# A COMPARITIVE LIST OF THE STAMPED PAPER OF THE UNITED STATES.

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### CIVIL WAR PERIOD.

In presenting this list of the stamped paper of the Civil War period I have taken the list published in 1888 by Mr. E. B. Sterling of Trenton, N. J., as the foundation of the present work. This list, for many years the standard pioneer work on this branch of United States fiscal philately, has become incomplete owing to the many discoveries since its owing to the many discoveries since its date of publication. I have classified my list according to the system used by Mr. Sterling, and have used the descriptions given by him of all types listed in his 1888 catalogue, with such alterations and additions as were necessary. In numbering my list, the first column headed "H"are Henkels' numbers, the second column headed "S" are Sterling's numbers. My intention in making this list comparative is to facilitate collectors in re-arranging, who have previously arranged their collections according to Sterling's list. It is my wish to give Mr. Sterling full credit for all matter used from his catalogue in compiling my list, and also to extend my thanks to him for his courtesy in granting me his full permission.

It has been necessary to make one radical change in Mr. Sterling's list, in the case of "C" variety, 1, which I have placed in my list as "H" variety, 1. Upon ample proof and reasoning it has been decided that this type was not printed by the American Phototype Co. printed by the American Phototype Co. of New York but by Jos. R. Carpenter of Philadelphia, Pa., thereby necessitating its change from the New York series to the Philadelphia series. I have also omitted the listing of the Tom Thumb or vest pocket size checks from the order in which Mr. Sterling had them listed as "E" variety, 1a, and have made a separate list of them which will be found immediately after the list of stamped paper of the Spanish American war period.

period.

It is my wish to make this list as complete as possible, therefore I would greatly appreciate it, if collectors having varieties that I have not listed would kindly send them for my inspection. Address A. F. Henkels, 1417 N. Bouvier St., Philadelphia, Pa

### CIVIL WAR PERIOD. New York Series, 1866.

Printed by American Phototype Co.,

Printed by American Phototype Co., New York.

Henkels "A" variety, 1; Sterling "A" variety, 1. 2c rectangular stamp. Large "2" in centre; at left, "Internal"; at right, "Revenue"; at top, "Two"; at base, "Cents"; in upper corners, "U. S."; in lower corners, "2" "2". Fancy scroll work around frame. Size 22x25, used on receipts etc. on white and blue paper. receipts, etc., on white and blue paper.

Η,	S.	Color.	Paper.	Locat	ion (	ofstamp	
1 2 3 4 5	1	2c black	White	Lower		ht corne	r
2	2	20			left		
3	3	2c "	Blue	64	+4	centr	e
4	4	2c "	**	8.6	righ	at	
5	5	2c "	**	Upper	left	corner	
	6	2c "	White	11	**	**	
7	7	2c "	**	64	righ		
6 7 8	9	2c blue	44	Lower	left	centre	
9	10	2c carmine	**	Upper	8.6	corner	
10	11	2c lemon	**	Lower	6.6	centre	
11	12	2c lilac	**	+4	**	**	
12	13	2c orange	44	66.	**	44	
13	14	2c deep orang	e **	**	**	- 64	
14	15	2c pearl	**	**	44	44	
15	16	2c purple	**		**		

Henkels "A" variety, 2; Sterling "A" variety, 2. Same design. Stamp on obverse and reverse, both sides alike. Size 22x25, used on receipts, etc.; on white paper.

H. 16 S. 17 2c black (page from receipt book). New York Series, 1867

Henkels "A" variety, 3; Sterling "A" variety, 3. Same design. Stamp re-

peated, showing value "2 Cents 2" fiftyseven or more times in one continuous string. Tape worm stamp or Specie string. clerk statement. Size 22x445 or more, on white paper.

H. 17 S. 18 2c deep orange.

#### New York Series, 1866.

Henkels "B" variety, 1; Sterling "B" Henkels "B" variety, 1; Sterling "B" variety, 1. Rectangular, printed in oval frame. Within centre, eagle at bay; oval band with "Internal Revenue"; above, "U.S."; at base of eagle, straight band, "Two Cents"; below, large "2". Fancy scroll work around stamp. Colored lozenge shaped tablet, 29x4 mm., inscribed "Good when issued for the payment of "Good when issued for the payment of money." Also same design and stamp on reverse of receipt. Size 32x52 mm., white paper.

H.18 S 19 2c orange (page from receipt book). Henkels "B" variety, 2; Sterling "B" variety, 2. Same design as "B" variety, 1. Single stamp with lonenge shaped tablet at base, "Good when issued for the payment of money" on receipt; size 29x4 mm. Size of stamp, including tab-

let, 32x52, on white paper.

H-19 S.20 2c lemon. H-20 S 21 2c orange. H-21 S 22 2c deep orange.

