# **Eleventh Session, Commencing at 9.30am**

## ANCIENT GOLD COINS

## **Greek**



#### 3361\*

**Macedon,** Kingdom of Philip II, (359-336 B.C.), gold stater, (8.572 grams), Amphipolis II mint, issued c.340-328 B.C., obv. head of Apollo to right with laureate wreath, rev. galloping biga to right, driven by charioteer holding kentron in right hand, reins in left hand, horizontal thunderbolt below horses, in exergue ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, (cf.S.6663, Le Rider Group II cf.Pl. 78-79, SNG ANS 259-2620), Some mint bloom, of fine style, extremely fine and very scarce.

\$3,000



## 3362\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), gold stater, (8.572 grams), Sardes mint, issued 334-323 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right in crested Corinthian helmet, ornamented with coiled snake, rev. Nike standing to left, holding wreath in outstretched hand, and ship mast in right hand, to left a head in a Phrygian cap, to right traces of ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, (cf.S.6702; Price 2543 [p.323], M.-, BMC 3543). *Well centred extremely fine/good very fine.* 

\$3,000



## 3363\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), gold stater, (8.598 grams), Aradus mint, issued 328-320 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right in crested Corinthian helmet,  $\Delta$  to left, rev. Nike standing to left, holding wreath in outstretched hand, and ship mast, to left in lower left field, Aramaic legend, to right A/P monogram, to left around ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟ[Υ], (cf. S.6702; Price 3306, BMC 3306 [p.419, Pl.XII same dies, M.1367). *Minor file mark otherwise extremely fine.* 

\$2,500



#### 3364\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), gold stater, (8.600 grams), Tyre mint, issued 305-290 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right in crested Corinthian helmet, ornamented with coiled snake, rev. Nike standing to left, holding wreath in outstretched hand, and ship mast in right hand, to left and right monograms in circles, to right [A] $\Lambda$ E $\Xi$ AN $\Delta$ PO[Y], (cf.S.6702; Price 3528 [p.445], M.1588, BMC 3528). *Cut in edge, extremely fine.* 

\$2,500



## 3365\*

**Thrace**, Kingdom of, Coson, (c.42 B.C.), gold stater, (8.614 grams), Northern Greece mint, obv. three togate figures advancing to left, the first and third carrying an axe over left shoulder,  $KO\Sigma\Omega N$  in exergue, Brutus's monogram to left, rev. eagle standing to left on sceptre, holding wreath in one claw, (S.1733, BMC 2, Winkler 4). Off centred reverse, otherwise extremely fine and virtually as struck, rare.

\$1,500

#### Ex Glenn W. Woods U.S.A., With his ticket.

The Coson coinage was struck around 42 B.C., when Brutus, the exiled assassin of Julius Caesar, was raising troops in northern Greece in preparation for the final confrontation with Caesar's heirs Mark Antony and Octavian. Brutus had his own travelling mint, but this coinage was evidently a gift from an allied Dacian king from the lower Danube region. The king's name Coson appears on the coin and Brutus' name is reduced to a monogram which appears on some issues, including this example. Coson's coin type makes sense in terms of Roman propaganda. The eagle trampling a sceptre and the wreath symbolizes the anti-monarchical sentiments that prompted Caesar's assassination. The obverse type showing a Roman magistrate with his attendants, is copied from the coinage struck by Brutus himself in 54 B.C. It depicts an ancestor of Brutus who overthrew the Tarquin kings and founded the Roman Republic, serving as its first chief magistrate. This design thus serves to emphasize Brutus' attachment to the Republican traditions. See Winkler J., "Consideratii despre moneda 'Koson'," Etudes et Recherches d'Histore Ancienne Vol.23, No.2 (1972), pp. 173-199.



# 3366\*

**Lydia,** Persian Imperial Coinage (c.420-375 B.C.), gold daric (8.332 gms) struck in period of Artaxeres II, obv. bearded archer (king?) running to the right with transverse spear over shoulder, and bow in right hand, rev. oblong punch (S.4679, Carradice type 111b early), Group C, nos. 42, Pl. XIV). *Extremely fine and extremely rare*.

\$3,000

Ex Frank Sternberg, Zurich Auction Sale X, November 25-6, 1980, lot 186 (2970 SFr.).

## Roman



3367\*

**Trajan**, (A.D. 98-117), gold aureus, issued 116, Rome mint, (6.916 grams), obv. laureate head of Trajan to right, draped, around IMP CAES NER TRAIANO OPTIMO AVG GER DAC, rev. Naked Genius or Bonus Eventus standing to left, holding patera and corn ears, around P M TR P COS VI P P S P Q R, (S.3098, RIC 347, RSC 275, BMC 545). *Cleaned, nearly very fine and rare.* 

\$2,500



3368\*

**Lucius Verus**, (A.D. 161-169), gold aureus, issued 163-4, Rome mint, (7.130 grams), obv. L VERVS AVG ARMENIACVS, bare head to right, rev. Victory standing to right, placing shield inscribed VIC AVG on palm tree, around TR P IIII IMP II COS II, (cf.S.5338, RIC 522, C.248). *Has been slightly bent, otherwise about very fine.* 

\$2,500

## **Byzantine**



3369\*

**Justinian I,** (A.D.527-565), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, (4.328 grams), issued 545-565, obv. bust of Justinian I facing, with plume and diadem, two pearls at each side, wearing cuirass, D N IVSTINI ANVS PP AVC around, rev. Angel facing in tunic and cloak, in right hand long cross with crook on end, globe in left hand cross above, star to right, around VICTORI A AVCCCI, CONOB in exergue, (S.140, DOC 9j, BMC 18). Broad flan, weak in places of legend, file mark on edge, otherwise good very fine.

\$300



Lot 3370

## 3370\*

Maurice Tiberius, (A.D.582-602), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, (4.432 grams), Officina Γ, obv. crowned, draped and cuirassed bust of Maurice Tiberius facing, wearing plumed helmet, holding globe surmounted by cross, D N MAVRI TIb PP AV around, rev. VICTORI A AVCCΓ, CONOB in exergue, Angel standing facing holding long staff surmounted by P with cross, and cross on globe, (S.478, DOC. [5c], To.12, R.990, BMC 4). With full broad flan, off centred, some weakness in parts of legend, otherwise extremely fine and scarce.

\$400



3371\*

Heraclius, (610-641), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued 616-625, (4.352 grams), Officina H, obv. facing busts of Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine, wearing chlamys and crown, around dd NN hERACLIVS ET hE[RA CON]St PP AVG, rev. cross potent on base and three steps, below CONO[B], around VICTORIA AVGUH, (S.738, DOC [13g], BMC -, T.150, R.-). Broad flan, Weak in places, otherwise, extremely fine and as struck, a rare officina.

\$650



3372

**Constans II**, (641-668), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued c.654-659, Class IV, Officina Γ, (4.352 grams), obv. facing long bearded bust of Constans wearing chlamys and crown with cross on top, Constantine IV on right wearing crown, cross in field, around dN CONSTANTINUS C CONSTA, rev. cross potent on base and three steps, below CONOB, around VICTORIA AVGUΓ, (S.959, DOC.25c, BMC 42, T.238-9, R.-). *As struck with trace of mint bloom, extremely fine.* 

\$700



3373\*

**Justinian II,** (first reign 685-695), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued 687-692, (4.388 grams), officina H, obv. bust facing of Justinian with slight beard, wearing chlamys and crown, holding cross on globe, around DIUSTINIA NUS PE AV, rev. cross potent on base and three steps, below CONOBΓ, around VICTORIA AVGU H, (S.1247, DOC (6e), BMC -, T.11). *Edge has been lightly filed in places, otherwise extremely fine and a very rare variety.* 



Constantine IX, (A.D. 1042-1055), gold histamenon nomisma, Constantinople mint, (4.45 grams), obv. Christ enthroned facing, wearing nimbus, in right hand the Gospels, around IhS XIS REX REGNANTINM, double dotted border, rev. +CWNST ANTh bASILEURM, around bust of Constantine facing, bearded wearing crown and loros, holding labarum and globe with cross, (S.1829, DOC 2a). Nearly as struck, extremely fine and rare in this condition.





3377\*

**Manuel I,** (1143-1180), electrum aspron trachy (scyphate), Thessalonica mint, (1.656 grams), obv. Virgin nimbate enthroned facing, holding infant Christ, MTP left,  $\Theta$ V, rev. facing figure of Manuel on left and St. Demetrius, beardless and nimbate, holding akakia, traces of legend, (S.1974 [£300 EF], Hendy Pl.14, 7-9, BMC 31-3, R.2121). Brilliant, several edge cracks, otherwise very fine/ extremely fine and very scarce.

\$350



3375\*

Michael VII, (A.D.1071-1078), electrum gold histamenon nomisma (scyphate), Constantinople mint, (4.404 grams), obv. bust of long bearded Christ facing, wearing nimbus, right hand holding the Gospels, IC XC across, double dotted border, rev. +MIXAHL BACIL A, around bust of Michael facing, bearded wearing crown and loros, holding labarum without pellet on shaft and globe with cross, (S.1868, DOC 2a, BMC 3, R.2032). Good bust of bearded Christ, extremely fine.





3378\*

\$700

John III Ducas called Vatatzes, Empire of Nicaea, (A.D. 1222/3-1254), gold hyperpyron nomisma, Magnesia mint, (4.15 grams), second coinage early style, issued 1232-1254, obv. Christ enthroned facing nimbate, raising hand, IC XC either side of head, cross to left above throne, rev. John standing left being crowned by the Virgin Mary, to left and right traces of legend, (S.2073, DOC 4c, Vol.4, [type illustrated], Hendy Pl.31, 13). Extremely fine and very rare.

\$600



3376\*

**Nicephorus III**, (A.D.1078-1081), electrum gold histamenon nomisma (scyphate), Constantinople mint, (4.042 grams), obv. bearded Christ enthroned no back, facing, wearing nimbus, raising right hand, in left hand the Gospels, IC XC across, double dotted border, rev. +NIKH $\Phi$   $\Delta$ EC T W ROTANIAT, around bust of Nicophorus facing, bearded wearing crown and loros, holding labarum with X on shaft and globe with cross, (S.1881, DOC 3, BMC 7-11, R.2051-2). *Extremely fine and scarce*.





3379\*

Andronicus II and Andronicus III, (1325-1328 or later), joint reign, gold hyperpyron (scyphate), Constantinople mint, (3.248 grams), obv. bust of Virgin within city walls and four towers, control letters lis and A to left and right, rev. Andronicus II and Andronicus III to left and right with Christ standing between both emperors, traces of partial legend downwards of each emperor, (S.2461, Bendall PCPC cf.185 var.3, DOC 493). Full flan, weak in places as usual, otherwise very fine.

\$280

## **GREEK SILVER & BRONZE COINS**

3380

**Celtic**, Central Europe, Boii (Boier), Roseldorf II type, 2nd century B.C., silver 9mm, (0.652 and 0.708 grams), obv. blank, rev. galloping horse to left, torque with pellet, curved line and two pellets, (Dembski 757, Lanz (Kostial) 97-98). *Very fine.* (2)

\$100

Ex Tom Vossen, U.S.A., March 2007 with their tickets.



3381\*

**Celtic**, Southern Germany, Switzerland, Czechoslavakia and Austria, the Allobroges, "Bushel type" protype version, c.1st century B.C., silver denarius, (1.742 grams), obv. crude head to left with spiral hair, rev. horse prancing to left dot above, (De La Tour 9274, cf.Allen 349, CCCBM Vol.I, S219). *Good very fine/very fine and rare*.

\$140



3382\*

Celtic, Southern Germany, Switzerland, Czechoslavakia and Austria, the Allobroges, "Bushel type" regular version, c.1st century B.C., silver denarius, (1.746 grams), obv. crude head as a spiral, rev. horse prancing to left, (De La Tour 9275, 9322, cf.Allen 345, CCCBM Vol.I, 224). *Good very fine and rare.* 

\$200



3383\*

**Italy,** Campania, Hyria, (c.400-395 B.C.), silver stater or nomos, (6.838 grams), obv. head of helmeted Athena to right, crested helmet, with owl and wreath on helmet, rev. man-headed bull to left, above [Y]DINAI, single exergue line, (cf.S.294 [£200], Rutter 85 [obv. die 35, rev. die 79]). Struck from a worn obverse die, otherwise nearly fine and very rare.

\$120

Only five examples are known from this die combination and these mostly in museum collections.



Lot 3384

3384\*

**Italy**, Campania, Teanum Sidicinum, (c.265-240 B.C.), AE 20, (6.56 grams), obv. head of Athena, helmeted to left, rev. cock standing to right, star behind, TIANO before, (S.568, Sambon 1004, SNG ANS 625-9, SNG Cop. 594-5, HN 453). *Fine/very fine, obverse slightly pitted, scarce.* 

\$80

Ex Spink America, Auction Sale, December 6-7, 1999 (lot 407 part).



3385\*

**Italy,** Lucania, Metapontum, (c.400-350 B.C.), silver stater, (7.67 grams), obv. head of female to right, wearing ear ring,, with K reversed behind neck, rev. corn ear, META to left downwards, (cf.S.410, Noe [NN&M 47, 1984] 514 [same dies], SNG ANS 384 [same dies]). *Bright, nearly very fine/very fine, scarce.* 

\$200



3386\*

Italy, Lucania, Velia, Silver Nomos, Stater or Didrachm, 365-350/340 B.C., Period V Theta Group, 6.274 grams, Obv. Athena head to left, wearing crested Athenian helmet, ornamented with griffin, with die flaw behind eye,  $\Theta$  behind flap, Rev. Lion prowling to right, in exergue [Y]EAHT $\Omega$ [N], above  $\varphi$ , (cf.S.454, Williams 263-IB [p.66, Pl.XV, same dies 4 noted of sub type, 8 for type], SNG ANS 1294 [Pl.35, same dies], Mangieri 120 [Pl.VII same reverse die], SNG Ash. 1190 [Pl.XX, same dies], cf.SNG Munich 858 [Pl.32, same dies but modified]). Very fine, very Rare.

\$350



3387\*

**Italy,** Bruttium, Caulonia, silver stater, 460-450 B.C. (Kraay chronology), (7.022 grams), obv. Apollo naked walking to right, before him a small stag standing to right, looking back, KAVΛ behind downwards reversed, rev. stag standing to right, before, a sapling, KAV retrograde above, (S.462, SNG ANS 181 [same dies], Naville Sale V [British Museum duplicates, sold June 1923 (lot 656 same dies], Noe 96 [same dies]). *Odd shape, very fine and rare*.

\$400

Noe notes that this rare series with this die combination is known for five examples and of these three are in public collections.



**Italy,** Calabria, Tarentum, (500-473 B.C., 465-455 B.C. F-B chronology), silver nomos or stater, (7.675 grams), obv. Taras to left riding on dolphin's back with both arms extended, scallop shell below, to right TAPA[Σ], rev. Sea horse (Hippocamp), to left with curled wing, (S.224, Vl.133 (p.8, Pl.V, these dies), HN 827 [p.93], Evans 2nd Group Hippocamp, F-B Group 7, No. 109 (p.70, obv. die V56, rev. die R71), SNG Cop.776 (Pl.18 same dies), Cote 32). *Fine/good fine and rare*.

\$250

F-B note 34 examples of this die combination and a total of 84 coins of group 7.



3389\*

**Sicily,** Akragas (Agrigentum), (c.464-450 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.648 grams), obv. eagle with closed wings standing to left, AKRAC behind eagle, retrograde ANTOΣ before eagle, rev. crab within circular incuse field, (S.741, BMC 38, SNG Cop.41 [Pl.1 similar dies]. SNG ANS 975 [similar reverse die]). *Lightly toned, with grey patina, porous surface and edge, otherwise very fine or better and a rare type*.

