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# HERITAGE AUCTIONS

Dear Bidder,

As the auction season kicks into full stride with Heritage's April World and Ancient Coin Signature sale, we are excited to announce another standout sale, as well as the addition of a special Premier Session of elite coins sure to appeal to even the most scrupulous collector. Without further ado, here is a preview of the fantastic selections the sale holds.

The ancients section of our Premier Session rivals even our New York Platinum Night, offering a glittering display of high grade gold, alongside a nicely predigreed assemblage of silver and bronze coins. Although an unpublished medallion of 9-Solidi from Constantine the Great is the highlight of this session, the Roman Empire also comes through with aurei of Augustus, Tiberius, Claudius, Vespasian and Philip II, among others. The Byzantine Empire makes a strong showing with a glorious Gem Mint State Theodosius III solidus and the finest known Philippicus solidus at Gem Mint State 'Star', along with the first two Christ portraits from Justinian II's first and second reigns. Croesus and the Lydian Kingdom is well represented, with examples from both the heavy and light series. A Caligula sestertius in Fine Style will delight the bronze collectors, and for the collectors of coins with excellent provenances, we are happy to offer several pieces from the Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection and ex Numismatic Fine Arts auctions from the early 1990s.

Any Heritage sale would be remiss without a knockout British section, and here we do not disappoint, with an MS62+ Charles I Triple Unite and an absolutely stunning MS64 Elizabeth I Ship Ryal headlining these offerings. Not far behind is an impressive 'Reddite' pattern Crown of Charles II, one of just ten reportedly produced. The early modern British series also features several finest-certified specimens, including a PR67 1911 5 Pounds, together with the finest ½ Sovereign, Sovereign, and 2 Pounds from William IV's 1831 Proof set, all certified 'star' Ultra Cameo.

Gold coins frequently feature strongly in our auctions, but the pieces on offer here truly present a special selection. Chief among them is an exceptionally rare and imposing Venetian 15 Zecchini of Giovanni Corner II. While the single Zecchini of the period are generally quite unremarkable, and were profusely minted, multiples of this size rarely enter the market—their larger size affording a much greater attention to detail—the example offered here grading XF45 by NGC without any traces of mounting or serious post-mint alteration. Also worthy of note is a Mint State "Round Shield" 20 Corona from Franz Joseph I's final year as monarch of Austria, 1916, which captures the waves of change ushered in by the first World War, and was the last date that saw the use of the Habsburg arms on Austrian coinage prior to the dissolution of the Habsburg empire.

Rounding out our continental gold selections is a superb assortment gold ducats and gold multiples from Germany, most particularly Bavarian 5 Ducats of Maximilian I, II, and III, as well as a 1744 10 Taler from Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel, certified MS62+ NGC, and a Mint State gold 20 Mark of 1905 from Mecklenburg-Strelitz. Further ducats of Brandenburg-Ansbach, Bamberg, and Würzburg punctuate this stunning group.

Finally, a brief but engaging detour is made to Haiti for one of the most intriguing selections of Haitian pattern and circulation issues we have offered, surely headed by a highly medalllic PR61 Pattern Crown of Henri Christophe, though also including patterns of Faustin I and numerous War of Independence and Insurrectionary issues.

With such an exciting variety, we hope that you will share in all this April's sale has to offer, whether in person or online through HeritageLive! Please do not hesitate to contact us if there's anything we can do to make your bidding experience more enjoyable. Good luck, and happy bidding!

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## SESSION ONE

## ANCIENTS

## GREEK



- 30001 CALABRIA. Tarentum. Ca. 332-302 BC. AR stater or didrachm (22mm, 7.93 gm, 10h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5.** Sa-, magistrate. Nude warrior on horseback charging right, round shield and two javelins in left hand, preparing to cast a third in right; ΣΑ below / ΤΑΡΑΣ, Taras astride dolphin left, cantharus in outstretched right hand, trident cradled in left arm; dolphin left below. HN Italy 937. Fischer-Bossert 829 (V329/R642). Vlasto 622-3 (same dies).

*Ex Classical Numismatic Group, Auction 90 (23 May 2012), lot 295; Triton II (1 December 1998), lot 39*  
Starting Bid: \$600



- 30002 CALABRIA. Tarentum. Time of Pyrrhus of Epirus (ca. 281-240 BC). AV quarter-stater (12mm, 2.14 gm, 10h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 3/5, Fine Style.** Ca. 280-275 BC. Laureate head of Apollo right, NK monogram behind / ΤΑΡΑΝΤΙΝΩΝ, eagle standing left on thunderbolt, wings spread, AP monogram behind. Fischer-Bossert G63 (same dies). Vlasto 46 (same dies). SNG ANS 1042 variant (no AP monogram). HN Italy 986. Rare. Starting Bid: \$750



- 30003 LUCANIA. Sybaris. Ca. 550-510 BC. AR stater or nomos (30mm, 7.90 gm, 12h). NGC AU 5/5 - 2/5, bent.** Bull standing left, head right, on beaded double ground line; VM above, beads between double linear border / Obverse, incuse and reversed, without legend. HN Italy 1729. SNG ANS 817-46. Starting Bid: \$750



- 30004 SICILY. Gela. Ca. 490-475 BC. AR didrachm (19mm, 8.38 gm, 7h). ANACS VF 35.** Horseman, nude save for pileus, on horse galloping right, brandishing spear in his upraised right hand / CEΛΑ, forepart of man-faced bull running right. Jenkins, Group I, 11. HGC 2, 362.

*Ex Jesús Vico, Auction 152 (15 November 2018), lot 214*  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30005 SICILY. Syracuse. Second Democracy (ca. 450-440 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 16.97 gm, 8h). NGC XF 4/5 - 2/5, brushed.** Charioteer driving quadriga walking right, kentron in right hand, reins in both; Nike flying right above to crown the horses, ketos right in exergue / ΣΥΡΑΚΟ-Σ-Ι-Ο-Ν, head of Arethusa right, wearing wide taenia, pendant earring and pearl necklace, hair pulled up under taenia and looped over back; four dolphins swimming clockwise around. Boehringer 536 (V274/R374). SNG ANS 171 (same reverse die) and 172-5 (same obverse die).

*Ex Classical Numismatic Group, Triton XVII (7 January 2014), lot 65; Peus 405 (2 November 2011), lot 2186*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30006 SICILY. Syracuse. Second Democracy (ca. 450-440 BC). AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.21 gm, 8h). NGC Choice VF 4/5 - 4/5.** Ca. 450 BC. Charioteer driving quadriga walking right, kentron in right hand, reins in both; Nike flying right above to crown the horses, ketos right in exergue / ΣΥΡΑΚΟΣΙ-Ο-Ν, diademed head of Arethusa right, hair in four large rolls behind, wearing pendant earring and pearl necklace; four dolphins swimming clockwise. Boehringer 517 (V271/R368). SNG ANS 166.

*Ex Classical Numismatic Group, Auction 96 (14 May 2014), lot 13*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30007** SICILY. Syracuse. Second Democracy (ca. 440-430 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.42 gm, 4h). NGC Choice XF 3/5 - 2/5, Fine Style, brushed. Charioteer driving prancing quadriga left, kentron in right hand, reins in both; Nike flying right above to crown driver, ketos left in exergue / ΣΥΡΑΚΟΣΙ-ON, head of Arethusa right, wearing pendant earring and plain necklace, hair drawn up and tied at top; four dolphins swimming clockwise. Boehringer 604 (V296/R410). Jameson 775 (these dies). SNG Copenhagen 652 (same).

*Ex M. L. Collection of Coins of Magna Graecia and Sicily (Numismatica Ars Classica, Auction 82 (20 May 2015), lot 57; Numismatic Fine Arts, Fall Mail Bid Sale (1990), lot 93 Starting Bid: \$1,000*



**30008** SICILY. Syracuse. Dionysius I (405-367 BC). AV 20-litrai or trihemiobol (11mm, 1.16 gm, 2h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5. Attic standard, ca. 406/5 BC. ΣΥΡ, head of Heracles left, wearing lion skin headdress / Σ-Y-P-A, quadripartite incuse square, small head of Arethusa in central incuse circle; all within incuse circle with double border. SNG ANS 351-4. HGC 2, 1289. Starting Bid: \$750

**Ex Numismatic Fine Arts**



**30009** SICILY. Syracuse. Agathocles (317-289 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 16.98 gm, 1h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style. Pre-royal coinage, ca. 310-305 BC, Nk-, magistrate. Head of Persephone left, wreathed with grain ears, wearing triple-pendant earring and necklace; three dolphins swimming around, NK below neck truncation, dotted border / ΣΥΡΑΚΟΣΙΩΝ, charioteer driving fast quadriga left, reins in left hand, kentron in right; triskeles above, AN monogram in exergue, dotted border. HGC 2, 1348. SNG ANS 637 var. (NK ligate).

*Ex Numismatic Fine Arts, Auction XXVIII (23 April 1992), lot 582 Starting Bid: \$2,500*



**30010** SICILY. Syracuse. Agathocles (317-289 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.13 gm, 7h). NGC Choice XF 4/5 - 4/5. Pre-royal coinage, ca. 310-305 BC, Fi-, magistrate. Head of Persephone left, wreathed with grain ears, wearing triple-pendant earring and necklace; three dolphins swimming around, ΦΙ below neck truncation, dotted border / ΣΥΡΑΚΟΣΙΩΝ, charioteer driving fast quadriga left, reins in left hand, kentron in right; triskeles above, AN monogram in exergue, dotted border. HGC 12, 1348. SNG ANS 640-3. Starting Bid: \$1,000

## Ex Numismatic Fine Arts



- 30011 SICILY. Siculo-Punic. Ca. 320-300 BC. AR tetradrachm (27mm, 16.90 gm, 7h). NGC AU★ 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style.** Head of Tanit-Persephone left, wreathed in reeds, wearing pearl necklace and triple-drop earring; four dolphins swimming around, dotted border / *MMHNT* (Punic for 'People of the Camp'), horse head left; palm tree with two clusters of dates behind, linear border. Jenkins Punic 150 (O47/R135) same dies. HGC 2, 284.

*Ex Numismatic Fine Arts, Auction XXX (8 December 1992), lot 30*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30012 ZEUGITANA. Carthage. Ca. 350-320 BC. AV stater (18mm, 9.28 gm, 9h). NGC AU 4/5 - 3/5, marks.** Bust of Tanit left, hair wreathed with barley ears, wearing triple-pendant earring, and necklace with ten pendants; dotted border / Horse standing right on exergual line; three pellets to lower right at shin height, dotted border. Jenkins & Lewis, Group IIIh.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30013 ZEUGITANA. Carthage. Ca. 320-270 BC. EL stater (18mm, 7.52 gm, 12h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 5/5.** Bust of Tanit left, hair wreathed with barley ears with prominent curl, without top spray, wearing triple-pendant earring, and necklace with nine pendants; pellet before, dotted border / Horse standing right on double exergual line; pellet to lower right, dotted border. Jenkins & Lewis, Group V 247-250.

*From the Estate of Gerald 'Jerry' Farber*  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30014 MACEDON. Acanthus. Ca. 470-430 BC. AR tetradrachm (29mm, 17.30 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Lion springing right, biting into hind quarters of bull kneeling to left with head raised; tunny fish left in exergue, thick beaded border / AKA-N-OIO-N, legend in raised letters on incuse band, around raised quadripartite square, all within shallow incuse square. Desneux 96. cf. SNG ANS 14-15 for later type of same issue.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30015 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Philip II (359-336 BC). AV stater (18mm, 8.61 gm, 10h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Lifetime-early posthumous issue of Pella II, ca. 340-328 BC. Laureate head of Apollo right / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΥ, charioteer driving racing biga right, reins in left hand, kentron in right; cantharus below horses. SNG ANS 138-43.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30016 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Philip II (359-336 BC). AV stater (18mm, 8.62 gm, 9h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Late lifetime-early posthumous issue of Pella, ca. 340/36-328 BC. Laureate head of Apollo right / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΥ, charioteer driving racing biga right, kentron in right hand, reins in left; thunderbolt below horses. Le Rider 89 (D42/R68). SNG ANS 130-7.

*Ex Patrick Mulcahy Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

**Fine Style 'Star' Philip II**



**30017 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Philip II (359-336 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 14.13 gm, 5h). NGC Choice XF★ 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style.** Amphipolis IV, ca. 315/4-295/4 BC. Laureate head of Zeus right / ΦΙΛΙΠΠ-ΠΟΥ, youth on horseback right, crowning horse with palm; Λ above torch below, tripod below horse's raised left foreleg. Le Rider pl. 47, 24-5. SNG ANS 798.

*Ex D. F. Grotjohann, private sale; Gemini VI (10 January 2010), lot 68*  
Starting Bid: \$750

**Mint State Fine Style Alexander-Seleucus Stater**



**30018 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AV stater (18mm, 8.56 gm, 11h). NGC MS 4/5 - 3/5, Fine Style, flan flaw.** Posthumous issue of Babylon, under Seleucus I, ca. 311-305 BC. Head of Athena right, wearing earring and triple-crested Corinthian helmet with short parallel crest ends pushed back on head, the bowl decorated with griffin leaping right, hair falling straight in three tight spiral curls / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, Nike standing left, wreath in outstretched right hand, stylis cradled in left arm; MI in outer left field, HYP monogram in wreath in left field below wing. SC 81.3 corr. (griffin, not sphinx). Price 3749 corr. (same). Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30019 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AV stater (18mm, 8.61 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Posthumous issue of Amphipolis, under Cassander, ca. 310-301 BC. Head of Athena right, wearing necklace and triple-crested Corinthian helmet with long divergent crest ends pushed back on head, the bowl decorated with coiled serpent right, hair falling in five tight spiral curls and loose over left shoulder / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Nike standing facing, head left, wreath in outstretched right hand, stylis cradled on left arm; trident head left in left field, pellet in lower right field. Price -, cf. 175, but apparently unpublished with pellet in field. Müller -. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30020 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AV stater (18mm, 8.59 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Lifetime issue of Lampsacus, under Calas or Demarchus, ca. 328/5-323 BC. Head of Athena right, wearing pendant earring, double necklace and triple-crested Corinthian helmet with long divergent crest ends pushed back on head, the bowl decorated with coiled serpent right, hair falling straight in four tight curls and across left shoulder / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Nike standing facing, head left, wreath in outstretched right hand, stylis cradled in left arm; conjoined foreparts of two horses in outer left field, ΔΙΟ monogram under wing to left. Price 1358. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30021 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AV stater (18mm, 8.58 gm, 9h). NGC AU 5/5 - 2/5, ex-jewelry.** Lifetime or early posthumous issue of Amphipolis, ca. 330-320 BC. Head of Athena right, wearing necklace and triple-crested Corinthian helmet with divergent crest ends, pushed back on head, the bowl decorated with coiled serpent, hair falling straight in six tight corkscrew curls / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Nike standing facing, head left, wreath in outstretched right hand, stylis cradled in left arm; vertical thunderbolt in outer left field. Price 164. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30022 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AV stater (17mm, 6h). ANACS XF40.** Lifetime or early posthumous issue of 'Amphipolis', ca. 330-320 BC. Head of Athena right, hair falling loose, wearing necklace and crested Corinthian helmet pushed back on head, short parallel crest ends, the bowl decorated with coiled serpent / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Nike standing left, wreath in outstretched right hand, stylis cradled in left arm; trident head downward in left field, AO monogram below wing in left field. Price 179. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30023 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AV quarter-stater (11mm, 2.15 gm, 5h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Late lifetime-early posthumous issue of Amphipolis, under Antipater, ca. 325-319 BC. Head of Athena right, wearing necklace and triple-crested Corinthian helmet with short divergent crest ends pushed back on head, the bowl decorated with coiled serpent right, hair falling straight in three tight spiral curls and loose over left shoulder / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, horizontal bow and club left, horizontal thunderbolt above. Price 165.

*Ex Collection of Dr. Lawrence A. Adams (Classical Numismatic Group, Auction 100, 7 October 2015), lot 47; Pars Coins, private sale, September 2000*

*Unusual legend break. Price does not differentiate the legend breaks and positions on the reverse, but there are three known varieties: top to bottom N/A (most common); top to bottom A/N; and bottom to top N/A.*  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30024 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.08 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 3/5, Fine Style, scratches.** Early Ptolemaic issue of Memphis (or Alexandria), under Ptolemy I Soter, as satrap, ca. 323/2-317/1 BC. Head of Heracles right, wearing lion skin head-dress, paws tied before neck / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Zeus seated left on backless throne, right leg drawn back, feet on stool, eagle in right hand, scepter in left; rose in left field, ΔΙ-O below strut and in inner right field. Price 3971.

*Ex Stack's Bowers & Ponterio (NYINC, 9 January 2015), lot 57*

*Tetradrachms of Alexander from the mint of Memphis, Egypt are widely regarded as stylistically the most beautiful in the series.*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

**Fine Style Magnesia ad Maeandrum Stater**



**30025 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Philip III Arrhidaeus (323-317 BC). AV stater (17mm, 8.54 gm, 12h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 5/5, Fine Style.** Magnesia ad Maeandrum, ca. 323-319 BC. Head of Athena right, wearing earring, necklace and triple-crested Corinthian helmet with long divergent crest ties pushed back on head, the bowl decorated with griffin leaping right, hair falling loose in waves and over left shoulder / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, Nike standing left, wreath in outstretched right hand, stylis cradled in left arm; cornucopia below wing in left field. Price P59. Apparently quite rare - no examples in sales archives.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30026 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Demetrius I Poliorcetes (306-283 BC). AR tetradrachm (28mm, 17.12 gm, 5h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Amphipolis, 289-288 BC. Diademed head of Demetrius I right, with bull's horn / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ, Poseidon, nude, standing left, grounded trident in left hand, leaning with right arm on leg with right foot on rock; ΕΥΦ monogram in outer left field, ΔΡ monogram in outer right field. Newell 124. HCG 3, 1014b.

Starting Bid: \$750

**'Star' Perseus Fine Style Tetradrachm**



**30027 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Perseus (179-168 BC). AR tetradrachm (32mm, 16.78 gm, 11h). NGC AU★ 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style.** Attic-weight issue, Pella or Amphipolis, 179-173 BC. Diademed head of Perseus right, with close beard / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΠΕΡ-ΣΕΩΣ, eagle with spread wings standing right on thunderbolt; ΙΩ monogram above, ΕΥ monogram below, and in ΕΘ monogram in right field; all within oak wreath, plow right below. SNG Copenhagen -. Dewing 1211. Mamroth S. 17, 5.

*Ex Ed Waddell, private sale with old dealer tag*  
Starting Bid: \$750

**Ex Numismatic Fine Arts**



**30028 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Perseus (179-168 BC). AR tetradrachm (33mm, 14.88 gm, 12h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Reduced standard, Pella, ca. 170-168 BC. Diademed head of Perseus right / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΠΕΡ-ΣΕΩΣ, eagle standing right on thunderbolt, wings spread; Φ above, ΑΥ monogram to right, ΑΝ monogram between legs, all within oak wreath, plow right below. Mamroth 24.

*Ex Numismatic Fine Arts, Auction XXX (8 December 1992), lot 62*  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30029** SCYTHIA. Olbia. Ca. 470-460 BC. AE large aes grave (70mm, 110.98 gm, 4h). VF. Head of Athena left, wearing Attic helmet; tailless dolphin with large eye and central spine upward to left / Π-A-Y-Σ, wheel with four spokes. Anokhin 164. SNG BM Black Sea -. cf. HGC 3, 1883 (medium aes grave). Starting Bid: \$1,000

**Choice Mint State Star**



**30030** SCYTHIA. Geto-Dacians. Coson (ca. after 54 BC). AV stater (19mm, 8.30 gm, 11h). NGC Choice MS★ 5/5 - 5/5. Ca. 44-42 BC. Roman consul walking left, accompanied by two lictors fore and aft; BA monogram before, ΚΟΣΩΝ in exergue / Eagle with spread wings standing left on scepter, clutching laurel wreath in right talon; pellet in left field. HGC 3.2, 2049. RPC I 1701A.

*Note - the pellet on the reverse exists on some issues and not others, but isn't given distinction in the references.*  
Starting Bid: \$750

**Salvation Army Donation - Choice Mint State**



**30031** SCYTHIA. Geto-Dacians. Coson (ca. after 54 BC). AV stater (21mm, 8.43 gm, 12h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 5/5. Ca. 44-42 BC. Roman consul walking left, accompanied by two lictors fore and aft; BA monogram before, ΚΟΣΩΝ in exergue / Eagle with spread wings standing left on scepter, clutching laurel wreath in right talon. HGC 3.2, 2049. RPC I 1701A. Nicely centered on ample flan, providing for full beaded border to be visible on both sides.

*Received as an anonymous donation to the Salvation Army in a Tampa "red kettle" location on 12 December 2019. Originally in an ICG holder, we have since upgraded it to an NGC holder. The successful bidder on this lot will also receive the notecard which accompanied the coin..*

*All proceeds from the sale of this lot, including the buyer's premium, will be donated back to the Salvation Army.*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

**Salvation Army Donation**



**30032** SCYTHIA. Geto-Dacians. Coson (ca. after 54 BC). AV stater (19mm, 8.39 gm, 12h). NGC MS 4/5 - 4/5. Ca. 44-42 BC. Roman consul walking left, accompanied by two lictors fore and aft; ΚΟΣΩΝ in exergue / Eagle with spread wings standing left on scepter, clutching laurel wreath in right talon; • in upper and lower left fields. HGC 3.2, 2049. RPC I 1701.

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Fine Style Signed 'Star' Lysimachus



**30033** THRACIAN KINGDOM. Lysimachus (305-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (32mm, 17.02 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU★ 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style. Pergamum, ca. 287/6-282 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon; K below, dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena seated left, Nike crowning royal name in right hand, resting left arm on grounded shield decorated with gorgoneion head boss, transverse spear in background; N in outer left field, archaic xoanon (cult image) in inner left field, crescent left in exergue. Thompson 225. Meydancikkale 2679. Müller 290 (uncertain Thrace).

*The K-signed dies of Pergamum are often considered the finest style tetradrachm issue of Lysimachus. According to H.A. Cahn ("Frühhellenistische Münzkunst, Kleine Schriften zur Münzkunde und Archäologie", Basel 1975, p. 121-126), this engraver may have been the same who designed, for the same mint, the dies of the famous portrait of Seleucus I on the silver tetradrachms of Philetaerus.*

Starting Bid: \$1,500

Gorgeous Fine Style Lysimachus Tetradrachm



**30034** THRACIAN KINGDOM. Lysimachus (323-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (29mm, 16.95 gm, 12h). NGC AU 5/5 - 3/5, Fine Style. Lampsacus, 297/6-281 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena enthroned left, Nike in right hand crowning royal name, resting left arm on shield decorated with lion head boss, transverse spear beyond; HP monogram in inner left field, crescent left in exergue. Thompson 47. Müller 401.

*Ex Pars Coins, private sale with old dealer tag*

Starting Bid: \$750

Ex Numismatic Fine Arts



**30035** THRACIAN KINGDOM. Lysimachus (305-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (31mm, 17.31 gm, 4h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5, die shift. Amphipolis, ca. 288-282 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon; dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena enthroned left, Nike in right hand crowning royal name, resting left arm on shield with gorgoneion boss, transverse spear beyond; caduceus with handle in inner left field, MYE monogram in outer right field. Müller 105. Thompson 194.

*Ex Numismatic Fine Arts, Auction XXVIII (23 April 1992), lot 606*  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30036** THRACIAN KINGDOM. Lysimachus (305-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (31mm, 17.46 gm, 10h). NGC Choice XF★ 5/5 - 5/5. Pergamum, ca. 297-281 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena enthroned left, Nike in right hand crowning royal name, resting left arm on shield decorated with gorgoneion head boss, transverse spear beyond; ΠΥΝΘ monogram in inner left field, ΗΑΤΡ monogram in outer left field. Mueller 543. Thompson 201.

*From the Estate of Gerald 'Jerry' Farber*  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30037** THRACIAN KINGDOM. Lysimachus (305-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (31mm, 17.22 gm, 11h). NGC Choice XF★ 5/5 - 4/5. Amphipolis, 288-282 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena enthroned left, Nike in right hand crowning royal name, resting left arm on grounded shield decorated with gorgoneion head boss, transverse spear beyond; caduceus in inner left field, bee seen from above in outer right field. Thompson, Essays Robinson, 190.

*Ex Harlan Berk, private sale with old dealer tag*  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30038** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 510/500-480 BC. AR tetradrachm (21mm, 16.77 gm, 11h). NGC VF 5/5 - 4/5. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet, the crest box ornamented with chevron pattern / AΘE, owl standing right with closed wings, head facing; drooping olive sprig with two leaves and one berry behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1590 (ca. 500/490-485/480 BC). Seltman Groups C, G and M. Starting Bid: \$750



**30041** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 465-455 BC. AR tetradrachm (23mm, 17.10 gm, 10h). NGC AU★ 5/5 - 5/5. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1596. Starr Group V. Starting Bid: \$750



**30039** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 475-465 BC. AR light weight tetradrachm (24mm, 15.62 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5, edge cuts. Head of Athena right with frontal eye and 'archaic smile', hair drawn in wavy line across forehead, wearing Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll, earring and pearl necklace / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing, olive sprig and small crescent moon behind, all within deep incuse square. HGC 4, 1593. Starr Group II. Starting Bid: \$500

**Choice Mint State**



**30042** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.21 gm, 10h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Perfectly struck on blazing lustrous surfaces. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30040** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 465-455 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.16 gm, 7h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1596. Starr Group V. Starting Bid: \$600

'Star' Full Crest Owl



**30043** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.18 gm, 10h). NGC MS★ 5/5 - 5/5, Full Crest. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Magnificently struck on ample flan with prooflike luster. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30044** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.19 gm, 3h). NGC MS★ 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30045** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.22 gm, 10h). NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Starting Bid: \$750



**30046** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.20 gm, 3h). NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Starting Bid: \$750



**30047** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.21 gm, 2h). NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Starting Bid: \$750



**30048** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.23 gm, 6h). NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Starting Bid: \$750



**30049** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.20 gm, 6h). NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Starting Bid: \$750



**30050 ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.18 gm, 10h).** NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Starting Bid: \$750



**30051 ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.19 gm, 10h).** NGC Choice AU★ 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8. Starting Bid: \$500

### Fine Style Chimera



**30052 SICYONIA. Sicyon. Ca. 400-323 BC. AR stater (24mm, 12.26 gm, 9h).** NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 1/5, Fine Style, brushed. Chimera advancing left, mouth of lion open and tongue extended, right forepaw raised; ΣE below, laurel wreath above / Dove flying left; N below beak, all within laurel wreath. BMC 54. BCD Peloponnesos 218.

*Ex D. F. Grotjohann, private sale with old dealer tag; Gorny & Mosch, Auction 55 (January 1991), lot 238*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

### Choice Mint State



**30053 PONTIC KINGDOM. Mithradates VI Eupator (120-63 BC). AV stater (19mm, 8.29 gm, 12h).** NGC Choice MS 4/5 - 5/5. Late posthumous issue of Tomis, in the name and type of Lysimachus of Thrace, ca. 88-86 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, wearing horn of Ammon; pellet behind / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena seated left, left elbow resting on shield, Nike in right hand crowning royal name, transverse spear beyond; ΔΙΟ above pellet to inner left, ΤΟ below throne, filleted trident left in exergue. Müller 277. SNG Copenhagen 1093. De Callatay 141-2.

*Note - the pellets on both sides are not noted in the references and there are examples with and without pellets on either side.*  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30054 BITHYNIAN KINGDOM. Prusias I (ca. 230-182 BC). AR tetradrachm (37mm, 16.94 gm, 1h).** NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 3/5. Diademed head of Prusias I right / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΠΡΟΥΣΙΟΥ, Zeus standing facing, head left, crowning royal name with diadem in right hand, scepter in left; thunderbolt above ME monogram above ANΣ monogram in inner left field. Waddington 9b. Jameson 1387. SNG von Aulock 6878.

*Even before the Wars of Diadochi had concluded, the region of Bithynia in Asia Minor along the southern coast of the Black Sea had declared its independence from the vast realms ruled by Alexander's successors. Bithynia's kings were part of a native dynasty descended from two Thracian tribes that occupied the region centuries earlier, with admixture of royal Persian blood. Of the early dynasts, Zipoetres, Nicomedes I, and Ziaelas, we know comparatively little, except their evident love for war and plunder. Prusias I, the fourth independent king of Bithynia, was celebrated for his love of Greek culture and his ability to maintain his kingdom's power and prosperity during a time of turmoil in the Hellenistic world. He successfully conducted wars against the Galatians and the Attalid Kingdom of Pergamum, the latter with the help of the great Carthaginian General Hannibal. However, after first granting Hannibal refuge, Prusias was forced to give him up to the Romans, who demanded his surrender; Hannibal took poison in response. The portrait coins of Prusias are among the finest of the Hellenistic series, depicting him with a luxuriant set of chin-whiskers and a self-satisfied smirk.*  
Starting Bid: \$500



**30055** MYSIA. Cyzicus. Ca. 600-550 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (10mm, 2.67 gm). NGC XF 5/5 - 3/5. Tunny fish left, with single large, curved griffin wing/ Quadripartite incuse square. Greenwell 160. Hurter-Liewald III, 37.2. Cf. BMFA 1405 (stater).

*Note - Greenwell (written in 1887) describes the obverse of this type as 'pecten shell, hinge downward, tunny left below'. Starting Bid: \$500*



**30056** MYSIA. Cyzicus. Ca. 550-450 BC. EL stater (22mm, 15.99 gm). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 2/5, brushed. Forepart of ram running left; tunny upward behind / Quadripartite mill-sail incuse square. Greenwell 132. Boston MFA 1420. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30057** MYSIA. Cyzicus. Ca. 390-330 BC. AR tetradrachm (23mm, 15.07 gm, 6h). NGC Choice XF 4/5 - 3/5. Head of Kore-Soteira left, wearing single-pendant earring, two grain ears in hair tucked in sphendone / KY-ZI, head of lion left, mouth open with tongue protruding; bee behind, tunny left below. SNG von Aulock 7344. Starting Bid: \$750



**30058** IONIA. Uncertain mint. Ca. 650-550 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (10mm, 2.32 gm). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 5/5. Lydo-Milesian standard. Head of lion right, mouth open / Incuse square punch with rough interior. cf. Linzalone 1123 (Smyrna, hemihecte). Cf. Weidauer 184 (stater). *Traité* -. SNG Kayhan -. Apparently unpublished in the standard references. Superb early post-archaic style. Starting Bid: \$750



**30059** IONIA. Ephesus. Phanes (ca. 625-600 BC). EL 1/12 stater or hemihecte (8mm, 1.17 gm). NGC XF 5/5 - 4/5. Forepart of stag right, head reverted / Abstract geometric pattern within incuse square punch. Weidauer 36-7. Linzalone LN1104 var. (stag left). *Traité* pl. II, 20.

*Phanes was evidently a Carian or Ephesian minister or aristocrat of the later 7th century BC. The name is known from a rare group of electrum staters and a lesser denominations that bear a stag and the Greek legend "I am the badge of Phanes" or "of Phanes." These are among the earliest coins to bear legends. It has also been speculated that the name refers to a divinity, perhaps Apollo-Phaneos (light-bringer) or Artemis (due to the stag). The Phanes coinage falls into seven denominations, from a full stater down to a 1/96 stater, all featuring the stag in various poses; only the full stater and third-stater or trite are inscribed, but the distinctive rendering of the stag links all denominations of the series to the same issuer. The fact that Phanes is otherwise unattested as a king or satrap indicates the first coins may have been struck by private individuals, rather than governments or royal courts.*

Starting Bid: \$500



**30060** IONIA. Ephesus. Ca. 133-88 BC. AV stater (19mm, 8.43 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5. First series, ca. 133-100 BC. Draped bust of Artemis right, hair drawn into knot at back of head, wearing stephane and drop earring, bow and quiver over left shoulder / Cult statue of Artemis Ephesia facing, fillet hanging from each hand, E-Φ to either side of head, lighted torch (or thymiaterion) in inner right field between statue and fillet. Jenkins, *Hellenistic*, pl. B, 6 (dated 123-119 BC). Head p. 69, 4 var. (different control mark).

*The Hellenistic gold staters of Ephesus have been the subject of long-running debate over when they were struck. In the 1880s, the eminent Barklay V. Head assigned them to the period of the Mithradatic Wars, circa 88-86 BC, when Ephesus briefly came under the control of the Pontic King Mithradates VI Eupator. However, as more varieties were discovered over the next century, it became clear they were struck over a much longer period of time. G.K. Jenkins, in a 1987 article, placed them in two groups starting in the later second century BC, after the Roman take-over of Asia Province in 133 BC, and linked the reverse symbols present on several varieties to similar symbols found on the common cistophoric tetradrachm coinage of the Roman era. Staters with a simpler two-letter ethnic, including the present example, belong to the earlier period, prior to 100 BC, while coins with a longer form come later in the series.*

Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30061 IONIA. Magnesia ad Meandrum. Ca. mid-2nd century BC. AV stater (19mm, 8.44 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5. Ca. 155-145 BC.** Euphemus and Pausanius, magistrates. Draped bust of Artemis right, wearing stephane, hair gathered into knot at back of head, quiver and bow over shoulder / ΜΑΓΝΗΤΩΝ, Nike standing in car of fast biga right, kentron in right hand, reins in left; ΕΥΦΗΜΟΣ below horses, ΠΑΥΣΑΝΙΟΥ below ground line. BMC Ionia -. SNG Von Aulock -. SNG Copenhagen -. A completely unrecorded denomination and type for this city.

*Magnesia ad Meandrum was founded on the banks of the Lecathus, a tributary of the Meander river, in south-western Ionia circa the mid-700s BC by a tribe from Thessaly known as the Magnetes, plus colonists from Crete. In the mid-2nd century BC, Magnesia was among the cities that enjoyed a renaissance of classical Greek coinage, issuing large and beautiful stephanophoric ("wreath bearing") silver tetradrachms bearing a lovely head of the city's patron goddess, Artemis, with a reverse depicting her brother Apollo standing atop a meander pattern. These coins carried the names of a series of magistrates (or, as suggested by Nicholas F. Jones, wealthy civic patrons who financed the coinage), including probably the same Euphemus and Pausanius named on this gold stater, allowing us to date this remarkable piece to the same era as the stephanophoric tetradrachms, circa 155-145 BC. While Artemis graces the obverse, the reverse depiction of Nike driving a biga is otherwise unknown on any coinage of Magnesia and suggests that the issuance of our stater was in honor of a military victory of some kind, or perhaps the anniversary of a great victory. Since Magnesia was not itself a military powerhouse, the occasion must remain an open question, although the 40th anniversary of the Battle of Magnesia, which fell in December 150 BC, is a possibility. Although the battle between the Roman Republic and the Seleucid Kingdom occurred near a different Magnesia (ad Sipylum in Lydia), it effectively freed western Asia Minor from Seleucid control and gave the cities therein a large measure of autonomy within the loosely controlled Pergamene Kingdom.*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30062 IONIA. Magnesia ad Meandrum. Ca. mid-2nd century BC. AV stater (19mm, 8.49 gm, 11h). NGC AU 5/5 - 3/5. Ca. 155-145 BC.** Euphemus and Pausanius, magistrates. Draped bust of Artemis right, wearing stephane, hair gathered into knot at back of head, quiver and bow over shoulder / ΜΑΓΝΗΤΩΝ, Nike standing in car of fast biga right, kentron in right hand, reins in left; ΕΥΦΗΜΟΣ below horses, ΠΑΥΣΑΝΙΟΥ below ground line. BMC Ionia -. SNG Von Aulock -. SNG Copenhagen -. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30063 IONIA. Magnesia ad Meandrum. Ca. mid-2nd century BC. AV stater (19mm, 8.44 gm, 12h). NGC AU 5/5 - 3/5, brushed. Ca. 155-145 BC.** Euphemus and Pausanius, magistrates. Draped bust of Artemis right, wearing stephane, hair gathered into knot at back of head, quiver and bow over shoulder / ΜΑΓΝΗΤΩΝ, Nike standing in car of fast biga right, kentron in right hand, reins in left; ΕΥΦΗΜΟΣ below horses, ΠΑΥΣΑΝΙΟΥ below ground line. BMC Ionia -. SNG Von Aulock -. SNG Copenhagen-. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30064 IONIA. Phocaea. Ca. 625-522 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (10mm, 2.59 gm). NGC AU 4/5 - 3/5.** Seal swimming left, head reverted; annulet below / Rough quadripartite incuse mill-sail square punch. Bodenstedt 1.4. Extremely rare - only one example cited in Bodenstadt and only one example in sales archives. Cf. Numismatica Ars Classica, Auction 25 (25 June 2003), lot 181. Starting Bid: \$750



**30065 CARIAN SATRAPS. Maussollus (ca. 377-353 BC). AR tetradrachm (23mm, 15.14 gm, 12h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style.** Halicarnassus, after 367 BC. Laureate bust of Apollo facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in center and swept to either side, cloak fastened around neck / ΜΑΥΣΣΩΛΛΟ, Zeus standing right, bipennis in right hand over shoulder, scepter in left; wreath in left field. SNG von Aulock -, cf. 2358-2360 (letters in field). Gulbenkian 782. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30066** CARIAN SATRAPS. Pixodarus (ca. 341/0-336/5 BC). AR didrachm (22mm, 6.91 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 3/5, **Fine Style, brushed**. Laureate bust of Apollo facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in center and swept to either side, cloak fastened around neck / ΠΙΞΩΔΑΡΟΥ, Zeus standing right, bipennis in right hand over shoulder, scepter in left. Konuk, Coin Hoards IX, 36c. SNG Copenhagen 596-7. SNG von Aulock 2375-6. Stunning high-relief obverse, with contrasting toning which serves to bring the portrait to life. Starting Bid: \$750



**30067** CARIAN SATRAPS. Pixodarus (ca. 341/0-336/5 BC). AR didrachm (20mm, 6.96 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5, **Fine Style**. Laureate bust of Apollo facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in center and swept to either side, cloak fastened around neck / ΠΙΞΩΔΑΡΟΥ, Zeus standing right, bipennis in right hand over shoulder, scepter in left. Konuk, Coin Hoards IX, 36c (A4/P19) (this coin). SNG Copenhagen 596-7. SNG von Aulock 2375-6. Striking rainbow toning on obverse.

*Ex Gemini Auction I (11 January 2005), lot 174; Commander David R. Hinkle Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30068** CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 230-205 BC. AR tetradrachm (28mm, 13.52 gm, 12h). NGC AU 4/5 - 3/5, **Fine Style, flan flaw**. Ca. mid-late 220s BC, Ameinias, magistrate. Radiate head of Helios facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in middle and swept to either side / ΡΟΔΙΟΝ, rose with single bud on tendril to right; ΑΜΗΕΙΝ-ΙΑΣ across field, galley prow in left field. HGC 6, 1432. Ashton 212. Note - the magistrate's name is actually misspelled on this die. There should not be an H. Starting Bid: \$500



**30069** LYDIAN KINGDOM. Alyattes or Walwet (ca. 610-546 BC). EL third-stater or trite (13mm, 4.69 gm). NGC XF 5/5 - 3/5, **light scratches**. Uninscribed, Lydo-Milesian standard. Sardes mint. Head of lion right, mouth open, mane bristling, radiate globule above eye / Two square punches of different size, side by side, with irregular interior surfaces. Linzalone 1090. Weidauer 86. Boston 1764. SNG von Aulock 2868. SNG Kayhan 1013. Starting Bid: \$750



**30070** LYDIAN KINGDOM. Alyattes or Walwet (ca. 610-546 BC). EL third-stater or trite (13mm, 4.69 gm). NGC Choice VF 4/5 - 4/5. Uninscribed, Lydo-Milesian standard. Sardes mint. Head of lion right, mouth open, mane bristling, radiate globule above eye / Two square punches of different size, side by side, with irregular interior surfaces. Linzalone 1090. Weidauer 86. Boston 1764. SNG von Aulock 2868. SNG Kayhan 1013. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30071** LYDIAN KINGDOM. Alyattes or Walwet (ca. 610-546 BC). EL third-stater or trite (13mm, 4.64 gm). NGC VF 4/5 - 4/5. Uninscribed, Lydo-Milesian standard. Sardes mint. Head of lion right, mouth open, mane bristling, radiate globule above eye / Two square punches of different size, side by side, with irregular interior surfaces. Linzalone 1090. Weidauer 86. Boston 1764. SNG von Aulock 2868. SNG Kayhan 1013. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30072** LYDIAN KINGDOM. Walwet (before ca. 560 BC). EL third-stater or trite (13mm, 4.67 gm). NGC VF 5/5 - 3/5. Lydo-Milesian standard. Sardes(?) mint. Confronting lion's heads, only the left (facing right) visible; WALWET (Lydian script) between / Two incuse square punches of unequal size, side by side, with irregular interior surfaces. Weidauer Group XVII, 95. SNG von Aulock 8204.

*Known examples of electrum coins inscribed in the name of the Lydian king Alyattes (rendered WALWET in the ancient Lydian script) were in the single digits until recently, when several examples appeared on the market. They remain extremely rare and are certainly among the first coins in history to carry an inscription along with a "type." The dies of third-staters (trites) and sixth-staters (hectes) were engraved with two confronting lion heads with the Lydian legend between them; however, the flans are invariably too small to show both heads.*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

**Croesus Mint State Light Tritite**



**30073** LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AV third-stater or trite (11mm, 2.67 gm). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5, **light scuff**. Sardes, 'light' standard, ca. 553-539 BC. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Rectangular bipartite incuse punch with irregular interior surfaces. Berk 9.6. SNG von Aulock 8212. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30074 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AV third-stater or trite (11mm, 2.67 gm). NGC VF 5/5 - 3/5.** Sardes, 'light' standard, ca. 553-539 BC. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Rectangular incuse punch, with irregular interior design. Berk 9.6. SNG von Aulock 8212. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30075 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AR stater or double siglos (21mm, 10.52 gm). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 2/5.** Sardes. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Two square punches of different size, side by side, with irregular interior surfaces. SNG Kayhan 1018. BMFA 2070. Berk, 100 Greatest Ancient Coins, 9.19. Well centered and struck on an attractively toned broad oval flan. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30076 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AR stater or double siglos (18mm, 10.51 gm). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 3/5.** Sardes. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Two square punches of different size, side by side, irregular interior surfaces. SNG von Aulock 2873-4. Traité I 407-8. Berk, 100 Greatest Ancient Coins, 9.19. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30077 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AR stater or double siglos (20mm, 10.65 gm). NGC VF 5/5 - 4/5.** Sardes. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Two square punches of different size, side by side, irregular interior surfaces. SNG von Aulock 2873-4. Traité I 407-8. Berk, 100 Greatest Ancient Coins, 9.19. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30078 ACHAEMENID PERSIA. Xerxes II-Artaxerxes II (5th-4th centuries BC). AV daric (17mm, 8.38 gm). NGC MS★ 5/5 - 5/5.** Lydo-Milesian standard. Sardes, ca. 420-375 BC. Persian king or hero, wearing cidaris and candys, quiver over shoulder, in kneeling-running stance right, transverse spear in right hand, bow in outstretched left hand / Irregular incuse punch. Carradice Type IIIb, Group C. Sunrise 28. Starting Bid: \$1,000

**Von Aulock Plate Coin 'Star' Sea Horse Stater**



**30079 LYCIA. Phaselis. Ca. 250-220 BC. AR stater (22mm, 10.35 gm, 6h). NGC Choice XF★ 4/5 - 4/5.** Politas, magistrate. Prow of galley right; sea horse right below / ΦΑΣΗ, stern of galley left; ΠΟΛΙΤΑΣ above. Heipp-Tamer 122-3. SNG von Aulock 4420 (this coin). An especially attractive example with an animal rarely seen on ancient coins. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30080 CILICIA. Celenderis. Ca. 425-350 BC. AR stater (20mm, 10.69 gm, 9h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5.** Ca. 425-400 BC. Youthful nude male rider, reins in left hand, kentron in right, dismounting from horse prancing to right / ΚΕΛΕΝ, goat with long whiskers kneeling right, head left; dolphin right in exergue, all in incuse circle. SNG France 2 -. SNG Levante 23 = SNG von Aulock 5631 = Kraay, "The Celenderis Hoard", NC 1962, p. 1-15, 25a (all same dies).

*Ex Harlan J Berk, private sale with old dealer tag.*  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30081 ARMENIAN KINGDOM. Tigranes II the Great (95-56 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 15.57 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 3/5.** Antioch, ca. 83-70. Diademed and draped bust right, wearing tiara with starburst between eagles standing outward looking inward, bead-and-reel border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΤΙΓΓΑΝΟΥ, Tyche seated on rock right, holding palm, river god Orontes swimming right before, ΩΙ monogram in inner right field, laureate border, I in exergue. AC 34. Starting Bid: \$600

## Horned Elephant Quadriga



**30082** SELEUCID KINGDOM. Seleucus I Nicator (312-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.01 gm, 11h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 3/5. Seleucia II (2nd Workshop), from ca. 296/5 BC. Laureate head of Zeus right; dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ, Athena, brandishing spear overhead in right hand, shield on left arm, in car of quadriga pulled by horned elephants right; Δ/B flanking anchor right above, dotted border. SC 130.1. SNG Spaer -. Newell -. ESM -. HGC 9, 18a. Apparently scarce, with only three examples in sales archives.

*Ex Pars Coins, private sale with old dealer tag*  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30083** SELEUCID KINGDOM. Seleucus I Nicator (312-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (27mm, 17.13 gm, 2h). NGC XF 5/5 - 4/5. Seleucia II (2nd Workshop), from ca. 296/5 BC. Laureate head of Zeus right; dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ, Athena, brandishing spear overhead in right hand, shield on left arm, in car of quadriga pulled by horned elephants right; flanking anchor right above, KPA monogram in inner left field, HIXP monogram to lower right, dotted border. SC 130.17. SNG Fitzwilliam 5511. HGC 9, 18a.  
Starting Bid: \$750

## Fine Style Antiochus III the Great



**30084** SELEUCID KINGDOM. Antiochus III the Great (222-187 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.09 gm, 1h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5, *Fine Style*. ΔI mint in southern or eastern Syria, from ca. 202 BC. Diademed head of Antiochus III right, idealizing, godlike portrait with mature features, softened and verging on delicate, touseled hair and slight break in bangs indicating incipient baldness at temple, horn above ear, diadem ends falling straight behind; ΔI behind, dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ANTIOXOY, Apollo seated left on omphalos, testing arrow in right hand, left hand resting on grounded bow with grip marked by three pellets at right; ΔI in exergue, dotted border. SC 1109.2.  
Starting Bid: \$600



**30085** PHOENICIA. Tyre. Ca. 126/5 BC-AD 65/6. AR shekel (30mm, 14.34 gm, 1h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5. Dated Civic Year 51 (76/5 BC). Laureate bust of Melqart right, lion skin tied around neck / ΤΥΡΟΥ ΙΕΡΑΣ-ΚΑΙ ΑΣΥΛΟΥ, eagle standing left on prow, palm over right wing; to left, AN (date) above club in left field, A in right field, *aleph* (Phoenician) between legs. DCA Tyre 183. DCA 919.

*From the Estate of Gerald 'Jerry' Farber*  
Starting Bid: \$750

## 'Star' Alexander the Great/Shams Gerrha Tetradrachm



- 30086** ARABIAN PENINSULA. Uncertain mint. Ca. late 3rd century BC. AR tetradrachm (28mm, 16.92 gm, 2h). NGC Choice XF★ 5/5 - 4/5, flan flaw. Late posthumous issue of Gerra/Icarus, ca. 250 BC. Head of Heracles right, wearing lion skin headdress, paws tied before neck / ΛΑΕΞΑΝΔΡΑΟΥ (N retrograde), Shams seated left on backless throne, right leg drawn back, feet on ground line, eagle in right hand, scepter in left; ΣΒΥ (Shams, Musnad/Southern Arabian) in left field. Price -, cf. 3957 (Σ (shin in Arabic, oriented horizontally) in left field). Huth 106a. Arnold-Biucchi, Arabian, pl. 18, 3. HGC 10, 697.

*Note from Price, p.495 "The hoard from Failaka in Kuwait enabled Mørkholm to show that the varieties 3957-8, which would normally be termed barbarous, were regular issues from the Arabian peninsula. Failaka itself may now be equated with the ancient Ikaros, but the prominent 'Greek' city in the area was Gerra, and it was probably there that the Alexander issues were made".*

*Gerra became the regional leading power after the rebellion of Molon in 222 BC, causing the Seleucids to lose their influence in the area, and asserted their power by striking their own coinage in the name of Alexander, but also with the local deity Shams in the field. Price only lists three coins for Gerra and none with Shams fully spelled out as on this example. Abi'el of Gerra, and some local tribes, struck a series of tetrachms, drachms and obols in his name (HGC 10, 686-691), and other territories in the region soon followed Gerra's lead, with Icarus/Failaka striking tetrachms and obols with just the abbreviation 'shin' (Arabic) for Shams vertically or horizontally (Price 3957-9), along with two Arabian chieftains, Abyatha (ca. 240-220 BC) and Harithat (ca. 180-160 BC), striking coins in their own names (HGC 10, 692-695).*

*Extremely rare - 8 known and of considerable historic importance with the deity fully spelled out, and only three examples in private hands (the others being three in Bahrain Museum, one in BN Paris, one in Vienna). Cf. Classical Numismatic Group, Triton XVI (8 January 2013), lot 576 for the only other known example sold publicly (realized \$35,000). Starting Bid: \$1,000*



- 30087** PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Ptolemy I Soter (ca. 323-305/4 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 15.67 gm, 11h). NGC AU 4/5 - 5/5. Intermediate Ptolemaic standard. Alexandria, in the name of Alexander III the Great of Macedon, 306-300 BC. Horned head of deified Alexander III right, wearing elephant skin headdress, mitra and scaly aegis; dotted border / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Athena advancing right, shield on extended left arm, brandishing spear held in right hand; Macedonian helmet right above eagle standing right on thunderbolt in outer right field, AX monogram in inner right field. CPE 69. Svoronos 162. Lovely cabinet toning. Starting Bid: \$750

## JUDAEA

### Numismatic Fine Arts Cover Coin



- 30088** JUDAEA. The Jewish War (AD 66-70). AR shekel (23mm, 13.86 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5. Jerusalem, dated Year 2 (AD 67/8). *Shekel of Israel* (Paleo-Hebrew), ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base resting on raised projections; *Year 2* above / *Jerusalem the holy* (Paleo-Hebrew), staff with three pomegranate buds, globular base. Hendin 1358.

*Ex An Important Offering of Judaeian Coinage (Numismatic Fine Arts, Auction XXVIII, 23 April 1992), lot 158 (cover coin) Starting Bid: \$2,000*



- 30089** JUDAEA. The Jewish War (AD 66-70). AR shekel (22mm, 13.71 gm, 11h). NGC Choice XF 4/5 - 4/5. Jerusalem, dated Year 2 (AD 67/8). *Shekel of Israel* (Paleo-Hebrew), ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base resting on raised projections; *Year 2* above / *Jerusalem the holy* (Paleo-Hebrew), staff with three pomegranate buds, globular base. Hendin 1358. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30090** JUDAEA. The Jewish War (AD 66-70). AR shekel (22mm, 13.65 gm, 12h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 2/5, edge chips, edge scuff. Jerusalem, dated Year 2 (AD 67/8). *Shekel of Israel* (Paleo-Hebrew), ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base resting on raised projections; *Year 2* above / *Jerusalem the holy* (Paleo-Hebrew), staff with three pomegranate buds, globular base. Hendin 1358. Starting Bid: \$1,500

ROMAN PROVINCIAL

Extremely Rare Aristobulus Jewish War Nero Issue



**30091** ARMENIAN KINGDOM. Kings of Armenia Minor. Aristobulus (AD 54-92). AE (24mm, 9.86 gm, 12h). NGC Fine 4/5 - 3/5. Nicopolis ad Lycum, or Chalkis, dated Regnal Year 13 (AD 66/7). BACIAEΩC AΠICTOBOYAOY ET IF, diademed head of Aristobulus left / NEPΩ/NI KAAAY / ΔΙΩ KAICA/PI CEBACTΩ / ΓEPMANIK, legend in five lines within wreath. Meshorer 366. Hendin 1257. cf. Roma Numismatics, Auction XV (5 April 2018), lot 285 (realized 19,500 GBP) for the same series from Regnal Year 17 (Hendin 1258). Extremely rare - no examples in coin archives.

*A loyal client king of Rome, Aristobulus supported the general Gnaeus Domitius Corbulo in the Roman-Parthian War of AD 58-63. He received a portion of Greater Armenia as reward, and in AD 73 supplied troops to the governor of Syria, Lucius Caesennius Paetus, who had persuaded Vespasian that Antiochus IV of Commagene was planning to revolt and side with Vologases I of Parthia. Aristobulus' decision to strike dated coins in only two years of his reign - years 13 (AD 66/7) and 17 (AD 70/1) - is significant as they mark the beginning and end of the First Jewish-Roman War respectively, honoring first Nero, then Titus, probably represent a public reaffirmation of Aristobulus' loyalty to his Roman patrons.*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

Aristobulus and Salome Jewish War Issue



**30092** ARMENIAN KINGDOM. Kings of Armenia Minor. Aristobulus, with Salome. AD 54-92. AE (20mm, 6.78 gm, 12h). NGC VF 4/5 - 3/5, glue residue. Dated Regnal Year 13 (AD 66/7). BACIAEΩC AΠICTOBOYAOY ET IF•, diademed, draped bust of Aristobulus left / BACIAIC-CHC CAAOMHC, diademed, draped bust of Salome left. Meshorer 365 var. (date). Hendin 1257a. RPC I 3840 var. (date). cf. CNG Triton XIX (5 January 2016), lot 277 (realized \$160,000). D. Flusser, "A New Portrait" in *Jerusalem Perspective* 55 (1999), pp. 18-23 corr. (date). A desirable example with perfectly legible legends.

*Aristobulus' wife, Salome, was the widow of Philip the Tetrarch and the daughter of Herodias by her first husband, Herod II. Although she is unnamed in the Gospels, it has been traditionally assumed that it was Salome who asked Herod Antipas for the head of John the Baptist in return for her risqué dance for the king.*

*The regnal date on this issue by a client king of Rome, which is known for years 13 and 17, would have a pro-Roman propaganda and political value, as those years correspond to the beginning of the Jewish War (AD 66) and the destruction of the Temple (AD 70).*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30093** EGYPT. Alexandria. Antinoös. (died AD 130). AE drachm (34mm, 23.29 gm, 12h). NGC VF 4/5 - 4/5. Dated Regnal Year 19 of Hadrian (AD 134/135). ANTINOÖY-HPΩOC, draped bust of Antinoös right, seen from front, wearing hem-hem crown / Antinoös on horseback right, wearing cloak flying behind, caduceus in right hand; L / IΘ (date) to right and below raised foreleg. Dattari (Savio) 2081-2. Emmet 1346.

*Antinoös was a handsome Bithynian youth whom Hadrian probably noticed on his visit to Bithynium-Claudiopolis in AD 123/4. According to Hadrian's recent biographer Anthony Birley, Antinoös likely found a "discreet place" in Hadrian's entourage and accompanied the peripatetic emperor on his various journeys. Their relationship came to a mysterious end during Hadrian's visit to Egypt in AD 130. During a barge trip up the Nile, Antinoös drowned, probably on October 24. In his memoirs, Hadrian insisted the youth's death was an accident, but other historians implied either that Hadrian had killed him in some sacrificial rite, or that Antinoös had committed ritual suicide to preserve Hadrian's health. Whatever the true story, Hadrian's grief was such that he deified the youth and founded the city of Antinoopolis near the spot of his drowning. The cult of Antinoös spread rapidly throughout the Greek east, making him the last of the truly popular pagan gods. His sculpted image also became ubiquitous as the very personification of male beauty. Antinoös is extensively honored on the Roman provincial coinage of the East, particularly in Bithynia and Egypt, but is totally absent from the official Roman coinage.*

Starting Bid: \$1,000

## ROMAN REPUBLIC



- 30094** Anonymous. Ca. 225-217 BC. AE aes grave as (67mm, 283.51 gm, 12h). Choice VF. Reduced Libral standard. Laureate, bearded head Janus on raised disk; horizontal I (mark of value) below / Prow of war galley right on raised disk; vertical I (mark of value) above. Vecchi 74. Thurlow-Vecchi 51. Crawford 35/1. HN Italy 337.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30095** Social War. Marsic Confederation (91-88 BC). AR denarius (18mm, 3.79 gm, 7h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 5/5. Bovianum (?) mint, 89 BC. VITELIU (Oscan), laureate head of Italia left, wearing necklace and earring; dotted border / Soldier, nude to waist, standing facing, helmeted head right, left foot on Roman standard, inverted spear in right hand, parazonium in left; recumbent bull facing at right, I in exergue, dotted border. HN Italy 407. Campana 9b/120-6, 130-47.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30096 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC). AR denarius (18mm, 3.85 gm, 6h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 5/5.** Military mint traveling with Caesar in northern Italy, ca. 49-48 BC. CAESAR, elephant advancing right, trampling horned serpent / Pontifical implements: simpulum, aspergillum, securis (axe surmounted by dog or wolf's head), and apex. Crawford 443/1. Sydenham 1006. Julia 9. Starting Bid: \$750



**30097 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC). AR denarius (19mm, 3.87 gm, 2h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5.** Military mint traveling with Caesar in northern Italy, ca. 49-48 BC. CAESAR, elephant advancing right, trampling horned serpent / Pontifical implements: simpulum, aspergillum, securis (axe surmounted by dog or wolf's head), and apex. Crawford 443/1. Sydenham 1006. Julia 9.

*Ex Dr. Nicholas Lowe Collection (Roma Numismatics, Auction XVIII, 29 September 2019), lot 948; Classical Numismatic Group, Triton IX (10 January 2006), lot 1317*  
Starting Bid: \$500



**30098 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC). AR denarius (17mm, 3.92 gm, 5h). NGC Choice AU★ 4/5 - 5/5.** Military mint moving with Caesar in North Africa, 48-46 BC. Diademed head of Venus right / CAESAR, Aeneas advancing left, palladium in right hand, carrying Anchises on his left shoulder. Crawford 458/1. CRI 55. Sydenham 1013. Starting Bid: \$600



**30099 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC). AR denarius (18mm, 3.83 gm, 6h). NGC AU★ 5/5 - 5/5.** Military mint moving with Caesar in North Africa, 48-46 BC. Diademed head of Venus right / CAESAR, Aeneas advancing left, palladium in right hand, carrying Anchises on his left shoulder. Crawford 458/1. CRI 55. Sydenham 1013. Starting Bid: \$600



**30100 L. Plautius Plancus (ca. 47 BC). AR denarius (19mm, 3.90 gm, 7h). NGC Choice AU★ 5/5 - 5/5.** L•PLAVTIVS, head of Medusa facing, coiled snake on either side / PLANCVS, Victory (or Aurora) flying forward, palm branch in left hand over shoulder, reins in both hands, leading four horses charging right. Crawford 453/1a. Sydenham 959. Plautia 15. Starting Bid: \$600



**30101 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC). AR denarius (18mm, 3.91 gm, 10h). NGC XF 2/5 - 4/5.** Rome, 44 BC, C. Cossutius Maridianus, moneyer. CAESAR-DICT•IN•PERPETVO, laureate, veiled head of Julius Caesar right / C•MARIDIANVS, Venus standing facing, head left, Victory in right hand, resting left elbow on shield set on globe. Crawford 480/15. Sydenham 1068. Julia 42 and Cossutia 4. Starting Bid: \$750



**30102 Divus Julius Caesar (49-44 BC). AR denarius (19mm, 4.16 gm, 12h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 2/5, scratches** Posthumous issue, April 44 BC, C. Cossutius Maridianus, moneyer. PARENS PATRIAE-CAESAR, veiled and wreathed head of Julius Caesar right; apex behind, lituus right before / C•COSSVTIVS MARIDIANVS arranged in form of cross; A-A-A-F•F in the angles. Crawford 480/19. Sydenham 1069. Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30103 P. Sepullius Macer (44 BC). AR denarius (18mm, 4.16 gm, 8h).** NGC XF 4/5 - 4/5. Rome, under Marc Antony, April-May 44 BC, CLEMENTIAE•CAESARIS, tetrastyle Temple of Clemency, globe in pediment / P•SEPVLLIVS / MACER, desultor right on horseback, wearing conical cap, reins in left hand, whip in right; second horse behind, palm frond and wreath at left. Crawford 480/21. Sydenham 1076. Julia 52.

*The reverse of this coin depicts a desultor, or a skilled rider that would jump from between multiple horses while the horses were in motion. This equestrian showmanship became part of the Parilian festival, an event that was celebrated every year on 21 April. The Parilia was originally a pastoral holiday, but throughout Rome's history it was adapted to fit the urbanized lives of the Romans and eventually became associated with the Founding of Rome (dies natalis). For example, in 45 BC, to celebrate his decisive victory in Munda, Julius Caesar added games to the ceremony, wanting to associate himself with Romulus and the Founding of Rome. Following Caesar's assassination earlier in the year, the combination of the riders with the obverse type, Marc Antony likely wanted to remind people of Caesar's clemency and his philanthropy towards the Romans, in order to prop up his own association and to gain support for his causes.*  
Starting Bid: \$750

## Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection



- 30104 Q. Servilius Caepio (M. Junius) Brutus, assassin of Caesar and Imperator (44-42 BC). AR denarius (19mm, 3.91 gm, 1h).** NGC Choice XF★ 5/5 - 5/5. Military mint moving with Brutus and Cassius in Western Asia Minor or Northern Greece, 43-42 BC, Pedanius Costa, legate. LEG-COSTA, laureate head of Apollo right, hair in parallel waves atop head and falling in two long tendrils down neck; spike border / IMP-BRVTVS, military trophy consisting of helmet, cuirass, oval shield with curved sides and two crossed spears mounted on pole; dotted border. Crawford 506/2. Sydenham 1296. RSC 4. CRI 209. Lovely cabinet toning.

*Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection (Sotheby's, 20 June 1991), lot 671*

*Marcus Junius Brutus was a blue-blooded Roman who had attained a fortune by lending money at exorbitant interest rates when he was suborned into the conspiracy against his former benefactor, Julius Caesar. As his distant ancestor had entered history as a great tyrannicide, Brutus soon became the de-facto leader and spokesmen for the assassins. After the Ides of March, Brutus induced a cowed senate to give him a governorship in northern Greece and promptly departed to raise money and arms for the brewing civil war against Caesar's adherents. He cut a brutal swath through Greece, Thrace and Asia Minor, looting city treasuries and enforcing horrendous taxes at the point of a sword. He turned his ill-gotten gains into silver denarii to pay his growing army and navy, including this type. Brutus and his companions were soon maneuvered into battle against the Caesarians at Philippi in Greece, where Marc Antony proved to be much the better general. Brutus took his own life with the very dagger he had plunged into Caesar, earning this unattractive character the reputation as a martyr for the cause of liberty.*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

## ROMAN IMPERIAL



- 30105 Augustus (27 BC-AD 14). AR cistophorus (26mm, 11.95 gm, 11h).** NGC Choice XF★ 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style. Pergamum, ca. 27-26 BC. IMP•CAESAR, bare head of Augustus right / AVGVSTVS, six grain ears bound together. RIC I 494. RPC I 2212. Beautiful cabinet toning.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30106 Augustus (27 BC-AD 14). AR denarius (21mm, 4.01 gm, 4h).** NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5. Uncertain mint in Spain, AD 19-18. CAESAR AVGVSTVS, bare head of Augustus right / OB CIVIS / SERVATOS, wreath with ties upward. RIC I 40a.  
Starting Bid: \$750

## Ex Numismatic Fine Arts



- 30107 Augustus (27 BC-AD 14), with Marcus Agrippa. AE dupondius (24mm, 12.83 gm, 9h).** NGC MS 4/5 - 3/5, adjusted flan. Gaul, Nemausus, ca. AD 10-14. IMP / DIVI•F, adduced heads of Augustus (on right) and Agrippa (on left), Augustus laureate, Agrippa wearing rostral crown; P-P across fields / COL-NEM, crocodile standing right, chained to palm tree with short, dense fronds and tip to left; wreath in left field with long ties extending into right field, two palm fronds below. RIC I 159.

*Ex Numismatic Fine Arts, Auction XXX (8 December 1992), lot 208*

*The flan adjustment noted on the holder was a post production process performed at the mint to bring the weight of the planchet within spec.*  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30108 Tiberius (AD 14-37). AR denarius (19mm, 9h).** NGC MS 5/5 - 3/5. Lugdunum. TI CAESAR DIVI-AVG F AVGVSTVS, laureate head of Tiberius right / PONTIF-MAXIM, Livia (as Pax), seated right on chair, feet on footstool, scepter in right hand, olive branch in left, ornate chair legs; single line below. RIC I 30.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30109 Nero (AD 54-68). AV aureus (19mm, 6.82 gm, 6h). NGC Choice VF 4/5 - 4/5.** Rome, AD 66-67. IMP NERO CAESAR-AVGVSTVS, laureate head of Nero right / SALVS, Salus seated left on high-backed throne, patera in right hand, scepter in left. RIC I 66. Calicó 445.

*From the Estate of Gerald 'Jerry' Farber*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

**Medallic Nero Lugdunese Sestertius**



**30110 Nero (AD 54-68). AE sestertius (37mm, 30.48 gm, 7h). NGC AU 5/5 - 2/5, smoothing.** Lugdunum, AD 65. NERO CLAVD CAESAR AVG GER P M TR P IMP P P, laureate head of Nero left, globe at truncation of neck / ANNONA-AVGVST-CERES, Annona standing right, cornucopia on left arm, right hand on hip, facing Ceres seated left, grain ears in right hand, torch in left; modius on garlanded altar and stern of ship in background between them, S C in exergue. RIC I 391. Mix of apple green patina and chestnut on a massive flan. Impressive coin in hand.

*Ex Heritage Auction 3030 (NYINC, 5 January 2014), lot 23939*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

**Ex Numismatic Fine Arts**



**30111 Nero (AD 54-68). AE dupondius (29mm, 15.87 gm, 6h). NGC Choice AU★ 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style.** Rome, ca. AD 67. IMP NERO CLAVD CAESAR AVG GERM P M TR P XIII PP, radiate head of Nero right / ROMA, Roma seated left on cuirass, vertical spear in right hand, resting with left elbow on shield set on pile of arms; S-C across fields. RIC I 363.

*Ex Numismatic Fine Arts, Auction XXX (8 December 1992), lot 221*

*Interesting execution of the obverse legend with XII barred and the final I of the tribunician year of full height.*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30112 Hadrian (AD 117-138). AV aureus (19mm, 7.15 gm, 7h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 3/5.** Rome, AD 117. IMP CAES TRAIAN HADRIANO AVG DIVI TRA PART F, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Hadrian right, seen from front with breast plate visible, baldic strap around neck and over chest / DIVI NER NEP•P-M TR•P•COS•, Fortuna seated left, feet on footstool, rudder in right hand, cornucopia in left; FORT RED in exergue. RIC II.3 46.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30113 Hadrian (AD 117-138). AV aureus (19mm, 6.90 gm, 6h). NGC Choice Fine 5/5 - 4/5.** Rome, late AD 121-123. IMP CAESAR TRAIAN HADRIANVS AVG, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Hadrian right, seen from front / P-M T-R P C-OS III, Hercules, nude, seated facing on a pile of armor, including a shield and cuirass, distaff upward in left hand, resting right hand on club; lion's skin below left arm. RIC II.3 508.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30114 Antoninus Pius (AD 138-161). AV aureus (19mm, 6.80 gm, 7h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Rome, AD 158-159. ANTONINVS AVG-PIVS P P TR P XXII, laureate head of Antoninus Pius right / VOTA SVSCE-PTA DEC III, emperor standing facing, togate, veiled head left, sacrificing with right hand over tripod at left, folds of robe in left; COS III in exergue. RIC III 294a (d). Calicó 1714.

Reserve Amount: \$3,500



**30115 Diva Faustina Senior (AD 138-140/1). AV aureus (20mm, 7.37 gm, 5h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 3/5, edge marks, scratches.** Rome, after AD 141. DIVA-FAVSTINA, draped bust of Diva Faustina Senior right, seen from front, hair elaborately waved in several loops around head under thin band, braided, drawn up and coiled on top with pearls / AVG-VSTA, Ceres standing facing, veiled head left, short lighted torch upward in each hand. RIC III (Antoninus Pius) 357a. Calicó 1758a.

*Ceres, goddess of agriculture and motherhood, was the central figure in Rome's "Plebian Triad," along with Liber and Libera. She is shown on the reverse of this aureus bearing torches, searching the dark underworld for her daughter Proserpina, who had been borne off by Dis Pater (aka Pluto).*  
Reserve Amount: \$3,500



- 30116 Diva Faustina Senior (AD 138-140/1). AV aureus (19mm, 6.98 gm, 6h). NGC XF★ 5/5 - 5/5.** Rome, AD 147-161. DIVA FAV-STINA, draped bust of Diva Faustina Senior right, seen from front, hair elaborately waved in several loops around head under thin band, braided, drawn up and coiled on top with pearls / AVGV-STA, Ceres standing facing, veiled head left, short torch upward in right hand, long scepter in left. RIC III (Antoninus Pius) 356. Calicó 1763.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30117 Diva Faustina Senior (AD 138-140/1). AV aureus (19mm, 6.88 gm, 11h). NGC XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Rome, AD 141-147. DIVA•AVGVSTA-FAVSTINA•, draped bust of Diva Faustina Senior right, seen from front, hair elaborately waved in several loops around head, braided, drawn up and coiled on top with pearls / PIETAS•-AVG•, Pietas standing facing, veiled head left, incense box in left hand, dropping incense from right hand into candelabrum to left. RIC III (Antoninus Pius) 395a. Calicó 1796.

*Pietas, the quality of religious devotion, is personified on Roman coinage as a goddess performing a ritual sacrifice over an altar, as seen here. Although a patriarchal society, Romans placed great emphasis on what might be termed "feminine virtues" and honored them on their coins, particularly those of Roman empresses.*

Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30118 Marcus Aurelius, as Caesar (AD 161-180). AV aureus (18mm, 7.01 gm, 6h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 3/5, Fine Style, edge marks.** Rome, AD 145-146. AVRELIVS CAES-AR AVG PII F COS II, bare head of Marcus Aurelius right / VOTA PV-B-LICA, Faustina Junior standing right, clasping hands with Marcus Aurelius standing left; Concordia standing right between and behind them. RIC III (Antoninus Pius) 434. Calicó 2035. Rare.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30119 Faustina Junior (AD 147-175/6). AV aureus (19mm, 6.93 gm, 5h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5, edge filing.** Rome, ca. AD 147-161. FAVSTINA AVG-PII AVG FIL, draped bust of Faustina Junior right, seen from front, hair waved and coiled with pearls at back of head in chignon / CONCOR-DIA, dove standing right on ground line, wings closed. RIC III (Antoninus Pius) 503a. Calicó 2045c.  
Reserve Amount: \$3,500



- 30120 Severus Alexander (AD 222-235). AV aureus (21mm, 6.26 gm, 7h). NGC MS 5/5 - 3/5, scratches.** Rome, AD 227. IMP C M AVR SEV ALEXAND AVG, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Severus Alexander right, seen from behind / P M TR P VI-C-O-S II P P, Mars advancing right, nude but for chlamys flying behind, transverse spear in right hand, trophy in left over shoulder. RIC IV.II 60d. Calicó 3112.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

## Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection



- 30121 Philip II, as Caesar (AD 247-249). AV aureus (20mm, 4.11 gm, 6h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 2/5, wrinkled, marks.** Rome, AD 244-246. M IVL PHILIPPVS CAES, bare headed, draped bust of Philip II right, seen from behind / PRINCIP-I IVVENT, Philip II in military dress, standing facing, head right, transverse spear in right hand and globe in left. RIC IV.III 216a. Calicó 3276. Very rare!

*Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection (Sotheby's, 20 June 1991), lot 860*

*Born in AD 237, Marcus Julius Severus Philippus was seven years old when eponymous father, the emperor Philip I, had him proclaimed Caesar early in AD 244. Although the empire was beset with many troubles, the reign started off with some promise. Philip II accompanied his father on campaigns against the Quadi and Carpi on the Danube frontier in AD 245-7. When Philip I returned in triumph, his 10-year-old son was elevated to the rank of co-Augustus, and together they presided over the extravagant Saecular Games that marked Rome's 1,000th anniversary in AD 248. However, in the following months further turmoil on the frontiers led to a rash of attempted usurpations, the most serious by the general Trajan Decius, who then marched against Rome in mid-AD 249. The two Philips gathered a legionary force and marched out to meet the usurper at Verona, but were defeated and slain in battle. Gold coins dating from the reign of the two Philips are exceptionally rare, due to the increasing scarcity of precious metals in the mid-third century.*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30122 Constans, as Augustus (AD 337-350). AV solidus (22mm, 4.46 gm, 6h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Trier, ca. AD 347-348. CONSTANS-AVGSTVS, pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Constans right, seen from front / VICTORIAE DD NN AVGG, two Victories standing facing, turned toward each other, holding between them a wreath inscribed VOT/X/MVLT/XX in four lines; TR in exergue. RIC VIII 135.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30123 Honorius, Western Roman Empire (AD 393-423). AV solidus (21mm, 4.49 gm, 1h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Sirmium, 10th officina, ca. AD 393-395. D N HONORI-VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Honorius right, seen from front / VICTOR-IA AVGGG I, emperor in military dress standing right, left foot on back of bound captive, labarum in right hand, Victory on globe in left; S-M across fields, COMOB in exergue. RIC IX 14d7.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30124 Honorius, Western Roman Empire (AD 393-423). AV solidus (21mm, 4.41 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Milan, AD 395-402. D N HONORI-VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Honorius right, seen from front / VICTORI-A AVGGG, Honorius standing facing, head right, left foot on reclining captive, labarum in right hand, Victory on globe in left; M-D across fields, COMOB in exergue. RIC X 1206.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30125 Honorius, Western Roman Empire (AD 393-423). AV solidus (21mm, 4.51 gm, 7h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Thessalonica, AD 403-448. D N HONORI-VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, helmeted, cuirassed bust of Honorius facing, turned slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left, staurogram on cuirass / CONCORDI-A AVGGG, Constantinopolis seated facing on plain throne, helmeted head right, scepter in right hand, Victory on globe in left, right foot on prow; star in left field, COMOB in exergue. RIC X 43.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30126 Theodosius I, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 379-395). AV solidus (21mm, 4.45 gm, 7h). NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 4th officina, AD 383-388. D N THEODO-SIVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Theodosius I right, seen from front / CONCORDI-A AVGGG Δ, Constantinopolis seated facing on plain throne, helmeted head right, right foot on prow, scepter in right hand, shield in left inscribed VOT/V/MVL/X; CONOB in exergue. RIC IX 70a2.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30127 Theodosius I, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 379-395). AV solidus (21mm, 4.44 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Constantinople, 8th officina, AD 378-383. D N THEODO-SIVS P F AVG, rosette-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Theodosius I right, seen from front / CONCOR-DIA AVGGG H, Constantinopolis seated facing on leonine throne, helmeted head right, scepter in right hand, globe in left, right foot on prow; CONOB in exergue. RIC IX 45d7.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30128 Theodosius I, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 379-395). AV solidus (20mm, 4.40 gm, 7h). NGC AU 5/5 - 5/5.** Sirmium, 1st officina, AD 393-395. D N THEODO-SIVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Theodosius I right, seen from front / VICTOR-IA AVGGG A, emperor in military dress standing right, vexillum with X on banner in right hand, Victory on globe in left, left foot on bound captive turned back and looking up; S-M across fields, COMOB in exergue. RIC IX 14a1.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30129 Theodosius II, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 402-450). AV solidus (20mm, 4.46 gm, 7h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Constantinople, ca. AD 442-443. D N THEODOSI-VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, helmeted, cuirassed facing bust of Theodosius II facing, turned slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / IMP•XXXXII•COS•XVII•P•P•, Constantinopolis enthroned left, left foot on prow, scepter in left hand, globus cruciger in right; grounded shield at side, star in left field, CONOB in exergue. RIC X 291.

