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ANCIENT GOLD COINS

GREEK



2228*
Lesbos, Mytilene, (454-427 B.C.), electrum hekte, (2.53 g),
 obv. young male head right wearing taenia, rev. archaic male
 head right, wearing long beard, within linear frame within
 incuse square, (S.-, Bodenstedt 52, SNG Cop 325, SNG Von
 A 7730, HGC 6 978). *Nearly extremely fine and rare.*
 \$1,500

Ex Forum Ancient Coins with ticket.



2229*
Mysia, Kyzikos, (c.500-475 B.C.), electrum stater (15.94
 g), obv. nude youth kneeling left, holding a tunny fish, rev.
 quadripartite incuse square, (cf.S.3480, Von Fritze I 112,
 Boston MFA 1487 = Warren 1502, SNG BN 253). *A few
 flan cracks, good fine or better and rare.*
 \$5,000

Ex CNG Auction 443, lot 79.



2230*
Anastasius I, (491-518), gold tremissis, (1.47g), Constantinople
 Mint, obv. diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right, D N
 ANASTASIVS PP AVG, rev. Victory advancing right, head
 left, holding wreath and globus cruciger, star in right field,
 CONOB in exergue (S.8, MIB 12, DOC I 10a). *Nearly
 extremely fine.*

\$1,000

Ex Hans Doctor Collection.



2231*
Justin I, (518-527 AD), gold solidus, Constantinople Mint,
 9th officina, struck 518-22 AD, obv. helmeted and cuirassed
 bust facing slightly right, holding spear and shield, D N
 IVSTINVS PP AVG, rev. VICTORIA AVGGG Θ, Victory
 standing left, holding staff surmounted by staurogram, star
 in left around, CONOB in exergue (SB.551, DOC 1g, MIB
 2). *Graffito on obverse, clipped, nearly extremely fine.*

\$1,000

In a slab by NGC as XF wrinkled (4284830-016).



2232*
Justinian I, (527-565 AD), gold solidus (4.44g),
 Constantinople Mint, obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust
 facing, holding globus cruciger and shield, D N IVSTINIAVS
 P P AVG, rev. Victory standing facing, holding long cross
 and globus cruciger, star in right field, VICTORIA AVCCC
 around, CONOB in exergue (S.139, MIB I 6, DOC I 8d).
Graffito on edges of obverse and reverse, good very fine.

\$1,000

Ex Hans Doctor Collection.



2233*

Justinian I, (527-65), gold tremissis, (1.26g), Constantinople Mint, obv. pearl diademed, draped, and cuirrassed bust right, D N IVSTINIANVS PP AVG rev. VICTORIA AVGVSTORVM, Victory advancing facing, wreath in right hand and globus cruciger in left (S.145). *Flan crack in centre, fine.*

\$300

Private purchase from Town Hall Coins and Collectables.



2234*

Phocas, (602-610 AD), gold solidus, (4.42 g), Constantinople Mint, officina A, obv. ON FOCAS PERP AVG, cuirrassed and draped bust facing, wearing crown without pendilia, holding globus cruciger, rev. VICTORIA AVGG A, angel standing facing, holding staff surmounted by staurogram and globus cruciger, CONOB in exergue (S.618, MIB II 7, DOC II 5c). *Striking weakness in parts of rim, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$1,000

Ex Hans Doctor Collection.



2235*

Heraclius, with Heraclius Constantine, (610-41 AD), gold solidus, (4.42g), Constantinople Mint, 1st officina, issued 616-25, obv. draped facing busts of Heraclius with short beard (left), and Heraclius Constantine who is smaller and beardless (right, both wearing crowns surmounted by cross in field above and between, dd NN HERACLIUS ET hERA CONST PP AV, rev. cross potent on three steps, VICTORIA AVGY A around, CONOB in exergue (SB.738, BMC 11, MIB 11-12). *Sandy adhesions, graffito on obverse between busts, very fine.*

\$1,000

GREEK SILVER & BRONZE

2236

Italy, Northern Lucania, Paestum, mid 1st century B.C. - 45 B.C., AE semis, 16mm, (5.43 g), obv. head of Herakles to right, wearing lion's skin headdress, [PAE monogram right], rev. club to right, Q CEP above, DEIIIITOL 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.



2237*

Bruttium, Rhegium, (c.415/10 - 387 BC), silver tetradrachm, (17.04 g), obv. lion's mask facing, rev. Laureate head of Apollo left, PHGINON (Herzfelder 103, HN III 2496). *Very attractive old cabinet tone, high relief on a dumpy flan, flan crack at 2 through edge yet does not affect fields, extremely fine and very rare.*

\$10,000



2238*

Sicily, Gela, (490-475 BC), silver didrachm, (8.79g), obv, bearded and nude horseman on horse prancing right, holding reins in left hand and spear in raised right hand, rev. forepart of a bearded manheaded bull charging right (the river god Gelas), C-E-A-A (S.713, Jenkins, Gela Group Ib, 8 [O5, R4], HGC 2 362, Buceti 8, SNG ANS 13, SNG Cop 256). *Attractive old cabinet tone, struck on an odd shaped flan, extremely fine.*

\$6,000



2239*

Sicily, Selinus, (467/5 BC), silver tetradrachm, (17.34g), obv. Slow quadriga driven left by Artemis, Apollo drawing a bow besides, ΣΕΛΙΝ-ΟΝΤΙ-ΟΟ, rev. Selinos standing left, holding phiale and laurel branch, cock to left standing before an altar, bull on pedestal to right, fig leaf above, ΣΕΛΙ-ΝΟ-Σ around (SNG ANS 691, SNG Lloyd 1222, BMC 25, HGC 2 1220). *Pleasant cabinet tone, extremely fine and scarce thus.*

\$7,000



2240*

Sicily, Syracuse, struck under Gelon I, (485-480 BC), silver tetradrachm (16.58g), obv. charioteer driving slow quadriga to right, Nike flying above crowning horses, rev. diademed head of Arethousa right, four dolphins around, ΣΥΡΑ-Κ-ΟΣ-ΙΟΝ (S.926; Boehringer 38-41, 46-7, 49; HGC 2 1306). *Nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$1,250

Ex Dr Colin C. Burnside Collection.



2241

Sicily, Syracuse, Philistis wife of Hieron II (275-215 B.C.), silver sixteen litrai, (12.82 g), 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

ΦΙΛΙΣΤΙΑΔΟΣ, 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/ extremely fine and rare.*

\$2,600

Ex Spink & Son 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.



2242*

Sicily, Siculo-Punic, (345-315 BC) silver tetradrachm, (17.11 g), Entella mint (?), obv. head of Arethousa left, wearing wreath of grain ears, triple pendant earrings and pearl necklace, dolphins around, rev. horse leaping left, date palm behind (Jenkins, Punic, Series 2d, 139 [O46, R125 same dies]; HGC 2 279, SNG Lockett 1036). *Attractive old cabinet tone with mint bloom in fields, extremely fine.*

\$10,000



2243*

Zeugitania, Carthage, (215-203 BC), hemidrachm or quarter shekel, (2.02g), Carthage Mint, obv. head of Tanit left, wreathed in corn, dotted border, rev. horse standing to right, line border (cf S.6499, SNG Cop 369, M.86, Visona 42). *Attractive cabinet tone, good very fine and scarce.*

\$500

Private purchase from Baldwin's London for £250, with their ticket.



2244*

Thrace (Black Sea Area), Apollonia Pontika, (400-350 B.C.), silver drachm, (1.25 g), obv. laureate head of Gorgoneion facing, rev. anchor, A to left, crayfish to right of anchor, (S.1657, SNG BMC 160-1, BMC 11 [Mysia]). Very fine - good very fine.

\$150



2245*

Thrace, Maroneia, (after 148 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.06 g), 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.

\$1,500

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



2246*

Thrace, Island off, Thasos, (c.early 5th century B.C.), silver stater, (8.84 g), obv. naked ithyphallic satyr (classical style) in kneeling running attitude carrying off nymph raising hand in protest, rev. quadripartite incuse square, (S.1746, BMC 24, McClean 4197, SNG Cop 1010, ACNAC Dewing 1322). Toned, flan crack at 12, otherwise very fine.

\$500

Ex Downies Auction 299 (lot 1965).



2247*

Thrace, Islands Off, Thasos (after 148 B.C.), silver tetradrachm (16.55g), obv. head of youthful Dionysus right, wearing ivy wreath, rev. Herakles standing left, holding club and lion skin, M to left, ΗΡΑΚΛΕΟΥΣ ΣΩΤΗΡΙΟΣ ΘΑΣΙΩΝ

to left, right, and below (HGC 6 359, S.1759, BMC 72). Lightly toned, nearly very fine.

\$400



2248*

Thrace, Island off Thrace, Thasos, (145-120 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.84 g), 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.

\$1,800

Ex Dennis Devine USA, December 4, 1999.



2249*

Thrace, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, issued after 281 B.C. about 160 B.C., Abydos Mint, (17.02 g), obv. Diademed head of Alexander the Great right wearing horn of Ammon, rev. Athena enthroned to left. holding Nike and resting left arm on shield; transverse spear resting against right side, on right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, cornucopiae to left, monogram to left and right in exergue, A eagle standing to right within A-BY also in exergue (cf. S.6814, Thompson -, M.-, Mektepini -, cf.CNG 102 [lot 397, same dies illustrated], HGC -). Lightly patinated, very large flan extremely fine and extremely rare.

