Position E which is nearly twice as scarce as Position A, Scott Retail as most common position ......................................................... 1,350.00

1145 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 49c Booklet (BK15). Comprising four panes of six of No. 319g, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-m.2-3, crisp covers without a trace of creasing, panes with Fine centering or slightly better, fresh and Very Fine complete booklet from the better Position E which is nearly twice as scarce as Position A, Scott Retail as most common position ...................................................................................... 1,350.00

1146 ** 2c Lake, Ty. II, Complete 49c Booklet (BK16 var). Comprising four panes of six of No. 319q, Position B, BIA Cover Type I-o.4, vivid pink covers without the usual creasing, just a hint of toning at the left front, stamps with beautiful true Lake color, majority well-centered

VERY FINE. AN EXTRAORDINARILY RARE COMPLETE 49-CENT “PINK” DIE II BOOKLET IN THE LAKE SHADE, FROM THE PREMIUM POSITION B.

This booklet has a long list of factors contributing to its rarity. Most of the 2c Shield Issue was printed from plates laid down with transfer rolls made from Die I. As reflected in the Scott Catalogue’s 2.4-times premium for the Lake shade, Die II stamps are very much in the minority, and individual Mint N.H. panes are not common. The 49c complete booklet with pink covers from this period is also very scarce. To find a Die II booklet from Position B, which represents only approximately 3.3% of the total printing from the 180 subject plate adds a further element to this desirable booklet.

This booklet was missing from the Bush, Silverman, Floyd and Hertzka collections. Scott Retail for a normal booklet from the most common position is $1,350.00 and does not come close to accounting for the rarity of this Ty. II booklet ................. E. 2,000-3,000
1147  **2c Carmine, Ty. II, Complete 97c Booklet (BK17 var).** Comprising eight panes of six of No. 319h, Die II, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-m.2-4, no cover creases or bends, faint edge toning typical to this cover stock, several panes with nice centering

**VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE 97-CENT TYPE II SHIELD ISSUE COMPLETE BOOKLET IN THE CARMINE SHADE, FROM POSITION E.**

Most of the 2c Shield Issue was printed from plates laid down with transfer rolls made from Die I. Of the Die II printings, the Lake shade is far more common than the Carmine shade — the Carmine shade in fact is the scarcest 2c Shield Issue booklet pane, with a Scott Retail value for a single pane approximately 7-times the Die I Carmine shade. A complete 97c Die II Carmine booklet is a great rarity, which in this case is only enhanced by Position E.

Scott Retail for eight Mint N.H. panes with no premium for the complete booklet, which Scott generally prices at twice the value of the underlying panes....................... 12,000.00

1148  **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 97c Booklet (BK17).** Comprising eight panes of six of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-j.4, crisp covers without the typical crease along the staples, several panes well-centered, Very Fine and choice, a fresh and scarce complete 97c booklet......................................................... 3,250.00

1149  **2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 97c Booklet (BK17).** Comprising eight panes of six of No. 319g, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-k.4, immaculate covers without a trace of creases or bends, most panes well-centered, Very Fine and choice, a fresh and desirable complete 97c booklet......................................................... 3,250.00
1150 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 97c Booklet (BK17). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 319g, Position B, BIA Cover Type I-e.3, front cover detached and replaced with small repair, also a bit toned, back cover intact, clear guide lines at right, majority of the panes well-centered. Very Fine appearance and scarce position booklet, Position B is estimated to represent only approximately 3.3% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position.......................... 3,250.00

1151 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 97c Booklet (BK17). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 319g, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-m.2-4, immaculate covers without a trace of creases or bends, most panes with nice centering. Very Fine and choice complete 97c booklet which is especially desirable due to the better plate position which is almost twice as scarce as Position A, Scott Retail as most common position ............................... 3,250.00

1152 ** 2c Lake, Ty. II, Complete 97c Booklet (BK17 var). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 319q, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-n.4, crisp covers with only a light wrinkle along the staples, generally Fine centering, with a couple better.

VERY FINE. A RARE COMPLETE 97-CENT DIE II BOOKLET IN THE LAKE SHADE, FROM POSITION E.

Most of the 2c Shield Issue was printed from plates laid down with transfer rolls made from Die I. As reflected in the Scott Retail 2.4-times premium for the Lake shade, Die II stamps are very much in the minority, and individual Mint N.H. panes are not common. Position E represents approximately 30% of the total printing from the 180 subject plate and is almost twice as scarce as Position A.

Ex Hertzka. Scott Retail for a normal booklet from the most common position............ 4,600.00

1153 ** 2c Carmine, Ty. I, Complete 97c Booklet (BK17). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 319g, Position H, BIA Cover Type 1-i.3, faint staple bend, otherwise covers are crisp and fresh, clear guide lines at right, majority of the panes well-centered.

VERY FINE. A RARE COMPLETE 97-CENT BOOKLET OF THE 2-CENT TYPE I SHIELD ISSUE FROM THE PREMIUM POSITION H.

According to U.S. Booklets and Booklet Panes, Position H is the second scarcest position on the 180 subject plate, accounting for only approximately 2.0% of the total printing, making it scarcer than the plate no. Position D.

Scott Retail as most common position................................................................. 3,250.00
1154 ★ **1c Green, Booklet Pair, Imperforate Between (331a var).** Small h.r., rich color, centered to top as are all the known genuine examples, Fine and scarce, footnoted in Scott Catalog under the normal booklet pane listing as “a variety resulting from booklet experiments”, discussed at length by George Brett in the Philatelic Foundation’s *Opinions V* and updated by Roger Brody in *Opinions VII*, fewer than ten pairs certified, with 1960 P.F. certificate ............... 2,500.00

1155 ★ **1c Green, Booklet Pair, Imperforate Between (331a var).** H.r., rich color, centered to top as are all the known genuine examples, Fine and scarce, footnoted in Scott Catalog under the normal booklet pane listing as “a variety resulting from booklet experiments”, discussed at length by George Brett in the Philatelic Foundation’s *Opinions V* and updated by Roger Brody in *Opinions VII*, fewer than ten pairs certified, with 1977 P.F. certificate ............... 2,500.00

1156 ★ **1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (331a).** Seven, from Positions A, B, C, E, H, J and M, one Mint N.H., three h.r., others lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, an attractive set of seven of the possible 15 positions, all but Position A are estimated to represent less than 4% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position.................................(Photo Ex) 1,245.00

1157 ★★ **1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six (331a).** Position A, Mint N.H., back with heavy ink offset from another printed sheet before separating, showing part side arrow, interesting variety, the side arrows were cut away from the sheets during booklet assembly, finding a side arrow on the printed side of a flat plate booklet pane is a great challenge (and expensive), this may be an acceptable substitute for the specialist collector................................. E. 150-200

1158 ★ **1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (331a).** Three, each Position D with plate nos. 4867, 4869 and 4877, first lightly hinged, other two h.r., plate no. 4869 with particularly choice centering, Fine-Very Fine group representing three of the four Durland listed scarce plate numbers.................................................................(Photo Ex) 720.00
1159  

**1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (331a). Two, both Position D with plate nos. 5037 and 5268, first light h.r., second lightly hinged, few natural gum bends, deep shade, Very Fine pair .................................................(Photo Ex) 480.00**

1160  

**1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (331a). Six, each Position D with plate nos. 5038, 5040, 5041, 5263, 5264 and 5267, h.r., Fine, first three from the 180 subject plate, last three from the 360 subject plate ...........................................................(Photo Ex) 1,440.00**

1161  

**1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six (331a). Position F, small h.r., three stamps Mint N.H., beautiful centering, Very Fine and choice, a scarce position estimated to represent only 1.2% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position ...................... 160.00**

1162  

**1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six (331a). Position G, Mint N.H., clear guide line at left, gorgeous centering, Extremely Fine, a very scarce position estimated to represent only 0.8% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position ...................... 285.00**

1163  

**1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six (331a). Position I, center stamps Mint N.H., others lightly hinged, choice centering, Extremely Fine, a scarce position estimated to represent only 1.9% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position ...................... 160.00**

1164  

**1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six (331a). Position A, strikes of duplex cancel, h.r. reinforces perf separations in tab, rich color, Fine, Scott Catalogue prices a used pane at three times the unused value, genuinely used full panes are rather scarce................................. 450.00**
1165  **  1c Green, Complete 25¢ Booklet (BK18). Comprising four panes of six of No. 331a, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-n.1, crisp covers with only a light bend at the staples, panes with Fine centering, fresh and Very Fine complete booklet........................................ 2,000.00

1166  **  1c Green, Complete 25¢ Booklet (BK18). Comprising four panes of six of No. 331a, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-o.1, front cover with typical staple crease and light vertical crease, all four panes with choice centering, Very Fine, desirable from the better Position E, Scott Retail as most common position........................................ 2,000.00

1167  **  1c Green, Complete 25¢ Booklet (BK19). Comprising four panes of six of No. 331a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-a.1, front cover free of the usual staple crease, back cover two light vertical creases, panes with Fine centering, overall crisp and Very Fine, scarce complete booklet that saw the first use of the Postrider cover......................... 2,250.00

1168  ★  2¢ Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (332a). Ten, representing Positions A, C, D (plate no. 4953), E, G, H, I, J and M, most with h.r., some shade variety, Fine- Very Fine group with nine of the possible 15 positions, several scarce, all but Positions A and E are estimated to represent less than 4% of the total printing and **Position G only 0.7% of total printing**, Scott Retail as most common position, also incl. couple fake panes made from sheet stamps and extra Position A with layout line offset on gum ..........................................................(Photo Ex) 1,400.00

1169  **  2¢ Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (332a). Position B, Mint N.H., clear guide line at right, beautifully centered, fresh and crisp, Extremely Fine, desirable position which represents only approximately 2.6% of the total printing, with 1993 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail as most common position .................................................. 230.00

1170  ★  2¢ Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (332a). Eight, each Position D with Durland listed scarce plate nos. 4803, 4804, 4805, 4806, 4808, 4826, 4832 and 4836, h.r., vast majority of stamps with nice centering, Very Fine group of scarce plate numbers.............................................(Photo Ex) 1,400.00
1171 ** 2c Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (332a). 22 panes mounted on stock pages, all Position D and each a different plate no. from the 180 subject plate, most with h.r., a number with choice centering, Fine-Very Fine, attractive group..................(Photo Ex) 3,850.00

1172 ** 2c Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (332a). Nine panes on stock pages, all Position D and each a different plate no. from the 360 subject plate, a couple with h.r., a few nicely centered, Fine-Very Fine, also incl. two plate no. singles ..............(Photo Ex) 1,750.00

1173 *** 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (332a). Position F, Mint N.H., clear guide line at right, vivid color, nice centering, Very Fine pane from a scarce position, estimated to represent only approximately 1.1% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position ................................................................. 230.00

1174 ** 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (332a). Position O, vivid color, centered strongly to bottom right which maximizes the appearance of the guide line at left, an extremely rare position estimated to represent only 0.1% of the total 62 million pane printing, this position is so rare because the horizontal guide line that ran across the middle of the 360 subject plate was much closer to the bottom of the stamps above it (Positions J-L) than the top of the tab for the positions below it (M-O), and as such when the panes were cut the guide line was almost always included in the upper positions, also Position O is in the middle of the sheet and competes for the vertical guide line to its left with Position N (which is also a very rare position), an unusual item where lack of centering is a plus ........................................................................................................... E. 300-400

1175 *** 2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK20). Comprising two panes of six of No. 332a, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-n.2, immaculate covers free of creases, first pane exceptionally well centered, fresh and crisp, Extremely Fine ......................... 1,250.00

1176 *** 2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK20). Comprising two panes of six of No. 332a, Position C, BIA Cover Type I-o.2, covers are tight and crease-free, just slightly toned, first pane with clear guide line at left, both with evidence of the part arrow at top left, Fine centering, fresh and Very Fine complete booklet from a premium position, estimated to represent only 2.6% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position ................................................................. 1,250.00
1177 ** 2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK21). Comprising four panes of six of No. 332a, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-n.3, covers tight and free of creases but with some light toning, trace of staple rust, stamps with choice centering

VERY FINE. A SCARCE COMPLETE 49-CENT BOOKLET OF THE 2-CENT DOUBLE-LINE WATERMARKED 1908 ISSUE.

This is an elusive complete booklet missing from most advanced collections. To have all panes well-centered is difficult to achieve in booklets with four or more panes  2,750.00

1178 ** 2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK22). Comprising four panes of six of No. 332a, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-o.4, missing the usual staple crease, light corner crease on front, back with small tear at the staple and small broken corner crease, two panes with choice centering

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE COMPLETE 49-CENT PINK BOOKLET OF THE 2-CENT DOUBLE-LINE WATERMARKED 1908 ISSUE.

The 49c Pink booklets with the corner numerals of this and the prior issue are among the most difficult to find of the early booklets, despite the relatively modest catalog value.....

2,750.00

1179 ** 2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK23). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 332a, Position A, BIA Cover Type I-m-1-4, front cover fresh and crisp, back cover re-attached with archival tape, panes with almost universally choice centering, Very Fine appearance, a scarce complete 97c booklet

5,000.00

1180 ★ 2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK23). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 332a, Position E, BIA Cover Type I-o.5, fresh covers without creases, stamps with attractive centering, couple panes with h.r. reinforcing perf separations, still Very Fine, scarce complete 97c booklet from a better position, Scott Retail as all Mint N.H. and most common position......

5,000.00
1181 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK23). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 332a, Positions G and A, BIA Cover Type I-m.2-4, crisp front cover with just a couple barely perceptible light bends, panes with attractive centering throughout.

VERY FINE. A RARE COMPLETE 97-CENT BOOKLET CONTAINING TWO DIFFERENT POSITIONS, INCLUDING THE SCARCE POSITION G.

There is one pane from Position A in this booklet. The others each have the guide line between the first and second rows, and several have a visible guide line at left, which together define this scarce position from the 180 subject plate. U.S. Booklets and Booklet Panes estimates that only 0.7% of the total printing is represented by Position G. Most booklets contain a single position and early flat plate booklets with multiple positions are highly sought after by collectors.

Scott Retail as most common position ................................................................. 5,000.00

1182 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK24). Comprising two panes of six of No. 332a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-a.2, front cover vertical split and couple creases, stamps with choice centering, Fine appearance................................................................. 1,250.00

1183 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK25). Comprising four panes of six of No. 332a, Positions H and A, BIA Cover Type II-a.3, covers a fresh pink shade and free of the typical creases, panes centered to top with one slightly better, overall Very Fine, desirable complete booklet with the two panes each from Positions H and A, the former estimated to represent only 2.9% of the total printing......................................................... 2,500.00

1184 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK26). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 332a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-a.4, front cover without the crease but with an oily stain around the staples on front and back, stamps with Fine centering overall, first couple panes with very light soiling along edge of a couple stamps at left, Fine appearance, a scarce complete 97c booklet................................................................. 5,000.00

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1910 SINGLE-LINE WATERMARK ISSUE

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 23, 2010, AT 1:30 P.M.

1910 SINGLE-LINE WATERMARK ISSUE

1185 ★ 1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (374a). Seven, from Positions A, B, C, H, I, J and M, most with h.r., clear guide lines or part arrows where they should occur to define the positions, couple nicely centered, Fine-Very Fine, interesting group showing seven of the 12 collectible positions, Positions B, C and I are particularly scarce, Scott Retail as most common position .................................................................(Photo Ex) 1,575.00

1186 ★ 1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (374a). Four, each Position D with plate nos. 5263, 5267, 5268 and 5447, one barely hinged, another h.r., Very Good-Fine...(Photo Ex) 1,200.00

1187 ★ 1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (374a). Four, each Position D with plate nos. 5264, 5449, 5452 and 5454, one with small h.r., others lightly hinged, couple natural gum bends, Fine-Very Fine with most in the latter group, attractive set of plate no. panes...........................

