

ANCIENT GOLD COINS



3546\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of Philip II, (359-336 B.C.), gold stater, (8.62 grams), Pella mint, issued period III, c.323/2-c.315 B.C., obv. head of Apollo to right with laureate wreath, thunderbolt symbol below, rev. galloping biga driven by charioteer holding kentrion in right hand, reins in left hand, helmet below, in exergue ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, (cf.S.6663, cf SNG Cop. 531, Le Rider unreported die mating [dies obv. D188/rev.R321]), *good extremely fine, lustrous, and wonderfully centered, the finest auctioned by this firm, and very rare.*

\$9,000



3547\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Philip III, (323-316 B.C.), gold stater, (8.530 grams), Aradus mint, issued 323-316 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right in crested Corinthian helmet, ornamented with a griffin, rev. Nike standing to left, holding wreath in outstretched hand and trident, traces of buckle over crescent on A, to right ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ, (cf.S.6746; Price P11, M.-, BMC P11). *Has been in ring mounted, sweated surface, uncertain mintmark, otherwise good fine.*

\$850



3548\*

**Thrace**, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), gold stater, (8.470 grams), Pella mint, issue c.286/5-282/1 B.C., obv. diademed head of Alexander the Great to right, wearing horn of Ammon, rev. Athena enthroned to left, holding Nike and resting left arm on shield, transverse spear resting against right side to right, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, MTO monogram to left, K in exergue, Σ on throne, (cf. S.6813, Th.241 [Essays to S.Robinson, Plate 22]). *File marks on edge, surface marks, otherwise very fine and very rare.*

\$1,500



3549\*

**Thrace**, Kingdom of, Coson, (c.42 B.C.), gold stater, (8.648 grams), Northern Greece mint, obv. three togate figures advancing to left, the first and third carrying an axe over left shoulder, ΚΟΣΩΝ in exergue, Brutus's monogram to left, rev. eagle standing to left on sceptre, holding wreath in one claw, (S.1733, BMC 2, Winkler 4). *Nearly extremely fine and virtually as struck, rare.*

\$1,000



3550\*

**Lesbos**, Mytilene, c.412-378 B.C., electrum hektemete (2.404 grams), Bodenstedt dates 410 B.C., obv. forepart of winged lion to left, rev. Sphinx seated to right all within linear square, (cf.S.4243 [£850]; Bodenstedt 63 [same die as obv. f/ rev.-], Boston 1694-6, BMC 35, Weber 5608). *Attractive, fine and rare.*

\$700

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 77 (lot 3064). Bodenstedt notes 27 examples of this type from 7 obverse and 9 reverse dies. Most examples known are in published collections. Appears to be a new reverse die.



3551\*

**Asia Minor**, uncertain Ionian mint (Miletus?), electrum forty-eighth stater, (0.346 grams), c.late 7th - early 6th century B.C., obv. head of seal to left, rev. Rough incuse square. (S. -, cf.ACNAC Rosen 334, SNG von Aulock Sup. 7781). *Good very fine and very rare.*

\$1,100

Ex Baldwin's London, Auction Sale No.50, April 24, 2007 (lot 38).



3552\*

**Persia - Lydia**, Achaemenid Empire, Persian Imperial Coinage (c.485-420 B.C.), struck in period of Darius I - Xerxes I, gold daric, (8.410 grams), 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). *Extremely fine, with underlying mint bloom, scarce.*

\$3,500



3553\*

**Phocas**, (A.D. 602-610), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, (4.430 grams), issued A.D. 607-610, Officina E, obv. Phocas facing bust, bearded, wearing cuirass, paludamentum and crown, holding cross, around dNN (sic) FOCAS PERP AV, rev. Angel facing, holding in right hand long staff, with partial chi-rho symbol at top, in left hand globe with cross above, around VICTORIA AVGU E, (S.620, DOC 10e.6-7, cf.BMC 6-7, cf.T.9, R.-). *Extremely fine, proof-like field, nearly as struck with some mint bloom.*

\$600

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3345). The dNN in the obverse legend is known on various issues in DOC eg in illustrated numbers 10e.7.



3554\*

**Phocas**, (A.D. 602-610), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, (4.440 grams), issued A.D. 607-610, Officina I, obv. Phocas facing bust, bearded, wearing cuirass, paludamentum and crown, holding cross, around DN FOCAS PERP AVI, rev. Angel facing, holding in right hand long staff, with partial chi-rho symbol at top, in left hand globe with cross above, around VICTORIA AVGU I, (S.621, DOC 11c, BMC -, T.22, R.-). *Scratches in fields, otherwise very fine.*

\$280



3555\*

**Constans II**, (641-668), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued 647, (4.430 grams), officina Δ, obv. bust facing of Constans with very slight beard, wearing chlamys and crown, around dN CONStAN TINUS PP AV, rev. cross potent on base and three steps, below CONOB, around VICTORIA AVGUΔ, E in right field, (S.942 (£300 EF), DOC (5b), BMC 12 = T.25). *With trace of mint bloom, extremely fine/good very fine and rare.*

\$600

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3346). The E on the reverse refers to Indiction 5 and this was in 647.



3556\*

**Constantine IV**, (668-685), gold tremissis, Constantinople mint, (1.440 grams), obv. diademed, draped and cuirassed bust to right, around [d N CON]STAN TINUS PP [AV], rev. cross potent on base, around VICTORIA AVGUS, (S.1162, DOC 17, BMC 19-22, T.110, R.171-2). *Weak in places, otherwise very fine.*

\$140



3557\*

**Justinian II**, (first reign 685-695), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued 687-692, (4.234 grams), officina A, obv. bust facing of Justinian with slight beard, wearing chlamys and crown, holding cross on globe, around DIUS[TINIA NU]S PE AV, rev. cross potent on base and three steps, below CONOBΓ, around VICTORIA AVGU A, (S.1247, DOW 6a, BMC 9 = T.2). *Edge has been lightly filed in places, otherwise nearly extremely fine and a rare variety.*

\$600

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 77 (lot 3073).



3558\*

**Theophilus**, (A.D. 829-842), gold solidus, issued at Syracuse mint in A.D. 831-842, (3.44 grams), obv. facing bust of Theophilus, crowned with cross, holding cross potent and wearing chlamys, around ΘEO FILOS, rev. facing bust of Theophilus, wearing loros, cross on head, holding cross on globe, around ΘEO FILOS, (S.1670, DOC 24, BMC 31-33, R.-). *Extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$600



3559\*

**Romanus I and Christopher**, (A.D.920-944), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued from A.D. 921-930, (4.38 grams), obv. Christ enthroned facing wearing nimbus, raising right hand in benediction, also holding Gospels, around + Ihs XPS REX REGNANTIUM\*, rev. ROMAN' ET XPISTOFO AUGG' b' around, facing busts of Romanus I with short beard and Christopher, both crowned, between them long patriarchal cross, (S.1745, DOC 7, R.1892). *Extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$1,000



3560\*

**Constantine VII and Romanus II**, (A.D.913-959), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued from A.D. 945, (4.11 grams), obv. Christ facing bust wearing nimbus, raising right hand in benediction, also holding Gospels, around + Ihs XPS REX REgNANTIUM around, rev. traces of 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). *Very fine and scarce.*

\$400

3561

**Constantine X**, Ducas, (A.D. 1059-1067), follis, Constantinople mint, obv. Christ bust facing with nimbus, IC-XC across, legend around, rev. Constantine bust facing with cross, (S.1854, DOC. 9). *Weak in places, all overstruck on earlier issues, otherwise fine.* (3)

\$40

Ex Paul Farquarson Collection, Noble Numismatics Sale 53 (lot 2737) and Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3707).



3562\*

**Nicophorus III**, (A.D.1078-1081), electrum gold histamenon nomisma (scyphate), Constantinople mint, (4.61 grams), obv. bearded Christ enthroned no back, facing, wearing nimbus, raising right hand, in left hand the Gospels, IC XC across, double dotted border, rev. +ΝΙΚΗΦ ΔΕC T W ROTANIAT, around bust of Nicophorus facing, bearded wearing crown and loros, holding labarum with X on shaft and globe with cross, (S.1881, DOC 3, BMC 7-11, R.2051-2). *Good bust of bearded Christ, good very fine and scarce.*

\$450



3563\*

**John III**, Empire of Nicaea, (A.D.1222-1254), scyphate gold hyperpyron, Magnesia mint, (4.452 grams), obv. Christ seated facing on throne, wearing nimbus, raising right hand, IC XC across, cross of four dots in field to left and right, rev. half length figures of John on left and Virgin crowning him on the right, traces of legend in field, (cf.S.2073, DOC (4h), Num. Chron. 1980 Metcalf "Agrinion Hoard" No.72 illustrates variety, cf.Hendy Pl.32, 2). *Nearly extremely fine and very rare variant.*

\$450

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 64 (lot 2172) and Sale 77 (lot 3076).



3564\*

**Andronicus II and Andronicus III**, (1325-1328 or later), joint reign, gold hyperpyron (scyphate), Constantinople mint, (3.302 grams), obv. bust of Virgin within city walls and four towers, control letters N X to left and right, rev. Andronicus II and Andronicus III to left and right with Christ standing between both emperors, traces of partial legend downwards of each emperor, (S.2461, Bendall PCPC cf.185 var.15, DOC 503). *Small flan, very weak in places as usual, otherwise fine - very fine.*

\$280

## GREEK SILVER & BRONZE COINS



3565\*

**Spain**, Hispalis, Tiberius, with Germanicus and Drusus, (14-37), AE 29, (14.22 grams), obv. laureate head left of Tiberius to left, around PERM DIVI AVG [COL R]OM, rev. confronted heads of Germanicus and Drusus, around DRVSVS CAESAR GERMANICVS CAESAR, (S.333, C.2, Heiss 3 [p.393]). *Off centred obverse, otherwise nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$140

3566

**Italy**, Campania, Hyria, (c.405-400 B.C.), silver stater or nomos, (6.915 grams), obv. head of helmeted Athena to left, crested helmet, with owl and wreath on helmet, rev. man-headed bull to right, above traces of YDINA retrograde, (cf. S.294 [£200], Rutter 41 [obv. die 26, rev. die 35], Hunter 9 [same dies], Weber 315 [same dies]). *Off centred on obverse, otherwise very good, rare.*

\$80

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 60 (lot 1736) and Sale 79 (lot 3356). Almost all examples known from this mint are worn coins. Only four examples are known from this die combination and two of these are in the public collections.



3567\*

**Italy**, Campania, Neapolis, (c.395-385 B.C.), silver stater, (7.09 grams), obv. head of female (nymph) to right, with diadem, rev. man-headed bull to left, Nike above flying to left, below O, in exergue ΝΕΟΠΟΛΙΤ[ΩΝ], (cf.S.299 [£225], Rutter 182 [obv. die 114, rev. die 165], BMC 34). *Attractive grey tone, fine/good fine, very scarce.*

\$180

Ex Dr. Colin Burnside Collection, and previously from Noble Numismatics Sale 58 (lot 3458). Most examples of this period that come from this mint are worn coins. Eleven examples are known from this die combination.



3568\*

**Italy**, Campania, Neapolis, (c.300-280 B.C.), silver nomos, stater or didrachm, (6.89 grams), obv. head of nymph to right, pileus behind neck, Σ monogram before neck, rev. man-headed bull walking to right, crowned by Nike flying right; below MTO monogram below in exergue [NEOΠΟΛΙΤΩΝ], (cf.S.308, Sambon 449a, SNG ANS 322, HN 571, SNG France 799); another similar (7.04 grams), obv. similar but with Artemis with torch to right behind neck, XAPI below, rev. similar MY monogram below, (Sambon 466, HN 579, SNG Cop.419, McClean 256); another similar issued 317/310-300 B.C., (7.16 grams), obv. similar, rev. similar EYΞ below, (cf.Sambon 477, SNG ANS 370, SNG France 749); another similar (7.26 grams), obv. similar APΦ monogram before, rev. similar O below, (Sambon 475, SNG ANS 376, SNG Cop. 433); *Mostly short on flan, some off centred, otherwise, Fine - very fine.* (4)

\$450



3569\*

**Italy**, Campania, Neapolis, silver didrachm or nomos, 326/317-310 B.C., (7.40 grams), Obv. Head of nymph right wearing diadem and earring, Rev. Man-headed bull walking right, head facing, crowned by Nike flying right above, below [OΛ] YM [ΠΙ], exergue line, and below [NEWPOLITHS], (cf.S.307, Sambon 450 [p.224 same dies], HN 571 [p.70], cf.SNG France 707 [Pl.53] Series 20 Atti VII [p.143-4, notes 12 examples in collections), BMC 53, McClean 248, SNG Cop.405, SNG ANS 325 [same dies]). *Toned, good fine, short on flan on reverse and rare.*

\$200



3570\*

**Italy**, Campania, Neapolis, silver didrachm or nomos, 317/310-300 B.C., (7.25 grams), Obv. Head of nymph right wearing diadem, earring and necklace, Artemis with two torches behind neck, APTEMI below bust, Rev. Man-headed bull walking right, head facing, crowned by Nike flying right above, below N reversed, exergue line, and below NEOΠΟΛΙΤΩΝ[N], (cf.S.307, Sambon 460b (p.226), HN 579 (p.70), cf.SNG France 782 (Pl.57 same dies), Series 67 Atti VII (p.162-3, notes 14 examples in collections), Montenegro 773 [R, gVF \$750], Hunter 24, SNG ANS 340 (Pl.10 same dies), Jameson 49, SNG Milan 108). *Lightly toned, very fine or better and rare.*

\$400



3571\*

**Italy**, Campania, Neapolis, (c.326/317-290 B.C.), silver nomos, stater or didrachm, (7.38 grams), obv. head of nymph to right, cantharus behind neck, XAPI below neck, rev. man-headed bull walking to right, crowned by Nike flying right; below K, below in exergue [NEO]ΠΟΛΙΤΩΝ, (cf.S.308, Sambon 467b, SNG ANS 356 [same dies], HN 579, SNG France 735). *Slightly short on flan on reverse, otherwise, toned and nearly very fine.*

\$180

3572

**Italy**, Campania, Neapolis, silver didrachms or nomoi, 317/310-300 B.C., (7.40, 7.12, 6.75, grams), Obv. Head of nymph right wearing diadem and earring, X behind, Rev. Man-headed bull walking right, head facing, crowned by Nike flying right above, below EYΞ, (cf.S.307, Sambon 477, HN 579, cf.SNG France 749-753 [Pl.55] Cantilena Series 56 Atti VII [p.143-4, notes 54 examples in collections), BMC 67-68, SNG ANS 370); another similar (6.96 grams), obv. with Thessalian helmet behind, rev. Θ below (Sambon -, Cantilena Series 36 (6 examples noted), McClean 262, SNG ANS 348); another similar 300-280 B.C., (7.11 grams), obv. with Artemis to right with torch, (cf.S.307, cf.SNG France 791, Cantilena Series 73 (28 examples in collections), BMC 87, SNG ANS 352-4). *Mostly with dark tone, otherwise very good - fine, some off-centred.* (5)

\$200



3573\*

**Italy**, Campania, Neapolis, (c.317/310-290 B.C.), silver nomos, stater or didrachm, (7.32 grams), obv. head of nymph to right, X behind neck, plain below neck, rev. man-headed bull walking to right, crowned by Nike flying right; below EYΞ, below in exergue [N]EΠΟΛΙΤΩΝ, (cf.S.308, cf.Sambon 477, SNG ANS 370, HN 579, BMC 67, cf.SNG France 749). *Off centred obverse, short on flan on reverse, otherwise, good very fine.*

\$120



3574\*

**Italy**, Campania, Neapolis, (c.275-250 B.C.), AE 18, (5.446 grams), obv. head of Apollo laureate to left, before NEOΠΟΛΙΤΩΝ[N], rev. man-headed bull walking to right, crowned by Nike flying right above, below plain, trace of ΣΙ in exergue, (cf.S.557, HN 589, Talienco Group IIIa, cf.Sambon 686, SNG Paris 1013 [similar dies], cf.BMC 222-4 [p.115]). *Dark green patina, good very fine and rare.*

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3359).



3575\*

**Italy**, Calabria, Taras, (272-235 B.C.), silver nomos, stater or didrachm, (6.356 grams), obv. naked rider crowning stationary horse to right, below ΦΙΛΙΚΚΟC, rev. Taras astride a dolphin to left, holding kantharos and trident, below dolphin, tripod, TAPAΣ to right, (cf.S.374, cf.VI.888, cf.SNG ANS 1206-7). *Dark tone, slightly off centred on obverse, otherwise very fine.*

\$250

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3361) and Guido Bernardi, Trieste with his ticket (US \$280) and Noble Numismatics Sale 61 (lot 2563).



3576\*

**Italy**, Lucania, Thurium (Thourioi), (350 -300 B.C.), silver nomos, stater or didrachm, (7.428 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing crested Athenian helmet, ornamented with figure of Scylla, rev. bull butting to right, [YOYPIΩN] and I below bull, tunny fish below in exergue, dotted exergual line, (cf.S.447; SNG ANS 1058/9 [similar dies]). *Minor edge roughness on reverse, otherwise very fine and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3364) and Noble Numismatics Sale 59 (lot 1794).



3577\*

**Italy**, Lucania, Sybaris (new Sybaris later called Thurium), (443-425 B.C.), silver triobol, (1.055 grams), obv. head of Athena to right, wearing crested Athenian helmet, rev. bull standing to right, looking back, ΣΥΒΑ in exergue, (S.433 [£150], SNG ANS 862-8, SNG Cop.1403-4, BMC 33). *Good fine and rare.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3363) and Noble Numismatics Sale 61 (lot 2571). A new Athenian colony on the site of the ruined city of Sybaris which was destroyed shortly afterwards. The coin reflects the transition between the old city and the next city that evolved in 425 B.C. called Thurium.

3578

**Italy**, Lucania, Velia, (c.350/340-320/310 B.C.), Lucanian imitation of silver nomos, stater or didrachm, (7.26 grams), Period VI, Kleudoros workshop, obv. head of Athena to left, wearing crested Phrygian helmet, KE monogram behind neck, rev. lion standing to left devouring meat, in exergue traces of YEΛHTΩN, (cf.S.454, cf.Williams 384, cf.SNG Cop 1564, BMC 81); Pisidia, Antioch, Caracalla, (A.D. 198-217), AE 23, (5.42 grams), obv. Caracalla laureate head to right, around IMP CAES M A[VR AN]T0, rev. Tyche of city standing to left with branch and cornucopiae, around ANTI [OCH CAES] COL, (cf.S.2608, cf.BMC 42-3, SNG Cop. 41-42). *Both about fine or better.* (2)

\$100



3579\*

**Italy**, Bruttium, Caulonia, (420-410 B.C.), silver nomos, stater or didrachm (7.634 grams), obv. Apollo naked to right, holding a branch, dolphin either side of Apollo, ☉ below, rev. stag to right, traces of ethnic around, (S.462, Noe 174 [same dies], Jameson 415 [same dies], SNG ANS 210). *Off centred reverse, very fine and rare.*

\$450

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3365). Noe notes five examples from these dies.



3580\*

**Italy**, Bruttium, Croton, (300-275 B.C.), half stater, (3.030 grams), obv. P O, male head (Heracles) to right, rev. KPO, owl standing left, corn-ear at feet, (S.476, SNG ANS 421, SNG Cop. 1309). *Obverse slightly off centred, toned, about very fine/very fine.*

\$1,000

Ex Baldwin's London, Auction Sale No.50, April 24, 2007 (lot 6).



3581\*

**Sicily**, Centoripae, (344-336 B.C.), AE drachm or litra, (32.25 grams, one of the largest ancient Greek bronzes), obv. head of Kore-Persephone crowned with ears of corn, four dolphins around to right, rev. crouching panther with arched back walking left with raised right paw, (S.1080, SNG ANS 1305, Calciati III, 165, 1). *Good Fine and well centered with pleasing dark green patina, rare.*

\$2,000

Ex Baldwins New York Sale, January 2007 (lot 32), with ticket.



3582\*

**Sicily**, Gela, (c.440-430 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.512 grams), obv. slow quadriga driven right by male charioteer holding reins, Nike above crowning horses, dotted border, rev. forepart of man headed bull to right with long beard, weakly above ΓΕΛΑΣ, (cf.S.795, Jenkins 379, obv. 77, rev. 156 [notes fourteen examples known of these dies], SNG ANS 72). *Has porosity in fields, but a distinctive pair of dies, very fine/nearly very fine and a scarce die combination.*

\$400

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 61 (lot 2583).



