

**CARRIERS & LOCALS SOCIETY
AUCTION 17
CLOSING DATE JANUARY 14, 2010**

Please Note the amounts shown are the Minimum Acceptable Bids

Carriers

001	LO1P2	Roosevelt small die proof. Still with the grey card backing. VF. CV \$300.00.....	\$ 75.00
002	LO5	1875 Eagle Reprint. VF-unused. CV \$25.00.....	15.00
003	LO6	1875 Eagle Reprint. Unused. CV \$175.00	25.00
004	1LB3	Baltimore 1c Blue. Horizontal pair. VF/XF-OG. CV for two singles is \$320.00.....	300.00
005	1LB7	Baltimore 1856 1c Red. Clear to ample margins. Used. Thin spots. CV \$90.00.....	10.00
006	1LB8	Baltimore 1857 1c Black. Tight margins. Unused. CV \$65	5.00
007	1LB9	Baltimore 1c Red. Clear to large margins. Pen cancel. VF/XF. CV \$90.00.....	10.00
008	3LB2	Boston, MA 1851 1c Blue. 4 margins. Red cancel. CV \$100.00	65.00
009	5LB1	Wharton's U.S.P.O. Despatch 1857 (2c) Bluish green. OG. CV \$125.00.....	35.00
010	(5LB)	Wharton's U.S.P.O. Despatch design used on card for Pleasurepex '76 of Pleasure Ridge Park Philatelic Society.....	5.00
011	6LB5d	New York, NY 1842 3c Black on green. Rd cancel. Some scuffing and with two tears. Rare. CV \$900.00	20.00
012	6LB9	U.S. Mail 1849 1c Black on rose. Margins to in. Pen stroke cancel. CV \$100.00	30.00
013	(7LB4)	Philadelphia, PA Forgery K. Lyons CV \$50.00	25.00
014	-----	U. S. 1857 3c (#26). Grid cancel. Used on cover to Boston from Philadelphia. With that city's octagonal datestamp plus "DUE 1" handstamp. VF.....	80.00
015	-----	U. S. 1863 2c Black (#73). Two singles tied on drop rate cover by Philadelphia cds cancel. To Germantown.....	80.00

Locals and Expresses

016	1L2	Adams & Co.'s Express 1854 Black. Ample margins. Unused. CV \$75.00	25.00
017	-----	Adams Express Company Black on green label from Marietta, PA (Mosher #ADX-L206). The border is the same as used on the Barr's Local. Shallow thin. CV \$10.00.....	25.00
018	-----	Adams Express Company Black on green label from Cresson, PA. This design type is not listed in Mosher.....	40.00
019	-----	\$2.00 Red Alaska Carrier Pigeon Mail Service Company. VF-OG-HR	20.00
020	3L2	Allen's City Dispatch 1882 Black. Fine-OG. CV \$12.50.....	5.00
021	(4L1)	American Express Forgery G. Thin. Lyons CV \$40.00	25.00
022	-----	American Express Red, white and blue flag labels (Mosher #AMEX-L480). 6 different. Batavia, Fonda, Ithaca, Little Falls, Newburgh and Utica. CV \$45.00	75.00
023	-----	American Express Co. money letter envelope from Utica. Dated April 26, 1855.....	100.00
024	5L1	American Letter Mail Co. 1844 5c Black. Full sheet of 20 on thin paper. 2 nd Printing. Unused. Small tear at bottom (confined to margin) and some extraneous offset at upper left. 2006 PFC. CV \$225.00	110.00
025	5L1	American Letter Mail Co. 1844 5c Black. With 2009 PFC stating that the stamp did not originate on the folded letter and that the tying cancellations are counterfeit	45.00
026	5L2	American Letter Mail Co. 1844 Black on gray. Ample to large margins. Manuscript cancel. 2008 PFC. CV \$250.00	150.00
027	(5L)	American Letter Mail Co. modern proof pane of 20 in carmine. Triple impression	35.00
028	8L2	Barr's Penny Dispatch 1855 Black on green. Margins to just touched. OG-HR. CV \$300.00	175.00
029	12L2	Bicycle Mail Route 25c Green. VF-OG-HR. CV \$30.00.....	5.00
030	-----	D. O. Blood 15L9 Forgery B, 15L11 Forgery B in white and in Black on green and 15LU1 Forgery A, Type 1 cut square	10.00
031	15L13 D.	O. Blood & Co. 1850 1c Bronze on black. Margins to touched. Used. CV \$12.50.....	6.00
032	15L13	D. O. Blood & Co. 1850 1c Bronze on black. Margins to touched. Used on piece. Blood's Despatch cds to left. CV \$12.50.....	6.00
033	15L13	D. O. Blood & Co. 1850 1c Bronze on black. Acid tied cover. Reverse of cover with die sunk ad for Harmer's Chop House & Hotel. Cover opened at its sides and with minor staining. CV \$75.00	20.00
034	15L13	D. O. Blood & Co. 1850 1c Bronze on black. Acid tied cover to Albany. Red Philada Railroad straight line handstamp and red New-York 5 cts cds. Carried by Blood's to the railroad because it was too late for the Philadelphia Post Office.....	75.00
035	15L13	D. O. Blood & Co. 1850 1c Bronze on black. Acid tied. U. S. 1851 3c (#11) tied by blue Philadelphia Jan 1 cds of 1856 on cover. Blood's 4 ½ P. M. cds. Cover with small faults.....	75.00

