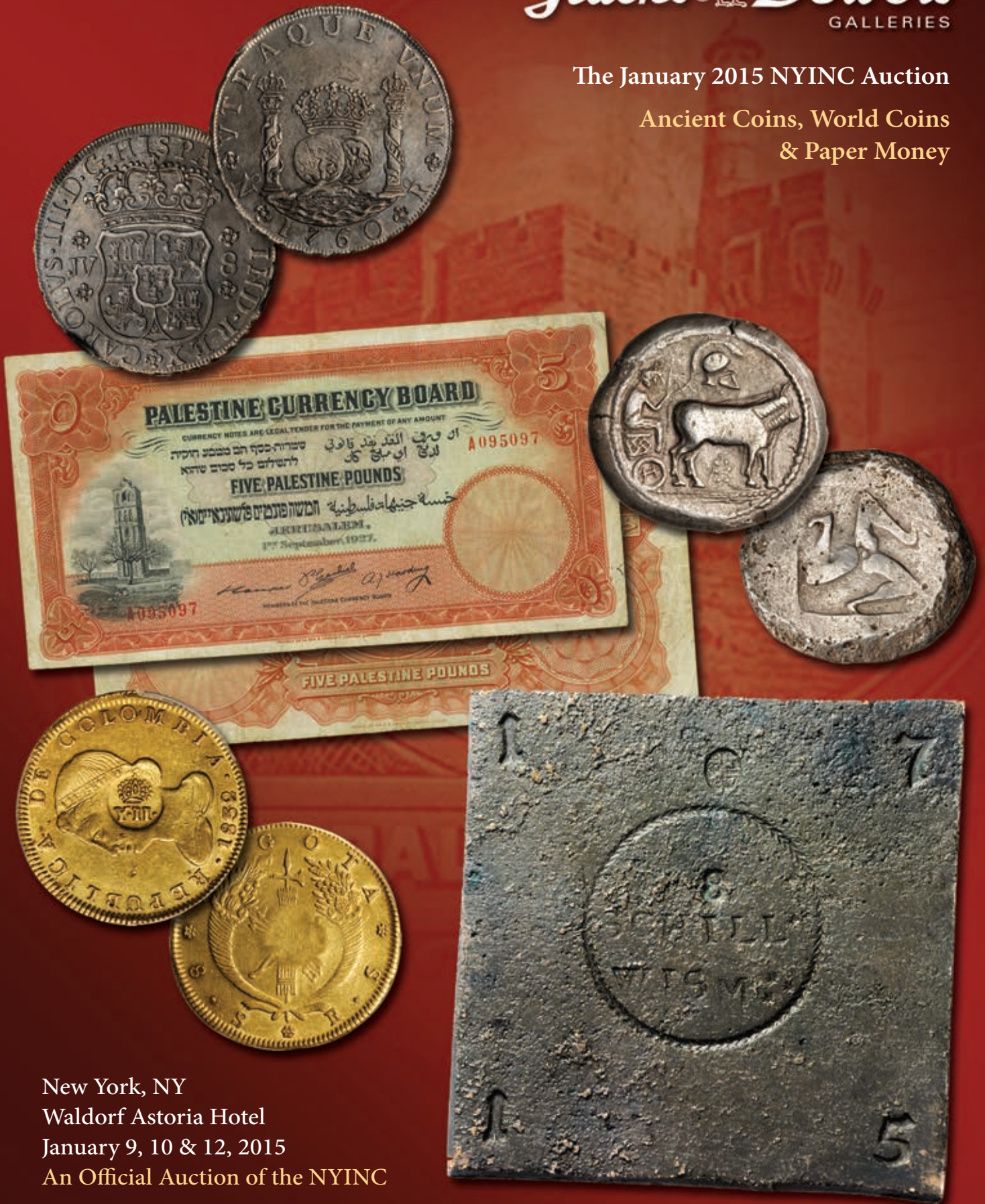


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Lot Viewing will be conducted in the Irvine, CA offices (by appointment only): December 17-22

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Wednesday, January 7	Thursday, January 8	Friday, January 9	Saturday, January 10
9:00 AM – 5:00 PM ET	9:00 AM – 5:00 PM ET	9:00 AM – 5:00 PM ET	9:00 AM – 1:00 PM ET

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Ancient & World Coins
Friday, January 9, 2015
6:30 PM ET
Lots 1-770

Session B

World Coins
Saturday, January 10, 2015
6:30 PM ET
Lots 1001-1773

Session C

World Paper Money
Monday, January 12, 2015
11:00 AM ET
Lots 2001-2300

*Session C will be conducted at
the Stack's Bowers Galleries offices
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Please see separate catalog for world and ancient coins and paper money internet sessions.

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Lot Pickup will be conducted at the Waldorf Astoria in the Morgan Suite (18th Floor), as follows:

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The January 2015 NYINC Auction

Welcome to the sale! The January 2105 Stack's Bowers Galleries Official Auction of the New York International Numismatic Convention showcases "a collection of collections." In the pages that follow, we are proud to present specialized collections of such diverse coins as Philippines counterstamps, Spanish Colonial Proclamation Medals, Swedish Plate Money, German Crowns and Talers, ancient coins and many other specialties. Mixed in are highlights from important properties, ranging from single item consignments to large collections. All are presented here, for you, the numismatic enthusiast. Named collections abound, and include: The Stanley Aberdeen Collection of Swedish Plate Money, The John Adams Collection of Spanish Colonial Proclamation Medals, The Dr. Richard Aghababian Collection of Ancient Coins, The Ray Czahor Collection of Philippines Coins, selections from The Demarete Collection, and The Rockaway Collection of German Crowns and Talers. Other important consignments include a fine selection of Brazilian gold coins, Russian and Latin American gold and silver coins, and many others. In the three live sessions, we will offer over 1,800 lots, with an additional selection of over 1,650 lots in our Internet session.

Session A will commence on Friday, January 9 at 6:30 p.m. ET, with nearly 300 lots of ancient coins. Among these are popular ancient type coins, rare Greek and Roman issues, and a good selection of Roman Aureii. Highlights include: a silver Dodekadrachm of the Derrones, two Dekadrachms of Syracuse, a neat pair of Mysian electrum Staters, a strong selection of Judean coins, and fantastic gold aureii of the Roman emperors Octavian and Julius Caesar, Claudius, Antoninus Pius, Probus (and others). Also offered will be ancient coins from most issuing authorities and locales, in price points that will suit any collecting budget.

Then come world coins of the more "modern" age. Starting with coins of Albania and continuing through German coins, we present over 470 lots of gold coins, crowns, and minors in silver and copper. Latin American coins, long a specialty of ours at Stack's Bowers Galleries, include a unique and recent discovery: a lovely 1760/59 Colombian 8 Reales, the only known example of the date to exist. This is the second year in a row that a newly discovered and unique Colombian coin holds a prominent position in our Official Auction of the New York International Numismatic Convention. Another South American rarity offering good crossover appeal to collectors of African crowns is a Chilean 8 Reales minted at Santiago in 1764, bearing the Mozambique counterstamp for the decree of 1765. Canadian collectors will be enticed by specimen 20 Cent of 1858 graded PCGS MS-64+ with a reeded edge and Demarete pedigree. A lovely gem Specimen 1914 Pattern Dollar of China signed by L. Giorgi will turn heads. A large selection of German States crowns and talers anchored by The Rockaway Collection provides a good transition spot and is highlighted by a very rare 1702 medallic taler of Brunswick Wolfenbuttel displaying allegorical scenes outlining the political strife of the time. Other rare coins, high grade examples of popular types, and special items fill in, rounding out a great auction session.

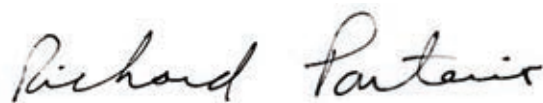
Session B will commence at 6:30 p.m. ET on Saturday, January 10, and features coins from Ghana to Yemen, but begins with the specialized collection of Spanish Colonial Proclamation medals formed by John W. Adams. Spanish proclamation medals were issued to commemorate loyalty to new kings in the Spanish Empire and were produced in various colonial possessions throughout the ages. This collection focuses on the 18th century, as these also have a crossover appeal to collectors of United States medals, as they are listed in the Betts reference on medals related to colonial America. Mr. Adams' efforts in searching out these rare and slightly obscure items, and assembling them into a comprehensive collection have led to a better understanding of the series.

A large selection of Philippine coinage anchored by The Ray Czahor Collection and augmented by other important properties presents a once-in-a-lifetime offering of these fascinating, rare and important coins. Russian coins from a number of different consignors are highlighted by rare gold coins and silver Rubles, including two rare Proof gold 10 Rubles. Rare South African Proof Sets of 1892 and 1931, the latter pedigreed to The Demarete Collection, are important opportunities for the specialist. Swedish Plate Money from The Stanley Aberdeen Collection is highlighted by an 8 Schilling piece of 1715 struck during the Great Northern War.

Session C, our World Paper Money session, will be held at our auction gallery on the second floor of the Director's Guild of America Building (110 W. 57th Street) at 11a.m. ET on Monday, January 12. A diverse and exciting offering of 300 lots is strong in Middle Eastern notes, with a nice selection of Saudi Arabian notes, and a rare Palestine Currency Board 5 Pound note of 1927.

Session D, our Internet-only session, closes Tuesday, January 13 at 6 p.m. ET, and the nearly 1,700 lots of highly collectible coins and banknotes are offered in a separate catalog. Be sure to review these lots as well.

On behalf of the entire staff at Stack's Bowers Galleries, we thank you for participating in our January 2015 Official Auction of the New York International Numismatic Convention, and appreciate you ringing in the numismatic New Year with us! We hope to see you at lot viewing either in our Irvine, CA headquarters, our New York Gallery at 110 W. 57th Street, or at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel at the auction. We wish you the best of good in your bidding.



Richard Ponterio



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The John W. Adams Collection



John W. Adams has been collecting for nearly 60 years. After starting with Lincoln cent boards filled from circulation, he moved on to Proof Indian cents, to type coins, then large cents of the year 1794 and, finally, historical medals. He continues to collect the last avidly but, in order to hone his focus, has sold off portions of a very broad collection. Stack's Bowers Galleries was pleased to handle Mr. Adams' Indian Peace medals, including a gold 1693 Family medal of Louis XIV, in 2009.

As a collector advances in his or her interests, it is inevitable that knowledge becomes more important than the coins themselves. An eager student, Mr. Adams was able to gather a library, as well as visit leading institutions in this country, Canada and abroad. These activities led to the composition of dozens of articles and the publication of six books:

United States Numismatic Literature, Volume I

United States Numismatic Literature, Volume II

The Indian Peace Medals of George III

The Medals Concerning John Law and the Mississippi System

Comitia Americana and Related Medals

Medallic Portraits of Admiral Vernon, Medals Sometimes Lie

This extensive corpus led to the American Numismatic Society bestowing upon Mr. Adams its highest award, the Archer M. Huntington Medal for lifetime achievement in numismatic scholarship. The Award Ceremony and celebratory dinner took place in Boston on April 26, 2014. So warm and vibrant was the support of family, friends and fellow numismatists at this function that Mr. Adams came to a new conclusion as to the meaning of it all: the hobby is only partially about the breadth of a collection and the quality of the coins. Rather, the unexpected but greatly-to-be-desired outcome of collecting is the sharing of knowledge and experience with persons of like mind. It is these lasting bonds of friendship that are the true treasures of the hobby.



The Rockaway Collection

The Rockaway Collection was the proud and passionate pastime of an amateur collector whose love for American, European, and Chinese history influenced acquisitions from the 1960s to the 1990s. To the collector, every coin was an interesting story, a moment in time, an opportunity to research and be inspired by fascinating peoples and places that existed long ago. As such, the

coins, once amassed, were tended to rather than sold. It is why these pieces have been off the market for many decades. The recent passing of the collector is the reason The Rockaway Collection is now available. Future Stack's Bowers Galleries auctions will showcase additional World and U.S. coins from this marvelous collection.



The Ray Czahor Collection



Ray started collecting coins and stamps in the early 1950s. After collecting over 5,500 world stamps, he quickly realized he hadn't even scratched the surface, and traded all his stamps, albums, and catalogs to a couple for their United States coin collection. To this day, he has maintained his interest in U.S. type sets, Buffalo nickels, Standing Liberty quarters, Walking Liberty halves and

U.S. currency. His interest in Philippine numismatics began when he was stationed there in 1963, while a newly minted 2nd Lieutenant in the United States Air Force. He was fascinated with the history of the Philippines as it moved from Spanish rule through the United States' administration to the Philippine Republic. He was interested in the governments' varied impact on coins, tokens, medals and currency, including during the Japanese Occupation and Guerilla/Emergency notes. All areas of Philippine coinage had collectible interest for Ray, including the trials, patterns, varieties and low mintages that enhance the challenge of Philippine numismatics. Currently, Ray distributes an annual mail bid covering World War II books and all aspects of Philippine numismatics. He can be reached at cookiejarpi@verizon.net.

Ray purchased his first Philippine Counterstamp in 1964, an 1835 Y.II C/S on an 1754 Mexican 8 Reales coin for \$50 (not offered in the sale but part of his Philippine type set). He knew Pillar coins were very collectible, but with a Philippine counterstamp — wow! That purchase initiated his research into the history of these interesting coins, but little information was available in the Philippines. After returning to the United States in 1965, he found articles by Dr. P.I. DeJesus who listed several types of counterstamps. Ray began to search through dealer lists and at tables at coin shows and slowly added a few pieces to his collection. But it wasn't until the mid-1980s that significant and new information was provided by Frank F. Gilboy, in an article in the June 1984 issue of the *Barrilla*, official publication of the Philippine Central Bank Money Museum. In the article, Mr. Gilboy explained how to date the individual counterstamps by examining the number of pearls in sequence in the crown of the counterstamp. From his examination of a number of examples, Mr. Gilboy was able to estimate the percentages of counterstamp striking of each date. Ray's experience generally supports Mr. Gilboy's estimates of the relative rarity of the date of the counterstamp. This energized Ray's interest to find the scarcer dated counterstamps, and to start looking for them on rarer country host coins, varieties or overdated host coins, and particularly to search for higher grade host coins and counterstamps. Some countries such as Peru and Mexico provided many examples, but finding the coin and the counterstamp in VF to AU was the challenge!



The Ray Czahor Collection (Continued)

Ray is excited that Stack's Bowers Galleries has agreed to list the counterstamps as dated by Mr. Gilboy. That information follows:




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F.7.°		1833	5 - 4 - 2
F.7.°		1834	5 - 4 - 1
Y.II.		1834	5 - 3 - 1
Y.II		1835	5 - 4 - 1
Y.II		1836	5 - 4 - 3
Y.II		1837	5 - 3 - 2

Table excerpt from Frank F. Gilboy's article in June 1984 issue of Barilla Magazine, published by the Philippine Central Bank.

The inclusion of Frank F. Gilboy's crown variety date chart is for collector convenience only.
Stack's Bowers Galleries can neither confirm nor deny its accuracy, as further research is needed.

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The Ray Czahor Collection (Continued)

Philippines Countermarks

For anyone starting to collect the countermarked coins of the Philippines, below is a checklist of the basic types and some major varieties. The rarities assigned to each of these are based purely on the general type and do not account for scarce or rare host coins or host dates. Famed Philippines author and collector Pablo I. de Jesus came up with a general list by country and type from most the common to the rarest. Below is his list as seen in the Philippine Numismatic Monographs Number 16, August 1966.

1. Peru. The Lima mint of 1830-36 are the most common, but earlier dates 1822-29 are scarce. Cuzco mint is also scarce.
2. Mexico 1832-36, but the earlier dates are scarce, the hookneck eagle types and Augustinus are rare.
3. Bolivia.
4. Chile, Colombia. There was a special importation of Chilean pesos of 1834 and Colombian 8 Reales of 1835.
5. Guatemala, Argentina and Spain.
6. Brazil, U.S.A. and European crowns.
7. Spanish colonial including bust-type and pillar dollars with chopmarks.
8. Countermarks on minor coins.
9. Perforated coins countermarked on the hole.
10. "Manila" overstrikes are rare, especially 1829 and 1830.
11. Two or more countermarks on one coin are very rare.

The combination of the Pablo I. de Jesus list and the checklist below is sure to give any collector of Philippines countermarks a good start and a better understanding of this series. The Ray Czahor Collection of Philippines Countermarks contains a vast majority of types and varieties on the checklist as well as many rare host coins.

MANILA OVERSTRIKES

- 1828 (Scarce)
- 1830 (Very Rare)

FERDINAND VII, 1808-33 (F.7.o)

- 8 Reales
 - Obverse only
 - Reverse only (Scarce)
 - Reverse first, then corrected (Very Rare)
- 4 Reales (Very Rare)
- 2 Reales (Rare)
- 1 Real (Extremely Rare)
- Over Perforation (Very Rare)
 - Over Perforation, one side only (Extremely Rare)
 - Over Perforation, Minor coinage (Extremely Rare)
- With Multiple Countermarks (Extremely Rare)
- 8 Escudos (Very Rare)
- 2 Escudos (Exceedingly Rare)

ISABEL II, 1833-68 (Y.II.)

- 8 Reales
 - Obverse only
 - Reverse only (Scarce)
 - Reverse first, then corrected (Very Rare)
- 4 Reales (Very Rare)
- 2 Reales (Rare)
- 1 Real (Extremely Rare)
- Over Perforation (Very Rare)
 - Over Perforation, one side only (Extremely Rare)
 - Over Perforation, Minor coinage (Extremely Rare)
- With prior F.7.o Countermark (Extremely Rare)
- With Multiple Countermarks (Extremely Rare)
- 8 Escudos (Very Rare)
- 2 Escudos (Exceedingly Rare)

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Lot 44 MACEDON.
Macedonian Tribes. The Derrones. AR Dodekadrachm
(40.67 gms), ca. 480-465 B.C.



Lot 407 CHILE. 8 Reales, 1764-SoJ. Santiago Mint.
Charles III (1759-88). PCGS VF-20 Secure Holder.



Lot 68 ATTICA. Athens. AR Tetradrachm
(16.90 gms), ca. 500-482 B.C.



Lot 421 CHINA. Pattern Dollar, ND (1914).
PCGS SP-65 Secure Holder.



Lot 94 MYSIA. Cyzicus.
EL Stater (15.99 gms), ca. 550-500 B.C.



Lot 434 CHINA. Kiangnan. 7 Mace 2 Candareens
(Dollar), ND (1898). PCGS AU-58 Secure Holder.



Lot 215 OCTAVIAN & JULIUS CAESAR.
AV Aureus (8.11 gms), Italian Mint, 43 B.C.



Lot 229 CALIGULA, A.D. 37-41.
AR Denarius (3.72 gms), Lugdunum Mint, ca. A.D. 37-38.



Lot 458 COLOMBIA. 8 Reales, 1760/59-NRJV.
Charles III (1759-88). NGC AU-58.

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Lot 1248 MEXICO. 8 Reales Royal, ND Philip III (1598-1607).



Lot 1366 PHILIPPINES. 8 Reales, 1830
(Decree of January 16, 1832). NGC MS-63.



Lot 1427 PHILIPPINES. 8 Escudos, ND
(Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837
(By Decree of February 1, 1836)). PCGS AU-50 Secure Holder.



Lot 1448 PHILIPPINES. Peso, 1906-S. PCGS MS-61.



Lot 1533 RUSSIA. 10 Ruble, 1764-CNB. St. Petersburg Mint.
Catherine II (1762-96). NGC MS-61.



Lot 1589 RUSSIA. 10 Ruble, 1886-AT.
NGC PROOF-65 CAMEO.



Lot 2034 BERMUDA. Government of Bermuda.
5 Shillings, 1.8.1920. P-3a.



Lot 2053 CUBA. National Bank of Cuba.
1 Peso, ND (1905). P-65s. Specimen.



Lot 2061 DANISH WEST INDIES. National Bank of the
Danish West Indies. 10 Francs, 1905. P-18a.

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Lot 2070 ECUADOR. Banco Central del Ecuador. 100 Sucres, 1.1.1928. P-NL. Composite Essay.



Lot 2090 FRENCH INDO-CHINA. Banque de L'Indo-Chine. 100 Piastres, 9.3.1903. P-32.



Lot 2071 EGYPT. National Bank of Egypt. 100 Pounds, 6.9.1913. P-16s. Specimen.



Lot 2091 FRENCH INDO-CHINA. Banque de L'Indo-Chine. 20 Piastres, 16.3.1907. P-36.



Lot 2089 FRENCH INDO-CHINA. Banque de L'Indo-Chine. 20 Piastres, 3.9.1898. P-30.



Lot 2110 Specimens of Bank Note Engraving & c. & c. & c. Designed and Executed by Henry Bradbury, M.R.I.

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Lot 2157 LEBANON. Banque de Syrie.
100 Livres, 16.3.42. P-14s. Specimen.



Lot 2251 SAUDI ARABIA. Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency.
50 Riyals, AH1379 (1984). P-NL. Composite Essay.



Lot 2207 PALESTINE. Palestine Currency Board.
5 Pounds, 1.9.1927. P-8a.



Lot 2252 SAUDI ARABIA. Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency.
100 Riyals, AH1379 (1984). P-NL. Composite Essay.



Lot 2211 Iran. Imperial Bank of Persia. 5 Tomans, 7.8.1908. P-3.



Lot 2282 TURKEY. State Note of the Ministry of Finance.
5 Livres, L. 1331. P-74.



Lot 2293 TURKEY. State Note of the Ministry of Finance.
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THE JANUARY 2015
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ANCIENT COINS



ANCIENT COIN LOTS 1-301

GREEK



CELTIC BRITAIN

- 1 **Atrebatum. AV Stater (5.91 gms), ca. 55-45 B.C. S-39; VA-216-1.** Blank; Reverse: Disjointed horse right with triple tail, spoked wheel below.

NGC Ch VF, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 3/5. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 758667.



- 2 **Corieltauvi. AV Stater (5.51 gms), ca. 50-20 B.C. S-390.** South Ferriby type. Crude laureate head of Apollo; Reverse: Disjointed abstract horse, star below. Lightly toned.

NGC AU, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 4/5. \$700-\$900



- 3 **Corieltauvi. AV Stater (5.46 gms), ca. 55-45 B.C. cf.S-391; VA-817.** South Ferriby type. Blank; Reverse: Disjointed horse left with tail, spoked wheel below. Nice rose toning.

NGC EF, Strike: 3/5 Surface: 3/5. \$600-\$800



- 4 **East Central Gaul. The Senones. AV Ball Stater (7.42 gms), 100-80 BC.** Castelin-704. Plain globular piece with protruding rim, cross in relief on one side.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$800



ITALY

- 5 **Etruria. Populonia. AR 20 Asses (8.99 gms), 3rd Century B.C.** Catali-29a; SNGCop-1. Facing Gorgoneion, mark of value "X(X)" below; Reverse: blank. Struck on a dome-shaped flan, cutting off the second "X" of the denomination and parts of the Gorgoneion's lower right hair. Bright and attractive with a nice strike for the type. Good metal quality with much remaining luster.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$5000



- 6 **Campania. Neapolis. AR Didrachm (7.42 gms), ca. 420-380 B.C.** SNGCop-385. Head of nymph (possibly Parthenope) facing three-quarters right; Reverse: Man-headed bull standing facing left. Minor scratches present, some toning, of a fine style.

NGC Ch EF★, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 4/5.
Fine Style. \$2500-\$3000



- 7 **Apulia. Luceria. AE Quincunx (37.98 gms), ca. 220 B.C.** TV-281; Syd-138. Four wheel spokes, five dots above (for denomination), "L" below; Reverse: Four wheel spokes. Choice pale green patina with darker accents.

EXTREMELY FINE \$500-\$700
Ex: CNG Sale 53 March 15, 2000 Lot #1263.



- 8 **Calabria. Tarentum. AR Stater (8.00 gms), ca. 302-231 B.C.** Vlasto-679. Nike to left seizing forelock of prancing horse, her left arm behind the horse's neck, horseman to left wears helmet and holds in right hand a small shield ("E" on shield) and two javelins; Reverse: Nude Taras rising on Dolphin, holding shield and javelins, waves beneath. Well centered on a nice round flan. Sharp struck. Lustrous and attractive.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$1000



- 9 **Calabria. Tarentum. AR Stater (6.50 gms), ca. 302-231 B.C.** Vlasto-754. Horseman trotting right, rider crowning horse, monogram behind rider; Reverse: Taras astride dolphin left, holding a shield with a hippocamp and two spears in one hand, in the other hand he holds a cornucopiae. Iridescent blue toning around the devices. Well rounded with good centering.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$400-\$600



ITALY

10 **Lucania. Metapontum. AR Stater (6.85 gms), ca. 540-510 B.C.** SNGANS-192. Ear of barley; Reverse: Incuse of obverse. Lovely golden toning.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$1300-\$1600

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4012.



11 **Lucania. Metapontum. AR Stater (7.75 gms), ca. 540-510 B.C.** Noe-91. Ear of barley; Reverse: Incuse of obverse. Well struck on a nice round flan. Pleasant gray toning. Minor ancient graffiti on the reverse field. Good metal for type.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$1800-\$2200

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4011.



12 **Lucania. Thurium. AR Distater (15.55 gms), ca. 400-350 B.C.** Noe-N14. Helmeted head of Athena right, Scylla adorning helmet; Reverse: Bull charging right, cornucopiae in exergue. Bright and appealing.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1800-\$2200



13 **Lucania. Thurium. AR Distater (15.60 gms), ca. 400-350 B.C.** cf.SNGANS-1091. Head of Athena right wearing crested Corinthian helmet adorned with Scylla; Reverse: Bull charging right, torch and monogram in exergue. Nicely centered. Attractive strike with full crest on helmet.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1800-\$2200



14 **Lucania. Thurium. AR Stater (7.82 gms), ca. 300-280 B.C.** SNGCop-1463. Head of Athena facing right, wearing crested Athenian helmet, ornamented with Scylla; Reverse: Bull butting right, Nike flying right above.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$2500-\$3500



15 **Bruttium. Kroton. AR Octobol (2.78 gms), ca. 300-250 B.C.** SNGANS-422. Head of Heracles wearing taenia facing right; Reverse: Owl standing facing right, head facing, ear of barley to right. Faint scratches present. Sharply struck with attractive toning.

NGC AU★, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 3/5.

Light Scratches. \$500-\$700



16 **Bruttium. Terina. AR Stater (7.83 gms), ca. 440-400 B.C.** SNGANS-831; Regling-56; SNG Lockett-670; SNG Lloyd-747. Head of nymph facing left; Reverse: Nike seated on cippus, facing left, holding wreath in right hand. Lovely toning. Choice and attractive.

NGC Ch EF★, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 5/5..... \$1500-\$2000

Ex: William N. Rudman Collection. Previously from the Hess-Leu Auction 4/58 Lot #44.

De Nanteuil Collection Lot #245.



17 **Bruttium. Terina. AR Stater (7.38 gms), ca. 440-400 B.C.** Holloway & Jenkins-61; Regling-63; Jameson-482. Head of nymph facing left, ethnic before; Reverse: Nike seated on cippus facing left holding wreath and dove. Some minor scratches present, though lovely toning.

NGC EF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 3/5.

Light scratches..... \$1500-\$2000

Ex: William N. Rudman Collection. Previously from the Dr. Peter M. Suter Collection.



SICILY

18 Akragas. AR Didrachm (8.35 gms), ca. 510-500 B.C. SNGCop-23; SNGANS-907. Sea eagle standing left, closed wings; Reverse: Crab. Well struck on a broad flan, showing full legends. Somewhat bright.

CHOICE VERY FINE..... \$1100-\$1600
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4029.



22 Leontini (Lentini). AR Tetradrachm (16.54 gms), ca. 446-422 B.C. SNGANS-226. Laureate head of Apollo right; Reverse: Lion's head right, four barley-corns around. Well rounded with dark toning. Some light corrosion, otherwise pleasing. **CHOICE VERY FINE**..... \$600-\$800

Ex: Coin Galleries. Ex: Mossberg Collection 1946.



19 Camarina. AR Tetradrachm (17.01 gms), ca. 425-405 B.C. Rizzo-pl. V#15; Westermarck and Jenkins-152. Quadriga driven right; Reverse: Youthful head of Hercules wearing lion's scalp facing left, bow in field. Bold and attractive portrait of Hercules, slight doubling on the reverse. Good metal quality and artistic style. Minor doubling on the quadriga side, otherwise choice and very attractive.

NGC Ch EF, Strike: 3/5 Surface: 4/5.
Die Shift..... \$6000-\$8000



23 Leontini (Lentini). AR Tetradrachm (16.87 gms), ca. 446-422 B.C. SNGANS-230. Laureate head of Apollo facing right; Reverse: Lion's head facing right, four barley grains around. Exceptionally well rounded and nice centering. **BOLD VERY FINE**..... \$800-\$1200

From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian. Ex: Vecchi Sale #6 9/81 Lot #71.



20 Gela. AR Didrachm (8.65 gms), ca. 490-475 B.C. Jenkins-37 (O12/R17). Nude horseman riding right, brandishing spear; Reverse: Forepart of man-headed bull (river god Gelas) kneeling right. Toned.

EXTREMELY FINE..... \$3500-\$5000



24 Messana. AR Tetradrachm (17.16 gms), ca. 425-421 B.C. SNGANS-356. Mule biga driven by Nymph (Messana), two dolphins in exergue; Reverse: Hare running right, dolphin below. Lovely toning.

NGC Ch EF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 2/5.
Light smoothing..... \$1600-\$2000
Ex: Roger Kohn Collection.



21 Himera. AR Tetradrachm (17.06 gms), ca. 400-425 B.C. BMC-2.81.48. Charioteer driving quadriga right, Nike above flying left, horses in high action, in exergue sea-horse left; Reverse: Nymph Himera standing head left holding patera over altar, Satyr bathing in lion-headed fountain behind. Good strike on a nice round flan. Of the fine style. Fully lustrous and choice.

MINT STATE..... \$5500-\$6500



25 Messana. AR Tetradrachm (17.15 gms), ca. 425-421 B.C. cf.SNGANS-364. Mule biga right, guided by nymph Messana, two dolphins facing each other in exergue; Reverse: Hare running right, dolphin below. Nicely centered. Attractive old cabinet toning.

BOLD VERY FINE..... \$700-\$1000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian. Ex: Bowers and Merena Sale 6/96.



SICILY

26 **Selinus. AR Didrachm (8.75 gms), ca. 480-460 B.C.** SNGANS-666. Selinon leaf with four pellets around stem; Reverse: Incuse square, triangularly divided with four raised and four incuse. Expertly centered obverse. Struck on a broad planchet. Lustrous and extremely attractive.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$2500



27 **Siculo-Punic. AR Tetradrachm (17.51 gms), ca. 350-315 B.C.** Jenkins-106. Head of Arethusa wearing a wreath of reeds facing right, two dolphins before, poppy behind head; Reverse: Horse advancing right, palm tree behind. Struck on a sound planchet of good metal. Lightly toned with much underlying luster.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$3000

Ex: Coin Galleries 04/93 Lot # 196.



28 **Siculo-Punic. AR Tetradrachm (16.54 gms), ca. 320-300 B.C.** SNGCop-985; Jenkins-412. Head of Heracles wearing lion's scalp right; Reverse: Horse head facing left, palm tree behind, Punic legend below. Well centered and bright. A hint of light porosity, otherwise attractive.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$900

Purchased from Pegasi Numismatics.



29 **Syracuse. Second Democracy, 466-406 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.87 gms), ca. 450-439 B.C.** Boehringer-644 (V327/R443). Quadriga trotting right, Nike flying right above, crowning horses; Reverse: Head of Arethusa right, hair bound in saccos, four dolphins around. A pleasing and well struck example produced from well executed dies. Crack on edge from striking. Very nice details with all geometric designs present on saccos. A hint of minor porosity on the portrait side, otherwise nicely toned and appealing. **GOOD VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2500**

Classical Work or Art by the Artist Sosion



SICILY

30 Syracuse. Second Democracy, 466-406 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.66 gms), Struck ca. 415-405 B.C. Tudeer-5 (V2/R3); Rizzo-pl. XLII,3 (same dies). RARE. Unsigned work of the artist Sosion. Fast quadriga driven left by charioteer, Nike flying right above crowning driver, two dolphins below in exergue; Reverse: Diademed head of Arethusa left, legend and four dolphins around. Wonderfully centered on a massive planchet allowing for virtually every detail of both obverse and reverse die. A visually stunning example of this type that seems to have been struck with special care and centering.

CHOICE GOOD VERY FINE. \$10,000-\$14,000

Ex: Munzen und Medaillen A.G., Basel, 29 June 1980 Lot #497.



31 Syracuse. Dionysios I, 406-367 B.C. AR Decadrachm (43.01 gms), ca. 400-390 B.C. Gallatin-D.II/R.IX. Signed dies of Euainetos. Fast quadriga driven left by female charioteer leaning forward with a kentron in right hand and reins in left hand, Nike flying right to crown her, heavy exergual line and panoply of arms below; Reverse: Head of Arethusa left wearing barley wreath, four dolphins around, delta below jaw. The ethnic for Syracuse is especially prominent interspersed through her hair. Euainetos's signature is off the flan however. Some scattered chatter on the reverse. Typically these dies show a lot of wear or rust, yet the obverse of this piece is especially clean and well struck. Light marks on face and minor evidence of smoothing on neck. An attractive and affordable example of this highly desirable type.

BOLD VERY FINE. \$8000-\$12,000

Purchased in private treaty from Elias Padros ca. 1977.



SICILY

32 Syracuse. Dionysios I, 406-367 B.C. AR Decadrachm (43.23 gms), ca. 400-390 B.C. Gallatin-J.I/R.XXI. Unsigned work by Euainetos. Fast quadriga driven left by female charioteer leaning forward with a kentron in right hand and reins in left hand, Nike flying right to crown her, heavy exergual line and panoply of arms below; Reverse: Head of Arethusa left wearing barley wreath, four dolphins around, dot below jaw. Light gold and grey toning.
NGC AU, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 4/5.
Fine Style. \$10,000-\$15,000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



33 Syracuse. Dionysios I, 406-367 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.09 gms), ca. 405-395 B.C. SNGANS-292. Eukleidos type. Head of Arethusa left with flowing hair bound with headband, three dolphins before, one dolphin behind; Reverse: Quadriga driving left, Nike above crowning driver, barley-ear in exergue. Struck on a well rounded planchet. Fine style with a clear strike.
NGC Ch VF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 3/5.
Fine Style. \$800-\$1200
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



34 Syracuse. Dionysios I, 406-367 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.23 gms), ca. 405-395 B.C. SNGANS-296; Tudeer-91. Eukleidos type. Head of Arethusa left with flowing hair bound with headband, three dolphins before, one dolphin behind; Reverse: Quadriga driving left, Nike above crowning driver, dolphin in exergue. Reverse struck on a slightly small planchet, with the far left horse off the flan. Nice toned obverse. The delicate flowing hair of the portrait displays the impressive artistry during this period of Syracusan minting. Nicely struck on planchet of sound metal. Nicely toned with golden highlights.
BOLD VERY FINE..... \$1000-\$2000



35 Syracuse. Timoleon & The Third Democracy, ca. 345-317 B.C. AE Litra (5.56 gms), ca. 344-336 B.C. Calciati-82; SNGANS-544. Laureate head of Zeus left, star behind; Reverse: Triskeles. Bold strike in high relief with attractive patina. Choice for type.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$1600-\$1800
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4051.



36 Syracuse. Agathocles, 317-289 B.C. AV Decadrachm (4.26 gms), ca. 295 B.C. SNGANS-706. Laureate head of Apollo left; Reverse: Biga right, Triskeles below. Well centered obverse on a nice round flan.
NGC AU, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 4/5. \$2000-\$3000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



37 Syracuse. Agathocles, 317-289 B.C. EL 25 Litrae (3.65 gms), ca. 310-305 B.C. cf.SNGANS-630. Head of Apollo facing left, indistinguishable symbol behind head; Reverse: Tripod altar. A few light surface mark, nicely centered with a sharp strike with excellent details.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$2500
Ex: A. Tkalec AG September 2008 Auction Lot#19



38 Syracuse. Agathocles, 317-289 B.C. EL 12 1/2 Litrae (1.86 gms), ca. 310-305 B.C. SNGANS-617. Laureate head of Apollo left; Reverse: Lyre. Excellent centering. Lustrous and attractive.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$900-\$1200
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4056.



39 Syracuse. Agathocles, 317-289 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.16 gms), ca. 310-305 B.C. SNGANS-637. Wreathed head of Arethusa left with three dolphins around, monogram below; Reverse: Fast quadriga left, Triskeles above, ethnic and monogram in exergue. Well struck and centered. Pleasing even tone.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2500



SICILY

40 Syracuse. Hiketas, 287-278 B.C. AV Decadrachm (4.27 gms), ca. 287-278. SNGANS-779. Head of Persephone left, cornucopiae behind; Reverse: Nike in biga right, star above, ear of barley below. Small scrape on cheek. Well rounded and lustrous.

NGC AU, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 3/5.

Fine Style. \$3000-\$4000

From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



41 Syracuse. Hieron II, 275-215 B.C. AV Drachm (4.37 gms). SNGCop-816; SNGANS-867. Laureate head of Persephone facing left; Reverse: Fast biga driven by female charioteer left, "A" below. Good metal quality. Well rounded and appealing.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$4000-\$6000



42 Syracuse. Hieron II, 275-215 B.C. AR 16 Litrae (13.49 gms). SNGANS-881. Diademed, veiled head of Philistis facing left; Reverse: Quadriga driven by Nike right, "K" to right. Nice quality for this issue. Attractive old cabinet tone

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1500

Ex: NFA 8/92.



43 Tauromenium. AR Litra (0.81 gms), ca. 275-215 B.C. SNGANS-1124; SNGCop-933. Facing head of bull; Reverse: Grape bunch. Sharply struck. Lustrous and appealing.

NGC Ch AU, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 4/5..... \$700-\$900

Remarkable Dodekadrachm of the Derrones



MACEDON

- 44 Macedonian Tribes. The Derrones. AR Dodekadrachm (40.67 gms), ca. 480-465 B.C.** Svor Hellen-pl. 1.12 (these dies); cf. SNGDewing-1015; Mitchiner Early Coinage, 897 (these dies). Slow biga right, driven by two oxen, crested Corinthian helmet above; Reverse: Triskeles. Large sized Thracio-Macedonian silver issues are virtually all flat on the reverse. In this cataloger's opinion, these large Macedonian issues were likely produced in a different manner than that of most conventional ancient coinage. The Octodrachms of the Bisaltae, as well as the Octodrachms of Alexander I and the Dodekadrachms of the Derrones, were seemingly produced in a two part process. Flattening on the reverse would suggest the coins were struck with each die individually, rather than at the same time. The reasoning for this is most likely due to the coins massive size. The reverse design was the first to be struck onto the planchet, the coin would then be turned over and struck with the obverse design. Evidence of this can be seen on the coin offered here as there is some flattening to the triskeles on the reverse. The reverse design featured on this coinage, although partially incuse, would be purely ornamental rather than a function of pushing metal into the obverse die. These Dodekadrachms of the Derrones are perhaps the best example of this double striking minting process, as they display a triskeles on the reverse which is predominantly found flattened or mashed as a result of the secondary strike. The initial planchets were undoubtedly cast as many examples are found with large air bubbles and regular formed flans. The piece offered here is struck on a well rounded planchet that allows for near perfect centering, with virtually every aspect of both obverse and reverse dies present. The evenness of the secondary strike was executed with evenly dispersed pressure allowing for a near full triskeles on the reverse, which is quite RARE. Lightly toned with excellent metal quality for type. An exceptional example of the large size early Macedonian silver issue. Choice.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE \$15,000-\$20,000

Ex: Numismatic Ars Classica Auction #33 4/2006 Lot #132.



- 45 Amphipolis. AR Drachm (3.14 gms), ca. 369-368 B.C.** SNGBerry-13; Lorber-59. Laureate head of Apollo facing three-quarters right; Reverse: Race torch within linear square frame, all within incuse square. Well centered. Some granularity, but a deep strike. **VERY FINE** \$1250-\$1750

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4058.



MACEDON

46 **Mende. AR Tetradrachm (17.10 gms), ca. 460-423 B.C.** SNGCop-209. Dionysus reclining on ass, holding cantharus, crow on bush in right field; Reverse: Linear square enclosing a vine with five grape bunches. Nice toning and fine style.

NGC EF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 5/5.

Fine Style. \$3500-\$4000

Ex: Triton V 1/02 Lot #1266. Previously from the Robert Schonwalter Collection.



47 **Kingdom of Macedon. Philip II, 359-336 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (14.41 gms), Pella Mint, ca. 348-342 B.C.** LeRider-104b. Laureate head of Zeus facing right; Reverse: Horseman riding left waving, sun below horse's foreleg. Struck from dies of fine artistic style on a compact planchet. Fine details in hair and beard. Well struck. Toned.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$900



48 **Kingdom of Macedon. Philip II, 359-336 B.C. AV Stater (8.59 gms), Amphipolis Mint, ca. 323-315 B.C.** cf.LeRider-263. Laureate head of Apollo right; Reverse: Biga driving right, tripod altar below. Light flattening on nose, small edge bruise behind head. Well centered, bright and appealing.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$3000

Purchased privately from Harlan J. Berk, Ltd.



49 **Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.20 gms), Amphipolis Mint, ca. 323-320 B.C.** Pr-109; Muller-650. Head of Heracles right wearing lion's scalp; Reverse: Zeus enthroned left holding eagle and scepter, Athena Promachos in left field. Fine details. A lustrous and attractive mint state example of this ever popular type.

NGC MS, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 5/5. \$1500-\$2000



50 **Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.21 gms), Amphipolis Mint, ca. 315-294 B.C.** Pr-458; Muller-40. Head of Heracles right wearing lion's scalp; Reverse: Zeus seated left holding scepter and extending eagle, lambda and torch to left, delta beneath throne. Well centered on a nice compact flan. Good metal quality and overall style.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$350-\$500



51 **Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. AV Stater (8.44 gms), Sinope Mint, ca. 230-200 B.C.** Pr-1247. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Corinthian helmet. Reverse: Nike standing left holding wreath and stylus, star at left. This posthumous Alexander type represents what was probably a necessity issue produced around 220 B.C. when the city's independence was threatened by Mithradates III of Pontus. Soft strike, as is frequently encountered with this issue.

CHOICE VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2500



52 **Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. AV Stater (8.57 gms), Lampsacus Mint, ca. 328-323 B.C.** Pr-1358; Muller-394. Helmeted head of Athena right, snake on helmet; Reverse: Nike standing left extending wreath, conjoined foreparts of horse to left, Delta and circle under wing. Well centered.

NGC Ch EF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 5/5. \$2000-\$3000



53 **Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.14 gms), Miletus Mint, ca. 300-295 B.C.** Pr-2140; Muller-580. Head of Heracles wearing lion's scalp right; Reverse: Zeus enthroned left holding scepter and eagle, monogram in left field, double-axe under throne. Well centered and lustrous. Struck on a nice round planchet. Good metal quality highlighted with light golden toning. Very attractive and appealing.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700



MACEDON

- 54 Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. AV Stater (8.58 gms), Babylon Mint, ca. 317-311 B.C. Pr-3724; Muller-726. Helmeted head of Athena right, snake on helmet; Reverse: Nike standing left extending wreath, monogram below left wing and monogram in wreath below right wing. Some toning.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



- 55 Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. AV Stater (8.57 gms), Babylon Mint, ca. 317-311 B.C. Pr-3735; Muller-729. Helmeted head of Athena right, serpent on helm; Reverse: Nike standing left extending wreath, satyr's head facing left below left wing, monogram within wreath below right wing. Well centered with exceptional eye-appeal. Light orange-gold toning around the devices.

GOOD VERY FINE \$2000-\$3000

Purchased privately from Harlan J. Berk, Ltd.



- 56 Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.24 gms), Memphis Mint, ca. 332-323 B.C. Pr-3971; Muller-124. Head of Heracles right wearing lion's scalp; Reverse: Zeus enthroned left holding scepter and eagle, rose in left field. It was in Memphis at the Temple of Ptah that Alexander was crowned as Pharaoh. Memphis is the only mint in all of Egypt to issue Tetradrachms in the name of Alexander, for that matter it is one of only two mints in all of Africa to do so, the second being Cyrene. Upon Alexander's death, his body was of course brought to Memphis by Ptolemy I. It was custom for the Macedonian king to attain their right to the throne through burial of their predecessor. This is one of the ways that Ptolemy ensured that Egypt was his. Alexander's body was later moved to Alexandria under Ptolemy II. An exceptional example of one of the most sought after Tetradrachms of Alexander the Great. Boldly struck on a large round planchet in high relief. Fine artistic style. Very attractive old cabinet toning. Lustrous.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$6000-\$8000

- 57 Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.09 gms), Memphis Mint, ca. 332-323 B.C. Pr-3971; Muller-124. Head of Heracles right wearing lion's scalp; Reverse: Zeus enthroned left holding scepter and eagle, rose in left field. It was in Memphis at the Temple of Ptah that Alexander was crowned as Pharaoh. Memphis is the only mint in all of Egypt to issue Tetradrachms in the name of Alexander, for that matter it is one of only two mints in all of Africa to do so, the second being Cyrene. Upon Alexander's death, his body was of course brought to Memphis by Ptolemy I. It was customary for the Macedonian king to attain their right to the throne through burial of their predecessor. This is one of the ways that Ptolemy ensured that Egypt was his. Alexander's body was later moved to Alexandria under Ptolemy II. An nice example of one of the most sought after Tetradrachms of Alexander the Great. Nice round flan. Fine artistic style in high relief. Two light scratches on reverse. Some minute surface porosity, otherwise

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$2500



- 58 Kingdom of Macedon. Alexander III (the Great) 336-323 B.C. Lot of (10) AR Tetradrachms, Various Mints. 10 pieces in lot. A grouping of Alexander Tetradrachms of similar style, though with slight variations among the bust, throne, Zeus and mintmarks. Most are on broad flans. Some surface issues may be present, should be examined. SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. Average grade

VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE..... \$700-\$1400



MACEDON

59 Kingdom of Macedon. Demetrius Poliorcetes 306-283 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.35 gms), Amphipolis Mint, ca. 294-293 B.C. Newell-94. Nike standing on prow of galley facing left; Reverse: Poseidon standing left brandishing trident, tripod altar to left, monograms behind Poseidon. Spectacular condition. As struck, fully lustrous and choice. Certified and graded the highest possible grade NGC can assign to a coin.

NGC Ch MS*, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 5/5..... \$4000-\$6000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



60 Kingdom of Macedon. Demetrius Poliorcetes, 306-283 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.91 gms). Newell-121. Diademed and horned head of Demetrius right; Reverse: Poseidon standing left resting foot on rock, holding a trident. Attractive high relief portrait struck on a large round planchet with good centering.

BOLD VERY FINE..... \$800-\$1200
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4074.



61 Kingdom of Macedon. Antigonus II Gonatas, 277-239 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.03 gms), ca. 271-239 B.C. SNGCop-1204. Head of Poseidon wearing wreath of seaweed facing right; Reverse: Apollo holding bow seated on prow of ship facing left, monogram below. Toned.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$2500



THRACE

62 Kingdom of Thrace. Lysimachos, 323-281 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (17.21 gms), Amphipolis Mint. Muller-102. Head of Alexander the Great facing right wearing Horn of Ammon; Reverse: Athena seated left on prow holding Nike, caduceus in left field, monogram in right field. Lovely portraiture. Struck on a large round planchet of sound metal. Attractive old cabinet toning.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1500
Ex: Munzen Medalillen 10/93.



63 Kingdom of Thrace. Lysimachos, 305-281 B.C. AR Drachm (4.20 gms), Ephesus Mint, ca. 294-287 B.C. Muller-355. Diademed head of Alexander the Great facing right, wearing horn of Ammon; Reverse: Athena seated left on prow holding Nike, lyre below Nike, "A" under throne. Excellent centering. Exceptional for type.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$3000



64 Kingdom of Thrace. Lysimachos, 323-281 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.64 gms), Lampsacus Mint. Muller-395. Head of Alexander the Great facing right wearing Horn of Ammon; Reverse: Athena seated left on prow holding Nike, monogram and crescent in left field. Well centered. Struck on a large round planchet in classic style. Good metal quality. Toned.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$800-\$1200
Ex: Superior Sale 2/93.



THRACE

65 Southern Thrace. Maroneia. AR Stater (11.40 gms), ca. 386-347 B.C. cf.BMC-3.126,25. Horse with loose reins prancing left; Reverse: Grape vine with four bunches contained in linear frame around which is the magistrate's name and caduceus. Lovely artistic style. Bright and appealing.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2000

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4086.



ILLYRICUM

66 Illyro-Paeonian Region. Damastium. AR Tetradrachm (11.93 gms), ca. 325-250 B.C. cf.SNGCop-555. Ivy-wreathed head of (Dionysus/Apollo) facing right; Reverse: Tripod on small base, knife to right. Interesting and scarce. NGC Ch AU, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 5/5..... \$1000-\$1500



BOEOTIA

67 Thebes. AR Stater (12.23 gms), ca. 425-395 B.C. BCD-438. Boeotian shield; Reverse: Bearded head of Dionysus facing right, hair wreathed in ivy. Bright if oblong planchet. **BOLD VERY FINE..... \$1200-\$1500**

Exceptional Archaic Athenian Tetradrachm



ATTICA

68 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (16.90 gms), ca. 500-482 B.C. Svornos-pl. 5. Helmeted head of Athena facing right, wearing circular earring; Reverse: Owl standing right, head facing, olive sprig behind, ethnic before, all within incuse square. Remarkably well centered for this early archaic type. The obverse detail is very strong with full crested plume on Athena's helmet. The reverse design features a lovely almost regal owl that is full and well rendered, very much protected from wear by the deep incuse and the wall it provides. Sharp struck in high relief and of great style for this early type. Excellent metal quality, attractive old toning.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$10,000-\$15,000



69 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.16 gms), ca. 454-431 B.C. Svornos-pl. 10#5. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right with head facing, olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. The peak of artistic style.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$6000-\$8000



70 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.06 gms), ca. 454-421 B.C. Svornos-pl. 12#2. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right with head facing, crescent and olive sprig behind, all within incuse square. Well centered reverse with a nice strike. Fine styled owl.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$4500



ATTICA

71 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.13 gms), ca. 454-421 B.C. Svornos-pl. 12#4; Starr-pl. XXII, #3. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right facing, olive sprig and crescent behind, all within incuse square. Nice toning. Lovely style with perfectly centered owl and all four borders clear and present. A choice and highly desirable example.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$4500



72 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (16.72 gms), ca. 454-421 B.C. Svornos-pl. 12#18. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right facing, crescent and olive sprig behind, all within incuse square. Light graininess.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$900



73 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.15 gms), ca. 454-421 B.C. Svornos-pl. 12#22. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right head facing, crescent and olive sprig behind, all within incuse square. Very well centered with the crest on Athena's helmet and the full reverse incuse square design present.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2000



74 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.18 gms), ca. 454-404 B.C. Svornos-pl. 14#4. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right, head facing, olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1200-\$1500



75 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.12 gms), ca. 454-404 B.C. Svornos-pl. 14#2. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right with head facing, crescent and olive sprig behind, all within incuse square. Struck on a moderately broad flan. Lustrous with a well centered reverse.

NGC Ch AU, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 5/5..... \$800-\$1200
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



76 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.16 gms), ca. 454-404 B.C. Svornos-pl. 14#14. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right, head facing, crescent and olive sprig behind, all within incuse square. Oblong planchet, but full obverse and reverse details. Well struck and very attractive.

NGC AU, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 4/5. \$2000-\$2500



77 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.18 gms), ca. 454-404 B.C. Svornos-pl. 14#14. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right with head facing, crescent and olive sprig behind, all within incuse square. Good centering on a nice compact flan. Nice relief on the reverse.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$900
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian. Ex: Superior Sale 2/86.



78 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.05 gms), ca. 454-404 B.C. Svornos-pl. 14#14. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right with head facing, crescent and olive sprig behind, all within incuse square. Well centered on a nice round planchet.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$500-\$700



ATTICA

79 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (16.92 gms), ca. 454-404 B.C. Svornos-pl. 14#16. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right, head facing, crescent and olive sprig behind, all within incuse square. Lovely centering. Crisp strike with above average details.

NGC AU, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 4/5. \$1000-\$1500



80 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (16.53 gms), ca. 403-365 B.C. Svornos-pl. 16#9. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right, head facing, olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. Bright. Well struck with full crest.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2000



81 Athens. AR Tetradrachm (17.19 gms), ca. 403-365 B.C. Svornos-pl. 16#15. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing right with head facing, olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. Sharply struck and superbly centered on a planchet of sound metal. Nicely detailed owl. Much original luster.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$2500-\$3500



82 Athens. AR "Clump" of (2) Tetradrachms (35.22 gms), ca. 454-404 B.C. Helmeted head of Athena right; Reverse: Owl standing left, head facing, olive sprig and crescent behind, all within incuse square. One with a test cut, both with original and fine patina.

VERY FINE. \$1000-\$1500

Ticket Indicates Ex: Aranthus Hoard.



AEGINA

83 AR Stater (12.24 gms), ca. 480-457 B.C. cf. Milbank-pl. 1 #13; SNGCop-507. Sea turtle with T-pattern of dots on shell; Reverse: Incuse skew pattern. Bold turtle on a nice broad flan. Full dots on turtles back. Lovely and attractive.

BOLD VERY FINE..... \$1500-\$2000

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot # 4114.



84 AR Stater (12.15 gms), ca. 480-457 B.C. Milbank-pl. 1#13; SNGCop-507. Sea turtle with T-pattern of dots on shell; Reverse: Incuse skew pattern. Some areas of minor smoothing. Excellent centering with all pertinent design elements present.

NGC Ch VF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 2/5.

Light smoothing..... \$700-\$1000

From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



PELOPONNESUS

85 Sicyonia. Sicyon. AR Stater (12.16 gms), ca. 400-300 B.C. BMC-10.38,22. Chimaera facing left; Reverse: Dove flying right, within wreath. Slightly off-center obverse strike. Good metal quality.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2500-\$3500



CRETE

86 Gortyna. AR Stater (11.46 gms), ca. 330-270 B.C. Svornos-81 (plate XV, #5). Europa seated amidst tree branches fighting off the advances of an eagle (Zeus); Reverse: Bull to right with head turned left, fly or bee between bull's legs. Nice round planchet. Light obverse die rust. Well struck, good metal quality and RARE as such.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$5000-\$7000

**PONTUS**

- 87 Kingdom of Pontus. Mithradates VI, 120-63 B.C. AV Stater (8.23 gms), Callatis Mint. Muller-263. Diademed head of Alexander III (the Great) right; Reverse: Athena seated left holding Nike. Nice strike.

NGC MS, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 4/5 \$1500-\$1800



- 88 Kingdom of Pontus. Mithradates VI, 120-63 B.C. AV Stater (8.23 gms), Callatis Mint. Muller-263. Diademed head of Alexander III (the Great) right; Reverse: Athena seated left holding Nike. Struck on a nice broad flan.

NGC MS, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 3/5 \$1500-\$1800



- 89 Kingdom of Pontus. Mithradates VI, 120-63 B.C. AV Stater (8.19 gms), Callatis Mint. Muller-263. Diademed head of Alexander III (the Great) right; Reverse: Athena seated left holding Nike. Lightly toned and appealing.

NGC MS, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 3/5 \$1500-\$1700



- 90 Kingdom of Pontus. Mithradates VI, 120-63 B.C. AV Stater (8.30 gms), Callatis Mint. Muller-265. Diademed head of Alexander III (the Great) right; Reverse: Athena seated left holding Nike. Choice and lustrous.

NGC Ch AU, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 5/5 \$1500-\$1700



- 91 Kingdom of Pontus. Mithradates VI, 120-63 B.C. AV Stater (8.32 gms), Tomis Mint, ca. 88-86 B.C. Muller-273. Diademed head of Alexander III (the Great) wearing Horn of Ammon; Reverse: Athena enthroned left extending Nike.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE \$1400-\$1600

Purchased privately from Harlan J. Berk, Ltd.

**BITHYNIA**

- 92 Nicomedes III, 128-93 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.85 gms), Year 206 (92/1 B.C.). BMC-13.215,1. Diademed head of Nicomedes facing right; Reverse: Zeus standing left holding long scepter, eagle on thunderbolt at left. Bright and lustrous.

NEARLY MINT STATE \$2000-\$3000



- 93 Nicomedes III, 128-93 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (15.16 gms), Year 223 (76/5 B.C.). SNGvonAulock-269. Diademed head of Nicomedes facing right; Reverse: Zeus standing left holding long scepter, eagle on thunderbolt at left. Dark iridescent toning. Good metal quality. Choice and appealing.

EXTREMELY FINE \$700-\$1000

Ex: Coin Galleries 04/93 Lot #296.

VERY RARE Winged Deer Electrum Stater



MYSIA

- 94 **Cyzicus. EL Stater (15.99 gms), ca. 550-500 B.C. Rosen-481.** Forepart of winged deer facing left, tunny fish below; Reverse: Quadripartite incuse square. Well struck with good centering. Devices accented with light tan-gold toning. **VERY RARE. CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE.** \$20,000-\$30,000

Impressive Electrum Stater with Sphinx Reclining



- 95 **Cyzicus. EL Stater (16.02 gms), ca. 550-500 B.C. SNGFrance-200.** Sphinx reclining facing left, fore-paw raised, tunny fish below; Reverse: Quadripartite incuse square. A single faint scratch is present on the obverse. Exceptional centering. Lovely strike with only minor doubling, light tan-gold toning. **VERY RARE. EXTREMELY FINE.**..... \$15,000-\$25,000



AEOLIS

96 **Cyme. AR Tetradrachm (16.84 gms), Kallias Magistrate, ca. 165-140 B.C.** BMC-17.111,73. Diademed head of the Amazon Kyme right; Reverse: Horse prancing right, vase beneath leg, magistrate's name in exergue, all within wreath. Well centered with good metal quality. Toned.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700
Ex: Sotheby's 10/93.



97 **Myrina. AR Tetradrachm (16.05 gms), ca. 155-145 B.C.** BMC-17.135,2. Laureate head of Apollo facing right; Reverse: Apollo standing right holding laurel, monogram to left, all within wreath. Struck on a large round planchet with good centering. Old cabinet toning.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$900
Ex: Christies 10/93.



98 **Myrina. AR Tetradrachm (17.02 gms), ca. 155-145 B.C.** BMC-17.136,8. Laureate head of Apollo facing right; Reverse: Apollo standing right holding laurel, monogram to left, all within wreath. Fully lustrous. Struck on a high quality flan of sound metal. Very choice.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1200
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



99 **Myrina. AR Tetradrachm (16.28 gms), ca. 155-145 B.C.** SNGvonAul-1663. Laureate head of Apollo facing right; Reverse: Apollo standing right holding laurel, monogram to left, all within wreath. Struck on a broad flan.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1200



100 **Myrina. AR Tetradrachm (16.18 gms), ca. 155-145 B.C.** cf.SNGvonAulock-1664. Laureate head of Apollo facing right; Reverse: Apollo standing right holding laurel, monogram to left, all within wreath. Lovely light golden toning.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1200



LESBOS

101 **Mytilene. AR Stater (10.65 gms), ca. 350-250 B.C.** SNGvonAulock-7751. Laureate head of Apollo right; Reverse: Lyre, all within a linear square. Toned.

NGC Ch VF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 3/5. \$1500-\$2000
Ex: Robert Schonwaller Collection. Previously from the Ars Classica XVI 7/33 Lot #1384.
Godfrey Locker Lampson Collection #297.
Sir Hermann Weber Collection #5673.



IONIA

102 **Erythrai. EL Hekte (2.58 gms), ca. 550-500 B.C.** SNGVonAulock-1942. RARE. Archaic Hercules wearing lion's scalp; Reverse: Incuse punch.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$750-\$950
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4138.



IONIA

103 Heracleia ad Latmum. AR Tetradrachm (17.00 gms), ca. 190 B.C. or Later. BMC-14.151,1; SNGCop-781. Head of Athena facing right, wearing crested Athenian helmet; Reverse: Club right, Nike below between two monograms, all within wreath. Slight planchet flaw at edge. Well struck on a planchet of sound metal with good surfaces. Lightly toned. Lustrous and attractive.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$900
Ex: Sotheby's 10/91.



104 Magnesia ad Maeandrum. AR Tetradrachm (16.58 gms), ca. 190 B.C. SNGCop-845. Diademed head of Artemis facing right, bow and quiver over shoulder; Reverse: Apollo standing left atop Maeander pattern, magistrate's name before, all within wreath. Nicely centered with an excellent strike. Good luster.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2000



105 Smyrna. AR Tetradrachm (16.86 gms), ca. 150-143 B.C. BMC-14.237,4. Turreted head of Kybele facing right; Reverse: Ethnic, magistrate's name and monogram all within oak wreath. An elegant and attractive piece. Struck on a large round planchet from well executed dies of good artistic style. Light grey and gunmetal cabinet style toning accentuate the finer points. Very nice.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1500
Ex: Christies 9/89.



106 Teos. AR Stater (11.89 gms), ca. 440-420 B.C. Jameson-1517. Griffin with curled wings seated right, prow of ship and vine with leaf in right field; Reverse: Quadripartite incuse square. Sharp strike. Excellent surfaces.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$900-\$1200
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4143.



CARIA

107 Islands off Caria. Cos. AR Tetradrachm (14.85 gms), ca. 300-250 B.C. SNGCop-627. Head of Heracles wearing lion's skin facing right; Reverse: Crab above, bow in case below, Magistrate's name (Leodamas) between. Lovely toning. Choice and attractive.

NGC EF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 4/5..... \$1500-\$2000



108 Satrap Mausolus, 377-353 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (14.65 gms). cf.BMC-18.181,1. Laureate head of Apollo facing three-quarters right; Reverse: Zeus Labraundos standing right, holding double-ax (labrys) and lotus-tipped spear, monogram behind. Well centered. Toned.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$3000



109 Satrap Pixodaros. AR Drachm (6.96 gms), ca. 341/0-336/5 B.C. SNGCop-597; SNGvonAulock-2375; BMC-18.185, 8. Laureate head of Apollo facing slightly right; Reverse: Zeus Labraundos walking right, holding double-ax (labrys) and lotus-tipped spear. Excellent style. Lovely toning.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$1100-\$1600
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4148.



LYDIA

110 Kroisos, 561-546 B.C. AV Light Stater (8.05 gms). Rosen-660; SNG Cop-454. Foreparts of lion and bull; Reverse: Incuse punch of two squares. One of the earliest gold coins in the world. Lustrous and attractive.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$5000-\$7000

Ex: Spink & Son 3/92.



PAMPHYLIA

114 Side (Eski-Adalia). AR Tetradrachm (16.89 gms), Deino Magistrate, ca. 200-190 B.C. cf. BMC-19.147,27. Head of Athena facing right wearing crested Corinthian helmet; Reverse: Nike advancing left holding wreath. Good metal quality. Well struck.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1100-\$1600

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot # 4156.

111 Tralles. AR Cistophoric Didrachm (6.05 gms). SNGvonaulock-3265. Club of Heracles with lion skin within wreath; Reverse: Bunch of grapes on branch with leaves. Light corrosion and encrustation. RARE type.

BOLD VERY FINE...... \$900-\$1200



CILICIA

115 Soloi. AR Stater (10.67 gms), ca. 440-400 B.C. cf. SNG Lev-40. Amazon kneeling to left, wearing pointed cap and holding bow, satyr head behind; Reverse: Grape bunch, fly to right, within square border. Struck on a slightly irregular planchet, exceptionally lustrous.

NGC MS, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 5/5. \$800-\$1200

PCGS# 763766.

LYCIA

112 Dynasts of Lycia. Mithrapata, ca. 390-370 B.C. AR Stater (9.55 gms). SNGvonaulock-4241. Lion's scalp facing; Reverse: Large triskeles, dolphin below, Lycian legend around. Some toning. Lovely and attractive.

NGC AU★, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 5/5...... \$800-\$1200



113 Oenoanda. AR Stater (7.91 gms), ca. 2nd Century B.C. BMC-19.73,1. RARE. Laureate head of Zeus facing right, scepter behind; Reverse: Eagle standing right on thunderbolt, grape bunch in right field. Appealing gold and gray toning. Good metal quality.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$800-\$1200

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4153.

116 Tarsus. Datames, Satrap of Cilicia, 384-361/0 B.C. AR Stater (9.98 gms). SNGFrance-283. RARE. Baaltars seated right holding grain ear and grape bunch, lion seated below throne, all within crenellated wall; Reverse: Satrap seated right wearing Persian dress holding arrow, winged solar disk to upper right, bow below. A hint of light porosity. Well struck on a nice full flan. Toned.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



117 Tarsus. Pharnabazos, Satrap of Cilicia, 380-374 B.C. AR Stater (10.52 gms). SNGvonaulock-5916; SNGLev-70. Head of Arethusa turned slightly left; Reverse: Helmeted and bearded male head (Ares?) to left, Aramaic inscription to right. Lustrous surface. Good metal quality.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$900-\$1200



CILICIA

- 118 Tarsus. Pharnabazos, Satrap of Cilicia, 380-374 B.C. AR Stater (10.42 gms). SNGvonAulock-5922. Head of Arethusa turned slightly left; Reverse: Helmeted and bearded male head (Ares?) to right, Aramaic inscription to left. Hint of slight porosity to left of male head. Lustrous.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$900-\$1200



CYPRUS

- 119 Salamis. AR Persic Standard Stater (10.93 gms), ca. 411-374/3 B.C. cf.BMC-55; cf.SNGCop-47. VERY RARE. Head of Heracles right wearing lion's scalp; Reverse: Goat lying right, ear of grain above. Nice dark toning. Good metal for type.
GOOD VERY FINE. \$7000-\$10,000



ARMENIA

- 120 Tigranes II (the Great) 95-56 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (15.93 gms), Antioch Mint. CAA-36; ACV-30; Bed-19. Diademed, draped bust of Tigranes II facing right wearing tiara with star between eagles; Reverse: Tyche of Antioch seated right on rock, below river god Orontes swimming right, monograms to right and on rock. Good metal and lightly toned. Minor earthen encrustations on both sides.
VERY FINE. \$750-\$1000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



- 121 Tigranes II (the Great) 95-56 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (14.80 gms), Antioch Mint. CAA-27/17; ACV-31; Bed-19. Diademed, draped bust of Tigranes II facing right wearing tiara with star between eagles; Reverse: Tyche of Antioch seated facing right on rock, below river god Orontes swimming right, monograms to right and on rock. Good style. Silver slightly granular.
VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



- 122 Tigranes II (the Great) 95-56 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.17 gms), Antioch Mint. CAA-27/17; ACV-31; Bed-17. Diademed, draped bust of Tigranes II facing right wearing tiara with star between eagles; Reverse: Tyche of Antioch seated right on rock, below river god Orontes swimming right, monograms to right and on rock. Choice surfaces for the issue.
VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



- 123 Tigranes II (the Great) 95-56 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (14.74 gms), Antioch Mint. CAA-27/17; ACV-31; Bed-23. Diademed, draped bust right wearing tiara with star between eagles; Reverse: Tyche of Antioch seated right on rock below river god Orontes swimming right. No visible monograms. Porous, light gray surfaces.
NEARLY VERY FINE. \$750-\$1000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



ARMENIA

124 Tigranes II (the Great) 95-56 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (15.93 gms), Antioch Mint. CAA-40; ACV-35; Bed-24. Diademed, draped bust of Tigranes II facing right wearing tiara with star between eagles; Reverse: Tyche of Antioch seated right on rock, below river god Orontes swimming right, monogram to right all within wreath. Minor scrape in left obverse field. Beautiful pearlescent gray toning.

CHOICE VERY FINE. \$2500-\$3000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian. Ex: Coin Galleries 04/94 Lot #109.



125 Tigranes II (the Great) 95-56 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (15.27 gms), Antioch Mint. ACV-37. Diademed, draped bust of Tigranes II facing right wearing tiara with six-pointed star between eagles; Reverse: Tyche of Antioch seated right on rock, below river god Orontes swimming right, no visible monograms. An interesting tiara variant, as most show an eight-pointed star. Shift double struck on reverse. Surfaces grainy, minor obverse tooling.

VERY FINE. \$750-\$1000
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



126 Tigranes II (the Great) 95-56 B.C. AR Drachm (4.05 gms), Antioch Mint. ACV-40; cf. Bed-59. RARE denomination. Diademed, draped bust of Tigranes II facing right wearing tiara with star between eagles; Reverse: Tyche of Antioch seated right on rock, below river god Orontes swimming right, monograms to right and on rock. Reverse inscription reads: "King of Kings Tigranes". Minor verdigris. Lightly toned.

VERY FINE. \$1750-\$2250
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian. Ex: Coin Galleries 02/97 Lot #203.



SYRIA

127 Chalcidice. Chalcis. Cleopatra VII, 51-30 B.C. AE 18 (4.85 gms), ca. 32-31 B.C. RPC-4773. RARE. Diademed bust of Cleopatra right; Reverse: Athena advancing left with spear and shield. Choice apple green patina. A lovely example of this ever popular portrait type.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$1200-\$1600



128 Phoenicia. Tyre. Shekels & 1/2 Shekels. 14 pieces in lot. A grouping of Tyre silver Shekel and 1/2 Shekels, with the majority being 1/2 Shekels. All with the same base design: Right facing bust of Melqarth; Reverse: Eagle standing atop thunderbolt. Some surface issues may be present. Should be examined. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.** Average grade **FINE-VERY FINE. \$800-\$1600**



129 Samaria. AR Obol (0.52 gms), ca. 4th Century B.C. cf. Meshorer+Qedar-150. RARE. Facing head of a Gorgon, tongue protruding; Reverse: Bridled head of horse facing right. Very interesting. Sharply struck and choice. **NGC AU★, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 5/5. \$700-\$900**



130 Seleukid Kingdom. Seleukos I, 312-280 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.88 gms), Uncertain Mint, ca. 296-281 B.C. SC-130. Laureate head of Zeus right; Reverse: Athena driving elephant quadriga right, brandishing spear and shield, anchor right above. No control marks visible. Light porosity. Well struck in high relief. **EXTREMELY FINE. \$4000-\$5000**



SYRIA

131 Seleukid Kingdom. Antiochus IV, 175-164 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.92 gms), Ake-Ptolemais Mint, ca. 167-164 B.C. SC-1476. Diademed head of Antiochus IV facing right; Reverse: Zeus enthroned left holding Nike and scepter. Lovely toning. Excellent quality.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$800-\$1200
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4168.



132 Seleukid Kingdom. Antiochus VI, 144-141 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.82 gms), SE 169 (144/3 B.C.). SNGIsrael-1762. Diademed, radiate head of Antiochus VI right within a fillet border; Reverse: Dioscuri mounted galloping left, date below, monogram to right, all within wreath.

GOOD VERY FINE-NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$800



133 Seleukid Kingdom. Demetrius II (Second Reign) 129-125 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.48 gms), Unknown Mint, ca. SE 184 (129/8 B.C.). BMC-4.77,12. Diademed and bearded head of Demetrius II facing right; Reverse: Zeus enthroned left, holding Nike and scepter. Well rendered portraiture. Struck on a planchet of sound metal. Attractive and appealing with good surfaces.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$900-\$1200



134 Seleukid Kingdom. Lot of (19) AR Tetradrachms. 17 pieces in lot. A grouping of silver Tetradrachms from various Seleukid rulers, also included is a single bronze issue. Issuing rulers include: Antiochus II, Antiochus IV, Antiochus V, Demetrius I as well as others. Some toning to be found within the group. Some minor surface issues may be present, otherwise a wholesome group worth exploring. Should be examined. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.** Average grade

VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2500



JUDAEA

135 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (13.63 gms), Year 1 (A.D. 66-67). Hendin-655. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with smooth rim, pearl on either side, with a flat base with pearled ends, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Nice pearlescent gray-blue toning. Well struck on a planchet of sound metal.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$4000-\$6000
Ex: Purchased from Stacks March 2006.



136 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR 1/2 Shekel (6.63 gms), Year 1 (A.D. 66-67). Hendin-656. "Half a Shekel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with smooth rim, pearl on either side, with a flat base with pearled ends, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Some tooling and smoothing of oxidation, most notably on the reverse. Nicely toned.

VERY FINE. \$900-\$1200



JUDAEA

137 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (14.18 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearly rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. A well struck example with lustrous surfaces.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$5000

141 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (13.86 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearly rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Light grey-tan toning with underlying luster. Well struck

EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



138 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (13.57 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearly rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Sharp struck on a planchet of sound metal, minor scratch on the reverse. Otherwise bold and lustrous.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$5000

Purchased privately from Edward J. Waddell Ltd.

142 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (13.82 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearly rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Some minor deposits in the devices. Otherwise well struck, bright and attractive.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2500-\$3500



139 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (14.19 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearly rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Attractive grey gunmetal toning with underlying luster. Well struck on a planchet of good metal.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000

Purchased from William M. Rosenblum.

143 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (14.23 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearly rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Struck on a small compact planchet, some areas of flatness. Otherwise lustrous.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$2000-\$3000



140 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (14.04 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearly rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Well struck bright and attractive.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000

144 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (14.15 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearly rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Small dig in second symbol for the date, cleaning evident. Overall a wholesome example.

VERY FINE. \$800-\$1600

Purchased from William M. Rosenblum.



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145 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR 1/2 Shekel (6.68 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-660. "Half a Shekel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearled rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. A nicely centered example struck on a large round flan. Minor edge chipping, otherwise attractive.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2500



146 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR 1/2 Shekel (6.87 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Hendin-660. "Half a Shekel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearled rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Well struck with good centering. A hint of light porosity. Nicely toned.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$2000-\$3000



147 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (13.95 gms), Year 3 (A.D. 68-69). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearled rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Minor deposits. Fully lustrous and sharply struck. Highly attractive.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$5000



148 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (13.82 gms), Year 3 (A.D. 68-69). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearled rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Minor deposits present. Attractive old toning.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



149 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR Shekel (13.70 gms), Year 3 (A.D. 68-69). Hendin-659. "Shekel of Israel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearled rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Slightly off-center, some light cleaning marks. Otherwise sharp and attractive

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2500-\$3500



150 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR 1/2 Shekel (6.81 gms), Year 3 (A.D. 68-69). Hendin-663. "Half a Shekel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearled rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Well struck on a planchet of sound metal. Bright and attractive.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



151 First Jewish War, A.D. 66-70. AR 1/2 Shekel (6.47 gms), Year 3 (A.D. 68-69). Hendin-663. "Half a Shekel" (in Hebrew), Omer cup with pearled rim, date above; Reverse: "Jerusalem the Holy" (in Hebrew), branch with three pomegranates. Mild porosity around the reverse legend, though still a bright and attractive example.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2000



152 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AE 20 (5.31 gms), Year 2 (A.D. 67-68). Mildeberg-30 (O2, R8). "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), palm branch within wreath; Reverse: "Year two of the Freedom of Israel" (in Hebrew), wide lyre with four strings. Choice desert patina. A bold and very attractive example.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$500-\$700



JUDAEA

- 153 **Bar Kochba Revolt, A.D. 132-135. AR Zuz (3.01 gms), Year 2 (ca. A.D. 133/4).** Mildenberg-42 (O8, R24); Hendin-695. "Shimon" (in Hebrew), bunch of grapes hanging from branch; Reverse: "Year two if the freedom of Israel" (in Hebrew), palm branch. Bright and appealing with faint under-coin details visible. Bright.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$800



- 154 **Bar Kochba Revolt, A.D. 132-135. AR Sela Tetradrachm (14.06 gms), ND, ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-55. Temple façade, Ark of the Covenant within; Reverse: Lulav with etrog to left. Flan crack, some of the under-coin's legend is visible.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



- 155 **Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Sela Tetradrachm (13.95 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-56 (O13, R42). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), temple facade, Ark of the Covenant within, star above; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), Lulav with etrog to left. Lustrous and attractive with good centering. Some areas of softness due to undertype showing through. A very high grade and attractive example.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$5000

Purchased from Edward J. Waddell, ltd.

- 156 **Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Sela Tetradrachm (14.35 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-58 (O13, R44). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), temple facade, Ark of the Covenant within, star above; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), lulav. Overstruck on a Seleucis and Pieria Tetradrachm of Nero. Struck in Antioch Syria. A bold and dramatic overstrike that is clear and easily identifiable without magnification. Very interesting.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



- 157 **Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Sela Tetradrachm (14.46 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-60 (O14, R45). "Shimon" (in Hebrew) Temple facade, Ark of the Covenant within, star above temple; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew) Lulav with etrog to left. Overstruck on what appears to be a Tetradrachm of Domitian (outline of portrait visible on the reverse). Good metal quality. Lightly toned.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2500-\$3500



- 158 **Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.12 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-65 (O14, R37). "Shimon" (in Hebrew) in two lines within wreath; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), palm branch. The outline of the under-coin's obverse bust (in all likelihood a Flavian) is clear, yet no legend detail is visible. A lustrous and attractive example.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700



JUDAEA

159 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (2.82 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5). Mildenberg-66 (O14, R38). "Shimon" (in Hebrew) in two lines within wreath; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), palm branch. Overstruck on a Roman Denarius. Scant details of the under-coin visible due to the strong strike for the Jewish dies. **GOOD VERY FINE. \$400-\$600**



160 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Sela Tetradrachm (14.74 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5). Mildenberg-72 (O15, R56). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), temple facade, Ark of the Covenant within, star above; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), lulav with etrog to left. Sharp struck on a large diameter planchet of sound metal. Two edge splits from strike. Lustrous and highly attractive with bold overall details. **CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$5000**



161 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.24 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5). Mildenberg-73 (O14, R45). "Shimon" (in Hebrew) in two lines within wreath; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), fluted one-handed jug at left, palm branch at right. Excellent strike which obliterates nearly any trace of the Roman Denarius under-coin. An attractive example that is well rendered, exhibiting full details. Lightly toned. **NEARLY MINT STATE. \$500-\$700**



162 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Sela Tetradrachm (13.30 gms), ND ca. Year 3. Mildenberg-74 (O11, R57). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), temple facade, Ark of the Covenant within, star above; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), lulav with etrog to left. A hint of light scattered porosity. Well struck in the centers and lightly toned. **GOOD VERY FINE. \$2500-\$3500**



163 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Sela Tetradrachm (13.77 gms), ND ca. Year 3. Mildenberg-80 (O12, R45). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), temple facade, Ark of the Covenant within, star above; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), lulav with etrog to left. Minor evidence of the under-coin (Roman Provincial Tetradrachm) is visible. Well struck with good central details. Nice surface quality. **BOLD EXTREMELY FINE..... \$3500-\$5000**



164 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.28 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5). Mildenberg-85 (O15, R52). "Shimon" (in Hebrew) in two lines within wreath; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), fluted one-handed jug at left, palm branch at right. Struck over a Roman Denarius, some details of the under-coin visible, including truncation of portrait and some legend. Slightly uneven strike as usual for this issue. Good metal quality. **EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700**



165 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.47 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5). Mildenberg-101 (O16, R69); Hendin-723. "Shimon" (in Hebrew) in two lines within wreath; Reverse: Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), long Kithara with three strings. Portions of the Roman Denarius of Hadrian under-coin are visible with portions of the emperors name readable. Minor flan cracks. Slight unevenness of strike. Stuck on a large planchet as minimal hammering was applied to the edges prior to strike. Sandy grey luster. **NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$400-\$600**



JUDAEA

- 166 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.24 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-115 (O17, R80). "Shimon" (in Hebrew) in two lines within wreath; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), palm branch. The obverse die is struck somewhat off center exposing much of the under type. A large portion of the legend and most of the obverse bust of Trajan is visible. RARE with so much of the Roman Denarius under-coin visible. A very interesting piece from an academic standpoint, as evidence of edge hammering is visible on the obverse around the legend of the host coin. Normally this would be obliterated during the over striking, however the off center nature of the obverse die allows much visibility of the under type. This helps give a better understanding of the methods of planchet preparations prior to over striking. Good metal quality **EXTREMELY FINE**..... \$400-\$600



- 167 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.14 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-167 (O21, R107). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), grape bunch; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), two trumpets upright, dot between. Mild deposits on the reverse. Otherwise wholesome and attractive with a sharp strike and lustrous surfaces. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... \$500-\$700



- 168 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.18 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-167 (O21, R107). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), grape bunch; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), two trumpets upright, dot between. Overstruck on a Roman Denarius. Some legends visible though not enough for an accurate attribution. Bright and lustrous. Attractive. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... \$500-\$700



- 169 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.24 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-191 (O22, R124). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), grape bunch; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), fluted one-handed jug at left, palm branch at right. Faint portions of the reverse design of the Roman Denarius under-coin are discernible. Bright and appealing. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... \$500-\$700



- 170 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.44 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Hendin-732; Mildenberg-194. "Shimon" (in Hebrew) Grape bunch; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), one-handed jug with palm branch. Under type indiscernible. Bright and highly attractive. **CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE**..... \$600-\$800



- 171 Bar Kochba Revolt, A.D. 132-135. AR Zuz (3.23 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-196 (O24, R97). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), grape bunch; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), long Kithara with three strings. Portions of the under-coin's legends are visible, obverse (IMP CAES NER TRAIAN OP) and reverse (PARTHICO PM T), allowing for a partial attribution to a Denarius of Trajan from the period of A.D. 114-117. A few minor deposits. Bright. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... \$600-\$800



- 172 Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.23 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-198 (O24, R127). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), grape bunch; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), two trumpets upright, dot between. Overstruck on a Roman Denarius, with some outline of the bust of Trajan discernible. A very dramatic overstrike. Good metal quality with much remaining luster. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... \$500-\$700



JUDAEA

173 **Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.23 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-199 (O24, R86). "Shimon" (in Hebrew), grape bunch; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), two trumpets upright, dot between. When the reverse is rotated ninety degrees clockwise the trumpets end in the left facing bust of a Flavian (most likely Vespasian). An interesting piece that blends the under-coin (Roman Denarius of Vespasian). Slightly uneven strike with good metal quality. Lustrous and attractive. **EXTREMELY FINE.** \$500-\$700



174 **Bar Kochba Revolt, 132-135 A.D. AR Zuz (3.13 gms), ND ca. Year 3 (A.D. 134/5).** Mildenberg-211 (O24, R109); Hendin-717. "Shimon" (in Hebrew), grape bunch; Reverse: "For the Freedom of Jerusalem" (in Hebrew), long Kithara with three strings. Overstruck on a Roman Denarius. A good portion of the under-coin's legend visible, including portrait and partial legends. Lustrous with good metal quality. **EXTREMELY FINE.** \$400-\$600



176 **Judean Bronzes.** Approximately 83 pieces in lot. A varied grouping of Judean bronze pieces from multiple eras, including the Hasmonaeans, Bar Kochba Revolt and First Jewish War. A great way to enhance or begin a collection of Jewish bronze minors. Some surface issues may be present, as is to be expected. Most exhibit a nice desert or green patina. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. Average grade: **VERY FINE.** \$400-\$800



NABATAEA



177 **Nabataean Bronzes.** Approximately 65 pieces in lot. Nabataea, situated at the strategic crossroads between Ancient Egypt, Arabia and the Levant. As such, they specialized in trade, and while a great many types of gold and silver coinage flowed into and through the area, bronze minors were needed to provide small change. Historically important and visually intriguing. Some pieces may show some surface issues, as to be expected. Nice desert and green patina present. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. Average grade **FINE-VERY FINE.** \$800-\$1600

175 **Bar Kochba Revolt, A.D. 132-135. Lot of (10) Judean Bronzes, ca. A.D. 132-135.** 10 pieces in lot. A grouping of mostly Year 1 "Middle Bronze" pieces from the Bar Kochba Revolt. The design features a seven branched palm tree and a vine leaf on tendril. Nice desert patinas throughout. Some surface issues may be present, should be examined. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.** Average grade **VERY FINE.** \$800-\$1600



JUDAEA

178 **Nabataean Bronzes.** Approximately 76 pieces in lot. Nabataea, situated at the strategic crossroads between Ancient Egypt, Arabia and the Levant. As such, they specialized in trade, and while a great many types of gold and silver coinage flowed into and through the area, bronze minors were needed to provide small change. Historically important and visually intriguing. Some pieces may show some surface issues, as to be expected. Nice desert and green patina present. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. Average grade
FINE-VERY FINE..... \$600-\$1200



179 **Nabataean Bronzes.** Approximately 78 pieces in lot. Nabataea, situated at the strategic crossroads between Ancient Egypt, Arabia and the Levant. As such, they specialized in trade, and while a great many types of gold and silver coinage flowed into and through the area, bronze minors were needed to provide small change. Historically important and visually intriguing. Some pieces may show some surface issues, as to be expected. Nice desert and green patina present. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. Average grade
FINE-VERY FINE..... \$1000-\$2000



PARTHIA

180 **Mithradates II, 121-91 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (15.43 gms), Seleukis on Tigris Mint.** cf.Sunrise-284; cf.Sell-24.4; cf.Shore-67. Diademed bearded bust left; Reverse: Archer seated right holding bow, monogram below. Good metal quality. Lustrous.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$2500



SASSANIAN EMPIRE

181 **Kushano-Sassanian. Bahram III Kushanshah. AV Stater (7.19 gms), ca. 350 A.D.** Mitchiner-1314. Bahram standing left wearing lion headdress and sword, flames at shoulders, holding trident and sacrificing at altar; Reverse: Filleted trident to left, pellet to right of altar, Siva (resembling the King) standing facing holding diadem and trident, the bull Nandi standing left behind.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2000



ELYMAIS

182 **Kamnaskires III & Anzaze (82-72 B.C.). AR Tetradrachm (15.71 gms).** cf.Sunrise-470. Jugate busts of diademed Kamnaskires and Anzaze wearing Stephane left; Reverse: Zeus seated left.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$4500



ELYMAIS

- 183 **Kamnaskires III & Anzaze (82-72 B.C.). AR Tetradrachm (13.88 gms).** Sunrise-470. Jugate busts of diademed Kamnaskires and Anzaze wearing Stephane left, countermark to right (Nike standing left, holding wreath and palm all within incuse square); Reverse: Zeus seated left.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$4500



- 184 **Kamnaskires III & Anzaze, 82-72 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (15.75 gms).** Sunrise-470. Jugate busts of diademed Kamnaskires and Anzaze wearing Stephane left; Reverse: Zeus enthroned left. A few areas of light porosity. Lightly toned. Overall, nice metal quality for type.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



- 185 **Kamnaskires IV, ca. 63-53 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (14.53 gms).** cf.Sunrise-477. Diademed and bearded bust left, countermark to right, Nike standing left holding wreath and palm, all within incuse square; Reverse: Zeus enthroned left. Nice metal quality for type.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



- 186 **Kamnaskires IV (ca. 63-53 B.C.). AR Tetradrachm (14.31 gms).** cf.Sunrise-477. Diademed and bearded bust left, countermark to right, Nike standing left holding wreath and palm, all within incuse square; Reverse: Zeus seated left. Some minor deposits.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000



- 187 **Kamnaskires V (ca. 54-32 B.C.). AR Tetradrachm (13.85 gms).** cf.Sunrise-479. Diademed and bearded bust left, star above anchor to right; Reverse: Diademed male bust left. Well centered.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$4500



PERSIS

- 188 **Bagadat, AR Tetradrachm (16.40 gms), Early 3rd Century B.C.** Sunrise-560. Helmeted and bearded male head right; Reverse: Fire Temple of Ahura Mazda, Bagadat standing right. Faint graffiti in obverse field, near portrait. High relief and appealing. Boldly struck on a broad planchet of sound metal. Choice for type.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$9000-\$12,000



- 189 **Orbozos, 3rd Century B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.85 gms).** Sunrise-566. Helmeted mustachioed male head right; Reverse: Fire Temple of Ahura Mazda, Orbozos standing right. Nicely struck on a broad flan from high relief die. **EXTREMELY FINE. \$10,000-\$15,000**



- 190 **Autophradates I, 3rd Century B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.38 gms).** cf.Sunrise-569. Helmeted and mustachioed male with head right; Reverse: Fire Temple of Ahura Mazda, Autophradates standing right. Some mild graffiti present on the obverse. Otherwise well struck on a large broad planchet in high relief.
BOLD VERY FINE. \$4000-\$6000



PERSIA

191 Achaemenidae. Xerxes II to Artaxerxes II, ca. 420-375 B.C. AV Daric (8.36 gms). Sunrise-28; Carradice-Type IIIb, Group C. Persian hero/king in kneeling/running stance right; Reverse: Incuse punch. Good centering on a slightly compact flan. Toned.

NGC EF, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 4/5..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 800036.



192 Achaemenidae. Xerxes II to Artaxerxes II, ca. 420-375 B.C. AV Daric (8.28 gms). Sunrise-28; Carradice-Type IIIb, Group C. Persian hero/king in kneeling/running stance right; Reverse: Incuse punch. Particularly well centered for type.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2500



BAKTRIA

193 Kingdom of Baktria. Eucratides I, ca. 170-145 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.95 gms). SNGANS-465; Bop-Series-6e. Helmeted and draped bust right; Reverse: Dioscuri rearing right, monogram to right. Well struck. Lustrous.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$2500



194 Kingdom of Baktria. Eucratides I, ca. 170-145 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.95 gms), ca. 160-135 B.C. cf. Mitchiner-1712. Helmeted head of Eucratides I right; Reverse: Dioscuri with palms and spears on horseback, control mark to lower right.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2000-\$2500



195 Kingdom of Baktria. Eucratides I, ca. 170-145 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (16.96 gms), ca. 160-135 B.C. SNGCop-272. Helmeted head of Eucratides I right; Reverse: Dioscuri with palms and spears on horseback, control mark to lower right. Well centered with a complete obverse border. Struck on a nice broad flan.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$1000
Ex: Coin Galleries 4/93 Lot #370.



SKYTHIA

196 Olbia. AE Aes Grave (110.19 gms), ca. 400-300 B.C. SNGBMBBlackSea-380. Facing Gorgonian head with extended tongue; Reverse: Eagle flying right, "APIX" around. Original and untouched patina with earthen green and red patina. Some minor corrosion, otherwise a wholesome original example. VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2000



PTOLEMAIC EGYPT

197 Ptolemy VI - VIII, ca. 180-116 B.C. AV Octodrachm (27.81 gms), Alexandria Mint. SNGCop-322; Svoronos-1499. Veiled head of Arsinoe facing right, "K" behind neck; Reverse: Double cornucopiae with legend around. Minor file on edge. Well struck in high relief with good surface luster. A very attractive example of this type.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$8000-\$12,000

Ex: Dawson London 6/90.



201 Ptolemy II, 285-246 B.C. AV Octodrachm (27.77 gms), Alexandria Mint, ca. 285-260 B.C. SNGCop-134; BMC-6.43, 9. Diademed and veiled bust of Arsinoe II right; Reverse: Double cornucopiae bound with fillet. Mild contact marks and a small scratch on Arsinoe's cheek. A lustrous and appealing example.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$7500-\$9000



198 Ptolemy I, 323-283 B.C. AR Tetradrachm (14.88 gms), ca. 310-305 B.C. cf.SNGCop-47. Diademed head of Ptolemy I with aegis right; Reverse: Eagle standing left on thunderbolt, monogram in left field. Good metal quality. Struck on a broad planchet with strong overall details.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700



202 Ptolemy II, 285-246 B.C. AV Pentadrachm (17.78 gms), Alexandria Mint, ca. 285-260 B.C. cf.SNGCop-106; BMC-6.24,4. Diademed head of Ptolemy I right; Reverse: Eagle on thunderbolt left, "E" between legs, monogram and shield to left. Well centered with a near full border and good surfaces.

GOOD VERY FINE-NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$7000-\$10,000

Ex: Coin Galleries 4/93 Lot #65. Ex: Glendining's Knoepke Sale 12/86 Lot #354.



199 Ptolemy II, 285-246 B.C. AV Octodrachm (27.76 gms), Alexandria Mint, ca. 285-260 B.C. BMC-6.43,10. Diademed veiled head of Arsinoe II right, "K" behind; Reverse: Double cornucopiae bound with fillet. Lovely and attractive.

NGC AU, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 4/5.
Fine Style. \$9000-\$12,000



203 Ptolemy II, 285-246 B.C. AV Pentadrachm (17.78 gms). SNGCop-106. Diademed head of Ptolemy I facing right; Reverse: Eagle standing left on thunderbolt, Two monograms in left field. Evidence of previous mounting in a bezel, otherwise a very wholesome and affordable example of this type.

NGC Ch VF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 2/5.
Ex-Jewelry. \$3000-\$5000



200 Ptolemy II, 285-246 B.C. AV Octodrachm (27.68 gms), Alexandria Mint, 285-260 B.C. SNGCop-134; BMC-6.43, 9. Diademed and veiled head of Arsinoe II right; Reverse: Double cornucopiae bound with fillet.

NGC AU, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 4/5.
Fine Style. \$9000-\$12,000



204 Ptolemy IV Philopator, 221-205 B.C. AV Octodrachm (27.79 gms), Alexandria Mint. SNGCop-196; Svoronos-1117. Radiate, armored and draped bust of Ptolemy III right, trident over left shoulder; Reverse: Radiate cornucopiae bound with fillet, symbols below wreath. Lustrous and appealing. **EXTREMELY FINE.** \$7000-\$9000



ZEUGITANA

206 Carthage. EL Stater (7.33 gms), ca. 310-270 B.C. J&L-269. Wreathed head of Tanit left; Reverse: Horse standing on singled exergual line, two pellets below exergual line. Good centering. Lightly toned.

BOLD VERY FINE..... \$1000-\$1500

PTOLEMAIC EGYPT

205 Ptolemaic Silvers & Bronzes. 19 pieces in lot. A varied grouping of silver and bronze ancient coinage, the majority of which is Ptolemaic Egypt. Also includes Seleukid issues, Roman provincial and other issues from the ancient middle east. An interesting grouping featuring large bronzes and lustrous silvers. Overall a wholesome group. Some surface issues may be present. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. Average grade VERY FINE. \$1000-\$2000

ROMAN REPUBLIC



207 AE Aes Grave Triens (95.13 gms), ca. 225-217 B.C. Cr-35/3a; Syd-4; TV-53. Head of Minerva in crested helmet left with four pellets below; Reverse: Ship's prow right, four pellets below. Lovely apple green marbled patina. Choice.

