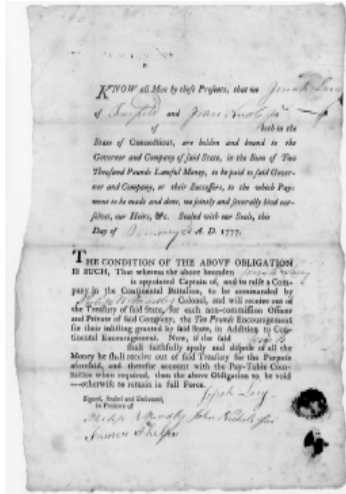


EARLY AMERICAN STOCKS AND BONDS



BOND FOR RAISING A REGIMENT DURING THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

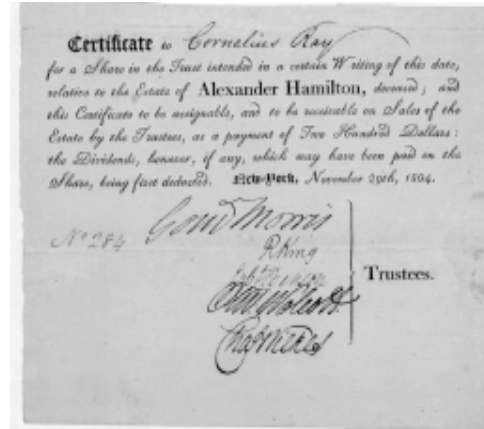
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[AMERICAN REVOLUTION]. Partly-printed bond for raising a Company in the Continental Army. 8 1/4" x 12". January 22, 1777. Connecticut. Partly-printed bond obligation between "John Lary and John Nichols, Jr., both in the State of Connecticut, are holden and bound to the Governor and Company of said State, in the Sum of Two Thousand Pounds Lawful Money, to be paid to said Governor and Company, or their Successors, to which payment to made and done, we jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, etc. Sealed with our seals this day of January 22, A.D. 1777." "THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS, That Whereas the above bounden Josiah Lary is appointed Captain of, and to raise a Company in the Continental Battalion, to be commanded by Philip B. Bradley Colonel, and will receive out of the Treasury of said State, for each non-commission Officer and Private of said Company, the Ten Pounds encouragement for their inlisting granted by the State, in Addition to Continental Encouragement..." A fine demonstration of the process of raising funding and the payment of bounties to soldiers in order to form regiments in the Continental Army. Very fine. \$500 - up

EARLY COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS BOND

* 343

1782, Massachusetts. Anderson MA-31. Bond in which Massachusetts acknowledges it has "Borrowed and received of Danl. Coburn the Sum of Five pounds 19/9 which I promise for Myself and Successors in the Office of Treasurer of this Commonwealth, to pay ...on or before the first Day of January A.D. 1784 with interest at Six per cent per annum..." Signed as treasurer by Henry Gardner. Punch hole cancellation. Fine. \$300 - up



A HISTORIC SHARE IN THE ESTATE OF ALEXANDER HAMILTON SIGNED BY GOUVERNOR MORRIS, RUFUS KING, EGBERT BENSON, OLIVER WOLCOTT, JR. AND CHARLES WILKES

* 344

[ALEXANDER HAMILTON]. Partly-printed share in the Estate of Alexander Hamilton. 6 3/4" x 6". New York. November 29th, 1804. "Certificate to Cornelius Ray for a share in the Trust intended in a certain writing of this date, relative to the Estate of ALEXANDER HAMILTON, deceased; and this Certificiate to be assignable, and to be receivable on Sales of the Estate by the Trustees, as a payment of Two Hundred Dollars; the Dividends, however, if any, which may have been paid on the Share, being first deducted."

Longtime political rivals Hamilton and Aaron Burr fought a duel on July 11, 1804. Hamilton was struck and died the following day. When Hamilton died he had a large amount of debt with assets primarily in land which was very illiquid and under the circumstances of a forced sale, not nearly enough to satisfy his creditors. With Hamilton's family facing dire financial consequences, a group of well-known New Yorkers formed a Trust in order to provide for the family and to satisfy Hamilton's creditors. The proposed amount to be raised was \$100,000 dollars. The trustees of Hamilton's Estate who have all signed the certificate are, were:

GOUVERNOR MORRIS (1752 - 1816). Statesman, diplomat.

EGBERT BENSON (1746 - 1833). Revolutionary leader, delegate to the Congress of the Confederation.

RUFUS KING (1755 - 1827). Federalist statesman.

OLIVER WOLCOTT, JR. (1760 - 1833). Secretary of the treasury.

CHARLES WILKES.

An extraordinary early American certificate evidencing the aftermath of the duel which killed the man whom many have referred to as "The Greatest American". Signed by five prominent Americans of the day. Couple of folds. Excellent.

\$4,000 - up



A RARE EARLY ROGER WILLIAMS BANK STOCK

* 345
1804, Providence, Rhode Island. Stock certificate in for One Share. Nice early woodcut vignette depicting Roger Williams and an Indian Chief smoking a peace pipe under a tree. 8 1/2" x 5 1/4". "The Roger Williams Bank was incorporated in Providence in 1803, through the influence of Thomas Jefferson, who wanted to place government deposits in a Republican-controlled bank. The bulk of the United States deposits in Rhode Island remained there until 1817. The bank continued until 1865, when it was reorganized as Roger Williams National Bank; it was absorbed by the Industrial Trust Company in 1900." (Obsolète Notes and Scrip of Rhode Island and the Providence Plantations, by Roger H. Durand, 1981.)

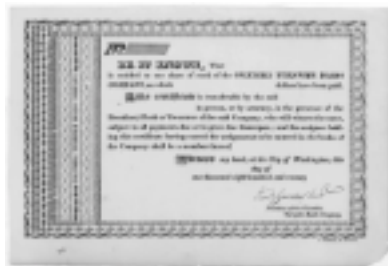
A small portion of the upper right corner has been torn away and the paper missing. The paper loss only slightly affects a portion of the printed border far away from any text. A rare early American bank stock being one of perhaps only four to have surfaced in the last 20 years. Center fold and in Fine condition but for the corner loss. \$900 - up



STATE OF MASS BAY BOND ISSUED DURING THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

* 347
1777, Massachusetts. Anderson MA-11. The state acknowledges it has "Received of John Linnell 3d. the sum of Ten pounds five shillings for the use and service of the State of Massachusetts Bany, and in Behalf of said State, I do hereby promise and oblige myself and successors in the Office of Treasurer...to repay...on the first day of March A.D. 1781, the aforesaid sum...with Interest Annually, at Six per cent per Annum." Signed as treasurer by Henry Gardner. \$600 - up

AUTOGRAPHED STOCKS AND BONDS



COLUMBIA TURNPIKE ROAD SIGNED BY DANIEL CARROLL OF DUDDINGTON

* 346
182-. Maryland. Stock certificate for one share. Black. Nice ornate border on the certificate which measures 9 3/4" x 6 3/4". Signed as president of the company by DANIEL CARROLL OF DUDINGTON.

Daniel Carroll of Duddington II, inherited about half of Duddington Manor, including the part on which the Sewall-Belmont House now stands. It became known as the Daniel Carroll Farm. Carroll was at one time the richest man in the District of Columbia and held civic posts to a degree unequalled in the District's early history. He was related to Charles Carroll of Carrollton, the only Catholic signer of the Declaration of Independence and the wealthiest signer, and to John Carroll, the first Roman Catholic bishop (and later archbishop) in the United States and the founder of Georgetown University.

A fine Turnpike rarity signed by this prominent Maryland figure. Some minor paper loss at lower right corner. Otherwise Fine. \$400 - up



JEFFERSONVILLE, MADISON & INDIANAPOLIS RAILROAD COMPANY SIGNED BY THOMAS A. SCOTT AS PRESIDENT

* 348
1871, Indiana. Stock certificate for 200 shares of the Jeffersonville, Madison & Indianapolis Railroad Company. Black. Attached adhesive revenue stamps. Signed as president by THOMAS A. SCOTT (1823-1881). Railroad executive. In August 1861, based on his previous railroad experience, Scott was appointed assistant secretary of war with responsibility for supervising all government railways and transportation lines, and brought with him in this position his personal secretary, Andrew Carnegie. In mid-1862, Scott left this position to begin an extended and brilliant career with the Pennsylvania Railroad, be-

coming president of that line in June 1874. Scott was president of numerous other railroads during his career as well, among them the Union Pacific 1871-72, and the Texas & Pacific (1872-80). Scott is well known for his attempt at monopolizing the transportation of the oil regions via the South Improvement Company. This was essentially a battle against John D. Rockefeller and the Standard Oil Company interests, which sparked a bitter struggle resulting in victory for the vast Oil Empire. Failing to defeat Rockefeller at his own game, Scott liquidated the company in the spring of 1872. Punch cancelled and very fine. \$100 - up



FREDERICK JOHN FISHER THE FISHER BODY OHIO COMPANY * 349

1921, Ohio. Stock certificate for 40 shares. Green. Three allegorical figures form the vignette at top center. Litho. Signed by "FJ Fisher" at bottom right as president: FREDERICK JOHN FISHER



J. H. Vanderbilt

**JACOB H. VANDERBILT SIGNS A CIVIL WAR BOND
THE COUNTY OF NEW YORK**

* 350

1865, New York. A \$5,000 bond bearing 7% interest over thirty years. Blue on white paper with a large red seal. The "Soldiers Bounty Fund Bond No. 3" likely paid the bounties that enticed soldiers, even though this was signed only five weeks before the war ended. Litho. It was issued to and signed by on the verso. **JACOB H. VANDERBILT** (1807-1893). Steamboat Manager; Brother of "Commodore" Vanderbilt. By the age of eighteen, Jacob had command of a steamboat and from that time on was a prominent factor in steamboat lines on the Hudson River, Connecticut River and along Long Island Sound. Uncancelled and in very fine condition. \$1,000 - up

Manufacturer and organizer of the Fisher Body Corporation, one of the largest manufacturers of automobile bodies and hardware in the world which was taken over by General Motors in 1928. Light punch cancellation not affecting signature. \$150 - up



Max Baer

**STOCK CERTIFICATE SIGNED BY
HEAVYWEIGHT BOXER MAX BAER**

* 351

1951, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 100 shares in the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. Green/Black. Vignette at top center of the Pennsylvania State Seal. Issued to Max Baer and signed by him on verso. **MAX BAER** (1909 - 1959). Heavyweight Boxer. His record was 71 - 12 with 51 Kays. Baer fought from 1929 through 1941 and won the heavyweight championship by knocking out Primo Carnera in eleven rounds. He lost the title to the "Cinderella Man" Jim Braddock in fifteen desultory rounds on June 13, 1935. Three months later, Joe Louis knocked him out in four rounds. He was inducted into the International Boxing Hall of Fame in 1995. Punch cancelled and Excellent. \$350 - up



J.B. Clews

**RAILROAD STOCK SIGNED BY
BOTH J.B. CLEWS AND HENRY
CLEWS**

* 352

1889, Ohio. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Brown/Black. Vignette at center of an oncoming steam locomotive flanked by cherubs. Issued to and signed on verso by **J.B. Clews**, brother of Henry Clews. Signed on verso by Henry Clews as witness. **HENRY CLEWS** (1834-1923). Financier. A long-time and successful Wall Street figure, Clews is best known for his numerous books regarding Wall Street and finance. His Twenty-Eight Years on Wall Street is an important reference work for collectors of financial history. Stamp and diamond cut cancelled. J.B.'s signature is affected by a stamp receipt on verso. Fine. \$60 - up



Arthur Searle

**FLINT & PERE MARQUETTE
RAILROAD COMPANY ISSUED TO
AND SIGNED ON VERSO BY
ASTRONOMER ARTHUR SEARLE
* 353**

1884, Michigan. Stock certificate for 25 shares. Brown. Vignette of small train at top center. Issued to and signed by Arthur Searle on verso. **ARTHUR SEARLE** (1837-1920) Astronomer was born in London, England. Searle received his early education in Massachusetts private schools in Brookline and Roxbury and in Brookline high school; he graduated from Harvard College in 1856, the second scholar in his class. Ancient and modern languages, philosophy, music, mathematics, and the sciences all interested him; his first article, published in the Harvard Magazine of April 185, was on "The Plurality of Worlds," though at that time had no thought of making astronomy a profession. In 1868 he took position with his brother as computer and observer at the Harvard Observatory, looking upon it as a temporary occupation. To his surprise he found that he work suited him very well.

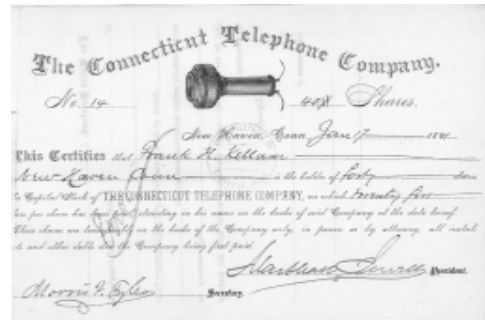
He was appointed assistant in 1869, assistant professor in 1883, Phillips Professor of Astronomy in 1887 and professor emeritus in 1912. A skilful mathematician, for over forty years he was the chief consultant in the mathematical discussions of all investigations of the observatory. Besides various articles in periodicals, he published Outlines of Astronomy (1874). He died in Cambridge MA survived by his daughters. Stamp cancelled and fine. \$100 - up



GENERAL BENJAMIN F. BUTLER

* 354

1891, Alabama. Stock certificate for 15 shares of the Georgia-Alabama Investment and Development Co. Brown/Black. Vignette at upper center of "Constitution, Justice, Wisdom & Moderation". Litho. Signed as president by **BENJAMIN F. BUTLER** (1818 - 1893). Union general in the Civil War; Presidential candidate; Massachusetts Governor; Congressman. As one of the few Democrats supporting the Union, Butler was quickly appointed major general of volunteers by Lincoln when the Civil War broke out. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$250-up



**EXTREMELY EARLY TELEPHONE STOCK SIGNED
BY MARSHALL JEWELL FOR THE CONNECTICUT
TELEPHONE COMPANY**

* 355

1881, Connecticut. Stock certificate for 40 shares. Black. Vignette of an early telephone mouthpiece. Litho. Signed by Marshall Jewell as president. **MARSHALL JEWELL** (1825-1883). Jewell was a manufacturer, postmaster general, and a governor of Connecticut. The world's first commercial telephone exchange was formed in New Haven, from where this certificate was issued, just three years before the issuance of this stock, and shortly after Bell received his patent for the telephone. Thus, this ranks as one of the truly early telephone stocks in existence. Very lightly stamp cancelled and extremely fine.

\$250 - up



NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD CO. CONSOLIDATION CERTIFICATE SIGNED BY WILLIAM H. VANDERBILT

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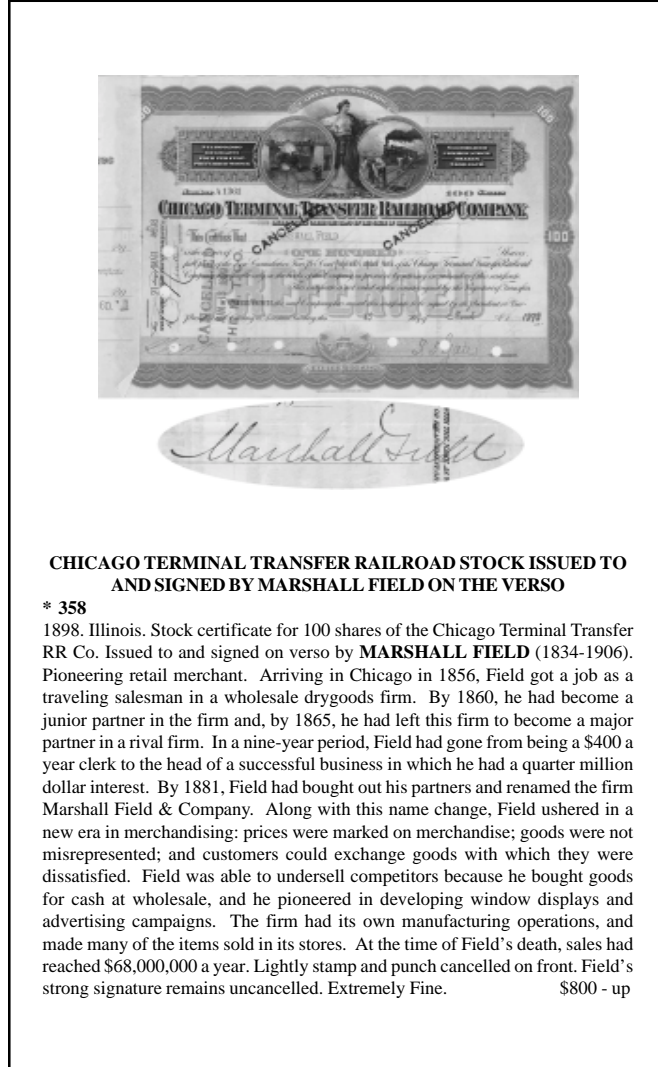
18—. Unissued. New York. Black/Blue. Choice engraved vignette of a portrait of Commodore Vanderbilt flanked by liberty and commerce. Consolidation Certificate. An important piece of the Vanderbilt Railroad Empire. Boldly signed by **WILLIAM H. VANDERBILT** (1821-1885). Railroad magnate; Financier. Longtime assistant to his father, "Commodore" Vanderbilt, William took the fortune he inherited from his father and built one of the foremost railroad empires in America. \$400 - up



ROCK ISLAND AND PEORIA RAILWAY COMPANY ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY JUNIUS SPENCER MORGAN, CO-FOUNDER OF CUYLER, MORGAN & COMPANY

* 357

Stock Certificate for 30 shares. Black on white paper with an engraved vignette of a steam locomotive crossing a stone river bridge; cows stand in the water untroubled by the train. Issued to Junius Spencer Morgan and signed on verso. **JUNIUS SPENCER MORGAN** was born in 1867 in New York. He was the son of George Hale Morgan (1840-1911) and Sarah Spencer Morgan (1839-1896). He graduated from Princeton University in 1888 and became a banker and the founder of Cuyler, Morgan, & Co. He was also the associate librarian of Princeton University from 1898-1909 and retired from banking in 1910. Junius Spencer Morgan died in 1932 in Switzerland. Pen cancelled and excellent \$200 - up



CHICAGO TERMINAL TRANSFER RAILROAD STOCK ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY MARSHALL FIELD ON THE VERSO

* 358

1898. Illinois. Stock certificate for 100 shares of the Chicago Terminal Transfer RR Co. Issued to and signed on verso by **MARSHALL FIELD** (1834-1906). Pioneering retail merchant. Arriving in Chicago in 1856, Field got a job as a traveling salesman in a wholesale drygoods firm. By 1860, he had become a junior partner in the firm and, by 1865, he had left this firm to become a major partner in a rival firm. In a nine-year period, Field had gone from being a \$400 a year clerk to the head of a successful business in which he had a quarter million dollar interest. By 1881, Field had bought out his partners and renamed the firm Marshall Field & Company. Along with this name change, Field ushered in a new era in merchandising; prices were marked on merchandise; goods were not misrepresented; and customers could exchange goods with which they were dissatisfied. Field was able to undersell competitors because he bought goods for cash at wholesale, and he pioneered in developing window displays and advertising campaigns. The firm had its own manufacturing operations, and made many of the items sold in its stores. At the time of Field's death, sales had reached \$68,000,000 a year. Lightly stamp and punch cancelled on front. Field's strong signature remains uncanceled. Extremely Fine. \$800 - up



IRVING TRUST COMPANY ISSUED TO AND SIGNED ON VERSO GUSTAVUS SWIFT, JR.