*Although there is some die rust on the reverse across the exergue, it does, in fact, appear to read CONOB (R5 in RIC) as opposed to the usual COMOB (RIC X 293).  
Starting Bid: \$750*

## BYZANTINE



- 30130 Heraclius (AD 610-641), with Heraclius Constantine. AV solidus (11mm, 4.51 gm, 6h). NGC Gem MS 4/5 - 5/5.** Carthage, Indictional Year 8 (AD 619/20 or 634/5). D N ERA ET CONTAN PP A, facing busts of Heraclius, with short beard (on left) and Heraclius Constantine, smaller and beardless (on right), each wearing chlamys and crown, cross in field above / VICTORIA AG H, cross potent on two steps; CONOB below. Sear 867. Starting Bid: \$750



- 30131 Constantine IV Pogonatus (AD 668-685). AV solidus (19mm, 4.45 gm, 7h). NGC Choice MS★ 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 2nd officina, AD 669-674. d N C-t-NYS P, cuirassed bust of Constantine IV facing with short beard, turned slightly right, wearing crested helmet with frontal plume, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / VICTOA-A-VCH B +, standing figures of Heraclius (on left) and Tiberius (on right), both beardless and wearing chlamys, globus cruciger in right hand; flanking central cross potent set on three steps, CONOB below. Sear 1156A. Starting Bid: \$750

### Choice Mint State Justinian II



- 30132 Justinian II, first reign (AD 685-695). AV solidus (19mm, 4.49 gm, 7h). NGC Choice MS 4/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 6th officina, AD 686-687. IYSTINIA-NYS PC AV, bust of Justinian II facing, with slight beard indicated by row of dots around face, wearing crown topped by cross and cirlet, chlamys pinned at right shoulder, globus cruciger in right hand / VICTORIA-AVC S, cross potent on three steps; CONOB below. Sear 1245. Starting Bid: \$750



- 30133 Justinian II, first reign (AD 685-695). AV solidus (19mm, 4.46 gm, 7h). NGC MS 4/5 - 3/5, brushed.** Constantinople, 9th officina, AD 692-695. Ihs CRISTDS REX-RECNANTIVM (Y retrograde), facing half-length bust of Christ with long hair and full beard, wearing pallium and colobium, cross behind head, raising right hand in benediction, book of Gospels cradled in left arm / D IYSTINI-AN-Y S SER Y CHRISTI O, full-length figure of Justinian II standing facing, wearing crown and loros, cross potent on two steps in right hand, akakia in left; CONO-P below. Sear 1248. Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30134 Leontius (AD 695-698). AV solidus (20mm, 4.39 gm, 6h). NGC MS 4/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 1st officina. D LEO-N PC AV, facing bust of Leontius, bearded, wearing crown with cross on cirlet and lozenge pattern loros, akakia in raised right hand, globus cruciger in left / VICTORIA-AVC A, cross potent set on three steps; CONOB below. Sear 1330. Starting Bid: \$750



- 30135 Justinian II Rhinotmetus, second reign (AD 705-711). AV solidus (19mm, 4.48 gm, 6h). NGC MS 4/5 - 3/5.** Constantinople, AD 709-711. O N Ihs Chs REX REGNANTIVM, facing bust of youthful Christ, with slight beard and tight, curly hair, wearing pallium and colobium, right hand raised in benediction, book of Gospels cradled in left arm; cross behind / O N IYSTINIAN-Y S ET TIBERIYS PP A, crowned facing half-length figures of Justinian II (on left), bearded, and Tiberius (on right), slightly smaller and beardless, both wearing divitision and chlamys, jointly holding cross potent on two steps. Sear 1415. DOC 2b. Starting Bid: \$750

ALBANIA



**30136 Basil II Bulgaroctonos (AD 976-1025), with Constantine VIII. AV tetarteron nomisma (22mm, 4.03 gm, 7h). NGC MS 4/5 - 3/5, clipped.** Constantinople, AD 977-989. + IHS XIS REX RECNANTIHm, bust of Christ facing, wearing nimbus cruciger ornamented with wedge in each arm, pallium, and colobium, raising right hand in benediction, book of Gospels cradled in left arm / + BASIL C COhSTAh TlB R, facing busts of Basil II, wearing loros of lozenge pattern, and Constantine VIII, wearing plain chlamys pinned at right shoulder, jointly holding patriarchal cross between them, triangle on shaft. Sear 1802. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30137 Michael IV the Paphlagonian (AD 1034-1041). AV histamenon nomisma (24mm, 4.43 gm, 6h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Constantinople. + IHS XIS REX RECNANTIHm, facing bust of Christ, wearing nimbus cruciger with square and four pellets in each arm, pallium and colobium, right hand raised in benediction, book of Gospels in left; triple border / + mIX-Ah-L bASILC4S Rm, facing bust of Michael IV with short beard, wearing crown with pendilia and loros with square pattern, labarum with central square surrounded by four pellets on banner surmounted by cross in right hand, globus cruciger in left; manus Dei above from left, triple border. Sear 1824. Rare. Starting Bid: \$750



**30138 Isaac I Comnenus (AD 1057-1059). AV histamenon nomisma (25mm, 4.44 gm, 6h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5, light marks.** Constantinople. + IHS XIS REX-RECNANTIHm, Christ seated facing on backless throne, wearing nimbus cruciger, pallium and colobium, raising right hand in benediction, book of Gospels cradled on left arm; double border / + ICAAkIOc RA-CILAEVC PΩm-I, Isaac I standing facing, wearing crown with pendilia, scale cuirass, corselet with ptryges, and military cloak, sword upright in right hand, resting left on sheath; double border. Sear 1843. Starting Bid: \$750



**30139 Republic gold Proof "Prince Skanderbeg" 20 Franga Ari 1927-V PR66 NGC,** Vienna mint, KM12, Fr-6. Unrecorded as a Proof in the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*, and clearly of the highest rarity, with no other examples located in recent auction records. This alone should serve as pause for close consideration, yet the magnificent eye appeal and preservation are equally impressive, the surfaces highly watery and contrasting admirably against the heavily frosted devices. *From the Caranett Collection* Starting Bid: \$1,250

## ALDERNEY



- 30140 British Dependency. Elizabeth II gold Proof “60th Anniversary of D-Day” 5 Pounds 2004 PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC, British Royal mint, KM38b.** Struck in commemoration of the 60th anniversary of the allied invasion of Normandy. AGW 1.1771 oz.  
Reserve: \$1,600

## ARGENTINA



- 30141 Cordoba. Provincial 8 Reales 1852 MS64+ NGC, Cordoba mint, KM32.** A superb representative of this 8 Reales issue, produced in the final year of operation for the provincial mint, which ran from 1844 to 1852. Of the nearly 50 examples seen by NGC, this specimen ranks alone as the absolute finest, and truly, with its opulent argent luster, perfectly enhanced by the presence of a light scattering of graphite tone, this distinction is fully deserved.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30142 Tierra del Fuego. Territory gold “Popper” Gramo 1889 MS64 NGC, Buenos Aires mint, KM-Tn5, Janson-7.** Large Letters Obverse & Reverse. Produced by Julius Popper, a Jewish Romanian-born Argentine adventurer referred to as a “modern conquistador.” Fully brilliant, with flashy yellow-gold luster enhancing the presentation.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30143 Tierra del Fuego. Territory gold “Popper” 5 Gramos 1889 MS62 NGC, Buenos Aires mint, KM-Tn8, Fr-2, Janson-7.** One of two denominations struck in Buenos Aires by Julius Popper, a Romanian-born Jewish adventurer who was granted permission to mine gold and strike coins on the Argentine side of the island. The 5 Gramos is the scarcer of the two, and becomes quite rare and desirable in Mint State condition. This example is quite nice, lustrous and lightly reflective, with an even pale yellow coloration over the well-struck surfaces.  
Reserve: \$4,000



- 30144 Republic gold “War of the Triple Alliance” Valor Medal ND (c. 1889) AU, Barac-81, R&S-Ar29.** 27mm. 14.73gm. 18ct. gold. Issued for valor by the “grateful nation” (Argentina) for operations against Paraguay in the War of the Triple Alliance, also known as the Paraguayan war, a conflict that saw a coalition of Argentina, Uruguay, and Brazil inflict a devastating defeat on Paraguay in what is widely viewed as one of the deadliest conflicts ever experienced by a defeated country, as measured on a per-capita basis. The medal remains attached to the original ribbon, with its golden surfaces showing only relatively light handling and signs of an attractive reddish tone developing throughout.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

## AUSTRALIA



- 30145 Victoria gold Sovereign 1855-SYDNEY AU55 PCGS, Sydney mint, KM2.** A conditionally superior representative of this first year of the “Fillet” head type, produced only in 1855 and 1856. Nearly full detail remains over the semi-lustrous surfaces, with the Queen’s portrait clearly defined against the surrounding fields.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30146 Victoria gold Sovereign 1855-SYDNEY AU55 PCGS**, Sydney mint, KM2. Retaining sharp detail for the type, which is more commonly found significantly more circulated yet still prized even in lower states of preservation. This glowing example displays areas of bright mint luster in the protected regions, with a generally strong definition and only moderate rub to the higher points of Victoria's bust. Rarely found in this condition, and highly regarded as an elusive two-year type.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30147 George V gold Sovereign 1926-P MS63 PCGS**, Perth mint, KM29, S-4001. Choice, with silky golden luster enhancing the visual presentation.  
Reserve: \$1,250



**30148 George V gold Sovereign 1929-M AU58 PCGS**, Melbourne mint, KM32, S-4000. A difficult date in the Australian series, with examples ranking at or near uncirculated preservation proving particularly elusive. This selection, displaying ample luster and good details, therefore represents a worthy date candidate for the dedicated and quality-minded Sovereign collector.  
Starting Bid: \$600

AUSTRIA



**30149 Salzburg. Maximilian Gandolph Taler 1682 MS63 NGC**, KM233, Dav-3509. Slightly concave from its production, allowing a strip of iridescent luster to travel vertically from side-to-side when tilted in the light; the planchet has toned to a handsome dove-gray with rainbow patina residing in the recesses. Sharp, and appealing for its grade.  
Reserve: \$1,300

**30150 No lot**



**30151 Leopold I Taler 1699/8 MS63 NGC**, Hall mint, KM1303.5, Dav-3245A. A highly appealing and choice selection displaying steely and semi-matte surfaces alongside a well-balanced, well-centered strike. A relatively clear overdate adds an element of further interest.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30152 Leopold I gold Ducat 1683 MS61 PCGS**, Vienna mint, KM1325, Fr-276. Doubly impressive due to its combined rarity and preservation, with the strike near full and leaving ample detail for appreciation. The design, produced on a lightly crinkled flan, as is typical for coins of this age and thin size, proves further embellished by the presence of deep golden tones which cling to the obverse surfaces, enhancing the sharp eye appeal of this inspiring ducat.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30153 Ferdinand I gold Proof "Salvator Mundi" Medal of 13 Ducats ND (Post-1843) Proof Details (Mounted) NGC**, cf. Forrer-297 (for engraver). 42mm. 45.75gm. By K. Lange. An imposing gold medal presenting Christ as "Savior of the World" on the obverse, the reverse depicting the city of Vienna. Skillfully mounted with a gold ringlet and a highly desirable issue in this size, greatly surpassing the more common lower weight issues in presentation. Starting Bid: \$3,000



**30154 Franz Joseph I gold 1/2 Krone 1858-E MS63 NGC**, Karlsburg mint (in Transylvania), KM2251, Fr-498, J-314. Mintage: 25,000. A joint presentation of shimmering golden fields and clear detailing combine to make an appealing representative of this scarcer issue, with glowing cartwheel luster displaying itself over both the obverse and reverse surfaces to yield a charming appeal and potential for extended in-hand appreciation. Scarce, and rarely found in a choice Mint State level of preservation. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30155 Franz Joseph I gold 1/2 Krone 1861-A AU58 NGC**, Vienna mint, KM2251, Fr-498, J-314. Mintage: 2,868. Shimmering luster pervades over the surfaces of this golden rarity, the example at hand clearly having seen only a minimum of circulation, its overall admirable presentation aided by a warm amber glow which enhances the allure of the obverse and reverse alike. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30156 Franz Joseph I gold Krone 1861-A AU Details (Removed From Jewelry) NGC**, Vienna mint, KM2253, Fr-496, J-315. Mintage: 2,010. A notable rarity both in terms of total survivorship for the type, as well as in terms of mintage for the individual date, with just over 2,000 examples struck in total. Hairlines are evident across the surfaces, though this remains a scarce opportunity to acquire an example of an issue that rarely comes to auction. Starting Bid: \$750



**30157 Franz Joseph I gold 20 Corona 1916 MS62 NGC**, KM2827, Fr-511. Pointed shield type. A glowing example of this scarce issue displaying even better visual appeal than that suggested by the grade, handling confined to only lighter scattered instances of no singular significance, the obverse and reverse surfaces alike retaining an impressive brilliance. Starting Bid: \$500



**30158 Franz Joseph I gold 100 Corona 1908 UNC Details (Surface Hairlines) NGC, Kremnitz mint, KM2812.** Mintage: 16,000. A still-commendable example of this popular 60th anniversary of reign issue, commonly referred to as the “Lady in the Clouds.” Hairlines are evident, yet sparkling golden luster and Mint State detail still manage to overcome any post-strike imperfections. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30159 Franz Joseph I gold 100 Corona 1908 AU58 NGC, Kremnitz mint, KM2812.** An appealing example of this popular “Lady in the Clouds” type, exhibiting some slight wear but no distracting marks or hairlines to speak of. Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30160 Republic gold Prooflike 100 Kronen 1923 PL62 PCGS, Vienna mint, KM2831, Fr-518.** An elusive and much-demanded two-year type designed by Richard Placht, designated as “Prooflike” by PCGS and displaying smooth, even fields with significant reflectivity. An appealing piece and quite attractive for its grade. We note that there is some controversy regarding which examples of this type may be designated as Proof and which not, as all known examples seem to exhibit excessively polished dies and Prooflike surfaces and certain pieces appear merely to demonstrate stronger cameo contrast than others. This cataloguer believes that they are in truth fundamentally indistinguishable as a type, and were likely all struck in an identical manner. At PCGS, the decision seems to have been made to designate some pieces as “Proof,” with additional Cameo and Deep Cameo subdivisions, and some as “Prooflike,” which encompasses all supposedly Business Strike examples. At NGC, all examples seem to now be grouped under “Prooflike,” though examples in older holders may be found with Mint State or Proof designations. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30161 Republic gold Prooflike 100 Kronen 1924 PL63 PCGS, Vienna mint, KM2831, Fr-518.** An elusive and much-demanded two-year type designed by Richard Placht, designated as “Prooflike” by PCGS. Heavily mirrored fields and watery surfaces on this choice example, with an essentially flawless obverse that is only prevented from achieving a higher certified grade by a flurry of contact marks in the reverse fields. Reserve: \$4,500

**AUSTRIAN NETHERLANDS**



**30162 Insurrection 3 Florins 1790-(B) MS63 NGC, Brussels mint, KM50, Dav-1285.** A one year type of just 44,000 specimens. Crisp with charming artistic imagery, the planchet toned to a pewter gray with vivid argent luster cloaking the devices. Reserve: \$1,500

**BELGIUM**



**30163 Charles V (1506-1555) gold Couronne d'Or au Soleil 1544 MS63+ NGC, Antwerp mint, Fr-62, Delm-102.** Struck on a slightly ragged flan at the edges with a crack at 12 o'clock and the reverse showing evidence of a rusted die, though nonetheless a pleasing piece retaining much luster and superbly centered. Reserve: \$1,500



- 30164 Flanders. Philippe le Bon gold Lion d'or (Gouden Leeuw) ND (1419-1467) MS64 NGC**, Bruges mint, Fr-185, Delm-489, Vanhoudt-16BG. 4.21gm. Ph'S : DCI : GRA' : DVX : BVRG : COM : FLAND' (double saltire stops), lion seated left beneath a Gothic canopy, a briquette to either side / + SIT : nOmEN : DOMINI : BENEDICTVM : AmEN : (briquet) (double saltire stops), Burgundian arms with inescutcheon of Flanders superimposed on a cross fleurée. Struck on a broad and lustrous flan, with virtually every element of the design well-expressed and resulting in superior visual appeal for this selection, the finest of its type that we have offered to-date.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30165 Leopold I gold 10 Francs 1849 MS65 NGC, KM18.** An exceptionally high-grade example with vibrant, yellow-gold tone and virtually pristine surfaces. Superb, and with immediate appeal; unsurpassed in grade at NGC.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30166 Leopold I gold 25 Francs 1848 MS64+ NGC**, Brussels mint, KM13.1. A superb example of this two-year type, lightly mirrored fields glaring with cartwheel luster.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30167 Leopold I gold 25 Francs 1850 MS66 NGC, KM13.3, Fr-407.** Obv. Bare head of Leopold I right. Rev. Crowned, and mantled, coat-of-arms dividing value with date below. An inspiring representative of the issue, tied for finest certified across PCGS and NGC, and displaying satiny golden luster that transitions to a bright flashiness at the peripheries, the whole of the surfaces revealing only the most minimal signs of handling, in-line with the gem certification assigned.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

## BERMUDA



- 30168 British Colony. George III bronzed Proof Restrike Penny 1793 PR65 Brown NGC, KM5.** Beautifully engraved by Droz, a handsome restrike piece in a far higher certified grade than is usually encountered, its handsome chocolate brown surfaces flaring with sublime blue tone and pooling around the pristine devices.  
Reserve: \$2,000

## BRAZIL



- 30169 Pedro II gold 4000 Reis 1698/7-(B) MS62 NGC**, Bahia mint, cf. KM89 (overdate unlisted), LMB-26. Lightly reflective with splashes of reddish tone.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30170 João V gold 800 Reis 1727-B XF Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Bahia mint, KM123, LMB-107. Fourth shield. Cleaned with scratches to both sides and a metal flaw through João's portrait, nonetheless a scarce type in XF.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30171 João V gold 800 Reis 1727-B VF Details (Reverse Repaired) NGC**, Bahia mint, KM123, LMB-107. Second shield. Only the lightest of surface alterations, an otherwise pleasing sand-gold piece with evenly worn details.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30172 João V gold 800 Reis 1728/7-M UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Minas Gerais mint, KM120, LMB-257. A certainly better representative of this type, rarely found in uncirculated condition. The offering benefits from a well-centered, firm strike, leaving admirable detail across the obverse and reverse features alike.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30173 João V gold 800 Reis 1734-R MS63 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM153, LMB-199. The finer of just two certified examples by NGC, with none in PCGS's database. The detail of its strike is exquisite, far beyond what one would expect for an MS63, with light reflectivity gracing the butter-yellow planchet; rarely encountered in any grade, let alone as choice Mint State. A significant Brazilian rarity.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30174 João V gold 800 Reis 1743-B AU55 NGC**, Bahia mint, KM123, LMB-111. Boasting considerable visual appeal, the surfaces of this smaller denomination are clearly original with a pleasing charcoal accent to the crisp devices and a hint of peach toning at the peripheries. Scarcely offered as a type, an enticing Bahia mint specimen.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30175 João V gold 800 Reis 1747-B AU Details (Harshly Cleaned) NGC**, Bahia mint, KM149, LMB-113. A very rare minor type, its surfaces exhibiting brushmarks in line with its cleaning but otherwise with full detail and a sharp strike.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30176 João V gold 1000 Reis 1749-(L) MS64 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM161, LMB-290. A sparkling example of this relatively smaller statured gold denomination displaying a quality of preservation that places it as the single finest example of the date yet seen by NGC. A clear conditional rarity and worthy of close collector consideration.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30177 João V gold 4000 Reis 1710-R UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM102, LMB-162. Quite attractive despite its details designation, the fields infused with soft luster and not too much in the way of the distracting hairlines one might expect.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30178 João V gold 4000 Reis 1722-R MS65 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM102, LMB-174. A superb gem specimen of this popular series of *moedas* (or 4000 Reis), rare in any Mint State condition and certainly so in this grade, the finest of the date by two full points at NGC. A bright sun-yellow with hints of darker tone permeating the fields.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30179 João V gold 6400 Reis 1746-R MS63 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM149, LMB-221. Fully choice and well-centered with strong luster and areas of honeyed tone prominent around the reverse shield. Among the very finest seen by the grading services, the highest graded coming just a single point above the present example.  
Ex. Paulistana Collection  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30180 João V gold 6400 Reis 1748-B AU58 NGC**, Bahia mint, KM151, LMB-148. Flashy at the peripheries, with a quasi-satiny appearance throughout the majority of the surfaces resulting in an inviting appeal, the general sharpness of the devices and quality of preservation leaving no doubt as to the near-Mint State quality of this specimen.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30181 João V gold 6400 Reis 1750-B AU58 NGC**, Bahia mint, KM151, LMB-150. A lovely near-Mint example revealing only very light circulation wear on the high points and a strong, well-defined strike, with mellow saffron luster and sun-gold surfaces. In all respects a praiseworthy selection of this final date of issue for the type.  
Ex. Dresden Collection  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30182** João V gold 10000 Reis 1727-M MS63 NGC, Minas Gerais mint, KM116, LMB-247. An appealing, scarcely handled offering from this four-year series, the obverse shield exhibiting the usual striking weakness and the reverse with a central adjustment mark. Ample mint luster sparkles in the recesses, brightening the planchet and enhancing the overall visual allure of this Mint State piece.  
Reserve: \$4,500



- 30183** Jose I gold 800 Reis 1763-R AU Details (Obverse Scratched) NGC, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM180.2, LMB-409. Of superior preservation for this issue, normally seen in much more extensively circulated states, when encountered at all. A single scratch runs along the inside of the obverse legend near 2 o'clock, though due to its placement fortunately comes as a lesser distraction than might otherwise have been the case, with a generally well-balanced strike and considerable mint luster confirming that this offering is not one to be overlooked.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30184** Jose I gold 800 Reis 1768-B AU Details (Cleaned) NGC, Bahia mint, KM180.1, Gomes-29.12. Despite its cleaning the surfaces of this selection do not exhibit an artificial brightness, and instead appear a matte sand-yellow with admirably sharp details for grade.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30185** Jose I gold "Large Size" 1000 Reis 1771-(L) MS66 NGC, Lisbon mint, KM162.3, LMB-327. Type 4, "Josephus Dominus" variety. In every respect, a sparkling jewel of the type, and doubtlessly one of the finest survivors of the issue in this condition, combining uniformly bold features with shimmering brilliance in the fields. Tied for the finest example seen by NGC.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30186** Jose I gold 6400 Reis 1756-B MS64 NGC, Bahia mint, KM172.1, LMB-386. A delightful near-gem example of the date, with impressively luminous surfaces and very few marks of visual significance. Likely a shipwreck find, and preserved abnormally well as such, with remnants of russet-colored debris visible around the outer dentilation on both sides.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30187** Maria I gold 2000 Reis 1787-(L) MS65 NGC, Lisbon mint, KM224, LMB-493. Mintage: 1,500. A superb survivor of this lower mintage issue featuring the combined force of a clear and well-centered strike and luminescent fields absent of any significant handling or distractions. Currently the finest specimen certified by NGC.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30188** Maria I gold 4000 Reis 1786 MS63+ NGC, Lisbon mint, KM210, LMB-458. From a mintage of only 3000 pieces. Rare in any uncirculated grade and especially so choice, this being the sole finest example graded by NGC. Flashy, lightly reflective surfaces with hints of reddish color around the peripheries. Quite attractive.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30189** Maria I gold 4000 Reis 1792-(L) MS64 NGC, Lisbon mint, KM225.1, LMB-498. A particularly enticing example with semi-Prooflike fields, needle-sharp devices and original canary-gold color. This type is sought-after in Mint State but very seldom reaches this lofty preservation, and as such should generate intense collector interest.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30190 Maria I gold 6400 Reis 1800-R MS62 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM226.1, LMB-538. Harvest-gold color with copious luster, only limited stacking friction to the high points. The reverse has a rim scratch at 2 o'clock and a die break at 3 o'clock.  
Ex. Santa Cruz Collection  
Reserve: \$1,000



**30191 João Prince Regent gold 4000 Reis 1812-(R) MS64 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM235.2, LMB-572. Shimmering fields and a bold strike mark the praiseworthy quality of this near-gem representative, certified only a single point shy of gem preservation, an honor fully deserved by a combination of its technical and visual merit.  
Reserve: \$1,000



**30192 João Prince Regent gold 4000 Reis 1814-(R) MS66 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM235.2. A staggering gem and a specimen that is as close to perfection as could be expected for the issue. Just slightly off center, yet the strike remaining needlepoint accurate, with a pale honey chroma that effortlessly glints off the devices, highlighting the pristine surfaces.  
Ex. Santa Cruz Collection  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30193 João Prince Regent gold "Special Series" 4000 Reis 1816-(R) UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM312, LMB-578. A highly popular one year type bearing João's full title in Latin on the reverse, "PRINCEPS REGENS". Despite its certification, this piece still exhibits frosty mint luster and UNC striking detail.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30194 João VI gold 4000 Reis 1821-(R) MS63 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM327.1, LMB-585. An excellent date and type representative offering lustrous fields decorated in a gentle spread of honeyed amber tones, a firm strike leaving clear detailing with only isolated weakness seen over the obverse crown.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30195 Pedro II copper Pattern 20 Reis 1861 MS63 Brown NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM-Pn90, Bentes-E49.01. An alluring mahogany example of this rare Pattern type, seldom encountered in any condition, much less so in Choice Mint State. The last example we had the privilege of offering, graded AU55 Brown by NGC, realized \$3,600 including Buyer's Premium in September, 2019.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30196 Pedro II gold 5000 Reis 1859 UNC Details (Obverse Cleaned) NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM470, LMB-642. A rare date in Pedro II's 5000 Reis series - one which saw only 493 examples struck - this compared to other dates in the same series, several of which exceeded 20,000 and even 40,000 produced. Mint State examples of this year are thus a particular prize to behold, and though this offering displays light hairlines on the obverse, these appear to be exceedingly light, leaving a stark mint brilliance to highlight the sharp devices on both faces.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30197 Pedro II gold 10000 Reis 1834 AU58 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM451, LMB-616. Mintage: 5,617. Glowing luster highlights from the recesses and across the fields of this near-Mint offering, with only an even yet very light spread of handling across the surfaces and the gentlest highpoint rub confirming any time spent in circulation.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30198 Pedro II gold 10000 Reis 1835/4 MS61 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, cf. KM451 (overdate unlisted), LMB-617 (same). A sharp strike absent any wear confirms the Mint State preservation of this offering, which, though displaying somewhat muted surfaces due to handling, represents an intriguing example of the type that shows a clear overdate, not noted in the *Standard Catalog of World Coins* or *Livro Das Moedas Do Brasil*.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30199 Pedro II gold 10000 Reis 1842 AU55 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM457, LMB-623. A lower mintage type, one of 1,146 struck; highly attractive in-hand, with bright sunny surfaces and somewhat Prooflike reflectivity.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30200 Pedro II silver "Battle of Tonelero" Medal 1851 MS62 NGC**, cf. Meili-107 (only listed in copper). 60mm. Struck to celebrate the naval victory in the Battle of Tonelero, this type is only usually seen in copper, with this representing the sole silver example in recent auction record. Extremely rare thus, its grade seems somewhat conservative with few distracting marks to the high-relief devices or in the fields.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30201 Republic gold 10000 Reis 1903 MS61 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM496, Fr-125, LMB-698. Mintage: 391. Sun gold with shimmering lustrous fields and nearly fully struck details. Only a single example seen by NGC certifies finer.  
Ex. Grand Castello Collection; RLM Collection  
Starting Bid: \$600



- 30202 Republic gold 10000 Reis 1908 MS63 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM496, LMB-702. Mintage: 689. Scintillating luster warms from the recesses of this choice example, currently ranked at the second-finest grade seen across both PCGS and NGC combined. Accordingly, very rarely found better.  
Starting Bid: \$700



- 30203 Republic gold 10000 Reis 1916 MS64 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM496, LMB-707. Though ranking as a high mintage issue in the series, the 1916 mintage remains limited to only 4,720 examples, with higher quality selections granted special attention by collectors. Brilliant, with a uniformly sharp strike that leaves no details unrealized.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30204 Republic gold 10000 Reis 1921 MS64 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM496, Fr-125, LMB-709. Mintage: 2,435. Flashy golden luster marks the quality of this choice selection, displaying both a firm strike and all-around commendable visual allure. Currently tied for finest certified by NGC.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30205 Republic gold 20000 Reis 1921 MS63 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM497, Fr-124, LMB-736. Struck in a fairly low mintage of only 5,934 pieces, and very difficult to obtain in elevated Mint State grades, this pleasing, choice specimen offers highly lustrous surfaces and an alluring light golden tone.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30206** Republic gold 20000 Reis 1921 UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM497, LMB-736. Mintage: 5,934. A fully Mint State selection retaining complete detailing across each facet of its struck design.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30207** Republic gold 20000 Reis 1922 MS64 NGC, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM497, LMB-737. Mintage: 2,681. Fully brilliant, with a hint of reflectivity to the central obverse fields and a clarity of strike that leaves nothing wanting.  
Starting Bid: \$750

## CANADA



- 30208** Victoria "Large Date" 5 Cents 1875-H AU55 ICCS, Heaton mint, KM2. Clearly on the cusp of Mint State, displaying only light wisps of handling over surfaces offering clear luster amidst orange and amber tones. A premier circulated example of this better variety.  
No Minimum Bid



- 30209** Victoria 10 Cents 1887/7 MS62 NGC, London mint, cf. KM3 (overdate unlisted). An exceedingly rare overdate variety, entirely absent from the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*, and while noted in Charlton, that reference records no price data for anything above an AU50. Indeed this is one of only 2 certified examples to-date bearing the 7/7 between NGC and PCGS combined, with the other, an MS64+, bringing over \$10,000 as part of our sale of the George Hans Cook Collection last August. On the whole, the present example does appear quite choice for the assigned grade, with thick satin finish over both sides and a general paucity of bagmarks. Perhaps the only opportunity most collectors will find to acquire an example.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30210** Victoria "Wide 0" 25 Cents 1880-H AU58 NGC, Heaton mint, KM5. Scarce "wide 0" variety. A conditionally impressive selection of this scarcer variety which impresses upon the viewer immediately with its lustrous surfaces and gently contrasting peripheral tone. Though a few hairline scratches are noted to the right of Victoria's bust and below the date on the reverse, it is clear that the type is rarely found much finer than this, and thus represents a prime opportunity bordering so close to uncirculated preservation.  
Starting Bid: \$600



- 30211** Edward VII gold Sovereign 1910-C MS63 PCGS, Ottawa mint, KM14, S-3970. A choice selection offering lustrous honey-gold color and only insolated and relatively insignificant instances of handling.  
*From the George Hans Cook Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30212** George V gold 10 Dollars 1914 MS65 PCGS, Ottawa mint, KM27, Fr-3. A radiant gem with full mint brilliance, very scarce in this superior designation. From the Canadian Gold Reserve.  
Reserve: \$3,000



- 30213** Newfoundland. Victoria Specimen "Plain Edge" 20 Cents 1865 SP63 PCGS, London mint, KM4. Plain Edge - Medal Alignment. Mirrored surfaces are bathed in golden tone on both sides, with the raised design exhibiting pinpoint detail that remains almost exclusive to presentation issues. Intense inspection confirms this example as premium for the assigned grade, with the faintest handling mixing with die polish lines, but no instances of either degrade the jewel-like appearance. A rarity in this format, this example is almost certainly one of less than ten that exist in all grades.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250

CEYLON



**30214 British Colony. George III Proof 2 Stivers 1815 PR65 Brown PCGS, Royal Mint, KM82.1.** By Thomas Wyon. Without rose below bust. A magnificent gem example of this very elusive one-year type, toned a deep violet with a hint of sea green on the reverse. The first Proof example we have seen to-date of this interesting issue, struck in London from the metal of demonetized British halfpence and popular as a type for its elephantine imagery.  
Reserve: \$2,400

CHILE



**30215 Ferdinand VI gold 4 Escudos 1749 So-J MS62★ NGC, Santiago mint, KM2, Fr-6.** An intensely lustrous selection of this 4 Escudos issue displaying flashy mirrored fields throughout the obverse and reverse alike, these fully enhancing the already sharp presentation and resulting in a degree of eye appeal wholly deserving of a "star" designation.  
Starting Bid: \$900



**30216 Ferdinand VI gold 8 Escudos 1751 So-J MS62 NGC, Santiago mint, KM3, Fr-5, Cal-72, Onza-644.** A lovely piece bordering on choice, lightly Prooflike fields alive with watery golden luster, a touch of weakness on the high points but overall fresh and appealing.  
Ex. Aureo & Calicó Auction 268 (June 2015, Lot 108); Sotheby's (March 1983, Lot 154/4). Includes original Aureo & Calicó auction tag  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30217 Ferdinand VI gold 8 Escudos 1751 So-J MS60 NGC, Santiago mint, KM3, Fr-5.** A highly engaging example that displays a combination of scintillating luster and a thin layer of airy tone that creates a semi-matte appearance over the central regions of the golden fields. A small number of shallow planchet imperfections are noted to the obverse, though these in no way detract from the charm that this selection offers.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30218 Ferdinand VI gold 8 Escudos 1757 So-J AU53 NGC, Santiago mint, KM3, Fr-5.** Luminous throughout its yellow-gold surfaces, with a distinctive and particular brilliance embracing the legends, these framing well-rendered devices illustrating admirable detail even considering the piece's time in circulation. By all means a worthy example of the type for even the conditionally discriminating collector seeking a circulated specimen for their collection.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30219 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1809 So-FJ MS62 NGC, Santiago mint, KM72, Fr-28.** Military bust type. Almost perfectly centered on a bright golden flan, the devices showcasing great precision down to even the smallest intricate details in Ferdinand's hair. The result is a highly charming example of this popular issue, one that further distinguishes itself as tied for second-finest seen across both NGC and PGCS to-date.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30220 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1817/8 So-FJ MS62 PCGS**, Santiago mint, KM78, Fr-29. A delightfully lustrous selection of this known 7/8 overdate variety showcasing soft peach tone over consistently watery fields. Well-struck and highly charming for the type.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30221 Republic 8 Reales 1849 So-ML MS63 PCGS**, Santiago mint, KM96.2. Uniformly toned, with silvery luster giving way to deeper accents along the legends to create an admirable framing effect against the well-struck devices. Tied for the second-finest example of the date yet certified across both NGC and PCGS combined, and worthy of close collector attention both for this fact and for its considerable visual appeal.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30222 Republic gold 2 Escudos 1838 So-IJ MS63 NGC**, Santiago mint, KM97. A choice Mint State offering of this highly collected 'hand on book' type, with just two examples graded higher within NGC and PCGS's databases. Lemon-gold in color, with satin cartwheel luster in abundance across the planchet, slight striking weakness in the centers but otherwise produced to an impeccable standard.  
Reserve: \$3,000



- 30223 Republic gold Proof "National Flag Anniversary" 500 Pesos 1968-So PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC**, Santiago mint, KM187. An impressive oversized gold issue that remains virtually untouched since its production. Tied for the finest certified of the type with only one other example across both PCGS and NGC combined. AGW 2.9429 oz.  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

## CHINA



- 30224 Republic Sun Yat-sen Dollar ND (1912) AU53 NGC**, KM-Y319, L&M-42. Lower stars variety. Exhibiting shallow wear across the planchet in line with light handling, a true AU example of this scarce type with dappled white-gold tone over argent surfaces and very few distracting marks in the fields.  
Starting Bid: \$900



**30225 Republic Sun Yat-sen “Birds Over Junk” Dollar Year 21 (1932) MS63 NGC, KM-Y344, L&M-108.** A noteworthy selection of this scarce Republican issue featuring the famous “Birds Over Junk” motif and exhibiting a degree of quality that is clearly choice for the type, with even the lighter wisps of handling seen at this grade level well-hidden by the delicate silvery patina which graces the obverse and reverse surfaces alike. A perennially popular type, and sure to be met by avid collector interest at this level of certification.  
Starting Bid: \$3,000



**30226 People’s Republic platinum Proof Panda 100 Yuan (1 oz) 1990 PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM280, PAN-129A.** Mintage: 778. Tied in perfection with only four other examples seen by NGC, this out of a current certified population of over 200 examples. Given the stated mintage of 778, this fact provides some idea of how few examples survive unscathed and untouched, rendering this glowing representative very special indeed. Sold with case of issue and COA #423.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30227 People’s Republic 5-Piece Certified gold & silver “Honolulu Hawaii Numismatic Association” Commemorative Show Panda Proof Set 2016-y Ultra Cameo NGC,**  
 1) gold 1 Gram Medal - PR70, PAN-723A. Mintage: 1,000.  
 2) silver 2 Gram Medal - PR70, PAN-724A. Mintage: 2,000.  
 3) bi-metallic gold & silver (AU 3gm, AR 1.5gm) Medal - PR69, PAN-721A. Mintage: 1,000.  
 4) gold 1 Ounce Medal - PR70, PAN-720A. Mintage: 200.  
 5) silver 1 Ounce Medal - PR69, PAN-722A. Mintage: 1,500.

Shenyang mint, CC-pp. 708-709. Early Releases. Missing only the gold 1 Kilo Medal, which saw only three examples struck. A high-quality set, with every included issue certified in perfect or near-perfect condition. (Total: 5 coins)  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

COLOMBIA



**30228 Philip IV gold Cob 2 Escudos 1633 C-E MS62 NGC**, Cartagena mint, KM4.6, Cal-136. 6.80gm. A noteworthy Mint State offering showcasing velveteen surfaces untouched by circulation and marked by soft satiny luster throughout. The only example of this date currently certified by NGC, sold with tag numbered "PC6-30974", and with the lower portion of the date clearly defined against the reverse edge.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30229 Philip V gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1722-1732)-FS MS63 NGC**, Santa Fe mint, KM17.2, Fr-8. 6.72gm. The crudeness of production and heavily circulation of this type most often excludes it from Mint State grades; as such, this crisp and warmly-colored specimen is remarkable for its limited handling and relatively central strike (though its flan is small).  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30230 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1770 PN-J AU58 NGC**, Popayan mint, KM38.2, Fr-24. Featuring the usual die break on Charles's forehead, a select offering bordering on Mint State with pleasing reflective luster and only minor highpoint wear.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30231 Charles IV gold 8 Escudos 1803/2 NR-JJ MS61 NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM62.1, Fr-51. A lovely Mint State representative of this scarcer overdate revealing honeyed tones over lustrous surfaces, the underlying digit "2" at the end of the date clearly discernable to even the naked eye.  
Starting Bid: \$700



**30232 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1810 NR-JF AU58 NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM66.1, Onza-1314. Lustrous, with any evidence of circulation capped at an absolute minimum, the strike typically on the lighter side though notably well-balanced throughout.  
Starting Bid: \$550



**30233 Estados Unidos gold 20 Pesos 1868-BOGOTA AU55 NGC**, Bogota mint, KM142.1, Fr-99. A well-centered strike and glowing golden surfaces highlight the quality of this lightly circulated 20 Pesos, whose general quality of preservation makes it a clear target for the dedicated collector of Colombian gold.  
Reserve: \$2,200



**30234 Estados Unidos gold 20 Pesos 1869/8-MEDELLIN AU58 PCGS**, Medellin mint, KM142.2, Fr-101. On the precipice of Mint State, the fields glistening alluringly with golden luster and made yet more attractive by the relative lack of handling displayed, particularly considering any degree of circulation. A bold strike and 9/8 overdate complete the charm and academic interest.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30235 Estados Unidos gold 20 Pesos 1871-MEDELLIN AU53 PCGS**, Medellin mint, KM154.2, Fr-101. A pleasing, lesser-circulated example displaying a lightly crackled surface texturing with the legends and peripheral regions decorated in attractive coppery accents.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30236 Estados Unidos gold 20 Pesos 1875-BOGOTA AU Details (Reverse Rim Filed) NGC**, Bogota mint, KM142.1, Fr-99. A lustrous and minimally worn representative of this larger Colombian gold type showing only a small section of reverse rim filing near 8 o'clock to account for the grade assigned.  
Reserve: \$1,500

## COSTA RICA



- 30237 Central American Republic gold 2 Escudos 1850 CR-JB MS63+ NGC**, San Jose mint, KM15, Fr-3. A scintillating example of the 2 Escudos denomination from this now-extinct political union, featuring the combined force of an exacting strike alongside luminous fields that highlight from the recesses. As a type, very rarely found better, and presently the finest selection of the date certified by NGC, this out of 40 examples seen to-date by that service.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30238 Central American Republic gold 4 Escudos 1837 CR-F UNC Details (Reverse Scratched) NGC**, San Jose mint, KM16, Fr-2. A pale-yellow and lightly lustrous example of this iconic and immensely popular Latin American sunface type, displaying evidence of mishandling on the reverse via a group of parallel scratches in the lower right quadrant, but nonetheless quite desirable as a more attainable offering of this elusive issue. Lightly wavy reverse flan as typical for the type.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30239 Republic gold 20 Colones 1899 MS63 NGC**, KM141, Fr-19. A glowing golden example of the type, whose rich and satiny golden luster and full detailing combine to form an unmistakable Mint State appeal.  
Reserve: \$1,000



- 30240 Republic gold Proof "Anteater" 1500 Colones 1974 PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC**, British Royal mint, KM202. Mintage: 726. Conservation issue. Truly flawless, with pristine, silky devices contrasting perfectly against mirrored golden fields.  
Reserve: \$2,000

## CUBA



- 30241 Provisional Republic copper Proof Pattern 1/2 Peso 1870 P-CT PR62 Red and Brown NGC**, Potosi mint, KM-X4a. A scarce Pattern issue with hues of magenta and violet sweeping the surfaces, glossy save for a patch of matte texture on one side of the piece.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30242 Republic Souvenir Peso 1897 MS66 NGC**, KM-XM2. Type II with star below baseline and closely spaced date. A premier offering of this "Souvenir" type, combining silvery patination, tinted with peach overtones, with touches of soft steel blue. Of praiseworthy quality for the issue, and rarely found better.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30243** Republic "High Relief - No Periods" Star Peso 1915 AU Details (Polished) NGC, Philadelphia mint, KM15.1. High relief variety missing the periods before the weight and after the letter G, and quite rare as such. Heavily polished surfaces, but this type is almost never to be found without problems or mishandling of some sort. The last example we sold, also in AU Details, realized \$3,480 including Buyer's Premium in September, 2019. Starting Bid: \$750



**30244** Republic gold Proof Peso 1916 PR67 Deep Cameo PCGS, Philadelphia mint, KM16, Fr-7. Mintage: 100. A true gem whose near-immaculate golden fields only serve to enhance the presentation of the satiny and crisp devices, these standing in perfect juxtaposition against one another to achieve an essentially flawless cameo contrast. Tied for finest certified by PCGS across all cameo and non-cameo designation variants, and doubtlessly destined for a high-end cabinet of conditional rarities. *From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$3,000



**30245** Republic gold Proof 2 Pesos 1915 PR63 NGC, Philadelphia mint, KM17, Fr-6. Mintage: 100. Choice Proof with limited handling marks in the exposed fields. A rare issue with a reported mintage figure of a scant 100 pieces, quite desirable in this engaging quality.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30246** Republic gold 20 Pesos 1915 MS62 NGC, Philadelphia mint, KM21. A lustrous and bold representative of this popular Cuban type. AGW 0.9675 oz.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30247** Republic gold 20 Pesos 1915 MS61 NGC, Philadelphia mint, KM21. A brilliant selection of the type, highly collectible in Mint State condition.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30248** Republic gold 20 Pesos 1915 MS61 NGC, Philadelphia mint, KM21. Brightly lustrous, with deep orange-gold surfaces.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30249 Republic gold 20 Pesos 1915 MS60 NGC**, Philadelphia mint, KM21. A fully lustrous selection, lightly bagmarked in line with its grade yet seemingly worthy of an even higher certification. Starting Bid: \$750



**30250 Republic gold 20 Pesos 1915 MS60 NGC**, Philadelphia mint, KM21. Some more significant abrasions prevent this piece from attaining a higher certified grade, yet for the most part its surfaces are pleasing with abundant mint luster. Starting Bid: \$750



**30251 Republic gold 20 Pesos 1915 AU58 NGC**, Philadelphia mint, KM21. Lustrous and satiny, a near-lack of any discernible wear placing the offering at the cusp of Mint State. AGW 0.9675 oz. Reserve: \$1,500



**30252 Republic gold 20 Pesos 1915 AU55 NGC**, Philadelphia mint, KM21. Lustrous in the legends, with little actual wear to the devices. AGW 0.9675 oz. Starting Bid: \$750



**30253 Republic gold Proof "XI Pan-American Games - Baseball" 50 Pesos 1990 PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM321. A scarce commemorative issue that saw only 15 examples produced. Sharply mirrored, with a full cameo contrast. Starting Bid: \$750



**30254 Republic gold Proof "Bolivar & Marti" 200 Pesos 1993 PR67 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM542. Mintage: 100. A bright and sharply contrasting example, preserved in near-flawless gem condition. Starting Bid: \$750



**30255 Republic 5-Piece Certified gold "Jose Marti" Set 1988 NGC,**

- 1) 10 Pesos - MS70, KM211. Mintage: 50.
- 2) 15 Pesos - MS69, KM212. Mintage: 50.
- 3) 25 Pesos - MS69, KM213. Mintage: 50.
- 4) 50 Pesos - MS70, KM214. Mintage: 12.
- 5) 100 Pesos - MS70, KM215. Mintage: 50.

A low-mintage set of issues, all struck in commemoration of Jose Marti. Given the scarcity of each included issue, and the differing mintage of the 50 Pesos, only very rarely encountered as a set. *From the El Don Diego Luna Collection (Total: 5 coins)*  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

**CZECHOSLOVAKIA**



**30256 Republic gold Medallion 3 Dukaten 1929 MS63 NGC, KM-XM8.**

11.94gm. Struck as a one-year type in a mintage of only 1,000 pieces to commemorate the 1000th anniversary of Christianity in Bohemia. Handling remains light and barely significant except under deliberate close inspection and magnification, rendering this a charming selection of this medallion issue.  
Starting Bid: \$750

**DANISH WEST INDIES**



**30257 Danish Colony. Frederik VI 2 Skilling 1816 MS66 NGC, KM13.** The finest graded of the issue, with unusually Prooflike fields that cause the devices to stand out in frosty blast-white. A superb example.  
Starting Bid: \$750

**DANZIG**



**30258 Free City Proof 5 Gulden 1923 PR64 Cameo PCGS, KM147.** Marienkirche issue. A flashy near-gem displaying mirrored, slightly watery fields, these graced with a hint of silvery patina and contrasting against lightly frosted devices.  
Starting Bid: \$900

**DENMARK**



**30259 Frederik IV Krone 1700-(h) AU58 NGC, Copenhagen mint, KM448, Dav-A1287, Hede-36, Sieg-17.** An interesting Danish small crown type that originated in the Eric P. Newman collection and boasts splendid originality. The obverse displays the baroque coiffed portrait of Frederik IV, with the reverse displaying the arms of Denmark, Norway, and Sweden interspersed through crowned monograms, making this one of the more striking designs of the Frederik IV series, beautifully toned in a light lavender with iridescent overtones. There is very light evidence of circulation over the high points of a firm strike, with a number tiny imperfections as is typical of this issue, though far fewer than normally encountered.  
Ex. Eric P. Newman Collection (Heritage January Signature Sale 3029, Lot 30480)  
No Minimum Bid

## ECUADOR



- 30260 Republic gold 4 Escudos 1837 QUITO-FP XF45 NGC**, Quito mint, KM19. An impressive example of this popular issue so often found in lower quality, nearly every hair intact on the obverse portrait. A touch of luster remains around the perimeter, highlighting the legends against a touch of coppery tone. Starting Bid: \$1,000

## EGYPT



- 30261 Abdul Aziz in the name of Muhammad Sa'id Pasha bronze Specimen Pattern 20 Para AH 1279 (1863) SP66 Brown NGC**, KM-Pn12. The finest graded example of its type showing fully iridescent surfaces layered in multi-chromatic electric colors of cobalt and violet. A true gem that would be difficult to improve upon. Reserve: \$1,500



- 30262 Fuad I gold 500 Piastres AH 1340 (1922) MS62 PCGS**, London mint, KM342. Watery golden surfaces and consistently sharp detailing combine for an impressive display of quality in this borderline choice selection. A popular issue that continues to witness consistent collector demand. Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30263 Fuad I gold Proof 500 Piastres AH 1340 (1922) PR61 NGC**, London mint, KM342. An admirable representative of this popular large-denomination Proof type, exhibiting watery canary yellow surfaces and lightly reflective fields. Mild hairlines in the fields are commensurate with the grade, but do not detract from the appearance and eye-appeal of the piece overall. Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30264 Farouk gold Proof "Royal Wedding" 500 Piastres AH 1357 (1938) PR62 PCGS**, London mint, KM373. Commemorating the royal wedding of King Farouk to Queen Farida. Abundant reflectivity in the fields places this piece very near to a Cameo designation, held back by only a slight lack of the necessary frost over the devices. Quite appealing for the assigned grade, displaying magnificent watery surfaces with only the smallest of contact marks and hairlines, none of them distracting. Superb as an example of this popular type. Starting Bid: \$2,000



- 30265 Arab Republic gold Proof "Egyptian-Israeli Peace Treaty" 5 Pounds AH 1400 (1980) PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM517. Mintage: 125. An elusive commemorative type struck for the Egyptian-Israeli peace treaty. AGW 0.7314 oz. Reserve: \$1,250



**30266 Arab Republic gold Proof “Egyptian-Israeli Peace Treaty” 10 Pounds AH 1400 (1980) PR64 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM519.** Mintage: 950. A scarcer commemorative type with a mintage numbering fewer than 1,000 examples. AGW 1.1252 oz. Reserve: \$2,200

**EL SALVADOR**



**30267 Republic 6-Piece Certified gold & silver “Independence Anniversary” Proof Set 1971 Ultra Cameo NGC,**  
 1) Colon - PR67, KM141  
 2) 5 Colones - PR65, KM142  
 3) gold 25 Colones - PR68, KM143  
 4) gold 50 Colones - PR68, KM144  
 5) gold 100 Colones - PR67, KM145  
 6) gold 200 Colones - PR67, KM146

KM-PS4. Commemorating the Sesquicentennial of Independence. The 200 Colones is numbered “715”. AGW 1.2801 oz. (Total: 6 coins)  
 Starting Bid: \$850

## ETHIOPIA



- 30268 Haile Selassie I gold "Coronation" Medal EE 1923 (1930)** MS63 NGC, Addis Ababa mint, Gill-S9. 40mm. 46.19gm. Designed in Vienna, this immense gold medal commemorating the coronation of Haile Selassie features his elaborately-detailed bust with the translated legend "The First Haile Selassie" surrounding while the reverse displays an aesthetically pleasing monogram with the star of the trinity within a trilobe and an encircling legend that reads "Ethiopia shall stretch forth her hands to God." This attractive large-format example displays few flaws, its mirrored fields unmarred by the usual contact marks. A weak strike in the central and lower sections of the reverse accounts for the grade.  
Starting Bid: \$1,100

## FALKLAND ISLANDS



- 30269 British Colony, Elizabeth II gold Proof 5 Pounds 1974 PR67 Ultra Cameo** NGC, KM9, Fr-1. Mintage: 2,158. With Romney marsh sheep on the reverse. AGW 1.1775 oz.  
Reserve: \$1,800

## FRANCE



- 30270 Papal States, Urban V gold Florin ND (1362-1370) AU58 NGC**, Avignon mint, Fr-29, B-201. (Papal keys mm) SAIT | PETRI, large fleur-de-lis / S • IOHA | IIIES • B •, St. John the Baptist standing facing, tiara above right hand, cross-topped rod in left. An excellent example of this scarce issue of the Avignon Papacy.  
Ex. Lawrence Adams Collection  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30271 Orange, Frederick Henry gold 2 Pistole (4 Ecu d'Or) ND (1625-1647) MS61 NGC**, KM73, Fr-196. 13.24gm. Noted in the *Standard Catalog of World Coins* as having been struck in 1641. Perhaps the finest extant example of this rare type, in commendable quality compared to the usual. Reflective fields grace the surfaces, every curl on the obverse portrait outlined in sharp detail.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



- 30272 Charles (VII), as Dauphin, in the name of Charles VI gold Ecu d'Or a la couronne ND (1418-1422) MS63 NGC**, La Rochelle mint, Fr-293, Dup-411. 4.11gm. Crowned arms flanked by two crowns / Floriated cross in quadrilobe. 1st issue (from 11 June 1419). A deceptively rare type of Charles as Dauphin or heir-apparent, struck solely at the mint of La Rochelle. This is the first we have offered and the sole example graded by NGC, in Mint State condition no less, representing a significant rarity for the collector of medieval French gold. For reference, we note that Olivier Goujon Numismatique sold a similar example in their June 2019 auction for the equivalent of \$5013.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



- 30273 Anglo-Gallic. Henry VI (1422-1461) gold Salut d'or ND (1422-1453) MS64 PCGS**, Saint-Lo mint, Lis mm, Fr-18, Dup-443A, Elias-271, W&F-387A 2/b. (lis) hCnRICVS : DEI : GRA : FRACORV : Z : AGLIE : REX, the Virgin Mary standing behind the arms of France facing the Archangel Gabriel standing behind the quartered arms of France and England, handing her a scroll bearing AVE beneath the light of God / (lis) XPC' \* VIICIT \* XPC' \* REGHAT \* XPC' \* IMPERAT, Latin cross above "h" within tressure of arches, a lis and leopard to either side. A lovely near-gem piece, surviving essentially untouched for almost six centuries. The strike is wonderful, every detail sharp and intact, and the reverse in particular displays a delicate luster that immediately draws the eye.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30274 Louis XIV Ecu 1663-L MS61 NGC**, Bayonne mint, KM211.3, Dav-3802, Gad-205. A conditionally scarce offering in Mint State, the handling kept relatively on the lighter side for the assigned grade, with underlying lustrous fields showing predominantly silver and steel tones. Only a single example seen by NGC certifies finer.  
No Minimum Bid



- 30275 Louis XIV gold Louis d'Or 1701-& MS63 NGC**, Aix mint, KM334.26, Fr-436, Gad-253. Exceptionally high grade for the type, and overstruck over a prior issue, the remnants of which are visible in some areas around the perimeter.  
Starting Bid: \$875



- 30276 Louis XV gold Louis d'Or 1753-A MS66 NGC**, Paris mint, KM513.1, Fr-464, Gad-141. A jewel representative of the date and type marked by intensely lustrous surfaces, completely devoid of any meaningful handling and revealing scattered die rust in the fields. One of the most eye appealing examples of the issue that one could hope to encounter, tied for finest certified of the type.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30277 Louis XV gold "Marriage to Maria Leszczynska" Medal 1725-Dated AU Details (Rim Filing, Cleaned) NGC**, HCz-2740var (R2; heavier weight), Feuardent-6011. 35mm. 20.47gm. By Norbert and Joseph-Charles Roettiers. On the marriage of Louis XV and Maria at Fontainebleau Castle. An extremely rare gold commemorative medal, seldom available on the market, and still quite appealing despite its mishandling—with aged-gold color and a light peach tone developing at the peripheries. Maria was the daughter of Stanislaw Leszczynska, a prominent Polish magnate crowned as King Stanislaw I in 1705, who contested the Polish throne against the Russian-backed August II of Saxony. The production of such celebratory medals could easily be seen as a propagandistic campaign for both monarchs, serving as a visual reminder of the bond between the two nations strengthened through marriage. This is only the fourth example of this medal in gold we've been able to locate coming to auction in recent years, and is sure to come fiercely contested by collectors of Polish and French medals alike.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30278 Louis XVI Ecu L'An 4 (1792)-A MS63+ NGC**, Paris mint, KM615.1, Dav-1335. Very appealing for grade, the design soft on the highpoints as a result of shallow engraving and not wear, the planchet boasting full argent luster and a halo of red-gold surrounding the sharp devices.  
Reserve: \$1,500



**30279 Louis XVI gold 2 Louis d'Or 1786-I MS63 NGC**, Limoges mint, KM592.7, Gad-363. A charming double Louis d'Or revealing only light instances of adjustment, with satiny luster and a hint of peripheral rose toning confirming its wholly choice condition. Rarely found finer, as confirmed by current the presence of only two more highly graded MS64 examples across both NGC and PCGS combined.  
Reserve: \$1,600



**30280 Napoleon gold 40 Francs 1812-A MS64 NGC**, Paris mint, KM696.1, Gad-1084. An exceptionally high-grade example of this issue, tied with only two others as finest certified by NGC. Set in splendid yellow-gold with radiant cartwheel luster.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30281 Republic gold 20 Francs 1851-A MS67 NGC**, Paris mint, KM762, Fr-566. A practically flawless specimen with razor-sharp devices and delightful, harvest-gold surfaces. Highly attractive and currently tied for the finest certified example of this date.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30282 Napoleon III gold 50 Francs 1859-BB MS64 NGC**, Strasbourg mint, KM785.2, Fr-572, Gad-1111. Wholly brilliant, with immense cartwheel luster illuminating the surfaces upon inspection, highlighting devices rendered to the utmost precision.  
Reserve: \$1,250



**30283 Napoleon III gold 100 Francs 1858-A MS62 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM786.1, Gad-1135. Slightly glassy in the fields, with predominantly light instances of handling establishing the assigned grade. AGW 0.9334 oz.  
Reserve: \$1,650



**30284 Napoleon III gold 100 Francs 1858-BB MS62 NGC**, Strasbourg mint, KM786.2, Fr-570, Gad-1135. From a mintage of only 1,928 pieces. A scarce issue rarely found in Mint State condition, this piece is undeniably attractive, its surfaces graced by swirling luster and very lightly Prooflike fields.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30285 Napoleon III gold 100 Francs 1867-A MS61 NGC**, Paris mint, KM802.1, Gad-1136. Mintage: 4,309. A glowingly lustrous selection displaying a consistently sharp strike to the obverse and reverse alike.  
Reserve: \$1,650



- 30286 Napoleon III gold 100 Francs 1868-A MS63 NGC**, Paris mint, KM802.1, Fr-580. From a mintage of only 2,315 pieces. An alluring example of this popular type, rarely found in such choice condition.  
Starting Bid: \$1,100



- 30287 Republic gold 100 Francs 1881-A MS63 NGC**, Paris mint, KM832, Fr-590, Gad-1137. A choice example of this ever-popular angelic type, solidly situated within its current grade and with less than a dozen examples graded finer by NGC. A smattering of contact marks do not detract from the captivating cartwheel luster and light obverse reflectivity.  
Starting Bid: \$650



- 30288 Republic gold 100 Francs 1906-A MS63 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM832, Gad-1137. Choice for the type, with lightly toned surfaces boasting cartwheel luster and only minimal signs of contact and handling. AGW 0.9334 oz.  
Reserve: \$1,500



- 30289 Republic gold 100 Francs 1910-A MS63 NGC**, Paris mint, KM858, Fr-590. A choice example of this ever-popular angelic type, its surfaces free of the usual bagmarks and surface imperfections often found on similar examples. Only ten examples have been certified in higher grades by NGC.  
Starting Bid: \$650



- 30290 Republic gold Specimen Piefort Franc 1978 SP68 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM-P610. Mintage: 142. A low-mintage Piefort issue, and doubtlessly one of the finer conditional survivors, certified in a state edging on flawless.  
Reserve: \$1,200



- 30291 Republic gold Specimen Piefort 2 Francs 1979 SP67 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM-P642. Mintage: 600. A quality representative of this lower mintage issue featuring the typically semi-lustrous surfaces for the type, the overall presentation coming near to an "as-struck" state of preservation.  
Reserve: \$1,450



- 30292 Republic gold Proof Piefort 5 Francs 1961 PR69 NGC**, Paris mint, KM-P432. From a mintage of just 250 pieces, for all intents and purposes a perfect coin with shimmering satin luster across the entirety of the planchet.  
Reserve: \$1,800



- 30293 Republic gold Proof Piefort 5 Francs 1974 PR67 NGC**, Paris mint, KM-P505. A sublime premium gem approaching the height of technical quality, its fields unbroken pools of shimmering luster with glossy devices. One of just 107 5 Franc pieforts struck in this year.  
Reserve: \$1,800



- 30294 Republic gold Specimen Piefort 5 Francs 1979 SP69 PCGS, KM-P646.** From a tiny mintage of only 300 pieces. A lovely gold Piefort depicting the classic Seed Sower design, scarcely seen as a type and especially so in such essentially flawless condition as this example demonstrates. Struck on smooth matte-like yet lightly reflective surfaces, lending a gentle softness to the already idyllic design.  
Reserve: \$1,700



- 30295 Republic gold Specimen Piefort 10 Francs 1974 SP69 PCGS, Paris mint, KM-P508.** Mintage: 172. Bordering on perfection, with sharp devices and brightly mirrored fields. Currently the finest example seen by PCGS.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30296 Republic gold Proof Piefort 10 Francs 1974 PR68 NGC, Paris mint, KM-P508.** From a production run of 172, a flawless Piefort piece with an appealing cameo contrast achieved through the watery fields and matte texture of the devices.  
Reserve: \$2,000



- 30297 Republic gold Proof Piefort 50 Francs 1978 PR63 Ultra Cameo NGC, Paris mint, KM-P620.** From a tiny mintage of only 149 pieces. A magnificent double-weight issue that invokes the classic motif of the Hercules group and reverse wreath design that appeared on 19th-century 5 Franc issues. This piece appears to be conservatively graded, as it exhibits only a few tiny hairline marks.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



- 30298 Republic gold Specimen Piefort 50 Francs 1979 SP64 PCGS, Paris mint, KM-P651.** Mintage: 4,000. A choice representative of this modern French rarity, widely sought as part of the larger Piefort series.  
Reserve: \$4,750

## End of Session One

SESSION TWO

GERMAN EAST AFRICA



**30299 German Colony. Wilhelm II gold 15 Rupien 1916-T MS61 NGC**, Tabora mint, KM16.2, Fr-1. Arabesque below the “A” in “OSTAFRIKA” variety. Of admirable quality for this widely popular German colonial issue, the strike essentially complete considering the usual softness of the design and yielding expressive detail throughout, these showing relatively few effects of the handling that is normally seen at this level of certification. Starting Bid: \$1,500

GERMAN NEW GUINEA



**30300 German Colony. Wilhelm II 5 Mark 1894-A AU55 NGC**, Berlin mint, KM7. A highly appealing cabinet-toned example displaying pale midnight blue tones embracing the devices amidst soft patination throughout. Starting Bid: \$600

GERMAN STATES

BADEN



**30301 Baden. Leopold I gold Ducat 1841 MS61 NGC**, KM208, Fr-152. Mintage: 2,145. A scarcer, low-mintage issue that sees bright yellow-gold surfaces coupled with shimmering obverse and reverse luster. Sold with old collector’s tag. Starting Bid: \$750

BRANDENBURG-ANSBACH



**30302 Brandenburg-Ansbach. Christian Friedrich Karl Alexander gold Ducat 1757 UNC Details (Cleaned) PCGS**, KM242, Fr-356. A bright example of this particularly elusive issue featuring the regal curled bust of Christian Friedrich Karl Alexander, the surfaces retaining a relatively high degree of their original brilliance despite the noted cleaning, which has left fine hairlines and, fortunately, no deeper surface damage. Sharply outlined along the borders of the devices, with a few adjustments noted to both sides for accuracy only. For the collector of the German States series, a very scarce opportunity to acquire an example of the type, rarely seen on auction outside of Germany. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30303 Brandenburg-Ansbach. Christian Friedrich Karl Alexander gold Ducat 1765 MS61 NGC**, KM271, Fr-361. Brilliant and struck on a gently crinkled sun-yellow flan, the surfaces absent any larger marks or distractions of note. A pleasure to behold in this condition, and conditionally scarce. Sold with old collector’s tag. Starting Bid: \$750

BREMEN



**30304 Bremen. Free City gold 20 Mark 1906-J MS66 NGC**, Hamburg mint, KM252. Conditionally superior for the type, and infrequently found approaching as-struck preservation, the combined sharpness of the strike and satiny brilliance confirming in every respect the high-tier quality implied by the assigned grade. Starting Bid: \$1,000

## BRUNSWICK-WOLFENBÜTTEL



- 30305 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel. August Wilhelm “Death of Anton Ulrich” Taler 1714-HCH AU55 PCGS**, Brunswick mint, KM737, Dav-2124. Struck to mark the death of Anton Ulrich. An elegant and wholesome piece, the stately half-length portrait of Anton Ulrich overlaid with a hearty aged cabinet tone, and with only light wear at the high points. A highly desirable example of this very scarce Crown-sized issue.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30306 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel. Karl I gold 10 Taler 1744 EK-M MS62+ NGC**, KM917, Fr-713. 13.36gm. Occurrences of high-quality gold multiple talers from the 18th century remain relatively rare, and the present offering is certainly no exception, showcasing free-flowing golden luster that cascades over the surfaces amidst strong detail, unworn throughout the many years since its production. Struck just slightly off-center on the reverse, though with full legends and detail expressed within the boundaries of the flan.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30307 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel. Wilhelm gold 10 Taler 1831-CvC MS63+ NGC**, KM1121, Fr-744. A fully brilliant example displaying a prominent cartwheel effect, the surfaces surprisingly clear of any singularly significant instances of handling, sufficiently so to earn it a choice “plus” level of certification. Scarce in this condition, and the only example yet seen by NGC in any grade.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250

## EICHSTÄTT



- 30308 Eichstätt - Bishopric. Sede Vacante Taler 1781-KR/OE MS63 PCGS**, Nürnberg mint, KM90, Dav-2210. A magnificent choice example of this ever-popular type, argent surfaces alive with hints of aged color in the fields, the devices boldly rendered, each tiny detail of the breathtaking design crisp and palpable to the naked eye. The artistic merit of this piece is self-evident, portraying a three-quarter angle bird’s-eye view of the city of Eichstätt, a rare perspective for any coin or medal to entertain and one that serves to provide a complete three-dimensional depiction as opposed to the more common flat two-dimensionality of other “City View” issues. A difficult and impressive type that is always sure to draw much attention from bidders.  
Reserve: \$3,000

FREISING



**30309 Freising. Clemens Wenzel gold Ducat 1765 AU58 NGC**, Munich mint, KM30, Fr-1032. A very scarce type struck under Bishop Clemens Wenzel (Wenceslaus), son of the Polish king and Saxon elector, August III. The legends spell out Clemens' full title as Bishop of Freising and Regensburg, Imperial Prince, Coadjutor of Augsburg, Royal Prince of Poland and Lithuania, and Duke of Saxony. Due to the Bishop's connection to Saxony and Poland the type remains in demand by collectors of both of these two entities, displaying further allure in a specific sense as a wholly well-kept example of the type retaining lustrous fields, near-full detail, and considerable visual charm. Sold with old collector's tag.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

HALL



**30310 Hall. Free City gold Ducat 1746 PPW-CGL MS62 Prooflike NGC**, KM35, Fr-1082. With the name and titles of Franz I. A wonderfully crafted ducat issue replete with an alluring intricacy of design, those elements surrounded by fully Prooflike fields of a distinctly mirrored quality. A fine example of 18th century gold coinage, and a coin that is sure to serve as a point of pride in its future owner's cabinet. Sold with old collector's tag.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30311 Hall. Free City gold Ducat 1777 OE-K-R UNC Details (Edge Filing) NGC**, Nürnberg mint, KM49, Fr-1083. Mintage: 402. With the name and titles of Joseph II. A difficult gold ducat issue whose mintage numbered well under 500 examples, ensuring future collector interest. The type features the ornate three-shield design on the reverse, the surfaces remaining decidedly reflective and the noted edge filing, while present, having seemingly little bearing on visual appeal. Sold with old collector's tag.  
Starting Bid: \$600

HAMBURG



**30312 Hamburg. Free City Proof 5 Mark 1913-J PR66 Cameo PCGS**, Hamburg mint, KM610, J-65. Helmeted arms with lion supporters / Crowned Imperial eagle with date and value. An extraordinary Proof example, with bold, nicely frosted devices and sharp cameo contrast with a touch of golden patina around the peripheries. The reverse exhibits attractive gray and gold toning. A pleasing gem Proof example of this final-year issue.  
Reserve: \$2,500



**30313 Hamburg. Free City gold Proof 10 Mark 1912-J PR66 Cameo NGC**, Hamburg mint, KM608, Fr-3781. An elite specimen offering deeply mirrored fields juxtaposed with satiny devices to lend an unmistakable cameo contrast. Only rarely found finer, and thus a clear opportunity for the conditionally conscious collector.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250

## HANNOVER



- 30314 Hannover. Georg V gold 5 Taler 1853-B MS65 NGC**, Hannover mint, KM224, Fr-1180. Wholly impressive, a distinctive brilliance surrounding the central features and enhancing the sharp detail which expresses itself to pinpoint accuracy in even the most minute features of the reverse. The finest example of this date seen by NGC. Sold with old collector's tag.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30315 Hannover. Georg V gold 10 Taler 1854-B MS61 NGC**, Hannover mint, KM226, Fr-1179, J-132. Shimmering luster pervades over bright golden fields, these surrounding uniformly sharp central features lacking any weakness. An elusive issue infrequently found in any quality, much less in covetable uncirculated condition.  
Starting Bid: \$700

## HOHENZOLLERN-SIGMARINGEN



- 30316 Hohenzollern-Sigmaringen. Karl Anton gold Culture Award Medal of 6 Ducats ND (1857) MS62 NGC**, Sommer-K136. 30mm. 20.82gm. By W. Kullrich. "Bene Merenti" medal for merit in the cultural field. An elusive award issue, rarely offered on auction. Sold with old collector's tag.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

## PRUSSIA



- 30317 Prussia. Friedrich II Taler 1771-A MS64 PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM306.2, Dav-2586. A type representative of truly standout caliber, the strike leaving nearly full detail across Frederick's bust, this amidst a vivid presentation of glowing, argent luster that blooms throughout the obverse and reverse fields alike. Fittingly, for this state so proud of its military glories under the rule of Frederick "The Great", the reverse displays the familiar Prussian eagle perched atop drum and cannon, banners surrounding. As a type, rarely seen so fine as this, and certainly more so with such strong visual appeal.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30318 Prussia. Wilhelm I Proof Taler 1871-A PR66 Cameo NGC**, Berlin mint, KM500. A rare Proof, vibrantly toned with hues of violet, cobalt, and sea green. Proof German coinage from this era has little in the way of contemporary documentation regarding mintage figures and other details, and there is often much controversy over the designation of "Proof" versus simply "Prooflike" for certain examples that seem to toe the line between Proof and Business Strike. This particular piece, however, demonstrates a brilliant cameo quality that firmly solidifies it into the realm of the former, with delicately mirrored fields on both sides that contrast starkly with the razor-sharp and heavily frosted devices that rise above them. A lovely piece to behold and certain to attract much attention from collectors of both German coinage and colorful toning alike.  
Reserve: \$1,500

REGENSBURG



**30319 Regensburg - Bishopric. Sede Vacante Taler 1787-BK MS63** NGC, KM450, Dav-2606, Zepernick-250. The obverse features St. Peter seated in a fishing boat holding keys with a coat-of-arms below and a border of 15 coats-of-arms surrounding. A solidly choice medallitic taler, bold throughout the ornate devices, with a handsome display of mauve derivative and underlying luster. Starting Bid: \$750

SAXE-ALTENBURG



**30320 Saxe-Altenburg. Ernst I Proof 5 Mark 1901-A PR66 Cameo** PCGS, Berlin mint, KM38. A charming piece with natural dark toning along the edges and clear mirroring expressed in its carefully handled fields throughout. A notably scarcer 5 Mark issue, and even more impressive when located in this top-tier condition. Starting Bid: \$1,250

SAXONY



**30321 Saxony. Johann Georg I gold 2 Ducat 1630 AU58 NGC**, KM421, Fr-2701. 6.94gm. Created for the 100th anniversary of the Augsburg Confession, this double ducat issue is struck on a slightly wavy flan (a feature that appears to be relatively common for the type) and displays a boldness and quality of detail so as to appear essentially Mint State. Highly attractive and a near-perfect substitute for similar examples certified in higher (and consequently more expensive) grades. Sold with old collector's tag. Starting Bid: \$700



**30322 Saxony. Johann Georg III "Death of Johann Georg II" Taler 1680 AU Details (Polished)** NGC, KM572, Dav-7638. Struck to mark the death of Johann Georg II. Polished, yet with charcoal tone reforming in the recesses and punctuating the sharp devices. Starting Bid: \$600

WESTPHALIA



**30323 Westphalia. Jerome Napoleon gold Proof Restrike 5 Franken 1813-C (1867) PR64 NGC**, Kassel mint, cf. KM-C32.1, D&S-220. Plain edge. A scarce restrike issue, produced to a high standard with crisp details and attractive die-polished fields. Reserve: \$2,000



**30324 Westphalia. Jerome Napoleon gold 10 Taler 1810-B MS62** NGC, Brunswick mint, KM115, Fr-3511. Obv. Crowned arms. Rev. Date and value. Well struck with full mint brilliance. Light marks on both sides define the grade, though this remains the finest certified by NGC. A very rare, one-year type, more elusive still in such pristine quality. Starting Bid: \$1,500

## WÜRTEMBERG



- 30325 Würtemberg. Wilhelm I gold 5 Gulden 1824-W AU58 NGC**, Stuttgart mint, KM562, Fr-3613. Only an even scattering of light handling across the lustrous fields point to any circulation, while detail in the devices remains strong to even the highest points. Quite scarce and highly collectible bordering so close to Mint State condition. Sold with old collector's tag.  
Starting Bid: \$600

## WURZBURG



- 30326 Würzburg. Christoph Franz gold Ducat ND (1724) MS64 NGC**, KM274, Fr-3694. This glowing selection expresses scintillating golden luster at every turn, enhancing the ornate design of St. John holding a staff on the obverse, the reverse displaying the arms of Würzburg, bordered by pleasingly broad rims. Surely among the better examples of this type in existence, and highly collectible in such a state of preservation.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30327 Würzburg. Friedrich Karl gold Ducat 1731 AU55 NGC**, KM305, Fr-3711. An appealing selection this lesser-seen 18th century ducat type that retains ample mint luster over surfaces showing only light signs of circulation. As is often the case, the flan displays slight crinkling, a feature to be wholly expected with many of these thinner ducat issues. Sold with small collector's tag.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30328 Würzburg. Friedrich Karl gold Ducat 1731 UNC Details (Bent) NGC**, KM297, Fr-3712. A lovely selection of this fleeting issue, listed without values in the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*, whose surfaces remain positively awash with golden brilliance that cascades over the fields with ease. The noted bend fortunately remains on the gentler side, allowing for ample appreciation between the impressive surface preservation and intricately engraved detail throughout.  
Starting Bid: \$600



- 30329 Würzburg. Franz Ludwig gold Ducat 1780 MS63 NGC**, KM421, Fr-3734. A shimmering gold ducat displaying sound surface preservation and intricate detail to the highest points. As a type, difficult in choice condition.  
Starting Bid: \$600

## GERMANY



- 30330 Weimar Republic Proof "Oak Tree" 5 Mark 1928-G PR67 Deep Cameo PCGS**, Karlsruhe mint, KM56, J-331. A jewel selection of this normally readily available "Oak Tree" type that is anything but in this almost pristine condition, its mirrored surfaces sparkling and effortlessly reflecting against devices that are thickly laden with mint frost, resulting in a perfectly balanced cameo contrast.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30331 Weimar Republic Proof "Oak Tree" 5 Mark 1928-A PR66+ Cameo PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM56, J-331. Blast white and intensely mirrored, the specimen's near-full cameo contrast adding further appeal to its already impressive surface preservation. A true jewel of the type and worthy of the closest regard.  
Starting Bid: \$500



**30332 Weimar Republic 4-Piece Uncertified “Zeppelin World Tour” Medal Set,**

- 1) bronze Medal, Kaiser-511.1. 36mm. 20.29gm.
- 2) silver Medal, Kaiser-511. 36mm. 24.83gm.
- 3) gold Medal, Kaiser-511.2. 36mm. 22.73gm.
- 4) gold Medal, Kaiser-511.3. 23mm. 6.43gm.

By O. Glöckler. Commemorating the 1929 circumnavigation of the globe by LZ 127 Graf Zeppelin. Jugate busts of Zeppelin, Eckener, and Durr (the designer, navigator, and builder of the airship, respectively) left / View of Earth, centering upon the North Pole and featuring the different cities visited by the airship. The bronze medal is lightly Matte in appearance, while the gold and silver medals are notably Prooflike with nicely mirrored fields; all examples display exquisite surface quality with light haze in the fields. Each of the gold pieces are struck in 0.900 fine gold. All encased within a specially made Capital Plastics holder. (Total: 4 coins)  
Starting Bid: \$750

**GREAT BRITAIN**



**30333 Early Anglo-Saxon. Post-Crondall Period gold Thrymsa ND (655-675) AU53 NGC, S-767, N-20 (VR), Metcalf-79-80, EMC-2019.0002 (this coin). 1.02gm. Two Emperors type. Diademed bust right, cross on stand above “VAII” before, chevron-barred “A” behind / Two facing busts holding orb; above, winged figure of Victory enfolds them. Discovered in Old Harlow, Essex in December 2018. Early Thrymsas were imitations of Merovingian tremisses or earlier Roman coins, and at first were struck containing a high gold content; however, by the time of the mintage of this piece, their metallic content had been debased to less than 35% gold. The result is a not unpleasant pale golden color, slightly silvery but markedly different in appearance from the more commonly encountered Sceattas of the period. An intriguing piece.**  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30334 Richard II gold Noble ND (1377-1399) VF35 PCGS, London mint, Fr-100, S-1654, N-1302. We cannot be fully certain of the Spink attribution, as the annulet over the sail is only partially discernible. Significant evidence of circulation but nonetheless quite attractive, exhibiting a hearty auburn color throughout and surprisingly mark-free surfaces.**  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30335 Henry VI (1st Reign, 1422-1461) gold 1/2 Noble ND (1422-1430) MS61 NGC, London mint, S-1805, N-1417. 3.47gm. Annulet Issue. An impressive piece, evenly struck and retaining mint luster after nearly six centuries. The reverse in particular displays an exceptionally strong strike, the ornate central design presented to its fullest potential on a background of delicate sun-yellow.**  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30336 Henry VIII (1509-1547) gold Angel ND (1509-1526) AU55 NGC, Tower mint, Portcullis Crowned mm, S-2265, N-1760. 1st Coinage of 1509-26. A pleasing selection struck on a broad flan absent of any cracks, with nice surfaces, the central motifs fairly well detailed, the legends wonderfully sharp and easy to read, and with old-gold reddish toning. An excellent example of the type. Ex. Heritage Signature Auction 3030 (January 2014, Lot 24065)**  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30337 Henry VIII (1509-1547) gold Angel ND (1509-1526) AU55 NGC, Tower mint, Tower mm, S-2265, N-1760. 5.02gm. A lightly circulated specimen with even shallow wear to the highpoints, areas of weakness to the designs due to a somewhat wavy flan but an otherwise bold coverage of striking detail.**  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30338 Henry VIII (1509-1547) gold Angel ND (1509-1526) XF40 NGC**, Tower mint, Portcullis mm, S-2265, N-1760. Slightly wavy flan and with some speckled die rust, otherwise an evenly and shallowly worn piece with clear details and a satisfying overall appearance.  
Reserve: \$2,400



- 30341 Charles I gold Unite ND (1633-1634) AU58 PCGS**, Tower mint under the King, Portcullis mm, KM153, S-2692, N-2153. 9.03gm. Fourth bust of Charles I left with unjewelled crown / Crowned quartered oval shield of arms, crowned "C" to left, crowned "R" to right. An interesting portrait, the nose in particular appearing rather large on the bust of Charles I. A tad bit of a weak strike, manifesting in the obverse on the face of the King and bleeding into the "R" of "REX," and in the reverse only above the crowned "R" to the right of the shield of arms. Nonetheless an exceptional piece for the issue, otherwise sharply detailed and retaining much luster. Very nearly Mint State.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30339 Elizabeth I (1558-1603) Crown ND (1601-1602) XF40 PCGS**, Tower mint, "1" mm, S-2582, N-2012. An especially appealing example of this popular type, displaying a distinct lack of annealing marks for the issue that often mask details of the portrait from view. Though the bust is struck slightly weakly, as typical, the legends around the perimeter and entirety of the reverse design display a hint of luster that suggests a slightly higher grade might not be amiss.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30342 James II Crown 1687 MS63+ PCGS**, KM463, ESC-743, S-3407. TERTIO edge. Among the finest survivors extant of this popular 17th century crown, showcasing a gray and olive base of tone on both sides, with an array of attractive multicolored iridescence that caresses much of the raised design. Shimmering luster of unexpected quality for a coin of this period further enlivens the surfaces. Closer inspection reveals no grade-limiting marks, although some striking softness on James' hair, a characteristic which is common for the type, is observed. All considered, a coin that is easily worthy of inclusion in a elite set of crowns.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30340 Charles I Crown ND (1625-1626) VF35 NGC**, Tower mint, KM125, Dav-3761, S-2753, N-2190. 29.57gm. A tad weakly struck on the obverse figure on horseback, yet overall quite pleasing in appearance; nary a distracting mark to be found in the clean, uniform gunmetal-grey fields, with a hint of luster retained around the perimeter. Uncommon to be found on such a round and flawless planchet.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30343 George II Proof 6 Pence 1746 PR64 NGC**, KM582.2, S-3711, ESC-1619. Engrailed edge. Lovely rich greenish-yellow toning with hints of deep red cascading over watery surfaces. Rare so choice and desirable as a representative of Great Britain's first Proof set.  
Starting Bid: \$700



**30344 George II Proof Shilling 1746 PR62 NGC, KM583.3, S-3704, ESC-1208.** From a supposed mintage of only 100 pieces and hailing from Britain's first Proof set. A sheen of blueish-yellow tone coats the glossy surfaces of this piece, only slight cabinet friction on the high points of the design preventing a higher designation.  
Starting Bid: \$700



**30345 George II Proof 1/2 Crown 1746 PR63 NGC, KM584.2, S-3696, ESC-1691 (R; prev. ESC-608).** VICESIMO edge. Glossy surfaces infused by hues of cobalt and sea green that blend with champagne yellow in the fields. A choice representative from the ever-popular Proof set of this year, the first of its kind struck by the British government.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30346 George II Crown 1751 MS62 PCGS, KM585.2, S-3690, Dav-1351.** V. QVARTO edge. Rare at this level of preservation, this gunmetal-grey piece exhibits a deep cabinet tone with glossy underlying luster. A few light adjustment marks are noted on his cheek, but they are common for the type and do not majorly distract from the overall appearance. The finest example of the date we have had the privilege to offer.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30347 George II gold 2 Guineas 1739 AU53 NGC, KM578, S-3668.** A bright canary-yellow example of this scarce issue often found with tooling or other problematic surface alterations. Struck on a slightly convex planchet, lending the bust an almost three-dimensional appearance.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30348 George III gold Proof Guinea 1787 PR60 NGC, KM609, S-3729, W&R-104.** Highly reflective and quite attractive despite the grade, this piece shines with a pleasant honey-golden color. As the surfaces are relatively exempt from distracting contact marks and hairlines, it would seem that the assigned grade was given due to the evident light friction appearing on the high points throughout. Light mechanical doubling is visible as a result of the piece having been struck twice. An interesting piece and worthy of examination.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30349 George III gold Guinea 1794 MS65 NGC, KM609, S-3729.** The single highest graded example of this date by NGC or PCGS - an immaculate gem with scintillating luster, not a hint of circulation wear nor bagmarks marring its gorgeous surfaces. The later spade Guineas of George III are not uncommon in Mint State, but in this exceptional condition are near-impossible to find. A conditionally unique selection with captivating eye appeal.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30350 George III gold Guinea 1794 MS63 NGC, KM609, S-3729.** A bright, attractively toned example of the type, with a some flan irregularity in the field to the right of George's neck.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30351 George III gold Guinea 1794 MS63 PCGS, KM609, S-3729.** "Spade" type. A lovely piece, highly lustrous surfaces shining with tinges of light champagne color that only lend additional appeal to the perimeters.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30352** George III gold Guinea 1795 MS63 NGC, KM609, S-3729. Some light marks, otherwise unscathed and with especially sharp striking detail. Premium even for its choice grade, and a harder-to-find date in this condition.  
Reserve: \$1,500



- 30353** George III gold Guinea 1798 MS64 NGC, KM609, S-3729. A lustrous near-gem, surfaces glowing with satiny sun-yellow and with only a smattering of contact marks restricting it from achieving a higher certified grade. Lightly reflective fields introduce a light contrast to the devices, bolstering the eye appeal on this type struck on shallow dies.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30354** George III Counterstamped Bank Dollar ND (1797-1799) MS63 NGC, KM634, S-3765A. Counterstamp (UNC Standard). Oval counterstamp depicting George III on Mexico City mint 8 Reales 1793 Mo-FM of Charles IV. A fantastic piece in unusually choice quality for any counterstamped George III issue, retaining full luster and exceptional surfaces. The counterstamp is fully struck as well, details of the hair and drapery evident despite the minuscule size of the stamped portrait.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30355** George III Crown 1820-LX MS65 NGC, KM675, S-3787. LX edge. Underrated and highly elusive as a gem, this crown exhibits eye-appeal that should draw enthusiasm from the collector of originality, presenting a sublime arrangement of olive, russet-gold and blue-green patina over the entirety of the surfaces. Full detail compliments the strike and nary a mark is observed at arms-length inspection.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30356** George III gold 1/3 Guinea 1813 MS65 NGC, KM650, S-3740. An enticing gem representative of this final-year denomination, after which the 1816 Great Recoinage reintroduced silver into widespread circulation thus negating the need for such a specific Guinea fraction. Fabulous for its visual appeal, both obverse and reverse split into concentric circles of frosted matte luster and brilliant Prooflike reflectivity, George's portrait needle-sharp and without wear. Amongst the finest of this type available to commerce.  
Ex. Cheshire Collection  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30357** George III gold "Military" Guinea 1813 AU55 NGC, KM664, S-3730. Produced to pay troops fighting in the Napoleonic Wars, just 80,000 of this final-year Guinea were struck and many saw significant circulation. The present offering has thus survived admirably well, some light wear to the highpoints of George's portrait and a dulling of the mint bloom, yet the peripheries are still notably sharp and backlit by dual rings of vibrant luster.  
Reserve: \$2,200



- 30358** George IV Proof Farthing 1821 PR65 Red and Brown PCGS, KM677, S-3822, Peck-1408. A superb gem from the elusive 1821 Proof set. Extraordinary eye appeal, mirrored fields surrounding central devices with enchanting mauve and green iridescence and a full, deep impression of the dies.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30359 George IV Crown 1821 MS65 PCGS, KM680.1, S-3805.** SECUNDO edge. The very definition of gem, its dazzling argent surfaces tinged with iridescent autumnal color that encroaches onto the obverse portrait. Aside from a few inconspicuous contact marks and the faint presence of a fingerprint near the King's portrait, the whole of the planchet retains a fresh appearance usually associated with finer designations. The central designs have benefitted from a superior strike, which has produced even the smallest detail in bold glory, and an incredible amount of original luster easily cartwheels the surfaces at every turn. Surely among an elite group of survivors who have reached this certified technical platform, and a Crown that should easily generate spirited bidding among collectors of this popular issue. Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30360 George IV gold Sovereign 1821 MS62 NGC, KM682, S-3800.** A challenging issue to find in such condition, with vivid sun-yellow surfaces imbued by touches of coppery tone. The reverse in particular is quite attractive, lightly Prooflike in appearance and with nary a distracting mark to be found in the fields. Starting Bid: \$750



**30361 George IV gold Sovereign 1823 XF40 PCGS, KM682, S-3800, Marsh-7 (R3).** Mintage: 616,770. The key of the George IV laureate bust Sovereign series, its mintage low and most examples melted after significant circulation meaning many prominent collections lack an example today. This specimen shows wear to the highpoints and a speckling of bagmarks in the fields, but remains satisfying to the eye and a presentable specimen of this rare date. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30362 George IV gold Sovereign 1825 XF45 PCGS, KM682, S-3800.** Laureate head type. Sun-gold with a tinge of wholesome burnt orange, the strike full and the details quite strong for the assigned grade. Starting Bid: \$750



**30363 George IV gold 2 Pounds 1823 MS63+ PCGS, KM690, S-3798.** A significant one-year issue that exudes freshness, showing untuned surfaces the color of honey and booming luster that leaps from the reflective recesses. A number of trivial contact marks are noted, although they pale in comparison to the bold, central images that easily dominate the eye, thus confirming the coveted plus designation by PCGS for superior quality. Infrequently offered so fine, and commanding of a premium as such. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30364 William IV bronzed copper Proof Penny 1831 PR66 PCGS, KM707a, S-3845, Peck-1457.** No initials on truncation, coin rotation. From the George IV coronation coin set. Reddish-brown patina, with bold devices and deeply mirrored fields. A resplendent Proof example with superb eye-appeal. None have been certified finer. Starting Bid: \$750



**30365 William IV gold Sovereign 1832 MS61 NGC, KM717, S-3829B.** William IV sovereigns are particularly scarce to find in any grade; many examples remained in circulation for decades before being melted down when they became too worn. Mint State examples such as the present example are downright rare and can be expected to attract considerable attention when offered for sale. The issue is notably weakly struck, the lock of hair above the ear on this piece revealing it as no exception. However, the full mint luster and strong strike of the reverse reveals the designation of Mint State as fully accurate. Starting Bid: \$750



- 30366 Victoria bronzed Proof Penny 1839 PR66 PCGS, KM739a, S-3948.** A stunning example from Victoria's coronation Proof set, its dominant planchet color one of a sleek chocolate brown; however, when tilted in the light it yields an abundance of iridescent colors. Blazing magenta tone punctuated by spears of rich cobalt flooding the fields, a red-gold haze residing in the centers, Victoria's portrait picked out in an ethereal blue glow. Tied for the finest certified by NGC or PCGS, and surely unmatched for visual appeal.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30367 Victoria bronzed copper Proof Penny 1839 PR65 PCGS, KM739a, S-3948.** A magnificent example of this popular issue, its surfaces a uniform chocolatey brown and with only a couple of spots here and there accounting for what could otherwise be a higher grade, given the noticeable lack of surface marks. Certainly one of the finer extant examples of the type.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30368 Victoria bronzed copper Proof Penny 1861 PR66 Brown PCGS, KM749.2, S-3954, Freeman-36 (R17).** Unsigned beneath bust, with 16 leaves in laurel wreath. Immaculate quality, with the bronzing evenly accomplished, and fields that remain deeply mirrored and free of handling or spotting. Some recutting is noted on the second "1" in the date. A rare issue in Proof condition and of the highest desirability when encountered this fine.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30369 Victoria Shilling 1854 AU55 NGC, KM734.1, S-3904.** An intriguing example of this already rare date possessing a singular appearance, exhibiting uniformly raised rims and almost Prooflike qualities throughout.  
Starting Bid: \$500



- 30370 Victoria Proof "Gothic" Crown 1847 PR62 NGC, KM744, S-3883.** UN DECIMO on edge. An immensely attractive example of this ever-popular Gothic type, the obverse imbued with a spectrum of colors ranging from a deep maroon to a vivid cerulean, and the reverse with a uniform light salmon. A wonderful opportunity for the collector of British Crowns.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30371 Victoria Proof "Gothic" Crown 1847 PR55 NGC, KM744, S-3883, ESC-288.** UN DECIMO on edge. A premium example for the grade, exhibiting an array of multi-colored hues and only minor evidence of circulation on the high points. A scattering of contact marks to the left of the bust is noted for the sake of completeness. An attainable grade for one of the most popular Crown types.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30372 Victoria Proof Crown 1893 PR64 Cameo NGC, KM783, S-3937.** LVI edge. From a reported mintage of only 1,312 pieces. A lovely piece, permeated by deep reds and purples over a backdrop of champagne yellow. Nicely contrasted and not commonly found with a Cameo designation.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30373 Victoria gold Proof 1/2 Sovereign 1887 PR66 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM766, S-3869, W&R-362. A lovely gem, with simply magnificent watery surfaces and a fantastic cameo effect against the chiseled and heavily frosted devices. Seldom seen at this elite level of preservation, this is an all-around great coin that we suspect will find itself in the collection of a true connoisseur. Ex. Murdoch Collection  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30374 Victoria gold Proof 1/2 Sovereign 1887 PR65+ Cameo NGC** KM766, S-3869. An admirable example of this Jubilee head issue that becomes quite difficult to acquire in lofty gem grades such as this. Very attractive surfaces, displaying nearly flawless texture with only a couple of light hairlines to speak of, watery with hints of light sunset-orange developing into an appealing light cyan around the obverse peripheries.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30375 Victoria gold Sovereign 1838 MS60 NGC**, KM736.1, S-3852. A notable rarity within the British Sovereign series, the first year of issue for Victoria's coinage and seldom represented in higher grades. This piece exhibits light highpoint friction and bagmarks in the fields in line with the grade, yet its eye appeal is certainly above what one would expect for its certification with abundant mint luster and an excellent strike.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30376 Victoria gold Sovereign 1838 Genuine (Damage) PCGS**, KM736.1, S-3852. Exhibiting evidence of repair on the neck and cheek of the portrait of Victoria, resulting in smoothed areas that have toned slightly redder than the surrounding surfaces and justifying the Details grade. Aside from this, a respectable example of this first-year issue of the popular Young Head Sovereign type, essentially uncirculated and beaming with cartwheel luster.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30377 Victoria gold Sovereign 1839 XF45 PCGS**, KM736.1, S-3852, Marsh-23 (R2). Mintage: 503,695. Arguably rarer than Victoria's 1838 Sovereign, as fewer collectors retained this second-year type and thus most of its low mintage entered circulation and were subsequently recycled over the following decades. Moderately worn to the highpoints of the portrait, the reverse far better than the obverse with considerable luster and AU-quality details. A wholly pleasing representative of this scarcer date.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30378 Victoria gold Proof Sovereign 1887 PR65 Deep Cameo PCGS**, KM767, S-3866B. A gorgeous example of this jubilee issue, scarce in such fine condition. Strong, full impression of the dies render the devices in starkly frosted detail, a lovely contrast to the endlessly mirrored texture of the fields. A smattering of thin hairlines are visible under magnification, preventing a higher grade but compensated by the supreme eye appeal of the piece as a whole. An elite example.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



**30379 Victoria gold Proof Sovereign 1893 PR64 NGC**, KM785, S-3874. From a mintage of just 773 pieces. Scarce so choice and very nearly Cameo, only held back by a light weakness of frost on the obverse portrait. Nicely sun-yellow with just a hint of sunset orange in the fields. A few contact marks in the obverse fields place this piece within the parameters of the assigned grade.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30380 Victoria gold Proof 2 Pounds 1887 PR64+ Deep Cameo PCGS**, KM768, S-3865, W&R-290. A magnificent example of this scarce type with a mintage of only 797 pieces. Highly reflective fields and razor-sharp frosted devices, with only a scattering of hairlines preventing it from achieving gem status.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



- 30381 Victoria gold 2 Pounds 1893 MS64 NGC, KM786, S-3873.** The latter date of only two 2 Pound issues produced during Queen Victoria's reign, generally offered as a Proof but presented here in business strike format. Deceivingly scarce in this condition, with only five examples graded higher by NGC, this example boasts radiant cartwheel luster over pleasing pale yellow surfaces, with only minimal handling marks solidifying within its current grade. A desirable piece in such quality.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30382 Victoria gold 5 Pounds 1887 MS62 Prooflike NGC, KM769, S-3864.** The all-popular Jubilee issue, offered with unmistakable reflectivity that provides heavy contrast to the fields and raised illustrations that are draped in a layer of frost, all of which confirm the Prooflike appellation. A number of grade-aligning, post-strike blemishes are noted in the wide-open expanses, but this massive selection as a whole still manages to wow at every turn. An engaging coin in a preferred level of presentation, sure to impress even the most sophisticated collector of British gold.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30383 Victoria gold 5 Pounds 1887 MS62 NGC, KM769, S-3864.** An attractive example of this jubilee type, bearing minor contact marks in the fields in line with the certified grade, but with otherwise pleasing semi-reflective surfaces. A desirable piece.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30384 Victoria gold 5 Pounds 1887 MS61 Prooflike NGC, KM769, S-3864.** A Prooflike example of the type showcasing reflective fields and a near-medallic level of presentation.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30385 Victoria gold 5 Pounds 1887 MS61 NGC, KM769, S-3864.** Somewhat Prooflike, the devices quite well struck, with not much in the way of surface blemishes. A premium example for the grade.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30386 Victoria gold 5 Pounds 1887 UNC Details (Cleaned) PCGS, KM769, S-3864.** Displaying evidence of prior cleaning but nonetheless quite appealing, with bright sun-yellow and fully flashy surfaces. A rare opportunity to acquire an attainable yet pleasing example of the type.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30387 Victoria gold 5 Pounds 1887 UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC, KM769, S-3864.** Cleaned, yet retaining much of its original brightness with an almost perfect portrait of Victoria.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30388** Victoria silver “Golden Jubilee” Medal ND (1887) MS64 NGC, BHM-3219, Eimer-1733. 77mm. By J.E. Boehm and F. Leighton. An exquisitely preserved medal of impressive size, the devices struck in ultra-high relief with pleasing white-gold patina in the fields and considerable reflectivity. Most often encountered with numerous bagmarks and hairlines, and as such its near-gem preservation makes it conditionally very rare. Starting Bid: \$750



**30389** Victoria gold Proof “Golden Jubilee” Medal 1887 PR62 Ultra Cameo NGC, BHM-3219, Eimer-1733a. 58mm. 83.35gm.. By J.E. Boehm and F. Leighton. Struck to a mintage of just 944 pieces this massive issue was produced to commemorate Victoria’s 50th year on the throne, debuting her ‘Jubilee’ portrait on the obverse while the reverse depicts the Queen enthroned amid figures of arts, science, commerce and industry (all which flourished in England during her reign). The high-relief devices have been rendered with a matte frost, yet unusually for an ‘ultra cameo’ piece they do not differ significantly in color to the flashier surfaces behind, the planchet of a uniform sun-yellow hue. Hairlines and a few more significant scratches reside in the field in line with the grade, a difficult to avoid feature of this large-sized type and one which scarcely detracts from its appearance. Highly popular for its production quality and heft, a charming commemorative offering. Starting Bid: \$4,000



**30390** Edward VII gold 2 Pounds 1902 MS64+ NGC, KM806, S-3968. A rare issue in this near-gem quality, with only two examples graded higher, in MS65, by PCGS and NGC combined. Very little in the way of contact marks, with a flashy cartwheel brilliance highlighting canary-yellow surfaces. An impressive piece and sure to encounter much interest at the hands of specialist British collectors. Starting Bid: \$1,500

## GREAT BRITAIN



- 30391 Edward VII gold 5 Pounds 1902 MS61 NGC, KM807, S-3965.** Of the approximately 35,000 pieces minted of this one-year type, 27,000 were melted, resulting in a deceptively scarce issue. Speckled contact marks dot the surface, but this piece is quite solid for the grade with plenty of luster in the fields. Starting Bid: \$750



- 30394 George VI gold Proof 5 Pounds 1937 PR61 NGC, KM861, S-4074.** An ever-popular type struck in a mintage of 5,500, issued as part of George VI's coronation Proof set. Deeply reflective, with only light instances of handling accounting for the assigned grade. Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30392 Edward VII gold 5 Pounds 1902 UNC Details (Surface Hairlines) NGC, KM807, S-3966, W&R-40.** A fully uncirculated example of this popular gold denomination expressing full detail and only lighter instances of handling outside the noted cleaning. Reserve: \$2,000



- 30395 Elizabeth II Proof Crown 1953 PR67 Deep Cameo PCGS, KM894, S-4136.** Struck as part of Elizabeth II's coronation Proof set, an exceptionally presentable specimen with deep mirror fields toned to a dappled white-gold sheen over original icy white color. Near technical perfection. Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30393 George V gold Proof 5 Pounds 1911 PR61 NGC, KM822, S-3994.** From a mintage of only 2,812 pieces. An impressive example of this Proof-only issue, wisps of marigold around the devices lending a bit of character to the soft glow of the reflective fields. The contrast between the emblematic motifs and glistening recesses is greater than might be expected, only intruded upon by a grouping of handling marks around the obverse portrait that place the piece in line with the assigned grade. Starting Bid: \$2,000



**30396 Elizabeth II 4-Piece Certified gold “500th Sovereign Anniversary” Proof Set 1989 PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC,**  
 1) 1/2 Sovereign, KM955  
 2) Sovereign, KM956  
 3) 2 Pounds, KM957  
 4) 5 Pounds, KM958

KM-PS61. An immaculate quartet, one of Elizabeth’s most popular gold Proof sets with each coin at technical perfection. Total AGW 2.000 oz. (Total: 4 coins)  
 Starting Bid: \$2,000



**30397 Elizabeth II 4-Piece Certified gold “500th Sovereign Anniversary” Proof Set 1989 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC,**  
 1) 1/2 Sovereign, KM955, S-SB3  
 2) Sovereign, KM956, S-SC3  
 3) 2 Pounds, KM957, S-SD3  
 4) 5 Pounds, KM958, S-SE3

KM-PS61. Amongst the most popular of the modern British Proof sets, represented here in matching and essentially perfect Ultra Cameo condition. Total AGW 2.000 oz. (Total: 4 coins)  
 Starting Bid: \$1,500

GREECE



**30398 Constantine I aluminum Specimen Uniface Trial 50 Lepta 1921 SP61 PCGS,** Birmingham mint, KM-TS21. Trial strike, struck in collar. A rare occurrence of this rare trial issue in aluminum displaying only the obverse design, with the olive branch and denomination reverse design left unstruck. A fleeting opportunity to acquire an example of this infrequently seen trial type and an important relic of Greek numismatic history.  
 Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30399** Constantine II gold “1967 Revolution” 100 Drachmai ND (1970) MS68 NGC, KM95. Mintage: 10,000. Struck to commemorate the April 21, 1967 revolution  
Starting Bid: \$800



- 30400** Constantine II gold “1967 Revolution” 100 Drachmai ND (1970) MS66 NGC, KM95. Mintage: 10,000. Struck to commemorate the April 21, 1967 revolution  
Starting Bid: \$700

## GREENLAND



- 30401** Ostgronland. A. Gibbs & Sons brass Skilling Token 1863 MS65 NGC, KM-Tn11, Sieg-8. A rare and historically important token relating to the failed 1863 expedition of this British trading and mining company to eastern Greenland, in an exceptional gem state of preservation.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30402** Ostgronland. A. Gibbs & Sons brass 24 Skilling Token 1863 MS64 NGC, KM-Tn13, Sieg-10. Near-gem, a scarce token with pleasing harvest-yellow surfaces and minimal evidence of handling.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30403** Ostgronland. A. Gibbs & Sons brass Daler Token 1863 MS64 NGC, KM-Tn14, Sieg-11. A charismatic token with pale gold surfaces and a toasted butterscotch toning to the highpoints of the design.  
Starting Bid: \$750

## GUATEMALA



- 30404** Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1778 NG-P XF Details (Excessive Surface Hairlines) NGC, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM40, Fr-10. A rare opportunity to acquire an example of what remains one of the scarcer date-types in the entire Charles III Spanish colonial series! Moderately circulated, though displaying a relatively clean strike for the issue, with clearly outlined devices and only smaller areas of insignificant weakness.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30405** Central American Republic 8 Reales 1846/2 NG-MA MS63 PCGS, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM4. A lustrous brilliance enhances the obverse and reverse surfaces of this choice example, confirming not only its uncirculated condition but also a level of quality only rarely seen for this popular type. Attractively olive and graphite toned, with clear detailing throughout the sun, mountains, and reverse Ceiba tree.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30406 Republic gold 8 Pesos 1864-R AU55 NGC**, Guatemala mint, KM184, Fr-33. A notably scarcer issue within the Guatemalan series, seeing just 474 examples struck for this ultimately single-year type. A gentle scattering of friction confirms some circulation, though plentiful luster exists in the fields, highlighting what remains a charming condition and overall level of preservation for the type.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30407 Republic gold 20 Pesos 1869-R AU Details (Cleaned) NGC**, KM194. Mintage: 16,000. A one-year type featuring the portrait of Rafael Carrera. Cleaned, though with abundant mint luster remaining.  
Starting Bid: \$650



**30408 Republic gold Off-Metal Strike 5 Centavos 1925 MS65 NGC**, KM238.1a. A rare gold striking of the 1925 5 Centavos, for which the *Standard Catalog of World Coins* reports only 8 examples struck. While this seems unlikely given the 6 specimens currently certified by NGC, the fact remains that this issue is decidedly difficult in any condition, making the finest certified representative, an honor taken by the present selection, one to be coveted by dedicated collectors of the Guatemalan series.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30409 Republic copper-nickel Holed Pattern Peso 1921 AU58 NGC**, KM-Pn37. 25mm. With "Peso Moneda Nacional Niquel" on reverse and hole below arms and denomination. An exceedingly rare pattern issue for which recent auction records show no comparable examples. Not surprisingly the *Standard Catalog of World Coins* lists the issue without mintage and value, and this represents the first of its kind that we have either seen or had the privilege to offer on auction. Very lightly circulated, the surfaces displaying old variegated toning, and the below-center hole serving as a prominent feature to call attention to the special nature of this intriguing issue.  
Starting Bid: \$750

HAITI



**30410 Northern Haiti. Henri Christophe silver Pattern 15 Sols 1808 MS63 NGC**, Birmingham mint, KM-Pn7, Fonrobert-7488. A choice example of this scarce issue decorated in delicate silver tones over flashy fields, enhancing the presentation of sharp devices rendered to pinpoint accuracy.

