

ANCIENT GOLD COINS

GREEK



4041*

Syracuse, Agathokles (317-289 BC), gold 1/6 stater or diobol (1.16g), obv. head of Persephone left, wearing barley wreath, rev. bull advancing left (HGV 2, 1288, SNG ANS 5, 315). *Extremely fine*.

\$1,500

Private purchase from Stephen Cole with his 2x2 holder.



4042*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), gold stater, (8.50g), Abydos Mint, issued 323-317 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right in crested Corinthian helmet, ornamented with snake, rev. Nike standing to left, holding wreath in outstretched hand, MH monogram above pentagram in left field, cornucopia in lower left field, to right ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΙΟΥ, (cf. S.6702, Price 1524, Thompson 333b, Hoover 934b). *Good very fine - nearly extremely fine and rare*.

\$3,500

Ex Noble Numismatics private sale with ticket.



4043*

Mysia, Kyzikos (Cyzicus), second period, (c.550-500 B.C.), electrum stater on Phokaic standard (16.24g), obv. sphinx crouching to left, below tunny fish to left, rev. quadripartite incuse punch mark (cf. S.3818, Von Fritze 72, SNG France 200). *Struck on an irregular flan, good very fine and rare*.

\$5,000

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 126, lot 2831. Nomos 15, lot 134. Previously Nomos 11, 9 October 2015, 103. From a European collection formed in the 1920s and ex Naville X, 15 June 1925, 650 (sold for CHF 1100 to 'Sola'). With tickets.



4044*

Kings of Bosphoros, Rhescuporis II with Severus Alexander (AD 211-227), electrum stater, (7.75g), of year 522 = A.D. 225-226, obv. ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΡΗΣΚΟΠΟΡΙΔΟΣ, diademed and draped bust to right of Rhescuporis, trident before, rev. laureate head to right of Severus Alexander, ΒΚΦ (522) below (S.5484, Anokhin 642a, MacDonald 565/5, Frolova pg.213 B/b). *Toned, good very fine - nearly extremely fine and rare*.

\$1,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4045*

Lesbos, Mytilene, (c.412-378 B.C.), electrum gold hekte (2.51g), obv. laureate head of Apollo to right, rev. female head right, hair in long plait down neck, within linear square in incuse square, (cf. S.4243, Bodenstedt Em. 70 (dies c/-unlisted reverse die), SNG Fitz.4353 [same obv. die]), BMC 103, SNG Von Aulock 1713, Weber 5619). *Nearly extremely fine, slightly off-centred on the obverse, rare*.

\$1,500

Ex CNG Mail Bid Sale 70 (lot 225), September 21, 2005, lot includes detailed descriptive ticket and CNG ticket. Bodenstedt report a total of 34 examples of this type.



4046*

Ionia, Phokaia, (c.478-387 B.C.), electrum Hekte or sixth stater, (2.43g), obv. head of young male left, wearing Silenos mask on top of his head; [to right, small seal downward], rev. quadripartite incuse square, (cf.S.4527, Bodenstein Em. 70). *Good very fine, very rare.*

\$1,700

Ex CNG eSale 387, November 30, 2016, (lot 171).



4047*

Persia - Lydia, Achaemenid Empire, Persian Imperial Coinage (c.485-420 B.C.), struck in period of Darios I - Xerxes I, gold daric, (8.34g), 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 IIIb (early), Group A/B, nos.27, Pl.XIII, BMC Arabia Pl.XXIV, 26, SNG Cop. 274). *Very fine and scarce.*

\$2,000

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4048*

Zeugitania, Carthage, (c.350-320 B.C.), gold stater, (7.55g), obv. head of Tanit to left, crowned with wreath of corn, wearing earring with triple pendants and necklace, dotted border, rev. free horse standing to right, dotted border, (cf. S.6446 Jenkins & Lewis Group III, SNG Lockett 1049). *Very fine.*

\$2,500

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ROMAN

Well Struck Julius Caesar Aureus



4049*

Julius Caesar, (assassinated 44 B.C.), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued 46 B.C., moneyer A. Hirtius (8.04g). obv. C CAESAR COS TER, veiled female head to right, dotted border, rev. A.HIRTIUS P R, lituus, jug and axe (emblems of the augurate and pontificate), dotted border, (S.1395, Cr.466/1, Syd.1017). *Large flan, slight die flaw on reverse, attractively toned, good very fine and scarce.*

\$6,000

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4050*

Julius Caesar, (assassinated 44 B.C.), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued 46 B.C., moneyer A. Hirtius (7.99g), obv. C CAESAR COS TER, veiled female head to right, dotted border, rev. A.HIRTIUS P R, lituus, jug and axe (emblems of the augurate and pontificate), dotted border, (S.1395, Cr.466/1, Syd.1017). *Large flan, traces of mint bloom, very fine / good very fine and scarce.*

\$6,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection.



4051*

Nero, (A.D. 54-68), gold aureus, issued c.66-67, Rome Mint, (7.23g), obv. laureate head to right of Nero, around IMP NERO CAESAR AVGVSTVS, rev. Jupiter seated left on throne, holding thunderbolt and sceptre, IVPPITER CVSTOS around, (cf.S.1930, RIC 63, C.120). *Good very fine and scarce in this condition.*

\$8,000

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4054*

Titus, as Caesar under Vespasian, (A.D. 79-81), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued A.D. 78-79, (7.32g), obv. laureate head of Titus to right, around T CAESAR VESPASIANVS, rev. Annona enthroned to left, holding a sack of corn ears on lap, ANNONA AVG around, (S.2414, RIC 218, BMC 316, CBN 278, C.16). *A few surface scratches, good very fine and rare.*

\$5,000

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4052*

Vespasian, (A.D. 69-79), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued A.D. 70, (7.18g), obv. laureate head right, around IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG, rev. COS ITER TR POT around, Pax standing left holding branch and caduceus, (S.-, RIC 26, Calico 606a). *Struck slightly off centre, nearly very fine / very fine and scarce.*

\$4,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4055*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued A.D. 81, (7.28g), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMITIANVS AVG P M, rev. around TR P COS VII DES VIII P P, Dolphin entwined around anchor, (S.-, RIC 53, BMC 20 note, Calico 923, Cohen 567). *Struck on a large flan, very fine or better and rare.*

\$5,000

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4053*

Vespasian, (A.D. 69-79), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued A.D. 72-73, (6.87g), obv. laureate head right, around IMP CAES VESP AVG PM COS III, rev. Vespasian in triumphal quadriga right, (S.2257, RIC 364, BMC 79, C 642). *Very fine / good very fine and scarce.*

\$5,000

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4056*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued A.D. 95, (7.56g), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around DOMITIANVS AVGVSTVS, rev. around GERMANICVS COS XVII, Minerva standing to right on vessel with owl at feet, in fighting pose holding javelin and shield, (cf.S.2700, RIC 775, C.168). *A few surface scratches, otherwise very fine / good very fine and scarce.*

\$5,000

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4057*

Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), gold aureus, issued 101-102, Rome Mint, (7.30g), obv. laureate head of Trajan to right, around IMP CAES NERVA TRAIAN AVG GERM, rev. Hercules standing facing on altar, holding club and lion's skin, around P M TR P COS III P P, (S.3095, RIC 49, C.215). *Struck on a large flan, very fine or better and scarce.*

\$5,000

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4058*

Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), gold aureus, issued 121, Rome Mint, (7.05g), obv. laureate draped bust to right of Hadrian, around IMP CAESAR TRAIAN HADRIANVS AVG, rev. P M TR P COS III around, Jupiter standing facing, holding thunderbolt and sceptre, (S.3406, RIC 63, C.1058). *Full flan, very fine or better and very rare.*

\$5,000

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4059*

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued 139, (7.05g), obv. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P, bare head to right, rev. TR POT COS II, Pietas standing left by altar, holding box of incense and raising right hand, (S.-,

RIC 53a, C.862). *Surface gouges on obverse and reverse, has been bent and straightened, otherwise good very fine and scarce.*

\$4,000

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4060*

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued 152-3, (7.28g), obv. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XVI, laureate head to right, rev. COS III, Emperor standing left, holding globe, (cf.S.4004, RIC 226c, C.309). *Nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$5,000

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4061*

Marcus Aurelius as Caesar, (A.D. 161-180), gold aureus, Rome Mint, issued A.D. 153-154, (7.27g), obv. bare headed and cuirassed bust of Marcus Aurelius to right, around AVRELIVS CAESAR AVG PII FIL, rev. around TR POT COS II, Roma standing left holding Victory in right hand and cradling a parazonium in the left arm, (cf.S.4769, RIC 460, Calico 1949a). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$6,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.

Attractive Lucious Verus Aureus



4062*

Lucius Verus, (A.D. 161-169), gold aureus, Rome Mint, (7.21g), issued A.D. 165, obv. laureate cuirassed bust to right, around L VERVVS AVG ARM PARTH MAX, rev. Lucius Verus galloping to right, thrusting spear at fallen Parthian warrior, around TR P V IMP III COS II, (cf.S.5340, RIC 545, Calico 2185). *Well struck, good very fine - nearly extremely fine with traces of mint bloom, a rare type.*

\$8,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.

Choice Eastern Style Diolectian Aureus



4063*

Diocletian, (A.D. 284-305), gold aureus, issued 284, Antioch Mint, (4.81g), obv. laureate draped bust of Diocletian to right, around IMP C C VAL DIOCLETIANVS P F AVG, rev. around VICTORIA AVG, Victory advancing right holding wreath and palm, mintmark SMA in exergue, O in field, (S.12584, Cal. 4570, RIC 320, C.272). *Minute holes on the cheek and neck of Diocletian, otherwise extremely fine with mint bloom and rare.*

\$10,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4064*

Constans I, (A.D. 337-361), gold solidus, Siscia Mint, issued c.342-343, (4.52g), obv. pearl diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Constantius to right, around FL IVL CONS TANS PF AVG, rev. two winged Victories standing facing one another, holding a laurel wreath shield between them bearing the inscription VOT/X/ MVL/XV around legend OB VICTORIAM TRIVMPHALEM, in exergue SIS*, (S.18394, RIC 113, Depeyrot 9/1). *Some surface scratches, nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$700

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection.



4065*

Magnentius, (AD 350-353), gold solidus, (4.33g). Treveri Mint, issued AD 350, obv. around IM CAE MAGN ENTIVS AVG, bareheaded, draped, and cuirassed bust right, rev. around VICTORIA AVG LIB ROMANOR, Victory, holding palm frond, standing right, and Libertas standing left, holding transverse sceptre, both supporting trophy on shaft between them, TR in exergue, (S.18736, RIC VIII 247, Bastien 7, Depeyrot 8/1). *Extremely fine with traces of mint bloom, very scarce.*

\$2,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4066*

Valentinian I, (364-75 AD), gold solidus, (4.35g), obv. pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right, rev. emperor standing facing, head right, holding labarum in right hand and Victory surmounted globe in left (S.19267, IX-2a). *Nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$1,000

Ex J. Nesbitt Collection.



4067*

Valens, (A.D. 364-378), gold solidus, Treveri Mint, issued 373-375, 3rd Officina, (4.49g), obv. pearl diademed, draped and cuirassed bust to right of Valens around DN VALENS PF AVG, rev. Valentinian I and Valens seated facing, each holding with right hand a globe between them, above, Victory facing with wings spread, palm frond upright on exergual line between them, around VICTOR IA AVGG, below TROBT, (S.19577, RIC 39b, Depeyrot 43/2). *Hairline scratches on obverse, otherwise extremely fine and rare in this condition.*

\$1,200

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4068*

Gratian, (A.D. 367-383), gold solidus, Milan Mint, issued A.D. 380-382, (4.46g), obv. Gratian, pearl diademed bust to right, draped and cuirassed, around DN GRATIA NVS PF AVG, rev. two emperors facing side by side, supporting globe between them, palm between the emperors legs, upper part of Victory hovering above in the background, around VICTOR IA AVGG, in exergue COM, (S.19917, RIC 5f and 8b, C.37). *Slight scratch on obverse, nearly extremely fine - extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,200

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4069*

Gratian, (373-5 AD), gold solidus, (4.38g), Trier Mint, obv. laurel and rosette diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust of Gratian right, rev. two emperors seated facing, holding globe between them, Victory standing behind with spread wings (S.19912 39c). *Evidence of mounting, slightly bent, nearly very fine.*

\$750

Ex J. Nesbitt Collection.



4070*

Valentinian II, (A.D. 375-392), gold aureus, Trier Mint, issued A.D. c.389-391, (4.43g), obv. pearl-diademed head of Valentinian II to right, around DN VALENTINIANVS PF AVG, rev. two nimbate emperors seated facing, together holding globe, Victory above, palm branch between, T-R across fields, COM in exergue, (S.20177, RIC 90a, RSC 37). *Scratch on obverse, good very fine or better and scarce.*

\$1,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4071*

Honorius, (A.D. 393-423), gold solidus, Ravenna Mint, issued A.D. 402-406 (4.47g), obv. pearl diademed bust draped and cuirassed of Honorius to right, around D N HONORI VS P F AVG, rev. VICTORI A AVGGG, emperor standing right holding standard, Victory on globe, left foot on captive, R V either side, CONOB in exergue, (S.20919, RIC 1287, C.44, Biaggi 2321). *Scratch on obverse, otherwise nearly extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$800

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection.



4072*

Arcadius, (395-402 AD), gold solidus, (4.36g), Mediolanum Mint, obv. pearl-diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right, rev. emperor standing to right, foot on bound captive, holding labarum in right hand and victory surmounted globe in left (S.20716, RIC 1205). *Very fine.*

\$800

Ex J. Nesbitt Collection.



4073*

Theodosius II, (A.D. 402-450), gold solidus, Constantinople Mint, issued A.D. c.426-430, (4.39g), 6th officina, obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust of Theodosius facing with spear and shield, around D N THEODO SIVS P F AVG, rev. SALVS REI PVBLICAES Theodosius and Valentinian enthroned facing, standing side by side both in consular robes, star above, CONOB in exergue, (S.21144, RIC 237). *Very fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4074*

Theodosius II, (A.D. 402-450), gold solidus, Constantinople Mint, issued 430-440, (4.45g), obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust three quarters facing to right holding spear and shield, around DN THEODO SIVS P F AVG, rev. Constantinopolis seated to left holding cross on globe and sceptre, VOT XXX MVL T XXXX A around, CONOB in exergue, star in right field, (S.21158, RIC 257, DOC 379-385). *Large broad flan, slight die flaw on obverse, extremely fine and rare in this condition.*

\$1,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4077*

Valentinian III, (A.D. 425-455), gold solidus, Milan Mint, issued 430-440/455, (4.41g), obv. diademed, draped and cuirassed bust to right of Valentinian III, around D N PLA VALENTI NIANVS P F AVG, rev. emperor Valentinian III standing facing, holding long cross and Victory, with foot on serpent, VICTORI A AVGGG around, M D across, CONOB below, (S.21265, RIC 2025, Depeyrot 20/2). *Nearly extremely fine - extremely fine and rare.*

\$2,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4075*

Theodosius II, (408-450 AD), gold solidus, (4.44g), Constantinople Mint, obv. pearl diademed, helmeted, and cuirassed bust facing, holding spear and shield, rev. Constantinopolis seated left, holding globus cruciger and sceptre, prow at foot, shield to right resting on throne (S.21158, RIC 257). *Extremely fine.*

\$1,000

Ex J. Nesbitt Collection.