* 359

1937, New York. Stock certificate for 100 shares in the Irving Trust Company. Orange/Black. Vignette of seated female next to state seal flanked by transportation scenes in background. Issued to and signed on verso by **GUSTAVUS SWIFT, JR** (1881 - 1943); meat packer, vice chairman of the board of Swift & Co. Son of Gustavus Swift Sr., founder of Swift and Co. Upon his father's death in 1903 he, along with his brothers developed Swift & Co. into a \$1 billion a year business. Several small staple holes at upper left. The latter portion of Swift's signature is smudged. Punch cancelled and very fine. \$125 - up



JACK CHRYSLER SIGNS A STATE OF NEW YORK BOND

* 360

JACK CHRYSLER. 1945, New York. A 20 year, \$5,000 bond for the state of New York bearing 4.25% interest issued to and signed by "Jack F. Chrysler" on a separate receipt. Green on white paper with an engraved "Great Seal of the State of New York". Stamp and punch cancelled though not affecting Chrysler's signature. It is in very fine condition. \$125 - up



INTERNATIONAL & GREAT NORTHERN RR ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY WILLIAM M. RICE

* 361

1879, Texas. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Brown. Fine engraved vignette of cowboys atop horses herding cattle at center. Issued to William Marsh Rice and signed on verso. **WILLIAM MARSH RICE** (1816-1900). Merchant; Founder of Rice University. Following the panic of 1837, Rice moved to Houston from the northeast with a small stock of goods to begin merchandising. His realization of the potential importance of Houston as a trade center contributed greatly to his success. Rising from a clerkship in a mercantile establishment he became the senior partner of Rice & Nichols, Exporters, Importers and Wholesale Grocers of Houston becoming the preeminent figure in the business during a period of major growth and expansion. At the time of his death Rice's fortune was estimated at \$8,000,000, a figure which grew to fund the endowment of Rice University estimated in excess of \$10,000,000. Stamp and punch cancelled and very fine. \$250 - up



LAKE COPPER CO. STOCK SIGNED BY WILLIAM PAINE

* 362

1917, Michigan. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Brown/Black. Engraved vignette of a seated female figure with miners in background. Signed as president of the company by **WILLIAM A. PAINE**, (1855-1929). Investment banker. Paine worked as a clerk in the Boston bank house of Blackstone National bank from 1873 - 1880 becoming head of the firm in 1880. He was a Co-Founder of one of America's most well-known investment banking and brokerage houses. Lightly punch cancelled and extremely fine. \$200 - up



CHESAPEAKE, OHIO AND SOUTHWESTERN RAILROAD COMPANY STOCK ISSUED TO LELAND STANFORD AND SIGNED BY COLLIS P. HUNTINGTON AS PRESIDENT

* 363

1882, Ohio. A "Chesapeake, Ohio and Southwestern Railroad Company" stock certificate issued to Leland Stanford for 11690 shares signed by Collis P. Huntington as president. There is an attractive engraving at the top of a locomotive waiting at a depot. There are light punch cancellations, including several through Huntington's dark signature; it is in fine condition overall.

LELAND STANFORD (1824-1893). Railroad magnate; California governor and U.S. Senator. Known as a great railroad builder, Leland Stanford began his professional career as a lawyer. However, losing his law office and library in Port Washington, WI to fire, young Leland followed his five brothers west to California, where he set up business with a stock of miners supplies. Settling in Sacramento with his wife, he became involved in California politics, eventually being elected Governor in 1861, when the outbreak of the Civil War split the opposing democratic party in half.

COLLIS P. HUNTINGTON (1821-1900). One of the most important railroad builders in American history. Arriving in California as a successful New York merchant in 1849, Huntington soon began building the basis of what was to become one of the great American railway fortunes. In 1860, he was approached by Theodore Judah with a plan to build a railroad across the Sierra Nevada mountains as part of a trans-continental railroad project. The development of Judah's plan brought together the talents of Huntington, Leland Stanford, Charles Crocker and Mark Hopkins, the combination which came to be known as "The Big Four." This combination of successful California businessmen led to the eventual completion of the Central Pacific Railroad, culminating in its connection with the Union Pacific at Promontory Point, Utah in May of 1869. Collis P. Huntington. \$1,000 - up



THE WOMAN'S JOURNAL SIGNED BY REFORMER HENRY BLACKWELL

* 364

1870, Massachusetts. Stock certificate for 1 share in The Proprietors of The Woman's Journal Corporation. Black. Litho. Attached adhesive revenue stamp at left. Signed as treasurer by **Henry B. Blackwell** (1825-1909), this certificate was transferred to Alice Stone Blackwell (daughter of Henry

Blackwell and Lucy Stone) on Jan. 26, 1891. Founded in 1870 by Lucy Stone and her husband Henry Blackwell, The Woman's Journal, which espoused the moderated philosophy of the American Association's women's movement, was the most influential voice in the struggle to grant women their right to vote. While another leading women's journal of the times, The Revolution, which rejected the National Association's more aggressive and radical views on women's rights, ceased publication in 1872 due to lack of funds, The Woman's Journal remained the foremost advocate of the women's rights movement. The Journal, to which the family invested their total energies throughout their lives, has remained a most authoritative historical record of women's rights; its historical, political and social significance cannot be overstated. A rather small and closely held issue. Pen cancelled and excellent condition. \$300 - up



THE ARGONAUT SALVAGE CORPORATION SIGNED BY SIMON LAKE AS PRESIDENT

* 365

1920, Maine. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green. Top center vignette of two allegorical figures with ship in the background. Signed by Simon Lake as President. **SIMON LAKE** (1866-1945). Inventor; Submarine pioneer. Beginning in the early 1890s, and continuing for over 40 years, Lake built a succession of submarines through which he developed some portion of the submarine technology in use today. He is generally credited with developing the first workable periscope, and pioneering the use of hydroplanes fore and aft to achieve submergence while maintaining an even keel. His contributions to the navy and the marine industry were widespread, and his inventive genius places him among the important naval architects in American history. His submarine business ventures were never terribly successful, however, and he died a poor man. Uncancelled and Excellent. \$125 - up



A LAKE SUB-MARINE COMPANY ISSUED TO & SIGNED TWICE BY SIMON LAKE

* 366

1901, New Jersey Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green/Black. Spread eagle vignette at the top. Two small file holes and the pen cancellation do not affect anything; it is in very fine condition. \$125 - up



WEST INDIES SUGAR CORPORATION STOCK ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY DOM AMECHE

* 367

1946, Delaware. Stock for 40 shares Top center vignette of allegorical females flanking a sugarcane seal. Issued to Dom and Honore Ameche and signed on verso. **DOM**

AMECHE, (1908-1993). An actor of radio, television and films. Ameche is best known for his title role in "The Story of Alexander Graham Bell". Lightly punch cancelled and fine. \$125 - up



THE GRAND RIVER VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY CHAUNCEY DEPEW

* 368

1914, Michigan. Stock certificate for 20 shares of the Grand River Valley Railroad Company. Orange/Black. Vignette of train at loading platform at top center. Issued to and signed on verso by Chauncey M. Depew. **CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW**, (1834-1928). Railroad executive; Political figure. Depew was a prominent figure in American business and public life for almost 70 years. He served two terms in the U. S. Senate, but refused to serve in many other important posts when they were offered. A lawyer, Depew worked extensively for the Vanderbilt railroad. Light pen cancellations not affecting signature. \$100 - up



PENNSYLVANIA COMPANY SIGNED BY THOMAS SCOTT

* 369

1873, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 200 shares. Signed as president of the company by **THOMAS A. SCOTT** (1823-1881). Railroad executive. In mid-1862, Scott began an extended and brilliant career with the Pennsylvania Railroad, becoming president of that line in June 1874. Scott was president of numerous other railroads during his career as well, among them the Union Pacific 1871-72, and the Texas & Pacific (1872-80). Scott is well known for his attempt at monopolizing the transportation of the oil regions via the South Improvement Company. This was essentially a battle against John D. Rockefeller and the Standard Oil Company interests which sparked a bitter struggle resulting in victory for the vast oil empire. Failing to defeat Rockefeller at his own game, Scott liquidated the company in the spring of 1872. Light green. Punch cancelled and Excellent. Hole punch cancellation affecting Scott's signature. \$125 - up



FREDERICK PABST SIGNS A PHILLIP BEST BREWING COMPANY STOCK AS PRESIDENT

* 370

1873, Wisconsin. A Phillip Best Brewing Company stock certificate for 1 share. At the top are two attractive vignettes; one is of the Empire Brewery and the other is of the Southside Brewery. Signed by Frederick Pabst as president. **FREDERICK PABST** (1836-1904). Brewer. Jacob Best was among the first brewers to engage in the business in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, establishing a plant in 1844. His son Phillip rose to take control of the Philip Best Brewing Company brewery by 1860 and, retiring in 1864, left it to his son-in-laws, **EMIL SCHANDEIN** and Fred Pabst. With Fred at the helm of the company, eventually renamed the Pabst Brewing Company, rose to become the largest brewery in the world by the turn of the century. The share was issued to Emil Schandain and signed by him on the verso. There is a receipt glued to the left edge and it is crayon cancelled, though not touching Pabst's signature. The piece is in very fine condition overall. \$300 - up



LOUISVILLE AND NORTHERN RAILWAY AND ELECTRIC LIGHTING CO.

* 372

1907, Indiana. Stock certificate for 250 shares. Green/Black. Vignette at upper center of a street railway car and two lightbulbs at upper left and right. Signed at bottom right by Samuel Insull as President. **SAMUEL INSULL** (1859-1938). Public utility magnate. Insull served as personal secretary to Thomas Edison, eventually taking control of most of the Edison General Electric Company. His experience in the electric industry and keen optimism for its future led Insull to his development of an enormous utility holding company with assets in excess of two billion dollars. His pyramid of holding companies collapsed due to the combination of his highly leveraged position and a September 1931 stock market crash. In April of 1932, the top Insull companies went into receivership, thus ending the reign of one of America's leading symbols of prestige and business success of the 1920s. Uncancelled. \$250 - up

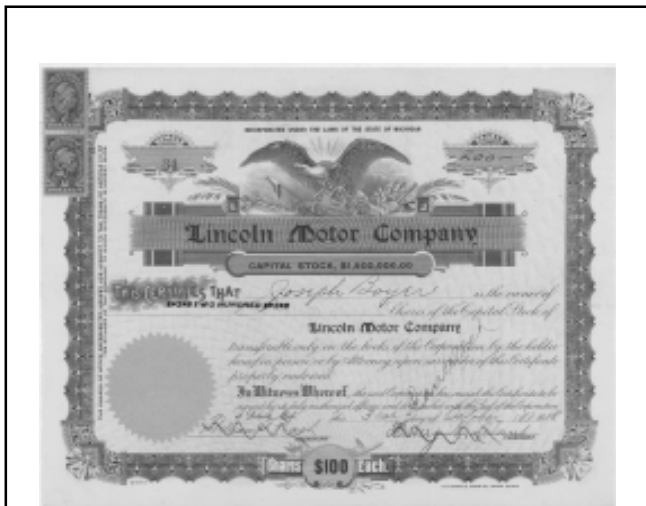


J. PAUL GETTY'S PERSONAL SHARES IN THE OKLAHOMA OIL CORPORATION

ISSUED TO AND SIGNED AS PRESIDENT BY J. PAUL GETTY

* 373

1928, Arizona. Stock certificate for 600 Shares of the Oklahoma Oil Corporation. Vignette at top left of oil derricks. Issued to and signed as president of the company by J. Paul Getty as President. **J. PAUL GETTY** (1892 - 1976). Oil magnate; Art collector. A fabled oil executive, J. Paul Getty brought the Getty Oil Company to the status of an "eighth sister" among the giants in the petroleum business. Shares being personally issued to Getty on this company are scarce. Stamp cancelled and very fine. \$1750 - up



LINCOLN MOTOR COMPANY STOCK CERTIFICATE

SIGNED BY AUTOMOTIVE PIONEER HENRY LELAND, FOUNDER OF CADILLAC

* 371

1918, Michigan Stock certificate for 250 shares of the Lincoln Motor Company. Green/Black. Vignette of a spread eagle at top center. Litho. Signed as president by **HENRY M. LELAND** (1843 - 1932), automobile manufacturer and founder in 1904 of Cadillac Motor Car Co. Leland also founded this Lincoln Motor Company. A scarce automotive certificate signed by this important, early automotive pioneer. Lightly pen cancelled and extremely fine. \$1,250 - up



MERGENTHALER LINOTYPE COMPANY STOCK ISSUED TO AND SIGNED ON VERSO BY DARIUS OGDEN MILLS

* 374

1896, New York. Stock certificate for 100 shares of the Mergenthaler Linotype Company. Green/Black. Engraved vignette of the linotype machine developed by Ottmar Mergenthaler. Issued to and signed on verso by **DARIUS OGDEN MILLS** (1825-1910). Merchant; Banker; Philanthropist. Following the discovery of gold in California in 1848, Mills set out with the necessary money to begin a merchandising or banking business. Upon arriving in San Francisco in 1849, Mills at once

established a trading business buying gold dust, selling goods and dealing in New York exchange. His success led to the formation of the Bank of D. O. Mills & Co. in 1850 which thereafter led to the accumulation of a large fortune. Punch cancellations not affecting signature. \$125 - up



ATLANTIC, MISSISSIPPI & OHIO RR SIGNED BY CONFEDERATE GENERAL WILLIAM MAHONE

* 375

1871, Virginia. Stock certificate for 1 share. Green/Black with orange imprinted revenue at center. Outstanding engraved multi-vignetted bond depicting a steam locomotive passing through the countryside at top center, and lady liberty at bottom. Signed by William Mahone as president. **WILLIAM MAHONE** (1826 - 1895), Confederate General during the Civil War. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$175 - up



June 27 1884
Wm Rockefeller

THE STANDARD OIL TRUST ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY WILLIAM ROCKEFELLER AND SIGNED BY JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER AND HENRY FLAGLER

* 376
1884, New York. Certificate for 200 shares "in the equity to the property held by the trustees of the Standard Oil Trust..." Green/Black/White. Lovely engraved vignette of the capital building. Issued to and signed on verso by **WILLIAM ROCKEFELLER** (1841-1922). Oil company executive; Brother of John D. Rockefeller and an original partner and founder of the Standard Oil Company.

Also signed on the front as officers of the company by **JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER** (1839 - 1937) as President, **HENRY FLAGLER** (1830-1913) as Secretary and **JABEZ A. BOSTWICK** (died 1892) as Treasurer. Noted historian Allan Nevins said of the trust; "The birth of this unprecedented entity was an epochal event in business organization." The successful organization of the Standard Oil Trust was the culmination of oil interest acquisitions from 1870 to 1882 and brought the vast oil empire (today known as Exxon) under one central management. Prior to 1889, general statutes prohibited inter-corporation stockholding, thus creating the need to circumvent these laws in order to acquire other oil related properties. The Standard Oil Company, as an organization chartered in Ohio, was restricted from holding stock or any interest in another company. To circumvent this problem, the concept of issuing shares to individuals as trustees was developed and utilized. The effect of the method was to allow Standard Oil to acquire properties and conceal their corporate ownership under the guise of individual possession by the principals. Although effective, as the organization grew, it became apparent that this complex system of ownership carried with it many logistical difficulties. Thus, the Standard Oil Trust was born, and so was the first great monopoly in American business history. For those wishing further detailed information on the Trust, please ask for our booklet on this historic accomplishment.

