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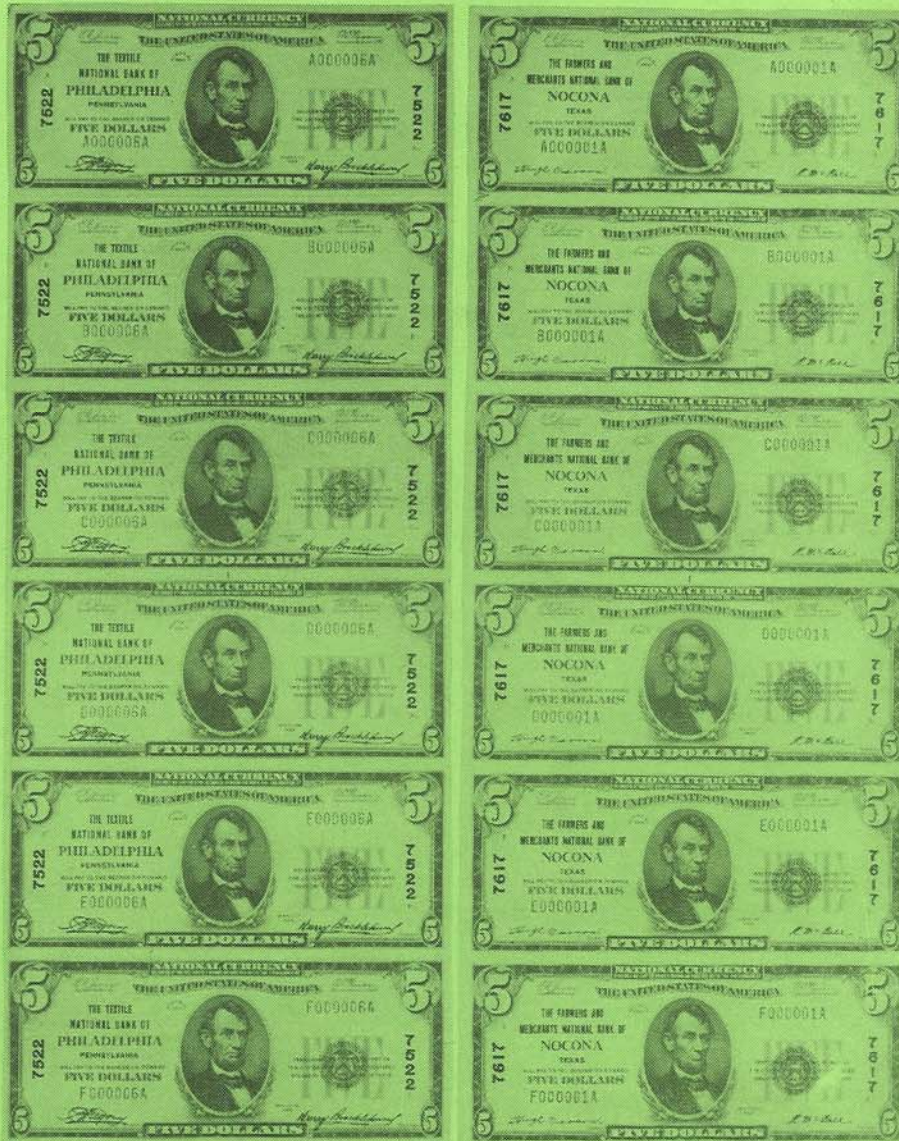
First
Charters
\$1-\$2-\$5-\$10-\$20-
\$50-\$100



Red Seals
\$5-\$10-\$20-\$50-\$100



Interesting
Names



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— — TERMS OF SALE — —

Welcome to our second mail bid sale. We hope you will find notes and information of interest to you and that you will approve of and support our effort to make this sale fair and equitable to all.

To give all bidders an equal opportunity, bids will not be opened until the closing date of the sale. In other words, we will not know ourselves, and therefore cannot reveal, where the high bid is until the sale is over. To help us segregate bids from our regular mail, we are providing envelopes for use only for the mail bid sale. Please mark any other envelope you may use on the outside so we can know it is a bid. Skeptics are invited to inspect the unopened bids up to the closing date.

As in all legitimate auctions, the second highest bidder will set the price. Up to the \$1,000.00 level, advances will be 10% with \$50.00 maximum. At \$1,000.00 and over, advances will be 5%. This method will permit a bidder to make a liberal bid with the assurance that his bid will be reduced to the indicated amount above the next highest bid. No matter how high he bids, the successful bidder will never pay more than a small advance over the second highest bid.

Bids must be in writing and postmarked no later than April 6, 1977. We will be pleased to discuss and further describe any of the notes by phone, but we must insist that telephone bids be confirmed in writing before the deadline. Bids will be opened April 11.

1. Each lot will be sold to the highest bidder unreserved at a slight advance over the next highest bid. In the event of identical mail bids, the earliest postmarked bid will receive the lot.
2. No unlimited or "buy" bids will be accepted. In the event of a higher mail bid against a lower second highest bid, the highest bidder will be awarded the lot at a 10% advance up to \$1,000.00, \$50.00 maximum, and a 5% advance over \$1,000.00.
3. All lots are guaranteed genuine and as described. Please be sure you are bidding the correct amount on the proper lot.
4. All successful bidders must remit payment immediately upon receipt of the invoice and/or lots. The cost of postage and insurance will be added to the invoices of successful mail bidders. Lots delivered in Iowa are subject to State Sales Tax of 3% unless a resale number is given. *Terms* are available, see your bid sheet.
5. Only signed, *written* bids are acceptable.
6. All photographs are of the actual lots being sold.
7. Prices or estimates given reflect the opinion of the cataloger as to what the lots should bring. Higher rather than lower valuations are expected to prevail.
8. Alternate bids are acceptable.

Lots will be available for viewing in Iowa City, Iowa, by contacting Dean Oakes (319) 338-1144 or by writing c/o of Box 1456, Iowa City, Iowa 52240, until the day before the sale closes.

A FEW WORDS ABOUT THE ESTIMATES

Cataloging these great notes has been a real pleasure. We must confess, however, that estimating the value has been difficult.

Most of these notes are so seldom available there is little point of reference for valuation. When we use the word "worth", it is of course, a purely relative term. Value, worth and price seldom coincide. We are frank to admit we don't know what these notes will bring in competitive bidding. As dealers, we are regularly faced with the problem of bidding on anything from a single note to a major collection. It is a much simpler decision when a price is quoted and the choice is between yes and no. In every one of our 56 fixed price lists there has been one or more notes worth considerably more to *somebody* that we asked. The most frequent complaint we hear from our clients is, "By the time I get my list, the good notes are gone," and, "I'd have paid more for the note than the guy who got it." So this sale is your chance to pay what the note is really worth to you.

In buying and selling many thousands of notes we have not yet learned the secret of what the last dollar is that a note will bring.

In the past, we have seen many notes "orphaned" by being priced beyond what the market will support. We have always tried hard to avoid making any orphans ourselves, and as a result, we are sometimes priced out of the market when we feel reality has been left too far behind.

When the chips are down, your *own* judgment is the primary consideration. Bid what *the* note is worth to *you*. If you bid *all* you want to pay, whether you are successful or unsuccessful in getting the note, you will feel better. You won't feel badly seeing the note offered for more later if you've already made your best offer. If you are successful, you will know that your appreciation of the note translated into more dollars than anyone else's. Good luck.

ABBREVIATIONS AND EXPLANATIONS

- * — Only National Bank at this location during the note issue period.
- ** — Bank remains in business today.
- () — Charter number does not appear on note.
- G — Good
- VG — Very Good
- F — Fine
- VF — Very Fine
- XF — Extremely Fine
- AU — About Uncirculated
- CU — Crisp Uncirculated
- Ty II — In 1929 series a Type two

INTRODUCTION

Welcome to our second annual sealed bid mail auction of National Bank Notes. The great success of our sale last year has encouraged us to make a special effort to assemble a group of rare and unique notes with emphasis on interesting names and better types and condition. Many of these notes have never appeared previously on the numismatic market. Others have been unavailable for many years. We feel that this sale presents a great opportunity for the collector to acquire notes of outstanding rarity and appeal.

Louis Van Belkum III has completed the monumental task of abstracting the individual issue data on every one of our 14,320 National Banks. This work required many visits to the National Archives in Washington and a vast amount of physical effort in the handling of the oversized ledgers containing the information, to say nothing of converting many thousands of figures to a card for each bank. This work has been supported and financed by the participation of many collectors in all areas of the country.

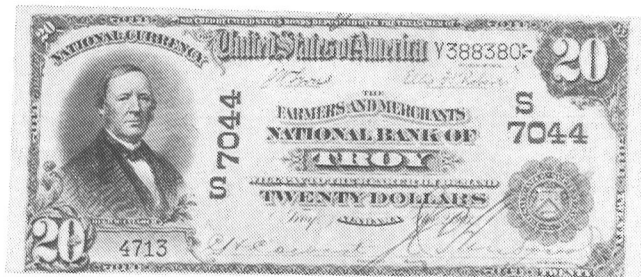
In order to familiarize collectors with this data and a first step in making portions of it available, we are including with every note in this sale, the complete data on the bank that issued the note. We illustrate a sample to show the form in which this data is compiled.

<i>The Merchants and Farmers N.B. of Greensburg</i>	#2562
— chartered on Sept. 19, 1881	
— placed in voluntary liquidation on Nov. 26, 1929; cap. —	\$150,000.
— absorbed by the Union Trust Company of Greensburg	
— Circulation Issued	
— First Charter Series of 1875	
5- 5- 5- 5 plate = \$ 60,000. worth; serials	1 to 3000
10-10-10-20 plate = \$368,300. worth; serials	1 to 7366
— Second Charter Brown Backs	
10-10-10-20 plate = \$340,000. worth; serials	1 to 6800
— Second Charter 1882-1908 Backs	
10-10-10-20 plate = \$395,000. worth; serials	1 to 7900
— Second Charter Denominational Backs	
10-10-10-20 plate = \$255,400. worth; serials	7901 to 13008
— Third Charter Plain Back Blue Seals	
10-10-10-20 plate = \$586,650. worth; serials	1 to 11733
— Small Size	
\$10. type 1 = \$11,450. worth; serials 1 to 191	
\$20. type 1 = \$ 1,800 worth; serials 1 to 15	
— Total amount of circulation issued = \$2,018,600.	
— Amount outstanding at close = \$ 99,150.	
— Amount of large out. at close = \$ 85,900.	

