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OF THE
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— OF THE —
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"GOVERNMENT ISSUES."

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PREFACE.

IN presenting to the collector the result attempted herein, stating the actual value at this date of the postage stamps herein catalogued, I am fully aware that I have undertaken a difficult task, and one, which, if I had not been in such close contact, both with the collectors and dealers in disposing of many thousands of dollars worth of postage stamps direct to them, through the medium of my published private auction sales, and in my capacity as a stamp broker, thus acquiring a knowledge of the prices postage stamps are selling for, outside the dealer's store, I would not have dared undertaken this work. Of the demand of such a guide to the collector, it is hardly necessary to speak, for dealers' catalogues are at variance with each other: for illustrations—The Scott Stamp & Coin Co. catalogue the 1870 ten-cent postage stamp used, at \$6.00; Bogert, Durbin & Co. catalogue it worth \$7.50, and J. W. Scott has it worth only \$5.00; or take the 1860 30-cent unused: J. W. Scott has it \$1.50; Scott Stamp & Coin Co., \$1.75; Bogert, Durbin & Co., \$2.00; or an 1872 90-cent unused: J. W. Scott has it \$1.50; Bogert, Durbin & Co. \$2.00; Scott Stamp & Coin Co. \$2.25. Now what are the correct prices? This is the case in very many instances, and the collector is often nonplussed what to pay for a stamp when he is buying at auction, or from approval sheets. Then again certain stamps in the last few months have greatly increased in value, while others do not bring at auction or private sale the prices they are catalogued, as they are priced too high, and the supply is greater than the demand.

In my recent trips through the Southern, Western and Eastern States, I have paid special attention to the United States postage stamps as to what stocks the dealers had, and have noted

in the very many private collections, it has been my pleasure to examine, what stamps were missing. If I had space I could give some very interesting data in regard to this, but the result you will find in the prices herein.

These prices are based upon a very careful study of the stamp market during the past fall and winter, combined with my own sales as previously mentioned, and is compiled especially for the collectors, as a guide to buy or sell by, and is not published in the interest of any dealer.

In arranging this catalogue, I have tried to embrace in it :

1st. The correct market price of the described postage stamps at this date.

2d. The prices of unsevered pairs of the unperforated stamps. (The way in which so many collectors prefer to collect them.)

3d. The description and prices of many varieties not catalogued.

4th. A catalogue that can be easily carried, having ruled spaces to put the value of the stamps in 1893, 1894 and 1895, which, if written in, will make a most valuable book; and also a ruled space to put the price you paid for the stamp in your collection, if so desired, and a ruled space to check the stamps you have or may wish to secure. All arranged with the idea to make it as valuable a book to its owner as possible. I expect in the fall to issue a similar book, giving the prices of the Provisional and Carrier stamp, and of the U. S. reprints, card board proofs, etc.. if there is a demand for it. If you desire a copy, please notify me.

Criticism is expected and invited, and I will appreciate it if the receiver of this book will frankly point out to me any errors in prices according to his ideas, or if from his experience he agrees with me. My advice to all collectors: Complete your U. S. postage stamp collection as quickly as possible, if you do not desire in the coming five years to pay much higher prices. By higher prices I mean from 50 to 100 per cent. higher than they are priced to-day.

Very respectfully,

ALBERT R. ROGERS.

May 2d, 1892.

1st SERIES.

VALUE 1892

Unperforated.

Unused

Used

1847

5 Cent, Pale Red Brown, Unsevered Pairs.	\$1 35 3 00	\$0 40 1 00
10 Cent, Black, Unsevered Pairs.	5 00 11 50	1 75 4 00

2d ISSUE.