An exceptional opportunity to acquire the William's personal shares in the Standard Oil Trust. A fine certificate associating the Rockefeller brothers, Flagler and Bostwick all on the same certificate. Pen and Cut cancellation leaving signatures completely intact. \$4,000 - up



ST. LOUIS BRIDGE COMPANY SIGNED BY WILLIAM TAUSSIG

* 377
1911, Missouri. Stock certificate for 10 shares of the St. Louis Bridge Company. Black. Lovely engraved vignette of a panoramic view of a riverscene with a large bridge. Signed as president by **WILLIAM TAUSSIG** (1826 - 1913), Businessman, physician, civic leader. Punch cancellation through vignette. Taussig's signature remains uncanceled. \$50 - up



John D. Rockefeller
George H. Morgan

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER

* 378
1892, New York. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green. Top left vignette of a roundhouse with a train exiting. Issued to John D. Rockefeller and signed on verso. **JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER** (1839-1937). Founder and one of the original partners of Standard Oil; Oil industry pioneer; Capitalist. Punch cancelled and Excellent. Hole punch cancellation affecting Rockefeller's signature. \$1,250 - up



CARTHAGE, WATERTOWN & SACKETS HARBOR RAILROAD CO.

* 379
1900, New York. Stock certificate for 1 share. Black. Vignette of the New York state seal at center. LITHO. PREFERRED STOCK written over the face of the certificate. Transferred on verso to J. PIERPONT MORGAN. Issued to and signed on verso by **WILLIAM SEWARD WEBB** (1851-1926). Capitalist; Author. A physician by training, Webb married the daughter of William H. Vanderbilt in 1883 and, not surprisingly, began a rapid rise through the ranks of Vanderbilt-related companies. He became president of such companies as the Wagner Palace Car Company, Fulton Chain Railway Company, Fulton Navigation Company, and a director of the Pullman Company, Rutland Railway Company, and



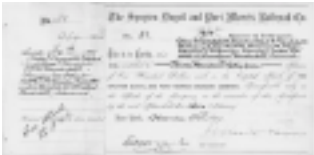
MICHAEL F. CUDAHY SIGNED BOND

* 380
1941, New York. State of New York, Loan for Highway Improvement Bond for \$5,000 bearing 4% interest. Olive/Black. Vignette of the state seal at upper center. Issued to Michael F. Cudahy and signed on verso. **MICHAEL F. CUDAHY**, (1886-?). Meat packer. Cudahy was a prominent midwest businessman long identified with the meat-packing industry. For many years he was president of Cudahy Brothers Co., a company which was founded by his father and uncle and which was at one time one of the largest meat packing houses in the U.S. Machine punch cancellations affecting the signature. \$150 - up



THE NEW YORK AND HARLEM RAILROAD

* 381
1900, New York. \$10,000 Registered Gold Bond bearing 3 1/2% interest. Green. Engraved vignette of "Commodore" Vanderbilt at top center. Signed at lower right as President by **WILLIAM K. VANDERBILT** (1849-1920). Second son of William H. Vanderbilt. William began his career in railroading at the age of nineteen in his grandfather's office ("Commodore" Vanderbilt), and was heavily involved in the family railroad empire. Punch cancellation-affecting ht "er" in the signature. \$100 - up



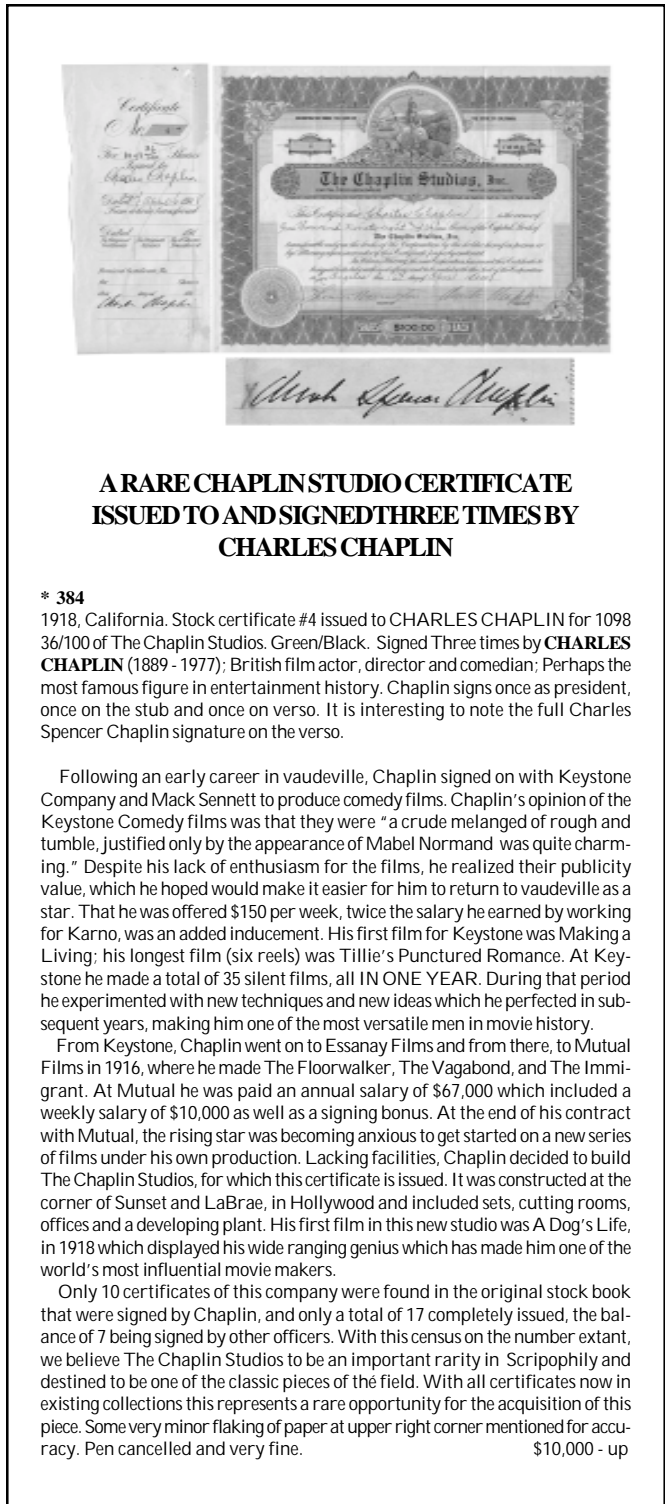
SPUYTEN DUYVIL AND PORT MORRIS RAILROAD COMPANY ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY ALICE G. VANDERBILT

* 382
1899, New York. Stock certificate for 954 shares. Red. Issued to and Signed "**Alice G. Vanderbilt**" The Executrix Alfred G. Vanderbilt, William K Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew Edward Rossiter, Executors under the Will of Cornelius Vanderbilt, deceased. 954 shares to Alice G. Vanderbilt. The document has a slight fold and is in fine condition. \$200 - up



BOND SIGNED BY WILLIAM K. AND HAROLD S. VANDERBILT

* 383
1940, New York. \$10,000 bond. Brown. Top center engraving of the New York State seal. It is signed on a separate power of attorney by "William K. Vanderbilt" and "Harold S. Vanderbilt". Noted as "Surviving Trustees for Anna H. Vanderbilt".



A RARE CHAPLIN STUDIO CERTIFICATE ISSUED TO AND SIGNED THREE TIMES BY CHARLES CHAPLIN

* 384
1918, California. Stock certificate #4 issued to **CHARLES CHAPLIN** for 1098 36/100 of The Chaplin Studios. Green/Black. Signed Three times by **CHARLES CHAPLIN** (1889 - 1977); British film actor, director and comedian; Perhaps the most famous figure in entertainment history. Chaplin signs once as president, once on the stub and once on verso. It is interesting to note the full Charles Spencer Chaplin signature on the verso.

Following an early career in vaudeville, Chaplin signed on with Keystone Company and Mack Sennett to produce comedy films. Chaplin's opinion of the Keystone Comedy films was that they were "a crude melanged of rough and tumble, justified only by the appearance of Mabel Normand was quite charming." Despite his lack of enthusiasm for the films, he realized their publicity value, which he hoped would make it easier for him to return to vaudeville as a star. That he was offered \$150 per week, twice the salary he earned by working for Karno, was an added inducement. His first film for Keystone was Making a Living; his longest film (six reels) was Tillie's Punctured Romance. At Keystone he made a total of 35 silent films, all IN ONE YEAR. During that period he experimented with new techniques and new ideas which he perfected in subsequent years, making him one of the most versatile men in movie history.

From Keystone, Chaplin went on to Essanay Films and from there, to Mutual Films in 1916, where he made The Floorwalker, The Vagabond, and The Immigrant. At Mutual he was paid an annual salary of \$67,000 which included a weekly salary of \$10,000 as well as a signing bonus. At the end of his contract with Mutual, the rising star was becoming anxious to get started on a new series of films under his own production. Lacking facilities, Chaplin decided to build The Chaplin Studios, for which this certificate is issued. It was constructed at the corner of Sunset and LaBrea, in Hollywood and included sets, cutting rooms, offices and a developing plant. His first film in this new studio was A Dog's Life, in 1918 which displayed his wide ranging genius which has made him one of the world's most influential movie makers.

Only 10 certificates of this company were found in the original stock book that were signed by Chaplin, and only a total of 17 completely issued, the balance of 7 being signed by other officers. With this census on the number extant, we believe The Chaplin Studios to be an important rarity in Scripophily and destined to be one of the classic pieces of the field. With all certificates now in existing collections this represents a rare opportunity for the acquisition of this piece. Some very minor flaking of paper at upper right corner mentioned for accuracy. Pen cancelled and very fine. \$10,000 - up

ANNA H. VANDERBILT was William K's wife; she died in 1940. **WILLIAM K. VANDERBILT JR.** (1878-1944) William K., Jr. was a railroad executive. **HAROLD S. VANDERBILT** (1844- 1970). A boating enthusiast. Lightly punch cancelled. The signed receipt is punch and stamp cancelled with the stamp covering two letter of the signature. It is in very fine condition overall. \$125 - up

STOCK OF THE CHICAGO TERMINAL TRANSFER COMPANY ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY EDWARD H. HARRIMAN

* 385
1901, Illinois. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Olive/Black. Engraved vignette of Standing Liberty flanked by steam locomotive vignettes. Issued to and signed on verso by **EDWARD H. HARRIMAN**. (1848 - 1909). Railroad magnate. \$250 - up



LOT # 385



PITTSBURGH AND LAKE ERIE RAILROAD COMPANY STOCK ISSUED TO ALICE G. VANDERBILT, ALFRED G. VANDERBILT, REGINALD C. VANDERBILT, WILLIAM K. VANDERBILT, CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW, TRUSTEES UNDER THE WILL OF CORNELIUS VANDERBILT, DEC'D.

* 386
1927, New York. Stock certificate for 142 shares. Center engraving of Pittsburgh flanked by a train on the left and ships on the right. Issued to and signed on attached document by **Alice G. Vanderbilt**. Stamp and punch cancelled and in very fine condition. \$100 - up



YAZOO & MISSISSIPPI VALLEY RR CO. STOCK SIGNED BY STUYVESANT FISH

* 387
1904, New York. Stock certificate for 1 share. Black/Gray. Vignette of steam locomotive approaching passengers at station at center and clipper ship at right margin. **STUYVESANT FISH**, (1851-1923). Railroad executive. Fish was a member of a politically prominent New York family, his father having served as Ulysses Grant's Secretary of State. Fish himself was a prominent and successful businessman, holding executive positions in many companies. Lightly pen cancelled and Extremely Fine. \$100 - up



CITY OF BOSTON LOAN SIGNED BY MAYOR BENJAMIN SEAVER
 * 388
 1852, Massachusetts. \$1,000 bond bearing 5% interest. Black. Vignette of the seal of Boston flanked by an eagle and the Massachusetts state seal. Smaller vignette of mountains at bottom center. Litho. Signed as mayor by **BENJAMIN SEAVER**. Seaver served as mayor of Boston from 1852-1853. A fine early Boston bond and scarce. Very Fine. \$200 - up



WESTERN RAIL ROAD CORPORATION
 * 392
 1838, Massachusetts. Stock certificate. Black. The company operated between Worcester, Massachusetts and State Line, New York Signed as treasurer of the company by **JOSHIAH QUINCY, JR.** (1772 - 1864). Politician, municipal reformer and college president. A scarce, early railroad stock. Lightly punch cancelled and Extremely Fine. \$125 - up



REO MOTOR CAR COMPANY
 * 395
 1916, Michigan. Stock certificate for 40 shares. Olive/Black. Engraved vignette of the company's insignia at top center flanked by two female allegorical figures. Signed at bottom right as President by **RANSOME OLDS**, (1864 - 1950). Automotive pioneer and manufacturer; Inventor. Designer and manufacturer of the first American car ever sold for export. Lightly punch cancelled with one affecting the signature. Very fine. \$400 - up



CO-OPERATIVE DRESS ASSOCIATION STOCK SIGNED BY WOMAN'S ACTIVIST KATE FIELD
 * 393
 1881, New York. Stock for 1 share. Top center vignette of a coat-of-arms flanked by a seated Indian and sailor. Signed as president by Kate Field. **KATE FIELD** (1838-1896). Journalist, author, lecturer and prolific activist. Uncancelled and fine. \$150 - up



MKT STOCK ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY RUSSELL SAGE
 * 396
 1880, New York. Stock for 100 shares. Green. Top center engraved vignette of cattle. Issued to and signed on verso by Russell Sage. **RUSSELL SAGE**, (1816-1906). Banker; Financier; U.S. Congressman. As the originator of "put and call options", Sage greatly changed the way speculators played the stock market. Among America's most powerful and wealthy bankers, he financed Jay Gould and made a vast fortune on the latter's stock manipulations. "Sage was one of the shrewdest and most conservative of all great financiers." (DAB) At one time he is said to have had \$27,000,000 out on call loans. At the time of his death he left a fortune worth an estimated \$70,000,000. Stamp and punch cancelled. Cancellations do not affect Sage's signature. Fine. \$200 - up



UNIVERSAL DIVERSIFIED CORPORATION STOCK SIGNED BY JOHN EISENHOWER, SON OF IKE
 * 394
 1969, Pennsylvania. Certificate for 20,000 shares. Orange. Eagle at top center. Issued to and signed by "John S D Eisenhower" on the back. **JOHN SHELDON DOUD EISENHOWER** (1922-). John is the only child of Dwight and Marmie Eisenhower. (born 1922). John Eisenhower served in the United States Army, then became an author and served as U.S. Ambassador to Belgium. Uncancelled and in fine condition. \$100 - up



ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY SIGNED BY STUYVESANT FISH
 * 397
 1897, Illinois. Unissued Interim Certificate. Ornate border signed by Stuyvesant Fish as President. **FISH, STUYVESANT** (1851-1923). Railroad executive. Lightly cancelled and excellent. \$75 - up



NORTHERN WATER & POWER STOCK ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY WILLIAM CROCKER
 * 390
 1911, California. Stock for 100 shares. Orange. Top center engraved vignette of a water dam. Issued to and signed by **William H. Crocker**. Son of Charles Crocker. Pen cancelled and very fine. \$100 - up



PABST BREWING COMPANY, ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY FREDERICK PABST, Jr.
 * 391
 1910, Wisconsin. Certificate for 25 shares. Green border with black type on white paper. Top center engraved vignette of two allegorical women leaning against a shield inscribed with "Pabst". Issued to and signed on verso by **FRED PABST, JR.** Punch cancelled through signatures and in very fine condition. \$200 - up



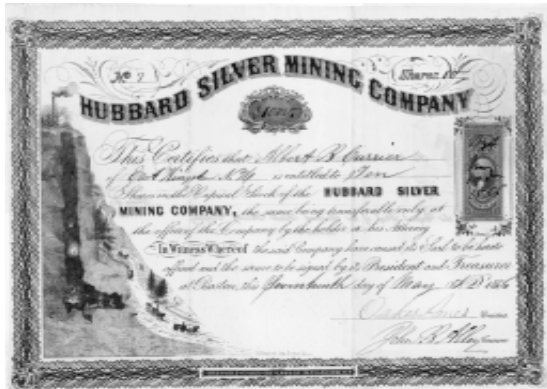
NEW JERSEY JUNCTION RAILROAD BOND J. PIERPONT MORGAN SIGNS AS TRUSTEE

* 389
 1886, New Jersey. \$1,000 4% First Mortgage Bond of the New Jersey Junction Railroad. Brown/Black. Engraved vignette of a busy river scene at center on recto; very large sweeping vignette of river, dock and train on verso, with Morgan's personal yacht, the Corsair in foreground. Signed on verso as trustee by **J. PIERPONT MORGAN** (1837 - 1913). Also signed by **HARRIS C. FAHNESTOCK** (1835-1914), who was given a one-sixth share of Jay Cooke's banking house in Washington, D. C. and who proved to be one of the most effective salesmen of Civil War Bonds for the government. A wonderful Morgan item associating Morgan with another "power" banker of the period. Five pages of coupons attached. This item is the only commonly available Morgan-signed security on the market, and thus the most inexpensive. Uncancelled and choice. \$500 - up



MINNESTOA GOLD MINING COMPANY STOCK SIGNED BY HENRY HASTINGS SIBLEY

* 398
1866, Minnesota. Stock certificate for 10 shares of the Minnesota Gold Mining Company. Black. Exceptional large graphic depiction of a scene of miners at work at center and another large vignette of a miner with tools and a dog at upper left corner. Litho. Attached adhesive revenue stamp at right. Signed as president of the company by **HENRY H. SIBLEY** (1811 – 1891). Congressman, governor, military leader, and senior statesman—no person played a longer, more influential, or more varied role in the shaping of Minnesota than Henry Hastings Sibley. The finest Minnesota mining certificate we've have. Very Scarce. Uncancelled and Very Fine. \$1,000 - up



AN EXTREMELY RARE HUBBARD SILVER MINING COMPANY STOCK SIGNED BY OAKES AMES

* 399
1866, Massachusetts. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Black. Wonderful large vignette of a mineshaft and horse-drawn wagons at left. Attached adhesive revenue stamp at right. Litho. Signed as president of the company by **OAKES AMES** (1804-1873). Capitalist. Ames' well documented involvement with the Credit Mobilier caused one of the greatest political scandals in the nation's history, reaching as high as the Vice-President of the United States. Originally promoted by Thomas C. Durant, the Credit Mobilier was joined by Oakes and Oliver Ames. A split developed two hostile factions, one led by Durant, one by the Ames. Numerous politicians received gifts of stock and Ames fell under intense scrutiny by a Congressional committee. "The statutes required that the Union Pacific stock be paid for in actual cash; but as a matter of fact, it was issued to Ames and other Credit Mobilier men 'who paid for it at not more than thirty cents on the dollar in roadmaking', thus realizing enormous profits. The Credit Mobilier has exemplified the unscrupulous methods of building railroads that were the normal practice of the period 1860-1880.