Henkels "B" variety, 3. Same design as "B" variety, 1, with legend "Good when issued for the payment of money" at base of stamp in words instead of tablet, on white and fancy colored paper. H. 22 2c orange H. 23 3c deep orange.

Henkels "B" variety, 4; Sterling "B" variety, 3. Same design as "B" variety, 2, with rectangular, colored tablet, 29x4 mm., inscribed "Good only for checks and drafts payable at sight." Size of stamp, including tablet, 32x52, on white paper. H\_24 S\_23 2c orange. H\_25 S\_24 2c deep orange.

Henkels "B" variety, 5; Sterling "B" variety, 4. Same design as "B" variety, 1, with lozenge shaped, colored tablet below stamp on check, larger letters than in other tablets, inscribed "Good only for checks and drafts payable at sight." Size 34x5, on white paper.

H. 26 S. 25 2c orange.

Henkels "B" variety, 6. Same as "B" variety, 5, with tablet "Good only for checks and drafts payable at sight" inverted, on white paper.

H.27 2c orange.

Henkels "B" variety, 7. Same design as "B" variety, 1, with lozenge shaped, colored tablet below stamp, inscribed "Good when the amount does not exceed \$100" on certificate of deposit. Size of tablet, 28x4.

H.28 2c orange.

Henkels "B" variety, 8; Sterling "B" variety, 5. Same design as "B" variety, 1, single stamp without tablets, on white and various patent surface colored papers.

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H.	S.			
29	26	2c black. Stan	np at	right.
30	27	2c "	+ 4	left.
31	28	2c intense bl'k.	4.4	right,
32	29	2c "	6 6	left
33	30	2c blue.	4.6	right.
34	31	2c "	4.6	left.
35	32	2c indigo blue.	64	right.
36	33	2c "	6.6	left.
37	34	2c brown.	4.4	right.
38	35	2c "	**	left.
39	36	2c bronze.	44	right.
40		2c "	8.6	centre.
41	37	2c light brown.	4.6	centre.
42	38	2c carmine.	64	right.
43	39	2c "	1.6	left
44	40	2c "	2.5	centre.
45	41	2c green.	6.6	right.
46	42	2c "	4.6	left
47	43	2c "	4.6	centre.
48	44	2c deep green.	4.6	right.
49	45	2c "	14	left.
50	48	20 44	44	centre

51	47	2c olive gr'n. St'	o at	centre.	
52		2c ""	4 6	right.	
53	48	2c gold.	6.6	right.	
54	49	2c "	**	left.	
55	50	2c "	4.6	centre.	
5G	51	2c lake.	16	right.	
57	52	2c "	6.6	left.	
58	63	2c lemon.	64	centre.	
59	54	2c "	64	right.	
60		2c buff.	6.6	right.	
61	65	2c orange.	4.6	right.	
62	56	2c "	46	left.	
63	67	2c "	44	centre.	
64	58	2c deep orange.	1.	right.	
65	59	2c "	44	left.	
66	60	2c "	45	centre.	
67	61	2c pink.	46	centre.	
68	62	2c purple.	6.6	right.	
69	63	2c "	8.6	left.	
70	64	2c "	4.6	centre.	
71	65	2c puce.	64	right.	
72	66	2c "	4.6	left	
73	67	2c red.	64	right.	
74	68	2c "	44	left.	
76	69	2c slate.	6.6	right.	
76	70	2c violet,	46	right.	
77	71	2c ''	**	left_	
78	72	2c "	44	centre.	
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Henkels "B" variety, 0. Same as "B" variety, 8, with 10 centime stamp of France impressed in blue at right hand end of draft the U.S. Personnels. end of draft, the U.S. Revenue stamp is overprinted with the word "Check" in red, reading upwards, on surface colored' paper.

H. 79 2c orange.

New York Series, 1865. Henkels "B" variety, 10; Sterling "B" variety, 6. Same design as "B" variety, 5, but with extra stamp on reverse of receipt. Without tablet. Size 32x42, on white paper.

H. 80 S. 73 2c orange (page from receipt book).
H. 81 S. 74 2c deep or ge "Henkels "B" variety, 11; Sterling "B" variety, 7. Same design as "B" variety, 8, with card of American Phototype Co., conveying same in oblong frame. Size 58x43. At upper left of billhead. Fancy corners to frame, and printed in brown and purple.

"This Company, under contract with the Internal Revenue Department,

Prints Revenue Stamps

on the following vouchers, viz: Checks, Bills of Exchange, Drafts, Bills of Lading, Bills of Sale, Certificates, Bankers'
Notes, Original Process, Pawners'
Checks, Passage Tickets, Powers of
Attorney, Proxies, Protests, Warehouse
Receipts, Weighers Returns, Satisfactions of Judgments, Sheriffs Returns,
Receipts for Money or Property Sea" Receipts for Money or Property, &c.' on white paper.