1188 ★★ 1c Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK18). Comprising four panes of six of No. 374a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-a.1, front and back covers with light vertical crease, panes generally Fine centering, overall Fine and scarce, this is the only booklet issued for the single-line watermarked “One Cent” panes.................................................. 2,000.00

1189 ★ 2c Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (375a). Eight, representing Positions A, C, I, J, K, L and M, three with small h.r., balance lightly hinged, clear guide lines, Fine-Very Fine, nice collector lot with seven of the 12 collectible positions, K and L are particularly scarce — comprising only approximately 0.6% and 0.4% of the total printing respectively, also incl. extra Position A with plate scratch through “S” of “U.S.”, Scott Retail as most common position...........(Photo Ex) 1,000.00

1190 ★★ 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (375a). Two, Positions B and H, Mint N.H., first with choice centering, second centered slightly to left but showing clear guide line at right, Fine-Extremely Fine, a fresh pair of better positions, Position B is estimated to represent only approximately 1.7% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position...........(Photo Ex) 400.00
1191 ★ 2c Lake, Booklet Pane of Six (375b var). Position D with plate no. 5450, corners of four stamps with single small h.r., bottom pair Mint N.H., deep rich shade, slightly cut in at bottom, other stamps well-centered

VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY RARE PLATE NO. BOOKLET PANNE OF THE 1910 2-CENT ISSUE IN THE LAKE SHADE.

With 1994 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as singles with no premium for the booklet pane format or the Position D............. 7,400.00

1192 ★ 2c Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (375a). Eight, all Position D including plate nos. 5130, 5266, 5445, 5446, 5448, 5451, 5456 and 5459, two Mint N.H., three with h.r., others lightly hinged, one pane with two stamps faulty, overall Very Good-Fine........ (Photo Ex) 1,600.00

1193 ★ 2c Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (375a). Eight, all Position D including plate nos. 5261, 5450, 5461, 5462, 5464, 5466, 5467 and 5472, four with h.r., others lightly hinged, all with nice centering, Very Fine group, plate no. 5472 is the only Durland listed scarce plate no........ (Photo Ex) 1,075.00

1194 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK28). Comprising two panes of six of No. 375a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-a.2, front cover light vertical crease, back with small ms. ink notation, stamps with nice centering, Very Fine......................... 900.00

1195 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK28). Comprising two panes of six of No. 375a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-b.2, light creasing and tiny tear on front next to bottom staple, first pane with a few perf separations, Fine appearance................. 900.00

1196 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK29). Comprising four panes of six of No. 375a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-a.3, light creasing on covers and back with small ms. ink notation, two panes with choice centering, Fine and scarce complete booklet ................................................................. 2,500.00
1910 Single-Line Watermark Issue

1197 ** 2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK29). Comprising four panes of six of No. 375a, Position I, BIA Cover Type II-b.3, vertical creasing on front and some soiling along staples, clear guide lines at left which define the position, one pane with choice centering, other three centered to bottom, overall Fine, very scarce complete 49c booklet from a premium position, estimated to represent only 2.6% of the total printing, Scott Retail as most common position ................................................................. 2,500.00

1198 ** 2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK30). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 375a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-a.4, crisp covers with only light bending near the staples, several panes well-centered, Very Fine, a fresh and scarce complete 97c booklet.................. 5,000.00

1199 ** 2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet, Specimen Overprint Ty. E (BK30-S). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 375aS-E, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-a, Ty. E overprints in dull purple, pristine covers with only a hint of faint staple creasing, several panes well-centered, few others centered to top


Specimen overprints after the 1895 Issue (279BjS-E) are extremely rare. Each of the three formats (25c, 49c, 97c) for the 2c single-line watermarked 1910 booklets are known with this specimen overprint and each is unique. It is not known why they were produced.

Ex Littlefield. With 1992 P.F. certificate ........................................... E. 10,000-15,000
1912 NEW DESIGN

1200  ★  1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (405b). Nine, from Positions A, B, C, H, I, J, K, L and M, few with h.r., others lightly hinged, overall nice centering. Fine-Very Fine group with nine of the twelve collectible positions, difficult set to duplicate as several are particularly scarce (Positions K and L represent only 0.6% and 0.4% of the total printing respectively), Scott Retail value as most common position .........................(Photo Ex) 595.00

1201  ★  1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six (405b). Position A, h.r., dramatic miscut centers the left stamps and captures significant portions of the three stamps to the left, interesting freak ............................................ E. 100-150

1202  ★★  1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (405b). Four, all Position D with plate nos. 5744, 6355, 6363 and 6364, Mint N.H., one Very Good, one Fine and two Very Fine .........................................................(Photo Ex) 560.00

1203  ★  1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (405b). Position D, eleven of the 15 total plates, about half with h.r., range of centering with a couple nicer, Very Good- Very Fine .........................(Photo Ex) 960.00

1204  ★  1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six (405b). Position N, h.r., bottom stamps cut in, middle pair with choice centering, Fine-Very Fine, a rare position which is estimated to represent only 0.4% of the total printing ........................................ E. 200-300

1205  1c Green, Booklet Pane Single (405b). Used with No. 423 and No. Q10 (two and one respectively), and with single of booklet stamp No. 425e on parcel post tag from Bethel Alaska to San Francisco, all stamps tied by “Bethel Alaska Nov. 12 1915” circular datestamp, some creasing and one of the $1.00 stamps faulty, an extremely rare usage of the 50c Parcel Post Issue from Alaska, few are known, this is one of two known used with 1c and 2c booklet singles ........................................ E. 1,000-1,500
1206 ** 1c Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK31). Comprising four panes of six of No. 405b, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-a.1, crisp covers without creasing, staples replaced, panes with mixed centering, Very Fine appearance ................................................... 1,000.00

1207 ** 1c Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK31). Comprising four panes of six of No. 405b, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-b.1, fresh covers, two panes with nice centering, Very Fine .............................................................................................................. 1,000.00

1208 ** 1c Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK32). Comprising four panes of six of No. 405b, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-c.1, covers are tight and crisp without creasing, small bit of staple rust, panes with Fine centering, overall Fine ........................................ 1,250.00

1209 ** 1c Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK32). Comprising four panes of six of No. 405b, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-e.1, covers are tight and crisp, mix of centering as would be expected with so many panes, a number are quite nice, Very Fine complete booklet, this was the first 16-pane booklet issued ..................................................... 1,750.00

1210 ** 1c Green, Complete 97c Booklet (BK33). Comprising 16 panes of six of No. 405b, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-e.2, covers are fresh and crisp, mix of centering as would be expected with so many panes, a number are quite nice, Very Fine complete booklet, this was the first 16-pane booklet issued ................................................................. 1,750.00

1211 ** 1c Green, Partial 73c Booklet (BK33). Comprising a single pane of each of Nos. 405b and 406a, remaining panes missing, interleaving pages intact, light front cover crease, pane centering Fine, overall Very Fine appearance, while incomplete this is still a desirable example as it contains a pane of each denomination, this was the first combination booklet issued, Scott Retail as complete booklet $3,000.00 ................................. E. 300-400
1212  *  2c Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (406a). Ten, representing Positions A, B, C, H, I, J, K, L and M, couple Mint N.H., others lightly hinged or h.r., most well-centered, Fine-Very Fine set with nine of the 12 possible collectible positions, several are scarce incl. Positions K and L which represent 0.6% and 0.4% of the total printing respectively, also incl. Position A submitted to the P.F. as Lake shade but certified as oxidized Carmine, Scott Retail as most common position ............................................................... (Photo Ex)  740.00

1213  *  2c Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (406a). Complete collection of 32 Durland listed plate nos. on stock pages, incl. the two scarce ones (5783 and 6564), probably some Mint N.H. mixed in, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as hinged ............................................................ (Photo Ex)  2,560.00

1214  **  2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet, Washburn Patent Interleaving (BK35 var). Comprising two panes of six of No. 406a, Position A, with three sheets of waxed interleaving paper embossed “Pat. Sept. 20. 1904” and with a washboard pattern throughout, covers are tight and fresh, Very Fine and choice, a fascinating complete booklet variety, described in the BIA Booklet Cover checklist as “Grilled waxed paper interleaves experimentally used on 396 booklets of the 2c - 12 subject size”, accompanied by a Bureau Specialist article by Hugh Southgate from 1940 discussing experimental interleaving for booklets ................................................................................. E. 1,500-2,000

1215  **  2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet, Washburn Patent Interleaving (BK35 var). Exploded booklet laid out and mounted on an exhibit page, comprising two panes of six of No. 406a, Position I, with three sheets of waxed interleaving paper embossed “Pat. Sept. 20. 1904” and with a washboard pattern throughout, covers are fresh, one of the panes with tab faults, Very Fine appearance, a fascinating complete booklet variety, described in the BIA Booklet Cover checklist as “Grilled waxed paper interleaves experimentally used on 396 booklets of the 2c - 12 subject size”, accompanied by a Bureau Specialist article by Hugh Southgate from 1940 discussing experimental interleaving for booklets ................................................................................. (Photo Ex)  E. 1,000-1,500

1216  **  2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK35). Comprising two panes of six of No. 406a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-b.2, crisp covers, without creasing, Very Fine ............................................. 825.00

1217  **  2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK36). Comprising four panes of six No. 406a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-b.3, light cover creases, otherwise Fine-Very Fine .................................................. 1,500.00
**1218**  
*2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK37).* Comprising eight panes of six of No. 406a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-b.4, top cover separated and repositioned with tape, otherwise Fine-Very Fine ................................................................. 2,000.00

**1219**  
*2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK38).* Comprising two panes of six of No. 406a, Position L, BIA Cover Type II-c.2, inconsequential faint toning band at left of front cover, still Fine-Very Fine, rare position which accounts for only 0.4% of all panes..... 1,000.00

**1220**  
*2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK40).* Comprising eight panes of six of No. 406a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-e.5, incredibly fresh and Fine, very scarce booklet in exceptional condition ................................................................................ 2,250.00

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**1221**  
*1c Green, Booklet Panes of Six (424d).* Collection of all positions A-O and 30 of the 32 Durland listed plate nos., also varieties, used, precancelled, etc., many Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine lot and desirable with this level of completeness, Scott Retail as hinged ..................(Photo Ex) 550.00

**1222**  
*1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six, Imperforate (424e).* Unused (no gum) as always, excellent centering, Very Fine and choice, see article in The United States Specialist Volume 40, March 1969 pp 101-105 by George W. Brett for interesting background information concerning this error of which 60 are reported known ............................................. 2,000.00
1223 (★) 1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six, Imperforate (424e). Unused (no gum) as always, centered to bottom and right with tab a bit irregularly reduced at top. Very Good-Fine, with 2000 P.F. certificate that does not mention the tab reduction, 60 panes reported, see George Brett article in the March 1969 Issue of The United States Specialist .......................... 2,000.00

1224 ★★ 1c Green, Complete 25c and 97c Booklets (BK41-BK42). Comprising two booklets, with four and 16 panes of six respectively of No. 424d, both Position A, BIA Cover Types II-e.1 and II-e.2, each cover lightly creased from bending, otherwise Fine-Very Fine ..............(Photo Ex) 435.00

1225 ★★ 1c Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK41). Two booklets comprising four panes of six each of No. 424d, Positions B and H, BIA Cover Types II-f.1 and 2-g.1, covers of one lightly toned, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, only 1.7% and 4% of all panes come from these positions, Scott Retail as most common position ........................................(Photo Ex) 600.00

1226 ★★ 1c Green, Complete 97c Booklet (BK42). Comprising 16 panes of six No. 424d, Position D (plate number), BIA Cover Type II-e.2, pristine and without any folds whatsoever, Very Fine, extraordinary condition booklet and scarce with the plate no. panes, Scott Retail as 16 Mint N.H. panes with no premium for the complete booklet ........ 360.00

1227 ★★ 1c Green, 2c Carmine, Complete 75c Combination Booklet (BK43). Two complete booklets comprising four panes of six of the 1c and four panes of six of the 2c, Nos. 424d and 425e, Position A, BIA Cover Types II-e.6 and II-f.6, one with double staples and faintly toned covers, otherwise Fine-Very Fine .......................(Photo Ex) 600.00

1228 ★★ 1c Green, 2c Carmine, Complete 75c Combination Booklet (BK43). Comprising four panes of six of the 1c and four panes of six of the 2c, Nos. 424d and 425e, Position H, BIA Cover Type II-e.6, remarkably nice condition, Fine-Very Fine, only 4% of the total printing is from this position, Scott Retail as most common position .............. 300.00

1229 ★ 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (425e). Collection of all positions and incl. the 48 plate no. positions which is complete according to Durland, also used Position H and a nine pane shade study, a number are Mint N.H., very attractive complete group, conservative Scott Retail as hinged .........................(Photo Ex) 2,400.00
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<td><strong>2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK46).</strong> Comprising eight panes of six of No. 425e, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-f.5, incredibly fresh and intact, Fine-Very Fine, choice booklet and scarce in this lovely condition.</td>
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1239  **  1c Green Booklet Panes of Six (462a). Positions A-J plus eleven of the twelve plate nos. listed by Durland, Fine-Very Fine, approximate Scott Retail as hinged and as most common position .......... (Photo Ex)  400.00

1240  **  1c Green Booklet Pane of Six, Cracked Plate (462a). Two panes of six showing crack at right and left (former complete crack), one light gum crease, scarce and desirable variety, it has been determined from checking the proof sheets that these come from plate no. 7449, panes nine and ten......  650.00

1241  **  1c Green, Complete 25c and 97c Booklets (BK47-BK48). Comprising four and 16 panes of six of No. 462a, Positions C and I respectively, BIA Cover Types II-g.1 and II-c.2, latter some cover creasing, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, only 1.7% and 2.6% respectively of the entire printing come from these positions, Scott Retail as most common position .......... (Photo Ex)  1,150.00

1242  **  1c Green, 2c Carmine, Complete 73c Combination Booklet (BK49). Comprising four 1c and four 2c panes of six of Nos. 462a and 463a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-g.6, front cover lightly creased, otherwise Fine-Very Fine.................................................................  900.00

1243  **  2c Carmine, Ty. I, Booklet Pane of Six (463a). Positions A-M and all twelve of the Durland listed plate nos., also used pane, Fine-Very Fine lot, Scott Retail as all hinged and most common position .................................................. (Photo Ex)  2,900.00

1244  **  2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK50). Comprising two panes of six of No. 463a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-g.3, some very negligible cover soiling, still Fine-Very Fine............  950.00

1245  **  2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK51). Comprising four panes of six of No. 463a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-g.4, bright covers, typical slight front cover creasing at staples, still Fine-Very Fine..................................................  1,500.00
1246 ** 2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK52). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 463a, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-g.5, incredibly fresh and intact with only the slightest hint of a front cover wrinkle in the area of the staples, Fine-Very Fine, a rare complete booklet that is exceedingly difficult to find in this superior condition.................. 2,500.00

1247 1c Green, 2c Carmine, Booklet Panes of Six (498e, 499e). Collection in two albums of over 250 panes, 1c with 68 of the 73 Durland listed plate nos. and the 2c all 100 of the listed plate nos., both issues with all plate positions represented, also both values with significant varieties, shades, etc., Fine-Very Fine, very comprehensive collection that would take significant time to duplicate...(Photo Ex) E. 500-750

1248 ** 1c Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK53). Two booklets comprising four panes of six each of No. 498e, Positions A and J, BIA Cover Types II-g.1 and II-h.1, Fine-Very Fine, position J accounts for only 9% of the entire printing, Scott Retail as most common position ......(Photo Ex) 600.00

1249 ** 1c Green, Partial 25c Booklet (BK53). Comprising three panes of six each of No. 498e, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-h.1, with part E.H.H. siderographer’s initials (Edward H. Holmes) at lower left of first pane, second pane with offset of the same initials and third pane with offset of H.M.C. (Harold M. Clavoce), inside back cover with purple handstamp “Denney”, Fine, very scarce variety, Scott Retail as normal complete booklet is $500.00, accompanied by a letter from the BIA Association Committee on Booklet Panes discussing this item ...................... E. 300-400

1250 ** 1c Green, Complete 25c and 97c Booklets (BK54-BK55). Three and four respectively comprising either four panes or 16 panes of six of No. 498e, incl. better positions, Fine-Very Fine lot, Scott Retail as most common position ..........................................................(Photo Ex) 735.00

1251 ** 1c Green, Complete 25c Booklet (BK55). Two booklets, each comprising four panes each of No. 498e, all Position D, incl plate nos. 10078-10080, 13421 and 13422, BIA Cover Types II-j.1 and III-a.1, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as most common position ...............(Photo Ex) 240.00