EXTREMELY FINE \$2000-\$2500

Choice Social War Denarius of the Marsic Confederation



- 208 Social War. Marsic Confederation, 90-88 B.C. AR Denarius (3.95 gms), Bovianum Mint, ca. 90-88 B.C. S-230; Syd-627. "VI-TELIV"** (Italia in Oscan), laureate head of Italia facing left; Reverse: Soldier standing facing, head right, holding spear and sword, his left foot trampling a Roman standard, recumbent bull at right, Oscan control letter "I" in exergue. Pleasing glossy surfaces with old cabinet toning. Obverse mildly off-center, with a majority of the legend visible. The reverse remains exquisitely centered, with a nearly full beaded border. A historically important piece highlighting the tumultuous era of the expansion of Roman citizenship to all of Italy south of the Po River. Rome's Italian allies felt intense dissatisfaction with their lack of rights and representation within the Roman government and social structures, at this time most Italians outside of Rome were barred from attaining citizenship. This would ultimately be the final concession granted to the Italians to end the conflict. Rome traditionally was successful at turning one-time enemies into allies by allowing the conquered peoples citizenship. Sharp struck and lustrous, accented with attractive old cabinet tone. RARE. **CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE**. **\$10,000-\$15,000**



- 209 L. Hostilius Saserna. AR Denarius (3.81 gms), Rome Mint, ca. 48 B.C. Cr-448/2; S-418; Syd-952.** Head of Gallic warrior facing right, chain around neck, shield behind; Reverse: Nude Gallic warrior in biga driven right by charioteer. Faint scratches, though nicely toned. Some sources consider this to be a portrait of Vercingetorix, the famed Gallic chieftain subdued by Julius Caesar during his Conquest of Gaul. Sharply struck with attractive toning.
NGC Ch VF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 2/5. Light Scratches. **\$2000-\$3000**

ROMAN IMPERATORIAL



JULIUS CAESAR

- 210 AR Denarius (3.94 gms), Military Mint in Italy, ca. 49 B.C.** Cr-443/1; RSC-49; S-1399; Syd-1006. Elephant standing right trampling serpent, "CAESAR" in exergue; Reverse: Pontificate implements: simpulum, sprinkler, axe and priest's cap. Full "CAESAR" visible. Good metal quality. Bright and appealing.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$800



- 211 AV Aureus (8.17 gms), Rome Mint, 46 B.C.** Calico-36; Cr-466/1; S-1395; Syd-1017. Moneyer A. Hirtius. "C. CAESAR COS.TER", veiled head of Vesta (Pietas?) right; Reverse "A. HIRTIVS PR", lituus, capis and axe (pontificate and augurate emblems). Well centered and highly attractive.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$7500-\$8500

Ex: Numismatica Ars Classica Auction #40, 05/07 Lot #563.



- 212 AR Denarius (3.97 gms), Rome Mint, ca. 44 B.C.** Cr-480/13; S-1414; Syd-1073; RSC-39. Moneyer P. Sepullius Macer. "CAESAR DICT PERPETVO", laureate and veiled head of Caesar facing right; Reverse: Venus standing facing left holding Victory and scepter, shield at feet to right. Slightly uneven strike. Appealing dark toning.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$2000-\$3000

From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian.



- 213 AR Denarius (3.80 gms), Rome Mint, Posthumous Issue, ca. 40 B.C.** Cr-526/2; S-1428 (2); RSC-45. Moneyer Q. Voconius Vitulus (Quaestor designatus). "DIVIIVLI", laureate head of Julius Caesar facing right, lituus behind; Reverse: "Q. VOCONIVS", bull-calf walking left, "VITV[LVS]" in exergue. Excellent portrait details. Slightly oblong flan. Nice old toning. Lovely portrait.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$3500-\$5000



OCTAVIAN

- 214 AR Denarius (3.53 gms), Military Mint in Macedonia, ca. Autumn 42 B.C.** Cr-497/3; S-1537. "CAESAR III VIR R P C", helmeted and draped butts of youthful Mars facing right, spear over shoulder; Reverse: Legionary eagle between two standards, trophy in background, "S - C" at either side. Bright and appealing. Struck during the time period of the Battle of Philippi, where the combined armies of Antony and Octavian avenged Caesar's murder by defeating Cassius and Brutus, who later committed suicide. Well struck with excellent centering for type. Slightly bright, good metal quality.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$800-\$1200

Portrait of Julius Caesar in Gold



OCTAVIAN & JULIUS CAESAR

215 AV Aureus (8.11 gms), Italian Mint, 43 B.C. Calico-52; S-1525; Cr-490/2. Struck by a military mint traveling with Octavian, accounting for why nearly all known examples of this type display various striking deficiencies. The first Roman gold issue to depict the portraiture of actual beings, as the Roman issues prior to this only displayed gold portraitures of deities. A RARE and politically important issue, depicting the late Julius Caesar on the coinage of Octavian, thus helping to solidify his claim as Caesar's heir. "C. CAESAR COS. PONT. AVG." ("NT" and "AV" in monogram), bare head of Octavian right; Reverse: "C. CAESAR DICT. PERP. PONT. MAX." ("NT" and "MA" in monogram), wreathed head of Caesar right. Nice strike, when you consider the typically encountered pieces of this VERY RARE issue; however, the piece is still better made than most, exhibiting full legends and well rendered portraitures. A scrape is present on the obverse. Only slightly off center on the reverse. Overall an excellent example of an important and desirable issue. **VERY FINE**..... \$15,000-\$20,000



216 Macedon. Thessalonica. AE 21 (11.38 gms), ca. 28-27 B.C. RPC-1554. Laureate head of Julius Caesar right; Reverse: Bare head of Augustus facing right. Pleasing original and untouched minty green patina. A lovely example of this dual portrait type.

VERY FINE \$600-\$800



MARC ANTONY

217 Marc Antony & Julius Caesar. AR Denarius (3.98 gms), Military Mint, ca. 43 B.C. Cr-488/2; S-1465. Bare head of Marc Antony right, lituus behind; Reverse; Laureate head of Caesar, jug behind. Slightly crude example, but nice lustrous planchet.

EXTREMELY FINE \$2500-\$3500

Ex: Robert Harlick Collection.

**MARC ANTONY**

- 218 AR Legionary Denarius (3.92 gms), Patrae Mint, 32-31 B.C.. Cr-544/15; S-1479; Syd-1217. Praetorian galley right; Reverse: Legionary eagle (Aguila) between two standards, "LEG III" below. Slight, unobtrusive graffiti on the obverse field. Light attractive toning with underlying luster.

NGC Ch AU, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 2/5.

Graffito. \$500-\$700



- 219 AR Legionary Denarius (3.44 gms), Patrae Mint, ca. 32-31 B.C. Cr-544/25; S-1479; Syd-1229. "ANT AVG III VIR R P C", Praetorian galley right; Reverse: Legionary eagle between two standards, "LEG XI" below. Beautiful pearlescent gray toning. A choice and attractive example this type. Well stuck with good metal quality. Lustrous and attractive.

NEARLY MINT STATE. \$1000-\$1500



- 220 AR Legionary Denarius (3.73 gms), Patrae Mint, 32-31 B.C. Cr-544/36; S-1479; Syd-1243. "ANT AVG III VIR R P C", Praetorian galley right; Reverse: Legionary eagle between two standards, "LEG XX" below. Unobtrusive planchet flaw on the obverse. Beautiful pearlescent gray toning with iridescent blue highlights, truly spectacular. Struck on a large round planchet of good metal quality.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$900-\$1200

ROMAN EMPIRE

**AUGUSTUS, 27 B.C.- A.D. 14**

- 221 AR Denarius (3.85 gms), Lugdunum Mint, ca. 8-7 B.C. RIC-199. Laureate head of Augustus facing right; Reverse: Gaius Caesar on horseback galloping right, legionary eagle (Aquila) between two standards. Lustrous and appealing.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1200-\$1600

Ex: Coin Galleries 12/09 Lot #184.



- 222 AR Denarius (3.60 gms), Pergamum Mint, ca. 19-18 B.C. RIC-520. RARE. "AVGVSTVS", bare head of Augustus facing right; Reverse: "CAESAR - DIVI F / ARMEN - CAPTA / IMP - VIII", legends divided by Armenian captive standing facing holding spear with hand resting on bow. Struck to commemorate the reintegration of the Armenians into the Roman sphere of influence. Armenia was an important region for the Romans as it acted as a buffer zone between the Roman Empire and the Sassanians and Parthians. A very important and RARE type that seldom shows up in auction. Excellent metal quality. Deep old toning.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2500

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**AGRIPPA (SON-IN-LAW OF AUGUSTUS)**

- 223 AE As (9.33 gms), Rome Mint, A.D. 37-41 (Posthumous Issue), RIC (Gaius)-58. Head of Agrippa wearing rostral crown left; Reverse: Neptune standing left, cloaked and holding dolphin and trident. Even sea-green patina. Attractive.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1200-\$1600

Ex: Coin Galleries 12/09 Lot #185.

**TIBERIUS, A.D. 14-37**

- 224 AV Aureus (7.67 gms), Lugdunum Mint, A.D. 16. RIC-29; cf. Calico-305B. Laureate bust of Tiberius right; Reverse: Draped Livia as Pax seated right on chair with ornate legs, holding scepter and branch. Well centered with full legends on both sides. Moderate wear from circulation, a few small scratches. Nice portrait style.

NGC VF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 2/5.

Graffiti \$2500-\$3500



TIBERIUS, A.D. 14-37

225 **AV Aureus (7.79 gms), Lugdunum Mint, A.D. 16.** RIC-29; S-1760; Calico-305c. Laureate bust of Tiberius right; Reverse: Draped Livia as Pax seated right on chair with ornate legs, holding scepter and branch. Grainy surfaces, minor edge damage. Well centered.

FINE..... \$1000-\$1500
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226 **AR Drachm (3.58 gms), Caesarea Cappadociae Mint, A.D. 32-34.** RIC-86. Laureate head of Tiberius right; Reverse: Bare head of Drusus Caesar left. Toned with very attractive portraits. Exceptional for a portrait of Drusus in silver. **NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2000**

When in Rome “Si Fueris Romae”



227 **AE Tessera (Erotic Spintra) (4.57 gms).** cf. Simonetta Riva-Obv. Scene 9, Rev. Scene 6D; Buttrey-Obv. 11/XV. Erotic scene, man kneeling between the legs of his companion, who with slightly erect torso lies on her back against a cushion atop a low couch, curtains hanging from table and above the scene, slight linear border around; Reverse: Roman numeral “XV” (for fifteen) within dotted border, wreath around. Well rounded. A pleasing cocoa brown obverse with minor verdigris and slight orange highlights. The reverse has a slightly higher proportion of verdigris or deposits but it has a nice strike.

These small bronze tokens were created, according to their obverse designs and scholarly research, for use as payment in brothels. Some theories also present the notion that they were used as gaming tokens. Their use in brothels seems supported by the ancient Roman historian Suetonius (most famous for his biography on the twelve Caesars), who states that bringing a coin or other object with the effigy of the Roman Emperor into a brothel was an act of treason punishable by law. These licentious tokens seem a good work-around to using common coinage when visiting an erotic establishment. The obverse design mirrors that of the Erotic Frescoes found on the wall of the brothel in Pompeii. Well struck and choice for type, with excellent detail.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$7000-\$9000



CALIGULA, A.D. 37-41

228 AR Denarius (3.82 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 37-38. RIC-14. "C CAESAR AVG GERM P M TR POT", laureate head of Caligula right; Reverse: "AGRIPPINA MAT C CAES AVG GERM", draped bust of Agrippina I right hair falling in plait down back of neck. Excellent centering on a well made and round planchet allowing for full and complete legends. Nice old cabinet toning. A choice example. **NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$10,000-\$12,000**



229 AR Denarius (3.72 gms), Lugdunum Mint, ca. A.D. 37-38. RIC-18. Bare head of Caligula facing right; Reverse: Bare head of Germanicus facing right. Good centering for type with virtually full legends. Well struck and good surface quality. Nicely toned.

GOOD VERY FINE-NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE \$12,000-\$16,000



230 AE As (11.75 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 37-38. RIC-38; S-1803. Bare head of Caligula left; Reverse: Vesta seated left with patera and scepter. Sharp struck. Wonderful detail. Lovely deep green patina.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1200-\$1600
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4268.



231 AE As (10.85 gms), Rome Mint, ca. 40-41 A.D. RIC-54. Bare head of Caligula left; Reverse: Vesta seated left holding patera and scepter. Appealing apple green patina with earthen highlights.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1500
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4270.



AGRIPPINA SENIOR (MOTHER OF CALIGULA, DIED A.D. 33)

232 AE Sestertius (25.39 gms). RIC (Caligula)-55. Draped bust of Agrippina Senior facing right with elaborate braid; Reverse: Carpentum drawn left by two mules, the cover supported by standing figures at the corners, with ornamented side. Deep even apple green patina is evenly dispersed throughout the surfaces in a lovely marbled texture. Minor traces of smoothing are noted from initial cleaning or removal of deposits; however, this only affects the patina and not the actual coin. A lovely example of this scarce and popular type.

NGC Ch EF, Strike: 4/5 Surface: 3/5. Light smoothing..... \$6000-\$8000



233 AE Sestertius (27.89 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 37-41. RIC (Caligula)-55. Draped bust of Agrippina facing right; Reverse: Carpentum drawn by two mules, the cover supported by standing figures at the corners, ornamented side. Struck to commemorate Caligula's mother, Agrippina Senior. Some corrosion and edge damage. Elegantly engraved dies of fine artistic style with well executed legends. Lovely clay brown and tan patina.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2500
Ex: Christies 12/91



CLAUDIUS, A.D. 41-54

234 AR Denarius (3.47 gms), Rome Mint, A.D. 44-45. RIC-28. Laureate head of Claudius right; Reverse: Draped bust of Agrippina II right wreathed with grain-ears hair falling in plait down back of neck. Very attractive old cabinet tone. Nearly intact legends. Faint, even surface porosity. Good portraiture.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$800-\$1200
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CLAUDIUS, A.D. 41-54

235 AV Aureus (7.72 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 50-54. RIC-82. "TI CLAVD CAESAR AVG GERM P M TRIB POT P P", laureate head of Claudius facing right; Reverse: "NERO CLAVD CAES DRVSVS GERM PRINC IVVENT", draped and bare-head bust of Nero facing left. While the obverse is slightly off center, the reverse is very well centered. A single faint scratch is present on the obverse, but does little to detract from the quality of the piece. A historically important succession issue and a lovely example. Long overlooked due to his physical ailments, Claudius found himself thrust into the Principate after the Praetorian Guard murdered Caligula. Though he is believed to have been of sound mind, he was easily manipulated by his numerous wives, most notably his final wife Agrippina Junior. Agrippina was also Claudius's niece and immediately began replacing his advisers with men loyal to her. She also maneuvered her son from a previous marriage, the future emperor Nero, to the position of heir to the Empire, there by surpassing Claudius's biological son. With this accomplished, Agrippina murdered Claudius with poison, and her son Nero was hailed as emperor immediately afterwards. Claudius's son was then murdered to prevent any rival claimants. However, treachery begets treachery, and Agrippina found herself unable to manipulate her son as ably as she could with her late husband. She lived the last few years in a vain attempt to hold on to her authority and her life. A few light surface marks and a small scratch before the face of Claudius. Otherwise, attractive with good eye appeal.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$7000-\$9000



NERO, AS CAESAR, A.D. 50-54

236 AE Sestertius (28.16 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 50-54. RIC (Claudius)-108. RARE. Draped bust of Nero facing right; Reverse: Four-line inscription on shield, with vertical spear behind. Well centered with full legends. Lovely deep green patina with earthen highlights.

BOLD VERY FINE..... \$2500-\$3500

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4276.



NERO, A.D. 54-68

237 AV Aureus (7.29 gms), Rome Mint, A.D. 64-65. RIC-46; Calico-402. "NERO CAESAR", laureate head of Nero right; Reverse: "AVGVSTVS GERMANICVS", Nero radiate standing facing holding branch and globe surmounted by Victory. Some smoothing on and marks on the reverse. Nicely centered.

GOOD VERY FINE. \$2000-\$3000



238 AE As (7.43 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 64. RIC-210. Laureate head of Nero right; Reverse: Nero depicted as Apollo Citharoedus advancing right. Lovely golden-brown Tiber patina.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1200-\$1600

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4279.



239 AR Drachm (3.35 gms), Caesarea Cappadociae Mint, ca. A.D. 63-64. RIC-622. Laureate head of Nero right; Reverse: Laureate head of Claudius right. Excellent strike and surfaces, if slightly off center. Choice for type.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2000



GALBA, A.D. 68-69

240 AE Sestertius (26.67 gms), Rome Mint. RIC-347. Laureate head of Galba right; Reverse: Libertas draped standing left holding staff and pileus. Some minor corruption. Lovely burgundy hue. Well centered with full legends on both sides.

CHOICE VERY FINE. \$1200-\$1600

Ex: Coin Galleries 12/09 Lot #229.



VESPASIAN, A.D. 69-79

241 AE Sestertius (26.23 gms), Rome Mint, A.D. 71. RIC-131. RARE. Jewish Victory type. "IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG PM T P P COS III", laureate head of Vespasian facing right; Reverse: "VICTORIA AVGVSTI", Victory advancing right with palm, offering Palladium to Vespasian, standing facing left holding upright spear. Darker mottled patina. Strong details and a glossy finish. Some light surface smoothing.

BOLD VERY FINE..... \$1000-\$1500



242 AV Aureus (7.16 gms), Rome Mint, A.D. 77-78. RIC-1057; Calico-625. RARE. "IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG", laureate head of Vespasian facing left; Reverse: Vespasian standing at left facing left holding spear and parazonium, crowned by Victory at right facing left holding palm.

VERY FINE. \$4000-\$6000



TITUS AS CAESAR, 69-79 A.D

243 AV Aureus (7.02 gms), ca. A.D. 78-79. RIC-971; Calico-726a. "T CAESAR VESPASIANVS", laureate head of Titus facing right; Reverse: "ANNONA AVG", Annona seated facing left holding bundle and ears of corn in both hands. Good centering.

FINE..... \$2000-\$3000



DOMITIAN AS CAESAR, A.D. 69-81

244 AE As (11.76 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 80. RIC (Titus)-311. Laureate head of Domitian facing right; Reverse: Minerva in fighting stance advancing right holding spear and shield. Even deep green patina. Sharp portrait. Very appealing and choice.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$800

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4307.



TRAJAN, A.D. 98-117

245 AV Aureus (7.28 gms), Rome Mint, A.D. 100. RIC-37; Calico-1045b. Laureate, draped bust of Trajan facing right; Reverse: Hercules standing facing on altar holding club and lion's skin. Some light scratches present in the reverse fields. A well centered example with nice portraiture. Light orange-gold toning.

NGC VF, Strike: 5/5 Surface: 2/5.

Ex-jewelry. \$2000-\$3000



246 AR Denarius (3.55 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 112-114. RIC-266. Laureate head of Trajan facing right, slight drapery on left shoulder; Reverse: Goddess (Via Traiana) reclining left holding wheel and branch. This reverse type commemorates the Via Traiana road which ran from Brundisium to Beneventum and served as an important link from the core of the Empire to the East. Lovely toning. Slightly oblong flan, but well struck. Lovely toning.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$1800-\$2200

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4312.



247 AE Sestertius (27.43 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 99-100. RIC-413. "IMP CAES NERVA TRAIAN AVG GERM PM", laureate head of Trajan, slight drapery, facing right; Reverse: "TR POT - COS III PP", Pax enthroned left holding branch and scepter. An absolutely stunning portrait of Trajan with lovely mahogany patina. There is a minor strand of corrosion on the reverse, but it does little to detract from the reverse legends. Excellent surfaces. Crisp strike with full and complete legends. Well rendered portraiture. Original and untouched lightly marbled green and brown patina. A choice and original Sestertius. Quite lovely.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$5000



HADRIAN, A.D. 117-138

248 AE Sestertius (26.43 gms), Rome Mint, ca. 118 A.D. RIC-550. Laureate bust of Hadrian facing right; Reverse: Concordia seated left. Attractive dark even sandy green patina. A few small areas of corrosion, otherwise highly attractive. **CHOICE VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2000**



SABINA (WIFE OF HADRIAN)

249 AE Sestertius (24.74 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 128-134. RIC (Hadrian)-1026. Diademed and draped bust of Sabina facing right; Reverse: Concordia standing left leaning on a column, holding patera and double cornucopiae. Pleasing green patina. **BOLD VERY FINE..... \$1800-\$2200**
Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4320.



ANTONINUS PIUS, A.D. 138-161

250 AV Aureus (7.29 gms), Rome Mint, A.D. 153-154. RIC-233e. "ANTONINVS AVG PI - VS P P TR P XVI", laureate head of Antoninus Pius facing left; Reverse: "COS IIII", Antoninus standing facing left holding globe. Well struck on a large round planchet allowing for full legends. Lustrous and attractive. **CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$6000-\$8000**



MARCUS AURELIUS, A.D. 161-180

251 AE Sestertius (26.68 gms), Rome Mint, ca.161-162. cf.RIC-827. Laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Marcus Aurelius right; Reverse: Marcus Aurelius standing right holding scroll clasp hands with Lucius Verus standing left. Well struck with artistically rendered portraiture. Some minor smoothing to fields. Dark mahogany brown patina. An attractive and very collectible example. **EXTREMELY FINE. \$400-\$600**



LUCIUS VERUS, A.D. 161-169

252 AV Aureus (7.26 gms), Rome Mint, A.D. 161-162. RIC-476. Draped and cuirassed bust of Lucius Verus right. Reverse: Fortuna seated left in throne, holding cornucopiae and rudder. **CHOICE VERY FINE. \$2000-\$4000**



253 AV Aureus (7.06 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 163-164. RIC-508; Cal-2107. "L VERUS AVG ARMENIACVS", cuirassed and bare-headed bust of Lucius Verus facing right; Reverse: "TR P IIII IMP II COS II", Armenia seated left, left hand on bow and quiver, trophy behind, "ARMENI" in exergue. Tiny cut on rim at 5 o'clock on the reverse. Very scarce and popular type. Commemorating victories over Armenia, and its returning to a Roman state during the War with Parthia. Well centered obverse. **VERY FINE. \$2000-\$3000**
From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian. Ex: Spink Sale 10/87.

**LUCIUS VERUS, A.D. 161-169**

- 254 AV Aureus (7.26 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 163-164. RIC-511; Cal-2152a. "L VERVUS AVG ARMENICVS", laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Lucius Verus facing right; Reverse: "TR P IIII IMP II COS II", Lucius Verus seated left on platform, officer behind, soldier without spear, King Sohaemus of Armenia before platform, "REX ARMEN DAT" in exergue. Commemorates the Roman victories in Armenia during the war with Parthia. This reverse depicts the ceremony of king Sohaemus becoming king of Armenia for the second time. Well centered with full legends.

VERY FINE. \$2000-\$3000

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**SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS, A.D. 193-211**

- 255 AR Denarius (3.40 gms), Rome Mint, A.D. 200-201. RIC-157. Laureate head of Septimius Severus right; Reverse: Laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Caracalla right. Both portraits are well struck and centered.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1200-\$1700

**JULIA DOMNA (WIFE OF SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS)**

- 256 AE As (26.02 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 211-217. RIC (Caracalla)-588. Draped bust of Julia Domna right; Reverse: Julia Domna enthroned left holding branch and scepter. Lovely original and untouched pale jade patina.

CHOICE VERY FINE. \$1000-\$1500

Ex: Coin Galleries 8/09 Lot #4328.

**CARACALLA, A.D. 198-217**

- 257 Thrace. Perinthus. AE Medallion (24.24 gms). Varbanov-257. RARE. Radiate bust of Caracalla facing right; Reverse: Galley with seven rowers and sail, vexilla at stern. Flan crack present, along with some reverse encrustation. Pleasing deep apple green patina. Visually stunning design. **BOLD VERY FINE.** \$2000-\$3000

**SEVERUS ALEXANDER, A.D. 222-235**

- 258 AE Sestertius (15.60 gms), ca. A.D. 231-235. RIC-648. Laureate draped bust right; Reverse: Spes walking left. Slightly off center. Well struck with dark green patina.

CHOICE VERY FINE-

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$200-\$300

Ex: Schulman 2/14/59 Lot #2367. Ex: Col. Curtis Collection.

**PUPIENUS, A.D. 238**

- 259 AE Sestertius (18.37 gms), Rome Mint. RIC-23. Laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Pupienus facing right; Reverse: Victory standing facing left, holding wreath and palm with drapery. Slight flan crack. Dark patina with mottled mahogany. Some light surface smoothing, otherwise an attractive piece with full legends.

VERY FINE. \$200-\$400



GORDIAN III AFRICANUS, A.D. 238-244

260 AE Sestertius (19.17 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 238-239. RIC-257. Laureate, draped and cuirassed bust facing right; Reverse: Providentia standing facing left, holding globe and scepter. Some minor encrustation present. Good surface quality. Nice strike.

BOLD VERY FINE..... \$200-\$300



PHILIP I, A.D. 244-249

262 AE Sestertius (17.43 gms), Rome Mint. RIC-173a. Laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Philip I facing right; Reverse: Fides standing left holding standard and transverse scepter. Multiple flange cracks. Bold portraiture. Bright green patina.

CHOICE VERY FINE..... \$200-\$400



261 Roman Provincial. Moesia Inferior, Odessos. AE Medallion (25.68 gms). Varbanov-4434. Half length radiate, draped and cuirassed bust of Gordian III facing left holding globe; Reverse: Salus and Asclepius standing facing. Well executed dies with high relief, lifelike portraiture. Even dark glossy green patina. Some light smoothing, but overall a very attractive and well made piece.

EXTREMELY FINE..... \$800-\$1000

Struck to Commemorate the Victories of Probus & the Preservation of the Roman Empire



PROBUS, A.D. 276-282

- 263 AV Aureus (6.24 gms), Ticinum Mint. RIC-308 (R3); Calico-4154. Helmeted military bust of Probus facing left wearing cuirass, shield and spear over shoulder, right hand extended holding Victory presenting trophy; Reverse: Sol standing with head turned left, right hand raised and left hand holding globe. Likely struck to commemorate the victories of Probus over Florianus and the murderers of Aurelian. This elaborate obverse type depicts a half-length portrait of Probus in full military attire with "VIRTUS" before his name, suggesting he is a brave military leader. His arm is extending with Victory in his palm, awarding him with a trophy for his victories. The reverse type exhibits the sun god Sol holding a globe with the legend "CONSERVAT", suggesting that through the victories of Probus he had preserved the Roman Empire. This EXTREMELY RARE type was struck in the Northern Italian mint of Ticinum, likely during the period when Probus was travelling to Rome to ratify his powers with the senate. Several small scrapes and abrasions, otherwise

EXTREMELY FINE \$12,000-\$16,000

Ex: Numismatik Lanz Munchen 11/09 Lot #147.



MAXIMIAN, A.D. 286-310

- 264 AV Aureus (5.38 gms), Cyzicus or Antiochia Mint, ca. A.D. 290-293. RIC-597 or 610; Calico-4624. "MAXIMIANVS AVGVSTVS", laureate head of Maximian facing left; Reverse: "CONSVL III - P P PRO COS", Maximian seated facing left in curule chair holding scepter and globe surmounted by Victory. Some evidence of tooling in the fields, though a strong and crisp strike.

GOOD VERY FINE \$5000-\$6000



ALLECTUS, A.D. 293-296

265 AE Antoniniani (4.49 gms), Londonium Mint. RIC-33. "IMP C ALLECTVS PF AVG", radiate and cuirassed bust of Allectus facing right; Reverse: "PAX AVG", Pax standing facing left holding olive-branch and vertical transverse scepter. Excellent, glassy apple green patina. Very lovely and choice for type.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700



GALERIUS, A.D. 305-311

266 AE Follis (7.13 gms), Heraclea Mint, ca. A.D. 308-310. RIC-37a. Laureate head of Galerius facing right; Reverse: Genius standing left with modius on head and naked except for chlamys over left shoulder, holding patera (from which liquor flows), in other hand a cornucopiae. Pleasing dark patina.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$100-\$200



VALERIUS ROMULUS (SON OF MAXENTIUS)

267 BI Nummus (7.28 gms), Rome Mint, ca. A.D. 308-310. RIC-249. Bare head of Valerius Romulus facing right; Reverse: Eagle with spread wings standing atop a domed shrine with doors ajar. Struck to posthumously honor Maxentius' deceased son. Nice strike with dark patina. Quite attractive.

NGC AU, Strike:

4/5 Surface: 4/5. Die shift..... \$500-\$700



CONSTANTIUS II, A.D. 337-361

268 AV Solidus (4.49 gms), Antioch Mint, ca. A.D. 347-350. RIC-84. "FL IVL CONSTAN-TIVS P F AVG", rosette-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Constantius II facing right; Reverse: "GLORIA REI-PVBLICAE", Roma enthroned at left facing, Constantinopolis facing left enthroned at right with foot resting on prow, between them they hold inscribed shield, also holding spear and scepter.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$900

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269 AV Solidus (4.54 gms), Trier Mint, ca. A.D. 342-343. RIC-122. Rosette-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust facing right; Reverse: Victory walking to left, holding trophy and palm branch. Well rounded with a nice strike. Light die rust on the reverse, otherwise sharp and lustrous.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1500



CONSTANTIUS GALLUS AS CAESAR, A.D. 351-354

270 AR Siliqua (3.27 gms), Sirmium Mint. RIC-18. RARE. Bare head of Constantius Gallus facing right; Reverse: legend within wreath. A few light scratches, otherwise well struck and appealing.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1500



JULIAN II AS CAESAR, A.D. 355-360

271 AR Light Miliarense (4.32 gms), Thessalonica Mint. RIC-204. Bare-headed, draped and cuirassed bust of Julian II right; Reverse: Soldier standing facing with head right, holding inverted spear and resting hand on grounded shield. Minor hairline flan cracks, minor scratches on reverse. Attractive toning.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$2200-\$2600

Ex: Stack's 4/10 Lot #521.

**JOVIAN, A.D. 363-364**

- 272 AV Solidus (4.45 gms), Nicomedia Mint. RIC-126. "D N IOVIAN -VS PEP AVG", rosette-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Jovian right; Reverse: "SECVRITA-S REI -PVBLICAE", Roma seated facing at left, Constantinopolis seated left with foot on prow at right between an inscribed shield. RARE issue from this short lived emperor.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$3000-\$4000

**VALENS, A.D. 364-378**

- 273 AV Solidus (4.47 gms), Antioch Mint, ca. A.D. 364-367. RIC-2d. "DN VALENS - PER F AVG", pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Valens facing right; Reverse: "RESTITVTOR REIPVBLICAE", Valens standing left in military dress, holding Labarum and globe surmounted by Victory. Well centered with a good strike. A few minor die chips on obverse, otherwise

EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700

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**GRATIAN, A.D. 367-383**

- 274 AV Solidus (4.44 gms), Constantinople Mint, ca. A.D. 373-383. RIC-44a. "D N GRATIA - NVS P F AVG", rosette-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Gratian facing right; Reverse: "CONCOR - DIA AVGGG", helmeted Constantinopolis seated facing with head right, on throne adorned with lion's heads, holding scepter in right hand and globe in left, right foot on prow, "CONOB" in exergue. Minor damage in the field behind the bust. Lustrous and appealing.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$800-\$1200

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**VALENTINIAN II, A.D. 375-392**

- 275 AV Solidus (4.46 gms), Constantinople Mint, Officinae E, ca. A.D. 383-388. RIC-69a. "DN VALENTINI - ANVS PF AVG", pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust right; Reverse: "CONCORDI - AAVGGGE", helmeted and draped Constantinopolis enthroned facing, with head right holding scepter and globe with right foot on prow, "CONOB" in exergue. Lustrous and choice.

NEARLY MINT STATE. \$1000-\$1500

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- 276 AV Solidus (4.52 gms), Treveri Mint, ca. A.D. 388-392. RIC-90a. Pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust right; Reverse: Victory above seated emperors holding globe, palm between. Well centered. Nice strike and lovely surfaces.

NEARLY MINT STATE. \$700-\$1000

**THEODOSIUS I, A.D. 379-395**

- 277 AV Solidus (3.85 gms), Constantinople Mint, 9th Officinae, ca. A.D. 379-383. RIC-45d. "DN THEODO - SIVS PF AVG", rosette-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Theodosius I right; Reverse: "CONCOR - DIA AVGGGI", Constantinopolis helmeted seated facing on throne ornamented with lion's heads, head right holding scepter and globe, right foot on prow, "CONOB" in exergue. Small mark on portrait's nose, otherwise a bright and attractive piece.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$800

From the Collection of Dr. Richard Aghababian. Ex: Vecchi Sale #6, 9/81 Lot #538.



ARCADIUS, A.D. 383-408

278 AV Solidus (4.46 gms), Constantinople Mint, 4th Officinae, ca. A.D. 383-388. RIC-67d. "DN ARCADI - VS PF AVG" Rosette-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Arcadius facing right; Reverse: "CONCORDI - A AVGGG" Constantinopolis enthroned facing with head right, holding scepter and globe, right foot on prow.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$800
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HONORIUS, A.D. 393-423

279 AV Solidus (4.45 gms), Mediolanum (Milan) Mint, ca. A.D. 395-402. RIC-1206. "D N HONORI - VS P F AVG", pearl-diademed draped and cuirassed bust of Honorius facing right; Reverse: "VICTORI - A AVGGG", emperor in military attire standing right holding standard in right hand Victory on globe in left, left foot on captive before, "M" in left field, "D" in right, "COMOB" in exergue. A few light surface marks and light scratch in obverse field, otherwise bright and attractive.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700
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THEODOSIUS II, A.D. 402-450

280 AV Solidus (4.42 gms), Thessalonica Mint, ca. A.D. 425-430. RIC-362. "D N THEODO - SIVS P F AVG", helmeted, pearl-diademed and cuirassed bust of Theodosius II facing right holding spear over right shoulder, shield adorned with horseman riding down enemy on left; Reverse: "GLOR ORVI - S TERRAR", emperor in military attire standing facing right holding labarum in right hand and globus cruciger in left, star in left field. Excellent quality. Slight doubling of the legends. Light hammering on edge. Lustrous and appealing.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700
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EUDOCIA (WIFE OF THEODOSIUS II), A.D. 421-441

281 AV Solidus (4.44 gms), Constantinople Mint, ca. A.D. 441-450. RIC (Theodosius II)-304. Pearl-diademed and draped bust of Eudocia facing right, crowned by Manus Dei; Reverse: Constantinopolis enthroned facing left, holding globus cruciger and scepter, shield leaning on throne, star in left field.

VERY FINE. \$2000-\$3000



282 AV Tremisses (1.41 gms), Constantinople Mint, ca. A.D. 441-443. RIC-335. Pearl-diademed and draped bust of Eudocia facing right; Reverse: Cross within wreath. Lustrous.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700



CONSTANS II, A.D. 409-411

283 AR Hexagram (6.33 gms), Constantinople Mint. S-996. Facing busts of Constans II on left with long beard and beardless Constantine IV on right, each wearing chlamys and crown, a cross between their heads; Reverse: Cross potent above globe and three steps. Two clips (typical of issue) present at the upper portion of the obverse. Sharply struck and lustrous.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1400-\$1600



MAXIMUS, A.D. 409-411

284 AR Siliqua (1.35 gms), Barcelona Mint. RIC-1601. Pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Maximus facing right; Reverse: Roma standing right on cuirass, holding Victory on globe and inverted spear. Struck on a small planchet. Toned. VERY RARE.

VERY FINE. \$2000-\$3000



PULCHERIA (SISTER OF THEODOSIUS II & WIFE OF MARCIAN), 441-450 A.D

285 AV Solidus (4.53 gms), Constantinople Mint, ca. A.D. 441-450. RIC-288. Diademed and draped bust of Pulcheria right; Reverse: Constantinopolis enthroned left, holding scepter and globus cruciger, star to left. Nice attractive portrait.

NEARLY MINT STATE. \$3500-\$4500



MIXED LOTS

286 Roman Provincial. Lot of (11) AR Tetradrachms, Various Mints. 11 pieces in lot. A grouping of Roman Provincial Tetradrachms, mostly issued by Nero though Trajan and Antoninus Pius are represented as well. Some surface issues may be present, should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. Average grade VERY FINE. \$500-\$1000

287 Roman Silver & Bronze Issues, ca. 2nd Century B.C. to 4th Century A.D. 15 pieces in lot. Comprised of Republic Denarii, Imperial Denarii from several dynasties of the 1st and 2nd centuries, and a few bronze issues. Predominately, a problem free grouping with only a few pieces exhibiting sign of cleaning or scratches. Several handsome pieces. Retail value of about \$1,300. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS. NO RETURNS. GOOD-VERY FINE. \$600-\$800

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288 Lot of (29) AR Denarii, ca. 211 B.C.-A.D. 307. 29 pieces in lot. Includes: (25) AR Denarii, (2) Antoninianus, (1) 1/2 Victoriatus and (1) AE Follis. A large variety of issuing emperors are present, including Tiberius, Trajan, Hadrian, Marcus Aurelius and Pescennius Niger. A great way to start or enhance a collection of Denarii. Some cleaning or other minor surface issues may be present. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$2000

289 Roman Provincial. Bronze Issues. Approximately 115 pieces in lot. An intriguing grouping of Roman Provincial issues, mostly from the regions of Odessus, Moesia and Callatis. A few Greek Silver issues are also included, most are Istrus Drachms featuring the Janiform heads. A Study collection starter group in which careful examination will reward the prospective bidder. Some pieces may show mild verdigris or other surface issues, as to be expected.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. Average grade FINE-VERY FINE. \$1000-\$1500
From the Demarete Collection.

BYZANTINE



ANASTASIUS I, 491-518

290 AV Solidus (4.36 gms), Constantinople Mint, 6th Officinae. S-5. Helmeted and cuirassed bust facing three-quarters right, holding spear and shield; Reverse: Victory standing left holding long staff, star to left. Well centered. Lustrous.

NEARLY MINT STATE. \$800-\$1000



291 AV Solidus (4.46 gms), Constantinople Mint, Officinae A. S-5. Helmeted and cuirassed bust facing three-quarters right, holding spear and shield; Reverse: Victory standing left holding long staff surmounted by Tau-Rho, star to left. Struck on a nice broad flan. Well centered reverse.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700



MANUEL I, 1143-1180

292 EL Aspron Trachy (3.92 gms), Constantinople Mint. S-1959. Christ standing, flanked by stars; Reverse: Manuel and St. Theodore both standing facing holding patriarchal cross with large globus at base. Nice rose gold toning highlights.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$500-\$700

DARK AGES



- 293 **Merovingian. Neustria. AV Tremissis, N.D. ca. 6th-7th Century.** 1.31 gms. Prou-635; cf. Belfort-525. VERY RARE. Moneyer Angiulfus. Stylized bust left; Reverse: Cross with omega anchor. Very interesting and highly attractive.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$3300-\$4000

Ex: Stack's Sale 4/10 Lot #553.



- 294 **Merovingian. Aquitaine. Avernus (Clermont-Ferrand). AV Tremissis, ca. 6th-7th Century A.D.** 1.22 gms. Prou-unlisted. RARE. Diademed and draped bust right; Reverse: Crude figure of Victory.

VERY FINE. \$1700-\$2200

Ex: Stack's Sale 4/10 Lot #552.



- 295 **Merovingian. AR Denier, ND (ca. 511-58). Childebert I, King of Paris (511-58).** cf. Roberts-23; cf. Prou-36; cf. Engel & Serrure-pg. 56 fig. 146. King's name in three lines within beaded border; Reverse: Chi Rho Christogram within wreath. Upon the death of his father Clovis I in 511, Childebert inherited a region in Northwestern France that encompassed lands stretching from as far north as the Somme river down to Brittany, and as far west as the English Channel. Throughout his reign he took part in many expeditions to expand his territory which included parts of the Kingdom of Orleans, the Kingdom of Burgundy and Provence. In 542, he teamed up with his brother Chlotar and invaded Spain with little success, but managed to bring back the tunic of the martyred St. Vincent, to which he built the famous monastery known today as St-Germain-des-Prés. He died on December 13, 558 and was buried at the same monastery that he built. With no heirs to take the throne, his brother took over the lands that he had acquired in his lifetime. EXTREMELY RARE and possibly UNIQUE. Nice strike. Toned. ANACS EF-40. \$3000-\$4000



- 296 **Visigoths. Sisebut, A.D. 612-621. AV Tremisses, Emerita Mint.** CNV-258.10. Bust with pellets facing, King's legend around; Reverse: Long bust facing, Mint legend around. Light toning with subdued mint luster.

ANACS MS-62. \$800-\$1000



- 297 **Visigoths. Swinthila (A.D. 621-631). AV Tremisses (1.44 gms), Eliberri Mint.** CNV-288.46. Bust facing, legend around; Reverse: Bust facing, legend around.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$800



- 298 **Visigoths. Swinthila (A.D. 621-631). AV Tremisses (1.18 gms), Mentesa Mint.** CNV-295.38; cf. Miles-219. Bust facing, legend around (ends in wheat mark); Reverse: Bust facing, legend around.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$900



- 299 **Visigoths. Swinthila (A.D. 621-631). AV Tremisses (1.47 gms), Emerita Mint.** CNV-327.8. Bust facing legend around; Reverse: Bust facing legend around.

CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$800



- 300 **Visigoths. Sisenandus, A.D. 631-636. AV Tremisses (1.46 gms), Emerita Mint.** CNV-358.8; Miles-273c. Bust facing legend around; Reverse: Bust facing legend around. Scarce portrait type depicting portrait with hands raised.

NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$900-\$1200



- 301 **Italy. Beneventum. Sico, A.D. 817-832. EL Solidus (3.78 gms).** Fr-107; Erslev-1046. Facing bust; Reverse: St. Michael holding globus cruciger and staff surmounted by staurogram. Interesting and intriguing type. Sharp struck. Lightly toned and choice.

EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$2500

WORLD COINS



LOTS 302-770



ALBANIA

302 **100 Franga Ari, 1927-R.** Fr-1; KM-11a.3; Mont-12. Two stars below bust. Nice strike with soft satin luster.
NGC MS-63. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 190462.



303 **100 Franga Ari, 1938-R.** Fr-11; KM-26; Mont-22. Struck to commemorate the 10th anniversary of the Reign of King Zog. Mintage of only 500 pieces.
NGC PROOF-62. \$2000-\$2500



304 **100 Leke, 1988.** Fr-26; KM-63. RARE. Struck to commemorate the 42nd anniversary of Albania's first railroad. With case of issue and certificate of authenticity. From a mintage of 2,000 pieces.
NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO. \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 709975.



ARGENTINA

305 **8 Soles, 1815-PTSFL.** CJ-6.1.11; KM-15. Lightly toned. Nice luster.
NGC AU-58. \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 752880.



306 **8 Reales, 1836-RAP.** KM-20; CJ-37. Nice strike. Darkly toned and attractive.
NGC AU-55. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 150511.



307 **2 Escudos, 1843-RB.** Fr-12; KM-17. Faint scratches above the coat of arms, otherwise a high grade and attractive example of this type.
PCGS Genuine—
Tooled, AU Details Secure Holder. \$1200-\$1600
PCGS# 15815. NGC ID: 15815.



308 **La Rioja. 8 Reales, 1838.** KM-8; CJ-55.1. Medal rotation. Reverse die rotated slightly. Nice strike. Attractive toning.
NGC AU-58. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 739306.



AUSTRALIA

309 **Sovereign, 1860.** FR-10; KM-4. Scarce early date.
NGC AU-55. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 113174.
Ex: Reserve Bank of Australia.



AUSTRALIA

310 Melbourne International Exhibition First Prize Medal in Gold, by H. Stokes, 1880. 38.63 mm; 51.03 gms. For-Vol. V, pg. 693. Bust of Queen Victoria left with engraver's name on truncation, legend around; Reverse: three line inscription within wreath, engraver's name below. Inscribed on edge "W. & A.K. Johnston, Edinburgh - Maps". Brothers William and Alexander Keith Johnston of the firm W. & A.K. Johnston were one of the 19th centuries major publishing houses. One of their many major achievements which won them a number of awards at The Great Exhibition of 1851 was the first physical globe. Light marks and hairlines.

ALMOST UNCIRCULATED. \$2000-\$3000



311 Unofficial Pattern Dollar, 1967. Bruce-M2. Andor Meszaros issue. Mintage of only 1,500 pieces.

NGC MS-66. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 830560.



AUSTRIA

312 Auersperg Taler, 1805. Dav-39; KM-5. Sharply struck. Toned with strong underlying luster.

NGC MS-63. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 872077.
From the Rockaway Collection.



313 Batthyani Taler, 1764. Carl (1761-72). Dav-1182; KM-2. Second finest certified, with only one graded higher. Appealing toning with blue and golden hues. Sharply struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-62. \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 872082.
From the Rockaway Collection.



314 Batthyani Taler, 1788. Ludwig (1788-1806). Dav-1184; KM-8. Finest certified example. Attractive iridescent toning with reflective surfaces. Sharply struck with great eye appeal.

NGC MS-65. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 872096.
From the Rockaway Collection.



315 Dietrichstein Taler, 1726. Vienna Mint. Karl Ludwig (1698-1732). Dav-1186; KM-17. Finest certified specimen. Dark toning. Sharply struck with very crisp features.

NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 872068.
From the Rockaway Collection.



AUSTRIA

316 Salzburg. 1/4 Ducat, 1734. Leopold Anton Eleutherius von Firmian (1727-44). Fr-851; KM-330. Tied with four others for finest certified NGC. Sharply struck and very attractive. A sparkling gem.

NGC MS-65. \$600-\$750

PCGS# 482602.



317 Taler, 1624. Dav-3330; KM-264.5. Sharply struck. Some light toning. Finest certified at either grading service. Absolutely astonishing condition. Museum quality in every respect. NGC MS-64. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 167714.



318 Taler, 1632. Leopold V (1619-32). Dav-3338; KM-629.2; Voglhuber-183/IV. Sharply struck. Highly attractive old cabinet toning. An exceptional example of this type.

PCGS MS-65. \$900-\$1200

PCGS# 167716.

319 2 Taler, 1675-1676. Graz Mint. Leopold I (1657-1705). Dav-A3232; KM-1269. An impressive piece, which was well minted with the use of a roller press, leaving excellent surfaces of lustrous metal. Full detail of the design, probably the most pleasing on the reverse with its complex arms. Slightly lighter toning and more vibrant lustrous blue highlights. Free of all but the most minor handling marks. An exquisite multiple Taler with lovely old envelope toning and strong luster making for a pleasing and must have piece. NGC MS-65. \$2000-\$3000

PCGS# 483444.

From the Rockaway Collection.



320 Taler, 1683. Hall Mint. Leopold I (1665-87). Dav-3241; KM-1303.1; Vogl-221/III; cf.M-T-707. Nice strike. Full detail, although some softness at 12 o'clock on obverse due to irregularity of planchet thickness. Attractive even toning with underlying luster. NGC MS-64. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 1004769. NGC ID: 37964.

From the Rockaway Collection.



AUSTRIA

321 Taler, 1704. Hall Mint. Leopold I (1657-1705). Dav-1003; KM-1303.4. "The Hogmouth". Sharply struck. Lightly toned and lustrous surfaces. Very attractive.
PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 600135.



322 Taler, 1765. Vienna Mint. Maria Theresa (1765-1780). Dav-1112; KM-1817. Sharply struck. Brilliant surfaces with pleasing toning. Very attractive.
NGC MS-64. \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 470751.



323 2 Taler, 1866-A. KM-2250. Very scarce and popular two year type. Sharply struck. Lightly toned with attractive underlying luster. An exceptional example of this large silver crown. NGC MS-65. \$1200-\$1800
 PCGS# 250155.



324 100 Schilling, 1933. Fr-520; KM-2842. Key date. Mintage of only 4,727 pieces. Prooflike.
NGC MS-62. \$1200-\$1500
 PCGS# 21327. NGC ID: 34872.



BELGIUM

325 Tournai. 2 Souverain d'Or, 1617. Albert & Isabella of Spain (1598-1621). Fr-391 (Belgium); KM-23.1; VanGeld-304-7b; Delm-439.
NGC VF-30. \$2000-\$3000



326 25 Franc, 1848. Fr-405; KM-13.1; Eeckhout-NBFB-219. Sharply struck with satin luster.
PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 25281.



327 Medallic Essai 5 Franc, 1909. Brussels Mint. Dupriez-1679. Nickel. Commemorates the visit of Tong-Shao Yi, the famous Chinese diplomat and politician who was eventually named Prime Minister by Yuan Shih-kai in 1912. A RARE and interesting Belgium medal of Chinese historical importance.
NGC MS-65. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 650732



BELGIUM

328 **20 Franc, 1955.** KM-140.1; Eeckhout-NBFB-151. French legend. RARE. From a mintage of only 240 pieces. Lovely orange/gold peripheral toning with strong luster. The second highest graded of this type, with the finest being only one point higher.

NGC MS-64. \$900-\$1100

PCGS# 345622.



BELIZE

329 **100 Dollars, 1991.** Fr-18; KM-103. Mintage of only 500. Commemorating the 10th anniversary of independence.

NGC PROOF-67 ULTRA CAMEO. \$600-\$750

PCGS# 849302.



330 **250 Dollars, 1992.** Fr-19; KM-113. Commemorating General Montgomery and the 50th anniversary of his victory at the Battle of El Alamein. One year type with a mintage of only 500 pieces.

NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1300-\$1500

PCGS# 849371.



BERMUDA

331 **30 Dollars, 2007.** cf.Fr-42; KM-unlisted. Shipwreck series, the San Pedro. One of the first 300 struck.

NGC GEM PROOF. \$1300-\$1500



BHUTAN

332 **2 Sertums Piefort, 1981.** Fr-11; KM-P1. Commemorating the international year of disabled persons. Deep mirror fields with frosted devices.

NGC PROOF-69. \$1600-\$2000

PCGS# 228076.



BOHEMIA

333 **Kuttenberg. 1/2 Taler, 1559.** Ferdinand I (1526-64). Dietiker-97. NGC VF-20. \$700-\$1000



BOLIVIA

334 8 Reales Royal, 1643-P. Philip IV (1621-65). 26.6 gms. KM-R19a; Laz-104 (plate coin)R4. EXTREMELY RARE. Fully round presentation strike or "Royal", struck on a specially prepared planchet. The exact reasoning as to why these specially made pieces were produced is unknown. Some theories include that these pieces were used to prove the minting quality of the coins from the mint. They were produced on specially manufactured cast round planchets, as opposed to cutting blanks from the end of a silver bar. Special care was also taken when they were struck, as they are nearly always executed with precision while centering the dies. Multiple theories about their purpose exist. For instance, it is possible that they were then submitted for inspection to the Viceroy, and possibly even the King of Spain himself. While feasible, there is evidence that rebukes this theory. For instance, some "Royals" exist with Central American countermarks from the 19th century, hence they were never sent to Spain for inspection. The current belief is that these were specially commissioned pieces, produced for ceremonial purposes or special events. One contemporary document discusses specially made coinage that was given out as gifts during a Royal wedding. In this case, the men were given 8 Reales, while the women were given 4 Reales. Regardless of their intended purpose, it is clear that these are specially made coins, that vary greatly in their method of manufacture than that of the traditional circulating coinage of the time. Small hole at 1 o'clock that has been expertly repaired and virtually undetectable (evident when compared with the rubbing of the Lazaro plate coin, where the hole was still present). An attractive and pleasing example of an early Potosi Royal. Some minor central weakness, yet overall details bold and clear. Struck on a large round planchet, with full legends on both sides. Bold and clear date, variant with legend stop on reverse made up of five small dots. An EXTREMELY RARE piece, with fewer than a half dozen examples estimated to exist.

NGC EF-40. \$5000-\$7000
 PCGS# 265982.

335 8 Reales Royal, 1682-PV. Charles II (1665-1700). KM-R26; Cal-Type 75 #318; Calbeto-1093; Laz-207. Fully round "Royal" presentation strike on a specially prepared planchet. Struck on a large round 42.5 mm planchet allowing for full legends on both sides. Minimal doubling, well applied type II Guatemalan countermark of 1839 on obverse. Well defined, lightly toned and highly attractive for type. **NGC VF-30. \$4000-\$6000**
 PCGS# 266034.



336 Real "Heart", 1698-PF. Charles II (1665-1700). KM-unlisted; Laz-unlisted; Cal-unlisted. EXTREMELY RARE and unpublished date for a "heart" 1 Real. The exact reasoning as to why these specially made pieces were produced is unknown. The current belief is that these were specially commissioned pieces produced for ceremonial purposes or special events. Unlike traditional cobs that were produced from cutting silver blanks from the end of a bar, special care was taken in the manufacture of heart coinage. The planchets were specially cut into the heart shaped form, resembling the Sacred Heart of Jesus Christ prior to being struck. Unlike conventional cob coinage where the weight was very specific, heart coinage is often found to be heavy in weight, as is the case with the coin offered here weighing 3.6 gms. Special care and precision was also taken when struck as in most cases they are found with medallion die axis. Pierced as usual, presumably for suspension. Bold and very attractive. **NGC VF-20. \$2000-\$3000**
 PCGS# 783814.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates January 2009 Auction Lot #1159.



BOLIVIA

337 **8 Reales Royal, 1718-PY.** KM-R31; Laz-263; Cal-Type-149 #816 R4. EXTREMELY RARE date for a Potosi Royal, with fewer than a half dozen example estimated to exist. Fully round presentation strike or "Royal", struck on a specially prepared planchet. Some doubling and holed as usual. Parts of all three dates visible, including a full four digit date in the legend.

NGC Fine Details—Holed.....\$2500-\$3500

PCGS# 268633.

VERY RARE ROYAL 8 REALES OF LUIS I



338 **8 Reales Royal, 1727-PY. Luis I (1724).** KM-R35; Cal-Type-13#22; Calbeto-1166; Lazaro-309. Fully round presentation strike, struck in the name of Louis I. The story of Louis I rule as King of Spain is a short and sad one. He was named king of Spain in January of 1724 when his father Philip V abdicated in his favor. Shortly after, he became ill with smallpox and died in August of the same year. His reign is noted as one of shortest in Spanish history, having lasted for just over seven months. Upon the young king's death, his father Philip V returned as king rather than give the throne to his other son Ferdinand VI, who would have only been eleven years old at that time. Philip V continued to rule as King of Spain until his own death in 1746, at which point he was succeeded by his son Ferdinand VI. Although Louis I was only King of Spain for a short period of time in 1724, the mint of Potosi Bolivia struck coinage in his name in 1725, 1726 and 1727. The continuation of this coinage is the result of the available channels of communication during the time. First, it would have taken many months for the news of the new king to reach Potosi, and it is clear from numismatic findings that new dies were not prepared until 1725. A similar set of circumstances would have occurred upon his death, as news was slow to travel. On the other hand, since the deceased king was the son of the returning monarch, there may have simply been less urgency to discontinue the design. The coinage may have continued to be produced in his name for a brief period as a form of remembrance. Nevertheless an EXTREMELY RARE and desirable type that is a key piece in any collection of Spanish Colonial or Latin American. Some minor doubling evident, which is normal for types of this king. Wholesome and attractive with good surface quality, holed as normal. Toned. NGC EF Details—Holed.....\$8000-\$12,000

PCGS# 268669.



BOLIVIA

339 8 Reales, 1774-JR. Charles III (1759-88). KM-55; FC-6; EL-12. Sharply struck. Blast white and very attractive.
PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 25851.



340 8 Reales, 1774-JR. Charles III (1759-88). KM-55; FC-6; EL-12. Nice strike. Lustrous surfaces with good eye appeal.
PCGS MS-63+ Secure Holder. \$1200-\$1600
 PCGS# 25851.



341 8 Escudos, 1785-PTSPR. Charles III (1759-88). Fr-1; KM-59. Light orange peel toning.
PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 713027.



342 8 Escudos, 1794-PR. Charles IV (1788-1808). Fr-14; KM-81. NGC AU-50. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS # 727259



343 4 Escudos, 1807-PJ. Fr-15; KM-80; Cal-Type 31 # 258. Scarce date with a mintage of only 527 pieces. Tied for finest certified of the ruler with only one other example in the same grade. Well struck, attractive and an exceptional example of this type.
NGC AU-58. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 713015.



344 8 Escudos, 1808-PJ. Fr-14; KM-81. Tied with four others for finest certified.
NGC AU-58. \$1900-\$2200
 PCGS# 727259.



345 8 Scudos, 1834-PTSLM. Fr-21; KM-99. Very scarce date. Light adjustment marks across obverse. Light orange peel toning around the rims. Popular and highly collectible portrait coinage of the Liberator Simon Bolivar.
NGC EF-40. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 721418.



BRAZIL

346 4,000 Reis, 1699-(R). Pedro II (1683-1706). Fr-21; KM-98; LDMB-0031; Gomes-32.05. Lovely orange peel toning. Very attractive.
NGC AU-58. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 870285.



BRAZIL

347 4,000 Reis, 1723-R. Joao V (1706-50). Fr-27; LMDB-0069; KM-102. Sharply struck with great features. Bright and lustrous surfaces. NGC MS-62. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 870310.

Mint State 20,000 Reis of Joao V



348 20,000 Reis, 1725-M. Joao V (1706-50). Vila Rica Mint. Fr-33; KM-117; LMDB-249. Sharply struck with very sharp details. Nice orange peel toning over satin surfaces. Great eye appeal. NGC MS-62. \$12,000-\$15,000
PCGS# 28956.



BRAZIL

349 20,000 Reis, 1725-M. Joao V (1706-50). Fr-33; KM-117; LMDB-249. Nicely struck with frosty surfaces. Very attractive. NGC AU-58..... \$9000-\$11,000
PCGS# 28956.

350 10,000 Reis, 1726-M. Joao V (1706-50). Fr-34; KM-1: LDMB-246; Gomes-104.03. Three year type. Bold strike with plenty of mint luster. NGC MS-62. \$5000-\$7000
PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 268406.

Very Rare Bahia Mint 12,800 Reis



351 12,800 Reis, 1727-B. Joao V (1706-50). Bahia Mint. Fr-50; KM-138; LDMB-85; Gomes-134.01. VERY RARE. First variety of crowned arms. Some orange peel toning in the legends and around the features. Bright gold luster and nice details. NGC EF-45. \$18,000-\$22000
PCGS# 180782.



BRAZIL

352 **6,400 Reis (Peca), 1756-B. Jose I (1750-77).** Fr-69; KM-172.1; LDMB-386; Gomes-54.07. Sharply struck with full mint brilliance. Very attractive.

NGC MS-65. \$3500-\$4500
PCGS# 767026.



353 **6,400 Reis, 1757-R. Jose I (1750-77).** Fr-65; KM-172.2; LDMB-425.

NGC MS-63. \$1900-\$2200
PCGS# 778003.



354 **6,400 Reis (Peca), 1758-B. Jose I (1750-77).** Fr-69; KM-172.1; LDMB-388; Gomes-54.09. Sharply struck with rich luster. Exceptionally choice with great eye appeal.

NGC MS-66. \$4500-\$5500
PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 267882.



355 **6,400 Reis (Peca), 1762-R. Rio de Janeiro Mint. Jose I (1750-77).** Fr-65; KM-172.2; LDMB-430.

NGC MS-63. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 28947.



356 **4,000 Reis, 1777-(L). Fr-73; KM-171.4.** Difficult to find in high grade.

NGC MS-61. \$1200-\$1400
PCGS# 267368.



357 **4,000 Reis, 1778-(L). Maria I & Pedro III (1777-86).** Fr-81; KM-210. Very scarce type. Mintage of 2,741 pieces. Light orange toning around features, a very bright and sharp looking piece that is scarce in a high grade.

NGC MS-62. \$800-\$1200
PCGS# 267371.
Ex: Torex Auctions November 9-12, 1978 Lot #662.



358 **6,400 Reis, 1785-R. Maria I & Pedro III (1777-86).** Fr-76; KM-199.2; LDMB-0467.

NGC AU-58. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 722871.



359 **6,400 Reis (Peca), 1789-R. Rio de Janeiro Mint. Maria I (1786-1805).** Fr-85; KM-218.1; LDMB-526. Maria in plain headdress.

NGC AU-55. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 165989.



BRAZIL

360 6,400 Reis (Peca), 1790-B. Maria I (1786-99). Fr-86; KM-218.2; LDMB-O507; Gomes-28.06. RARE. Widow's Veil bust. VERY RARE date. Mintage of only 12,000 pieces. Sharply struck with attractive orange peel toning.

NGC AU-55 \$3500-\$5000
PCGS# 192934.



361 6,400 Reis (Peca), 1796-R. Maria I (1786-1805). Fr-87; KM-226.1; LDMB-0534; Gomes-33.12. Nice strike. A very pleasing example of this popular type.

NGC MS-62 \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 188376.



362 6,400 Reis (Peca), 1799-R. Rio de Janeiro Mint. Maria I (1786-1805). Fr-87; KM-226.1; LDMB-537; Gomes-33.18.

NGC AU-58 \$700-\$900
PCGS# 77851. NGC ID: 267951.



363 6,400 Reis (Peca), 1802-R. Maria I (1786-1805). Fr-87; KM-226.1; LDMB-0540; Gomes-33.23.

NGC MS-62 \$1300-\$1500
PCGS# 188382.



364 6,400 Reis (Peca), 1805-R. Maria I (1786-1805). Fr-87; KM-226.1; LDMB-O543.

NGC MS-62 \$1300-\$1500
PCGS# 267408.



365 6,400 Reis (Peca), 1806-R. Joao Prince Regent (1805-18). Fr-93; KM-236.1; LDMB-556; Gomes-33.03.

NGC MS-63 \$1700-\$2000
PCGS# 277258.
EX: Eliasberg Collection.



366 4,000 Reis, 1809-(R). Fr-95; KM-235.2; LDMB-0569; Gomes-33.05. Very attractive. Full mint luster and light toning.

NGC MS-64 \$1200-\$1600
PCGS# 729261.



367 6,400 Reis (Peca), 1810/1-R. Fr-93; KM-236.1; cf.LDMB-560; cf.Gomes-33.12. A very interesting over-date, possibly due to an error on the part of the engraver. The finest (and only) certified example across both NGC and PCGS. Lovely strike and excellent mint luster.

NGC MS-66 \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 277266.



BRAZIL

368 Minas Gerais. 960 Reals, ND (1808). KM-241; LMDDB-P446. EXTREMELY RARE host type with countermark on a transitional Bolivia 8 Reales of Carolus IV with the portrait of Charles III. All transitional 8 Reales of Charles IV with the portrait of Charles III should be considered RARE as a host for Minas Gerais, regardless of mint. Attractive old envelope toning. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS VF-20 Secure Holder**..... **\$8000-\$10,000**
PCGS# 53046120.



369 10,000 Reals, 1889. Fr-125; KM-496; LDMB-0688. Mintage of 7,302 pieces. Brilliant and choice. Tied with one other piece for finest certified. An exceptional example of this scarce and very popular type.
NGC MS-64..... **\$2000-\$3000**
PCGS# 746388.



370 20,000 Reals, 1889. Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0711. First year of this series. Obverse depicts liberty with the reverse showing the Southern Cross constellation. Beautiful golden surfaces with very sharp features. A very attractive example of this scarce and popular type.
NGC MS-63..... **\$2500-\$3000**
PCGS# 746411.



371 10,000 Reals, 1895. Fr-25; KM-496; LDMB-O691. EXTREMELY RARE date. Mintage of only 306 pieces. This date missing from both the Norweb and Eliasberg collections. Sharply struck and attractive. A real prize for the Brazilian specialist.
NGC MS-61..... **\$9000-\$11,000**
PCGS# 746391.



372 20,000 Reals, 1895. Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0715. Mintage of 4,811 pieces. Finest certified example. Sharply struck with attractive mint luster.
NGC MS-63..... **\$2000-\$2500**
PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 268577.



373 20,000 Reals, 1895. Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0715. Mintage of only 4,811 pieces. Nice strike.
NGC MS-61..... **\$2500-\$3000**
PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 268577.



374 20,000 Reals, 1896. Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0716. Mintage of only 7,043 pieces. Sharply struck.
NGC MS-61..... **\$2500-\$3000**
PCGS# 746416.



BRAZIL

375 **20,000 Reis, 1898.** Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0718. Mintage of 14,000 pieces. Sharply struck with satiny mint luster. An excellent type coin.

NGC MS-64 \$3000-\$4000
 PCGS# 746418.



376 **20,000 Reis, 1900.** Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0720. Mintage of 7,551 pieces. Tied with two others for finest certified. Light orange peel toning. Choice and very attractive.

NGC MS-64 \$3000-\$4000
 PCGS# 746420.

377 **Four Piece Discovery Anniversary Set, 1900.** KM-499-502.1; LDMB-677-680. 4 pieces in set. Struck to commemorate the 400th anniversary of the discovery of Brazil. The 4,000 Reis is the sixteen ray variety. A well matched, lustrous set with mild toning on each piece.

NGC MS-62 to MS-65 \$1800-\$2200



378 **20,000 Reis, 1910.** Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0729. Mintage of only 5,119 pieces. Sharply struck. Bright and appealing. A very attractive example of this scarce and popular type.

NGC MS-63 \$2000-\$2500
 PCGS# 746429.

379 **10,000 Reis, 1916.** Fr-125; KM-496; LDMB-0707. Mintage of only 4,720 pieces. Some minor hairlines present, hardly detracting from the attractive luster.

NGC Unc Details—Surface Hairlines \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 746407.



380 **20,000 Reis, 1918.** Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0735. RARE date. Mintage of only 1,216 pieces. Sharply struck and attractive.

NGC MS-62 \$4000-\$5000
 PCGS# 746435.



381 **20,000 Reis, 1921.** Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0736. Mintage of only 5,924 pieces. The finest certified example. Nice strike. Choice and very appealing. An exceptional example of this ever popular type.

NGC MS-64 \$3000-\$4000
 PCGS# 746436.



382 **20,000 Reis, 1921.** Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0736. Mintage of only 5,934 pieces. Sharply struck. A very attractive example of this scarce and popular type.

NGC MS-61 \$2500-\$3000
 PCGS# 746436.



BRAZIL

383 **20,000 Reis, 1922.** Fr-124; KM-497; LDMB-0736. Mintage of only 2,681 pieces. Sharply struck. Frosty mint luster.
NGC MS-62. \$2500-\$3000
PCGS# 746437.



BRUNEI

384 **100 Dollars, 1987.** Fr-4; KM-33. Finest certified by NGC. 20th anniversary of the Brunei Currency Board.
NGC PROOF-70 ULTRA CAMEO. \$600-\$750
PCGS# 445934.



BULGARIA

385 **100 Leva, 1912 (Restruck 1967-68).** Fr-5; KM-34. Official restrike of 1967-68. From a mintage of only 1,000 pieces. Commemorating the Declaration of Independence.
PCGS PROOF-67 CAMEO. \$1900-\$2200
PCGS# 415457.



386 **1,000 Leva, 1981.** KM-139. 1300th anniversary of Nationhood. From a mintage of only 2,000 pieces.
NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 32215. NGC ID: 110412.



CAMBODIA

387 **Pattern 1/4 Tical, ND ca. (1847).** KM-unlisted; VG-unlisted. Essai strike. VER RARE. Pagoda; Reverse: Inscription within wreath. Sharply struck with attractive chocolate brown surfaces.
PCGS SP-55. \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 53297455.



CANADA

388 **Cent, 1859/8.** KM-1. Wide "9". Single Finest graded at NGC. Nice strike. Attractive with much mint red still present.
NGC MS-65 RB. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 53194. NGC ID: 53194.



389 **Cent, 1900.** KM-7. Tied for finest certified at NGC, with only one other example designated MS-65 RD. Sharply struck. An attractive piece which is deserving of its red designation.
NGC MS-65 RD. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 30077.



390 **5 Cents, 1926.** KM-29. Far "6". Key date. Light attractive toning. Exceptional quality for this elusive issue.
PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 31069. NGC ID: 53739.
From the Demarete Collection.



CANADA

391 Specimen 20 Cents, 1958. KM-4 (for type). Reeded Edge. One year type. Finest graded Reeded edge type at PCGS. Hard flashy surfaces with attractive golden toning on the obverse. The reverse displays the same attractive golden toning the deepens towards the peripherals into hues of autumn rose to a soft lavender. Exceptionally choice and highly attractive.

PCGS MS-64+ Secure Holder..... \$7000-\$10,000

PCGS# 31701.

From the Demarete Collection.



395 50 Dollars, 2004. Fr-unlisted; KM-unlisted. Commemorating the 25th anniversary of the Canadian Maple Leaf.

NGC MS-69..... \$1200-\$1400

PCGS# 164477.



392 Dollar, 1952. KM-46. Short water lines. Sharply struck. Bright and lustrous.

NGC MS-65..... \$500-\$800

PCGS# 32447. NGC ID: 950477.



396 300 Dollars, 2007. Fr-104; KM-752. Vancouver Olympics. From a mintage of only 953 pieces.

NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO..... \$1400-\$1600

PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 950869.



393 Dollar, 1966. KM-64.1. Small Beads. RARE. From a mintage of only 485 pieces.

PCGS PL-63 Secure Holder..... \$2000-\$2500

PCGS# 32539. NGC ID: 586685.



394 1 Ounce Gold Beaver, 1979. Bruce-65. LTEE series (French for "Limited Company").

NGC MS-66..... \$1200-\$1400



CANADA

- 397 300 Dollars, 2008.** Fr-104; KM-830. Vancouver Olympics. From a mintage of only 334 pieces.
NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO.\$1400-\$1600
 PCGS# 396060.



- 398 50 Dollars, 2009.** KM-unlisted. Maple Leaf.
PCGS MS-69. First Strike. \$1200-\$1400
 PCGS# 410462.

- 399 Cents, ca. 1858-1974.** Approximately 700 pieces in lot. A massive selection of Cent pieces, with examples of nearly all of the dates listed in the above range and in most cases there are several examples. Includes scarce dates and varieties such as the multitude of repunches in the 1859 issue. Also included is a small selection of later day nickel and copper nickel larger denominations. Some mild cleaning, scratches or surface corrosion are present on some pieces as would be expected of an offering of this size, but overall wholesome if circulated pieces. Retail value in excess of \$2,000. Should be examined.
SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.
VERY GOOD-UNCIRCULATED...... \$500-\$1000
From the Demarete Collection.

- 400 5 Cents, ca. 1858-1951.** Approximately 130 pieces in lot. Comprised of examples of nearly every date within the listed range, some duplication. Includes scarcer dates and varieties. Some pieces with cleaning, minor scratches, or in the case of some of the later pieces minor corrosion. Retail value of about \$1,500. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.
VERY GOOD-UNCIRCULATED...... \$600-\$900
From the Demarete Collection.

- 401 Crowns & Minors, ca. 1858-1952.** Approximately 110 pieces in lot. Includes: 10 Cents to Dollar, heaviest in 10 and 25 Cent pieces, some duplication. Also includes three examples of the one year type 1858 20 Cents (KM-4), other 20th century issues and scarce earlier pieces. Overall quite wholesome offering with many lustrous and uncirculated dollars. Some light cleaning on a few pieces. Retail value in excess of \$2,000. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.
VERY FINE-UNCIRCULATED...... \$800-\$1200
From the Demarete Collection.



NEWFOUNDLAND

402 Newfoundland. 2 Dollars, 1880. Fr-1; KM-5. Key date. Mintage of only 2,500 pieces. Sharply struck with attractive light orange peel toning.
 NGC MS-61..... \$4000-\$5000
 PCGS# 33284.



403 Newfoundland. 20 Cents, 1904-H. KM-10. Scarce one year type. Mintage of only 75,000 pieces. Nice strike with lovely toning. Very attractive.
 NGC AU-55..... \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 33189.



404 Newfoundland. 5 Cents, 1946-C. KM-19a. Lowest mintage (2,041 pieces) of any coin ever struck for Newfoundland, in any denomination. Key date to the series. Toned.
 NGC AU-58..... \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 33044.



405 Quebec. Bank of Montreal. 1/2 Penny Bank Token, 1837. Br-522; LC-8A2. Sharply struck and attractive. Much mint red still present.
 NGC MS-65 RB..... \$1400-\$1800



CHILE

406 8 Escudos, 1751-SoJ. Ferdinand VI (1746-60). Fr-5; KM-3. Undoubtedly from the wreck of the "Luz".
 NGC MS-61..... \$2500-\$3500
 PCGS# 112301.

UNIQUE & Well Pedigreed Mozambique Countermark on a Santiago Chile Pillar Dollar



CHILE

407 8 Reales, 1764-SoJ. Santiago Mint. Charles III (1759-88). KM-18 (RARE); Jara-Luedeking-pg. 295 (this coin); FC-7 (Rarity 10 "this coin"); EL-12, Gilboy-SC-8-11 (R4); Cal-Type-109#100. The Santiago Chile 8 Reales dated 1764 were struck from a single batch of silver, rendered on January 5th 1765. A total of only 23,346 pieces were minted, of which only 5 examples are confirmed to exist today. Unlike the Spanish Colonial mints located at Mexico City, Potosi, Bolivia and Lima Peru, the mint of Santiago Chile was not known for large outputs of silver coinage. Much like the mint of Nuevo Reino Colombia, the silver from the Santiago mint during this period was produced in small quantities and should be considered RARE. Unlike Mexico, Bolivia and Peru, which were rich with silver mines, the mines in Chile were abundant with gold. Most of the silver coinage produced at the Santiago mint was made from silver that was extracted while refining gold. When enough slag silver was collected it was then made into coinage. Due to their relatively small mintages, the silver coinage produced at the Santiago mint was predominantly produced for the local economy rather than export. Historically, on very rare occasions coinage of this mint has surfaced abroad; however, foreign trade was not the predominant function of silver coinage produced by this mint. A hoard of Colonial pillar 8 Reales was found in the wall of an old mission in Vietnam around 1990. This hoard gives some perspective to the relative rarity of Santiago Pillar 8 Reales circulating abroad compared to those of other colonial mints. The hoard consisted of some 400-500 pieces of mostly high grade pillar 8 Reales, predominantly of the Mexico City mint from the era of late Ferdinand VI to early Charles III. Among this group a single Santiago 8 Reales was found, a 1764 8 Reales that was later sold at auction by Ponterio & Associates sale #129 January 2004, lot #1601. Through some strange anomaly or happenstance, the 1764 Santiago pillar dollar offered here somehow made its way to Africa some time shortly after it was minted, finding itself in Mozambique, possibly as a result of the slave trade. Countermarked in Mozambique with a large "MR" monogram by decree of August 20, 1765. Unique countermark and host coin combination, highly important as an African crown and possibly the only Santiago Pillar 8 Reales existent with a foreign countermark. Pleasing tan-grey old cabinet tone, countermark EF Details, host **PCGS VF-20 Secure Holder**\$20,000-\$25,000

PCGS# 704722.

Ex: Jess Peters April 1-4 1976 Auction plate 29, lot#409 "The Thomas Faistauer Collection". Ex: Donald J. Canaparo Collection.

Ex: Henry Christensen July 25, 1986 Auction No. 93, lot#2.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Auction#36 April 4, 1989, lot#362 (front cover coin).

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Auctoin#46 March 8, 1991, lot#68 "The Viceroyal Amat Collection of Latina American Colonial Coinage".

**CHILE**

408 8 Escudos, 1798-DA. Charles IV (1788-1808). Fr-23; KM-54. Bust of Charles III. Nice strike. Attractive luster.

NGC MS-61 \$1500-\$2000
PCGS # 720499

409 8 Escudos, 1809-FJ. Ferdinand VII (1808-21). Fr-28; KM-72. Scarce in this grade. Imaginary uniformed bust. Nice strike with attractive luster. A very pleasant example of the popular short lived type.

NGC MS-62 \$4000-\$5000
PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 273276.

VERY RARE War of Independence Indian Peace Medal for Chile



410 Silver Medal, ND (ca. 1814). Ferdinand VII (1808-18). 37.7 mm; 30.71 gms. Medina-pg.78#23, plate III#5. VERY RARE. Laureate, draped bust of Ferdinand VII facing left, legend "FERNANDO VII REY DE ESPANA Y DE LAS YNDIAS", all within laurel border; Reverse: Legend "EN PREMIO DE LA FIDELIDAD", within wreath. Medina states, "this medal was undoubtedly minted in Potosi or Lima, around the year 1814, and was intended to adorn the chest of American Indians, who even in those days of the revolution remained faithful to the cause of the King. We suspect that this must have been the medal talked about in the Viceroy Abascal writings which included instructions by Don Gabino Gainza regarding the American Indians and the reconquest of Chile. The instructions for issuing the medals were written in Lima on January of 1814 and are as follows: "When the Governor General of the Araucanian Indians Villacura and other chiefs who have demonstrated faithful and strong feelings toward the cause of the King and the Spanish nation, rejected with recommended nobility the fraudulent offers of Chilean traitors, we will give them on behalf of the King and my most heartfelt thanks, each, a sign of how pleasant it is to me and should be the best monarch of the world their true behavior, a cane and a medal for this purpose that leads, encouraging them to continue holding the sacred cause we believe, without heeding the insidious suggestions of the rebels." A VERY RARE and highly significant Indian Peace medal issued during the War of Independence, in order to gain the allegiance of Native American to the Spanish crown. Lustrous. Nicely toned.

CHOICE ALMOST UNCIRCULATED \$1000-\$1500



CHILE

411 **8 Escudos, 1834-SoIJ.** Fr-33; KM-84. Some faint toning. Nice luster. Sharply struck details.

PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder..... \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 110894.

412 **1 & 1/2 Raised Star Centavos, 1851.** KM-118 & 120. 2 pieces in lot. Includes: 1/2 Centavo and 1 Centavo. An attractive and evenly matched two piece proof set. Both are lustrous and attractive with some mint red remaining.

NGC PF-63 RB & PF-64 RB..... \$500-\$1000



413 **100 Pesos, 1976.** Fr-62; KM-213. Mintage of only 2,900 pieces. Commemorating the 3rd anniversary of the New Government.

NGC MS-64..... \$700-\$800
PCGS# 756569.



414 **Onza, 1982.** Bruce-2. RARE. Date unlisted in KM.
NGC MS-68..... \$2200-\$2600



CHINA

EMPIRE GENERAL ISSUES

415 **Pattern Fen, ND (1910).** KM-Pn277; Hsu-35; CCC-629; Duan-2486; CL-HB.78. Sharply struck. Brilliant fiery red surfaces with some toning.

PCGS SP-63 RB Secure Holder..... \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 392569.



416 **Li Pattern, ND (1910).** KM-Pn272; Hsu-33; CCC-627; Duan-2482; CL-HB.75. RARE. Copper. Sharply struck. Brown with some mint luster.

PCGS SP-63 BN Secure Holder..... \$2000-\$3000
PCGS# 392770.



REPUBLIC GENERAL ISSUES

417 **Dollar, ND (1912).** L&M-44; K-638; Y-320.1; WS-0089b. Li Yuan-Hung with hat. "OE" instead of "OF". Some evidence of cleaning, though it remains a wholesome and attractive example. Toned.

PCGS Genuine—
Cleaning, EF Details Secure Holder..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 150506. NGC ID: 150506.



REPUBLIC GENERAL ISSUES

418 Dollar, ND (1912). L&M-45; K-639; Y-321; WS-0090. Li Yuan-Hung without hat. Appealing steely gray toning.
PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 116526.

420 Dollar, Year 10 (1921). L&M-79; K-668; Y-329.6; WS-0183-1. Stunning reflective surfaces.
PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 509916.



419 Dollar, Year 10 (1921). L&M-79; K-668; Y-329.6; WS-0183-1. Beautiful frosty mint luster.
PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 509916.

Pattern Dollar Signed by the Legendary Engraver "L. Giorgi"



REPUBLIC GENERAL ISSUES

421 **Pattern Dollar, ND (1914).** L&M-859; K-642a; KM-Pn28; Wenchao-pg. 533#856; WS-0095. Silver. Signed "L. Giorgi". Superb strike with beautiful light iridescent toning and stunning luster. Prooflike. Exceptionally choice and highly appealing.

PCGS SP-65 Secure Holder.....\$50,000-\$60,000
PCGS# 167948.



REPUBLIC GENERAL ISSUES

422 Dollar, ND (1924). L&M-865; K-683; WS-0107. Tuan Chi-jui. Commemorates the "Peaceful Unification" of China.
PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder. \$4000-\$6000
 PCGS# 116591.



PROVINCIAL ISSUES

425 Anhwei. 7 Mace 2 Candareens (Dollar), ND (1897). L&M-195; K-49; Y-45; WS-1071. Single circular chopmark present on the reverse field, overall a wholesome example.
PCGS Genuine—
Chopmark, VF Details Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 151727.



423 Dollar, ND (1916). L&M-942; K-663; Y-332; WS-0097. Yuan Shih-kai as Hung Hsien. Some minor evidence of cleaning, though overall an attractive Flying Dragon type.
PCGS Genuine—
Cleaning, AU Details Secure Holder. \$2500-\$3500
 PCGS# 168055.



426 Anhwei. 3 Mace 6 Candareens (50 Cents), Year 24 (1898). L&M-200; K-58; Y-44.1; WS-1077. "A.S.T.C." in field. Toned.
PCGS VF-30 Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 390474.



424 Dollar, ND (1916). L&M-942; K-663; Y-332; WS-0097. Yuan Shih-kai as Hung Hsien. Scratch on the obverse right field, though overall a wholesome example.
PCGS Genuine—
Scratch, AU Details Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 168055.



427 Chihli (Pei Yang Arsenal). 7 Mace 2 Candareens (Dollar), Year 23 (1897). L&M-444; K-186; Y-65.1; WS-0610. Long horn dragon. Some evidence of repair.
PCGS Genuine—
Repaired, AU Details Secure Holder. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 171183.



PROVINCIAL ISSUES

428 **Fengtien. Dollar, Year 24 (1898).** L&M-471; K-244; Y-87; WS-0583. Narrow mouth Dragon. Previously cleaned, now toning.

PCGS Genuine—
Cleaning, EF Details Secure Holder..... \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 163436.



431 **Fukien. Dollar, ND (1844).** L&M-291; K-6; WS-1029; Wencho-pg. 185#200 (rarity four stars). Changchow Military Ration. VERY RARE. Remarkably free of chopmarks, which are common for this issue. Nice strike. Dark patina and very attractive.

PCGS Genuine—Environmental Damage,
EF Details Secure Holder..... \$3000-\$5000
PCGS# 364004.



429 **Fengtien. 50 Cents, Year 24 (1898).** L&M-473; K-245; Y-86; WS-0586. Wide mustache. Needle sharp strike. Toned.

PCGS AU-50 Secure Holder. \$2000-\$3000
PCGS# 151913.



432 **Hunan. Tael, ND (1906).** L&M-386; K-942; Hsu-208; WS-0907. Nice strike. A very attractive example.

PCGS AU-53 Secure Holder. \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 435354.



430 **Fengtien. 50 Cents, Year 24 (1898).** L&M-473; K-245; Y-86; WS-0586. Wide mustache. Some evidence of cleaning, though a wholesome example.

PCGS Genuine—
Cleaning, EF Details Secure Holder..... \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 151913.



433 **Kansu. Dollar, Year 17 (1928).** L&M-618; K-760; Y-410; WS-0720. Very scarce. A faint "2" is visible on either side of the bust, most likely due to an India ink brush which applied enough pressure to move the metal.

PCGS Genuine—
Graffiti, EF Details Secure Holder..... \$10,000-\$15,000
PCGS# 115724.

High Grade Ornamental Edge Old Kiangnan Dollar



PROVINCIAL ISSUES

434 Kiangnan. 7 Mace 2 Candareens (Dollar), ND (1898). L&M-210a; K-66d; Y-145.1; WS-0786. Some die cracks within the obverse legend at 11 o'clock, which serves to add an interesting marker for this piece. Sharply struck with excellent toning. Highly attractive and an excellent example of this RARE and highly sought after type.

PCGS AU-58 Secure Holder. \$15,000-\$20,000
 PCGS# 515440.



435 Kirin. 7 Mace 2 Candareens (Dollar), ND (1898). L&M-510; K-283k; Y-183; WS-0360. Fiery pearl has eight flames, tail has seven spikes. Nice old toning.

NGC EF-45. \$1500-\$2000

436 Kirin. 7 Mace 2 Candareens (Dollar), CD (1900). L&M-526; K-398; Y-183a; WS-0420. Large Yin-yang, figure eight within. Attractive light toning.

NGC EF-45. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 395413.



PROVINCIAL ISSUES

437 Kirin. 7 Mace 2 Candareens (Dollar), CD (1900). L&M-526; K-398; Y-183a; WS-0420. Large Yin-yang. Abnormally high wear on the normally weakly struck Fieri pearl. Scratches on pearl.

PCGS Genuine—
Damage, VF Details Secure Holder..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 395413.



438 Kirin. 7 Mace 2 Candareens (Dollar), CD (1900). L&M-531; K-397; Y-183; WS-0408. Some evidence of rim filing. Somewhat weakly struck, though a toned and whole-some piece.

PCGS Genuine—
Filed Rims, EF Details Secure Holder..... \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 142868.



439 Kweichow. Auto Dollar, Year 17 (1928). L&M-609; K-757; Y-428; WS-1109. Two blades of grass. Light scratch on obverse field, better than normal strike. Some light toning. Lustrous and attractive.

PCGS Genuine—
Scratch, AU Details Secure Holder..... \$7000-\$10,000
PCGS# 115780.



440 Kweichow. Auto Dollar, Year 17 (1928). L&M-609; K-757; Y-428; WS-1109. Two blades of grass. Some evidence of cleaning. Light toning,

PCGS Genuine—
Cleaning, VF Details Secure Holder. \$2500-\$3500
PCGS# 115780.



441 Sinkiang. Mace, AH 1310 (1893/2). Kashgar (Kashi) Mint. cf.L&M-686; K-1044a; Y-A16. RARE. Some damage apparent on obverse. Sharply struck. Toned.

PCGS Genuine—
Damage, EF Details Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 534793.



442 Taiwan. 2,000 Yuan, Year 54 (1965). Fr-15; L&M-1040; Y-542. Commemorating the 100th anniversary of the birth of Sun Yat-sen.

NGC MS-63..... \$1200-\$1400
PCGS# 171418.



443 Taiwan. 2,000 Yuan, Year 55 (1966). Fr-17; L&M-1042; Y-544. Struck to commemorate the 80th birthday of Chiang Kai-shek.

NGC MS-64..... \$1200-\$1400
PCGS# 163996.

PROVINCIAL ISSUES

444 **Provincial Crowns & Minors, ca. 1898-1970.** Approximately 81 pieces in lot. Comprised of coins struck in silver, copper, copper-nickel, brass and a few in aluminum. Strong in pieces from Sinkiang and Kwangtung from both the Empire and Republic periods. Also includes a few Soviet and Japanese puppet state issues. With several mints state if more common coins. Some pieces with cleaning or minor corrosion but predominately wholesome and attractive. Retail value of about \$1,500. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.
VERY FINE-UNCIRCULATED..... \$700-\$1000



SOVIET ISSUES

445 **Szechuan-Shensi Soviet. Dollar, ND (1934).** L&M-891; K-808d; Y-513.5. Well struck for type. A few minor deposits, otherwise a high grade and highly attractive coin.

PCGS AU-53 Secure Holder..... \$6000-\$8000
 PCGS# 141938.



MODERN CHINESE COINS

446 **10 Yuan, 1983. Panda Series.** KM-67; PAN-11a.
NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO..... \$2000-\$3000
 PCGS# 389077. NGC ID: 408013.



447 **10 Yuan, 1984. Panda Series.** KM-87; PAN-19a.
NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO..... \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 144007. NGC ID: 408024.



448 **10 Yuan, 1985. Panda Series.** KM-114; PAN-27a.
NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO..... \$800-\$1200
 PCGS# 389078. NGC ID: 408033.



449 **50 Yuan Piefort, 1991. Panda Series.** 1 oz. Fr-B10; KM-357; PAN-158a. 10th year anniversary commemorative.
NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO..... \$2000-\$3000
 PCGS# 146115. NGC ID: 408192.



450 **500 Yuan, 2014. Hard mirror fields with frosted cameo devices.**
PCGS MS-70. First Strike..... \$1250-\$1400
 PCGS# 522061.



451 **10 Yuan, 1983. Lunar Series, Year of the Pig.** KM-73.
PCGS PROOF-68 DEEP CAMEO
Secure Holder..... \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 396668.



CHINA

MODERN CHINESE COINS

- 452 **Bronze Age Archaeological Finds Gold Proof Set, 1981.** Fr-9/12; KM-PS8. 4 pieces in set. Includes: 200 to 800 Yuan.
NGC PROOF-65 ULTRA CAMEO, PROOF-67 ULTRA CAMEO (2) & PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO..... \$13,000-\$16,000
- 453 **100 Yuan, 1987. Zhan Tianyou.** KM-177. Struck to commemorate the 125th anniversary of Zhan Tianyou's birth. With case of issue and certificate of authenticity.
PCGS PROOF-68 DEEP CAMEO Secure Holder..... \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 511227.



- 454 **50 Yuan, 1993. KM-79. Marco Polo.** 700th anniversary of the return of Marco Polo commemorative. From a mintage of 1,500 pieces.
NGC PROOF-66 CAMEO.....\$900-\$1200



COLOMBIA

455 2 Escudos Cob, ND (ca. 1694-1713). Charles II (1665-1700). Fr-8; KM-14.2; Cal-Type 4. Full cross on reverse. Nice luster.

PCGS AU-55..... \$700-\$900

PCGS# 397009.



456 Escudo, ND (1715-46). Philip V (1701-46). Fr-9; KM-22; Restrepo-M78. Full cross on reverse.

NGC VF-30..... \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 745594.

Ex: Lasser Collection.



457 4 Escudos, ND (1755-56). Ferdinand VI (1746-59). Fr-12; KM-27; Restrepo-M96-9. RARE type. "4" and "S" to right of shield. Full cross and shield. Nice round thick flan.

NGC VF-35..... \$2000-\$3000

Lot 458

UNIQUE Discovery Date Nuevo Reino (Bogota Mint) Pillar Dollar



COLOMBIA

458 8 Reales, 1760/59-NRJV. Charles III (1759-88). KM-39 (for type, unknown date); FC-unknown; Cal-Type-108 (unknown date); cf. Gil-SF-8-2 (unknown date); Restrepo-Type-44 (unknown date). UNIQUE discovery coin. The fact that pillar dollars were minted at the Nuevo Reino Mint (Bogota) in 1760 has been known through numismatic literature for quite some time. Page 50 of A. M. Barriga Villalba's reference "Historia de las Casa de Moneda" states that in 1760, 2,008 Marcos, 6 Onzas, and 0 Ochavas of silver were minted in the form of Pesos (8 Reales), 1 Reales, Medio (1/2 Reales) and Cuartillas (1/4 Reales). However, it is unknown how this is broken down for each of the corresponding denominations. The existence of minor coinage dated 1760 has been known to the numismatic community for quite some time. Approximately a dozen examples of 1760 1 Reales are known, while the 1/2 Real remains unique. The 1/4 Reales it is a different matter, as the Colombian dies for the Cuartillas denomination did not contain a date at this time. Furthermore, Cuartillas were struck each consecutive year from 1759-1771 (with the exception of possibly 1770); therefore, assigning a specific date to them is not possible. Previous to the discovery of this coin, only three dates were known of Pillar 8 Reales produced by the Nuevo Reino Mint (1759, 1762 and 1770). It is estimated that approximately 15 examples of the 1759 8 Reales are known today (See Restrepo pg.113), although this number may be as high as 20. Of the 1762 8 Reales, only two examples can be confirmed, one of which (Restrepo and Barriga Villalba plate coin) is housed in the Museum of the Casa de Moneda Bogota. The second example (Ex: Don Domingo de Irigoyen, Ex: Don Canaparo and Gilboy plate coin) was sold by Numismatica Ars Classica in March of 2002, Auction #22, lot #334 where it hammered for 260,000 Swiss Francs. There are rumors that a third example may exist, however this remains unconfirmed. In regards to the 1770 8 Reales, there are approximately 12 to 14 pieces known (Restrepo pg.120), all of which were found in the corner stone of a Church in Bogota in 2006. Prior to this discovery, 8 Reales dated 1770 were unknown to numismatists, even though there is a known mintage of 289 Marcos, 6 Onzas, and 0 Ochavas (see Barriga Villalba pg. 50). Unlike the Spanish Colonial mints located at Mexico City, Potosi, Bolivia and Lima, Peru, the mint of Nuevo Reino was not known for large outputs of silver coinage. All Colombian silver from this period was minted in small quantities and should be considered RARE. Unlike Mexico, Bolivia, and Peru, which were rich with silver mines, Colombia was not. To the contrary, the mines in Colombia were abundant with gold from which silver was a byproduct. Most of the silver coinage produced at the Nuevo Reino mint was a result of excess metal that was extracted while refining gold. When enough slag silver was extracted, it was then collected and made into coinage. For this reason there are large gaps in the dates that 8 Reales were minted. It is interesting to note that mintage figures do exist, stating that 8 Reales were produced in 1756 and 1761, however no example are known to have survived today. The unique 1760 8 Reales offered here features a few interesting and distinct features. First and foremost the piece exhibits a clear overdate 1760/59 (the only known overdate for a Colombian Pillar 8 Reales). While there are multiple dies known for the 1759, the pillar side die is an exact die match to lot #296 in the July 1996 Bonhams auction of the Alexander Patterson Collection. The assayers initials on the 1760 are arranged "JV" similar to that of the 1759 Nuevo Reino 8 Reales of Ferdinand VI. For all other Nuevo Reino 8 Reales of Charles III (1762 and 1770), the assayers letters are arranged "VJ", showing in the opposite order. The pillar side die features yet another variant with a large "V" in the spelling of the kings name "CAROLVS", rather than "CAROLUS" as found in 1762 and 1770. A remarkable and UNIQUE discovery piece that is sure to be one of the centerpieces of its new owner's collection.

NGC AU-58 **\$70,000-\$90,000**
 PCGS# 717467.



COLOMBIA

459 8 Escudos, 1770-J. Popayan Mint. Fr-24; KM-38.2.
PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder. \$2500-\$3500
PCGS# 230189.



