

“ ... I LOST MY 2ND LIEUTENANT & SEVERAL MEN ... ”

*** 447**
Autograph Letter Unsigned. Three pages, 7 3/4" x 9 3/4". Fort Pawhat-ten [sic] Va. May 18, 1864. Accompanied by original envelope addressed to Mrs. Ruth Whitman, Ulysses, Potter Co. Penn. With "Point Look-out MD" and bullseye cancellation. Envelope signed on verso, "Geo. S. Whitman." Whitman writes, in part: "... The reason I have been so inconstant is for reason of our unsettled condition while at Williamsburg and elsewhere, but now we are garrisoning a fort of James River a few miles below City Point ... we have had some hard fighting about here as you probably have learned from the papers, my Company Co "K" were detached from the Regiment, and we only together with the Major have been engaged. I lost my 2d Lieutenant & several men, The Major and I were mounted, but the balls flow so thick. I thought it I thought it would be more respectful to be on the ground and as I wanted to make a good military appearance I dismounted. The men acted bravely. I will not waste time and paper writing war news that you can read from any news paper ... P.S. father, I want you to invest all the money I have with you that you can spare in the US 10-40 bonds either Registered or Coupon ... " George S. Whitman served as a member of Pennsylvania's 53rd Infantry during the American Civil War. Some paper loss at folds. Overall Very Good. \$175 - up



REMNANT OF THE 61ST PENNSYLVANIA REGIMENT

*** 448**
[CIVIL WAR FLAG REMNANT]. Ensemble measures 11" x 14". Remnant of a regimental flag of the 61st Pennsylvania. Double-matted with a photo reproduction of a Civil War army scene. Provenance traces this back to a GAR hall in Philadelphia. Excellent. \$225 - up



A UNION BRASS INFANTRY HORN INSIGNIA

*** 449**
[CIVIL WAR HAT PIECE]. Ensemble, measures 11" x 14" overall. Brass infantry horn insignia worn by Union infantrymen on their kepis. Original hooks intact. Mounted on a 34 star flag remnant. This originated from a small hoard found in Philadelphia after the Civil War. Nice double-matted with a reproduced photo of Civil War infantrymen in battle. In excellent condition. \$300 - up



A STAR FROM OLD GLORY RELIC

*** 450**
[CIVIL WAR ERA FLAG REMNANT]. Ensemble measures overall 16" x 12". Large hand stitched star on a field of blue was once part of a large 34 star barracks flag of the United States. The flag from which this was extracted flew from July 4, 1861 until July 3, 1863 at which time West Virginia was admitted to the Union. The star is nicely double matted with a copy of an early Union soldier standing next to a similar flag. A nice display item. \$300 - up

HORACE BUMSTEAD, MAJOR IN THE 43RD U.S. COLORED TROOPS AND SECOND PRESIDENT OF ATLANTA UNIVERSITY

*** 451**
HORACE BUMSTEAD (1841-1919) Congregationalist minister and educator. During the Civil War, Bumstead was commissioned as a Major for the 43rd regiment of the U.S. Colored Troops, a post he occupied from April 1864 to December 1865. In 1875, Bumstead joined the faculty off Atlanta University as an instructor of Natural Science and went on to serve as the school's second president from 1888 to 1907. Advanced-Guard, Out-Post, and Detachment Service of Troops, with the Essential Principles of Strategy, and Grand Tactics for the Use of Militia and Volunteers by D.H. Mahan. Stencil on front paste down reads: "Major Horace Bumstead, 43 rd. U.S.C.T." New York: Published by John Wiley. 1864 New Edition. Original black cloth, gilt. 4" x 6 1/2" 305 pages. Illustrated. Twelve folding plates. Internally Very Good. Wear to covers. Soiled. Lacks spine. A fair to good copy. This work was originally published for use in the Mexican War, but was reissued during the American Civil War. \$450 - up



HORACE BUMSTEAD, MAJOR IN THE 43RD U.S. COLORED TROOPS AND SECOND PRESIDENT OF ATLANTA UNIVERSITY

*** 452**
HORACE BUMSTEAD (1841-1919) The Hand-Book of Artillery, For the Service of the United States, Army Artillery, Including that of the New Iron Carriage by Joseph Roberts. Signed in pencil, "Horace Bumstead, Mass. Rifle Club," Feb. 17, 1864." New York. Published by D. Van Norstand, 1863. Fifth Edition, revised and enlarged. Original decorated red cloth, gilt. Marbled endpapers and edges. 4" x 6 1/4" 250 pages, plus 23 pages of advertisements at rear. Internally Very Good. Some wear to covers. Soiled. Spine darkened. Overall a good copy. \$450 - up



**UNION GENERAL
GEORGE H. THOMAS**

* 453
[GEORGE H. THOMAS]. CDV. No backstamp. Portrait of Thomas in uniform. Some very light soiling. Fine. \$150 - up



**OUTSTANDING
LETTER SHEET OF MAJ.
GENERAL GEORGE B.
MCCLELLAN**

* 454
McClellan Lettersheet. 5" x 8". J. Magee. 1861. A superb black and white Letter Sheet with a full standing pose of Union Major General George B. McClellan. Extremely fine. \$90 - up



U.S. MILITARY STATIONERY PACKET COVER

* 455
Printed Document. One page, 8 3/4" x 5 1/4". No place. 1861. The Document bears hand-colored renditions of the thirteen original states' seals. Text at center notes contents of stationery packet. Fine. \$75 - up



**SATIRICAL CDV OF
THE CAPTURE OF
JEFFERSON DAVIS: A
"BRUTAL ATTACK ON
HELPLESS WOMEN BY
THE U. S. GOVERN'T"**

* 457
[U. S. GRANT]. CDV. An interesting satirical cartoon image of a "Brutal Attack on Women by the U.S. Govern't." The image depicts a soldier holding back a knife wielding Jefferson Davis dressed as a woman and another in dress states, "You had better not provoke the president, he might hurt some of you". In response another Union Soldier replies "'Yer don't say". When captured by the by the Fourth Michigan cavalry on May 10, 1865, Davis had quickly donned a dress and blanket shawl over his suit in order to disguise himself. Excellent condition.

\$125 - up



MAGNUS SONG SHEET

* 456
5" x 8" Magnus Song Sheet, "Oh Jeff! Oh Jeff! How are you?" Hand colored illustration of Jefferson Davis, in a dress, being apprehended by Union soldiers at top center. First verse and chorus follows: " Jeff Davis is, we must admit / A man who knows when's time to leave / His last ditch now he had to quit / But still he states in language brief / That by misfortune of the war / He's forced to leave his statal seat / That still with him the powers are / Which will in time the Yankee's beat \ CHORUS Oh Jeff! Oh Jeff! How are you now? What means the frown. that's on they brow? " Stamp on verso reads: "Guy Prescott" Very Fine. \$75 - up



**GROUP OF SIX CIVIL
WAR ALBUM CARDS**

* 458
Group of six Civil War album Cards. 1) 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" card depicting Col. Ellsworth and his men trapping Jefferson Davis in a tree. 2) 2" x 3" card depicting the allegorical figures of Columbia assaulting a Confederate supporter. 3) 2 1/8" x 3 1/4" card depicting Union soldiers loading a cannon 4) 2 1/4" x 3 1/2" card depicting Jefferson Davis on his knees before Billy Wilson 5) 3 1/4" x 2 1/4" card depicting a bulldog (Scott) scaring a whippet

(Jefferson Davis) away from a piece of meat labeled Washington with the Capital Building in background. 6) 3 1/4" x 2 1/4" card depicting a bulldog (General Scott) scaring a whippet (Jefferson Davis) away from a piece of meat labeled Washington. \$200 - up

**UNISSUED TICKET FOR
THE UNITED STATES
MILITARY RAILROAD**

* 459
Unissued ticket for the United States Military Railroad. 3 3/8" x 2". No place. 1865. Green "U.S.M.R.R. 1865 DIV MISS" underprint and "Complimentary by order of Maj. Gen Thomas" red underprint. The United States Military Railroad was established in 1862 in order to run railroads for the Union wherever they were needed. During the Siege of Petersburg, the railroad supplied more then 100,000 troops and more than 65,000 horses with food, equipment and other supplies. Extremely Fine. \$100 - up

Confederate States



**STONEWALL JACKSON
CARTES-DE-VISITE**

* 460
[STONEWALL JACKSON]. CDV. No backstamp. Portrait of Jackson in uniform. Gold border. Fine. \$175 - up



CDV OF CONFEDERATE NAVAL OFFICER JOHN MOFFIT

* 461
[JOHN N. MOFFIT]. CDV. Backstamp of Charles D. Fredericks & Co., New York. A fine sepia image of a seated Moffit. Moffit commanded the Florida during its daring escape through the Union blockade at Mobile Bay. A nice image of this prominent Confederate naval officer. \$150 - up



RICHMOND CAPITOL FLAG REMNANT

* 463
[CIVIL WAR FLAG REMNANT]. Ensemble measures 11" x 14". Remnant of the flag taken from the Confederate Capitol in Richmond on April 4, 1865. Provenance links the flag back to Reverend John O. Foster who is said to have preached the first sermon after the fall of Richmond. Double-matted with a photo reproduction of the Capitol at Richmond. Excellent. \$400 - up



SWATCH FROM A CONFEDERATE BATTLE FLAG WHICH FLEW AT FORT MORGAN DURING THE BATTLE OF MOBILE BAY

* 465
[CIVIL WAR FLAG REMNANT]. Ensemble, measures 11" x 14" overall. A swatch from a Confederate flag that flew over Fort Morgan at Mobile Bay during the Federal attack on forts surrounding Mobile in 1864. Provenance indicates this flag originated from Fleet Surgeon James C. Palmer. A photograph of the large remnant from which this was taken along with detailed provenance are provided. Nicely double-matted with a reproduced photo of the Battle of Mobile Bay. \$400 - up



1864 CONFEDERATE CONGRESS DOCUMENT "ON THE SUBJECT OF A DEFICIENCY OF FUNDS"

* 467
 Three-page printed Confederate document, 6 1/4" x 9 3/4". Richmond, VA. December 29, 1864. The document reads, in part "CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN THE SECRETARIES OF WAR AND THE TREASURY, ON THE SUBJECT OF A DEFICIENCY OF FUNDS ... supplies cannot be obtained for the want of the requisite funds ... I am satisfied that the discredit of the government has arisen, in a measure, from the delay that has been made in the liquidation of the pressing, urgent and meritorious claims. I am aware of the many strong considerations that induce the restriction of issue as far as practicable, but I venture to suggest, that the current itself probably suffers more discredit from the failure to meet the engagements of the government, than could result from inflation by the issue necessary to redeem them ... It has been the occasion or excuse for desertion, marauding, sale of clothing and equipments, among soldiers ... officers are resentful, and soldiers reckless, discontented and suffering... "With "Record Division Rebel Archives" stamp. Edge split. Some toning at edges. Overall Fine. \$250 - up



OLD LIBBY PRISON RELICS

* 462
[CIVIL WAR - LIBBY PRISON RELIC]. Ensemble measures 14" x 11". A slice of a beam and a nail taken from the original structure of Libby Prison in Richmond, Virginia. A short history indicates that materials dating back to the original structure were sold in 2006, from which these originate. Double-matted with two different photo reproductions of Libby prison. Great for display. \$350 - up



THE 5TH TEXAS INFANTRY FLAG REMNANT

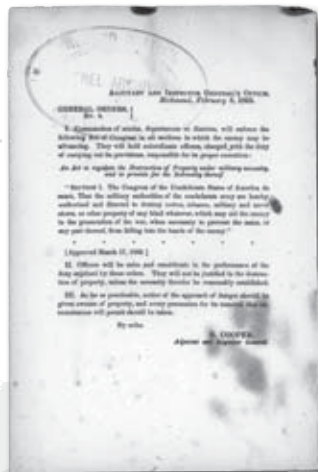
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[CIVIL WAR FLAG REMNANT]. Ensemble measures 11" x 14". Remnant of a battle flag of the 5th Texas Infantry. This brigade became known as "Hood's Texas Brigade", commanded by General John Bell Hood. Double-matted with a photo reproduction of Ensign W. C. Clark, flag bearer of the regiment along with a photo reproduction of the flag that this was taken from. Full provenance is provide. Excellent. \$400 - up



CSA TRANSPORTATION DOCUMENT

* 466
 Partially Printed Confederate States of American Quartermaster General's Department document. One page, 7 1/2" x 3 3/4". Montgomery, Alabama. May 13, 1862. The document grants transport for one man on the Chattahoochee River Bt. Very Fine. \$75 - up

AN ACT TO REGULATE THE DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY UNDER MILITARY NECESSITY, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE INDEMNITY THEREOF



*** 468**
 Printed Confederate document, "GENERAL ORDERS No. 4" One page, 5" x 7.5." Richmond. February 8, 1865. The document reads, in part: "... Commanders of armies, departments or districts, will enforce the following Act of Congress in all sections in which the enemy may be advancing ... An Act to Regulate the Destruction of Property under military necessity, and to provide for the Indemnity thereof ... the military authorities of the confederate army are hereby authorized

and directed to destroy cotton, tobacco, military and naval stores, or other property of any kind whatever, which may aid the enemy in the prosecution of the war ... Officers will be calm and considerate in the performance of the duty enjoined by these orders. They will not be justified in the destruction of property, unless the necessity therefore be reasonably established ... " With "Record Division Rebel Archives" stamp at upper left. Some soiling. Overall Fine. \$250 - up

POLITICAL AMERICANA

MILITARY DESPOTISM! ARBITRARY ARREST OF A JUDGE!!



Pine, N.Y. The broadside recounts the arrest of a New Orleans newspaperman and a judge under orders from General Andrew Jackson shortly after the close of the War of 1812: After issuing orders for the arrest of Mr. Louallier, who had written an article calling for an immediate end to military law, Jackson issued orders for the arrest of Judge Hall, who had been contacted by Louallier's lawyer. The broadside goes on to state that Jackson was subsequently cited for the arrest of Judge Hall and fined one thousand dollars, a fee which was repaid to Jackson with interest during the 1842 Congressional Session. Edge wear at left edge. Overall Fine. An interesting broadside relative to the military career of "Old Hickory."

*** 471**
[ANDREW JACKSON]. 12" x 19" broadside. One page. Printed by P.W. Derham, Printed and Stationer, 15 Nassau Street, Corner of

\$500 - up



*** 469**
[CONFEDERATE REUNION]
 Richmond Virginia Confederate reunion button. Flags. Fine. \$50 - up



*** 470**
[CONFEDERATE REUNION]
 32nd Reunion, Tampa 1927. Confederate Flag and Lee bust. Excellent. \$35 - up

Associates, Inc.



A LARGE SILK BROADSIDE OF ANDREW JACKSON'S INAUGURAL ADDRESS

*** 472**
[ANDREW JACKSON]. Silk broadside framed to an overall size of 16" x 21". March 4, 1829. Printed on silk by Richard C. Langdon, Xenia, Ohio. Complete text of Andrew Jackson's first inaugural address. A lovely graphic broadside depicting an eagle at top supported by ornate pillars with wonderful, fine detail. Some minor light dampstaining mentioned for accuracy. Overall a nice clean example of this early silk. Fine. \$2,500 - up

"The Party was the largest he will probably give this winter. The old General appeared in very good spirits. The ladies were very much dressed and made a splendid show."