This is the first and only example of this certificate we've seen. No others surfaced with this example. A true rarity with wonderful graphic and autographic content. Uncancelled and Very Fine. \$2,000 – up



RAILROAD STOCK SIGNED BY JAMES F.D. LANIER

* 400
1871, Pennsylvania. Stock for 100 shares of the Lawrence Railroad Company. Vignette of a steam locomotive at top center; smaller vignettes of a state seal and canal scene in left border. Attached revenue stamp. Issued to and signed on verso by James F.D. Lanier. **JAMES F.D. LANIER** (1800 – 1881). Banker; Railroad organizer. Punch cancellations not affecting signature. Extremely fine. \$125 - up

however, until sixteen years later. Today, Mannesman is one of the great German companies with far reaching interests including a still strong position in the pipe industry.

The bold signature of **MAX MANNESMANN** (1861 - 1915) appears next to the facsimile of Werner Von Siemens. This is a truly important German Industrial Autograph and one of only a very few German Industrialists available on stock certificates. Stamp cancelled and choice.

\$500 - up



PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA AND CHARLESTON RAILWAY COMPANY STOCK SIGNED BY BENJAMIN FRANKLIN JONES AS PRESIDENT

* 402
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN JONES. (1824-1903). Jones, a iron and steel industrialist, bought a furnace at a young age. He business grew and he developed a number of basic principles, mainly along the vertical combination line. He was one of the first iron manufacturers to buy Lake Superior iron mines and Pennsylvania coal for raw product. 1873, Pittsburgh. A Pittsburgh, Virginia and Charleston Railway Company stock certificate for two shares signed "B F Jones" as president. Black on white paper. Top center vignette of a factory complex spewing forth smoke. Light staining to two extreme edges and punch cancelled, including four through Jones' signature. It is in fine condition. \$50 - up



MAX MANNESMANN

DEUTSCH-OSTERREICHISCHEN MANNESMANN-ROHREN-WERKE

* 401
1890, Germany. Stock certificate for 1,000 Marks Brown/Black. Vignette of various kinds of pipes and piping.

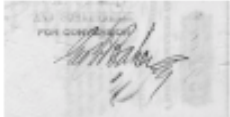
The basis for this enterprise founded in 1890 was a process developed by the Mannesmann brothers for the manufacture of seamless pipes. Max Mannesmann, together with his brother discovered seamless pipe which made them famous. The Mannesmann family was very adept technically, but lacked the business ability to successfully operate their own business without outside help. They relied upon the financial strength of the Deutsche Bank and a number of wealthy and intelligent businessmen to insure the financial success of the company.

Moving from Berlin to Dusseldorf in 1893 the Mannesmanns built a large and modern rolling mill enabling them to produce a better quality product. Dividends were not declared on the young company's stock,



OREGON & TRANSCONTINENTAL CO. STOCK ISSUED TO & SIGNED ON VERSO BY HENRY VILLARD

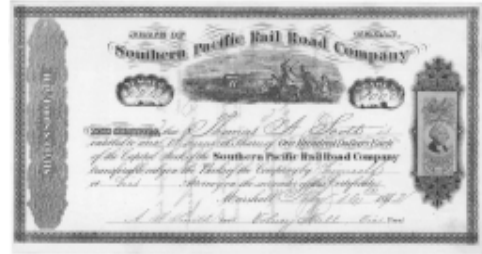
* 403
1886, Oregon. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green/Black. Engraved vignette of Indians overlooking passing town and train. Issued to and signed on verso by Henry Villard. **HENRY VILLARD** (1835 - 1900) Journalist, Railway Promoter, Financier. The company was formed to consolidate a number of Henry Villard's north-western companies under a "harmonious structure". Stamp and punch cancelled. Very Fine. \$200 - up



STATE OF NEW YORK BOND ISSUED TO AND SIGNED ON VERSO BY BANKER GEORGE F. BAKER

* 404

1866, New York. Bond for the payment of Bounties to Volunteers for \$8,000 bearing 7% interest. Black with red 1867 overprint at center. Vignette of seated liberty with spread eagle at top center. Issued to and signed on verso by **GEORGE FISHER BAKER**, (1840-1931). Banker; Philanthropist. Starting as a clerk in New York state's banking department in 1856, the clever and industrious Baker quickly came to the notice of many of the state's prominent bankers. By 1863, he had been lured from state employment, and was one of the founders of the First National Bank of New York, a bank that would become the most prominent of all banks under the new national banking system. During the Panic of 1873, he was largely responsible for keeping the bank afloat, and it was during this period that the bank began to more fully adopt Baker's philosophy and become a "banker's bank." Baker became the bank's second president in 1877, and aggressively continued the bank's policy of developing connections with great business corporations, both in the U.S. and overseas. A man of boundless energy, Baker sat on the boards of many corporations in a wide variety of industries, at one point sitting on some 87 boards simultaneously. At its height, his fortune was estimated at some \$200 million but, at his death, after many years of donations to schools, libraries, museums, hospitals, churches, etc. his estate was valued at a mere \$73.5 million. File whole punch at left, a number of cut cancellations throughout the document with all paper intact except a small chink at right margin. Very fine. \$400 - up



SOUTHERN PACIFIC RR CO. ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY THOMAS A. SCOTT

* 407

1872, Stock certificate for 1000 shares. Black. Vignette of Indians overlooking a passing locomotive on the prairie. Litho. Attached adhesive revenue stamp. Some light bleed-through of ink from writing on verso. Uncancelled and fine. Issued to and Signed by **THOMAS A. SCOTT**. (1823-1881). Railroad executive. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. Rare. \$400 - up



ERRETT L. CORD BUILDER OF SOME AMERICA'S MOST IMPORTANT CLASSIC AUTOMOBILES

* 405

1937, Delaware. Stock certificate for 100 shares of Pan American Airways Corporation. Green/Black. Issued to and signed on an attached proxy document by **ERRETT LOBBAN CORD** (1894 - 1974). Industrialist, builder of the Auburn-Cord-Duesenberg empire of automobiles. Punch cancellations not affecting Cord's signature. Extremely Fine. \$250 - up

INTERCHANGEABLE TOOL CO. OF NY SIGNED BY THE INVENTOR OF AN EARLY TYPEWRITER

* 406

1884, New York. \$250 bond bearing 6% interest. Black. Large vignette of the state seal flanked by an Indian and sailor. Signed as president of the company by **THOMAS HALL** (1834 - 1911). Inventor, patent attorney. Hall began development of a typewriting machine in 1858 and following a period of 9 years perfected his idea which was granted patent #65,807 for a "Typographic Machine". It is generally considered the pioneer typewriter invention utilizing a keyboard with finger levers, each connected to an individual typebar. Hall organized a company for its manufacture but as many great inventions, it was ahead of its time and the manufactory was abandoned. Hall received an award of merit at the Paris Exposition in 1867 for his typewriter. This is the first we've seen of this bond signed by this important pioneer typewriter inventor. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$300 - up



RARE STOCK CERTIFICATE ISSUED TO AND SIGNED TWICE BY WILLIAM BOEING

* 408

1936, Washington. Stock certificate for 1000 shares of the Miller Logging Company. Black/Green. Vignette of a spread-eagle. Litho. Issued to and signed as president and on the stub by Boeing. **WILLIAM E. BOEING** (1881 - 1956). Pioneer aircraft manufacturer. He formed the Boeing Airplane Company in 1916 and Boeing Air Transport in 1927, later merging with several other companies to form United Aircraft and Transport Corporation which dissolved in 1934. The lumber company was in all likelihood held and run by Boeing to provide the necessary wood for the construction of his airplanes. This is one of only a dozen certificates of this type signed by Boeing. Pen cancellation not affecting Boeing's signatures. An important addition to any aviation collection. Extremely Fine. \$2,500 - up

AVIATION

ISSUED TO FAMOUS PEOPLE NOT SIGNED



I.M.M. ISSUED TO PIERRE S. DUPONT

*** 409**
New Jersey. Stock for 100 shares. Olive. Top center vignette of a large ship. Bottom center vignette of an allegorical female. Issued to but not signed by Pierre S. duPont. **PIERRE S. du PONT**, (1870-1954). President of duPont from 1915-1919. In 1902 Pierre S., along with his cousins Alfred and Thomas Coleman, purchased E. I. duPont De Nemours from their elder relatives. Several years later, Thomas Coleman, desiring to liquidate his holding of the family company stock offered it to the company for outright purchase. Alfred, believing the asking price too high was infuriated upon discovering that Pierre S. had disregarded his opinion and with the aid of trusted family members and friends purchased Thomas Coleman's stock. This set off a vicious court battle between two family factions eventually ending in victory for Pierre S. and those members of the family involved in his syndication. Later, Pierre S. served as Chairman of the Board of General Motors. Punch cancelled and fine. \$75 - up



STATE OF NEW YORK LOAN FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF BUILDINGS FOR STATE INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT OF AUDIT AND CONTROL ISSUED TO GEORGE VANDERBILT

*** 410**
1935, New York. Green \$10,000 bond bearing 3 1/2% interest. Vignette of state seal at top left. **GEORGE WASHINGTON**

VANDERBILT (1862-1914). Capitalist; Agriculturist; Pioneer in forestry; Fourth son of William H. Vanderbilt. Lacking a sincere interest in finance, George spent his life as a scientific farmer and stockbreeder, becoming one of the pioneers of scientific forestry in the United States. His love for forestry led him to construct "Biltmore" his vast estate in the mountains of North Carolina. Among the rarest of the prominent of the Vanderbilts to be found on stocks or bonds. Punch cancelled and very fine.

\$50 - up



ISSUED TO THOUGH NOT SIGNED BY PRESIDENT DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER

*** 411**
1964, Tennessee. Stock certificate for 1,000 shares of the American Educational Life Insurance Company. Issued to General D. D. Eisenhower though not signed by him. **DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER** (1890-1969). Thirty-fourth President and Supreme Allied Commander of European forces. World War II. Certificates issued to Presidents are seldom encountered. Two file holes at left margin. Extremely Fine. \$250 - up



STATE OF NEW YORK EMERGENCY UNEMPLOYMENT RELIEF ISSUED TO ALFRED VANDERBILT

*** 412**
1935, New York. Purple. \$10,000 bond bearing 3% interest. Vignette of state seal at top center. **ALFRED G. VANDERBILT** (1877-1915). Capitalist; World traveler; Active in various equine associations. Punch and Stamp cancelled and excellent. \$50 - up



STATE OF NEW YORK GENERAL STATE IMPROVEMENTS ISSUED TO HAROLD S. VANDERBILT

*** 413**
1933, New York. \$1,000 bond for General State improvements bearing 4% interest. Green. State seal vignette at upper left. Issued to Harold S. Vanderbilt. **HAROLD S.**

VANDERBILT (1884-1970). A boating enthusiast, Vanderbilt was the skipper of three international cup contests. Punch cancelled and excellent. \$50 - up



STATE OF NEW YORK (ELIMINATION OF RAILROAD GRADE CROSSINGS) ISSUED TO GEORGE VANDERBILT

*** 414**
1935, New York. Blue/Black/White. \$1000 bond bearing 3% interest. Vignette of state seal at top center. **GEORGE WASHINGTON VANDERBILT** (1862-1914). Capitalist; Agriculturist; Pioneer in forestry; Fourth son of William H. Vanderbilt. Lacking a sincere interest in finance, George spent his life as a scientific farmer and stockbreeder, becoming one of the pioneers of scientific forestry in the United States. His love for forestry led him to construct "Biltmore" his vast estate in the mountains of North Carolina. Among the rarest of the prominent of the Vanderbilt's to be found on stocks or bonds. Punch and Stamp cancelled and excellent. \$50 - up



WAGNER PALACE CAR COMPANY ISSUED TO ALVA E. VANDERBILT

*** 415**
1890, Fractional Stock Certificate. **ALVA VANDERBILT**. Alva, the wife of William K., built the luxurious Marble House in Newport. Punch and stamp cancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



PITTSBURGH AND LAKE ERIE RAILROAD COMPANY STOCK ISSUED TO WILLIAM K. VANDERBILT, JR.

*** 416**
1927, New York. Stock certificate for 23 shares. Center engraving of Pittsburgh flanked by a train on the left and ships on the right. Stamp and punch cancelled and in very fine condition. \$50 - up



DETROIT AIRCRAFT CORP. * 417

1945, Michigan. Stock for 6 shares. Purple. Top center vignette of a plane and blimp. Uncancelled and very fine. \$250 - up



SOCIETE ANONYME DES CHANTIERS AERONAVAIS E. ROMANO

*** 418**
1929, Paris. Stock certificate for 100 francs. Green/Black on light green early aircraft at top center. Vignette of an airplane at top and boat at bottom. Chain link border design. Litho. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$125 - up



EASTERN AIR LINES, INC. SPECIMEN

*** 419**
1938, Amsterdam, Holland. Printed in Dutch, Specimen certificate for Tien Gewone Aandeelen. Rust/Tan/Black. Underprint in Tan of Company logo at center. Three vertical rows of perforations. Attached coupons at bottom. Excellent. \$200 - up



A SCRIPHOPLY CLASSIC!

TRANSCONTINENTAL AERIAL NAVIGATION COMPANY

* 420

1888, Illinois. Stock for 200 shares. Black. A great vignette of an early dirigible conception. This remains one of the finest early vignetteted stocks in the aviation related topic. Uncancelled and very fine. \$1000 - up



MACK FINANCIAL CORP.

* 425
1978/, Ohio. \$1000 bond bearing 9 3/4% interest. Orange. Center vignette of allegorical women flanking an old fashioned delivery truck. Stamp and punch cancelled. \$25 - up



SOCIEDAD ANONIMA ESPANOLA DE AUTOMOVILES DARRACQ S.A

* 428
1907, Spain. Brown on light tan paper. Vignette of a building at lower center, machinery and factory at top. A nice spanish auto piece. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$80 - up



FORD INTERNATIONAL CAPITAL CORPORATION

* 426
1969, Delaware. \$1,000 bond bearing 8% interest. Pink/Black. Great engraved vignette of an engineer overlooking an early Ford Model A with panoramic scenes in the background. A few coupons at right. Lightly punch cancelled and Extremely Fine. \$25 - up



STUDEBAKER CORPORATION

* 429
1945, New Jersey. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green. Engraved vignette of John Studebaker's early blacksmith shop. Uncancelled and excellent. \$50 - up



DOUGLAS AIRCRAFT COMPANY SPECIMEN

* 421
1939, Amsterdam, Holland. Printed in Dutch, Specimen certificate for Tien Gewone Aandelen. Blue. One vertical row of perforations. Excellent. \$200 - up



SPECIMEN HERTZ CORPORATION BOND

* 423
No date, Delaware. Bond for \$0. Vignette of the famous company logo at top center. Lightly punch cancelled and very fine. \$30 - up



STUDEBAKER-PACKARD CORP. SPECIMEN

* 430
1937, Amsterdam, Holland. Printed in Dutch, Specimen certificate for \$10. Green/Tan/Black. Four vertical rows of perforations. Attached coupons at bottom. Excellent. \$125 - up

AUTOMOTIVE



NORTHWAY MOTORS CO.

* 422
1919, Massachusetts. Stock for 15 shares. Green. Uncancelled and very fine. \$150 - up



FORD SOCIETE ANONYME FRANCAISE

* 424
1929, Asnieres. Stock certificate. Blue. Vignette of a radiator front at top center. Litho. Coupons below. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$80 - up



A HIGHLY DECORATIVE FRENCH AUTOMOBILE COMPANY STOCK USINES L'AUTOMOBILES G. BROUHOT

* 427
1906, Paris, France. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green/Yellow. A wonderful art nouveau certificate depicting a lady driving an open seat automobile at center, male and female figures at either side. Coupons below. Great for display. Uncancelled and in Excellent condition. \$100 - up



STUDEBAKER-PACKARD CORP. SPECIMEN

* 431
1937, Amsterdam, Holland. Printed in Dutch, Specimen certificate for Tien Gewone Aandelen. Green/Tan/Black. Underprint of company logo at center. Four vertical rows of perforations. Attached coupons at bottom. Excellent. \$125 - up



**CHRYSLER CORPORATION
SPECIMEN**

* 432
1926, Amsterdam, Holland. Printed in Dutch. Specimen certificate for Tien Gewone Aandeelen. Green/Tan. Two vertical rows of perforations. Attached coupons at bottom. Excellent. \$125 - up



**CHRYSLER CORPORATION
SPECIMEN**

* 433
1933, Amsterdam, Holland. Printed in Dutch. Specimen certificate for Tien Gewone Aandeelen a \$5. Green/Tan/Black. Two vertical rows of perforations. Attached coupons at bottom. Excellent. \$125 - up



**CHRYSLER CORPORATION
SPECIMEN**

* 434
1926, Amsterdam, Holland. Printed in Dutch. Specimen certificate for Tien \$8 Cumulatief Preferente Aandeelen. Blue. Three vertical rows of perforations. Attached coupons at bottom. Excellent. \$125 - up



**A FINE FORD AUTOMOTIVE STOCK
- FORD-WERKE
AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT**

* 435
1941, Germany. 1,000 Reichsmark stock certificate. Brown and red on white paper with an attractive raised Ford seal. Ford logo on top. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$125 - up



THE JONES MOTOR CAR COMPANY

* 436
1919, Kansas. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Green/Black. Large vignette of an early automobile facing right. Located in Wichita, the Company operated from 1914-1920. Founded by John Jones (who signs as president), the company was immediately successful. In six years, approximately 3,000 Jones Sixes were built. A fire in February of 1920 destroyed part of the factory. This combined with a postwar recession led to bankruptcy in August of that year. Very Scarce. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$275 - up



RARE EARLY DUESENBERG AUTOMOBILE & MOTORS CO.