463 8 Escudos, 1818-NRJE. Ferdinand VII (1808-24).
Fr-60; KM-66.1. NGC AU-55..... \$1400-\$1600
PCGS# 14906.



460 8 Escudos, 1782-NRJJ. Charles III (1759-88). Fr-35;
KM-50.1. Nice strike. NGC AU-55. \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 230225.



COOK ISLANDS

464 200 Dollars, 2003. 2 oz. KM-unlisted. Commemorating
the "275th Anniversary of the Birth of Captain Cook".
NGC MS-69. \$2400-\$2800
PCGS# 470657.



461 8 Escudos, 1783NR-JJ. Charles III (1759-88). Fr-35;
KM-50.1. Cleaned. Nice strike.
NGC EF Details—Surface Hairlines. \$1200-\$1400
PCGS# 230227.



COSTA RICA

465 8 Escudos, 1828-CRF. Fr-1; KM-17. Obverse showing
moderate even circulation, with some details of sun face
still present. Well struck with full and bold denomination
"8-E". Some softness of strike in the leaves as usual for type.
An affordable example of this scarce type coin. Purple-red
toning.
NGC EF Details—
Excessive Surface Hairlines. \$3500-\$5000
PCGS# 110221.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates January 2010 Auction Lot #7080.



462 8 Escudos, 1788P-SF. Charles III (1759-88). Fr-36;
KM-50.2a. Lustrous and attractive.
NGC EF-45. \$1300-\$1500
PCGS# 134825.



COSTA RICA

466 8 Escudos, 1828-F. Fr-1; KM-17. Mintage of only 5,302 pieces. Field scratches on the reverse.

NGC EF Details—

Removed From Jewelry, Damaged..... \$3000-\$4000

PCGS# 272719.



467 8 Reales, 1831-CRE. KM-22. Very scarce one year only type coin. RARE single letter "E" assayer letter. Well struck obverse with full sun face and bold rays over mountains. Reverse well struck for type, showing only slight weakness in the tree and denomination. Light gold and grey toning.

NGC EF-45. \$2500-\$3500

PCGS# 272657.

468 8 Reales, 1831-CRE. KM-22. Very scarce one year type coin. A well struck example, showing some typical weakness in the tree. Some light areas of encrustation. Cleaned at one time, presumably as an attempt to remove further deposits. Some light evidence of old ink staining on the reverse. A small punch mark or test punch is noted between the words "CRESCA" and "FECUNDO" on the reverse, similar to that found on the 1841-1842 Costa Rican Carillo cut and countermarked coinage. The 1841-1842 Carillo cut and countermarked coinage all bear a small punch or test mark strategically placed within the legends. It is possible, however theoretical, that the punch mark on this coin is the result of part of that process. It is possible that before a cut segment and countermark was applied to this coin, it was realized that the host was a proper Costa Rican coin and in effect, improper to regulate ones own federal coinage with. Although the NGC holder notes repaired, one struggles to see any real issue other than simple cleaning. RARE and very interesting.

NGC EF Details—Repaired..... \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 272657.



469 8 Reales, 1831-CRE. KM-22. Very scarce one year only type coin. The obverse is well struck with good details in the sun and mountains, while the reverse is a little soft struck on the tree. That being said, the denomination is unusually bold and well struck. Cleaned at one time, now toned.

NGC VF Details—Surface Hairlines..... \$800-\$1200

PCGS# 272657.



COSTA RICA

470 8 Escudos, 1833-CRF. Fr-1; KM-17. Remarkably well struck obverse with full and bold sun face, rays and mountain range. A few light scattered marks, otherwise semi problem free obverse that displays very well. The reverse is equally well struck, exhibiting a bold and defined tree with full leaves. Light scrapes and hairlines on the reverse, suggesting slide contact with an abrasive surface. Otherwise, high grade and attractive.

NGC AU Details—Surface Hairlines. \$7000-\$10,000

PCGS# 110222.

471 4 Reales, 1841-2. KM-unlisted (see KM-15 for basic type). Countermarked on a Potosi Bolivia 4 Reales 1820. Initial Carillo test punch at 5 o'clock on reverse. Type I Carillo countermark, radiate star within circle. Holed with plug of silver removed as standard for issue. A VERY RARE denomination for the cut and countermarked Carillo series of Costa Rica. Toned.

NGC FINE-12..... \$1500-\$2500



472 4 Reales on a Re-Validated Bolivian 3 3/4 Real, 1846. cf.KM-50/2 (for basic type). UNIQUE. Type IV Costa Rican countermark applied to a Bolivian cob 4 Reales. The host coin had been previously revalued to 3 3/4 Reales with a type KK "crowned L" countermark, nearly two hundred years earlier in ca.1650-52 (C-17.3). The countermarks applied to this coin tell an incredibly interesting story, an almost unbelievable testament to this coin's life as a piece of circulating money. The initial host coin is a Spanish Colonial 4 Reales, struck at the mint of Potosi Bolivia in the late 1640's. During this period the Potosi mint underwent a massive investigation concerning the debasement of its coinage, prompting a visit by the Royal Inspector Don Francisco de Nestares Marin, under the orders of King Philip IV of Spain. The investigation was prompted after other countries began to no longer accept coinage from the Potosi mint in trade, as they were found to be of substantially debased silver. In fact, due to this debasement, countries like the Netherlands began countermarking other cob coinage with the Order of the Golden Fleece, assuring the correctness of the metal content. Upon the completion of the investigation at the Potosi mint in 1649, it was concluded that coinage leaving the mint was in fact of insufficient metallic content and debased. Based on these findings, a number of mint officials were found guilty and persecuted. The mint treasurers, silver buyers and assayers were either hung, beheaded or put in prison. To distinguish the new coinage of good metallic content from the old the coinage that was debased, the overall design of new coinage was totally modified. The old "cross and shield" design was replaced with "pillar and waves". As a part of the reform on October 1, 1650, all Potosi 4 and 8 Reales coinage struck over the previous 25 years was ordered to be countermarked and devalued. The old 8 Reales were to be countermarked and devalued to 7 1/2 Reales while the 4 Reales were devalued to 3 3/4 Reales, hence the crowned "L" countermark applied to this coin. The coins were then allowed to circulate for a period of a few years, at the end of which they were ordered to all be melted down. The reason for not immediately withdrawing them from circulation to be melted, was to avoid a massive coinage shortage. In fact, most of the devalued coinage was melted down and re-coined. Most surviving examples come from shipwreck finds, such as the "La Capitana", where the cargo was en-route to Spain to be melted down. That being said, this coin should have been melted down in the mid 1600's. The miraculous factor is that somehow, this coin was still in circulation in Central America in the mid 1800's. It was then countermarked with type IV 1846 Costa Rican dies and re-validated once more, raising the value from 3 3/4 Reales back to that of the initial 4 Reales. A small assay mark is also noted at 11 O'clock, presumably this was done prior to the Costa Rican countermark as a result of testing the metal prior to countermarking. The fact that this coin exists at all, with both Bolivian and Costa Rican countermarks nearly two hundred years apart is mind baffling, and should be considered a total anomaly. UNIQUE and one of the most interesting countermarks this cataloger has had the privilege of attributing.

NGC FINE-15..... \$5000-\$7000

PCGS# 739887.



COSTA RICA

473 **8 Reales, Authorized October 15, 1846.** KM-59; Gurdian-pg. 64 Type IX; Resellos de Costa Rica-pg. 27 Type 4. Type V countermark. On a 1753-J Guatemala "Pillar" cob 8 Reales. The type V countermark used both the obverse die of the Central American Republic (CAR - Costa Rica) 1846 1/2 Escudo and a small circular punch containing an "8" with a smaller "8R" over it. The Reverse die is the typical CAR Cieba tree design except the "2R" is quite a bit larger taking up most of the fields, the legend differs and only the Assayer's letter's are present. These countermarks were applied only to silver coins and are quite scarce on 8 and 4 Reales. Lightly gilt and cleaned with the host coin being holed as is typical of the type. Countermark

VERY FINE, host coin FAIR. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 739907.



474 **1/16 Peso, 1850-NJ.** KM-101. A very high grade with only two higher. Sharp struck with lovely light purple toning over highly reflective surfaces. **VERY RARE** in this state of preservation.

NGC MS-63. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 752809.
Ex: Whittier Collection.



475 **10 Pesos, 1870-GW.** Fr-11; KM-115. Scarce three year type coin. Light evidence of die clash as normally found on this date. Well struck in the centers with good details on central shield.

NGC AU-55. \$800-\$1200
 PCGS# 240361.



476 **50 Centavos Pattern, 18xx (1873).** Brass. **VERY RARE** unlisted pattern. Reeded edge. Of a similar design to the gold coinage of 1873, but of an unadopted design for this denomination. Possibly a proposed pattern for the 1876-1879 era for which no 50 Centavos were produced. A few carbon spots. Mildly toned with strong luster.

NGC MS-60. \$3500-\$5000



477 **5 Pesos, 1873-GW.** Fr-13; KM-117. Scarce two year type with the denomination, "CINCO PESOS" and small bow on wreath. Lightly toned with strong luster throughout, slight weakness to lower left of reverse. In an older generation NGC holder.

NGC AU-55. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 240358.



478 **5 Pesos, 1873-GW.** Fr-18; KM-118. **RARE** one year type with the denomination, "5 PESOS". A well struck and pleasing example.

NGC AU-58. \$1500-\$2500
 PCGS# 240360.



479 **10 Centavos, 1889. Heaton Mint.** KM-129. **VERY RARE** Heaton Mint Specimen. A beautiful specimen, lightly toned over flashing semi proof surfaces. Tied with one other piece as the second finest certified, with two finer by only one point.

NGC SP-66. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 223947.



COSTA RICA

480 20 Colones, 1899. Fr-19; KM-141. A well struck example, showing only light contact marks. A very lustrous and attractive example of this three year only type.

NGC MS-63. \$800-\$1200
PCGS# 211514.



481 20 Colones, 1899. Fr-19; KM-141. An attractive example with full luster. Some light scattered contact marks. Three year only type coin.

NGC MS-62. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 211514.



482 10 Centavos Pattern, 1917-GCR. Brass. An unlisted and VERY RARE pattern for the one year type with "GCR" to right of axis. Beautiful deep toning displaying blue, magenta and golden hues. Only the second example we are aware of. Originally this piece was enclosed in an envelope from "CORRESPONDENCIA PARTICULAR DEL SECRETARIO DE ESTADO EN EL DESPACHO DE HACIENDA Y COMERCIO", with a letter enclosed stating "Specimen coin of copper and tin fabricated in the Costa Rican mint, sent to the Government board to choose which to put to circulation, San Jose October 29, 1917" and "First coins minted at the Costa Rican mint the day of September 12, 1917 after the re-establishment of the mint."

NGC PROOF-63. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 211536.



483 25 Centimos Pattern, 1946. KM-unlisted. Brass. VERY RARE unlisted pattern of proposed metallic composition. Reeded edge. Mildly toned with strong underlying luster.

NGC PROOF-64. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 732919.



484 25 Centimos Pattern, 1946. KM-unlisted. Copper-nickel. VERY RARE unlisted pattern of proposed metallic composition. Flashing proof fields give a nearly cameo effect to the devices.

NGC PROOF-64. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 732920.



485 25 Centimos Piefort, 1946. KM-P7. Copper-nickel. A bright and lustrous example. Hairline die crack at 2 o'clock of reverse. VERY RARE. From a reported mintage of only 50 pieces.

NGC PROOF-60. \$800-\$1200
PCGS# 732920.



CROATIA

486 **Zara. 18 Francs 40 Centimes, 1813.** Dav-47; KM-4. Issued during the French occupation of the city (1807-13). Small obverse stamp. Scattered handling marks and a few small rim bumps. Nicely toned.
 NGC VF-30..... \$3500-\$5000
 PCGS# 989076.



CUBA

487 **Peso Pattern in Copper, 1898.** KM-PnB10. Struck by the Gorham & Company March 9th, 1898. EXTREMELY RARE. Attractive chocolate brown patina.
 PCGS SP-58 BN Secure Holder. \$10,000-\$12,000
 PCGS# 268969.



488 **40 Centavos, 1915.** KM-14. Mintage of only 100 pieces. High relief star which exhibits clear definition in the valleys between the arms of the star and the key and palm tree on the reverse are also well struck. Attractive iridescent toning. NGC PROOF-62. \$1000-\$1200
 PCGS# 135787.



489 **Peso, 1915.** Fr-7; KM-16. A sharply struck superb gem.
 PCGS MS-66 Secure Holder. \$600-\$750
 PCGS# 135826.



490 **20 Pesos, 1915.** Fr-1; KM-21.
 NGC MS-61. \$1200-\$1500
 PCGS# 136901. NGC ID: 354700.

Serial Number 32 Gold Ducat



CZECHOSLOVAKIA

491 Ducat, 1923. Fr-3; KM-7. VERY RARE. With serial number 32. From a mintage of only 1,000 pieces. A minor patch of blood red toning appears on the lower portion of the reverse. Otherwise, this piece displays absolute brilliance and a superb strike. Tied with two other pieces in this grade, with only one other piece certified higher (MS-66) at both NGC and PCGS.

NGC MS-65. \$12,000-\$16,000
PCGS# 234571.



492 2 Dukaty, 1923. Fr-1; KM-9. Mintage of only 4,000 pieces. Exceptionally choice.
PCGS MS-65 Secure Holder. \$1500-\$1700
PCGS# 138631.



493 2 Dukatu, 1929. Fr-1; KM-9. Mintage of only 3,262 pieces. A bright and attractive example.
NGC MS-63. \$2000-\$3000
PCGS# 274501.



CZECHOSLOVAKIA

494 **5 Dukatu, 1929.** Fr-8; Bruce-M9. Millennium of Christianity in Bohemia commemorative. Sharply struck with frosty mint luster.

PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 274552.



498 **5 Dukatu, 1932.** Fr-5; KM-13. Mintage of only 1,827 pieces. Sharply struck with satiny surfaces.

PCGS MS-65 Secure Holder. \$3500-\$5000
 PCGS# 138654.



495 **5 Dukatu, 1929.** Fr-5; KM-13. Mintage of only 1,827 pieces. Scarce and very visually appealing. A highly collectible type featuring the Duke Wenceslas (Vaclav) on horseback.

ANACS MS-64. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 274512.



499 **Ducat, 1933.** Fr-12; Bruce-15. Struck to commemorate the death of Dr. Antonin Svehla. Mintage of only 1,000 pieces.

NGC MS-64. \$600-\$700
 PCGS# 418310.



500 **5 Dukatu, 1933.** Fr-5; KM-13. Mintage of only 1,752 pieces. Nice and bright example of this popular type.

NGC MS-62. \$2000-\$2500
 PCGS# 274516.



496 **10 Dukatu, 1929.** Fr-4; KM-14. Mintage of only 1,564 pieces. Bright and highly appealing.

NGC MS-64. \$3000-\$4000
 PCGS# 274523.



501 **10 Dukatu, 1933.** Fr-4; KM-14. Mintage of only 1,780 pieces. Choice and attractive with an abundance of luster.

NGC MS-64. \$3500-\$5000
 PCGS# 274527.



497 **2 Dukatu, 1932.** Fr-1; KM-9. Bright and lustrous with good eye appeal.

NGC MS-63. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 4964. NGC ID: 194964.



CZECHOSLOVAKIA

502 **2 Dukaty, 1935.** Fr-1; KM-9. Scarce date. Mintage of only 2,577 pieces. Sharply struck and attractive.

PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 138638.



503 **5 Dukatu, 1978.** Fr-20; Bruce-M30. Commemorating the 600th anniversary of the death of Charles IV.

ANACS MS-66..... \$900-\$1200

PCGS# 426833.



504 **10 Dukatu, 1978.** Fr-19; Bruce-M31. Commemorating the 600th anniversary of the death of Charles IV. Brilliant and attractive. Exceptionally choice.

NGC MS-67. \$2000-\$2500

PCGS# 426834.



CZECH REPUBLIC

505 **10,000 Korun, 1996.** Fr-1; KM-21. Lion holding the Prague Groschen. Finest certified. Only NGC specimen of this date graded. Mintage of only 1,251 pieces.

NGC MS-67. \$1700-\$1900

PCGS# 433403.



506 **10,000 Korun, 2012.** Fr-unlisted; KM-134. Struck to commemorate the 800th anniversary of the issuance of the Golden Bull of Sicily. In original case of issue with certificate of authenticity.

BRILLIANT PROOF..... \$1300-\$1500



DAHOMEY

507 **10,000 Francs, 1971.** Fr-2; KM-8. Mintage of only 479 pieces. 10th anniversary of Independence commemorative.

PCGS PROOF-65 DEEP CAMEO

Secure Holder. \$1300-\$1600

PCGS# 787447.



DANISH WEST INDIES

508 **4 Daler (20 Franc), 1904.** Fr-2; KM-72; Sieg-31; H-30.

NGC MS-64. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 311680.



DENMARK

509 **Speciedaler, 1834-IC FF.** KM-695.1; Sieg-30.4; H-26D. Scarce in this grade and the finest certified for the date at either NGC or PCGS. Light attractive toning.

NGC MS-62. \$1000-\$1200

PCGS# 853645.



DENMARK

510 **2 Frederik d'Or, 1838-FF.** Fr-291; KM-713.1; Sieg-36.1; H-5a. Very scarce type. Nice strike with sharp detail.

PCGS AU-55 Secure Holder. \$1800-\$2200
PCGS# 172755.

511 **Mixed Minors, ca. 1874-1996.** Approximately 300 pieces in lot. Includes: 1 to 25 Ore. Comprised of examples of each denomination and nearly every date issued. Includes scarce dates from the 19th century, as well as different varieties in which some denominations were struck. A well attributed and organized collection. Predominately wholesome, with only minor surface issues arising from circulation. Some duplication as would be expected with an offering of this scope. Retail value in excess of \$2,700.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.

VERY FINE-

BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED...... \$1000-\$1500

512 **Kroner Coinage, ca. 1875-2000.** Approximately 180 pieces in lot. Includes: 1/2 Krone to 200 Kroner. Comprised of examples of each denomination for nearly every date issued. Comprised of scarce early date silver 1 and 2 Kroners as well as brilliant modern commemoratives. A well attributed and sorted collection. Predominately wholesome, with only minor surface issues arising from circulation of a few pieces. Some duplication as would be expected with an offering of this scope. Retail value in excess of \$2,500.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.

FINE-BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED. \$1000-\$1500



DOMINICA

513 **8 Shillings 3 Pence (11 Bits), ND (ca. 1770-72).** Prid-16. Type IV style heart cut from a 1768-Mo 8 Reales. Well done with textured border of heart complete. Attractive old cabinet style toning. Remarkably choice for this type.

PCGS EF-45...... \$3500-\$5000



DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

514 **250 Pesos, 1979.** 0.8999 oz. Fr-5; KM-56. Commemorating the visit of the Pope John Paul II to Dominican Republic.

NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1200-\$1400
PCGS# 225294.

The First Decimal Crown of Ecuador Tied for Finest Certified by NGC



ECUADOR

515 5 Francos, 1858-GJ. KM-39; Y-13; Seppa-EC-73; Carr-64; EL-2. Quito Mint. VERY SCARCE and popular one year type. Designed by local Ecuadorian artist Emilia Rivadaneira as marked with small capital letter "E.R." below bust. Emilia was the sister of Manuel Rivadaneira who received the contract for the first Ecuadorian Postage Stamp. The idea for instituting a new decimal coinage system was presented to congress in November of 1856 with the idea of replacing the old debased real system. By article 5 a fixed period of two years was set for instituting the new decimal system (From October 15th 1858, or sooner if possible). The budget for 1857 provided 18,000 pesos, 8,000 pesos of which was intended for development of the mint. In accordance with the decree, in state offices 5 Francos pieces were to be accepted and paid out at 10 Reales of the decimal system or at 9 of the base coinage. This proved highly ineffective as the official rate often differed from that found in the marketplace. Hence 5 Francos circulated in the Imbabura market at the rate of 10 Reales, while the capital accepted them at 9, and in Guayaquil they were being accepted at 8. This caused severe damage to the economy of Ecuador and was disastrous with foreign trade. According to Carbo 14,259 pesos of silver coins were struck in 1858, presumably these are 5 Francos since no other coins were minted this year. On March 22nd of the following year a massive earthquake occurred in Ecuador. Serious damage was caused throughout the city of Quito, including what Architect Melvin Hoyos Galaza described as "The end of the Quito Mint". The damage to the mint was so severe that it was not repaired until 1861 by an 8000 peso loan advanced by the Banco Particular. For more information see "A Numismatic History of Ecuador" by: Michael Anderson. Chapter 7 of his book meticulously discusses the first decimalization. Tied with one other example for finest certified by NGC. Remarkably choice and a truly exceptional example of this highly desirable low mintage one year type. The first decimal crown of Ecuador. NGC MS-65..... **\$10,000-\$15,000**

PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 287804.



ECUADOR

516 1/2 Sucre, 1884-H. Heaton Mint. KM-52. Very scarce and RARE in this high grade. Nice strike. Toned.
 NGC AU-58. \$1200-\$1600
 PCGS# 749154



EL SALVADOR

520 4 Reales, (1828-F). Provisional Issue. KM-8.2. RARE denomination, uneven crude strike as usual. Toned.
 NGC VG-10. \$1000-\$1200
 PCGS# 212533.



EGYPT

517 500 Piastres, AH 1340//1922 (1922). Fr-26; KM-342. Yellow gold. Mirror reflective surfaces. Sharply struck features. Light orange peel toning. Highly attractive.
 NGC PROOF-63 CAMEO. \$3000-\$4000
 PCGS# 502727.



521 2 1/2 Pesos, 1892-CAM. Fr-4; KM-116. One year type with a mintage of only 597 pieces. Nice strike. Attractive luster.
 NGC AU-58. \$1700-\$2000
 PCGS# 292133. NGC ID: 292133.
 EX: Eric Newman Collection.



518 500 Piastres, AH 1340//1922 (1922). Fr-26; KM-342. Yellow gold. Faint toning around characters. Some minor contact marks. Reflective surfaces and bright gold luster.
 NGC AU-58. \$2000-\$2500
 PCGS# 948831.



522 20 Pesos, 1892. Fr-1; KM-119. VERY RARE one year type. Mintage of only 300 pieces.
 NGC AU-55. \$7000-\$9000
 PCGS# 248047.



519 500 Piastre, 1938. Fr-35; KM-373. Struck to commemorate the Royal wedding.
 NGC PROOF-62. \$3000-\$4000
 PCGS# 948916.



ETHIOPIA

523 400 Birr Piefort, EE 1972 (1980). Fr-41; KM-P2. Commemorating the international year of the child. Deep mirror fields with frosted devices.
 NGC PROOF-69. \$1600-\$2000
 PCGS# 426635.



FINLAND

524 100 Markkaa, 1926-S. Fr-8; KM-28; Sieg-83. Scarce one year type. Lustrous with nice satiny surfaces. Tied for finest certified.

NGC MS-65. \$1500-\$1800
PCGS# 713166.



525 200 Markkaa, 1926-S. Fr-7; KM-29. Only year minted. Sharply struck and exceptionally choice.

PCGS MS-65 Secure Holder. \$2700-\$3000
PCGS# 147489.



FRANCE

526 Carolingians. AR Denier, ND (ca. 987-996). Hugh Capet (987-996). cf. Roberts-2251. Old cabinet tone.

PCGS AU-53. \$700-\$900



527 Ecu d'Or, ND (ca. 1328-50). Philippe VI de Valois (1328-50). Fr-270; Dupl-249; Ciani-282. Nice even strike. Attractive luster.

NGC MS-62. \$1900-\$2200
PCGS# 408254.



528 Mouton d'Or, ND (ca. 1340-64). Jean II LeBon (1350-64). Fr-280; Dup-291. Nice strike. Very attractive.

NGC AU-58. \$3000-\$3500
PCGS# 166910.



529 Ecu d'Or, ND (September 11, 1389). Toulouse Mint, 3rd emission. Charles VI (1380-1422). Fr-291; Dup-369b; Ciani-487. Sharply struck with attractive satiny surfaces. An exceptional example with good eye appeal.

NGC MS-63. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 168980.



530 Ecu d'Or a La Couronne, ND (1385). Cremieu Mint. Charles VI (1380-1422). Fr-291; Dup-369; Ciani-484. First emission. Well struck with attractive luster.

PCGS AU-58 Secure Holder. \$900-\$1100



531 Ecu d'Or, ND (ca. 1461-83). Bordeaux Mint. Louis XI (1461-83). Fr-312; Dupl-539a; Ciani-743. Bent and straightened, although not too bad looking.

NGC AU Details—Bent. \$600-\$700
PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 753216.



532 Ecu d'Or, 1568-A. Charles IX (1560-74). Fr-378. Crowned arms; Reverse: Floriated cross.

NGC AU-58. \$800-\$1000



FRANCE

533 Ecu d'Or, 1632-B. Louis XIII (1610-43). Fr-398; KM-51; Gad-55. Nice strike and attractive luster.
NGC MS-62..... \$900-\$1100
 PCGS# 259071.



537 1/2 Ecu, 1728-X. Amiens Mint. Louis XV (1715-74). KM-484.22; Gad-313. Sharply struck with lovely old cabinet toning.
NGC MS-63..... \$1000-\$1200
 PCGS# 852387.



534 1/2 Louis d'Or, 1641-A. Louis XIII (1610-43). Fr-410; KM-105; Gad-58. Sharply struck with attractive frosty luster, full mint brilliance, great eye appeal and an exceptional example of this type.
PCGS MS-63..... \$2000-\$3000
 PCGS# 165562.



538 2 Louis d'Or, 1786-A. Louis XVI (1774-93). Fr-474; KM-592.1; Gad-363. Attractive mint luster.
PCGS MS-61 Secure Holder..... \$1000-\$1200
 PCGS# 620041



535 Ecu, 1648-K. Bordeaux. Dav-3799; KM-155.9. Long-curl portrait of the Sun King as an 8 year-old. White as struck, with blazing luster. Combined PCGS/NGC pop one with only one finer in 64. A great strike.
NGC MS-63..... \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 160010.



539 30 Sols, 1792-I. Limoges Mint. KM-606.7; Gad-39. The finest certified Constitutional 30 Sols.
NGC MS-64..... \$500-\$700
 PCGS# 486678.



536 1/2 Ecu, 1695-X. Amiens Mint. Louis XIV (1643-1715). KM-295.22; Gad-185; Dup-1521a; DFW-260. Nice strike. Lustrous with peripheral toning. Visible traces of the 1/2 Ecu over which it was struck.
NGC MS-62..... \$1000-\$1200
 PCGS# 490555.



540 5 Franc, LAN 6 (1797-8). Bordeaux Mint. KM-639.5; Gad-563. A few light adjustment marks.
NGC AU-58..... \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 359524.



FRANCE

541 **Franc, AN 12-A (1803/4).** KM-648.1. A few light adjustment marks, lightly toned with hues of gold and lavender. Truly exceptional and a superb example of this popular type.

PCGS MS-66..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 151637.



542 **Franc, AN 12-A (1803/4).** KM-648.1. A few light adjustment marks on the obverse. Sharply struck. Lightly toned with iridescent highlights. Exceptionally choice.

PCGS MS-65+..... \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 151637.



543 **Franc, AN 12-A (1803/4).** KM-648.1. Minor adjustment marks on the obverse. Lightly toned. Bright natural luster and very sharp features.

PCGS MS-65..... \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 151637.



544 **20 Franc, 1807-A.** Fr-487a; KM-687.1. Droz and Tiolier portrait design. Non-wreath bare head type. Nice strike. Bright golden luster.

NGC MS-63..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 157295. NGC ID: 505270.



545 **20 Franc, 1812-A.** Fr-511; KM-695.1; Gad-1025. Nice satin luster on fields with only minimal contact marks.

NGC MS-64..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 157339. NGC ID: 509345.



546 **20 Franc, 1812-A.** Fr-511; KM-695.1; Gad-1025. Some light adjustment marks on rim. Good eye appeal with satiny luster.

PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder..... \$700-\$900
PCGS# 157339. NGC ID: 509345.



547 **20 Franc, 1814-A.** Fr-511; KM-695.1; Gad-1025. A sharply struck superb gem with frosty mint luster and exquisite eye appeal. This coin hammered at \$6,250 in our August, 2011 ANA auction.

PCGS MS-66..... \$4000-\$6000
PCGS# 157341.



548 **20 Franc, 1818-A. Paris Mint.** Fr-538; KM-712.1. Nice strike. Attractive satin luster.

NGC MS-63..... \$600-\$750
PCGS# 157478. NGC ID: 509431.



549 **20 Franc, 1850-A. Paris Mint.** Fr-566; KM-762. Bust of Ceres right. Finest certified. A highly attractive superb gem.

NGC MS-66..... \$1700-\$2000
PCGS# 509565. NGC ID: 509565.



550 **20 Franc, 1851-A. Paris Mint.** Fr-566; KM-762. RARE in this grade. Bust of Ceres right. Frosty surfaces. Light attractive toning. Exceptional quality.

NGC MS-66..... \$1400-\$1600
PCGS# 157681. NGC ID: 509566.



FRANCE

551 20 Franc, 1852-A. Paris Mint. Fr-568. One year type. Sharply struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-65. \$1100-\$1300

PCGS# 157686. NGC ID: 509569.



552 20 Centimes, 1856-A. Paris Mint. KM-778.1; Gad-305. Nicely toned.

NGC PROOF-66. \$400-\$600



553 50 Centimes, 1856-A. Paris Mint. KM-794.1; Gad-414. Nicely toned.

NGC PROOF-64. \$400-\$600



554 Franc, 1856-A. Paris Mint. KM-779.1; Gad-460. Nicely toned and highly attractive.

NGC PROOF-65. \$500-\$700



555 100 Franc, 1866-A. Fr-580; KM-802.1; Gad-1136. Lightly toned with nice luster.

NGC MS-62. \$2000-\$3000

PCGS# 158156.



556 100 Franc, 1866-A. Fr-580; KM-802.1; Gad-1136. Mintage of only 9,041 pieces.

PCGS AU-55 Secure Holder. \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 158156.



557 100 Franc, 1869-BB. Fr-581; KM-802.2; Gad-1136. Mintage of only 14,000 pieces.

PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$2500-\$3500

PCGS# 158167.



558 100 Franc, 1869-BB. Fr-581; KM-802.2; Gad-1136. Mintage of 14,000 pieces. Sharply struck.

NGC AU-58. \$2300-\$2700



559 50 Franc, 1878-A. Fr-591; KM-831; Gad-1113. Very scarce. Mintage of only 5,294 pieces.

PCGS AU-58 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 158091.



FRANCE

560 100 Franc, 1879-A. Paris Mint. Fr-590; KM-832; Gad-1137. Angel standing right, writing Constitution. Sharply struck. Attractive luster.

NGC MS-63. \$1900-\$2200
PCGS# 158184.



561 100 Franc, 1881-A. Fr-590; KM-832; Gad-1137.

PCGS MS-61 Secure Holder. \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 158185. NGC ID: 509884.

562 Six Piece Essai Set, 1881-A. 6 pieces in set. Comprised of one set of essais: 5, 10 and 25 Centimes, struck on round copper-nickel planchets (Maz-2245, 2249 & 2251); and one set of essais: 5, 10 and 20 Centimes, struck on dodecagonal copper-nickel planchets (Maz-2246, 2248 & 2250). Each type shares the same design for each side. Accompanied by the original plush case of issue. All lightly toned with highly lustrous surfaces. A very attractive evenly matched set.

PCGS SP-65 (2), SP-66 (3) & SP-67 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 73159.

563 Three Piece Essai Set, 1881-A. KM-E36; Gad-12.1, 27.1 & 58.2; Maz-2254, 2256 & 2257. 3 pieces in set. Includes: 5, 10 and 25 Centimes essais struck in copper-nickel. Lightly toned with highly lustrous surfaces. Accompanied by original case of issue. A highly attractive, evenly matched set. The 5 and 25 Centimes are both **PCGS SP-65 Secure Holder**, and the 10 Centimes

PCGS SP-66 Secure Holder. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 73168.



564 100 Franc, 1882-A. Paris Mint. Fr-590; KM-832; Gad-1137. Angel standing right, writing Constitution. Nice strike. Light attractive toning.

PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$1900-\$2200
PCGS# 158186. NGC ID: 509885.



565 100 Franc, 1886-A. Paris Mint. Fr-590; KM-832; Gad-1137. Angel standing right, writing Constitution.

NGC MS-63. \$1900-\$2200
PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 509887.



566 100 Franc, 1886-A. Paris Mint. Fr-590; KM-832; Gad-1137. Angel standing right, writing Constitution.

NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$1700
PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 509887.



567 10 Franc, 1899. Maz-2117; Gad-275.EP2. Piefort. Gold.

NGC PROOF-65. \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 72868.



FRANCE

568 10 Franc, 1900. Paris Mint. Fr-596; KM-846. Finest certified by NGC. A sharply struck superb gem. Great eye appeal.
NGC MS-67..... \$750-\$900
 PCGS# 167558.



573 100 Franc, 1904-A. Fr-591; KM-831; Gad-1113.
NGC MS-61..... \$1500-\$1700
 PCGS# 158198.



569 50 Franc, 1904-A. Fr-591; KM-831; Gad-1113. Finest certified example by PCGS. Sharply struck with light toning, and attractive even luster. An exceptional gem with great eye appeal.
PCGS MS-65+..... \$3500-\$5000
 PCGS# 158096.



574 100 Franc Essai, 1929. Maz-2539. Gold. VERY RARE. Reported mintage of only 15 pieces. Designed by Andre Lavrillier. Light orange peel toning and very attractive.
NGC MS-65..... \$3500-\$4500
 PCGS# 73342.



570 50 Franc, 1904-A. Fr-591; KM-831; Gad-1113.
PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder..... \$1300-\$1600
 PCGS# 158096.



575 100 Franc, 1935. Fr-598; KM-880; Gad-1148. Popular design by L. Bazor.
NGC MS-65..... \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 509921.



571 50 Franc, 1904-A. Fr-591; KM-831; Gad-1113.
PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder..... \$1200-\$1500
 PCGS# 158096.



576 100 Franc, 1935. Fr-598; KM-880; Gad-1148. Bazor.
NGC MS-64..... \$1500-\$1700
 PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 509921.



572 50 Franc, 1904-A. Fr-591; KM-831; Gad-1113.
PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder..... \$1200-\$1500
 PCGS# 158096.



577 100 Franc, 1935. Paris Mint. Fr-598; KM-880; Gad-1148. A very attractive example of this popular type.
NGC MS-64..... \$1500-\$1700
 PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 509921.



FRANCE

578 **100 Franc, 1936.** Fr-598; KM-880; Gad-1148. Popular design by L. Bazor.

PCGS MS-65 Secure Holder. \$1200-\$1600

PCGS# 158246. NGC ID: 158246.



579 **100 Franc, 1936.** Fr-598; KM-880; Gad-1148. Sharply struck. Proof-like fields and frosted devices. Very attractive.

PCGS MS-64+. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 158246. NGC ID: 158246.



580 **100 Franc Piefort, 1985.** Fr-600; KM-957b. Struck to commemorate the centennial of Emile Zola's novel "Germinal". Deep mirror fields with frosted devices.

NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO. \$2200-\$2600

PCGS# 748588.



FRENCH INDO-CHINA

581 **50 Cents, 1889-A.** KM-4; Gad-31; Lec-255. RARE. From a mintage of only 100 pieces. Reflective fields with some light smoky gray toning.

PCGS PROOF-61 Secure Holder. \$3300-\$3800

PCGS# 172870.



GERMAN EAST AFRICA

582 **15 Rupien, 1916-T.** Fr-1; KM-16.1. There are two reverse varieties, this one with the arabesque under T. A, crudely made design struck as an emergency issue. Struck during the East Africa Campaign during World War I, where Wilhelm's troops were pitched against an alliance of British and Belgian troops. These coins were manufactured in a "mint" set up in a railroad car in Tabora (in modern day Tanzania). An issue with a low mintage of 9,803, many of the survivors came from non-numismatic circles, and as such are known to be ex Jewelry, cleaned, polished, etc. This piece is quite attractive for the type and would make a great addition for the world gold collector. Lovely light orange peel toning around the rims with choice original luster. Housed in an older generation PCGS holder and in this catalogers opinion quite conservatively graded.

PCGS MS-62..... \$3500-\$4500

PCGS# 900466.



GERMAN NEW GUINEA

583 **5 Mark, 1894-A.** KM-7. Deep russet toning with iridescent highlights on obverse, lighter more even envelope toning on reverse. Nice strike.

NGC MS-64. \$3000-\$4000

PCGS# 16493. NGC ID: 69926.

From the Rockaway Collection.



584 **5 Mark, 1894-A.** KM-7. Some retoning with nice rims. A very presentable example of this always in demand crown.

NGC AU Details—Surface Hairlines. \$1500-\$1800

PCGS# 16493. NGC ID: 69926.



GERMAN NEW GUINEA

585 5 Mark, 1894-A. KM-7. Quite attractive for the grade.
NGC AU Details—Surface Hairlines. \$1500-\$1800
 PCGS# 16493. NGC ID: 69926.



588 Anhalt-Dessau. 5 Mark, 1896-A. Friedrich I (1871-1904). KM-24. 25th year of reign of Friedrich I. Areas of varied toning. Nice strike and attractive luster.
NGC AU-58. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 372974.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

586 Anhalt-Dessau. 2 Taler, 1846-A. Berlin Mint. Dav-508; KM-13. Scarce. Mintage of only 4,700 pieces. Tied with one other for finest certified. Dark iridescent toning with very sharp details.
NGC MS-63. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 372963.
From the Rockaway Collection.



589 Baden. Taler, 1814-D. KM-163.
NGC MS-63. Finest certified specimen.
 Toned with varied iridescent hues. Nice strike with very sharp features. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 724523.
From the Rockaway Collection.



587 Anhalt-Desau. 5 Mark, 1896-A. Dav-511; KM-24. Reflective surfaces peer out from beneath overcast tone. Mark-free fields and just a hint of wear at the high points. Only AU-58 coin at PCGS or NGC, with the only finer examples in MS-61 and MS-64.
NGC AU-58. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 372974.



590 Baden. Taler, 1836. KM-204. Mintage of only 8,250 pieces. Second finest certified. Toned underlying luster. Nice strike with very sharp details.
NGC MS-65. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 382069.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

591 Baden. 10 Mark, 1905-G. Fr-3758; KM-275.
NGC PROOF-65 ULTRA CAMEO \$2000-\$3000
PCGS# 394832.



594 Bavaria. Taler, 1657. Munich Mint. Ferdinand Maria (1651-1679). Dav-6097; KM-300. VERY RARE. Finest certified example. Depiction of Madonna seated with child on the left flanked by an elector to the right. Mottled toning with underlying luster and very crisp details. Sharply struck and exceptional quality for this elusive issue.
NGC MS-62. \$3500-\$5000
From the Rockaway Collection.



592 Bamberg. Taler, 1693-GFN. Lothar Franz, Freiherr von Schonborn (1693-1729). Dav-5064; KM-82. Finest certified example. Lightly toned with underlying luster that peers through very nicely. Sharply struck with very crisp features. Very attractive.
NGC AU-58. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 225779.
From the Rockaway Collection.



595 Bavaria. Taler, 1792-CD. Munich Mint. Karl Theodor. Dav-1973; KM-607. Prominent iridescent golden hued toning with reflective surfaces and sharply struck details. A very difficult type to obtain in high quality.
NGC MS-63. \$700-\$900
From the Rockaway Collection.



593 Bavaria. Taler, 1627. Maximilian I (1589-1651). Dav-6074; KM-209. Dark toned with iridescent highlights. Nice strike with good detail.
NGC AU-58. \$700-\$1000
From the Rockaway Collection.



596 Bavaria. Taler, 1822. KM-716. Nicely struck. Glowing sat-in luster and a faint hint of tone.
NGC MS-63. \$900-\$1100
PCGS# 852436.



GERMANY

597 Bavaria. Taler, 1835. KM-777. Finest certified specimen. Established Bavarian Mortgage Bank commemorative. Faint toning. Very sharply detailed features. Very attractive.
NGC MS-65. \$500-\$700
From the Rockaway Collection.

600 Bavaria. 2 Taler, 1846. KM-822. Finest certified specimen. Commemorating the Completion of Canal Between the Danube and Main Rivers. Dark iridescent blue toning. Very sharp features with underlying luster showing through. Very attractive.
NGC MS-64. \$500-\$700
 PCGS# 216939.
From the Rockaway Collection.



598 Bavaria. Taler, 1835. KM-782. Finest certified specimen. School Given to Benedictine Order commemorative. Lightly toned with very reflective surfaces. Sharply struck and very attractive.
NGC MS-65. \$500-\$700
 PCGS# 191032.
From the Rockaway Collection.

601 Bavaria. 2 Taler, 1848. KM-829. Very scarce. Commemorating the abdication of Ludwig I for Maximilian. Faint hairlines. Toned with sharp details.
NGC Unc Details—Surface Hairlines. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 216941.
From the Rockaway Collection.



599 Bavaria. 2 Taler, 1845. KM-820. Finest certified specimen. Chancellor Baron von Kreittmeyer commemorative. Varied iridescent toning and sharply struck. Great eye appeal.
NGC MS-65. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 216938.
From the Rockaway Collection.

602 Bavaria. 2 Taler, 1848. KM-830.1. Finest certified specimen. Commemorating the New Constitution. Dull grey and iridescent toning. Sharply struck with good eye appeal.
NGC MS-63. \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 216941.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

603 Bavaria. Ducat, 1855. Fr-277; KM-839. Several small rim nicks, mostly on reverse. From a mintage of only 1,540 pieces.

PCGS Genuine—Rim Damage,
AU Details Secure Holder..... \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 459388.



604 Bavaria. 5 Mark, 1908-D. KM-915. The finest certified specimen. Beautifully toned. Well struck with extremely sharp features. Very attractive.

NGC MS-66..... \$500-\$700
PCGS# 281306.
From the Rockaway Collection.



605 Berg. Taler, 1806-TS. KM-11. Finest certified example. Nice strike. Olive toning with underlying luster. Very attractive.

NGC MS-61..... \$3000-\$3500
PCGS# 859520.



606 Brandenburg-Ansbach. Taler, 1730. Karl Wilhelm Friedrich (1713-40). Dav-1980; KM-176. Commemorating the 200th anniversary of the Augsburg confession. Bust of Karl Wilhelm Friedrich in armor; Reverse: Bust of George IV in armor. Dark toning with varied iridescent hues and nice features. Sharply struck and very attractive.

NGC AU-58..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 747693.
From the Rockaway Collection.



607 Brandenburg-Ansbach. Taler, 1769. Alexander (1757-91). Dav-1999; KM-282. Commemorating the unification of Ansbach with Bayreuth. Sharply struck. Attractive toning.

NGC MS-63..... \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 173487.
From the Rockaway Collection.



608 Brandenburg-Ansbach. Taler, 1775. Alexander I (1757-91). Dav-2011; KM-301. The finest certified specimen. Star below bust. Toned with hints of luster peering through. Very sharp details. Exceptionally choice and a real prize for any collection.

NGC MS-65..... \$1000-\$1500
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

609 Brandenburg-Ansbach. Taler, 1779-G. Alexander I (1757-91). Dav-2019; KM-315. Tied with only one other for finest certified. Reverse features the eagle with arms surrounded by two rows of thirty-two shields. Toned with hints of underlying luster showing through. Very sharp details.

NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 574373.
From the Rockaway Collection.



610 Brandenburg-Ansbach. Taler, 1779-G. Alexander I (1757-91). Dav-2022; KM-317. The finest certified example. Commemorating the Peace of Teschen. Germania is depicted standing among trophies. Blue hued toning on the obverse and gray on the reverse. Sharply struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 355889.
From the Rockaway Collection.

611 Brandenburg-Bayreuth. Taler, 1664. Christian Ernst (1655-1712). Dav-6272; KM-78. Struck to commemorate the election of Christian Ernst to the Captainship of the Franconian Circle. Sharply struck, giving full detail to not only the pantheon of small arms on the reverse, but also right down to the texture of the horse's coat. Light toning over lustrous metal, small planchet flaw at 8 o'clock of reverse. Very attractive and exceptionally choice.

NGC MS-65. \$3000-\$4000

From the Rockaway Collection.



612 Brandenburg-Bayreuth. Taler, 1671. Christian Ernst (1655-1712). Dav-6273; KM-80. Finest certified example. A very appealing and interesting piece. Struck to commemorate the marriage of Christian Ernst to Sophie Luisa von Württemberg. Radiant sun next to the planet Venus, across the zodiac with Leo and Virgo; Reverse: A crowned eagle with the arms of Brandenburg-Bayreuth and Württemberg. Toned with its natural lustrous surfaces showing through. Well struck with very sharp details. A superb example with great eye appeal.

NGC MS-65. \$3500-\$5000

PCGS# 524262.
From the Rockaway Collection.

Superb Accession Taler of George Wilhelm



GERMANY

613 Brandenburg-Bayreuth. Taler, 1712-PPWSR. Georg Wilhelm (1712-26). Dav-2031; KM-131. VERY RARE. Struck to commemorate the accession of Georg Wilhelm. A beautiful and classic Taler design with a robust and regal bust of Georg Wilhelm on the obverse and the reverse dominated by a huge and complex helmeted arms. Glossy old envelope toning with lustrous metal beneath. Some blue, rose and golden highlights winking from the more protected areas. Seldom seen at auction and an impressive and highly attractive example of this highly sought after rarity.

NGC MS-64. \$9000-\$12,000

PCGS# 767754.

From the Rockaway Collection.



614 Brunswick-Luneburg-Calenberg. Taler, 1657. Georg II Wilhelm (1648-65). Dav-6528; KM-57.1. Finest certified specimen. Wildman holding a tree to his right, with both hands. Dark iridescent toning with sharp details.

NGC MS-62. \$500-\$700

PCGS# 796604.

From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

615 Brunswick-Luneberg-Celle. 3 Taler, 1648-HS. Christian Ludwig (1648-65). Dav-LS146a; KM-195. RARE. "3" stamp below. A large impressive piece with attractive detail. Toned.

NGC AU-53. \$4500-\$5500

PCGS # 361897



616 Brunswick-Wolfenbützel. Taler, 1623. Osterode Mint. Friedrich Ulrich (1613-34). Dav-6303; KM-52.1. Finest certified example. Wildman standing, holding a tree in his right hand. Mintmark "HL". Prominent iridescent toning with hints of blue and red. Sharply struck and exceptional quality.

NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1500

From the Rockaway Collection.



617 Brunswick-Wolfenbützel. Taler, 1655. August II (1634-66). Dav-6351; KM-441. Highest certified example. Dark toned with iridescent blue hues. Exceptional quality.

NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 364823.

From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

- 618 Brunswick-Wolfenbützel. 6 Taler, 1666-HS. Augustus II (1634-66).** Dav-LS82; KM-492. VERY RARE. Struck to commemorate August II's 88th birthday. With the denomination of "6" punched on the reverse. Well struck given the piece's massive size. Decent to excellent detail throughout, particularly on the reverse with its pantheon of heraldic arms. Small light scattered contact marks, mostly confined to the obverse and probably occurred while it was mounted and displayed. Cleaned long ago, as the surfaces are now nicely retoned with some golden and blue hues around devices. A very impressive multiple Taler which will enhance any collection. NGC EF Details—Mount Removed, Cleaned. \$15,000-\$17,000



- 619 Brunswick-Wolfenbützel. Taler, 1671. Rudolf August (1666-1704).** Dav-6383; KM-513.1. Well struck on lustrous metal, with nearly every hair of bust defined. With hardly any contact marks which is surprising given the large amount of open space in the design. Old envelope toning with amber and blue highlights near periphery. Exceptional quality. NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 194736.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

620 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel. Taler, 1691-RB. Rudolf August & Anton Ulrich, Joint Rulers (1685-1704). Dav-6395; KM-577; Welter-2066. Well struck on lustrous metal with handsome detailed visages of the ruling brothers. Excellent toning with plum, gold and russet hues throughout making for a striking old cabinet look.

NGC MS-61 **\$1000-\$1200**
 PCGS# 737322.



621 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel. Taler, 1692-RB. Rudolf August & Anton Ulrich, Joint Rulers (1685-1704). Dav-6389; KM-593. A good strike with just a touch of flatness to the high points of the wildman but with excellent detail to the reverse arms. Wonderfully toned with multi-hued highlights creating a rainbow effect above the wildman.

NGC MS-64 **\$1000-\$1500**
 PCGS# 740268.
From the Rockaway Collection.



622 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel. Taler, 1700-RB. Rudolf August & Anton Ulrich, Joint Rulers (1685-1704). Dav-6391; KM-637. Sharply struck with virtually no doubling. Old envelope tone, some faint contact marks in field. Sharply struck and attractive.

NGC EF-45 **\$600-\$800**
 PCGS# 446155.



GERMANY

623 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttele. Taler, 1702. Rudolph August & Anton Ulrich (1685-1704). Dav-2931; KM-641; Welter-2073b. VERY RARE. An impressive medallion type Taler displaying two allegorical scenes, outlining the political strife present in Brunswick at the turn of the eighteenth century. Following the death of Augustus the Younger, Rudolph Augustus was made the Duke of Brunswick-Lüneberg. Within a short time the Duke had made his younger brother Anton Ulrich co-regent as he exhibited more interest in government affairs than Rudolph. From 1685 until 1692, the two brothers ruled jointly and without incident until the Hanoverian prince electorship was created, and neither brother received the office. Upon the outbreak of the War of Spanish Succession (1701), when Anton Ulrich made a pact with France in defiance of Emperor Leopold I, the Principality of Wolfenbüttele was thusly invaded by the now strengthened Hanover and Lüneberg. This resulted in Anton Ulrich being stripped of his Ducal powers and becoming essentially an outcast. Rudolph Augustus briefly became sole rule once more and signed a treaty to end the hostilities and return his younger brother to the Emperor's grace. To illustrate this precarious fraternal situation, the obverse of this Taler displays a pair of horses, both hitched to an orb, emblazoned with the combined monogram of both ruling brothers "RAV", suspended between them as they strain in opposing directions unable to separate the two halves, even with aid from a nearby unicorn and lightning bolts from the heavens. This may seem a straight forward if odd visual metaphor, but it is actually based on a real event in the recent history of German science. In 1654 scientist and mayor of Magdeburg, Otto von Guericke, demonstrated his newly designed vacuum pump and the basic concepts of atmospheric pressure, by fitting together two halves of a metal sphere and then creating a vacuum within them, creating a seal which could not be broken even when attached to opposing teams of fifteen horses. Thus we have a recent and mystifying event fresh in the cultural zeitgeist being used to show the inseparable nature of this fraternal co-regency. The reverse displays the allegorical second half of the brothers' gaffe, as well as the outcome of Guericke's experiment. The same monogrammed orb is seen split in two by a simple twist of the wrist on a pressure valve, the "RA" half (Rudolph Augustus) is left standing while the "AV" half (Anton Ulrich) has fallen aside. An impressive and immediately attractive piece combining the political and scientific developments of the age, with the masterful visual storytelling of a medalist. Deep old envelope toning over lustrous surfaces. Displaying some delicate rose and sky blue hues. Sharply struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-61.\$7000-\$10,000

PCGS# 740283.
From the Rockaway Collection.



624 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttele. Taler, 1720-C. August Wilhelm (1714-31). Dav-2127; KM-758. Slightly uneven strike as evident in the crown, but nice old envelope toning and quite attractive.

NGC AU-58.\$500-\$700

PCGS# 461104.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

625 Brunswick-Wolfenbützel. Taler, 1745-IBH. Dav-2161; KM923.1. "Lautenthals Luck". Two-year only issue depicting the mines at Lautenthal which were once mistakenly thought worthless; hence "Lautenthals Luck". Fantastic twin wildman reverse. Only example NGC has certified.

NGC MS-62 \$2200-\$2800
 PCGS# 275594.

628 Cologne (Koln). Taler, 1688. Sede Vacante. Dav-5153; KM-67. Finest certified example. St. Peter holding a key up in his right hand; Reverse: Depiction of the Nativity. Golden hued toned surfaces. Very sharp features throughout and very attractive.

NGC MS-63 \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 353194.
From the Rockaway Collection.



626 Brunswick-Wolfenbützel. Taler, 1750. Zellerfeld Mint. Karl I (1735-80). Dav-2167; KM-942. Highest certified example. Commemorating the Bleifeld Mine. Attractive toning. Nicely struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-63 \$1200-\$1600
 PCGS# 277013.
From the Rockaway Collection.



629 Corvey. Taler, 1718. Maximilian von Horrich (1714-21). Dav-2196; KM-132.1. Highest certified specimen. Toned with iridescent golden hues. Sharply struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-63 \$1200-\$1600
 PCGS# 774119.
From the Rockaway Collection.



627 Brunswick-Wolfenbützel. Taler, 1752. Karl I (1735-80). Dav-2166; KM-945. Finest certified. Commemorating the Rainbow Mine. Very attractive iridescent toning with golden highlights.

NGC MS-63 \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 464220.
From the Rockaway Collection.



630 Eichstatt. Taler, 1694-GFN. Johann Eucharius Schenk (1685-97). Dav-5236; KM-46. Saint Willibald standing facing. Sharply struck and beautifully toned.

NGC MS-64 \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 193450.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

631 Eichstatt. Taler, 1757-MF. Dav-2208; KM-75. Sede Vacante. Very sharp strike giving full impressive detail. Highly lustrous surfaces. Light attractive envelope toning complimented by vibrant rainbow hues from cobalt blue to fiery red highlights on the obverse. While this issue can often be found in mint state, this particular example is an incredibly attractive and high grade piece. The highest certified example, with the next finest being three points lower.

NGC MS-67* \$2000-\$3000

PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 756236.
From the Rockaway Collection.



634 Frankfurt. Taler, 1772-PCB. Dave-2226; KM-251. Lovely iridescent toning. Nice strike and very attractive.

NGC MS-63. \$700-\$900

PCGS# 276998.
From the Rockaway Collection.



635 Frankfurt. 2 Gulden, 1849. Dav-645; KM-341.1. VERY RARE. Mintage of only 200 pieces. Commemorating the election of Friedrich Wilhelm IV as Emperor of Germany. Toned with iridescent highlights and underlying luster. Needle sharp strike.

NGC PROOF-64. \$3500-\$5000

PCGS# 533212.
From the Rockaway Collection.



632 Eichstatt. Taler, 1783. Johann Anton III (1781-90). Dav-2211; KM-92. Finest certified example. Dark golden hued toning with underlying luster and reflective surfaces. Sharply struck and good eye appeal.

NGC MS-64. \$700-\$900

PCGS# 193455.
From the Rockaway Collection.



636 Freiburg. Taler, 1739. Dav-2245; KM-112. Finest certified example. This is the last Taler issued by this city which produced very few Talers. Obverse shows the skyline of Freiburg im Breisgau. Toned with appealing iridescent blue hues and underlying luster. Sharply struck with great eye appeal.

NGC MS-63. \$2000-\$3000

PCGS# 272315.
From the Rockaway Collection.



633 Frankfurt. Taler, 1764-GNPCB. Dav-2223; KM-234.2. Tied with one other for finest certified. Faint mottled toning with underlying lustrous surfaces and sharp features.

NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 661764. NGC ID: 575902.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

637 Fulda. Taler, 1672. Bernhard Gustav Adolf (1671-77). Dav-5316; KM-17. Shield with miter and crown; Reverse: Eleven line inscription. VERY RARE and exceptional quality. Sharply struck with rich toning. Truly museum quality.
 NGC MS-66. \$3500-\$5000
 PCGS# 242243.
 From the Rockaway Collection.



638 Furstenberg-Stuhlingen. Mining Taler, 1729-V. Josef Wilhelm Ernst (1704-62). Dav-2267; KM-151. Second finest certified. Lightly toned with reflective pearlescent and lustrous surfaces. Sharply struck and highly appealing.
 NGC MS-63. \$2000-\$3000
 PCGS# 870926.
 From the Rockaway Collection.



639 Furstenberg-Stuhlingen. Taler, 1790. Dav-2271; KM-30. RARE. Traces of adjustment marks. Translucent amber tone with much luster showing through. Terrific reverse view of the mines. Great eye appeal.
 NGC AU-58. \$2600-\$3200
 PCGS# 870930.



640 Halberstadt. Taler, 1629-CZ. Leopold Wilhelm von Osterreich (1627-48). Dav-5347; KM-60. St. Stephen depicted on the obverse. Dark toned.
 NGC AU-53. \$500-\$700
 PCGS# 458820.
 From the Rockaway Collection.



641 Hall. Taler, 1712-GFN. Dav-2276; KM-17. Portrait of Charles VI on the obverse. The letters "GFN" on the reverse refers to the mint official Georg Friedrich Nurnberger in Nurnberg. Toned. Nice strike.
 NGC AU-55. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 448825.
 From the Rockaway Collection.



642 Hall. Taler, 1746-CGL. Dav-2279; KM-32. Tied with one other for finest certified. Appealing golden iridescent toning with reflective surfaces. Prooflike and sharply struck. A real prize for any collection.
 NGC MS-65. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 448829.
 From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

643 Hamburg. Taler, 1632. Dav-5365; KM-123. Nice dark toning. Nicely struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-62. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 830955.



645 Hamburg. Taler, 1735-IHL. Dav-2283; KM-386. Tied with one other at NGC and one at PCGS for finest certified. Toned. Sharply struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-64. \$900-\$1200

PCGS# 630079.

From the Rockaway Collection.



644 Hamburg. Taler, 1730-IHL. Dav-2282; KM-379. Commemorating the 200th anniversary of the Augsburg confession. Appealing iridescent toning. Sharply struck with nice details.

NGC MS-63. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 630104.

From the Rockaway Collection.



646 Hamburg. 5 Mark, 1907-J. KM-610. Highest certified specimen. Blast white with deep mirror surfaces and a needle sharp strike. A superb example that will grace any collection.

NGC PROOF-67 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 283223.

From the Rockaway Collection.



647 Hannover. Taler, 1830. KM-146.2. Finest certified specimen. Dark iridescent toning. Sharply struck and very attractive. **NGC MS-63.** \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 766583.

From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

648 Hesse-Cassel. Taler, 1637. Wilhelm V the Steadfast (1627-37). Dav-6755; KM-162.1. Finest certified. Unique symbolism making reference to the maelstrom of the Thirty Years war. Dark toned with nice details.

NGC AU-58. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 181231.

From the Rockaway Collection.



651 Hesse-Darmstadt. Taler, 1760. Ludwig VIII (1739-68). Dav-2323; KM-201. VERY RARE. Minor graffiti on obverse field in front of bust that is well hidden by the dark toning.

NGC EF Details—Obverse Graffiti. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 704352.

From the Rockaway Collection.



649 Hesse-Cassel. Taler, 1785-H//IFH. Friedrich II (1760-85). Dav-2304; KM-528. Second finest certified with one higher at PCGS. Nice toning. Well struck with very sharp details. Traces of adjustment marks on the reverse.

NGC MS-62. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 456610.

From the Rockaway Collection.



652 Hesse-Darmstadt. Taler, 1809-L. KM-277. Finest certified. Lightly toned with reflective surfaces. Lustrous and very attractive.

NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 952437.

From the Rockaway Collection.



650 Hesse-Cassel. Taler, 1791-H//FH. Wilhelm IX (1760-1821). Dav-2305; KM-532. Finest certified specimen. Minor planchet flaw on obverse in front of brow. Light toning with reflective luster and sharp details.

NGC MS-62. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 456613.

From the Rockaway Collection.



653 Hesse-Darmstadt. 5 Mark, 1876-H. KM-353. Sharply struck with gray and blue toning. Wholesome and original.

NGC AU-58. \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 578851. NGC ID: 578851.

From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

654 Hesse-Darmstadt. 2 Mark, 1898-A. KM-368. RARE to be found in uncirculated or near such grade. Good luster especially at periphery and reverse.

NGC AU-58. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 954354.



657 Hohenlohe-Neuenstein-Oehringen. Taler, 1785-OEKNR. Ludwig Friedrich Karl (1765-1805). Dav-2353; KM-62. Nice strike. Even slate toning. Pleasant.

NGC AU-53. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 231791.



655 Hesse-Darmstadt. 5 Mark, 1900-A. KM-369. Lightly cleaned long ago, now starting to re-tone.

NGC AU Details—Surface Hairlines. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 181724.
From the Rockaway Collection.



658 Hohenzollern-Hechingen. Taler, 1804-WCH. KM-35. Very scarce. Mintage of only 2,000 pieces. Highest certified example. Minor adjustment marks on the obverse bust and reverse shield. Nice strike with light reflective toning.

NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 859478.
From the Rockaway Collection.



656 Hohenlohe-Neuenstein-Neuenstein. Taler, 1697. Wolfgang Julius (1641-98). Dav-6831; KM-31. Highest certified example. Scarce. Mottled toning with underlying luster. Nicely struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-61. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 727761.
From the Rockaway Collection.



659 Hohenzollern-Sigmaringen. 2 Taler, 1844. KM-23. Finest certified example. Dark toning with reflective underlying luster. Sharply struck and very attractive.

NGC MS-62. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 727730.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

660 Landau. 2 Florins 8 Kreuzer Klippe, 1713. Dav-2377; KM-13. Uniface. Corner stamps well applied, center stamp a little uneven. Toned with some maroon and cobalt hues.
NGC AU-58. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 793540.
From the Rockaway Collection.



661 Landau. 1 Florin 4 Kreuzer (Siege Klippe), 1713. Klein/Raff 221; KM-12. Siege Klippe from the German city of Landau. Problem-free and fully original. Toned.
NGC VF-25...... \$1000-\$1200
 PCGS# 416088.



662 Lippe-Detmold. 2 Taler, 1843-A. KM-250. Finest certified example. Sharply struck with iridescent toning and reflective surfaces. A handsome example.
NGC MS-64. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 490289.
From the Rockaway Collection.



663 Lippe-Detmold. 3 Mark, 1913-A. KM-24. Tied with three others for finest certified. Areas of mottled toning with highly lustrous and reflective surfaces. A sharply struck superb gem.
NGC MS-66. \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 286242.
From the Rockaway Collection.



664 Lowenstein-Wertheim-Virneburg. Taler, 1697-FS. Heinrich Friedrich (1683-1721). Dav-6908; KM-15. Finest certified example. Very scarce. Mottled toning with iridescent hues. Nice features and interesting depictions make this a uniquely appealing piece.
NGC AU-58. \$1500-\$2000
From the Rockaway Collection.



665 Lubeck. Taler, 1559. Dav-9408; KM-124. One small edge flaw. Dark pearlescent toning.
NGC MS-62. \$700-\$1000
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

666 Lubeck. Taler, 1568. Dav-9409. Pearlescent toning. Very nice details. NGC AU-58..... **\$500-\$700**
PCGS# 416732.
From the Rockaway Collection.



667 Lubeck. Taler, 1731-JJJ. Dav-2417; KM-155. Finest certified. Obverse depicts St. John holding a lamb. Attractive iridescent toning. Well struck with very crisp details. An exceptional example with great eye appeal.
NGC MS-64. **\$1000-\$1500**
PCGS# 411747.
From the Rockaway Collection.



668 Lubeck. 5 Mark, 1907-A. KM-213. Finest certified. Dark iridescent toning and very attractive.
NGC PROOF-66. **\$1500-\$2000**
PCGS# 286338.
From the Rockaway Collection.



669 Mainz. Taler, 1794-IA-IL. Friedrich Karl Joseph (1774-1802). Dav-2431; KM-398. Finest certified. Traces of adjustment marks. Bright golden hued toning with well struck features. Exceptional quality.
NGC MS-65. **\$1000-\$1500**
PCGS# 480950.
From the Rockaway Collection.



670 Mecklenburg-Strelitz. 2 Mark, 1905-A. KM-115. Nearly gem reverse with a scattering of marks in the obverse fields. Flashy all-white coin.
NGC MS-63. **\$1100-\$1300**
PCGS# 430776.



671 Mecklenburg-Strelitz. 3 Mark, 1913-A. KM-120. Some light golden toning in the peripheries. A bright, reflective and lustrous piece.
NGC MS-64. **\$1000-\$1500**
PCGS# 780315.
From the Rockaway Collection.



674 Nassau-Weilburg. 2/3 Taler, 1750. Karl August (1719-53). Dav-696; KM-9. Highest certified. Intricate obverse design. Dark toned and sharply struck. An exceptional example of this RARE type.

NGC MS-61. \$2000-\$3000

PCGS# 342778.

From the Rockaway Collection.



675 Nurnberg. Taler, 1711-GFN. Dav-2475; KM-275. Finest certified specimen. Lightly toned. Prooflike surfaces and sharply struck with stunning details. Superb quality and worthy of the finest collection.

NGC MS-64 PL..... \$2000-\$3000

PCGS# 754254.

From the Rockaway Collection.

GERMANY

672 Munster. Cathedral Chapter. Taler, 1534-K. Dav-9583; KM-MB85. Restrike ca. 1640. Sharp, deep strike. Beautifully toned with vibrant cobalt and plum hues throughout. Very strong underlying luster making for a very attractive piece. NGC MS-62. \$700-\$1000

From the Rockaway Collection.



673 Nassau. Taler, 1833. Dav-743; KM-54. Tied with one other for finest certified. Attractive toning with underlying luster. Well struck with sharp details.

NGC MS-66. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 287295.

From the Rockaway Collection.



676 Oldenburg. 2 Mark, 1891-A. KM-201. Beautiful iridescent toning. Exceptionally choice.

NGC PROOF-66. \$1200-\$1800

PCGS# 361293.



GERMANY

677 Oldenburg. 5 Mark, 1901-A. Berlin Mint. KM-203. Finest certified example. Sharply struck with bright reflective surfaces.

NGC MS-64. \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 515868.

From the Rockaway Collection.

680 Passau. Taler, 1703-SEIZ/IMF. Bishop Johann Philipp von Lamberg (1689-1712). Dav-2518; KM-47. Sharply struck. A good deal of underlying luster. Very attractive.

NGC AU-58. \$700-\$1000



678 Ottingen. Taler, 1546. Karl Wolfgang, Ludwig XV & Martin (1534-46). Dav-9618. Dark and enticing toning with underlying luster.

NGC AU-55. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 410512.



681 Passau. Taler, 1779. Leopold Ernst Joseph (1763-83). Dav-2525; KM-89. Tied with one other for finest certified. Reflective lightly toned surfaces. Sharply struck and exceptionally choice.

NGC MS-65. \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 880296.

From the Rockaway Collection.



679 Passau. Taler, 1697-PHM//MF. Bishop Johann Philipp von Lamberg (1689-1712). Dav-5717; Kellner-143. Finest certified example. Deep toning with iridescent highlights. Sharply struck and exceptional quality.

NGC MS-64. \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 167668.

From the Rockaway Collection.



682 Pfalz-Simmern. Taler, 1572. Dav-9635. Toned with hints of rose, green, and pearl hues. Some wear, but an overall appealing piece.

NGC EF-45. \$1000-\$1500

From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

683 Prussia. Taler, 1701-CS. Dav-2554a; KM-16. RARE. Highest certified example. Reflective mottled toning with nice details. An exceptional museum quality example and a real prize for any collection.

NGC MS-64 \$3500-\$5000

PCGS# 126811.

From the Rockaway Collection.



684 Prussia. Taler, 1707-CS. Friedrich I. Dav-2566; KM-78. Finest certified. First year struck of this series. Nice reflective toning. A very attractive example of this RARE type.

NGC MS-62 \$3000-\$4000

PCGS# 228639.

From the Rockaway Collection.



685 Prussia. Taler, 1750-B. Dav-2583; KM256. Finest certified specimen. Toned. Nice strike.

NGC AU-58 \$500-\$700

PCGS# 241113.

From the Rockaway Collection.



686 Prussia. Taler, 1764-F. Friedrich II. Dav-2588; KM-307. Finest certified. RARE to find in this condition. Light adjustment marks on both sides. Very bright and reflective surfaces. An impressive example.

NGC MS-64 \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 230701.

From the Rockaway Collection.



687 Prussia. 1 Frederick d'Or, 1771-A. Friedrich II (1740-76). Fr-2406; KM-309. Nice strike with attractive mint luster.

NGC AU-58 \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 458670.



688 Prussia. 2 Frederick d'Or, 1801-A. Fr-2421; KM-381. Bright gold surfaces. Nicely struck with good details.

NGC AU-55 \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 858547.



689 Prussia. Frederick d'Or, 1818-A. Fr-2426; KM-398.

NGC VF-25 \$850-\$1000

PCGS# 457174.



GERMANY

690 Prussia. 5 Mark, 1874-A. KM-503. Toned with iridescent hues of blue, plum, and purple. Nice underlying luster. Very well struck and attractive.

NGC MS-64. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 661874. NGC ID: 583087.
From the Rockaway Collection.



691 Prussia. 5 Mark, 1888-A. Wilhelm II. KM-513. Dull gray toning. Very crisp details.

PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 189409.



692 Prussia. 10 Mark, 1888-A. Fr-3829; KM-514. Friedrich III. A sparkling gem with hard mirror surfaces and frosted devices.

NGC PROOF-65 CAMEO. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 858418.



693 Prussia. 10 Mark, 1897-A. Fr-3831; KM-520. Finest certified. Light attractive toning. Needle sharp strike with hard mirror surfaces and frosted devices. A sparkling gem worthy of the finest collection.

NGC PROOF-66 CAMEO. \$2000-\$2500

Ex: Oldergui Collection.



694 Prussia. 20 Mark, 1906-A. Fr-3832; KM-521. Finest certified with a mintage of only 124 in proof. Needle sharp strike with hard mirror surfaces and frosted devices. A superb gem that will grace any collection.

NGC PROOF-66 ULTRA CAMEO. \$2500-\$3500

Ex: Oldergui Collection.



695 Regensburg. Taler, 1633. Dav-5750; KM-77. Finest certified example. Commemorating the conquest of Regensburg by Duke Bernhard of Saxony. Minor planchet flaws on the reverse. Attractive toning. Nice strike and very attractive. Exceptional quality.

NGC MS-64. \$3000-\$4000

PCGS# 453707.

From the Rockaway Collection.



696 Regensburg. Taler, ND (1745-50). Dav-2617; KM-318. Struck in the name of Franz I of Austria. Dark iridescent toning. Nice strike and very attractive.

NGC MS-63. \$2000-\$2500

PCGS# 880221.

From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

697 **Regensburg. Taler, 1766.** Dav-2622; KM-406. Struck in the name of Joseph II. Iridescent toning with blue hues. Prooflike with sharp features. Museum quality with great eye appeal.

NGC MS-64 PL..... \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 787517.

From the Rockaway Collection.

700 **Reuss-Gera. Taler, 1620-WA. Heinrich der Jungere (1572-1635).** Dav-7308; KM-10. VERY RARE. Pleasing slate toning with rose undertones.

NGC AU-58..... \$2000-\$3000

PCGS# 378025.



698 **Regensburg. Taler, 1780-BF.** Dav-2627; KM-436. Struck in the name of Joseph II. Finest certified. Prooflike with reflective iridescent toned surfaces. Sharply struck and highly attractive.

NGC MS-64 PL..... \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 787525.

From the Rockaway Collection.



701 **Reuss-Obergreiz. 2 Taler, 1848-A.** KM-105. Finest certified. Dark iridescent toning. Sharply struck and attractive.

NGC MS-65..... \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 180002.

From the Rockaway Collection.



699 **Regensburg. 1/2 Taler, 1791-K//GCB.** KM-463. Mintage of only 1,446 pieces. Sharply struck and attractively toned.

NGC MS-61..... \$1200-\$1500

PCGS# 880203.



702 **Reuss-Obergreiz. Taler, 1858-A.** KM-110. Sharply struck. Exceptionally choice.

PCGS MS-66..... \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 290522.



GERMANY

703 Rhenish Confederation. Taler, 1809-B. Dav-809; C-6. Graded finest certified. Adjustment marks on bust portrait. Iridescent toning on surfaces. Very well struck with sharp details. NGC MS-65. **\$1000-\$1500**
PCGS# 217294.
From the Rockaway Collection.

706 Saxe-Altenburg. 5 Mark, 1901-A. KM-38. A beautiful example of this one year type, with clear satin luster fields on each side and just a touch of light orange toning near periphery. Some trivial evidence of contact on the high points of the Duke's bust being the only signs of handling. Tied with one other piece for the finest certified mint state example of this type. NGC MS-65. **\$900-\$1200**
PCGS# 454145.
From the Rockaway Collection.



704 Saxe-Altenburg. Taler, 1642. Dav-7397. Deep blue iridescent toning. Well struck with nice details. Good eye appeal. NGC AU-58. **\$2000-\$2500**
PCGS# 843100.
From the Rockaway Collection.



707 Saxe-Coburg-Gotha. 5 Mark, 1895-A. KM-160. A beautiful example of this one year type with full cartwheel luster on clear surfaces and only trivial contact marks in fields as the only evidence of handling. Very light golden toning at rim. Tied with one other piece as the finest graded of this scarce type from a mintage of only 4,000 pieces. NGC MS-64. **\$3000-\$4000**
PCGS# 243516.
From the Rockaway Collection.



705 Saxe-Altenburg. 2 Taler, 1852-F. KM-27. Nicely struck with reflective surfaces and mildly cameo devices. Iridescent old envelope toning. A very nice example of this scarce one year type from a mintage of only 9,400 pieces. NGC MS-63. **\$1500-\$2000**
PCGS# 291009.
From the Rockaway Collection.



708 Saxe-Coburg-Saalfeld. Taler, 1805-L. Dav-831; KM-131. RARE. One year type. Nearly full old envelope toning on obverse showing a few patches of lustrous reflective surfaces and vibrant multi-hued highlights, the reverse is a bit more even in toning but still displays strong underlying luster. From a mintage of only 600 pieces. This is the second finest example certified, with the finest being only one point higher. NGC MS-64. **\$1500-\$2000**
PCGS# 277479.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

709 Saxe-Gotha-Altenburg. Taler, 1673. Dav-7459. Minor tooling. Commemorating the government transfer to the Principality of Altenburg. Rich iridescent toning. Nice details and very attractive.

NGC AU Details—Tooled..... \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 387505.

From the Rockaway Collection.



710 Saxe-Old-Gotha. Taler, 1638. Johann Ernst (1633-38). Dav-7439; KM-178. Finest certified. Minor planchet flaws on both sides. Dark pearly toning. Nice details.

NGC AU-55. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 446635.

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711 Saxe-Saalfeld. Taler, 1720. Johann Ernst VIII (1680-1729). Dav-2743; KM-59. Well struck with just a bit of flatness to the very highest points, but with good detail to the armor and city view. Toned over lustrous metal with strong colored highlights of orange, red and blue in the legend. An exceptional example of this RARE issue.

NGC MS-64. \$3000-\$4000

PCGS# 465942.

From the Rockaway Collection.



712 Saxe-Weimar. Taler, 1654. Wilhelm IV (1640-62). Dav-7545; KM-34; Schnee-404. VERY RARE. Commemorative Taler struck to celebrate the assumption of the Rectorship of Jena University by Duke Bernhard of Saxe-Weimar. Exquisite in its detail and execution of double interlocking hearts, with legends running their entire length and the three small busts at their center. Old envelope toning throughout, which does not obscure the luster still visible along the devices and in the more protected areas. There is a small planchet flaw near the top of the outer heart which is faint but visible on either side, as well as a very light surface mark near the bust of Johann Friedrich. Overall an exceptional piece which will greatly enhance any collection.

NGC MS-63. \$5000-\$7000

PCGS# 703493.

From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

713 **Saxe-Weimar. Taler, 1605-WA. Johann III (1573-1605).** Dav-7520; KM-22. Finest certified. Commemorating the Death of Johann III. Dark toning with iridescent highlights. Nice strike and very attractive.

NGC MS-61. \$900-\$1200

PCGS# 703538.
From the Rockaway Collection.



714 **Saxony, Albertine line. Taler, 1591 HB. Dresden Mint. Christian I (1586-91).** Dav-9810; MB-288. Dark iridescent toning with very crisp details.

NGC MS-62. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 167736.
From the Rockaway Collection.



715 **Saxony. Albertine Line. Taler Klippe, 1630. Johann Georg I (1615-56).** Dav-7609; KM-414; Schnee-866. Struck to commemorate the marriage of Johann Georg's daughter Maria Elizabeth to Friedrich III. Nicely struck on a large full klippe planchet. Old envelope toning with amber and blue hue throughout.

NGC MS-62. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 194643.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

716 Saxony. Silver Centenary of the Augsburg Confession Medal, 1630. Electorate of Johan Georg I (1615-56). 56.3 mm; 36.1 gms. Wiecek-56; Whiting-119; Schnell-72. By S. Dadler of Dresden. Elector Johan facing, holding sword over left shoulder, four shields divide legend, "VERBVM / DOMINI / MANET IN / AETERNVM / DEN 25 IVNY / ANNO 1530"; Reverse: Eleven line inscription, "IOHANNIS / CHVRFVVRST ZV / SACHSSEN THVTBE / KENNEN FREY AVS HEL / DENMVTH DAS DIE / LEHR SO ER VBERGE / BEN SEY DIE RICHT / SCNVR ZVM EWI / GEN LEBENN / DEN 25 IVNY AO / S 1630 D. Nice strike. Toned and very attractive. **EXTREMELY FINE.** \$700-\$1000



717 Saxony. Taler, 1648-CR. Johann Georg I (1615-56). Dav-7612; KM-425. Well struck. Nicely toned. NGC MS-61. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 191818.



718 Saxony. Albertine line. Taler, 1657. Johann Georg II (1656-80). Dav-7630; KM-481. Nice strike. Lovely dark toning with underlying luster. NGC AU-58. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 449753.



GERMANY

719 Saxony. Taler, 1657. Johann Georg II (1656-80). Dav-7630; KM-481. Commemorating the death of Ferdinand III. Toned with lustrous surfaces and well struck features. NGC AU-58. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 449753.
From the Rockaway Collection.



720 Saxony. Taler, 1659-CR. Johann Georg II (1656-1680). Dav-7617; KM-745. Finest certified. Iridescent toning with prominent hues of orange and blue. NGC MS-62. \$500-\$700

PCGS# 485032.
From the Rockaway Collection.

721 Saxony. Albertine Line. Klippe Taler, 1662. Johann Georg II (1656-80). Dav-7631; KM-500; Schnee-913. Struck to commemorate the marriage of Johan Georg II's daughter Erdmuthe Sophie to Margrave of Brandenburg-Bayreuth, Christian Ernst. A beautiful and detailed piece full of heraldic and religious iconography. Well struck with full detail, legends and inscription. Lightly toned with subdued luster beneath. Very attractive.

NGC MS-64. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 449757.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

722 **Saxony. Albertine Line. Taler, 1687. Johann Georg III (1680-91).** KM-597; Dav-7641; Schnee-967; Mers-1212. Struck to commemorate the death of his mother Magdalena Sibylla. Well struck with light attractive grey toning.

NGC AU-58. \$2000-\$3000
 PCGS# 449785.



723 **Saxony. Albertine Line. Taler, 1691-IK. Johann Georg III (1680-91).** Dav-7645; KM-617; Schnee-973. Double struck and rotated as noted by NGC, while certainly true as evidenced on the reverse by clear signs of the understrike inscription running perpendicular to the final strike not exactly an error in the way we think of them today and could probably best be described as a “do-over” when the initial strike was either weak or uneven. Nevertheless the extensive triple legend and fifteen line reverse inscription are full and legible, and the portrait of Johann Georg is fairly well defined. Evenly toned and attractive.

NGC Mint Error MS-61. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 449789.
 From the Rockaway Collection.



724 **Saxony. Albertine Line. Taler Klippe, 1693. Johann Georg IV (1691-94).** Dav-7649; KM-642; Schnee-977. Struck to commemorate Johann Georg's induction into the Order of the Garter. Flip over strike with part of the reverse legend visible in the right field of the obverse and a few glimpses of the obverse legend visible on the reverse. Aside from that apparent error, it is nicely struck with good detail. Old cabinet tone making for a very attractive piece.

NGC MS-61. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 848063.
 From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

725 Saxony. Albertine Line. Taler, 1694-IK. Johann Georg IV (1691-94). Dav-7651; KM-658; Schnee-984. Struck to commemorate the death of Johan Georg IV. Wonderfully struck on lustrous metal, with full detail to the complex legend and inscription. Old envelope toning with high luster coming through. Highly attractive. NGC MS-63.....\$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 848065.
From the Rockaway Collection.

VERY RARE & Exceptionally Choice Taler Commemorating the Birth of the Prince Elector



726 Saxony. Albertine Line. Taler, 1696-IK. Friedrich August I (1694-1733). Dav-7653; KM-675; Schnee-987. VERY RARE. Struck to commemorate the birth of the Prince Elector who would later succeed his father as Elector of Saxony Friedrich August II. Wonderfully struck on lustrous metal, giving full detail to the highly complex design which incorporates a city view of Dresden and an interior scene. Light even envelope toning which barely subdues the high luster beneath. An impressive gem which will be an excellent addition to any collection of Talers. NGC MS-64.\$7000-\$10,000
PCGS# 848070.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

727 **Saxony. Wittenberg. Bicentennial of the Reformation Silver Medal, ND (1717).** 42.01 mm. Whiting-335; Kink. & Bier.-170; BDM-Vol.VI pg. 432/45. By Christian Wermuth. Half length bust of Martin Luther right with double legend around containing chronographic date; Reverse: City view of Wittenberg with radiant sun shining down from upper left and legend around. An absolutely beautiful piece displaying a vibrant rainbow of colored hues in the obverse toning. Slightly more subdued, but no less attractive toning on the reverse. Of particular eye appeal is the vibrant blue hues on the river and in the sky of the city scene, along with mild greens in the foreground field creating a completely coincidental, but quite appropriate coloring. High luster in obverse legends and fields, as well as along the reverse legend. A very attractive example from one of the most prolific master engravers of his time.

NGC MS-64 \$700-\$1000
 From the Rockaway Collection.

Gem “Death of Friedrich August I” Taler



728 **Saxony. Albertine Line. 2 Taler, 1733. Friedrich August II (1733-63).** Dav-2663; KM-872; Schnee-1023; Kahnt-620a. RARE. Struck to commemorate the death of Friedrich August I. Very well struck on a broad planchet. Even old envelope toning with iridescent hues covering very lustrous surfaces. Exceptional quality with good eye appeal.

NGC MS-65 \$5000-\$7000
 PCGS# 350001.
 From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

729 Saxony. Albertine Line. Taler, 1744-FWoF. Friedrich August II (1733-63). Dav-2665; KM-880; Schnee-1026. A bit lightly struck, but with good detail in the arms on the reverse. Lovely medium old envelope toning with underlying luster. NGC MS-62..... \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 781387.
From the Rockaway Collection.



731 Saxony. Taler, 1765-EDC. Xavier, Prince Regent (1763-68). Dav-2678; KM-976. Sharply struck with iridescent hued toning.
NGC MS-62..... \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 847342.
From the Rockaway Collection.



732 Saxony. Taler, 1767-EDC. Friedrich Wilhelm III (1763-1827). Dav-2683. Toned. Sharply struck with crisp details.
NGC MS-62..... \$600-\$800
PCGS# 167746.
From the Rockaway Collection.



730 Saxony. Taler, 1763-IFOF. Friedrich Christian as Elector (1763). Dav-2677b. Attractive iridescent toning. Nice strike and very attractive.
NGC MS-63..... \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 526591.
From the Rockaway Collection.



733 Saxony. Taler, 1780. Dav-2693; KM-1011. Friedrich Wilhelm III (1763-1827). VERY RARE. Sharply struck with dark, uneven toning.
NGC MS-61..... \$2000-\$3000
PCGS# 726454.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

734 Saxony. Taler, 1792-IEC. Friedrich August III (1763-1827). Dav-2700; KM-1034. A beautifully struck example. Full cartwheel luster below delicate golden toning complimented by some muted blue hues. A high grade and attractive example of this one year type.

NGC MS-65. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 250073.
From the Rockaway Collection.



737 Saxony. 5 Mark, 1900-E. KM-1246. Dappled toning on obverse with more even hues of orange and sea foam green near rim. Reverse has an attractive even gunmetal toning with some vibrant cobalt highlights in protected areas. Full attractive luster throughout.

NGC MS-65. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 294231.
From the Rockaway Collection.



735 Saxony. Taler, 1806-SGH. KM-1053. Sharply struck giving nearly prooflike surfaces to the fields, while the devices retain a muted luster giving a cameo appearance. Lighter tan toning on obverse with a few darker areas near periphery, reverse more deeply toned with some blue hues appearing. The finest certified example of this large bust one year type.

NGC MS-65. \$3500-\$5000
 PCGS# 250074.
From the Rockaway Collection.



738 Saxony. 5 Mark, 1904-E. KM-1262. Struck to commemorate the death of King Georg. A very well struck piece with full cartwheel luster throughout and old envelope toning giving subdued golden highlights near the periphery on the obverse and some cobalt highlights on the reverse.

NGC MS-66. \$400-\$600
 PCGS# 294248.
From the Rockaway Collection.



736 Saxony. 2 Taler, 1854-F. Dav-874; KM-1149. Smoky overcast tone cannot hold back the reflective underlying surfaces. Most common date of the issue, but in extraordinary condition. Combined NGC/PCGS shows pop one, with only one finer in 65.

NGC MS-64. \$600-\$800
 PCGS# 489164.



739 Schaumburg-Lippe. 2/3 Taler, 1761. Wilhelm I Friedrich Ernst (1748-77). KM-17. An attractive example with a good full strike. Some doubling can be noted around the neck and lower right hand legend of obverse. Old envelope toning with subdued colored hues throughout and underlying luster.

NGC MS-63. \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 159202.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

740 Schaumburg-Lippe. 2 Taler, 1857-B. KM-38. Struck to commemorate Prince Georg Wilhelm's 50th year as ruler. An attractive example with lovely golden/orange toning over lustrous surfaces. Tied with four other pieces for the finest certified.

NGC MS-65. \$500-\$700

PCGS# 847060.

From the Rockaway Collection.



743 Silesia-Liegnitz-Brieg. Taler, 1541. Friedrich II Leignitz (1488-1547). Dav-9842; KM-MB16. Darkly toned with some colored highlights in protected areas on reverse.

NGC EF-45. \$700-\$1000

From the Rockaway Collection.



741 Schaumburg-Lippe. 5 Mark, 1904-A. KM-50. Deep old envelope toning over highly lustrous surfaces, reverse slightly lighter with some maroon highlights. Tied with one other piece as the finest certified mint state example of this one year type. From a mintage of only 3,000 pieces.

NGC MS-65. \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 294552.

From the Rockaway Collection.



744 Solms-Laubach. Taler, 1770-WWE. Christian August (1738-84). Dav-2785; KM-35. Lovely old envelope toning. Just a touch of wear on the high points of the bust of Otto I, founder of the Solm-Laubach line. Nice strike and very attractive.

NGC AU-58. \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 197363.

From the Rockaway Collection.



742 Schwarzberg-Rudolstadt. 1/2 Taler, 1791-ICK. Friedrich Karl (1790-93). KM-133. Sharply struck and dripping with full mint bloom.

NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1200

PCGS# 163741.



745 Speyer. Taler, 1770-AS. Damian August Philipp Karl von Limburg-Vehlen-Styrum (1770-97). Dav-2788; KM-69. Struck upon the accession of Damian August Philipp. Nice strike with old envelope toning throughout, but especially deep on reverse. Tiny edge flaw at 5 o'clock.

NGC AU-58. \$500-\$700

PCGS# 422537.

From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

746 Speyer. 1/2 Taler, 1770-AS. Damian August Philipp Karl von Limburg-Vehlen-Styrum (1770-97). KM-68. Struck for the accession of Damian August Philipp. Medium envelope toning with some russet hues at center of obverse. Legends and reverse arms are full and sharp. Sharply detailed and very attractive.

NGC MS-65 \$500-\$700
 PCGS# 422537.
From the Rockaway Collection.



749 Waldeck-Pyrmont. Battle of Gran (Esztergom) Silver Medal, 1685. 39.8 mm; 22.3 gms. Christian Ludwig (1645-1706). German eagle holding a map above battle scene; Reverse: Three shields, legend "PFEILE DES HEILS/WEIDER DIE SYRER/2 KON.XIII.V.17", edge "DAS THATEN DIE DREY HELDEN 2 SAM. 23 V. 17". Silver patina with indigo and golden hues overall.

EXTREMELY FINE \$700-\$1000



747 Trier. Taler, 1715. Karl Joseph of Lorraine (1711-15). Dav-2824; KM-218. Struck upon the death of the Archbishop. Sharply struck. Highly lustrous surfaces below old envelope toning with some maroon highlights. An exceptional example of this highly detailed design. RARE and very desirable.

NGC MS-64 \$3000-\$4000
 PCGS# 275154.
From the Rockaway Collection.



750 Wurttemberg. 1/4 Taler, 1694-IIW. Eberhard Ludwig (1693-1733). KM-261; K&R-55. With wheel below palm stems. The scratch which earns this coin its details grade, while undoubtedly present, is more a series of small light scratches just before the bust which are clearly fairly old as the lovely even toning this piece bears is also present within the scratches. An attractive scarce silver minor.

NGC EF Details—Obverse Scratched \$600-\$800
 PCGS# 436950.



748 Trier. Taler, 1773-GM. Clemens Wenzel von Sachsen (1768-1802). Dav-2836; KM-333. Deep old envelope toning with underlying luster. Sharply struck and very attractive. **NGC AU-58**..... \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 277851.
From the Rockaway Collection.

VERY RARE 1916 3 Mark Commemorating the reign of Wilhelm II



GERMANY

751 **Württemberg. 3 Mark, 1916-F. KM-638.** VERY RARE one year type struck to commemorate the 25th anniversary of the reign of Wilhelm II. A proof only issue with a mintage of only 1,000 pieces (it is estimated that about 650 pieces of this issue were melted according to Jaeger). Deep old envelope toning with cobalt, plum and orange peel highlights, particularly on obverse. A handsome example of one of the rarest silver minor coins from this period of German history. Matte finish on obverse.

NGC PROOF-63.\$5000-\$7000

PCGS# 296326.

From the Rockaway Collection.



752 **Wurzburg. Taler, 1554-SK. Melchior Zobel Von Giebelstadt Zum Guttenberg (1544-58).** Dav-9975; KM-MB37; Helmschrott-53. Sword between "D" and V of "DVX". Some minor doubling to strike. Old envelope toning with some russet and blue highlights.

NGC AU-53. \$600-\$800

From the Rockaway Collection.

753 **Wurzburg. Taler, 1770-WINMFHP. Adam Friedrich von Seinsheim (1755-79).** Dav-2901a; KM-398; Helmschrott-760. "Rf" below bust. Nice strike. Mild old envelope toning with good underlying luster.

NGC MS-61. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 873849.

From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

754 Wurzburg. Taler, 1779-MP. Franz Ludwig von Erthal (1779-95). Dav-2903; KM-2903; Helmschrott-882. With legend as ruler of Wurzburg only. Deep old envelope toning, slightly lighter on reverse and with some underlying luster. Sharply struck.

NGC MS-62. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 873860.
From the Rockaway Collection.



755 Wurzburg. Taler, 1786-WMP. Franz Ludwig von Erthal (1779-95). Dav-2908; KM-425; Helmschrott-886. Sharply struck. Medium golden toning with some blue hues over lustrous surfaces.

NGC MS-62. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 873865.
From the Rockaway Collection.



756 Wurzburg. Taler, 1790-MP. Franz Ludwig von Erthal (1779-95). Dav-2909; KM-435; Helmschrott-889. Light golden toning with some darker russet patches over highly lustrous surfaces. Small planchet fault below exergual line which can be seen on either side.

NGC MS-63. \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 873869.
From the Rockaway Collection.



757 Wurzburg. Taler, 1794-MP. Franz Ludwig von Erthal (1779-95). Dav-2910; KM-439; Helmschrott-892. Well struck. Medium golden toning showing some faint blue highlights. **NGC AU-58.** \$500-\$700

PCGS# 873870.
From the Rockaway Collection.



758 Gold Religious Medal, 1627. 37.67 mm; 17 gms. Nativity scene; Reverse: Angel striding left, legend above. Has been used in jewelry, as it appears to have been removed from a bezel. **VERY FINE.** \$700-\$1000



759 20 Pfennig, 1877-F. KM-5. Fourth lowest mintage for the type. Only 77,000 were struck, and only Stuttgart minted 20 Pfennigs that year. This superb example has frosty luster and touches of old toning. Essentially flawless, and the highest example graded by 2 grade points at either PCGS or NGC. **PCGS MS-68.** \$600-\$800

PCGS# 299672.



760 5 Mark, 1927-A. KM-56. Oaktree. Some deep old iridescent envelope toning, particularly near periphery. Tied with four other pieces as the finest proof striking of this year and mint. Exceptionally choice with great eye appeal.

NGC PROOF-67 CAMEO. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 513103.
From the Rockaway Collection.



GERMANY

761 5 Mark, 1927-F. KM-56. Oaktree. Housed in an old green PCGS holder. Sharply struck and lightly toned with attractive mint luster. **PCGS MS-64**. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 30181664.



762 5 Mark, 1927-F. KM-55. "Tubingen University". Tied with one other at grade, with only one certified higher (PROOF-67 ULTRA CAMEO). Hard mirror surfaces with frosted devices. A sparkling gem.
NGC PROOF-66 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1100-\$1300
PCGS# 651726.
Ex: ANS duplicate.



763 5 Mark, 1927-F. KM-55. 450th anniversary of Tubingen University commemorative. Bright and lustrous proof surfaces with some toning on the cameo devices. Superb eye appeal.
NGC PROOF-66 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1100-\$1300
PCGS# 651726.
From the Rockaway Collection.



764 3 Mark, 1928-D. KM-59. 1,000th anniversary of the founding of Dinkelsbuhl commemorative. Some deep toning in legends. Sharply struck with nice luster.
NGC MS-66. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 94596. NGC ID: 594596.
From the Rockaway Collection.



765 5 Mark, 1930-A. KM-68. Graf Zeppelin. Some light iridescent toning over full flashing cartwheel luster. Exceptionally choice.
NGC PROOF-67 CAMEO. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 388574.
From the Rockaway Collection.

