

Grandford 508(4)



WHOLESALE PRICE

Catalogue

—OF—

United States Stamps,

Envelopes, Post Cards, &c.

—FOR—

Dealers Only.

1893-4.

B. S. ROSS,

509 WIELAND STREET,

CHICAGO, ILL.

U. S. A.



IMPORTANT NOTICE.


Stamps, envelopes, or Postal cards, whether used or unused, are not permitted to be sent by mail as book or printed matter to any part of the world. All orders are therefore dispatched as letter post, and customers both at home and abroad, will oblige by remitting sufficient to provide for this, otherwise part of their order must be deducted to cover the deficient postage.

It is particular that every letter sent to me, bears the senders address in full.

Orders over \$5.00 should be accompanied by 8c extra for registration (in addition to postage) to ensure safe delivery of goods ordered as I do not under any circumstances hold myself responsible for letters lost in transit.

Letters of enquiry must contain a stamp for reply, or they will not be answered.

Orders Under \$1.00 are respectfully declined.

 Not less than 50 sold at 100 prices, and not less than 5 of any kind, except stamps worth 50 cents and over (Including sets, packets etc.) 10 of which I will supply 2.

Unused U. S. postage stamps will be taken in payment if in good condition under \$1.00.

On orders of \$25.00 and over I will allow reasonable time according to the amount ordered, against notes endorsed by responsible parties.

All orders attended to by return mail.

All mixtures not satisfactory can be exchanged for others.

All stamps are warranted genuine and in good condition.

It is advisable always to send a supplementary order, as it is impossible to keep everything in stock.

All dates used in this list are in accordance with Scott Stamp and Coin Company's 53 Edition Catalogue.

All previous lists are hereby cancelled, prices subject to change without notice.

Remittance from abroad should be made by Post Office Money Order, payable at North Division Post Office, Chicago, Ill.

B. S. ROSS'

509 WIELAND STREET, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.



of United States Stamps.

USED STAMPS.

Unperforated.

	<i>per 10</i>	<i>100</i>
United States, 1847 5c	\$ 5.00	\$
1847 10c	20.00	
1851 1c	1.25	
" 3c	.10	.75
" 10c	4.10	
" 12c	9.00	

Perforated.

1856 3c	.05	.50
1857 1c	.70	6.00
" 1c (variety)	2.25	
" 3c outer line	1.25	
" 10c	1.75	
" 12c	3.75	
1861 1c	.20	1.75
" 3c pink	15.00	
" 5c	2.00	
" 10c	.45	
" 12c	2.00	
" 24c	1.75	
" 30c	3.25	
" 90c	13.50	
1863 2c	.20	1.80
" 3c rose	.05	.40
1866 15c	2.00	
" 24c	2.50	

Embossed on back.

	<i>per 10</i>	<i>100</i>
1868 1c	\$ 2.10	\$
" 2c	.75	
" 3c rose	.10	.75
" 10c	2.10	
" 12c	3.75	
" 15c	2.00	
1869 1c	2.00	
" 2c	.45	4.25
" 3c	.12	1.10
" 6c	3.15	
" 10c	3.75	
" 12c	4.00	
" 15c	9.00	
1870 1c embossed	1.00	
" 2c "	.50	
" 3c "	.10	.75
1872 1c blue	.05	.20
" 2c brown	.08	.50
" 3c green	.05	.10
" 6c pink	.10	.75
" 6c cochineal red	.35	3.25
" 7c vermilion	2.50	
" 10c brown	.08	.55
" 12c dark purple	1.50	
" 15c orange	.25	2.40
" 24c purple	4.25	

Embossed on back.