It is our hope that the knowledge of the types and denominations issued will add to the appreciation we have for the surviving specimens.

We are proud of the notes we have assembled for this sale. We are confident that those of you who are successful bidders will be proud to own them. As we say on all our lists: Happy Hunting!

ALABAMA



- 1 \$20 1902RS *The Farmers and Merchants N.B. of Troy* S-7044 VF
A rare Alabama Red Seal to start this sale. Red Seal collectors have a great opportunity to extend their collections. We are offering over 30 desirable notes in this sale. Very choice brown pen signatures of C.H. Cowart and J.C. Henderson V.
Worth a liberal bid in the range of — \$500.
- 2 \$5** 1882dts *The First N.B. of Troy* S-5593 F
Fr. #537. A very scarce type for Alabama and with better than average color and centering. J.D. Murphee and J.S. Carroll, signatures.
Worth a bid in the range of — \$250.

ALASKA

- 3 \$20 1902 *The First N.B. of Juneau* P-5117 F+
Fr. #658. This note remains a great rarity and one of the most difficult state capital notes to obtain. Offered in our sale of last April where it realized \$2050., now another opportunity is here to acquire this great note. One of only a half dozen known in large size, of which two are rust damaged, we feel this note worthy of bids in the range of — \$2500. or more.

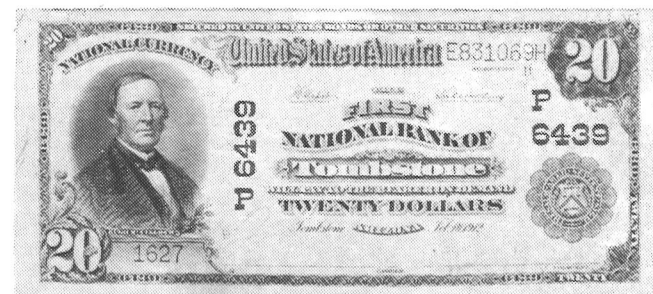


- 4 \$20 1929 *The First N.B. of Juneau* 5117 VF+
For the first time at public sale, we offer the identical note illustrated on the frontispiece of the Warns-Van Belkum-Huntoon Blue book, "The National Bank Note Issues of 1929-1935". Having had the honor and pleasure of handling the other two great notes shown there, we are proud to offer the third and last of these. Cut close at top left with a small tear, top margin, this note is otherwise in an exceptional state of preservation, bright and crisp appearing. A worthy note for even the finest collection.
Bids would be justified in the range of — \$1500.-\$2000.

ARIZONA



- 5 \$5* 1902 *The First N.B. of Flagstaff* 11120 G
Great name in western lore. From a buried grubstake found at Snowflake, Arizona. Sigs. of M.J. Riordan and A.F. Grimmel. Although the note has been subjected to water and some rust from the can it was in, and is dark in color, it survived with only minor eroding away at the right end. There are also two tears on the left end and a piece of the note was almost torn from the rest of the note, but it is all there. Please note photo. Bid all it is worth to you; we feel it will realize in the area of — \$175. As a top grade note, if available, would be worth near — \$1000.



- 6 \$20 1902 *The First N.B. of Tombstone* P-6439 XF
Fr. #654. From the "town to tough to die." Scene of the famous gun fight at the O.K. Corral with Wyatt Earp and "Doc" Holliday against the Clantons. Great rarity and condition, plus the romance of the name, makes this note the pre-eminent western note of the third charter. Clean and bright with extra wide margins. Sigs are faint but visible. We anticipate bidding will fall in the range of — \$3000.-\$5000.

ARKANSAS

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7 \$20 1902dts *The First N.B. of Forrest City* S-10550 VF
Fr. #646. A beautiful note with brown and blue pen signatures of Eug. Williams and E.A. Rolfe. Quite scarce with 1902 series, only, being issued. Well worth — \$250. or more.

8 \$5-\$5-\$5-\$5 1902 *The First N.B. in Siloam Springs* 13274 CU
Fr. #611. A scarce uncut sheet. Folded three times: bottom of first note, in top of fourth note and between second and third notes. Folds are very light and show only the reverse. Sheet bid must exceed four times the highest single note bid. Single note estimate — \$500.
Sheet — \$2000.
Notes pictured on inside back cover.

CALIFORNIA

9 \$5 1902 *The First N.B. of Bellflower* P-12328 AU
Serial #2. Very scarce and desirable Los Angeles County note. Choice pen signatures of R.V. Bashore and F.E. Woodruff.
Bidding for this choice note should be in the range of — \$300.

10 \$5 1902 *The First N.B. of Crows Landing* 9765 AU
Fr. #601. A beautiful note with one of the great town names to be found on any national. Choice brown pen signatures of Geo. W. Fink and Lloyd McAuley V. Impossible to estimate the desirability of this presently unique note. Worth all the market will bear.



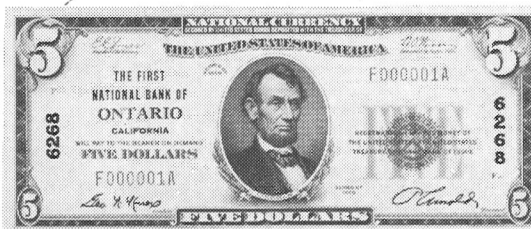
11 \$5 1902PB *The First N.B. of Hermosa Beach* 12209 F +
Fr. #609. A rare Los Angeles County note. A nice clean pleasing note with vivid purple signatures of G.S. Thatcher and R.E. Matteson. We anticipate bids in excess of — \$250.

12 \$10 1929 *The First N.B. of Mountain View* 10324 F
Great town name on this scarce Santa Clara County note. Located just south of San Francisco Bay. J.J. Taylor and Roger Sherman, sigs. Bids should exceed — \$100.

13 \$5** 1929 *The First N.B. of Ontario* 6268 CU
Serial #F000001A. Very choice centering and condition. Geo. A. Knox and Oscar Arnold, signatures. From San Bernadino County. Worth in the range of — \$200.

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14 \$10 1929 *Palo Alto N.B. Palo Alto* 13212 AXF
Attractive note from the home of Sanford University. No large size from this bank. Serial #B000051A. Worth a liberal bid in the range of — \$100.



15 \$10 1875 *The First N. Gold B. of Petaluma* 2193 F
Fr. #1149. Very rare. Only 5.2% of the Gold Bank Notes came from this bank. \$930. remained unredeemed in 1910. Far above average, this well-centered specimen has nice brown pen signatures of H.H. Atwater and I.G. Wickersham. Should realize in the range of — \$2500.-\$3000.

16 \$20 1929II *The First N.B. of Redondo* 8143 VF
From Los Angeles County. Sigs of C.H. Williams and J.E. Walker. A nice clean note worth — \$125. or more.

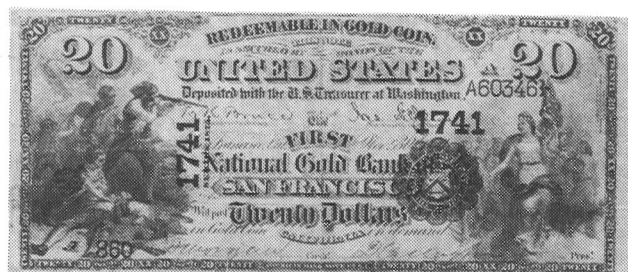
17 \$5** 1929II *Bank of American N. Trust and Savings Association San Francisco* 13044 AVF
Serial #B022451. Issued in the "B" prefix by this bank only. Many thousands of those were destroyed unissued in 1935. This specimen is one of the better condition of the handful that survived. A desirable addition to any collection. We anticipate bids in excess of — \$100.

18 \$100** 1929II *Bank of America N. Trust and Savings Association San Francisco* 13044 XF
Superior specimen of this elusive type. Not enough of these to go around. Worth in the range of — \$200. or more.

19 \$5** Orig. *The First N. Gold B. of San Francisco* 1741 AVF
Fr. #1136. Very bright, superior specimen with excellent color and full end margins. Variety with charter number. Nice pen signatures of D. Morgan and R.C. Woolworth. You won't have to upgrade this one. Worth — \$1200.-\$1500.

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- 20 \$20** 1875 *The First N. Gold B. of San Francisco* 1741 F +
Fr. #1152. The super rare variety printed on white paper. Issued only by this bank and with only 3 specimens known to have survived. From a 20-20-20-20 plate. Remarkably well preserved, with vivid overprint and good end margins.
Worth whatever it brings and should realize in the range of — \$5000.

COLORADO



- 21 \$5** 1875 *The Colorado N.B. of Denver, Colorado Territory* 1651 VG
Fr. #401. To our best knowledge this note is unique for this type and denomination. In fact, all other territorial notes known from this bank are the Original Series. Pen signed by an assistant cashier and C.B. Kountz. Worthy of bids in excess of — \$1500.
- 22 \$50** 1929 *The First N.B. of Pueblo* 1833 AU
Barely handled, well-centered and well worth a bid of — \$125. or more.

CONNECTICUT



- 23 \$2** Orig. *The Hartford N.B.* 1338 UNC.
Fr. #387. A beautiful and significant note. Pen signed by W.S. Bridgman and Jas. Bolter. Col. Bolter purchased the first travel accident policy ever sold in America on March 1st, 1864. James G. Batterson, founder of the Travelers Insurance Co., collected a premium of 2¢ from Col. Bolter to cover him for \$5000 while walking from the Post Office to his home. The two flying eagle cents involved are still retained in the archives of the Travelers Insurance Co. This historic note has only counting soil at right end to impair its great beauty.
Rare, choice and desirable and should realize in excess of — \$2000.
- 24 \$20 1902RS *The Phoenix N.B. of Hartford* N-670 VG +
Fr. #649. The only Red Seal we've seen from this bank. Wide margins on three sides and bold signatures of L.P. Broadhurst and F.L. Bunche. Should realize in the range of — \$200.

