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Dmitry Markov's interest in coin collecting goes back to 1972. In 1985 he graduated from the History Department of the Kiev State University (Ukraine) and received his M.A. for the thesis - "Monetary Circulation in Ancient Russia (8th to 13th cent. A.D.)". His broad interests in numismatics include Russia, Ancient Coinage especially those of the Northern Black Sea area, as well as Islamic Central Asia and Caucasus. He has published a number of research articles in these fields.

After coming to the U.S. in 1990, Dmitry Markov founded "Dmitry Markov Coins & Medals," a well-known leading firm dealing with Russian Coins and Medals. Dmitry Markov's continuing research on Russian, Ancient and Islamic coinage makes an invaluable addition to his very extensive auction catalogs. He has issued over 80 illustrated reference catalogues, as well as many other fixed price lists. Dmitry Markov Coins & Medals have been an elected member of the International Association of Professional Numismatists (IAPN) since 2000. Also a Life Member of the American Numismatic Association (ANA), American Numismatic Society (ANS), a Life Member of the Orders & Medals Society of America (OMSA), as well as many other trade and collectors associations.



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GRADING

Abbreviation Grading System

Proof	Proof	Polierte Platte	Flan bruni
UNC	Uncirculated	Stempelglanz	Fleur du coin
EF	Extremely Fine	Vorzüglich	Superb
VF	Very Fine	Sehr schön	Très beau
F	Fine	Schön	Beau
VG	Very Good	Sehr gut erhalten	Très bien conservè
G	Good	Gut erhalten	Bien conservè

We also use the terms “about”, “almost”, “choice” etc. to help describe the coins and split grades (e.g. VF/EF) when the two side grade differently. We attempt to describe noteworthy characteristics beyond what is expected for the grade.

We would also like to introduce you to the new collector’s convenience feature for the Russian Part of our catalogs only: rarity signs for every single coin by the reference provided. The following abbreviations used by the standard references (Brekke, Severin, Uzdenikov) are substituted by us in this simple manner.

•	= (S)	= SCARCE
–	= (R)	= RARE
	= (RR)	= VERY RARE
÷	= (RRR)	= EXTREMELY RARE
	= (RRRR)	= EXCESSIVELY RARE
!!	= (!!)	= Several Specimens are Known

Pre-Petrine Coinage

Kievan Rus'



2x

- 2001** Great Principality of Kiev. Vladimir I, the Great, 980-1015. Srebrennik. Silver. 3.1 gm. Type I. Rublev 1.4.2.16.3 – Plate Coin. Standing figure of the prince holding long cross, his coat fastened with a fibula with two beads / Nimbate facing bust of Christ Pantokrator. *Very rare*. Pierced twice. Two small pieces chipped off (as pictured), included. Very Fine.

\$3,000

Ex Katz Coins, Jubilee Auction 20, Prague, March 23-24, 2019, lot 2224.



2x

- 2002** Great Principality of Kiev. Vladimir I, the Great, 980-1015. Srebrennik. Silver. 2.29 gm. Type II. Rublev 2.2.1.1.1. Standing figure of the prince holding long cross / Trident tamgha. *Very rare*. Fragment – about 2/3 of coin. Minor earthen green deposit. Very Fine.

\$1,000



2003 Novgorod Republic. Late type "Novgorod" Grivna Ingot. Ca. 14th Century. 127 mm. 192.56 gm. Spassky fig.44. Seven straight and two diagonal (with a crossed line) counting lines on top, with a shallow central dimple, and some honeycombing (from the unequal distribution of metal during the time of casting) at sides. Extremely Fine.

\$1,000



2x

2x

2004 Pskov. Republic. Ca. 15th Century. Denga. 0.75 gm. G/P 7620B. Facing head of Dovmont, pellet on either side of crown, C lower right / Four-line legend. Choice extremely fine.

\$150



- 2005** Great Principality of Moscow. Vasiliy Dmitrievich, 1389-1425. Denga. 0.90 gm. Or 497, Spassky 56.9. Quadruped, legend around / Arabic legend. Flan cracks. Crude. *Rare.* Very fine/Fine.

\$300

Ex Baldwin's Auction 36, London, May 4, 2004, lot 195
Ex Baldwin's Auction 9, London, October 7-8, 1996, lot 358



- 2006** Great Principality of Moscow. Vasiliy Dmitrievich, 1389-1425. Denga. 0.68 gm. G/P 1760 A (R VIII). Ruler on horseback right, holding falcon, within inner circle, legend around / Pseudo-Arabic legend within beaded circle. Extremely fine.

\$300



- 2007** Great Principality of Moscow. Appanage of Mozhaisk. Ivan Andreevich, 1432-1454. Denga. 0.42 gm. G/P 3735B (R III), Spassky fig.59, 8. Two figures facing each other / Horseman riding right, spearing downward. Very fine.

\$200



- 2008** Great Principality of Nizhny-Novgorod. Under Vasiliy Dmitrievich of Moscow, ca. 1385-1402. 0.99 gm. G/P 4242 – obverse C/reverse E (R VI/III). Imitating Golden Horde types. Flat areas in margins. Extremely fine.

\$300



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- 2009** Great Principality of Suzdal-Nizhny-Novgorod. Daniyl Borisovich, ca. 1411-1415. Denga. 0.52 gm. G/P 4500B (R VI). Three-line legend with pellets / Pseudo-Arabic in cartouche. *Very rare.* Toned. About extremely fine.

\$250



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- 2010** Great Principality of Suzdal. Ivan Borisovich, 1423-1428. Denga. 0.54 gm. G/P 4595A (R VII). Head right in inner circle, legend around / Figure right leaning forward, holding an ax. Flatly struck area, otherwise Choice extremely fine.

\$200



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- 2011** Great Principality of Ryazan. Time of Great Prince Oleg Ivanovich, ca. 1380. Denga. 1.40 gm. Ryazan tamgha c/s on uncertain host. C/m Good very fine on a very fine host.

\$200



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- 2012** Great Principality of Tver. Boris Alexandrovich, 1425-1461. Denga. 0.59 gm. G/P 7070B (R II), Spassky fig.62, 7. Hunter standing with spear and catch / Man with bow right, bird on cursive branch before. About extremely fine.

\$300



2x

2x

- 2013** Great Principality of Tver. Michael Borisovich, 1461-1486. Denga. 0.51 gm. G/P 7221A. Spassky fig.62, 16. Bird right, wings open / Horseman, sword raised, right. Good very fine.

\$250



2x

2x

2014 Ivan IV, the Terrible, 1533-1584; as Great Prince, before 1547. Polushka. 0.16 gm. Novgorod. Spassky 79.11, Gal.395. Bird walking right / Four-line legend – ВЕЛИ / КАГОН / ОБАГР / АДА. *Very rare*. Double struck reverse.

Extremely Fine and quite nice for type.

\$200



2x

2x

2015 Ivan IV, the Terrible, 1533-1584; as Great Prince, before 1547. Polushka. 0.16 gm. Moscow. G/K 100. Bird right / Monogram.

Choice Extremely Fine for type.

\$200



2x

2x

2016 Dmitry Ivanovich, 1605-1606. Kopeck. Moscow. 0.67 gm. GKK 252 (R VII). Horseman right spearing downward, ГА behind, PB before / Five-line legend.

Extremely fine.

\$150

Ex Baldwin's Auction 83, London, September 12, 2013, lot 4786, comes with auction tag



2x

2x

2017 Vladislav Zigimontovich, 1610-1612 (Wladyslaw IV Vasa of Poland). Wire Kopeck. Moscow. 0.54 gm. Ruler on horseback right spearing downward / Legend. Toned. Choice Extremely Fine.

\$150



Alexei Mikhailovich, 1645-1676



2018 On the Birth of Peter I, 1672. Medal. Silver. 66.7 mm. Unsigned. Diakov 1.4. Conjoined and richly attired busts of Tsar Alexei Mikhailovich, holding orb and scepter, and Tsarina Nataliya Kyrillovna Naryshkina right / Angel seated right on a cloud handing the infant Peter to Russia, Arms at right. Very rare 18th Century strike with typical edge for the period. Satiny light gray tone over hairlines and a few small reverse scratches.

Extremely fine.

\$7,500

Peter I, 1689-1725



2x

2019 Rouble (1718) OK. Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. Bit 209 (R), Diakov 538 (R1). *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF 45 (Cert. #6678729-001). Medium-gray tone. Sharp strike.

Good Extremely Fine.

\$2,500 11

The only coin graded by NGC and PCGS TOP POP!



2x

2020 Rouble ≠ЯУΘΙ (1719) – L. Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. Portrait of 1718, L on tail. Bit 244 (R1), Diakov (2012) 727 (R3), Petrov (25 Rubl.), *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC F 15 (Cert #6611826-002). Light slate gray. Good Fine \$1,500



2021 Rouble 1723 OK. Moscow, Red mint. Medium-size cross. Bit 889 (R1), Diakov 1279 (R1). *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF Details – cleaned (Cert. #6678729-002). Once lightly cleaned, now toned pale gray. Extremely Fine. \$1,500

Ex "Gerhard Heiberg Collection", Giessener Münzhandlung, Dieter Gorny Sale 85, Munich, October 14, 1997, lot 203



2x

2022 Rouble 1723 28.13 gm. Moscow, Red mint. With two ellipse shaped jewels on chest ribbon. Unlisted in all references, beside Diakov (2012) – 1327 (R2). *Very Rare*. Extremely Fine. \$1,000

Ex "Sammlung Russland", Giessener Münzhandlung, Dieter Gorny & Mosch Sale 173, Munich, October 17-18, 2008, lot 8061, comes with tag.

A Handsome 1707 Poltina



2x

2023 Poltina #ЯУ3 (1707). Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. Bit 571 (R1), Diakov (2012) 239 (R1), Petrov (6 Rubl.). *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by PCGS XF 45 (Cert. #439985.45/38783128). Sharp strike, pale slate gray. Choice Extremely Fine. \$4,000



2024 Poltina 1710 Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. Bit 577 (R1), Diakov (2012) 336 (R1), Petrov (4 Rubl.). Authenticated and graded by NGC VF Details, repaired (Cert.# 6322206-011). Test "X" scratch smoothed in obverse field. Very Fine.

\$1,500



2x

2x

2025 Poltina, undated (1710). Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. 13.28 gm. Bit 580 (R2), Diakov (2012) 1656 (R2), Konros 200 (R2), Petrov (25 Rubl.). *Very rare*. Light grey over numerous scratches, reverse lamination. Very fine at point of wear.

\$2,500



2x

2026 Polupoltinnik ≠AYE (1705). Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. 7.03 gm. Narrow bust, no initials. Bit 722 (R1), Diakov (2012) 208 (R1), Petrov (4 Rubl.). Authenticated and graded by NGC VF Details, cleaned (Cert. # 6527790-008). Very Fine.

\$750



2027 Grivennik ≠ЯУЯ (1701). Novodel. Bit H738 (R2), Diakov (2012) 25 (R2). *Very rare.*
 Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 (Cert. #6678766-017). Pearly slate-gray.
 About uncirculated.

\$1,000



2028 Grivnya ≠ЯУΘ (1709). БК 2.88. gm. 2.88. gm. Large crown with pearls. Bit 1103 (R), Diakov (2012) 326 (R1). Authenticated and graded by NGC XF 45 (Cert. #4501421-001). *Very nice for the issue.* Light medium gray.
 Extremely fine.

\$500



2029 Altyn ≠ЯУД (1704). Moscow, Red mint. Bit 1156 (R), Diakov (2012) 157 (R1). Authenticated and graded by NGC XF 45 (Cert. #2112955-042). *Tiny reverse lamination.* Deep slate gray.
 Extremely Fine.

\$200

Among the finest known 1714 Altyn



- 2030** Altyn 1714. Moscow, Red mint. Bit 1213 (R1), Diakov (2012) 465 (R3), Petrov (12-18 Rubl.), Konros 600 (R3). *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 (Cert. #6522771-008). Medium gray, pale iridescent hues. Choice About Uncirculated. \$4,000



- 2031** Altyn ≠АУИІ (1718). Moscow, Red mint. Bit--, Diakov (2012) 673 (R1). Authenticated and graded by NGC XF 40 (Cert. #6522771-010). Toned. Extremely Fine. \$400



- 2032** Altyn ≠АУИІ (1718) L (inverted). Moscow, Red mint. Novodel. Bit H1251 (R2), Diakov (2012) 677 (R1). Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 (Cert. #6522771-009). *Rare*. Satiny pale battleship gray. Choice About Uncirculated. \$1,000



2033 Jetton. 1725. Bronze. On the Death of Peter I, 1725. Novodel. Bit Ж3890 (R2), Rud 1725.n.4 (R3). Sarcophagus beneath crowned canopy / Seven-line legend. *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 53 BN (Cert. #6821323-001). Deep olive-brown. About Uncirculated.

\$500

Medals of Peter I



2034 Kronschloss Built, 1704. Medal. Bronze. 46 mm. Unsigned, by T. Ivanov. Diakov 19.2 (R1), Sm 170/a. 18th Century strike. View of the fortress / Pallas standing left, holding spear pointed downward, pointing at a bird nest floating upon the sea, land surveying instruments strewn on the ground, ships in the distance. Chestnut-brown. Uncirculated.

\$300

Catherine I, 1725-1727



2035 Rouble 1726. Moscow, Red mint. РУБЛ.б. Bit 16 (R1), Diakov 8. Scarce. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF Details – cleaned (Cert. #6678729-003). Cleaned in the past, now toned pearly gray.

Extremely fine.

\$1,500

Peter II, 1727-1730

Choice and Rare 1727 Mule Rouble



2036 Rouble 1727 СПб. 28.94 gm. No * after ИМПЕРАТОРЪ. Bit--, Diakov 23 (obv) / 24 (rev), Petrunin 25.2 (obv) / 28 (rev). Authenticated and graded by NGC AU Details, cleaned (Cert. #6522771-007). Once cleaned, now toned a pearly pale violet-gray. Choice about uncirculated.

\$3,000



2x



2037 Rouble 1728. Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. 1727 portrait with bow. Bit 43, Diakov 5, Sev 961. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU Details – Obv corrosion. Pearlescent lustre with pale golden hues over corrosion in right obv. field. About uncirculated.

\$1,250



2x

2038 Kopeck 1728. Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. 4.24 gm. Bit--, Diakov 8. Olive-brown.

About uncirculated.