766 Silver Crowns & Minors, ca. 1601-1783. 13 pieces in lot. Comprised of mostly Taler sized silver coins from various states with many scarce pieces. Includes: a city view Taler from Munster (Dav-5603), a 1765 Taler from Saxe-Coburg-Saalfield and a 1683 24 Mariengroschen from Hildesheim (KM-237). Also included is a 1923 Notgeld 10,000 Mark and a 10 Mark Warsaw Ghetto token. Several pieces with scratches, tooling, evidence of cleaning or other surface issues. Retail value of more than \$1,600. Should be examined.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.
VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. \$600-\$1000

767 Crowns & Minors, ca. 1784-1913. 26 pieces in lot. A melange of issues from different German states, mostly from around the mid 19th century. All are silver, except for (3) Baden Kreuzers. Some pieces show signs of cleaning, one piece has a small collectors stamp in the obverse field, but most are original if circulated and there are some with minimal signs of handling and nice luster. Retail value of about \$1,600.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.
VERY FINE to ANACS
Proof-55 Details—Cleaned. \$600-\$1000

GERMANY

768 Lot of (18) Talers, ca.1818-71. 18 pieces in lot. Comprised of issues from various German states, heaviest in pieces from Prussia, Anhalt-Bernburg and Baden. Includes: a few 2 Talers and Guldens. Of note is an 1859 Taler from Anhalt-Bernburg (KM-86) and a scarce 1843-S Taler from Hannover (KM-207). Some minor evidence of old cleaning can be noted on a few pieces, but overall a wholesome group with most pieces featuring old envelope toning and underlying luster. Retail value of about \$2,300.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.

VERY FINE-UNCIRCULATED..... \$1000-\$1500

From the Rockaway Collection.

769 Talers, 2, 3, & 5 Marks. 1821-1915. 16 pieces in lot. Contains a variety of German States silver issues. The various states include: Anhalt-Dessau, Baden, Bavaria, Hamburg, Hesse-Cassel, Prussia, Saxony, Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach and Wurttemberg. All are NGC certified with only two pieces displaying surface hairlines, otherwise a problem-free lot. Should be examined. Retail value of approximately \$1,400.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.

NGC VF-30 to MS-62..... \$700-\$1000

770 Talers & Guldens, ca.1826-1871. 16 pieces in lot. Comprised of issues from various states, heaviest in pieces from Frankfurt and Saxony. Includes: a scarce 1865 Taler from Schaumburg-Lippe (KM-47) and a nice 1859 Taler from Schwarzburg-Sonderhausen (KM-148). An attractive group, most pieces with nice old envelope toning and the majority with underlying luster. A few minor scratches or evidence of old light cleaning on a few pieces are the only surface issues of note. Retail value in excess of \$2,000.

SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS

EXTREMELY FINE-UNCIRCULATED..... \$800-\$1200

From the Rockaway Collection.

END OF SESSION A



THE JANUARY 2015
NYINC AUCTION
SESSION B

SATURDAY JANUARY, 10, 2015
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WORLD COIN LOTS 1001-1773
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STANLEY ABERDEEN COLLECTION 1635-1724

THE JOHN W. ADAMS COLLECTION



JOHN W. ADAMS COLLECTION LOTS 1001-1057

THE JOHN W. ADAMS COLLECTION OF SPANISH COLONIAL PROCLAMATION MEDALS

By Richard Ponterio

The John W. Adams Collection of proclamation medals offers collectors a rare and in some cases unique opportunity to acquire highly significant and seldom offered historical medals. Mr. Adams focused his collection primarily on medals pertaining to events that took place in the New World prior to the independence of the United States in 1776. The collection predominantly consists of medals from the reign of Philip V dated 1701 up until the reign of Charles III dated 1760-61, however a small number of slightly later dated medals are also included. The John W. Adams Collection is by far the most advanced cabinet of these early medals to ever be sold at public auction, as well as the most advanced collection of its nature that we are aware of, current or past. It features many rarities, along with several items that are believed to be unique, and is the culmination of many years of hard work on the part of Mr. Adams, scouring auctions catalogs, price lists, coin shows and other sources. During the period Mr. Adams was collecting, several major old time collections came to market, allowing him to acquire many incredibly rare pieces, and in some cases unique medals that had never been privately offered. Simply stated, not only was John meticulous in his collecting, he was also collecting at the right time.

The largest collection of general proclamation medals (Philip II-Alfonso XIII) ever assembled came to market in the mid 1990s, sold through Ponterio & Associates. That collection was assembled over more than 30 years, during which time the collector had assimilated several other major collections into his own. The collection was so extensive that it had to be sold over several years, with the most notable portion, Sale #87, sold in April 1997 in a stand-alone catalog of the medals of Spain and Latin America (with the exception of Mexico). This collection was larger in mass than the Adams Collection, and it covered all of the Spanish monarchs up until modern times, including medals of peninsular Spain. However, the section of that collection containing early New World proclamation medals was much smaller than the Adams Collection. Several major rarities from that collection were sold to Mr. Adams either via private treaty or at auction

and many of the medals offered here with a Ponterio & Associates provenance from that era were from that collection.

In October of 2000, a second major collection (Lic. Alfredo Porraz) was auctioned by Ponterio & Associates in Sale #109. The Porraz Collection was assembled over many decades and was one of the major collections used as source material for Frank W. Grove's reference "Medals of Mexico Vol. 1 Medals of the Spanish Kings". Once again many of the rarities from this collection were acquired by Mr. Adams, including the Yucatan medals of Luis I and Ferdinand VI as well the Tabasco medal of Charles III. Shortly after the sale of the Porraz Collection, the Lavin Collection was dispersed. Like the Porraz Collection, this collection was also among the major collections examined by Frank Grove when creating his work on medals. This collection was sold privately and dispersed very quickly into collections. Fortunately Mr. Adams was able to acquire some rarities he needed, including a Yucatan medal of Luis I Grove-LI-17 (plate coin).

Knowledge of the collections that came to market during this period helps better understand the extreme rarity of many of these medals. In the past few years, several collectors have asked, "What happened to all of the proclamation medals that used to be on the market? In the 1990s, it seemed that every catalog had a section of proclamations, and now you rarely see them." Unknown to most collectors the material that was available during the 1970s-2000s came from several major old time collections. Hence the quantity of medals available during that time is not indicative of rarity or availability. These circumstances allowed the Adams Collection to become the apex of all early proclamation collections. Assembling a collection of comparable magnitude in this day and age is highly improbable.

Some collectors reading this might ask, "What exactly are proclamation medals?" In short, proclamation medals were normally produced by a city, but in some cases were made by a church, bishopric, college or other entity. These medals were symbols, showing loyalty and allegiance to the new

ruling monarch. In many cases this was an event of great importance, often with lavish festivals and ceremonies lasting for several weeks. As a general rule, a platform or stage was erected for oath swearing ceremonies, and in many cases proclamation medals were thrown from this platform to the crowd below. In one documented case the Viceroy held an image of the new king in one hand, while throwing medals to the crowd with the other. In Buenos Aires the proclamation ceremonies for Ferdinand VI lasted for 21 days and included huge feasts, opera, music, bullfighting and dance; it was the largest festival held in the city during colonial times.

The survival rate of proclamation medals is remarkably small when compared to production figures. They were made of precious metal, predominantly silver, but in some cases gold or bronze. As many were thrown to the crowds during proclamation ceremonies, they were more likely to be spent or melted than saved. As a general rule the earlier medals

(Philip V-Charles III) are much rarer than the later medals of Charles IV and Ferdinand VII. Many of the early medals are found holed to be worn as a medallion by the upper class. If a new king was proclaimed, existing medals were often replaced with those of the current reigning monarch. Thus many of the earlier medals were melted down and the metal repurposed. A large number of the medals from this early period are exceedingly rare, ranging from unique to only a few examples known. It is also almost certain that other proclamation medals were produced in contemporary times but are not currently known to exist. It has been a joy and an honor to view and catalog this many early proclamation medals in one collection. I commend Mr. Adams for assembling such an important collection, and hope that potential buyers appreciate the hard work and effort required for such an accomplishment.



MEXICO

1001 Mexico City. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1701. Philip V (1701-46). 30.5 mm; 12.97 gms. Gr-PV-1; Med-2; Her-6; Betts-89. Armored bust of Philip V right; Reverse: Arms of Mexico City. Lightly chased and sharply detailed. A royal decree was sent to the Noble and Loyal City of Mexico directing them to proceed with proclamation ceremonies for King Philip V. In compliance with the decree, the Viceroy of Mexico City stated in a letter dated March 12th 1701 that the proclamation ceremonies would commence as soon as possible. The festivities began April 4th with more than 500 thousand pesos spent on the festival. The prototype of this medal traces back to the 1700 Philip V proclamation of Cadiz (VQ-12899). The obverse of the 1700 Cadiz proclamation was used to produce the obverse mold with only the final digit in the date being changed to a "1". The reverse mold was created locally in Mexico City accounting for its debasement in style and lettering. Generations of this basic casting were also used for the 1701 Medal of Veracruz Grove-PV-9 as well as the later Mexico City medal of Luis I Grove-LI-2. Considered to be the first medal of Mexico. Few signs of handling, nicely toned and highly attractive. Choice quality for this type. **EXTREMELY FINE.** \$6000-\$8000

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Hans Schulman Sale Lot #450 December 9, 1966.



1002 Veracruz. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1701. Philip V (1701-46). 29.7 mm; 9.63 gms. Gr-PV-9; Med-3; Her-7; Betts-91. VERY RARE. Armored bust of Philip V right; Reverse: Arms of Veracruz. According to a letter dated May 15th 1701, a number of silver medals were thrown from a platform by Lucas de Llano Salazar after oath taking ceremonies which occurred on April 11th 1701. The only specimen of this medal we have encountered. We are aware of one other which is the Medina, Herrera and Grove plate medal (all the same medal) which is housed in the Academia de la Historia, Madrid. The prototype for the portrait of this medal was undoubtedly the 1701 medal of Mexico City (Grove-PV-1), which in turn was modeled from the 1700 Philip V proclamation of Cadiz (VQ-12899). Deep, rich old toning. **VERY FINE.** \$6000-\$8000

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #61 Lot #1572 February 27, 1993.



1003 Mexico City. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1724. Luis I (1724). 38.9 mm; 20.5 gms. Gr-LI-1; Med-6; Her-19; Betts-150. **VERY RARE.** Armored draped bust of Philip V right; Reverse: Arms of Mexico City. According to a letter sent by Viceroy Marques de Casafuerte dated August 20th 1724, medals were thrown from a platform by senior ministers to the noble people of Mexico City during the proclamation ceremonies on July 25th 1724. Well executed bold design. The basic obverse of this medal served as the prototype in producing a mold for the **VERY RARE** San Felipe el Real medal of Luis I. A remarkably fine quality cast that shows no evidence of being chased. The normal quality for this medal is very fine and often examples that appear on the market have been holed or repaired. A pleasing highly original example that is in extraordinary condition for the type. Nicely toned and an excellent example of this early Mexican medal. Bold attractive portrait. **EXTREMELY FINE.** **\$6000-\$8000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Purchased from Ponterio & Associates December, 1998.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #21 (Cover coin) Lot #1086 September 24, 1985.



1004 Mexico City. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1724. Luis I (1724). 28.9 mm; 13.25 gms. Gr-LI-2; Med-7; Her-20; Betts-151. **RARE.** Armored bust of Luis I right; Reverse: Arms of Mexico City. According to a letter sent by Viceroy Marques de Casafuerte dated August 20th 1724, medals were thrown from a platform by senior ministers to the noble people of Mexico City during the proclamation ceremonies on July 25th 1724. The prototype of this medal traces back to the 1701 Mexico City proclamation medal of Philip V (Betts-89, the first medal of Mexico), further to the 1700 Philip V proclamation of Cadiz (VQ-12899). The obverse of the 1700 Cadiz proclamation was used to produce the obverse mold for the 1701 Mexico City proclamation with only the final digit in the date being changed to a "1". The reverse mold was created locally in Mexico City, accounting for its debasement in style and lettering. Further, 23 years later it is clear that the legends of a 1701 Mexico City medal were altered to use for the casting of the medal present here. A **RARE** and historically interesting medal from the boy king of Spain. The reign of Luis I is one of the shortest in Spanish history as he ruled for just over seven months before his death from smallpox. Nicely chased with only small remnants remaining in most protected areas. Very nice quality for this medal with is frequently encountered holed. Exquisite detail and very attractive. **EXTREMELY FINE.** **\$3500-\$5000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Purchased from Ponterio & Associates August, 1985.



- 1005 Mexico City. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1724. Luis I (1724).** 30.15 mm; 11.38 gms. Gr-LI-5; Med-unlisted; Her-unlisted; Betts-unlisted. Bust of Luis I left; Reverse: Arms of Mexico City. According to a letter sent by Viceroy Marques de Casafuerte dated August 20th 1724, medals were thrown from a platform by senior ministers to the noble people of Mexico City during the proclamation ceremonies on July 25th 1724. It is however unknown if medals of this type were part of that dispersal. A largely unpublished piece and even the listing in Grove is a line drawing. EXTREMELY RARE and the only example we are aware of, other than the Perez Maldonado plate coin, which is a line drawing. This very interesting three quarters facing portrait which portrays the king wearing a hat is unique to Mexico City for the medals of Luis I. For Luis I it is found only on this medal as well as the large 61mm gilt silver medal (Grove-LI-4) which is unique. With the exception of the medals of Zacatecas which have left facing portraits, these are the only portrait types of Luis I that deviate from the standard right facing portrait. Lightly chased, attractive toning that darkens in the peripheral areal, pierced at 12 o'clock for suspension. **CHOICE VERY FINE**..... **\$6000-\$8000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #102 Lot #1297 July 29, 1999.

Previous sold private treaty by Ponterio & Associates June 1983.



- 1006 San Felipe el Real (Chihuahua). Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1724. Luis I (1724).** 26.95 mm; 18.65 gms. Gr-LI-12; Med-10; Her-25; Betts-153. EXTREMELY RARE, the only other example of this medal we are aware of is housed in the Banco de Mexico Museum cabinet, with another reported in a private collection in Mexico. Draped bust of Luis I right; Reverse: Crowned arms, inscription below: "S. PHE. EL REAL" for San Felipe el Real. A high quality cast, however lacking in some detail as these medals were created using a 1724 Mexico City medal of Luis I (Grove-LI-1) with a locally rendered reverse as the "madre" or "mother coin". Hence the reverse has clearer and more refined legends than the obverse. Nicely executed cast. Toned and attractive. **VERY FINE**. **\$4000-\$6000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #249 October 7, 2000.



- 1007 Veracruz. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1724. Luis I (1724).** 30.9 mm; 11.8 gms. Gr-LI-14; Med-12; Her-22; Betts-155. EXTREMELY RARE, only the third example of this medal that we are aware of. Armored draped bust of Luis I right; Reverse: Arms of Veracruz. A letter dated August 29, 1724 containing the minutes of the proclamation ceremony discusses it taking place August 25, 1724. During these ceremonies, Jose de Zavaleta stood atop a platform holding an effigy of the king in one hand, while throwing medals to the crowd with his other hand. A nicely executed medal produced in relatively high relief. Although simplistic in design and style, it is quite well produced with its rudimentary artistry remaining part of its charm. The obverse design of this medal was also used as the proto mold for the 1724 Cholula medal of Luis I (Grove-LI-10). A medal of this type was later used as the prototype for the 1747 Veracruz medal of Ferdinand VI (Grove-G6-36). The majority of the legend for Grove-LI-14 and Grove-F6-36 are identical; however, the legend and date were altered for the later king. The casting quality found on the later Ferdinand VI medal is also of lesser quality than this piece, as the process for the 1747 medal was a second generation cast. A wholesome and attractive medal with nicely chased surfaces. Pleasing light grey toning with darker highlights accenting the devices. **CHOICE VERY FINE**. **\$5000-\$7000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Purchased from Ponterio & Associates December, 1998.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #15 Lot #1028 June 9, 1984.



- 1008 Yucatan. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1724. Luis I (1724).** 25.7 mm; 5.42 gms. Gr-LI-16 (plate coin); Med-13; Her-23; Betts-156. EXTREMELY RARE and probably UNIQUE, the only example that we have seen. Bust of Luis I right; Reverse: Arms of Merida. The medals produced in the Yucatan during this period are all unique to one degree. Although cast from the same basic “madre” or “mother coin” (Grove LI-16/17), the legends were then hand engraved after the medal was chased. Virtually every known medal has legend variants that deviate in one way or another. In some cases the medals are only engraved on the obverse, while in other cases they are engraved on both sides. Due to their hand made nature variants and abbreviations also occur. The example offered here is engraved on both sides. Obverse: “S.D.I.R. 1724” for Senor Don Luis Rex - 1724. Reverse: “YUCA – TAN”, hyphenated Yucatan. Similar to Grove-LI-17 but with different obverse and reverse lettering. A lovely high grade and un-holed example. **VERY FINE.** **\$4000-\$6000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #250 (front cover) October 7, 2000.

Ex: Lic. A. Porraz Collection.



- 1009 Yucatan. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1724. Luis I (1724).** 26.4 mm; 6.14 gms. Gr-LI-17 (plate coin); Med-unlisted; Her-unlisted; Betts-unlisted. EXTREMELY RARE and probably UNIQUE. Crude bust of Luis I right; Reverse: Crowned arms of Merida. The medals produced in the Yucatan during this period are all unique to one degree. Although cast from the same basic “madre” or “mother coin” (Grove LI-16/17), the legends were then hand engraved after the medal was chased. Virtually every known medal has legend variants that deviate in one way or another. In some cases the medals are only engraved on the obverse, while in other cases they are engraved on both sides. Due to their hand made nature variants and abbreviations also occur. The example offered here is only engraved on the obverse: “S.D.I.R. VCTN 1724” for Senor Don Luis Rex - Yucatan - 1724. Similar to Grove-LI-16 but with different obverse lettering and lacking any reverse lettering. Fields lightly chased. Pierced at one o'clock for suspension, some contemporary gilding. **VERY FINE.** **\$3500-\$5000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Purchased from Ponterio & Associates October, 2000.

Ex: Lavin Collection.



- 1010 Veracruz. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1747. Ferdinand VI (1746-59).** 35.5 mm; 15.45 gms. Gr-F6-36; Med-51; Her-67; Betts-371. VERY RARE and only the third example of this medal that we are aware of. Of the remaining two, one is pierced twice, the other is housed in the Smithsonian Institution. Bust of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Arms of Veracruz. In the case of Veracruz there is a letter from the council dated May 17th 1747 giving reports of the ceremonies conducted on April 10th 1747. There are two accounts of the distribution of medals during the proclamation ceremonies. The first is of Jose de Zavaleta, who threw silver medals to the people from his window. The second is of Governor Antonio Salas who threw them to the crowd from a platform. It is unknown which medals were distributed by which individual, but likely the medals in question are Grove-F6-36 and Grove-F6-37. Lightly chased, with remnants of gilding remaining. Pierced at twelve o'clock. Bold portrait, attractive with nice surfaces for type. **VERY FINE.** **\$3000-\$4000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #86 Lot #3366 April 4, 1997.



- 1011 Veracruz. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1747. Ferdinand VI (1746-59).** 30.15 mm; 16.56 gms. Gr-F6-37; Med-52; Her-68; Betts-372. Armored draped bust of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Arms of Veracruz. EXTREMELY RARE, only the third example of this medal we are aware of (one of which is holed). In the case of Veracruz there is a letter from the council dated May 17th 1747, giving reports of the ceremonies conducted on April 10th 1747. There are two accounts of the distribution of medals during the proclamation ceremonies. The first is of Jose de Zavaleta who threw silver medals to the people from his window. The second is of Governor Antonio Salas who threw them to the crowd from a platform. It is unknown which medals were distributed by which individual, but likely the medal in question are Grove-F6-36 and Grove-F6-37. This medal was modeled directly after the 1724 Veracruz medal of Luis I (Grove-LI-14). Proper alterations were made insuring the correction of the date and king's name prior to casting. Of slightly less defined details than the 1724 Luis medal, as loss of definition occurs when using a cast medal as the "madre" or "mother coin". A nicely executed medal produced in relatively high relief. Although simplistic in design and style, it is quite well produced with its rudimentary artistry remaining part of its charm. Lightly chased surfaces accented with light grey-gold toning. Bold and very attractive. **CHOICE VERY FINE.** \$5000-\$7000

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #102 Lot #1299 July 29, 1999.



- 1012 Yucatan. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1747. Ferdinand VI (1746-59).** 29.25 mm; 9.22 gms. Gr-F6-40 (plate medal); Med-unlisted; Her-unlisted; Betts-unlisted. EXTREMELY RARE and the only example that we are aware of. Draped bust of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Crowned arms of Merida. Holed and repaired at twelve o'clock. **VERY FINE.**..... \$4000-\$6000

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #252 (front cover) October 7, 2000.

Ex: Porraz Collection.



- 1013 Zacatecas. Gilt Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, ND. Ferdinand VI (1746-59).** 30.3 mm; 11.14 gms. Gr-F6-42 (plate coin); Med-unlisted; her-unlisted; Betts-unlisted. EXTREMELY RARE, probably UNIQUE. Armored bust of Ferdinand VI left; Reverse: Mountain with sun and moon flanking. Medina, Herrera and Betts all mention a proclamation medal from Zacatecas for Ferdinand VI; however, this information was taken from an anonymous pamphlet entitled "Proclamaciones". This specimen was once thought to be that medal, however it is not. The medal mentioned in the pamphlet is supposed to be dated "1746", whereas this is undated and the listed diameter is different as well. Highly attractive with intact gilding and hardly any evidence of handling. **CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE.** \$6000-\$8000

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Purchased from Ponterio & Associates December, 2002.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #17 Lot #200 November 30, 1984.

*Ex: Superior Stamp * Coin Co. Sale Lot #391 June, 1978.*

Ex: Miguel Munoz Collection.



1014 Mexico City. Bronze Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88). 44.0 mm; 38.2 gms. Gr-K-1b; Med-85; Her-75; Betts-473. By A. B. Madero. **VERY RARE**, our records show only two public appearances at auction for this medal, which includes the previous sale of this specific medal. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of Mexico City in ornamented frame. Struck on a cast planchet. Some areas of weakness in reverse legend and some filing between ten and two o'clock on reverse for unknown reason. A few inconsequential rim dings but nice chocolate patina and a handsome design. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... **\$800-\$1200**
From the John W. Adams Collection.
Ex: Superior Stamp and Coin Co. Sale Lot #3383 May 30, 1993.



1015 Mexico City. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88). 39.4 mm; 27.25 gms. Gr-K-2v; Med-87; Her-77; Betts-475. By A. B. Madero. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of Mexico City. As Grove-K-2 but with a lettered edge. **VERY RARE**, the second example we have seen. Sharply struck and attractively toned with some rose and blue hues. **CHOICE ALMOST UNCIRCULATED**..... **\$2000-\$2500**
From the John W. Adams Collection.
Purchased from Ponterio & Associates December, 1998.



1016 Mexico City. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88). 34.45 mm; 20.98 gms. Gr-K-3; Med-88; Her-78; Betts-476. By Madero. **RARE**, our records were able locate only eight examples. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of Mexico City. Nicely struck on a compact planchet with an ornamented edge. Only a few minor handling marks or wear. Nice even old toning making for a very handsome example. **ALMOST EXTREMELY FINE**..... **\$1000-\$1500**
From the John W. Adams Collection.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #18 Lot #1112 March 26, 1985.



- 1017 Mexico City, El Arzobispo. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 42.0 mm; 23.43 gms. Gr-K-5; Med-91; Her-81; Betts-479. By F. Cassanova. RARE, with only about a dozen examples known (about half of which are holed). Bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of the Archbishop. Nicely struck on a thin planchet giving high raised rims. A few light tooling marks in obverse field, but wonderful even old toning giving a great deal of eye appeal. **VERY FINE**. **\$600-\$800**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Henry Christensen Sale Lot #1040 September 7, 1984.



- 1018 Mexico City, El Consulado. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 43.95 mm; 38.49 gms. cfGr-K-6; Med-92; cf.Her-83; Betts-481. Engraved by A. Madero. RARE. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of the Consulado. With the same dies as Grove-K-6 but with the edge lettering of K-7v. Nice strike, light toning. Attractive. **EXTREMELY FINE**. **\$1000-\$1500**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #106 Lot #2158 April 8, 2000.



- 1019 Mexico City, El Consulado. Bronze Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 42.0 mm; 30.38 gms. Gr-K-7b; cf.Med-93; Her-82; cf.Betts-480. By A. Madero. RARE and only the third example that we have encountered. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Crowned arms of the Cosulado. Silvered at one time, most of which has been lost to wear. Scattered contact marks and some tooling scratches in right field. **VERY FINE**. **\$500-\$700**

From the John W. Adams Collection.



- 1020 Mexico City, El Consulado. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 39.4 mm; 27.13 gms. Gr-K8; Med-94; Her-84; Betts-482. By A.B. Madero. RARE. Corded edge. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of the Consulado. Nicely struck on a polished planchet. Light peripheral toning making for a very handsome piece. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** **\$1500-\$2000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #86 Lot #3367 April 5, 1997.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #47 Lot #1100 March, 1991.



- 1021 Mexico City, El Consulado. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 39.5 mm; 29.41 gms. Gr-K-8v; Med-95; Her-84; Betts-483. By A. B. Madero. RARE. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of the Consulado. Nicely struck. The same dies as Betts-482 but with a lettered edge. Lightly cleaned long ago, now with some light toning. Attractive and lustrous. **EXTREMELY FINE.** **\$1500-\$2000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #101 Lot #437 June 5, 1999.



- 1022 Mexico City, La Universidad. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 42.0 mm; 23.43 gms. Gr-K-11a; Med-90; Her-80; Betts-478. By A. B. Madero. RARE, we are aware of only seven examples of this medal. Armored and draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of the Royal Mexican Pontifical Academy. The rector of the University, Manuel Ignacio Beye de Cisneros, vowed on September 25th 1761 that the university is a loyal vassal to the new King. This was consummated with a medal to commemorate such a joyous day. Well struck on a polished planchet. Very attractively toned with some rose and gold hues. **VERY FINE.** **\$600-\$800**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #27 Lot #1240 March 17, 1987.



- 1023 Durango, Nueva Cantabria. Silver Proclamation Medal, ND. Charles III (1759-88).** 40.4 mm; 32.75 gms. Gr-K-19; Med-96; Her-85; Betts-484. **VERY RARE**, only the third example of this medal we are aware of. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Crowned monogram of the Virgin Mary with cardinals hat above. Struck from the same obverse die as the 1761 Guanajuato medal of Charles III Grove-K-28. Nicely struck with well defined rims. Attractive toning slightly darker on reverse. **CHOICE VERY FINE.** **\$1000-\$1500**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #86 Lot #3368 April 4, 1997.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #44 Lot# 1055 October 10, 1990.



- 1024 Guadalajara. Gilt Bronze Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 38.84 mm; 24.94 gms. Gr-K24a (but gilt); Med-64; Her-unlisted; Betts-455. Engraved by F. Cassanova F. **RARE**. Bust of king right; Reverse: Arms of Guadalajara. A few small edge bumps and nicks, hairline planchet crack at eight o'clock. **VERY FINE.** **\$500-\$700**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #98 Lot #522 February 13, 1999.

Ex: Freman Craig Sale Lot #660 November, 1983.



- 1025 Guadalajara, La Audencia. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 39.2 mm; 25.29 gms. Gr-K-25; Med-66; Her-59; Betts-457. By F. Cassanova. **VERY RARE**, the only example of this medal we have seen or handled. In fact, most references (including Grove) were unable to locate an image of this medal, simply reprinting the line drawing from Herrera. Head of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms comprised of a crowned and draped Virgin of Guadalupe, date below in Latin numerals the final one of which has been hand engraved. A few tiny edge nicks, but overall a handsome medal with very attractive toning. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** **\$2000-\$2500**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #116 Lot #486 October 6, 2001.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #9 Lot #812 March 10, 1983.



- 1026 Guadalajara, El Obispo. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 38.7 mm; 27.95 gms. Gr-K-26; Med-65; Her-58; Betts-456. By A. B. Madero. RARE, we are aware of five examples of this medal, including one which is holed and another housed in the collection of the Smithsonian Institution. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of the Bishop. This medal was commissioned by the bishop Francisco de San Buenaventura Martinez de Tejada who paid for the medals production. An important medal as it shows the churches loyalty to the new king. Sharply struck and a very handsome piece with full detail in bust and arms. Lightly toned with strong luster. **CHOICE UNCIRCULATED.** \$2000-\$3000
From the John W. Adams Collection.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #86 Lot #3369 April 4, 1997.



- 1027 Guanajuato. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1761. Charles III (1759-88).** 39.5 mm; 25.83 gms. Gr-K-28; Med-67; Her-60; Betts-458. VERY RARE, the only example of this medal we have handled. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Radiant chalice and sacrament atop mountain, three line inscription below. This same obverse die was used to strike the VERY RARE Nueva Cantabriae medal of Charles III Grove-K-19. Well struck on polished planchet. A few minor rim nicks but nothing detracting from the overall appeal of the piece. Other than the Hubbard piece plated in Grove this is the only other example we know to exist. **CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE.** \$1500-\$2500
From the John W. Adams Collection.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #86 Lot #3370 April 4, 1997.



- 1028 Hidalgo, Pachuca y Real del Monte. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1761. Charles III (1759-88).** 45.2 mm; 30.96 gms. Gr-K-41a; Med-98; Her-86; Betts-485. By F. Cassanova. VERY RARE, we are aware of only four examples of this medal. Bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Standing draped figure of Diana with head to left, proclamation medals falling from raised hand and flag on spear and ouroboros in other, mountain in background. The vows ceremony took place April 19th 1761 by Jose Maria de la Canal. Very deep obverse strike while the reverse is shallow. Some minor rim nicks and bumps as well as evidence of old cleaning, now lightly toned. **VERY FINE.** \$2500-\$3500
From the John W. Adams Collection.
Purchased from Ponterio & Associates December, 1998.



- 1029 Oaxaca. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 35.0 mm; 10.58 gms. Gr-K-40; Med-97; Her-unlisted; Betts-unlisted. VERY RARE, we are aware of only four examples of this medal (this being the finest). Armored draped bust of Charles III right wearing the Order of the Golden Fleece. Crowned arms of Oaxaca. A very interesting stuck medal that is clearly of local manufacture. Most likely produced by a local silversmith who designed this portrait style based on using the 1760 Mexican portrait gold coinage of Charles III as his portrait model. Some catalogers have speculated the silversmiths name could be "Grandellana", as this name appears below the local arms on the reverse. A very neatly applied laurel edge has been applied (possibly by hand). A highly lustrous a very attractive medal that is remarkably well preserved. **CHOICE ALMOST UNCIRCULATED. \$7000-\$9000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #86 Lot #3371 April 4, 1997.



- 1030 San Miguel el Grande. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1761. Charles III (1759-88).** 45.3 mm; 39.63 gms. Gr-K-52; Med-108; Her-92; Betts-490. By F. Cassanova. RARE, the fifth example of this medal we are aware of. bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Seven line inscription. Sharply struck on well made planchet with high raised rims. The reverse of the medal actually gives the date of the proclamation ceremonies 19 April 1760. A handsome if simplistic medal with a striking high relief and robust portrait of the king. Lightly cleaned long ago. Sharply struck. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED. \$3000-\$4000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Purchased from Ponterio & Associates December, 1998.



- 1031 Tabasco. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 29.4 mm; 8.37 gms. Gr-K-54 (plate coin); Med-117; Her-101; Betts-499. EXTREMELY RARE, the only example of this medal that we have seen. Reportedly two examples known, the other being in the collection of Arturo Pedrals, Barcelona (Medina plate). Draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of Tabasco. A very interesting medal that is clearly of local manufacture. It is likely the local artist designed this medal using the portrait from the gold coinage of Ferdinand VI as his reference model. Hand applied edge done with a small circular punch repeatedly, creating a very crude rendition of colonial edging. A very interesting medal that leads to some speculation. First and foremost, the portrait is that of Ferdinand VI, rather than Charles III. Secondly, the style of the kings name appears to be of a more debased style or different font than that of the remainder of the legends. Although no Ferdinand VI medals are known for Tabasco, or of this portrait style in general. This cataloger suspects, the proto mold for this medal was probably produced from an earlier medal of Ferdinand VI which is no longer known to exist. The crude nature of the casting would also support this, suggesting the "madre" or "mother coin" used to produce this mold was also cast. An extremely interesting medal. Pierced and repaired, cleaned some time ago. **VERY FINE. \$2000-\$3000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #266 October 7, 2000.

Ex: Lic. A. Porraz Collection.



1032 Valladolid de Michoacan. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88). 39.5 mm; 21.1 gms. Gr-K-62 (plate coin); Med-121; Her-105; Betts-503. **VERY RARE**, the only example we are aware of and presumably **UNIQUE**. In fact, neither Median nor Herrera had seen an actual example of this medal. The original listing of this medal in Herrera was taken from an earlier publication by Pedro Alonso O. Crouley listing the obverse and reverse legends (probably this specific medal). Later Medina also included it in his reference, speculating as to the design and the reverse coat of arms based on the later Valladolid medals of Charles IV and Ferdinand VII. It was not until Frank Grove acquired an image of the medal from the collection of Cesar Hernandez, that the actual design of the medal was known. Undoubtedly, this medal was produced locally in Valladolid by a skilled silversmith. The portrait of Charles III was clearly designed using a 1760 Mexican 8 Escudos as the artists reference model. Armored draped bust of Charles III right, three Fleur de Lis around; Reverse: Crowned arms of Valladolid de Michoacan. The reverse legend on this medal has a unique feature as it actually cites the date of the oath swearing ceremony (24: NOVENB.). Medina states that the oath swearing ceremonies commences on November 24th and that during this event, Jose Maria de Lira is said to have thrown said medals to the crowd. It is interesting to note that edge milling machinery was actually used in the production of this medal (even though no mint was located in this city). The medal features a very neatly and deeply executed edge milling, in somewhat of a diagonal cross stitch pattern that is unique to this medal. Very nicely struck and in an excellent state of preservation given the high relief nature of the design. Lightly toned and attractive with much underlying luster. **CHOICE ALMOST UNCIRCULATED**; **\$9000-\$12,000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.
Purchased privately from Ponterio & Associates December, 1998.
Previously sold by Ponterio & Associates June 1982 to a private California collector;
Ex: Sr. Cesar Hernandez Collection.



1033 Veracruz. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88). 35.1 mm; 14.40 gms. Gr-K-66 (plate coin); Med-124; Her-107; Betts-505. **EXTREMELY RARE** and the only example that we know of. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of Veracruz. Clearly modeled after the earlier Verarcuz medals of Luis I and Ferdinand VI. While the overall quality of the cast is quite good, although well detailed this medal was clearly chased by a less skilled artist than that of the previous two kings. Cleaned some time ago, sharp details, and quite attractive. **EXTREMELY FINE**. **\$2000-\$3000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #267 October 7, 2000.
Ex: Lic. A. Porraz Collection.



1034 Veracruz, Xalapa. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1761. Charles III (1759-88). 26.5 mm; 6.84 gms. cf.Gr-K-39; cf.Med-78; cf.Her-70; cf.Betts-468. **EXTREMELY RARE** and probably unique. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain. A completely unlisted medal of crude design and execution, lightly chased, some of which is still evident in protected areas. Although similar to Grove K-39 the medal offered here deviates in size and legend placement. The obverse legend features abbreviated spellings of "HISPAN", and "REX". It is likely that the reverse mold was produced using a modified pillar 2 Reales. Grove states the initials "D.L.R." present on the reverse is an abbreviation for "de la Feria". The only example we have seen and as far as we know the only example to exist. **VERY FINE**. **\$2000-\$3000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.
Purchased from Ponterio & Associates December, 1998.
Ex: Almanzar's Coins of the World Lot #2545 March, 1982.



- 1035 Veracruz, Zab Aleta. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 34.0 mm; 10.03 gms. Gr-K-67; Med-125; Her-108; Betts-506. **VERY RARE** and only the second example of this medal we are aware of. Crude armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of Veracruz. Mold for casting made by altering a 1760 Veracruz medal Grove-K-66 with the addition of "ZAB ALETA" flanking the castle on the reverse. Some light scratches and holed at twelve o'clock, cleaned. **VERY FINE**..... **\$2000-\$3000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Purchased from Ponterio & Associates December, 1998.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #15 Lot #1034 June 9, 1984.



- 1036 Mexico City, Real Academia de Derecho Espanol. Silver Medal, 1778. Charles III (1759-88).** 57.96 mm; 123.25 gms. Gr-K-75a; Vives-51. By G. A. Gil. **VERY RARE**. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Four figures around table on raised dais with three other figures below. Designed by Antonio Geronimo Gil (signed on both obverse and reverse) for the Spanish Royal Academy of Law in 1778. The Mexico City "Mo" mint mark is visible at 8 o'clock on the reverse very neatly hidden on a rock. Seated at the table are allegorical figures of fortitude, temperance, prudence and justice who form the tribunal. The designer of this medal Geronimo Antonio Gil, was engraver at the Mexico city mint and a founding director of the Real Academia de Bellas Artes de San Carlos (Royal medalists Academy). A large and impressive medal, boldly struck giving full detail to the robust portrait of the king in armor as well as the finer devices of the reverse design. Only a few minor sign of handling and no damage or bumps to the rim. Deeply toned adding ever more eye appeal. Two varieties of this medal exist, the first with the obverse die signed "G. A. GIL.", the second simply "GIL". The medal offered here is the first and rarer of the two medals, of which only 154 pieces were struck before the obverse die broke and was replace with the die signed "GIL". A wonderful medal and prime example of the pinnacle of neoclassical medallistic artistry in Mexico. **CHOICE ALMOST UNCIRCULATED**..... **\$1500-\$2000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #17 Lot #203 November 30, 1984.



1037 Mexico City. Bronze Birth of an Heir Medal, 1780. Charles III (1759-88). 52.3 mm; 52.85 gms. Gr-K-78a; Vives-55; Betts-577. By Geronimo Antonio Gil. Bust of Charles III at left facing right, busts of Prince Charles and Maria Louisa at right facing left; Reverse: Armored draped personification of Spain standing at left, fire altar, shield and rabbit behind, handing infant to kneeling draped personification of Mexico (New Spain), with shield behind and cornucopia at feet. Fields have been tooled and a partial crosshatch edge has been hand applied. Bent, cleaned and retoned, some rim bumps and light scratches present. **VERY FINE**..... **\$200-\$300**
From the John W. Adams Collection.



ARGENTINA

1038 Buenos Aires. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1747. Ferdinand VI (1746-59). 31.3 mm; 15.56 gms. Med-16; Her-35; Rosa-1 (referencing this piece); Betts-338. **EXTREMELY RARE**, one of only two examples known to exist, the other of which is housed in Real Academia de la Historia “Royal Academy of History” (see Medina pg.1; Rosa-pg.18). Armored bust of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Two ships at sea with eagle above and anchor in foreground. Large feasts were held in the city of Buenos Aires for the proclamation ceremonies. The governors of the province Jose de Andonaegui and Alferez Real nominated Francisco Rodriques to oversee the ceremonies which took place November 10th 1747. In doing so, Francisco Rodriques distinguished himself by his generosity in covering part of the major costs incurred (Rosa pg.18). Undoubtedly, medals were thrown to the crowd as a part of the proclamation ceremonies. In total, only four medals are known to exist from this event. The medal offered here is believed to be **UNIQUE** in private hands, with a second example housed in the Real Academia de la Historia. A third medal, which is also offered as part of John Adams collection, is also known and presumed unique (Ex: Bosco 1997). Although similar to this medal it is clearly of different style size and manufacture. The fourth medal, also unique and housed in the Real Academia de la Historia is smaller in diameter and of a totally different reverse design (central design eagle with date below), about the size of a 1 Real. This piece is interesting as it has the name “Tomas Joesph Gonzalver” for the reverse legend. In this catalogers opinion, the Gonzalver medal shows clear evidence that some of the proclamations for this ceremony were either produced by different individuals, or produced from metal donated by specific parties. Hence out of the four medals known, there are three different types. An incredibly important medal, as the proclamation medals for Ferdinand VI are the first medals ever produced in Argentina. Small thick planchet with beveled edge. Toned. **VERY FINE**. **\$5000-\$7000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #87 Lot #229 April 4, 1997.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #41 Lot #3941 March 16, 1990.
Purchased private treaty by Richard Ponterio, from Argentine numismatist Alberto “Coco” Derman.
Ex: Private collection in Rio de la Plata.;



- 1039 Buenos Aires. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1747. Ferdinand VI (1746-59).** 36.4 mm; 20.46 gms. cf.Med-16; cf.Her-35; cf.Rosa-1; cf.Betts-338. **EXTREMELY RARE**, and believed to be unique. Armored bust of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Two ships at sea with eagle above and anchor in foreground. Large feasts were held in the city of Buenos Aires for the proclamation ceremonies. The governors of the province Jose de Andonaegui and Alferes Real nominated Francisco Rodriques to oversee the ceremonies which took place November 10th 1747. In doing so Francisco Rodriques distinguished himself by his generosity in covering part of the major costs incurred (Rosa pg.18). Undoubtedly medals were thrown to the crowd as a part of the proclamation ceremonies. In total, only four medals are known to exist from this event. The medal offered here is believed to be **UNIQUE**. Two examples of Rosa-1 are known to exist, one of which is offered here as part of the John Adams collection, the other is housed in the Real Academia de la Historia. The fourth medal, also unique and housed in the Real Academia de la Historia is smaller in diameter and of a totally different reverse design (central design eagle with date below), about the size of a 1 Real. This piece is interesting as it has the name "Tomas Joesph Gonzalver" for the reverse legend. In this catalogers opinion, the Gonzalver medal shows clear evidence that some of the proclamations for this ceremony were either produced by different individuals, or produced from metal donated by specific parties. Hence out of the four medals known, there are three different types. An incredibly important medal, as the proclamation medals for Ferdinand VI are the first medals ever produced in Argentina. Produced on a large oversized planchet with high relief and of different style than Rosa-1. A lovely high grade medal with slight evidence of contemporary gilding remaining. **EXTREMELY FINE**. **\$6000-\$8000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Bosco Sale #18 Lot #716 August 4, 1997.



- 1040 Buenos Aires. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 35.3 mm; 15.69 gms. Med-60; Her-52; Rosa-2; Betts-450. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Two ships at sea eagle above and anchor in foreground. The proclamation ceremonies held in Buenos Aires for the new king Charles III was the most lavish and luxurious held in that city during colonial times. The ceremony was conducted on November 10th 1760 and lasted for 21 days. A theater was erected in a corner of the Plaza Mayor for music, theater and dance. Other activities included opera and bull fighting. During these ceremonies medals were cast in both gold and silver with images of the new king. A very well done cast, with good detail and definition. Lightly toned and attractive, an exceptional example that is quite **RARE** in this state of preservation. **CHOICE ALMOST UNCIRCULATED**. **\$700-\$1000**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #87 Lot #230 April 4, 1997.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #41 Lot #3942 March 16, 1990.



- 1041 Buenos Aires. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 34.6 mm; 13.59 gms. Med-60; Her-52; Betts-450. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Two ships at sea, anchor in foreground. Somewhat crudely cast giving little definition in bust. Pleasantly toned with some pale rose hues. **VERY FINE**. **\$250-\$350**

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Almanzar's Coins of the World Lot #5500 August 31, 1970.

Ex: Jose Medina Collection.



CHILE

1042 Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759). 38.6 mm; 21.86 gms. Med-62; Her-54; Betts-452. RARE. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Crowned arms of Santiago between pillars of Hercules above flaming heart dividing "AM AT". As recorded by Agustin Tapis, the proclamation ceremonies took place November 4, 1760. Nicely struck, lightly cleaned long ago, now with attractive light toning. One small edge bump. **EXTREMELY FINE-ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** \$4000-\$6000

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #87 Lot #252 April 4, 1997.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #46 Lot #1 March 8, 1991 (front cover), "The Viceroyal Amat Collection"

1044 Santa Fe de Bogota. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88). 40.0 mm; 33.43. cf.Med-109 (eagle reversed); cf.Her-93 (eagle reversed); Restrepo-pg.117; cf.Betts-491 (eagle revered). Engraved by: Bento. F. VERY RARE. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Spread eagle facing with head right, ornamentation below. A reverse die unpublished in most references (with the exception of Restrepo) with eagle reversed and extra ornamentation. Nicely struck. Lightly cleaned. **BOLD VERY FINE**..... \$5000-\$7000

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #87 Lot #271 April 4, 1997.

Purchased privately from Ponterio & Associates April, 1988.



COLOMBIA

1043 Santa Fe de Bogota. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1724. Luis I (1724). 20.4 mm; 3.11 gms. Med-11; Her-unlisted; Restrepo-pg.104; Betts-154. Crude bust of Luis I left; Reverse: Spread eagle head left. Historically significant, as this represents one of the first "struck" proclamation medals of Latin America. A very interesting piece that was struck from locally produced dies. Stylistically very similar to hand hammered European coinage. **EXTREMELY RARE** with only one other example known. Prior to the discovery of the example offered here (Coin Galleries 1981), this medal was believed to be unique. The only other known example is the plate coin in Medina, which is from the collection of Manuel Vidal Quadras y Ramon. A very important offering as this is the first proclamation Medal of Colombia. Pierced at twelve o'clock. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... \$3000-\$5000

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Coin Galleries Sale Lot #1981 July 14, 1999.



CUBA

1045 Havana. Cast and Chased Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88). 33.2 mm; 9.63 gms. Med-73; Her-66; Betts-464. VERY RARE. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Arms of Havana. This basic obverse proto mold was used to create other Cuban proclamation medals, including the 1760 medal from Bejucal. Cleaned at some point, but not overly detrimental to the overall handsomeness of the piece. Pierced at four o'clock. **BOLD VERY FINE**..... \$2500-\$3500

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Stack's Sale Lot #1758 December 4, 1996.



GUATEMALA

1046 Guatemala City. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1747. Ferdinand VI (1746-59). 22.4 mm; 5.44 gms. Gr-F6-26.5; Med-25; Her-43; Betts-345 (plate coin). RARE. Bust of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Rider left over two mountains. These Guatemalan proclamation pieces were struck in 1/2, 1, 2 and 4 Real size medal. Mildly uneven strike, small pierce at three o'clock. Toned. **FINE.** \$500-\$700

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #87 Lot #297 April 4, 1997.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #15 Lot #523 June 8, 1984.



- 1047 Guatemala City. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1747. Ferdinand VI (1746-59).** 17.0 mm; 2.67 gms. Gr-F6-27; Me-26; He-44; Betts-347. Struck to 1/2 Real in size. Bust of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Rider left over two mountains. These Guatemalan proclamation pieces were struck in 1/2, 1, 2 and 4 Real size medal. Pierced at twelve o'clock. Toned.

FINE..... \$300-\$500

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #87 Lot #298 April 4, 1997.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #20 Lot #679 August 6, 1985.



- 1050 Guatemala City. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 20.65 mm; 3.21 gms. Gr-K-34; Med-70; Her-63; Betts-462. Struck to the size of a 1 Real. Bust of Charles II right; Reverse: Rider right over two mountains. The proclamation festivities for Charles III took place on 25 July 1760, with medals issued in sizes corresponding to that of 1/2, 1, 2 and 4 Reales. Pierced at one o'clock. Toned.

FINE..... \$200-\$300

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #87 Lot #300 April 4, 1997.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #20 Lot #681 August 6, 1985.



- 1048 Guatemala City. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 27.2 mm; 6.50 gms. Gr-K-33 (plate coin); Med-69; Her-62; Betts-460. **VERY RARE.** Struck to a 2 Reales size. Bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Rider right over two mountains. The proclamation festivities for Charles III took place on 25 July 1760, with medals issued in sizes corresponding to that of 1/2, 1, 2 and 4 Reales. Somewhat harshly cleaned some time ago and pierced at one o'clock. **VERY FINE.**

\$400-\$600

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #263 October 7, 2000.

Ex: Lic. A. Porraz Collection.



- 1051 Guatemala City. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 16.0 mm; 1.33 gms. Gr-K-35; Med-71; Her-64; Betts-462. Bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Rider right over two mountains. The proclamation festivities for Charles III took place on 25 July 1760, with medals issued in sizes corresponding to that of 1/2, 1, 2 and 4 Reales. Pierced at twelve o'clock. Toned.

FINE..... \$200-\$300

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Purchased from Dick August May 7, 1983.



- 1049 Guatemala City. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 20.6 mm; 3.33 gms. Gr-K-34; Med-70; Her-63; Betts-461. Bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Rider right over two mountains. The proclamation festivities for Charles III took place on 25 July 1760, with medals issued in sizes corresponding to that of 1/2, 1, 2 and 4 Reales. Struck with a different obverse die than seen on other examples. Pierced at one o'clock. Toned. **VERY FINE.**

\$300-\$400

From the John W. Adams Collection.



PERU

- 1052 Lima. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88).** 36.7 mm; 14.14 gms. Med-79; Her-71; Betts-469. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Crowned arms of Lima between pillars of Hercules. The proclamation ceremonies occurred on August 21st 1760. Flanking the eagle on reverse are the letters "SUP -VND", an abbreviation of Viceroy Superanda. Nicely struck on lustrous metal. A very choice and high grade example of this medal that is often found well circulated and sometimes holed. Attractive toning with iridescent hues. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.**

\$500-\$700

From the John W. Adams Collection.

Ex: Henry Christensen.



SANTO DOMINGO

1053 Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1761. Charles III (1759-88). 33.0 mm; 10.55 gms. Med-113; Her-96; Betts-494. VERY RARE. Armored bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Crowned arms of Santo Domingo. Cast and chased, sharp details and very attractive. Lightly toned, old collectors inventory number "95" in right field written in India ink. A hint of light gilding, choice for type. **CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE.** \$5500-\$7500

From the John W. Adams Collection.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #87 Lot 352 April 4, 1997.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #41 Lot #3982 March 16, 1990.



SPAIN

1054 Madrid. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1746. Ferdinand VI (1746-59). 51.6 mm; 57.92 gms. Her-15; Vives-20; Betts-379. Head of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Ferdinand in regal regalia standing right holding rudder in right hand, at right four personifications of the known world (Europe, Asia, New World and Africa) paying homage to the king to left, at the feet of Europa is a rabbit symbolizing Spain also bowing its head. Small die break of the raised rim at two o'clock. Nice sharp strike on polished planchet. A few faint wispy hairlines, nicely toned. **CHOICE ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** \$1000-\$1500

From the John W. Adams Collection.



1055 Madrid. Silver Proclamation Medal, 1746. Ferdinand VI (1746-59). 51.6 mm; 57.92 gms. Her-15; Vives-20; Betts-379. Head of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Ferdinand in regal regalia standing right holding rudder in right hand, at right four personifications of the known world (Europe, Asia, New World and Africa) paying homage to the king to left, at the feet of Europa is a rabbit symbolizing Spain also bowing its head. Small die break of the raised rim at two o'clock. Nicely struck large size medal with a handsome design. Some light small hairlines but nicely toned. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.**..... \$1000-\$1500

From the John W. Adams Collection.



1056 Madrid. Bronze Proclamation Medal, 1746. Ferdinand VI (1746-59). 41.0 mm; 27.64 gms. cf.Her-16; cf.Vives-20; cf.Betts-380. By I. Dassier. Head of Ferdinand VI right; Reverse: Armored draped standing figure of Ferdinand VI at left with rudder in hand, at right four personifications of the known world (Europe, Asia, New World and Africa) paying homage to the king to left, at the feet of Europa is a rabbit symbolizing Spain also bowing its head. A few small die fills at rim on reverse. Pleasant even mahogany patina with hardly any signs of wear or handling. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** \$500-\$700
From the John W. Adams Collection.



1057 Cordoba. Cast Silver Proclamation Medal, 1760. Charles III (1759-88). 31.7 mm; 10.9 gms. Med-61; Her-55; Betts-453. Armored draped bust of Charles III right; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain. Some digs and scratches on obverse, cleaned some time ago. **FINE**..... \$200-\$300
From the John W. Adams Collection.
Ex: Superior Galleries Sale Lot #3386 May 30, 1993.

END OF THE JOHN W. ADAMS COLLECTION

WORLD COINS



GHANA

- 1058 2 Pounds, 1968.** Bruce-6. Tied with 2 others for finest certified. Mintage of only 2,000 pieces. Commemorating the 1st anniversary of General Kotoka's death. NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO. \$600-\$750



GREAT BRITAIN

- 1059 Viking Coinage. Penny, ND (ca. 895-902). Cnut (ca. 895-920).** S-993; North-501. Patriarchal cross, "CNVT" around, three pellets in angles, "X" (likely intended for "REX") at 8 o'clock; Reverse: small cross, "CVN NET TI" around, four pellets divides legend. Excellent surfaces and neat strike. Choice toning. NGC MS-61..... \$600-\$800
PCGS# 149485.



- 1060 Kings of Wessex. Penny, ND (880-899). Canterbury Mint. Alfred the Great (871-899).** S-1069; North-638. Moneyer Ethelstan. Small cross Pattée, legend around; Reverse: Moneyer's name in two lines, pellets between. Lovely toning with an abundance of eye appeal. PCGS AU-50 Secure Holder. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 896001.



- 1061 Penny, ND (ca. 1059-62). Steyning Mint. Edward the Confessor (1042-66).** S-1182; North-828. Moneyer Deorman. Hammer cross type. Neat strike. Pleasant dark toning. NGC MS-61. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 756685.



- 1062 1/2 Noble, (1361-69). Edward III (1327-77).** S-1506; North-1238; Fr-96. Fourth Coinage, Treaty Period. PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder. \$1400-\$1700
PCGS# 159123.



- 1063 Angel, ND (1509-26). Henry VIII (1509-47).** Fr-155; S-2265; North-1760; Woodhead-563. NGC AU Details—Surface Hairlines..... \$1700-\$2000
PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 753147.



- 1064 Crown, 1551. Edward VI (1547-53).** S-2478; Dav-8245. Even wear. Some nice detail remaining on this popular type. NGC FINE-12. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 610203.



- 1065 Unite, ND (ca. 1628-29). Tower Mint. Charles I (1625-49).** S-2692; N-2153; cf. Woodhead-161; cf. Brooker-99; Fr-246; KM-153 var. Fourth bust, anchor mintmarks. Soft wrinkle from 2 to 7 o'clock. Small flan tag at 3 o'clock. Nicely toned. PCGS VF-30 Secure Holder. \$1400-\$1800



GREAT BRITAIN

1066 Crown, ND (1631-32). Charles I (1625-49). S-2852; KM-167; Dav-3763. Briot's first milled issue. A popular and lovely type. A few minor planchet flaws. Even wear and lovely even toning. NGC FINE-15. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 788377.



1068 1/2 Pound, 1642. Oxford Mint. Charles I (1625-49). S-2945; KM-235.7; North-2404; Brooker-867. With groundline and arms, seven pellets in reverse legend. Small edge crack at 7 o'clock as struck. Deeply toned and handsome. NGC VF-35. \$3500-\$4500
PCGS# 879361.



1069 Shilling, 1646. Charles I (1625-49). S-3143; KM-370.2; North-2640. Newark siege coinage. Historically important. Pleasing pearlescent gray toning. Nice even strike and very attractive. PCGS VF-35 Secure Holder. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 379911.

1067 Pound, 1642. Charles I (1625-49). S-2940; North-2398; Brooker-860. With cannon among arms. Slightly uneven strike, mostly weak in center and lower left, but well centered and all legends discernible. Deeply and handsomely toned. Small hairline planchet crack on reverse. NGC EF-40. \$9000-\$11,000
PCGS# 504114.
Ex: Triton Sale #14 January 4, 2011 Lot #1653.
Ex: Baldwin's Sale #140 May 3, 2005 Lot #239.



1070 6 Pence, 1677. S-3382; KM-441. Solid mint state example with light tone confined to the periphery. Common in the lower grades, but very difficult at this level. NGC MS-62. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 794666.



GREAT BRITAIN

1071 Farthing, 1675. Charles II (1660-85). S-3394; KM-436.1. Pleasing mahogany surfaces with lustrous mint orange highlights. Tied with two other pieces for finest certified. **PCGS MS-64 RB Secure Holder.** \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 610279.



1075 Crown, 1723-SSC. George I (1714-27). S-3640; KM-545.2; ESC-114; Dav-1346. Light toning. **NGC VF-35.** \$1000-\$1300
PCGS# 365673.



1072 Crown, 1692 (2 over Inverted 2). William & Mary (1688-94). S-3433; KM-478; ESC-85; Dav-3780. Interesting overdate. Darkly toned and pleasing. **NGC VF-30.** \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 610829.



1076 Crown, 1723-SSC. George I (1714-27). S-3640; KM-545.2; ESC-114; Dav-1346. Struck from silver supplied by the South Sea Company. A scarce and popular type. **NGC VF-20.** \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 365673.



1073 1/2 Crown, 1689. William & Mary (1688-94). S-3434; KM-472.1; Esc-503. First shield. Nice dark, attractive toning. **NGC AU-50.** \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 616822.



1077 1/2 Penny, 1717. George I (1714-27). S-3659; KM-549. "Dump". Glossy chocolaty brown with attractive mint orange highlights. Nice strike. **PCGS MS-64 BN Secure Holder.** \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 610373.



1074 2 Guineas, 1726. George I (1714-1727). S-3627; Fr-326; KM-554. Sharply struck. Attractive satin luster. Excellent eye appeal. **NGC MS-61.** \$5000-\$7000
PCGS# 618123.



1078 Farthing, 1720. George I (1714-27). S-3662; KM-556. Bright and appealing. Lovely mint luster. **PCGS MS-64+ RB Secure Holder.** \$600-\$800
PCGS# 610377.



GREAT BRITAIN

1079 1/2 Penny, 1740. George II (1727-60). S-3718; KM-579.1. Glossy and appealing. A hint of orange mint luster. Tied with two others for finest certified. **PCGS MS-65 BN Secure Holder..... \$600-\$800**
 PCGS# 610352.



1080 Guinea, 1761. George III (1760-1820). S-3725; Fr-352; KM-590. Very scarce one year type. **NGC VF Details—Rim Filing..... \$1000-\$1500**
 PCGS# 779704.



1081 GUINEA, 1775. George III (1760-1820). S-3728; Fr-355; KM-604. Fourth laureate bust right. Attractively light toning. Properly graded example. **NGC AU-53.... \$600-\$800**
 PCGS# 610025.



1082 "Spade" Guinea, 1793. George III (1760-1820). Fr-362; S-3729; KM-609. An attractive example of this ever popular type. **NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$1700**
 PCGS# 618056.



1083 Middlesex. 1/2 Penny Token, 1796. D&H-751. Thomas Spence. Copper. Cat atop tree branch; Reverse: Dog. Sharply struck. Nice mahogany surfaces with traces of mint red. Very attractive and exceptionally choice. **PCGS MS-66 BN Secure Holder..... \$500-\$700**
 PCGS# 527727.



1084 1/2 Guinea, 1813. S-3737; Fr-364; KM-651. Sharply struck. Frosty surfaces. **NGC MS-64..... \$1500-\$1700**
 PCGS# 618019.



1085 1/3 Guinea, 1800. George III (1760-1820). S-3738; Fr-365; KM-620. Tied for finest graded. Sharply struck. Sparkling luster. **NGC MS-64..... \$1300-\$1500**
 PCGS# 618018.



1086 1/3 Guinea, 1801. S-3739; Fr-366; KM-648. Finest certified by NGC. Sharply struck and very attractive. **NGC MS-64. \$1300-\$1500**
 PCGS# 618135.



1087 1/3 Guinea, 1806. S-3740; Fr-367; KM-650. Finest certified by NGC. Sharply struck and very attractive. **NGC MS-64. \$1300-\$1500**
 PCGS# 618034.



1088 1/3 Guinea, 1808. S-3740; Fr-367; KM-650. Tied with only two others for finest certified. Sharply struck. Attractive satin luster. **NGC MS-64. \$1300-\$1500**
 PCGS# 618032.



1089 1/2 Penny, 1770. George III (1760-1820). S-3774; KM-601. Significant areas of mint red luster. Bright and very attractive. The finest certified example. Exceptionally choice. **PCGS MS-66 RB Secure Holder. \$700-\$1000**
 PCGS# 610311.



GREAT BRITAIN

1090 Penny, 1797. Soho Mint. S-3777; KM-618; Peck-1148. Eleven leaves in laurel wreath. Finest certified. Pleasing mahogany toning. Sharply struck and very attractive. NGC MS-66 BN..... **\$700-\$1000**
PCGS# 529722.



1091 1/2 Sovereign, 1817. S-3786; Fr-372; KM-673. A very bright and lustrous example with highly reflective surfaces. Sharply struck and very appealing. PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. **\$900-\$1200**
PCGS# 206573.



1092 George IV Coronation Gold Medal, 1821. 34.8 mm; 31.2 gms. Eimer-1146a. By B. Pistrucci. Bust with laureate left with legend "GEORGIUS IIII D.G. BRITANNIARUM REX F.D." with the initials "B.P." below the truncation; Reverse: George IV seated left crowned by Victory from behind, depicted before him are Britannia, Hibernia, and Scotia; legend "PROPIO JAM JURE ANIMO PATERNO" with "INAUGURATUS DIE. JULII. XIX ANNO MDCCCXXI" in exergue. Official Royal mint issue. **EXTREMELY FINE.** **\$1200-\$1600**



1093 2 Pounds, 1823. S-3798; Fr-375; KM-690. A few bag marks on portrait. Sharply struck with frosty luster. NGC MS-62. **\$2000-\$2500**



1094 2 Pounds, 1826. S-3799; Fr-374; KM-701. Bare bust left; Reverse. Crowned shield with mantle, lettered edge "DECUS ET TUTAMEN ANNO REGNI SEPTIMO". A proof-only issue with a reported 450 examples minted. Possibly removed from jewelry. **PCGS Genuine—Tooled, Proof EF Details Secure Holder.**..... **\$2000-\$3000**
PCGS# 207272.



1095 1/2 Sovereign, 1826. S-3804a; Fr-380a; KM-700. Extra tuft of hair to left of ear. Flashing proof fields contrasting nicely with satin devices. **NGC PROOF-64 CAMEO.** **\$5000-\$7000**
PCGS# 388796.



1096 William IV and Queen Adelaide Coronation Gold Medal, 1831. 33 mm; 27.2 gms. By W. Wyon (obv) and F. Chantrey (rev). Bust right, legend reads "WILLIAM THE FOURTH CROWNED SEP: 8 1831" with the initial "W" in truncation; Reverse: Diademed bust right with legend "ADELAIDE QUEEN CONSORT. CROWNED SEP 8 1831" and the initial "C" in truncation. Some faint hairlines, small edge file. Otherwise a nice quality and highly attractive medal. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** **\$1000-\$1500**



1097 Sovereign, 1833. S-3829B; Fr-383; KM-717. Sharply struck. Brilliant surfaces and exceptional luster. One of four at this grade, with only four examples certified finer. Choice. NGC MS-63. **\$5000-\$6000**
PCGS# 206930.



1101 Sovereign, 1853. Fr-387e; S-3852c; KM-736.1. "W.W." raised on truncation. Nice strike with attractive satin luster. **PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder.** \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 160830.

GREAT BRITAIN

1098 Victoria Coronation Gold Medal, 1838. 36 mm; 31.18 gms. Eimer-1315. By B. Pistrucci. Bust left, draped wearing a bandeau, legend "D.G. BRITANUARUM REGINA F.D."; Reverse: Victoria seated with a lion behind receives a crown from Britannia, Hibernia, and Scotia; legend "ERIMUS TIBI NOBILE REGNUM" with "INAUGURATA DIE JUNII XXVIII MDCCCXXXVIII" in exergue. Some handling, lightly cleaned. **EXTREMELY FINE.** \$1200-\$1600



1102 Sovereign, 1871. Fr-387i; S-3853B; KM-736.2. Shield type, die #28. Sharply struck with very appealing reflective luster. **NGC MS-64.** \$800-\$1000
 PCGS# 62119. NGC ID: 462119.



1099 Sovereign, 1850. S-3852C; Fr-387e; KM-736.1. Without die number on reverse below shield. Scarce in this condition. Sharply struck. Attractive satiny surfaces. **PCGS MS-65+ Secure Holder.** \$3750-\$4500
 PCGS# 206960.



1103 Crown, 1847. S-3883; KM-744. Gothic type. "UNDECIMO" on edge. Attractive grey toning with hints of iridescence. **PCGS PROOF-63 Secure Holder...** \$4000-\$6000
 PCGS# 206439.



1100 Sovereign, 1851. S-3852C; Fr-387e; KM-736.1. Without die number on reverse below shield. Scarce in this condition. Sharply struck. Attractive satiny surfaces. **PCGS MS-65 Secure Holder.** \$3750-\$4500
 PCGS# 206961.



1104 Crown, 1847. S-3883; KM-744. "UNDECIMO" on edge. Hard mirror surfaces. Attractive iridescent toning and great eye appeal. **NGC PROOF-62.** \$3250-\$3750
 PCGS# 206439.



GREAT BRITAIN

1105 Queen Victoria Golden Jubilee Gold Medal, 1887. 56.73 mm; 85.23 gms. Eimer-1733a; BHM-3219. By J.E. Boehm and F. Leighton. Crowned, veiled and draped bust of Queen Victoria left; Reverse: Queen Victoria enthroned facing with personifications of Science, Letters, Arts, Industry, Agriculture, Empire and Mercury around, five linked shields below naming the regions of the British Empire. Some wispy hairlines from old cleaning but a genuinely beautiful and striking piece. **BRILLIANT PROOF**..... \$3500-\$5000



1106 Crown, 1887. S-3921; KM-765. Dusky multicolored tone atop semi-reflective fields. Super clean portrait. **NGC PROOF-65.** \$2000-\$3000
PCGS# 206451.



1107 Crown, 1893-LVI. S-3937; KM-783. Pools of periwinkle tone flood the fields of both sides. A single unobtrusive light scratch at the chin precludes superb gem status. **NGC PROOF-64.** \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 206470.



GREAT BRITAIN

- 1108 Lot of (2) Pennies, 1895.** S-3961A; KM-790. 2 pieces in lot. Includes: 2 Pennies, (1) with trident 2 mm from “P” and low tide (scarce variety) **NGC Unc Details—Surface Hairlines & MS-63 BN**..... **\$600-\$900**
 PCGS# 202801.



- 1109 Edward VII Coronation Gold Medal, 1902.** 55.64 mm; 92.0 gms. Eimer-1871a; BHM-3737. By G.W. de Saulles. Crowned mantled bust of King Edward VII right; Reverse: Crowned, veiled bust of Queen Alexandra right. Some wispy hairlines from light old cleaning, but hardly any other signs of handling. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED**..... **\$3500-\$4500**



- 1110 George V Coronation Gold Medal, 1911.** 51 mm; 84.9 gms. BHM-4022, Eimer-1922a. By B. Mackenel. Draped and crowned bust of King George V left, orb with the initials “B.M” below, legend reads “GEORGE V CROWNED JUNE 22 1911”; Reverse: Crowned and draped bust of Queen Mary left, legend “QUEEN MARY JUNE 22 1911. Official Royal mint Issue. Matte finish. Choice. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED**..... **\$3000-\$4000**



- 1111 Penny, 1926.** S-4054; KM-826. Modified effigy of George V. Key date. Attractive chocolate patina with blue and purple iridescence. **NGC MS-64 BN**..... **\$2800-\$3600**
 PCGS# 203005.



GREAT BRITAIN

- 1112 **Penny, 1931.** S-4055; KM-838. RARE in proof. Sharply struck with considerable mint red.
ANACS PROOF-63 RB..... \$800-\$1200
PCGS# 203069.



- 1113 **5 Pounds, 1937.** S-4074; Fr-409; KM-861. Mintage of only 5,001 pieces. NGC PROOF-64 CAMEO. \$3500-\$5000
PCGS# 388542.



- 1114 **Sovereign, 1937.** S-4076; Fr-411; KM-859. Proof only issue with a mintage of only 5,001 pieces. NGC PROOF-62.... \$1200-\$1600
PCGS# 207193.



- 1115 **George VI Coronation Gold Medal, 1937.** 57.09 mm; 121.27 gms. Eimer-2046a; BHM-4314. By P. Metcalfe. Crowned mantled bust of King George VI left; Reverse: Crowned bust of Queen Elizabeth left. Brilliant proof surfaces with only a few hairlines contrasting nicely with the frosted visages and legends. **BRILLIANT PROOF**..... \$4500-\$5500



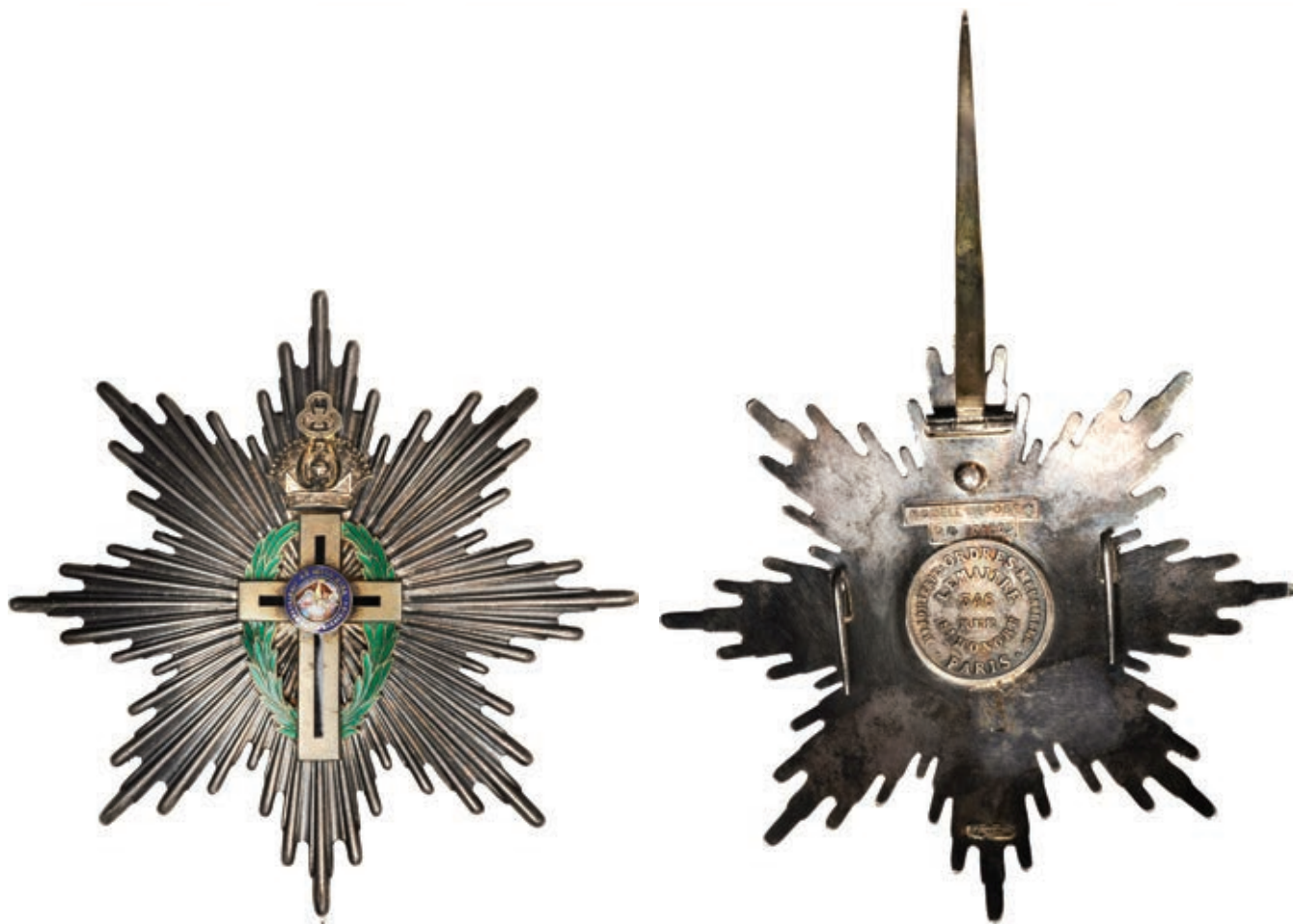
GREAT BRITAIN

- 1116 **Four Piece Proof Set, 1937.** S-PS15; Fr-409/12; KM-PS22. 4 pieces in set. Includes: 1/2 Sovereign to 5 Pounds. A fairly well matched coronation set. The 5 Pounds and 1/2 Sovereign each received DEEP CAMEO designations (**PROOF-64+** and **PROOF-66** respectively), while the 2 Pounds and Sovereign (both **PROOF-65 CAMEO**). With fitted plush maroon case of issue. **PCGS PROOF-64+ DEEP CAMEO to PROOF-66 DEEP CAMEO Secure Holders.** \$5000-\$7000
PCGS# 389387.
- 1117 **Three Piece Gold Proof Set, 1984.** S-PGS05; Fr-418 & 419 & 421; KM-PS46. 3 pieces in set. Includes: 1/2 Sovereign, 1 Sovereign and 5 Pounds. Housed in the original case of issue and with certificate of authenticity. **GEM BRILLIANT PROOF.** \$1600-\$1800



GREECE

- 1118 **Drachma, 1832.** KM-15; Geo-17. One of nine in this grade, with only three certified finer. Brilliant surfaces with light toning. **NGC MS-65.** \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 725700.



1119 Order of the Orthodox Crusaders of the Patriarchy of Jerusalem Breast Star, ND. 86 mm. Werlich-637. Multi-rayed silver star with a crown surmounted by a wreathed Christian cross at the center. A small multicolored view of the Nativity is affixed to the intersection of the cross arms; Reverse: One hinged and two affixed tunic pins. A medallion identifying the maker, LeMaitre of Paris give the street address of 346 Rue St Honore where the firm was located is from 1843 to 1872. A small hallmark is noted on the reverse of the bottom ray. The clasp for the hinged pin is missing. **EXTREMELY FINE.** **\$700-\$1000**



GUADELOUPE

1120 Franc Essai, 1903. KM-E4; Gad-48; Lec-55. RARE. "ARGENT" on edge near 2 o'clock when viewing the obverse. Dark toned. NGC MS-64. **\$1000-\$1500**
PCGS# 754681.



1121 Franc Essai, 19(21). Lec-53. Silver. Unfinished date. Unlisted in both Gadoury and KM. Scarce type and rarely appears in auction. A sparkling gem with traces of iridescent toning. NGC MS-66. **\$900-\$1200**



GUADELOUPE

1122 **Franc Essai, 19(21).** Lec-52. Copper-nickel. Unfinished date. Struck for Guadeloupe and her dependencies. Sharply struck. Very attractive with some faint amber gold toning. NGC MS-65. \$600-\$800



1125 **8 Reales, 1827-M.** KM-4. Lightly toned and attractive. NGC MS-61. \$1400-\$1800
PCGS# 720287.



GUATEMALA

1123 **8 Reales, 1787-NGM.** Charles III (1759-88). KM-36.2a; FC-33(R6); El-41. EXTREMELY RARE. A small hoard of mint state examples of this date, which consisted of only a few pieces, was discovered some time around 1960. They rarely appear back on the market, as the group has long since been dispersed among the collecting community. If it were not for this small group, this type would be virtually unobtainable in mint state. Well struck. Lustrous and attractive. The second finest graded by NGC, with the finest only one grade point higher at MS-62. A very desirable type coin befitting of even the most sophisticated collection. NGC MS-61. \$7000-\$9000
PCGS# 259482.



1126 **8 Reales, 1830-NGM.** KM-4. Central American Republic issue, minted in Guatemala. Reverse of 1830 type. RARE DATE. Quite well struck with full sun face, rays and mountains. The reverse is equally well struck with full leaves on tree. Some light adjustment marks on the reverse. A fully lustrous and remarkably choice example that should attract some spirited bidding. NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$2500
PCGS# 720291.



1124 **8 Escudos, 1817-NGM.** Fr-22; KM-71. RARE final year of royal gold minting in Guatemala. Toned, particularly deep near periphery, weak center strike. NGC EF-45. \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 300210.



1127 **10 Pesos, 1869-R.** Fr-42; KM-191. Bright, lustrous and very attractive for this type. NGC MS-61. \$1200-\$1600
PCGS# 161927.



1128 **20 Pesos, 1869-R.** Fr-38; KM-194. One year type with a mintage of only 16,000 pieces. Light rub on the high points, some contact marks on the surfaces. Otherwise wholesome and attractive. NGC AU-55. \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 217797.



GUATEMALA

1129 10 Quetzales, 1926. Fr-49; KM-245.
NGC MS-62. \$1200-\$1600
PCGS# 733774.



HONDURAS

1130 1/2 Real, 1823-TL. Tegucigalpa Mint. KM-9. Jara-Figure 31,CJ-11. EXTREMELY RARE. Provisional issue from the "T.L." series. All of the coinage of the "T.L." series should be considered RARE. This short lived series occurs directly following the round provisional coinage. It serves as somewhat of a missing link between those and the later provisional imitative cob types of 1823 and 1824. Nicely toned with a very clear date for this type.
NGC EF-40. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 239164.



1131 Real, 1851-G. Tegucigalpa Mint. KM-18c. Small planchet flaw on reverse, well struck with a large amount of original silver still present. Toned and attractive.
NGC AU-55. \$800-\$1000
PCGS# 752709.



HUNGARY

1132 Goldgulden, ND. Ludwig I (The Great) (1342-82). Fr-3; Rethy-62. Premium condition. Nice strike with satin luster.
NGC MS-63. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 514448.



1133 Goldgulden, ND (1446-47). Nagybanya Mint, Mint Masters Christophorus & Antonius Czathy. Johann Hunyadi (1446-53). Fr-14; Huszar-615; Pohl-G 1-1; cf.Rethy-154a. RARE. Saint holding halberd in right hand and globus cruciger in left, flanked by mintmark and shield, legend divided; Reverse: Quartered arms in beaded circle. Hunyadi was a formidable foe against the Turks in the middle of the 15th century and is best known for the defense of Belgrade in the Spring of 1456. With only 3,000 Christian soldiers ready to defend the city against the Ottoman hordes, the Franciscan Monk John of Capistrano arrived with 200 ships containing thousands of men of various nationalities right as the siege began. Hunyadi, while defending the city, drove back the assailants three times with the aid of Capistrano's crusader forces. Suffering heavy losses, the Turks were able to retreat safely, but not without the sultan Mohammad II being wounded with an arrow. After the siege no real attempt was made to pursue the retreating Ottoman forces and Hunyadi boasted that it was now possible "to take possession of the whole of the kingdom of Turkey". Shortly there after, a plague broke out claiming the lives of the both Hunyadi and Capistrano. Nice strike. Lightly toned and attractive.
NGC EF-45. \$4000-\$6000



1134 Taler, 1611-KB. Mathias II (1608-19). Dav-3051; KM-27; Huszar-1106. Slightly soft obverse strike. Light toning with some russet hues in legend. NGC AU-58. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 743205.
From the Rockaway Collection.



HUNGARY

1135 Taler, 1691-KB. Leopold I (1654-1705). Dav-3261; KM-214.2. Lustrous and beautifully multicolored toned with hues of gold, azure and red. NGC MS-63. \$600-\$800
 PCGS# 516189.



1136 Ducat, 1702-KB. Kremnitz Mint. Fr-128; KM-151; Huszar-1322. Finest certified by a long shot, with stellar prooflike surfaces and an exceptional strike. A glittering gem worthy of the finest collection. PCGS MS-66+ Secure Holder. \$2000-\$3000
 PCGS# 514788.



1137 5 Ducats, 1703-NB. Nagybanya Mint. Leopold I (1658-1705). Fr-134; KM-A257; Huszar-1295. A RARE and impressive large size gold piece struck using Taler dies. Flan with only slight wave to it, making for a very attractive piece overall. Small hole which has been plugged at 12 o'clock, skillfully done on obverse leaving little trace, not quite so on reverse. PCGS Genuine—Holed and Plugged, AU Details Secure Holder. \$5000-\$7000
 PCGS# 376731.



1138 1/2 Taler, 1716-KB. Charles VI of Austria (1711-40). KM-287. Sharply struck. Pleasing slate toning and an abundance of luster. NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1200
 PCGS# 955440.



HUNGARY

1139 Pattern Forint, 1878. Bruce-M1a. Copper. Commemorating the reopening of the Joseph II Mine at Schemnitz. VERY RARE. Listed mintage of only 3 pieces, but it seems likely to be higher. NGC AU-55. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 373539.



1140 500 Forint, 1966-BP. Fr-618; KM-570; Huszar-2358. Commemorating the Defense of Szigetvar and the 400th anniversary of the war against the Turks. From a mintage of only 1,100 pieces. NGC PROOF-64 ULTRA CAMEO. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 352700.



INDIA

1141 Kushan Empire. AR Stater. Vasudeva I (A.D. 195-230). 7.93 gms. Fr-23; Mitch-3385. King standing left holding trident; Reverse: Siva standing facing holding trident, bull standing behind. Sharply struck. EXTREMELY FINE. \$700-\$1000



1142 Mughal Empire. Mohur, AH 1085 Year 18 (1674/5). Sholapur Mint. Aurangzeb Alamgir (1658-1707). Fr-808; KM-315.43. Erroneous KM number on slab tag. Sharply struck. Lustrous and very attractive. NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1400
PCGS # 863751



1143 Mughal Empire. Mohur, AH 1098 Year 30 (ca. 1698). Shahjahanabad Mint. Aurangzeb Alamgir (1658-1707). Fr-810; KM-315.42. Sharply struck. Attractive luster. NGC MS-63. \$900-\$1200
PCGS # 242990



1144 Danish Tranquebar. Fano, 1816. KM-170; Sieg-89; UBJ-362. Very scarce. Nice strike, excellent surfaces, exceptional quality for this normally well worn type. PCGS AU-50 Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 267782.



1145 Portuguese India. Goa. Sao Tome, ND (ca. 1595). Felipe I (1580-98). Fr-1453; Gomes-10.01. Recovered from the Portuguese shipwreck Santiago. VERY RARE and the only gold coin we have seen recovered from this shipwreck. PCGS AU-50 Secure Holder. \$3000-\$4000
Recovered from the wreck of the Santiago.



1146 Madras Presidency. 1/2 Pagoda, ND (1808-11). KM-353; Mitchiner-1836. Overstruck on a cut down Spanish Colonial 8 Reales. Large English letter variety. Exceptional quality and tied for finest certified. NGC MS-64. \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 392605.



1147 British India. Mohur, 1841-(b&c). Fr-1595a; KM-462.3; S&W-3.7. Lustrous and attractive for the grade. PCGS MS-61 Secure Holder. \$2500-\$3500
PCGS# 238863.



INDIA

1148 British Administration. Mohur, 1841. Fr-1595a; KM-462.3; S&W-3.7. Plain "4", initials on truncation. Light hairlines from being cleaned long ago, now with light attractive orange peel toning in the protected areas. **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, Unc Details Secure Holder.**..... \$1800-\$2200
 PCGS# 238870.



1149 5 Rupees, 1870-CM. Calcutta. Fr-767; KM-494. Finest certified. Younger queen portrait type with initials "CM" appearing at the bottom of bust indicating Calcutta Mint. Restrike. A very appealing example of British Empire gold coinage. Sharply struck with hard mirror fields. **NGC PROOF-64 CAMEO.**..... \$5000-\$7000
 PCGS# 150020.



1150 Mohur, 1879. Fr-1604; KM-496. Restrike. Deep hard mirror fields with frosted devices. Great eye appeal. **NGC PROOF-64 ULTRA CAMEO.**..... \$4000-\$5000



1151 Mohur, 1882-C. Fr-1604; KM-496. Nice strike. Lustrous and highly appealing. **PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder.**..... \$2500-\$3500
 PCGS# 122489.



1152 British India. Mohur, 1889-(C). Fr-1604; KM-496; S&W-6.16. Mintage of only 15,367 pieces. **NGC AU-58.**..... \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 954694.



1153 British India. Mohur, 1891-(C). Fr-1604; KM-KM-496; S&W-6.18. Mintage of only 16,524 pieces. **NGC MS-62.**..... \$2000-\$3000
 PCGS# 954695.



INDONESIA

1154 100,000 Rupiah, 1974. Fr-6; KM-41. Conservation series, komodo dragon. Mintage of only 1,369 pieces. **NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO.**..... \$1200-\$1600
 PCGS# 757810.



IRAN

1155 Pahlevi, SH 1310 (1931). Fr-95; KM-1133. Mintage of only 304 pieces. Sharply struck and very attractive. **NGC AU-58.**..... \$2500-\$3500
 PCGS# 361346.



IRAN

1156 2 1/2 Pahlavi, SH 1340 (1961). Fr-100; KM-1163. Mintage of only 2,788 pieces. NGC MS-64. \$750-\$900
PCGS# 211705.

1157 Nine Piece Proof Set, 1971. Fr-106/9; KM-PS2. 9 pieces in set. Includes: 25 to 2,000 Rials. 2,500 years of Iranian monarchy and the coronation of their Imperial Majesties commemoratives. In original case of issue, with certificate of authenticity. Several of the silver pieces have taken a lovely blue/plum tone from the plush blue lining. **GEM BRILLIANT PROOF**. \$2000-\$2500



1158 5 Pahlevi, SH 1354 (1975). Fr-99; KM-1202. Frosty mint luster. NGC MS-65. \$2400-\$2800
PCGS# 852345.



IRAQ

1159 5 Dinars, AH 1390//1971. Fr-1; KM-134. Commemorating the 50th anniversary of Iraqi army. **NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO**. \$600-\$750



IRELAND

1160 Penny, 1822. cf.S-6623; cf.KM-151; Coincraft-IG41D-005. **EXTREMELY RARE**. The only example we have seen of this issue with a reeded edge. Pleasing glossy chocolate brown patina with a areas of blue iridescence. **PCGS MS-63 BN**. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 53325463.



ISLAMIC KINGDOMS

1161 Manghits of Bukhara. Tilla, AH 1309 (1891). Sayyid 'Abd Al Ahad (AH 1303-29 (1886-1910)). Fr-10; KM-65; Album-T3088. Nice even strike. **NGC MS-63**. \$600-\$750
PCGS# 723970.



ISLE OF MAN

1162 1/2 Penny, 1733. James Stanley, Tenth Earl of Derby. KM-3; S-7405. Second issue, plain cap. Attractive patina with hints of original mint red amongst the devices. Sharply struck and very attractive. **PCGS MS-64 BN Secure Holder**. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 168759.
From the Demarete Collection.



ISRAEL

1163 50 Lirot, 1964. Fr-4; KM-44. 10th anniversary of the establishment of the Bank of Israel. Mintage of only 1,502 pieces. **PCGS PROOF-67**. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 332702.



ITALY

1164 Genoa. 2 Scudi, 1640-iBSvs. Dav-LS553; KM-82; MIR-290/2. Attractively toned, large size silver multiple. NGC EF-45. \$1700-\$2000



1165 Kingdom of Napoleon. Pattern Soldo, 1804-M. Napoleon I (1804-14). KM-Pn17. Sharply struck. Pleasing chocolaty patina with nice glossy surfaces. NGC PROOF-64 BN. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 352203.



1166 Kingdom of Napoleon. 5 Lire, 1807-M. Milan Mint. Napoleon I (1804-14). KM-10.1; Mont-216; Gig-94. Scarce date. Mintage of only 39,000 pieces. Lovely slate grey toning. NGC EF-40. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 869523.



1167 Lombardy-Venetia. 1/2 Sovrano, 1831-M. Fr-741d; C-10.1; Mont-336; Gig-24. Bright with great eye appeal. NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$1800
PCGS# 184192.



1168 Mantua. Scudo, ND (1630). Carlo I Gonzaga (1627-37). Dav-3956; KM-138; Varesi-660. Minor porosity present. Nice strike. Lovely pearlescent gray toning. In a remarkable state of preservation considering its type and age. Choice and attractive. PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder. \$2500-\$3500
PCGS# 451168.



1169 Milan. Ducatone, 1622. Philip IV of Spain (1621-65). Dav-4001; CNI-V.326,13; MIR-361/1; Gnecci-25; Crippa-6c. Scarce type. Sharply struck. Very attractive dark toning. NGC EF-45. \$1300-\$1600
PCGS# 129645.



ITALY

1170 Milan. 1/2 Filippo, 1736. KM-152; Crippa-14c. RARE. Attractive dark toning with nice detail. NGC VF-35..... \$5000-\$6000



1174 Papal States. Scudo d'Oro, ND. Paul III (1534-49). Fr-65; Berman-904. Nice strike on a broad flan, with full legends on both sides. Very attractive. NGC AU-58. \$900-\$1100
PCGS# 161907.



1171 Modena. Scudo, ND (ca. 1629-58). Francesco I d'Este (1629-58). Dav-4039. RARE. Large bold portrait. NGC VF-30..... \$3800-\$4500



1175 Papal States. Piastra (Scudo of 80 Bolognini), 1675. Clement X (1670-76). KM-368; Dav-4078. Holy year. Sharply struck with light attractive golden toning. NGC AU-58. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 149504.



1172 Modena. Tallero, 1796. Ercole III d'Este (1780-96). Dav-1394. Lustrous with light even toning. NGC AU-53. \$1000-\$1200



1176 Papal States. Piastra (Scudo of 80 Bolognini), 1684. Innocent XI (1676-89). KM-451.1; Dav-4093; Berman-2085. Nice strike. Lovely old cabinet toning. Very attractive. NGC AU-58. \$900-\$1100
PCGS# 959587.



1173 Naples & Sicily. 3 Grana, 1810. Pagani-762. RARE. Re-strike in bronze. An intriguing and seldom seen piece. Minor die crack along the neck of the bust. Sharply struck with lovely mahogany surfaces and traces of mint red. NGC MS-62 BN..... \$3000-\$3500



ITALY

1177 Papal States. Piastra (Scudo of 80 Bolognini), MDCXCI (1691)- II. Alexander VIII (1689-91). KM-528; Dav-4100; Berman-2173; Mutoni III-12. Commemorates papal aid to Venice during the war with the Turks. Pleasing silver gray toning. NGC EF-45. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 959598.



1180 Papal States. Scudo, MDCCCXXX (1830)-B. KM-1311; Berman-3271. Sede Vacante. Sharply struck with lovely prooflike surfaces and pleasing light toning. NGC MS-64 PL..... \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 382455.



1181 Papal States. 10 Scudi, 1836-R (Year V). KM-1108; Gig-3; Mont-1. Nice strike with attractive luster. NGC MS-62. \$1400-\$1700
PCGS# 342559.



1178 Papal States. Piastra (Scudo of 80 Bolognini), 1692. Innocent XII (1691-1700). KM-557; Dav-4102; Berman-2225. St. Michael defeating Lucifer. Nice strike with attractive old toning. NGC AU-53. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 959599.



1182 Papal States. 20 Lire, 1866R-XXI. Fr-280; KM-1382.2; Mont-345; Gig-266. Tied with five others for finest certified by NGC and one by PCGS. Sharply struck with glittering luster. Some light toning on the reverse. NGC MS-64. \$650-\$800
PCGS# 342701.



1179 Papal States. 1/2 Piastra, ND (1708)-VIII. Clement XI (1700-21). KM-709; Berman-2389. Sharply struck and lightly toned. NGC AU-55. \$750-\$900
PCGS# 189455.



1183 Papal States. 100 Lire, 1866-R. Fr-278; 1383; Berman-3330; Gig-257; Mont-336. Some scattered contact marks. A RARE issue from a mintage of only 1,115 pieces. PCGS AU-55 Secure Holder. \$3500-\$5000
PCGS# 938466.



ITALY

1184 Papal States. 20 Lire, 1868R-XXIII. KM-1382.4; Gig-272; Mont-352; Berman-3334. Sharply struck with frosty luster. NGC MS-64. **\$650-\$800**
PCGS# 938438.



1190 Parma. 40 Lire, 1815. Fr-933; C-32; Gig-1; Mont-111. NGC AU-55. **\$700-\$1000**
PCGS# 335477. NGC ID: 233681.



1185 Papal States. 2 1/2 Scudo, 1875-R Year XI. Fr-274; KM-1117; Berman-3306. Nice strike with attractive luster. NGC MS-64. **\$600-\$800**



1191 Piacenza. Doppia con Data, 1585-PC. Ottavio Farnese (1556-86). Fr-894; Varesi-1117/3; CNI-14; Nomisma-76. Some natural planchet flaws. Lightly cleaned. VERY RARE. ALMOST UNCIRCULATED. **\$2000-\$3000**



1186 Vatican. 100 Lire, 1929-VIII. Fr-283; KM-9; Berman-3352; Gig-1; Mont-421. Exceptionally choice with good eye appeal. NGC MS-66. **\$600-\$750**
PCGS# 240554. NGC ID: 240554.



1192 Piedmont-Subalpine Republic. 20 Franc, LAN-10 (1801). Turin Mint. Fr-1172; C-5. Year 10. Napoleonic issue commemorating the victory at Marengo. Some faint peripheral toning. Lustrous surfaces. NGC AU-55. **\$1000-\$1500**
PCGS# 335500.



1187 Vatican. 100 Lire, 1943-V. Fr-287; KM-39. Mintage of only 1,000 pieces. NGC MS-64. **\$700-\$800**
PCGS# 841109.



1193 Roman Republic. 8 Baiocchi, 1849-R. KM-25; Mont-61; Gig-3. Excellent proof surfaces. Bright and appealing. A sparkling gem. NGC PROOF-65 CAMEO. **\$700-\$900**
PCGS# 735813.



1188 Vatican. 100 Lire, 1945-VII. KM-39. Mintage of only 1,000 pieces. NGC MS-65. **\$900-\$1100**
PCGS# 841111.



1194 Roman Republic. 8 Baiocchi, 1849-R. Rome Mint. KM-25. Sharply struck. Lightly toned and very attractive. NGC PROOF-65. **\$600-\$800**
PCGS# 735813.



1189 Parma. 20 Lire, 1815. Fr-934; C-31; Gig-3; Mont-113. Nice strike with attractive luster. NGC AU-58. **\$900-\$1200**
PCGS# 956118.



ITALY

1195 Sardinia. 20 Lire, 1816-L. Fr-1129; KM-95; Gig-11; Mont-17. Eagle's head mintmark.
PCGS AU-53 Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 466583.