036	15L14	D. O. Blood & Co. 1854 (1c) Bronze on lilac. Horizontal pair. Margins to in at right. F/VF-unused. CV \$8.50+	5.00
037	15L15	D. O. Blood & Co. 1853 (1c) Blue and pink on bluish. Acid tied on 1856 cover with a U. S. 1851 3c (#11) tied by Philadelphia, PA Jul 14 cds. Blood's 8 A.M. cds. Blue illustrated corner card for the Mansion House. Cover with small faults	70.00
038	15L15a	D. O. Blood & Co. 1853 (1c) Blue and pink on bluish laid paper. Block of 4. F/VF-OG-VLH. CV \$150.00	125.00
039	15L16	D. O. Blood & Co. 1854 (1c) Bronze on black. Especially well margined. XF-unused. CV \$30.00	15.00
040	15L17	D. O. Blood & Co. 1848 (2c) Bronze on black. Vertical pair. F/VF-unused. CV \$70.00	40.00
041	15L18E	D. O. Blood & Co. 1855 (1c) Black numbered essay. Affixed to card. Believed to be unique.....	4,000.00
042	15L18	D. O. Blood & Co. 1855 (1c) Black. Clear to very large margins. Red "1" in frame cancel. Used on front of U. S. 3c Red on buff Nesbitt entire (#U10). Blood's handstamp and Philadelphia octagonal datestamp. Small part of indicia torn away	40.00
043	15L18	D. O. Blood & Co. 1855 (1c) Black. Margins to touched. Grid cancel. Used on cover with black Blood's Penny Post double circle handstamp of March 7, 1850. Small tear at top left of cover does not affect Insurance Company of the State of Pennsylvania oval handstamp. CV \$150.00.....	100.00
044	(15L18)	D. O. Blood & Co. 1855 (1c) Black Forgery A. VF.....	10.00
045	15LU5	Blood's Penny Post Red on white entire. Blood's Despatch cds. CV \$75.00	30.00
046	20L3	Boyd's City Express 1845 2c Black on bluish green. Used on 1845 folded letter. Stamp with minor surface abrasions and a corner crease. Red Boyd's City Express Post oval. 2001 PSE	175.00
047	20L3var	Boyd's City Express 1845 2c Black on bluish green. Horizontal bisect with red PAID cancel on partial folded letter sheet to Philadelphia with red boxed "Collect 6 cents for Hale and Co." at upper right. 1995 PFC	100.00
048	20L10	Boyd's City Express 1854 2c Black on green. Tied on small blue cover. New York cds at bottom right. CV \$200.00.....	70.00
049	20L11	Boyd's City Express 1855 2c Black on olive green. Ample to large margins. Tied by "PAID/J.T.B." handstamp on cover. Back flap with blue embossed advertising for the New Haven House of New York. The back flap has been reattached by a rather long hinge. CV \$350.00.....	120.00
050	20L13	Boyd's City Express 1856 2c Dull orange. Tied by New York cds along with 1851 3c (#11) on cover. Part of back flap missing. CV \$400.00.....	125.00
051	20L32	Boyd's City Dispatch 1877 2c Lilac. Used. Fine. CV \$25.00.....	15.00
052	20L40	Boyd's Dispatch 1878 Black on salmon. XF-unused. A great example having very large margins. 2009 PFC. CV \$450.00	450.00