DELAWARE

- 25 \$5* 1929 *The Delaware City N.B. Delaware City* 1332 XF/VF
A really bright and handsome note from a small community of less than 2000 at the end of the Chesapeake and Delaware Canal. Sure to inspire bids in the range of — \$200.
- 26 \$10 1902 *The First N.B. of Felton* E-9132 F +
Fr. #626. A very rare and possibly unique note from one of Delaware's smaller communities with a national bank. The bank issued this denomination only, and for less than 11 years, bowing out in 1917. Worth whatever it costs and should exceed — \$500.

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- 27 \$10 1882BB *The First N.B. of Milford* E-2340 AU + -UNC.
Fr. #487. An outstanding and beautiful note, virtually flawless and certainly rare. Much rarer than First Charter Delaware notes. A show piece for any collection, and sure to inspire bids in the range of — \$1000.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA



- 28 \$5 Orig. *The First N.B. of Washington, D.C.* (26) F-VF
Fr. #394. This was Jay Cooke's bank (he also organized charter #1). The first national bank notes printed were for this bank, and they were also the first notes to be issued, Dec. 21, 1863. Included with this great rarity is the main title die vignette. Pen signed by W.S. Huntington and H.D. Cooke. Worth whatever it costs and should exceed — \$1000.

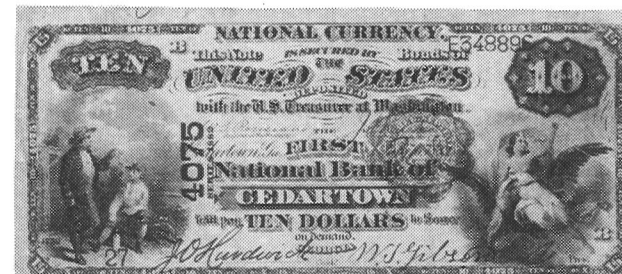
FLORIDA

- 29 \$10 1902 *The First N.B. of De Land* 9657 VG-F
Fr. #653. A very scarce note from Volusia County seat, located 22 miles WSW of Daytona Beach. Sigs: A.B. Prather and D.B. Tuten. Well worth a bid in the range of — \$250.-\$300.



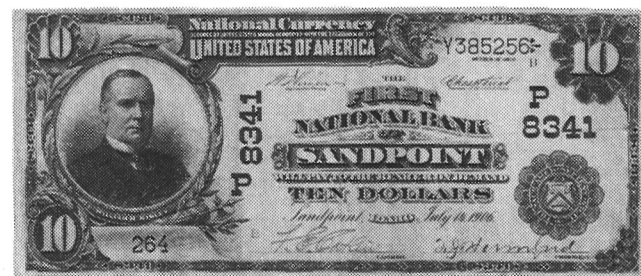
- 30 \$20** 1902RS *The First N.B. of Miami* S-6370 VG
Fr. #647. A blockbuster of a Red Seal from Florida's most popular city. Only one other Red Seal known, and very few large size in any condition. Sure to inspire bids that will reach or exceed — \$2000.

GEORGIA



- 31 \$10 1882BB *The First N.B. of Cedartown* 4075 F-VF
Fr. #484. A super rare and presently unique note, and likely to remain so. Part of the first shipment of notes to this short-lived bank. Vertical charter number variety with bold and handsome brown pen signatures of J.O. Hardwick and W.T. Thompson V. Receiver closed in 1893, with only \$210 outstanding in 1916. This great rarity sure to inspire liberal bids likely to exceed — \$500.
- 32 \$20* 1902 *The First N.B. of Hawkinsville* S-7580 UNC.
Fr. #650. This beautiful note is from South Central Georgia. The bank bowed out in 1924. Purple sigs are faint. Certainly a better Georgia note both in condition and location. Bids will probably reach or exceed — \$350.

IDAHO



- 32a \$10 1902RS *The First N.B. of Sandpoint* P-8341 F-VF
Fr. #623. We consider this note to be one of the great Red Seals extant. One of only 900 pieces of this denomination issued by this bank, which was the third smallest issue in the state of Idaho. Sure to inspire spirited bidding likely to approach — \$2000.

ILLINOIS

- 33 \$20 1902RS *The Calumet N.B. of Chicago* M-3102 F
Fr. #647. A rare Chicago Red Seal. Nice brown pen signatures of D. McGrath and John Cunnea. Worth — \$150. or more.

- 34 \$5-\$5-\$5-\$5**-* 1902 *First N.B. of Cicero* 11662 UNC.
Fr. #607. Rare. Only denomination issued. Fold right along bottom of fourth note. Sheet bid must exceed the high bid for a single note by over four times or sheet will be cut. Notes pictured on inside back cover. Bids per note are anticipated in the range of — \$150.



- 35 \$10 1882VB *The LaSalle N.B.* M-2053 CU
Fr. #577. Bright and fresh. Cut close at top, otherwise wide, full margins. Red signatures. A very elusive type in this grade. Probably will realize — \$500. +
- 36 \$10* 1902 *The First N.B. of Le Roy* 6586 AXF
Fr. #624. First note on Le Roy we've seen, and it's a beauty with very little circulation. Red signatures of R.E. Kimler and H.A. Crumbrigh. This scarce, scarce town and interesting name should merit bids well in excess of — \$100.

INDIANA

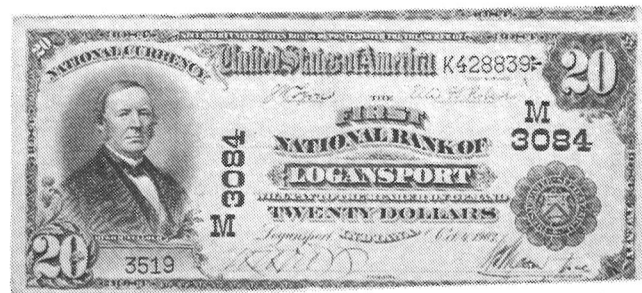
- 37 \$20 1929 *The Continental N.B. of Indianapolis* 9537 AVF
Very elusive Indianapolis note. Sigs of W.H. Polk and R.W. Spiegel. Should be worth — \$50. or more.

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- 38 \$5 Orig. *The First N.B. of Laurenceburgh* (82) GEM
Probably the rarest item in this catalog. This superb **proof** of the obverse plate is as vivid and brilliant as the day it was made and is of the utmost rarity. From the estate of Robert S. Jones (1840-1908). Engraver for the Continental Bank Note Company. This was the only proof of an entire note in his estate and is one of only three known to exist in private hands. Worth whatever it brings and will surely exceed — \$1000.

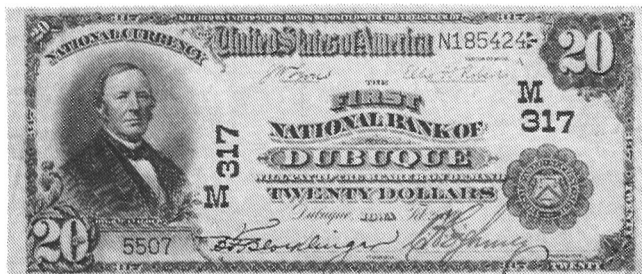


- 39 \$20 1902RS *The First N.B. of Logansport* M-3084 F-VF
Fr. #647. Bright and attractive, but cut into note above. Nice brown pen signatures of W.W. Ross and W.T. Wilson, Vice. Well worth in the range of — 1200.
- 40 \$10**-* 1929 *The Tennyson N.B. Tennyson* 8956 VG-F
Very scarce note from a town of 386 in 1929. T.S. Phillips and Wm. Skelton, sigs. Should realize in the range of — \$50.
- 41 \$5 1902RS *The McKean N.B. of Terre Haute* M-7922 AU-UNC.
Fr. #596. A peach of a Red Seal. Serial #5 with beautiful brown pen signatures of S.C. and W.R. McKean on a private name bank. Only counting mark from pristine. A showpiece of a note and worth in the range of — \$300.

IOWA

- 42 \$5 1902 *The Consolidated N.B. of Dubuque* 2327 GEM UNC.
Fr. #606. An absolutely flawless, choice note with beautiful engraved signatures of Jos. W. Meyer and J.K. Deming. Well worth over — \$100.

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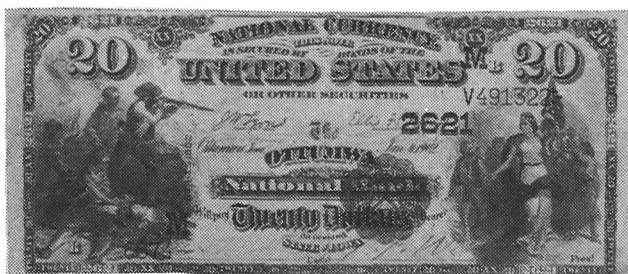


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43 \$20** 1902RS *The First N.B. of Dubuque* M-317 VF
Fr. #647. From Iowa's second oldest National Bank still in business. Beautifully pen signed in brown ink by B.F. Blocklinger and C.H. Eighmey. Well worth — \$350. or more.

44 \$10 1902 *The Grundy County N.B. of Grundy Center* M-3396 F +
Fr. #628. Better Iowa note in a very acceptable specimen. Particularly vivid ink on this one. Sigs. of Vernon H. Wilson and G.C. Allison. Worth over — \$100.

45 \$10*** 1882dts *The First N.B. of Oelwein* M-5778 VF
Fr. #545. Beautiful pen signatures on this scarce type; C.B. Chambers and A. Hanson. Hanson was one of the organizers of this bank and the original cashier. Well worth — \$200.



46 \$20 1882dts *The Ottumwa N.B.* M-2621 AF
Fr. #581. A very elusive type, particularly scarce in Iowa notes. Worth a bid in the range of — \$200.

47 \$10 1902 *The First N.B. of Sioux City* M-1757 AU
Fr. #627. Top quality, bright and beautiful. Sigs: O.D. Pettit and John J. Large. Worth — \$100 +

48 \$10*** 1902dts *The First N.B. of Sumner* M-8198 UNC.
Fr. #614. Choice quality. Dated back notes in UNC. are very difficult to obtain. Worth a liberal bid in the range of — \$150.

49 \$20 1882BB *The Leavitt and Johnson N.B. of Waterloo* M-5120 F +
Fr. #504. Presentable note from Iowa's oldest financial institution, with a history back to 1856 and still surviving as a loan and trust co. Brown pen signatures of Ira Rodamar and D.E. Sedgwick. Included with this note is Rodamar's obituary dated 3-21-55. Certainly worth — \$150. or more.