1200 Sicily. Oncia, 1750-FN. Carlo di Borbone (Carlo III) (1734-59). Fr-887; C-14a; Mont-102; Gig-24. Slightly weak strike, as usual. Soft satin luster and attractive.
NGC MS-61. \$600-\$750
 PCGS# 600122. NGC ID: 235700.



1196 Sardinia. 100 Lire, 1836-P. Genoa Mint. Fr-1138; KM-133.2. RARE date. Low mintage of only 703 pieces.
NGC AU-55. \$1800-\$2100
 PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 233920.



1197 Sardinia. 20 Lire, 1849-P. Fr-1143; KM-131.2; Gig-44; Mont-81. Anchor mintmark . Sharply struck with reflective surfaces. Very attractive. **NGC MS-63..... \$700-\$900**
 PCGS# 336064.



1198 Sicily. Oncia, 1734. Carlo di Borbone (1734-59). Fr-885; Mont-79; Gig-8 MIR-547. Slightly weak strike. Soft satin luster and good eye appeal. **NGC MS-63. \$900-\$1100**
 PCGS# 125317.

1201 Sicily. 30 Tari, 1785-GLC. Ferdinand III (1758-1816). Dav-1416; KM-37; MIR-596; Gig-2; Mont-229. A few small rim dings and scattered handling marks on obverse. Reverse displays some adjustment marks near legend. Toned, slightly lighter on reverse. **NGC EF-40. \$1400-\$1800**
 PCGS# 799309.



1199 Sicily. Oncia, 1750-VB/FN. Carlo di Borbone (Carlo III) (1734-59). Fr-887; C-14a; Mont-102; Gig-24. Sharply struck. Brilliant surfaces and great eye appeal. **NGC MS-65. \$1200-\$1500**
 PCGS# 125335.



1204 Tuscany. Francescone (10 Paoli), 1799. C-37; Dav-1521; Gig-25; Mont-131. Hard to miss obverse hairlines, but with full hair detail. One of the better dates of the nine year issue. NGC Unc Details—Excessive Surface Hairlines. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 868718.



1205 Tuscany. 5 Paoli, 1820. C-58; Mont-288; Gig-41. Very scarce two year issue. Minor adjustment marks on cheek. Exquisite toning with nice luster. NGC MS-61. \$1300-\$1500
PCGS# 833463.

ITALY

1202 Sicily. 30 Tari, 1793-NdOV. Ferdinand III (1759-1816). Dav-1422; KM-227; MIR-598/1; Gig-4; Mont-231. Nicely toned with only a few scattered contact marks. Nicely struck and attractive. NGC EF-45. \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 125315.



1206 Tuscany. Zecchino, 1832. Fr-345; C-76; Mont-315; Gig-11. Slightly wrinkled flan, as typical. Nice strike with good detail. NGC MS-62. \$900-\$1100
PCGS# 833508.



1203 Tuscany. Tollero, 1725. Giovanni Gaston (1723-37). KM-45; Dav-1502. Livorno (Leghorn). Lovely dark hued toning. Nice strike and very attractive. NGC AU-50. \$7500-\$8500
PCGS# 849816.



1207 Venice. Scudo (140 Soldi), ND (1636)-BB. Francesco Erizzo (1631-46). Dav-4249. Light toning. Lustrous and very attractive. NGC MS-62. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 394581.



ITALY

1208 Venice. Osella, 1764-II MF. Alvisè Moncenigo IV (1763-78). 9.7 gms. Paolucci-247; Gamberini-1733. Sharply struck. Lustrous and very attractive. NGC MS-63. \$1600-\$1900



1209 Venice. Osella, 1782-IVDT. Paolo Renier (1779-89). Paolucci-265; Gamberini-1863. Sharply struck with lovely old cabinet toning. NGC MS-63. \$1300-\$1500



1210 Venice. Osella, 1787-VIIIIGF. Paolo Renier (1779-89). Paolucci-270; Gamberini-1877. Lustrous with faint peripheral toning. NGC MS-63. \$1200-\$1400



1211 Venice. Dalmatia & Albania. Soldo, ND (1796-97). KM-17. RARE. Struck for use in Dalmatia and Albania. Sharply struck. Glossy brown surfaces and traces of mint orange luster. NGC MS-65 BN. \$1300-\$1500



1212 Venice. Dalmatia & Albania. 2 Soldi, ND (1796-97). KM-18. RARE. Struck for use in Dalmatia and Albania. Nice strike with attractive minty orange highlights. NGC MS-63 BN. \$1300-\$1500



1213 Venice. 20 Lire, 1848. Fr-1518; C-187; Mont-89; Gig-1. Very scarce. Mintage of only 5,210 pieces. Cleaned. NGC VF Details—Removed From Jewelry. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 364406.



1214 10 Lire, 1861-TB. Fr-14; KM-9.1; Mont-153; Gig-26. EXTREMELY RARE. From a mintage of only 1,916 pieces. NGC EF-40. \$6000-\$7000
PCGS# 700403.



1215 100 Lire, 1888-R. Fr-18; KM-22; Gig-4; Mont-04. A few small rim bumps and scrapes, mostly on reverse. RARE type from a mintage of only 1,169 pieces. NGC AU Details—Rim Damage. \$4000-\$5000
PCGS# 381365.



1216 50 Lire, 1911-R. Fr-25; KM-54; Mont-34; Gig-19. 50th anniversary of the Kingdom commemorative. PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$1700-\$2000
PCGS# 338475.



ITALY

1217 50 Lire, 1911-R. Fr-25; KM-54; Mont-34; Gig-19. 50th anniversary of the Kingdom commemorative.
PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$1700-\$2000
PCGS# 338475.



1218 50 Lire, 1911-R. Fr-25; KM-54; Mont-34; Gig-19. 50th anniversary of the Kingdom commemorative.
PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$1700-\$2000
PCGS# 338475.



1219 50 Lire, 1911-R. Fr-25; KM-54; Mont-34; Gig-19. 50th anniversary of the Kingdom commemorative.
PCGS MS-62+ Secure Holder. \$1600-\$1800
PCGS# 338475.



1220 50 Lire, 1912-R. Fr-27; KM-49; Gig-16; Mont-30. A few light contact marks. Nice strike. Good luster.
PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 338472.



1221 50 Lire, 1912-R. Fr-27; KM-49; Mont-30; Gig-16.
PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$1700-\$2000
PCGS# 338472.



1222 50 Lire, 1912-R. Fr-27; KM-49; Mont-30; Gig-16.
PCGS MS-62+ Secure Holder. \$1500-\$1800
PCGS# 338472.



1223 50 Lire, 1912-R. Fr-27; KM-49; Mont-30; Gig-16.
PCGS MS-62+ Secure Holder. \$1500-\$1800
PCGS# 338472.

Iconic 5 Lire 1914 Engraved By the Legendary A. Motti



ITALY

- 1224 5 Lire, 1914-R.** KM-56; Mont-114; Gig-72. Designed by Davide Calandra and engraved by Attilio Silvio Motti. An iconic and exceptional design, very much in demand and of the highest artistic quality. Lovely light gray toning caresses the reverse design of an armored female figure (Roma?) driving a quadriga. Tied with five other pieces in this grade, with only two others graded higher across both NGC and PCGS. NGC MS-63..... **\$12,000-\$15,000**
 PCGS# 338252.



- 1225 20 Lire, 1923-R.** Fr-31; KM-64; Gig-34; Mont-55. 1st anniversary of fascist government commemorative. NGC MS-63..... **\$1300-\$1600**
 PCGS# 70665.



- 1226 Lira, 1927-R.** KM-62; Mont-208; Gig-145. RARE. Mintage of only 100 pieces. Exceptional and lustrous. NGC MS-64..... **\$1000-\$1200**
 PCGS# 840753.



JAPAN

1227 **Genbun Koban (1 Ryo), ND (1736-1818).** Fr-13; JNDA-09-19; C-22.. Some scattered banker's marks.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$1200-\$1500

1228 **Bunsei Koban (1 Ryo), ND (1819-28).** Fr-14; C-22a; JNDA-19-20. A very nice example.
EXTREMELY FINE. \$1500-\$1800

Attractive Ansei Trade Dollar



1229 **Ansei Trade Dollar (3 Bu or San Bu), ND (1859).** KM-101.2; JNDA-09-57 (44A); J&V-J101; Dav-272. Larger Characters. Four Japanese characters "Aratame San Bu Sada" (changed to 3 Bu of determined silver) applied at 12 o'clock, on an 1858-PF Mexican 8 Reales from the Guanajuato Mint. Mexican "Dollars" were exchangeable for 3 Bu of silver, which was in accordance with Article V of the Treaty of Amity and Commerce, signed March 31, 1858 and enacted July 1859, as set forth by the Consul-General Townsend Harris. It wasn't until Yokohama opened up for trade in 1859 that silver coins were countermarked. VERY RARE. Our records indicate 12 examples of this host coin's mint mark with only three of this date. Countermarks well executed and with full details in all four characters. Lustrous with light attractive toning. Both host coin and countermarks are **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** NGC AU-58..... \$10,000-\$12,000



JAPAN

1230 Ansei Trade Dollar (3 Bu or San Bu), ND (1859). KM-101.3; JNDA-09-57(44A); J&V-J101; Dav-272. Smaller characters. Four Japanese characters "Aratame San Bu Sada" (changed to 3 Bu of determined silver) applied at 12 o'clock on the obverse, on an 1859-FH Mexican 8 Reales from the Mexico City Mint. Mexican "Dollars" were exchangeable for 3 Bu of silver, which was in accordance with Article V of the Treaty of Amity and Commerce, signed March 31, 1858 and enacted July 1859 as set forth by the Consul-General Townsend Harris. It wasn't until Yokohama opened up for trade in 1859 that silver coins were countermarked. **VERY RARE.** Our records indicate 17 examples of this host coin's mint mark with only three of this date. Countermarks well executed and with full details in all four characters. Lightly toned. Both host coin and countermarks are **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** NGC AU-50. **\$8000-\$10,000**



1231 2 Yen, Year 3 (1870). Fr-48; Y-10; JNDA-01-4. Sharply struck. Bright and appealing. NGC MS-62. **\$700-\$1000**
PCGS# 500995.



1232 5 Yen, Year 5 (1872). Fr-47; Y-11a; JNDA-01-3a. Sharply struck. Frosty mint luster. Very attractive. NGC MS-65. **\$1500-\$2000**
PCGS# 501015.



1233 Trade Dollar, Year 9 (1876). Y-14; JNDA-01-12. Lightly cleaned with some light toning. Sharply struck and attractive. **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, AU Details.** **\$1000-\$1200**
PCGS# 501264.



1234 Yen, Year 11 (1878). Y-A25.2; JNDA-01-10. RARE date. Sharply struck and attractively toned. NGC MS-62. **\$1200-\$1800**
PCGS# 500642.

JERSEY

1235 Partial Nine Piece Proof Set, 1972. KM-PS6. 8 pieces in set. Includes: 50 Pence to 50 Pounds, lacking the silver Pound coin. The rest of the set is complete and untouched. Some toning is present from long term storage in the original plush case of issue. **BRILLIANT PROOF.**..... **\$1400-\$1800**



MALTA

1236 20 Scudi, 1764. Emmanuel Pinto (1741-73). Fr-35; KM-275; Schembri-pg. 154#1. Scarce one year type. Tied with one other piece for finest certified. A choice and lustrous example. NGC MS-62. **\$2500-\$3500**
PCGS# 991076.



MALTA

1237 20 Scudi, 1778. Emmanuel de Rohan (1775-97). Fr-43; KM-311; Restelli-2; Schembri-1. Peripheral orange peel toning. Nice strike with a few minor adjustment marks on the reverse. Lustrous and appealing. NGC AU-58. \$2700-\$3200
PCGS# 991083.



MEXICO

1240 Carlos & Johanna, Early Series. 4 Reales, ND (1538). Assayer R (oMo oMo) Francisco del Rincon. KM-16; Nesmith-6d/unlisted. Rhomboid panel, Latin "R". Bold shield details and full legends on both sides. NGC VF-35. \$1500-\$2000



MAURITIUS

1238 1,000 Rupees, 1975. Fr-2; KM-42. Conservation series, Mauritius flycatcher. From a mintage of 716 pieces in proof. NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1400-\$1600
PCGS# 735194.



1241 Carlos & Johanna, Early Series. 4 Reales, ND (ca. 1538-40/1). Assayer P (oMo oPo). KM-17; Nesmith-unlisted dies. Minor hairlines present, though an appealing example with nearly full legends on both sides. NGC EF Details—Surface Hairlines. \$1200-\$1500



1239 1,000 Rupees, 1982. Fr-5; KM-50. Year of disabled persons. Mintage of only 48 pieces. NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 735214.



1242 Carlos & Johanna, Late Series. 4 Reales, ND (ca. 1546-47). Assayer A (M A), Alonso del Villaseca. KM-18; Nesmith-unlisted. Unlisted over-assayer. Assayer "A" over "G". Attractive old collection toning. Sharply struck with full legends. NGC AU-53. \$900-\$1200

**MEXICO**

1243 Carlos & Johanna, Late Series. 4 Reales, ND (ca. 1543-44). Assayer R (R M). KM-18; Nes-74. RARE assayer. Toned. NGC EF-45. \$700-\$1000

1244 1/2 & 1 Reales, ND. 30 pieces in lot. Comprised of an assortment of Mexico City 1/2 and 1 Reales of various dates recovered from the wreck of the Johanna, also includes three pieces from Bolivia. All pieces with mild to moderate corrosion but on most the design elements are discernible although mintmarks and dates are few. SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. GOOD-FINE. \$300-\$600

Ex: Johanna.

1245 Lot of (12) 2 Reales, ND. 12 pieces in lot. Comprised of cob 2 Reales recovered from the wreck of the Johanna. All with moderate to heavy corrosion leaving only three mintmarks visible and no dates. SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. FAIR-FINE. \$400-\$800

Ex: Johanna.

1246 2 & 4 Reales, ND (ca. 1556-85)-MoO. Philip II (1556-98). 7 pieces in lot. Comprised of pieces recovered from the Santiago, a Portuguese trading carrack which sank between Madagascar and Mozambique August 12, 1585. Includes: (4) 2 Reales (Cal-Type-329 #501) and (3) 4 Reales (Cal-Type-222 #335). All with mild surface corrosion, but most have full mintmarks and assayer letters. All with certificates of authenticity. SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. FINE-VERY FINE. \$400-\$800

Ex: Santiago.

1247 Lot of (12) 8 Reales, ND. 12 pieces in lot. Comprised of cob Mexico 8 Reales recovered from the wreck of the Johanna. All pieces with moderate to heavy corrosion leaving only five visible mintmarks. SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. FAIR-VERY GOOD. \$400-\$800

Ex: Johanna.

Unpublished Philip III Mexican "Royal" 8 Reales



MEXICO

1248 8 Reales Royal, ND (1598-1607). cf.KM-R44.1 (unpublished variety); cf.Cal type 43#84 (unpublished variety); cf.Laz-#33 (Same reverse die, unpublished obverse die). Philip III, Assayer F. Medalllic die axis. VERY RARE fully round presentation strike or "Royal", struck on a specially prepared planchet. The exact reason as to why these specially made pieces were produced is unknown. On theory is that these pieces were struck to prove the quality of the coins from the Mint. They were produced on specially manufactured cast round planchets, as opposed to cutting blanks from the end of a silver bar. Special care was also employed in striking, as they are nearly always precisely executed with well-centered dies. Another theory offers the possibility that they were submitted for inspection to the Viceroy and possibly even the King of Spain himself. Although possible, this theory is less likely and there is evidence against this. For instance, some "Royals" exist with Central American countermarks from the 19th century, hence these examples were never sent to Spain for inspection. Shipwreck evidence further discredits this theory as two Mexican "Royals" were found during the salvage of the Dutch wreck of the "Rooswijk", which was on route to the East Indies (hence not in route to Spain for inspection). The current belief is that these were specially commissioned pieces produced for ceremonial purposes or special events. One contemporary document discusses specially made coinage that was given out as gifts during a Royal wedding. In this case the men were given 8 Reales, while the women were given 4 Reales. Regardless of their intended purpose it is clear that these are specially made coins and that the method of manufacture varies greatly from that of traditional circulating coinage of the time. The first "Royal" coinage was produced in Mexico under the reign of Philip II; there are two known examples. Under Philip III the first dated "Royals" appear in 1607; prior to this all "Royals" were undated showing legends ending in "DEI GRATIA" or some variant there of. Although these pieces are undated, it is possible through stylistic differences and design changes to arrange these in some semblance of order. The first "Royal" coinage of Philip III exhibit a crown which is attached to the coat of arms without a lower arc (similar to the coinage of Philip II; see Lazaro No.33). Shortly thereafter the coinage of Philip III takes on its own style, as the crown becomes detached with a lower arc. Although undated, the piece offered here was likely produced some time around 1600. It clearly shares the same reverse die as Lazaro No.33, which is an early "Royal" with the crown style of Philip II. Further, the obverse die appears to be a totally unpublished variant, where "GRATIA" is arranged with a hyphenated spelling "GRA*TIA". Struck on a large round planchet with full legends. Attractive old toning, pierced as usual. A very pleasing and collectible example of this VERY RARE type. **VERY FINE.**\$15,000-\$20,000

PCGS# 219737.



MEXICO

1249 8 Reales, 1680-MoL. Charles II (1665-1700). KM-46; Cal-Type-79#280. Recovered from the wreck of the Johanna. Oblong cob planchet with full date, mintmark and assayer. Mild surface corrosion. With certificate of authenticity. **VERY FINE.** \$250-\$350
 PCGS# 709568.
 Ex: Johanna.



1250 Real, 1733-MXF. Philip V (1700-46). KM-75.1; Cal-Type-260#1590; Gil-M-1-3. **EXTREMELY RARE.** Single letter assayer. Missing from nearly all major collections including Gerber and Patterson. Pellets between "M" and "X" of mintmarks. **NGC Fine Details—Polished.** \$2000-\$3000
 PCGS# 670060.
 From the David Gray Collection.
 Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #130, Lot #680.



1251 4 Reales, 1733-MoMF. Philip V (1700-46). KM-94; Cal-Type-179#1045; Gil-M-4-4. **NGC VF Details—Environmental Damage.** \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 410303.
 From the David Gray Collection.



1252 8 Reales, 1733-MoF. Philip V (1700-46). KM-103; Cal-Type-146#775; Gil-M-8-2; FC-2a. Small crown. The 1733-Mo single letter F assayer should be considered quite scarce to RARE. A large majority of the coins that appear on the market are recovered from a single find at Coffin's Patch from the 1733 Plate Fleet. A number of these rare coins were found fused together in clumps. Many of the coins in these clumps were still in original stacks completely fused together with marine encrustation and coral. Many pieces were sitting on top of one another, protecting them from the ocean environment. It is interesting to note that all the 1733 pillar coinage found in these clumps bear the single letter F assayer mark. With certificate of authenticity. Moderate corrosion from salt water submersion. Deeply toned. **PCGS Genuine—Environmental Damage, EF Details Secure Holder.** \$700-\$1000
 PCGS# 670100.
 From the David Gray Collection.
 Ex: 1733 Plate Fleet.



1253 8 Reales, 1733-MoMF. Philip V (1700-46). KM-103; FC-31 (rarity 4); El-3; Gil-M-8-5; Cal-Type 146 #776. Small crown, large dot above assayers letters, two moldings atop pillars. Small edge clip at 5 o'clock, where the planchet was cut out from near the edge of a sheet of silver. The second year of issue for Pillar coinage. Well struck and highly lustrous. A very attractive example of this scarce and highly sought after date. **NGC MS-61.** \$7000-\$10,000
 PCGS# 670200.

1254 Lot of (6) 8 Reales, ca. 1740-42. Philip V (1700-46). KM-103; Cal-Type-147. 6 pieces in lot. Includes: (2) 1740, 1741 and (3) 1742 Mexico pillar 8 Reales recovered from the wreck of the Reigersdaal. All with mild corrosion, but all handsome examples with pertinent elements full and legible. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE.** \$500-\$800
 Ex: Reigersdaal.



MEXICO

1255 8 Reales, 1747-MoMF. Philip V (1700-46). KM-103; FC-19; El-25; Gil-M-8-19. Nice strike. Attractive toning. **PCGS MS-61 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500**
PCGS# 670049.



1259 8 Escudos, 1757-MoMM. Ferdinand VI (1746-60). Fr-21; KM-152. Nicely struck and lightly toned. A very handsome example with good eye appeal. **PCGS AU-53 Secure Holder. \$3000-\$4000**
PCGS# 173458.



1256 8 Reales, 1763/2-MoMF. Charles III (1759-88). KM-105; Cal-Type-101#895; Gil-M-8-42c; FC-41d. Scarce overdate. Sharply struck and beautifully toned with hues of orange, red and blue. **NGC AU-58. \$750-\$950**
PCGS# 670044.



1260 8 Escudos, 1762-MM. Charles III (1759-88). Fr-29; KM-155. "Rat Nose" type. First date of issue for this RARE type. Small scratch and a few small digs on obverse, still reasonably attractive. Nicely struck with peripheral orange peel toning. **NGC AU Details—Obverse Damage. \$3000-\$4000**
PCGS# 670086.



1257 4 Escudos, 1732-MoF. Philip V (1700-46). Fr-9; KM-135; Cal-Type-52#237. **EXTREMELY RARE.** First year of issue. **NGC VF Details—Mount Removed. \$6000-\$8000**
PCGS# 239167.
*From the David Gray Collection.
Ex: Eliasberg Collection.*



1261 Escudo, 1765-MF. Charles III (1759-88). Fr-32; KM-117. **NGC EF-40. \$700-\$1000**
PCGS# 396851.



1258 8 Escudos, 1736-MF. Philip V (1700-46). Fr-8; KM-148; Cal-Type 28 #128. A lovely example with a good strike and flashing peripheral luster. **NGC AU-58. \$3500-\$4500**
PCGS# 171480.



1262 8 Escudos, 1797-FM. Charles IV (1788-1808). Fr-43; KM-159; Cal-Type-8#47. Lustrous and quite appealing. **PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$3000-\$4000**
PCGS# 670150.



MEXICO

1263 4 Reales, 1821-MoJJ. KM-74. Well struck with full button on drapery and laurel wreath in hair. A very nice example of this type and quite RARE in this grade. Toned. **PCGS AU-50 Secure Holder. \$500-\$700**

PCGS# 247938.

Ex: Superior Galleries Auction December 11-16, 1972 lot#2496



1264 War of Independence. Durango. 8 Reales, 1814-DMZ. KM-110.1. Armored bust. RARE three year type. Clear date, mint mark, and assayer's letters. Toned. Several small scratches. Still a reasonably attractive example of this normally very crudely struck type. **NGC VG Details—Reverse Scratched..... \$1500-\$2000**

PCGS# 718094.



1265 War of Independence. Guadalajara. 4 Reales, 1814-GaMR. KM-102.3; Cal-Type-205-#718. Large bust. Struck on planchet of lustrous metal. Toned with subdued orange and blue tones around devices. The finest certified and probably one of the finest example known. Highly lustrous and very attractive. **NGC MS-63..... \$3500-\$4500**



1266 War of Independence. Guanajuato. 2 Reales, 1821-GoJM. KM-93.3; Cal-Type-245#877. EXTREMELY RARE. An elusive and very underrated coin with reportedly only around 3 examples known to exist. A wholesome and collectible problem free example. Moderate even wear from circulation. Toned. **VERY GOOD \$4000-\$5000**

Purchased privately from Mike Dunigan.



1267 War of Independence. Oaxaca. Struck Real, 1812. cf.KM-167 (for cast type); cf.Cal-Type-333#1188 (for cast type). Struck in silver whereas this issue is always encountered as cast silver. Pilar Gonzalez Gutierrez (Cracion de casa de moneda en Nueva Expana) pg.146 states that a small minting press was functioning, but for unknown reasons, it was a failure. Presumably at this point struck coinage was used as a "Madre" or "Mother coin" for casting. Some very noticeable features on the dies used to strike this example have clearly transferred to the mold for the cast coinage. Most notably the double punched "O" after the large "F" for Ferdinand. The first example this cataloger has seen in more than 20 years of cataloging Mexican coinage. Reliable sources report the existence a single example of the half real struck in silver. To our knowledge no example of the 8 Reales has ever surfaced in struck form. **EXTREMELY RARE and possibly UNIQUE. Moderately circulated. FINE-VERY FINE..... \$5000-\$7000**

Purchased privately from Mike Dunigan.



1268 War of Independence. Oaxaca. Real, 1812. KM-167; Cal-Type-333#1188. VERY RARE denomination, much more so than the 8 Reales. Cast silver. Some minor contact marks. Slight evidence of repair (possibly mount) visibly at 12 o'clock, most notably on the revers. Mildly toned **VERY FINE. \$2500-\$3500**

Ex: Cayon Auction 5/05 Lot #5650



MEXICO

1269 War of Independence. Zacatecas. 8 Reales, 1811. KM-191. "MONEDA PROVISIONAL". Two year type. Toned with underlying luster. An exceptional example of this normally very crude and poorly struck type. **NGC AU-50.** \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 714385.



1270 War of Independence. La Comandancia Militar. 2 Reales, 1811. KM-193.2. LCM countermarked on an 1811 Moneda Provisional de Zacatecas 2 Reales. Countermark evenly impressed. Light attractive toning with azure and red hues. Countermark **EXTREMELY FINE** Details, host coin **PCGS VF-20 Secure Holder.**..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 723342.



1271 War of Independence. Supreme National Congress of America. Cast Silver 2 Reales, ND (Style of 1811). cf. KM-A213 (cast); Cal-Type-288#1048. **EXTREMELY RARE.** Cast silver. Although undated, clearly of the style of 1811 8 Reales (KM-207). Much like the 8 Reales, the first issue of this type would have been struck and used as "Madres" or "Mother coins" in creating the mold to produce the issue offered here. Identical in most feature to the larger denomination (8 Reales), however the date was omitted from 1 to 4 o'clock. It is unclear if this was done in error or intentional. Clearly this was not a space issue, as a large portion of the coin remains blank, where on the larger denomination the date appears. Highly important and seldom offered. **VERY FINE.** \$6000-\$7000
Purchased privately from Mike Dunigan.



1272 8 Escudos, 1858-CaJC. Fr-67; KM-377.2. Scarce mint. **PCGS EF-40.**..... \$1100-\$1300
PCGS# 520934.



1273 Durango. 8 Escudos, 1840/30-DoRM/RL. Fr-68; KM-383.3. **SCARCE** date. Well struck with light hairlines from being cleaned long ago, now with light attractive toning. **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, AU Details Secure Holder.**..... \$1200-\$1600
PCGS# 732542.



1274 Durango. 8 Escudos, 1852/1-DoJMR. Fr-68; KM-383.3. Very scarce date. This is the only example certified by NGC. **NGC AU-50.** \$1500-\$1800
PCGS# 221534.



1275 8 Reales, 1828-EoMoLF. KM-377.5; DP-EoMo01. An excellent example for this difficult mint. Attractive and even toning with good eye appeal. **NGC EF-40...** \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 519152.



MEXICO

1276 Guadalajara. 8 Escudos, 1836-GaJG. Fr-70; KM-383.5. Very scarce mint. Well struck with typical minor weakness in centers. Light field smoothing that is barely noticeable. A very acceptable example of an 8 Escudos from this hard to locate mint. **PCGS Genuine—Smoothed, AU Details Secure Holder.**..... \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 263054.



1277 Guadalajara. Escudo, 1848/7-GaJG. Fr-101; KM-379.2. Attractive with considerable mint luster. **NGC AU-55.** \$450-\$600
 PCGS# 722957.



1278 Guadalajara. 2 Escudos, 1861/0-GaJG. Fr-91; KM-380.3. Attractive strike with good details. **NGC MS-61.** \$650-\$800
 PCGS# 715107.



1279 Guanajuato. 4 Escudos, 1832-GoMJ. Fr-83; KM-381.4. **PCGS EF-45.**..... \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 520863.



1280 Guanajuato. 8 Escudos, 1844-GoPM. Fr-72; KM-383.7. Sharply struck. Toned with considerable underlying mint luster. **ICG EF-45.** \$900-\$1100
 PCGS# 263115.



1281 Hermosillo. 8 Escudos, 1871-HoPR. Fr-73; KM-383.8. Scarce mint. Upon close inspection there appears to be a tiny edge nick on the obverse at 8 o'clock which is obscured by the holder which could be the rim damage that PCGS is stating. Typical weak strike in centers with light wispy hairlines. Reflective surfaces. **PCGS Genuine—Rim Damage, AU Details Secure Holder.** \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 521291.



1282 Mexico City. 8 Reales, 1824-MoJM. KM-A376.2; HO-MO12/MR12. "Hookneck Eagle". **NGC EF-45.** \$500-\$700
 PCGS# 518256.



1283 Mexico City. 8 Escudos, 1826/5-MoJM. Fr-64; KM-383.9. Scarce date. Well struck with minor weakness in centers. Reflective surfaces and good eye appeal. **PCGS MS-61 Secure Holder.** \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 702706.



MEXICO

1284 Mexico City. 4 Escudos, 1861-MoCH. Fr-77; KM-381.6. Scarce date. Light attractive toning.
PCGS AU-50 Secure Holder. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 748008.



1288 20 Pesos, 1873-CnP. Fr-122; KM-414.2. Some light tooling marks near scroll and cactus. From a mintage of only 1,317 pieces. **NGC AU Details—Tooled.** \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 845236.



1285 Mexico City. 4 Escudos, 1868-MoPH. Fr-77; KM-381.6. Light, attractive toning with sparkling luster.
PCGS AU-55 Secure Holder. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 748010.



1289 Guanajuato. 20 Pesos, 1883/2-GoB. Fr-124; KM-414.4. Sharply struck with nearly full mint luster.
NGC AU-58. \$1500-\$1800
PCGS# 408743.



1286 8 Reales, 1887/6-OaAE. KM-377.11; DP-Oa32. Clear overdate. Sharply struck and lightly toned. Very attractive.
PCGS MS-65 Secure Holder. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 174385.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates May 1987 Auction Lot #1528.



1290 Guanajuato. 20 Peso, 1900-Go R. Fr-124; KM-414.4. Mintage of only 4,512 pieces. Sharply struck.
PCGS AU-55 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 755225.



1287 Empire of Maximilian. Peso, 1866-Mo. KM-388.1. Nice pearlescent grey toning. **NGC MS-64.** \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 157267. NGC ID: 157267.



1291 20 Pesos, 1904-MoM. Fr-119; KM-414.6. Sharply struck. **NGC MS-62.** \$1900-\$2200
PCGS# 524635.



MEXICO

1292 **Peso, 1913/2.** KM-453. Tied with eight others, with only one graded higher (at MS-65) at NGC. Lovely pale rose gold hued toning. Very attractive.
NGC MS-64 \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 525775.



1293 **Peso, 1914.** KM-453. Key date. Sharply struck. Attractive luster. **NGC MS-62**..... \$2500-\$3500
 PCGS# 525777.



1294 **50 Pesos, 1931/0.** Fr-172; KM-481. RARE overdate. Sharply struck with good eye appeal.
ICG MS-63..... \$1900-\$2200
 PCGS# 515442.



1295 **50 Pesos, 1931.** Fr-172; KM-481. Tied for second finest certified. Sharply struck with satin luster. Very attractive.
NGC MS-65 \$2200-\$2500
 PCGS# 526251. NGC ID: 158360.



1296 **50 Pesos, 1945.** Fr-172; KM-481. Tied for second finest certified. **NGC MS-66** \$1600-\$1800
 PCGS# 526253. NGC ID: 158363.



1297 **Oaxaca. 5 Pesos, 1915-TM.** Fr-177; KM-750; GB-372. Nice peripheral orange peel toning.
NGC MS-61 \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 141376.



1298 **Medal, 1847-GC.** 40 mm; 33.39 gms. Grove-Vol.II #93a. Silver medal. The obverse has a nine line inscription that commemorates the first use of steam machinery in the Sierra Madres for producing coins. Tomas Mackintosh, Director. The reverse has a nine line inscription that commemorates the first steam machinery brought into the Sierra Madres that began to operate at the Guadalupe y Calvo mint on December 1, 1847. An interesting and highly collectible piece. Undoubtedly struck at the Guadalupe y Calvo mint, making it the only official mint medal produced by that mint. Dark toning around background, but with bright luster coming out on the features and characters. Some light evidence of cleaning at one time, now toned. A very interesting medal that discusses the subject matter of early Mexican minting at the provincial mints. RARE. NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE. \$1000-\$1500



MEXICO

1299 Gold Cervantino Festival Medal, Guanajuato, 1972. 37 mm; 41.4 gms. Don Quixote in front of cathedral; Reverse: Arms of Guanajuato. Sharply struck with somewhat proof-like fields. NGC MS-64. \$1400-\$1700



MONACO

1300 100 Franc, 1884-A. Fr-11; KM-99. Light toning with soft satin luster. NGC MS-63. \$1900-\$2200
PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 531348.



1301 100 Franc, 1886-A. Fr-11; KM-99. Exceptional quality for this type. NGC MS-64. \$2500-\$3000
PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 531350.



1302 100 Franc, 1895-A. Fr-13; KM-105; Gad-124. Light bag marks. Bight and appealing. NGC MS-61. \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 251440.



1303 5 Franc Piefort, 1945. Fr-20; KM-PE3. Piefort essai in gold. VERY RARE. From a mintage of only 15 pieces. Prooflike. NGC MS-65. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 717547.



1304 10 Franc Essai, 1974. Fr-unlisted; KM-E65; Gad-156. Gold. From a mintage of only 1,000 pieces. PCGS SP-65 Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 650050.



NETHERLANDS

1305 Amsterdam. 20 Stuiver (1/2 Daler) Siege Klippe, 1578. Del-185; Mailliet-3. RARE. Good placement of stamps on compact planchet. Minimal doubling. NGC EF-45. \$700-\$900



NETHERLANDS

1306 Amsterdam. Opening of the New City Hall Silver Medal, 1655. 70.06 mm; 95.85 gms. VanLoon-II, 399/387. By G. Pooll. Crowd before the new city hall with church to right and Mercury flying above; Reverse: The Trireme Argo sailing into the port of Amsterdam. A beautifully struck large size medal with incredible detail. If one looks aboard the ship on the reverse, its identity is confirmed by the presence of a tiny golden fleece hung up midship. Some scattered light handling and contact marks but overall very little wear, mostly due to the use of rims higher than the actual relief. Nice deep old toning and very attractive. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** \$2000-\$3000



1307 Brabant. Breda. 2 Stuivers, 1625. KM-2. Uniface Klippe struck during the siege of Breda by the Spanish. Very attractive. NGC MS-63 BN..... \$500-\$700



1308 Gelderland. Florin, ND. Karel Van Egmond (1492-1538). Fr-68. Nice strike. Attractive design. NGC AU-50. \$650-\$800
PCGS# 167178.



1309 Holland. Stuiver, 1739. Fr-unlisted; KM-91a. Gold. PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder. \$300-\$500
PCGS# 436165.



1310 Utrecht. 7 Gulden, 1760. Fr-289; KM-103; Delmonte-971. Finest certified by NGC, tied with one other by PCGS. Sharply struck and very attractive. NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 492533.



1311 Utrecht. 14 Gulden, 1763. Fr-288; KM-104; Delm-970. Sharply struck with attractive luster. NGC MS-63. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 529902.



1312 Utrecht. 14 Gulden, 1763. Fr-288; KM-104; Delm-970. Lightly cleaned long ago. Nice strike. NGC Unc Details—Surface Hairlines. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 529902.



NETHERLANDS

1313 Utrecht. 14 Gulden, 1763. Fr-288; KM-104; Delm-970. A lovely full strike. A few wispy hairlines. NGC Unc Details—Surface Hairlines. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 529902.



1317 Utrecht. 2 Ducat, 1801. Fr-315; KM-12.2; Delm-1170B. Housed in an old NGC holder. Brilliant and attractive. The finest certified example. Exceptionally choice and a real prize for any collection. NGC MS-66. \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 742370.



1314 Utrecht. 2 Ducat, 1765/3. Fr-283; KM-42.2; Delm-962. Some minor hairlines in the fields, but otherwise a lovely piece with a crisp strike. NGC Unc Details—Surface Hairlines. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 421646.



1318 Utrecht. 2 Ducat, 1803. Fr-315; KM-12.2; Delm-1170B. Nice strike. Appealing orange peel toning. NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 742372.



1315 Utrecht. 2 Ducat, 1779. Fr-283; KM-42.2; Delm-962. Nice strike. Lustrous and very appealing. NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 796388.



1319 Utrecht. 2 Ducat, 1804. Fr-315; KM-12.2; Delm-1170B. Sharply struck. Light peripheral orange peel toning on the reverse. NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 530003.



1316 Utrecht. Ducaton (60 Stuiver), 1791. Dav-1832; KM-92.1. Heavy silver crown in immaculate condition. Free of tone and fully struck. Tied for finest graded at NGC. Sharply struck with brilliant reflective surfaces. NGC MS-63. \$1400-\$1800
PCGS# 421673.



1320 Utrecht. 2 Ducat, 1805. Fr-315; KM-12.2; Delm-1170B. Tied for finest certified by NGC and PCGS. Light adjustment marks near the edge. A stunning and bright example with a crisp strike. NGC MS-65. \$2000-\$3000
PCGS# 742374.



NETHERLANDS

1321 **West Friesland. Silver Ducat, 1676.** KM-64.1; Dav-4910; Delmonte-972. Struck at the private mint of Dirk Husch in Enkhuizen. Pearl gray patina with legends highlighted by darker tones. **PCGS AU-50 Secure Holder.** \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 273560.

1323 **Zeeland. Double Ducatoon, 1748.** Dav-1847; Delm-976a (R1). Piefort. Brilliant surfaces with light fiery orange toning. Great eye appeal. **NGC MS-62.** \$2000-\$2500



1322 **Middleburg. Daalder Klippe, 1572.** Delm-165; Van-Gel-36a; Maillet-pl.83#2. Uniface. Bold stamps, particularly of Zeeland and Middleburg. A few small spots of filing at edge. Deep old toning and attractive. **NGC EF Details—Edge Filing.** \$1500-\$1800



1324 **Silver Synod of Dort (Dordrecht) Medal, 1619.** 58 mm; 56.1 gms. Van Loon II-105; MI-222/77; Eimer-99. "ASSERTA RELIGIONE" around view of Synod Chamber with seated members all around; Reverse: "ERVNT. VT. MONS. SION", (date in Roman numerals), pilgrims ascending Mt. Zion as the four winds blow. Sharply struck. Toned and very attractive. **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED.** \$2000-\$2500

1325 **Lot of (6) Ducatons, ca. 1660-79.** 6 pieces in lot. Comprised of silver Riders recovered from the wreck of the Merestein. Each piece is from a different Dutch province or city. Mild to moderate corrosion on all pieces. Most dates are visible. All pieces with certificates of authenticity. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. VERY GOOD-VERY FINE.**..... \$400-\$800
 Ex: Merestein.



NETHERLANDS

1326 1/2 Gulden, 1819. KM-54; Sch-280. Very scarce short lived type. Nice slate hued toning with iridescent highlights. NGC AU-58. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 485955.



1327 10 Gulden, 1825B. Fr-329; KM-65. NGC MS-62. \$650-\$800
PCGS# 532589.



1328 2 1/2 Gulden, 1863. KM-82. Very scarce. The key coin in this 25 year series, with the lowest mintage by a huge margin. Nice original surfaces. PCGS VF-30 Secure Holder. \$650-\$800
PCGS# 532287.



1329 10 Gulden, 1898. Fr-348; KM-124. One year type. Very difficult to find in this high grade. PCGS MS-65 Secure Holder. \$600-\$750
PCGS# 532650.



NICARAGUA

1330 Granada. 1/2 Real, 1824. KM-5; Jara-Figure-13; Flores-no.5; Cruz-pg.43. EXTREMELY RARE with only a handful of examples known. A pomegranate (granada) flanked by "J-G" for Junta de Granada (respectively), date of (24) below; Reverse: Mimics that of colonial cob coinage, however the lions in the quadrants are replaced with pomegranates. An exceptional and very important example of this type, as much of the date is visible. Most examples of this type do not contain a legible date, this contributing to past numismatists (including Cruz and Flores) mistakenly attributing this issue to 1823. It was not until 2007 that this type was correctly attributed to 1824 by Carlos Jara in his work on the Central American provisional and provincial mints. Slab incorrectly labeled as 1823. Lightly toned and of good metal quality. NGC VF-30. \$1500-\$2500
PCGS# 218278.



1331 Granada. Real, (18)24. KM-6; Jara-pg.49, Figure14 (for host type, see pg. 33 Figure-8/10 for countermark). Host coin is a Nicaraguan provisional 1 Real produced in imitation of Spanish colonial cob coinage. The obverse quadrants exhibit the letter "J-G" and "D-G" for Junta de Granada and Departamento de Granada respectively. The reverse design mimics that of the traditional cross type colonial cobs bearing the arms of Castile & Leon, however the lions have been replaced with pomegranates. The obverse has been countermarked with a radiant liberty cap, attributed to Leon Nicaragua (see Jara Figure 7) as documented on contemporary fiscal papers of 1824. EXTREMELY RARE. Toned. Some minor deposits. Deeply countermarked. NGC VF-20. \$1500-\$2500
PCGS# 218279.



NORWAY

1332 Speciedaler, 1821-IGP. KM-290; Sieg-16; NM-2. Nice strike. Attractive dark toning. NGC AU-58. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 758100.



NORWAY

1333 20 Kroner, 1902. Fr-17; KM-355; Sieg-104. Sharply struck with attractive light toning. NGC MS-65. \$600-\$700
 PCGS# 270256.



1334 20 Kroner, 1910. Fr-19; KM-376; Sieg-105; NM-1. Scarce one year type. Tied with just two other examples for the finest certified. Brilliant and lustrous. NGC MS-66. \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 270261.



1335 1,500 Kroner, 1991. Fr-21; KM-435. Struck to commemorate the 1994 winter Olympics in Lillehammer, Norway. Olav V left; Reverse: Ancient skier rock drawing. NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO. \$650-\$750
 PCGS# 270357.



PANAMA

1336 Palo Seco Leper Colony. Cent, ND (1919). KM-Tn1; Schimmel-52. Scarce. Hairlines from being cleaned long ago. Now subdued with attractive multicolored toning. NGC AU Details—Surface Hairlines. \$650-\$850
 PCGS# 707038.



1337 500 Balboas, 1979-FM. Fr-7; KM-62. Golden Jaguar. NGC MS-68. \$2200-\$2700



1338 500 Balboas, 1980. Fr-11; KM-70. Two white egrets. RARE. Mintage of only 54 pieces. NGC MS-69. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 8337. NGC ID: 51237.





PANAMA

1339 500 Balboas, 1981. Fr-15; KM-75. Sailfish. RARE. Mintage of only 41 pieces. NGC MS-69..... \$1000-\$1500



1340 500 Balboas, 1983-FM. Fr-30; KM-96. RARE. Only 73 pieces minted without frosted devices. NGC MS-69..... \$1400-\$1600
PCGS# 8343. NGC ID: 51243.



PERU

1341 Escudo, 1722-M. Philip V (1700-46). Fr-10; KM-35. RARE type. Crude strike. PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, EF Details Secure Holder..... \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 706947.



1342 8 Escudos, 1749-LR. Ferdinand VI (1746-60). Fr-12; KM-47. Two dates. "49" below cross on reverse. Nicely struck with full pillars and cross, as well as considerable legend. NGC VF-35..... \$3500-\$4500
PCGS # 256945



1343 8 Escudos, 1751-J. Ferdinand VI (1746-59). Fr-16; KM-50; Cal-Type-6#18. Attractive orange peel toning amongst the devices. NGC AU-55..... \$4500-\$5500
PCGS# 244425.



1344 8 Reales, 1753-J. Ferdinand VI (1746-60). KM-55.1; FC-2; El-2; Gil-L-8-3; Cal-329. Nice strike. Lustrous and appealing. NGC MS-61..... \$2800-\$3400
PCGS# 707175.



PERU

1345 8 Escudos, 1756-JM. Ferdinand VI (1746-60). Fr-20; KM-59.2; Cal-Type 7 #24. Mount mark on edge. Cleaned. NGC AU Details—Mount Removed. \$1200-\$1600
PCGS# 244430.



1347 8 Escudos, 1806-JP. Lima Mint. Fr-40; KM-101; Cal-Type-4#10. Toned with underlying luster. NGC AU-53. \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 245552.



1346 8 Reales, 1775-MJ. Charles III (1759-88). KM-78; FC-30; El-32. A highly lustrous example with only the lightest touch of toning. The finest certified example of this year by a full three grades. Sharply struck with good eye appeal. PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 409038.



1348 1/2 Escudo, 1817-JP. Fr-59; KM-125. RARE type. NGC AU-55. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 703197.

VERY RARE "Peru Restored" Medal in Gold



PERU

1349 Officers Medal "Peru is Restored in Ayacucho by The Liberator Simon Bolivar" Stuck in Gold By A. Davalos, 1824 (Instituted by law of the Constitutional Congress on February 12, 1825). 34.73 x 28.23 mm; 16.85 gms. Ross & Stahl-Pe7; cf-Fon-9178; Braschi-I.A.3a. Uniformed bust of Simon Bolivar right, legend around, engraver's initials below; Reverse: Arms of Peru superimposed on wreath and flags, legend around. Struck to commemorate the battle of Ayacucho on December 9, 1824. Bolivar's army of Liberation under the command of Antonio Jose de Sucre, defeated the royalist army under the command of Viceroy de la Serna in a decisive victory, where the revolutionary forces captured the viceroy and his senior staff. The outcome of this battle solidified Peru's independence and destroyed the last remaining Spanish field army in South America after 300 years of colonial rule. RARE and historically significant. Nicely struck with attractive orange peel toning among the devices. **EXTREMELY FINE.** **\$10,000-\$12,000**



1350 Silver Medal, 1838. Cuzco Mint. Fonrobert-9235. Honoring Marshal Andres de Santa Cruz. "To the Unconquered Protector of the Confederation, Santa Cruz in Cuzco". Bust of Santa Cruz right, flanked by flags and military equipment; Reverse: Crowned castle, two condors perched at top. Sharply struck with exquisite detail and attractive luster. NGC MS-63. **\$600-\$800**



PERU

1351 100 Soles, 1950. Fr-78; KM-231. Mintage of only 1,176 pieces. ICG MS-63. \$1900-\$2200
 PCGS# 554431.



1355 100 Soles, 1956. Fr-78; KM-231. From a mintage of only 1,159 pieces. PCGS MS-62+ Secure Holder. \$2000-\$2300
 PCGS# 554437.



1352 100 Soles, 1951. Fr-78; KM-231. Mintage of only 8,241 pieces. NGC MS-64. \$1800-\$2000
 PCGS# 150212. NGC ID: 296341.



1356 100 Soles, 1965. Fr-78; KM-230. NGC MS-65. \$1800-\$2100
 PCGS# 554446.



1353 50 Soles, 1952. Fr-79; KM-230. Very low mintage of only 1,201 pieces. Tied for second finest graded at NGC. NGC MS-64. \$1000-\$1200
 PCGS# 795776.



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1357 Barrilla, 1728. Manila Mint. Basso-1. Cast uniface Barila with arms of Manila stamped in center. VERY RARE. According to the Central Bank of the Philippines Quarterly Vol. II #1, this type was unknown until 1948, when the first specimen was found in the ruins of an old building in St. Tomas. Typical crude manufacture. Neither NGC or PCGS will certify this type (NGC-ineligible type; PCGS-Authenticity unverifiable). However, we are confident of the authenticity of this specimen. A fascinating piece with a rich history. Attractive. VERY FINE. \$1000-\$1500
 PCGS# 692336.



1354 100 Soles, 1955. Fr-78; KM-231. From a mintage of only 901 pieces. PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder. \$2000-\$2300
 PCGS# 554436.



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1358 8 Reales, 1828 (Decree of October 13, 1828). KM-16; Basso-35; PNM#6-18; PNM#16-1; Cacho-Type I CS-001; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I; ECP-Fig.2. Type I Manila overstrike, with serrated boarders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on an 1827-PTSJM Bolivia 8 Soles. "MANILA" and date fully struck up with dot between, remnants of serration between 10 o'clock and 1 o'clock; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain partially struck up with "S*D*F" of legend weak at 3 o'clock. Overstrike of typical weak strike leaving much of the under type still visible. Clear host date, assayers letter's, denomination and mintmark. Attractive grey toning. **PCGS VF-25 Secure Holder..... \$800-\$1200**

PCGS# 420044.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.
Ex:Craig A. Whitford Numismatic Auctions Sale # XXXI, May 31, 2003; Lot # 573 (With lot tag).

1360 8 Reales, 1828 (Decree of October 13, 1828). KM-21; Basso-35; cf.PNM#6-5; cf.PNM#16-11; Cacho-Type-I; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I. Type I Manila overstrike. Serrated boarders and reverse legend, dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on a 1287 (1827, error date)-GaFS Mexico 8 Reales. EXCESSIVELY RARE host coin. According to the Dunigan Parker book "Resplandores" on cap and ray 8 Reales there are only three known examples of the error date, with this piece specifically mentioned as the third. "MANILA" weakly struck with only the first and last letters still visible and serrated boarder from about 8 o'clock to about 3 o'clock with some weakness at about 11 o'clock; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain weakly struck with portions of legend around. Overstrike uneven and of typical weak strike leaving much of the under type still visible, but significantly flattened. Clear host date, assayers letter's, denomination and mintmark. Attractively toned. **PCGS VG-10 Secure Holder..... \$3500-\$4500**

PCGS# 420057.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.
Bought private treaty from Pat Johnson Rare Coin Co. (With ticket).



1359 8 Reales, 1828 (Decree of October 13, 1828). KM-21; Basso-35; cf.PNM#6-4; PNM#16-13; Cacho-Type I CS-021; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I; Type I Manila overstrike, with serrated boarders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on an 1828-DoRL Mexico 8 Reales. "MANILA" and date fully struck up with dot between, remnants of serration from about 9 o'clock to about 4 o'clock; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain partially struck up with most details visible, portions of legend around. Overstrike of typical weak strike leaving much of the under type still visible. Clear host date, assayers letter's, denomination and mintmark. Attractively toned. **PCGS VF-30 Secure Holder..... \$1000-\$1500**

PCGS# 420057.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.
Ex:Ponterio & Associates, Inc. Auction # 143, September 25 & 26, 2007; Lot # 2652 (With lot tag).

1361 8 Reales, 1828 (Decree of October 13, 1828). KM-21; Basso-35; PNM#6-14; PNM#16-27; Cacho-Type I CS-013; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I; ECP-Fig. 1. Type I Manila overstrike, with serrated boarders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on an 1827-LIMAEJM Peru 8 Reales. "MANILA" weakly struck with remnants of serrated boarder from 10 o'clock to 4 o'clock, only last digit of date barely visible; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain partially struck up with about half of the legend around, partial serrated boarder from 8 o'clock to 1 o'clock. Overstrike uneven and of typical weak strike leaving portions of the under type still visible. Clear host date, assayers letter's, denomination and mintmark. Lightly toned. **PCGS VF-25 Secure Holder..... \$700-\$900**

PCGS# 149021.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.
Ex:Stack's Bowers & Ponterio Auction # 181, November 8, 2013; Lot # 21314.



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1362 8 Reales, 1828 (Decree of October 13, 1828). KM-24; Basso-35; PNM#6-14; PNM#16-27; Cacho-Type I CS-013; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I. Type I Manila overstrike, with serrated boarders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on 1827-LIMAE JM Peru 8 Reales. "MANILA" and date fully struck and slightly doubled, serrated boarder 5 o'clock to 10 o'clock with remnants on the high points from 2 o'clock to 3 o'clock; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain fully struck up with nearly full legends around only showing slight weakness between 7 o'clock and 9 o'clock and between 11 o'clock and 12 o'clock with a portion of the serrated boarder 2 o'clock to 6 o'clock. Overstrike well executed only leaving portions of the host coins legends on the obverse from 10 o'clock to 5 o'clock and on the reverse from 6 o'clock to 2 o'clock. Clear host mintmark, denomination and assayer's letters. Attractive light toning. **PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder. \$1500-\$2000**

PCGS# 149021.
From the Ray Czahor Collection. (With Collector's tag).

1364 8 Reales, 1828 (Decree of October 13, 1828). KM-25; Basso-35; PNM#6-20; PNM#16-30; Cacho-Type I CS-015; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I; cf.ECP-Fig. 1. Type I Manila overstrike, with serrated boarders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on an 1828-LIMAEJM Peru 8 Reales. "MANILA" weakly struck with remnants of serrated boarder from 9 o'clock to 3 o'clock, faint outlines of date with last digit more pronounced; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain virtually fully struck up with portions of the legend and serrated boarder from 9 o'clock to about 1 o'clock. Overstrike of typical weak strike leaving much of the under type still visible. Clear host date, denomination, mintmark and nearly full legends on both obverse and reverse. Minor debris and encrustation amongst the devices, light attractive toning. **PCGS VF-20 Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200**

PCGS# 420080.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.
Ex:Stack's Bowers & Ponterio Auction # 181, November 8, 2013; Lot # 21315.



1363 8 Reales, 1828 (Decree of October 13, 1828). KM-25; Basso-35; PNM#6-20; PNM#16-30; Cacho-Type I CS-015; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I; cf.ECP-Fig. 1. Type I Manila overstrike, with serrated boarders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on an 1828-LIMAE JM Peru 8 Reales. "MANILA" and date fully struck up with dot between, remnants of serrated boarder on the high points between 11 o'clock and 1 o'clock; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain virtually fully struck up with portions of the legend from 9 o'clock to about 2 o'clock. Overstrike of typical weak strike leaving much of the under type still visible. Clear host date, assayers letter's, denomination, mintmark and full legends on both obverse and reverse. Light attractive toning. **PCGS VF-35 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500**

PCGS# 420064.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.
Purchased private treaty from Mike Dunigan (With ticket).



1365 8 Reales, 1828 (Decree of October 13, 1828). KM-26.1; Basso-35; cf.PNM#16-29; Cacho-Type I CS-010; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I; cf.ECP-Fig. 1. Type I Manila overstrike, with serrated boarders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on an 1828-CUZCOG Peru 8 Reales. RARE host coin. "MANILA" and date fully struck up with dot between, remnants of serrated boarder between 11 o'clock and 3 o'clock; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain nearly fully struck up with faint portions of the legend from 8 o'clock to about 10 o'clock and small portion of the serrated boarder from about 9 o'clock to about 12 o'clock. Overstrike uneven and of typical weak strike leaving much of the under type still visible. Clear host date, assayers letter, denomination, mintmark and nearly full legends on both obverse and reverse with other portions of the host design aspects. Unusually nice quality with sharp details on obverse and reverse. Beautiful organic toning with the slightest bit of iridescence. **PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder. \$2500-\$3500**

PCGS# 420067.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.
Ex: Stack's International sale, January 13, 2004; Lot # 939 (With lot tag).

Finest Certified 1830 Manila Overstrike



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1366 8 Reales, 1830 (Decree of January 16, 1832). KM-35; Basso-39; cf.PNM#6-19; cf.PNM#16-2; Cacho-Type II CS-001; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I. Type IV Manila overstrike, with serrated borders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on an 1829-PTS JM Bolivia 8 Soles. VERY RARE as a date with an estimated 20-25 examples known (some of which are in institutions) and the key to the Philippine countermark series. EXTREMELY RARE in this state of preservation. The finest graded by either PCGS or NGC, and certainly one of the finest known to exist if not the finest. "MANILA" somewhat obscured from the portrait of Bolivar with on "NILA" fully struck up and full four digit date with dot between and below, serrated border fully struck nearly obliterating the host coins legend with only minor details still visible; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain nearly fully struck up with only the slightest bit of weakness in the border of the shield at top right side, virtually all aspects of the legend are clear with scattered weakness and a minor portion between 3 o'clock and 4 o'clock which is indistinct, full serrated border nearly obliterating the host coins legend. The striking of the 1830 issue was delayed due to frequent breakdowns of the coin stamping machine made by foundry master Benito de los Reyes, who also produced all of the "MANILA" dies. On May 30, 1829 the authorities closed the countermarking office because of these frequent breakdowns and began looking for an alternative. It was recommended that a new stamping press made of tempered steel be ordered from Calcutta or Batavia. After learning that the authorities were looking to purchase a new press, Jose Campana wrote to them on September 18, 1829 offering to sell a similar press that was purchased from Bengal, India for the amount of 5,500 pesos. Before the purchase of this new press could be consummated Campana had agreed to install and test the new machinery by re-stamping no less than 1,000 pesos worth of coins. On January 29, 1830 Campana informed the authorities that the new Bengal press was stored in the warehouse of Don Andreas Camba and ready for testing, but had no dies. He requested that the old dies be modified for the new machine or a new set of dies be produced. Since the old dies could not be modified to fit the new machine, approval was given March 9, 1830 to Benito de los Reyes for the production of new dies. Finally on May 28, 1830 testing of the new press had taken place, but only 400-500 pesos were re-stamped. After inspection and reports of the output production of the new press was given to the authorities, on November 29, 1830 Campana received a counteroffer of 4,000 pesos. He accepted the offer on December 20, 1830. On February 4, 1831 the new press had arrived from Calcutta and was to be installed on a solid base in the same area as the previous press. Installation of the new press began on March 3, 1831, but it wasn't until the reply to the decree of January 7, 1832 on January 16 that approval and re-stamping began. Since the coins were no longer being heated, softened and flattened with a hammer prior to being overstruck, the hardness of the coins effaced the new dies easily and caused the new press to break down within 15 days of operation. Overstrike very well executed for issue with only minute details of the under type visible. Grey mottled toning with faint hues of azure, lustrous in the serrated border. NGC MS-63. \$65,000-\$80,000

PCGS# 420084.

Ex: Millennia Collection, May 26, 2008 Lot #914.

Ex: Cornelius C. Vermeule III Collection.

Stack's Auction, January 13, 2004, Lot #933.

VERY RARE 1830 Manila Overstrike on a Bolivian 8 Soles



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1367 8 Reales, 1830 (Decree of January 16, 1832). KM-35; Basso-39; cf.PNM#6-19; cf.PNM#16-2; Cacho-Type II; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I; cf.Her-1230. Type IV Manila overstrike, with serrated borders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on an 1828-PTSJM Bolivia 8 Soles. VERY RARE as a date with an estimated 20-25 examples known (some of which are in institutions) and the key to the Philippine countermark series. "MANILA" weakly struck with only "ANIL" fully struck up and a full four digit date, nearly full serrated border with the exception of slight weakness between 2 o'clock and 3 o'clock and 7 o'clock and 8 o'clock; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain virtually fully struck up with portions of the legend from 11 o'clock to 2 o'clock and from 6 o'clock to 8 o'clock, nearly full serrated border with weakness from about 3 o'clock to about 5 o'clock. The striking of the 1830 issue was delayed due to frequent breakdowns of the coin stamping machine made by foundry master Benito de los Reyes, who also produced all of the "MANILA" dies. On May 30, 1829 the authorities closed the countermarking office because of these frequent breakdowns and began looking for an alternative. It was recommended that a new stamping press made of tempered steel be ordered from Calcutta or Batavia. After learning that the authorities were looking to purchase a new press, Jose Campana wrote to them on September 18, 1829 offering to sell a similar press that was purchased from Bengal, India for the amount of 5,500 pesos. Before the purchase of this new press could be consummated Campana had agreed to install and test the new machinery by re-stamping no less than 1,000 pesos worth of coins. On January 29, 1830 Campana informed the authorities that the new Bengal press was stored in the warehouse of Don Andreas Camba and ready for testing, but had no dies. He requested that the old dies be modified for the new machine or a new set of dies were produced. Since the old dies could not be modified to fit the new machine, approval was given March 9, 1830 to Benito de los Reyes for the production of new dies. Finally on May 28, 1830 testing of the new press had taken place, but only 400-500 pesos were re-stamped. After inspection and reports of the output production of the new press was given to the authorities, on November 29, 1830 Campana received a counteroffer of 4,000 pesos. He accepted the offer on December 20, 1830. On February 4, 1831 the new press had arrived from Calcutta and was to be installed on a solid base in the same area as the previous press. Installation of the new press began on March 3, 1831, but it wasn't until the reply to the decree of January 7, 1832 on January 16 that approval and re-stamping began. Since the coins were no longer being heated, softened and flattened with a hammer prior to being overstruck, the hardness of the coins effaced the new dies easily and caused the new press to break down within 15 days of operation. Overstrike well executed for issue with minor portions of the under type still visible. Attractive grey toning. NGC VF-25..... \$20,000-\$25,000

PCGS# 420084.

From the Ray Czahor Collection (With old Collector's envelope).

VERY RARE 1830 Manila Overstrike on a Peru 8 Reales



PHILIPPINES

1368 8 Reales, 1830 (Decree of January 16, 1832). KM-unlisted host coin (35-37 for type); Basso-39; cf.PNM#6-16; cf.PNM#16-28; Cacho-Type II; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type I. Type IV Manila overstrike, with serrated borders and reverse legend; dies prepared by Don Benito de los Reyes. Overstruck on an 1828-CUZCOGM Peru 8 Reales. Believed to be UNIQUE having a Cuzco Mint 8 Reales as a host coin. "MANILA" and date fully struck up with only the slightest bit weakness in the last letter, serrated border extends the circumference with minor weakness between 8 o'clock and 3 o'clock; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain fully struck up with portions of the legend from 9 o'clock to 3 o'clock, serrated border shows weakness between 3 o'clock and 8 o'clock with remnants of the of serration on the high points. The striking of the 1830 issue was delayed due to frequent breakdowns of the coin stamping machine made by foundry master Benito de los Reyes, who also produced all of the "MANILA" dies. On May 30, 1829 the authorities closed the countermarking office because of these frequent breakdowns and began looking for an alternative. It was recommended that a new stamping press made of tempered steel be ordered from Calcutta or Batavia. After learning that the authorities were looking to purchase a new press, Jose Campana wrote to them on September 18, 1829 offering to sell a similar press that was purchased from Bengal, India for the amount of 5,500 pesos. Before the purchase of this new press could be consummated Campana had agreed to install and test the new machinery by re-stamping no less than 1,000 pesos worth of coins. On January 29, 1830 Campana informed the authorities that the new Bengal press was stored in the warehouse of Don Andreas Camba and ready for testing, but had no dies. He requested that the old dies be modified for the new machine or a new set of dies were produced. Since the old dies could not be modified to fit the new machine, approval was given March 9, 1830 to Benito de los Reyes for the production of new dies. Finally on May 28, 1830 testing of the new press had taken place, but only 400-500 pesos were re-stamped. After inspection and reports of the output production of the new press was given to the authorities, on November 29, 1830 Campana received a counteroffer of 4,000 pesos. He accepted the offer on December 20, 1830. On February 4, 1831 the new press arrived had arrived from Calcutta and was to be installed on a solid base in the same area as the previous press. Installation of the new press began on March 3, 1831, but it wasn't until the reply to the decree of January 7, 1832 on January 16 that approval and re-stamping began. Since the coins were no longer being heated, softened and flattened with a hammer prior to being overstruck, the hardness of the coins effaced the new dies easily and caused the new press to break down within 15 days of operation. Clear host date, assayers letter's, denomination, mintmark and portions of the legend. Overstrike well executed for issue. Attractive light grey toning. **PCGS VF-25 Secure Holder.....\$30,000-\$35,000**

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates, INC. Auction # 150, August 8, 2009; Lot # 9495 (With lot tag).



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- 1369 2 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-41; Basso-41 (for countermark type); cf.PNM#16-119; Lopez-Chaves Yriarte-Type III, group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1826-ZsAZ Mexico 2 Reales. Countermark well struck and slightly off center. Moderately worn with dark attractive toning. Countermark **EXTREMELY FINE**, host coin **PCGS VF-30 Secure Holder**. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 420091.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates, Inc. Auction # 143 September 25 & 26, 2007, Lot # 2654 (With lot tag).



- 1370 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-45; Basso-41; PNM#16-36; cf.Cacho-Type VIII CS-003; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5.4.2-B (1833). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1815-PTSFL Argentina 8 Soles. Scarce host coin. Countermark slightly unevenly struck and slightly off center with small die crack at 1 o'clock. Sizable planchet flaw on reverse at 5 o'clock. Moderately worn with dark grey toning. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Planchet Flaw, VF Details Secure Holder**. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 420103.

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- 1371 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-53; Basso-41; cf.PNM#16-48; cf.Cacho-Type VIII CS-004; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group C; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834); ECP-fig. # 9. Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1820-R Brazil 960 Reis, overstruck on an earlier Spanish Colonial Bust 8 Reales. RARE host coin. Countermark well executed and slightly off center. Moderately worn with attractive dark grey toning. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder**. \$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 420119.

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- 1372 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-55; Basso-41; PNM#6-92; PNM#16-60; Cacho-Type VIII CS-008; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1826-NGM Guatemala (Central American Republic) 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark on reverse well struck and slightly off center, with die crack at 9 o'clock. Several old hits in the fields, now toned over. Attractively toned with golden, azure and rose colored hues. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder**. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 511896.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex: Superior Stamp & Coin NYINC auction December 3 & 4, 1999; Lot # 0951 (With lot tag).



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1373 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-59; Basso-41; cf.PNM#6-21; cf.PNM#16-65/66; Cacho-Type VIII; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-!(2)-B (1833); Her-617. Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On a 1765-MoMF Mexico "Pillar" 8 Reales. RARE host coin. Countermark on reverse well executed with die crack at 1 o'clock. Slight ghosting of countermark on obverse, incuse and in retrograde. Moderately worn with pleasing light grey toning. Countermark **AU Details**, host coin **PCGS VF-35 Secure Holder**..... \$5000-\$7000

PCGS# 420133.

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1375 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-63; Basso-41; cf.PNM#6-34; PNM#16-85; cf.Cacho-Type VII CS-006; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1805-MoTH Mexico 8 Reales. Countermark well struck and centered. Host coin chopmarked prior to the application of the countermark. Moderate even wear with attractive soft grey toning. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Chopmark, VF Details Secure Holder**. \$400-\$600

PCGS# 420134.

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1374 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-63; Basso-41; cf.PNM#6-30; cf.PNM#16-80; Cacho-Type VII; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-2-B. Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1800-MoFM Mexico 8 Reales. RARE host coin without any chopmarks or other mutilation. Countermark sharply struck and slightly off center. Dark attractive toning. Countermark **AU Details**, host coin **PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder**. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 420140.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex: Dr. Busso Peus Nachfolger, Auction # 394 October 31, 2007; Lot # 1656 (With lot tag).



1376 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-65; Basso-41; cf.PNM#16-92; Cacho-Type VII; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1816-MoJJ Mexico 8 Reales. Countermark well struck and off center. Host coin chopmarked prior to the application of the countermark. Moderate wear with light grey toning. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Chopmark, VF Details Secure Holder**. \$500-\$700

PCGS# 420145.

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1377 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). cf.KM-65; Basso-41; cf.PNM#16-92/93; Cacho-Type VII; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1821-DoCG Mexico War of Independence 8 Reales. RARE mint as a host coin. Countermark sharply struck and slightly off center. Host coin chopmarked prior to the application of the countermark. Moderate wear with grey toning. Countermark EF Details, host coin PCGS Genuine—Chopmark, Fine Details. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 420145.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex: Philippine Numismatic & Antiquarian Society Auction, June 24, 2007; Lot # 037 (With lot tag).

1379 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-A74; Basso-41; cf.PNM#6-41; PNM#16-99; Cacho-Type VIII CS-033; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1824-MojM Mexico "Hookneck" 8 Reales, with submissive snake and round-tail eagle. Scarce early date host coin. Countermark slightly unevenly struck and nicely centered. Host coin has some scratches and peck marks. Light to moderate wear and lightly toned. Countermark EF Details, host coin PCGS Genuine—Damage, VF Details Secure Holder. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 420162.

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Purchased private treaty from Mike Dunigan (With ticket)



1378 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-73; Basso-41; PNM#6-41; PNM#16-98; Cacho-Type VIII CS-034; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1824-DoRL Mexico "Hookneck" 8 Reales, with defiant snake in eagles beak. RARE early date host coin. Countermark unevenly struck and slightly off center. Light wear and lightly toned. Countermark EF Details, host coin PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 420160.

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Ex: Miguel Munoz Collection, Superior Stamp & Coins Co. INC., June 4-8, 1979; Lot # 2451 (With lot tag)

1380 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-77(Plate coin); Basso-41; PNM#6-53; PNM#16-138; cf.Cacho-Type VII CS-004; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-*A (1832); Her-1110. Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1808-LIMAEJP Peru 8 Reales. Countermark unevenly struck and slightly off center. Host coin chopmarked prior to the application of the countermark. Moderate even wear with attractive grey toning. Countermark EF Details, host coin PCGS Genuine—Damage, VF Details Secure Holder. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 420169.

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Ex: Dr. Busso Peus Nachfolger Auction 394, October 31, 2007; Lot # 1658 (With lot tag)



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1381 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-80; Basso-41; PNM#6-55; PNM#16-142; Cacho-Type VIII CS-018; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1822-LIMAE JP Peru 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark well struck and centered. Well worn with much detail still present. Attractively toned. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS FINE-15 Secure Holder**..... **\$400-\$600**

PCGS# 731973.

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1383 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-82; Basso-41; PNM#6-61; PNM#16-150; Cacho-Type VIII CS-023; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1827-LIMAEJM Peru 8 Reales. RARE early date host coin. Countermark well struck and nicely centered. Moderately worn and cleaned long ago, now starting to retone. Countermark **AU Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, EF Details Secure Holder**..... **\$500-\$700**

PCGS# 731977.

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1382 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-81; Basso-41; cf.PNM#6-58; cf.PNM#16-144; cf.Cacho-Type IV CS-005; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. Over an 1824 Peru Royalist crown countermark on an insurgent 1822-LIMAEJP 8 Reales. Scarce host coin with royalist countermark. F.7.0 countermark unevenly struck over the royalist countermark, but nicely centered. Moderate wear with the reverse significantly flattened from the application of two countermarks, minor planchet defect on obverse. Cleaned long ago and now starting to retone. Countermark **EXTREMELY FINE**, host coin **NGC EF Details—Surface Hairlines**..... **\$500-\$700**

PCGS# 731975.

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Ex: Ira & Larry Goldberg Auction # 34 February 5, 2006; Lot # 2991 (With lot tag)

Purchased private treaty from Henry Christensen, November 1974.

1384 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834). KM-83; Basso-41; PNM#6-66; PNM#16-157; Cacho-Type VIII CS-025; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-!(2)-B (1833). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1830-LIMAE JM Peru 8 Reales. RARE condition host coin. Countermark well struck and nicely centered. Lightly worn and beautifully toned. Countermark **EXTREMELY FINE**, host coin **NGC AU-55**..... **\$3500-\$4500**

PCGS# 399836.

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Ex: Stack's Bowers & Ponterio Auction # 172, November 15, 2012, Lot # 10590 where it hammered down for \$4,250.



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- 1385 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834).** KM-83; Basso-41; PNM#6-72; PNM#16-163; Cacho-Type VIII CS-029; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1833-LIMAE MM Peru 8 Reales, pointed middle of 3's of date. RARE condition countermark and host coin. Countermark well executed and slightly off center. Light even wear with light attractive iridescent toning. Countermark **Unc Details**, host coin **PCGS AU-53 Secure Holder**. **\$600-\$800**

PCGS# 399836.

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- 1386 8 Reales, ND (Authorized October 2, 1832, commencing October 5, 1832, officially ending December 20, 1834).** KM-A84; Basso-41; PNM#6-65; PNM#-154; Cacho-Type VIII CS-012; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type III group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834). Type V countermark crowned F.7.0 within circle. On an 1829-CUZCO G Peru 8 Reales. RARE early date host coin and mintmark. Countermark slightly off center. Moderately worn with attractive grey toning. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS VF-25 Secure Holder**. **\$400-\$600**

PCGS# 494816.

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- 1387 Lot of (12) 8 Reales, ca. 1832-37.** 12 pieces in lot. Comprised of countermarked Peru 8 Reales of the second standing Liberty type bearing both F7 (8) and YII (4) stamps. All the host coins are Lima mint issues except for one 1833 Cuzco piece. Several of the F7 stamps are quite clear and boldly applied. Most of the host coins bear signs of cleaning, tooling or are scratched. Retail value of more than \$1,500. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. VERY FINE-ALMOST UNCIRCULATED**. **\$700-\$1000**



- 1388 2 Reales, ND (Decree of December 14, 1835, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)).** KM-88; Basso-43 (for countermark type); cf.PNM#6-147; PNM#16-311; Cacho-Type VI; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety (not listed, 5-3-3). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1832-ZsOM Mexico 2 Reales. VERY RARE host coin. Countermark well struck and slightly off center. Holed and plugged at 1 o'clock on the obverse, cleaned. Moderately worn. Countermark **AU Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Damage, VF Details Secure Holder**. **\$600-\$800**

PCGS# 731996.

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- 1389 2 Reales, ND (Decree of December 14, 1835, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)).** KM-88; Basso-43 (for countermark type); cf.PNM#6-147; PNM#16-311; Cacho-Type VI; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark, Crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1832-ZsOM Mexico 2 Reales. VERY RARE host coin. Countermark unevenly struck and slightly off center. Planchet crack at 2 o'clock due to the application of the countermark. Well worn with attractive grey toning. Countermark **VERY FINE Details**, host coin **PCGS VG-10 Secure Holder**. **\$1000-\$1500**

PCGS# 731997.

*Ex: Ira & Larry Goldberg Auction #34 February 5, 2006; Lot # 2997.**Purchased private treaty from Randolph Zander, June 1969**With Museum style cardboard holder.*



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1390 2 Reales, ND (Decree of December 14, 1835, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-90; Basso-43 (for countermark type); cf.PNM#16-358; Cacho-Type VI CS-011; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type VI group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-I (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1828-LI-MAE JM Peru 2 Reales. RARE host coin and denomination. Countermark with several die chips, one at 12 o'clock with the other at 4 o'clock. Countermark well struck and slightly off center. Evenly worn with light attractive toning. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS VF-25 Secure Holder**..... \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 732000.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.



1392 4 Reales, ND (Decree of December 14, 1835, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-92; Basso-43 (for countermark type); PNM#6-142; PNM#16-312; Cacho-Type VI CS-003; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1832-ZsOM Mexico 4 Reales. VERY RARE host coin and denomination. Countermark with several die chips, one at 12 o'clock with the other at 4 o'clock. Countermark slightly unevenly struck and off center. Moderately worn and toned. Countermark **FINE Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Filed Rims, Fine Details Secure Holder**..... \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 732008.
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Purchased private treaty from Mike Dunigan (With tag)



1391 4 Reales, ND (Decree of December 14, 1835, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-92; Basso-43 (for countermark type); PNM#6-142; PNM#16-312; Cacho-Type VI CS-003; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1832-ZsOM Mexico 4 Reales. VERY RARE host coin and denomination. Countermark with several die chips, one at 12 o'clock with the other at 4 o'clock. Countermark well struck and slightly off center. Moderate even wear and lightly toned. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS FINE-12 Secure Holder**..... \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 732008.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.



1393 4 Reales, ND (Decree of December 14, 1835, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-A92; Basso-43 (for countermark type); cf.PNM#16-230; cf.Cacho-Type V (denomination not listed); Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1814-GaRM Mexico War of Independence 4 Reales. VERY RARE host coin and denomination. Countermark well struck over both sides of perforation, one slightly rotated from the other. Well worn with a minor planchet defect at 6 o'clock on reverse. Lightly toned. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Holed, Good Details Secure Holder**..... \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 732007.
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Ex:The Money Company Rare Coin Auction # 27; June 25, 1997; Lot # 383 (With lot tag).



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1394 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, Suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-93.2; Basso-43; PNM#6-208; PNM#16-170; cf.Cacho-Type IX CS-002; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark, Crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1815-PTSF Argentina 8 Reales. Scarce host coin and condition. Countermark well struck and slightly off center. Moderately worn with attractive grey toning. Countermark **EXTREMELY FINE**, host coin NGC EF-45. **\$2800-\$3200**

1396 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-108; Basso-43; PNM#6-211; PNM#16-190; Cacho-Type IX CS-005; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-3-1-I (1834). Type VI countermark, Crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1834-IJ Santiago, Chile Peso. Scarce host coin with countermark on obverse. Countermark well struck and nicely centered on obverse. Several die cracks, one at 12 o'clock to 11 o'clock and two smaller one's at 4 o'clock. Light to moderate wear with light attractive iridescent toning. Countermark **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED** Details, host coin **PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder**. **\$500-\$700**

PCGS# 396697.

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1395 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-106.1; Basso-43; cf.PNM#6-197; PNM#16-204; cf.Cacho-Type IX CS-008; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1831-NGM Guatemala (Central American Republic) 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark unevenly struck and slightly off center, small die chip on last dot of Queen's cipher. Moderate wear and lightly toned. Countermark **AU Details**, host coin **PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder**. **\$500-\$700**

PCGS# 146257.

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Purchased private treaty from Jefferey S. Zarit (With tag).



1397 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-108; Basso-43; PNM#6-212; PNM#16-190; Cacho-Type IX CS-004; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark, Crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1834-IJ Santiago, Chile Peso. Countermark well struck and off center on reverse, small die chip on last dot of Queen's cipher. Light to moderate even wear with beautiful iridescent toning showing golden, azure and red hues. Countermark **ALMOST UNCIRCULATED** Details, host coin **PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder**. **\$500-\$700**

PCGS# 396697.

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1398 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-108; Basso-43; PNM#6-212; PNM#16-191; Cacho-Type IX CS-003; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1834-I Santiago, Chile Peso. Scarce host coin with single letter assayer. Countermark slightly evenly struck and nicely centered on reverse. Hairlines from cleaning long ago now subdued with light attractive iridescent toning. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, EF Details Secure Holder**..... \$500-\$700

PCGS# 396697.

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1399 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-108; Basso-43; PNM#6-213; PNM#16-193; cf.Cacho-Type IX CS-003; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1833-I Santiago, Chile Peso. Scarce host coin with single letter assayer. Countermark slightly unevenly struck and slightly off center on reverse. Moderate even wear with attractive multicolored toning showing azure and golden hues. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS VF-30 Secure Holder**..... \$500-\$700

PCGS# 396697.

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1400 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-109; Basso-43; PNM#6-217; PNM#16-199; Cacho-Type IX CS-006; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety not listed (5-2-2). Type VI countermark, Crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1835-Ba RS Colombia 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark weakly struck, uneven and off center, with die crack at 7 o'clock. Remnants of mount removal at 12 o'clock and 6 o'clock. Light wear with light attractive toning. Countermark **VERY FINE**, host coin **NGC AU Details—Mount Removed**..... \$400-\$600

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1401 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-109; Basso-43; PNM#6-217; PNM#16-199; Cacho-Type IX CS-006; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark, Crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1835-Ba RS Colombia 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark weakly struck, uneven and off center. Moderate even wear with light attractive grey toning. Countermark **VERY FINE**, host coin **NGC VF-30**..... \$400-\$600

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1402 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-111; Basso-43; cf.PNM#6-97; cf.PNM#16-65; cf.Cacho-Type VII CS-001; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group B; Gil-Crown variety not listed (5-2-2). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1762/1-MoMM Mexico "Pillar" 8 Reales. VERY RARE host coin. An identical crown variety countermark (5-2-2) appeared on an 1828-LIMAEJM Peru 2 Reales in our ANA auction August 16, 2011; Lot # 20619. Countermark well struck and slightly off center. Host coin with two chopmarks prior to the application of the countermark. Light even wear with dark attractive toning showing golden hues. Countermark **EXTREMELY FINE**, host coin **NGC AU Details—Chopmarked**. \$4000-\$6000

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1404 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-117.1(Plate coin); Basso-43; PNM#16-234; Cacho-Type VII CS-016; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte- Type IV group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836); Med-pg. 46 (Plate coin). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1816-CaRP Mexico War of Independence 8 Reales, host coin overstruck on a cast 1812-Ca RP 8 Reales with standard mint countermarks "T" to left and "Crowned pillars of Hercules, pomegranate below" to right. Scarce host coin. Countermark well executed and nicely centered. Host coin of typical crude manufacture. Moderate wear, cleaned long ago now attractively toned. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, VG Details Secure Holder**. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 732062.

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1403 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-115; Basso-43; PNM#6-100; PNM#16-223; Cacho-Type VII; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group B; Gil-Crown variety not listed (5-4-2). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1807-MoTH Mexico Bust 8 Reales. RARE host coin without chopmarks or any other mutilation. Countermark slightly uneven and slightly off center. Light wear with minor debris amongst the devices. Light peripheral toning. Countermark **AU Details**, host coin **PCGS AU-55 Secure Holder**. \$400-\$600

PCGS# 399835.

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1405 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-118; Basso-43; cf.PNM#6-113; cf.PNM#16-246; Cacho-Type IV; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1821-ZsRG Mexico War of Independence 8 Reales. RARE host coin without chopmarks or any other mutilation and with countermark on both obverse and reverse. First countermark applied to reverse with second countermark applied to obverse for correction. First countermark (reverse) slightly weak strike, uneven and slightly off center; Second countermark (obverse) slightly uneven strike and off center. Light to moderate wear with light attractive toning. Both countermarks **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder**. \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 732070.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex: Ira & Larry Goldberg Auction # 34, February 5, 2006; Lot # 2999 (With lot tag)

Purchased private treaty from Randolph Zander, February 1974.



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1406 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-118; Basso-43; PNM#6-109; PNM#16-239; cf.Cacho-Type VII CS-017; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836); cf.Her-1215. Type VI countermark, Crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1818-ZsAG Mexico War of Independence Bust 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark well struck and nicely centered. Host coin of typical crude manufacture and poorly struck. Moderate to heavy wear and lightly toned. Countermark **EXTREMELY FINE** Details, host coin **PCGS VG-08 Secure Holder**. \$500-\$700

PCGS# 732070.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex:Coin Galleries December 2008; Lot # 1234 (With lot tag).

1408 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-119; Basso-43; cf.PNM#6-106; cf.PNM#16-232; Cacho-Type VII; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group B; Gil-Crown variety not listed (5-4-2). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1814-MoJJ Mexico Bust 8 Reales. RARE host coin without chopmarks or any other mutilation. Countermark well struck and slightly off center. Moderate even wear, cleaned long ago now with light attractive toning. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, EF Details Secure Holder**. \$400-\$600

PCGS# 732066.

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1407 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-A118; Basso-43; PNM#6-103; PNM#16-228; Cacho-Type VII CS-013; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-3-2-IV (1837). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1812 Sombrete, Mexico War of Independence 8 Reales. VERY RARE host coin. Countermark well struck and off center. Host coin of typical crude manufacture with adjustment marks and a couple of minor natural planchet defects. Moderate wear with light attractive toning showing golden, azure and red hues. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS VF-30 Secure Holder**. \$3500-\$4500

PCGS# 732069.

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Ex:World Wide Coins of California Auction # 30, November 14, 1996; Lot # 323 (With lot tag).

1409 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-119; Basso-43; PNM#6-112; PNM#16-245; Cacho-Type VII; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1821-MoJJ Mexico Bust 8 Reales. RARE host coin without chopmarks or any other mutilation. Countermark well struck and slightly off center, a couple of chips in the crown. Moderate even wear, some debris amongst the devices and dark attractive toning. Countermark **AU Details**, host coin **PCGS VF-30 Secure Holder**. \$500-\$700

PCGS# 732066.

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1410 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-121; Basso-43; PNM#6-116; PNM#16-250; Cacho-Type IX CS-070; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1822-MoJM Mexico Iturbide 8 Reales; small head, small eagle and abbreviated name. Scarce host coin. Countermark partially struck and slightly off center. Moderate even wear with light attractive toning showing highlights of gold and red amongst the devices. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS FINE-12 Secure Holder**..... \$500-\$700

PCGS# 732074.

From the Ray Czahor Collection (With Collector's tag).

Ex: Heritage Mid-Winter ANA auction, February 20-22, 1986; Lot # 311(part)

1412 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-125; Basso-43; PNM#6-117; PNM#16-253; cf.Cacho-Type IX CS-070/071; Lopez-Chevez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1822-MoJM Mexico Iturbide 8 Reales; Large head, large eagle and continuous legend. RARE host coin. Countermark well struck and slightly off center, small die crack at 11 o'clock leading to a die chip at 12 o'clock, cross section of "Y" in Queen's cipher filled. Moderate to heavy even wear with attractive grey toning. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS FINE-12 Secure Holder**..... \$700-\$900

PCGS# 722048.

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1411 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-121; Basso-43; cf.PNM#6-116; PNM#16-252; cf.Cacho-Type IX CS-070; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1822-MoJM Mexico Iturbide 8 Reales; small head, small eagle and abbreviated name. RARE with countermarks on both obverse and reverse. Countermark first applied to reverse then turned over and corrected by applying to the obverse nearly obliterating the first. Moderate even wear with several contact marks. Cleaned long ago now lightly toned. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, Fine Details Secure Holder**. \$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 732074.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Purchased private treaty from Mike Dunigan (With tag).

1413 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-127; Basso-43; PNM#6-118; PNM#16-254; Cacho-IX CS-071; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-3-2-IV (1837). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1823-MoJM Mexico Iturbide 8 Reales; Large head with irregular truncation, large eagle and continuous legend. Scarce host coin. Countermark well struck and off center, but slightly doubled with die crack from 8 o'clock to 11 o'clock. Moderate to heavy even wear with dark attractive grey toning. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS FINE-15 Secure Holder**..... \$400-\$600

PCGS# 511897.

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1414 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-127; Basso-43; PNM#6-118; PNM#16-254; Cacho-IX CS-071; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1823-MoJM Mexico Iturbide 8 Reales; Large head with irregular truncation, large eagle and continuous legend. Scarce host coin. Countermark well struck and off center. Moderate to heavy even wear with dark attractive grey toning. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS FINE-15 Secure Holder**..... **\$400-\$600**

PCGS# 511897.

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1415 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-127; Basso-43; PNM#6-118; PNM#16-254; Cacho-IX CS-071; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark, Crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1823-MoJM Mexico Iturbide 8 Reales; Large head with irregular truncation, large eagle and continuous legend. Scarce host coin. Countermark well struck and off center. Moderate to heavy even wear with light attractive toning. Countermark **EXTREMELY FINE Details**, host coin **PCGS FINE-12 Secure Holder**..... **\$400-\$600**

PCGS# 511897.

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1416 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-128; Basso-43; PNM#6-120; PNM#16-255; Cacho-Type IX CS-072; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1823-MoJM Mexico "Hookneck" 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark slightly unevenly struck and slightly off center. Moderate wear with attractive grey toning. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS VF-25 Secure Holder**..... **\$700-\$900**

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Ex:Superior Stamp and Coin "The Miguel Munoz Collection" Part II, June 4-8, 1979; Lot # 2475 (With lot tag).



1417 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). cf.KM-129; Basso-43; PNM#6-145; PNM#16-321; cf.Cacho-Type IX CS-084; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1833-MoML Mexico 8 Reales. VERY RARE host coin, RARE host date. Countermark slightly unevenly struck and nicely centered. Moderate wear and cleaned. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, VF Details Secure Holder**..... **\$600-\$800**

PCGS# 722056.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex:Ponterio & Associates, Inc. Auction # 143, September 25 & 26, 2007; Lot # 701 (With lot tag).



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1418 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-136 (plate coin); Basso-43; PNM#6-163; PNM#16-354; Cacho-Type IX CS-022; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1823-LIMAEJP Peru 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark double struck on obverse with second strike nearly obliterating the first strike, well struck and slightly off center. What the holder states as damage is a moderately sized planchet lamination that has since separated. Moderate wear with hairlines from being cleaned long ago and now starting to re-tone. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Damage, EF Details Secure Holder**..... **\$400-\$600**

PCGS# 722071.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex: Coin Galleries Auction November 12, 2003; Lot # 805 (With lot tag).



1419 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-138.2; Basso-43; cf.PNM#6-171; cf.PNM#16-369; Cacho-Type V; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1831-LIMAEMM Peru 8 Reales. VERY RARE with countermark over both sides of perforation. Countermarks well struck over perforation. Moderate even wear with attractive grey toning. Countermark **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Holed, Fine Details Secure Holder**..... **\$1000-\$1500**

PCGS# 402634.

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1420 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-138.2; Basso-43; PNM#6-179; PNM#16-378; Cacho-Type IX CS-029; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-2-IV (1837). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1834-LIMAEMM Peru 8 Reales. Scarce condition for both countermark and host coin. Countermark well struck and slightly off center. Only the slightest bit of friction and cleaned long ago now beautifully toned showing golden, azure and red highlights. Countermark **Unc Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, Unc Details Secure Holder**..... **\$400-\$600**

PCGS# 402634.

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1421 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-138.2; Basso-43; PNM#6-181; PNM#16-381; Cacho-Type IX; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1835-LIMAEMM Peru 8 Reales, "POR AL UNION" spelling error. VERY RARE host coin with spelling error. Countermark well struck and slightly off center, small die crack coming off of crown at 1 o'clock. Well worn with several scratches in obverse field, toned in peripheral of obverse and unevenly toned on reverse. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Damage, Fine Details Secure Holder**..... **\$1500-\$2000**

PCGS# 402634.

From the Ray Czahor Collection.

Ex: Dr. Busso Peus Nachfolger Auction # 94, October 31, 2007; Lot # 1671 (With lot tag).



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1422 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-138.4; Basso-43; PNM#6-172; PNM#16-368; Cacho-Type IX CS-017; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-3-1-I (1834). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1831-CUZCOG Peru 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark well struck and nicely centered, small die crack from 11 o'clock to 12 o'clock. Light even wear and lightly toned. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder**.

.....\$400-\$600
PCGS# 564901.
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1423 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-138.4; Basso-43; PNM#6-169; PNM#16-364; Cacho-Type IX CS-016; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1829-CUZCOG Peru 8 Reales. Scarce early date host coin. Countermark slightly weak where there was no host design in the field between 11 o'clock and 12 o'clock. Light to moderate even wear with minor debris amongst the devices, cleaned long ago with some light hairlines now subdued from attractive toning showing hues of azure. Countermark **AU Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, EF Details Secure Holder**.....

.....\$400-\$600
PCGS# 722078.
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Ex:World Wide Coins of California Mail bid sale, November 17, 2011; Lot # 121.



1424 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-138.4; Basso-43; PNM#6-180; PNM#16-377; Cacho-Type IX CS-020; Lopez-Chaves Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-3-2-IV (1837). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1834-CUZCOBoAr Peru 8 Reales. Scarce host coin. Countermark well struck and slightly off center, two small die cracks one starting from last dot in queen's cipher to 3 o'clock and the other starting from 7 o'clock going through "Y" in queen's cipher up to base of crown. Moderate even wear with light attractive grey toning. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS VF-30 Secure Holder**.....

.....\$400-\$600
PCGS# 564901.
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- 1425 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-A139; Basso-43; cf.PNM#6-176; cf.PNM#16-376; cf.Cacho-Type IV CS-008; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1828-LIMAEJM Peru 8 Reales. VERY RARE and very interesting with countermark on both sides of perforation at 12 o'clock and with previous F.7.0 (Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-C (1834)) countermark in center of obverse. Y.II. countermark on obverse of perforation with small die crack on last dot of queen's cipher. Countermarks well struck over perforation and slightly rotated from each other with F.7.0 slightly uneven and slightly off center. Moderate wear, minor encrustation and minor planchet lamination on reverse. Lightly toned. First countermark **VF Details**, second countermark over perforation **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Damage, VF Details Secure Holder**.\$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 399836.

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Ex:Ponterio & Associates, INC. Auction # 27, March 17, 1987; Lot # 734 (With lot tag).



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- 1426 8 Reales, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). KM-B139; Basso-43; cf.PNM#6-160; cf.PNM#16-348; Cacho-Type V; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group B; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835)(reverse stamp). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1813-LIMAEJP Peru Bust 8 Reales. RARE with countermark over both side of perforation. Countermarks well struck over perforation. Moderate even wear with small unobtrusive test cut at 6 o'clock and dark attractive toning. Countermarks **VF Details**, host coin **PCGS Genuine—Holed, VF Details Secure Holder**.\$1000-\$1500

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VERY RARE Isabella II Countermarked Colombian 8 Escudos



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1427 8 Escudos, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). Fr-A3; KM-141.1; Basso-43 (for countermark type); cf.PNM#6-216; cf.PNM#16-197; Cacho-Type III; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-1-II (1835). Type VI countermark crowned Y.I.I. within circle. On an 1832-BOGOTARS Colombia 8 Escudos. A VERY RARE denomination that is highly sought after by Philippines numismatists and world collectors alike. Famed Philippines numismatist Aldo P. Basso, author of "Coins, Medals and Tokens of the Philippines"; stated "Countermarked gold coins must be placed at the top of the list". All countermarked gold coins of the Philippines should be considered RARE. The two escudos is EXTREMELY RARE with only a few examples (approximately 3) known to exist, and the 1 Escudo is believed to be unique. Due to their rarity, many collectors consider the minor gold coins "uncollectible", with their only hope of a actually acquiring a countermarked Philippines gold coin being that of an 8 Escudos. Rarely do they appear at auction and even Rarer is it to find more than one example represented in a collection. Countermark well struck and deeply applied. Light even wear with a few trivial marks on obverse, satiny surfaces in the protected areas with good overall details. A wholesome and appealing example that would make a fine addition to any collection. Countermark **AU Details**, host coin **PCGS AU-50 Secure Holder**. **\$20,000-\$25,000**

PCGS# 531917.

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Ex: Ponterio & Associates, Inc. Auction #117 January 18 & 19, 2002 Lot #927 (With tag).