\$400

Anna, 1730-1740



2039 Rouble 1732. Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. 24.92 gm. Bit 50, Diakov 9, Sev 1092. Satiny gray, good lustre. Extremely Fine. \$500



2040 Rouble 1734 B. Engraved by Vasiliev. 25..57 gm. Bit 105 (R1), Diakov 30, Sev 1182 (RR). *Very rare.* Very fine. \$1,000



2041 Rouble 1739 СПб. Bit 236, Diakov 4, Sev 1304. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 (Cert. #6678729-004). A meticulous strike with wonderful details; toned a pale lavender-gray with pearlescent highlights. An excellent example. Very Choice Almost Uncirculated. \$2,500



Lot 2044

Lot 2042

Lot 2043

- 2042** Poltina 1732. Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. Bit 138, Diakov 3, Sev 1080 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC XF Details – obv. Damage (Cert. #4912599-106). Obverse thin scrape. Dark pearly gray tone. Extremely Fine. \$750
- 2043** Poltina 1739 СПб. Portrait type of 1738. Bit 246 (R), Diakov 3, Sev 1297 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC VF 30 (Cert. #6678766-004). Light gray. Very Fine. \$500
- 2044** Polupoltinnik 1739. Bit 220 (R1), Sev 1291 (S). Moscow, Red mint. Quills between wing feathers. 56,300 pieces struck. Rare and popular one-year type. Authenticated and graded by NGC F 15 (Cert. #6678766-007). Small obverse die flaw in field. Soft gray. Fine. \$500



2x

- 2045** 5 Kopecks 1730 ДМ. Moscow, Kadashevsky mint. 18.72 gm. Bit 260 (R1), B 43 (R). Konras 3520 (R3). *Very rare*. Brown with dark orange-brown highlights. Extremely Fine. \$500

Ivan III, 1741



- 2046 Poltina 1741 СПб.** Bit 42 (R1), Sev 1357 (R). *Rare.* Authenticated and graded by NGC Fine Details, holed (Cert. #2902781-001). Holed at 11:00. Fine. \$500



- 2047 Grivennik 1741 ММА.** Moscow, Red mint. 2.52 gm. Bit 13 (R1), Diakov 8, Petrov (5 Rubl.), Sev 1344 (S). Authenticated by NGC Unc Details – cleaned (Cert.# 5911662-014). Reverse lamination. Once lightly wiped in the past now toned, light medium gray. Sharp portrait. Uncirculated. \$5,000

Ex Henry Christiansen Auction, New York, December 10-11, 1982, lot 977. Comes with auction envelope.

Elizabeth, 1741-1761



- 2048 Rouble 1756. GOLD.** Eagle with a broad tail. Bit 60 (R), Fr.116. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU Details, cleaned (Cert. # 6678716-008). Once cleaned. About uncirculated. \$1,000

A well-pedigreed Trio



2049 Rouble 1745 MMД. Bit 117, Diakov 127, Bit 260. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 (Cert. #1270608-004). Pale vermilion gray with russet highlights. About uncirculated. \$1,500

Ex "Dr. Robert Hesselgesser Collection", Ira and Larry Goldberg Sale. Los Angeles, June 7, 2000, lot 5248
Ex "Irving Goodman Collection", Superior Galleries, Beverly Hills, Feb.11-12, 1991, lot 268



2050 Rouble 1747 СПБ. No colon after ВСЕРОС. Bit 262, Diakov 168, Sev 1518. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 (Cert. #1270608-018). Satiny with pearlescent highlights. Choice about uncirculated. \$1,500

Ex "Dr. Robert Hesselgesser Collection", Ira and Larry Goldberg Sale. Los Angeles, June 7, 2000, lot 52454
Ex "Gerhard Heiberg Collection", Giessener Münzhandlung, Dieter Gorny Sale 85, Munich, October 14, 1997, lot 467



- 2051 Rouble 1758 ММА-ЕІ.** Bit 139, Diakov 501 (R1), Sev 1704 (S). Scarce last year of silver coinage struck at the Moscow mint. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 53 (Cert. #6678729-005). Deep slate gray. About uncirculated. \$1,500

Ex 'Renaissance Russian Collection Sale', Philadelphia, August 13-14, 2000, lot 275



- 2052 Grivnennik 1748/7.** Overdate. Bit 208, Diakov 59, 188. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU Details – cleaned (Cert. #6522681-012). Cleaned in the past, now toning. About Uncirculated. \$300



- 2053 5 Kopecks 1762.** Ekaterinburg. 53.14 gm. Bit 442 (R), B 130. *Rare* Posthumous issue. Deep reddish-brown, olive-brown. Much nicer than average. Choice Extremely Fine. \$500

Coinage for Livonia.

Rare and appealing 1757 48 Kopecks Livonaises



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2054 48 Kopecks Livonaises 1757. Bit 635 (R), Diakov 609 (R2), Petrov (5 Rubl.), Sev 1764. *Rare* with a mintage of 42,500. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 (Cert. #6678766-002). Soft iridescent peripheral hues.

About Uncirculated.

\$3,000



2055 4 Kopecks Livonaises 1757. Bit 641, Sev 1756 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC XF 45 (Cert. # 6611827-002). Light slate gray.

Good Extremely Fine.

\$300

Medals of Elizabeth



2056 On the Birth of Grand Duke Paul Petrovich, 1754. Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. T. Ivanov and S. Yudin. Diakov 97.2, Sm 238. Crowned and mantled bust right / Angel emerging from clouds to hand the infant Paul to a kneeling Russia, an altar before her. Glossy chestnut-brown. About Uncirculated.

\$500

Catherine II, the Great, 1762-1796



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2057 Rouble, 1768 СПБ-ТИ-СА. 24.01 gm. Bit 205, Sev 2019. Once cleaned.

Extremely Fine.

\$500



2058 Rouble 1777 СПБ-ΘΛ. Bit 224, Petrov (4 Rubl.), Uzd 1083. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF Details – cleaned (Cert. #6522681-011). Cleaned in the past, now toned.

Extremely Fine.

\$300



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2059 Poltina 1763 СПБ-HK. Bit 272, Diakov 23 (R1), Sev 1909 (S). "Between the two initials" type, a combined mintage of 251,800. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF 40 (Cert. #6678766-005). Light medium gray.

Extremely fine.

\$750



2060 20 Kopecks 1786 СПб. Bit 401, Diakov 534, Sev 2231. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 (Cert. #6678766-008). Soft satiny gray tone.

Choice About Uncirculated.

\$400

Siberian Coinage



2061 5 Kopecks, 1771 KM. Bit 1068, B 468. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN (Cert. # 6522681-013). Deep olive-brown.

Choice brilliant uncirculated.

\$500

Jettons



2x

- 2062** Jetton. 1782. Inauguration of the Peter the Great Monument in St. Petersburg. Copper. Novodel. Diakov 194.8, Rud 1782.н.3 (R2). Laureate Catherine head left / View of the equestrian monument. *Rare*. Obverse lamination. Extremely fine.

\$400



2x

- 2063** Jetton. 1790. Peace with Sweden. Silver. Novodel. Diakov 221.6, Rud 1790.н.3. (R3). Laurel wreath pierced by olive branch / Four-line legend with date. *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62 (Cert. #528712.62). Good lustre. Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$750

Medals of Catherine the Great



- 2064** St. Petersburg Academy of Art. Prize Medal, nd. Bronze. 43.6 mm. By R. Ganneman and V. Baranov. Diakov 129.8 (R1), Sm 289/a. Crowned and mantled bust right / Bearded man in a long robe standing facing, head right, holding a laurel wreath in his outstretched hand, symbols of art and architecture on the ground. Once cleaned. About Uncirculated.

\$400



2065 Restoration of the Kremlin Palace, 1773. Medal. Bronze. 65 mm. By T. Ivanov. Diakov 163.1, Reichel 2497, Sm 271. Crowned and mantled bust right / View of the Kremlin on the banks of the Moscow River. Dark orange-brown.

About Uncirculated.

\$400



2066 On the Partitions of Poland in 1772 and 1793 Medal. Bronze. 79 mm. By C. Leberecht and J. B. Gass. Diakov 229.1 (R1), Sm---. Crowned and laureate bust of Catherine right / Triple-crowned Imperial eagle holding map of the returned lands in its talons. Some contact marks in the fields.

About Uncirculated.

\$500

Paul I, 1796-1801

Rare "Bank Money" 1796 Rouble



2x



2067 Albertus Rouble 1796 БМ. Bit 14 (R1). Sev 2381 (R), Uzd 1257 (RR). Rare and popular type. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF Details – cleaned (Cert. #6678728-002). Minor edge flaw. Once cleaned now toned pearly gray.

Extremely fine.

\$10,000

A Superlative Pair of Paul I Roubles



2x



2068 Rouble 1798 CM-МБ. Bit 32, Sev 2428. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 64 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # 689803.64/13907452). A meticulous strike with lovely pale lavender and blue gray tone and solid lustre.

Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$4,000

TOP POP!



2x



2069 Rouble 1799 CM-МБ. Bit 35, Sev 2452. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 64 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # PCGS 689804.64/21954337). Bold and lustrous, an excellent example.

Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$4,000



- 2070** Poltina 1798 CM-МБ Bit 48, Sev 2424. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF 45 (Cert. #6678766-003). Good Extremely fine. \$750



- 2071** 5 Kopecks 1798 C.M.-М.Б. Bit 88, Sev 2407. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 (Cert. #4231716-003). Soft gray with pale russet highlights. Choice About Uncirculated. \$500

Comes with old collector's notes and rubbing with purchase Nov. 10, 1984 from a Paris sale.



- 2072** 2 Kopecks 1797 EM. Novodel. 20.45 gm. Bit H112 (R2). Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc Details, cleaned (Cert. #6522771-005). Once lightly cleaned, now toned with pale iridescent highlights. Uncirculated. \$900



- 2073** 2 Kopecks 1801 EM. Bit 118, B 84. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN (Cert. #6271997-009). Reddish-brown, good lustre. Brilliant Uncirculated. \$500

Alexander I, 1801-1825



2074 Pattern 2 Francs AN 9 (1801). Copper. By Tiolier. To Commemorate Peace between Russia and France. Bit-unlisted, Diakov-unlisted (both Bitkin and Diakov list the type in which the rooster is within a circle formed from a serpent swallowing its tail, but fail to list the uncircled type), Mazard 589A. Edge 10. Radiant rooster standing left on an hourglass within a radiate wreath; REPUBLIQUE FRANÇAISE FLOREAL. AN 9 / PAIX ET AMITIÉ ENTRE LA FRANCE ET LA RUSSIE MAY.1801.; ALEXANDRE I. EMPEREUR DE RUSSIE. around. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN (Cert. #6522771-004). Dark coffee brown. Choice brilliant uncirculated.

\$1,000



2075 Pattern 5 Francs 1814. Copper. By Tiolier. In Honor of Alexander I and “France’s Return to Europe”. Diakov 379.3 (R2). Alexander I cipher; AU PACIFICATEUR DE L’EUROPE / Three fleurs on convex globe; GALLIA REDDITA EUROPAE APRILE 1814. *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 53 BN (Cert. #4661220-042). About Uncirculated.

\$1,000



2076 Rouble 1802 СПБ-АИ. Bit 28. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 (Cert. #6678766-006).
Light gray tone.

Choice almost uncirculated.

\$1,000

NGC and PCGS TOP POP!

The Finest Known 1809 Rouble



2x



- 2077 Rouble 1809 СПБ-МК Bit 74, Sev 2593 (S).** Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 64 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # PCGS 925644.64/10605056). A crisply struck coin with pleasing surfaces toned a pale lavender gray with soft russet and pearlescent highlights. Very Choice Brilliant \$4,000
Uncirculated.

Ex "The New York Sale", XII. New York, January 12, 2006, lot 1399

Ex "Extremely important Russian collection" sale, Sotheby's, London October 7-9, 1969, lot # 460.



2078 Rouble 1822 СПб-ПД, Bit 135, Sev 2825. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # 1752302-007). Steely linen white with superbly struck frosty types, great eye appeal. Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$2,000



2079 20 Kopecks 1823 СПб-ПД, Bit 206, Ilyin (3 Rubl.), Sev 2834. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 53 (Cert. # 6678764-005). Toned. About uncirculated. \$200



2080 5 Kopecks 1824 СПб-ПД, Bit 280, Sev 2844. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 (Cert. # 6685547-009). Pleasing lustre. Brilliant uncirculated. \$300



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2x



2081 5 Kopecks 1802 EM. Bit 283, B 102. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 BN (Cert. #6685548-008). Chestnut brown with orange-brown highlights. Decent lustre.

Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$400

Extremely Rare Suzun 1818 2 Kopecks, Among the Finest Known



3x



2082 2 Kopecks 1818 KM-AD. Bit 502 (R3). B 294 (RR), Conras 6900 (R3), Ilyin (25 Rubl.), Petrov (25 Rubl.). *Extremely rare* and among the best, if not the best, known. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 BN (Cert. #6678764-010). Dark coffee-brown.

Uncirculated.

\$2,500

Medals of Alexander I



2x

- 2083** Founding of the St. Petersburg Bourse, 1805. Medal. Bronze. 52 mm, By C. Leberecht. Diakov 297.1, Sm 347. Uniformed bust right / View of the Bourse between two lighthouses, ships on the Neva in the foreground. Deep café au lait over minor obverse friction hairlines. Uncirculated.

\$500



Lot 2084



Lot 2085



- 2084** Peace of Tilsit, 1807. Medal. Bronze. 41 mm. By Andrieu and Droz. Diakov 312.1 (R1), Reichel 3145. Conjoined heads of Napoleon, Alexander I and Friedrich Wilhelm III right / Rivogod lying left, leaning on a jug spouting water, holding a model of a building. Plain edge. Dark caramel-brown. Uncirculated.

\$150

- 2085** Battle of Borodino, 1812. Medal. Bronze. 41 mm. By Andrieu and Jeuffroy. Bamsen 1162, Slg. Julius 2528. Laureate head of Napoleon right / French hussar charging fleeing Russian soldier, fallen soldier below. Extremely Fine.

\$150 ³⁹



Lot 2086

Lot 2087

Lot 2088

Lot 2089

- 2086** The French Eagle on the Dnieper, 1812. Medal. Silver. 41 mm. By Andrieu and Brandt. Bramsen 1158. Laureate head of Napoleon right / Borythenes seated left, head turned right, on rocks, leaning elbow on an overflowing urn, reeds at right, Napoleonic aquilia in background. Edge: (antique lamp). Toned over some old hairlines. About uncirculated. \$750
- 2087** The French Eagle on the Dnieper, 1812. Medal. Bronze. 41 mm. By Andrieu and Brandt. Bramsen 1158. Types as above. Edge: (pointing hand) CUIVRE. Tiny dark spot. Uncirculated. \$150
- 2088** Visit of the Sovereigns of Russia and Prussia to England, 1814. Medal. Bronze. 40 mm. By Barre for Mudie's Series. BHM 854, Eimer 1050, Bramsen 1474. Plain edge. Head of Britannia left wearing Corinthian helmet adorned with a lion / Neptune, holding trident, standing right on the seashore before the Temple of Janus, welcoming ship before, its prow decorated with the Imperial double-headed eagle. Rich deep chestnut-brown with good lustre. Uncirculated. \$150
- 2089** *Rossica*. England/Lower Canada. "Cossack" Penny nd (1813-1814). Uniformed bust of Wellington left. Reverse: Cossack riding right. Engraved by Thomas Halliday, this token was struck in 1813 as a souvenir of the visit of a Russian Cossack, Alexander Wittischendst to London. A few tiny digs. Toned. Good Very Fine. \$200

Nicholas I, 1825-1855



Lot 2090

Lot 2091

- 2090** 5 Roubles 1841 СПБ-АЧ. GOLD. Bit 18, Fr.155. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 (Cert. #6678716-007). Choice about uncirculated. \$1,000
- 2091** 5 Roubles 1841 СПБ-АЧ. GOLD. Bit 18. Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc. Details – Reverse. scratched (Cert. #6349791-008). Ghosting of obverse type on reverse as struck –Not scratches! Uncirculated. \$750

Classic and well Pedigreed Russian rarity – Borodino 1 ½ Rouble



2x



2092 Unveiling of the Memorial Chapel at Borodino Commemorative 1 ½ Roubles 1839. By H. Gube. Short rays. Bit 893 (R1), Sev 3307 (RR). Alexander I head right / Memorial at Borodino field. *Very rare.* Authenticated and graded by PCGS “Moreira Collection” Genuine, Repaired – AU Detail. (Cert. #772294.98/46411272). Cleaned in the past, hairline scratches and some marks in field. Now toned. About Uncirculated.

