

# Historical Securities



**A RARE UNITED STATES LOAN OFFICE BOND ISSUED TO AND SIGNED BY PROMINENT BOSTON PHYSICIAN DR. JOHN JEFFRIES ISSUED TO FUND ALEXANDER HAMILTON'S FINANCIAL PROGRAM**

Massachusetts. August 31, 1793. Bond issued to "John Jeffries of Boston or his assigns, the sum of Twelve hundred and thirty-two dollars, eighty five cents bearing interest at three per cent per annum, from the 1 July seventeen hundred & Ninety three inclusively... payable quarter yearly and subject redemption... Signed by Nathaniel Appleton as Commissioner." Issued to and signed on verso by **DR. JOHN JEFFRIES** (1745-1819). Boston physician, scientist, and a military surgeon with the British Army in Nova Scotia and New York during the American Revolution. He is best known for accompanying Jean-Pierre Blanchard on his 1785 balloon flight across the English Channel. Dr. John Jeffries also played a large role in the trial for the Boston Massacre. He was the star witness for the defense. He was the surgeon for Patric Carr, who was one of the Americans that was shot. Issued to fund Hamilton's financial program to federally fund the state debt accumulated during the Revolution. **These were the first securities to be traded on the New York Stock Exchange.** A rare bond from this important period of finance and a must for the collector of early American fiscal paper. **\$4,500**



**UNITED STATES LOAN OFFICE NOTE ISSUED TO REVOLUTIONARY WAR GENERAL SAMUEL McCLELLAN AND SIGNED BY CONNECTICUT LOAN OFFICE COMMISSIONER WILLIAM IMLAY**

1793, Connecticut. Anderson CT-56. United States Loan Office certificate issued "in pursuance of the Act, entitled, An Act, making provision for the Debt of the United States. Issued from March-April 1793, these certificates were "issued by the federal commissioner for Connecticut for that part of the assumed state debt which was subscribed in excess of \$1.6 million assigned by the federal government. These certificates were acknowledged by the state to be valid certificates of state debt. After an adjustment of accounts with the federal government, the state of Connecticut redeemed the Imlay certificates with United States government bonds." (Anderson p. 120). Issued to Revolutionary War General **SAMUEL McCLELLAN** (1730 - 1807). General McClellan was a Revolutionary War general. He raised horses on his property in South Woodstock, Connecticut for Washington's army. He lead a regiment from Woodstock at the Battle of Bunker Hill. Samuel McClellan was also the grandfather of George B McClellan, the Civil War General that went out of favor with Lincoln. The only example of this we have seen issued to McClellan. Signed by **WILLIAM IMLAY** Commissioner of Loans (ca. 1793). Uncancelled and fine. **\$1,250**

**THE NEWBURGH AND COCHECTON TURNPIKE ROAD CERTIFICATE SIGNED BY U. S. CHIEF OF ENGINEERS, WASHINGTON APPOINTED COMMANDANT OF THE ARMY CORP OF ARTILLERISTS & ENGINEERS**



1812, New York. Rare and early Turnpike Stock certificate for 10 shares in the Newburgh and Cocheton Turnpike Road Company. 7½" x 4". Signed by John Brostart by his attorney and **STEPHEN ROCHEFONTAINE** (1755-1814) French-born military engineer who served as such in the Continental Army, during the American Revolutionary War, and later as the Chief of Engineers of the United States Army Corps of Engineers. For his distinguished services at the siege of Yorktown, Rochefontaine was given the brevet rank of major by Congress, November 16, 1781. President Washington appointed him a civilian engineer to fortify the New England coast, in 1794 and later a lieutenant colonel and commandant of the new Corps. Rochefontaine started a military school at West Point in 1795 and is considered one of the founders of the original Military Academy there.

The Turnpike was also known as the "Appian Way" went from Newburgh to Cocheton to Deposit to Oxford. Horse drawn stage coaches carried passengers over the mountains to the Hudson River where travelers could proceed by steamboat to New York City. A rare certificate with an even more and desirable autograph. In Fine condition. **\$750**



**RANCOCUS TOLL-BRIDGE STOCK  
THE FIRST BRIDGE COMPANY TO BE  
INCORPORATED IN NEW JERSEY**

1793. New Jersey. Stock certificate for one share. 14 3/4" x 4 1/4". Chartered on November 28, 1792, the Rancocus was the first bridge company to be incorporated in New Jersey. Diamond cut cancellation at lower right. One fold repaired with archival tape. Fine.

**\$750**



**SHARES IN THE  
FITZWILLIAM VILLAGE  
TURNPIKE 1812**

1812, Fitzwilliam, NH. Partly printed early turnpike road certificate for Share No. 56 in the Fitzwilliam Village Turnpike Road assigned to David Cobleigh of Templeton. 6" x 7" 2 pp. Signed by the directors Jonathon Cutting and Ebenezer Wright. Impressed seal in corner of certificate of large key. Inside 2<sup>nd</sup> page is printed transfer, left blank showing the share was never transferred. This Turnpike Road would later become the Worcester and Fitzwilliam Turnpike Corporation. A very scarce Turnpike Road Share certificate. A few brown spots; a very attractive and desirable document. Fine.

**\$275**



**CAPITAL STOCK IN THE  
BANK OF NEWBURGH**

1821, New York. Partly printed with the early appearance of a check, Issued to Eliza C. Williams of

Newburgh, February 14, 1821 for 10 shares. The bank of Newburgh was incorporated by act of the Legislature on March 22, 1811. Very rare and early. Fine.

**\$250**



**COLUMBIA TURNPIKE  
ROAD SIGNED BY  
DANIEL CARROLL OF  
DUDDINGTON**

182-. Maryland. Stock certificate for one share. Black. Nice ornate border on the certificate which measures 9 3/4" x 6 3/4". Signed as president of the company by **DANIEL CARROLL OF DUDDINGTON**. Daniel Carroll of Duddington II, inherited about half of Duddington Manor, including the part on which the Sewall-Belmont House now stands. He was related to Charles Carroll of Carrollton, the only Catholic signer of the Declaration of Independence and the wealthiest signer, and to John Carroll, the first Roman Catholic bishop (and later archbishop) in the United States and the founder of Georgetown University. A fine Turnpike rarity signed by this prominent Maryland figure. Some minor paper loss at lower right corner. Otherwise Fine.