H. 82 S. 75 2c orange. H. 83 S. 76 2c purple.

Henkels "B" variety, 12; Sterling "B" variety, 8. Same design as "B" variety, 5, with words in band below eagle. "Sample" in place of "two", on white paper.

H. 84 S. 77 2c deep orange (Lith.) stp. in centre.
H. 85 S 78 2c orange "" at left.
H. 86 S. 79 2c " (Eng.) " in centre.
H. 87 S. 80 2c " (Eng.) " in centre.
H. 88 S. 81 2c deep orange "" "

# New York Series, 1870.

Henkels "C" variety, 1; Sterling "D" variety, 1. Very large oblong stamp, Medallion head of Washington in centre, facing left; circular band inscribed "United States Internal Revenue"; at right and left, engraved bands supporting oval medal, bearing words "Two cents"; at top, "two, two (2) two, two"; at base, "2". Size 110x50, on white and various colored fancy papers.

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H. 89 S. 83 2c brown.
H. 90 2c light brown.
H. 91 S. 84 2c bronze.
H. 92 S. 85 2c buff
H. 93 S. 86 2c crimson.
H. 94 S. 87 2c lemon
H. 95 S. 89 2c deep orange.
H. 97 S. 90 2c pink
H. 98 2c salmon.
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There is also an oddity of No. 96. Check diagonally folded accidentally in printing, so that part of the stamp is printed on the obverse and part on the

reverse of the check.

Henkels "C" variety, 2; Sterling "D" variety, 2. Same as preceding stamp, "C" variety, 1, with the addition of two lines at lower right of stamp, on document, size 57x5 mm. "Good only for sight draft.", on white paper.

H. 99 S. 91 2c lemon. H. 100 S. 92 2c orange. H. 101 S. 93 2c deep orange

Henkels "C" variety, 3; Sterling "D" variety, 3. Same as preceding stamp, "C" variety, 2, with the clause at lower left of stamp, on document, size 27x5 mm., "Good only for Sight Draft.", on white and fancy colored papers.

H. 102 S. 94 2c brown. H. 103 S. 95 2c buff. H. 104 S. 96 2c orange. H. 105 S. 97 2c deep orange.

Henkels "C" variety, 4; Sterling "I)" variety, 4. Same as preceding stamp, "C" variety, 1, with the following inscription in two lines at lower left of stamp on document, size 29x5 mm., "Good only for Receipt of Money Paid", on white paper.

H. 106 S. 98 2c orange. H. 107 S. 99 2c deep orange. Henkels "C" variety, 5; Sterling "D" variety, 5. Same design as preceding stamp "C" variety, 1, with the following inscription at base of stamp in single line on document, size 55x1 mm., "Good when issued for the payment of Money.", on white paper.

H. 108 S. 100 2c orange.

Henkels "C" variety, 6; Sterling "D" variety, 6. Same design as preceding stamp, "C" variety, 1, with stamp and colored tablet impressed on both sides of document and the following inscription, "Good when Issued for the" at left and "payment of Money" at right, on white paper.

H. 109 S. 101 2c orange(page from receipt book). Henkels "C" variety, 7. Same design preceding stamp "C" variety, 1, with lozenge shaped tablet at lower right of stamp, inscribed "Good when the amount does not exceed \$100." Size of tablet 28x4 mm.

H. 110 2c orange.

Henkels "C" variety, 8; Sterling "D" variety, 7. Same design as preceding stamp, "C" variety, 1, with the addition of a straight band across lower portion of stamp, size 71x5 mm., reading "Good only for Bank Check." Size of stamp 110x50, on white paper.

H. 111 S. 102 2c orange.

Henkels "C" variety, 9; Sterling "D" variety, 8. Same design as preceding stamp, "C" variety, 1, with band divided in three sections across lower portion of stamp, inscribed "Good" at left of circle, "only for Bank" in centre, "Check" at right. Size 71x5 mm. Size of stamp 110x50, on white paper.

H. 112 S. 103 2c orange. H. 113 2c deep orange. H. 114 2c buff.

Henkels "C" variety, 10. Same as pre-ceding stamp, "C" variety, 9, with 2c Nevada State Revenue stamp impressed in very deep orange color over upper centre of check stamp, covering face of Washington, on white paper.

H. 115 2c orange, and deep orange. Henkels "C" variety, 11. Sterling "D" variety, 9. Same design as preceding

stamp, "C" variety, 10, with the following addition in lower center of medallion head, the word, in large white letters, "Sample"; at base of stamp, on check, the words "Invalid for Actual Use." Size 53x1 mm., on white paper.

H. 116 S. 104 2c orange.

New York Series, 1872

Henkels "D" variety, 1: Sterling "E" variety, 1. Head of Franklin to left in centre, surmounted by oblong band, with words, "United States Internal Revenue"; above, "2"; below, "2"; at right and left, circular balls with words, "Two Cents". Size 80x43 mm., oblong, on various plain and fancy colored papers.