\$15,000

*Ex “Moreira Collection”, Part II, Superior Galleries, Beverly Hills, Ca, Dec.10-11, 1988, lot 1593
Ex “New Orleans Auction Sale”, Galerie des Monnaies, New Orleans, July 25-26, 1981, lot 2405*



2093 Borodino Commemorative Rouble 1839. By H. Gube. Bit 895 (R). Mintage of 160,000. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU Details, rev damage (Cert.#6685548-004). Digs reverse field. Toned. About Uncirculated. \$1,000



2094 Marriage of Grand Duke Alexander (future Alexander II) to Maria of Hesse-Darmstadt. Medallionic Rouble. 25.54 gm. Bit M903 (R1), Diakov (563.2 R2), Reichel 3715 (R1), Sm 513. Surfaces treated in the past, now toned. Some tiny rim tics. Uncirculated. \$4,000



2095 Rossica. Württemberg. Wilhelm I (1816-1864). Silver Double Taler (3 1/2 Gulden), 1846. Marriage of Prince Karl to Duchess Olga. Wilhelm head left. Reverse: Conjoined heads of Karl and Olga right (KM 596, AKS 122). In NGC holder graded AU 55 (Cert. # 2902781-008). Medium gray tone with blue and violet undertone. Choice About Uncirculated. \$600

The only one in this grade
between NGC and PCGS.
TOP POP!



2x



2096 Rouble 1836 СПб-НГ. Eagle of 1832 pattern, 8 buds in wreath. Bit 165, Sev 3159. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 67 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # 1879967-001). Dazzling peripheral tungsten blue hues and gold highlights.

Superb Gem Uncirculated.

\$5,000

NGC and PCGS TOP POP!



2x



2097 Rouble 1837 СПб-НГ. Eagle of 1832 pattern, 7 buds in wreath. Bit 168, Sev 3229. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS-66 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # 1811149-005). Frosty white.

Superb Gem Uncirculated.

\$5,000

Ex "The New York Sale", XV. New York, January 11, 2007, lot 1212.

TOP POP!



2x



2098 Rouble 1841 СПБ-НГ. Bit 192, Sev 3363. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # PCGS 1011541.65/21910776). A steely linen white example with soft peripheral russet hues; its devices contrasting marvelously in boldly lustrous fields.

Gem Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$3,000

The only one in this grade

TOP POP!



2x



2099 Rouble 1843 СПб-АЧ. Bit 186 Sev 3429. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # 925722.65/22017445). A boldly struck coin with rich iridescent hues.

Gem Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$5,000

Ex 'Dr. Hesselgesser Collection of Russian Coins.' Ira & Larry Goldberg, Los Angeles, May 30 – June 1, 2005, lot 1987.

NGC and PCGS TOP POP!



2x



2100 Rouble 1849 СПб-ПА. St. George without a mantle. Bit 224, Sev 3557. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66. (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # 354995-033). Satiny lustre. Superb Gem Uncirculated.

\$5,000



2x



2101 Rouble 1851 СПб-ПА. St. George without a mantle. Bit 228, Sev 3585. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 63. (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # 142503-001). Peripheral iridescent hues.

Choice Brilliant Proof.

\$10,000

Ex 'Sadanori Sekine Collection of Russian Coins', Zürich, June 7, 2007, lot 407.



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2102 Rouble 1854 СПб-НІ. 7 buds in wreath. Bit 234, Sev 3625 (S). Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 65. (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # 925734.64/03975176). Toned pale vermilion gray over sparkling lustre; great eye appeal. Gem Uncirculated.

\$2,000

Ex 'Russland, Slg. eines Connaisseurs', Gorny & Mosch, Munich, March 9, 2006, lot 6243.



Lot 2103



Lot 2104



Lot 2105



Lot 2106

- 2103** Rouble 1854 СПБ-НІ. Bit 234, Sev 3625 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc Details, cleaned (Cert. # 6527790-006). Once cleaned, now toning. Uncirculated. \$300
- 2104** Poltina 1853 СПБ-НІ. Bit 269. Iridescent toning with good lustre. Uncirculated. \$400
- 2105** 10 Kopecks 1826 СПБ-НГ. New eagle with lowered wings, small crown. Bit 143, Sev 2886, Uzd 1507. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 (Cert. #4265965-019). Deep slate-gray. About Uncirculated. \$300
- 2106** 5 Kopecks 1845 СПБ-КБ. Eagle of the 1845-46 pattern. Bit 400, Sev 3469. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 (Cert. #4829428-005). Charcoal-gray, rich violet and blue highlights. Choice brilliant uncirculated. \$200

Incredible Oversized Flan Mint Error



- 2107** 2 Kopecks 1826 EM-ИК. Bit 445, B 131. Error - Multistruck on an oversized flan, rare thus. Authenticated and graded by NGC Mint Error MS 61 BN (Cert. #4501422-002). Light brown with claret highlights. Brilliant Uncirculated. \$1,000

TOP POP!

Very rare and Complete set of Warsaw mint 1848 issues



2x



2108 3 Kopecks 1848 MW. Warsaw. Bit 847 (R2), B 223 (RR), Ilyin (20 Rubl.), Petrov (50 Rubl.), Konros 2200 (R3). *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 BN – Ex A. Prokop Collection. Milk chocolate brown with soft orange highlights. Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$10,000

Ex 'Antonin Prokop Collection', Part 2. Aurea Numismatica Praha, Prague, May 17, 2003, lot 290.

TOP POP!



2x



2109 2 Kopecks 1848 MW. Warsaw. Bit 848 (R2), B 184 (RR), Ilyin (15 Rubl.), Petrov (7 Rubl.), Konros 2200 (R3). *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN - Ex A. Prokop Collection. Deep café au lait-brown with a soft silvery undertone. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$7,500

Ex 'Antonin Prokop Collection', Part 2. Aurea Numismatica Praha, Prague, May 17, 2003, lot 291.



2x



2110 ½ Kopeck 1848 MW. Warsaw. Bit 849 (R2), B 53 (RR), Ilyin (20 Rubl.), Petrov (20 Rubl.), Konros 1700 (R4). *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN. Orange brown.

Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$5,000



2x



2111 ½ Kopeck 1848 MW. Warsaw. Small mintmark. Novodel. Bit H850 (R2), Ilyin (10 Rubl.), Petrov (20 Rubl.), Konros 1800 (R3). *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 BN. Orange brown with a soft blue undertone.

Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$3,000



2112 3 Kopecks 1840 СПМ. Bit 807, B 205. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 RB (Cert. #2075237-016). Red and brown, with good amount of mint red. Brilliant Uncirculated. \$1,000



2113 3 Kopecks 1844 СМ. Bit 729, B 218. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 BN (Cert. #6611827-006). Deep caramel brown. About uncirculated. \$300

2114 2 Kopecks 1843 СПМ. Bit 823, B 178. Some obverse tooling, reverse scratch. About Uncirculated. \$300



2x

2115 1 Kopeck 1842 СПМ. Bit 829, B 109. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 BN (Cert. #4829889-045). Birch brown.

Choice About Uncirculated.

\$150



2x

2116 1/4 Kopeck 1841 СПМ. Bit 843, B 8. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 BN (Cert. #4829931-019). Brown with iridescent hues.

Choice About Uncirculated to Uncirculated.

\$300



2x

2117 Denezhka 1852 EM. Bit 614, B 61. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 RB.

Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$300

Georgia



2x

- 2118** ½ Abazi 1827 AT. Bit 968 (R). Rare with a very low mintage of 6,806. Authenticated and graded by NGC VF 35 (Cert. #6678766-009). Slate gray with soft iridescent hues. Very fine. \$500

Russo-Polish Issues



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- 2119** 1 ½ Roubles-10 Zlotych, 1833 HF. Bit 1084. 126,977 pcs minted. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Frosty, bold lustre in prooflike fields. Choice Almost Uncirculated. \$900



2x

- 2120** Groszy 1840 MW. Warsaw. Bit 1182. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66 (Cert. #2075233-009). Gem Brilliant Uncirculated. \$300

Medals of Nicholas I



- 2121 Opening of the First Russian Railway, 1837. Medal. Bronze. 60 mm. By Koenig and Held. Diakov 537.1 (R2), Sm--. Russia standing facing, holding a cornucopia, flanked by Peter the Great and Nicholas I, Russian legend below: "First Railway from St. Petersburg to Pavlovsk Opened 30 October 1837" / Steam locomotive, legend below: "Founders of the First Russian Railroad: Count Alexey Bobrinsky, Benedict Kramer and I.K. Pitt." Deep caramel-brown. Uncirculated. \$500



- 2122 On the Visit of Grand Duke Alexander Nikolaevich to Rome, 1839. Medal. Bronze. 48 mm. By Niccolò Cerbera. Diakov 556.1 (R2), Reichel 3681 (R1), Sm 500. Head left / Hilaritas standing $\frac{3}{4}$ left holding a cornucopia and palm frond, small wreath lower right; HILARITAS PVBLICA. Rare. Deep café a lait brown. Uncirculated. \$250



- 2123 P.N. Demidov, 1831. Prize Medal. Bronze. 37 mm. Unsigned. Diakov 500.1 (R1), Sm 462. Owl facing on branch above four-line legend / Seven-line legend within wreath. Deep coffee-brown. Uncirculated. \$300



- 2124 Male Gymnasias. Prize Medal, nd (1835). GOLD. 33 mm. 25.18 gm. Unsigned. Diakov 523.4 (R2), Sm 479/b. Imperial eagle / Minerva standing facing $\frac{3}{4}$ left, holding a lamp and wreath, owl, scrolls and globe on the ground. Some hairlines and contact marks, spot of reddish residue in eagle's shield. Extremely Fine. \$2,000



Lot 2125

Lot 2126

- 2125 Moscow University. Prize Medal, nd. Silver. 52 mm. Unsigned. Diakov 620.1 (R2), Sm 416/b. Eight-line legend, crown above / Minerva seated left, crowning a youth kneeling before her with a wreath, symbols of the arts and sciences around. Edge bruises. Toned. Extremely Fine. \$400
- 2126 Moscow University. Prize Medal, nd. Bronze. 37.4 mm. Unsigned. Diakov 620.2, Sm 416/a. Types similar to above. Once cleaned, now toning. About Uncirculated. \$200

Alexander II, 1855-1881



- 2127 3 Roubles 1871 СПБ-НН. Bit33 (R), Fr 164. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 (Cert. #6531013-001). Light orange highlights. Choice Almost Uncirculated. \$2,000

Choice Prooflike 1857 Rouble



2x



2128 Rouble 1857 СПб-ФБ. Bit 47 (R), Sev 3655. Low mintage of 250,003. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 PL (Pre-2008 holder, Cert.# 6527790-004).

Choice brilliant uncirculated and Prooflike.

\$2,000



2x



2129 Rouble 1858 СПб-ФБ. Bit 48 (R), Konros 1230 (R2), Sev 3662. Mintage of 570,011 pcs. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 63. (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # PCGS925766.63/039784472). Soft russet highlights. Choice Brilliant Proof.

\$10,000

Ex 'The New York Sale', XV. New York, January 11, 2007, lot 1267.



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2130 Rouble 1859 СПб-ФБ. Bit 70 (R1), Sev 3679 (RR). 14,036 pcs minted. *Very rare.* Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc Details – cleaned (Cert. #6531018-001). Cleaned in the past, now toned pale lavender-gray. Uncirculated. \$3,000

A Classic Russian Rarity, the Key Date 1863 Rouble



2x



2131 Rouble 1863 СПб-АБ. Bit 75 (R2), Ilyin (25 Rubl.), Petrov (25 Rubl.), Konros 650 (R4), Sev 3742 (RR). Mintage 5,193 pcs. Among the rarest 19th Century Roubles and the third lowest mintage of any 19th Century Russian coin. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 62. (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. # 1010882.62/21819565). Light pearly slate gray. Brilliant Proof. \$20,000

Ex 'Sammlung Kruse, Russland, Teil I, Gorny & Mosch, Munich, October 14-15, 2004, lot 6958.

Ex 'Spezialsammlung Russland', Giessener Münzhandlung, Auktion 14, Munich, June 30, 1979, lot 3740.