**\$375**



**ALEXANDER HAMILTON & ELBRIDGE GERRY**

**ALEXANDER HAMILTON** (1757-1804). Hamilton was the first Secretary of the Treasury after serving as Washington's aide-de-camp during the American Revolution. A long time feud between Hamilton and Aaron Burr led to a duel on July 11, 1804 in which Hamilton was mortally wounded.

**ELBRIDGE GERRY** (1744 – 1814). Signer of the Declaration of Independence; Member of Continental Congress; Vice President of the United States under James Monroe; statesman.

Partially Printed Document Signed. 1791. To Nathaniel Appleton, Commissioner of Loan Massachusetts Signed by Alexander Hamilton as Secretary of the Treasury giving credit to Elbridge Gerry in Stock bearing interest in U.S. public funds, transferring them from the commissioner of Loans office in Pennsylvania:

*"Pass to the Credit of Elbridge Gerry the sum of One thousand five hundred & sixteen Dollars Sixty seven Cents Stock in the public funds of the United States bearing Interest at six per cent per annum, from the first day of January, 1791, being Stock to be transferred from the books of Thomas Smith Commissioners of Loans Pennsylvania – agreeably to his certificate to me directed and hereunto annexed. And for so doing this shall be your warrant."*

With endorsement on verso, signed by Gerry. Hamilton's autograph has punch-hole cancellation through a portion of his last name. Docketed: "Entered in the Register's office February 19<sup>th</sup>, 1795." Tiny fold separation at very edges, repaired with small amount of archival tape. A few light brown spots, generally a Fine looking, historically significant document and a superb association of two great Americans.

**\$12,500**



**A POSSIBLY UNIQUE AND HISTORICALLY SIGNIFICANT SPANISH TRADING COMPANY STOCK CERTIFICATE ISSUED TO THE QUEEN MOTHER OF SPAIN, THE NATION'S MOST POWERFUL WOMAN OF THE PERIOD**

**REAL COMPANIA GUIPUZCOA DE CARACAS, CARACAS COMPANY**

Spain. One share. Engraved vignette of the royal arms of Guipuzcoa with an extremely ornate border design depicting an indian, female figure, fruits, weapons and plants as well as a number of boxes of the company's freight. Printed on vellum. Attached embossed white seal which also depicts the Guipuzcoa royal arms. The Caracas company was formed by a group of merchants in the Guipuzcoa province near San Sebastian, in the Basque region of Spain. Its primary purpose was trading with the Caracas province of Venezuela as well as the development of agriculture and the oversight of Orinoco river to the Hacha river in order to prevent illegal trading by the Dutch from Curacao. This company was the first of the great Spanish overseas trading companies and the first Spanish trading company known to have issued public stock. At 21 Elizabeth Farnese (1692-1766), the Queen consort of Spain, was married to Philip V of Spain. Exerting great influence of the weak Philip, she strongly supported the policy of Alberoni, one aim of which was to recover the ancient Italian possessions of Spain (eventually both Sardinia and Sicily were seized by the Spanish). Elizabeth was such a staunch supporter of this policy that she even placed herself at the head of one division of the Spanish army as French forces advanced to the Pyrenees! Ultimately, Elizabeth's ambition was grievously disappointed. The Triple Alliance thwarted her plans, and in 1720 the allies made the banishment of Alberoni a condition of peace, and the Spanish were forced to abandon Sicily. In the end, all Elizabeth's entreaties failed to prevent the abdication of Philip, who gave up the throne to his heir in 1724, and retired to the palace of La Granja. Seven months later, the death of the young king recalled Philip to the throne. During his declining years, Elizabeth directed the whole policy of Spain toward securing thrones in Italy for her sons. In 1736 she had the satisfaction of seeing her dreams realized with the accession of her son Don Carlos, later Charles II of Spain, to the throne of the Two Sicilies and his recognition by the powers in the treaty of Vienna. An important, early Spanish trading company stock and historically significant issued to the most powerful woman in Spain at the time. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. **\$12,500**



**A SUPERB CONDITION 1693 ITALIAN MONTE LOAN**

1693, Italy. This Italian bank bond called a Luoghire presents one of the very early documents in the form of an interest bearing loan. Of great importance this bond concerns financing by the famous De Medici family of Florence. The bond bears the Grand Ducal Arms of Ferdinand II of the Medici, as the Medici were great promoters of this type of bank. This type of financial institution was started in the Middle Ages and was initially used to receive donations and bequests in wills and used these for charitable purposes. Under the directive of Pope Leo X, who was also a De Medici, these banks changed their purpose and accepted deposits on a commercial interest bearing basis to loan to the state or for a specific purpose. The real commercialization of these banks began under Ferdinand de Medici, under whose auspices this bond was issued to offer interest bearing bonds to investors. It paid an interest of 4% per annum and is quite decorative with the Medici Coat-of Arms (with six spheres, which inspired the symbols outside today's pawn shops) flanked by two representation of Jesus with six loaves of bread. The bond is printed by copper engraving on vellum and has a paper seal embossed with the coat of arms of The Medici. Choice condition. **\$1,000**

**DUTCH CERTIFICATE FOR ONE SHARE IN THE BANK OF THE UNITED STATES**



1852. Amsterdam. Stock certificate for one share of the Bank of the United States. Printed entirely in Dutch and produced for sale to investors in Holland. There is an accompanying sheet of coupons. Uncancelled and Extremely Fine. **\$125**



# J. Pierpont Morgan

**Just In! We have just received for sale, on behalf of a private client, a fine collection of stocks, bonds, documents and letters signed by and related to J. Pierpont Morgan. This collection is the finest of it's type that we are aware of. The items herein are just a small representation of its scope. Please ask for a complete listing of items available from this outstanding collection.**



**ELLENVILLE & KINGSTON RR CO.  
A UNIQUE MORGAN VARIETY!**

Issued to J. Pierpont Morgan and signed on verso J. Pierpont Morgan Trustee. Black with attached embossed gold company seal. #21 for 1 share. Punch and stamp cancelled, Morgan's signature is unaffected. **This is the only example of this certificate to be issued and signed by Morgan, thus unique.**

