

Eleventh Session, Commencing at 9.30am

ANCIENT GOLD COINS

GREEK



3363*
Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), gold stater, (8.576 grams), Amphipolis mint, issued c.330-320 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right in crested Corinthian helmet, hair plaited and snake on helmet, rev. Nike standing to left, holding wreath in outstretched hand, trident in left field over ΑΔ monogram, to right ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, (cf.S.6702; Price 182 (p.109), SNG BMC 182, M.110, ANS has an example). *Nearly extremely fine, well centred, with trace of mint bloom, a scarce variety.*

\$4,000

Ex Ye Olde Coin Co., Para Hills, South Australia, with his ticket.



3364*
Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), gold stater, (8.532 grams), Sidon mint, issued 330-323 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right in crested Corinthian helmet, ornamented with serpent, rev. Nike standing to left, holding wreath in outstretched hand, palm with fillets in left field, to left ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, (cf.S.6702; Price 3471, M.-, BMC 3471). *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$3,500



3365*
Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), gold quarter stater, (2.108 grams), Miletus mint, issued c.323-319 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right in crested Corinthian helmet, hair plaited, rev. Nike standing to left, holding wreath in outstretched hand, KH monogram in left field, to right double axe, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, (S.6709; Price 2117 (p.282), SNG BMC 2117, M.578, Thompson Miletus Pl.27, Nos.179-180). *Good very fine, well centred, with soil still encrusted on the obverse; a very rare denomination.*

\$1,500



3366*
Macedon, Kingdom of, Philip III, (323-316 B.C.), gold stater, (8.554 grams), Sidon mint, issued c.323-317 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right, in crested Corinthian helmet, rev. Nike standing to left, holding wreath in outstretched hand and ship's mast, in field to left Ξ, to right ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΥ (S.6746, Price P171, BMC P171, M.P125). *Very fine, scarce.*

\$3,000



3367*
Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), gold stater, (8.360 grams), Callatis mint, posthumous issue c.88-86 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 ΑΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, HP monogram below arm, ΚΑΛ on throne, trident below in exergue, (cf.S.6813, M.266, SNG Cop.1089). *Extremely fine and virtually as struck.*

\$3,500

This lot came from an important hoard of Greek gold staters from the time of the Mithradatic War (88-86 B.C.). They were issued by Mithradates VI of Pontus who used the design of the famous issues of Lysimachos. These staters with the head of Alexander the Great linked him to Alexander, history's greatest conqueror. At the age of 18, Mithradates embarked on a career of conquest, bringing most of the lands around the Black Sea under his control. These policies brought him into conflict with Rome and he consequently tried to liberate the East from Rome. He quickly defeated the local garrisons and massacred every Roman citizen in Asia (some 80,000 in one night). Athens welcomed him as a liberator, but the Roman response came in 87 B.C. The Consul L. Sulla with five legions captured Athens and pursued Mithradates back to Asia Minor. Mithradates was fined 2000 talents (600,000 gold staters) and returned to Pontus. These gold staters were probably struck during his campaign in Thrace in late 88 to early 87 B.C. to pay his mercenary soldiers. Three cities struck these coins. Alternatively another view has been put forward suggesting that these coins were issues by Brutus in the Civil War of 44-42 B.C. See Celator, January 2000 (pp. 22-24). This may still prove to be the correct interpretation.



3368*
Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), gold stater, (8.198 grams), Istrus mint, posthumous issue c.88-86 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 ΑΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, ΔΙ below arm, ΙΣ on throne, trident below in exergue, (cf.S.6813, M.285, SNG Cop.1094). *Better than usual style, extremely fine and virtually as struck.*

\$3,000



3369*

Bactria, Kingdom of, Diodotos II, (256-239 B.C.), modern copy of gold stater, (8.43 grams), Bactra (Balkh) mint, issued after 256 (Newell suggests c.247 B.C.), obv. diademed head of Diodotos I to right, dotted border, rev. Zeus striding to left, aegis on his extended left arm, wielding a thunderbolt, at his feet an eagle to left, wreath above, to right ΒΑΣΙΛ[ΕΩΣ] and to left ANTIOXOY, (S.7501). *Extremely fine.*

\$400



3372*

Sabina, wife of Hadrian, (died A.D. 137), gold aureus, Rome mint, (7.00 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Sabina, with hair coiled and piled on back of head behind tiara, SABINA AVGVSTA around, rev. Vesta seated to left, holding palladium and sceptre, around VESTA, (S.1183, RIC 397b, C.79). *Very fine, trace of mint bloom around letters, and very rare.*

\$5,000



3373*

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), gold aureus, (7.30 grams), Rome mint, issued A.D. 160-161, obv. laureate head of Antoninus Pius to right, around ANTONINVS AVGV PIVS P P TR P XXIII, rev. Pietas standing to left between two children, holding globe and child, around PIETATI AVGV COS III, (S.4016, RIC 302, BMC 984). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$7,000

3370*

Zeugitana, Carthage, (possibly Siculo-Punic), (c.264-241 B.C.), the time of the First Punic War, electrum trihemistater or Attic tridrachm, (11.090 grams), obv. head of Tanit to left wearing necklace with twelve pendants tied at back with ends hanging loosely, a triple pendant earring and a wreath of grain ears, dotted border, rev. horse standing to right on exergual line with sun-symbol and two Uraeus-serpents above, line border, (S.6474 [p.599], Jenkins Group Xb, cf.428-446, Weber 8491, SNG Cop.996). *Brilliant, flan crack, minor surface marks, otherwise nearly extremely fine/extremely fine and rare.*

\$7,500



3374*

Faustina Senior, (wife of Antoninus Pius), (d.A.D. 141) gold aureus, (7.342 grams), issued A.D. 141 at Rome mint, obv. DIVA AVGV FAVSTINA, draped bust to right, rev. AETERNITAS, Fortuna standing to left holding patera and globe beneath rudder, (S.4549, RIC 349a, C.2). *Slightly off centred reverse, nearly extremely fine, very scarce.*