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2132 Rouble 1876 СПБ-НІ. Bit 89, Sev 3860 (S). Mintage of 778,005 pcs. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. #302737-016). Steely linen white tone. Gem Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$5,000

Ex Heritage Sale 410, Long Beach, June 1, 2006, lot 14713



- 2133 5 Kopecks 1864 EM. St. George without spear. Bit 312. Dark caramel-brown. About Uncirculated. \$200



- 2134 Kopeck 1859 EM. Bit 354, B 89A. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 BN (Cert. # 6522784-005). Café au lait. Uncirculated. \$250



- 2135 Kopeck 1860 BM. Warsaw. Bit 479, B 92. Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc Details – surface hairlines (Cert. #2075237-020). Magnification reveals some surface hairlines. Red-brown, with a good amount of red, and good lustre. Uncirculated. \$400

A Lovely 1865 Kopeck



- 2136 Kopeck 1865 EM. Bit 360, B 101. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 RB (Cert. #6522784-004). Red and brown. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$300



- 2137** Denezhka 1860 EM. Bit 369, B 49. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55 BN (Cert. #4829931-013). Deep coffee-brown. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$200



- 2138** Polushka 1859 EM. Cypher of 1859-1867 type. Bit 383. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN (Cert. #4501410-022). Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$300



- 2139** ½ Kopeck 1879 СПБ. Bit 551, B 35. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 BN (Cert. #4501409-063). Attractive iridescent undertone. Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$200



- 2140** ½ Kopeck 1881 СПб. Bit 553 (R), B 80. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 BN. Orange-brown highlights. Brilliant uncirculated. \$500



- 2141** ¼ Kopeck 1869 EM. Bit 444, B 21. 614,800 pcs struck. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 RB (Cert. #4501410-014). Red and brown. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$250

Russo-Finnish Coinage



- 2142** 20 Markkaa 1879 S. GOLD. Bit 612, Fr.1, KM 9.2. 300,000 pieces struck. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 (Cert. #6700603-007). Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$500

Medals of Alexander II



- 2143 On the Opening of the Nicholas I Monument in St. Petersburg, 1859. Medal. Bronze. 86 mm. By P. Brusnitsyn. Diakov 681.1 (R2), Sm 621/a. Helmeted and armored bust of Nicholas left / View of the equestrian monument. Small edge slash. Birch-brow, good lustre. Uncirculated. \$750



- 2144 10th Anniversary of Alexander Ivanovich Herzen's Printing House in London, 1863. Medal. Bronze. 51 mm. By C. Wiener. Diakov 713.1 (R2). Head of the noted writer and revolutionary right / Bell inscribed: ЗЕМЛЯ ВОЛЯ – VIVOS VOVO! Flanked by dates 1855 – 1863; FIRST DECENIUM OF THE FREE RUSSIAN PRESS IN LONDON. Rare. Deep reddish-brown. Uncirculated. \$400



2145 Centennial of the Moscow Hospital, 1863. Medal. Bronze. 50.5 mm. By V. Alexeev and I. Chukmasov. Diakov 716.1, Sm 653. Conjoined busts of Alexander II and Empress Maria Alexandrovna right, radiant cross above / Woman seated, breast-feeding an infant, flanked by children, the Hospital in the background. All-Seeing-Eye in Pyramid above. Lustrous brown.

Uncirculated.

\$300



2146 On the 50th Anniversary of the Nicholas Engineering Academy and School, 1869. Medal. Bronze. 86 mm. By V. Alexeev and P. Brusnitsyn. Diakov 762.1, Sm 693. Bare head right / Grand Duke Nicholas Pavlovich presents a paper to be signed by Alexander I seated at table, two adjutants to the right in the background. Deep café au lait brown over some contact marks. Uncirculated.

\$750

Alexander III, 1881-1894



Lot 2147



Lot 2148



Lot 2149

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| 2147 | 5 Roubles 1888 AF. GOLD. Bit 27, Fr 168. | Uncirculated. | \$1,000 |
| 2148 | 5 Roubles 1889 AF-AF. GOLD. Bit 34, Fr 168, Sev 536 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. | Choice almost uncirculated. | \$1,000 |
| 2149 | 5 Roubles 1890 AF. Bit 35, Fr 168. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 (Cert. #6531013-002). | Brilliant Uncirculated. | \$1,000 |

Choice 1883 Coronation Rouble



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| 2150 | Alexander III Coronation Commemorative Rouble 1883 AIII. Bit 217, Sev 3939. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63+ (Cert. #6678728-003). Bold lustre with cobalt blue and vermillion hues. | Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. | \$3,000 |
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NGC and PCGS TOP POP!



2x



2151 Rouble 1884 СПб-НГ. Bit 45, Sev 3948 (S). Mintage of 355,006 pcs. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 (Pre-2008 holder, Cert. #240426-004). Lilac gray with attractive cobalt-blue and vermilion hues.

Gem Brilliant Uncirculated. \$4,000



2152 Rouble 1885 СПБ-АГ. Bit 46. Sev 3955 (S). Mintage of 499,511 pcs. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 (Cert. #6678766-013). Choice about uncirculated. \$750



2153 Rouble 1890 АГ. Bit 73 (R), Sev 3998 (S). Rare date with mintage of only 90,300 pcs. Authenticated and graded by NGC VF 30 (Cert. #4501417-002). Choice very fine. \$400



2x



2154 Rouble 1892 AT. Bit 76. Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc Details (Cert. #6678729-008).
Once cleaned, now toning,

Uncirculated.

\$2,000



- 2155 5 Kopecks 1892 СПБ-АГ. Bit 152, Sev 4006. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66 (Cert. #4501423-006). Satin white. Gem Brilliant Uncirculated. \$200



- 2156 1/2 Kopeck 1889 СПБ. Bit 199, B 22. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN (Cert. #4501409-066). Deep birch brown with a silvery blue undertone. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$200



- 2157 1/4 Kopeck 1881 СПБ. Bit 204 (R1), B 1 (S), Ilyin (2 Rubl.), Petrov (2 Rubl.). Mintage of 200,000 pcs. *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN (Cert. #4829931-037). Deep brown with a violet and blue undertone. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$750 73

Medals of Alexander III



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- 2158** *Womens Gymnasias*, nd. Prize Medal. GOLD. 33 mm. 25.83 gm. Diakov 909.9 (R2), Sm 1107/b. Bust of Maria Feodorovna right / Minerva standing facing slightly left, holding a lamp and wreath, owl, scrolls and globe on the ground. Authenticated and graded by PCGS SP Genuine, AU Detail - edge repaired (Cert. #898196.98). Numerous friction hairlines. About Uncirculated. \$2,500



- 2159** *Kazan Women's College*. Prize Medal, nd. Bronze. 42.4 mm. Unsigned (by M. Skudnov). Cf. Diakov 1080.1, Sm 1077/a. Conjoined busts of Alexander III and Maria Feodorovna right / Minerva standing facing slightly left, holding a lamp and wreath, owl, scrolls and globe on the ground. Very scarce. Once cleaned, now toning. About Uncirculated. \$250

Ex Horn Collection, comes with tag



- 2160** *50th Anniversary of Nikolaevskaya General Staff Academy, 1882*. Medal. Bronze. By L. Steinman and V. Nikonov. Diakov 927.1 (R1), Sm 865. Conjoined heads of Nicholas I, Alexander II and Alexander III left / Minerva standing left placing a laurel wreath on the head of a warrior who kneels before her, symbols of science and mathematics around. A few dark spots. Dark caramel-brown. About Uncirculated. \$250



2161 On the Visit of the Kaiser Wilhelm II to St. Petersburg, 1888. Medal. Silver. 28 mm. Diakov-, Slg. Merseb. 6852. Head of Wilhelm II right / Seven-line legend. Pale iridescent peripheral hues. Good Extremely Fine.

\$300



2162 On the Death of Alexander III, 1894. Medal. Bronze. 81 mm. By P. Stadnitsky. Diakov 1093.1, Sm 1061. Uniformed bust right within coiled serpent / Russia mourns at Alexander's coffin, angel standing right. Dark coffee-brown. Uncirculated.

\$600

Nicholas II, 1894-1917



2163 15 Roubles 1897 AF. GOLD. Three last letters under truncation. Bit 2, Fr 177. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 (Cert. #6531013-012). Brilliant Uncirculated. \$1,250



2164 15 Roubles 1897 AF. Bit 2, Fr 177, Sev 559. Tiny edge nick. Good very fine. \$600

2165 10 Roubles 1910 ЭБ. GOLD. Bit 15 (R), Fr 178. 100,018 pcs struck. *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc Details – obv. cleaned (Cert. #6531013-010). Some obv hairlines from old cleaning. Brilliant Uncirculated. \$1,250

2166 10 Roubles 1911 ЭБ. GOLD. Bit 16, Fr 178. Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc Details – obv cleaned. (Cert. #6531013-011). Once cleaned. Decent lustre. Uncirculated. \$600



2167 7 ½ Roubles 1897 AF. GOLD. Bit 17, Fr 179, Sev 557. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 (Cert. #5846610-004). Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$2,500



2168 7 ½ Roubles 1897 AГ. GOLD. Bit 17, Fr 179, Sev 557. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 (Cert. #6531013-007). Choice About Uncirculated. \$900



2169 5 Roubles 1898 AГ. GOLD. Bit 20, Fr.180, Sev 563. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 (Cert. #6700603-005). Uncirculated. \$400



2170 5 Roubles 1900 Ф3. GOLD. Bit 26, Fr 180. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 (Cert. #6531013-004). Brilliant Uncirculated. \$400



2171 5 Roubles 1902 AP. GOLD. Bit 29, Fr.180, Sev 563. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 67 (Cert. #357847-083). Gem brilliant uncirculated. \$600



2172 5 Roubles 1910 ЭБ. GOLD. Bit 36 (R), Fr 180. 200,018 pcs minted. *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 (Cert. #6531013-005). Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$2,500



2173 5 Roubles 1911 ЭБ. GOLD. Bit 37 (R), Fr 180. 100,011 pcs. minted. *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 (Cert. #6531013-006). Bold lustre. Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$2,000



2x



2174 Nicholas II Coronation Commemorative Rouble 1896 (AG). Bit 322, Sev 4035. Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc Detail – cleaned (Cert. #6678766-10). Cleaned in the past, now toning. Bold lustre.

Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$2,500



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2175 Centennial of the Napoleonic War Commemorative Rouble 1912 ЭБ. Bit 334, Sev 4164 (R). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 (Cert. #6531018-005). Pearly lavender-gray.

Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$2,000



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2176 Romanov Tercentenary Commemorative Rouble 1913 BC. By Mikhail Skudnov. High relief. Bit 336, Sev 4180. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 (Cert. #2902781-007). Satiny lustre.

Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$300



2177 Romanov Tercentenary Commemorative Rouble 1913 BC. By Mikhail Skudnov. High relief. Bit 336, Sev 4180. Authenticated and graded by NGC Unc Detail – cleaned (Cert. #6611828-020). Lightly cleaned in the past, now toned. Good lustre.

Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$300

Ex Irving Goodman 1895 Proof Rouble



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2178 Rouble 1895 AF. Bit 38, Sev 4026 (S). Authenticated and graded by PCGS PF 62 Cameo (Cert. #389127.62/10421755). Blazing lustre and frosted devices. Brilliant Cameo Proof. \$10,000

Ex Heritage Sale 410, Long Beach, June 1, 2006, lot 14762

Ex "The Irving Goodman Collection of Russian Coinage", Superior Galleries, Beverly Hills, February 11-12, 1991, lot 1446



2179 Rouble 1896*. Paris mint. Bit 183 Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 61 (Cert. #925892.61) – mislabeled as AF on holder. Pearly lavender-gray. Brilliant uncirculated. \$1,000



2180 Rouble 1896*. (Paris). Bit 193, Sev 4034. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 (Cert. #6678768-005). Soft pearly gray tone. Brilliant uncirculated. \$750

NGC and PCGS TOP POP!



2181 Rouble 1897 АГ. Bit 41, Sev 4043. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 64 (Cert. #925893.64/21644577). A coin of great eye appeal, snowy white with dancing lustre.

Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$1,000

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2182 Rouble 1897 **. Brussels. Bit 203, Sev 4044. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 64 (Cert. #925886.64/10555288). Lustrous, and attractively toned lavender-gray with soft turquoise, rose, gold and blue hues.

Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$1,000 83



2183 Rouble 1898 * (Paris). Bit 195, Sev 4051. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 (Cert. # 6522771-013). Satiny white. Choice almost uncirculated. \$500



2184 Rouble 1900 $\Phi 3$. Bit 51, Sev 4080 (S). Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 64 (Cert. #925899.64/21756324). A pleasing satiny white example. Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$2,000

Ex Heritage Signature Sale 357, September 10, 2004, lot 14426



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2185 Rouble 1901 Φ 3. Bit 53, Sev 4093 (S). Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 64 (Cert. #925900.64/10466377). Handsome pale lavender gray with amber highlights.

Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$2,000

PCGS TOP POP!

Proof 1902 Rouble



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2186 Rouble 1902 AP. Bit 56 (R), Sev 4101 (S). 140,009 pcs minted. *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by PCGS PR 62 (Cert. #925934.62/4547917). Attractive russet highlights. Brilliant Proof. \$10,000

Gorny & Mosch, Munich, October 11-13, 2006, lot 6324

1903 Rouble – Among the Finest Known



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2187 Rouble 1903 AP. Bit.57 (R), Sev 407 (S). 55,519 pieces minted. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 (No. 6685548-006). Handsome satiny lustre with soft russet hues.

Gem brilliant uncirculated and *Very rare so nice.*

\$7,500

A Pair of Key date Nicholas II Proof Roubles



2x



2188 Rouble 1904 AP. Bit 58 (R1), Sev 4113 (R). Very rare with only 12,010 pcs minted. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 62 Cameo (Cert.#302739-011). Frosty devices cameo well in pale hematite and pale steely gray fields. Brilliant Proof.

\$20,000

Ex Heritage Sale 410, Long Beach, June 1, 2006, Lot 14782;

Ex "The Irving Goodman Collection of Russian Coinage", Superior Galleries, Beverly Hills, February 11-12, 1991, lot 1493.



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2189 Rouble 1905 AP. Bit 59 (R1), Sev 4118 (R). Very rare with a mintage of only 20,551 pcs. Authenticated and graded by PCGS PR 63 CAM (Cert. #389274.63/11320130). A stunning example.

Choice Brilliant Proof.

\$20,000

Ex Numismatica Genevensis SA, Sale 4, Geneva, December 11-12, 2006, lot 1482

PCGS TOP POP!



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2190 Rouble 1909 ЭБ. Bit 63 (R), Sev 4141 (S). Authenticated and graded by PCGS PR 65 (Cert. #925941.65/7420036). Light lavender-gray tone with champagne hues and sparkling lustre.
Gem Brilliant Proof.

\$20,000

Ex "The New York Sale", XII, New York, January 12, 2006, lot 1577



2191 Rouble 1909 ЭВ Bit 63 (R), Sev 4141 (S). Rare with a mintage of 50,011. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU Details – cleaned (Cert. #6678768-004). Cleaned in the past.
About uncirculated. \$500



2192 Rouble 1912 ЭВ. Legend longer under neck. Bit 66, Sev 4163. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 (Cert. #6522771-012). Frosty.
Brilliant uncirculated. \$500



2193 50 Kopecks 1896 АГ-АГ. Bit 72, Sev 4030. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 (Cert. #3480497-006). Pale silver and russet highlights.
Choice about uncirculated. \$250



3x



2194 50 Kopecks 1906 ЭБ. Bit 85 (R1), Sev 4123 (R). Mintage: 10,009. *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC Proof AU Details – cleaned (Cert. #6846214-004).

Proof strike, once cleaned.

\$5,000



2x

2195 20 Kopecks 1910 СПБ-ЭБ. Bit 110, Sev 4144. Authenticated and graded by PCGS PF 63.
Choice brilliant PROOF

\$1,500

Ex 'The New York Sale L', New York, January 16, 2020, lot 2249. Comes with tag.



2x

2196 10 Kopecks 1917 BC. Bit 170 (R1), Sev 200 (RR), Uzd 2225. *Rare.* Authenticated and graded by PCGS PR 66. Marvelous strike on mirror-like fields.
Superb Gem PROOF.

\$2,500

Ex 'The New York Sale XXXVII', New York, January 7, 2016, lot 2435. Comes with tag.