H. 117 S. 105 2c brown. H. 118 S. 106 2c buff. H. 119 S. 107 2c lemon. H. 120 S. 108 2c orange. H. 121 S. 109 2c deep orange.

Henkels "D" variety, 2; Sterling "E" variety, 2. Same design as "D" variety, 1, with the additions in circles at left and right of centre, tablets inscribed "Good only for" at left, "Bank Check" at right. Size of each tablet 18x5 mm. Size of stamp, 80x43 mm.

H. 122 S. 113 2c orange.

Henkels "D" variety, 3; Sterling "E" variety, 3. Same design as "D" variety, 1, with the addition of words at lower left of stamp, in two lines, on document, size 19x3 mm., "Good only for sight draft.", on white paper. H. 123 S. 114 2c orange.

Henkels "D" variety, 4; Sterling "E" variety, 4. Same design as "D" variety, 1, with words in centre of each circle at sides "Sample", "Sample", size 16x3 mm.; and in one line at lower left and right of stamp, on document, "Invalid for" at left, "Actual Use." at right. Size 19x2 mm, on white paper.

H. 124 S. 115 2c orange.

Henkels "D" variety, 5. Same as "D" variety, 4, with words in centre of each circle at sides, "Sample", "Sample", and in double line at both lower right and left of stamp, "Invalid for actual use." above stamp in curved line 105x4 mm., "Specimen From American Phototype Co."; below curved line at left,"24 Vesey S't"; at right, "New York" in small letters, on white paper. H. 125 2c orange.

Henkels "D" variety, 6; Sterling "E" variety, 5. Same as "D" variety, 1. Stamp impressed twice on check, showing portions of each at upper and lower part of check, on white paper.

H. 126 S. 116

Henkels "E" variety, 1; Sterling "F" variety, 1. Head of Franklin to left, in centre; oval bands surrounding inscribed "United States Internal Revenue"; at top and base, half disk, with words "two cents" and in corners "2". Shape, rectangular. Size 28x50 mm., on white, and various fancy colored papers.

H. 127 S. 117 2c bronze. H. 128 S. 118 2c buff. H. 129 S. 119 2c lemon. H. 130 S. 120 2c orange. H. 131 S. 121 2c deep orange.

Henkels "E" variety, 2; Sterling "F" variety, 2. Same design as preceding stamp, "E" variety, 1, with words at base, on check, in two lines, 22x4 mm., "Good only for sight draft.", on white paper. H 132 S. 122 2c orange.

Henkels "E" variety, 3. Same design as "E" variety, 1, with words in colorless letters at base of top half disk, "Good only for"; at top of lower half disk, "Bank Check." Size of stamp 28x50 mm., on white paper. H. 133 2c deep orange.

Henkels "E" variety, 4; Sterling "F" variety, 3. Same design as preceding stamp, "E" variety, 1, with the addition of "Sample", in large letters, on stamp under the oval, and above, "Two Cents"; space of letters, 20x3 mm.; and below on check, in two lines, "Invalid for actual use", 27x4 mm. Size of stamp and inscription, 28x55 mm.

H. 134 S. 123 2c orange.

#### New York Series, 1875.

Henkels "F" variety, 1; Sterling "G" variety, 1. Bust of Franklin to left in circle; above, in oval band, "United States"; below, "Internal Revenue"; at right and left sides, in circle, "2"; above, "two"; below, "cents". Oblong, rectangular stamp. Size 52x35 mm., on white and various fancy colored papers; also blank sheets.

H. 135 S. 124 2c buff. H. 136 S 125 2c orange. H. 137 S. 126 2c deep orange.

Henkels "F" variety, 2; Sterling "G" variety, 2. Same design as preceding stamp, "F" variety, 1, with the exception of being struck in centre of stamp. impressed between the stub and check, and is upside down. Size 52x35 mm., on white paper.

H. 138 S. 127 2c orange.

Henkels "F" variety, 3; Sterling "G" variety, 3. Design same as preceding stamp, "F" variety, 1, with straight band at lower centre inscribed "Sample", in large letters; below on check, in single line, "Invalid for Actual Use"; size of inscription 43x3 mm., on white paper. H. 139 S. 128 2c orange.

Printed by American Graphic Co., N. Y. Henkels "G" variety, 1; Sterling "H" variety, 1. Head of Liberty at right, in oval frame. Band inscribed "two cents" at left and right; above and below in circle, "2". Diamond-shaped band above inscribed "United States"; below, "Internal Revenue". Size 82x48 mm. Oblong diamond shaped, on white and various fancy colored papers, with imprint of American Graphic Co., New York, below words "Internal Revenue" on checks. Impressed on face of check, in centre.