* 437
1922, Indiana. Interim stock certificate for 1 share. Green/Black, with green overprint. Spread eagle vignette at top center. Litho. From the turn of the century, Fred Duesenberg (1876-1932) had been well known as a designer of fast, powerful, reliable gasoline engines which came to be widely used in the marine, automotive and aviation industries. From 1903-1913 Duesenberg was the chief engineer of the Mason Motor Car Company. In 1913, Fred and his brother August (1878-1955) established the Duesenberg Motor Company to manufacture gasoline engines of their own design. Success was immediate, with Mulford and Rickenbacker consistently driving Duesenberg-powered racers to commanding victories. In 1920, the brothers began building their first production car, the Model A. While the car created a sensation at its debut, it was a mere shadow of the massive and extraordinarily expensive Model J (and later SJ and SSJ) which was introduced in 1928. Of the Duesenberg marque it has been said, "If but one of all the automobiles ever built in America had to be singled out as the most glorious achievement in this country's automotive history, that car would have to be the Duesenberg. It transcended the ordinary in full measure, created legends in its wake which will live forever, and became a literal metaphor — 'It's a Duesy' — for anything unrelentingly superlative." A rarely seen example of this always-popular marque. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$500 - up



**EARLY GENERAL MOTORS
CORPORATION STOCK**

* 438
1931, Delaware. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Brown. Engraved vignette of the company logo flanked by seated allegorical figures. Punch cancelled and Extremely Fine. \$100 - up



**EVOLUTION TECHNIQUE
AUTOMOBILE ET TRANSAC-
TIONSE.T.A.T.**

* 439
1929, Paris. Stock certificate. Green/Black on light green paper. Unique art work of allegorical figures surrounding unique border. Extremely fine. \$100 - up



**NATIONAL MOTOR CAB
COMPANY, LTD**

* 440
1909, England. Stock certificate for 5 shares. Blue. Printed in English and French. Decorative border with an antique automobile at upper left. Litho. Imprinted orange stamp at top left-center. Coupons at bottom. Touch of light soiling. Uncancelled and fine. \$125 - up



CHELSEA CAB CORP.

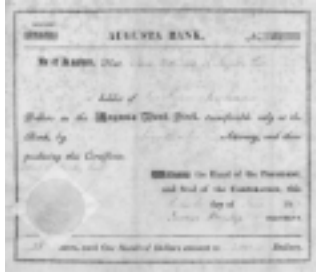
* 441
1971, New York. Stock certificate for 3,324 shares. Blue/Black. Vignette of a spread eagle at top center. Uncancelled, small tear at bottom margin, otherwise fine. \$20 - up



SOCIETE D'ETUDE & D'EXPLOITATION POUR L'INDUSTRIE AUTOMOBILE

* 442
1906, Paris, France. Stock certificate for 100 francs. Green/Olive. Nice vignette of an early automobile at top center. Litho. Coupons below. A beautiful auto stock. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$200 – up

BANKING AND INSURANCE



AUGUSTA BANK

* 443
1817, Maine. Bank stock. Black. Embossed paper seal attached with red wax. A fine early banking stock.. Uncancelled and Very Fine. \$150 - up



LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK OF BATH

* 444
1867, Maine. Stock certificate for 3 shares. Black. Vignette of the Capitol building at top center. Litho. Lightly crayon and punch cancelled. Fine. \$50 - up



HARMONIA FIRE INSURANCE

* 445
1915, New York. Stock certificate for 1 share Green. Vignette of state seal at top center. Litho. Pen and punch cancelled and fine. \$30 - up



LORILLARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY

* 446
1863, New York. Stock for 40 shares. Black. Top center vignette of an Indian overlooking a small town. Left border vignette of an eagle perched on a crest. Revenue stamp at lower left border. Uncancelled. \$275 - up



MECHANICS BANK OF BURLINGTON STOCK

* 447
1865, Pennsylvania. A Mechanics Bank of Burlington Stock for 88 shares. Vignette of a male flanked by two eagles. Raised red seal. Revenue stamp at top left. Punch cancelled and very fine. \$125 - up



THE NATIONAL BANK OF WILMINGTON & BRANDYWINE STOCK

* 448
1884, Delaware. Certificate for 60 shares. Black on white paper. Lower left vignette of a mother delicately carrying her baby on her back; top center vignette of the United States Capitol. Litho. Cut cancelled and very fine condition. \$75 - up



THE ANGLO-LONDON PARIS NATIONAL BANK STOCK

* 449
1929, California. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green/White. Vignette of two allegorical female statues flanking the company logo. Punch cancelled and very fine. \$30 - up



CREDIT FONCIER AGRICOLE DUMAROC

* 450
1921, Morocco. Stock certificate for 100 francs. A colorful vignette of camels and people with palm trees in the background. Litho. Coupons at right. Ormate border design. An extremely attractive certificate issued during the early period of the French protectorate which lasted from 1912 to 1956. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$75 - up



ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY

* 451
1868, New York. Bond for \$180 bearing interest not to exceed 6%. Black with yellow 1868 overprint at center. Attached red adhesive revenue at top left. Beautiful vignette at top center of spread eagle flanked by sailing ships. Pen cancelled and fine. \$75 - up



THE ANDOVER NATIONAL BANK

* 452
1913, Massachusetts. Stock certificate for 30 shares. Sharp engraved vignette of the capitol building with numerous horse-drawn carriages in foreground at top center, small male portrait at lower right, state seal at bottom. Lightly punch canceled and Extremely Fine. \$50 - up



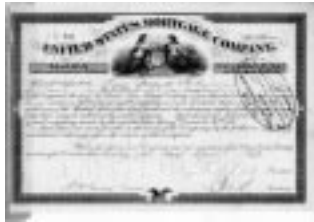
FAME MUTUAL INSURANCE CO.

* 453
1859, New York. Stock certificate for 40 shares. Blue. Small allegorical vignette at upper center. Litho. Pen cancelled and fine. \$75 - up



THE FARMERS UNION SAN JOSE CALIFORNIA

* 454
1890, California. Stock for 1 share. Black. Center engraved vignette of cattle. Left border vignette of an allegorical female. Pen cancelled. \$75 - up



UNITED STATES MORTGAGE COMPANY

* 455
1873, United States. A United States Mortgage Company Stock for 100 shares. Vignette of two allegorical females shaking hands at top center. Punch and stamp cancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



BANK OF GETTYSBURG

* 458
1858, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 30 shares. Engraved vignette of a male portrait flanked by seated liberty and commerce. A choice bank stock. Age toning. Uncancelled and Very Fine. \$100 - up



ANGLO TEUTONIA BUILDING & LOAN ASSOCIATION

* 459
1887, Tennessee. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Black. Vignette of female figure facing left. Litho. A nice southern banking piece. Pen cancelled and Fine. \$40 - up



NOTED SOUTHERN POET PAUL HAYNE SIGNS A BANK OF CHARLESTON STOCK

* 456
1852, South Carolina. A Bank of Charleston stock certificate for 15 shares signed by poet **Paul Hayne** on the verso. The certificate was issued to Hayne's wife, Emily. Engraved vignette of state seal. Light overall browning and folds, but Hayne's signature is dark. A fine association between a well-known Charleston poet and a stock certificate. \$100 - up



UNION NATIONAL BANK

* 460
1866, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 7 shares. Black. Nice engraved multi-vignetted stock depicting an eagle, statues and a seated female. Pen cancelled and very fine. \$60 - up



BANKING HOUSE E.H. HORNER CERTIFICATE FOR EUROPEAN PREMIUM BONDS

* 463
1890, New York. Bond "payment of Five Dollars as a first installment, and of further Nineteen monthly installments of Five Dollars each, One Hundred Dollars in all..." Brown/Black with border text in red. Top center vignette of four allegorical females. Bottom center vignette of an eagle flanked by two sailing ships. The bond is written in English and German. Uncancelled. Some minor fold wear, and small split at center fold. But in fine condition overall. \$350 - up



BANCO CENTRAL MEXICANO S.A.

* 457
1905, Mexico. Stock certificate. Green/Black. Highly attractive and ornate certificate with an eagle and snake, at top with a female figure seated on an Incan shield, sunrise in background. Coupons at right. Choice for display. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$50 - up



STUART CENTRAL FARMERS' BANK

* 461
1929, Florida. Stock certificate for 5 shares. Green/Black. Engraved spread-eagle vignette. Located in Stuart, Florida. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$30 - up



STISSING NATIONAL BANK OF PINE PLAINS

* 462
1869, New York. Stock certificate for 8 shares. Black. Vignette of a dog lying adjacent to a safe. Pen and punch cancelled. Fine. \$50 - up



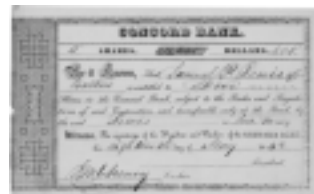
CONCORD BANK

* 464
1846, Massachusetts. Stock certificate for 5 shares. Black on white paper. \$60 - up



PEOPLES BANK

* 466
1892, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Black. Vignette of Pennsylvania State seal at top center. Litho. Pen cancelled. Very Fine. \$40 - up



CONCORD BANK

* 465
1848, Massachusetts. Stock certificate for 5 shares. Black on blue paper. \$60 - up



BANK OF AMERICA

* 467
1856, New York. Stock certificate for 2 shares. Black. Engraved vignette of a spread-eagle at upper left. Pen cancelled and Very Fine. \$40 - up



FARMERS DEPOSIT NAT'L BANK
* 468
1911, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 50 shares. Green/Black. Choice, large engraved vignette of the bank president's dog "Prince". An ever popular bank share. Stamp cancelled and extremely fine.
\$75 - up



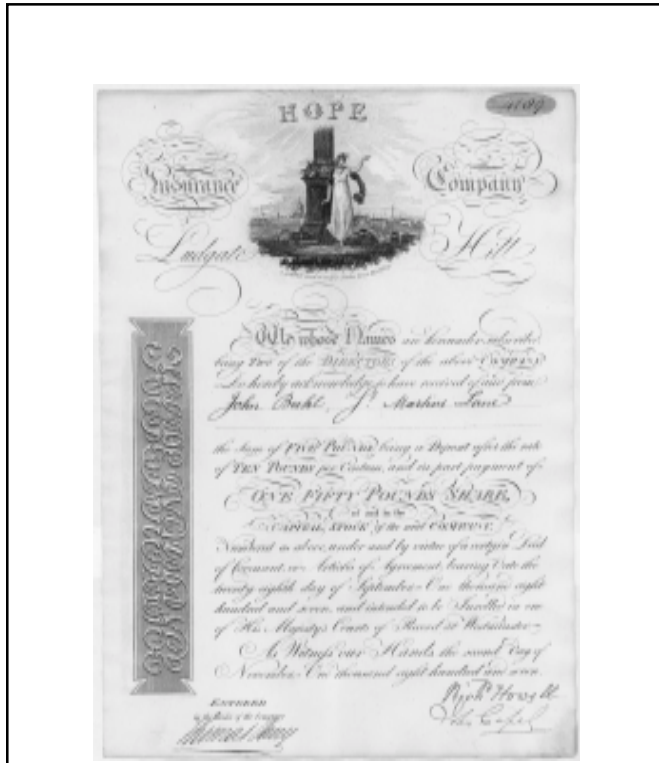
TIPPECANOE SECURITIES CO.
* 469
1910, New Jersey. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Green/Black with embossed red company seal. Very nice vignette at top left of WILLIAM HENRY HARRISON (1773 - 1841), 9th President of the United States and a General in the War of 1812. Litho. "Tippecanoe" was, of course, Harrison's nickname, given to him after defeating the Shawnee Indians in 1811 at the Battle of Tippecanoe. Uncancelled. Burn hole at right affecting two words, otherwise very fine.
\$75 - up



UNITED STATES MORTGAGE COMPANY
* 470
1873. Stock certificate for 1 share. Black. Vignette at top center of two female allegorical figures shaking hands over a shield. Stamp and punch cancelled.
\$50 - up



FIRST BANK SYSTEM, INC SPECIMEN
* 471
1989, Delaware. SPECIMEN stock certificate. Blue/Black. Top center vignette of a kneeling male allegorical figure with a map in the background depicting various industries indigenous to the different regions. Perf cancelled and Excellent.
\$40 - up



HOPE INSURANCE COMPANY

* 472
1807, England. A partly printed receipt for the payment of 5 pounds towards the purchase of one 50 pound share. Black. Choice engraved vignette of an allegorical figure with panoramic view of London in background. Nice border design at left. A great early insurance stock for the founding of the company. Uncancelled and extremely fine.
\$750 - up



BANK OF CHARLESTON
* 477
1890, South Carolina. Stock certificate for 3 share. Black. Vignette of a palmetto tree and liberty head. Litho. Nice southern bank stock. Punch cancelled and very fine.
\$75 - up



LEBANON VALLEY SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION
* 478
1925, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 5 1/2 shares. Green/Black. Very attractive panoramic triple vignette along the top. Farm with fields at center, flanked by horses plowing a field at right and a barn at left. Uncancelled and Fine.
\$30 - up



SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF COOPERSTOWN NEW YORK STOCK
* 479
1925, New York. A Second National Bank of Cooperstown New York Stock for 6 shares. Vignette of a hilltop view of the city. Pen cancelled and very fine.
\$30 - up



BANK OF CHARLESTON
* 473
1863, South Carolina. Stock certificate for 15 shares of the Bank of Charleston. Black. Engraved vignette of state seal. Overall toning and some browning along center fold. Very Good.
\$50 - up



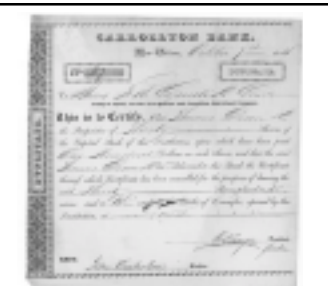
LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK OF BATH
* 475
1866, Maine. Stock certificate for 16 shares. Vignette of the Capitol building. Litho. Crayon and punch cancelled and very fine.
\$50 - up



THE WALTHAM NATIONAL BANK
* 474
1880, Waltham. Stock for 3 shares. Black. Top center engraved vignette of an eagle perched on a crest. Left border vignette of a crest. Punch and pen cancelled. Very fine.
\$40 - up



BANKERS TRUST COMPANY OF PHILADELPHIA
* 476
1929, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Green/Black. State seal vignette. Litho. Uncancelled and Fine.
\$30 - up



CARROLLTON BANK
* 480
1836, New Orleans. Stock for 30 shares. Black. Trimmed into left border. Uncancelled and fine.
\$100 - up



LOWRY NATIONAL BANK OF ATLANTA

* 481
1912, Georgia. Stock certificate for 1 share. Olive/Black. Engraved eagle vignette. Punch cancelled and fine. \$40 - up



THE MOORESTOWN NATIONAL BANK

* 482
1914, New Jersey. Stock certificate for 4 share. Gray/Black. Vignette of a farmer plowing a field at upper center. Litho. Lightly punch cancelled through officer's signatures. Extremely fine. \$50 - up



THE BARNSTABLE BANK

* 483
1861, Massachusetts. Stock certificate for 3 shares. Black on light blue paper. Intricate detailed left border. Litho. Uncancelled and fine. \$60 - up



CONNECTICUT NATIONAL BANK OF BRIDGEPORT

* 484
1901, Connecticut. Stock certificate for 3 shares. Black. Top center vignette of cowboys herding wild horses, a smaller vignette of the state seal at lower right. Receipt attached at left. An eagle vignette at bottom center. Lightly stamp cancelled and very fine. \$30 - up



CONTINENTAL TRUST COMPANY

* 485
1901, Maryland. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Blue/Black. Engraved vignette of a minuteman at left. Stamp and punch cancelled and very fine. \$25 - up



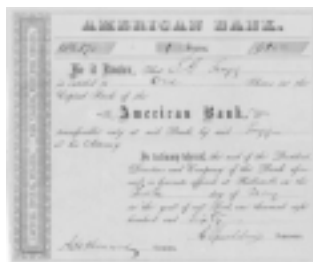
COMMERCIAL STATE BANK OF WATERLOO

* 486
1920, Illinois. Stock certificate for 5 shares. Black/orange with orange seal. Vignette of a female with cornucopia. Pen cancelled and fine. \$25 - up



FARMERS & MECHANICS BANK

* 487
1862, Pennsylvania. \$666.94 bond bearing 5% interest, payable in stock "created in pursuance of the Act of Assembly. . ." Black. Vignette of state seal flanked by horses at upper left. Litho. Ornate left border. Very light scattered browning. Cut cancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



AMERICAN BANK

* 488
1860. Stock certificate for 1 share. Black on blue paper. Ornate left border. Litho. Some age spots. Very Good. \$50 - up



CENTRAL NATIONAL BANK OF WASHINGTON CITY

* 489
1905, Washington, DC. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Black. Vignette of the Capitol Building at center. Pen cancelled and very fine. \$40 - up



FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BATH, MAINE

* 490
1911, Maine. Stock certificate for 25 shares. Black. Vignette of state seal at top center. Litho. Scattered, light browning along the edges. Lightly pen cancelled and very fine. \$40 - up



DELAWARE COUNTY TRUST, SAFE DEPOSIT & TITLE INSURANCE CO.