\$3,100

Ex Freeman & Sear, USA, private purchase in June 2009. Lot comes with retail ticket. Coin type not present in all published hoards, Seyrig has cast 182.20 of the same dies.



2250

Macedon, Akanthos, silver tetrobol, (470-390 B.C.), (2.28 g), 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, light golden toning in recesses, nearly extremely fine.*

\$300

Ex CNG retail January 2012, with their ticket.



2251*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.92 g), Macedonian mint probably Amphipolis, issued 323-320 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, to left ΒΑΣ ΙΑΕΩΣ and monogram ΠΑΘ, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right, (cf.S.6713, Price 121, BMC 121a-e, M.860, SNG Munich 281, SNG Cop.686). *Very fine/ good very fine and scarce.*

\$600

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 111, lot 4490.



2252*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), AE 18, (5.96 g), 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 star to left above a bow in case below a club to left, in exergue a pellet, (S.6742, Price 380 variety, cf.BMC 378a-c-, Alpha Bank -, no specimen in ANS). *Delightful green earthen patina, extremely fine, very rare type.*

\$200

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



2253*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336- 323 B.C.), silver drachm (4.04 g), Abydos Mint, struck c.310-01 B.C., obv.

head of Herakles right, wearing lionskin headdress, rev. Zeus seated left, legs crossed, holding eagle in right hand, MY monogram in left field, I (archaic Z) beneath chair, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right (Price 1828, SNG Cop 994). *Bright, light golden toning in recesses, nearly extremely fine.*

\$400

Private purchase from Coin Craft London.



2254*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.92 g), Rhodes Mint, Ainetor Magistrate, issued c.201-190 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, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right, ΑΙΝΗΤΩΡ to left over rose, P O under throne, dotted border, (cf.S.6713, Price 2518, BMC 2518, Ashton 251, Kleiner Rhodes, Series XIII, HGC 6, 1455, M.1160, SNG Cop. 762). *Toned, nearly extremely fine and a rare type, mounted in a surround suspension mount.*

\$800

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 113 (lot 4835).



2255*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336 - 323 BC), bronze half unit, (3.71 g), Salamis mint, struck under Nikokreon c.323-315 BC, obv. Macedonian shield with Gorgoneion in centre, rev. Macedonian helmet, Β-Α above, caduceus below to left and NK monogram to right (Price 3162). *Dark green patina with earthy highlights in devices, good very fine.*

\$100



2256*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Philip III Arrhidaios, (323-317 BC), silver tetradrachm, (16.07g), Aradus Mint, obv. head of Herakles right, wearing lion skin headdress, rev. Zeus enthroned left, holding eagle and sceptre, monogram to left, archaic Z below throne, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ below throne, ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ to right (Price P142). *Toned, very fine.*

\$600



2257*

Macedon, Demetrios I Poliorketes, (306-283 B.C.), silver drachm, (4.17 g), 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 ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΥ, (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.



2258*

Macedon, Roman Protectorate, First Meris, (167 - 148 BC), silver tetradrachm, (16.70 g), obv. diademed and draped bust of Artemis right, bow and quiver over shoulder, in tondo of Macedonian shield, rev. club of Heracles right, ΜΑΚΕΔΟΝΩΝ ΠΡΩΤΗΣ above and below, ΣΗΑΤΡ monogram above, ΤΚΡ and ΜΥΩΩΤ monograms below, all within wreath with thunderbolt in left field (HGC 3 1103, SNG Ashmolean 3299, SNG Cop 1315). *Very fine.*

\$350

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2259*

Thessaly, Pelinna, (c.last quarter 5th century B.C.), silver trihemiobol, (1.46 g), 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.



2260*

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

\$800

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

2261

Attica, Aegina, (500-490 B.C.), silver stater, (12.07 g), 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 countermarks.*

\$600

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

Mando Caramessini-Oeconomides in discussing the 1970 Myrina Hoard in (Essays 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.



2262*

Attica, Athens, (470-65 BC), silver tetradrachm, (16.64g), 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.2520, HGC 2 1595; Starr Group IV). *Flan crack, test cut on reverse, very fine.*

\$600



2263*

Attica, Athens, silver hemiobol, (0.30 g), struck c. 485/80 BC, obv. helmeted head of Athena right, rev. ΑΘΕ, owl standing right, heading facing, olive spray to left (HGC 4 1679); silver obol, (0.72g), struck 400/390-294 BC, as above, (HGC 4 1666). *Struck on odd flans, obverses off centre, hoard patina, good very fine, scarce. (2)*

\$200



2264*

Attica, Athens, (454-04 BC), silver tetradrachm, (16.38g), 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, HGC 2 1597, Flament Group I-III). *Very fine*.

\$500



2265*

Attica, Athens (c.440 BC), silver tetradrachm, (17.07g), 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, HGC 4 1597). *Partial crest showing, spotty toning on reverse, nearly extremely fine*.

\$3,000



2266*

Attica, Athens, (353-340 BC), silver Pi-Style III tetradrachm, (16.43 g), 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.2547, HGC 4 1598-9). *Struck on an oblong flan, very fine*.

\$500



2267*

Attica, Athens, silver tetradrachm, (124-123 B.C. or 92-91 B.C. revised date), (16.15 g), 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.



2268*

Peloponnesos, Elis, Olympia, 108th Olympiad, (352-348 B.C.), silver hemidrachm (2.57 g), Olympia Zeus Mint, obv. laeate head of Zeus to right, rev. F A across. with eagle standing right, with short legs and smooth tail feathers on and Ionic 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*.

\$800

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.



2269

Peloponnesos, Elis, Olympia, 111-114th Olympiad, (336-324 B.C.), silver hemidrachm (2.23 g), 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*.

\$350

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.



2270*

Mysia, Lampsakos, (500-450 B.C.), silver diobol, (1.26 g), obv. janiform female head, rev. archaic head of Athena left, wearing Corinthian helmet, all within incuse square (Baldwin, Lampsakos, Group A, I pl. V, 14-15, SNG France 1126, BMC 10-14). *Toned, very fine.*

\$80

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2271*

Mysia, Parion, (c.480 B.C.), silver 3/4 drachm, (3.88 g), obv. Gorgoneion facing, rev. incuse cruciform with dot at centre (S.3917, SNG Cop 256). *Rainbow toned, obverse struck off centre, very fine.*

\$100

Ex R. Pankhurst Collection.



2272*

Mysia, Pergamon, (104-98 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.58 g), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above ΛΥ, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Pinder 97). *Off centre on obverse, very fine and scarce.*

\$250



2273*

Ionia or Lycia, uncertain mint, (c.550-500 B.C.), silver trihemiobol (1.07 g), 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.*

\$250

Ex Florida Fun Show at Orlando, from Smythe, 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).



2274*

Caria, Mylasa, (c.520-490 B.C.), silver stater, (10.76 g), 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.



2275*

Lycia, Dynasts, Khinakha (attributed), (470-440 BC), silver stater (9.64g), obv. Pegasus to right on round shield, monogram below, rev. triskeles monogram, dot in one section, monogram in another, all within dotted incuse (SNG Von Aulock 4090; SNG Berry 1172). *Struck from a worn obverse die, otherwise very fine and rare.*

\$900

Ex Colin C. Burnside Collection.



2276*

Pamphylia, Aspendos, (460 - 420 BC), silver stater, (10.88 g), obv. nude hoplite advancing right, holding spear and round shield, rev. triskeles to left, Σ below, all within incuse square (S.5381, SNG von Aulock 4477, SNG Cop 332). *Triangular flan, fine.*

\$200

2277

Cilicia, Seleukeia on the Kalykadnos, (1st century B.C.), AE 26, (16.46 g), 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.*

\$180

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



2278

Syria, Kingdom of, Seleucos I, (312-280 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.03 g), 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]ΑΣΙΑΕ[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.*

\$1,000

Ex CNG private purchase c.2000 with ticket.



2281*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos I, (280-261 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.70 g), 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 left ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, to 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.*

\$1,200

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.



2279*

Syria, Kingdom of, Seleukos I, (312-280 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.10 g), Seleucia on Tigris mint, 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, NO to left, to right ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ, in exergue [B]ΑΣΙΑΕ[ΩΣ], (cf.S.6829, SC 117,6a, HGC 9, 12i, Newell ESM 24, SNG Israel (Spaer) I 121). *Toned, very fine and very scarce.*

\$500

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 111, lot 4556.

Newell counted five coins coming from two obverse and four reverse dies for this type.



2282*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos II Theos, (261-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.96 g), 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 ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, 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.*

\$1,200

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



2280*

Syria, Kingdom of, Seleucos I, (312-280 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.05 g), 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.



2283*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos II, (261-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.02 g), 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]ΑΣΙΑΕΩΣ and to left ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, 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.*

\$1,000

Ex Spink & Son, London, December 20, 1994, subsequently offered in Noble

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



2284*

Syria, Kingdom of, Seleucos II, (246-226 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.76 g), 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.*

\$1,300

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.



2285*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos Hierax 'the Hawk', (245-227 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.10 g), 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 ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, 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 Minor 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.