\$6,000

ROMAN



3371*

Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), gold aureus, issued 119-122, Rome mint, (7.448 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust to right of Hadrian, around IMP CAESAR TRAIANVS AVG, rev. P M TR P COS III around, Roma seated to left on cuirass, holding Victory and spear, shield at base, bow and quiver behind, (S.3411, RIC 77, C.1097). *Full flan, red peripheral tone, nearly extremely fine or better and very rare.*

\$6,000



3375*

Volusian, (A.D. 251-253), gold aureus, Rome mint (3.652 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust to right of Volusian, around IMP CAESAR VIB VOLVSIANO AVG, rev. Aeternitas standing to left, holding phoenix on globe to left, raising skirt at right side, around AETERNITAS AVGG, (cf. S.3818, RIC 154, C.10). *Large full flan for the light weight issue, choice extremely fine or better and very rare.*

\$6,000



3376*

Valens (A.D. 364-378), gold solidus, Antioch mint, issued 364-367, Officina A, (4.40 grams), obv. pearl diademed, draped and cuirassed bust to right of Valens around DN VALEN S PF AVG, rev. Valens standing facing head to right, holding labarum with chi-rho symbol and Victory, RESTITVTOR REIPVBLICAE around, ANTA in exergue (S.4104, RIC 2d). *Minor surface scratches in field, otherwise very fine and scarce.*

\$600



3377*

Honorius, (A.D. 393-423), gold solidus, Ravenna mint, issued A.D. 402-406 (4.450 grams), obv. pearl diademed bust draped and cuirassed of Honorius to right, around D N HONORI VS P F AVG, rev. VICTORI A AVGGG, emperor standing right holding standard, Victory on globe, left foot on captive, R V either side, CONOB in exergue, (S.4244, RIC 1319, C.44). *Large flan, nearly extremely fine and very scarce.*

\$1,000



3378*

Honorius, (A.D. 393-423), gold solidus, Ravenna mint, issued A.D. 402-406 (4.426 grams), obv. pearl diademed bust draped and cuirassed of Honorius to right, around D N HONORI VS P F AVG, rev. VICTORI A AVGGG, emperor standing right holding standard, Victory on globe, left foot on captive, R V either side, CONOB in exergue, (S.4244, RIC 1319, C.44). *Large flan, good very fine and very scarce.*

\$1,000



3379*

Theodosius II, (A.D. 402-450), gold solidus, issued Constantinople mint in A.D. 430-440, (4.440 grams), obv. helmeted bust to half right with elaborate dress, holding shield and spear, around DN THEODO SIVS P F AVG, rev. Constantinopolis seated to left on throne holding cross on globe and sceptre, shield by throne, star in right field, around VOT XXX MVL T XXXX Γ, exergue CONOB, (S., RIC 257 (Vol.X), DOCLR 384). *Choice extremely fine and scarce.*

\$850



3380*

Theodosius II, (A.D.402-450), gold tremissis, Constantinople mint, (1.512 grams), obv. draped and cuirassed bust of Theodosius II to right, around d N THEODO SIVS PP AVG, rev. Victory to right, head to left, star in right field, holding wreath and cross on globe, around VICTORIA AVGVSTORVM, CONOB in exergue, (S.4293, RIC 213, T.65). *Delightful red tone, extremely fine and rare in this condition.*

\$1,500



3381*

Theodosius II, (A.D. 402-450), Indian copy of gold solidus, issued 5th century A.D., of type struck at Constantinople A.D. 408-430, (4.296 grams), obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust facing of Theodosius II, holding spear and shield, around D N THEODO SIVS P F AVG, rev. Constantinopolis seated facing holding spear and Victory, star in left field, around CONCORDI A AVGGI, in exergue CONOB, (cf.S.4296 (AE), RIC 63c.2, cf.Depeyrot 73/2). *Good very fine.*

\$500



3382*

Basiliscus, (475-476), gold tremissis, Rome mint, (1.388 grams), obv. diademed, draped and cuirassed bust to right of Basiliscus, around D N BASILI SCVS P AVG, rev. cross in wreath, in exergue CONOB, (S.4399, RIC 3303, T.86). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$1,000

BYZANTINE



3383*

Anastasius I, (491-518), gold solidus, issue of 491-498, Constantinople mint, (4.350 grams), obv. helmeted and cuirassed bust three-quarter face to right, holding spear and shield, around DN ANASTA SIVS PP AVC, rev. Angel standing facing holding long cross, around VICTORI A AVCCCH exergue CONOB, star in left field, (S.3, DOC 7h, T.7, R.319). *As struck, extremely fine and rare in this condition.*

\$850



3384*

Justin II, (A.D.565-578), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, (4.454 grams), issued 565-578, obv. bust of Justin II facing, with plume and diadem, two pearls at each side, wearing cuirass, and holding globe surmounted by Victory, d N I VSTI NVS PP AVI around, rev. Constantinople seated looking right, with helmet tunic and mantle, on right shoulder aegis, left hand holds a spear, cross on globe, around VICTORI A AVGGG S, CONOB in exergue, (S.345, DOC [4e], BMC 8, MIB 5). *Nearly full mint bloom, minor scratch on obverse, slightly bent and weak on reverse head, otherwise good very fine.*

\$420

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 61 (lot 2547).



3387*

Constantine IV, (668-685), gold solidus, (4.438 grams), Constantinople mint, Class III, issued c.674-681, Officina Δ, obv. three-quarter facing bearded bust of Constantine IV, wearing helmet with plume and cuirass, holds spear and shield, around dN C A NUSP, rev. Cross potent above three steps, between facing figures of Heraclius on left and Tiberius on right, each holding cross on globe, around VICTOIA AVGUΔ, in exergue CONOB, (S.1154, DOC [8], BMC -, R.-, T.-). *Extremely fine, with mint bloom, and extremely rare for this officina.*

\$800

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 64 (lot 2169).