4078*

Leo I, (A.D. 457-474), gold solidus, Constantinople Mint, 2nd Officina, issued 462 or 466, (4.50g), obv. Leo three-quarter facing bust, wearing cuirass, paludamentum and crown, holding spear and shield, around DN LEO PE RP ET AVC, rev. Victory standing to left, in right hand holding long cross, in right field a star, around VICTORI A AVGGG B, in exergue CONOB, (S.21404, RIC 605, Depeyrot 93/1). *Extremely fine and rare in this condition.*

\$800

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4076*

Theodosius II, (A.D. 402-450), gold solidus, Constantinople Mint, 2nd Officina, issued 430-440, (4.45g), obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust three quarters facing to right holding spear and shield, around DN THEODO SIVS P F AVG, rev. Constantinopolis seated to left holding cross on globe and sceptre, VOT XXX MVL T XXXX B around, CONOB in exergue, star in right field, (S.21158, RIC 257, Depeyrot 81/1). *A few surface scratches, very fine - good very fine and scarce.*

\$600

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection.



4079*

Leo I, (A.D. 457-474), gold solidus, Constantinople Mint, 1st Officina, issued 462 or 466, (4.47g), obv. Leo three-quarter facing bust, wearing cuirass, paludamentum and crown, holding spear and shield, around DN LEO PE RP ET AVC, rev. Victory standing to left, in right hand holding long cross, in right field a star, around VICTORI A AVGGG A, in exergue CONOB, (S.21404, RIC 605, Depeyrot 93/1). *A few surface marks, nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.

BYZANTINE



4080*

Justinian I, (527-565 A.D.), gold tremissis (1.47g), obv. diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust facing right, rev. Victory advancing facing, holding wreath in right hand and globus cruciger in left (S.58, DOC 9, MIB 7). *Graffito in field of reverse, hairline scratched otherwise good very fine.*

\$350



4081*

Justinian I, (A.D.527-565), gold solidus, Constantinople Mint, (4.48g), 9th officina, issued 542-552, 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 composed of dots, globe in left hand cross above, star below, around VICTORIA AVGGGΘ, CONOB in exergue, (S.139, DOC 9a, SB 140). *Hoard patination attached to reverse, broad flan, otherwise very fine.*

\$700

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4082*

Justinian I, (527-565 A.D.), gold solidus, (4.47g), Constantinople Mint, obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger, rev. Angel standing, facing, holding rho-topped staff and globus cruciger (S.140, DOC.9, MIB.7). *Extremely fine.*

\$1,000



4083*

Maurice Tiberius, (562-602 AD), gold solidus (4.33g), Constantinople Mint, 2nd officina, (struck 583-601 AD), obv. helmeted, draped, and cuirassed bust facing, holding globus cruciger in right hand, rev. Angel standing, facing, holding a staff surmounted by staurogram in right hand and globus cruciger in left. *Graffito on margin of obverse, weak portrait, minor reverse die flaws, otherwise very fine.*

\$750

Ex CNG eAuction 319 (lot 604).



4084*

Justin II, (565-578 A.D.), gold solidus, (4.44g), Constantinople Mint, obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding victory in right hand, rev. Constantinopolis seated facing, holding spear in right hand and globus cruciger in left (S.344). *Graffito to right of bust, nearly extremely fine.*

\$1,000

4085

Focas, (602-610 A.D.), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, obv. facing bust of Focas, draped and cuirassed, wearing a crown and holding a cruciger, rev. Angel standing, facing, holding a rho-headed cross and globus cruciger (S.620). *Extremely fine.*

\$1,000

In a slab by ICG as AU58 - double struck.



4086*

Heraclius, (610-641), gold solidus, Constantinople Mint, 3rd Officina, issued 629-632, (4.32g), obv. facing busts of Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine, wearing chlamys and crown, around dd NN HERACLIVS ET HERA CONST PP A, rev. cross potent on base and three steps, below CONOB, around VICTORIA AVGVΓ, (S.738, DOC 26c, MIB 29). *A few surface scratches, otherwise extremely fine and scarce.*

\$700

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4087*

Heraclius, (A.D. 610-641), gold tremissis (1.44g), Constantinople Mint, obv. diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust of Heraclius right, rev. cross potent (S.786). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$400

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930's.



4088*

Justinian II, (A.D. 705-711), gold solidus, (4.30g), Constantinople Mint, obv. bust of Christ facing, with cross behind head, wearing pallium and colobium, raising right hand and holding Gospels, around D N IhS ChS REX REGN[ANT]IUM, rev. Justinian bust facing wearing crown and loros, holding cross potent on three steps, and patriarchal cross on globe, around D N IUSTINIA NUS MULTUS AN', (S.1413, DOC 1, BMC 18). *Has been holed and plugged, otherwise good very fine or better and scarce.*

\$1,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4089*

Constantine V Copronymos, (A.D. 741-775) with Leo IV (from 751) and Leo III, gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued 764-773, (3.67g), obv. facing draped busts of Constantine V and son Leo IV, each crowned bust facing wearing chlamys, cross above, dot between, around CO[N]STANTINOS SLEONO N]EOS, rev. facing bust of Leo III wearing loros, with short beard holding cross potent, [C] LE ON PA MUL around, (S.1551, DOC 2a, Fueg 4,A.6). *Scraffito in field, has been clipped, nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$1,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet? c.1930s.



4090*

Constantine VII and Romanus II, (A.D. 913-959), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued from 945, (4.42g), obv. Christ facing bust wearing nimbus, raising right hand in benediction, also holding Gospels, around + IhS XPS REX REgNANTIUM around, rev. around CONSTANT CE ROMAN AVGG bR around, facing busts of Constantine VII wearing loros on left and Romanus II wearing chlamys on right, both crowned, between them long patriarchal cross, (S.1751, R.1905, DOC 15, BMC 60-63, R.1905). *Nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$1,500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet.



4091*

Constantine VII and Romanus II, (A.D. 913-959), gold solidus, Constantinople Mint, issued from 945, (4.36g), obv. Christ facing bust wearing nimbus, raising right hand in benediction, also holding Gospels, around + IhS XPS REX REgNANTIUM around, rev. around CONSTANT CE ROMAN AVGG bR around, facing busts of Constantine VII wearing loros on left and Romanus II wearing chlamys on right, both crowned, between them long patriarchal cross, (S.1751, R.1905, DOC 15, BMC 60-63, R.1905). *Nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$1,500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4092*

Romanus III, (A.D. 1028-1034), gold histamenon nomisma, Constantinople Mint, (4.26g), obv. Christ enthroned facing with nimbus, around +IhS XIS REX REgNANTIInm, rev. Virgin with nimbus placing hand on Romanus head crowning emperor, who holds cross on globe, around ΘCE BOHΘ RWMANW, (cf.S.1819, cf.DOW No.1c, BMC 1-3, R.1972-3). *Good fine - nearly very fine and rare.*

\$700

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4093*

Constantine X, (1059-1067), gold histamenon nomisma (scyphate), Constantinople Mint, (4.34g), obv. Christ seated facing on throne with straight arms, wearing nimbus, raising right hand, in left hand the Gospels, IhS XIS REX REgNANTIInm around, rev. +KWN RACΛ ΔOVKAC, around standing figure of Constantine facing, bearded, wearing crown, saccos and loros, holding labarum no pellet on shaft and globe with cross, (S.1847, DOC 1a, BMC 3, R.2010). *Nearly very fine - very fine and scarce.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet indicating Constantine XII erroneously, c.1930s.



4094*

Constantine X, (1059-1067), gold histamenon nomisma (scyphate), Constantinople Mint, (4.34g), obv. Christ seated facing on throne with straight arms, wearing nimbus, raising right hand, in left hand the Gospels, IHS XIS REX REGNANTINM around, rev. +KWN RACA ΔOVKAC, around standing figure of Constantine facing, bearded, wearing crown, saccos and loros, holding a labarum on shaft and globe with cross, (S.1847, DOC 1a, BMC 3, R.2010). *Nearly very fine - very fine and scarce.*

\$800

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet indicating Constantine XII erroneously, c.1930s.



4097*

Nicephorus III, (A.D. 1078-1081), electrum gold histamenon nomisma (scyphate), Constantinople Mint, (4.31g), obv. bearded Christ enthroned no back, facing, wearing nimbus, raising right hand, in left hand the Gospels, IC XC across, double dotted border, rev. +NICKHΦ ΔEC T W ROTAN[IAT], around Nicephorus standing 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). *Nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$400

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet.



4095*

Constantine X, Ducas, (A.D. 1059-1067), gold tetarteron, (3.84g), Constantinople Mint, obv. Virgin Mary nimbate facing, to sides MHP – ΘV, rev. crowned bust of Constantine X facing, wearing loros, holding globus cruciger with his right hand and akakia with his left Christ bust facing with nimbus, around +Kwn RACIA O ΔVK, (S.1849, DOC. 3a). *A few scratches, very fine or better and scarce.*

\$1,500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4098*

Alexius I, (1081-1118), gold hyperpyron (flattened), Constantinople Mint, post reform issue, 1092-1118 (4.24g), obv. Christ enthroned facing, wearing nimbus, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, IC XC across, to left KE RO, to right HΘEI, rev. facing figure of Alexius standing wearing crown, holding patriarchal cross to right crowned by 'manus Dei' legend to left A/ΔE/ΣIΩ/ ΔEC/ΠIO /TH to right TΩ/ KO/ MNH/ NΩ, (S.1913, DOC IV, 20, Hendy Pl.3, 4-10, BMC 4-6, R.2057-8). *Good very fine, scarce.*

\$800

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4096*

Romanus IV, (A.D. 1068-1071), gold histamenon trachy (scyphate), Constantinople Mint, Class II, (4.36g), obv. Christ standing on footstool, with nimbus crowning Romanus and Eudocia, IC XC, around +PWMA EVDOKIA, rev. Michael in centre, Constantius on left, and Andronicus on right, without footstools, around KWN MX AND, (S.1861, DOC 2, R.2026). *Very fine/good very fine and scarce.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4099*

Alexius I, (1081-1118), gold hyperpyron (scyphate), Thessalonica Mint, post reform issue, 1092-1118 (4.38g), obv. Christ enthroned facing, wearing nimbus, IC XC over to left KE RO, to right HΘEI, rev. facing figure of Alexius standing wearing crown, holding patriarchal cross to right 'Manus Dei' legend to left A/ΔE/ΣIΩ/ ΔEC/ΠIO /T to right TΩ/ KO/ MN/ NΩ, (S.1924, Hendy Pl.4, 6-10 and pl.5 1-4, BMC 1-2, R.2054-5). *Broad flan, very fine/nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$800

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4100*

John II Comnenus, (1118-1143), gold hyperpyron (4.17g), Constantinople Mint, second coinage, circa 1122-1137, obv. seated facing figure of Christ Pantokrator IC XC across at top, rev. full-length facing busts of John and the Virgin, John wearing divitision and loros holding labarum and akalia, the Virgin wears pallium and maphorium, right hand crowning the emperor, (S.1939, DOC 3, 2, R.2097, Hendy Pl.9, 4-5, BMC 41-42). *Broad flan, good very fine.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4103*

Manuel I, (A.D.1143-1180), gold hyperpyron, Constantinople Mint, (4.27g), obv. Christ bust facing, beardless wearing nimbus, IC XC over to left +KERO, to right HΘEI, rev. racing figure of Manuel standing wearing crown, holding patriarchal cross to right 'manus Dei' legend to left MA/NW/UHLD/EXΠIO /TH to right Π/OP/Φ/ΥP/OΓE/NH/T/Ω, (S.1956, Hendy Pl.12, 1-11, BMC 1-13, R.2111-4). *Good very fine.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4101*

John II Comnenus, (1118-1143), gold hyperpyron, (4.33g), Constantinople Mint, struck 1137-1143, obv. Christ enthroned facing, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, +KE ROHΘEI around, rev. John standing facing, holding labarum and akakia, being crowned by the Virgin, ΙΩ/ΔΕC/ΠΙO/TH around, above ΘV, to right MP monogram, (S.1940, DOC 3, H, Pl.9, 6-9, BMC 1-2, BN 8-9). *With Town Hall Coins & Collectables case, excellent metal, nearly extremely fine, rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 134, lot 3472, previously CNG eSale 195 (lot 341).



4104*

Andronicus I, (A.D. 1183-1185), gold hyperpyron, (4.58g), Constantinople Mint, obv. MHP QV to sides, Mary enthroned, holding a bust of the infant Christ, rev. around ΑΝΔΡΟΝΙΚΟΧ ΔΕΧ[ΠΙΟΤΗΧ], Andronicus, holding labarum and globus cruciger, being crowned by Christ, (S.1983, DOC IV 1, BN 1, SB 1983). *Holed for suspension, good fine - nearly very fine.*

\$400

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4102*

John II, (A.D. 1118-1143), gold hyperpyron, Thessalonica Mint, (4.38g), obv. IC-XC to left and right of Christ seated facing on backless throne, right hand raised, rev. around +ΙW-DECPOTH, QV-MR, facing half-length figures of Mary, nimbate, on right, and John, holding a patriarchal cross between them, hand of god above John's head, (S 1947, BMC 15-16). *Good very fine - nearly extremely fine.*

\$800

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4105*

Isaac II, Angelus, (A.D. 1185-1195), gold hyperpyron, Constantinople Mint, (4.39g), obv. Virgin enthroned facing nimbate, holds infant Christ, MP ΘV either side of head, rev. Isaac and the Archangel Michael standing holding between them a sword in a sheath, to left traces of ΙCΑΑΚΙΟC ΔΕC, to right X/Δ and X/M, (S.2001, H. pl.20, 2-4, R.2174-6, BMC 3-11). *Nearly extremely fine - extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,000

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.

4106

Michael VIII, (1261-1282), gold hyperpyron (scyphate), Constantinople Mint, (4.14g), obv. bust of Virgin within city walls and six towers, rev. St. Michael presenting kneeling emperor Michael to Christ with Gospels, legends both sides, (S.2242, Sommer 77.1., Grierson 1288). *Very fine - good very fine, weak in places, scarce.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4107*

Michael VIII, (1261-1282), gold hyperpyron (scyphate), Constantinople Mint, (4.14g), obv. bust of Virgin within city walls and six towers, rev. St. Michael presenting kneeling emperor Michael to Christ with Gospels, legends both sides, (S.2242, Sommer 77.1., Grierson 1288). *Very fine - good very fine, weak in places, scarce.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s.