Russo-Finnish Coinage



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| 2197 | 20 Markkaa 1903 L. GOLD. Bit 385, Fr.3, KM 9.2. 112,012 pieces struck. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 (Cert. #6700603-012). Good lustre. | Brilliant uncirculated. | \$500 |
| 2198 | 20 Markkaa 1904 L. GOLD. Bit 386, Fr.3, KM 9.2. 188,253 pieces minted. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 (Cert. #6700603-010). Sharp strike. | Brilliant uncirculated. | \$500 |
| 2199 | 20 Markkaa 1910 L. GOLD. Bit 387, Fr.3, KM 9.2. Mintage of 201,000. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 (Cert. #6700603-014). | Brilliant uncirculated. | \$500 |
| 2200 | 20 Markkaa 1912 S. GOLD. Bit 390, Fr.3, KM 9.2. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 (Cert. #6700603-013). Bold devices. | Brilliant uncirculated. | \$500 |
| 2201 | 20 Markkaa 1913 S. GOLD. Bit 391, Fr.3, KM 9.2. 214,000 pieces struck. Authenticated and graded by NGC 64 PL (Cert. #6700603-006). | Prooflike, Choice brilliant uncirculated. | \$750 |



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| 2202 | Lot of three matched high-grade AEs: All authenticated and graded by NGC – 10 Penniä 1916. MS 65 RB; Penni 1916. MS 65 RD; Civil War issue. Penni 1917. MS 65 RD. | (Lot of 3). | \$250 |
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Medals of Nicholas II



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| 2203 | N.I. Lobachevsky – Physio-Mathematics Society at Kazan University 1895. Prize Medal. Bronze. 42.5 mm. By A. Vasyutinsky and S. Pogonov. Diakov 1169.1 (R1), Sm 1136. Bust facing ¾ right, wearing frock coat / 3-line legend, date at center, legend around. Once cleaned. | Extremely Fine. | \$250 |
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2204 On the Visit of Nicholas II and Alexandra Feodorovna to the Sèvres Porcelain Factory, 1896. Medal. Porcelain. 89 mm. By J. Chaplain. Conjoined busts of Nicholas and Alexandria right / Eight-line legend.

Uncirculated.

\$200



2205 On the Visit of Nicholas II and Alexandra Feodorovna to the Sèvres Porcelain Factory, 1896. Medal. Porcelain. 88.5 mm. By J. Chaplain. Conjoined busts of Russia and France left, clasped hands below / Eight-line legend.

Uncirculated.

\$150



2x



2206 Tribute to Count I.I. Vorontsov-Dashkov, 1907. Medal. Silver. 67 mm. 155.1 gm. By A. Vasyutinsky. Diakov 1245.1 (R2), Sm 1162. Uniformed bust left / Supported Family Arms of Vorontsov-Dashkov on laurel branch. *Rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55. Toned.



2207 Second Peace Conference in The Hague, 1907. "Swedish" Plaque. Bronze. 90 x 70 mm. By T. Szimal. Diakov --. Angel standing holding wreath and sounding clarion, flanked by cameos of Nicholas II and Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands, PAX above / Crowned woman seated right before Dutch arms and scroll inscribed LA HAYE 1907, medallion upper right with the portrait of King Oskar II of Sweden.

Uncirculated.

\$400



2208 Second Peace Conference in The Hague, 1907. "General" Plaque. Bronze. 90 x 70 mm. By T. Szimal. Diakov --. Angel standing holding wreath and sounding clarion, flanked by cameos of Nicholas II and Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands, PAX above / Crowned woman seated right before Dutch arms and scroll inscribed LA HAYE 1907.

Uncirculated.

\$400

Extremely Rare Lazarev Institute Gold Prize Medal



2209 Lazarevsky Institute of Oriental Languages, nd. Prize Medal. GOLD. 42mm. 43.65. Unsigned. Diakov 1147.1 (R5), Sm 1060. Bare head of Nicholas II left / Six-line legend. *Extremely rare.* Friction hairlines. Good Lustre. Uncirculated.

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2210 200th Anniversary of Tsarskoe Selo, 1910. Medal. Silver. 63 mm. By R. Rasumny. Diakov 1484.1 (R3), Sm--. Conjoined uniformed busts of Nicholas II and Peter the Great left / City Arms between oak and laurel branches. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 63 (Cert. #929272.63). Attractively toned.

Choice Uncirculated.

\$2,500



2211 Centennial of the Patriotic War – Fieldmarshal Mikhail I Golenishchev-Kutuzov, 1912. Medal. “Biscuit” Porcelain. 56 mm. Unsigned. Imperial Porcelain factory, St. Petersburg. Uniformed bust left / Incuse КУТУЗОВЪ, green Nicholas II cipher and date above. *Rare.*

Choice and problem free.

\$300



2212 Centennial of the Patriotic War - Minister of Defense Fieldmarshal Prince Barclay de Tolly, 1912. Medal. “Biscuit” Porcelain. 56.6 mm. Unsigned. Imperial factory, St. Petersburg. Uniformed bust left / Incuse: БАРКЛАЙ ДЕ-ТОЛЛИ, green Nicholas II cipher and date above. Г.А. crudely engraved above. *Rare.*

Well-preserved.

\$300



2213 Coronation of Nicholas II and Alexandra Feodorovna. Jetton. Silver. 1896. 25 mm. 7.65 gm. Diakov 1206.3 (R3), Rud.1896.1, Sm 1102. Crowned cipher of Nicholas II and Alexandra Feodorovna / Crown, three-line legend and date. Toned.

About Uncirculated.

\$250

R.S.F.S.R.



2214 Rouble 1921 АГ. Y.84. Authenticated and graded by ANACS MS 63 (Cert. #605943). Iridescent hues.

Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$300

USSR



2215 50 Kopecks 1927 ПА. Y 89. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 (Cert. #4501425-026). Satiny lustre.

Choice Brilliant Uncirculated.

\$250



2216 15 Kopecks 1942. Y 110. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 (Cert. #2075234-003). *Very Rare.* Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$300



2217 15 Kopecks 1944. Y 110. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 (Cert. #6498932-027). *Rare.* Very Choice Brilliant Uncirculated. \$200



Lot 2218



Lot 2219



Lot 2220

2218 20 Kopecks 1969. Y.132. Authenticated and graded by NGC PL 64 (Cert.# 6349513-026). Gem brilliant uncirculated, Prooflike strike. \$100

2219 20 Kopecks 1976. Y.132. Authenticated and graded by NGC PL 66 (Cert.# 6349513-033). Gem brilliant uncirculated, Prooflike strike. \$100

2220 15 Kopecks 1972. Y.131. Authenticated and graded by NGC PL 65 (Cert. #6349513-019). Gem brilliant uncirculated, Prooflike strike. \$100

U.S.S.R. Medals



- 2221** In Commemoration of Lenin's Last Underground Activities near Sestroretsk Station, 1917 Plaque, nd (1925). Bronze. 80.5 x 56.7 mm. By Vasyutinsky. Saltikov/Shkurko 7, Shaten 5. Lenin at left seated right on a log writing, cooking pot before him / Excerpts from Lenin's "State and Revolution". Very rare and the first Soviet plaque made by Vasyutinsky, designer of most of the early Soviet coins. About Extremely Fine.

\$500

Ex Dmitry Markov Coins & Medals Mail Bid Auction 6, New York, Dec. 9-10, 1998, lot 1004



- 2222** 150th Anniversary of the Birth of Alexander Pushkin, 1949. Medal. Bronze. 70.3 mm. By N. Sokolov. Bust of the renowned poet and novelist left / Four-line legend, lyre above, smaller four-line legend on banner with spray below. Uncirculated.

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ORDER OF ST. ANDREW FIRST CALLED



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\$1,000

Ex Giessener Münzhandlung, Gorny & Mosch Sale 110, Munich, October 15, 2001, lot 1475, comes with tag

ORDER OF ST. GEORGE



- 3002** On the Institution of the Order of St. George, 1769. Medal. Bronze. 78.8 mm. By J.B. Gass. Diakov 143.1 (R1). Laureate, helmeted, armored bust left / Star of the Order within a laurel wreath and ribbon. *Rare*. Rich, deep caramel brown. *Condition*: Extremely Fine.

\$750

Ex Sincona # 48, October 22, 2018, lot 244, comes with tag.

ORDER OF ST. VLADIMIR



3003 Cross. 4th Class. Military Division. Gold and enamels. 35 mm. By Eduard – Varvara Dietwald, Ca. 1910-1915. Maker’s marks “БД” and “ЭДУАРДЪ” under the red enamel of the back arms of the cross, kokoshnik marks on sword hilts. On ribbon.

\$4,000

Condition: Choice and problem-free.



3004 Cross. 4th Class. Civil Division. Gold and enamels. 35 mm. “56” on loop. “Imperial eagle” and uncertain maker’s mark beneath red enamel of back arms of cross. On ribbon.

\$3,000

Condition: Choice and problem-free.



3005 Cross. 4th Class. Civil Division. Gilt bronze and enamels. 34.6 mm. By Dmitri Osipov. World War I issue, 1916-1917. Marked “K” and “ΔΟ” beneath red enamel on reverse. On ribbon.

\$750

Condition: Extremely Fine.

ORDER OF ST. ANNE



3006 Cross. 3rd Class. Military Division. Gilt bronze and enamels. 36 mm. By Dmitri Osipov. World War I issue, 1916-1917. Marked “K” and “ЭДУАРДЪ” beneath red enamel on reverse. On ribbon. *Condition:* Extremely Fine. \$750



3007 4th Class. Insignia of the Order of St. Anne. Gold and red enamel. 20 mm. By Pavel Andreev. “56” and Kokoshnik mark and maker’s mark “ПА” on back. On ribbon. *Condition:* Extremely Fine. \$3,000

ORDER OF ST. STANISLAUS



2x

3008 Cross, 2nd Class. Military Division. Gold and enamels. 45 mm. 1852. Kokoshnik, date 1852 on loop. Imperial eagle wings-down type finely executed on both sides. High-quality workmanship. *Rare early dated cross. On neck ribbon*

Condition: Choice.

\$20,000

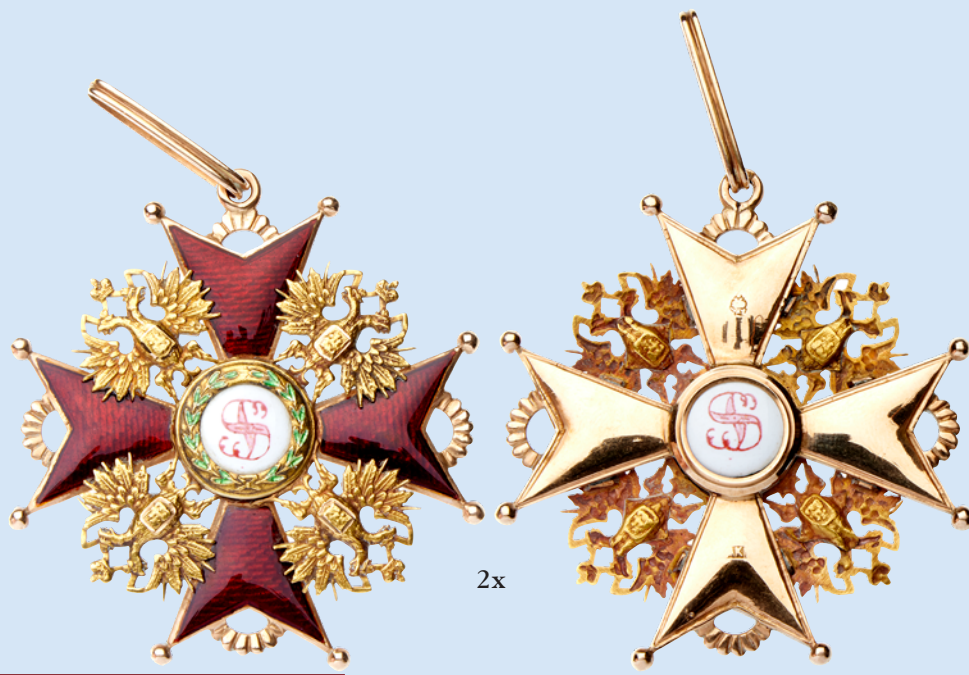


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3009 Cross. 2nd Class. Civil Division. Gold and enamels. Flat black enamel type – double-sided. 44 mm. By Pavel Andreev, 1851. “56”, “ПИА”, and “1851” marks on loop. *Very rare*. On ribbon.

Condition: Some hairlines to black enamel from wear. Otherwise Choice.

\$10,000



3010 Set. 1st Class. Civil Division. Cross. Gold and enamels. 62mm. By Albert Keibel. "Imperial eagle" upper arm and maker's mark "AK" lower arm on reverse, mark on loop. Breast Star. Silver and enamels. 89 mm. kokoshnik "A(head)84" and "(head right)" on pin, the first repeated on back. Vertical pinback.

Condition: Choice and problem free.



3011 Breast Star. Civil Division. Silver. 88 mm. Ca. 1880-1890's. By Keibel. Hallmarked. Enamel and gold plating. Imperial Eagle mark, 84, kokoshnik mark.

Condition: Tiny internal enamel imperfection. Choice.

\$2,500

Russian Awards of British Interest



3012 An unattributed D.S.C. British Officer group. Nine miniatures including Russian St. Vladimir and St. Anne crosses, both with swords. Last two in bronze.

Condition: One medal loose from the bar. Otherwise – problems free.

\$600



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3013 Nicholas II GOLD Medal for Bravery 2nd Class AWARDED POSTHUMOUSLY to a British Sailor. Award # 2966 GOLD. 28mm. 24g (full weight issue). Awarded to British sailor Charles Newton circa June-August, 1915. Stamped on the edge "5045 Сpy. Sgt. Maj. C. Newton. 2/Lin. R."

- M.I.D. London Gazette 22 June 1915.

- Medal of St George, 2nd Class London Gazette 25 August 1915.

Charles Newton served with the 2nd Lincolns in France from 5 November 1914, and was killed in action on 22 March 1915. He is commemorated by name in Rue-Petillon Military Cemetery, Fleurbaix.

An extremely rare case of a Russian Imperial GOLD Bravery medal bestowed to a British sailor! And, apparently, posthumously! Unpublished... as a Nicholas II GOLD Bravery 2nd Class medal issued to foreigner posthumously! Additionally, a very rare "full weight" medal, even rarer as a Navy award.

Condition: Some bruising and contact marks, suspension loop is missing, but the ribbon appears to be original. Apparently unique.

\$7,500



2x

3014 Medal for Zeal. Silver. 30 mm. Bit 1117H, Diakov 1138.3. Nicholas II head left /Legend: "ЗА УСЕРДІЕ. Engraved to MISS I.M. McCULLOCH 1914-17. Interesting Russian award to a British woman.

Condition: Authenticated and

graded by NGC AU Details – polished (Cert. #3930094-013). About Uncirculated.

