

ESPHS *Bulletin* Postal History Auction #5

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

Auction closes at Midnight, February 15th, 2013. 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* February 16, 2013.

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 February 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.

*Very Merry Christmas
&
Happy New Year*

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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 #6



Lot 1 LYONS (Wayne) 26mm cds and #65 tied by well struck grid to Auburn, NY Flap roughly opened, o/w sound. Min: \$5



Lot 2 2 damaged covers with DPO-1 manuscripts. FORT MILLER (Washington) 1802-1966 with #25 and RICHFIELD (Otsego) 1830-1933 with #11A. Min \$35



Lot 3 Well struck CENTERVILLE STATION (Sullivan) DPO 1894-1917 on 1907 Christmas greeting card w/ Ellenville REC'D. Min: \$10



Lot 4 Full strike of SMITHTOWN BRANCH (Suffolk) ties 1894 Tyl 2¢. Brooklyn Sta. W REC'D on verso. Min \$9



Lot 5 HORNELLSVILLE (Steuben) 1823-1906 DPO on roughly opened cover to Bliss (Wyoming) Contemporary pencil markings. Min \$12



Lot 6 Group of arched PAID 3 rates on ladies covers bearing clear postmarks. ADDISON (Steuben), NUNDA (Livingston) & LYONS (Wayne). Rate marking on Lyons cover is not listed in ASCC. Original letter included. Min \$35



Lot 7 Light, complete, FARMER (Seneca) 1852 folded cover sheet to Trumansburgh with PAID 3 rate made by two stamps. DPO 1819-1865; 1892-1904 Listing item, ex-Hutchinson. Min \$20



Lot 8 SCHENECTADY (Schenectady) 1904 advertising cover. 1903 2¢ tied by Barry machine. Palatine Bridge duplex and Rochester REC'D on verso. Min \$10



Lot 12 Clear ASTORIA (Queens) on 1882 cover to Virginia. 1842-1888 DPO-2. NYC transit & Lynchbueg REC'D on verso. Min \$13



Lot 16 NEW YORK double circle with perfect 6-bar grid killer on #65. Reduced at left. Remnants of mounting papers. Min \$10



Lot 9 Clear 1887 CLIFTON PARK/Saratoga Co., N.Y. City-County oval on UX9 postal card with grid cancel. Large stain. Min \$9



Lot 13 Decent OSWEGO (Oswego) Barry machine on 1909 Easter greeting card. Min \$5



Lot 17 Illegible town mark with 4 bar grid on 3¢ grill to early New York City hotel advertising cover to Troy, N.Y. Carrier 3 & unidentifiable large FEB 15 on verso. Min \$25



Lot 10 MECHANICSVILLE (Saratoga) American Postal Machine on late use of this spelling. Min \$4



Lot 14 Fine 1883 SOUTH SYRACUSE duplex (Onondaga) on fine ladies cover to Pompey. DPO s/r 4. Min \$4



Lot 18 Partial strike of purple duplex AMSTERDAM (Montgomery) on UX5 postal to Saratoga Spgs. Min \$3



Lot 11 Purple MELROSE (Rensselaer) duplex with star killer on mourning cover to Hagerstown, Md. New York transit & Hagerstown receiver on verso. Min \$3



Lot 15 Group of 11 average to fine covers with geometric postmarks (many octagonal) from NY towns. Includes Parish MOB, MORTON'S CORNERS / ERIE CO., EAST AURORA, RUSHVILLE, BRUSHTON, NEW ROCHELLE, purple GRANT & MOSCOW, WELLSVILLE. Min \$100



Lot 19 Fine advertising cover bears 1902 ROCHESTER ((Monroe)) International Postal Supply machine cancel. Min \$12



Lot 20 XF strike of CANASTOTA (Monroe) with smudgy killer on XF ladies cover to Keosauqua, Iowa. Reduced at left. Min \$9



Lot 21 Double transfer of fine blue WATERTOWN (Jefferson) with blue PAID / CIII to Williamson. Use of "trime" is not listed in ASCC. Flap damaged in opening. Min \$75



Lot 22 #219 blue on Apr 22 1891 cover AUSABLE FORKS (Essex) to Franklin Falls, w/ same day Franklin Falls on verso. Nice segmented cork cancel. P.O. used this spelling 1895-1905. Top center tear affects flap. Min \$3



Lot 23 1904 BUFFALO (Erie) illustrated advertising cover to Palatine Bridge (w/ backstamp) forwarded to Pittsburgh (w/ REC'D). #319 canceled by American (?) Postal Supply machine. Min \$12



Lot 24 Blue OXFORD (Chenango) to Albany w/ matching 5 rate and PAID. Inky fingerprints stain folded cover sheet. Min \$3



Lot 25 35mm RIPLEY (Chautauqua) to Sherman, NY. Non-existent cancel on 3¢ Continental. Min \$8



Lot 26 1¢ drop rate letter bears light but legible MORAVIA (Cayuga) with exquisite "sand dollar" cancel. Hinge remnants, otherwise fine. Min \$3



Lot 27 Very fine pair of AUBURN (Cayuga) covers, with PAID / 3 in circle rates. Stampless in black; envelop in red without contents. Min \$40



Lot 28 Legible CANASERAGA (Allegany) on fine 1898 corner card envelop. Elmira backstamp. Min \$9



Lot 29 3¢ 1857 issue on August 21 ALBANY (Alb.) patriotic cover (Weiss F-R-305). Cover is split and fragile. Hinge remnant on flap. Min \$40

DOLLAR BOX MYSTERIES



Lot D-1 A treat on the back for Knowersville collectors. Min: \$1



Lot D-2 They put a lot of miles on that fivver driving this card around, and you can prove it from the front. Min: \$1



Lot D-3 Season 2 Opener special. Mailed from an ex-marsh on an island. Min \$1