3583\*

**Sicily**, Syracuse, (c. 485-478 B.C. revised date 467-461), silver tetradrachm, (16.50 grams), obv. fast walking quadriga driven to right by bearded male charioteer, Nike flying right crowning horses, rev. ΣΥΠΑΚΟ Σ ΙΟΝ around to right, head of Artemis-Arethusa to right, hair slightly waved and hanging below neck under diadem of beads, four dolphins around, (cf.S.914, Boehringer 117 same dies (obverse 53/reverse 42 dies), BMC 26 [same dies], Weber 1555 [same dies]). *Lightly toned, nearly very fine and very rare.*

\$500

Boehringer notes only seven specimens from these dies. The lower dating of this tetradrachm follows D. Knoepfler (SNR 72 [1993] pp.12-27), who argued that four of the Boehringer's series were minted concurrently, using several anvils, until 461 or a little later, when production decreased dramatically and only one anvil was required.



3584\*

**Sicily**, Syracuse, (c.485-478 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.31 grams), obv. fast walking quadriga driven to right by bearded male charioteer, Nike flying right crowning horses, rev. ΣΥΠΑΚΟ Σ ΙΟΝ around to right, head of Artemis-Arethusa to right, hair slightly waved and turned up behind under diadem of beads, four dolphins around, (cf.S.914, Boehringer 138 same dies (obverse 62/reverse 95 dies), SNG Munich 941 [same dies]). *Toned, good very fine and very rare.*

\$1,200

Ex Spink Australia Sale 10, (lot 1538 illustrated) and Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3371). Boehringer notes only four specimens from these dies.



3585\*

**Sicily**, Syracuse, (c. 485-478 B.C. revised date 467-461), silver tetradrachm, (17.048 grams), obv. fast walking quadriga driven to right by bearded male charioteer, Nike flying right crowning horses, rev. ΣΥΠΑ ΚΟ Σ Ι Ο Ν around to right, head of Artemis-Arethusa to right, hair slightly waved and running down behind her neck, four dolphins around, (cf. S.914, Boehringer 195 same dies (obverse 87/reverse 134 dies), SNG ANS 62 [same dies]). *Bright, good very fine and very rare.*

\$1,700

Ex Pegasi Numismatics, with his ticket (USS1950). Boehringer notes only two specimens from these dies. The lower dating of this tetradrachm follows D. Knoepfler (SNR 72 [1993] pp.12-27), who argued that four of the Boehringer's series were minted concurrently, using several anvils, until 461 or a little later, when production decreased dramatically and only one anvil was required.



3586\*

**Sicily**, Syracuse, (400-370 B.C.), silver decadrachm, (41.97 grams), obv. charioteer driving fast quadriga left, Nike flying above holding fillet, armour and helmet on steps in exergue, rev. head of Artemis-Arethusa to left, surrounded by four dolphins (two visible), scallop shell behind the neck, [ΣΥ ΠΑ Κ Ο Σ ΙΟΝ] legend above, (cf.S.954; Gallatin dies F.VIII/XV; SNG Lockett 991 [same dies]; de Luynes 1247[same dies]). *With original hoard patination, reverse die with surface corrosion, coin of fine style with a well centred obverse die, with minimum wear, otherwise nearly extremely fine/ very fine and rare.*

\$9,000

Gallatin notes only 6 specimens from these dies.



3587\*

**Sicily**, Syracuse, period of Timoleon, (344-336 B.C.), AE litra, AE 29, (33.15 grams), obv. head of Athena wearing Corinthian helmet to left bound with olive wreath, to left ΣΥΡΑ, rev. starfish between two dolphins with central pellet, (S.1189, BMC 287, SNG ANS 454-469, Weber 1630). *Black shiny patina, clear ethnic, very fine and very scarce.*

\$300

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3375) and previously from the Patrick Cooper Collection with his tickets and that acquired from Glendining's, London December 8, 1981 (lot 13), with his tickets.



3588\*

**Sicily**, Syracuse, period of Timoleon, (344-336 B.C.), AE litra, AE 28, (34.73 grams), obv. head of Athena wearing Corinthian helmet to left bound with olive wreath, to left [ΣΥΡΑ], rev. starfish between two dolphins with central pellet, (S.1189, BMC 287, SNG ANS 454-469, Weber 1630). *Black shiny patina, off centred, ethnic off flan, fine and very scarce.*

§130



3589\*

**Sicily**, Syracuse, period of Timoleon, (344-336 B.C.), hemilitron, AE 25, (11.88 grams), obv. head of Zeus Eleutherios laureate to right, around ΙΕΥΣ ΕΛΕΥΘΕΡΙΟΣ, rev. thunderbolt, eagle standing to right in right field, around ΣΥΡΑΚ ΟΣΙΩΝ, (S.1192, BMC 313, SNG ANS 477-488, Calciati 71, Weber 1653). *Dark brown tone with earthy patina, uneven flan, otherwise very fine and very scarce.*

§150

3590

**Sicily**, Syracuse, time of Timoleon, (344-306 B.C., Calciati dates 405-395 B.C.), AE 16, (hemilitron) (7.904 grams), obv. head of Athena to right, wearing Corinthian helmet, traces of ΣΥΡΑ before, rev. Hippocamp to left with curled wings, (S.1193, Calciati 34, BMC 292, SNG ANS 426-433); another AE 18, (310-304 B.C.), (4.82 grams), obv. Head of Kore to left with corn ears in hair, rev. Bull butting to left, club and ΛΥ monogram above, trace of IE in exergue, (S.1218, Calciati 199 (p.404), SNG Munich 1228), another Rule of Pyrrhos, (278-276 B.C.), AE 21, obv. Herakles head to left, in lion skin, rev. Athena Promachos to right brandishing a thundrbolt and holding a shield, around ΣΥΡΑ ΚΟΣΙΩΝ, (S.1214, Calciati 178 [p.325], BMC 505, SNG Cop. 814); period of Hieron II, AE 17, (275-216 B.C.), (5.73 grams), obv. Head of Persophone or Kore to left, wreathed with corn, rev. Bull butting right, above club and letter M, in exergue H, (S.1218, SNG Cop.866). *Very good - nearly very fine all different issues with several scarce. (4)*

§160



Lot 3591

3591\*

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

§100

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



3592\*

**Sicily**, Syracuse, reign of Agathokles, (317-285 B.C.), AE 20, (8.27 grams), obv. bust of Artemis to right, quiver at shoulder behind, ΣΩΤΕΙΡΑ. rev. above and below winged thunderbolt [ΑΓ]ΑΘΟΚΛΕΟ[Σ] / [Β]ΑΣΙΛΕΟΣ, (S.1200, BMC 422, McClean 2858, SNG ANS 708ff.); Syracuse, Hieron II, (275-216 B.C.), AE 19, (6.324 grams), obv. Poseidon head to left wearing tainia, rev. ornamented trident-head, between two dolphins, dividing ΙΕΡ ΩΝΟΣ below, Ο Φ below, (cf.S.1223, BMC 671). *First with black patina, second with a brown patina, both very fine and scarce. (2)*

§120

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection with his tickets and previously acquired from Allan Cherry, Bournemouth, at London Coin Fair September 1999 for the first coin; second coin from Glendining's London January 17, 1979 (lot 31 part).

3593

**Sicily**, Syracuse, Hieron II, (275-216 B.C.), AE 18-19, (6.28, 6.57, 4.83 grams), obv. Poseidon head to left wearing tainia, rev. ornamented trident-head, between two dolphins, dividing ΙΕΡ ΩΝΟΣ below, additional letters AT, uncertain and LY, (cf. S.1223, cf.SNG Cop. 854, cf.BMC 634-5.). *Brown patina, fine - good very fine, obverses better. (3)*

§150

3594

**Sicily**, Tyndaris, AE 21, (c.287-276 B.C.), (5.46 grams), obv. female head (Persephone) to left, hair loosely rolled over forehead, bound with cord and loose behind, rev. the Dioscuri to left, on prancing horses, chlamydes floating out behind, above traces of ΣΩΤΗΡΕΣ, on plain exergue line, (S.1247, Calciati 12 [p.80-1], McClean 3020); Selinus, AE 18 (tetras), (c.450-400 B.C.), (8.36 grams), obv. head of river god left, rev. Selinon leaf, (S.1176, Calciati 6 [p.235] BMC 50); Iaitia, AE 16, (after 241 B.C.), (2.46 grams), obv. bearded head of Herakles to left, rev. Herakles standing left, with lion skin on shoulders, (S.-, Calciati 6 [p.384], SNG Cop. 333 [Pl.7]); Solus, AE 13, (c.4th century B.C.), (1.75 grams), obv. head of Athena three-quarters face to right, wearing triple crested helmet, Rev. Punic legend "kfra", naked archer kneeling right about to discharge arrow from bow, (S.1181, Calciati 5 [p.310], BMC 5). *Very good - good fine, mostly with dark patina, last with green patina all rare minor city issues. (4)*

§200

3595

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Philip II, (359-336 B.C.), AE 18, uncertain Macedonian mint, (8.75 grams), issued posthumously c.323-316/5 B.C., obv. Apollo head to right with tainia, dotted border, rev. naked youth on horse, above ΦΙΛΟΠΠΟΥ, to right of horse Δ, (cf.S.6696, cf.SNG ANS 912, SNG Greece II, -); Syria, Kingdom of, Seleucus III, (226-223 B.C.), AE 15, Antioch mint, (4.69 grams), obv. Artemis bust right, rev. Apollo seated left, (S.6929, SNG Israel (Spaer) 503 ff, SNG Cop.133). *First with somewhat porous surface, large flan, very fine and a rare variety; second with earthy patina, good fine.* (2)

\$50



3596\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.256 grams), Amphipolis mint, issued 336-323 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, to left crescent, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right, (cf.S.6713, Price 89, BMC 89a-f, M.259, Demanhur Hoard 579-613). *Extremely fine.*

\$1,000



3597\*

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

\$450



3598\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.406 grams), Mesembria mint, issued c.175-125 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right, wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ to right, [A]ΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to left, Corinthian helmet to right above ΔΑ in left field, monogram TAN under throne, (cf.S.6713, Price 1055, BMC 1055a-b, M.472, Karayotov type 58 No.453-458 [same dies]), *Large flan, sharp eye, good very fine and scarce.*

\$300



3599\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (12.346 grams), Odessus mint, issued c.125-75 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right, wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, [ΒΑΣ]ΙΛΕΩ[Σ] to right, A/A(inverted)ΛΕΞΑ[ΝΔΡ]ΟΥ to left, ΔΗ in left field, dot and monogram ΗΔΟ under throne, (cf. S.6713, Price 1179, BMC -, M.-, *Pick (2) 2148-9*), *Light weight, weak in places, crude reverse style, good very fine/nearly very fine.*

\$250



3600\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.802 grams), Ake mint, issued c.323-322 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin with dotted border, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, date to left year 24, to right ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, (cf.S.6713, Price 3260, BMC 3260a-c, M.-). *Off centred on the obverse, very fine.*

\$250

Ex Ken Jacobs Collection and Baldwins 8/78.



3601\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver drachm, (4.22 grams), Abydos mint, issued c.310-301 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin with dotted border, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, Ammon head to right on left field, ivy leaf below throne, to right [ΑΛ]ΕΞΑΝΔ[ΡΟΥ]. (cf.S.6730, Price 1551, BMC 1551a-d, M.189, SNG Cop.970, SNG Lockett 1488). *Very fine or better, scarce.*

\$220

Ex Classical Numismatic Group with ticket.





3602

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver drachm, (4.05 grams), Abydus mint, issued 310-301 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, head of Ammon to right on left field, ivy leaf under throne, [A]ΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟ[Y] to right, (cf.S.6730, Price 1551, BMC 1551a-d, M.189, SNG Cop. 970). *Nearly very fine.*

\$100



3603\*

**Macedon**, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver drachm, (4.262 grams), Miletus mint, issued c.325-323 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, thunderbolt to left, under throne ΗΔ monogram, to right ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ. (cf.S.6730, Price 2088, BMC 2088a-h, M.-, SNG Fitz.2227, THompson NS 16 32-53 [27 examples recorded]). *Slightly off centred obverse, extremely fine and scarce.*

\$250

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3392).



3604\*

**Macedon**, Sermylia, (490-480 B.C.), silver tetrobol, (2.422 grams), obv. naked horseman galloping to right, with spear, dotted border, rev. quadripartite incuse square, (cf.S.1287 [tetradrachm], SNG ANS 725 [same dies] = Rhousopoulos Sale Hirsch 13, May 15 1905 [lot 1003], BMC 15 [p.138]). *Very fine, and very rare.*

\$500

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3380).



3605\*

**Macedon**, Uncertain (Philippi?), Augustus, (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), AE 19, (4.242 grams), obv. bare head to right, of Augustus, AVG behind, rev. two colonists plowing with two oxen, (cf.S.268 [Tiberius], SNG Cop. 282 (Parium, Mysia), RPC 1656). *Dark green patina, nearly very fine and very scarce.*

\$100



3606\*

**Paeonia**, Kingdom of, Patraos, (c.340-315 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (12.03 grams), obv. head of Apollo to r., with laureate, rev. horseman spearing fallen enemy, who holds spear and shield, around [Π Ο ΑΡΤ]Α[Y], (S.1520, Paeonian Hoard 461 [same dies], SNG ANS 1040 [same obverse die]). *Flan flaw on edge, obverse off centred, otherwise extremely fine and a scarce type.*

\$450

Ex Paeonian Hoard. The Sotheby sale of the Paeonian hoard (London, 16th April, 1969, lot 461 [obv. lot 448, rev. lot 386 same dies]).



3607\*

**Thrace**, Byzantion, silver siglos or drachm (Persian standard), (416-357 B.C.), (5.29 grams), obv. cow standing to left on dolphin, ΠΥ, above, foreleg raised, rev. quadripartite incuse square of "mill-sail" pattern, the surfaces granulated, (S.1579, BMC 1-8, SNG Cop. 476, SNG BMC Black Sea 21ff.). *Granular porous surface, but attractive, good very fine and very scarce.*

\$400

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 58 (lot 3482) and Sale 79 (lot 3402). A similar example in our Sale 72 realised \$850. The scarce drachms of this weight was issued at a weight standard to correspond to coincide with that of the Persian siglos. This is in contrast to the next issue of drachms, where a large weight reduction took place to correspond to the Philip II standard of 15.3 grams for a tetradrachm, (Philip besieged the city in 340-339 B.C). Other authors believe the issue was later and not contemporary with the control by Philip II of Macedon.



3608\*

**Thrace**, Byzantium, (c.357-340 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.24 grams), obv. ΠΨ above cow standing left, with right foreleg raised, standing on dolphin to left, AX monogram to left, and B below cow, rev. large quadripartite incuse square with granulated surface, (S.1580, Dewing 1278v., BMC.3). *Well centered extremely fine except for a little right side weakness not affecting the design, exceptional lustrous surfaces, rare.*

\$1,600

Ex Sotheby's London, 5 April 1973 (lot 316) with ticket and from the Spink Numismatic Circular, June 2007, No. 21759/5.



3609\*

**Thrace**, Deultum, Gordian III, (A.D. 238-244), AE 22, (8.500 grams), obv. Radiate draped bust to right of Gordian III, around IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, Rev. COL F L PA C DEVL T around, naked Jupiter (Zeus) facing to head to l., holding patera in r. hand and sceptre in l. hand, dark brown patina, (cf.S.3651, Varbanov 2677 [p.226, R3 80 Euros], cf.Jukova 374); another AE 22, (6.302 grams), obv. similar, rev. similar legend, with she-wolf standing to right, suckling Romulus and Remus below, (Varbanov 2874 [p.236, R3, 80 euros], Jukova 371, G&M Auction 102 [lot 864]). *First good very fine, second fine, both very rare. (2)*

\$100



3610\*

**Thrace**, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.586 grams), Lampsacus mint, issued before 282/1 B.C., obv. head of Alexander to right, with diadem and horn of Ammon, within dotted border, rev. Athena enthroned to left, supporting Nike, shield at side with Medusa head in centre, HP monogram in left field, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (cf.S.6814, M.401, Thompson 47). *Bright, slightly porous surface, otherwise nearly very fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Recent "Seleucid Hoard" and Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3413).



3611\*

**Thrace**, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.972 grams), Amphipolis mint, issued 288/7-282/1 B.C., obv. head of Alexander to right, with diadem and horn of Ammon, within dotted circle, rev. Athena enthroned to left, supporting Nike, spear behind, caduceus with handle to left, AI monogram outer right, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (cf.S.6814, Thompson 198, Armenak 914 [ANS MN 31 [p.86, Plate 24], M.107]). *Well centred very fine or better and scarce.*

\$1,200

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3412).



3612\*

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

\$1,000



3613\*

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

\$750



3614\*

**Thrace**, Island of, Thasos, (after 148 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.68 grams), obv. head of the young Dionysos wearing ivy wreath to right, rev. naked Herakles standing facing head to left, holding club and lion skin, around ΗΡΑΚΛΕΟΥΣ SWTHROS QASIWN, to left in field M and second with monogram ΗΑΤΡ, (S.1759, BMC 72-73, 67-71, SNG Cop. 1049, 1046-1048). *Slightly bent, otherwise, good fine.*

\$180

Ex Malter Galleries, June 23, 2001 (lot 245).



3615\*

**Moesia Inferior**, Istros, (400-350 B.C.), silver stater, (4.130 grams), obv. two young male heads facing, side by side, left inverted, right upright, rev. sea-eagle standing to left on dolphin to left, which it attacks with its beak, below dolphin ΔΙΙ\*, (cf.S.1669; SNG BMC -, Mionnet I, 28 [p.357], Berlin 13 [p.53], Pick 439, SNG Stancomb -). *Very fine.*

\$250



3619\*

**Thessaly**, Thessalian League, (196-146 B.C.), silver stater or double victoriatus, (5.81 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, behind traces of ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides ΘΕΣΣΑ ΛΩΝ, above across Α ΠΙΣ, either side of figure ΤΟ/ΚΛ/ΗC, (cf.S.2232, BMC -, McClean 4831, cf.SNG Cop. 292), *Bright from cleaning, nearly extremely fine, well centred, and rare.*

\$250



3616\*

**Thessaly**, Larissa, (340-320 B.C.), silver drachm, (5.792 grams), obv. facing head of nymph Larissa three-quarter to left, within dotted border, rev. horse grazing to right, with head turned facing, above ΛΑΡΙΣ, in exergue ΑΙΩΝ, (cf. S.2121, Hermann Pl.V, 14). *Toned, of finest style, otherwise good very fine and scarce.*

\$350

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection with his ticket and previously acquired in 1992.



3620\*

**Thessaly**, Thessalian League, (196-146 B.C.), silver stater or double victoriatus, (6.21 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, behind [M]ΑΝΔΡΟ/[Σ]ΘΕΝΟΥΣ, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides ΘΕΣΣΑ ΛΩΝ, above across Α ΙΡΣ (sic), on either side of figure ΤΟ ΚΛ/ΗC, (cf.S.2232, McClean 4850, cf.SNG Cop. 292), *Bright, good very fine, well centred, and rare.*

\$200



3617\*

**Thessaly**, Pharsalos, silver triobol, 440-425 B.C., (2.94 grams), obv. Athena head to right in close fitting helmet, rev. horse's head to right in incuse square, Φ ΑΡ downwards on right of horse, (cf.S.2187 [£140], Lavva 12 [obv. V9, rev. R10, same dies], examples in Berlin and Istanbul [same dies]). *Nearly very fine and rare.*

\$120

Lavva reports 5 examples of this type from these dies.

3621

**Lokris**, Lokris Opuntia, silver quarter stater, (369-338 B.C.), (2.40 grams), obv. Persephone wreathed head to right, rev. Ajax son of Oileus, advancing right, with sword and shield, around ΟΠΟΝΤΙΩΝ( S.2330, BMC 9-12); Rome, Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 201 (3.40 grams), obv. laureate head of Septimius Severus to right, around SEVERVS PIVS AVG, rev. around FVNDAT OR PACIS, Severus in togate standing to left, holding branch and scroll, (S.6282, RIC 265, RSC 205). *Good fine/fine; very fine. (2)*

\$100



3622

**Lokris**, Lokris Opuntia, silver quarter stater, (369-338 B.C.), (2.60 grams), obv. Persephone wreathed head to left, rev. Ajax son of Oileus, advancing r., with sword and shield, to left [ΟΠ]ΟΝΤΙΩΝ (cf.S.2330); Boiotia, Boiotian League, Federal Coinage, probably struck at Thebes, (395-340 B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.50 grams), obv. Boeotian shield, rev. amphora with letter [B]Ο I ivy leaf to left, above a club, (cf.S.2396, BCD Triton IX, 30, BMC 33, SNG Cop. 173); Sikyonia, Sikyon, (330/320 - 280 B.C.), (2.50 grams), silver hemidrachm, obv. chimaera standing left, ΣΙ below, rev. dove flying to left, one dot above tail, (cf.S.2774, BCD 292, BMC 124). *All fine and bright, second coin with minor porosity on reverse. (3)*

\$120

3618\*

**Thessaly**, Thessalian League, (196-146 B.C.), silver stater or double victoriatus, (5.834 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, behind [ΣΙ]ΜΙΟΥ, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides [Θ]ΕΣΣΑ ΛΩΝ, above two stars, either side of figure Π Ο/ Λ Ε, (cf.S.2232, McClean 4716, SNG Cop. 294), *Very fine or better, well centred, and rare.*

\$200



3623\*

**Boiotia**, Boiotian League, Federal Coinage, silver drachm, (225-171 B.C.), (4.66 grams), obv. bearded laureate head of Poseidon to right, dotted border, Rev. BOIΩΤΩΝ to left, outwards and downwards, Nike draped standing to left resting on trident, wreath in left hand, monogram of VAPK to left, (cf.S.2404, BCD 122, [Triton IX], BMC 97, McClean 5619). *Good very fine with grey tone, some surface roughness on the reverse, very scarce.*

\$300

Ex BCD Collection, acquired in December 1983 (£75), acquired in CNG Sale 75, May 23, 2007 (lot 186). Mint is now believed to be Thebes for this coinage.