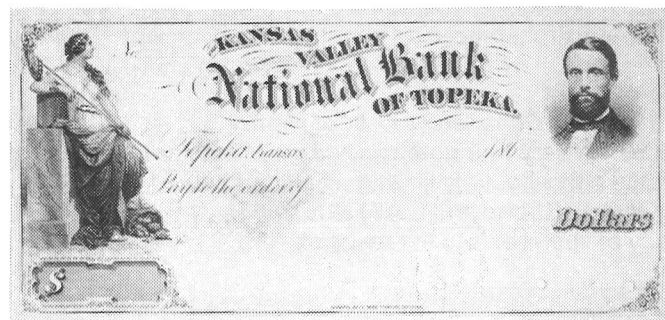
50 \$5 1902 *The Leavitt and Johnson N.B. of Waterloo* M-5120 XF
Fr. #606. Attractive specimen from this private name bank, one of the five in Iowa. Fred H. Wray and Ira Rodamar Sigs. Worth — \$60. or more.

51 \$5 1902 *The Pioneer N.B. of Waterloo* 5120 AVF
Fr. #606. New title of the Leavitt and Johnson N.B., adopted 5-26-56, and with the same sigs. of Wray and Rodamar. Only denomination issued. Should realize about — \$50. or so.

52 \$20 1902 *The First N.B. of Waukon* M-4921 F
Fr. #656. From the NE corner of Iowa. Delicate brown pen signatures of A.T. Nierling and O.J. Hagen. Bank closed by receiver in Jan., 1926. Worth — \$100 +

KANSAS

53 \$10** 1882BB *The Peoples N.B. of Clay Center* W-3345 AVF
Fr. #481. From Clay County in NE central Kansas, NW of Manhattan. Nice even chocolate brown, with full margins. Bidding should be brisk and exceed — \$300.



54 Check *Proof of Kansas Valley N.B. of Topeka*
Light foxing, otherwise XF. Printed on stiff paper. National Bank Note Co. imprint. Should be worthy of a bid in the range of — \$50.-\$60.

KENTUCKY



55 \$20 1902dts *The N.B. of John A. Black of Barbourville* S-7284 XF
Fr. #639. A really great and unique title on this rare note. Signed by John A. Black. This combination of rarity, interesting title and condition should inspire bids well in excess of — \$500.



- 56 \$10 1902RS *The Citizens N.B. of Glasgow* S-8439 VG
Fr. #623. From a rare Kentucky bank. Nice brown pen signatures of E.F. Jewell A., and S.P. Depp. Should realize in the range of — \$200.
- 57 \$10 1902RS *The Second N.B. of Lexington* S-2901 VF-XF
Fr. #621. A bright and attractive note. J.P. Shaw and D.H. Jaures signatures. Probably realize about — \$350.

LOUISIANA

- 58 \$20 1902 *The Commercial N.B. of Homer* S-11638 AVF
Fr. #659. A very rare note and a dandy first name, from a bank that operated only about a year and a half and bowed out in 1921. Signatures of G.F. Stroud and E.A. Felton. Worthy of liberal bids in the range of — \$300.



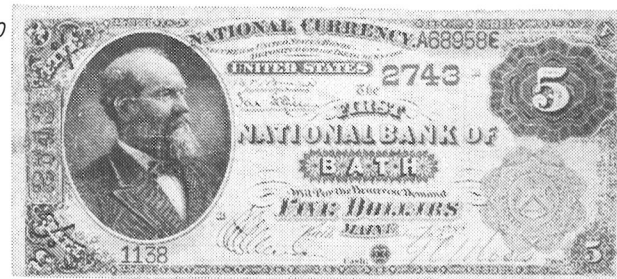
- 59 \$50 1902RS *The Whitney-Central N.B. of New Orleans* S-3069 F+
Fr. #673. Truly a rarity. From one of only three Louisiana banks that issued this type and denomination for a total of only 4441 pieces. Good borders, a lot of body and bold signatures of Jno. B. Ferguson and Charles Godchaux. Spirited bidding is anticipated in the range of — \$1500.

MAINE

- 60 \$5 1882BB *The First N.B. of Bath* 2743 AF
Fr. #466. Definitely a better Maine brown back. From the successor to Maine's First N.B. Nice brown pen signatures of W.D. Mussenden and G.C. Moser. Worth in the range of — \$250.

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Lot 60



- 61 \$10 1902 *The Rockland N.B.* 1446 AVF
Fr. #624. From the resort community on Penobscot Bay. Sigs. of Joseph W. and H.E. Robinson. Worth — \$125. +

MARYLAND

- 62 \$5 1875 *The N. Union B. of Maryland at Baltimore* 1489 F-VF
Fr. #405. Reverse bears the First Maryland and seal. E. Mickle and Wm. W. Taylor sigs. pen signed. Well worth in the range of — \$300.

MASSACHUSETTS

- 63 \$5 1882BB *The First N.B. of Barre* 2685 VF
Fr. #466. Vanity cashiers signature on this rare note. Pen signed by F.A. Rich and N.L. Johnson in brown ink. Bank bowed out in 1912. Worth a liberal bid in the range of — \$150. +



- 64 \$10 1875 *The Boylston N.B. of Boston* 545 XF
Fr. #416. Crisp with blue end paper. Close trim and a couple of heavy folds but exceptionally clean and vivid, with nice brown pen signatures of D.S. Waterman and J.T. Bailey. Worth in the range of — \$500.
- 65 \$1 1875 *The Columbian N.B. of Boston* 1029 UNC.
Fr. #383. Great color and vanity cashiers signature on this one. Trimmed close at top and both ends. Counting mark on right end. Still a beauty and worth in the range of — \$350.
- 66 \$2 1875 *The Merchandise N.B. of Boston* 2304 AU
Fr. #390. "Blue end paper" variety, the most attractive and rarest of the \$1 and \$2's. Only counting marks from pristine. A better note would be worth 1/3 more. Worth today in the range of — \$1000.



- 67 \$10 1929II *The First N.B. of Easthampton* 428 CU
This is as fresh, well-centered Type 2 \$10 as you will find. We have seen notes like these offered as high as \$60., but we feel nearer to half that is the true value.

- 68 \$5*- 1902 *The Lenox N.B.* N-4013
Fr. #600. A cut sheet of four beautiful notes. Lot 1552 in the great Grinnell sale. Bid on one, two, three or four notes.
Should realize in the range of — \$100. ea.

- 69 \$20 1875 *The Randolph N.B.* 558 XF
Fr. #431. A beautiful note in very desirable condition. The reverse is particularly nice. From a rare town and bank for Mass. We note an ad to purchase \$20 FCP notes at \$2000.
This beauty should inspire bids in the range of — \$800.-\$1000.

- 70 \$5 1882BB *The Second N.B. of Springfield* 181 UNC.
Fr. #466. Bright and beautiful, but trimmed on both ends. Two small glue spots on reverse at top. Beautiful pen signatures of C.H. Churchill and Gurdon Bill in brown ink. Worth — \$250. or more.

MICHIGAN

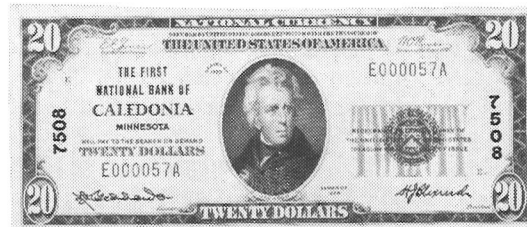
- 71 \$50 1882dts *The N.B. of Ionia* M-5789 F-VF
Fr. #563. A super rare type for Michigan and possibly unique. Certainly unknown to Grinnell who assembled a remarkable Michigan collection. This is an honest well-centered note, pen signed by M.M. McGeary and H. Weber — \$700.-\$1000.

- 72 \$10** 1902RS *The First N.B. of Menominee* M-3256 F
Fr. #621. A nice honest Red Seal in acceptable condition. Signatures G.A. Blesch and A. Spies. Worth in the range of — \$200.

MINNESOTA

- 73 \$20 1902RS *The First N.B. of Albert Lea* M-3560 F
Fr. #649. A rare and attractive note. Town named for Lt. Albert Lea of the U.S. Army. Nice brown pen signatures of Ben H. Clement A. and C.B. Kellar. Well worth in the range of — \$300.

- 74 \$10 1902RS *The Farmers N.B. of Blue Earth* M-7641 VG-F
Fr. #621. A great agricultural title on this rare note. F.H. Davis and Geo. D. McArthur signatures.
Should inspire bids in the range of — \$300. +



- 75 \$20 1929I *The First N.B. of Caledonia* 7508 CU
Very rare and choice. Total issue of this series little more than pocket change. #57 of a total of 59 sheets of this denomination. Signatures of L.J. Beddon and H.J. Blexrud. Probably reach the range of — \$200.

- 76 \$10** 1902 *The First N.B. of Deerwood* 9703 F-VF
Fr. #627. From Crow Wing County. Population of Deerwood when this note was issued was 352. Signatures of F.W. Schwanke and Rob't H. Keyes. Worthy of a bid in the range of — \$150.

- 77 \$10** 1902dts *The First N.B. of Elbow Lake* M-4617 VF
Fr. #616. A very attractive note with beautiful brown pen signatures of Lars Lynne and W.E. Landeene. Great bank titles like this are hard to estimate but bidding is anticipated in the range of — \$200. +

- 78 \$10 1902RS *The N. German B. of Saint Paul* M-2943 VG
Fr. #621. Very rare. Bank closed 11-17-12. Stain on left border. Signatures of H. Von der Weyer and J.W. Lusk.
This rare note should inspire in excess of — \$200.

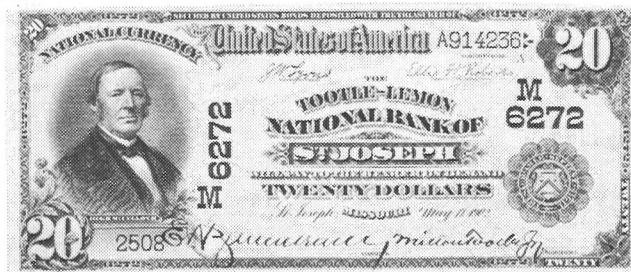
- 79 \$50** 1929II *The Winona N. and Savings B.* 10865 AVF
Very rare type from anywhere. Mounted in heavy plastic with typed legend: "This note is from one of only two Minnesota banks to issue this type. Quantity printed: 264 delivered to bank December 16, 1933."
Worth whatever it costs and should exceed — \$300.