	per 10	100
1872 30c black	\$.60	\$ 5.50
" 90c carmine	2.25	
1875 2c vermilion	.05	.35
" 5c blue (Taylor)	.15	1.40
1882 1c blue re-engraved	.05	.10
" 3c green	.05	.10
" 5c brown (Garfield)	.08	.55
" 6c red re-engraved	.40	3.50
" 10c brown	.08	.55
1883 2c claret	.05	.10
" 4c green	.10	.75
1887 2c green	.05	.10
" 3c vermilion	.50	4.50
" 1c blue	.05	.10
" 4c carmine	.30	2.60
1888 5c blue..	.08	.60
" 30c brown	2.75	
" 90c purple	5.00	
1890 1c blue	.05	.10
" 2c carmine	.05	.10
" 3c purple	.10	.75
" 4c brown	.05	.30
" 5c chocolate	.05	.35
" 6c red-brown	.35	3.25
" 10c green	.05	.25
" 15c blue	.45	4.25
" 30c black	.40	3.70
" 90c orange	3.50	

Columbian issue.

1893 1c	.05	.25
" 2c	.05	.10
" 3c	.25	2.10
" 4c	.15	1.45
" 5c	.15	1.75
" 6c	.50	4.25
" 8c	.50	4.75
" 8c (small)	.55	5.25
" 10c	.25	2.10
" 15c	1.15	
" 30c	2.40	
" 50c	4.75	
" \$1.00	11.00	
" 2.00	22.00	
" 3.00	33.00	
" 4.00	44.00	
" 5.00	55.00	

SPECIAL DELIVERY.

1885 10c blue	50c	4.50
1888 10c blue	.25	2.25
1893 10c orange	50c	4.50

UNPAID DUE STAMPS.

	per 10	100
1879, 1c red-brown	\$.10	\$.75
" 2c "	.10	.75
" 3c "	.15	1.25
" 5c "	.20	1.75
" 10c "	.15	1.25
" 30c "	2.00	
" 50c "	2.50	
1891 1c claret	.05	.25
" 2c "	.05	.25
" 3c "	.15	1.25
" 5c "	.15	1.25
" 10c "	.15	1.50
" 30c "	1.75	
" 50c "	2.25	
1893 1c bright claret	.05	.15
" 2c "	.05	.15
" 3c "	.25	2.00
" 5c "	.15	1.10
" 10c "	.15	1.10

DEPARTMENT STAMPS.

Agriculture 3c straw	.85	
" 6c "	3.10	
Interior 1c vermilion	.85	
" 2c "	.15	1.40
" 3c "	.10	.90
" 6c "	.35	3.00
Post Office 3c black	.10	.85
" 6c "	.40	
Treasury 1c brown	.55	
" 2c "	.35	
" 3c "	.12	1.10
" 6c "	.35	
" 10c "	.65	
" 12c "	.65	
" 15c "	.70	
" 30c "	.95	
War, 1c red	.25	
" 2c red	.25	
" 3c red	.10	.65
" 6c red	.25	
" 10c red	.85	
" 12c red	.65	
" 15c red	.60	
" 30c red	1.00	

OFFICIAL SEALS.

1885 brown, (engraved)	.75	
1888 brown, (lithographed)	.20	1.50
1889 black, rouletted	.15	1.25
1891 brown	.20	1.50

NEWSPAPER STAMPS.

	per 10	100
1875 2c black	\$.85	\$
" 3c "	4.59	
" 4c "	1.50	
" 6c "	1.65	
1885 1c "	1.25	

ENVELOPES—cut square.

