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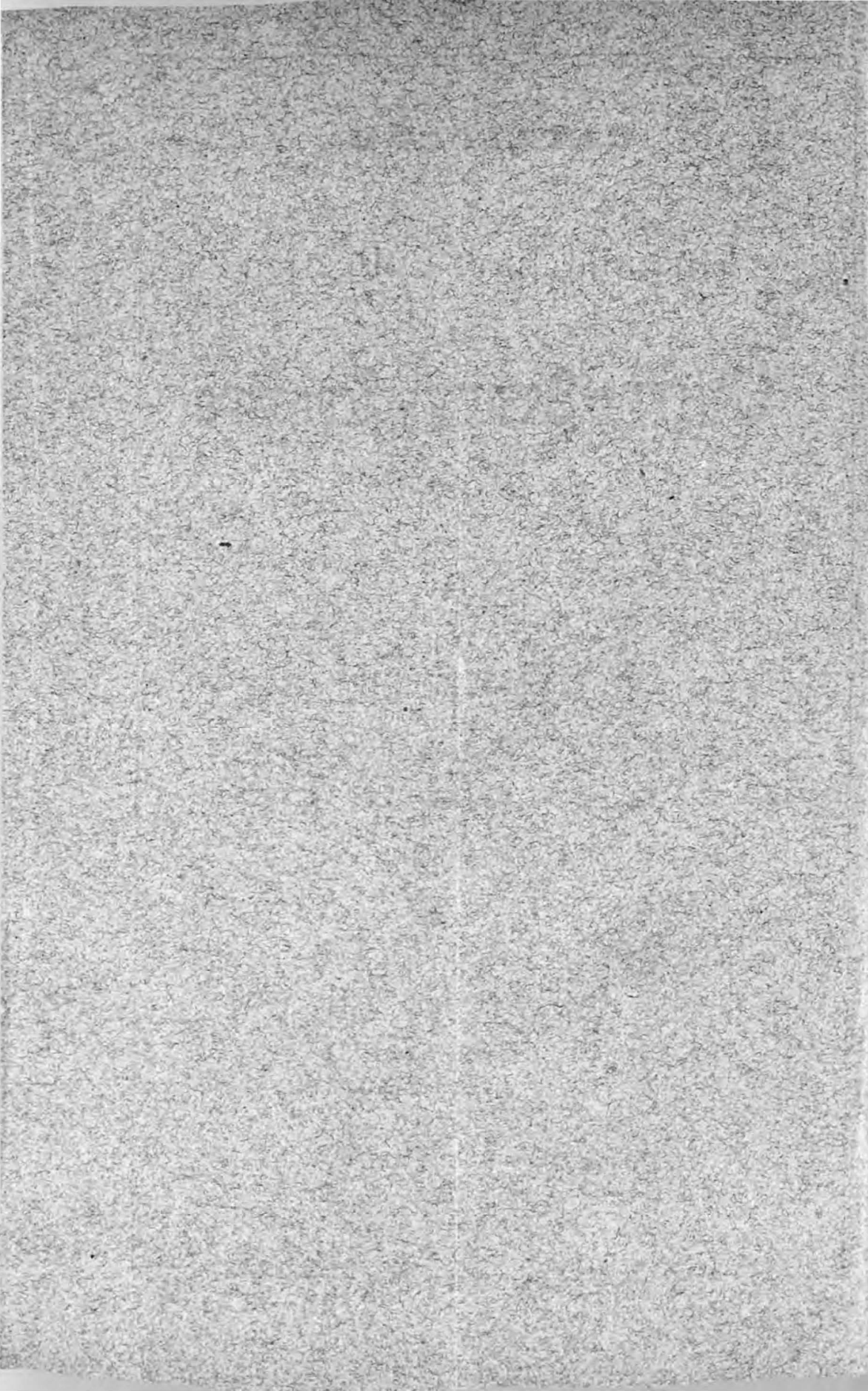
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This collection of United States stamps which is now offered for public competition will, we are confident, elicit the attention of most of the advanced collectors in this country.

The stamps have been carefully selected, and are neatly mounted on sheets, so that they can be taken off without injuring the gum, and the envelopes fastened with a small tag, which is easily removed.

The collection of U. S. postage is very complete and mostly unused, containing some very rare Local stamps; the Department stamps are specially fine, including the set of Periodicals which is current for over \$200.

The sets of cut envelopes comprise many rare varieties of type and shade; especially worthy of mention are the Plimptons of 1874 and 1875.