3385*

Phocas, (A.D. 602-610), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, (4.46 grams), issued A.D. 607-610, Officina Θ, 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 Θ, (S.620, DOC 10i, BMC 19, T.16, R.1186); **Leo I**, (A.D. 457-474), Constantinople mint, (1.08 grams), obv. diademed draped and cuirassed bust to right, around D N LEO PE RPET AVG, rev. SAL/ REI/ PVI in wreath, CONS in exergue, (S.4338, T.24). *Both holed, very fine, last rare. (2)*

\$300



3388*

Basil I the Macedonian and Constantine, (A.D.867-886), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, issued from A.D. 867-879, (4.354 grams), obv. Christ enthroned facing wearing nimbus, raising right hand in benediction, also holding Gospels, the throne has curved ornamented arms, around + Ihs XPS REX REGNANTIUM*, rev. BASILIOS ET CONSTANT' AUGG' b' around, facing busts of Basil I wearing loros on left and Romanus II wearing chlamys on right, both crowned, between them long patriarchal cross, (S.1704, DOC 2b, R.1858). *Nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$1,000



3389*

Basil I, the Macedonian, with Constantine, (A.D.867-886), pale gold semissis, Syracuse mint, issued from A.D. 868-879, (1.256 grams), obv. bust of Basil facing wearing crown and loros, around bAS ILEIOC, rev. CON STANT around, facing bust of Constantine wearing crown and loros holding globe with cross, (S.1714, R.1859, DOC 14a, BMC 31). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$700



3386*

Heraclius, (610-641), gold solidus, Constantinople mint, Officina Γ, issued 638-639, (4.424 grams), obv. standing crowned figures of Heraclius in centre, Heraclius Constantine on left, and Heraclonas on right, cross on each crown, rev. Cross potent on three steps, monogram to left, A to right, around VICTORIA AVGU Γ, CONOB in exergue, (S.766, DOC 40b, BMC -, T.-, R.-). *Nearly extremely fine and a very rare variety.*

\$800



3390*

Constantine X, (A.D.1059-1067), gold histamenon nomisma (Scyphate), Constantinople mint, (4.284 grams), obv. Christ seated facing on throne with straight arms, wearing nimbus, raising right hand, in left hand the Gospels, IHS XIS REX REGNANTINM around, rev. +KWN RAC AΔOVKAC, around standing figure of Constantine facing, bearded, wearing crown, saccos and loros, holding labarum no pellet on shaft and globe with cross, (S.1847, DOC 1a, BMC 3, R.2010). *Very fine, scarce.*

\$480



3393*

Manuel I, (1143-1180), gold hyperpyron (scyphate), Constantinople mint, (4.376 grams), obv. Christ bust facing, beardless wearing nimbus, IC XC over to left KE RO, to right HΘEI, rev. facing figure of Manuel standing wearing crown, holding patriarchal cross to right 'Manus Dei' legend to left MA/NΩHA/ ΔEC/ΠO /TH to right TΩ/ ΠOP/ ΦΥPOΓ/ NH/T, (S.1956, Hendy Pl.12, 1-11, BMC 1-13, R.2111-4). *Brilliant, extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,200



3391*

Romanus IV, (1068-1071), gold histamenon nomisma (scyphate), Constantinople mint, Class II, (4.286 grams), obv. Christ standing on footstool, with nimbus crowning Romanus and Eudocia, IC XC, around +PWMA EVAKKA (sic), rev. Michael in centre, Constantius on left, and Andronicus on right, without footstools, around KWN MX ANA, (S.1861, DOC 2, R.2026). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$550



3392*

Alexius I, (1081-1118), gold hyperpyron (scyphate), Thessalonica mint, post reform issue, 1092-1118 (4.308 grams), obv. Christ enthroned facing, wearing nimbus, IC XC over to left KE RO, to right HΘEI, rev. facing figure of Alexius standing wearing crown, holding patriarchal cross to right 'Manus Dei' legend to left A/ΔE/ΣI/Ω/ ΔEC/ΠO /T to right T/Ω/ KO/ MN/ N/Ω, (S.1924, Hendy Pl.4, 6-10 and pl.5. 1-4, BMC 1-2, R.2054-5). *Broad flan, very fine/extremely fine and rare.*

\$800

The issue is similar to that from Constantinople mint but with no jewellery along the bottom edge of the chlamys to left on the reverse and a variation in the reverse legend.

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3394

Spain, Celti-Iberian coinage, a small group from various cities 2nd-1st century B.C., including Gades (S.46, SNG Cop.18), (cf.S.47, SNG Cop. 16-17); Carteia (S.67, SNG Cop.443), rev. thunderbolt, (S.-, SNG BM 1708), (S.69, SNG Cop.444-5); Castulo (S.-, SNG Cop.216), (S.-, SNG Cop.222), (S.-, SNG Cop.207); Obulco (S.-, SNG Cop.234-7); Corduba, (S.-, SNG Cop. 462); Roman Colonial issues, Patricia, Augustus, (27 B.C.-14 A.D.), AE asses, (9.352, 10.018 grams), rev. COLONIA PATRICIA in wreath (S.16, SNG Cop.466) (2); another semis, (S.074 grams), rev. Apex, simpulum, (S.- SNG Cop.467); similar AE As, Julia Traducta, (9.240 grams) rev. IVLIA TRAD in oak wreath, (S.18, SNG Cop.459-460). *Fair - fine, several rare.* (14)

\$200



3395*

Celtic, Danube and Eastern Region, imitation of Philip II tetradrachm, (early 3rd century B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (14.072 grams), of type "Ohrlocke", obv. crude simplified head of Zeus to right, rev. horse with rider to right, (S.205, CCCBM Vol.I, type I, A initial phase iiii, No.16a [similar reverse die], de la Tour 9753, Gobl pl.1094/5, Pink OK 41, cf.Sammlung Lanz 379). *Worn as usual, fine and rare.*

\$300

Ex Hubert Lanz, Munich with ticket.



3396*

Celtic, Danube Region, reduced weight issue in Oltenia and Bucuresti areas, imitation of Philip II tetradrachm, (late 3rd - 2nd century B.C.), silver tetradrachm (sic), (8.406 grams), obv. crude simplified head of Zeus to right, rev. horse to left with three dots above as remnants of rider, (cf.S.211-2, CCCBM Vol.I, type C2 group d [Saddle-head with Zeus head simplified], No.41 [very similar dies], Gobl 300.13-14, Sammlung Lanz 641 [similar dies]). *Fine/good fine and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Imperial Coins and Artefacts with their ticket. Although of low weight for a tetradrachm, they are often described as didrachms (p.26 CCCBM).



