

TEXAS PRECANCEL CLUB MAIL/FLOOR AUCTION #41

2:00 pm, September 23, 2017
Comfort Inn, Grapevine, TX

Mail bids must be received by September 18, 2017

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Auction Definitions and Rules

Stamp: Am - Americana series; Def - War and Defense series; Lib - Liberty series; Prexy - Presidential series; PromAm - Prominent Americans; BH - Black Harding; Wal - Huguenot-Walloon; Sc# - Scott number; O/P - Kansas/Nebraska overprints; PP - Parcel Post; PPPD - Parcel Post Postage Due; SDel - special Delivery; FF - full face Harding; pr - pair; lp - line pair; gp - gap pair; lgp - line/gap pair; PNB - plate number block; buro - Bureau print. "1749...1752" is a setenent block including 1749, 1750, 1751, and 1752.

Stamp Condition: A - well centered; B - design clear of perfs; dt - design touched by perfs; dc - design cut by perfs; cl - margin clipped; SE-rt - straight edge on right side; OGNH -original gum, never hinged; Ty - type; wmk - watermark; OGNH - original gum, never hinged.

Precancel: inv - inverted; sc - split cancel; lc - letter cut by perfs; lo - letter off stamp; tlo - top line off; blo - bottom line off; to - top [dated] off; ss - single subject; * - Discontinued Post Office; HSD - hand stamp dated; PD - printed dated; IHS - Integral Hand Stamp. Impression: a - superb; b - letters readable; hvy - heavy impression; li - light; dbl - double; bl - blurry; inv - inverted.

Other: horiz - horizontal; vert - vertical; cv - catalog value; est - estimated value; res - reserve.

Catalog prices listed are for stamps in B condition (fine-very fine) and are not adjusted for listed condition. Unless otherwise noted, catalog values are for undated examples. Where the catalog value of the stamp is greater than that of the precancel type, the stamp value is given. Estimated values are based upon catalog values wherever possible.

A reserve amount (minimum bid) has been established on most lots. These are indicated as "res". Bids below the reserve amount will not be accepted. Bids under 50¢ will be declined.

The Club accepts consignment lots as well as donation lots. Commission is 25% on lots realizing less than \$25. If a lot realizes \$25 or more, then a commission of 15% is deducted from the proceeds. Consignor may stipulate a minimum bid (reserve) on any lot. Each lot must have a value of at least \$1.00. Payment will be made within 30 days of the close of the auction; unsold lots will be returned within 30 days. Consignor will pay postage and insurance, if applicable, on returned lots.

Each auction will contain no more than 300 lots. Earliest lots received will be listed in the auction list. Lots received after the maximum number of lots is reached may be held for the following auction.

Bids received after the published closing date for mail or email bids will not be accepted. Email bids are not valid until they have been confirmed. Bids may not be placed by phone. "Buy" and "or" bids are also prohibited. **The Club reserves the right to decline bids from any individual who has failed to demonstrate fiscal responsibility in a previous auction.**

Tie goes to earliest postmarked bid. If postmark is illegible, a best guess will be made based on date of receipt. Floor bidding will begin at 10% over the second highest mail bid. If the winning bid was placed by mail, the bidder will pay 10% over the second high bid. If the winning bid is made on the floor, the winner pays the price bid. Sole bidder wins at reserve or minimum bid. Successful mail bidders will be charged for postage and insurance (See Insurance Note) as appropriate. All mail lots must be paid for within 10 days after receipt. Floor lots are payable at the close of the auction. Lots which are not as described may be returned within ten days after receipt.

Insurance Note: Shipments will be insured at the discretion of the auction chairman.

☉In the Auction List indicates illustrated items.

BUREAUS (SPECIALISTS' GUIDE)

1. CA, San Francisco, type 63, 8 copies of '26 series with no period (I/I variety), average condition; approx cv per Guide is \$27.00; res \$5.00

2. CA, San Francisco, 634-63 pair; one w/no period (I/I) and one normal; dt a; approx cv per Guide \$7.50; res \$1.25

3. CA, San Francisco, 638-63, strip of 3, one with no period (I/I) and two normal; dt a; approx cv per Guide \$4.80; res \$1.00

4. MI, Detroit, 599-61, line-gap strip of 3 with one 'no period' (I/I variety) stamp; approx cv per Guide \$3.00 ; res \$1.00

5. MI, Grand Rapids 599-45, two line-gap strips of 4, incl one 'no period' (I/I variety) stamp, dt a; approx cv per Guide \$5.00 ; res \$2.00