The series of Revenues have been made a specialty, containing many of the Match and Medicine stamps which bring from \$1 to \$10 each, and a great variety on silk thread, plain white and pink paper, and uncut specimens of the Document stamps, some of the unperforated and half perforated are very difficult to obtain, the California and Nevada Revenues include many rarities, and the collection of License stamps is probably as large as any in the country.

But the cream of the whole collection is the entire envelopes, which are in fine order, mostly unused, and some of them very rare, notably the 3 cent of 1853, with low square cut sides, which is the only one we have seen. The Plimptons are remarkably complete, the set of War envelopes lacks only 3 or 4 varieties, and we know of no other collection having the set of printed Official envelopes.

Each lot will be sold to the highest bidder at so much for each stamp in the lot. That out-of-town collectors may have equal facilities for purchasing with city collectors, bids may be sent to the auctioneers, Messrs. BANGS & Co., or to WILLIAM ERVING, P. O. Box 3222, N. Y. City, who will either of them represent their bids the same as though they were personally present, and without charge. Thus, supposing either of these parties receives two bids on one lot of 20 and 25 cents apiece, they would start the lot at 21 cents, at which price it would be given to the person sending the 25 cent order, unless some one present advanced, when they would continue to bid, stopping at the limit of 25 cents. Collectors can safely entrust these parties with their bids as strictly confidential, and we trust they will find it more satisfactory than paying the usual dealers' commission of ten per cent. for purchasing. Persons sending bids should give the number of the lots and the highest price they are willing to give, when the lot will be bought for them as low as possible consistent with the representation of other bids.

As a dealer in stamps we waive our opportunity for purchasing at sales under our management, knowing that nothing is more annoying to a collector than to have the stamps run up to the extreme limit they are willing to pay, or bought in to be offered at some future time; and we hope that with these arrangements we may have the credit of a genuine STERLING sale.

The collection may be seen until the day of sale at the store of WM. P. BROWN, 145 Nassau street, when it will be transferred to the auction rooms, where it will be exhibited under the supervision of WILLIAM ERVING, who is not a stamp collector, and will act simply in the interests of purchasers.



# CATALOGUE.

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LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
1	1845 New York. 5c. Black, used	1
2	1846 Providence. 5c. Black, dark color, unused	1
3	1846 Providence. 5c. Pair, different, unused	2
4	1846 Providence. 5c. Pair, different, unused	2
5	1845 New Haven. 5c. Red, 1871 reprint, rare, unused	1
6	1847 Post Office. Set of Gov't reprints, 5 and 10c.	2
7	1847 Post Office. Set of used originals, 5 and 10c.	2
8	1860 Carrier's Stamp. 1c. Black, horseman, used	1
9	1860 Carrier's Stamp. 1c. Blue, eagle, used, and 1 reprint	2
10	1860 Carrier's Stamp. 1c. Franklin. Blue on pink, 3 specimens	3
11	1851 Unperforated, including 5c. used, and 24 unused, very rare	6
12	1851 Unperforated, pair of 12c., used	2
13	1851 Set perforated, unused originals	8
14	1861 3c. scarlet, unused, rare color	1
15	1861 Plain backs, all unused except 1, 15, and 90c.	10
16	1861 Square grilled, all used but 10, 12, and 30c	10
17	1861 Oblong grilled, all unused but 10, 12, and 30c.	10
18 to 22	1863 2c. Jackson proofs, black, red, green, buff, and 3c.	5
23	1869 Proof set on card board, face value \$1.93	10
24	1869 Set unused, except 90c., face value \$1.93	11
25	1869 3c. blue, extra large cut margin, used	1
26	1870 Set of proofs on card board, face value, \$2.07	13
27	1870 1c. blue, 2c. brown, and 3c. green, unused, unperforated	3
28 to 30	1870 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, and 15c. Grilled, used, 2 brown, unperforated	10
31	1870 Set unused, face value, \$2.07	13

LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
32	Set of Agriculture. Strictly unused, with original gum	9
33	Set of Executive, unused	5
34	Set of Executive, unused, marked "Specimen."	5
35	Set of Interior, unused, with original gum	10
36	Set of Justice, used, in fine condition	10
37	Set of Navy, used, except 90c., fine condition	10
38	Set of Post Office, white paper, mostly unused	11
39	Set of Post Office, blue tinted paper, mostly used	11
40 to 43	Set of Post Office Reay env. cut, 3 shades of each	10
44 to 47	Set of Post Office Plimpton env. cut, 3 shades of each	11
48	State Dep't. 2, 3, 6, 7, 10c., used, fine specimens	5
49	State Dep't. Two Dollars, unused	1
50	State Dep't. Five Dollars, unused	1
51	Set of Treasury. Unused; with original gum	11
52	Set of War. Unused; with original gum	10
53	Set of War. Envelopes cut, Reay, white paper, complete excepting 10c., mostly unused	8
54	Set of War. Reay's 1c. manilla, 3c. white, 3c. cream, unused, cut square	5
55	Set of War Plimp'n's, white p., 2, 3, 6, 10, 12, 15c., unused, cut sq.	6
56 to 57	Set of War Plimp., 3, 6 amb., 2 orange, 3 blue, unused, cut sq.	4
58 to 59	Set of War Plimp't'n's, 4 shades of 3c. cream, 6 of 1c. manilla, unused, cut square	10
60	Set of War Plimpton's, 2c. manilla wrapper, unused, rare, cut sq.	1
61	Postal Service and Official Envelope, unused, rare, cut square	4
62 to 63	1865 Set of Large Newspaper stamps, originals, unused	4
64	1865 Set of Large Newspaper stamps, reprints, unused	3
65	Set of Periodical Stamps, complete, from two cents to sixty dollars, unused and originals. Face value, \$204.66	24
66 to 67	Partial Set, from 2c. to 60c., unused. Face value, \$2.02	12
68	2c. Partial Set, used, and two 3c. Env. of 1853, unused	3

#### U. S. ENVELOPES, CUT SQUARE.

69	1853 8c. on white, square and close ends, rare, used	4
70	1853 6c. red, white and green, 10c. variety rare, unused	3

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LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
71	1853 3c. on buff, square and close ends, scarce used	5
72 to 73	1853 6c. and 10c. green, 6c. red, unused, and two varieties of 10c. green, used	5
74	1853 3c. buff, square and close ends, rare type, used	6
75	1853 3c. buff, ordinary type, different shades, used	8
76	1857 3, 4, 6 and 10c. on white, cut round and mounted, unused	4
77	1857 Set on buff paper, unused, except 6 and 10c.	6
78 to 80	1857 1c., 1861 3c. blue paper and "U. S. Postage," unused	5
81 to 83	1861 3, 6, 10, 12, 24, 40c., with var., cut sq., mostly unused	16
84 to 87	1864 "U. S. Post.," orange paper, wide and narrow, mostly unused	10
88 to 90	1864 "U. S. Post.," buff paper, wide and narrow, mostly unused	13
91 to 95	1864 3 and 6c. rose, unused, and 3c. without color, used	12
96 to 98	1864 3c. brown, and 6c. violet, white and buff paper, unused	12
99	1866 9, 12, 18, 24, 30 and 40c., unused	6
100	1870 7c., Reay proof on white paper, unused	1
101 to 102	1870 3c. cream, mis-struck, and 6c. used	4
103	1870 Complete Set of Reay's on white paper. Face value, \$2.21	19
104	1870 Complete Set of Reay's on buff paper. Face value, \$2.27	19
105	1870 Complete Set of Reay's on cream paper. Face value, \$1.95	12
106	1870 Complete Set of Reay's on orange paper. Face value, 9c.	6

PLIMPTON ENVELOPES, CUT SQUARE.

107	1874 White paper. 1c., die A, 2c. and 3c., unused	8
108	1874 Amber paper. 1, 2, and 3c., several types, unused	8
109	1874 Cream paper. 3c. 3 varieties, unused	5
111	1874 2c. Red on manilla wrapper, die A, rare, used	1
112 to 113	1874 2c. Brown, unused, and 1c. 4 var., orange paper, used	5
114	1874 1c. Manilla wrappers, varieties, unused	5
115	1874 2c. Brown, die A, manilla wrappers, fine, unused	9
116 to 117	1874 2c. Brown, die B, manilla wrappers, fine, unused	6
118	1874 1c. Orange wrappers, different varieties, used	18
119	1874 1c. Manilla wrappers, and 3 of 2c., different varieties, used	13



LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
120	1874 2c. Dies A and B, white paper, varieties, unused	6
121 to 23	1874 1c., orange and white, 2c., brown, and 3 cream, used	15
124	1874 3c. White and amber, die A, used	18
125	1875 Complete set on white paper, face value, \$2.34, unused	19
126	1875 Complete set on amber paper, face value, \$2.45, unused	22
127	1875 Complete set on cream paper, face value, \$2.09, unused	17
128 to 29	1875 Complete set of blue and fawn pp., face val., 21c., unused	5
130 to 31	1875 1c. Orange paper, 6 shades, and 3c., no color, unused	9
132	1875 1, 2, 3, 6. and 15c. Different types, used	22