4108*

Andronicus II and Michael IX, (1295-1320), gold hyperpyron (scyphate), Constantinople Mint, (4.12g), obv. bust of Virgin within city walls and four towers, control letters (sigla) K and N to left and right, rev. Andronicus II and Michael IX to left and right with Christ standing between both emperors, most of the partial legend downwards of each emperor, (cf. S.2396, Bendall PCPC 128, type sigla 175, cf. DOC 244). *Weak in places as usual, otherwise good very fine and very scarce.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection. With collector's packet c.1930s



GREEK SILVER & BRONZE COINS



4109*

Apulia, Barium, (c. 180-160 BC), AE sextans (6.38g), obv. laureate head of Zeus facing right, two stars (mark of value) behind, rev. Eros facing right, shooting bow from prow, dolphin below, (S.575, HCG 553, SNG ANS 652). *Brown tone with chocolate highlights, slight doubling on obverse, very fine and very rare.*

\$100

Barium was a minor port on the Adriatic coast, that struck coinage on the Roman uncial standard, probably in connection with building and manning the fleet in the early second century BC.



4110*

Italy, Apulia, Teate, AE quincunx (c.225-200 B.C.), AE 27mm, (16.35g), obv head of Athena to right, wearing a Corinthian helmet, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, TIATI to left, five pellets (mark of value) below, thunderbolt to right, (S.593, SNG Cop.691, SNG ANS 745, HN 702a, HGC 1, 654). *Very fine and very rare.*

\$400

Ex Spink & Sons, London with ticket (1/80, 1145), bought c.1995 a similar example in CNG Mail bid Sale 60 (May 2002) (lot 42 realised \$246).



4111*

Italy, Campania, Nola, (c.400-390 B.C.), silver stater or nomos, (6.67g), obv. head of helmeted Athena right with owl and wreath on helmet, AE behind neck, rev. man-headed bull walking to right (S.312, HN Italy 603; Rutter 1). *Oval flan, lightly toned in the devices, fine, very scarce.*

\$250

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 1743).



4112

Italy, Campania, Nola, (c.390-385 B.C.), silver stater or nomos, (6.90g), obv. head of nymph to right, rev. man-headed bull walking to left, crowned by Nike flying left above (c.f. S.311, Rutter 33 [obv. die 13 same die, reverse die 24]). *The reverse double struck, giving the man-headed bull an extended length, otherwise good fine/fine and very rare.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 1744).



4113*

Italy, Campania, Neapolis, (c.395-385 B.C.), silver stater or nomos, (6.89g), obv. diademed head of the Nymph Parthenope right, rev. man-headed bull facing left, Nike flying above to left (c.f. S.299, ANS 292). *Good fine/ nearly fine, very scarce die combination.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 1739).



4114*

Italy, Campania, Neapolis, (c.340-240 B.C.), silver stater or nomos, (7.41g), obv. diademed head of the Nymph Parthenope right, rev. man-headed bull facing right, Victory flying above holding palm frond, (c.f. S.300, SNG ANS 368, BMC 69, SNG Cop. 436). *Small flan struck slightly off-centre, attractive blue and grey tone with hints of purple all over, very fine and scarce.*

\$350

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 1741).



4115*

Italy, Calabria, Tarentum (Taras), (340-300 B.C.), silver diobol, (1.06g), obv. head of Athena to right, wearing crested helmet decorated with hippocamp, rev. Herakles wrestling lion (S.352, 5HN Italy 976, SNG ANS 1414). *Toned, very fine.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 1750).



4116*

Calabria, Tarentum, (c. 272-240 BC) silver nomos (6.59g), obv. nude youth riding horse walking to left, raising his right hand to crown the horse's head, rev. Taras riding dolphin facing left, preparing to throw trident, chlamys on left hand, owl standing left, head facing to right (cf. S.374, HN Italy 1025, VI. 839). *Attractive cabinet tone with golden hues in recesses, extremely fine.*

\$750

Ex Shanna Schmidt.



4117*

Italy, Lucania, Metapontum, (c.400-350 B.C.), silver stater or nomos, (7.59g), obv. head of female to right, wearing band, all enclosed within wreath, rev. corn ear, ME to right, stalk to left (cf. S.404, Noe 416, Naville 5, 450-1). *Good fine and scarce.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 1756).



4118*

Italy, Lucania, Thurium (Thourioi), (350-300 B.C.), silver stater or nomos, (7.47g), obv. head of Athena to right wearing crested Athenian helmet, ornamented with figure of Scylla, rev. bull butting to right, tunny fish below in exergue, exergual line, (cf. S.447, SNG ANS 1052 [same dies]). *Fine and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 1766).



4119*

Italy, Bruttium, Brettian League, (215-205 B.C.), AE 27 (reduced sextans), (14.16g), obv. helmeted head of bearded Ares to left, rev. Hera Hoplosmia armed with spear and shield advancing right, fulmen [thunderbolt] to right, (S.702, SNG ANS 76). *Green patina, very fine and very scarce.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 1766), previously Glendining, London, December 14, 1988 (lot 28 part).



4120*

Italy, Bruttium, Rhegion, Second Punic War, (C.211-201 B.C.), AE trias (2.61g), obv. Jugate busts of Asklepios and Hygeia to right, rev. Hermes standing left, holding kerykeion, IIII to left, over a cornucopiae, most of inscription RHGINWN to right downwards, (S.693, HN Italy 2558, SNG ANS 768, HGC 1, 1718 [R1]). *Green-brown surfaces, weak in places otherwise extremely fine and very rare.*

\$200

Ex Spink, London c.1995.

The weight is based on a Persian siglos although it is imitating an Athenian drachm.



4121*

Italy, The Frentani, Larinum, c.210-175 B.C., (10.04g), AE quincunx, obv. helmeted head of Athena or Ares(?) to right, rev. warrior, holding spear and shield, on horse galloping to left, LADINOD below, five pellets (mark of value) in exergue, (S.542, SNG ANS 131, Campana 4a, HN Italy 625, HGC 1, 517). *Very fine or better, rare.*

\$400

Ex Spink, London and the Numismatic Circular No.40 (c.1975-6) with a priced ticket.



4122*

Metapontum, silver nomos (c300-340 BC) (7.76g), Head of Demeter right, hair bound with fillet and wearing earring, rev. Ear of barley with leaf, METAFON to left(cf. S.404, SNG ANS 367). *Steely grey tone on fields, slight wear on high points, good very fine and extremely rare.*

\$3,000

Ex NAC 116, lot 20.

Ex The New York Sale Auction 27, lot 61.



4123*

Italy, Northern Lucania, Paestum, mid 1st century B.C. - 45 B.C., AE semis, 16mm, (5.43g), obv. head of Herakles to right, wearing lion's skin headdress, [PAE monogram right], rev. club to right, Q CEP above, DE . III . TOL below, (S., Crawford, Paestum 28, HN Italy 1243, Sallusto 172 ff, SNG ANS 783-4. *Green patina, toned very fine and very rare.*

\$100

Ex CNG Triton VIII, January 12, 2005 (lot 1830 part), coming from the Collection of Tony Hardy of Rome, Lot includes detailed collector description and CNG ticket.



4124*

Italy, Lucania, Thourioi, (c.350-300 B.C.), silver diobol (0.88g), obv. head of Athena to right, wearing crested Attic helmet, rev. above ΘΟΥΡΙΩΝ, bull walking right, fish to right in exergue, (S.449, SNG Cop.1470, HN Italy 1918). *Toned, about very fine, scarce.*

\$100



4125*

Sicily, Agrigentum, AE onkia, (415-406 B.C.), 16 mm., (4.02g), obv. eagle standing left, head to right, rev. Crab with open claws, fish (grouper) to right, pellet below, (S.1025, BMC 113, Calciati 81, SNG ANS 1058-9, SNG Cop.84 var., HGC 2, 151). *Brown patina, very fine and very rare.*

\$250

Ex Spink & Son, London with ticket (8/80), c.1995 (8/75).



4126*

Sicily, Leontinoi, (c.405-402 B.C.), AE tetras, 14mm, (1.80g), obv. laureate head of Apollo right, laurel leaf with berry behind, rev. tripod flanked by barley grains, lyre behind central leg, three pellets in exergue, (S.1118, CNS III 3/27, BMC 56, SNG ANS 270, HGC 2, 749). *Nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$200

Ex Spink & Son, London, c.1995 with their written ticket.



4127*

Sicily, Syracuse, Philistis wife of Hieron II (275-215 B.C.), silver sixteen litrai, (12.82g), issued 217-215 B.C., obv. diademed and veiled head of Philistis to left, thyrsus to right behind, rev. quadriga to right driven by Nike with horses walking, above crescent and ΒΑΣΙΛΙΣΣΑΣ, below ΦΙΛΙΣΤΙΑΟΣ, A off flan to right, (S.989, SNG ANS 876, Caltabiano [QT XIX] p.169, 175 note the letters)]. *Bright, minor cleaning marks, otherwise nearly extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$3,000

Ex Spink & Sons London, Private purchase in December 2008.

After a long and distinguished reign marked by moderation and stability, Hieron II was sufficiently assiduous to avoid any imperial aspirations in favour of loyalty to Rome, the prosperity of his people and family. In 218-216, while the Second Punic War was raging in Italy, he provided a powerful counterweight to any Carthaginian ambitions. He not only cooperated at sea with the Republic, but sent a contingent of 1500 troops and money in the form of a newly reformed currency in silver and gold, based on multiples of the traditional Sicilian silver unit of about 0.86 gram, the litra. The most numerous issue of this new coinage was that in the name of his queen, Philistis, with her head shown wearing the royal diadem below a veil that inevitably recalls the portrait of Arsinoe II at Alexandria. Nike as the charioteer of the reverse biga is obviously auspicious of final victory.

4128*



Thraco-Macedonian Region, uncertain, (c.480-460 B.C.), silver obol (1.10g), obv. male goat kneeling right on dotted groundline, rev. quadripartite incuse square, (S., HPM pl. III, 22 var. [slightly different incuse], SNG ANS 66 (Aigai), Sheedy, Non-Parian Group 3). *Very fine and very rare.*

\$500

Ex CNG Sale 60, May 22, 2002 (lot 606, hammer \$340US) where it was described as a silver obol from the Cyclades from the island of Paros (c.510-475 B.C.).

CNG notes in Sale 311 (lot 508) that J. Svoronos, in HPM (pp. 34-5), set forth an argument for not assigning certain goat-type coins to Aigai in Macedon, based on the gender of the goat depicted. The canting type of goat is a play on the Greek word for goat, and is used for mint cities whose ethnic began with the syllable aig. Svoronos argued that must refer to a female goat, as a male goat would have a different name. The foundation myths of Aigai in Justin also use the Latin form for a she-goat, capra. Thus, any depiction of a male goat would rule-out attributing such a coin to Aigai. This argument has been largely ignored, or unnoticed, as many still attribute all goat issues of the Macedonian region to Aigai. More recently, however, O. Picard (in "Les monnaies au bouc attribuées à Aigai" in BSFN 50/6 [1995]) and C. Lorber (in Lorber, Goats), have revived Svoronos' theory and convincingly argue in its favour. As this coin clearly shows a male goat, its attribution cannot be to Aigai. Similarly, as the goat is not looking backward, it does not fit into the group Lorber has now attributed to the Krestones/Migdones. One other possibility is that this may be an issue of Paros, but Sheedy conclusively shows that no small fractions were struck in Paros during the archaic period. As these coins typically show up in hoards of Macedonian coinage (see, e.g., Sheedy p 112), they likely belong to an uncertain tribe in the region. (courtesy CNG)

4129

Cimmerian Bosporos, Pantikapaion, (c325-310 B.C.), AE 17mm (4.72g), obv. wreathed head of Satyr left, rev. bulls head left (S.1701, SNG BM Black Sea 890-3). *Even brown patina, good very fine.*

\$150



4130*

Thrace, Abdera, (386/5-375 B.C.), silver drachm or tetrobol (2.56g), obv. griffin prancing to left, traces of ABD behind, rev. kantharos within outlined square, around on three sides, ΕΠΙΠΟ ΜΝΗΜ ΟΝΟΣ, for magistrate Hiromnemon, (cf.S.1549, May 446 [these dies A300, P353, 19 known specimens], p.259 Pl.XX). *Some porosity on obverse, otherwise very fine, good very fine and rare.*

\$300

Ex Superior Auctions 9 December 1994 (lot 670) previously from the Thrace c.1986 hoard (Coin Hoards Vol. VIII, No.103).



4131*

Thrace, Aenos (Ainos), silver tetrobol, 412 - 365 B.C., (2.41g), obv. facing head of youthful Hermes, inclined slightly to left, wearing petasos, ornamented with row of beads above brim, rev. (A)INIO(N) above goat standing to right, trophy before it all within shallow incuse square with rounded corners (cf. S.1569, BMC 27, SNG Copenhagen 415) (sold with owner's original 2x2 holder). *Nearly very fine and very rare.*

\$1,000

Ex Wayne Woolmer Collection Spink Auctions No. 34 lot 1671.
Ex NFA Los Angeles sale 15/1/1982, lot 115.

4132*



Thrace, Apollonia Pontika, (400-350 B.C.), silver drachm, (1.27g), obv. laureate head of Gorgoneion facing with curls, rev. anchor, A to left, crayfish to right of anchor, (cf.S.1655, ACNAC Dewing 1277, SNG BMC 162, SNG Cop.456, BMC (Mysia) 11-12, Pozzi 2564). *Good very fine.*

\$100



4133*

Thrace, Maroneia, (after 148 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.06g), obv. head of young Dionysos to right, wreathed with ivy and band across forehead, rev. Dionysos naked standing to left, holding grapes and two narthex wands, to right ΔΙΟΝΥΣΙΟΥ, to left ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ, below ΜΑΡΩΝΙΤΩΝ, ΠΑΥΩ monogram to left, Θ to right with cental pellet, (cf. S.1635, Schonert-Geiss 1116 [obv.35], BMC 59, ACNAC Dewing 1295 [same obverse die], HGC 3, 1556). *Good metal, delightful grey patination, minor mark on cheek, extremely fine and rare.*

\$2,000

Ex UBS Zurich, Auction 52 (lot 33) 11-13 September 2001, lot includes UBS auction packet.



4134*

Thrace, Island off, Thasos, (c.early 5th century B.C.), silver stater, (8.09g), obv. naked ithyphallic satyr (classical style) in kneeling running attitude carrying off nymph raising hand in protest, rev. quadripartite incuse square, (S.1746, Asyut Hoard -, BMC 24-25, McClean 4197, SNG Cop. 1010, ACNAC Dewing 1312, HGC 6, 331). *Toned, very fine and very scarce.*

\$900

Ex Italo Vecchi, Auction Sale, Decenber 15, 1999 (lot 221).



4135*

Thrace, Island off Thrace, Thasos, (145-120 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.84g), obv. large head of young Dionysos to right, wreathed with ivy and band across forehead, rev. Herakles naked standing to left, holding club, lion skin over left arm, to right ΗΡΑΚΛΕΟΥΣ, to left ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ, below ΦΑΣΙΩΝ, MHP monogram to left, (cf.S.1759, SNG Cop. 1040-1045, Prokopov Silberprägung Group XVI, 1215-1241, Le Rider Thasiennes 52, HGC 8, 359). *Good metal, bright well centred, fine style, good extremely fine, rare as such.*

\$2,000

Ex Dennis Devine USA, December 4, 1999.