MISSISSIPPI

- 80 \$10** 1902 *The First N.B. of West Point* S-2891 VF
Vivid purple sigs of Pierce B. and Arthur Dugan. From the only National Bank in Clay County.
This high grade Mississippi note is surely worth — \$375.

MISSOURI

Lot 81



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- 81 \$20 1902RS *The Tootle-Lemon N.B. of St. Joseph* M-6272 CU
Fr. #647. A real winner. Great private name title, beautiful brown pen signatures of E.N. Zimmerman and Milton Tootle, Jr. and tops in quality. Well worth reaching for. Should realize in the range of — \$500.
- 82 \$50 1882dts *The State N.B. of St. Louis* M-5172 AU +
Fr. #653. Rare, rare type in virtually flawless condition. One hardly noticeable center fold from GEM. Well-centered and with signatures. We know of no other of this type from Missouri. Sure to inspire liberal bids in excess of — \$1000.

MONTANA



- 83 \$10 1882BB *The N.B. of Montana, Helena* 5671 XF-AU
Fr. #490. A really attractive, barely handled note. Well-centered and beautifully pen signed in brown ink by W.H. Dickinson and A.L. Smith Vice. Sure inspire spirited bidding in the range of — \$1500.-\$2000.

NEBRASKA

- 84 \$50** 1902PB *The First N.B. of Fairbury* 2994 AU
Fr. #675. A barely handled, beautiful note, cut close at top but bright and fresh. Bold signatures of R.S. Wilfley and Luther Bonham. Sure to attract spirited bidding in the range of — \$500.
- 85 \$20 1902dts *The First N.B. of Harrison* W-8888 VF
Fr. #641. One of the rarest and most interesting Nebraska 3rd charter notes extant. Great charter number and pleasing state of preservation. Signatures of W.H. Davis and A.L. Schnorr V. Worth whatever it brings and will probably exceed — \$300.
- 86 \$10 1902dts *The First N.B. of Hemingford* W-10242 F+ -VG
Fr. #617. As rare as the last and with a total issue of only \$38,750 in about 11 years. Bold and vivid purple signatures of H.B. and Calvin Wildy. This note is presently unique to our best knowledge and very likely to remain so. Worth a liberal bid in the range of — \$300.
- 87 \$10 1929 *Nebraska City N.B.* 1855 AU
From another town named for the state and envisioned by its founders to be the principle city in the state. — \$75.



- 88 \$20 1902RS *The First N.B. of Wolbach* W-8413 F
Fr. #649. Rust damage at upper right border as shown in photo. Even rarer than the two preceding with a total issue of \$26,600 in less than eight years. Brown pen sigs. Population of Wolbach when issued was 800. Presently unique, and worth a liberal bid in the range of — \$500.

NEVADA



- 89 Gem Proof of the rarest of all state seals. Mounted on 3 x 3 1/4" stiff embossed backing and in a magnificent state of preservation. Extremely rare and worth a liberal bid.
- 90 \$50 1929 *The Reno N.B. Reno* 8424 F+
Only this bank issued this denomination in Nevada. A desirable note and worthy of a bid approaching — \$500.

NEW HAMPSHIRE

- 91 \$20 1875 *The Mechanics N.B. of Concord* 2447 F+
Fr. #434. Closely trimmed as is usual for early notes from this area. First note we've seen of this type and denomination from New Hampshire's capital. Nice signatures of J.A. Winot and Edgar H. Woodman. Well worth a bid in the range of — \$500.

Lot 92



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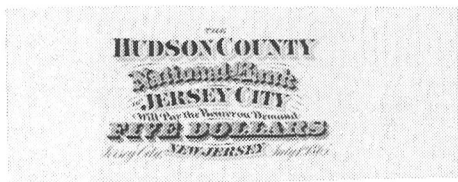
- 92 \$50** 1875 *The Mechanicks N.B. of Concord* 2447 F +
Fr. #446. A real blockbuster of a note. Blue end paper variety, and pen signed by two Winots. The \$50 First Charter Period is definitely rarer than the \$100 denomination. This note is one of only 58 total notes issued by this bank and was the smallest issue in New Hampshire. — \$5000. +

NEW JERSEY

- 93 \$5** 1882BB *The First N.B. of Bound Brook* 3866 XF
Fr. #470. A very scarce and attractive note. Handsome brown pen signatures of R.H. Brokaw and Geo. LaMonte. Bids on this beauty will probably exceed — \$250.
- 94 \$100** 1902 *The First N. State B. of Camden* E-1209 AVF
Fr. #698. Serial #48. A rare type for New Jersey. Offered on our 55th list @ \$325., erroneously described as AVG and, not surprisingly, did not sell. Now, properly graded, you can bid what you think it's worth.



- 95 Main title die vignette for The First N.B. of Jersey City, charter #374. Made by the Continental Bank Note Co. and used on First Charter Period \$5's. Beautifully preserved and worth — \$75. or more.



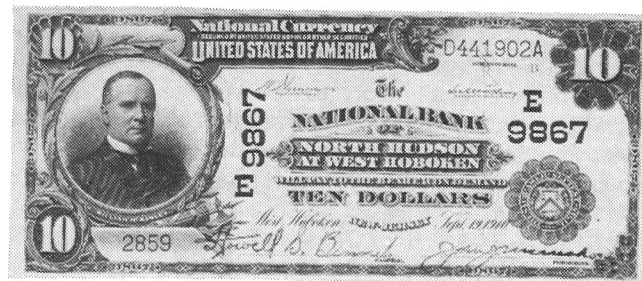
- 96 Main title die vignette for The Hudson County N.B. of Jersey City, charter #1182. As nice as the other and worth about the same.
- 97 \$20** 1929II *First N.B. in New Egypt* 13910 F +
A rare and interesting note. Only type issued, and a very small total issue. Eugene Compton and Harley Henderson, signatures. Worth a bid of — \$100. +
- 98 \$10* 1902 *The Peapack-Gladstone N.B.* 12002 G
Fr. #634. Well circulated, but rare. Total issue over four years only 24,000. Pen signed and whole. Should realize over — \$100.

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Lot 98



- 99 \$10** 1882BB *The Second N.B. of Phillipsburg* E-5556 XF +
Fr. #490. A handsome note from Warren County, NW N.J. Good color and margins. Probably realize in the range of — \$300.
- 100 \$20**-* 1929 *The Prospect Park N.B. Prospect Park* 12279 AF
Quite scarce. Located in the old Dutch area of Passaic County, N of Paterson. This bank was the strongest bank in the area in the 1930's. Sigs of H.J. Van Hook and R.P. Meyers. Should realize in the range of — \$50.
- 101 \$5 1902PB *The First N.B. of Sea Isle City* 12279 AF
Fr. #609 From a tiny (Pop. 1929, 564) Cape May County community. Well circulated, but whole. Sigs of Horace L. Rice and Edw. B. Arnett. A rare and desirable note and should inspire bidding in the range of — \$250. +



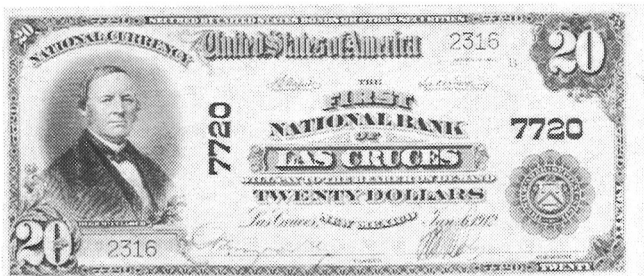
- 102 \$10 1902dts *The N.B. of N. Hudson at W. Hoboken* E-9867 AU-UNC.
Fr. #616. A premium note with a great title and a beautiful layout. Exceptionally vivid inks. One of those notes that appear almost three-dimensional. You'll really like it. Worth whatever it brings and probably will exceed — \$200.

NEW MEXICO

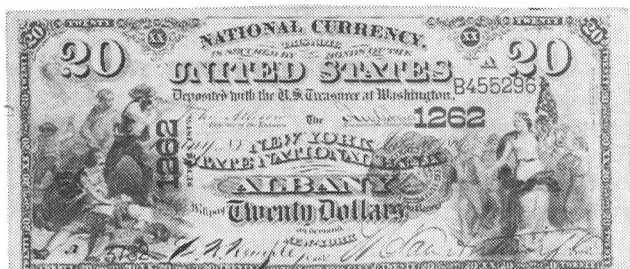
- 103 \$20**-* *The First N.B. of Las Cruces* 7720 XF
Fr. #654. A rare New Mexico note in superlative condition. Nice pen sigs, bright and attractive. Several times as rare as the commoner New Mexico notes and should realize in the \$1000 range.

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Lot 103



NEW YORK



- 104 \$20 1875 *The New York N.B. Albany* 1262 F +
Fr. #431. The only FCP note we've seen from this bank. Cut close at bottom, but otherwise unimpaired. No stains or pin holes. Attractive brown pen signatures. Great note for state capital collector. Should realize in the range of — \$500.

- 105 \$20*- 1902RS *The Putnam County N.B. of Carmel* E-976 F
Fr. #647. From the small resort and county seat of Putnam County, SE N.Y. Very delicate brown pen signatures of H. Ryder and Clayton M. Ryder. First Red Seal we've seen on this bank. Bids are anticipated to exceed — \$200.

- 106 \$10*- 1902PB *The N.B. of Coxsackie* E-1398 XF +
Fr. #624. An exceptionally bright and vivid note. From Green County village on the Hudson River south of Albany. No small notes issued although the bank still survives. Grinnell had only a AVF note on this bank. Bids should exceed — \$150.

Lot 107



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- 107 \$5* 1902 *The First N.B. of Elmsford* 12956 XF +
Fr. #609. Serial #2398. Third Charter notes don't get much rarer than this beauty. Undoubtedly Lot 2200 in the Grinnell sale. From a tiny Westchester County village. Only \$50 (10 notes) unredeemed in large size in July, 1935. Very probably unique today. Worth whatever it brings. Sure to exceed — \$200.