**\$3,000**



**J. PIERPONT MORGAN AS  
TREASURER OF THE  
AMERICAN MUSEUM OF  
NATURAL HISTORY**

Partly-printed DS. 4 pages together, the largest measuring 8 1/2" x 14". New York. May 31, 1880. Morgan approves the payroll in the amount of \$1,061.65 for the month of May, 1880 while serving as treasurer of the American Museum of Natural History. The document is also signed by prominent banker Charles Lanier. Morgan was active in the museum from its founding in 1869 until his death serving as treasurer, vice president and chairman of the finance committee. Some of the finest collections in the museum were purchased and donated by Morgan himself. A nice document displaying Morgan in his association during the developmental years of the museum which brought great knowledge and artifacts of entire new worlds to the public at a time when exploration of many parts of the world was just beginning to happen. Today, the museum is one of the finest of its kind in the world. **\$1,250**



**SOUTH AND NORTH  
ALABAMA RAILROAD  
COMPANY BOND SIGNED  
BY MORGAN AS TRUSTEE**

**One of only 13 pieces of this  
signed by Morgan that  
surfaced over 20 years ago.**

1874. Bond for 200 pounds sterling bearing 6% interest. Black. Lovely engraved vignette of a steam locomotive in foreground of a panoramic river view. Coupons below. Signed on verso by Morgan as a trustee of the railroad. The road originated during the Civil War to quickly connect the Red Mountain iron and coal fields to Selma, Alabama and utilized the route that had been previously surveyed for the Alabama Central Railroad. It operated about 17 miles from the Cahaba River to the Alabama & Tennessee River Railroad at Calera. Uncancelled and Very Fine. **\$3,000**



**WEST SHORE RAILROAD  
CO. - A UNIQUE MORGAN  
VARIETY!**

Issued to **Cornelius Vanderbilt, Chauncey M. Depew and J. Pierpont Morgan**, the survivors & survivors of them are the owner of 99,935 shares. Stock #26 for 99,935 out of total company shares of 100,000. Survivors agreement between 3 prominent financiers. Cornelius Vanderbilt died before the date of the transfer. Certificate #17 issued on 12-5-1885 for 99,935 shares became certificate #26 issued to same 3 people with survivorship language. Signed on attached stock power by Chauncey M. Depew and J. Pierpont Morgan as survivors of Cornelius Vanderbilt, deceased. A large amount of shares in this company. **UNIQUE** - This is the only example of this company signed by Morgan! The stock is punch cancelled, the stock power is unaffected. **\$3,000**



**SYRACUSE, BINGHAMTON  
& NEW YORK RAILROAD  
CO. TRANSFER  
DOCUMENT SIGNED  
BY MORGAN**

Issued to Moses Taylor & Co. Transfer Document #247 1330 for 10 shares Association of Moses Taylor, George Peabody and J Pierpont Morgan on 4 transfer documents. Signed by Morgan. **\$950**

# Civil War Related Stocks and Bonds

We have many more Confederate and Southern States Bonds. Please ask to see our complete up to date listing.



## CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA BOND

1862, Richmond Virginia. Ball #121. \$1000 Bond bearing 8% interest. Black. Vignette at center of a seated female depicting industry with a cornucopia. Printed by Hoyer & Ludwig, Richmond, Virginia. Attached coupons at bottom. Folds, Very fine. **\$250**



## MONTGOMERY COUNTY VIRGINIA CONFEDERATE BOND

1863, Virginia. Montgomery County \$1000.00 Bond certificate #21 payable at the Office of the Bank of the Valley in Virginia at Christiansburg. Signed by David G. Douthat, JP and J.M. Wade, Clerk. Overall toning and some light dampstaining. A rare variety. **\$250**



## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA BOND SIGNED BY ZEBULON VANCE

1863. \$1000 bond bearing 6% interest. Issued to the Raleigh and Gaston RR Co. "under an Ordinance of the Convention amending the charter of the Chatham RR Company..." Signed as governor of North Carolina During the Civil War by ZEBULON VANCE (1830 - 1894). Criswell 62V. Vignette of Agriculture and Liberty at top center, male portraits in upper corners and State Capitol at bottom. Fine. **\$350**



## CONFEDERATE BOND TO CARE FOR THE POOR REBEL SOLDIERS, THEIR WIDOWS AND CHILDREN

1864, Charlotte County, Virginia. Rare Confederate bond issued to the Merchants Insurance Company of Richmond. On blue paper and measuring 8 1/4" x 6 1/2" with an impressed seal on the left, this simple looking certificate signed by A. Marshall, William A. Smith on front and John C. Sinton on verso was issued for the "relief of indigent soldiers and sailors of the State of Virginia, who may have been or may be disabled and the military service, and the widows and minor children of soldiers and sailors who may have died or may hereafter die in said service..." Light toning at crease, else Fine. **\$250**



## UNION MILITARY SCRIP FOR TEN DOLLARS

7 1/2" x 3 1/4". Topeka, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1867. Union Military Scrip for \$10. Vignette at top left of a farmer clearing his field, lower right vignette of a battle against Indians. These notes were issued by the "authority of an act of the Legislature of the State of Kansas entitled 'An Act to pro-

vide for the assumption and settlement of the claims growing out of the Price Raid in 1864, and Indian Expedition under Gen. Curtis in July and August 1864' approved Feb 26, 1867...." These notes were issued to compensate those who suffered heavy losses during the raid of Confederate General Sterling Price, since Union General William Rosecrans believing the Confederates were largely "played out" left the defense of Kansas mainly in the hands of the State's militia. Also for expenses in suppressing Indian uprisings on the western frontier—expenses which the state authorities felt should be covered by the United States, the Indians causing the trouble having been "wards of the government." One hole punch cancellation, in excellent condition. **\$350**



## SELMA, MARION AND MEMPHIS BOND SIGNED TWICE BY NATHAN BEDFORD FORREST

1869, Alabama. \$1,000 Selma, Marion & Memphis RR Co. Bond bearing 8% interest. Green/Black with gold overprint and orange imprinted revenues on front and back. Vignette of steam locomotive pulling into a station at top center and cotton workers at lower right. Litho. Coupons at bottom. Signed twice by Nathan Bedford Forrest, once on front as president and again on verso in the same capacity. **NATHAN BEDFORD FORREST** (1821-1877). Confederate general during the Civil War. Forrest is generally recognized as the finest Cavalry officer in the Civil War and, indeed, one of the finest in history. Some very light fold browning. Small edge chinks at right margin and small fold split. Ink smudge slightly affecting the N.B. in Forrest's signature on front. Uncancelled and fine. **\$2,200**