4136*

Thrace, Kings of, Spardokos(c.late 5th century B.C.), silver trihemionbol (0.75g), obv. youthful male head right, rev. ΣΔ, ΣΑΡΑΤΟΚΟ around, all within incuse square, (S.-, Peter, Die Munzen der Thrakischen Dynasten [5-3 Jahrhundert v, Chr], pp.99, 2.4; Youroukova 31-37). *Good very fine or better, very rare.*

\$500

Ex CNA (later CNG) Auction Sale 60, May 22 2002 (lot 442), lot includes CNA ticket in a flip. Only one coin noted in Coin Archives (this coin).



4137*

Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (305-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.18g), Magnesia mint, issued 297/6-282/1 B.C., obv. head of Alexander to right, with diadem and horn of Ammon, within dotted circle, rev. Athena Nikephoros enthroned to left, supporting Nike, transverse spear behind, complex monogram IHP to left, meander pattern extreme left, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (cf.S.6814, Thompson 106, Meydancikkale -, Armenak -, M.438, HGC 3.2, 1750e). *Bright, nearly extremely fine and very rare.*

\$2,500

Ex Bunker Hunt Collection, from Sotheby's New York Auction 19th June 1991 (lot 539 part).



4138*

Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.59g), Byzantium Mint, issued after 282/1 B.C., obv. head of Alexander to right, with diadem and horn of Ammon, rev. Athena enthroned to left, supporting Nike, spear behind, R inner left, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (cf.S.6814, Thompson -, M.555, cf.Mektepini 121, Armenak - [ANS MN 31], SNG Cop. -, Meydancikkale -). *Grey tone, good very fine/very fine and very rare.*

\$1,600

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 79 (lot 3249) from the George Tuck Pittman USA Collection. Lot includes collectors' descriptive ticket.

The issue is very similar to Mektepini (pl.5, 121), but that example has a small BY placed on the throne.



4139*

Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm (16.83g), 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, caduceus with handle to left, AI monogram outer right (cf.S.6814, Thompson 198, Armenak 914 [ANS MN 31 [p.86, Plate 24], M.107). *Very fine and rare.*

\$1,500

Private purchase from Noble Numismatics.

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 136, lot 2561.



4140*

Thrace, Kingdom of Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.82g), Erythrae Mint, issued after 282 B.C., obv. head of Alexander to right, with diadem and horn of Ammon, rev. Athena enthroned to left, supporting Nike, club in outer field to left, HTD in inner left field, bow in case and monogram ΑΓ in exergue, in outer right field ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ and left field ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (M.413, cf.SNG Cop.1123, cf.S.6814). *Good finelfine.*

\$300

Ex Freeman & Sear, December 2003. Probably from the "Seleucid III" Hoard of 2003.



4141*

Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.11g), Cyzicus Mint, issued well after 281 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, reversed ΠΧΑΡ monogram to left, over a bucranium, club to left in exergue, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΑΥΣΙΜΑΞΟΥ, (cf. S.6814, Thompson -, Tresors of the Levant Plate 9, Prinje Hoard 5.12 [same dies], Meydancikkale -, M.-, not in Coin Archives). *Toned, good very fine and very rare, only one or two known.*

\$2,000

Ex London Coin Galleries December 6 1997, Previously from Spink America Auction Sale June 3, 1997 (lot 485),



4142*

Macedon, Akanthos, silver tetrobol, (470-390 B.C.), (2.28g), obv. forepart of bull kneeling left, looking back, above Π and swastika, dotted border, rev. shallow quadripartite incuse square granulated recesses, (cf. S.1369, SNG ANS 42, AMNG III/2, 35, pl. VII, 13 corr. (symbol on obv.)). *Bright, good very fine and very scarce.*

\$300

Ex CNG retail January 2012, with their ticket.



4143*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Perdikkas II, (454-413 BC), silver heavy tetrobol (2.29g), obv. rider wearing petasus at nape, prancing to right, holding two spears in left hand and reigns in right, rev. forepart of lion in incuse square (S.1491, Raymond 215). *Light golden tone in fields, very fine and rare.*

\$250

Ex Harlan J. Berk.



4144*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), AE 18, (5.51g), Uncertain Macedonian mint (Amphipolis), issued c.325-310 B.C., obv. head of young Herakles to right wearing lion skin with dotted border, rev. above Β Α with

dot between , above a bow and quiver, below a club to left, in exergue a small star, (S.6742, Price 379, cf. BMC 378a-c-, specimen in ANS). *Delightful green earthen patina, extremely fine, rare type.*

\$200

Ex CNG Triton X, Auction Sale January 9-10, 2007. (lot 1499 part). Lot includes descriptive ticket with a flip.



4145*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver drachm, (4.27g), Colophon Mint, issued 323-319 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, spear-head to right, monograms to left, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right (cf. S.6730, Price 1757, BMC 1757, P.O.(1) 392). *Very fine.*

\$200

Ex Fred Shore, USA, January 18, 2003.



4146*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver drachm, (3.41g), "Colophon" Mint, barbarous issue issued late 4th century 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, A or Δ below throne, crescent to left, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right (N reversed), (cf. S.6730, Price (1798a), BMC -, P.O.(1) 286). *Very fine and very rare.*

\$200

Ex Fred Shore, USA, January 18, 2003.



4147*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver drachm, (4.26g), 'Babylon' Mint, issued 323-317 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, right leg slightly drawn back, sceptre in right hand, monograms M to the left, ΑΥ under throne ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to the right, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ in exergue (cf. S.6730, Price 3693, BMC 3693a-b, SNG Greece II -, SNG Cop. 937, M.1273). *Extremely fine, bright with descriptive ticket in a flip*

\$500

Ex Fred Shore, USA, January 18, 2003.

With descriptive ticket in a flip.



4148*

Macedon, Demetrios I Poliorketes, (306-283 B.C.), silver drachm (4.17g), Ephesos Mint, struck c.301-295 B.C.), obv. diademed and horned head right, rev. Poseidon Pelagaios standing left, preparing to throw trident, on left arm a chlamys, monogram to left, upward ivy leaf to inner left, to right downwards ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ, below across ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (S.6766, Newell 57d = Pozzi 967 [same dies], SNG Munich -; SNG Alpha Bank -; SNG Berry -; Boston MFA Supp. 51 (same rev. die), cf.HGC 3.1, 1019). *Good very fine - nearly extremely fine, a very rare portrait drachm.*

\$5,000

Ex CNG Triton IX (lot 815) January 10-11, 2006, previously coming from the Robert Weimer Collection and the Dr. J.S. Wilkinson Collection, Malter 49, 15 November 1992, (lot 261). Dmitry Markov notes that only a handful of portrait drachms are known. The Pozzi example in near EF, coming from the same dies realised \$7000 in CNG Sale 106 (lot 217), 13 September 2017.



4149*

Macedon, Kingdom of Demetrios Poliorketes, (294 - Autumn 288 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.63g), Pella in Macedon Mint, c.289-288 B.C., obv. diademed and horned head of Demetrios to right, rev. Poseidon standing left, holding trident, right foot on rock, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ, monogram extreme left KP and plain on right, (cf.S.6764 [£650], Newell Series 6. type 89, cf.143, obverse die LXXVI, reverse die - [not illustrated], Hunter No.6, HGC 3, 1014a [R1]). *Bright, slightly porous reverse, very fine/fine and a very rare type.*

\$1,200

Ex Freeman & Sear, USA, December 4, 2003 private purchase, lot includes detailed collector's ticket in a flip.



4150*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Demetrios I 'Poliorketes', AE 14, (300- 295 B.C.), (3.62g), uncertain mint in Caria, obv. head of Athena right, wearing Corinthian helmet, rev. prow of galley right, BA above, monogram below, (Newell Demetrios 20, SNG Cop. 1194, HGC 3.1, 1026b). *About very fine and rare.*

\$100

Ex Spink London, c.1995.



4151*

Macedonia, Roman Protectorate, Republican period, First Meris, (c. 167-149 BC), silver tetradrachm, (16.67g), obv. diademed and draped bust of Artemis right, bow and quiver over shoulder in centre of Macedonian shield, rev. club within oak wreath, thunderbolt to left, AP monogram, MAKEΔONΩΝ above, ΠΡΩΤΗΣ below (BMC 7, HGC 3 1117). *Well centred, attractive golden toning within devices, good very fine/ nearly extremely fine.*

\$1,000

Private purchase from The Red House Antiques, York (13/5/13 for £360) with a certificate of authenticity from Odyssey Antiques.



4152*

Corcyra (Korkyra), period of Roman protectorate, silver didrachm, after 229 - 48 B.C., (4.39g), obv. head of young Dionysos, to right, wreathed with ivy, rev. Pegasos flying to right, beneath prow and three monograms PK, VA and KP, (cf.S.2027, BMC 355, cf.SNG Cop.200, SNG Eupides 1931-2 65 [R1]). *Toned, about extremely fine and very rare.*

\$600

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection, from CNG Triton VI, Auction Sale 13 January 2003 (lot 1542 part), bought from B.A. Seaby London in 1950 and listed list 368, as No.AM.22. Lot includes Cooper ticket and CNG ticket.



4153*

Paonia, Kings of, Patraos (c. 335-315 BC), silver tetradrachm (12.18g), obv. laureate head of Apollo facing right, rev. horseman in crested helmet charging right, spearing fallen enemy (S.1520, Paconian Hoard 124-148, SNG ANS 1032, HGC 3.1 148). *Reverse struck off centre, light golden hues throughout, extremely fine.*

\$750

Ex Harlan J Berk Sale 230 (lot 247).

From the Paconian Hoard.



4154*

Thessaly, Pelinna, (c. last quarter 5th century B.C.), silver trihemioiobol (1.46g), obv. Thessalian cavalryman on horse to left, wearing short tunic, holding two long spears, dotted border, rev. Hoplite left, holding two spears and shield, ΠΕ below ΑΙΝΝ right, (S.2165, BMC Thessaly pg. 38, 1; SNG Cop. 185, BCD 514 [Triton XV] [same dies]). *Very fine, some encrustation, very rare.*

\$400

Ex CNG eSale 65 (lot 14), 29 May 2003.

The BCD coin in similar Condition realised US1400 in January 2012.



4155*

Thessaly, Pharsalus, (425-400 B.C.), silver drachm, (6.02g), obv. Athena head to right in close fitting helmet, ornamented with wing, TO behind, rev. horseman prancing to right, ΦΑΡΣ around horse, within incuse square, TH in small letters below horse, (cf.S.2191, Lavva 101, cf.BCD 638, HGC 6, 624). *Bright, good very fine and rare, minor scratches on the obverse.*

\$600

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection, from CNG Triton VI, Auction Sale 13 January 2003 (lot 1542 part), bought from the Howard Simmons, Cumberland Coin Fair, February 1989. Lot includes his and CNG ticket



4156*

Thessaly, Pherai, Late 4th century B.C., AE Chalkous (2) and dichalkon (2), (15-18 mm, 2.63, 2.78, 3.25 (illustrated), 4.30g), obv. head of Ennodia to right, rev. head of lion right, spouting water). (S.2207, Rogers 516, BMC 12, BCD Thessaly II 689, 691.1). *Fair - very fine, generally worn but all very scarce.* (4)

\$100

Ex BCD Collection, with his tickets included, sold in CNG Triton XVII (lot 1568 part).



4157*

Thessaly, Larissa, (c. 404-370 B.C.), silver drachm, (5.85g), obv. head of the nymph Larissa three-quarter facing, turned slightly to right, wearing hair band and plain necklace. rev. ΛΑΠΙ horse with straight legs grazing to left, (cf.S.2124, BCD Thessaly II 225, HGC 4, 430, Lorber, Hoard 38.1-2 [same obverse die, but probably same dies as 38.3, which is not illustrated], cf.Obolos 29, lot 126 same dies). *Die-break on cheek, dark patination, otherwise off centred, good very fine, very fine.*

\$600

Ex BCD Collection (with his ticket) previously from Karla W. Schenk-Behrens, Essen, Auction 41, 5 May 1981 (lot 29) with lot ticket (603 DM), before that Karl Kress Auction Sale 144, 22 July 1968 (lot listed not clear). Lot includes BCD photos etc.



4158*

Thessaly, Skotussa, (480-400 B.C.), silver drachm, (6.00g), obv. forepart of horse to right, ΠΥ below, tiny reversed N to right, rev. grain ear in its husk, placed diagonally within incuse square, ΣΚΟ around, (S.2217 [£500], BCD Thessaly II 730, Boston MFA 929 [same dies], HGC 4, 588). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$800

Ex Dennis Devine, January 11, 2003 as a private purchase for \$500US.



4159*

Thessaly, Pharkadon, (c.440-400 B.C.), silver hemidrachm (2.60g), obv. Thessalos, nude but for petasos and cloak tied at neck, standing right, holding band across horns of forepart of bull leaping right, rev. forepart of bridled horse right within incuse square, around Φ-A-P-K, (S.2183, BCD Thessaly II 604 [same dies, realised \$1000], Pozzi [Boutin] 2840, cf.BMC 1). *Very fine, lightly toned, slightly porous, light cleaning marks, rare.*

\$200

Ex BCD Collection (Classical Numismatic Group Electronic Auction 455, (30 October 2019), lot 74 part, previously acquired December 1992 (for 80 SFr.) with BCD ticket and ticket described as obv.13, rev. 14.

Ex BCD Collection with his ticket and photos.



4160*

Illyria, Apollonia, silver drachm, (2.91g), Xenokles and Chairenos (229-100 B.C), obv. cow standing left, head lowered, calf suckling below, rev. double stellate pattern (cf. S.1878, BMC 24); **Ionian, Ephesos**, (3rd-2nd century), AE (3.90g), obv. bee, rev. stag standing before date palm (cf. S.4405, BMC 134). *Good fine; fair.* (2)

\$100



4161*

Epeiros, Ambrakia, (c.360-338 B.C.), silver stater, (8.32g), obv. Pegasos standing to right, A below, rev. helmeted head of Athena to left, head of river god Achelous facing (androcephalous bull), behind, (cf.S.1958, Calciati 88, Cammann (NN&M 53) No.1, Ravel 137 (NN&M 37), McClean 5098, BMC 19 [same dies]). *Nearly extremely fine and very rare.*

\$1,200

Ex Guido Bernardi, Trieste, January 8, 1998 with his ticket (cost 350 euros).

Ravel notes 11 examples all from the same dies, most of which are in public collections.



4162*

Island off Epeiros, Korkyra, (c.400 B.C.), silver stater, (10.42g), obv. cow standing left, head turned to lick calf that is suckling to right, rev. no symbols or monograms, double stellate pattern within square linear frame, within a linear circle and shallow incuse circle, (S.2004, BMC 66ff, HGC 6, 34). *Attractive old dark cabinet toning, slight roughness, good very fine and very rare.*

\$600

Ex Glendining & Co, London, May 6, 1987 (lot 16).