1252 ** 1c Green, 2c Rose, Carmine, Complete 73c Combination Booklets (BK56-BK57). Eight of former, one of latter comprising four panes each 1c and 2c Nos. 498e and 499e and four panes each 1c and 2c Nos. 498e and 554c, several better positions, Fine-Very Fine group, Scott Retail as most common position..........................(Photo Ex) 740.00
1253 ** 2c Rose, Complete 25c Booklets (BK58). Three complete booklets comprising two panes of six each of No. 499e, Positions B, B and L, BIA Cover Types II-g.3, II-h.3 and III-a.3, Fine-Very Fine, position L accounts for only 6% of the entire printing, Scott Retail as most common position ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 750.00

1254 ** 2c Rose, Complete 25c Booklets (BK58). Two complete booklets comprising two panes of six each of No. 499e, all Position D, incl. plate nos. 8191, 8894, 13001 and 15013, BIA Cover Types II-i.2 and II-j.3, one with a possible replaced staple and an odd three staple hole configuration, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as most common position ........................................... (Photo Ex) 500.00

1255 ** 2c Rose, Complete 25c Booklets (BK58). Two complete booklets comprising two panes of six each of No. 499e, Position K, BIA Cover Types II-j.3 and II-i.2, Fine-Very Fine, very scarce position which accounts for only 0.6% of the entire printing, Scott Retail as most common position ........................................................................ (Photo Ex) 500.00

1256 ** 2c Rose, Complete 49c Booklets (BK58). Two complete booklets comprising four panes of six each of No. 499e, Position A, BIA Covers Types 2-i.3 and 2-j.3, Fine-Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 800.00

1257 ** 2c Rose, Complete 49c Booklets (BK59). Two booklets comprising four panes of six each of No. 499e, one Position K, other combination Positions A and H, BIA Cover Types II-g.4 and II-h.4, Fine-Very Fine, Position K accounts for only a miniscule 0.6% of the entire printing, Scott Retail as most common position ........................................................................ (Photo Ex) 800.00

1258 ** 2c Rose, Complete 97c Booklets (BK60). Two booklets, each comprising eight panes of six of No. 499e, one Position A, other combination Position A and J, BIA Cover Types II-g.5 and II-h.5, some slight cover toning, one also with minor cover crease, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as most common position ........................................................................ (Photo Ex) 1,500.00

1259 ** 2c Rose, Complete 97c Booklet (BK61). Comprised of eight panes of six of No. 499e, Position A, BIA Cover Type II-j.4, minor front cover crease at staples, still Fine-Very Fine, scarce, it is interesting to note that the illustration on the front cover was adapted from the vignette design as used on the 10c Parcel Post stamp No. Q6 issued in 1913 ......................................................................................... 1,250.00

1260 ** 2c Rose, Complete 97c Booklet (BK61). Comprised of eight panes of six No. 499e, Position A, BIA Cover Type III-g.3, Fine-Very Fine, scarce premium example, it is interesting to note that the illustration on the front cover was adapted from the vignette design as used on the 10c Parcel Post stamp No. Q6 issued in 1913 ......................................................................................... 1,250.00

1261 * 3c Light Violet, Ty. I, 3c Dark Violet, Ty. II, Booklet Panes of Six (501b-502b). Complete positions and plate nos. (46 panes), used pane of Ty. I, shades, BK62 Pos. 1, BK 63 Pos. A and H, virtually all Fine-Very Fine, Scott retail as hinged and as most common position......................... (Photo Ex) 4,555.00
1262 ★★ 1c Green, Complete $3.00 A.E.F. Booklet (BK64). Booklet with ten no. 498f Mint N.H. panes of 30 with intact staples at left, interleaving and both covers, front cover partially separated

FINE-VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE INTACT BOOKLET CONTAINING TEN PANES OF THE ONE-CENT ISSUED FOR THE AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES IN FRANCE DURING WORLD WAR I.

The A.E.F. booklet panes were issued in September 1917, primarily for use by the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe during World War I. Only 3,000 panes were prepared of both the 1c and 2c denominations. By October they were no longer needed, as Congress voted to allow mail to be sent free of charge by active members of the Armed Forces. Many of the panes were destroyed.

Quite possibly the finest known of the two or three intact booklets believed to exist........

................................................................. 25,000.00
1263  **  1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Mint N.H. from Position W11 with "W.Mc.A." at bottom left, Fine-Very Fine, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate ................................ 1,800.00

1264  **  1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Mint N.H. from Position W11 with "W.Mc.A." initials at bottom left, corner crease at top right and some very faint gum toning specks, otherwise Fine, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate that does not mention the trivial toning ........................................ 1,800.00

1265  *  1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Position W11 with "W.Mc.A." initials at bottom left, better than usual centering, four stamps lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate as "hinge remnant" ........................................ 1,150.00
1266 ★ 1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Position W11 with “R.B.” initials at bottom left, few h.r., one of the best centered in this group but a crease affects four stamps, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate, the “R.B.” initial panes are much rarer than the “W.Mc.A.” initial panes........................................ 1,150.00

1267 ★ 1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Position W5, tab at left with guide line at right and bottom, better than usual centering, minor h.r. on pos. 11 and very faint trivial gum thinning from hinging on pos. 20, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate not mentioning the thin........................................ 1,150.00

1268 ★ 1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Position W6, tab at right with guide line at left and bottom, pos. 17 thin spot, otherwise Mint N.H., Fine appearance, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate as “never hinged”, Scott Retail as hinged........................................ 1,150.00
1269 ★ 1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Tab at left, wide bottom margin with better than typical centering, some h.r., tiny natural perf disc inclusion pos. 4, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate not mentioning the perf disc .......................... 1,150.00

1270 ★ 1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Tab at left with wide bottom margin, lightly hinged, rich color, Fine-Very Fine, rather attractive for this difficult booklet pane, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate ........................................................................ 1,150.00

1271 ★★ 1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Mint N.H., Position W6, tab at right with guide line left and bottom, tiny insignificant crease in margin above pos. 10, otherwise Fine, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate .......................................................... 1,800.00
1272 ★★ 1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Mint N.H., Position W6, right tab with guide lines at left and bottom, minor natural gum skip line, Fine, with 2004 A.P.S. certificate noting “lightly creased”, we believe the “crease” to be the gum skip line which is not a fault..... ................................................................. 1,800.00

1273 1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Rich color, tied by blind ovals on manila piece which looks like it could have been an oversize wrapper, this style of blind oval was often used on high-value packages, few minor perf separations

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. AN EXTREMELY RARE INTACT USED PANE OF THE ONE-CENT A.E.F. BOOKLET. VERY FEW ARE KNOWN.

This is the first we have offered since keeping computerized records. With 2004 A.P.S. certificate.................................................................. E. 2,000-3,000
1274  |  1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Block of six and strip of four, tied by purple “U.S. Army Postal Service No. 2 Registered Apr. 3, 1918” double-circle datestamp on registered cover to Detroit Mich., purple censor’s handstamp, New York and receiving backstamps, Very Fine, desirable with the multiple showing all three rows of the booklet .......................... E. 1,000-1,500

1275  |  1c Green, 2c Rose, Ty. I, A.E.F. Booklet (498f, 499f). Single of each, tied by “U.S. Army Postal Service Oct. 10, 1918” duplex cancel on red and blue Waving Flag Patriotic cover to Bainbridge N.Y., purple cachet at bottom left, also with examiner’s marking, Very Fine, very scarce and attractive usage of the 1c and 2c A.E.F. stamps ...... E. 750-1,000

1276  |  1c Green, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (498f). Horizontal pair and single, tied by “U.S. Military Postal Express Service 10 Nov, 1918” circular datestamps on Y.M.C.A. cover to Ohio, purple cachet at lower left, pair affected by horizontal file fold, otherwise Very Fine, scarce, used one day prior to the armistice ..................... E. 300-400
1277 ★  

**2c Rose, Ty. I, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (499f).** Position W1 or W9, side stamps h.r., others Mint N.H., brilliant color, unusually choice centering for this difficult issue, natural gum crease affecting ten stamps not mentioned on accompanying certificate.

EXTREMELY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT A.E.F. BOOKLET Pane. IT IS BELIEVED THAT NO MORE THAN 20 EXIST IN ANY CONDITION.

The A.E.F. booklet panes were issued in September 1917, primarily for use by the American Expeditionary Forces in Europe during World War I. Only 3,000 panes were prepared of both the 1¢ and 2¢ denominations. By October they were no longer needed, as Congress voted to allow mail to be sent free of charge by active members of the Armed Forces. Many of the panes were destroyed.

With 1973 P.F. certificate .......................... 28,000.00
2c Rose, Ty. I, Complete $6.00 A.E.F. Booklet Less Stamps (BK65). Front and back covers, intact staples at right and eleven pieces of interleaving without any 499f panes, pink cover reads "300 2 Cent Postage Stamps $6", top cover corner crease of no importance, Very Fine, it is unfortunate that no stamps accompany but this is a phenomenal collateral item, there are no known part or complete booklets and there are believed to be only five or six covers of empty 2c A.E.F. booklets................................ E. 300-400

2c Rose, Ty. I, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (499f). Block of five, tied by purple "U.S. Army Postal Service Z11 M.O.B. Jan. 7, 1918" double-circle datestamp on back of light green Y.M.C.A. registered cover to Woodstock Vt., purple censor's marking at lower left with clear examiner's ms., with original contents datelined "Somewhere in France", some slight edgewear, still Very Fine, a desirable large multiple of the 2c A.E.F. pane on cover......... E. 1,000-1,500
1280  2c Rose, Ty. I, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (499f). Single from top row of the pane, tied by well-struck “U.S. Army Postal Service No. 3, Aug. 10, 1917” duplex on cover to Farmer’s Loan and Trust Co. in Paris, France, Colonel’s endorsement at lower left, minor edgewear, Very Fine, this is the second earliest recorded usage of the 2c, the earliest Aug. 7, with 1998 A.P.S. certificate................................................................. E. 1,000-1,500

2c Rose, Ty. I, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (499f). Single from center row of the pane, tied by “U.S. Army Postal Service, Feb. 14, 1918” duplex, second strike of waving flag machine cancel at left, on post card depicting a small house near Versailles, to Cleveland O., purple censor’s handstamp at lower left, minor corner bends, Very Fine, scarce usage of the 2c A.E.F. stamp on a post card, with 1986 P.F. certificate. .................. E. 750-1,000

2c Rose, Ty. I, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (499f). Single from top row of the pane, tied by “Chatillon Si Seine A Issitille 22-12 17” scalloped datestamp on cover to Endicott N.Y., purple censor’s marking at lower left where also signed by examiner, recipient’s docketing “Sent bag and tobacco”, fresh and Very Fine, a beautiful usage of a 2c A.E.F. stamp, with 1996 P.F. certificate. ..................................................................... E. 750-1,000

2c Rose, Ty. I, A.E.F. Booklet Pane (499f). Single from bottom left position on a pane which would have had the tab at right, tied by “Portsmouth Navy Yard Apr. 5 2:30 PM 1918” duplex on post card depicting “Naval Escort from U.S. Naval Training Station, Norfolk Va.” and addressed to Portland O., minor corner bends, fresh and Very Fine, an attractive usage of a 2c A.E.F. stamp, with 1995 P.F. certificate. .......................... E. 500-750
1285 ★ 1c Deep Green, Booklet Pane of Six (552a). Collection of complete positions and plate nos. (20 different), color varieties, gum breaker panes, covers and complete booklets BK66-BK68, one to four of each, Fine-Very Fine lot, Scott Retail as most common position...........................................(Photo Ex) 1,400.00

1286 ★★ 1c Deep Green, 2c Carmine, Complete 25c and 97c Booklets, Combination 73c Booklet (BK66-BK68). Comprising the appropriate number of panes per booklet, Nos. 552a and 554c, first is Plate Number Position D, other two Position A and L respectively. BIA Cover Types III-c.1, III-b.2 and III-c.6, fresh and Fine-Very Fine, scarce lot, the 25c booklet cover design was adapted from the 2c Parcel Post stamp issued in 1913, Scott Retail as most common position.................................................................(Photo Ex) 810.00

1287 ★★ 1c Deep Green, Complete 97c Booklet (BK67). Comprising 16 panes of six of No. 552a, Position A, BIA Cover Type III-c.2, fairly mild cover creasing, otherwise Fine-Very Fine.................................................. 650.00

1288 ★ 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (554c). Collection of over 200 panes, incl. complete positions and 191 of the 194 different plate nos. (missing only 14209, 16621 and 17955), booklet No. BK69 with Position J, etc., virtually all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine lot, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. and for most common position..............................(Photo Ex) 4,200.00

1289 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet (BK69). Three booklets, each comprising two panes of six each of No. 554c, BIA Cover Types III-b.3, III-c.3 and IVa-2.1 x-y, the last is the first one found with these covers (ex Kitson), the second booklet is missing one staple, otherwise Fine-Very Fine.................................................................(Photo Ex) 1,200.00

1290 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK70). Comprising four panes of six of No. 554c, Positions A and J, BIA Cover Type III-d.3, fresh and intact, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as most common position................................................................. 950.00

1291 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 49c Booklet (BK70). Comprising four panes of six of No. 554c, Position A, BIA Cover Type IV-a.2 X-Y, fresh and intact, Fine-Very Fine, very scarce................................................................. 950.00

1292 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK71). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 554c, Position A, BIA Cover Type III-d.5, back cover detached, otherwise Fine-Very Fine................................................................. 1,500.00

1293 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 97c Booklet (BK71). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 554c, Position I, BIA Cover Type III-c.5, very minor cover toning, small scuff from attempted removal of ms. “11” and ms. “#54c-A157” at bottom left, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, scarce booklet as Position I accounted for only 2.6% of the entire issue, Scott Retail as most common position................................................................. 1,500.00
1294  2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Panes of Six (583a). Two, one Mint N.H. and exceptionally well-centered, Very Fine, other used with mute double oval cancels, Fine.          (Photo Ex)  325.00

1295  2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Panes of Six (583a). Six, all with different part plate nos., ranging from 30% to 60% of the numbers, four Mint N.H., Durland value $1,500.00, also used single with 65% part plate no. 18705, Fine lot, Scott Retail as ordinary panes with no premium for the part plate nos..... (Photo Ex)  890.00

1296  2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Pane of Six (583a). Position H, showing clear and full vertical guideline at right, two stamps h.r., brilliant color, choice centering

Very Fine. This is the only recorded intact booklet pane of this rotary press printing to show the guideline. One of the greatest rarities of twentieth century booklet pane collecting.

In an article in United States Specialist in December 1990, Gary Griffith discusses this booklet variety in great detail. As the Bureau transitioned from flat plate to rotary press printings, two plates of 360 subjects were made for printing booklets. These first two plates were laid out with guidelines and with plate numbers in the corners. Every other rotary press plate produced, whether for booklets or regular issues, was made without guidelines, since they were no longer necessary for production.

The existence of this rare variety was known relatively early, and proofs exist in the Smithsonian, but an actual pane was not discovered until 1960 when Thomas F. Bristol, a collector, discovered it in a dealer’s stock. He found two in the stock, but the dealer retained one that was subsequently stolen in the early 1960’s and has never been recovered. Three singles on cover are also recorded (see lots 1297 and 1298 for two of these).

Ex Bristol and Silverman where it realized $17,600. Accompanied by copies of BIA articles. With 1993 P.F. certificate. Unlisted in Scott.          E. 7,500-10,000
1297 2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Pane of Six (583a). Single from Position J pane, showing full guide line at bottom, tied by “Wurtland Ky. Sep. 26 A.M. 1927” duplex on cover to Peterboro N.H., vertical file fold well clear of stamp and marking, cover with few toned spots

VERY FINE. THIS IS THE DISCOVERY COPY OF THE 2-CENT ROTARY PRESS BOOKLET STAMP WITH GUIDE LINE, AND IS KNOWN AS THE “WURTLAND COVER”. A GREAT RARITY OF THE ISSUE.

See previous description for an explanation of how this rotary press printing came to have a guide line. This cover, the discovery copy of the variety (whose existence was known beforehand from proofs), first came to light in 1941.