DINNER WITH ANDREW JACKSON

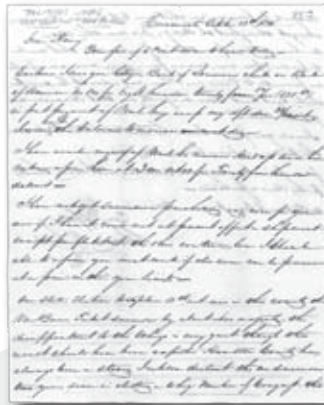
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Letter with a first person description of dinner with Andrew Jackson. Autograph Letter Signed, "Sarah Tomlinson," on embossed Senate, U.S. stationery. Four pages, 20 1/2" x 16". Framed in a two-sided archival frame, allowing both sides of letter to be read easily. Washington, D.C. December 15, 1835. Tomlinson writes to her sister, in part: "... We are invited to dine with the President today. We, at first, thought of declining owing to ill health, but the weather is delightful today again, as warm as spring. We are well comparatively speaking, and we really have no apology to offer. This is about one of his first parties. I believe he has given one to the Foreign ministers and Heads of Department. Mr. & Mrs. Lay are invited to night; Mr. Knight and Mr. Frelinghuysen are to go on Thursday ..." Tomlinson continues to write the following morning: "We went to the Presidents yesterday. The Party was the largest he will probably give this winter. The old General appeared in very good spirits. The ladies were very much dressed and made a splendid show. The Table was filled almost to crowding. I could hear some sly words among the Gentlemen about big sleeves ..." Our letter's author, Sarah Tomlinson, was the wife of Connecticut Senator Gideon Tomlinson (1780-1854). There are some fold repairs. Else Very Good. \$500 - up

SEEKING ANDREW JACKSON'S AUTOGRAPH

* 474

Autograph Letter Signed, "Alfred Balch." One page, 7 5/8" x 11". Nashville. December 13, 1843. Addressed on integral leaf. With red, circular "NEW YORK" postal cancellation. Balch writes, in part: "The promise I made to send you the autograph of General Jackson has not been forgotten ... I addressed him a note on this subject to which he made a reply and in which he acknowledge the honor which your request implied: but this note was mislaid and thereupon I charged a divine little widow who is a member of the family at the Hermitage to recover it ... she has always said that the next time I came she would be sure to have it ... The old Hero if he lives, which is exceedingly doubtful will be seventy seven years of age the fiftieth of the coming March ..." A friend of Andrew Jackson, Alfred Balch was appointed Commissioner of the Indian Treaties during Jackson's presidency. Subsequently, Balch was appointed federal district court judge for the state of Florida by President Van Buren in 1840. Very Fine. \$500 - up



VAN BUREN, HARRISON AND THE ELECTION OF 1836

* 475

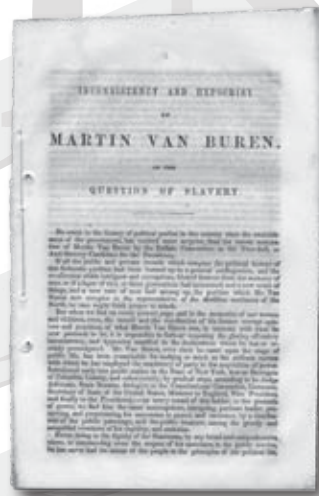
Letter Signed. Two pages, 8" x 9 3/4". Cincinnati. October 13th, 1836 Addressed on integral leaf with circular, red "Cincinnati" postal cancellation. The letter reads, in part: "... Our state election took place 11th inst. and in this county the Van Buren ticket succeeded by about a 400 majority. The disappointment of the Whigs is very great though this result should have been expected. Hamilton County has always been a strong Jackson district tho' we succeeded two years since in electing a Whig member

of Congress. the majority of Governor (and that will test General Harrison's strength throughout the state) is only 230 more than 1834. We have return from three or four counties that can be depended upon and rumors from a dozen more all of which are favorable to Van and I have not a doubt he will be elected by at least 3000 majority and that Harrison will get the state ... " Paper loss from wax seal. Else Very Fine. \$250 - up

DANIEL WEBSTER AND HENRY CLAY

* 476

Transcription Of A Congressional Discussion Involving Daniel Webster And Henry Clay. Printed Document. Forty-eight pages, 5 3/4" x 9 3/4". Printed at the office of the Howard Gazette. 1824. The document is account of the Eighteenth Congress' discussion regarding a provision for defraying the expense of appointing a commissioner or agent to Greece, including the comments offered by the great nineteenth century orators and statesmen Daniel Webster and Henry Clay. Edge wear and toning. Blue paper covers. Fine. \$300 - up

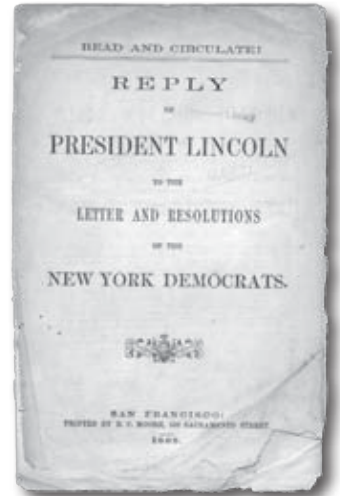


PAMPHLET ON VAN BUREN AND SLAVERY

* 477

[VAN BUREN ON SLAVERY]. 1848. 5 1/2" x 8 3/4". 16 page pamphlet. Removed from bound volume. String binding. Inconsistency and hypocrisy of Martin Van Buren on the question of slavery. Fine.

\$75 - up



REPLY OF PRESIDENT LINCOLN TO THE LETTER AND RESOLUTIONS OF THE NEW YORK DEMOCRATS

* 478

[LINCOLN]. Pamphlet. 6" x 9 1/4". 8 pages. 1863, San Francisco. Printed by R. C. Moore. Concerns Lincoln's reply to the Resolutions of the Albany Meeting of May 16, 1863. Lincoln responds to a call that the Constitutional rights of States be maintained and recognized IN light of the Vallandigham Case in which his petition for habeus corpus was denied. Folds and some light edge chinks. Fine. \$250 - up



GRANT MEMORIAL RIBBON

* 479

U.S. GRANT MEMORIAL RIBBON. 11 1/2" x 2 1/2" white satin ribbon with affixed celluloid plaque, measuring 5" x 2 1/2", with engraved portrait of Grant, life and death statistics and an elegy. Titled "Souvenir of U. S. Grant." Published by Geo A. Snow 19 Park Place, N.Y. Copyrighted 1885. Most likely this ribbon was sold at Grant's interment at Riverside Park, New York. Excellent. \$200 - up



ADMISSION TICKET FOR THE DISPUTED ELECTION OF 1876

* 480
4 3/4" x 3" orange admission card to "The Gallery of House of Representatives" for "Counting the Vote for President and Vice-President" on February 12, 1877. Ticket # 980. Image of an American flag at center. A fine piece from one of the most disputed and intense president elections in American history. In the end, the electoral commission assembled to decide this election gave all twenty disputed electoral votes to Hayes, which gave him one more electoral vote than his opponent. Some slight edge wear. Overall Very Fine. \$150 - up



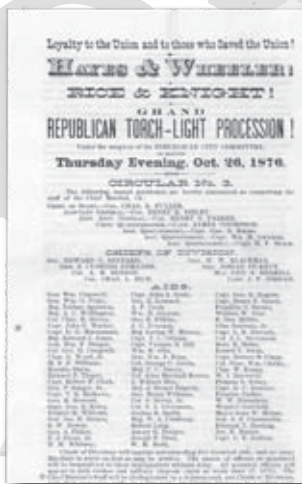
NO FREE TRADE ! BENJAMIN HARRISON CAMPAIGN BROADSIDE FROM THE 1888 ELECTION

* 482
[HARRISON CAMPAIGN] Campaign broadside. 18" x 23 1/4". "Compliments of the Brooklyn Standard-Union, The Leading Republican Newspaper". Printed in Blue. A large Rooster, "NO FREE TRADE" Printed below. Harrison won the election in a tight race with the Democratic candidate Grover Cleveland. Cleveland actually received more votes than the Republican but Harrison won the electoral college. Folds. Backed. \$750 - up



GROVER CLEVELAND RIBBON

* 484
GROVER CLEVELAND 2 1/2" x 5 1/4" ribbon bearing an image of an eagle with a "Grover Cleveland, Thomas A. Hendricks" Ribbon in his beak. American themed shields below eagle's spread wings have small oval portrait photographs of Cleveland and Hendricks glued in place. Laurels and a ribbon identifying the men as candidates for president and vice-president below shield. Backstamp reads: "Copyright secured August, 1884, by Brown & Sanson, N.Y." Overall Fine. \$125 - up



HAYES & WHEELER REPUBLICAN TORCH-LIGHT PROCESSION CIRCULAR

* 481
"Circular No. 3" for the "Grand Republican Torch-Light Procession" Three pages, 5 3/4" x 9". The Circular lists the participants as well as the route that the processional will take through Boston. Overall Very Fine. A fine piece from one of the most disputed and intense presidential elections in American history. \$200 - up



WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON MEMORIAL RIBBON

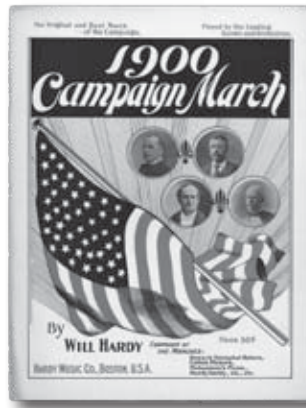
* 483
[WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON]. Mourning ribbon. Spread-eagle holding a banner "Our Nation Mourns a Hero Gone". Portrait of Harrison with flags. Harrison's birth and death dates and Inaugural date are printed at bottom along with the date of the memorial ceremony indicating a New York event. "The melancholy occasion solemnized at New York, April 10, 1811" Couple of creases. Very Fine. \$250 - up



THEODORE ROOSEVELT RIBBON

* 485
THEODORE ROOSEVELT (1858-1919) President of the United States. 3" x 5 1/2" ribbon bearing an image and a sewn signature of Theodore Roosevelt. Produced by the National Ribbon Company, Paterson, N.J. Some fraying at bottom edge. Overall Very Fine. \$100 - up

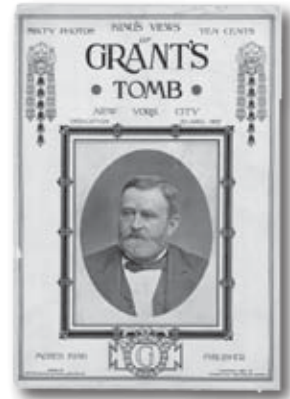
ing 21 1/2" x 23 3/4" from the hotly contested "Free Silver" election. The election of 1896 remains "critical" because of its lasting import as a milestone in the conflict between agrarian and industrial America. Conservative Northeastern creditor interests viewed Bryan's advocacy of free silver as a sectional and agrarian demand for dishonorable repudiation of debt. To Western and Southern debtors, however, the free-silver issue represented the determination of "productive workers" to use the ballot to seek economic justice in a government-directed redistribution of the national wealth. Bryan also called for tariff reform, control of the trusts, an income tax, direct elections, government rather than private issuance of money, an end to "federal interference" and "government by injunction," and liberalization of the Supreme Court. The Progressive movement endorsed all these points in the early 1900's. Some margin tears and some very minor paper loss in a couple of areas at extreme margin. \$125 - up



1900 CAMPAIGN MARCH SHEET MUSIC

* 489
Sheet Music, "1900 Campaign March" by Will Hardy. American flag and images of the candidates in the 1900 national election on cover. Five pages, 10 3/4" x 14 1/8". Slight toning at spine. Else Very Fine.

\$90 - up



KING'S VIEWS OF GRANT'S TOMB

* 491
King's Views of Grant's Tomb. Moses King Publisher. Fifteen pages, 10 3/4" x 15 7/8". Image of Grant on Cover. Assorted images of Grant's tomb and the tomb's dedication ceremonies. Covers separated from remainder of pages. Some slight tears. Overall Fine. \$90 - up



TALLY SHEET FOR THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION OF 1888 IN WHICH BENJAMIN HARRISON DEFEATED GROVER CLEVELAND

* 486
[BENJAMIN HARRISON]. November 6, 1888. A large partly-printed tally sheet measuring 17" x 54" for recording the votes placed during the Presidential election of 1888. Percys Mill, Grant District, Wayne County, Indiana. The tally of votes cast for the Harrison\Morton ticket and the Cleveland\Thurman ticket are shown as well as all of the local offices such as the Governor, Treasurer, Judges, etc. Accompanied by two additional documents being the Township Poll Book listing the voters and Electoral commission certification of the vote. A fine grouping of presidential election documents. All fine or better.

\$300 - up



"WILSON'S MARCH" SHEET MUSIC

* 488
[WOODROW WILSON]. "Wilson's March" Sheet Music. Six pages, 9 3/4" x 13 1/2". Image of Wilson on cover with American flag background. Published by Frank K. Root and Co., Chicago & New York. This original sheet music was issued around the presidential campaign of 1912, which saw Wilson defeat Taft and T.R. Extremely Fine

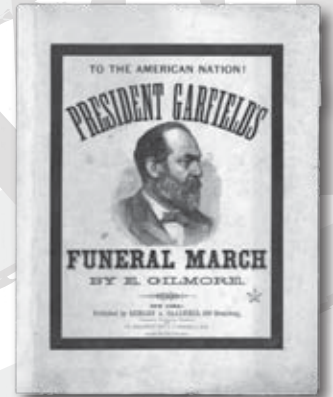
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"PRESIDENT MCKINLEY'S FAVORITE HYMNS"

* 490
[WILLIAM MCKINLEY]. "President McKinley's Favorite Hymns" sheet music. Four pages, 10 1/4" x 13 3/4". Portrait of McKinley on cover along with his facsimile signature and birth and death dates. Back cover offers numerous facts relative to McKinley. Includes two songs, "Nearer My God, To Thee" and "Lead Kindly Light." Copyright September 25, 1901, Edward Deutsch and Hutmann, Chicago. This sheet was issued just six days after McKinley's assassination. Overall Fine.

\$90 - up



"PRESIDENT GARFIELD'S FUNERAL MARCH" BY E. GILMORE

* 492
"President Garfield's Funeral March" sheet music. Three pages, 10 3/4" x 14". Line engraving of Garfield on cover. Copyright, 1881, by R.A. Saalfield. Published by Richard A. Saalfield, 839 Broadway, New York. Some slight toning and edge wear. Overall Fine. \$125 - up



LARGE BALLOT FROM THE 1896 ELECTION WHICH BROUGHT MCKINLEY HIS FIRST TERM IN OFFICE

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A large poster sized ballot measur-



"WASHINGTON AND HIS FAMILY" PROOF IMPRESSION BY SARTAIN

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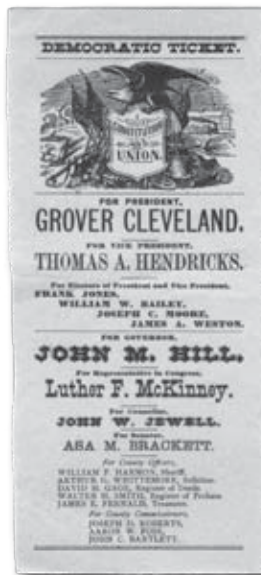
Uncolored Proof of "Washington and his Family." 28" x 22". Philadelphia. 1864. Printed by Irwin & Sartain and engraved by William Sartain. Marked "PROOF" in lower right corner. Washington sits in uniform surrounded by his family and symbols of American life. On the table lies a copy of the official plan of the City of Washington. To the right is Washington's sword, and to the left is an olive plant representing peace. A beautifully executed proof print. William Sartain was one of the best known historical engravers of the late 19th century, and his works could be found in nearly every middle-class American home. Extremely Fine. \$600 - up



A COLORFUL MEMORIAL BROADSIDE OF THREE ASSASSINATED PRESIDENTS

* 494

22 1/4" x 17 1/4". Copyrighted 1901 by J. H. De Bruyn, Minneapolis, Minn. A colorful full color illustration depicting portraits of the three martyred presidents, James Garfield, Abraham Lincoln and William McKinley. Below states "In Memoriam, Gods Will, not ours be done". An art supplement distributed by the Svenska Amerikanska Posten, a Swedish-language newspaper published in Minneapolis. Few folds and a couple of age spots. Fine. \$250 - up



CLEVELAND AND HENDRICKS TICKET

* 495

[CLEVELAND ELECTION]. 1884. Democratic Ballot from the 1884 presidential election in which Grover Cleveland attained his first term as president. Eagle and shield vignette. Litho. In Excellent condition. \$90 - up



FDR DOCUMENT WITH PRINTED SIGNATURE

* 497

[FRANKLIN D ROOSEVELT] (1882-1945). President of the United States. Document with printed signature, "Franklin D. Roosevelt," as President of the United States. 13" x 15 3/4" framed. No place. No date. Color image of U.S. Department of State Seal at top center. The document honors "Private Fred G. Gosbee ... Who died in the service of his country in the American Area, May 10, 1944 ... " Extremely Fine. \$100 - up



CHARLES MAGNUS: THE PRESIDENTS OF OUR GREAT REPUBLIC

* 496

Magnus Sheet: "The Presidents of Our Great Republic." One page, 8" x 5". Published by Chars. C. Magnus, 12 Frankfort St. N.Y. No date [1861?] Image of the White House surrounded by portraits of our first sixteen presidents, from Washington to Lincoln. Black and White. Very Fine. \$150 - up



PRESIDENTIAL CIGAR LABELS: WASHINGTON TO THEODORE ROOSEVELT

* 498

Presidential cigar band collection. Set of Twenty five cigar bands bears color images of the nation's first twenty six presidents, from Washington to Theodore Roosevelt. All in Extremely Fine condition.

\$300 - up

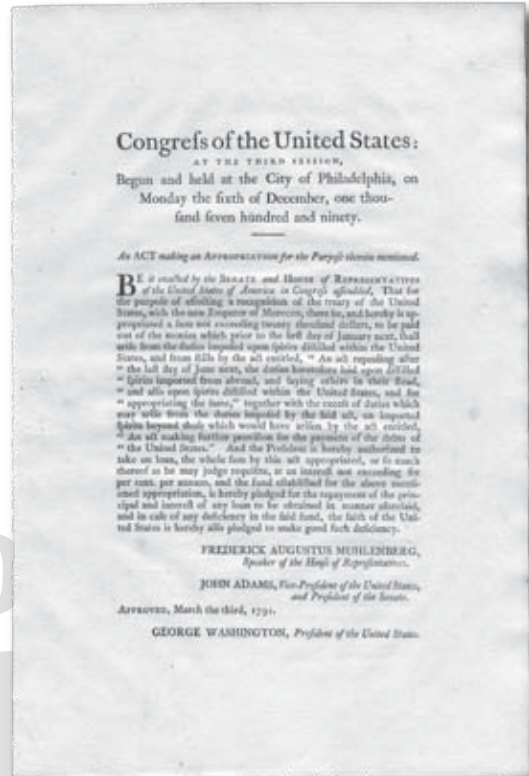


FINE POLITICAL CARICATURE

* 499

14" x 10 1/2" political caricature depicting three men loading a myriad of taxes atop a rotund John Bull as he teeters at the edge of the Slough of Despond. The taxes listed range from the Prince's debts to a variety of sundry goods. No Place. [1790s?]. One of the primary areas of concern for William Pitt during his first term as Prime Minister was the national debt that had dramatically increased during the rebellion of the North American colonies. It appears likely that our image, with its clear references to both increased debts and Pitt, was accomplished in response to this period of increased taxes. Lower edge torn at left, affecting first half of images title. Overall Very Good. \$250 - up

AMERICANA



PRINTED ACT OF THE FIRST CONGRESS – AN OFFICIAL PAYOFF TO THE BARBARY PIRATES

* 503

[ACT OF CONGRESS]. 7 3/4" x 11 1/4". March 3, 1791. 1 page. Printed Act of Congress signed in type by GEORGE WASHINGTON as President, FREDERICK MUHLENBERG as Speaker of the House and JOHN ADAMS as Vice-president of the U.S. and President of the Senate. Third Session held at Philadelphia on December 6, 1790. A printed Act making an Appropriation "for the purpose of effecting a recognition of the treaty of the United States, with the new Emperor of Morocco" President Washington had requested of Congress a sum not exceeding \$20,000 as part of the a treaty agreed to in 1787 by the United States and the Emperor of Morocco. Under the terms of the treaty, Morocco was to release any American prisoners taken by the Moors. Washington indicated to Congress that the appropriation was of "importance...to the liberty and property of our citizens. In effect the United States government, powerless to protect American interests along the Barbary coast paid for the release of prisoners and protection money for American shipping interests. Evans 23859. Excellent.