\$500



- 3015** Personal Award Medal, 1807. Gilt Bronze. Novodel. 52 mm. 59.8 gm. By C. Leberecht. Bit H708 (R3), Diakov 311.2 (R1), Sm 411c/24. Uniformed Alexander I bust right / Eight-line legend and date: “To the Director of Bank Bill Processing and Merchant Andrey Strunnikov for Honest and Zealous Execution of Official Duties”. Integral loop. *Very rare.* *Condition:* Friction hairlines. Uncirculated. \$1,500



- 3016** Award Medal - Sloops “Discovery” and “Loyal”, 1819 Bronze. 42 mm. Unsigned. Diakov 416.1 (R1), Sm 407. Bare head right / Four-line legend, date below ornamental line. *Condition:* Extremely Fine. \$300



- 3017** Award Medal for Progress in Studies, 1829. Bronze. Novodel. Bit H778 (R2), Diakov 488.3. Bare head of Nicholas I right / Facing rowboat with four paddles, crossed anchors and flags behind, bale and barrel at sides. *Rare.* *Condition:* Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN (Cert. #4829425-011). Deep coffee brown. Choice Uncirculated. \$400



2x

2x

- 3018** Alexander II Medal for Zeal. GOLD. 20.81 gm. 29 mm. Unsigned. Alexander II head right, signed below / Legend "ЗА УСЕРДІЕ". around in, braided inner circle. Bit 874 (R3), Diakov 637.1 (R3). *Rare.* *Condition:* Minimal marks. Much original lustre. About uncirculated. \$3,000



2x

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- 3019** Award Medal for the Khiva Campaign, 1873 Silver. 28 mm. Bit 981 (R1), Diakov 804.1 (R2). Crowned Alexander II cipher / Date, legend around, crossed branches below. *Rare.* *Condition:* Light gray. Extremely Fine. \$1,000



Lot 320

Lot 321

- 3020** Russo-Turkish War Campaign Medal, 1877-1878. Bronze. 26 mm. Bit 984.A, Diakov 845.1. *Condition:* Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61 BN (Cert. #5846638-005). Dark caramel brown. Uncirculated. \$200

- 3021** Russo-Turkish War Campaign Medal, 1877-1878. Bronze. 26 mm. European manufacture, no period after 1878. Cf. Bit 984A, Chep 70. Soft iridescent tone. *Condition:* Choice uncirculated. \$250



2x

- 3022** Alexander III Medal for Zeal. Silver. 51 mm. By L. Steinman. Alexander III head right, signed below / Legend “3A YCEPΔIE” around in, braided inner circle. Bit 1011 (R2), Diakov 896.1 (R3), Sm 832/a. *Rare.* *Condition:* Deep contact marks. Extremely Fine. \$2,000



- 3023** Alexander III Memorial Award Medal, 1894. Silver. 27.5 mm. Bit 1139H. His bare head right, branch behind / Reign dates, crown above, memorial cross below. On original ribbon. *Condition:* Toned, turquoise and lilac hues. About Uncirculated. \$150



3024 Nicholas II Medal for Zeal. Bronze, gilt. 51 mm. Ca. 1916-1917. (Awarded instead of gold medals). Nicholas II head left / Legend "ЗА УСЕРДІЕ". Bit 1115.Б. Apparently private manufacture. *Scarce.* *Condition:* Test cut at 1:00. Nicks and contact marks. Minimal wear.

\$400



3025 Nicholas II Medal for Zeal. Silver. 51 mm. Nicholas II head left / Legend "ЗА УСЕРДІЕ". Bit 1115, Diakov 1138.1. *Condition:* Toned over numerous pinscratches. Good Extremely Fine.

\$400



3026 Award Medal for the 200th Anniversary of the Naval Battle of Gangut, 1914. Gilt Bronze. Bit 11576 (R1). Laureate bust of Peter the Great right / View of the battle. Integral loop. On ribbon. *Condition:* About Uncirculated.

\$300

A Classical Russian 20th Century Rarity



2x

- 3027** Award Medal for Crew Members of the 'Varyag' and 'Koreets', 1904. Silver. 30 mm. Diakov 1393.1 (R3), Peters 202, Sm 1288, Werlich 120. St. George's Cross within wreath / Cross above the cruiser Varyag and gunboat Koreets, Japanese fleet in the distance. Integral loop. Instituted June 4, 1904 and awarded to crew members of the Varyag and Koreets who participated in the battle against the Japanese fleet at Chemulpo on January 27, 1904. 697 silver medals were struck. *Extremely rare.* Comes with substitute ribbon.

Condition: Lightly toned. Extremely fine.

\$15,000

CIVIL WAR and EARLY SOVIET UNION



- 3028** Medal for the Third Anniversary of the October Revolution, 1920. Silver. 35.6 mm. By Vasyutinsky. RNS Journal 28, p. 41. *Rare.*

Condition: Good Very Fine.

\$500

It is believed that this medals was awarded to participants and organizers of the Petrograd Soviet dedicated to the 3rd Anniversary of the Revolution.



- 3029** Medal for the Third Anniversary of the October Revolution, 1920. Brass. 35 mm. By Vasyutinsky. RNS Journal 28, p. 41. It is believed that this medal was awarded to participants and organizers of the Petrograd Soviet dedicated to the 3rd Anniversary of the Revolution. *Rare.* Light porosity.

Condition: Very Fine.

\$500



Lot of 3

- 3030** Lot of V.I. Lenin Patriotic Brass Jettons. 1917. Round, 28 mm; and Shield-shaped, 24 x 28 mm (not including integral loop); 1919. 27.5 mm. By Г.Д. All with Lenin facing $\frac{3}{4}$ right / Legend. *Very rare.* The first with some corrosion. *Condition:* About Very Fine-Extremely Fine. (Lot of 3 pcs)

\$250

ORDERS of the SOVIET REPUBLICS



- 3031** Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR. Type 4. Award # 2820. Silver. Type 4, screwback. *Very Rare* official "DUPLICATE" award for lost original type 1 order of RSFSR. Mint marked "МОЛДВОР" on reverse.

\$7,500

Condition: Red enamels crudely restored, white enamels show deterioration from long time in the soil. Still, *rare and historically important.*



3032 Researched Order of the Red Banner of Armenia. Award # 25. 1926. Silver, red, white and blue enamels. Screwback. Type 1. Multi-piece construction. Comes complete with original silver nut and plate, which has the same hallmarks and the serial number, as the award. According to N. Strelkov's book "Awards of Soviet Republics", the type 1 awards (unlike the other two types) had two hallmarks on reverse: "88" (for silver) and Cyrillic "CC" (maker's mark, S. Stepanov). Later types were missing one or both of these hallmarks. C/C 05.03.02 (R5), Herf. 1.8. Kuts pp. 129-148. Only about 200 issued amongst all types. *Very rare.*

\$20,000

According to N. Strelkov's book "Awards of Soviet Republics", this order was awarded to comrade Smirnov N.A., military commissar of 2nd howitzer battery, by decree of April 4, 1921.

Condition: Minor areas of enamel restoration, all original and fully complete, very desirable as such.



2x



3033 Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Belarus. Award # 160. Silver. Red and white enamels. Screwback. Quality multi-piece construction. Comes with original unique hallmarked silver nut.

The only award in Soviet award history that bears a Yiddish legend.

Herf 1.4. Kuts pp. 259-274. Only about 60 issued. Comes with an early Soviet leatherette award box. According to N.Strekalov's book "Awards of Soviet Republics", this is the rarer of the two types, type 2, with serial number stamped, instead of hand-engraved. According to the author, only about 30 pieces still exist.

\$40,000

Condition: Touches of enamel wear. Very well preserved. *Excessively rare and of high historical importance.*



2x



3034 Researched Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Ukraine. Award # 292. Bronze. Red and white enamels. Herf 1.3. Kuts pp. 103-128. Only about 400 issued. *Very rare.*

According to A. Kutzenko "Awards of the Soviet Republics", awarded to farm worker Fesun P.V. by decree of September 1, 1930.

\$10,000

Condition: Red enamel on a bow apparently restored. Screwplate is replaced. Otherwise very well preserved. With original nut. Much superior to other pieces of the type.

Group of Hero of the Soviet Union Guards Colonel Panihidnikov A.A.



Picture is for reference only

3035 Panihidnikov Andrei Alekseevich, (1923 – 1994). Drafted in 1941, actively participated in the Great Patriotic War, serving in the Cavalry (!). Distinguished himself during Poland offensive in 1944. By decree of March 24, 1945, bestowed with the title of Hero of the Soviet Union, with GOLD HSU Star #5828. Extremely rare for Cavalry. After the war, continued to serve in the Soviet Army. Retired in 1979, as Colonel. Died on Feb. 2, 1994 in Kiev.

\$7,500

Group comes with:

GOLD Hero of the Soviet Union Star. Type 2. Award #5828.

- Czech medal “For strengthening of combat cooperation” w/Certificate.
- Czech table medal “30th Anniversary of Cz SSR” w/Certificate.
- Copy of Hero’s biography from “Heroes of the Soviet Union” book. Includes photo.
- Copy of full biography (from Wikipedia). Includes photo.
- Copies of the official citations for the title of SU, Red Banner, Suvorov 3rd class, Kutuzov 3rd class.

Condition: Gold Star is missing rectangular silver plate in suspension, otherwise excellent, with normal wear and uncut connecting ring.

Родился 23 октября 1923 года в селе Стаево (ныне — Мичуринский район Тамбовской области). В июне 1941 года был призван на службу в Рабоче-крестьянскую Красную Армию и направлен на фронт. В 1942 году окончил Тамбовское кавалерийское училище. В боях был тяжело ранен.

К весне 1944 года командовал сабельным взводом 12-го гвардейского кавалерийского полка 3-й гвардейской кавалерийской дивизии 2-го гвардейского кавалерийского корпуса 1-го Белорусского фронта. Отличился во время освобождения Польши. Его взвод оборонял Варцебургское шоссе в течение двух суток, отразив большое количество немецких контратак. В критический момент боя лично подорвал две вражеские самоходные артиллерийские установки, заставив противника отступить.

Указом Президиума Верховного Совета СССР от 24 марта 1945 года за «образцовое выполнение боевых заданий командования и проявленные при этом мужество и героизм» гвардии старший лейтенант Андрей Панихидников был удостоен звания Героя Советского Союза с вручением ордена Ленина и медали «Золотая Звезда» за номером 5828.

После окончания войны работал в органах внутренних дел и в военных прокуратурах различных гарнизонов. В 1979 году в звании полковника юстиции был уволен в запас. Проживал в Киеве. Умер 2 февраля 1994 года, похоронен на Берковецком кладбище Киева. Был также награждён орденами Отечественной войны 1-й и 2-й степеней, Красной Звезды, рядом медалей

Hero of the Soviet Suppression of the 1956 Hungarian Uprising



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3036 Hero of the Soviet Union Gold Star for Hungary (1956). Type 2. Award #10795. 23K gold. One of only 27 awarded for suppressing of the Hungarian uprising in 1956, including 13 issued posthumously. Awarded to Colonel Dobrunov G.T., for his skillful command of the 99th Recon Battalion, 2nd Guards Mechanized Division, during the suppressing the Hungarian uprising. Decree of December 18, 1956. The 99th battalion was instrumental in identifying and capturing the HQ of the rebels, as well as capturing the US spy, working for CIA in Budapest. *Extremely rare and historically important.*

\$10,000

Condition: Pristine condition with very minimal signs of wear, all original parts, suspension device still retains full gold plating.

Григорий Тимофеевич Добрунов (21 января 1921 — 27 августа 2014, Москва) — полковник Советской Армии, участник Великой Отечественной войны и подавления Венгерского восстания 1956 года, Герой Советского Союза (1956). Григорий Добрунов родился 21 января 1921 года в селе Козычево (ныне — Яковлевский район Белгородской области) в семье крестьянина. В 1939 году окончил два курса Харьковского института физической культуры. В марте 1939 года Добрунов был призван на службу в Рабоче-крестьянскую Красную Армию. Проходил службу на Дальнем Востоке. В 1941 году Добрунов окончил Владивостокское пехотное училище. С июня 1942 года — на фронтах Великой Отечественной войны. Принимал участие в боях на Воронежском, Юго-Западном, 1-м Украинском фронтах. Участвовал в Сталинградской и Курской битвах, битве за Днепр, освобождении Киева, Висло-Одерской и Берлинской операциях. В 1942 году был тяжело ранен. К 1956 году гвардии подполковник Григорий Добрунов командовал 99-м отдельным разведывательным батальоном 2-й гвардейской механизированной дивизии Особого корпуса советских войск в Венгерской Народной Республике. Особо отличился во время подавления Венгерского восстания. 24 октября 1956 года батальон Добрунова, в составе которого находились 16 танков, 90 мотоциклов и несколько бронетранспортёров, с боями прорвался в Будапешт. В боях с повстанцами батальон предотвратил попытку захвата здания Генерального штаба Венгерской Народной Армии, прорвал окружение здания штаба советского командования. Именно бойцы батальона Добрунова обнаружили местонахождение центра восстания — помещение кинотеатра «Корвин» на проспекте Юлае. Также бойцы батальона обнаружили и захватили резидента ЦРУ США. Батальон вёл уличные бои до 30 октября 1956 года, когда советские войска были выведены из города. 4 ноября при повторном вводе в Будапешт советских войск батальон вновь принимал активное участие в разгроме и разоружении повстанцев[1]. Указом Президиума Верховного Совета СССР от 18 декабря 1956 года за «мужество и отвагу, проявленные при выполнении воинского долга» гвардии подполковник Григорий Добрунов был удостоен высокого звания Героя Советского Союза с вручением ордена Ленина и медали «Золотая Звезда» за номером 10795. Продолжал службу в Венгрии. В 1962 году в звании полковника Добрунов вышел в отставку. Умер 27 августа 2014 года. Был также награждён двумя орденами Красного Знамени, орденами Суворова 3-й степени, Отечественной войны 1-й и 2-й степеней, двумя орденами Красной Звезды, а также рядом медалей.

Source: Wikipedia https://ru.wikipedia.org/wiki/%D0%94%D0%BE%D0%B1%D1%80%D1%83%D0%BD%D0%BE%D0%B2_%D0%93%D1%80%D0%B8%D0%B3%D0%BE%D1%80%D0%B8%D0%B9_%D0%A2%D0%B8%D0%BC%D0%BE%D1%84%D0%B5%D0%B5%D0%B2%D0%B8%D1%87.



3037 Complete Documented Group of Hero of the Socialist Labor to Babayan Asmik Danilovna. – One of the youngest recipients of the Labor Star ever! “For outstanding achievements in grape harvest”. Babayan A.D. was only 22 when granted the Labor Hero Title, which made good propaganda. *Scarce fully complete documented group.*

Group comes with:

- GOLD Hero of the Socialist Labor Star. Type 2, variation 2. Award # 5705.
- Order of Lenin #140068 (issued with the GOLD Hero Star).
- Order of the Red Banner of Labor. Award # 77569.
- Order’s Book, listing all three awards, Small and Large Certificates for “Hero of Socialist Labor”. First two has photo attached. All three documents issued on September 16, 1950.