3397*

Celtic, Danube Region, Imitation of Philip III, (c.2nd - 1st century B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.118 grams), obv. crude head of Heracles to right, (represented by a large bulge), rev. Zeus seated to left, eagle in outstretched hand, crude monogram before and mixed letters for his name behind. (S.212, CCCBM Vol.I, 198 same dies). *Very fine for type.*

\$150



3398*

Celtic, Danube and Eastern Region and into the Transylvanian Plain (area of Roman Dacia), imitation of Philip II tetradrachm, (early 3rd century B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (14.072 grams), of type "Kinnlos", obv. crude simplified head of Zeus to right, rev. horse with rider to right, (S.218, CCCBM Vol.I, type I, D1 No.47-50 [similar dies], cf.de la Tour 9626, Gobl OTA pl.20, Nos 244/1, Pink OK 244-6, cf.Sammlung Lanz 554). *Worn as usual, fine/very fine and rare.*

\$300

Ex Hubert Lanz, Munich with ticket.



3399*

Italy, Campania, Neapolis (Naples), (c.340-300 B.C.), silver stater or nomos, (6.988 grams), obv. head of nymph to right, Thessalian eagle behind, ΔI below, rev. man-headed bull walking to right, crowned by Nike flying right above, below a dolphin, to right ΛO, below in exergue ΝΕΟΠΟΛΙΤΗΣ off the flan, (cf.S.307, Sambon 448, SNG ANS 32 [same dies], Weber 328, McLean 252). *Good fine/fine and a rare symbol.*

\$250



3400*

Italy, Campania, Neapolis (Naples), (c.340-300 B.C.), silver nomos, stater or didrachm, obv. head of nymph to left, herm standing behind, rev. man-headed bull walking to right, crowned by Nike flying right; ΙΣ below bull, exergue [N]ΕΟΠΟΛΙΤΩ[N], (cf.S.310, Sambon 515, SNG ANS 405-6, SNG Paris -). *Toned, large flan and housed within an attractive silver wooden and felt frame, coin is very fine and very scarce type.*

\$300

Exhibited Copperfield Gallery, Mosman , Exhibition, November 1976 and exhibited Vivian Art Gallery, Hurstville NSW, October 28-9, 1989 (\$550).



3401*

Italy, Campania, Neapolis (Naples), (c.275-250 B.C.), AE 20, (6.524 grams), obv. head of Apollo laureate to left, before [NEO]ΠΟΛΙΤΩΝ, rev. man-headed bull walking to right, crowned by Nike flying right above, below plain, [ΣI] in exergue, (cf.S.557, HN 589, Talierco Group IIIa, cf.Sambon 686, SNG Paris 1013 [similar dies], cf.BMC 222-4 [p.115]). *Brown-green patina, very fine and rare.*

\$80



3402*

Italy, Calabria, Tarentum, (500-473 B.C., 490-480 B.C. F-B chronology), silver nomos or stater, (8.05 grams), obv. Taras to r., riding on dolphin's back with arm left extended, right behind holding cuttle fish, below TAPA[Σ], rev. Sea horse (Hippocamp), to r., with curled wing, beneath a pecten of globular fabric, within circular border, (S.224, VI.101/104 (p.15, Pl.IV, these dies), HN (Rutter) 827 [p.93], Evans 2nd Group Hippocamp, F-B Group 3, No. 65 (p.58-59, obv. die V27, rev. die R50), cf.SNG ANS 831 (Pl.22), Cote 28 (very similar obverse die). *Very fine and very rare.*

\$800

Lot includes Fred Shore U.S.A. ticket.



3403*

Italy, Lucania, Metapontum, (c.350-340 B.C.), silver nomos, stater or didrachm, (7.528 grams), obv. female head to right with diadem and leaves attached, rev. corn ear, [M]ETA to left, pomegranate to right, (cf.S.410 [£550], Noe 490 [same dies], McClean 991 [same dies]). *Minor edge porosity, slightly off centred on the obverse, otherwise nearly very fine and very rare type.*

\$220

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 65 (lot 1730).



3404*

Italy, Lucania, Poseidonia, (480-400 B.C.), silver stater or didrachm (8.03 grams), obv. Poseidon naked except for chlamys over shoulder, advancing to right, brandishing trident to right retrograde POME, rev. bull standing to left, within shallow circular incuse retrograde legend above POME, (cf.S.424, SNG ANS 651-2, BMC 33/32). *Nearly very fine and rare.*

\$350

Ex Glendining's London Auction Feb. 12, 1975 (lot 160).



lot 3405

3405*

Italy, Lucania, Thurium (Thourioi), (400-350 B.C.), silver distater or tetradrachm, (15.374 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing crested Athenian helmet, ornamented with figure of Scylla, die crack across eye, rev. bull butting to right, ΘΟΥΡ[ΙΟΝ] above, large tunny fish below exergual line, (S.440, Noe F44 [p.51, Pl.IV], two known from these dies], SNG ANS 971 [same dies]). *Curious die break on eye and face, otherwise good very fine and very rare.*

\$700



3406*

Italy, Lucania, Thurium (Thourioi), (350 -300 B.C.), silver nomos, stater or didrachm, (7.598 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing crested Athenian helmet, ornamented with figure of Scylla, rev. bull butting to right, ΘΟΥΡ[ΙΟΝ] and HP monogram above bull, tunny fish below in exergue, dotted exergual line, (cf.S.447; SNG ANS 1042 [same dies], HN 1791c, SNG Cop.1442, McClean 1304 [same dies]). *Nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$200



3407*

Italy, Bruttium, Croton (Kroton), (500-460 B.C.), silver stater or nomos (7.15 grams), obv. tripod, crane to right on left, QPO downwards to right, Q outwards, rev. tripod, incuse, (S.256, SNG Cop 1761 (Pl.33), cf.SNG Ash. 1473 (Pl.26), cf.SNG ANS 306 (Pl.10), Gale 15, cf.Attianese 328 (p.185), SNG Munich 1427 (Pl.46), SNG Fitz.753). *Surface roughness, otherwise very fine and scarce.*

\$550

This was a period when the issues were crudely struck on small dumpy flans, the tripods particularly on the reverse were very crude. An interesting step in the evolution to the next series of eagles on the reverse.