* 491
1893, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 20 shares. Black. Vignette of state seal at top center. Litho. Pen and punch cancelled and very fine. \$40 - up



STROUDSBURG BANK

* 492
1868, Stroudsburg, Pennsylvania. Stock for 10 shares. Black. Top center engraved vignette of a bull flanked by allegorical figures. Left lower portrait vignette. Cut cancelled and very fine. \$200 - up



WAYNE BUILDING, LOAN AND ACCUMULATING FUND ASSOCIATION

* 493
1897, New York. Stock certificate for 4 shares. Black on blue paper with a red seal. Portrait vignette of revolutionary war General Anthony Wayne. Uncancelled with some light water bleed through from the seal. \$90 - up



NEVADA NATIONAL BANCORPORATION STOCK

* 494
No date, Nevada. Specimen stock. Blue/black. Large imprinted vignette of a train stopped on a bridge as workers load logs. Lightly punch cancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



SPECIMEN FEDERAL NATIONAL MORTGAGE ASSOCIATION BOND

* 495
No date. Specimen bond for \$0. Orange/White. Vignette of a family holding the building plans for their new house. Lightly punch cancelled and very fine. \$75 - up



IRVING NATIONAL BANK, NEW YORK & IRVING TRUST COMPANY

* 496
1919 SPECIMEN. New York. Stock certificate. Orange with scalloped edge border. No vignette. Punch cancelled and excellent. \$50 - up



IRVING NATIONAL BANK, NEW YORK & IRVING TRUST COMPANY

* 497
1919 SPECIMEN. New York. Stock certificate. Green with scalloped edge border. No vignette. Punch cancelled and excellent. \$50 - up



POWOW RIVER NATIONAL BANK
* 498

1888, Massachusetts. Stock certificate for 3 shares. Vignette at top center of a large municipal building. Ornate border with a shield in each corner. Small eagle vignette at bottom center. Uncancelled and excellent. \$60 - up



BARNSTABLE BANK

* 499
1826, Massachusetts. Stock certificate for 3 shares for \$300. Black. Ornate border design at left. Scarce Uncancelled and very fine. \$75 - up



POWOW RIVER NATIONAL BANK
* 500

1889, Massachusetts. Stock for 1 share. Black. Top center vignette of the Capitol building. Small bottom center vignette of an eagle. Raised red seal. Punch cancelled and very fine. \$60 - up



BANK OF CATASAUQUA

* 501
1862, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 15 shares. Black. Four engraved vignettes; at top center working miners, at right two female figures, at bottom center a man plowing a field and at left a traveling train. Cut cancelled and very fine. \$110 - up



**A RARE CHILEAN BANK BOND
PROOF BY AMERICAN BANK
NOTE COMPANY EL BANCO
CHILENO GARANTIZADOR DE
VALORES**

* 502
18—, Santiago Chile. Bond for 100 pesos bearing 6%. Orange/Black. A fine engraving of a seated liberty and lion flanked by a railroad and ship scene. Smaller vignette of the bank building below and a fine engraved vignette of the Chilean coast at left. Unique. A few folds. Fine. \$125 - up



NAKANOMACHI BANK, LTD

* 503
One Share for 50 yen. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$40 - up



**NUVEEN PREMIUM INCOME
MUNICIPAL FUND 3, INC**

* 504
SPECIMEN certificate for shares. Purple/Black. Engraved vignette of a seated male figure holding a globe. Lightly punch cancelled and Excellent. \$50 - up

CONFEDERATE & SOUTHERN STATES



**CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA
SCRIP CERTIFICATE FOR \$5,000**

* 505
1883, London. Scrip certificate for \$5,000. Black. This certifies that bonds amounting to \$5,000 "have been deposited with the National Safe Deposit Company, Limited, London..." These were issued to certify that bonds were being held by the banks while Bondholders Committee was attempting to collect from the United States Government, an action which, of course was not successful. Fine. \$200 - up



CRISWELL #143C BOND

* 506
1864, Richmond. Bond for \$500. Top center vignette of the Confederate Seal. Some light staining at top border that can easily be matted out. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



CRISWELL #121 BOND

* 508
1863, Richmond. Top center vignette of a soldier warming his hands over an open fire. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and fine. \$75 - up



CRISWELL #122 BOND

* 507
1863, Richmond. Confederate bond for \$1000. Top center vignette of Lt. General Stonewall Jackson. Attached coupons. Small hole at center, paper missing, repaired with paper on verso. Uncancelled and very good. \$80 - up



CRISWELL #143A BOND

* 509
1864, Richmond. Bond for \$500. Top center vignette of the Confederate Seal. Attached coupons. Top margin is rough with small split at center fold. \$50 - up



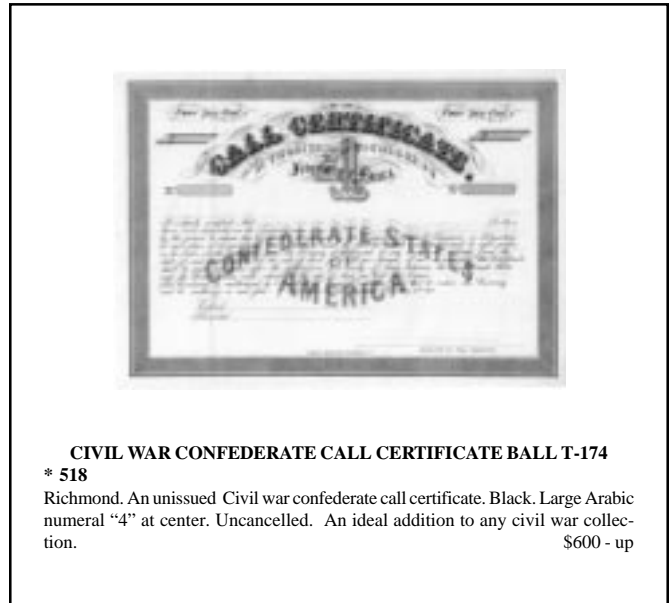
CRISWELL #130 BOND

* 510
1863, Richmond. Bond for \$1,000. Top center vignette of the Old Custom House in Richmond. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and fine. \$80 - up



CIVIL WAR CONFEDERATE BOND BALL T-67

* 514
1862, Richmond. Confederate bond for \$1,000. Top center vignette of The Confederacy with flag and ships. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and fine. \$125 - up



CIVIL WAR CONFEDERATE CALL CERTIFICATE BALL T-174

* 518
Richmond. An unissued Civil war confederate call certificate. Black. Large Arabic numeral "4" at center. Uncancelled. An ideal addition to any civil war collection. \$600 - up



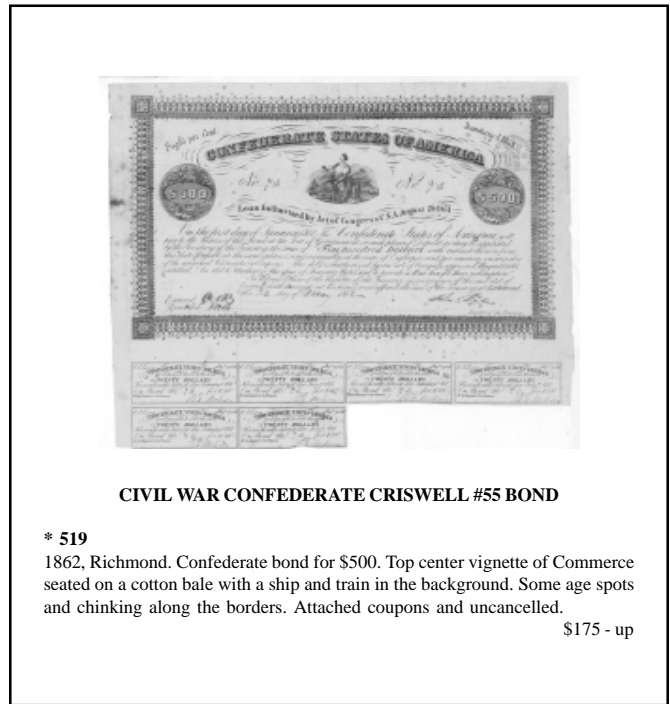
CRISWELL #20 BOND

* 511
1863, Richmond. Bond for \$50. Top center vignette of Thomas Bragg. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and fine. \$75 - up



CIVIL WAR CONFEDERATE BOND BALL T-121

* 515
1862, Richmond. Confederate bond for \$500. Top center portrait vignette of Christopher Memminger with soldiers fighting a battle in the back ground. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and fine. \$175 - up



CIVIL WAR CONFEDERATE CRISWELL #55 BOND

* 519
1862, Richmond. Confederate bond for \$500. Top center vignette of Commerce seated on a cotton bale with a ship and train in the background. Some age spots and chinking along the borders. Attached coupons and uncancelled. \$175 - up



CRISWELL #120 BOND

* 512
1863, Richmond. Bond for \$100. Top center vignette of a Confederate Soldier leaning against a tree gazing into the valley. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and fine. \$75 - up



CIVIL WAR CONFEDERATE CRISWELL #124 BOND

* 516
1863, Richmond. Confederate bond for \$500. Top center portrait vignette of Christopher G. Memminger. Bottom center vignette of a cotton plant flanked by allegorical figures. Attached coupons and uncancelled. \$75 - up



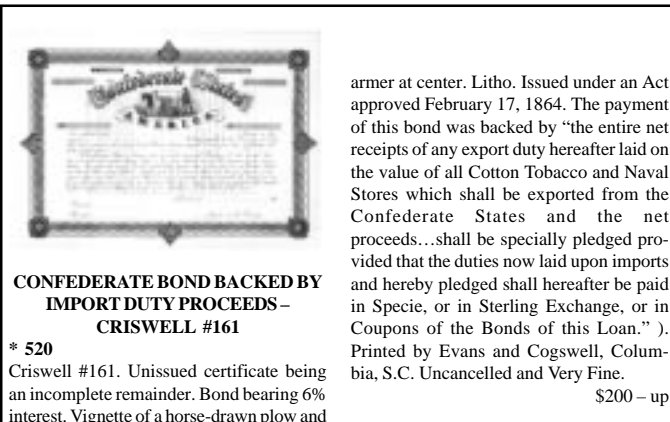
CRISWELL #125 BOND

* 513
1863, Richmond. Confederate bond for \$1,000. Upper left corner portrait vignette of Jefferson Davis. Upper right corner vignette of a view of Richmond from the west. Bottom center vignette of Liberty. Attached coupons. Some light age spots. Ideal for framing. \$125-up



CIVIL WAR CONFEDERATE BOND BALL T-99

* 517
1862, Richmond. Confederate bond for \$1,000. Center vignette of Industry with cornucopia. Attached coupons. Some staining. Uncancelled. \$125 - up



CONFEDERATE BOND BACKED BY IMPORT DUTY PROCEEDS - CRISWELL #161

* 520
Criswell #161. Unissued certificate being an incomplete remainder. Bond bearing 6% interest. Vignette of a horse-drawn plow and

armer at center. Litho. Issued under an Act approved February 17, 1864. The payment of this bond was backed by "the entire net receipts of any export duty hereafter laid on the value of all Cotton Tobacco and Naval Stores which shall be exported from the Confederate States and the net proceeds...shall be specially pledged provided that the duties now laid upon imports and hereby pledged shall hereafter be paid in Specie, or in Sterling Exchange, or in Coupons of the Bonds of this Loan."). Printed by Evans and Cogswell, Columbia, S.C. Uncancelled and Very Fine. \$200 - up



CONFEDERATE TREASURY SECRETARY CHRISTOPHER MEMMINGER PURCHASES CONFEDERATE BONDS

* 521
CHRISTOPHER G. MEMMINGER (1803 – 1888). Secretary of the Treasury of the Confederate States. D.S. Richmond, June 25, 1864. Partly-printed document issued to and endorsed on verso by Memminger. "This will certify that C. G. Memminger has paid in at this office one hundred dollars for which amount Registered Bonds of the Confederate States of America, bearing interest from this date, at the rate of four per cent per annum will be issued to him under the act to reduce the currency and to authorize a new issue of notes and bonds. Nice bold endorsement on verso. Couple of areas of light ink erosion not affecting Memminger's signature. Fine. \$400 - up



CONFEDERATE STATES

* 522
 186-, np. Blue/Black. Unissued receipts. I Certify that the above account is correct and just; that I purchased the articles enumerated above, of the said.....at the prices above stated, amounting to _____ Dollars and _____ Cents, and that they were necessary for the public service _____ Maj. & C.S.

Received _____ 1186 of _____ Dollars and Cents in full of the above account. Excellent. \$30 - up

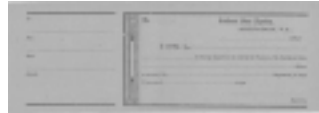


CONFEDERATE STATES CALL CERTIFICATE BALL T-165/345

"AN ACT TO REDUCE THE CURRENCY AND TO AUTHORIZE A NEW ISSUE OF NOTES AND BONDS"

* 523
 1864, Virginia. Pink/Black. Bond for \$1000

payable on demand at the interest rate of four percent per annum. A small decorative border on the left side. In Extremely Fine. Condition. \$75 - up



CONFEDERATE STATES DEPOSITORY

* 524
 1864, Arlington, Virginia. Brown/Black. Unissued depository receipt. Excellent. \$20 - up



STATE OF MISSISSIPPI BOND

* 525
 1833, Mississippi. \$1,000 Bond bearing interest at 6%. Black. These were "payable half yearly...until the payment of the said principal sum. As collateral, "One million five hundred thousand dollars of the stock fo the State of Mississippi, in the 'Planters' Bank of the Stat e of Mississippi'. These bonds were defaulted on. With accompanying letter of agreement. Uncancelled and very fine. A fine early southern state bond. \$400 - up



TENNESSEE BOND SIGNED BY WILLIAM BROWNLOW

* 526
 1866, Tennessee. Criswell 66B. \$1,000 bond. Engraved vignette of "Columbia" at top center, spread eagle at bottom. Attached coupons below. Signed as Governor by **WILLIAM G. BROWNLOW** (1805 – 1877). Served as governor of Tennessee during the early Reconstruction period and also served in the United State Senate. Couple of fold splits approximately 2" long. This is the plate bond pictured on page 318 of the second edition of Grover Criswell's Confederate and Southern States Bonds. Uncancelled and Fine. \$200 - up



STATE OF TENNESSEE SETTLEMENT BOND SPECIMEN

* 527
 1883, Tennessee. SPECIMEN. \$100 3% Settlement Bond. Black with light green overprint at center. Engraved vignette of the state capitol building at top center, state seal at bottom. Coupons at right. Issued under "...an Act to fund the debt of the State of Tennessee approved the 20th day of March 1883." Light punch cancellations. Small fold tear at left, Otherwise Fine. \$125 - up



STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA BOND

* 528
 1869, North Carolina. Bond for \$1,000. Black. Top center vignette of the State Capitol at center flanked by allegorical figures. Large "1000" in Carolina blue at center. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and ideal for framing. \$90 - up

ENTERTAINMENT



A RARE WALT DISNEY INCORPORATED STOCK

* 529
 Unissued. 1950's Stock certificate. Vignette of a spread eagle at tope center. Litho. Formed in the early 1950's this company was created by Disney with the dream of building a theme park in California. Now known as Disneyland, it remains as an extraordinary monument to Disney's underlying passage for the entertainment business. A rare certificate and a nice opportunity to add this world famous company to an important collection. \$500 - up



THE "GRAND OLE OPRY" GAYLORD ENTERTAINMENT SPECIMEN

* 530
 No date. Delaware. Specimen stock. Large top center portrait vignette of two entertainers, one being Minnie Pearl and Jerry Clower, longtime Opry performers. Gaylord Entertainment is a diversified entertainment company whose brands include the "Grand Ole Opry", among others. Lightly punch cancelled and very fine. \$200 - up



CIVILIZATION FILM CORP.

* 531
 1917, New Jersey. Stock for 1 share. Orange. Large top center engraved vignette of the Statue of Liberty with an eagle, globe and ship in the background. Some minor tears at the folds. Tape repair on verso. Uncancelled and good. \$100 - up



BEACON FILMS, INC.

* 532
 1931, New York. Stock for 10 shares. Green. Uncancelled and fine. \$40 - up



FOUR STAR TELEVISION

* 533
1965, California. Stock for 10 shares. Green. Top center vignette of an allegorical female with television equipment. Lightly punch cancelled and very fine. \$20 - up



FRAMED COLUMBIA PICTURES MOVIE STOCK

* 536
1965, New York. Framed stock for 40 shares. Purple. Top center vignette of the company. Lightly punch cancelled, professionally framed and matted. \$75 - up



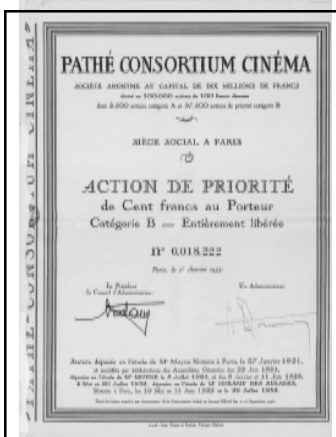
SPORTSMAN PUBLISHING COMPANY

* 541
1930, Delaware. Stock for 25 shares. Green. Two minor tears at top border. Missing lower left corner. Uncancelled and fine. \$40 - up



INTERNATIONAL RADIO CORPORATION

* 545
1922, Delaware. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Blue/Black. Vignette of Mercury flying above the globe. Litho. A fine early radio stock. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$100 - up



PATHE CONSORTIUM CINEMA

* 534
1921, Paris, France. Stock certificate for one share of 100 francs. Green and black border design. **CHARLES PATHE** (1863-1957) was a French industrialist who founded in 1896 the Pathe Freres. In the early 1900s, it became the largest Film Company in the world. Pathe made the first long film *Les Miserables* in 1904 in addition to innumerable early comedies. In 1908, he began production of the famous Path-Journal newsreels. Pathe soon cornered the market in France and much of Europe for the production, distribution, and exhibition of films. Far larger than its U.S. competitors in 1910, Pathe had lost its monopoly by 1917, and in 1929, Pathe retired. Uncancelled and fine. \$90 - up



DE FOREST PHONOFILM CORP.