\$2,400



3390\*

Sicily, Panormos, AE 18, after 241 B.C., (3.164 grams), obv. laureate head of Zeus to right, dotted border, Rev, warrior in helmet and cuirass, standing left, holding phiale and spear, shield at feet, around NANOP to left, downwards to right MITAN, (S.1164, Calciati (CNS) 8, SNG Cop.531-532, SNG ANS 565); another AE 20, after 150 B.C. (7.612 grams), Obv. ram standing to right, Janus head below between legs, Rev. eagle with open wings to right, head to left standing on thunderbolt, legend traces around, (S.-, Calciati (CNS) 17, SNG Cop.537-8, SNG ANS 569); another AE 11, c.200-100 B.C., (1.438 grams), Obv. Veiled head of Demeter to left, wreathed in corn, Rev. prow to right, monogram of ΠΑΡ above with normal horizontal stoke of A (monogram 2), (S.1160, Calciati (CNS) 44, SNG Cop.545-7, SNG ANS 581-3). Generally with dark green patination, fine - very fine, second coin with edge flaw. (3)

\$150

 $\rm Ex\ Tony\ Hardy\ Collection\ for\ the\ last\ two\ coins,\ CNG\ Triton\ Sale\ VIII\ (lot\ 1835\ part)\ with\ tickets.$ 



3391\*

**Sicily**, Solus, (4th century B.C.), AE 12, 3.988 grams, Calciati 3 (p.309), Obv. head of Herakles to right, within lion skin, line border, Rev. hippocamp to left, line border. Dark green patina, off centred obverse as usual, with oblong shape, (S.-, Calciati 3 (p.309), cf.SNG ANS 739 (Pl.25), SNG Munich 908 (Pl.27), cf.Gabrici 14-16 (p.168 these being much lighter). *Very fine and very rare.* 

\$100

Ex Tony Hardy Collection with ticket.

3392

**Sicily,** Syracuse, period of Timoleon, (344-336 B.C.), AE hemilitron, AE 23, (13.93 grams), obv. head of Zeus Eleutherios laureate to right, around traces of IEYΣ ΕΛΕΥΘΕΡΙΟΣ, rev. thunderbolt, eagle standing to right in right field, around traces of ΣΥΡΑΚ ΟΣΙΩΝ, (S.1192, BMC 313, SNG ANS 477, Calciati 71); another Agathokles, (317-285 B.C.), AE 22, (8.66 grams), obv. bust of Artemis to right, quiver at shoulder behind, rev. above and below winged thunderbolt [A]ΓΑΘΟΚΛΕΟ[Σ] / [B]ΑΣΙΛΕΟΣ, (S.1200, BMC 422, Calciati 142, SNG ANS 708); another Hieron II, (275-215 B.C.), AE 25 (15.93 grams), obv. Hieron diademed head left, rev. horseman prancing to right, (S.1221, SNG Cop.833). *Nearly fine - very fine.* (3)

\$150



3393\*

**Sicily**, Syracuse, reign of Agathokles, (317-285 B.C.), AE 20, (9.43 grams), obv. bust of Artemis to right, quiver at shoulder behind,  $\Sigma\Omega$ TEIPA. rev. above and below winged thunderbolt AΓAΘΟΚΛΕΟΣ / ΒΑΣΙΛΕΟΣ, (S.1200, BMC 422, McClean 2858, SNG ANS 708ff.). *Brown patina, very fine and scarce.* 

\$100

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection with his tickets and previously acquired from Glendining's London, Auction Sale July 9, 1980 (lot 317).



3394\*

**Macedon,** Kingdom of, Philip II, (359-336 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, "Amphipolis IV" mint, issued c.315/4-295/4 B.C., (13.85 grams), obv. head of Zeus laureate to right, dotted border, rev. naked youth or small man (Philip II), on horseback to right, Λ over torch below, cantharos on right, above ΦΙΛΙΠ ΠΟΥ, dotted border, (cf.S.6683, Le Rider p.125 and Pl.47, 27, but different dies, M.44). *In high relief, several edge flaws and a test cut on the reverse, otherwise very fine/nearly very fine and a rare variety.* 



Macedon, Kingdom of, Philip II, (359-336 B.C.), AE 19, (7.402 grams), Macedonian mint, issued c.359-336 B.C., obv. head of Apollo, hair in tainia to right, dotted border, rev. naked youth or small man (Philip II), on horseback to right, serpent below, above ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, (cf.S.6696-8, M.201, SNG Cop. 608, SNG ANS 849). In high relief, well centred reverse, with attractive dark patina, very fine/nearly extremely fine and a scarce symbol.

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 64 (lot 2231).



3396\*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Philip II, (359-336 B.C.), AE 17, uncertain Macedonian mint, (6.592 grams), probably life time issue c.345-336 B.C., obv. Apollo head to right with tainia, dotted border, rev. naked youth on horse, above ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, below horse club to right, (cf.S.6696, SNG ANS 868, SNG Greece II 351, Weber 2065). *Dark green patina, good very fine, well centred, scarce as such.* 

\$120



3397\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Philip II, (359-336 B.C.), AE 18, uncertain Macedonian mint, (7.640 grams), probably issued posthumously c.336-315 B.C., obv. Apollo head to right with tainia, dotted border, rev. naked youth on horse, above ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, below horse  $\Delta$ , (cf.S.6696, SNG ANS 912, SNG Greece II -, Drama Hoard 80 [ANSMN 11]). *Good very fine, well centred, scarce as such.* 

\$100



3398\*

**Macedon,** Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.892 grams), Amphipolis mint, issued c.315-294 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin with dotted border, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand,  $\Lambda$  above torch all to left, MH $\Gamma$  monogram under throne, to right A $\Lambda$ E $\Xi$ AN $\Delta$ POY, (cf.S.6713, Price 447, BMC 447a-e, M.37). Very fine, scarce.

\$300





3399\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.855 grams), Corinth mint, issued c.310-290 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin with dotted border, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand,  $AAE\Xi AN\Delta POY$  to right, cornucopiae to left downwards, NO under throne,  $BA\Sigma IAE\Omega\Sigma$  in exergue, (cf.S.6713, Price 691, SNG Munich 383-4, M.877). *Nearly very fine and a rare type.* 

\$400



3400\*

**Macedon,** Kingdom of, Alexander III (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (11.358 grams), Mesembria mint, issued c.175-125 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right, wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, BAΣΙΛΕΩΣ to right, [A]ΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to left, Corinthian helmet to right above  $\Delta A$  in left field, monogram ΠΟΡ under throne, (cf.S.6713, Price 1062, BMC 1062a-b, M.466, Karayotov type 67 No.494-495). Large flan, very light flan, otherwise very fine and very scarce.

\$250



3401\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.586 grams), Miletus mint, issued c.295-275 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin with dotted border, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, monogram of ΠΡΑΤ in circle and double axe under throne, to right AΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟ[Υ]. (cf.S.6730, Price 2147, BMC 2147, M.1138). Well centred, very fine/nearly very fine and a rare type.





Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.050 grams), Ake mint, issued 323-2 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin with dotted border, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, date to left = year 24, to right ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟ[Υ], (cf. S.6713, Price 3260, BMC 3260a [same dies], cf.M.1453, Demanhur 3954-3960). Off centred on the obverse, toned very fine or better, with a sharp date, scarce.

\$500

Ex Dr. Colin Burnside Collection, and previously from Noble Numismatics Sale 62 (lot 1873).

#### 3403

Macedon, Kingdom of Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver drachm, (4.112 grams), Lampsacus mint, (issued 310-301 B.C.), obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin with dotted border, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, ME monogram under throne, amphora in left field, right ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟ[Υ], (cf.S.6730, Price 1417, BMC 1417a-d, M.600); other issues some in packets (11); copies of ancient coins (6) and a fossil trilobite. *Poor - very fine.* (19)

\$100

## 3404

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), drachms, first a plated silver drachm, (3.82 grams), Colophon mint, issued 310-301 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, N to left, [A]ΛΕΞΑΝΔ[POY] to right, (cf.S.6730, Price 1797, BMC 1797a-b, M.1322, SNG Cop. 931); another porous silver drachm (3.91 grams), Colophon mint, issued c.310-301 B.C., obv. similar, rev. similar with K to left of throne, crescent below, (cf.S.6730, Price 1826, BMC 1826, M.274); another silver drachm, (3.93 grams), Sardes mint, obv. similar, rev. similar with rose below throne, EIV monogram to left, (cf.S.6730, Price 2553, BMC 2553a-c, SNG Ash. 2831). First coin plated, second porous, otherwise fine - very fine. (3)

\$200

Last coin from Baldwins London, March 4, 1988.



3405\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Philip III, (323-316 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.048 grams), Aradus mint, issued c.323-316 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, ΣΙΧΕ monogram in circle over bunch of grapes to left, Z below throne, to right ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, below BAΣΙΛΕΩΣ, all within dotted border, (cf.S.6749, Price P155, BMC -, M.P55). Nearly very fine, rare.





3406\*

**Macedon**, Amphipolis (158-149 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.690 grams), obv. Macedonian shield, at centre of which is a bust of Artemis Tauropolos to right with bow and quiver at her shoulder, rev. MAKEΔΟΝΩΝ ΠΡΩΤΗΣ in two lines, club between monograms ANK above and HP below, all within oak wreath, to left of which a thunderbolt, (S.1386, BMC -, AMNG 164 [p.55], SNG Ash. 3293). Off centred obverse, very fine/good fine and a rare set of monograms.

\$400

Gaebler in AMNG knew of only 5 coins with this set of monograms.



3407\*

**Macedon**, Pella (in name of the Bottiaians), (c.196-168 B.C.), silver triobol (1.632 grams), obv. Macedonian shield, with wheel like ornament at centre composed of five crescents, rev. stern of galley inscribed BOTTEAT $\Omega$ N, (S.1438 [£75], BMC 1 [p.64], SNG Cop.137 [described as a two and a half obol coin]). *Very fine, very scarce.* 

\$180



3408\*

**Thrace,** Island off Thrace, Thasos, (c.early 5th century B.C.), silver stater, (8.48 grams), obv. naked ithyphallic Satyr (archaic style) in kneeling running attitude carrying off nymph raising hand in protest, rev. quadripartite incuse square, (S.1357 [£400], Asyut Hoard 100-126, cf.BMC 24, cf.McClean 4197, SNG Cop. 1008, ACNAC Dewing 1313). *Toned with collector ticket, very fine and very scarce.* 

\$600



3409\*

Thrace, Island off Thrace, Thasos, (c.510-490 B.C.), silver stater, (7.884 grams), obv. naked ithyphallic Satyr (archaic style) in kneeling running attitude carrying off nymph raising hand in protest, showing thumb and one finger, rev. quadripartite incuse square, (S.1357 [£400], Asyut Hoard 102-108, Kraay 519, SNG Cop. 1008). Toned, with obverse die break in centre, otherwise nearly very fine with good facial detail and very scarce.





Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.886 grams), Amphipolis mint, issued 288/7-282/1 B.C., obv. head of Alexander to right, with diadem and horn of Ammon, within dotted circle, rev. Athena enthroned to left, supporting Nike, spear behind, ΠΥΘ monogram to left, HM monogram in exergue, extreme right KO monogram, to right BAΣIΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣIMAXOΥ, (cf.S.6814, Thompson 208, Armenak 921). Bright, with nearly full flan, very fine and scarce.

\$600





#### 3411\*

Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.740 grams), Aenus mint, issued 282/1-282/1B.C., obv. head of Alexander to right, with diadem and horn of Ammon, within dotted circle, rev. Athena enthroned to left, supporting Nike, spear behind, Hermes left on throne, tripod in outer left, to right BAΣIΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (cf.S.6814, Thompson -, Armenak -, cf.Meydancikkale 2691 [Pl.79]). Nearly full flan, good very fine/very fine and rare.

\$800





#### 3412\*

**Thessaly**, Thessalian League, (196-146 B.C.), silver stater or double victoriatus, (6.01 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, behind ΣΙΜΙΟΥ, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides ΘΕΣΣΑ ΛΩΝ, above two stars, either side of figure Π Ο/ Λ E, (cf.S.2232, McClean 4716, SNG Cop. *294*), *Nearly very fine and rare*.

\$200





## 3413\*

**Thessaly**, Thessalian League, (196-146 B.C.), silver stater or double victoriatus, (6.20 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, behind traces of ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides ΘΕΣΣΑ ΛΩΝ, above across A PI[Σ], either side of figure TO Λ/ΚΗ/Σ, (cf. S.2232, McClean 4843, cf.SNG Cop. *292), Good very fine or better, a rare variant.* 

\$300





#### 3414\*

**Thessaly,** Thessalian League, (196-146 B.C.), silver stater or double victoriatus, (5.405 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides ΘΕΣΣΑ ΛΩΝ, above across ΓΟΡ ΓΙΑ[Σ], either side of figure ΘΕ ΜΙ/Σ T, (cf.S.2232, cf.McClean 4930, cf.SNG Cop. 271), Very fine or better, well centred, a rare variant.

\$220





#### 3415\*

**Thessaly**, Thessalian League, (c.196-mid 1st century B.C.), silver double victoriatus, (5.93 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, behind EP, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides ΘΕΣΣΑ ΛΩΝ, above, across and between figure ΠΑΥΣΑ ΝΙΑΣ, ΔΙ–Ο/Δ–Ω/P–ΟΣ, (cf.S.2232, McClean 4938 [p.240, cf.Pl.179,13]). *Bright, porous reverse, good very fine/very fine and rare.* 

\$260





## 3416\*

**Acarnania**, Leucas (Colony of Corinth), (350-300 B.C.), silver stater, (8.064 grams), obv. Pegasos with pointed wing flying to left,  $\Lambda$  below, rev. head of Athena to left in Corinthian helmet over a leather cap, with stylis (mast and yard arm) and  $\Lambda$  behind head,  $\Xi$  below neck, (cf.S.2282, Calciati 141 [p.429], BMC 101, McClean 5350). Very fine /nearly extremely fine and very scarce variant.



**Boiotia,** Boiotian League, Federal Coinage, silver drachm, (225-171 B.C.), (5.28 grams), obv. bearded laureate head of Poseidon to right, dotted border, Rev. BOI $\Omega$ T $\Omega$ N to right, inwards and downwards, Nike draped standing to left resting on trident, wreath in left hand, monogram of  $\Delta$ O $\Pi$ T to left, (cf.S.2404, BCD 117, [Triton IX], BMC 103-4, SNG Cop. 390). Good very fine with grey tone, very scarce.

\$400



3418\*

**Euboia**, Histiaia, (mid 4th century B.C.), silver tetrobol, (2.62 grams), obv. nymph Histiaia head to right wreathed with vine leaves, hair rolled, rev. nymph Histiaia seated to right on galley with stylis, legend IΣΤΙΑΙ to lower right, EΩN (N reversed) behind over grapes, aplustre on galley, (S.2495 [£100], cf.BCD 366 [Lanz 111, similar dies], BMC 24 [Pl. XXIV, 6]). Good fine/very fine and very rare variant.

\$150

Ex BCD Collection (with his ticket and photos).



3419\*

**Attica,** Athens, (449-413 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.000 grams), issue c.420 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, eye in profile, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, in erect posture, olive twig and crescent behind, to right,  $A\Theta E$ , all in incuse square, (S.2526, BMC 62, cf.Starr Pl.XXII, SNG Cop.33-40). *About as struck, slightly porous, otherwise extremely fine.* 

\$1,250



3420\*

**Attica,** Athens, (c.430 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.970 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, eye in profile, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, in erect posture, olive twig and crescent behind, to right,  $A\Theta E$ , all in incuse square, (S.2526, BMC 62, Kraay ACGC 199, Sv.Pl.14, 1-30). Good very fine/nearly extremely fine.