3408*

Italy, Bruttium, Locri Epizephyrioi, (Colony of Corinth), (c.317-300 B.C.), silver stater, (8.656 grams), obv. Pegasus with pointed wing flying to right, thunderbolt below, rev. head of Athena to right in Corinthian helmet over a leather cap, ΛΟΚ[ΡΩΝ] before head, (S.483, Calciati 13/1 [p.577], BMC 10). *Toned, extremely fine and a very scarce mint.*

\$2,500

Lot includes ticket.



3409*

Sicily, Syracuse, (c.445 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.190 grams), obv. quadriga to right, Nike flying above crowning horses, rev. head of Artemis-Arethusa with hair enclosed in sackos, ornamented with meander and zig-zag pattern, around four dolphins, traces of ΣΥΡΑΚΟΣΙΟΝ around, (cf. S.931, Boeh. 656 [V.331/R451] 12 noted, McClean 2688, Pozzi 594). *Toned, broad obverse flan, nearly very fine and rare.*

\$650



3412*

Siculo-Punic, "Camp of Melkart", (c.330-305 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.964 grams), obv. charioteer driving a quadriga of rearing horses to right, holding kentron in right hand, reins in left hand, Nike flying above and crowning charioteer, traces of Punic legend 'RSMLQRT' in exergue, rev. wreathed head of Persephone to right wearing triple-pendant earring and necklace, four dolphins around, (S.-, Jenkins, SNR 50, 51 [dies 018/R39], SNG Lloyd 1603 [same dies]). *Small tight flan, grey tone, nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$1,500



3410*

Sicily, Syracuse, period of Dionysios I, (405-367 B.C.), AE drachm, AE 29, (33.43 grams), obv. head of Athena wearing Corinthian helmet to left bound with olive wreath, to left [Σ]ΥΡΑ, rev. starfish between two dolphins with central pellet, (S.1189, CNS 62; SNG ANS 455. BMC 287, Weber 1630). *Dark green patina, off centred obverse with clear ethnic, otherwise good very fine and very scarce.*

\$500



3413*

Siculo-Punic, "Camp of Melkart", (c.330-305 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.582 grams), obv. charioteer driving a quadriga of rearing horses to right, holding kentron in right hand, reins in left hand, Nike flying above and crowning charioteer, Punic legend 'RSMLQRT' in exergue, rev. wreathed head of Persephone to right wearing triple-pendant earring and necklace, four dolphins around, (S.-, Jenkins, SNR 50, 52 [dies 018/R40], Boston 269 [same dies]) *Full grey tone, nearly extremely fine, well centred, very attractive, and rare.*

\$2,000



3411*

Sicily, Syracuse, period of Timoleon, (344-336 B.C.), AE litra, AE 31, (34.49 grams), obv. head of Athena wearing Corinthian helmet to left bound with olive wreath, to left traces of ΣΥΡΑ, rev. starfish between two dolphins with central pellet, (S.1189, BMC 287, SNG ANS 454-469, Weber 1630). *Dark brown patina, nearly very fine and very scarce.*

\$300



3414*

Siculo-Punic, (c.350-320/315 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.070 grams), obv. wreathed head of Persephone to right wearing triple-pendant earring and necklace, thymiaterion before, dotted border, rev. horse standing right before a palm tree, Nike before placing wreath on horse's head, caduceus before horse, Punic 'HB' below, (S.6430 [p.595], Jenkins, SNR 56, 96 - 4 [this coin, dies 033/R87], Gulbenkian 367 [same obverse die], SNG Lockett 1041 [this coin], SNG Lloyd 1622 [same obverse die], Paris, De Luynes 1444 [same obverse die]). *Lightly toned, nearly extremely fine, attractive, and rare.*

\$4,000

Ex Dr. Stephen Mulligan Collection, Noble Numismatics Sale 64 (lot 2431), previously from the P. Mathey Collection and R.C. Lockett Collection, sold Glendining's London, 25th - 28th March 1955 (lot 946 realised £90) and Triton II Auction Sale Nov. 30 - Dec. 1, 1998 (lot 289 illustrated). Jenkins records only four examples of this coin type from these dies; this piece is number four in that listing.



3415*

Siculo-Punic, mint of the camp, (c.320-310 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.126 grams), obv. wreathed head of Persephone to left, wearing triple pendant earring and necklace, four dolphins swimming around (three visible), rev. horse's head to left, palm tree behind, Punic legend, "MMHNT" below, border of dots, (S.6434, SNG Lloyd 1633 [same dies], Hunter 7 [same dies], Jenkins SNR 56, [Series 3a] 183 [same dies, O53/R161]). *Light tone, with nearly full flan, good very fine or better and scarce.*

\$3,000



3416*

Siculo-Punic, mint of the camp, (c.300-290 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.746 grams), obv. head of young Melqart or Heracles wearing lion skin to right, rev. horse's head to left, palm tree behind, trace of Punic legend below, border of dots. (S.6436, SNG Ash. 2163 [same reverse die], Jenkins SNR 57, [Series 5a] 301 [same dies, O96/R249]). *Dark tone, dumpy flan as usual with wear on forehead on obverse, otherwise very fine/good very fine and scarce.*

\$1,500



3417*

Moesia Inferior, Marcianopolis, Philip II, as Caesar, (A.D. 247-249), AE 27 or five assaria, (11.620 grams), obv. Philip II bareheaded draped bust to right facing draped bust of Sarapis to left, around legend M IOVΛIOC ΦIΛIΠΠIOC KAICAP, rev. Homonoia standing facing head to left, holding a patera over lighted altar and cornucopiae to left, around MAPKIANOΠI OAI TON, E to left. (cf.S.4072, Varbanov 2096 [p.199], Mionnet 273 [p.101, Vol 2], Pick 1213). *Light brown patination, reverse slightly off centred, very fine and rare.*

\$120

Ex Emporium Hamburg, Auction Sale No.14, October 1988 (lot 1) with their ticket.