\$1,500 - up

THEODORE ROOSEVELT PICTURE POSTCARD

* 500

[THEODORE ROOSEVELT] (1858-1919). Historian, naturalist, 26th President (1901-1909), and first American to be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize (1906). Picture postcard showing Roosevelt speaking to a large crowd. Stain at top right and a few minor folds. Else Fine. \$40 - up



CHURCHILL SPEAKING AT HARVARD UNIVERSITY 1943

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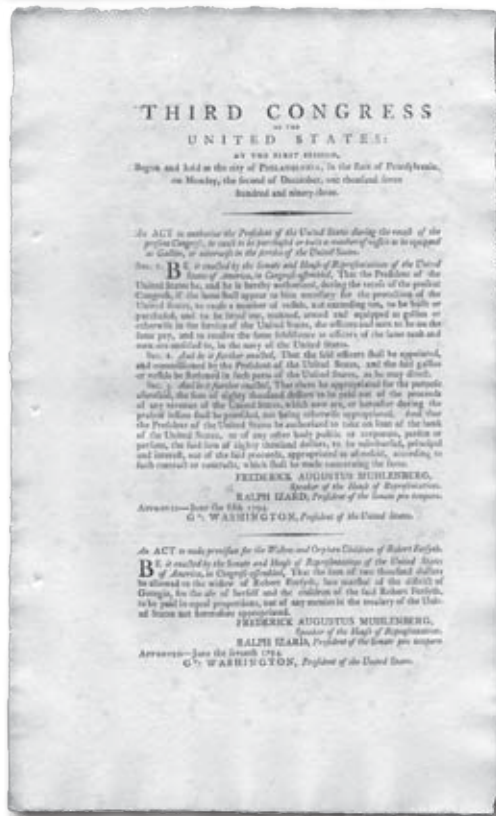
Fine black & white photograph of Winston Churchill speaking on the steps of Harvard's Memorial Church. 13" x 11 3/8" framed. On September 6, 1943, Winston Churchill visited Harvard University to receive an honorary Doctor of Law degree. After delivering a rousing speech on the subject of English and American unity at Harvard's Memorial Church, the great orator went to the south portico of the building in order to address the assembled throng of nearly 10,000. Taken during this second speech, this photograph is a wonderful memento of Churchill's historic visit to the prestigious campus of Harvard. \$150 - up

"WIN WITH IKE FOR PRESIDENT" APRON

* 501

DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER (1890-1969). President of the United States and Supreme Commander of the Allied forces in Europe during the WW II. Red apron with white and blue striped banners and white and blue shields at left, right and bottom. Image of Eisenhower at center. Approximately 70" in length not including neck strap. An interesting piece of campaign memorabilia. Extremely Fine.

\$200 - up

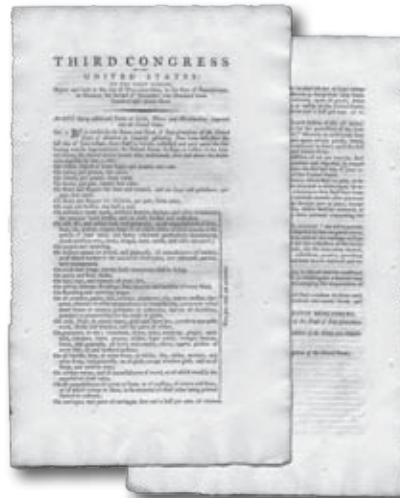


PRINTED ACT OF THE THIRD CONGRESS

CONGRESS AUTHORIZES THE CONSTRUCTION OF TEN GALLIES IN 1794 - AN IMPORTANT EARLY NAVAL ACT

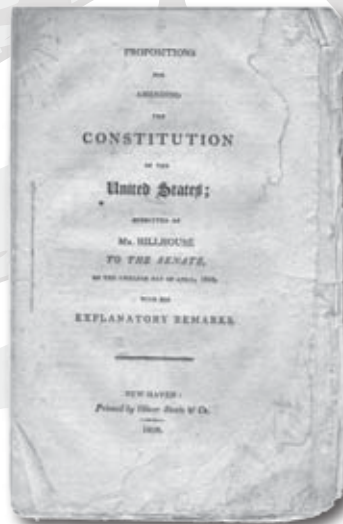
*** 507**
[ACT OF CONGRESS]. 8" x 13 1/4". June 7, 1794. 1 page. Printed Act of Congress signed in by Type by GEORGE WASHINGTON as President as well as FREDERICK MUHLENBERG as Speaker of the House and RALPH IZARD as President of the Senate. First Session held in Philadelphia on Monday, December 2, 1793. Two Acts are detailed: 1) "An ACT to authorize the President of the United States during the recess of the present Congress, to cause to be purchased or built a number of vessels to be equipped as Gallies, or otherwise in the service of the United States." The act authorizes the construction and manning of up to ten vessels "for the protection of the United States." Additionally, the act authorizes the appointment and pay of commissioned officers and gives the president the authority to borrow up to \$80,000 from the Bank of The United States to finance the construction and/or purchase of the ships. 2) The second act authorizes "provision for the Widow and Orphan children of Robert Forsythe." This is one of the earliest Acts approved for the development of ships for the United States Navy. The United States found itself under increasing pressure to provide naval protection for American merchant vessels as the war between England and France was continuing and commercial loses were occurring as a result. Evans 27865. Three very small binding holes at left. Excellent. \$1,250 - up

PRINTED ACT OF THE THIRD CONGRESS



*** 508**
[ACT OF CONGRESS]. 8" x 13 1/4". June 7, 1794. 2 pages, both sides of a single sheet. Printed Act of Congress signed in Type by GEORGE WASHINGTON as President as well as FREDERICK MUHLENBERG as Speaker of the House and RALPH IZARD as President of the Senate. First Session held in Philadelphia on Monday, December 2, 1793. "An ACT laying additional Duties on Goods, Wares and Merchandise imported into the United States." Eight sections of the act provide details of items to be levied and provisions for payments and collections. Evans 27872. Three very small binding holes at left. Excellent. \$800 - up

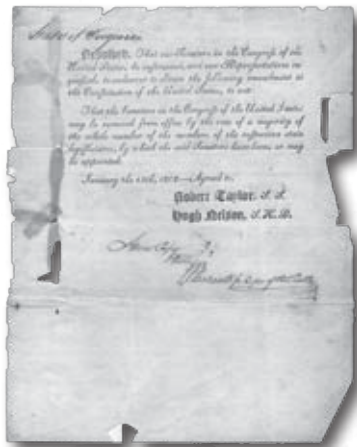
PROPOSITIONS FOR AMENDING THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES



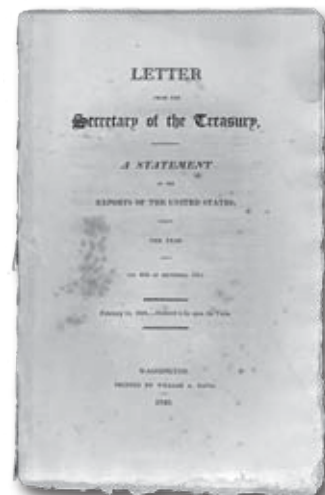
*** 509**
[JAMES HILLHOUSE] (1754-1832). American lawyer and politician. Propositions for Amending the Constitution of the United States...with His Explanatory Remarks. 1st edition. 31 Page, 5 1/4" x 9". New-Haven. Oliver Steele & Co., 1808. Proposed changes to the Constitution by this Connecticut Senator were intended to limit the power of the presidency. These include, the annual election of Representatives, a term of three years for Senators, the abolition of the Vice Presidency and a term of one year for the President, who would be chosen from among the retiring Senators by random drawing. Sewn & uncut, as issued. Some dampstaining, else Good. \$300 - up

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PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION



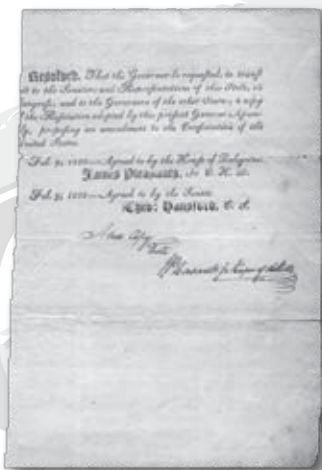
*** 510**
JAMES PLEASANTS (1769-1836) American politician who served in the U.S. Senate and as Governor of Virginia Partially Printed Document Signed “J. Pleasants.” One page, 7 3/4” x 9 3/4”. Virginia. January 13, 1808. The document reads, in part: “Resolved, That our Senators in the Congress of the United States, be instructed, and our Representatives requested, to endeavor to obtain the following amendment to the Constitution of the United States, to wit: That the Senators of the Congress of the United States may be removed from office by the vote of a majority of the whole number of the members of the respective state legislatures ...” While it passed Virginia’s General Assembly, this proposed amendment was never adopted on the national level. Some paper loss, not affecting text. Overall Fine. \$500 - up



SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY TRANSMITTAL OF A STATEMENT OF THE EXPORTS OF THE U.S. IN 1816

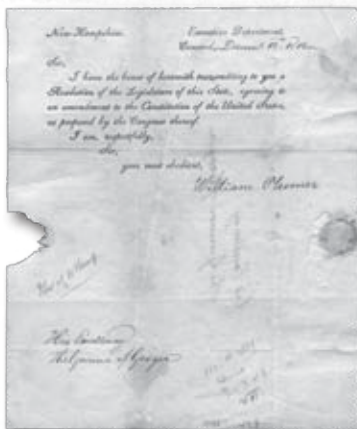
*** 513**
 1816, Treasury Department. 8 1/4” x 13 1/2”. Printed by William A. Davis. Eight pages stating amounts of the exports of the United States during the year ending September 30th, 1815. The total value of domestic as well as foreign exports are an astonishing \$52,557,753. Transmitted by the Secretary of Treasury, A.J. Dallas, February 14th, 1816. \$125 - up

PROPOSAL TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION



*** 511**
JAMES PLEASANTS (1769-1836) American politician who served in the U.S. Senate and as Governor of Virginia Partially Printed Document Signed “J. Pleasants.” One page, 6 5/8” x 9 3/4”. Virginia. February 9, 1808. The document reads, in part: “Resolved, That the Governor be requested, to transmit to the Senators and Representative of this State, in Congress, and to the Governors of the other States, a cop of the Resolution adopted by this present General Assembly, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States ...” The amendment proposed stated that senators in the congress of the United States could be removed from office if a majority of their state legislators vote for their removal. This proposed amendment was agreed to by Virginia’s Assembly on January 13, 1808, but was never adopted as a Constitutional Amendment. Left edge of paper trimmed. Overall Very Fine. \$500 - up

NEW HAMPSHIRE RATIFIES A DEAD AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION



*** 512**
WILLIAM PLUMER (1759-1850) American lawyer and preacher from New Hampshire. Plumer served as a New Hampshire Senator and as the state’s governor. Partially Printed Document Signed, “William Plummer.” One page, 8” x 9 1/2”. New Hampshire, Executive Department, Concord. December 12, 1812. The document, addressed on verso to “His Excellency, The Governor of Georgia,” reads, in part: “... I have the honor of herewith transmitting to you a Resolution of the Legislature of this State, agreeing to an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, as proposed by the Congress thereof ...” According to the Constitutional Concepts Foundation (www.Constitutionalconcepts.org), the amendment referred to by Plumer was specifically indented to ban participation in government operation by attorneys and bankers who claimed the Title of Nobility of “Esquire.” This amendment was proposed to the legislatures of several states by the Eleventh Congress in May of 1810 and saw ratification by thirteen states before 1813, with New Hampshire being the final state to ratify it in December of 1812. Despite it ratification, and the fact that some printed copies of the Constitution contain the above noted amendment, it was never enforced and has since faded into obscurity. A Fine piece relative to an intriguing aspect of America’s Constitutional history. Slight paper loss at left edge. Tape repair to folds. Overall Fine. \$500 - up

**SECRETARY OF WAR
TRANSMITTAL OF
STATEMENTS OF THE
WAR DEPARTMENT IN
1816**

* 514
1816, War Department. 8 1/4" x 13 1/2". Printed by William A. Davis. Five pages with one large pullout statement, which details the number of Army payroll clerks, employed in 1815. Transmitted by the Secretary of War, William H. Crawford, April 11, 1816. \$75 - up

**SECRETARY OF TREA-
SURY REPORT RELA-
TION TO EXPENSES TO
PROSECUTION OF OF-
FENSES AGAINST THE
U.S. IN 1816**

* 515
1816, Treasury Department. 8 1/4" x 13 1/2". Printed by William A. Davis. Seven pages with one large pullout that states fines and penalties paid to the treasury from New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, and New York between 1808 and 1815. Transmitted by the Secretary of Treasury A.J. Dallas, March 29th, 1816. \$75 - up

**COMMISSIONERS OF
THE SINKING FUND
REPORT SHOWING THE
MEASURES OF THE FEB-
RUARY 6TH REPORT**

* 516
1816, Commissioners of the Sinking Fund. 8 1/4" x 13 1/2". Printed by William A. Davis. Twelve pages with one large pullout stating in detail the measures of the Sinking Fund which have been authorized by the board subsequent to their last report of February 6th, 1816. Transmitted by the Commissioners: John Gaillard, President of the Senate, pro tempore; J. Marshall, Chief Justice of the United States; James Monroe, Secretary of State; A.J. Dallas, Secretary of the Treasury, February 7th, 1816. \$75 - up

**SECRETARY OF TREA-
SURY TRANSMITTAL OF
A STATEMENT OF LOAN
SMADE TO THE U.S. IN
1816**

* 517
1816, Treasury Department. 8 1/4" x 13 1/2". Printed by William A. Davis. Three pages with one large pullout, which states all loans by the government since March 1st, 1812 in pursuance of the resolution of the House of Representatives which later, passed on April 8th, 1816. Transmitted by Secretary of Treasury, A.J. Dallas, April 12th, 1816. \$75 - up

**SECRETARY OF THE
TREASURY TRANSMIT-
TAL OF STATEMENTS OF
RECEIPT AND EXPENDI-
TURES IN 1816**

* 518
1816, Treasury Department. 8 1/4" x 13 1/2". Printed by William A. Davis. Seven pages with two large pullouts stating the receipts and expenditures in detail of the treasury of the United States from March 3rd, 1789 to March 31st, 1815. These were made in pursuance of a resolution of the House of Representatives of the 20th Instant. Transmitted by the Secretary of Treasury, A.J. Dallas, January 25th, 1816. \$75 - up

**SECRETARY OF THE
TREASURY TRANSMIT-
TAL OF A PUBLIC DEBT
STATEMENT FOR THE
RESOLUTION OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESEN-
TATIVES IN 1816**

* 519
1816, Treasury Department. 8 1/4" x 13 1/2". Printed by William A. Davis. Four pages of a statement that speaks of additions which have been made to the Funded Public Debt and to the Floating Public Debt since December 30th, 1816 prepared in pursuance of a resolution of the House of Representatives of February 12th, 1816. Transmitted by the Secretary of Treasury, A.J. Dallas, February 28th, 1816. \$75 - up

**CONNECTICUT
SUBMITS INFORMATION REGARDING THE
GOVERNMENT'S ASSUMPTION OF STATE DEBTS**



* 520
Group of two Copy Letters concerning the government's assumption of state debts. 1) Copy Letter. One page, 7 1/2" x 9". Hartford. October 4, 1790. The document, written by Connecticut's Comptroller to Governor Huntington, reads, in part: "... Your Excellency was pleased when last at Hartford to intimate your wish to see a Statement of

this States debts ... in the assumption of the United States the enclosed I believe may be relied upon nearly impossible to ascertain the sum with absolute certainly as there is no clue exactly to find the amount of our outstanding State Bills—I am inclined to it has been estimated too high, and they may not all be received ..." Paper loss at lower right edge, affecting the close of four lines. Overall Fine. 2) Copy Letter. One page, 7 1/2" x 12 1/4". Compt. Office. Hartford. October 12, 1790. The letter reads, in part: "... Enclosed is my original report as entered in the Book returned to the General Assembly containing a more accurate statement of this States debts ... for in the assumption than the estimate enclosed in my letter to your Excellency dated 4th Inst. ... The enclosed is a certificate of the payment of Ensign Andrew Mead and invalid pensioner ... omitted in the list returned dated 5 Oct 1790. The mistake was discovered upon reexamining the books in this office and it was occasioned by his name having been left out ..." Separation at folds. Overall Very Fine.