2286*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos III Megas, (222-187 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.04 g), 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 ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, control letters in exergue ΔΙ, (cf.S.9933, SC 1109.2, ESM 605, HGC 9, 447y). *Golden patination in places, good very fine/very 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.



2287*

Syria, Kingdom of, Demetrios I, (162-150 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.49 g), Antioch Mint, issued in Seleucid era 160 = 153-152 B.C., obv. diademed head of Demetrios 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 ΕΡ, (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.



2288*

Syria, Kingdom of, Alexander II, (128-123 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.22 g), 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 ΒΑΣΙΑΕΩΣ to left ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to left monograms of ΧΙΑ, under throne ΑΒ, (cf.S.7115, SC 2246, Newell SMA -, SNG Israel I (Spaer) -, cf.ACNAC 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.



2289*

Syria, Kingdom of, Philip I Philadelphos, (c.95/4-76/5 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.89 g), 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. [Β]ΑΣΙΑΕ[ΩΥ] / ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ – ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ / ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛ[ΙΟΥ] 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



2290

Phoenicia, Sidon, (time of Baalshallim I-Ba'ana, c.425-402 B.C.), silver half shekel (6.41 g), 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 [2650], Betlyon 9, Elayi & Elayi 275-349, Rouvier 1085. *Very well struck reverse otherwise fine/very fine and very rare.*

\$800

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



2291*

Phoenicia, Sidon, Sakton II, (401-365 BC), silver 1/16th shekels (5), (0.52g, 0.58g, 0.73g, 0.65g, 0.63g), obv. Phoenician galley above waves to left, rev. Persian king fighting lion, O between (cg HGC 10 240, 245; E&E-S Group IV.1.3). *Toning, the second with hoard patina, fourth chipped, good fine - good very fine.* (5)

\$120



2292

Phoenicia, Tyre, uncertain king, (c.425-394 B.C.), silver shekel (13.56 g), 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, 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.



Part

2293*

Phoenicia, Tyre, silver 1/16 shekels (2), (0.48g, 0.45g), struck c. 425-333 BC, obv. winged hippocamp leaping left, waves below, rev. owl standing left, head facing, crook and flail behind over shoulder (HGC 10 333). *Hoard patina, good very fine; fine.* (2)

\$100



2294*

Phoenicia, Tyre, (4th century BC), silver reduced shekel or didrachm (8.36 g), year 14 (336/5 BC), obv. Melkart on winged hippocamp right, holding bow and arrow, all above waves, rev. owl standing right, head facing, crook and flail over shoulder, regnal year to right (HGC 10 359, S.5915). *Struck from worn obverse die, cleaning scratches on fields, graffito 'M' under date, fine/very fine.*

\$200



2295*

Phoenicia, Tyre, (2nd century BC - 2nd century AD), silver half shekel, (6.60 g), obv. head of Melqart to right, with lion skin tied around neck, rev. Eagle standing left on prow, palm branch over shoulder, club in left field, ΤΥΡΟΥ ΙΕΡΑΣ ΚΑΙ ΑΣΥΛΟΥ (S.5921, HGC 10 358). *Rainbow toned, fine.*

\$300



2299*

Palestine, Gaza, (5th - 4th century BCE), silver tetradrachm, (16.88 g), imitating Athens, obv. helmeted head of Athena right, rev. owl standing right, head facing, olive spray and moon to left, ΑΘΕ to right (cf HGC 10 533, 594, GBC 1009, cf S.6058). *Dark toned, test cut below owl on reverse, very fine.*

\$700



2296*

Phoenicia, Tyre, (1st century BC - 1st century AD), silver half shekel or didrachm, (5.72g), uncertain date, obv. laureate head of Herakles-Melqart right, beardless, rev. eagle standing left with closed wings, palm branch over shoulder, club to left, monogram above, [ΤΥΡΟΥ ΙΕΡΑΣ] ΚΑΙ ΑΣΥΛΟΥ (S.5921, HGC 10 358, BMC 240). *Surface roughness, dark toned, good fine.*

\$250



2297*

Phoenicia, Tyre, (92/1 BC), silver shekel, (14.17 g), dated CY 35, obv. laureate head of Melkart right, rev. Eagle standing left on prow, palm frond over far shoulder, club in left field, ΕΛ above, Δ in right field, ΤΥΡΟΥ ΙΕΡΑΣ ΚΑΙ ΑΣΥΛΟΥ around, dotted border (HGC 10 357, DCA2 946, BMC 126-7). *Pleasant old cabinet tone, well centered on a full flan with crisp details, good extremely fine and rare thus.*

\$2,500



2298*

Samaria, (mid - late 4th century BC), "Middle Levantine" Series, silver obol, (0.57g), obv. two figures advancing left, carrying an animal bound to a pole between them, rev. Persian king, wearing kidarys and kandys, head left, holding in each hand a lion by it's hind legs, all within square incuse (Qedar 130, Meshorer 144, HGC unlisted). *Hoard patina, green deposits, a very well centered strike especially for issue, nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$300



2300*

Palestine, Judaea, Hasmoneans, John Hyrcanus I (Yehohanan), (134-104 BC), AE15 (prutah), (2.02 g), in the name of Antiochos VII Eurgetes, Jerusalem mint, obv. lily, rev. Seleukid anchor, legend around (HGC 9 1103); another copper prutah (2.05 g), obv. legend in four lines (Yehohanan, the High Priest and the Council of the Jews), all within wreath, rev. double cornucopiae adorned with ribbons, pomegranate between (S. 6096); Roman Procurators of Judaea, Time of Tiberius, Pontius Pilate (26-37 AD), copper prutah, (2.00g), dated Yr 17 (30 AD), obv. lituus, rev. date within wreath LIZ (S.5622); Time of Nero, Porcius Festus, (59-62 AD), bronze prutah, (3.27 g), dated Yr 5 (58 AD) obv. wreath, NEP/WNO/C within, rev. palm branch, LE KAICAPOC (S.5627); Constantine I, (310-327 AD), billon centenionalis, (3.02g), Siscia Mint, issued 319 AD, obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust right, IMP CONSTANTINVS AVG around, rev. two Victory's standing facing, holding a shield above altar between, inscribed VOT P R in two lines, VICTORIAE LAETAE PRINC PERP around, A SIS dot in exergue (S.16303). *The last extremely fine, others fine. (5)*

\$200



2301*

Palestine, Judaea, First Revolt, (66 - 70 AD), silver shekel (14.12 g), struck year 2 (67/8 AD), obv. chalice, Shekel of Isreal in paleo-Hebrew around, rev. stem with three pomegranates, Jersualem the Holy in paleo-Hebrew (S.5629, Meshorer 151, SNG ANS 421-424, HGC 10 p152). *Cleaning scratches throughout, nearly very fine and rare.*

\$2,000

2302

Palestine, Judaea, Second Revolt or Bar Kokbha War, (132 - 135 AD), denarius or zuz, three variants, one a die match to H.167, tourist copies. *Very fine.* (3)

\$100

Purchased in Palestine in the 1960's.

2303

Palestine, biblical related coppers, five tied to cards with old inked descriptions, Herod the Great, Herod Agrippa I, Alexander Jannaeus, Claudius Felix, Antiochos III; another unattributed. *Very good - good fine.* (6)

\$150

2304

Ancient AE issues of Judaea and Palestine, Herod Agrippa I, (37 - 44 AD), bronze prutah, (2.73 g), obv. umbrella-like canopy with fringes, AGRIPA BACILEWC, rev. three ears of barley between two leaves; another similar (2.85 g); Porcius Festus, Roman Procurator under Nero (59 - 62 AD), obv. wreath, rev. palm branch; a fourth unidentified, (0.87 g), obv. lily?, rev. P(?)OY in wreath. *Good - fine.* (4)

\$120



2305*

Egypt, Kingdom of, Ptolemy III Euergetes, (246-222 BC), bronze drachm (69.93g), Alexandria mint, obv. diademed and horned head of Zeus-Ammon right, rev. eagle standing left in thunderbolt, wings closed, ΠΧ monogram between legs, filleted cornucopiae in left field (CPE B395; SNG Cop 171-2; Svoronos 964). *Very fine.*

\$600

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.

2306

Ancient bronzes, ancient Greek to Islamic, a number uncleaned, in an album ; plus Chinese cash coins (7). *Poor - fine.* (128)

\$100

2307

Ancient coins, minor base metal, fourth century Roman (7, 3 in International Numismatic Bureau slabs, poor, others good fine or better); Byzantine, 12th-14th century, AE cup coins (2, good - fine); Medieval, minor Ottoman (?) silver and Islamic AE. *Poor - very fine.* (10)

\$30

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2308*

Claudius, (41-54 A.D.), Cistophoric tetradrachm, Ephesus issue 41-42 A.D., silver 26 mm, (11.03 g), obv. TI CLAVD CAES AVG, bare head to left, rev. DIANEPHE, frontal view of tetrastyle temple of Diana at Ephesus, her cult statue within with fillets hanging from her wrists, polos on her head; the temple stands on a podium of four steps and has a pediment decorated with figures, (S.1739, C.30, BMC 229, RIC 119, CBN 229, RPC 2222). *Grey patination, very fine or better, rare.*

\$2,000

Ex CNG Sale 75, May 23, 2007 (lot 994), lot includes CNG ticket.