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133	1857 1c. Blue, different shades and types, unused	4
134 to 135	1863-'64 U. S. Postage and U. S. Post. Manilla wrappers	8
136 to 137	1870-'75 Manilla wrappers, 2c., orange and brown, and 1c., unused	13
138	1876 Centennial, fine set, different dies, unused	8
139	Curious lot of old prepaying hand stamps	19

### U. S. LOCAL STAMPS.

140	Adams & Co.'s Express, head to left, 25c., black	1
141	Hale & Co., 13 Court St., Boston, 1c. blue, used	1
142	City Despatch Post, C. C. at sides, vermilion paper, used, extremely rare	1
143	Jenkins Camden Despatch, black on yellow, novel type, unique Mr. Sterling says that he discovered this local himself several years ago, on an old envelope, which was postmarked, "Camden, N. J."	1
144	1858 Blood's Penny Post, Kochersperger & Co., used	1
145	1847 D. O. Blood & Co.'s City Despatch Post, circular, rare	1
146 to 148	Wells, Fargo & Co., newspaper. blue, Swarts & Pomeroy's	5
149	Wells, Fargo & Co., Publishers' Paid stamp, obl., blue, unused	1
150	Westtown, unsevered pair, reversed to each other, unused	2
151	Set of Fractional Currency, first issue, face value, 90c.	4
152	Blood's Despatch, Prepaid, 1c., circular, black hand stamp on entire note sheet, scarce	1
153	Blood's Penny Post, gold and blue on original env., used	3

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LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
154	Blood's Penny Post and 1c. Despatch, original env., used	2
155	Blood's Penny Post and 1c. Despatch, differ't, original env. used	2
156 to 158	Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Franked Envelopes, used	7
159	Boyd's 2c. red and 2c. green, on envelopes, used	2
160	Langton's Pioneer Express, black on 3c., white, 1861, used	1
161	Lamping & Co.'s Pioneer Express, bl'k on 3c., white, 1864, used	1
162	Pacific Union Express Co., red, 3c. white and buff, 1864, used	2
163	Boyd's City Despatch, 1 Park Place, varieties, used	5
164	New Orleans 5c. Brown on white, original env., used	1
165	New Orleans 5c. Brown on blue, original env., used	1
166 to 167	New Orleans 2c. Red, and Memphis, 2 blue and 5 red, unused	3
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168 to 170	Confederate States, fine set, unused	10
171	Confederate 10 cents lined border and TEN cents, unused	2
172 to 173	Confederate 10 cents, 6 shades and perforated	7
174 to 176	Confed. large size, 5, 10 blue, 5 green, on orig. env., used	3
177	Confederate 10 cents, Madison rose, on original env., used	1
178	Confederate 2 cents, red, Jackson, on original env., used	5
179	Confederate 5, 10, 20 cents, on original env., used	3
180	Confederate TEN cents, blue, on original env., used	1
181	Confederate 10c., lined border, on original env., used	1
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REVENUE STAMPS.

182	Complete set of Maryland, on white paper	10
183	Complete set of Maryland, on blue paper, except \$5.50	9
184	Alabama \$1, red, tax on seals, used	1
185	Louisiana 7½c., green, pelican, 7½ blue, masonic, unused	2
186	Oregon 10c., green, Insurance, used	1
187	California 4c. to \$1, including 8c. brown and 80 rose, used	21
188 to 189	California \$1.40 to \$10, some rare varieties, used	16
190 to 192	Cal. Bill of Lading, circ., 1st, 2d, and 3d of Exch., used	13
193	California Exchange, first, solid letters. 8c. to \$6, fine set, used	9
194	California Exch., second, solid letters, 8c. to \$2, fine set, used	13

LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
195	California Exchange, third, solid letters, 8c. to \$3, fine set, used	9
196	California Exchange, first, open letters, 8c. to \$10, fine set, used	13
197	California Exchange, second, open letters, 8c. to \$8, fine set, used	12
198	California Exchange, first, 8c. blue on blue paper, unpf., used	1
199	California Exchange, second, 80c. blue on blue paper, perf., used	1
200	California Passenger, Steerage, \$2.00, used	1
201 to 204	California Insurance, large size, 3, 6, 12mo, blue paper, used	5
205	California Ins., 20c., 50c., \$2, large size, 12mo, white paper, used	3
206	California Insurance, smaller, 10c. to \$10, fine set, used	21
207	California Insurance, smaller, \$150 to \$200; 20c., rare, used	1
208 to 209	Nevada, 2c. to \$1, part unused, fine set	11
210	Nevada, \$5, rare, used	1
211	Nevada, \$20, very fine and rare, used	1

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DOCUMENT STAMPS.