H. 140 S. 129 2c orange.

Henkels "G" variety, 2; Sterling "H" variety, 2. Same design as preceding stamp, "G" variety, 1, without the imprint. Size 82x48 mm., on white and various fancy colored papers. Stamp impressed at left, in centre, and also on reverse of check reverse of check.

H. 141 S 130 2c orange, stamp on reverse. H. 142 S. 131 2c " " obverse. H. 143 S. 132 2c " " at left.

Henkels "G" variety, 3. Same as "G" variety, 2, with "stamp redeemed" impressed in red, vertically, on face of stamp, on obverse and reverse of check. H. 144 2c orange, on obverse. H. 145 2c "reverse.

Henkels "G" variety, 4; Sterling "H" variety, 3 Same design as preceding stamp, "G" variety, 2, with the addition of the words, in curved letters, under head of "Liberty, "Sample", and below stamp, on check, in straight line, "Invalid for Actual Use." Size of line 48x2½ mm., on white and fancy checks

H. 146 S. 134 2c orange.

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Philadelphia Series, 1869.

Printed by Jos. R. Carpenter, Philadelphia, Pa.

Henkels "H" variety, 1; Sterling "C" uniety, 1. Design of the adhesive stamp. variety,1. Design of the adhesive stamp. Head of Washington in centre; at top, "U. S. Inter. Rev."; at base, "U. S. Inter. Rev."; at left side, "Two"; at right side, "Cents"; above and below, in circle, "2" at corners. Size 19x24 mm., rectangular on white paper.

H. 147 S. 82 2c deep orange.

Henkels "H" variety, 2. Same design as "H" variety 1, with "Bank Check" at base, instead of "U. S. Inter. Rev." on white paper.

H. 148 2c orange. H. 149 2c red orange.

Henkels "I" variety, 1; Sterling "I" variety, 1. Flying eagle, facing right, in centre of circular band; size 28x28 mm.; inscribed "United States Internal Revenue. Two cents" Small circle at top, "2"; at base, "2". Fancy engraved work at top and base of stamp. Size of stamp 32x51 mm. on white and fancy colored papers.

H. 160 S. 135 2c bronze. H. 151 S. 136 2c buff. H. 152 S. 137 2c orange. H. 153 S. 138 2c deep orange.

Henkels "I" variety, 2; Sterling "I" variety, 2. Same design as preceding stamp, "I" variety, 1, with the addition, at left and right of stamp on check, as follows, "Good for check or sight draft only." Size 32x51 mm., on white paper.

H. 154 S. 139 2c lake. H. 155 S. 140 2c orange H 156 S. 141 2c red.

Henkels "I" variety, 3. Same design as "I" variety, 1, but with impression of stamp inverted in centre of check, on white paper.

H. 157 2c orange.

Henkels "I" variety, 4. Same design as "I" variety, 1, with double impression of stamp in centre of check, on white

H. 158, 2c orange.

Henkels "I" variety, 5. Same design as "I" variety, 1, with double line inscription, "Good when used as a receipt—for the payment of money", 17 mm. below stamp, on white paper.

H. 159. 2c orange.

Henkels "I" variety, 6. Same design as "I" variety, 1, with single line inscription, "Good when used as a receipt for payment of money." in black, reading upwards, on left side of receipt 43 mm from stamp, on white paper. H. 160. 2c orange and black.

# Philadelphia Series, 1872.

Henkels "J" variety, 1; Sterling "J" variety, 1. Bust of Washington to right on curved oval; curved bands above and below. Inscribed, above, "Two cents"
"Two cents"; below, "United States
Internal Revenue"; and "2" in circle, at
ends Small shield at base of stamp. Size 102x40 mm., on white and fancy colored papers.

H. 161 2c brown.
H 162 S. 142 2c bronze.
H. 163 S. 143 2c buff.
H. 164 S. 144 2c lemon.
H 165 S. 145 2c orange.
H. 166 S. 146 2c deep orange.
H. 167 S. 147 2c red.
H. 168 "J" variety, 2; Sterling "J"
Variety 2 Design same as preceding

variety, 2. Design same as preceding stamp, "J" variety, 1, with the addition of the words, in curved letters, below stamp, on check, "Good for check or sight draft only. Size 102x40, on white paper.

H 169 S. 148 2c orange. H. 170 S. 149 2c red.

Henkels "K" variety, 1; Sterling "K" variety, 1. Head of Washington to left in central oval frame, inscribed "United States Internal Revenue"; oblong design; fine lathe work supporting at right and left ends oval design with words at top, "Two"; in centre, "2"; at base, "Cents". Size 84x33 mm., on white and various colored papers.