1853-55 3c red, white p	.20	1.75
" " 3c red, buff p	.15	1.25
1860 3c red white and buff p	1.50	
1861 3c red "	.50	
1864 2c black	.75	
" 3c pink, white p	.15	1.25
" 3c pink, buff p	.20	1.75
1870 1c blue, different p	.90	
" 2c brown, "	.15	1.25
" 3c green, white p	.10	.50
" 3c green, amber p	.10	.50
" 3c green, different p	.15	1.25
1874-82 1c blue, white p	.50	
" 1c blue, amber p	.50	
" 1c blue, cream p	.50	
" 1c blue, different p	.50	
" 2c brown, different p	1.10	
" 2c vermilion "	.20	
" 3c green, white p	.05	.25
" 3c green, amber p	.15	1.25
" 3c green, cream p	.20	1.75
" 3c green, different p	.10	.90
" 3c red, (centennial)	1.75	
" 3c green, "	1.00	
" 5c blue, different p	2.50	
" 6c carmine, "	3.25	
1883, 2c red, different p	.40	
" 2c red, (4 lines) diff. p	.15	1.25
" 4c green, different p	.80	
1884 2c brown, "	.15	1.25
1887 1c blue, white p	.05	.35
" 1c blue, manilla p	.05	.25
" 1c blue, different p	.05	.20
" 2c green, white p	.05	.10
" 2c green, amber p	.05	.25
" 2c green, different p	.05	.20
" 4c carmine, "	.35	3.25
" 5c blue different p	.35	3.40
1893, 1c blue, (Columbian)	.15	1.25
" 2c lilac, "	.10	1.00
" 5c chocolate "	.50	
" 10c brown "	1.00	
War, 3c red, blue p	.50	
War, 3c red, different p	.75	
Post Office, 2c black	.35	

ENVELOPES—cut square.

	per 10	100
Post Office, 3c black	\$.15	\$
" 6c black	.20	

Postal Cards.

1st and 2nd issue, entire	.25	2.25
3rd issue, (Jefferson), entire	.15	1.25
Mixed, 1st to last, entire	.10	.75

SETS.

	10 SETS	100
1847 5, 10c	25.00	
1851 1, 3, 10c	5.50	55.00
" 1, 3, 10, 12c	14.50	

Perforated.

1856-7 1, 3, 10c	2.75	25.00
" 1, 1c (var.), 3, 3c (var)	4.00	35.00
" 1, 3, 10, 12c	6.00	
" 1, 1c (var.), 3, 3c (var)		
10, 12c	9.50	
1861 1, 5, 10c	2.60	25.00
" 1, 3c (pink), 5, 10c	12.60	125.00
" 1, 5, 10, 12, 24, 30c	9.50	
" 1, 3c (pink), 5, 10, 12,		
24, 30c	19.50	
1863 2, 3c	.25	2.30
1863-6 2, 3, 15, 24c	4.75	

Embossed.

1868 1, 2, 3c	2.90	29.00
" 1, 2, 3, 10, 12c	8.75	
" 1, 2, 3, 10, 12, 15c	10.75	
1869 1, 2, 3c	2.50	25.00
" 1, 2, 3, 6c	5.00	50.00
" 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12c	12.75	
" 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12, 15, 30c	37.00	
1870 1, 2, 3c	1.50	15.00

Same, Without Embossing.

1872 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 15c	.50	4.00
" 1, 2, 3, 6, 6c (var.), 7,		
10, 15, 30, 90c	6.50	63.00
1872 complete, 1c to 90c, (12 stamps in set)	12.00	
1875 2, 5c (Taylor)	.20	1.75
1882 1, 3, 5, 10c	.20	1.25
" 1, 3, 5, 6, 10c	.50	4.60
1883 2, 4c	.15	.75
1887-8 1, 2, 3, 4c	.75	7.50
" 1, 2, 3, 4, 30, 90c	8.50	
1890 1, 2, 4, 5, 10c	.15	1.00

SETS.

	10 SETS	100
1890, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10c	\$.60	\$ 5.75
" 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 15, 30c	1.40	13.00
" complete, 1c to 90c (10 stamps)	4.90	

Columbian Issue.

1893, 1, 2, 4, 5, 10c	.75	5.65
" 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 10c	1.00	7.75
" 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10c	2.00	16.50
" 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 8c [small], 10c	2.50	21.00
" 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 15c	3.15	30.00
" same including both 8c	3.60	35.00
" 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 8c [small], 10, 15, 30c	7.00	
" 1c to \$5.00 (complete 17 stamps to set)	165.00	

Special Delivery.

1885-93 3 varieties	1.15	11.00
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Unpaid Due Stamps.

1879 1, 2, 3, 5, 10c	.65	5.75
" 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 30, 50c	5.10	
1891 1, 2, 3, 5, 10c	.50	4.50
" 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 30, 50c	4.50	
1893 1, 2, 5, 10c	.35	2.50

Departments.