212	1 and 2c., unperforated, some rare	10
213	1 and 2c., half perforated, some rare	9
214	1 and 2c., complete, perforated	16
215	2c., Essay on gold-beater's skin	1
216 to 217	3 and 5c., perf., unperf. and half perf., some rare	11
218	3, 4 and 5c., perf., complete, mostly unused	19
219	6, 10, 15 and 20c., unperf. and half perf., some rare	12
220	6, 10, 15 and 20c., perforated, mostly unused	12
221 to 222	25, 30 and 40c., unperf. and half perf., some rare	15
223	25, 30 and 40c., perforated, all varieties	14
224	50, 60 and 70c., unperforated, including 50c. Probate, used	9
225	50, 60 and 70c., half perforated, including 50c. Probate, used	8
226	50, 60 and 70c., perforated, including 50c. Probate, some unused	16
227	\$1, unperforated, some rare, used	8
228	\$1, perforated, complete set, some unused	16
229	\$1.50, \$2 Conveyance, \$2 Mortgage, unperforated, used	3
230	\$1.30 to \$2, all varieties, perforated, mostly used	13
231	\$3, Charter Party, \$5, three varieties, unperforated, mostly used	5
232	\$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50, perforated, many shades, used	16

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233	\$5, all varieties, perforated, many shades, used	8
234	\$20, Conveyance, unperforated, two shades, used	2
235	\$10, full set, very fine, perforated, used	4
236	\$15, perforated, light and dark blue, used	2
237	\$20, Conveyance, perforated, two shades, used	2
238	\$25, Mortgage, perforated, two shades, used	2
239	\$50, green, unperforated, fine, used	1
240	\$50, green, perforated, fine, used	1
241	\$200 green and red, perforated, very fine, rare, used	1
242	Second issue. 1c. to 70c. Violet paper, used	15
243	Second issue. 1c. to 70c. Pink paper, used	15
244	Second issue. \$1 to 1.90. Complete, Violet paper, used	5
245	Second issue. \$1, \$1.50 and \$1.90. Pink paper, used	3
246 to 247	2d issue. \$2 to \$3.50. Comp. on pink and viol. pap. used	8
248	Second issue. \$5 and \$10. On violet paper, used	2
249	Second issue. \$5 and \$10. On pink paper, used	2
250	Second issue. \$20. Blue, on violet paper, fine, used	1
251	Second issue. \$20. Blue, on pink paper, used	1
252 to 253	Third issue. 1c. to 70c. Violet and pink paper, used	19
254 to 255	Third issue. \$1 to \$3. Comp. violet and pink pap. used	8
256 to 257	Third issue. \$5 and \$10 on viol. & \$10 pink pap. used	3
258	Third issue. \$20. Orange on violet paper, fine, rare, used	1
259	Third issue. \$20. Orange on pink paper, punched, used	1
260 to 262	Proprietary, large size, unused, face value \$6.50, current	3
263	Proprietary 1 to 10c. Green viol. and pink pap. mostly unused	20
264	Fifth issue. 1c. to 6c. Mostly unused	8

## MATCH STAMPS.

265	Alexander's and A. B. & S., plain and silk thread paper	6
266	Ætna Match Co. 4 varieties	4
267	Thos. Allen 1c. Dark green, original gum, fine	1
268	Akron 1c. Blue, fine	1
269 to 270	Orono, Am. Fusee Co., American, plain and silk thr'ds	9
271	Thos. Allen 1c. Light green, fine	1

LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
272	Brown & Durling 1c. Green, 2 shades, fine	2
273 to 274	Bauer & Beudel, plain and threads, H. & M. Bentz, fine	8
275	L. W. Buck & Co. 1c. Black, fine	1
276	Barber & Peckham. 1c. and 3c. Geo. & O. C. Barber. 1c.	3
277	Barber Match Co. 1c. and 3c. varieties	5
278	Chicago Match Co. 3c. Black, fine	1
279	Geo. Farr & Co. 1c. Black, mended	1
280	F. E. C., B. & N., and Clark Match Co. Fine set	10
281	W. D. Curtis & Cannon Match Co.	2
282 to 283	Cramer & Kemp 1c. black, and 1c. blue	9
284 to 285	Arnold, Brock, Bent & Lea. Bousfield 1 violet and 3c.	9
286 to 287	Baltimore, Maryland, Byam, Watertown, Syracuse, Eaton	9
288 to 289	Eichele 1c. black, and 6 varieties 1c. blue	7
290	Greenleaf, 1c., 3c. and 5c., and Kirby	6
291	Jas. L. Clark, E. R. T., Ives & Judd & Goldbacks	12
292	Park City Match Co. 1c. and 3c. Very fine	3
293	Gorman's and Hotchkiss, including pink paper, very fine	7
294 to 295	Gates, complete set 1c. 3c. and 6c., all kinds of paper	28
296	Griggs, Davis, Crown, Boutell, Lacours, Kyle, Zaiss	19
297	D. Burhans & Co., 1c. black, original gum, fine	1
298	Henning & Bonback, 1c. blue, fine	1
299	Griggs & Goodwill, green and black, and L. G. Hunt	4
300	Howard, 1c. red and blue, very fine	3
301	N. Y. Match Co., 1c. blue, red, and green	5
302	Pierce Match Co., 1c. green, original gum, fine and rare	1
303	Franklin, E. K. Smith, Roebbers, Metropolitan, and Russell	18
304 to 305	Powell's, Washington, Stanton, Star, Ives, 1c. and 8c.	20
306	Richardson's 1c. and 3c. red, 1c. and 3c. blue, all varieties	12
307	Diamond, U. S. M., Frank, Schmitt, 1c. and 3c., Hale	27
308 to 309	Underwood, Wilmington, and 3 var. of San Fran. 12c.	5
310 to 311	B. Bendel & Co., 1c. and 12c. both varieties	10
312	Wm. Bond & Co., 4c. black and green, on white and pink	3
313	Portland, 1c. black and 1c. wrapper	2
314	Nat'l Union Match Co. of Boston Highlands, illegal	1

LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
315	Byam, Carleton & Co., 2 heads to left, large frame wrapper	1
316 to 317	Byam, Carleton & Co., white and buff, including the 1c. head to right on buff	7
318	Byam, Carleton & Co., white and buff, different types and dates	76
319	Byam, Carleton & Co., 1 head to left on white, 1876, proof on card board, rare	1
320	Byam, Carleton & Co., 2 heads to left on white, 1876, proof on card board, rare	1

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MEDICINE STAMPS.

321	Allen, Blow, A. B. Clark. Different shades	7
322	Ayer's 1c. and 4c., including two of the 4c. uncut	6
323	T. H. Barr & Co., 4c. black	1
324 to 325	Bennett, Barry, Collins, Brown, Burnett, Fowle	14
326	Barnes, 1c. 2c. 4c. black, all varieties, and two 2c. red	13
327	Barnes, 2c. red, very fine	1
328 to 329	Brown's Troches and Comfits, and Curtis & Brown, both types	14
330	Bulls, Dalley, Brown, plain and silk threads	10
331	Bennett, Pieters & Co., 4c. black, very good	2
332	Hall & Ruckel, Hazeltine, Howe, Husband	13
333	Howe, McCullough, Cheesemans	3
334 to 335	S. D. Howe (Duponco's Pills), red and green	2
336 to 337	Crook's Wine of Tar, and Allcock's, large and small	8
338	Hostetter's 4c. white and pink, and 6c. plain paper	6
339	Davis' 1c. 2c. and 4c., all varieties, and Harter's	19
340	Helmbold's, white paper, including A. L., 2c. and 4c.	10
341	Kerr's 4c. and 6c., fine	2
342	Holloway's perf. and unperf.	3
343	T. Kensett & Co.'s 1c. green, fine	1
344	Henry's 1c. 2c. and 4c., including 2c. bistre	12
345	Herrick's 1c. black and 1c. red, shades	9
346	Jayne's 1c. 2c. and 4c., including uncut set, splendid	12
347	Lyon, Drake & Hall's, varieties	10
348	Jackson's 4c, Home 8c. and 4c.	3