* 537
1925, Delaware. Stock for 20 shares. Brown. Uncancelled and fine. \$60 - up



UNITED PICTURE PRODUCTIONS CORP.

* 542
1919, Delaware. Stock for 100 shares. Orange. Top center engraved vignette of an eagle. Uncancelled and very fine. \$75 - up



AUDIO COLOR MOTION PICTURES CORP.

* 546
1934, New York. Stock for 4 shares. Top center vignette of a crest. Uncancelled and fine. \$100 - up



UNITED CINEMA COMPANY

* 538
1922, Delaware. Stock for 37 - 10/20 shares. Green. Uncancelled and fine. \$75 - up



NUEVO TEATRO SOCIEDAD ANONIMA

* 543
1915, Zamora, Spain. Stock certificate. Brown/Black on light yellow paper. Interesting vignette of the theater building set in the upper left corner of this colorful and very displayable certificate. Uncancelled and very fine. \$75 - up



EDUCATIONAL PICTURES, INC.

* 547
1938, Delaware. Stock for 75 shares. Brown. Top center vignette of two allegorical figures flanking a crest. Uncancelled and fine. \$75 - up



CONTINENTAL BROADCASTING CORP.

* 539
1930, Delaware. Stock for 10 shares. Green. Uncancelled and fine. \$125 - up



FILMS FOR TELEVISION INC.

* 544
1954, Delaware. Studios located in Hollywood. Stock for 60 shares. Nice topical content. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$75 - up



BREWSTER COLOR FILM CORP.

* 548
1930, New Jersey. Stock for 5 shares. Brown. Some chinks along border. Uncancelled and fine. \$75 - up



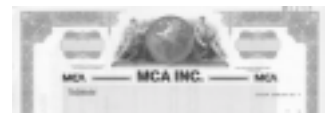
FRAMED PARAMOUNT PICTURES MOVIE STOCK

* 535
1964, New York. Framed stock for 1 share. Purple. Top center vignette of the company logo flanked by allegorical females. Lightly punch cancelled, professionally framed and matted. \$75 - up



BREWSTER COLOR PICTURES CORP.

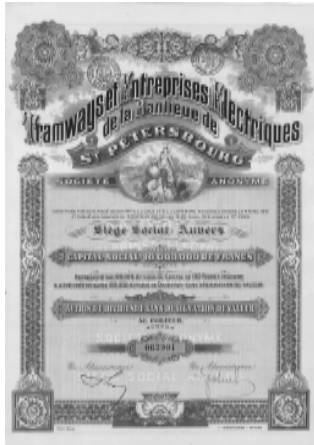
* 540
1924, Delaware. Stock for 20 shares. Green. Uncancelled and fine. \$50 - up



SPECIMEN MCA INC. STOCK

* 549
No date, New York. Specimen stock. Blue/White Vignette of two allegorical males flanking a globe at top center. Lightly punch cancelled and very fine. \$40 - up

INTERNATIONAL



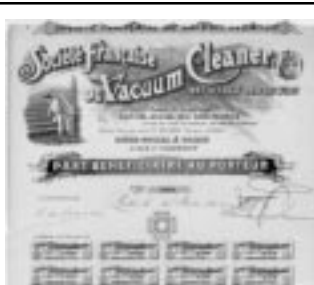
TRAMWAYS ET ENTREPRISES ELECTRIQUES DE LA BANLIEUE DE ST. PETERSBOURG

* 550
1912, Belgium. Bond. Brown. Top center engraved vignette of an allegorical female. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and very fine. \$30 - up



LA MAQUINISTA TERRESTRE Y MARITIMA BOND

* 551
1942, Barcelona. Bond. Green. Left border vignette of a train. Ornate border. Stamp cancelled and very fine. \$30 - up



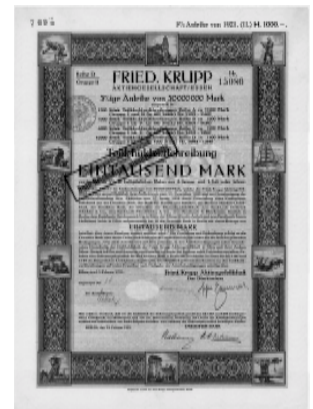
THE SOCIETE FRANCAISE DU VACUUM CLEANER

* 552
1903, Paris. Stock certificate. Midnight blue on white paper with some red printing. Top left vignette of a bellhop vacuuming the grand staircase. Litho. Complete coupons attached below. In extremely fine condition. \$100 - up



GRAND CASINO DE CHAMONIX-MONT-BLANC

* 553
1923, France. Action de 100 Francs. Blue/Orange with blue overprint. Vignette of the casino at the foot of Mont Blanc at top center; coat-of-arms of Savoie at bottom center. Litho. Ornate border. Full coupons below. Uncancelled. Very minor soil mark at upper right edge, otherwise extremely fine. \$90 - up



FRIED. KRUPP AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT/ESSEN

* 554
1921, Berlin. 1000 Mark bond bearing 5% interest. Brown/Yellow. Ten vignettes within the decorative border. Krupp, known as "The Cannon King", produced a successful artillery piece. He produced other steel goods, like railroad products, and innovated company towns and stores. The company was founded in 1811 but it nearly went bankrupt if not for the acumen of Krupp's 14 year old son. The company is still in existence today. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$100 - up



HUNGARIAN RED CROSS LOTTERY BOND

* 555
1882, Budapest, Hungary. Bond for 5 gulden. Green/Black/Red. Nice vignette of Red Cross workers providing aid to a soldier in need. Red Cross tents in background and two red crosses at lower corners. Lightly stamp cancelled and Very Fine. \$75 - up



COMPAGNIE UNIVERSELLE DU CANAL INTEROCEANIQUE DE PANAMA S.A.

* 556
1886, France. Bond for 1000 Francs bearing 4% interest. Black/Tan. Choice ornate canal scene vignette throughout border design. Litho. Coupons at right. Uncancelled and extremely fine. Scarce variety. \$100 - up



ALPINE MONTAN AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT "HERMAN GORING" LINZ

* 557
1939, Linz. Certificate for 100 Reichsmark. Black text with a light green background on white paper. Large mountain scene underprinted in the center of the certificate. This Austrian mine likely produced iron or some other strategic war material, and was issued in November 1939, just two months after the war started with Germany and the Soviet Union's joint invasion of Poland. Starting in 1933, with the official takeover of the Germany government by the Nazi party, Goring was in charge of obtaining needed war materials for Germany; he did this so well that he reputedly one of the wealthiest men in the world. In 1939, Goring was appointed chairman of the secret Council for the Defense of the Reich. Uncancelled and in extremely fine condition. \$200 - up



MINERAL DE HUANILLO DE COBIJA

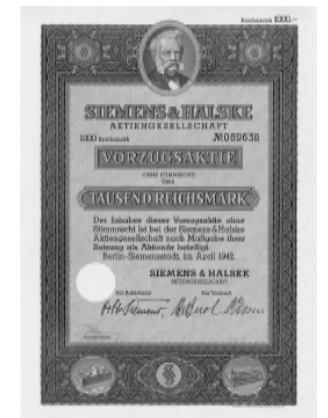
* 558
n.p., 1903, a Spanish mining stock certificate. Blue on white paper with black text. Left vignette of two men working underground hacking away at the rock, right

scene shows a steam locomotive pulling loaded coal cars towards the ocean. Litho. Uncancelled and in fine condition despite some light soiling in the upper right corner. \$60 - up



LA LAOTIENNE S.A.

* 559
1900, France. Green/Orange. Interesting multi-vignetted certificate depicting a Buddha, male and female figure and statue. Coupons below. Issued during the French control of Laos. Uncancelled and excellent. \$75 - up



SIEMENS & HALSKE AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT

* 560
1942, Germany. Stock certificate. Brown on tan paper. Vignette of Werner von Siemens at top center. Early telegraphic equipment vignettes at bottom left and right. Founded in 1847 by Werner von Siemens and Johann Hlaske, the company's first major project linked Berlin and Frankfurt with Europe's first long distance telegraph system completed in 1848. In 1874 the firm completed the first transatlantic cable connection of Ireland and the U.S. Today Siemens remains as a Global technology giant. Uncancelled and choice. \$100 - up



JAPANESE VICTORY NOTE

* 561
The last of the Hypothec Bank's wartime issues. Since no promise to repay principal was made, it is essentially a lottery ticket. Rising sun background. Uncancelled and Fine. \$35 - up



CHINA INCIDENT SAVINGS BOND
* 562

Savings bond for 15 yen. These were the first bonds issued under an authorization of 1937 and were sold at 2/3 of the face value. Lower right seal of Mount Fuji and a Japanese flag and the statement that it is a China Incident Bond. Uncancelled and Excellent. \$30 - up



JAPANESE WARTIME PATRIOTIC BOND

* 563
Patriotic bond for 5 yen. Initially, this issue of bonds paid no interest with the incentive being that the holder could win a premium from periodic lottery type drawings. After ten years, the bond was paid. China Incident seal with a rising sun and airplane. Uncancelled and Excellent. \$35 - up



JAPANESE WARTIME PATRIOTIC BOND

* 564
Patriotic bond for 5 yen. Initially, this issue of bonds paid no interest with the incentive being that the holder could win a premium from periodic lottery type draw

ings. After ten years, the bond was paid. China Lower right red seal of a falling bomb. Uncancelled and Excellent. \$60 - up



JAPANESE WARTIME PATRIOTIC BOND

* 565
Patriotic bond for 10 yen. Initially, this issue of bonds paid no interest with the incentive being that the holder could win a premium from periodic lottery type drawings. After ten years, the bond was paid. China Lower right red seal of Mount Fuji. Uncancelled and Excellent. \$30 - up



JAPANESE GOOD FORTUNE CERTIFICATE

* 566
Lottery Bond for 10 yen. Issued late during the war, these paid no interest and the purchasers incentive in buying was the possibility of winning one of the large, periodic drawings. Uncancelled and Excellent. \$30 - up



LA ESPANA INDUSTRIAL

* 567
1854, Barcelona. Bond. Black. Top center vignette of a large municipal building. Ornate border. Attached coupons. Stamp cancelled, some light age staining. Fine. \$50 - up



AN EARLY X-RAY COMPANY STOCK
ETRA ELEKTROMOS
TRANSZFORMATOREK ES
RONTGENKESZULEKEK

* 568
1926, Budapest, Hungary. Stock certificate for 5 darab. Purple. Large underprinting of skeleton at left. Uncancelled and Excellent. \$150 - up



PETRIER, TISSOT & RAYBAUD S.A.

* 569
1928, Lyon. Stock certificate. Green on light green background. Vignette of machinery at top center and left and right side of certificate. Coupons attached at bottom. Uncancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



COMPANIA NACIONAL DEL FERROCARRIL MINERAL DE PASCO

* 570
1872, Peru. Bond bearing 7% interest Blue. A sharply detailed engraved vignette of a steam locomotive crossing a bridge with cattle drinking below. A smaller vignette of a miner at work at bottom. Coupons at both left and right. An exceptionally fine foreign railroad bond. Uncancelled and in Extremely Fine. \$75 - up



IMOBILIARA

* 571
1906, Bucuresti. Bond. Tan. Large top center vignette of a municipal building with a cherub to the left. Large bottom center vignette of a town. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



THE LAND BANK OF EGYPT

* 572
1905, Alexandria. Bond. Green. Ornate top border. Left border vignette of a farmer with his cattle. Attached coupons. Stamp cancelled. \$50 - up



* 573
1899, Alexandria. Bond. Orange. Large left border vignette of an allegorical winged female. Ornate orange border. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



INTERNATIONAL MINERAL WATER COMPANY

* 574
1902, Belgium. Bond. Blue/green. Top center vignette of a building. Bottom center vignette of a river. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and very fine. \$90 - up



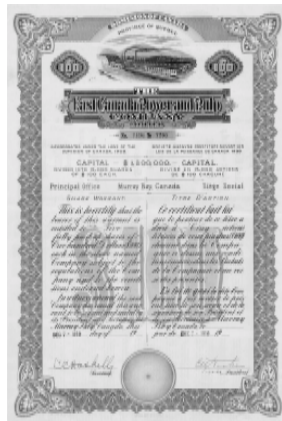
LES AFFRETEURS REUNIS

* 575
1902, Paris. Bond. Yellow. Top center vignette of a flag flanked by a train and ship. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and very fine. \$75 - up



SOCIETE VITICOLE ET VINOLED D'EGYPT

* 576
1936, Cairo, Egypt. Stock certificate for 5 shares. Blue. Wonderful large format, multi-vignetted certificate depicting egyptian figures in various occupations and activities. Litho. Coupons at bottom. Wonderful for display. Stamp cancelled and extremely fine. \$50 - up



EAST CANADA POWER AND PULP COMPANY BOND

* 577
1910, Quebec. Bond for \$100. Brown. Top center vignette of a mill building. Attached coupons. Uncancelled and very fine. \$60 - up



AN EXTREMELY RARE, EARLY FRENCH OPTICAL TELEGRAPH STOCK CERTIFICATE WITH FANTASTIC GRAPHICS

ENTREPRISE GENERALE DES TELEGRAPHES PUBLICS DE DOUR & DE NUIT

* 578
1832, Paris, France. While the first transfer of dividends is indicated to be 1832, the certificate could possibly have been issued prior to that year. Stock certificate for one share of 100 francs. Exceptional panoramic vignette of a river scene with forts on either side with optical telegraph equipment for communications.

A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE OPTICAL TELEGRAPH IN FRANCE:

The invention of the telescope in the 17th century paved the way for the development of the optical telegraph. The Frenchman Claude Chappe was in 1793 the first to build a functioning optical telegraph. In the wake of the French Revolution, the optical telegraph acquired great military importance.

Claude Chappe, who was born on 23rd December 1763. Chappe began by considering the practicability of an electric telegraph, but electricity was not understood sufficiently well at the time for such a system to be possible. After trying a number of rather impracticable ideas for a visual telegraph, he came up with an elaboration of the semaphore principle, which was accepted by the National Convention in 1793.

The Revolution had resulted in war between France and most of her neighbours, and the new telegraph held forth the promise of rapid communication between Paris and the military commanders in the field. By August 1894, a line of 15 stations connected Paris with Lille, 120 miles to the north. It was extended in the same year to St. Omer, then to Brussels in 1803, to Antwerp in 1809 and to Amsterdam in 1810. Other lines that were brought into service included Paris to Strasbourg via Metz in 1798, extended from Metz to Mayence in 1813, Paris to Brest in 1798, Paris to Lyon via Dijon in 1805, extended to Milan and Turin in 1809 and to Venice in 1810.

The telegraph apparatus consisted of a stout vertical member, which at its upper end carried a beam pivoted at its mid point. The beam could be horizontal or inclined one way or the other. This was known as the Régulator. Pivoted at the ends of the Régulator were two shorter arms, like those of a railway signal, which could be rotated to one of eight different positions, 45° apart. A system of ropes and pulleys enabled the operator, who stood in a chamber below, to manipulate these three members, so relaying each signal made by the preceding station on to the next. 196 different combinations were available. By 1844, this French system connected 29 French cities through 500 stations covering more than 3,000 miles. Weather permitting, a message could be sent, for instance, over more than 500 miles between Paris and Toulon in only 20 minutes.

Chappe's system was successful but very expensive to keep in operation and financial controversy was constant. Finally, a public lottery provided the funds to keep the system operating.

This is the only example of this certificate we are aware of coming to market. A wonderful telegraph and communications history rarity having superior graphics for this period. Folds and some wrinkles. Uncancelled and Fine.

\$3,000 - up



* 579
1946, Barcelona. Bond. Green/Tan. Large top center vignette of a ship. Left border vignette of an anchor. Right border vignette of tall sailing ship. Uncancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



MEXICAN FIVE PER CENT. DEFERRED STOCK

* 580
1837, London. Bond for Land Warrant L 500 Sterling for 2000 Acres, Bearing Interest from 1st October, 1847 At The Option Of the Holders. Measuring 17" X 11" Minor discoloration at bottom fold. Coupons attached. Very Fine. \$75 - up



LES TRAMWAYS DE PALERME S.A.

* 581
1909, Brussels. Stock certificate. Olive/Tan. A nice multi-vignetted certificate depicting a panoramic harbor scene along top of certificate, street railway car at center and a mountain scene below. Lightly punch cancelled and Extremely Fine. \$75 - up



SOCIETE ANONYME DES ETABLISSEMENTS L'BLERIOT

* 582
1919, Paris. A fantastic, graphic and scarce European Auto Stock Excellent Condition. \$300 - up



SA SOCIETA ITALIANA SEGNAIATORE AVTOMATICO BOND

* 583
1911, Roma. Certificate for 200,000 lira. Light green and black on white paper. Large top vignette of an antique auto on country road. Litho. Complete coupons attached below. Light wear to paper and in very fine condition. \$350 - up



THE BRITISH CANADIAN LUMBER CORP.