Agriculture, 1, 2, 3, 6c	12.50	
Interior, 1, 2, 3, 6c	2.00	18.00
" 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12, 15, 24, 30c	18.00	
Justice, 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12c	26.00	
Navy, 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12c	25.00	
Post Office, 1, 2, 3, 6c	4.25	
" 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12, 15, 24, 30c	25.00	
State, 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 10c	23.00	
Treasury, 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12, 15, 30, 90c	7.00	
War, 1, 2, 3, 6c	.75	7.25
" 1, 2, 3, 6, 10, 12, 15, 24, 30, 90c	10.00	

Officials Seals.

1885-91 4 varieties	1.25	12.00
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Newspaper.

1875 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 10c	14.00	
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Envelopes.

	10 SETS	100
1853-64 7 varieties	\$ 4.25	\$40.00
1870 7 "	1.30	12.00
" 10 "	2.10	20.00
1874-82 15 "	2.50	21.00
" 25 "	7.00	
1883-84 19 "	1.25	12.50
1887 15 "	3.00	30.00
" 25 "	8.00	

Columbian.

1893 1, 2c	.25	2.00
" 1, 2, 5, 10c	2.00	20.00
" postal cards, 10 var.	10.00	100.00

NOTE:—Most all sets contain both used and unused stamps.

It is advisable always to send a supplementary order, as it is impossible to keep everything in stock.

Stamp Hinges.

Gummed Stamp Hinges, best quality in envelopes of 1000.

Per 10,000	.65
Per 50,000	3.00
Per 100,000	5.75

Approval Sheets.

Blank Approval Sheets, on linen paper ruled.

Per 50	.25
Per 100	.45
Per 500	2.00
Per 1000	3.50

U. S. REVENUES. — Document stamps.

	PER 10	100
1c and 2c mixed	\$.10	\$.75
3, 4, and 5c	.10	.75
6c to 20c	.15	1.25
25c to 50c	.15	1.25
60c to \$1.00	.20	1.75
\$1.30 to 2.00	.25	2.50
2.50 to 5.00	.50	

MIXED U. S.

	PER 10	100
1851-63 1, 2, 3c	\$.25	\$ 2.25
1868-70 1, 2, 3c	.50	
1872-90 1, 2, 3c	.10	.40
" 4, 5, 10c	.25	2.25
" 12, to 90c	1.50	
Envelopes, 1853-70 2, 3c	.75	7.00
" 1872-90 2, to 4c	.35	3.00

STAMPS BY THE 1,000.

	per 1000	5000
1851 3c red	7.00	33.00
1856 3c red	4.75	23.25
1863 3c rose	3.75	18.25
1868 3c " grilled	7.00	33.00
1869 3c blue	10.00	
1872 1c blue	1.50	7.25
" 2c brown	4.65	
" 3c green	.40	1.75
" 6c pink	7.25	
" 10c brown	5.25	21.00
1875 2c vermilion	3.15	15.00
" 5c blue (Taylor)	10.25	
1882 1c blue re-eng.	.75	3.25
" 3c green "	.65	3.00
" 5c brown (Garfield)	5.25	
" 10c brown re-eng.	5.00	23.00
1883 2c claret	.50	2.25
" 4c green	7.25	
1887 2c "	.40	1.75
" 1c blue	.75	3.25
1888 4c carmine	25.00	
1890 1c blue	2.00	8.00
" 2c carmine	.25	1.00

	per 1000	5000
1890 3c purple	7.25	
" 4c brown	2.25	10.00
" 5c chocolate	3.25	15.50
" 10c green	2.00	8.50
1893 1c	2.20	
" 2c	.75	4.00
" 3c	21.00	
" 4c	4.00	
" 5c	17.25	
" 10c	21.00	

Postage due.