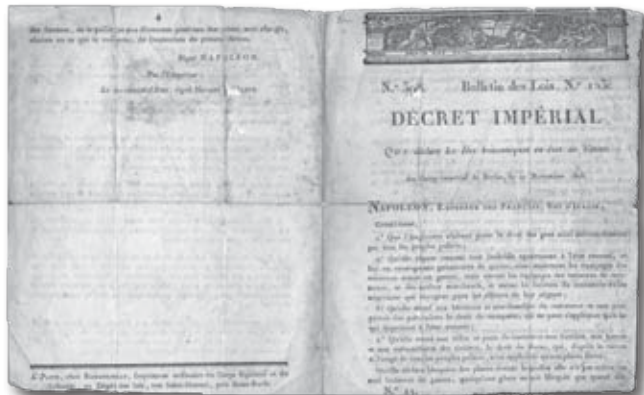
In his First Report on the Public Credit, Alexander Hamilton proposed that the new federal government assume state debts incurred during the Revolutionary War. Following heated debate over this controversial issue, Hamilton's proposal narrowly passed the House in early 1790. This historic event marked an early step in the creation our early national economic system, and also played an important part in the creation of our nation's first political parties. \$500 - up

**SECRETARY OF THE
TREASURY TRANSMIT-
TAL OF A STATEMENT
OF THE EMOLUMENTS
OF THE 1815 OFFICERS
IN 1816**

* 521
1816, Treasury Department. 8 1/4" x 13 1/2". Printed by William A.

Davis. Seven pages with three extremely large pullouts stating emoluments employed in the collection of the customs for 1815, conformably to an act of Congress passed on March 2nd, 1799. Transmitted by the Secretary of Treasury, A.J. Dallas, February 22nd, 1816.

\$75 - up



A FINE IMPRINT OF THE HISTORIC BERLIN DECREE OF NOVEMBER 21, 1806 IN WHICH NAPOLEON DECLARES A BLOCKADE OF THE BRITISH ISLES AND INITIATES THE CONTINENTAL SYSTEM IN AN EFFORT TO DESTROY BRITISH TRADE

*** 522**
 Berlin Decree, 1806. This decree was issued in Berlin by Napoleon I on Nov. 21 in answer to the British blockade. Claiming that the British blockade of purely commercial ports was contrary to international law, Napoleon retaliated by declaring the British Isles under blockade and forbidding any trade to or from them. The Berlin Decree initiated the Continental System. The translated decree reads, in part: "From our Imperial Camp at Berlin, November 21, 1806. Napoleon, Emperor of the French and King of Italy, considering: 1. That England does not admit the right of nations as universally acknowledged by all civilized people; 2. That she declares as an enemy every individual belonging to an enemy State, and, in consequence, makes prisoners of war, not only of the crews of armed vessels, but also of merchant vessels, and even of the supercargoes of the same ... 8. That this conduct in England (worthy of the first ages of barbarism,) has benefitted her, to the detriment of other nations; 9. That it being right to oppose to an enemy the same arms she makes use of, to combat as she does, when all ideas of justice and every liberal sentiment (the result of civilization among men) are discarded; We have resolved to enforce against England the usages which she has consecrated in her maritime code. The present decree shall be considered as the fundamental law of the empire, until

England has acknowledged that the rights of war are the same on land as at sea; that it cannot be extended to any private property whatever, nor to persons who are not military, and until the right of blockade be restrained to fortified places, actually invested by competent forces. ARTICLE I. The British islands are declared in a state of blockade. ARTICLE II. All commerce and correspondence with the British islands are prohibited. In consequence, letters or packets, addressed either to England, to an Englishman, or in the English language, shall not pass through the post-office and shall be seized. ARTICLE III. Every subject of England, of whatever rank and condition soever, who shall be found in the countries occupied by our troops, or by those of our allies, shall be made a prisoner of war ... " Fine. \$500 - up



CHRISTOPHER GORE THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

*** 523**
 Printed Document. One page, 18 1/2" x 22 1/2". Boston. October 17, 1809. Massachusetts State Seal at top center. The document is the 1809 Thanksgiving Proclamation from Christopher Gore, Governor and Commander in Chief. It reads, in part: "... I, therefore, according to the "constant use in this State, and with the Advice and consent of the Council," do appoint THURSDAY, the THIRTIETH DAY of NOVEMBER next, to be observed as a Day of PUBLIC THANKSGIVING and PRAISE - And the Minister and People of the respective Religious Societies of the Commonwealth, are requested to meet together on that Day, that we may united in Adoration and Homage to Almighty God ... And the People of this State are requested to abstain, on the abovementioned Day, from such Labour and Recreation, as are inconsistent with the Devotional Services hereby recommended ... " Center split repaired. Overall Fine. \$300 - up



CURRENT WOOL PRICE AT NY DECEMBER 1858

*** 524**
 Printed Document. One page, 8 1/4" x 10 1/2". New York. December 1, 1858. Addressed on verso with one cent postage stamp and black, circular postal cancellation. The document lists the rates that a wide variety of wools are currently selling for. Below this a statement by Tellkampff & Kitching, Wool Brokers, reads, in part: "... Our market has for the last month been active, for all descriptions of domestic Fleece and Pulled Wools, with price tending upwards ... As there is some sign of an alteration of the present Tariff by the next Congress, we must express our doubts of any change in respect to the Duty and free list of Wool ... The wool growers will perceive by this fact, the best proof that the abolishing of the duty on wool would favor them more, and cause more permanently high prices for our domestic wool. The more our manufacturing interests are allowed to prosper, the more beneficial is it to our farmers and wool growers ... " Very Fine. \$90 - up

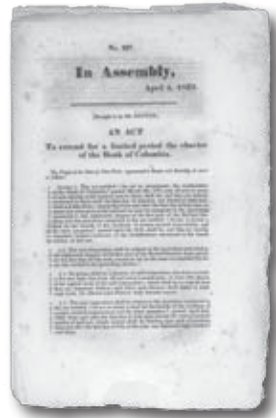
CHRISTOPHER GORE PROCLAMATION

*** 525**
 Printed Document. One page, 18 1/2" x 22". Boston. February 27, 1810. Massachusetts State Seal at top center. The document is the 1810 Proclamation for a Day of Humiliation, Fasting and Prayer from Christopher Gore, Governor and Commander in Chief. It reads, in part: "... I have thought fit to appoint, and by, and with the Advice and Consent of the Council, I do appoint, THURSDAY, the FIFTH DAY of APRIL next, as a Day of Public HUMILIATION, FASTING and PRAYER in this Commonwealth ... that we may unitedly humble ourselves, in the Presence of Almighty God, and acknowledge, with deep Contrition, our manifold Sins and Transgressions; that we may devoutly deprecate his Judgments, and implore his merciful Forgiveness, through the merits of our blessed Lord and Redeemer ... " Some slight edge wear. Overall Fine. \$300 - up



either through merger or suspension of business. Some very minor edge wear. Overall Very Fine.

\$250 - up



EARLY GROUP OF EXTENSION OF BANK CHARTERS

* 527

1829, New York. 8 1/2" X 13 1/2". Early 7 piece group of printed acts to extend bank charters in New York state in 1829. The acts are for the following banks; Bank of Columbia, Bank of Utica, Bank of Auburn, Bank of Newburgh, Middle District Bank, Bank of Genesee and Butchers and Drovers' Bank, Nice early banking related memorabilia. \$250 - up



KENTUCKY GOVERNOR JOHN BREATHITT SIGNED CERTIFICATE

* 528

GOVERNOR JOHN BREATHITT (1832-1834). Governor of Kentucky. 1 page. 10" x 8". A certificate signed by Kentucky Governor John Breathitt appointing Charles Fox a Justice of the Peace. Breathitt's signature is in dark bold ink. Nice upper corner vignette of an eagle with shield. Attached seal. Archival tape repair along seam on verso otherwise fine. \$125 - up



IN THE WAKE OF THE DORR REBELLION

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15 3/4" x 22" broadside. One page. The document reads, in part: "Dorr Returned!! This would be Governor, the public enemy of Rhode Island, author and arch-leader of treason, sedition and rebellion, whose bones were not left at Acote Hill, whose ambition has cost the state \$100,000, in one year, had returned to our borders to superintend the election of his secret, legal adviser and fellow conspirator, THOMAS F. CARPENTER !!! Fellow Citizens! let us not bind ourselves to the perilous significance of this re-union of General Carpenter with this unprincipled, ambitions [sic] leader of those restless, misguided men, whom a few months since, Carpenter himself denounced as 'rascally insurgents' ... Carpenter's occasional pretensions of fidelity to the principles of Law and Order, are hollow, deceptive and false. You cannot trust him, for you cannot understand him. You can understand, and you can trust no man, who contradicts himself. In the city he is known; and whatever virtues he may possess as a man, no one trusts or confides in him as a politician: no one of any party ... Behold him then, fellow-citizens, as above drawn, coiling about his own contradictions, and his absurd, false, wicked pretensions, taken up almost at random, from the vast accumulations of a single year. Behold him, and discard him. If you take him, you take Dorr, and SEDITION with him. If you discard him you put down the demon of insurrection for a hundred years." Some toning and edge wear. Tape repair to folds on verso. Hole at center of document filled, affecting less than ten words. Overall Very Good. The Dorr Rebellion remains one of the truly bizarre events in American political history. Led by politician and reformer, THOMAS DORR (1805-1854), the infamous political rebellion named after him gained a large amount of support in Rhode Island. Dorr formed his own political party in an effort to have his reforms concerning voting rights for all men of legal age adopted. At the time, voting privileges were restricted to land holders of their eldest sons. In 1841, Dorr's party held a convention, drafting a new constitution which ultimately received a decisive majority in a separate election. Dorr's party then held its own election and chose him as the state's governor in defiance of the existing and now minority government. Federal troops were called in to quell the rebellion. Dorr was convicted of treason and sentenced to life imprisonment, but he was released after serving one year. \$750 - up

FEAR FOR FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS IN THE WAKE OF THE PANIC OF 1837

* 526

Printed Document. One page, 8 1/2" x 15 1/2". Cumberland, Rhode Island. October 1839. The document is directed to the General Assembly of Rhode Island, and reads, in part: "MEMORIAL ... at a meeting of the Delegates from different Banks in this State, held in Providence, in the early part of the present month, it was recommended that the several Banks of this State should suspend the payment of their debts; and in pursuance of this advice, it is believed, that all, or nearly all of said Institutions, have from that time to the present, utterly refused payment of all claims presented ... The time must come, when all who are in a season of exorbitant confidence, have obtained the control of capital, without the skill or honesty to guide it, must quit their hold - As this crisis draws near, by the inexorable laws of commercial justice, the nominal value of property pledged for debt, diminishes; and the longer the crisis is delayed, the greater the number that must ultimately be swept by the board ... " A fine reminder of the extended financial difficulties that the American nation faced in the wake of the Panic of 1837. Much as in the Great Depression, the fallout from the 1837 crisis saw many U.S. banks (nearly a quarter of all operating institutions!) go out existence

THE DISRUPTION OF TRADE DURING THE NAPOLEONIC WAR

* 530



Autograph Letter Signed. One page, 7 3/4" x 9 3/4". Liverpool. April 22, 1801. Addressed on verso with "Boston" and "Ship" postal cancellations. The letter reads, in part: "... Our last respects were under the 14th Ult. to which we beg leave to refer you, Since then a very sudden & favorable change has taken place in our Political Situation in respect to the Northern Powers which it is generally thought will produce Peace between this Country &

them & probably lead to a general peace in Europe, the prospect of this event has had considerable influence on our Markets already, and the demand for naval stores and lumber becomes very flat, & the prices merely nominal, on the contrary West Indian Produce in general cotton, tobacco & most other articles of Export are likely to command a ready Sale, but the prospect of Peace precludes the hope of much advance in prices ..." The letter is penned on the blank sheet of a printed document listing current prices for a wide range of articles, including a variety of foodstuffs and timber. Some paper loss and discoloration. Overall Very Good. A fine document that illustrates the powerful effect that the Napoleonic Wars and the Northern European League of Armed Neutrality had on the United Kingdom's mercantile pursuits.

\$250 - up



HIGHLY COLORFUL AND GRAPHIC ADVERTISING BROADSIDE - AMERICAN FASHIONS 1855-56

* 532

22 7/8" x 18 1/4" poster advertising "American Fashions Fall & Winter 1855-6 by Genio C. Scott, No 156 Broadway New York." Wonderfully illustrated with twenty-one color drawings of the seasons' fashions. Genio Columbus Scott began his career in the fashion periodical business in New York City, publishing Scott's Report of Fashions and The Monitor of Fashion. He also owned a clothing store on Broadway called Fashions. However, his true love was fly fishing. He wrote Fishing in American Waters (1875), illustrating it with 170 of his own pencil sketches. Extremely Fine.

\$750 - up

LIFE AND CONFESSION OF REUBEN A. DUNBAR, CONVICTED AND EXECUTED

* 531

The Most Foul and Unparalleled Murder in the Annals of Crime Life and Confession of Reuben A. Dunbar, Convicted and Executed for the Murder of Stephen V. And David L. Lester (Aged 8 and 10 Years), In Westerly, Albany County, September 28, 1850. twenty-nine pages, 6" x 9 1/2". Second Edition. Published by John D. Parsons. Weed, Parsons & Co., Printers. 1851. The account is broken into the following sections: "Introduction," "Confession," "Farewell Lines," Sketch of the two boys, David L. and Stephen V. Lester, who were murdered by Reuben A. Dunbar," and "Confession of Reuben Dunbar, of the Murder of Stephen V. and David L. Lester." Cover illustration depicts the hanging of Dunbar and the final section of the pamphlet

includes two illustrations of the murders. Toning throughout. Edge wear and paper loss. Yellow paper cover missing. String bound. Overall Good.

\$250 - up



HIGHLY COLORFUL AND GRAPHIC ADVERTISING BROADSIDE - AMERICAN FASHIONS 1866-67

* 533

22 7/8" x 18 1/4" poster advertising "American Fashions Fall & Winter 1866, 67 by Genio C. Scott, No 171 Broadway New York." Wonderfully illustrated with twenty-two color drawings of the seasons' fashions. Genio Columbus Scott began his career in the fashion periodical business in New York City, publishing Scott's Report of Fashions and The Monitor of Fashion. He also owned a clothing store on Broadway called Fashions. However, his true love was fly fishing. He wrote Fishing in American Waters (1875), illustrating it with 170 of his own pencil sketches. Extremely Fine.

\$750 - up

CHANFRAU'S NATIONAL THEATRE

In 1848, Frank Chanfrau assumed management of the struggling Chatham Theater, renaming the venue Chanfrau's New National Theatre. Though the theater only operated under Chanfrau's management for two years, it proved to be a highly successful time in the theater's history. Prominently featured throughout this time was Chanfrau's character of Mose, a caricature of the working-class masses of Lower Manhattan that had originally appeared to rave reviews in "New York as it is." In addition to this popular character, the theater also drew large crowds because Chanfrau allowed working-class patrons to sit anywhere in the playhouse, a break from the custom of seating these patrons only in the pit. This open seating policy and the popularity of the Mose character led to frequent sell-out performances, and, in one instance, and over-sale that required the city police's presence to remove a crowd of theatergoers that had rushed the New National Theatre's stage!