1851

1 Cent, Blue, (Full Ornaments.) Unsevered Pairs.	1 25 3 00	. 35 1 00
1 Cent, Var A (Worn Plate) Unsevered Pairs.	35 75	12 25
1 Cent, Var B (Broken Line) Unsevered Pairs.	1 50 4 00	75 2 00
3 Cent, Red Unsevered Pairs.	25 50	02 05
5 Cent, Brown Unsevered Pairs,	9 00 20 00	4 75 10 00
10 Cent, Green Unsevered Pairs.	1 50 3 25	50 1 25
10 Cent, Var A (Lower Orna- ments Off) Unsevered Pairs.	1 25 2 75	40 1 00
12 Cent, Black Unsevered Pairs.	1 50 3 50	80 2 00

1856

24 Cent, Grey Lilac Unsevered Pairs.	25 00	
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"Used" refers to Stamps Postally Cancelled during the years of issue.

3d SERIES.

VALUE 1892

Perforated.

Unused

Used

1855-60

1 Cent, Blue (Full Ornaments)	\$ 50	\$ 25
1 Cent, Var A (Ornaments Removed.)	15	40
3 Cent, Red (Full Ornaments.)	1 25	50
3 Cent, Var A (Outer Line Removed.)	05	00
5 Cent, Brown	4 50	2 25
5 Cent, Dull Red.	10 00	4 25
5 Cent, Brown, Var A (Ornaments Top & Bottom Removed.)	1 25	1 50
5 Cent, Red, Var A	12 00	4 50
10 Cent, Green (Full Ornaments)	50	20
10 Cent, Var A (Ornaments Removed.)	40	15
12 Cent, Black	50	35
24 Cent, Grey Lilac	1 50	1 25
30 Cent, Orange	1 75	1 50
90 Cent, Dark Blue	4 50	10 00

4th SERIES.

1861

1 Cent, Light Blue	15	02
3 Cent, Pink	1 00	35
5 Cent, Brown	50	25
5 Cent, Yellow	8 50	4 50
10 Cent, Green	25	00
12 Cent, Black	40	20
24 Cent, Dull Lilac	70	25
30 Cent, Orange	1 25	40
90 Cent, Blue	3 00	1 25
Set	15 75	6 25

5th SERIES.

VALUE 1892

1862-6

	Unused	Used
2 Cent, Black	\$ 08	8 02
3 Cent, Light Rose	10	01
3 Cent, Var A, Rose	12	02
3 Cent, Var B, Lt. Vermilion (called scarlet.)	12 00	12 00
5 Cent, Dark Red Brown. (called chocolate.)	2 00	75
15 Cent, Black	50	25
24 Cent, Dull Mauve	1 00	35

6th SERIES.

1st Embossed Issue.

1867-68

Embossing Covering Entire Stamp

3 Cent, Rose	12 00	8 50
3 Cent, Var A (Points Down)		13 00
*5 Cent, Brown		
*30 Cent, Orange		
Embossing 18x15 m. m.		
3 Cent, Rose		5 00
Embossing 12½x16 m. m.		
3 Cent, Rose	4 00	2 25
Embossing 12x14 m. m.		
3 Cent, Rose		3 00
Embossing 11x13 m. m.		
1 Cent, Blue	65	20
2 Cent, Black	50	10
3 Cent, Rose	20	05
10 Cent, Green	75	40
12 Cent, Black	50	25
15 Cent, Black	80	25

*Only one known.

COST	VALUE 1893		VALUE 1894		VALUE 1895	
	Unused	Used	Unused	Used	Unused	Used

1868 Continued.

VALUE 1892

Embossing 9x14 m. m.	Unused	Used
1 Cent, Blue	\$ 50	\$ 20
2 Cent, Black	15	05
3 Cent, Rose	10	02
5 Cent, Brown	2 50	1 40
10 Cent, Green	1 00	25
12 Cent, Black	1 25	35
15 Cent, Black	50	25
24 Cent, Dull Lilac	2 50	1 20
30 Cent, Orange	3 00	1 25
90 Cent, Blue	12 00	8 00

7th SERIES.

2d Embossed Issue.