3421

Attica, Athens, (20's - 19 B.C.), AE 19, hemidrachm, (7.040 grams), obv. head of Athena Parthenos to right, wearing triple crested helmet, rev. Athena advancing right with spear, A over  $\Theta/E$  all to left, all within wreath, [owl to right]. (cf. S.2568, Sv.Pl.80, 29-35; Athenian Agora 149 [p.106-7, Pl.14, 345 examples found], SNG Cop. 312, BMC 561). *Good fine.* 

\$80



3422\*

**Peloponnesos**, Corinthia, Corinth, (350-300 B.C.), silver stater, (8.324 grams), obv. Pegasos flying to left, Q below, with pointed wing, rev. head of Athena to left, wearing Corinthian helmet, Artemis to right behind,  $\Delta$  to left, (cf. S.2629, Calciati 455, Ravel 1079, SNG Fitz.3396). *Good very fine, reverse die crack, scarce in this condition.* 

\$350



3423\*

**Peloponnesos**, Sicyonia, Sicyon, (431-400 B.C.), silver stater, (11.760 grams), obv. Chimaera walking to left,  $\Sigma E$  below, rev. dove flying to left, all within wreath, (cf.S.2763, BMC 22, SNG Cop.33, SNG Delepierre 1936). *Nearly very fine and rare.* 

\$600



3424\*

**Peloponnesos,** Sicyonia, Sicyon, (330/320-280's B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.216 grams), obv. chimaera to left, ΣI below, on ground line with right foreleg raised high, rev. dove flying to left, (cf.S.2774, BCD 285.1 [LHS 96], BMC 111). *Very fine.* 

\$100



3425\*

**Peloponnesos**, Sicyonia, Sicyon, (before 146 B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.11 grams), obv. dove flying to right, T behind, rev. large  $\Sigma$ , in three lines KΛE A N ΔΡΟΣ, within incuse square, (S.2777, BCD 343 variety, BMC 196, cf.SNG Cop. 99). *Brilliant, good very fine/nearly extremely fine, rare.* 

\$150

\$1,250



**Peloponnesos,** Achaean League, (c.160-150 B.C.), hemidrachm, Pallantium mint, (2.16 grams.), obv. laureate head of Zeus to right, rev. large AX monogram, around mint mark trident,  $\Pi A\Lambda$  and YE monogram, (cf.S.3001, Clerk 219, BMC 124, SNG Cop.290). *Very fine/good very fine.* 

\$200

Ex Diakofto hoard (on the west coast c.20km. East of Aegium, Achaea), found 1965 (ICGH 262), contained 1601 Achaean League coins, detail of each coin on file with the British Museum.

3427

**Pontus or Bosporos,** uncertain area (Amisus?), c.130-100 B.C., AE 25, (20.29 grams), obv. male head to left wearing leather cap, with clear countermarks of a helmet, gorgoneion and thunderbolt, rev. star of eight rays with central dot, or sun burst, (cf.SNG BMC (Black Sea) 972-5, SNG Stancomb 649, SNG Cop. 232 var. Waddington Rec. Pl.M 10-15, Laffaille 409 var., Freedman Collection 402 [Triton V, 402], S.-). *Nearly fine, countermarks fine - very fine and rare.* 

\$100

Ex Philip de Vicci, his Collection sold in Triton IV, (lot 1030 part) with ticket.



3428\*

Mysia, Pergamon, (c.104-98 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.678 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above ATP monogram, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner [ANSMN 23], Type 9, example in ANS, Pinder -). Off centred, otherwise very fine/nearly extremely fine and rare.



3429\*

Mysia, Pergamon, (c.104-98 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.468 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above ΜΙΕ monogram, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner [ANSMN 23], Type 20, example in Munich, Pinder -). Very fine/good very fine and rare.



3430\*

Caria, Kindya, (c.500 B.C.), silver tetrobol (Samian standard), (2.088 grams), obv. head of ketos (sea monster) to left, rev. stellate pattern, within latticed frame in incuse square, (S.-, Kagan & Kritt Num. Chron. 1995 No.1, SNG Finland 920, SNG Turkey 810, Asyut 687, SNG von Aulock 2340, ACNAC Rosen 617) (illustrated); Ionia, Miletos, (c.530-510 B.C.), silver twelth stater or obol, (1.072 grams), obv. forepart of lion and legs to right, rev. star ornament within incuse square, (S.3532, BMC 14). First coin very fine and rare, second coin off centred nearly very fine. (2)

\$300

Ex Forvm Ancient coins, USA with their ticket for first coin; second coin from Wayne G. Sayles with ticket.



3431\*

Carian Islands, Rhodes, (360-late 340's B.C.), silver didrachm, (6.724 grams), obv. head of Helios three-quarter face to right with hair loose, rev. rose, with bud on right, to left E and a bunch of grapes attached to branch, above [POAION] all within incuse square, (S.5037, BMC 27-9 [p.233], SNG Finland 436-440 [similar dies], Ashton 98). Bright, edge porosity, otherwise very fine or better and scarce.

\$400



3432\*

**Pamphylia**, Aspendos, (c.375-360 B.C.), silver stater, (10.766 grams), obv. two naked athletes as wrestlers grasping each other by the hands, FN between (N reversed), dotted border, rev. slinger advancing to right about to discharge his sling, triskeles before, behind ΕΣΤΕΣΔΙΙΥΣ, all within square dotted border, (cf.S.5396, BMC 41, SNG France 3, #97, SNG von Aulock 4568-9). *Toned, obverse off centred, nearly extremely fine and rare.* 

\$750

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection, and previously from Sotheby's London, Auction Sale July 21, 1981 (lot 48).

Aspendos was an Argive colony, located on the navigable river Eurymedon. It was an important port and naval base. These staters with Olympic and war themes (wrestlers and slinger) are of an outstanding style with good active poses. The slinger on the reverse is regarded as a canting type, since the word for slinger  $\sigma\phi\epsilon\nu\delta ov\eta\tau\eta\sigma$  resembles the city name. The triskeles was the civic badge and occupies a prominent position on the reverse. Today these coins are often used as examples of Olympic Games activities and consequently are sought after.



**Pamphylia**, Side, (375-333 B.C.), silver stater, (10.372 grams), obv. Athena standing to left holding wreath bearing Nike in right hand and spear and shield and left hand, pomegranate before, rev. naked Apollo standing to the left wearing skirt, pouring libation from patera on to lighted altar, holding long laurel branch, Pamphylian legend behind, (S.5430 [£350]; SNG France 3, 651, BMC 17 [p.146, Pl.XXVI, 9], Atlan 130 [same dies obv. 110, rev. 122]). *Minor surface porosity, toned, otherwise very fine or better and rare.* 

\$600

An important combination of two of the very significant Greek deities.



3434\*

**Pamphylia**, Side, (c.200 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.236 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing Corinthian helmet, rev. Nike advancing to the left, with wreath, ΚΛΕ YX across the field, to left in field a pomegranate, (S.5436; BMC 43 [p.148], SNG von Aulock 4797, SNG Cop.400, SNG France 3, 695-700, [similar dies]). *Nearly extremely fine, very scarce.* 

\$750



3435\*

**Pisidia,** Antioch, Geta, (A.D. 209-212), AE 23, (6.030 grams), obv. Geta draped bust to right, around PO SEPT GETAS C, rev. Genius of the city standing to left with branch and cornucopiae, around ANTIOCH GENI COL CAC, (cf. S.2876, cf.BMC 52). *Very fine or better.* 

\$100

Ex Forvm Ancient coins, USA with their ticket.





3436\*

Cilicia, Satrap of Cilicia, Datames, (378-362 B.C.) silver stater, (9.962 grams), Tarsus mint, obv. female head three-quarter face to left, wearing sphendone and necklace, rev. male head to right (Ares?), bearded wearing crested Athenian helmet, before Aramaic legend "Trdmw" = Datames, (S.5644, BMC 28, SNG Levante 79, SNG France 3, 259). Polished, slightly off centred reverse, with surface scratches and porosity on reverse, a suggestion of once being mounted, otherwise good very fine/nearly very fine and rare.

\$500

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection, and previously from Sotheby's London, Auction Sale July 20, 1983 (lot 39 part).

In 379 B.C. Pharnabazos, satrap in Bithynia was given the task of reconquering Egypt for the Persian Empire. Datames, satrap of Cappadocia was later appointed to assist him. To finance this undertaking large quantities of silver staters were struck at Tarsus. He was left in sole command of this campaign after Pharnabazos death in 374 B.C. A few years later he became involved in the revolt of the satraps against the Persian king. The obverse of this coin is derived from Kimon's Arethusa on the coinage of Syracuse.



3437\*

Syria, Kingdom of, Demetrius I, (162-150 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.010 grams), Antioch mint, series II, second issue, issued 156-155 B.C., obv. diademed head of Demetrius to right within laurel wreath border, rev. Tyche seated to left with leg of throne a winged monster, holds sceptre and cornucopiae, to right BASIAE $\Omega\Sigma$ , to left  $\Delta$ HMH TPIOY, and  $\Sigma\Omega$ THPO $\Sigma$ , monogram ANT to far left, (cf.S.7014, Newell SMA 100, SNG Israel I (Spaer) 1264). Good very fine/very fine, a rare monogram.

\$300



3438\*

Syria, Kingdom of, Demetrius I, (162-150 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.58 grams), Antioch mint, issued period 152-151 B.C., obv. diademed head of Demetrius to right within laurel wreath border, rev. Tyche seated to left with leg of throne a winged monster, holds sceptre and cornucopiae, to right  $BA\Sigma IAE\Omega\Sigma$ , to left  $\Delta HMHTPIOY$ ,  $\Sigma OTHPO\Sigma$ , monograms to left,  $A\Xi P$  in exergue, (S.7015, cf.SMA Newell 125, cf.SNG Israel I (Spaer) 1278, BMC -). Good very fine, scarce.





Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos VIII, (121-96 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.564 grams), Ake Ptolemais mint, first reign, undated coinage, issued 115-113 B.C., obv. diademed head of Antiochos VIII to right, fillet border, rev. Zeus Uranius with crescent above standing to left, holding star and sceptre, on right  $BA\Sigma IAE\Omega\Sigma$  and ANTIOXOY and to left ETII  $\Phi$ ANOY $\Sigma$ , to left  $\Delta P$  monogram, plain exergue, (cf.S.7143, SNG Israel I (Spaer) 2592, Newell LSM 35, BMC 13, ACNAC Houghton 813). Minor flaw on cheek, otherwise nearly extremely fine and a rare mint.

\$400





3440\*

**Syria,** Seleucis and Pieria, Antioch ad Orontem (Antioch), Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), silver tetradrachm (14.885 grams), issued 103-109, obv. Trajan laureate head to right supported by eagle standing right and club, around [AYTOKP KAIC N]EP TPAIANOC CEB ΓΕΡΜ ΔΑΚ, rev. laureate bust of Herakles to right, around [ΔΗΜΑΡΧ] ΕΞ ΥΠΑΤΕ, (S.-, McAlee 455, Prieur 1495, Wruck 150). *Missing part of the legend, several minor field scratches, otherwise nearly/very fine.* 

\$250





3441\*

**Syria,** Seleucis and Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Caracalla (A.D. 198-217), silver tetradrachm, (14.339 grams), War issue, issued 215-217, obv. laureate head of Caracalla to right, around legend AVT K M A ANTΩNEINO C C E B, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right, wreath in beak, six pointed star between legs, [club] below, around [ΔΗ]MAPX ΕΞ ΥΠΑ ΤΟС [ΤΟΔ], (cf.S.2649, Prieur 229 [notes 32 examples known], Bellinger 25 [ANS Mum. Studies No.3, p.25, Pl.III, 1]). *Very fine and scarce.* 

\$200





3442\*

Syria, Seleucis and Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Elagabalus (A.D. 218-222), billon tetradrachm, (13.796 grams), obv. laureate bust of Elagabalus to right, around [AYT K M A ANT]WNEINO C CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to left, wreath in beak, between legs star,  $\Delta$  E above, around  $\Delta$ H[MAPX EΞ YΠAT]OC TO B, (S.3096, Bellinger 42 [ANS Num. Stud. No.3], p.28, plate IV,10, Prieur 265, SNG Von Post 616). Slightly short on flan, otherwise good very fine.

\$180

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{Ex}}$  Charles E. Weber Collection and previously purchased 11th April 1994.



3443\*

**Phoenicia-Samaria**, local Athenian imitations (c.375-346 B.C.), silver obol, (0.79 grams), probably struck at Gaza, obv. head of Athena to r., rev. owl standing to r., head facing, ro r. downwards part A  $\Theta$  E, (cf.S.2530, SNG ANS (Palestine) 18-19, Samaria Hoard No. 283 (**This Coin** described and illustrated, (p.79, Pl.47). *Very fine and scarce*.

\$200

Ex Samaria Hoard (283) and Sotheby, Zurich Sale Oct. 27-8, 1993 (lot 998 part) and Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 51 (lot 2244).



3444\*

Samaria, Satrap Issue, (375-345 B.C.), silver obol, (0.65 grams), Meshorer & Qedar, "Coinage of Samaria", (CS), CS 3 (20 known), p.45, Samaria Hoard No.15 (This Coin and illustrated), (p.71, Pl.16), obv. head of bearded satrap to l., wearing Persian tiara, border of dots, rev. Persian king standing to left, fighting winged horned animal. He holds the animal horn in his right hand and a dagger in his left hand, in Aramaic off flan, [SMRYN]. *Good fine and very rare.* 

\$200

Ex Samaria Hoard (15) and Sotheby, Zurich Sale Oct. 27-8, 1993 (lot 986 part) and Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 47 (lot 2057).

This lot and several other following lots in this sale represent an opportunity to acquire different examples from the famous "Samaria Hoard" published in Meshorer & Qedar "Coinage of Samaria in the Fourth Century BCE", Jerusalem, 1991. Every coin in that hoard in illustrated with enlargements and this hoard together with a few other finds became the basis of establishing the existance of coins of a country never previously recognised in numismatic literature. The legend which reads Samaria, remains uncertain, whether it means the city, the province or the state, or a combination of these meanings. By c.400 B.C, the Samaritans were still considered Jewish and as such were approached by the Jews of Elephantine. The Samaritan high priests and governors in the 5th and 4th century B.C. in the Elephantine documents bear Jewish names. The final separation between the Samarians and the Jews probably took place a few years after the Samarian hoard's burial (c.346-5 B.C.). Consequently this small group of coins form part of a collection of Biblical coins.



Samaria, Satrap issue, (375-345 B.C.), silver obol, (0.58 grams), obv. head of Athena to left, wearing crested helmet, rev. lion attacking stag to right, above and around in Aramaic, traces of SMRYN, (Meshorer & Qedar "Coinage of Samaria" (CS), CS 5 (29 known), and Samaria Hoard No.53 (CS), (This Coin illustrated and described). Very fine for issue and very rare.

\$200

Ex Samaria Hoard (No.53) and Sotheby, Zurich Sale, October 27-8, 1993 (lot 985 part) and Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 51 (lot 2241).



3446\*

Samaria, Satrap issue, (375-345 B.C.), silver obol, (0.525 grams), obv. female head (Arethusa?), facing, border of dots, rev. bearded male head to left, with crested Athenian helmet, to left in Aramaic, traces of SMRYN, (Meshorer & Qedar "Coinage of Samaria" (CS), CS 8 (30 known), and Samaria Hoard No.93 (CS), (This Coin illustrated and described). *Good fine for issue and rare.* 

\$200

Ex Samaria Hoard (No.93) and Sotheby, Zurich Sale, October 27-8, 1993 (lot 988 part) and Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 51 (lot 2242). Lot also includes a photocopy of much of the book Meshorer & Qedar "The Coinage of Samaria" and other pages from David Hendin "Guide to Biblical Coins"



3447\*

Samaria, Satrap issue, (375-345 B.C.), silver hemiobol, (0.385 grams), obv. female head (Arethusa?), facing, border of dots, rev. bearded male head to left, with crested Athenian helmet, to left in Aramaic retrograde SMRYN, (Meshorer & Qedar "Coinage of Samaria" (CS), CS 9 (43 known), and Samaria Hoard No.119 (CS), (This Coin illustrated and described). *Good fine for issue and very scarce.* 

\$200

Ex Samaria Hoard (No.119) and Sotheby, Zurich Sale, October 27-8, 1993 (lot 985 part) and Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 51 (lot 2243).