CHANFRAU'S NEW NATIONAL THEATRE

* 534
FRANCIS "FRANK" CHANFRAU (1824-1884) American actor and theater manager. Printed Broadside for "Chanfrau's New National Theatre" 5 1/2" x 21 1/2". New York. August 26, 1848. This evening's performance features JOHN R. SCOTT (1808-1856) American actor who was among the favorite performers in the Old Bowery performing the title role in Shakespeare's Macbeth. Very Fine. \$400 - up



CHANFRAU'S NEW NATIONAL THEATRE

* 535
FRANCIS "FRANK" CHANFRAU (1824-1884) American actor and theater manager. Printed Broadside for "Chanfrau's New National Theatre" 5 1/2" x 21 1/2". New York. July 14, 1849. This evening's performance features "Mose in a Muss" and "Mose in California" two plays featuring the hugely popular Mose, a character originated by Chanfrau. Very Fine. \$400 - up



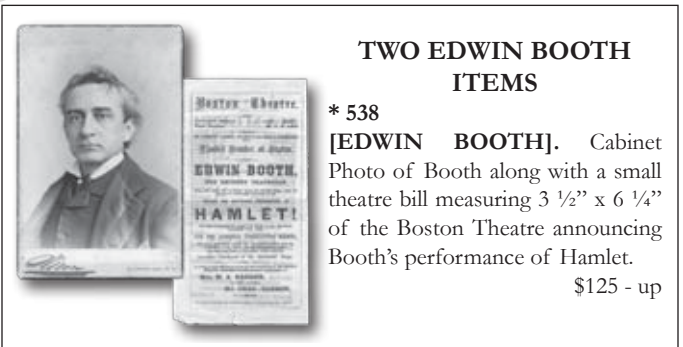
CHANFRAU'S NEW NATIONAL THEATRE

* 536
FRANCIS "FRANK" CHANFRAU (1824-1884) American actor and theater manager. Printed Broadside for "Chanfrau's New National Theatre" 11 1/4" x 21 1/2". New York. December 2, 1848. This evening includes F.A. Canfield's final performance in "The Twin Brothers, or The Wild Man of the Mountain." Fine. \$400 - up



A FINE PHILADELPHIA THEATRE BROADSIDE FROM WHEATLEY AND DREW'S ARCH STREET THEATRE IN 1855

* 537
[AMERICAN THEATRE]. Wheatley and Drew's Arch Street Theatre Broadside for Friday Evening, February 9, 1855. In an early frame, overall size of 11" x 21". The bill consists of The Star Company performing a comedy "Hypocrite", with the second billing being "William Tell, Hero of Switzerland". Founded by John Drew, the Arch Street theatre opened in 1828. "The theatre's heyday began in 1861 when Mrs. John [Louisa Lane] Drew (1820-1897) established it as one of the greatest of American stock companies. The house was under her control for the next 31 years. They were the parents of Georgia Drew Barrymore and grandparents of the famous actors, Lionel, Ethel and John Barrymore." (www.philadelphiabuildings.org) I.A fine early theatre item related to the famous acting family. Great for display. \$400 - up



TWO EDWIN BOOTH ITEMS

* 538
[EDWIN BOOTH]. Cabinet Photo of Booth along with a small theatre bill measuring 3 1/2" x 6 1/4" of the Boston Theatre announcing Booth's performance of Hamlet. \$125 - up



EARLY MASSACHUSETTS MEDICAL BROADSIDE

*** 539**
Boston, Massachusetts. Medical Broadside by Druggist and Chemist Thomas Hollis. 7 1/2" x 12 1/4". "Ointment for the Itch, Salt Rheum, Ringworms, Pimples on the face and all kind of humours and eruptions on the skin, Scald head..." A nice addition to a medical history collection. \$75 - up

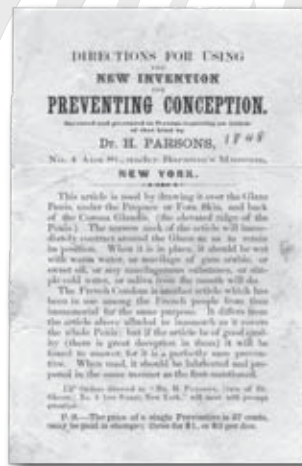


*** 540**
[TEMPERANCE]. 4 pages. April 29, 1829. Reprinted from the Stonington, Connecticut Telegraph. An interesting and lengthy article written by Dr. George F. Palmer and originally printed in New Orleans on March 10, 1829. Lengthy anti-drinking commentary. "The powerful engine in a free country like ours, is a swift witness against the drunkard. He is disgraced, shunned, and left to perish like a brute." Excellent. \$125 - up



THE CATALOG OF MEDICAL, USEFUL AND ENTERTAINING BOOKS

*** 541**
Printed Document. Two pages, 8 1/4" x 10 1/2". No place [New York.] No date. The document, advertises texts offered by Thomas Ormsby. The advertised books include: "The Marriage Bed; or, Wedding Secrets Revealed by the Torch of Hymen," "Advice to Husbands & Wives, The only True Guide to Happiness," "The Laws of Love" and "The Sexual Monitor and Secret Guide." The document also states: "... No one will be without when they examine them sufficiently to know their contents. They are intended to supply a want which has long been felt and acknowledge, and which has been daily becoming more and more urgent. every person, male and female, should be sure to read them carefully through, without fail. "Very Fine. \$90 - up



Lot # 542

NEW INVENTION FOR PREVENTING CONCEPTION

*** 542**
Printed Document. One page, 4 3/4" x 7 3/8". New York. [1848] The document reads, in part: "Directions for using the New Invention for Preventing Conception. Invented and presented to Persons requiring an Article of that kind ... " The document continues on to provide a somewhat detailed explanation regarding the correct use of the contraceptive. Very Fine.

\$100 - up



H.M. PAINE'S PERIFOCAL SPECTACLES

*** 544**
Printed Advertisement for H.M. Paine Perifocal Spectacles. One page, 9 5/8" x 6 7/8". Printed by "P.L. Cox Printer, No 10 Central Exchange, Worcester, Mass." Worcester. No date [1843?]. The advertisement reads, in part: "... THE AMERICAN GLASSSE Are superior to any other in use, being constructed in accordance with the Philosophy of Nature, in the peculiar form of a CONVACO-CONVEX ELLIPSIS ... " Three testimonials follow, along with the names of ten gentlemen who also provided written testimonials regarding Paine's spectacles. Usual folds. Some minor toning. Overall Fine. H.M. Paine's perifocal spectacles were introduced at the Franklin Institute Fair in 1843. These lens, supposedly different from the French meniscus or English Periscopic, were manufactured at the Optical Works in North Oxford, Massachusetts, reputedly the only establishment of its kind on the continent. In 1846, Paine obtained a patent for heating biconvex lens and letting them melt into a meniscus. The following year, the perifocals disappeared for two decades before reemerging in 1866 in Paine's new hometown of Newark. An ingenious individual, Paine obtained more than a dozen patents in applications ranging from steam generators to electromagnets.

\$300 - up



1869 ADVERTISING CIRCULAR FOR EYE GLASSES

*** 543**
11" x 15 3/4" advertising circular. The circular reads, in part: "... To all whose vision is defective! Improve your sight and preserve your eyes. Prof. D.J. Babbitt would respectfully announce to the citizens of this place and vicinity, that he is now in town with a large stock of his Perfected Spectacles and Eye Glasses ... Which he can scientifically and accurately adjust to the ye from examination of its Spherical Figure, to see distance objects distinctly, and also objects in closer proximity ... " Line engraving of Dr. Babbitt at center. The circular also offers a range of testimonials regarding Dr. Babbitt's spectacles. Verso lists a large number of references from Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont. Some edge wear. Overall Fine. \$300 - up



AMERICAN TRACT SOCIETY CONTRIBUTION CERTIFICATE

* 545
[RELIGION]. 8" x 10". Wonderful Graphic engraved contribution certificate. Large vignette measuring 7" x 4 1/2". :Rev. Henry Barber by a contribution of twenty dollars by the Church and Congregation of America, New York is a member for life of the American Tract Society." The American Tract Society was founded in 1825 for the purpose of publishing and distributing printed materials to spread Christian gospel. Excellent. \$250 - up



SMALL BROADSIDE FOR THE SWISS BELLRINGERS

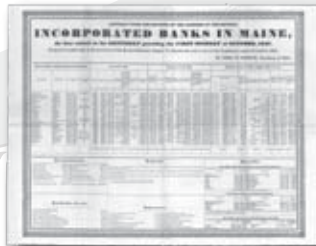
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6 5/8" x 12" broadside for the final performance of the Swiss Bellingrers "... at the Melodeon, this, Friday Evening, November 1st 1844. When there will be assisted by Mons. Canderbeek, A celebrated Violinist ... " Image of the seven bellringers at center. The broadside lists the programme of the performance. Folds reinforced. Slight tear at upper left edge, not affecting image or text. Some slight soiling. Overall Fine.

\$150 - up



A CHOICE EARLY CHARLESTON UNISUED MEMBERSHIP CERTIFICATE FOR THE "SOUTH CAROLINA SOCIETY"

* 546
Charleston, South Carolina. Unisued certificate stating "that...was by a Majority of Votes regularly admitted a Member of the South Carolina Society at a meeting held..." Nice ornate graphics. Extremely Fine. \$125 - up



ABSTRACT FROM THE RETURNS OF MAINE BANKS

* 548
Printed Document. One page, 20" x 16". Maine. October 1847. The document lists the Bank's date of incorporation, funds due from each bank, resources of each bank and dividends, reserved profits and so forth for each bank. Usual folds. One slight pin hole at center fold. Extremely Fine. \$125 - up

GREAT WESTERN AND MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD BROADSIDE

* 549

Double-sided 9 3/4" x 13 3/4" Advertising Broadside. 1856. Image of a locomotive at center of first side and route map at top center of second side. The broadside provides distances and departure times for the Winter Arrangement of the company, "The Only Direct Route From the New England States to Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Missouri, Iowa, Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota [sic]." Printed by Seaver's Steam Printing Establishment, Couriet



Office, 192 Washington Street, Buffalo. Paper loss at top center. Some slight toning at edges. Overall Fine. \$500 - up

GREAT WESTERN AND MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD BROADSIDE

* 550

Double-sided 9 3/4" x 13 3/4" Advertising Broadside. 1856. Image of a country scene with a locomotive crossing a suspension bridge at center of first side and route map at top center of second side. The broadside provides distances and departure times for "The only route via. Niagara Falls and Suspension Bridge to Detroit, Chicago, Milwaukee [sic] Galena, Burlington, Rock Island, ... And All Points in the West and South!". Printed by Burrill's Commercial Press, 36 Kilby, Corner Central Street, Boston. Paper loss at top center. Small hole at left edge of country scene vignette. Some toning at edges. Slight separation at center fold. Overall Fine.



\$500 - up



VOTES FOR WOMEN

*** 551**
[WOMAN SUFFRAGE]. Small broadside. 7 1/4" x 10 1/2". 1913. Published by the National Woman Suffrage Publishing Co., Inc. for the National American Woman Suffrage Association. On orange paper. Details the Suffrage supporters arguments in contrast to a number of what they say are commonly held beliefs. A compelling argument for suffrage at the time. Fine.

\$125 - up



WOMEN WORKERS WANT VOTE

*** 552**
[WOMAN SUFFRAGE]. Small broadside. 7 1/4" x 10 1/4". 1913. Published by the National Woman Suffrage Publishing Co., Inc. for the National American Woman Suffrage Association. On light green paper. Details the resolutions adopted by at the National Women's Trade Union League in Convention. A nice suffrage item. Fine.

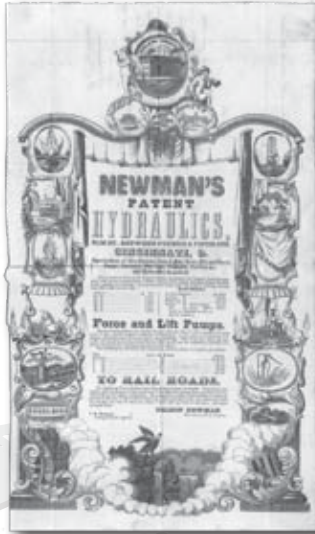
\$125 - up

GREAT HYDRAULICS BROADSIDE

*** 553**

9 1/2" x 16 5/8" Broadside for Newman's Patent Hydraulics, Cincinnati, Ohio. Multiple Vignettes at borders. Gold print. The broadside reads, in part: "Manufacturer of Fire Engines, Hose & Hose Reels, Life and Force Pumps, Fountains, Fire Caps, Trumpets, Torches & C ... To Rail Road For supplying water stations these pumps have become invaluable. I furnish in connection with the pumps, Water-wheels and Wind-Mills for driving them ... All orders promptly filled ... " ALS "N. Newman," on verso reads, in part: " ... Last summer you spoke of having a windmill and pump erected on your road ... I am about to send a man for the same purpose to Sandusky to put one on the Mad River RR. If you will drop me a line with regard to it, it can be attended to at once ...

"Some edge wear. Trimmed at left edge. Overall Fine. \$250 - up



**THE PLANISPHERE:
 "... A KEY TO UNLOCK
 THE MYSTERIES
 IN THE CHANGING
 FIRMAMENT ... "**

*** 556**

Printed Document. One page, 5" x 9 3/4". No place. No date. The document is a small advertising broadside for "A Directory of the Starry Heavens." The document reads, in part: " A Directory of the Starry Heavens, Being a KEY to Unlock the Mysteries in the Changing Firmament. Is the Size of a Ten-Inch Celestial Globe, and 'as much better as it is cheaper.' It is to Astronomy what a Map is to Geography. To Schools or Classes that will use the Planisphere, the Author will explain it freely ... " Illustrated with an image of the advertised item at top.

\$75 - up



GREAT TEMPERANCE PAMPHLET: BLACK GULLY RAILROAD

*** 554**

Printed Temperance Pamphlet Four page, 8 5/8" x 11". Great carnival themed image of the "Black Gully Railroad" and "Drunkard's Curve" at top of first page and image barroom at center of second page. The pamphlet warns against the dangers of alcohol. It reads, in part: "All trains will stop at Reformationburg if passengers desire to leave at that station. But all persons so stopping with forfeit their through ticket to Perdition ... Daily patrons of the Road, above Tiptleton, supplied

with Through Tickets at reduced rates ... Stages for Tobaccoland connect with all trains ... " Final page of pamphlet contains a long advertisement for vinegar bitters. Very Fine.

\$200 - up



THE BUFFALO BILL STORES

*** 555**

The Buffalo Bill Stores No. 504, "Buffalo Bill's Tramp Pard or Pawnee Bill and the Sachem of Saginaw" 32 pages, 8" x 11" New York. January 7, 1911. Cover depicts Buffalo Bill defending a tramp from an attacker. Some slight paper loss at spine. Color remains bold. Overall Fine.

\$100 - up



MILITARY LAND WARRANT

*** 557**

Partially Printed Document. One page, 7 1/4" x 5 1/2". Winona, Montana Territory. May 27, 1856. Image of U.S. Flag at upper left. The Military Land Warrant grants eight acres to one Thomas Spencer. Statement of Register of Deeds attached. 3/4" hole at left-center of warrant. Some toning. Overall Very Good.

\$75 - up



SPALDING'S OFFICIAL BASEBALL GUIDE FOR 1880

* 558

Spalding's Official Baseball Guide for 1880. 126 pages, 4 1/4" x 6 3/8". Orange paper cover. Published by A.G. Spalding & Bros., 118 Randolph St., Chicago Illinois. With advertisement and assorted illustrations. The guide explains the rules of the game, including a number of changes instituted recently. In addition, it provides statistics for players and reprints the Constitution of the National League and the minutes of league meetings. Some pencil notations. Else Very Fine. Begun in 1878 and issued annually after 1880 until the 1940s, Spalding's Baseball Guide was a sort of unofficial baseball guide. In the 1940s, Spalding's guide was combined with official major-league guides. A great item from early in the history of America's "national pastime."

\$1,250 - up

COLORFUL GRANT'S CHERRY WHISKY TIN ADVERTISING SIGN



* 559

[ADVERTISING]. Colorful litho tin by Wedekind & Co., London. The pub sign depicts a rotund "Mr. Weller Senior" sipping Whisky along with "Sam" who is leaning on a case of Grant's Cherry Whisky. Grant's was produced by Thos. Grant & Sons, Distillery in Madistone, England. Wonderful for display. Some light rust at extreme upper left margin not affecting any of the colorful printed area of the sign.

\$400 - up



AMERICAN LITHOGRAPHIC CO.

* 560

[CIGAR LABELS - SALESMAN SAMPLES]. 7 1/2" X 6". "6 labels, the nicest being "Handy Light" and "La Rosa de Amor".

\$300 - up



LOUIS C. WAGNER & CO. CIGAR LABEL SAMPLE BOOK

* 561

[CIGAR LABELS - SALESMAN SAMPLES]. 8 1/2" x 6". 17 labels. The nicest is "Happy Fellow". Most are very colorful and graphic Cuban cigar Labels.

\$300 - up



JOHNS & CO. CIGAR LABEL SAMPLE BOOK

* 562

[CIGAR LABELS - SALESMAN SAMPLES]. 8 3/4" X 6". 11 labels, the two nicest being "Smuggler" and "Lucky Color."

\$400 - up



HUNTER'S PANORAMIC GUIDE FROM NIAGARA TO QUEBEC

* 563

1857. Published by J. P. Jewett & Co. William S. Hunter. First Edition. 66 pages. 5" x 7 1/2". With printed a large folding map measuring almost 12 feet in length. Couple of small tears. A number of views of the surrounding Niagara river area. Some light scuffing on cover.