2309*

Macedonia, Amphipolis, Septimius Severus, (193-211 AD), bronze unit (AE22, 7.87g), obv. laureate head right, rev. Tyche enthroned, facing left, holding a patera, star to left, AMPH before (Moushmov 6014; Varbanov 3268; BMC 122). *Punch mark on obverse, green patina, nearly very fine.*

\$120

Ex S.J. Green Collection, purchased from Heritage Auctions 23164 (lot 64054). Previously in a slab by NGC as VF (certificate number 4248080-016).



2310

Macedon, Koinon of Macedon, Severus Alexander, (222-235 A.D.), (12.42 g), 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 ΚΟΙΝΟΝ 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.



2313*

Syria, Commagene, Zeugma, Philip I, (244-249), AE 29, (15.86 g), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust to right, around ΑΥΤΟΚ Κ Μ ΙΟΥΑΙ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΥ ΣΕΒ, rev. tetrastyle temple with peribolos containing grove, beneath a capricorn, ΖΕΓΜΑΤΕΩΝ around, (S.3954, BMC 29 and cf. BMC 36). *Countermarked on obverse with eagle with closed wings, some minor hoard patination otherwise very fine and rare.*

\$150

Ex CNG private purchase c.1995.



2311*

Cappadocia, Caesarea, Lucius Verus, (161-69 AD), silver didrachm, (6.41 g), obv. bare head of Lucius Verus to right, around ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΟΥΗΡΟΥ ΣΕΒΑΚΤΟΥ, rev. Mt. Argaeus surmounted by Helios, around ΥΠΙΑΤΟΥ Β, (S.1865, BMC 194, Syd. 352, Metcalf 131a). *Toned, good very fine.*

\$200



2314*

Syria, Cyrrhastica, Hieropolis, Caracalla, (197-218 AD) silver tetradrachm, (12.85g), obv. laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust, seen from the front, head left, ΑΥΤ Κ Μ Α ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟΥ, rev. eagle standing left, head right, wreath in beak, lion walking left between legs (S.2647; Bellinger 41, 100). *Lightly toned, scattered porosity, very fine.*

\$250



2312*

Syria, Antioch ad Orontem, Philip II, (247-49 AD), billon tetradrachm (11.36g), Emesan issue, issued 249 AD, obv. laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right, ΑΥΤ ΟΚ Κ Μ ΙΟΥΑ ΙΙ ΑΙΝΝΟΚΕΙ, rev. eagle standing to front, head right, holding a wreath in its beak, [ΑΗΝΑΠΙΕ ΕΣΟΖΧΑΙΧ ΨΝΑ ΤΟΡ] around, ANTIOXIA in exergue, SC below (Priour 474; c.f. S.4146). *Well struck on a broad flan, underlying lustre, good very fine or better.*

\$250

Ex S.J. Green Collection, purchased from Heritage Auctions Sale 231648 (lot 61072). Previously in a slab by NGC as Ch XF (certificate number 4252641-107).



2315*

Syria, Seleucia and Pieria, Augustus (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), silver tetradrachm (27mm, 14.83 g), Antioch Mint, dated year 30 of the Actian Era and Cos. XIII (= 2/1 B.C.), obv. ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ around, laureate head right, rev. around ΕΤΟΥΣ Λ ΝΙΚΗΣ, Fortuna seated right on rocky outcropping, holding palm frond; below, half-length figure of river-god Orontes swimming right; (consular date) above; in right field ΙΓ, monogram and Ι (Caesarean Era date) above monogram. (S.106 [same date and type illustrated], McAlee 185; Priour 55; RPC I 4156; DCA 400). *Extremely fine and very rare.*

\$2,000

Ex CNG eSale 370, March 9, 2016, (lot 287). Lot includes CNG Auction ticket.



2316*

Syria, Seleucis and Pieria, Antioch ad Orentem, Augustus, (27 BC - 14 AD), bronze dupondius (16.42g), dated CY 30 (2/1 BC), obv. laureate head of Augustus right, ΚΑΙΣΑΡΙ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΩ ΑΡΧΙΕΡΕΙ, rev. ΠΑΤΙΚΟΝ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΕΙΣ Α in wreath of archiereus (S.109; RPC 4259; McAlee 201). *Desert patina, nearly very fine.*

\$300

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.

2317

Syria, Seleucis and Pieria, Antioch ad Orontem, Nero, (54-68 AD), silver tetradrachm, (13.77g), RY off flan, obv. laureate bust right, wearing aegis, ΝΕΡΩΝΟΣ ΚΑΙ[ΣΑΡ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ] around, rev. eagle standing left on thunderbolt, palm to left, (cf S.617; RPC 4182; Prieur 82). *Nearly fine.*

\$200



2318*

Syria, Seleucis and Pieria, Antioch ad Orontem, Vespasian, (69-79 AD), silver tetradrachm (11.82g), dated RY 3 (70/1 AD), obv. laureate bust right, ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ ΟΥΕΧΠΙΑΧΙΑΝΟΥ ΚΑΙΧΑΡ ΧΕΒΑΧΤΟΧ, rev. eagle standing on club left, wings spread, wreath in beak, palm to left, ΕΤΟΥΧ ΝΕΟΥ ΙΕΠΟΥ Γ (cf. S.736; RPC 1955; Prieur 124). *Polished, nearly very fine.*

\$250

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2319*

Syria, Seleucis and Pieria, Antioch ad Orontem, Vespasian, (69-79 AD), silver tetradrachm (14.78g), dated RY 5 (72/73 AD), obv. laureate head left, ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤΩΡ ΟΥΕΧΠΙΑΧΙΑΝΟΧ ΚΑΧΙΑΡ ΧΕΒΑ, rev. eagle standing left on garlanded altar, head right looking upwards, caduceus in beak, palm branch to left, ΕΤΟΥΧ ΝΕΟΥ ΙΕΠΟΥ Ε around (RPC 1975; McAlee 40; BMC 234). *A full strike, bold portrait, very fine and very rare.*

\$800

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2320*

Syria, Seulucis and Pieria, Antioch ad Orontem, Nerva, (96-8 AD), silver tetradrachm (13.66g), RY 1 (96-7 AD), obv. laureate bust right, wearing aegis, ΚΑΙΣ ΣΕΒ ΑΥΤ ΝΕΡΟΥΣ, rev. eagle standing on thunderbolt, wings spread, ΕΤΟΥΣ ΝΕΟΥ ΙΕΠΟΥ, Α in right field (cf. S.948 [RY 2], Prieur 149; RPC 3476; SNG Cop 182). *A pleasing portrait, boldly struck on an ovoid flan, extremely fine and rare thus, especially for year 1.*

\$1,000

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2321*

Syria, Seleucis and Pieria, Antioch ad Orontem, Caracalla, (198-217 AD), issued 213-17, obv. laureate bust right, ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙ ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟΧ ΚΕΒ, rev. eagle standing facing, head right, wreath in beak, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟ Δ (S.2650, BMC 20, Bellinger 27, 37). *Very fine.*

\$200



2322*

Syria, Seleucis and Pieria, Antioch ad Orontem, Otacilia Severa, wife of Philip I, (244-49 AD), silver tetradrachm, (12.23 g), obv. diademed and draped bust right, ΜΑΡ ΩΤΑΚΙΑ ΚΕΟΥΗΡΑΝ ΚΕΒ, rev. eagle standing on palm branch, head left, wings spread, wreath in beak, SC in exergue, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥΥΚΙΑΧ (S.4057, Prier 325, BMC 20). *Toned, very fine/ nearly extremely fine.*

\$200



2323

Syria, under Roman governor Aulus Gabinius (57-55 B.C.), in name of and imitation of Philip I Philadelphus (89-83 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.23 g), 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, ΒΑΣΙΛΕ[ΩΣ] ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, and to left ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥ[Σ] traces of ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ, to left ΧΑΒ 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.



2324*

Phoenicia, Tyre Mint, Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), silver tetradrachm (14.38 g), issued regal year 15 = 111, obv. Trajan laureate head to right supported by eagle standing right and club, around ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΚΑΙΧ ΝΕΡ ΤΡΑΙΑΝΟΧ ΧΕΒ ΓΕΡΜ ΔΑΚ, rev. small laureate bust of Herakles to right, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΙΖ ΥΠΙΑΤΕ, (cf.S.1088, McAlee 460, Prieur 1515, RPC 3539). *Lightly toned, very fine or better and rare.*

\$300

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.



2325*

Phoenicia, Tyre, Caracalla, (198-217 AD), billon tetradrachm, (16.17g), issued 213-217, obv. laureate bust cuirassed of Caracalla to right, around ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙ ΑΝ ΤΩΝΙΝΟC CE, rev. eagle standing facing, head to left, wreath in beak, between legs murex shell on a club, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΤΟΔ, (S.2679, Bellinger 306 [ANS Num. Studies No.3, p.87], Prieur 1549 [p.171]). *Very fine! extremely fine.*

\$250



2326*

Egypt, Nero, (54-68 AD), billon tetradrachm (10.01g), Alexandria mint, RY 13 (66-7 AD), obv. radiate bust of Nero left, wearing aegis, ΛΙΓ in front, ΝΕΡΩ ΚΛΑΥ ΚΑΙΣ ΣΕΒ ΓΕΠ ΑΥ, rev. laureate head of Tiberius right, ΤΙΒΕΠΙΟC ΚΑΙCΑΠ (S.637; RPC 5295). *Porous, nearly fine.*

\$100

Ex R. Pankhurst Collection.

