

ESPHS Bulletin Postal History Auction #9

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS:

Auction closes at Midnight Saturday, **February 14th**, 2015. Mailed Bid Sheets must be received at the Pinehurst P.O. that day. Bid Sheets sent as attachments to e-mails must bear a Date/Time *before* February 15, 2015.

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

Ask any questions, or request additional scans, as early as possible but not later than **February 7th** 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.

SHIPPING :

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

Lots marked with (*) will be sent flat (unfolded, as consigned to ESPHS) and will bear a \$2 surcharge per lot, up to \$3 maximum to send 2 or more such lots, subject to the winner's instructions as above.

In this auction we are also featuring postmarking devices from towns in New York State. These items will be shipped separately from covers and flats for safety's sake by USPS First Class service according to weight plus \$1 for materials (see lot descriptions).

Happy Christmas
to All
and to All a Good
Night!!

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Lot 1 2 covers: 1896 JAMESTOWN (Chataqua) duplex CDS w/ XF target ellipse killer on all-over advertiser.. PEN YANN (Yates) 1909 machine kills #368 imperf w/ right margin, Cat. \$35.⁰⁰ Min. \$12 for both



Lot 2 1854/5 HAVANNA misspelling of Havana (Schuyler – DPO 1895) w/ neat 7-bar closed grid gently canceling #26. Reduced at left. Min. \$15



Lot 3(*) Light but complete LOCKPORT NY double oval (Niagara) of Aug 17 1833 Exceptional markings: ms 2 oz., \$2.00 PAID ms Paid per post for lots of legal stuff (folds to 3½ by 8") Min. \$20



Lot 4(*) The Honest PM of **Jamesville** paid 10¢ for ¼ oz. excess weight. Cover folds to 3.4 by 7.9". Content dates cover to November 9th 1840. Min. \$35



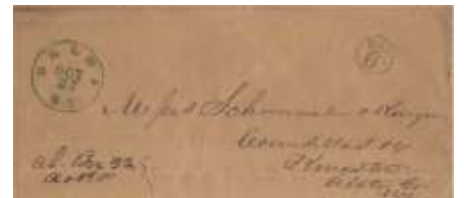
Lot 5(*) Double line 1833 WHITEHALL, JUL 5, N.Y. (Washington) sends 18¾ rated cover to Richmond, Mass. Local interest news. Min. \$40



Lot 6(*) Ms. **Nassau N.Y./ July 18th** [1849] to Simsbury, Conn. Asks Uncle's help to buy tavern. Min. \$15



Lot 7(*) Brilliant GOUVERNEUR, N.Y. (St. Lawrence) to NYC becomes turned cover to writer. Legal biz. Min. \$20



Lot 8(*) Unlisted XF blue green 32/33mm DELHI (Delaware) CDS w/ blue PAID 6 rate to Kingston. Cover is 3.6 by 8.2". Min. \$40



Lot 9 #24 pair plus single on WILLIAMSBURGH (Kings) CDS; NYD. Roughly opened left; some soiling. Pair on cover catalogs \$87.⁵⁰. Min. \$18

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Lot 10(*) Ms. **Port Henry / Apl 8/40** to Albany. Legal boilerplate with considerable addenda from Essex Co. Min. \$10



Lot 11 NYC 1883 duplex with letter E ellipse on publisher's interesting advertising cover to Pleasanton, Calif. Slight soil lower right, otherwise VF. Min. \$35



Lot 12 Well inked New York 1885 duplex letter A ellipse on Bowery Savings Bank c.c. to Brooklyn. Wesson type REC'D at B'lyn same day 4 hrs later!. Min. \$20



Lot 13 Light but almost complete strike of violet 30mm MCGRAWVILLE, NY (Cortland) duplex CDS w/ fleuron and M. C. Bingham, PM dated Jan 17 1888. #206 pays 1¢ circular rate (flap unsealed). Marathon, NY receiver on verso. Min. \$30



Lot 14 Complete 30mm ALFRED CENTRE/N.Y. CDS (Allegany) on ladies cover to Filmore. 8-bar open grid on #26. DPO 1850-1893. Min. \$15



Lot 15 Solid CORTLAND VILLAGE (DPO 1880) dated to 1855 by #11A Relief A dull orange red shade. Small ladies env. Min. \$3



Lot 16 New York City duplex of 1881 with letter E ellipse ties #184 3¢ green to *Gibsey House* corner card to Troy, NY. 2 marks on verso. Min. \$20



Lot 17 (*) **Oppenheim NY/ Feb'y 22** [1848]. Local matters in great detail, all for 5¢ postage. Min. \$5



Lot 18 JAMESTOWN/N.Y. (Chatauqua) w/ 4-bar cork killer ties #114 on ladies cover to Irvington, Pa. Reduced cleanly on left. Min. \$15



Lot 19 2 covers, both with interesting content. 1844 ALBANY to N. Adams, Ma in VF condition. **Florence Ny** (Oneida) on 1849 letter to Racine, Wisc. rated 10 (> 300 miles). A few faults. Min. \$6 for both.



Lot 20 Light 25mm duplex of WAVERLY N.Y. (Tioga) w/ bold 5 point star on U83 stationery to Alfred, Maine. Circa 1870. Min. \$15



Lot 21(*) Very nice SCHOHARIE CH NY APR 26 to Albany in 1833. Routine business content double rated for enclosure. Min. \$75

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Lot 22 Superb 32mm WATERTOWN/NY (Jefferson) on ladies env. to Odensburg. Dbl strike of closed grid on #26; plenty of docketing on face. Min. \$25



Lot 23(*) 33x22mm NEW ROCHELLE N.Y. (Westchester) DCDS Apr 6 1832, 12½¢ to Albany. Company business on 2 half-sheets rated as 1. Min. \$50

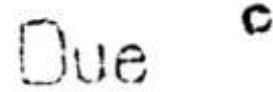


Lot 24 Circa 1863 NEW-YORK CDS with a very well struck carved boxwood killer tying straight edge #63 to albino embossed HASLEHURST & SMITH corner card cover to Washington, D.C. Min. \$3

These are **genuine used 19th century post-marking devices with 100+ year old ink** from New York State post offices. Offered by an ESPHS member from a 30 year old collection never before offered.



Lot 25 WEST LEYDEN, N.Y. (Lewis Co. 1825 to Present) 25mm cds. Excellent working condition, but missing the date slugs that would have been included with original purchase. Min. \$79.95
Shipping weight 8 oz.



Lot 26 Due stamp with room for rate to be added. Office of use not identifiable. Min. \$14.95
Shipping weight 2 oz.



Lot 27 17mm 4-ring killer, commonly seen in the 1860s. This one has nicks around the outer circle; 4½ " turned handle. Min. \$19.95
Shipping weight 2 oz.

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WEST LEYDEN, N.Y.



Lot 28 West Leyden, N.Y. 5x41mm s/l possibly used to apply Return Address? A few defects from hard use. Min. \$9.95 Shipping weight 2 oz.



Lot 29 FOREST PORT / N.Y. (Oneida) 1855 – 1894, when name was revised to FORESTPORT (1894 To Present). This 27mm device is in superb working condition, missing only the slugs needed to set dates. Min. \$79.95 Shipping weight 7 oz.

Not called for

Lot 30 Interesting hand stamp; office of use not identified. 11x34mm strike on 4" handle. Min. \$14.95 Shipping weight 3 oz.