With 1990 P.F. certificate. E. 4,000-5,000

1298 2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Pane of Six (583a). Single from Position J pane, showing clear guide line at bottom, tied by light strike of “U.S.S. Raleigh” circular datestamp on cover with typed address to Brooklyn N.Y., bright color

VERY FINE. ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS 2-CENT ROTARY PRESS BOOKLET STAMP ON COVER WHICH SHOWS THE GUIDE LINE. ONE OF THE GREAT RARITIES OF THE ISSUE.

See lot 1296 for an explanation of this issue. This cover was discovered by Gary Griffith in 1999.

Ex Griffith. With 2000 P.F. certificate. E. 3,000-4,000
2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Pane of Six (583a). Tied by “Washington D.C. Aug 27, 1926” First Day grid duplex on cover. Fine and scarce ........................................................................ 1,500.00

2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Pane of Six (583a). Tied by “Washington D.C. Aug 27, 1926” First Day grid duplex on cover, slight toning on pane and cover edge, otherwise Fine ........................................................................................................ 1,500.00

2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Pane of Six (583a). Tied by “Washington D.C. Aug 27, 1926” First Day grid duplex on cover paying the 2c Postage plus 10c Special Delivery Rate to William Siebold at the U.S. Patent Office, about Fine for this notoriously difficult Rotary Press booklet pane, the cover left the Washington Post Office at 8:30 PM on the 27th and arrived at Siebold’s office at 9:30 the same evening and bears a receiving handstamp from the night watchman on duty ........................................................................ 1,500.00

2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Pane of Six (583a). Tied by “Washington D.C. Aug 27, 1926” First Day grid duplex on cover, slightly miscut so that small parts of two neighboring stamps show at top of tab. Fine and most unusual ..................................................... 1,500.00

2c Carmine, Perf 10, Booklet Pane of Six (583a). Tied by “Washington D.C. Aug 27, 1926” First Day grid duplex on cover, unusually nice margins and centering for this, fresh and Fine-Very Fine .......................................................................... 1,500.00
1304 ** 2¢ Carmine, Complete 25¢ Booklet (BK72). Comprising two panes of six of No. 583a, Ty. Y-Y, BIA Cover Type IV-a.2 (1), with 20% partial plate nos. 17450 and 17451, Fine, Scott Retail with no premium for the part plate nos ........................................... 725.00

1305 ** 2¢ Carmine, Complete 25¢ Booklet (BK72). Comprising two panes of six of No. 583a, Ty. X-Y, BIA Cover Type IV-a.2-3, one pane nicely centered, Fine-Very Fine, also incl. three pairs of complete front and back booklet covers and a front, representing four different BIA cover types that were used for BK72-BK74...........................(Photo Ex) 725.00

1306 ** 2¢ Carmine, Complete 25¢ Booklet (BK72). Comprising two panes of six of No. 583a, Ty. Y-Y, BIA Cover Type IV-b.2-3, 25% plate nos. 18705 or 18706, Fine, Scott Retail with no premium for the part plate nos. .................................................. 725.00

1307 ** 2¢ Carmine, Complete 49¢ Booklet (BK73). Comprising four panes of six of No. 583a, Ty. X-X, BIA Cover Type IV-b.1-4, Fine .................................................. 1,000.00

1308 ** 2¢ Carmine, Complete 49¢ Booklet (BK73). Comprising four panes of six of No. 583a, Ty. Y-Y, BIA Cover Type IV-b.2-4, tiny cover edge scuffs, otherwise Fine ....... 1,000.00

1309 ** 2¢ Carmine, Complete 97¢ Booklet (BK74). Comprising eight panes of six of No. 583a, Ty. X-Y, BIA Cover Type IV-b.3-5, part plate nos. 18697-18698 at bottom left, Fine (see The United States Specialist May 1990 Issue, page 274), since the Scott Retail for eight Mint N.H. panes is $1,400.00, we are confident that the booklet price of $1,250.00 is out of date............................................................. 1,250.00
1926 AND LATER ISSUES

1310 ★ 1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six (632a). Collection incl. 25 plate nos. ranging from trace of number to 70%, used, "no staple holes", shades, 45% plate no. on post card, full panes on cover (four), three BK75, two BK76 with wax paper and glassine interleaving, two BK79, Fine-Very Fine lot, nice specialized group, approximate Scott Retail with no premium for varieties.................................................................Not illustrated 1,700.00

1311 ★ 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (634d). Extensive collection with 52 plate no. panes showing between 65% and 100% of plate numbers (many 100%), additional 120 panes with plate nos. of 60% or less, used with precancel, "parcel post", miscut right side plate nos. (scarcer than left), gum breakers, shades and two covers, incredible lot for the specialist.................................................................Not illustrated E. 500-750

1312 ★ 2c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (634d). Complete booklet collection covering Nos. BK80-BK83, the key being the BK83 with Scott cover BC6C, others incl. five BK80 with and without wax paper interleaving between cover and first pane, "Robenson" inspection stamp on one, "Summers" on another, four BK81 with varieties incl. one with 35% plate no. and four BK82 with varieties, nice lot, Scott Retail with no premium for the part plate nos.................................................................Not illustrated 1,210.00

1313 ★★ 2c Carmine, Complete 25c Booklet With Experimental Cellophane Interleaving (BK80a). Comprising two panes of six No. 634d, BIA Cover Type IV-c.3-4, wonderfully fresh and Fine-Very Fine, this is one of 56,000 booklets made in the spring of 1928, despite a fairly substantial quantity made this is almost surely the first we have seen................................................................. 1,500.00

1314 ★ 3c Deep Violet, Booklet Pane of Six (720b). Collection incl. 34 panes with part plate nos. with nine showing 75% or greater (these nine alone have a Durland value of $1,080.00), two at 100%, five full pane First Days plus eight other covers, complete booklets with six BK84 (three with part plate nos.), and three BK85, one with 20% plate no., outstanding collection of the 3c "Stuart" pane, approximate combination of Scott and Durland Retail values...........................................................................................................Not illustrated 4,600.00

1315 ★★ 3c Deep Violet, Complete 37c Booklet With Experimental Cellophane Interleaving (BK84a). Comprising two panes of six of No. 720b, Very Fine and rare, 30,000 of these booklets were issued in July of 1936, and as is the case with the BK80a Experimental Interleaving Booklet, this is probably the first we have offered in our sales..... 1,750.00
1316 ★ 1c Green, Booklet Pane of Six (804b). Two volume collection comprising both 2.5mm and 3mm gutters with 37 part plate nos. panes (four at 100%), booklets with two BK86, one 45% plate no., BK87 with inspection stamp, BK89, four BK90, incl. two with part plate nos. and one with Electric Eye bars, BK91, two BK92, two BK93 incl. one with four part plate nos., great specialized lot of the 1c Presidential booklet pane, approximate combination of Scott and Durland Retail value..........................Not illustrated 1,800.00

1317 ★ 2c Rose Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six (806b). Collection containing both 2.5mm and 3mm gutters, 17 part plate nos. panes, one with foldover causing one plate no. to be 200%, FDC’s, complete booklets with BK94, BK95 (Scott retail $1,250.00), two BK96 with inspection stamps and one with plate no. trace, BK97, two BK98, BK99, comprehensive showing, approximate Scott Retail with no premium for the plate no. material.............Not illustrated 2,000.00

1318 ★ 3c Deep Violet, Booklet Pane of Six (807a). Collection of panes with 3mm gutters, incl. 24 with part plate nos. (eleven with 100% or greater), FDC’s, complete booklets with BK100 and three BK101, one with part plate no. and one with no gum (issued in error), excellent lot, approximate Scott and Durland value with no premium added for part plate nos. less than 100%..............................Not illustrated 3,500.00

1319 ★ 3c Deep Violet, Booklet Pane of Six (807a). Collection of 2.5mm gutter panes, incl. 191 part plate nos. (27 with 100% or greater), complete booklets with 24 BK102 varieties, Electric Eye marks, 16 BK103, part plate nos. and varieties on many, approximate combination Scott and Durland Retail values with no premium for plate nos. less than 100%..............................Not illustrated 4,300.00

1320 ★★ 3c Deep Violet, Booklet Pane of Six (1035a, 1035f var.). Three of former, all with 300% plate nos. (25005, 25006 and 25014), first at lower left rather than the usual upper left, pos. 1, 1035f var is freak foldover with similar size plate no. 25417, dramatic appearance and very scarce, Durland Retail $400.00..........................Not illustrated E. 200-300

1321 ★ 3c Deep Violet, Booklet Pane of Six (1035a, 1035f). Collection of wet and dry printings, over 45 panes, 26 with part plate nos., varieties incl. misperf, FDC, inspection marks, empty covers, complete booklets incl. BK104, four BK104a, two each BK105 and BK105a, with varieties (one with no holes), interesting lot...Not illustrated E. 200-300

1322 ★ 4c Red Violet, Booklet Pane of Six (1036a). Collection of over 120 panes, nearly all with part plate nos. with 16 at greater than 90% (Durland $1,600.00 just for these 16), varieties incl. inspection marks, foldovers, miscuts, three FDC’s, complete booklets with one each BK106-BK108, seven BK109 with varieties such as silicone interleaving, part plate nos., inspection marks, dramatic foldover, others, great lot, approximate Scott and Durland value greater than $1,800.00 with no premium for plate nos. less than 90% ......Not illustrated E. 400-500

1323 ★ 4c Red Violet, Booklet Pane of Six, Imperforate Horizontally (1036d). Miscut somewhat to left and bottom, small tear at bottom of pos. 3 with sensible hinge reinforcement

AN IMPORTANT BOOKLET PANE ERROR. THE PANE OFFERED HERE IS BELIEVED TO BE THE ONLY KNOWN EXAMPLE WHICH IS IMPERFORATE HORIZONTALLY.

It is possible that the small tear occurred during production and somehow caused the perforating machine to jam. Presuming that there were other panes in this run that also suffered lack of horizontal perforations, quality control found them and had them destroyed. This pane somehow escaped the watchful eyes of the inspector and was incorporated into a booklet.

Ex Bush, where it realized $2,200 more than 30 years ago. Listed but unpriced in Scott. With 1965 P.F. certificate.......................... E. 2,000-3,000
1324 ★ 5c Dark Blue Gray, Booklet Pane of Six, Tagged and Untagged (1213a, 1213c). Untagged with approximately 200 panes, most with plate nos. incl. about 20 with over 90% part plate nos., tagged with slogan 3, 83 panes, 13 with over 80% plate nos., slogan 2, four panes, two with greater than 50% plate nos., all manner of complete booklets from BK110-BK115, outstanding collection which is hard to duplicate, approximate combined total Scott and Durland Retail value with no premium for less than 90% plate numbers ........................................................................................................Not illustrated 5,000.00

1325 ★★ 5c Dark Blue Gray, Booklet Pane of Six, Slogan 3 (1213c). Mint N.H., dramatic foldover at bottom left corner adding major portions of two additional stamps and 300% plate no. 28339, eye-catching freak printing and without question very rare, this "pane" may be unique, also incl. another foldover of lesser importance ...........(Photo Ex) E. 200-300

1326 ★ 5c Dark Blue Gray, Booklet Pane of Six, Slogan 1, Imperforate Between Vertically (1213d). Huge miscut due to foldover creating a "pane of 7" with two slogan labels, foldover crease reinforced with hinges, "pane of six" Mint N.H. FINE. A VERY RARE AND DRAMATIC BOOKLET PANE ERROR.

With 1972 A.P.S. certificate. We have cataloged the pane as three error pairs which includes the unlisted 5c stamp/label combination. This combination is twice as scarce as a pair of imperforate between stamps. The Scott Catalogue Of Errors On U.S. Postage Stamps by Stephen R. Datz does recognize the stamp/label pair but does not ascribe a value................. 4,500.00

1327 ★★ 5c Dark Blue Gray, Booklet Pane of Six, Slogan 3, Imperforate Between Vertically (1213d). Huge foldover resulting in a pane of seven with nearly complete eighth stamp and parts of ninth and tenth stamps, incl. two error pairs and nearly complete horizontal pair imperforate between stamp and label at top, striking and scarce error. Scott Retail as two non-creased error pairs.......................................................... 5,000.00

1328 (★) 15c Magenta, Booklet Pane of Eight, Imperforate Between Vertically (1288Be). Unused (no gum), folded between second and third pairs as always, Very Fine, the no gum condition is most likely as this was found........................................................... 1,750.00

1329 ★ 6c Dark Blue Gray, 8c Deep Claret, Booklet Panes of Eight (1393a, 1395a). One of former, two of latter, all with 100% plate nos. caused by foldovers, 6c unused (no gum), other two Mint N.H. 6c unreported in Durland, other two Durland "scarce" (an understatement), nice lot and very difficult to find...............................(Photo Ex) E. 400-500

1330 ★★ 8c Deep Claret, Booklet Panes of Four Plus Two Labels, Seven With One Label, Dull Gum, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (1395e). Three items (1395c, 1395d), two of latter, one error pair in each and all caused by foldovers, the first and one of latter creased by foldover, the error pair on the third one is crease free, very scarce lot.............(Photo Ex) 2,400.00

1331 ★★ 8c Deep Claret, Booklet Panes of Seven and Eight, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Vertically (1395e). Each error caused by foldover, latter shiny gum (1395a), former dull gum (1395d), both also show parts of other stamps, scarce pair of booklet pane errors, at least four error pairs are recorded from three panes (one 1395a, two 1395d) ...............................................(Photo Ex) 1,600.00

1332 ★★ 10c Blue, Booklet Pane of Six (1510d), Mint N.H., 300% plate no. 35211 at top left caused by foldover, Very Fine, Durland "very rare" ............................................................ E. 200-300

1333 ★★ 10c Blue, Booklet Panes of Five Plus Label, Horizontal Pair Imperforate Between (1510f var.), Spectacular error pane caused by foldover which creates "pane" of ten stamps and two labels and halves of one label and two stamps at right (also imperf. between), the errors are one pair imperf between stamp and label and two pairs imperf between stamps (these are creased vertically from foldover), unlisted in both Scott and Datz and probably unique, also included is a pane of eight without tab showing foldover at top right creating one vertical pair imperf. between (1510f).(Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000

1334 ★★ 13c Brown, Booklet Pane of Seven Plus Label, Vertical Pair Imperforate Horizontally (1595e). Created by foldover with virtually intact error pair comprised of label and stamp (top left and bottom left corners barely clipped) and another pair of two stamps missing part of top right corner (creased from foldover), also incl. printer's waste pane of eight containing four "imperforate between" pairs with perforated margins top and bottom, Datz notes these printer's waste pairs sell for $35.00 to $50.00 each, (the true error is caused by the foldover), Scott Retail for one complete error pair as listed, not counting the printer's waste pane.......................... 1,250.00
1335  **  13¢ Brown, Booklet Pane of Eight, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (1595c). Mint N.H. No. 1595c pane, error caused by foldover and is sound, Very Fine.........  1,250.00

1336  *  13¢ Brown, Booklet Pane of Eight, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (1595c). Large foldover creating two error pairs and one other which is nearly complete, all creased by foldover, some offset on gum caused by light adherence to booklet cover, striking error multiple, incl. original booklet with two normal panes from which this was removed......
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1337  **  (15c) Orange “A” Rate, Booklet Pane of Eight, Vertical Pair Imperforate Between (1736c). Caused by foldover, Very Fine, only three or four reported according to Datz...
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1338  **  15¢ Multicolored, Complete $2.40 Booklet, Imperforate (BK134). Two panes of No. 1737b, folded between second and third pairs as always, Extremely Fine, rare, Datz reports nine panes known, with 1987 P.F. certificate ........................................  4,400.00

1339  **  20¢ Rocky Mountain Bighorn Sheep Complete Booklets (BK142, BK142b, BK142c). Specialized three volume collection of over 160 complete $4.00 booklets, incl. color lines, “dots” varieties, joint lines, imperforate between, tagging omitted, scarce plate nos. with four plate 21, three 28 and two 29, of course the other lesser value plate numbers as well with many in the $40.00 to $100.00 range, Very Fine, a sensational collection with a high degree of completeness, the likes of which we have never seen before....  E. 2,000-3,000