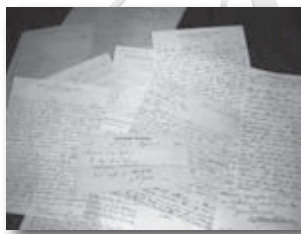
\$250 - up



A HUGE LOT OF NEW HAMPSHIRE WOMAN'S HUMANE SOCIETY ITEMS

*** 564**

1) Two copies of "A Few Humane Facts" Printed Booklet. 19 pages, 3 3/8" x 6". Concord, New Hampshire. 1923. Printed for The Concord Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals. The booklet outlines the aims and policies of the Concord SPCA. 2) Paper Bound Copy of Four Months in New Hampshire. A Story of Love and Dumb Animals. Gold Mine Series No. 3. Sequel to "Black Beauty" 84 pages, 4 5/8" x 7". Boston. 1894. Written for and published by the American Humane Education Society. 3) Two 6 1/2" x 4 1/2" black and white photographs of deceased or sick bovines. 4) Printed Document. "Extracts from the Public Statutes of New Hampshire." Four pages, 5 1/2" x 8 1/2". Separation at folds. Notation in pen and pencil on last page. 5) Over 100 assorted letters, notes and documents relative to the business of the NH Women's Humane Society. \$300 - up



GROUP OF SIXTEEN DOCUMENTS RELATED TO MEXICAN RAILROADS

*** 565**

Group of Sixteen letters relating the operations of railroads in Mexico. This group features a number of letter penned on letterheads related to these ventures. Letterheads include: " Mexican Central Railway

Co. Limited, The Mexican National Construction Co, Compania Limitada Del Ferrocarril Central Mexicano and The Mexican National Railway. A nice group related to the expansion of the railroad through Mexico. \$150 - up



INSPECTION OF A VESSEL AT NEW ORLEANS

*** 566**

Partially Printed State of Louisiana, City of New Orleans document. One page, 8 3/8" x 13 5/8". New Orleans. December 27, 1850. Image of sailing vessels, a lighthouse and boxes at top center. The document reads, in part: " The undersigned, Inspectors for underwriters of New Orleans, and GENERAL AMRINE SURVERYOR, for the Inspection of Vessels, Steamers and Cargoes, Having been requested by Messrs. J. P. Whiting & co to make Examination of and appraise the value of the Ship George Evans ... built at Waldoboro Maine in the year 1847 ... her value to be in this place as she now lays this day to be twenty five thousand dollars cash ... " With "R.L. Robertson Marine Surveyor New Orleans" stamp. Overall Very Fine. Subsequent to this appraisal the George Evans is recorded to have made a voyage from Philadelphia to San Francisco in 1853 before being sold in 1855 for the sum of \$17,000. \$100 - up

BUDDHISM

*** 567**

[BUDDHISM]. Pamphlet. 7 1/2" X 10 1/4". 14 pages. A pencil notation dates the printing as circa 1884. "The Insufficiencies of Buddhism as a Religion - A Lecture Delivered in the Meiji Kwaido, Tokiyo, by the Rev. M. L. Gordon, M.D." Printed at the Japan Mail Office, Yokoham. A Presbyterian minister and missionary, Reverend Gordon was sent to Japan by the American Board of Missions. During his time in Japan he lectured on Christianity and the failings of Buddhism while working to convert Buddhists to Christianity. Accompanied by a 16 page manuscript entitled "History of the Spread of Buddhism in Three Countries". The manuscript provides details on the Origin of sects in Japan and other countries and discusses Buddhist doctrine. An interesting religious item. \$300 - up



A GERMAN TOBACCO CARD ALBUM WITH 641 EMBOSSED COIN CARDS OF COINS FROM AROUND THE WORLD

*** 568**

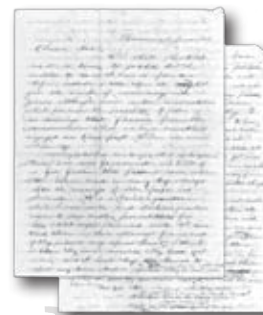
1929, Dresden Germany. Published by Zigaretenfabrik Greiling AG. Wonderful album of embossed coin cards with gold and silver embossed examples of coins from around the world. The coin embossings remain in excellent condition. A fine display of the diversity of world coinage at this time. \$400 - up

A STUDENT AT PEMBROKE WRITES REGARDING THE GOOD OLD DAYS

*** 569**

Autograph Letter Signed, "Rufus Calef." Two pages, 7 1/2" x 9 3/4". Pembroke. January 14, 1845. Addressed on integral leaf. Calef writes, in part: " ... How we used

to make the old fiddle strings vibrate and the horse hair squeal did we not. I guess we did by Gosh; we should have sawed all the fiddle strings off in Creation and all the horses would be running about with there tails cut off; If you had stayed much longer ... you seem to speak in particular about the old fiddle hanging over the bureau facing all Creation if they should chance to come in to the house, but it don't hang there now it has changed its place of abode from Manchester to Pembroke. It is my compassion it cheers me when I am dull ... I am now at Pembroke School studying hard and trying to improve my mind a little and trying to get some from books ... " A few minor splits at folds. Overall Fine. \$50 - up



THE SUMNER-BROOKS AFFAIR AND FEARS OF WAR

*** 570**

Autograph Letter Signed, "Charles." Six pages, 8" x 10". Hanover. June 23, 1856. Charles writes to Kate, in part: " ... The students have had a meeting to express their sentiments upon the Sumner and Brooks affair. The Pres. And Faculty were all invited. Pres. Lord declined, but his notorious pro-slavery sympathies are too well known for nay one to expect his participation in any movement which leans to the anti-slavery side. The faculty, however, are not all of this way of thinking. Prof. Sanborn presided, and made a grand speech Profs. Putnam and Hubbard also addressed the meeting ... I believe the South will yet rue that blow. If the North will not now awake from their sleep and act, I fear the story of our liberty is nearly told. I hope for better things, but fears will arise of worse ... " Very Fine. \$100 - up



INTERESTING LOT OF SEVEN BROOKLYN NEW YORK ITEMS

*** 571**
[BROOKLYN, NEW YORK]. Lot of seven items of which six pertain to the Brooklyn Bridge. 1) Engraved invitation to the opening ceremonies of the Brooklyn Bridge – a one inch section of the upper left corner is missing, not affecting any printing. 2) Printed card for the Opening of County Court House, Brooklyn. 3) Commemorative cover for the 50th Anniversary of the Brooklyn Bridge 4) Program for the Brooklyn Bridge Golden Anniversary Dinner. 5) Three tickets to the Brooklyn Bridge promenade. Nice lot for the Brooklyn enthusiast.
\$200 - up



BAKER BROTHERS & CO. PAINT SAMPLE SHEET
*** 572**
7" x 14 5/8" sample sheet for Baker Brothers & Company's Patent Chemical Enamel Paints. Sample

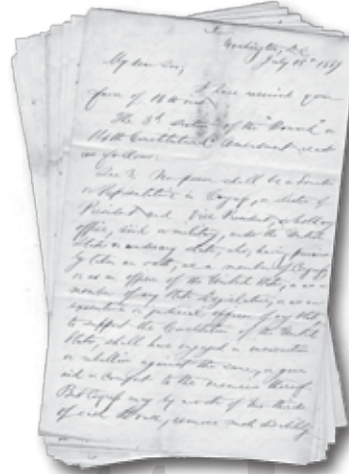
sheet includes thirty color samples in a variety of hues. Verso of sample sheet provides pricing and coverage for Baker Brothers' products. Some toning. A few of the paint samples show wear. Overall Fine.
\$175 - up

A DETAILED 1891 ACCOUNT OF U.S. RAILROADS, WITH REFERENCE TO RUSSEL SAGE'S ABILITY TO "EAT UP" THE COMPETITION

*** 573**
Letter Signed. Four pages, 7 7/8" x 10 1/2". Winchester, Virginia. October 7, 1891. Accompanied by Original envelope. With "Winchester" and "Paris" postal cancellations. The letter reads, in part: "... I think I have expressed a hope in former letter that Mr. Lanthrop kept you informed of the condition of the New York stock market, but it occurs to me that you may not have registered regular information and may have been greatly disgusted now & then by finding unfavorable market reports in New York news papers Very soon after your lucky turn in preferred stock of the St. Paul railroad, that corporation gave notice of their intention to increase the mortgage indebtedness of their road ... I advised you to invest in other companies, reminding you at the time that nearly all small holders as well as speculators on margins were liable to be raided by the large proprietors, whom, like "Bret Hart, heathen Chinu [?]" have ways that are dark & tricks that are vain - in fact some times the big ones eat each other, as in the case of ... Russell Sage & others eating up John Taylor Johnston, but in that case, it is said, they assisted him in selling his painting for two or three hundred thousands dollars & kept the stock ... Your holdings have fluctuated very disgustingly ... " Our author goes on to detail some of the recent events and their financial impact, with specific reference to the following railroads: The Rock Island, Union Pacific, Burlington & Quincy and St. Paul. Some interesting and exceptionally detailed financial history. Extremely Fine.
\$250 - up

GREAT COMMENTARY ON THE FOURTEENTH AMENDMENT

*** 574**
Autograph Letter Signed. Ten pages, 5 1/4" x 8 1/4". Washington, D.C. July 18th 1869. The letter reads, in part: "... The 3rd. section of the "Seward" or 14th Constitutional Amendment reads as follows: see



3. No person shall be a senator or Representative in Congress, or elector of President and Vice President, or hold any office, civil or military, under the United States or under any state, who, having previously taken an oath, as a member of Congress, or as an officer of the United States, or as a member of any State Legislature, or as an executive or judicial officer of any state to support the constitution of the United States, shall have engaged in insurrection or rebellion against the same, or given aid

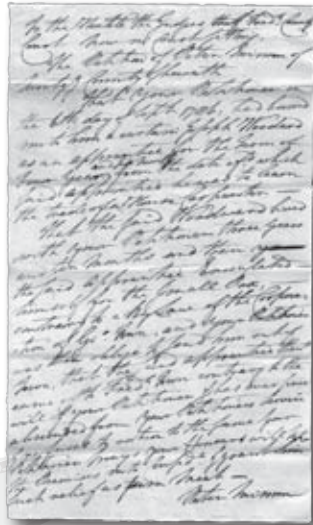
& comfort to the enemies thereof. But Congress may by a vote of two-thirds of each House, remove such disability ... Every person elected or appointed to any office of honor or profit under the Government of the United States, either in the civil, military or naval departments of the public service, excepting the President of the United States, shall, before entering upon the duties of such office and before being entitled to any of the salary or emoluments thereof [sic], take & subscribe the following oath or affirmation: "I, S.B. do solemnly swear [or affirm] that I have never voluntarily borne arms against the United States and I have been a citizen thereof [sic]; that I have voluntarily given no aid, countenance, counsel, or encouragement to persons engaged in armed hostility thereof; that I have neither sought nor accepted nor attempted to exercise the functions of any office whatever, under any authority or pretended authority in hostility to the United States; that I have not yielded a voluntary support to any pretended government, authority, power or constitution within the United States ... The negroes can all take the oath though they all gave "countenance" ... because they do not as a race attach value to an oath & are not careful to speak the truth. Now as to the White of the 11 states which comprised the Confederacy? ... When Mr. Lincoln issued his proclamation for 75000 to invade the South all differences of opinion in the South vanished. Still, that is to say 499 out of every 500 men became supporters of the Confederate government. ... The number of persons reached by this 14th Amendment is [I estimate) 20000 in Virginia, 20000 in North Carolina, South Carolina 12000, Georgia 20,000, Florida 3000, Alabama 15000, Mississippi 1200, Louisiana 12000, Tennessee 12000, Texas 8000, Arkansas, 1,000 making in all 138000 besides about 20000 more in Missouri, Kentucky, West Virginia & Maryland. It is especially noteworthy that this 14th Amendment is applicable not only to Federal but to all State officers & is so made as to comprehend all who have ever held any public employment however small ... The result is to deny us the services of all the experienced men ... I have written hurriedly & imperfectly; but all this is merely intended to be suggestive & can be much improved on by the Committee ..." These excerpts are just a small portion of our author's commentary on the 14th Amendment. A wonderfully rich content letter! Very Fine.
\$500 - up



A BROKEN TRAIN AND THE EXCITEMENT OF JENNY LIND' PERFORMANCE

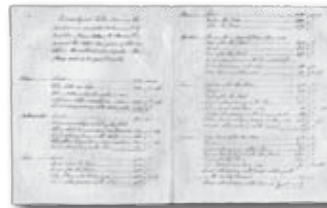
*** 575**
 Letter Signed. Four pages, 7 1/2" x 9 3/4". Philadelphia. September 10, 1850, Tuesday. The letter reads, in part: "... I intended to write you last evening to apprise you of my continued comfort & well being, but very remarkably for me, we had another detention of some hours on the Rail Road occasioned by the shaft of the engines breaking when we were in the midst of the New Jersey barrens, and a tedious job it was to reach here, notwithstanding the aid of the passengers in pushing the train by hand ... I attended diocese service in the Trinity Church in the morning & in Hoboken woods in the afternoon & was heretic enough to think that the worship of the working people- with their happy little children in the open air was more true & rational than the formal grandeur of the Cathedral in the morning ... New York is crazy of course about Jenny Line who sings tomorrow evening. I did not see here, but I did see (with great difficulty amidst the throngs of crowding people) the ticket to her concert suspended in Mr. Gerrin [?] the hatter's window, for which he paid 225 dollars - To be sure it was a common ticket of admission, not signed by Jenny, but then it was the ticket for which so much money was paid & the sight of it was glory enough for one day. Pray tell Anna that one of the most fashionable essence in the perfume shops is called "rough and Ready" - not a fascinating suggestion in that connection &

quite unlike Shakespeare's idea of "the sweet south breathing upon a bed of violet' ..." Great, varied content! Extremely Fine. 175 - up



A MAN IS CHARGED WITH INOCULATING HIMSELF FOR THE SMALL POX IN 18TH CENTURY AMERICA

*** 576**
[MEDICAL HISTORY]. 7 1/4" x 12". An interesting manuscript indictment for self-inoculation against small pox in 18th century America. " To the Honorable the Judges of Fredrick County Court now in court sitting ... That your petitioner on the 6th day of Sept. 1786, had bound me to him a certain Joseph Woodard as an apprentice for the term of 4 years and 6 months from the date of which said apprentice he was to learn the trade of a house carpenter that the said Woodard lived with your petitioner three years and ten months and then the said apprentice inoculated himself for the small pox, contrary to a bylaw of the cooperation and your petitioner was then oblige to send him out of town, that the said apprentice then came off to Fredrick town contrary to the will of your petitioner and has ever since absconded from your petitioner service and refused to return to the same your petitioner praise your honors will take the premises and grant him such relief ... Peter Nimm" Interesting 18th century medical related case. \$125 - up



CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE OF BIBLICAL FIGURES

*** 577**
 Autograph Document. Four pages, 6 1/4" x 7 7/8". No place. No date. The document reads, in part: "A cronological [sic] table, by John Watkins at the request of his Sister Dunkin ... showing the few persons competent to transmit by tradition from Adam to Moses, the account the latter has given of the creation, the Antedeluvian world, the flood and subsequent events ... These five persons were competent to hand down to Moses by tradition, the account he has given, of the creation, the history of the antedeluvian world, the account of the flood, and of the transactions subsequent thereto to his time ... The life of man being protracted in those ages to the great length we find them recorded, clearly proves the practicability of the correctness of Moses' history, by tradition, if there were no written monuments of them, to assist him; a thing of which there is no evidence, but solely founded on presumption, which is stronger on the other side, as the Egyptians are said to have been in his day a learned people, and Moses himself know how to write." The individuals listed are, Adam, Methuselah, Noah, Shem, Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Joseph, Levi, Kohath and Amram. Extremely Fine. \$100 - up

WARSHIPS ON THE DELAWARE

*** 578**
 Manuscript Document. One page, 13" x 15 3/4". No place. Saturday Night, 10 O Clock, no year. Addressed on verso to "John Rudolph Esq, Belle Air, 2 miles above the Buck Lancaster Road" The document reads, in part: " The men of War mentioned in the outside of the packet enclosed, consists it is said of Line of Battle Ships, Frigates &

Sloops of War ... 15 miles inside the Capes of Delaware. But without a very large force ... we ought to be under no apprehension. A few days however will determine what the object of this Squadron is, and one thing is certain that it cannot be the Squadron from Baltimore, as they have not had time to come round - They have not force enough to attempt any thing on this quarter ... every man almost has become a soldier ... " A fine account of British ships during the War of 1812, with apparent reference to the highly significant Battle of Baltimore, the event that inspired Francis Scott Key to pen "The Star Spangled Banner." Paper loss from wax seal. Splits repaired. Overall Very Good.