H. 171 S. 150 2c blue. H. 172 S. 151 2c bronze. H. 173 S. 152 2c buff. H. 174 S. 163 2c drab. H. 172 H 173 H 174 H. 175 H. 176 H. 177 H. 178 H. 179 H. 180 S 163 2c drab.
S. 164 2c gray.
S. 165 2c lemon.
S. 166 2c orange.
S. 167 2c deep orange.
S. 168 2c olive.
S. 169 2c pink.
S. 160 2c purple.
S. 161 2c violet. H. 180 H. 181 H. 182

#### Philadelphia Series, 1875.

Henkels "L" variety, 1; Sterling "L" variety, 1. Very small portrait of Washington to left in oval; at left, "U.S. Inter."; at right, "Revenue"; at base of stamp, in curved band, "Two cents"; at left and right centre, "2". Fancy scroll work surrounding stamp Size 50x 33 mm., on white and fancy colored

Papers.

H. 183 S. 162 2c blue,
H. 184 S. 163 2c dark blue.
H. 185 S. 164 2c buff.
H. 186 S. 165 2c bronze,
H. 187 S. 166 2c drab.
H. 188 S. 167 2c gray,
H. 189 S. 168 2c green,
H. 190 S. 169 2c dark green
H. 191 S. 170 2c orange
H. 192 S. 171 2c deep orang
H. 193 S. 172 2c olive.
H. 194 S. 173 2c pink.
H. 195 S. 174 2c pearl.
H. 196 S. 175 2c lemon.
H. 197 S. 176 2c red.
H. 198 S. 177 2c violet.

Lankals 'I'' variety. 2c green, 2c dark green. 2c orange 2c deep orange.

Henkels "L" variety, 2; Sterling "L" variety, 2. Same design as preceding stamp, "L" variety, 1. Perforations running through centre of stamp, left to right, on white paper. Oddity.

H. 199 S. 178 2c bronze.

# Boston Series, 1874.

Henkels "M" variety, 1; Sterling "M" variety, 1. Small head of Washington to left in circle; band inscribed "United States Internal Revenue"; at right and left, connecting circle with large "2" in centre, and words in bands above and below "Two cents". Size 69x32 mm., on white and fancy colored papers.

H. 200 S. 179 2c buff. H. 201 S. 180 2c orange. H. 202 S. 181 2c deep orange.

Henkels "N" variety, 1; Sterling "N" variety, 1. Oblong design. In centre, large figure "2" in oval, with words through centre, "Two cents"; oval band including same, inscribed "United States Internal Revenue": at left, spread eagle defending shield; beyond, "Two cents"; at right, monitor at sea; beyond, "Two cents". Size 105x42 mm., on white and green papers. Both on obverse and reverse of check.

H. 203 S 182 2c bronze. H. 204 S. 183 2c buff. H. 205 S 184 2c orange. H. 206 S. 185 2c deep orange.

#### St. Louis Series, 1874.

Printed by St. Louis Lithograph Co. Henkels "O" variety, 1; Sterling "O" variety, 1. Liberty head, flying hair, with pole and cap, in central oval; buckled band inscribed "United States Internal Revenue"; in centre of band, at left, "2"; at right, "2"; at sides circular design of two-cent piece; at left, obverse of coin, "In God we Trust—1874"; at right, reverse of coin, "States of America—2 cents"; beyond at ends, "Two 2 cents". Size 73x66 mm., on white and blue papers.

H. 207 S. 186 2c bronze H. 208 S. 187 2c buff.

#### SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR SERIES,

Printed by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Washington, D. C.

1c Value.

Henkels "P" variety, 1. Small head of Liberty to left in oval. Buckled band inscribed "United States Internal Revenue", intersected at right and left by small shaded circle containing "1"; at small shaded circle containing "1"; at right and left, circle with large "1" in centre, and words in bands above, "Documentary", below, "Stamp", on white and fancy colored papers.

The 1c value of this issue was used on Parlor and Sleeping Car tickets receipt

Parlor and Sleeping Car tickets, receipts for milk in cans, etc. In most instances on tickets half of the stamp appears on the passenger's check, the other half being on the stub retained by the con-

ductor.

H. 209 1c rose. H. 210 1c pink. H. 211 1c lemon. H. 212 1c orange. H. 213 1c deep orange. H. 214 1c green. H. 215 1c dark green.

#### 2c Value.

Henkels "Q" variety, 1. Small head of Liberty to left in oval; buckled band inscribed "United States Internal Revenies and left by nue", intersected at right and left by small shaded circle containing "2"; at small shaded circle containing "2"; at right and left, circle with large "2" in centre, and words in bands, above "Documentary", below "Stamp", on white and fancy colored papers. The 2c value was used for bank checks; the stamp is found printed in centre and at lower left end of check.

H. 216 2c buff. H. 217 2c lemon. H. 218 2c orange. H. 219 2c deep orange.

Henkels "Q" variety, 2. Same design as "Q" varieiy, 1, but the stamp has been redeemed and cancelled by round punch hole, on white and fancy colored paper.