3624\*

**Boiotia**, Thebes, (425-400 B.C.), silver stater, (11.41 grams), obv. Boiotian shield, rev. amphora, with letters Θ E either side, bow on left to right, (cf.S.2389, BCD Triton IX Sale lot 404-5 [similar dies]). *Off centred, very fine and a rare type.*

\$500

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection with his tickets and previously acquired from Glendining's London May, 26 1982 (lot 21).



3625\*

**Boiotia**, Thebes, (378-338 B.C.), silver stater, (12.042 grams), obv. Boeotian shield, rev. amphora with letter ΠΕ ΛΙ either side, (cf.S.2398, Hepworth Series B3, No.80, McClean 5608, SNG Cop.348). *Very fine, a scarce Magistrate.*

\$450



3626\*

**Boiotia**, Thespiai, c.210 B.C., AE 16, (3.55 grams, 5h), obv. laureate head of female (Arsinoe III) to right wearing modius and veil, Rev. a lyre, upwards on left and right, Π at top of lyre, all within laurel wreath, tied at bottom, (S.2416, BCD 614b, cf.SNG Cop. 406-7, cf.McCLean 5647-5651); another similar AE 15 (3.58 grams, 2h), rev. ΘΕΣΠΙΕΩΝ downwards to right and left, (S.2416, BCD 611, SNG Cop.406, McClean 5647-5651, BMC 14-22). *First coin dark brown patina, off centred obverse, very fine or better and very rare, apparently an unpublished variety, second coin porous fine. (2)*

\$150

Ex BCD Collection (lot 629cc, Triton IX, illustrated) for first coin; W.Woolmer Collection, Spink Australia Auctions, Sale 38 (lot 1714) for the second coin.



3627\*

**Euboia**, Karystos, (c.350 B.C.), silver drachm, (3.376 grams), obv. bearded head of Herakles to right, clad in lion skin, rev. cow seated to left, KAPY above, club to right below, (S.2505 [£400], BMC 8-9, Lanz BCD Catalogue No.111, [lot 556, realised 250 Euros +], SNG Cop.417). *Good fine/very fine and rare.*

\$180

Ex BCD Collection (with his ticket) and previously from the W.P. Wallace Collection.



3628\*

**Attica**, Athens, (c.430 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.814 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, eye in profile, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, in erect posture, olive twig and crescent behind, to right, AΘE, all in incuse square, (S.2526, BMC 62, Kraay ACGC 199, Sv.Pl.14, 1-30). *Minor surface roughness on the both surfaces, very large flan, otherwise extremely fine or better.*

\$1,750



3629\*

**Attica**, Athens, (449-413 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.116 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, eye in profile, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, in erect posture, olive twig and crescent behind, to right, AΘE, all in incuse square, (S.2526, BMC 62). *Attractive tone, nearly extremely fine, scarce.*

\$800

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 53 (lot 2096)



3630\*

**Attica**, Athens, (393-300 B.C., but c. 350-300 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.00 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, eye in profile, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, in erect posture, olive twig and crescent behind, to right, AΘE, all in incuse square, (S.2537, BMC 144, Kraay (Coins of Ancient Athens) Pl. IV, 5, SNG Cop. 65). *Nice light tone, minor reverse scratch, nearly extremely fine.*

\$600



3631\*

**Attica**, Athens, (300-262 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.85 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, eye in profile, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, in erect posture, olive twig and crescent behind, to right, AΘE, all in incuse square, (S.2547, Kraay (Coins of Ancient Athens) Pl. IV, 6, SNG Cop. 65). *Short of flan as usual, toned with portion of porous obverse, otherwise nearly very fine.*

\$250



3632\*

**Attica**, Athens, (300-262 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.180 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, olive twig and crescent behind, to right AΘE, (S.2547, BMC 138, SNG Cop.63-65). *Dumpy flan as usual for this issue, very fine and rare.*

\$400

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3435).

3633

**Attica**, Athens, (300-262 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.34 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, olive twig and crescent behind, to right AΘE, (S.2547, BMC 138, SNG Cop.63-65). *Dumpy flan as usual for this issue, fair/good very fine.*

\$200



3634\*

**Attica**, Athens, (166-57 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.806 grams), issued 150-149 B.C., (Thompson date) but probably 118-7 B.C. (revised chronology), obv. head of Athena Parthenos to right wearing triple-crested Athenian helmet, ornamented with Pegasus, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, in erect posture, on prostrate amphora, two torches to right, Z on amphora, legend across A ΘE, to left AMN ΩNI OΣ, KAA ΛIAΣ ΘEM IΣTO, ΣΦ below, all within wreath, (cf.S.2555, Thompson 586e [same dies], Sv.57, 12, obverse die). *Slightly off centred obverse, otherwise good very fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3437).



3635\*

**Attica**, Aegina, (510-500 B.C.), silver stater, (11.414 grams), obv. smoothed shell sea turtle without row of dots down dorsal spine, rev. "Union Jack pattern", (S.1849 [£350], Asyut Group IIb "probably a thick collar type", cf.432-437, SNG Delepierre 1559). *Fine - very fine, worn obverse die.*

\$250

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 61 (lot 2622) and Sale 79 (lot 3438). The Asyut hoard suggests the chronology to be 510-485 B.C. Much has been written on this early coinage since Samuel Millbank wrote his book on "The Coinage of Aegina" in 1924. Since then important publications have attempted to establish the order of issue and the chronology of the series, (generally around the description of a relevant hoard). They include W.L. Brown "Pheidons Alleged Aeginetan Coinage" (NC 1950, pp.177-204); R. Ross Holloway, "An Archaic Hoard From Crete and the Early Aeginetan Coinage" in ANS Museum Notes 17 (1971, pp.1-21, as based on his doctoral dissertation [The Elder Turtles of Aegina, 1960, Princeton University]); Price and Waggoner, "Archaic Greek Silver Coinage, The 'Asyut' Hoard", pp.69-76; Carmen Arnold-Biucchi et al., "A Greek Archaic Silver Hoard from Selinus" ANS Museum Notes pp.14-22. The chronology is still under review and new hoards, when published, bring us closer to the truth. Eg. Colin Kraay in ACGC (p.43-4) places the small skew reverse coinage (Asyut Group VII) to around 500 B.C. in contrast to our dating of 490-475 B.C. The reference to SNG Delepierre is relevant as that publication illustrates 298 staters from Aegina, known as the Megalopolis Hoard 1966 and now in the Paris cabinet. It was buried about 431 B.C.



3636\*

**Attica**, Aegina, (c.445-431 B.C.), silver stater, (12.348 grams), obv. land tortoise with large square segmented shell, rev. incuse square of large "skew" design, (S.2600, BMC 149, SNG Delepierre 1781ff.). *Toned, well centred with countermark on back, nearly extremely fine, sharp head and flippers, very Rare.*

\$2,500

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 73 (lot 3288).



3637\*

**Peloponnesos**, Mantinea, (370-360 B.C.), silver drachm, (5.41 grams), obv. MANTI reading up to left of bearded warrior, nude from the waist down, with traveling hat and special shoes, dancing a war dance with two spears, rev. jugate busts of Dioscuri on low altar with triglyphs and metopes, (S.2710 [£750. in 1979], BMC.6, MG 238, Traite III, 957, pl. CCVI 34). *Not quite Fine but showing all major details on grey toned silver, excessively rare.*

\$4,000

Ex BCD collection LHS Sale May 2006 (lot 1476) with ticket, from CNG and from Colin Pitchfork privately thereafter.



3638\*

**Peloponnesos**, Sicyonia, Sicyon, (issued 431-400 B.C.), silver stater, (11.908 grams), obv. Chimaera walking to left, ΣΕ below, plain above, rev. dove flying to left, plain before, all within wreath, (cf.S.2763, BCD 198.3 [LHS 96], BMC 22 (p.38), SNG Cop.33, McClean 6236). *Toned, nearly very fine and rare.*

\$750



3639\*

**Peloponnesos**, Argolis, Argos, (320's-270 B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.45 grams), obv. forepart of wolf to left, rev. Α in shallow incuse square, below crescent, above in corners Α Ρ, (cf.S.2795, BCD 1094, BMC 60). *Toned, very fine.*

\$120



3640\*

**Peloponnesos**, Achaean League, Aegium (Achaia), (c.late 1st century B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.33 grams), obv. Zeus head right, [Α]ΠΙΕΩ[N] rev. monogram of AX letters ΑΠΙ/CTO - ΔΑ/MOX across, in three lines, wreath around, (S.2973, Clerk 44, BCD 432 [LHS 96], BMC 24-25, SNG Cop. 235, Agrinion Hoard -). *Toned, die flaw on obverse, fine/good fine, very scarce.*

\$100

Ex Baldwin's London, privately purchased, December 15, 1988.



3641\*

**Peloponnesos**, Achaean League, Elis, (191-146 B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.22 grams), obv. Laureate head of Zeus right, rev. Large AX monogram, above XΑΠ monogram, to left, FA, to right TYP monogram, below thunderbolt, all within laurel-wreath, (S.2992, BMC.61, Lockett Pt.III. This Coin). *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$220

Ex Spink Lockett Sale 27-28 May 1959 (lot 1919) with ticket ex P.Minns Feb, 1973 and ex DNW June 2007 (lot 189)



3642\*

**Peloponnesos**, Achaean League, Antigoneia mint (formerly Mantinea in Arkadia), (c.188-180 B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.415 grams), obv. Zeus head right, rev. monogram of AX letters Α Ν across, monogram of ΠΑΡΩ below, wreath around, (cf.S.2998, Clerk 195, BCD 1491 [LHS 96], BMC 104-5, McClean 6486-7, Agrinion Hoard 354-369). *Toned, nearly very fine, scarce.*

\$100

Ex Baldwin's London, Auction Sale, May 3, 2000 (lot 722 part).



3643\*

**Peloponnesos**, Achaean League, Tegea, (c.160-150 B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.27 grams), obv. Zeus head right, rev. monogram of AX letters Τ Ε across, EH monogram above wreath around, (cf.S.3003, BCD 1746, Clerk 226, BMC 130-1, SNG Cop.295). *Very fine or better.*

\$140

Ex Diakofto Hoard (on the west coast c.20km. East of Aegium, Achaia), found 1965 (IGCH 262), contained 1601 Achaean League coins, detail of each coin on file with the British Museum. Hoard acquired by Spink & Son London. c.1970.



3644\*

**Bithynia**, Kios, (c.350-300 B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.520 grams), obv. Apollo laureate head to right, rev. prow of galley to left, magistrate name ΠΟΣΕΙ [Δ]ΩΝΙ[ΟΣ] above and below, (cf.S.3757 [£100], BMC 10 [P.130]). *Good very fine, off centred obverse and rare.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3448).



3645\*

**Mysia**, Pergamon, (c.104-98 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.20 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΙΕΡ, above NI, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner [ANSMN 23], Type 23, example in Athens Collection, SNG von Aulock -). *Toned, weakly struck on obverse, otherwise fine/good very fine and very rare.*

\$150



3646\*

**Mysia**, Pergamon, (c.92-88 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.68 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above ΑΣ/ΠΡΥ monogram, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner [ANSMN 23], Type 29, Pinder -, example in ANS Strauss Collection, SNG von Aulock -). *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$400



3649\*

**Ionia**, Ephesos, (c. 90-89 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.61 grams), year 41 = 94-93 B.C., obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left MA over monogram ΕΦΕ, to right torch, serpent staff above, (cf.S.4745, Kleiner 44 [ANS MN 18, Series 10, [p.26], Pinder -, SNG Cop. -, SNG von Aulock 7850). *Extremely fine with original mint bloom, well centred and extremely rare.*

\$400

De Callatay in his recent book "L'Historie les Guerres Mithradatiques un par le Monnaies, (p.161), records only one example of this date.



3647\*

**Mysia**, Pergamon, (c.92-85 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.66 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above ΑΣ/ΠΡΥ, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner [ANSMN 23], Type 29, example in ANS Collection, Pinder -, SNG von Aulock -). *Extremely fine and very rare.*

\$300

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3452).



3650\*

**Ionia**, Ephesos, (c.48-27 BC), AE 17, (4.148 grams), obv. Draped bust of Artemis right, in stephane, bow and quiver over shoulder, rev. long torch between two stags face to face, ΔΗΜΗ ΤΡΙΟΣ / ΚΩ ΚΟΣ / ΣΩΠΙΑΤΡΟΣ in exergue, (S.4414, BMC 182-4). *Very fine and very scarce in this condition.*

\$80



3651\*

**Ionia**, Miletus, (c.550-525 B.C.), silver twelfth stater, (1.174 grams), obv. forepart of lion and legs to right, head turned back to left, rev. star ornament within incuse square, (S.3532, BMC 14-33, SNG Cop. 951). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$140

Ex Dr.H.N. Pollard Collection with his tickets.



3648\*

**Mysia**, Pergamon, (c.92-88 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.136 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above ΑΣ/ΠΡΥ monogram, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner [ANSMN 23], Type 29, Pinder -, example in ANS Strauss Collection, SNG von Aulock -). *Dark tone, very fine and rare.*

\$150



3652\*

**Ionia**, Miletus, (c.530-510 B.C.), silver twelfth stater or obol, (1.20 grams), obv. forepart of lion and legs to right, rev. star ornament within incuse square, (S.3532, BMC 14). *Good very fine or better.*

\$120

3653

**Ionia**, Miletus, (c.530-510 B.C.), silver forty eighth stater, (0.316 grams), obv. forepart of lion and legs to left, rev. star ornamented within incuse square, (cf.S.3531, cf.Weber 6039); another Miletus, (c.530-510 B.C.), silver twelfth stater or obol, (1.142 grams), obv. forepart of lion and legs to right, rev. star ornament within incuse square, (S.3532, BMC 14). *Second good very fine/nearly extremely fine. first fine, this a new denomination for this type and apparently unpublished. (2)*

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 66 (lots 3354 and 3358) and Auction Sale 79 (lot 3462).



3654\*

**Ionian**, Miletus, (c.2nd century B.C.), silver tetrobol, (2.475 grams), obv. laureate head of Apollo to right, rev. lion standing to right, looking back, ΒΙΩΝ in exergue, star above, MI / ΠΑ monograms in left field, (cf.S.4513, cf.SNG Von Aulock 2100). *Dark tone, very fine/good very fine, scarce.*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 61 (lot 2639) and Sale 79 (lot 3461).



3655\*

**Lydia**, Tralles, (c.155-145 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.324 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left [T]PA, to right a filleted tripod, (cf.S.4745, Kleiner and Noe Series 23, same dies as No.51, BMC 13 (same obverse die), Hunter 2 (same obverse die), SNG von Aulock 3252 [same obverse die]). *Nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$180

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3463). A rare symbol known from seven other coins published by Kleiner & Noe.



3656\*

**Lydia**, Tralles, (132-131 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.360 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left B over TPA, to right a Dionysos standing right on pedestal holding thyrsos, ΠΤΟΑ above, (cf.S.4745, SNG von Aulock 3263, BMC 45, Museum Notes Minor Hoard 1955 No.37, SNG Cop. 662 var.). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$400

B = year 2 = 132/1 B.C. on Von Aulock chronology. This piece appears overstruck on another coin.



Lot 3657

3657\*

**Lydia**, Tralles, (c.100-90 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.642 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left TPA, to right a lyre, (cf.S.4745, SNG von Aulock 3259, SNG Cop. 657, BMC -). *Good extremely fine, slightly off centred otherwise as struck and very scarce.*

\$350

A rare symbol. An example listed in Harlan J. Berk Sale 142 (March 15, 2005, lot 111) at US \$650.



3658\*

**Caria**, Caunos (Kaunos), Uncertain ruler, (c.490-470 B.C.), silver stater, (11.70 grams), obv. Iris with curved wings and outstretched hands in kneeling-running position to right, rev. rough triangular shape on crude incuse square, (S., Koray Konuk "The Early Coinage of Kaunos" in Essays Price, cf.No.4 and 5, [similar dies of obv. 4 and 5 and rev.2, 1 known, Pl.47, 4, cf.Hyla Troxell "Winged Carians" in Essays Thompson, No.4 [similar dies]). *Dumpy flan, nearly very fine or better and very rare.*

\$200

The attribution of these anonymous archaic coins has been given to Caunos by Konuk in a detailed argument on the reading of Carian script found on later issues of similar type to this archaic issue.



3659\*

**Carian Islands**, Rhodes, (304-167 B.C.), silver didrachm, (6.608 grams), obv. radiate head of Helios three-quarter face to right with hair loose, rev. rose, with bud on right, to left Athena to left with right hand raised holding an aplanter, above ΜΝΑΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, all within dotted border, (S.5048, cf.BMC 145-6 [p.244], cf.SNG Cop.765, cf.SNG Finland 537-9 [similar dies]). *Lightly toned, nearly extremely fine, rare.*

\$1,500

This example lacks the P O on the reverse. Certainly an interesting variant. The literature also describes the figure on the reverse as Athena but appears to be a standing female goddess. This personification is very much like the other examples illustrated in the SNG's noted above.



3660\*

**Carian Islands**, Rhodes, (304-275 B.C.), silver didrachm, (6.54 grams), obv. head of Helios three-quarter face to right with hair loose, rev. rose, with bud on right, to left E and a bunch of grapes, above [PO]ΔΙΟΝ, (S.5037, BMC 31-32, SNG Finland 452 [similar dies], Ashton 157). *Lightly toned, very fine or better and scarce*

\$500





3661\*

**Carian Islands**, Rhodes, (167-88 B.C.), silver drachm, (2.55 grams), obv. radiate head of Helios to right, rev. rose, with bud on right, winged caduceus to left, in field P O, above ΚΑΛΛΙΞΕΙΝ[ΟΣ], all within incuse square, (cf.S.5063, Jenkins Group E, No.244, BMC -, SNG Turkey 684 = B.R. Noble Sale, Glendining's Dec. 1975 No.93). *Good very fine.*

\$150



3664\*

**Phrygia**, Laodikeia, (c.100-90 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.14 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left ΛΑΟ, to right a caduceus with fillet, monogram of ANTI above, (cf.S.5147, SNG von Aulock -, SNG Cop. -, BMC 13 [variant monogram]). *Good very fine and unpublished except for the few examples listed all coming from the one hoard.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3469). \$\$ Ex Garth R. Drewry Collection, CNG Triton VIII Sale (lot 1883 part) and previously from CNG Auction Sale XXVII, September 29, 1993 (lot 638, illustrated). A extremely rare symbol from a scarce mint of cistophori. A similar example in a CNG Sale Triton VI (January 14, 2003 lot 425) from of the same type with same symbols was sold at US \$525 +15%.



3662\*

**Phrygia**, Apameia, 88-76 B.C., silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.45 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left [A]ΠΑ, above ΜΥΙΣ/ΚΟΥ, to right two flutes, (S.5113, BMC 15, Kleiner (Essays Thompson) Series XI, obverse die 19, SNG Cop. 164, SNG von Aulock 8337). *Dark patina, worn obverse die, otherwise fine/very fine and rare.*

\$160

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3467) and previously from Glendining's, London, December 8, 1981 (lot 64 part).



3665\*

**Lycia**, Dynast of Lycia, an uncertain ruler but attributed to Khinakha, (c.500-460 B.C.), silver stater, (9.868 grams), Xanthos mint?, obv. Pegasos to right on round shield, Lycian "kh" below, rev. triskeles monogram within dotted incuse circle with dot and Lycian monogram, (S.-, cf.SNG Von Aulock 4090 [same obverse die], cf.ACNAAC Rosen 719 [attributes it to Khinakha based on an obverse letter "Kh" or "Khin"], Babelon Traite Pl.XCV No.5, cf.SNG Berry 1172 [same obverse die], Giessener Munzhandlung Sale 90, lot 405 [same dies]). *Very fine/good very fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3470). Xanthus has been suggested as the likely mint for this and related issues (See G.K. Jenkins, "Recent acquisitions of Greek Coins by the British Museum", NC 1959, p.33). However this may be questioned, since this stater and all the related pieces in the SNG Berry, ACNAC Rosen and SNG Von Aulock all fall clearly into the heavy weight classification. Thus Morkholm has in "The Classification of Lycian coins before Alexander the Great" (JNG 1964, pp 65ff), assembled evidence indicating that Xanthus was the home of the light standard and the heavy standard circulated in Central Lycia. That standard cannot be identified with any in use outside Lycia. The letter on the obverse represents a "kh", the initial letter of the dynast's name. The triskeles on the reverse is a solar symbol and a distinctive Lycian emblem connected with the national deity, Apollo.