3418

Moesia Inferior, Tomis, Gordian III and Tranquillina, (238-244), (13.69 grams), obv. draped busts of Gordian III and Tranquillina facing each other, legend around and in exergue, rev. Athena standing left, around MHTPO ΠONTOY TOMEQC, Δ in field, (cf.S.3796, Varbanov 5680, AMNG 3522); **Syria**, Seleucia & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), assorted issues, Diadumenian (A.D. 218), AE 18, (3.47 grams), obv. bust with bare head to right, rev. SC and Δ E above in wreath, (S.3017, SNG Cop.235); **Egypt**, Alexandria, billon tetradrachm, Salonina, (wife of Gallienus A.D. 253-268), uncertain year, obv. draped bust to right, rev. eagle standing right, L -, (cf.S.4695, cf.BMC 2280, cf.Koln 2983); **Moesia Superior**, Viminacium, Hostilian, as Caesar, (A.D. 251), (13.24 grams), obv. bare head of Hostilian to right, around C VAL HOST M QVINTVS CAE, rev. female figure Moesia standing between bull and lion, in exergue [AN XIII], around P M S C OL VIM, (year 13 = 251), (S.4291, Vabanov 194 [R8], AMNG 148). *Nearly fine - nearly very fine. (4)*

\$100

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.



3419*

Macedon, Paroreia, circa 185-168 BC. AE 20 (6.450 grams), obv. laureate head of Zeus to right, rev. eagle standing to left head to right, ΠAP monogram to left, monogram to right, (S.-, cf.AMNG III [P.109, Pl.XXXVI, 27]; SNG Evelpides 1244; SNG Cop.253 var. (monogram in place of torch); cf.Weber 2219). *Dark green patina, extremely fine and very rare.*

\$200

Ex Dr. Garth Drewry Collection, Triton XI January 9, 2008 (lot 1754 part) and previously from Ponterio & Associates, July 12, 1994, Sale 70 (lot 272) with tickets.



3420*

Macedon, Uranopolis, (c.300 B.C.), AE 15, (3.402 grams), obv. a star of eight rays with central dot, rev. Aphrodite Urania seated half-left on globe, holding sceptre, to right and left OYPANIAΩN ΠOΛEΩC, (S.1475, SNG Cop. 455. SNG ANS 914. SNG Evelpidis 1363, BMC 2). *Very fine, brown patina, rare.*

\$200

The name of this city and types depicted on this coin refer to Uranos, the divine personification of the sky. From Hesiod (Theogony 126ff.) we know he was produced by Gaia, became her consort, but, hating her children he caused them to remain confined within her. Gaia in revenge instigated his castration of their son Cronos and cast his severed genitals into the sea which engendered Aphrodite. Uranos is very rarely named on coinage.

3421

Macedon, Kingdom of, Amyntas III, (389-383 and 381-369 B.C.), AE 15, issued Period II 381-369 B.C., (4.018 grams), obv. Herakles to right in lion skin, rev. eagle devouring serpent, above AMYN[TA], (S.1512, SNG Cop.517-8, BMC 17-22). *Dark brown patina, nearly very fine, scarce.*

\$80



3422*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Philip II, (359-336 B.C.), AE 18, (6.032 grams), Macedonian mint, issued c.359-336 B.C., obv. head of Apollo, hair in tainia to right, dotted border, rev. naked youth or small man (Philip II), on horseback to right, ΔΙ below, above ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΥ, (cf.S.6696-8, SNG ANS 913-4); another (5.490 grams), with Θ below (SNG ANS 926, SNG Greece II 384-5); another (5.388 grams), with HP monogram below, (SNG ANS 923, SNG Greece II, 399-400). *Second with green patination, generally very fine or better.* (3)

\$140



3423*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.624 grams), Amphipolis mint, issued c.320-317 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, wreath to left, monogram of ΠΟ below throne, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right, (cf.S.6713, Price 132, BMC 132a-c, M.549). *Very fine.*

\$300

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Spink Auctions Australia Sale 32 (lot 288) with packet.



3424*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.072 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, NO under throne, cornucopiae to left, to right ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, below ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (cf.S.6713, Price 691 (p.158, Pl.XXXVIII), BMC 691, M.877, SNG Munich 483-4,). *Well centred on the obverse, weakness on leg of Zeus, otherwise nearly extremely fine and very rare.*

\$600



3425*

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.*

\$350



3426*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.218 grams), Aradus mint, issued c.328-320 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, in exergue ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, Σ to left, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right, AP monogram under throne, (cf.S.6713, Price 3316, BMC 3316a-c, M.1364, Demanhur hoard 3334-3379). *Worn, fine/very good.*

\$200



3427*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.114 grams), Aradus mint, issued c.323-319 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin with dotted border, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, caduceus to left, ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ in exergue, monogram of A/P below throne, (cf. S.6713, Price 3332, BMC 3332a-k, M.1370). *Well centred, good very fine.*

\$500

Ex Spink & Son, London with their ticket.