H. 220 2c buff H. 221 2c lemon. H. 222 2c orange. H. 223 2c deep orange.

Henkels "Q" variety, 3. Same design s "O" variety, 1. Three impressions as "Q" variety, 1. Three impresof stamp on piece of manila paper. H. 224 2c orange.

# Tom Thumb Checks.

Tom Thumb or vest pocket checks, so named on account of their small size. They are found impressed with the following types of stamps, as per the foregoing list, on white and fancy colored papers.

"C" Variety, 1. 83 2c brown, 89 2c orange, 2c salmon, 106 2c buff, 108 109 121 126 2c deep orange,
131 2c orange,
2c orange,
175 2c lemon,
170 2c orange,
179 2c buff,
2c buff,
2c orange,
2c deep orange,
2c deep orange,
2c orange, 200 179 2c orange,

# Higher Values of Impressed Stamps.

In this section of my list I will tabulate the 5c, 10c, 25c, 50c and \$1.00 values of the stamped paper of the Civil War period. They are found impressed on insurance policies, stock certificates, etc.

1865.

Henkels "A" variety, 1; Sterling "A" variety, 1. Head of Lincoln, front view; lozenge shaped oval, "Internal Revenue", at top; "U. S.", above; at base, "Five Cents"; below, "5". Fancy scroll work surrounding stamp. Size 32x50mm, on white, blue and fancy colored documents.

H. 225 S 188 5c brown.
H. 227 S. 189 5c buff.
H. 228 S. 190 5c carmine.
H. 229 S. 191 5c lemon.
H. 230 S. 192 5c orange.
H. 231 S 193 6c red.

Henkels "A" variety, 2; Sterling "A" variety, 2. Same design as "A" variety, 1, with addition of the following:

5c. Stamp Бc.

on white paper. Size 32x50 mm. H. 232 S. 194 5c orange.

#### 1872.

Henkels "B" variety, 1; Sterling "B" variety, 1. Head of Madison to right, in oval; band inscribed "United States oval; band inscribed "Office States Internal Revenue"; fine lathe work; at top, "5 Five 5"; at base, "5 Cents 5"; rectangular. Size 28x57 mm., on white, blue and fancy colored papers.

H. 233 S. 195 5c orange. H. 234 S. 196 5c deep orange. H. 235 S. 197 5c puce brown.

Henkels "C" variety, 1; Sterling "C" variety, 1. Head of Lincoln, front view; lozenge shaped oval; "Internal Revenue", at top; "U. S.", above; at base, "Ten Cents"; below, "10". Fancy scroll work surrounding stamp. Size 32x50 mm, on white blue and fancy colored documents. white, blue and fancy colored documents.

H. 238 S. 198 10c buff, H. 237 S. 199 10c carmine, H. 238 S. 200 10c orange. H. 239 S. 201 10c deep orange.

Henkels "C" variety, 2; Sterling "C" variety, 2. Same as above stamp, with the addition of colored tablet, below stamp, size 29x4 mm., "Good when the premium does not exceed \$10." on white and blue documents.

H. 240 S. 202 10c bronze. H. 241 S. 203 10c buff. H. 242 S. 204 10c orange. H. 243 S. 205 10c deep orange

#### 1872.

Henkels "D" variety, 1; Sterling "D" variety, 1. Bust of Washington to left in centre; "United States Internal Revenue" in bands; above, "Ten"; below, "Cents"; in corners, "10"; at sides "ten". Below stamp on document, in colored tablet, size 30x4 mm., "Good when the premium does not exceed \$10." Size of stamp and tablet 33x60 mm., on white paper.

H. 244 S. 206 10c buff. H. 245 S. 207 10c orange.

### 1867.

Henkels "E" variety, 1; Sterling "E" variety, 1. Shield in centre, containing spread eagle at bay; in oval band, at top, "Internal Revenue"; at sides, "U. S."; below, eagle; in straight label, "Twenty-five cents"; at base, figures "25". Fancy scroll work surrounding stamp. Size 32x40 mm., on white and blue documents. H. 246 S. 208 25c black. H. 247 S. 209 25c buff. H. 248 S. 210 25c orange.

Henkels "E" variety, 2; Sterling "E" variety, 2. Same design as above stamp, with addition of colored tablet below. Tablet 29x4 mm., "Good when the premium does not exceed \$50." Size 32x44 mm., on white and blue documents.

H 249 S. 211 25c buff. H. 250 S. 212 25c orange. H. 251 S. 213 25c deep orange.

#### 1872.

Henkels "E" variety, 3; Sterling "E" variety, 3. Same design as preceding stamp, "E" variety, 2, with the premium clause printed on document. No tablet, but two line inscription "Good when the premium does not exceed \$50." 31x4 mm., on white paper.