1340  **  22¢ Green “D” Rate, Complete $4.40 Booklet, Imperforate Between Horizontally (BK143 var.). Complete booklet containing two panes of No. 2113b, rich color
  FINE. A TREMENDOUSLY RARE BOOKLET PAN ERROR. THIS IS THE WORLD’S SUPPLY OF THIS ERROR.
  Datz, who does not list a price for the pane, reports only two, which we presume is this booklet. Scott lists but does not price pairs. With 1991 P.F. certificate....  E. 2,000-3,000

1341  **  22¢ Multicolored, Complete $1.10 Booklet, Red Almost Entirely Missing (BK145 var).
  Single pane of five No. 2116a var with only the slightest hint of red, Very Fine, there are no known panes of this stamp with the red entirely missing, with 1987 A.P.S. certificate ...........................................  E. 200-300

1342  **  22¢ Seashells, Vertically Imperforate Between, Violet Omitted, and Electric Eye Mark to Left (BK146 var). Four separate error items, first is complete BK146 var with two panes of No. 2121c, vertically imperforate between, second is single pane of No. 2121c, third is complete BK146 var with single pane of No. 2121b (Violet omitted on both Calico Scallop stamps) and single normal pane, final item is a fascinating complete BK 146 var with the second pane showing Electric Eye mark to the left, first reported example, Very Fine, Scott Retail for the listed errors only.................................(Photo Ex)  1,825.00

1345  **  22¢ Stamp Collecting, Booklet Pane of Four, Imperforate (2201a var.). Normal pane and freak miscut (facing gum to gum), has largely complete imperf, pair of design A1582, large parts of two other designs and a bit of the fourth, area of about one stamp size torn away at right, an amazing one-of-a-kind error.........................................................  E. 200-300

1344  **  25¢ Special Occasions, Booklet Pane of Six, Unfolded and Without Red Guide Lines (2398a var). Mint N.H., the USPS used never-folded panes on First Day Covers and Souvenir Programs but did not issue them in this form, Extremely Fine, this is the only recorded unfolded pane without red guide lines........................................ E. 1,000-1,500

1345  **  25¢ Special Occasions, Booklet Pane of Six, Unfolded and With Red Guide Lines at Bottom (2398a var). Mint N.H., the USPS used never-folded panes on First Day Covers and Souvenir Programs but did not issue them in this form, Extremely Fine, probably no more than ten known  E. 400-500
1346 ** 25c Lighthouses, Booklet Pane of Five, White “25 USA” Omitted (2474b). Mint N.H. booklet of four error panes, top one separated between pos. 2 and 3, tiny margin soilng speck, otherwise Very Fine................................................................................................................. 400.00

1347 ** 29c Wood Duck, Perf 11, Vertical Pair, Imperforate Between (2485b). Mint N.H., with two full and part of two additional stamps at top, the error caused by a foldover thru top right stamp of the booklet, some thinning in tab at left presumably from removal from booklet

VERY FINE. A RARE VERTICAL PAIR IMPERFORATE BETWEEN OF THE PERF 11 WOOD DUCK BOOKLET. DATZ STATES THAT ONLY TWO OR THREE ARE REPORTED.

With 1994 P.S.E. certificate.......................................................................................................................... 3,000.00

1348 ** 29c Wood Duck, Perf 10, Booklet Pane of Ten, Imperforate Horizontally (2484c). Complete booklet of two panes, both panes the variety, Very Fine and choice, scarce as an intact booklet, Scott Retail as two panes with no premium for the cover.............................................................. 1,900.00

1349 ** (29c) Flower, Booklet Pane of Ten, Imperforate Horizontally (2520b var). BK184 var, booklet containing one pane, foldover in selavage which probably caused the variety, Very Fine, also accompanied by intact booklet of same design with bottom pane normal and top pane radically shifted with wide gutter which is imperforate and with horizontal perfs incomplete, last item is No.

5052 var with shifted print, Very Fine, a rare and desirable group, the second and third items are unlisted in Scott or Datz .................................................................................................................. (Photo Ex) E. 500-750

1350 ** 29c Flowers, Booklet Pane of Six, Imperforate Vertically (2527e). Mint N.H., plate no. K111, bright colors, Very Fine and choice, scarce, unpriced in Scott and unlisted in Datz, for some reason Scott Catalogue assigns the same Scott number to the two different perf varieties but gives them two different listings, we have corrected for this with our catalogue designation, unpriced in Scott .............................................................................................................................................. E. 500-750

1351 ** 29c Flowers, Complete $5.80 Booklet, Engraved Black Omitted (BK208a). Booklet with four panes of 2764b, Mint N.H., also another single pane in booklet, Very Fine. (Photo Ex)................................................................................................................. 1,025.00

1352 ** 29c Flowers, Booklet Pane of Five, Imperforate (2764c). Mint N.H. and in original booklet cover, two tiny specks of gum on pos. 5, otherwise Extremely Fine, twelve to 16 panes reported. 1,000.00

1353 ** 29c Flowers, Booklet Pane of Five, Imperforate (2833b). Mint N.H. except middle stamp small gum adherence from another pane, Extremely Fine, 20 to 30 panes reported, with 2001 P.F. certificate ................................................................................................................................................. 800.00

1354 ** 29c Flowers, Complete $5.80 Booklet, Engraved Black Omitted (BK215a). Booklet of four panes of No. 2853c error panes, Mint N.H., Extremely Fine................................................................................................................. 1,050.00

1355 ** 32c Love, Complete $6.40 Booklet, Imperforate (BK229 var.). Booklet with two Datz 2959b error panes (unlisted in Scott), Mint N.H., each pane with P.O. black rejection mark in top margin, Extremely Fine, Datz states “Some panes contain a black rejection mark” and values the imperf. pairs at $100.00 each with a dash for the complete pane error, quantity unknown...... 1,000.00

GROUP lots

1356 ★ Booklet Pane Collection (319g/498e). Single album with interesting presentation on the evolution of flat plate booklet panes, using examples from No. 319g to No. 498e, Fine-Very Fine 1,223.25

1357 Washington-Franklin Issues Booklet Covers. An incredible compilation of empty booklet covers from BK18 through BK63, which held panes from Nos. 331a through 501b, covering the entire Washington-Franklin period, approximately 78 pairs of fronts and backs, most booklets that are represented have both, many with interleaving sheets, obviously a huge range of BIA numbers, for most issues the owner has an inventory sheet showing which covers are present and which are missing, an incredible holding and a rare opportunity to add a large percentage of the covers that exist for this period.................................................. E. 1,000-1,500

1358 ★ Washington-Franklin Booklet Pane Stamps on Cover. 20 covers, booklet pane stamps include singles, pairs and a couple complete panes, complete range of Scott Nos. including Nos. 351a-352a, 405b-406a, 424d-425c, 462a-463a, 498c-499e and 502b, Fine-Very Fine, attractive group...... E. 200-300

1359 ★ Booklet Panes and Complete Booklets Collection, 1967-72. Nine binders with Nos. 1287a-1395c/BK116-BK123, wonderful range of varieties, hundreds of panes, over 150 booklets, part plate nos. abound, fascinating lot, worth inspection.................................................. E. 500-750

1360 ★ Booklet Panes and Complete Booklets Collection, 1973-96. Massive collection in 23 binders covering nearly all the issues of the period (20c Bighorn Sheep in a separate lot), possibly a couple thousand items, incl. an excellent assortment of varieties and types, high degree of completion, the prominent errors are individual lots but still a fascinating and very difficult to duplicate collection, formed by a dedicated collector who sought every variety he could find, considerable face value but the real value is in the completeness and the hard-to-find items, viewing recommended .......................................................... E. 2,000-3,000

1361 ★ Booklet Pane First Day Covers. Somewhere between 1,500-2,000 in carton, some 1930’s but mostly later to about 1985, wide range of issues, variety of cachets, duplication, etc., some better items with Scott Retail values to over $100.00 each, Fine-Very Fine lot ......... E. 1,000-1,500
1362 ★★ 10¢ Lindbergh, Booklet Pane, Tab at Bottom (C10a var). Complete exploded booklet containing one pane with tab at bottom (Position A) and one pane with normal tab at top, covers and interleaving, Mint N.H., bright colors

VERY FINE. A RARE EXAMPLE OF THE 10-CENT LINDBERGH AIR POST ISSUE WITH THE TAB AT BOTTOM. VERY FEW ARE KNOWN.

There was strong public demand for this issue in booklet form, so the Post Office decided to issue this with six stamps per booklet. They were first placed on sale on May 26, 1928. The discovery of the inverted pane was first made in 1938, and four others have since been discovered. According to a letter from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing (reproduced in the Bureau Specialist), they state that it is possible that the pane of inverted stamps may have originated from a sheet that became reversed during processing (cutting apart into the individual panes), and would have been assembled with the panes in reverse unless discovered before final assembly.

With 1964 P.F. certificate. Scott Retail as intact booklet $13,500.00. In our opinion an exploded booklet is more desirable because one is able to more easily view the constituent parts .............................................................. E. 3,000-4,000
1363 ★ 10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). Upper left plate no. 19426, 40%-45%, very scarce item for the booklet pane specialist as Durland states the maximum known plate number size for this pane is 25%.................................................................................................................. E. 500-400

1364 10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). Three with part plate nos. equal to or exceeding the Durland listed maximum percentages, incl. 19425 (30%, upper right, which equals the Durland maximum known), 19425 or 19426 (probably 19426 but the last digit could be either a 5 or a 6, 25% lower right, Durland lists none known for 19425 and 5% maximum for 19426) and 19414 (20%, upper right, Durland lists none known), one unused (no gum), overall Fine, an exceedingly rare group, right positions are scarcer than left, Durland prices plate no. panes with greater than 25% at $500.00 each...................................................(Photo Ex)  E. 500-750

1365 ★ 10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). Three with part plate nos., two exceeding the Durland listed maximum percentages, incl. 19414 (20%, upper left, Durland listed maximum 10%), 19427 (20%, upper left, Durland listed maximum 10%) and 19427 (35%, lower left), two Mint N.H., scarce and desirable group.................................................................(Photo Ex)  E. 300-400

1366 ★ 10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). Complete collection of all twelve possible positions plus an extra Position A, vast majority Mint N.H., Position D with part plate no. 19427 (15%, upper right), exceeding the Durland listed maximum of 5%, rest with clear guide lines where they should occur to define the types, Fine-Extremely Fine, excellent group rarely seen offered as the complete collectible set, Scott Retail for single Position D and rest most common position...............................................................(Photo Ex)  1,540.00

1367 ★★ 10c Lindbergh, Complete 61c Booklet (BKC1). Two booklets comprising two panes of three of No. C10a in each, one pane with trace of plate no., also incl. front and back covers, three with inspector’s names handstamps, Fine-Very Fine...................................................(Photo Ex)  550.00
1368 10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). Position M, on First Day cover used with block of four with plate no. of 2c Valley Forge, all tied by greenish blue “Cleveland (Midwestern Philatelic Station) Ohio May 26 1928” duplex handstamps, sent Special Delivery and Registered to Eugene Klein, famous old time Philadelphia stamp dealer, various backstamps, Fine and attractive, May 26, 1928 is also First Day for the Valley Forge Issue ........................................ 800.00

1369 10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). On two similar First Day registered covers used with single of 2c Valley Forge, all tied by greenish blue “Cleveland (Midwestern Philatelic Station) Ohio May 26 1928” duplex handstamps, both with black show cachet featuring Lindbergh’s airplane “The Spirit of St. Louis”, one cover just a trifle soiled, still Fine lot, May 26, 1928 was also First Day for the Valley Forge stamp.........(Photo Ex) 1,600.00

1370 10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). Two panes without tabs used on First Day cover and tied by greenish blue “Cleveland (Midwestern Philatelic Station) Ohio May 26 1928” duplex handstamps, attractive Shield, Eagle and Airplane cachet, freak centering showing bits of adjoining stamps at left, still rather colorful and attractive, not too many covers exist with double pane franking................................................................. E. 300-400

1371 10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). Panes on two separate First Day covers tied by “Washington D.C. May 26, 1928” duplex circular datestamps, one a double First Day used with block of four of 2c Valley Forge No. 645, the other to San Francisco (address partially lightened), otherwise Fine lot ..............................................(Photo Ex) 1,875.00
1372  10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). On First Day cover tied by "Washington D.C. May 26, 1928" grid duplex circular datestamp, also original gum pane with purple "Cleveland (Midwestern Philatelic Station) Ohio May 26, 1928" and bars First Day handstamp and a used pane with mute single line oval of unknown origin, Fine lot .................................. 940.00

1373  10c Lindbergh, Booklet Pane (C10a). Four covers, two with pane singles on 5c Beacon covers for the 2nd "Anniversary" (sic) of Lindbergh's 1929 Good Will Visit, one signed by the postmaster of Jacksonville Fla., other by postmaster of Baltimore Md., two pane singles on cover tied by blue green boxed Frogs, fancy registered use from Ed Ky. (minor margin toning), and a pane of three used on 1931 Clipper Flight from Miami to Colombia, Fine lot, excellent Lindberghiana .............................................. Not illustrated E. 200-300

1374 ★  6c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Three (C25a). Collection incl. numerous varieties, part plate nos. incl three with 90% or greater, used, covers, several varieties, nice lot, approximate Scott and Durland Retail value with no premium for part plate nos. less than 90% ................. Not illustrated 750.00

1375 ★  6c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Six, Wet and Dry Printings (C39a, C39c). Extensive collection, most panes with part plate nos. incl. three C39a with greater than 100% and three C39c greater than 40%, varieties incl. miscut, staples at right, seven with Electric Eye marks, used, five FDC's complete pane covers, complete booklets with five BKCA, one with 40% plate no., another with miscut panes, two BKCa, one with 70% plate no., another miscut, comprehensive lot, approximate combined Scott and Durland Retail values with no premium for plate nos. less than Durland minimums ............................................. Not illustrated 1,000.00

1376 ★  7c-13c 1958-73 Air Post Booklet Panes (C51a-C79a). Apparently complete collection with varieties, part plate nos., etc., better complete booklets incl. BKCA-BKCI, BKCI7-BKCI8 (these four have a combined Scott Retail of $1,675.00), conservative Scott Retail just for better items with no premium for any of the multitude of varieties .......... Not illustrated 2,000.00

1377 ★★  10c Carmine, Booklet Pane of Eight, Vertical Pair Imperforate Between (C72d). Mint N.H., caused by a sizeable foldover with a "ninth" stamp constituting the error pair with normal pos. 4, also small to huge parts of three other stamps, the foldover crease just affects the bottom left corner of the error pair, still Very Fine and extremely rare, only two recorded according to Datz, this also may well be the one used for the illustration in the Scott Catalogue Of Errors On U.S. Postage Stamps .................................................. 4,000.00
37c Test Dummy Booklet of Two Panes of Six (TDB3). Booklet covers Scott BC9A, Fine, a rare test booklet, these were discovered by New York stamp dealer B.I. Berner when he bought a group of 3c “Presidential” booklets at the New York Post Office ca. 1940, he managed to acquire sixteen booklets for which he paid 37c each, an inquiry addressed to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing disclosed that these dummy booklets were created to experiment with new cutting devices, after experimentation was completed the booklets were supposed to have been destroyed

600.00

Dummy Booklets Collection. One volume collection of about two dozen items with much research material, includes the seven Seashell booklets (no text) needed to show the complete design of 25 different Seashells (Scott Retail either $250.00 or $350.00 each) and other better items, this is by far the best collection of these test booklets that we have ever seen. Not illustrated E. 1,000-1,500

10c-50c Postal Insurance Stamps (Q11-Q15). Collection of these vended booklets with insurance labels that were first available in 1965 and were discontinued in the early 1980’s, incl. complete booklets, covers and collateral, some of this material is genuinely very scarce (such as No. Q11) but since it resides in the backwaters of philately not much seems to be offered, this is a great opportunity to own an excellent collection of this obscure material. Not illustrated

400-500

Potato Tax Booklet Panes and Complete Booklets. One volume collection incl. panes of twelve of Nos. RI14a-R116a and R118a, several with part plate nos. (sizeable parts on two 50lb panes), the 10lbs No. R116a is very scarce, two Provisional Booklets with 2lbs/24 stamps and 50lbs/24 stamps, Definitive Booklets with 2lbs/96 and 192 stamps, same for the 50lbs, also couple front and back covers as well as a set of R11-R113 singles, Fine-Very Fine, unusual offering Not illustrated 1,290.95