3663\*

**Phrygia**, Laodikeia, (c.100-90 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.252 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left ΛΑΟ, to right a caduceus with fillet, ΕΥΗΝΟΣ/ΗΡΩΔΟΥ above, (cf.S.5147, SNG von Aulock -, SNG Cop. 491, BMC -). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$250

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3468) and from Classical Numismatic Group Auction Sale XXVII, September 29, 1993 (lot 643 illustrated) previously.



3666\*

**Lycia**, Nerva, (96-98 A.D.), silver drachm, (3.19 grams), issued 97 (Third Consulship), obv. laureate head of Nerva to right, around ΑΥΤ ΚΡΑΤ ΝΕΡΟΥΑΚ ΚΑΙCΑΡ CΕΒΑC, Λ Υ across field, rev. Two lyres, owl above, ΥΠΑΤΟΥ ΤΡΙΤΟΥ, (S.942, BMC 8 [P.39]). *Very fine and rare.*

\$120

3667

**Pamphylia**, Aspendos, (370-330 B.C.), silver stater, (10.736 grams), obv. two naked athletes as wrestlers grasping each other by the hands, AA between, rev. slinger advancing to right about to discharge his sling, triskeles before, behind ΕΣΤΦΕΔΙΙΥΣ, all within square dotted square, (S.5390, SNG von Aulock -, SNG France 3, 81, BMC 28). *Very fine, weak in places, and rare.*

\$150



3668\*

**Pamphylia**, Side, (375-333 B.C.), silver stater, (10.59 grams), obv. Athena standing to left holding wreath bearing Nike in right hand and spear and shield and left hand, pomegranate before, rev. naked Apollo standing to the left wearing skirt, pouring libation from patera on to lighted altar, holding long laurel branch, Pamphylian legend behind, (S.5436 [£350]; SNG France 3, 651, BMC 17 [p.146, Pl.XXVI, 9]). *Toned, good very fine and rare.*

\$750

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

3669

**Cilicia**, probably Tarsos, (4th century B.C.), silver obols (Sear suggests three-quarter obols), (c.0.55 grams each), obv. Baal seated to left holding ear of corn and bunch of grapes, rev. forepart of wolf to right, crescent inverted or A, (S.5660, SNG Levante 223, 226, SNG France 443-6). *Round and square flans, fine - very fine.* (4)

\$180

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 66 (lot 3381).



3670\*

**Syria**, Kingdom of, Seleucos I, (312-280 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.850 grams), Seleucia in Pieria 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, Nike with wreath in outstretched hand, KP below throne, XYΠE monogram in circle to left, to right ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ, in exergue ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf.S.6829, SC 29,1b, Newell WSM 890, SNG Israel (Spaer) I 33, SNG Cop. 32). *Very fine, grey tone, and scarce.*

\$350

Newell counted three obverse and eight reverse dies for this type.



3671\*

**Syria**, Kingdom of, Antiochus I, (280-261 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.720 grams), Series III Group A, Seleucia on Tigris mint, issued 267-265 B.C., obv. diademed head of Antiochus I to right, rev. Apollo seated left on omphalos, holding arrow and bow, on right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ANTIOXOY, to left and right monograms, (cf.S.6866, SC 379.5a, Newell ESM 159, SNG Israel (Spaer) -, BMC 10, Hunter 18). *High relief, polished and worn, nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$300

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3477) and previously from the Patrick Cooper Collection (lot 1567 part) and obtained from Baldwins, London, June 1978. Newell notes a total of 12 tetradrachms of this type mostly in public collections.



3672\*

**Syria**, Kingdom of, Antiochus II, (261-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.612 grams), Series I, Seleucia on Tigris mint, issued 261-256 B.C., obv. diademed head of Antiochus I to right, dotted border, rev. Apollo seated left on omphalos, holding arrow and bow, on right, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ and to left ANTIOXOY, to left and right monograms, (cf.S.6886, SC 587.1a, BMC 14, Pozzi 2935, Newell ESM 178). *Very fine, rare.*

\$400

Ex recent "Seleucid Hoard" with ticket. Newell notes a total of 14 tetradrachms of all types in public and private collections of this type.



3673\*

**Syria**, Kingdom of, Antiochos VII, (138-129 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.674 grams), Antioch mint, obv. diademed head of Antiochos VII to right, fillet border, rev. Athena standing to left, holding Nike bearing a Nike to left in left hand, right hand on shield with Medusa head and holding spear, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ANTIOXOY, and to left EYEP ΓΕΤΟΥ, to left monogram of DI over AI, (S.7092, SNG Israel I (Spaer) 1849, SMA 275). *Nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection (lot 1565 part) and previously from John Cummings, London, England, in February 1998.



3674\*

**Syria**, Kingdom of, Antiochos VIII, (121-96 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.692 grams), Antioch mint, first reign, issued 121-114 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 ANTIOX[OY] and to left ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ, to left IE over A, to right, between figure and inscription O, (cf.S.7143, Newell SMA 368, SNG Israel I (Spaer) 2496). *Double struck on the reverse, toned, otherwise extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$600

Ex Patrick Cooper Collection (lot 1567 part) and previously from Sotheby's auction, July 21, 1981 (lot 74) with tickets.



3675\*

**Syria**, Seleucia and Pieria, Laodicea, (1st century B.C., but before 47 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (14.722 grams), issued 52-1 B.C., obv. turreted and veiled bust of Tyche to right bead and reel border, rev. Zeus enthroned to left, holding Nike and sceptre, ΛΑΟΔΙΚΕ[ΩΝ] ΤΗΣ ΙΕΡΙΑΣ [ΚΑΙ] ΑΥΤΟΝΟΜΟΥ to right, Λ (year 30 = 52-1 B.C.), ΙΣ, monogram of ΠΑ below throne, [ΣΕ] in exergue, (S.5874 [£250], ANSMN 28, Morkholm No.33 [notes 7 specimens and illustrates Plates 17, 33 same obverse die]). *Lightly toned, good very fine and very scarce.*

\$700

The study of this series of tetradrachms of Laodicea by Morkholm in ANSMN 28 shows that these civic tetradrachms that began in 81-0 B.C., survive in only small numbers. He records 145 examples from 34 obverse dies

3676

**Phoenicia-Samaria**, local Athenian imitations (c.375-346 B.C.), silver obol, (0.816 grams), probably struck at Gaza, obv. head of Athena to right, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, to right downwards partial [Α Θ] Ε, (cf.S.2530, SNG ANS (Palestine) 15, cf.Samaria Hoard No. 270ff.). *Hoard patina, somewhat pitted, otherwise very good - fine.*

\$50

3677

**Palestine**, Judaea, John Hyrcanus I and Alexander Jannaeus, (134-76 B.C.), copper prutahs, mostly obv. anchor, rev. star etc., (cf.S. 6087-8, cf.H.469-472). *Mixed condition, but some are attributable to specific Hendin numbers, poor - fine.* (7)

\$80



3678\*

**Persian Imperial Coinage**, Kingdom of, Artaxerxes I (475-420 B.C.), silver siglos, (4.718), obv. king as bearded archer kneeling to right with spear and bow, rev. oblong incuse punch, (S.4678, Babelon Pl.86, 11, Carradice type IIIb). *Very fine, porous field and reverse punch mark, scarce.*

\$100

Ex Dr.H.N. Pollard Collection with his tickets.



3679\*

**Persian Imperial Coinage**, Kingdom of, Artaxerxes I (475-420 B.C.), silver siglos, (5.49), obv. king as bearded archer kneeling to right with spear and bow, rev. oblong incuse punch, (S.4678, Babelon Pl.86, 11, Carradice type IIIb). *Very fine, scarce.*

\$100

3680

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

\$120



3681\*

**Parthia**, Kingdom of, Mithradates II, (c.128-88 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.358 grams), Seleucia mint, obv. bearded bust to left in diadem, dotted border, rev. archer seated right on omphalos, four line inscription, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΡΣΑ ΚΟΥ ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ ΜΕΓΑΛΟΥ, (S.7365, Sellwood 24.1, BMC -, Shore 66 var.). *Large flan, good very fine, rare variant.*

\$1,500



3682\*

**Parthia**, Kingdom of, Gortazes I, (95-87 B.C.), silver drachm, (3.836 grams), Rhagae mint, obv. medium sized bust to left with beard, wearing tiara with horn in centre, torque ends in dot, rev. archer seated right on throne, five line inscription, (cf.S.7394, Sellwood 33.4, Shore 114). *Off centred obverse, otherwise nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$150



3683\*

**Parthia**, Kingdom of, Orodes II, (c.57-38 B.C.) silver drachm, (3.890 grams), Ecbatana mint, obv. small size bust wearing a diadem to left with short beard, star before, crescent over star behind, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, monogram AT, anchor with trident above behind, (cf.S.7445, Sellwood 48.9, Shore 261). *Bright, good very fine.*

\$100

3684

**Parthia**, Kingdom of, Vologases IV, (c.A.D. 147-191), billon tetradrachm, (12.774 grams), Seleucia mint, issued uncertain month of year 489 (Seleucid era) = A.D. 177, month June, obv. large size bust to left with long beard, wearing tiara, letter B behind, rev. king enthroned to right receiving diadem from Tyche holding sceptre, partial inscription, including year ΘΠΥ, (cf.S.5857, Sellwood 84.60, cf.Shore 432). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$100



3685\*

**Parthia**, Kingdom of, Vologases VI, (c.A.D. 208-228), silver drachms, (3.254 grams), Ecbatana mint, obv. medium size bust wearing a tiara with neckflap, I behind tiara, to left with pointed long beard, rev. archer seated right on throne represented, AT below, four line inscription, (cf.S.5876, Sellwood 88.18, Shore 456). *Toned, very fine/good very fine.*

\$80



3686\*

**Persis**, Unknown King 1 or [Darius I] (1st century B.C.), silver drachm, (4.112 grams), obv. Darius I head to right with crescent above satrapal headdress, rosette before, rev. fire-altar, with superstructure in the form of stepped battlements, Ahura-Mazda hovering above king standing to right; on left, bird perched on standard, right, (S.6195, BMC 1-8 [p.207], Alam cf.551 & type as NB 1 [Pl.18, NB1]). *Good very fine and very rare.*

\$250

The drachm with the rosette before on the obverse was noted by Alam from the example that was published in Peus Sale 313 [1985] lot 241. It is a variant of the known examples No.551 identified by Alam as Unknown King A. This ruler was either Darius I or a contemporary.

## SASANIAN COINS



3687\*

**Sasanian King**, Shapur I, (240-270), silver drachm, (4.53 grams), obv. bust to right with crown, rev. fire altar with attendants, plain below altar, (Sellwood Plate I, No.12, Gobl 23, cf.M.809-819). *Extremely and very scarce.*

\$250



3688\*

**Sasanian King**, Vahran, II (274-293), silver drachm, (3.90 grams), obv. jugate busts of Vahran and consort, the queen's head topped with horse head, prince on right to left with eagle head, rev. fire altar with attendants, (Sellwood type IV, 23, Gobl 64, Pl.4, M.851, £250]). *Extremely fine, and rare.*

\$300



3689\*

**Sasanian King**, Artashir II, (A.D. 379-383), silver drachm, Type I/I, (4.02 grams), obv. bust to right with crown as a close-fitting headdress, pearl border and globe above, name in outer margin, rev. fire altar with attendants, holding spears, facing altar, (cf.Sellwood 34, Gobl 122, M.910). *Toned, very fine and rare.*

\$150



3690\*

**Sasanian King**, Shapur III, (A.D. 383-388), silver drachm, (3.39 grams), bust to right with unusual decorated crown, name in outer margin, rev. fire altar, (Sellwood 37, cf.Gobl 126). *Very fine or better and rare.*

\$100

3691

**Sasanian King**, Varhran V, (A.D. 420-438) and Yazdgard II, (A.D. 438-457), silver drachms, a range of mints, obv. bust to right with crown or headress of two turrets and a globe, name in outer margin, rev. fire altar with two attendants facing the altar with bust of Ahuramazda within the flames, (Sellwood 43, 45, 47, Gobl 153-156, 160-165, cf.M.951-956, 968-971). *All coins as small to large fragments, several showing hoard patination on the edge, otherwise very fine or better.* (13)

\$100



3692\*

**Sasanian King**, Yazdgard II, (A.D. 438-457), silver drachm, (4.11 grams), obv. bust to right with crown or headress of three turrets and a globe, name in outer margin, rev. fire altar with two attendants facing the altar with flames only above the altar, (Sellwood 47, Gobl 165, cf.M.968-971). *Extremely fine.*

\$100



3693\*

**Sasanian King**, Yazdgard II, (A.D. 438-457), silver drachm, probably NVKI or "Navaki" mint, (3.854 grams), obv. bust to right with crown, name in outer margin, rev. fire altar, with "rasti" (just or truth) on shaft, (Sellwood 47, cf.Gobl 165, Panuck 337-340, M.971). *Well centred, good very fine, very scarce.*

\$100



3694\*

**Sasanian King**, Kavad I, (A.D. 488-496, 498-531), silver drachm, second reign issue, (3.756 grams), AH = Ahmatana mint, year 40, obv. bust to right with crown, name in outer margin, crescents on shoulders, rev. fire altar, (Sellwood 51, Gobl 183, M.1021). *Good very fine and very scarce.*

\$80

The Ahmatana mint is not listed in Sellwood but noted in Mitchiner.

3695

**Sasanian King**, Kavad I, (A.D. 498-531), silver drachms, second reign issue, various mints and dates, obv. bust to right with crown, name in outer margin, crescents on shoulders, and streamers rising from headress into margin, name in margin, rev. fire altar with attendants star and crescent, (Sellwood 51, cf.Gobl 185-190, M.1017-1025). *Fine - very fine, several scarce.* (4)

\$80

One with a ticket described by Dr.H.N. Pollard, numismatic research.



part

3696\*

**Sasanian King**, Khusru I, (A.D. 531-579), silver drachms, various dates and mints, obv. bearded bust to right with crown wearing headress with two turrets and ornamental globe above, name in outer margin, crescents on three sides, rev. fire altar with attendants, (Sellwood 54, Gobl 194-198, cf.M.1028-1072). *One clipped, otherwise fine - nearly extremely fine, several scarce.* (10)

\$200

One with ticket described by Dr. H.N. Pollard, numismatic research.

3697

**Sasanian King**, Hormazd IV, (A.D. 579-590), silver drachm, obv. bearded bust to right with crown wearing headress with two turrets and ornamental globe above, name in outer margin, star and crescents on three sides, rev. fire altar with attendants, (Sellwood 55-56, Gobl 200-202, cf.M.1073-1099); Varhran V, (A.D. 590-591), silver drachm, similar, (Sellwood 57, Gobl 203); Hormazd V, (A.D. 631-632), silver drachm, (Sellwood 73, Gobl 230-231, cf.M.1242-1248). *Fine - nearly very fine, last two scarce.* (3)

\$100

All with tickets described by Dr.H.N. Pollard, numismatic research.



part

3698\*

**Sasanian King**, Hormazd IV, (A.D. 579-590), silver drachms, various dates and mints, obv. bearded bust to right with crown wearing headress with two turrets and ornamental globe above, name in outer margin, star and crescents on three sides, rev. fire altar with attendants, (Sellwood 55-56, Gobl 200-202, cf.M.1073-1099). *Fine - nearly good very fine.* (13)

\$200

Several with tickets described by Dr. H.N. Pollard, numismatic research,



Lot 3699 part



part

3699\*

**Sasanian King**, Khusru II, (A.D. 590, 591-628), silver drachms, various dates and mints, obv. bearded bust to right with crown wearing headress with two turrets and ornamental globe above topped by star in crescent, name in outer margin, star and crescents on three sides, rev. fire altar with attendants with triple margin; (Sellwood 61-63, 65-66, Gobl 208-215, 222, cf.M.1111-1213, 1221-1223); one with word "praise" in outer margin, (cf.W. alpha [p.2, Plate I, alpha]; cf.M.21; Sellwood type 62; Gobl 214). *Several toned, one clipped, otherwise, fine - extremely fine.* (19)

\$400

Eight with tickets described by Dr. H.N. Pollard, numismatic research and with additional printed notes,



3700\*

**Sasanian King**, Yazdgard III, (A.D. 632-651), silver drachm, (4.05, grams), obv. beardless bust of child-king to right with winged headress similar to Khusru II issues, single and double dotted margin, name in outer margin, star and crescents on three sides, rev. fire altar with attendants within double or triple dotted margin, (Sellwood 74, Gobl 234-235, cf.M.1251-1256). *Lightly toned, nearly extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$100



3701\*

**Bactria**, Kingdom of, Euthydemus II, (c.185-180 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.134 grams), obv. draped diademed bust of Euthydemus II to right, all within dotted border, rev. naked Herakles standing facing crowned with leaves, holding wreath and club and lion skin in left arm, to left EY ΘΥΔΗΜΟΥ and ΦΙΑ monogram, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΑΕΩ[Σ] (sic), (S.7536 [£1500], SNG ANS 217-8, Bopearachchi Series II 1D, MIG 113b). *Uneven tone, very high obverse relief, otherwise extremely fine and rare.*

\$2,000

The light weight for the tetradrachm is not unusual, a similar example in the ANS collection weighs 14.28 grams. The Λ in ΒΑΣΙΛΑΕΩΣ is written as an Α an engraver's error and not previously cited.



3702\*

**Bactria**, Kingdom of, Antialcidas, (c.145-135 B.C.), silver drachm, (2.292 grams), obv. bust of Antialcidas to right, wearing kausia, around ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΝΙΚΗΦΟΤΟΥ ΑΝΤΙΑΛΚΙΑΔΟΥ, rev. Zeus enthroned to left, with winged Nike and forepart of elephant holding wreath in left field, Karosthi legend around, PK monogram to right, (S.7629, SNG ANS 1085-1093, Boppearachchi Ser.13A, M.277a). *Slightly porous on edge, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$160



3703\*

**Bactria**, Indo-Scythian, Maues, (c.90-57 B.C.), AE square 23mm, (9.886 grams), obv. elephant advancing right, rev. humped bull walking right, (S.-, M. type 735, Senior 11.2). *Good very fine, patinated and rare.*

\$500



3704\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy II, Philadelphos, (285-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Alexandria mint, struck 284-283 B.C. (Davesne & Le Rider chronology based on Meydancikkale Hoard), (14.172 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left P above ΠΑΡ monogram, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf.S.7771, Sv.255, SNG Cop.459, Weber 8236, BMC 59, Meydancikkale 3391ff.). *Test marks on reverse right field, otherwise good very fine/very fine.*

\$280

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3518).



3705\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy II, Philadelphos, (285-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Sidon mint, struck 266-265 B.C. (Davesne & Le Rider chronology based on Meydancikkale Hoard), (13.792 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left ΣΙ, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf.S.7772, Sv.713, SNG Cop 506-7, BMC 32, Meydancikkale 4699ff.). *Test mark of cross on obverse right field, otherwise very fine/fine.*

\$160

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3561) and previously from Spink & Son, London.



3706\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy II, Philadelphos, (285-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Gaza mint, struck year 37 = 249-248 B.C., (14.082 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left ΓΑ above ΛV monogram, to right ΛΖ/Ζ, around [ΠΤΟΛΕΜ]ΑΙΟΥ ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ, (cf.S.7776 [£250], Sv.833, SNG Cop.459, BMC 141, Meydancikkale 4030). *Toned, slightly off centred, good very fine and rare.*

\$400

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3521) and previously from Spink & Son with ticket and listed and illustrated in the Spink Numismatic Circular September 1994 (No.5446).



3707\*

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

\$250



3708\*

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

\$200



3711\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy IV, (221-204 B.C.), AE 41, drachm, (67.0 grams), Alexandria mint, obv. diademed head of Zeus Ammon to right, rev. eagle to left with closed wings, standing on thunderbolt, cornucopiae over shoulder, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, between legs ΔΙ, dotted border; (S.7841, Sv.1125, BMC 106-8, SNG Cop. 199, Pitchfork 37, Koln 49). *Good very fine/very fine, scarce.*

\$300



3709\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy III, (246-221 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (14.102 grams), Alexandria mint, obv. diademed head of Ptolemy I to right wearing aegis, rev. eagle to left with closed wings, standing on thunderbolt around ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, to left cornucopiae, (cf.S.7806, Sv.1001, SNG Cop.167, BMC 83 [p.54], Hunter 20). *Good very fine, some dirt on the reverse and a rare type.*

\$750

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3522) and Sale 48 (lot 2760) previously Classical Numismatic group Auction in Boston September 9, 1994 (lot 565, illustrated, \$600US). CNG comment on this piece by stating that the style would seem to indicate a branch mint, but which one is uncertain (See Svoronos Pl.XXVI, 26 for similar piece with title ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ instead of ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ).