PERRY'S ROYAL STANDARD ENGLISH DICTIONARY

*** 579**
 491 pages, 5 1/8" x 5 3/4" x 1 3/4". Boston. No date [1810 edition?]. Published by Thomas & Andrews, West & Blake, Eben, Larkin, and John West & Co. Numerous owners' name in front and back of book. Leather calfskin covers bumped. Lacking front endcovers. Minor toning throughout. Binding intact. Title plate and gold trim worn on spine. Overall in Very Good condition. \$500 - up

1873 PRICE LIST FOR THE CHERRY HILL NURSERY

*** 580**
 Printed Document, "Retail Price list for Spring 1873." One page, 5 1/4" x 12 3/4". No place. 1873. With pencil notations. Some minor paper loss. Else Very Fine. \$75 - up

1861 SLADE AND WIGHTMAN PLAN OF BOSTON

*** 581**
 Printed Plan of Boston. 39" x 27". 1861. Contemporary hand colored borders divide Boston into wards. At the request of the Boston City Council, city engineer James Slade produced this 1861 map of the city. This detailed map, reprinted with additions as the city grew during subsequent years, depicts wards, fire districts, streets, railroads, wharves

and public buildings throughout Boston proper. It also has two insets covering East and South Boston. This first edition map offers a great glimpse into the early stages of the filling in of the Back Bay. Paper loss at edges and at top of center fold. Fine. \$125 - up

ADVERTISING BOOKLET FOR FALL RIVER LINE

*** 582**
Eight pages, 3 1/4"x 7". Four panels advertise the advantages of the line and four panels bear a map of the Fall River Line's routes. One panel separated. Paper loss at folds and some toning. Accompanied by an 1877 season ticket for the Boston & Maine Railroad. 2 7/8"x 2". Punched at top edge, paper loss at edges and toning. Mounted to a stiff sheet. Else Very Good. An interesting pair for railroad collectors. \$50 - up



"CHARLES DICKENS REPERTOIRE COMPANY"

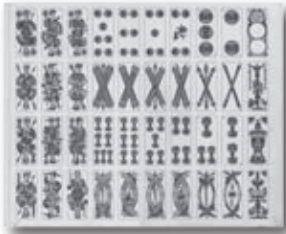
*** 584**
30" x 21" advertisement for "Charles Dickens Repertoire Company from the Grand Theatre, London." Stages versions of Little Nell, Oliver Twist, and Bleak House by Oliver Brand to be performed February 29, 1903 at The Referee. The broadside features eight color images: A Dicken's portrait, Quilp, Tulkinghorn & Hortense, Lady Dedlock & Joe. Little Nell and her grandfather, Dick Swiveller and the Marchioness, Bill Sykes & Nancy and Fagin and the Artful Dodger. Paper loss at lower left, not affecting images. Three punch holes at top edge. Very Fine. \$800 - up

PHOTOGRAPHY



THE PRINCE OF WALES AS PUBLISHED BY THE LONDON STEREOSCOPIC COMPANY

*** 586**
EDWARD VII (1841-1910) King of the United Kingdom and the British Dominions and Emperor of India. Image of Edward VII as the Prince of Wales. 9" x 11 1/4" overall. London. [1860] Text below image reads: "His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales. Photographed from Life at Buckingham Palace, July 4th the day before the departure of H.R.H. for America. Published by the London Stereoscopic Company 54 Cheapside. 313 Oxford St. London and 694 Broadway, New York. Royal seal and "By Royal Permission" printed at top. Some slight toning, but image remains crisp. Overall Very Fine. The above noted voyage to America was the first tour of North American undertaken by a British heir to the throne. Visiting with President Buchanan and a variety of other notable figures, Edward's tour proved a great success. \$400 - up



COMPLETE UNCUT SHEET OF VENETIAN CARDS

*** 583**
[PLAYING CARDS]. 1936. 16 1/2" x 20 1/2". Eduard Pignalos, Napoli, Italy. Venetian Pattern. Uncut sheet being a complete pack of 40 cards with printed patterned highly attractive reverse of woman with a shield. Aces with the Italian text referring to Gambling terms. Knave of swords holds decapitated head; Rose on four coins and woman on four swords. Colorful. A few light age spots. Fine. \$200 - up



"OUR PRESIDENTS" BROADSIDE

*** 585**
21" x 28" poster, "Our Presidents." Published by Elder Publishing Co 364 Wabash Ave. Chicago, Il. Portrait vignettes of the nation's first twenty-two presidents, from Washington to Cleveland, with laurels, American flags and flower in background. Paper loss at left edge. Some toning and a few splits. Overall Fine. \$300 - up

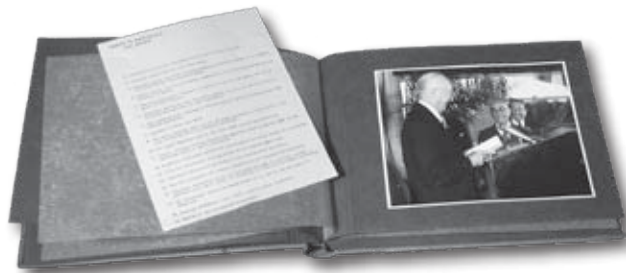


THE 1868 SAN FRANCISCO EARTHQUAKE

* 587

4" x 2 1/2" photograph of the aftermath of the 1868 San Francisco earthquake. Photographed by Oscar Foss, 606 Kearny St., S.F. Pen notation on verso reads: "Earthquake Ruins on Market St." Printed text on verso provides costs for various sizes of photographs. A great reminder of one of the most significant earthquakes of all time. Very Fine. Historical records indicate the Foss, a well established San Francisco photographer, had relocated to Kearny Street just two years prior to the historic 1868 earthquake.

\$900 - up



A RARE PRESENTATION PHOTO ALBUM OF PRESIDENT EISENHOWER'S NATO CONFERENCE VISIT TO ANKARA, TURKEY IN DECEMBER OF 1959

* 589

Gold embossed presentation indicates that this was created as "An album of memory on the occasion of President Eisenhower's visit to Ankara, Turkey on December 6 and 7, 1959. A fine group of 19 images detailing the trip and its various events and 7 1/4" x 9 1/2". A typewritten list in the front of the book details the various settings and events of each photograph. A fine item presidential and NATO related item.

\$750 - up



"INCIDENTS OF THE WAR" FORT LINCOLN PHOTOGRAPHED BY A. GARDNER

* 588

8 7/8" x 6 7/8" image of Union soldiers at Fort Lincoln. Mounted to a larger backing board that reads "Incidents of the War" and credits ALEXANDER GARDNER (1821-1882) American photographer best known for his images of the Civil War and for his portraits of Abraham Lincoln. Text on back of photograph reads: "Fort Lincoln in Civil War Lloyd Ostendorf Collection June 28, 1959 Washington, D.C." Extremely Fine.

\$900 - up



EDISON STILL LIFE PHOTOGRAPH

* 590

7 1/2" x 9 1/2" photograph of an Edison photograph in a Graphoscope on a table with a small decanter and a book. Ornate gilt border. Matted to an 11" x 14" sheet. Photographed by J. Holyland, 231 W. Batlo St., Balto, Md. Some very slight toning on larger sheet. Overall Very Fine.

\$600 - up



BICYCLE RACE AT WILLOW GROVE PARK, C. 1890'S

*** 591**

12 3/8" x 9 1/4" close up photograph of bicycle racers lining up at the starting line c. 1890s. Text box at bottom center of image reads: "Friday. Final heat, One mile National Championship Amateur." Image mounted to a 14 3/4" x 11 3/4" piece of cardboard. Backstamp reads: "Credit Culver Service 205 East 42 Loaned for one use only." Chipping at edge of cardboard. Tear at left and right edge of cardboard, not affecting image. Overall Very Fine. During the late 1890's, the oval wooden bicycle racing track at Willow Grove Park hosted a number of national races. \$350- up



GREAT PORTRAIT PHOTOGRAPH OF A BICYCLIST

*** 594**

Cabinet Photo. 4 1/4" x 6 1/2" A choice photograph of a bicyclist and his penny-farthing bicycle. Gilt edge. Photographer identified as Sturtevant [?] 20 Madison St. Skowhegan. Extremely Fine. \$250 - up

BICYCLE RACE AT WILLOW GROVE PARK, C. 1890'S

*** 592**

12 3/8" x 9 1/4" short distance photograph of bicycle racers lining up at the starting line c. 1890s. Text box at bottom center of image reads: "Friday. Final heat, One third mile open Amateur." Image mounted to a 14 3/4" x 11 3/4" piece of cardboard. Backstamp reads: "Credit Culver Service 205 East 42 Loaned for one use only." Tears to cardboard. One small tear on photograph, but image remains intact. Overall Fine. During the late 1890's, the oval wooden bicycle racing track at Willow Grove Park hosted a number of national races. \$350- up



BICYCLE RACE AT WILLOW GROVE PARK, C. 1890'S

*** 593**

12 3/8" x 9 1/4" long distance photograph of bicycle racers lining up at the starting line c. 1890s. Text box at bottom center of image reads: "Saturday. Third heat, One mile open Amateur." Image mounted to a 14 3/4" x 11 3/4" piece of cardboard. Backstamp reads: "Credit Culver Service 205 East 42 Loaned for one use only." Slight paper loss at lower left edge of cardboard. One small stain on image. Overall Very Fine. During the late 1890's, the oval wooden bicycle racing track at Willow Grove Park hosted a number of national races. \$350- up



BICYCLE RACE AT WILLOW GROVE PARK, C. 1890'S

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12 3/8" x 9 1/4" long distance photograph of bicycle racers lining up at the starting line c. 1890s. Text box at bottom center of image reads: "Friday. Final heat, One mile 2:05 class Professional." Image mounted to a 14 3/4" x 11 3/4" piece of cardboard. Backstamp reads: "Credit Culver Service 205 East 42 Loaned for one use only." Chipping at edge of cardboard. Overall Very Fine. During the late 1890's, the oval wooden bicycle racing track at Willow Grove Park hosted a number of national races. \$350- up



**"CONJURING LIGHTS"
19TH C. MAGICIANS**

*** 596**
"Some of the Conjuring Lights Living & Deceased" 10" x 13" sheet containing images of fifty-eight magicians. Drawings of owls at upper left, rabbits at lower left and a devilish figure with a wand lower right. Mounted to a piece of stiff cardboard measuring 11 1/4" x 15". Copyright 1898 by Robert Ankele, NY City. Small piece of image missing at upper center, not affecting any of the magicians' images. Robert Ankele, the copyright holder for this image, was himself a magician. These original sheets were privately printed by Mr. Ankele in a small run. Subsequently, a limited edition of fifty copies was made from the original under the direction of Leo Rullman to be sold to collectors. Mounting trace on verso. Some staining of cardboard. Overall Fine. \$300 - up



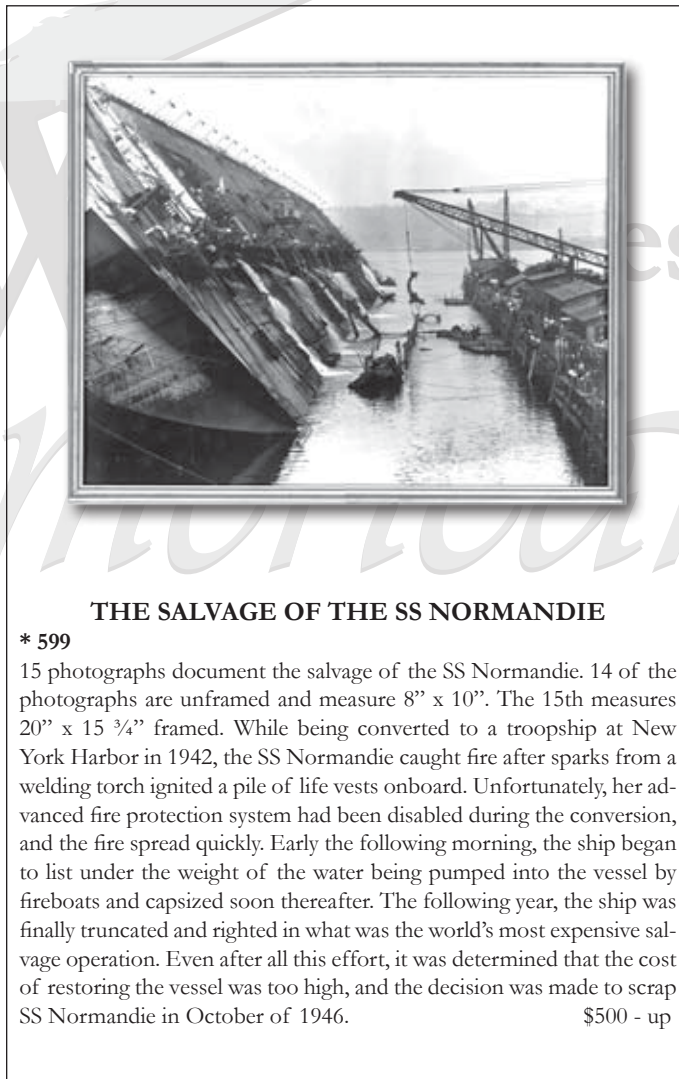
**PHOTOGRAPH OF AN
EARLY YOUTH
BASEBALL TEAM**

*** 597**
Sepia tone photograph of a youth baseball team. 8 1/4" x 6 1/2" matted to an 11 3/4" x 10" sheet. No place. No date. Extremely Fine. \$300 - up



SIX FINE AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS OF BOSTON

*** 598**
The 16 3/4" x 14" photographs capture various areas of the city. Taken prior to the construction of the expressway, these images provide a fine glimpse into the evolution of Boston. Edges curled. Else Fine. \$750 - up



THE SALVAGE OF THE SS NORMANDIE

*** 599**
15 photographs document the salvage of the SS Normandie. 14 of the photographs are unframed and measure 8" x 10". The 15th measures 20" x 15 3/4" framed. While being converted to a troopship at New York Harbor in 1942, the SS Normandie caught fire after sparks from a welding torch ignited a pile of life vests onboard. Unfortunately, her advanced fire protection system had been disabled during the conversion, and the fire spread quickly. Early the following morning, the ship began to list under the weight of the water being pumped into the vessel by fireboats and capsized soon thereafter. The following year, the ship was finally truncated and righted in what was the world's most expensive salvage operation. Even after all this effort, it was determined that the cost of restoring the vessel was too high, and the decision was made to scrap SS Normandie in October of 1946. \$500 - up

**TWENTY-THREE
IMAGES OF SALEM,
MASSACHUSETTS**

*** 600**
In The Early 20th Century. Twenty-three 10" x 7 1/2" sepia tone photographs. Photographs show various locations throughout Salem, MA, including Ropes Drug Store, the Salem Laundry and what appears to be the local electric store. Some photographs bear a backstamp identifying the photographer as L.O. Tilford. Some curling and edge wear. Overall Very Good. \$750 - up



SERIES OF NINE STEREOVIEWS COMMEMORATING THE JOHNSTOWN FLOOD OF 1889

*** 601**
Nine original stereoviews issued in 1889. Images published by "R.K. Bonine Photographic Art Publisher, Tyrone, Pa." on recto. Each stereoview is labeled on the back with a pink paper identifying the location of the view and a brief description. The flood was a result of the failure of the South Fork Dam, the Johnstown Flood disaster killed over two thousand people and caused seventeen million dollars worth of damage. The relief effort that followed this disaster was the first to be handled by the new American Red Cross, led by Clara Barton. Fine. \$200 - up



PHOTO OF THE MAINE

*** 602**
[SPANISH AMERICAN WAR]. Taken by Prov. Albertype Co., Providence, R.I. "13" x 10 3/4". Attached mat is imprinted with Photograph of the Maine. "Sunk in Havana Harbor, February 15, 1898. Light foxing. \$100 - up



19TH CENTURY DIVER PREPARES FOR A SALVAGE OPERATION

* 603

9 1/2" x 7 1/2" image of a 19th century salvage operation. At center of image, a diver is being suited up. Mounted on a 13 1/4" x 10 5/8" sheet. Another 9 1/2" x 7 1/2" image of a salvage crane is mounted to the other side of the cardboard. Both images are extremely clean and crisp. Very Fine. \$250 - up



90 POSTCARDS OF U.S. NAVAL VESSELS

* 604

8 1/4" x 11" picture postcard book containing 90 postcards of assorted U.S. Naval vessels. Ships pictured include, the Maine, Ohio, Iowa, Indiana, Pennsylvania and Missouri. All in Very Fine condition. A wonderful collection of American Naval history! \$500 - up

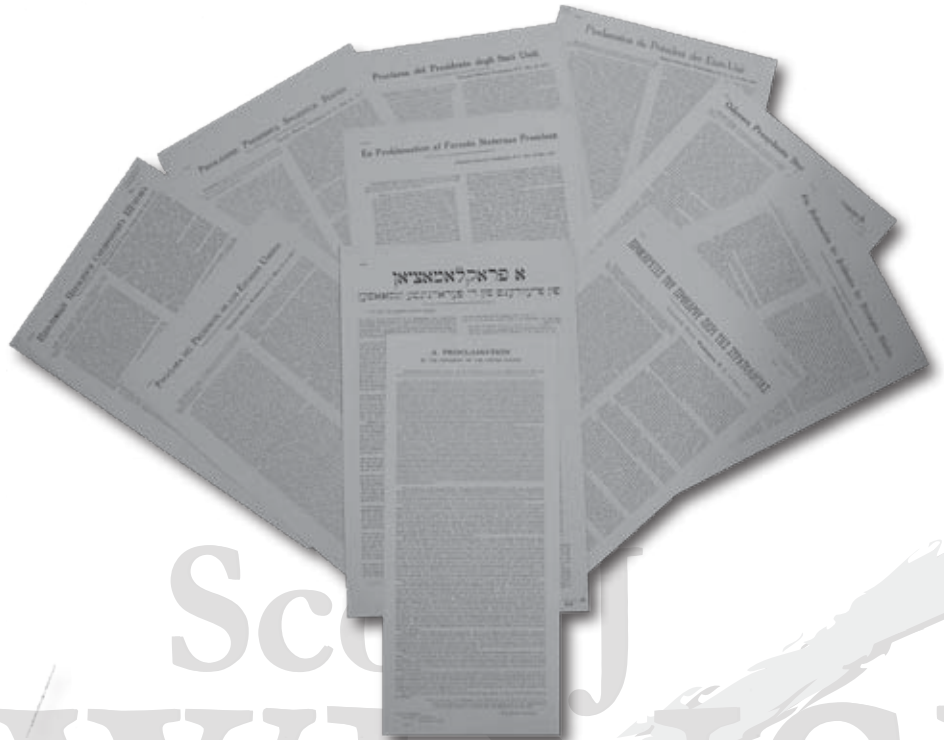


WW II IDENTITY CLOTH

* 605

9 1/4" x 10 7/8" silk cloth. Image of an

WORLD WAR I & WORLD WAR II



WOODROW WILSON'S WORLD WAR I CONSCRIPTION PROCLAMATION IN 11 LANGAUGES

* 606

Wonderful group of eleven proclamations announcing conscription. English language proclamation measures 8 3/4" x 20". The remaining ten proclamations measure 12" x 19" and are printed in the following languages: French, German, Greek, Italian, Polish, Russian, Slovak, Spanish, Swedish and Yiddish. The English language proclamation reads, in part: "... all male persons between the ages of twenty-one and thirty, both inclusive, shall be subject to registration in accordance with regulations to be prescribed by the President; and upon proclamation by the President or other public notice... it shall be the duty of all persons of the designated ages, except officers and enlisted men of the Regular Army, the Navy, and the national Guard and Naval Militia while in the service of the United States, to present themselves for and submit to registrations under the provisions of this act ... The significance of this can not be overstated. It is a new thing in our history and a landmark in our progress. It is a new manner of accepting and vitalizing our duty to give ourselves with thoughtful devotion to the common purpose of us all. It is in no sense a conscription of the unwilling; it is, rather, selection from a nation which has volunteered in mass. It is no more a choosing of those who shall march with the colors than it is a selection of those who shall serve an equally necessary and devoted purpose in the industries that lie behind the battle line ... " Clearly the foreign language proclamations were intended for distribution in areas that had large immigrant populations. Some edge wear. Overall Fine. An Extremely rare set! \$4,000 - up