Condition: Minor wear on awards, tiny scratch on reverse of gold star. Documents are Fine to Very Fine with stains and lose pages.

\$4,000



**3038 Documented Group of Hero of the Socialist Labor to Bobrik A.R. (1927-1981).
Granted for Delivery to the State Agricultural and Livestock Products.**

Group comes with:

- GOLD Hero of the Socialist Labor Star. Type 2, variation 3. Award # 17277.
- Order of Lenin # 310390.
- Award booklet 1971 listed these two awards only.
- Small Certificate for the Hero of Socialist Labor.

Condition: All items are in Mint condition

\$4,000



3039 Researched Order of Ushakov 2nd Class. Type 1. Award # 47. Gold, silver, red and blue enamels. Screwback, variation with 6-riveted reverse. Comes with original silver nut, and exhibits the original length screw. This order was published in the major reference book “The Comprehensive Guide to Soviet Orders and Medals” by Paul McDaniel, in 1997, on page 98, and comes with Certificate of Authenticity from Paul McDaniel, dated January 1999 (very high 9 out of 10 condition rating). Additionally, the order is accompanied by a personal letter of confirmation, certifying that this order, with this COA #010599-1, is the very same order pictured in the book on page 98. Hand signed by Mr. McDaniel, and printed on official Historical Research letterhead. *Very rare and desirable, especially with such provenance.*

The order is accompanied by complete naval research - scans of award card, citation, and archival record. It was awarded to Soviet Navy rear admiral Novikov T.A., commander of the Constanta naval base Black Sea fleet, by decree of August 22, 1945. According to Novikov’s biography, he fell victim to the infamous NKVD Purges of 1937-1939, and was imprisoned in May, 1938, ultimately to die somewhere in GULAG. However, he was apparently acquitted and all rights and awards restored by August 1939. Only a very small percentage of prominent top ranking commanders were this lucky, names like Rokossovsky and Gorbатов come to mind, but not too many others.

Condition: Excellent condition with flawless enamels, silky smooth patina, please refer to the COA for complete details.

\$80,000



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Тихон Андреевич Новиков (23 августа 1902, село Беседино, Курская губерния[1] — 5 сентября 1990, Одесса) — советский военный деятель, контр-адмирал. Депутат Верховного Совета УССР 2-го созыва. Кандидат в члены ЦК КП(б)У (1949—1952).

Родился в крестьянской семье. С 1922 года служил в Военно-морском флоте СССР. С декабря 1922 до декабря 1926 года учился в Военно-морском училище имени Фрунзе.

Член ВКП(б) с 1926 года. В декабре 1926 — октябре 1927 года — помощник начальника вахты линкора «Октябрьская революция». В октябре 1927 — октябре 1928 года — слушатель минного класса Специальных курсов командного состава Военно-морских сил (ВМС) РККА. В октябре 1928 — сентябре 1930 года — минер эсминца «Карл Маркс». В сентябре 1930 — феврале 1931 года — помощник командира эсминца «Урицкий». В феврале 1931 — марте 1932 года — командир эсминца «Войков» Морских сил Балтийского моря. В 1932 году окончил тактические курсы при Военно-морской академии имени Ворошилова.

В марте 1932 — марте 1935 года — командир эсминца «Эривань» Морских сил Дальнего Востока. В марте 1935 — мае 1937 года — командир отдельного дивизиона сторожевых кораблей Тихоокеанского флота. В мае 1937 — мае 1938 года — командир бригады эсминцев Тихоокеанского флота.

Репрессирован органами НКВД СССР в мае 1938 года, находился в тюрьме. В августе 1939 года восстановлен в кадрах Военно-морского флота СССР.

В ноябре 1939 — январе 1941 года — командир отряда вновь построенных надводных кораблей Краснознаменного Балтийского флота. В январе — ноябре 1941 года — командир отряда легких сил Черноморского флота. Участник Великой Отечественной войны с июня 1941 года. В ноябре 1941 — марте 1942 г. — командир бригады речных кораблей Волжской военной флотилии. В марте — июле 1942 г. — командир Горьковской военно-морской базы. В июле — августе 1942 г. — командир бригады траления, в августе 1942 — феврале 1943 г. — командир 2-й бригады речных кораблей — заместитель командующего Волжской военной флотилии. В феврале — мае 1943 г. — начальник штаба, в мае — сентябре 1943 г. — заместитель командующего Волжской военной флотилии. В сентябре 1943 — сентябре 1944 г. — командир бригады траления и заграждений Черноморского флота. В сентябре 1944 — феврале 1946 г. — командир военно-морской базы города Констанца (Румыния). В феврале 1946—1947 г. — командир Северо-Западного оборонительного района. В 1947 — октябре 1951 г. — командир Одесской военно-морской базы. В октябре 1951 — июле 1956 г. — начальник Черноморской группы приемки Управления государственной приемки кораблей ВМФ СССР.

С июля 1956 года — в запасе. Проживал в городе Одессе.

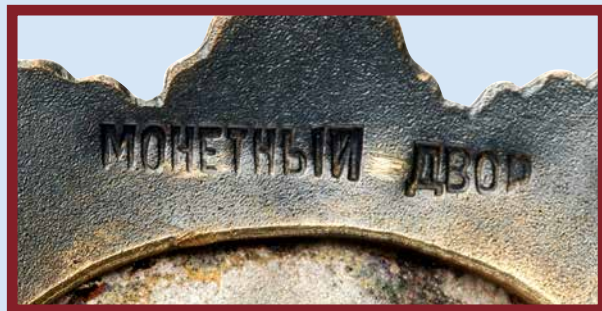
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Kutuzov 1st Class to a Jewish SMERSH General



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3040 Researched Order of M. Kutuzov 1st Class. Type 2. Award # 376. Gold, silver, red and white enamels. Type 2, screwback, with 5-riveted reverse. Comes with original silver nut, and exhibits the original length screw. The order comes with Certificate of Authenticity from Paul McDaniel, dated November 1999 (7 out of 10 condition rating).

The order is accompanied by scans of award cards from Ministry of Defense of Russian Federation. According to official research, this order was awarded to lieutenant-general Babich I.Y. (Jewish by nationality), deputy director of the Main Directorate of the counter-intelligence/SMERSH, by decree of March 25, 1945. *Extremely rare case of top level SMERSH general of Jewish nationality.*

Condition: Condition: Excellent condition overall, beautiful golden toned patina, please refer to the COA for complete details.

\$40,000

Исай Яковлевич Бабич (26 сентября 1902, Берислав, Херсонская губерния, Российская империя — 9 декабря 1948, Москва, СССР) — советский военный деятель, Генерал-лейтенант (26 мая 1943 года)[1].

Исай Яковлевич Бабич родился 26 сентября 1902 года в Бериславе Херсонской губернии в семье сапожника-кустаря Якова Исааковича Бабича. У него были две сестры по имени Алта-Сура и Тайбель[2]. По национальности — еврей[1]. Получил начальное образование, отучившись два года в хедере, после чего работал учеником наборщика и наборщиком в типографиях.

В апреле 1920 года вступил в ряды ВКП(б)[1]. С того же года работал в органах ВЧК — ГПУ — ОГПУ — МГБ.

С 1920 по 1922 годы работал на должностях помощника уполномоченного и инспектора Общеадминистративной части Николаевской губернской ЧК — губернского отдела ГПУ, а с 1922 года — на должностях инспектора Общеадминистративной части и инспектора губернского отдела ГПУ.

В 1925 году Бабич был назначен на должность уполномоченного Молдавского областного отдела ГПУ, в 1927 году — на должность начальника Балтского отделения ГПУ (Молдавская АССР) и одновременно на должность начальника 25-го пограничного отряда ОГПУ, в 1930 году — на должность начальника секретного, секретно-политического отдела Харьковского оперативного сектора ГПУ, а в 1933 году — на должность начальника секретно-оперативного отдела Винницкого областного ГПУ — УГБ Управления НКВД по Винницкой области.

С августа 1934 года работал на должности начальника Отдела УГБ Управления НКВД по Одесской области, с июля 1935 года — на должности начальника Секретно-политического — IV-го отдела УГБ Управления НКВД по Киевской области, с августа 1937 года — на должности заместителя начальника Управления НКВД по Одесской области, а с октября 1937 года — на должности заместителя начальника Управления НКВД по Киевской области. С 10 января по 26 февраля 1938 года исполнял обязанности начальника Управления НКВД по Киевской области.

28 марта 1938 года Исай Яковлевич Бабич был назначен на должность начальника 2-го отдела 2-го управления НКВД СССР, 20 августа 1938 года — на должность начальника 3-го отдела 2-го управления НКВД СССР, 29 сентября 1938 года — на должность начальника Отделения 4-го отдела ГУГБ НКВД СССР, 3 января 1939 года — на должность начальника 4-го отделения 4-го отдела ГУГБ НКВД СССР, а 24 сентября 1940 года — на должность начальника Особого отдела Прибалтийского военного округа.

С июля 1941 года работал на должности заместителя начальника Особого отдела Северо-Западного фронта, с 21 мая 1942 года — на должности начальника Особого отдела Северо-Западного фронта, а с 19 апреля 1943 года — на должности заместителя начальника Главного управления контрразведки «Смерш» НКО СССР.

С мая по сентябрь 1945 года Бабич находился на Дальнем Востоке, где координировал органы «Смерш» Забайкальского и Дальневосточного фронтов.

4 июля 1946 года был назначен на должность помощника начальника 3-го главного управления МГБ СССР, а в августе 1947 года — по совместительству на должность начальника Высшей школы МГБ СССР.

Умер 9 декабря 1948 года в Москве. Похоронен на Новодевичьем кладбище.

Награды

- орден Ленина (6.11.1945)
- 4 ордена Красного Знамени (1942, 28.10.1943, 3.11.1944, 8.9.1945)
- орден Кутузова I степени (25.3.1945)
- орден Отечественной войны I степени (31.7.1944)
- орден Красной Звезды (19.12.1937)
- знак «Почётный работник ВЧК-ГПУ (XV)» (20.12.1932)

Source: Wikipedia

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3041 Researched Order of A. Suvorov 2nd Class. Type 2. Award # 584. Gold, silver and enamels. Type 2, screwback. Comes with original silver nut. Accompanied by color scans of award card and decree for this order, plus a scan of b/w photo. According to research, awarded to Colonel Volkov V.I., at the time of awarding commander of 1st tank brigade, later commander of all motorized armored forces of 59th army. Decree of Feb 21, 1944. Noticeably, Colonel Volkov was later awarded with Order of Kutuzov 1st class, a very unusual awarding normally only bestowed on major-generals and above. Highly decorated career officer.

\$15,000

Condition: Premium overall with minimal wear on medallion and flawless enamels inside legend.

Волков Василий Иванович родился в 1904г. В РККА с 1925г.
 Член ВКП(б) с 1928г. Участник советско-финской войны.
 Участник Великой Отечественной войны с 22 июня 1941г., старший помощник начальника 1-го отдела АБТУ Ленинградского фронта. С 18 мая 1943г. по 8 декабря 1944г. - командир 1-й Ленинградской танковой бригады.
 в 1944 г. - начальник оперативного отдела БТиМВ Ленинградского фронта.
 В 1944 - 1945 - командующий БТиМВ 59-й А.
 Воинские звания: полковник
 Награды:
 Орден Кутузова I степени (06.04.1945),
 Орден Суворова II степени (21.02.1944),
 два Ордена Красной Звезды (25.03.1942, 03.11.1944),
 Медаль За боевые Заслуги (1942),
 Медаль «За оборону Ленинграда» (05.06.1943).



3042 Documented and Researched Group of Guards Major Smirnov A.N. Group comes with:

Order of Suvorov 3rd Class #767. Type 1.

Order of Nevsky #3453. Type 1.

Orders Book, listing both of the above awards. It also lists 3 other entries, which are missing.

Xerox copies of the complete research from the Russian archives, including full military record, award card, citations and decrees.

Condition: Both orders were apparently converted to screwback and back at some point, in order to comply with June 1943 regulations' change. The order of Suvorov has the usual breakage of the reverse pin, otherwise, excellent condition on both orders, with practically flawless enamels and beautiful old patina. Extremely rare, especially as a documented pair.

\$15,000



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3043 Researched Order of A. Suvorov 3rd Class. Type 2. Award # 8461. Silver and enamels. Type 2, screwback. Comes with original silver nut. Accompanied by copies of 2 award cards, 4 citations and award decree for this order, plus a scan of b/w photo. According to research, awarded to Lieutenant Colonel Danchich I.A., at the time of awarding head engineer of 137th Division, 48th Army, for skillful actions during crossing Desna River, under heavy enemy fire.

Condition: Normal wear on medallion, excellent enamels inside legend.

\$4,000

Order of Kutuzov 3rd Class for the Soviet Suppression of the 1956 Hungarian Uprising



3044 Researched Order of M. Kutuzov 3rd Class for Hungary. Type 2. Award # 1819. Silver. Type 2, screwback. Comes with original silver screwback nut, and exhibits the original length long screw. Comes with scans of award card and citation for this order from Ministry of Defense of Russian Federation. According to official research, Lieutenant Colonel Shehovtsev A.I. (Шеховцов Александр Иванович), a career officer, started his service in the RKKA in 1939. Participated in WWII since June 1941. After the end of war, remained in the ranks. Took part in crushing of the Hungarian uprising in November 1956, as a assault (shturm) group commander. According to citation, the group was tasked with capture of central storage of weapons and ammo. During the mission, 335 hostiles were captured, plus 1200 railroad cars full of ammo, 200 artillery cannons, 1024 machine-guns, etc. For skillful command and successful operation Lieutenant Colonel Shehovtsev A.I. (Major at the time of awarding) was initially recommended to be awarded with the Order of Red Star. Apparently, later on the award was upgraded to the Order of Kutuzov 3rd Class. Bestowed the Order of Kutuzov 3rd Class #1819 by decree of Dec. 18, 1956.

Note: there were several award decrees for Hungary, from Dec. 18, 1956, and up to catch-up decree of Oct. 16, 1990. However, orders of Kutuzov 3rd class were only awarded in the first decree of Dec. 18, 1956. There were 20 awardings of Kutuzov 3rd class in total. Compared to over 3300 of Kutuzov 3rd class bestowed overall, this is an extremely rare (less than 1%) case, where WWII top military decoration is awarded for possibly the biggest Soviet post-war conflict. *Very Rare.*

Condition: Normal signs of wear, full length screw, undisturbed pale gray patina.

\$10,000



3045 Documented Order of Bogdan Khmelnytsky. 3rd Class. Type 1, variation 1, with center medallion as a separate piece. Award # 2357. Comes with related award booklet issued to Romanov Boris Mikhailovich.

\$4,000

Condition: Award book has modest wear. Center medallion somewhat polished on cleaned. Now toned. Better than average overall.