*Commissioned by Henri Christophe in England as part of the project to improve the crude issues of the State of Haiti struck in Cap Haitien. Commercial agent of Henri Christophe, Jean Gabriel Peltier, contacted Matthew Boulton on January 25, 1808, to manufacture dies for three denominations, 30, 15 and 7.5 sols, equivalent to the English 1 shilling, sixpence and threepence. The dies, while differing from the original sketches furnished by Peltier, which stipulated an obverse with a four-line inscription "ETAT - d'HAITY - PIECE DE - 30 SOLS" encircled in a laurel wreath, were skillfully made, as evidenced by the present specimen. They were manufactured at a cost of 105 guineas and delivered to Peltier by John Woodward (agent of Boulton, Watt & Co. in London) on August 3, 1808, together with various Proof sets: 3 triple sets (3 coins per denomination) and 3 normal Proof sets (1 coin per denomination). Together with some pieces undoubtedly kept by Boulton himself (note that many of the few surviving specimens have surfaced in the UK), the former sets account for the scant surviving examples of these charming patterns.*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30411 Faustin I silver Proof Essai Gourde 1854 PR63 NGC**, Birmingham mint, KM-Pn54, Fonrobert-7617, Gutttag-2209F. Reeded edge. Overstruck on a French 1 Franc (1852-1854) with hints of the undertype visible on both the obverse and reverse. A very rare issue rarely seen on auction, graced with a slate gray tone that lends a pleasing aged appearance. Sold with old coin dealer tag.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30412 Faustin I Proof Pattern 5 Gourdes ND (1854) PR62 NGC**, Birmingham mint, KM-Pn60, Fonrobert-7610, Gutttag-2209D. Plain edge, small bust. An appealing and deeply silver-toned example of this pattern issue, handled with sufficient care over its 150+ year history so as to leave no larger abrasions or contact marks. A desirable type, particularly so when encountered uncirculated. Sold with old Galerie des Monnaies of Geneva Ltd. auction tag.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



- 30413 General Florvil Hippolyte Uniface Counterstamped Insurrection Gourde ND (c. 1889) MS63 Brown NGC, KM51, Guttag-2246A, Rudman-322.** Mintage: 100. With the counterstamp B. P. 1G / GL. H in two lines, for Bon Pour 1 Gourde, General Hippolyte. The second finest certified example of this rare revolutionary issue, and the finest we have been able to locate coming to auction in the past several decades, struck by the future President of Haiti, who overthrew President Legitime in 1889. For reference, we recently offered an MS61 Brown-graded piece in our January New York sale, which brought \$3792. Sold with old dealer envelope.  
Ex. O. P. Eklund Collection  
Starting Bid: \$750

## HUNGARY



- 30414 Maria gold Goldgulden ND (1382-1387) MS65 PCGS, Fr-8, CNH-111.** 3.56gm. An absolutely superb example of issue from the short-lived reign of Maria of Anjou, boasting a supremely strong strike and a lively, liquid golden texture.  
Reserve: \$3,000



- 30415 Sigismund gold Goldgulden ND (1387-1437) MS65 NGC, Buda mint, Fr-9, Husz-572, Lengyel-17/3.** Reverse type with eagle in quartered shield. Fully brilliant, and an exceptionally choice example of this early coinage.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30416 Leopold I gold 1/6 Ducat 1686-NB MS66 NGC, Nagybanya mint, KM189, Fr-154, Husz-1343.** Fantastically lustrous and sharp, the fields' only clear feature taking the form of light die polish lines visible under magnification, a bright glow emanating from the entirety of the planchet and serving to underscore an impression of impeccable quality for the type.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$500



- 30417 Karl VI gold Ducat 1718 K-B MS66 NGC, Kremnitz mint, KM291, Fr-173.** An illustrious ducat whose shimmering clear fields and sharp strike serve to indicate a standout quality rarely seen for the type, or even more broadly, for any coin of its age. A true gem, one certain to appeal to even the most conditionally discriminating collector.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30418 Jeremias Roth Senior gold 1/2 Ducat ND (1690-1751) MS66 NGC, Kremnitz mint, Fr-585, Husz-22.** A conditionally superior selection of this fractional ducat type showcasing a profound clarity of strike with shimmering watery luster embracing the crisp devices. Though NGC does not list population data for this type, this is certainly among the finest, with none currently certified above MS64 by PCGS.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$500



- 30419 Franz Joseph I gold 20 Korona 1916-KB AU58 NGC, Kremnitz mint, KM495, Fr-259, Husz-2231.** Variety with Bosnian arms in shield. A sharp example of this better variety offering near-uncirculated features enhanced by a glowing mint brilliance.  
Starting Bid: \$700



- 30420 Franz Joseph I gold 20 Korona 1916-KB AU55 NGC, Kremnitz mint, KM495, Fr-259, Husz-2231.** Variety with Bosnian arms in shield. Blazing luster decorates the peripheries of this lightly circulated example showing evenly scattered light friction, though little to no wear throughout the majority of its design.  
Starting Bid: \$600



- 30421 Republic gold Proof “Franz Liszt” 500 Forint 1961-BP PR66 Cameo PCGS**, Budapest mint, KM565. A mirrored commemorative showcasing striking flow lines in fields radiating from the central regions. AGW 1.2166 oz. Reserve: \$1,900

## INDIA



- 30422 Sultans of Delhi. Muhammad bin Tughluq (AH 725-752 / AD 1325-1351) gold Tanka AH 725 (AD 1324/5) MS64 NGC**, Qutbad mint, ICV-2501var (type), G&G-D321 (R). 11.05gm. Exceedingly handsome and well-centered for this characteristically high relief type. The piece on the whole appears very near to gem, with satiny surfaces studded with die polish. Starting Bid: \$600



- 30423 Hyderabad. Mir Usman Ali Khan gold Ashrafi AH 1329 Year 1 (1911) MS63 NGC**, Hyderabad (Farkhanda Bunyad) mint, KM-Y57, Fr-1165. “Short ayn” variety. An important and scarce variety of the type, featuring the short ayn within the obverse Char Minar gateway, the surfaces uniformly lustrous and absent any instances of handling that are worthy of mention. A strong example of the issue and worthy of close bidder examination. Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30424 British India. Victoria gold Mohur 1862-(c) MS61 NGC**, Calcutta mint, KM480, Fr-1598. “V” on bust. A popular Indian denomination, pale gold with moderate handling marks but no hint of circulation wear. Well-defined with an especially crisp depiction of Victoria as Empress. Reserve: \$1,800



- 30425 British India. George V Proof Rupee 1911-(b) PR63 PCGS**, Bombay mint, KM523, S&W-8.16. A commendable original striking of the 1911 Proof Rupee displaying mirrored, ultra-watery fields, a few isolated hairlines marks holding the coin from higher echelons of certification, the strike complete and yielding expressive highpoint detail. Worthy of a premium bid and close in-hand examination. Reserve: \$4,000



- 30426 British India. George V gold 15 Rupees 1918-(b) MS61 PCGS**, Bombay mint, KM525, Prid-25, S&W-8.1. Fully Mint State, with bright golden luster and clear detailing culminating in an admirable visual display. As a type, highly collectible, particularly so when encountered in uncirculated condition. Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30427 British India. George V gold 15 Rupees 1918-(b) AU58 NGC**, Bombay mint, KM525, Prid-25, S&W-8.1. A quality representative of the type possessed of a semi-satiny appearance owing to light handling, with mint brilliance bordering the legends and central features. Starting Bid: \$750



- 30428 British India. Habib Bank Private gold 5 Tolas ND MS61 NGC**, KM-X58. 21.5mm. 58.36gm. Struck by Habib Bank Ltd., the date of manufacture and mintage unlisted in the *Standard Catalog of World Coins* Unusual volume. Lustrous and without wear to the devices, scattered light friction present in the fields; a substantial and wholly satisfying example of this ingot type. Reserve: \$2,950

## INDONESIA



- 30429 Republic gold Proof "Komodo Dragon" 100000 Rupiah 1974 PR66 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM41.** A premium example of this popular Conservation Series type that features the Komodo Dragon. Heavily frosted devices gleam above deeply mirrored fields. Quite nice for the assigned grade.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30430 Republic gold "Komodo Dragon" 100000 Rupiah 1974 MS66 NGC, KM41.** An solid coin of this heavily demanded Conservation Series type that features the Komodo Dragon.  
Starting Bid: \$750

## IONIAN ISLANDS



- 30431 British Administration Proof Obol 1819 PR63 Brown NGC, KM-Pn4, Prid-19c.** Variety with W.W. (for William Wyon) below the exergue on the reverse. Sharply defined details with even chocolate-brown patina over reflective fields and moderate contact marks.  
Ex. David Vice Collection  
Starting Bid: \$750

## IRAN



- 30432 Qajar. Muzaffar al-Din Shah silver 5000 Dinars (5 Kran) AH 1322 (1904) AU50 PCGS, Tehran mint, KM980, Dav-287, Kian-161 (RRR).** Struck to commemorate the Shah's birth. A superb rarity within the late Qajar silver series, with examples of this one-year commemorative virtually never escaping the VF level, and frequently found mounted or cleaned. Still holding die polish around the sun and lion motif, the present specimen is one of just two pieces certified at this level, with just one having been awarded Mint State between NGC and PCGS combined.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30433 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold 5 Pahlavi SH 1348 (1969) MS66 NGC, Tehran mint, KM1164, Fr-99.** Illuminated by whirling cartwheel luster, the surfaces of this superb gem revealing not a single instance of handling that could be considered meaningfully distracting in hand, the only impression established one of enviable preservation. Notably the finest example seen by either NGC or PCGS, and fully deserving of a premium bid.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



Images not to scale.

**30434 Muhammed Reza Pahlavi 9-Piece Certified gold & silver Proof Set SH 1350 (1971) Ultra Cameo NGC,**

- 1) "Artaxerxes' Palace Column" 25 Rials - PR64, KM1184
- 2) "Darius I Griffin Frieze" 50 Rials - PR67, KM1185
- 3) "Cylinder of Cyrus II" 75 Rials - PR68, KM1186
- 4) "Pillared Palace" 100 Rials - PR66, KM1187.1. Mirrored fields.
- 5) "Persian Empire Anniversary" 200 Rials - PR64, KM1188
- 6) gold "Griffin" 500 Rials - PR66, KM1189
- 7) gold "Stone of Cyrus II" 750 Rials - PR66, KM1190
- 8) gold "Pillared Place" 1000 Rials - PR66, KM1191.1. Mirrored fields.
- 9) gold "Persian Empire Anniversary" 2000 Rials - PR66, KM1192

KM-PS2. A sharp set struck for the 2,500th year of Iranian monarchy. With "1 AR" assayer's marks on the 50 Rials, 75 Rials, 500 Rials, and 750 Rials. Sold with original case of issue. Total AGW approximately 1.60 oz. (Total: 9 coins)  
 Starting Bid: \$1,250



Images not to scale.

**30435 Muhammed Reza Pahlavi 9-Piece Certified gold & silver Proof Set SH 1350 (1971) NGC,**

- 1) "Artaxerxes' Palace Column" 25 Rials - PR65, KM1184
- 2) "Darius I Griffin Frieze" 50 Rials - PR67, KM1185
- 3) "Cylinder of Cyrus II" 75 Rials - PR66 Cameo, KM1186
- 4) "Pillared Palace" 100 Rials - PR66 Cameo, KM1187.1. Mirrored fields.
- 5) "Persian Empire Anniversary" 200 Rials - PR66 Cameo, KM1188
- 6) gold "Griffin" 500 Rials - PR67 Ultra Cameo, KM1189
- 7) gold "Stone of Cyrus II" 750 Rials - PR67 Ultra Cameo, KM1190
- 8) gold "Pillared Place" 1000 Rials - PR66 Ultra Cameo, KM1191.1. Mirrored fields.
- 9) gold "Persian Empire Anniversary" 2000 Rials - PR68 Ultra Cameo, KM1192

KM-PS2. Struck for the 2,500th year of Iranian monarchy, the silver issues pleasingly toned to a steely lilac hue. Sold with original case of issue. Total AGW approx. 1.60 oz. (Total: 9 coins)  
 Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30436** Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold “Noruz” Medal SH 1335 (1956) UNC Details (Obverse Cleaned) NGC, 36mm. 32.36gm. Struck in commemoration of the Persian New Year. A fully uncirculated example of the type displaying just a hint of cameo contrast.  
Starting Bid: \$800



**30437** Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold “25th Anniversary of Reign” Medal SH 1344 (1965) MS61 NGC, Tehran mint. 37mm. 34.87gm. Struck in a weight of 5 Pahlavi. A large gold medal issued for the 25th anniversary of Muhammad Reza Pahlavi’s reign showing handling limited to only lighter and less distracting instances than is often seen at this grade level.  
Starting Bid: \$850



**30438** Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof “Bank Melli 50th Anniversary” Medal MS 2536 (1978) PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC, 40mm. 29.62gm. Bank Melli opening 50th anniversary issue. The finest certified example of its type offering immaculate surfaces and a superb cameo contrast. By all measures a standout conditional survivor.  
Starting Bid: \$900



**30439** Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof “Bank Melli 50th Anniversary” Medal MS 2536 (1978) PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC, 40mm. 29.94gm. Issue celebrating the 50th anniversary of the opening of the Bank Melli by Reza Shah. Bordering on flawless, the delightfully satiny devices contrasting sharply against the mirrored fields surrounding.  
Starting Bid: \$800

IRAQ



**30440** Faisal I Proof 50 Fils AH 1349 (1931) PR64 PCGS, Royal Mint, KM100. Rare in Proof, an icy white offering with semi-reflective fields and shallowly engraved yet sharply rendered devices.  
Starting Bid: \$750

ISLAMIC DYNASTIES



**30441** Ottoman Empire. Mehmed V gold “Mint Visit” 100 Kurush AH 1327 Year 3 (1911/1912) MS63 NGC, Mint given as Salonika, though struck at Istanbul (in Turkey), KM812, Pere-1017. Mintage: 750. An enormously popular emission from Mehmed V’s mint visit series, presently standing as the second finest certified example at NGC. Despite some extremely minor marks, the surfaces appear glassy and nearly Prooflike—befitting of a presentation issue such as this.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30442 Ottoman Empire. Mehmed V gold 250 Kurush AH 1327 Year 4 (1912/1913) AU53 NGC**, Constantinople mint (in Turkey), KM757, Fr-65. A very scarce issue, this being the first example of the type we have seen to date. An exceptional piece for the assigned grade, exhibiting considerable luster and only a very minimal amount of rub at the high points, as well as some hairlines in the central fields. Starting Bid: \$750

## ITALY

### FLORENCE



**30443 Florence. Republic gold Florin ND (post 1252) MS61 NGC**, Fr-275, MIR-2 (R2). Series II, with beaded nimbus. A lovely example of this classic trade coin with bold features and full mint brilliance. A premium coin for this designation. Starting Bid: \$750



**30444 Florence. Republic gold Florin ND (1526-1527) MS63 NGC**, Fr-276, MIR-30/46. A scarcer issue displaying remarkably bold details and struck on a broad flan producing fully readable peripheral legends. A highly appealing selection of the type, worthy of close in-hand consideration. Starting Bid: \$1,000

### LOMBARDY-VENETIA



**30445 Lombardy-Venetia. Franz I gold 1/2 Sovrano 1831/21-M MS64 PCGS**, Milan mint, KM-C10.1, Fr-741d. A rare overdate, unlisted in the *Standard Catalogue of World Coins* and one of only two examples graded by PCGS. Lightly Prooflike, with especially watery and contrasted reverse fields. A small scratch below the chin accounts for the current grade on what otherwise might be considered gem surfaces. Reserve: \$1,200



**30446 Lombardy-Venetia. Franz I gold Sovrano 1831/21-M MS64 PCGS**, Milan mint, KM-C11.1, Fr-741c, Mont-332, Gig-16. A scarce overdate, especially in such near-gem quality. Superbly struck and practically Prooflike, each detail of the devices razor-sharp and lightly frosted against the mirrored golden backdrop of the fields. The overdate is clear and defined, the latter "1" especially visible beneath the final digit of the date. Reserve: \$1,600

### MILAN



**30447 Milan. Philip II gold Doppia 1578 MS62 PCGS**, Fr-716, MIR-301/1, Crippa-4/A. A lustrous representative of this Spanish-Italian gold "Doppia", which retains considerable brightness throughout the entirety of the obverse and reverse surfaces. Only very light handling establishes the somewhat conservative grade, making for a wholly admirable selection. Starting Bid: \$750

### NAPLES & SICILY



**30448 Naples & Sicily. Ferdinand IV gold 6 Ducati 1776 BP//C-CC MS62 NGC**, KM176, Fr-849. Choice for its certification, a luminous offering with full mint luster and a near-complete strike. Reserve: \$1,200

### SARDINIA



**30449 Sardinia. Vittorio Emanuele II 5 Lire 1850 (Anchor)-P AU55 NGC**, Genoa mint, KM144.2. A scarce type in this quality, and an appealing example with nearly full mint luster and a pleasing light tone. One of the more affordable dates in the series. Starting Bid: \$750

## SICILY



- 30450 Sicily. Frederick II (1197-1250) gold Augustale ND (1230-1250) XF40 NGC**, Messina mint, Fr-134, MEC XIV-515, MIC-59, Spahr-98. 5.26gm. (annulet) IMP ROM | • CESAR AVG, Laureate bust right / +FRIDE | RICVS, Eagle left, head right, wings raised. An extremely rare and charismatic pseudo-Ancient type, styled and produced in the manner of an imperial Roman issue. Important as a representative of a turning point in medieval coinage, the first major piece to exhibit the realistic, detailed side-facing portrait that would become common on European coinage, and desirable for collectors of both Ancient and medieval coinage. Exhibiting moderate evidence of circulation, resulting in flatness in the high points, but well-struck, exhibiting bright yellow-gold surfaces and with much detail remaining nonetheless. Starting Bid: \$2,000



- 30451 Sicily. Ferdinand III Oncia of 30 Tari 1785-GLC AU58 NGC**, Palermo mint, KM207, MIR-596, Spahr-1, Dav-1416. 68.25gm. A massive issue exhibiting a wholesome cabinet tone, the surfaces unbelievably original and permeated with light hues of violet and cobalt. Displaying a charming “rising phoenix” design that is very reminiscent of the eagle reverses of later Liberty Head gold issues of the United States. Overall a lovely and desirable example of this popular, massive multiple Crown issue. Ex. Bertolami Fine Art Auction 67 (July 2019, Lot 673) Starting Bid: \$1,500

## VENICE



- 30452 Venice. Ludovico Manin Tallero 1789 MS62 NGC**, KM747, Dav-1575. An exalted representative for the type almost always encountered with some sort of externally caused flaw. Although somewhat flat in the strike, this wholesome piece persists with a commendable articulation within the details, and possesses a delicious tonal blend of steely grey and pastel lilac. An elite example worthy of an elite collection. Reserve: \$1,500



**30453 Venice. Ludovico Manin Osella Anno V (1793)-ZAB MS62 NGC, KM-X386, Paolucci II, 276.** An exceptionally beautiful and enchanting design, this wondrous specimen, full of radiant luster and an attractive cabinet tone, is exceedingly scarce in such a state of preservation. Tremendous eye-appeal and charm are on full display with this near-choice piece, featuring rich allegory with Venice floating on clouds, ship and building in background. Ex. Heritage Long Beach Signature Auction 3057 (September 2017, Lot 31168)  
No Minimum Bid



**30456 Umberto I gold 100 Lire 1883-R MS61 NGC, Rome mint, KM22, Fr-18, Mont-3, Gig-3.** Bust of King Umberto I left, with date below. Rev. Crowned arms dividing L.-100, within wreath. Extremely rare, with a tiny mintage of only 4,219 pieces; this offering exhibits abundant Prooflike luster and an immensely crisp portrait of Umberto, impacted by scattered contact marks in line with the grade yet remaining decidedly choice for issue. Scarcely encountered in Mint State, an enticing example boasting strong visual allure.  
Reserve: \$4,500



**30454 Venice. Revolutionary 5 Lire 1848 MS65 PCGS, Venice mint, KM803 (prev. KM-C185).** A scarce one-year type struck during the turmoil of 1848, this revolutionary issue exhibits a calm, subtle mottled toning beneath brilliant cartwheeling luster. Very little in the way of surface marks, and overall quite solid for the grade with charming eye-appeal to boot.  
Reserve: \$2,500



**30457 Umberto I gold 100 Lire 1883-R UNC Details (Obverse Graffiti) NGC, Rome mint, KM22, Fr-18.** Mintage: 4,219. A luminous representative of a low-mintage issue prized by Italian collectors in both circulated and uncirculated conditions alike. The present offering displays graffiti to the front of Umberto's bust, this clearly including the date "1885", serving as an indication that this was performed relatively close to the year that the coin was struck.  
Reserve: \$2,000

KINGDOM



**30455 Umberto I gold 20 Lire 1884-R MS64 PCGS, Rome mint, KM21, Pag-580.** A scarce date that saw a total of only 9,775 struck, a figure much lower than the adjacent dates in the series which saw 182,000 and 165,000 produced. The first example of this date which we have offered and, notably, tied for finest certified across both NGC and PCGS combined.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30458 Umberto I gold 100 Lire 1888-R AU Details (Rim Damage) NGC, Rome mint, KM22, Fr-18, Pag-570.** Obv. Bare head left. Rev. Crowned coat-of-arms within Order chain; all within wreath; rayed star above. A lustrous example of this relatively low-mintage type which saw only 1,169 struck for 1888.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30459** Vittorio Emanuele III silver Prova Lira 1915-R MS63 NGC, Rome mint, KM-PrB26, Pag-259. A very rare pattern for the Lira, produced with a business strike finish but in Proof quality. Primarily a pearly argent in color, pale aurous patina permeating the devices and creating a charming two-tone effect, devices fully rendered and engraved to an exceptional medalllic standard. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30460** Vittorio Emanuele III gold 10 Lire 1912-R MS65 PCGS, Rome mint, KM47, Fr-29. Mintage: 6,796. The rarest issue of the design-identical 20, 50, and 100 Lire denominations, the 1912-R 10 Lire stands as one of the most desirable and difficult issues of the Italian series, particularly so when encountered in gem condition - a status obtained by only a small handful certified to date. Satiny and lustrous, with abundant visual charm and no marks of consequence to deter the eye. Starting Bid: \$2,500



**30461** Vittorio Emanuele III gold 10 Lire 1912-R MS64+ PCGS, Rome mint, KM47, Fr-29. A very conditionally scarce issue that saw only 6,796 struck. Satiny and bright, with soft mint luster washing over the well-kept surfaces. Starting Bid: \$2,000



**30462** Vittorio Emanuele III gold 20 Lire 1923-R MS64 PCGS, Rome mint, KM64, Fr-31. A uniformly canary-yellow example of this fascist-era Italian gold, draped with satiny yet cartwheeling luster throughout the fields. A type seldom found in such high-end quality, tied with only three others for the finest graded at PCGS. Reserve: \$1,500



**30463** Vittorio Emanuele III gold 100 Lire 1912-R MS62 NGC, Rome mint, KM50, Fr-26. Mintage: 4,946. A desirable low-mintage type offering aurous mint luster without any larger instances of handling to deter the eye. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30464** Vittorio Emanuele III gold 100 Lire 1923-R MS62 Matte PCGS, Rome mint, KM65. A popular one-year type, introduced to commemorate the first anniversary of the fascist regime in Italy. A soft, satiny near-choice example with only light evidence of handling in the delicate Matte fields, placing it in line with its current grade. Reserve: \$2,600



**30465 Vittorio Emanuele III gold 100 Lire 1923-R MS62 Matte PCGS**, Rome mint, KM65, Fr-30. Mintage: 20,000. Struck as a one-year type in a matte finish to commemorate the first anniversary of the fascist regime in Italy. A popular issue that continues to see strong collector demand.  
Reserve: \$2,500

**JAPAN**



**30466 Taisho gold 20 Yen Year 6 (1917) MS66 NGC**, Osaka mint, KM-Y40.2, Fr-53, JNDA 01-6. A captivating gem, wonderfully satiny and with much of the surfaces in a state of near-flawlessness. Elusive in such a fine state of preservation, and firmly within its assigned grade.  
Reserve: \$2,400

**LIECHTENSTEIN**



**30467 Johann II gold 10 Kronen 1900 MS64+ NGC**, KM-Y5. A lower mintage issue that saw only 1,500 examples produced. Luxuriously silky luster pervades over surfaces that have seen gentle care in the past century, confirming the specimen entirely in its borderline gem certification.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

**MALTA**



**30468 Ferdinand Hompesch 15 Tari 1798 MS63 NGC**, KM344. Believed to have been struck during the French occupation of Malta (1798-1800). Simply sublime, the surfaces blast-white and lightly Prooflike, the strike complete and strong. Unheard of in such a pristine state of preservation, the sole example with a Mint State grade at either PCGS or NGC and unrivaled by any uncertified examples we have been able to find. Sure to attract much attention as an exquisite conditional rarity of a historically important type.  
Starting Bid: \$700

**MEXICO**



**30469 Philip II Cob 8 Reales ND (1556-1598) Mo-O AU55 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM43, Cal-156. 27.33gm. A highly attractive and apparently exceedingly rare type, with this being only the second example we have sold and been able to locate coming to auction in the past several decades, with the last bringing an astounding \$20,400 in our September 2018 Long Beach sale (lot 34564). Close inspection of the fields reveals that this piece was clearly struck from highly polished dies, with a sizable die shift noted on the obverse, producing a truly singular appearance.  
Ex. Espinola Collection  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30470 Philip V 2 Reales 1736/4 Mo-MF MS63 PCGS**, Mexico City mint, KM84. An amazing representative of this scarce overdate, the first of the issue we have seen thus far and the sole Mint State example of four pieces graded by either PCGS or NGC. Exhibiting a deep, wholesome gunmetal tone throughout that speaks to the utmost originality of the surfaces, silhouetted against a faint backdrop of silvery gray-gold with hints of blue steel around the peripheries. An impressive piece with an illustrious pedigree.  
Ex. Norweb Collection  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30471 Philip V 8 Reales 1735 Mo-MF MS62 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM103, Cal-779. A wholesome and original piece, well-struck and dappled with deep but attractive tone. An impressive representative of this early date.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30472 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1777/6 Mo-FM AU53 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM156.2, Onza-767. Scarce overdate variety. An intensely attractive piece despite some circulation wear, the surfaces lightly reflective and with hints of red around the devices.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30473 Charles III gilt-bronze "Birth of Carlos & Felipe" Medal 1784 MS63 NGC**, Grove-K-80b. 60mm. Besides a large die crack in the obverse center at 12 o'clock, a problem-free example with an unbroken gilt coat and crisp, high-relief devices.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30474 Charles IV 8 Reales 1790 Mo-FM MS62 PCGS**, Mexico City mint, KM107, Cal-682. "CAROLUS IV" legend. Seldom seen so nice, elusive in any Mint State condition and the finest known at PCGS. Satiny fields permeated by hints of auburn color, a light scattering of surface marks in line with the assigned grade.  
Starting Bid: \$700



**30475 Charles IV gold "EFLIX" 8 Escudos 1797 Mo-FM XF45 PCGS**, Mexico City mint, KM159. A sound example of this known error variant, struck with "EFLIX" rather than "FELIX" in the reverse legend. The offering displays even rub across the middle to higher points of the bust, with bright luster retained in the crevices and legends. Sold with the original Eliasberg Collection ticket. Ex. Q. David Bowers Collection (Stack's Bowers Galleries 2016 NYINC Auction, January 2016, Lot 41237) ; Louis E. Eliasberg Collection (American Numismatic Rarities, April 2005, Lot 3189) Starting Bid: \$750



**30476 Ferdinand VII 4 Reales 1821 Mo-JJ MS62 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM102. A conditionally scarce issue serving as the final date for the series, a consequence of Mexican independence, which was achieved in the same year. In addition to this clear historical importance the offering exudes Mint State quality, offering ample luster amidst hints of hazelnut and iridescent blue tones, a single spot of toning noted below Ferdinand's shoulder for completeness. Of the three examples NGC has presently certified in uncirculated condition only a single representative certifies finer. Reserve Amount: \$3,000



**30477 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1811 Mo-JJ AU58 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM160, Fr-47. Attractively lustrous over satiny surfaces revealing only a minimum of disturbance considering any time spent in circulation. Though struck softly in the centers, this coin represents a quality of preservation that is clearly on the cusp of Mint State. Starting Bid: \$750



**30478 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1811 Mo-HJ AU55 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM160. A soft sun-yellow example of this short-lived type, displaying the typical weak strike on the obverse cheek and central reverse areas. Starting Bid: \$600



**30479 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1814 Mo-JJ MS60 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM161. Highly lustrous, a hint of rub on the obverse portrait contributing to the assigned grade. Starting Bid: \$600



**30480 Republic 8 Reales 1863 Ce-ML MS61 NGC**, Real de Catorce mint, KM377.1, DP-Ce01. A superior example of this scarce issue, rare in this condition and bearing a strike much stronger than is often to be found even at this level. The reverse is especially nice, its surfaces sleek and abounding with satiny luster. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30481 Republic 8 Reales 1863 Ce-ML AU58 NGC**, Real de Catorce mint, KM377.1, DP-Ce01. Just a hair's breadth from Mint State condition, with softly satiny surfaces that reveal mint luster throughout, the lightness of the strike not to be confused for any heavier degree of wear. Exceedingly light residue deposits are noted at the obverse peripheries, but this charming selection remains a covetable example of this single-year issue from the Real de Catorce mint.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30482 Estados Unidos "Caballito" Peso 1913 MS65 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM453. A radiant representative displaying a full mint bloom of argent luster contrasting attractively with gentle peripheral toning.  
No Minimum Bid



**30483 Estados Unidos Peso 1949-Mo MS63 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM456. A very rare date noted by the *Standard Catalog of World Coins* as "not released for circulation". Most known examples remain at or near uncirculated condition. However, this choice selection serves as a worthy representative of the date even considering that fact, demonstrating argent cartwheel luster balanced with only the softest hint of tone throughout.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30484 Estados Unidos gold 50 Pesos 1921 MS64+ NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM481, Fr-172. The scarcer first date in the series, struck on the centennial of Mexican Independence, the surfaces satiny and appealing, fully justifying the assigned near-gem grade.  
Reserve: \$2,500



**30485 Estados Unidos gold "Constitution Centennial" Medallion 50 Pesos ND (1957)-Mo MS61 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM-M122A. 41.73gm. Erroneously described by NGC as "10 Pesos". AGW 1.2057 oz.  
Starting Bid: \$850



**30486 Estados Unidos Mule Onza ("Libertad") 1999-Mo MS66 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM613. A very rare mule issue featuring the obverse (national arms) of the year 2000 Libertad paired with the reverse (Winged Victory) of the 1999 issue. This error appears to be rare enough that it took a number of years for the collecting community to take notice, with Coin World debuting an article titled "Mule error discovered in Mexico's Libertad bullion series" only in 2015. Only a few remain known, rendering the present offering a scarce if not unique chance for the majority of our bidders.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30487 Estados Unidos gold Proof "Recovery of Chamizal" Medal 1963 PR65 Ultra Cameo NGC, Grove-824. 41.5mm. 42.43g.** Struck in memory of the 1911 resolution that granted Mexico 437 acres of disputed territory. Likely struck to 50 pesos (AGW 1.2057 oz) standards. Starting Bid: \$850

## MONACO



- 30488 Charles III gold 100 Francs 1886-A MS63+ PCGS, Paris mint, KM99, Gad-MC122.** Rich gold in color, with warm luster enlivening the planchet. A truly choice selection of the type. Starting Bid: \$700



- 30489 Albert I gold 100 Francs 1891-A MS63 PCGS, Paris mint, KM105, Gad-MC124.** A satiny selection with only light instances of handling to speak of. AGW 0.9334 oz. Starting Bid: \$650



- 30490 Albert I gold 100 Francs 1904-A MS63 NGC, Paris mint, KM105.** Champagne toned throughout, with a resulting unique visual allure that makes for a desirable example of the issue. AGW 0.9334 oz. Starting Bid: \$650

## NEPAL



- 30491 Shah Dynasty. Birendra Bir Bikram gold Proof "Great Indian Rhinoceros" 1000 Rupees VS 2031 (1974) PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM844.** Proof Mintage: 671. Conservation Series issue featuring the Great Indian Rhinoceros. AGW 0.9675 oz. Reserve: \$1,650

## NETHERLANDS



- 30492 Kampen. City gold Imitative Rose Noble ND (1590-93) MS63 NGC, Kampen mint, Fr-151, Delm-1106. 7.48gm. MON | NO : AV • CIVI • CAMPEN • VALO : TRAN | • ISVLAN, king standing in ship facing, holding sword and shield, a flag bearing a C at the stern / (Castle mm) CONCORDIA RRS PARVÆ CRESCVNT, rose over sun with lions passant, crowns, and lis, trefoils in spandrels.** A marvelous 17th century imitative issue struck on a broad and lustrous flan, any handling shown sufficiently scant as to be essentially relevant. Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30493 Zeeland. Provincial silver 2 Ducats 1748 MS64 NGC, KM52.2, Dav-1847, Delm-976a (R1). 55.71gm.** Immensely bright and well-kept for this heavy type, with blooming argent luster that traverses the open expanses, these decorated in gentle hints of silvery tone. With only a single small planchet flaw noted on the reverse, this remains the finest of its type and date yet seen by NGC. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30494 Willem I gold 10 Gulden 1824-B MS66 NGC**, Brussels mint, KM56. The finest example the date we have had the privilege to offer, nearly flawless and decorated by tinges of sea green. AGW 0.1947 oz.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$500



**30495 Willem I gold 10 Gulden 1828-B MS65 NGC**, Brussels mint, KM56, Fr-327. Highly lustrous, with the gem preservation evident upon even cursory inspection. Watery in the fields, just a hint of satiny texturing over the devices lending an element of visual contrast.  
Reserve: \$1,350



**30496 Willem III gold 10 Gulden 1851 MS65 NGC**, KM95, Fr-340. Of a semi-medallic finish and preservation, this gem example offers fully rendered, sharp devices, the obverse fields positively mirror-like and watery when held to light. Tied for finest certified by NGC to-date, a distinction that will reveal itself to be fully deserved to anybody with the fortune to experience the offering in hand.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



**30497 Willem III gold Proof 10 Gulden 1877 PR64 Ultra Cameo NGC**, Utrecht mint, KM106 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-342, Schulman-551. A stunning example with pristine and fully mirrored surfaces. Very rare as a Proof, and further aesthetically desirable due to its complete cameo contrast.  
Ex. Heritage Auction 458 (January 2008, Lot 51897)  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30498 Willem III gold Proof 10 Gulden 1887 PR66 NGC**, Utrecht mint, KM106 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-342, Schulman-556. Broadaxe mm. Very scarce in Proof, and one of only two certified by NGC in this format, with the other, also certified PR66, previously having sold in our January 2014 New York Signature Auction for a total of \$4,406.25 including Buyer's Premium. That example was described as a "dazzling premium gem with deeply mirrored surfaces and razor sharp details", and the same can absolutely be said about this admirable example, which features a partial cameo effect to the obverse, which rounds out to near-completion on the reverse.

*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30499 Wilhelmina gold Proof Ducat 1913 PR65 Cameo NGC**, Utrecht mint, KM83.1 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-352, Delm-1237, Schulman-767. A pristine and notably undocumented Proof striking, boasting almost liquid mirrored fields, with nary a distracting mark to be seen and only a hair of contrast away from an Ultra Cameo designation.

*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



**30500 Wilhelmina gold Proof 10 Gulden 1913 PR64 PCGS**, Utrecht mint, KM149 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-349, Schulman-747. One of a mere three Proofs of this date certified by PCGS, with the present specimen being the first that we have encountered. Richly colored surfaces and practically gem. A unique opportunity for the collector of Dutch rarities.

*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30501 Wilhelmina gold Proof 10 Gulden 1927 PR65 NGC**, Utrecht mint, KM162 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-351, Schulman-751. Unlisted in a Proof format in the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*, and an indisputable rarity in the Dutch series. NGC has seen only three examples in this finish to-date, and of these this example ranks as the very finest, as well as the only one to achieve the coveted gem level of certification. Exceedingly lightly handled such that any instance of contact is barely noticeable even under close inspection, and an impeccable example of this difficult issue.

*From the Caranett Collection*

Starting Bid: \$1,500

NORWAY



**30502 Oscar II gold 10 Kroner (2-1/2 Speciedaler) 1874 MS63 PCGS**, Kongsberg mint, KM347, Fr-16. Mintage: 24,000. A superb choice survivor of this one-year type, showcasing an exacting strike with few marks of any consequence.

Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30503 Oscar II gold 10 Kroner (2-1/2 Speciedaler) 1874 AU58 PCGS**, KM347, Fr-16. An exceedingly difficult one-year type whose original mintage numbered 24,000 but for which the number of survivors is certainly much lower. Near-mint, with only little wear and noteworthy residual luster - a key to the Norwegian series.

Starting Bid: \$750



**30504 Oscar II gold 10 Kroner (2-1/2 Speciedaler) 1877 MS64+ PCGS**, Kongsberg mint, KM358, Fr-18. Mintage: 20,000. The lowest mintage date of this only two-year type, and one which rarely comes preserved so close to gem, with hardly a significant stray mark visible across the surfaces.

Starting Bid: \$900

PAKISTAN



**30505 Republic gold Proof "Astor Markhor" 3000 Rupees 1976 PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC**, British Royal mint, KM44. Proof Mintage: 273. Conservation series, featuring an Astor Markhor on the obverse. One of the finest examples certified to-date, with none seen by either NGC or PCGS certifying PR70. Reserve: \$3,000

PANAMA



**30506 Republic gold 500 Balboas 1984-FM MS67 NGC**, Franklin mint, KM101. One of a meager 10 examples of the issue to be struck in a regular circulation (non-Proof) format, according to the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*. Accordingly, very few examples of the type have come to market. However, for comparison we note that an MS68-certified example in Stack's Bowers Galleries Auction 185 (January 2017, Lot 1332), hammered for \$6,500. Sold with old Franklin Mint packaging.

Starting Bid: \$1,000

PERU



**30507 Philip V gold Cob 8 Escudos 1716 L-M XF Details (Mount Removed, Damaged)** NGC, Lima mint, KM38.2, Cal-28. 26.77gm. From the Loosdrecht shipwreck of 1719. A satisfying and imposing specimen with a relatively central strike and clear details, a light peach tone forming in the recesses. Reserve: \$4,200



**30508 Philip V gold Cob 8 Escudos 1741 L-V AU55 NGC**, Lima mint, KM38.2. 27.11gm. Well-centered for this often crude type, the surfaces pleasingly toned to a deep red-orange hue that engenders a great sense of age and visual charm. With its clear date and generally sound detailing, a clear target for the collector of the Spanish colonial series. Reserve: \$4,750



**30509 Philip V gold Cob 8 Escudos 1741 L-V AU55 NGC**, Lima mint, KM38.2, Cal-59. 26.92gm. A near-mint example offering a clear date and denomination, these surrounded by still-lustrous fields showing gently laid charcoal and honeyed tones. Desirable in this state of preservation, with only insignificant signs of circulation noted. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30510 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1813 LM-JP MS62+ NGC**, Lima mint, KM124, Fr-50. Superb surfaces over a chiseled strike, fully lustrous and lightly reflective. A wonderful near-choice example, rare in such condition and the finest known at NGC, with only one example graded higher at PCGS. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30511 Republic gold 8 Escudos 1840 CUZCO-A MS61 NGC**, Cuzco mint, KM148.3. Displaying a slight softness in the obverse strike, as typical for the issue, but exceptionally lustrous and quite attractive. The reverse is especially appealing, the fields watery and reflective, nearly Prooflike in some areas. Reserve: \$2,200



**30512 Republic gold "Independence Centennial" Medal 1921 MS62 NGC**, 36.5mm. 39.53gm. Commemorating the Centennial of the Independence of Peru. Liberty standing left with shield of arms and Phrygian cap atop pole, mountainous landscape behind / Scene of the proclamation of the Republic bordered by palm branch, six line inscription to the right. Likely struck in 22 Karat gold, in which case the AGW would be 1.2782 oz. Reserve: \$1,600



**30513 Republic gold "Inca" 50 Soles 1967 MS67 NGC**, Lima mint, KM219, Fr-77. Approaching flawless condition, with flashy surfaces that border on Prooflike and consistently sharp design motifs that remain virtually unimpacted by handling. AGW 0.9675 oz. Starting Bid: \$750



**30514 Republic gold "Inca" 50 Soles 1968 MS64 PCGS**, Lima mint, KM219, Fr-77. Mintage: 300. A shimmering representative bordering on gem preservation. AGW 0.9675 oz. Reserve: \$1,900



**30515 Republic gold “Inca” 50 Soles 1969 MS63 NGC**, Lima mint, KM219, Fr-77. A low-mintage type that saw only 403 specimens struck. Choice, with flashy golden fields and uniformly sharp detailing. AGW 0.9675 oz. Reserve: \$1,700



**30519 Republic gold 100 Soles 1954 MS67 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 1,808 pieces. A pleasing touch of orange in the fields. The sole finest at NGC. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30516 Republic gold 100 Soles 1950 MS66 PCGS**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 1,176 pieces. Light tinge of rose gold. Tied with two others for finest at PCGS, with no equivalents at NGC. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30520 Republic gold 100 Soles 1955 MS66 PCGS**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 901 pieces. Flashy and lustrous; the sole finest example at PCGS. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30517 Republic gold 100 Soles 1951 MS66 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 8,241 pieces. Uniformly sun-yellow. Only one example graded higher at NGC. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30521 Republic gold 100 Soles 1956 MS64 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 1,159 pieces. Some minor marks in the fields but quite appealing overall, reflective surfaces and a hint of marigold in the fields. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30518 Republic gold 100 Soles 1953 MS66 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 498 pieces. A hint of rose over lightly mirrored surfaces. Only one example graded higher at NGC. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30522 Republic gold 100 Soles 1957 MS62 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 550 pieces. A scarcer date difficult to obtain in any condition. A scattering of contact marks over lemon yellow surfaces. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30523 Republic gold 100 Soles 1959 MS65 PCGS**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 4,710 pieces. Pale yellow surfaces abounding with watery luster. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30524 Republic gold 100 Soles 1960 MS65 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 2,207 pieces. A satiny gem with vibrant cartwheel luster. A small scratch above the shoulder of Liberty withholds the piece from a higher certified grade. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30525 Republic gold 100 Soles 1961 MS64 PCGS**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 6,982 pieces. Splendid flashy surfaces overwhelm the eye. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30526 Republic gold 100 Soles 1962 MS64 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 9,678 pieces. A blush of wholesome pinkish rouge lends this piece a hint of character. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30527 Republic gold 100 Soles 1963 MS67 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. A sharp example of the type offering blooming golden luster and a quality of preservation that places it at the near-peak of quality seen by NGC for this date. AGW 1.3543 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30528 Republic gold 100 Soles 1963 MS66 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 7,342 pieces. Blast-yellow, with especially prooflike obverse fields that immediately catch the eye. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30529 Republic gold 100 Soles 1964 MS67 PCGS**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 11,000 pieces. Superb cartwheel luster, with nary a distracting mark to be found. None graded finer at PCGS or NGC. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30530 Republic gold 100 Soles 1965 MS65 PCGS**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 23,000 pieces. Draped with a even coating of sun-yellow, quite flashing and pleasing to the eye. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30531 Republic gold “Lima Mint Anniversary” 100 Soles 1965 MS65 NGC**, Lima mint, KM243. On the 400th Anniversary of the foundation of the Lima Mint. Pillars of Hercules within inner circle / National arms. A lovely type depicting a 16th-century Lima Mint 8 Reales in the center of the obverse. AGW 1.3543 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30534 Republic gold 100 Soles 1968 MS65 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 540 pieces. A later date of the issue with a relatively tiny mintage, scarce in any condition and certainly more so in gem quality. Lightly prooflike mirrored fields. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30532 Republic gold “Naval Battle Centennial” 100 Soles 1966 MS64 NGC**, Lima mint, KM251. From a reported mintage of only 6,253 pieces. On the 100th Anniversary of Peru-Spain Naval Battle (Battle of Callao). Victory standing on globe divides dates / National arms. Choice and reflective. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30535 Republic gold 100 Soles 1969 MS65 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 540 pieces. A later date of the issue with a relatively tiny mintage, scarce in any condition and certainly more so in gem quality. Satiny surfaces imbued by a very light tinge of rose gold. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30533 Republic gold 100 Soles 1967 MS66 PCGS**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 6,431 pieces. Brilliantly reflective and flashy, a superb piece only held back from a higher certified grade by a couple of marks above the shoulder of Liberty. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30536 Republic gold 100 Soles 1969 MS64 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. Mintage: 540. A lovely near-gem offering flashy golden fields. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30537 Republic gold 100 Soles 1970 MS65 NGC**, Lima mint, KM231. From a reported mintage of 425 pieces. A later date of the issue with a relatively tiny mintage, scarce in any condition and certainly more so in such quality. A near-prooflike gem, frosted devices standing out in stark contrast to the deeply mirrored fields. AGW 1.3544 oz. Starting Bid: \$1,000

## PHILIPPINES



**30538 USA Administration Peso 1903-S MS64 NGC**, San Francisco mint, KM168. Alluringly toned, with a beautifully laid arrangement of pastel coloration that melds soft shades of crimson with blues and greens to great visual effect. Certainly one of the finer examples of this date that one might encounter, and worthy of a commensurate bid.  
Starting Bid: \$700

## POLAND



**30539 Wladislaw IV silver "Truce in Sztumska Wies" Medal 1642 MS61 NGC**, HCz-2151. 58mm. Commemorating the Treaty of Stuhmsdorf between the Swedish Empire and Polish Lithuanian Commonwealth, an extraordinarily beautiful medal with quality and eye appeal far transcending its certified grade. Its designs are enchanting, the obverse featuring the allegories of Faith and Piety shaking hands, the reverse with Peace and Justice embracing, the entirety struck in high relief and with minimal highpoint rub. The peripheries have toned to two rings of deep goldenrod, turning vibrant cobalt in the legends, terminating with a pale red-gold haze over original dove-gray centers. A scarce medal and potentially unique with this incredible visual allure.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30540 August II silver "Mühlberg Camp" Medal 1730 AU53 NGC**, HCz-2674, Engelhardt-1384. 80mm. By H.P. Groskurt. Commemorating the establishment of a military camp on the site of the battle of Mühlberg, built by August II in order to impress his Prussian guests, King Frederick William and his son. Bust right / View of the Mühlberg plain, date and inscription below. A massive medal with wholesome gunmetal surfaces, light rub on the high points but with significant luster shining through.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30541 Nicholas I of Russia gold 20 Zlotych (3 Roubles) 1837 ЧПБ-ПД AU58 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C136.2, Bit-1078 (R). Sharply struck with only the mildest degree of rub to the higher points and shimmering brilliance displayed in the fields, a small die crack running from 11 o'clock left of the denomination.  
Starting Bid: \$600

PORTUGAL



**30542 João III gold Cruzado Calvário ND (1521-1557) MS63 NGC**, Lisbon mint, Fr-29 (this coin), Gomes-175 var. A highly lustrous example of this issue, typically crude with some ghosting, but with clear legends and remarkable surfaces for the type. Notably the selection serves as the plate coin in the 8th edition of Friedberg.  
Starting Bid: \$600



**30543 Pedro II gold 4000 Reis 1690 AU58 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM156, Fr-76. An example of noteworthy quality, benefitting from the combined qualities of a clear and balanced strike, well-centered, and fields showing ample mint luster for a coin that has experienced any amount of circulation. Scarce in this condition, and highly collectible.  
Starting Bid: \$600



**30544 Maria II gold 6400 Reis (Peça) 1834 MS63 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM405, Fr-141. A premium example of this difficult one-year type, imbued with a slightly watery cartwheel luster and a touch of wholesome darker tone around the peripheries. Areas of weakness around the high points of Maria's curls are as struck and typical for the type.  
Reserve: \$2,200



**30545 Maria II gold 6400 Reis (Peça) 1835 MS63+ NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM407, Fr-141. A wonderful example of this scarce one-year type, with a reported mintage of only 2,989 pieces. Rare so fine, with buttery fields of golden reflectivity that border Prooflike in appearance and very little in the way of contact marks, save for a nick on the lower cheek of the obverse portrait. A piece that immediately draws this cataloguer's eye from a group of other golden issues.  
Reserve: \$2,600

ROMANIA



**30546 Carol I gold 50 Lei 1906 UNC Details (Rim Filing, Cleaned)** NGC, Brussels mint, KM39. Commemorating the 40th Anniversary of Carol's reign. Struck in exceptionally low relief, with only a very slight strip of metal missing from the upper rim and uniformly hairlined throughout, justifying the Details grade. Not unattractive nonetheless as an example of the type, with bright canary-yellow surfaces retaining much mint luster.  
Starting Bid: \$700



**30547 Carol I gold 100 Lei 1906-(b) AU Details (Rim Damage)** NGC, Brussels mint, KM40. One-year type struck to commemorate the 40th anniversary of Carol I's reign. Scarce in all states of preservation, with only 3,000 produced in total. Apparently cleaned and lightly scratched, though this is not noted on the insert.  
Reserve: \$2,000



**30548 Ferdinand I gold Medallion 20 Lei 1922 (1928/1929)-(a) MS63 PCGS**, London mint, KM-XM1, Stamb-082. Struck in commemoration of Ferdinand's coronation. An appealing and comparatively rare one-year commemorative, some minor chatter, in-line with the grade, confined primarily to the obverse.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30549 Ferdinand I gold "Coronation" 25 Lei 1922 MS60 NGC**, KM-XM2, Fr-12. A popular coronation issue featuring the crowned busts of Ferdinand I and Queen Marie of Romania. An even scattering of obverse handling accounts for the grade, the offering on the whole displaying an attractive satiny luster which appears largely unaffected by handling on the reverse.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30550 Ferdinand I gold "Coronation" 50 Lei 1922 MS61 NGC**, KM-XM3, Fr-11. A brightly lustrous and fully uncirculated representative of this sought-after issue produced for the coronation of Ferdinand I and Marie of Romania. Light wisps of handling scattered throughout the surfaces account for the grade, but their satiny nature clearly attests to a condition that should and can hardly be overlooked.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30551 Ferdinand I gold Medallion 100 Lei 1922 (1928/1929) MS61 NGC**, London mint, KM-XM4, Fr-9, Stamb-085. Golden satiny cartwheel luster and full detail confirm the Mint State preservation of this desirable issue. Although dated 1922, the type was actually struck in 1928-1929 (after Ferdinand's death) in accordance with the 1927 decree to celebrate the 5th anniversary since his coronation as King of Romania.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



- 30552 Carol II gold 20 Lei 1940 MS61 PCGS**, Bucharest mint, KM-XM9, Fr-18, Stamb-108. Struck in commemoration of the 10th anniversary of Carol's reign. A desirable and highly collectible issue here seen with shimmering golden luster and no larger instances of handling to detract from its Mint State appeal.  
Starting Bid: \$700



- 30553 Anna Rouble 1734 AU53 NGC**, Kadashevsky mint, KM192.3, Bit-113 (R), Diakov-35. Large head type with date to left. A covetable Rouble in almost uncirculated condition, frequently found cleaned, damaged, or otherwise impaired. Retaining good luster throughout, and only minimally soft on the highpoints.  
No Minimum Bid



- 30554 Siberia. Catherine II copper Novodel Denga (1/2 Kopeck) 1764 MS65 Brown NGC**, Suzun mint, Bit-H1164 (R2), Brekke-350, Ilyin 5 Rub. Oblique milled edge. Obv. Crowned monogram of Catherine II. Rev. Crowned shield with sable supporters. Sharp details, with minimally marked surfaces and traces of original golden luster around the peripheries. NGC has listed the wrong Brekke number. They listed the number for the plain edge variety and this piece has oblique edge milling. The 1764 Denga circulation strike is exceedingly rare and seldom offered. The Novodel is the only type of this issue that one might see now and then.  
Starting Bid: \$600



- 30555 Catherine II gold 5 Roubles 1766-CIIB XF40 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C78a, Bit-60 (R). An appealing circulated example of this scarce 5 Rouble issue displaying remnants of mint luster amidst light to moderate abrasions, noted for accuracy.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30556 Catherine II gold 5 Roubles 1767-CIIB VF25 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C78a, Bit-62 (R). Evenly worn, though with no egregious flaws, making this a clear target for the budget-minded collector.  
Reserve: \$2,200



**30557 Catherine II gold 10 Roubles 1768-СІІБ VF30 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C79a, Bit-18 (R), Petrov 22 Rub. Narrow portrait. Obv. Crowned and draped portrait of Catherine II right. Rev. Cross of four crowned shields with date in angles. A pleasing VF example with normal wear for the grade and no significant flaws. Rare.  
Reserve: \$3,000



**30558 Alexander I Kopeck 1822 KM-AM MS61 Brown NGC**, Suzun mint, KM-C117.5, Bit-545, Brekke-228. A scarce Kopeck issue, especially so in this peak certified condition, presently standing as the sole Mint State-graded representative of the date between NGC and PCGS combined. Apparently missing from the Sincona Collection, we have been able to locate only 3 sales records for the last 15+ years, all sold in Russia and in inferior condition, making this a clear target for the connoisseur of Russian coinage. Starting Bid: \$750



**30559 Alexander I 20 Kopecks 1824 СІІБ-ІІА MS65 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C128, Bit-210. Tied for finest graded by NGC or PCGS, a gorgeous gem representative with an element of numismatic intrigue; the obverse shows evidence of having been struck over a brockage of the reverse, an incuse and reversed '20' visible behind the necks of the double-headed eagle. The reverse, too, seems to have been struck over an earlier obverse strike. This production aspect aside, this example boasts almost perfectly rendered devices, some elements of the reverse wreath more soft but clearly without a hint of wear. Starting Bid: \$750



**30560 Alexander I gold 5 Roubles 1819 СІІБ-МФ AU55 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C132, Bit-20, Sev-389 or 390. The highest graded representative of this date we have handled, admirably bold in the devices with only minor handling in the fields. Starting Bid: \$750



**30561 Nicholas I Proof 1/2 Kopeck (Denga) 1848-MW PR63 Brown NGC**, Warsaw mint, KM-C143.5, Bit-849 (R2), Brekke-53 (Very Rare), HCz-3774 (R5), Ilyin 10 Rub., Petrov 20 Rub. An exceedingly rare one-year type in Proof format, produced at Warsaw as no regular Russian mints struck copper in 1848. We have been able to locate only a handful of Proof-graded examples coming to auction in recent years, with the present specimen ranking as the second finest out of just 3 certified between NGC and PCGS combined. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30562 Nicholas I 5 Kopecks 1850-BM MS62 Brown Prooflike NGC**, Warsaw mint, KM-C152.4, Bit-851 (R1), Brekke-266 (Rare), Kopicki-9546, Petrov 5 Rub., Ilyin 6 Rub. An entrancing specimen from every angle, extremely rare in the Prooflike format, with this being one of just 2 certified as such not only for this date, but for any copper 5 Kopecks of Nicholas I in the NGC census. The fields appear lightly mirrored, traces of midnight color emerging from behind natural cupric tone. Starting Bid: \$750



**30563 Nicholas I 5 Kopecks 1853-EM MS64 Red and Brown NGC**, Ekaterinburg mint, KM-C152.1, Bit-582 (R1), Brekke-269 (Very Rare), Ilyin 10 Rub. Of considerable rarity, both as a type and so nearly gem, featuring blazing copper-red device highlights contrasting beautifully with azure surfaces. Only the second example we have handled in this lofty grade, with the last bringing \$5040 in our 2019 September Long Beach sale. Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30564** Nicholas I Rouble 1851 СПБ-IIА MS63 Prooflike PCGS, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C168.1, Bit-228. Small Crown variety. An utterly sharp strike and smoky mirrored fields combine to yield an enduring visual appeal in this choice example. Hints of iridescent blue peripheral tone round out the appearance for a profound visual display. Sold with 2015-dated Moscow State Historical Museum certificate. Starting Bid: \$600



**30565** Nicholas I platinum 3 Roubles 1832-СПБ XF45 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C177, Bit-78 (R), Ilyin 10 Rub, Sev-605. One of the more attainable dates for Nicholas' extremely popular platinum coinage, appearing well-struck with an appreciable amount of detail and trace amounts of residual luster close to the devices. Starting Bid: \$750



**30566** Nicholas I gold 5 Roubles 1854 СПБ-АГ MS63 Prooflike PCGS, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C175.3, Bit-37, Uzd-0236, Sev-464. An absolutely incredible specimen of this type unknown in Proof, richly frosted over the devices with nearly mirrorlike reflectivity in the fields. Presently the only example of the date awarded a Prooflike designation between NGC and PCGS combined, this selection is sure to appeal to the serious Russian gold collector. Sold with 2015-dated Moscow State Historical Museum certificate. Starting Bid: \$750



**30567** Nicholas I silver "100th Anniversary of SPB Academy of Sciences" Medal 1826-Dated AU58 NGC, Diakov-447.1 (R2). 63mm. By F. Tolstoy. An imposing and immensely gratifying neoclassical medal, toned to a deep gunmetal hue with a subtle champagne backlight pervading the surfaces. Devised by Count Feodor Tolstoy, vice president of the Imperial Academy of Arts between 1828 to 1868, whose medals gained wide appreciation throughout Europe as well as in Russia. Starting Bid: \$750



**30568** Alexander II silver Proof 5 Kopecks 1876 СПБ-НІ PR65 Cameo NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y19a.1, Bit-277. Obv. Crowned double-headed eagle holding orb and scepter. Rev. Crowned date and value in wreath. Beautiful original toning in shades of steel-gray, gold, and blue. The strike is bold and the surfaces free of significant flaws. Rare in this gem condition. Starting Bid: \$600



**30569 Alexander II gold 3 Roubles 1878 СПб-НФ MS63 Prooflike PCGS, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y26, Bit-41.** A supremely sharp and Prooflike representative of this scarce type-date, displaying a high degree of contrast between its satiny devices, rendered to pinpoint accuracy, and the golden mirrored underlying fields. Truly scarce in this superior condition, and currently the only example certified by PCGS in either Prooflike or non-Prooflike designations. Sold with 2015-dated Moscow State Historical Museum certificate. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30570 Alexander II gold 3 Roubles 1878 СПб-НФ MS63 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y26, Bit-41 (R), Sev-506.** The first example of this date we have offered, and a type which escalates considerably in scarcity when it reaches the choice level, only three pieces certified a point finer at NGC. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30571 Alexander II silver Specimen “50th Anniversary of Nicholas Engineering Academy and School” Medal 1869 SP62 PCGS, Smirnov-693, Diakov-762.1 (R3).** 86mm. By V. Alexeev and P. Brunsnitsyn. An incredibly engaging specimen, benefitting from an exceptionally large size that has allowed all of the devices to be rendered in the utmost detail. The sole representative of this medal in silver we have been able to locate coming to auction in recent years, and setting graphite surfaces against warm harvest patina that highlights all of the raised features. Starting Bid: \$750



**30572 Alexander III gold 5 Roubles 1885 СПб-АГ MS63 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-YB26, Bit-8, Sev-527.** The final year for this pre-portrait type, handsomely executed with thick die polish over both faces and hardly a stray mark of consequence. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30573 Alexander III gold 5 Roubles 1891-AГ MS63 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y42, Fr-169, Bit-36. Obv. Bust right. Rev. Crowned double-headed Imperial eagle with date and value. Orange gold patina over full lustrous, well struck, surfaces. Very scarce.  
Starting Bid: \$600



**30574 Alexander III gold 5 Roubles 1893-AГ MS63 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y42, Bit-39. Obv. Bust right. Rev. Crowned double-headed Imperial eagle with date and value. A sharply rendered specimen with vivid color and minimal abrasions for the grade.  
Starting Bid: \$600



**30575 Alexander III gold "Success in Sciences" Medal ND (1881-1894) MS60 NGC**, Smirnov-1107/b, Diakov-909.9 (R2). 33mm. 25.18gm. By A. Griliches. Obv. Bust of Maria Feodorovna right. Rev. Minerva standing, holding a wreath and lamp. Issued for good behavior and success in sciences. Elusive quality for this popular medal often seen in less than Mint State.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30576 Nicholas II Proof "Alexander II Memorial" Rouble 1898-AГ PR61 Cameo NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y61, Bit-323 (R), Sev-4055 (Rare), Julian-1226. Estimated Mintage: 5,000 (Proof mintage unlisted). The sole Proof-designated example of this iconic Rouble commemorative we have had the privilege to offer, boasting a delightfully bold night-and-day cameo contrast between the fields and devices. Despite some scattered wisps that bound the designation, remarkably few signs of stray contact exist over the surfaces, while the devices appear razor-sharp and evenly frosted.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



**30577 Nicholas II Rouble 1903-AP MS62 PCGS**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y59.3, Bit-57. A scarcer date with a mintage of only 56,000 pieces, and almost never available in Mint State grades, with only one certified higher by PCGS. A lovely specimen, solidly original surfaces pervaded by a soft satiny sheen of cobalt around the peripheries.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30578 Nicholas II gold 5 Roubles 1910-ЭБ MS65 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y62, Bit-36 (R). Obv. Bust of Nicholas II left. Rev. Crowned double-headed Imperial eagle with date and value. Satiny and appealing for the type, with no handling worthy of mention.  
Starting Bid: \$600



**30579 Nicholas II gold 10 Roubles 1909-ЭБ MS64 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y64, Fr-179, Bit-14 (R). Mintage: 50,000. Brilliantly lustrous and pleasingly toned, this majestic gold issue from the latter part of Nicholas II's reign is a stunning near-gem. Save for a tiny nick on his neck, there is little in the way of distracting marks at all. Incredibly difficult to encounter so attractive, it is tied with a sparse handful of other specimens at this level, with none currently certified any higher. Wholly worthy of a premium bid and intense adoration during in-hand inspection.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30580 R.S.F.S.R. Proof 50 Kopecks 1922-II/I PR64 NGC**, Leningrad mint, KM-Y83. Boasting considerable eye appeal, this early Soviet proof is definitively struck, its low-relief devices fully rendered and the fields glowing with a dappled russet-gold tone.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30581 USSR Proof 20 Kopecks 1924 PR66 NGC**, KM-Y88. Obv. National arms. Rev. Date and value in wreath of oak sprigs. Superbly struck, with mirrored fields. The devices are frosted and the patina mottled red, with gold and blue highlights. Very rare in this superb condition.  
Ex. D. Moore Collection  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30582 USSR gold Proof Chervonetz (10 Roubles) 1980-(M) PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC**, Moscow mint, KM-Y85. Technically perfect, a pristine offering with very appealing copper-gold tone.  
No Minimum Bid



**30583 Russian Federation gold Proof "Woolly Mammoth" 100 Roubles 1992-MM/I PR70 Deep Cameo PCGS**, Moscow mint, KM-Y375. A flawless and sharply contrasting representative.  
Reserve: \$1,000



**30584 Russian Federation gold Proof "Brown Bear" 200 Roubles 1993-(m) PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC**, Moscow mint, KM-Y413. Mintage: 1,000. A nearly flawless and fully cameo contrasted selection.  
Reserve: \$1,950

## SAN MARINO



- 30585 Republic gold “Liberty” 10 Scudi 1978 MS64 NGC**, Rome mint, KM88, Fr-13. AGW 0.8845 oz. Reserve: \$1,450

## SARAWAK



- 30586 British Protectorate. Charles V. Brooke Specimen Cent 1941-H SP66 Red PCGS**, Kings Norton mint, KM18. Of a date seldom available as a business strike and rarer still as a Specimen, this pristine piece is sure to draw much attention from collectors of British protectorate issues. The offering exhibits full mint-red luster and virtually flawless fields, with heavy parallel die lines confirming this piece as specially struck. Reserve Amount: \$2,000

## SAUDI ARABIA



- 30587 Abd al-Aziz bin Sa’ud Proof Riyal AH 1354 (1935) PR67 NGC**, KM18. A remarkably rare and decidedly difficult issue in Proof despite its somewhat high recorded mintage—a total of just 7 examples being awarded the designation across NGC and PCGS combined to-date, of which just one other piece has achieved this peak grade. Bordering on technical perfection, the surfaces appear blast white and intensively mirrored, revealing hardly the least imperfection or haziness. For comparison, we note that the sole other PR67-certified representative brought the equivalent of \$4732 when in last came to auction at DNW in 2015. Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30588 Abd al-Aziz bin Sa’ud gold 4 Pounds ND (1945-1946) MS62 NGC**, Philadelphia mint, KM34. Struck in the equivalent of a four Sovereign weight, and issued to pay the Saudi Arabian government for oil rights, this borderline choice example displays a condition that pushes to the higher end of what would be considered reasonably attainable for the type, with most experiencing heavier degrees of handling and circulation. Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30589 Abd al-Aziz bin Sa’ud gold 4 Pounds ND (1945-1946) MS61 NGC**, Philadelphia mint, KM34. Issued as bullion by the Philadelphia Mint in order to pay the Saudi Arabian government for oil rights, and struck with the same gold content as four British sovereigns. A compelling and popular piece, with light satiny luster and few distracting marks to speak of. AGW 0.942 oz. Starting Bid: \$900

## SCOTLAND



- 30590 Charles I (1625-1649) 30 Shillings ND (1637-1642) AU55 PCGS**, Edinburgh mint, Thistle mm, Third Coinage, Falconer’s “anonymous issue”, KM87, S-5557. A lovely piece, draped throughout with a light sheen of hearty champagne and salmon coloring that lends only additional character to this already premium example of the type, strongly struck and well-centered on its slightly ovoid planchet. Bateson (Coinage in Scotland, Spink, 1997) explains that this piece was among “the first Scottish coins to be produced entirely by machine,” revealing Nicholas Briot’s hand by its uniformity of strike compared to the former hammered issues. Briot worked on a variety of other Scottish coins while Falconer attended to the minting itself. Falconer seems to have been Master of the Mint at Edinburgh while most coins of this type were manufactured. This piece was likely struck either late in 1641 or at the beginning of 1642, as restrictions on silver coins were ordered in March of 1642, which caused this issue to be terminated. Reserve: \$2,000

**SOMALIA**



**30591 Republic gold “Elephant” 1000 Shillings (1 oz) 2018 MS69 NGC, KM-Unl.** A near-perfect selection certified “MS” by NGC, though with an essentially Proof finish owing to its mirrored fields and contrasting satiny devices.  
Reserve: \$1,500

**SOUTH AFRICA**



**30592 Griquatown. British Colony Specimen Pattern Penny ND (1890) SP65 Brown PCGS, KM-X9.** A superior representative of this undated pattern type, toned throughout, though displaying a significant degree of underlying red color. Only a single example seen by PCGS certifies higher at SP66, a testament to the quality seen in this selection.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30593 Republic Proof Penny 1892 UNC Details (Questionable Color) PCGS, KM2, Hern-Z1.** From an estimated mintage of just 10 pieces. Its color a vibrant copper-red, deemed ‘questionable’ by PCGS but with no evidence of the brushmarks associated with cleaning; indeed, its surfaces are remarkably sleek with pristine striking detail. Proofs of this type are almost impossible to obtain in any grade, and as such, we anticipate extremely strong interest from collectors of this South African series.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

## SOUTH AFRICA



- 30594** George V gold Proof 1/2 Sovereign 1923-SA PR66 NGC, Pretoria mint, KM20, S-4010. One of only 655 struck. Produced as part of the first Proof issue of British governed South Africa, and doubtlessly one of the finest survivors of this production, ranking at the highest tier of certified quality seen by NGC for the date, with just a couple of light contact marks below the horse's tail limiting the grade from even loftier heights.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$800



- 30595** George V gold Proof Sovereign 1923-SA PR65 NGC, Pretoria mint, KM21, S-4010, Hern-S338. Mintage: 655. A scarce date in Proof format and quite rarely found in such gem quality, its pleasing mirrored surfaces devoid of the haze and distracting marks so commonly found on the type.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30596** George V gold Proof Sovereign 1923-SA PR63 NGC, Pretoria mint, KM21, S-4004, Fr-5. Mintage: 655. A very choice example of this popular type, sun-yellow surfaces with a hint of light orange highlighting exceptionally mirrored fields and a strong strike.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30597** Republic gold 4-Piece Certified "First Strike" Krugerrand Proof Set 2015 PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC,  
1) 1/10 Krugerrand, AGW 0.100 oz  
2) 1/4 Krugerrand, AGW 0.250 oz  
3) 1/2 Krugerrand, AGW 0.500 oz  
4) Krugerrand, AGW 1.00 oz

A flawless quartet of South African Proofs, each representing one of the first 175 struck (the set numbered 17/175 produced). Housed in a fitted wooden Mint box with COA. Total AGW 1.850 oz. (Total: 4 coins)  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

## SPAIN



- 30598** Castile & Leon. Pedro I gold Dobra of 35 Maravedis ND (1350-1369)-S AU58 NGC, Seville mint, Fr-105, Cay-1276 var. (legends). 4.50gm. + PCTRVS : DEI : GRA : REX : CASTELLE : ELEGION, crowned bust of king left / + PCTRVS : DEI : GRACIA : REX : CASTELLE : ELEGIONIS, quartered arms with lions and castles, an "S" in the fourth quarter. A lustrous near-mint selection revealing only gentle wisps of handling in the fields, the devices nearly absent any wear.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30599 Catalonia. Philip III gold Trentin ND (1598-1621) AU53 NGC**, Barcelona mint, KM-A7, Cay-2907/5016, Cal-70var (8-pointed stars, REGI in legend). 6.95gm. Imitating a gold 2 Excelentes of Ferdinand and Isabella. Variety with two 8-pointed stars. A rather elusive provincial type, struck with markedly good detail in the design features that rivals many of the official products of the Seville mint from which it draws inspiration. Mislabelled on the holder as an original 2 Excelentes of Ferdinand & Isabella from Seville.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30600 Catalonia. Philip III gold Trentin ND (1598-1621) AU50 NGC**, Barcelona mint, KM-A7, Fr-39a, Cay-2906/5016, Cal-69. 7.12gm. Imitating a 2 Excelentes of Ferdinand and Isabella. Variety with two 6-pointed stars on the obverse, one above and one below the facing busts of Ferdinand and Isabella. A choice example of the type, exhibiting light wear and a slightly weak strike in some areas, as typical for this hammered type, but overall quite nice, the legends legible in their entirety and indeed much of the original detail still fully present.  
Reserve: \$2,900



- 30601 Catalonian Union gold Specimen Pattern 20 Pesetas 1900 SP64 PCGS**, Barcelona mint, Cal-88. A scarce issue struck for the Catalonian Union. Patterns were issued in a variety of denominations, each bearing the same obverse design of St. George, the patron saint of Catalonia, slaying the dragon, with the reverse designs varying by type. Struck in a matte-like finish, with crimson tones adding an enlivening color contrast.  
Starting Bid: \$600



- 30602 Ferdinand & Isabella (1474-1504) gold Excelente ND (1476-1516)-S MS62 NGC**, Seville mint, Fr-136, Cal-146. 3.47gm. An appealing example of the single Excelente denomination benefiting from a reasonably well-centered strike that leaves all major detailing within the confines of the flan. Crackling golden luster expresses itself throughout, confirming the Mint State condition of the offering.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30603 Ferdinand & Isabella (1474-1504) gold Excelente ND (1476-1516)-S AU58 NGC**, Seville mint, Fr-136, Cal-140. 3.51gm. Evenly rendered, with only light wear noticeable to isolated portions of the design, the surfaces otherwise remarkably clear of even regular light handling.  
Starting Bid: \$600



- 30604 Ferdinand & Isabella (1474-1504) gold 2 Excelentes ND (1476-1516)-T AU53 NGC**, Toledo mint, Fr-130, Cal-89. 6.96gm. A scarcer variety with T—+ marks on the reverse. A wholesome example, strongly struck devices clearly evident despite some circulation wear.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30605 Philip II gold Cob Escudo ND (1556-1598)-AO XF Details (Damaged) NGC**, Valladolid mint, Cal-128, Fr-179a (9th edition). 3.34gm. A very rare type for the Valladolid mint, with only a small handful of examples come to auction in the past several years. A fleeting opportunity thus, one that may not present itself again for quite some time.  
Starting Bid: \$500



- 30606 Philip II gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1556-1598) S-D MS64 NGC**, Seville mint, Fr-169, Cal-60. 6.73gm. Square 'D'. As its impressive near-gem grade suggests, this piece may exhibit the usual striking weakness but shows no evidence of circulation whatsoever. Gently lustrous, with a striking crack through the reverse cross.  
Starting Bid: \$900



**30607 Philip II gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1556-1598) T-M MS63 NGC**, Toledo mint, Fr-170, Cal-90. 6.71gm. 'M' in circle. Choice Mint State, all diagnostic features boldly rendered and lit through silky mint luster. Unusual quality for this Cob type. Starting Bid: \$750



**30608 Philip II gold Cob 2 Escudos 1591/0-H MS61 NGC**, Seville mint, Fr-169, Cal-72. 6.77gm. Struck with slightly rusted dies giving a speckled texture, pleasantly lit through residual luster. A more unusual overdate type to find in Mint State. Starting Bid: \$750



**30609 Philip II gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1556-1598) T-M AU58 NGC**, Toledo mint, Fr-170, Cal-88. 6.73gm. Centrally struck, with pinpoint detail and a generally far finer production standard than is usual for the type with copious mint luster. Starting Bid: \$750



**30610 Philip IV gold Cob Escudo 1623 S-D AU50 NGC**, Seville mint, KM44.2, Fr-211, Cay-6602. 3.32gm. An interesting piece with what appears to be a die shift after the "2" in the date, creating the appearance of a second "2". However, there is clearly an additional "3" to the right, leading to the conclusion that the date must be 1623. Additionally, the type is unlisted in all catalogues with a date of 1622. Starting Bid: \$750



**30611 Philip IV gold 8 Escudos ND (1631-1653) S-R UNC Details (Reverse Damage) NGC**, Seville mint, KM59.2, Cal-Type 15. 26.76gm. Immensely lustrous and quite attractive for the type, even with its noted reverse damage, this taking the form of a number of shallow gouges, all of which blend quite well into the characteristically irregular surfaces. Thus, the main impression left with the beholder is one of great quality, and the thought that, absent these reverse flaws, this example would surely have graded as one of the finest yet certified for its type. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30612 Philip IV gold Cob 8 Escudos ND (1631-1655) S-R XF45 NGC**, Seville mint, KM59.2, Fr-200, Cal-51. 26.63gm. An imposing and full-sized gold denomination, struck in the heartland of the Spanish Empire, moderately circulated and with touches of graphite embracing the bold devices. Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30613 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1788 S-C AU Details (Cleaned) PCGS**, Seville mint, KM409.2a, Cal-263. An attractive piece despite past mishandling. AGW 0.7615 oz. Starting Bid: \$650



**30614 Ferdinand VII gold 2 Escudos 1812 C-CI MS62 NGC**, Cadiz mint, KM468, Fr-313. A deceptively rare type in Mint State condition, featuring the bare laureate bust of Ferdinand VII. Struck on a very slightly convex flan that curves minimally inward towards the peripheries only to be met by the raised denticles of the rims, creating a modest deep-dish appearance that is quite appealing to the eye. Lightly lustrous and permeated by tinges of coppery color.  
Reserve: \$1,250



**30615 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1820 M-GJ MS62 NGC**, Madrid mint, KM485, Onza-1242. "G·J" variety. A notably superior selection of the issue whose surfaces are bathed in warm golden luster, which immediately highlights its clear Mint State preservation. Struck only a hint off-center on the reverse, with the type's common central weakness confined to a small central section of the shield.  
Starting Bid: \$750

SUDAN



**30616 Republic gold Proof "Scimitar-Horned Oryx" 100 Pounds AH 1396 (1976) PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC**, British Royal mint, KM72. Proof mintage: 251. Conservation series issue. AGW 0.9675 oz.  
Reserve: \$1,900

SWEDEN



Images not to scale

**30617 Karl XII copper Plate Money 1/2 Daler 1718 AU**, Avesta mint, KM-PM33, AAH-197 (R), Tingström-Plate 287, A1. 100x100mm. 382.55gm. Type IV. A rare and quite large one-year type, exhibiting only slight weakness on the upper areas of the stamps and overall quite nice, with a smooth chocolatey patina throughout.  
Starting Bid: \$900



**30618** Karl XII silver Specimen “Death of Karl XI” Medal 1697 SP53 PCGS, Hildebrand-452. 57mm. By A. Karlsteen. Struck on the death of Karl XI of Sweden, this elusive issue depicts the long-curved bust of the deceased King on the obverse, the date of his birth (November 24, 1655) written in the legend. The reverse, admirably engraved in ornate style, depicts the female personification of Sweden, mourning at Karl’s sarcophagus, the Swedish lion and three-crowned shield at her sides.  
No Minimum Bid



**30619** Karl XII silver Specimen “Peace of Rijswijk” Medal 1697 SP55 PCGS, Hildebrand-484, 7. 51mm. A scarce medal struck for the Peace of Rijswijk (Ryswick), a series of treaties which ended the Nine Years’ War between France and the Grand Alliance. The peace was conducted under Swedish mediation, and few of these issues survive to the present day. Toned to a soft olive, with areas of silvery luster visible underneath.  
No Minimum Bid



Images not to scale

**30620 Ulrika Eleonora copper Plate Money 4 Daler 1719 AU**, Avesta mint, KM-PM62, AAH-13, Tingström-Plate 291. 263x230mm. Some corrosion and weakness to the central stamp, otherwise with appealing dark chocolate color and cleaner surfaces for issue. A rarer early type of this extremely large denomination. Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30621 Carl XIV Johan gold Ducat 1821-LB MS65+ PCGS**, Stockholm mint, KM594, Fr-84, SGM-18. An impressive offering, lightly Prooflike and glowing with enchanting luster. The weakness of strike in the ear area appears on other examples to a lesser extent, perhaps indicating a later die state or excessive polishing prior to the striking of this piece. Only the second example we have offered, and by far the finest certified across both major grading companies.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30622 Carl XIV Johan gold Ducat 1837-CB MS65 PCGS**, Stockholm mint, KM628a, Fr-87, SGM-36. A superb piece with undeniably Prooflike qualities, absolutely gem and virtually as struck.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30623 Carl XIV Johan gold Ducat 1843-AG MS66 PCGS**, Stockholm mint, KM628a, Fr-87, SGM-42. A near-flawless piece, boldly struck with full details and abundant with satiny luster. About as good as it gets for this trade coinage issue, with no other examples even approaching this supreme gem status—the next finest at both NGC and PCGS ranking two full grade points lower.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30624 Oscar I gold Ducat 1859-ST MS66 PCGS**, Stockholm mint, KM668, Fr-90a, SGM-28. A jewel of the type with an essentially specimen-like finish, its clear golden surfaces decorated with a fine arrangement of horizontal die polish lines that embrace utterly sharp central features. No examples of the type certify higher above both PCGS and NGC combined, with the next highest, seen by NGC, ranking only MS63.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 30625 Carl XV Adolf gold Ducat 1864/3-ST MS66 PCGS**, Stockholm mint, KM709, Fr-91, SGM-11. From a reported mintage of 38,000 pieces, this well-recognized overdate exhibits exceptional Prooflike qualities and bewitchingly watery fields, and presently stands as the finest certified by PCGS.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30626 Oscar II Proof 2 Kronor 1907-EB PR66 NGC**, Stockholm mint, KM773. A fantastic Proof with mottled, mauve-gray patination that covers the entirety of the surfaces and total reflectivity throughout the mirrors. Sublime shades of cobalt and champagne dot the legends, awakening upon rotation, and the design features are unmistakably bold. Virtually free of any instances of handling, and a conditional jewel in a coveted state of preservation.  
Ex. D. Moore Collection  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30627 Oscar II gold Proof 10 Kronor 1874-ST PR65 Ultra Cameo NGC**, Stockholm mint, KM732 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-94, SGM-29 (no Proofs recorded). A very rare type as a Proof/Specimen issue, and an offering that currently stands at the lone example certified by NGC to-date, impressively so at the gem level of certification, with satiny devices contrasting sublimely against mirrored reflective fields to yield a distinct and stark cameo contrast. A fleeting opportunity, and likely the only one of its kind that many bidders will have to acquire an example in this praiseworthy format.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30628** Oscar II gold Proof 20 Kronor 1889-EB PR65 NGC, Stockholm mint, KM748 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-93a, SGM-20. An extraordinarily rare issue in gem Proof, undocumented as such by the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*, though known in Robert Delzanno's recent publication *Sveriges Guldmynt*. Evinced silky-smooth mirrored surfaces that radiate with a light tinge of amber, this is the sole Proof of this date we have been able to locate, and the only such certified by NGC. Sure to encounter much demand from collectors of Swedish coinage.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30629** Oscar II gold Proof 20 Kronor 1898-EB PR67 Cameo NGC, Stockholm mint, KM748 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-93a, SGM-23. A simply astonishing grade for the type, both from a purely technical standpoint as well in terms of its distinction as a Proof, very nearly approaching technical perfection without the least trace of bagmarks across its surfaces. Despite being one of the most prolific mintage dates for the type, out of nearly 350 currently seen in the NGC census, only four business strikes have reached the MS67 level, only one example received the Prooflike designation and none besides the present piece having been certified as indisputably Proof. Of great rarity as such, and sure to be a centerpiece for the specialist in Swedish rarities.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$2,500



**30630 Oscar II gold Specimen 20 Kronor 1898-EB SP64 PCGS**, Stockholm mint, KM748 (unlisted in Proof or Specimen), Fr-93a, SGM-23. Imbued with a light honey hue, this is the first example of the issue we have seen or indeed of which we have been able to locate. Watery near-cameo mirrored fields and a superb strike leave no doubt of the assigned Specimen designation.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,250

**30631 Oscar II gold Proof 20 Kronor 1899-EB PR65 Cameo NGC**, Stockholm mint, KM748 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-93a, SGM-24. Boasting wonderfully cameo surfaces with a crisp texture to the devices, the present offered represents yet another significant rarity of the modern Swedish series, entirely absent from auction records for the past 2 decades.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30632** Oscar II gold Specimen 20 Kronor 1900-EB SP66 PCGS, Stockholm mint, KM748 (unlisted in Proof or Specimen), Fr-93a, SGM-25. An exciting piece bounding with eye appeal, honeyed surfaces awash with bright, near-cameo mirrors. Hardly imaginable finer, with intensive die polish lines studding both sides of this splendid example.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
 Starting Bid: \$2,000

**30633** Oscar II gold Proof 20 Kronor 1901-EB PR64 NGC, Stockholm mint, KM765 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-93b, SGM-26 (no Proofs recorded). Perhaps unique in this Proof format, with even Delzanno's recent work recorded no sales results in this format. Of immense rarity and desirability as such, and a coin that is sure to not go overlooked.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
 Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30634 Oscar II gold Proof 20 Kronor 1902-EB PR67 Cameo NGC**, Stockholm mint, KM748 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-93a, SGM-27. Simply superb, every tiny detail of the hair and coat of arms razor-sharp and standing in stark contrast to the backdrop of liquid reflectivity in the fields. Presently the finest certified at NGC, with no business strikes even certifying above an MS66 out of 139 graded.