3712\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy IV, (221-205 B.C.), AE 36, copper drachm, (42.43 grams), Alexandria mint, issued 246-221 B.C., obv. diademed head of Zeus Ammon to right, rev. eagle to left with open wings, standing on thunderbolt, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, between legs ΣΕ, (S.7842, Sv. 1148, SNG Cop. 207, Pitchfork 40-42). *Nearly very fine.*

\$150



3710\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy III Euergetes, (246-221 B.C.), Bronze, uncertain mint of Cyprus, (Salamis), AE 28 (Trihemiobol), issued 204-202 B.C., (17.826 grams), obv. laureate, bearded head of Zeus Ammon with ram's horn to right, Rev. ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ around, with statue of Aphrodite facing on base, wearing kalathos, (cf.S.7820, Sv.1005. SNG Cop. 644, Weiser 107). *Attractive patina, extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$1,000

Ex The New York Sale Auction XIV, January 10, 2007 (lot 146).

3713

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy IV, (221-205 B.C.), AE 36, (41.23 grams), Alexandria mint, obv. diademed head of Zeus Ammon to right, rev. eagle to left with open wings, standing on thunderbolt, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, between legs ΣΕ, (S.7842, Sv. 1148, SNG Cop. 207, Pitchfork 40-42); Ptolemy VI, (180-145 B.C.), AE 19-20, (8.482, 8.586 grams), similar, rev. two eagles left, (cf.S.7900, Sv.1426, BMC 31-35 [p.106], Pitchfork 83-86); another AE 23, hemidrachm, (8.622 grams), obv. Herakles head to right, rev. eagle left, ΠΑ monogram to left, (S.-, Sv.1385, BMC 68, SNG Cop. 148). *Very good - good fine.* (4)

\$120





3714\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy VI, (180-145 B.C.), AE 27, tetrobol, issued 180-170 B.C., (15.546 grams), Alexandria mint, obv. female head (Isis) to right, with long curls, dotted border, rev. eagle to left with open wings, standing on thunderbolt, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left monogram of ΠΑ, (S.7903, Sv.1384, SNG Cop. 279 ff., Pitchfork 80). *Weak in places and off centred obverse, otherwise good fine/nearly very fine.*

\$100



3715\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy VIII Euergetes, (145-116 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Alexandria mint, struck year 32 = 139-138 B.C., (14.024 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left LAB, to right ΠΑ, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf.S.7908, Sv.1505, SNG Cop.-, BMC 42 and 60). *Very fine or better and very scarce.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3524).



3716\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy VIII, (145-116 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, issued year 31 = 140-139 B.C., (14.198 grams), Citium mint in Cyprus, obv. head of Ptolemy to right, rev. eagle to left, closed wings, ΛΑΑ ΚΙ to left and right, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (S.7911, Sv. 1580, SNG Cop.596). *Good very fine/extremely fine and a rare dated piece.*

\$600



Lot 3717

3717\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy VIII Euergetes, (145-116 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Citium mint (in Cyprus), struck year 31 = 140-139 B.C., (12.45 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left ΛΑΑ, to right ΚΙ, around [ΠΤΟΛ]ΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf.S.7908, Sv.1580, SNG Cop.596, BMC 37). *Edge corrosion and surface roughness, otherwise very fine or better and very scarce.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3525).



3718\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy IX Soter and Cleopatra III, (116-107 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Alexandria mint, struck year 7 = 111-110 B.C., (13.084 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left LZ, to right ΠΑ, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕ[ΩΣ], (cf.S.7921, Sv.1668, SNG Cop.-, Pitchfork -, BMC 19). *Some minor surface hoard adhesion, otherwise good very fine and very scarce.*

\$220

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3530).



3719\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy IX Soter and Cleopatra III, (116-107 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Alexandria mint, struck year 10 = 108-107 B.C., (13.278 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left ΛΙ, to right ΠΑ, around [ΠΤΟΛΕ]ΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf.S.7921, Sv.1671, SNG Cop.356-7, Pitchfork -, BMC 63). *Very fine/fine and very scarce.*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3532).



3720\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy X Alexander I, (106-88 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Alexandria mint, struck year 17 = 98-97 B.C., (13.358 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left ΛΙΖ, to right ΠΑ, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (S.7941, Sv.1677, SNG Cop.366, Pitchfork 107, BMC 32). *Edge flaws, otherwise very fine and very scarce.*

\$160

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3533).



3721\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy XII, Neos Dionysos, (80-51 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Alexandria mint, struck year 21 = 61-60 B.C., (13.554 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left LKA, to right ΠΑ, around [ΠΤΟΛΕ]ΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf.S.7946, Sv.1868, SNG Cop.391, Pitchfork -, BMC 41-42). *Small flan, weak in places, nearly very fine and very scarce.*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3534).



3724\*

**Egypt**, Alexandria, Hadrian (A.D. 117-138), AE hemidrachm, year 13 = A.D. 128-129, (25.08 grams), obv. Hadrian bust with laureate head to right, around traces ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙ ΤΡΑΙ ΑΔΡΙΝΟC CEB, rev. Nilus reclining left holding reed and cornucopiae, left arm resting on crocodile, IS above, L ΔΩΔΕΚ, (cf.S.3757, Datt. 1807 var., Koln 990, Milne 1265); another similar but a diobol, (13.04 grams), (S.-, Koln 989, Milne 1270, BMC 802). *Fine; very fine both scarce.* (2)

\$140



3722\*

**Egypt**, Kingdom of, Ptolemy XII, Neos Dionysos, (80-51 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, Alexandria mint, struck year 22 = 60-59 B.C., (13.554 grams), obv. head of Ptolemy to right with aegis, rev. eagle to left on thunderbolt with closed wings, to left LKB, to right ΠΑ, around ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf.S.7946, Sv.1869, SNG Cop.392, Pitchfork 112, BMC 43-44). *Small flan, needs cleaning, very fine and very scarce.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3535).



3725\*

**Egypt**, Alexandria, Aelius (Caesar under Hadrian), (A.D. 136-138), billon tetradrachm, issued A.D. 137, (12.75 grams), obv. bare bearded head of Aelius to right, around Α ΑΙΛΙΟC ΚΑΙCΑΡ, rev. ΔΗΜ ΕΞΟΥC ΥΠΙΑΤ Β around, Homonoia standing to left, sacrificing pver an altar and holding a cornucopiae, (S.3995, BMC 921, Milne 1535, Koln 1271). *Weak in places, spot of edge corrosion, otherwise very fine and scarce.*

\$120



3723\*

**Egypt**, Alexandria, Galba (A.D. 68-69), billon tetradrachm, year 2 = A.D. 68-69, (12.66 grams), obv. Galba laureate head to right, around ΣΕΡΟΥΙ ΓΑΛΒΑ ΑΥ[ΤΟΚ ΚΑΙC ΣΕΒΑ], LB to right, rev. Eleutheria (Libertas) standing to left, star before, ΕΛΕΥ [ΘΕΡΙΑ] around, (cf.S.2140, Koln 232, Milne 329-330, BMC -). *Missing portions of the legend otherwise toned and very fine.*

\$150

3726

**Egypt**, Alexandria, Philip I, (A.D. 244-249), billon tetradrachm, year 3 = A.D. 245-246, (12.88 grams), obv. laureate cuirassed bust of Philip I to right, around Α Κ Μ ΙΟΥ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟ C EV CEB, rev. Λ Γ to right, Nike advancing to right, holding wreath, (S.9090, Dattari 4894, Koln -); Moesia Superior, Viminacium, Trajan Decius, (A.D. 249-251), AE 26, (11.55 grams), obv. laureate bust of Trajan Decius to right, around IMP C M Q TRAIANVS DECIVS AVG, rev. female figure Moesia standing between bull and lion, in exergue AN XII, around P M S C OL [VIM], (year 3 = 240-1), (S.4164, Vabanov 176 [R8], AMNG 131). *Fine - very fine.* (2)

\$100

3727

**Egypt**, Alexandria, Gallienus (A.D. 253-268), billon tetradrachm, year 15 = A.D. 267-268, (9.86 grams), obv. laureate and cuirassed bust of Gallienus to right, around AVT K Π AIK ΓΑΛΛΙΗΝΟC CEB, rev. Eagle standing to right, head to left, holding wreath in beak, palm behind, to right L IE, (S.10592, BMC 2230, Milne 4178, Koln 2942); Claudius II, (A.D. 268-270), billon tetradrachm, year 2 = A.D. 269-270, (9.39 grams), obv. laureate and cuirassed bust of Claudius II to right, around AVT K ΚΛΑCΔΙΟ C CEB, rev. LB to left and right, eagle standing to left, head right, (S.11418, BMC 2333, Milne 4247, Koln 3028); Aurelian, (A.D. 270-275), billon tetradrachm, year 4 = A.D. 272-273, (9.61 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust of Aurelian right, around A K Λ ΔΟΜ ΑΥΡΗΑΙΑΝΟC CEB, rev. eagle to left, head to right, standing between two vexilla, above L Δ, (S.11681, BMC 2370, Milne 4396, Koln 3077); Maximianus, (A.D. 286-305), billon tetradrachm, year 2 = A.D. 286-287, (7.09 grams), obv. similar around A K M OVA M OVA ΜΑΞΙΜΙΑΝΟC CEB, rev. Elpis standing to left hold flower and raises skirt, across L B, (S.-, BMC 2555, Milne 4814, Koln 3285). *Very fine or better*. (4)

\$120

3728

**Ancient Greek etc**, a small group including Thasos, (after 148 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.32 grams), obv. large head of young Dionysos to right, wreathed with ivy and band across forehead, rev. Herakles naked standing to left, (S.1759); Egypt, Ptolemy XII Neos Dionysos, 80-51 B.C., Second Reign, silver tetradrachm, Year 23 = 59-58 B.C., Alexandria Mint, (S.7947, Sv.1870); Alexandria, billon tetradrachm, Maximianus, (286-305 A.D.), (6.44 grams); Thrace, Olbia, (5th century B.C.), AE dolphin 20-26mm x 5-8mm, (1.97, 2.49, 2.64 grams), obv. dolphin, rev. dolphin, (S.1684, SNG BM 368, BMC 19) (3); other AE Antoninus Pius AE 22 Antioch mint; Constantine the Great, AE follis, and a selection of Indian (12), AE (10), AR (2). *Fair - very fine*. (21)

\$200

3729

**Ancient Greek**, assorted issued in packets roughly described, includes Palestine, prutahs of Herod Agrippa I, issued 41-42, (H.553); procurators, under Nero, Porcius Festus 59-62, (H.653) (3); issues of Seleucus & Pierra, Antioch, Philip I AE 29, (S.3959); Elagabalus AE 19, SC in wreath reverse, (S.-, SNG Cop.244); anonymous issue AE 18 issued 59-60 A.D., (SNG Cop.102); Decapolis, Petra, Marcus Aurelius and Lucius Verus, rev. crescent and star, (Spijkerman mule 19/18); Mesopotamia, Singara, Gordian III and Tranquillina, AE 31, (S.3804); Ascalon, Hadrian AE 22 (S.1250); Carthage (2) (S.6508, 6525); others (4) AE 15-20. *Fair - good fine*. (16)

\$150

3730

**Ancient coins**, Egypt, Kingdom of, Ptolemy IV, (221-204 B.C.), AE 34 or hemidrachm, (34.46 grams), Alexandria mint, obv. diademed head of Zeus Ammon to right, rev. eagle to left with closed wings, standing on thunderbolt, in front cornucopiae, around ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩC [ΠΤ]ΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, between legs ΔΙ, (cf.S.7841, Sv. 1127, SNG Cop. 202, BMC 65, Koln 48, Pitchfork 56); Augustus, (B.C. 27 - A.D. 14), postumous issue AE as, (9.19 grams), obv. radiate head to left of Augustus, around DIVVS AVGVSTVS PATER, rev. S C across, winged thunderbolt, (S.1791, RIC 83, BMC 157, C.249); Byzantine, Basil II & Constantine VII, period of (976-1025/8), copper Follis (14.79, 9.62 grams), Anonymous Class A2, Constantinople mint, obv. Nimbate facing bust of Christ, raising hand in benediction and holding Gospels, cross and pellets in nimbus, traces of +EMMA NOVHA, rev. four-line legend, diamond and lines each side below legend, (S.1813) (2); Michael VII, (A.D. 1071-1078), follis, (7.68 grams), Constantinople mint, obv. Christ bust facing with cross behind, rev. Michael's bust facing with loros holding labarum and cross on globe, (S.1878). *Very good - nearly very fine*. (5)

\$100

3731

**Ancient coins**, a small group including Egypt, billon tetradrachms (6) of Severus Alexander (Koln 2496); Claudius II (Koln 3015), Aurelian (2) (Koln 3067,3086), Diocletian (2) (Koln 3235, 3249); Roman, Domitian, silver denarius, (cf.S.2732); copper antoninianii of Gordian III, (S.8615); Gallienus, (S.10368); Tetricus I (2) (S.11234), and a folles of Constantine II, Alexandria mint, (S.3951). *Fair - very fine*. (12)

\$100

## ROMAN REPUBLIC



3732\*

**Anonymous Series**, (c.241-235 B.C.), AE litra, Rome mint, (3.54 grams), obv. helmeted head of beardless Mars to right, dotted border, rev. horse's to right, ROMA below, sickle behind, (S.594, Cr.25/3, Syd.26). *Light porosity, very fine and scarce*.

\$120



3733\*

**Anonymous Series**, (157-156 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.93 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, X behind, rev. Victory in biga to right, ROMA in exergue, (S.76 [£140 EF], Cr.197/1a, Syd.376). *Bright, small flan as usual, nearly extremely fine*.

\$150



3734\*

**L. Saufeius**, (152 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.586 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, X behind, rev. Victory in biga to right, L.SAVF monogram below, ROMA in exergue, (S.83, Cr.204/1, Syd.384, Saufeia 1); L. Julius Bursio, (c.85 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.876 grams), obv. Genius (or Apollo Vejovis) bust laureate to right, trident and symbol behind, rev. Victory in quadriga to right, DI below, L. IVLI. BURSIO in exergue, (S.268, Cr.352/1c, Syd.728c, B.Julia 5b). *Fine - very fine. (2)*

\$140



3735\*

**M. Atilius Sarnus**, (148 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.81 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, X below chin SARAN behind, rev. Dioscuri to right, M ATILI below, ROMA in exergue, (S.92, Cr.214/1b, Syd.398a). *Good very fine with several edge breaks.*

\$100



3736\*

**C. Renius**, (138 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.81 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, X behind, rev. Juno Caprotina in a biga of goats, C.RENI below, ROMA in exergue, (S.108 [£55 VF], Cr.231/1, Syd.432). *Small flan as usual, very fine and scarce.*

\$120



3737\*

**P. Aelius Paetus**, (138 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.588 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, X behind, rev. Dioscuri to right, P.PAETV[S] below, ROMA in exergue, (S.110, Cr.233/1, Syd.455). *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3560).



3738\*

**C. Servilius**, (136 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.870 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, wreath behind, [X ROMA] under head, rev. the Dioscuri galloping in opposite directions, [C.S]ERVEILI .M.F. in exergue, (S.116, Cr.239/1, Syd.525). *Nearly very fine.*

\$100



3739\*

**M. Marcius, Mn.f.**, (134 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.846 grams), obv. Roma head right, \* below chin, modius behind, rev. Victory in biga, M.MAR C monogram below divided by two corn ears, RO MA in exergue, (S.122, Cr.245/1, Syd.500). *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3561).



3740\*

**M. Marcius, Mn.f.**, (134 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.89 grams), obv. Roma head right, \* below chin, modius behind, rev. Victory in biga, M.MAR C monogram below divided by two corn ears, RO MA in exergue, (S.122, Cr.245/1, Syd.500). *Bright, very fine and scarce.*

\$100



3741\*

**P. Maenius Antiaticus**, M.f., (132 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.88 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, \* behind, rev. Victory in quadriga to right, with wreath, P.MAE ANT ligated below, ROMA in exergue, (S.126, Cr.249/1, Syd.492, RSC Maenia 7). *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$160



3742\*

**M. Opimius**, (131 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.846 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, \* below chin, tripod behind, rev. Apollo in biga to right, M.OPEIMI below, ROMA in exergue, (S.130 [£150 EF], Cr.254/1, Syd.475); L. Flaminius Chilo, (109-108 B.C.), Rome mint, (3.806 grams), obv. helmeted head of Roma to right, ROMA behind, X below chin, rev. Victory in biga, L. FLAMIN[I] below, and CILO in exergue, (S.179, Cr.302/1, Syd.540, B.Flaminia 1). *Very fine both scarce. (2)*

\$150





3743\*

**T. Cloelius**, (128 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.91 grams), obv. Roma head right, ROMA below, wreath behind, rev. Victory in biga right, ear of corn below, T.CLOVLI in exergue, (S.136, Cr.260/1, Syd.516). *Bright, good very fine and scarce.*

\$150

The omission of the mark of value at this time is very unusual. Sear suggests it might possibly be concealed in the spokes of the chariot wheel.



3744\*

**C. Porcius Cato**, (c.123 B.C.), silver denarius (3.79 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, X behind neck, rev. Victory in biga to right, C. CATO below, ROMA in exergue, (S.149, Cr.274/1, Syd.417). *Bright, very fine or better.*

\$120



3745\*

**M. Fannius C.f.**, (123 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.88 grams), obv. Roma head right, [X] below, ROMA behind, rev. Victory in quadriga right, M.FAN.C.F. ligated in exergue, (S.150, Cr.275/1, Syd. 419). *Small flan, very fine.*

\$100



3746\*

**C. Plutius**, (c.121 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.88 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, X behind, rev. Dioscuri to right, C.PLVTI below. ROMA in exergue, (S.153, Cr.278/1, Syd.410 & 414). *Very fine or better and scarce.*

\$140



Lot 3747

3747\*

**Cn. Carbo**, (c.121 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.828 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, X behind, rev. Jupiter in quadriga to right, CARB below. [R]OMA in exergue, (S.154 [£45 VF], Cr.279/1, Syd.415, Papira 7); C. Vibius C.f. Pansa, (90 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.826, grams), obv. large laureate head of Apollo to right, PANSA behind, [symbol] under chin, rev. Minerva in quadriga to right [C.] VIBIVS C F in exergue, (S.242, Cr.342/5b, Syd.684, B.Vibia 2). *Nearly very fine both scarce.* (2)

\$150



3748\*

**M.Furius L.f. Philus**, (c.119 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.83 grams), obv. laureate head of Janus, around M.FOVRI.L.F, rev. Roma standing left erecting trophy, ROMA to right, PHLI monogram in exergue, (S.156, Cr.281/1, Syd.529, RSC Furia 18). *Slightly off centred, otherwise, very fine, scarce.*

\$150

3749

**L. Pomponius Cn.f.**, (118 B.C.), silver denarius, Narbo mint, (3.610 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, M AVRELI around, X, ROMA behind, rev. Gallic warrior in biga to right, SCAVRI, below, L.LIC.CN.DOM in exergue, (S.157, Cr.282/1, Syd.523); another Q.Marius, C.Fabius and L.Roscius, (118-7 B.C.), (3.256 grams), obv. similar, rev. Victory in quadriga, ROM[A] below, [Q] MAR C F L R, (S.159, Cr.283/1a, Syd.541), another M.Cipius, (115-114 B.C.), (3.778 grams), obv. similar, M.CIPI M.F. around, rev. Victory in biga, rudder below, [ROMA] in exergue, (S.166, Cr.289/1, Syd.546); C. Vibius C.f. Pansa, (90 B.C.) (3) Rome mint, (3.478, 3.464 and 3.744 grams), obv. laureate head of Apollo to right, [PANSA] behind, letter or symbol under chin, rev. Minerva in quadriga to right, traces of C. VIBIVS C F in exergue, (S.242, Cr.342/5b, Syd.684b, B.Vibia 1b). *Very good - good fine.* (6)

\$150



3750\*

**M.Sergius Silus**, (116-115 B.C.), silver denarius, (3.838 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, EX SC before, ROMA \* behind, rev. horseman galloping left, with sword and barbarian head, Q/M.SERGI below, [SILVS] in exergue, (S.163, Cr.286/1, Syd.534, Sergia 1). *Good very fine.*

\$160



3751\*

**M. Cippius, M.F.**, (115-114 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.90, 3.93 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, M.CIPI. M.F. before, X behind, rev. Victory in biga to right, rudder below, ROMA in exergue, (S.166, Cr.289/1, Syd.546, RSC Cipia 1). *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$150



3752\*

**Man. Aemilius Lepidus**, (114-113 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.88 grams), obv. Roma laureate and diademed head to right, ROMA before, \* behind, rev. equestrian statue on triumphal arch, LEP between arches, MN. AEMILIO around, (S.168, Cr.291/1, Syd.554, RSC Aemilia 7). *Good very fine and very scarce.*

\$160



3753\*

**Cn. Blasio Cn.f.** (112-111 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.874 grams), obv. Scipio Africanus the Elder or Blasio, helmeted head to right, \* above, CN.BLASIO.CN.F below and before, symbol behind, rev. Jupiter standing between Juno and Minerva, ROMA in exergue, [AB] monogram in right field, (S.173 [£80 VF], Cr.296/1c, Syd.561c). *Weak in places otherwise, very fine and scarce.*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3566).