3448

**Palestine,** Roman Procurator of Judaea, Pontius Pilate, under Tiberius, (A.D. 26-36), copper prutah, (1.700 grams), obv. three bound ears of barley, partial legend around, [I]ΟΥΛΙΑ [KAICAPOC], rev. Libation ladle (simpulum) legend and date around, [TIBEPIOY KAIC]APOC L[IS], date LIS (year 16 = A.D.29), (S.5622, H. 648 [113], AJC II Supplement V, No.21, Meshorer 229); Constantine I, (A.D. 307-337), AE follis, issued 313-315, Siscia mint, (3.348 grams), obv. Constantine laureate bust to right, around IMP CONSTANTINVS P F AVG, rev. Jupiter standing left, holding sceptre and Victory on globe, eagle with wreath to left,  $\Gamma$  to right, in exergue SIS, around IOVI CONSER VATORI AVGG N N, (cf.S.3862, RIC 3 [R2]). *Fine; nearly extremerly fine.* (2)

\$100

Two rulers who figured prominently in Christianity.



3449\*

**Phoenicia**, Tyre, (c.2nd century B.C. - 1st century A.D.), silver half shekel or didrachm, (6.790 grams), Tyre mint, issued 106-5 B.C., obv. laureate head of Melqarth beardless to right, rev. eagle to left with closed wings, carrying palm, standing on prow of ship, club to left, to left AK (= 21 = 106-5 B.C.], to right monogram  $\Delta$ PK, Phoenician letter between legs, around TYP[OY] IEPA[ $\Sigma$ ] KAI  $\Delta\Sigma$ Y $\Delta$ OY, (S.5921, BMC 218, H.918 [\$700 US]). *Bright, off centred on the obverse, otherwise very fine and a rare date.* 

\$800

The Shekels and half shekels of Tyre are of special interest to this series of Ancient Jewish and Biblical coins as Jews had to pay an annual sum to the Jerusalem Temple of one half shekel [This Coin type] and the only acceptable money were the half shekels of Tyre. They were widely available in Jerusalem and well known for their true weight and good silver. It is also believed that the "thirty pieces of silver" paid to Judas was made in Tyre as shekels. (See Hendin pages 288-293).



3450\*

**Phoenicia,** Tyre Mint, Caracalla (A.D. 198-217), silver tetradrachm, (14.324 grams), issued 215-217, obv. laureate bust draped and cuirassed of Caracalla to right, around AYT KAI AN TWNINOC CE, rev. eagle standing facing, head to left, wreath in beak, between legs murex shell on a club, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΑΤΟC ΤΟΔ, (S.2679, Bellinger 303 [ANS Mum. Studies No.3, p.87, Pl.XXI, 9], Prieur 1551 [p.171]). *Tight flan, very fine and scarce.* 

\$240



3451\*

**Bactria**, Kingdom of, Antimachos I, (174-165 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.772 grams), obv. draped bust of Antimachos to right wearing kausia, all within dotted border, rev. Poseidon standing facing holding trident and palm, to left ANTIMAXOY and to right HA monogram and BAΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΘΕΟΥ, (S.7542 £900, SNG ANS -, Bopearachchi Series 1E, No.8 (Pl.9), M.124a). *Slightly porous in places, otherwise good very fine.* 

\$1,500



**Bactria**, Kingdom of, Antialcidas, (c.145-135 B.C.), silver drachm, (2.356 grams), obv. bust of Antialcidas to right, wearing kausia, around BAΣIΛΕΩΣ NΙΚΗΦΟΤΟΥ ANTIAΛΚΙΔΟΥ, rev. Zeus enthroned to left, with winged Nike and forepart of elephant holding wreath in left field, Karosthi legend around, PK monogram to right, (S.7629, SNG ANS 1085-1093, Bopearachchi Ser.13A, M.277a). Attractive steel blue and grey patina, nearly extremely fine and scarce.

\$220

3453

**Persian Imperial Coinage**, Kingdom of, Artaxerxes I (475-420 B.C.), silver siglos, (5.506 grams), obv. king as bearded archer kneeling to right with spear and bow, rev. oblong incuse punch, (S.4678, Babelon Pl.86, 11, Carradice Type IIIb); another Artaxerxes II and III (375-340 B.C.), struck in Lydia at Sardeis, (5.572 grams), obv. king as bearded archer kneeling to right with dagger and bow, rev. oblong incuse punch, (S.4683, Babelon Pl.86, 18-19, BMC 175, Carradice type IV). *Fine - nearly very fine, last with small flan as usual.* (2)

\$120



3454\*

**Parthia**, Kingdom of, Orodes I, (90-77 B.C.) silver drachm, (4.050 grams), Ecbatana mint, obv. small size bust wearing a tiara to left with short beard, with six pointed star in centre, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, (cf. S.7389, Sellwood 31.5, Shore 122). *Very fine and scarce.* 

\$100



3455\*

**Parthia,** Kingdom of, Orodes II, (c.57-38 B.C.) silver drachm, (3.946 grams), Mithradatkart mint, obv. large size bust without wart wearing a diadem to left with short beard, star before crescent behind, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, monogram MT over  $\Omega$  below bow, (cf. S.7443, Sellwood 47.9, Shore 241). *Bright, nearly extremely fine/good very fine and rare.* 



3456\*

**Parthia**, Kingdom of, Orodes II, (c.57-38 B.C.) silver drachm, (3.840 grams), Ecbatana mint, obv. small size bust wearing a diadem to left with short beard, star before, crescent over star behind, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, monogram AT, anchor with curved trident above behind, (cf.S.7445, Sellwood 48.8, Shore 260). *Bright, attractive nearly extremely fine a variant to the next lot*.

\$150



3457\*

**Parthia**, Kingdom of, Orodes II, (c.57-38 B.C.) silver drachm, (4.014 grams), Rhagae mint, obv. small size bust wearing a diadem to left with short beard, star before, crescent over star behind, sea horse on torque, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, monogram  $\Pi P\Gamma$ , anchor behind, (cf.S.7445, Sellwood 48.10, Shore 262). *Grey tone, attractive good very fine, scarce.* 

\$120



3458\*

**Parthia**, Kingdom of, Phraates IV, (38-2 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (13.940 grams), Seleucia mint, issued 288-289 (Seleucid era) = 24-23 B.C., obv. large size bare-headed bust to left with long beard, wearing diadem, wart on forehead, rev. king enthroned to right receiving diadem from Athena holding scepte, seven line inscription, (cf.S.7469, cf.Sellwood 52, cf.Shore 273). *Good fine and scarce*.

\$100



3459\*

**Persis,** Kingdom of, uncertain ruler (Mitchiner Prince Y), (c.A.D. 30), silver hemi-drachm, (1.574 grams), obv. draped bust to left with short beard, wearing diadem and tiara ornamented by a crescent, rev. double diadem traces of Aramaic legend around, (S.5956, BMC 5 [p.237, Pl.XXXVI, 15], M.751). *Very fine and rare.* 

\$80



Sasanian Hepthalites (White Huns), 5th-6th century, "Napki Malik" coinage of the Western Provinces, Pakistan series of Kabul valley and Zabul, silver drachm (2.51 grams), obv. "Napki", type with winged headress, surmounted by a bull's head, Pehlvi legend right, rev. fire altar and attendants, (Mitch AC 1507-1509 [£70]). Fine and rare.

\$100



3463\*

**Egypt,** Alexandria, Gallienus (A.D. 253-268), billon tetradrachm, year 15 = A.D. 267-268, (10.42 grams), obv. laureate and cuirassed bust of Gallienus to right, around AVT K Π ΛΙΚ ΓΑΛΛΙΗΝΟC CEB, rev. Eagle standing to right, head to left, holding wreath in beak, palm behind, to right L IE, (S.10592, BMC 2230, Milne 4178, Koln 2942). *Extremely fine.* 

\$100



#### 3461\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy IV, (221-204 B.C.), AE 40, drachm, (63.0 grams), Alexandria mint, obv. diademed head of Zeus Ammon to right, rev. eagle to left with closed wings, standing on thunderbolt, cornucopiae over shoulder, around BAΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, between legs ΣΕ, dotted border, (S.7814, Sv. 992, BMC 69-71, SNG Cop. 205-6, Pitchfork 35-36, Koln 61 [attributes issue to Ptolemy III between 247-243 B.C.). *About very fine, some surface roughness, scarce.* 

C

\$150

\$250

3464\*

**Egypt,** Alexandria, Gallienus (A.D. 253-268), billon tetradrachm, year 14 = A.D. 266-267, (10.884 grams), obv. laureate and cuirassed bust of Gallienus to right, around AVT K Π ΛΙΚ ΓΑΛΛΙΗΝΟC CEB, rev. Eagle standing to left, head to right, holding wreath in beak, to left LIΔ, (cf.S.4729, SNG Cop. 794, Milne 4145, Koln 2932-2934), (illust.); Constantius II as Caesar, (A.D. 337-361), AE folles, Trier mint, (3.268 grams), obv. laureate bust left, rev. PROVIDEN TIA CAESS, campgate, PTR crescent and dot in exergue, (S.3984, RIC 480). *Extremely fine.* (2)

\$100

 $\ensuremath{\text{Ex}}$  York Coins, U.S.A., with their ticket for last coin.



# 3462\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Cleopatra VII, (51-30 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Alexandria mint, struck year 9 = 44-43 B.C., (13.644 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left LΘ above headress of Isis, to right ΠΑ, around BAΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, (cf.S.7952, Sv.1823, SNG Cop.403, Pitchfork 137-139, BMC 8-9). *Large flan, nearly very fine, scarce.* 



3465\*

**Egypt,** Alexandria, Aurelian and Vabalathus (A.D. 270-271), billon tetradrachm, year 2 = A.D. 271-272 and year 5 of Vabalathus, (7.68 grams), obv. laureate and draped bust of Aurelian to right, around AVT K Λ Δ ΑΥΡΗΛΙΑΝΟC CEB, L B across field, rev. Vabalathus laureate bust right, draped and cuirassed, around I A C OVABAΛΛΑΟΘC ΑΘΗΝV, across L E, (S.11721, BMC 2387, Milne 4330, Koln 3058). *Nearly extremely fine, scarce.* 



3466\*

**Egypt**, Alexandria, Probus, (A.D. 276-282), billon tetradrachm, year 6 = A.D. 280-281, (7.33 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust of Probus to right, around A K M AVP ΠΡΟΒΟC CEB, rev. Athena seated to left, LS in left field, (S.12134, BMC 2410, Milne 4618, Koln 3152); another Carus (A.D. 282-283), billon tetradrachm, year 1 = A.D. 282-283, (6.98 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust of Carus to right, around A K M A KA POC CK, rev. L A across field, Eagle standing to right, holding wreath and palm, (S.12198, BMC 2442, Milne 4670, Koln 3159); another Numerian, (282-284) year 2 = 283-284, (8.30 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust of Numerian to right, around A K M A NOVMEPIANOC CEB, rev. Athena seated to left, star to right, (S.12273, Milne 4719, Koln 3194, BMC 2464). *Very fine or better.* (3)

\$150



3467\*

**Zeugitana**, Carthage, (c.3rd century B.C.), AE 15, Sicilian mint, (2.918 grams), obv. head of Tanit to right, rev. horse standing to right with palm tree behind, three dots before, (S.6511, SNG Cop.119). *Nearly extremely fine.* 

\$80

3468

Ancient Greek and Greek Imperial coins, a group of various issues including silver (3, 2 as copies), and bronze (23) noted Athens, billon tetradrachms of Egypt (2, Clauduius II, Diocletian), mostly Seleucid and eastern including Antiochus IV, AE 33 (S.6985), also noted Ionia, Smyrna, rev. Homer seated l. (S.4571), Carthage (2), Apulia, Arpi, rev. boar r., (S.569), Antioch imperial of Philip II (2). Fair - nearly very fine. (26)

\$140



Lot 3469 part



3469\*

Electrotypes (6), Judaea, drachm, obv. bearded head right, wearing crested helmet right, rev. deity seated right on winged wheel, holding falcon, mask below in Hebrew "Yehud", (AJC 1, 115, 1, H.434) (original in BM and is unique, one of the great Biblical coins) RR on edge; Postumus, (A.D. 259-268), AE 40, obv. radiate bust of Postumus and Hercules jugate to right, around IMP C M CASS LATI POSTVMVS P F AVG, rev. Postumus at tripod sacrificing with Felicitas in centre, above FELICITAS POSTVMI, AVG in exergue, (cf.Gnecchi Vol.II, p.111-112, Pl.116,6-8), held with bronze surround; Elis, Olympia, stater, type c. mid 430's, obv. Zeus nude to waist seated left, rev. eagle flying left in incuse square, F A Λ around reversed, (Seltman 101a [Pl.III original illustrated of this electrotype in BM colln], BCD 44, cf.Weber 4023) with countermark of Apollo head; another Hadrian, by the Alpheios Master, obv. bare headed draped bust of Hadrian left, rev. The Zeus of Phidas seated left, holding Nike, (NCP P,XX as a copy of this coin in Florence = Seltman 1948, 5, BCD 322 [all from same dies]); Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), tetradrachm, Pergamum Mint, style of that issued c.287/6 - 282/1 B.C., obv. head of Alexander to right, with diadem and horn of Ammon, K below, rev. Athena enthroned to left, supporting Nike, to outer left N, cult image to left, crescent in exergue, to right BAΣΙΛΕΩΣ to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (cf.S.6814, Thompson 225, cf.Arnold-Biucchi 63, Obv. 12 [copy of example in BM]); Cilicia, Tarsos, (361-334 B.C.), stater, obv. Baal of Tarsos enthroned to left, with grapes etc., rev. lion on back of stag all within incuse square, (S.5649, SNG Levante 108, SNG France 2, 326). Very fine - extremely fine, second on a very large flan, originals are very rare or unique. (6)

## **ROMAN SILVER & BRONZE**

**REPUBLIC** 



3470\*

**Q. Marcius Libo**, (148 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.886 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, LIBO behind, X before, rev. Dioscuri to right, Q.MARC ligated below, ROMA in exergue, (S.90, Cr.215/1, Syd.395, RSC Marcia 1). *Good very fine and scarce.* 

\$140



3471\*

**C. Renius**, (138 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.620 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, X behind, rev. Juno Caprotina in a biga of goats, C.RENI below, ROMA in exergue, (S.108 [o55 VF], Cr.231/1, Syd.432). *Very fine and scarce.* 

\$120



3472\*

**C. Servilius,** (136 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.850 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, wreath behind, X ROMA under head, rev. the Dioscuri galloping in opposite directions, [C.S]ERVEILI.M.F. in exergue, (S.116 [£60 VF], Cr.239/1, Syd.525). *Nearly very fine.* 

\$100



3473\*

**M. Marcius,** Mn.f., (134 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.850 grams), obv. Roma head right, \* below chin, modius behind, rev. Victory in biga, M.MAR C monogram below divided by two corn ears, RO MA in exergue, (S.122, Cr.245/1, Syd.500). *Very fine and scarce.* 

\$120



Lot 3474

3474\*

**M. Marcius,** Mn.f., (134 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.892 grams), obv. Roma head right, \* below chin, modius behind, rev. Victory in biga, M.MAR C monogram below divided by two corn ears, RO MA in exergue, (S.122 [£50 VF], Cr.245/1, Syd.500, RSC Marcia 8). *Very fine and scarce.* 

\$120



3475\*

M. Papirius Carbo, (c.122 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.788 grams), obv. head of Roma to right, laurel-branch behind, X under chin, rev. Jupiter in quadriga to right, M.CARBO below, ROMA in exergue, (S.151 £45 VF], Cr.276/1, Syd.423); M. Cipius, M.F., (115-114 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.854 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, M.CIPI.M.F. before, X behind, rev. Victory in biga to right, rudder below, ROM[A] in exergue, (S.166, Cr.289/1, Syd.546, B.Cipia 1). Second with small flan as usual, otherwise nearly very fine and scarce. (2)

\$150



3476\*

**C. Plutius**, (c.121 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.862 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, X behind, rev. Dioscuri to right, C.PLV[TI] below. [ROMA] in exergue, (S.153, Cr.278/1, Syd.410 & 414, Plutia 1). *Small flan, very fine, scarce.* 

\$120



9477\*

**M.Sergius Silus**, (116-115 B.C.), silver denarius, (3.898 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, EX SC before, ROMA \* behind, rev. horseman galloping left, with sword and barbarian head, Q/M.SERGI below, SILV[S] in exergue, (S.163, Cr.286/1, Syd.534, Sergia 1). *Good very fine*.

