

ESPHS *Bulletin* Postal History Auction #4

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

Auction closes at Midnight, August 15th, 2012. Mailed Bid Sheets must be received at the Pinehurst P.O. in time to be delivered to my box by 11 a.m. that day. Bid Sheets sent as attachments to e-mails must bear a Date/Time *before* August 16, 2012.

I will attempt to promptly confirm receipt of all Bid Sheets. I will “reply” to e-mails, or place a phone call if you provide a telephone number in place of an e-mail address.

Ask any questions, or request additional scans, as early as possible but not later than August 10th for reply by e-mail.

Fill out the Bid Sheet completely, and sign it. In the event you decide to change one or more bids later, be sure to mark the replacement Bid Sheet as such.

On the Bid Sheet, you are asked to enter the stated Minimum Bid followed by Your Bid to minimize the possibility of entering an invalid Bid.

Auction Shipping Policy:

Lots will be carefully packaged and mailed to Winners by USPS First Class service and \$1 will be added to the total of Winners' bids. If instructed on Winner's Bid Sheet to add Insurance or use a premium USPS service, the Actual Cost plus \$1 for materials will be added to the total of Winner's bids.

Honor our Uniformed Services on July 4th!

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If you enjoy our postal history auctions it is because fellow members share from their own collections. Make a point of setting aside up to five pieces you would like to “cash in”. Consign to Auction #5



Lot 1 ALBANY, N.Y. (Albany) 32mm cds and #65 tied by well struck patent cancel (inner circle cuts stamp) to Troy. Reduced at right. Sound. Min: \$10



Lot 2 Faint strike of 32mm ALBANY, N.Y. (Albany) cds ties #65 to complete 1860 Lincoln campaign cover to Boston (Weiss AL-98a) dated Nov 12 [1861?]. Rarely seen on orange paper. Min: \$500



Lot 3 Auburn (Cayuga) to Schenectady 1937 Special Delivery bears 13 1c coils and a plethora of Auburn's 30mm duplex. NY&CHI RPO and Sch'dy cds on verso. Torrid love letter included. Min: \$5



Lot 4 Faint but complete WEEDSPORT, NY (Cayuga) to Canaan 4 Corners. Avg. #65 with complete shield cxl (Whitfield 1390 - not tied). Reduced at left. Sound. Min: \$9



Lot 5 BUFFALO (Erie) 32mm cds ties #11A margin pair (w. line) to Ellicottville. Included 2011 APEX cert states genuine, Pos. 81-91R2L, 1856 brownish carmine shade. Small nick at lower left. Scott values 11A pair on cover \$70; this shade probably a bit more if listed. Min: \$50



Lot 6 2 diff BUFFALO (Erie). 32mm 1864 year-dated cds and 8-bar grid tie #65 to Union City, Mich sound cover, reduced at right. Also 23mm NYD cds to So. Boston, Ma. with gridded '61-67 issue tied by circle of wedges type cxl. Very roughly opened. Flap missing; large tear. Min: \$2



Lot 7 SLOAN, N.Y. (Erie 1890-1914) on 1912 PPC of Buffalo P.O. to Dunkirk. Min: \$7



Lot 8 1907 CATSKILL (Greene) Am. Flag cxl ties 5c Pocahontas to Paris. Sender's lozenge on reverse. Contents included. Roughly opened as shown. Min: \$40



Lot 9 Dec. 1897 ms. NEW BALTIMORE (Greene) tie #267 to Amsterdam on sound Cornell Hook & Ladder CC. Fine Amsterdam Rec'd. on verso. Min: \$20



Lot 10 Blue 30mm WATERTOWN, NY (Jefferson) cds w. P.O. "5" rate and PAID stamps on 1847 cover to Rochester. Order for 10 bbl tallow. Min: \$5



Lot 11 Strong 20mm BROOKLYN STA. S DPO (Kings) ties #483 plate no. 8091 copy on sound War Rate cover to Hammondsport. Scott values 483 on cover \$25 without plate #. Min: \$25



Lot 12 Blue HAMILTON/N.Y. (Madison) 30mm cds with 5-in-box rater and PAID stamp over ms. Paid. Sound. Min: \$4



Lot 13 ROCHESTER (Monroe) International machine on clean 1902 advertising cover to Philadelphia. Min: \$10



Lot 14 DURHAMVILLE R.F.D. 1 w. small American flag (Oneida) on 1910 PPC for delivery within local RFD zone. Date line on postmark required manuscript completion. Min: \$100



Lot 15 NEWBURGH (Orange) circa 2010 direct mail postcard w. salvaged #NNNN "over-paying" the rate and declared **ILLEGAL POSTAGE/ Return to Sender.** Min: \$8



Lot 16 Hotel CC envelop bears partial NEW YORK (New York) cds and heavy 4-bar killer tying grilled 1861-67 issue to Troy. 25mm Carrier 3 cds on verso. Min: \$25



Lot 17 HUDSON TERM. STA. 2 (New York) International machine on well-traveled cover to W. 108th St. Aux Markings: **NOT IN DIRECTORY, SEARCHER NO. 3, Station H N Y P O.** Also **Cannot Be Found DO NOT POST AGAIN IN THIS ENVELOPE OR WRAPPER.** Attempts to forward on verso with staple holding remnant of label. Min: \$4



Lot 18 DPO HEMPSTEAD HAR^B N Y 26mm cds w. ms Aug 1st and Free frank of PM William Hicks (1834-44). The small raised B with period beneath is not listed in ASCC Vol 1. Business letter to Warren, NY. Some water stains, otherwise sound. Min: \$25



Lot 19 OLD WESTBURY (Queens) 1917 4-bar balloon cancels U91 with #472 paying Registry Fee to Pittsburg. Verso shows sealing wax remnants, Old Westbury strikes and Pittsburgh Registered marking. Also Camp Dewey Cinderella Min: \$5



Lot 20 ROCHESTER & BINGHAMTON R.P.O. Agent L.G. LeGrand Dec 15 1914 on post card to Johnstown. Sound. Min: \$15



Lot 21 Superb NORTH HAVERSTRAW NY (Rockland) DPO (1834-36; 1847-65) town mark with ms. July 14; matching unpaid 5 rate mark. Listing example, ex-Hutchinson, Hahn (note included). Minor staining; tape secures seal of flap. Helbock scarcity rating "7". Min: \$100



Lot 22 Legible brown-black CRESCENT N.Y. (Saratoga) on 1854 legal document to Newburgh, with circled 5 rate stamp. Min: \$25



Lot 23 SCHENECTADY (Schenectady) 1904 Barry machine cancels #219 on sound advertising CC to Palatine Bridge, forwarded to Rochester. Receivers from both on verso. Min: \$10



LOT 24 25mm CORNING, N.Y. / [18]99 duplex ties #267 to roughly opened all-over advertising cover to Big Flats, NY. Faint BIG FLATS REC'D on verso. Min: \$7



Lot 25 PORT JEFFERSON N.Y. (Suffolk) w. nice cut cork killer on Jan 30 1883 to Boston. Flap missing. Min: \$5



Lot 26 Manuscript July 24 BIG INDIAN (Ulster) ties 3c green on avg. cover to Rondout. Min: \$2



Lot 27 1863-dated 26mm LYONS / NY (Wade) cds with large 9-bar grid tie #65 on orange cover to Auburn, NY. Flap roughly opened, o/w sound. Min: \$5



Lot 28 2 covers with well struck roman numeral rate marks. Good blue TROY (Albany) to Hoosick and complete blue UTICA (Oneida) oval paid to Concord, N.H. Min: \$6