**RARE PRE-WAR NEW YORK AND RICHMOND COAL COMPANY BOND SIGNED BY JOHN A. DIX**

1858, Virginia. Impressive \$500.00 Bond certificate with most coupons attached 16½" x 22", vignette of train atop issued to and signed as Trustee by **JOHN A. DIX** (1798 - 1879): Union general during the Civil War; U.S. Secretary of the Treasury; Railroad executive. Dix was a trusted public servant and financier in the period leading up to the Civil War. He served as U.S. Secretary of the Treasury during the last three months of the Buchanan administration (Jan. - March 1861), at the insistence of the eastern money interests who knew that Dix's presence would lend stability to that faltering administration. In May 1861, Lincoln appointed Dix major general of volunteers and, as such, Dix outranked all other volunteer officers until the end of the War. After the War, Dix had a distinguished career in both diplomacy and politics, serving as Minister to France, 1866-1869, and as governor of New York, 1872-1874. A few punch holes, clean tears, else Fine. Big, bold & attractive - the only one of its kind we have ever seen. **\$750**



**THE MID-CITY BASE BALL ASSOCIATION, INC.**

1925, Maryland. Stock certificate for 2 shares. Black. Top left vignette of an eagle bottom left raised gold seal. Ornate border. Minor pin holes at top left from staple. A nice minor league baseball stock. Uncancelled and Very Fine. **\$250**



**RARE ROLLER COASTER COMPANY STOCK**

1930, Illinois. Stock certificate for 50 shares in the NORTHWESTERN COASTER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY issued to M.E. Zayas. Gold/Black. Accompanied by the Stockholders Report with Meeting Minutes, 8 pages typed, dated Monday December 19, 1921. The coaster they constructed was part of the now defunct but memorable Riverview Park on the Chicago River, long known as the largest amusement park in the world.

The Northwest Construction Company owned the coaster independently of the park. It is unconfirmed, as scant information is available on this company, but likely this was for the Roller Coaster known as "The Bob's" A cite from Defunct Amusement Parks notes: 1926: "The Bobs" was an 11-car coaster with an 85-foot drop, long billed as the most fearsome roller coaster in the country, as well as the fastest on record. Built at the gargantuan (for the 1920's) cost of 80,000 dollars, "The Bobs" carried 1,200 passengers per hour and drew some 700,000 riders each season. "The Bobs" remained uncontestedly the most popular ride at Riverview throughout its existence." Some chinks to left corner with small loss, however it is outside the certificate border, o/w Fine. **\$750**



**CITY OF BROOKLYN - 1865 - ASSESSMENT CERTIFICATE**

1865, Brooklyn. Attractive Assessment Certificate paying 3,700.28 for improvements. Signed by **ALFRED M. WOOD** (1825-1895) Mayor of Brooklyn. Vignette of allegorical

woman sitting with shield and eagle atop. Wood served gallantly as a Colonel in the Civil War and at First Bull Run the commander of the 14th New York Militia he was captured by "Old Dick," a black man serving as a drummer in the 18th Virginia. He later would lead the unit at the Battle of Gettysburg, and emerge from the War a Brevet Major General of Volunteers. Heavy crease marks at folds, a rare and unusual certificate issued just one before Abraham Lincoln was shot. Scarce. **\$195**



**PACIFIC RAILROAD CO.**

1866, Missouri. Stock certificate for 8 shares. Superb multi-vignetted certificate depicting an Indian holding a spear with horse at top center. Left side vignette of Lady Liberty with covered wagon beneath. Right side vignette of cattle and a riverboat. Bottom center vignette of miners. Some bleed-through of ink from wright on verso. A scarce rail certificate. Pen cancelled and Fine. **\$275**



**THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW YORK**

Specimen. \$1,000 bond. Large vignette of a city block at top center, eagle at upper left and a church at bottom center. Stamped specimen at bottom. Light punch cancellations. A scarce example of a fine insurance company bond. Folds and a couple of very minor separations. Fine. **\$195**



**GALLEGO MILLS**

**SERVED AS A CONFEDERATE PRISON AFTER NEARBY LIBBY PRISON REACHED ITS MAXIMUM CAPACITY**

1885, Virginia. \$1,000 bond bearing 6% interest. Brown\Black. Vignette of the mill building at top center. Litho. Two attached pages of coupons at back.

In the years before the Civil War, Richmond Virginia's Gallego Mills was the largest producer of flour within the entire United States, producing about 190,000 barrels annually. During the war this mill, the largest in the world, was hastily converted into a prison for captured Union soldiers when the nearby Libby prison reached its maximum capacity. Prominently situated in the Richmond waterfront, the Gallego Mills were among the many buildings destroyed by retreating Confederate forces as they fled the Confederate capital under orders from General Lee. Photographed by Alexander Gardner soon after its destruction, the 1865 albumen silver print of the ruined Gallego Mills became the iconic image of both the fall of the Confederacy and the utter devastation of the Civil War.

A fine graphic bond from this important southern landmark. Uncancelled and Very Fine. **\$175**

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## FRIEDBERG # 224 SILVER CERTIFICATE #32



### LOW SERIAL NUMBER 32 ACCOMPANIED BY THE ORIGINAL TREASURY DEPARTMENT ENVELOPE AS PRESENTED TO THE FIRST LADY, FRANCES CLEVELAND

**Extremely Rare** low serial number (#32). 1896 \$1 Silver Certificate Friedberg No. 224 with original presentation envelope to the President's wife, Mrs. Grover Cleveland. In an original Treasury Department envelope as transmitted to the first lady: "Mrs. Cleveland #32, July 23, 1896." A choice opportunity to acquire one of the lowest possible numbers of this highly popular series which was presented to the First Lady. An interesting rarity. **\$14,500**



### TWO BEAUTIFUL THEATRE PROGRAMS

[THEATRE] Two fine colorful theatre programs: "Madison Square Theatre Programme." Beautiful presentation of the comedy drama *Hazel Kirk*. 4 pp. with cast of characters. Synopsis of the play and other text. Theater program for the Boston Bijou theatre: *A Trip to Africa*. 4 pages with ads and description of the program. Back page has diagram of seats. Two lovely programs. **\$125**



### TALLY HO! GALOP

[SHEET MUSIC] The Tally Ho! Galop. Color lithograph. 1854. To J.H. Daley, Esq. and the Memory of the Montréal Fox Hounds" 4 pp. Nice fox hunt scene. Moderate foxing, spine separated, else Very Good. **\$145**



### A SUPERB AMERICAN ANTI- EMBARGO BROADSIDE!

Original, Rare Embargo Broadside below an exquisite woodcut of a Bull [Circa. 1807]:

"THE SACRED REFUGE FOR FEDERALISTS!!"