\$140



3478\*

**T. Manlius Mancinus, Appius Claudius Pulcher and Q. Urbinius,** (111-110 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.90 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, object behind, rev. Victory in triga to right, T. MAL. AP CL Q VR in exergue, (S.176 [£45 VF], Cr.299/1b, Syd.570a, B. Mallia 2). *Off centred obverse, otherwise extremely fine, scarce.* 



**C. Claudius Pulcher**, (110-109 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.874 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, rev. Victory in biga to right, C.PVLCHER in exergue, (S.177 £140 EF], Cr.300/1, Syd.569, RSC Claudia 1). *Nearly very fine/very fine.* 

\$100



3480\*

**L. Flaminius Chilo**, (109-108 B.C.), Rome mint, (3.916 grams), obv. helmeted head of Roma to right, ROMA behind, X below chin, rev. Victory in biga, L. FLAMIN[I] below, and CILO in exergue, (S.179, Cr.302/1, Syd.540). *Off centred, nearly extremely fine.* 

\$150



3481\*

**L. Flaminius Chilo**, (109-108 B.C.), Rome mint, (3.870 grams), obv. helmeted head of Roma to right, ROMA behind, X below chin, rev. Victory in biga, L. FLAMI[NI] below, and [CILO] in exergue, (S.179, Cr.302/1, Syd.540). *Very fine/nearly very fine*.

\$120



3482\*

**L. Scipio Asiagenus**, (c.106 B.C.), silver denarius, (3.984 grams), obv. Jupiter laureate head to left, dotted border, rev. Jupiter in quadriga to right, H: above, [L.S]CIP.ASIAG in exergue, (S.188, Cr.311/1c, Syd.576b, RSC.Cornelia 24). *Serrated edge, good very fine.* 

\$120

Ex Barry P. Murphy, USA with his ticket.



3483\*

**L. Scipio Asiagenus**, (c.106 B.C.), silver denarius, (3.878 grams), obv. Jupiter laureate head to left, dotted border, rev. Jupiter in quadriga to right, L.SCIP.ASIAG/O in exergue, (S.188 [£45 VF], Cr.311/1e, Syd.576, RSC Cornelia 24a). *Serrated edge, very fine.* 





3484\*

**L. Memmius Galeria**, (c.106 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.706 grams), obv. Saturn laureate head to left, E. below chin, ROMA and harpa behind, rev. Venus in biga to right, Cupid flies above, M.MEMMI/GAL in exergue, (S.190, Cr.313/1b, Syd.574, Memmia 2). *Serrated edge, very fine, scarce.* 

\$100



3485\*

**Lucius Appuleius Saturninus**, (c.104 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.904 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to left, rev. Saturn in quadriga to right, L.SATURN in exergue, T and dot above, (S.193, Cr.317/3a, Syd.578, RSC.Appuleia 1 var.). *Good very fine/very fine.* 

\$140



3486\*

**Lucius Appuleius Saturninus**, (c.104 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.910 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to left, rev. Saturn in quadriga to right, L.SATURN in exergue, T above, (S.193, Cr.317/3a, Syd.578, B.Appuleia 1 var.). *Good very fine.* 

\$120



3487\*

**C. Coelius Caldus,** (c.104 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.846 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to left, rev. Victory in quadriga to left, C.COIL below, CALD in exergue, I and two dots above, (S.196, Cr.318/1a, Syd.582). *Good very fine.* 

\$120



3488\*

L. Pomponius Molo, (c.97 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.794 grams), obv. Apollo laureate head to right, L.POMPON Q.F. behind, MOLO before, rev. Numa Pompilius standing to right before altar about to sacrifice a goat held by youth, NVMA POMPIL ligated in exergue, (S.214, Cr.334/1, Syd.607, Pomponia 6). Very fine and rare.

\$180

30 obverse dies were used by this magistrate on his coinage according to Crawford.



**D. Silanus**, L.f., (c.91 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.970 grams), obv. Roma helmeted to right, Q behind, rev. Victory on biga to right, [D].SILANVS [L.F.] / ROMA in exergue, XV above, (S.225, Cr.337/3, Syd.646). As struck on small flan as usual, nearly extremely fine.

\$120



3490\*

**Q. Titius,** (c.90 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.88 grams), obv. head of young Bacchus wearing ivy wreath to right, rev. Q.TITI on tablet from which springs Pegasus to right, (S.239, Cr.341/2, Syd.692, B.Titia 2). *Very fine or better*:

\$120



3491\*

**C. Vibius C.f. Pansa**, (90 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.918 grams), obv. small laureate head of Apollo to right, PANSA behind, caduceus symbol under chin, rev. Minerva in quadriga to right, C. VIBIVS C [F]. in exergue, (S.242, Cr.342/5b, Syd.684, B.Vibia 1). *Good very fine.* 

\$150



3492\*

**L. Titurius L.f. Sabinus,** (89 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.762 grams), obv. bare head of king Tatius to right, SABIN behind, TA monogram before, rev. two Roman soldiers each carrying a woman in his arms, [L.T]ITVRI in exergue, (S.249 [£60 VF], Cr.344/1a, Syd.698a, B.Tituria 1). Off centred and dirty reverse, otherwise good very fine/very fine and scarce.

\$100



Lot 3493

3493\*

**L. Titurius L.f. Sabinus**, (89 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.918 grams), obv. bare head of king Tatius to right, SABIN behind, rev. Tarpeia facing, buried to her waist in shields, with raised hands, trying to thrust off two soldiers casting their shields at her, star in crescent above, [L.]TITVRI in exergue, (S.252, Cr.344/2b, Syd.699, B.Tituria 4). Weak in places, slightly off-centred obverse, banker's mark in obverse field, otherwise nearly very fine and scarce.

\$120

Tarpeia, a virgin of the period of Romulus's war with Tatius and the Sabines was supposed to have sacrificed her country for her love of gold. She opened the gate, the price of her treason being the bracelets of gold on the Sabine arms. The enemy soldiers were disgusted with her treachery and buried her in a pile of their own shields.

3494

**Cn. Lentulus Clodianus**, (88 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.652 grams), obv. Mars helmeted bust right, seen from behind, rev. Victory in biga to right, [C]N LENTVL in exergue, (S.254, Cr.345/1, Syd.702, Cornelia 50); cast copy of an Syria, Antiochus IV, tetradrachm, (cf.S.6977). *Very good; very fine.* (2)

\$70



3495\*

Gargilius, Ogulnius and Vergilius, (c.86 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.694 grams), obv. Jupiter (or Apollo Vejovis) head to right, with oak wreath, thunderbolt below, rev. Jupiter in quadriga to right, (S.266, Cr.350A/2, Syd.723, RSC B.i) 226). Toned, good very fine.

\$120



3496\*

**L. Julius Bursio**, (c.85 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.762 grams), obv. Genius (or Apollo Vejovis) bust laureate to right, trident and bucranium symbol behind, rev. Victory in quadriga to right, L. IVLI. BV[RSIO] in exergue, (S.268, Cr.352/1a, Syd.728, B.Julia 5). *Good very fine*.

\$150



3497\*

**P. Furius Crassipes,** (c.84 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.930 grams), obv. turreted head of the City to right, AED CVR and deformed foot upwards behind, rev. P.FOVR[IVS] on curule chair, CRASSIPE[S] in exergue, (S.275 [£55 VF], Cr.356/1a, Syd.735, RSC Furia 20). *Toned, good very fine.* 



**C. Norbanus**, (c.83 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.914 grams), obv. diademed head of Venus to right, C. NORBANVS traces below, XIII behind, rev. ear of corn, fasces and caduceus within dotted border, (S.278, Cr.357/1b, Syd.739, RSC.Norbana 2). Weak in places, extremely fine and rare.

\$200



3499\*

**C. Poblicius**, Q.f., (c.80 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.920 grams), obv. Roma helmeted bust to right wearing two feathers on helmet, ROMA behind, P above, rev. Hercules to left strangling the Nemean lion, club at feet, bow and quiver to left, C. POBLI[CIVS Q.F] on right, D above, (S.308 [£65 VF], Cr.380/1, Syd.768, B.Poblicia 9). *Serrated edge, toned, nearly very fine, very scarce.* 

\$120



3500\*

**C. Naevius Balbus**, (c.79 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.762 grams), obv. Venus diademed head right, S.C. behind, rev. Victory in triga to right, CXII above, C. NAE BA[LB] in exergue, (S.309, Cr.382/1b, Syd. 769b, B.Naevia 6). *Serrated edge, very fine or better, scarce.* 

\$100



3501\*

**Ti. Claudius,** (c.79 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (4.010 grams), obv. Diana bust to right, bow and quiver on shoulder, S.C. before, rev. Victory in biga to right, A.LXXII below, [TI] CLAVD. TI.[F]/[A]P. N in exergue, (S.310, Cr.383/1, Syd.770, B.Claudia 5). Serrated edge, slightly bent, otherwise nearly very fine and scarce.

\$100



3502\*

**M. Volteius**, M.f., (c.78 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.452 grams), obv. head of young Hercules to right, wearing lion skin, rev. the Erymanthian boar running to right, M. VOLTE[I. M.F.] in exergue, (S.313 [£110 VF], Cr.385/2, Syd.775, B. Volteia 2). *Even grey patina, slightly off centre, nearly very fine and rare.* 

\$140



3503\*

**M. Volteius**, M.f., (c.78 B.C.), silver denarius, (3.375 grams), Rome mint, obv. head of young Hercules to right, wearing lion skin, rev. the Erymanthian boar running to right, M. VOLTEI. M.F. in exergue, (S.313 [£110 VF], Cr.385/2, Syd.775, B. Volteia 2). Even grey patina, slightly off centre on the reverse, fine and rare.

\$80

Only 20 obverse dies used on this type as calculated by Crawford.



3504\*

**M. Nonius Sufenas**, (c.59 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.990 grams), obv. Saturn head to right, laureate, SVFENAS before, S.C. and harpa and conical stone behind, rev. Roma seated to left, being crowned by Victory standing behind her, SEX. NONI in exergue, around PR. [L. V. P. F.], (S.377, Cr.421/1, Syd.885, B.Nonia 1 [£50]). Off centred reverse, bright, otherwise, good very fine and scarce.

\$120

The praetor Sextus Nonius Sufenas, nephew of Sulla, is celebrated on the reverse as the initiator of the Victory Games in  $81\ B.C.$ 



3505\*

**Q. Cassius Longinus**, (c.55 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.978 grams), obv. Bonus Eventus head to right, sceptre behind, rev. eagle right on thunderbolt, between lituus and capis, Q. CASSIVS in exergue, (S.391, Cr.428/3, Syd.916, B.Cassia 7). *Good very fine and scarce.* 

\$180

3506

**Roman Republic,** assorted bronzes (2nd -1st century B.C.), asses (3) including (S.727); semis (1); triens (4); quadrans (5); sextans (5); others (1). *Mostly cleaned and porous, a good research lot, otherwise poor - fine.* (19)



**Julius Caesar**, (c.47-46 B.C.), silver denarius, (3.744 grams), Africa mint, obv. diademed head of Venus to right, rev. CAESAR to right, Aeneas walking left, carrying Anchises and palladium, dotted border, (S.1402, Cr.458/1, Syd.1013, RSC Julius Caesar 12). *Well centred on both sides, good very fine.* 

\$600



3508\*

Julius Caesar, (c.January - February 44 B.C.), silver denarius, (3.928 grams), Rome mint, obv. diademed head of Caesar to right, crescent behind, CAESAR IM P M, dotted border, rev. L AEMILIVS BVCA around, Venus standing to left, holding Victory and sceptre, dotted border, (S.1408, Cr.480/4, Syd.102, RSC Julius Caesar 22). Double struck on the obverse but not affecting the portrait, with two banker's marks on the neck, well centred with full flan on both sides, otherwise nearly extremely fine and rare in this condition.

\$8,750



3509\*

Mark Antony, (32-31 B.C.), silver denarius, mint moving with Mark Antony, (3.444 grams), obv. praetorian galley to right with rowers etc., around legends ANT AVG III VIR. R.P.C., rev. legionary eagle between two standards, LEG VII below, (cf.S.1479, Cr.544/20, BMC 198, Syd, 1224C. Mark Antony 34). Lightly toned, obverse flan flaw and banker's mark, otherwise nearly very fine and scarce.

\$200

## **IMPERIAL**



3510\*

**Augustus**, as Octavian, (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), silver denarius, moving with Octavian mint, issued 37 B.C., (3.740 grams), obv. Octavian head to right bearded, around IMP CAESAR DIVI F III VIR ITER R P C, rev. simpulum, sprinkler, jug and lituus, border of dots, around COS ITER ET TER DESIG, (S.1544, Cr.538/1, C.91, Syd.1334, BMC Gaul 116). Slightly off-centre on obverse, a banker's mark and several scratches, otherwise nearly very fine.

\$300





3511\*

**Augustus**, (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), silver denarius, Lyons mint, issued 15-13 B.C. (3.650 grams), obv. bare head of Augustus to right, around AVGVSTVS DIVI F, rev. IMP X in exergue, two soldiers with parazonium and branch giving these to Augustus seated to left on platform, (S.1609, RIC 165a, RSC 133, BMC 446). *Two minor banker's marks, well centred, slightly off centred on the reverse, very fine and rare.* 

\$400

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The issue probably relates to the victories of Tiberius and Drusus over the Rhaeti, in 15 B.C., and these two princes may be the soldiers shown.



3512\*

**Augustus**, (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), silver denarius, Lyons mint, issued 2 B.C. - A.D. 4 and later, (3.790 grams), obv. laureate head of Augustus to right, [CAES]AR AVGVSTVS DIVI F PATER [PATRIAE] around, rev. Caius and Lucius Caesars standing facing, shields and spears between them, above on left simpulum to right, and on the right a lituus to left, in exergue traces of [C] L CAESARES, around AVGVSTI F COS DESIG PRINC IVVENT, (S.1597, RIC 207, C.43, BMC 533). *Dark tone, good very fine/very fine.* 

\$250



3513\*

**Augustus**, (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued 15 B.C. by C. Cassius Geler, (7.606 grams), obv. AVGVSTVS/ TRIBVNIC/ POTEST in three lines, with oak wreath between laurel branches, rev. C N PISO CN F III VIR A A A F F around large SC, (S.1664, RIC 381, C.378, CBN 439, BMC 135). *Small flan, otherwise nearly very fine and rare.* 

\$150

Ex Amphora Coins, USA with their ticket.



**Tiberius**, (A.D. 14-37), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 14-37, (3.86 grams), obv. laureate head of Tiberius to right, around [TI CAES]AR DIVI AVG F AVGVSTVS, rev. PONTIF MAXIM, Livia seated to right, with vertical sceptre and branch, (S.1763, RIC 30, BMC 48). *Slightly off centre, otherwise nearly extremely fine and very scarce.* 

\$600

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 51 (lot 2286).

Of Biblical importance as the issue is often described as the Tribute Penny (Mark 12: 14-17).



3515\*

**Tiberius**, (A.D. 14-37), silver denarius, Lugdunum mint, issued A.D. 14-37, (3.596 grams), obv. laureate head of Tiberius to right, around TI CAESAR DIVI AVG F AVGVSTVS, rev. PONTIF MAXIM, Livia seated to right, with vertical sceptre and branch, (S.1763, RIC 30, BMC 48, H.916 [304]). *Toned, weak on centre on reverse, minor edge chip, otherwise very fine or slightly better.* 

\$300

See note above.

3516

**Tiberius**, (A.D. 14-37), silver denarius, Lugdunum mint, issued A.D. 14-37, (3.364 grams), obv. laureate head of Tiberius to right, around traces of TI CAESAR DIVI AVG F AVGVSTVS, rev. [PONTIF] MAXIM, Livia seated to right, with vertical sceptre and branch, (S.1763, RIC 30, BMC 48, H.916 [304]). *Bright, off centred on reverse, large areas of corrosion, otherwise fine.* 

\$150

See note above.