3754\*

**T. Manlius Mancinus, Appius Claudius Pulcher and Q. Urbinius**, (111-110 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.82 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, object behind, rev. Victory in triga to right, T. MAL. AP CL Q VR in exergue, (S.176 [£45 VF], Cr.299/1b, Syd.570a, B. Mallia 2). *Off centred reverse, otherwise extremely fine, scarce.*

\$200



3755\*

**C. Claudius Pulcher**, (110-109 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.95 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, rev. Victory in biga to right, C.PVLCHER in exergue, (S.177, Cr.300/1, Syd.569, RSC Claudia 1). *Extremely fine.*

\$200



3756\*

**L. Flaminius Chilo**, (109-108 B.C.), Rome mint, (3.93 grams), obv. helmeted head of Roma to right, ROMA behind, X below chin, rev. Victory in biga, L. FLAMIN[I] below, and CILO in exergue, (S.179, Cr.302/1, Syd.540). *Off centred obverse, otherwise nearly extremely fine/good very fine.*

\$120

3757

**L. Flaminius Chilo**, (109-108 B.C.), Rome mint, (3.276 grams), obv. helmeted head of Roma to right, [RO]MA behind, X below chin, rev. Victory in biga, L. FLAMI[N]I below, and [CILO] in exergue, (S.170, Cr.302/1, Syd.540); another C. Claudius Pucher, (110-109 B.C.), (3.378 grams), obv. similar, rev. Victory in biga right, (S.177, Cr.300/1, Syd.569); another Q. Thermus, (103 B.C.), (3.538 grams), obv. Mars helmeted head left, rev. two warriors fighting Q THERMMF in exergue, (S.197, Cr.319/1, Syd.592); another P. Servilius, (100 B.C.), (3.386 grams), obv. Minerva helmeted head left, rev. Victory in biga right, P below, [P] SERVILI M [F] in exergue, (S.207, Cr.328/1, Syd.601). *Toned, very good - very fine.* (4)

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3568)



3758\*

**L. Thorius Balbus**, (c.105 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.89 grams), obv. Juno of Lanuvium, wearing goat's skin to right, I.S.M.R behind, rev. bull charging to right, G above, L.THORIVS below, BALBVS in exergue, (S.192, Cr.316/1, Syd.594, RSC Thoria 1). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$180



3759\*

**C. Fabius c.f. Hadrianus**, (c.102 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.76 grams), obv. Cybele veiled and turreted head to right, EX.A. PV behind. rev. Victory in biga to right, C. under horses, C.FABI C.F. below, (S.200, Cr.322/1b, Syd.590, Fabia 14). *Light grey tone, very fine and scarce.*

\$100



3760\*

**D. Silanus L.f.**, (c.91 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.83 grams), obv. Roma helmeted to right, E behind, rev. Victory on biga to right, [D].SILANVS L.F. / ROMA in exergue, XVII above, (S.225, Cr.337/3, Syd.646). *As struck on small flan as usual, slightly off centre, brilliant, extremely fine.*

\$140



3761\*

**L. Calpurnius Piso Frugi**, (90 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.822 grams), obv. laureate head of Apollo to right, anchor with dot behind, rev. horseman galloping to right, L PISO FRVGI over F in exergue, club above, (S.235, B.Calpurnia 11, Cr.340/1). *Nearly very fine.*

\$80



3762\*

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

\$140



3763\*

**L. Titurius L.f. Sabinus**, (89 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.520 grams), obv. bare head of king Tadius to right, SABIN behind, palm before, rev. two Roman soldiers each carrying a woman in his arms, [L.T]ITVRI in exergue, (S.249 [£60 VF], Cr.344/1b, Syd.698a, B.Tituria 2); **L. and C. Memmius, L.f. Galeria**, (87 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (4.066 grams), obv. laureate head of Saturn to left, harpa behind, EX SC behind, rev. Venus in biga to right, holding sceptre, L.C. MEMIES. L.[F.]/GAL in exergue, (S.262 [o160 EF], Cr.349/1, Syd.712, B.Memmia 8). *Fine - very fine, both scarce. (2)*

\$150

3764

**L. Titurius L.f. Sabinus**, (89 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (4.00 grams), obv. bare head of king Tadius to right, SABIN behind, palm before, rev. Tarpeia facing, buried to her waist in shields, with raised hands, trying to thrust off two soldiers casting their shields at her, star in crescent above, L.TITVRI in exergue, (S.252 [£65 VF], Cr.344/2b, Syd.699, B.Tituria 4). *Weak in places, obverse scratches, otherwise good fine - nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$80



3765\*

**C. Norbanus**, (c.83 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (4.02 grams), obv. diademed head of Venus to right, C. NORBANVS below, CXX behind, rev. ear of corn, fasces and caduceus within dotted border, (S.278, Cr.357/1b, Syd.739, B.Norbana 2). *Nearly extremely fine/extremely fine and rare.*

\$180



3766\*

**L. Manlius Torquatus**, (c.82 B.C.), silver denarius, mint moving with Sulla, (3.71 grams), obv. small Roma helmeted head to right, L. MANL[I] before, PRO Q behind, rev. Sulla in walking quadriga to right, crowned by Victory above, L.SVLLA IM in exergue, (S.286, Cr.367/5, Syd.757, B.Manlia 4). *Off centred obverse, good very fine/extremely fine, very scarce.*

\$220

A total of 31 obverse dies has been calculated by Crawford for this type. A military issue of Sulla struck at the time of the civil war in Italy in 82 B.C. The coin bears the name of one of Sulla's lieutenants who is described as proquaestor and was later consul in 65 B.C.

3767

**C. Naevius Balbus**, (c.79 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.91 grams), obv. Venus diademed head right, S.C. behind, rev. Victory in triga, X above, C. NAE BALB in exergue, (S.309, Cr.382/1b, Syd. 769b, B.Naevia 6); **others M.Fannius**, (c.123 B.C.), (3.48 grams), obv. Roma head right, rev. Victory in quadriga, (S.150, Cr.275/1); **Q. Titius**, (c.90 B.C.), (3.81 grams), obv. Mutinus Titinus head right, rev. Pegasus on tablet, (S.238, Cr.341/1); **Man.Acilius Glabrio** (c.49 B.C.) (3.67 grams), obv. Salus head right, rev. Valetudo (Salus) standing left, (S.412, Cr.442/1a). *Serrated edge for first coin and good fine, second coin found in North Norfolk, poor, others very good. (4)*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3578).



3768\*

**Ti. Claudius**, (c.79 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.926 grams), obv. Diana bust to right bow and quiver on shoulder, S.C. before, rev. Victory in biga to right, A LXXXXVIII below, TI CLAVD. TI.F/AP. N in exergue, (S.310, Cr.383/1, Syd.770a, B.Claudia 5). *Serrated edge, slightly off centred on obverse, otherwise nearly extremely fine, scarce.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3577).



3772\*

**C. Postumius**, (c.74 B.C.), Rome mint, (3.980 grams), obv. Diana draped bust to right bow and quiver at shoulder, rev. hound running right, C.POSTVMI/TA in exergue, (S.330 [£65 VF], Cr.394/1a, Syd.785, B. Postumia 9). *Nearly extremely fine, very scarce.*

\$240

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3580).



3769\*

**L. Papius**, (c.79 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.84 grams), obv. Juno Sospita head to right, wearing goat's skin, shield symbol behind, rev. Gryphon prancing to right, eagle symbol below, L PAPI in exergue, (S.311, Cr.384/1, Syd.773, B.Papia 1). *Serrated, blue and gold patina, good very fine and very scarce.*

\$150

3773\*

**C. Hosidius C.f. Geta**, (68 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.890 grams), obv. Bust of Diana, draped to right, bow and quiver at her shoulder, GETA before, III VIR behind, rev. wild boar of Calydon to right, pierced by spear and attacked by dog, [C] HOSIDI CF in exergue, (S.346, Cr.407/2, Syd.903, B.Hosidia 1). *Attractive good very fine, bankers mark on chin, rare.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3581).



3770\*

**L. Rutilius Flaccus**, (c.77 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.692 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, FLAC behind, rev. Victory in biga to right, L. RVTILI in exergue, (S.318 [£140 EF], Cr.387/1, Syd.780a). *Toned, very fine and scarce.*

\$120



3774\*

**D. Junius Albinus Bruti**, (c.48 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.31 grams), obv. Pietas head to right, PIETAS behind, rev. two joined hands holding caduceus, ALBINVS BRVTI F around, (S.427, Cr.450/2, Syd.942, RSC Postumia 10). *Nearly very fine and rare.*

\$100



3771\*

**L. Rutilius Flaccus**, (c.77 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.594 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, FLAC behind, rev. Victory in biga to right, L. RVTILI in exergue, (S.318 [£140 EF], Cr.387/1, Syd.780a). *Toned, banker's mark on cheek, otherwise nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$80

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3579).



3775\*

**L. Plautius Plancus**, (c.47 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.674 grams), obv. mask of Medusa, facing, hair dishevelled, L.PLAVTIVS below, rev. Aurora flying to right, conducting the four horses of the sun, PLANCVS below, (S.429 [£250 EF], Cr.453/1a, Syd.959, RSC Plautia 15). *Slightly off centre on the reverse and weak in places, otherwise good very fine and rare.*

\$100

Ovid relates that during the censorship of C. Plautius and Ap. Claudius Caecus in 312 B.C., the latter quarrelled with the Tibicenes, who retired to Tibur. As the people resented their loss, Plautius arranged for them to be placed in wagons and conveyed back to Rome early in the morning. In order that they should not be recognised, their faces were covered with masks. The chariot of Aurora is an allusion to their early arrival and the mask to the concealment of their faces. In commemoration of this event the fetes called Quinquatrus Minusculae were celebrated yearly at Rome on the 13th June, at which those that took part in them wore masks.





3776\*

**P. Accoleius Lariscolus**, (43 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.526 grams), obv. Acca Larentia bust to right, P. ACCOLEIVS LARISCOLVS around, rev. three statues of the Nymphae Querquetulanae standing facing supporting beam on which are five trees, (S.484 [£150 VF], Cr.486/1, Syd.1148, RSC Accoleia 1 [£65]). *Punch mark on obverse and reverse, otherwise, fine and very scarce.*

\$100

Crawford has determined that 84 obverse dies were used for this type.



3780\*

**Augustus as Octavian**, (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), silver denarius, uncertain Italian mint (probably Brundisium, maybe Rome), issued 29-27 B.C. (3.83 grams), obv. Victory draped standing to right on prow, right hand holds wreath and left hand a palm, rev. IMP CAESAR in exergue, Octavian standing in ornamental slow quadriga to right, holding branch in right hand and reins in left hand, (S.458, RIC 264, C.115, BMC 617). *Old scratch on obverse, off centred on the reverse, otherwise very fine and rare.*

\$300

Ex B.R. Noble collection, sold Glendining's, London December 11 1975 (lot 181). This coin refers to Octavian's triumph after the battle of actium and the defeat of Sextus Pompey.

## ROMAN SILVER & BRONZE



3777\*

**Julius Caesar**, (died 44 B.C.), silver denarius, issued 49-48 B.C., mint moving with Caesar, (3.88 grams), obv. elephant to right, trampling on serpent, rev. pontifical emblems, simpulum, aspergillum, axe and apex, (S.1399, Cr.443/1, Syd.1006, RSC 49). *Good very fine, weak in places.*

\$600



3781\*

**Drusus**, son of Tiberius, (died A.D. 23), AE as, Rome mint, issued under Tiberius, A.D. 22-23, (10.16 grams), obv. bare head of Drusus to left, around DRVSVS CAESAR TI AVG F DIVI AVG N, rev. PONTIF TRIBVN POTEST ITER around, S C across field in centre, (S.1794, RIC 45, BMC 99, C.2). *Roughness around edge, otherwise good very fine.*

\$200



3778\*

**Mark Antony**, (32-31 B.C.), silver denarius, mint moving with Mark Antony, (3.33 grams), obv. praetorian galley to right with rowers etc., around [ANT AVG] III VIR. R.P.C., rev. legionary eagle between two standards, LEG XIX below, (S.1479, Cr.544/35, Syd.1242, C. Mark Antony 55). *Weak in places, otherwise fine.*

\$150

3779

**Augustus as Octavian**, (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), silver denarius, mint moving with Octavian, issued 40 B.C. by Q. Salvius, (3.30 grams), obv. head of Octavian to right, around C CAE[SAR III VIR R P C], rev. [Q SALVIVS] IMP COS DESIG, around a thunderbolt, (S.1541, Cr.523/1a, BMC 1326b); Sextus Pompey, (42-40 B.C.), silver denarius, Sicilian mint, (3.41 grams), obv. the Pharos of Messina surmounted by Neptune, galley before it, [MAG PIVS] IMP ITER around, rev. monster Scylla, around PRAEF CLAS ET OR[AE MARIT S.C.], (S.1393, Cr.511/4, Syd.1348, C. Sextus Pompey 2). *Fair and very rare. (2)*

\$80



3782\*

**Gaius (Caligula)**, (A.D. 37-41), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 37-38, (22.96 grams), obv. Caligula laureate head to left, around C CAESAR AVG GERMANICVS P[ON M TR POT], dotted border, rev. S P Q R / P P / OB CIVES / SERVATOS in four lines within an oak wreath, (cf.S.1801, RIC 37, BMC 38). *Dark green patination, well centred but weak in places, otherwise nearly fine and rare.*

\$250



3783\*

**Gaius (Caligula)**, (A.D. 37-41), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 39-40, (26.16 grams), obv. Pietas veiled and draped seated to left, holding a patera, left arm resting on a facing figure draped on basis, around C CAESAR DIVI AVG PRON AVG P M TR P III P P, PIETAS in exergue, dotted border, rev. DIVO AVG over S C across the field, hexastyle garlanded temple, quadriga above, before which is Gaius, veiled and togate, sacrificing with patera over altar, one attendant leads a bull another behind, (S.1802 [£300 F], RIC 44, BMC -, (pL.28, 9). *Very dark patina, several surface defects as old corrosion spots, otherwise nearly very fine and rare.*

\$750

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3587). Sear (p.356), comments on this issue noting that there were two temples in Rome honouring the deified Augustus, one on the Palatine, the other of uncertain location, possibly behind the Basilica Julia in the depression between the Palatine and Capitoline Hills. The latter, built under Tiberius, was dedicated by Caligula in August A.D. 37, an event commemorated by this elaborate architectural type.



3784\*

**Gaius (Caligula)**, (A.D. 37-41), AE as, Rome mint, issued A.D. 37-38, (9.546 grams), obv. bare head of Caligula to left, around C CAESAR AVG GERMANICVS PON M TR POT, rev. [VESTA] above, Vesta seated to left, veiled and draped seated on ornamental throne, holding patera and transverse sceptre, S C across field, (S.1803, RIC 38, C.27, BMC 46). *Brown patina, some surface oxidation, otherwise fine.*

\$100



3785\*

**Claudius**, (A.D. 41-54), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 40-41, (23.94 grams), obv. laureate head of Claudius to right, around TI CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG PM TR P IMP, rev. EX S C/OB/CIVES/SERVATOS in four lines, oak-wreath around, (S.1849, RIC 96, C.39, BMC 115). *Tiber patina, rough surface otherwise very fine, portrait nearly extremely fine, scarce.*

\$600



3786\*

**(Claudius - Titus)**, from Moesia & Thrace area, uncertain first century period, (6.108 grams), AE 25 with unusual countermark of X over trophy? repeated three times completely and two partially, overstruck on bronze issue of uncertain type, (not in Martini, Nom.6, Pangerl Collection of Countermarked Imperial coins or Howgego). *Contermarks very fine/fine, host coin poor, very rare apparently unpublished.*

\$100

From the same group as in previous sales and by association attributed to the same area of circulation.

3787

**Antonia**, mother of Claudius, (died A.D. 37), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 41-42, (10.06 grams), obv. bare head of Antonia to right, around A[NTONIA] AV[GVSTA], rev. [TI CLAVDIVS CAESA]R AVG PM TR P IMP, Claudius standing veiled and togate standing to left, holding simpulum, SC across in field, (S.1902, RIC 92, BMC 166, C.6); Agrippa, (died 12 B.C.), posthumous issue struck by Caligula (A.D. 37-41), AE as, (10.15 grams), obv. M AGRIPPA L F C[OS III], head to left wearing rostral crown, rev. S C, across, Neptune standing to left, holding dolphin and trident, (S.1812, RIC 58 (Caligula), C.3). *Surface roughness on obverse, with Tiber patina for first coin, otherwise very good - fine. (2)*

\$100



3788\*

**Nero**, (A.D. 54-68), AE as, issued c.65, Rome mint, (10.72 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Nero, around NERO CAESAR AVG GERM IMP, rev. view of temple of Janus with latticed window to left and door on right, around PACE PR VBIQ PARTA IANVM CLVSIT, S C across field, (S.1974, RIC 306, BMC 227). *Dark brown patination, good very fine and rare in this condition.*

\$500



3789\*

**Nero**, (A.D. 54-68 A.D.), AE as, (10.574 grams), a very rare hybrid, probably from Lugdunum mint (BMC), obv. laureate head right, around, NERO CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG..., rev. S C across, Neptune standing to left, (S.-, RIC, BMC 391 note [p.276] and Plate 48; 11 [the Walters example, our example similar to that illustrated and only known from the Walters Collection and it again was illustrated in Num. Chron. 1915 p.333 and Pl.XVI]). *Dark brown-green patina, score mark on reverse, slightly off centred, good fine/nearly fine and excessively rare being probably the second known example.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3600). Walters describing his example on p.333 of the Numismatic Chronicle of 1915 states "Apparently (an) unpublished coin of Nero.. an as with the reverse type of Neptune standing, similar in all respects to that on the coins of Agrippa, although the work is of a different and superior style.." [he then describes the coin] and further states; "This coin, although of the Agrippa type, is not a mule, as the work is of the time of Nero. It is also to be noted that Cohen quotes examples of two 'second brass' coins of Nero with altar reverses that like those of the Augustan type. These together with my coin appear to show a tendency at a certain period of Nero's reign to revive well-known types associated with the reign of Augustus."



3790\*

**Galba**, (A.D. 68-69), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued 68, (19.55 grams), obv. laureate bust of Galba to left, around SER GALBA IMP CAES AVG, rev. in oak wreath in three lines, SPQR / OB / CIV SER, (cf.S.2125 [£750 VF], RIC 269, Kraay 278). *Tiber patina, somewhat pitted surfaces, otherwise very fine and very scarce.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3601) and previously from the Charles E. Weber Collection with his ticket and that from Platz March 16, 1981.



3791\*

**Vitellius**, (A.D. 69), silver denarius, issued 69, Rome mint, (3.05 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Vitellius, around A VITELLIVS GERM IMP AVG TR P, rev. Vesta veiled seated to right on throne, holding patera and sceptre, around PONT MAXIM, (S.2200, BMC 34, RIC 20, RSC 72). *Toned, fine and scarce.*

\$200



3792\*

**Vespasian**, (A.D. 69-79), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 71, (3.130 grams), obv. laureate head of Vespasian to right, around IMP CAES VESP AVG P M, rev. Pax seated to left holding branch and caduceus, TRI POT II COS III P P around, (S.2313, RIC 39, RSC 566). *Very fine and scarce.*

\$120

The Reka-Devnia hoard contained 1725 denarii of Vespasian but only 19 of this variety.

3793

**Vespasian**, (A.D. 69-79), silver denarius, Rome mint, issue of A.D. 72-73, (3.36 grams), obv. IMP CAES VESP AVG P M COS III around, laureate head of Vespasian to right, rev. CONCORDIA AVGVSTI, Concordia seated to left holding patera and cornucopiae, (S.-, RIC 43, BMC 65, RSC 74); **Titus**, (A.D. 79-81), silver denarius, Rome mint, issue of A.D. 80, (3.23 grams), obv. IMP TITVS CAES VESPASIANVS AVG P M, laureate head to right, rev. TR P IX IMP XV COS VIII P P, elephant to left, (S.2512 [o130 VF], RIC 22a, BMC 43, RSC 303); **Domitian**, (A.D. 81-96), issued as Caesar under Vespasian, silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 76, (3.10 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around CAESAR AVG F DOMITIANVS, rev. around COS III, Pegasus walking to the right, (S.2637, RIC V238, RSC 47). *Fine - nearly very fine. (3)*

\$140



3794\*

**Titus**, (A.D. 79-81), silver denarius, Rome mint, issue of A.D. 80, (3.518 grams), obv. IMP TITVS CAES VESPASIANVS AVG P M, laureate head to left, rev. TR P IX IMP XV COS VIII P P, wreath on curule chair, (S.2516 [£120 VF], RIC 25b, BMC 70, RSC 319). *Very fine/nearly very fine and rare in this condition.*

\$250

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3606).