*From the Caranett Collection*

Starting Bid: \$2,500

SWITZERLAND



**30635 Basel. City gold 2 Ducats ND (1680-1700) AU55 NGC, KM-Unl, Fr-85.** 6.68gm. An elaborately-designed issue showing an elevated city view with the iconic arms of Basel in the radiant clouds above. The reverse illustration is equally engaging, showing the popular narrative of the birth of Christ, with three gift-bearing magi greeting the newborn Jesus. Because of this depiction, this issue is sometimes referred to as the Christmas Ducat. Besides a few die cracks, this offering is without significant detractors and indeed its highpoint softness appears more indicative of a soft strike than circulation wear, its fields reflective and with a pale peach tone. An undeniably beautiful and very rare type. Reserve: \$3,500



**30636 Basel. Canton Taler 1741 MS63 NGC, KM149, Dav-1750.** An alluring example of this popular city view type, cobalt and magenta hues cascading the surfaces of both sides, coupled with a superb strike that makes this piece a must-have for the collector of Crown-sized issues. Starting Bid: \$750



**30637 Bern. City gold Ducat 1741 MS66 PCGS, KM103, Fr-172, HMZ-2-215d.** An impressive piece in staggering quality given its age, its molten gold surfaces superbly struck and watery in texture. The finest specimen we have yet had the privilege of handling.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30638 Bern. City Taler 1795 MS64+ PCGS, KM149, Dav-1759.** A light silver patina enhances the presentation of this popular taler type revealing underlying luster throughout, the central expanses framed by legends dressed in subtly darkened tones.  
No Minimum Bid



**30639 Lucerne. Canton gold 10 Franks 1804 MS63 NGC, KM98, Fr-327.** Highly Prooflike, a conservatively graded piece with glossy fields and comparatively frosted devices. Its surfaces bear the adjustment marks commonly found on this issue, but they have been almost completely obscured by the strike and indeed, if anything, provide a pleasant underlying texture. One of the finest of this type we have had the pleasure to offer.  
Reserve: \$2,500



**30640 Zurich. Canton gold Ducat 1745 MS66 NGC, KM140, Fr-486a, HMZ-2-1161cc.** A deluxe gem offering a simultaneous display of near-pristine fields, lightly speckled by just a hint of die rust, and razor sharp devices contrasting slightly against the surfaces surrounding. Nearly unimprovable, and essentially irreproachable for a coin of its age and type.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

## SWITZERLAND



- 30641 Confederation gold "Fribourg Shooting Festival" 100 Francs 1934-B MS67 PCGS**, Bern mint, KM-XS19, Fr-505, Hüb-21. From a mintage of only 2,000 pieces. Certainly one of the finest extant specimens of this one-year commemorative type, with the obverse particularly attractive, exhibiting fully Prooflike fields and heavily frosted devices.  
Reserve: \$4,000



- 30642 Confederation gold "Fribourg Shooting Festival" 100 Francs 1934-B MS66 PCGS**, Bern mint, KM-XS19, Fr-505, Hüb-21. From a mintage of 2,000, an appealing commemorative issue with pristine frosted devices over mirrored fields. Indeed, despite its Mint State attribution, every production element of this offering appears more akin to a Proof than a business strike. Accompanied by its rare original case of issue.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30643 Confederation gold "Fribourg Shooting Festival" 100 Francs 1934-B MS65+ PCGS**, Bern mint, KM-XS19, Fr-505, Hüb-21. Mintage: 2,000. Struck to commemorate the shooting festival at Fribourg. Flashy and reflective, with a nearly full cameo effect displayed on the obverse.  
Reserve: \$2,500



- 30644 Confederation gold "Fribourg Shooting Festival" 100 Francs 1934-B MS64 Prooflike NGC**, Bern mint, KM-XS19, Fr-505, Hüb-21. From a mintage of only 2,000 pieces, struck to commemorate the shooting festival at Fribourg. A superb example of the type, deeply mirrored fields and frosty devices rendering it fully deserving of its scarce Prooflike designation.  
Starting Bid: \$900



- 30645 Confederation gold "Eternal Pact" 1/4 Unze (1/4 oz) 1986-(+M) MS69 NGC**, Bern mint, KM-XMB4. An impressive example of this 1/4 Unze (1/4 Ounce) type combining vivid imagery with immaculate surface preservation.  
Reserve: \$1,000

## TANZANIA



- 30646 Republic gold Proof "Cheetahs" 1500 Shilingi 1974 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM9. Mintage: 886. Conservation series, featuring a seated Cheetah. AGW 0.9675 oz.  
Reserve: \$1,600

## THAILAND



- 30647 Rama IV gold 4 Baht ND (1863) XF Details (Removed From Jewelry) NGC**, Bangkok mint, KM-Y14, Fr-16. An elusive issue bearing evidence of cleaning and mountmarks in line with it having been placed in jewelry; pleasing nonetheless as an example of the type.  
Starting Bid: \$750

## TRANSYLVANIA



- 30648 Gabriel Bethlen gold Ducat 1620-AI MS61 NGC**, Karlsburg mint, KM126, Fr-353, Resch-40. 3.41gm. GABRIEL D G P R | IN TRAN, armored bust right wearing fur cap, A-I to either side across fields / PAR • RE • HVNG • DOM • ET • SIC • COM • 1620, crowned arms of Bethlen. An exceedingly handsome and carefully produced ducat, exhibiting an engaging glassy luster in the margins and hardly the least evidence of waviness or bending in the flan.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30649 Achatius Barcsai Taler 1660-CB VF Details (Mount Removed)** NGC, KM330.4, Dav-4765, Resch-20. An extremely scarce type issued during the rule of Turkish vassal Achatius Barcsai and bearing his name in the obverse legends. Though hairlined in the fields the offering displays a balanced strike with light toning having taken hold over the surfaces, and for collectors of the popular 17th century Transylvanian series the present example may serve as a unique opportunity to fill a near-certain gap in their collection.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30650 Michael Apafi Taler 1680-AI AU Details (Mount Removed)** NGC, KM474A, Dav-4818, Resch-237. A lovely example of the type offering well-balanced eye appeal despite signs of prior mounting, a couple of minor edge irregularities noted solely for completeness. The fields retain glints of argent mint luster, with a steel-hued tone gracing the surfaces throughout.  
Starting Bid: \$750

TRISTAN DA CUHNA



**30651 British Colony. Elizabeth II gold Proof 100 Pounds 2014 PR69 Ultra Cameo** NGC, KM-Unl, Fr-Unl. Mintage: 500. Struck for the canonization of Pope John Paul II. Sold with original COA of issue.  
Starting Bid: \$700

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES



**30652 Republic gold Proof "5th Anniversary of the Formation of the Emirates" 1000 Dirhams 1976 PR68 NGC**, KM13, Fr-1. The finest example of the type that we have offered to date, slightly cameo and with essentially flawless surfaces. AGW 1.1775 oz.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000

URUGUAY



**30653 Republic "Montevideo Siege" Peso 1844 MS63 NGC**, Montevideo mint, KM5, Almeida-032 (R1). Coin alignment. An iconic one-year siege issue numbering only 1,226 pieces struck. Struck over two days at the reopened Casa de Moneda in Montevideo after the long civil war and city siege by General Oribe. Despite many examples showing imperfections due to the mint's limited technical capabilities, they were often held as keepsakes, in remembrance of the melted down silver spared by the local families and churches that was used to strike them. However, this piece has retained far better surface preservation than most, displaying no wear and fields that are virtually free of contact marks. Deep gunmetal toning pervades the surfaces, with muted luster shining through beneath.  
Starting Bid: \$1,250



**30654 Republic "Montevideo Siege" Peso 1844 AU58 NGC**, Montevideo mint, KM5, Almeida-032 (R1). Coin alignment. A rare one-year siege issue from a mintage of only 1,226, and quite rare in higher grades. This specimen has been somewhat weakly struck on the reverse but nonetheless retains satisfying detail, the planchet toned a handsome grey-gold over muted luster. Seldom seen in this quality and highly desirable thus.  
Starting Bid: \$750



- 30655 Republic gold “Battle of Yatay” Chief’s Medal 1865 UNC**, Barac-9 (unpriced), Fonrobert-Unl., R&S-Uy9. 34x28mm. 20.78gm. With integral mount and ring. Instituted 30 September 1865. Obv. Arms of Uruguay with 3 stars to either side, VENCEDORES - DEL YATAY above and below. Rev. 17 De AGOSTO DE 1865 in 5 lines within wreath. By all indications an excessively rare Uruguayan decoration, entirely missing from the Fonrobert collection and unpriced in Barac, awarded the Uruguayan soldiers who defeated a Paraguayan army at the Battle of Yatay on August 17, 1865. Perhaps the most significant battle of the Triple Alliance War for the nation, Yatay marked major victory for Uruguay as its soldiers played the leading role in defeating the invading army of Paraguayan dictator Solano Lopez—a decisive event which prevented Paraguay from being able to mount any further major offensives in the war. Visually, the piece appears remarkably original and free of any signs of cleaning or damage so common on Latin American medals of the period. This is the sole example of this medal in gold we have been able to locate coming to auction, certainly marking this as a covetable opportunity for any serious collector of Latin American medals! Reportedly privately purchased in 1958.  
*From the Dresden Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



- 30656 Republic gold Specimen Essai 5 Pesos 1930 SP64 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM-E14. By Bazor. A choice example of this scarce Essai, produced to commemorate the centenary of the Constitution of Uruguay in 1830 and rarely seen in this condition. A light tinge of rose gold accentuates the fields of an already superb example of the type.  
Reserve: \$3,000

## VENEZUELA



- 30657 Caracas. Ferdinand VII 2 Reales (Morilleros) 1817-BS VF30** NGC, Caracas mint, KM-C6.1, Stohr-11-C6, OAV-2R-C.B.1. A charming example of this seldom-seen date, the first and scarcest in the type’s five-year series. Rare with such little circulation wear and without major surface issues, the finest we have had the privilege of offering to date. Portions of the design are softly struck, but the legends are otherwise bold and legible, set on a backdrop of silvery white.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30658 Caracas. Ferdinand VII 4 Reales 1819-BS XF Details (Whizzed, Tooled) NGC, Caracas mint, KM-C7.2, Stohr-12-C7, OAV-4R-C.B.1.** Castle in upper left quadrant. A very rare Royalist issue, highly appealing even with its surface alterations; fully struck with a dappled gold tone over the lightly lustrous planchet, with no particular areas of weakness to the designs. Close inspection leads one to believe this piece could be worthy of an AU certification.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500



**30659 Republic Centavo 1858-HEATON MS67 Red NGC, Heaton mint, cf. KM-Y7.** With "LIBERTAD" incuse. Plain edge. Rare in this condition, with fully red surfaces that glow with a soft peach color in some areas. Interestingly, there appear to be a couple of instances of die clashing evident around the 12 o'clock areas on both sides of the piece.  
Starting Bid: \$1,000



**30660 Republic 5 Bolivares 1929-(p) MS62 PCGS, Philadelphia mint, KM-Y24.2.** Glowing argent luster illuminates the surfaces of this borderline choice selection, exhibiting only light instances of handling to establish the assigned grade.  
No Minimum Bid



**30661 Republic gold 100 Bolivares 1889 UNC Details (Reverse Rim Damage) NGC, Caracas mint, KM-Y34, Fr-2.** A popular type that sees much demand in any uncirculated condition. The rim damage appears as a bump on the 6 o'clock area of the reverse.  
AGW 0.9334 oz.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30662 Republic gold 100 Bolivares 1889 AU58 NGC, Caracas mint, KM-Y34, Fr-2.** A near-Mint State representative of this popular type featuring the bust of Simón Bolívar.  
AGW 0.9334 oz.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30663 Republic gold 100 Bolivares 1889 AU58 NGC**, Caracas mint, KM-Y34, Fr-2. A handsome example of this ever-popular issue, displaying only a touch of wear on the high points. AGW 0.9334 oz.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30664 Republic gold 100 Bolivares 1889 AU Details (Reverse Rim Damage) NGC**, Caracas mint, KM-Y34, Fr-2. A small bump in the 6 o'clock area of the reverse accounts for the grade. AGW 0.9334 oz.  
Starting Bid: \$750



**30665 Republic gold Proof "Cock of the Rock" 1000 Bolivares 1975 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC**, British Royal mint, KM-Y48.1, Fr-8. Mintage: 483. Detailed Wings variety. A nearly unhandled example of this popular and low-mintage modern type.  
Reserve: \$2,750

## End of Session Two

## SESSION THREE - PREMIER

## ANCIENTS

## GREEK

Extremely Rare 'Star' People of  
the Camp Tetradrachm

- 31001 SICILY. Siculo-Punic. Ca. 320-300 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.06 gm, 1h). NGC Choice AU★ 5/5 - 5/5.** Head of Arethusa/Persephone right, wreathed with barley ears, triple pendant earring and necklace; four dolphins swimming around, dotted border / 'MHMHNT (Punic for People of the Camp), head and neck of horse left; palm tree with two clusters of dates behind, linear border. HGC 2, 286. Jenkins 178. Apparently extremely rare - only one example in sales archives. cf. Classical Numismatic Group, Auction 50, (23 June 1999), lot 523. Starting Bid: \$2,500



- 31002 ZEUGITANA. Carthage. Ca. 350-320 BC. AV stater (19mm, 9.35 gm, 2h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Bust of Tanit left, hair wreathed with barley ears, wearing triple-pendant earring, and necklace with eight pendants; dotted border / Horse standing right on exergal line; three pellets to lower right at shin height, dotted border. Jenkins & Lewis, Group IIIh. Starting Bid: \$3,000



- 31003 MACEDON. Chalcidian League. Ca. 432-348 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 14.46 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Olynthus, ca. 390 BC. Laureate head of Apollo right / X-A-Λ-KIΔ-EQN, cithara (lyre) with seven strings. Robinson & Clement group F - (unlisted dies). Jameson 941ff.

*Ex Heritage Auction 3021 (NYINC 6 January 2013), lot 21143; Classical Numismatic Group, private sale with old dealer tag*

*The Chalcidice is a three-fingered area of land extending from eastern Macedon into the Aegean Sea. Wary of Athenian imperialism and the rising power of the Macedonian Kingdom, the free cities of the Chalcidice banded together in 432 BC to form a defensive coalition called the Chalcidian League, with its capital of Olynthus. The silver coinage struck at Olynthus was on the Macedonian standard, somewhat lighter than the Attic standard employed by most of Greece, and was legal tender at all cities belonging to the league. The standard design featured a head of Apollo, god of beauty, art and music, with a type of lyre called a cithara on the reverse. The heads of Apollo on these pieces are remarkable for the strength and beauty of their style. Sadly, the Chalcidian League's coinage came to an end with the capture and destruction of Olynthus by King Philip II of Macedon in 348 BC. Starting Bid: \$2,500*



- 31004** MACEDON. Acanthus. Ca. 470-430 BC. AR tetradrachm (28mm, 17.21 gm, 5h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style. Lion springing right, biting into hind quarters of bull kneeling to left with head lowered; tunny fish left in exergue, thick beaded border / AKA-N-ΘIO-N, legend in raised letters on incuse band, around raised quadripartite square, all within shallow incuse square. Desneux 95. Starting Bid: \$2,500

### Stunning Alexander the Great Distater



- 31005** MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AV distater (21mm, 17.21 gm, 10h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5. Lifetime issue of Amphipolis, 325-323 BC. Head of Athena right, wearing earring, double necklace and triple crested Corinthian helmet with long divergent crest ends, pushed back on head, the bowl decorated with coiled serpent right, three tight corkscrew curls hanging straight and loose hair across left shoulder / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Nike standing facing, head left, wreath upward in right hand, stylis cradled in left arm; vertical thunderbolt in outer left field, AO monogram below wing in inner left field. Price 191. Müller 1. Troxell Studies, Group B. Gulbenkian 843. Excellent strike and centering from dies of lovely style. Starting Bid: \$10,000



- 31006 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Philip III Arrhidaeus (323-317 BC). AV stater (19mm, 8.59 gm, 8h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Babylon. Head of Athena right, wearing necklace and triple-crested Corinthian helmet with long parallel crest ends, pushed back on head, the bowl decorated with coiled serpent right, hair falling loose / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΥ-ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, Nike standing left, wreath upward in right hand, stylis cradled in left arm; M in outer left field, AY below wing in left field. Price P180. Starting Bid: \$2,500



- 31007 THRACIAN KINGDOM. Lysimachus (305-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (30mm, 17.04 gm, 12h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style.** Pergamum, ca. 287/6-282 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon; K below, dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena seated left, Nike crowning royal name in right hand, resting left arm on grounded shield decorated with gorgoneion head boss, transverse spear in background; herm left in outer left field, archaic xoanon (cult image) in inner left field, EI monogram in exergue. Thompson, Essays Robinson, 220 var. (monogram). Müller 287 (uncertain Thrace).

*Alexander the Great's meteoric 13-year career of conquest left the classical world profoundly transformed by the time of his premature death in 323 BC. In the immediate aftermath, Alexander's generals carved up his immense new empire into spheres of influence, although maintaining the fiction of a unified leadership. Territorial disputes soon led to civil wars, with the rival warlords contending for supreme power. Chief among these was Lysimachus, who at various times controlled Thrace, Macedon and much of Asia Minor. For the obverse of his silver his coinage, Lysimachus claimed the mantle of Alexander by choosing the image of the conqueror himself, now shown as a god wearing the ram's horn of the Greco-Egyptian deity Ammon. The image is one of the earliest true portraits to appear on a coin, and one of the finest. The reverse, depicting Athena enthroned, likewise proved extremely influential throughout history, forming the archetype for the figure of Britannia on modern English coins.*

Starting Bid: \$2,500



- 31008 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Alyattes or Walwet (ca. 610-546 BC). EL third-stater or trite (12mm, 4.72 gm). NGC Choice XF★ 5/5 - 4/5.** Uninscribed, Lydo-Milesian standard, Sardes. Head of lion right, mouth open, mane bristling, radiate globule above eye / Two square punches of different size, side by side, irregular interior surfaces. Weidauer 86. Boston 1764. SNG von Aulock 2868. SNG Kayhan 1013. Starting Bid: \$2,500

## Croesus Heavy Stater



- 31009 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AV stater (17mm, 10.77 gm). NGC AU 5/5 - 5/5.** Sardes, 'heavy' standard, ca. 561-550 BC. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Two incuse squares, side-by-side, with irregular interior surfaces. Berk "100 Greatest Ancient Coins", 9.2. BMC Lydia 30. Boston MFA 2068. Gulbenkian 756. Bright, lustrous surfaces. Starting Bid: \$7,500

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## A Second Croesus Heavy Stater



- 31010** LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AV stater (17mm, 10.74 gm). NGC AU 5/5 - 5/5. Sardes, 'heavy' standard, ca. 561-550 BC. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Two incuse squares, side-by-side, with irregular interior surfaces. Berk "100 Greatest Ancient Coins", 9.2. BMC Lydia 30. Boston MFA 2068. Gulbenkian 756. Beautiful style dies struck on satiny surfaces. Starting Bid: \$7,500



- 31011** LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AV third-stater or trite (12mm, 3.60 gm). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5, light scuff. Sardes, 'heavy' standard, ca. 561-550 BC. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Bipartite incuse rectangle with irregular interior surfaces. Berk "100 Greatest Ancient Coins", 9.5. Traité I 399. SNG von Aulock 8210. SNG München 7. Sunrise 8. Starting Bid: \$3,000

### Finest Certified Croesus Hemihecte



- 31012** LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AV 1/12 stater or hemihecte (7mm, 0.89 gm). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 5/5. Sardes, 'heavy' standard, ca. 564/53-550/39 BC. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Incuse square punch with irregular interior surfaces. Walburg Group V. Berk 9. Traité I -. Perfectly centered and sharply struck on shimmering flan. An absolutely fantastic example of the type.

*Very rare denomination in heavy standard. Of the 25 total certified Croesus hemihectes (includes both heavy and light standard), only four have graded Mint State, and the present example is the only Choice Mint State.*  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

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**Choice AU Croesus Light Stater**

- 31013 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AV stater (16mm, 8.05 gm). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 3/5. Sardes, "light" standard, ca. 553-539 BC. Confronted foreparts of lion right and bull left, both with outstretched foreleg / Two incuse square punches of unequal size, side by side, with irregular interior surfaces. Carradice 8. BMFA 2073. SNG von Aulock 2875. Starting Bid: \$10,000**



- 31014** ACHAEMENID PERSIA. Darius I-Xerxes II (ca. 485-420 BC). AV daric (16mm, 8.38 gm). NGC Choice MS★ 5/5 - 5/5. Lydo-Milesian standard. Sardes mint. Persian king or hero, wearing cidaris and sandals, quiver over shoulder, in kneeling-running stance right, transverse spear in right hand, bow in outstretched left hand / Rectangular irregular incuse punch. Carradice Type IIIb, Group A/B. Starting Bid: \$2,500



- 31015** PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Arsinoë II Philadelphus (died 270/268 BC). AV mnaieion or octodrachm (27mm, 27.69 gm, 12h). NGC XF 5/5 - 3/5, Fine Style. Posthumous issue of Alexandria, under Ptolemy II, ca. 253/2 BC. Veiled head of deified Arsinoë II right, wearing diademed stephane and horn of Ammon, scepter surmounted by lotus over far shoulder; Θ in left field, dotted border / ΑΡΣΙΝΟΗΣ-ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ, double cornucopia bound with fillet, containing pyramidal cakes, pomegranates and other fruits, grape cluster hanging from the rim of each horn; dotted border. CPE 388. Svoronos 460. Starting Bid: \$4,000

## Pedigreed Mint State Arsinoe Octodrachm



- 31016** PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Arsinoë II Philadelphus (died 270/268 BC). AV mnaieion or octodrachm (28mm, 27.73 gm, 11h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5. Posthumous issue of Alexandria under Ptolemy VI-VIII, after 193/2 BC. Veiled head of deified Arsinoë II right, wearing diademed stephane and horn of Ammon, scepter surmounted by lotus over far shoulder; K in left field, dotted border / ΑΡΣΙΝΟΗΣ-ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ, double cornucopia bound with fillet, containing pyramidal cakes, pomegranates and other fruits, grape cluster hanging from the rim of each horn; dotted border. Svoronos 1498-9. SNG Copenhagen 321-2. Incredible high-relief portrait on blazing lustrous flan.

*Ex UBS Gold & Numismatics, Auction 76 (22 January 2008), lot 1316; Auction Bank Leu 54, (28 April 1992), lot 206; Ed Milas Collection, Chicago; Auction Vinchon (Coll. Pflieger), (April 1985), lot 424.*

*It has been speculated that the later K-type mnaieions issued during the reigns of Ptolemy VI through VIII feature a disguised portrait of Cleopatra II, who was the sister and later wife of both brothers. If such is the case, the K behind the head could refer to Kleopatra (on the original issues of Ptolemy II-III, from which the later issues were copied, the K was one of several letters used to designate obverse dies). Certainly the portrait on these later issues bears little resemblance to the face of Arsinoë II found on the gold pieces minted closer to her lifetime. Whether or not these pieces do bear portraits of concurrent figures, it is a historical fact that the strongest of the later Ptolemaic rulers invariably were women, including the last of the line, Cleopatra VII.*  
Starting Bid: \$10,000



- 31017** PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Arsinoë II Philadelphus (277-270/268 BC). AV mnaieion or octodrachm (28mm, 27.75 gm, 12h). NGC MS 5/5 - 3/5, edge mark. Posthumous issue of Alexandria, under Ptolemy VI-VIII, after 193/2 BC. Veiled head of deified Arsinoë II right, wearing diademed stephane and horn of Ammon, scepter surmounted by lotus over far shoulder; K in left field, dotted border / ΑΡΣΙΝΟΗΣ-ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ, double cornucopia bound with fillet, containing pyramidal cakes, pomegranates and other fruits, grape cluster hanging from the rim of each horn; dotted border. Svoronos 1498-9. SNG Copenhagen 321-2. Starting Bid: \$5,000



- 31018** PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Ptolemy II Philadelphus (285/4-246 BC). AV trichryson or triple stater (pentadrachm) (23mm, 17.70 gm, 12h). NGC XF 5/5 - 2/5, edge marks, scratches. Phoenicia, Tyre, ca. 275/4 BC. Diademed head of Ptolemy I Soter right, aegis tied around neck; dotted border / ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ-ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, eagle standing left on thunderbolt, wings closed; H above club in left field, dotted border. CPE 555. Svoronos 636. Starting Bid: \$3,000



**31019 PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Ptolemy III Euergetes (246-222 BC). AV mnaieion or octodrachm (27mm, 27.74 gm, 11h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Posthumous issue of Alexandria, under Ptolemy IV, ca. 219-217 BC. Bust of deified Ptolemy III right, wearing radiate diadem and aegis, ornate trident over left shoulder, the central tine ornamented with lotus finial; dotted border / ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ-ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, cornucopia bound with radiate royal diadem, containing grain ear, pyramidal cake and pomegranate, grape cluster hanging from left side of rim; ΔΙ below, dotted border. CPE 888. Svoronos 1117.

*No other kingdom or empire in the ancient world could produce such large gold coins, and this display of economic clout drew thousands of mercenary soldiers into Egypt's service. This large and powerful army was put to maximum use by the third king of the Ptolemaic dynasty, Ptolemy III Euergetes. Shortly after inheriting the throne of the Pharaohs, he launched a massive invasion of the neighboring Seleucid Kingdom of Syria. Easily crushing all resistance, he even reached Babylon, where he proclaimed himself King of Kings. Ptolemy III's powerful portrait appears on gold mnaieions struck by his son, Ptolemy IV Philopator, who succeeded him in 221 BC.*

*A very special thanks to Catharine Lorber, who provided this research and commentary, to give some perspective of the enormous purchasing power of mnaieions:*

*It is tricky to estimate the purchasing power of the Ptolemaic mnaieion in terms of the modern economy. Although we possess price and wage data from Ptolemaic Egypt, our modern standard of living is so much higher that comparisons may not be entirely reliable.*

*The average price of an artaba of wheat during the reign of Ptolemy II was 2 drachms. The mnaieion, equivalent to 100 drachms, could purchase 50 artabas at this average price. The current price of wheat in the US, as of 30 August 2019, is \$4.60 per bushel. The bushel and the artaba are nearly identical measures of volume—a bushel is equivalent to 27.2155 kg, an artaba to 30 kg. The current price of 50 bushels of wheat, \$230, could be deemed more-or-less equivalent to the mnaieion. This figure should be increased by 10%, to \$250, to account for the 10% difference between the bushel and the artaba. However we should take into account that one of the blessings of modern life is an abundance of inexpensive food.*

*The typical pay of an ordinary soldier in third-century Ptolemaic Egypt was 1 drachm per day, thus 30 drachms per month. (The Egyptian month was exactly 30 days long.) The mnaieion was equivalent to a soldier's pay for 3-1/3 months. Current pay for an enlisted soldier in the US Army, at the lowest pay grade, is \$1680.90 per month (1). This amounts to \$5703 for 3-1/3 months. According to this measure, then, the mnaieion would be equivalent to \$5703.*

*During the reign of Ptolemy II the pay of a mounted patrolman was 100 drachms per month, exactly one mnaieion (2). This may be compared with the pay of a California Highway Patrolman (3): minimum \$4357.25 per month, average \$7443 per month, maximum \$12,714 per month. The average pay of a Texas Ranger is \$4167 per month (4). It would be tempting to adopt the low figures of \$4167 and \$4357.25 because of their congruence with one another, and their relative closeness to the figure derived from military pay. But documents from third-century Ptolemaic Egypt indicate that the pay of mounted patrolmen fell in a range from 20 to 100 drachms per month (5). There were probably different pay grades, just as in the modern military and in other modern organizations, and 100 drachms per month was apparently the top pay rate. According to this example, the mnaieion would be equivalent to \$12,714.*

*We can certainly conclude that the mnaieion had great purchasing power, but in terms of its modern equivalent the best we can do is suggest a range between \$4000 and \$13,000.*

*1 Source: [pay.defense.gov](http://pay.defense.gov).*

*2 P. Rev. Col. 12 (259/8 B.C.)*

*3 Annual minimum \$52,287, annual average \$89,316, annual maximum \$152,570, according to [www.payscale.com/research/US/Employer=California\\_Highway\\_Patrol/Salary?page=2](http://www.payscale.com/research/US/Employer=California_Highway_Patrol/Salary?page=2)*

*4 Based on average annual pay of \$50,000. Source: [www.answers.com](http://www.answers.com).*

*5 P. Petr. III 93, 20 drachms; P. Petrie III 128 239 B.C.), 30, 40, 50, 80 drachms.*

*Starting Bid: \$4,000*



**31020** CYRENAICA. Cyrene. Ca. 480-435 BC. AR tetradrachm (27mm, 17.18 gm, 11h). NGC Choice XF 3/5 - 4/5. In alliance with Euhesperides. E-Y-E-Σ (partially off flan), silphium plant / KVPA, laureate, bearded head of Zeus Ammon right; all within prominent dotted border within incuse circle. Cf. BMC p. xliii, 60e and pl. VII, 19. SNG Copenhagen 1174 var (no ethnic on obverse). Beautiful style, with areas of luster and rainbow toning.

*Silphium, a rather mysterious plant that grew wild in the environs of Cyrene, was widely used as an all-purpose seasoning and medicament in the classical ancient world. Important to the local economy, it was frequently shown on the coins of Cyrene, including this splendid tetradrachm. It was said to be something of a wonder drug, used to treat cough, sore throat, fever, indigestion, and other maladies, in addition to its alleged use as a contraceptive (or abortifacient), or perhaps even an aphrodisiac. Its heart-shaped seed pod or fruit may have originated the attachment of that shape to love and romance. Modern herbalists suspect it was a type of giant fennel belonging to the gens ferula. Ancient writers were convinced silphium had gone extinct due to over-harvesting and over-grazing by animals. Pliny the Elder reported that the last known stalk of silphium found in Cyrenaica was given to the Emperor Nero "as a curiosity."*  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

JUDAEA



**31021** JUDAEA. The Jewish War (AD 66-70). AR shekel (23mm, 13.75 gm, 11h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5. Jerusalem, dated Year 1 (AD 66/7). *Shekel of Israel* (Paleo-Hebrew), Omer cup (ritual chalice) with pearly rim, the base resting on raised projections; *Year 1* above / *Jerusalem the holy* (Paleo-Hebrew) around staff with three pomegranate buds, globular base. Hendin 1354. Starting Bid: \$2,500



**31022** JUDAEA. The Jewish War (AD 66-70). AR shekel (22mm, 13.80 gm, 11h). NGC MS 5/5 - 3/5. Jerusalem, dated Year 2 (AD 67/8). *Shekel of Israel* (Paleo-Hebrew), ritual chalice with pearly rim, the base resting on raised projections; *Year 2* above / *Jerusalem the holy* (Paleo-Hebrew), staff with three pomegranate buds, globular base. Hendin 1358. Starting Bid: \$2,500



**31023** JUDAEA. Bar Kokhba Revolt (AD 132-135). AR sela (26mm, 14.15 gm, 1h). NGC MS 4/5 - 4/5, overstruck. Dated Year 2 (AD 133/134). *Jerusalem* (Paleo-Hebrew), on three sides divided by star above façade of the Jerusalem Temple, the Ark of the Covenant (or showbread table) seen from end in center of entrance / *Year Two of the Freedom of Israel* (Paleo-Hebrew), lulav with etrog at left. Hendin 1388. Starting Bid: \$2,500

ORIENTAL

Sharp Shapur Dinar



**31024** SASANIAN KINGDOM. Shapur I the Great (AD 240-272). AV dinar (22mm, 7.39 gm, 3h). MS. Mint I ("Ctesiphon"), Phase II, ca. AD 260-272. Bust of Shapur I right, wearing mural tiara with korymbos and long ear flap, large floriate brooch on left shoulder / Large flaming fire altar flanked by two attendants, both wearing mural crowns and holding scepters. Sunrise 739. SNS type IIc/1b. Göbl type I/1. Overall very well struck and centered with sharp details on satiny flan.

*The second Sasanian ruler, Shapur I's long and energetic reign raised Persia to glories it had not known since the heyday of the Achaemenid Kingdom. He captured and sacked Antioch, the third greatest city of the Roman Empire, and then defeated the Roman army and captured the Emperor Valerian alive, the greatest feat of arms yet by a Sasanian monarch. His military exploits enriched the treasury and enabled him to engage in stupendous building projects. A devout Zoroastrian, he was nevertheless tolerant of other faiths and is warmly mentioned as a just king in Jewish writings. Like many Sasanian kings, his silver coinage is vast while gold is rare.*  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

ROMAN REPUBLIC



**31025** Anonymous. Ca. 211 BC. AV 60 asses (14mm, 3.39 gm, 8h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5. Head of Mars right, bearded, wearing crested Italo-Corinthian helmet pushed back on head; VIX (VI ligate, mark of value) beneath / ROMA, eagle standing right on thunderbolt, wings spread. Crawford 44/2. Bahrfeldt 4a. Sydenham 226.

*Rome's capture and plundering of Syracuse in 212 BC and successes in Spain around this time provided the gold for the first large Roman coinage in that metal, circa 211 BC. Gold pieces in three denominations, with numerals setting their values at 60, 40 and 20 copper asses, were introduced alongside the silver denarius, quinarius, quadrigatus and sestertius. Although the overall coinage reform proved lasting, the gold denominations were only struck for two or three years and soon disappeared from circulation.*

Starting Bid: \$2,500



Choice AU Julius Caesar Lifetime Portrait



**31026 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC). AV aureus (20mm, 8.23 gm, 5h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Rome, 46 BC, Aulus Hirtius, praetor. C•CAESAR-COS TER, veiled female head (Vesta or Pietas?) right, with features of Julius Caesar / A•HIRTIVS•P R, lituus, capis and securis, all turned left (emblems of the augurate and pontificate). Crawford 466/1. Sydenham 1017-1018. Hirtia 1 and Julia 22. Calicó 37c.

**31027 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC). AR denarius (20mm, 3.52 gm, 5h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5.** Rome, January-February 44 BC, moneyer P. Sepullius Macer. CAESAR•IMP, laureate head of Julius Caesar right, eight-pointed star behind / P•SEPVLLIVS-MACER, Venus Victrix standing facing, head left, Victory left in right hand, scepter set on star in left. Crawford 480/5b. Sydenham 1071. RSC 41. Starting Bid: \$2,500

*Aulus Hirtius was a key supporter of Caesar who might have ended up as his successor in power, had events taken a different turn. An experienced soldier, he served as one of Caesar's legates in Gaul from about 54 BC and was an envoy to Pompey in 50 BC. He served Caesar loyally during the Civil War against Pompey and his successors in 48-45 BC and was appointed as Caesar's mintmaster in Rome in 46 BC, when he struck the first truly large issue of gold aurei from the spoils of Caesar's campaigns. These aurei, which bear a rather enigmatic veiled female head on the obverse, were used to pay Caesar's soldiers after the great triumphal parade. After Caesar's assassination, Hirtius initially supported Marc Antony but, after taking over as Consul in 43 BC, he raised an army against Antony at the instigation of Cicero and Octavian. His army defeated Antony at Mutina in April of 43 BC, but Hirtius was killed in the fighting; his consular colleague Pansa died days later, leaving Octavian and Antony masters of Rome. Modern historians owe Hirtius a debt of gratitude for preserving and editing Caesar's Commentaries on the Gallic and Civil Wars.*

Starting Bid: \$4,000

## ROMAN IMPERIAL

## Fine Style Augustus Lugdunese Aureus



- 31028** Augustus (27 BC-AD 14). AV aureus (20mm, 7.82 gm, 7h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 2/5, Fine Style, bent, marks. Lugdunum, 11-10 BC. AVGVSTVS-DIVI•F, laureate head of Augustus right / IMP•XII, bull charging right, head lowered, right foreleg raised, lashing his tail. RIC I 186a. Calicó 222.



*Augustus' large 'bull coinage' strike at the Gallic mint of Lugdunum came at a time of aggressive expansion for the regime. The bull is a visual reference to the city of Thurium in Lucania, to which Octavian's household had a strong connection. While serving as Praetor, the father of Octavian, Gaius Octavius, led Roman forces to victory over a band of rebel slaves near Thurium in 60 BC. Probably in commemoration of this victory, Octavian bestowed on his then three-year-old son the cognomen Thurinus. Octavius died the following year and young Octavian soon dropped Thurinus from his name completely, but after his rise to power he recalled the familial connection by using a charging bull (the type used by Thurium in its Greek coinage of previous centuries) in its imagery.*

Starting Bid: \$6,000



**31029** Tiberius (AD 14-37). AV aureus (18mm, 7.84 gm, 9h). NGC AU 5/5 - 3/5. Lugdunum. TI CAESAR DIVI-AVG F AVGVSTVS, laureate head of Tiberius right / PONTIF-MAXIM, Livia, as Pax, seated right, olive branch in left hand, spear in right, feet on stool; chair with ornate legs, triple line below. RIC I 27. Calicó 305. Starting Bid: \$3,000

Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection



**31030** Tiberius (AD 14-37). AV aureus (18mm, 7.41 gm, 6h). NGC AU 5/5 - 2/5, ex-jewelry, bent. Lugdunum. TI CAESAR DIVI-AVG F AVGVSTVS, laureate head of Tiberius right / PONTIF-MAXIM, Livia, as Pax, seated right, olive branch in left hand, scepter in right, feet on stool; chair with ornate legs, single line below. RIC I 29. Calicó 305b.

Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection (Sotheby's, 20 June 1991), lot 684  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

Fine Style Caligula Sestertius



**31031** Gaius 'Caligula' (AD 37-41). AE sestertius (35mm, 29.15 gm, 6h). NGC AU 5/5 - 3/5, Fine Style, repatinated. Rome, AD 37-38. C CAESAR-AVG-GERMANICVS-PON-M-TR-POT, laureate head of Caligula left / S-P-Q-R / P-P / OB-CIVES / SERVATOS, legend in four lines within oak wreath (Corona Civica). RIC I 37.

Ex Heritage Auction 3030 (NYINC, 5 January 2014), lot 23929; Numismatic Lanz München 147 (2 November 2009), lot 252 (cover coin)  
Starting Bid: \$2,500



**31032** Claudius I (AD 41-54). AV aureus (20mm, 7.79 gm, 12h). NGC AU 5/5 - 2/5, scuffs, scratches, brushed. Rome, AD 46-47. TI-CLAVD-CAESAR-AVG-P-M-TR-P-VI-IMP-XI, laureate head of Claudius I right; dotted border / PACI-AVGVSTAE, Pax-Nemesis advancing right, raising fold of drapery below chin with right hand, winged caduceus downward in left pointing at snake advancing right; dotted border. RIC I 38.

*This gold aureus bears a wonderful portrait of Claudius, fourth emperor of the Julio-Claudian dynasty. Son of the great general Drusus and Antonia, niece of the emperor Augustus, Tiberius Claudius Drusus seemed well-positioned when he was born in 10 BC. But, a serious childhood illness left him with a limp, a stammer, and other uncouth qualities that made him the black sheep of the family. While these problems barred him from a political career, such exclusion also granted him immunity from the family's murderous intrigues. Upon Caligula's assassination in January, AD 41, Claudius was the sole surviving Julio-Claudian male, and, when members of the Praetorian Guard found him cowering behind a curtain in the palace, they immediately acclaimed him as Emperor. Claudius astutely awarded the Praetorians a substantial bonus, and with 10,000 heavily armed soldiers backing him, he easily forced the Senate to accept him as the next princeps. Once installed, Claudius surprised everyone by ruling with intelligence and moderation. In AD 43, he ordered the invasion and annexation of Britain, the first major addition of territory to the Empire since the days of Augustus. He chose provincial governors carefully and managed foreign relations with considerable skill. He erred only in his obsession with detail, his reliance on freedmen and cronies, and his atrocious taste in women. Messalina, his promiscuous third wife, ran wild as Empress and nearly brought down his regime with a sex-crazed conspiracy in AD 48. His next wife, Agrippina the Younger, used her wiles to enhance her own power and advance Nero, her son by a previous marriage, in the succession arrangements. This done, she fed Claudius a dish of poisoned mushrooms in October, AD 54 and brought his 13-year reign to an end. Despite many missteps and his unsavory demise, Claudius had been a fairly successful ruler and his regime set a pattern for the Flavians and the reigns that followed.*  
Starting Bid: \$3,000

Highly Desirable Judaea Capta Aureus



**31033** Vespasian (AD 69-79). AV aureus (18mm, 6.71 gm, 5h). NGC Choice Fine 4/5 - 4/5. Judaea Capta issue. Rome, ca. 21 December AD 69-early AD 70. IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG, laureate head of Vespasian right / IVDAEA, military trophy with cuirass, helmet, greaves and two shields, before which sits female Jewish captive right in attitude of mourning. RIC II.1 1. Hendin 1464. Calicó 643. Starting Bid: \$3,000

Rare Lugdunese Judaea Capta Aureus



**31034** Vespasian (AD 69-79). AV aureus (19mm, 7.07 gm, 8h). NGC Fine 4/5 - 3/5, edge marks. Lugdunum, AD 72. IMP CAES VESPAS AVG P M TR P IIII P P COS IIII; laureate head of Vespasian right / DE-IVDAEIS, trophy built from crested helmet with cheek-pieces, cuirass and spear; rectangular shield and spear on right arm, round shield, rectangular shield and spear on left arm, two spears, greaves, round and rectangular shields on ground. RIC II.1 1179. Hendin 1476. Calicó 627a. Starting Bid: \$3,000



**31035** Caracalla (AD 198-217). AV aureus (20mm, 7.26 gm, 12h). NGC XF 5/5 - 4/5. Rome, AD 198. IMP CAES M AVR-ANT AVG P TR P, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Caracalla right, seen from front / SPES•P-V-BLICA, Spes advancing left, flower upward in right hand, gathering up drapery with left. RIC IV.1 26b. Calicó 2820.

*Ex Heritage Auction 3064 (CCE, 20 April 2018), lot 30316*  
Starting Bid: \$3,000



## Unpublished Constantine the Great Gold Medallion



**31036 Constantine I the Great (AD 307-337). AV medallion of 9 solidi (47mm, 41.88 gm, 5h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 2/5, Fine Style, mount.** Constantinople, ca. AD 330. CONSTANTI-NVS MAX AVG, laurel and rosette diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Constantine I right, seen from front / FELICITA-S PERPETVA AVG E-T CAESS NN, Constantine I, nimbate, enthroned facing, scepter in right hand, mappa in left, flanked by Constantine II and Constantius II, both standing facing in military dress and turned to center, spear in outer hand, inner hand resting on grounded shield; CONS in exergue. RIC VII -. Cohen -. Depeyrot -. cf. Toynbee, p. 198 n. 45; pl. XXXIX, 1 [Constantine II, Constantinople]. cf. Gneccchi p. 16, 11, Nicomedia = Babelon, Revue Numismatique, 1906, "La trouvaille de Helleville (1780)", p. 167, pl. VII, 2 = Babelon, La Trouvaille Monétaire de Helleville (Manche) En 1780, 1910, pp. 16-17, pl. 1, 2 = Toynbee, Roman Medallions, Numismatic Studies 5, p. 62, n. 36, pl. V, 5 = RIC VII Nicomedia 173. An impressive medallion with contemporary intact mount, likely unique.

*Ex Property of a Private West Coast Collector (Bonhams, 14 September 2015), lot 44*

*Gold medallions were gifts produced for the emperor to bestow upon high ranking civilian and military individuals, as well as "foreign ambassadors and chieftains whom it was intended to impress." They were "the imperial counterpart of private gifts presented to friends on important occasions." Described by Toynbee as money medallions because they were "true multiples of gold and silver coins" and could therefore legally used as money, they ranged in size from "the 1 1/2-solidi pieces first issued by Constantine I to the 72-solidi piece of Valens."*

*The present lot appears to be related by subject to small group of gold medallions and coins that was discovered in the village of Helleville, near Cherbourg in Normandy, France in 1780. "These coins were acquired for the French Collection [Cabinet des Médailles, Bibliothèque Nationale], but at the time of the great robbery in 1831 were melted down by the plunderers, and shared the shocking fate of 2,000 other gold specimens of ancient currency ..." (The Classical Review, vol. 20, no. 8, Nov. 1906, p.426). Fortunately casts of the related medallions and coins had been taken prior to the theft and Babelon published much of the hoard in 1906. It also appears that a few pieces from the original find may have found their way into trade and were ultimately acquired by the Royal Cabinet in the Hague (Kerkyt, RN 1906, pp. 490-492).*

*This large medallion may have been issued by Constantine I in connection with the move of the capital of the Roman Empire from Rome and the consecration of Constantinople in AD 330, but as Bruun notes, "The dating of the beautiful 9-solidi pieces FELICITAS PERPETVA AVG ET CAESS NN presents great difficulties." (RIC VII, p. 594).*

*Referring to the examples struck at Nicomedia, Babelon (RN 1906) dates the issue to AD 326, placing it at the later part of the year, after the murder of Crispus (which would make the medallion one of the earliest productions of the Constantinople mint and well out of place from all of the other gold issues from the mint).*

*Toynbee "regards the type as belonging to a series of dynastic types comprising also the SALVS ET SPES REPUBLICAE [reverse] of Constantinople and Heraclea, all of the period of the two Caesars only (AD 326-33)." Based on the portrait style, Toynbee dates those with the short hair at the nape of the neck to AD 326, and those with the longer hair at the back (as here) to the "solemn consecration of Constantinople" in AD 330. The medallions struck at Constantinople from these two series utilized multiple reverse dies; those from the Helleville find have the emperor seated on a more elaborately engraved throne than the present lot, which is more linear and compact.*

*M. Alföldi initially dated the medallions to AD 326-327 (RIC VII, p. 43, footnote 11), but subsequently agreed with Toynbee, dating the group to AD 330 (cf. Die constantinische Goldprägung, p. 165, 112).*

*Bruun disagrees with Toynbee's earlier dating (RIC VII, pp. 563-4), "The type CONSTANTINIANA DAFNE with unusual mintmark B/CONS\* may be ascribed to AD 328 and in point of portraiture the exquisite heavy multiple SALVS ET SPES REIPUBLICAE is closely related to it. We can scarcely avoid dating this remarkable medallion to the dedication of the new capital in May AD 330." Bruun himself dates the Nicomedia issue with this reverse to AD 335, and the related SALVS ET SPES REIPUBLICAE reverse type struck at Constantinople to the winter of AD 335-336, remarking on Toynbee's dating of AD 326 "the portrait...is, however, smaller and cruder...Thus the portraits with the short hair have to be assigned to AD 330 and the others to even later dates." (RIC VII, p. 564, footnote 1).*

*Pierre Bastien, ("Monnaie et Donativa au Bas-Empire," p.80, Revue belge de Philologie et d'Histoire, 1991) placed the series after the dedication ceremony of Constantinople on 11 May AD 330, and this date seems to be supported by the consensus of opinion. Starting Bid: \$50,000*

BYZANTINE

Choice Mint State First Portrait of Christ



**31037 Justinian II, first reign (AD 685-695). AV solidus (18mm, 4.49 gm, 7h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 3rd officina, AD 692-695. IHS CRISTDS REX-REGNANTIUM (Ϻ retrograde), facing half-length bust of Christ with long hair and full beard, wearing pallium and colobium, cross behind head, raising right hand in benediction, book of Gospels cradled in left arm / D IYSTINI-AN-ϺS SERϺ CHRISTI Γ (Γ retrograde), full-length figure of Justinian II standing facing, wearing crown and loros, cross potent on two steps in right hand, akakia in left; CONOP below. Sear 1248.

*The portrait of Christ on the obverse of this solidus is the first numismatic representation of Jesus, and immediately followed the ruling of the Trullan Synod of AD 692 that Christ could be depicted in human form. Justinian II was ostentatiously devout and placing the divine image on his coinage was a reflection of this. The image is remarkably naturalistic and lifelike, and was likely based on the mosaic image of Christ in the apse of the Great Palace of Constantinople, which was itself influenced by Hellenistic depictions of Zeus. Some scholars have argued that Justinian's choice to produce this new type came in response to the Umayyad caliph 'Abd al-Malik's minting of Byzantine-style solidi bearing the Islamic statement of faith (the shahada) in AD 692, which he used in payment of tribute to the Emperor prior to the eruption of the Battle of Sebastopolis the same year.*  
Starting Bid: \$3,000

Tied for Finest Certified



**31038 Leontius (AD 695-698). AV solidus (19mm, 4.47 gm, 7h). NGC Gem MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 5th officina. D LCO-N PC AV, facing bust of Leontius, bearded, wearing crown with cross on circlet and lozenge pattern loros, akakia in raised right hand, globus cruciger in left / VICTORIA-AVCϺ Ε, cross potent set on three steps; CONOB below. Sear 1330. Perfectly struck from fresh dies on gleaming flan.  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

Choice Mint State Portrait of Christ



**31039 Justinian II Rhinotmetus, second reign (AD 705-711). AV solidus (20mm, 4.47 gm, 5h). NGC Choice MS 4/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, AD 709-711. Ϻ N IHS CHS REX-REGNANTIUM, facing bust of youthful Christ, with slight beard and tight, curly hair, wearing pallium and colobium, right hand raised in benediction, book of Gospels cradled in left arm; cross behind / Ϻ N IYSTINI-AN-ϺS ET TIBERIϺS PP A, crowned facing half-length figures of Justinian II (on left), bearded, and Tiberius (on right), slightly smaller and beardless, both wearing divitision and chlamys, jointly holding cross potent on two steps. Sear 1415. DOC 2b.

*Upon his return to power from exile, Justinian II immediately resumed his innovative coinage featuring an obverse portrait of Christ. The new sacred image, however, was distinctly different from the "classic" Christ of Justinian's first reign. Jesus is shown in a seemingly more youthful guise, with a head of tight, curly hair and a close-cropped beard, in place of the long tresses and medium-length beard on coins of the first reign. Various theories have been put forth to explain this abrupt change in iconography, but it remains mysterious.*  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

Finest Known Specimen



**31040 Philippicus (Bardanes) (AD 711-713). AV solidus (20mm, 4.44 gm, 5h). NGC Gem MS★ 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 10th officina. d N FILEPICVS-M $\Psi$ L-T $\Psi$ S AN, globus cruciger in right hand, scepter surmounted by eagle and star in left / VICTORIA-AV $\Psi$  I, cross potent set upon three steps; CONOB below. Sear 1447. DOC 1. MIB 1. Rare! Minor obverse die break, otherwise an absolutely perfect specimen, crisply struck from fresh dies and fully lustrous. Quite likely the finest-known example!

*Ex Lexington Collection of Jonathan K. Kern (Heritage Auction, NYINC 3037, 4 January 2015), lot 30988*

*Part of a debilitating string of short-lived rulers, Bardanes was a general of Armenian origins who was proclaimed Emperor upon the final overthrow of Justinian II. Almost immediately, he alienated the clergy and populace by reviving the Monothelete heresy (proposing that Christ had a single, divine nature and will) which had supposedly been stamped out decades previously. He was also unsuccessful in stopping Arab and Bulgarian advances, prompting the Byzantine army to depose and blind him after 18 months of ineffective rule. He was replaced by the finance minister Artemius, who reigned as Anastasius II. This extraordinary piece shows the unusually fine artistry employed on the coinage for so ephemeral a reign, showing the emperor holding two symbols of office dating back to Roman times: The globus cruciger and scipio aquila, a scepter topped by an eagle. The grade of Gem MS★ is the highest possible grade assigned by NGC to an ancient coin.*

Starting Bid: \$2,000

Finest Certified



**31041 Theodosius III Adramyrium (AD 715-717). AV solidus (19mm, 4.48 gm, 5h). NGC Gem MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 1st officina. d N Th $\Theta$ do-SI $\Psi$ S M $\Psi$ L A, crowned facing bust of Theodosius III, wearing loros, patriarchal cross on globe in right hand, akakia in left / VICTORIA AV $\Psi$  A, cross potent on three steps; CONOB below. Sear 1487. DOC 2.2, 1. Immaculate, prooflike surfaces.

*Ex Classical Numismatic Group, Auction 90 (23 May 2012), lot 1924*

Starting Bid: \$3,500

## ANNAM



- 31042** Thieu Tri gold “Two Principles” 2 Tien ND (1841-1848) AU53 NGC, KM333, Fr-15, Schr-281. Obv. “THIEU TRI THONG BAO.” Rev. “NHI NGHI” (the two principles) at 12 and 6 o’clock. Moon and clouds on right and left side of central square hole. Exhibiting some slight waviness to the flan as is usual for issue, though otherwise a highly presentable example of this extremely rare type with only shallow wear and a pleasing ‘antiqued’ tone. We note that a similar example in our January 2018 auction brought \$10,200.  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

## AUSTRALIA



- 31043** George VI Proof Crown 1937 PR63 NGC, Melbourne mint, KM34. The first year of Australia’s two Crown types, and an important piece of Australian numismatic history, having been struck in a Proof mintage limited to only 100 pieces. Dressed in scattered and pleasingly interwoven tones of silver, russet, and charcoal, lending an appropriately aged appearance to the shimmering fields.  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

## AUSTRIA



**31044** Franz Joseph I gold 1/2 Krone 1859-A MS62 NGC, Vienna mint, KM2251, J-314. The single certified example in NGC's database, an extremely rare fractional Krone with fully Prooflike fields and eye-catching lemon-gold color. One or two copper spots are noted for completeness, but do not detract from this Mint State piece.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

**31045** Franz Joseph I gold 1/2 Krone 1866-A MS62 NGC, Vienna mint, KM2252, J-318. Immediately appealing for its watery fields and sharp portrait, a smattering of contact marks in the fields but not enough to obscure the brightness of the planchet. A very rare and scarcely seen type.  
Starting Bid: \$2,500



**31046 Franz Joseph I gold Krone 1858-A MS63 NGC**, Vienna mint, KM2253, J-315. An extremely rare type in any condition, this being the first example of the date we have offered. Simply superb conditionally as well, displaying fully Prooflike surfaces that indicate its having been struck from very fresh dies. The reverse exhibits a light sea-green tone around the peripheries, only adding to the desirability of this piece.  
Starting Bid: \$3,500

**31047 Franz Joseph I gold Krone 1859-A MS61 NGC**, Vienna mint, KM2253, J-315. A splendid example of this incredibly elusive type, lightly reflectively throughout and permeated with a faint tinge of light marigold. Sure to excite the collector of Austrian rarities.  
Starting Bid: \$3,000



**31048** Franz Joseph I gold Krone 1863-A MS61 NGC, Vienna mint, KM2253, J-315. True Mint State yet with decidedly prooflike elements, the fields of this rare offering dazzle the viewer with glossy reflectivity, the planchet a light dandelion-yellow with minimal tone. Almost never encountered at auction and highly desirable thus.  
Starting Bid: \$3,000

**31049** Franz Joseph I gold Krone 1866-A MS61 NGC, Vienna mint, KM2255, J-319. Deeply Prooflike, the strike razor-sharp, the portrait chiseled, and the devices as a whole well-frosted and heavily contrasted to the mirrored fields. A one-year type with a mintage of only 3,000 pieces, representing the first we have seen to date.  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

## Rare Rounded Shield Variety



- 31050** Franz Joseph gold “Rounded Shield” 20 Corona 1916 MS60 NGC, Vienna mint, KM2818, Fr-510, J-387. Rounded shield variety. Extremely rare, representing the final date of the series and the last to bear the “rounded shield” design over the reverse eagle, with a switch in production to the “Austrian shield” type occurring later in the same year. Though 71,763 were originally produced, it is clear that few of these survive in better states of preservation, with Mint State examples considered to be of particular scarcity; accordingly, the present example, fully uncirculated and graced with shimmering cartwheel luster, represents an item of clear numismatic importance, and it is certainly destined to rank as a clear “star” in whatever collection it will ultimately become part of.  
Starting Bid: \$5,000

## BRAZIL

## Exceedingly Elusive Dutch-Brazilian 'Ducat'



- 31051 Pernambuco. Dutch Colony - Geotroyeede West-Indische Compagnie (GWC) gold Klippe 6 Guilders (Florins) 1646 MS61 NGC, KM6.3, Fr-2, LMB-4. 3.76gm. Lozenge after BRASIL, period after VI. Crudely produced, but exhibiting quite a stronger strike and better centering than many examples, the beaded circular border nearly complete on both sides and the flan evenly squared. A soft matte luster permeates the surfaces. Very rare so fine.**

During the period of Dutch colonization of Brazil (1630-1654), three gold Klippe denominations—of 3, 6, and 12 Guilders—were minted in the Captaincy of Pernambuco for use within Brazil. However, these issues were not legal tender in the Netherlands, and thus any such pieces that made their way to Europe were exchanged for Dutch Guilders and subsequently melted. Additionally, any such pieces remaining in Brazil after 1654, when the Dutch were finally ousted from South America, would have been melted, as after this period any Portuguese or Brazilian found with a Dutch coin ran the risk of being considered a traitor and hanged. As a consequence, the survival of such pieces at all, let alone in Mint State, is extremely uncommon, marking a special opportunity not to be missed by collectors of the Dutch colonial and Brazilian series alike.  
Starting Bid: \$7,500



**31052** João V gold 4000 Reis 1709-R MS64 NGC, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM102, LMB-176. By far the finer of just two certified examples within NGC's database, none seen by PCGS. The obverse has been marvelously struck with only one small area of weakness where an adjustment mark created a groove; the remainder is absolutely needle-sharp with abundant mint luster. The reverse is somewhat softer with evidence of double striking but nonetheless remains strong for issue. An unbeatable Brazilian near-gem. Starting Bid: \$2,500

**31053** João V gold 4000 Reis 1714-R MS64 NGC, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM102, LMB-166. Sitting at the peak of quality for type, this offering currently holds the highest certification by NGC or PCGS. Certainly worthy of its near gem grade, the surfaces exhibit numerous delicate die-polish lines adding a slight matte texture to their otherwise lustrous sheen, the devices far more bold than is usually encountered; the planchet is primarily a buttercup-yellow in color, hints of sunset-orange tone forming at the peripheries. Starting Bid: \$2,500



- 31054 João V gold 12800 Reis (Dobra) 1727-M AU Details (Cleaned)**  
 NGC, Minas Gerais mint, KM139, LMB-285. From a short-lived series of just seven dates (1727-33), and the first year of issue for this hefty gold denomination based on the 8 Escudos. A not unattractive representation of this scarce type, a prior cleaning rendering the surfaces brighter than normal but without too much in the way of distracting contact marks or hairlines. A faint orangish tint pervading the fields and climbing onto the curls of the artistic obverse portrait hints at the beginnings of a retoning. Starting Bid: \$1,500



- 31055 João V gold 12800 Reis (Dobra) 1730-B AU Details (Cleaned)**  
 NGC, Bahia mint, KM141, LMB-101. Second Shield type. An impressive selection despite the details assignment, showing amber hues throughout the golden surfaces and even wear across the central features. Scattered handling marks are essentially expected at this level and evidence of hairlining blends well into the underlying tone. Rare, and very much coveted in all conditions, this Dobra struck at the Bahia mint eludes many important collections and even when presented in a details classification should not be overlooked. Starting Bid: \$5,000



- 31056** João V gold 20000 Reis 1724-M AU58 NGC, Minas Gerais mint, KM117, LMB-248. An offering of both immense quality and stature, representing the largest gold denomination of João V's reign in a degree of preservation to match. The fields, glowing with golden luster throughout, carry an unmistakable near-mint appeal, with an essential absence of any instances of handling that could be considered truly distracting, the only impression upon close examination being one of great allure, this feeling only heightened by the uniform boldness of the devices, which extends to every facet of the struck design.  
Starting Bid: \$3,000

- 31057** João V gold 20000 Reis 1725-M MS63 NGC, Minas Gerais mint, KM117, LMB-249. Highly unusual in choice grade, this charming piece boasts significant luster across the sharply impressed surfaces, the strike central and far crisper than one usually sees for the type. Very light hints of honey tone are forming at the peripheries, breaking into the uniform butter-gold centers and bolstering the eye appeal. An outlier for the type; of the 66 examples of this year graded by NGC, just three are more highly certified than this. Accordingly this piece represents nearly the ceiling of quality for issue.  
Starting Bid: \$3,500

## CHINA



- 31058** Republic Sun Yat-sen “Birds Over Junk” Dollar Year 21 (1932) MS64 NGC, KM-Y344, L&M-108. A gorgeous representative of this popular issue, surfaces exhibiting a stormy blend of argent luster and smoke gray iridescence. The relatively shallow depth of the engraving has allowed for a full rendering of the devices, the entirety finished with a satin texture lacking any distracting marks or significant hairlines. Choice even for its near gem grade, the last of this type we handled in this certification brought \$16,920 at our January 2020 sale, and the magnificent eye appeal this specimen commands will surely elicit similarly strong collector attention.  
Starting Bid: \$3,000



- 31059** Republic Sun Yat-sen “Junk” Dollar Year 23 (1934) MS66 NGC, KM-Y345, L&M-109. A marvelous example of this iconic type, displaying a veritable bloom of satiny argent luster that traverses the surfaces, essentially unobstructed by handling. A finely laid silvery patina graces the fields while adding an element of originality and visual appeal rarely seen for this type, usually capped below gem grades by regular handling and contact. This selection remains one of the finest seen by both NGC and PCGS. Out of a total population for the date that currently exceeds 62,000 only nine certify finer, rendering this offering a top-quality example in all respects.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

## FRANCE



- 31060** Anglo-Gallic. Henry VI (1422-1461) gold Salut d'or ND (1423-1453) MS67+ NGC, Saint Lo mint, Lis mm, Fr-301, Dup-443A, Elias-271, W&F-387A 2/b. 3.50gm. (lis) hCIRICVS: DEI: GRA: FRACORV: Z: AGLIC: RCX, Virgin Mary (on left) and Archangel Gabriel (on right) standing behind shields of France and England, respectively, scroll with AVE (written downwards) in between, rays above / (lis) XPC' ★ VIIICIT ★ XPC' ★ REGIAT ★ XPC' ★ ImPCRAT, Latin cross within tressure, lis to left, lion to right, h below. The single highest graded specimen of this type by NGC or PCGS - which will come as no great surprise. The fact that a piece of this age has survived in such fantastic premium gem condition is simply extraordinary. Seemingly pristine, close inspection with a loupe only revealing one tiny surface scratch to the reverse, the remainder flawless and coated with gentle canary-yellow luster; for the grade-conscious collector of Medieval gold, look no further for quality.  
Starting Bid: \$3,000

## Presumably Unique Engraved Gold 5 Francs



**31061 Louis XVIII gold Engraved Off-Metal Strike 5 Francs 1820-A AU Details (Obverse Graffiti) NGC, Paris mint, KM-Unl., VG-Unl., Maz-Unl. (cf. Maz-742 for gold striking dated 1819), Gad-Unl. (cf. Gad-614 for gold striking dated 1815). 37mm. 35.74gm. By Auguste-François Michaut. Edge: DOMINE SALVUM FAC REGEM (incuse). Engraved: EMILIE DU RAIS - GEORGES LEBEL - 27 MARS 1876. By all measures an absolutely singular piece, entirely undocumented by Mazard, Gadoury, or VG. While a variety of gold 5 Francs essais are known from Louis's reign as part of a mint design competition between engravers Michaut, Jacques, and Gatteaux, we know of no documented specimens from this date and none with a lettered rather than plain edge. Favored for his choice of an advantageous portrait of the somewhat portly monarch compared to his competitors—and certainly pandering even more so with the pro-monarchist edge inscription (which translates to “God save the King”)—Michaut's patterns would most likely have served as presentation pieces executed for the King or a member of the royal court.**

Engraved on the obverse, this specimen adds yet a further degree of provenance and historical intrigue, presented to Marie-Georges Lebel and Emilie-Eugenie du Rais on their wedding in 1876 after over 50 years in one of their family's possession. Lebel, a lawyer at the Paris Court of Appeal, Conference Secretary (Secrétaire de la Conférence) from 1872-1873, and a member of the Council of Order from 1899, and was set to receive the Knight's Cross of the Legion of Honor, France's highest order, shortly before his death in 1918. The coin has remained in Lebel's family until now, marking its first ever auction appearance.

Despite being designated as graffiti, the engraving is handsomely executed with the utmost care taken not to interrupt the coin's natural design. While admitting some light handling in-line with its history as a treasured wedding gift and family heirloom, the overall execution is superb, without evidence of mounting or serious damage. Though any suggestion of a value is necessarily speculation, we note that Chaponniere & Firmenich offered an 1817 gold striking of the same design in their July 2017 Auction 8, which brought the equivalent of \$43,747 (lot 135). Reserve: \$7,500



- 31062 Republic gold Proof 5 Francs 1889-A PR63 NGC**, Paris mint, KM829, Fr-595. Mintage: 40. A very scarce French gold Proof type, its surfaces enchantingly glossy with only the most trivial of contact marks defining its certified grade. The obverse portrait of Ceres is lightly frosted and barely exhibits any evidence of handling whatsoever, giving an immediately captivating aesthetic effect. According to Mazard, the small C under the value on the reverse stands for "centenaire"—in other words, this piece was struck in honor of the centenary of the French revolution. Starting Bid: \$2,500

- 31063 Republic gold Proof Piefort 50 Francs 1974 PR67 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM-P510. A magnificent example of this hefty Piefort type that draws from the classic Hercules design of 19th-century French coinage, boasting near-flawless surfaces that appear to exhibit even fewer flaws than one might expect for this already lofty certified grade. Deeply mirrored and very desirable, one of only 241 pieces struck. Starting Bid: \$2,000

**31064 Republic 9-Piece Uncertified gold Partial Proof Piefort Set 1979,**

- 1) Centime, KM-P624
- 2) 5 Centimes, KM-P627
- 3) 10 Centimes, KM-P630
- 4) 20 Centimes, KM-P633
- 5) 1/2 Franc, KM-P636
- 6) Franc, KM-P639
- 7) 2 Francs, KM-P642
- 8) 5 Francs, KM-P646
- 9) 10 Francs, KM-P649

Paris mint. An impressive set of Piefort rarities, each sealed in the original mint plastic, and missing only the 50 Francs. The set is sold with the original case of issue and includes COAs for each included denomination. (Total: 9 coins)  
Starting Bid: \$3,500

**31065 Republic 10-Piece Certified gold Proof Piefort Set 1979 NGC,**

- 1) Centime - PR68 Ultra Cameo, KM-P624
- 2) 5 Centimes - PR68 Ultra Cameo, KM-P627
- 3) 10 Centimes - PR69 Ultra Cameo, KM-P630
- 4) 20 Centimes - PR69 Ultra Cameo, KM-P633
- 5) 1/2 Franc - PR69, KM-P636
- 6) Franc - PR69, KM-P639
- 7) 2 Francs - PR70, KM-P642
- 8) 5 Francs - PR69, KM-P646
- 9) 10 Francs - PR69, KM-P649
- 10) 50 Francs - PR68 Ultra Cameo, KM-P651

Paris mint. One of France's most popular modern Proof sets, an immense Piefort assemblage in essentially flawless condition. Only 300 sets were issued. (Total: 10 coins)  
Starting Bid: \$6,000





**31066 Republic 10-Piece Uncertified gold Proof Piefort Set 1979,**

- 1) Centime, KM-P624
- 2) 5 Centimes, KM-P627
- 3) 10 Centimes, KM-P630
- 4) 20 Centimes, KM-P633
- 5) 1/2 Franc, KM-P636
- 6) Franc, KM-P639
- 7) 2 Francs, KM-P642
- 8) 5 Francs, KM-P646
- 9) 10 Francs, KM-P649
- 10) 50 Francs, KM-P651

Paris mint. A remarkable and complete set of Piefort issues, all sealed in the original mint plastic and kept with the accompanying certificates of authenticity. Most of these sets have been split apart over the years, rendering a full and untouched group a particularly rare occurrence and an opportunity that should not be ignored. The set is sold with the original "Monnaie de Paris" case of issue. (Total: 10 coins)  
Starting Bid: \$5,000

## GERMAN EAST AFRICA



- 31067 German Colony. Wilhelm II gold 15 Rupien 1916-T MS64** NGC, Tabora mint, KM16.2. Arabesque below the T in "OSTAFRIKA" variety. A notably better representative of this German colonial type featuring well-kept surfaces showcasing bright mint luster and a subtle yet uniform presence of planchet adjustment, visible at an angle though in no way obscuring the unique and well-presented design motifs. Tied for the second-finest grade seen by NGC to-date, and a clear target for collectors of the African and European colonial series.  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

## GERMAN STATES

## BAMBERG



- 31068 Bamberg. Johann Philipp Anton gold Ducat 1746 AU58 NGC**, Nürnberg mint, KM114, Fr-169, Krug-404. Mintage unlisted in the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*. Mild friction in the fields indicates brief circulation, yet the completeness of the detail remaining is unquestionable, showing only light rub to the higher points, with the central features surrounded by shimmering golden brilliance in the fields. A scarce type, rarely found on auction, and the first example of this single-year issue that we have had the privilege to offer. Starting Bid: \$2,000



## Beautifully Styled Bavarian 5 Ducat



- 31070** Bavaria. Maximilian II Emanuel gold 5 Ducat ND (1685) UNC Details (Edge Filing) NGC, Munich mint, KM342, Fr-215, Hauser-51. 17.36gm. A lustrous and fully Mint State selection of this broad multiple ducat featuring the distinctively styled dual portraits of the Elector Maximilian II and Maria Antonia, Archduchess of Austria. Though rim filing is noted for the sake of accuracy, the fact has little bearing on the charm that this luxurious selection offers, with its scintillating golden fields and vivid designs, these showing tremendous clarity of detail down to even the smallest facets of its ornate reverse detailing. Though light signs of contact are noted, as one would expect for any coin of the age, the presentation remains one of admirable quality, as the expansive raised design elements leave little room for any greater instances of handling in the fields to deter the eye. A very rare opportunity to acquire such a presentable representative of a doubtlessly elusive type, and, with certainty, a coin worthy of inclusion in even greatest cabinet of German or world rarities. Sold with old collector's tag.  
Starting Bid: \$10,000

BRUNSWICK-WOLFENBÜTTEL



**31071 Bavaria. Maximilian III Joseph gold 5 Ducat 1747 MS61 NGC**, Munich mint, KM493, Fr-245. 17.47gm. A superb representative of this gold multiple ducat featuring the conjoined regal busts of Maximilian III, Duke of Bavaria and Prince-elect of the Holy Roman Empire, and his wife, Maria Amalia of Austria, the daughter of Holy Roman Emperor Joseph I. A light and uniform scattering of handling establishes the assigned grade, while the surfaces are illuminated by golden light, possessed of a watery character that enables a gentle flow of luster to enliven every portion of the fields upon a turn of the wrist. Without a doubt, a coin to be experienced in hand, and a lovely representative of this beautiful and unique type. Sold with old collector's tag. Starting Bid: \$3,500

**31072 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel. Karl II gold 10 Taler 1829-CvC MS62 NGC**, Brunswick mint, KM1115, Fr-742, J-319, D&S-60. Bust left. A scarce type only infrequently offered on the numismatic market, and the first we have seen since 2015 - one which, at the time, was the first that we had offered on auction. Though the exact mintage is not evident, the issue is decidedly difficult to locate, particularly so in uncirculated condition, rendering the present specimen a desirable selection of German numismatics. Lightly toned, with underlying luster, and featuring a sharp portrayal of a uniformed Karl II. Starting Bid: \$2,000

MECKLENBURG-STRELITZ



**31073** Mecklenburg-Strelitz. Adolph Friedrich V gold 20 Mark 1905-A MS61 PCGS, Berlin mint, KM117, J-240. A one-year type with an exceedingly low mintage of only 1,000 pieces. Exhibiting lightly reflective surfaces with just the slightest haze and scattering contact marks—bounding the assigned grade, though providing no serious visual detriment, while the piece preserves a uniformly pale yellow. Rarely offered in any condition, this being the first example of the type we have seen and the finest example certified by PCGS. Starting Bid: \$2,500

GREAT BRITAIN



**31074** Edward III (1327-1377) gold Noble ND (1346-1351) MS62 PCGS, London mint, Cross pattée mm, Pre-Treaty period, S-1481, N-1110, Schneider-Unl. 7.73gm. One of the first Noble types to be struck after the Florin coinage of 1344 - extremely rare in any condition, let alone Mint State. Only a handful of third period Nobles have sold in recent years, and of these few the present offering would appear to be among the finest, substantiated by its being the sole piece certified by either NGC or PCGS. Crisply struck, the obverse slightly doubled, the reverse absolutely pristine and with an intriguing feature: diagonal wire-thin lines running through the devices, presumably some form of die-sinker's guide yet an element the cataloguer has never before seen. Dimly lustrous and clearly scarcely handled, perhaps the only chance collectors will have to obtain a specimen of this rare issue in such exalted grade. Starting Bid: \$3,000

Finest Known Elizabeth I Ship Ryal



**31075 Elizabeth I (1558-1603) gold “Ship” Ryal of 15 Shillings ND (1584-1586) MS64 PCGS, Tower mint, Escallop mm, Sixth issue, S-2530, N-2004, cf. Schneider-785. 7.77gm.** Absolutely spectacular, a piece whose very survival seems miraculous; one of the rarest and most popular coins of Elizabeth I’s reign, absent from most British collections in any condition, yet preserved here to an unprecedented standard.

Every collector of hammered British gold will be familiar with this intensely sought-after issue, designed with charming medieval style imagery and Lombardic lettering. The Ryal was always a slightly controversial type, representing an attempt during Edward IV’s first reign to simplify the confusion of circulating gold denominations by producing the equivalent of a ‘Half Sovereign’ worth 10 Shillings. However, as the Noble of 6 Shillings 8 Pence was by then the accepted standard, the Ryal was ultimately unsuccessful and replaced shortly afterwards by the famous Angel. Despite its initial unpopularity, the 10 Shilling Ryal reared its head once again in Henry VII’s reign, and again in Mary’s reign (then worth 15 Shillings to match the 30 Shilling Sovereign). By the time of Elizabeth’s reign it was a far from necessary denomination and was produced solely for trade in the Netherlands, in a failed attempt to extract profit from the arbitrarily higher price Ryals traded for in the Low Countries.

This selection is simply extraordinary to behold, its buttercup-yellow surfaces pristine and glowing with residual mint luster. Perfectly and centrally struck, Elizabeth’s portrait slightly weak and correspondingly soft on the reverse, yet a clearly uncirculated and untouched example with an incredibly sharp and ‘mint fresh’ appearance. Only a handful of Elizabeth Ship Ryals are ever seen at auction; we have sold just one previous example, an XF45 graded piece in our January sale this year which realized \$72,000. Of the few others known, the present specimen is by far the finest. When offered in May 2015, it brought an all-time record price of over \$180,000 hammer. Now fully certified as the single highest graded example by NGC or PCGS by three points, we can only speculate on the excitement this immaculate, near-gem ultimate rarity will generate.

Ex. Baldwin’s Auction 93 (May 2015, Lot 129)  
Starting Bid: \$30,000



## Outstanding Triple Unite



- 31076 Charles I gold Triple Unite 1644 MS62+ NGC**, Oxford mint, Plume mm, S-2729, N-2385, Brooker-841 (same dies). 27.00gm. Of utmost desirability and rarity, one of the finest extant examples of England's largest hammered gold coin produced in the early stages of the English Civil War of 1642-49. Highly sought after in any grade, the present piece represents the single second-from-highest graded example by NGC or PCGS, and combines this exalted preservation with undeniable medalllic skill and fascinating numismatic history.

Prior to the war, Charles's coinage was almost uniformly poorly-struck, irregular-flanned and as crude as the contemporary Spanish 'pieces of eight'. Certainly, some experiments into milled coinage were being undertaken by Nicholas Briot, but in general Charles's coinage represents a very weak era for the output of the Royal Mint. However - this all changed once Charles left London and hostilities gradually began to take shape. Whilst numerous cities and towns began to declare their loyalty for either Royalists or Parliament, both sides proceeded to mint their own coins so as not to lose grasp of circulating currency and thus risk a breakdown of order. Indeed, coinage underpinned civilization to such an extent that even besieged castles and strongholds resorted to creating their own coins from salvaged plate silver. Parliament's coins were largely similar to the pre-existing regal issue, crudely struck and irregular. Charles, meanwhile, decided that coins were a perfect means of spreading his message and demonstrating his value - and thus he went on to produce exceptionally fine, large-sized pieces of gold and silver bearing his 'Wellington Declaration', stating to his people and Parliament that despite all appearances he upheld "the Protestant religion, the laws of England and the Liberty of Parliament".

Of all Charles's 'Declaration' coins, none are so impressive nor celebrated as the Triple Unite represented here in incredible Mint State. Many die varieties exist for this denomination, some rarer than others, but the present piece exhibits what is perhaps the most appealing and high-quality depiction of Charles; bearing a sword in his right hand and an olive branch in his left, the King holds both war and peace in his hands. Close inspection of the surfaces show a concerted effort for high-quality production, numerous die-polish lines yet no rust, evidence for a triple strike in the legends to fully render the intricately engraved devices. Deeply toned to a buttery aged-gold hue, faint sparkles of luster dancing under a mist of patina, every element of the strike crisp and presentable. The J. G. Brooker plate example of this same die pairing was offered in our August 2015 sale; graded AU58, that specimen realized \$250,000. We are proud to host this far finer specimen, and do not doubt that its beauty, rarity and supreme quality will earn it a place in a world class collection of British gold.

Starting Bid: \$40,000



## The Celebrated “Reddite” Pattern Crown by Thomas Simon



**31077 Charles II silver Proof Pattern “Reddite” Crown 1663 PR35 PCGS, S-3354B, ESC-431 (R5), L&S-7.** By Thomas Simon. Struck en medaille, edge reads REDDITE . QVÆ . CÆSARIS . CÆSARI & CT. POST, followed by a sun appearing out of a cloud. One of the most famous rarities of the English milled series – the ‘Reddite’ Crown, produced in 1663 by Thomas Simon in conjunction with his Petition Crown of the same dies, widely regarded as his masterpiece and perhaps the most finely engraved coin in Britain’s history.

Multiple efforts to introduce milled coinage to Britain were made in the 16th and 17th centuries, for the most part to counteract the effects of clipping (as the irregular hammered issues were too easy a target for this unscrupulous practice) which had plagued coinage for centuries. It was only after the English civil war of 1642-51 and establishment of the Commonwealth of England that milled coins became a priority, resulting in a handful of 1651 milled patterns and ultimately in the Cromwell portrait coinage of 1656-58. The engraving for these high-quality pieces was undertaken by the young Thomas Simon, appointed joint chief engraver in 1645 at the age of around 22; after impressing parliament through his great seal of the Commonwealth, he was made chief engraver to the Royal Mint. Simon’s coins were notable for featuring an edge inscription, the ultimate guard against clipping and edge filing.

In 1658 Oliver Cromwell died, and two years later the monarchy was restored with the return of Charles II. Initially Simon produced various medalettes and coronation pieces for the King, yet in 1662 the Dutch John Roettiers was appointed by the Tower Mint as chief engraver. Having spent over a decade demonstrating his skill, this infuriated Simon; however, it was this long service to the anti-Royalist Commonwealth which likely led to Charles ending Simon’s Royal patronage. In order to reinstate himself as the foremost medallist in England, Simon produced his Petition Crown with three varying edge inscriptions, including the present “Reddite” type. Needless to say, what he created is still thought to be one of Britain’s foremost pieces of medallic art.

The Petition Crown bore a two-line edge inscription to the King encouraging him to compare his exemplary work with that of Roettiers – the present piece carries a different inscription which gives it its name, translating to “Render to Caesar, the things which are Caesar’s” and features an image of the sun emerging from behind a cloud in reference to the Restoration of the monarchy after the Commonwealth period. It can be interpreted that the Reddite inscription implies considerable arrogance on Simon’s part, stating that the role of chief engraver was his by right and that he was conquering Roettiers’ attempt through his skill. However, this pride was not misplaced, and despite Simon not regaining his control over the Tower mint engraving, the Roettiers depiction of Charles’s portrait almost immediately began to resemble Simon’s from 1664 onwards.

Supposedly just ten examples of the Reddite Crown are known, at least three of which are held by museums and are thus not available for commerce. Of the remainder, most have encountered heavy handling or other hardships. The present selection exhibits moderate wear with some scratches and handling marks in the fields; yet even with this loss of highpoint detail, the intricacy and elegance of the designs are breathtaking and the minute stippling within the legends and Charles’s drapery (a trademark of Simon’s) is still easily apparent. The planchet has toned to a deep gunmetal gray, charcoal elements cloaking the devices and further enhancing the visual appeal. Demand for this celebrated British Crown far, far outstrips supply, and this may represent one of the few opportunities high-tier collectors will have to add an example to their collection.

Ex. Rowley Butters Collection (St James Auction 9, 18th June 2008, lot 334); Dr. D. Rees-Jones Collection (Spink Coin Auction 117, 19 November 1996, lot 118); Spink Numismatic Circular, March 1990, no. 1107; Norweb Collection (Spink Coin Auction 48, 13 November 1985, lot 442); Private transaction to Norweb family, July 1962, USA; G.R. Blake, Seaby Coin and Medal Bulletin, June 1957; Seaby Coin and Medal Bulletin, March 1948, item CR79; H.E.G. Paget, Glendining (25 September, 1947, lot 230); T.B. Clarke-Thornhill Collection (Glendining, 27 May 1937, lot 605); Richard Cyril Lockett Collection (Sotheby’s, 28 May 1927, lot 55); J. P. Morgan Collection; Sir John Evans Collection  
Starting Bid: \$30,000

## Sharply Struck 5 Guineas



- 31078** James II gold 5 Guineas 1687 MS60 NGC, KM460.1, Fr-292, S-3397A. TERTIO edge, indicating the third year of reign. An important issue of this heavily-demanded denomination, struck during the exceedingly short reign of James II, who ascended to power in early 1685 only to be overthrown and exiled to France during the Glorious Revolution of 1688 three years later, the aftermath of which brought about a permanent realignment of power within the English constitution. Quite conservatively graded, lightly Prooflike and incredibly struck, exhibiting extraordinarily sharp detail for the type and with no real surface wear to speak of. The fields are a cheery sun-yellow, with faint hints of peach and sea green visible under direct lighting. The finest example of the date we have handled and quite rare in any Mint State grade, with only one example graded higher by NGC, in MS61. Starting Bid: \$20,000



**31079** William & Mary gold “Elephant & Castle” 5 Guineas 1691 XF40 PCGS, KM479.2, S-3423. TERTIO edge. Moderately circulated, a highly collected African gold multiple Guinea with vivid dandelion-yellow color. Numerous small abrasions and some light rub have dulled the central surfaces over time, yet the peripheries exhibit vibrant mint luster in the recesses, the majority of the legends and jugate portraits retaining near-full detail. Starting Bid: \$3,000



**31080** William III gold Guinea 1701 MS63 PCGS, KM498.1, S-3463. Second bust. William III's coinage generally shows inelegant production and clear evidence of circulation. As such, the survival of this Guinea is absolutely astounding, its surfaces barely marked and its mint bloom fully present. Some flecking is present on the reverse (a common feature of this type), but does not distract from the exceptional quality of this choice Mint State piece. We last sold this same coin in our August 2016 sale for \$11,000 hammer. Starting Bid: \$4,000

Superb Mint State George I 5 Guineas



**31081** George I gold 5 Guineas 1716 MS60 NGC, KM547, S-3626. A truly exceptional example of George I's first 5 Guineas, essentially unseen in Mint State and generally residing at mid-AU levels or, usually, much lower. When one considers the 5 Guinea series as a whole, one sees George I pieces appear at auction far less frequently than others; indeed, it may well be the most difficult type to obtain in any grade. This issue was somewhat shallowly engraved and habitually softly struck, and as such to encounter an example of this sharpness and quality is extremely unusual. George's portrait is fully rendered and free from wear, its surrounding fields glossy and gently reflective. Besides a minor edge flaw and light contact in the fields, this piece is immaculate and seemingly worthy of an even higher MS grade. However, besides its technical quality it is its toning which steals the show, blazing red iridescence flooding the peripheries of the obverse and the entirety of the reverse, blending with the original luster and creating an intense rosy brightness. Gold, being so unreactive, rarely develops such an appealing and vibrant patina and always generates considerable admiration when it does.