VERY RARE Isabella II Countermarked Mexican Hand on Book 8 Escudos



PHILIPPINES

1428 8 Escudos, ND (Decree of December 20, 1834, suppressed March 31, 1837 (By Decree of February 1, 1836)). cf.Fr-A3; KM-141.4; cf.Cacho-Type III CS-002; Lopez-Chavez Yriarte-Type IV group A; Gil-Crown variety 5-4-3-III (1836). Type VI countermark crowned Y.II. within circle. On an 1825-MoJM Mexico 8 Escudos. A VERY RARE denomination, on a RARE host coin. The most frequently encountered host coin for a Philippines 8 Escudos is that of a Colombian 8 Escudos. This host (Mexican Hand on Book) is much Rarer, probably on a scale of 5-1 and should command a premium. Avidly sought after by Philippines numismatists and collectors of world coins alike. Famed Philippines numismatist Aldo P. Basso, author of "Coins, Medals and Tokens of the Philippines"; stated "Countermarked gold coins must be placed at the top of the list". All countermarked gold coins of the Philippines should be considered RARE. The two escudos is EXTREMELY RARE with only a few examples (approximately 3) known to exist, and the 1 Escudo is believed to be unique. Due to their rarity, many collectors consider the minor gold coins "uncollectible", with their only hope of a actually acquiring a countermarked Philippines gold coin being that of an 8 Escudos. Rarely do they appear at auction and even Rarer is it to find more than one example represented in a collection. Countermark well applied and nicely centered, small die crack at 12 o'clock going through cross to top pearl of crown and cross section of "Y" in queen's cipher filled. Light to moderate even wear with much luster remaining in the protected areas. A lovely example that is lustrous and sure to please even the most sophisticated of collectors. Countermark **EF Details**, host coin **PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder**.\$15,000-\$20,000

PCGS# 531915.

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Ex: Heritage Auctions Atlanta ANA August 8-11, 2001 Lot #7422 (With tag) Includes ANA Authentication Bureau certificate of authenticity # AB 7218.

EXTREMELY RARE Isabella II 5 Peseta Pattern Mule



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1429 Pattern 5 Pesetas Mule with Pattern 5 Franc Struck in Silver, 1855. Paris Mint, By Louis Charles Bouvet. Maz-1737; V.G.-3419; cf. Cal-pg. 772 & 785; cf. Basso-70; cf. Her-138; cf. Bruce-Pn2; Forrer-Vol. I, pg. 241. Bust of Queen Isabella II wearing tiara, braided hair coiled into a single bun held by ribbon, date below with legend around; Reverse: Bust of Napoleon III left, legend around and die engraver's name below truncation. In 1852 Bouvet submitted patterns to Queen Isabella II of Spain for the new coinage of her country which included the unadopted designs for the Philippines 5 Pesetas and the Spain 20 Reales, both share the same obverse die. EXTREMELY RARE and seldom offered. Beautiful lilac and multicolored toning deepening to the peripherals. **PCGS SP-62. \$25,000-\$35,000**

PCGS# 400657.



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1430 2 Centavos Pattern, 1859. KM-Pn12. Sharply struck with much original red.
PCGS SP-65 RB Secure Holder..... \$500-\$700
 PCGS# 170604.
From the Ray Czahor Collection.



1431 Pattern 20 Reaux (Reales), 1859. Bruce-Pn-3. Similar in types listed as KM-Pn15 (40 Reaux) and KM-Pn16 (80 Reaux), but unlisted in KM in this denomination. Attractive copper surfaces with mellowed red among the devices. A scarce pattern issue. **PCGS SP-63 RB..... \$2500-\$3500**
 PCGS# 167081.
Ex: Goldberg. Earlier. Ex: Jess Peters.



1432 80 Reaux, 1859. KM-Pn16. Legend translates to "Paris Pattern, Coining Press of the Philippine Islands." These pieces were struck in limited quantities to test the mint machinery that would later be installed at the Manila Mint. Rich blue and violet highlights on reflective, mint red surfaces. A lovely coin and among the finest known. **NGC PROOF-66 RB. \$2500-\$3500**
Ex: Stack's Sale 1/04 Lot #944.
Ex: Vermeule Collection.



1433 10 Centimos, 1864. KM-145. RARE. First year of issue. Mintage of only 4,586 pieces. VERY RARE in this high grade. Attractive steel-gray toning with iridescent highlights. A truly exceptional example of this highly sought after issue. **PCGS AU-58 Secure Holder..... \$3500-\$4500**
 PCGS# 555011.



1434 10 Centimos, 1865. KM-145. Second year of decimal coinage, and one of only 82,000 pieces struck. Attractive toning in deep blue, orange, gold, and silver hues. Well struck and not a common coin in mint state. PCGS has only graded five examples of the date, two grading MS-63 and only a single MS-64 finer. **PCGS MS-63..... \$2000-\$2500**
 PCGS# 381394.



1435 Peso, 1866. Fr-3; KM-142. Lightly circulated with ample underlying luster. Tied with one other at PCGS as finest graded by that service. **PCGS AU-55. \$1500-\$2000**
 PCGS# 555131.



1436 Peso, 1868. Fr-3; KM-142. Bright and reflective golden luster, with rich orange-gold toning. A most attractive example and among the finest certified at PCGS. **PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500**
 PCGS# 555135.
Ex: Pineda Collection.



1437 50 Centimos, 1880. KM-150. A scarce date regardless of grade. PCGS has certified a total of five examples, only one example in mint state. Lightly circulated with silver-gray toning. Well struck. **PCGS AU-50..... \$1200-\$1600**
 PCGS# 555095.



1438 10 Centimos, 1882. KM-148. A well struck, fully lustrous and choice example. Housed in an older generation PCGS holder. **PCGS MS-64..... \$1500-\$2000**
 PCGS# 381403.



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1439 4 Peso, 1882. Fr-4; KM-151; Cal-Type 16 # 76. The only collectible date of this series, which includes two dates that are not known to exist. Sharply struck and very attractive. **PCGS MS-64**..... **\$3500-\$4500**
PCGS# 555193.



1440 4 Pesos, 1882. Fr-4; KM-151; Cal-Type 16 # 76. Very scarce type. Some evidence of repair work done near edge at 7 o'clock on the obverse. Lightly toned and still attractive. **NGC AU Details—Repaired**..... **\$700-\$1000**
PCGS# 450878.



1441 20 Centimos, 1885. KM-149. An interesting minor variety with the "1" in the date punched over an errant Star. Reflective, semi-prooflike surfaces shine from below light iridescent toning. **PCGS MS-64**..... **\$700-\$900**
PCGS# 555075.



1442 Pattern 2 Centavos Struck in Copper, 1894. KM-Pn19; Basso-82. Young bust of Alfonso XIII left, legend around; Reverse: Crowned arms of Spain in wreath, legend around. According to famed Philippines numismatist Aldo P. Basso wrote in his book "Coins, Medals and Tokens of the Philippines" that a provisional reopening of the Manila mint was authorized by royal decree on December 15, 1893. Both Silver subsidiary coins and copper one- and two-centavo pieces were needed and a few of the copper coins were minted. Two specimens of each denomination are known, but they were not put into circulation and the silver coins were apparently never minted. **EXTREMELY RARE. Darkly toned PCGS SP Genuine—Smoothed, VF Details Secure Holder.** **\$5000-\$7000**
PCGS# 167086.

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1443 1 Peso, 1897-SGV. KM-154. Bright and appealing. **PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder**..... **\$750-\$900**
PCGS# 3781659.

1444 Seven Piece Proof Set, 1903. KM-PS1. 7 pieces in set. Includes: 1/2 Centavo to Peso. From a mintage of 2,558 pieces. All are PCGS certified. The copper pieces have evidence of spot removal, but otherwise an unimpaired set. **PCGS PROOF Genuine—Spot Removed, Unc Details (2), PROOF-61, PROOF-64 (2), PROOF-64+ & PROOF-65 Secure Holder.** **\$700-\$1000**
PCGS# 90402. NGC ID: 55389.

EXTREMELY RARE 1903-S 50 Centavos Discovery Coin



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1445 50 Centavos, 1903-S. KM-167. Finest of only two known. EXTREMELY RARE. Only two examples are known with the San Francisco mintmark, of which this is the finer. The regular issue coins were struck without a mintmark to the tune of 3,101,619 pieces. An unknown, but extremely small number (ventured by Lyman Allen to be fewer than 10 pieces) were struck as assay or die trial pieces and were to have been destroyed. Apparently not all were. This date was discovered in the early 1980's, when this coin was discovered in a Manila coin dealer's "junk box". It was purchased by another dealer. Upon authentication by the American Numismatic Association Authentication Bureau, the coin was offered to Amon Carter, Jr. who apparently agreed to purchase the coin, but passed away before the deal could be finalized. Thus, was not included in the famous sales of his collection sold by Stack's and Coin Galleries in the 1980's and 1990's. The coin subsequently traded privately over the last nearly three decades, before being certified by PCGS and being sold to the current owner. This piece displays medium silver surfaces with some "flash" in the fields. Well struck and attractive. A major rarity in this series, the first available since August 2001, that piece is in an ANACS EF-45 holder, which sold for \$22,000. It may be many years until another example appears at auction. An important opportunity not to be missed by the specialist in Philippine coinage. **PCGS AU-50.....\$50,000-\$70,000**

PCGS# 90343.



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1446 Peso, 1905-S. KM-168. Rich and vibrant toning in beautiful shades of blue, gold, orange, and crimson is brought to life by brilliant underlying cartwheel luster. A few tiny marks under the toning account for the assigned grade. A very pretty example of a somewhat scarce date. **PCGS MS-62**.....\$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 90385.



1447 7 Piece Proof Set, 1/2 Centavo to Peso, 1906. KM-PS4; Allen-1.04, 2.04, 4.04, 7.06, 10.07, 13.06 & 16.07. Mintage of only 500 sets. The 1/2 Centavo through 50 Centavos are attractively toned with the 10 Centavos, 20 Centavos and 50 Centavos with dark attractive multicolored toning, the peso has uneven grey toning. All are Graded by PCGS. Grades as follow. 1/2 Centavo PCGS-PR 65 RB, Centavo PCGS-PR 65 RB, 5 Centavos PCGS-PR 64, 10 Centavos PCGS-PR 66, 20 Centavos PCGS-PR 65, 50 Centavos PCGS-PR 65, Peso PCGS-PR 64. A very popular and highly sought after set. **PCGS PROOF-64 to PROOF-66**.....\$6000-\$7500

VERY RARE Mint State 1906-S Peso



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1448 **Peso, 1906-S.** KM-168. A key date to the early U.S. Philippines series, the 1901-S is VERY RARE in mint state. Although the literature lists a mintage of 201,000 Pesos struck, most of these were never released then melted and recoinced into the smaller size Peso struck in 1907. There are believed to only be a few hundred examples known, many of which are heavily circulated to the point of being in the Fine-Very Fine range. Others that were saved were perhaps not cared for properly over the years, and have seen varying degrees of cleaning and/or polishing. Further evidence of the true scarcity of the date, PCGS has only assigned numerical grades to this date 36 times. Only a very small handful of examples are known in Mint State, and these create quite the stir when available to the collector public. The coin offered here is a brilliant and untoned example with pearly-silver luster. Light scuffs in the field account for the assigned grade, but do not detract from the eye appeal. According to the PCGS population report, there are a mere three examples graded as MS-61, with a paltry 2 examples finer at MS-62. This is an important opportunity for the specialist.

PCGS MS-61..... \$45,000-\$55,000

PCGS# 90386.



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1449 Peso, 1906-S. KM-168. Key date. Nice strike. Toned with underlying luster. NGC AU-55..... \$4000-\$6000
PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 55380.



1450 Peso, 1906-S. KM-168. A scarce key date to the series. Toned in soft gray, with only light wear. One of only 36 total examples certified and graded by PCGS. Many examples known are polished or otherwise upgradeable. A wholesome lightly toned, problem free example. PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder. \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 90386.



1451 7 Piece Proof Set, 1/2 Centavo to Peso, 1908. KM-PS5; Allen-1.05, 2.05, 4.05, 8.03, 11.03, 14.03 & 17.02. Mintage of only 500 sets. The 10 Centavos, 50 Centavos and Peso are darkly toned, with the 20 Centavos lightly toned. All are NGC graded. Grades as follows 1/2 Centavo NGC PROOF-65 RD, Centavo NGC PROOF-65 RD, 5 Centavo NGC PROOF-66, 10 Centavo NGC PROOF-66, 20 Centavo NGC PROOF-65, 50 Centavo NGC PROOF-65, Peso NGC PROOF-66. An exceptionally choice and highly attractive set. NGC PROOF-65 to PROOF-66..... \$4500-\$5500



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1452 10 Centavos, 1912-S/S. KM-169; Allen-8.08a. A scarce variety with a repunched mintmark. Attractive and lustrous. A piece in a PCGS MS-65 holder, not attributed as the S/S variety hammered for \$2,250 in our November 2011 Baltimore Auction. NGC MS-65. **\$1500-\$2000**
 PCGS# 508096.



1456 1,500 Piso, 1980. Fr-unlisted; KM-unlisted. Very scarce, not listed in Friedberg or KM. Tied with only one other for finest certified. Struck to commemorate the visit of Pope John Paul II which was postponed. Subsequently this type was reissued with the date 1981. NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO. **\$1200-\$1400**
 PCGS# 524053.



1453 Peso, 1912-S. KM-172. Richly toned in gold and apricot, accentuated by underlying cartwheel luster. Housed in an old green label holder. PCGS AU-55. **\$700-\$900**
 PCGS# 90398.



POLAND

1457 Medallion Taler, 1793. Stanislaus Augustus (1764-95). KM-214; Dav-1622; Parchimowicz-1232. Convention of Targowitz. Large letters. Lightly toned. NGC EF Details—Surface Hairlines. **\$1500-\$2000**
 PCGS# 971767.



1454 "Wilson" Dollar, 1920. Bruce-11; HK-449. Sharply struck with light toning. NGC MS-63. **\$900-\$1200**
 PCGS# 661050. NGC ID: 850737.



1458 25 Zlotych, 1817-IB. Fr-106; C-102; Parchimowicz-1047a; Bit-791. Oblique edge milling. NGC VF-25. **\$1000-\$1500**
 PCGS# 556271.



1455 "Wilson" Dollar, 1920. Bruce-11; HK-449. Mintage of 2,200 pieces, with many at the bottom of Manila Bay. Minor lamination at "S" in states, otherwise quite nice for the grade. NGC MS-62. **\$700-\$1000**
 PCGS# 661050. NGC ID: 850737.



1459 50 Zlotych, 1818-IB. Fr-105; KM-C103; Bit 805. Deep lemon color with traces of prooflike mirroring in the legends. Conservative grading. PCGS AU-53 Secure Holder. **\$6000-\$7000**
 PCGS# 556307.

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POLAND

1460 10 Zlotych, 1825-IB. C-101.2; Parchimowicz-1041f. Some dark peripheral toning and nice remaining luster. An attractive example of this VERY RARE and highly sought after type. NGC EF-45. \$4000-\$6000
PCGS# 198615.



1461 5 Zlotych-3/4Ruble, 1834-HT. C-133; Parchimowicz-1040b; Bit-1098. Second finest certified. RARE in this grade. Bright and lustrous with very sharp details. PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder. \$2800-\$3500
PCGS# 192108.



1462 5 Gulden, 1935. KM-158; Parchimowicz-55. Light toning on the reverse, well struck with bright and lustrous surfaces. NGC MS-65. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 597849.



1463 500 Zlotych, 1976-MW. Fr-118; Y-85. Kazimierz Pulaski. Mintage of only 2,315 pieces. NGC PROOF-67 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1200-\$1400
PCGS# 389414.



1464 1,000 Zlotych, 1982-CHI. Fr-130; Y-85. Commemorating the visit of Pope John Paul II. Only 900 specimens struck in mint state. NGC MS-69. \$650-\$800
PCGS# 397293.



1465 Two Piece Proof Medal Set, 1987. Bruce-21 & 22. 2 pieces in set. Includes: gold 1/2 ounce medal and platinum 1 ounce medal commemorating Pope John Paul II. With certificates of authenticity. NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO & PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1800-\$2200



1466 Two Piece Proof Medal Set, 1987. Bruce-21&22. 2 pieces in set. Includes: gold 1/2 ounce medal and platinum 1 ounce medal commemorating Pope John Paul II. With certificates of authenticity. NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO & PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1800-\$2200



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1467 **Four Piece Proof Set, 1989.** Fr-142-145; KM-186-189. 4 pieces in set. Includes: 1,000 to 10,000 Zlotych. Pope John Paul II. Mintage of only 1,000 sets. With certificate of authenticity (for set). NGC PROOF-68 & PROOF-69 (3) ULTRA CAMEO..... \$3500-\$4500



1468 **DANZIG. Ducat, 1612. Sigismund III (1587-1632).** Fr-10; KM-5.4; Gum-1402; D&S-183, III; Kop-1516. Attractive and lustrous. Incredibly RARE in this state of preservation. NGC MS-63..... \$6000-\$8000

PCGS # 858800
Ex: Stack's Golden Horn Collection Sale 1/12/09 Lot #4017.



POLAND

1469 **DANZIG. Ducat, 1656-GR. John Casimir (1649-68).** Fr-24; KM-41.1; Parchimowicz-1759g; Dutkowski & Suchanek-311-I; Gum-1926; Kopicki-7657. RARE in this state of preservation. Sharply struck with full legends on both the obverse and reverse. Lustrous with light attractive orange peel toning. NGC MS-62..... \$7000-\$10,000

PCGS# 858840.



1470 **DANZIG. 5 Pfennig, 1923.** KM-142; Parchimowicz-55c. NGC PROOF-65. \$500-\$700

PCGS# 760645.



1471 **DANZIG. 10 Pfennig, 1923.** KM-143; Parchimowicz-57b. NGC PROOF-65. \$500-\$700

PCGS# 760650.



1472 **DANZIG. Gulden, 1923.** KM-145; Parchimowicz-61c. NGC PROOF-66. \$600-\$800

PCGS# 763546.



1473 **DANZIG. Gulden, 1923.** KM-145; Parchimowicz-61c. Toned with vibrant red and blue hues throughout. Very attractive. NGC PROOF-65..... \$500-\$700

PCGS# 763546.



POLAND

1474 DANZIG. 2 Gulden, 1923. KM-146; Parchimowicz-63. One year type. Tied with one other for finest certified. Blast white, a premium example. NGC PROOF-65. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 763550.



1475 DANZIG. 5 Gulden, 1923. KM-147; Parchimowicz-65c. First year of issue. Nice strike with bright reflective satin surfaces. NGC MS-64. \$400-\$600
PCGS# 763552.

1476 Danzig. Mixed Minors, ca. 1923-1937. 13 pieces in lot. Denominations included: Pfennig to Gulden in a variety of metals. All nice pieces with the coppers lustrous and mostly red. Some of the Gulden pieces having nice toning with underlying luster. All pieces wholesome and several quite choice. Retail value of about \$1,200. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. UNCIRCULATED.** \$500-\$700



1477 DANZIG. 25 Gulden, 1930-(W). Fr-44; KM-150; Parchimowicz-71. ICG MS-65. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 971474.



1478 DANZIG. 25 Gulden, 1930. Fr-44; KM-150; Parchimowicz-71. ICG MS-65. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 763562.



1479 DANZIG. 25 Gulden, 1930. Fr-44; KM-150; Parchimowicz-71. ICG MS-65. \$2000-\$2500
PCGS# 763562.



1480 DANZIG. 2 Gulden, 1932. KM-155; Parchimowicz-64. Mottled toning in areas. Nice luster with crisp features. NGC MS-62. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 763551.
Ex: Pittman Collection.



PORTUGAL

1481 Tostao, ND (1502-57). Porto Mint. Joao III (1521-57). Gomes-106.01. RARE. Attribution information on slab tag is incorrect. PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, EF Details. \$700-\$1000



1482 Cruzado (400 Reais), ND (ca. 1538). Lisbon Mint. Joao III (1521-57). Fr-29; Gomes-171.04. Well struck with full legends. Lightly toned and attractive. PCGS AU-53 Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200



1483 500 Reis (Cruzado), ND. Sebastian I (1557-78). Fr-41; Gomes-57.05. Nice strike. Lustrous and attractive. NGC AU-53. \$900-\$1100
PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 751605.



PORTUGAL

1484 Gold Emerald Pendant, ca. 1580's. Philip I (1581-98). 2.91 gms. A beautifully crafted pendant, most likely one half of a set of earrings. Made from an approximately 5 carat pear cut emerald, set in a similarly shaped gold bezel with an embellished decorative frame, below was a suspended small pearl which has mostly dissolved over the centuries. Recovered from the wreck of the Santiago, a Portuguese trading carrack which was wrecked between Madagascar and Mozambique on August 12th, 1585. With certificate of authenticity. **EXTREMELY FINE.**..... \$500-\$1000
Ex: Santiago.



1485 Gold Rosette, ca. 1580's. Philip I (1581-98). 26.95 mm; 3.35 gms. A charming little piece of jewelry with a design of four interlocking petals with texture on one side. Probably one element of a larger piece as the central hole looks as it would have slotted a pin or fastener. Recovered from the wreck of the Santiago which sank between Madagascar and Mozambique August 12, 1585. With certificate of authenticity. **EXTREMELY FINE.**..... \$300-\$500
Ex: Santiago.



1486 4 Escudos (Peca), 1754. Jose I (1750-77). Fr-101; KM-240; Gomes-53.05. Somewhat matte surfaces from salt water exposure. Otherwise a high grade and well detailed example. **PCGS Genuine—Salt Water Damage, Unc Details Secure Holder.**..... \$1300-\$1600
 PCGS# 249779.
Ex: Clive of India treasure. Recovered from the wreck of the Dodington.



1487 4 Escudos (Peca), 1754. Jose I (1750-77). Fr-106; KM-405. Recovered from the "Clive of India" shipwreck. **NGC Unc Details—Sea Salvage.**..... \$1300-\$1600
 PCGS# 249779.



1488 Peca, 1823. Fr-128; KM-364; Gomes-18.15. Bright with an abundance of eye-appeal. **NGC MS-63.**..... \$1200-\$1500
 PCGS# 720841.



1489 4 Escudos (Peca), 1834. Fr-141; KM-405; Gomes-19.01. Sharply struck with light orange peel toning. **NGC MS-62.**..... \$2200-\$2600
 PCGS# 720853.



1490 10,000 Reis, 1879. FR-152; KM-520; Gomes-17.17. **PCGS AU-58 Secure Holder.**..... \$600-\$750
 PCGS# 974732.



1491 5,000 Reis, 1886. Fr-153; KM-516; Gomes-16.14. Mintage of 27,000 pieces. Sharply struck and attractive. **NGC MS-63.**..... \$600-\$750
 PCGS# 717024.



PORTUGAL

1492 **5,000 Reis, 1889.** Fr-153; KM-516; Gomes-16.17. Mint-age of only 9,000 pieces. Sharply struck and very attractive. NGC MS-62. \$600-\$750
PCGS# 717027.



1493 **10,000 Reis, 1889.** FR-152; KM-520; Gomes-17.17. Nice strike. Bright and attractive surfaces. PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 401540.



PUERTO RICO

1494 **20 Centavos, 1895-PGV.** KM-22. Scarce and popular one year type. Nicely struck with dark iridescent toning. Very attractive. NGC MS-64. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 725692.



1495 **20 Centavos, 1895-PGV.** KM-22. Scarce and popular one year type. Nice strike with dark iridescent toning. Very attractive. NGC MS-63. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 725692.



1496 **Peso, 1895-PGV.** KM-24. Scarce and popular one year type. Nice strike with attractive dark toning. NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 725694.



1497 **Peso, 1895-PGV.** KM-24. Scarce and popular one year type. Nice strike with attractive dark toning. NGC MS-60. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 725694.



1498 **Peso, 1895-PGV.** KM-24. Attractively toned with underlying luster. A few small contact marks on cheek. NGC AU-55. \$700-\$900
PCGS # 725694



1499 **Peso, 1895-PGV.** KM-24. Scarce and popular one year type. Nice strike with attractive dark toning. NGC AU-55. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 725694.



PUERTO RICO

1500 Type Set, 1895-96-PGV. KM-20, 21, 22, 23, & 24. Includes: (1) Peso EF-45 and (1) 20 Centavos AU-50, both 1895. Also includes (1) 40 Centavos AU-50, (1) 10 Centavos EF-45, & (1) 5 Centavos EF-45. A wholesome and attractive set with nice evenly matched toning. PCGS EF-45 to AU-50.\$1500-\$2500
 PCGS# 976920.



RAGUSA

1501 Taler, 1748. Dav-1637; KM-17. A wonderfully preserved example, from a region where crown size silver coins are generally difficult to obtain in mint state condition. This piece bears fewer and less obtrusive adjustment marks than most, those here being confined to the arms on the reverse. Additionally the strike is quite full on lustrous metal. One of only a handful of Ragusa Talers to be certified as mint state and a great addition for collector's of this region. NGC MS-62.....\$3500-\$4500
 PCGS# 457842.



RHODESIA

1502 5 Pounds, 1966. Fr-1; KM-7. Slab tag states an incorrect denomination. Mintage of only 3,000 pieces. NGC PROOF-66.\$1200-\$1500
 PCGS# 829718.



RUSSIA

1503 Yefimok, 1655. Alexei Mikhailovich (1645-76). cf.KM-420; Spassky-1034. "1655" and Czar on horseback, countermarked on a 1648 Holland Daalder. Lightly cleaned. **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, EF Details Secure Holder.**..... \$2000-\$3000
PCGS# 444594.

1506 Ruble, 1707. Peter I (The Great) (1689-1725). KM-130.2; Bit-187; Dia-3; Dav-1645. With hair ribbon and letter "H" on sleeve. Attractive old toning. **NGC VF Details—Planchet Defect.**..... \$9000-\$11,000
PCGS# 490044.



1504 Yefimok, 1655. Alexei Mikhailovich (1645-76). KM-unlisted (for this host coin); Spassky-741a (plate coin). Countermarks applied to a Brunswick-Wolfenbutter Taler, 1613 (Dav-6285). Dark toned and very attractive. **NGC VF-35.**..... \$3500-\$4000
Ex: Fuchs Collection, Sotheby's 04/97 lot 61.

1507 Ruble, ND (1720). Peter I (1699-1725). Dav-1655; KM-157.5; Bit-425; Dia-79. Lightly cleaned at one time, still very attractive. Sharply struck and lustrous. **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, AU Details Secure Holder.**..... \$3500-\$4500
PCGS# 682084.



1505 Yefimok, 1655. Alexei Mikhailovich (1645-76). KM-unlisted (for host coin); Spassky-1064 (plate coin). Countermarks applied to a 1575 Saxony (Albertine line) Taler, (Dav-9798). Large planchet fissure due to pressure from countermarking. **NGC VF Details—Planchet Flaw.** \$3500-\$4000
Ex: Fuchs Collection, Sotheby's 04/97 lot 94.

1508 2 Ruble, 1720. Peter I (The Great) (1689-1725). KM-158.5; Bit-121. Planchet lamination on reverse which disqualifies this coin from being certified by NGC or PCGS. **VERY FINE.**..... \$3500-\$5000
PCGS# 689815.



1509 Ruble, (1721)-K. Kadashevsky Mint. Peter I (The Great) (1689-1725). KM-157.5; Bit-468; Dia-32; Dav-1655. Type of 1721, with Engraver's initial (K), crown with dots above head. A few minor planchet flaws, nice strike with attractive toning. **NGC EF-45.** \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 145409.



RUSSIA

1510 1 Ruble, 1722. Peter I (The Great) (1689-1725). KM-162.1; Dav-1656; Bit-492; Dia-2. Subdued toning. Very attractive for the grade.
NGC VF-35..... \$1800-\$2200
 PCGS# 165040.



1511 Ruble, 1725. Peter I (The Great) (1689-1725). Dav-1662; KM-165.2; Bit-978; Dia-42. Traces of tooling on reverse. Nice strike, highly lustrous and very attractive.
PCGS Genuine—Tooled, AU Details Secure Holder..... \$3000-\$4000
 PCGS# 170475.



1512 Ruble, 1726. Catherine I (1725-27). KM-168; Bit-23; Dia-24; Dav-1664. Slightly uneven strike. Lustrous surfaces. Bright and appealing.
PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder..... \$1500-\$2000
 PCGS# 682085.



1513 Poltina (1/2 Ruble), 1727. Catherine I (1725-27). KM-176.1; Bit-66; Dia-1. Well struck. Lightly toned.
NGC AU-53..... \$4500-\$5500
 PCGS# 232201.



1514 Ruble, 1729. Peter II (1727-30). KM-182.3; Bit-24; cf. Dia-26. Lightly toned with much original luster.
NGC AU-53..... \$3500-\$4500
 PCGS# 165068.



1515 Ruble, 1731. KM-192.1; Bit-40; Dia-8. Brooch on chest, ornate cross on orb on reverse. Sharply struck and lustrous. Very attractive.
NGC MS-62..... \$7000-\$9000
 PCGS# 172819.



1516 Poltina (1/2 Ruble), 1733. Anna (1730-40). KM-195; Bit-46; Dia-5. Well struck. Lightly toned with some luster remaining in the protected areas.
NGC AU-55..... \$2000-\$3000
 PCGS# 171967.



RUSSIA

1517 Ruble, 1733. Anna (1730-40). Bit-64; Dav-1670; KM-192.1; Dia-14. Amazing strike that begs for a higher grade, even the horse's bridal is clearly seen in his mouth. Add in booming blast white luster, and the example offered should become irresistible for the specialist in early 18th century Russian coinage. **PCGS MS-61 Secure Holder.** \$5000-\$6000
PCGS# 171966.

1520 Ruble, 1733. Anna (1730-40). KM-192.2; Bit-Obv. unlisted, Rev. 66.; Dia-Obv. unlisted, Rev. 17. Seemingly unlisted obverse die. No brooch. Distinctive top hair curl (to right of crown) and diamond shaped accents near the portrait's bosom. **NGC AU-55.** \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 141992.



1518 Ruble, 1733. Anna (1730-40). KM-192.2; Dav-1671; Bit-64. A few minor laminations. Fully lustrous, bright and appealing. **NGC MS-62.**..... \$5000-\$7000
PCGS# 141992.

1521 Ruble, 1734. Anna (1730-40). KM-192.3; Bit-100; Dia-29. Portrait of 1734 type. Cross of crown atop bust parts the upper legend. Lustrous with a strong portraiture. **NGC AU-53.** \$1300-\$1600
PCGS# 402001.



1519 Ruble, 1733. Anna (1730-40). KM-192.2; Dav-1671; Bit-64. Tied with five others in this grade, with only one higher. Well struck, fully lustrous. Bright and appealing. **NGC MS-62.** \$5000-\$7000
PCGS# 141992.

1522 10 Kopek, 1735. Anna (1730-40). KM-194; Bit-192; Dia-4. RARE type. Plain cross on orb. Nice strike, pleasing toning with rosy undertones. **NGC AU-55.**..... \$3500-\$4500
PCGS# 427743.



1523 Ruble, 1735. Anna (1730-40). KM-197; Bit-122; Dia-9; Dav-1673. Eight pearls in hair. Nice strike. Brilliant surfaces with lovely slate toning. **NGC MS-62.** \$4500-\$6000
PCGS# 680039.



RUSSIA

1524 Ruble, 1741-CNB. Ivan VI (1740-41). KM-207.2; Bit-21; Dia-6; Dav-1676. RARE. Emperor Ivan VI Antonovich of Russia was made heir to the Empire of Russia by his Great-Aunt Empress Anna, who wished to exclude all descendants of Peter I from the throne. Elizabeth, daughter of Peter I, staged a coup d'état and ascended as Empress in 1741. She then imprisoned Ivan VI and his family. Ivan VI would linger on for 23 years before a botched escape ended his years of mental anguish. This piece exhibits a few small scratches along the obverse field, but it hardly detracts from this RARE and historically important piece. **NGC EF Details—Scratches.** **\$5000-\$7000**
 PCGS# 682075.

1525 1/2 Ruble, 1743-MMA. Elizabeth I (1741-61). C-18.1; Bit-143. Natural planchet clip. Struck on a large planchet. Lustrous and attractive. **NGC AU-53.**..... **\$2000-\$2500**
 PCGS# 230587.



1526 1/4 Ruble (Polupoltinnik), 1748-MMA. Elizabeth (1741-61). C-17; Bit-161; Dia-187. Light toning. Lustrous and nice eye appeal. **PCGS AU-53 Secure Holder.** **\$700-\$900**
 PCGS# 174051.

Attractive 10 Ruble of Elizabeth



RUSSIA

1527 10 Ruble, 1757-CNB. Fr-122; C-28.2; Bit-77. RARE. Portrait by B. Scott. Mintage of only 8,604 pieces. Attractive orange peel toning in the protected areas. NGC EF-40.....\$20,000-\$25,000
PCGS# 689817.



1528 Ruble, 1759-CNBRI. Elizabeth I (1741-61). C-19c.4; Bit-289. Some light surface porosity and somewhat bright from cleaning. Otherwise a high grade coin with good details. NGC EF Details—Environmental Damage.....\$1600-\$2000
PCGS# 455249.



RUSSIA

1529 Ruble, 1760-CNBRI. Elizabeth (1741-61). C-19c.4; Bit-291; Dia-537; Dav-1681. Surface hairlines present. Peripheral orange peel toning. NGC AU Details—**Excessive Surface Hairlines.** \$2000-\$2500
 PCGS# 172195.

1531 Ruble, 1763-CNBRI. Catherine II (1762-96). C-67.2; Bit-184; Dia-21. Tied with two others in this grade, with only two higher. Well struck and fully lustrous. Accented with light golden tone. A very attractive coin with excellent eye appeal. NGC MS-62..... \$2500-\$3500
 PCGS# 148521.



1530 Ruble, 1762-CNBHK. Peter III (1761-62). C-47.2; Bit-11; Dia-7. Oblique milled edge. A nice example of this one year type. NGC AU-50..... \$2000-\$2500
 PCGS# 689806.

1532 Ruble, 1764-CNBRI. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-67.2a; Bit-185; Dia-50. Sharply struck. Brilliant and choice. NGC MS-63..... \$3000-\$4000
 PCGS# 402073.

VERY RARE Two Year Type Catherine II Gold 10 Ruble



RUSSIA

1533 10 Ruble, 1764-CNB. St. Petersburg Mint. Catherine II (1762-96). Fr-129; KM-79.2a; Bit-9; Diakov-46. The finest and only mint state example certified by NGC. VERY RARE two year only type coin. The first year of issue for the reduced weight standard 10 Rubles (Imperial). In 1764, the weight was reduced from 15.63 gms to 13.09 gms. Some minor earthen deposits in the obverse legend. Well struck and lustrous. Bright and attractive. NGC MS-61..... **\$30,000-\$40,000**
PCGS# 466417.



RUSSIA

1534 1/2 Ruble (Poltina), 1765-CNBRI. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-66.2a; Bit-276; Dia-83. Faint honeycomb toning. Lustrous and attractive. **PCGS AU-53 Secure Holder.** \$2000-\$2500
 PCGS# 233867.



1538 Ruble, 1774-CNBOA. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-67a.2; Bit-218; Dia-306. Nice strike. Lustrous and great eye appeal. **NGC MS-61.** \$1400-\$1700
 PCGS# 402098.



1535 1/2 Ruble (Poltina), 1765-CNBRI. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-66.2a; Bit-276; Dia-83. Light scratch on obverse field, though it hardly detracts from the lustrous portrait. Nice strike. Lightly toned. **NGC EF Details—Surface Hairlines Secure Holder.** \$900-\$1200
 PCGS# 233867.



1539 Ruble, 1774-CNBOA. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-67a.2; Bit-218; Dia-306. Bright with faint toning. **NGC AU-58.** \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 402098.



1536 Ruble, 1771-CNBRY. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). Dav-1684; Bit-210; Dia-261; KM 67a.2. Faint trace of wear with plenty of lusters. Well struck and perfectly centered. Great eye appeal. **NGC AU-58.** \$2000-\$2500
 PCGS# 402096.



1540 Ruble, 1774-CNBOA. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-67a.2; Bit-218; Dia-306. Some slight gray hued toning. Nice underlying luster and good eye appeal. **NGC AU-55.** \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 402098.



1537 Ruble, 1772-CNBAW. Catherine II (1762-96). C-67a.2; Bit-197. Toned with attractive luster. **NGC AU-55.** \$700-\$900
 PCGS# 661000. NGC ID: 96647.



1541 10 Ruble, 1774-CNB. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). Fr-129a; C-79a; Bit-29; Dia-303; Sev-306. Some wispy hairlines in fields from a light cleaning. Nice strike and attractive. **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, AU Details Secure Holder.** \$6000-\$7500
 PCGS# 689819.



RUSSIA

1542 Ruble, 1775-CNBOA. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-67a.2; Bit-219; Dia-321. Some hairlines present, though overall a lustrous and wholesome example. NGC Unc Details—Surface Hairlines. \$700-\$900

Mint State 1775 St. Petersburg Mint 10 Ruble of Catherine II



1543 10 Ruble, 1775-CNB. St. Petersburg Mint. Catherine II (1762-96). Fr-129a; C-79a; Bit-31; Diakov-319. The finest certified example by NGC, with only two other coins graded (both VF). A bright and lustrous example that is well struck and very attractive. Surfaces accented with light orange-gold tones. NGC MS-62..... \$30,000-\$40,000
PCGS# 689826.



RUSSIA

1544 Ruble, 1776-CNBRY. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-67a.2; Bit-221; Dia-339. Nice minty surfaces. Very attractive. NGC AU-58..... \$700-\$900
PCGS# 680042.



1546 Siberia. 5 Kopek, 1779-KM. Suzun Mint. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-5; Bit-1084. Sharply struck with nice surfaces. NGC MS-63 BN..... \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 349848.



1547 Ruble, 1782-CNBNE. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-67b; Bit-233; Dia-437; Dav-1685. Lightly toned and attractive. PCGS AU-55 Secure Holder..... \$700-\$900
PCGS# 402104.



1548 1/4 Ruble (Polupoltinnik), 1785-CNBRA. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-65c; Bit-338; Dia-508. Lovely mint luster with subdued toning. NGC MS-63. \$1800-\$2200
PCGS# 158849.

1545 Siberia. 10 Kopek, 1779-KM. Suzun Mint. Catherine II (1762-96). C-6; Bit-1042. A well struck and even more remarkably well preserved example. Nice fully textured foxes and leaves. Glossy dark chocolate brown patina with subdued luster. PCGS MS-64 BN Secure Holder..... \$2800-\$3200
PCGS# 790828.



RUSSIA

1549 5 Kopek Contemporary Counterfeit, 1787. Avesta Mint. Catherine II (the Great) (1762-96). cf.C-59.3; Bit-1289; AAH-108a. A Swedish made imitation which is quite RARE. This example has been lightly silver plated and two modern screw holes on the obverse, likely used as a badge or buckle. **VERY FINE**..... \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 991018

1551 5 Kopek, 1789-KM. Catherine II (1762-96). KM-N217; Bit-799. Gold and chocolate brown color. Lustrous and high grade. NGC MS-62 BN..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 276243.



1550 Crimea. 20 Kopek, 1787-TM. Catherine II (1762-96). KM-92; Bit-4. Mild scratch on obverse. PCGS Genuine—Scratch, EF Details Secure Holder..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 991021.



1552 5 Kopek, 1794-KM. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96). C-59.5; Bit-810. Excellent strike, slightly off center. Pleasing mahogany surfaces. NGC MS-65 BN. \$1500-\$1800
PCGS# 427565.

Attractive "Albertus" Ruble



RUSSIA

- 1553 **Albertus Ruble, 1796-BM. Paul I (1796-1801).** KM-Pn46; Bit-10; Julian-922; Zander-pg.82. Planned proposal for a Baltic trade coinage. Regarded by some authorities as a pattern. Some gray toning over surfaces with original silver luster and nice details. A classic rarity in the Russian series. **PCGS EF-45 Secure Holder..... \$18,000-\$22000**
 PCGS# 395573.



- 1554 **Ruble, 1796-CNBIC. Catherine II (The Great) (1762-96).** C-67c; Dav-1686; Bit 270; Dia-820. Combined NGC/PCGS census shows pop one, with only one finer in 62. From the last year of Catherine The Great's reign. No marks or distractions. Even colored tone and very attractive. **NGC AU-58..... \$4000-\$5000**
 PCGS# 395008.
- 1555 **Ruble, 1796-CNBIC. St. Petersburg Mint. Catherine II (1762-96).** C-67c; Bit-270; Dav-1686. Lustrous with light blue-grey and gold toning. **NGC AU-55. \$4000-\$5000**
 PCGS# 395008.



RUSSIA

1556 2 Kopek, 1797. Paul I (1796-1801). KM-95.1; Bit-191; Brekke-68. RARE reverse type with no mint-mark initials, with dot after "2". Nicely struck. Some evidence of die deterioration. Deep chocolate patina. NGC MS-61 BN..... **\$1200-\$1500**
PCGS# 226507.



1560 Ruble, 1799-CMMB. Paul I (1796-1801). C-101a; Bit-35. Pleasing old cabinet toning. NGC AU-58. **\$1500-\$2000**
PCGS# 689804.



1557 Ducat, 1797-CMRN. Paul I (1796-1801). Fr-143; C-103; Bit-13; Sev-362. The last Imperial Ducat of Russia. RARE one year type. Some minor edge repair and minor flan waviness as is typical of this issue. PCGS Genuine—Edge Repaired, AU Details Secure Holder. **\$13,000-\$16,000**
PCGS# 30621453.



1561 1/4 Ruble (Polupoltinnik), 1801-CMAN. Paul I (1796-1801). C-98.1a; Bit-77. Scarce two year type. Lovely toning. Sharply struck and very attractive.. NGC EF-45. **\$1500-\$1800**
PCGS# 377705.



1558 1/4 Ruble (Polupoltinnik), 1798-CNOM. Paul I (1796-1801). C-98.2; Bit-68. Very scarce type. Sharply struck. Lightly toned. Lustrous and good eye appeal. NGC AU-53. **\$2200-\$2600**
PCGS# 377708.



1562 5 Ruble, 1801-CMAN. Fr-144; C-104.1; Bit-8. VERY RARE. Four year type. Expertly repaired, still wholesome looking. PCGS Genuine—Repaired, VF Details Secure Holder. **\$7000-\$9000**
PCGS# 930060.

1559 1 & 2 Kopeks, ca. 1798-1802. Ekaterinburg Mint. Paul I (1796-1801). 14 pieces in lot. Includes: (11) 1 Kopeks and (3) 2 Kopeks. All have lovely mahogany patinas and bear only the mildest evidence of circulation and in most cases they appear to not have circulated at all and still exhibit some subdued luster. A few planchet flaws or minor edge bumps are the only issues of note. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. ALMOST UNCIRCULATED-UNCIRCULATED.** **\$1000-\$1200**



1563 Ruble, 1802C. Dav-279; C-125; Bit-28. Sharply struck. Light attractive toning and considerable mint luster. Very attractive. PCGS AU-55 Secure Holder..... **\$3000-\$3500**
PCGS# 925636.



RUSSIA

1564 5 Kopek Pattern, 180-(1803). Alexander I (1801-1825). KM-Pn60; Bit-301. RARE. Some light surface corrosion. Chocolate hued toning with some minor areas of wear. Nicely struck with crisp details. A VERY RARE pattern or trial issue struck from unfinished dies. **PCGS SP Genuine—Environmental Damage, AU Details Secure Holder.**..... \$10,000-\$12,000
 PCGS# 784013.

1566 5 Kopek, 1809-EM. C-115.1; Bit-298. A mostly red coin with lovely surfaces. Very bright lustrous copper surfaces with well struck characters. A few planchet flaws on the reverse rim at 9 & 10 o'clock, otherwise choice and appealing. **NGC MS-64 RB.**..... \$2500-\$3500
 PCGS# 190212.



1565 Ruble, 1808-CNBMK. C-125; Bit-72. Sharply struck. Beautiful rose hued toning. **PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder.**..... \$6000-\$7500
 PCGS# 925643.



1567 Ruble, 1809-CNBOТ. C-125; Bit-73. Lightly toned with underlying luster. **PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder.**..... \$1500-\$1800
 PCGS# 402130.



1568 10 Kopek (Grivennik), 1810-CNBOТ. C-119a; Bit-93. Lovely satiny surfaces with an abundance of minty luster. Tied with one other example at this grade, with only one certified finer. Sharply struck. **PCGS MS-62 Secure Holder.**..... \$3000-\$3500
 PCGS# 193421.



RUSSIA

1569 Reconstitution of the Kingdom of Poland Silver Medal, 1815. 49.52 mm. Dia-396; Reichel-3319. By I. Mainert. RARE. Laureate head of Alexander I right; Reverse: Four line inscription with date and small garland below. Struck following the close of the Congress of Vienna which had been a summit held by European powers in an attempt to settle the crises arising from the recently ended Napoleonic Wars. The Tsar was unable to attain all of Poland but did secure the Napoleonic Duchy of Warsaw, which he ruled as the Kingdom of Poland. A nicely struck medal on a planchet of decent if not perfect manufacture as evidenced by the slight unevenness at 3 o'clock of the reverse. Lightly cleaned at some time. **NGC AU Details—Cleaning Secure Holder..... \$4000-\$5000**



1570 Ruble, 1817-CNBNC. C-130; Bit-90. Nice strike. Attractive light toning with underlying luster.
NGC MS-62..... \$700-\$900
PCGS# 925666.



1571 Ruble, 1819-CNBNC. C-130; Bit-127. Sharply struck and lustrous with some light pleasing toning.
NGC MS-61..... \$2500-\$3000
PCGS# 925670.

1572 Lot of (11) 5 Kopeks, 1821-27. Alexander I & Nicholas I. C-126 & 156. 11 pieces in lot. Pieces of note include two nice looking 1823-CNBNA. Some duplication. Some have been cleaned and or have other defects. Should be examined closely. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS.** Average grade **EXTREMELY FINE..... \$900-\$1200**

1573 Lot of (12) 5 Kopeks, 1822-37. C-126, 156 & 163; Bit-276, 277, 279, 281, 143, 144 & 390. Most pieces are from the mint at St. Petersburg. All are 5 Kopeks denomination. Consists of (2) 1822, (4) 1823, (2) 1824, (1) 1825 (all mint marked CNBNA); (1) 1826, (1) 1827, & (1) 1837 (all mint marked CNBHT). Some are cleaned or have other defects, should be examined. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. VERY FINE-ALMOST UNCIRCULATED..... \$1000-\$1500**



1574 Coronation Jeton in Platinum, 1826. Nicholas I (1825-55). Diakov-446.9; Smirnov-414; Severin-399a. RARE. Struck for the coronation of Nicholas I. Crowned cipher of Nicholas I; Reverse: Three line inscription below crown. **PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, AU Details Secure Holder..... \$4000-\$5000**
PCGS# 651945.



1575 5 Kopek, 1829-CNBHT. Nicholas I. C-156; Bit-152.
NGC MS-63..... \$1000-\$1500



RUSSIA

1576 25 Kopek, 1830-CNBHT. C-159; Bit-130. Sharply struck with attractive luster. NGC MS-63. \$800-\$1000
PCGS# 411526.



1580 Silver Medal, 1851. 42.28 mm; 36.3 gms. Dai-598.1. J.J. Reichel, Russian coin Engraver Medal on the opening of the New Hermitage, 1851. Bust slightly to the left of Jakob Reichel, name and birth information around, "C. PFEUFFER FEC" below bust; Reverse: Reichel Family Arms inscription on ribbon around. Reichel was the medalist at the St. Petersburg Mint from 1808 until his death in 1856. His outstanding collection of Russian and other coins and medals was purchased by Czar Nicholas I and was the genesis of the mint's numismatic cabinet. Gorgeous iridescent electric blue and fuchsia toning over a pearl gray base highlight the portrait and Arms on the reverse. VERY RARE and exceptionally attractive. NGC MS-64. \$3500-\$5000



1577 3 Kopek, 1840-SP. KM-PN106; Bit-H808; Brekke-206. RARE. Chocolate brown patina. Well struck with razor sharp details that are fresh and crisp. PCGS PROOF-64 BN Secure Holder. \$4500-\$5500
PCGS# 680069.



1581 1/2 Ruble, 1852-CNBNA. Bit-265; C-167.1. Quite likely the finest extant, stands alone as finest seen at PCGS and NGC. Mirrored surfaces somewhat concealed under toned fields. A subtle wide array of colors are especially evident on the obverse. NGC PROOF-65. \$9000-\$11,000
PCGS# 925462.



1578 5 Ruble, 1841-CNBAY. Fr-155; C-175.1; Bit-18. Sharply struck with soft satin luster. NGC MS-64.... \$1300-\$1600
PCGS# 930111.



1579 5 Ruble, 1842-CNBAY. Fr-155; C-175.1; Bit-19. Nice strike with attractive luster. NGC MS-64. \$1300-\$1600
PCGS# 120307.



1582 Ruble, 1858-CNBOB. C-168.1; Bit-48. Sharply struck. Toned. NGC MS-63. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 169977.



RUSSIA

1583 1/2 Ruble (Poltina), 1860-CNBOB. Y-241; Bit-99. Light attractive toning. NGC MS-64. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 925502.



1586 Poltina (1/2 Ruble), 1874-CNBHI. Y-24; Bit-116. Large crown, small eagle. Mintage of only 16,003 pieces of all varieties. Sharply struck. NGC AU-58. \$3000-\$3500
PCGS# 196403.



1584 2 Kopek, 1863-EM. Brussels Mint Pattern. cf.KM-129; Bit-600. Copper. Scarce. Brown with traces of mint red. NGC PROOF-64. \$2500-\$3000
PCGS# 159899.



1587 Ruble, 1883. Y-43; Bit-217; Sev-3939. Alexander III coronation. Brilliant prooflike surfaces. Lightly toned and very attractive. NGC MS-64 PL. \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 925850.



1585 3 Ruble, 1869-CNBHI. Fr-164; Y-26; Bit-31. PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, Unc Details Secure Holder. \$1800-\$2200
PCGS# 930026.



1588 50 Kopek, 1886-AT. Y-45; Bit-79. Light attractive toning with nice eye appeal. NGC MS-64. \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 925561.

EXTREMELY RARE Proof 10 Ruble of Alexander III



RUSSIA

1589 10 Ruble, 1886-AT. Fr-167; Y-A42; Bit-15; Sev-530; Uzd-0291. EXTREMELY RARE. An already elusive date for a mint state piece. In a proof striking this becomes an EXTREMELY RARE piece. Deeply mirrored fields with a crisp strike. Handsome cameo portrait. Tied with one other piece for finest certified. A lovely mirrored proof with satiny cameo portrait. **NGC PROOF-65 CAMEO.** \$50,000-\$60,000

PCGS# 509550.

Ex: Irina Baranova Collection, Christie's Geneva. 05/84 lot 385.

Ex: Glendining 06/77, lot. 136.



RUSSIA

1590 5 Ruble, 1889-AT. Fr-168; Y-42; Bit-33.
NGC MS-64. \$1100-\$1300
PCGS# 661000.

1594 10 Ruble, 1894-AT. Fr-167; Y-A42; Bit-23. VERY RARE.
Mintage of only 1,007 pieces.
NGC AU-58. \$3000-\$4000
PCGS# 930349.



1591 5 Ruble, 1889-AT. Fr-168; Y-42; Bit-33.
NGC MS-63. \$900-\$1100
PCGS# 661000.

1595 Ruble, 1897-AT. Y-59.3; Bit-41. Proof striking with only
a minuscule amount of wear and a few scattered light
hairlines. Brilliant surfaces.
NGC PROOF-58. \$1200-\$1500



1592 5 Ruble, 1890-AT. Fr-167; Y-42; Bit-35.
NGC MS-62. \$650-\$800
PCGS# 881000.



1596 15 Rubles, 1897-AT. Fr-177; Y-65.2; Bit-2; Sev-562. Nar-
row rim. NGC AU-58. \$600-\$750
PCGS# 881000.



1593 5 Ruble, 1890-AT. Fr-168; Y-42; Bit-35. Nice strike. Attract-
ive luster. NGC MS-62. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 98160.



RUSSIA

1597 15 Rubles, 1897-AT. Fr-177; Y-65.2; Bit-2; Sev-562. Wide rim. NGC AU-58..... **\$600-\$750**
 PCGS# 398031.



1598 15 Rubles, 1897-AT. Fr-177; Y-65.2; Bit-2; Sev-562. Wide rim. NGC AU-55..... **\$600-\$700**
 PCGS# 398031.



1599 3 Kopek Pattern Struck in Copper, 1898. Berlin Mint. KM-Pn157; Bit-374; Brekke-8. VERY RARE. Date and legend on reverse in retrograde. In 1897, the Berlin mint struck trial pieces to present to the Russian government, as the St. Petersburg mint was having trouble fulfilling obligations to strike coins. In order not to copy the Russian currency exactly, the Berlin mint used the German eagle on the obverse and put the legend and date in retrograde on the reverse. Attractive chocolate patina. NGC AU-55 BN..... **\$5000-\$7000**
 PCGS# 873232.



1600 10 Ruble, 1898-AT. Fr-179; Y-64; Bit-3. NGC MS-63. **\$900-\$1200**
 PCGS# 149944.



1601 10 Ruble, 1899-O3. Fr-179; Y-64; Bit-6. Tied with five others for finest certified. NGC MS-64..... **\$600-\$750**
 PCGS# 930373.



1602 20 Kopek, 1901-CNBP. Y-22a.1; Bit-101. Lightly toned. NGC PROOF-65. **\$500-\$700**
 PCGS# 218649.

Choice Cameo Proof 10 Ruble of Nicholas II



RUSSIA

1603 10 Ruble, 1901-AP. Fr-179; Y-64; Bit-9; Sev-575; Uzd-0340. VERY RARE. Lightly toned with lovely hard mirror surfaces and frosted devices. Very handsome cameo portrait. The finest certified example. Highly attractive with great eye appeal. NGC **PROOF-64 CAMEO**..... \$25,000-\$30,000

PCGS# 930377.

Ex: Superior Galleries, 05/01 lot 259.



1604 20 Kopek, 1903-CNBP. Y-22a.1; Bit-103. Attractive frosty devices with hard mirror fields. NGC **PROOF-64 ULTRA CAMEO**..... \$1600-\$2000

PCGS# 523211.



1605 3 Kopek, 1903. Y-11.2; Bit-216. A high grade example. Obverse has iridescent toning, while the reverse exhibits some of its more natural copper tone. Very attractive. PCGS **PROOF-65 BN Secure Holder**..... \$1800-\$2200

PCGS# 161181.



RUSSIA

1606 Ruble, 1907-EB. Y-59.3; Bit-61. Lovely reflective surfaces and multi-hued iridescent toning. Very attractive. NGC PROOF-62 CAMEO..... \$7000-\$9000



1607 10 Ruble, 1909-EB. Fr-179; Y-64; Bit-14. NGC MS-63..... \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 150591.



1608 5 Ruble, 1910-EB. Fr-180; Y-62; Bit-36. Scarce date. Mintage of only 200,000. NGC MS-64..... \$1400-\$1800
PCGS# 930274.



1609 Ruble, 1912-EB. Y-59.3; Bit-66. Sharply struck. Light toning and lovely luster. NGC MS-64..... \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 925912.



1610 3 Kopek, 1931. Y-93. EXTREMELY RARE. Type without "СССР" on reverse. Minor deposits, yet overall a wholesome example for this RARE issue. PCGS Genuine—Environmental Damage, EF Details Secure Holder..... \$1700-\$2200
PCGS# 30621455.

1611 Four Piece Gold Ballerina Proof Set, 1994. Fr-B1-B4; KM-PS10. 5 pieces in lot. Includes: 10, 25, 50 and 100 Ruble denomination gold proofs. Also includes a gold-plated medal with the Russian double eagle, Moscow mint and the date (1994). With mint issue display case. GEM BRILLIANT PROOF..... \$2000-\$2500



SARAWAK

1612 Cent, 1929-H. KM-18; Tan-SC11. EXTREMELY RARE. The finest of only two specimens of this date graded at PCGS, with none at NGC. Light red toning. PCGS SP-64 RB Secure Holder..... \$3500-\$5000
PCGS# 394461.



SAUDI ARABIA

1613 4 Pounds, ND (1945-46). Fr-190; KM-34. Struck at the Philadelphia mint for a concession payment for oil with ARAMCO. Most were melted for bullion. NGC AU-58..... \$1700-\$1900
PCGS# 661000.



SENEGAL

1614 2,500 Franc, 1975. Fr-5; KM-10. Commemorating the 25th anniversary of the Eurafrique Program. RARE. Mintage of only 195 pieces. PCGS MS-68 Secure Holder..... \$1300-\$1600
PCGS# 992537.



SOUTH AFRICA

1615 Orange Free State. Pattern Penny, 1888-LLCV. Bruce-Pn6a. Copper-nickel. RARE. Elegant Shield type. Sharply struck with crisp details and highly reflective mirror surfaces. NGC PROOF-64. \$5000-\$7000



1616 3 Pence, 1892. KM-3. Nice strike. Mottled toning which deepens towards the periphery. PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 560631.
From the Demarete Collection.



1617 6 Pence, 1892. KM-4. Nice strike with attractive deep mottled toning and iridescent highlights. PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 560646.
From the Demarete Collection.



1618 Shilling, 1892. KM-5. Sharply struck. Attractive light smoky grey toning with golden and rose iridescent highlights. PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 560661.
From the Demarete Collection.



1619 2 Shilling, 1892. KM-6. Sharply struck with attractive iridescent toning showing hues of gold, azure and rose. PCGS MS-64 Secure Holder. \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 560673.
From the Demarete Collection.



SOUTH AFRICA

1620 Six Piece Proof Set, 1892. KM-3-7 & 8.2. 6 pieces in set. VERY RARE. A set comprised of very low mintage pieces with highest of any being struck is around 50 pieces. The 5 Shilling is of the “Single Shaft” Wagon variety. There are two major varieties for the 1892 5 Shillings, “Single Shaft” and “Double Shaft”. Both were designed by Otto Schultz and tell a very interesting story. With presidential elections closely approaching, President Kruger desperately wanted to release new coinage into circulation as soon as possible; however, at this time the Pretoria mint was still under construction. Kruger not wanting to wait contracted with the Royal Prussian mint in Berlin to produce the first series of coinage. This proved to be a mistake that nearly cost Kruger the election. The German die engravers were unfamiliar with the style of wagon used in South Africa and engraved them in the style of a European wagon. Although the design was well executed, the wagon was depicted with two shafts and two equally sized wheels. This differed from the normal “Single Shaft” wagon or “Voortrekker wagon” used in South Africa which typically was depicted with a much larger wheel in the back. Although this seems like a very subtle difference, it nearly cost Kruger the presidency. Kruger’s political opponents immediately noticed the incorrect depiction of the “Voortrekker wagon” on the national coat of arms and declared this “an insult”, insisting that the engraver Otto Schultz initials “OS” represented the Dutch word for an Ox. Kruger took full ownership for this error and quickly had the appropriate design changes made. Interestingly enough, only the 5 Shilling is of the “double shaft” type, while the 2 and 2 1/2 shilling are both of the correct “single shaft” type. A mostly well matched set with the 6 Pence to 2.5 Shilling pieces being **PROOF 64+** or **PROOF 65**. The two outliers are the 5 Shilling which is slightly lower proof grade and the 3 Pence which has a very light track mark bisecting the obverse horizontally and earning it a details grade. Light toning on most pieces, with some mild russet tones on a few. **PCGS PROOF Genuine—Scratch, Unc Details to PR65.** \$12,000-\$16,000
 PCGS# 560703.

RARE & Highly Desirable 1931 Proof Set



SOUTH AFRICA

1621 Eight Piece Proof Set, 1931. KM-PS6; Hern-P7. 8 pieces in set. Mintage of only 62 sets. The copper issues have a beautiful milk chocolate patina with light iridescent toning on hard proof surfaces. The silver issues have a light iridescent toning on hard proof surfaces which deepens to a charcoal grey towards the peripherals with the 6 pence darker overall than the others. An attractive and evenly matched set graded by PCGS. Grades as follows: 1/4 Penny **PROOF-64 BN**, 1/2 Penny **PROOF-64 BN**, **PROOF-64 BN**, 3 Pence **PROOF-64 CAMEO**, 6 Pence **PROOF-64**, Shilling **PROOF-64 CAMEO**, 2 Shilling **PROOF-64 CAMEO**, and the 2 1/2 Shilling **PROOF-64**. PCGS **PROOF-64 (2)**, **PROOF-64 BN (3)** & **PROOF-64 CAMEO (3) Secure Holders**..... \$10,000-\$15,000

PCGS# 562272.

From the Demarete Collection.



SPAIN

1622 Catalonia. Ducat, ND. Juan II (1458-79). Fr-29a. RARE. Crowned facing portrait; Reverse: Crowned arms of Catalonia. Nice strike. Attractive portrait. Lightly toned with underlying luster. NGC AU-55. \$8000-\$10,000
PCGS# 529945.



1626 8 Escudos, 1773-CF. Seville Mint. Charles III (1759-88). Fr-283; KM-409.2; Cal-Type-29#252. Sharply struck. Lustrous and very lovely. NGC MS-62. \$6000-\$7500
PCGS# 717949.



1623 Dobla, ND (ca. 1406-54). Seville Mint. Juan II (1406-54). Fr-112; Cayon-1515. Sharply struck with satiny surfaces. An exceptional example of this popular type. NGC MS-63. \$1800-\$2200
PCGS# 160161.



1627 8 Escudos, 1778-PJ. Madrid Mint. Charles III (1759-88). Fr-282; KM-409.1; Cal-Type-10#59. Sharply struck. Lustrous and choice. NGC MS-62. \$6000-\$7500
PCGS# 717927.



1624 Dobla, ND. Seville Mint. Juan II (1406-54). Fr-112; Cayon-1515. Struck on a thin broad flan. Light toning with underlying luster. NGC EF-45. \$1100-\$1300
PCGS# 160161.



1628 2 Escudos, 1807-AI. Madrid Mint. Fr-296; KM-435.1; Cal-Type-42 #351. NGC MS-61. \$600-\$700
PCGS# 723909.



1625 8 Escudos, ND (1634-59)-R. Seville Mint. Philip IV (1621-65). 26.7 gms. cf.Fr-200; cf.KM-59.2; Cal-Type-15. Date off flan. Lovely round example with nearly full legends. Evidence of light mounting on edge. Sharply struck and very attractive. NGC AU Details—Mount Removed. \$8000-\$10,000



1629 8 Reales, 1812-IJ. Madrid Mint. KM-477; Cal-Type-124#496. Nice strike with attractive dark toning. PCGS EF-40 Secure Holder. \$1000-\$1200
PCGS# 724324.



SPAIN

1630 80 Reales, 1813-RN. Madrid Mint. Fr-302; KM-552; Cal-Type 4 # 12. Scarce date. Attractive orange peel toning. NGC AU-50. \$1300-\$1500

PCGS# 842892.



1631 Barcelona. 20 Pesetas, 1813. Fr-23; KM-76. Mount removed from edge. Some light toning with sharp features and lustrous surfaces. NGC AU Details—Mount Removed..... \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 759947.



1632 4 Escudos, 1820-GJ. Madrid Mint. Fr-312; KM-484; Cal-Type-33#150. Nice strike with sparkling mint luster. Way above normal for this normally well circulated type. NGC AU-58..... \$800-\$1000

PCGS# 245485.



1633 25 Pesetas, 1880(80)-MSM. Madrid Mint. Fr-342; KM-673. Tied with three others for finest certified. NGC MS-65..... \$600-\$750

PCGS# 711924.



STRAITS SETTLEMENTS

1634 Cent, 1885. KM-9a; Tan-SSC16. Scarce date. Sharply struck with traces of mint red.

NGC MS-62 BN..... \$2400-\$3200

PCGS# 124408.

THE STANLEY ABERDEEN COLLECTION OF SWEDISH PLATES



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THE PLATE MONEY OF SWEDEN

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Between 1644 and 1776 the government of Sweden issued one of the most interesting and unusual forms of currency — plates of copper stamped with marks of value to circulate as money. On viewing examples of the different denominations which were in use, ranging from 1/2 to 10 Daler, it is hard to view these as a "money of convenience," at least in our frame of reference.

The Swedish Falu mine has been producing copper since the Middle Ages. In fact, the mining company there, "Stora Kopparbergs Bergslag," is considered to be the oldest commercial firm still in existence. During the 16th century, copper production in Sweden represented only a small fraction of that produced in all of Europe, but an increased in the demand for copper by Spain for a subsidiary coinage and reduction in continental copper production increased the importance of Swedish copper international trade. During the first half of the 17th century it has been estimated that Swedish copper accounted for two-thirds of the needs of Europe even though that production amounted to only 3,000 tons or so in 1650.

The primary coinage of Sweden during this period was of silver and this had to be imported as there was little, if any, domestic production. Copper, therefore, played a prominent role in maintaining the silver coinage of Sweden as it was exported to other European trading centers, primarily Amsterdam, where it would be sold and silver purchased. A minor coinage in copper did circulate in Sweden and here we encounter an usual thing; different value structures for coins of like denominations but of different metallic composition.

The Riksdaler of Sweden was similar to that of the other northern European countries bearing the likeness of the sovereign, coats of arms, etc., and being of an international standard of fineness and weight which remained fairly stable. Daler Silvermynt (Daler SM) was a unit of reckoning or account relating to a value based on silver; it need not have been actual coin. In the same light, Daler Kopparmynt (Daler KM) reflected a unit of accounting based on copper, coined or not. The differences in these units is found in the successive devaluations of the copper coinage in reference to silver coins of the same face values. Daler KM was also an accounting unit used by the general public. The plate money of Sweden was always struck and valued in Daler SM denominations.

Swedish officials were well aware of the impact their copper had on European markets and how, if production was even slightly reduced, increased demand and prices would follow quickly. They also realized that storage of copper which could not be immediately sold (if the price wasn't "right" at the moment) would also reduce supplies of available copper and tend to maintain a higher price. Another means of reducing the amount of copper available to European markets was to

increase the use of copper in domestic coinage; this could quickly be reversed and coins exported when market conditions made it feasible. As will be seen, this occurred time and time again with plate money.

The first Swedish copper coinage of 1624 consisted of 1/2, 1, and 2 ore denominations; these denominations were chosen to correspond with the same face values of silver coins, the value of the copper equal to the value to the silver in comparable pieces. Although linked by denomination, the values fluctuated according to the open market prices of the metals: where silver maintained a fairly constant level, the value of copper changed frequently, often drastically. A great decline in the value of copper in 1624 — when the price went from 131-1/2 Daler per skeppund (136 kilograms) to 150 Daler within a short time, then dropping to 90 Daler KM or 60 Riksdaler — caused great depreciation of copper money in the country. It became reasonable for people to exchange riksdalers for the low-priced coppers and sell them abroad at a profit.

Between 1625 and 1638 the exchange values between silver and copper fluctuated greatly, finally settling with copper holding a value about 20% less than silver: this relationship was finalized by law in 1643. However, it was understood that increases in the price of copper would occur and upset this balance, and the government acknowledged that copper coinage might be used as a commodity. This view brought copper coins into a new light and role in the coming year.

The Swedish government realized the great prospect of exporting copper coins as commodities, but closely examined how minting costs would reduce their profit margins. For example, the 1 ore coins, of which there were 32 per Daler (although this ratio varied from time to time), was acknowledged to have a much higher unit minting cost per Daler than in minting a single Daler coin. In 1643 the Privy Council recommended minting copper in the form of small plates in 1,2,3, and 4 Riksdaler denominations. The minting of these pieces would significantly reduce moneying costs and offer a convenient manner to transport coined copper.

Plate copper — plates of unrefined copper a few centimeters thick and of a rectangular shape — had been produced at the Falu mine for years; this was a very practical form for handling and transporting copper. In fact, the first plate money issued — the 10 Daler SM of 1644 — weighed 19.72 kilograms. To indicate the value of this plate, and to show that it was indeed a coin, they were stamped in each of the corners with a circular seal bearing the initials of Queen Christiana, the date, and the crown; the value was denoted in a circular stamp in the center of the plate. This particular means of stamping plate money continued through all the subsequent issues.

The very fact that copper was worth so much less than silver (80-90 times for the same weight) made the range in copper coinage huge, from the 1 ore to the 10 Daler piece 400 times heavier and larger! This vast difference makes it hard to believe that many considered the 10

Daler plate to be a true, circulating legal tender item. Indeed, most of these giants were exported within a few years of issue. A total of 26,774 of the 10 Daler plates were stuck in 1644-45; 21,317 were known to have been shipped abroad by the end of 1646. Today fewer than 10 examples are known to exist.

Although the 10 Daler plate was a convenient way to transport copper and cost 30% less to mint than a comparable value of lower denomination round coins, it was probably considered to be a bit too large for convenience in trade; to point this up, the largest denomination in subsequent issues of plates was 8 Daler.

This new denomination plate could be more readily handled and transported, or stored as an asset while lower denomination plates (1, 2, and 4 Daler) were aimed at general circulation and usage as money.

During the next 15 years further issues of plate money came out at the rate of 56, 60, and 60 Riksdaler per skeppund. This consequently was reflected in a reduction in the weight of a 1 Daler plate from 1.81 kilograms in 1649 to 1.62 in March of 1660, and finally to 1.5 kilograms in November of that same year. Once again, a common situation occurred; older, heavier money was driven from circulation being replaced by a new money of lighter weight and lower value. Whereas Sweden maintained silver as its primary coinage, a lack of silver in 1660 caused a large issuance of copper coinage, fixed at a rate of 1 to 3 between silver and copper coins. In other words, 4 Daler SM corresponded to 12 Daler KM. This rate remained in effect until 1673 when warfare between England and Holland disrupted Swedish trade with Amsterdam. This war, and the Swedish war with Brandenburg (1674-75) and Denmark (1676) caused further difficulties for the

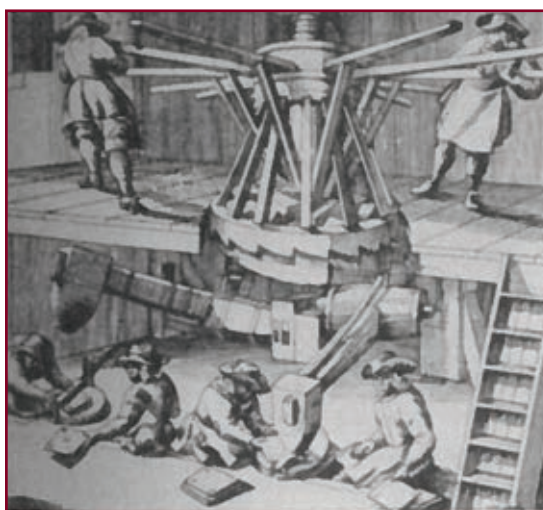


Plate money being manufactured inside the Avesta Mint House.

Swedes by cutting off foreign trade; the large quantities of copper coinage on hand in Sweden caused the exchange rate with silver to fluctuate again.

Between 1675 and 1679 large numbers of plates were stored or deposited in the Riksbanks Ständes Bank which then supported the Treasury with loans. As

had occurred before, when the overseas price of copper became attractive, the government banded private exportation of the metal; this was done to maintain the high price and to allow the Bank to be the sole official supplier, and for the government to indirectly benefit from the profits of the Bank. Plate money continued to be issued in large quantities until 1690 when a Royal Decree started that as long as copper was worth more abroad than at home in the form of coinage, State-owned copper would not be considered unless the foreign prices fell. Private parties, however, could do whatever they

wished with their own copper. This wholesale exportation of copper enabled Sweden to obtain the quantities of silver which appeared in large issues of silver coinage. In 1698 copper plates were no longer considered to be coinage per se, but as a form of commodity subject to various export restrictions.

Coinage in copper did not resume until 1709 at which time Danish attacks on Sweden disrupted the export trade in copper (again). At that time the value of copper was 120 Daler SM per skeppund; plates were issued in large quantities until 1714 when a considerable rise in the price of copper made their minting less profitable. As usual, an export ban came into effect to reduce private exportation of the metal.

In 1715 King Charles was forced to raise large sums of money to repay loans taken to support the various wars of the preceding years. To do this the metal content of plate money was drastically altered from 120 to 180 Daler per skeppund. Old plates were to be countermarked to indicate revaluation, and new plates had a rhombic instead of a circular center stamp. This revaluation made it economically impossible to

export plates, and between 1715 and 1716 about 3 million Daler SM was issued in plate form. At the same time a series of token coinage came out — money of necessity — to generate liquid capital for the government on a supposedly short-term basis. This proved to be very successful for the government as the tokens circulated at the same par value as coins of a higher metal content value. The government later gained again when the token coinage was redeemed at quite a bit less than the originally promised exchange redemption value.

Until 1717 very little plate money had been redeemed for the token money of necessity. To encourage such exchanges a Royal decree was issued which ordered the devaluation of plate money by one-third, effective March 1, 1718. People seeking redemption at full value after that date would be offered only tokens, bonds, or paper money in exchange. Redeemed plates received an additional stamp (the Lion of Gotha on a shield and the date, 1718); unstamped plates were devalued as specified. Another decree banned the exportation of unstamped plates, and yet another issued a few days later ordered the confiscation of all plates not bearing the new counterstamp. Again, within days another decree ordered that an additional round stamp bearing three crowns was to be placed on the reverse of those plates with the Lion of Gotha mark. Further decrees and acts stated that those plates with the both new stamps would be valid; no other plates would be worth the value stamped on them if issued prior to 1717. Researcher Bertel Tingstrom has determined in this research of extant plate money that only about 25% of the plates owned by the general public in 1718 had been submitted for the State-mandated restamping.

Minting of plate money resumed in 1720 with 2 and 4 Daler denominations, the 4 Daler weighing 3 kilograms; large numbers of these were quickly exported. For the next 25 years, the price of copper remained fairly stable, as did the issuing of plates. However, changes in the laws regulating banking activities and the use of banknotes increased the overall use of paper money while the use of plate money declined. The increased banknote circulation soon caused a shortage of plates, and as usual export bans were in effect from 1742 to 1744. To ease the shortage of smaller plates, lower denomination banknotes were introduced to help in making change in what had earlier been the only banknote denomination, 50 Daler KM. The falling value of banknotes caused by huge issues, and the shortage of plates caused by higher copper prices overseas, forced the government to restrict the minting of plates; between 1745 and 1750, and again from 1757 to 1767, plates were issued in very small quantities. The following indicates the official view of the non-importance of plates at the time; in 1761 the mint at Avesta was destroyed in the fire. That portion of the mint which produced round coins

was immediately rebuilt; that part which produced plates was not reopened until 1767! Although few plates were being produced, large number were being brought by the Bank, evidently intending to export them at some convenient time in the future.

The coinage act of 1776 instituted a new system of coin reckoning wherein plates were considered to be only commodities. In fact, when the Riksdaler became the official money unit of currency in 1771, plates were banned as money. In the following decade many of the plates remaining in Sweden were shipped overseas due to the continued rise of copper prices through the 1780s.

After a break of 10 years, the coinage of plate money was resumed in 1786 although the plates were no longer included in the mint accounts as coins. The denominations or other markings of these issues are unknown to us today as the plates were primarily for the commercial or export trade; it is probable that they were of the shape and weight of the old 4 Daler plates. There are several accounts which indicate that plates were being struck as late as 1809, mainly for export, and in the same form as before. It is not known if all plates struck after 1776 carried the 1768 date as so few have survived to the present time. It is known that large numbers of plates were shipped to the Far East with the Danish Asiatic Company's shipping list denoting major shipments of "Swedish minted copper money" during the period 1776-1803.

And so the plate money of Sweden passed from being a convenient manner of handling copper coinage for large transactions, and frequently as a handy means of conveying a commodity, in history. Based on mint records it is estimated that nearly 48 million plates were issued between 1644 and 1776; as of 1986, fewer than 11,000 examples were known to exist. These examples of a financial experiment which endured over 130 years before being finally abandoned represents a fascinating episode in numismatic and financial history.

Information for this article was obtained primarily from "Plate Money — The World's Largest Currency" by Bertel Tingstrom. This excellent survey and study examines all aspects of plate money of Sweden; it has a wealth of information on mining and minting techniques, detailed information on government policies, as well as many charts, tables, graphs, and appendices which add greatly to the value of the book which is also lavishly illustrated. Anyone remotely interested in plate money of Sweden should be an owner of this book.

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MY INTRODUCTION TO SWEDISH PLATE MONEY

By Kent Ponterio

Swedish plate money will always hold a special place in my heart. I remember vividly from my teenage years, my father flying to South Africa and meeting with the salvage team of the Nicobar. That meeting later resulted in our taking delivery of close to 3,000 pieces of Swedish plate money recovered from that wreck. The actual weight was several tons, making the logistics of moving them interesting, to say the least. Initially the plates were crated up into long wooden boxes, not unlike how they would have been packed in contemporary times. From there, they were freight shipped to the San Diego airport, and we made dozens of trips transporting them in my mother's Ford station wagon. Of course, hauling such mass comes with consequences, as after a few trips we broke the suspension in my mother's car. For the next few months, my parents' garage contained thousands of pieces of Swedish copper plate money, and there they were initially sorted and the remainder of the conservation work was performed. Pursuant to our arrangement, the 500 best pieces of plate recov-

ered from the Nicobar were put up for public auction (Ponterio & Associates Sale #39, January 1990). The auction was well attended by many Scandinavian numismatists, including Bertel Tingstrom, author of "Plate Money — The World's Largest Currency". The remaining 2,000+ plates were slowly sold over a period of years, via auction or private treaty. My mother once dropped a 4 Daler plate on her foot in our camera room, resulting in her toenail coming off. The plate was later bought by Swedish numismatist Peter Osterlund, who had been told the story at lot viewing. His amusing comment was: "We always joke about this in Sweden, but I've never met anyone it's actually happened to." After the initial auction of plate money, our office halls were lined with wooden crates filled with plates, until they were finally all sold about a decade ago.

AN INTRODUCTION TO THE STANLEY ABERDEEN COLLECTION OF SWEDISH PLATE MONEY

By Kent Ponterio

The Stanley Aberdeen Collection was assembled over the past two decades by a studious Southern California collector. Although a lifelong numismatist, his interest in Swedish plate money arose later in the 1990s, as a result of the Nicobar salvage. His curiosity was piqued by the large unconventional copper plates that were used as money in Sweden in the 17th and 18th centuries. At first, a few sea-salvaged plates were acquired as a curiosity from Ponterio & Associates auctions in the 1990s. Gradually interest expanded as his understanding of the coinage and its history grew.

The supply of plate money is fairly limited in the United States. Normally a major auction might contain a few pieces, predominantly of more common types. After realizing this, Mr. Aberdeen began bidding in Scandinavian auctions, and in this way acquired most of the rarer pieces in the collec-

tion. Using Peter Osterlund as his agent in Scandinavia, he was able to secure some fairly rare examples, including the extremely rare siege of Wismar 8 Schilling of 1715 produced in cannon metal and several other rarities. One particular plate he was justifiably proud of was the 1716 2 Daler struck in cannon metal, a plate he also acquired through Peter Osterlund. Often he would bring newly purchased plates to coin shows to share the joy of his newest acquisitions with other enthusiasts. The first time I ever saw a piece of plate money made of cannon metal was at one such show. A child-like joy was always present when he would walk up to a table with the newest addition to his collection. It is our hope that this joy is transferred to the new owners of Mr. Aberdeen's plate money, and that they enjoy collecting them as much as he did.

KARL X GUSTAV (REIGNED 1654-1660)

Karl X Gustav (reigned 1654-1660). Son of John Casimir and Catherine (eldest daughter of King Charles IX) he was born on November 8, 1622. He received his civil education in the Royal Court, alongside his cousin, the future Queen Christina. He was sent in 1642 to learn the art of war in Germany, and was present with Lennart Torstenson at the Battle of Breitenfeld (1642) and Jankowitz (1645), during the Thirty Years War. Upon his return to Sweden in 1646, he unsuccessfully tried to marry Christina, then Queen-regnant. Although she rejected his proposal, his position was secured when she named him her successor (1649), and placed him in command of the Swedish forces in Germany (1648). His commission as commander came too late for him to win military success, but it gave him a place at the negotiating table discussing the treaties of Westphalia as Sweden's plenipotentiary at the Congress of Nuremberg. Karl went into a self-imposed and temporary exile upon his return to Sweden, as Queen Christina's popularity was waning. To protect his position as heir, he resided on the island of Oland until her abdication on June 5, 1654.

Early on in his reign, Karl X Gustav worked to gain support for his rule, to repair the domestic economic situation (which was left in poor condition under Christina's reign)



and to advance the new policy of Swedish conquest. To this end, he gained the support of Duke Frederick III of Holstein-Gottorp (who would be a key ally in his war with Denmark), when on October 24, 1654, he married the duke's daughter Hedwig Eleonora. The following year, Sweden went to war with the Commonwealth of Poland and Lithuania, in what was to be known as the Second (or Little) Northern War. The war was fought in part to protect Karl X Gustav from a Polish claim on the Swedish throne and to secure control of the Baltic. Early on, the campaign was successful, resulting in the Polish Royal Army surrendering Krakow after a prolonged siege, and the defection of many Polish nobles to the Swedish side. However, the tide turned when Russia, the Holy Roman Empire, and Denmark rallied to support the Polish King, John II Casimir. With the situation on this front stalled, Karl X Gustav invaded Denmark in 1657. At first his army was successful in conquering the territory of Jutland, but his forces were again pushed back, this time by a Danish-Dutch alliance. After he failed to gain British or French support for unifying Denmark with the rest of Scandinavia, a parliament was called to order to evaluate the military situation. While this was convened Karl X Gustav fell ill, and on February 13, 1660, he passed away, leaving Karl XI as King-regent.

VERY RARE Early 1 Daler Plate Money



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1635 Daler Plate Money, 1656. Karl X Gustav (1654-60). 7 x 6.34 in. KM-PM10; AAH-52; BT-A2. VERY RARE early plate (Tingstrom: 29 known examples including 10 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps mildly to moderately uneven, but with full denomination and one full date. Legend variety in date stamps reading "SVEC:." Some evidence of light cleaning from some time ago. Three small impressions scattered across face. Light brown patina. An attractive and pleasing example for an early plate. **VERY FINE.** **\$2000-\$4000**

PCGS# 840125.

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Ex: Redins Antikvariat, Uppsala Sweden.



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1636 Daler Plate Money, 1658. Karl X Gustav (1654-60). 7 x 7.75 in. KM-PM10; AAH-54; BT-B4. VERY RARE early plate (Tingstrom: 24 known examples including 8 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps fairly uneven. The central stamp is particularly faint with three incomplete, but discernible dates, two stamps double struck. Legend variety of date stamp reads "SVECO:" Pleasant pale orange to light brown patina. Cut from the corner segment of the original sheet of copper. **VERY FINE**..... **\$2000-\$3000**
PCGS# 840131.
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1637 Daler Plate Money, 1659. Karl X Gustav (1654-60). 7 x 7.5 in. KM-PM10; AAH-55; BT-B5. VERY RARE early plate (Tingstrom: 23 known examples including 10 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps mildly to moderately uneven. The central stamp about three-quarters complete with two full legible dates. Legend variety in date stamp reads "SVECO:" A few light scattered contact marks. Dark chocolate patina. Attractive and very desirable. Cut from the corner segment of the original sheet of copper. **VERY FINE**. **\$2000-\$3000**
PCGS# 840134.
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Ex: Spink and Sons.

KARL XI (REIGNED 1660-1697)

Karl XI (reigned 1660-1697). Karl XI was the only son of Karl X Gustav and Hedwig Eleonora, and was born on November 24, 1655. When Karl X Gustav died, the five-year old Karl XI became regent under his mother, with whom he shared power until he was old enough to rule on his own, with his coronation taking place on December 18, 1672. Athletic and a good hunter, he was not the statesman that his father had been, and relied on his mother and ministers to assist in governing, especially in foreign policy. These advisors blocked enforcement of the repossession of alienated crown lands. At the request of King Louis XIV, Sweden was drawn into another war with the Dutch in which Karl XI assumed control of the military. After his forces were turned back, the Danes attacked in an attempt to regain territory lost in the previous conflict. The Swedish army was victorious and the war was concluded in 1679 with the treaty of Lund.



The Swedes and the Danes then became further aligned against Dutch shipping interests in the Baltic, an alliance formally sealed when Karl XI married Ulrika Eleonora, sister of King Christian V of Denmark. Further treaties signed in 1678-79 at the conclusion of the Dutch war allowed Sweden to retain most of her German possessions. Starting in 1680, Karl and his advisors began to reclaim alienated crown land, increasing these holdings from less than 1% to more than 30% in Sweden and Finland. Toward the end of his reign, Karl and his advisors realized that it was in Sweden's best interest to have a balance of power between France, the Holy Roman Empire, the Netherlands and England. To this end, Sweden entered into alliances to protect her interests, and during the War of the Grand Alliance, Sweden stayed neutral. By supporting the duke of Holstein-Gottorp in Schleswig-Holstein, Karl XI secured his dynastic ties, but almost provoked a war with Denmark. He died on April 5, 1697.



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- 1638 2 Daler Plate Money, 1674. Karl XI (1660-97).** 9.5 x 10 in. KM-PM18; AAH-275; BT-E11. VERY RARE (Tingstrom: 45 examples known including 2 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps well struck and nearly complete. The denomination stamp is particularly bold and sharp, with four full dates. Very original surfaces with pleasing chocolate patina. A remarkably choice large format early plate that rivals the size of some later 4 Dalers. Produced on an exceptionally well made and uniform sheet of copper. **CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE-ALMOST UNCIRCULATED..... \$2500-\$3500**

PCGS# 960454.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



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1639 2 Daler Plate Money, 1674. Karl XI (1660-97). 10 x 10.25 in. KM-PM19; AAH-276; BT-D11. EXTREMELY RARE plate with a star between two lilies below mintmark, denoting it is made of copper from Garpenberg (Tingstrom: 6 known examples). Stamps moderately uneven with the denomination stamp particularly light but still showing a lily below the mintmark, three legible and two complete dates. Legend variety of date stamp reads "SVECO: GOTO: VAN:". The reverse is of particular interest as there is a repeating break or cud as a result of the flattening process in making the copper sheet. It appears more than eighteen times on the reverse in various directions, shedding light on how the original piece of copper was moved to evenly disperse metal during the flattening process. Darker patina with some areas of sandy light brown. A very hard to find two year type which rarely appears at auction. Some light surface porosity. Otherwise attractive and very important in assembling a collection of plate money. **VERY FINE.** **\$2000-\$3000**

PCGS# 960505.

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Ex: Ahlstrom's Sale #67 Lot #556 April 26, 2003.

Ex: Cavalli Holmberg Sale 1913 #103 Lot #11.



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1640 2 Daler Plate Money, 1676. Karl XI (1660-97). 8.25 x 9.25 in. KM-PM18; AAH-278; BT-E13. (Tingstrom: 51 examples known including 4 from the Nicobar). All stamps moderately uneven. The central stamp displaying the denomination which has some die fill and part of the mintmark, two legible and one complete date. A few scattered shallow scratches near central stamp. **VERY FINE.** **\$1500-\$2500**

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1641 2 Daler Plate Money, 1686. Karl XI (1660-97). 9.5 x 9 in. KM-PM18; AAH-288; BT-E23. RARE plate (Tingstrom: 18 plates known including 3 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps mildly uneven. The central stamp is about three-quarters complete, three complete legible dates. Light scattered verdigris on both sides. Very nice glossy surfaces with dark chocolate patina. **EXTREMELY FINE** **\$1500-\$2500**
 PCGS# 960491.
 From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.
 Discovered in Finland ca. 1900.

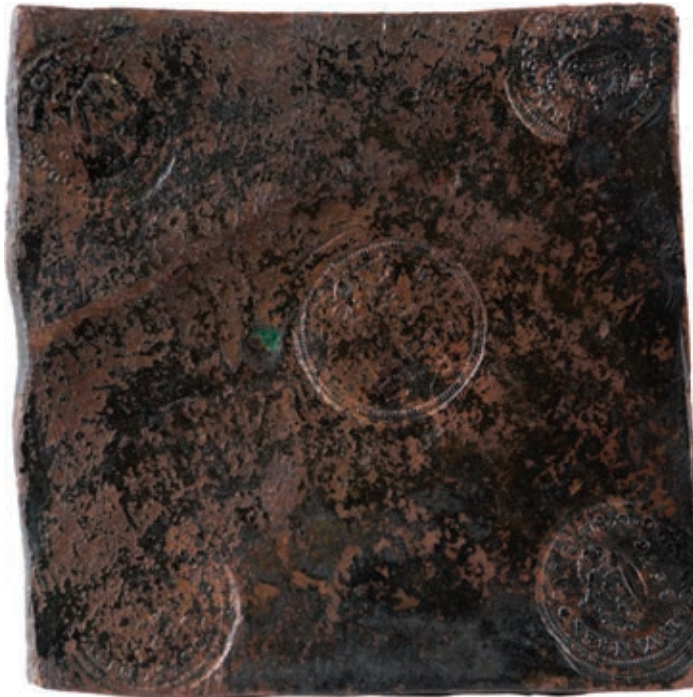


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1642 Daler Plate Money, 1676. Karl XI (1660-97). 6 x 6 in. KM-PM16; AAH-305; BT-E13. RARE (Tingstrom: 36 known examples including 2 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps fairly bold and complete, with full denomination and four legible complete dates. Light surface corrosion and a few small spots of verdigris. Dark chocolate patina. **BOLD VERY FINE**. **\$500-\$700**
 PCGS# 960361.
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- 1643** 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1683. Karl XI (1660-97). 4.75 x 4.25 in. KM-PM15; AAH-321; BT-A3. EXTREMELY RARE (Tingstrom: only 5 examples known including 1 piece from the Nicobar). Stamps boldly applied. The central stamp with full denomination and mintmark, four legible and three complete dates, with two stamps double struck. Very clear and apparent over date 1683/2 that is visible in all four stamps. Tan patina. Very well made and highly attractive. **EXTREMELY FINE** **\$700-\$1000**
PCGS# 840086.
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

KARL XII (REIGNED 1697-1718)

Karl XII (reigned 1697-1718). The second child and eldest (and only surviving) son of Karl XI and Ulrika Eleonora, Karl XII was born on June 17, 1682. His mother died in 1693, which brought father and son together, and they developed a very close relationship, traveling together during various official trips. After his father passed away, Karl XII became the first (and only) monarch to be born into absolutism. While Karl XI had expected his 15 year old son to have a regency when he took up the throne, the regents wished to gain his support in all things, and so they declared him of age in December 1697. His upbringing had prepared him well for the task of ruling Sweden. Strong in will and in physique, he was a risk taker, which caused worry among the more cautious in his circle. He was very much influenced by the instructions left him by his late father as well as the good number of advisors he retained from his father's reign.



Karl XII's reign is notable, most of all for the Great Northern War initiated against Sweden by Denmark-Norway, Saxony and Russia. Though the young Karl XII was able to repel Denmark-Norway and Saxony-Poland-Lithuania in the first six years, his foray into Russian territory would prove unsuccessful. The Swedish Army was dismembered and Karl XII fled to the Ottoman Empire where he recuperated in exile for several years. Returning to the war, he resolved to defeat the Triple Alliance piecemeal, leaving the strongest of the three, Russia, for last. His attempts failed, and he was never able to regain the territory once held by the Swedish Empire, though Sweden itself was never taken. With the end of the Great Northern War, Russia entered the stage as a new power in Europe, while Sweden lost its Empire. As he was occupied with the 21-year conflict for over half of his life, Karl XII was unable to settle down or father an heir.



Photo Reduced

1644 4 Daler Plate Money, 1716. Karl XII (1697-1718). 9.75 x 9 in. KM-PM49; AAH-150; BT-A1. (Tingstrom: 30 examples known including 7 pieces from the Nicobar). In the year 1716, the 4 Daler denomination was reintroduced for the first time since 1658. Although two 4 Dalers are known dated 1663, these were produced from cut down 8 Daler pieces. All stamps boldly applied, and all but one side of the center stamp complete and full. Lightly cleaned some time ago. Nice reddish brown patina. A hint of light surface porosity, otherwise a very attractive example without re-validation stamps. **BOLD VERY FINE.** **\$800-\$1600**

PCGS# 778357.

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1645 4 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718). 10 x 9.75 in. KM-PM49; AAH-150; BT-A1. (Tingstrom: 30 examples known including 7 pieces from the Nicobar). With type A countermark (lion of Gota on a shield dated 1718) on the obverse and type C countermark on the reverse applied to a 1716 4 Daler plate. In the year 1716, the 4 Daler denomination was reintroduced for the first time since 1658. Although two 4 Dalers are known dated 1663, these were produced from cut down 8 Daler pieces. The decree of December 5th 1717 stated that plate money would be devalued by one-third from March 1st 1718. People wishing to obtain full value for the plate money had to submit them to the bank or state office in order to exchange them for bonds, tokens or banknotes. In order to distinguish the plates owned by the state from those owned privately, the former were given an extra stamp, the Lion of Gota on a shield. Un-stamped plates were thus devalued to two-thirds of their value. This resulted in private parties exporting their plates resulting in them being melted down for their full intrinsic value. All original stamps boldly applied giving full denomination in center stamp, four legible and three complete dates. Dark brown patina and some mild verdigris around edges. A very attractive and well preserved large format plate. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... **\$1000-\$2000**

PCGS# 778363.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Reportedly found in a well ca. 1834.



Photo Reduced

- 1646 4 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 8 x 9.5 in. KM-PM49; AAH-150; BT-A1. (Tingstrom: 30 examples known including 7 pieces from the Nicobar). With type A countermark (lion of Gota on a shield dated 1718) on the obverse and type C countermark on the reverse applied to a 1716 4 Daler plate. In the year 1716, the 4 Daler denomination was reintroduced for the first time since 1658. Although two 4 Dalers are known dated 1663, these were produced from cut down 8 Daler pieces. The decree of December 5th 1717 stated that plate money would be devalued by one-third from March 1st 1718. People wishing to obtain full value for the plate money had to submit them to the bank or state office in order to exchange them for bonds, tokens or banknotes. In order to distinguish the plates owned by the state from those owned privately, the former were given an extra stamp, the Lion of Gota on a shield. Un-stamped plates were thus devalued to two-thirds of their value. This resulted in private parties exporting their plates resulting in them being melted down for their full intrinsic value. Heavily corroded leaving only evidence of two corner stamps. The center stamp and the obverse counter stamp of which the center stamp is faint but legible, and one corner stamp is legible with a complete date. Two deep, but very old scratches near center stamp. Deep chocolate patina. With certificate of authenticity. **GOOD**..... \$300-\$500

PCGS# 778363.