3517\*

**Agrippa**, (died 12 B.C.), posthumous issue struck by Caligula (A.D. 37-41), AE as, (10.824 grams), obv. M AGRIPPA L F COS III, head to left wearing rostral crown, rev. S C, across, Neptune standing to left, holding dolphin and trident, (S.1812 [£150 VF, £600 EF], RIC 58 (Caligula), C.3). Uneven apple green patina, good very fine and scarce in this condition.

\$300



3518\*

Gaius (Caligula), an issue in honour of his deceased brothers Nero and Drusus, (A.D. 37-41), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 37-38, (15.430 grams), obv. Nero and Drusus on horseback to right, around NERO ET DRVSVS CAESARES, rev. C CAESAR AVG GERMANICVS PON M TR POT, around SC, (cf.S.1828, RIC 34, BMC 44). Attractive dark brown patina, some light tooling, otherwise very fine or better and rare.

\$400

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3519\*

Claudius, (A.D. 41-54), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 46-47, (3.724 grams), obv. laureate head of Claudius to right, around TI CLAVD CAESAR AVG P M TR P V[III IMP XVI], rev. DE BRITANN on architrave of triumphal arch surmounted by equestrian statue left, holding spear between two trophies, (S.1843, RIC 45, BMC 50, RSC 19). Weak on parts of the obverse legend, otherwise good fine and rare.

\$2,400



3520×

Claudius, (A.D. 41-54), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued 41-42, (12.438 grams), obv. bare head of Claudius to left, around TI CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG PM TR P IMP, rev. CERES AVGVSTI, Ceres enthroned to left, holding corn-ears and torch, SC in exergue, (S.1855, RIC 94, BMC 136). Weak in places, otherwise good fine - nearly very fine and scarce.



Lot 3521

Nero, (A.D. 54-68), AE sestertius, issued c.64, Rome mint, (22.78 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Nero, around NERO CLAVD CAES AVG G ER P M TR P IMP PP, rev. Arch with quadriga above, Mars standing in left niche, S C across field, (cf.S.1962, cf.RIC 143, cf.BMC 183). Carefully tooled, otherwise good very fine, with attractive light brown patina and rare.

\$1,50

Ex Forvm Ancient coins, USA with their ticket.

This piece has an unpublished obverse reading and may be the result of tooling. The coin has a superb reverse revealing all its detail. The Arch has been identified as that decreed by the Senate in A.D. 58 (Tacitus Annals xiii, 41) to commemorate the eastern victories of Cn. Domitius Corbulo. It was located on the Capitoline Hill but its exact site is uncertain, the structure probably having been demolished following Nero's downfall a decade later.



3522\*

**Vespasian,** (A.D. 69-79), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issue of middle of A.D. 71, (22.64 grams), obv. IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG P M TR P P P COS III, laureate head to right, rev. Jewess seated to right below palm, behind, Jew, standing right, hands tied behind back, arms in field, S C in exergue, around IVDAEA CAPTA, (S.2325, RIC 235 (424), BMC 535, C.232, H.773). Weak in parts of the legend, rough surface, otherwise nearly fine and rare.

\$100

The size of the sestertius afforded the artist great scope for the design and potency of the issue. The value of the orichalcum (brass) sestertius, bright and shiny, gold-like when issued, was one quarter silver denarius or 100 to the gold aureus. Kraay has convincingly argued that the Judaea capta sestertii with this obverse legend were "closely connected with the triumph of Vespasian and Titus celebrated at the end of June" 71.



3523\*

**Vespasian**, (A.D. 69-79), AE dupondius, Lugdunum mint, issued A.D. 77-8, (13.288 grams), obv. laureate head of Vespasian to right, around IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG COS VIII P P, rev. around FIDES PVBLICA, Fides standing to left, holding patera and cornucopiae, (S.2347, RIC 753b, C.166). Brown patina, cut in edge, very fine/good fine and rare

\$150

Ex Davissons Ltd, Cold Spring MN, USA Auction Sale 14, November 15, 2000 (lot 243) with their ticket.



3524\*

**Domitian**, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 89, (3.370 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM P M TR P VIII, rev. around IMP XIX COS XIIII CENS P P P, Minerva standing to right on vessel with owl at feet, in fighting pose holding javelin and shield, (cf.S.2735 [£160 EF], BMC 152, RIC 138, RSC 253). *Nearly extremely fine/good very fine and scarce.* 

**S180** 

The Reka Devnia hoard of 81,044 silver coins contained 632 coins of Domitian, but only 3 examples of this variety.



3525\*

**Domitian**, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 89, (3.54 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM P M TR P VIII, rev. around IMP XIX COS XIIII CENS P P P, Minerva standing to left, holding spear, (cf.S.2731 [£160 EF], BMC 154, RIC 140, RSC 250). *Full flan, nearly extremely fine and scarce.* 

\$180

The Reka Devnia hoard contained 81,044 silver denarii and 632 denarii of this ruler but only 7 examples of this variety.



3526\*

**Nerva**, (A.D. 96-98), AE as, Rome mint, issued A.D. 96-97, (11.570 grams), obv. laureate head of Nerva to right, around IMP NERVA CAES AVG P M TR P COS III P P, rev. around LIBERTAS PVBLICA, SC across, Libertas standing to left, holding pileus and sceptre, (S.3064 [£185 VF], RIC 86, C.115). Attractive green patina, very fine and scarce in this condition.

\$120

3527

**Trajan**, (A.D. 98-117), silver denarius, issued 108, Rome mint, (2.810 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Trajan, around IMP TRAIANO AVG GER DAC PM TR P, rev. DAC CAP in exergue, Dacian to left wearing peaked cap hands bound behind, seated on pile of shields, two swords and two spears, around COS V P P S P Q R OPTIMO PRINC, (S.3136, RIC 98, RSC 120, BMC 390); a modern copy of much reduced weight of Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (6.784 grams), of usual type. *Fine; extremely fine.* (2)



**Trajan,** (A.D. 98-117), AE brass as of small module, issued 115-6, Antioch mint, (9.198 grams), obv. radiate and draped bust of Trajan to right, around IMP CAES NER TRAIANO OPTIMO AVG GERM, rev. DAC PARTHICO P M TR POT XX COS VI PP around a laurel wreath enclosing a large S C, (S.3243 (AE as), RIC 644, C.122 var.). *Dark green patination, nearly extremely fine.* 

\$200



3529\*

**Trajan**, (A.D. 98-117), AE as, Rome mint, issued 98-99, (11.20 grams), obv. laureate head of Trajan to right, around IMP CAES NERVA TRAIAN AVG GERM PM, rev. Victory standing to left, holding palm branch and shield inscribed S P Q R, around TR POT COS II P P, S C across field, (S.3242, RIC 395, C.614). *Dark green patina, slightly with some uneven green patination, otherwise good very fine and scarce.* 

\$150



3530\*

**Hadrian**, (A.D. 117-138), silver denarius, issued 117, Rome mint, (3.078 grams), obv. laureate, draped on far shoulder bust to right of Hadrian, around IMP CAES TRAIAN HADRIANO OPT AVG GER DAC, rev. Justitia seated to left holding patera and sceptre, around PARTHIC DIVI TRAIAN AVG F P M TR P COS P P, (S.3500, RIC 6, RSC 875a, BMC 12). Well centred, good very fine and scarce in this condition.

\$150

3531

**Hadrian**, (A.D. 117-138), silver denarius, issued 127, Rome mint, (3.374 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Hadrian, drapery on left shoulder, around HADRIANVS AVGVSTVS, rev. COS III around, eagle standing left, (S.3481, RIC 190, RSC 428); Thrace (Moesia Inferior), Tomis, Nerva, (A.D. 96-98), AE 17, (2.462 grams), obv. Nerva laureate head right, partial legend around, countermarked TPA (Trajan), rev. Nike advancing left, (S.-, Howegego 579, Varbanov 4653, AMNG 2597). *Good fine; very good/fair.* (2)

\$100

Ex Forvm Ancient coins, USA with their tickets for both coins.



3532\*

Antoninius Pius, (A.D. 138-161), silver denarius, Rome mint, posthumous issue after 161, (3.238 grams), obv. DIVVS ANTONINVS, bare head to right, rev. CONSECRATIO around, eagle standing right, head to left, with closed wings on a garlanded altar, (S.5192, RIC M430-1, RSC 155-6). Good extremely fine about as struck.

\$200

Ex Astarte Auction No.XV, November 27, 2004 (lot 237).



3533\*

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), AE sestertius, (24.22 grams), Rome mint, issued A.D. 160-161, obv. laureate head of Antoninus Pius to right, around ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XXIIII, rev. Pietas standing to left, holding globe and child, between two children, around PIETATI AVG COS IIII, S C across, (S.4205, RIC 1045, C.628). *Dark brown patina, good fine/fine.* 

\$80



3534\*

**Septimius Severus**, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued 193, (3.064 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Septimius Severus, around IMP CAE L SEP SEV PERT AVG, rev. Legionary eagle between two standards, decorated with capricorns, around LEG XIIII GEM M V TR P COS, (S.6302, RIC 14, RSC 272). *Very fine and scarce.* 

\$150

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3535\*

**Julia Domna**, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), silver denarius, issued 204, Rome mint, (3.600 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA AVGVSTA, rev. Pietas standing to left, sacrificing at altar, around PIETAS AVGG, (S.6600, RIC 572 [Severus], RSC 150). Weak on parts of obverse legend, otherwise extremely fine.



**Julia Domna**, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), silver denarius, issued 203, Rome mint, (3.246 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA AVGVSTA, rev. Pietas standing to left both hands raised in invocation, altar at feet, around PIETAS PVBLICA, (S.6601, RIC 574 [Severus], RSC 156). *Good very fine.* 

\$80



3537\*

Caracalla, (A.D. 198-217), silver antoninianus, issued 217, Rome mint, (4.504 grams), obv. radiate bust draped and cuirassed to right of Caracalla, around ANTONINVS PIVS AVG GERM, rev. Jupiter standing facing head to left, holding sceptre and thunderbolt, around P M TR P XX COS IIII P P, (S.6778, RIC 287a, RSC 378). Extremely fine and very scarce.

\$200



3538\*

**Elagabalus**, (A.D. 218-222), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued A.D. 219, (5.22 grams), obv. radiate bust of Elagabalus draped to right, around IMP CAES ANTONINVS AVG, rev. around FIDES EXERCITVS, Fides seated to left, holding eagle and standard, another standard before her, (S.7487, BMC 106, RIC 67, RSC 28). *Nearly extremely fine/good very fine and rare.* 

\$180



3539\*

**Severus Alexander**, (A.D.222-235), AE sestertius, issued 239, Rome mint, (20.004 grams), obv. laureate head to right, around IMP SEV ALE XANDER AVG, rev. IVSTITIA AVGVSTI, Justitia enthroned to left, holding patera and sceptre, (S.7971, RIC 563, C.106 var.). *Very fine or better.* \$120



3540\*

Aquilia Severa (second wife of Elagabalus), (A.D. 221), silver denarius, (3.08 grams), obv. draped bust of Aquilia Severa to right, around IVLIA AQVILIA SEVERA AVG, rev. Concordia standing to left sacrificing over lighted altar and holding double cornucopiae, star in left field, around CONCORDIA, (S.7679 [£330 EF], RIC 226, RSC.2, BMC 184). *Toned, very fine and rare.* 

\$500

Ex Antiquarius, New Zealand with their ticket (\$700).

The Reka-Devnia (Marcianopolis) Hoard contained 81,044 silver coins including only 71 coins of this empress, mostly of this variety.

3541

Julia Mamaea, mother of Severus Alexander, (A.D.222-235), AE as, Rome mint, issued 234, (10.17 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Mamaea, IVLIA MAMAEA AVGVSTA, rev. VENVS FELIX, Venus enthroned to left, holding cupid and sceptre, (S.8248, RIC 703, BMC 202, C.70); Herennia Etruscilla, (wife of Trajan Decius), (A.D. 249-251), base silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued 250, (4.70 grams), obv. diademed draped bust to right on crescent, around HER ETRVSCILLA AVG, rev. Pudicitia seated to left drawing veil from face holding transverse sceptre, around PVDICITIA AVG, (S.9495, RIC 59b, RSC 19). First coin has been cleaned, with porous surface, otherwise very fine; porous surface very fine. (2)

\$100



3542\*

**Gordian III**, (A.D. 238-244), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued 241-3, (4.708 grams), obv. radiate bust right, around IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, rev. IOVI STATORI around, Jupiter standing facing, (S.8615, RIC 84, RSC 109). *Nearly extremely fine.* 

\$80



3543\*

**Gordian III,** (A.D. 238-244), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued 241-3, (3.872 grams), obv. radiate bust right, around IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, rev. VIRTVTI AVGVSTI around, Hercules standing right, holding lion skin and resting club on rock. (S.8670, RIC 95, RSC 404). *Bright, extremely fine.* 



**Philip I,** (A.D. 244-249), silver antoninianius, Rome mint, (4.220 grams), obv. radiate bust to right, around IMP M IVL PHILIPPVS AVG, rev. Annona standing half left before modius, holding corn ears and cornucopiae, around ANNONA AVGG, (S.8922, RIC 28c, RSC 25). *Nearly extremely fine.* 

\$80



3545\*

**Philip I,** (A.D. 244-249), silver antoninianius, Rome mint, issued 245-7, (4.102 grams), obv. radiate bust to right, around IMP M IVL PHILIPPVS AVG, rev. Roma seated left, holding Victory and spear, shield at side, around ROMAE AETERNAE, (S.8952, RIC 44b, RSC 165). *With mint bloom, extremely fine.* 

\$100



3546\*

**Trajan Decius**, (A.D. 249-251), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, (3.864 grams), obv. radiate bust right, around IMP C M Q TRAIANVS DECIVS AVG, rev. ADVENTVS AVG around, Decius on horseback to left raising hand, (S.9366, RIC 11b, RSC 4). *Bright, Extremely fine.* 

\$100



3547\*

**Trajan Decius (A.D.** 249-251), silver antoninianus, issued 250-1, Rome mint, (3.094 grams), obv. radiate bust to right, IMP C M Q TRAIANVS DECIVS AVG, rev. the two Pannoniae standing side by side, each holding standard, PANNONIAE around, (S.9378, RIC 21b, RSC 86). *Bright, about as struck, slightly off centred on reverse, otherwise extremely fine.* 

\$100



Lot 3548

3548\*

**Trajan Decius**, (A.D. 249-251), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued 250-1, (3.078 grams), obv. radiate draped bust to right, around IMP C M Q TRAIANVS DECIVS AVG, rev. Uberitas standing left with purse and cornucopiae, around VBERITAS AVG, (S.9384, RIC 28b, RSC 105). *Bright, extremely fine.* 

\$100



3549\*

Herennia Etruscilla, (wife of Trajan Decius), (A.D. 249-251), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued 250, (4.462 grams), obv. diademed draped bust to right on crescent, around HER ETRVSCILLA AVG, rev. Pudicitia seated to left drawing veil from face holding transverse sceptre, around PVDICITIA AVG, (S.9495, RIC 59b, RSC 19). Extremely fine.

\$100



3550\*

**Herennius Etruscus (A.D.** 251), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, (3.44 grams), obv. radiate bust of Herennius Etruscus to right, around Q HER ETR MES DECIVS NOB C, rev. Spes advancing to left, around SPES PVBLICA, (S.9526, RIC 149, RSC 38). *Very fine, scarce.* 

\$80

Ex Cornelius C. Vermeule III Collection, sold in Triton III (lot 1718 part) for the benefit of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts with Vermeule's ticket.