3795\*

**(Titus)**, from Moesia & Thrace, period of Titus (A.D. 79-81), (5.944 grams), AE 25 with countermarks of AVG (twice), TI.CAE [Ti{tius} CAE{SAR}), dolphin right (on reverse) and helmet, on Augustus AE as from Ephesus, (Martini, Nom.6, Pangerl Collection of Countermarked Imperial coins, countermark types No. 83, 90, 95 and 98). *Countermarks very fine, host coin poor, and very rare with all these known countermarks.*

\$180

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3608). Martini notes the letters which he believes to mean TI(tus?) Cae(sar) and Aug(ustus) which Martini notes are always closely associated and further notes the issues as struck on generally issues of Augustus from Ephesus. Martini places the the countermark of dolphin and helmet as an earlier issue but still in the period of Vespasian and Titus. It was in a Thrace-Moesia area that these countermarks were applied to circulating worn coinage. The Pangerl collection contained very few examples with all these countermarks. Type 95 with dolphin are those mostly found with these additional countermarks.



3796\*

**Julia Titi**, daughter of Titus, (A.D.79-81), issue struck at Rome A.D.90-91, AE Sestertius, (25.00 grams), obv. DIVAE IVLIAE AVG DIVI TITI F, SPQR in exergue, Carpentum drawn by two mules to right, rev. S C in centre, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM COS XV CENS PER PPP, (S.2890, RIC 400, C.9). *Surface porosity, with some smoothing, otherwise good fine and very rare.*

\$200

The Carpentum a covered chariot was used by ladies of high rank, and sometimes by the emperor himself, but its use was exclusively made to members of the imperial family. In this example its use is to convey at a funeral an image of the deceased Julia Titi, it being driven by mules was a further distinction to be only associated with imperial women.



3797\*

**Domitian**, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 88-89, (3.398 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM P M TR P VIII, rev. around IMP XIX COS XIII CENS P P P, Minerva standing to left, holding javelin and thunderbolt, (S.2732 [£160 EF], RIC 139, RSC 251). *Attractive, nearly extremely fine and very scarce in this condition.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3611).



3798\*

**Domitian**, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 90-1, (3.532 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM P M TR P X, rev. around IMP XXI COS XV CENS P P P, Minerva standing to left, holding spear, (cf.S.2736 [£160 EF], BMC 182, RIC 155, RSC 263). *Lightly toned, extremely fine.*

\$200

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

3799

**Domitian**, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 91-92, (2.940 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM P M TR P XI, rev. around IMP XXI COS XVI CENS P P P, Minerva standing to left, holding spear, (cf.S.2736 [£55 VF], RIC 169, RSC 271). *Full flan, good fine.*

\$50

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3612).



3800\*

**Domitian**, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 92-93, (3.372 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM P M TR P XII, rev. around IMP XXII COS XVI CENS P P P, Minerva standing to left, holding thunderbolt and spear, (cf.S.2732 [£55 VF], BMC 205, RIC 173, RSC 279). *Full flan, good very fine and scarce.*

\$140

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3613). The Reka Devnia hoard contained 81,044 silver denarii and 632 denarii of this ruler but only 5 examples of this variety.



3801\*

**Domitian**, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 93-94, (3.404 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM P M TR P XIII, rev. around IMP XXII COS XVI CENS P P P, Minerva standing to left holding thunderbolt and javelin, shield at feet, (S.2737, RIC 177, RSC 283). *Toned, nearly extremely fine/good very fine and scarce.*

\$160

The Reka Devnia hoard of 81,044 silver coins contained 632 coins of Domitian, but only 6 coins of this variety.



3802\*

**Domitian**, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 95, (3.130 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM P M TR P XIII, rev. around IMP XXII COS XVII CENS P P P, Minerva standing to right on vessel with owl at feet, in fighting pose holding javelin and shield, (cf.S.2735 [£160 EF], RIC 187, RSC 289). *Attractive, nearly extremely fine and very scarce in this condition.*

\$200

The Reka Devnia hoard contained 81,044 silver denarii and 632 denarii of this ruler and only one example of this variety.



3803\*

**Nerva**, (A.D. 96-98), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 97, (2.822 grams), obv. laureate head of Nerva to right, around [IMP NER]VA CAES AVG P M TR P COS III P P, rev. around AEQVITAS AVGVST, Aequitas standing left, holding scales and cornucopiae, (cf.S.3019, RIC 13, RSC 6). *Slightly of centred on the obverse, otherwise very fine and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3617).

3804

**Trajan**, (A.D. 98-117), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 108, (3.07 grams), obv. IMP TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P, laureate head right, drapery on far shoulder, rev. COS V P P S P Q R OPTIMO PRINC around, Victory to left on round shield, holding palm branch and wreath, (S.3130, RIC 131, RSC 77, BMC 337); Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), silver denarius, Rome mint, posthumous issue after 161, (3.24 grams), obv. DIVVS ANTONINVS, bare head to right, rev. CONSECRATIO around, eagle standing right, head to left, with open wings, (S.5190, RIC M429, RSC 154); Faustina Senior, wife of Antoninus Pius, (d.A.D. 141) silver denarius, (3.10 grams), issued A.D. 147 at Rome mint, obv. DIVA FAV STINA, draped bust to right, rev. AETERNITAS, Providentia standing left holding a globe and veil billowing out behind her head, (S.4578, RIC 351, RSC 32); Faustina Junior, wife of Marcus Aurelius, (d.A.D. 175), silver denarius, issued 161-175, Rome mint, (2.86 grams), obv. FAVSTINA AVGVSTA, draped bust to right, rev. FECVN DITAS, Fecunditas standing to right, holding sceptre and child, (S.5252, RSC 99, RIC 677, BMC 91). *Fine - very fine.* (4)

\$160



part

3805\*

**Trajan**, (A.D. 98-117), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 101, (13.92 grams), obv. radiate bust with drapery on far shoulder of Trajan to right, around IMP CAES NERVA TRAIAN AVG GERM P M, rev. TR POT COS IIII P P, S C in exergue, Abundance seated to left on chair formed by two cornucopiae, (S.3225, RIC 429, C.603); another AE as, (11.066 grams), obv. similar but head laureate right, rev. as above Victory to left alighting with shield, (cf.S.3242, RIC 434, C.640); Faustina Senior, wife of Antoninus Pius, (died A.D.141), AE sestertius, issued after 141, Rome mint, (21.08 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Faustina, around [DI]VA FAVSTINA ANTONIN[II AVGVSTI] P P, rev. Concordia seated to left, holding patera and resting elbow on cornucopiae, around CONCOR DIA AVG, S C in exergue, (S.-, RIC 1074, cf.C.147). *First with green patina, good fine and scarce, second with some hoard patination very fine/fine, third weak in places, fine - good fine.* (3)

\$150



3806\*

**Hadrian**, (A.D. 117-138), silver denarius, issued 135, Rome mint, (3.33 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Hadrian, around HADRIANVS AVG COS III P P, rev. VICTORIA AVGV, Victory standing to right drawing fold from drapery and holding branch horizontally before her, (cf.S.3547, RIC 282, RSC 1455). *Extremely fine/good very fine, scarce.*

\$180

3807

**Sabina**, wife of Hadrian, (died A.D.136-7), AE as or dupondius, issued 128, (10.47 grams), Rome mint, obv. draped bust to right of Sabina, with hair coiled on top of her head, around SABINA AVGVSTA HADRIANI AVGV P P, rev. Vesta seated to left, on a basket, holding corn ears and torch, SC in exergue, (S.3950, RIC H1044, C.66); Marcus Aurelius, (161-180), AE Sestertius, (17.01 grams), obv. laureate head to right, rev. Salus to left with altar and snake, (S.4998); Commodus, (A.D. 177-192), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 183-5, (11.74 grams), obv. radiate head of Commodus to right, around traces of M COMMODVS ANTONINVS AVGV PIVS, rev. around traces of TR P VIII IMP VI COS IIII P P, S C across field, Minerva advancing to right looking to left, holding spear and shield, (S.5850, RIC 421); Crispina, wife of Commodus, (married A.D. 177), AE dupondius/as, issued 177-180, Rome mint, (9.55 grams) obv. draped bust to right of Crispina, around CRISPINA AVGV[VSTA], rev. Juno standing left, holding patera and sceptre, around IVNO LVCINA, S C across field, (S.6018, RIC 680, C.24). *Very good - fine, several with green patination.* (4)

\$100



3808\*

**Antoninus Pius and Marcus Aurelius**, (A.D. 138-161), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 140, (3.100 grams), obv. ANTONINVS AVGV P I VS P P TR P COS III, laureate head to right, rev. AVRELIUS CAES AVGV PII F COS, bare headed bust of Marcus Aurelius draped to right, (S.4523, RIC 417c, RSC 22 [var.EIIIIf/AHc]). *Very fine/good fine and very scarce.*

\$180

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3627).

3809

**Antoninus Pius**, (A.D. 138-161), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued 156-7, (3.298 grams), obv. ANTONINVS AVGV PIVS P P IMP II, laureate head to right, rev. TR POT XX COS IIII, Annona seated right holding cornucopiae in both hands modius at feet, (cf.S.4124, BMC 878, RIC 262, RSC 1021); Gordian III (A.D. 238-244), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued 239, (4.152 grams), obv. radiate bust of Gordian III to right, around IMP CAES M ANT GORDIANVS AVGV, rev. Aequitas standing to left, holding scales and cornucopiae, around AEQVITAS AVGV, (S.8600, RIC 34, RSC 17). *Good fine - good very fine.* (2)

\$100



3810\*

**Faustina Senior**, wife of Antoninus Pius, (died A.D.141), silver denarius, (2.700 grams), issued 145, Rome mint, obv. draped bust to right of Faustina, around DIVA AVGVSTINA, rev. Pietas standing to left dropping incense on lighted altar and holding box, around PIETAS AVGVSTINAE, (S.4598, BMC 311, RIC 394a, RSC 234). *Good very fine.*

\$80

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3628) and previously from the Patrick Cooper Collection with his ticket.



3811\*

**Lucius Verus**, (A.D. 161-169), silver denarius, issued 162, Rome mint, (3.05 grams), obv. IMP L AVREL VERVVS AVG, bare head to right, rev. Providentia standing to left, holding globe and cornucopiae, around PROV DEOR TR P COS II, (cf.S.5354, RIC 463, RSC 144, BMC 35). *Bright, nearly extremely fine, scarce.*

\$150

3812

**Lucius Verus**, (A.D. 161-169), silver denarius, issued 168, Rome mint, (3.49 grams), obv. L VERVVS AVGVSTINAE PARTH MAX, laureate head to right, rev. Aequitas seated left holding scales and cornucopiae, around TR P VIII IMP V COS III, (S.5362, RIC 595, RSC 318); Lucilla, wife of Lucius Verus, (married A.D.164, d.A.D. 182), silver denarius, issued 166-169, Rome mint, (2.83 grams), obv. draped bust to right, around LVCILLA AVGVSTA, rev. VENVS VICTRIX around, Venus standing to left, holding Victory and left hand on shield, (S.5492, RIC 786, RSC 89). *Good fine; very fine. (2)*

\$100



3813\*

**Lucilla**, wife of Lucius Verus, (died A.D.182), AE dupondius/as, Rome mint, issued 164-166, (10.538 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Lucilla with hair bound up behind head, around LVCILLA AVGVSTA ANTONINI AVGVSTAE F, rev. VESTA around, Vesta standing to left holding a simpulum and Palladium, S C across, (S.5527, RIC 1781, C.96). *Attractive even dark green patination, good very fine and very scarce.*

\$150



3814\*

**Clodius Albinus**, (A.D. 195-197), silver denarius, Rome mint (RIC), but now attributed to Alexandria mint (by Bickford-Smith), issued A.D. 193, (2.516 grams), obv. bare head of Clodius Albinus to right, around D CLOD SEPT ALBIN CAES, rev. around [F]EL[ICI]TA[S] COS II, Felicitas standing to left holding sceptre and caduceus, (S.-, cf.RIC 4, cf.RSC 15). *Large head type, very fine and very rare.*

\$300

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3635) and from the CNG Sale 47 (lot 1756) and the Roger A. Bickford-Smith Collection. See Roger A. Bickford-Smith, "The Imperial Mints in the East for Septimius Severus", Rivista Italiana, 1994/1995, No.8 (Pl.I, 8), for the attribution of this rare type to Alexandria mint.



3815\*

**Septimius Severus**, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, issued 204, Rome mint, (3.08 grams), obv. laureate bust to right of Septimius Severus, around SEPTIMIVS SEVERVS AVG, rev. Dea Caelestis, holding thunderbolt and sceptre seated facing head right on lion leaping to right, over water which gushes from rock, around INDVLTIA AVGVSTAE IN CARTHAGINE, (S.6285, RIC 266, RSC 222). *Nearly extremely fine/good very fine and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Marc Melcher Collection. The type refers to a special type of favour shown to Carthage, capital of Severus' native province. It appears to be connected with the city's water supply (perhaps a new aqueduct). The principal female deity of Carthage was known to the Romans as Dea Caelestis, "Celestial goddess". Although not named on the coin, there can be little doubt that she is the figure shown riding on the lion.



3816\*

**Julia Domna**, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), silver denarius, issued 194, Alexandria mint, (2.392 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA AVGVSTA, rev. Pietas seated to left, holding palladium, around PIETAS, (S.6598, cf.RIC 612 [Severus], RSC 146c). *Rough flan as usual for this mint, good very fine/very fine and very rare.*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3641) and the Roger A. Bickford-Smith Collection (CNG Auction 47 lot 1768 part). See Bickford-Smith who studied the Alexandria and other Eastern mint issues and published his findings in "The Imperial Mints in the East for Septimius Severus" in Rivista Italiana 1994/1995 In the Reka Devnia hoard containing 3409 examples of Julia Domna there were no examples noted for this type.

3817

**Julia Domna**, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), silver denarius, issued 204, Rome mint, obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA AVGVSTA, rev. Pietas standing to left, sacrificing at altar, around PIETAS AVGG, (S.6600, RIC 572, RSC 150). *Very fine*. (4)

\$150

Ex Marc Melcher Collection. In the Reka Devnia hoard there were 3409 examples of Julia Domna, 204 were of this variety.



3821\*

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

\$200

3818\*

**Julia Domna**, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), silver denarius, issued 194, Laodicea mint, (3.66 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA DO MNA AV[G], rev. Venus standing to right, resting on column, holding apple and palm over shoulder, around VENE R I VICTR, (S.6608, RIC 632 [Severus], RSC 194, BMC 424). *Very fine*.

\$100

In the Reka Devnia hoard containing 3409 examples of Julia Domna only 77 were of this type.



3822\*

**Plautilla**, (wife of Caracalla), (c.A.D. 202-205), silver denarius, issued 202, (3.46 grams), obv. draped bust of Plautilla to right, around PLAVTILLAE AVGVSTA, rev. Caracalla and Plautilla holding hands, around PROPAGO IMPERI, (S.7073, BMC 236, RIC 362, RSC 21). *Good very fine*.

\$100



3823

**Geta**, (A.D.209-212), issued as Caesar 200, silver denarius, Rome mint, (2.81 grams), obv. P SEPT GETA CAES PONT, bust draped to right, rev. around PRINC IVVENTVTIS, Geta standing left, trophy behind, (S.7196, RIC 18, RSC 157b); Elagabalus, (A.D. 218-222), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 219, (3.10 grams), obv. laureate bust of Elagabalus draped to right, around IMP CAES ANTONINVS AVG, rev. around VICTOR ANTONINI AVG, Victory running right holding wreath, (S.7553, RIC 153, RSC 293); Julia Maesa, grandmother of Elagabalus, (c.A.D.218-225), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued 218-220, (2.85 grams), obv. draped bust to right, IVLIA MAESA AVG, rev. PVDICITIA, Pudicitia seated to left, drawing out veil from shoulder and holding a sceptre, (S.7756, BMC 76, RIC 268, RSC 36). *Fine - very fine, first and last with porosity*. (3)

\$100

3819\*

**Julia Domna**, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued 215, (3.03 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA PIA FELIX AVG, rev. Luna in biga of horses to left, drapery billowing in semi circle behind, around LVNA LVCIFERA, (S.7101, RIC 379c [Caracalla], RSC 105). *Bright, nearly extremely fine*.

\$100



3820\*

**Caracalla**, (A.D. 198-217), silver antoninianus, issued 215, Rome mint, (5.21 grams), obv. radiate bust draped and cuirassed to right of Caracalla, around ANTONINVS PIVS AVG GERM, rev. Sol standing facing head to left, holding globe and raising hand, around P M TR P XVIII COS III P P, (cf.S.6777, RIC 264, RSC 287). *Toned, nearly extremely fine and very scarce*.

\$250

Ex Classical Numismatic Group Web Auction with ticket.

3824\*

**Macrinus**, (A.D. 217-218), silver denarius, Rome mint, (2.58 grams), issued A.D. 217, obv. bearded Macrinus laureate cuirassed bust to right, around IMP C M OPEL SEV MACRINVS AVG., rev. Securitas standing to left, legs crossed, holding sceptre and resting left arm on column, around PONTIF MAX TR P COS P P, (S.7347, RIC 24, RSC 62). *Lightly toned, good very fine and rare*.

\$150

3825\*

**Macrinus**, (A.D. 217-218), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.048 grams), issued A.D. 217, obv. bearded Macrinus laureate cuirassed bust to right, around IMP C M OPEL SEV MACRINVS AVG. rev. Jupiter standing to left, holding thunderbolt and sceptre protecting small figure of Macrinus at his feet, around IOVI CONSERVATORI, (S.7337, RIC 76, RSC 37). *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$300

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3649). The Reka Devnia Hoard contained 81,044 silver coins, including 330 issues of Macrinus and 21 of this variety.



3826\*

**Macrinus**, (A.D. 217-218), AE dupondius, Rome mint, (9.04 grams), issued A.D. 217-8, obv. bearded Macrinus radiate and cuirassed bust to right, around IMP CAES M OPEL SEV MACRI[NVS A]VG. rev. Securitas standing facing, head to left, legs crossed, holding sceptre and resting on a column, around SECVRITAS TE[MPOR]VM, S C across field, (S.7415, RIC 203, C.125, BMC 145). *Weak on parts of the legend, otherwise very fine and rare.*

\$150



3827\*

**Diadumenian as Caesar**, (A.D. 217-218), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 217-218, (3.292 grams), obv. bare headed bust of Diadumenian draped to right, around M OPEL ANT DIADVMENIAN CAES, rev. around PRINC IVVENTVTIS Diadumenian standing holding standard in left and two standards in right hand, (S.2071, RIC 102, RSC 3). *Slightly porous surface from cleaning, nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$300

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3651).



3828\*

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

\$180



3829\*

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

\$600

Ex Antiquarius, New Zealand with their ticket. The Reka-Devnia (Marcianopolis) Hoard contained 81,044 silver coins including only 71 coins of this empress, most however of this variety.



3830\*

**Julia Maesa**, grandmother of Elagabalus, (c.A.D.218-225), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued 218-220, (2.932 grams), obv. draped bust to right, IVLIA MAESA AVG, rev. PVDICITIA, Pudicitia seated to left, drawing out veil from shoulder and holding a sceptre, (S.7756, BMC 76, RIC 268, RSC 36). *Toned extremely fine.*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3655).



3831\*

**Severus Alexander**, (A.D.222-235), silver denarius, issued 234, Rome mint, (3.11 grams), obv. laureate bust to right, draped and cuirassed, around IMP ALEXANDER PIVS AVG, rev. P M TR P XIII COS III P P, Sol standing facing head to left, holding globe and raising right hand, (S.7916, RIC 123, RSC 448). *Nearly extremely fine/good very fine.*

\$100



3832\*

**Orbiana**, wife of Severus Alexander, (m.A.D.225), issue struck at Rome c.225, AE as, (10.79 grams), obv. SALL BARBIA ORBIANA AVG around, diademed bust draped to right, rev. around CONCORDIA AVGVSTORVM, Concordia seated to left, holding patera and double cornucopias, SC in exergue, (S.8195, RIC 656, C.5, BMC 297). *Very fine/fine and rare.*

\$160



3833

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

\$100



3834\*

**Maximinus I**, (A.D. 235-238), AE sestertius, Rome mint, (20.69 grams), obv. laureate bust draped and cuirassed of Maximinus I to right, around MAXIMINVS PIVS AVG GERM, rev. Victory standing to left, captive at feet, around VICTORIA GERMANICA, S C across, (S.8342, RIC 90, C.109); Philip II as Caesar, (A.D. 247-249), AE sestertius, (18.71 grams), obv. M IVL PHILIPPVS CAES, bare headed draped bust to right of Philip, rev. PRINCIPI IVVENT, Philip II standing left holding globe and spear, SC across field, (S.9249, RIC 256a, C.49). *Both with uneven green and dark brown patination, otherwise nearly very fine or better.* (2)

\$120



3835\*

**Maximus as Caesar**, (A.D. 235-238), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 236-8, (3.55 grams), obv. bare headed draped bust of Maximus to right, around IVL VERVS MAXIMVS CAES, rev. around PIETAS AVG, lituus, knife, jug, simpulum and sprinkler, across field, (S.8405, RIC 2, RSC 3). *Nearly extremely fine and an interesting reverse.*

\$400



3836\*

**Balbinus**, (A.D. 238), silver antoninianus, (5.444 grams), obv. IMP CAES D CAEL BALBINVS AVG, laureate draped and cuirassed bust to right of Balbinus, rev. FIDES MVTVA AVGG, clasped hands, (S.8485, RIC 11, RSC 6). *Full flan, attractive tone, extremely fine and rare.*

\$800

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3662) and previously from the CNG Auction Sale 35 (September 20, 1995), lot 905.