*From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.**Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1321 October 7, 2000.**Ex: Nicobar.*

Photo Reduced

- 1647 2 Daler Plate Money, 1711. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 9 x 9.25 in. KM-PM45; AAH-158; BT-B2. **VERY RARE** (Tingstrom: Only 10 pieces known including this piece from the Nicobar). Minted with copper from Garpenberg denoted by the large star under the mintmark. All stamps fairly bold. The center stamp is about three-quarters complete, three legible and complete dates. An attractive plate with only light to moderate corrosion. Pleasant reddish brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **VERY FINE** \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 778201.

*From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.**Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #39 Lot #8 January 27, 1990.**Ex: Nicobar.*



Photo Reduced

1648 2 Daler Plate Money, 1712. Karl XII (1697-1718). 9.5 x 8 in. KM-PM43; AAH-160; BT-A3. (Tingstrom: 189 examples known including 102 pieces from the Nicobar). All but one stamp slightly uneven. The center stamp has bold denomination but crossed arrows are barely visible, while the corner stamps give two full legible dates. Attractive glossy mahogany patina. **VERY FINE.**\$700-\$1000

PCGS# 778176.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1649 2 Daler Plate Money, 1712. Karl XII (1697-1718). 10 x 9 in. KM-PM43; AAH-160; BT-A3. (Tingstrom: 189 examples known including 102 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps fairly well applied with all still present and visible despite heavy corrosion. The central stamp is faint, but discernible and two corner stamps with full legible dates. A remarkable Nicobar salvage piece as the loss from corrosion (roughly 10% of the plate) left the stamps mostly untouched. With certificate of authenticity. Attractive even reddish-brown patina. **FINE.**.....\$300-\$500

PCGS# 778176.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1320 October 7, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1650 2 Daler Plate Money, 1713. Karl XII (1697-1718). 8.75 x 9 in. KM-PM43; AAH-163; BT-A4. Scarce date (Tingstrom: 98 examples known including 14 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps deeply embossed and mostly well applied giving a nice full center stamp, three full legible dates and one partial date. All four corners clipped at time of minting. Medium glossy brown patina and very attractive in hand. **BOLD VERY FINE-NEARLY EXTREMELY FINE**.....\$700-\$1000

PCGS# 778179.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1651 2 Daler Plate Money, 1713. Karl XII (1697-1718). 8 x 8.5 in. KM-PM45; AAH-165; BT-B4. EXTREMELY RARE (Tingstrom: only 7 examples known). Made with copper from Garpenberg as denoted by the large star below the mintmark. Stamps well applied, but due to light surface corrosion only one date is full and legible, even as such the last date is somewhat muddled. Overall a very attractive example of this EXTREMELY RARE type. Striking marbled deep red and brown patina. **VERY FINE**.....\$800-\$1600

PCGS# 778207.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1652 2 Daler Plate Money, 1716. Karl XII (1697-1718). 6.75 x 7.25 in. KM-PM46; AAH-169; BT-B1. (Tingstrom: 152 examples known including 49 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps fairly well applied. The center stamp is a bit uneven, but with clear denomination, while the corner stamps have all four dates complete and legible. Even smooth wear is present throughout with no corrosion or evidence of extended circulation. Therefore a likely scenario is that this piece was submerged in fresh moving water for a period of time, or perhaps land burial. Minor verdigris deposits in crevices, otherwise pleasing cinnamon patina. **FINE. \$400-\$600**

PCGS# 778213.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #107 Lot #2162 June 10, 2000.



Photo Reduced

1653 2 Daler Plate Money, 1717. Karl XII (1697-1718). KM-PM46; AAH-170; BT-B2. (Tingstrom: 156 examples known including 40 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied, due to minor corrosion one date is only partial but the rest are full and complete. Two year type with diamond center stamp. Minor surface corrosion, salvaged and cleaned at some time. An attractive piece. **VERY FINE. \$400-\$600**

PCGS# 778216.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

- 1654 2 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 6.9 x 7.1 in. KM-PM47; AAH-171; BT-B1. RARE (Tingstrom: 62 examples known including 12 pieces from the Nicobar). One transitional year type for Karl XII dated 1718 with triangular center stamp and three crowns and date in corner stamps. The first plates of Ulrika Eleonora continue with this style for a brief part of 1719; however, they were quickly replaced with a style displaying round central stamps and corner stamps bearing her monogram. All stamps well applied, with all four dates complete and legible. Light to medium brown patina. A very attractive plate. **CHOICE VERY FINE.**\$600-\$800

PCGS# 778219.

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Photo Reduced

- 1655 Daler Plate Money, 1711. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 6.75 x 7.5 in. KM-PM35; AAH-174; BT-A2. (Tingstrom: 51 examples known including 4 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps have only a slight unevenness, however all dates are complete and legible. Some minor scattered verdigris can be noted, but otherwise a very attractive plate. Orange/red patina seldom seen in this quality. **CHOICE VERY FINE.**\$600-\$800

PCGS# 873700.

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Photo Reduced

1656 Daler Plate Money, 1716. Karl XII (1697-1718). 5 x 5.5 in. KM-PM38; AAH-181; BT-C2. (Tingstrom: 269 examples known including 59 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps well applied with four full legible dates, and only two corner stamps being part way off the clipped corner. Nice mahogany patina. **VERY FINE**..... **\$400-\$600**
PCGS# 873724.
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Photo Reduced

1657 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718). 6.1 x 5.75 in. KM-PM38; AAH-180; BT-C1. (Tingstrom: 258 examples known including 60 pieces from the Nicobar). Type A countermark (lion of Gota) applied to the obverse of a 1715 Daler plate. Bold sharp stamps which are full and complete with the exception of one corner stamp being slightly uneven. All four corners clipped prior to minting giving the place an nicely balance appearance. Nice even brown patina with crisp stamps. Very attractive for type. **EXTREMELY FINE** **\$700-\$900**
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Photo Reduced

- 1658 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 6.5 x 6.25 in. KM-PM38; AAH-180; BT-C1. (Tingstrom: 258 examples known including 60 pieces from the Nicobar). Type A countermark of 1718 (lion of Gota) applied to the obverse of a 1715 Daler plate. All stamps fairly bold with all dates complete and legible. All four corners clipped. Pale brown patina. **VERY FINE.** **\$600-\$800**
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

- 1659 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 4.75 x 5.5 in. KM-PM38; AAH-181; BT-C2. (Tingstrom: 269 examples known including 59 pieces from the Nicobar). Type A countermark applied to the obverse, and type B countermark applied to the reverse of a 1716 Daler plate. All stamps boldly applied with three full legible dates and two partial dates. The reverse stamp is choice, showing some luster. Nice mahogany patina. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... **\$500-\$700**
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1660 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718). 5.25 x 5.5 in. KM-PM38; AAH-181; BT-C2. (Tingstrom: 269 examples known including 59 pieces from the Nicobar). Type A countermark applied to the obverse and type B countermark applied to the reverse of a 1716 Daler plate. All stamps nicely applied with full legible dates. Moderate verdigris across obverse, otherwise attractive. Light chocolate patina. **VERY FINE**..... **\$400-\$600**

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Heritage Auctions Sale #230 Lot #5774 June 8, 2000.



Photo Reduced

1661 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718). 5.25 x 5 in. KM-PM38; AAH-181; BT-C2. (Tingstrom: 269 examples known including 59 pieces from the Nicobar). Type A countermark applied to a 1716 Daler plate. All stamps nicely applied. Full dates have become slightly faint from moderate surface corrosion, but still discernible. Attractive chocolate patina complimented by a slightly sandy appearance from saltwater submersion. With certificate of authenticity. **VERY FINE**..... **\$300-\$500**

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #105 Lot #430 February 12, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

- 1662 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1710. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 5 x 4.5 in. KM-PM30; AAH-184; BT-A1. (Tingstrom: 159 examples known including 21 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps well applied if not very bold. The center stamp is mostly complete with the arrows being only a bit faint, all dates full and legible; however, parts of two stamps are just a bit off the edge. Very light surface corrosion, possibly a salvage piece or land find, otherwise only a few scattered contact marks. Attractive chocolate patina. **CHOICE VERY FINE.** \$400-\$600

PCGS# 495934.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #107 Lot #2160 June 10, 2000.



Photo Reduced

- 1663 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1713. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 4.5 x 4.75 in. KM-PM30; AAH-189; BT-A4. RARE (Tingstrom: 41 examples known including 4 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps somewhat uneven. The central stamp is nearly full with the arrows being a bit faint. The corner stamps display four full legible dates, but again are slightly uneven and have some faint areas. Mild scattered verdigris, otherwise deep mahogany patina. **FINE.** \$300-\$500

PCGS# 495943.

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EXTREMELY RARE Siege of Wismar Cannon Metal Plate Money From The Last Swedish Stronghold in Germany



1664 Wismar. 8 Schilling Plate Money, 1715. Karl XII (1697-1718). 3.25 x 3.25 in. KM-119 (under Germany); BT-E; Hauer-1019. EX-TREMELY RARE necessity coinage plate made from gun metal at the siege of Wismar during the Great Northern War (1700-21). Wismar was a Swedish possession along the Baltic coast of Germany, having been obtained through the Treaty of Westphalia in 1648. During the Great Northern War it was besieged by a coalition of Danish, Norwegian, Russian, Saxon, Brandenburg-Prussian and Hanoverian troops. Having withstood siege for four years the city finally fell in 1716 being the last remaining outpost of Sweden's Baltic possessions. In autumn of 1715 a severe coinage shortage presented the Swedish garrison with logistical problems, as they lacked the ability to pay troops. To resolve this a decision was made to countermark circulating silver coinage, raising their worth to twice face value. At the same time it was decided to melt down cannons for the production of plate money. The production of said plate money was found to be difficult as it could not be manufactured with the same methods as traditional plate money. Due to the hardness of the metal (similar to the Stockholm cannon money of 1714-1716), blanks could not be made by hammering the metal into sheets. Instead the molten metal had to be poured directly into sheets, hence the crude fabric of these plates. Traditionally blanks were then cut from larger sheets of metal. It is clear that the besieged Swedish forces did not have the proper machinery for sheering planchets, as the edges of these pieces show a series of file or saw marks. Therefore blanks were cut from the cast sheets with some form of saw. Rather than using dies to emboss the banks, these impressions were made using single character punches to create the incuse numerals for the date, denomination and inscription. A small cartouche at the top with the letters "NW" for Necessitas Wismariensis was applied above the central circle, which is the same punch used for countermarking silver coinage during the siege. Quite distinct from other plate money of the time, the surfaces are far more rough than the pure copper plates being produced in Sweden at this time. It is reported that during the siege, 1,260 pieces of plate money were produced in six different denominations. However, upon the surrender of the Swedish garrison in April of 1716 most of these plates were collected and destroyed. It is estimated that approximately 60 pieces total are known from all 6 denominations. Of this denomination, only a handful of examples (8-10) are believed to be known, some of which are in museum collections. A true rarity with a remarkable provenance. **EXTREMELY FINE.** **\$5000-\$7000**

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Gustaf Cavalli Collection.

Ex: General Konsul Axison Johnson Collection.

Ex: Avesta Mynt Museum.

Ex: Jim Karlson, Uppsala Collection.



Photo Reduced

1665 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1716. Karl XII (1697-1718). 4 x 4 in. KM-PM32; AAH-195; BT-D2. (Tingstrom: 139 examples known including 32 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps nicely applied and full giving four full legible dates. Cleaned some time ago. A few spots of scattered verdigris. Some light thin scratches on both sides, in particular a circle around the entire denomination stamp. Lustrous. **CHOICE VERY FINE.** \$300-\$500

PCGS# 873518.

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Photo Reduced

1667 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718). 3.75 x 4 in. KM-PM33; AAH-197; BT-D1. RARE one year type for Karl XII (Tingstrom: 46 examples known including 4 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps well applied with four full legible dates. Despite a bit of unevenness in the corner stamps, the center triangular stamp is quite bold and attractive. A few scattered contact marks, but overall a very attractive piece with nice chocolate patina. **VERY FINE.** \$300-\$500

PCGS# 873524.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1666 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1717. Karl XII (1697-1718). 3.75 x 3.75 in. KM-PM32; AAH-196; BT-D3. RARE (Tingstrom: 54 examples known including 7 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps giving four full dates, with one being slightly illegible and one stamp half off of plate. Many scattered contact marks, otherwise a nice medium brown patina. **VERY FINE.** \$300-\$500

PCGS# 873521.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #107 Lot #2161 June 10, 2000.

EXTREMELY RARE Stockholm Mint Cannon Metal Plate Money from the Great Northern War



Photo Reduced

- 1668 2 Daler Plate Money, 1716. Stockholm Mint. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 6.5 x 6.5 in. KM-PM48; AAH-201; BT-D1. (only 19 examples known to Tingstrom). EXTREMELY RARE plate made from cannon metal. In December of 1709 the Privy Council discussed the situation of the hostile attacks on Sweden by the King of Denmark, and the effect it had on their ability to sell copper. The coinage act of December 3rd 1709 stated that plate money should be struck to alleviate the shortage of circulating money caused by foreign restrictions. During a brief period in 1714-1716, the Swedish government arranged for the melting of rejected cannons from the arsenals in Stockholm and Karlskrona to be made into coin. Unlike conventional plate money where the blanks were hammered flat, the cannon metal was of a different alloy and much harder to be formed with this process. Therefore the copper had to be cast directly into sheets from which blanks were cut. For this reason the surfaces of these plates are much cruder than conventional plate money. Smaller diameter stamps were also applied as they required less pressure to emboss on such a hard metal. Tingstrom states that because of the metallic composition, they could hardly be used as anything but a coin, especially in the case of a private person. Their general acceptance would not have extended far beyond the borders of Sweden, as abroad their intrinsic value would have been half to two-thirds the value of conventional copper plate money. Stamps lightly applied as usual for this type, date in center stamp is faint but discernible, corner stamps are present and full but with varying degrees of sharpness. EXTREMELY RARE and highly sought after. A real prize for any collector of plate money. **VERY FINE..... \$3000-\$5000**

PCGS# 778213.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

EXTREMELY RARE Stockholm Mint 3 Daler Re-Validation



Photo Reduced

- 1669 3 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 9 x 9.25 in. KM-PM95; AAH-203c; BT-A. EXTREMELY RARE (Tingstrom: only 13 examples known). A revaluation stamp of 3 Dalers 1718 applied at Stockholm to a 1711 2 Daler of Avesta, with crossed arrows below mintmark. The new denomination stamp was to increase the intrinsic value by 50% on plates produced between 1710 and May 1715. Revalued plates are EXTREMELY RARE, seldom offered and highly sought after by collectors. Center stamp is about three-quarters complete, with four legible complete dates. A seldom seen revaluation type with attractive light brown patina. **VERY FINE.** **\$2000-\$3000**

PCGS# 778567.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ahlstrom's Auction Sale #67 Lot #560 April 26, 2003.

Ex: Ahlstrom's Auction Sale #49 Lot #411.



Photo Reduced

- 1670 3 Daler Plate Money, 1718. Karl XII (1697-1718).** 7.5 x 8.5 in. KM-PM95; AAH-203d; BT-A. VERY RARE (Tingstrom: 6 plates known as well as this piece from the Nicobar). A revaluation stamp of 3 Dalers 1718 applied at Stockholm to a 1712 2 Daler of Avesta, with crossed arrows below mintmark. The new denomination stamp was to increase the intrinsic value by 50% on plates produced between 1710 and May 1715. Revalued plates are EXTREMELY RARE, seldom offered and highly sought after by collectors. The center stamp is about three-quarters complete with discernible features. One of the corner stamp remains with a complete and legible date, and the revaluation stamp is faint but discernible. With certificate of authenticity. Heavily corroded leaving slightly more than half of the original plate, nevertheless a RARE and seldom offered type. Nice even brown patina. **GOOD.**..... **\$300-\$500**

PCGS# 778567.

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Ex: Nicobar.

ULRIKA ELONORA (REIGNED 1718-1720)

Ulrika Elonora (reigned 1718-1720). She was the younger sister of Karl XII, daughter of Karl XI and Ulrika Eleonora, born on January 23, 1688. After their sister, Hedwig Sofia died in 1708, Ulrika became heir to the throne, as Karl XII never married. In 1715, she married Duke Frederick of Hesse-Kassel, and upon the death of her older brother in 1718, she ascended to the throne. Although successful in a brief power struggle against her nephew, Charles Frederick



of Holstein-Gottorp, she and her husband became influenced by anti-absolutist forces in the Parliament. She became queen, but most of the power was held by the parliament, ushering in the "Age of Freedom." Allowing her devotion to her husband to overpower her ambition to rule, she abdicated in 1720, and her husband became King Fredrik I.



Photo Reduced

1671 4 Daler Plate Money, 1719. Ulrika Eleonora (1719-20). 9.75 x 9.75 in. KM-PM62; AAH-13; BT-A1. RARE (Tingstrom: 68 examples of this year known including the 2 center stamp types and 8 pieces from the Nicobar). Well applied stamps with only two showing any unevenness to the strike. The round center stamp is full and bold, with two full legible dates and two partial but discernible dates. Minimal scattered verdigris on reverse. Lovely medium brown patina. **VERY FINE.** **\$1000-\$1500**

PCGS# 778370.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1672 2 Daler Plate Money, 1719. Ulrika Eleonora (1719-20). 7.25 x 7 in. KM-PM60; AAH-16; BT-B1. (Tingstrom: 152 examples known including both center stamp types and 39 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied. The round center stamp is quite bold with only minor weakness near the arrows, while the corner stamps give four full legible dates. Minor scattered verdigris. Deep glossy brown patina with some lighter areas. **BOLD VERY FINE**..... **\$800-\$1200**

PCGS# 778727.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1673 2 Daler Plate Money, 1719. Ulrika Eleonora (1719-20). 7 x 7.75 in. KM-PM60; AAH-16; BT-B1. (Tingstrom: 152 examples known including both center stamp types and 39 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied. The center round stamp is full and complete, while the corner stamps give three full legible dates and a partial but discernable date. Four corners clipped at time of minting. Minimal surface corrosion and scattered verdigris (possibly from burial). Pale reddish brown patina. **BOLD VERY FINE**..... **\$700-\$1000**

PCGS# 778227.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1674 2 Daler Plate Money, 1719. Ulrika Eleonora (1719-20). 6.75 x 8 in. KM-PM60; AAH-16; BT-B1. (Tingstrom: 152 examples known including both center stamp types and 39 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied. The round center stamp is quite bold with weakness only around the arrows. The corner stamps give three full legible dates and one partial. For a sea salvage plate, this piece exhibits only the mildest of surface corrosion. Some small patches of scattered verdigris. Pale light brown patina with some darker areas. With certificate of authenticity. From the original auction of plate money recovered from the Nicobar, Ponterio & Associates Sale #39 Lot #84 January 27, 1990. **BOLD VERY FINE.\$700-\$900**

PCGS# 778727.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #39 Lot #84 January 27, 1990.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1675 2 Daler Plate Money, 1719. Ulrika Eleonora (1719-20). 7.25 x 7 in. KM-PM60; AAH-16; BT-B1. (Tingstrom: 152 examples known including both center stamp types and 39 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps originally well applied. Moderate surface corrosion has rendered the round center stamp faint but discernible, three of four dates partial and one date full and legible. Pale light brown patina. Some small patches of scattered verdigris. With certificate of authenticity. **VERY FINE.\$400-\$600**

PCGS# 778227.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #107 Lot #822 June 10, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

- 1676 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1719. Ulrika Eleonora (1719-20).** 4 x 4.75 in. KM-PM56; AAH-22; BT-D1. (Tingstrom: 127 examples known including both center stamp types and 22 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps boldly applied giving a full center stamp and four full legible dates. Some scattered contact marks and a few inconsequential scratches on reverse. Attractive medium brown glossy patina. Highly attractive for type. **BOLD VERY FINE.**\$500-\$700
PCGS# 873530.
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

FREDRIK I (REIGNED 1720-1751)

Fredrik I (reigned 1720-1751). Born in Hessen-Kassel on April 17, 1676, Fredrik was the eldest surviving son of the landgrave of Hesse-Kassel. Before he married into the Swedish court in 1715 with his marriage to then Princess Ulrika Eleonora, he fought with distinction on the side of the English during the War of Spanish Succession (1701-14) and was married to Louise of Prussia from 1700 until her death in 1705. Although he proposed marriage to Ulrika in 1708, they were not wed until 1715. She



abdicated to him in 1720, and continued the "Age of Freedom" until the end of his reign in 1751 when he died on March 25. He was virtually powerless as a ruler, with the authority held by the Parliament (the nobles having regained much authority while Sweden was at war with Russia), and he spent most of his time on recreational activities, including hunting and fathering several children with his mistress, although he did not have any legitimate heir with his wife.



Photo Reduced

1677 4 Daler Plate Money, 1722. Fredrik I (1720-51). 9.75 x 9.75 in. KM-PM74; AAH-185; BT-A3. Scarce (Tingstrom: 75 examples known including 14 pieces fro the Nicobar). All stamps boldly applied with only a few areas of weakness in the borders. The corner stamps all have matching cuds indicating a die chip at 6 o'clock. Minimal scattered verdigris. Dark chocolate patina. Very attractive. **EXTREMELY FINE**\$1500-\$2000

PCGS# 778382.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Heritage Auctions Sale #230 Lot #5776 June 8, 2000.



Photo Reduced

1678 4 Daler Plate Money, 1726. Fredrik I (1720-51). 9.5 x 10 in. KM-PM74; AAH-189; BT-A7. Scarce (Tingstrom: 81 examples known including 22 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps fairly well applied. The center stamp is slightly faint from minor surface corrosion, but still full. The corner stamps give two full legible dates and two partial dates. Very minor surface corrosion and loss in one spot of one edge. Some scattered light verdigris. Very attractive for a sea salvaged plate. Light tan patina. With certificate of authenticity. **VERY FINE.**\$500-\$700

PCGS# 778394.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #105 Lot #444 February 12, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1679 4 Daler Plate Money, 1726. Fredrik I (1720-51). 8.75 x 9.5 in. KM-PM74; AAH-189; BT-A7. Scarce (Tingstrom: 81 examples known including 22 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps fairly well applied. The center stamp is full, while the corner stamps give four full legible dates. Some minor tooling evident on mintmark. Some minor patches of dark verdigris. Dark chocolate patina. **VERY FINE.**\$700-\$1000

PCGS# 778394.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1680 4 Daler Plate Money, 1728. Fredrik I (1720-51). 8.25 x 9 in. KM-PM74; AAH-191; BT-A9. (Tingstrom: 113 examples known including 15 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps quite bold. The center stamp is full and complete, while the corner stamps have four full legible dates, two are ever so slightly off the plate. Scattered small shallow impressions to right of center stamp. Nice light reddish brown patina. **EXTREMELY FINE**\$1000-\$1500

PCGS# 778400.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1681 4 Daler Plate Money, 1729. Fredrik I (1720-51). 9.25 x 10 in. KM-PM74; AAH-192; BT-A10. (Tingstrom: 132 examples known including 27 pieces from the Nicobar). Originally, stamps nicely applied. Due to fairly heavy corrosion, the center stamp has hole through a portion of it. Despite being partial, remarkably all four corner stamps display four full legible dates. Six total small holes through plate and roughly a 15% loss to the plate overall. Deep chocolate patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE**.....\$300-\$500

PCGS# 778403.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1362 October 7, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1682 4 Daler Plate Money, 1731. Fredrik I (1720-51). 9 x 9 in. KM-PM74; AAH-194; BT-A12. Scarce (Tingstrom: 94 examples known including 19 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied. Full center stamp. Corner stamps display four full legible dates, one ever so slightly off plate. Minimal scattered verdigris. Nice reddish brown patina. **VERY FINE**. **\$800-\$1200**
PCGS# 778409.
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1683 4 Daler Plate Money, 1735. Fredrik I (1720-51). 10.25 x 10 in. KM-PM74; AAH-198; BT-A16. (Tingstrom: 112 examples known including 26 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied with only a mild unevenness. Center stamp is nearly full with corner stamps displaying four full legible dates and one partial date. Mild scattered verdigris. Choice even dark chocolate patina. **EXTREMELY FINE** **\$1500-\$2000**
PCGS# 778421.
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1684 4 Daler Plate Money, 1736. Fredrik I (1720-51). 9 x 9.5 in. KM-PM74; AAH-199; BT-A17. Scarce (Tingstrom: 73 examples known including 28 pieces from the Nicobar). Some unevenness to stamps. The center stamp is about three-quarters full, while the corner stamps are mostly full and display four full legible stamps. Heavily cleaned at some time. Light tan patina. **VERY FINE.** **\$1000-\$1500**

PCGS# 778424.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Gustaf Cavalli Collection.



Photo Reduced

1685 4 Daler Plate Money, 1740. Fredrik I (1720-51). 9.5 x 9.75 in. KM-PM74; AAH-203; BT-A21. Scarce (Tingstrom: 64 examples known including 8 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps fairly bold and nearly complete. The center stamp is slightly weak near the arrows, while the corner stamps display three full legible dates and one partial date. Some mild scattered verdigris. Deep attractive dark chocolate patina. **EXTREMELY FINE.** **\$1200-\$1600**

PCGS# 778436.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

- 1686 4 Daler Plate Money, 1743. Fredrik I (1720-51).** 9.75 x 10.5 in. KM-PM74; AAH-206; BT-A24. Scarce (Tingstrom: 85 examples known including 27 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps mildly uneven and with the effect of moderate corrosion somewhat faint. The center stamp is full and discernible, while the corner stamps display three partial dates. Little loss of metal to plate as a whole as the corrosion mainly limited to the surface. Attractive light brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE..... \$500-\$700**

PCGS# 778445.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1366 October 7, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

- 1687 2 Daler Plate Money, 1725. Fredrik I (1720-51).** 7 x 7.5 in. KM-PM71; AAH-215; BT-A6. RARE (Tingstrom: 35 examples known including 7 pieces from the Nicobar). For the most part, stamps boldly applied. The center stamp is nearly complete. The corner stamps display four full bold dates, with three stamps showing a second strike. Some minor unobtrusive contact marks. Light evidence of mounting for display on reverse. Even light brown patina. Very attractive. **VERY FINE. \$500-\$700**

PCGS# 778248.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1688 2 Daler Plate Money, 1728. Fredrik I (1720-51). 6.5 x 7 in. KM-PM71; AAH-218; BT-A9. Scarce (Tingstrom: 60 examples known including 15 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied, but with a bit of unevenness to three of them. The center stamp is nearly complete with faintness on the right hand side, while the corner stamps display four mostly complete full legible dates. Some minor flattening on edge and a few small spots of verdigris. Otherwise, nice medium brown patina. **BOLD VERY FINE..... \$500-\$700**

PCGS# 778257.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1689 2 Daler Plate Money, 1729. Fredrik I (1720-51). 6.5 x 8 in. KM-PM71; AAH-219; BT-A10. Scarce (Tingstrom: 70 examples known including 15 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps well applied and full with the corner stamps displaying four full dates. Lovely deep glossy brown patina. **VERY FINE..... \$600-\$800**

PCGS# 778260.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1690 2 Daler Plate Money, 1734. Fredrik I (1720-51). 6.75 x 6.5 in. KM-PM71; AAH-224; BT-A16. Scarce (Tingstrom: 70 examples known including 21 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps bold and full. Two corner stamps are just a bit off plate, but with four full legible dates. A few small patches of scattered verdigris. Deep brown patina. **EXTREMELY FINE** **\$600-\$800**
 PCGS# 778275.
 From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1691 2 Daler Plate Money, 1749. Fredrik I (1720-51). 6.75 x 7.75 in. KM-PM71; AAH-239; BT-A31. (Tingstrom: 266 examples known including 215 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps a bit uneven. The center stamp is a little over half complete, while the corner stamps display two full legible dates and two partial dates. Mild surface corrosion, but nonetheless with an attractive medium brown patina. A quite RARE and interesting plate where the stamps were applied to the reverse. This can be determined by the repeating raised chips or cuds present on the surface, which are normally found on the reverse of plate money. With certificate of authenticity. **VERY FINE.** **\$500-\$700**
 PCGS# 778320.
 From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.
 Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #105 Lot #439 February 12, 2000.
 Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1692 2 Daler Plate Money, 1750. Fredrik I (1720-51). 7 x 7 in. KM-PM71; AAH-240; BT-32. (Tingstrom: 1132 examples known including 1101 pieces from the Nicobar). Originally, stamps fairly well applied. Due to moderate surface corrosion, the center stamp is a bit faint and only about half full. The corner stamps display four nearly full dates. Minimal loss to plate from corrosion, and some small patches of light verdigris. Light brown/tan patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE-VERY FINE.**\$300-\$500
PCGS# 778323.
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.
Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #107 Lot #828 June 10, 2000.
Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1693 Daler Plate Money, 1724. Fredrik I (1720-51). 5.25 x 4.75 in. KM-PM68; AAH-245; BT-A5. RARE (Tingstrom: 46 examples known including 6 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied. The center stamp is full. The corner stamps display four full legible dates with one stamp is slightly off plate, but date is still discernible. Some scattered verdigris. Medium brown patina. **VERY FINE.**\$400-\$600
PCGS# 873747.
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1694 Daler Plate Money, 1729. Fredrik I (1720-51). 5.5 x 4.5 in. KM-PM68; AAH-250; BT-A10. Scarce (Tingstrom: 65 examples known including 16 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied with two corners showing the only unevenness. The center stamp is full and complete with four full legible dates. Attractive glossy chocolate brown patina. A very nice example for this type. **EXTREMELY FINE**\$600-\$800

PCGS# 873752.

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1695 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1722. Fredrik I (1720-51). 3.5 x 4 in. KM-PM65; AAH-274; BT-A3. Scarce (Tingstrom: 75 examples known including 24 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps fairly clear given the amount of corrosion. The center stamp faint, but full and discernible. The corner stamps are all at least partially present and display two full dates and one partial. Heavily corroded, roughly 15% loss of the plate. Medium reddish brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE**.\$250-\$350

PCGS# 873544.

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Ex: Nicobar.



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1696 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1724. Frederik I (1720-51). KM-PM65; AAH-276; BT-A5. Scarce (Tingstrom: 58 examples known including 14 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied and full, due to moderate corrosion one date is lost but all others are complete **VERY FINE**. \$200-\$300
PCGS# 873550.
Ex: Nicobar.



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1698 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1730. Fredrik I (1720-51). 3.5 x 3.75 in. KM-PM65; AAH-282; BT-A11. Scarce (Tingstrom: 78 examples known including 23 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps somewhat uneven and lightly applied. The center stamp is about three-quarters full, and the corner stamps display three full legible dates, with two stamps being slightly off of the plate. Minor surface porosity. Possibly a sea salvage piece, but more likely from a land find. Ruddy brown patina. **FINE**. \$200-\$400
PCGS# 873568.
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Ex: Heritage Auctions Sale #230 Lot #5772 June 8, 2000.



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1697 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1730. Fredrik I (1720-51). 3.5 x 3.75 in. KM-PM65; AAH-282; BT-A11. Scarce (Tingstrom: 78 examples known including 23 pieces from the Nicobar). Most stamps well applied. The center stamp is bold and full with the corner stamps displaying three full legible stamps although one is about half off of the plate. Minimal corrosion mostly confined to the surface of the reverse. Nice light brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **VERY FINE**. \$200-\$400
PCGS# 873568.
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Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #105 Lot #433 February 12, 2000.
Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1699 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1734. Fredrik I (1720-51). 4 x 3.75 in. KM-PM65; AAH-286; BT-A15. RARE (Tingstrom: 50 examples known including 13 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied, but marred by some mild surface corrosion. The center stamp is full, but with some loss from corrosion, while the corner stamps are all full and complete with four full legible dates. Possibly a sea salvage piece based on the surface porosity, but more likely a land find piece from a burial. Ruddy brown patina. **FINE**. \$200-\$400
PCGS# 873580.
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Ex: Heritage Auctions Sale #230 Lot #5773 June 8, 2000.



Photo Reduced

1700 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1738. Fredrik I (1720-51). 3.25 x 3.5 in. KM-PM65; AAH-290; BT-A19. RARE (Tingstrom: Only 30 examples known including 6 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps mostly well applied with the center stamp about three-quarters full, and corner stamps full and complete. All four dates full and legible, and two corner stamps with evidence of a second strike. Lightly glossy chestnut patina. A very attractive well made plate. **CHOICE VERY FINE.** \$500-\$700

PCGS# 873592.

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Photo Reduced

1702 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1748. Fredrik I (1720-51). 3.5 x 4 in. KM-PM65; AAH-300; BT-A29. Scarce (Tingstrom: 73 examples known including 22 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps very well executed with sharp strikes for the corner stamps, and the center stamp well defined if a little weak in the bottom arc, four full dates. A few small spots of scattered verdigris. Hardly any sign of wear within the stamps themselves. A very attractive gloss deep brown patina. **EXTREMELY FINE.** \$500-\$700

PCGS# 873622.

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Ex: Heritage Auctions Sale #326 Lot #11914 May 30, 2003.



1701 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1744. Fredrik I (1720-51). 3.5 x 3.75 in. KM-PM65; AAH-296; BT-A25. Scarce (Tingstrom: 71 examples known including 19 from the Nicobar). Stamps somewhat roughly applied. Center stamp is full but has been hit by the edge of a stamp a second time. The corner stamps are mostly full and display four full dates, but show some double striking with one overlapping the center slightly. Light tan patina. **VERY FINE.** \$400-\$600

PCGS# 873610.

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Photo Reduced

1703 Cut Down 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1748. Fredrik I (1720-51). 4 x 2.5 in.; 245.11 gms. KM-PM65; AAH-300; BT-A29. VERY RARE (Tingstrom: 73 examples known including 22 pieces from the Nicobar). An interesting and standard 1/2 Daler plate piece, which has had portions of two sides cut off to create a plate roughly the weight of a 1/4 Daler. A similar piece (1741 1/2 Daler) is pictured on pg. 119 of Tingstrom noted as having value of 1 Mark = 8 Ore SM. The exact reason for these cut plates is currently unknown. It may have been done to settle trade between two parties when small change was not available. Although the reasoning is unclear, what is certain is that these cut plates remain VERY RARE today. Clearly the cuts are contemporary as there are signs of this plate circulating after the cuts were applied. Some scattered specks of verdigris, including some which encroaches on the secondary cuts (thus helping contest to their authenticity). The stamps are fairly well applied, and remnants of all corner stamps are present. There is one remaining full date and one partial date. Light brown patina. Very interesting. **VERY FINE.** **\$300-\$500**

PCGS# 873622.

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1704 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1749. Fredrik I (1720-51). 4.25 x 4 in. KM-PM65; AAH-301; BT-A30. Scarce (Tingstrom: 79 examples known including 24 pieces from the Nicobar). Heavy surface corrosion has left the stamps very faint. The center stamp is only identifiable as shallow depression, while the corner stamps are visible but faint displaying two full dates and two partial dates. A few spots of verdigris in protected pockets. Reddish brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE.** **\$250-\$350**

PCGS# 873625.

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Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #107 Lot #825 June 10, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.

Husa Mint 1 Daler Minted in Copper from the Gustafsberg Company



- 1705 Daler Plate Money, 1748-G. Husa Mint. Fredrik I (1720-51).** 5 x 5.75 in. KM-PM70; AAH-308; BT-A1. VERY RARE one year plate type (Tingstrom: 37 examples known). Made from copper from the Gustafsberg Company as denoted by the crowned "G" below the mintmark. Stamps a bit uneven. The center stamp mostly full, but all features discernible, while the corner stamps display four full legible dates with one stamp about half full. A very neat and tidy plate that is very symmetrical and pleasing in the hand. The reverse suggests that the blanks for these branch mint plates were produced by rolling the copper flat, rather than hammering it. Attractive rich glossy brown patina. A VERY RARE and desirable piece that is highly sought after by collectors. **CHOICE VERY FINE.** **\$3000-\$5000**

PCGS# 347373.

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Lot accompanied with Kristianstadsortens Numismatiska Forening (Swedish Numismatic Society) Envelope.

VERY RARE Husa Mint 1/2 Daler



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1706 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1748-G. Husa Mint. Fredrik I (1720-51). 3.5 x 4 in. KM-PM67; AAH-309; BT-B1. VERY RARE one year plate type (Tingstrom: 45 examples known). Made of copper from the Gustafsberg Company as denoted by the crown "G" in the center stamp. Stamps a bit uneven. The center stamp is a bit weak at the top, while the corner stamps display two full legible dates and two partial dates, with two stamps slightly off plate. Corners clipped at time of minting. Attractive glossy oxblood patina. A VERY RARE and desirable branch mint plate that is highly sought after by collectors. **VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2500**

PCGS# 873637.

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ADOLF FREDRIK, (REIGNED 1751-1771)

Adolf Fredrik, (reigned 1751-1771). Born into German nobility on May 14, 1710, in Schleswig-Gottorp, Adolf Fredrik was the son of Duke Christian Augustus of Schleswig-Holstein-Gottorp. He served in various capacities in the German noble ranks, including serving as Bishop of Lubeck from 1727 to 1750. He was elected as the heir to the throne of Sweden by the "Hat Faction," and this election was supported by Czarina Elizabeth, who threatened to invade and take over portions of eastern Sweden and Finland. He succeeded as King when Fredrik I passed.



As before his succession, most of the power in Sweden remained with the Riksdag, or parliament. Twice he tried to liberate himself from their control. In 1756, assisted by Queen Louisa Ulrika (sister of the king of Prussia), he tried to overthrow parliament, but was unsuccessful, nearly losing his throne. A dozen years later, his second attempt, aided by his son, Crown Prince Gustav, brought about the overthrow of the "Cap" party, which was generally pro-Russian and pro-Prussian. The victorious faction of the Riksdag however, did not follow through on their promise to increase the power and authority of the king. Adolf Fredrik died on February 12, 1771 in Stockholm.



Photo Reduced

1707 4 Daler Plate Money, 1753. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71). 10.5 x 9 in. KM-PM75; AAH-122a; BT-B2. RARE (Tingstrom: 46 examples known including 12 pieces from the Nicobar). Although mild surface corrosion has made some areas a bit faint, stamps were originally well applied. The center stamp is full and has a split "4" in the denomination, the corner stamps are a bit uneven with two full legible dates and one partial date. Probably a sea salvage piece based on the mild corrosion. A lovely and highly attractive piece exhibiting even chocolate patina. **VERY FINE.** **\$1000-\$1500**

PCGS# 778457.

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1708 4 Daler Plate Money, 1756. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71). 9.5 x 10.25 in. KM-PM76; AAH-125; BT-B7. (Tingstrom: 344 examples known including 332 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps originally well applied. Due to the heavy corrosion, they are faint and two corner stamps are partially gone. The center stamp is full, while the corner stamps display three full but faint dates and one partial date. Some verdigris along one edge. Medium brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE-VERY FINE \$400-\$600**

PCGS# 778472.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1375 October 7, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1709 4 Daler Plate Money, 1756. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71). 9.5 x 10.25 in. KM-PM76; AAH-125; BT-B7. (Tingstrom: 344 examples known including 332 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps originally well applied. Due to the heavy corrosion, they are faint and two corner stamps are partially gone. The center stamp is full, while the corner stamps display three full but faint dates and one partial date. Some verdigris along one edge. Medium brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE-VERY FINE \$300-\$500**

PCGS# 778472.

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Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1375 October 7, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

- 1710 4 Daler Plate Money, 1756. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** 9.5 x 10.25 in. KM-PM76; AAH-125; BT-B7. (Tingstrom: 344 examples known including 332 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps originally well applied, but have been greatly affected by the heavy corrosion throughout the plate. The center stamp is still mostly present and discernible, while the corner stamps are all at least partly incomplete, but still display three full legible dates and one partial date. About 20% of the plate has been lost to corrosion. Very attractive glossy medium brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE-VERY FINE**..... **\$300-\$500**

PCGS# 778472.

*From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.**Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1383 October 7, 2000.**Ex: Nicobar.*

Photo Reduced

- 1711 4 Daler Plate Money, 1757. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** 10.5 x 10 in. KM-PM76; AAH-126; BT-B8. Scarce (Tingstrom: 71 examples known including 55 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied with only slight unevenness in the corner stamps. The center stamp is full with only the "4" being slightly weak. The corner stamps displaying one full date and one partial date, one stamp is slightly off the plate. Minor surface corrosion of hardly any consequence. Lovely chocolate patina. **CHOICE VERY FINE**. **\$1000-\$1500**

PCGS# 778475.

*From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.**Ex: Thomas Hoiland Auction Lot #1192 June 12, 2004.**Ex: Danish East Indiaman Grev Ernst Schimmelmann, sunk April 27, 1781 off Cape Verde Islands, recovered ca. 1999.*



Photo Reduced

1712 4 Daler Plate Money, 1757. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71). 11 x 10.75 in. KM-PM76; AAH-126; BT-B8. Scarce (Tingstrom: 71 examples known including 55 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps originally well applied, but have been affected by the moderate corrosion throughout the plate. The center stamp is full, but somewhat faint. The corner stamps all have partial dates and are not quite full. Some verdigris on one edge, one through hole, and about 5% loss to the plate from corrosion. Medium brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE-VERY FINE.** **\$400-\$600**

PCGS# 778475.

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Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1387 October 7, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



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1713 4 Daler Plate Money, 1757. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71). 11 x 10.75 in. KM-PM76; AAH-126; BT-B8. Scarce (Tingstrom: 71 examples known including 55 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps originally well applied, but have been affected by the moderate corrosion throughout the plate. The center stamp is full with the corner stamps displaying two full discernible dates and two partial dates. About 5% loss to the plate from corrosion. Medium reddish brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE-VERY FINE.** **\$300-\$500**

PCGS# 778475.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1388 October 7, 2000.

Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1714 2 Daler Plate Money, 1751. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71). 8 x 8 in. KM-PM72; AAH-129; BT-A1. (Tingstrom: 128 plates known including 107 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps present, but faint from heavy corrosion throughout the plate. The center stamp is very faint but discernible, while the corner stamps display three full dates. One through hole near center stamp, otherwise mostly just surface corrosion. Some scattered light verdigris. Pale tan patina with some darker areas. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE-VERY FINE.**..... **\$300-\$500**

PCGS# 778326.
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 Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #107 Lot #829 June 10, 2000.
 Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

1715 Daler Plate Money, 1757. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71). 4 x 5.5 in. KM-PM84; AAH-145; BT-B7. Scarce (Tingstrom: 55 examples known including 6 pieces from the Nicobar). Heavy corrosion has marred all the stamps. The center stamp is faint but discernible, and all corner stamps are partial and display only one full date. Roughly 30% of the plate has been lost to corrosion. Attractive brown patina. With certificate of authenticity. **FINE.**..... **\$175-\$250**

PCGS# 494144.
 From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.
 Ex: Ponterio & Associates Sale #109 Lot #1373 October 7, 2000.
 Ex: Nicobar.



Photo Reduced

- 1716 Daler Plate Money, 1758. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** 5.5 x 5.5 in. KM-PM84; AAH-146; BT-B8. Scarce (Tingstrom: 83 examples known including 12 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps boldly applied giving sharp letters and dates. The center stamp has only one small area of weakness, and the corner stamps display four full legible dates though one date is ever so slightly off the plate. Some scattered contact marks, but a very attractive plate. Deep red brown patina. An extremely choice plate with excellent eye appeal. **CHOICE EXTREMELY FINE.** \$700-\$1000

PCGS# 494145.

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Photo Reduced

- 1717 Daler Plate Money, 1759. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** 4.5 x 6 in. KM-PM84; AAH-147; BT-B9. RARE (Tingstrom: 37 examples known including 3 from the Nicobar). A VERY RARE and interesting type as the blank or planchet was originally intended for a 2 Daler and later cut to accommodate a 1 Daler at the mint prior to stamping (see Tingstrom pg.118). Tingstrom states that in some cases, plates have left Avesta in a condition showing clear evidence of being part of a plate of higher denomination. The specific reasoning for this is unknown; however, it is speculated that the blank for a plate could have either been light in weight or perhaps even damaged. Rather than melting the copper, the blank was then cut down to accommodate being used as a smaller denomination (hence the non square nature of this plate). Lastly in this case, the stamps were actually applied to the reverse of the plate rather than the smoother (hammered side) of the two sides. Stamps well applied with only two showing any sign of uneven strikes. The center stamp is full, and the corner stamps display two full dates and two partial dates. Deep brown patina. RARE and very interesting. **CHOICE VERY FINE.** \$500-\$700

PCGS# 494146.

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- 1718 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1753. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** 3.75 x 3.75 in. KM-PM80; AAH-150; BT-A3. RARE (Tingstrom: 39 examples known including 3 pieces from the Nicobar). A plate created by cutting down the sides of a larger Daler plate evidenced by the center stamp of the larger denomination still being present on the reverse of the plate, as well as part of a corner stamp which enigmatically bears a date which appears, even under 3X magnification to be 1754 (see Tingstrom pg.119). Careful examination of the metal around the area near where the obverse and reverse stamps coincide, shows that the stamps from the larger denomination (the reverse) were in fact applied first. One possible scenario to account for this seemingly contradictory situation may have been that the original Daler plate was in fact minted in 1754, but was found to be underweight. It would have needed to be cut down to 1/2 Daler weight and re-stamped, as at that particular time (presumably early in the minting period of 1754) the 1753 1/2 Daler dies were still viable and were used until they broke. This is of course just one theory, and there are a myriad of other possibilities which would lead to this puzzling plate. Will surely be a source of interest to any who studies it. In appearance all of the stamps on the obverse are full and fairly well applied with four full dates. Nice light brown patina. RARE and very interesting. **VERY FINE.** \$700-\$900

PCGS# 873646.

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- 1719 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1754. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** 3.75 x 4.25 in. KM-PM80; AAH-151; BT-B4. Scarce (Tingstrom: 78 examples known including 14 pieces from the Nicobar). All stamps well applied. The center stamp is full, and the corner stamps are nice and bold with four full dates. Attractive red brown patina. A very attractive example for this type. **EXTREMELY FINE**..... \$500-\$700

PCGS# 873649.

From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.

Photo Reduced

- 1720 1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1754. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** 3.5 x 3.75 in. KM-PM80; AAH-151; BT-B4. Scarce (Tingstrom: 78 examples known including 14 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps fairly well applied. The center stamp is nearly full with only one spot of a weak strike, and the corner stamps displaying four nearly full stamps. Light hammering on right edge. Attractive deep chocolate patina. **EXTREMELY FINE** \$400-\$600

PCGS# 873649.

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Photo Reduced

1721 **1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1757. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** KM-PM80; AAH-154. All five stamps full and complete. Pleasing reddish brown tone.
CHOICE VERY FINE. \$600-\$800
PCGS # 873660



Photo Reduced

1723 **1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1759. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** 3.5 x 3.5 in. KM-PM80; AAH-156; BT-B9. RARE late plate (Tingstrom: 31 examples known including 4 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps well applied to a compact plate. The center stamp is full, the corner stamps are also full with only one having an area of weakness. Nice light brown patina. RARE late dated plate money, and the final date in the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.
BOLD VERY FINE..... \$500-\$700
PCGS# 873664.
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



Photo Reduced

1722 **1/2 Daler Plate Money, 1757. Adolf Fredrik (1751-71).** 3.75 x 4.25 in. KM-PM80; AAH-154; BT-B7. RARE (Tingstrom: 40 examples known including 5 pieces from the Nicobar). Stamps a bit uneven. Center stamp is mostly full, but has some weakness on the right hand side. The corner stamps are mostly full; however, two are fairly unevenly struck, three full dates. Red brown patina.
VERY FINE. \$300-\$500
PCGS# 873658.
From the Stanley Aberdeen Collection.



1724 **Plate Money Minting Bronze Medal, ND (ca. Late 20th Century).** 59.65 mm. Mining scene showing below and above ground views, and the steps in the gathering of raw copper ore for transport to Avesta, for refining and minting into copper plate money; Reverse: Interior scene showing worker at stamping apparatus used in the minting of plate money, three miniature sized examples of various plate money stamps are incorporated into the design. Plain edge aside from "SPORRONG" and "5" at two points. Attractive with nice golden luster. **UNCIRCULATED**..... \$100-\$150
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SWEDEN

1725 **Viking Coinage. AR Denar, ND. Sigtuna Mint. Olaf Skotkonung (994-1022).** cf.Malmer-602.1112; cf.Lagerquist-33. VERY RARE. Bust left long cross type. Struck at the mint of Sigtuna shortly after its founding. The city of Sigtuna has an important place in Viking history as it is one of the only cities mentioned in the Viking Sagas. A few small peck marks. CHOICE VERY FINE. \$1500-\$2000



1726 **16 Ore "Klippe", 1563. Erik XIV (1560-68).** AAH-44a. NGC AU-50..... \$700-\$900



1727 **Gustav Adolphus II, Defender of the Faith Silver Medal, 1632.** 56.71 mm; 43.5 gms. Hildebrand-58. By Sebastian Daadler. Bust of Gustavus partly right, name and titles around; Reverse: The king as a Roman soldier, standing over his fallen enemies. Some contact points and bruising on the rim and around the portrait, otherwise VERY FINE-EXTREMELY FINE. \$1200-\$1600



1728 **Riksdaler, 1821-CB.** KM-610; Sieg-11; AAH-43. Struck in 1825 to commemorate 300 years of political and religious freedom. Mintage of only 7,339 pieces. Sharply struck with nice frosty mint luster. PCGS MS-61 Secure Holder. \$1500-\$1800
PCGS# 389728.



1729 **Krona, 1904-EB.** KM-760; Sieg-50. Finest certified at either NGC or PCGS. Attractively toned and exceptionally choice. NGC MS-66. \$800-\$1000
PCGS# 179176.



1733 **Basel. "Mother Hen" Silver Medal, ND (ca. 1650).** 41.28 mm Schwartz-1169; Ewig-808. City view of Basel with arms of the city below; Reverse: Mother hen with four chicks around her, in exergue "ALIT ET PRO TEGIT". Wonderful rainbow toning with green, blue, red and golden hues throughout. Great eye appeal. Unsigned, but very similar to another medal by S. Hendrick. NGC MS-62. \$1500-\$2000
From the Rockaway Collection.



SWITZERLAND

1730 **Appenzell. 4 Franken, 1812.** KM-9; HMZ-2-28a; Divo-154. Exquisite toning. A wire strike through is apparent at 11 o'clock on the obverse. If the rim is carefully examined, the metal is moving away from the rim, whereas if it were a scratch, it would be reversed. A simple planchet flaw which does little to detract from the beauty of the piece. NGC MS-63. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 882677.



1731 **Basel. 60 Kreuzer (Guldentaler), 1583.** HMZ-2-60t. Nice strike. Light attractive toning. NGC AU-58. \$800-\$1000



1734 **Basel. 2 Taler, ND.** Dav-1740; KM-72; Divo-85. Nicely struck with attractive toning. An excellent and attractive example of this large size silver coin. NGC AU-55. \$4000-\$5000
PCGS# 791330.

1732 **Basel. Taler, 1640.** Dav-4606; KM-B94.1; HMZ-2-78o; Divo-94. Beautifully toned with iridescent highlights. NGC AU-55. \$700-\$900
PCGS# 355070.



1738 Bern. 2 Duplone, 1794. Fr-186; KM-147; HMZ-2-211c. Sharply struck. Light toning and strong luster. PCGS AU-55 Secure Holder. \$1200-\$1600
PCGS# 690037.



1739 Geneva. 20 Frank, 1848. Fr-263; KM-140. Mintage of only 3,421 pieces. Minor hairlines. Nicely struck and attractive. NGC Unc Details—Surface Hairlines. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 883001.
Ex: Eliasberg Collection.

SWITZERLAND

1735 Basel. 2 Taler, ND (1710). Dav-1742A; KM-130; HMZ-2-98a; Divo-737a. Six boats in river. Faint tooling evident in fields, mostly confined to obverse. Nice peripheral toning with some remaining luster in reverse shields. PCGS Genuine—Tooled, AU Details Secure Holder. \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 791331.



1736 Bern. 2 Duplone, 1793. Fr-181; KM-144.1; HMZ-2-211b. Nice strike. Strong luster, particularly at periphery. PCGS AU-58 Secure Holder. \$1200-\$1600
PCGS# 690052.



1740 Geneva. 10 Franc, 1851. Dav-374; KM-138; Divo-279. Sharply struck. Lightly toned with strong underlying luster. Some contact marks on reverse. PCGS MS-63 Secure Holder. \$1400-\$1800
PCGS# 882994.

1737 Bern. Duplone, 1793. Fr-182; KM-143. Nice strike. Lightly toned. PCGS AU-58. \$900-\$1100
PCGS# 690041.



1741 Geneva. 10 Franc, 1851. Dav-374; KM-138; Divo-279. Deeply toned. PCGS Genuine—Cleaning, AU Details Secure Holder..... \$700-\$1000
PCGS# 882994.



1742 Helvetian Republic. 16 Frank, 1800-B. Fr-282; KM-A12; HMZ-2-1184a; Divo-2. Small unobtrusive scratch on obverse. Sharply struck with attractive luster. NGC Unc Details—Obverse Scratched..... \$1500-\$2000
PCGS# 882556.



1743 Lucerne. 10 Frank, 1804. Fr-327; KM-98; HMZ-2-667a; Divo-52. Faint hairlines on obverse. Very reflective surfaces with crisp features. A very attractive piece. NGC Unc Details—Surface Hairlines..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 883218.



SYRIA

1744 Piastre Essai, 1929. KM-E3; Lec-9; Gad-3. Struck in Nickel-brass. RARE. From an estimated mintage of only 64 pieces. Sharply struck with light toning. NGC MS-65..... \$900-\$1200



THAILAND

1745 6,000 Baht, BE 2527 (1984). Fr-45; Y-174. VERY RARE. Struck for the Princess mother's 84th birthday. With case of issue and certificate of authenticity. From a mintage of only 246 pieces. NGC PROOF-68 ULTRA CAMEO..... \$1000-\$1500
PCGS# 186550.



TUNISIA

1746 1 Franc Essai, AH 1347//1928-A (1928). KM-E8; Lec-235. Nickel-bronze. RARE. Sharply struck. Lightly toned and very attractive. NGC MS-64..... \$900-\$1200
PCGS# 449702.



TURKEY

1747 500 Kurush, AH 1293 Year 2 (ca. 1877-78). Fr-34; KM-727. Nice strike. NGC EF-45..... \$1200-\$1500
PCGS# 881000. NGC ID: 750969.



UGANDA

1748 **5,000 Shillings, 1981.** 1 oz. Fr-6; KM-25. Commemorative featuring an East African crowned crane and former President Obote. Very low mintage of only 100 pieces. NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1400-\$1700
PCGS# 419074.



1749 **5,000 Shillings, 1981.** Fr-6; KM-25. Wildlife series, crowned crane. RARE. From a mintage of only 100 pieces. PCGS PROOF-68 DEEP CAMEO Secure Holder..... \$1300-\$1600
PCGS# 419074.



VENEZUELA

1750 **Barinas. Caujaral. Real (Chipi-chipi), 1241.** KM-2; Rosenman-pg.27/33. Variant with four digit fictional date. Rosenman describes this type as "The unacceptable 1 Real" in his reference work on imitation cobs of Venezuela and Colombia. This necessity issue was produced in quite a different manner than many of the other provincial mints, which began producing imitation provisional cob coins during and shortly after the War of Independence with Spain. The dies were locally engraved in a crude manner containing numerals and letters at random. Most, if not all of the coinage is light weight, apparently struck to no specific weight standard. In fact many of the 1 Reales of this series are closer in weight to that of a 1/2 Real. It is clear that a coinage of this nature would not have been met with approval by the populace. The large number of dies found in this series would indicate a rather large mintage, however the coins today remain quite scarce. Most likely most were melted due to rejection. Well struck with some original luster. Quite RARE grade for this type. NGC AU-53. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 730310.



1751 **Caracas. 2 Reales, "182".** C-13.1; Stohr-9-C13. Well struck for type. Attractive toning. NGC VF-35..... \$400-\$600
PCGS# 419349.



1752 **Caracas. 2 Reales, 182.** C-13.1; Stohr-10/15. Well struck, good metal quality. Nicely toned. NGC EF-45. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 419349.



1753 **Caracas. 2 Reales, 182.** C-13.1. Stohr-10/15. Well centered strike, full reverse. NGC VF-30..... \$400-\$600
PCGS# 419349.



1754 **Caracas. 2 Reales, 814.** C-13.2; Stohr-40. VERY RARE date. Virtually straight water lines under pillars. Nicely toned. NGC VG-10. \$500-\$700



1755 **Caracas. 2 Reales, 751.** C-13.1; Stohr-47. RARE date. Well struck with good overall details. Toned. NGC EF-45. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 737832.



1756 Caracas. 2 Reales, 471. C-13.1; Sthor-51/53. Scarce date. Nicely struck with good definition of the lions and castles. Toned. NGC EF-40. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 737830.



1758 Caracas. 2 Reales, 172. C-13.1; Sthor-54. RARE date. Well struck. Nicely toned. NGC VF-30. \$400-\$600
PCGS# 144382.



1757 Caracas. 2 Reales, 172. C-13.1. Sthor-54. NGC VF-35. \$500-\$700
PCGS# 144382.



1759 Maracaibo. 2 Reales, 1814. KM-5. Date variant with small upright "4". RARE. War of Independence era type struck in imitation of Spanish Colonial cob coinage. Attractive grey toning with darker areas accenting the devices. NGC VF-25. \$1500-\$2500
PCGS# 957449.

Tied for Finest Certified Specimen 1874 10 Centavos of 1874



1760 10 Centavos (Real), 1874-A. Y-13.1; Sthor-26. Paris mint Proof for the new Bolivar portrait coinage, designed by Albert Desire Barre. The first year of issue for this two year only type, produced under the order of June 11 1873. Some authorities believe these Proof or Specimen issues are actually patterns of the adopted design. Tied for finest certified by NGC with one other coin, that being the Richard Lissner example. Very attractive dark blue and multicolored toning on hard proof or specimen surfaces. EXTREMELY RARE. NGC SP-65. \$3500-\$5000
PCGS# 145048.



1761 **100 Bolivares, 1886.** Fr-2; Y-34. "8" and "6" of date apart. For all varieties of this date, there is a mintage of only 4,250 pieces. NGC AU-58..... \$1500-\$2000



1762 **5 Bolivares, 1889.** Y-24.1. Well struck with light even wear. NGC AU-53. \$600-\$800
PCGS# 191208.



1763 **10,000 Bolivares, 1987.** Fr-11; Y-61. Hard mirror fields with cameo frosted devices. NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1100-\$1500
PCGS# 752701.



YEMEN
1764 **2 Riyals, 1969.** Fr-17; KM-4. Qadhi Mohammed Mahmud Azzubairi Memorial. Struck in gold. RARE. Mintage of only 100 pieces. Hard mirror surfaces with cameo frosted devices. NGC PROOF-69 ULTRA CAMEO. \$1300-\$1600
PCGS# 508984.

MIXED LOTS

1765 **World Crowns & Minors, ca. 16th-19th Century.** 15 pieces in lot. Comprised of mostly crown sized silver coins from Great Britain, France, Sweden, Denmark and the Netherlands, as well as issues from the period of Spanish control. Includes: a 1663 Brabant Ducaton (Dav-4454), a 1795 Denmark Speciedaler (Dav-1311) and a 1687 British Crown (S-3407). A few pieces with hairlines or other signs of cleaning, but mostly wholesome circulated coins. Retail value of about \$1,700. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. FINE-EXTREMELY FINE.** \$700-\$1000

1766 **European Crowns & Minors, ca. 16th-20th Century.** 25 pieces in lot. A varied group showcasing pieces from countries spanning the entire continent. Especially strong in pieces from Switzerland, including a scarce 1814 Ticino 4 Franchi (KM-6), and medieval silver Pfennigs and a Bracteate. A few pieces with small scratches or evidence of cleaning, but overall wholesome pieces with some scarce issues. Retail value of about \$1,800. Should be examined. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. FINE-UNCIRCULATED.** \$800-\$1200

1767 **World Crowns & Minors, 1633-1930.** 13 pieces in lot. An interesting grouping of world silver crowns and minor coinage. Includes issues from Austria, Canada, Great Britain, Netherlands, Norway and Switzerland. Other countries included as well. Nice toning is present throughout this entirely NGC certified lot. With only a single piece receiving a details grade for surface hairlines. Approximately \$1,500. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. NGC FINE-15 to MS-64.**..... \$700-\$1000

1768 **Crowns & Minors, 1689-1921.** 21 pieces in lot. Includes a wide variety of European crown sized silver pieces, also contains a few minors, some of which are copper. Contains issues from Austria, France, Great Britain, and Italy. All pieces are in NGC holders. With only seven pieces displaying some surface hairlines, otherwise a problem free grouping. Approximate retail value of \$1,800. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. NGC FINE-12 to MS-65.**..... \$800-\$1200

1769 **British Commonwealth of Nations Minor Coinage, ca. 1709-1945.** 38 pieces in lot. Comprised of issues from smaller British islands of Jersey, Isle of Man and Lundy as well as pieces struck for use in the west Indies, Malta and Jamaica. Heaviest in pieces from the Isle of Man and Jamaica. Includes several attractive mint state examples, particularly in the offerings from Jamaica, the 1/3 Farthings struck for use in Malta and a Puffin from Lundy. Minor scratches and contact marks only arising from circulation. Retail value of more than \$1,700. Should be examined. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. FINE-UNCIRCULATED.** \$700-\$1000
From the Demarete Collection.

- 1770 British Commonwealth of Nations African Crowns & Minors, ca. 1796-1951.** 45 pieces in lot. Comprised of issues from throughout Africa as well as British holdings in the Indian Ocean. Includes issues from South Africa (including Republic pieces), Sierra Leone, Liberia, West Africa, Southern Rhodesia, St. Helena and Mauritius. Includes several lustrous mint state pieces from Mauritius as well as an unlisted 1868 Liberian 2 Cent pattern in what appears to be silver. Some minor scratches or darkened surfaces arising from circulation, or long term storage on a few pieces. Retail value of more than \$1,500. Should be examined. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. VERY FINE-PROOF. \$600-\$900**
From the Demarete Collection.
- 1771 British Commonwealth of Nations Asian Minor Coinage, ca. 1804-1958.** Approximately 50 pieces in lot. Includes British issues from throughout Asia, notably from India, British North Borneo, New Zealand, and Straits Settlements. A diverse lot which is well worth closer inspection. Notably, there are some very nice William IV and Victoria silver minors from India, a choice North Borneo 1890 Cent and an 1855 Tasmanian merchant token for Edward De'Carle & Co. Auctioneers. Surface issues only arising from circulation. Retail value in excess of \$2,100. Should be examined. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. VERY FINE-UNCIRCULATED. \$800-\$1200**
From the Demarete Collection.
- 1772 New World Crowns, Minors & Medals, ca. 1813-1979.** 36 pieces in lot. A varied assemblage covering most Central and South American countries as well as a few pieces from Newfoundland and the United States. Mostly silver issues, but also includes some copper issues from the Mexican Revolution. In addition to the coins a number of medals are included in the lot such as railroad commemoratives for Pasco and Arequipa, Brazilian SANPEX convention countermarked coins and two examples of the 1839 Peru constitution silver medal. A robust grouping with plenty of scarce and interesting material. Mostly wholesome with only a few of the most worn pieces exhibiting any surface issues. Retail value of about \$2,500. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. VERY FINE-BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED. \$1000-\$1500**
- 1773 Lot of (5) Gold Pieces, ca. 1858-97.** 5 pieces in lot. Includes: Russian 1897 5 Ruble (Y-62), French 20 Franc 1858 (KM-781.1) with attached loop for suspension, and (3) Austrian 20 Coronas (KM-2806). Should be examined. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. EXTREMELY FINE-ALMOST UNCIRCULATED. \$900-\$1100**

END OF SESSION B

THE JANUARY 2015 NYINC AUCTION SESSION C



MONDAY JANUARY 12, 2015
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WORLD PAPER MONEY LOTS 2001-2300



AFGHANISTAN

2001 Ministry of Finance. 5 & 10 Afghani, ND. P-16B & 17A. 2 pieces in lot. A difficult issued pairing of these Ministry of Finance notes with the Five Uncirculated and the 10 in About Uncirculated with just a few corner tip folds. About Uncirculated & Uncirculated.....\$250-\$350



2002 Bank of Afghanistan. 500 Afghani, ND (1961). P-40As. Specimen. Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancels printed by TDLR. Lovely color and a nice match to the 1,000 Afghani note we are also offering. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.....\$300-\$500



2003 Bank of Afghanistan. 1000 Afghani, ND (1961-63). P-42s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and serial numbers printed by TDLR. Striking quality at all technical aspects are found on this 1,000 Afghani denomination. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.....\$300-\$500

2004 Bank of Afghanistan. 50, 100, 500 & 1000 Afghani, ND (1967). P-43s to 46s. Specimens. 4 pieces in lot. Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A detailed and colorful set with all in PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ grades, save for the 1,000 Afghani note which is 65 EPQ. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ & 66 EPQ.....\$400-\$600



ALGERIA

2005 Banque Centrale d'Algerie. 100 Dinars, ND (1964). P-125s. Specimen overprints, serial numbers and perforation. A bit of as made sheet rub and otherwise light even circulation. Always a popular large format design type. PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.....\$600-\$800



ANGOLA

2006 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 1000 Reis, 1909. P-28s. Specimen. Specimen annotations, serial number and perforations. Vivid color and detail abound on this lower denomination design type. Extremely well embossed steamship seal and just mounting remnants to report. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Previously Mounted.....\$500-\$700



2007 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 2500 Reis, 1909. P-30s. Specimen. Specimen annotations, serial number and perforations. Only some typical mounting remnants detract on this appealing denomination. Scarce. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Previously Mounted.....\$600-\$800



ANGOLA

2008 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 5 Mil Reis, 1.3.1909. P-32s. **Specimen.** Specimen annotations, serial numbers and perforations. Outstanding color and detail on this specimen note with large red steamship seal at center. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net.** Previously Mounted.\$800-\$1200



2009 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 10 Mil Reis, 1.3.1909. P-34s. **Specimen.** Specimen serial numbers, annotations and "CANCELLED," perforation printed by BWC. A remarkable large format design that has a terrific layout and vibrant color throughout. Seldom available in any form and seen here with just minor mounting remnants to detract. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net.** Previously Mounted.\$1000-\$1500



2010 Republica Portuguesa. 2 1/2 Angolares, 14.8.1926. P-65cts. **Color Trial Specimen.** Specimen overprints printed in blue and orange by TDLR. One of a nice assortment we are offering on this 2 & 1/2 Angolares denomination. Sharp detail and only mounting remnants to mention. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net.** Previously Mounted.\$400-\$600

2011 Republica Portuguesa. 2 1/2 Angolares, 6.10.1948. P-71s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers. One of a fine group of specimens we are offering on the Republica Portuguesa title and this note shows with just some typical mounting remnants to detract. **PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 Net.** Previously Mounted.\$400-\$600

2012 Banco De Angola. 1000 Escudos, 1970. P-98s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A fantastically preserved example of this 1,000 Escudos type. **PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.**\$125-\$175



ARGENTINA

2013 Republica Argentina. 20 Pesos, 1.1.1895. P-222p. **Proof.** 2 pieces in lot. Face and back proofs printed on card and perforated "SIN VALOR." Outstanding detail and color on this scarce design and a type seldom offered in any form. **Uncirculated.**\$400-\$600



2014 Banco De la Provincia de Buenos Aires. 5 Pesos Oro, 8.11.1883. P-S538s. **Specimen.** Uniface. Specimen overprints, serial number and punch cancels. Exceptional quality on this elusive design type. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**\$400-\$600



ARGENTINA

2015 Banco Nacional. 50 Pesos, 5.11.1883. P-S681s. Specimen. Specimen overprint, serial number and punch cancels at the signature. Lovely red under-printed color and sharp detail of the primary design features. Large even borders help confirm the lofty grade assigned by PMG. PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.\$500-\$700



2019 Bahamas Government. 1 Pound, ND (1953). P-15d. An underrated type in higher grades with this piece bordering on a Gem designation. Original and lovely detail throughout. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.\$700-\$1000



AUSTRALIA

2016 Commonwealth of Australia. 10 Shillings, ND (1952). P-25d. Consecutive to another Gem example we are offering and seen with strikingly original paper and lovely centering and margins. Very difficult this nice. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$600-\$800



2020 Bahamas Monetary Authority. 1/2 to 100 Dollars, L. 1968. P-26s to 33s. Specimens. 8 pieces in lot. Specimen overprints and serial numbers. An always desirable set of these colorful QEII notes with all showing in bright original Uncirculated form, save for the \$100 note which shows a light vertical bend. About Uncirculated & Uncirculated.\$1000-\$1500



2017 Commonwealth of Australia. 10 Shillings, ND (1952). P-25d. Deeply embossed inks and vibrant orange color give strong appeal to this KGVI note. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.\$500-\$700



2021 Central Bank of the Bahamas. 10 Dollars, L. 1974. P-38a. An important offering of this T.B. Donaldson signed note that shows with pack fresh paper and pleasing centering and margins. Extremely difficult this nice. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.\$600-\$800



BAHAMAS

2018 Bahamas Government. 4 Shillings, L. 1936. P-9e. Deeply embossed paper and vivid detail give the impression of a higher grade. Just a light vertical fold is noticed. PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.\$400-\$600



BAHAMAS

- 2022 Central Bank of the Bahamas. 10 Dollars, L. 1974. P-38a. An important offering of this scarce Central Bank \$10 design in a fantastic Gem state of preservation. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ..... \$800-\$1200
- 2023 Central Bank of the Bahamas. 10 Dollars, 1996. P-59. An elusive modern design that is one of the finest we can recall handling. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ..... \$800-\$1200

BARBADOS

- 2025 Government of Barbados. 1 Dollar, ND (1938-49). P-2s. Specimen. Specimen perforation and serial numbers. Striking quality is observed at all technical aspects on this challenging KGVI design type. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.....\$500-\$700



BELGIAN CONGO

- 2026 Banque Du Congo Belge. 100 Francs, 10.4.1947. P-17cs. Specimen. Specimen overprint, printed by W & S. A striking example of this popular large format design that shows with wonderful color and detail at all printed devices. Overprinted date at lower right and seen without an Emission overprint. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ. \$700-\$1000

BAHRAIN

- 2024 Bahrain Currency Board. 10 Dinars, L. 1964. P-6s. Specimen. Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancels. Just a bit of mounting residue at left is observed on this underrated in specimen form design. Uncirculated..... \$1500-\$2000

Vibrant BWC 5,000 Francs Specimen



BELGIAN CONGO

- 2027 **Banque Du Congo Belge. 5000 Francs, ND (1950). P-19As. Specimen.** Specimen overprints and punch cancels. Lion head watermark. Elaborate BWC large format design and seen with exceptional color and detail throughout. Rarely offered and especially so at a Gem grade level. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ..... \$3000-\$4000



BELIZE

- 2028 **Banque Centrale du Congo Belge et du Ruand-Urundi. 10 Francs, ND (1955-59). P-30pe. Printer's Essay.** Specimen overprint and small punch cancels. Without watermark. Amazing color and detail with large even margins. A note which likely could not be improved upon. PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.....\$600-\$800
- 2030 **Government of Belize. 5 Dollars, 1.6.1975. P-35a.** Extremely well centered, deeply embossed inks and vibrant color throughout. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.....\$300-\$500
- 2031 **Government of Belize. 5 Dollars, 1.1.1976. P-35b.** A well matched note to the "a" variety of this Five Dollar denomination we are offering in the same PMG grade. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.....\$250-\$350



- 2029 **Bank Van Belgisch Congo. 500 Francs, ND. P-NL. Proof.** A design trial back for a proposed 500 Franc note. Mounted to black card. The first we have seen and likely unique. About Uncirculated.....\$300-\$500
- 2032 **Central Bank of Belize. 10 Dollars, 1.7.1983. P-44a.** A scarce 10 Dollar denomination at these lofty Gem states of preservation. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.....\$400-\$600



BELIZE

2033 Central Bank of Belize. 100 Dollars, 1.5.1994. P-57c. A difficult modern 100 Dollar note and especially so in this lofty Gem state of preservation. PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.....\$400-\$600

Finest PMG Graded “Receiver General” KGV Five Shillings



BERMUDA

2034 Government of Bermuda. 5 Shillings, 1.8.1920. P-3a. Receiver General signature title at lower right. A highly important offering for Bermuda and Commonwealth collectors that is the finest we have seen and currently sits atop the PMG population report with no equals. Close inspection reveals nicely embossed overprints and inks of the primary green design. PMG mentions minor foreign substance on the holder which appears to be just a bit of attached residual paper at the lower right of the back. An impressive two digit serial number of A/1 00069 enhances the appeal along with a nicely centered impression. PMG About Uncirculated 50 Net. Minor Foreign Substance.....\$8000-\$12,000

Important King George V Five Shillings Design



BERMUDA

- 2035 **Government of Bermuda. 5 Shillings, ND (1935). P-3b.** Colonial Treasurer title at right. Without series date. An offering which completes both varieties for the catalog number when combined with the previous lot. Rare in any state of preservation and offered here with strong mid-grade appeal. Close inspection reveals still embossed inks and problem free paper for the grade is welcomed. A rare opportunity. **PMG Very Fine 30..... \$4000-\$6000**



- 2036 **Bermuda Government. 1 Pound, 1.5.1957. P-20c.** A more challenging 1957 dated piece offered here in a lofty Gem state of preservation. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.....\$300-\$500**



- 2037 **Bermuda Government. 1, 5, 10, 20 & 50 Dollars, 6.2.1970. P-23s to 27s. Specimens.** 5 pieces in lot. Specimen perforations, serial numbers, annotations and punch cancels at the signatures. All with mounting remnants at right on back. A difficult Bermuda Government set in any form. **Uncirculated.....\$600-\$800**



BERMUDA

2038 Bermuda Monetary Authority. 100 Dollars, 14.11.1984. P-33b. Exceptional color and detail on this highest denomination QEII type. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.\$600-\$800



BRITISH CARIBBEAN TERRITORIES

2041 British Caribbean Territories, Eastern Group. 2 Dollars, 28.11.1950. P-2s. Specimen. Specimen perforation and serial numbers. Sailing ship watermark. KGVI at right with map of the Caribbean at left. A scarce design type in any form and certainly a piece that will appeal to collectors. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$700-\$1000



BRAZIL

2039 Imperio Do Brasil. 20 Mil Reis, ND (1866-70). P-A241. Estampa 6, series 10a. A splendid Perkins, Bacon & Company design that shows with allegorical figures at left and right and detailed harbor vignette at center. Green "VINTE" protector at lower center and appealing manuscript signatures. Some pinholes at left are seen and mentioned by PMG in the comments section of the holder. Appealing for the grade and quite scarce. PMG Very Fine 20.\$1000-\$1500



2042 British Caribbean Territories, Eastern Group. 1 Dollar, 1.3.1954. P-7b. An important offering of this early dated QEII type and seen with broad even borders and lovely color. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$300-\$500



BRITISH HONDURAS

2043 Government of British Honduras. 1 Dollar, 1.3.1956. P-28a. A scarce 1950's dated note that will certainly gather strong attention from bidders. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.\$300-\$500



2044 Government of British Honduras. 2 Dollars, 1.1.1973. P-29c. A nicely centered and pack fresh example. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$200-\$300

2040 Banco Do Brazil. 50 Mil Reis, 6.3.1890. P-S533s. Specimen. Specimen overprint and punch cancels at the signature panels. Counterfoil at left. An extremely scarce W&S design type and the first we have offered. Fantastic color gives great appeal of the elaborate design and only subtle circulation is observed. Oval ink stamp at left on back which PMG mentions along with "Note Unaffected by Issues in Counterfoil." PMG Choice Very Fine 35.\$2500-\$3500



BRITISH WEST AFRICA

2045 West African Currency Board. 20 Shillings, 1.3.1954. P-10a. Terrific color and detail on this popular British West Africa design. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.\$400-\$600



2046 West African Currency Board. 100 Shillings, 26.4.1954. P-11b. An always important offering of this highest denomination for the series 1954 dated type. Seen with vivid color of the tropical vignette and fresh original paper. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ. \$1000-\$1500



CANADA

2047 Banque Nationale. 10 Dollars, 1922. P-S872s. Specimen. Perforated specimen with overprints. A lovely example of this bank and a nice match to the 100 Dollar note we are also offering. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$350-\$500



2048 Read, Stevenson & Co. 25 Cent, 1.3.1876. P-NL. (NB-20-10-06) A scarce New Brunswick script note shown here with bold manuscript signature and just some staining to report. PMG Very Fine 25.\$500-\$700



CANADA-NEWFOUNDLAND

2049 Royal Bank of Canada. 100 Dollars, 3.1.1927. 630-14-20. An important offering of this \$100 design type that seldom appears in any state at public auction. This note is found with problem free paper for the grade and even circulation. PCGS Very Fine 25. \$1000-\$1500



CAPE VERDE

2050 Banco Nacional Ultramarino 50 Escudos, 1.8.1941. P-39s. Specimen printed by BWC. This appealing large format specimen note from Cape Verde is the first we can recall handling. Seen printed in a deep red-brown ink at the frame and with detailed multicolored under-print. A few minor sheet folds account for the grade and printers annotations, and some light mounting remnants are noted for accuracy. PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 Net. Previously Mounted.\$500-\$700



CEYLON

2051 P.O.W. Diyatalawa. 50 Cents, 7.3.1901. P-NL. This scarce P.O.W. note is the first we have handled and shows with black inks and green under-print. Purple signature at lower right and stamped date lower left. A few stains, paper thins and small hole at center are observed. Very Fine.\$300-\$500



COLOMBIA

2052 **Vicente B. Villa e Hijos. 5 Pesos, ND (188x). P-S922p. Proof.** 2 pieces in lot. Face and back proofs printed on India paper. Allegory of art at left and cherub tip right center. Grille under-print signature panel and appealing lathe borders. Approval stamp in purple at upper selvage with “Will transfer,” penciled adjacent. Back proof in brown with three large “5” counters and denomination repeated in under-printing. A scarce design and seen here with excellent appeal. **About Uncirculated.** \$300-\$500

Rare National Bank of Cuba One Peso



CUBA

2053 **National Bank of Cuba. 1 Peso, ND (1905). P-65s. Specimen.** Specimen serial numbers, overprints and punch cancels at the signatures. This wonderful offering is the first we have handled and shows this large size design type with precise detail throughout. The series was never issued and when specimens of this series come up for sale, great attention by collectors is typically had. Wide even margin and fresh original paper help confirm the lofty Gem grade assigned by PMG. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.** \$4000-\$6000



CURACAO

2054 Curacaoosche Bank. 10 Gulden, 1943. P-26s. **Specimen.** Specimen serial numbers, overprints and punch cancels at the signatures. Phenomenal color and detail with a nicely centered impression of the design. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$400-\$600



2057 Government of Cyprus. 5 Pounds, 1.6.1955. P-36a. An impressive example of this Five Pounds design that shows with just touches of circulation. Seldom available this pleasing and rare any finer. PMG About Uncirculated 55.\$800-\$1200



CYPRUS

2055 Government of Cyprus. 250 Mils, 1.6.1955. P-33s. **Specimen.** Specimen serial numbers, overprints and perforations. Just a bit of what PMG calls "Foreign Substance," detracts on this otherwise highly appealing and popular QEII type. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Foreign Substance.\$1200-\$1600



2058 Government of Cyprus. 5 Pounds, 1.6.1955. P-36s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints, serial numbers and perforations. A scarce Five Pound design and offered here with mostly handling to account for the grade. Several pinholes are observed with most at the top. About Uncirculated.\$400-\$600



DANISH WEST INDIES

2059 State Treasury. 10 Dalare, L. 1849. P-4. A scarce fully issued note and normally only available in remainder form. Mostly even circulation with a stain at lower left and small tear. PMG Very Fine 25 Net. Stain, Small Tear.\$300-\$500



2056 Government of Cyprus. 1 Pound, 1.6.1955. P-35a. A rarely offered One Pound note in Choice Uncirculated grades and this appealing offering offering borders on a Gem state. Lovely color and vast detail throughout. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.\$2000-\$3000



2060 Bank of Saint Thomas. 500 Dollars, ND (18xx). P-12x. **Reprint.** Promotional reprint. A popular reprint that is a great way to represent this catalog number as genuine examples are exceedingly rare. About Uncirculated.\$500-\$700

Striking Danish West Indies 10 Francs



DANISH WEST INDIES

- 2061 National Bank of the Danish West Indies. 10 Francs, 1905. P-18a.** One of the more pleasing notes of this highly scarce catalog number we have offered that shows with exceptional blue and red under-prints and sharp detail of the primary design. Hand accomplished signature at the lower right, palm tree left and village at right. Central portrait vignette of King Christian IX. The last we sold that was of similar quality to this note, another problem free for the grade example, was lot 20098 in our August 2012 ANA Auction. That piece, grading PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ, brought an impressive \$15,275. The offering here is not far from that example in terms of appeal and should see spirited bidding. **PMG Very Fine 25. \$5000-\$7000**



DANZIG

- 2062 Senate of the Municipality. 1000 Mark, 31.10.1922. P-15.** A popular large format type that shows with only trivial circulation. Embossed seal at lower left and attractive vignette of a Galleon at right. **PMG About Uncirculated 50. \$500-\$700**



DANZIG

2063 Senate of the Municipality. 1 Million Mark, 1923. P-21. A near Gem example of this challenging overprinted type. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.\$600-\$800



2064 Senate of the Municipality 5 Millionen Mark, 20.3.1923. P-23. A pleasingly high grade example of this overprinted type which shows with only touches of circulation. PMG About Uncirculated 55\$500-\$700



EAST AFRICA

2067 East African Currency Board. 1 Florin, 1.5.1920. P-8. This highly scarce KGV One Florin design is seldom available in these light circulated states of preservation. The note offered here retains original paper and nice embossing of the overprints when studied closely. A single spot stain at right likely negated an "EPQ" designation by PMG. The last we handled was a PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ note that realized \$5,287 as lot 3174 in our January 2014 NYINC sale. PMG About Uncirculated 50. \$2000-\$3000



2065 Senate of the Municipality 500 Millionen Mark, 26.9.1923. P-28b. One of the more pleasing we have handled for this high denomination design. Shown with yellow margin text and only a touch of circulation. PMG About Uncirculated 55\$350-\$500



2068 East African Currency Board. 10 Shillings, 1.9.1943. P-29b. An important offering of this KGV type that is the finest PMG has graded for the catalog number with two equals. Terrific original paper, color and centering combine to justify the lofty Gem grade applied. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$600-\$800



DENMARK

2066 National Bank. 10 Kroner, 1910. P-7j. A highly scarce 1910 dated note and one of the more pleasing we have seen. Mostly light and even circulation with sharp detail at all printed devices. Ornate back design with row of 10 contemporary One Krone coins at bottom. A touch of rust at the back center is all that detracts. PMG Choice Very Fine 35 Net. Rust.\$600-\$800

Thomas de la Rue 10 Sucres Composite Essay



ECUADOR

2069 Banco Central del Ecuador. 10 Sucres, 1.1.1928. P-NL. Composite Essay. Layered design model in Blue and multicolored mounted on wide margin board. A unique offering of this never adopted design that shows with monkeys in trees at center and sunset in foreground. Exceptional detail and a match to a 100 Sucres we are also offering. A must have for any collector of Ecuador. Uncirculated..... \$3000-\$5000

Never Utilized TDLR 100 Sucres Design Type



2070 Banco Central del Ecuador. 100 Sucres, 1.1.1928. P-NL. Composite Essay. Layered design model in purple and multicolored mounted to wide margin board. A continuation of this proposed series from the last lot with this 100 Sucres offering showing a detailed note-wide vignette with condors and mountain peaks. Sensational detail and color throughout and certainly an item that would highlight any collection it enters. Uncirculated..... \$4000-\$6000

Magnificent BWC National Bank of Egypt 100 Pounds Design



EGYPT

2071 National Bank of Egypt. 100 Pounds, 6.9.1913. P-16s. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers and small "CANCELLED," perforation. This large format design produced by Bradbury Wilkinson and Company would most certainly rank among the most beautiful banknote designs produced. A purple primary design incorporated intricate lathe styling and central vignette of a Citadel and mosque of Mohammed Ali at center. Multicolored guilloche at left and right and spanning the upper center. Yellow, red and green under-printed color. Back design again in purple with "100" counters at left and right and floral styling at center with framed under-printed design in multicolored. We have a hard time justifying the Very Fine grade by PMG as the circulation is incredibly faint. A note that will be a cornerstone in even the most advanced collections. **PMG Choice Very Fine 35 Net. Previously Mounted.\$15,000-\$25,000**



EGYPT

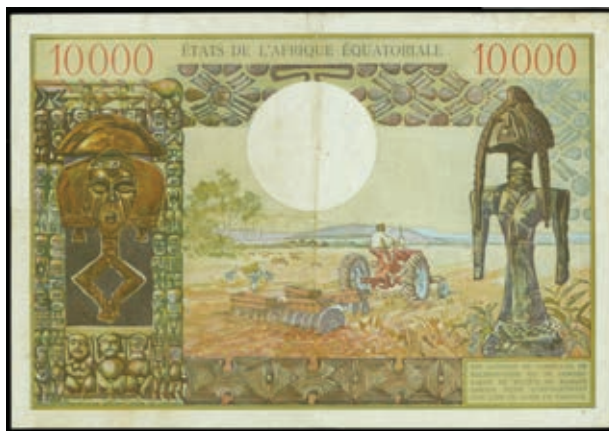
2072 Central Bank of Egypt. 20 Pounds, 5.7.1976. P-48. Original Pack. 100 pieces in lot. An impressive group of these modern 20 Pound designs. Typical minor handling of the lead and tail notes. About Uncirculated-Uncirculated..... \$1000-\$1500



EL SALVADOR

2073 Banco Internacional del Salvador. 500 Pesos, ND (18xx). P-S156s. Specimen. Specimen overprint and punch cancels printed by W&S. This outstanding large format type is the first we have handled for the catalog number and shows a detailed vignette of Mercury at left and woman seated pointing to a large splash of water. Ornate green frame with yellow under-print and green "500" protector. Back red with arms center and flanking "500" counters. A minor missing corner tip at lower right and small internal tear at upper left. Oval ink stamp at back at lower left. PMG Very Fine 25 Net. Corner Tip Missing, Internal Tear. \$800-\$1200

Scarce Bokassa 10,000 Francs



EQUATORIAL AFRICAN STATES

2074 Banque Centrale. 10,000 Francs, ND (1968). P-7. A stunning large format design and the highest denomination from the series. Standing vignette of President Bokassa at right in military dress. Rock Hotel, Bangui, C.A.R. in background with arms of the Central African Republic at lower left. A tear at top center is mentioned with the note being otherwise quite appealing. PMG Very Fine 25 Net. Tears. \$2000-\$3000



FAEROE ISLANDS

2075 **Danish Administration. 5 Kroner, 1940. P-10r. Remainder.** Without overprints. A nice match to the One Kroner remainder note we are also offering. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Previously Mounted.\$400-\$600**



2076 **Danish Administration. 100 Kroner, 1940. P-12r. Remainder.** Without overprints and typically only available as such. Striking color and detail throughout. Certainly a type that is quite elusive and does not appear often enough to satisfy collector demand. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Previously Mounted. \$1000-\$1500**



FIJI

2077 **Government of Fiji. 5 Shillings, 1.6.1951. P-37k.** An impressive example of this KGVII type that is the finest we have offered. Currently one of only a scant few at this grade level with none finer according to the PMG population report. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$500-\$700**



2078 **Government of Fiji. 1 Pound, 1.5.1965. P-53g.** An important offering of this QEII type and the finest we have seen or handled for the 1965 date. Lovely original paper and exceptional centering and margins. Currently the sole piece in the entire Uncirculated grade range of the PMG population report. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ. \$700-\$1000**



2079 **Central Monetary Authority. 10 Dollars, ND (1974). P-74c.** A difficult note in high grades and this lofty Gem state piece will certainly appeal to collectors. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$500-\$700**



2080 **Reserve Bank of Fiji. 50 Dollars, ND (1996). P-100s1. Specimen.** Specimen serial numbers and overprints. Fijian specimen notes are all quite scarce and this modern 50 Dollar design is nearly perfect. **PCGS Superb Gem New 68 PPQ.\$600-\$800**



FRANCE

2081 **Banque de France. 50 Francs, 13.8.1931. P-80a.** Subtle circulation and just a staple hole, mentioned by PMG, at left on this desirable large format 50 Francs type. **PMG About Uncirculated 50.\$300-\$500**



2082 **Banque de France. 50 Francs, 27.4.1933. P-80b.** Just a light vertical fold, some handling and staple holes as mentioned by PMG in the comments section of the holder to report on this attractive large format 50 Francs design. **PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58.\$500-\$700**



FRANCE

2083 Banque de France. 500 Francs, 6.2.1958. P-P-133b. Impressive color and quality throughout on this difficult Victor Hugo type. PCGS Gem New 65 PPQ.....\$300-\$500



FRENCH GUIANA

2085 Banque de la Guyane. 100 Francs, ND (1942). P-13s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A scarce design in any form and this pleasing piece shows vast detail and wonderful red under-printed color. PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 EPQ..... \$700-\$1000



2084 Banque de France. 5000 Francs, 2.1.1958. P-135a. A scarce 5000 Francs design type that is offered very infrequently at public auction. This example shows with great color and nicely embossed overprints. Some typical pinholes, mentioned on the holder, at left likely prevented PMG from applying an "EPQ" designation. PMG Extremely Fine 40.....\$500-\$700

Important French Guiana 1000 Francs Design



2086 Banque de la Guyane. 1000 Francs, ND (1942). P-15s. Specimen. Specimen overprint and serial numbers printed by E.A. Wright. Three punch cancels at the signature panels. Extremely large format likely intended for bank to bank transactions rather than a circulating medium. A rich green color fills the face design with vignettes of women seated at left and right. Bank name repeated continuously in under-printing. Back design shares a similar layout to face ornate border in brown and light brown under-prints. We sold another of the same grade as lot 57 in our August 2014 ANA sale which realized \$6,345. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ..... \$3000-\$5000



FRENCH INDIA

2087 **Banque de L'Indo-Chine. 50 Roupies, ND (1936). P-7s. Specimen.** (Jhun13.5.4) Specimen. A scarce and beautiful large format design that shows with stunning color intricate detail and nicely embossed inks. A touch of red ink at the upper left likely prevented a Gem assessment. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**\$1500-\$2500

Highly Scarce Haiphong Branch 100 Piastres



FRENCH INDO-CHINA

2088 **Banque de L'Indo-Chine. 100 Piastres, 6.5.1911. P-18. Haiphong.** Large format design printed in green and brown. This elusive type is scarce to rare in issued form with specimen notes being the typically offered format. The fully issued note here is seen with appeal that would rival a higher grade with mostly light and even circulation. A bit of rust from staple holes is reported but the note is otherwise distraction free. Certainly one of the finer available and an offering that likely will not be duplicated in the near future. **PMG Very Fine 30 Net. Rust.**.....\$1500-\$2500

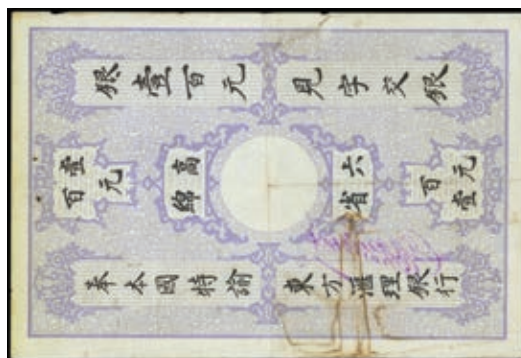
Rare 19th Century 20 Piastres



FRENCH INDO-CHINA

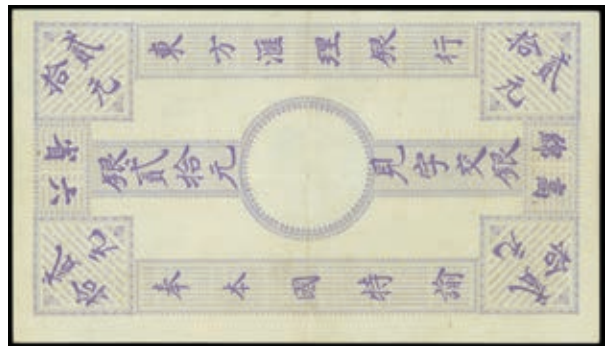
2089 Banque de L'Indo-Chine. 20 Piastres, 3.9.1898. P-30. Saigon. A magnificent offering of this rare design type and the first we have handled for the catalog number. Shown printed in a blue-gray color with manuscript signature at left. The note shows with a small repair at the left lower margin, some pinholes and minor staining. Even despite the problems, the appeal remains quite strong. A catalog number certainly missing in even advanced collections and a lot that will generate significant interest among collectors. PMG Very Fine 25 Net. Repaired, Pinholes, Stains..... \$2500-\$3500

Rare 1903 French Indo-China 100 Piastres



2090 Banque de L'Indo-Chine. 100 Piastres, 9.3.1903. P-32. Saigon. This remarkable offering is the first we have handled in issued form and shows in an exceptionally large format. Pillar design styling at left and right with ornate figures. Ships at sea lower center. Purple manuscript signature left with engraved at right. Some staining and minor rust at the staple holes are observed along with a few minor notches at the top margin. Overall pleasing quality for the technical grade and certainly a rarity that may prove our estimate conservative. PMG Very Fine 25 Net. Staining, Rust, Edge Damage..... \$3000-\$5000

Nearly Extremely Fine 1907 Saigon 20 Piastres



FRENCH INDO-CHINA

2091 **Banque de L'Indo-Chine. 20 Piastres, 16.3.1907. P-36.** Saigon. This note is one of an important quartet of early French Indo-China pieces we are offering and has grade we have never before seen for the catalog number. The note borders on an Extremely Fine state with light even circulation and striking detail remaining throughout. Close inspection reveals nicely embossed overprints and just a speck of rust at the staple hole at right. The last we handled was a PMG Very Fine 30 Net graded piece with significantly more dramatic problem areas, that note realized \$3,107 as lot 32393 in our April 2014 Hong Kong sale. This far more attractive note should easily eclipse that realization. **PMG Choice Very Fine 35 Net. Minor Rust.** \$3000-\$5000



FRENCH WEST AFRICA

2092 **Banque de L'Afrique Occidentale. 5000 Francs, 22.12.1950. P-43.** A rare offering of this large format design in a scrupulously preserved Gem state of preservation. The note retains fully original paper throughout and shows the intricate design in full detail. Nicely centered and the finest we have handled for the catalog number. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.** \$2000-\$3000



GAMBIA

2093 **Gambia Currency Board. 5 Pounds, ND (1965-70). P-3a.** Lovely color and near Gem quality on this Five Pound note. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.** \$400-\$600

IMPORTANT BRITISH SECURITY PRINTING & ENGRAVING HISTORY BOOKS FROM THE LIBRARY OF A DISTINGUISHED NUMISMATIST

Very Rare Society of Arts 1819 “Preventing the Forgery of Bank Notes”



GREAT BRITAIN

2094 "Report of the Committee of the SOCIETY OF ARTS, & c.....together with the approved communications, and evidence upon the same relative to the mode of Preventing the Forgery of BANK NOTES". London, 1819. Bound in Quarter Green Morocco Leather. Superb. A stellar and very rare volume, immaculate to behold and early: of great importance by textual content and engraved plates. Octavo. 17cm by 26cm. Finely bound in quarter green morocco leather with two raised bands by Sam Ellenport. Gilt edge titled "PREVENTING FORGERY OF BANK NOTES 1819". Complete, 72pp, plus three additional 57*, 58*, 59*. Six plates (one folding). Half title and full title page (named upper right). Printed by the order of the Society, with imprint T.C. Hansard, Printer. Etc... on title verso. Page 26, illustrated with Hansard's Bank of England typographical protective micro-letter devices. Plate I, opposite p32 : "T.C. Hansard's Plan for a Typographic Bank Note". Printed on delicate paper with embossed central coat of arms. Plate II, opposite p38. Wide margin proof impression plate on card. Bank of England sample note, vignette of seated female center, various devices and text. Signed vignettes and imprint of Lambert, Newcastle-on-Tyne. Plate III, opposite p50. Vertical plate on card stock dated June 4, 1818 and titled. Central vignette of helmeted warrior (style of Heath, Perkins, Fairman) and enclosed in security lathe bands. Plate II, opposite p56. Folding plate of improved printing press. Plate V, opposite p58* intense lathe same for signature area of note by Richard Williamson (with interleave). Stunning. Plate VI, opposite p58* consecutive to last. Steel engraving on card for back of notes by Williamson. Cursive "ONE" center. A fascinating work, complete and extremely rare and desirable thus. The interior condition is glorious, well printed and deeply embossed text pages. Plates choice overall with barest minimum of library soiling. All are now beautifully bound into a superbly crafted green morocco and complementary cloth volume. The first example we have enjoyed studying and cataloguing. \$1500-\$2500

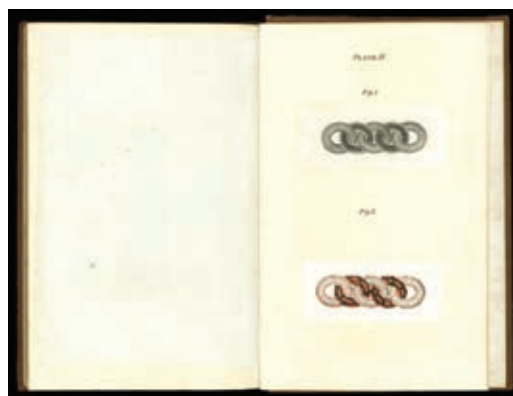
Exceedingly Rare and Important Perkins and Fairman's "Patent Siderographic Plan"



GREAT BRITAIN

2095 "Specimens and Descriptions of Perkins and Fairman's Patent Siderographic Plan, to Prevent Forgery. Being the Report as made to the Commissioners For preventing the Forgery of Bank Notes". London, Dec., 1819. Bound in Full Black Morocco. **Superb; Internally Fine.** Another superbly crafted bound volume in full black morocco by Sam Ellenport. Exceedingly rare and important. This is currently considered the sole example in private hands. One of sixty copies produced (see pVI introductory text), including this copy, with two being institutional library copies that are verified (Cambridge University, England and University of Glasgow, Scotland). The content, though cerebral, contains important correspondences during this period of Bank of England contract negotiations and trials with firms to better the security of the "Pound Note" known and used worldwide and through their Empire. Here, hopefully furthering Perkins and Fairman's aims towards to it and the lucrative Bank of England contract work. There are six engraved plates and those of course will be very appealing to British and world banknote collectors. Octavo, 15cm by 24cm. Full black morocco, gilt embossed edge ruling both covers. Spine with two raised bands, gilt titled PATENT SIDEROGRAPHIC PLAN 1819. Black and white inside cover marbled end papers. Half title and full title page. Intro [V], VI, VII, 45pp. Six plates (one folding). D. Cartwright, Printer at base p45. Six steel engraved plates follow. Plate I and IA: Bank of England Specimen notes. Vignettes and structure similar, different end lathes. Plate 2; Bank of England note, different vignettes including female profile die used on American FDU notes. Plate 3: Repeating oval Wellington dies and other duplicated die elements and lathe [note: an interesting plate and a variant used in the "Congreve"]. Plate 4: Ancient Greek bust (Socrates?) repeating in center, other Perkins, Fairman elements. [No Plate 5, and this appears to be as made; corresponding to plate structure in the Cambridge and Glasgow University library example]. Plate 6. Folding plate, into three panels, of Ancient Greek bust as last across center, top and bottom with intricate frieze panels. Gorgeous. Plates are sadly damp stained, heavily so at one upper wide corner. Text pages overall Very Fine, well embossed and original. Slight brittleness here and there, small corner chip at title pages. An integral volume with relevant ties across the pond and to Fairman's engraving work here in America. Originally, Ex Bowers & Merena Halpern-Warner Sale (for proofs the so-called "Rasmussen Sale"), March 6-7, 1997: 3166 and off the market since. A gorgeous Ellenport binding encompassing this historic security printing work. A treasure. **\$2500-\$3500**

Significant Volume of & Congreve's "...Principals of Security Against Forgery..." or "...the American Plan for a New Bank Note."