3431*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Philip III, (323-316 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.87 grams), Aradus mint, issued c.323-316 B.C., obv. head of Herakles to right wearing lion skin, rev. Zeus seated on throne to left, eagle in outstretched hand, monogram to left, Z below throne, to right ΦΙΑΠΠΙΟΥ, below ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, all within dotted border, (cf.S.6749, Price P147, BMC P147, M.P108). *Nearly very fine, rare.*

\$280

3428*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.564 grams), Babylon mint, issued 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, to left astragalos over [M] WΦ monogram below throne, [ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ] in exergue, trace of ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right, (cf.S.6713, Price 3674, BMC 3674, M.-, Demanhur Hoard 4467-4478). *Fine.*

\$200



3432*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Philip V (220-179 B.C.), AE 22, (6.874 grams), issued after 183-2 B.C., obv. head of the hero Perseus to right, harpa over shoulder, rev. eagle with spread wings standing on plough [B A]/ below Φ I (cf.S.6798, SNG Alpha Bank 1105, SNG Cop. 1256). *Dark green patina, nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$100



3429*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.73 grams), Susa mint, issued 311-305 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 a wreath, Boeotian shield and a horned horse to left, BE below throne, in exergue ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ to right ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to right, (cf.S.6713, Price 3865, BMC 3865, M.1485, Newell ESM 286). *Nearly very fine/very fine and scarce.*

\$350



3433*

Macedon, Perseus, (179-168 B.C.), silver drachm (2.574 grams), Third Macedonian War issue, mint on Samothrace, Gorgos, magistrate. Struck circa 171/0, obv. head of Helios facing slightly right, rev. Rose with bud to right, ΓΟΡΓΟΣ above; to left, torch, P O flanking stem. (S.-, R. Ashton. "Clubs, Thunderbolts, Torches, Stars and Caducei: more Pseudo-Rhodian Drachms from Mainland Greece and the Islands" in NC 2002 (p.73-4), SNG Cop.-; BMC 171-172 [Rhodes]). *Toned, extremely fine and scarce, lot includes collector ticket.*

\$300



3430*

Macedon, Kingdom of, Alexander III, (336-323 B.C.), silver drachm, (3.964 grams), Lampsacus 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, K I to left, to right ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, and N O monogram under throne, (cf.S.6730, Price 1398, BMC 1398, M.823, SNG Cop. 990). *Toned, good very fine.*

\$180

Ex Dr. John A. Sawhill Collection and James Madison University Collection, Stack's New York, March 15, 1979 (lot 1033) and previously from the Mass. Historical Society Collection, sold at Stacks March 5, 1971 (lot 153).



3434*

Macedon, Koinon type, (c.A.D. 220-245), AE 26mm (13.548 grams), obv. head of Alexander the Great to right, club below, around ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ, rev. galloping horseman to right, (Alexander on Bucephalos), around ΚΟΙΝΟΝ ΜΑΚΕΔΟΒΟΝΝ, (S.4808, cf.BMC 120-2, AMNG 777, SNG Cop.1355 var.). *Very fine, brown patina, usual surface roughness.*

\$150



lot 3431



3435*

Thrace, Bizya, Philip I, (A.D. 244-249), AE 29, (13.440 grams), obv. laureate bust to right of Philip I, around AVT K MIOYΛ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟC AV, rev. Hygieia standing to left feeding serpent from patera, around BIZV H NΩN, (S.-, Varbanov 1556, Jurukova 84, BMC -, SNG Cop.-). *Bronze with river patination, good fine and very rare.*

\$150

In Greek mythology, Hygieia or Hygeia was a daughter of Asclepius. She was the goddess of health, cleanliness and sanitation. She also played an important part in her father's cult. While her father was more directly associated with healing, she was associated with the prevention of sickness and the continuation of good health. Her name is the source of the word "hygiene".



3436*

Thrace, Maroneia, (late 2nd century B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.19 grams), obv. head of young Dionysos to right, wreathed with ivy, rev. Dionysos naked standing left, holding grapes and two narthex wands, monograms to left and right, around ΔΙΟΝΥΣΟΥ ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ ΜΑΡΩΝΙΤΩΝ, (S.1635, Schonert-Geiss 1120 [obv. 41, rev.130], ACNAC Dewing 1295, BMC 59 [p.128]). *Very large flan, good very fine, rare.*

\$600



3437*

Thrace, Philippopolis, Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), AE 17, (4.536 grams), obv. Antoninus Pius laureate head to right, around legend AVT AI AΔPI ANTΩNEJINOC, rev. Dionysos standing left holding kantharos and thyrsos, around ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΠΟΛΕΙΤΩΝ, (S.-, Varbanov 758, BMC 9 [p.162]); **Thrace**, Anchialus, Geta, (A.D. 209-212), AE 17, (2.730 grams), obv. Geta draped bust to right, around traces of legend, rev. lion walking right, around AΓΧΙΑ/ΛΕΩΝ, (cf. S.2784, Varbanov 456, AMNG 567). *Dark green and dark brown patina, good very fine and both rare. (2)*

\$120



3438*

Thrace, Island of Thrace, Thasos, (c.410 B.C.), silver stater, (8.312 grams), obv. naked ithyphallic Satyr (classical style) in kneeling running attitude carrying off nymph hand is extended beyond the Satyr's back, who is bearded, A to right, rev. quadripartite incuse square, (S.1747, BMC 30, Le Rider Guide de Thasos, 6, Kraay-Hirmer 437, Gulbenkian 464, ACGC 521). *Very fine, flan crack with good facial and phallic detail, very scarce.*

\$2,500

The capture of Thasos in 463 BC by the Athenians after its revolt two years earlier could well have terminated the series of the late archaic and early classical staters. Between the years 435-411 the old satyr and nymph theme was revived, but the artistic style was very different. The forcible rape of the nymph by a bestial satyr has become a "fling" of a not unwilling lady in the arms of an almost human abductor. An admirable die engraving masterpiece at the apogee of the Greek high Classical artistic period, when Polykleitos of Argos was said to have been unsurpassed in making images of people, as Phidias was of gods. A similar example in the A. Tkalec auction of May 2009 (lot 29) struck from the same dies with similar flan cracks realised 6800 Swiss Francs at that sale.



3439*

Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.904 grams), Ephesos mint, issued 294-287 B.C., obv. head of Alexander to right, with diadem and horn of Ammon, rev. Athena enthroned to left, supporting Nike, spear behind, complex monogram on throne, bee in inner left to left, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (cf.S.6814, Thompson 167, M.428). *With full flan, toned, with light scratches on the reverse, otherwise nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$700

In 295 BC, Ephesos was captured by Lysimachos, who renamed the city Arsinoeia, in honour of his wife. He also enlarged Ephesos' population in 294 BC, primarily with the inhabitants of Kolophon and Lebedos, many of whose citizens were displaced following their rebellions against Lysimachos. Ephesos was a major mint for Lysimachos in Asia Minor from 295-287 BC, and primarily produced drachms.