- chartered in July, 1926 with a capital of \$50,000.
- **Circulation Issued**
- **Third Charter Plain Back Blue Seals**
- 5-5-5 plate = \$94,280. worth; serials 1 to 4714
- **Small Size**
- \$5. type 1 = \$107,700. worth; serials 1 to 3590
- \$5. type 2 = \$ 41,340. worth; serials 1 to 8268
- Total amount of circulation issued = \$243,320.
- Amount outstanding in 1935 = \$ 25,000.
- Amount of large out. in July, 1935 = \$ 50.

- 108 \$10 1882BB *The Citizens N.B. of Fulton* E-1178 XF
Fr. #481. Serial #14242. From central N.Y. in Oswego County. Well centered and crisp, with beautiful brown pen sigs of H.E. Hannis and E.R. Redhead. This beauty should inspire bids of over — \$250.



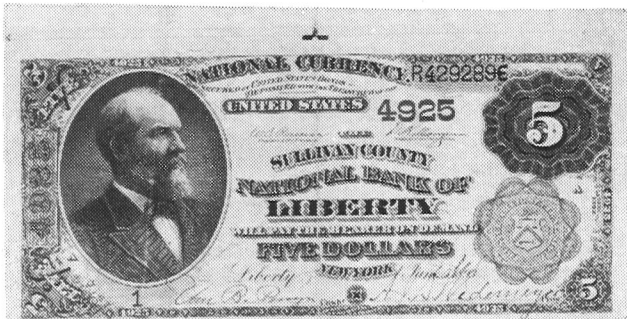
- 109 \$50 1902 *The First N.B. of Hempstead* 4880 VG-F
Fr. #679a. Napier-Thompson, Treasury signatures. Taped 1/2" corner tear, cut close at top and has seen considerable circulation. Still a rare type and a rare denomination for Long Island and should be appreciated in the range of — \$175. or so.

- 110 \$5 Orig. *The Tompkins County N.B. of Ithaca* (1561) VF
Fr. #597. Serial #1379. Lot 4129 in the great Grinnell sale. Evenly circulated, with nice pen signatures. This pedigree note should realize in the range of — \$300.

- 111 \$5 1882BB *The Sullivan County N.B. of Liberty* 4925 XF
Fr. #473. Serial #1. The top note of the first sheet issued by this bank. Mounted in heavy plastic to protect the still intact full top margin. Beautifully pen signed by Van B. Pruyn and A.J.D. Wedemeyer. Additionally, this great note bears the very rare Rosecrans-Morgan Treasury signatures. This highly desirable note is worthy of a generous bid in the range of — \$1250.

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Lot 117



- 112 \$5 1902PB *The Merchants N.B. of Middletown* E-3333 VF-XF
Fr. #598. Serial #16091. A dandy charter number and great condition make this rare note a winner. Should realize in the \$200. range.
- 113 \$10 1882BB *The Genesee River N.B. of Mount Morris* 1416 AbVF
Fr. #481. Serial #12. Definitely Lot 2352 in Grinnell. One of the few lots with serial number mentioned. Bright and attractive with brown pen signatures. Should attract bids in the range of — \$150. +
- 114 \$5 1902RS *The First N.B. of the City of New York* E-29 UNC.
Fr. #595. Vanity sig of Geo. F. Baker extends ½ way up note. A bright, beautiful Red Seal in top condition. Should realize in the range of — \$300.
- 115 \$5 1902 *The Harriman N.B. and Trust Company of the City of New York* 9955 AU-UNC.
Fr. #601. A clean and bright note from a much better N.Y.C. bank. Extra long private name bank title in an attractive layout. Should realize well over — \$100.
- 116 \$20 1882BB *The Leather Manufacturers N.B. of New York* 1196 F-VF
Fr. #495. Nice wide margins and evenly circulated. Signatures of Frank O. Roe and C.W. Magarrah. These same signatures can be found on brown backs issued by the Mechanics N.B. of N.Y. (Ch. 1215). Should realize — \$150.
- 117 \$5 1882BB *The Mechanics N.B. of the City of New York* E-1250 XF
Fr. #418. Same identical bank signatures as found on the preceding lot. Bruce-Jordan, Treasury signatures also on both notes. Should go with the other and realize in the \$150. range.
- 118 \$100 1875 *The N.B. of Commerce in New York* 733 VF
Fr. #460. Serial #439. Very rare type from J.P. Morgan's bank. Very common in brown back notes, but seldom seen in First Charter. Paper

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Lot 118



- is somewhat dark overall and the reverse has taken on a blue-green hue. No heavy folds detract from the overall even appearance of this note. In fact, other than the usual pinholes and darker color of the paper, only three or four light folds are in evidence. The note is closely trimmed except for top margin of this "A" plate note. The top left obverse corner area has a name and "5 Wall Street N.Y." penned in, probably indicating a past owner. The note has the overall appearance of an XF note, but it has little, if any, crispness so we are grading it VF overall. Very, very few of these notes have survived and those that did are seldom available. A great addition to an advanced collection and should inspire bids in the range of — \$4000.-\$5000.
- 119 \$10 1875 *The N. Shoe and Leather B. of the City of New York* 917 F-VF
Fr. #418. Serial #1820. A clean and attractive specimen, with bold black signatures of J.M. Crane and A.V. Stout. The only note of this denomination we've seen on this interesting bank — \$350.-\$500.
- 120 \$10 1875 *The N.B. of the Republic of New York* 1000 F +
Fr. #416. Great charter number on this scarcer type. Nicely centered and evenly circulated with nice brown pen signatures. Worth in the range of — \$400.
- 121 \$20**.* 1902dts *The North Creek N.B.* E-9716 F
Fr. #642. Serial #1624. Very scarce. Population of North Creek when this note was issued, 600. Pen signature of R.J. Martin, cashier. R.J. Fuller V. is faint. Good title and scarce location equals a bid in the range of — \$200.

- 122 \$5** 1882BB *The Farmers and Manufactures N.B. of Poughkeepsie* 1312 AVF
Fr. #468. Presentable brown back with fancy type layout. Tiny nick in top border. Still worthy of a bid in the— \$100. + range.
- 123 \$10 1882BB *The Farmers and Manufacturers N.B. of Poughkeepsie* 1312 AU
Fr. #481. A superior specimen, with beautiful color and choice centering. Sigs as on preceding note. This one ideal for type collector and should attract brisk bidding in the— \$250. range.
- 124 \$5 1902 *The N.B. of Watervliet* E-1265 CU
Fr. #598. Serial #3113. Bright, fresh and crisp. L.S. Bibbins and John G. Clute, signatures. Cut close at top.
Otherwise a superior note and worthy of a bid in the range of— \$150.

NORTH CAROLINA



- 125 \$10 1902 *The Commercial N.B. of High Point* 4568 VF-XF
Fr. #627. Serial #64309. A high grade and interesting N.C. note. Good signatures of C.H. Marriner and J. Elwood Cox.
Worthy of a bid in the range of— \$250.
- 126 \$5 1902dts *The First N.B. of Lumberton* S-7398 VF +
Fr. #587. A scarce beauty. Bank closed by Receiver 8-4-25. H.M. McAllister and Geo. B. McLean, signatures.
Should realize in the range of— \$300. +

NORTH DAKOTA

- 127 \$10 1902 *The Merchants N.B. of Willow City* W-7332 F
Fr. #624. Serial #1939. Population less than 500 when this rare note was issued. Good signatures of T.S. Harkinson and J.S. Odland.
Rare enough to stimulate bids in the range of— \$350. or more.

OHIO

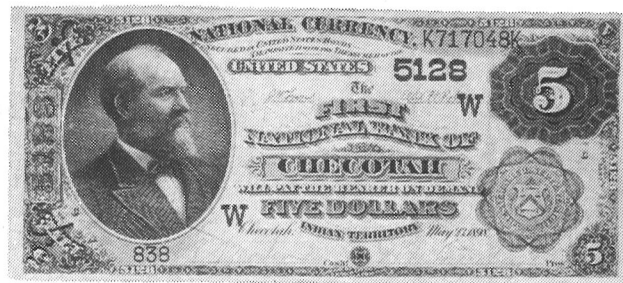
- 128 \$10 1902RS *The Fourth N.B. of Cincinnati* M-93 XF-AU
Fr. #621. Ex-Philpott. Described by him as "one light fold, otherwise superb." @ \$150. in 1971. Actually the note has three light folds but is really otherwise superb and should realize in excess of— \$200.

- 129 \$10 1902 *The First N.B. of Oak Harbor* 6632 XF-AU
Fr. #624. A rare and beautiful note from a small Ottawa County community of 1858 in 1929. Handsome sigs of Wm. Timmerman and August Kuehler, Jr. Choice names are commanding premium prices. This beauty should realize in the range of— \$200.
- 130 \$20 1902RS *The Ripley N.B.* M-2837 VF
Fr. #647. Serial #716. Delicate brown pen signatures of G.G. and G. Bambach V. help this attractive note.
Should realize in the range of— \$250.

OKLAHOMA



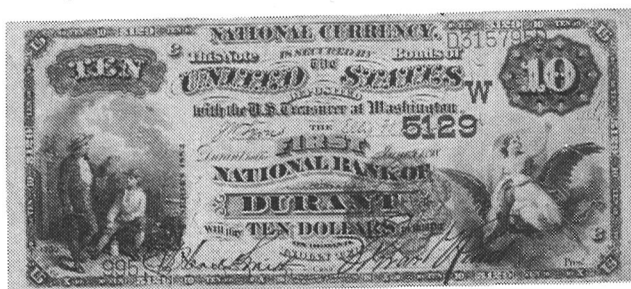
- 131 \$10 1882BB *The Exchange N.B. of Alva, Oklahoma Territory* 5587 VF/F
Fr. #490. Serial #1. Plate "A". The top note of the first sheet issued. Handsome brown pen signatures of G.E. Nikel and J.A. Stine. Only 184 sheets were issued under this title. Town was named for Alva Adams, railroad attorney, who was later governor and U.S. senator from Colorado. Presently unique, this great note should inspire spirited bidding in the— \$2500. range.