4163

Korkyra, Korkyra, (after 229 B.C.), silver hemidrachm or half victoriatus, (1.51g), obv. Pegasos flying left, rev. head of Aphrodite left, monogram behind neck, (S.2030, SNG Evelpidis 1938-1939, HGC 6, 68 [R1], SNG Lockett 2248). *Slightly off centred on reverse, otherwise fine - very fine, rare.*

\$150

Ex A.H. Baldwin, London, December 5, 1988.



4164*

Akarnania, Anactorium, (c.320-280 B.C.), silver stater, (8.33g), obv. Pegasos flying to left, AN monogram below, rev. head of Athena to left, wearing Corinthian helmet, EΠI before Athena, flail terminal behind, (cf.S.2250, Calciati 62, SNG Cop.298, cf.BMC 64, HGC 4, 763). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$1,000

Ex Ponterio and Associates, Coin Auction January 16, 2004 (lot 403).



4165*

Boiotia, Thebes, (379-368 B.C.), Ptoi.. magistrate, silver stater, (12.16g), obv. Boiotian shield, rev. amphora in incuse concave circle, across field on each side ΠIT OI, (cf.S.2398, BCD 522, Hepworth 84 Group C, Myron Hoard 222-245 [Pl.E, 14, same reverse die], BMC 160 corrected p.84, SNG Cop.349, McClean 5609, HGC 4,1331). *Toned, very fine, scarce.*

\$1,500

Ex Superior Stamp & Coin Auction Sale June 2-3 1998 (lot 6361) includes detailed descriptive text in a flip. Acquired from Romanorum 16.10.2008.



4166*

Euboea, Chalkis, (c.338-308 B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (1.42g), obv. Hera head to right, hair rolled, rev. eagle flying to right, carrying snake in talons and beak, below around traces of XAA, star to left, (cf.S.2483, Picard Series Emission 28, Lanz BCD Auction Sale 176, HGC 4 1484). *Very fine, scarce.*

\$150

Ex BCD Collection, bought from Davissons Ltd. MN USA in September 1994 for \$105 US.



4167*

Euboea, Histaia, (3rd century B.C.), silver tetrobol, (1.83g), obv. head of nymph Histaia to right, wreathed with vine, hair rolled, rev. nymph Histaia seated to right on galley, wing on galley, around ΙΣΤΙ ΑΙΕΩΝ, to right ΣΑ, (cf.S.2496, cf.BMC 93, HGC 4 1525). *Nearly very fine and a rare variant.*

\$100

Ex Coin Galleries, New York, November 10, 1999 (lot 439).

4168

Attica, Aegina, (500-490 B.C.), silver stater, (12.07g), obv. smoothed shell sea turtle without row of dots down dorsal spine, countermark on back of turtle with a figure with raised arms, rev. small incuse square, of 'small skew' design with five sunken triangle compartments, (S.1858, Asyut Group III-IV, 'Small skew' cf.548-550, Holloway Group IV, Millbank (ANS MN&N 24 [p.19] CNG Sale 47, [lot 406 this coin]). *Off centred reverse and countermark very fine, otherwise good fine and extremely rare for these known countermark.*

\$600

Ex Classical Numismatic Group, Auction Sale 47, September 16, 1998 (lot 406 illustrated).

Mando Caramessini-Oeconomides in discussing the 1970 Myrina Hoard in (Essay Thompson) believes the hoard was buried in 440 B.C. and that date would explain the numbers of countermarks in that hoard, which she states would explain it as Aegina lost their independence in 457 B.C., and the consequent uncertainty regarding her financial position and coinage acceptance in foreign markets led to the countermarking of circulating staters.



4169*

Attica, Athens (c.440 BC), silver tetradrachm (17.14g), obv. head of Athena facing right, wearing crested Attic helmet decorated with three olive leaves and palmette, rev. standing owl, head facing, olive spray and crescent moon to left, ΑΘΕ to right, all within incuse square (S.2526, SNG Cop 31, Kroll 8). *Bright silver metal, fine style, extremely fine.*

\$1,500

Ex Harlan J. Berk.



4170*

Attica, Athens, silver tetradrachm, (124-123 B.C. or 92-91 B.C. revised date), (16.15g), obv. head of Athena Parthenos to right, wearing triple crested Athenian helmet, ornamented with Pegasus, dotted border, rev. owl standing right, head facing on prostrate amphora, to right a trident and dolphin, ΑΘΕ/ΞΕ ΝΟ across, on left side in four rows [K]ΑΗΣ/[Α]ΠΙΜΟ/ΞΕ/ΝΟΣ, letter K below on amphora ΠΕΡ below in exergue, all within olive wreath, (cf.S.2555, Thompson 1091b [same dies], BMC 987, Sv 77,8 [same obverse die], HGC 4, 1602). *About extremely fine, short on flan, very rare.*

\$2,000

Ex Freeman & Sear, September 9, 2002, (lot 10). There is a difference of 32 years less between Thompson and the suggested revised chronology.



4171*

Attica, Athens, silver tetradrachm, (160-159 B.C. or 128-127 B.C. revised date), (16.85g), obv. head of Athena Parthenos to right, wearing triple crested Athenian helmet, ornamented with Pegasus, dotted border, rev. owl standing right, head facing on prostrate amphora, to left a cornucopiae with grain, ΑΘΕ across, on left side across ΑΧ/ΙΟΣ on right side across in two rows ΗΑΙ/ΚΛΕ/ΗΠΙΧ, letter E, below on amphora ΜΕ below in exergue, all within olive wreath, (cf. S.2555, Thompson 421d [same dies], example in Paris, HGC 4, 1602). *Extremely fine, slightly off centred on obverse, very rare.*

\$2,500

Ex Frank Kovacs, USA, Auction Sale XIII, June 3, 1998, (lot 39). There is a difference of 32 year less between Thompson and the suggested revised chronology.



4172*

Bithynia, Kalchedon, silver drachm, (416-357 B.C.), (5.32g), obv. bull standing to left on ear of corn, ΚΑΛΧ, rev. quadripartite incuse square of "mill-sail" pattern, the surfaces within granulated, (S.3738, BMC 4-7). *A very attractive coin, very fine and very scarce.*

\$200

Ex A.H. Baldwin & Sons c.1995 with packet and their priced ticket.

The scarce drachm of this weight was issued at a weight standard to correspond to that of the Persian siglos. This is in contrast to the later issue of drachms where a large weight reduction took place to correspond to the Philip II standard of 15.3 g for a tetradrachm. Philip besieged the city in 340-339 B.C.



4173*

Bithynia, kings of, Nikomedes IV Philopator, (94-74 B.C.), silver tetradrachm (16.76g), Nikomedeia Mint, CY 206 = 93/2 B.C., obv. diademed head of Nikomedes IV to right, rev. ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ – ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ / ΝΙΚΟΜΗΔΟΥΥ to left and right, Zeus standing front, head to left, crowning the king's name with his right hand and holding long sceptre in his left, to left, eagle standing left on thunderbolt above magistrate's monogram and date CZ (date), (S.7276, BMC 1 ['Nicomedes III'], Callatay, p. 61., HGC 7, 646, RG p. 232). *Delightful cabinet grey patination, well struck, extremely fine and rare.*

\$3,000



4174*

Mysia, Pergamon, (104-98 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.50g), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above MAY monogram, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Carbone, Hidden Power, type XXXII (obv.79, rev. 150, p.63), [This Coin illustrated on plate 1529], Kleiner [ANSMN 23], No.7). *Good very fine/nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$400

Ex the 2002 hoard, acquired from CNG in January 20, 2003.

Carbon notes monogram MA but in reality it is MAY.



4175*

Mysia, Pergamon, (104-98 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.58g), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above MH, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Carbone, Hidden Power, type XL (obv.123, rev. 286, p.63), No.1 [This Coin illustrated on plate 29], Kleiner [ANSMN 23], No.21). *Slightly off centred, very fine/nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$350

Ex the 2002 hoard, acquired from CNG in January 20, 2003.



4176*

Mysia, Pergamon, (104-98 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.52g), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above MH, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Carbone, Hidden Power, type XL (obv.124, rev. 288, p.63), No.1 [This Coin illustrated on plate 30], Kleiner [ANSMN 23], No.21). *Slightly off centred, worn obverse die, nearly fine/nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$250

Ex the 2002 hoard, acquired from CNG in January 20, 2003.



4177*

Lesbos, Methymna, (440-400 B.C.), silver hemiobol, (0.41g), obv. helmeted head of Athena facing left, rev. kantharos in incuse square, (HGC 6: 903); Uncertain Barbarian mint, time of Justinian I, reduced weight barbaric imitation of a half-siliqua, silver, (0.60g), obv. bust facing left, rev. blundered monogram (cf. SB.254). *Very fine; very fine.* (2)

\$100



4178*

Aeolis, Myrina (155-145 BC), silver tetradrachm, (16.78g), obv. laureate head of Apollo right, rev. Apollo Grynios standing, facing right, holding branch in left hand and phiale in right, amphalos and amphora at feet, ΜΥΡΙΝΑΙΩΝ to left, KA monogram, all within a laurel wreath (Sacks issue 19, obv. die 19; BMC 12). *Golden toned in recesses with traces of peripheral blue on reverse, bright metal, scattered porosity, extremely fine.*

\$2,500

Ex CNG 90 (lot 579).



4179*

Mysia, Pergamon, (128-123 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.51g), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above ΔΗΜ monogram above to right field a winged caduceus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner and Noe 116, Series 37a 112c). *Good fine.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics private purchase.

4180

Lesbos, Mytilene, (400-350 B.C.), silver diobol, (1.25g), obv. laureate head of Apollo right, rev. MYT lower right, head of female right, uncertain symbol with star lower right, (S.4252, SNG von Aulock 1744, G&M 122, lot 1397 [10 March 2003, with the same symbol], SNG Ashmolean 1544 var. (symbol), HGC 6, 1037 var. (symbol not listed). *Good very fine and very rare.*

\$200

Ex Glendining June 6, 1991 (lot 636 part).

4181

Ionia, Miletus, (c.530-510 B.C.), silver twelfth stater or obol, (1.01g), obv. forepart of lion and legs to left, rev. star ornament within incuse square, (S.3533, BMC 34). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 60 (lot 1880).



4182*

Peloponnesos, Corinthia, Corinth, (400-375 B.C.), silver stater, (8.54g), obv. Pegasus flying to right with pointed wing, Q below, rev. head of Athena or Aphrodite to right, wearing Corinthian helmet over leather cap, E P to right, to left Nike with Thymasterion, (cf.S.2630, Calciati 347, Ravel 925 [p.376]. BMC 383-4 [Pl.VI, 10], BCD Corinth 90, HGC 4, 1847). *Very light patination, trace of mint lustre and die rust on reverse, off centred obverse extremely fine and very rare symbols.*

\$1,500

Ex CNG private purchase December 12, 1995.



4183*

Peloponnesos, Achaia, Achaian League, Megalopolis, (c.175-168 B.C.), silver triobol or hemidrachm (15mm, 2.36g), obv. laureate head of Zeus right, rev. Achaian League XA monogram in laurel wreath, above M, below syrx B, to left and right E and A, all within wreath, (S.3000, Benner 4, BCD Peloponnesos 1543.2, Clerk 209, HGC 5, 952 [R1]). *Old cabinet patination, very fine and rare, with descriptive ticket in a 2x2 flip.*

\$200

Ex Spink & Son, London, December 18, 1992 as a private purchase, coming from the Diakofto Hoard (IGCH 262).



4184*

Peloponnesos, Achaia, Achaian League, Megara (Megaris), (c.175-168 B.C.), silver triobol or hemidrachm (2.10g), obv. laureate head of Zeus right, rev. Achaian League XA monogram in laurel wreath, above cithera (large Lyre), to left H and right PO, all within wreath, (cf.S.2978, Benner 5, BCD Peloponnesos 27.3 [LHS 96], Clerk 121, Agrinion Hoard 450-462, Hunterian 16, McClean 6434-5). *Old cabinet patination, very fine and rare, with descriptive ticket in a 2x2 flip.*

\$200

Ex Spink & Son, London, December 18, 1992 as a private purchase, coming from the Diakofto Hoard (IGCH 262).



4185*

Peloponnesos, Achaia, Achaian League, Tegea (Arcadia), issued c.90-85 B.C.), silver triobol or hemidrachm (2.35g), obv. laureate head of Zeus right, rev. Achaian League XA monogram in laurel wreath, above PH monogram, to left and right T and E, all within wreath, (S.3003, Benner 5, BCD Peloponnesos 1747.1, Clerk 227, not in Agrinion hoard, HGC 5, 1075 [R1]). *Old cabinet patination, very fine and very rare, with descriptive ticket in a 2x2 flip.*

\$200

Ex Spink & Son, London, December 21, 1992 as a private purchase, coming from the Diakofto Hoard (IGCH 262).



4186*

Peloponnesos, Elis, Olympia, 78th-82nd Olympiad, (c.460s-450s B.C.), silver stater, (11.50g), obv. eagle flying to left, with wings folded down with tail bent down, claws grasping a hare to left, rev. F A either side of a Thunderbolt with wings curled downwards within shallow incuse square, (cf. S.2859, Seltman 104 [p.27, Pl.III], BCD Olympia 327,4 [(Leu 90, May 10, 2004], This Coin illustrated]). *Nearly very fine and very rare.*

\$4,000

Ex Fred shore, USA, January 11, 2007 (for \$1800 US) later purchased from CNG Triton XIII, January 5, 2010 (lot 2174 part) originally from the BCD Collection, previously from the Leu Sale 90 (lot 327), also listed by Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 92 (lot 5089). Lot includes collector's tickets and Fred Shore tickets in a flip.



4187*

Peloponnesos, Elis, Olympia, 108th Olympiad, (352-348 B.C.), silver hemidrachm (2.57g), Olympia Zeus Mint, obv. laureate head of Zeus to right, rev. F A across. with eagle standing right, with short legs and smooth tail feathers on and Ionic capital capital, (S.2895, BCD Olympia 139 [p.58 Leu 90, May 10, 2004 same dies], BMC 83 [same dies], SNG Cop.388, HGC 5, 440). *Very fine, toned, reverse slightly off centred, very rare.*

\$1,000

EX BCD Collection, rom CNG Triton XIII, January 5, 2010 (lot 2175 part), previously from Spink America Auction Sale 6 January, 1999 (lot 634 part). Lot includes descriptive collector's ticket in 2x2 flip with BCD circular ticket.



4188

Peloponnesos, Elis, Olympia, 111-114th Olympiad, (336-324 B.C.), silver hemidrachm (2.23g), Hera Mint, obv. head of the eponymous nymph Olympia to right, rev. FA to left, eagle standing right, head left, wings folded, on uncertain object, thunderbolt to right upwards, (cf.S.2890 [stater], BCD Olympia 336.9 [p.96 Leu 90, May 10, 2004 similar dies], cf.BMC 114 variety, cf.Seltman pl.XII, 25-6, cf.CNG Sale 81, lot 2263 [same dies], SNG Cop. 409, HGC 5, -). *Nearly very fine, toned, minor roughness, struck from worn obverse die, very rare.*

\$500

Ex BCD Collection, acquired from CNG Triton XIII (lot 2181 (part). Lot includes collectors detail ticket in 2x2 flip CNG and the BCD round ticket.