2327

Egypt, Alexandria, Vespasian, (A.D. 69-79), billon tetradrachm, (12.60 g), issued year 2 = A.D. 69-70, obv. laureate head to right of Vespasian, around ΑΥΤΟΚ ΚΑΙC ΣΕΒΑ ΟΥΕCΠΑCΙΑΝΟΝ, in front L B, rev. Nike to left with wreath and palm, (S.2376, Milne 393, SNG Cop.167). *Toned, good fine/ fine.*

\$150

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



2328*

Egypt, Alexandria, Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), billon tetradrachm, (12.02 g), year 5 = A.D. 120-1, obv. ΑΥ ΚΑΙ ΤΡΑΙ ΑΔΡΙΑ [CEB], laureate, draped bust of Hadrian to right, rev. ΛΕ, Dikaiosyne (= Aequitas) standing facing, her head to left, holding scales with her right hand and cornucopiae with her left hand, (cf.S.3713, Koln 809, RPC 5257, Dattari 1356). *Light brown toning, nearly very fine.*

\$120



Part

2329*

Roman provincial bronzes, Judea, Caesarea Maritima, Domitian, AE24, (9.52 g), obv. laureate head left, rev. Minerva standing left, supporting trophy to left and holding spear and shield (S.886); another, Ascalon, AE15, (6.34 g), rev. Phanebal, god of war, standing left, wielding sword above head and holding small round shield, HYP to left, AC to right (S.-, Ros 119); Judaea, Capta series, Titus, AE22, (8.08 g), obv. laureate head right, rev. Nike standing right, foot on helmet, holding shield attached to palm tree (S.785); Samaria, Neapolis, Elagabalus, AE22, (11.36 g), obv. laureate head right, rev. Mt Gerizim with arches colonnade, roadway, shrine, altar, and temple (S.3122); plus a Constantinian follis. *The first tooled, good fine, others nearly fine - good fine, last very fine.* (5)

\$200

ROMAN REPUBLICAN



2330*

Republic, Anonymous, (211-208 B.C.), silver sestertertius, (1.82 g), Rome Mint, obv. helmeted head of Roma to right, border of dots, rev. Dioscuri to right, ROMA in linear frame on tablet, line border, (S.46, Cr.44/7, Syd. 142). *Toned, light flan crack, nearly extremely fine and very? rare.*

\$300



2331*

L. Rustius, (76 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome Mint, (3.77 g), obv. head of young Mars to right, S C behind, X before, rev. ram standing to right, L.RVSTI in exergue, (S.320, Cr.389/1, Syd.782, B.Rustia 1). *Toned, nearly very fine and rare.*

\$200

ROMAN IMPERATORIAL



2332*

Julius Caesar, (assassinated 44 B.C.), silver denarius (3.74g), military mint moving with Caesar, issued 49-8 B.C., obv. elephant to right trampling on serpent, CAESAR in exergue, rev. simpulum, sprinkler, axe and priest's hat, (S.1399, Cr.443/1, Syd.1006, Julius Caesar 49). *Well centred, toned, nearly very fine and very scarce.*

\$700

Ex Downies Auction 299 (lot 1976).

ROMAN IMPERIAL



2333*

Augustus, (27 BC - 14 AD), silver denarius, (3.55g), Lugdunum Mint, issued 2 BC - 4 AD, obv. laureate bust right, CAESAR AVGVSTVS DIVI F PATER PATRIAE around, rev. Caius and Lucius standing facing, togate and resting a hand on shield, a spear behind each, simpulum and lituus between, CL CAESARES AVGVSTI F COS DESIG PRINC IVVENT around (S.1597, RIC I 207, RSC 43, BMCRE 533). *Lightly toned, struck on an oval flan, nearly very fine.*

\$300

Private purchase from Forum Ancient Coins (2014) for \$385 USD with their ticket.



2334*

Tiberius, (14-37 AD), silver denarius (3.40g), Lugdunum Mint, issued after 16 AD, obv. laureate head of Tiberius to right, around TI CAESAR DIVI AVG F AVGVSTVS, rev. PONTIF MAXIM, Livia seated to right, with vertical sceptre and branch, (S.1763, RIC 30, BMC 48, RSC 16, H.916 [304]). *Lightly toned, nearly very fine/ very fine, scarce.*

\$500

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2335*

Tiberius, (14 - 37 AD), silver denarius, (3.36 g), Lugdunum Mint, issued after 16 AD, obv. laureate head of Tiberius to right, around TI CAESAR DIVI AVG F AVG VSTVS, rev. PONTIF MAXIM, Livia seated to right, with vertical sceptre and branch, (S.1763, RIC 30, BMC 48, RSC 16). *Scratches, nearly very fine.*

\$300

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2336*

Gaius (Caligula), AE quadrans, (3.20g), issued 39-40, obv. C CAESAR DIVI AVG PRON AVG around S C divided by pileus, rev. PON M TR P III P P COS TERT around RCC, (cf.S.1804, RIC 45, BMC 63). *Lightly toned, good very fine and scarce.*

\$100

Private purchase from London Ancient Coins.



2337*

Gaius (Caligula), (31-41), issue in honour of Nero and Drusus Caesar, orichalcum dupondius (14.85g), Rome mint, issued 40-1 AD, obv. Nero and Drusus Caesars galloping on horseback right, NERO ET DRVSVS CAESARS, rev. large SC, C. CAESAR DIVI AVG PRON AVG P M TR P III P (S.1828; RIC 49; BMCRE 70). *Nearly very fine.*

\$400

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2338*

Claudius, (A.D. 41-54), AE sestertius, Rome Mint, issued

A.D. 42, (30.08 g), obv. laureate head of Claudius to right, around TI CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG PM TR P IMP P P, rev. SPES AVGVSTA around, Spes draped advancing to left, right hand holding flower, left raising skirt, (S.1854, RIC 115, C.85, BMC 192, CBN 216). *Mottled green and red patina, with a bold portrait, nearly extremely fine/extremely fine and very rare thus.*

\$6,000

Ex CNG Auction Sale 75, 23 May 2007 (lot 993). This coin realised \$2200 US in that sale.



2339*

Nero, (A.D. 54-68), bronze dupondius (12.87g), Lugdunum mint, issued 66 AD, obv. laureate head left, globe at point of neck, IMP NERO CAESAR AVG P MAX TR P P P, rev. Victory advancing left, holding wreath in right hand and palm from over left, VICTORIA AVGVSTI (S.1970; RIC 523; BMCRE 356). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$400

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2340*

Nero, (54 - 68 AD), copper as (11.21 g), Rome mint, issued 65 AD, obv. laureate bust of Nero right, NERO CAESAR AVG GERM IMP around rev. Temple of Janus with closed doors, garland around, latticed window on left, PACE P R VBIQ PARTA IANVM CLVSIT S-C (S.1974, RIC 306, BMC 227, Cogen 171). *Pleasant green patina, very fine.*

\$250



2341*

Vespasian, (A.D. 69-79), silver denarius (2.76g), Rome mint, issued 74 AD, (2.76 g), obv. laureate head of Vespasian to right, IMP CAES VESP AVG CENS, rev. Vespasian seated to right, holding sceptre and branch, PON[TIF] MAXIM, (cf. S.2305, RIC 65, RSC 387a). *Toned, some surface scratches and uneven flan, otherwise nearly very fine.*

\$200

Ex S.J.Green Collection, purchased from Noble Numismatics Sale 117 (lot 4682). Previously ex RJM Collection.



2342*

Nerva, (96 - 98 AD), silver denarius, (3.31 g), Rome Mint, issued Jan - Sep 97 AD, obv. laureate bust right, IMP NERVA CAES AVG PM TR P COS III P P around, rev. FORTVNA AVGVST, Fortuna standing left, holding rudder and cornucopia (S.3025, RIC 16, RSC 66). *Very fine.*

\$150

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



2343*

Aelius, Caesar, (A.D. 136-138), silver denarius, Rome Mint, issued A.D. 137, (3.36 g), obv. bare head of Aelius to right, around L AELIVS CAESAR, rev. around TR POT COS II, across PIE TAS, Pietas standing to right sacrificing over altar and holding incense box, (S.3971, RIC 438-9, RSC 36, BMC 989). *Toned, nearly extremely fine/good very fine and rare.*

\$600

Ex Anthony (Tony) Taylor Collection.

Noble Numismatics Sale 113, lot 4595. Previously Strand Coins, Sydney, October 6, 2009.



2344*

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), silver denarius, Rome Mint, issued 142, (3.40 g), obv. around ANTONINVS AVG PI VS P P TR P COS III, laureate head to right, rev. APOLLINI AVGVSTO, Apollo standing facing head to left holding patera and lyre, (S.4051, RIC 63A, RSC 59, BMC 186). *Lightly toned, good very fine.*

\$120

2345

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), AE sestertius, Rome Mint, issued 144, (26.44 g), obv. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TRP COS III, laureate head to right of Antoninus Pius, rev. MONETA AVG, Moneta standing left holding scales and cornucopiae, S C across, (S.4196, RIC 610, C.556). *Soil patination, nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$100

Ex Dr V.J.A. Flynn Collection.