3551

Aurelian, (A.D. 270-275), various antoninianii, rev. Sol with two captives ORIENS AVG (RIC 61); Fortuna seated left, FORTVNA REDVX (RIC 128); Emperor and priest at altar PIETAS AVG (RIC 138); female and Emperor RESTITVT ORIENTIS (RIC 140); Emperor before seated Roma ROMAE AETERNAE (RIC 142); Concordia and Emperor CONCORDIA MILITVM (RIC 244); female and Emperor RESTITVT ORBIS (RIC 348); Jupiter and Emperor IOVI CONSER /B, (RIC 394); soldier and Emperor VIRT MILITVM /Γ, (RIC 407); similar VIRTVS MILITVM / Γ (RIC 408); others (2) uncertain RIC variety. *Mostly cleaned and fine - very fine.* (12)

\$120



3552\*

**Severina**, wife of Aurelian, (A.D. 270-275), AE as, Rome mint, (7.718 grams), obv. diademed bust to right of Severina, around, SEVERINA AVG, rev. IVNO REGINA, Juno standing to left, holding patera and sceptre, at foot a peacock, in exergue Z, (S.3288 [£100], RIC 7, C.9). *Brown patina, nearly very fine and rare.* 



**Florian**, (A.D. 276), billon antoninianus, Serdica mint, (3.634 grams), obv. radiate bust of Florian to right, around IMP C M AN FLORIANVS AVG, rev. around PRO VIDEN D EOR, Providentia standing right, holding two ensigns facing Sol to left holding globe, star between, Δ in exergue, (S.11869, cf.RIC 112, cf.C.70). *Superb*, *extremely fine and rare*.

\$180

Ex Forvm Ancient coins, USA with their ticket.



3554\*

Carus, (A.D. 282-283), Rome mint, billon antoninianus, issued 282, (3.892 grams), obv. IMP CARVS P F AVG, radiate cuirassed bust of Carus to right, rev. around AETERNIT IMPERI, Sol advancing to left holding whip, KAA in exergue, (S.12167, RIC 36, C.10). With silvering, good extremely fine and scarce.

\$100

Ex Forvm Ancient coins, USA with their ticket.

3555

**Carausius**, (A.D. 287-293), billon antoninianus, London mint, (3.898 grams), obv. radiate cuirassed bust of Carausius to right, around IMP C CARAVSIVS P F AVG, rev. around P A X AVG, Pax standing to left holding sceptre and branch, S P across field, MLXXI, (cf.S.3562 [£125], RIC 118); another (3.282 grams), obv. variant no second C in obverse. *Very good - good fine.* (2)

\$100

3556

**Diocletian**, (A.D.284-305), AE antoninianii, rev. Jupiter and Diocletian, CONCORDIA MILITVM, (RIC 284) Heraclea mint; another (RIC 306) Antioch mint; Jupiter and Hercules, IOVI ET HERCV CONSER AVGG (RIC 323); as before IOVI CONSERVATORI AVG (RIC 324); as before with ending AVGG (RIC 325). *Mostly very fine*. (5)

\$80



3557\*

**Maximianus**, (286-310 three reigns), Antioch mint, issued 285-295, (4.32 grams), obv. IMP C M A MAXIMIANVS AVG, radiate draped and cuirassed bust to right of Maximianus, rev. Jupiter and Maximianus, around CONCORDIA MI LITVM,  $\Delta$  below, XXI in exergue, (S.3611, RIC 621, C.54). Original mint condition with full silvering, uncirculated.



3558\*

**Constantius I as Caesar,** (A.D. 305-306), AE folles, issued 303-5, Treveri mint, (7.59 grams), obv. laureate head to right, around CONSTANTIVS NOB C, rev. GENIO POPV L ROMANI, in exergue PTR, Genius standing to left, holding patera and cornucopiae, S F either side of Genius, (cf.S.3671, RIC 602a). *Extremely fine, scarce.* 

\$100



3559\*

Constantius I, (A.D. 305-306), AE follis, Aquilea mint, issued A.D. 301, (9.04 grams), obv. laureate head of Constantius to right, around CONSTANTIVS NOB CAES, rev. around SACRA MONET AVGG ET CAESS NOSTR, Moneta standing to left, holding patera over altar and cornucopiae, V in right field, AQΓ in exergue, (cf.S.3676, RIC 32a); Maximianus Herculius, (A.D. 286-305, first reign), AE folles, Ticinum mint, issued A.D. 297-298, (10.91 grams), obv. laureate head of Maximianus to right, around IMP C MAXIMIANVS P F AVG, rev. around FIDES M ILITVM, Fides seated to left, holding standard in each hand, in exergue PT, (S.-, RIC 59b). First with dark green patination, good very fine and nearly very fine, this last coin rare. (2)

\$100



3560\*

Galeria Valeria, daughter of Diocletian and second wife of Galerius, (c.A.D. 305-311), AE folles, Thessalonica mint, issued A.D. c.308-311 (6.434 grams), obv. diademed, draped bust to right of Galeria Valeria, around GAL VALE RIA AVG, rev. around VENERI V ICTRICI, .SM.TS. in exergue, Venus standing facing, head left, holding up apple, raising drapery, in fields to left star and right B. (S.3730, RIC 36). Attractive brown patination, extremely fine and rare in this condition.



Constantine I, (A.D. 307-337), AE folles, issued mid 310 - 312, London mint, (4.19 grams), obv. laureate cuirassed bust to right of Constantine I, around CONSTANTINVS P AVG, rev. Sol standing to left holding globe and whip, around COMITI AVGG NN, PLN in exergue, star to right of Sol as above, (S.3856, RIC 169). *Dark brown patina, superb extremely fine and scarce, about as struck.* 

\$120

3562

Constantine I, (A.D. 307-337), AE folles, issued 320, Thessalonica mint, (2.54, 2.70, 2.82, 2.92, 3.63 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Constantine, around CONSTAN TINVS AVG, rev. in wreath VOT XX, around D N CONSTANTINI MAX AVG, in exergue TSFVI, (cf.S.3873, RIC 101). *Mostly very fine or better.* (5)

\$120



3563\*

**Crispus**, (Caesar A.D. 317-326), AE follis, Heraclea mint, (3.26 grams), obv. laureate cuirassed bust to right of Crispus, CRISPVS NOB CAES around, rev. VOT X in wreath around DOMINOR NOSTROR CAESS, in exergue \*/SMHΓ, (cf.S.3918, RIC 61). *With full silvering, about as struck, uncirculated.* 

\$80

3564

Crispus, (Caesar A.D. 317-326), AE follis, Ticinum mint, issued 320-1, (2.712 grams), obv. laureate cuirassed bust to right of Crispus, CRISPVS NOB CAES around, rev. VOT X in wreath around DOMINOR NOSTROR CAESS, in exergue crescent over PT, (S.3917, RIC 170), another issued 324-5 as Caesar, Nicomedia mint, (2.754 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust to left of Crispus, around D N FL IVL CRISPVS NOB C, rev. camp gate two turrets, six stone layers, around PROVIDEN TIAE CAESS, SMNB in exergue, (S.3923, RIC 92). Extremely fine; very fine, both rare. (2)

\$80



3565\*

**Constantius II**, as Caesar, (A.D. 337-361), AE folles, Arles mint, (2.93 grams), obv. laureate bust left, around FL IVL CONSTANTIVS NOB C, rev. PROVIDEN TIAE CAESS, S F either side of campgate, ARLQ in exergue, (S.3984, RIC 312). *Extremely fine*.





3566\*

**Decentius**, (A.D. 350-353), silver light miliarensis, issued at Trier mint in A.D. 351-2, (3.638 grams), obv. bare-headed bust of Decentius, draped and cuirassed to right, around DN DECENTI VS FORT CAES, rev. PRINCIPI IVVENTVTIS, Emperor in military dress walking right, holding transverse spear and globe, in exergue TR, (S.4035, RIC 303, RSC 6, Bastien 58 [4 examples listed]). *Extremely rare, corroded surfaces, otherwise very fine.* 

\$2,000

Ex Jean Elsen, Auction Sale 89, September 6, 2006 (lot 1064).



3567\*

**Julian II,** (A.D. 360-363), silver siliqua, Lyons mint, issued c.360 (2.062 grams), obv. rosette-diademed bust of Julian II to right, around FL CL IVLIA NVS P AVG, rev. VOTIS V MVLTIS X in wreath, LVG mint reading in exergue, (S.4071, RIC 219, RSC 163c). *Grey tone, very fine.* 

\$120



3568\*

**Jovian**, (A.D. 363-364), AE 20, Sirmium mint, issued 363, (3.138 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust to right, around D N IOVIA NVS P F AVG, rev. VOT V MVLT X within wreath, ASIRM in exergue, (S.4087 [£75], RIC 118). *Green patina, good very fine and rare.* 

\$150

Ex W. Woolmer Collection and Spink Numismatic Circular, December 1977 (No. 13027, illustrated, £58).



3569\*

**Jovinus**, (A.D. 411-413), silver siliqua, issued 411-413, Arelate mint, (0.872 grams), obv. large plain diademed draped bust to right of Jovinus, around, D N IOVINVS P F AVG, rev. [RESTITV] TOR REIP, Roma seated left, holding Victory on globe and a reversed spear, [K]ONT in exergue, (S.4272 [£600], RSC 2b, RIC 1718). Heavy pitting, otherwise fine - very fine and extremely rare.

\$300

Ex Lanz Auction Sale 112, November 25, 2002 (lot 940).



part

Roman coins, a range of issues including sestertii (3), Hadrian rev. galley left, (cf.S.3596), Trajan Decius (s.9404) and Fastina Junior; dupondius, Tiberius, Commagene mint issued 21 A.D., (RIC 90), Trajan, Fortuna seated left, (S.3217); Asses, Augustus, Ephesus mint (RIC 486); Vespasian (RIC 2360), Hadrian, obv. head right, rev. AFRICA SC, Africa reclining left, (cf.S.3673, RIC 841) (illust.), Faustina Junior, (S.5295); Egypt, Claudius, hemiobol, rev. hand holding corn and poppies (S.1880); assorted other Roman mostly 3rd and 4th century (24). *Many cleaned, poor - very fine.* (34)

\$200

#### 3571

**Roman coins**, a diverse group including Antoninus Pius sestertius, asses of Vespasian, Marcus Aurelius, Julia Domna, Severus Alexander, Philip I, later copper (12); Byzantine (2), Greek (1), India and Islamic AE (4), Roman glass seal and an 18th century countermarked Queen Anne shilling. *Poor - very fine*. (27)

\$120

# 3572

Roman coins, Trajan Decius, (A.D. 249-251), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, (3.752 grams), obv. radiate draped bust to right, around IMP C M Q TRAIANVS DECIVS AVG, rev. Genius standing to left holding cornucopiae, standard to right, around GENIVS EXERC ILLYRICIANI, (S.9374, RIC 16c, RSC 49); Probus, (A.D. 276-282), billon antoninianius, Siscia mints (4.080 grams), rev. ADVENTVS AVG, Probus on horseback, captive before, (S.119532, RIC 157); other issues of Tetricus I (3.446 grams) (S.11248);- Diocletian (3.586 grams) (S.3516); Maximianus (3.396 grams) (S.3611); Constantine I (2.562 grams) URBS ROMA type (S.3895); Constantine II (S.3951); Crispus (S.3915); Constantius II (S.3998); Valens (S.4117) (2) and a Seleucid, Antiochus I, AE 17, rev. elephant to right, anchor above, (SNG Israel I 270); and a Byzantine follis (4.504 grams) (S.1889). Mostly very fine - extremely fine. (13)

\$220

Ex various dealers with their tickets.

## 3573

**Roman coins,** assorted silver and plated pieces from Augustus to Valerian, Augustus (S.1597). *Mostly poor - fine, eight are holed.* (26)

\$150

#### 3574

**Roman coins**, AE of mostly late 3rd and 4th century, including several Valens and Valentinian I, AE various issues. *Good - very fine.* (29)

\$100

## **BYZANTINE SILVER & BRONZE**

3575

**Tiberius II Constantine**, (A.D. 578-582), AE folles, (11.14 grams), obv. crowned draped facing bust with sceptre and mappa, rev. M over mintmark NIKO, to l. ANNO, Nicomedia mint, year 7=580-1, Officina B, (S.441, DOC 30b); Maurice Tiberius, (A.D. 582-602), AE folles, Antioch mint, issued year 15 = 596-7, (11.01 grams), obv. bust facing, rev. M X/U to right, cross above, Theup' in exergue, E below, (S.533, DOC 167c); another AE follis, Cyzicus mint, (8.85 grams), obv. facing bust wearing crown, rev. M, mintmark KYZ, date year 4 = 585-6, Officina A, (S.518, DOC 121a, R.1113); another follis, (13.43 grams), Constantinople mint, year 2 = 583-4, officina Γ, (S.492, DOC 22c, R.1038). *Mostly very fine in packets described [marked RV \$310*). (4)

\$150

## 3576

**Vandals**, Semi-Autonomous copper coinage of Carthage, Hilderic, (A.D. 530-533), AE four nummi, (1.126 grams), obv. bust to left, rev. N over IIII, (Hahn MIB I 20, Grierson & Blackburn MEC 51-53, BMC 12-14 [Pl.I, 17-18]). *Light brown patina, very good/very fine, very scarce.* 

\$100

Ex Atlantis Ltd, U.S.A., with their ticket.



# 3577\*

**Ostrogoths,** Athalaric, (A.D. 526-534), AE two and a half nummi, Rome mint, (0.786 grams), obv. bust of Justinian to right, around traces of legend, rev. monogram of Athalaric's name all within wreath, (Hahn MIB I 80, Grierson & Blackburn MEC 135-137, BMC 47-56 [Pl.VIII, 16-18]). *Light brown patina, good fine, very scarce.* 

\$100



# 3578\*

Ostrogoths, Municipal Coinage of Ravenna, (A.D. 536-554), AE ten nummi (decanummium), (2.012 grams), obv. bust of Ravenna to right, around traces of legend, FELIX AVENNA, rev. monogram of Ravenna all within wreath, (Hahn MIB I 72a, Grierson & Blackburn MEC 145-150, BMC 36-38 [Pl.XIV, 10-12]). Light brown patina, good fine/very fine, very scarce.

\$150

Ex Forvm Ancient Coins, U.S.A., with their ticket.

## **ISLAMIC COINS**



3579\*

**Umayyad Caliphate**, Ibrahim, (A.H. 126-127) (A.D. 744), silver anonymous dirham, Wasit mint, A.H. 127 = A.D. 744, (A.140). *Very fine and rare.* 

\$100

Seven annulets in the margin are attributed to this rare ruler.



3580\*

**Islamic**, al-Maghreb (North Africa). Zirids. al-Mu'izz ibn Badis. (A.H. 406-454, A.D. 1016-1062). gold Dinar (23mm, 3.69 g). al Qayrawan mint. Dated AH 442 (AD 1050/1). Shiite religious legends, with mint and date formula; additional terminal letter in obverse and reverse fields. (Cf. Hazard 4; cf. Kazan 632; Album 458). *Good very fine and rare*.

\$300

S.Album List 225 June 2007 example similar date and condition from same group listed at \$500US (56168)



3581\*

**Turkey,** Ottoman Empire, Suleiman I ibn Selim (The Great and The Magnificent), (A.H. 926-974, A.D. 1520-1566), gold sultani (dinar), Sidra Qapsi mint (Libya), year 926, (A.1317, M.1254, [£85], Artuk 1566-8). Weak in places, off centred obverse, slightly crinkled, otherwise very fine.

\$140

Suleiman I's reign marked the apogee of the Ottoman Empire which extended from Budapest to Mecca and from Mesopotamia to the borders of Morocco.



3582\*

**Buwayhid (Buyid) Coinage,** Baha' al-Dawla Abu Nasr, (A.H. 379-403) (A.D. 989-1012), gold dinar, (4.4 grams), Suq al Ahwaz mint, A.H. 400 = A.D. 1012, (A.1573). *Full round flan, complete legends, extremely fine and scarce.* 

\$300

Ex CNG Sale 41 March 19, 1997 (lot 2722).