GREAT BRITAIN

2096 "An Analysis of The True Principals of Security Against Forgery; Exemplified By An Enquiry Into the Sufficiency of the American Plan For a New Bank Note; with Imitations of Four of the Most Difficult Specimens of those Notes, Made By Ordinary Means; By which it is proved that there is no adequate Security to be achieved in One Colour, in the present State of the Arts, and that the True Basis of Security is in the Due Application of Relief Engraving, and Printing in Two or More Colours". Sir William Congreve, Bart. Second Edition. London: 1820. Enclosed in Custom Three Quarter Morocco Solander Box. Very Fine. A superb presentation of this rare and important volume, very well preserved. Enclosed within a custom large octavo (18cm by 26.5cm by 3cm deep) solander box with marbled interior; tan three quarter morocco leather, marbled paper covers. Five raised spine bands with two gilt titled compartments. PRINCIPALS OF SECURITY AGAINST FORGERY and below, SIR WILLIAM CONGREVE. Octavo, 16cm by 24cm. Contemporary brown boards. Complete. (2), x, viii, 39, (1) pages. Eleven engraved plates with tissue guards with one color. Inside front cover with armorial pastedown plate "Congreve of Congreve". Imprint of Whiting, verso of p39. Internally strong, bright pages. Covers and spine properly strengthened and preserved professionally. Fascinating and understandable text of principals discussed and descriptions of the plates. Plate 1: Bank of the United States (2nd) counterfeit elements (India paper affixed to page). Plate 2: Ancient Greek Bust across, corners with Fairman. Heath female profile (identical to Perkins-Fairman plate previous volume). Plate 3: India paper elements on page, Ancient Greek bust center, various lathe. Plate 4: Wellington ovals repeating pattern (nearly identical to Plate 3 in Perkins-Fairman). Direct to card. Plate 5: India paper lathe elements on page, various. Plate 6: Full plate on card, allegorical vignettes and small vignette dies (style of Fairman, Draper, Underwood, Philadelphia, United States). Plate 7: India paper elements affixed to page, various lathe and elements. Plate 8: Bank of England sample note with Perkins elements and Fairman, Draper, Underwood style vignette. Perkins-Fairman ornate bordering. Plate 9: Bank of England note, similar in style to then current type dated July 16, 1819. Direct to card. Plate 10: India paper elements affixed to page. One vignette and lathe strips. Plate 11: India paper elements affixed to page. Five intersecting lathe chain links. Fig. 1 in black on white and Fig.2 in full-three color Congreve pattern. Very important plate. All warm and bright. Once again, the first we have studied in detail and catalogued. This significant work should elicit considerable interest from English and American collectors. \$3000-\$4000

Jacob Perkin's "Prevention of the Forgery of Bank Notes" Finely and Uniquely Bound with Other Important Perkins Scientific Extracts Presentation Copy to Charles Toppan, 1821



GREAT BRITAIN

- 2097 "Prevention of the Forgery of Bank Notes" bound (with) "Warming and Ventilating Rooms, (with) Ventilating the Holds of Ships", (with) "Hose For Fire Engines", "Improved Ships' Pump", (and with) "Drawing Off the Back Water from the Water Wheels". All Submitted and Awarded Essays by Jacob Perkins. [London], Various March Dates, 1820. Quarter Leather on Marbled Boards. Enclosed in Custom Three Quarter Morocco Solander Box. Very Fine. As are all the volumes in the collection, a masterful and well preserved presentation enhancing visual presentation with highest archival technology and artistry. The original Perkins contained within a large octavo (17.5cm by 24cm by 4cm deep) solander box, three quarter light brown morocco leather with matching covers and interior marbling. Raised bands separate compartments, contrasting leather labels that are gilt titled "Society of Arts, Manufacturers and Commerce" below "Jacob Perkins". The original Perkins is octavo, 13.5cm by 21cm. Contemporary marbled boards with new quarter calf spine, straight gilt embossed bands. Complete. (2), 22 pages. Eight engraved plates, first two with tissue guards. Internally bright and choice. Some plates with hints of foxing here and there. The book extremely well preserved and protected with strong leather binding upon the original boards boasting lovely original marbling. A presentation copy to Charles Toppan (cited by Hessler as a cousin, twice removed) with inscription as such on page (2): "Charles Toppan/London Feb'y 17, 1821". The bank note essay encompasses pages 1-10 with two engraved security printing plates following page 22. Plate 1 and 2: Opposite, identical, double plate with medallion profile female portrait, titled "PERKINS, FAIRMAN & HEATH/SIDEROGRAPHIA". Top vignette as used on FDU and British private notes. Britannia oval dies, lathe and ancient frieze (dies of course similar to those used in other titles' plates). There are six plates relating to the mechanical transactions. Extremely important content on all fronts. The bank note siderographic presentation directly relates to the Society of Arts, Perkins, Fairman and Heath and to the prior volumes. The other mechanical essays are of great importance as well and the genius Jacob Perkins gathered several prestigious medals, silver and gold for his work. This final Perkins volume completes a quartet that very much ties together as a suite of primary source material from the 1819-1820 siderographic technology presentations in London at that time. According to the consignor, this is the only such example known with the complete transactions of Perkin's presentations to the Society of Arts and bound together. It is impressive to behold. A unique and extremely important volume, presented to its fullest advantage with superb binding, presentation and custom solander box. Magnificent is clearly accurate, both aesthetically and historically.\$7000-\$9000

Extremely Rare 1820 J. H. Ibbetson's "Practical View.....Better Protecting Bank-Notes"



GREAT BRITAIN

2098 "Practical View of an Invention for the Better Protecting Bank-Notes Against Forgery. Illustrated by Various Specimens." **John Holt Ibbetson, Esq. London: 1820. Marbled Boards Bound in Period Quarter Calf. Very Fine.** The "1820" Ibbetson (not to be confused with "...Eccentric Circular Turning" and extremely rare. Two traced by the consignor in private hands including this impressive example. We have never seen or handled one physically until now. Medium octavo, 14.5cm by 22cm. Marbled boards, period quarter calf with embossed gilt IBBETSON ON FORGERY. Left front plate on India paper with experimental 5 Pound note. Title page with imprint of A. Hancock, Holborn at base (blank verso), 68 pages. 17 plates with one full color, additional twelve concentric circle dies on slips tipped to pages. Six plates at the end are verso endorsed "Wm. Hartley, Tenterden Street, Bury, Lancashire". Very Fine copy with some expert archival restoration. New end papers front and back. Some scattered soiling on some pages near the back. A charming book and rather underrated in our view. The concentric geometric dies displayed exhibit great technological achievement. The color plate is visually stunning. Ibbetson missed the boat and was too late to be in consideration during the Society of Arts presentations and subsequent findings. He of course was disappointed. Once again, very charming visually and with multiple Kolbe pedigrees. Resided in the library of astute North Carolina currency scholar J. Roy Pennell (he wrote the North Carolina book) at a cost of \$325.00 in 1984. Later sold in 1996 Henry Morris sale by George F. Kolbe (at \$770.00), and in his June 2005 Craig & Smith Library, lot 25. The only other example traced was in the Champa library, but with fewer plates. Complements the suite of Society of Arts related volumes here perfectly; forming a illustrious quintet of 1819-1821 British Security Printing books. **\$1500-\$2500**

2099 **British House of Commons Reports of the Commissioners Regarding Preventing Forgery of Bank Notes and Related, 1818-1820. Lot of (3) Self Covered Reports. Very Fine.** 1) "Report from the Committee on Mr. Bradbury's Petition Relative to Machinery for Engraving and Etching". 4pp. Tall folio, printed verso docket. Natural folds. 20cm by 33cm. 2-3) Pair of reports, as ordered by the House of Commons. The first, a preliminary report dated January 22, 1819 (4pp) and a final report (2pp) dated February 18, 1820. Tall folio, printed verso docket. Natural folds. 20cm by 33cm. The astute commissioners were not heeded. Congreve, who of course published his own findings in his treatise, made strong recommendations for steel plate printing and color usage. Bank of England went with more inept, rubber stamped workmanship of Applegarth and Cowper. Natural docket folds, but essentially as made. Rarely encountered primary source material. **\$250-\$350**



GREAT BRITAIN

2100 "Sir William Congreve's Plans For the Prevention of Forgery." An extract from Ackermann's Repository of the Arts, Literature, Fashions....etc. Extract Pages from Bound Volume with Three Interleaved Color Plates. Very Fine. March 1, 1822, Vol. XIII, No.LXXV. Octavo, pp141-147 (148). Pages extracted from the annual bound volume. Text with citations of Congreve's participation as a commissioner in 1820 on bank note security matters. Interleaved are three uniface lithographed proof sample impressions of sample notes with Congreve patent color bordering. Rare and the plates are exceptionally vibrant. Good things come in small packages. Once again, something we have not catalogued in nearly three decades of close study of American and world security printing. The individual plates are rarely seen, but with their extract text pages, extremely rare.\$700-\$900

2102 "Siderographic Specimen of the Plan for the Preventing of Forgery of Bank Notes submitted to the Bankers of the United Kingdom By Perkins, Fairman & Heath. 69 Fleet Street, London". Double Sided Advertising Plate. Very Fine. Individual engraved advertising plate extracted from Ackermann's "Repository" (pencil notation on back bottom edge). Face and back direct printed to thin card stock using hardened steel plate. Imprint of Perkins, Fairman & Heath. Oblong, octavo. 19.0cm by 9.5cm with wide margining all sides. Face, black engraving only on card. Center, American styled Minerva standing, now supporting the British shield. Top, cherubs as used on FDU American die. Small dies, side tall vignettes, and counters. Back, all in deep blue. Interlocking oval lathe across center and at sides. Quartet of female profile vignettes, cherubs top and bottom. Rarely offered and first we have catalogued. Some minor foxing spots or rust, these are generally confined to the perimeter. Ex Gene Hessler Collection.\$500-\$700



2101 "On Sir W Congreve's Bank-Note, Stamps." An extract letter to the editor from Ackermann's Repository of the Arts, Literature, Fashions....etc. Extract Pages from Bound Volume with Three Interleaved Plates. Very Fine. June 1, 1822, Vol. XIII, No.LXXVIII. Octavo, pp. (345), 346-349, (350). Pages extracted from the annual bound volume. Letter to the editor in response to Congreve's work. Controversy over Congreve's and Perkins work continued on into 1822. Interleaved into the letter and a response are three plates. Uniface black and white One Pound Commercial Bank sample plate note, back design for the note with blue color bordering, and watermark style for the note. Very interesting trio of plates. Complements the Congreve sample notes in the prior lot well. First we have offered and fascinating to have the plates complete with the proper text extract.\$500-\$700



2103 "Plate 1" with Imprint of Perkins, Fairman & Heath, London, Patent Steel Hardened Plate. Intaglio Engraved with Nine Vignette Elements. Fine. Printed on India paper only. Horizontal format, 19.5cm by 15.0cm. Imprint at base. Nine numerical vignettes, mixed American and British dies. Minerva with Lion at top center. Central vignette similar to FDU main vignette used on American obsolete. The plate from an unknown vignette book or series. Fold wear and small perimeter repairs.\$400-\$600



GREAT BRITAIN

2104 "Plate II" with Imprint of Perkins, Fairman & Heath-By The Kings Patent. Intaglio Engraved with Nine Vignette Elements. Very Fine. Printed on India paper only, affixed to page. Vertical format, 15.0cm by 19.0cm. Vignetted imprint at base, patent in scroll. Nine numerical vignettes (10-18), mixed American and British dies. Central vignette of Justice. Wellington die seen in the Congreve and other books. The plate from an unknown vignette book or series. Note, numerically follows the prior plate, but the size format and imprint differ radically. Modest toning only, else handsome.\$400-\$600

Rare and Fine Example of Ibbetson's Classic "Specimens of Eccentric Circular Turning" With "Supplemental Engravings"

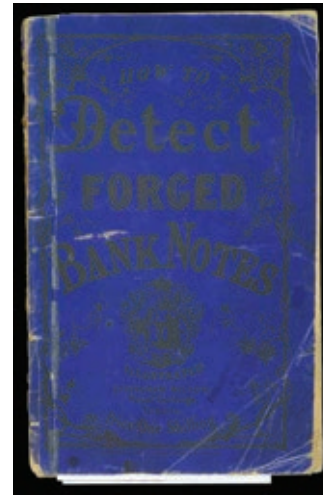


2105 "Specimens of Eccentric Circular Turning, With Practical Instructions For Producing Corresponding Pieces in the Art. John Holt Ibbetson, Esq. Third Edition. (c.1838). London. Original Patterned Boards with Label. Enclosed in Custom Three Quarter Leather Solander Box. Fine. Another rare book with fascinating original board covers. The classic Ibbetson title and of the few we have seen, always with some differences between the books we have observed. Very tastefully presented once again in a large octavo (19.5cm by 26cm by 4cm deep) solander box, three quarter dark brown morocco. Matching cover and interior cloth marbling. Raised band separate contrasting gilt titled compartments: SPECIMENS IN ECCENTRIC CIRCULAR TURNING; JOHN HOLT IBBETSON and 1838 with embossed gilt emblems in between. The Ibbetson itself. Octavo, 15cm by 23cm. Original brown boards with relief patterns of leaves and lightning bolts (? , a fascinating and eclectic patterning). Affixed front cover pastedown with extracted title and price "Twenty Shillings". Frontis, two folding plates of machinery. Title page with concentric sample; verso imprint of A. Hancock, Holborn (printed his earlier 1820 work also). Paged: i-iv, 5-176, 2 interleaved plates, six engraved intaglio plates, ten concentric pattern plates near back. There are also four concentric circular elements on separate slips, apparently once pinned into the top of the title page of this book; these now smartly slipped into a square recessed compartment within the solander box. Well illustrated throughout with concentric patterns, circles and other geometric forms. Internally quite fine, mostly petty impairments or slightly skewed pages as originally bound. Very much superior content to a cited example owned by J. Roy Pennell and sold by Kolbe in 1996. The book's arrangement is a bit complex and the science of course more so, of course that is for the scientist to discern. However, the concentric, eccentric and other type circular rulings. That are heavily illustrated, make this is an enticing and quite visual reference. Finely enclosed in a beautiful solander box and boasting rather distinctive original covers.\$1000-\$1500

Very Rare 1855 Smith's Watermark Work



Original Covers 1855 Smith's Watermark Work



GREAT BRITAIN

2106 "How to Detect Forged Bank Notes." By W. H. Smith. London, 1855. Bound in Modern Cloth. Internally Fine. Small octavo, 13.5cm by 21.5cm. Bound smartly in modern violet moiré cloth, gilt spine titled FORGED BANKNOTES W.H. SMITH 1855. Contents are complete, missing original card covers and page order slightly differs. Title, verso with imprint of Chambers & Sons, dedication (blank), inserted two uniface color plates of lithographed old and new Bank of England 5 Pound watermarks, 3-16 (p4 blank). Three watermark samples interleaved between 6-7. Very rare work, diminutive and attractive. Externally virtually new cloth, but internally showing some use. Some internal flaws, reattachments with archival tape, some brittleness at perimeter of some pages and library notations. Very well pedigreed. Ex blind stamped Baker Library Harvard University and penciled verso title page "Columbia University Library". The opposing plates at the front of the book are quite fetching. Ex Morris Library Sale and Adams Library Sale, both by Kolbe. Excellent presentation of this important content work on Smith's "light and share watermarking"\$600-\$900

2107 "How to Detect Forged Bank Notes." By W. H. Smith. London, 1855. Original Blue Card Covers. Good. A second example of this important work on watermarks. As originally made, however with the caveat that this great rarity has seen some use. Small octavo, 14.0cm by 22.0cm. Original blue card covers, front gilt titled, arms with price and distributor. Complete. Inside front cover, inserted two uniface color plates of lithographed old and new Bank of England 5 Pound watermarks as positioned properly. Title, verso with imprint of Chambers & Sons, dedication (blank), 3-16 (p4 blank). Three watermark samples interleaved between 6-7. Inside back cover with John Smith Bank Note Mold Maker advertisement. Worn, considerably so on the front cover, some mixed tape repairs on brittle pages. However, very rare and original format and contents. The plates are excellent. Only two copies of Smith tracked by the consigner as sold since 1980 and both are in this sale. An exceptional pedigree: Boys Town Philamatic Center (pastedown back of first plate), Armand Champa Library Part IV, November 28, 1995, lot 4248 (tag enclosed). Ex David Sklow Sale February, 2009, lot 705. Achieves big points for originality and pedigrees.\$400-\$500

GREAT BRITAIN



2108 "On The Security and Manufacture of Bank Notes" Delivered to the Royal Institution of Great Britain. Henry Bradbury, Esq. M.R.I. May 9, 1856 First or Early Off Print. Self Covered. Very Fine. Octavo, self covered, 14.0cm by 22.5cm. pp1-11, (12). Titled at top of face page. One page is uncut. Very interesting and important speech by Bradbury which immediately takes note of the 1819 "The Committee" and the plague upon of the Bank of England One Pound note forgeries. He interestingly discusses American siderography with a tone towards respect for their great technology. However, he also points out that bank notes are created by the states (actually banks within states) and counterfeiters actually create notes more often than counterfeit (that is "spurious") notes. This is an interesting, independent early printing. The presentation was gradually expanded and published in book form with plates. This is a rare extract and important Bradbury historical item.\$300-\$500

Beautifully Bound Example of Expanded Bradbury's 1856 "On the Security and Manufacture of Bank Notes"



2109 "On the Security and Manufacture of Bank Notes-A Lecture As Delivered at the Royal Institution of Great Britain, Albemarle Street, Friday Evening May 9, 1856. His Grace the Duke of Northumberland in the Chair. Henry Bradbury, Esq. M.R.I. Published by Bradbury & Evans, 1856. Superbly Bound in Quarter Leather with Marbled Boards. Internally Fine. Rare work, expertly conserved and bound now very nicely to strengthen and beautify by Gabrielle Fox, Cincinnati, Ohio. Quarto, 22.5cm by 28.5 cm. Green quarter morocco with green marbled pattern boards, plain end papers. Gilt titled spine BANK NOTES HENRY BRADBURY. Additional end pages to thicken volume. Inside front cover library paste down. The book is complete with original paper covers bound in, olive green, these are a bit brittle. Pages (vi), 30, three engraved wide margin intaglio proof plates on cards with tissue guards. Plates 1 and 3 are similar Bank of England 10 Pound sample notes, but the last with color added to it. Plate 2 is for a mock 100 Pound Bank of England note. Expanded text from the original speech and well footnoted. Minor internal handling only and some perimeter cover brittleness as made and previously noted. Very few copies cited, one being from the Bass Library. This is a stellar presentation by Fox, distinctive, and important Bradbury content with excellent plates. Significant and this is so much, much rarer than many Bradbury banknotes. A key treatise from this period in exceptional format. \$2500-\$3500

Very Rare Bradbury's "Specimens of Bank Note Engraving" in its Original and Intricate Full Green Leather Binding



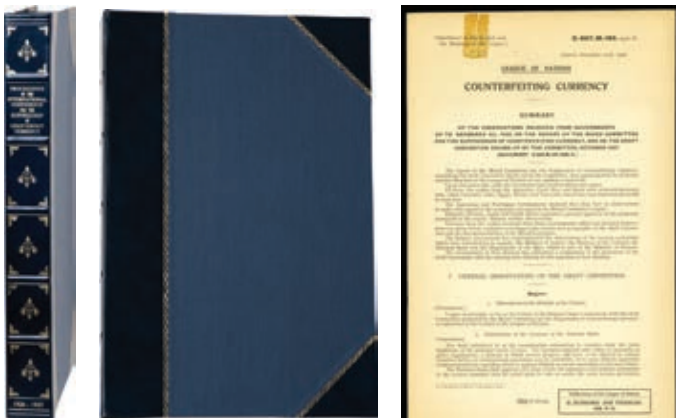
GREAT BRITAIN

- 2110 "Specimens of Bank Note Engraving & c. & c. & c. Designed and Executed by Henry Bradbury, M.R.I.". London, 1860. **Presentation Copy in Original Full Green Morocco. Very Fine.** A glorious Bradbury volume and created as special presentation type with an engraved "Presentation Copy" frontis page. Inscribed and signed by Henry Bradbury "with compliments" at upper of right of front interleave. Quarto, 21.5cm by 28.cm. Full original green morocco. Embossed gilt perimeter lines front and back. Front and back gilt garter emblems, HENRY BRADBURY'S on garter in reversed on green; title gilt within. Five raised bands with compartments. Gilt titled SPECIMENS OF BANK NOTE ENGRAVING. Turned in gilt floral edges to inside covers. Gilt edge pages and interleaves, the interleaves are thicker paper. Presentation emblem page, title page and plates on thinner proofing paper. Bradbury intro on thick page 5. Plates printed by Bradbury & Evans, Whitefriars on thinner, special paper. Plates I-XXXIV are assorted elements, concentric, eccentrics, bands, bands with titles, "water grounds" etc.; Plate XXXV (2) Watermark Groundwork in black and in full vibrant blue; Plate XXXVI (2), Different Watermark, both in black; Plates XXXVII-XLII additional bands and groundwork; Plates XLIII-XLV are vignettes; Unnumbered plates (13): Coats of Arms (1); Bank Note uniface essay proofs. Bank of Scotland 100 Pounds, Bank Maua & Cia., Montevideo 1 Onza, Banco Do Brazil (7, different denominations 1A and 2A series), Bank Maua & Cia., Rosario, 1 Onza and 2 Pesos, Bank of England 10 Pounds and 100 Pounds sample notes as included in 1856 Bradbury Speech. Following is single text page, "Bank Note Paper-Manufacture" by T. H. Saunders. Six watermark plates on special paper with Saunder's special interleaves including two watermarks in color. Total 66 Plates with just a few pages of inserted texts. A gorgeous volume overall, internally and externally. Still fully original with some minor, natural cover wear and petty scuffs. Internally bright, vibrant and exciting. The Banco do Brazil, Bank of England sample notes, and Maua & Co. essays are quite important. There is a diverse discourse across the plates of numerous elements, bands, circles and the like. A treatise for the serious student and collector of Bradbury notes that very rarely meets the gavel. Numismatic book collectors of course recognize this as a lovely volume when they see it. We have only encountered one other example and that is in a private collector research library. This beauty was last sold in Bowers & Merena Halpern-Warner Sale (the so-called "Rasmussen Sale"), March 6-7, 1997: 3167 where it justifiably realized a hefty \$1,375. Off the market now for nearly eighteen years and worth considerably more with the impressive growth in world banknote collecting and particularly the craftsmanship of Bradbury and Wilkinson banknotes. **\$6000-\$8000**

GREAT BRITAIN

2111 "Means of Imparting Security to Bank Notes and other Security Documents & c." Patent Extract for Alfred Edwin Bawtree Patent No.27,763. London, Nov. 29, 1911. Fine. Self covered. Small quarto, 18cm by 25.5cm. 6pp, back page blank. One specification drawing. Manchester Free Library oval stamp at top left of cover. Obscure patent with one drawing, but rare.\$40-\$60

Very Rare League of Nations Counterfeit Suppression Reports



2112 "Proceedings of the International Conference for the Suppression of Counterfeit Currency." 1926-1937. Various, (9) Reports, all Enclosed in Custom Blue Folio Three Quarter Leather Solander Box. Mixed Condition, Overall Very Fine. A rare and unique grouping of international counterfeit suppression reports, all very rarely encountered. All nine reports smartly enclosed custom made folio size solander box (25cm by 37cm by 4cm deep), three quarter blue leather, with interior red-blue marbling. Handsome and distinctive. Published reports, meetings and findings by the League of Nations, Geneva. Card covers or self-wrappers. Generally in French with English translations where applicable. 1) "Proceedings of the International Conference for the Adoption of a Convention for the Suppression of Counterfeiting Currency". Geneva, April 9th to 20th, 1929. Full volume. Tall, small folio. Olive green card covers. Published 1930. 302pp. French with English translations. First we have seen. Amazing that the delegates could all talk and talk and talk for 12 days on this subject. But, they were on expense accounts. Important resolutions discussed and passed. Some very light edge tone, but essentially as made. 2-4) Suppression of Counterfeiting Currency. Preliminary Reports. Various dates, 1928, 1929, and 1931. The first with scotch tape patched tear at top of cover. 5-7) Financial Committee Reports (3). Various, 1926 dates. 8) "Mixed Committee for the Suppression of Counterfeiting Currency" Geneva, 1927. Small quarto. Brown card covers. 24pp. Mostly French. 9) Jurists Report on Falsification of Securities. 1937. An impressive gathering and reports we have not seen or handled before. The ornate blue solander box presentation is elegant and stores the mylar sleeved reports neatly and archival. Primary research material from this period that should appeal to collectors of European banknotes in the tumultuous 1920s-1930s time frame. Like the vast majority of items from this collection, basically irreplaceable.\$800-\$1200



2113 Bank of England. 5 Pounds, 9.4.1925. P-320s. Proofs? 2 pieces in lot. An interesting pairing that offers one piece exhibiting the basic design and an inked interpretation of the watermark. Second piece with only the basic design elements and shadowing of the watermark. Handling mostly accounts for the grade. **SOLD AS IS/ NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY.** About Uncirculated.\$2500-\$3500



2114 United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland. 60 Silver Piastres, ND (1915). P-348b. Prefix Z7. Turkish overprint in black. A seldom available type and offered here with a correct prefix. Mostly even circulation and just some pinholes to report. A frequently counterfeited type with offerings of genuine examples such as this quite scarce. Fine.\$2000-\$3000



2115 Bank of England. 1 Pound, ND. P-374g. Serial Number Mismatch. One of two Choice Uncirculated examples of this appealing error type. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.\$500-\$700

END OF COLLECTION



GREAT BRITAIN

2116 Bank of England. 1 Pound, ND. P-374g. Serial Number Mismatch. (B321/323) An appealing example of this mismatched serial number error. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.....\$500-\$700



2117 Bank of England. 5 Pounds, ND (1963-71). P-375s. Specimen. (B297s/312s) Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A difficult to obtain specimen note that shows here with striking color and detail. Mounting remnants at left. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Previously Mounted. \$800-\$1200



2118 Bank of England. 5 Pounds, ND (1971-88). P-378s. Specimen. (B334s/345s) Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A seldom available specimen on this design type. A stain at the right upper margin is mentioned. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Stained.\$600-\$800

**Number One Elizabeth II
20 Pound Note**



2119 Bank of England. 20 Pounds, ND (1993-99). P-387a. Serial Number 1. (B374) An important offering that bears a coveted serial number of AA11 000001. The first we have handled for the design type and certainly a piece that would enhance any collection it enters. Mainly handling accounts for the grade. PMG About Uncirculated 55..... \$1500-\$2500



GADELOUPE

2120 Banque de la Guadeloupe. 25 Francs, ND (1942). P-22s. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers and overprints printed by E.A. Wright. Outstanding quality and seen with picture perfect centering and margins. PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.....\$400-\$600



GUADELOUPE

2121 **Banque de Guadeloupe. 500 Francs, ND (1942). P-24s. Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A rare design type showing with a detailed vignette of the Santa Maria ship at left and red under-prints. Back seen with ornate brown frame and central vignette of a water plane at center and green under-prints. Extremely well centered and one of a fantastic group of specimens we are offering of E.A. Wright produced designs. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**..... \$2000-\$3000

2122 **Banque de la Guadeloupe. 500 Francs, ND (1942). P-25s. Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers printed by E.A. Wright. A significant offering of this masterful design type showing in nearly a square format with large vignette of the Santa Maria at the lower left. Bold red under-printing repeats the bank name while the back shows the same detail but in green with compass at center. We sold another Gem example of this specimen as lot 68 in our August 2014 ANA sale which brought \$4,406. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ**..... \$2500-\$3500

Rare Guadeloupe 1,000 Francs E.A. Wright Produced Design



2123 **Banque de la Guadeloupe. 1000 Francs, ND (1942). P-26s. Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A rare large format design type that shows with a detailed central profile vignette of Karukera at center. Appealing blue under-prints and intricate lathe work at the borders. Strong quality and a type certainly missing in even advanced collections. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ**..... \$2500-\$3500



GUATEMALA

2124 Banco Central de Guatemala. 1 Quetzal, 19.9.1942. P-14a. A condition rarity that is the finest we have seen or handled for the catalog number. A magnificent W&S design that shows with a vignette of a farm in the foreground of mountains with Quetzal birds at left and right. Lovely centering and deeply embossed overprints help confirm the lofty Gem grade. Currently tied for the finest certified by PMG with three equals. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$600-\$800

2126 Banco Agrícola Hipotecario. 500 Pesos, ND (18xx). P-S106s. Specimen. Specimen overprint and punch cancels. Large format printed by W&S. This rare note is the first we have handled for the design and an impressive one it is. A detailed vignette of Neptune in chariot lies at left with lower right showing a woman in chariot drawn by lions. multicolored under-print with outlined "500" at right. An oval ink stamp is seen at back and a few mostly minor margin tears are observed. PMG Very Fine 25 Net. Tears.\$600-\$800



2127 Banco de Guatemala. 100 Pesos, 2.1.1912. P-S147c. A terrific large format design and offered here bordering on an Extremely Fine state. A spot of ink is observed and mentioned by PMG in the comments section of the holder. PMG Choice Very Fine 35.\$300-\$500



2125 Banco Central de Guatemala. 10 Quetzales, 4.11.1941. P-17a. One of two remarkable examples we are offering for this Waterlow and Sons produced series. The 10 Quetzales offered here is the most pleasing we have handled and offers strictly original paper, vibrant inks and lovely centering and margins. Tropical vignette at left center with water and mountains in the background. Stone bridge depicted at back in red with heavy lathe styling surrounding. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$1500-\$2500



HONDURAS

2128 El Banco Atlántida. 2 Lempiras, 1.3.1932. P-S122a. Stunning color and detail on this more challenging 10 Lempiras denomination. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.\$300-\$500



INDIA

2129 **Government of India. 10 Rupees, 27.4.1918. P-A10f.** Calcutta. The appeal of an Extremely Fine note with light even circulation. Great detail throughout and only lightly pressed. **Choice Very Fine.**.....\$500-\$700

2132 **Reserve Bank of India. 1000 Rupees, ND (1975). P-65a.** (Jhun6.9.4.1) This appealing large format type shows lovely color and mostly light circulation. Typical ink stamps and at issue staple holes. **PMG Very Fine 30 Net. Edge and Internal Damage, Foreign Substance.**.....\$400-\$600



2130 **Reserve Bank of India. 100 Rupees, ND (1943). P-20e.** (Jhun4.7.2B) Calcutta. These 100 Rupee notes are scarce in lightly circulated grades such as this and just a typical staple and spindle hole at left detract. Consecutive to another in the same grade we are offering. **PMG About Uncirculated 50.**.....\$400-\$600

2133 **P.O.W. Group 1, Bangalore. 1, 2 & 4 Annas, ND. P-NL.** 3 pieces in lot. An impressive trio of these scarce P.O.W. notes with both the One and Two Anna notes in Extremely Fine Grades and the Four Annas in Very Fine. Highly scarce and seldom offered in such a pleasing set. **Very Fine & Extremely Fine.**..... \$800-\$1200



2131 **Reserve Bank of India. 100 Rupees, ND (1943). P-20e.** (Jhun4.7.2B) Calcutta. Just trivial circulation on this 100 Rupees note and consecutive to the previous lot. Spindle and staple hole at left. **PMG About Uncirculated 50.**.....\$400-\$600

Elusive One Toman Second Issue



IRAN

- 2134 **Imperial Bank of Persia. 1 Toman, 10.4.1900. P-1b.** Quite appealing detail and color throughout with only some repairs limited mostly to the margins observed. Arguably one of the most appealing series of banknotes that BWC has produced. **PMG Very Fine 30 Net. Repaired.**..... \$3000-\$5000

About Uncirculated Two Tomans



- 2135 **Imperial Bank of Persia. 2 Tomans, ND (1890-1923). P-2.** Although a lower numerical grade than the PMG 53 piece we are offering, this present example exhibits only minor repairs in comparison. Bold color and detail and certainly a piece that will enhance any collection. **PMG About Uncirculated 50 Net. Repaired.** \$2500-\$3500



IRAN

2136 Imperial Bank of Persia. 2 Tomans, ND (1890-1923). P-2. A rarely offered Two Tomans design that shows here with fantastic color and appeal throughout. Light circulation but hindered by some reconstruction with the lower left being the most affected area. PMG About Uncirculated 53 Net. Reconstruction.....\$1500-\$2500



2137 Imperial Bank of Persia. 2 Tomans, ND (1890-1923). P-2. This note is quite close in numbering to another Two Toman we are offering and unfortunately suffers the same reconstruction with the most affect area being at left. Quite appealing despite the flaw and from a series which presents some of the most appealing designs in currency. PMG About Uncirculated 50 Net. Reconstruction, Previously Mounted.\$1500-\$2500

Payable at Yezd Five Tomans



2138 Imperial Bank of Persia. 5 Tomans, 28.11.1910. P-3. Payable at Yezd. One of the more important Persian notes we are offering with this Five Tomans denomination retaining excellent detail and color at the face design. Fairly extensive repairs are however seen, being mostly at the margins. Quite typical for this series and incredibly rare to locate without. **Very Fine.** \$4000-\$6000



IRAN

2139 Imperial Bank of Persia. 10 Tomans, 11.7.1928. P-14. Payable at Teheran. Always a scarce 10 Toman design with this piece showing nice color and overall appeal despite the flaws mentioned by PMG. PMG Very Fine 20 Net. Repaired, Rust, Erasure..... \$1500-\$2500

2141 Bank Meli. 1000 Rials, AH1314 (1935). P-30a. Signatures in both German and Farsi. This elusive large format ABN design is typically available in specimen form. Issued notes are highly scarce and this mid-grade example only suffers from extensive repairs at the margins. PMG Very Fine 20 Net. Repaired. \$2000-\$3000



2140 Bank Meli. 100 Rials, AH1311 (1932). P-22. This rare 100 Rials design shows with Shah Reza with a high cap at right and Persepolis at left. Nice color and detail with only some minor repairs noticed. PMG Very Fine 30 Net. Repaired. \$2500-\$3500

2142 Bank Meli. 1000 Rials, AH1314 (1935). P-30b. Signatures in Farsi. A nice match to the P-30a 1000 Rials we are offering in a similar grade. This example shows with vivid green color and strong detail throughout for the grade. Seen with typical for the type repairs. PMG Very Fine 25 Net. Repaired. \$2000-\$3000



2145 Bank Meli. 1000 Rials, AH1317 (1938). P-38Aa. Western serial number, Persian text. Issued notes of this catalog number are seldom available and when so are typically plagued with repairs. This problem free offering goes against that trend and displays nicely embossed inks and vibrant color. PMG About Uncirculated 50. \$1500-\$2500



2146 Bank Meli. 1000 Rials, AH1317 (1938). P-38As. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers, annotation and punch cancel. An always outstanding large format design that shows here with striking color and detail. Nicely matched to the 500 Rial specimen in the previous lot and mentioned with only a bit of black ink at back center and what PMG calls "Foreign Substance." PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Foreign Substance, Ink. \$1500-\$2500

IRAN

2143 Bank Meli. 100 Rials, AH1317 (1938). P-36Aa. 2 pieces in lot. Consecutive pair. Western serial numbers. A rarely offered consecutive pair of these brown 100 Rial notes. PMG mentions "Minor Repairs," on both and one also the comment "Paper Damage," which looks to be a bit of lifted paper at the lower right. Despite the aforementioned problems, the appeal is still very strong. PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 Net & Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. \$2500-\$3500



2144 Bank Meli. 500 Rials, AH1317 (1938). P-37s. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers, annotation and punch cancel. This note mates perfectly to a 1000 Rial specimen note we are offering from this three quarters facing Shah Riza series. Well embossed inks and just a touch of circulation. PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58. \$1500-\$2500



IRAN

2147 **Bank Melli. 500 Rials, ND (1944). P-45.** A highly difficult type to locate in these lightly circulated and problem free states. This example is very bright and retains great detail throughout. **PMG About Uncirculated 53**.....\$2000-\$3000



IRELAND

2148 **Central Bank of Ireland. 50 Pounds, 1.11.1982. P-74a.** A pack fresh and well centered example of this popular high denomination type. **PCGS Superb Gem New 67 PPQ**.....\$600-\$800

Rare Inverted Signature Error



ISRAEL

2149 **Israel Government. 100 Pruta, ND (1952). P-12d. Inverted Signature.** Inverted left signature of A. Neeman. A rare error note and the first we have offered. Seen with just a vertical fold and light tone. An important item for any comprehensive collector. **PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 Net. Stained**..... \$2000-\$3000



ISRAEL

- 2150 Bank of Israel. 500 Pruta & 1 to 50 Lirot, 1955. P-24s to 28s. Specimens. 5 pieces in lot. Specimen serial numbers and overprints printed by TDLR. A scarce set of these Bank of Israel specimen notes with all showing with some light soiling and paper wrinkling. Vast detail on each and seldom available. **Extremely Fine**.....\$2000-\$3000
- 2151 Central Bank of Cyprus. 20 Pounds, 1.4.2004. P-63c. 5 pieces in lot. Consecutive run. Typical crimp on each at the top of the security strip. **Uncirculated**.....\$400-\$600



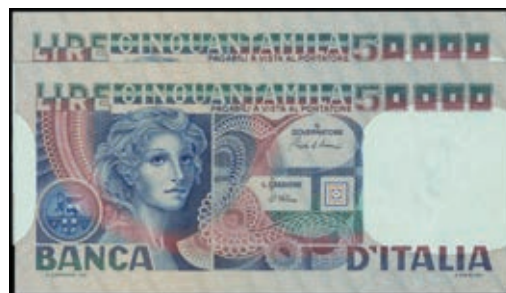
ITALIAN SOMALILAND

- 2152 Cassa Per La Circolazione Monetaria Della Somalia. 10 Somali, 1950. P-13a. Light circulation and still bright detail and color throughout. Some blue ink at top center is observed and mentioned by PMG in the comments section of the holder. **PMG About Uncirculated 50**.....\$300-\$500



ITALY

- 2153 Banca D'Italia. 50,000 Lire, 16.5.1972. P-99c. One of the most popular notes of this era for Italian currency with a detailed portrait vignette of Leonardo Da Vinci at right. Just minor circulation is observed. **PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ**.....\$300-\$500
- 2154 Banca D'Italia. 50,000 Lire, 2.11.1982. P-107d. 2 pieces in lot. Consecutive pair. Both seen in striking Superb Gem states. **PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ**.\$500-\$700



Exceptional Jordanian Color Trials



JORDAN

2155 Central Bank of Jordan. 1/2, 1, 5 & 10 Dinars, ND (1975-92). P-17cts, 18cts, 20cts, 19cts. Color Trial Specimens. 4 pieces in lot. Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancels. A highly underrated color trial quartet of these Jordanian designs that is offered here with each denomination in bright Gem quality. 1/2, 1 & 5 Dinars in PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ & 10 Dinars in PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ. Certainly a set that will add depth to any collection it enters. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ & Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.\$8000-\$12,000



KUWAIT

2156 Central Bank of Kuwait. 1/4 to 20 Dinars, 1968. P-23f to 26f, 27 & 28. Serial Number 5. 6 pieces in lot. All serial number "000005." An remarkable single digit serial number set of these Kuwait notes with all showing in bright Gem states of preservation. 1/4 & 20 Dinars in 65 EPQ, 1/2, 5 & 10 Dinars in 66 EPQ and One Dinar in 67 EPQ. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ to Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ..... \$800-\$1200

Important BWC Banque de Syrie et du Grand Liban 100 Livres Design



LEBANON

2157 Banque de Syrie. 100 Livres, 16.3.42. P-14s. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers, annotations and perforation. Type A overprint. These large format BWC produced designs are always some of the most sought after pieces of collectible currency available. This 100 Livres note shows with a vivid purple primary design with building at upper center and intricate multicolored under-printing. The back is just as impressive with large center circular vignette of a town on a river. Green, orange and red under-prints with brown counters and circular frame around the vignette. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.....\$3000-\$5000



LIBYA

2158 Bank of Libya. 10 Pounds, AH1382 (1963). P-27. A rare 10 Pound denomination in these lightly circulated grades and this piece borders on a Gem state. Just a minor stain at lower left which PMG mentions as "Thinned," is observed. PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 Net. Thinned. \$1500-\$2500



2159 Bank of Libya. 5 Pounds, AH1382 (1963). P-31. One of the finest we have offered for this Five Pound type and seen with deeply embossed inks, great centering and lovely color. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ. \$1000-\$1500



2160 Bank of Libya. 5 Pounds, 5.2.1963. P-31. 2 pieces in lot. Consecutive pair. A rarely seen consecutive pair of this Five Pound notes with each showing just a light vertical bend for circulation. PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ. \$1750-\$2500

2161 Central Bank of Libya. 5 Dinars, ND (1971). P-36a. 2 pieces in lot. Consecutive pair. Without inscription. Just trivial circulation on each. PMG About Uncirculated 53 & 55. \$400-\$600



LUXEMBOURG

2162 Grand-Duche De Luxembourg. 20 Francs, ND (1966). P-54s. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers, overprints and punch cancel. Deeply embossed overprints and fantastic centering and margins. Scarce. PCGS Superb Gem New 67. \$400-\$600



MACAU

2163 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 20 Patacas, 1.9.1996. P-66s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A high grade example of this 20 Patacas design with large even borders and outstanding technical quality. PCGS Superb Gem New 67 PPQ. \$500-\$700



MADAGASCAR

2164 Banque De Madagascar. 1000 Francs, 19.5.1945. P-41. Scarce in any grade and one of only a few we can recall offering. Lightly circulated and with just a few minor distractions. PMG About Uncirculated 53 Net. Tears. \$500-\$700

MALAWI

2165 Reserve Bank of Malawi. 10 Kwacha, 1.9.1992. P-25s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A seldom offered design in specimen and showcased here in a lofty Gem state of preservation. PCGS Gem New 66 PPQ. \$300-\$500



MALAYA AND BRITISH BORNEO

2166 Board of Commissioners of Currency. 5 Dollars, 21.3.1953. P-2a. A scarce note in Gem states of preservation with most only making it to the About Uncirculated level with vertical bends. This piece is free from any circulation and retains bright color and nice centering. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.\$500-\$700

2170 Banque De La Martinique. 25 Francs, ND (1943-45). P-17s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and serial numbers printed by E.A. Wright. A fantastic impression of this 25 Francs denomination which is scarce in higher grades when considering issued notes. This bright specimen will certainly appeal to collectors. PMG Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.\$400-\$600



2167 Board of Commissioners of Currency. 50 Dollars, 21.3.1953. P-4a. (KNB4a) This impressive offering is one of the finer we have handled and shows with mostly handling accounting for the grade. Original paper and brilliant blue color aid the appeal and even borders house the impression nicely. Certainly a note that will gather strong attention from bidders. PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 EPQ.... \$1250-\$1750

2171 Caisse Centrale de la France D'Outre-Mer. 100 Francs, 2.2.1944. P-25. A light vertical fold is all that is mentioned on this original and bright example. Scarce as such. PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 EPQ.....\$300-\$500



2172 Caisse Centrale de la France D'Outre-Mer. 1 Nouveau Franc, ND (1960). P-37. Sensational quality and pleasing centering separate this note from other notes in Uncirculated grades. Currently the only Gem PMG has graded for the catalog number. PMG Pop. 1/0. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$400-\$600

MALDIVES

2168 Maldivian State. 1/2 Rupee, 14.11.1947. P-1. The key to the series and a note not offered nearly enough to satisfy collector demand. Well centered and with deeply embossed overprints. PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.\$500-\$700

MARTINIQUE

2169 Banque De La Martinique. 5 Francs, ND (1942). P-16b. A seldom seen offering of this design type in a Choice Uncirculated state. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.....\$300-\$500



MAURITIUS

2173 Government of Mauritius. 1 Rupee, 27.3.1942. P-26s. **Specimen.** Specimen serial numbers, annotations and perforation. A scarce to rare design in any form and offered here with excellent color and detail throughout. **PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 Net. Previously Mounted.**\$600-\$800



MOROCCO

2176 Banque D'Etat Du Moroc. 50 Francs, 1.8.1943. P-26s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers printed by E.A. Wright. Detailed coastal vignette with pillar styling at left and right. Extremely well centered. **PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.**\$300-\$500



MEXICO

2174 Banco Occidental de Mexico. 50 Pesos, ND (1898-1904). P-S411s. **Specimen.** (M498s) Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancels at the signature panels. Lovely color and detail is found throughout on this attractive 50 Pesos design type. A few closed pinholes are all that likely prevented a Gem assessment. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Closed Pinholes.**\$550-\$700



2177 Banque D'Etat Du Maroc. 100 Francs, 1.3.1944. P-27s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers. An always popular note that employs stunning color throughout and offered here in a nearly perfect state of preservation. **PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.**\$400-\$600



2175 Banco Espanol Refaccionario. 100 Pesos, ND (19xx). P-NL. (M453) Specimen. A large bond format with six attached coupons at right. A few sheet folds are all we mention. **About Uncirculated.**\$400-\$600



NETHERLANDS

2178 Nederlandsche Bank. 10 Gulden, 15.3.1894. P-2p. **Proof.** Uniface proof with overprinted serial number. A rare design type that is seldom available in any form. The first we have handled and seen with striking print and technical quality. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.** \$700-\$1000



2179 Nederlandsche Bank. 10 Gulden, 31.12.1920. P-34. A highly elusive type and offered here in an appealing and problem free mid-grade. Sharp manuscript signatures and lovely detail throughout. **PMG Very Fine 30.**\$400-\$600



NETHERLANDS

2180 Nederlandsche Bank. 50 Gulden, 1.10.1929. P-47. An appealing larger format design type that is the finest we have seen or handled for the catalog number. Rich inks and original paper help confirm the Choice Uncirculated grade assigned by PMG. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.\$300-\$500

2184 Nederlandsche Bank. 50 Gulden, 1.5.1945. P-78s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and serial number XA 123045. Some mounting remnants at the corners and a small gutter-fold at the lower right. Challenging to locate in this specimen form. PMG About Uncirculated 53 Net. Previously Mounted.\$300-\$500



2181 Nederlandsche Bank. 25 Gulden, 4.2.1943. P-67s. Specimen. Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancel. Exceptional quality and pleasing centering and margins. A design type seldom available in any form. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$700-\$1000

2185 Nederlandsche Bank. 100 Gulden, 7.5.1945. P-79s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and regular issue serial numbers. An elusive design in any form and seen here with sharp detail and lovely color. Mounting remnants at the corners. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Previously Mounted.\$400-\$600



2182 Nederlandsche Bank. 10 Gulden, 7.5.1945. P-75s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and regular issue serial number. Nicely embossed with just a light even tone. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63.\$300-\$500

2186 Nederlandsche Bank. 1000 Gulden, 7.5.1945. P-80s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and regular issue serial numbers. This highly scarce 1,000 Gulden type is the first we have offered in any form. Seen in a small format with portrait of William de Zwilger at right phoenix watermark left. Just some light stains and minor rust reported. PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 Net. Rust, Stains.\$800-\$1200



2183 Nederlandsche Bank. 25 Gulden, 7.5.1945. P-77s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and regular issue serial numbers. A highly popular "Girl in Blue," type that is offered here in a seldom available specimen form. Just some mounting remnants to mention. PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 Net. Previously Mounted.\$300-\$500



NETHERLANDS

2187 Nederlandsche Bank. 25 Gulden, 19.3.1947. P-81s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers. A popular design and only hindered by some mounting remnants. Scarce in this form. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 Net. Previously Mounted.**\$300-\$500

2189 Nederlandsche Bank. 10 Gulden, 4.3.1949. P-83s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprint and serial number. A nice match to the 1945 dated specimen we are also offering for this design. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**.....\$300-\$500



2188 Nederlandsche Bank. 100 Gulden, 9.7.1947. P-82s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers. Just a bit of rust and mounting remnants on this 100 Gulden design type. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 Net. Previously Mounted, Rust.**.....\$250-\$350

2190 Nederlandsche Bank. 25 Gulden, 1.7.1949. P-84s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers. One of a fantastic grouping of specimen notes we are offering on the Netherlands with this appealing piece retaining strong color and detail throughout. **PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 Net. Stains.**\$300-\$500

Rare 1895 Javasche Bank Five Gulden



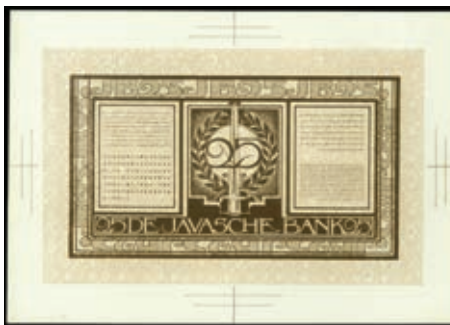
NETHERLANDS INDIES

2191 Javasche Bank. 5 Gulden, 5.4.1895. P-45b. An extremely important offering of this 19th century Javasche Bank design type. The first we have handled and certainly a piece that is missing in even advanced collections. A note-wide under-print is seen with intricate lathe styling in brown with black primary inks. The back shows an ovular design with four attractive blue "5" counters and four different languages stating the obligation. Small security code stamp at lower right of back in oval with "2643." A piece that indeed may make our estimate seem conservative. **PMG Very Fine 25.**.....\$2500-\$3500



NETHERLANDS INDIES

2192 **Javasche Bank. 10 Gulden, 1.5.1923. P-53b.** One of the more pleasing examples of this type we have offered. Nearly Extremely Fine quality with light even circulation and still bright inks throughout. Appealing radar serial number of SS 003300. Security code "12315" stamp at lower right on back. A small repair at the left margin is mentioned. **PMG Choice Very Fine 35 Net. Repaired.**\$400-\$600



2196 **Javasche Bank. 25 Gulden, ND. P-NL. Proof.** Wide margin proof printed on bond paper. An impressive offering of this 25 Gulden denomination which never saw issuance. Seen with a simple, yet ornate styling and typical multi-language obligation on back. **About Uncirculated.** \$1000-\$1500



2193 **Javasche Bank. 20 Gulden, ND (1919-20). P-66p. Proof.** Face proof mounted to wide margin card. One of a spectacular group of proofs we are offering on this scarce series. **Choice Uncirculated.**.....\$300-\$500



2197 **Muntbiljet. 1 Gulden, 24.12.1919. P-100.** An underrated type that is seldom available in these lightly circulated states. Original paper and mostly handling accounts for the grade. **PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.**.....\$300-\$500



2194 **Javasche Bank. 30 Gulden, ND (1919-21). P-67p. Proof.** Face proof printed on India paper with loose card. Brilliant blue color and sharp detail. A subtle corner fold is all that is mentioned. **About Uncirculated.**.....\$400-\$600



2198 **Muntbiljet. 1 Gulden, ND. P-100s. Specimen.** Specimen overprint, serial numbers and punch cancel. Pencil annotation at upper left of back. Strong original paper and vibrant appeal. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.**\$400-\$600



2195 **Javasche Bank. 40 Gulden, ND (1919-21). P-68p. Proof.** Face proof mounted to card stock. One of a sensational grouping we are offering on this challenging series. **Gem Uncirculated.**.....\$500-\$700



NETHERLANDS INDIES

2199 Muntbiljet. 2 1/2 Gulden, ND. P-101s. Specimen. Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancel. A design not seen often in public sales in any form and this specimen shows appealing detail and color throughout. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 63 EPQ.\$500-\$700**



NETHERLANDS NEW GUINEA

2200 Dutch Administration. 1 Gulden, 8.12.1954. P-11a. This important offering is one of just three PMG has graded at this level with none finer. The note is scarce in any grade and also highly popular making bidding always spirited when offered. We sold another PMG 66 EPQ as lot 10404 in our August 2014 ANA sale which brought \$2,056. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ. \$1000-\$1500**

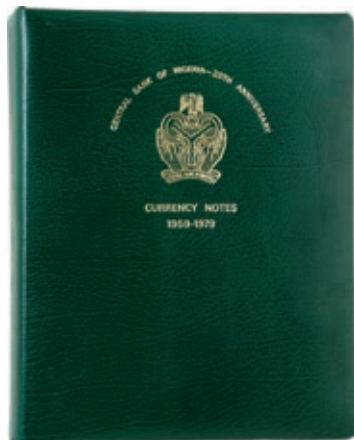


2201 Dutch Administration. 2 1/2 Gulden, 8.12.1954. P-12a. One of a nice trio of notes we are offering on this 1954 series. The current example is the second finest PMG has graded behind a Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ note which we sold for \$4,348 as lot 10405 in our August 2014 ANA sale. This lightly circulated piece will be an attractive alternative from a price point. **PMG About Uncirculated 55.\$600-\$800**



2202 Dutch Administration. 10 Gulden, 8.12.1954. P-14a. This mid-grade example shows with mostly even circulation and just a touch of rust at the lower and right margins of the back. **PMG Very Fine 30 Net. Rust.\$500-\$700**

Central Bank of Nigeria Presentation Album



NIGERIA

2203 Central Bank of Nigeria-20th Anniversary Presentation Album. Mixed Denominations, 1959 to 1979. P-Various. 40 individual notes with 1959 series photographic reproductions with individual face and back representations. 1965 to 1979 series seen with a pair of notes for each denomination with one showcasing face, other back. 1965 and 1968 series seen with regular issue serial number and specimen overprints while the 1973 and onward notes show specimen serial numbers and overprints. All mounted directly onto the album pages. A well executed presentation and worthy of a premium bid. **Uncirculated..... \$2500-\$3500**

PAKISTAN

2204 State Bank of Pakistan. 100 Rupees, ND (1951). P-14b. A vibrant example that shows with a nicely centered impression and fresh original paper. At issue staple hole at left. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.....\$300-\$500**



2206 Palestine Currency Board. 1 Pound, 20.4.1939. P-7c. Prefix N. A more difficult prefix type and seen here with the body of a Fine note but is held back by some margin tears and rust. **Very Good-Fine.\$500-\$700**

PALESTINE

2205 Palestine Currency Board. 1 Pound, 20.4.1939. P-7c. Prefix R. A bright and original example that borders on an Extremely Fine grade. A seldom offered "R" prefix note and certainly one of the higher grade pieces available for said prefix. **PMG Very Fine 30 EPQ.\$1200-\$1600**

Rare September First 1927 Palestine Currency Board Five Pounds



PALESTINE

- 2207 **Palestine Currency Board. 5 Pounds, 1.9.1927. P-8a.** A spectacular rarity which is believed to be one of roughly 10 known pieces for the date and denomination. We have yet to sell this catalog number and will anticipate strong interest when offered to the collecting community. Vibrant inks and hints of original paper give this item sensational appeal. Free from pinholes or other problems, this rarity shows only a tiny spot of ink at the lower right margin, which is mentioned by PMG in the comments section of the holder. Nice red-orange color and bold black overprints and pleasing margins. A landmark rarity and a note that will greatly enhance any collection it enters. PMG Very Fine 20.\$27,500-\$32,500



PANAMA

2208 **Republica de Panama. 1 Balboa, 1941. P-22a.** This extremely popular issue is becoming quite difficult to secure in attractive mid-grades with the heavy increase in demand. This offering shows still well embossed inks and deep color making us unsure why PMG mentioned discoloration. PMG Very Fine 30 Net. Minor Discoloration, Erasure.\$800-\$1200



PAPUA NEW GUINEA

2209 **Bank of Papua New Guinea. 10 Kina, ND (1988). P-9s. Specimen.** Specimen overprints and serial numbers. Quite scarce in this specimen form and offered here with desirable Superb Gem quality. PCGS Superb Gem New 67 PPQ.....\$500-\$700



2210 **Bank of Papua New Guinea. 50 Kina, 1999. P-18s. Specimen.** Specimen serial numbers. Polymer plastic. These modern specimen notes are quite scarce and this example has outstanding grade. PCGS Superb Gem New 67 PPQ.....\$500-\$700

Rare Imperial Bank of Persia Five Tomans



PERSIA

- 2211 **Imperial Bank of Persia. 5 Tomans, 7.8.1908. P-3.** Without payable location. A highly difficult first series Five Toman note that is from one of the most appealing series of banknotes produced by Bradbury Wilkinson. Nasr-ed-Din at right center with lion adjacent. Intricate under-printed design in multicolored and heavy geometric lathe pattern at back with lion again at center. Some well executed repairs mostly limited to the margins are mentioned for complete accuracy. **PMG Very Fine 25 Net. Repaired.** \$5000-\$7000



POLAND

- 2212 **Bank Polski. 10 Zlotych, 2.1.1928. P-67cts. Color Trial Specimen.** Specimen serial number. A note which starts an impressive grouping on this 10 Zlotych design. The current example shows printed in brown with multicolored under-prints. The first we have seen with a specimen overprinted serial number. **About Uncirculated.** \$700-\$1000



2215 Bank Polski. 10 Zlotych, 2.1.1928. P-67p. Proofs. 2 pieces in lot. A pair of completed notes in green and multicolored, save for overprints. Printed on watermarked banknote paper. Both with full design elements throughout and only a penciled annotation and clip indentation to mentioned. One shows a bit of paper clip rust. About Uncirculated-Uncirculated..... \$800-\$1200



2216 Bank Polski. 10 Zlotych, 2.1.1928. P-67p. Proofs. 2 pieces in lot. A pair of completed notes in blue and multicolored, save for overprints. Printed on watermarked banknote paper. Both with full design elements throughout and only a clip indentation to mentioned. Both show a bit of paper clip rust and one with margin tear at left. About Uncirculated-Uncirculated..... \$800-\$1200

2217 Bank Polski. 10 Zlotych, 2.1.1928. P-67p. Proofs. 14 pieces in lot. A comprehensive group of progress proof notes printed by Orell Fussli on watermarked banknote paper. Nine pieces show with varying stages of the under-print design for the face and/or back with two showing a back primary design in green. Five fingerprinted color blots are also included. SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. About Uncirculated & Uncirculated.....\$500-\$700

POLAND

2213 Bank Polski. 10 Zlotych, 2.1.1928. P-67p. Proofs. 11 pieces in lot. Progress proofs in brown and multicolored with varying stages of completion printed on watermarked banknote paper. Six complete notes with both face and back primary designs with only subtle difference in brown color observed. Three complete face designs with blank backs and two showing only primary face design with under-printed back only. An outstanding group and only paper clip indentations and annotations are mentioned, one showing a bit of clip rust. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY.** About Uncirculated-Uncirculated..... \$3000-\$5000



2214 Bank Polski. 10 Zlotych, 2.1.1928. P-67p. Proofs. 3 pieces in lot. Printed on watermarked banknote paper with face and back design on each. Printed in green and multicolored. A delightful trio with two showing similar color and the third being a distinctly more olive green hue. Some minor clip rust on one note and the others with just handling. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY.** About Uncirculated-Uncirculated..... \$1000-\$1500



PORTUGAL

2218 Banco de Portugal. 1000 Escudos, 18.4.1996. P-188as. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers and perforations. A seldom available specimen of this 1000 Escudos type. PCGS Superb Gem New 67 PPQ.....\$400-\$600



PORTUGUESE INDIA

2219 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 1000 Escudos, 2.1.1959. P-46. A spindle and staple hole are observed and mentioned by PMG in the comments section of the holder. Seldom offered with this little circulation. PMG About Uncirculated 50.\$600-\$800



QATAR & DUBAI

2220 Qatar Central Bank. 500 Riyals, ND (1996). P-19. A modern design that has quickly risen in popularity and the amount available in these Gem grades is starting to dry up. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.\$1000-\$1500



REUNION

2221 Banque de la Reunion. 100 Francs, ND. P-24. A highly scarce catalog number and the finest we have offered. A larger format type with striking color and detail that is highlighted here with only subtle circulation. Currently one of just two PMG has graded for the catalog number with this being the finer of the pair. PMG About Uncirculated 50.\$1000-\$1500



RHODESIA

2222 Reserve Bank of Rhodesia. 1 Pound, 21.9.1964. P-25a. Stellar red color and fully original paper bring lovely appeal to this QEII design. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.\$600-\$800



2223 Reserve Bank of Rhodesia. 1 Pound, 19.11.1965. P-25s. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers, annotations and "CANCELLED," perforation. Ruby red color and great appeal. Some lifted paper at back from being mounted is mentioned. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Previously Mounted.\$600-\$800



2224 Reserve Bank of Rhodesia. 1 Pound, 29.10.1965. P-25s. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers and printer's annotations at the top margin. Radiant red color and lovely appeal on this difficult specimen type PMG Choice Extremely Fine 45 Net. Previously Mounted.\$600-\$800



2225 Reserve Bank of Rhodesia. 5 Pounds, 10.11.1964. P-26a. A representation of this catalog number that will certainly be an upgrade to most collections. The paper is fresh and the margins large and even. Seldom available this nice. PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.\$700-\$1000



RHODESIA

2226 Reserve Bank of Rhodesia. 10 Shillings, 10.9.1968. P-27b. Strikingly well preserved and noticed with lovely original paper throughout. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$400-\$600

2230 Bank of Rhodesia and Nyasaland. 10 Shillings, 18.1.1961. P-20s. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers, annotations and perforation printed by BWC. A nice match to the One Pound specimen we are offering and seen with striking color and clarity of this popular QEII styling. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net.\$800-\$1200



2227 Reserve Bank of Rhodesia. 1 Pound, 15.6.1966. P-28a. Certainly a piece that will appeal to collectors as the quality is stunning. A strong impression leaves plentiful detail throughout while robust even margins help solidify the lofty Gem designation applied by PMG. PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.\$500-\$700

2231 Bank of Rhodesia and Nyasaland. 10 Shillings, ND (1956-61). P-20p. Progress proof printed by BWC. A nice match to a One Pound proof we are offering as well. Shown with a complete back design and under-print only at the face. Printer's annotations in the margins. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Previously Mounted, Ink.\$250-\$350



2228 Reserve Bank of Rhodesia. 5 Pounds, 1.7.1966. P-29a. An underrated design type and quite scarce in higher grades. This fully original pieces shows mostly handling to account for the circulation. PMG About Uncirculated 55 EPQ.....\$400-\$600

2232 Bank of Rhodesia and Nyasaland. 1 Pound, 20.5.1960. P-21s. Specimen. Specimen serial numbers, annotations and perforation. Always a highly collected commonwealth type and seen here with lovely color and detail. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 Net. Previously Mounted.\$700-\$1000



RHODESIA & NYASALAND

2229 Bank of Rhodesia and Nyasaland. 10 Shillings, 15.8.1958. P-20a. Evenly circulated and problem free for the grade. PMG Very Fine 30.....\$400-\$600



RHODESIA & NYASALAND

2233 Bank of Rhodesia and Nyasaland. 1 Pound, ND (1956-61). P-21p. **Progress Proof.** Progress proof printed by BWC. An interesting piece that shows with a completed back design and under-print only at the face. Printer's annotations are seen in the margins. **PMG Choice Very Fine 35 Net. Previously Mounted.**\$200-\$300



RUSSIA—EAST SIBERIA

2234 Banque de L'Indo-Chine. 5 Rubles, 12.2.1919. P-S1256s. **Specimen.** Specimen serial numbers, overprints and punch cancels. Just a touch of circulation on this scarce and always well received design type. **PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58.**\$500-\$700



RWANDA-BURUNDI

2235 Banque d'Emission. 500 Francs, 15.5.1961. P-6s. **Specimen.** Cancelled perforations and specimen serial numbers. A scarce and popular design that shows with a rhinoceros at right with light red and green note-wide under-prints. Striking quality and well centered. **PMG Gem Uncirculated 66 EPQ.**\$500-\$700



SAINT HELENA

2236 Government of St. Helena. 20 Pounds, ND (1986). P-10cts. **Color Trial Specimen.** Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancels at the signatures. An appealing note that shows with a brown back color in favor of the green inks of the issued notes. Mounting remnants at the back right are observed. **Uncirculated.**.....\$500-\$700

SAINT PIERRE & MIQUELON

2237 Caisse Centrale de la France D'Outre-Mer. 50 Francs, ND (1950-60). P-25. A fantastically well preserved example with picture frame-like centering and margins. **PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.**\$300-\$500

SAINT THOMAS & PRINCE

2238 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 10 Escudos, 1.1.1921. P-22s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and perforations. The first offering of a colorful and appealing specimen set. **Uncirculated.**.....\$250-\$350

2239 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 20 Escudos, 1.1.1921. P-23s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprint and perforations. Mounting remnants at left and a few minor stains are all that detract on this otherwise bright and appealing specimen. **Extremely Fine.**.....\$250-\$350



2240 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 50 Escudos, 1.1.1921. P-24s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and perforations. Vivid color and exceptional detail on this higher denomination design. **Uncirculated.**\$500-\$700



SAINT THOMAS & PRINCE

- 2241 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 100 Escudos, 1.1.1921. P-25s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprint and perforations. Remarkable appeal throughout with intricate multicolored under-prints and detailed vignettes. An extremely minor corner tip fold at the upper right is all that is mentioned. **About Uncirculated.**.....\$600-\$800
- 2242 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 50 Escudos, 20.11.1958. P-37s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancels at the signatures. Lovely original paper and detail. **Choice Uncirculated.**.....\$200-\$300
- 2243 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 50 Escudos, ND (1958). P-37cts. **Color Trial Specimen.** Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancels at the signature panels. Printed in red by BWC. Just a trivial corner tip bend is noticed. **Choice About Uncirculated.**.....\$250-\$350
- 2244 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 100 Escudos, 20.11.1958. P-38s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancels at the signatures. Nearly a Gem note, save for a corner tip bend at the upper left. **Choice About Uncirculated.**.....\$200-\$300

- 2246 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 1000 Escudos, 11.5.1964. P-40cts. **Color Trial Specimen.** Specimen overprint, serial numbers and punch cancels at the signatures. Printed in purple by BWC. Mounting remnants and stain at top margin. **Uncirculated.**.....\$300-\$500



SAUDI ARABIA

- 2247 Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency. 10 Riyals, AH1373 (1954). P-4. Challenging in Choice Uncirculated states and this offering shows deeply embossed inks and lovely color. A faint tone likely prevented a Gem assessment. **PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.**.....\$400-\$600



- 2245 Banco Nacional Ultramarino. 500 Escudos, 18.4.1956. P-39s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints, serial numbers and punch cancels at the signatures. Exceptional quality. **Gem Uncirculated.**.....\$300-\$500

- 2248 Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency. 100 Riyals, AH1379 (1983). P-26s. **Specimen.** Perforated specimen. Regular issue serial numbers. Just some handling to report on this high denomination design. **About Uncirculated.**.....\$400-\$600

Unique Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency Design Presentation



SAUDI ARABIA

2249 Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency. 1 Riyal, AH1379 (1984). P-NL. **Composite Essay.** Orell Fussli composite essay bound into presentation album. An item that continues an offering we had in our 2014 January NYINC sale as lot 3463, a 10 Riyals model that likely is now the missing piece from the present four denominations we are offering. This One Riyal design shows a slightly smaller banknote format size than the other denominations we are offering. Striking color and appeal is seen with large portrait of King Fahd at left of the face design. The 10 Riyal we previously sold brought an impressive \$17,625. **Uncirculated.....\$5000-\$7000**

Stunning Orell Fussli Five Rials Composite Essay



2250 Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency. 5 Riyals, AH1379 (1984). P-NL. **Composite Essay.** Composite essay produced by Orell Fussli in green presentation album. A continuation of this never adopted series from the last lot with this Five Rials design showing vibrant detail and color. Layered design elements are seamlessly placed together to form an appealing look at a design that never became. Certainly a piece that is unique and an opportunity that will excite collectors. **Uncirculated.....\$6000-\$8000**

Incredible Saudi 50 Riyals Proposed Design in Presentation Album



SAUDI ARABIA

- 2251 Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency. 50 Riyals, AH1379 (1984). P-NL. Composite Essay. Composite essay produced by Orell Fussli in blue and multicolored. Bound into green presentation album. This important 50 Riyals design furthers this remarkable never adopted series. Brilliant blue inks make up the face and back primary design styling. Impressive archival quality with matted pages and gilt covering. Certainly a piece that will become an instant highlight in any collection it enters. **Uncirculated.....\$7000-\$10,000**

Magnificent Orell Fussli 100 Riyals Design Model



SAUDI ARABIA

2252 **Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency. 100 Riyals, AH1379 (1984). P-NL. Composite Essay.** Composite essay by Orell Fussli bound into green presentation album. The highest denomination for this never utilized series and part of an incredible quartet we are offering. The set likely comprised five albums with denominations of One, Five, 10, 50 & 100 with us selling the 10 Riyals design individually in our January 2014 NYINC sale for \$17,625. This 100 Riyals note shows the largest format size and offers splendid detail of the intricate devices proposed. This set will certainly be met with spirited bidding from collectors. **Uncirculated.....\$8000-\$12,000**



SCOTLAND

2253 **Clydesdale Bank Limited. 5 Pounds, 17.11.1943. P-186.**
A more difficult series in any grade with this note showing free from problems and quite attractive for the grade. Very Fine.....\$400-\$600

2257 **Government of Seychelles. 10 Rupees, 1.1.1974. P-15b.**
A near Gem example of this "SCUM" note that shows brilliant blue color throughout. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.....\$500-\$700



2258 **Government of Seychelles. 20 Rupees, 1.1.1974. P-16c.**
Exceptional color and detail on this 20 Rupees design. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64.....\$700-\$1000



2254 **Union Bank of Scotland Limited. 100 Pounds, 1.10.1954. P-S819s. Specimen.** Printers annotations and several punch cancels vertically in three lines. Sheet selvage at all sides, narrow at top. Purple ink stamp left on face and mounting remnants at back. PMG About Uncirculated 55 Net. Previously Mounted.\$500-\$700

2259 **Government of Seychelles. 50 Rupees, 1.1.1972. P-17d.**
One of the more recognizable design types for world currency and shown here in a striking Gem state of preservation. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.\$1000-\$1500



SEYCHELLES

2255 **Government of Seychelles. 5 Rupees, 1.8.1960. P-11b.**
A wonderfully high grade note that shows vivid detail throughout and exceptional centering and margins. PMG Superb Gem Uncirculated 67 EPQ.....\$600-\$800

2260 **Central Bank of Seychelles. 100 Rupees, ND (1983). P-31s. Specimen.** Specimen overprints, serial number and punch cancel. A near perfect example of this colorful design type. PCGS Superb Gem New 68 PPQ.....\$400-\$600

2256 **Government of Seychelles. 5 Rupees, 1.1.1968. P-14a.** A pack fresh note with lovely color. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.....\$300-\$500



SINGAPORE

2261 Board of Commissioners of Currency. 50 Dollars, ND (1967). P-5a. An increasingly scarce design in Uncirculated grades with large demand as of late. PMG Choice Uncirculated 64 EPQ.\$400-\$600

SOMALIA

2262 Banca Nazionale Somala. 10 Shillings, 1962. P-2a. A near Gem example with vivid color and pack fresh original paper. PCGS Very Choice New 64 PPQ.\$250-\$350



SOUTH AFRICA

2263 Natal Bank Limited. 1 Pound, ND (1906). P-S466s. Color Trial Specimen. Printed by BWC in blue and multicolored. Specimen serial numbers and perforations. A rare design type that shows here with impressive color and detail throughout. Ornate vignette of allegorical woman flanking arms at top center and elaborate multicolored under-printing throughout. Back with centralized geometric intense styling in deep blue. PCGS Choice About New 58 Apparent. Minor Mounting Remnants on Face in Left Margin.\$1200-\$1500

2264 South African Reserve Bank. 10 Shillings & 1 & 5 Pounds, 1941 & 1951. P-82d, 86b & 93a. 3 pieces in lot. A nice trio with the 10 Shillings in Extremely Fine, One Pound in About Uncirculated and 5 Pounds in Very Fine. Very Fine to About Uncirculated.\$400-\$600



SOUTHWEST AFRICA

2265 Standard Bank of South Africa Limited. 10 Shillings, 31.1.1958. P-10. A note that certainly will appeal to collectors as fully original paper combines with nice centering to justify the applied Gem grade by PMG. PMG Gem Uncirculated 65 EPQ.\$700-\$1000



SWEDEN

2266 Switzerland National Bank. 100 Franken, ND. P-NL. Proof. An interesting piece that is un-attributed and without imprint. A proposed design of a 100 Frankens note and seen with seated female with shield at left and cameo at right. Attached wax paper cover with some tears. About Uncirculated.\$500-\$700



SWITZERLAND

2267 Schweizerische Nationalbank. 5 Franken, 22.10.1936. P-11s. Specimen. Specimen overprints and star punch cancels. This challenging type is seldom offered in any form and this example is the finest we have seen or offered. PCGS Superb Gem New 67 PPQ.\$700-\$1000



THAILAND

2268 Thailand Government. 100 Baht, ND (1945). P-52s1. Specimen. Mi-hon overprint, regular serial numbers. Blue back. A near Gem example of this difficult 100 Baht design. PCGS Very Choice New 64 PPQ.\$1000-\$1500



THAILAND

2269 **Government of Thailand. 100 Baht, ND (1945). P-52s1. Specimen.** Regular serial number and seen with “Mihon” overprint at left of center. Blue reverse and just a hint of circulation on otherwise perfectly original paper. PMG Choice About Uncirculated 58 EPQ..... \$900-\$1100



TURKEY

2270 **Ottoman Empire Treasury. 20 Kurush, ND (1852). P-22.** Seal of Nafiz and octagonal control seal. Vertical format. Black with green under-print. Well embossed Toughra at top center. Original with just a few small pinholes and minor edge chip at upper right. Rare this appealing. Choice Very Fine..... \$1200-\$1600



2271 **Ottoman Empire Treasury. 10 Kurush, ND (1853-54). P-23.** Seal of Ahmet Muhtar. Vertical format. Black on yellow-green under-print. An attractive example of this scarce design that shows with just a few pinholes, some soiling at back and a minor pair of edge tears. Choice Fine..... \$1200-\$1600



2272 **Ottoman Empire Treasury. 20 Kurush, ND (1854). P-24.** Seal of Safveti. Vertical format. Black with yellow-green under-print. Very strong detail remains throughout with a well defined seal at back. A few minor margin tears at right with one extending into the design. Some stains but mostly appealing for the grade. A rarely offered type. Very Fine..... \$1200-\$1600



2273 **Ottoman Empire Treasury. 20 Kurush, ND (1855-57). P-26.** Seal of Safveti. Vertical format. Black with light green and blue under-print. A sound for the grade example with just a few minor margin tears and the first of the catalog number we have handled. Appealing color remains and an above average seal at back is noticed. Fine..... \$1200-\$1600

2274 **Ottoman Empire Treasury. 50 Kurush, Ah1377 (1958). P-37.** 2 pieces in lot. Both with seal of Tevfik. One seen with significantly darker under-printed color in About Uncirculated, with small tear at lower margin and a lighter under-printed example in Extremely Fine. Both exhibit pleasing original embossing. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Extremely Fine & About Uncirculated.**.....\$400-\$600

2275 **Banque Imperiale Ottomane. 5 Kurush, 1877. P-47b & 47d.** 2 pieces in lot. Both Toughra of Abdul Hamid II. P-47b with 1293 dated seal of Galip with only a horizontal fold and bit of foreign substance at the right margin. P-47d with 1295 dated seal of Kani with a few minor stains and pair of edge tears at top. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Extremely Fine.**\$500-\$700



2276 **Banque Imperiale Ottomane. 50 Kurush, AH1295 (1878). P-52b.** Seal of Kani with AH1295 date. 1877 hand stamp. Horizontal format. Just some ink stains to report on this lightly circulated example. **PMG About Uncirculated 55 Net. Ink Stains.**..... \$700-\$1000

TURKEY

2277 **Banque Imperiale Ottomane. 100 Kurush, 1877 & 1878. P-53a & 53b.** 2 pieces in lot. Including: P-53a in PMG Very Fine 25 Net. Splits. 1294 dated seal of Yusuf, 1877 stamp; P-53b in PMG About Uncirculated 50. 1295 dated seal of Kani, 1877 stamp. **PMG Very Fine 25 Net & About Uncirculated 50.....\$400-\$600**



2280 **Banque Imperiale Ottomane. 200 Piastres, L. 1279 (1863). P-55b.** Reimbursable in Smyrna. Large format in blue and multicolored. "ANNULE," stamp in blue. Toughra of Abdul Aziz top center. Another example of this scarce design and seen with a pleasing low serial number of "001934." Missing upper left corner tip and seen with some edge and internal splits with small tape repair at upper right. A few annotation mentioned as well. Still pleasing color and appeal for the technical grade. **Very Good-Fine. \$2000-\$3000**

2278 **Banque Imperiale Ottomane. 200 Piastres, L. 1279 (1863). P-55b.** Reimbursable in Smyrna. Large format in blue and multicolored. "ANNULE," stamp in blue. Toughra of Abdul Aziz top center. Exceptional color and detail remain with only a small tear at top center and two internal splits to mention. Scarce. **Fine-Very Fine. \$2500-\$3500**



2281 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 1 Livre, L. 1331. P-73.** 2 pieces in lot. Prefix F in Very Fine-Extremely Fine with just a minor spot stain at upper right, Prefix F in Very Good with edge splits and annotation on back showing scarce back signature. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Very Good & Very Fine-Extremely Fine.\$500-\$700**

2279 **Banque Imperiale Ottomane. 200 Piastres, L. 1279 (1863). P-55b.** Reimbursable in Smyrna. Large format in blue and multicolored. "ANNULE," stamp in blue. Toughra of Abdul Aziz top center. The color and detail of a Very Fine note but limited by some edge and internal splits, being quite common for this large design type. The Annule stamps were applied to these notes after the value was paid to the holder and is reason why the overprint is so frequented. An annotation at the back lower margin is mentioned. **Fine. \$2000-\$3000**



TURKEY

- 2282 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 5 Livres, L. 1331. P-74.** Toughra of Sultan Mehmed V Resad. Prefix E. Horizontal format. An impressive offering of this Five Livres design showing with just light even circulation. Striking color throughout and original paper help confirm the "EPQ" designation applied by PMG. Certainly a note that will be an upgrade in most collections. **PMG Extremely Fine 40 EPQ.\$4000-\$6000**
- 2283 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 1/4 Livre, L. 1331. P-81.** 3 pieces in lot. Prefixes B, E & E. Prefix B in Fine with tears and stains, Prefix E with Talat - H. Cahit signatures in Very Fine with two small margins tears, Prefix E with scarce Talat - Pritch signature in Very Fine. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Fine & Very Fine.....\$500-\$700**
- 2284 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 1/2 Livre, L. 1331. P-82.** 3 pieces in lot. Includes: Prefix D, E with signatures of Talat - H Cahit in Fine with stains and minor tears and Extremely Fine with minor tears; Scarce prefix E with signatures of Talat - Taufing in Fine-Very Fine with stains and minor tears. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Fine to Extremely Fine.....\$500-\$700**



- 2285 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 1/2 Livre, L. 1331. P-82.** 2 pieces in lot. Prefix D with signatures of Talat - H. Cahit showing some minor stains, Prefix F with signatures of Talat - Taufing with a pair of edge splits at right and minor stains. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Fine.\$500-\$700**

- 2286 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 20 Piastres, L. 1332. P-88.** 3 pieces in lot. Prefixes M, J & H. One Fine with edge tears, two Extremely Fine with one showing stains and the other with a color error showing in a light brown in favor of orange. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Fine & Extremely Fine.\$400-\$600**
- 2287 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 1 Livre, L. 1332. P-90a & 90b.** 5 pieces in lot. Including: Hook watermark Prefix E in Very Fine; Hook Watermark Prefix E in Very Good with splits and scarce back signature; Hook watermark Prefix G in Very Fine with some edge damage; Cruciferae watermark Prefix L in Fine with edge splits and minor stains; Cruciferae watermark prefix L in Fine with edge splits and stains. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Very Good to Very Fine.....\$500-\$700**
- 2288 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 1/2 Livre, L. 1332. P-98.** 5 pieces in lot. Prefixes A, C, D, E & F. Two Fine with stains, one Very Fine with annotation on back and Two Extremely Fine with minor stains. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Fine to Extremely Fine.....\$500-\$700**
- 2289 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 1 Livre, L. 1332. P-99a.** 3 pieces in lot. Includes: Prefix G in Fine-Very Fine with edge tears and minor ink at back; Prefix H in Very Fine with tear at top and bottom center and stain at right; Prefix K in Very Fine with Edge Tears, rust and pencil on back. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Fine-Very Fine & Very Fine.\$150-\$250**



- 2290 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 1 Livre, L. 1332. P-99a. Error.** 2 pieces in lot. Prefix F error note showing with missing most of the under-printed color in guilloche and purple color at left some light rust stains and small hole at lower center. Also included a Prefix O note with regular color for a comparison piece. **SOLD AS IS/NO RETURNS. PLEASE INSPECT CAREFULLY. Fine.....\$600-\$800**



- 2291 **State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 2 1/2 Livres, L. 1332. P-100.** Toughra of Muhammad V. Prefix L. Impressive quality is seen on this colorful design type and just a vertical fold and mostly handling accounts for the grade. A touch of blue ink at the lower right of the back is mentioned for accuracy. **Extremely Fine.\$800-\$1200**



TURKEY

2292 State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 10 Livres, L. 1332. P-101. Toughra of Muhammad V. Prefix G. Appealing color remains with only edge splits to mention and small tape repair at top center. **Fine**. \$500-\$700

Rare L. 1333 Ministry of Finance 100 Livres



2293 State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 100 Livres, L. 1333. P-106. Prefix J. One of the highlights of this Fine selection of Ottoman Empire banknotes with this 100 Livres denomination being listed as "Rare," in the SCWPM. The note shows in a large format with Toughra at top center and ornate multicolored frame devices and under-print. Lovely color and detail remain for the grade and this is the first we have seen or offered. Certainly a note that will be a focal point in any advanced collection. **PMG Fine 15 Net. Tape Repairs, Tears, Annotations**..... \$4000-\$6000

Rare AH1334 100 Livres Design



TURKEY

- 2294 State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 100 Livres, AH1334 (1918). P-107A. Toughra of Muhammad V. Prefix G. Large horizontal format. A catalog number listed as "Rare," in the SCWPM and the first we have seen or offered. Still pleasing color and detail despite the problems. Several edge and internal tears with an annotation also notice at the back. The only piece PMG has graded for the catalog number. One of the highlights of this sensational collection of Turkish notes we are offering. PMG Very Good 8 Net. Large Splits. \$3000-\$5000



- 2295 State Notes of the Ministry of Finance. 5 Livres, L. 1334. P-109b. Toughra of Muhammad VI. Prefix D. Sixieme Emission Stamp. Some minor edge tears but otherwise an evenly circulated and attractive example. Choice Fine.....\$400-\$600

- 2297 Georgische Legion. 5 Piastres, 1916. P-NL. One of three we are offering of this Military change note type and this piece shows a signature differing from the other Five Piastre note, being one we have not observed elsewhere. A split at right, small hole at center and a few spot stains. Fine.\$400-\$600



- 2296 Georgische Legion. 5 Piastres, 1916. P-NL. The first we have offered for this Military type and seen with just a minor corner tip bend. About Uncirculated.....\$300-\$500

- 2298 Georgische Legion. 10 Piastres, 1916. P-NL. Blue underprint and pleasing detail throughout on this Military note. A nice match to the Five Piastres we are offering with the same signature and grade. About Uncirculated.\$400-\$600



UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

2299 Central Bank United Arab Emirates. 21as, AH1418 (1997). P-21as. **Specimen.** Specimenserialnumbersandperforations. Magnificent grade accompanies this 20 Dirhams piece. PCGS Superb Gem New 67 PPQ.....\$500-\$700



URUGUAY

2300 Banco Nacional De La Republica. 50 Pesos, 25.8.1887. P-A98s. **Specimen.** Specimen overprints and punch cancels. Attached counterfoil at left. A rare large format type and seen here with great detail for the technical grade, but hindered by some problem areas. Toned paper, missing upper right corner tip and a few spindle holes. Oval stamp in blue at back lower left. **Fine-Very Fine.**\$500-\$700

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Bid	Bid Increment
\$0.00-\$99.99	\$5.00
\$100.00-\$199.99	\$10.00
\$200.00-\$299.99	\$20.00
\$300.00-\$499.99	\$25.00
\$500.00-\$999.99	\$50.00
\$1,000.00-\$1,999.99	\$100.00
\$2,000.00-\$2,999.99	\$200.00
\$3,000.00-\$4,999.99	\$250.00
\$5,000.00-\$9,999.99	\$500.00
\$10,000.00-\$19,999.99	\$1,000.00
\$20,000.00-\$29,999.99	\$2,000.00
\$30,000.00-\$49,999.99	\$2,500.00
\$50,000.00-\$99,999.99	\$5,000.00
\$100,000.00-\$199,999.99	\$10,000.00
\$200,000.00-\$299,999.99	\$20,000.00
\$300,000.00-\$499,999.99	\$25,000.00
\$500,000.00-\$999,999.99	\$50,000.00
\$1,000,000.00-\$1,999,999.99	\$100,000.00
\$2,000,000.00-\$2,999,999.99	\$200,000.00
\$3,000,000.00-\$4,999,999.99	\$250,000.00
\$5,000,000.00-\$9,999,999.99	\$500,000.00
\$10,000,000.00 +	\$1,000,000.00

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\$0.00-\$49.99	\$2.00
\$50.00-\$199.99	\$5.00
\$200.00-\$499.99	\$10.00
\$500.00-\$999.99	\$25.00
\$1,000.00-\$1,999.99	\$50.00
\$2,000.00-\$4,999.99	\$100.00
\$5,000.00-\$9,999.99	\$200.00
\$10,000.00-\$19,999.99	\$500.00
\$20,000.00-\$49,999.99	\$1,000.00
\$50,000.00-\$99,999.99	\$2,000.00
\$100,000.00-\$199,999.99	\$5,000.00
\$200,000.00-\$499,999.99	\$10,000.00
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\$1,000,000.00-\$1,999,999.99	\$50,000.00
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\$3,000,000.00-\$4,999,999.99	\$200,000.00
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8. Financial Responsibility. In the event any applicable conditions of these Terms of Sale herein are not complied with by a Buyer or if the Buyer fails to make payment in full by the Default Date, Stack's Bowers reserves the right, in its sole discretion, in addition to all other remedies which it may have at law or in equity to rescind the sale of that lot or any other lot or lots sold to the defaulting Buyer, retaining all payments made by Buyer as liquidated damages, it being recognized that actual damages may be speculative or difficult to compute, and resell a portion or all of the lots held by Stack's Bowers, in a commercially reasonable manner, which may include a public or private sale, in a quantity sufficient in the opinion of Stack's Bowers to satisfy the indebtedness, plus all accrued charges, and Stack's Bowers may charge a seller's commission that is commercially reasonable. More than one such sale may take place at the option of Stack's Bowers. If Stack's Bowers resells the lots, Buyer agrees to pay for the reasonable cost of such sale, together with any incidental costs of sale, including reasonable attorney's fees and costs, cataloging and any other reasonable charges. Notice of the sale shall be by U.S.P.S. Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested to the address utilized on the Bid Sheet, Auction Consignment and Security Agreement or other last known address by Stack's Bowers. The proceeds shall be applied first to the satisfaction of any damages occasioned by Buyer's breach, then to any other indebtedness owed to Stack's Bowers, including without limitation, commissions, handling charges, carrying charges, the expenses of both sales, seller's fees, reasonable attorneys' fees, costs, collection agency fees and costs and any other costs or expenses incurred. Buyer shall also be liable to Stack's Bowers for any deficiency if the proceeds of such sale or sales are insufficient to cover such amounts.

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 Corporation. 1 Dollar, 1.6.1887. P-S326.
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Government of the Straits Settlements 100 Dollars,
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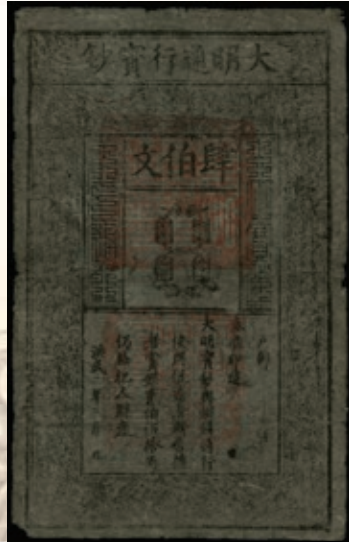
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