"Henry Mellen, Esquire's very smart Federal Song, "THE EMBARGO," Parodied by Simon Pepperpot, the younger. Twelve verses, the first of which reads:

*"Now be at your posts, for the mighty man Sin  
Stands watching the door, to let FED'RALISTS in;  
For something must rule them, no doubt a wise thing,  
And were it the DEVIL, they'd call him a KING."*

At the bottom, outside the elaborate border: "The Embargo – While the kingdom of Great-Britain is deaf to the voice of reason and justice it is the only alternative to protect our seamen, preserve our property and establish our rights."

In an attempt to protect American rights on the high seas from continued foreign violations, the United States passed a series of laws know as the Embargo Act during the latter part of President Thomas Jefferson's second term. Initially aimed at punishing Great Britain, these acts were soon expanded in order to address the continued defiance of the embargo by American citizens. With smuggling endorsed by large portions of the American public, the Embargo Act proved incredibly unpopular and inspired a great public outcry. Though the Embargo Act did have its supporters, opposition to these laws led to the repeal of the Embargo Act just days before Jefferson left office. According to the Library of Congress, a copy of this broadside, taken from the Trenton True American, is included in one of Thomas Jefferson's personal scrapbooks. 8½" x 10½". With minor fold marks, in bright, crisp and clean condition. A Fine and superlatively rare piece of Americana from the tumultuous early days of the nation. **\$1,500**





**QUEEN VICTORIA'S DANCES**

[SHEET MUSIC] Color Lithograph Queen Victoria's Dances by E. Ferrett & co. NY & Philadelphia. n.d. 15 pp. Bordered in blue and showing the royal couple dancing. Few dots and slight amount of wear. Last page has 20th century tape to small portion. Very Good. **\$175**



**NICE COLOR LITHOGRAPH OF SHIP ON SHEET MUSIC**

[SHEET MUSIC] Atlantic's Return. Colorful lithograph of ship. William Endicott & Co. 5 pages. Respectfully dedicated from the publishers to Captain James West. Music arranged for the piano by Johan Munck. 1851. New York. Some internal foxing, corner torn but repaired with archival tape, spine chipped, separated repaired with later tape. VG. **\$145**



**DON QUIXOTE**

[SHEET MUSIC] Don Quichotte Set of Brilliant Quadrilles For the piano forte composed by Leduc. Nice printing of Quixote on horseback with another rider. Bordered by swords, shields, and other fighting implements. On top in manuscript "Mary D. Curtis December 18th 1844." One page. Large format. Light foxing, small dampstain mark at bottom, otherwise Very Good. **\$95**



**1924 POLITICAL SHEET MUSIC: KEEP COOL AND KEEP COOLIDGE**

[SHEET MUSIC] Keep Cool and Keep Coolidge, music by Bruce Harper, words by Ida Cheever Goodwin; published by Home Town Coolidge Club, Plymouth, VT, 1924. 3pp. Photographic image of the Home Town College Club Quartet from Plymouth Vermont at the White House in 1924. 3 fold marks with minor separation. Small tear with a little loss, o/w Very Good. **\$50**



**COLOR LITHO: THE PRINCE OF WALES THE COLDSTREAM GUARDS MARCH**

[SHEET MUSIC] The Coldstream Guards March by Stephen Glover London. n.d. (Ca.1850s) Impressive color lithograph of The Prince of Wales in bold red with guards behind him. 5 pp.; Large format. Spine separated. Edges show evidence of being formerly bound. Tiny amount of foxing. Very Good. **\$175**



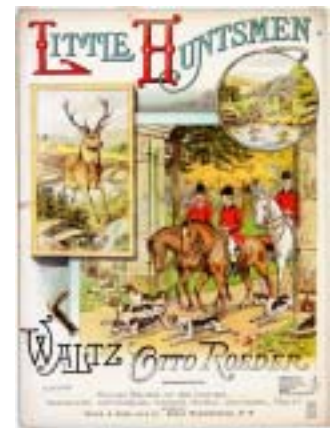
**THE NEWFOUNDLAND DOG**

[SHEET MUSIC] The Newfoundland Dog. Descriptive ballad by Mr. H. Russell words by F. W. N. Bailey, Esq. Music composed by Henry Russell. New York Firth and Hall. 1843. 8 pp. A very dramatic image of large Newfoundland dog jumping into the ocean from a ship. Shows evidence of prior binding moderate foxing, o/w Very Good. **\$125**



**FUNERAL MARCH SHEET MUSIC THE NATION MOURNS ABRAHAM LINCOLN**

[LINCOLN ASSASSINATION] Sheet Music. Funeral March : to the memory of Abraham Lincoln, the martyred president of the United States of America, who died April 15th, in the 57th year of his age / Music by Mrs. E.A. Parkhurst. 1865, published by Horace Walters, No. 481, New York, 6 pages, 13.25" x 10.25", In black borders with crisp dark printing. "Select Catalogue of New Music" published by Horace Walters on last page. Patriotic Songs, Songs, Guitar Songs, Duets and Quartets, and many more. Spine detached, few small tears to edges and corners, still altogether Fine. **\$200**



**LITTLE HUNTSMEN**

[SHEET MUSIC] Colorful lithograph "Little Huntsman" waltz by Otto Roeder. Colorful illustration of a wonderful hunting scene with vignettes of running deer and Englishmen on their horses in a fox hunting view. Twelve pages. N.d. Inside crease repaired with archival tape otherwise Very Fine. **\$65**

**We recently acquired an interesting collection of sheet music related to a variety of topics. Please ask to see a complete listing.**





## EXTRAORDINARY 1845 HAND COLORED LITHOGRAPH! THE UNITED STATES AT ONE VIEW

Wonderful hand colored lithographic broadside. 22" x 30" United States at One View 1776-1847. Although it bears that title, the copyright is 1845. Produced by map maker Humphrey Phelps of New York it displays an array of pleasantly depicted images presented with a fascinating compendium of facts. A highly decorative green leaf and brown border design outline a stunning and unusual mid-nineteenth century display of various financial, demographic and business facts and figures.