1879 1c	7.00
" 2c	6.50
" 3c	12.00
1891 1c	3.25
" 2c	3.00
" 3c	8.25
1893 1c	3.75
" 2c	3.25
" 3c	30.00
" 5c	20.00
" 10c	18.00

SPECIAL.

	per 1,000	5,000
UNITED STATES, ass't		
1851-63 1 to 3c	\$ 4.00	\$ 18.00
1868-78 1 to 10c	6.00	25.08
1878-93 1 to 10c	3.00	12.00

	per 1,000	5,000
ENVELOPES, ass't		
1853-93 1c to 6c, cut square and bunched	\$ 7.00	\$ 32.00

PACKETS

OF

**Used United States
STAMPS.**

PER 10 100

Packet A. Contains 25 varieties of U. S. Adhesives. All different \$2.50 \$24.00

Packet B. Contains 30 varieties of U. S. Adhesives. Entirely different from packet A \$5.00 \$45.00

Packet C. Contains 50 varieties of U. S. Adhesives. All different \$5.00 \$45.00

Packet D. Contains 50 varieties of U. S. Adhesives. Entirely different from packet C. \$10.00 \$95.00

Packet E. Contains 100 varieties of U. S. Adhesives. All different \$50.00 \$500.00

Packet F. Contains 125 varieties of U. S. Adhesives. All different \$100.00

PACKETS

OF

**U. S. Envelopes and
REVENUES.**

PER 10 100

Packet G. Contains 25 varieties of U. S. Envelopes all different \$2.50 \$24.00

Packet H. Contains 25 varieties of U. S. envelopes entirely different from packet G. \$5.00 \$45.00

Packet I. Contains 50 varieties of U. S. envelopes all different \$18.00 \$175.00

Packet J. Contains 25 varieties of U. S. Revenue Stamps all different \$2.50 \$24.00

Packet K. Contains 50 varieties of U. S. Revenue Stamps all different \$7.50 \$70.00

Packet L. Contains 100 varieties of U. S. Revenue Stamps all different \$18.00 \$175.00

UNITED STATES BY THE 1,000,000.

U. S., ass't and bunched.	per 100,000		1,000,000	ENVELOPES, ass't	per 10,000			50,000	100,000
	1,	2,	3c		\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
1870-93	1,	2,	3c	\$ 35.00	\$ 300.00	\$ 6.50	\$ 30.00	\$ 55.00	

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U. S. CONTINENTALS.

well assorted.

Per 10,000	\$ 3.50
Per 25,000	8.00
Per 50,000	15.00
Per 100,000	29.00
Per 500,000	125.00

Express or Postage at cost of purchaser.

These are all U. S. stamps and for the convenience of my customers, they are all neatly put up in envelopes of 1000 each, the advantage of which can be readily seen.

FOREIGN CONTINENTALS.

Per 1,000	\$.35
Per 10,000	2.50
Per 25,000	7.00
Per 50,000	13.50
Per 100,000	25.00

Express or Postage at cost of purchaser.

These are all well mixed and just as I received them in exchange. And a better lot could not be had for the money. Put up in envelopes of 1000.

Confederate States. STAMPS WANTED

General issue.

	<i>per 10</i>	<i>100</i>
1861 5c green	\$ 2.50	\$
“ 5c dark green	2.50	
“ 10c blue	6.50	
“ 5c blue	3.00	
“ 5c dark blue	3.00	
“ 10c rose	20.00	
1862 5c blue .....	.25	1.75
“ 5c pale blue .....	.50	3.50
“ 5c lithographed .....	.50	3.50
1863 2c rose	10.00	
“ 10c blue .....	.25	1.75
“ 10c pale blue .....	.75	7.00
“ 20c green	10.00	

Mixed Confederate Stamps.

Per 10	\$.50
Per 100	4.50
Per 1000	35.00

For Cash Or Exchange.

I am willing at all times to exchange with dealers for U.S. stamps. If you have a large lot of Mixed stamps you wish to dispose of it will pay you to trade them off for something that will sell.

I will also pay the best prices for rare U. S. stamps, any quantity taken. No torn stamps wanted at any price.

ADDRESS

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