3046 Order of A. Nevsky. Type 1. Award # 480. Type 1, var. 2, on suspension, with stickpin. Very low serial number.

Condition: Enamel chipped on 9 o'clock arm, old loop repair, excellent and impressive otherwise with fully intact stickpin and dark old patina.

\$4,000



3047 Order of A. Nevsky. Type 1. Award # 3303. Type 1, var. 2, on suspension, with stickpin. Unresearched.

\$2,500

Condition: Some parts of suspension are contemporary replacements, stickpin is not original, however, enamels are all appear to be original and practically intact, showing only some minor signs of wear.



3048 Order of A. Nevsky Regimental Unit Award. Type 3. Award # 38956.

Silver. Type 3, screwback. Comes with original temporary certificate and original receipt of temporary certificate confirming this order to be awarded to the 776th Separate "Automobile" "Order of Red Star" Battalion, by decree of the Presidium of the Supreme Council of the USSR. Date of decree is June 11, 1945. Award number is specified on both documents.

Not a lot is known about 776th Battalion. According to available sources, its' first appearance was on the Bryansk front in January, 1942. After that, apparently due to heavy losses, it was formed again between Feb. 1942 – March 1943, and again between Feb. 1944 – May 1945. Last appearance in combat was during battle of Berlin, where it's listed as part of units of the 1st Belorussian front. We couldn't find any actual documents pertaining to this awarding, but we can speculate that this order of Nevsky was most likely awarded for the Berlin operation. Extremely rare documented UNIT AWARD.

Condition: Flawless enamels, with most of the gold plating still visible under even gray patina.

Extremely rare and elusive in private hands.

\$4,000



3049 Order of the Patriotic War 1st Class. Type 1. Award # 16454.

GOLD. Type 1, variation 3, on rectangular suspension, without the stick pin.

Condition: Superficial enamel chip at 12 o'clock, excellent otherwise with a great eye appeal.

\$2,000



3050 Documented and Researched Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class. Type 2. Award # 174941.

Rare "trench" reverse variation, without a mintmark. Comes with Orders Book, issued to comrade Lubchenko A.F. Additionally, comes with color scans of citation and award decree for this order. According to research, senior lieutenant Lubchenko distinguished himself during the breakthrough at the Karelian Peninsula in August, 1944.

Condition: Enamels are practically intact, great vintage condition. Tough to find type with Order's book.

\$600



3051 Order of the Red Star. Type 6. Award #335395. Official "DUPLICATE" issue, with serial number and Cyrillic "D" stamped in small digits on previously numbered piece. Scarce. Condition: Small enamel chip at 5 o'clock arm of the star, excellent otherwise.

\$300 135

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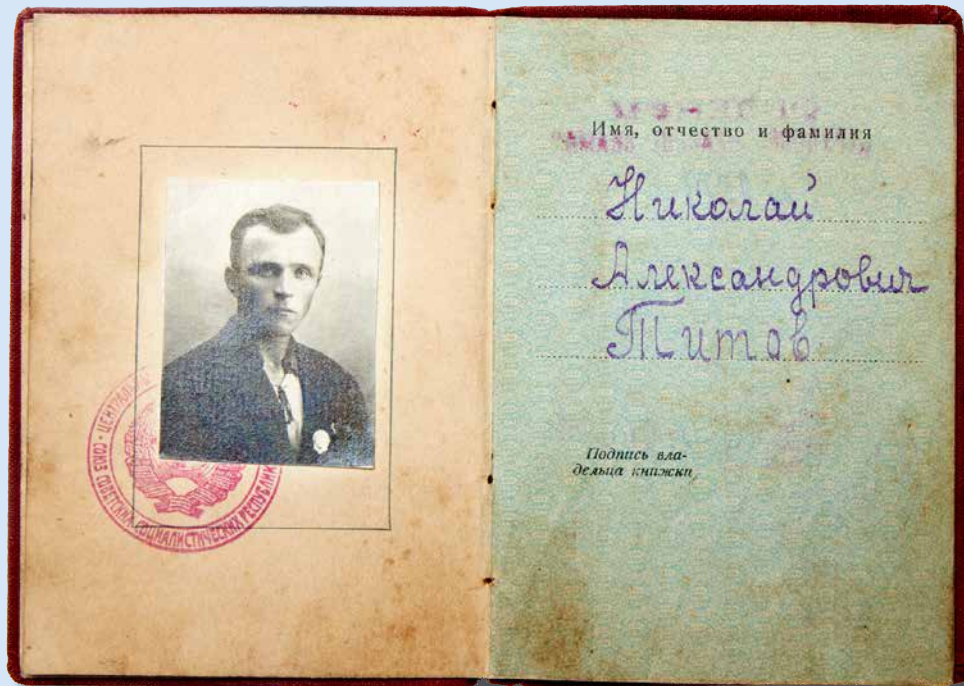
- 3052** Researched Order of Glory 1st Class. Type 1. Award # 1049. 23K GOLD. Comes with copy of full biography. Awarded to Guards Sergeant Veligantsev A.F., mechanic-driver of SU-85, by decree of June 27, 1945. *Condition:* Excellent condition with practically intact enamels, shows minimal contact marks only.

\$7,500

Александр Федорович воевал механиком-водителем САУ-85 в 1-м самоходно-артиллерийском полку (6-й Гв. мехкорпус). 31 января 1945 года в бою за г. Кёбен его экипаж первым ворвался в расположение врага, нанес ему большой урон и вместе с другими артиллеристами удерживал занятые позиции до подхода стрелковых подразделений. В этом бою экипаж, в котором служил гвардии сержант Велижанцев, подавил 2 огневые точки, поджег несколько БТР и танк, истребил до 20 гитлеровцев. Гвардейский самоходный артполк вышел к Одеру. Экипаж Велижанцева первым ворвался в деревню Гросс, на улицах разгорелся ожесточенный бой. Самоходка подбила танк, уничтожила бронетранспортер, 2 автомашины. В течение трех часов самоходчики удерживали деревню, до тех пор, пока не подошли пехотинцы. Когда в машину попал снаряд и самоходка загорелась, Александр, эвакуировав товарищей, продолжал вести бой. Полный кавалер ордена Славы. Умер в 2010 году.

Полная биография. Source: Wikipedia

<https://ru.wikipedia.org/>



3053 Documented Order of the Red Banner of Labor. Type 1. Award # 2014.

Silver. Screwback. Type 1, "Triangle". Original silver nut. Comes with Orders Book (contains photo of the recipient wearing this order). Awarded to comrade Titov Nikolai Aleksandrovich, issued on August 14, 1936. Also comes with Certificate of Authenticity from A. Filer (6.5 out of 10 condition rating). *Rare with document.*

Condition: Some enamels replaced, gold sickle-and-hammer is from a later type, very fine otherwise with great eye appeal.

\$12,500



2x



3054 Order of the Red Banner of Labor. Silver. Type 2. Variant 5. KMD. Award # 12256. Screwback. Multi-piece construction. Variation with “МОНЕТНЫЙ ДВОР” mintmark. Comes with original silver screwback nut. *Condition:* Toned and very well preserved. Near MINT.

\$1,500



2x



3055 Order of the Badge of Honor. Type 2. Variant 3. Variety 3. Award # 20339. Silver. Type 2. Screwback. Multi-piece construction. Comes with original silver screwback nut. *Condition:* Toned and very well preserved. Near MINT.

\$1,000



Lot 3056



Lot 3057

3056 Medal 'For the 20th Anniversary of the RKKA'. Type 1. 1938 medal. Silver. Type 1, on rectangular suspension. The suspension is apparently a replacement, probably taken from a contemporary type 1 Bravery or Combat Service medal. *Condition:* Red enamels with some areas of old chipping and repairs, nice patina and overall eye appeal. \$600

3057 Medal 'For the 20th Anniversary of the RKKA'. Type 2. 1938 medal. Silver. Type 2, on 5-sided suspension. *Condition:* Red enamels show areas of imperfections, old dark patina. \$400



3058 Medal "For Valiant Labor". Type 1. Award # 8035. Silver. 34.5mm. Comes on original triangle suspension, with original "mondvor" nut, and copper screw post. *Condition:* Excellent condition with pleasant medium patina. \$750



Lot 3059



Lot 3060

3059 "Partisan" Medal 1st Class. Variation 1. Without an external border. *Condition:* Moderate handling marks with little wear. Extremely fine. \$300

3060 "For the Defense of Sebastopol". Variation 1. Without an external border. *Condition:* Moderate handling marks. On original bar. \$300

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5.5. Unless we have agreed in writing otherwise, you shall act on your own account as principal in respect of the sale and therefore if you accept a commission from a third party to bid on their behalf, you do so at your own risk and will remain personally liable (jointly with your principal) to us for the Purchase Price in accordance with these Conditions.

5.6. The methods of payment and surcharges are set out below.

5.7. If the Purchase Price has not been settled within 30 days of the Auction date interest will be charged at 2% per month from the due date of payment to the date that cleared funds are received whether that is before or after any legal judgment. This is without prejudice to any other rights that we have for non-payment.

5.8. If you fail to comply with your obligations under these Conditions, the Lot, in respect of such non-compliance, may at our discretion be put up for sale at Auction or privately and resold. In this case, you will be liable in full and will indemnify us for all losses, costs and expenses (including attorneys' fees and legal costs) incurred as a result, including the costs of the resale and the amount (if any) by which the Hammer Price obtained on the resale is less than the Hammer Price obtained on the original sale of the Lot to the Buyer.

6. RISK, TITLE AND DELIVERY

6.1. The risk of damage/loss to the Lot will pass to the Buyer on the fall of the hammer. Title in a Lot will not pass to the Buyer until the Purchase Price has been paid in full.

6.2. Unless agreed by us, you should collect the Lot within 7 days of the date of payment in full. We reserve the right to charge for storage and to resell by Auction or privately without notice to you, if a Lot is not collected. Alternatively, we will send the Lot to you by recorded post. Postage and insurance costs will be charged as additional costs.

6.3. Except in relation to Forgeries, you must satisfy yourself that the correct Lot has been delivered to you at the time of collection/delivery. We will not be responsible for any discrepancy which might be discovered after the Lots have been collected. If we have shipped the Lot to you, we will not be responsible for any discrepancies if you fail to notify us within 24 hours of receipt.

6.4. It is the Buyer's responsibility to obtain any necessary import, export or other licenses required in relation to a Lot.

7. GUARANTEE FOR FORGERIES

7.1. Auctioneer is a member of the International Association of Professional Numismatists and in accordance with the conditions of membership, shall provide a guarantee to the Buyer for all Lots against Forgeries on the terms set out in these Conditions ('Guarantee').

7.2. For the purposes of these Conditions, a 'Forgery' means an imitation that has been created with the fraudulent intent to deceive in respect of the authorship, origin, date, age, period and the correct description does not correspond with the description in the Catalog and as a result has a value significantly less than it would have been had it been genuine.

7.3. You must notify us in writing within one (1) month of you becoming aware that the Lot may be a Forgery. The Lot must be returned to us in the same condition as at the time of sale and you must submit evidence that the Lot is a Forgery, the onus being on you to prove that it is a Forgery.

7.4. You acknowledge that:

(a) we reserve the right to re-assess the Lot or engage at our expense any expert or authority considered by us at our sole discretion to have the necessary expertise to undertake a re-assessment of the Lot;

(b) following our re-assessment of the Lot, you agree to be bound by our decision as to whether or not the Lot is a Forgery.

7.5. You shall not be entitled to a refund for a Forgery if:

(a) the grounds for claiming that the Lot is a Forgery is based primarily on a difference of opinion between us and a third party providing coin grading services;

(b) the grounds for claiming that the Lot is a Forgery is by reason of any damage and/or restoration and/or modification work of any nature;

(c) the description of the Lot in the Catalog was in accordance with generally accepted opinions of numismatic specialists as at the date of publication or the catalog indicated that there was a conflict of opinion.

(d) it has been proved that the Lot is a Forgery by applying a method that was unavailable or not generally applied within the industry of numismatics as at the date of publication of the catalog or was disproportionately expensive, in both cases as determined in our absolute discretion.

7.6. If we agree that the Lot is a Forgery then subject to:

(a) you being able to confirm in writing that you can transfer legal and beneficial title to

the Lot to us or as directed by us free from all encumbrances or third party claims of any nature; and

(b) the exclusions in Condition 7.7, then the sale of the Lot will be rescinded so that it is canceled and we will refund the Purchase Price to you in full.

7.7. Your right to return the Lot and receive a refund of the Hammer Price under the Guarantee is your sole remedy against us, our agents and sub-contractors and/or the Seller for a Forgery. You will not be entitled to claim interest on the amount due to you. Neither we, our agents or sub-contractors nor the Seller shall be liable for costs, expenses, damages or any other liability however it arises relating to a Forgery.

7.8. In accordance with the restriction in Condition 10.2, the benefit of the Guarantee is personal to the Buyer and is not transferable to a new owner of the Lot or any other person.

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8.7. Nothing in these Conditions excludes or limits our liability for any matter which it would be illegal for us to exclude or attempt to exclude under New York law or for our fraud or fraudulent misrepresentation.

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10.5. We may perform our obligations and exercise our respective rights through any of our group companies or assign our rights under these Conditions.

10.6. If any provision of these Conditions is held by any court or other competent authority to be invalid or unenforceable, in whole or in part, the validity of the other provisions and the remainder of the provision in question shall not be affected.

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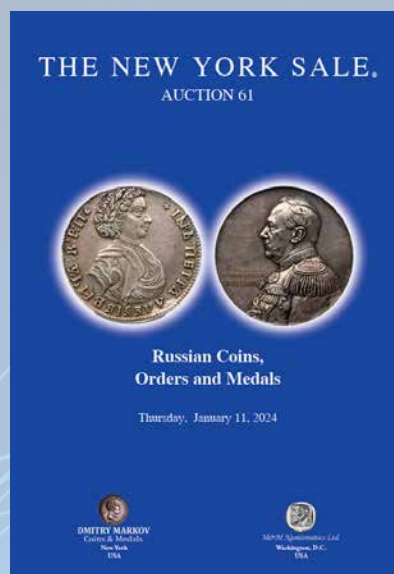
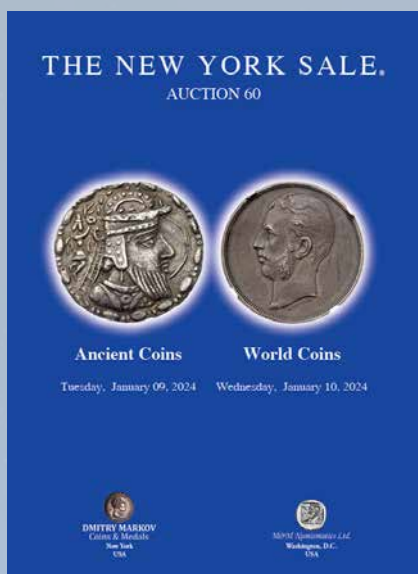
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