Atop is an engraved image of the American Eagle in a colorful spray, continental currency and a \$50 note as well are shown mid-print. Descriptions of Oregon and Texas at the bottom. Among the many facts, figures and statistics about the United States in its 70th year: Population by state and by census; Population of 150 Principal Cities; Principal Railroads and Canals; Reminiscences of the 1776 Revolution; Principal Rivers and Mountains; Religious Denominations; Presidents of the United States; Indians; Distance Chart; and Earth Population.

On Texas, a portion reads: "The climate is generally mild and health, presenting an alternate Spring and Summer. The face of the country is generally level..." The year this was printed, Texas became a state.

Light overall toning, minimal foxing, top 2" of front shows heavy evidence of older tape remnants and some tearing further, repaired crudely. Back top 4" had tape still affixed, otherwise Very Good. Overall rare, glorious and artful broadside. Would look spectacular framed. **\$1,250**

### 1773 EARLY AMERICAN IMPRINT: NARRATIVE OF THE INDIAN CHARITY SCHOOL NOW INCORPORATED WITH DARTMOUTH-COLLEGE

1773 Bound pamphlet: A CONTINUATION OF THE NARRATIVE OF THE INDIAN CHARITY SCHOOL, BEGUN IN LEBANON, IN CONNECTICUT; NOW INCORPORATED WITH DARTMOUTH-COLLEGE, IN HANOVER, IN THE PROVINCE OF NEW-HAMPSHIRE. by Eleazar Wheelock D.D.: President of Dartmouth College: Hartford: 1773. 68pp in self wraps. "Eleazar Wheelock was, a graduate from Yale in 1733, pastor of the Second (North) Society in Lebanon, and a popular preacher during the Great Awakening. He began the Charity School (first called More's Charity School, after Col. Joshua More, who contributed a house and school-house) in 1754, and by 1765 had some forty-six pupils, all supported by charity. In 1769 Wheelock was given a charter to establish Dartmouth College, which he did in 1770, and became its first president." (Streeter Sale.)

Wheelock's plan for the School, formed to instruct Indians and train them "as missionaries and teachers to their respective tribes" [DAB], was inspired by his having taught Samson Occom in the 1740's. This scarce pamphlet, 7<sup>th</sup> in a series of 8, provides information on the School from September 26, 1772 to September 26, 1773. This edition is remarkable for its inclusion of the Abstract of the Journal of a Mission to the Delaware Indians West of the Ohio, in 1772 and 1773, by David McClure and Levi Frisbie. FIRST EDITION. Evans 13077. Howes W331aa. VII Streeter Sale 406. Field 1644. Sabin 103210. ExLibris stamp from the Maine Historical Society, 1822; sewn with original thread, a few ink notations to cover page wrap, light browning to edges. Altogether Fine condition. **\$1,750**

### ONE OF 18TH CENTURY AMERICA'S MOST IMPORTANT PERIODICALS

Supplement to the third volume of the "Columbian Magazine or Monthly Miscellany Containing a View of the History, Literature, Manners & Characters of the Year 1789". Philadelphia: Printed for the Proprietor, by W. Spotswood. The Frontispiece is in elegant embellished script with an eagle, described in full on page iv as "An Explanation of the Frontispiece: The Genius of Foederate America is represented sitting under a palm tree, the Emblem of Peace..."

This being published not long after the constitution had been signed, the authors make mention of the establishment of the Federal Government of the United States as being the "one of the most glorious and important events in the history of mankind..." and announces the ratification of the Constitution of the US by the Twelfth Federal

Pillar, North Carolina. A few of the articles contained within: On the Patriotic Conduct of the American Woman, Observations of Coinage, Magnanimity of the American Soldiery, An Effectual Remedy for the Bit of a Mad Dog, Religious Persecution, a Fragment. In the back contains what some consider an example of an 18<sup>th</sup> century Trade Card, tipped in as separate advertisement dated Philadelphia, Feb 1<sup>st</sup>, 1790 for Le Collay and Chardon's Paper Manufactory. Also includes the index for the year. Front and back covers are detached and a little tattered, binding is held together by a single thread; pages are bright and clean and Very Good.

The Columbian Magazine was not a revolutionary journal in the sense of having fomented conspiracy and encouraged rebellion, but it had a revolutionary air. It celebrated the accomplishment of the break with England in every issue and almost on every page. The men who helped make the magazine were all men with a stake in the change. A fine addition to any collection of 18<sup>th</sup> century American printing. **\$695**





**A RARE AND GRAPHICALLY FANTASTIC SATIRICAL TEMPERANCE BROADSIDE FOR "THE BLACK VALLEY RAILROAD"**

Original temperance broadside Black Valley Railroad! Great Central Route. Lithograph 11¾" x 15¾"; light green. [c1863] A spectacular wood cut imprint display of an elaborate scene of drunken figures and people helping them; a train with a distillery as its caboose is leaving "Drunkard's Curve," in the foreground are people helping into Ambulances the disabled and dying.

The Black Valley Railroad was an 1860 metaphor for the road to hell for those who drank alcohol. The train depicts partiers and drunks at the "drunkard's curve" station, the last stop before going into the mountains, the home of the devil, storms, violence and ultimate death – the last stop "Destruction at Dead River." Much propaganda in the text at the bottom with names of destinations such as Sippington, Tippleton, Topersville, Beggars-town, Demonland and Black Valley arriving to destruction! Accidents by collisions entirely avoided as no trains are run over the road. "Tickets sold at liquor shops throughout the country" A few pin marks at corners, light wear, tiny amount of dampstaining to very bottom, otherwise Fine. **\$1,500**

**BASEBALL AD FOR THE J.J. COSGROVE & CO., BASE BALL EXCHANGE FEATURING THE RED SOX'S HOME SCHEDULE ON THE BACK**



7 ½" x 3 ¼". Facsimile Confederate States of America \$10 Note with a Baseball Advertisement on verso. "J.J. Cosgrove & Co., Base Ball Ex

change located at 1072 & 1074 Tremont Street, opposite Entrance to Ball Grounds." A listing of their specialties follows including various beers, whiskey, gin, cigars etc. The Base Ball schedule for the Red Sox's home games is listed as well. An interesting and unusual coupling of a confederate note with a Boston business advertisement. Slight damp staining at upper left corner. Fine. **\$250**