Only one other 1716 example has been more highly certified than this in NGC's census with the next highest graded AU50. Additionally, auction record shows just one Mint State specimen of George I's 5 Guineas of any year having been sold within the last two decades, an MS61 graded 1717-dated piece which realized over \$130,000 hammer in January of this year. Accordingly, it is fair to say that even the uppermost-tier of British collections likely lack a Mint State George I 5 Guineas, and as such dedicated collectors should not miss their chance to obtain this beloved denomination in such an impressive grade. A veritable numismatic prize of unbeatable eye appeal and near unbeatable quality, and sure to find its place in an elite assemblage of British gold. Starting Bid: \$20,000





**31084** George IV gold 1/2 Sovereign 1826 MS66 NGC, KM700, S-3804. A stunning example of this type, tied with one other specimen for the finest graded by NGC or PCGS. Fully deserving of its premium gem grade, the fields of this delightful offering simply glow with cartwheel luster, not a mark nor a scratch interrupting the sheen, the devices as perfectly crisp as they were when first struck. The planchet carries a pale tiger's eye color without a hint of tone, appearing as if just issued by the mint. An almost unbeatable offering in terms of technical quality. Starting Bid: \$2,000



**31085** William IV gold Proof "Coronation" Medal 1831 PR61 Cameo NGC, BHM-1475, Eimer-1251. 33mm. By William Wyon. Only 1203 examples of this medal were produced in gold, and of this low mintage 238 were subsequently melted, leaving just 965 remaining. Deeply Prooflike, the fields a smooth sun-yellow with a hint of reddish color, and dotted with light contact marks as typical for the type. Rarely found with a Cameo designation and highly desirable as such. Starting Bid: \$2,500

Premium Proof Rarity



**31086 William IV Proof Crown 1831 PR63 PCGS, KM715, S-3833, ESC-2462.** Plain edge, W.W. on truncation. William IV's Crowns were only produced in Proof format with none being produced for circulation; the majority appearing for sale were struck for inclusion in the 1831 Coronation Proof set (such as this piece), with a few rarer examples produced in 1834. The present offering must surely be close to obtaining a 'cameo' designation for its frosted portrait, the fields behind reflective under a layer of iridescent rainbow luster; the striking detail is superb and devoid of wear, the quality decidedly premium for the grade. Seldom encountered as pleasing as this, a superb representative of the type. Starting Bid: \$10,000



**31087 William IV gold Proof 1/2 Sovereign 1831 PR66★ Ultra Cameo NGC, KM716, S-3830, W&R-267 (R3).** Small sized planchet. The best example of this type we have had the pleasure to offer, with a single PR66+ specimen its technical superior in NGC's database (yet lacking the 'star' designation implying an inferior visual appeal) and nothing comparable graded by PCGS. Interestingly, despite the high production standard for this Proof offering, its legends show faint traces of being double-struck, adding a slight numismatic intrigue to what is already an enticing selection. Perfectly finished with mirror fields and matte frosted devices, practically unmatched for quality and certainly for aesthetic effect.

Starting Bid: \$3,000

## Finest Known 1831 Proof Sovereign



- 31088 William IV gold Proof Sovereign 1831 PR66★ Ultra Cameo** NGC, KM717, S-3829B, W&R-261 (R3). Stunning, a premium gem specimen of William's coronation Proof Sovereign unmatched for technical quality with no other examples even graded PR66 let alone with a 'star' in recognition of its eye appeal. William's portrait is picked out with pristine matte frost, its surrounding fields reflective and slightly dimmed through tone, every element fully rendered in line with its select presentation striking. The best of this issue we have handled previously was a PR65 Deep Cameo example in our January 2019 sale which brought \$33,600.  
Starting Bid: \$5,000

## Exceptional William IV Proof Double Sovereign



- 31089 William IV gold Proof 2 Pounds 1831 PR65+★ Ultra Cameo** NGC, KM718, S-3828, W&R-258 (R3). An absolutely gorgeous Proof, the finest 1831 2 Pounds as graded by NGC or PCGS; one other PR65+ has been certified by PCGS, but the present offering boasts the coveted 'star' grade for exceptional eye appeal. It is clear to see how it has received such accolade, its devices luxuriously frosted in contrast to the pristine mirror fields behind, one minute production flaw to the left of the portrait the sole mark of note, the planchet colored a vibrant sun-yellow. We have never offered a piece in this grade level; the previous finest we handled was graded PR64+ Deep Cameo and realized \$37,200 in our April 2019 auction. Essentially the largest denomination collectors can hope to obtain for this monarch, the largest produced as part of William's 1831 coronation Proof set, and in an unmatched state of preservation.  
Starting Bid: \$12,500



**31090** Victoria gold “Coronation” Medal 1838 MS61 NGC, Eimer-1315, BHM-1801. 36.5mm. 30.95gm. By Benedetto Pistrucci. Just 1,369 specimens of this medal were struck, and it remains amongst the most popular of the British gold coronation series. Its engraver, Benedetto Pistrucci, combines elements from some of the most celebrated British coins: the reverse depicting young Victoria seated on her throne beside a lion, being presented the crown by Britannia, Hibernia and Scotia, the ‘three graces’ with arms around one another. On the obverse, we see the sculptured likeness of the 19-year old Victoria rendered proudly from the reflective fields behind. The present example is quite Prooflike and reflective, uniformly hairlined as expected for the grade but nevertheless a premium representative of this heavily demanded type. Starting Bid: \$3,000

## Handsomely Toned Victorian Crown



- 31091** Victoria Proof Crown 1839 PR64 Cameo NGC, KM741, S-3882. Plain edge. Heralding from Victoria's 1839 Proof set (a delayed issue commemorating her coronation in 1837), and by far the most popular silver offering included in this group; indeed, this is likely Britain's most popular Proof set of all time for its wide array of currency and Proof types, most notably the Una and the Lion 5 Pounds. This offering boasts superlative preservation and notably a 'cameo' designation for its gorgeous, gleaming portrait of the young Queen picked out in matte frost, the fields behind darkened through a rich pink-violet tone yet flashing into brilliance when tilted in the light. Exhibiting immense eye appeal and a covetable technical quality, this piece is sure to find its way into an elite collection of high-grade British Crowns. Starting Bid: \$15,000



**31092** Victoria gold Proof 1/2 Sovereign 1887 PR66+ Deep Cameo PCGS, KM766, S-3869, W&R-362. An outstanding piece, amongst the very finest known; out of 171 examples of this type graded by NGC and PCGS combined, just three have been certified above the present selection. Seemingly flawless, its fields glossy with subdued reflectivity, Victoria's jubilee portrait picked out in matte frost against the bright surfaces behind. Extremely rare so well preserved as this.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

**31093** Victoria gold Proof 1/2 Sovereign 1893 PR67 Cameo NGC, KM784, S-3878. Simply superb, the surfaces permeated by strokes of vivid marigold that give way to a delicate bluish sea-green near the peripheries. Well deserving of its assigned grade, boasting outstanding eye appeal and virtually flawless fields. An outstanding representative of this popular issue and highly desirable as such. Certainly one of the finest examples known.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000



**31094** Victoria gold Sovereign 1841 XF45 PCGS, KM736.1, S-3852, Marsh-24 (R3). Unbarred As in GRATIA. From a scant mintage of 124,054 of which very few survive, the 1841 Sovereign remains one of the significant rarities of the British gold series due to the remelting of worn examples. This piece has seen moderate circulation in line with its grade, yet retains pleasing luster in the recesses and has lost little of its original striking detail. A seldom offered date and one sure to elicit significant attention from collectors of this popular denomination.  
Starting Bid: \$3,000

**31095** Victoria gold Proof Sovereign 1887 PR65 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM767, S-3866B. A dazzling gem example of this jubilee Sovereign, sharply-defined borders exhibiting an orange-peel tinge, centers with their original canary-yellow color. Perfectly finished with frosted devices over mirror fields, certainly worthy of its 'Ultra Cameo' designation and immensely appealing in-hand.  
Starting Bid: \$2,500



**31096** Victoria gold Proof Sovereign 1887 PR64 Cameo NGC, KM767, S-3866B. Especially notable for its portrait of Victoria which retains full unbroken frost, the fields of this choice offering exhibit a scattering of minor marks preventing it from reaching a higher certified grade; it nonetheless boasts far above average preservation for type and an attractive aged-gold color. Starting Bid: \$2,000

**31097** Victoria gold Proof 2 Pounds 1887 PR66 Cameo NGC, KM768, S-3865. An extraordinary piece, the sole example in this grade at NGC and the finest with a Cameo designation by two full grades. Lovely sun-yellow fields are virtually flawless and beautifully mirrored, the portrait nearly fully frosted. Certain to attract much attention from collectors of this highly popular Jubilee type. Starting Bid: \$3,000



**31098** Victoria gold Proof 2 Pounds 1887 PR64+ Cameo NGC, KM768, S-3865. Dandelion yellow in the centers darkening to an amber ring at the margins, Victoria's portrait luxuriously coated in frost; the glossiness of the fields in relation to the matte devices seems worthy of an Ultra Cameo designation. A popular one-year type from a mintage of just 797 in Proof, and seldom seen in this lofty near-gem grade. Starting Bid: \$2,500

**31099** Victoria gold Proof 2 Pounds 1887 PR64 Deep Cameo PCGS, KM768, S-3865. The visual appeal of this example of the popular Jubilee type is dominated by superb frosting on the devices, matched only by the depth of the mirrored fields upon which they lie. Nearly gem and scarce as such, especially with such heavy contrast. An admirable specimen. Starting Bid: \$2,000



**31100** Victoria gold Proof 2 Pounds 1893 PR64+ NGC, KM786, S-3873. Immensely watery surfaces dominate the eye appeal of this premium offering, glossy reflectivity tinged a flame-orange with the faintest blue highlights. Victoria's portrait is delicately frosted and seems quite worthy of a 'cameo' designation, with only a few light marks residing in the field preventing this coin from reaching a gem level grade. Starting Bid: \$3,000

Appealing Una and the Lion 5 Pounds



**31101** Victoria gold Proof “Una and the Lion” 5 Pounds 1839 PR62 Cameo PCGS, KM742, S-3851, W&R-278. DIRIGE legend, medal rotation. Small LE, 6 Scrolls. By William Wyon. A coin which needs no introduction, the celebrated Una and the Lion 5 Pounds struck exclusively for inclusion in Victoria’s 1839 Proof set. Famous for its exceptional composition and engraving quality, collector interest has been strong from the moment this type was first struck, and the Royal Mint found it necessary to produce examples to-order for almost 50 years until 1886 in order to meet demand. The present specimen is a superb representative of the type, its fields exhibiting friction marks and hairlines commensurate with its grade, the reverse field showing some more notable abrasions yet none significantly detracting from the overall visual appeal; the devices are only lightly brushed at the highpoints and retain their matte coat of frost in line with the ‘cameo’ designation awarded by PCGS. Arguably the most popular British Proof coin, presented here in near-choice grade. Accompanied by a fitted red leather box produced for a George V coronation medal in 1911, with which this coin has been coupled for many years. Starting Bid: \$75,000



**31102 Victoria 10-Piece Certified gold & silver Partial Proof Set 1887 NGC,**

- 1) 3 Pence - PR65, KM758, S-3931
- 2) 6 Pence - PR63, KM759, S-3928
- 3) Shilling - PR64, KM761, S-3926
- 4) Florin - PR64, KM762, S-3925
- 5) 1/2 Crown - PR65, KM764, S-3924
- 6) Double Florin - PR64, KM763, S-3923
- 7) Crown - PR64, KM765, S-3921
- 8) 1/2 Sovereign - PR65 Ultra Cameo, KM766, S-3869
- 9) Sovereign - PR65 Ultra Cameo, KM767, S-3866B
- 10) 2 Pounds - PR63 Ultra Cameo, KM768, S-3865

cf. KMPS10, cf. S-PS5. An appealing near-complete Proof set, missing only the 5 Pound piece. 1887 marked Victoria's 50 years on the throne, heralding the introduction of a new portrait to succeed her younger 'bun head' series known as her Jubilee coinage, an intricate design presented superbly on this popular set. Impressive together as a set, but each individual coin attractive within its own right as well. The Crown is toned especially nicely, watery fields permeated by vivid blues and reds, with the 3 Pence coming in a close second in terms of eye appeal, with deep violet and cobalt color throughout. Sure to attract significant attention as an opportunity to acquire superb examples of this Jubilee type without breaking the bank for the 5 Pound piece. (Total: 10 coins)  
Starting Bid: \$3,000



**31103 Victoria 11-Piece Certified gold & silver Golden Jubilee Set 1887 NGC,**

- 1) 3 Pence - MS66, KM758, S-3931
- 2) 6 Pence - MS66, KM759, S-3928
- 3) Shilling - MS66+, KM761, S-3926
- 4) Florin - MS65, KM762, S-3925
- 5) 1/2 Crown - MS66, KM764, S-3924
- 6) Double Florin - MS65+, KM763, S-3923
- 7) Crown - MS65, KM765, S-3921
- 8) 1/2 Sovereign - MS63+, KM766, S-3869
- 9) Sovereign - MS64, KM767, S-3866B
- 10) 2 Pounds - MS63+, KM768, S-3865
- 11) 5 Pounds - MS65, KM769, S-3864

An immaculate set of Victoria's 1887 Jubilee currency issues; assemblages like these were put together in jeweler's boxes, but rarely do they survive in such exemplary preservation. The 5 Pounds in particular is remarkably impressive, a true gem with silky cartwheel luster and only trivial field marks; the silver exhibits matching smoky tone with white gold highlights. Each highly appealing and rarely offered as a complete set. (Total: 11 coins)

Starting Bid: \$4,000



- 31104** Edward VII gold Matte Proof 5 Pounds 1902 PR63 PCGS, KM807, S-3966, W&R-40. The largest piece from Edward VII's coronation Proof set, produced with a matte finish giving a mustard-yellow hue to the planchet and reducing the luster to none but a light gleam to the devices. The production process of these types leaves a scattering of hairlines in the fields, often resulting in lower certified grades. As such, for the type this PR63 offering is far above average and will surely appeal to grade conscious collectors of the 5 Pound series.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

## Highest Graded 1911 5 Pounds



- 31105 George V gold Proof 5 Pounds 1911 PR67 NGC, KM822, S-3995.** An extraordinary survivor from George V's coronation Proof set. Out of the 2,812 examples of the 1911 5 Pounds, 317 have been graded by NGC and PCGS combined, and of this number a total of four have been graded at the PR67 or PR67 Cameo level, with none higher. As such, this offering is simply the best of the type one could hope to obtain, its color a far richer honey gold than one usually sees for issue, the fields bearing the usual die polish lines but essentially no evidence of handling whatsoever. With popularity growing year upon year for this Proof-only type, this may be one of the last few opportunities to obtain a top-graded specimen.  
Starting Bid: \$20,000

Stunning George V Coronation Proof Set



**31106 George V 12-Piece Certified gold & silver “Long” Proof Set 1911 NGC,**

- 1) Maundy Penny - PR65, S-4020
- 2) Maundy 2 Pence - PR64, S-4019
- 3) Maundy 3 Pence - PR64, S-4018
- 4) Maundy 4 Pence - PR64, S-4017
- 5) 6 Pence - PR65, S-4014
- 6) Shilling - PR66, S-4013
- 7) Florin - PR65, S-4012
- 8) 1/2 Crown - PR66, S-4011
- 9) 1/2 Sovereign - PR67 Ultra Cameo, S-4006
- 10) Sovereign - PR67 Cameo, S-3996
- 11) 2 Pounds - PR67 Ultra Cameo, S-3995
- 12) 5 Pounds - PR65+ Ultra Cameo, S-3994

KM-PS17, S-PS11. Spectacular, the entirety of George V’s coronation Proofs in exemplary preservation. “Long” and “Short” sets were produced in 1911, the latter omitting the 2 and 5 Pounds; these two denominations are amongst the most popular in the entire British series, and as such the “Long” set is far more popular. The silver components of this set are matched in appearance, a pearl-white with darker charcoal elements cloaking the devices, the fields with some red and cobalt blue tinges. The Halfcrown is particularly attracting and seems conservatively graded even for its premium gem certification. The four gold pieces are stunning, all but the 5 Pounds at incredible PR67 level (with no PR68s of the type certified by either NGC or PCGS) - yet the 5 Pounds has its own exceptional note, being a premium gem and the only Ultra Cameo piece certified by NGC. Not one of these pieces fails to impress, a delightful group accompanied by their original red leather box of issue. (Total: 12 coins)  
 Starting Bid: \$10,000



**31107 George VI 4-Piece Certified gold Proof Set 1937 Ultra Cameo NGC,**

- 1) 1/2 Sovereign - PR66, KM858, S-4077
- 2) Sovereign - PR66, KM859, S-4076
- 3) 2 Pounds - PR66, KM860, S-4075
- 4) 5 Pounds - PR64, KM861, S-4074

KM-PS22, S-PS15. Matched for their perfect Ultra Cameo frosting, an especially high grade representative of this popular 20th century gold Proof set, the three smaller denominations all premium gems and the 5 Pounds impressive for its technical certification. (Total: 4 coins)  
Reserve: \$13,500

## GRENADA



**31108 British Colony gold Counterstamped 66 Shillings ND (1798) VF, cf. KM2 (Rare; with stamped plug), Prid-19 (this coin), cf. Gordon-107. 30mm. 11.60gm. Struck over a contemporary counterfeit Brazil Jose I gold 6400 Reis 1771-R (cf. KM172.2 for official issue). Countermarks and host extremely fine. An intriguing piece, apparently double-regulated, first by the island of Grenada and later by the island of Martinique.**

Following the proclamation by the President of Grenada on 31 July, 1798, Brazilian and Portuguese 6400 Reis (both authentic and forged) weighing at least 9.33gm were plugged with gold in order to raise their weight to a legal specification of 11.66gm so that they could legally pass as 66 Shillings. A margin of error among goldsmiths gave rise to slight variances, though this example is remarkably close to the mandated weight. The plug was then countermarked with the goldsmith's script initials: "IW," "WS," or "JR." Three incuse "G" countermarks were also spaced along the perimeters to prevent clipping, which may be observed on the present example. However, this particular piece is the only known specimen that lacks a countermark on the plug itself.

The addition of a second countermark below the central plug, that of an eagle below the numeral "20", all within a T-shaped indent, would indicate a later counterstamp under the authority of Martinique, following the regulation of 26 September, 1805 valuing these pieces at 22 Livres (cf. KM35). The relative dating of the the different countermarks is further supported by, upon close inspection, the very slightly finer state of preservation of this countermark in comparison to that of the Grenada countermarks and of the host.

Ex. E. Roehrs Collection, Part I (DNW Auction B7, September 2010, Lot 235); R. Strauss Collection (privately purchased from A.P. de Clermont, March 2000); S.A.H. Whetmore Collection, Part I (Glendining Auction, March 1943, Lot 241)  
Starting Bid: \$3,000

GUATEMALA



**31109** Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1778 NG-P AU53 PCGS, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM40, Fr-10, Onza-669. A lustrous and near-uncirculated representative of this very rare date, this selection showing moderate weakness in localized areas, not atypical for the issue, this balanced by the generally superior surface preservation displayed throughout. Currently the finest of only two examples of the issue seen by PCGS, with NGC similarly having certified none in uncirculated condition. Thus a prime opportunity for the rarity seeking collector of the Latin American series, and an item of great importance in both Guatemalan and, more broadly, Spanish colonial numismatics. Starting Bid: \$7,000

**31110** Republic gold 16 Pesos 1863-R AU55 NGC, Guatemala mint, KM183, Fr-31. Large planchet variety. Mintage: 459. One of the famed rarities of the Guatemalan numismatic series. Reportedly only a three-year type struck in 1863-1865, Carlos Jara has reported that he knows of no surviving examples of either of the latter two dates. While several additional examples of the 1863 were discovered in the aftermath of an earthquake in Guatemala in 1977—raising the number of known specimens from reportedly just 2 to a small handful—the fact that this has made the 1863 the sole attainable date for the type should not downplay its extreme scarcity; at the time that we sold the Rudman example in 2014, a paltry 7 total examples were known. The present piece is extremely well preserved and highly lustrous, only minor stacking friction to the designs defining the grade; in all other regards, it appears to be Mint State. The edges of this type quite often exhibit small dents, yet the rim here is razor-sharp and without handling marks, the obverse showing excess metal at 10 o'clock. Pleasing in every regard, and an extreme rarity sure to appeal to every collector of Latin gold. Reserve Amount: \$5,000

## HAITI



- 31111 Northern Haiti. Henri Christophe silver Proof Pattern Crown (2 Gourdes) 1820 H-LM PR61** NGC, Birmingham mint, KM-Pn37, Fonrobert-7502, Gutttag-2088E, Arroyo-HA#P127. Plain edge. Issued under Henri I as King of North Haiti. An extremely rare pattern issue, featuring the only monarch of the Kingdom of Haiti. Despite its technical certification, the eye appeal of this offering far transcends what one would expect from a PR61; razor-sharp with pristine clear fields, the planchet toned to an immensely attractive slate-gray, only the lightest touch of contact to the high points. A seldom offered rarity of the Haitian numismatic series. Sold with old Louis H. Collins dealer tag. Starting Bid: \$2,500



- 31112 Faustin I silver Proof Pattern 5 Gourdes ND (1854) PR60** NGC, Birmingham mint, KM-Pn65, Gutttag-2209A, Fonrobert-Unl., Arroyo-HA#P140. Large bust, reeded edge. Lightly handled in line with its grade - an elegantly engraved and highly scarce Haitian pattern, gunmetal gray in color with considerable reflectivity in the fields and hints of seafoam patina around the legends. A type which is almost never offered at auction, and a must-have for specialist world Crown collectors. Sold with old Louis H. Collins dealer tag. Starting Bid: \$2,000

HUNGARY



**31113 Franz Joseph I gold Restrike “Coronation” 100 Korona 1907-KB MS67 PCGS, Kremnitz mint, KM490.** 40th Year Official Restrike, struck in 1947. Displaying near-perfect quality and considerable reflectivity for this popular restrike issue, its certified quality ranking near the peak of the certified population to-date. A prime opportunity for the conditionally discriminating collector. AGW 0.9802 oz. Reserve: \$9,000

**31114 Franz Joseph I gold “Coronation” 100 Korona 1907-KB MS65 PCGS, Kremnitz mint, KM490, Fr-256, Husz-2213.** Struck upon the 40th anniversary of Franz Joseph’s coronation in Hungary. A singularly popular type from a mintage of 10,897. Despite its receiving an ‘MS’ grade, the production and finish of this type essentially renders it a Proof, with thickly frosted centers and brilliant, reflective rings at the peripheries. A few light hairlines criss-cross the matte texture and the highpoints show the lightest hints of contact, but in every respect this piece is worthy of its gem grade and commands an impressive eye appeal. Starting Bid: \$2,500



- 31115 Franz Joseph I gold 100 Korona 1907-KB MS62 PCGS**, Kremnitz mint, KM491. From a tiny mintage of only 1,088 pieces. The lesser-seen 100 Korona that commemorates the anniversary of Franz Joseph's coronation, a hefty piece with glistening golden surfaces that beam with sun-yellow reflectivity, the fields permeated by a light scattering of contact marks in line with the grade. Very rare in any condition and especially so nice, this being the sole finest example graded by PCGS to date.  
Reserve: \$8,500

## INDIA

## Rare Original Strike Mohur



**31116 British India. William IV gold Mohur 1835-(c) MS63 NGC**, Calcutta mint, KM451.2, Prid-9, S&W-1.9. "R.S." incuse on truncation. Extremely rare as an original currency strike; the majority of 1835 Mohurs on the market are Proof restrikes, still very popular with collectors. The present piece exhibits a charming reflectivity in the fields, William's portrait sharply defined with few contact marks and absolutely no hint of circulation wear. This specimen is tied for the finest certified by NGC - the other MS63 example sold in January 2015 for a hammer price of \$28,000. We do not doubt that the rarity of this piece combined with its exceptional quality will see it elicit similar bidder attention.

Starting Bid: \$7,500

## Impressive William IV Gold 2 Mohurs



**3117 British India. William IV gold Proof Restrike 2 Mohurs 1835-(c) PR61 NGC, Calcutta mint, KM452.1, Prid-3, S&W-1.4.** An ever popular restrike of this large gold Indian issue, immediately capturing the viewer's attention through its dazzling mirror fields and finely detailed engraving detail. High-point rub and hairlines define the grade, yet prove inconsequential in the visual allure this coin commands, and indeed most Proof restrikes of this type show similar handling marks; the iconic reverse design of the lion and palm remains particularly sharp and unaffected by contact. The last PR61 specimen of this immense denomination we handled realized \$26,400 in our January 2018 auction, and collector interest has only grown since. One of the jewels of the British India numismatic series. Starting Bid: \$6,000



**31118 British India. Victoria gold Mohur 1841.-(c) MS64 NGC**, Calcutta mint, KM462.2 (incorrectly listed on the holder), S&W-3.11. Split legend variety, W.W. on truncation, 4 with serif (crosslet 4). The single highest graded example of this type by NGC or PCGS: a marvelous coin, the issue almost always exhibiting some form of circulation or improper handling. This selection has needle-point detail to the devices with no subsequent wear, the planchet fully aglow with satin luster, the tiniest abrasions in the field defining the grade yet otherwise offering no aspects to upgrade upon. The best of the type we have had the pleasure to handle and a must-have for serious collectors of British India emissions.  
Starting Bid: \$4,000

## ITALY

## Incredibly Rare Augustale Type



- 3119 Sicily. Charles I d'Anjou (1266-1285) gold Reale d'Oro ND (1266-1278) AU55 NGC, Messina mint, Fr-653, MEC XIV-624var, MIR-143. 5.17gm. +• KAROL' | • DCI: GRA •, Crowned bust flanked by rosette / +R | EX SI | CILI | E, Ten lis within triangular shield of arms. A design closely drawn from the original Augustale struck during the reign of Frederick II, which itself took heavy inspiration from the designs of ancient Roman gold coins. An important type representing a turning point in the artistic development of medieval European numismatic design, portraying a large-scale portrait of the sovereign that provided a depiction much nearer to realism than had been achieved prior. The present piece is both the first of its kind we have had the pleasure of offering as well as an amazingly preserved example of the type, near-fully struck and retaining much detail, nicely centered and draped with glossy sun-gold surfaces. A significant piece for collectors of both Italian gold and general medieval coinage. Starting Bid: \$5,000**



- 31120 Sicily. Pietro de Aragon & Constanza de Hohenstaufen (1282-1285) gold Pierreale d'oro ND (1282-1283) MS66 NGC, Messina mint, Fr-654, MEC XIV-756, Biaggi-1301, MIR-170. 4.38gm. + o P o DCI o GR'A o ARAGOn o SICIL : RCX o || + o SUMMA o POTEnCIA o ES o T o In DCO o, concentric legends around arms of Aragon / + COSTA • DCI • GRA • ARAG • SICIL' REG || + XPS • VInCIT • XPS • REGnAT • XPS • IMPAT, concentric legends around uncrowned Hohenstaufen eagle. An superb example of this issue, well-struck as typical and impeccably preserved with satiny golden surfaces. This variety with an uncrowned eagle is believed to have been struck between June 1282 and April 1283, prior to the arrival of Constanza on Sicily.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000**

## Imposing Venetian 15 Zecchini Rarity



- 31121** Venice. Giovanni Corner II gold 15 Zecchini ND (1709-1722) XF45 NGC, KM486, Fr-1367, Paolucci-118.7 (R5), Bellesia-238 (R5). 49mm. 51.60gm. Collectors of the Italian series, and particularly the Venetian series, will be intimately familiar with the nearly universally recognized imagery of the doge of Venice kneeling with staff in hand before the figure of St. Mark, the patron saint of the Italian city-state. This image is widely seen in the longstanding series of ducats and zecchini issued by the city, one that spans centuries and presents a wide range of styles, qualities of production, and historical contexts. While taken as a whole these issues remain relatively attainable to collectors, the significantly more limited issuances of larger multiple zecchini under various doges present an entirely different challenge, made available only to the few. This offering, a 15 Zecchini issued during the reign of Giovanni Corner, represents one such surviving specimen, and though moderately circulated retains an admirable degree of detail, such that even the facial expressions of St. Mark, Corner, and Christ remain discernible, framed by bold legends and surrounded by golden fields expressing an admirable degree of luster. At a considerable weight of over 51 grams, the selection offers what is essentially a medallion grandeur, appropriately matched only by its rarity, and there is no doubt that it will come to serve as one of the greater Italian highlights of any collection that it enters.  
Starting Bid: \$12,500

## KOREA



- 31122 Russian Domination. Kuang Mu copper-nickel 5 Chon Year 6 (1902) XF45 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM1122, CKCB-42.1.** Light gray patina with sharp definition and a few light marks. Increased Russian influence in Korea, from 1896-1904, resulted in three types of coins (1 Chon, 5 Chon, and 1/2 Won) being struck with a Russian eagle in place of the Japanese style dragon. These pieces were one-year types authorized and issued by financial advisor Alexiev of the Russo-Korean Bank. All are very rare with very few of the actual mintages ever being noted. We are pleased to offer this exceptional 5 Chon, its detail far deeper than the technical grade would suggest with even minute aspects of the devices fully rendered.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

## MEXICO



- 31123 Charles II gold Cob 4 Escudos ND (1679-1699) Mo-L MS62 NGC, Mexico City mint, KM54, Cal-Type 23b. 13.30gm.** Jeweled cross. An impressive selection featuring glistening golden-yellow surfaces, one which presently ranks as the only Mexican 4 Escudo of Charles II's reign to be certified in Mint State condition. Alluring for its type, and a standout example due to its exceptional condition alone.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

## NETHERLANDS



- 31124 West Friesland. Provincial silver “Reopening Maritime Commerce” Medal 1594 AU50 NGC, Van Loon-1-pg. 488var (undated), Betts-16var (there, dated 1596), Fonrobert-Unl., VC-1. 53mm. Unsigned. Commemorating the First Commercial Expedition to Brazil. SIDERE PROFICIENT DEXTRO NEPTVNTIA REGNA, Neptune seated left on dolphin, trident in right hand; in the distance, two vessels under sale and a city illuminated by rays of glory proceeding from the name Jehovah (written in Hebrew) / INSGNIA FRISIÆ CISRENANÆ, arms of seven cities of Holland on small shields, with their names on scrolls between the devices on an outer circle; in field, two lions holding a crown above the arms of West Friesland. An extremely rare medal from the period of Dutch colonialism in Brazil, punctuated throughout by luminous cobalt tones from long-time envelope storage.  
Ex. Dresden Collection  
Starting Bid: \$2,500**



- 31125 Willem III gold Proof 10 Gulden 1851 PR63 Cameo NGC, Utrecht mint, KM95 (unlisted in Proof), Fr-340, Schulman-546 (R). A rare and highly desirable issue seldom seen even as a circulation strike, this piece exhibits watery and reflective fields with clear Cameo contrast, each detail down to the hairs of the beard defined in sharp relief. Minimal hairlines in the fields solidify the piece within its current grade. An impressive piece that should elicit spirited bidding.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$2,000**

## PERU



- 31126 Philip V gold Cob 8 Escudos 1734 L-N MS62 NGC**, Lima mint, KM38.2, Fr-7, Cal-49. 27.1gm. Beautifully lustrous across the obverse surfaces, the reverse struck to commendable sharpness, with full and well-centered design motifs across all but the peripheral areas. As alluring as could be expected for any example of the type.  
Starting Bid: \$2,500



- 31127 Ferdinand VI gold Cob 8 Escudos 1747 L-V MS62 NGC**, Lima mint, KM47, Cal-65. 27.08gm. Bright and lustrous throughout, this impressive Mint State cob displays sound visual appeal with no flaws of note, its uncirculated quality immediately evident upon even a cursory inspection. A desirable date as the first in the series for Ferdinand VI, and of noteworthy difficulty in this superior condition.  
Starting Bid: \$2,500

## PHILIPPINES



**31128 USA Administration Mule 5 Centavos 1918-S MS61 NGC**, San Francisco mint, KM173, Basso-113a, Allen-4.08b. A rare and highly desirable variety of the regular circulation issue 1918 5 Centavos, the result of pairing the obverse die of the 5 Centavos with the 20 Centavos reverse die. Because of the relatively minor difference between the reverses of the 5 Centavos and 20 Centavos this error was not discovered for some time. However, it is now regarded as a highly important variety within Philippine coinage, ensuring that Mint State examples such as the present offering receive a high degree of attention when encountered on auction.

Starting Bid: \$2,000

## RUSSIA



**31129 Elizabeth gold Ducat 1748 AU50 NGC**, Moscow mint, KM-C30.1, Fr-113, Bit-6 (R1), Diakov-181. Obv. Crowned bust right. Rev. Crowned double-headed Imperial eagle with orb and scepter. An exceedingly rare type. Struck on a slightly wavy flan, displaying light weakness in some areas but retaining much mint luster. Elizabeth, the daughter of Peter the Great, ascended to the throne by coup and during her 20 year reign accomplished such notable tasks as establishing the University of Moscow, creating a state theater, and outlawing the death penalty. The sole other example of this issue we have had the pleasure of offering, in NGC XF40, realized \$39,656.25 including Buyer's Premium in January 2014 (Auction 3029, Lot 30328).

Starting Bid: \$5,000



- 31130** Catherine II gold 10 Roubles 1776/5-СПБ AU55 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C79a (overdate unlisted), Bit-32 (R; same). A seldom-seen type that becomes downright rare in grades approaching Mint State, this example hosting an undoubtedly scarce overdate to boot. Very lightly circulated, with near-full luster retained in the fields, areas of the reverse peripheries especially vibrant and essentially glowing with molten sun-gold. Starting Bid: \$3,500



- 31131** Nicholas I platinum 6 Roubles 1829-СПБ AU50 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C178, Bit-55 (R2), Sev-596, Uzd-0386. An extremely elusive first-year issue of this impressive large-denomination type, hailing from a tiny mintage of only 828 pieces and seldom encountered in any state. In fact, the last time we had the privilege of offering an example of this date was over six years ago, an uncertified XF example that realized \$23,500 including Buyer's Premium in our April 2013 CICF auction, Lot 25371. This piece is likely even finer, exhibiting even wear on the high points and fields that have yet retained much luster, shining with a delicate glossy texture and imbued with the pleasingly aristocratic silvery-gray color of circulated platinum. Sure to incite strong interest from collectors of rare Imperial Russian coinage. Reserve: \$9,000

## SOUTH AFRICA



**31132 Republic gold "Veld" Pond 1902 AU58 NGC**, Pilgrims Rest mint, KM11, Fr-4, Hern-Z54. A highly historical issue struck during the Second Boer War by Boer forces on the run from the British, set up in the veld (long grass) of Pilgrims Rest in northeastern Transvaal. With only 986 examples minted in this turbulent period, and due to the eventful context of this period in South African history, the "Veld" Pond remains one of the most numismatically important issues of the country. Gently toned with soft touches of amber, mint luster evident throughout, and nearly absent any wear, this offering represents a highly desirable selection of the type, one worthy of close inspection and consideration.

Starting Bid: \$5,000



**31133 Republic gold "Veld" Pond 1902 AU Details (Reverse Scratched) NGC**, Pilgrims Rest mint, KM11, Fr-4, Hern-Z54. One of only 968 pieces of this wartime issue that were struck hastily to pay soldiers of the Second Boer War. A type that often exhibits damage from mounting after having been placed within jewelry as a memento. This piece, however, has retained quite nice surfaces without receiving significant damage, aside from a scratch in the upper area of the reverse. A rare opportunity to own a coin that without a doubt must have passed through the hands of a soldier over a century ago on the mountainous mining fields of South Africa.

Starting Bid: \$3,000

SPAIN



**31134 Philip II gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1556-1598) G-A MS65 NGC**, Granada mint, Fr-168, Cal-41, Cay-4087. 6.77gm. The sole finest known example of this normally well-circulated type, and indeed one of the only examples of Spanish gold from this era to achieve the contested gem status. Bright and buttery luster bounces off the edges of the superbly-struck devices, the shield astoundingly strong, each line of the coat-of-arms design standing out in bold relief against the soft satiny surfaces of the fields. Almost no weakness is discernible throughout, the lettering crisp and easily legible. An enviable example of the type.  
Starting Bid: \$2,000

SWEDEN



**31135 Oscar II gold Specimen 10 Kronor 1895-EB SP66 PCGS**, Stockholm mint, KM743 (unlisted in Proof or Specimen), SGM-43. A flawless Specimen, almost never offered in this presentation format. Copper-gold in color with endless mirror fields, Oscar's portrait picked out in delicate matte frost, a piece certainly worthy of a 'cameo' designation and highly appealing thus. This piece is the only Specimen certified by PCGS or NGC and thus defies comparison, but for its near-perfect technical grade must be amongst the very finest extant.  
*From the Caranett Collection*  
Starting Bid: \$1,500

## SWITZERLAND



**31136 Basel. City gold Goldgulden (Ducat) 1640 MS65 NGC, KM97, Fr-50, HMZ-2-73h.** An extremely rare type that is seldom seen at all, and especially so in such lofty condition, displaying a slightly different central cartouche design than is depicted by the *Standard Catalogue of World Coins*. Simply superb, each element of this design sharply struck and fully apparent, and with satiny, lightly contrasted surfaces that only serve to boost the eye appeal of this delicately detailed type. The last example we offered, graded NGC XF Details (Damaged), and with an identical cartouche design, realized \$2,880 including Buyer's Premium in our September 2019 sale.

*From the Caranett Collection*

Starting Bid: \$2,000



**31137 Confederation gold 100 Francs 1925-B MS64 NGC**, Bern mint, KM39, HMZ-2-1193a. An avidly collected type, popular for its large size; however, this heft often leads to it bearing numerous marks and hairlines. The present offering is as such highly unusual for its sleek and unmarred surfaces, lightly reflective with a rose tinge to the planchet. Highly sought after in high grades, the last Swiss 100 Francs we offered in this near-gem preservation realized \$20,400 at our January 2020 sale.  
Starting Bid: \$5,000

**End of Session Three**

SESSION FOUR

ANCIENTS

CELTIC

**32001 BRITAIN. Catuvellauni. Addedomaros (ca. 45-25 BC). AV stater (19mm, 5.50 gm, 1h). NGC Choice XF 4/5 - 4/5.** Six-armed spiral of wreaths / Celticized horse right; pellets within annulets around, cornucopia left below. Van Arsdell 1620-1. SCBC 201.

*Ex Pegasi Numismatics, private sale with old dealer tag*

**32002 BRITAIN. Regini-Atrebrates. Verica (ca. AD 10-40). AV stater (20mm, 5.21 gm, 4h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 3/5.** Ca. AD 20-25. COM•F, legend in rectangular incuse tablet / VIR / REX, Celtic warrior on horseback right, brandishing spear with right hand; voided crescent below, hook behind. Van Arsdell 500-1. Seaby 120.

*Verica, a king of the Atrebrates along the southern coast of Britain, apparently ruled from the locale of the later Fishbourne Roman Palace in west Sussex. He seems to have enjoyed friendly relations with Rome. His territories were overrun by Cunobelinus's son, Caratacus, in about AD 40, and Verica's appeal to Rome for help provided the pretext for Claudius' invasion of the island in AD 43.*

**32003 GAUL. Northeast. Ambiani. Ca 2nd century BC. AV quarter-stater (14mm, 1.79 gm, 2h). NGC VF 5/5 - 4/5.** Gallo-Belgic A. Celticized head of Apollo left / Disjointed driver in chariot left; rosette below, patterns in fields. D&T 70. Depeyrot, NC VI 133.6 = SCBI 20 (Mack), 4 = CCI 67.0308 (this coin). Scheers class VI, fig. 77 (this coin cited). Van Arsdell 20-1. Rare.

*Ex Classical Numismatic Group, Auction 100 (7 October 2015), lot 130; Collection of Dr. Lawrence A. Adams; Lawrence R. Stack Collection (Sotheby's, 22 April 1999), lot 10; Spink 68 (22 March 1989), lot 498; R.P. Mack Collection (not in Glendining's sale), purchased from Spink, 1952*

GREEK

**32004 PUNIC SPAIN. Barcids. Ca. 237-209 BC. AR quarter-shekel (14mm, 1.71 gm, 12h). NGC AU 5/5 - 3/5.** Head of Melqart or Hannibal left, club over shoulder / Elephant walking right. ACIP 555.

**32005 CALABRIA. Tarentum. Ca. 332-302 BC. AR stater or didrachm (22mm, 7.65 gm, 3h). NGC AU 4/5 - 3/5.** Sa- and So-, magistrates. Warrior on horseback charging right, shield and two javelins in left hand, preparing to cast a third in right; ΣΑ below / ΤΑΡΑΣ, Taras astride dolphin left, cantharus in outstretched right hand, trident cradled in left arm; Ω/Σ in left field, dolphin left below. HN Italy 937.

**32006 CALABRIA. Tarentum. Ca. 240-228 BC. AR stater or didrachm (21mm, 6.55 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 3/5, brushed.** Callicrates, Epicr- and Ne-, magistrates. Armored warrior on horseback rearing right, torso turned facing, Nike in right hand outstretched behind crowning rider; ΕΠΙΚΡ monogram in left field, ΚΑΛΛΙΚΡΑ/THE below / ΤΑΡΑΣ, Taras astride dolphin left, Victory right in outstretched right hand crowning him, trident cradled in left arm; NE monogram above dolphin tail. HN Italy 1059. Vlasto 963.

**32007 BRUTTIUM. Locri Epizephyrri. Ca. 350-275 BC. AR stater (22mm, 8.70 gm, 8h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5, brushed.** Ca. 317-310 BC. Pegasus flying left, thunderbolt below / ΔΟΚΡΩΝ, head of Athena left, wearing Corinthian helmet pushed back on head. HN Italy 2342. Calciati 13.

**32008 SICILY. Acragas. Ca. 500-470 BC. AR didrachm (20mm, 8.50 gm, 12h). NGC XF 4/5 - 3/5.** Ca. 480/478-470 BC. AK/RA, eagle standing left / Crab seen from above, within incuse circle. HGC 2, 97.

**32009 SICILY. Acragas. Ca. 470-420 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.19 gm, 4h). NGC VF 4/5 - 4/5.** AKPAC-ANTOΣ (the second half retrograde), eagle standing left / Crab, seen from above; floral ornament below. SNG ANS 981.

*From the WCN Collection*

**32010 SICILY. Acragas. Ca. mid-5th century BC. AR pentaltira or drachm (14mm, 4.20 gm, 6h). NGC XF 4/5 - 3/5.** Eagle standing left on a column capital, ΠΕΝ (denomination) behind / AKRA, crab seen from above; all in incuse circle. SNG Copenhagen 46.

*Ex Coin Galleries, Mail Bid Sale (July 2006), lot 142*

**32011 SICILY. Himera. Ca. 510-483/2 BC. AR drachm (20mm, 4.96 gm, 7h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 2/5, light smoothing, graffito.** Ca. 510-500 BC. Rooster standing right, magistrate name (?) LV above, all within dotted border / Hen standing right, in incuse square with border. HGC 2, 422. SNG Copenhagen -. Kraay 152.

*Ex Roma Numismatics XIII (23 March 2017), lot 76; Roma Numismatics VII (22 March 2014), lot 100*

**32012 SICILY. Syracuse. Time of Timoleon, Third Democracy (ca. 344-317 BC). AR stater (23mm, 8.60 gm, 3h). NGC XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Ca. 344-339/8 BC. Pegasus flying left with pointed wing / ΣΥΡΑΚΟΣΙΩΝ, head of Athena right, wearing Corinthian helmet pushed back on head. HGC 2, 1400. Pegasi II 2. SNG ANS 499.

*Ex Roma Numismatics, E-Sale 61 (22 August 2019), lot 138; Javier Paris Collection*



**32013 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Philip II (359-336 BC). AV stater (17mm, 11h). ANACS XF 40, repaired.** Pella I, ca. 340/336-328 BC. Laureate head of Apollo right / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΥ, charioteer driving biga right, reins in left hand, kentron in right; wreath above. Le Rider 3 (D2/R3). SNG ANS 157-159. Apparently quite rare - no examples found in sales archives.



**32014 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Philip II (359-336 BC). AR tetradrachm (25mm, 14.42 gm, 8h). NGC AU 4/5 - 4/5, Fine Style, die shift.** Amphipolis, ca. 342-328 BC. Laureate head right of Zeus right / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙ-ΠΙΟΥ, nude youth seated on horse trotting right, palm in right hand, reins in left; fly seen from above, below belly of horse, stern below horse's raised left foreleg. Le Rider 476-494. SNG ANS 560-565.

*Ex Heritage Auction 3021 (NYINC, 6 January 2013), lot 21146; Freeman & Sear, private sale with old dealer tag*

**32015 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AV stater (17mm, 8.51 gm, 5h). NGC XF 5/5 - 1/5, ex-jewelry.** Posthumous issue of Babylon, under Seleucus I Nicator, ca. 311-300 BC. Head of Athena right, wearing earring and triple-crested Corinthian helmet with short parallel crest ends pushed back on head, the bowl adorned with coiled serpent right, hair flowing loose / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ / ΒΑ-ΣΙΛΕΩΣ, Nike standing facing, head left, wreath in outstretched right hand, stylis cradled in left arm; head of Silenus looking upward in left field below wing, HYP monogram within wreath in right field below wing. Price 3735.



**32016 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.22 gm, 11h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Lifetime issue of 'Amphipolis', ca. 336-323 BC. Head of Heracles right, wearing lion skin headdress, paws tied before neck / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Zeus seated left on backless throne, left leg drawn back, feet on ground line, eagle in right hand, scepter in left; quiver in left field. Price 38.

*Ex Harlan Berk, private sale with old dealer tag; Harlan Berk, Buy or Bid Sale 78 (June 1993), lot 65*

**32017 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.19 gm, 1h). NGC MS 4/5 - 4/5.** Posthumous issue of Amphipolis, by Philip III Arrhidaeus, under Antipater, ca. 322-320 BC. Head of Heracles right, wearing lion skin headdress, paws tied before neck / ΑΛΕΞΑΝ-ΔΡΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, Zeus seated left on backless throne, left leg drawn back, feet on ground line, eagle in right hand, scepter in left; cornucopia in left field. Price 108.

**32018 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.18 gm, 8h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Posthumous issue of Babylon, ca. 317-311 BC. Head of Heracles right, wearing lion skin headdress, paws tied before neck / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ-ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, Zeus enthroned left, right leg drawn back, feet on stool, eagle in right hand, scepter in left; AX monogram in left field, HYPΘ monogram in wreath below throne. Price 3725.

**32019 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Alexander III the Great (336-323 BC). AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.15 gm, 6h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 5/5, Fine Style.** Posthumous issue of Tyre, ca. 305-290 BC. Head of Heracles right, wearing lion skin headdress, paws tied before neck / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ-ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, Zeus enthroned left, right leg drawn back, feet on stool, eagle in right hand, scepter in left; ΗΥΘ monogram in circle in left field; ΔΥΘ monogram in circle below strut. Price -, cf. 3528 for stater with same monograms.

**32020 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Demetrius I Poliorcetes (306-283 BC). AR tetradrachm (27mm, 17.02 gm, 12h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 3/5, brushed.** Uncertain mint, 294-288 BC. Diademed head of Demetrius I right, with bull's horn / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ, Poseidon, nude, standing left, grounded trident in left hand, leaning with right arm on right leg with foot on rock; eight pointed star above Δ in outer left field, Α in outer right field. SNG Copenhagen -. Newell 160.

*Demetrius I Poliorcetes ("the Besieger") was the most dynamic of Alexander's immediate successors, but was ultimately undone by his personal failings. He spent the first half of his career supporting the claim of his father, Antigonus Monophthalmus; after the latter's defeat and death at Ipsos in 301 BC, Demetrius carried on and managed to seize the throne of Macedon in 294 BC, holding it against all rival claimants for six years. Hard-drinking, tyrannical and relentlessly ambitious, he was ultimately driven from Macedon by his own subjects and was held prisoner by his former benefactor, Seleucus I, for the rest of his life. His handsome visage is clearly shown on this striking tetradrachm of Chalkis; he adopts a bull's horn as a symbol of divinity, counterpart to the ram's horn seen on the coins struck by his rival Lysimachus. The reverse image of Poseidon recalls the naval victory at Salamis.*

**32021 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Demetrius I Poliorcetes (306-283 BC). AR tetradrachm (28mm, 17.12 gm, 12h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 3/5, brushed.** Chalkis, ca. 290-287 BC. Diademed head of Demetrius I right, with bull's horn / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ, Poseidon, nude, standing left, grounded trident in left hand, leaning with right arm on leg with right foot on rock; K to outer left; grape bunch to outer right. Newell 150.

**32022 MACEDONIAN KINGDOM. Demetrius I Poliorcetes (306-283 BC). AR tetradrachm (27mm, 17.00 gm, 1h). NGC XF 5/5 - 3/5, Fine Style, brushed.** Tarsus, ca. 298-295 BC. Nike standing left on prow of galley left, blowing trumpet in right hand, stylis in left / ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, Poseidon advancing left, seen from behind, nude but for chlamys draped over extended left arm, brandishing trident in right hand; AN monogram in large Φ in left field, ΠΑΡ monogram in right field. SNG Copenhagen -. Cf. Newell 33 (stater). SNG Alpha Bank -.

**32023 SCYTHIA. Geto-Dacians. Coson (ca. after 54 BC). AV stater (20mm, 8.37 gm, 12h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Ca. 44-42 BC. Roman consul walking left, accompanied by two lictors fore and aft; BA monogram before, ΚΟΣΩΝ in exergue / Eagle with spread wings standing left on scepter, clutching laurel wreath in right talon. HGC 3.2, 2049. RPC I 1701A.

**32024 SCYTHIA. Geto-Dacians. Coson (ca. after 54 BC). AV stater (20mm, 8.30 gm, 12h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 4/5, wavy flan.** Ca. 44-42 BC. Roman consul walking left, accompanied by two lictors fore and aft; BA monogram before, ΚΟΣΩΝ in exergue / Eagle with spread wings standing left on scepter, clutching laurel wreath in right talon. HGC 3.2, 2049. RPC I 1701A.

*From the Estate of Gerald 'Jerry' Farber*

**32025 SCYTHIA. Geto-Dacians. Coson (ca. after 54 BC). AV stater (20mm, 8.61 gm, 12h). NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Ca. 44-42 BC. Roman consul walking left, accompanied by two lictors fore and aft; BA monogram before, ΚΟΣΩΝ in exergue / Eagle with spread wings standing left on scepter, clutching laurel wreath in right talon; • in lower left field. HGC 3.2, 2049. RPC I 1701A.

*Ex Spartan Numismatics with old dealer tag*

**32026 SCYTHIA. Geto-Dacians. Coson (ca. after 54 BC). AV stater (19mm, 8.44 gm, 11h). NGC MS 4/5 - 4/5.** Ca. 44-42 BC. Roman consul (L. Junius Brutus) walking left, accompanied by two lictors fore and aft; ΚΟΣΩΝ in exergue / Eagle with spread wings standing left on scepter, clutching laurel wreath in right talon. HGC 3.2, 2049. RPC I 1701B.



**32027 THRACIAN KINGDOM. Lysimachus (305-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (31mm, 16.59 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5, die shift.** Colophon or Pergamon, ca. 305-281 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon; dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena seated left, Nike in right hand crowning royal name, left arm resting on grounded shield decorated with gorgoneion head boss, transverse spear beyond; crescent left in outer left field, pentagram above M in inner left field. Thompson -. Cf. Müller 92 (no crescent).

*Ex Aequitas Classical Arts, private sale (December 1989)*

**32028 THESSALY. Larissa. Ca. 460-400 BC. AR drachm (19mm, 6.02 gm, 6h). NGC AU 4/5 - 3/5, scratch.** Thessalus standing right, nude but for chlamys over shoulders, petasus attached to cord and flying behind with chlamys, holding band in both hands around the forehead of bull leaping right; beaded border / ΛΑΠΙΣΑ, bridled horse galloping right; all within incuse square. BCD Thessaly 372.3. Boston MFA 882.

*From the WCN Collection. Ex CNG 78 (May 2008), lot 459*

**32029 THESSALY. Larissa. 4th century BC. AR drachm (19mm, 6.07 gm, 5h). NGC Choice AU★ 5/5 - 5/5, Fine Style.** Head of nymph Larissa facing, turned slightly left, hair in sphendone / ΛΑΠΙΣ/ΑΙΩΝ, horse kneeling to right, about to roll. Lorber Phase L-III. SNG Copenhagen 121.

**32030 THESSALY. Pharsalus. Ca. 425-350 BC. AR drachm (19mm, 10h). ANACS VF35.** Signed by the engraver A-. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet with upturned cheek flaps, the bowl decorated with volute and floral ornaments; A behind neck / Φ-A-P-Σ, Thessalian cavalryman riding horse to right, wearing petasus, chlamys and chiton, lagobolon in right hand over shoulder; all in incuse circle. BCD Thessaly -. HGC 4, 624.

**32031 BOEOTIA. Thebes. Ca. 395-338 BC. AR stater (22mm, 12.15 gm, 11h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Callimachus, magistrate, ca. 363-338 BC. Boeotian shield / Amphora, ΚΑ-ΛΛΙ across fields; all within concave circle. BCD Boiotia 555.

**32032 BOEOTIA. Thebes. Ca. 395-338 BC. AR stater (22mm, 12.06 gm, 1h). NGC XF 4/5 - 4/5.** Ptoi-, magistrate. Boeotian shield / ΠΙΤ-ΟΙ, amphora; all within concave circle. BCD Boiotia 522.

*From the WCN Collection. Ex Collection C.P.A. (Classical Numismatic Group, Mail Bid Sale 78 (14 May 2008), lot 562; Classical Numismatic Group, Mail Bid Sale 58 (19 September 2001), lot 449*

**32033 ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 465-455 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 16.80 gm, 1h). NGC AU 2/5 - 2/5.** Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / ΑΘΕ, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1596. Starr Group V.

**32034 ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 465-455 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.11 gm, 6h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / ΑΘΕ, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1596. Starr Group V.

**32035 ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 455-440 BC. AR tetradrachm (23mm, 17.21 gm, 7h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Early transitional issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / ΑΘΕ, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. Starr Group V.

**32036 ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.20 gm, 10h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / ΑΘΕ, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32037 ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.21 gm, 7h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / ΑΘΕ, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32038 ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.18 gm, 5h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / ΑΘΕ, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32039 ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.20 gm, 5h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / ΑΘΕ, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32040** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 17.22 gm, 10h). NGC MS 4/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32041** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.21 gm, 1h). NGC MS 4/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.



**32042** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (28mm, 17.20 gm, 9h). NGC Choice AU★ 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

*Ex Dr. Patrick Tan Collection; Classical Numismatic Group, website sale, inventory #402651; JP Collection, purchased from Platt, January 1985*

**32043** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.19 gm, 7h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32044** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (23mm, 17.21 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32045** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.22 gm, 9h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32046** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.21 gm, 5h). NGC AU★ 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32047** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.17 gm, 3h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5, Full Crest. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32048** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.20 gm, 1h). NGC AU 5/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32049** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.19 gm, 10h). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32050** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (23mm, 17.21 gm, 1h). NGC AU 4/5 - 5/5. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32051** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 17.19 gm, 9h). NGC AU 5/5 - 3/5, scuff. Mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

*Ex Freeman & Sear, private sale at CICF 2007, with old dealer tag*

**32052** ATTICA. Athens. Ca. 440-404 BC. AR/AE fourree tetradrachm (25mm, 16.76 gm, 11h). NGC VF 5/5 - 1/5. Ancient forgery of mid-mass coinage issue. Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. cf. for prototype HGC 4, 1597. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. Kroll 8.

**32053** ATTICA. Athens. 2nd-1st centuries BC. AR tetradrachm (35mm, 15.87 gm, 12h). NGC Choice XF 3/5 - 2/5, scratches. New Style coinage, ca. 157/6 BC, Pynd- and Api-, magistrates. Head of Athena right, wearing triple-crested Attic helmet decorated with a vine scroll, Pegasus above upturned voided cheek flap, protomes of four horses above visor / A-ΘE, owl standing facing on overturned amphora; IYNA monogram in left field, APY monogram in right field, rudder below, all within olive wreath. Thompson 28. SNG Copenhagen -.

**32054** SARONIC ISLANDS. Aegina. Ca. 525-475 BC. AR stater. NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 5/5. Sea turtle, viewed from above, head turned sideways, with thin collar and row of five dots down center of shell / Incuse 'mill-sail' pattern. HGC 6, 429. SNG Copenhagen 501.

**32055** CORINTHIA. Corinth. Ca. 345-307 BC. AR stater (21mm, 8.56 gm, 12h). NGC AU 5/5 - 2/5, light smoothing, brushed. Pegasus with pointed wing flying left; Q below / Head of Athena left, wearing Corinthian helmet pushed back on head; Γ below chin, filleted thyrsus behind. Ravel 1027. Calciati Pegasi 417.

*Ex Auctiones AG, Auction 23 (November 2014), lot 29*

**32056 CORINTHIA. Corinth. Ca. 4th century BC. AR stater (21mm, 8.24 gm, 1h). NGC Choice XF★ 5/5 - 4/5, Fine Style.** Ca. 375-345 BC. Pegasus flying left, Q below / Head of Athena left, wearing Corinthian helmet pushed back on head, Δ before neck; I and Artemis advancing left with long lit torch behind. Pegasi 451. Ravel 1076.

**32057 CORINTHIA. Corinth. Ca. 345-307 BC. AR stater (22mm, 8.54 gm, 5h). NGC Choice XF.** Pegasus with pointed wing flying left; Q below / Head of Athena left, wearing laureate Corinthian helmet pushed back on head; A-P flanking neck, eagle standing left behind, head reverted. Calciati 426. BCD Corinth 101. Ravel 1008.

*Ex Germania Inferior Numismatics, private sale with old dealer tag*

**32058 CORINTHIA. Corinth. Ca. 345-307 BC. AR stater (21mm, 8.27 gm, 9h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 2/5, brushed.** Pegasus flying left; Q below / Head of Athena left, wearing Corinthian helmet pushed back on head, decorated with laurel wreath; A-P under bust, cornucopia with two grain ears to left. Ravel 1012. Calciati Pegasi 430. BCD Corinth 103.

*From the WCN Collection. Ex Classical Numismatic Group, Sale 54 (14 June 2000), lot 610*

**32059 CORINTHIA. Corinth. Late 4th-early 3rd centuries BC. AR tetradrachm (28mm, 17.15 gm, 9h). NGC MS 4/5 - 3/5, Fine Style, brushed, die shift.** Posthumous issue in the name and types of Alexander III the Great, ca. 310-290 BC. Head of Heracles right, wearing lion skin headdress, paws tied before neck / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ-ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, Zeus seated left on throne with back surmounted by two Nikai, right leg drawn back, feet on stool, eagle in right hand, scepter in left; cornucopia in left field, NO below strut. Price 691.

**32060 CRETE. Elyrus. Ca. 330-270 BC. AR drachm (16mm, 3.24 gm, 3h). NGC VF 4/5 - 4/5. EA-Y/PIO-N,** head and neck of horned goat right; arrowhead left below / Bee seen from above. Svoronos 1, pl. xii, 9. SNG Copenhagen 437. Rare - only four examples in sales archives.

*From the Estate of Gerald 'Jerry' Farber*



**32061 BOSPORAN KINGDOM. Sauromates II (AD 174-211), with Commodus. EL stater (19mm, 7.71 gm, 1h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Dated Bosporan Year 485 (AD 188/9). ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΣΑΥΡΟΜΑΤΟΥΣ, diademed, draped bust of Sauromates II right, seen from front; club downward before / Laureate, draped bust of Commodus, seen from behind; ΕΠΙΥ (date), below. MacDonald 496 var. (combination of bust type and no field mark on reverse not listed). Very rare - only two examples in sales archives.

**32062 BOSPORAN KINGDOM. Rhescuporis II (AD 211-227), with Elagabalus. EL stater (19mm, 7.82 gm, 12h). NGC XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Dated Bosporan Year 517 (AD 220/1). ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΡΗΣΚΟΥΡΟΡΙΔΟΥΣ, diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Rhescuporis II right, seen from front / Laureate head of Elagabalus right; star before, ΖΙΦ (date) below. MacDonald 560/2.



**32063 PONTIC KINGDOM. Mithradates VI Eupator (120-63 BC). AV stater (20mm, 8.28 gm, 12h). NGC MS 4/5 - 5/5, die shift.** Istrus, in the name and types of Lysimachus of Thrace, 88-86 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΑΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena seated left, left elbow resting on grounded shield, Nike in right hand crowning royal name; ΔΙ to inner left, ΙΣ on throne, ornamented trident with pointed base left and pellet in exergue. AMNG 482. SNG Copenhagen 1094 (Thrace).

**32064 PONTIC KINGDOM. Mithradates VI Eupator (120-63 BC). AV stater (20mm, 8.33 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 5/5.** Late posthumous issue in name and types of Lysimachus of Thrace, Tomis, 88-86 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon; pellet in left field / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΑΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena seated left, Nike in right hand crowning royal name, elbow resting on shield decorated with star motif, transverse spear beyond; ΘΕΜ under right arm, ΤΟ on throne, filleted trident left in exergue. De Callataÿ p. 141. AMNG I 2480.

**32065 PONTIC KINGDOM. Mithradates VI Eupator (120-63 BC). AV stater (20mm, 8.18 gm, 12h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 2/5, edge bend.** Late posthumous issue of Istrus, in the name and types of Lysimachus of Thrace, 88-86 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΑΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena seated left, left elbow resting on shield, Nike in right hand crowning royal name; ΔΙ to inner left, ΙΣ on throne, ornamented trident with pointed base left in exergue. AMNG 482. SNG Copenhagen 1094 (Thrace).

*Ex Classical Numismatic Group, private sale with old dealer tag*

**32066 PONTIC KINGDOM. Mithradates VI Eupator (120-63 BC). AV stater (20mm, 8.17 gm, 1h). NGC XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Late posthumous issue of Tomis, in name and types of Lysimachus of Thrace, 88-86 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon; pellet in left field / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΑΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena seated left, Nike in right hand crowning royal name, elbow resting on shield decorated with star motif, transverse spear beyond; ΘΕΜ under right arm, ΤΟ on throne, filleted trident left in exergue. De Callataÿ p. 141. AMNG I 2480.

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**32067 PONTIC KINGDOM. Mithradates VI Eupator (120-63 BC). AV stater (20mm, 8.24 gm, 12h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 3/5.** Late posthumous issue of Thrace, Callatis or Chalcedon, in the name and types of Lysimachus, ca. 88-86 BC. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena enthroned left, holding Nike, ΗΡ below arm, ΚΑΑ on throne, trident in exergue. AMNG I 266.

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**32068** **MYSIA.** Cyzicus. AR tetradrachm (30mm, 17.04 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5. Posthumous issue of types of Lysimachus. Diademed head of deified Alexander III right, with horn of Ammon / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΑΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, Athena seated left, Nike in right hand crowning royal name, left arm resting on grounded shield, transverse spear beyond; monogram to inner left, long prow in exergue. cf. Müller 383 (different form of monogram, extra monogram in right field, torch in exergue).

**32069** **PERGAMENE KINGDOM.** Attalus I (ca. 241-197 BC). AR tetradrachm (31mm, 16.86 gm, 1h). NGC XF 5/5 - 3/5, Fine Style. Pergamum, ca. 241-235 BC. Laureate head of Philetæus right / ΦΙΛΕΤΑΙΡΟΥ, Athena seated left, resting left arm on grounded shield decorated with gorgoneion head boss, crowning name with wreath in right hand, transverse spear beyond; bee seen from above in outer left field, APK monogram in inner left field, bow right in outer right field. SNG France 5, 1623 var. (ΔI monogram in inner left field).

**32070** **AEOLIS.** Myrina. Ca. mid-2nd century BC. AR tetradrachm (32mm, 17.13 gm, 12h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5. Ca. 155-145 BC. Laureate head of Apollo right / ΜΥΡΙΝΑΙΩΝ, Apollo standing right, phiale in right hand, filleted branch upward in left; omphalos and amphora at feet to right, ΠΙΑ monogram in left field, all in laurel wreath. SNG Copenhagen 223. Sacks Issue 20.

*Ex Ponterio & Associates, Sale 146 (CICF, 4 April 2008), lot 1272*

**32071** **LESBOS.** Mytilene. Ca. 521-478 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (10mm, 2.55 gm, 6h). NGC AU 4/5 - 5/5. Head of ram right; rooster feeding left below / Incuse head of lion left. Bodenstedt 11.



**32072** **LESBOS.** Mytilene. Ca. 454-427 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (10mm, 2.53 gm, 3h). NGC Choice XF★ 5/5 - 5/5, Fine Style. Diademed head of Silenus right / Two ram heads butting each other, palmette between; all in incuse square. Bodenstedt 37. HGC 6, 963 (R1). A rare type, with a high-relief head of Silenus struck from dies in fine style with careful centering on both sides.

*Silenus, in Greek mythology, was the main follower and drinking companion of the wine god Dionysus. Silenus is usually portrayed as a bearded older man with the ears and tail of a horse. He is usually shown in an inebriated state, often supported by another satyr or a donkey. However, he is also reputed to have had special prophetic powers when drunk.*

**32073** **LESBOS.** Mytilene. Ca. 377-326 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (11mm, 2.56 gm, 6h). NGC MS 4/5 - 3/5, brushed. Veiled head of Demeter right, wearing wreath of grain ears / Garlanded and filleted tripod, within linear square, all within incuse square. Bodenstedt 91. HGC 6, 1017.

**32074** **IONIA.** Uncertain mint. Ca. 650-600 BC. EL 1/12 stater or hemihecte (7mm, 1.13 gm). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5. Blank convex surface / Incuse square punch with irregular interior surface. SNG Kayhan 676. SNG von Aulock 7763. Cf. Weidauer 4 (hecte). Rare.

**32075** **IONIA.** Uncertain mint. Ca. 625-600 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (9mm, 2.27 gm). NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5. Rough surface with globular and geometric markings / Incuse square punch with irregular interior surfaces. Cf. SNG Kayhan 685 (hemihecte).

*Ex Heritage Auction 3038 (13 January 2015), 33108*

**32076** **IONIA.** Uncertain mint. Ca. 600-550 BC. EL 1/24 stater or myshemihecte (7mm, 0.63 gm). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 5/5. Head of Ram right / Incuse square divided into rough quarters. Traité I 194. Weidauer -. SNG Kayhan -. See Triton XVIII, lot 650 (same die and punch).

**32077** **IONIA.** Uncertain mint. Ca. 600-550 BC. EL 1/24 stater or myshemihecte (7mm, 0.67 gm). NGC AU 5/5 - 5/5. Phocaic standard. Head of roaring lion or panther right / Incuse tetraskeleion square punch. Traité I 189. Rosen 328. SNG von Aulock 1774-5.

**32078** **IONIA.** Uncertain mint. Ca. 600-550 BC. EL 1/96 stater (4mm, 0.18 gm). NGC (photo-certificate) Choice XF 5/5 - 5/5. Griffin head (?) / Square incuse punch divided into three compartments, pellet within one. Rosen 306. Very rare!

**32079** **IONIA.** Ephesus. Ca. 600-550 BC. EL third-stater or trite (13mm, 4.69 gm). NGC VF 4/5 - 4/5. 'Primitive' bee, viewed from above / Two incuse squares of differing size, side by side, with rough interior surfaces. Karwiese Series II.1, Type 1.



**32080** **IONIA.** Ephesus. Ca. 600-550 BC. EL third-stater or trite (14mm, 4.69 gm). NGC VF 3/5 - 4/5. 'Primitive' bee, viewed from above / Two incuse squares of differing size, side by side, with rough interior surfaces. Karwiese Series II.1, Type 1.

**32081** **IONIA.** Ephesus. Ca. 600-550 BC. EL third-stater or trite (13mm, 4.65 gm). NGC Fine 4/5 - 3/5. 'Primitive' bee, viewed from above / Two incuse squares of differing size, side by side, with rough interior surfaces. Karwiese Series II.1, Type 1.

**32082** **IONIA.** Ephesus. Ca. 600-550 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (9mm, 2.36 gm). NGC Choice Fine 3/5 - 4/5. 'Primitive' bee, viewed from above / Two incuse squares of differing size, side by side. SNG von Aulock -. SNG Kayhan -. Karwiese Series II.1, Type 2, 3. cf. Classical Numismatic Group, Auction 100 (7 October 2015), lot 1444.

**32083** **IONIA.** Erythrae. Ca. 550-500 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (10mm, 2.60 gm). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 5/5. Head of Heracles left, wearing lion skin headdress / Quadripartite incuse square, two quadrants partially to mostly filled. SNG von Aulock 1942. SNG Kayhan 737-8.

**32084** **IONIA.** Phocaea. Ca. 521-478 BC. EL sixth-stater or hecte (11mm, 2.58 gm). NGC Choice XF 4/5 - 4/5. Head of Athena left, of archaic style, wearing Corinthian helmet pushed back on head / Quadripartite incuse square, partially filled. Bodenstedt 41.

- 32085 IONIA. Priene. Ca. 210-200 BC. AR tetradrachm (30mm, 17.16 gm, 11h).** NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5. Posthumous issue in the name and types of Alexander III the Great of Macedon, ca. 210-200 BC. Head of Heracles right, wearing lion skin head-dress, paws tied before neck / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Zeus enthroned left, right leg drawn back, feet on ground line, eagle in right hand, scepter in left; trident head upward above ΗΡΩΥ monogram in left field, meander pattern in exergue. Price 2245. Extremely rare - only two examples in sales archives.
- 32086 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 250-200 BC. AR didrachm (20mm, 6.72 gm, 12h).** NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5. Mnasimachus, magistrate. Radiate head of Helios facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in center and swept to either side / ΜΝΑΣΙΜΑΧΟΣ, rose with single bud on tendril to right; P-O flanking stem, figure of Athena standing left holding aphlaston in left field. HGC 6, 1439. Scuff noted on reverse for accuracy.
- 32087 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 250-230 BC. AR didrachm (20mm, 6.73 gm, 11h).** NGC AU 5/5 - 4/5. Mnasimachus, magistrate. Radiate head of Helios facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in center and swept to either side / ΜΝΑΣΙΜΑΧΟΣ, rose with single bud on tendril to right; P-O flanking stem, figure of Athena standing left holding aphlaston in left field. HGC 6, 1439.
- 32088 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 230-205 BC. AR tetradrachm (25mm, 13.45 gm, 11h).** NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 3/5, **Fine Style.** Ameinias, magistrate. Radiate facing head of Helios, turned slightly right, hair parted in middle and swept to either side / ΡΟΔΙΟΝ, rose with single bud on tendril to right; ΑΜΕΙΝΙΑΣ flanking stem, galley prow in left field. HGC 6, 1432.



- 32089 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 230-205 BC. AR tetradrachm (26mm, 13.52 gm, 12h).** NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5. Ameinias, magistrate. Radiate facing head of Helios, turned slightly right, hair parted in middle and swept to either side / ΡΟΔΙΟΝ, rose with single bud on tendril to right; ΑΜΕΙΝΙΑΣ flanking stem, galley prow in left field. HGC 6, 1432.
- 32090 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 230-205 BC. AR tetradrachm (24mm, 13.46 gm, 1h).** NGC XF 5/5 - 4/5. Ca. mid-late 220s BC, Aristocritus, magistrate. Radiate facing head of Helios, turned slightly right, hair parted in middle and swept to either side / ΑΡΙΣΤΟΚΡΙΤΟΣ, rose with single bud on stem to right; P-O flanking stem, branch in left field. HGC 6, 1432. Ashton 214.
- 32091 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 230-205 BC. AR tetradrachm (26mm, 13.40 gm, 12h).** NGC XF 5/5 - 3/5. Ameinias, magistrate. Radiate facing head of Helios, turned slightly right, hair parted in middle and swept to either side / ΡΟΔΙΟΝ, rose with single bud on tendril to right; ΑΜΕΙΝΙΑΣ flanking stem, galley prow in left field. HGC 6, 1432. Ashton 213.

- 32092 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 84-30 BC. AR drachm (20mm, 4.16 gm, 4h).** NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5. Euphranor, magistrate. Radiate head of Helios facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in center and swept to either side / ΕΥΦΡΑΝΩΡ, rose in full bloom seen from above; caduceus left below; P-O across field. HGC 6, 1456.
- 32093 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 84-30 BC. AR drachm (20mm, 4.20 gm, 10h).** NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5. Micion, magistrate. Radiate head of Helios facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in center and swept to either side / ΜΙΚΙΩΝ, rose in full bloom seen from above; caduceus left below; P-O across fields. HGC 6, 1456.
- 32094 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 84-30 BC. AR drachm (19mm, 4.03 gm, 10h).** NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5. Meicion, magistrate. Radiate head of Helios facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in center and swept to either side / ΜΕΙΚΙΩΝ, rose in full bloom seen from above; caduceus left below; P-O across field. HGC 6, 1456.
- 32095 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 84-30 BC. AR drachm (20mm, 3.88 gm, 2h).** NGC MS 4/5 - 4/5. Basileides, magistrate. Radiate head of Helios facing, turned slightly left, hair parted in center and swept to either side / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΙΔΗΣ, rose in full bloom seen from above; grain ear left below; P-O across field. HGC 6, 1456.



- 32096 CARIAN ISLANDS. Rhodes. Ca. 1st century AD. AE (36mm, 24.84 gm, 12h).** NGC Choice VF★ 5/5 - 4/5. Sphairos, magistrate. Radiate head of Helios facing, turned slightly right, hair parted in center and swept to either side / ΡΟ, rose in full bloom seen from above; ΣΦΑΙΡΟΣ below, all within wreath. HGC 6, 1468. Ashton 105-6. SNG Copenhagen 870.
- 32097 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Alyattes or Walwet (ca. 610-546 BC). EL third-stater or trite (13mm, 4.65 gm).** NGC VF 4/5 - 4/5. Uninscribed, Lydo-Milesian standard. Sardes mint. Head of lion right, mouth open, mane bristling, radiate globule above eye / Two square punches of different size, side by side, with irregular interior surfaces. Linzalone 1090. Weidauer 86. Boston 1764. SNG von Aulock 2868. SNG Kayhan 1013.

*Lydia was the first kingdom of the ancient world to make widespread use of the newly invented medium of coinage. Previously, city-states along the Anatolian coast had experimented with pre-weighing nuggets of electrum and marking them with various abstract designs. Alyattes, who founded the Lydian Kingdom circa 619 BC, standardized the striking of coins on a wide scale and used as an obverse design an image of the sun (shown as a "radiate globule") rising over a lion's head, the symbol of his family, the Mermnadae.*

**32098 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Alyattes or Walwet (ca. 610-546 BC). EL third-stater or trite (12mm, 4.71 gm). About XF, countermarks.** Uninscribed, Lydo-Milesian standard. Sardes mint. Head of lion right, mouth open, mane bristling, radiate globule above eye / Two square punches of different size, side by side, with irregular interior surfaces. Linzalone 1090. Weidauer 86. Boston 1764. SNG von Aulock 2868. SNG Kayhan 1013.

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**32099 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Walwet (before ca. 560 BC). EL sixth-stater or hecte (10mm, 2.32 gm). NGC Choice VF 3/5 - 3/5.** Lydo-Milesian standard. Sardes(?) mint. Confronting lion's heads, only the left (facing right) visible; WALWET (in Lydian script) between / Two incuse square punches of unequal size, side by side, with irregular interior surfaces. Weidauer Group XVII, 103.

**32100 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Alyattes or Walwet (ca. 610-546 BC). EL 1/12 stater or hemihecte (8mm, 1.17 gm). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Sardes mint. Head of roaring lion right, radiate nodule on forehead / Incuse square with irregular interior surfaces. Weidauer 90. Traité I 47. SNG Kayhan 1015.

**32101 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Alyattes or Walwet (ca. 610-546 BC). EL 1/12 stater or hemihecte (7mm, 1.18 gm). NGC AU 4/5 - 4/5.** Sardes mint. Head of roaring lion right, radiate nodule on forehead / Incuse square with irregular interior surfaces. Weidauer 90. Traité I 47. SNG Kayhan 1015.

**32102 LYDIAN KINGDOM. Croesus (561-546 BC). AV 1/12 stater or hemihecte (7mm, 0.66 gm). NGC Choice VF 4/5 - 4/5.** Sardes, 'light' standard, ca. 550-546 BC. Confronted foreparts of lion on left and bull on right, each with extended foreleg / Incuse square punch with irregular interior surfaces. SNG Munich 9. Gulbenkian 759. Extremely rare denomination.

**32103 LYDIA. Sardes. Ca. 188-173 BC. AR tetradrachm (33mm, 11h). NGC Choice XF, Fine Style.** Head of Heracles right, wearing lion skin headdress, paws tied before neck / ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, Zeus enthroned left, right leg drawn back, feet on ground line, eagle in right hand, scepter in left; veiled, turreted, draped bust of Tyche left in left field, KA monogram below throne. Price 2693.

**32104 ACHAEMENID PERSIA. Darius I (ca. 520-505 BC). AR siglos (9mm, 5.34 gm). NGC VF★ 5/5 - 5/5.** Half-length bust of Persian hero-king right, crowned and wearing royal robes, arrows in right hand, bow in outstretched left hand / Oblong incuse punch. Carradice Type I (pl. XI, 10). BMC Arabia pl. XXVII, 25. Sunrise 17. Very rare.

**32105 CILICIA. Tarsus. Pharnabazus, as Satrap (ca. 380-374/3 BC). AR stater (22mm, 10.73 gm, 1h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Ca. 380-379 BC. Head of female (Arethusa?) facing, turned slightly left, hair in ampyx, wearing single pendant earrings and necklace with pendants; dolphin to lower left, linear border / FRNBZW (Aramaic), bearded head (Mars?) left, wearing crested Attic helmet with upturned cheek flap decorated with griffin head, drapery around neck; no border. Casabonne series 3. SNG von Aulock 5916-7.

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**32106 CILICIA. Tarsus. Mazaeus, as Satrap (361-334 BC). AR stater (23mm, 11.05 gm, 1h). NGC MS 5/5 - 3/5.** B'LTRZ (Aramaic), Ba'altars seated left, head facing, eagle, grain ear and grapes in right hand, scepter in left; TR (Aramaic) to lower left, M (Aramaic) below strut / MZDI (Aramaic), lion attacking bull left. Casabonne series 2, group C. SNG Levante 106. SNG Copenhagen -. SNG France 2 -.

*Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection (Sotheby's, 20 June 1991), lot 614 (part)*

**32107 CILICIA. Tarsus. Mazaeus, as Satrap (361-334 BC). AR stater (23mm, 11.01 gm, 1h). NGC MS 4/5 - 3/5, slight die shift.** B'LTRZ (Aramaic), Ba'altars seated left, head facing, eagle, grain ear and grapes in right hand, scepter in left; TR (Aramaic) to lower left, M (Aramaic) below strut / MZDI (Aramaic), lion attacking bull left. Casabonne series 2, group C. SNG Levante 106. SNG Copenhagen -. SNG France 2 -.

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**32108 CYPRUS. Paphos. Stasandros (ca. 425-400 BC). AR stater (22mm, 10.95 gm, 3h). NGC Choice XF 3/5 - 4/5.** Bull standing left on beaded double line; winged solar disk above, ankh to left, all within dotted border / pa-si sa-ta-sa-to (Cypriot script), eagle standing left; ankh to lower left, all within dotted square border in incuse square. Babelon, Perses 749a. BMC (Paphos) plate XXI, 9.

**32109 CYPRUS. Salamis. Uncertain king (480-460 BC). AR stater (20mm, 8h). NGC VF.** e-u-we-le-to-to-se (Cypriot=Euelthon (father of Nicodamus)), ram recumbent left; ivy leaf before, dotted border / pa-u-si-o (Cypriot), legend counterclockwise around from lower right, large ornate ankh enclosing pa (Cypriot); all within incuse square. Zapiti & Michaelidou 12-3 var. (reverse legend). BMC plate X, 7-8 var. (same). Tziambazis -. SNG Copenhagen -.

**32110 SELEUCID KINGDOM. Seleucus I Nicator (312-281 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 17.19 gm, 10h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 3/5, brushed.** Seleucia II (2nd Workshop), from ca. 296/5 BC. Laureate head of Zeus right; dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ, Athena, brandishing spear overhead in right hand, shield on left arm, in car of quadriga pulled by horned elephants right; anchor right above, AB monogram to right of name, HIXP monogram below name in exergue, dotted border. SC 130.20. ESM 49.



**32111 SELEUCID KINGDOM. Antiochus III the Great (222-187 BC). AR tetradrachm (30mm, 16.62 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** "Sardes" (really a Phrygian mint, probably Laodicea on the Lycus), series 3, from 203 BC. Diademed head of Antiochus III right with youthful features but very shallow eye, break in bangs indicating incipient baldness at temple, horn over ear, one diadem end waving upward, the other falling straight behind; bead-and-reel border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ANTI-OXOY, Apollo seated left on omphalos, testing arrow in right hand, left hand on plain grounded bow right behind. SC -, cf. 998 (obverse die of 997 and 998.1-4). No examples listed in SC for this obverse with no controls on the reverse and Apollo seated left.

**32112 SELEUCID KINGDOM. Antiochus III the Great (222-187 BC). AR tetradrachm (28mm, 12h). NGC Choice VF. ΔI** mint in southern or eastern Syria, from ca. 202 BC. Diademed head of Antiochus III right, older portrait with short hair lying close to skull, hairline with slight break, diadem ends falling straight behind; heavy dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ANTI-OXOY, Apollo seated left on omphalos, testing arrow in right hand, left hand resting on grounded bow with grip marked by two pellets at right; ΔI in exergue, heavy dotted border. SC 1112.

**32113 SELEUCID KINGDOM. Antiochus VII Euergetes (Sidetes) (138-129 BC). AR tetradrachm (29mm, 14.14 gm, 12h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Tyre, dated Seleucid Era 176 (137/6 BC). Diademed, draped bust of Antiochus VII right, seen from front; dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ-ANTI-OXOY, eagle standing left on prow, palm over right wing; A/PE above club surmounted by TYP monogram to left, AΣY monogram above COP (date) to right, ΠIIP monogram between legs. SC 2109.4a.

**32114 SELEUCID KINGDOM. Antiochus VII Euergetes (Sidetes) (138-129 BC). AR tetradrachm (30mm, 16.75 gm, 11h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Posthumous issue under Ariarathes VII (112-100 BC) of Cappadocia, ca. 104-102 BC. Diademed head of Antiochus VII right, diadem ends falling straight behind; bead-and-reel border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ANTI-OXOY / EYEP-ΓEΤOY, Athena standing facing, head left, Nike in left hand extending wreath toward border, right hand resting on grounded shield, spear resting against left arm; ΔI monogram above A in outer left field, Δ in inner right field, laureate border. SC 2144.4.

**32115 SELEUCID KINGDOM. Antiochus VIII Epiphanes (Grypus) (121-96 BC). AR tetradrachm (28mm, 15.89 gm, 1h). NGC Choice Fine 5/5 - 1/5, brushed.** Mallus. Diademed head of Antiochus VIII right, diadem ends falling straight behind; M in left field, bead-and-reel border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ANTI-OXOY / EΠIΦAHOYΣ, cult statue of Athena Magarsia standing facing, grounded spear in right hand, left hand outstretched; star above each shoulder, BK monogram to lower left, TI to lower right. SC -, cf. 2290 for type.

**32116 PHOENICIA. Byblus. Ozbaal or Azbaal (ca. 400-340 BC). AR shekel (25mm, 13.14 gm, 2h). NGC AU 4/5 - 4/5.** War galley proceeding left with prow terminating in lion's head, containing three hoplites with crested helmets and round shields, on zigzag line of waves; OZ (Phoenician) above back of hippocamp left, murex shell below / 'ZBL' MLK GBL (Phoenician), lion left attacking bull left. SNG Copenhagen 132. HGC 10, 133.

**32117 NEAR EAST or EGYPT. Ca. 5th-4th centuries BC. AR tetradrachm (26mm, 18.50 gm, 3h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Head of Athena right, wearing crested Attic helmet ornamented with three laurel leaves and vine scroll / AΘE, owl standing right, head facing; olive sprig and crescent moon behind, all within incuse square. Peter van Alfen, "The 'Owls' from the 1989 Syria Hoard with a review of Pre-Macedonian Coinage in Egypt." AJN 14 (2002), pl. 11, 2. For Athens prototype, cf. HGC 4, 1597. cf. SNG Copenhagen 31-40. cf. Kroll 8.

**32118 PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Ptolemy I Soter (305/4-282 BC). AR tetradrachm (26mm, 15.61 gm, 12h). NGC XF 4/5 - 3/5, Fine Style, bankers mark, scratches.** Attic standard, in the name of Alexander III the Great. Alexandria, ca. 306-300 BC. Horned head of deified Alexander III right, wearing elephant skin head-dress, mitra and scaly aegis; dotted border / AΛEΞANΔPOY, Athena advancing right, brandishing spear with right hand, shield on left arm; helmet right above eagle right on thunderbolt in outer right field, HP monogram in inner right field. CPE 65. Svoronos 170.

**32119 PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Ptolemy II Philadelphus (285/4-246 BC). AR stater or tetradrachm (26mm, 11h). NGC Choice XF.** Tyre, undated (ca. 274 BC). Diademed head of Ptolemy I right, aegis around neck; dotted border / ΠITOAEMAIOY-BAΣIΛEΩΣ, eagle with closed wings standing left on thunderbolt; TYP monogram above club in left field. CPE 561. Svoronos 644.