4189*

Peloponnesos, Argolis, Argos, silver Hemidrachm, or Attic triobol, late 2nd century - 80's B.C. (2.17g), obv. forepart of wolf at bay to right, Rev. A with Δ and A either side at top with trident to right and M A P below, all within shallow incuse square, (cf.S.2794, BCD 1145 [p.276, LHS 96], BMC 111 [p.141], Mycenae -, SNG Cop. -, Traite -). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$400

Ex BCD Collection acquired from CNG Triton XIII auction, January 5, 2010 (lot 2177 part), originally purchased from a very fine old collection in April 1982, lot includes BCD and a descriptive detailed description in a collector's flip.



4190*

Crete, Kydonia, (c.2nd-1st century B.C.), AE 12, (2.17g), obv. Owl standing right, head facing, A-II flanking head of owl, rev. star-in-crescent in circular border, (S.3259, BMC 25, SNG Cop.421, cf.Svoronos Numismatique 80-85). *Brown patina, very fine and very rare.*

\$400

Ex Spink & Sons, London with ticket (4/82), c.1995 a similar example in Coin Archives (only example), Bertolami Fine Arts eSale 68 (lot 449 realised £280).



4191*

Crete, Koinon of Crete, Vespasian, (A.D. 69-79), (AE 3.72g), AE 19, COS VIII = A.D. 77, obv. Vespasian laureate head right around traces of AYT KAI OYE YA TO H, rev. Artemis rushing right, holding bow and drawing arrow from quiver, (S.-, RPC II 12 (same dies), Svoronos, Numismatique 44). *Fine - very fine, dark green patina, very rare with a fascinating and charming reverse of Diana the Huntress. Very rare.*

\$150

Ex Spink & Sons, London with their ticket for £58, listed in the Numismatic Circular No. 30 (Feb. 1978) at £95.



4192*

Troas, Abydos, silver hemidrachm, (mid 4th century B.C.), (2.22g), obv. Apollo laureate head to left, rev. eagle standing to left, ABY and trident before, magistrate's name ΠΡΩΤΑΓΟΡΑΣ behind, (S.4012, BMC 31). *Toned, nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$250

Ex Fred Shore, USA, with his ticket (\$300) and Noble Numismatics Sale 86 (lot 3310).



4193*

Troas, Neandria, (4th century B.C.), silver obol, 8mm, (0.55g), obv. laureate head of Apollo to right, rev. ram standing to right within incuse square NEA N around, (S.4117, SNG Ash.1170, SNG Cop. 446, BMC 2 [p.73]). *Very fine or better, toned, very light porosity, rare.*

\$200

Ex CNG eSale 265, October 5, 2011, (lot 79) with ticket, coming from the estate of Thomas Bentley Cederlind.

4194

Ionian, Miletos, (c.530-510 B.C.), silver twelfth stater or obol, (each about 1 gram), obv. forepart of lion and legs to right or left, rev. star ornament within incuse square, (S.3532, cf.BMC 14). *Fine - very fine, several off centred or broken.* (4)

\$200



4195*

Ionian, Miletos, silver drachm, (c.350-325 B.C.), Lenaios, magistrate, obv. laureate head of Apollo left, rev. lion standing left, looking back at star with eight rays, MI (civic) monogram to left, AHNAIOΣ in exergue, (S.4502, Deppert-Lippitz Series II, 115-124, Berry Coll. 64, SNG Cop. -). *Toned, very fine and rare.*

\$750

Ex Spink America Auction Sale, December 7, 1999 (lot 657 part). Similar examples of the same magistrate, in recent sales have been 750 SFr, 750 US and 750 Euros.



4196*

Ionian, Teos, (540-478 B.C.), silver tetartemorium, (0.21g), obv. Griffin head to right, rev. incuse square of rough form, (S.-, Balcer [SNR 1968, Vol.47], Group XXXIII No.80 obv. die A.80, rev. die P110, cf.ACNAC Rosen 603-4). *Good very fine and very rare.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 61 (lot 2642).



4197*

Ionian or Lycia, uncertain mint, (c.550-500 B.C.), silver trihemibol (1.07g), obv. head of a calf to left, with his neck truncation marked off by a band of pellets at neck and strong eye, rev. quadripartite incuse square. (S.-, cf.Rosen 376 for type, cf.CNG eSale 303 [lot 406], otherwise unpublished). *Very rare, with dark hoard patination, good very fine.*

\$300

Ex Florida Fun Show at Orlando, from Symthe, an ancient coin dealer at the show on January 11, 2003, with ticket.

Although unpublished, the style of the calf is very similar to that on the obverses of an electrum issue at Phokaia (cf.Bodenstedt em. 21).



4198*

Islands off Ionia, Chios, Pseudo-autonomous issue, 1st century AD, AE Assarion (3.65g), obv. Sphinx seated left, right forepaw raised, grape cluster left, N in exergue, rev. Chian amphora, ACCA PHON (cf.S.4613, SNG Cop.-, BM -, SNG von Aulock -). *Good very fine with black patina and some earthen highlights, extremely rare.*

\$600

Ex CNG eSale, Auction 252 (lot 262) March 23, 2011 (realised \$300). Usually with stars on reverse.



4199*

Island of Ionia, Samos, silver diobol, (499-495 B.C.), (1.11g), obv. lion scalp facing, rev. an epigraphic head and neck of an ox to left, within incuse square, (S.-, Barron Samian standard, p.177, Nos 1-6, Pl.I, HGC 6, 1202 [R2], BMC 26, examples known in Athens, Berlin and Vienna). *With hoard patination, otherwise nearly very fine and very rare.*

\$150

Ex CNG Mail Bid Sale 61, September 25, 2002 (lot 2756 part).

No examples listed in Coin Archives. An early example of diobol fraction from Samos.



4200*

Caria, Mylasa, (c.520-490 B.C.), silver stater, (10.76g), Persic standard, obv. forepart of roaring lion to left, dotted bar on shoulder, rev. incuse square pattern, (S.3575, SNG Kayhan 929, SNG von Aulock 2335-7, ACNAC Rosen 611, Konuk, Influences, pl. XXIX, 4 = Nanteuil 560, SNG Cop. 179). *About very fine assorted knocks and marks, very scarce.*

\$300

Ex Giessener Munzhandlung, Munich, auction March 9, 1999 (lot 1119 part). Apparently only known from a few coins. In descriptive flip.



4201*

Kings of Lydia, Sardes, time of Kroisos (Croesus), (564-539 BC), silver siglos (5.14g), obv. confronting foreparts of lion, facing right, and bull facing left, rev. two incuse punches (S.3420, BMC 41, Traite pl.10, 9, SNG von Aulock 2877). *Slightly granular surface, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$1,500

Ex Harlan J. Berk.



4202*

Lycia, Dynasts of, Uteveres, (c.460-440 B.C.), silver stater (8.27g), obv. forepart of a boar right, rev. diskos with a small appendage protruding from side, Lycian characters around all within an incuse square dotted border, (S., Traite 175, pl.93, 13, Babelon, Les Perses, 467, pl. 12, 6, Falgera 403, SNG Cop. Sup. 100, SNG von Aulock 8482). *Good very fine with moderate obverse porosity, overstruck on an earlier Lycian stater, but not readily identifiable, very rare.*

\$4,000

Ex CNG Mail bid Sale 60, May 22, 2002 (lot 832) with CNG Ticket. A similar example slightly better without overstrike in NAC Auction 126 (lot 249) realised 7000 Sfr.



4203*

Lycia, Dynast of Lycia, Kherei, silver tetrobol, uncertain mint, (c.410-390 B.C.), (2.11g), obv. helmeted head of Athena to right, rev. forepart of bull to right, traces of Lycian ethnic above, all within incuse square, (cf.S.5213, SNG Cop. Supp. 456, cf.Morkholm & Zahle II 33 (quarter stater) cf.S. Hurter, 'A New Lycian Coin Type: Kherei, Not Kuperlis,' INJ 14 (2000-2), pl. 2, 8, cf.Triton XVI, lot 508 = Triton VII, lot 283, for staters). *Toned, good very fine and extremely rare.*

\$400

Ex Florida Fun Show at Orlando from Smythe, a US ancient Coin Dealer on January 11, 2003 for US\$300 with his ticket.

No examples listed in Coin Archives or other sources consulted.



4204*

Phrygia, Laodicea ad Lycum, Tiberius, (14-37 A.D.), AE19, Pythes, son of Pythes, magistrate, obv. ΣΕΒΑΣ ΤΟΣ, bare head right, possibly Augustus or Tiberius, rev. downwards to right ΠΥΘΗΣ/ΠΥΘΟΥ, to left ΛΑΟΔΙΚΕΘΝ, Zeus Laodiceus standing to left, holding eagle and sceptre, a pilei of the Dioscuri to left and [right], (S.90, RPC I 2901, SNG Cop.550, BMC 138-9, Weber 7137, SNG Lewis 1600, from the R.C. Lockett Sale 21-3, February 1961 [lot 2922 part]). *Good very fine, brown patina, rare.*

\$250

Ex CNG Triton III, November 30, December 1, 1999 (lot 1668 part), coming from the Cornelius C. Vermeule III Collection, sold for the benefit of the Classical Department of the Boston Museum of Fine Arts, previously from the Richard Cyril Lockett Collection, Part XII sold in Glendining & Co, London, 21-23 February, 1961 (lot 2922 part); also coming from an earlier collection with early 20th century detailed ticket (cost 4/6).



4205*

Pisidia, Selge (c.325-250 BC), silver stater, (10.58g), obv. two wrestlers grappling, slinger standing right, club to right, triskeles above (cf. S.5477, Weber 7424). *Well centred strike, nearly extremely fine.*

\$1,400

Ex Harlan J. Berk.



4206*

Cilicia, Soloi, (c.410-380 B.C.), silver stater, (8.54g), obv. head of Athena wearing crested Athenian helmet to right, ornamented with a griffin rushing right on the bowl, dotted border, rev. bunch of grapes on a short stalk, all within incuse diamond area with an internal dotted border, around and outside flat area, ΣΟΛΙ, (S.5606, Casabonne type 4, Babelon Traite 1419 = De Luynes 2783, BMC 15, cf.SNG France II, 168 [same obverse die], cf.SNG Von Aulock 5864). *Toned with a particularly nice reverse, good very fine/extremely fine and very rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Ponterio & Associats Sale #121 (lot 0156), August 8 2002. Only one example from Coin Archives for same dies (Nomos Obolos 20 [lot 224]). A similar example in our Sale 130 (lot 4266) realised \$1100 (July 2022).



4207*

Cilicia, Seleukeia on the Kalykadnos, (1st century B.C.), AE 26, (16.46g), obv. helmeted bust of Athena to right, ΔΙΟ behind upwards, rev. Nike advancing left, holding wreath and palm branch behind, to left downwards [Σ]ΕΛΕΥΚΕ[ΩΝ], and ΚΑΕ to left downwards, (cf.S.5591, SNG Levante 919 Pl.58 [This Coin], SNG France 963, SNG von Aulock -). *Toned, brown patination, nearly very fine, rare.*

\$200

Ex Edoardo Levante Collection, sold in CNG Mail Bid Sale 66, 19 May 2004 (lot 717) with CNG ticket.



4208*

Cilicia, Tarsos, (c.420-410 B.C.), silver stater, 18mm, (10.48g), obv. horseman riding to left, holding flower, rev. archer kneeling to right, drawing bow, tree to left, monogram to right, all within dotted square within incuse square, (S.5630, cf. Casabonne Type D [unlisted variety], SNG BN -, SNG Levante -, SNG von Aulock -, NAC 2, [lot 218], same reverse die. *Large test cut struck from a worn obverse die, otherwise very fine and extremely rare.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 138, lot 2896 previously Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 136, lot 2610.

Also CNG eSale 459 (lot 305) 8 January 2020 and from the Asher D. Atchick Collection, acquired from CNG eSale 435 (lot 123), 2 January 2019 for US\$360. With tickets.



4209*

Cappadocia, Kingdom of, Ariobarzanes III Eusebes Philoromaioi, (52-42 B.C.), silver drachm (3.55g), Eusebia under Mt. Argaios, RY 9, (44/3 B.C.) obv. diademed and bearded head of Ariobarzanes III facing right, rev. Athena standing front, head left, holding Nike in right hand and shield and spear in left, star and crescent to left, monogram to right, (S.7302, HGC 7: 854). *Fine.*

\$80

Ex Goldberg Sale 75 (lot 2667 part) with original owner's ticket.



4210*

Syria, Kingdom of, Seleucos I, (312-280 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.03g), Seleucia on Tigris mint first workshop, issued c.300-290 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, monogram to left, to right ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ, in exergue [B]ΑΣΙΛΕ[ΩΣ], (cf. S.6829, SC 117.4a, Newell ESM 25, Meydancikkale 2876-9, cf. SNG Israel (Spaer) I 121, HGC 9, 12i). *Lightly toned, extremely fine, and very scarce.*

\$1,200

Ex CNG private purchase c.2000 with ticket.



4211*

Syria, Kingdom of, Seleucos I, (312-280 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.05g), Ecbatana Mint workshop issued c.295-290 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, monogram to left under anchor with flukes upward, to right ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ, in exergue ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf. S.6831, SC 204.8b, Newell ESM 506, cf. Meydancikkale CH VIII, 308, Qazvin [ICGH 1796 = CH I, 58], HGC 9, 12ki). *Lightly toned, very fine, and very scarce.*

\$900

Ex CNG private purchase c.2000 with ticket.



4212*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos I (281-261 B.C.), in the name of Seleucus I Nikator, (312-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.96g), Susa Mint first workshop, struck c.300-281 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right, wearing lion skin headdress, rev. Zeus Aetophoros seated left, holding eagle and sceptre, in left field monogram, monogram under throne, to right ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ, below in exergue ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, line border, (cf. S.6829, SC 399.7, ESM 351, Houghton CSE 1039 [same obverse die], HGC 9, 125). *Toned, good very fine, very rare.*

\$900

Ex CNG December 4, 1997 private purchase.



4213*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos I, (280-261 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.70g), Antioch Mint. obv. diademed head to right with dotted border, rev. Apollo seated left on omphalos, holding arrow and bow; ΠΙΟ monogram outer left, ΑΙ monogram in exergue, to the left ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, to the right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (S.6866, SC 335.2, Le Rider, Antioche 6 (A1/P3, this coin), WSM 937). *Toned, nearly extremely fine/good very fine, very rare.*

\$1,500

Ex CNG Mail bid Auction 64, (September 24, 2003), lot 378, coming from the Arthur Houghton Collection, previously from Superior Galleries, Sale 58 (11 June 1986), lot 1244.

Lot includes CNG ticket.