**THE EMBARGO ACT**

[BROADSIDES] Printed Document, State of New Hampshire, July 4, 1808. 2 pp. with integral address leaf. Legal size broadside signed in manuscript: "Richard Evans" Chairman of the Conventional Committee detailing the "enemy which is upon us" during the heated years of the Embargo and the coming war with Great Britain:

"Sir, IMPRESSED with a sense of dangers to which our Country is exposed, the Republicans of the Legislature when at Concord, assembled to deliberate on the momentous subject... They were conscious that their constituents looked to them for information in an hour of peril... War then, or an Embargo became necessary... What then remains to be done? Shall we sir, shall Republicans be supine and inactive when the country is in danger? The enemy is upon us, and shall we be lulled to repose? shall we, in short, make way for men whose watch word, is "Energetic Government;" whose policy is English policy; and whose object is an alliance with Great-Britain, and consequently, a war with the civilized world.—Or, shall we nobly stand forth in defence of country, of equal government, of peace and liberty!" Addressed on verso to Benjamin Mather, Jr. of Dunbarton. Rare political broadside with excellent content. Fine. **\$950**

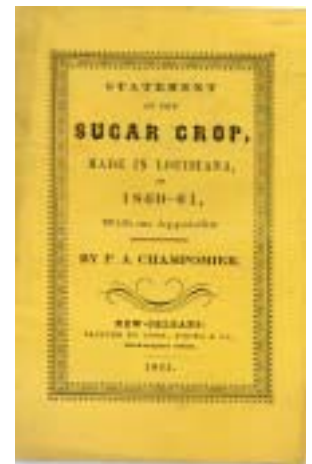


**LINCOLN CAMPAIGN CIRCULAR**

[LINCOLN/CIVIL WAR] Printed Document, June 29, 1864. Washington, D.C. "Union Congressional Committee Rooms" election letter in script. 2 pp. that lists speeches available for one or two dollars per hun

dred copies for the campaign and "the importance of the pending contest for the Presidency."

The second page lists the "**Proper Speeches and Documents**" to be distributed "in an early period of the campaign." Topics of these speeches include what some historians argue was somewhat avoided by the republicans, that of Reconstruction. Members of the Union Congressional Committee signed in print are E. D. Morgan, James Harlan, Justin Morrill, Elihu Washburne, R. B. Van Valkenburg, James A. Garfield, and James G. Blaine. There are 19 speeches listed in the circular, including Abraham Lincoln's, "Slavery and its issues indicated by his Speeches, Letters, Messages, and Proclamations"; James F. Wilson, "A Free Constitution"; Charles Sumner, "Universal Emancipation, without Compensation" and Daniel Clark's "Amendment to the Constitution." Usual folds, Very Good. **\$295**



**CONFEDERATE IMPRINT: STATEMENT OF THE SUGAR CROP MADE IN LOUISIANA, NEW ORLEANS: 1860-61.**

Statement of the Sugar Crop, Made in Louisiana, in 1860-61, With an Appendix. By P.A. Champomier. New Orleans, Printed by Cook, Young & Co., Price-Current Office, 1861. 12mo, 46 pp., original yellow printed self-wrappers. Dated in type on page viii, "New Orleans, 20<sup>th</sup> February 1861. A detailed work presenting a list of production listed by planter and Parish, including the name of the plantation. Also lists the Sugar Crops in Texas, 1859 and the Sugar Trade in the United States. Louisiana succeeded from the Union on January 26, 1861, making this a rare early confederate imprint. In Very Fine condition. **\$295**





**KURZ & ALLISON CHROMOLITHOGRAPH:  
BATTLE OF BULL RUN**

Exceptional Kurz & Allison Chromolithograph print: Chicago. 1889: "Battle of Bull Run". 21" x 28": On the bottom it reads "July 21st 1861.-Federal (Gen. McDowell) Loss: 481 Killed, 1011 Wounded, 1460 Missing - Confederate (Gen. Beauregard) Loss: 378 Killed, 1489 Wounded, 30 Missing." Also known as the First Manassas, the Battle of Bull Run was the first major land battle of the Civil War. A victory for the Confederates, this engagement convinced President Lincoln that the war would be a long and costly affair. 1¼" tear in upper margin, easily matted out, a few other tiny tears to edges. An elaborate and dramatic scene with bright bold colors in Fine condition. **\$600**



**KURZ & ALLISON CHROMOLITHOGRAPH:  
THE GREAT INTERNATIONAL NAVAL REVIEW**

Exceptional Chromolithograph print: New York, April 27th, 1893. 21" x 28"; Exploding in a grand display of color and flags and ships of the Naval Review this Kurz & Allison print with their classic broad, graphic style makes a suburb display of rich colors. The Great International Naval Review was held in connection with the opening of the Chicago World's Fair Exhibition. There is a clean 4" tear on the right hand side, going into the image, a tiny bit of edge wear and minimal toning, otherwise Fine. **\$600**

**CONFEDERATE CLAIM FOR SLAVE LOST  
IN THE PUBLIC SERVICE**

Document Signed. Sumter, South Carolina, July, 9, 1863. 1 page. 55" x 7½". A very long and fascinating document from the civil war which, at great length, details a slave named Sim who was impressed into service to fight for the confederacy and died of Typhoid Fever on Morris Island. Captain E. J. Pugh being the Slavemaster of the 24 year old slave, a "prime field hand & rough blacksmith...in excellent health (who was) selected from the gang ...for public service...on account of his robust health...& convictions, arising therefore, that the said Sim would be less likely to suffer from hardship & exposure than others of deponents slaves..was impressed...November A.D. 1862 by M.J. Tinsdale Commissioner of Road for Sumter District to work for one month of the Coast defenses..." The extensive subsets of the case give particulars of the interested and disinterested parties, oaths & affirmations, with signatures, one being a William Nutter who testified Sims did not return home from the coast with the disease on January 1863.