6. WI, Milwaukee, 16 diff copies with wide space between "W" and "A" on type 61; Guide cv \$79.00 +/-; res \$15.00

BUREAU SINGLES

☉7. TX, Waco, 840-61a (SNF), 1-1/2¢ coil single, Ba, short perfs; cv \$500.00; res \$350.00

8. LA, New Orleans, 642-63, 69 stamps, cv \$10.35, res \$1.00; CLUB LOT

PLAYING CARD

9. Playing card, Standard Packaging, RF26-24, one pack, Aa clip; cv \$50.00; res \$9.00

BURO MULTIPLES

10. AL, Huntsville, 839-61, line/gap pair; Ba; cv \$3.50; res \$2.00

11. FL, St. Petersburg, 1031A-71, Aa OGNH, 57 stamps in strips; cv \$8.55; res \$3.00; CLUB LOT

12. LA, New Orleans, 1279-71, 1-¼ Gallatin, Ba OGNH, 32 stamps in blocks; cv \$16.00; res \$5.00; CLUB LOT

13. NY Syracuse, 602-61, strip of 3 with gap; Aa, two pulled perfs; cv \$5.00; res \$2.00

14. IL, Chicago, 1030-71, 42 stamps (7x6) Aa OGNH, plus 35 single stamps Aa (total 77 stamps); cv \$11.55; res \$3.00; CLUB LOT

15. NC, Durham, 1031A-71, Aa OGNH, 12 stamps in strips; cv \$6.00; res \$2.00; CLUB LOT

16. SD Sioux Falls, 804-71, Aa OGNH, 33 stamps (single, 4x3 block, 4x5 block); cv \$4.95; res \$1.50; CLUB LOT

17. VA, Richmond, 1031A-71, Aa OGNH, strips, 48 single stamps; cv \$7.20; res \$2.50; CLUB LOT

18. Bureau mix of 179 stamps; est \$25.00; res \$10.00

LOCAL SINGLES AND MULTIPLES

19 AL, Mobile, 1278-818, Bb uneven OGNH, 13 stamps, plus 1278-831, 1 stamp, Aa OGNH, cv \$2.80; no res; CLUB LOT

20. MO, St Louis, 497-162, 10¢ coil, tape on back; dt a; cv \$17.50; res \$5.00

21. OH, Calla, 264-L2R, 1¢ dark blue, d/l wmk; Ba, missing corner; cv \$20.00; res \$3.00

22. PA, Washington, 815-L-1HS w postcancel; Ba; cv \$5.00; res \$1.00

23. TX, Celeste, 2169-729, 3 device blocks, uneven; cv \$6.00; res \$2.00; CLUB LOT

24. TX, Earth, 2168-835, 36 stamps incl 3 device blocks, uneven; cv \$7.20; res \$1.00; CLUB LOT

25. VA, Swords Creek, 2169-843, Aa OGNH, 20 stamps, 2 device blocks; cv \$4.00; res \$2.00; CLUB LOT

26. WI, Two Rivers, 807-224.5, 25 stamps (4x5 block plus block of 5), Ba, cv \$3.75, res \$1.00; CLUB LOT

LOCAL MIX

27. MO, St. Louis, L-5E, 86 stamps on Washington/ Franklins; cv \$12.90; res \$6.00; CLUB LOT

28. Local mix of 208 stamps; est \$50.00; res \$20.00

INTEGRAL DATED

29. CT, Manchester, 810-L-3 ITS, Dec 48, Ba; cv \$1.50; res \$1.00

30. CT, Manchester, 811-L-3 ITS, Sept 48, Aa; cv \$1.50; res \$1.00

31. CT, Manchester, 812-L-1 ITS, Dec 40, Aa scuff; cv \$1.50; res \$1.00

32. CT, Manchester, 815-L-1 ITS, Sep 40, dt a; cv \$1.50; res \$1.00

33. CT, Manchester, 825-L-1 ITS, Sep 40, dt a; cv \$1.50; res 1.00

PRINTED DATED

34. GA, Atlanta, printed dateds, mixture of 339 SRC-5, light duplication, some pairs; cv \$33.90; res \$13.00

35. IL, Chicago collection AI-1 printed dateds, 124 diff (1946-55); cv \$6.20; res \$2.00

36. IL, Chicago collection of AI-2 printed dateds; 359 diff on album pages headed "Illinois" with 42 boxes each; cv \$17.95; res \$5.00