2346

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161) AE dupondius, (11.95 g), Rome Mint, issued A.D. 142, obv. radiate head of Antoninus Pius to right, around ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P COS III, rev. Genius of the Senate standing left, holding branch and sceptre, around GENIO SENATVS, S C across field, (S.4275, RIC 660a, C.404, BMC 1336). *Brown patination, extremely fine, with some hoard patination on the reverse, rare.*

\$200



2347*

Faustina Senior, wife of Antoninus Pius, (died A.D. 141), silver denarius, Rome Mint, issued in 150, (3.16 g), obv. DIVA FAVSTINA, draped bust to right, rev. AED DIV FAVSTINAE, front view of temple of six columns, low wall before, figure (Faustina) seated within, ornaments on temple, (S.4573, RIC 343, RSC 1). *Lightly toned, good very fine.*

\$150



2348*

Faustina Senior, wife of Antoninus Pius, (died A.D. 151), AE sestertius, (25.41 g), obv. draped bust right, around DIVA FAVSTINA, rev. Vesta standing left, holding palladium and sceptre, around AVGVSTA S-C across (S.4617, RIC 1124, C.110). *Brown toning, fine.*

\$100

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.



2349*

Marcus Aurelius as Caesar, (A.D. 161-180), AE sestertius, issued 145, (24.40 g), obv. bare head right, around AVRELIVS CAES AR AVG PII F COS II, rev. Hilaritas standing left with palm and cornucopiae, HILARI [TAS] around, (S.4802, RIC 1242a, C.-, BMC 1774). *Dark patination, surface pitting, nearly very fine.*

\$100

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.



2350*

Marcus Aurelius, (A.D. 161-18), AE as, Rome Mint, issued A.D. 175, (8.69 g), obv. MANTONINVS AVG TR P XXIX, laureate bearded head to right, rev. IMP VII COS III, Tiber reclining to left, holding stern of boat and reeds, leaning on overturned urn from which water flows, SC across. (S.5065, RIC III 1142, C.348, BMC 1498). *Toned, very fine and very scarce.*

\$200

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.



2351*

Marcus Aurelius, (161-180 A.D.), AE dupondius, 25-26mm, (11.42 g), issued A.D. Dec 162 - Autumn 163, obv. IMP CAES M AVREL ANTONINVS AVG P M, radiate head of Marcus Aurelius to right, rev. [SALVTI AV]GVSTOR] TR P XVII, S - C across flan, Salus, draped, standing front, head left, feeding out of patera in right hand snake coiled round altar and holding sceptre, vertical, in left hand, in exergue, COS III, (cf.S.5068, BMCRE IV p. 551, 1043 and pl. 75.2; C. 568; RIC III p. 280, 846). *Off centred reverse, otherwise very fine and scarce.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 111, lot 4734. Previously the A.K. Collection and from the stock of Munzen und Medaillen, Basel 1971.



2352*

Commodus, (177-192 A.D.), silver denarius (2.64 g), Rome Mint, issued 187-8 A.D., obv. laureate head of Commodus right, M COMM ANT P FEL AVG BRIT around, rev. Aequitas standing left, holding scales and cornucopiae, P M TR P XIII IMP VIII COS V P P around (RIC III 164, cf. S.5717 [rev. legend]). *Toned, very fine.*

\$150



Part

2353*

Commodus, (A.D. 177-192), orichalcum sestertius, (24.31g), Rome mint, issued 192 AD, obv. laureate head right, L AEL AVREL COMM AVG P FEL rev. Roma, helmeted and draped, standing right, holding spear and clasping hands with Fides, standing left, holding standard, star in field, PM TR P XVII IMP VIII COS VII P P S C; Julia Domna, (193-211 AD), bronze dupondius (10.54g), Rome mint, obv. bust of Julia Domna right, IVLIA AVGVSTA rev. Ceres, draped, seated left holding corn ears and torch, CERES SC (RIC IV 870). *Nearly very fine; fine/good.* (2)

\$200

Ex R. Pankhurst Collection.



2354*

Septimius Severus, (193 -211 AD), silver denarius, (3.22 g), Rome Mint, issued 201 AD, obv. laureate bust right, SEVERUS AVG PART MAX around, rev. FVNDATOR PACIS, Septimius Severus standing left, togate, holding branch and scroll (S.6282, RIC IV 160, RSC 188). *Toned, very fine.*

\$100



2355*

Caracalla, (198-217 AD), as Caesar, silver denarius, issued 204, Rome Mint, (3.46g), obv. laureate and draped bust right, ANTONINVS PIVS AVG around, rev. Victory advancing left, holding wreath and palm front, VICT PART MAX around (S.6895, RIC 144b, RSC 658). *Minor deposits, nearly extremely fine.*

\$120



2356*

Geta, (A.D. 209-212), silver denarius, issued 199-200, Laodicea Mint, (2.92 g), obv. laureate bust to right, around P SEPTIMIUS GETA CAES, rev. SEVERI PII AVG FIL, lituus, knife, jug, simpulum and sprinkler, (S.7201, RIC 107, RSC 189, BMC 754). *Nearly extremely fine/good very fine, scarce.*

\$150

Private purchase from Forum Ancient Coins for USD \$150 with their ticket.



2357*

Elagabalus, (218-222 AD), silver denarius, (1.98g), Rome Mint, issues 220-2 AD, obv. laureate and draped bust right, IMP ANTONINVS PIVS AVG, rev. Libertas standing left, holding pileus and sceptre, star to right in field (S.7523; RIC IV 107; BMC RE 221; RSC 92). *Dark toned, minor porosity, nearly very fine.*

\$120



2358

Julia Paula, (first wife of Elagabalus), (A.D. 219-220), AE sestertius, issued 220, (18.70 g), obv. draped bust of Julia Paula to right, around IVLIA PAVLA [AVG], rev. Concordia seated to left on throne, holding patera and double cornucopiae, around CONCORDIA, SC in exergue, (S.7660, RIC 381, C.8). *Flan crack, surface roughness, good fine - nearly very fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection.



2359

Julia Paula, (first wife of Elagabalus), (A.D. 219-220), AE sestertius (22.24 g), Rome Mint, struck under Elagabalus, AD 219-220, obv. draped bust to right, around IVLIA PAVLA AVG, rev. Elagabalus and Julia Paula standing, clasping hands, between them, Concordia standing facing, around CONCORDIA AETERNA, SC in exergue, (S.7661, RIC IV 386 Elagabalus), C.14, Thirion 448, Banti 9. *Attractive patina, areas of smoothing, otherwise good very fine - nearly extremely fine and extremely rare.*

\$3,000

Banti records only one example of this extremely rare type.

Ex Rudolph Pekarek Collection.



2360*

Maximinus I Thrax, (A.D. 235-8), silver denarius (3.40g), Rome Mint, issues 235-6 AD, obv. laureate, draped, and cuirassed bust right, IMP MAXIMINVS PIVS AVG, rev. SALVS AVGVSTI, Salus seated left, feeding serpent rising from altar (S.8316, RIC 14, RSC 85a). *Well centred, lustre in fields, extremely fine.*

\$150

Private purchase from Baldwin's London for £180, with their ticket.



2361*

Gordian III, (A.D. 238-244), silver antoninianus, (4.74 g), obv. radiate bust right, around IMP CAES M ANT GORDIANVS AVG, rev. CONCORDIA AVG, Concordia seated to left, holding patera and cornucopiae, (S.8604, RIC 35, RSC 50). *Bright extremely fine.*

\$120

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.

CNG Auction 496, lot 563.



2362*

Gordian III, (238-44 AD), silver antoninianus, Rome Mint, (4.16 g), obv. radiate bust right, IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, rev. SECVRITAS PERPETVA around, Securitas standing left, holding sceptre and leaning on column, (S.8661, RIC 3, RSC 336). *Hoard deposits, very fine.*

\$100



2363*

Gordian III, (A.D. 238-244), silver antoninianus, Rome Mint, issued 241, (3.29 g), obv. radiate, draped and cuirassed bust right, around IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, rev. around PM TR P III COS II P P, Apollo seated to left holding branch and resting arm on lyre, (S.8680, RIC 114, RSC 238). *Good very fine - nearly extremely fine.*

\$150



2364*

Philip I, (A.D. 244-49), silver antoninianus (3.26g), Rome mint, issued 246 AD, obv. radiate and draped bust facing right, IMP M IVL PHILIPPVS AVG around, rev. Felicitas standing left, holding caduceus and cornucopiae, PM TR P III COS P around (S.8944; RIC IV 3; RSC 124). *Minor adhesions, extremely fine.*

\$100

Ex S.J. Green Collection, purchased from Noble Numismatics Sale 116 (lot 4839). Previously ex Dr. V.J.A. Flynn Collection, from Noble Numismatics Sale 105 (lot 4272), from the collection of Cornelius C. Vermeule III, Boston, USA, and ex Puttick & Simpson 1896.