#### 3583

**Islamic**, Ghaznavids, Mahmud b. Sebukt-egin as Yemin aldawla, (A.H. 388-421) (A.D. 998-1030), silver four dirhams, Anderaba mint, A.H. 389 = A.D. 999, (A.1608, M.766); Arab-Sassanian issue, silver hemidrachm of the Muslim successors of Tabaristan by anonymous Arab ruler, with "Afzut (strong)" instead of governors name, (PYE 123-143, A.H. 158-178, A.D. 774-794), year 136, (A.D. 787). *Nearly very fine, weak in places; extremely fine.* (2)

\$70



3584\*

Ilkanids (Mongols of Persia), Local Coinage, First Period, Abaqa, (A.H. 665-680) (A.D. 1265-1282), gold dinar, Uncertain mint, (6.26 grams), issued A.H. [6]7[X] (A.D. 1280-1), (A.2126.1, M.-). Weak around edge, a large and heavy flan, good very fine and rare.

\$250

 $\operatorname{Ex}$  Iran Hoard, c.1965 where some 100 similar coins were present in the hoard.

3585

**Islamic and Indian**, assorted mostly base metal issues from Indian Sultanates, early Arabic falus, post Kushan AE, including several in silver, one from Armenia. *Poor - fine.* (106)

\$100

# **INDIAN COINS**



3586\*

**Jammu and Kashmir,** Late imitative issue of Kushan, Kidara issue for Taxila (c.360-380 A.D.), gold stater, (7.74 grams), obv. standing king facing with head to left, with trident in left hand, rev. crude representation of Goddess Ardoksho enthroned facing, (M.3618-3620). *Good very fine and scarce.* 

\$400

A development in the deteriation of the stylised type that continued for another 500 years in the coinage of Kashmir until the advent of Muslim rule.



3587

**Vijayanagar Kingdom,** Krishna Devaraya, (1509-1529), gold pagoda, (3.372 grams), obv. Balakrishna seated facing, rev. three line legend, "Sri Pra - tapa krishna - raya", (M.898, Ramesan Type XXII, Pl.XI, 15ff). *Extremely fine*.

3588

**Vijayanagar Kingdom,** Krishna Devaraya, (1509-1529), gold pagoda, (3.394 grams), obv. Balakrishna seated facing, rev. three line legend, "Sri Pra - tapa krishna - raya", (M.898, Ramesan Type XXII, Pl.XI, 15ff). *Extremely fine*.

\$200

3589

**Vijayanagar Kingdom,** Krishna Devaraya, (1509-1529), gold pagoda, (3.378 grams), obv. Balakrishna seated facing, rev. three line legend, "Sri Pra - tapa krishna - raya", (M.898, Ramesan Type XXII, Pl.XI, 15ff). *Extremely fine*.

\$200

3590

**Vijayanagar Kingdom,** Krishna Devaraya, (1509-1529), gold pagoda, (3.374 grams), obv. Balakrishna seated facing, rev. three line legend, "Sri Pra - tapa krishna - raya", (M.898, Ramesan Type XXII, Pl.XI, 15ff). Extremely fine.

\$200

3591

**Vijayanagar Kingdom,** Krishna Devaraya, (1509-1529), gold pagoda, (3.390 grams), obv. Balakrishna seated facing, rev. three line legend, "Sri Pra - tapa krishna - raya", (M.898, Ramesan Type XXII, Pl.XI, 15ff). *Extremely fine*.

\$200

3592

**Vijayanagar Kingdom,** Krishna Devaraya, (1509-1529), gold pagoda, (3.388 grams), obv. Balakrishna seated facing, rev. three line legend, "Sri Pra - tapa krishna - raya", (M.898, Ramesan Type XXII, Pl.XI, 15ff). *Extremely fine*.

\$200



3593\*

**Western Ganges,** Orissa state, gold pagoda (1080-1138 or later), obv. elephant right, rev. ornamental floral scroll, (F.689, M.702). *Extremely fine*.

\$200

3594

**Western Ganges,** Orissa state, gold pagoda (1080-1138 or later), obv. elephant right, rev. ornamental floral scroll, (F.689, M.702). *Extremely fine*.

\$200

3595

**Western Ganges,** Orissa state, gold pagoda (1080-1138 or later), obv. elephant right, rev. ornamental floral scroll, (F.689, M.702). *Extremely fine*.

\$200





3596\*

Mogul, Jahangir and Nur Jahan, (A.H. 1014-1037), (A.D. 1605-1628), silver rupee, Patna mint with Nur Jahan, 1037 RY 22; (11.35 grams), (KM.168.5, \$120 VF). *Good very fine and very scarce.* 

\$150

A very scarce issue limited to only six mints for only a couple of years struck in the name of the Empress Nur Jahan "by authority of the Emperor Jahangir".



3597\*

Mogul, **Jahandar Shah**, (A.H. 1124), (A.D.1712), silver rupee, (11.37 grams), struck at Khujista Bunyad mint, issued A.H. 1124 (A.D. 1712), Regnal year 1, obv. Jahandar name at top, date to lower centre, rev. mint name at bottom, Regnal year centre right, (KM.363.16, IMC 1718). *Very fine and rare.* 

\$120

Ex Robert Senior, England, list 6, No.207 (£45).



3508\*

**Maratha Independent Kingdom**, silver rupee, c.1765-6, from the mints of Bagalkot, in the name of Shah Alam II, dated AH [117]9, (KM.84, Maheshwari & Wiggins T2 [p.45]). *Extremely fine.* 

\$80



3599\*

**Mysore**, Krishna Raja Wodeyar, (A.H.1214-1285), (A.D. 1799-1868), gold pagoda, (3.428 grams), obv. Shiva and Parvati seated facing, rev. three lined Brahmi legend "Sri Krishna ra ja", (KM.210, M.1024-5). *Extremely fine*.



**East India Company control**, Shah Alam II (A.H.1173-1221) (A.D. 1759-1806), silver rupee, Gokulgarh mint, local Sindhia Governor Issue as Raja of Rewari as Rohilla governor, year [1]207, Regnal year 35 in name of Shah Alam II, issued 1792-1793, (KM. 624). *As struck, porous obverse, otherwise extremely fine and rare.* 

\$80



3601\*

**East India Company,** Bombay Presidency, Mumbai Mint, silver rupee, in name of Muhammad Shah, (A.H.1131-1161, A.D.1719-1748), years 115X, RY 29 (1747), (KM.436.45). *Very fine, rare date.* 

\$120



3602\*

**East India Company,** Bengal presidency, gold half mohur, Calcutta Mint, 1793, oblique grained edge (Pr.63. KM.101) possibly a good jeweller's copy. *Nearly extremely fine.* 

\$300



3603\*

**Dutch India,** Negapatnam, copper one stuiver c.1695, obv. God facing, rev. Tamil inscription, 28.53 grams, (KM.29, Scholten 1244). *Toned, good very fine and very rare.* 

\$120



3604\*

**Portuguese India,** John IV (1640-1656), silver xerafim, 1650, obv. crowned shield flanked by G A, rev. cross with date 1650 in angles dotted border, (KM.225). *Fine and rare.* 

## WORLD GOLD COINS



3605\*

**Austria**, Franz Joseph, ducat, 1857A, Vienna mint, (KM.2263). *Slightly bent, otherwise good extremely fine and scarce.* 

\$150



3606\*

Austria, Franz Joseph I, ducat, 1858A. Brilliant, uncirculated.

\$130

3607

**Austria,** Franz Joseph I, twenty corona, 1894 (KM.2806). *Extremely fine.* 

\$160



3608\*

**Austria**, one thousand schilling, 1976 (KM.2933). *Uncirculated.* 

\$350

3609

**Austria**, one thousand schilling, 1976 (KM.2933). *Uncirculated.* (2)

\$700



3610\*

**Bahamas**, Elizabeth II, proof gold one thousand dollars, 1983 (KM.1000), America's Cup Challenge (1.2 oz of pure gold), mintage 300. Scarce. *FDC*.

\$1,000



**British Guiana**, gold dollar souvenir by R.P. Caps, jeweller, Georgetown, Demerara c.1910 (Prid.69). *Extremely fine*.

\$450

Ex Ralph Gordon Sale (lot 201) Baldwin Auctions.



3612\*

**British Guiana**, gold dollar, souvenir by R.P. Caps, jeweller, Georgetown, Demerara, c.1910 (Prid.69). *Mount Mark at 12 o'clock otherwise extremely fine.* 

\$300

Ex Cyril Fox (c.1993). Pridmore states that "most specimens show traces of having a mount removed".

3613

**British Virgin Islands,** Elizabeth II, proof gold one hundred dollars, 1976 (KM.8). In folder of issue. *FDC*.

\$200

3614

**Canada**, Elizabeth II, proof and mint one hundred dollars, 1976 (KM.115, 116) Montreal Olympics. *Uncirculated - FDC*. (2)

\$600

3615

**Canada**, Elizabeth II, mint one hundred dollars, 1976 Olympics (KM.115); proof one hundred dollars (KM.116)(2). *Uncirculated - FDC, in cases of issue.* (3)

\$1,100

3616

**Chile,** one peso, 1864 (KM.133) Santiago mint, struck under law of July 28, 1860 and decree of August 20, 1860. *Fine.* 

\$50



3617\*

**France,** Louis XVI, Louis d'or, 1786A (Paris mint) (KM.591.1). *Interesting double strike otherwise nearly very fine.* 

\$400



3618\*

**France,** Second Republic, twenty francs 1851A Paris mint (KM.762). *Nearly uncirculated and scarce.* 

3619

**France**, Second Republic, twenty francs, 1851A (KM.762). *Lustrous very fine*.

\$160

3620

**France,** Second Empire, Napoleon III, twenty francs, 1852A (KM.774). *Very fine.* 

\$160



3621\*

**France,** Second Empire, Napoleon III, five francs 1854A Paris mint, milled edge (KM.783). *Uncirculated and scarce.* 

\$180



3622\*

**France,** Second Empire, Napoleon III, five francs 1854A Paris mint, plain edge (KM.783). *Small old scratch on neck, otherwise uncirculated.* 

**\$200** 

3623

**France**, Second Empire, Napoleon III, five francs, 1860A, Paris mint (KM.787.1); ten francs, 1862A Paris mint (KM.800.1), 1866BB Strasbourg mint (KM.800.2). *Very fine; fine; nearly fine.* (3)

\$180



3624\*

**France**, Second Empire, Napoleon III, fifty francs, 1862A, Paris mint, (KM.804.1). *Minor surface scratch, otherwise good extremely fine.* 

\$700

3625

**France**, Third Republic, twenty francs, 1902 (KM.847); ten francs, 1901 (KM.846). *Fine - very fine.* (2)

\$240

3626

**France,** Third Republic, twenty francs, 1913 (KM.857). *Uncirculated.* 

\$160



3627\*

**Germany**, Prussia, Wilhelm I, twenty mark 1876A (KM.505). *Very fine.* 

\$220



**Germany**, Wurttemberg, Karl I, five mark, 1877F (KM.627). *Uncirculated and rare.* 

\$300



3629\*

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I, four forint ten francs, 1870KB (KM.454.2). *Brilliant*, *uncirculated*.

\$90



3630\*

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I, eight forint twenty francs, 1870GYF (KM.455.2). *Brilliant, uncirculated.* 

\$150



3631\*

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*.

\$880

3632

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (2)

\$1,750

3633

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (2)

\$1.750

3634

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (2)

\$1,750

3635

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (2)

\$1,750

3636

**Hungary,** Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated.* (2)

\$1,750

3637

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (2)

\$1,750

3638

**Hungary,** Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated.* (3)

\$2,600

3639

**Hungary,** Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated.* (3)

\$2,600

3640

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (3)

\$2,600

3641

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (3)

\$2,600

3642

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (5)

\$4,400

3643

**Hungary,** Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated.* (5)

\$4,400

3644

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (5)

\$4,400

3645

**Hungary,** Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated.* (5)

\$4,400

3646

**Hungary**, Franz Joseph I (1848-1916), one hundred korona, 1908 restrike (KM.491). *Uncirculated*. (5)

\$4,400

3647

**Kiribati**, proof gold ten dollars (1998), Christmas Island, Spirit of Christmas set in wooden presentation box with a bottle of Incense and another of Myrrh. *FDC*.



**Mexico**, fifty pesos, 1947 restrike (KM.481). *Uncirculated*. \$1,050

3649

**Mexico**, fifty pesos, 1947 restrike (KM.481). *Uncirculated*. (2)

\$2,100

3650

**Mexico**, fifty pesos, 1947 restrike (KM.481). *Uncirculated*. (2)

\$2,100

3651

**Poland,** ten and twenty zlotych, ND (1925) (W) (KM.Y32, 33). *Nearly uncirculated.* (2)

\$300

3652

Russia, Nicholas II, five roubles, 1898 (KM.Y.62). Good very fine.

\$100

3653

Russia, Nicholas II, five roubles, 1899 (KM.Y.62). Good very fine.

\$100

3654

Russia, Nicholas II, five roubles, 1901 (KM.Y.62). Nearly uncirculated.

\$170

3655

Russia, Nicholas II, ten roubles, 1899 (KM.Y.64). Very fine. (3)

\$670

3656

**Russia**, trade coinage, chervonetz (ten roubles), 1975 (KM. Y.85). *Uncirculated*. (3)

\$670



3657\*

**Solomon Islands**, gold fifty dollars, 2000 celebration of Olympics in Sydney, (KM.Pn11). *FDC*, cased and very rare.

\$330

Mintage noted as 30 in KM.

3658

**South Africa,** 1962, nine-coin proof set (KM.PS53) with gold one and two rands in plush fitted case. *Some toning to coins otherwise FDC.* 

\$320

3659

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1973 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* 

\$900

3660

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1973 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* (2)

\$1,800

3661

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1975 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* (5)

\$4,500



3662\*

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1976 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* 

\$900

3663

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1976 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* (4)

\$3,600

3664

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1976 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* (5)

\$4,500

3665

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1976 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* (5)

\$4,500

3666

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1976 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* (5)

\$4,500

3667

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1976 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* (5)

\$4,500

3668

**South Africa,** Republic, krugerrand 1976 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* (5)

\$4,500

3669

**South Africa**, Republic, krugerrand 1976 (KM.73). *Uncirculated.* (5)

\$4,500

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3697\*

**Turkey,** various rulers, Mahmud II (A.H. 1223-1255, 1808-1839), gold quarter adli altin 1223/17 (KM.633); Abdul Mejid (A.H. 1255-1277, 1839-1861), gold twenty five kurush 1255/21 (KM.677) (2); fifty kurush 1255/20 (KM.678); Egypt, Abdul Mejid (A.H. 1255-1277, 1839-1861), gold five qirsh 1255/23 (2) (KM.230). *Extremely fine - nearly uncirculated.* (6)

\$250

3698

**Turks and Caicos Islands,** Elizabeth II, proof fifty crowns, 1976, USA bi-centennial (KM.15). *FDC*.

\$100



3699\*

**U.S.A.**, Liberty head dollar, type I 1854. *Marks in obverse field, otherwise nearly uncirculated.* 

\$120



3700\*

**U.S.A.**, two and a half dollars or quarter eagle, 1915, Indian head. *Good extremely fine.* 

\$300



3701\*

**U.S.A.**, five dollars or half eagle, Liberty head, 1897S. *Nearly extremely fine.* 

\$250



3702\*

**U.S.A.**, five dollars or half eagle, Indian head, 1915. *Nearly extremely fine.* 

\$270



3703\*

**U.S.A.**, twenty dollars or double eagle, 1904, Liberty head. *Uncirculated* 

\$1,000



3704\*

**U.S.A.**, twenty dollars or double eagle, 1908 without motto, St Gaudens. *Extremely fine*.

\$900

3705

**U.S.A.**, twenty dollars or double eagle, 1908, St. Gaudens, without motto. *Nearly extremely fine/extremely fine.* 

\$1,000

3706

**U.S.A.**, twenty dollars or double eagle, 1908, St Gaudens. *Very fine.* 

\$900



3707\*

**U.S.A.**, twenty dollars or double eagle, 1924, St Gaudens. *Nearly uncirculated.* 

\$900

3708

**Western Samoa**, proof gold one hundred tala, 1979 Bicentenary of Death of Captain Cook (KM.34) (2); proof silver ten tala (KM.33). *Cases affected by dampness but coins FDC.* (3)