- 132 \$5 1882BB *The First N.B. of Checotah, Indian Territory* W-5128 VF/F
Fr. #477. Serial #838. A rare and exciting note from District 10, I.T. Town named for Creek chief, Samuel Checote.
Should realize in the range of— \$2000. +



- 133 \$100 1902 *The First N.B. of Chickasha* 5431 XF
Fr. #705. A seldom seen denomination outside of Oklahoma City and Tulsa. This note is one of only two known on this bank, the other being VF. Virtually invisible $\frac{3}{4}$ " tear at lower left, and trimmed close at bottom. Otherwise bright and beautiful, with sigs of Ben F. Johnson and Wm. Inman.
We anticipate bidding in excess of \$500., probably closer to — \$1000.

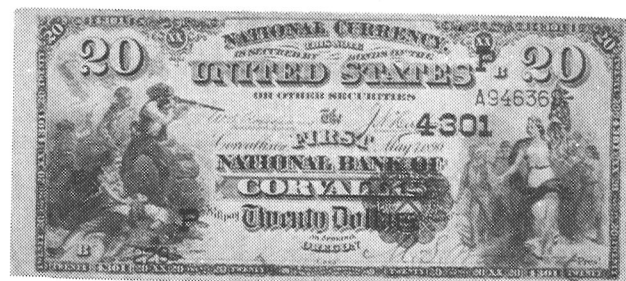


- 134 \$10 1882BB *The First N.B. of Durant, Indian Territory* W-5129 F+
Fr. #490. Serial #995. From the record town for recording district #25, I.T. and named for a Choctaw Indian family. This note is one of only two known territorial notes on this bank.
An attractive, honest note worthy of a liberal bid in the range of — \$2000.



- 135 \$10 1902RS *The Farmers N.B. of Temple, Territory of Oklahoma* W-8310 VF
Fr. #622. A particularly attractive and super rare note. Beautifully pen signed. We know of no other notes from this rare town. The bank issued territorial notes, only, for less than 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ years.
Sure to inspire bidding in the range of — \$3000.

OREGON



- 136 \$20 1882dts *The First N.B. of Corvallis* P-4301 F/VG
Fr. #549. Serial #229. The rarest type issued by this bank and rare for entire state of Oregon. Issued by only 10 of Oregon's banks. Brown pen signatures of Geo. E. Lilly and M.S. Woodcock. Whole and well-centered note worthy of a bid in the range of — \$350. +

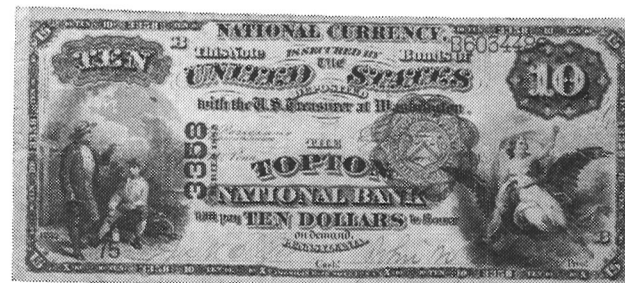
PENNSYLVANIA

- 137 \$5* 1929 *The First N.B. of Cherry Tree* 7000 F+
Great title from tiny (Pop. in 1929, 555) Indiana County community in W central Pennsylvania. Sigs of J.S. Menosky and F. Finsthwait. Probably realize in the range of — \$75. or so.
- 138 \$100 1902RS *The First N.B. of Chester* E-332 VF
Fr. #695. This type and denomination represents one of the real rarities in nationals. We note a new appreciation for all of the higher denominations in U.S. currency. This specimen has attractive signatures of J. Edward Clyde and Geo. M. Booth.
Bidding should be in the range of — \$750.
- 139 \$20 Orig. *The Columbia N.B.* 641 AG
Fr. #549. Well worn, with irregular borders, but otherwise whole and legible. A rare Lancaster County note from a town that was proposed as our national capital in 1789.
Rare enough to attract bidding in the range of — \$150.



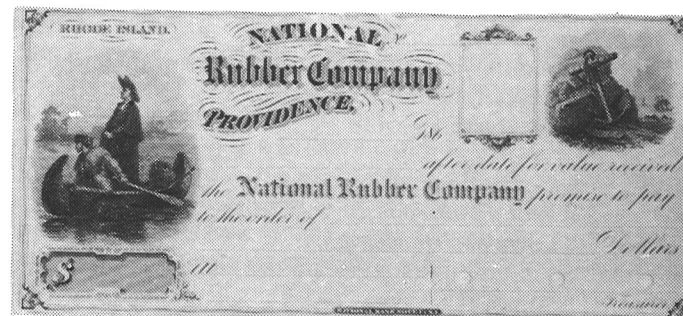
- 140 \$10 1929 *The Path Valley N.B. of Dry Run* 10811 AU
A gem of an interesting note. One light fold from CU. From a bank in a community of 200 that issued little more than pocket change. Sigs: Jno. W. Shearer and John F. Waller.
Worth a strong bid in excess of — \$200.

- 141 \$10** 1929II *The First N.B. of Honeybrook* 1676 AU
Another great title in a choice note. F. Haines Newswanger and John S. Galt, sigs. Probably realize in the— \$100. range.
- 142 \$5** 1902RS *The First N.B. of Lebanon* E-240 AVF
Fr. #595. A rare note from the county of the same name. Brown pen signatures of C.W. Few and B.D. Coleman. Worth a bid in the— \$300. range.
- 143 Gem title die proof. *The First N.B. of Milton*. Used, as are the others we are offering on the \$5 FCP notes. Charter #253 and still in business under the name First Milton N.B. Well worth— \$50. or more.
- 144 \$5 1902RS *The Girard N.B. of Philadelphia* E-592 VF
Oversized pen signatures of J. Wayne, Jr. and F.B. Reeves. Steven Girard was one of our earliest and most successful bankers. Should realize in the range of— \$200 +
- 145 \$5 1875 *The N. Security B. of Philadelphia* 1743 AU
Fr. #401. An exceptionally bright note, ideal for the type note collector. Brown pen sigs of G.W. Cox and Geo. Gelbach. On today's market, this exceptional note should attract bids in the range of— \$400.
- 146 \$5 1929 *The Textile N.B. of Philadelphia* 7502 CU
Uncut sheet, serial #6. Quite rare in 1929 series. Folded between each note. Sheet bid must exceed single note bid by over six times, or sheet will be cut. Single notes should approach— \$100.
- 147 \$5** 1902RS *The Mellon N.B. of Pittsburgh* E-6301 UNC.
Fr. #595. Serial #130. Some handling shows, but note has not been folded. Part of the first shipment of notes to this great bank. A.W. Mellon, sig. Should realize in excess of— \$250.
- 148 \$5 1902RS *The Mellon N.B. of Pittsburgh* E-6301 VG-F
Fr. #595. As preceding, except for condition. Should realize around— \$100. +
- 149 \$10 1902RS *The Miners N.B. of Pottsville* E-649 F-VF
Fr. #621. Very bright for condition. Geo. H. DeFrehn and Jacob S. Ulmer, sigs. The only Red Seal we've seen on this bank. Bids are anticipated in the range of— \$250.
- 150 Main title die proof for *The First N.B. of Providence* Ch. #521. A rare Pennsylvania bank. This proof may be all we'll ever see. Failed in 1867. Should realize in the range of— \$75.
- 151 \$10 1902RS *The Grange N.B. of Spartansburg* E-9110 VF
Fr. #621. Serial #160. This is the first Red Seal we've seen from any of Pennsylvania's Grange banks, 13 in number. This attractive and rare note is well worth a bid in the range of— \$350.



- 152 \$10 1882BB *The Topton N.B.* 3358 F
Fr. #496. Serial #75. Vertical charter number variety, used on certain early brown backs. This note is the rarest note we've ever owned that can be documented. 18,350 in \$10's and \$20's were issued over a period of 18 months in the 1880's by this bank. Total unredeemed in 1916: \$80. Bank information included with the note. From a small Berks Co. community in E central Pennsylvania. We will refund 50% of the price realized to the buyer if another note on this bank can be authenticated. A certificate accompanies note to that effect. No estimate possible, but if rarity is meaningful, a \$1000. bid could be in the offing.
- chartered on June 26, 1885
 - placed in voluntary liquidation on Dec. 28, 1886; cap. — \$50,000.
 - **Circulation Issued**
 - **Second Charter Brown Backs**
 - 10-10-10-20 plate = \$18,350. worth; serials 1 to 367
 - Total amount of circulation issued = \$18,350.
 - Amount outstanding at close = \$18,000.
 - Amount outstanding in 1910 = \$ 80.
- 153 \$10 1902PB *The First N.B. of Washington* 586 AU-UNC.
Fr. #624. A very choice, well centered note with really outstanding signatures of H.V. Hall and James P. Braden. Certainly a premium item and worthy of a liberal bid of— \$100. +

RHODE ISLAND



- 154 Check Proof on India paper, mounted on stiff paper. Two outstanding vignettes of Roger Williams and the R.I. Seal on this National Rubber Co. draft blank. National Bank Note Co. imprint new as printed with slight skinned spot at top, visible in photo. Worth more than— \$50.

- 155 \$5 1902PB *The Blackstone Canal N.B. of Providence* N-1328 F +
Bold sigs of C.P. Brown, cashier and A.R. Plant, pres. We feel bids
will fall in the range of \$50. on this above average circulated note.

SOUTH CAROLINA



- 156 \$5** 1902 *The Peoples N.B. of Rock Hill* 9407 F
The reverse of this small town bank note has a light brown stain over
parts of the left quarter. Has plain stamped sigs of C.L. Cobb and F.L.
Johnson, pres. Serial # and treasury #25083 are the same indicating
that it was issued in the late 1920's.
Has to be a scarce note and we feel bidding will be around — \$150.
- 157 \$5** 1929II *The Commercial N.B. of Spartanburg* CH. #14211
A bright crisp note from one of the last chartered banks issuing notes.
We feel value of this note to be in the — \$90.-\$100. range.

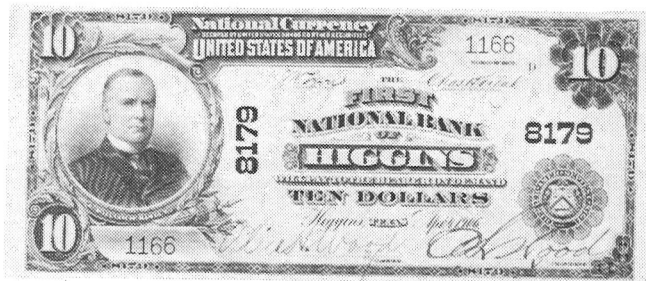
SOUTH DAKOTA

- 158 \$20 1882dts *The First N.B. of Alexandria* W-5918 F
Fr. 3555. A rare South Dakota type and from a small bank. Many
pinholes. Nice pen sigs of F.D. Packham and Geo. Ryburn V.
Worth in the range of — \$500.
- 159 \$20 1902 *The First N.B. of Deadwood* W-2391 F +
Fr. #658. Second only to Tombstone for a great Western title. Bright
and evenly circulated, but faded sigs.
Worthy of bids in the range of — \$250.