* 584
1911, Canada. Certificate for 10 shares. Red. Top center engraved vignette of lumberjacks

floating cut logs down the river. Uncancelled and very fine. \$50- up



JAPANESE TREASURY BOND

* 585
JAPAN. Portrait of a Male flanked by flags. Stamp cancelled coupons attached. Fine \$35 - up

A CHILEAN MUNICIPAL BOND SPECIMEN FROM VALPARAISO MUNICIPALIDAD DE VALPARAISO * 586

18—. Chile. SPECIMEN bond for 500 pesos. Blue/Black. Engraved vignette of the Chilean national seal at center, sailing ship and mariners at lower corners, municipal and harbor scene at left. Coupons at top bottom and right. Some folds with a couple of minor separations. A little rough at extreme margins in places. Lightly punch cancelled and Fine. \$150 - up



ELANDS DRIFT DIAMOND ESTATES LIMITED

* 589
1903, South Africa. Stock certificate for 25 shares. Green/Black. Ornate bord with a small diamond vignette at top center. Coupons below. Incorporated under the laws of the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope. Scarce topic. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$90 - up



THE S.A. DE LA MIRA LETTRE

* 587
1909, France. A certificate for 1 share of 100 francs. Light green and burgundy on white paper. Top vignette is a river scene showing Paris in the background with two allegorical women. Litho. Complete coupons attached at right. In very fine condition. \$75 - up



JARDIN ZOOLOGICO E D'ACCLIMACAO EM PORTUGAL

* 590
1904, LisBon, Portugal. Stock certificate. Black with gold overprint. Superb multi-vignetted border design depicting numerous animals. Among the most attractive and popular of European zoo pieces. Large format. Designed by Carvalho. Uncancelled and in choice condition. \$300 - up



CREDIT FONCIER AGRICOLE DUMAROC

* 588
1921, Morocco. Stock certificate for 100 francs. A colorful vignette of camels and people with palm trees in the background. Litho. Coupons at right. Ornate border design. An extremely attractive certificate issued during the early period of the French protectorate, which lasted from 1912 to 1956. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$75 - up



COMPAGNIE NOUVELLE DES MINES DE LA GARDETTE S.A.

* 591
1898, Paris. Stock certificate. Maroon on light green paper. Multi-vignetted certificate depicting a mine, panoramic view of town and seal of company. Coupons below. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$75 - up

MINING



CASINO ET CONCERTS PAGANINI

* 592

1837, France. Stock certificate for one thousand francs. Black/Gold/Blue. Extraordinary vignettted certificate with an ornate border design encircling the printed names of some of the world's greatest composers, writers and thinkers including Shakespeare, Beethoven, Mozart, Gallileo, etc. A nice vignette of the concert hall is flanked by winged allegorical figures at the top. This is truly an exceptionally fine lithographed stock from the 1830's.

Paganini began visiting Paris in 1831. Already well-known for his compositions his fame preceded him. He chose the city as his residence from 1832 - 1833 and returned twice again, in 1834 and 1837. During his final visit to Paris, he met with investors who proposed to build a concert hall named in his honor on the Chaussee d'Antin. He invested 100,000 francs of his personal funds in the venture, only to lose the total amount in a lengthy legal battle. Paganini's artistic abilities deteriorated rapidly following this episode.

An exceptionally graphic and decorative certificate from this early period. Extremely rare certificate to date with only three examples known. Uncancelled and fine. \$2,500 - up



SOCIETE FRANCAISE DES MINES D'OR DE LA GAGNIERE S.A.

* 593

1910, Paris. Stock certificate. Blue. Litho of prospectors panning for gold and mountain and stream scenes. Litho. Coupons below. A gorgeous certificate great for display. Uncancelled and Very Fine. \$75 - up



DeBEERS CONSOLIDATED MINES LTD.

* 594

1921, England. Share Warrant to Bearer for 1 preference share. Green/Black. Ornate border design with coat-of-arms at top center. Litho. DeBeers was formed by Cecil Rhodes in 1888 through a combination of DeBeers Mining Co. Ltd and the Kimberley Central Diamond Mining Co. Following the merger, the company pursued an aggressive strategy of diamond mining property related acquisition, acquiring most of the South African diamond mining industry. Today, DeBeers has a near monopoly on the raw diamond market worldwide. A scarce certificate from this well-known company. Trimmed closely at bottom from the removal of coupons. Uncancelled and fine. \$100 - up



ECONOMY MINING & MILLING COMPANY

* 595

1930, Colorado. Stock for 400 shares. Brown. Top center engraved vignette of an allegorical female flanked by a ship and train. Uncancelled and fine. \$40 - up



GOLD CREEK, NEVADA TOWN-SITE COMPANY

* 596

1898, Colorado. Stock for 5000 shares. Black. Top center vignette of men surveying. Uncancelled and very fine. \$75 - up



UNITED COAL COMPANY

* 597

1891, Colorado. Stock for 5 shares. Black. Top center vignette of flowers. Uncancelled and fine. \$40 - up



THE SAWHEE GOLD MINES (WEST AFRICA) LIMITED

* 598

1911, Africa. Certificate for 5 shares with complete coupons below. Green border with black print on white paper. Central vignette of an African village. Litho. Uncancelled and in very fine condition. \$60-up



THE VULCAN MINING COMPANY

* 599

1848, New Jersey. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Black on light tan paper. Detailed left side and top center engraved vignettes of allegorical figures. Uncancelled and very fine. \$175 - up



LYKENS VALLEY COAL COMPANY

* 600

1897, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 7 share. Black. Engraved vignette of blacksmith at work cameos in each corner. A nicely vignettted certificate. Uncancelled and Excellent. \$75 - up



THE CALAVERAS WATER AND MINING COMPANY

* 601

n.d., Calaveras County, California. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green. Uncancelled and in choice condition overall. \$75 - up



NIAGARA MINING & SMELTING COMPANY

* 602

1891, Utah. Stock certificate for 50 shares. Green/Black with an attached embossed silver company seal at lower left. Beautiful certificate with a vignette of a water fall at top center and miners at work at lower left and right. Uncancelled and Very Fine. \$100 - up



TESORA MINING CO.

* 603
1901, Utah. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Black with brown overprint and raised gold seal. Center vignette of a miner swinging a pickaxe while another pushes a railroad cart. Uncancelled and fine. \$50 - up



SUISUN & FAIRFIELD WATER COMPANY

* 604
1868, Colorado. Stock certificate for 1 share. Black/White. Vignette at top center of lake with a building in the back round. Uncancelled and very fine. \$110 - up



DONA LOUISA COPPER & GOLD MINING CO.

* 605
1906, Delaware. Stock certificate for 50 shares. Green/Black. Two engraved vignettes of miners at work. Uncancelled and very fine. \$60 - up



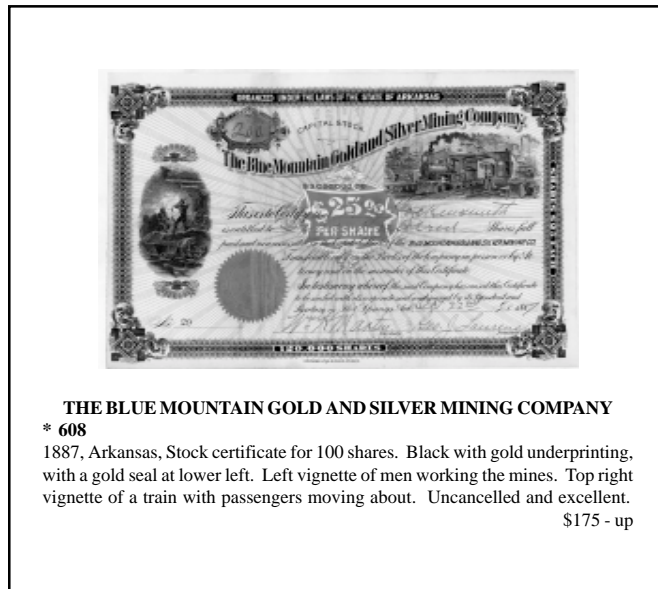
THE WISCONSIN MEXICO MINING COMPANY

* 606
1903 South Dakota, Stock certificate for 1000 shares. Black with an embossed gold seal at lower left. Top left vignette of men working the mine. Ornate border with miners in each corner and also at left and right center borders. \$40 - up



AN EXTREMELY EARLY COMPANY FOR MINING IN CALIFORNIA COMPAGNIE FRANCAISE & AMERICAINNE DE SAN-FRANCISCO

* 607
1850, Paris, France and California. Vignette at top center of a male allegorical figure in the foreground with working miners in the background. Litho. A scarce, early California mining certificate financed in France and issued just shortly after discovery of gold in California. One of the graphically finest of the early California-European gold rush shares. Uncancelled and fine. \$500 - up



THE BLUE MOUNTAIN GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY

* 608
1887, Arkansas, Stock certificate for 100 shares. Black with gold underprinting, with a gold seal at lower left. Left vignette of men working the mines. Top right vignette of a train with passengers moving about. Uncancelled and excellent. \$175 - up



ORIGINAL BULLFROG MINES SYNDICATE STOCK

* 609
1901, Incorporated in Arizona Territory and located at Goldfield, Nevada. Stock certificate for 500 shares. Green/Black. Great large underprint of a Bullfrog at center. A popular western mining certificate. Scarce. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$300 - up



UNISSUED CHICO GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY STOCK

* 610
1860's, Hardin District, Humboldt County, Nevada. Chico, Butte County, California. Right border engraved vignette of a mining operation. Uncancelled and very fine. \$40 - up



YUBA-CALIFORNIA PLACER COMPANY

* 611
1906, Wyoming. Stock for 1000 shares. Black. Top center engraved vignette of a mining operation flanked by miners working. Uncancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



SANTA ANA MINING COMPANY

* 612
1900, Arizona and Mexico. Stock certificate for 1 share. Black with impressive red and blue colored flags of Mexico and the United States. Embossed gold seal at lower left. Litho. A scarce, graphically interesting certificate. \$150 - up



GRAND ISLAND MINING & TUNNEL CO.

* 613
1902, Arizona. Stock certificate for 5000 shares. Green/Black with green seal. Triple vignette of mining scene at top center flanked by miners at work. Uncancelled and fine. \$40 - up



RIO PLATA MINING COMPANY

* 614
1910, Arizona. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Green/Black. Triple vignette of miners at work flanked by eagles. Litho. Printed by American Bank Note Company. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$80 - up



VICTORIA CONSOLIDATED MINING COMPANY

* 615
1911, Utah. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Black with gold seal. Vignette of a female allegorical figure at top left. Litho. Stamp cancelled and fine. \$40 - up



BOWN MINING COMPANY STOCK
* 618
1898, California. Stock for 500 shares. Green. Top center engraved vignette of miners working. Border vignettes of mining operations. Uncancelled and very fine. \$75 - up



OCCIDENTAL COAL & MINING COMPANY

* 622
1906, South Dakota. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green/black. Triple mining related vignettes along the top of the certificate. Litho. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$30 - up



CONSOLIDATED ESPERANZA MINING COMPANY

* 626
1878, New York. Stock certificate for 50 shares. Brown. Vignette of miners at work at top center. Litho. This certificate is unusual in that it was produced in both English and Spanish and completed in the appropriate language for the buyer. This is completed in the English portion. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$75 - up



THE MERCER MINING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY

* 616
1869, Pennsylvania. Stock certificate for 80 shares. Green. Vignette at upper center of a train with cars full of coal pulling away from a loading area and at lower right a vignette of miners working deep in a mine shaft. Litho. Attached revenue stamp at lower left. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$75 - up



SAN DOMINGO GOLD MINING CO.
* 619
1898, San Francisco, California. Stock for 3115 shares. Black. Left border vignette of miners working. Uncancelled and very fine. \$100 - up



PACIFIC SMELTING & MINING COMPANY

* 623
1914, Maine. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Green/Black. Vignette of eagle at top center. Uncancelled and very fine. \$30 - up



ZELAYA MINING COMPANY STOCK

* 627
1887, New York. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Yellow/Black. Ornate border around company name. Litho. Trimmed close at left. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$50 - up



CHIPPEWA COAL AND ENTERPRISES CORP.

* 617
1924, Delaware. \$500 First Mortgage Bond bearing 8% interest. Great engraved bust view at top center of a colorfully dressed Indian with a feather stuck in his bandana. Full coupons attached. Certificates bearing images of Indians colorfully dressed are exceedingly rare, and this is a beautiful example. Uncancelled, folded, otherwise extremely fine. \$40 - up



COMSTOCK TUNNEL COMPANY
* 620
1889, New York. \$500 bond bearing 5% interest. Orange/Black. Vignette of eagle with spread wings at top center. Partial page of coupons attached. Uncancelled and very fine. \$60 - up



TAMARACK & CUSTER CONSOLIDATED MINING COMPANY

* 624
1923, Nevada. Stock certificate for 1,000 shares. Brown/black. Vignette of working miners at top center. Litho. Lightly stamp cancelled. Minor archival tape repair on verso. Very fine. \$30 - up



THE REY DEL ORO MINING COMPANY

* 628
1901, Delaware. \$500 Bond Bearing 6% interest. Top center vignette of miners working. Coupons at right. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$60 - up



NEW YORK & NOVA SCOTIA IRON & COAL MINING & MANUFACTURING COMPANY
* 621
1877, New York. Stock certificate for fifty shares. Black with red seal. Vignette of miners at work at top left and mine town at top right. Uncancelled and very fine. \$125 - up



GUELPH MINING & MILLING CO., LTD.

* 625
1916, Idaho. Stock certificate for 1,000 shares. Gray/Black with green seal. Vignette of miners at work at top left and working miners in border. \$30 - up



GREAT WESTERN GOLD COMPANY

* 629
1907, Arizona. Stock certificate for 1,000 shares. Black with gold seal. Three small vignettes across top of certificate of miners at work. Uncancelled and Excellent. \$50 - up



TUOLUMNE COUNTY WATER COMPANY

* 630
1862, California. Stock certificate for 1 share. Black. Superb vignette of a winding hillside sluice operation with miners guiding ore through the sluices. This company provided necessary water source operations for the mining industry during California's early mining boom. Cut cancelled at center, all paper intact. Extremely fine. Far better condition than often seen for this certificate. \$125 - up



QUINCY MINING COMPANY

* 631
1858, Michigan. Stock certificate for 250 shares. Black. Vignette of two allegorical figures flanking state seal. Pen cancelled and very fine. \$30 - up



QUINCY MINING COMPANY

* 632
1852, Michigan. Stock certificate for 90 shares. Black on Blue paper. Woodcut vignette of train at top center. Litho. Uncancelled and Very Fine. \$60 - up



TRIUNFO GOLD & SILVER MINING COMPANY

* 633
1865, California. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Black. Vignette of an early mining camp in a mountain region at top center. Litho. Attached adhesive revenue stamp at lower right. Mines were located in the San Antonio District, Lower California. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$150 - up



SCADDEN FLAT GOLD MINING COMPANY

* 634
1879, California. Stock certificate for 50 shares. Black on yellow paper. Left vignette of the California State seal. Uncancelled and in very fine condition. \$50 - up



CENTRAL EL DORADO GOLD MINING COMPANY

* 635
1910, Arizona Territory. Stock certificate. Black/Orange on tan paper with bronze seal. Vignette of eagle with spread wings at top center, railroad station and steam locomotive below. Litho. Coupons at right. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$75 - up



CISCO CONSOLIDATED GOLD MINING COMPANY

* 636
1880, New York. (property located at Meadow Lake Mining District Nevada County Cal.). Stock for 100 shares. Center engraved vignette of a crest flanked by a train and miners working. Uncancelled. \$250 - up



ARGONAUT MILL AND MINING COMPANY STOCK

* 637
1880, San Francisco. Stock for 100 shares. Pink. Top upper left corner vignette of an early ship. Uncancelled and very fine. \$150 - up



STAFFORD MEADOW COAL IRON & CITY IMPROVEMENT COMPANY

* 638
1858, Pennsylvania. \$100 bond bearing 6% interest. Black on light pink paper. Multi-vignetted bond depicting allegorical figures throughout and a bust portrait of Washington and the state seal. Litho. Coupons attached at bottom. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. \$50 - up



CARTER MINES COMPANY

* 639
1918, Colorado. Stock certificate for 20 shares. Gold/Black with gold seal. Vignette of lady eagle and state seal at top left. \$40 - up



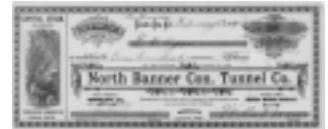
VILLAGE BELLE GOLD MINING COMPANY

* 640
1900, Colorado. Stock certificate for 200 shares. Black with gold seal at bottom left. Vignette of lady at top left. \$40 - up



GEORGE A. TREADWELL MINING COMPANY

* 641
1902, West Virginia. Stock certificate for 20 shares. Black. \$30 - up



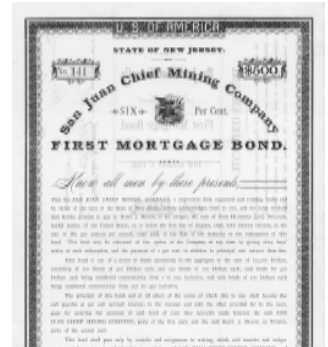
NORTH BANNER CON. TUNNEL CO

* 642
1895, California. Stock certificate for 100 shares. Black on light yellow paper. Left side vignette of a building at the entrance to a tunnel. Litho. Pen cancelled and very fine. \$50 - up



ISABELLA GOLD MINING COMPANY

* 643
1896, Colorado. Stock certificate for 500 shares. Orange/Black. Vignette at top left of a spread eagle flanked by a lighthouse, steamship, train and an indian hunting a bison. Litho. Punch cancelled. Fine. \$25 - up



SAN JUAN CHIEF MINING COMPANY

* 644
1886, New Jersey. \$500 bond bearing 6% interest. Black. Small eagle vignette at upper center. Litho. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$75 - up



NORTH UTAH MINING CO.

* 645
1907, Maine. Stock certificate for 10 shares. Brown/Black. Vignette of mining buildings at the top of the vignette with two tunnels and working miners below. Litho. Uncancelled and extremely fine. \$30 - up