Wheaton Maryland Experimental Booklets. One volume collection with what is classified as “Wheaton 1” through “Wheaton 5”, the first four were made up for the Wheaton Plaza Self-Service U.S. Post Office in Silver Spring Md. which was open 24 hours a day, seven days a week, these $1.00 booklets contain blocks of four of the 25c Paul Revere No. 1048, and were first issued with plain white covers and then with red and white printed covers, with either one or two staples, and were intended for mailing parcels, these were short-lived being available for just over four months between Oct. 15, 1964-Feb. 25 1965, there were only 207 made of one variety and it is doubtful many survived, the Wheaton 5 is a “Stamp Ad” made for Safeway stores, there are five in the collection and they include either BK1152 (four) or BK1886 (one) glued in checkbook size manufacturer’s coupon books, all different covers, the booklets were sold at a 10% discount ($2.70 vs. $3.00 face value), much more information about this little known collecting area is included with this lot, a great addition to a highly sophisticated booklet collection Not illustrated

750-1,000

CANAL ZONE, Booklet Panes. Small collection on stock pages, incl. six No. 71c, five 73a, four 84d and three each 106a and 117a, variety of positions, first two with booklet covers, Fine-Very Fine, also incl. Panama 1909-15 1c, 2c and 5c Booklet Panes of Six (Nos. 197b, 198a and 200), beautiful margins with typical tropical original gum, the 1c and 2c were later overprinted for use in Canal Zone Not illustrated

750-1,000

CANAL ZONE, 1933, 3c Deep Violet, Handmade Booklet Pane of Six. Perforated Outer Margins (115c). Specialized study of 21 panes of six, 16 of which are in intact booklets of two panes each, these were made from sheet stamps using whatever selvage was available, so one can collect tab left, tab top, tab bottom and tab right, all are stapled at left so stamp can be in normal position as well as laying right, left or inverted in relation to the booklet covers, there are several plate nos. incl. elusive full plate no. selvage (these margins were normally trimmed down before binding), Fine lot, excellent showing of these “provisional” booklets and panes Not illustrated

3,675.00

2c Carmine Rose, Ty. I, Coil (453). Strip of three, center stamp Mint N.H., with imprinted leader tape, Fine 625.00

2c Red, Ty. II, Coil (454). Strip of four, center pair Mint N.H., with imprinted leader tape, Fine-Very Fine 490.00

2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate Coil (459). Joint line pair, usual crease in one stamp (left), Very Fine 550.00

2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate Coil (459). Mint N.H. pair with coil roll starter tape, imprint reads ”500 2c. Stamps ROLLED SIDEWISE UNPERFORATED AUTO-WOUND”, Fine-Very Fine, scarce coil stamp collateral 575.00

2c Carmine, Ty. I, Imperforate Coil (459). Mint N.H. pair with coil leader tape, the tape tab perforated 10 but not stamp, Extremely Fine, scarce 575.00

2c Carmine, Joint Line Pair, Ty. I, II (599-599A). Joint line strip of four, Ty. I, I, II, I1 with 40% plate no. 19748 at top, lightly hinged, intense color, nearly Fine 755.00
1391 * 2c Carmine, Joint Line Pair, Ty. I, II (599-599A). Joint line strip of four, Ty. I, I, II, II with 50% plate no. 19748 at top, end stamps hinged, joint line pair Mint N.H., strong color, Very Good which is the only condition to allow a large part of the plate no. to show ................................................................. 1,355.00


1393 * 2c Carmine, Ty. II, Coil (599A). Strip of four, wonderfully well-centered, center pair lightly hinged, end stamps Mint N.H., Extremely Fine ........................................ 610.00

1394 ≈ 2c Carmine, Joint Line Pair, Ty. I, II (599-599A). In strip of three with another Ty. II at left, tied on large size cover by “Kansas City Mo Aug. 11, 1930” oval grid duplex circular datestamp to Germany, twice redirected within Germany, handsome printed Atlantic-Pacific & Gulf Oil Company corner card, Fine-Very Fine, scarce, Scott Retail as used joint line pair on cover........................................ 1,000.00

1395 2c Carmine, Joint Line Pair, Ty. I, II (599-599A). Used joint line strip of four, Ty. II, II, I, I, tied on piece by oval grid duplex, Fine-Very Fine, with 1972 A.P.S. certificate.............. 1,000.00

1396 * 3c Deep Violet, Coil (722). Two strips of four, each with government splice between pos. 2 and 3, one top to top and other bottom to bottom orientation, joint line on one stamp in each strip (not joint line strips), Fine-Very Fine, fascinating varieties and the first we have ever seen................................. E. 200-300

1397 * 3c Deep Violet, Coil (721-722). Each a tête-bêche pair with government splice between stamps, one stamp of each with joint line (not joint line pairs as stated on certificates), Fine, most unusual and the first ones we have ever seen, each with 1999 P.F. certificate .......................................................................................................................(Photo Ex) E. 200-300

1398 ** 3c Liberty, Wet Printing, Small Holes, from 170 Subject Stickney Press Plates (1057c var). Joint line strip of five with partial plate no. 25339 at bottom, Mint N.H. with experimental gum, pencil notation on right stamp leaves small indent, Fine and scarce, discussed in Scott Stamp Monthly in July 2003 in an article by Ken Lawrence, prior to this discovery it was believed all wet-printed coils had large holes, with 2002 A.P.S. certificate E. 500-750

1399 * Coil Splices Collection. Hundreds of items in three volumes, issues of the 1920’s and early 30’s with a few earlier but largely 1938 Presidential and 1954 Liberty series, one volume is ordinary splices showing the different type of tape used, a couple “tête-bêche”, etc. other two volumes are part plate number splices, these are virtually all in strips of five, great variety, an incredible assemblage that must have taken the collector many, many years to amass.................................................................Not illustrated E. 500-750

1400 * Coil Part Plate Numbers, End and Leader Strips. Massive 14 volume collection of many hundreds of items, three volumes of Nos. 486/723 with a few earlier, balance 1938 Presidential and 1954 Liberty Issues with a few later and some Air Post, evidently all different plate nos. or positions and virtually all in strips of four to six, plate number size percentages are usually greater than 25% with many 50% to 85% or 90%, also incl. another volume of coil counting numbers, these are on the 1954 Liberty Series and consist of tiny “4”, “8”, “12”, “16” and “20” numbers that occur under the corresponding stamps on the plate, an astonishing monumental collection that must have taken a lifetime to put together, while we see an occasional coil plate number we have never seen anything of this magnitude, perhaps the definitive collection of this material ..................Not illustrated E. 2,000-3,000
POSTAL SAVINGS ESSAYS AND PROOFS

(10c) Franklin, Postal Savings Deposit Card, First Essay (PS2-E1). Original model on 146mm x 86mm card comprised of stock engravings and “wash” drawing around Franklin vignette, engraved card frame and imprint, hand-drawn spaces in green for stamps, “American Bank Note Co. N.Y.” cut-out imprint at bottom left, this model is further mounted on 253mm x 146mm heavy cardboard with a protecting sheet for covering when not in use, handstamped on back “Checked Oct. 5, 1910”

VERY FINE. A UNIQUE AND EXTRAORDINARY POSTAL SAVINGS ESSAY MODEL. THIS REMARKABLE ESSAY PRE-DATES THE OTHER PS2 ESSAY.

This is the first essay that is known of the Postal Savings Card. The second essay is offered in the following lot. Starting in late 2009, an excellent series of articles by Dr. Harry K. Charles began appearing in the U.S. Specialist tracing the stamps, stationery and ephemera of the Postal and Treasury Savings Stamps. This item is illustrated in the November 2009 issue on p. 517.

Unlisted in Scott................................................................. E. 3,000-4,000

10c Grayish Black, Postal Savings Deposit Card, Second Essay (PS2-E2). Model with hand-lettered pencil and ink and outer frame paste-up, ten grayish-black proofs of the 10c stamp mounted in the spaces, frame differs from the issued design with a cut-out at bottom for the Postmaster General’s signature, with “10” in two corners giving it the appearance of a ten dollar bill and with “This Card Has a Value Of Ten Cents” imprint at left, all mounted on thick card

VERY FINE. A SPECTACULAR AND IMPORTANT RARITY FOR THE POSTAL SAVINGS SPECIALIST. PROBABLY UNIQUE.

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Unlisted in Scott................................................................. E. 3,000-4,000
1403 E  **10c Deep Blue Washington, Postal Savings Deposit Card, Essay (PS3-E).** Washington portrait similar to that used on the Washington-Franklin series with “This Card Has A Value Of Ten Cents” surrounding the vignette, 143mm x 86mm, nine additional spaces provided for adhesive savings stamps, affixed to very slightly wider additional card. VERY FINE. A HANDSOME AND RARE ESSAY FOR THIS U.S. POSTAL SAVINGS CARD. This card was discovered by Vahan Mozian Inc. and may be unique. It is illustrated and discussed at length in an article by Dr. Harry K. Charles in the November 2009 *U.S. Specialist* (pp. 518-519). The former Scott listing (PS3) was deleted and replaced with a footnote because there have been no confirming examples to prove that it was placed into circulation. Last offered in our 1983 Rarities sale. ...................................................  E. 2,000-3,000

1404 P  **10c Orange, Postal Savings, Panama-Pacific Small Die Proof (PS1P2a).** Characteristic light toning, Extremely Fine, rare, only three to five believed to exist ............................... 750.00
1405 P 10c Orange, Savings Deposit Card, Proof (PS2P). With ms. "Approved Nov. 28/10 Frank H Hitchcock P.M.G.", blue no. "451000" stamped on back, additional 10c Deep Blue No. PS4 with red "Specimen" Ovpt. affixed at bottom right, since the stamp was issued about nine months later we can only conclude it was added at a later date and perhaps was used for in-office reference, couple trivial paper clip rust marks on back. Very Fine and very scarce...................................................................................... E. 1,000-1,500

1406 P 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings, Panama-Pacific Small Die Proof (PS4P2a). Characteristic light toning. Extremely Fine, rare, only three to five believed to exist................... 750.00

1407 S 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings, Red "Specimen" Ovpt. Reading Down (PS4S). Mint N.H., small margin flaw at top, otherwise Fine............................. E. 150-200
1408 P  
**10c-$1.00 1940 Postal Savings, Small Die Proofs (PS7P2-PS10P2).** Complete set of the four denominations, vivid colors on fresh bright paper
EXTREMELY FINE. AN INCREDIBLY RARE AND BEAUTIFUL SET OF POSTAL SAVINGS SMALL DIE PROOFS.
In his May 2010 *U.S. Specialist* article, Harry Charles states that these small die proofs may be unique. ............................................................ 4,800.00

1409 TC  
**10c Black, Postal Savings Large Die Trial Color Proof (PS7TC1).** Die sunk on 97mm x 110mm card, pencil “Die 1060” and authorization handstamp and signature at bottom, Very Fine, the only one known and one of only two values known to have been produced .................................................. E. 1,000-1,500

1410 TC  
**50c Black, Postal Savings Large Die Trial Color Proof (PS9TC1).** Die sunk on 97mm x 110mm card, pencil “1060” (die number) and authorization handstamp and signature at bottom, Very Fine, the only one known and one of only two values known to have been produced .................................................. E. 1,000-1,500
**1411 P** 10c-$5.00 1941 Postal Savings, Small Die Proofs (PS11P2-PS15P2). Complete set of the five values, beautiful crisp colors

**EXTREMELY FINE. AN EXTRAORDINARILY RARE COMPLETE SET, AND CERTAINLY OF MAJOR IMPORTANCE TO THE PROOF OR SAVINGS STAMP SPECIALIST COLLECTOR.**

In his May 2010 *U.S. Specialist* article, Harry Charles states that these small die proofs may be unique................................. 5,000.00

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**1412 P** $5.00 Sepia, Postal Savings Large Die Proof (PS15P1). Die sunk on 127mm x 157mm card, die number 679825A, authorization handstamp and signature on back, insignificant card crease at bottom far from the proof

**EXTREMELY FINE. THIS PROOF IS BELIEVED TO BE UNIQUE AND IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT SAVINGS ISSUES ITEMS IN EXISTENCE.**

The striking vignette on the set of “Minuteman” Postal Savings stamps is an adaptation of the statue by Daniel Chester French, which stands today in Concord Mass.

Ex Lilly......................... 4,000.00
1413  ★★★  10c Orange, Postal Savings (PS1). Imprint, open star and plate no. 5504, top, left and bottom plate blocks of six and right plate strip of three, one stamp in last corner flaw, otherwise Fine lot .................................(Photo Ex)  1,690.00

1414  ★★★  10c Orange, Postal Savings (PS1). Wide top imprint, open star and plate no. 5505 block of six, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine .....................................................  550.00

1415  ★★★  10c Orange, Postal Savings (PS1). Wide top imprint, open star and plate no. 5506 block of six, top center stamp h.r., Very Fine .................................................................  550.00

1416  ★★★  10c Orange, Postal Savings (PS1). Bottom imprint, open star and plate no. 5505 block of six, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine .................................................................  550.00

1417  ★★★  10c Orange, Postal Savings (PS1). Multiples showing different shades and spacings, seven items, incl. five blocks of four, top imprint, open star and plate no. 5507 strip of five and bottom imprint, open star and plate no. 5504 block of eight, many stamps Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, if the plate multiple is more than three stamps wide one can tell the plate position by the stamp spacing .................................(Photo Ex)  981.50

1418  ★★★  10c Orange, Postal Savings (PS1). Imprint, open star and plate no. 5507, incl. top (lightly printed imprint and plate no.) and right plate blocks of six (small separation), bottom strip of three (h.r.), left block of six with part imprint and plate no., most stamps Mint N.H., mostly Fine-Very Fine .................................(Photo Ex)  1,214.50

1419  10c Orange, Postal Savings Deposit Cards (PS2). Three unused (different shades and card stock), completed card with stamps cancelled by purple strokes, Very Fine .......(Photo Ex)  685.00
1420 ★ 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings (PS4). Imprint, hollow star and plate no. blocks of six, nos. 5504-5506 top positions, 5507 bottom, no. 5505 h.r. and internal separation, otherwise Fine-Very Fine…………………………………….(Photo Ex) 800.00

1421 ★ 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings (PS4). Imprint, open star and plate nos. 5504 and 5505, incl. four plate blocks of six and two blocks of four with part imprint and plate nos., all different, one with pre-print paper fold, several with selvage crease or wrinkles, otherwise Very Fine………………………….(Photo Ex) 850.00

1422 ★ 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings (PS4). Imprint, open star and plate nos. 5506 and 5507, five plate blocks of six and block of six with part imprint and plate no., all different, Fine-Very Fine………………………..(Photo Ex) 1,000.00

1423 ★★ 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings (PS4). Mint N.H. complete pane of 100 with top and right imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5506, mostly Fine-Very Fine……Not illustrated 2,730.00

1424 ★ 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings (PS4). Block of 30 (both spacings), two blocks of six and strip of four with pressmen's initials and normal block of four, generally Fine-Very Fine…………………………………….Not illustrated E. 150-200

1425 ★★ 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings (PS4). Two covers, one used in 1921 with 2c Washington-Franklin used to pay 2c plus 10c Special Delivery rate, pencil "No Special" indicating that the savings stamp not recognized for Special Delivery postage, other used with 2c and 3c 1926-34 plate no. singles on F.A.M. No. 1 cacheted flight cover from Albany NY to Montreal Canada (properly backstamped), Fine lot………………………….(Photo Ex) E. 200-300

1426 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings Deposit Card (PS5). Seven items, incl. two unused cards, one with with nine stamps, another with six of No. PS4 and three PS1, three later design Savings Cards (issued Sept. 1920) with no imprinted stamp, two unused and one filled with ten stamps, Fine-Very Fine lot …………………………….(Photo Ex) E. 200-300

1427 ★★ 10c Deep Blue, Postal Savings (PS6). Complete matched sets of imprint, solid star and plate nos. 21485 and 21486 blocks of six, incl. both top left and top right positions (ten items in all), also plain block of four, Very Fine lot, Scott Retail as Mint N.H………………….(Photo Ex) 1,500.00