4214*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos II Theos, (261-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.96g), Lysimachia Mint, issued 261-246 B.C., obv. diademed head of Antiochos II to right, rev. Apollo Delphios seated to left on omphalos, holding arrow and bow, on right, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ and to left ANTIOXOY, to left two monograms above each other, (cf.S.6886, SC 483.8, Newell WSM 1630, HGC 9, 238a). *Light golden grey patination, worn obverse die, good very fine/nearly extremely fine, very rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Heritage Auctions (lot 50088), January 7, 2007.



4215*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos II, (261-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.02g), Series I, Sardes Mint, issued 261-250 B.C., obv. diademed head of elderly Antiochos I to right in high relief, rev. Apollo seated left on omphalos, holding arrow and bow, on right, [B]ΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ and to left ANTIOXOY, in exergue ΑΣ ΑΝ, (cf.S.6886, SC 518.1, Newell WSM 1385, BMC [Num.Chron.1917, p.23 Pl.iii,4 same dies], Pozzi sale 2936-7, same obverse die, HGC 9, 236f). *Old dark tone, good very fine/good fine, scarce.*

\$1,200

Ex Spink & Son, London, December 20, 1994, subsequently offered in Noble Numismatics Auction 61 (lot 2658).

Newell notes a total of 3 tetradrachms of this type in all public and private collections surveyed.



4216*

Syria, Kingdom of, Seleucos II, (246-226 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.76g), Series IV, Antioch on Orontes Mint, issued 228-226/5 B.C., obv. diademed head of Seleucos II to right, dotted border, rev. Apollo standing to left, holding arrow and leaning on tripod, on right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ, to left and right monograms, (cf.S.6896, SC 690a, Newell WSM 1021, SNG Israel (Spaer) -, BMC 5, Babelon 255, HGC 9, 303p). *High relief, bright, some minor porosity, otherwise nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Freeman & Sear USA, December 2003, coming from the "Seleucid Hoard" c.2003.

Newell notes a total of 5 tetradrachms of this type some in public collections.



4217*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos Hierax 'the Hawk', (245-227 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.10g), Lampsakos Mint, issued 241-228/7 B.C., obv. diademed head right of Antiochos Hierax, plain border, rev. Apollo Delphios seated left on omphalos, holding an arrow, and resting on bow, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ to left ANTIOXOY, bee in exergue, (cf.S.6920 var., SC 852.1 [This Coin type Illustrated Pl.39], Newell WSN 1548 (three noted for type), Houghton ANSMN 23 dies A5 transferred from Abydus, North West Asia Hoard 1929 [ICGH 1370], HGC 9, 403c [R2] same dies as illustration). *Lightly toned, nearly extremely fine, very rare.*

\$2,500

Ex Gemini, New York, Auction Sale XI (lot 237) January 12, 2014, lot includes descriptive ticket in a flip with Gemini ticket.



4218*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos III Megas, (222-187 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.04g), Uncertain mint in Southern or Eastern Syria (SC) (Damascus or Ecbatana suggested) (WSM Newell) Mint, issued from 202 B.C., obv. head of Antiochos III to right, with diadem, with diadem ends falling straight behind, ΔΙ behind, rev. Apollo seated to left, on omphalos, holding arrow and resting on bow, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ANTIOXOY, control letters in exergue ΔΙ, (cf.S.9933, SC 1109.2, ESM 605, HGC 9, 447y). *Golden patination in places, good very fine/extremely fine, very rare.*

\$2,000

Ex Spink & Sons London, December 20, 1994 with their descriptive priced ticket. Note a very detailed discussion on the ΔΙ issue in SC p.420-421.



4219*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos IV, (175-164 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.91g), Series 3, Antioch on the Orontes Mint, issued 168-164 B.C., obv. diademed head of Antiochos IV to right, dotted border, rev. Zeus seated left on throne, holding Nike, on right, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ANTIOXOY, to left ΘΕΟΥ ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ, in exergue ΝΙΚΗΦΟΡΟΥ, (cf.S.6976-7, SC 1400.c, Morkholm 16 [(A31-P-), SMA 67, HGC 9, 620a). *Light patination, nearly very fine, a variety type.*

\$600

Ex UBS Auction Sale 49, 11 September 2000 (lot 301).



4220*

Syria, Kingdom of, Demetrius I, (162-150 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.49g), Antioch Mint, issued in Seleucid era 160 = 153-152 B.C., obv. diademed head of Demetrius to right, rev. Tyche seated to left with leg of throne in form of a winged monster, holds sceptre and cornucopiae, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ, monogram in exergue of ΞΡ, (S.7014, SC 1641.5c, SMA Newell 111, SNG Israel 1274, BMC 8, HGC 9, 798). *Toned good very fine, scarce.*

\$750

Ex Fred Shore USA, January 22, 1997 private purchase.



4223*

Syria, Kingdom of, Alexander II, (128-123 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.22g), Uncertain mint in Northern Syria, issued 128-123 B.C., undated, obv. diademed head of Alexander II to right, fillet border, rev. Zeus seated to left on throne holding Nike and sceptre, on right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ to left ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to left monograms of ΧΙΑ, under throne ΑΒ, (cf.S.7115, SC 2246, Newell SMA -, SNG Israel I (Spaer) -, cf.ACNAH Houghton -, HGC 9, 1149f [R2]). *Extremely fine and very rare.*

\$2,500

Ex Spink & Sons, London, from John Pett, private purchase December 24, 2002. Lot includes Spink ticket.



4221*

Syria, Kingdom of Seleukid, Alexander I Balas, (152-145 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.63g), Antioch Mint, dated SE 164 (149-8 B.C.). diademed head of Alexander I Balas right, rev. Zeus Nikephorous seated left, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΥΣ ΜΕΣΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right, ΘΕΟΠΑΤΟΙΟ ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΟΥ Ε to left, ΔΞΡ in exergue (S 1784.4b, HGC 9: 875a). *Obverse struck slightly off centre, lightly golden toned in devices, nearly extremely fine.*

\$800

Ex CNG eSale 264 (lot 255).



4224*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos VIII, (121-96 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.54g), Antioch mint, first reign, issued 121-113 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 ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ and ANTIOXOY and to left ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ, to left IE over A, to right, between figure and inscription N, (cf.S.7142, SC 2298.2e, Newell SMA 367, SNG von Post 597 [This Coin], BMC 10, SNG Spaer 2495, HGC 9, 1197e). *Delightful patination of gold and blue, good extremely and very rare in this condition.*

\$2,000

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 56 (lot 1900), previously from Sotheby's London 9-10 October 1995 (lot 226 part) coming from the von Post Collection.

4222

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos VII Euergetes (Sidetes), (138-129 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.39g), Tyre Mint, issued 131-130 B.C., obv. diademed head of Antiochos VII to right, fillet border, rev. Athena standing to left, holding Nike to left in left hand, right hand on shield with Medusa head and holding spear, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ANTIOXOY, and to left ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΟΥ, to left monogram on club with IEP ΑΣΥ either side, in Exergue ΒΠΡ = 182 (SE) = 131-130 B.C., (S.7091, SC 2107.5, CSE Houghton 765, SNG Spaer 2078, Newell Tyre 193, HGC 9, 1067q [R1-2]). *Toned, extremely fine, very rare.*

\$1,800

Ex Fred Shore, USA, January 22, 1997, private purchase.



4225*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos IX, (113-95 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.41g), Antioch Mint, first rule in Antioch 113-112 B.C., obv. diademed bearded head of Antiochos IX to right, fillet border, rev. Athena standing to left, holding wreath bearing Nike in outstretched hand, all within laurel wreath, on right, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ANTIOXOY and to left ΦΙΛΟΠΑΤΟΡΟΣ, to left monogram of T N over A, N to right, (S.7160, SC 2363b, Newell SMA 384, SNG Von Post 601, SNG Spaer [Israel I] 2679, HGC 9, 1228i). *Nearly very fine and very scarce.*

\$700

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 68 (lot 1943).



4226*

Syria, Kingdom of, Seleucos VI, (95-94 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.00g), Seleucia on the Calycadnus Mint, obv. diademed head of Seleucos VI to right, fillet border, rev. Athena standing to left, holding wreath bearing Nike in hand and other hand on shield and holding a spear, palm branch to left, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ to left ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ ΝΙΚΑΤΟΡΟΣ to left, inner left field ΑΛΕΙΣΙ, (S.7092 [£450], SC 2403, Houghton (Kraay Morkholm Essays), Group 5, obverse die A5, reverse die P7, [same dies], SNG Cop. 418 [same dies], HGC 9, 1265 [R2]). *Good very fine, very rare.*

\$1,000

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 59 (lot 1931).



4227*

Syria, Kingdom of, Philip I Philadelphos, (c.95/4-76/5 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.89g), uncertain mint in Cilicia, likely Tarsos, issued 94/3-88/7 B.C., obv. diademed head of Philip I to right with fillet border, rev. [B]ΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ – ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ / ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥΣ Zeus seated left, holding Nike in his right hand and long sceptre in his left, to outer left and below throne, monograms; in inner left field, monogram; all within laurel wreath, (cf.S.7196, SC 2460b, SMA 456, HGC 9, 1316 [R1]). *Lightly polished, light golden patination, otherwise, good extremely fine and rare.*

\$800



4228*

Syria, under Roman governor Aulus Gabinius (57-55 B.C.), in name of and imitation of Philip I Philadelphos, (89-83 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.23g), Antioch on the Orontes Mint, obv. diademed head of Philip I to right, fillet border, rev. Zeus seated left on throne, holds Nike with wreath in outstretched hand, and sceptre all within laurel wreath, on right, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, and to left ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ traces of ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥΣ, to left XAB monogram, (S.7214, Newell Num. Chron. 1919, No.1 [p.87], ANSMN 5 [1952] 55f., RPC 4124, HGC 9, 1356 [R1]). *Lightly patinated, extremely fine and rare.*

\$900

Ex CNG Mail Auction Sale 51 (lot 981) September 15, 1999.



4229*

Seleukis and Pieria, Laodicea ad Mare, (78/7-17/6 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.05g), dated CY 24 (58/57 B.C.). obv. veiled, draped, and turreted bust of Tyche right, rev. Zeus Nikephoros seated left, ΔΚ (date) in inner left field, AK monogram reversed below throne, ΞΩ in exergue, all within wreath, (S.5874, Morkholm (MN 28, 1983, Autonomous 14a, HGC 9, 1398). *Very fine with need for cleaning on the reverse, toned, rare date.*

\$300

Ex Malter Galleries, Encino CA, USA, Auction, August 19, 1995 (lot 1059), with earlier auction ticket.



4230*

Phoenicia, Sidon, (time of Baalshallim I-Ba'ana, c.425-402 B.C.), silver half shekel (6.41g), obv. Phoenician galley to left before city walls with four crenellated towers, in exergue, two lions prancing in opposite directions, rev. Persian Great King standing to right, holding a dagger with his right hand and grasping, with his left hand, the head of a lion standing rampant to left, all within a shallow incuse square, (S.5931 [£650], Betlyon 9, Elayi & Elayi 275-349, Rouvier 1085. *Very well reverse otherwise fine/extremely fine and very rare.*

\$1,000

Ex Gorny & Mosch, Munich, Auction sale October 11, 1993 (lot 936).



4231*

Phoenicia, Tyre, uncertain king, (c.425-394 B.C.), silver shekel (13.56g), obv. Melkart, holding bow in extended left hand and reins in right, riding hippocamp right, below, waves above dolphin right, rev. owl standing right, head facing left, crook and flail diagonally in background, (S.5912, E&E-T Group II.1.1.1.a, 288, Betlyon 17, Rouvier 1788, HGC 10, 315, BMC 19-22). *Toned, edge cut, some porosity, very fine and very rare.*

\$1,800

Ex CNG Auction Sale 50 (lot 937) June 23 1999 with CNG ticket.



4232*

Palestine, Gaza, (Mid 5th - late 4th century BC), silver drachm (3.70g). obv. bearded male head right, rev. facing head of Bes, test cut down centre (Gitler & Tal VI 13D). *Toned with rainbow highlights, slight surface roughness, good very fine and very rare.*

\$1,500

Ex Patrick H.C. Tan Collection.

Ex CNG 90, lot 742.



4233*

Palestine, Judaea, Hasmonean king, Mattathias Antigonus, (40-37 B.C.), AE 25, copper eight prutah, Jerusalem Mint, (12.70g), obv. double cornucopiae, Hebrew inscription, "Mattatayah the high priest and Council of the Jews", rev. wreath with partial inscription within [ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΝΤΙΓΟΝΟΥ], (S.6103, H.1162 [481], Meshorer 36, HGC 10, 646). *Rough green patination, very fine and rare.*

\$250

Ex Dr Lawrence D. Sporty Collection, from CNG eSale 384, October 12, 2016 (lot 329) with ticket.



4234*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Mithradates II, (121-91 B.C.), silver drachm, (4.14g), obv. silver diademed and draped bust of Mithradates II facing left, wearing tiara with ear flap, decorated with eight pointed star, rev. archer in Parthian dress enthroned and facing right, bow in outstretched right hand (S.7372, Sellwood 28.3, Shore 97). *Hoard deposits in devices, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$150



4235*

Kings of Parthia, Gotarzes II, (40-51 A.D.), silver drachm, (2.97g), bearded bust of Gotarzes II left, wearing tiara, rev. king seated, facing right, holding bow in right hand (Sellwood 65/30). *Good fine, nearly very fine.*

\$100



4236*

Parthia, Vonones II, (c.A.D. 51), silver drachm, Ecbatana Mint, (3.26g), obv. short bearded bust facing, wearing tiara, with lateral motif a horn, stars either side very low over shoulder, rev. archer enthroned to right, mint mark below, (S.5797, Sell.67.1). *Toned, very fine, scarce.*

\$100

Ex Dr V.J.A. Flynn Collection.



4237*

Parthia, Vologases I, (A.D. 51-78), silver drachms, (3.50 and 3.48g), Ecbatana Mint, obv. large size bust wearing a diadem to left with square cut straight beard, hair in five separate waves, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, monogram AT and dot, (S.5801, Sellwood 70.13, Shore 373). *Toned, good very fine/very fine, both scarce. (2)*

\$200

Ex Dr V.J.A.Flynn Collection.



4238*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Pacorus I, (78-120 A.D.), silver drachm, (3.58g), obv. bearded and draped bust of Pacorus I, wearing earrings and diadem with three bands, rev. archer enthroned, facing right, in Parthian dress, bow in right hand (S.7462, Sellwood 78.6). *Surface roughness and scratches on the reverse, otherwise nearly very fine.*

\$100

These issues are also attributed to Vologases III.



4239*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Vologases III, (c.A.D. 105-147), silver drachm, (2.82g), Ecbatana Mint, obv. medium size bust wearing a diadem to left with short square triangular pointed long beard, hair in three waves, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, monogram AT and dot, (cf.S.5831, Sellwood 78.3, Shore 413). *Toned, good very fine/very fine.*

\$160

Ex Hans Ferdinand Collection, previously from Max Stern, Melbourne, February 1971.