**32120 PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Ptolemy V Epiphanes (204-180 BC). AR stater or tetradrachm (27mm, 14.23 gm, 11h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 3/5, brushed.** Alexandria, ca. 204 BC. Diademed head of Ptolemy I right, aegis tied around neck; dotted border / ΠITOAEMAIOY-BAΣIΛEΩΣ, eagle with closed wings standing left on thunderbolt; no control marks, dotted border. Svoronos 1231. SNG Copenhagen 244-245.

*Ex Pegasi Numismatics, Auction XXIII (23 November 2010), lot 270*

**32121 PTOLEMAIC EGYPT. Ptolemy VI Philometor (180-145 BC). AR didrachm (22mm, 6.94 gm, 12h). NGC AU 5/5 - 3/5.** Uncertain mint in Cyprus, dated year 106 of an uncertain era, 157/6 BC. Diademed head of Ptolemy I right, aegis tied around neck; beaded border / ΠITOAEMAIOY-BAΣIΛEΩΣ, eagle standing left on thunderbolt; PC (date) on thunderbolt. Svoronos 1213 (Ptolemy IV). SNG Copenhagen 552.



**32122 PARTHIAN KINGDOM. Arsaces XVI (ca. 78-62/1 BC). AR tetradrachm (31mm, 16.01 gm, 11h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 2/5, scuff.** Seleucia on the Tigris. Diademed bust of Arsaces XVI left, wearing short beard and spiral torque; dotted border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΜΕΓΑΛΟΥ ΑΡΣ-ΑΚΟΥ / ΘΕΟΠΑΤΟΡΟΣ ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΟΥ / ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ ΦΙΛΕΛΛΗΝΟΣ, archer (Arsaces I) enthroned right, wearing cidaris, bow in outstretched right hand; ΚΔΟ monogram above bow. Sellwood 30.2 (unknown king). Shore - (Orodes I). Sunrise 311. Very rare.

**32123 BACTRIAN KINGDOM. Euthydemus II (ca. 185-180 BC). AR tetradrachm (32mm, 11h). ANACS XF45.** Diademed, draped bust of Euthydemus right / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΕΥΘΥΔΗΜΟΥ, Heracles standing facing, holding wreath, club, and lion skin; KP monogram to left. Boparachchi 1C. Boparachchi & Rahman 142. SNG ANS 216.

*Euthydemus II was evidently the son of Demetrius I, the great Greco-Bactrian king whose conquests pushed deep into Northern India and enlarged the realm to its greatest territorial extent. He seems to have ruled jointly with his father, but likely did not succeed him, as all of his rare coins depict him as a young boy.*



**32124 BACTRIAN KINGDOM. Eucratides I the Great (ca. 170-145 BC). AR tetradrachm (30mm, 16.95 gm, 11h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Draped and cuirassed bust of Eucratides I right, seen from front, wearing crested Bactrian helmet adorned with bull's horn and ear; bead-and-reel border / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΜΕΓΑΛΟΥ / ΕΥΚΡΑΤΙΔΟΥ, the Dioscuri on horses prancing right, both with couched spear in right hand, palm in left over shoulder; ΔΝΦ monogram in lower right field. HGC 12, 131. Boparachchi 6F. High relief portrait with abundant golden toning.

## JUDAEA

**32125 JUDAEA. Herodians. Herod I the Great (40-4 BC). AE 8-prutot (24mm, 6.65 gm, 12h). XF, altered surfaces.** Samaritan mint, dated Regnal Year 3 (38/7 BC). Facing helmet with star atop crest; palms to either side / ΗΡΩΔΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, tripod with ceremonial bowl above; L-Γ (date) to left, monogram to right. Hendin 1169. Altered surfaces, thus ineligible for encapsulation.

SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS.

*Ex Zuzim Judaea, private sale with old dealer tag*

**32126 JUDAEA. Bar Kokhba Revolt (AD 132-135). AR zuz (20mm, 3.38 gm, 1h). NGC AU 3/5 - 4/5, overstruck.** Dated Year 2 (AD 133/4). *Sm'* (Paleo-Hebrew abbreviation for Simon), name within wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / *Year 2 of the freedom of Israel* (Paleo-Hebrew), fluted oinochoe with handle on left, upright willow branch to right. Hendin 1391. Overstruck on a denarius of Hadrian with significant details and legend of the host coin visible on the reverse.

**32127 JUDAEA. Bar Kokhba Revolt (AD 132-135). AR zuz (18mm, 3.39 gm, 2h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 5/5, overstruck.** Undated issue of Year 3 (AD 134/5). *Simon* (more accurately *Simna* with letter arrangement) (Paleo-Hebrew), name within wreath of thin branches wrapped around eight almonds, medallion at top, tendrils at bottom / *For the freedom of Jerusalem* (Paleo-Hebrew), fluted oinochoe with handle on left. Hendin 1423.

*From the Estate of Gerald 'Jerry' Farber*

## INDIA

**32128 INDIA. Kushan Empire. Vasudeva I (ca. AD 190-230). AV dinar (21mm, 12h). ANACS XF40.** Main mint, Mathura/Gandhara. Π-AONANΘΡΑΟ ΒΑ-ΖΟΔΗΟ ΚΟΡΑΝΟ, Vasudeva I standing facing, nimbate head left with mustache, wearing jewel edged triangular helmet with front and side medallions, flames on right shoulder, fully armored with knee length tunic with heavy segmented collar and neck guard, coils covering arms, skirt of plate mail over trousers and boots, long sword on left hip, sacrificing with right hand over lit altar to left, trident in left; filleted trident to left / O-hP-O, ithyphallic Siva standing facing, nimbate with hair in topknot and curls continuing over shoulders, bare to waist, wearing ankle length dhoti with symmetrical folds, diadem in right hand, trident with bent shaft in left; the bull Nandi behind standing left with only left back leg visible, tamgha to right. ANS Kushan 1084 and Göbl 503.6 (reverse)/ANS Kushan 1085 and Göbl 509 (obverse).

**32129 INDIA. Kushan Empire. Vasishka (ca. AD 247-267). AV dinar (22mm, 12h). ANACS XF45.** Main mint, Gandhara, early phase. ΠAONANΘΡΑΟ ΒΑΖΗ-ΠΚΟ ΚΟΡΑΝΟ, Vasishka standing facing, nimbate head left, wearing jeweled conical hat, and earring, jeweled open kaftan with loose fitting sleeves and arched hemline, over high collared tunic, trousers and boots, sacrificing with right hand over altar to left, staff surmounted by dot tipped ribbons in left hand; filleted trident to left, *kho* (Brahmi) between altar and leg, *tha* (Brahmi) between feet, *chu* (Brahmi) to right of staff / ΑΡΔΟΧΡΟ, Ardoxsho seated facing on wide, high backed throne with ornate legs, nimbate head facing, feet on piles of scattered coins, filleted garland in right hand, cradling cornucopia in left arm; tamgha to upper left, *tha* (Brahmi) to upper right. ANS Kushan 1606-7.

**32130 INDIA. Kushan Empire. Kanishka III (ca. AD 267-270). AV dinar (21mm, 7.87 gm, 11h). ANACS AU 58.** Taxila, 4th emission.  $\text{PAONANO}\text{P}\text{AO KANH-}\text{P}\text{KO KO}\text{P}\text{ANO}$ , Kanishka III standing facing in sleeveless jeweled kaftan with open front and arched hemline, over armor, coils covering arms, trousers and boots, nimbate head left wearing jeweled conical hat, flames on right shoulder, sword in scabbard on left hip, filleted standard in left hand, sacrificing over altar to left with right hand; filleted trident to left; *ga* (Brahmi) to right of altar; *gho* (Brahmi) between legs; *pri* (Brahmi) to right of scepter /  $\text{Oh}\text{P}\text{O}$ , ithyphallic, exceptionally muscular, Siva standing facing, with three nimbate heads, bare to waist, wearing knee-length dhoti and knee-high boots, garland or diadem in right hand, trident in left; the bull Nandi behind standing left, tamgha to upper left. cf. ANS Kushan 1645 for type (Siva with one head and ankle length dhoti).

*Note - the holder assigns this coin to Kanishka II, however, apart from the noted exception for variety, the obverse matches Kanishka III in ANS.*

**32131 INDIA. Kushan Empire. Vasudeva II (ca. AD 290-310). AV dinar (21mm, 12h). ANACS AU 50.** Main mint, Mathura/Gandhara.  $\text{PAONANO}\text{P}\text{AO BA-ZO}\Delta\text{HO KO}\text{P}\text{ANO}$ , Vasudeva standing facing, nimbate head left, with sideburns and mustache, wearing conical jeweled hat, stylized flames on right shoulder, partially opened kaftan with sharply arched hemline over trousers and boots, long sword on left hip, sacrificing with right hand over lit altar to left, ribboned staff with double knot finials in left; filleted trident to left, *rju* (Brahmi) between altar and left, *gho* (Brahmi) between feet, *tra* (Brahmi) to right of feet, *rda* (Brahmi) to right of staff /  $\text{Oh}\text{P}\text{O}$ , ithyphallic Siva standing facing, nimbate with hair in topknot and curls continuing over shoulders, bare to waist, wearing ankle length dhoti with symmetrical folds, diadem in right hand, trident with bent shaft in left; the bull Nandi behind standing left, tamgha to upper left. ANS Kushan 1650. Göbl 630.3.

**32132 INDIA. Kushan Empire. Vasudeva II (ca. AD 290-310). AV dinar (21mm, 12h). ANACS AU 50.** Main mint, Mathura/Gandhara.  $\text{PAONANO}\text{P}\text{AO BA-ZO}\Delta\text{HO KO}\text{P}\text{ANO}$ , Vasudeva standing facing, nimbate head left, with sideburns and mustache, wearing conical jeweled hat, stylized flames on right shoulder, partially opened kaftan with sharply arched hemline over trousers and boots, long sword on left hip, sacrificing with right hand over lit altar to left, ribboned staff with double knot finials in left; filleted trident to left, *rju* (Brahmi) between altar and left, *gho* (Brahmi) between feet, *tra* (Brahmi) to right of feet, *rda* (Brahmi) to right of staff /  $\text{Oh}\text{P}\text{O}$ , ithyphallic Siva standing facing, nimbate with hair in topknot and curls continuing over shoulders, bare to waist, wearing ankle length dhoti with symmetrical folds, diadem in right hand, trident with bent shaft in left; the bull Nandi behind standing left; tamgha to upper left. ANS Kushan 1650. Göbl 630.3.



**32133 INDIA. Kushan Empire. Mahi (ca. AD 300). AV dinar (22mm, 7.84 gm, 11h). ANACS MS 63.** Uncertain mint. Mahi standing facing, nimbate head left, wearing partially opened kaftan with sharply arched hemline, sacrificing with right hand over lit altar, ribboned staff with double knot finials in left; filleted trident to left, *ma* (Brahmi) under king's left arm, *mahi* to right, traces of Bactrian inscription around rim /  $\text{O}\Delta\text{O}\Delta\text{O}$ , Goddess Ardoxsho seated facing, filleted investiture garland in right hand, cornucopia in left; tamgha to left above. ANS Kushan -. Göbl 582. Donum Burns 755.

*Ex Classical Numismatic Group, Electronic Auction 421 (30 May 2018), lot 423; Heritage Auctions, 3057 Long Beach (7 September 2017), lot 32169*

*ANS Kushan only has one entry (1666) for Mahi, which is of very different style from the present example, and with pu (Brahmi) on the obverse instead of ma.*

**32134 INDIA. Gupta Empire. Samudragupta (ca. AD 344-378). AV dinar (21mm, 11h). ANACS Fine 15.** Javelin type. Samudragupta, standing facing, nimbate head left, javelin in left hand, dropping incense with hand over lit altar to left; decorated altar surmounted by a Garuda facing at left, *samadra* (Brahmi) to right / Ardoxsho seated facing on throne, nimbate head facing, resting feet on scattered piles of coins, diadem in right hand, cornucopia in left; tamgha in left field, *parakrama* (Brahmi) to right. MACW 4773ff.

**32135 INDIA. Post-Kushan (Jammu and Kashmir). Kidarite Successors. Namvihakya. Mid 5th-6th centuries AD. Debased AV dinar (21mm, 12h). ANACS EF 40.** Abstract Kushan style king standing left; monogram of Kidara and *jaya* (Brahmi) to right / Abstract Ardoxsho seated facing, holding filleted investiture garland and cornucopia; *hakya* (Brahmi) to left, *sri namvi* (Brahmi) to right. MACW 3655. Donum Burns 1615.

**32136 INDIA. Bengal. Khadga Kings of Samatata. Anonymous Issue. ca. AD 575-600. AV dinar (21mm, 9h). ANACS AU 58.** King standing facing, head left, bow in left hand, arrow in right; standard surmounted by conch shell at left, thick dotted border / Lakshmi standing right, holding lotus in both hands, cloak flying behind; illegible inscription to right, all in linear circle, thick dotted border. Mitchiner 2000, 55.

## ROMAN PROVINCIAL

- 32137 BITHYNIA. Nicaea. Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC).** AE (22mm, 7.47 gm, 1h). NGC Choice Fine 4/5 - 2/5, light smoothing. C. Vibius Pansa, proconsul, dated Civic Year 236 (47/6 BC). ΝΙΚΑΕΩΝ, bare head of Julius Caesar right / ΕΠΙ ΓΑΙΟΥ / ΟΥΒΙΟΥ / ΠΑΝΣΑ, Nike advancing right, palm frond in left hand over shoulder, wreath upward in right; uncertain monograms to lower left and inner right, ζΑΣ (date) in exergue. RPC I 2026. BMC 8-9.

*This issue was one of only two Roman Provincials which have definitive lifetime portraits of Julius Caesar and was the first of them, the other from Lampsacus in 45 BC. The first appearance of his portrait on coinage in Rome was on the denarii of M. Mettius, in January 44 BC. C. Vibius Pansa was part of the Caesarian faction at Rome and was friends with Caesar under whom he served in Gaul. He was elected Plebeian Tribune in 51 BC and appointed governor of Bithynia et Pontus in 47 BC. He was the son of Caius Vibius C.f. C.n Pansa Caetronianus, who served as moneyer in Rome in 48 BC.*

- 32138 PHRYGIA. Cibyra. T. Clodius Eprius Marcellus, as Legate of Lycia (AD 53-56).** AE (18mm, 4.20 gm, 1h). NGC XF 5/5 - 3/5. ΜΑΡ-ΚΕΛΛΑΟC, laureate head of Marcellus right / ΚΙΒΥΡΑΤΩΝ, eagle standing facing on altar, head right, tail right. SNG von Aulock 8397 ("time of Tiberius"). RPC I 2890. Very rare with only six examples in sales archives.

*Marcellus was consul twice and is best known today for his prosecution of Thrax Paetus, a critic of the emperor Nero. In AD 79, Marcellus committed suicide after being found guilty of participating in a plot against Vespasian.*

- 32139 CAPPADOCIA. Caesarea. Britannicus (AD 41-45).** AE (23mm, 6.63 gm, 11h). NGC Choice Fine 4/5 - 4/5, countermark. Dated Year 8 (AD 48/9). ΚΑΛΑΥΔΙΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ-ΒΡΙΤΑΝΝΙΚΟC, bare head of Britannicus left; countermark of Mount Argaeus with ΚΑ Θ on neck / ΑΝΤΩΝΙΑ / ΟΚΤΑΟΥΙΑ, Antonia (on left) and Octavia (on right) standing facing, turned toward each other, both holding cornucopia in outer hand, clasping inner hands; ΚΑΙCΑΡ ΕΤ Η (date) in exergue. Sydenham, Caesarea 61. RPC I 3656. Howgego 424 for countermark.

- 32140 SYRIA. Laodicea ad Mare. Septimius Severus (AD 193-211).** AR tetradrachm (26mm, 12.48 gm, 12h). NGC AU 5/5 - 2/5, Fine Style. 2nd group, AD 207-208. ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙ-CΕΟΥΗΡΟC-C, laureate, cuirassed bust of Septimius Severus right, seen from front, gorgoneion on breastplate, trabea on left shoulder / ΔΗΜΑΡΧ•Χ•CΞ ΒΙΑΤΟC•Γ•, eagle standing facing, head and tail left, wreath in beak; star between legs. Prieur 1141.

- 32141 ASIA MINOR. Uncertain mint. Caracalla, as Augustus (AD 198-217).** AR tridrachm (25mm, 8.32 gm, 7h). NGC VF 5/5 - 1/5. ΙΜ C Μ ΑΥΡ•ΑΝ•ΤΟΝΙΝΥC ΑΥΓ, laureate head of young Caracalla right / ΒΙCΤΟΡΙΑ-ΑΥΓΒCΤΙ, Victory advancing left, holding wreath on both hands over shield set on low base. RIC IV.I 358A. Extremely rare. No examples in sales archives. RIC lists this coin as R3 and notes one example in Vienna.



- 32142 EGYPT. Alexandria. Hadrian (AD 117-138).** AE drachm (37mm, 12h). NGC Choice Fine, scratches. Dated Regnal Year 19 (AD 134/5). ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙC ΤΡΑΙΑΝ-ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟC CΕΒ, laureate head of Hadrian left / Λ-ΕΝΝΕ-ΑΚΔ (date), Zeus reclining left, patera in right hand, thunderbolt in left, on back of eagle standing facing, head right, tail left, wings spread. Emmett 1069.

## ROMAN REPUBLIC

- 32143 Anonymous. Ca. 225-214/2 BC.** AR didrachm or quadrigatus (22mm, 6.34 gm, 6h). NGC Choice VF★ 5/5 - 4/5. Laureate head of youthful Janus, two small annulets on top of head / Jupiter, hurling thunderbolt with right hand, scepter in left, in fast quadriga right driven by Victory; ROMA incuse on raised tablet below. Crawford 28/3. Sydenham 64.

- 32144 Anonymous. Ca. 225-217 BC.** AE semis (43mm, 70.98 gm, 11h). VF. Laureate head of Saturn left, S (mark of value) behind / Prow of war galley right, S (mark of value) above.

- 32145 L. Procilius f. (ca. 80 BC).** AR denarius (18mm, 3.88 gm, 1h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 5/5. Rome. Laureate head of Jupiter right, S•C behind / L•PROCILI / F, Juno Sospita advancing right, brandishing spear with right hand, shield on left arm; serpent coiled erect right before. Crawford 379/1. Sydenham 771. Procilia 1.

*Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection (Sotheby's, 20 June 1991), lot 1040 (part)*

- 32146 C. Hosidius C.f. Geta (ca. 68 or 64 BC).** AR denarius (18mm, 3.77 gm, 3h). NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5. Rome. GETA-III•VIR, draped bust of Diana right, seen from front, wearing stephane, pendant earring and necklace, hair tied in top knot; bow and quiver over left shoulder / C•HOSIDI C F, Calydonian boar running right, pierced by spear and attacked by dog crouching right. Crawford 407/1. Sydenham 904. Hosidia 2.

*Ex Numismatic Fine Arts (Auction XXVIII, 23 April 1992), Lot 999; Numismatic Fine Arts (Auction XX, 9 March 1988), Lot 25*

- 32147 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC).** AR denarius (18mm, 3.86 gm, 2h). NGC AU 3/5 - 3/5, brushed. Military mint traveling with Caesar in northern Italy, ca. 49-48 BC. CAESAR, elephant advancing right, trampling horned serpent / Pontifical implements: simpulum, aspergillum, securis (axe surmounted by dog or wolf's head), and apex. Crawford 443/1. Sydenham 1006. Julia 9.

- 32148 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC).** AR denarius (18mm, 4.00 gm, 3h). NGC XF 3/5 - 4/5. Military mint traveling with Caesar in northern Italy, ca. 49-48 BC. CAESAR, elephant advancing right, trampling horned serpent / Pontifical implements: simpulum, aspergillum, securis (axe surmounted by dog or wolf's head), and apex. Crawford 443/1. Sydenham 1006. Julia 9.

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**32149 Julius Caesar, as Dictator (49-44 BC). AR denarius (18mm, 3.89 gm, 5h). NGC AU★ 5/5 - 5/5.** Military mint moving with Caesar in North Africa, 48-46 BC. Diademed head of Venus right / CAESAR, Aeneas advancing left, palladium in right hand, carrying Anchises on his left shoulder. Crawford 458/1. CRI 55. Sydenham 1013. Lovely toning.

## ROMAN IMPERIAL

**32150 Octavian, as Sole Imperator (31-27 BC). AR denarius (21mm, 3.73 gm, 3h). NGC Choice VF 4/5 - 3/5, bankers mark.** Italian mint (Rome?), 30-29 BC. Laureate terminal bust of Octavian right, as Terminus; thunderbolt behind / IMP - CAESAR across fields, Octavian seated left on curule chair, togate and holding Victory in right hand. RIC I, 270. CRI 427. RSC 116.

**32151 Augustus (27 BC-AD 14). AR denarius (20mm, 3.69gm 7h). NGC VF 5/5 - 3/5.** Spain (Colonia Patricia?), ca. 18-16 BC. Bare head of Augustus right with well-manicured hair; linear border / AVGVSTVS, Capricorn right, holding globe attached to rudder and bearing cornucopia on back. RIC I 126.

**32152 Augustus (27 BC-AD 14). AR denarius (21mm, 3.88 gm, 1h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5.** Lugdunum, 2 BC-AD 4. CAESAR AVGVSTVS-DIVI F PATER PATRIAE, laureate head of Augustus right / AVGVSTI F COS DESIG PRINC IVVENT, Caius and Lucius Caesars, togate, standing facing, each supporting grounded shield, spears resting against shields; simpulum (inward on left) and lituus (inward on right) above; C L CAESARES in exergue. RIC I 207.

**32153 Augustus (27 BC-AD 14). AR denarius (20mm, 3.72 gm, 5h). NGC XF★ 5/5 - 4/5.** Lugdunum, 2 BC-AD 4. CAESAR AVGVSTVS-DIVI F PATER PATRIAE, laureate head of Augustus right; dotted border / AVGVSTI F COS DESIG PRINC IVVENT / C L CAESARES, Gaius and Lucius Caesars, togate, standing facing, each supporting grounded shield with inner hand, spears resting against shields; simpulum (on left) and lituus (on right) turned inwards above, dotted border. RIC I 207

**32154 Tiberius (AD 14-37). AR denarius (18mm, 3.83 gm, 1h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5.** Lugdunum. TI CAESAR DIVI-AVG F AVGVSTVS, laureate head of Tiberius right / PONTIF-MAXIM, Livia (as Pax), seated right on chair, feet on footstool, scepter in right hand, olive branch in left, plain chair legs; double line below. RIC I 26.

**32155 Tiberius (AD 14-37). AR denarius (19mm, 3.78 gm, 12h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5.** Lugdunum. TI CAESAR DIVI-AVG F AVGVSTVS, laureate head of Tiberius right / PONTIF-MAXIM, Livia (as Pax), seated right on chair, feet on footstool, scepter in right hand, olive branch in left, plain chair legs; double line below. RIC I 26.

**32156 Tiberius (AD 14-37). AR denarius (19mm, 3.86 gm, 3h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 3/5.** Lugdunum. TI CAESAR DIVI-AVG F AVGVSTVS, laureate head of Tiberius right / PONTIF-MAXIM, Livia (as Pax), seated right on chair, feet on footstool, scepter in right hand, olive branch in left, plain chair legs; double line below. RIC I 26.

**32157 Agrippina Senior (died AD 33). AE sestertius (35mm, 31.94 gm, 6h). Choice XF, details.** Rome, ca. AD 37-41. AGRIPPINA M F MAT C CAESARIS AVGVSTI, draped bust of Agrippina Senior right, seen from front, hair falling in queue down back of neck / S•P•Q•R / MEMORIAE / AGRIPPINAE, decorated funerary carpentum drawn by two mules left, the side ornamented, the cover supported by standing figures at the corners. RIC I (Gaius) 55. BMCRE 86-7 (Caligula). Areas of bronze disease, which have since been neutralized and repaired, and the surfaces sealed in museum wax, thus ineligible for encapsulation.

SOLD AS IS, NO RETURNS.

*Ex Private Japanese Collection; The Dr. Patrick Tan Collection (Heritage Auction 3032, CICF, 10 April 2014), lot 23898; Triton XIV (4 January 2011), lot 639*

*Vipsania Agrippina was born in 14 BC to Julia the Elder, daughter of Caesar Augustus, and to his right-hand-man Marcus Agrippa. Though her Julio-Claudian family was the most powerful in the Empire, it was also shot through with intrigue, tension, and untimely death. Her father died when she was only two. A few years later Augustus exiled her mother for serial adultery, effectively orphaning her and her three brothers, who were taken into the imperial household and raised by the emperor and his wife, the arch-manipulator Livia Drusilla. In the drama-filled last decade of Augustus' reign, all three of her brothers died young, or were murdered, clearing the path for the succession of Livia's son Tiberius. Agrippina was also married during this span, between 1 BC and AD 5, to Germanicus, the charismatic nephew of Tiberius and her own second maternal cousin. Though supremely political, the union was also very happy and the couple eventually had nine children, including the future emperor Gaius 'Caligula' and empress Agrippina the Younger. All ancient historians agree Agrippina was a model of rectitude and matronly virtue; she also went beyond the traditional role of a Roman wife and mother in accompanying Germanicus on risky military campaigns and foreign postings. The Roman people admired her courage; however she also had an imperious nature and longed for the day when her husband would inherit supreme power. The mysterious death of Germanicus while on a diplomatic mission in the East in AD 19 dashed these hopes. Agrippina believed Tiberius and/or Livia had a hand in his demise and made no secret of her suspicions. This put her squarely in the crosshairs of Sejanus, Tiberius' unscrupulous Praetorian prefect, who waged a patient campaign to undermine her in the eyes of Tiberius and the public. In AD 29 she was charged with treason and banished to a remote island; repeatedly abused and starved, she died four years later. Upon the death of Tiberius, her son Gaius 'Caligula' became emperor and rehabilitated his mother's reputation, striking this handsome sestertius to mark the occasion when her ashes were formally returned to Rome and interred in the mausoleum of Augustus.*

**32158 Gaius 'Caligula' (AD 37-41), with Divus Augustus. AR denarius (19mm, 3.39 gm, 11h). NGC Fine 4/5 - 1/5, smoothing.** Lugdunum, AD 37. C•CAESAR AVG GERM P M TR POT COS, bare head of Caligula right / Radiate head of Divus Augustus right, flanked by two six-pointed stars. RIC I 2.

**32159 Nero (AD 54-68). AE sestertius (34mm, 25.65 gm, 7h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 2/5.** Rome, ca. AD 65. NERO CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG GER P M TR P IMP P P, laureate head of Nero right / PACE P R TERRA MARIQ PARTA IANVM CLVSIT, three-quarter view of temple of Janus with latticed window on left, front doors closed on right, garland draped across arched entrance; S-C across fields. RIC I -, cf. 266 (bust with aegis).



- 32160 Antoninus Pius, as Caesar (AD 138-161).** AE sestertertius (30mm, 24.45 gm, 6h). NGC Choice VF 5/5 - 3/5, Fine Style. Rome, AD 138. IMP T AELIVS CAE-SAR ANTONINVS, bare head of Antoninus Pius right / TRIB POT-CO-S, Pietas standing facing, head left, box of incense in left hand, raising right hand over lighted and garlanded altar to left, PIE-TAS / S-C across fields. RIC II.3 2743.

*Ex Niggeler Collection*

- 32161 Divus Antoninus Pius (AD 138-161).** AE sestertertius (32mm, 25.93 gm, 12h). NGC XF 5/5 - 3/5. Rome, after AD 161. DIVVS ANTONINVS, bare head of Divus Antoninus Pius right / CONSE-CRATIO, four tiered ustrinum (or pyre) - the lowest most of which represents a plain draped podium with three small festoons, and the profile of a festoon at each end. The next tier forms the sepulchral chamber for the reception of the dead body. In the center is a pair of paneled folding doors, flanked by three niches on left and two niches on right, all with statues and surmounted by a cornice. The tier above has four arched niches with statues and a cornice represented by beads; and the upper forms a lofty plain attic with hanging drapery in front. A lit torch flanks each end of the upper tier, which forms a pedestal surmounted by the quadriga of the deceased. All the tiers diminish in width from the base upwards so as to assume a pyramidal form. S-C across fields. RIC III (Marcus Aurelius) 1266.

*Ex Spink, private sale with old dealer tag*

- 32162 Clodius Albinus, as Augustus (AD 195-197).** AR denarius (17mm, 3.17 gm, 11h). NGC Choice XF 4/5 - 4/5. Rome, AD 195 or AD 196-197. IMP CAES D CLO-SEP ALB AVG, laureate head of Clodius Albinus right / FIDES LEG-ION COS II, clasped hands holding aquila. RIC IV.1 20b.

- 32163 Gordian I Africanus (March-April AD 238).** AR denarius (20mm, 2.51 gm, 12h). NGC Choice VF 4/5 - 1/5. Rome. IMP M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Gordian I right, seen from behind / SECVRITAS AVGG, Securitas seated left, short scepter in right hand. RIC IV.II 5.

- 32164 Gordian II Africanus (March-April AD 238).** AR denarius (19mm, 11h). ANACS Fine 15, tooled. Rome. IMP M ANT GORDIANVS AFR AVG, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Gordian II right, seen from behind / PROVIDENTIA AVGG, Providentia standing facing, head left, leaning left arms on column, legs crossed, wand downward in right hand over globe at feet, cornucopia in left. RIC IV.II 1. BMCRE 13. RSC 5.

*Born around AD 192, Marcus Antonius Gordianus Sempronianus Romanus the Younger followed his father into the Roman Senate during the reign of Elagabalus (AD 218-222). He attained the consulship in the reign of Severus Alexander (AD 222-235) and served as legate of Legio IV Scythica near Antioch, as well as governor of Achaea. In AD 237, he was appointed as a legate (or general) to Africa, a province then governed by his father. While a son serving under a father was hardly unusual, Africa at this time had no legionary force of its own, meaning Gordian II had command only over a small band of palace guards and auxiliary troops. In March of AD 238, a cadre of North African nobles in the town of Thyrsdrus forced the elder Gordian to accept the purple. Aged nearly 80, Gordian I realized he could not carry the burden alone and proclaimed his son Gordian II as co-emperor. However, Capelianus, governor of neighboring Numidia, remained loyal to Maximinus and marched on Carthage with the veteran Legio III Cyrenaica. Gordian II gathered a ragtag force and marched out to meet him, but the defenders had more heart than skill and fell in droves before the swords of Capelianus' legionaries. Gordian II died in battle and his body was never recovered. Upon hearing of the outcome, the elder Gordian hung himself. But the 22-day reign of the Gordians proved the aristocracy of Rome was not yet a spent force, and the revolt they began eventually succeeded in toppling Maximinus.*

- 32165 Pupienus (April-June AD 238).** AR denarius (21mm, 3.29 gm, 5h). NGC MS 4/5 - 5/5. Rome. IMP C M CLOD PVPIENVS AVG, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Pupienus right, seen from behind / P M TR P COS II P P, Felicitas standing facing, head left, caduceus in right hand, scepter in left. RIC IV.II 6.

- 32166 Pupienus (April-June AD 238).** AR denarius (21mm, 2.08 gm, 7h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 3/5. Rome. IMP C M CLOD PVPIENVS AVG, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Pupienus right, seen from behind / PAX-PVBLICA, Pax enthroned left, branch upward in right hand, transverse scepter in left. RIC IV.II 4.



- 32167 Trebonianus Gallus (AD 251-253).** AE sestertertius (28mm, 5h). NGC XF, Fine Style. Rome. IMP CAES C VIBIVS TREBONIANVS GALLVS AVG, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Trebonianus Gallus right, seen from behind / IVNONI MARTIALI, Juno enthroned facing, corn ears in right hand, globe in left, in round distyle temple decorated with festoons; S-C across fields. RIC IV.III 109.

- 32168 Laelianus, Romano-Gallic Empire (AD 269).** BI antoninianus (20mm, 2.99 gm, 7h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 4/5. Moguntiacum or Trier, mid AD 269. IMP C LAELIANVS P F AVG, radiate, cuirassed bust of Laelianus right, seen from front / VICT-ORI-A A-VG, Victory advancing right, wreath upward in right hand, palm in left over shoulder. RIC V.II 9.

**32169 Theodosius I, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 379-395). AV solidus (20mm, 4.23 gm, 6h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 3/5, clipped.** Sirmium, 8th officina, AD 393-395. D N THEODO-SIVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Theodosius I right, seen from front / VICTORI-A AVGGG H, emperor with bare head in military dress standing right, vexillum with X on banner in right hand, Victory on globe in left, left foot on bound captive turned back and looking up; S-M across fields, COMOB in exergue. RIC IX 15a8.

*Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection (Sotheby's, 20 June 1991), lot 985*

*Although RIC does not distinguish, there are two reverses for this issue - one with the emperor bare headed, as on the present example, and the other with the emperor wearing a pearl diadem.*

**32170 Honorius, Western Roman Empire (AD 393-423). AV solidus (19mm, 4.39 gm, 6h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Constantinople, 6th officina, ca. AD 397-402. D N HONORI-VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, helmeted, cuirassed bust of Honorius facing, head slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield with horseman motif in left / CONCORDI-A AVGG S• (S retrograde), Constantinopolis seated facing on backless throne, helmeted head right, scepter in right hand, Victory on globe in left, right foot on prow; CONOB in exergue. RIC X 8.

*Ex Nelson Bunker Hunt Collection (Sotheby's, 20 June 1991), lot 996*

**32171 Honorius, Western Roman Empire (AD 393-423). AV solidus (20mm, 4.27 gm, 6h). NGC Choice XF 5/5 - 4/5.** Ravenna, ca. AD 395-423. D N HONORI-VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Honorius right, seen from front / VICTORI-A AVGGG, emperor standing active right, left foot on captive with bent knees and large bust, vexillum in right hand, Victory on globe in left; R-V across fields, COMOB in exergue. RIC X 1328.

**32172 Honorius, Western Roman Empire (AD 393-423) AV semmissis (17mm, 2.21 gm, 6h). ANACS XF 45.** Ravenna, ca. AD 408-423. D N HONORI-VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Honorius right, seen from front / VICTORIA AVGVSTORVM, Victory seated right on cuirass, inscribing VOT/X/MVLT/XX on shield held by small winged genius standing left; R-V across fields, COMOB in exergue. RIC X 1312 or 1334. Flan flaw on reverse noted for accuracy.

*Ex Bramhall Collection (Classical Numismatic Group, Auction 96, 14 May 2014), lot 892; Anton C. R. Dreesmann Collection (Spink, 13 July 2000), lot 289; Sternberg XIX (18 November 1987), lot 864*

**32173 Valentinian III, Western Roman Empire (AD 425-455). AV solidus (21mm, 4.35 gm, 6h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Ravenna, AD 426-430. D N PLA VALENTI-NIANVS P F AVG, rosette-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Valentinian III right, seen from front / VICTORI-A AVGGG, Valentinian standing facing, long cross in right hand, Victory on globe in left, right foot on human-headed serpent with closed coil; R-V across fields, COMOB in exergue. RIC X 2011.

*Ex Malter Galleries, private sale with old dealer tag*



**32174 Arcadius, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 383-408). AV solidus (20mm, 4.47 gm, 5h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Constantinople, 9th officina, ca. AD 397-402. D N ARCADIVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, helmeted, cuirassed bust of Arcadius facing, head slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / CONCORDI-A AVGG Θ, Constantinopolis seated facing on plain throne, helmeted head right, scepter in right hand, Victory on globe in left, right foot on prow; CONOB in exergue. RIC X 7.

**32175 Theodosius II, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 402-450). AV solidus (22mm, 4.45 gm, 6h). NGC MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, ca. AD 441-450. D N THEODOSI-VS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, helmeted, cuirassed bust of Theodosius II facing, head turned slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / I I P XXXXII COS-XVII P P, Constantinopolis enthroned left, left foot on prow, scepter in left hand, globus cruciger in right, grounded shield at side; star in left field, COMOB in exergue. RIC X 285.

*The M in IMP on the reverse is missing the middle two legs. It doesn't appear as though it's an issue with the die being filled in as much as it looks like they were never engraved in the first place.*

**32176 Theodosius II, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 402-450). AV solidus (20mm, 4.40 gm, 7h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5.** Constantinople, 10th officina, ca. AD 408-420. D N THEODO-SIVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, helmeted, cuirassed facing bust of Theodosius II, head turned slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / CONCORDI-A AVGG I, Constantinopolis enthroned facing, helmeted head right, right foot on prow, scepter in right hand, Victory on globe in left; star in left field, CONOB in exergue. RIC X 202.

**32177 Theodosius II, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 402-450). AV solidus (21mm, 4.44 gm, 6h). NGC Choice AU★ 5/5 - 4/5.** Constantinople, 1st officina, ca. AD 408-419. D N THEODO-SIVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, helmeted, cuirassed bust of Theodosius II facing, head turned slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / CONCORDI-A AVGG A, Constantinopolis enthroned facing, helmeted head right, right foot on prow, scepter in right hand, Victory on globe in left; star in left field, CONOB in exergue. RIC X 202.

**32178 Theodosius II, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 402-450). AV solidus (21mm, 4.46 gm, 7h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5.** Constantinople, January-October AD 425. D N THEODO-SIVS P F AVG, pearl-diademed, helmeted, cuirassed bust facing slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / SALVS REI-PVBL-ICAE, Theodosius II seated facing and Valentinian III standing, both wearing consular robes, mappa in right hand, cruciform scepter in left; star above, CONOB in exergue. RIC X 235.

# ROMAN IMPERIAL-GERMANIC MIGRATION-BYZANTINE

**32179 Zeno, Eastern Roman Empire (AD 474-491). AV solidus (20mm, 4.46 gm, 6h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5, brushed.** Constantinople, 3rd officina, second reign, AD 476-491. D N ZENO-PERP AVG, diademed with no frontal jewel, helmeted, cuirassed bust of Zeno facing, head slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / VICTORI-A AVGGG I, Victory standing facing, head left, long jeweled cross with horizontal crossbar in right hand; star in right field, CONOB in exergue. RIC X 911 and 930.

## GERMANIC MIGRATION

**32180 EARLY GOTHS. Taman Peninsula Region. Late AD 3rd-mid 4th centuries. BI denarius (18mm, 1.66 gm, 11h). VF.** Degraded male head right of abstract design, rays emanating from central figure; group of four pellets and two crescents in field / Degraded figure of Mars carrying transverse spear and trophy; circle flanking legs on both sides, all within wreath. L.N. Kazamanova, "Varvarskie podrazhaniia rimskim denariam s tipom idushchego Marsa," Vestnik Drevneé Istorii 1 (1961), Group III. D. Faltin, "Taman Imitations - 'Coins of the Unknown People,'" The Celator 20, 7 (July 2006), pp. 22-6. Very rare.

*Although unrecognized in western numismatic literature, these coins have been studied by Russian and Ukrainian numismatists over the past century. The vast majority of the extant specimens have been found in the region of the Taman Peninsula, although some have been found throughout the Black Sea region and northern Caucasus. The context of their finds suggest they are datable from the mid-third to the early fourth centuries AD. The consensus among Russian numismatists is that these coins were issued by the Goths. Most prominent among these numismatists is L.N. Kazamanova, who has produced the most detailed study of the coins to date. She has determined that the coinage began as imitations of Roman denarii, the prototypes being of Marcus Aurelius or Septimius Severus with Mars advancing right on the reverse. Over time the obverse portrait and reverse type became more degenerate, eventually resulting in types that no longer resemble the original prototype. In her survey of the coins, Kazamanova has divided them into three groups based on the level of degeneration of the types, as well as their silver content. The present coin is from the latest group, which are of highly-debased billon with very degraded designs.*



**32181 GERMANIC TRIBES. Uncertain. Ca. mid-late 5th century AD. AV solidus (22mm, 4.49 gm, 5h). NGC MS 5/5 - 3/5.** Struck in the name of Theodosius II. D N THEOOO-VIS P F AVC (F inverted), pearl-diademed, helmeted, cuirassed bust facing slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield in left with horseman motif, diadem ribbons to left / VOT XXX-S-NVLT XXXX Δ (S retrograde), Constantinopolis enthroned left, foot on prow in the shape of an animal standing left, globus cruciger in right hand, scepter in left; shield at her side, star in right field; CONOB in exergue. Cf. RIC X 322 for prototype.

## BYZANTINE

**32182 Anastasius I (AD 491-518). AV solidus (21mm, 4.52 gm, 7h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 8th officina. D N ANASTA-SIVS PP AVG, helmeted, cuirassed bust of Anastasius I facing, head slightly right, spear in right hand over shoulder, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / VICTORI-A AVGGG H, Victory standing facing, head left, long staff surmounted by reversed staurogram in right hand; star in left field, CONOB in exergue. Sear 5.

*Ex Harlan Berk, private sale with old dealer tag*



**32183 Justinian I the Great (AD 527-565). AV solidus (21mm, 4.48 gm, 6h). NGC MS★ 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 6th officina, ca. AD 545-565. D N IVSTINI-ANVS PP AVG, cuirassed bust of Justinian I facing, wearing plumed helmet with pendilia, globus cruciger in right hand, shield decorated with horseman motif in left / VICTORI-A AVGGG S, angel standing facing, staff surmounted by staurogram in right hand, globus cruciger in left; star to right, CONOB in exergue. Sear 140. DOC 9.

**32184 Phocas (AD 602-610). AV solidus (21mm, 4.42 gm, 6h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 5th officina, AD 607-609. d N FOCAS-PERP AVG, crowned, draped and cuirassed bust of Phocas facing, globus cruciger in right hand / NICTORIA-AVCÇ C, angel standing facing, long staff terminating in staurogram in right hand, globus cruciger in left; CONOB in exergue. Sear 620. Interesting blundering of the reverse legend.

*Ex Steven Damron, private sale with old dealer tag*

**32185 Heraclius (AD 610-641), with Heraclius Constantine and Heraclonas. AV solidus (20mm, 4.50 gm, 6h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 5/5.** Constantinople, 10th officina, dated Indictional Year 9 (AD 636/7). Heraclius, wearing long beard and mustache (in center), Heraclius Constantine, beardless (on right), and Heraclonas, smaller and beardless (on left), all standing facing, Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine crowned, Heraclonas uncrowned in plain cap, all wearing chlamys pinned at right shoulder and with globus cruciger in right hand; cross in upper left field / VICTORIA-AVCÇ I, cross potent set on three steps; monogram in left field, Θ (date) in right field, CONOB+ below. Sear 760.

**32186 Constans II Pogonatus (AD 641-668), with Constantine IV, Heraclius and Tiberius. AV solidus (19mm, 4.44 gm, 7h). NGC MS 5/5 - 3/5, edge marks.** Constantinople mint, 4th officina, AD 662-667. d N CON-AN, draped facing busts of Constans II (on left), wearing plumed helmet with integral crown and long beard, and Constantine IV (on right), crowned, wearing chlamys pinned at right shoulder; cross above between / VICTORIA A-VÇÇ Δ, crowned and draped figures of Heraclius and Tiberius standing facing, both with globus cruciger in right hand; flanking cross potent set on three steps, CONOB in exergue. Sear 964.

- 32187** Leontius (AD 695-698). AV solidus (19mm, 4.46 gm, 5h). NGC Choice AU 4/5 - 3/5. Constantinople, 7th officina. D LCO-N PC AV, facing bust of Leontius, bearded, wearing crown with cross on circlet and lozenge pattern loros, akakia in raised right hand, globus cruciger in left / VICTORIA-AVCQ Z, cross potent set on three steps; CONOB below. Sear 1330.
- 32188** Leo III the Isaurian (AD 717-741), and Constantine V. AV semissis (17mm, 2.13 gm, 7h). NGC MS 5/5 - 3/5, light graffito, clipped. Constantinople, AD 732-737. d N D LCO-N PA MQL, crowned facing bust of Leo III, wearing chlamys pinned at right shoulder, globus cruciger in right hand, akakia in left / d N CONSTA-NTINQS M, crowned facing bust of Constantine V, beardless, wearing chlamys pinned at right shoulder, cross potent on globe in right hand, akakia in left. Sear 1506. DOC 12.
- 32189** Constantine V Copronymus (AD 740/1-775), with Leo III. AV solidus (22mm, 4.40 gm, 5h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 3/5, bent. Constantinople, AD 742-751. G-LCO-N P A MQL, crowned facing bust of Leo III, chlamys pinned at right shoulder, cross potent in right hand, akakia in left / G N CO-N-StANINQS, crowned facing bust of Constantine V, with short beard, chlamys pinned at right shoulder, cross potent in right hand, akakia in left. Sear 1550 var (pellet). DO 3.1, ld.1.
- 32190** Constantine V Copronymus (AD 740/1-775), with Leo IV. AV solidus (19mm, 4.37 gm, 6h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 4/5. Constantinople, AD 757-775. COHSTAHTInOSS LCO n O nEOS, crowned and draped facing busts of Constantine V (on left) with short beard, and Leo IV (on right), beardless, both wearing chlamys pinned at right shoulder; cross above between their heads, pellet in center / G-LE-ON PA MQL Φ, crowned facing larger bust of Leo III, with short beard, wearing loros, cross potent in right hand. Sear 1551. DO 3.1, 2g.1.
- 32191** Nicephorus I and Stauracius (AD 803-811). AV solidus (19mm, 4.33 gm, 6h). NGC AU 4/5 - 3/5, edge filing, scratches. Constantinople. hICI-FOROS BASILE, crowned facing bust of Nicephorus, chlamys pinned at right shoulder, cross potent in right hand, akakia in left / StAVRA-CIS dCSPO' Θ, crowned facing bust of Stauracius, chlamys pinned at right shoulder, globus cruciger in right hand, akakia in left. Sear 1604.
- 32192** Theophilus (AD 829-842). AV semissis (12mm, 1.74 gm, 6h). NGC Choice MS 5/5 - 4/5. Syracuse, AD 831-842. ΘCO-FIAOS (inverted F), bust of Theophilus facing, with short beard, wearing crown and chlamys, globus cruciger in right hand / ΘCO-FIAOS (inverted F), bust of Theophilus facing, with short beard, wearing crown and loros, globus cruciger in right hand. Sear 1674. DO 3.1, 26c.
- 32193** Constantine VII Porphyrogenitus (AD 913-959), with Romanus I Lecapenus. AV solidus (20mm, 4.38 gm, 7h). NGC MS 5/5 - 3/5, edge scuffs. Constantinople, ca. AD 921-923. + IhS XPS REX-RECNANTIQM\*, Christ enthroned facing, wearing nimbus cruciger with single pellet in each arm, pallium and colobium, raising right hand in benediction, book of Gospels in left / ROMAn' ET COHSTAHT' A4CC' B', facing busts of Romanus I (on left), with short beard, wearing crown and loros, and Constantine VII (on right), beardless, wearing crown and chlamys pinned at right shoulder; jointly holding patriarchal cross between them. Sear 1746.
- 32194** Constantine VII Porphyrogenitus and Romanus II (AD 945-963). AV solidus (20mm, 4.49 gm, 6h). NGC Choice AU 5/5 - 2/5, graffiti. Constantinople, AD 950-955. + IhS XPS REX RECNANTIQM, facing half-length bust of Christ, wearing nimbus cruciger with three pellets in each limb, pallium and colobium, raising right hand in benediction, book of Gospels in left; single border / COHSTAHT CE ROMAh' A4CC' I'R', crowned facing busts of Constantine VII (on left), wearing loros, and Romanus II (on right), wearing chlamys pinned at right shoulder, jointly holding patriarchal cross with globular terminus between them. Sear 1751.

*Ex Malter Galleries, uncertain auction, lot 452*

- 32195** Constantine IX Monomachus (AD 1042-1055). AV histamenon nomisma (28mm, 4.44 gm, 5h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5. Constantinople. +IhS XIS REX RECNANTInm, bust of Christ facing with nimbus cruciger, crescents in the upper quadrants, wearing pallium and colobium, raising right hand in benediction, book of Gospels in left arm; triple border / +CΩHST-ATH-bASILEQS Rm, facing bust of Constantine IX, with mustache and short beard, wearing crown with pendilia and loros of square pattern, cruciform scepter in right hand, globe surmounted by pelleted cross in left; triple border. Sear 1830.



- 32196** Constantine IX Monomachus (AD 1042-1055). AV tetarteron nomisma (18mm, 4.00 gm, 5h). NGC AU 5/5 - 2/5, ex-jewelry. Constantinople. +IhS XIS REX RECNANTIhm, bust of Christ facing, wearing nimbus cruciger, pallium and colobium, right hand raised in benediction, book of Gospels in left; single border / +CwhS-AhT-hOS ILC m, bust of Constantine IX facing, wearing crown with pendilia and jeweled chlamys with collar, transverse labarum in right hand, globe surmounted by pelleted cross in left; single border. Sear 1833.

- 32197** Constantine X Ducas (AD 1059-1067). AV histamenon nomisma (25mm, 4.33 gm, 6h). NGC MS 5/5 - 4/5. Constantinople. +IhS IXS REX-RECNANTIhm, Christ seated facing on throne with upright arms, wearing nimbus cruciger, pallium and colobium, raising right hand in benediction, book of Gospels in left; double border / +KWN RACIA-O ΔOVKAC, Constantine X, bearded, standing facing on footstool, wearing crown with pendilia, saccos and loros, labarum in right hand, globus cruciger in left; double border. Sear 1847.

## ALBANIA



- 32198 Republic gold “Prince Skanderbeg” 20 Franga Ari 1927-V MS67 NGC**, Vienna mint, KM12. A true paragon of its type, offering satiny surfaces that reveal almost no evidence of contact or handling. An exceptional example.  
*From the Caranett Collection*

- 32199 People’s Socialist Republic Pair of Certified gold Proof Multiple Leke 1970 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC**,  
1) “Prince Skanderbeg” 20 Leke, KM51.5. Mintage: 500.  
2) “Argirocastrum Ruins” 50 Leke, KM53.3. Mintage: 100.

A high-quality pair of modern gold issues, both essentially as struck. Total AGW 0.3999 oz. (Total: 2 coins)

- 32200 People’s Socialist Republic gold Proof “Durazzo Seaport” 100 Leke 1987 PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM59. Mintage: 5,000.

## ARGENTINA



- 32201 Buenos Aires. Provincial 2 Reales 1861 MS64 Brown NGC**, Buenos Aires mint, KM11a. No Rosettes variety. Sharply defined with reflectivity in the fields and instances of pinkish-red color around the protected design. The additional of blue and purple tone on both sides further enhances the appearance. Often showing significant circulation, this is very rare quality for the issue, and it currently stands as the top certified example.



- 32202 Republic brass Proof Essai “Lucien Bazor” 50 Centavos 1940 PR63 NGC**, Paris mint, KM-Pn54 var. Struck in brass rather than the more typical nickel issues, this scarce pattern features the full name of the famous French engraver Lucien Bazor beneath the bust of Liberty.

## AUSTRALIA

- 32203 Victoria gold 1/2 Sovereign 1860-SYDNEY AU Details (Cleaned) PCGS**, Sydney mint, KM3. A greatly prized rarity within the Australian 1/2 sovereign series, which despite its moderate original mintage figure sees exceptionally few examples survive down to the present day, with none reaching the Mint State level at either NGC or PCGS. Despite clear cleaning on both sides, traces of luster remain close to the devices.

- 32204 Victoria gold 1/2 Sovereign 1861-SYDNEY AU53 PCGS**, Sydney mint, KM3. A difficult state of preservation for the date.

- 32205 Victoria gold Sovereign 1866-SYDNEY MS63 PCGS**, Sydney mint, KM4. A very high-tier survivor of this classically low-grade series, abounding with cartwheel luster and few serious marks.

- 32206 Victoria gold “Shield” Sovereign 1881-S MS62+ NGC**, Sydney mint, KM6. Die #8. A notably difficult issue without series bag-marking of the surfaces, preserved at a technical level exceeded by only a handful of specimens across both grading services out of 100 certified for the date.

- 32207 Victoria gold Sovereign 1888-S MS64 PCGS**, Sydney mint, KM10, S-3868B. Second obverse with angled J in J.E.B. Presently tied for the finest of this somewhat scarcer Victorian sovereign variety at PCGS, the present offering contrasts a satiny obverse with a mildly Prooflike reverse.

- 32208 George V Penny 1913-(L) MS63 Red and Brown PCGS**, London mint, KM23. Muted luster with nice contrast of red and brown surfaces.



- 32209 George V 6 Pence 1920-M MS64 PCGS**, Melbourne mint, KM25. Frosty throughout, a notable presence of variegated tangerine and gray ivory tones laid over the surfaces. A difficult issue in this condition.

**32210 Andor Meszaros silver Unofficial Proof Pattern Dollar 1967 PR66 NGC, KM-XM2.** Mintage: 750. A highly coveted modern pattern decorated with orange and violet coloration. We note that despite being noted as a Proof by NGC, this type is only recorded to have been struck in Proof format with a plain edge, while business strikes were struck with a reeded edge. Business strikes were struck to a mintage of 1,500.

**32211 Elizabeth II gold "Year of the Dragon" 100 Dollars 2012-P MS69 NGC, Perth mint, KM1674a var (standard, non-multicolor dragon).** Early releases issue. AGW 0.999 oz.

**32212 Elizabeth II platinum Proof "Koala" 200 Dollars 2000-P, Perth mint, KM-Unl.** Mintage: 225. A highly scarce modern platinum issue, sold with the original wooden case of issue and COA #5. APW 2.00 oz.

## AUSTRIA



**32213 Archduke Leopold Taler 1632 MS63 NGC, Hall mint, KM629.2, Dav-3338.** An impressive near-choice example of this rather common type, blast-white and satiny, yet lightly reflective, the surfaces leaving no doubt of its true uncirculated quality. A slightly wavy flan showcases the supremely strong strike, every line and speck of the suit of armor clear and sharp, leaving little to be desired under even the most critical eye.



**32214 Archduke Leopold Taler 1632 MS63 NGC, Hall mint, KM629.2, Dav-3338.** Phenomenally struck with hardly a detail underrepresented—the fields flush with mint luster while amber tone lines the peripheries. Some minor handling is noted behind the duke's arm for accuracy.

**32215 Leopold I Taler 1694-IAK MS61 NGC, Hall mint, KM1303.4, Dav-3245.** An unusually fine grade for this type that rarely enters into Mint State, presenting an especially gorgeous original finish on the reverse.



**32216 Karl VI Taler 1737 MS64 NGC, Hall mint, KM1639.1, Dav-1055.** An extraordinarily high grade for this quintessentially Habsburg taler type, with only two reaching this level and none certified finer at NGC. Presenting dolphin-gray color to the fields while darkened toning outlines the raised features.  
Ex. WCN Collection

**32217 Joseph II gold 2 Ducat 1782-E AU55 PCGS, Karlsburg mint (in Transylvania), cf. KM1875 (1782-E not listed).** Considerably lustrous for the designation, with only a scattering of light handling to bound the assigned grade.

**32218 Franz II (I) gold Ducat 1793-E AU55 PCGS, Karlsburg mint (in Transylvania), KM1886.** The only example of this date we have been able to locate coming to auction in the past 10+ years, and the sole example certified by PCGS, making this a clear target for collectors of Austrian coins.

**32219 Franz II (I) gold Ducat 1796-G AU58 PCGS, Gunzburg mint, KM1886.** The first of this date-mint combination we have encountered, and one of only a surprising few to cross the auction block in recent years.

**32220 Franz II (I) gold Ducat 1797-G MS62 PCGS, Gunzburg mint, KM1886.** A remarkably elusive issue, replete with swirling cartwheel luster and remarkably watery fields.

**32221 Franz Joseph I Medallion "Marriage" Gulden MDCCCLIV (1854)-A MS65 PCGS, Vienna mint, KM-XM1.** On the whole exceedingly sharp with a distinctively glassy finish to the fields.

**32222 Franz Joseph I gold Ducat 1866-A MS64+ NGC, Vienna mint, KM2265.** Highly Prooflike in appearance with very nearly gem-level quality.

**32223 Franz Joseph I gold 4 Florin (10 Francs) 1877 MS61 PCGS, Vienna mint, KM2260.** Mintage: 3,004. The second lowest mintage date of this already scarce type, and currently the single finest certified example of the date at PCGS.

**32224 Franz Joseph I gold 20 Corona 1909 MS61 PCGS, KM2817.** Small head variety. A scarce one-year type which rarely enters into Mint State.



- 32225 Franz Joseph I gold 20 Corona 1916 MS61 NGC, KM2827, Fr-511.** Pointed shield type. Full cartwheel luster emanates from the surfaces of this Mint State survivor, one of only a small handful of this scarcer issue that we have offered to-date.

## AZORES



- 32226 Portuguese Colony Counterstamped 1200 Reis ND (1887) MS61 NGC, KM29.5.** Displaying round, crowned GP counterstamp (UNC Standard) on a Brazil João VI 960 Reis 1821-R (KM326.1), itself overstruck on an earlier issue. An extremely appealing example, the host coin gorgeously preserved with steely toning and ample luster, and the countermark sharp and fully defined.

## BELARUS

- 32227 Republic gold Proof “Belarusian Ballet” 200 Roubles 2007 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM407.** 40mm. Mintage: 1,500. Issued for the Belarusian Ballet. A deeply mirrored and near-perfect selection. AGW 0.9989 oz.

## BELGIUM

- 32228 Leopold II gold 20 Francs 1875 MS67 PCGS, KM37.** A virtually unimprovable specimen of the type that appears stunning from all angles—the surfaces are clean and free of the smallest signs of contact, the strike crisp, and the grade astonishing; presently the single finest certified at NGC and PCGS combined out of over 300 graded.

## BOLIVIA



- 32229 Philip II (1556-1598) Cob 8 Reales ND (1574-1586) P-A AU53 NGC, Potosi mint, KM0005.1, Cal-157.** 27.42gm. A seemingly quite scarce assayer for the issue, and a type that is notoriously difficult to find without heavy saltwater corrosion, the coin at hand additionally struck on a very broad flan that captures nearly the entirety of the legends.  
Ex. Espinola Collection

- 32230 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1780/70 PTS-PR AU Details (Scratches) NGC, Potosi mint, KM59.** Sold with previous auction tag.  
Ex. Cayón Subastas (December 2015, Lot 557)

- 32231 Charles IV gold 8 Escudos 1806 PTS-PJ XF Details (Obverse Spot Removed) NGC, Potosi mint, KM81.**

- 32232 Charles IV gold 8 Escudos 1808 PTS-PJ VF30 NGC, Potosi mint, KM81.** Though it certainly exhibits evidence of circulation, this slightly convex piece also appears to have been weakly struck, with a surprising amount of luster shining through. AGW 0.7614 oz.

- 32233 Republic 8 Soles 1839 PTS-LR MS63 PCGS, Potosí Mint, KM97.** Minor flecking is evident but does not detract from the overwhelmingly glossy luster and superb strike. The finest example of the issue seen by either PCGS or NGC.

- 32234 Republic silver Pattern 50 Centavos 1900 MS62 NGC, KM-PnA54.** Deeply toned in multicolored shades with surfaces that appear choice for the grade, showing reflective fields and no egregious forms of handling on either side. Very similar to the adopted design, the reverse design has the addition of what appears to be a TP monogram below the bow in the wreath, while the legends lack the So mintmark of Santiago. Only the second example of this pattern that we are aware of.

## BRAZIL

- 32235 Pedro II gold 4000 Reis 1699-(R) UNC Details (Scratches) NGC, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM98, LMB-31.** A relatively strong type representative with a much better strike than is usually seen.

- 32236 Pedro II gold 4000 Reis 1699-(R) XF Details (Excessive Surface Hairlines) NGC, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM98.** Subtle red-gold color in the margins with full detail on both sides.

- 32237 Pedro II gold 4000 Reis 1700-(R) AU53 NGC, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM98, LMB-32A.** Very well preserved, with hints of amber color in the fields. An interesting era of coinage, slightly crude in design and lettering.

**32238 João V gold 400 Reis 1733-M AU53 NGC**, Minas Gerais mint, KM145. A tough piece to acquire in any condition and seldom seen in higher circulated grades. This example has a strange underlying indent in the lower left area of the obverse bust, that would appear to have been a flaw on the face of the planchet before it was struck.

**32239 João V gold 1000 Reis 1708-R UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM103, LMB-154, Gomes-90.01. A rare representative of this two-year type, seldom offered in any grade. Quite appealing despite evidence of prior cleaning, its surfaces sunny and clear of the distracting hairlines one might accept for the designation.

**32240 João V gold 1000 Reis 1723-B AU Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Bahia mint, KM104. Attractive despite having been cleaned in the past, with a solidly centered and defined strike. Uniformly displays slight wear, in line with its grade.

**32241 João V gold 2000 Reis 1715-B MS62 NGC**, Bahia mint, KM105, LMB-54. The second finest certified specimen across NGC and PCGS combined, with just a few small adjustments over an exceedingly attractive flan. A clear target for the condition-minded collector.

**32242 João V gold 2000 Reis 1716-B AU58 NGC**, Bahia mint, KM105. Quite appealing, with significant luster in the fields and only a minimal amount of rub in the high points justifying the assigned grade. Light peachy toning throughout.

**32243 João V gold 2000 Reis 1725/3-R UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, cf. KM112 (overdate unlisted), LMB-157 (same). The sole example of this very clear overdate we have seen, with the overall cleaning noted on the holder seeming relatively light and just muting the luster.



**32244 João V gold 2000 Reis 1749-(L) MS61 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM163, LMB-291. A charming one-year type, scarce so fine and quite appealing, its surfaces tinged with hints of coppery tone.



**32245 João V gold 4000 Reis 1719-B MS62 NGC**, Bahia mint, KM106, Fr-30. A nearly choice example with flashy, satiny surfaces that boost the eye appeal beyond what is to be expected for the grade. AGW 0.3169 oz.

**32246 João V gold 4000 Reis 1719-B UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Bahia mint, KM106, Fr-30, LMB-65. An extremely well-made example, its strike definitive enough to have rendered even the most minute elements of the designs, the surfaces slightly altered in line with the 'cleaned' designation yet retaining residual luster. Highly appealing for its grade.

**32247 João V gold 4000 Reis 1725-B MS62 NGC**, Bahia mint, KM106, Gomes-103.12. The single finest example of this mint-date combination, revealing hardly a singularly distracting mark over the surfaces.

**32248 João V gold 6400 Reis 1737-R AU (Harshly Cleaned)**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM149. 32mm. 14.23gm. A scarce early date in the series, made more attainable in its present state, with a clear die break across the bust.

**32249 Jose I gold "Reversed D" 1000 Reis 1749-L AU55 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM161, Gomes-58.01, LMB-299. Reads "IOSEPHUS I" with a reversed 'D' in 'D.G'. Pleasing in appearance, rather lustrous for a mid AU offering with appealing reddish tone at the peripheries.

**32250 Jose I gold 1000 Reis 1752-(L) MS63 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM162.1, LMB-300. Rarely found in such choice condition, a tad weakly struck on the high points but retaining full mint luster.

**32251 Jose I gold 2000 Reis 1752-(L) UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM182.1. Appealing despite showing evidence of light cleaning, the strike strong and full and with little in the way of the harsh hairlines one might expect for the designation.

**32252 Jose I gold 2000 Reis 1771-(L) UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM182.2, LMB-304. Large size, "Josephus". Attractive and lustrous despite showing evidence of a prior cleaning, with satiny sun-yellow surfaces and a strong strike.

**32253 Jose I gold 2000 Reis 1771-(L) UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM182.2, LMB-329. Large size variety with JOSEPHUS in legend. A very difficult type in higher states of preservation, made more affordable here and benefitting from an exacting strike.

**32254 Jose I gold "Reduced Size" 2000 Reis 1773-(L) AU58 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM198. Mintage: 14,000. Just a two-year type, admirably well-struck with ample die polish.



**32255 Jose I gold "Large Crown" 4000 Reis 1771-(L) MS63 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM171.3, LMB-332. "Josephus Dominus" type. A glowing yellow-gold representative offering surfaces that are remarkably clear for the grade, the sharpness of the strike enhanced by the presence of a subtle tangerine tone that weaves throughout the lustrous fields.



**32256 Jose I gold 6400 Reis 1753-R MS61 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM172.2, LMB-421. Bold, with bright luster revealed across the planchet, highlighting surfaces showing no larger disturbances or distractions.

Ex. Grand Castello Collection

**32257 Jose I gold 6400 Reis 1755-R AU Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM172.2. AGW 0.4229 oz.

**32258 Jose I gold 6400 Reis 1777-B AU53 NGC**, Bahia mint, KM172.1. A lightly circulated example, and attractive, exhibiting a faint coppery patina. AGW 0.4229 oz.

**32259 Maria I & Pedro III gold 1000 Reis 1781-(L) MS62 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM208, LMB-448, Gomes-16.04. Presently tied with the RLM example we sold in 2013 for the finest certified of this charming smaller-size gold type.

**32260 Maria I & Pedro III gold 2000 Reis 1778-(L) MS62 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM209. Presently tied for the second finest example of the date certified with only a single piece grading finer.

**32261 Maria I & Pedro III gold 2000 Reis 1778-(L) MS61 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM209. Noticeably glassy in the surfaces and just slightly Prooflike, a highly unusual feature for Brazilian coins of the period.

**32262 Maria I & Pedro III gold 2000 Reis 1778-(L) UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM209. A scarcer issue with notably few surface marks beneath the signs of cleaning.

**32263 Maria I & Pedro III gold 4000 Reis 1781-(L) UNC Details (Damaged) NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM210, LMB-456, Gomes-18.03. Only the third example of this key date we have handled, and one of just three certified by NGC, fleeting in all grade levels and almost never found without post-mint damage.

**32264 Maria I gold 2000 Reis 1793-(L) MS60 NGC**, Lisbon mint, KM224, Fr-90. The final date in this short three-year series, and, with a mintage of only 1,500 pieces, quite difficult to acquire in any Mint State condition. A not unappealing example for the grade, exhibiting very slight rub or weakness of strike in the high points but retaining much luster.

**32265 Maria I gold 6400 Reis 1796-R AU Details (Removed From Jewelry) NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM226.1. AGW 0.4229 oz.

**32266 João VI 37-1/2 Reis 1818-M AU55 PCGS**, Minas Gerais mint, KM317.1, LMB-549, Bentes-462.01. The first date for this 3-year type and the single finest certified between NGC and PCGS combined—neither service have awarded a Mint State designation for the type.

**32267 João Prince Regent gold 4000 Reis 1808/06-(B) MS63 NGC**, Bahia mint, cf. KM235.1 (overdate unlisted), LMB-547. The finest of this date and mint we have seen, awash with fresh luster and decorated with a tinge of light coppery tone.



**32268 João Prince Regent gold 4000 Reis 1813-(R) MS64 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM235.2, Fr-95, LMB-573. Immensely lustrous, the flashiness of the fields complementing a boldness of strike brought to visual perfection by a ring of peripheral crimson tone that enhances the obverse and reverse alike.

**32269 João Prince Regent gold 4000 Reis 1813-(R) MS63 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM235.2, LMB-573. Remarkably clean in the surfaces with hardly the smallest mark of wisp of handling detectable. A very choice piece.

**32270 João Prince Regent gold 4000 Reis 1813-(R) MS62 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM235.2, LMB-573. Notably satiny in the margins with bright cartwheel luster.

**32271 João Prince Regent gold 4000 Reis 1814-(R) MS64 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM235.2. A glittering representative that appears very near to gem, still highly satiny throughout with notably few stray marks.



**32272 João Prince Regent gold 4000 Reis 1815/4-(R) MS64 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM235.2, LMB-575a. A brilliant 4000 Reis revealing remnants of light planchet adjustment to the obverse and reverse surfaces, with only scant handling accounting for the grade. A clear 5/4 overdate adds an element of interest for the specialized collector concerned with die progression.



**32273 João Prince Regent gold 4000 Reis 1816-(R) MS63 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM235.2, LMB-576. "REGENS" on obverse. Almost perfectly centered with a partial contrast created between the watery golden fields and lightly frosted devices. Of sharp quality and arguably of even better visual appeal than is usually seen at this grade level.



**32274 João VI gold 4000 Reis 1822/1-(R) MS62 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM327.1, LMB-586. An already very attractive type made all the more so in this near-choice format, gorgeously lustrous throughout and perhaps a bit conservatively graded.

**32275 Pedro I 80 Reis 1826-R MS63 Brown PCGS**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM366.1, Bentes-484.04. A handsome chocolate-brown specimen featuring nearly blemish-free surfaces thick with flow lines.

**32276 Pedro I gold 4000 Reis 1824/3-R AU Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, cf. KM369.1 (overdate unlisted), LMB-594 (same). A very elusive overdate within the series exhibiting an appreciable level of detail.

**32277 Pedro II 1200 Reis 1843 AU Details (Surface Hairlines) NGC**, KM454. From a mintage of only 1,803 pieces.

**32278 Pedro II gold 5000 Reis 1854 MS62 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM470, LMB-637a. Exhibiting sleek and lustrous surfaces with almost no significant marks nor evidence of circulation.

**32279 Pedro II gold 5000 Reis 1856 MS64 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM470, LMB-639. Tied for the finest certified of this somewhat scarcer type, bold die polish existing in the protected regions around the devices.

**32280 Pedro II gold 5000 Reis 1857 UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM470, LMB-640. Mintage: 4,631. Just the third example of this very low mintage date we have offered, and one of only 2 at the uncirculated level in the NGC census. Often referred to as the "crown of thorns" type for the pointed shape of the pearls in the reverse crown.

**32281 Pedro II gold 10000 Reis 1863 AU50 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM467, LMB-651. According to *Livro Das Moedas Do Brasil*, the second-highest valued date in the long-running series spanning from 1853 to 1889, exceeded in value only by its 1859-dated counterpart.



**32282 Pedro II gold 10000 Reis 1886 MS65 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM467. Unusually fine quality for this usually prolific issue, standing not only as the finest example of the date certified at NGC by 2 grade points, but also as the highest grade awarded to any of the dates for Pedro II's 10000 Reis. The surfaces appear nearly immaculate, lacking of the regular bagmarks for the type with sleek brilliant mint luster.

**32283 Pedro II gold 10000 Reis 1887 MS63 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM467, Fr-122, LMB-670. Scarcely found in any Choice Mint State grade, this example exhibiting charming luster over soft, satiny yellow-gold surfaces.

**32284 Pedro II gold 10000 Reis 1888 MS63 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM467. Shimmering with pale yellow luster, the reverse especially satiny and attractive, with hints of light tone around the peripheries. Rare in such lofty condition, this being the finest graded example by NGC or PCGS.

**32285 Pedro II gold 20000 Reis 1858 MS61 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM468. Mintage: 32,000. A more fleeting date that proves exceptionally difficult in Mint State, with the type frequently prone to heavy bagmarks. The present example is currently outranked by just a single piece at NGC.

**32286 Republic "Discovery Anniversary" 1000 Reis 1900 MS65 NGC**, KM500. A covetable specimen from this popular "Discovery" series, mottled throughout with russet apricot hues, and made all the more desirable by its peak grade—outranked by only a single specimen between NGC and PCGS combined.

**32287 Republic "Discovery Anniversary" 4000 Reis 1900 AU58 NGC**, KM502.1. Commemorating the 400th anniversary of the discovery of Brazil by Pedro Alvares Cabral. Beautifully toned for the issue, with an array of peach, magenta, and argent hues. *From the Dresden Collection*



**32288 Republic gold 20000 Reis 1900 MS61 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM497, LMB-729. A lemon-gold representative displaying a uniformly clear strike alongside glowing cartwheel luster.



- 32289 Republic gold 20000 Reis 1907 MS61 NGC**, Rio de Janeiro mint, KM497, Fr-124, LMB-726. Mintage: 3,310. Of notably better visual appeal than is usually expected for the grade, the gentle wisps of handling evenly distributed and blending in well with the golden surfaces of this Mint State selection.

## BULGARIA

- 32290 Ferdinand I 50 Stotinki 1891-KB MS62 NGC**, Kremnitz mint, KM12. Watery fields, the obverse decorated with a sheen of cobalt and deep violet and the reverse taking on a more pinkish tone. Light cabinet friction on the high points prevents a higher certified grade. Quite possibly a Proof example, with distinctly Prooflike surfaces and an undeniable contrast between the fields and devices.
- 32291 Ferdinand I gold 20 Leva 1912 MS61 NGC**, KM33. A scarce and popular issue from a mintage of only 75,000. AGW 0.1867 oz.

## CAMBODIA

- 32292 Norodom I bronze Proof Medallion 5 Centimes 1860 PR65 Red and Brown NGC**, KM-XM2, Lec-13. An earlier machine-struck emission from Cambodia that is hardly imaginable finer.
- 32293 Norodom I bronze Specimen Essai 5 Centimes 1860-E SP65 Red and Brown NGC**, KM-XE2, Lec-12. A rare essai free of the least distracting mark.  
Reserve:
- 32294 Norodom I bronze Specimen Medallion 10 Centimes 1860 SP64 Red and Brown NGC**, KM-XM3, Lec-21. A glimmering specimen with plentiful mint red color.

## CANADA

- 32295 Victoria Cent 1858 MS64 Red ICCS**, London mint, KM1. A handsome choice example, retaining fully red surfaces with an appealing tinge of maroon tone.
- 32296 George V Specimen Cent 1921 SP64 Red and Brown PCGS**, Ottawa mint, KM28. An ideal representative for the condition-minded collector of Canadian specimens with a handsome admixture of mint red color in the margins. Tied for the second finest at PCGS, the George Cook specimen we offered last August, also in this grade, bringing \$2640 all-in.

- 32297 George V Specimen Cent 1925 SP65 Red and Brown PCGS**, Ottawa mint, KM28. Fully engrossing in its presentation with eye-catching gloss in the fields and surfaces that hold a mixture of original orange-red color alongside magenta, green and purple patina. Tied with one other example for highest grade assigned for the date across either major grading service.  
Ex. Heritage Auction #3056 (August 2017, Lot 30161); Belzberg Collection

- 32298 Victoria 5 Cents 1880-H MS64 PCGS**, Heaton mint, KM2. A decidedly scarce date in near-gem condition, with the total PCGS population above this level totaling just 8 business strikes. Additionally appearing nearly free of surfaces marks, making it a clear target for collectors.



- 32299 Victoria "Large 5" 5 Cents 1885 MS63 NGC**, London mint, KM2. Large 5 variety. A notably scarcer variety within the Victorian, and 5 Cents, series. Softly toned on the obverse with darker patination displayed on the reverse and just a few exceedingly light pin scratches noted to the reverse near 10 o'clock.



- 32300 Victoria Specimen 10 Cents 1858 SP64 PCGS**, London mint, KM3. Plain edge variety. Bearing an incredible level of presentation, this Specimen beams with amber and cerulean iridescence that gathers around the design elements and resides in the semi-reflective fields respectively. The strike immediately satisfies the eye, with the sharp portrait of Victoria front and center, and the crisp reverse leaf motif nicely cradles the denomination. Highly coveted so fine, and a definite beauty in hand.  
Ex. Schroeder Collection

- 32301 Edward VII gold Sovereign 1909-C AU58 NGC**, Ottawa mint, KM14. Mintage: 16,273. The second lowest-mintage date of Edward's Canadian sovereigns, just behind the prohibitively rare 1908, presenting considerable allure and only light marks. A small spot of red wax residue is noted below St. George's leg for accuracy.

- 32302 Edward VII gold Sovereign 1910-C MS61 NGC**, Ottawa mint, KM14, S-3970. Mintage: 28,014. An elusive issue from this three-year series. AGW 0.2355 oz.

- 32303 Edward VII gold Sovereign 1910-C AU58 NGC**, Ottawa mint, KM14, S-3970. Mintage: 28,012. The final date of this just three-year series, only lightly circulated with a halo of mint luster in the margins revealing full cartwheel effects.

- 32304 George V gold Sovereign 1913-C AU58 NGC**, Ottawa mint, KM20, S-3997. Mintage: 3,715. One of the most difficult and fleeting dates within the Canadian sovereign series, presented here quite close to Mint State.
- 32305 George V gold Sovereign 1914-C MS63 NGC**, Ottawa mint, KM20, S-3997. A pale yellow example with flashy surfaces that glow with vibrant luster.
- 32306 George V gold Sovereign 1914-C MS62+ NGC**, Ottawa mint, KM20. A near-choice example of this popular type, the reverse especially strong and free from marks.
- 32307 George V gold Sovereign 1914-C MS61 NGC**, Ottawa mint, KM20, S-3997. AGW 0.2355 oz.
- 32308 George V gold Sovereign 1919-C MS64 PCGS**, Ottawa mint, KM20.
- 32309 Elizabeth II silver Mint Error - Partial Collar "Maple Leaf" 5 Dollars 2013 MS61 NGC**, KM1525. An intriguing mint error struck partially out of its collar. Roughly 45% of the obverse is bordered by an abnormally tall finned rim, which at its peak extends a little over 3mm from the surface of the coin, roughly doubling the coin's thickness. It is a wonder that this piece was able to exit the mint, as the production standards for Maple Leaf coinage are generally quite strict. Although the grade is somewhat immaterial considering the unique status of this piece, we note that it exhibits very little in the way of distracting marks and would not be out of place with a grade even two or so points higher.
- 32310 Elizabeth II gold "25th Anniversary of the Maple Leaf" 50 Dollars 2004 MS70 NGC**, KM-Unl. AGW 0.9999 oz.
- 32311 Elizabeth II 5-Piece Uncertified gold "Maple Leaf" Proof Set 2012**, Includes the gold 50 Cents through the 50 Dollars. One of reportedly only 543 sets sold and the only gold maple leaf set with these 5 denominations. Sold in original case of issue and COA #219. Total AGW 1.44 oz. (Total: 5 coins)
- 32312 Newfoundland. George V 5 Cents 1912 MS67 PCGS**, Ottawa mint, KM22. Delightfully frosty with just a hint of russet near the center and bright lime green color enhancing the edges. Ex. George Hans Cook Collection



- 32313 Newfoundland. George V 10 Cents 1912 MS67 PCGS**, Ottawa mint, KM14. A virtually perfect example that features iridescent toning, superb detail, and full mint brilliance that easily traverses the fields. Essentially unseen at this premium level of certified quality, and with exceptional eye appeal to boot. Ex. Schroeder Collection
- 32314 Newfoundland. George V 20 Cents 1912 MS66 PCGS**, Ottawa mint, KM15. A veritable gem with outstanding argent centers and delicately toned peripheries highlighted by haloes of autumnal color. Visually incomparable and with fresh appeal across both sides. Ex. Schroeder Collection
- 32315 Newfoundland. George V 25 Cents 1919-C MS64 PCGS**, Ottawa mint, KM17. A two-year issue of which this date is the more difficult to acquire, showing exceptional color that evenly canvasses the obverse and delicately brightens the reverse peripheries. Closer inspection confirms a bold striking, as all raised detail remains pleasingly sharp, while the appearance of few marks further add to the allure of this jewel-like selection. Ex. Schroeder Collection
- 32316 Newfoundland. Victoria 50 Cents 1872-H MS63+ PCGS**, Heaton mint, KM6. While not situated at the top of the PCGS census, the grade and overall appearance of the present example cannot be taken as 'usual' for the type—most pieces being cleaned, damaged, or otherwise altered since leaving the mint. Awarded a "plus" designation for its superior execution, this specimen boasts silky fields brimming with luster and a pinpoint precision to every aspect of the devices.
- 32317 Newfoundland. Victoria gold 2 Dollars 1882-H MS63 PCGS**, Heaton mint, KM5. A much more difficult series to obtain in choice condition, the usual bagmarks that plague the type appearing almost entirely absent from the current offering and replaced instead by bold die polish.

## CENTRAL AMERICA

- 32318 Republic gold Proof Medallion "Economic Integration" 50 Pesos 1970 PR67 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM-X1. From a mintage of 1,500. AGW 0.5787 oz.

## CHILE

- 32319 Ferdinand VI gold 4 Escudos 1749 So-J AU50 NGC**, Santiago mint, KM2. From the La Luz shipwreck. Phenomenally sharp in the outer registers for the grade, the high point wear of the central features balanced with a glassy lustrous finish and even faint remnants of die polish.
- 32320 Republic gold 100 Pesos 1932-So MS63 NGC**, Santiago mint, KM175. Mintage: 9,315. First year with lowest mintage listed for type. Crisp detail and reflectivity. AGW 0.5885 oz.
- 32321 Republic gold 100 Pesos 1949-So MS65 NGC**, Santiago mint, KM175. Satin surface with full detail in strike. AGW 0.5885 oz.
- 32322 Republic gold 100 Pesos 1950-So MS62 NGC**, Santiago mint, KM175. Mintage: 20,000. Earlier date with second lowest mintage for type and tied for finest graded. AGW 0.5885 oz.
- 32323 Republic gold 100 Pesos 1963-So MS65 NGC**, Santiago mint, KM175. Reflective fields and full mint bloom. AGW 0.5885 oz.
- 32324 Republic gold 100 Pesos 1973-So MS65 NGC**, Santiago mint, KM175. Satin surface with virtually untouched fields. AGW 0.5885 oz.

**32325 Republic gold 100 Pesos 1979-So MS64 NGC**, Santiago mint, KM175. Conservatively graded, exceptional strike. AGW 0.5885 oz.

**32326 Republic Pair of Certified gold Proof Multiple Pesos 1968-So Ultra Cameo NGC**

- 1) "Military Academy Anniversary" 50 Pesos - PR67, KM184. Mintage: 2,515.
- 2) "National Coinage Anniversary" 100 Pesos - PR69, KM185. Mintage: 1,815.

Santiago mint. A well-kept pair showcasing mirrored fields and full cameo contrasts. Total AGW 0.8828 oz. (Total: 2 coins)

## CHINA

**32327 Kwangtung. Hsüan-t'ung Dollar ND (1909-1911) AU Details (Cleaned) PCGS**, KM-Y206, L&M-138. Cleaned with vibrantly colored retoning, the reverse a dazzling pink while the obverse exhibits a dappled gold hue.

**32328 Republic Sun Yat-sen "Junk" Dollar Year 23 (1934) MS64 NGC**, KM-Y345, L&M-110.

## COLOMBIA



**32329 Philip IV gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1621-1665) AU58 NGC**, KM4.x. 6.59gm. Though this example lacks a mintmark or assayer, the fleurs within the arms of the reverse are indicative of production in Colombia. Edging on Mint State preservation and highly collectible in this condition.



**32330 Philip V gold Cob 2 Escudos 1729-SF AU50 NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM17.2 (Rare), Cal-384. 6.68gm. A well-kept example, toned with age and displaying areas of darker patina within the crevices of the devices. The reverse reveals a clear date, with the central cross and surrounding elements nearly fully rendered.

**32331 Charles III gold Escudo 1778 P-SF MS61 NGC**, Popayan mint, KM48.2. A bold and well-centered striking, attractive, with only a few minor wisps in the fields. Currently the only example of this date certified at the Mint State level by NGC.



**32332 Charles III gold Escudo 1788 P-SF MS63 PCGS**, Popayan mint, KM48.2a. An appealing selection of the type that exhibits satiny fields surrounding sharply produced central designs. Tied for finest certified at PCGS with none finer seen by NGC.

**32333 Charles III gold 4 Escudos 1769 PN-J XF40 NGC**, Popayan mint, KM37, Restrepo-64.8. An elusive denomination still bearing the portrait of Ferdinand VI, with this being only the third example of the date we have handled.

**32334 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1773 NR-VJ AU53 NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM50.1. Sold with previous auction tag. Ex. Cayón Subastas (December 2015, Lot 520)

**32335 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1773 P-JS AU Details (Scratches) NGC**, Popayan mint, KM50.2. Sold with previous auction tag. Ex. Cayón Subastas (December 2015, Lot 539)

**32336 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1774 NR-VJ XF40 NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM50.1. Sold with previous auction tag. Ex. Cayón Subastas (December 2015, Lot 521)

**32337 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1775/4 P-JS AU53 NGC**, Popayan mint, KM50.2, Fr-36, Onza-804, Restrepo-M73.12. A scarce overdate, found here with only a touch of wear and retaining much luster over sun-yellow surfaces. Includes original tag. Ex. Cayón Numismática (December 2015, Lot 541)

**32338 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1777/6 NR-JJ AU Details (Scratches) NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM50.1. Struck with a clear 1777/6 overdate. Sold with previous auction tag. Ex. Cayón Subastas (December 2015, Lot 523)

**32339 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1780 NR-JJ AU55 NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM50.1. Sold with previous auction tag. Ex. Cayón Subastas (December 2015, Lot 525)

**32340 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1781/0 NR-JJ AU53 NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM50.1. Sold with previous auction tag. Ex. Cayón Subastas (December 2015, Lot 526)

**32341 Charles IV gold Escudo 1791 NR-JJ AU50 NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM54.1, Restrepo-82.6. The final year for this short-lived transitional issue bearing the bust of Charles III, appearing comparatively well-struck and centered for the designation.

**32342 Charles IV gold 4 Escudos 1790 P-SF XF40 NGC**, Popayan mint, KM52.2, Restrepo-92.1. Only a one-year type, and one which proves quite difficult without serious issues.

**32343 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1816/4 NR-JF AU50 NGC**, Nuevo Reino mint, KM66.1. AGW 0.7614 oz.

**32344 Republic gold 8 Escudos 1830 BOGOTA-RS UNC Details (Obverse Damage) NGC, Bogota mint, KM82.1.**

**32345 Nueva Granada 1/4 Real 1842-BOGOTA MS63 NGC, Bogota mint, KM90.1, Restrepo-172.11.** A truly exceptional example of this minor, near flawlessly struck with dead-on obverse centering and only minorly off-center on the reverse. Entirely free of obtrusive marks and showing just the slightest weakness, making this a clear target for the serious Colombian collector.



**32346 Estados Unidos gold 10 Pesos 1864-POPAYAN AU58 NGC, Popayan mint, KM141.3, Fr-103.** A notably superior example of the type, which tends to be seen more frequently in moderately to more heavily circulated condition when encountered on auction. Light friction can be seen throughout, though an even sheen of golden luster lends an appearance that remains essentially Mint State, confirming the quality of this impressive specimen.



**32347 Estados Unidos gold 20 Pesos 1869-MEDELLIN AU55 PCGS, Medellin mint, KM142.2, Restrepo-337.5.** Mintage: 7,313. Particularly lustrous in the margins with a sound execution on the whole, this short-lived 20 Pesos type proves very difficult in anything approaching a Mint State grade. We note a small lamination flaw around the nose for the sake of accuracy.