1428 10c-$1.00 1940 Postal Savings (PS7-PS10). Four unused cards (PS333-10), yellow and manila stock, one unused card (PS333-25) and four used cards filled with cancelled stamps, generally Fine-Very Fine………………………….Not illustrated E. 150-200

1429 ★★★ 10c-50c 1940 Postal Savings (PS7-PS9). Mint N.H. blocks of four, 10c trivial natural gum skips, Very Fine-Extremely Fine……………………………………………..(Photo Ex) 590.00

1430 ★★★ 10c Deep Ultramarine, Postal Savings (PS7). Wide top plate no. 22540 and F22540 blocks of six, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H………………………….(Photo Ex) 600.00

1431 ★★★ 10c Deep Ultramarine, Postal Savings (PS7). Wide top plate no. 22541 and F22541 blocks of six, former minor natural pre-print fold, Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H………………………….(Photo Ex) 600.00

1432 ★★★ 10c Deep Ultramarine, Postal Savings (PS7). Bottom, right and left plate no. 22540 blocks of six, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H………………………….(Photo Ex) 900.00

1433 ★★★ 10c Deep Ultramarine, Postal Savings (PS7). Bottom, right and left plate no. 22541 blocks of six, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H………………………….(Photo Ex) 900.00
1434 ★□ 25c Dark Carmine Rose, Postal Savings (PS8). Wide top plate no. 22542 and F22542 blocks of six, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 680.00

1435 ★□ 25c Dark Carmine Rose, Postal Savings (PS8). Wide top plate no. 22543 and F22543 blocks of six, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 680.00

1436 ★□ 25c Dark Carmine Rose, Postal Savings (PS8). Bottom, left and right plate no. 22542 blocks of six, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 1,020.00

1437 ★□ 25c Dark Carmine Rose, Postal Savings (PS8). Bottom, left and right plate no. 22543 blocks of six, lightly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 1,020.00

1438 ★□ 50c Dark Blue Green, Postal Savings (PS9). Wide top plate no. F22544 block of six, lightly hinged, beautifully centered, Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. 1,125.00

1439 ★□ 50c Dark Blue Green, Postal Savings (PS9). Wide top plate no. 22544 block of six, fresh, faintly hinged, Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. 1,125.00

1440 ★□ 50c Dark Blue Green, Postal Savings (PS9). Bottom plate no. 22544 block of six, fresh, faintly hinged, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. 1,125.00

1441 ★□ 50c Dark Blue Green, Postal Savings (PS9). Left and right plate no. 22544 blocks of six, fresh, faintly hinged, distinctly different shades, right pos. natural vertical gum skip, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 2,250.00

1442 ★□ $1.00 Gray Black, Postal Savings (PS10). Wide top plate no. F22545 block of six, lightly hinged, slight natural flat plate gum bends, Very Fine, scarce, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. 2,400.00

1443 ★□ $1.00 Gray Black, Postal Savings (PS10). Bottom plate no. 22545 block of six, well-centered, hardly noticeable closed tear in selvage beneath pos. 4 at right, otherwise Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. 2,400.00

1444 ★□ $1.00 Gray Black, Postal Savings (PS10). Wide left plate no. 22545 block of six, wonderfully well-centered, Very Fine and choice, also incl. Fine right plate no. 22545 single, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 2,625.00

1445 ★★ 10c-$5.00 1941 Postal Savings (PS11-PS15). Desirable collection with Nos. PS11-PS14 complete plate no. blocks of four from all positions (72 blocks in all) and $5.00 No. PS15 with block of four and complete plate no. singles (24), also 10c filled-in card, nearly all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine ................................................................. Not illustrated 3,529.00

1446 ★★★ 10c-$1.00 1941-42 Postal and War Savings (PS11-PS14, WS7-WS8). Mint N.H. complete panes of 100 (WS7 double paper and WS8 unwiped plate), Fine-Very Fine ................................................................. Not illustrated 2,486.00
1447 ★★ 10c Rose Red, Booklet Pane of Ten, Complete Booklet of 20 Panes, Trimmed Horizontal Edges with Ty. I Electric Eye Marks at Left (PS11b). Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as individual panes with no premium for the complete booklet which is not listed ................................................................. 2,300.00

1448 ★★ 10c Rose Red, Booklet Pane of Ten, Complete Booklet of 20 Panes, Trimmed Horizontal Edges with Ty. II Electric Eye Marks at Left (PS11b). Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as individual panes with no premium for the complete booklet which is not listed ................................................................. 2,300.00

1449 ★★ 10c Rose Red, Booklet Pane of Ten, Complete Booklet of Five Panes, Perforated Horizontal Edges with Ty. I Electric Eye Marks at Left (PS11c). Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as individual panes with no premium for the complete booklet which is not listed ................................................................. 575.00

1450 ★★ 10c Rose Red, Booklet Pane of Ten, Complete Booklet of Five Panes, Perforated Horizontal Edges with Ty. II Electric Eye Marks at Left (PS11c). Mint N.H., back cover crease, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as individual panes with no premium for the complete booklet which is not listed ................................................................. Not illustrated 575.00

1451 ★★ 25c Blue Green, Postal Savings Booklet Pane (PS12b). Complete collection of nine panes, incl. four with Electric Eye (Ty. I and Ty. II), four with part plate nos. (two 25% and two 60%), Durland $150.00 each, covers, wrapping bands, complete $10.00 booklets (three, with both Ty. I and II Electric Eye Bars), and single $25.00 booklet, virtually all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail with no premium for complete booklets which are not listed or for the plate nos. which have Durland premiums, combined Scott and Durland values in excess of $2,500.00 ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 1,920.00

1452 ★★ 25c Blue Green, Booklet Pane of Ten, Complete Booklet of 10 Panes, Imperforate Horizontal Edges with Ty. I Electric Eye Marks at Left (PS12b). Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as individual panes with no premium for the complete booklet which is not listed ................................................................. 650.00

1453 ★★ 25c Blue Green, Booklet Pane of Ten, Complete Booklet of 10 Panes, Imperforate Horizontal Edges with Ty. II Electric Eye Marks at Left (PS12b). Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as individual panes with no premium for the complete booklet which is not listed ................................................................. 650.00

1454 ★★ 10c Rose Red, Postal Savings, Booklet Panes (PS11b, PS11c). Extensive collection incl. Electric Eye marks (Ty. I and II), two plate nos. at 100%, two $5.00 and one $20.00 complete booklet (each with panes of No. PS11b), covers, bands, wrappers, etc., virtually all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail does not include any premiums for complete booklets (BK) and the plate numbers which are not listed ............Not illustrated 2,340.00

1455 ★★★ $5.00 Sepia, Postal Savings (PS15). Mint N.H. top and bottom plate no. 22730 blocks of six, beautifully centered, Extremely Fine ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 950.00

1456 ★★★ $5.00 Sepia, Postal Savings (PS15). Mint N.H. top plate no. 22736 block of six, fresh and Very Fine ................................................................. 475.00

1457 ★★★ $5.00 Sepia, Postal Savings (PS15). Mint N.H. top and bottom plate no. 22740 blocks of six, top Pos. “F” variety, Fine-Very Fine ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 950.00

1458 ★★★ $5.00 Sepia, Postal Savings (PS15). Bottom plate no. 2273 block of ten, Mint N.H. except hinge reinforced separation at bottom between pos. 9 and 10, Fine-Very Fine... 650.00

1459 ★★★ $5.00 Sepia, Postal Savings (PS15). Mint N.H. bottom plate nos. 22731-22733, 22737, four are plate blocks of six, two (nos. 22732 and 227349 are blocks of six with plate nos. plate no. not on middle stamp), Fine-Very Fine with couple plates or single stamps Extremely Fine ................................................................. (Photo Ex) 2,335.00
1460 E  **50¢ Black, Official Postal Savings, Die Essay (O122E).** Printed directly on 69mm x 71mm glazed card, complete design except “50” numerals are simulated “wash” drawings with suggested shading, ms. “Approved, January 10, 1911” and signed by Postmaster Hitchcock, Very Fine and unique, ex Wunderlich................................. E. 1,000-1,500

1461 E  **$1.00 Black, Official Postal Savings, Die Essay (O123E).** Printed directly on 68mm x 73mm glazed card, complete design except “1” numerals and “DOLLAR” are wash drawings with suggested shading, ms. “Approved, January 10, 1911” and signed by Postmaster Hitchcock, Very Fine and unique, ex Wunderlich................................. E. 1,000-1,500

1462 E  **1¢ Black, Official Postal Savings, Die Essay (O124E).** Printed directly on 60mm x 69mm glazed card, complete design except “1” numerals and “CENT” wash drawings, slight diagonal toning line at bottom left quite possibly occurred while being used as an engraver’s model, otherwise Very Fine and unique, many of the models of accepted designs known to philately show slight to significant wear and tear as a result of use by engravers at the Bureau, ex Wunderlich......................................................... E. 750-1,000

1463 E  **10¢ Black, Official Postal Savings, Die Essay (O126E).** Printed directly on 70mm x 72mm glazed card, complete design except “10” numerals are wash drawings with suggested shading, ms. “Approved, January 10, 1911” and signed by Postmaster Hitchcock, Very Fine, rare and probably unique……………………………………………… E. 1,000-1,500
1464 P  

1c-$1.00 1910-11 Official Postal Savings, Large Die Proofs (O121P1-O124P1, O126P1). Complete set as issued (all values represented), there is no O125P1 as this is not a face different item and is covered by O122P1, die sunk on 155mm x 202mm cards, three have reverse albino denomination and die numbers impressed in top left corner of die sinkage area, wonderfully fresh and Extremely Fine, most likely unique, ex Franklin D. Roosevelt. ............................

...(Photo Ex)  2,250.00

1465 P  

1c-$1.00 1910-11 Official Postal Savings, Panama-Pacific Small Die Proofs (O121P2a, O124P2a, O126P2a). Complete set, all denominations represented (the 2c Black exists with double line and single line watermark and are not face or color different, therefore no reason to have two 2c proofs).

VERY FINE TO EXTREMELY FINE. A SPECTACULARLY RARE SET OF OFFICIAL POSTAL SAVINGS PANAMA-PACIFIC SMALL DIE PROOFS

Probably only three to five sets known, although we are hard pressed to think of where any of those others reside .................................................................  5,000.00
1466 TC  2c Lake, Official Postal Savings Large Die Trial Color Proof (O121TC1). Die sunk on 87mm x 100mm card, incredibly fresh and clean. Extremely Fine. Very slight color nuance difference between this and the other O121TC1 which is clearly Lake, this might be classified as Deep Dark Carmine by some specialists, very scarce. 500.00

1467 TC  2c Lake, Official Postal Savings Large Die Trial Color Proof (O121TC1). Die sunk on 88mm x 101mm card, wonderfully fresh with strong color. Extremely Fine. Very scarce. 500.00

1468 TC  10c Black, Official Postal Savings Large Die Trial Color Proof on Proof Paper (O126TC1). 73mm x 76mm, off card, affixed to larger piece of Manila stock by Scotch tape on each corner (yellowed with age), when removed from prior card mounting two small holes were created in the area the proof was mounted (well-away from design), pencil "458724" at bottom (die number?), reasonably nice appearance for an item that is most likely unique, this same item realized $1,100.00 in our Sale 838 where it was offered for the first time. Not illustrated E. 1,250.00

1469 ★★★ 1c-$1.00 1910-11 Official Postal Savings (O121-O126). Complete used and unused singles (Nos. O125-O126 unused (no gum) and unused 2mm and 3mm blocks of four complete less O122 3mm and O125 2mm blocks, Fine-Very Fine. Mint N.H. wide top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5615 block of six, light Portland Oregon double oval cancels, 1c with "Butte Mont." double oval cancels, 1c with "Portland Oregon" double ovals, nearly all Fine-Very Fine, the collector thought these are "philatelic" cancels, whatever the case there can not be many (if any others) available. Not illustrated E. 750-1,000

1470 ★ 1c, 2c and 10c 1910-11 Official Postal Savings (O121, O124, O126). Top or bottom imprint, hollow star and plate no. blocks of 20, first and last with "Butte Mont." double oval cancels, 1c with "Portland Oregon" double ovals, nearly all Fine-Very Fine, the collector thought these are "philatelic" cancels, whatever the case there can not be many (if any others) available. Not illustrated E. 750-1,000

1471 2c Black, Official Postal Savings (O121). Mint N.H. wide top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5502 block of six, Fine. 350.00

1472 ★★★ 2c Black, Official Postal Savings (O121). Mint N.H. top and right imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5503 blocks of six, Fine. (Photo Ex) 700.00

1473 ★★★ 2c Black, Official Postal Savings (O121). Imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5501, incl. bottom plate block of 16, right plate block of six and left strip of three, both blocks Mint N.H., strip stamps Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine. Not illustrated 1,152.50

1474 ★★★ 2c Black, Official Postal Savings (O121). Left and right imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5502 blocks of six, one with selvage paper remnant, about Fine. (Photo Ex) 700.00

1475 ★★★ 2c Black, Official Postal Savings (O121). Complete pane of 100 with imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5500 (lacks left selvage), pos. 91 detached and defective, generally Fine. Not illustrated 4,110.00

1476 ★★ 2c Black, Official Postal Savings (O121). Mint N.H. top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 500 strip of ten, Fine. 400.00

1477 ★★ 50c Dark Green, Official Postal Savings (O122). Top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5614 block of six, couple h.r., and small light selvage reinforcement, Fine-Very Fine, scarce. 2,200.00

1478 ★★ 50c Dark Green, Official Postal Savings (O122). Two 3mm spacing blocks of four (one with left arrow selvage) and bottom imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5614 strip of three, stamps in strip lightly creased across top, otherwise Fine-Very Fine. (Photo Ex) 1,995.00

1479 ★★★ 50c Dark Green, Official Postal Savings (O122). Mint N.H. block of four, 3mm spacing, rich color, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as Mint N.H. singles. 1,500.00

1480 ★★ $1.00 Ultramarine, Official Postal Savings (O123). Top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5615 block of six, top center h.r., side pairs Mint N.H., Fine, scarce. 2,400.00

1481 ★★ $1.00 Ultramarine, Official Postal Savings (O123). Bottom imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5615 block of six, one barely hinged, other five Mint N.H., minor selvage separations, light diagonal natural flat plate gum bend, extreme bottom left selvage corner clipped well below imprint, Fine-Very Fine. 2,400.00

1482 ★★ $1.00 Ultramarine, Official Postal Savings (O123). Top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5615 block of six, light Portland Oregon double oval cancels, Fine-Very Fine, rare, we have not encountered another used plate block. E. 500-750
1483 $1.00 Ultramarine, Official Postal Savings (O123). Horizontal block of six, bold “U.S. Envelope Agency Dayton Ohio Jul. 11, 1912” double-circle datemarks (six strokes), some wrinkles as a result from being used on a heavy parcel, Fine, scarce and most unusual. ................................. E. 150-200

1484 $1.00 Ultramarine, Official Postal Savings (O123). Two vertical strips of three and strip of four used with single 10c Carmine No. O126 on Sept. 6, 1913 Registry Tag. from Boston to the 3rd Asst. PMG in Washington, some card creases and slight wear, generally Fine for this rare usage, possibly the only way this stamp can be collected “on cover” ........................................... E. 200-300

1485 ★☆ 1c Dark Violet, Official Postal Savings (O124). Complete matched set of imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5646 blocks of six, lightly hinged, top position narrow selvage, Fine set ...........................................................................................................(Photo Ex) 760.00

1486 ★★★ 1c Dark Violet, Official Postal Savings (O124). Complete pane of 100 with right and bottom imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5646, small piece of selvage edge missing at right, natural “short gumming” on five stamps, Fine-Very Fine. .......................... Not illustrated 2,360.00

1487 ★★★ 1c Dark violet, Official Postal Savings (O124). Complete pane of 100 with right and bottom imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5646, small piece out of selvage at right, mostly Fine-Very Fine ...........................................................................................................(Photo Ex) 2,360.00

1488 1c Dark Violet, Official Postal Savings (O124). Top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5646 block of eight, double oval cancels, Fine and very scarce........................................... E. 200-300