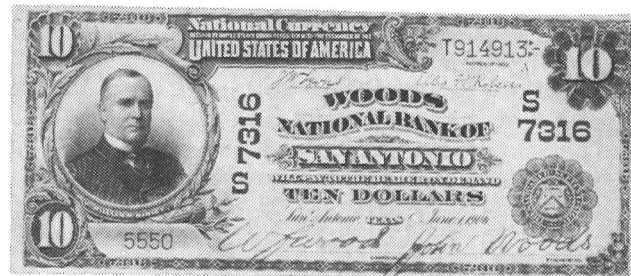
TENNESSEE

- 160 \$100** 1929 *Union Planters N.B. and Trust*
Company of Memphis 13349 AU
Barely handled, bright and fresh. Should realize — \$135. or more.
- 161 \$20 Orig. *The Third N.B. of Nashville* 1296 F
Fr. #387. Serial #939. Variety with charter number. A great note with
a great pedigree. Lot 3605 in the great Grinnell sale. Nice brown pen
sigs of Edgar Jones and Wm. Norman V. Evenly circulated and nicely
centered. Worthy of a bid in the range of — \$1000.-\$1500.

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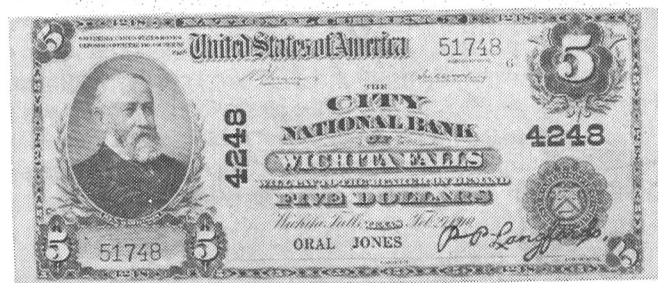
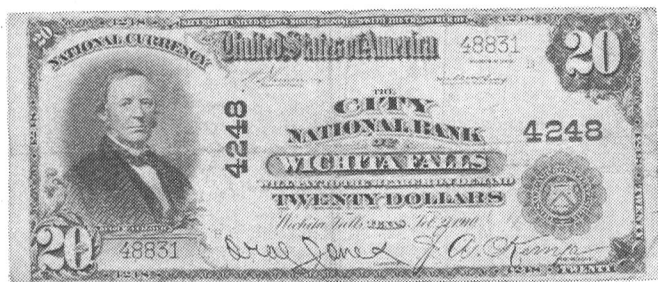


- 162 \$10 1902 *The First N.B. of Higgins* 8179 CU
Fr. #625. Very choice and very rare. Missing from the famous Philpott
Texas collection. Vivid purple pen signatures of Alice H. Wood and
A.L. Wood V. Sure to inspire spirited bidding in excess of — \$500.
- 163 \$5** 1929 *The Farmers & Merchants N.B. of Nocona* 7617 CU
Serial #1. Uncut sheet. The sheet was not folded between the notes,
but it was rolled and the right end of the roll crushed, leaving the right
end of each note crinkled. It is still a sharp looking sheet and still in Col.
Green's holder. As with the other sheets, bid on one note or the sheet.
Sheet bid must exceed single note bid by six times. Since these notes
are all #1, bids of over \$200. each are anticipated.



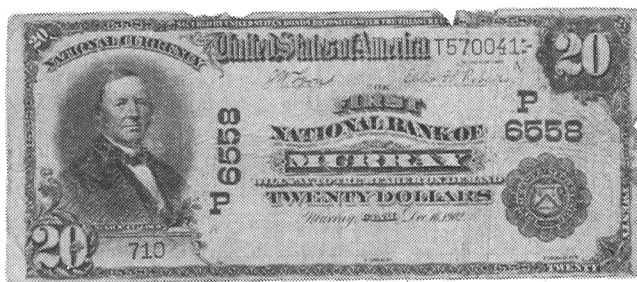
- 164 \$10 1902RS *Woods N.B. of San Antonio* S-7316 AVF
Fr. #621. Very rare. Vivid purple signatures of W.J. and John Woods.
Receiver closed this bank in 1907 after a little over three years in busi-
ness. Red Seals, only, were issued, and very few of them. An attrac-
tive and outstanding note.
We anticipate bidding in the range of — \$500.-\$750.
- 165 \$5** 1929 *Citizens N.B. in Waxahachie* 13516 CU
Serial #5. A beautiful, choice note. Carl Eagan and M.S. Singleton,
sigs. This bank operates an outstanding museum that includes a con-
siderable number of nationals. Located a few miles S of Dallas.
Probably will realize in the range of — \$150.
- 166 \$5 1902PB *The City N.B. of Wichita Falls* 4248 F
Fr. #601. Unusual cashier's signature of Oral Jones in type. We know
of only one other bank where a block type signature was used.

- 167 \$20 1902PB *The City N.B. of Wichita Falls* 4248 VG
Fr. #653. Same cashier's signature as above, but now of the engraved signature variety. Oral Jones, cashier, J.A. Kemp, pres. We feel the above two notes are worth in \$50.-\$75. range without regard to the signature.



167a The above pair of Wichita Falls notes.

UTAH



- 168 \$20 1902RS *The First N.B. of Murray* P-6558 G
Fr. #621. Well circulated and with rust nicked border in several places. Signatures are all but gone. None the less, one of three known Red Seals on the state of Utah, and, as such, highly desirable, and should reach or exceed — \$1000.

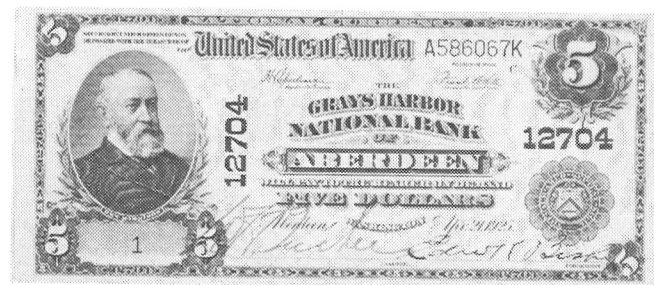
VERMONT

- 169 \$5 1875 *The Peoples N.B. of Brattleboro* 2305 VG +
A lower grade, well circulated note with a small tear in the right border. In 1923 this bank became a part of the Vermont-Peoples National Bank. — \$175.

VIRGINIA

- 170 Main title die proof *The Charlottesville N.B.* Ch. #1468
Very rare from southern banks. This one on a rare Virginia bank. At present, no notes are known from this charter. Will probably realize in excess of — \$100.
- 171 \$5 1902 *The First N.B. of Graham* S-7782 F +
Fr. #598. Very scarce, as are all notes from Graham. Both banks moved to Bluefield, W.V. Vivid blue signatures of J.E. and W.B. Morton. Trimmed on both ends. Worth a bid in the range of — \$150. +

WASHINGTON



- 172 \$5 1902 *The Grays Harbor N.B. of Aberdeen* 12704 XF
Fr. #609. Serial #1. Outstanding pen signatures of W.H. Tucker and Edw. K. Bishop. Notes like this are in a class by themselves and are worth whatever the market will bear. Spirited bidding is anticipated.



- 173 \$10 1882dts *The Vancouver N.B.* P-6013 VF-XF
Fr. #545. Only a dozen banks in Washington issued this rare type. A bright and beautiful copy, well centered and with nice red sigs. Sure to attract bids in excess of — \$500.

WEST VIRGINIA

- 174 \$5 1882dts *The Exchange N.B. of Wheeling* S-5164 VF
Black sigs of C.W. Jeffers and Lawrence E. Sand. this note represents a very scarce type for W.V. and worth in the area of — \$300.

WISCONSIN

- 175 \$10** 1902 *The First N.B. of Grand Rapids* M-1998 F
Fr. #628. Interesting note from the present Wisconsin Rapids since September, 1920. Should realize about — \$50.
- 176 \$10 1902RS *The First N.B. of Milwaukee* M-2715 F+
Fr. #621. From recharter of #64. Bright with bold sigs of F.J. Kipp and Fred Vogel, Jr. Worth a bid in the range of — \$200.-\$250.
- 177 \$5 1882BB *The N.B. of Waupaca* 4424 VG
Fr. #471. Serial #1. Well circulated and somewhat discolored. Brown backs, only, with this title. Very likely carried by one of the signers, a common practice. Brown pen signatures of W.B. Baker and R.N. Roberts. Quite rare and deserving a bid of at least — \$200. or more.
- 178 \$20* 1902 *The First N.B. of Weyauwega* 7470 F+
Fr. #650. A rare note from a small, tongue-twister of a town. Population of less than 1000 when this note was issued. Should realize in excess of — \$100.

WYOMING



- 179 \$10** 1902 *The Rawlins N.B.* 5413 F
Issued for only nine years in this series. Sigs of H.A. France and N.R. Greenfield. Very rare. We believe it to be worth in the range of — \$300.
- 180 \$20 1929 *First N.B. in Thermopolis* 12638 F+
From the last bank chartered in Wyoming to issue notes. W.T. Biven R.J. Ireland, sigs. A clean, honest note, evenly circulated. Rare and desirable and should realize in the range of — \$500.

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Prices Realized

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1	600.00	45	231.00	9 1	462.00	136	467.50
2	239.25	46	276.65	92	3937.50	137	88.00
3	2152.50	47	85.00	93	412.50	138	820.00
4	1210.00	48	181.50	94	233.75	139	264.00
5	253.00	49	200.20	95	38.50	140	275.00
6	1916.25	50	72.60	96	38.50	141	61.05
7	275.00	51	79.75	97	165.00	142	112.00
8	1700.00	52	111.00	98	172.70	143	39.60
9	520.00	53	456.50	99	137.50	144	80.00
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