## COSTA RICA

**32348 Republic Pair of Certified gold Proof Multiple Colones 1970 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC,**  
 1) "Human Rights Convention" 50 Colones. With "1 AR" countermark, KM195.2  
 2) "Native Gold Art" 100 Colones, KM196

Both commemorative issues remain essentially unhandled. Total AGW 0.6467 oz. (Total: 2 coins)

## CRUSADER STATES



**32349 Chios. Anonymous gold Imitative Ducat ND (1343-1354) MS65 NGC, Fr-2a. 3.55gm.** Imitating a Venetian ducat of Andrea Dandolo. An excellent representative of this imitative issue revealing deep, satiny golden luster throughout the broad expanses of the flan, these accompanied by a gentle spread of die polish lines while lacking any meaningful handling whatsoever. For the type, rarely found so choice, and certainly worthy of both in-hand inspection and a premium bid.  
*From the Caranett Collection*

## CUBA

**32350 Provisional Republic copper Proof Pattern 10 Centavos 1870 P-CT PR64 Red and Brown NGC, Potosi mint, KM-X2a (prev. KM-Pn2A).** Choice Proof with much red brilliance and minimal handling marks preventing a higher designation. A most attractive specimen of this rare pattern, with a reported mintage of only 40 pieces and now thought to have been struck at the Potosi mint by Clemente Torretti.

**32351 Republic Souvenir Peso 1897 MS64 NGC, Gorham mint, KM-XM2.** Close date, star above 97 baseline variety. Very nearly gem and sublimely satin across the surfaces, a light lilac color revealed by wheeling cartwheel luster.

**32352 Republic Souvenir Peso 1897 MS63+ PCGS, Gorham mint, KM-XM2.** Type II with date closely spaced and star below baseline of "97." An attractive choice example with light mottled toning and plenty of cartwheel luster in the fields.

**32353 Republic Souvenir Peso 1898 UNC Details (Cleaned, Stained) NGC, Gorham mint, KM-XM15.** From a mintage of 1,000 pieces, and quite scarce as such. Desirable as a type and retaining full detail from its strike, with interesting matte-like surfaces.

**32354 Republic Proof 5 Centavos 1915 PR66 PCGS, Philadelphia mint, KM11.1.** Mintage: 150. An extremely low-mintage Proof striking from the first year of issue fiercely sought-after by collectors of the series. Though not designated as such, the devices seem just shy of meriting a cameo designation due to their rather light frosting.

**32355 Republic "Star" Peso 1916 MS62 NGC, Philadelphia mint, KM15.2.** An ever-popular and attractive type that comes highly desirable in Mint State condition.



**32356 Republic gold Peso 1915 MS67 NGC**, Philadelphia mint, KM16. A sharp representative of this smaller gold denomination revealing lustrous fields essentially devoid of contact or significant handling. Tied for finest certified across NGC and PCGS combined.  
*From the Caranett Collection*

**32357 Republic gold 20 Pesos 1915 MS62 NGC**, Philadelphia mint, KM21, Fr-1. A near-choice example of this popular type, lustrous and pale-yellow with scattered surface marks placing it within the parameters of its assigned grade.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

**32358 Republic silver Medallion 10 Dukaten 1929 MS64 PCGS**, KM-XM6. Mintage: 3,259. Struck for the millennium of Christianity in Bohemia.

DANISH WEST INDIES

**32359 Danish Colony. Christian IX gold 4 Daler (20 Francs) 1904-(h) MS64 NGC**, Copenhagen mint, KM72. An exceedingly Prooflike striking with shimmering luster bathing the fields.

**32360 Danish Colony. Christian IX gold 4 Daler (20 Francs) 1904-(h) MS64 NGC**, Copenhagen mint, KM72. Exhibiting light bagmarks in the fields in-line with the designation, though still fully appealing and strikingly lustrous.

ECUADOR

**32361 Republic Proof 10 Centavos 1919 PR64 PCGS**, KM64. A special VIP Proof striking almost certainly struck in only very limited numbers.

EGYPT

**32362 Fuad I 20 Piastres AH 1341 (1923) MS63 NGC**, KM338. A considerable conditional rarity at the choice level, appearing just a bit soft atop the king's portrait with mild olive color.

**32363 Arab Republic gold "October Revolution" 5 Pounds AH 1394 (1974) MS65 PCGS**, KM444. Mintage: 1,000. Mislabelled on the holder as AH 1393. AGW 0.7314 oz.

**32364 Arab Republic gold Proof "Pyramids of Giza" 100 Pounds AH 1411 (1991) PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM729. AGW 0.4919 oz.

ETHIOPIA



**32365 Menelik II gold Werk EE 1889 (1897) MS62 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM18, Fr-20. A captivating piece, each element of the devices silhouetted in crisp detail against the pale sun-yellow of the lightly mirrored fields.



**32366 Haile Selassie I gold "Coronation" Medal EE 1923 (1930) MS66 NGC**, Addis Ababa mint, KM-X18, Gill-S14. 25mm. Plain edge. By Andre Lavrillier. An extremely lofty and fine state of preservation for this often heavily marked type, the surfaces appearing fully Prooflike with fine die polish.



**32367 People's Democratic Republic gold "Walia Ibex" 600 Birr EE 1970 (1977) MS65 NGC**, KM63. Conservation issue featuring the Walia Ibex. Struck in a limited mintage of only 547 examples.

FRANCE

**32368 Louis XIV Ecu 1693-S MS63 NGC**, Troyes mint, KM298.17, Dav-3813. Overstruck on an earlier Ecu of the same monarch. A truly ideal ecu, and the finest certified of this date-mint combination at NGC, the surfaces silky and almost free of marks with even cabinet tone.

**32369 Louis XIV gold Louis d'Or 1692-A MS62 NGC**, Paris mint, KM278.1. Struck over a Paris mint Louis d'Or of the same monarch. An esteemable level of quality for the type, preserving full luster with comparably light evidence of the undertype.



**32370 Louis XIV gold Louis d'Or 1701/0-A AU58 NGC**, Paris mint, KM334.1, Fr-436, Gad-253. A scarce overdate, traces of the underlying "0" clearly visible underneath the final number of the date. A smattering of coppery red tone here and there only adds to the desirability of this piece.

**32371 Louis XV gold Louis d'Or 1726-A MS62 NGC**, Paris mint, KM489.1. Benefitting from a sound strike together with not the least evidence of adjustments or haymarking, placing it very close to the choice level.

**32372 Louis XV gold Louis d'Or 1726-A AU58 NGC**, Paris mint, KM489.1, Gad-340. Fully laudable quality with an exceptional eye appeal accentuated by rosaceous surface tones.

**32373 Louis XV gold Louis d'Or 1728-A MS62 NGC**, Paris mint, KM489.1. Only the second example of this date-mintmark pairing we have handled, a bit softly struck on the highest points of the design, but otherwise quite difficult in this state.

**32374 Louis XV gold Louis d'Or 1734-P MS62 NGC**, Dijon mint, KM489.16, Fr-461. A scarce mint, this near-choice piece represents the finest graded by NGC. Dazzlingly lustrous, with a light golden-orange tone, it does exhibit some minor haymarking fairly consistent with the type. A stunning and premium-quality piece. Ex. UBS Auction 79 (October 2008, Lot 3773)

**32375 Louis XV gold Louis d'Or 1737-A MS63 NGC**, Paris mint, KM489.1, Gad-340. A fully laudable grade for the type, replete with silky texture in the fields that reveals strikingly few stray marks.

**32376 Louis XVI gold 2 Louis d'Or 1786-A MS64 NGC**, Paris mint, KM592.1. Tied for the finest of this date-mintmark combination out of 108 examples of the type seen by NGC, the fields endowed with a semi-reflective finish accentuated by heavy die polish.



**32377 Napoleon 5 Francs 1810-A MS63+ PCGS**, Paris mint, KM694.1, Gad-584, F-307. Napoleon as Emperor. Delicate wisps of green and gold coat the fields between strongly-struck devices.



**32378 Napoleon gold 20 Francs 1811-U AU58 NGC**, Torino mint, KM695.9. A scarce mint that becomes even scarcer in the upper echelons of condition, this near-Mint State example the finest that we have yet offered. A touch of orange color graces the reverse.

**32379 Republic gold 20 Francs 1850-A MS65+ NGC**, Paris mint, KM762. A practically unheard-of level of quality for the issue and difficult to imagine finer, the surfaces appearing clean and lustrous from every angle.

**32380 Republic gold 20 Francs 1851-A MS66 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM762, Gad-1059. A supreme gem which rarely comes so well-preserved, without a mark of consequence anywhere across its satin fields.

**32381 Napoleon III gold 10 Francs 1859-A MS65 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM784.3, Gad-1014.

**32382 Napoleon III gold 50 Francs 1857-A MS63 NGC**, Paris mint, KM785.1. AGW 0.4667 oz.

**32383 Napoleon III gold 100 Francs 1857-A MS61 NGC**, Paris mint, KM786.1. AGW 0.9334 oz.

**32384 Republic gold Proof Piefort 10 Centimes 1978 PR66 Ultra Cameo NGC**, Paris mint, KM-P601. Mintage: 139. A very low mintage and sought-after issue.

**32385 Republic gold Proof Piefort 1/2 Franc 1978 PR68 NGC**, Paris mint, KM-P607. From the popular, low-mintage gold piefort set of the same year, with shimmering surfaces nearly devoid of flaws.

**32386 Republic gold Proof Piefort Franc 1974 PR69 NGC**, KM-P502. From a reported mintage of only 95 pieces, this lovely matte specimen stands tall in terms of both absolute and conditional rarity. Tied in the PR69 grade with only a single other example at NGC.

**32387 Republic gold Proof Piefort Franc 1978 PR68 NGC**, Paris mint, KM-P610. Mintage: 142. AGW approx. 0.70 oz.

**32388 Republic nickel Specimen Essai 5 Francs 1933 SP64 PCGS**, Maz-2562 (R2). By M. Delannoy. A rare essai type featuring an appealing art deco design.

**32389 Republic gold Proof Piefort 10 Francs 1978 PR68 Cameo NGC**, Paris mint, KM-P618. Mintage: 144. AGW 1.15 oz.

**32390 Republic gold 20 Francs 1877-A MS66 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM825, Gad-1063.

**32391 Republic gold 20 Francs 1896-A MS65 NGC**, Paris mint, KM825. Fasces privy. AGW 0.1867 oz.

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- 32392 Republic copper-nickel Specimen Essai 20 Francs 1939 SP64 NGC, GEM-200.15.** 36mm. Wide rims, no "ESSAI" on reverse. By P. Turin. Watery fields pervade the surfaces of this near-gem. The first example we have seen of this rare issue.
- 32393 Republic gold Specimen Medallion 20 Francs 1955 SP63 PCGS, Paris mint, Maz-2776a (R5).** By Dropsy. A rare issue, presented with light cameo contrast and struck to commemorate the mint visit of President René Coty of France. Featuring the depiction of a screw-press on the reverse sure to add to its appeal amongst collectors.



- 32394 Republic gold 100 Francs 1908-A MS63 PCGS, Paris mint, KM858, Gad-1137a.** Deep orange-gold in color with lustrous surfaces and no larger instances of handling noted.
- 32395 32-Piece Lot of Certified Assorted 50 Centimes, Includes 1847-A (x2), 1848-A (x1), 1858-A (x1), 1860-BB (x1), 1864-BB (x1), 1865-A (x2), 1866-A (x3), 1866-BB (x1), 1867-A (x2), 1867-BB (x5), 1867-K (x3), 1881-A (x1), 1888-A (x3), 1894-A (x2), 1895-A (x2), 1900 (x1), and 1926 (x1).** All but the 1926 are certified by NGC, with the majority firmly in Mint State. **Sold as is, no returns.** (Total: 32 coins)
- 32396 Republic gold Proof "Washington's Diplomatic Medal" ND (2013) Gem Proof Deep Cameo PCGS, Paris mint.** 37mm. Sold with original case of issue and COA #0231. AGW 1.0 oz.

## GERMAN EAST AFRICA

- 32397 German Colony. Wilhelm II Proof Rupie 1904-A PR65 Ultra Cameo NGC, Berlin mint, KM10.** A blast-white Proof striking with stark night-and-day contrasts between the fields and devices.

## GERMAN NEW GUINEA

- 32398 German Colony. Wilhelm II 2 Mark 1894-A MS63 PCGS, Berlin mint, KM6, J-706.** A very good type in choice Mint State beloved for its iconic imagery.

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### ANHALT-DESSAU

- 32399 Anhalt-Dessau. Friedrich II Proof "Wedding" 5 Mark 1914-A PR65 Cameo PCGS, Berlin mint, KM31.** Mintage: 1,000.

## AUGSBURG

- 32400 Augsburg. Free City silver "Election of Martin Hieronymus" Medal 1738-Dated MS63 NGC, Forster-290.** 44mm. By Conrad Börner. A bright election medal with fully mirrorlike surfaces tinged to a pleasant gunmetal hue.

## BAMBERG

- 32401 Bamberg. Christoph Franz gold Ducat 1795 MS60 NGC, Nürnberg mint, KM147, Fr-174, Krug-429 (same dies).** Presently the only certified example of this scarce issue at NGC, a semi-prooflike wateriness to the surfaces on a very neat flan—the two flaws at the rim on both sides typical for the type. Sold with old collector's tag.

## BAVARIA

- 32402 Bavaria. Karl Albrecht gold 1/2 Carolin 1730 AU58 NGC, Munich mint, KM406, Fr-230.** 4.77gm. A more difficult type, most notably without signs of cleaning or mounting, a bold roseaceous tone that greatly heightens the overall eye appeal taking to the surfaces.
- 32403 Bavaria. Ludwig II Proof "Victory" Taler 1871 PR62 NGC, Munich mint, KM889.** A deeply captivating design produced to commemorate the German victory in the Franco-Prussian War.
- 32404 Bavaria. Otto 2 Mark 1888-D MS61 NGC, Munich mint, KM905.** A sublime and markedly rare type at this level of preservation, adding a further intensive glassiness about the fields that provides a singular appearance.
- 32405 Bavaria. Otto 5 Mark 1907-D MS65 PCGS, Munich mint, KM915, J-46.** Presently tied for the finest certified example at PCGS.
- 32406 Bavaria. Ludwig III Proof 2 Mark 1914-D PR65 Cameo ANACS, Munich mint, KM1002.** Fully flashy and strikingly cameoed on the reverse with a golden tone along the rims.

## BRANDENBURG-ANSBACH

- 32407 Brandenburg-Ansbach. Albrecht III gold Ducat 1652 AU55 NGC, Nürnberg mint, KM60, Fr-330.** 3.45gm. An extremely difficult three-year ducat type in all grades, most notably when lacking serious post-mint alteration, a firm level of detail preserved throughout the design despite some minor waviness and wisps in the fields. Sold with old collector's tag.

## BREMEN

- 32408 Bremen. Free City 5 Mark 1906-J MS66 PCGS, Hamburg mint, KM251, J-60.**

## BRUNSWICK-WOLFENBÜTTEL

- 32409 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel. August Taler 1653-HS AU58 PCGS, Zellerfeld mint, KM393.3, Dav-6340.** Possessed of a strong appeal for this already highly contested type, the strike remarkably even with minimal evidence of serious handling and a soft patina throughout.



- 32410 Brunswick-Wolfenbüttel. Ernst August Proof 3 Mark 1915-A PR62 PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM1161, J-55. Without “U. LÜNEB” legend variety. Shimmering fields and clearly rendered devices highlight the Mint State quality of this scarce variety, prized by collectors of the German States series for its rarity.

COLOGNE

- 32411 Cologne. Friedrich II von Saarwerden (1371-1414) gold Goldgulden ND (1386) AU58 NGC**, Deutz mint, Fr-792, Noss-211 a/b. 3.50gm. +FRIDICS | ARCPS COLn (Ln ligate), Nimbate, mantled figure of St. John the Baptist standing facing, scepter in left hand, raising right in benediction / • MOHC • | • TATVI • | • CICnS •, shield of Saarwerden in center of trilobe, in corners the arms of Minzenberg, Mainz, and Pfalz-Bavaria. Minimally soft towards the edges, with a very strong portrait on St. John and a rich honey gold color. Sold with old collector’s tag.

EICHSTÄTT

- 32412 Eichstätt-Bishopric. Sede Vacante Taler 1757 MF-I.L. AU55 PCGS**, Nürnberg mint, KM75, Dav-2208, Cahn-133. A most desirable and generally elusive taler type, featuring slate gray surface coloration with darkened toning accents around the devices.

FRANKFURT

- 32413 Frankfurt. Free City gold Ducat 1656 AU58 NGC**, KM104.2, Fr-976. 3.45gm. A rather attractive example of this earlier ducat, the denticles on the obverse appearing to be recut between 3 and 6 o’clock.

HANNOVER

- 32414 Hannover. Georg V Proof “Frisian Oath” Taler 1865-B PR61 NGC**, Hannover mint, KM243 (unlisted in Proof). Mintage: 2,000. Most elusive in this format with a strong degree of reflectivity preserved throughout and sapphire color clinging to the legends.

LÜBECK

- 32415 Lübeck. Free City Proof 3 Mark 1908-A PR67 PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM215, J-82. Mottled with champagne and gunmetal hues that flow effortlessly over the surfaces, and presently outranked by just a single specimen at PCGS.
- 32416 Lübeck. Free City 3 Mark 1909-A MS66 PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM215, J-82. Showing the lightest mottling of tone to the surfaces.

MAINZ

- 32417 Mainz. Adolf I von Nassau gold Goldgulden ND (1372-1390) AU55 NGC**, Bingen mint, Fr-1605, Prinz Alexander-106. 3.50gm. With Adolf as administrator of Mainz and bishop of Speyer. • S • MIRTIn VS • ARCPS, St. Martin seated facing on Gothic throne, crozier in left hand, resting right on knee, shield of Nassau at his feet / +ADOLF: CPSPi • ΔMInISTTCCI, arms of Mainz (wheel in shield) within trilobe. An earlier emission issued prior of Adolf’s elevation as archbishop, struck on a sound flan of good metal. Sold with old collector’s tag.



- 32418 Mainz. Adolf I von Nassau gold Goldgulden ND (1372-1390) MS63 NGC**, Bingen mint, Fr-1605, Prinz Alexander-113. 3.50gm. ΔDOLFVS • Δ | RCPS • MOG’, Archbishop seated facing on Gothic throne, crozier in left hand, resting right on knee, shield of Nassau at his feet / mOnCTA • OPIDI • PInGWCnSIS (triple pellet stop), arms of Mainz (wheel in shield) within trilobe. A piece which very nearly excels its assigned grade, appearing very close to how it must have left the mint, with just minor weakness and strong cross-hatching in the reverse arms. Sold with old collector tag.

- 32419 Mainz. Adolf I von Nassau gold Goldgulden ND (1372-1390) MS62 NGC**, Höchst mint, Fr-1605, Prinz Alexander-111var (reverse legend). 3.49gm. ΔDOLFVS | ARCPS mO, Archbishop seated facing on Gothic throne, crozier in left hand, resting right on knee, shield of Nassau at his feet / +mOnCTA: OPIDI • In hOESDcIn, arms of Mainz (wheel in shield) within trilobe. Fully detailed with only minor doubling in contained portions of the legends, and an interesting engraving error in the mint name. Sold with old collector’s tag.



- 32420 Mainz. Adolf I von Nassau gold Goldgulden ND (1372-1390) AU58 NGC**, Höchst mint, Fr-1605, Prinz Alexander-112var (reverse legend). 3.53gm. ΔDOLFVS | ARPS MOG’, Archbishop seated facing on Gothic throne, crozier in left hand, resting right on knee, shield of Nassau at his feet / +mOnCTA: OPDI • In hOESTcIII, arms of Mainz (wheel in shield) with trilobe. A gorgeous specimen with minimal evidence of serious rub and a superb level of detail. Sold with old collector’s tag.

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**32421 Mainz. Adolf I von Nassau gold Goldgulden ND (1372-1390) AU58 NGC**, Bingen mint, Fr-1605, Prinz Alexander-113. 3.50gm. ADOLFVS A | RCPS mOG<sup>3</sup>, Archbishop seated facing on Gothic throne, crozier in left hand, resting right on knee, shield of Nassau at his feet / mOnETA: OPIDI • PInGWEnSIS, arms of Mainz (wheel in shield) within trilobe. A laudable example, a surface-deep flaw crack extending the length of the obverse along a minor bend in the flan. Sold with old collector's tag.



**32422 Mainz. Konrad II von Weinsberg (1390-1396) gold Goldgulden ND (c. 1391) MS62 NGC**, Höchst mint, Fr-1613, Prinz Alexander-Unl. 3.51gm. CORAD' • AR | EP' ‡ MOGVT', Nimbate, mantled figure of St. John the Baptist standing facing, scepter in left hand, right raised in benediction / MONC | TA ‡ In | hOEST •, arms of Mainz in trilobe with arms of Saarwerden (Cologne), Minzenberg (Trier), and Pfalz-Bayern surrounding. An extraordinary representative of this scarcer mint for the issue, beautifully preserved with full luster on an unbent flan. Sold with old collector's tag.

### NÜRNBERG

**32423 Nürnberg. Free City "City View" Taler 1768-SR MS62 PCGS**, KM350, Dav-2494. With the name and titles of Joseph II. A piece which clearly displays careful longtime storage, the surfaces aging to a mild pewter hue with a faint cross-hatching of die polish lines visible closer to the raised features.

**32424 Nürnberg. Free City gold Ducat ND (c. 18th Century) AU53 NGC**, Erlanger-2443. 22mm. 3.43gm. Likely meant as a godparents' gift on the occasion of a baptism. An appealing type combining the iconic period imagery of Christ as Salvator Mundi with the Paschal Lamb on the reverse.

### PRUSSIA

**32425 Prussia. Friedrich II silver "50th Anniversary of the Protestant Church in Landeshut" Medal 1759-Dated MS62 NGC**, Marienburg-10192, F&S-4409, Olding-662b. 35mm. By Klein. An extremely attractive medal that seems to have been carefully preserved from when it was first struck, mildly watery in the fields with an iridescent cabinet tone throughout.



**32426 Prussia. Wilhelm I 2 Mark 1884-A MS62 NGC**, Berlin mint, KM506. Entirely tone-free and indisputably eye-catching, this second-lowest mintage date in the series is the first example we have ever offered, and certainly a stunning example at that—standing as the single finest certified with just three total pieces certified at NGC.

**32427 Prussia. Wilhelm I gold 10 Mark 1874-A MS67 PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM504, J-245. A markedly outstanding level of technical quality for this usually unremarkable target, presently surpassed by only a single MS67+ of the same date and mint out of all Wilhelm I 10 Marks seen to-date by PCGS.

**32428 Prussia. Wilhelm II Proof "Napoleon's Defeat" 3 Mark 1913-A PR66 PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM534, J-110. Splendidly toned with a charming glassy texture across the fields.

### SAXE-MEININGEN

**32429 Saxe-Meiningen. Georg II 5 Mark 1908-D MS64+ PCGS**, Munich mint, KM201, J-153b. Shorter beard variety. A scarce and popular issue, particularly when located so near to gem.

### SAXE-WEIMAR



**32430 Saxe-Weimar. Wilhelm IV 1/4 Taler 1650 XF45 NGC**, Weimar mint, KM4. Struck in celebration of the Peace of Westphalia (1648), this praiseworthy example of a scarce type retains a notable degree of argent luster in the fields with a light silvery tone completing the appeal, a natural and as-made rim flaw noted for completeness.

### SAXE-WEIMAR-EISENACH

**32431 Saxe-Weimar-Eisenach. Wilhelm Ernst Proof 3 Mark 1910-A PR66 Cameo PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM221, J-162. Featuring a clear visual allure, accentuated by a thick graphite frost atop the devices and rich rainbow color bathing the reverse.

### SAXONY

**32432 Saxony. Johann 2 Taler 1872-B MS65+ NGC**, Dresden mint, KM1231.1. A soft, satiny gem with flashy cartwheel luster.

## TEUTONIC ORDER

- 32433 Teutonic Order. Maximilian I of Austria 2 Taler 1614 XF45 NGC**, Hall mint, KM30, Dav-A5854. A classical type evenly struck with dove-gray surfaces and a noteworthy level of visual appeal.

## TRIER

- 32434 Trier. Kuno II von Falkenstein gold Goldgulden ND (1362-1388) MS61 NGC**, Coblenz mint, Fr-3395. S • IOHA | N NES • B (crossed keys), nimbate, mantled figure of St. John the Baptist standing facing, scepter in left hand, raised right in benediction / CO NO: ARCHIEPS: GREVERCn (double-saltire stops), arms of Trier-Minzenberg within trefoil, trefoils in spandrels. Extremely crisp and fully struck throughout the design on a full flan.

## WALDECK



- 32435 Waldeck. Karl August Friedrich gold 1/4 Ducat 1761 MS61 NGC**, Arolsen mint, KM237, Fr-3496. An impressive and lesser-seen gold minor from this state, struck from a somewhat worn obverse die. Slightly muted in the luster though nonetheless quite attractive.

## WESTPHALIA

- 32436 Westphalia. Jerome Napoleon gold Proof Restrike 10 Franken 1813-C (1867) PR62 NGC**, Paris mint, KM126.1var (prev. KM-C32.1var), D&S-220. Plain edge. Coin alignment. An elusive example of this supremely rare type, one of only 80 examples struck under Napoleon III in 1867. This offering is noticeably more appealing than one might expect for its assigned grade, the fields fully contrasted due to heavy polishing of the dies, though intruded upon by hairline scratches here and there as well.

## WÜRTTEMBERG

- 32437 Württemberg. Wilhelm II Proof 3 Mark 1911-F PR65 Cameo PCGS**, Stuttgart mint, KM635, J-175.
- 32438 Württemberg. Wilhelm II Proof 3 Mark 1913-F PR67 Deep Cameo PCGS**, Stuttgart mint, KM635, J-175. An immaculate coin with bold night-and-day contrasts between the fields and devices.

## GERMANY

- 32439 Wilhelm II Mark 1914-A MS68 PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM14, J-17. Impressive technical condition for this usually rather prolific date, presently tied for the finest certified at PCGS.
- 32440 Weimar Republic 3 Mark 1925-D MS64 PCGS**, Munich mint, KM43. The lowest mintage date for the type, presently tied for the second finest at PCGS.

- 32441 Weimar Republic Proof "Nordhausen" 3 Mark 1927-A PR65 Cameo NGC**, Berlin mint, KM52, J-327. Struck upon the 1,000th anniversary of the founding of the city of Nordhausen.

- 32442 Weimar Republic "Dürer" 3 Mark 1928-D MS66 PCGS**, Munich mint, KM58, J-332.

- 32443 Weimar Republic "Dinkelsbühl" 3 Mark 1928-D MS65+ NGC**, Munich mint, KM59. A pristine gem with notable die polish on the reverse.

- 32444 Weimar Republic Proof "Dinkelsbühl" 3 Mark 1928-D PR63 PCGS**, Munich mint, KM59.

- 32445 Weimar Republic Proof "Magdeburg" 3 Mark 1931-A PR67 PCGS**, Berlin mint, KM72, J-347.

- 32446 Weimar Republic "Tubingen" 5 Mark 1927-F MS66+ PCGS**, Stuttgart mint, KM55, J-329.

- 32447 Weimar Republic Proof "Tubingen" 5 Mark 1927-F PR65 Ultra Cameo NGC**, Stuttgart mint, KM55. In commemoration of the 450th anniversary of the founding of Tübingen University. Blast-white mirrored surfaces envelop this specimen rarely found in such gem condition. An impressive example of the type.

- 32448 Weimar Republic "Zeppelin" 5 Mark 1930-F MS65+ NGC**, Stuttgart mint, KM68. A better mint for this extremely popular commemorative, positively beaming with mint luster and no serious marks of consequence.

- 32449 Weimar Republic Proof "Goethe" 5 Mark 1932-A Proof Details (Stained) NGC**, Berlin mint, KM77. A lower mintage Proof struck on the 100th anniversary of Johann von Goethe's death, the current offering presents entrancing reflectivity with an even champagne and graphite color.



- 32450 Third Reich nickel Pattern Mark 1939-A MS65 NGC**, Berlin mint, Schaaf-354/G10. A scarce pattern/trial issue with "Probe" across the reverse denomination. Rarely seen in any condition, particularly so as well-kept as the present selection, with its lustrous fields and gentle handling.



**32451** Third Reich Proof “Martin Luther” 5 Mark 1933-A PR67 Deep Cameo PCGS, Berlin mint, KM80, J-353. Of wholly impressive preservation for the type, displaying a sharp cameo contrast that is only further enhanced by a pristine quality that is rarely seen for the issue. Tied for finest certified across both NGC and PCGS, and by all measures a premier example.

## GREAT BRITAIN



**32452** Anglo-Saxon. Early Transitional “Vaninundus Series” Sceat ND (675-685) XF45 NGC, Uncertain mint in Essex, Series Va, Type B, MEC I-670, S-774, cf. N-12/2 (for thrymsa), and pg. 61 1.22gm. OTNS VIVS (first S on side), helmeted, draped male right, holding scepter over right shoulder / +TmVSNVmVC, cross pattée within double beaded border. Pleasing visual contrasts between argent and graphite color, and nicely detailed with good centering.

**32453** Anglo-Viking. Kingdom of York “Cnut - Cunnetti” Penny ND (c. 895-902) AU58 PCGS, York mint, S-990, N-501. ⚔: CVN (group of 4 pellets) NET (group of 4 pellets) TI, small cross pattée, pellets in second and third quarters / C-N-V-T at ends of long cross, R: in second quarter, E in third, + in fourth, and group of four pellets in first. Handsomely struck and centered with pewter patina and full legibility.

**32454** Kings of All England. Aethelred II (978-1016) Penny ND (c. 979-985) AU58 NGC, Winchester mint, Byrthnoth as moneyer, First Hand type, S-1144, N-766 (this moneyer not listed for this mint), EMC-Unl. 1.49gm. ÆDEL RÆD REX ANGLO ⚔, diademed, draped bust of Aethelred right / +ByRHOTØM-O PINTO, Hand of Providence issuing from the clouds, Λ-ω to either side (marks of contraction above). Essentially choice quality for this type that virtually never reaches into Mint State, the flan appearing full, original, and minimally unevenly struck.

**32455** William I, the Conqueror (1066-1087) Penny ND (c. 1066-1087) AU Details (Cleaning) PCGS, Shaftesbury mint, Godesbrand as moneyer, PAXS type, S-1257, N-850. 19mm. 1.35gm. Rare mint and mintmaster. Sharply struck, with evidence of prior cleaning.



**32456** Henry IV (1399-1413) Penny ND (1412-1413) VF30 NGC, Tower mint, Cross pattée mm, Light Coinage, S-1731, N-1363 (VR). 0.82gm. Annulet to left and pellet to right of crown. A rather presentable specimen of this very rare coinage, some minor chipping along the edges and light corrosion hardly negating what is an exacting strike with bold details. Ex. Norweb Collection

**32457** Henry VI (1st Reign, 1422-1461) Groat (4 Pence) ND (1422-1427) AU58 NGC, Calais mint, Incurred pierced cross mm, Annulet issue, S-1836. 3.80gm. Very highly desirable in this condition with most examples coming heavily circulated, clipped, and bent. Strikingly lustrous and showcasing a charming portrait of the king.

**32458** Henry VIII (1509-1547) Groat ND (1526-1544) AU55 NGC, Tower mint, Lis mm, Second coinage, S-2337E. 2.44gm. A comparatively high-grade for this beloved ‘Laker bust’ groat of Henry VIII, strikingly untuned and icy white throughout with die polish visible on both sides with relative ease. Mislabelled on the holder as S-2316.



**32459** Edward VI (1547-1553), in the name of Henry VIII Groat (4 Pence) ND (1547-1551) AU53 NGC, Tower mint, Lis mm, Fifth bust, S-2403, N-1871. 2.63gm. The highest numerical grade for this posthumous coinage we have handled, and a laudable type coin at that, traces of die degradation hardly obscuring a strong portrait and skilled engraving.

**32460** Philip II of Spain & Mary I (1554-1558) Groat ND (1554-1558) XF45 PCGS, Tower mint, Lis mm, S-2508, N-1973. Featuring a rather strong bust of Mary both for the type and grade, with ample originality and die polish preserved in the margins.

**32461** Philip II of Spain & Mary I (1554-1558) Shilling ND (1554-1555) XF Details (Obverse Damage) NGC, S-2498. 6.07gm. On the whole a remarkably nice rendition of this almost ubiquitously worn and damaged type, the scuff through Philip’s chest even seeming rather superficial, while the remainder of the coin exudes a sharpness seldom encountered.

**32462 Charles I 1/2 Crown ND (1639-1640) XF45 NGC**, Tower mint (under Charles I), Triangle mm, S-2776. 14.91gm. Showcasing an appreciable gunmetal cabinet tone and a comparatively even strike for the issue.



**32463 Charles I 1/2 Crown 1643 AU58 NGC**, Oxford mint, Plume mm, KM214.5, S-2954, N-2413 (R). 15.09gm. A superbly sharp example of this Declaration 1/2 Crown, combining clear detailing with graphite-toned surfaces showing not a single flaw of note. Struck on a slightly irregular flan, as is common for the issue, the overall preservation truly on the cusp of Mint State.

**32464 Charles II 1/2 Crown 1670 VF35 PCGS**, KM428.4, S-3365. Attractively aged with wear evenly distributed over the high-points of the design.

**32465 Charles II Crown 1662 VF25 NGC**, KM417.1, S-3350, ESC-340. Variety with rose below bust and stop after HIB. An enticing first-year-of-issue crown of Charles I, evenly bathed in rich argent color.

**32466 James II 1/2 Crown 1686 XF45 NGC**, KM452, S-3408. SECVNDO edge. A fully appreciable example of the type, lacking any signs of adjustment with considerably more detail than is often found on James's coinage.

**32467 William & Mary 4-Piece Certified Maundy Set 1694 PCGS**,  
 1) Penny - AU55, S-3445. HI for HIB in legend.  
 2) 2 Pence - AU58, S-3443. HI for HIB in legend.  
 3) 3 Pence - MS62, S-3442. MARIA legend variety.  
 4) 4 Pence - MS62, S-3440. Variety with wreath tie.

KM-MDS29. A highly coveted Maundy set, particular in this quality, all with even argent patination and glossy surfaces. (Total: 4 coins)

**32468 Anne 1/2 Crown 1708 AU58 NGC**, KM525.3. A striking large size Anne issue with an eye-appeal that seems to exceed its technical grade, the reverse icy and interspersed with sapphire tones.

**32469 George I gold 1/4 Guinea 1718 MS62 NGC**, KM555, S-3638. The first year for this relatively short-lived fractional gold denomination, which though usually rather common, approaches serious conditional scarcity when found so close to choice.

**32470 George III copper Proof Restrike Pattern 1/2 Penny 1795-SOHO PR64 Brown NGC**, Soho mint, KM-Pn63, Peck-1049. By W.J. Taylor. An overtly charming specimen with brick red color only lightly beginning to brown. For comparison, we sold another PR64 Brown of the same type for \$1292 in our September 2015 Long Beach sale. Ex. E. Judson Collection (DNW Auction 53, March 2002, Lot 484); Glendining (March 1972, Lot 325)

**32471 George III brass Proof Pattern Restrike 1/2 Penny 1795-SOHO PR63 PCGS**, Soho mint, KM-Unl., Peck-1055 (VR). By W.J. Taylor. Only the second example of this very late Soho restrike we have offered, and only the third we can locate coming to auction in over a decade, the usually yellow color of the flan subdued to a pleasing sandy brown.

**32472 George III 6 Pence 1817 MS67 NGC**, KM665, S-3791. A truly spectacular and enviable offering, standing unchallenged at the very peak of the NGC census for the date out of 74 certified examples. Smoky gray light toning, the surfaces appear nearly Prooflike.

**32473 George III gold 1/4 Guinea 1762 MS63 NGC**, KM592, S-3741. Practically medallion in overall execution, even for its small size, with every detail fully expressed and notably few marks on the whole.

**32474 George III gold 1/3 Guinea 1800 MS64 NGC**, KM620, S-3738. One of a measly 3 examples of this date in this peak choice grade at NGC and only the second we have handled, lavishly struck in a manner befitting the finest collections of fractional English gold.

**32475 George III gold Guinea 1774 AU58 NGC**, KM602, S-3728. Handsomely struck with sharp detailing and minimal abrasions.

**32476 George III gold Guinea 1795 AU58 NGC**, KM609, S-3739. Exhibiting clearly Mint State details with flashy surfaces and just light chatter to bound the assigned grade.



**32477 George III gold Guinea 1798 MS63 NGC**, KM609, S-3729. A flashy piece revealing considerable luster in the fields. Sharply struck and detailed for the type, which often comes with areas of softness due to having been struck on shallow dies.



**32478 George III Counterstamped Bank Dollar ND (1797-1799) MS61 NGC**, KM638, S-3765A. Oval counterstamp depicting George III on Lima mint 8 Reales 1792 LIMAE-IJ of Charles IV. An exceedingly lustrous host coin, which would appear to be conservatively graded to say the least. Some hints of goldenrod and cobalt are evident, shimmering subtly throughout, while the surfaces remain free from distracting marks. A premium-quality piece.

## GREAT BRITAIN

**32479 George III copper Proof Bank Dollar of 5 Shillings 1804 PR58 Brown NGC, KM-Tn1a, ESC-1956 (R3; prev. ESC-164A).** Thick planchet variety. Handsome mahogany fields with remarkably few marks for the certification.

**32480 George III gold 1/2 Guinea 1804 MS64 NGC, KM651, S-3737.** Very nearly gem with no examples of this date yet achieving that designation from either major grading service, the surfaces firmly lustrous and strikingly bright even when viewed from a distance.



**32481 George III gold 1/2 Guinea 1813 MS63+ NGC, KM651, S-3737.** Enviably from every angle with the visual allure of a much finer specimen, just a few stray marks keeping it from achieving an even finer designation.



**32482 George III gold 1/2 Guinea 1813 MS63 NGC, KM651, S-3737.** A sublime and exceedingly choice representative of this popular "Military" issue, possessing a visual allure far above most pieces in this grade.

**32483 George III gold 1/2 Sovereign 1817 MS63+ NGC, KM673, S-3786.** Impressively pristine and free of serious marks in-line with its "plus" designation, and a fully enviable type representative.

**32484 Middlesex. Spence's copper 1/2 Penny Token ND (1790s) MS65 Brown NGC, D&H-831a.** Plain edge, struck without collar. A historic and well-sought after "End of Pain" type, with the reverse legend referring to Thomas Paine. Tied for the top certified specimen at NGC.



**32485 Middlesex. Anti-Slavery Society gilt-copper Penny Token ND (1790s) MS62 Deep Prooflike NGC, D&H-235.** Plain edge. A remarkably elusive gilt striking of this heavily medalllic type, some stray handling and contact marks likely being all that hold it from a choice designation. For comparison, an MS64 example of the same type achieved \$3120 in our April 2018 CCE sale #3064.

**32486 Middlesex. Anti-Slavery Society silvered Penny Token ND (1790s) MS62 Prooflike NGC, D&H-235.** Plain edge. A highly collectible type that rarely comes so well-preserved, a clear reflectivity preserved throughout the fields.

**32487 George IV Proof 1/2 Penny 1825 PR65 Red and Brown PCGS, KM692, S-3824, Peck-1432 (VR).** A brick red representative of this very difficult Proof date—notably more elusive than the Proof halfpennies of the following year. Hardly improvable even under close inspection, with surfaces that appear remarkably clean. Ex. Heritage Auction #3008 (January 2010, Lot 21820); Exeter College Collection



**32488 George IV Proof Penny 1826 PR65 Brown PCGS, KM693, S-3823.** The finest Proof of this date yet seen by PCGS, boasting a nearly unimprovable appearance.



**32489 George IV lead Uniface Reverse Die Trial Crown 1822 MS63 NGC**, cf. KM680.1 and S-3805 (for type), cf. ESC-2324 (R7; Unique, but with streamer of hair behind helmet), L&S-3 (same). 37mm. By Benedetto Pistrucci. A presumably unique and seemingly unpublished die trial, differing from the unique specimen recorded by Bull and Linecar and Stone, in that it lacks the long streamer of hair extending from St. George's helmet. Interestingly missing from Pistrucci's own collection as such, and of great interest to the connoisseur of the British series. Ex. Heritage Auction #3032 (April 2014, Lot 32017); Heritage Auction #3010 (August 2010, Lot 21128)

**32490 George IV gold Sovereign 1821 AU Details (Cleaned) NGC**, KM682, S-3800. AGW 0.2355oz.

**32491 George IV gold Sovereign 1825 AU55 NGC**, KM696, S-3801. Bare head bust. Lustrous despite evidence of wear on the high points.

**32492 George IV gold Sovereign 1826 MS60 NGC**, KM696, S-3801. An attractive piece for the grade assigned, its reflective fields placing it solidly in Mint State condition, but perhaps unable to achieve a higher grade due to the presence of light rub on the high points.

**32493 George IV gold Sovereign 1827 AU Details (Reverse Scratched) NGC**, KM696, S-3801. AGW 0.2355oz.

**32494 George IV gold Sovereign 1830 AU55 NGC**, KM696, S-3801. Preserved with a deep goldenrod hue that reddens towards the edges, and a semi-matte finish that reinforces its overall desirability.

**32495 George IV gold 2 Pounds 1823 AU Details (Obverse Graffiti) NGC**, KM690, S-3798. A popular one year type, incised with the number '125' very faintly beneath George's portrait, otherwise a bold AU offering with sharp details.

**32496 William IV bronzed-copper Proof Farthing 1831 PR66 PCGS**, KM705, S-3848. A considerably elusive Proof in this lofty gem quality, the surfaces wells of watery mahogany color containing ample die polish. Currently only one piece ranks a point finer in the PCGS census.



**32497 William IV Proof Shilling 1831 PR65 NGC**, KM713, S-3835. Plain edge. An absolutely phenomenal representative of this Proof-only issue, presenting the viewer with a near cameo contrast between the fields and devices by sheer virtue of its exquisite toning palette. While tied with 4 other pieces for the finest certified at NGC, it can be said with confidence that it likely surpasses its peers in visual quality, perfectly blending cobalt rims and magenta centers on the obverse with a purely sapphire reverse. Ex. Heritage Auction #3009 (April 2010, Lot 21758)

**32498 William IV gold Sovereign 1832 XF40 NGC**, KM717, S-3829B. A remarkably difficult sovereign date despite its relatively high recorded mintage, most specimens found on the market rarely escaping VF, while the coin at hand displays few obtrusive marks.

**32499 temp. William IV bronze "Abolition of Slavery" Medal 1834 MS65 Brown NGC**, BHM-1666. 43mm. By J. Davis. A surprisingly difficult type from this historic series to locate, particularly in such prime gem preservation, with hardly a mark across its mahogany surfaces.

**32500 temp. William IV white-metal "Abolition of Slavery" Medal 1834 MS63 Prooflike NGC**, BHM-1666var (unlisted in white-metal). 43mm. By J. Davis. Exceedingly handsome specimen that shows none of the usual unattractive aging so frequently seen for white metal, and a type quite difficult to locate free of punctures.

**32501 temp. William IV white-metal "Abolition of Slavery" Medal ND (1834) MS61 NGC**, BHM-1669. 40mm. By T. Halliday. Highly attractive and quite fleeting in Mint State, some spots of extra metal noted on Justice's head, breast, and the end of the obverse legend.

**32502 Victoria copper-nickel Proof Pattern 1/2 Penny 1868 PR65 Cameo PCGS**, KM-PnQ115, Peck-1794 (R), Freeman-304 (R17). Quite an elusive Victorian off-metal pattern that only occasionally becomes available, an even graphite color to the fields revealing champagne hues when viewed under good light.

**32503 Victoria Shilling 1843 MS64 PCGS**, KM734.1, S-3904. An incredible state of preservation for this workhorse denomination, and the second finest certified to-date by PCGS.

**32504 Victoria Shilling 1858 MS65 NGC**, KM734.1, S-3904. A beautiful representative swirling with bright luster.

**32505 Victoria "Gothic" Florin 1868 MS63 NGC**, KM746.2, S-3893. Highly original, with a particularly clean reverse befitting of an even finer piece.



**32506 Victoria 1/2 Crown 1887 MS66 NGC, KM764, S-3924.** Jubilee head type. Unusually fine for this circulation issue, tied for the finest out of over 400 certified examples of this date at NGC. The fields are fully resplendent with a rainbow of iridescent hues from longtime careful storage.

**32507 Victoria Proof 1/2 Crown 1893 PR65 Cameo NGC, KM782, S-3938.** A majestic example of this popular issue, its razor-sharp strike and glossy mirrored surfaces enhanced by hues of a royal red in the central fields that come alive when viewed under direct lighting and provide a deeply contrasted backdrop when not.

**32508 Victoria gold 1/2 Sovereign 1887 MS62 PCGS, KM766, S-3869C.** Variety without J.E.B initials on the queen's truncation. One of only 3 examples of this scarce subvariety certified at PCGS, appearing notably crisp throughout with few bagmarks and brilliant golden color.

**32509 Victoria gold Sovereign 1839 XF40 NGC, KM736.1, S-3852.** A significantly rare early date among Victoria's sovereigns, with markedly few examples saved from circulation as compared to the first-year 1838 issues. Showing all evidence of a sharp strike beneath light wear, and quite desirable as such.

**32510 Victoria gold "Shield" Sovereign 1871 MS65+ PCGS, KM736.2, S-3853B.** Die #45. A comparatively unimprovable example of the date, remarkably outranked by a single piece half a grade point higher at PCGS, with none finer at NGC out of over 700 certified.

**32511 Victoria gold "Shield" Sovereign 1871 MS65 NGC, KM752, S-3856.** Die #30. A very lofty designation for this condition-sensitive type, with none certified finer at NGC and just one a point higher at PCGS.

**32512 Victoria gold Sovereign 1879 XF40 NGC, KM752, S-3856A, Marsh-90 (R4).** A strong key date within the Victorian sovereign series that comes fiercely contested in all grades, evenly worn across the highpoints though still preserving a good degree of detail with no unsightly marks.

**32513 Victoria gold 2 Pounds 1887 MS64 NGC, KM768, S-3865.**

**32514 Victoria gold 2 Pounds 1887 MS63+ NGC, KM768, S-3865.**

**32515 Victoria gold 2 Pounds 1887 UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC, KM768, S-3865.** AGW 0.4710 oz.



**32516 Victoria gold 2 Pounds 1893 MS63 NGC, KM786, S-3873.** Waves of gentle luster cascade over the surfaces of this piece, the fields of which are surprisingly free of distracting contact marks.

**32517 Victoria gold 2 Pounds 1893 MS63 NGC, KM786, S-3873.** One of just two 2 Pound piece types produced during Victoria's reign, generally seen as a Proof but here offered in its business strike format. Nonetheless strikingly Prooflike in the fields with a razor-sharp level of execution.

**32518 Victoria gold 2 Pounds 1893 AU Details (Cleaned) PCGS, KM786, S-3873.** Mintage: 52,000. One year type. AGW 0.4710 oz.

**32519 Victoria gold 5 Pounds 1887 UNC Details (Reverse Rim Filed) NGC, KM769, S-3864.** AGW 1.1775 oz.

**32520 temp. Victoria white metal "Negro Emancipation in the West Indies" Medal 1838 MS62 Deep Prooflike NGC, BHM-1881 (R).** 32mm. By T. Halliday. Very rare to find so excellently preserved and strikingly mirrorlike, with this currently standing as the sole certified specimen at NGC. Mislabelled on the holder as BHM-18.

**32521 Edward VII gold 2 Pounds 1902 AU53 NGC, KM806, S-3968.** Lightly circulated but retaining much luster.

**32522 George V Crown 1928 MS63 NGC, KM836, S-4036.** A choice selection of the issue displaying glistening argent surfaces layered in a delicate silvery patina.

**32523 George V Proof Crown 1935 PR65 Deep Cameo PCGS, KM842, S-4050.** Raised edge lettering. A beautiful Proof of the well-known 1935 'rocking horse' Crown produced to commemorate George V's silver jubilee, struck in .925 silver as opposed to the usual standard of .500. The surfaces appear fully mirrored and deeply cameoed without the least trace of tone.

**32524 George VI 15-Piece Certified Proof Set 1937 PCGS,**

- 1) Maundy Penny - PR64, S-4090
- 2) Maundy 2 Pence - PR66, S-4089
- 3) Maundy 3 Pence - PR66, S-4088. Shield on rose.
- 4) 3 Pence - PR64, S-4085
- 5) Maundy 4 Pence - PR64, S-4087
- 6) 6 Pence - PR66, S-4084
- 7) Shilling - PR66+, S-4082. English reverse.
- 8) Shilling - PR67+ Cameo, S-4083. Scottish reverse.
- 9) Florin - PR66+, S-4081
- 10) 1/2 Crown - PR67, S-4080
- 11) Crown - PR66, S-4079
- 12) Farthing - PR66 Red and Brown, S-4116
- 13) 1/2 Penny - PR66 Red and Brown, S-4115
- 14) Penny - PR66 Red and Brown, S-4114
- 15) 3 Pence - PR66, S-4112

KM-PS21. (Total: 15 coins)

- 32525 George VI gold Proof 1/2 Sovereign 1937 PR66★ NGC**, KM858, S-4077. Mintage: 5,500. A truly spectacular and virtually pristine representative of this one-year type from George's coronation Proof set. Awarded the coveted 'star' designation for its superb preservation and visual allure, Marsh records a mintage for this type at just 5,001 pieces.
- 32526 Elizabeth II gold Proof 5 Pounds 1982 PR68 Deep Cameo PCGS**, KM924. AGW 1.1775 oz.
- 32527 Elizabeth II gold Proof 5 Pounds 1984 PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM924. AGW 1.1775 oz.
- 32528 Elizabeth II gold "Golden Jubilee" 5 Pounds 2002 MS69 Deep Prooflike NGC**, KM1028. Mintage: 1,370. AGW 1.1771 oz.
- 32529 Elizabeth II gold Proof 5 Pounds 2003 PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM1003. AGW 1.1775 oz.
- 32530 Elizabeth II gold 5 Pounds 2004 MS69 Deep Prooflike NGC**, KM1003. Mintage: 1,000. AGW 1.1775 oz.
- 32531 Elizabeth II gold Proof 5 Pounds 2005 PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM1067. AGW 1.1771 oz.
- 32532 Elizabeth II gold Proof "Britannia and the Lion" 100 Pounds 2001 PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM1023. Mintage: 1,000. AGW 1.0035 oz.
- 32533 Elizabeth II gold Proof "Seated Britannia" 100 Pounds 2005 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM1071. Mintage: 1,500. AGW 1.0035 oz.
- 32534 Elizabeth II gold Proof "Britannia" 100 Pounds 2008 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM1102. AGW 1.0035 oz.
- 32535 Elizabeth II gold Proof "Britannia" 100 Pounds 2010 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM1138. AGW 1.0027 oz.
- 32536 Elizabeth II 5-Piece Certified gold Proof Set 2009 PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC**,  
 1) 1/4 Sovereign, KM1117  
 2) 1/2 Sovereign, KM1001.1  
 3) Sovereign, KM1002.1  
 4) 2 Pounds, KM1072.1  
 5) 5 Pounds, KM1003
- Total AGW 2.0603 oz. **Sold as is, no returns.** (Total: 5 coins)
- 32537 Edward III gold Proof Fantasy Crown ND PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC**, KM-Unl. Numbered on the reverse as #2304 from a mintage of 5000. Modern Proof fantasy issue loosely based upon the Double Leopard struck under the reign of Edward III in 1344. Struck in 0.916 fine gold.
- 32538 Charles I gold Proof Fantasy Crown ND PR67 Cameo NGC**, KM-Unl. Numbered on the reverse as #1700 from a mintage of 5000. A modern Proof fantasy issue loosely based upon the designs of the crown types struck under the reign of Charles I (1625-49). Struck in 0.916 fine gold.

GREECE

- 32539 George I 10 Lepta 1878-K MS63 Brown PCGS**, Bordeaux mint, KM55. A comparatively lofty representative for the type, surpassed by a mere 2 coins a point higher at PCGS with none finer at NGC. The surfaces are a rich chocolate brown in color with reddened accents highlighting the raised features.
- 32540 George I Drachma 1868-A MS64 NGC**, Paris mint, KM38. A premium example of this first-year issue, very rare in such fine quality and imbued with a satiny sheen of colors ranging from deep azure to a pleasant champagne yellow.

GREENLAND

- 32541 Ostgronland. A. Gibbs & Sons brass 6 Skilling Token 1863 MS64 NGC**, KM-Tn12, Sieg-9. A very rare token to find both free of corrosion and so nearly gem, and likely among the finest certified.

GUATEMALA



- 32542 Central American Republic 1/4 Real 1851-G AU58 PCGS**, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM1 (Rare). An exceedingly difficult date for the issue, noted as Rare by the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*. An elusive opportunity for the dedicated series collector to fill a near-certain gap in their collection, impressively so with a lustrous and lightly toned example bordering closely on Mint State.
- 32543 Central American Republic 8 Reales 1827 NG-M MS61 NGC**, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM4. A wholesome example of this popular type, exhibiting a typical weakness of strike but with overall attractively wholesome surfaces and a notable lack of adjustment marks.
- 32544 Central American Republic 8 Reales 1835 NG-M AU58 NGC**, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM4. Coin rotation variety. A lovely example of this popular type, the fields shimmering with luster, the surface crisp and clear, the strike strong and full save for a patch in the central area of the tree's branches on the reverse.
- 32545 Central American Republic 8 Reales 1836 NG-BA AU58 NGC**, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM4. An absolutely choice example for the grade, heavily lustrous and nearly Prooflike in appearance, toeing the line for a Mint State designation. No adjustment marks as common for the type, a couple of planchet flaws in the central areas and a weak strike in the upper area of the legend the only defects to what is otherwise a superior example.
- 32546 Central American Republic 8 Reales 1837 NG-BA AU58 NGC**, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM4. A wholesome example of this popular sun-face type, displaying light surface wear but retaining significant luster.



**32547 Central American Republic 8 Reales 1839/7 NG-MA/BA AU58 NGC**, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM4. Delightfully well-struck, each speck on the face of the mountain tops intact, the surface full and complete, and nearly every leaf of the Ceiba tree distinct and separate. A scarce overdate and overassayer, especially in such lofty condition.

**32548 Central American Republic gold 1/2 Escudo 1824 NG-M MS61 NGC**, Nueva Guatemala mint, KM5. Uncommon condition for this first-year-of-issue, very expressive in the surface and expressing hardly any of the usual softness in the design.

**32549 Republic gold 10 Quetzales 1926-(P) MS63 NGC**, Philadelphia mint, KM245. Mintage: 18,000. One year type, displaying the popular quetzal on both sides.

**32550 Republic gold 10 Quetzales 1926-(P) MS62 PCGS**, Philadelphia mint, KM245. Mintage: 18,000. Only a one-year type which seldom appears finer, the usual bagmarks largely keeping clear of the obverse of the coin.

**32551 Republic gold 10 Quetzales 1926-(P) MS62 PCGS**, Philadelphia mint, KM245. Mintage: 18,000. Soundly struck with clean obverse fields and full cartwheel luster over both sides.

## HAITI



**32552 Revolutionary Government. Toussaint L'Ouverture Escalin ND (1802) XF Details (Reverse Damage) NGC**, Santo Domingo mint, KM22, Maz-129, Gomez-62. An incredibly historic type from the Haitian War of Independence against Napoleonic France, commissioned by Governor Toussaint L'Ouverture, who had been appointed to his position for life by the Constitution of 1801, and died in a French prison the year after this coin was struck. Sold with old Freeman Craig dealer tag.



**32553 Northern Haiti. Henri Christophe tin "Election" Medal 1807-Dated MS62 NGC**, Fonrobert-Unl., Guttag-Unl. 43mm. Noted on the holder as having THOMASON on the edge, though the dealer tag included with the medal states that the edge is reeded. An extremely rare medal issued for Henri Christophe's election as President of Haiti, missing from both the Fonrobert and Guttag collections, and of which we have been able to locate no other examples. Sold with old Louis H. Collins dealer tag.



**32554 Northern Haiti. Henri Christophe copper Pattern Centime 1807 MS63 Brown NGC**, Birmingham mint, KM-Pn1, Fonrobert-7483, Guttag-2011, Arroyo-HA#P10. Reeded/Oblique milled edge. A scarce and charming pattern produced just prior to President Henri Christophe's elevation as King of Haiti. Mostly chocolate brown with cupric accents at the legends, the obverse surfaces are noticeably watery, while the higher points of the bust suggest an irregularly worn obverse die. Sold with old Henry Christensen dealer tag.



**32555 Northern Haiti. Henri Christophe silver Pattern 25 Centimes L'An 11 (1814) VF Details (Scratches) NGC**, KM-Unl., Fonrobert-Unl., Ulex-2307 (mis-labeled on the holder as Ulex-2807), cf. Guttag-2016C (in white metal), Arroyo-HA#P105 (same). 3.44gm. Perhaps of even greater rarity than the highly prized pattern crowns of Henri as King of North Haiti, this type apparently coming to auction perhaps just twice in the last 50 to 100 years—once in the aforementioned Georg F. Ulex collection sold by Adolph Hess in 1908, and in a 1960 Spink sale. Displaying even wear and strong details, as such its appearance here is sure to spark fierce bidding among connoisseurs of the Haitian and West Indies series.



**32556 Northern Haiti. Henri Christophe silver Pattern 7-1/2 Sols (1/2 Escalin) 1808 MS62 NGC**, Birmingham mint, KM-Pn5, Fonrobert-7487, Gutttag-2014, Arroyo-HA#P1. An instantly recognizable and charming Haitian pattern struck on a characteristically oversized flan with soft blue tones and highly Prooflike fields. Sold with old dealer tag.



**32557 Northern Haiti. Henri Christophe silver Pattern 30 Sols (2 Escalins, Gourdin) 1808 MS62 NGC**, Birmingham mint, KM-Pn8, Fonrobert-7485, Gutttag-2013A, Arroyo-HA#P8. Enticing and highly Prooflike, with a clear champagne tinge over argent fields. Crafted by Matthew Boulton, these silver patterns were commissioned by Henri Christophe in England as part of a project to improve the crude Haitian coinage struck in Cap Haitien. Sold with old Galerie des Monnaies of Geneva tag.

**32558 Republic 50 Centimes L'An 25 (1828) MS64 PCGS**, KM20. Presently tied for the finest certified across NGC and PCGS combined, a considerable feat for this almost universally heavily circulated and poorly struck type. A true outlier as such, sure to appeal to the condition-minded collector.



**32559 Faustin I silver Pattern 100 Centimes 1849 AU58 NGC**, KM-Pn43 or KM-Pn44, Fonrobert-Unl., Gutttag-2199A, Arroyo-HA#P55. Plain edge. By all indications an extremely rare pattern from the beginning of Faustin's reign as emperor, entirely absent from public auction records from the past several decades, and the present piece standing as the sole certified example. Exhibiting only light rub on the highest points of the design, the features appear near medallion in execution with a lightly golden tone over argent fields. Sold with old Joseph Lepezyk dealer tag.



**32560 Republic silver Proof Essai 20 Centimes 1877 IB-CT PR63 NGC**, KM-Pn76, VG-3901, cf. Gutttag-2214A (for piefort essai), Maz-2236var (R3; alloy), Arroyo-HA#P34. Perhaps even scarcer than the piefort essai of the same design, the present offering represents the sole example of this pattern that we have encountered, evenly cabinet-toned with iridescent shades over antique argent surfaces. One of only 2 certified at NGC, and highly desirable as such. Ex. Ponterio & Associates CICF Auction (March 1992, Lot 1457)

**32561 Republic Gourde 1882-(a) MS63 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM46. Exhibiting only the lightest signs of contact in-line with designation, the surfaces otherwise highly satiny and replete with mint bloom.

## HONG KONG

**32562 British Colony. Shanghai Specie Office silver Bar of 5 Dollars ND (1970s) AU (Cleaned)**, KM-XB13. 52x32mm. 126.39gm. A splendid bullion piece impressed somewhat anachronistically with the bust of Queen Victoria, and highly collectable.

## HUNGARY

**32563 Wladislaus I (1440-1444) gold Goldgulden ND (1443) AU55 NGC**, Nagyszeben mint, Fr-13, CNH-140, Lengyel-22/8. 3.48gm. • S • LADISL | AVS • REX, St. Ladislaus, nimbate, crowned, and mantled, standing facing, globus cruciger in left hand, axe in right; n-G across fields / +WLADISLAVS • D • G • R • VnGARIE •, quartered arms of Poland, Lithuania, and Hungary. Well-executed on a full flan with only slight evidence of waviness.

**32564 Matthias Corvinus (1458-1490) gold Goldgulden ND (1476-1478) K-VA MS61 NGC**, Kremnitz mint, Husz-686, Lengyel-48/1A. 3.52gm. MATHAS • D • G | R • VNGARIE, Madonna seated with child, vase of flowers to right, Hunyadi raven at feet / S • LADISLA | S • REX, crowned, nimbate, and mantled figure of St. Ladislaus standing facing, globus cruciger in left hand, axe in right, K-V/A to either side. A slightly scarcer mint master for the issue, struck a bit flatly atop the highest points of the design, though otherwise highly presentable. Sold with old CNG lot tag.



**32565 Rudolf II gold Ducat 1591-KB AU55 NGC**, Kremnitz mint, Fr-63, Husz-1002. 3.49gm. Obv. Madonna seated. Rev. St. Ladislav standing, facing, holding halberd. Well struck with full mint luster. A slight crease is noted.

**32566 Rudolf II gold Ducat 1599-KB MS62 PCGS**, Kremnitz mint, Fr-63, Husz-1002. 3.45gm. Soundly executed on a slightly wrinkled flan, though expressing notably minimal evidence of striking weakness.

**32567 Maria Theresa gold Ducat 1765-KB MS62 NGC**, Kremnitz mint, KM329.2. A premier level of certification for the type, with only two graded a point finer at NGC.

**32568 Maria Theresa gold Ducat 1765-KB MS61 PCGS**, Kremnitz mint, KM329.2, Fr-180. 3.47gm. A superb representative of this key date for the type, with only two pieces ranking a grade point finer at PCGS.

**32569 Franz Joseph I 5 Korona 1907-KB MS65 NGC**, Kremnitz mint, KM488. Struck for the 40th anniversary of Franz Joseph I's coronation.



**32570 Franz Joseph I gold 20 Korona 1916-KB AU53 NGC**, Kremnitz mint, KM495, Fr-259, Husz-2231. Variety with Bosnian arms in shield. A problem-free representative of this sought-after variety revealing pockets of shimmering luster alongside devices demonstrating only a minimum of rub to the higher points.

# INDIA



**32571 Kadambas of Goa. Sivachitta Permadideva gold Pagoda (Stater) ND (fl. 1147-1187) XF40 ANACS**, Mitch-655, Zeno-18908. Dated Cyclical Year Mava. A quite appealing and fleeting gold type, well-centered on the flan with wear evenly distributed across the high points.

**32572 Hyderabad. Mir Usman Ali Khan gold 1/2 Ashrafi AH 1353 Year 23 (1934/5) AU Details (Removed From Jewelry) NGC**, Hyderabad (Farkhanda Bunyad) mint, cf. KM-Y56.2 (this date unlisted). An intriguing unpublished date for this type, well-struck with strong details despite evidence of use in jewelry.



**32573 Mughal Empire. Shah Jahan gold Mohur AH 1060 Year 23 (1650/1651) MS62 ANACS**, Burhanpur mint, KM260.6, Hull-1560, Liddle Type G-23 (this date unlisted). By all appearances very nearly choice, with the date fully struck and only some light pebbling to the surfaces to bound the designation. Ex. Heritage Auction #3009 (April 2010, Lot 22036) *From the George Hans Cook Collection*

**32574 Mughal Empire. Aurangzeb Alamgir gold Mohur AH 1082 Year 14 (1671/1672) AU Details (Rim Filing, Bent) NGC**, Aurangabad mint, KM315.10. A very difficult type, strongly struck and retaining much detail but exhibiting some unfortunate evidence of mishandling.

**32575 British India. East India Company - George III bronzed copper Specimen "Defeat of Tipu Sultan" Medal 1792 SP64 PCGS**, Eimer-845, BHM-363, Pudd-792.1.1. 47mm. By Conrad Kuchler. Commemorating the defeat of Tipu Sultan by British forces led by Lord Cornwallis. Exceedingly close to gem with hardly a stray mark over its coffee-brown fields.



**32576 British India. George V Rupee 1911-(c) MS65+ PCGS, Calcutta mint, KM523.** One year type, with teal and russet peripheral with peach-gray center toning.

**32577 British India. George V Rupee 1911-(c) MS65 PCGS, Calcutta mint, KM523, S&W-8.11.** Pastel shades colorfully blended and positioned just right to accent the subdued cartwheel luster. One year type.

**32578 Anonymous gold Hindu Religious Token ND (c. 1950s-1980s) AU50 ANACS, Brotman-Unl. 23mm. 14.92gm.** Nimbate Goddess Lakshmi seated on lotus flower flanked by two elephants / Ganesh seated on stool. An intriguing heavy gold token, and the only example of this 20th-century type we have been able to locate.

**INDONESIA**

**32579 Republic 5-Piece Certified silver Rupiah Proof Set 1970 Ultra Cameo NGC,**

- 1) "Great Bird of Paradise" 200 Rupiah - PR68, KM23
- 2) "Manjusri Statue" 250 Rupiah - PR66, KM24
- 3) "Wayang Dancer" 500 Rupiah - PR67, KM25
- 4) "Garuda Bird" 750 Rupiah - PR68, KM26
- 5) "General Sudirman" 1000 Rupiah - PR67, KM27

KM-PS2. Struck to celebrate the 25th Anniversary of Indonesian independence. Sold with the original case of issue and mint COA. (Total: 5 coins)

**IRAN**

**32580 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold "Coronation" Medal SH 1346 (1967) MS63 NGC, 36mm. 35.14gm. AGW 1.017 oz.**

**32581 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold "Coronation" Medal SH 1347 (1968) MS64 NGC, 39mm. 25.25gm. AGW 0.73062 oz.**

**32582 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof "Pillared Palace" 1000 Rials SH 1350 (1971) PR67 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM1191.1. AGW 0.3770 oz.**

**32583 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof "2500th Anniversary of the Persian Monarchy" 2000 Rials SH 1350 (1971) PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM1192. AGW 0.7540 oz.**

**32584 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof "2500th Anniversary of the Persian Monarchy" 2000 Rials SH 1350 (1971) PR67 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM1192. AGW 0.7540 oz.**

**32585 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof "2500th Anniversary of the Persian Monarchy" 2000 Rials SH 1350 (1971) PR67 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM1192. AGW 0.7540 oz.**

**32586 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof "2500th Anniversary of the Persian Monarchy" 2000 Rials SH 1350 (1971) PR66 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM1192. AGW 0.7540 oz.**

**32587 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold 2-1/2 Pahlavi SH 1339 (1960) MS65 NGC, KM1163.** Mintage: 1,682. The second lowest mintage date in the series with only 2 specimens certified finer between NGC and PCGS combined.

**32588 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold 2-1/2 Pahlavi SH 1348 (1969) MS65 NGC, KM1163. AGW 0.5885 oz.**

**32589 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold 2-1/2 Pahlavi SH 1350 (1971) MS65+ NGC, KM1163. AGW 0.5885 oz.**

**32590 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold 2-1/2 Pahlavi MS 2537 (1978) MS66+ NGC, KM1201. AGW 0.5885 oz.**

**32591 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold 2-1/2 Pahlavi MS 2537 (1978) MS66 NGC, KM1201. AGW 0.5885 oz.**

**32592 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold 2-1/2 Pahlavi MS 2537 (1978) MS66 NGC, KM1201. AGW 0.5885 oz.**

**32593 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold 2-1/2 Pahlavi MS 2537 (1978) UNC Details (Obverse Rim Filed) NGC, KM1201. AGW 0.5885 oz.**

**32594 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold 5 Pahlavi SH 1355 (1976) MS64 NGC, KM1202. AGW 1.1771 oz.**



**32595 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof "Three Generations of the Pahlavi Dynasty" Medal SH 1346 (1967) PR62 Ultra Cameo NGC, 38.5mm. 24.97gm. Sold with original case of issue. AGW 0.7225 oz.**

**32596 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Medal of 5 Pahlavi SH 1350 (1971) MS63 NGC, 37mm. 37.80gm. Commemorating the 2500th anniversary of the Persian monarchy. AGW 1.098 oz.**

**32597 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Medal of 5 Pahlavi SH 1350 (1971) MS62 NGC 37mm. 37.98gm. Commemorating the 2500th anniversary of the Persian monarchy. AGW 1.098 oz.**

**32598 Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof Octagonal "Bank Melli Jubilee" Medal SH 1355 (1976) PR66 Ultra Cameo NGC, 40mm. 39.53gm. AGW 1.14 oz.**



**32599** Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof “Golden Jubilee of Pahlavi Dynasty” Medal MS 2535 (1976) PR66 Ultra Cameo NGC, 40mm. 29.91gm. AGW 0.864 oz.

**32600** Muhammad Reza Pahlavi gold Proof “Golden Jubilee of Pahlavi Dynasty” Medal MS 2535 (1976) PR60 Ultra Cameo NGC, 40mm. 29.94gm. AGW 0.8667 oz.

IRELAND

**32601** George III Proof Bank Token of 6 Shillings 1804 PR60 NGC, KM-Tn1. Expressing some scattered handling in line with the grade, together with a mottling of sapphire tones at the edges.

**32602** Free State Florin 1931 MS66 NGC, KM7. A true conditional rarity of the Irish Free State series, with issues of the period almost never becoming available at this superb gem level. Presently the second finest certified example of the date out of 31 graded by NGC, and sure to come fiercely contested as such.

**32603** Free State 1/2 Crown 1931 MS65 PCGS, KM8. Fully covetable in gem, a mottled coloration overlaying olive surfaces resplendent with full mint bloom.

ISLAMIC DYNASTIES

**32604** Arab-Byzantine. temp. al-Walid I (AH 86-96 / AD 705-715) gold Solidus Indictional Year 11 (AH 94 / AD 712/3) VF35 ANACS, Uncertain Spanish mint (likely al-Qayrawan), A-122 (RR), ICV-139, Bernardi-30 (R). IN ∂ 2N2 ∂ 22 T2 III N N ∂N, Truncated and garbled legend, likely intended to be *In nomine domini non Deus nisi Deus solus non Deus Alius Similis* in abbreviated form, around 8-pointed star / IN SSIAININ CIIN [...] CIRT, Truncated and garbled legend, likely intended to be *Hic solidus feritus in Spania XCIII* in abbreviated form, around IN∂C XI; marks of contraction above. Well struck with good centering on a remarkably regular flan for the type.

**32605** Ayyubid. al-Nasir Salah al-Din Yusuf I (Saladin; AH 564-589 / AD 1169-1193) gold Dinar AH 57x (AD 118x) AU58 NGC, al-Iskandariya mint, A-785.1 (R), cf. Balog-19-24, SICA VI-855-858. 20mm. 4.43gm. Citing the Abbasid caliph al-Mustadi. Flatly struck atop the devices with clear die rust in the recesses, though still an appreciable example with the whole of the legends on-flan.

**32606** Ottoman Empire. Abdul Hamid II 11-Piece Lot of Certified 1/40 Qirsh AH 1293 Year 33 (1908/1909)-H PCGS, Misr mint (in Egypt), KM287. All are certified either MS63 Red or MS63 Red and Brown. Ex. E.E. Clain-Stefanelli Collection (Total: 11 coins)

**32607** Ottoman Empire. Abdul Hamid II 11-Piece Lot of Certified 1/40 Qirsh AH 1293 Year 33 (1908/1909)-H PCGS, Misr mint (in Egypt), KM287. All are graded either MS64 Red or MS64 Red and Brown. Ex. E.E. Clain-Stefanelli Collection (Total: 11 coins)

**32608** Ottoman Empire. Abdul Hamid II Specimen Qirsh AH 1293 Year 29 (1904/1905)-H SP67 PCGS, Misr mint (in Egypt), KM292. Struck from dies engraved in Birmingham. Fairly common in lower grades, the type is rarely if ever encountered this fine, especially so appealing with frosty devices and needle-sharp detail.

**32609** Ottoman Empire. Mehmed V Specimen 10 Qirsh AH 1327 Year 4 (1911/1912)-H SP65 PCGS, Misr mint (in Egypt), KM309. Struck from dies engraved in Birmingham. Incredible in such quality and in this state of preservation, the example at hand displays watery fields, lightly toned, and is graced with the contrast of sharp, frosty devices.

**32610** Ottoman Empire. Mehmed V gold “Mint Visit” 50 Kurush AH 1327 Year 3 (1911/1912) MS63 NGC, Mint given as Manastir, though struck at Istanbul (in Turkey), KM753. A choice Mint State piece from a very rare mint. AGW 0.1064 oz.

**32611** Ottoman Empire. Mehmed V gold “Mint Visit” 50 Kurush AH 1327 Year 3 (1911/1912) MS63 NGC, Mint given as Salonika, though struck in Istanbul (in Turkey), KM753. A choice mint state piece from a very rare mint. AGW 0.1064 oz.

ISRAEL

**32612** Republic copper-nickel Specimen Pattern 25 Pruta JE 5709 (1949) SP64 PCGS, Birmingham mint, KM12. Variety with pearl. A highly collectible issue that is scarcely available in the marketplace, fully mirrored in the surfaces with die polish filling the fields. Ex. Kings Norton Mint Collection

ITALY

GENOA



**32613** Genoa. Biennial Doges gold Overstruck Doppia 1595 XF45 NGC, Fr-149, MIR-205/26 (R). 6.65gm. Expressing appealing centering with nearly the full outer border visible on the reverse, which is quite exceptional for the issue. All the more intriguing is that the present specimen appears to be overstruck on a Spanish 2 Escudos, almost certainly of Philip II (the first Spanish monarch to strike 2 Escudos), and likely from the mint of Valladolid, based on the clover-like shape in the angles of the underlying cross (cf. Cal-Type 64). Extremely rare as such, possibly one of just a handful of known examples. Ex. Coin Galleries April 2007 Auction (Lot 5447)

LOMBARDY-VENETIA

**32614 Lombardy-Venetia. Republic 5 Lire 1848-M MS63 PCGS**, Milan mint, KM-C22.1. Short stems variety. Notably medallic in finish due to needle-sharp execution to the devices, and displaying a rich plumb hue.

MILAN

**32615 Milan. Philip II of Spain 20 Soldi ND (1556-1558) MS62 PCGS**, MIR-320/2 (RR). Notably elusive both as a type and in Mint State, both the peripheral and central features of the design fully struck-up with little of the usual annealing flaws in the surfaces.

**32616 Milan. Philip III of Spain Filippo (100 Soldi) 1605 VF30 NGC**, Milan mint, KM13, Dav-3998. Handsomely struck and centered on a fully round flan free of serious defects. Some traces of iridescent color have begun to develop in the recessed portions of the design, adding yet a further depth to the coin's eye appeal.

NAPLES & SICILY



**32617 Naples & Sicily. Charles V gold Scudo d'Oro ND (1519-1556) MS62 NGC**, Naples mint, Fr-835, cf. MIR-132 (unlisted with K in angles, different reverse legend). 3.35gm. • CA | ROLVS • V | IMPERAT | OR •, coat of arms over crowned double-headed eagle / +HISPANIARVM • ET • VTRIVSQ SICILIE • REX, floriolate cross with K in first and fourth angles. A very handsome striking of this imperial issue, showcasing an even and well-centered strike.



**32618 Naples & Sicily. Ferdinand IV gold 6 Ducati 1762/1 IA-CC/R AU58 NGC**, Naples mint, KM167, Fr-846. Lustrous, the surfaces endowed with a deep tangerine tone that renders the offering quite charming in hand.

**32619 Naples & Sicily. Ferdinand IV gold 6 Ducati 1766 DG-CCR MS63 NGC**, Naples mint, KM167, Fr-846. Minorly adjusted across the king's bust, though otherwise considerably satiny and strongly eye-appealing.

PAPAL STATES



**32620 Papal States. Clement XI Piastra (Scudo) Anno VI (1705/1706) XF40 NGC**, Rome mint, KM683, Dav-1436, B-2383. A very rare reverse type from this pope, the centeredness of the strike and detail of the design imbuing the piece with a palpable medallic feel.

VENICE

**32621 Venice. Revolutionary 5 Lire 1848 MS62 NGC**, Venice mint, KM803. A blast-white and lightly Prooflike piece, the surfaces over which a few hairline scratches appear here and there, preventing it from attaining a higher certified grade.

KINGDOM

**32622 Vittorio Emanuele III 5 Lire 1911-R MS63 NGC**, Rome mint, KM53. Although hazy, this coin features full luster and impeccable field surfaces.



**32623 Vittorio Emanuele III gold 20 Lire 1905-R MS63 PCGS**, Rome mint, KM37.1, Fr-24. Choice, with watery luster embracing the obverse and reverse design elements alike.



**32624 Vittorio Emanuele III gold 20 Lire 1923-R MS62 NGC**, Rome mint, KM64, Fr-31. Struck to commemorate the first anniversary of Italy's fascist government.

- 32625** Vittorio Emanuele III 20 Lire Anno XIV (1936)-R MS63 PCGS, Rome mint, KM81. Watery luster cascades over the surfaces of this choice example, surrounded by a hints of orange and green around the obverse peripherals.
- 32626** Vittorio Emanuele III gold "Kingdom Anniversary" 50 Lire 1911-R MS62 PCGS, Rome mint, KM54. A boldly struck specimen with only a scattering of light bagmarks, typical for the type, bounding the assigned grade.  
Ex. Rive d'Or Collection
- 32627** Vittorio Emanuele gold III 50 Lire Anno IX (1931)-R MS66 NGC, Rome mint, KM71. Among the finest certified examples of the type out of nearly 400 graded by NGC to-date.

## JAPAN

- 32628** Taisho gold 20 Yen Year 6 (1917) MS63 PCGS, Osaka mint, KM-Y40.2, Fr-53. A beautifully satiny piece with swirling cartwheel luster.

## JORDAN

- 32629** Hussein ibn Talal gold 50 Dinars AH 1397 (1977) MS65 NGC, Royal mint, KM34. Mintage: 829. Conservation series issue. AGW 0.9675 oz.

## LATVIA

- 32630** Republic bronze Specimen Essai 2 Santimi 1922 SP66 Red PCGS, KM-Unl. (cf. KM2 for circulation strike). The sole example of this Huguenin essai we have encountered, and of considerably rarity as such.
- 32631** Republic nickel Specimen Essai 10 Santimu 1922 SP66 PCGS, KM-Unl. An extremely rare and apparently unpublished pattern in the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*, struck in the same metal as the adopted design, though with the addition of the initials HF (for Huguenin Freres) on the reverse.

## LEBANON



- 32632** Republic silver Essai 25 Piastres 1929 MS65 NGC, KM-E7, Lec-34. A very scarcely encountered Essai type with a hint of tone.

## LESOTHO

- 32633** Moshoeshe II gold "Year of the Child" 250 Maloti 1979 MS68 NGC, KM26. Mintage: 2,000. Sold with the original case of issue. AGW 1.0003 oz.

## LIBERIA



- 32634** Republic silver Proof Pattern 25 Cents 1865 PR62 NGC, Birmingham mint, KM-Pn9, Fonrobert-6056. A highly appealing and incredibly elusive pattern striking, closely adhering to the designs of the contemporary Seated Liberty coinage of the United States. Presenting an eye-catching rainbow of old envelope tones across subtly glassy surfaces, only a single piece ranks finer at NGC. We have been able to locate only a single other example having come to auction in recent years, appearing in Ponterio & Associates' January 2010 NYINC Sale 152 (Lot 7922). Sold with old Coin Galleries tag.

## MALAY PENINSULA

- 32635** Penang, British Administration Cent (Pice) 1810 MS62 Brown PCGS, British Royal mint, KM14, Prid-16, Scholten-977 (recorded only in Proof). Small date, small shield variety. An exceptionally difficult type outside of well-circulated grades, despite Scholten's recording the type solely in Proof format. Very sharply executed throughout, with just some light wisps to bound the designation.

## MALAYA AND BRITISH BORNEO



- 32636** Elizabeth II Specimen 20 Cents 1957-KN SP66 PCGS, Kings Norton mint, KM3. Very seldom encountered as a specimen striking, this elite gem boasts an intense deep-white luster to the satin surfaces, crisply-struck and intensely appealing.  
Ex. Kings Norton Mint Collection

## MAURITIUS

- 32637** British Colony, Victoria Specimen 10 Cents 1877-H SP67 PCGS, Heaton mint, KM10.1. An astonishing gem with near-Prooflike surfaces, sharp devices, and alluring hints of iridescent tones.
- 32638** British Colony, Victoria Specimen 20 Cents 1877-H SP67 NGC, Heaton mint, KM11.1. A superb state of preservation with soft lilac coloration across the surfaces.

## MEXICO

**32639 Philip V gold 2 Escudos 1739 Mo-MF XF45 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM124. Lightly circulated yet robustly struck in the devices, and an all-around problem free example of a scarcer 2 Escudos date.

**32640 Ferdinand VI 8 Reales 1754 Mo-MF MS61 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM104.1. Presenting even salt-white color over a clearly Mint State strike, hardly any weakness detectable through the design and just a small patch of adjustments on the Spanish arms.

**32641 Ferdinand VI gold 2 Escudos 1756 Mo-MM VF35 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM126.2, Fr-19, Cal-166. Evenly worn with pleasant orange toning, yet retaining bold details and problem-free surfaces. A wholesome and wholly satisfying example of this rare type.

**32642 Charles III 8 Reales 1769 Mo-MF MS61 PCGS**, Mexico City mint, KM105, Cal-909. A notoriously difficult type to find in Mint State grades, with a prevalent icy luster emerging from beneath mottled graphite surfaces, while the reverse shows intensive die polish.

**32643 Charles III 8 Reales 1776 Mo-FM AU53 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM106.2. A popular and important date for American collectors, represented strongly here with a superb strike and deep wholesome patina with a touch of cobalt tone around the obverse perimeter. A piece we would not be surprised to see in a grade or so higher, retaining significant luster in the fields.

**32644 Charles III gold Escudo 1773 Mo-FM AU55 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM118.1. A premium example of this seldom-seen date, scarce so fine and with an appealing coppery tone over lustrous surfaces.

**32645 Charles III gold 8 Escudos 1780 Mo-FF AU53 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM156.2. A bright example with nearly Prooflike elements in the fields. AGW 0.7841 oz.



**32646 Charles IV 8 Reales 1795 Mo-FM MS63 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM109. A truly stunning survivor of this otherwise prolific type—presently standing undisputed in its choice status as the finest certified at both NGC and PCGS. The eye appeal is even more impressive, with iridescent hues along the devices catching a glassy texture that lights up the surfaces in a splendid display.

**32647 Charles IV silver “Real de Catorce” Proclamation Medal ND (1788-1808) AU55 NGC**, Grove-C-161. 41mm. By G.A. Gil. A handsome and seemingly quite rare proclamation issue, evenly toned over in gunmetal coloration with traces of a watery luster on both sides.

**32648 Charles IV gilt-bronze “Order of Maria Luisa” Medal 1793 MS62 NGC**, Fonrobert-6427, Grove-C-256a (sic). 56mm. By Gil. The rarest format for this already incredibly elusive medal, notably glassy in the fields with only a scattering of light marks to bound the grade. Ex. Dresden Collection



**32649 Ferdinand VII gold 8 Escudos 1820 Mo-JJ AU53 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM161, Fr-52. A sheen of golden luster carries across the surfaces of this lightly circulated specimen, whose peripheries are endowed with just a hint of contrasting amber tone. Struck in the final full year of Spanish rule in Mexico, and thus a date of some historical importance.

**32650 Republic 4 Reales 1846 GC-MP G04 PCGS**, Guadalupe y Calvo mint, KM375.3. A very rare type within the 4 Reales series that comes highly sought-after in all grades. This is only the second example we have offered, the last coming to auction in 2006.

**32651 Republic 8 Reales 1828 EoMo-LF XF Details (Cleaned) PCGS**, Estado de Mexico mint, KM377.5, DP-EoMo01. An extremely rare first-year emission from this mint that only struck coins for a mere 3 years, still quite attractive despite the noted cleaning, with light iridescent hues on the reverse.

**32652 Republic 8 Reales 1851 GC-MP AU Details (Cleaned) PCGS**, Guadalupe y Calvo mint, KM377.7, DP-GC08. Well-executed with plentiful luster in the protected regions of the design, and a highly collectible mint to wit.

**32653 Republic 8 Reales 1863 Ce-ML AU Details (Harshly Cleaned) NGC**, Real de Catorce mint, KM377.1, DP-Ce01. A more attainable representative of one of the rarest mints in the series, which operated for only one year. Despite a clear cleaning to the central regions, the strike exhibits a clear strength for the type.

**32654 Republic 8 Reales 1863 Ce-ML AU Details (Polished) NGC**, Real de Catorce mint, KM377.1, DP-Ce01. Solidly struck with minimal weakness and sound definition throughout, and an emission sure to perk the interests of collectors seeking an example of this most difficult mint.

**32655 Republic 8 Reales 1863 Ce-ML AU Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Real de Catorce mint, KM377.1, DP-Ce01. A highly contested mint for the type, the majority of the noted cleaning confined to the reverse of the coin while the obverse preserves a markedly original finish.



**32656 Republic 8 Reales 1863 Ce-ML XF Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Real de Catorce mint, KM377.1, DP-Ce01. A moderately circulated example hailing from the desirable Real de Catorce mint.

**32657 Republic 8 Reales 1863 Ce-ML XF Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Real de Catorce mint, KM377.1, DP-Ce01. A more affordable example of this scarcer issue.

**32658 Republic 8 Reales 1863 Ce-ML XF Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Real de Catorce mint, KM377.1, DP-Ce01. Attractively retoned considering a past cleaning, which remains fortunately on the lighter side, and an important piece of Mexican numismatic history hailing from the Real de Catorce mint.

**32659 Republic 8 Reales 1863 Ce-ML VF Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Real de Catorce mint, KM377.1, DP-Ce01. A scarce issue retoned to a semi-iridescent palette of varied colors.

**32660 Republic gold 8 Escudos 1839 Do-RM UNC Details (Cleaning) PCGS**, Durango mint, KM383.3, Fr-68. A nice example of this early Republican 8 Escudos type, exhibiting uniformly hairlined surfaces as evidence of cleaning, but nonetheless quite attractive, with hints of watery luster around the perimeters and a slightly satiny central skin.

**32661 Republic 5 Centavos 1868-Mo MS64 NGC**, Mexico City mint, KM397. Deeply toned surfaces over a strong strike. We note that this exact example previously sold for \$881.25, including Buyer's Premium, in a Stack's Bowers auction in November 2013 (Auction 181, Lot 21161).



**32662 Republic 50 Centavos 1894 Ho-G MS63 PCGS**, Hermosillo mint, KM407.5. The highest recorded grade for this date-mint combination in the PCGS census—a considerable feat for an issue that seldom approaches the choice level.