1869

1 Cent, Ochre	25	15
2 Cent, Brown	10	02
3 Cent, Blue	10	01
6 Cent, Blue	90	30
10 Cent, Yellow	75	40
12 Cent, Green	60	40
15 Cent, Brown & Blue	3 00	1 50
15 Cent, Center Inverted		60 00
15 Cent, Var. A (Picture Framed.)	1 50	75
24 Cent, Green & Purple	5 00	3 00
24 Cent, Center Inverted		65 00
30 Cent, Blue & Carmine	4 50	1 50
30 Cent, Center Inverted		75 00
90 Cent, Black & Carmine	9 00	7 50
Set Without Inverted.	25 70	15 53

COST

VALUE 1893

VALUE 1894

VALUE 1895

Unused

Used

Unused

Used

Unused

Used

8th SERIES.

VALUE 1892

3d Embossed Issue.

Unused

Used

1870 .

Embossing 8½x10½ m. m.

1 Cent, Blue	\$ 60	\$ 20
2 Cent, Brown	40	10
3 Cent, Green	30	05

Embossing 9x11½ m. m.

1 Cent, Blue	60	20
2 Cent, Brown	40	10
3 Cent, Green	30	05
6 Cent, Pink	4 00	2 00
10 Cent, Brown	10 00	5 50
12 Cent, Dark Purple	*40 00	20 00
15 Cent, Orange	12 00	3 25
24 Cent, Purple	*50 00	25 00
30 Cent, Black	12 00	7 50
90 Cent, Carmine	15 00	2 50

1871

7 Cent, Vermilion	3 25	2 00
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9th SERIES.

1872

1 Cent, Blue	05	01
2 Cent, Brown	05	01
3 Cent, Green	05	01
6 Cent, Pink	25	02
7 Cent, Vermilion	50	20
10 Cent, Brown	25	01
12 Cent, Dark Purple	4 00	12

*Approximated price

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COST	VALUE 1893		VALUE 1894		VALUE 1896	
	Unused	Used	Unused	Used	Unused	Used

VALUE 1892

1872 Continued.

	Unused	Used
15 Cent, Orange	\$ 25	\$ 02
24 Cent, Purple	2 25	40
30 Cent, Black	60	05
90 Cent, Carmine	1 75	15
Set	7 00	1 00

10th SERIES.

1875

2 Cent, Vermilion	05	01
5 Cent, Blue	15	01

11th SERIES.

1882

5 Cent, Brown	08	01
5 Cent, Bone Brown (Nearly Black.)	08	01
5 Cent, Brown, Var A Ground-work Crossed Lines.	08	01
1 Cent, Blue	02	01
3 Cent, Green	05	01
6 Cent, Deep Pink	15	01
10 Cent, Brown	20	01

12th SERIES.

1883

2 Cent, Maroon	04	01
4 Cent, Green	08	01

13th SERIES.

1887

1 Cent, Blue	02	01
2 Cent, Green	02	01
3 Cent, Vermilion	15	05

14th SERIES.

VALUE 1892

1888

Unused

Used

4 Cent, French Carmine	\$ 10	\$ 02
5 Cent, Indigo Blue	10	02
5 Cent, Var A—Crossed Lines.	07	01
10 Cent, Brown	12	02
30 Cent, Brown	50	20
90 Cent, Purple	1 75	40

15th SERIES.

1890

1 Cent, Light Blue	01	01
1 Cent, Very Dark Blue	01	01
2 Cent, Rose	02	01
2 Cent, Carmine	02	01
2 Cent, Pink	10	10
3 Cent, Mauve	03	01
4 Cent, Brown	04	01
5 Cent, Brown	05	01
5 Cent, Yellow Brown	05	01
6 Cent, Dull Magenta	06	01
15 Cent, Dark Blue	15	01
30 Cent, Black	30	02
90 Cent, Orange	90	05
Set	1 74	27

16th SERIES.

1892

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COST	VALUE 1893		VALUE 1894		VALUE 1895	
	Unused	Used	Unused	Used	Unused	Used

1892 Continued.

VALUE 1892

Unused

Used

This page left for stamps that will be issued in 1892.