37. IL, Chicago collection of MW printed dateds, 1138 diff (divided almost equally between MW-1 and MW-3 (1938-65) on album pages with 56 boxes each; cv \$56.90; res \$20.00

38. IL, Chicago, MW printed dated collection of 2,418 diff MW-1 and MW-3 (1938-68) on stock cards, incl 714 duplicates at 1¢ each; est \$121.30; res \$25.00

39. IL, Rockford, PDPN printed dateds, 24 diff; cv \$3.60; res \$1.25

40. IL, Rockton, PDPN printed dateds, 5 diff; cv \$1.25; res \$0.50

41. MD, Baltimore, MW printed dated mix of 800+ from 1939-1965, separated by year; no est; res \$15.00

42. MD, Baltimore, printed dated repair, MW-1(R3), Aug43 on Prexy 816-71, Baa; cv \$3.00; res \$1.50

43. MN, St. Paul, printed dateds, 817-PD-1, 816-PD-1, 816-PD-2; cv \$1.50; res \$0.50

44. MN, Saint Paul, 817-61-PD-21, printed dated, one each from each of 17 months known; cv \$4.25; res \$2.00

45. MN, Saint Paul, printed dateds, PD-21 (W.P.Co.), 11 diff; cv \$2.75; res \$1.00

46. MO, Kansas City, large mixture of MW printed dateds on 10 stock pgs; at least 3,500 MW-1 plus 26 MW-6 and MW-7; cv \$189.45; res \$40.00 (just over 1¢ each)

47. NY, Albany, 830-71, MW printed dated, double, normal and invert, May 43, postcanceled, dt a a; cv \$1.00; res \$0.50

48. NY, NY, N.E. printed dated stamps, PD-21, PD-22, and PD-23; cv \$2.00; res \$1.00

49. SC, Prosperity, 804-734-PD-2, printed dated, "BBC Jan 50", dt a a; cv \$1.00; res \$0.50

50. WI PDPN printed dateds, 11 diff from 5 towns (Beloit, Franksville, Green Lake, Hudson, and Sharon); cv \$2.75; res \$1.00

HAND STAMPED DATEDS

51. PDPN printed dateds, 31 diff from 9 states; cv \$7.25; est \$2.25

52. MA, Boston, mixture of 323 handstamped dated SRC stamps; no est; res \$9.50

53. MN, Minneapolis SRC handstamp dateds, mix of 232 stamps (1938-60); no est; res \$7.00

54. NY, New York, mixture of 39 hand stamped dated SRC stamps; no est; res \$2.00

55. PA, Philadelphia, SRC handstamp dateds, 155 stamps with little duplication (1938-52); cv \$15.50; res \$4.00

PERFINS

56. IL, Chicago type 61 precanceled perfins mix, 10 stamps; est \$1.50; res \$0.50

57. 1920s-1960s perfin mix with at least 60 different patterns, low duplication on 106 stamps with a few split cancels; est \$10.00; res \$3.00

58. Foreign perfin lots from Auction #40 combined into one lot of 1 Australian and 14 Great Britain; (5 stamps catalog \$229.00); cv \$257.85; reserve of \$25.80 is 10% of total catalog value; CLUB LOT

FOREIGN

59. Micronesia Pohnpei, 5-L-1HS, Ab uneven, OGNH, 62 stamps; cv \$15.50; res \$3.00

LITERATURE

60. Catalog "Hebert's Reference Guide of Plate Number Singles" (2011); number positions noted, excellent condition, cover loose; original cost \$30; res \$5.00

61. Catalog "Precancelled Envelopes of the U.S.", 3rd ed. (2003), David Smith, ed.; orig cost \$20.00; res \$5.00

62. PSS Catalog of US Bureau Precancels, Fourth Ed., (1997), many pencil marks, otherwise excellent condition; est \$2.00; res \$0.50

63. Empty Noble album for Prexy, Defense & War, 1940 Playing Cards, on blue paper, some hinge remnants, otherwise excellent condition; playing card page missing; est \$30.00; res \$15.00

HOURS AND HOURS OF FUN

64. Bureau mix, heavy duplication, some post cancelled or handstamp dated, 2,259 stamps, mostly standard types; est \$112.95; res \$45.00

65. Woman's shoebox with thousands of common U.S. perfins, good for denoms; est \$50.00; res \$20.00

66. Assorted mix: bureaus, locals, boxes, some postcancelled, a few foreign, Part III bureaus, pairs, plate singles, one oz. (approx 400 stamps); no est; res \$4.00

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