2365*

Philip I, (A.D. 244-249), silver antoninianus, Rome Mint, (3.55 g), obv. radiate bust to right, around IMP M IVL PHILIPPVS AVG, rev. Salus atanding to left, holding rudder and feeding snake from altar, around SALVS AVG, (S.8964, RIC 47, RSC 205). *Extremely fine.*

\$150



2366*

Philip I, (A.D. 244-249), silver antoninianus (3.62g), Rome mint, obv. radiate bust to right, around IMP PHILIPPVS AVG, (3.62 g), rev. cippus column inscribed COS III, around SAECVLARES AVGG, (S.8961; RIC IV 24c; RSC 193); another (4.56 g), rev. FIDES EXERCITVS around, Fides standing left holding vexillum and standard (illus.) (S.8929; RIC IV 61; RSC 49); another (3.41 g), rev. Securitas seated to left, holding sceptre and propping head on left hand, around SECVRIT ORBIS, (S.8966; RIC IV 48b; RSC 215). *Toning, nearly very fine - very fine, the first scarce.* (3)

\$180

Ex S.J. Green Collection, purchased from Noble Numismatics Sale 124 (lot 3400 part). Previously ex Dr. V.J.A. Flynn Collection, the first from Baldwins, 27/2/1958.



2367*

Otacilia Severa, (wife of Philip I), (A.D. 244-249), AE sestertius, Rome Mint, (19.01 g), obv. diademed draped bust with large head to right, around MARCIA OTACIL SEVERA AVG, rev. Pudicitia seated left holding sceptre, around PVDICITIA AVG, SC in exergue, (S.2639, RIC 209a, C.55). *Light green toning, nearly extremely fine and scarce in this condition.*

\$400

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 121 (lot 4820).



2368*

Otacilia Severa, (wife of Philip I), (A.D. 244-249), AE sestertius, Rome Mint, issued 245-247, (20.39 g), obv. diademed draped bust with large head to right, around MARCIA OTACIL SEVERA AVG, rev. Concordia seated left holding patera and double cornucopiae, around CONCORDIA AVGG, SC in exergue, (S.9164, RIC 203a). *Toned, very fine, scarce.*

\$180

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.



2369*

Herennia Etruscilla, (wife of Trajan Decius), (A.D. 249-251), silver antoninianus, Rome Mint, issued 250, (3.96 g), obv. diademed draped bust to right on crescent, around HER ETRVSCILLA AVG, rev. Pudicitia seated to left drawing veil from face holding transverse sceptre, around PVDICITIA AVG, (S.9495, RIC 59b, RSC 19). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$120

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.

CNG Auction 518, lot 529. Pars Coins Auction 15, lot 217.



2370*

Herennius Etruscus, (A.D. 251), silver antoninianus, Rome Mint, issued A.D. 250-1, (4.04 g), obv. radiate bust of Herennius draped to right, around Q HER ETR MES DECIVS NOB C, rev. around SPES PVBLICA, Spes advancing left, holding flower and lifting skirt, (S.9526, RIC 149, RSC 38). *Bright, good very fine or better and very scarce.*

\$150



2371*

Herennius Etruscus, (A.D. 249-51), silver antoninianus (5.08 g), Rome Mint, issued 250-1 AD, obv. radiate and draped bust right, Q HER ETR MES DECIVS NOB C, rev. Spes advancing left, holding flower and lifting skirt, SPES PVBLICA (S.9526, RSC 38, RIC 149). *Bright, extremely fine.*

\$150



2372*

Valerian I, (A.D. 253-260), silver antoninianus, Antioch Mint, issued 254, (3.51 g), obv. radiate bust right, around IMP C P LIC VALERIANUS AVG, rev. PM TR P II COS PP around, Emperor standing left sacrificing at altar, holding baton or short sceptre, (S.9957, RIC 208, RSC 159a). *Good very fine some mint bloom, areas of hoard adherence, very scarce type from this mint.*

\$80



Part

2373*

Postumus, (A.D. 259-268), base silver antoninianus, Cologne Mint, (3.35 g), issued 260-265, obv. radiate bust of Postumus to right, around IMP C POSTVMVS P F AVG, rev. Fides Militum standing to left, holding standard in each hand, FIDES MILITVM Around, (S.10940, RIC 59, RSC 67) (illustrated); another, (3.80 g), rev. MONETA AVG, Moneta standing to left, holding scales and cornucopiae, (S.10962, RIC 75, RSC 199). *Toning, nearly very fine - very fine and scarce.* (2)

\$150

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.

First coin ex CNG Auction 511, lot 401.



2374*

Postumus, (A.D. 260-9), bronze dupondius, irregular (Mint II), 2nd phase, 1st period, issued 264-6 AD, obv. radiate, draped, and cuirassed bust facing right, IMP C M CASS LAT POSTVMUVS P F AVG, rev. two Victories standing facing each other, palm frond between, attaching shield to palm frond, two captives at base (c.f. S.11069; RIC V 230; Postume 316). *Edge chipping, dark green patina, very fine and scarce.*

\$120

Ex S.J. Green Collecton, purchased from CNG Electronic Auction 424 (lot 451).



Part

2375*

Maximian, (A.D. 286-305 first reign), billon antoninianus, Lugdunum Mint, issued 290-292, (3.61 g), obv. IMP MAXIMIANVS AVG, radiate draped and cuirassed bust to right of Maximianus, rev. Pax standing left, holding Victory on a globe and sceptre, around PAX AVGG, B in exergue, (S.13155, RIC 399) (illustrated); AE Folles, Carthage Mint, issued A.D. 298-9, (13.15 g), obv. laureate head of Maximianus to right, around IMP MAXIMIANVS PF AVG, rev. around SALVIS AVGG ET CAESS FEL KART, Carthage standing to left holding fruits in both hands, B in exergue, (S.3638, RIC 29b); another follis, rev. Genius, (RIC 2b); radiate fraction, rev. Jupiter, (RIC 14); Maximinus II, (A.D. 309-313), AE follis, Trier Mint, issued 308-309, (3.36 g), obv. laureate head right, around IMP MAXIMINVS PF AVG, rev. GENIO POP ROM, Genius standing left, turreted, loins draped, holding patera and cornucopiae, PTR in exergue, T F across field, (S.14857, RIC 845a) (illustrated); Carinus, as Caesar, (A.D. 283-285), Antioch mint, issued 282, billon antoninianus, (3.82 g), obv. IMP C M AVR CARINVS NOB C, radiate cuirassed bust to right of Carinus, rev. around VIRTVS AVGG, Carinus and Numerian facing each other, XXI in exergue, B between figures, (S.12307, RIC 206, C.177). *Toning, poor - nearly extremely fine.* (6)

\$150

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.



Part

2376*

Maximianus, (A.D. 296-97), AE follis, Ticinum mint, issued A.D. 296-7, (9.74 g), obv. laureate head of Maximianus to right, around IMP C MAXIMIANVS P F AVG, rev. around GENIO POPV LI ROMANI, Genius standing to left, holding patera and cornucopiae, PT in exergue, (S.13250, RIC 31b); Licinius I, (A.D. 308-324), (A.D. 308-324), AE folles, issued 316-317, Heraclea mint, (3.74 g), obv. laureate bust to left of Licinius I, holding sceptre and mappa, around IMP LICINIVS AVG, rev. camp gate three turrets, seven stone layers, around PROVIDEN TIAE AVGG, HTB in exergue, (S.15264, RIC 15); Constantine I, (A.D. 307-337), AE folles, issued 329-330, Cyzicus mint, 3.98 g, obv. rosette diademed bust to right of Constantine, around CONSTANTINI MAX AVGG, rev. camp gate two turrets, star above, seven stone layers, around PROVIDEN TIAE AVGG, SMKA in exergue, (cf.S.16031, RIC 61); Constantinopolis, commemorative issue, AE folles, issued 332-3, Trier mint, (1.84 g), obv. helmeted bust of Constantinopolis to left, around CONSTAN TINOPOLIS, rev. Victory standing left on prow, in exergue TR.S, (S.16445, RIC 543). *Toned, very fine - good very fine, scarce.* (4)

\$150

Ex S.J. Green Collection, from Noble Numismatics Sale 116 (lot 4957).



Part

2377*

Maximinus II (309-313 AD), AE follis, Trier Mint, issued 310-313, (4.55 g), obv. laureate head right, around IMP MAXIMINVS AVG, rev. Genius standing left, towered, loins draped, holding patera and cornucopiae, around GENIO POP ROM, T F across, PTR below, (S.14857, RIC 851a) (illustrated); another similar, (3.51 g); Licinius I, (A.D. 308-324), AE folles, Trier Mint, issued 313-5, (4.56 g), obv. Licinius laureate draped and cuirassed bust right, around IMP LICINIVS P F AVG, rev. Genius standing left, holding patera and cornucopiae, GENIO POP ROM, T F in left and right field, PTR in exergue, (S.3796, RIC 58 [R3]); another, (3.65 g); others, (3.06 and 3.30 g), (RIC 120). *Toning, good very fine - extremely fine.* (6)

\$140

Ex S.J. Green Collection, from Noble Numismatics Sale 122 (lot 3380 part).