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349	Littlefield 1c. and 4c., Hull, Lanman 1c. and 3, Johnston, &c.	15
350	Radcliff, Radway, Kennedy 2c. and 6c., Simmons, &c	10
351	Rush's medicines, perf and half perf, white and pink	14
352	Laird's, plain and silk thread and uncut	3
353 to 354	Hartman's 4c. and 6c., Stevens, N. Y. P. A., &c	6
355	Mercado & Seully, black, very rare	1
356	Roback's wrappers, white, yellow and orange	3
357 to 358	Soule's wrappers, Seelye 8c., Poland's, Morehead's	10
359	Mansfield & Higbee and Mansfield 1c. 2c. and 4c.	16
360	Lee, Merchant's, Fahnestock and Schwartz	10
361	Ring's 2c., cut and uncut, 4c. cut, uncut and half perf.	6
362	McMunn's, Pierce and Schenck, white and pink	20
363	J. B. Rose & Co. 2c. and 4c., Centaur Co., white and pink	6
364	Crittenton, Weeks & Potter, Parker, Manhattan, Talcott	8
365	Zeilin, 2c. red and green, perf. and unperf.	7
366	Jas. & Wm. Swaim, 8c., cut and uncut	3
367	Thompson, Wrights, Ransom, Scovill, McLean, &c.	26
368 to 369	McLane, Walker, Minshull, Wright and Woodworth	21
370	Mrs. Winslow 1c. and 2c., and pink paper	5
371	Wilder's 1c. light and dark green, 4c. red, vermilion and orange red, fine and scarce	12
372	Lundborg's 1c. 2c. 3c. and 4c. white and pink paper	10
373 to 374	Chase 1c. 2c. and 4c., Hoyt 1c. and 4c., and Fetridge	7
375	West India Mfg. Co., white and pink, and Moody, Michel & Co.	3
376	Lippmann's German Bitters 4c. blue	1
377	Dr. M. Perl 6c. black, fine and rare	1
378 to 379	U. S. Prop. Med. Co. 4c., Marsden's 4c.	8
380	Wishart's plain and silk thread, cut and uncut, and pink	5
381 to 382	Hoyt's 1 and 4c., uncut diamond of 4 stamps on pink and white paper	16
383	Full set of playing card stamps on white, and 8 on pink	24

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**MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES.**

384	McKay license stamps, all different, some very rare	54
385	Grand assortment of license stamps, some very rare	51

LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
386	Splendid collection of codfish, lye and other license stamps	33
387	Paper collar stamps, very complete set, rare shades, surcharged	30
388	Am. Express Co. Franks. Red, brown and black, rare	6
389	Am. Express Co. Newspaper parcel stamps	2
390	City and Suburban Telegraph 1c. 2c. and 3c.	3
391	Adams Express Co. Franks. Blue and red	2
392	Western Union Telegraph Franks	5
393	American Express Co. Newspaper parcel stamps	8
394 to 395	Union Paper Collar Co. Large size, &c., rare	22
396	Check stamps, including 2c., first issue, black	18
397 to 399	Check stamps, Some rare varieties, used	42
400	Check stamps, 2c. Franklin, large and small, rare proofs	4
401 to 406	Check stamps. Splendid assortment, entire	24
407 to 410	Policy Stamps, 5c. Washington red, 25 and 50c, some rare	15
411	Policy Stamps, \$1 yellow and chocolate, rare	2
412	Colony Tax Stamp. 1s. 6d. Under George III	1
413 to 417	Commercial Check Stamps. Issued in 1812 by the United Colonies. 25, 50, 75c., \$1.50 and \$2.50. Entire documents, rare	5

### ENTIRE U. S. ENVELOPES.

418	1853 No. 1. Die A and D. 3c., white paper, used	2
419	1853 No. 3. Die A, broad square labels, 3c. on white. Only one known in this country. Valued at \$25, used	1
420	1853 No. 3, 3c. buff, die E, knife C, ruled, very rare, used	1
421	1853 No. 3, 3c. buff and white, die D, fine and rare, unused	3
422	1853 No. 3, 3c. buff and white, dies A, D, E, some with tress, used	10
423	1853 No. 3, 3c. buff and white, dies A and C, with tress, used	3
424	1853 No. 3, 3c. buff and white, die D, ruled, used	2
425	1853 No. 7, 6c. red on buff. 1860 No. 1, 3c. Note, ruled, rare, unused	2
426	1860 3c. white and buff, and 4c. buff, all ruled, rare, unused	4
427	1857 1c. orange and buff, patent lines, unused	2
428	1857 1c. manilla and buff, envelopes and wrappers, unused	5
429	1860 4c. fine unused pair of white and buff, rare	2
430	1857-'60 1c. and 3c. with and without lines, used	5