American flag at top. Under flag is text in seven languages identifying the bearer as an American airman battling the Japanese and requesting prompt passage to an allied military post. The languages represented are: French, Annamese, Thai, Chinese, Lao, Korean and Japanese. Some very light soiling at edges. Overall Very Fine. These cloths were used by airman in the Pacific Theater in the event that they were shot down. \$150 - up



NATIONAL WAR SAVINGS DAY POSTER

* 609

National War Savings Day Poster, 21" x 32". U.S. Government Printing Office. Orange/Brown Image of an eagle with spread wings at center with ships to its left and buildings to its right. The poster reads: " June 28th is National War Savings Day. Pledge Yourself to Save and Buy War Savings Stamps that there may be more Money, Labor and Materials to Provide for those who fight for you. Some edge wear. Overall Fine. \$200 - up



DEFENSE BOND POSTER

* 607

Official 1952 U.S. Treasury Defense Bond Poster. 18 3/8" x 26". U.S. Government Printing Office Image of one hundred, fifty and twenty dollar bonds before a Patriotic background. Very Fine. \$200 - up



PAYROLL SAVINGS PLAN

* 608

Office 1954 U.S. Saving Bonds Poster. 18 1/2" x 26". Image of a Scotsman holding bonds. U.S. Government Printing Office. Poster reads: "For a Brighter Future Join the Payroll Savings Plan" Very Fine. \$200 - up



U.S. SAVINGS BONDS POSTER

* 610

18 1/2" x 26" color poster for U.S. Savings Bonds. 1849. Image of covered wagons and men on horse back bursting through a one hundred dollar bond. Text at top of image reads, "America's Opportunity Drive" Extremely Fine. \$250 - up

MAPS AND PRINTS



WONDERFUL HAND DRAWN MAP OF EASTERN EUROPE AND AUSTRALIA

* 611

10" x 11 1/2" hand drawn pen and ink map of Eastern Europe and Australia. Wonderfully detailed and beautifully accomplished, this is a hand-drawn map displaying superb artwork. One slight tear at bottom edge. Overall Very Fine. \$750 - up



WONDERFUL HAND DRAWN WORLD MAP

* 612

11 1/2" x 7 3/4" hand drawn pen and ink world map. Wonderfully detailed and beautifully accomplished, this is a hand-drawn map displaying superb artwork. A few splits at edges. Overall Very Fine. \$750 - up



WONDERFUL HAND DRAWN WORLD MAP OF EASTERN EUROPE, NORTHERN AFRICA AND THE MIDDLE EAST

*** 613**
11 1/2" x 9" hand drawn pen and ink map of Western Europe, North Africa and the Middle East. Wonderfully detailed and beautifully accomplished, this is a hand-drawn map displaying superb artwork. Extremely Fine. \$750 - up



WONDERFUL HAND DRAWN MAP OF EUROPE

*** 614**
11 1/2" x 9" hand drawn pen and ink map of Europe. Wonderfully detailed and beautifully accomplished, this is a hand-drawn map displaying superb artwork. Extremely Fine. \$750 - up



HILLIARD AND GRAY U.S. MAP

*** 615**
17 4/2" x 12 1/4" hand colored map of the United States. Published by Hilliard, Gray & Co. Boston. [1828?] Usual folds. Overall Very Fine. \$200 - up



COLOR MAP OF NORTH AMERICA CIRCA 1717

*** 616**
9 7/8" x 7 3/8" engraved map of North America with a small pictorial title cartouche of four Native Americans: two standing and tending a fire, two seated beneath a palm tree with an alligator and a snake in the foreground. Some interesting points of this 1717 map: California is shown with an indented coast line. The Mississippi River is shown emptying into Texas and the south-eastern coast of Texas is designated as part of La Floride. From "Les Tablettes Guerrieres, Ou cartes choices, Pour la commodite Des Officiers et Des Voyageurs. (1717). Mounting trace on verso. Image tipped to a heavy sheet. Chipping at upper right. Overall Fine. \$250 - up



THE WEST INDIES

*** 617**
15" x 10 1/2" map of the West Indies. The map depicts Florida, Mexico, Northern South America and the Caribbean Islands. Usual Folds and some toning. Overall Fine. \$100 - up



FINE ENGRAVING OF NIAGARA FALLS

*** 618**
13" x 8 3/8" engraving, "Fall of Niagara." Image of Niagara Falls with a priest, a savage, two gentlemen and a dog at left. Numerous other viewers in the background at right side. Our research indicates that these engraving were drawn by J. Condet and engraved by J. Covens and C. Mortier as part of a series of images published in 1741. Some toning at left, not affecting image. Mounted to a stiff board. Overall Very Fine. \$175 - up



FINE ENGRAVING OF MEXICO CITY

*** 619**
13" x 7 3/4" engraving, "Mexico, Lake of Mexico" Image of Mexico City. Detailed engraving includes a legend identifying ten important sights in the city. Our research indicates that these engraving were drawn by J. Condet and engraved by J. Covens and C. Mortier as part of a series of images published in 1741. Mounted to a stiff board. Some slight paper loss at left edge, not affecting image. Overall Very Fine. \$175 - up



OGILBY PRINT OF ACAPULCO

*** 620**
[OGILBY, JOHN]. London, 1671. Harbor and city view of Acapulco with houses, fortifications and ships. Taken from Ogilby's America published in 1671. Back centerfold with a 3" split. Some Light foxing. \$150 - up



THE FIRST PUBLISHED VIEW REPRESENTING MEXICO CITY

*** 621**
[OGILBY, JOHN]. London, 1671. 23 1/2" x 15 1/2". A superb view of Mexico City from Ogilby's America published in 1671. Ogilby borrowed it from Arnoldus Montanus who in turn had adapted it from a view in the collection of Johannes Vingbooms. Prior to this printing, the city had been referred to as Tenochtitlan. Backed centerfold. Some light foxing.
 \$250 - up



A RELIGIOUS SACRIFICE
*** 624**
[OGILBY PRINT]. London, 1671. Taken from Ogilby's America published in 1671. A body lies burning atop a funeral pyre as onlooking natives participate in ceremonies. Plate size of the print is 6 1/4" X 5". The page with text measures 15 1/2" x 10" overall.
 \$250 - up



*** 626**
[DeBRAY PRINT] Frankfurt, 1591. Original copperplate engraving of a scene two opposing Native American tribes in cutout boats in battle. Plate size of the print is 8" x 6 1/4". The page with text measures 9 1/2" x 13 3/4". Taken from Theodore DeBray's Collection of Voyages. DeBray's engravings provided the basis for many subsequent works of Native Americans in Colonial America.
 \$250 - up



A SERIES OF OGILBY PRINTS TAKEN FROM OGILBY'S AMERICA PUBLISHED IN 1671: PRINT OF CANNIBALISM FROM OGILBY'S AMERICA PUBLISHED IN 1671

*** 622**
[OGILBY PRINT]. London, 1671. Taken from Ogilby's America published in 1671. James Ogilby. Gruesome scene of Cannibals eating human body parts, heads, legs and torsos. A large tribe in background. Plate size of the print is 6 1/4" X 5". The page with text measures 15 1/2" x 10" overall.
 \$250 - up



SMELTING METALS IN EARLY AMERICA

*** 623**
[OGILBY PRINT]. London, 1671. Taken from Ogilby's America published in 1671. James Ogilby. Scene of "The Americans melting Gold and Silver. Fires roar as natives move and pour liquid metal. Plate size of the print is 6 1/4" X 5". The page with text measures 15 1/2" x 10" overall.
 \$250 - up



*** 625**
[OGILBY PRINT]. London, 1671. Taken from Ogilby's America published in 1671. James Ogilby. A detailed battle scene of natives and Europeans. Fortress and ship in background. Plate size of the print is 6 1/4" X 5". The page with text measures 15 1/2" x 10" overall.
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*** 627**
[DeBRAY PRINT] Frankfurt, 1591. Original copperplate engraving of a scene Native American building a cutout boat. Plate size of the print is 8" x 6 1/4". The page with text measures 9 1/2" x 13 3/4". Taken from Theodore DeBray's Collection of Voyages. DeBray's engravings provided the basis for many subsequent works of Native Americans in Colonial America. Trimmed close at left side though the plate remains intact. \$250 - up



NICE WRIGHT BROTHERS' LITHO

* 628
18" X 22 1/4" framed Wright Brothers' Lithograph, "The Wright brothers' 'Strange Contraption' rises at Kitty Hawk, 1903." Copyright 1928, Wright Aeronautical Corporation. A wonderful image of that historic day at Kitty Hawk! Very Fine. \$250 - up



MAGNUS SONG SHEET "LET THE REBELS PUT THAT IN THEIR PIPES"

* 630
5" x 8" Magnus songsheet, "Let the Rebels put that in their Pipes." By John Ross Dix. Illustrated with a hand-colored image of Union cavalry troops fighting Confederate infantry. Extremely Fine. \$50 - up



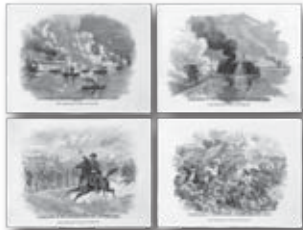
MAGNUS SONG SHEET, "THE VOLUNTEER"

* 632
5" x 8" Magnus songsheet, "The Volunteer" Hand Colored illustration of a Civil War battle at top. The first verse follows: "Adieu to peace and all its charms, \ Our Country calls to arms, \ It bids us meet the Rebls. Sons, \ Upon the plains of Washington." Very Fine. \$50 - up



MAGNUS SONG SHEET, "TRAMP! TRAMP! TRAMP! THE PRISONER'S HOPE"

* 634
5" x 8" song sheet with a hand-colored image of Bell Isle at top center. The song bemoans imprisonment at Bell Isle and looks forward to an eventual return home. During the Civil War, Belle Isle was used as a Confederate Civil War Prison. Affording little protection from the elements for the nearly 10,000 Union soldiers imprisoned there during the course of the war, exposure played a major role in the prison's high death toll. Minor colored ink staining. Else Fine. \$50 - up



FOUR AMERICAN BATTLE PRINTS

* 629
Set of four 7" x 5 1/8" full color American Civil War battle prints, on verso of each is an image and a description of a farming tool produced by The Norwegian Plow Co., Dubuque, Iowa. In addition, a brief description of the pictured battle is also printed on verso. 1) Battle of the Monitor and the Merrimac, March 9, 1862. Norwegian Parallel Bar Cultivator pictured on verso. 2) Sheridan's Famous Ride - Battle of Cedar Creek, October 16, 1864. Patent Malleable Iron Frog pictured on verso. 3) Battle of Mobile Bay. August 5, 1864. Single Row Stalk Cultivator pictured on verso. 4) Battle of Gettysburg, July 3, 1863. Norwegian Steel Riding Cultivator pictured on verso. \$200 - up



MAGNUS SONG SHEET "UNFURL THE GLORIOUS BANNER"

* 631
5" x 8" Magnus songsheet, "Unfurl The Glorious Banner." Hand colored vignette of New York State Seal at upper right. Vignette of a Union sailor with a reclining female at his hoisting the American flag. Extremely Fine. \$50 - up



MAGNUS SONG SHEET, "COLUMBIA" AND "AMERICA"

* 633
5" x 8" Magnus Song Sheet, "Hail Columbia" and "America". Hand-colored illustration of Liberty standing astride a globe at upper left and a stylized rendition of Illinois' State Seal at upper right. Very Fine. \$50 - up



MAGNUS SONG SHEET, "VOLUNTEER'S SONG"

* 635
5" x 8" Magnus Song Sheet, "Volunteer's Song." Hand-colored image of a female holding an American flag aloft with mountains, a river and a small house in background. Very Fine. \$50 - up



**GROUP OF THREE
NEW YORK MAGNUS
LETTERSHEETS**

* 636

Group of three Magnus Letterheads. The first is a black and white Magnus with light blue shading in the skyline. 8 1/2" x 11" with two vignettes, at top is a "View of the Great Washington Bridge" and below is "High Bridge". Very Fine Condition. The second is a color Magnus written in German of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge over the East River. 8 1/2" x 7". The view shows the Bridge at a distance from the city and opposite shoreline. Small paper loss at lower right corner, fine. The third is a color Magnus written in German of the New York and Brooklyn Bridge over the East River. 8 1/2" x 7 1/4". The view shows a bridge close up with various water vessels on the river. Some paper loss at lower right corner and right margin, fine. \$200 - up



**MAGNUS
LETTERSHEET**

* 637

8 5/8" x 10 3/4" Unused Magnus lettersheet "Declaration of Independence July 4th, 1776." Very Fine. \$125 - up



THE PLUME POLKA

* 638

Sheet Music, "Plume Polka" by Francis H. Brown Seven pages, 9 1/2" x 12 1/2". Published by T.S. Berry & C.O. New York. 1853. Beautiful, colorful engraving of birds on cover. Wear at spine. Overall Fine. \$75 - up



**THE LIGHTHOUSE BY
THE SEA**

* 639

Sheet music, "The Lighthouse by the sea" by Charles A. Davies. 10 Pages, 10 3/4" x 13 7/8" Published by J.C. Groene & Co. 1886. Color image of the Lighthouse guiding a ship through stormy seas. Very Fine. \$75 - up

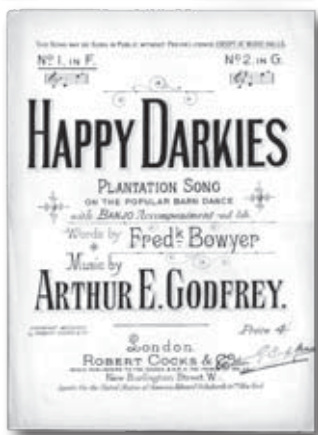


THE TIGER POLKA

* 640

Sheet music, "The Tiger Polka" by H.B. Dodworth. Seven pages, 10" x 13". Dedicated to "... the

Ladies of the members of the Boston Light Infantry and New York Light Guard" by Dodworth's Band. Image of a tiger on cover. Very Fine. \$100 - up



HAPPY DARKIES

* 641

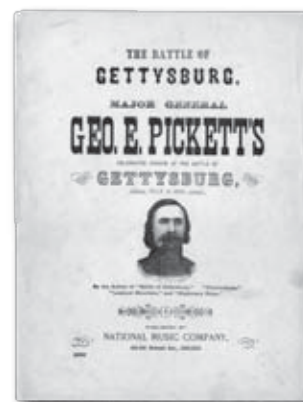
Sheet music, "Happy Darkies" Plantation Song on the Popular Barn Dance with Banjo Accompaniment. Words by Frederick Bowyer and music by Arthur E. Godfrey. Eight pages, 10 1/4" x 14". Fine. \$125- up



**THE MIDNIGHT FIRE
ALARM MARCH & TWO
STEP**

* 642

Sheet music, "The Midnight Fire Alarm March & Two Step" by Harry J. Lincoln. Eight pages, 10 1/4" x 13 3/4". Published by E.T. Paull Music Co., New York. Image of a horse drawn fire-truck racing to a fire alarm. Fine. \$75 - up



**MAJOR GEN. GEO. E.
PICKETT'S CHARGE AT
THE BATTLE OF
GETTYSBURG,
JULY 3, '63**

* 643

Sheet music, "Major Gen. Geo. E. Pickett's Charge at the Battle of Gettysburg, July 3, '63" by James C. Beckel. Ten pages, 10 1/4" x 13 3/4". Published by National Music Company, 215-221 Wabash Ave., Chicago. Image of Pickett on front cover. Back and front covers, including final page of music, separated from remained of piece. Overall Fine. \$150 - up



THE PHONOGRAPH

* 644

Sheet music, "The Phonograph" by Charles D. Blake. Five pages, 9 1/2" X 13 7/8". Published by Chas. Sheard & Co Music Publishers and Printed, London. Image of a woman happily listening to a phonograph. W.H. Tape repair at spine. Some toning. Overall Fine. \$100 - up



**RIP VAN WINKLE
POLKA**

* 645

Sheet music, "Rip Van Winkle Polka" by Chas. J. Hopkins. Five pages, 10 1/4" x 13 1/2". Published by Cook & Brother, New York. Image of Rip Van Winkle during and after his sleep. Tape repair to spine. Overall Fine.

\$75 - up



**ELVIS PRESLEY: "THE
GIRL OF MY BEST
FRIEND"**

* 646

Sheet music, "The Girl of My Best Friend" by Beverly Ross and Sam Bobrick. Five pages, 9" x 12". As recorded by Elvis Presley on RCA Victor. Image of Elvis on front cover. Very Fine.

\$50- up

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