**32663 Durango. Revolutionary "Muera Huerta" Peso 1914 MS61 NGC**, Durango mint, KM622. A highly historical revolutionary type, this example displaying typical softness in areas, none significantly affecting the legibility of the legends nor the general aesthetic appeal. Still lustrous and comparatively clean in the fields, the engraver's guide remaining bold around the legends on obverse and reverse alike.

**32664 Guerrero-Taxco. Revolutionary Peso 1915 MS62 NGC**, KM672. Variety with star before UN PESO and letter G. A very handsome representative that appears quite choice for this revolutionary coinage.

**32665 Estados Unidos gold 20 Pesos 1959 MS67 PCGS**, Mexico City mint, KM478. Most likely a restrrike, though not designated as such on the holder. AGW 0.4822 oz.

**32666 Estados Unidos gold 50 Pesos 1930 MS64 PCGS**, Mexico City mint, KM481. AGW 1.2057 oz.

**32667 Estados Unidos gold "Battle of Puebla" Medal 1962-Mo MS67 NGC**, Mexico City mint, Grove-801. 29mm. 17.47gm. Bust of General Ignacio Zaragoza left / Eagle perched left on cactus, grasping snake in beak. On the centenary of the Battle of Puebla (Cinco de Mayo).

## MONACO

**32668 Charles III gold 20 Francs 1879-A MS64 NGC**, Paris mint, KM98. Two year type. AGW 0.1867 oz.

**32669 Charles III gold 100 Francs 1882-A MS62 PCGS**, Paris mint, KM99. Mintage: 5,000. Lowest mintage of three year type. Conservatively graded. AGW 0.9334 oz.

## MOROCCO

**32670 Sidi Mohammed IV 12-Coin 4 Fulus Money Tree AH 1289 (1872/1873) UNC**, Fes mint, cf. KM-C166.1 (for coin type), Opitz-pg. 230 (this piece illustrated). 134x95mm. Each coin: 28mm. A notably rare "tree" to find fully intact, with the individual branches of 4 coins being much more often encountered. Exceedingly attractive both for the coin type and as a money tree, with the full casting sprue preserved. The back displays a small inventory sticker from Mr. Opitz's collection. Ex. Detroit Money Museum (Inventory no. 2-7-63)  
*From the Charles J. Opitz Collection*

## NEPAL



**32671 Shah Dynasty. Birendra Bir Bikram gold "Great Indian Rhinoceros" 1000 Rupees VS 2031 (1974) UNC Details (Obverse Cleaned) NGC**, KM844. Conservation series - Great Indian Rhinoceros. AGW 0.9675 oz

NETHERLANDS

**32672 Holland. Provincial Lion Daalder 1589 MS63 NGC, Dav-8838, Delm-831.** A sublime grade for this usually unremarkable and common date, and more than likely among the finest certified examples. For reference, we note that an AU58-graded specimen of the same date brought \$1320 in our September 2019 Long Beach sale. Sold with old Münz Zentrum lot tag.  
Ex. WCN Collection



**32673 Holland. Provincial Duit 1762 MS65 PCGS, KM80a.** Likely among the finest survivors of the type, and fiercely contested in gem, the surfaces appearing remarkably fresh and the devices free of serious striking flatness.

**32674 Holland. Provincial gold 2 Ducat 1760 UNC Details (Mount Removed) NGC, KM47.2, Fr-248, Delm-773.** A deceptively scarce type, much less often seen in comparison to the similar single Ducat issues. A superb strike, every detail of the intricate design sharp and intact.

**32675 Kampen. City gold Imitative Ducat ND (1590-1593) AU55 NGC, Kampen mint, Fr-150, Delm-1101.** 3.38gm. Imitative issue of the Spanish gold Excelente featuring the crowned facing busts of Ferdinand and Isabella despite being struck under the reign of Philip II of Spain. A charming and perfectly centered example of the type.

**32676 Kampen. City gold Imitative Ducat ND (1590-1593) AU53 NGC, Kampen mint, Fr-150, Delm-1101.** 3.36gm. Imitative issue of the Spanish gold Excelente featuring the crowned facing busts of Ferdinand and Isabella despite being struck under the reign of Philip II of Spain. A hearty dose of luster shines through despite a touch of circulation wear.

**32677 West Friesland. Provincial gold Ducat 1596 AU53 NGC, Fr-223.** An alluring example of this early Ducat issue with much character, the armored knight appearing almost three-dimensional on the surface, and the legends and date engraved in large stylistic lettering.



**32678 Zeeland. City gold Imitative 1/2 Rose Noble ND (1583-1585) AU55 NGC, Delm-872, PW-Ze13.** 3.71gm. MON | NO | AVR • COMITAT • ZELAN, crowned armored figure of king standing facing in ship, shield with Zeeland arms in left hand, sword in right / •(castle)• SI • DEVS • NOBISCVM • QVIS • CONTRA • NO, radiate star with lis at four apexes and lions in angles, all within polylobe. Showcasing strong central details on the figure of the king and struck on a virtually full flan. A few spots of red wax residue appear on the reverse, like from plating in an old collection or catalog.



**32679 Zwolle. City gold Ducat 1654 MS62 NGC, KM34, Delm-1133.** 3.45gm. Of comparatively scarce quality, the obverse fields more lustrous while those of the reverse display a more muted, matte-like texture. Struck on a rather unwrinkled flan with good centering.

**32680 Batavian Republic. Utrecht gold Ducat 1806-B MS62 NGC, Utrecht mint, KM26.3.** An instantly engaging and nearly Prooflike striking, die polish still visible beneath a scattering of light bagmarks, and the whole of the design executed in pinpoint precise detail.



**32681 Willem I gold 10 Gulden 1825-B MS64 NGC, Brussels mint, KM56, Fr-329.** Richly toned to an aged orange-gold, only the lightest instances of handling keeping the coin from the gem tier of certification.  
*From the Caranett Collection*



**32682 Willem I gold 10 Gulden 1828-B MS65 NGC**, Brussels mint, KM56. Thickly frosted over the devices, resulting in a cameo-like effect that is admirable to behold in hand, the intense luster of the well-kept surfaces adding only further to the appeal. Currently only two examples certify higher across both PCGS and NGC combined.  
*From the Caranett Collection*

**32683 Willem I gold 10 Gulden 1833 MS61 PCGS**, Utrecht mint, KM56, Schulman-186. A seemingly much scarcer date than recorded mintage figures suggest, with just 4 examples total certified in Mint State between NGC and PCGS combined, and sure to come fiercely contested as such.

**32684 Willem III 25 Cents 1850 MS63 NGC**, KM81. A superb Mint State example of this exceedingly rare type. By far the finest of the date we have seen, and indeed of which we are able to find record, this being the sole example graded in Mint State by NGC, with no comparable examples at PCGS. Blast-white surfaces shine with a uniform luster, the appearance of which strangely seems to mimic that of aluminum. An interesting piece and certainly worthy of examination.

## NETHERLANDS EAST INDIES

**32685 Sumatra. East India Company 2 Kepings AH 1197 (1783) MS61 Brown NGC**, Calcutta mint, KM256, Scholten-944a. Variety with dot in center of rosette. Highest graded for type.

## NEW ZEALAND

**32686 George V Proof 1/2 Crown 1935 PR65 PCGS**, KM5. A gorgeous gem example from the famed Waitangi Proof set, fields aglow with a soft watery sheen that serves to highlight the lightly frosted details of the devices.

## NICARAGUA



**32687 Republic Proof 20 Centavos 1887-H PR67 PCGS**, Heaton mint, KM7. An elite example of the type, tied with even the D. Moore specimen (Auction 3051, Lot 32307), a coin from a collection that prized the greatest quality and visual appeal. Dressed in a soft sheath of silver tone that deepens toward the peripheries, which carry attractive honey-gold coloration on the reverse.

**32688 Republic gold "Ruben Darío Centennial" 50 Cordobas 1967-HF MS63 NGC**, Huguenin Freres mint, KM25. On the centennial of the birth of poet Rubén Darío. AGW 1.0301 oz.

## NORWAY



**32689 Oscar II gold 10 Kroner 1877 MS64 PCGS**, Kongsberg mint, KM358, Fr-18. Mintage: 20,000. The lowest mintage date of this only two-year type, appearing strikingly close to gem with no singularly distracting marks.

**32690 Haakon VII gold 20 Kroner 1910 MS62+ NGC**, KM376. AGW 0.2593 oz.

**32691 Haakon VII gold 20 Kroner 1910 MS62 NGC**, KM376. AGW 0.2593oz.

## PAKISTAN

**32692 Republic gold "Astor Markhor" 3000 Rupees 1976 MS62 NGC**, KM44. Conservation series. Obv. Monument with crescent and star, with date below. Rev. Astor Markhor goat and value. AGW 0.9675 oz.

## PALAU

**32693 Republic platinum Proof Essai Dollar 1998 PR69 Ultra Cameo**, cf. KM25 (for same design). APW 1.0000 oz.

PALESTINE

**32694 British Mandate. Edward VIII silver Proof Piefort Fantasy Crown 1936-Dated PR66 Deep Cameo PCGS, KM-XP1, FM-59b var. 46.18gm. Richard Lobel issue. Designated on the holder as a medal, though the *Standard Catalog of World Coins* Unusual volume has designed this as a piefort of a fantasy crown design. We note that we have sold only one other, which brought \$1292 in our 2015 Long Beach sale.**

PANAMA

**32695 Republic 5 Centesimos 1916 MS65 PCGS, KM2. Lowest mintage of two year type. Gray, rose and gold toning blended colorfully.**

**32696 Republic bi-metallic 2 Balboas 2011 UNC (Obverse Cleaned), KM-Unl. 27mm. 8.46gm. From a cancelled issue that never entered circulation. Only a few test pieces exist.**

**32697 Republic gold Proof 500 Balboas 1975, Franklin mint, KM42. Encased in the original Franklin mint holder, and sold with the case of issue and COA. AGW 1.2066 oz.**

**32698 Republic 6-Piece Uncertified bi-metallic gilt silver "Centenary of the Panama Canal" 20 Balboas Proof Set 2016, Royal Canadian mint. Mintage: 500 sets. Includes 6 commemoratives, each with different imagery, and measuring 38mm. Sold with the original case of issue and COA #348. (Total: 6 coins)**

PERU

**32699 Charles IV gold 8 Escudos 1794 LM-IJ MS61 NGC, Lima mint, KM101. Simply lovely as an example of the type, sun-yellow fields abounding with watery luster. Rare in Mint State, with only four examples graded finer by NGC.**



**32700 Republic silver "Battle of Ayacucho" Medal 1824 MS62 NGC, Fonrobert-9178. 32mm. Struck for the Battle of Ayacucho, the decisive battle in the Peruvian war of Independence, and featuring the uniformed bust of Simon Bolivar on the obverse, the surfaces decorated in attractive variegated metallic tones laid over watery surfaces.**

**32701 South Peru. Republic 4 Reales 1838 AREQ-MV MS62 NGC, Arequipa mint, KM172. A much better mint for the type than the more common Cuzco issues, particularly so in Mint State, with very few in this grade appearing on the market.**



**32702 Republic gold 10 Soles 1863 LIMA-YB AU58 NGC, Lima mint, KM193. Light wear to the higher points with nearly full luster residing in the fields.**

**32703 Republic 5 Pesetas 1880 B-BF MS64 NGC, Lima mint, KM201.2. Variety with dot after B. Fully satin in the fields with bold luster and not the least trace of tone.**

**32704 Republic gold 50 Soles 1965 MS66 NGC, KM242. Lima mint anniversary. AGW 0.6772 oz.**

**32705 Republic gold 50 Soles 1969 MS65 Prooflike NGC, Lima mint, KM230. Mintage: 443. The lowest mintage date for the type, gem uncirculated and highly Prooflike. AGW 0.6772 oz.**

PHILIPPINES



**32706 Manila. Charles III gilt-copper "Encouragement of Commerce and Industries" Medal ND (1785) UNC (Surface Hairlines), Vives-58, Basso-702 (in silver), Honeycutt-7 (same). 48mm. 42.64gm. By J. Gabriel Gill. A very rare emission from the Spanish Philippines, gilt examples known to Basso, though he otherwise only indicates pieces struck in silver. One of only two examples we've been able to locate in this format, featuring a very handsome design with die polish still detectable beneath a light past wiping. Sold with old collector tag stating provenance. Ex. Henry Christensen Sale 34 (September 1967, Lot 430); Privately Purchased in London 1966**

**32707 USA Administration Mule 5 Centavos 1918-S AU Details (Spot Removed) PCGS, San Francisco mint, KM173, Basso-113a, Allen-4.08b. Pairing the obverse die of a 5 Centavos with the reverse die of a 20 Centavos. One of the most desirable mules of the Philippine series, reportedly produced due to a lack of serviceable 5 Centavos reverse dies at the San Francisco mint.**

**32708 USA Administration Peso 1903-S MS63+ PCGS, San Francisco mint, KM168. Choice, with sufficient cartwheel luster and only lightly scattered handling to result in a degree of visual allure that places the offering among the better examples of the issue.**

POLAND

- 32709 August III silver “Order of the White Eagle” Medal 1752 XF40 NGC, HCz-2792 (R1).** 52mm. By Wermuth. A type sure to appeal to collectors of Saxon and Polish medals alike, rarely made available outside of Polish auctions.
- 32710 Alexander I of Russia 10 Zlotych 1820-IB XF (Cleaned, Mount Removed, Edge Engraved),** Warsaw mint, KM-C101.1, Dav-248, Bit-819 (R). 39mm. 30.90gm. Mintage: 534. Engraved in script on the edge, appearing to be: Wa Mi To Frid • 28 • Wrzesnia Roku 1818. A very rare type from the period of Russian dominance in Poland, likely preserved as a pocket piece by one of its previous owners. Much more attainable in this state, and of great historical interest.
- 32711 Nicholas I of Russia 50 Groszy (25 Kopecks) 1846 MS63 NGC,** Warsaw mint, KM-C131, Kop-9488, Bit-1252. The second highest grade awarded for this date at NGC, and quite the conditional rarity as such, a beautiful autumnal orange hue developing across the surfaces.
- 32712 Nicholas I of Russia silver “In Memory of Alexander I” Medal 1826 MS62 PCGS, HCz-3598 (R), Diakov-445.1 (R1).** 41mm. Unsigned. Struck to commemorate the death of Alexander I, this enticing selection showcases Prooflike fields, with only scattered evidence of handling keeping it shy of choice. Notably rare in this quality.
- 32713 Republic “Jan Sobieski” 10 Zlotych 1933-(w) MS63 NGC,** Warsaw mint, KM-Y23. A contested type in Choice Mint State, the surfaces lustrous and lightly dappled with merlot coloration.
- 32714 People’s Republic gold Proof “John Paul II Visit” 2000 Zlotych 1982-CHI PR64 Ultra Cameo NGC, Valcambi mint, KM-Y139.**

PORTUGAL

- 32715 João VI gold 6400 Reis (Peça) 1822 MS60 NGC, Lisbon mint, KM364.** AGW 0.4228 oz.
- 32716 Miguel 200 Reis 1829 MS65 PCGS, KM392.** The scarcer date of this only two-year type from this short-reigning Portuguese monarch, made all the more desirable at this peak census grade—tied with one other MS65 at NGC for the finest certified.
- 32717 Luiz I gold 10000 Reis 1879 MS62 Prooflike PCGS, KM520.** A noteworthy designation for this type, unknown in Proof format. AGW 0.5229 oz.

PUERTO RICO

- 32718 Spanish Colony. Alfonso XIII 20 Centavos 1895-PGV MS62 PCGS, Madrid mint, KM22.** A coin free of serious visual detractors, struck from lightly polished dies with a pleasing iridescence that intensifies on the reverse.

ROMANIA

- 32719 Carol I gold 20 Lei 1883-B MS64 PCGS, Bucharest mint, KM20.** Stemming from just a two-year series and currently unsurpassed at either NGC or PCGS.

- 32720 Carol I gold 25 Lei 1906 AU53 NGC, KM38.** A scarce type struck in very low relief, appearing here with slight wear and bright sun-yellow surfaces. AGW 0.2334 oz.

RUSSIA

- 32721 Peter I Rouble АРКА (1721) XF40 NGC, Kadashevsky mint, KM157.5, Bit-444.** Variety with palm branch on chest and large clover above head. Exhibiting comparatively even and unobtrusive wear across the design with notably few marks or serious visual detractors for the type.



- 32722 Peter I silver “Battle of Leesno” Medal 1708-Dated MS62 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, Smirnov-178, Diakov-25.7.** 29mm. Unsigned. A notably flashy later striking of this beautifully designed medal, with the slightly Prooflike nature of the fields catching glints of champagne and smoky violet tones. Ex. Heritage Auction #3035 (September 2014, Lot 31523)

- 32723 Catherine II copper Novodel 2 Kopecks 1765-EM MS64 Red NGC, Ekaterinburg mint, KM-Unl., Bit-H689 (R2), Brekke-147 (Rare).** Intensely red in color with a generous degree of die polish and a minor degree of unevenness in the planchet detectable before St. George’s horse.

- 32724 Siberia. Catherine II copper Novodel 2 Kopecks 1768-KM MS66 NGC, Suzun mint, Bit-H1101 (R2), Brekke-427.** A very impressive Siberian novodel which, despite not being noted as such on the holder, shows a predominance of mint red color across the surfaces. This is the only example of this date we have been able to locate changing hands in recent years. Ex. Robert Hesselgesser Collection

- 32725 Siberia. Catherine II 10 Kopecks 1773-KM MS63 Brown NGC, Suzun mint, KM-C6, Brekke-512, Bit-1027.** A scarce issue in this impressive quality, the fields notably clean and free of all but the most unobtrusive marks, and the devices sharpened by cupric highlights. Presently the finest certified example of the date, and the second finest of all original Siberian 10 Kopecks in the NGC census. Sold with old Paul L. Koppenhaver dealer envelope.

- 32726 Catherine II silver “Liberal Economy Society” Medal ND (1768) UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC, St. Petersburg mint, Smirnov-253/a, Diakov-142.3 (R2).** 66mm. Later copy by A. Klepikov, after J.B. Gass. A very rare medal which retains ample eye appeal despite the noted cleaned, the surfaces still rather bright with traces of sapphire patina at the legends. Mislabelled on the holder as being dated.

- 32727 Alexander I 2 Kopecks 1818 KM-ДБ MS62 Brown NGC, Suzun mint, KM-C118.5, Bit-500.** A scarce level of preservation for this more elusive Russian minor, only a single piece presently ranking finer in the NGC census.

**32728 Alexander I 10 Kopecks 1805/4 СПБ-ФГ AU55 NGC**, Banking mint, KM-C119, Bit-65 (R; overdate unlisted), Sev-2553 (same). By all indications a very rare overdate of unrecorded mintage, pleasantly toned with a soft sapphire and amethyst color.

**32729 Alexander I Rouble 1820 СПБ-ПД AU58 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C130. A very attractive piece for the grade with iridescent blue color in the margins juxtaposed against apricot centers. Mislabelled on the holder as NC (ПC). Sold with old Seaby tag.



**32730 Nicholas I Mint Error - Obverse Brockage Kopeck ND (1839-1847) MS64 Red and Brown NGC**, cf. KM-C144.4 (for type), Bit-755 (same). A recognized and highly coveted mint error, virtually unheard-of in near-gem, with the next finest, a piece we offered in our April 2013 CICF sale, grading a mere AU53.



**32731 Nicholas I "Alexander I Monument" Rouble 1834 UNC Details (Cleaned) NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C169, Dav-285, Bit-894. Commemorating the unveiling of Alexander I's column. Lilac and peach toned, with underlying wateriness to the fields remaining despite the noted cleaning.

**32732 Nicholas I gold 5 Roubles 1849 СПБ-АГ MS62 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-C175.3, Bit-31. Seemingly conservatively graded with a highly choice appearance and notably few surface imperfections on the whole.

**32733 Alexander II gold 5 Roubles 1873 СПБ-НН MS62 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-YB26, Bit-21.

**32734 Alexander II gold 5 Roubles 1877 СПБ-НН MS62 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-YB26. Lustrous, with a thin die break from 11:00 to 1:00 on the reverse in the legend, though this is only noticeable under magnification.



**32735 Alexander III 10 Kopecks 1888 СПБ-АГ MS63 Prooflike PCGS**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y20a.2, Bit-134. A slightly lower mintage date in the series that appears to be unlisted in Proof format both in the *Standard Catalog of World Coins* and Bitkin, and entirely absent from the Sincona collection. Strikingly reflective across both sides with delicate frost atop the devices, the present offering represents a series rarity and a clear target for any connoisseur of Russian coins.

**32736 Alexander III "Coronation" Rouble 1883 MS62 Prooflike PCGS**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y43, Bit-217, Sev-3939. Flashy in the fields beneath stray bagmarks, with the overall Prooflike finish brought to a crescendo on the reverse, aided by more generous device frosting. Adding lapis lazuli tone in the margins, this popular coronation type is set to stun. Sold with 2015-dated Moscow State Historical Museum certificate.

**32737 Alexander III gold 5 Roubles 1889-АГ MS64 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y42, Fr-168, Bit-33. Variety without АГ on truncation.

**32738 Alexander III gold 5 Roubles 1889-АГ AU53 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y42, Fr-168, Bit-33. AGW 0.1867 oz.



**32739 Alexander III gold 5 Roubles 1890-АГ MS63 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y42, Bit-35. Fully appealing for the type, with glowing cartwheel luster and choice preservation evident throughout.

**32740 Alexander III gold 5 Roubles 1890-АГ MS63 NGC**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y42, Bit-35.

**32741 Alexander III gold 5 Roubles 1890-АГ AU58 PCGS**, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y42, Bit-35.

**32742 Alexander III silver "Visit to Germany" Medal 1888-Dated MS62 Prooflike NGC**, Marienburg-Unl., Diakov-1019.1var (R3; date, rather than star, on reverse). 38mm. An apparently very elusive diplomatic medal, entirely absent from the Marienburg collection despite the museum having in its holdings similar medals of the preceding and following Prussian emperors. Unlisted in Diakov with a dated reverse, and of great interest as such.

## RUSSIA

- 32743** Nicholas II 50 Kopecks 1912-ЭБ MS65 PCGS, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y58.2, Bit-91. A very rare grade for this Russian minor, currently topped by only a single piece between NGC and PCGS combined out of over 600 certified.
- 32744** Nicholas II gold 5 Roubles 1900-Ф3 MS67 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y62.
- 32745** Nicholas II gold 5 Roubles 1909-ЭБ MS67 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y62, Bit-34 (R). A hardly improvable offering with excellent color and near-flawless surfaces.
- 32746** Nicholas II gold 5 Roubles 1909-ЭБ MS67 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y62, Bit-34 (R). Among the finest certified of this difficult date in the 5 Roubles series with thick die polish and not a mark of consequence.



- 32747** Nicholas II gold 5 Roubles 1909-ЭБ MS66 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y62, Bit-34 (R).
- 32748** Nicholas II gold 5 Roubles 1909-ЭБ MS65 PCGS, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y62, Bit-34. A scarcer date within the series with full gem appeal.
- 32749** Nicholas II gold 5 Roubles 1909-ЭБ MS65 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y62. A scarcer date within the series that comes highly coveted in Mint State grades. AGW 0.1245 oz.
- 32750** Nicholas II gold 10 Roubles 1903-AP MS65 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y64.
- 32751** Nicholas II gold 10 Roubles 1904-AP MS65 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y64, Bit-12.
- 32752** Nicholas II gold 15 Roubles 1897-АГ MS63 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y65.2, Bit-2. Narrow rim variety. A brilliant golden specimen with a fully choice appearance.
- 32753** Nicholas II gold 15 Roubles 1897-АГ MS61 NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y65.1, Bit-1, Fr-177. Wide rim variety. AGW 0.3734 oz.
- 32754** R.S.F.S.R. gold Chervonetz (10 Roubles) 1981-(L) MS68 NGC, Leningrad mint, KM-Y85 (Rare). A very scarce mint for the date, particularly when found so near to technical perfection.
- 32755** USSR Order of the Patriotic War First Class Breast Star ND (from 1943) UNC, Barac-988, M&S-pg. 136 (R2). 45x41mm. 33.04gm. Type II, Variation 2 with screwback. Serial number 297937. An eye-catching decoration, expressing next to no visible wear, and awarded for acts of bravery during World War II.

- 32756** USSR Hero of Socialist Labor Gold Star ND (from 1943) UNC, Barac-896, M&S-pg. 40 (R3). Suspension: 26x21.5mm. Star: 30x32mm. 28.14gm. Type II, Variation 2 with late, screwback suspension. Serial number 9027. The highest labor distinction in the USSR, very handsomely preserved on the whole, with notably little evidence of wear or rub.
- 32757** Russian Federation gold Proof "Brown Bear" 100 Roubles 1993-(M) PR68 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM-Y412. Wildlife issue. AGW 0.4994 oz.
- 32758** Russian Federation gold Proof "Brown Bear" 200 Roubles 1993-(M) PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC, St. Petersburg mint, KM-Y413. Mintage: 1,000. "Protect our World" series. Comparatively difficult in this pristine state, with just 12 other examples achieving this designation out of 70 certified by NGC.

## SARAWAK

- 32759** British Protectorate. Charles V. Brooke silver 5 Cents 1920-H MS64 NGC, Heaton mint, KM13. Not only a denominational, but a series rarity at this level, with the majority of Sarawak's coinage surviving down to the present day in heavily circulated condition. For comparison, we sold an MS63 for nearly \$900 in our 2017 June HKINF sale.

## SCOTLAND



- 32760** Renfrewshire - Greenock. A. King Counterstamped 4 Shillings 6 Pence ND (1820s) XF40 PCGS, KM-CC56, Davis-99. Displaying \*A KING GREENOCK around 4/6 counterstamp (AU Detail) on a Ferdinand VII 8 Reales 1815 Mo-JJ of Mexico (cf. KM111). Almost certainly among the finest surviving examples of this rare 'emergency' coinage, with the majority of surviving examples rarely escaping VF and frequently encountering post-mint damage. Counterstamped by local merchants to provide for the incipient shortage of government-issued silver coinage, these types were clearly produced far later than the narrow date range of 1811-1812 proposed by the *Standard Catalog of World Coins*.

## SERBIA

- 32761** Milan I Order of the White Eagle Third Class Commander Neck Badge ND (1883-1903) AU, Werlich-pp. 378-379, Barac-176. 65x34mm. 24.97gm. With crown-shaped suspension and ring. With white, red, and blue enamel. Type I, Model I. A striking presentation of this second highest decoration of Serbia, awarded for outstanding civil or military merit. Aside from some chipping in the enamel on the ribbon, the award appears very well preserved.

**SOUTH AFRICA**

**32762 Orange Free State. Republic bronze Proof Pattern Penny 1888-V PR63 Brown NGC**, Berlin mint, KM-XPn7 (prev. KM-Pn13), Hern-08. Plain shield variety. Overlaid with a soft, yet eye-catching, olive and cobalt patina with a striking Proof appearance and a general absence of stray marks.

**32763 Republic Proof Shilling 1892 PR58 NGC**, KM5 (40-50 pieces known), Hern-Z17 (estimated 45 pieces known). An extremely elusive Proof striking from this iconic series, and the first we have offered in over 5 years, the surfaces reflective and imbued with a subtle steel patina.

**32764 Republic Shilling 1896 MS61 NGC**, Pretoria mint, KM5. An extremely attractive specimen lightly tinged with peach and sky-blue tone. A considerable conditional rarity so pristine, with the majority of surviving examples seldom escaping the VF to XF range.

**32765 Republic 2 Shillings 1897 MS64 PCGS**, KM6. A splendid example, currently tied for the finest certified across both NGC and PCGS.



**32766 Republic Proof 2-1/2 Shillings 1892 PR62 NGC**, KM7 (50-60 pieces known), Hern-Z30 (estimated 50 pieces known). A visually stunning and ever-popular Proof, wonderfully flashy in the fields and medallic in the devices, with strong iridescent tones filling the outer registers.

**32767 Republic "Double Shaft" 5 Shillings 1892 AU50 NGC**, Berlin mint, KM8.2. Mintage: 4,327. The scarcer variety for this date, brilliantly envelope toned around the edges and quite lustrous for the grade.

**32768 Republic "Single Shaft" 5 Shillings 1892 AU50 NGC**, Berlin mint, KM8.1. Mintage: 14,000. Exhibiting strong eye appeal with even nickel coloration.

**32769 Republic gold "Double Shaft" 1/2 Pond 1892 AU55 NGC**, KM9.1, Fr-3, Hern-Z38.

**32770 Republic gold "Double Shaft" 1/2 Pond 1892 AU55 NGC**, Berlin mint, KM9.1, Fr-3, Hern-Z38. Mintage: 10,000. One year type, double-shaft wagon variety with aged color.

**32771 Republic gold "Single Shaft" Pond 1892 XF45 NGC**, Pretoria mint, KM10.2, Hern-Z45. The scarcer variety for the type, and a still appreciable example at that, evenly worn though free of singularly distracting marks.

**32772 Republic gold "Single Shaft" Pond 1892 VF35 ANACS**, Pretoria mint, KM10.2, Hern-Z45. A rare and highly contested variety in all grades.



**32773 Republic gold Pond 1898 MS63 NGC**, Pretoria mint, KM10.2. An unusually nice representative of the type, solidly struck and bounding with cartwheel luster.

**32774 Republic gold Pond 1898 MS62 NGC**, Pretoria mint, KM10.2. A noticeably attractive piece for the grade assigned, the obverse in particular very lightly Prooflike when viewed under direct lighting. AGW 0.2354 oz.

**32775 George V 8-Piece Certified copper & silver Partial Proof Set 1923 PCGS**,

- 1) 1/4 Penny 1923 - PR64 Red and Brown, KM12.1
- 2) 1/2 Penny 1923 - PR64 Red and Brown, KM13.1
- 3) Penny 1923 - PR65 Red and Brown, KM14.1
- 4) 3 Pence 1923 - PR63 Cameo, KM15A
- 5) 6 Pence 1923 - PR63, KM16A
- 6) Shilling 1923 - PR63, KM17.1
- 7) Florin 1923 - PR62, KM18
- 8) 2-1/2 Shillings 1923 - PR63, KM19.1

A premier set with nearly every included issue certifying at the choice level or finer. (Total: 8 coins)

**32776 George V gold Proof 1/2 Sovereign 1923-SA PR63 NGC**, Pretoria mint, KM20, S-4010. Mintage: 655. A very low mintage date, replete with watery texture and only the lightest of wisps to bound the designation.



**32777 "National Society for the Advancement of Music" engraved gold Specimen Medal ND (c. 1916) SP66 PCGS**, Laidlaw-0756. 29mm. 12.9gm. By Davidson, Henderson & Sorley. Hallmarked as 9 carat gold produced in Birmingham, date letter 'r' (1916), awarded and engraved to G. A. Higgs. An intriguing research piece, this exquisite medal has been very professionally engraved and produced, serving as 1st prize for composition. Highly visually appealing, and sure to attract attention from those interested in South African history and medals.

**32778 Republic gold Krugerrand (1 oz) 1967 MS67 PCGS**, KM73, Fr-13. The first year of issue for this widely recognized series. AGW 1.0003 oz.

**32779 Republic gold Krugerrand (1 oz) 1967 MS66 NGC**, KM73. The first year of issue for the series. AGW 1.0003 oz.

## SOUTH AFRICA

**32780 Republic 24-Piece Uncertified gilt-silver Proof "50th Anniversary of the Wildlife Society of Southern Africa" Medallion Set 1976-1978**, Includes 24 different medallions, each weighing 36gm and measuring 45mm, featuring images of the baboon, buffalo, cheetah, crocodile, elephant, eagle, giraffe, green mamba, hippopotamus, hyena, impala, jackal, kudu, leopard, lion, oryx, rhinoceros, sable antelope, secretary bird, vervet monkey, warthog, waterbuck, wildebeest, and zebra. Each piece was issued for one month from July 1976 to June 1978. Sold in the original presentation case. (Total: 24 medals)

**32781 Republic gold Proof Krugerrand (1 oz) 1986 PR70 Ultra Cameo NGC, KM73**. A flawless example of this nearly universally recognized type, showcasing a complete cameo contrast.

## SPAIN

**32782 Barcelona. Joseph Napoleon 5 Pesetas 1811 AU55 PCGS, KM69, Cay-14707**. An exceedingly handsome emission from the Napoleonic era, some minor haymarking over both sides doing little to hamper the coin's strong visual appeal.



**32783 Catalonia. Isabel II Peseta 1836 B-PS MS62 PCGS, Barcelona mint, KM129**. A conditionally superior example of the type and date, rarely encountered outside of circulated condition. White and lustrous throughout, with a faint silver patina gracing the surfaces. The finest example seen by PCGS to-date.

**32784 Visigoths. Sisebut gold Tremissis ND (612-621) AU58 ANACS, Ispali mint, Miles-187a, CNV-219.6var (without pellets in legend). +SISBVTVS RE, facing bust / +ISPALI PIVS, facing bust**. Sharply struck from lightly rusty dies, with traces of a very minor bend noted for accuracy.

**32785 Visigoths. Suinthila gold Tremissis ND (621-631) MS64 ANACS, Eliberri mint, Miles-227f, CNV-288.6. +SVINTII • ARI (group of three pellets), facing bust / +PIVS EI • IBERI, facing bust**. A virtually unimprovable specimen from this somewhat scarcer mint, seemingly conservatively graded even for its relatively high designation.  
*From the George Hans Cook Collection*

**32786 Ferdinand & Isabella 2 Reales ND (1474-1504)-S MS63 NGC, Seville mint, Cay-2785, Cal-265. 6.83gm**. A issue that is virtually unheard-of in choice, with the present offering, though minorly off-center and unevenly produced, noticeably lustrous and studded with die polish lines.

**32787 Ferdinand & Isabella (1474-1504) gold 2 Excelentes ND (from 1497)-S AU53 NGC, Seville mint, Cal-74, Cay-2931. 6.95gm. :X: FERnAnDUS: ET: ELISABET: DE, confronted busts of Ferdinand and Isabella, S and pellet between, fig leaf above / SVB: VmBRA: ALARVM:, shield of Castile and Leon over nimbate eagle**. Struck on a remarkable even and well-made flan for the Seville mint, with intensive die polish on the reverse.  
Ex. Kroisos Collection (Stack's January 2008, Lot 3327)



**32788 Charles & Johanna gold Escudo ND (1516-1556)-S AU58 NGC, Seville mint, Fr-153, Cal-57. 3.24gm**. Displaying a nearly as-struck sharpness up to the higher points, the surfaces retaining a good deal of golden luster amidst areas of clay-red patina.



**32789 Charles & Johanna gold Escudo ND (1516-1556)-S AU53 NGC, Seville mint, Fr-153, Cal-57. 3.32gm**. A sheen of golden luster marks the quality of this gold Escudo, whose only minor wear is evident upon closer inspection, slightly obscured by scattered, though not unusual, areas of striking weakness.

**32790 Charles & Johanna gold Escudo ND (1516-1555)-S AU Details (Reverse Scratched) NGC, Seville mint, Fr-153, Cal-58**. Typically crude for the type, with touches of darker tone within the recesses and a scratch running inside the arm of the reverse cross, though this blends in reasonably well. Despite circulation the offering retains mint luster.

**32791 Philip II gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1556-1598) S-D MS61 NGC, Seville mint, Fr-169. 6.74gm**. Crowned arms with bold assayer and mintmark on the left / Cross of Jerusalem in quadrilobe. A choice example for the grade of a type already difficult to obtain in Mint State, a tad softly struck but with pleasingly lustrous surfaces and a true antique appearance.

**32792 Philip II gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1556-1598) G-A AU58 NGC, Granada mint, Fr-168, Cal-38. 6.71gm**. Typically sharp with bold, full designs and almost Mint State level preservation.

**32793 Philip II gold Cob 2 Escudos 1592 S-B AU53 NGC, Seville mint, Fr-169, Cal-75. 6.63gm**. The last digit in date clear, rarer for this type that usually features an off-center strike, with some central weakness but very little actual wear. Due to the slightly larger planchet, more of the legend survives on this example than is usual for the type.



**32794 Philip II gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1556-1598) T-M AU53 NGC**, Toledo mint, Fr-170, Cal-88. 6.67gm. Exceptionally well struck, a pleasing and wholesome example of the type.

**32795 Philip III gold Cob 2 Escudos 1619-G MS63 NGC**, Seville mint, Fr-189, Cal-48. 6.75gm. Some weakness to the strike (as is obviously typical for this Cob type), otherwise a pleasant Mint State offering with vivid dandelion color to the planchet.



**32796 Philip III gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1598-1621) AU55 NGC**, Seville mint, KM7. 6.63gm. Struck without the majority of the legends and other non-central detailing, yet admirably lustrous and offering near-Mint appeal. Though the mintmark is not visible, the reverse features point to production at the mint in Seville.

**32797 Philip III gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1598-1621) S-G AU53 NGC**, Seville mint, Cal-Type 22. 6.70gm. Struck on a sun-gold planchet, the features illuminated by a pervasive brilliance that carries across the entirety of the obverse, the reverse possessing a more crackled though similarly engaging appearance.



**32798 Philip III gold Cob 2 Escudos ND (1598-1621) S-B VF Details (Edge Filing) NGC**, Seville mint, Fr-189, Cal-Type 19. 6.72gm. A circulated representative of this popular series showing some edge filing, though with a clear mintmark and good centering on the reverse.



**32799 Philip IV gold Cob 4 Escudos ND (1630-1647) S-R XF Details (Obverse Scratched) NGC**, Seville mint, KM56.2, Fr-203, Cal-Type 26. 13.15gm. The faint outlines of an "S" and "R" are visible to the left of the obverse shield, with the reverse design serving as further indication of the specimen's production at Seville. A few shallow marks are noted to the rightmost central area of the shield.

**32800 Philip IV gold Cob 4 Escudos ND (1621-1665) Fine Details (Edge Damage) NGC**, Madrid mint, Fr-202, Cal-Type 19/20. 13.48gm. Crude, as is the norm for the type, with the noted edge damage seemingly referring mostly to scratching occurring at the lowest area of the obverse surface periphery.



**32801 Don Luis de Velasco & Vincenzo Gonzales bronze "Capture of Morro Castle" Medal (1762) AU Details (Mount Removed) PCGS Medina-Unl., Eimer-704, Betts-443. 49mm.** By T.F. Prieto. Engraved by Spanish engraver Tomas Prieto to commemorate the 1762 battle during which Morro Castle, a Spanish fort in Havana, Cuba, was captured by a British fleet of 200 vessels and approximately 14,000 men. An interesting relic from the French and Indian War (also known as the Seven Years' War), and particularly noteworthy as it comes from the loser's perspective. An important and highly desirable medal in any condition, this example sure to be no exception despite exhibiting evidence of a prior mounting in the 12 o'clock area.

**32802 Charles III gold 4 Escudos 1786 M-DV AU55 NGC**, Madrid mint, KM418.1a. A desirable piece, uniformly pale-yellow and maintaining much mint luster. From a strong and even strike, with only touches of wear on the high points.

**32803 Ferdinand VII gold 4 Escudos 1820 M-GJ AU Details (Cleaned) NGC**, Madrid mint, KM484. Sharply executed in the peripheral features with wispy hairlines confined mainly to the obverse of the coin.



**32804 Isabel II 20 Reales 1851 MS63 NGC**, Madrid mint, KM593.2. Exceedingly handsome both for the type and the grade, the devices appearing very lightly frosted with a strongly watery luster on the reverse. Some minor marks bound the grade, but even these seem relatively inconsequential against the piece's great eye appeal.

**32805 Isabel II 2 Escudos 1865 MS65 NGC**, Madrid mint, KM629. The second finest grade awarded for the type at NGC and a piece that could hardly be deemed as substantially improvable, the surfaces appearing very near impeccable and abounding with both mint bloom and die polish. *From the Caranett Collection*

**32806 Alfonso XII gold 25 Pesetas 1883(83) MS-M MS64 PCGS**, Madrid mint, KM687. A clear outlier for this somewhat scarcer date, with the majority of known examples rarely entering into Mint State.

### SPANISH NETHERLANDS

**32807 Brabant. Philip IV of Spain Ducaton 1636 AU50 NGC**, Antwerp mint, KM56.1, Dav-4444, Delm-274. A charming and deeply captivating offering, currently the only example of this date certified by NGC. On the whole the coin displays a noteworthy glow, heightened by iridescence in the margins.

### STRAITS SETTLEMENTS

**32808 British Colony. George V Proof Restrike Dollar 1919 PR66 PCGS**, KM3, Prid-9. Restrike issue displaying a thin veil of cloudiness over mirrored surfaces.

### SWEDEN

**32809 Karl XII Plate Money 1/2 Daler 1710 XF**, Avesta mint, KM-PM30, AAH-184, Tingström-Plate 278. 122x121mm. 549.3gm. Notably well struck with virtually all the integral details on each of the stamps fully visible and strikingly minimal evidence of corrosion.

**32810 Karl XII Counterstamped Revalued Plate Money 3/4 Daler 1718 About VF (Graffiti)**, Avesta mint (counterstamped at Stockholm), KM-Unl. (cf. KM-PM32 for host), AAH-195 with Stamp A, Tingström-Unl. (cf. Tingström-Plate 283, D2 for host). 117x108mm. 370.7gm. Displaying arms of Gotland flanked by date counterstamp on obverse, and three crowns of Sweden counterstamp on the reverse, of a 1716 1/2 Daler of the same monarch. An elusive type, with what appears to be a script B, H, and P etched on the reverse.

**32811 Karl XII Counterstamped Regulated Plate Money 1-1/2 Daler 1718 AU (Reverse Discoloration)**, Avesta mint (counterstamped at Stockholm), KM-Unl. (cf. KM-PM35 for host), AAH-180 with Stamp A, Tingström-Plate 281. 156x138mm. 749.6gm. Displaying arms of Gotland flanked by date counterstamp on a 1715 Daler of the same monarch. Exhibiting only minor corrosion and little overall evidence of wear with a very sharp counterstamp.

**32812 Karl XII Counterstamped Revalued Plate Money 3 Daler 1718 Good XF**, Avesta mint (counterstamped at Stockholm), KM-Unl. (cf. KM-PM46 for host), AAH-170 with Stamp A, Tingström-Plate 281 (different host date). 189x182mm. 1518.8gm. Displaying arms of Gotland flanked by date counterstamp on a 1717 2 Daler of the same monarch. A very rare large-size revalued issue, with an AU level of detail to the arms of Gotland.



**32813 Ulrika Eleonora silver Specimen "Death of Karl XII" Medal 1718 SP62 PCGS**, Bernheimer-142, Wurz-4404, Hildebrand-208. 42mm. By Georg Wilhelm Vestner. Struck upon the death of the king. Bare bust of the king facing right / Mourning female figure lies at foot of tomb.

**32814 Gustaf V gold 20 Kronor 1925-W MS65 NGC**, KM800. A satiny gem abounding with luster, rarely found in such pristine quality.

### SWITZERLAND

**32815 Aargau. Canton 4 Frank 1812 MS62 PCGS**, KM20, Dav-361. An exacting strike yields sharp detailing in this attractively toned cantonal issue, whose eye appeal arguably exceeds its assigned strictly technical certification.

**32816 Bern. City Taler 1798 MS65 PCGS**, KM164, Dav-1760A. A lovely selection displaying glassy fields dressed in charcoal and iridescent cerulean tones.

**32817 Bern. City Taler 1798 MS64 PCGS**, KM165, Dav-1760B. A silver-toned selection boasting watery fields and sharp detailing, the overall impact being that of commendable visual appeal.



**32818 Bern. City gold 1/2 Duplone 1797 MS63 NGC**, KM162, Fr-188, HMZ-2-216. Only a one-year type, shimmering with a Prooflike glimmer in the fields that is so emblematic of high-grade cantonal gold of the period.

**32819 Bern. Canton silver Specimen Restrike “300th Anniversary of the Bern Reformation” Medal 1818-Dated SP66 PCGS**, cf. SM-575, cf. Wunderly-1330, cf. Grana-S.335f, cf. Martin-15. Later restrike of 1818 “Jura-Thaler” issue by C. Fueter, commemorating the incorporation of the Jura territories of the Bishop of Basel into the Canton of Bern and the related celebration in Delémont on 24 June, 1818. Superb and reflective.

**32820 Zug. City silver “Zug Shooting Society” Medal 1827 AU55 PCGS**, Richter-1670c, SM-1014. 40mm. By Johann Caspar Bruppacher. A fleeting and well-designed medal, clear rub to the high points admitted, though the city view scene retains a striking degree of detail for the grade.



**32821 Zurich. Canton gold 1/2 Ducat 1726 MS62 NGC**, KM139, Fr-487a, HMZ-2-1162p. A remarkable near-choice survivor of this very difficult date, tied with the Redwood Collection example we sold in 2016 for the finest certified. Shimmering with mint luster over both sides, without a trace of the usual waviness that plagues the type.



**32822 Zürich. Canton gold Ducat 1819 MS63 PCGS**, Zürich mint, KM-XM2, HMZ-2-1171b. Struck upon the 300th anniversary of the Reformation, this type features Huldrych Zwingli, who was one of the primary leaders of the Reformation in Switzerland. Lightly toned with flashy fields offering an appealing cameo contrast. Ex. Law Collection



**32823 Confederation 2 Francs 1875-B MS63 PCGS**, Bern mint, KM21. A conditional rarity at the choice level, with only a single specimen certified finer at PCGS.

**32824 Confederation “Zurich Shooting Festival” 5 Francs 1872 MS65+ PCGS**, KM-XS11, Richter-1731, Hüb-13. Presently tied for the second finest certified across both major grading services, and a truly eye-catching piece deserving of its “plus” designation.

**32825 Confederation “Lausanne Shooting Festival” 5 Francs 1876 MS66 PCGS**, KM-XS13, Richter-1560. A brilliant and icy shooting festival issue displaying bright cartwheel luster and superior preservation for the type.

**32826 Confederation 5 Francs 1891-B MS63 PCGS**, Bern mint, KM34. Very difficult at the choice level, with remarkably few certified finer.

**32827 Confederation gold 20 Francs 1886 MS65 PCGS**, Bern mint, KM31.3. A peak-graded specimen that remains unsurpassed at either NGC or PCGS out of over 200 pieces certified to-date. Virtually unblemished across silky fields that beam with sun-gold color.

**32828 Confederation gold 20 Francs 1911-B MS66+ NGC**, Bern mint, KM35.1. A very lofty grade for the type with a mildly Prooflike texture to the surfaces.

**32829 Confederation gold “Lucerne Shooting Festival” 100 Francs 1939-B MS65 NGC**, Bern mint, KM-XS21, Hüb-23. An indisputable gem striking for this ever-popular type, blazing with cartwheel luster.

**32830 Confederation gold Proof “Solothurn Shooting Festival” 500 Francs 2006 PR69 Ultra Cameo NGC**, Le Locle mint, KM-XS72, Hüb-75a. Mintage: 200. A highly sought-after modern shooting type, thick satin frost cloaking the devices and heightening the air of near technical perfection.

**32831 Confederation gold Proof “Wallis Shooting Festival” 500 Francs 2015**, Munich mint, KM-X Unl., Hüb-94a. Mintage: 200. A piece which creates strong visual appeal through the contrast between a matte obverse and fully mirrored reverse, and only the second example we have offered. Sold with the original case of issue and COA.

**32832 Confederation gold Proof “Ticino Shooting Festival” 500 Francs 2016**, Munich mint, KM-X Unl., Hüb-Unl. Mintage: 200. One of only a small handful of this date to have crossed the auction block in the years since it was struck, featuring handsome deeply mirrored surfaces. Sold with the original case of issue and COA.

**32833 Confederation gold Proof “Winkelried Shooting Festival” 500 Francs 2018**, Munich mint, KM-X Unl., Hüb-Unl. A fully ultra-cameoed Proof featuring bold night-and-day contrasts between the fields and devices. Though the mintage is unpublished, issues of preceding years typical saw around 200 pieces struck. Sold with the original case of issue.

THAILAND

**32834 Rama IV 1/2 Baht (2 Salu’ng) ND (1860) MS63 NGC**, KM-Y10.1. A notable conditional rarity so choice, even the rims nearly free of weakness, with a bold lustrous finish that is considerably atypical for the type.

**TONGA**

- 32835 Queen Salote gold Proof 1/2 Koula 1962 PR65 NGC, KM2.** A magnificent gold issue featuring the standing figure of Queen Salote Tupou III opposite the Tongan coat of arms. AGW 0.4786 oz.
- 32836 Queen Salote gold Koula 1962 MS63 NGC, KM3, Fr-1.** An imposing gold issue featuring the standing figure of Queen Salote Tupou III opposite the Tongan coat of arms. AGW 0.9571 oz.
- 32837 Taufa'ahau IV palladium 1/2 Hau 1967 UNC, KM23.** Mintage: 1,650. 35mm. 32.65gm. Edge: HISTORICALLY THE FIRST PALLADIUM COINAGE. APdW 1.0082 oz.
- 32838 Taufa'ahau IV palladium Hau 1967 UNC (Light Surface Hairlines), KM25.** Mintage: 1,500. 48mm. 64.32gm. Edge: HISTORICALLY THE FIRST PALLADIUM COINAGE. APdW 2.0165 oz.

**TRANSYLVANIA**

- 32839 Gabriel Bethlen Taler 1629-NB VF Details (Obverse Spot Removed) NGC, Nagybanya mint, KM204, Dav-4724.** Struck in the final year of Gabriel's reign and still possessing ample visual allure, this instantly recognizable taler shows evidence of a very exacting strike with iridescent envelope tone in the margins.

**URUGUAY**

- 32840 Republic 20 Centesimos 1840 MS63 Brown PCGS, Montevideo mint, KM2.1.** Glossy brown, with a natural and well-kept appearance that places the example firmly at the upper end of quality normally seen for its type.

**VATICAN CITY**

- 32841 Pius XII gold 100 Lire MCML (1950) MS67 NGC, KM48.** Opening of the Holy Year door issue.

**VENEZUELA**



- 32842 Santa Marta. Provisional Fantasy Cob 2 Reales (Macuquinas) 931 M-L XF Details (Edge Filing) NGC, Santa Marta mint, KM-Unl. (cf. KM-C12 for Real), Stohr-Unl., OAV-Unl. (see note on pg. 24).** 3.89gm. The rarest date of this puzzling provisional coinage produced during the Venezuelan War for Independence, with most scholars assigning the type to Viceroy Montalvo in Santa Marta c. 1813. Believed to have only survived in the low single digits—around 7 to 8 pieces—the present specimen represents a comparatively high-grade survivor, with the finest certified example being a mere AU50. Of enormous significance for the serious collector of early Venezuelan coinage, and only the fourth example that has come to auction in recent decades.



- 32843 Caracas. Royalist and/or Republican Provisional Fantasy Cob 2 Reales (Macuquinas) 741 VF30 NGC, Caracas mint, KM-C13.1, OAV-2R-C.A.11.** 4.75gm. A highly sought-after and very difficult type even in lower technical grades without any serious post-mint alteration. Very well centered on its characteristically undersized flan, the last example of this type we offered, a F12 by NGC, bringing nearly \$1900 in our January 2013 sale 3022.



- 32844 Republic Centavo 1858-HEATON MS63 Brown NGC, Heaton mint, KM-Y7.** Variety with "LIBERTAD" in relief. Wholesome walnut surfaces.

**32845 Republic 5 Bolivares 1879-(bb) AU Details (Stained) NGC**, Brussels mint, KM-Y24.1, OAV-5B-A.1. Mintage: 250,000. The first and lowest mintage date for this short-lived type, and one which almost universally comes heavily circulated. Despite its details designation, we note that only a single piece has been awarded Mint State at NGC, with this being the first of the type we have offered.

**YEMEN**

**32846 Arab Republic gold Proof “Apollo 11 Moon Landing” 20 Riyals 1969 PR67 NGC, KM8.** Eagle with shield on breast and flags on legs / Space capsule above astronauts on moon’s surface. AGW 0.5671 oz.

**WORLD LOTS**

**32847 International 30-Piece Uncertified silver “Year of the Child” Proof Set,**

- 1) Thailand: Rama IX 100 Baht BE 2524 (1991), KM-Y152
- 2) Solomon Islands: Elizabeth II 5 Dollars 1983, KM16
- 3) Panama: Republic 10 Balboas 1982, KM79
- 4) Yemen: Arab Republic 25 Riyals AH 1403 (1983), KM-Y45
- 5) Dominican Republic: Republic 10 Pesos 1982, KM57
- 6) India: Republic 100 Rupees 1981, KM277
- 7) Cayman Islands: Elizabeth II 10 Dollars 1982, KM72
- 8) Tunisia: Republic 5 Dinars 1982, KM421
- 9) Turks and Caicos: Elizabeth II 10 Crowns 1982, KM55
- 10) Nepal: Shah Dynasty. Birdendra Bir Bikram 100 Rupees VS 2031 (1974)-Dated (1981), KM851
- 11) Jamaica: Republic 10 Dollars 1979, KM80
- 12) Bolivia: Republic 200 Pesos 1979, KM198
- 13) Netherlands Antilles: Dutch Colony. Juliana 25 Gulden 1979, KM22
- 14) Bulgaria: Republic 20 Leva 1979, KM-Unl.
- 15) United Arab Emirates: Republic 50 Dirhams 1980, KM7
- 16) Ethiopia: People’s Democratic Republic 20 Birr EE 1972 (1979), KM54
- 17) Philippines: Republic 50 Piso 1979, KM229
- 18) Maldivé Islands: Republic 20 Rufiyaa AH 1399 (1979), KM61
- 19) Hungary: Republic 200 Forint 1979, KM615
- 20) Mongolia: People’s Republic 25 Tugrik 1980, KM39.1
- 21) Malta: Republic 5 Pounds 1981, KM53
- 22) China: People’s Republic 35 Yuan 1979, KM8
- 23) Seychelles: Republic 50 Rupees 1980, KM42
- 24) Sudan: Republic 5 Pounds AH 1401 (1981), KM87
- 25) Zambia: Republic 10 Kwacha 1980, KM21
- 26) Papua New Guinea: Republic 5 Kina 1981, KM18
- 27) Turkey: Republic 500 Lira 1979 (1981), KM931
- 28) Egypt: United Arab Republic 5 Pounds AH 1401 (1981), KM533
- 29) Jordan: Hussein Ibn Talal 3 Dinars AH 1401 (1981), KM43
- 30) Lesotho: Moshoeshoe I 10 Maloti 1979 (1981), KM24

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# Terms and Conditions of Auction

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1. This Auction is presented by Heritage Auctions, a d/b/a/ of Heritage Auctioneers & Galleries, Inc., Heritage Auctions, Inc., Heritage Collectibles, Inc., Heritage Luxury Property Auctions, Inc., Heritage Numismatic Auctions, Inc., Heritage Vintage Sports Auctions, Inc., Currency Auctions of America, Inc., Heritage Auctions (HK) Limited, or Heritage Auctions – Europe Cooperative U.A. as identified with the applicable licensing information on the title page of the catalog or on the HA.com Internet site (the “Auctioneer”). The Auction is conducted under these Terms and Conditions of Auction and applicable state and local law. Announcements and corrections from the podium and those made through the Terms and Conditions of Auctions appearing on the Internet at HA.com supersede those in the printed catalog.

## Buyer’s Premium:

- All bids are subject to a Buyer’s Premium which is in addition to the placed successful bid:
  - For Domain Names & Intellectual Property Auction lots the Buyer’s Premium is fifteen percent (15%) subject to a minimum of \$19 per lot;
  - For US Animation Art, Comic, Currency, Movie Posters, Sports Collectibles, US Coin, and World & Ancient Coin Auction lots the Buyer’s Premium is twenty percent (20%) subject to a minimum of \$19 per lot, except for Sports Collectibles lots which are subject to a minimum of \$14 per lot;
  - For Wine Auction lots the Buyer’s Premium is twenty-three percent (23%) subject to a minimum of \$19 per lot;
  - For European Comic Art Auction lots, the Buyer’s Premium is twenty-five percent (25%) subject to a minimum of \$19 per lot;
  - For lots in all other categories not listed above, the Buyer’s Premium per lot is twenty-five percent (25%) on the first \$300,000 subject to a minimum of \$49 per lot, plus twenty percent (20%) of any amount between \$300,000 and \$3,000,000, plus twelve point five percent (12.5%) of any amount over \$3,000,000.

## Auction Venues:

3. Heritage Weekly Internet Auctions (Coin, Currency, Comics, Jewelry, and Vintage Movie Posters); Heritage Monthly Internet Auctions (Sports, World Coins, and Rare Wine) are conducted solely on the Internet. Signature Auctions accept bids from the Internet, telephone, fax, or mail first, followed by a floor bidding session; HeritageLive! and real-time telephone bidding are available to registered clients during these auctions.

## Bidders:

- Any person participating or registering for the Auction agrees to be bound by and accepts these Terms and Conditions of Auction (“Bidder(s)”).
- All Bidders must meet Auctioneer’s qualifications to bid. Any Bidder who is not a client in good standing of the Auctioneer may be disqualified at Auctioneer’s sole option and will not be awarded lots. Such determination may be made by Auctioneer in its sole and unlimited discretion, at any time prior to, during, or even after the close of the Auction. Auctioneer reserves the right to exclude any person from the auction.
- If an entity places a bid, then the person executing the bid on behalf of the entity agrees to personally guarantee payment for any successful bid.

## Credit:

7. In order to place bids, Bidders who have not established credit with the Auctioneer must either furnish satisfactory credit information (including two collectible-related business references) or supply valid credit card information along with a social security number, well in advance of the Auction. Internet bids will only be accepted from pre-registered Bidders. Bidders who are not members of HA.com or affiliates should preregister at least 48 hours before the start of the first session (exclusive of holidays or weekends) to allow adequate time to contact references. Credit will be granted at the discretion of Auctioneer. Auctioneer may, in its sole discretion, require a deposit in good funds of twenty-five percent (25%) of the amount of each bid prior to acceptance of the bid. Additionally Bidders who have not previously established credit or who wish to bid in excess of their established credit history may be required to provide their social security so a credit check may be performed prior to Auctioneer’s acceptance of a bid. Settlement via check and immediate delivery of merchandise may also be determined by pre-approval of credit based on a combination of: HA.com history, related industry references, bank verification, a credit bureau report and/or a personal guarantee for a corporate or partnership entity in advance of the auction.

## Bidding Options:

- Bids in Signature Auctions may be placed as set forth in the printed catalog section entitled “Choose your bidding method.” For auctions held solely on the Internet, see the alternatives on HA.com. Review at <http://www.ha.com/c/ref/web-tips.zx#biddingTutorial>.
- Presentment of Bids: Non-Internet bids (including but not limited to podium, fax, phone and mail bids) and floor bids must be on-increment or at a half-increment (“Cut Bid”). Any podium, fax, phone, or mail bids that do not conform to a full or half increment will be rounded up or down to the nearest full or half increment and this revised amount will be considered your high bid.
- Auctioneer’s Execution of Certain Bids. Auctioneer cannot be responsible for your errors in bidding or entry of bids. When identical mail or fax bids are submitted, preference is given to the first received. To ensure the greatest accuracy, written bids should be entered on the standard printed bid sheet and received by Auctioneer at least two business days prior to Auction start. Auctioneer is not responsible for executing mail bids or fax bids received on or after the day the first lot is sold, nor Internet bids submitted after the published closing time; nor is Auctioneer responsible for proper execution of bids submitted by telephone, mail, fax, email, Internet, or in person once Auction begins. Bids placed electronically via the internet may not be withdrawn until your written request is received and acknowledged by Auctioneer (FAX: 214-409-1425); such requests must state the reason, and may constitute grounds for withdrawal of bidding privileges. Lots won by mail Bidders will not be delivered at the Auction unless prearranged.
- Bid Increments. Bid increments (over the current bid level) determine the lowest amount you may bid on a particular lot. Bids greater than one increment over the current bid can be any whole dollar amount. It is possible under several circumstances for winning bids to be between increments, sometimes only \$1 above the previous increment. Please see: “How can I lose by less than an increment?” on our website. Bids will be accepted in whole dollar amounts only. No “buy” or “unlimited” bids will be accepted. Current bidding increments during any live auction session or components thereof (e.g. mail/fax bids and LiveProxy bidding) (see [HA.com/c/ref/web-tips.zx#guidelines-increments](http://www.ha.com/c/ref/web-tips.zx#guidelines-increments)) are:

Current Bid .....	Bid Increment .....	Current Bid .....	Bid Increment .....
< \$10 .....	\$1	\$10,000 - \$19,999 .....	\$1,000
\$10 - \$49 .....	\$2	\$20,000 - \$49,999 .....	\$2,000
\$50 - \$99 .....	\$5	\$50,000 - \$99,999 .....	\$5,000
\$100 - \$199 .....	\$10	\$100,000 - \$199,999 .....	\$10,000
\$200 - \$499 .....	\$20	\$200,000 - \$499,999 .....	\$20,000
\$500 - \$999 .....	\$50	\$500,000 - \$999,999 .....	\$25,000
\$1,000 - \$1,999 .....	\$100	\$1,000,000 - \$1,999,999 .....	\$50,000
\$2,000 - \$4,999 .....	\$200	\$2,000,000 - \$9,999,999 .....	\$100,000
\$5,000 - \$9,999 .....	\$500	>= \$10,000,000 .....	\$200,000

Note: Half-increment bidding is available prior to the live auction session.

- If Auctioneer calls for a full increment, Bidder may request Auctioneer to accept a Cut Bid only once per lot. After offering a Cut Bid, Bidder may continue to bid on lot only at full increments. Off-increment bids may be accepted by the Auctioneer at Signature Auctions. Bids solicited by Auctioneer at other than the expected increment will not be considered Cut Bids.

## Conducting the Auction:

13. Notice of the consignor’s liberty to place bids on his lots in the Auction is hereby made in accordance with Article 2 of the Texas Business and Commercial Code. A “Minimum Bid” is an amount below which the lot will not sell. THE CONSIGNOR OF PROPERTY MAY PLACE WRITTEN “Minimum Bids” ON HIS LOTS IN ADVANCE OF THE AUCTION; ON SUCH LOTS, IF THE HAMMER PRICE DOES NOT MEET THE

“Minimum Bid”, THE CONSIGNOR MAY PAY A REDUCED COMMISSION ON THOSE LOTS. “Minimum Bids” are generally posted online several days prior to the Auction closing. Any successful bid placed by a consignor on his property on the Auction floor, by any means during the live session, or after the “Minimum Bid” for an Auction have been posted, will require the consignor to pay full Buyer’s Premium and Seller’s Commissions on such lot. Auctioneer or its affiliates expressly reserve the right to modify any such bids at any time prior to the hammer based upon data made known to the Auctioneer or its affiliates.

- The highest qualified Bidder recognized by the Auctioneer shall be the Buyer. In the event of a tie bid, the earliest bid received or recognized wins. In the event of any dispute between any Bidders at an Auction, Auctioneer may at his sole discretion reoffer the lot. Auctioneer’s decision and declaration of the winning Bidder shall be final and binding upon all Bidders. Bids properly offered, whether by floor Bidder or other means of bidding, may on occasion be missed or go unrecognized; in such cases, the Auctioneer may declare the recognized bid accepted as the winning bid, regardless of whether a competing bid may have been higher. Auctioneer reserves the right after the hammer fall to accept bids and reopen bidding for bids placed through the Internet or otherwise. Regardless of placed bids, Auctioneer reserves the right to withdraw any lot, or any part of a lot, from Auction at any time prior to the opening of any such lot by the auctioneer (crier), or in the case of Internet-only auctions when the bid opens for either live Internet bidding or the beginning of any extended period.
- Auctioneer reserves the right to refuse to honor any bid or to limit the amount of any bid, in its sole discretion. A bid is considered not made in “Good Faith” when made by an insolvent or irresponsible person, a person under the age of eighteen, or is not supported by satisfactory credit, references, or otherwise. Regardless of the disclosure of his identity, any bid by a consignor or his agent on a lot consigned by him is deemed to be made in “Good Faith.” Any person apparently appearing on the OFAC list is not eligible to bid.
- Nominal Bids. The Auctioneer in its sole discretion may reject nominal bids, small opening bids, or very nominal advances.
- Lots bearing bidding estimates shall open at Auctioneer’s discretion (generally 40%-60% of the low estimate). In the event that no bid meets or exceeds that opening amount, the lot shall pass as unsold or the Auctioneer may place a protective bid on behalf of the consignor.
- All items are to be purchased per lot as numerically indicated and no lots will be broken.
- Auctioneer reserves the right to rescind the sale in the event of nonpayment, breach of a warranty, disputed ownership, auctioneer’s clerical error or omission in exercising bids and reserves, or for any other reason and in Auctioneer’s sole discretion.
- Auctioneer occasionally experiences Internet and/or Server service outages, and Auctioneer periodically schedules system downtime for maintenance and other purposes, during which Bidders cannot participate or place bids. If such outages occur, bidding may be extended at Auctioneer’s discretion. Bidders unable to place their bids through the Internet are directed to contact Client Services at 877-HERITAGE (437-4824).
- The Auctioneer, its affiliates, or their employees consign items to be sold in the Auction, and may bid on those lots or any other lots.
- The Auctioneer may extend advances, guarantees, or loans to certain consignors.
- The Auctioneer has the right to sell certain unsold items after the close of the Auction. Such lots shall be considered sold during the Auction and all these Terms and Conditions shall apply to such sales including but not limited to the Buyer’s Premium, return rights, and disclaimers.

## Payment:

- All sales are strictly for cash in United States dollars (including U.S. currency, bank wire, cashier checks, travelers checks, eChecks, and bank money orders, and are subject to all reporting requirements). All deliveries are subject to good funds; funds being received in Auctioneer’s account before delivery of the merchandise; and all payments are subject to a clearing period. Auctioneer reserves the right to determine if a check constitutes “good funds”: checks drawn on a U.S. bank are subject to a ten business day hold, thirty days when drawn on an international bank. Clients with pre-arranged credit may receive immediate credit for payments via eCheck, personal, or corporate checks. All others will be subject to a hold of 5 business days, or more, for the funds to clear prior to releasing merchandise. (Ref. T&C item 7 Credit for additional information.) Payments can be made 24-48 hours post auction from the My Orders page of the HA.com website. Payment via credit card (Visa, Mastercard, and Discover) will be accepted upon prior approval by Auctioneer. All payments by credit card will incur a surcharge of 2.5%. Payment by eCheck, wire transfer, or check will not incur a surcharge. This fee only applies to credit transactions, and does not exceed Auctioneer’s cost of processing.
- Payment is due upon closing of the Auction session, or upon presentation of an invoice. Auctioneer reserves the right to void an invoice if payment in full is not received within 7 days after Auction close. In cases of nonpayment, Auctioneer’s election to void a sale does not relieve the Bidder from their obligation to pay Auctioneer its fees (seller’s and buyer’s premium) on the lot and any other damages pertaining to the lot or Auctioneer. Alternatively, Auctioneer at its sole option, may charge a twenty (20%) fee based on the amount of the purchase. In either case the Auctioneer may offset amount of its claim against any monies owing to the Bidder or secure its claim against any of the Bidder’s properties held by the Auctioneer.
- Purchased lots may be subject to taxes or fees imposed by various foreign taxing agencies. Buyer is responsible for paying all foreign imposed taxes whether VAT, GST, etc. prior to delivery unless other arrangements are made in writing. Lots delivered to Buyer, or Buyer’s representative are subject to all applicable state and local taxes, unless appropriate permits are on file with Auctioneer. Should state sales tax become applicable in the state for delivery prior to delivery of the property on the invoice, Buyer agrees to pay all applicable state sales tax as required by the delivery state as of the shipping date. Buyer agrees to pay Auctioneer the actual amount of tax due in the event that sales tax is not properly collected due to: 1) an expired, inaccurate, or inappropriate tax certificate or declaration, 2) an incorrect interpretation of the applicable statute, 3) or any other reason. The appropriate form or certificate must be on file at and verified by Auctioneer five days prior to Auction, or tax must be paid; only if such form or certificate is received by Auctioneer within 4 days after Auction can a refund of tax paid be made. Lots from different Auctions may not be aggregated for sales tax purposes.
- In the event that Buyer’s payment is dishonored upon presentment(s), Buyer shall pay the maximum statutory processing fee set by applicable state law. If Buyer attempts to pay via eCheck and Buyer’s financial institution denies this bank account, or the payment cannot be completed using the selected funding source, Buyer agrees to complete payment using your credit card on file (subject to the surcharge detailed in paragraph 24).
- If any Auction invoice submitted by Auctioneer is not paid in full when due, the unpaid balance will bear interest at the highest rate permitted by law from the date of invoice until paid. Any invoice not paid when due will bear a three percent (3%) late fee on the invoice amount. If the Auctioneer refers any invoice to an attorney for collection, Buyer agrees to pay attorney’s fees, court costs, and other collection costs incurred by Auctioneer. If Auctioneer assigns collection to its in-house legal staff, such attorney’s time expended on the matter shall be compensated at a rate comparable to the hourly rate of independent attorneys.
- In the event Buyer fails to pay any amounts due, Auctioneer reserves the right to sell the lot(s) securing the invoice to any underbidders in the Auction that the lot(s) appeared, or at subsequent private or public sale, or to sell the lot(s) in a future auction conducted by Auctioneer. A defaulting Buyer agrees to pay for the reasonable costs of resale (including a 15% seller’s commission, if assigned to an auction conducted by Auctioneer). The defaulting Buyer is liable to pay any difference between his total original invoice for the lot(s), plus any applicable interest, and the net proceeds for the lot(s) if sold at private sale or the subsequent hammer price of the lot(s) less the 15% seller’s commissions, if sold at an Auctioneer’s auction.
- Title shall not pass to Buyer until all invoices are paid in full. Auctioneer shall have a lien against the merchandise purchased by Buyer to secure payment of any and all outstanding Auction invoices. Auctioneer is further granted a lien and the right to retain possession of any other property of Buyer then held by Auctioneer or its affiliates to secure payment of any Auction invoice or any other amounts due Auctioneer or affiliates from Buyer. With respect to these lien rights, Auctioneer shall have all the rights of a secured creditor under Article 9 of the Texas Uniform Commercial Code, including but not limited to the right of sale (including a 15% seller’s commission, if assigned to an auction conducted by Auctioneer). Any Heritage

foreclosure auction venue, whether or not the same venue as when the debt was incurred (e.g. Signature, Internet, or weekly), is deemed a reasonably commercial sale. In addition, with respect to payment of the Auction invoice(s), Buyer waives any and all rights of offset he might otherwise have against Auctioneer and the consignor of the merchandise included on the invoice. If Buyer owes Auctioneer or its affiliates on any account, Auctioneer and its affiliates shall have the right to offset such unpaid account by any credit balance due Buyer, and it may secure by possessory lien any unpaid amount by any of the Buyer's property in their possession.

#### **Delivery, Shipping, and Handling Charges:**

31. Buyer is liable for all shipping, handling, registration, and renewal fees, if any. Please refer to Auctioneer's website HA.com/c/shipping.zx for the latest charges or call Auctioneer. Auctioneer is unable to combine purchases from other auctions or affiliates into one package for shipping purposes. Merchandise will be shipped in a commercially reasonable time after payment in good funds for the merchandise and the shipping fees is received or credit extended, except when third-party shipment occurs. Buyer on lots designated for third-party shipment must designate the common carrier, accept risk of loss, and prepay shipping costs. Buyer agrees that Service and Handling charges related to shipping items which are not pre-paid may be charged to the credit card on file with Auctioneer (subject to the surcharge detailed in paragraph 24).
32. Successful international Bidders shall provide written shipping instructions, including specified customs declarations, to Auctioneer for any lots to be delivered outside of the United States. NOTE: Declaration value shall be the item's hammer price together with its buyer's premium and Auctioneer shall use the correct harmonized code for the lot.
33. On all shipments in which Auctioneer charges the Delivery, Handling, and Transit Fee *infra*, any risk of loss during shipment will be borne by Auctioneer until the common carrier's confirmation of delivery to the address of record in Auctioneer's file, this is the "Secure Location". A common carrier's confirmation is conclusive to prove delivery to Buyer; if the client has a Signature release on file with the carrier, the package is considered delivered without Signature. Auctioneer shall arrange, select, and engage common carriers and other transportation vendors on your behalf. Transit services are subject to the following terms and conditions:
  - a. **Scope of Transit Services:** Merchandise for transit will be insured under one or more insurance policies issued by an authorized broker to Auctioneer. The merchandise will be insured for the invoice price of the properties (hammer price plus Buyer's Premium) ("Insured Value"). For each shipment, Buyer will provide a Secure Location to which the items will be delivered. NOTICE: **Auctioneer is neither an insurance company nor a common carrier of any type.**
  - b. **Auctioneer's Compensation for Transit Services:** Auctioneer will provide transit services to Buyer for ¼ of 1% of the Insured Value, plus packaging and handling fees and fees for the common carrier (collectively, "Delivery, Handling, and Transit Fee"). Buyer agrees to pay Delivery, Handling, and Transit Fee and comply with all terms of payment as set forth herein.
  - c. **Auctioneer's Limitation of Liability for Transit Services:** Buyer understands and agrees that Auctioneer's liability for loss of or damage to the items, if any, ends when the items have been delivered to the Secure Location, and Auctioneer has received evidence of delivery. Any claim that property has sustained loss or damage during transit must be reported to Auctioneer within seventy-two (72) hours of the delivery date. Any recovery for loss of or damage to any merchandise is limited to the lesser of actual cash value of the merchandise or the Insured Value. **Under no circumstances is Auctioneer liable for consequential or punitive damages.**
34. It shall be the responsibility of Buyer to arrange pick-up or shipping in a timely manner (within 10 days). Merchandise will be subject to storage and moving charges, including a \$100 administration fee plus \$10 daily storage for larger items and \$5 daily for smaller items (storage fee per item) after 35 days. In the event the merchandise is not removed within ninety days, the merchandise may be offered for sale to recover any past due storage or moving fees, including a 20% Seller's Commission.
35. A. NOTICE OF CITES COMPLIANCE: The purchase of items made from protected species: Any property made of or incorporating endangered or protected species or wildlife may have import and/or export restrictions established by the Convention of International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES) in various countries and domestically. Plant and animal properties include (but are not limited to) items made of (or including) Brazilian rosewood, ivory, whalebone, turtle shell, coral, crocodile, alligator, lizard, or other wildlife. These items may not be available to ship internationally or, in some cases, domestically. Domestic bans and restrictions exist in these states: 1) California state law prohibits the importation of any product containing Python skin into the State of California, thus no lot containing Python skin will be shipped to or invoiced to a person or company in California. 2) Fossil Ivory is currently banned or restricted in 5 U.S. states: New York, New Jersey, California, Hawaii, and New Mexico. By placing a bid, the bidder acknowledges that he or she is aware of any restriction in their country or place of residence and takes responsibility for: 1) obtaining all information on such restricted items for both export and import; 2) obtaining all such licenses and/or permits. Delay, failure, or incapacity to obtain any such license or permit does not relieve the buyer of timely payment or afford them the capacity to void their purchase or payment. Lots containing potentially regulated wildlife material are noted in the description as a convenience to our clients. Heritage Auctions does not accept liability for errors or failure to mark lots containing protected or regulated species. For further assistance, please contact client services at 1-800-872-6467.
35. B. California State law prohibits the importation of any product containing Python skin into the State of California. No merchandise containing Python skin will be shipped to or invoiced to a person or company in California.
35. C. Auctioneer shall not be liable for any loss caused by or resulting from:
  - a. Seizure or destruction under quarantine or Customs regulation, or confiscation by order of any Government or public authority, or risks of contraband or illegal transportation of trade, or
  - b. Breakage of statuary, marble, glassware, bric-a-brac, porcelains, jewelry, and similar fragile articles.
36. Any request for shipping verification for undelivered packages must be made within 30 days of shipment by Auctioneer.

#### **Cataloging, Warranties, and Disclaimers:**

37. NO WARRANTY, WHETHER EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, IS MADE WITH RESPECT TO ANY DESCRIPTION CONTAINED IN THIS AUCTION OR ANY SECOND OPINE. Any description of merchandise or second opine contained in this Auction is for the sole purpose of identifying merchandise for those Bidders who do not have the opportunity to view merchandise prior to bidding, and no description of merchandise has been made part of the basis of the bargain or has created any express warranty that merchandise would conform to any description made by Auctioneer. Color variations can be expected in any electronic or printed imaging, and are not grounds for the return of any lot. NOTE: Auctioneer, in specified auction venues, e.g. Fine Art, may have express written warranties and Bidder is referred to those specific terms and conditions.
38. Auctioneer is selling only such right or title to merchandise being sold as Auctioneer may have by virtue of consignment agreements on the date of auction and disclaims any warranty of title to the merchandise. Auctioneer disclaims any warranty of merchantability or fitness for any particular purposes. All images, descriptions, sales data, and archival records are the exclusive property of Auctioneer, and may be used by Auctioneer for advertising, promotion, archival records, and any other uses deemed appropriate.
39. Translations of foreign language documents may be provided as a convenience to interested parties. Auctioneer makes no representation as to the accuracy of those translations and will not be held responsible for errors in bidding arising from inaccuracies in translation.
40. Auctioneer disclaims all liability for damages, consequential or otherwise, arising out of or in connection with the sale of any merchandise by Auctioneer to Bidder. No third party may rely on any benefit of these Terms and Conditions and any rights, if any, established hereunder are personal to Bidder and may not be assigned. Any statement made by the Auctioneer is an opinion and does not constitute a warranty or representation. No employee of Auctioneer may alter these Terms and Conditions, and, unless signed by a principal of Auctioneer, any such alteration is null and void.
41. Auctioneer shall not be liable for breakage of glass or damage to frames (patent or latent); such defects, in any event, shall not be a basis for return or reduction in purchase price.

#### **Release:**

42. In consideration of participation in Auction and the placing of a bid, Bidder expressly releases Auctioneer, its officers, directors and employees, its affiliates, and its outside experts that provide second opinions, from any and all claims, cause of action, chose of action, whether at law or equity or any arbitration or mediation rights existing under the rules of any professional society or affiliation based upon the assigned description, or a derivative theory, breach of warranty express or implied, representation or other matter set forth within these Terms and Conditions of Auction or otherwise. In the event of a claim, Bidder agrees that such rights and privileges conferred therein are strictly construed as specifically declared herein, and are the exclusive remedy. Bidder, by non-compliance to these express terms of a granted remedy, shall waive any claim against Auctioneer.
43. Notice: Some merchandise sold by Auctioneer is inherently dangerous e.g. firearms, cannons, and small items that may be swallowed or ingested or may have latent defects all of which may cause harm to a person. Buyer accepts all risk of loss or damage from its purchase of these items and Auctioneer disclaims any liability whether under contract or tort for damages and losses, direct or consequential, and expressly disclaims any warranty as to safety or usage of any lot sold.

#### **Dispute Resolution, Arbitration, and Remedies:**

- By placing a bid or otherwise participating in Auction, Bidder accepts these Terms and Conditions of Auction, and specifically agrees to the dispute resolution provided herein.
44. **Exclusive Dispute Resolution Process:** All claims, disputes, or controversies in connection with, relating to, and/or arising out of Bidder's participation in Auction or purchase of any lot, any interpretation of the Terms and Conditions of Sale or any amendments thereto, any description of any lot or condition report, any damage to any lot, any alleged verbal modification of any term of sale or condition report or description, and/or any purported settlement whether asserted in contract, tort, under Federal or State statute or regulation, or any claim made by Bidder of a lot or Bidder's participation in Auction involving the auction or a specific lot involving a warranty or representation of a consignor or other person or entity including Auctioneer (which claim Bidder consents to be made a party) (collectively, "Claim") shall be exclusively heard by, and the claimant (or respondent) and Auctioneer each consent to the Claim being presented in a confidential binding arbitration before a single arbitrator administered by and conducted under the rules of, the American Arbitration Association. The locale for all such arbitrations shall be Dallas, Texas. The arbitrator's award may be enforced in any court of competent jurisdiction. In the event that any Claim needs to be litigated, including actions to compel arbitration, construe the agreement, actions in aid of arbitration, or otherwise, such litigation shall be exclusively in the Courts of the State of Texas, in Dallas County, Texas, and if necessary the corresponding appellate courts. If a Claim involves a consumer, exclusive subject matter jurisdiction for the Claim is in the State District Courts of Dallas County, Texas and the consumer consents to subject matter and in personam jurisdiction; further CONSUMER EXPRESSLY WAIVES ANY RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY. A consumer may elect arbitration as specified above. Any claim involving the purchase or sale of numismatic or related items may be submitted through binding PNG arbitration. A Claim is not subject to class certification.
  45. **Choice of Law:** Agreement and any Claim shall be determined and construed under Texas law.
  46. **Fees and Costs:** The prevailing party (a party that is awarded substantial and material relief on its damage claim based on damages sought versus awarded or the successful defense of a Claim based on damages sought versus awarded) may be awarded reasonable attorneys' fees and costs.
  47. **Remedies:** Any Claim must be brought within two (2) years of the alleged breach, default or misrepresentation or the Claim is waived. After one (1) year has elapsed, Auctioneer's maximum liability shall be limited to any commissions and fees Auctioneer earned on that lot. Auctioneer in no event shall be responsible for consequential damages, incidental damages, compensatory damages, or any other damages arising or claimed to be arising from the auction of any lot. Exemplary or punitive damages are not permitted and are waived. In the event that Auctioneer cannot deliver the lot or subsequently it is established that the lot lacks title, or other transfer or condition issue is claimed, in such cases the sole remedy shall be limited to rescission of sale and refund of the amount paid by Buyer; in no case shall Auctioneer's maximum liability exceed the high bid on that lot, which bid shall be deemed for all purposes the value of the lot. In the event of an attribution error, Auctioneer may at its sole discretion, correct the error on the Internet, or, if discovered at a later date, refund Buyer's purchase price without further obligation. Nothing herein shall be construed to extend the time of return or conditions and restrictions for return.
  48. These Terms & Conditions provide specific remedies for occurrences in the auction and delivery process. Where such remedies are afforded, they shall be interpreted strictly. Bidder agrees that any claim shall utilize such remedies; Bidder making a claim in excess of those remedies provided in these Terms and Conditions agrees that in no case whatsoever shall Auctioneer's maximum liability exceed the high bid on that lot, which bid shall be deemed for all purposes the value of the lot.

#### **Miscellaneous:**

49. Agreements between Bidders and consignors to effectuate a non-sale of an item at Auction, inhibit bidding on a consigned item to enter into a private sale agreement for said item, or to utilize Auctioneer's Auction to obtain sales for non-selling consigned items subsequent to Auction, are strictly prohibited. If a subsequent sale of a previously consigned item occurs in violation of this provision, Auctioneer reserves the right to charge Bidder the applicable Buyer's Premium and consignor a Seller's Commission as determined for each auction venue and by the terms of the seller's agreement.
50. Acceptance of these Terms and Conditions qualifies Bidder as a client who has consented to be contacted by Heritage in the future. In conformity with "do-not-call" regulations promulgated by the Federal or State regulatory agencies, participation by Bidder is affirmative consent to being contacted at the phone number shown in his application and this consent shall remain in effect until it is revoked in writing. Heritage may from time to time contact Bidder concerning sale, purchase, and auction opportunities available through Heritage and its affiliates and subsidiaries.
51. **Rules of Construction:** Auctioneer presents properties in a number of collectible fields, and as such, specific venues have promulgated supplemental Terms and Conditions. Nothing herein shall be construed to waive the general Terms and Conditions of Auction by these additional rules and shall be construed to give force and effect to the rules in their entirety.

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European Art	Dallas	May 29, 2020	March 27, 2020
Asian Art	New York	June 23, 2020	April 13, 2020
Urban Art	Dallas	June 25, 2020	April 23, 2020
Illustration Art	Dallas	August 5, 2020	June 2, 2020
Asian Art	New York	September 17, 2020	July 8, 2020
Photographs	Dallas	October 6, 2020	August 3, 2020
Illustration Art	Dallas	October 16, 2020	August 13, 2020
Design	Dallas	October 19, 2020	August 10, 2020
Prints and Multiples	Dallas	October 20, 2020	August 18, 2020
American Art	Dallas	November 6, 2020	September 4, 2020
Texas Art	Dallas	November 7, 2020	September 4, 2020
Silver & Vertu	Dallas	November 14, 2020	September 4, 2020
Lalique & Art Glass	Dallas	November 20, 2020	September 10, 2020
MEMORABILIA & COLLECTIBLES	LOCATION	AUCTION DATES	CONSIGNMENT DEADLINE
Vintage Movie Posters	Dallas	March 21 – 22, 2020	Closed
Musical Instrument	Dallas	March 29, 2020	Closed
Entertainment	Dallas	April 4 – 5, 2020	Closed
Sports Cards	Dallas	April 16, 2020	Closed
Comics & Comic Art	Dallas	April 30 – May 1, 2020	Closed
Sports Collectibles	Dallas	May 7 – 9, 2020	March 16, 2020
Animation Art	Dallas	June 20, 2020	April 29, 2020
Comic	Dallas	July 9, 2020	May 12, 2020
Entertainment	Dallas	July 11, 2020	May 13, 2020
Musical Instruments	Dallas	July 12, 2020	May 21, 2020
Movie Posters	Dallas	July 25, 2020	June 2, 2020
HISTORICAL COLLECTIBLES	LOCATION	AUCTION DATES	CONSIGNMENT DEADLINE
Historical Manuscripts	Dallas	April 23, 2020	Closed
Space Exploration	Dallas	May 22, 2020	March 31, 2020
Arms & Armor and Civil War & Militaria	Dallas	June 7, 2020	April 16, 2020
Americana and Political	Dallas	September 14 & 15, 2020	July 24, 2020
Rare Books	Dallas	October 15, 2020	August 24, 2020
LUXURY LIFESTYLE	LOCATION	AUCTION DATES	CONSIGNMENT DEADLINE
Real Estate	Arlington, VA	March 17, 2020	Closed
Wine	Beverly Hills	April 17 – 18 2020	Closed
Jewelry & Luxury Accessories	Beverly Hills	May 3 – 4, 2020	Closed
Real Estate	California	June 2, 2020	Closed
Timepieces	New York	June 8, 2020	March 24, 2020
Wine	Beverly Hills	June 19 – 20, 2020	April 28, 2020
Fine Jewelry	Dallas	September 28, 2020	July 14, 2020
Luxury Accessories	Dallas	September 27, 2020	August 18, 2020

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Comics | 5 PM Sundays  
 Sports | 10 PM Sundays  
 Vintage Posters | 10 PM Sundays  
 U.S. Coins | 7 PM Tuesdays & Wednesdays  
 Ancient Coins | 8 PM Wednesdays  
 World Coins | 8 PM Thursdays

Currency (US & World) | 7 PM Tuesdays  
 Prints & Multiples | 2 PM Wednesdays  
 Nature & Science | 8 PM Thursdays  
 Wine | 10 PM Tuesdays & Wednesdays  
 Jewelry | 9 PM Tuesdays  
 Photographs | 3 PM Third Wednesdays

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