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431	1861 3c. white, note size, ruled. 10c. buff, ruled, unused	2
432	1861 10c. white and buff, pointed and rounded flap, 3c. and 6c., unused	6
433	1861 3c. white and buff, with and without lines, used	4
434	1861 3c. blue, entire letter sheet and half do., varieties, unused	5
435	1861 3c. blue, entire note sheets, with seals and address, unused	6
436	1861 3c. blue, half note sheets, with seals and address, unused	5
437	1864 U. S. Post, 2c. wide and narrow buff and orange, unused	8
438	1864 3c. white and buff, pointed and rounded flap, used & unu'd	6
439	1864 6c. rose, white and buff, unused	4
440	1866 3c. brown and 6c. violet, white and buff, unused	7
441	1866 18c., 24c., 30c. and 40c. Scarce, entire, unused	5
442	1870 Reay's, 1c., 2c., 3c. and 6c., Nos. 2 and 3, all colors, unused	30
443	1870 Reay's, 6c., 7c. and 10c., Nos. 3 and 5, all colors, unused	11
444	1870 Reay's, No. 7, 3c. cream, 24c. and 30c. amber, unused	3

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#### ENTIRE PLIMPTON ENVELOPES.

445	1874 1c. die A, white and buff, 2c. and 3c. dies A and B, unused	9
446	1874 3c. die A, orange, white and amber, and 2c., unused	11
447	1874 1c. die A, orange, and 2c. die B, and 3c. die A, unused	8
448	1874 1c. and 2c. manilla wrappers, dies A and B, unused	6
449	1874 2c. red, manilla, die A, very rare, unused	1
450	1874 10c. white and buff, die A, booby heads, scarce, unused	2
451	1875 1c. 2c. 3c. white and buff, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, all colors, un.	41
452	1875 3c. 5c. and 10c. white and buff, and 7c. buff, rare, unused	8
453	1875 2c. buff and faun, and 3c. white, unused	10
454	1875 3c. and 5c. white, buff and blue, and 10c. white, unused	10
455	1875 1c. orange, and 3c. and 6c. white and buff, mostly unused	19
456	1875 3c. 5c. 6c. 10c. and 15c. white and buff, some scarce, face 81c. unused	16
457	1875 15c. white and amber, rare shades, and 1 of 6c. face 96c. unused	7
458	1875 30c. and 90c. white and amber, face \$2.40, unused	4
459	1875 1c. and 2c. manilla wrappers, some scarce, unused	9
460	1875 15c. 30c. and 90c. Fine specimens, used	4

LOT	DESCRIPTION	NO. OF STAMPS
461	1875 3c. faun, and 3c. inside out, &c., used	3
462	1875 Albinos (printed without color), 1c. 2c. 3c. on white, orange, buff and blue, unused. A very rare lot	7
468	1875 Centennial, 3c. green and red, all varieties	8

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**ENTIRE DEPARTMENT ENVELOPES.**

464	1873 War, Reay's, No. 2, 1c. white, No. 3, 3c. white. cream, No. 7, 3c. and 12c. white, No. 8, 12c. white, No. 9, 1c. manilla, scarce	9
465	1873 War, Reay's, No. 7, 30c. white, No. 8, 24c. white, both very rare and in perfect condition, unused	2
466	1873 War, Plimpton's, No. 1, 3c. white. scarce, No. 2, 1c. 2c. 3c. white, 2c. 3c. amber, 3c. blue, very rare, unused	7
467	1875 War, Plimpton's, complete set, No. 3, 3c. 6c. 10c. white, 3c. 6c. 10c. amber, 3c. 6c. cream, 3c. blue; the 6c. with 1876 w'mk, 10c. white and 10c. amber are very rare, all unused	12
468	1875 War, Plimpton's. No. 9, 1c. 2c. manilla, 2 shades and dies, No. 5, 2c. orange, 3c. 6c. white, 3c. 6c. amber, complete set, splendid condition and very rare	9
469	1875 War, Plimpton's, No. 7, complete set from 3c. white to 10c. amber, viz.: 3c. 6c. 10c. white, 3c. 6c. 10c. amber, 3c. buff, 3c. 6c. cream. The 3c. buff, 6c. cream and 10c. white and amber are very rare, all unused	9
470	1875 War, Plimpton's, No. 7, complete set from 12c. white to 30c. amber, viz.: 12c. 15c. 30c. white, 12c. 15c. 30c. amber, 12c. 30c. buff, all unused and very rare	8
471	1875 War, Plimpton's, No. 8, complete set from 6c. white to 30c. amber, viz.; 6c. 12c. 15c. 30c. white, 6c. 12c. 15c. 30c. amber. All very rare, splendid condition	8
472 to 473	Post Office. 3c. and 6c. Env., varieties, mostly unused	7
474 to 476	1875 Post Office. 2c., 3c. and 6c. Env., fine lot, unused	26
477 to 478	Postal Service. Buff paper, varieties, used	10
479	Postal Service. Blue paper, varieties, used	18
480	Postal Service. Blue paper, varieties, unused	4