COST	VALUE 1893		VALUE 1894		VALUE 1895	
	Unused	Used	Unused	Used	Unused	Used

NEWSPAPER STAMPS.

VALUE 1892

1865-7

Unused

Used

5 Cent, Blue on Blue Paper	\$5 50	\$
5 Cent, Blue on White Paper	2 50	
10 Cent, Green	2 50	
25 Cent, Red	50	

PERIODICALS.

1875-85

1 Cent, Black	15	15
2 Cent, Black	10	10
3 Cent, Black	70	70
4 Cent, Black	20	20
6 Cent, Black	20	20
8 Cent, Black	25	25
9 Cent, Black	2 50	3 00
10 Cent, Black	25	25
12 Cent, Carmine	45	45
24 Cent, Carmine	50	50
36 Cent, Carmine	70	60
48 Cent, Carmine	1 00	80
60 Cent, Carmine	1 25	1 00
72 Cent, Carmine	2 25	2 00
84 Cent, Carmine	2 25	2 00
96 Cent, Carmine	2 00	1 75
1.92 Dollars, Brown	3 00	2 00
3.00 Dollars, Vermilion	4 50	3 75
6.00 Dollars, Ultramarine	7 00	5 00
9.00 Dollars, Orange	9 50	7 50
2.00 Dollars, Green	12 00	10 00
4.00 Dollars, Purple	18 00	15 00

VALUE 1892

PERIODICALS Continued.

	Unused	Used
36.00 Dollars, Red	\$24 00	\$20 00
48.00 Dollars, Chocolate	30 00	25 00
60.00 Dollars, Violet	35 00	30 00
Set	157 75	132 20

UNPAID LETTER STAMPS

1879

1 Cent, Brown	05	01
2 Cent, Brown	05	01
3 Cent, Brown	05	01
5 Cent, Brown	10	02
10 Cent, Brown	25	02
30 Cent, Brown	50	15
50 Cent, Brown	75	25

1890

Set

1 Cent, Dark Brown	02	01
2 Cent, Dark Brown	04	01
3 Cent, Dark Brown	04	01
5 Cent, Dark Brown	08	01
10 Cent, Dark Brown	15	02
30 Cent, Dark Brown	40	05
50 Cent, Dark Brown	60	10

1891

Set

1 Cent, Claret	02	01
2 Cent, Claret	03	01
3 Cent, Claret	04	01
5 Cent, Claret	06	01
10 Cent, Claret	12	01

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COST	VALUE 1893		VALUE 1894		VALUE 1895	
	Unused	Used	Unused	Used	Unused	Used

OFFICIAL STAMPS.

VALUE 1892

1873

Unused

Used

AGRICULTURE

1	Cent, Yellow	\$ 35	\$ 40
2	" "	30	30
3	" "	10	00
6	" "	25	20
10	" "	50	50
12	" "	1 50	1 50
15	" "	75	85
24	" "	1 00	1 25
30	" "	1 25	1 25
	Set	6 00	6 45

EXECUTIVE

1	Cent, Carmine	3 00	3 00
2	" "	3 00	3 00
3	" "	2 00	2 00
6	" "	4 00	4 25
10	" "	4 00	4 25
	Set	16 00	16 50

INTERIOR

1	Cent, Vermilion	15	10
2	" "	10	02
3	" "	05	01
6	" "	05	02
10	" "	20	10
12	" "	20	10
15	" "	25	10
24	" "	35	20
30	" "	40	25

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COST

VALUE 1893

VALUE 1894

VALUE 1895

Unused

Used

Unused

Used

Unused

Used

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VALUE 1892

INTERIOR Continued

	Unused	Used
90 Cent, Vermilion	\$ 50	\$ 50
Set	2 25	1 40

JUSTICE.