053	20L53	Boyd's Dispatch 1881 (1c) Black on pink. Tied by violet Boyd's City Express oval handstamp on all-over illustrated advertising cover for "The Evening Post". CV \$125.00	75.00
054	20LU1R	Boyd's City Dispatch Red reprint. Mint entire cut down from legal sized envelope. Showing colorless embossed garter seal on backflap. Laid lines. D13/20. Signed Geo. B. Sloane on back.....	70.00
055	20LU9	Boyd's City Dispatch 1867 Red on orange. Cut to shape. Used. Pin holes.....	200.00
056	20LU12b	Boyd's City Dispatch 1867 2c Red on white laid paper cut square. Used.....	30.00
057	20LU16b	Boyd's City Dispatch 1867 2c Red on orange laid paper. Used. Cut octagonally.....	25.00
058	20LU18b	Boyd's City Dispatch 1867 2c Red on cream cut square. Used	30.00
059	20LU21a	Boyd's City Dispatch 1867 2c Red on blue. Used. Cut to shape.....	50.00
060	20LU26, 20LU27	Boyd's City Dispatch 1875 2c Red on amber and 2c Red on cream cut squares. Both used. Latter with hole	200.00
061	20LU28	Boyd's City Dispatch 1877 2c Red on amber wove paper. Cut "oval." Used. Thins and facial scuff. Scarce	40.00
062	20LU29	Boyd's City Dispatch 1877 2c Red on amber laid paper. Cut square. Used. Crease. Scarce	150.00
063	20LU44	Boyd's Dispatch 1878 Red on cream entire. Measures 137x79 mm. Slight soiling. ex Golden	50.00
064	20LU44	Boyd's Dispatch 1878 Red on cream entire. Measures 152x88 mm. ex Golden.....	50.00
065	23L1	Brady & Co.'s Penny Post 1860 1c Violet. Parts of frame line showing on three sides. Unused. Rebacked with cardboard. Lightened vertical mark. CV \$650.00.....	250.00
066	(24L)	Brainard & Co. Forgery A by Taylor. "Tied" on a cover (quite possibly also made by Taylor). Most interesting.....	35.00
067	26L2	Broadway Post Office 1851 (1c) Black. Clear to large margins. Used. Thin. Scarce. CV \$400.00...	120.00
068	31L2	Brown's City Post 1877 1c Black on yellow. Used on large part of cover along with his label in red worded "From Wm. P. Brown Books, Coins, Stamps, Curiosities 145 Nassau St., N. Y.	200.00
069	35L7	Carnes' City Letter Express 5c Blue. 4 margins. With a black ink mark. VF. CV \$100.00.....	35.00
070	35L8	Carnes' City Letter Express 1864 5c Red. 4 margins. VF/XF. Some gum plus paper adherence on back. CV \$125.00.....	60.00
071	40L1P	City Despatch Post 1842 3c Black Large die proof on card. With line through design. Rare.....	300.00
072	40L1	City Despatch Post 1842 3c Black. Large margins. OG. 2009 PFC calls a small tear at left and a small corner crease at bottom left. CV \$375.00	150.00
073	(40L1)	City Despatch Post Sperati Forgery D. Tied on piece by fake red "FREE" handstamp. Fake datestamp at left.....	400.00
074	(41L1)	City Dispatch 1860 Forgery C. In Red, Violet (creased), Black on pink and Black on green (crease)	40.00