Another from T.M. Khan, dated July 11, 1863, testifying he was called on to attend the slave Sim "daily and often," that there was little chance for his recovery and noted the date of his death. Tinsdale, the Commissioner of Roads signed and testified as to his impressment. The document concludes the value of the slave was \$2,000.00 "according to the best judgment of the deponents." The coroner & magistrate Julius J. Fleming signs at the bottom stating the signatures of the those testifying, including the "appraiser" (of the value of a human life) are genuine. The magistrate Fleming had a voice later during reconstruction in the great South Carolina Ku Klux Klan Trials "For a quieter voice of restraint." Usual wear, VG. Remarkable & very scarce. **\$650**



with usual folds, only tiny amount of wear at usual folds. Muster, join dates inscribed on verso by James Hildeburn, Lieut. 3rd Cav, Mustering Officer.

Partly printed Official Civil War Discharge on vellum, Chattanooga, Tenn, April 25th, 1866. Signed by Brevet Brig. General **FREDERICK WILLIAM LISTER** (1825 - 1900) and A. C. M Captain 8th Iowa Infantry. With large eagle atop, nicely penned, noting Stone's Dark complexion. 7 ¾ x 9 ½". A few pin holes, else Fine.

**US COLORED TROOP LOT**

[CIVIL WAR / COLORED TROOPS] Lot of three Civil War items regarding Harry L. Stone, "B" Co. 22nd Infantry, US Colored Troops:

Large Vellum Appointment signed by **EDWIN M. STANTON** (1814-1869, US Attorney General, Secretary of War through most of the American Civil War and Reconstruction era) appointing him as Captain, counter-signed by Adjutant General "Volunteer" C.W. Foster. January 7, 1864. Eagle vignette atop. 15½" x 9½", Fine

Partly printed Document On "Head Quarters Dept of Virginia and North Carolina, In the Field, Va" Letterhead. Granting Leave of Absence of Surgeon's Certificate of Disability to H.L. Stone of 22nd U.S. Colored Troops for 20 days. "By command of Major General Butler" in print, in manuscript atop: "Army of the James." Signed by A. A. General **EDWARD.W.SMITH** .

A fine war dated group related to this black soldier with an appointment signed by Stanton. **\$500**



**ON THE OCCASION OF GENERAL  
GRANT'S FUNERAL  
"SCENE ON THE BEAUTIFUL HUDSON RIVER"**

Large Format albumen photograph 11½" x 10"; 17 ¼ x 15" with mount. "In Front of General Grant's Resting Place, the Day of the Burial - At the conclusion of the ceremonies at the Tomb, the Regimental Salute was answered by the thunder of the guns of the North Atlantic Squadron." Tan mount shows flaws, light soiling, torn corner, small tear at center, some white drop staining; photograph itself is fine and depicts several ships in the river, in the foreground, two men in a long canoe  
\$325



**NEW HAMPSHIRE  
MISSIONARY SOCIETY**

1859, Concord, New Hampshire. Beautiful 7 ½" x 9 1/2" Partly printed Illustrated document with glorious woodcut vignette of a church in a hamlet and the townspeople on their way to the meeting place.

Certifies Mrs. Harriet Melvin, by virtue of a donation from the Ladies Cent Society in Chester is a Member for life in the New Hampshire Missionary Society. Signed by the Secretary Berry P. Stone. Very Fine. \$150



**CYRUS FIELD 25TH YEAR  
ANNIVERSARY  
CELEBRATION BY TIFFANY**

1879, New York, Elaborate invitation at the request of Cyrus W. Field to attend the celebration of the 25th Anniversary of his historic contract for the Atlantic Cable. The event was to be held at his Gramercy Park New York residence. Engraved and printed by Tiffany & Co. 8½" x 6". A few brown spots and light soiling, verso shows remnants of scrapbook mounting. Very Good and Rare. There were only 1800 guests invited to this private event with just 1000 attending. The card was designed to represent submarine Telegraphy, linking together with its chain of light the four quarters of the globe. An interesting piece of Atlantic Cable and Cyrus Field history. \$295

**THE DUTY OF THE COLORED VOTER  
LINCOLN & GRANT SIDE BY SIDE**



[AFRICAN AMERICANS/ POLITICAL] Rare Republican Campaign Circular for Grant: The Party of Freedom and Its Candidates. The Duty of the Colored Voter. Washington: Published by the Union Republican Congressional Committee [1868], 4 pp. Illustrated with woodcut of Lincoln "The Emancipator" and of Grant, "His Successor." Interesting question and answer series aimed at "newly made citizens," that is emancipated slaves, in the form of a dialog between "a newly made citizen and a Radical Republican" on reasons why African Americans should vote Republican. Monaghan 908. A tad frayed at very edges, overall Fine. \$1,250



**A CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION HALL  
OF PRESIDENTS**

16 3/4" x 12 3/4". A large impressive sepia tone image of a Hall of presidents surrounding the capital building. Portraits of all Presidents from Washington through Grant are displayed with accompanying signature facsimiles below. Published by The National Copying Company. An impressive display item for both the Presidential and Centennial Exposition collector. Rare and in Very Fine condition. \$750







**SPECTACULAR CAMPAIGN BANNER ADVERTISING  
LITHOGRAPH WITH ORIGINAL ILLUSTRATED ENVELOPE**

[POLITICAL ADVERTISING] An extraordinarily colorful advertisement for the sale of campaign items. 1884. 4 pcs. A political advertiser soliciting campaign banners and merchandising that just splashes with color: **THE CAMPAIGN BANNER AND OUTFIT COMPANY:** "Manufacturer of political net banners and campaign outfits." J.T. Comross, Managers, N.Y. On the top is a campaign flag of presidential candidates James Blaine and John Logan, below in a style of Puck is a crowded convention with candidate expounding and fireworks exploding, a band playing and an audience that looks somewhat aghast. Prices are listed for the banners (\$90. For a 30x40!) as well as description of their products and term. 9¾" x 14". Included are two cards for the same company "*apes, caps torches and all campaign articles!*" Also a rare, stamped illustrated pink toned envelope addressed top Hon. E.R. Wellington, Chesterfield Factory in an exceptional presentation. A very exciting political lot. **\$1,500**



**LOUIS KURZ  
CHROMOLITHOGRAPH OF THE  
BATTLE OF PRINCETON**

Exceptional Chromolithograph print: Chicago, 1911 By Louis Kurz: Brightly printed scene of the "Battle of Princeton" with George Washington leading the charge. On the bottom it reads: "Washington's Charge, January 3rd 1777. American Loss Gen. Mercer and about 100 men. British Loss KD & WD 200 - 300. Prisoners and Canons taken." 21" x 28" including margins. Fine condition. **\$350**

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