4240*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Mithradates II (c.123-88 B.C.), silver drachm, (3.81g), Ecbatana Mint, obv. long bearded bust to left wearing tiara, star in centre, rev. archer seated right on throne, five line inscription, (S.7372, Sellwood 28.3, Shore 97) (illustrated); Orodes I, (90-77 B.C.) silver drachm, (3.88g), 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). *Toned, very fine - nearly extremely fine and scarce.* (2)

\$260

First coin ex CNA Sale XII, lot 478. Second, CNA Sale VIII, lot 152. With tickets.



4241*

Sassanian, Shapur I, (A.D. 241-272), silver drachm, (4.00g), mint I (Ctesiphon), obv. "The Mazda worshipper, the divine Shahpur, the king of kings of Iran who is descended from the Gods" in Pahlavi, crowned and cuirassed bust right, wearing diadem and mural crown with ear flap and korymbos, rev. "Fire of Shahpur" in Pahlavi (crude), fire altar with attendants wearing mural crowns, (Sellwood 12, SNS Type IIc/1a. Karlsson D4, Gobl I/1. cf.Sunrise 741). *Good very fine.*

\$240



4242*

Sassanian, Yazdgerd I, (A.D. 399-420), silver drachm, (4.19g), probably AS (Isfahan) Mint, obv. bust to right with crown with korymbos, crescent on crown, rev. fire altar flanked by two attendants with swords, (cf.Sellwood 41, Gobl 147, type 1/1 (Pl.8), cf.SNS 376, 1b1/13a [Pl.35]). *Bright, nearly extremely fine, scarce.*

\$180

Ex S.J.Green Collection. Previously Noonans Auction 182, lot 560.



4243*

Arab-Sasanian, Umayyad Caliphate, style of Sasanian, Khusru II (A.D. 590 - 627), silver drachm, (3.95g), Darabgird Mint, dated year 31 (A.D. 621), with word "praise" in outer margin, (cf.Walker alpha [p.2] Plate I, alpha, cf.M.21, Sellwood type 62, Gobl 214). *Very fine, scarce.*

\$150

Ex Dr V.J.A.Flynn Collection.



4244*

Sassanian King, Khusru (Husrav) II, (A.D. 590-628), RY 26, silver drachm, (3.49g), mint of NIH (Nihavand), obv. text in Pahlavi, mural crown with frontal crescent, two wings and star in crescent, ribbons and crescents on shoulders, star and crescents on three sides of outer two rings of border, rev. "Fire of Shahpur" in Pahlavi, fire altar flanked by two attendants, star and crescent to left and right flanking flames, stars and crescents around the three outer rings, (Sellwood 65, Gobl type II/3, cf.illustration 213). *Toned, nearly very fine.*

\$100



4245*

Arab-Sassanian Coinage, Khusro type, in the name of Zivād b. Abi Sufyan (AH 45-54, AD 665-673), silver drachm, (31mm), (3.99g), DA (Darabjird) Mint, frozen date AH 43, obv. crowned Sasanian-style bust right; bism allh in margin, rev. fire altar flanked by attendants, star and crescent flanking flames, (Album 8, cf.SACA 1, 239-240 [year 43], Wilkes ICC 7). *Irregular patination nearly extremely fine, scarce.*

\$200

Ex Dr L.J. Sherwin Collection, bought from CNG Mail bid Sale 41 19 March 1997 (lot 2672 part).

Frozen date of 43 misread in CNG sale as 41.



4246*

Babylonia, Alexandrine Empire, uncertain satraps of Babylon, probably struck by Seleucus I, (c.328-311 B.C.), silver tetradrachm (15.88g), obv. Baal seated left, holding sceptre, Dotted border, rev. lion walking left on base line, tip of tail between legs, above a pentagram, (cf.S.6147, Mitchiner Vol.1 type 8a, [p.14], H. Nicolet-Pierre 5 (Essays Le Rider, Pl.28, 50, SNG Cop.265, Weber 8201, ACNAC Dewing 2677, BMC 39-41, McClean 9564). *Very fine/ extremely fine, rare.*

\$2,000

Ex Spink America, Auction Sale, June 1, 1997 (lot 584 part).

Lot includes detailed collector's ticket.



4247*

Sogdiana, Bukhara, local issue, (6th-8th centuries A.D., Mitchiner c.700 A.D.), billon drachm, (2.49g), imitating Merv Mint drachm of Sasanian King Bahram V, obv. crowned bust right, Bokharan legend around, rev. Fire altar with attendants and ribbon and crude crowned bust of Bahram right superimposed upon altar, (Mitchiner ACW 1395 [same dies], Zeimal fig. 1, 10-12; Walker, Arab-Sasanian, pp. 166, [Pl.XXIX, 5]). *Worn and fine as usual, rare.*

\$100

Ex Jon Baker, Canberra from Noble Numismatics sale 83 lot 3587 part.

Mitchiner assigns the issue to the Islamic period under Caliph Al Mahdi AH 158-169, A.D. 770-785. The Caliph's name is read behind the bust.



4248*

Arabia, Sabaeans and Himyarites, (c.3rd Century B.C.), silver drachm, (5.18g), obv. helmeted head of Athena to right, Figure N on cheek, rev. owl standing right, head facing, olive branch and crescent before, AΘE to right downwards, (S.6112, SNG ANS 1456, Babelon, Traité 1114, pl. CXXVI, 9, BMC Arabia pg. 45, 14., SNG ANS 1456). *Very fine.*

\$200

Ex Spink, London c.1995.

The weight is based on a Persian siglos although it is imitating an Athenian drachm.



4249*

Egypt, Kingdom of, Ptolemy II, Philadelphos, (283/2-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Joppa Mint, struck year 35 = 251/250 B.C., (13.75g), obv. diademed head of Ptolemy I to right, dotted border, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left monogram, around [ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ] ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ, M/T in left field, AE/Θ in right field (cf.S.7772, CPE 277, Sv.548 [Pl.xiv,2]). *Toned, very fine/good fine and a rare mint.*

\$500

Ex David Hendon, USA on December 8, 1994 from his list 47 No. 107. With detailed description on a ticket in a flip and includes Hendin ticket.



4250*

Egypt, Ptolemy III, AE hemidrachm (35.88g), Alexandria Mint, obv. diademed head of Zeus-Ammon right, rev. eagle standing on thunderbolt left, Chi-rho between legs, cornucopias to left (S.7187, SNG Cop 176). *Minor encrustations in devices, brown patina, good fine.*

\$80

Ex Peter Olorenshaw Collection with his display box and catalogue clippings.



4251*

Egypt, Kingdom of, Ptolemy IX Soter and Cleopatra III, (116-106 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Alexandria Mint, struck year 3 = 115-114 B.C., (14.64g), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left LG, to right ΠΑ, around ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, (S.7921, Sv.1663 [Pl.LVII, 4]), cf. Cop.348-9, BMC 13). *Grey patination, very fine or better and very scarce.*

\$600

Ex Spink & Sons, December 10, 1998 by private purchase.



4252*

North Africa, Carthage, (5th-4th centuries B.C.) AE16, (2.98g), obv. head of Tanit to left, rev. horse facing right, palm tree behind (cf. S.6514/15, Muller 232b). *Very fine.*

\$80

Private purchase from Gardner Gallery with their ticket.



Part

4253*

Ancient coins, Greek and Roman, Macedon, Philip II, (358-336 B.C.), obv. head of Apollo right, rev. horseman (cf. S.6696); Roman, Antoninus Pius, (136-161 A.D.) AE dupondius, obv. bust facing right, wearing radiate crown, rev. Salus holding spear and feeding snake (RIC 668, S.4283); Roman Provincial, Septimius Severus, (193-211 A.D.), Petra, obv. laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right, coutermark to right, rev. Tyche seated on rocks, facing left, holding trophy, within distyle shrine (c.f. Sofaer 33, Rosenberger 21, possibly an imitative issue?); Elagabalus, (218-222 A.D.), Petra, obv. laureate and draped bust to right, rev. founder ploughing field to right with pair of oxen (SNG ANS 1374); plus an unidentified fourth century AE, and three tourist copies of a Syracuse dekadrachm, Athens tetradrachm, and Ptolemaic drachm. *Fine - very fine.* (8)

\$200

4254

Ancient Greek Cities, from 350 B.C. to Roman Provincial of the 3rd century, a mixed group of AE 15-28, most probably identifiable struck for various cities, mostly from cities in Greece and Turkey. *Good - very fine.* (16)

\$200

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4255*

Augustus, (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), AE dupondius or sestertius (by weight), struck in Gaul at the Nemausus Mint, issued after 16-15 B.C - 10 B.C., (AE 30, 24.55g), obv. head of Agrippa to left wearing rostral crown and wreath, bare head of Augustus to right back to back, above IMP below traces of DIVI F, dotted border, rev. COL NEM on either side of palm-shoot, chained crocodile to right below, wreath above, (S.1728, RPC 522, RIC 155). *Very fine, slightly off centred both sides, and extremely rare this heavy.*

\$500

Ex Baldwins London with priced ticket £100 noted as a sestertius?

Sear notes the dupondius weighs about 16.75 g., and Baldwin suggest to be this heavy it should be a sestertius?



4256*

Moesia Inferior, Tomis, Severus Alexander, (A.D. 222-235), AE 25, (10.79g), obv. Severus Alexander laureate draped and cuirassed bust right, around AVT K MAP CEY ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΙΟΣ, rev. Zeus seated to left, holding patera and long sceptre, around ΜΗΤΡΟΠΙΟ Ν ΤΟΥΤΟ, ΜΕΩC in exergue, (S.-, cf.BMC 39, SNG Munich -, AMNG 3145, Mion. Vol.2 Sup., No.807 [p.196]). *Dark patina, nearly very fine, weak in places and very rare for this reverse.*

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 95 (lot 5235).



4257*

Macedon, Koinon of Macedon, Severus Alexander, (222-235 A.D.), (12.42g), AE 26, Beroea Mint, obv. diademed head of Alexander the Great right, around ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, dotted border, rev. warrior standing facing, head left, holding reverted spear and parazonium, around ΜΑΚΕΔΟΝΩΝ ΒΝ, dotted border, (S.-, AMNG III 517). *Deeply toned, some surface pitting, nearly very fine and very rare.*

\$250

Ex Dr Hugh Preston Collection, Noble Numismatics Sale 135 (lot 4173), previously CNG Auction 423, June 27, 2018 (lot 234).

A rare example with Alexander the Great portrait on the obverse, the warrior on the reverse standing could be Alexander in his Macedonian military uniform.



4258*

Thessaly, Hadrian, (117-138 A.D.), AE 21, assarion, (5.32g), Nikomachos Strategos, issued 123-125, obv. laureate and draped bust of Hadrian to right, traces ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟΝ ΚΑΙCΑΡΑ ΘΕCΣΑΛΟΙ around, rev. Athena Itonia standing to right with spear and shield, monogram for Strategos OX NIK OMAXOY around, (S.1127, Rogers 90, Burren Emission 1, BCD Triton XV 952, BMC 77). *Very fine, very scarce.*

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics stock with a detailed priced ticket.



4261*

Cappadocia, Caesarea, Marcus Aurelius, (A.D. 161-180), silver didrachm, (5.35g), issued 161-166, obv. laureate cuirassed bust of Marcus Aurelius to right, around ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡ ΜΑΡΚΟΥ ΑΥΡΕΛΙΟΥ, rev. Mt. Argaeus surmounted by Helios, globe in right hand sceptre in left, around ΥΠΕΡΒΟΛΕΩΝ, (S.1661, BMC 169, Syd. 325-6, Metcalf 129f, SNG von Aulock 6432). *Toned, very fine.*

\$150

Ex Dr V.J.A. Flynn Collection, previously purchased from Baldwins London with priced ticket.



4259*

Troas, Alexandria, Valerian, (A.D. 253-260), AE 19, (4.88g), obv. Valerian bust to right, around IMP LIC VALERIAN, rev. spread eagle head to left, standing on bull's head, around COL AVG TRO, (cf.S.4555, Bellinger A440, BMC 163, SNG Cop. 195); Cilicia, Hierapolis- Kastabala, Macrinus (A.D. 217-218), AE 18, (8.11g), obv. laureate head of Macrinus to right, around AVT K M OΠ CE MAKPINOC CEB, rev. Victory walking to left with wreath, around IEΠOΠ KAC TABAΛEΩ N, (S.-, SNG Levante 1593, Dupont-Sommer et Robert "La Deesse de Hierapolis Castabala [Cilicia], No.38 [p.76], Waddington 4332). *Very fine, rare.* (2)

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics, Sale 86, (lot 3368 part), and Dr. Ralph DeMarco NJ, with their ticket for the first coin, 6-11, 1968 (lot 2923).



4260*

Phrygia, Aezanis, Caligula, (A.D. 41-54), AE17, (3.60g), obv. laureate head right, around, Γ ΚΑΙΧ ΧΕΒ ΓΕΡΜΑΝΙΚΟΧΙΟC, rev. draped bust of Artemis right, around ΑΙ ΖΑΝΙΤΩΝ ΕΠΙ ΠΡΑΧΙΜΕ (cf.S.393, RPC 3074, BMC 71). *Surface pitting, uneven toning, good fine and rare.*

\$100



4263*

Egypt, Alexandria, Hadrian (A.D. 117-138), billon tetradrachm, year 10 = A.D. 125-126, (13.27g), obv. Hadrian head with laureate head to right, around ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΟΡ ΑΔΡΙΑΝΟΥ, rev. Eirene standing left, holding corn-ears and caduceus, around ΛΑΕ ΚΑΤΟΥ, (S.-, Datt. 1365, Milne 1128, Emmett 838). *Attractively toned, good very fine and scarce.*

\$150



4264*

Egypt, Alexandria, Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), billon tetradrachm, (13.64g), dated RY 4 (AD 119/20), obv. laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right, seen from behind, rev. canopus of Osiris to right, L Δ across field, (S.-, Koln 784, Dattari 1316, Milne 940). *Deeply toned, good fine - nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$120



4265*

Egypt, Alexandria, Commodus, (AD 177-192), billon tetradrachm, (11.95g), dated RY 30 = AD 189/90, obv. laureate head right, legend around, rev. eagle standing right on thunderbolt, with wings spread; L Δ, (date) to right, (S.-, Koln 2245, Dattari (Savio) 3905; K&G 41.119, Emmett 2523.30). *Very fine or better, rare.*

\$120

Ex CNG eSale 264 (lot 333), September 21, 2011 lot includes CNG Auction ticket.



4266*

Egypt, Alexandria, Gordian III, (A.D. 238-244), billon tetradrachm, year 4 = A.D. 240-241, (13.79g), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust of Gordian III to right, around A K M AN ΓΟΡΔΙΑΝ OC EV C, rev. L Δ across, Homonoia right hand extended, holding double cornucopiae in left hand, (S.8848, Milne 3380, Cologne 2645, Dattari 4737). *Very fine/good very fine, scarce.*

\$100

Ex Baldwin and Son with their priced ticket (265), c.2000.