1489 ★☆ 2c Black, Official Postal Savings (O125). Top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5501 block of six, bottom center h.r., Fine................................................................................. 700.00

1490 ★☆ 2c Black, Official Postal Savings (O125). Top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5503 block of six, Fine ........................................................................................................... 700.00

1491 ★☆ 2c Black, Official Postal Savings (O125). Left imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5500 block of six, also top strip of three, Fine-Very Fine ...................................................................(Photo Ex) 765.00

1492 ★☆ 10c Carmine, Official Postal Savings (O126). Top imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5613 block of six, barely hinged, Fine-Very Fine ............................................................................................ 370.00

1493 ★☆ 10c Carmine, Official Postal Savings (O126). Left, right and bottom imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5613 blocks of six, one small hinge reinforcement, otherwise faintly hinged, Very Good-Fine ............................................................................................ (Photo Ex) 1,110.00

1494 ★★★ 10c Carmine, Official Postal Savings (O126). Mint N.H. complete pane of 100 with left and bottom imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5613, generally Fine ............................................................................................ Not illustrated 5,140.00

1495 ★★★ 10c Carmine, Official Postal Savings (O126). Complete pane of 100 with top and left imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5613, tiny nick in one s.e. stamp at bottom, generally Fine-Very Fine ............................................................................................ Not illustrated 5,140.00

1496 ★★★ 10c Carmine, Official Postal Savings (O126). Mint N.H. complete pane of 100 with top and right imprint, hollow star and plate no. 5613, couple small separations, most Fine-Very Fine ............................................................................................ Not illustrated 5,140.00

1497 1c Green and 2c Carmine, Official Postal Savings Envelopes (UO70-UO72a). Fantastic collection which appears complete incl. the rare used 2c Carmine on Manila Error cut square (UO72a), variety of knives and watermarks, with 21 entires and cut squares, many franked with additional stamps, registered usages, UO71 entires both used and unused, Fine-Very Fine, approximate Scott Retail ............................................................................................ Not illustrated 2,760.00

1498 ∞ 2c Carmine on Manila, Official Postal Savings, Error Entire (UO72a). Unused, size 23, wmk. 15, knife 106, without printed corner card, Very Fine, scarce ........................................ 2,500.00

1499 ∞ 2c Carmine on Manila, Official Postal Savings, Error Entire (UO72a). Unused, size 23, wmk. 15, knife 106, with POD Postal Savings System Washington three-line printed corner card, Very Fine, scarce ........................................................................... 2,500.00

1500 1c Black on White, Official Postal Savings Postal Card (UZ1). Mint and used cards plus similar statistical used cards bearing 1c Dark Violet (No. O124) stamps, both from Indiana and used in September 1914 about the time the UZ1’s were in service, Very Fine lot, Scott Retail as the two UZ1 cards only ............................................................................ (Photo Ex) 1,175.00

1501 ∞ 1c Black on White, Official Postal Savings Postal Card (UZ1 var). Mint card with additional solid bold-face line above text reading “Total number of accounts” (UPSS No. O1 var.), Very Fine, this variety was reported in the April-June 1995 U.P.S.S. Journal, Scott Retail as normal variety, this one unlisted ........................................ 700.00
SAVINGS

1502 ★★ 10c-$5.00 1954-61 Savings (S1-S7). Complete collection less booklet panes, incl. all plate nos. and positions, beautifully mounted and described with five $5.00 plate blocks, pane of 100 of S6 drastically misperforated, color variety of S7, virtually all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, outstanding lot and very difficult to duplicate....................... (Photo Ex) 8,984.00

1503 10c Rose, Booklet Pane of Ten, Wet and Dry Printings (S1a, S1c). Booklet pane and complete booklet collection, incl. plate nos., Electric Eye varieties, complete booklets, couple wrappers, manila and white covers and more, virtually all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail for panes with no premium added for complete booklets (BK) and plate nos. which are not listed................................................................. (Photo Ex) 5,355.00

1504 ★★ 25c Blue Green, Savings, Booklet Pane (S2a). Attractive collection incl. panes with and without Electric Eye markings, two with part plate nos. (60% and 70%), booklet covers, etc., virtually all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Catalogue does not list complete booklets (BK) or include premiums for plate numbers........................................ (Photo Ex) 4,875.00

1505 ★★ 25c Blue Green, Saving Stamp Booklet Pane of Ten (S2a). Complete booklet of four panes, Mint N.H., wet printing and with manila covers, Fine-Very Fine, very scarce, Scott Retail as individual panes with no premium for the complete booklet which is not listed................................................................. 5,200.00

1506 ★★ 25c Dark Blue and Carmine, Savings, Booklet Panes (S6a-S7a). Collection incl. panes, covers, wrappers, two $2.50 booklets, $5.00 booklet, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as individual panes with no premium for the complete booklets which are not listed................................. (Photo Ex) 975.00

WAR SAVINGS

1507 S 25c and $5.00 Deep Green, War Savings, “Specimen” Ovpt. (WS1S-WS2S). Two of each, purple ovpt. of large double line caps, each with one natural s.e., one 25c with original gum and small adherences on back at bottom, others without gum, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, scarce, two with 1986 P.F. certificates................................. (Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000

1508 ★★★ 25c Deep Green, “Thrift Stamp” War Savings (WS1). Top plate no. 58804 block of six, lightly hinged, Very Fine, very scarce, it seems that all of the War Savings stamps up to No. WS6 used the large format hand-entered plate numbers......................... 1,200.00

1509 ★★★ 25c Deep Green, “Thrift Stamp” War Savings (WS1). Small collection of position material, incl. bottom arrow and center line blocks of four, three plate no. singles and four blocks with plate nos. (one a block of eight which also incl. the top arrow block), also ordinary single, some h.r., generally Fine, nice lot for the specialist, Scott Retail with no premium for position pieces............................................. Not illustrated 538.00

1510 ★ 25c Deep Green, “Thrift” Stamp War Savings (WS1). Two Freak perforation varieties, one is top left corner single foldover with about one-third of impression in top right corner, other block of four with bottom left sheet corner foldover with tiny bit of impression in extreme bottom left with another similar sized piece on back along with siderographer’s initials, wonderful material to dress up a Savings collection, may not be unique but certainly very hard to find............................................. (Photo Ex) E. 200-300

1511 ★ $5.00 Deep Green, War Savings (WS2). Four singles, some gum disturbances, various positions, incl. no guide line, horizontal and vertical guide lines and horizontal s.e. guide line, generally Fine- Very Fine........................................................................... (Photo Ex) 340.00

1512 ★ $5.00 Deep Green, War Savings (WS2). Eight of the eleven different plate no. singles listed by Durland as scarce, one with pre-printing paper fold, Fine- Very Fine, scarce group........................................................................................................... 720.00

1513 ★★★ $5.00 Deep Green, War Savings (WS2). Bottom plate no. 60850 block of six, some perf reinforcement and bottom row lightly creased, otherwise Fine, this is the only known large size War Savings issue known to exist in plate number block form, in our opinion this is scarcer than catalog value suggests, ex Wampler.................................... 1,600.00

1514 ★ $5.00 Deep Green, War Savings (WS2). Top plate no. 60852 strip of three, lightly hinged, Very Fine, Scott Retail as singles.............................................................. 260.00

1515 ★ $5.00 Deep Green, War Savings (WS2). Vertical block of six with horizontal guide line between pos. 5-6, lightly hinged, Fine- Very Fine........................................................................ 495.00
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<td>$5.00 Deep Green, War Savings, Rouletted 7 (WS3). Bottom plate no. 57066 single (Durland scarce), nicely centered, very minor natural vertical gum skip line, Very Fine, attractive position item, there are no plate no. blocks of six known of this issue.</td>
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<td>$5.00 Deep Green, War Savings, Rouletted 7 (WS3). Top plate no. 57147 single (Durland scarce), beautifully centered, Extremely Fine, there are no plate no. blocks of six known of this issue.</td>
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<td>1521</td>
<td>$5.00 Deep Green, War Savings, Rouletted 7 (WS3). Bottom plate no. 57148 single (Durland scarce), outstanding centering, Extremely Fine, there are no plate no. blocks of six known of this issue.</td>
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<td>1522</td>
<td>$5.00 Deep Green, War Savings, Rouletted 7 (WS3). Beautifully centered, guide line at top, light purple “Hammond 45600” handstamp with ms. “140” inserted beneath number, Extremely Fine and very scarce used.</td>
<td>650.00</td>
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<td>1523</td>
<td>$5.00 Deep Blue, War Savings (WS4). Beautiful margins and centering, rich color, small margin crease bottom left, Extremely Fine appearance.</td>
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**1524** ★ $5.00 Deep Blue, War Savings (WS4). Four different plate no. singles, nos. 61911-61913 and 62010 (all Durland scarce), one Very Good, one Fine, other two Very Fine. (Photo Ex) 1,400.00

**1525** ★ $5.00 Deep Blue, War Savings (WS4). Top plate no. 61911 and 61970 singles (Durland scarce), distinct shades, beautifully centered, Extremely Fine........................................ (Photo Ex) 700.00

**1526** ★ $5.00 Deep Blue, War Savings (WS4). Bottom plate no. 61884 and 61885 singles, both numbers inverted, former Fine, latter Extremely Fine................................. (Photo Ex) 750.00

**1527**  $5.00 Deep Blue, War Savings, Counterfeit (WS4F). Block of four, incredibly well-executed engraved and gummed forgery that has minute differences in design (Franklin’s hair less detail and numbers appear less sharp), the tell-tale evidence that this is a forgery are the hand-made perforations that tend to waver and the sharply cut holes plus the paper is light beige instead of white, straightline “Counterfeit” diagonal backstamps also provide an excellent clue, Extremely Fine, it is believed that many thousands of dollars of these expertly done stamps were cashed, however they are very scarce and seldom seen on the deposit cards ............... E. 1,000-1,500

**1528**  $5.00 Deep Blue, War Savings, Counterfeit (WS4F). Block of four, incredibly well-executed engraved and gummed forgery that has minute differences in design (Franklin’s hair less detail and numbers appear less sharp), the tell-tale evidence that this is a forgery are the hand-made perforations that tend to waver and the sharply cut holes plus the paper is light beige instead of white, without “Counterfeit” handstamps, Fine-Very Fine................................. E. 1,000-1,500

**1529**  $5.00 Deep Blue, War Savings, Counterfeit (WS4F). Horizontal pair, incredibly well-executed engraved and gummed forgery that has minute differences in design (Franklin’s hair less detail and numbers appear less sharp), the tell-tale evidence that this is a forgery are the hand-made perforations that tend to waver and the sharply cut holes plus the paper is light beige instead of white, greenish blue straightline “Counterfeit” handstamp at top and the same on back diagonally, Very Fine ................................................................. E. 500-750

**1530** ★ $5.00 Carmine, War Savings (WS5). Fresh and bright, Very Fine................................. 800.00
1531 ★ $5.00 Carmine, War Savings (WS5). Top plate no. 67551 single, h.r. in selvage, stamp faintly hinged, beautifully centered, fresh and crisp, Extremely Fine, there are no known plate no. blocks of six of this stamp................................................. 850.00

1532 ★ $5.00 Carmine, War Savings (WS5). Top plate no. 67545 single, h.r., beautifully centered, lovely color, Fine, there are no known plate no. blocks of six of this stamp ...... .................................................................................................................. 850.00

1533 ★ $5.00 Carmine, War Savings (WS5). Top plate no. 67549 single, thin spots, Fine appearance, there are no known plate no. blocks of six of this stamp ....................... 850.00

1534 ★ $5.00 Carmine, War Savings (WS5). Bottom plate no. 67549 single, fresh, faintly hinged, Very Fine, there are no known plate no. blocks of six of this stamp................. 850.00

1535 ★ $5.00 Carmine, War Savings (WS5). Top plate no. F67550 single, lightly hinged, natural inclusion speck, Fine, there are no known plate no. blocks of six of this stamp.. 850.00

1536 (★) $5.00 Carmine, War Savings (WS5). Block of four, well-centered bright color, regummed or redistributed o.g., reperfed top and right, Very Fine-Extremely Fine appearance, Scott Retail as four no gum singles................................................................. 2,000.00
1537 (★) $5.00 Carmine, War Savings (WS5). Block of four, fresh and bright, regummed or redistributed o.g., Fine, Scott Retail as four no gum singles......................................... 2,000.00

1538 ★ $5.00 Orange on Green, War Savings (WS6). Top plate no. F73135 single, faintly hinged, light natural gum bends, Very Fine, handsome example of this rare Savings issue of which there are no known plate no. blocks of six ............................... 4,500.00

1539 ★ $5.00 Orange on Green, War Savings (WS6). Bottom plate no. 73130 single, lightly hinged, nearly Very Fine, a rare Savings issue of which there are no known plate no. blocks of six ...... .................................................. 4,500.00
1540 (★) $5.00 Orange on Green, War Savings (WS6). Unused (no gum), beautiful color, Very Fine ................................................................. 1,750.00

1541 10c-$5.00 1942-43 War Savings (WS7-WS13). Virtually complete collection with booklet panes, blocks, plate blocks and varieties, WS11 represented by 15 plate no. singles (all plates and positions), part plate no. coils with top and bottom matched to make 100% numbers, leader strips, postal usages for WS7-WS10, others, virtually all Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, desirable group, approximate Scott Retail which does not incl. premiums for unlisted items.............................................(Photo Ex) 5,400.00

1542 ★★ 10c Rose Red, 25c Dark Blue Green, War Savings, Booklet Panes (WS7b-WS8b). Complete collection, incl. both issues showing plate nos., Electric Eye markings, complete booklets, numerous packaging bands and covers, empty booklet covers, Mint N.H., Fine-Very Fine, outstanding group, Scott Retail with no premiums for complete booklets (BK) which are not listed..........................(Photo Ex) 2,945.00

1543 ★★★ $5.00 Violet Brown, War Savings (WS11). Mint N.H. matching top and bottom plate no. 150133 blocks of six, Very Fine ................................................ (Photo Ex) 1,000.00

1544 Saving Stamps Ephemera. Large folder and two beautiful oversized Elbe albums full of wonderful collateral material for Savings Issues, perhaps a couple hundred items incl. ones promoting war savings bonds and stamps (few postal savings as well), broadsides, magazines, posters, photographs, cards, saving forms, defense stamp albums, covers, certificates, citations, also a few pages of Australian WWII war savings items, phenomenal assemblage of historical material that would be next to impossible to duplicate ............ (Photo Ex) E. 500-750

1545 1917-20 War Savings Cards and Ephemera. Outstanding group with Thrift Cards, Deposit Cards, Deposit and Envelope ephemera items, some with stamps incl. several No. WS1, Christmas greeting folder with No. WS2 and 20 subject deposit card with single No. WS4, a rare and wonderful group, it would take a long time for someone to try and duplicate this lot (if possible) ..........................................................(Photo Ex) E. 400-500

TREASURY SAVINGS

1546 ★ $1.00 Red on Green, Treasury Savings (TS1). Top plate no. F73198 single, faintly hinged, wide margins, beautiful color combination, Fine and very scarce, there are no known plate no. blocks of six of this stamp.............................. 5,750.00

1547 ★ $1.00 Red on Green, Treasury Savings (TS1). Bottom plate no. 73197 single, rich color on nicely tinted paper, thin spot, Fine appearance, very scarce, there are no known plate no. blocks of six of this issue...................................................... 5,750.00

1548 ★ $1.00 Red on Green, Treasury Savings (TS1). Bottom plate no. 73198 single, h.r., three huge margins to ample at bottom, Very Fine and choice, scarce, there are no known plate no. blocks of six of this issue...................................................... 5,750.00

1549 ★ $1.00 Red on Green, Treasury Savings (TS1). Well-centered, gum covered thin spot and reperfed, Very Fine appearance, scarce .................................................. 5,500.00

1550 (★) $1.00 Red on Green, Treasury Savings (TS1). Single affixed on savings card, also another savings card without stamp, Fine, Scott Retail as no gum with no premium for the cards.................................................. 1,750.00

1551 (★) $1.00 Red on Green, Treasury Savings (TS1). Single affixed on savings card, also another savings card without stamp, Fine, Scott Retail as no gum with no premium for the cards.................................................. 1,750.00

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