075	(48L1)	Clark & Co. 1857 1c Red on yellow Forgery E with fake cancels	10.00
076	(161L1)	Clinton's Penny Post Forgery C in red	10.00
077	53L1	Cressman & Co.'s Penny Post 1856 (1c) Gold on black. According to the 2008 PFC the stamp originated on this embossed ladies cover but the tying cancellation, which damaged the stamp, is counterfeit. Still rare	600.00
078	61L2	Eagle City Post 1846 (2c) Black. Margins to just in at right. Unused. Paper adherence on back. Small thin. CV \$125.00	30.00
079	-----	Eastern Express Co. Gold on black s. c. glazed paper (Mosher #EASX-L20) at top left of cover where a Carrier stamp (possibly #3LB2) had originally appeared and been struck by red Boston ringed circle cancel (Blake & Davis #490). The label has been removed to examine the underlying cancel and put back on with a hinge. U. S. #11 is tied by black Boston "PAID" in grid. Red Boston cds	20.00
080	65L1	Essex Letter Express 2c Black on red. Unused. 1981 PFC states that the stamp is defective but it still has a nice appearance. CV \$1,250.00	400.00
081	-----	Florida Express Taylor forgeries. In Red, brown and blue. Each with OG	15.00
082	151L1	Friend's Boarding School 1877 (1c) Black, Type III. Affixed on cover also bearing a #207. Barnesville cds. With a letter dated August 5, 1882. Only 4 Type III's recorded	1,750.00
083	-----	George & Co.'s Lawrence Express Black on orange label (Mosher #GEOX-L10). CV \$25.00	40.00
084	-----	Green & Coates St Philada Good on Any City Railway Passenger R. W. Co. label printed in green	25.00
085	74L2	Guy's City Despatch 1879 (1c) Blue. Unused. Pencil notations on back. Well centered. CV \$45.00	25.00
086	153L1	Hackney & Bolte Penny Post (1c) Black on red. Unused. CV \$250.00	160.00
087	80L1	Hartford 1844 (5c) Black on yellow. With small manuscript at top right but cannot confirm whether it is a cancel or not. Thin spots. Rare Local stamp	700.00
088	86L1	Humboldt Express 25c Brown. Margins to in at top right. Usual blue Langton's oval cancel. Faults. CV \$1,250.00	250.00
089	87L15	Hussey's Post 1862 1c Green. Fine-unused. Rebacked with cardboard. CV \$20.00	5.00
090	87L27	Hussey's Post 1863 1c Blue. clear to ample margins. Unused. Small tear at bottom. CV \$20.00	5.00
091	87L42	Hussey's Post 1871 2c Blue. Margins to just clear. Unused. CV \$40.00	30.00
092	87L60	Hussey's Post 1877 Rose. Light violet cancel. Plus Reprints of #87L64, 87L65 and 87L66	12.00
093	87L73	Hussey's Post 1880 Brown. Tied on cover by purple "SPECIAL MESSAGE" handstamp. With partly printed contents from the Health Dept. of the City of New York dated Aug 9, 1880. VF. CV \$250.00	150.00
094	(87LE4)	Hussey's Post 1863 20c Black Forgery L by Scott. Clear to large margins. Unused. Rare	30.00
095	-----	"Hussey's Post/ PAID/ 54 Pine St." oval handstamp in violet on cover. Printed return address. VF. ex Knapp	20.00
096	(89L)	Jenkins' Camden Dispatch set of 5 die sunk card proofs from 1943. With the front of the original envelope	60.00
097	-----	Johnson's Box Original Type 2a in a tete-beche pair. Unused. Lyons CV \$400.00 as singles	200.00
098	-----	Langton & Co. 3 different examples of Bogus Type 1 (Gold, Black and Black on red) and 2 different examples of Bogus 2 (Green and Purple). Faults. Lyons CV \$125.00	75.00
099	(96L)	Letter Express Vignette design used as part of the design on an 1848 bank check from Albany	25.00
100	-----	3c Black on green Lincoln Subscription. OG	10.00
101	105L6	Mercantile Library Association 1870 10c Black on yellow. Margins to just in. Unused. 2009 PFC calls two small thin spots. Nice appearance. CV \$500.00	300.00
102	107L1	Metropolitan Errand and Carrier Express Co. 1855 1c Red Orange. Not canceled. On cover which has a blue embossed shield corner card for a dealer in iron works	20.00
103	107L3	Metropolitan Errand and Carrier Express Co. 1855 10c Red orange. Cut to shape and pieced back into another stamp which has had the center cut out. Unused. 2008 PFC. CV \$60.00	75.00
104	108L3	Metropolitan Post Office 1852 (2c) Red. Bits of OG. Creased and with a thin. Still a rare stamp. CV \$275.00	125.00
105	-----	National Association of Chicago label affixed to cover bearing a #210, which is tied by Los Angeles, Cal. 1885 cds. To Chicago	20.00
106	-----	North River Bank label tied by orange red crayon number on folded entire. Red New-York cds and manuscript 12 1/2 rating. To Philadelphia	35.00
107	-----	Phillips & Co. manuscript endorsement on folded letter datelined Hartford April 21, 1845. To New York. Quite scarce with only 3 examples recorded by Cal Hahn	250.00
108	121L6	Priest's Despatch 1851 2c Black on yellow. Margins to cutting. Unused. 2009 PFC states it is thinned at left. Still quite scarce with this example being the first to appear in our auctions. Only two examples have been certified to date. CV \$500.00	400.00
109	122L1	Prince's Letter Dispatch 1861 Black. "Tied" by fake portions of a Portland, ME cds and grid cancel. The grid does indeed tie a U. S. 1861 3c (#65). 2009 PFC	15.00
110	131L1	St. Louis City Delivery Company 1883 (1c) Red pair with misplaced vertical perfs plus horizontal strips of 3 from the northwest and southwest corners of the sheet. OG-NH	12.00
111	-----	Smith's City Post 10c Blue label inscribed" Pays Tribute to the greatest authority on	