3837\*

**Pupienus**, (A.D. 238), AE sestertius, Rome mint, (19.88 grams), issued May - July A.D. 218, obv. bearded Pupienus laureate cuirassed draped and cuirassed bust to right, around IMP CAES M CLOD PVPIENVS AVG, rev. Victory standing facing, holding wreath and palm, around VICTORIA AVGG, SC across field, (S.8539, BMC 58, RIC 23a, C.38). *Fine and scarce.*

\$200

3838

**Gordian III**, (A.D. 238-244), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued 240, (4.99 grams), obv. radiate bust of Gordian III to right, around IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, rev. Aequitas standing to left, holding scales and cornucopiae, around AEQVITAS AVG, (S.8602, RIC 63, RSC 25); Otacilia Severa, (wife of Philip I), (A.D. 244-249), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, (3.07 grams), obv. diademed draped bust to right on crescent, around OTACIL SEVERA AVG, rev. Concordia seated left, holding single cornucopiae and patera, around CONCORDIA AVGG, (cf.S.9148, RIC 143, RSC 14); Trebonianus Gallus, (A.D. 251-253), silver antoninianus, Antioch mint, (4.44 grams), obv. radiate draped bust to right, around IMP C C VIB TREB GALLVS P F AVG, rev. Pax standing left with branch and transverse sceptre, around PAX AVGVVS, (S.9641, RIC 86, RSC 80); Volusian, (A.D. 251-253), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, (3.46 grams), obv. radiate bust to right, around IMP CAE C VIB VOLVSIANO AVG, rev. Concordia seated to left, holding patera and double cornucopiae, around CONCORDIA AVGG, (S.9743, RIC 168, RSC 25). *Very fine or better.* (4)

\$120

3839

**Gordian III**, (A.D. 238-244), silver antoninianii, Rome mint, issued 243, obv. radiate bust right, around IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG, rev. PM TR P V COS II P P, around, Gordian walking to right with spear and globe, (cf.S.8647, RIC 93, RSC 266) (3), another similar obverse issued and same reverse legend, with Apollo seated to left holding branch, (S.8648, RIC 89, RSC 261) (4); another similar obverse, rev. VICTORIA AVGVSTI, Victory running to right (S.8665, RIC 218, RSC 375). *Several with minor green surface oxidation needing cleaning, otherwise nearly very fine - very fine.* (8)

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3665).

3840

**Gordian III**, (A.D. 238-244), silver antoninianii, Rome mint, issued 240 obv. radiate bust right, around IMP CAES M ANT GORDIANVS AVG, rev. VIRTVS AVG around, Virtus standing to left holding branch and spear, shield at feet, (S.8668, RIC 39, RSC 383) (3); others Trajan Decius, (A.D. 249-251), obv. IMP C M Q TRAIANVS DECIVS AVG, radiate bust right, rev. DACIA, Dacia standing to left, holding vertical staff with ass's head, (S.9368, RIC 12b, RSC 16) (2); Gallienus, (A.D. 253-268), obv. around IMP C P LIC GALLIENVS AVG, radiate bust right, rev. PAX AVGG, Pax standing left holding branch and transverse sceptre, (S. 10303, RIC 155, RSC 754). *Two with minor green surface oxidation needing conservation, otherwise good fine - very fine.* (6)

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3666)

3841

**Philip I**, (A.D. 244-249), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued 247, obv. radiate bust to right, around IMP PHILIPPVS AVG, rev. Felicitas standing to left holding caduceus and cornucopiae, around PM TR P IIII COS II P P, (S.8948, RIC 5, RSC 137) (2); similar 247-9, rev. ANNONA AVGG, Annona standing left prow for modius at feet, holding corn ears and cornucopia, (S.8924, RIC 59, RSC 33) (2). *Nearly very fine - good very fine.* (4)

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3668 part).



3842\*

**Otacia Severa**, (wife of Philip I), (A.D. 244-249), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, (4.908 grams), obv. diademed draped bust to right on crescent, around M OTACIL SEVERA AVG, rev. Concordia seated left, holding double cornucopiae and patera, around CONCORDIA AVGG, (S.9147, RIC 125c, RSC 4). *Grey tone, extremely fine/good very fine.*

\$100



3843\*

**Vespasian**, Consecratio issue by Trajan Decius, (A.D. 250-251), silver antoninianus, Milan mint, issued A.D. 250-251, (4.100 grams), obv. radiate head of Vespasian to right, around DIVO VESPASIANO, rev. Altar, CONSECRATIO around, (S.9461, RIC 80, RSC 652). *Very fine and rare.*

\$250

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3561) and Cornelius C. Vermeule III Collection, sold in Triton III (lot 1724 part with his ticket).



3844\*

**Trajan Decius**, (A.D. 249-251), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued 250, (3.740 grams), obv. radiate draped bust to right, around IMP C M Q TRAIANVS DECIVS AVG, rev. Victory advancing to left with wreath, around VICTORIA AVGG, (S.9387, RIC 29c, RSC 113a). *Extremely fine, bright and scarce.*

\$100



3845\*

**Herennius Etruscus**, (A.D. 251), silver antoninianus, Rome mint, issued A.D. 250-1, (4.03 grams), obv. radiate bust of Herennius draped to right, around Q HER ETR MES DECIVS NOB C, rev. around PIETAS AVGVSTORVM, various sacrificial implements, (S.9521, RIC 143, RSC 14). *Struck on a large flan, slightly off centred on reverse and weak in places, otherwise extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$200



3846\*

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

\$80

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

3847

**Valerian**, (A.D. 253-260), base silver antoninianus, uncertain Syrian mint, (3.38 grams) obv. radiate cuirassed bust to right, around IMP C P LIC VALERIANVS P F AVG, Hrev. Emperors Valerian and Gallienus standing facing each other sacrificing over altar, PIETAS AVGG around, (S.9955, RIC 83); another Rome mint, (3.21 grams), issued 253-5, rev. Apollo standing left, (S.9925, RIC 71); Gallienus, (A.D. 253-268), Base silver antoninianus, issued in Sole reign (263), (3.18 grams), rev. Pax publica V below (S.10135, RIC 64); Salonina wife of Gallienus, (A.D. 253-268), Base silver antoniniani, issued in Sole reign (265-267), Rome mint, obv. diademed bust right, rev. Fecunditas standing left, (S.10633, RIC 5); Saloninus, (A.D. 259), (2.30 grams), rev. SPES PVBLICA, Spes advancing to left, (S.10774, cf. RIC 13, RSC 93); Postumus, (A.D. 259-268), base silver antoninianus, Lugdunum mint, (3.43 grams), obv. radiate bust of Postumus to right, around IMP C POSTVMVS P F AVG, rev. Victory walking to left, holding wreath and palm, captive at feet to left, VICTORIA AVG, around, (S.10994, RIC 384); others antoniniani of Victorinus (269-271), 2.21 grams (S.11173), Tetricus I (271-274), (2.75 grams), (S.11239) and Tetricus II, (2.14 grams), (S.11292). *Several with original silvering, otherwise fine - extremely fine.* (9)

\$130



3848\*

**Mariniana**, wife of Valerian, (died prior to A.D. 253), AE antoninianus, Rome mint, issued A.D. c.253-5, (3.990 grams), obv. diademed veiled and draped bust of Mariniana to right, around DIVAE MARINIANAE, rev. peacock standing facing head to right, tail in splendour, around CONSECRATIO, (S.10067, RIC 3, RSC 2). *Dark patina, good very fine and very scarce.*

\$150



3849\*

**Laelianus**, (A.D. 268), billon antoninianus, Moguntiacum mint, (3.46 grams), obv. radiate and cuirassed bust of Laelianus to right, around IMP C LAELIANVS P F AVG, rev. around VICTORIA AVG, Victory advancing to right, holding wreath and palm, (S.11111, RIC 9, C.4). *Well centred obverse and reverse, some minor reverse pitting, otherwise very fine or better and very rare.*

\$750

3850

**Claudius II**, (A.D. 268-270), billon antoniniani, various types, obv. radiate bust to right, various reverses, several as barbarous copies. *Generally fine - very fine.* (26)

\$100



3851\*

**Severina**, wife of Aurelian, (A.D. 270-275), billon antoninianus, Ticinum mint, (2.840 grams), obv. diademed bust to right of Severina on crescent, around, SEVERINA AVG, rev. CONCORDIA MILITVM around Concordia standing to left holding two standards, in exergue PXXT, (cf. S.11701, RIC 8, C.7). *Very fine and scarce.*

\$80

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3675).



3852\*

**Severina**, wife of Aurelian, (A.D. 270-275), billon antoninianus, Serdica mint, issued 274-5, (4.004 grams), obv. diademed bust to right of Severina on crescent, around SEVERINA AVG, rev. CONCORDIA AVGG, in exergue KA.Γ, Aurelian and Concordia both standing facing each other clasping hands, star above exergue line, (S.11703, RIC 16, C.2). *Nearly extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$80



3853\*

**Severina**, wife of Aurelian, (A.D. 270-275), AE as, Rome mint, (7.01 grams), obv. diademed bust to right of Severina, around, SEVERINA AVG, rev. IVNO REGINA, Juno standing to left, holding patera and sceptre, at foot a peacock, in exergue S, (S.11711, RIC 7, C.9). *Dark green patina, fine/nearly very fine and rare.*

\$80



3854\*

**Florian**, (A.D. 276), billon antoninianus, Rome mint, (3.83 grams), obv. radiate bust of Florian to right, draped and cuirassed, around IMP C FLORIANVS AVG, rev. around CLEMENTIA TEMP, Clementia standing left, legs crossed, holding sceptre and resting left arm on a column, XXIZ in exergue, (S.11850, RIC 27, C.7). *Nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$150



3855\*

**Florian**, (A.D. 276), billon antoninianus, Cyzicus mint, (4.020 grams), obv. radiate bust of Florian to right, around IMP FLORIANVS AVG, rev. around CONCORDIA MILITVM, emperor standing to left, clasping hands of Victory standing to right, (S.11583, RIC 116, C.15). *Attractive light patina, extremely fine and rare.*

\$200

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3676).

3856

**Carus**, (A.D. 282-283), posthumous billon antoninianus, Cyzicus mint (3.50 grams), obv. radiate head of Carus to right, around IMP C M AVR CARVS P F AVG, rev. around CLEMENTIA TEMP, Carus receiving Victory on globe from Jupiter, XXI in exergue, (S.12169, RIC 118, C.13); Numerian, (A.D. 283-284), billon antoninianus, issued 284, Cyzicus mint, (3.33 grams), obv. radiate cuirassed bust to right, rev. as above, (S.12243, RIC 463, C.8); Carinus, (A.D. 283-285), Antioch mint, issued 284, billon antoninianus, (3.27 grams), obv. IMP C M AVR CARINVS P F AVG, radiate cuirassed bust to right of Carinus, rev. around VIRTVS AVGG, Carinus and Numerian facing each other, B between, XXI in exergue, (S.12362, RIC 325, C.184). *Fine - very fine.* (3)

\$100



3857\*

**Magnia Urbica**, wife of Carinus, (A.D. 283-285), billon antoninianus, Rome mint, (3.200 grams), obv. diademed bust to right of Magnia Urbica on crescent, around, MAGN VRBICA AVG, rev. VENVS VICTRIX, Venus standing to left holding helmet and sceptre and feet a shield, in exergue KA.Γ, (S.12424, RIC 343, C.17). *Fine and rare, the coin with some surface roughness on the reverse.*

\$200

3858

**Carausius**, (A.D. 287-293), billon antoninianus, London mint, (5.424 grams), obv. radiate cuirassed bust of Carausius to right, around IMP C CARAVSIVS P F AVG, rev. around P A X AVG, Pax standing to left holding sceptre and branch, F O across field, ML in exergue, (S.3562 [£125], RIC 98); another (2.792 grams), obv. variant, rev. no additional field letters (S.3580, RIC 880). *Very good - very fine.* (2)

\$100

3859

**Carausius**, (A.D. 287-293), billon antoninianus, Clausentum mint (?), (3.89 grams), obv. radiate cuirassed bust of Carausius to right, around IMP CARAVSIVS P F AVG, rev. around LAETIT IA AVG, C in exergue, Laetitia standing to left, (cf.S.3566, RIC 258); Allectus, (A.D. 293-296), billon antoninianus, London mint, (4.21 grams), obv. radiate cuirassed bust of Allectus to right, around IMP [C ALLEC]TVS P F AVG, rev. PAX AVG, Pax standing left, S P across, ML in exergue, (S.3587, RIC 28). *Second coin off centred and with green patination, otherwise fine - very fine.* (2)

\$100

3860

**Allectus**, (A.D. 293-296), billon antoninianii, London mint, obv. radiate cuirassed bust of Allectus to right, around IMP C ALLECTVS P F AVG, rev. PAX AVG, Pax standing left, S P across, ML in exergue, another similar but S A across, (S.3587 [£150], RIC 28), another similar, billon quinarius, obv. similar IMP C ALLECTVS P AVG, rev. VIRTVS AVG, galley left, Q L in exergue, (S.3590 [£110], cf.RIC 55, this coin a new unpublished obverse variety for type). *Good - good fine.* (4)

\$180



3861\*

**Galeria Valeria**, second wife of Galerius, (A.D. 305-311), AE follis, Alexandria mint, (6.16 grams), obv. diademed and draped bust to right of Galeria Valeria, around, GAL VAL ERIA AVG, rev. VENERI V ICTRICI, Venus standing to left holding apple, to left K, to right .Γ/P, in exergue ALE, (S.3730, RIC 110, C.2). *Good very fine and rare, the coin with attractive dark brown patina.*

\$120



3862\*

**Severus II**, (A.D. 306-307), folles with, (9.01 grams), Treveri mint, issued 305-307 as Caesar, obv. laureate bust of Severus II to right draped and cuirassed, around FL VAL SEVERVS NOB CAES, rev. Genius standing to left holding patera and cornucopiae, around GENIO POPV LI ROMANI, S F across, in exergue PTR, (S.3734, RIC 661a). *Nearly extremely fine, scarce.*

\$120



3863\*

**Maxentius**, (A.D. 306-308), AE follis, Ostia mint, issued 309, (7.460 grams), obv. laureate head to right, around IMP C MAXENTIVS P F AVG, rev. Castor and Pollux standing facing each other, leaning on sceptre, holding bridled horse with inner arm, AETE RNITAS A VG N, MOSTP in exergue, (S.3776, RIC 14). *Attractive very fine/extremely fine.*

\$80

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3681).

3864

**Magnentius**, (A.D.350-353), AE centenionalis, Lugdunum mint, issued 351-2, obv. D N MAGNEN TIVS P F AVG, bare headed bust draped and cuirassed to right, A in left field, rev. around VICT DD NN AVG ET CAES, SP between two Victories standing facing one another, holding between them wreath inscribed VOT V/MVLT/X, (cf.S.4023); Decentius, Caesar (A.D. 351-353), AE centenionalis, Lugdunum mint, obv. D N DECENTIVS NOB [CAES], bare-headed and cuirassed bust to right, rev. VICTORIAE DD NN AVG ET CAE, Two victories facing each other holding shield between them, CGI-rho monogram above, inscribed VOT V MVLT X, below S P, in exergue LSLG, (S.4035, RIC 137, C.33); other bronze of Aelia Flaccilla (S.4192); Magnus Maximus, (S.4203); Eudoxia, (S.4241). *Very good - nearly very fine.* (5)

\$100



3865\*

**Valens**, (A.D. 364-378), silver siliqua, Rome mint, issued A.D. c. 367-375 (2.18 grams), obv. pearl-diademed head of Valens to right, around DN VALEN S PF AVG, rev. VOT V MV.LT all within wreath RP in exergue, (cf.S.4098, RIC 10c, RSC 91h) (illustrated); Valentinian I, (A.D. 364-375), silver siliqua, Rome mint, (1.87 grams), obv. pearl-diademed bust of Valentinian to right, around DN VALENTINI ANVS PF AVG, rev. VOT V MV.LT X within wreath, RT in exergue, (S.4098, RIC 10a, RSC 70f). *First coin very fine, second coin with rough surface, otherwise fine.* (2)

\$150



3866\*

**Valentinian I**, (A.D. 364-375), silver siliqua, Trier mint, (1.67 grams), obv. pearl-diademed bust of Valentinian to right, around DN VALENTINI ANVS PF AVG, rev. VRBS ROMA, Roma seated to left, holding sceptre and Victory, TRPS. in exergue, (S.4099, RIC 27a, RSC 81a). *Bright, very fine.*

\$120



3867\*

**Byzantine**, Justinian I, (A.D. 527-565), AE follis (43mm diameter), Nicomedia mint, issued year 15 = 541-2, officina B, (22.06 grams), obv. Justinian bust facing, rev. M, year X/I I/I, NIK in exergue, large flan, (S.201, DOC 117b, BMC 192, T.172, R.586). *Mottled tone, fine/very fine.*

\$150

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3697).

3868

**Ancient Roman Coins**, clipped siliqua of Julian II (A.D. 360-363), obv. around D N IVLIAN VS P P AVG, pearl diademed, bust to right of Julian II, rev. within wreath in four lines VOTIS V MVLTIS X, (S.4071); Gratian, (A.D. 367-383), obv. pearl-diademed head of Gratian to right, around DN GRATIA [NVS PF AVG], rev. VIRTVS ROMANORVM, Roma seated facing holding spear and globe, (cf.S.4157 [Valentinian II]); Honorius, (A.D. 393-423), obv. pearl-diademed bust of Honorius to right, around [DN HO]NORIVS [PF AVG], rev. traces of VIRTVS ROMANORVM around, Roma enthroned to left, holding spear and Victory, MDPS in exergue, (S.4250). *Mostly very fine all heavily clipped.* (3)

\$100

3869

**Ancient Roman coins**, third century A.D. with antoniniani of Postumus (S.10962); Quintillus (A.D.270), (S.11455); Aurelian (S.11522); Severina, rev. Concordia with standard in each hand, (S.11705); Aurelian and Vabalathus, (A.D. 270-272), (S.11718); Tacitus (A.D.275-6), (S.11711); Probus (S.12025). *Mostly very fine in packets described.* (7)

\$120

3870

**Ancient Roman**, a collection in mixed condition housed in a green coin album, with all coins described in 2x2 cardboard holders, noted silver antoninianii of Philip I (2), AE asses of Claudius, Nero etc, mostly late 3rd and 4th century issues, includes one modern copy. *An interesting assortment for the enthusiast, good - extremely fine.* (133)

\$600

3871

**Late Roman**, large folles of Diocletian, (8.04 grams), Treveri mint, (S.3533); Galerius, (7.26 grams) Antioch mint, (S.3719); Maximinus II, (6.06 grams), Alexandria mint, (cf. S.3763, RIC 124); Maxentius, Ostia mint, (5.59 grams), rev. Fides standing l., holding standard in each hand, (S.3782, RIC 43 [R2]). *Mostly very fine or better.* (4)

\$120

3872

**Late Roman**, 4th century issues from radiate fraction of Constantius I (S.3665); AE folles of Licinius I (2) (S.3798, 3799); Licinius II (S.3815); Constantine I (6) (S.3868 [3], 3878); Roma commemorative, rev. wolf and twins, Siscia mint, (S.3894); Helena (S.3908); Theodora (S.3911); Crispus (S.3918); Delmatius (S.3931); Constans (S.3972); Constantius II (S.3986, 4003); Constantius Gallus (S.4056); Jovian (S.4087); Theodosius I (S.4182); Arcadius (S.4233) (2); and a antoninianus of Gallienus (S.10286). *A few fine, mostly very fine or better.* (22)

\$220

3873

**Ancient Roman and Byzantine**, a range of various issues in copper including (6) Greek Colonial and Greek city issues, Byzantine (35), others Roman from the first century A.D., - 4th century. *Mostly fair a few very fine, some with 2x2 cardboard holders.* (107)

\$200

3874

**Ancient coins**, all in coin album, includes a denarius of Septimius Severus and another of Hadrian, a Celtic silver debased stater and AE of Byzantine and Roman worlds, noted a few Indian and other issues. *Poor - very fine.* (36)

\$150