1 Cent, Purple	40	25
2 " "	40	30
3 " "	20	15
6 " "	25	15
10 " "	40	40
12 " "	60	50
15 " "	1 50	1 50
24 " "	1 75	1 50
30 " "	4 00	3 00
90 " "	8 50	6 50
Set	18 00	14 25

NAVY.

1 Cent, Blue	20	20
2 " "	30	25
3 " "	10	05
6 " "	15	15
7 " "	2 25	2 25
10 " "	40	40
12 " "	50	50
15 " "	70	70
24 " "	1 20	1 20
30 " "	80	75
90 " "	2 50	2 50
Set	9 10	8 95
2 Cent, Green (Variety.)	5 00	

COST	VALUE 1893		VALUE 1894		VALUE 1895	
	Unused	Used	Unused	Used	Unused	Used

POST OFFICE.

Unused

Used

Light Surface Paper.

1 Cent, Black	\$ 10	\$ 10
2 " "	10	10
3 " "	05	01
6 " "	15	04
10 " "	40	40
12 " "	20	15
15 " "	20	20
24 " "	50	50
30 " "	25	20
90 " "	70	40
Set	2 65	2 10

Dark Surface Paper.

Caused by Plates not being Proper
Cleaned.

1 Cent, Black	10	10
2 " "	10	10
3 " "	05	01
6 " "	20	20
10 " "	40	40
12 " "	20	15
15 " "	50	50
24 " "	50	50
30 " "	25	20
90 " "	70	40
Set	3 00	2 56

COST	VALUE 1893		VALUE 1894		VALUE 1895	
	Unused	Used	Unused	Used	Unused	Used

POST OFFICE SEAL STAMPS.

VALUE 1892

1872	Unused	Used
Registered Green.	\$ 25	\$ 10
1877		
Officially Sealed, (Post Obitem.)	4 50	4 00
1879		
Reticulated Groundwork.		
Officially Sealed, Brown	10	10
1888		
Lithographed.		
Officially Sealed, Brown	05	05
Same Unperforated	5 00	
Unperforated Pairs	10 00	
1889		
Typeographed.		
Officially Sealed, Black		
Var. A Period after Sealed	50	
Var. B Period after Officially	1 00	
Wood Engraved.		
Officially Sealed, Brown	10	10
1892		
Rouletted.		
Officially Sealed, Brown	05	05

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COST	VALUE 1893		VALUE 1894		VALUE 1895	
Unused	Used	Unused	Used	Unused	Used	

STATE.

	Unused	Used
1 Cent, Green	\$ 25	\$ 20
2 " "	50	40
3 " "	25	25
6 " "	20	20
7 " "	45	35
10 " "	40	30
12 " "	80	75
15 " "	60	60
24 " "	1 00	1 00
30 " "	1 25	1 25
90 " "	3 00	3 00
Set	8 70	8 50

Cancelled to Order
Penmarks across
Stamps.

2.00 Green & Black	4 50	4 50
5.00 " "	25 00	15 00
10.00 " "	\$10 00	10 00
20.00 " "	12 50	10 00
	18 00	15 00
Set high values	60 00	44 50
Set high & low values.	68 70	53 00

TREASURY.

1 Cent, Brown	10	05
2 " "	15	02
3 " "	05	01
6 " "	10	05
7 " "	50	45
10 " "	15	03

TREASURY Continued.

	Unused	Used
12 Cent, Brown	\$ 15	\$ 04
15 " "	20	05
24 " "	2 00	1 80
30 " "	30	05
90 " "	80	15
Set	4 50	2 70

WAR.

1 Cent, Red	03	03
2 " "	03	03
3 " "	03	01
6 " "	03	03
7 " "	50	50
10 " "	10	10
12 " "	10	05
15 " "	08	05
24 " "	15	10
30 " "	10	05
90 " "	25	25
Set	1 40	1 20

COST	VALUE 1893		VALUE 1894		VALUE 1895	
	Unused	Used	Unused	Used	Unused	Used



1987
CHEVERS

PHILATELIC SECTION.

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