		local stamps in the world David M. Stirling. Unused.....	6.00
112	132L1	Squier & Co. City Letter Dispatch 1859 1c Green. Manuscript "Paid" cancel. CV \$175.00.....	100.00
113	136L4	Swarts' City Dispatch Post (2c) Red. Ample to large margins. VF/XF-OG-HR. CV \$20.00.....	15.00
114	-----	Swarts' City Dispatch Post Washington reproduction. Tied on piece. 4 margins.....	70.00
115	137L1	Teese & Co. Penny Post 1852 (1c) Blue on bluish. Acid cancel. F/VF. CV \$125.00.....	20.00
116	139L3	Third Avenue Post Office 1855 2c Black on yellow. Cut to shape as always. OG. Large paper HR. Exceedingly rare with only 5 recorded examples and only 2 of them are off cover. CV \$2,250.00 ..	1,800.00
117	-----	Turners Dispatch Paid One Cent Blue on white label on cover to Baltimore. Scarce. Lyons CV \$500.00	250.00
118	141L3	Union Square Post Office 1852 2c Black on rose. Magenta "X" cancel in manuscript. Thinned to the point of a small hole. Quite rare though	20.00
119	-----	U.S.P.O. Dispatch Phila. octagonal datestamp along with matching Philadelphia octagonal datestamp and "DROP/1 ct" in circle handstamp on local cover. 2000 PFC calls a small stained spot at top right.....	80.00
120	-----	Wells & Co.'s Express Mail from Chicago handstamp on large part of wrapper. Docketed Oct 9, 1844. Rare piece.....	200.00
121	143L4	Wells, Fargo & Co. 1861 \$2.00 Green. Clear to ample margins. F/VF-unused. 1985 PFC. CV \$250.00	150.00
122	143L9	Wells, Fargo & Co 1862 25c Red. Clear to ample margins. Unused. Small ink mark and a crease. F/VF appearance. CV \$30.00	10.00
123	143LP1	Wells, Fargo & Co. 1861 Black. Unused. A spacefiller. CV \$1,250.00.....	150.00
124	-----	Wells, Fargo & Co. 1905 frank stamp booklet pane of 2 (Mosher #WFCX-F6). Fresh. Glassine interleaving stuck to gum. CV \$75.00	40.00
125	-----	Wells, Fargo & Co. Express poster stamps. Complete set (Mosher #WFCX-L4512-456). Some flaws. Still attractive. CV \$78.00	15.00
126	144L40	Westervelt's Post 1864 2c Black on pink. Unused. F/VF. CV \$40.00	10.00
127	145L2	Westtown (2c) Gold. Affixed to back flap of cover bearing U. S. 1861 2c Rose (#65) on front, which is tied by usual Street Road cds of Westtown. to W. Philadelphia	40.00
128	-----	Balance of consignment consisting of LO2 on piece, 1LB3 on circular, 1LB7 on cover, 145L2 on back flap of cover, 143L4 with fake cancel and a forgery of 60L2.....	100.00
129	-----	Collection of nearly 350 Local posts and forgeries nearly arranged on pages. Plus one cover. Wide range of posts present. Mixed condition	700.00