H. 252 S. 214 25c orange.

Henkels "E" variety, 4; Sterling "E" variety, 4. Same as preceding stamp, "E" variety, 1, with the following additions in colored tablet, size 29x4 mm., reading "Good when the amount Insured shall not exceed \$1,000." Size 32x40 mm., on white paper.

H. 253 S. 215 25c orange.

Henkels "E" variety, 5; Sterling "E" variety, 5. Same design as "E" variety, 4, with the following surcharge "Stamp returned to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for redemption, October 1, 1872." Size 32x40 mm., on white paper. H. 254 S. 216 25c orange.

#### 1865-72.

Henkels "F" variety, 1. Very large oblong design, consisting of three circles; head of Franklin to left in centre, and words in circular bands, "United States Internal Revenue"; in left circle "25" "twenty-five cents"; in right circle, "25" "twenty-five cents." Size 126x60 mm., on white paper.

H. 255 2'c deep orange. H. 256 25c brown.

Henkels "F" variety, 2; Sterling "F" variety, 1. Same design as "F" variety, 1, with addition of colored tablet 28x4 mm., on document at lower right, tablet in-scribed "Good when the premium does not exceed \$50.", on white and blue documents.

H. 257 S. 217 25c orange. H. 258 S. 218 25c deep orange.

Henkels "F" variety, 3; Sterling "F" variety, 2. Same design as preceding stamp, "F" variety, 2. Premium clause at left, 28x4 mm., on white and blue documents.

H. 259 S. 219 25c bronze. H. 260 S. 220 25c buff. H. 261 S. 221 25c orange. H. 262 S. 222 25c deep orange.

Henkels "F" variety, 4; Sterling "F" variety, 3. Same design as "F" variety, 1, with the exception of the premium clause, size 28x4 mm., which is at base of stamp, on white and blue papers.

H. 263 S. 223 25c brown.
H. 264 S. 224 25c deep brown.
H. 265 25c buff.
H. 268 S 225 25c orange.
Henkels "F" variety, 5; Sterling "F"

variety, 4. Same design as "F" variety, 1, but without premium clause and sur-charged in black as follows, "Stamp returned to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for redemption, October 1, 1872.", on white and blue documents.

H 267 S. 226 26c bronze. H. 268 25c buff. H. 269 S 227 25c orange H. 270 S. 228 25c deep orange.

#### 1867.

Henkels "G" variety, 1; Sterling "G" variety, 1. Shield shape: stamp in centre, containing portrait of Lincoln, front view; oval band at top, "Internal Revenue"; at sides, "U. S."; below head, in straight band, "Fifty"; at base, figures "50". Fancy scroll work surrounding stamp. Size 33x41 mm. on white and blue documents.

H 271 S 229 60c bronze. 50c brown. H 272 S 230 50c buff. H 274 S 231 50c orange. H 276 S 232 50c deep orange. H 276 S 233 50c red.

Henkels "G" variety, 2; Sterling "G" variety, 2 Same design as previous stamp, "G" variety, 1, with the addition of the following surcharge in black, "Stamp returned to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, for redemption, October 1, 1872.", on white paper.

H. 278 S 234 60c bronze. H. 279 S, 235 50c orange. H. 280 50c deep orange.

Henkels "G" variety, 3; Sterling "G" variety, 3. Same as above, "G" variety, 1, with the addition of the following on colored tablet, below stamp, 29x4 mm., 'Good when the amount shall not exceed \$5,000." Size 32x45 mm, on white documents.

H.281 S.236 60c bronze. H.282 S.237 50c buff H.283 S.238 500 orange. H.284 S.239 50c red.

Henkels "G" variety, 4. Same as "G" variety, 3, with the addition of the following surcharge in black, "Stamp returned to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for Redemption October 1, 1872" on white paper 1872.", on white paper.

H 285 50c orange.

Henkels "H" variety, 1: Sterling "H" variety, 1. Large rectangular stamp. Medallion portrait of Washington, to left, in centre; at top, "One Dollar"; at base, "One Dollar"; at left, "United States"; at right, "Internal Revenue." Size 34x 74 mm., on white and fancy colored documents.

H. 286 S. 240 \$1.00 buff. H. 287 S. 241 \$1.00 orange. H. 288 S. 242 \$1.00 puce brown,

Henkels "H" variety, 2. Sterling "H" variety, 2. Same as "H" variety, 1 Surcharged in black as follows, "Stamp Redeemed." Size 34x74 mm., on white

H. 289 S. 243 \$1.00 orange.

#### 1872.

Henkels "H" variety, 3; Sterling "H" variety, 3. Same as "H" variety, 1. Surcharged in black as follows, "Stamp returned to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for redemption, October 1, 1872.", on white document.

H. 290 S. 214 \$1.00 orange. H. 291 \$1.00 deep orange H. 292 \$1.00 puce brown.