2378

Licinius, (A.D. 308-324), billon follis (3.7 g), Siscia Mint, obv. IMP LIC LICINIVS PF AVG around laureate head right, rev. IOVI CONSERVATORI around Jupiter standing left, holding Victory on glove and sceptre, eagle at foot to left, E in right field, SIS in exergue, (S.15211)(RIC VII 432, 8-11); another similiar (3.23 g), D in right field, (S.15211)(RIC VII 432, 8-11); another similiar (3.90 g), Cyzicus Mint, obv. IMP C VAL LICIN LICINIVS PF AVG around laureate head right, rev. IOVI CONSERVATORI AVGG around Jupiter standing left, holding Victory on glove and sceptre eagle at foot left, I in right field, SKM in exergue, (S.15237)(RIC VII 9)(C.114); another similiar, (3.69 g), Siscia Mint, rev. IOVI CONSERVATORI AVGG NN, B in right field, SIS in exergue (S.15249)(RIC VI 232a); another similiar (3.37 g), Cyzicus Mint, G in right field, SMK in exergue, (S.15219)(RIC VII 105a). *Very good - very fine.* (5)

\$150

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.



Part

2379*

Constantine I, (A.D. 307-308), AE Follis, Treveri Mint, (6.90 g), obv. around IMP CONSTANTINVS P F AVG, laureate bust to right of Constantine I cuirassed viewed from the front, rev. MARTI PATRI PROPVGNATORI around, PTR in exergue, S to left and A to right in field, Mars, naked but for chlamys, advancing to right, holding a transverse spear in right hand and in left arm a shield, (S.16008, RIC 776); other folles of Constantine including rev. Jupiter, (RIC 58); rev. Sol, (RIC 20); rev. two Victories, (RIC 83); rev. camp gate, (RIC 154). *Toning, good fine - good very fine.* (5)

\$100

Ex Stephen J Bridges Collection.



2380*

Constantine I, 307/10-337 AD, AE3 or centenionalis, (3.38g), Heraclea Mint, 4th officina, issued 327-9 AD, obv. pearl diademed bust of Constantine right, eyes looking upwards to heaven, CONSTANTINVS AVG, rev. DN CONSTANTINI MAX AVG around wreath containing VOT XXX, SMHA in exergue (cf S.16231, RIC VII Heraclea 92); Salonina, Wife of Gallienus, 260-68 AD, billon antoninianus, (2.05g), Rome Mint, obv. CORN SALONINA AVG, diademed and draped bust right, crescent behind, rev. Salonina seated left holding olive branch and spear, AVG IN PACE around, MS

in exergue. *Attractive olive patine, nearly extremely fine, scarce bust type; uneven planchet, very fine.* (2)

\$100

Private purchase from Marc R. Breitsprecher (USA).

2381

Constantine I and II, AE centenionalis (folles) issues, issued 320-321 A.D., both with centre of reverse VOT /XX for Constantine I, (A.D. 307-337), Rome Mint, (RQ in exergue), (S.16211, RIC 245, C.126); another similar Thessalonica Mint (TSEVI in exergue), (S.16221, RIC 101); Constantine II as Caesar (A.D. 337-337), with centre of reverse VOT X, issued 320-1, Thessalonica Mint (TSB VI n exergue), (S.17195, RIC 122). *Good very fine - extremely fine.* (3)

\$150



2382*

Constantius II, (337 - 361 AD), silver siliqua, (2.82 g), Nicomedia Mint, issued 353-5 AD, obv. diademed bust right, DN CONSTANTIVS PF AVG around, rev. VOTIS XXX MVLTVS XXXX in four lines enclosed by wreath, SMN in exergue (S.17940, RIC 103). *Extremely fine.*

\$300

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection, private purchase from Inciatus Coins.

2383

Constantius II, (A.D. 327-329), billon centenionalis (2.88 g), Antioch Mint, obv. FL IVL CONSTANTIVS IVN NOB C around laureate, draped and cuirassed bust left, rev. PROVIDENTIA CAESS around campgate surmounted by two turrets, star above, dot under arch of gateway, SMANTA in exergue (S.15657)(RIC VII 74a); another similiar, (1.91 g), Siscia Mint, obv. FL IVL CONSTANTIVS NOB C around laureate, cuirassed bust right, rev. GLORIA EXERCITVS around two soldiers holding spears and shields with standard between them, gamma SIS star in exergue, (S.17689)(RIC VII 237); another similiar, (6.60 g), Constantinople Mint, obv. DN CONSTANTIVS PF AVG around pearl-diademed, draped and cuirassed bust right, rev. FEL TEMP REPARATIO around soldier spearing fallen horseman, G in left field, CONSG in exergue (S.18148)(RIC VIII 79). *Very good - very fine.* (3)

\$120

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.

2384

Julian II, (A.D. 360-363), AE double maiorina, issued 361-363, Heraclea Mint, (9.10 g), obv. around D N FL CL IVLI ANVS P F AVG, pearl diademed bust to right of Julian II, rev. bull standing to right, two stars above, around SECVRITAS REIPVB, in exergue .HERACL.A., (S.19154, RIC VIII 104, L.1907). *Exceptional example, well centered and boldly struck on a full round flan, dark brown patina, minor oxidation spots, otherwise extremely fine and rare.*

\$200

2385

Julian II, (A.D. 360-363), AE 1 (double maiorina), (7.99 g), issued 362-363, Cyzicus Mint, obv. around D N FL CL IVLI ANVS P F AVG, pearl diademed bust to right of Julian II, rev. bull standing to right, two stars above, around SECVRITAS REIPVB, in exergue CVZΓ, (S.19161, RIC 127, L.2511). *Dark green brown patina, extremely fine and rare.*

\$300



2386*

Valens, (A.D. 364-378), silver siliqua (1.48g), Antioch mint, issued 373-4, obv. diademed, draped, and cuirassed bust right, DN VALENS PF AVG, rev. VOT X MVLT XX in 4 lines all within wreath, ANT in exergue, dot before (S.19699, RIC IX 34b2). *Toned, flan crack to through T in VOT to edge of wreath, scratch from 9 to M in MVLT, very fine.*

\$200

Ex Stephen J. Bridges Collection.

2389*

Justin II, with Sophia, (A.D. 565-578), bronze nummus, Nicomedia mint, obv. Justin and Sophia enthroned facing, nimbate and crowned, rev. large M, cross above and b below, ANNO to left, NIKO in exergue (SB 369; MIB II 46a). *Fine.*

\$60

Ex R. Pankhurst Collection.

2390

Maurice Tiberius, (A.D. 582-602), AE follis, Cyzicus Mint, (11.78 g), obv. facing bust wearing crown, rev. M, mintmark KYZ, date year 7 = 588-9, Officina B, (S.518, DOC 123b, R.1117). *Extremely fine, off centred on the obverse, scarce.*

\$100

Ex Davissons Ltd, USA, Auction Sale 10, April 1998 (lot 167), from Noble Numismatics Sale 86 (lot 3509 part) with auction ticket from Davissons Ltd.

BYZANTINE SILVER AND BRONZE

2387

Justinian I, (527-565), AE follis, Constantinople Mint, (22.83 g) issued year 12 = 538-9, officina Γ, obv. Justinian bust facing, DN IVSTINI ANVS PP AVC, rev. M, Γ below, year XII, CON in exergue, large thin flan, (S.163, DOC.37c, BMC 42, R.494). *Dark green and brown patination, nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$80

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 117, lot 4958. Previously Dr. V.J.A. Flynn Collection from A.H. Baldwin & Sons Ltd., with ticket.

The first year of issue of the new large and heavy type folles.



2391*

Heraclius, (610-41), 40 nummi countermark on a copper follis of Justinian I (527-65), obv. countermark crowned and draped facing bust of Heraclius, monogram to right within circular incuse, rev. countermark SCL within circular incuse (S.882 [countermark]). *Host coin good/ nearly fine, countermarks very fine.*

\$100

Ex Alan McRae Collection, with his display ticket.



2388*

Justin II, (A.D. 565-578), AE follis, (15.28 g), obv. Justin & Sophia seated facing, rev. M, cross above, and year, Theoupolis (Antioch) Mint, mint mark THEUP', year 5 = 569-570, officina Γ, (S.379, DOC 150c). *Good very fine.*

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 139 (lot 4401).

Ex The Roman Connection, from Noble Numismatics Sale 86 (lot 3509 part), with descriptive priced (\$95 US) ticket.



Part

2392*

Byzantine, bronze issues, Justin I, bronze half follis, (8.59 g), obv. diademed and cuirassed bust right, rev. large K, long cross to left, star above and below, officina letter to right (punch mark and flan crack, unclear) (SB.69); Justin II and Sophia, (565-578), bronze half follis, (5.16 g), Antioch Mint, RY 12, obv. Justin II and Sophia nimbate and enthroned, holding globe surmounted by long cross between, each holding long sceptre, rev. large K, ANNO to left, cross above, officina letter below, IIU to right (SB.831)k another similar, Thessalonica mint, (5.48 g); another similar, Rome mint, rev. large XX, ANNO to left, cross above, officina mark below, [ROM] in exergue (SB.404); 9SB.366); Maurice Tiberius (582-602), bronze follis, (11.76 g), Constantinople Mint, RY 7 (588/89), obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust facing, holding shield and globus cruciger, rev. Large M, ANNO to left, date and officina to right, Γ below, CON in exergue (SB.494); Basil I, bronze follis, (6.22 g), Syracuse mint, obv. facing bust of Basil and Constantine, rev. legend in five lines (SB.1721); unidentified trachy and unidentified 9th-10th century follis. *Majority fine - very fine, last poor.* (8)

\$150