Miscellaneous

130	-----	Lock Haven, Pa. cds along with manuscript "Paid 5" on folded entire. Manuscript "charge/Box 8." at bottom left. 2001 PFC	60.00
131	-----	U. S. 1857 1c (#24) tied by Philadelphia 1860 octagonal datestamp on drop mail cover. 2000 PFC	150.00
132	-----	Way bill dated May 17, 1860 from the general stage office of "Slaughter & Co.'s Nashville, Clarksville & Hopkinsville Mail Lines."	25.00
133	(O68-71)	\$2.00 through \$20.00 Officials with "FACSI MILE" removed.....	40.00
134	(O68-71)	\$2.00 through \$20.00 Officials with "FACSI MILE" in arch. Less commonly seen forgeries (appear to be lithographed).....	50.00
135	(O69-71)	\$5.00 and \$10.00 values with straightline "FACSI MILE" handstamp. \$10.00 and \$20.00 with arced "FACSI MILE" handstamp. F/VF	40.00
136	-----	Business School practice check dated April 2, 1900. With facsimile 2c Revenue stamp (similar to #R164) attached has manuscript cancel. This check is noted in "College & School Stamps" by James N. Drummond.....	50.00
137	-----	Label in silver metallic ink commemorating S. A. Taylor: "Prepared for Misuse by the Union of Misanthropic Rogues – Lest We Forget"	15.00
138	-----	Another example of the S. A. Taylor commemorative label exactly as the previous lot.....	15.00
139	WV15	Stamford, CT 1864 15c Pale brown. Nicely margined including the outer frame line showing on three sides. Part OG. With a pencil notation on back. Thinned. 2005 APS certificate. Extremely rare. This is one of 10 known mint copies. 8 of the copies are part of a reconstructed multiple. This leaves only this stamp and one other available to collectors. Last sold in a Siegel Sale #777 for \$8,500.00 plus the hammer	3,800.00
140	-----	CSA #6 "Yames A. Yolley, Postmaster General Printed By The Deficit Bureau of the Pust Office (sic)" sheet of 9 issued January 12, 1935 by the Columbus Philatelic Society. OG.....	40.00

Literature

141	-----	Alexander, Tom – Simpson's U. S. Postal Markings 1851- 1861. Published 1979. HB. 434 pages. Shows thousands of markings by type. Includes rarity factors.....	65.00
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142	-----	<p>“The American Journal of Philately” published by the Scott Stamp Co., Henry L. Calman editor. March 1, 1899 issue. Includes ten pages of John N. Luff’s serialized article on U. S. Carrier stamps: Penny Post, Honour, Kingman, Martin, Steinmeyer, Wharton, Brown and McGill, etc. Very clean.....</p>	50.00
143	-----	<p>“Atalaya” published by Christer Brunstrom of Sweden: “Cinderellas, dead countries and other oddities.” 38 issues through #43. (Shipping will be figured depending on the method of transport)</p>	10.00
144	-----	<p>“The Cinderella Philatelist” published quarterly by the Cinderella Stamp Club of Great Britain. One hundred and one issues, 1981-2006, with approximately 66 of the “Free Cinderella Gifts” still affixed. A wealth of information and entertainment. (Shipping will be figured depending on the method of transport)</p>	20.00
145	-----	<p>The Philatelist – 13 issues of the Philatelist. October 1973 to December 1974. (January is in color). Contains the 13 part article of Carrier stamps of the United States by Elliott Perry</p>	50.00
146	-----	<p>Scott & Co.’s 30th Auction Sale held March 24, 1880. 62 lots of U. S. Locals plus a Wells, Fargo and other express company entires (on U. S. postal stationery). Exceptionally clean.....</p>	50.00
147	-----	<p>S. P. A. journal article on 64L1 – The Empire City Dispatch. Tear sheet consisting of pages 639-641. Author shows a near complete reconstruction of a pane of 100 using large multiples that are all imperforate horizontally!.....</p>	5.00