3440*

Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.498 grams), Pella mint, issued 286/5-282/1 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, HP monogram in outer left, KOT monogram at outer left, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (cf.S.6814, Thompson 248, M.-). *With full flan, with trace of hoard corrosion on the obverse edge, otherwise very fine/good very fine and scarce.*

\$800

By 285 BC, Pyrrhos' rule over the western portion of Macedon had become onerous to the population, and they called on Lysimachos for help. Lysimachos, a long time friend of the Macedonians, easily occupied the area and incorporated it into his growing kingdom. The historical mint in this region, Pella, was quickly converted to produce Lysimachos type coinage, and subsequently produced a significantly large output of both staters and tetradrachms. It remained a loyal subject until Lysimachos' death.



3441*

Thrace, Kingdom of, Lysimachos, (323-281 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.002 grams), Sardes mint, issued 297/6-287 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, ΠΙΕ monogram to left, K in Ω to inner left, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ, (cf.S.6814, Thompson 89, Armenak -, M.-). *With full flan, toned, with light scratches on the reverse, otherwise good very fine and scarce.*

\$1,000



3442*

Illyria, Epidamnus-Dyrrhachium (Colony of Corinth), (350-300 B.C.), silver stater, (8.114 grams), obv. Pegasus with pointed wing flying to right, rev. head of Athena to right in Corinthian helmet over a leather cap, Δ and club behind head, dolphin before helmet, (cf.S.1894, Calciati 22 [p.362], BMC 10, cf.McClearn 5040). *Worn with rough obverse surface, otherwise fine /very fine and a scarce mint.*

\$160



3443*

Thessaly, Larissa, (350-325BC), copper drachm, (4.172 grams), obv. head of nymph Larissa three-quarter face to left, wearing necklace, hair floating loosely with ampyx in front, rev. horse grazing to right with traces of ethnic above and in exergue, (cf.S.2120, cf.BMC 57). *Off-centre reverse, good very fine/very fine and unpublished in copper.*

\$180

Ex William B. Porter and previously from the David Freedman Collections and from CNG Electronic Auctions No.100 (lot 31) with tickets. It is suggested that this is the copper core from a contemporary forgery.



3444*

Thessaly, Pharsalus, (440-425 B.C.), silver triobol or hemidrachm, (2.80 grams), obv. Athena head to right in close fitting helmet, rev. horse's head to right in incuse square, Φ AP to right, (S.2189 [£160], Lavva 35 [same dies obv.21, rev. 24, 3 known], SNG Fitz 2441 [same obverse die]). *Good fine and very rare.*

\$200



3445*

Thessaly, Pharsalos, (424-405/4 B.C.), silver drachm, (5.504 grams), obv. Athena head to right in close fitting helmet, ornamented with wing, TH over [ΙΙ] behind neck, rev. horseman prancing to right, [Φ]AP[Σ] around horse, within incuse square, TH below between legs, (cf.S.2190 [£300], Lavva 101 [Obv. die V50, rev. die R57], SNG Lockett 1603 [same dies]). *Fine/nearly very fine and rare.*

\$250

Lavva reports 6 examples of this type from these dies.



3446*

Thessaly, Pharsalos, (424-405/4 B.C.), silver drachm, (5.442 grams), obv. Athena head to right in close fitting helmet, ornamented with wing, T over [ΙΙ] behind neck, rev. horseman prancing to right, traces of ΦΑΡΣ around horse, within incuse square, (cf.S.2190 [£300], Lavva - cf.116a [dies and type for drachm unlisted] Lavva type B.1.9). *Fine and very rare, apparently unpublished.*

\$200

Lavva reports no examples of this type from these dies with this letter combination behind the neck. The type with the letters T/ΙΙ behind the neck is known only on hemidrachms and it would seem logical for a drachm issue to occur, since issue types before and after struck drachms and hemidrachms. A hypothetical number Lavva 116a making it immediately precede the hemidrachm issue of this type.



3447*

Thessaly, Pharsalos, (424-405/4 B.C.), silver hemidrachm, (2.70 grams), obv. head of Athena to left with close fitting crested helmet, A behind, rev. Horse's head to r., letters of city Φ Α [Ρ Σ] Α around, (S.2192, Lavva 161 (obv.75, rev.93, same dies), cf.SNG Cop.222-3, SNG Sweden 1240 [same dies], BMC 15). *Good fine/ very fine.*

\$120



3448*

Thessaly, Thessalian League, (c.196-mid 1st century B.C.), silver double victoriatus, (5.972 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, behind [ΠΤ]ΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides ΘΕΣΣΑ ΛΩ[N], above across and between figure Α ΠΙΣ, /ΤΟ ΚΛ/Η, (cf.S.2232, McClean 4841 [p.234, Pl.178,11]). *Bright, very fine and rare.*

\$200



3449*

Thessaly, Thessalian League, (196-146 B.C.), silver stater or double victoriatus, (5.984 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 ΠΙ[Σ], either side of figure ΤΟ Λ/ΚΗ/Σ, (cf. S.2232, McClean 4843, cf.SNG Cop. 292). *Good very fine, a rare variant.*

\$280



3450*

Thessaly, Thessalian League, (196-146 B.C.), silver stater or double victoriatus, (6.238 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, behind traces of uncertain monogram, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides ΘΕΣΣΑ ΛΩΝ, above across Α ΠΙΣ, either side of figure ΤΟ/Σ – ΚΛ/Η, (cf. S.2232, McClean 4852, cf.SNG Cop. 281), *Bright, very fine/nearly extremely fine, a rare variant.*

\$280



3451*

Thessaly, Thessalian League, (196-146 B.C.), silver double victoriatus, (5.992 grams), Larissa mint, obv. head of Zeus to right, crowned with oak leaves, rev. Athena Itonia advancing to right, brandishing spear and holding shield, on sides ΘΕΣΣΑ ΛΩΝ, above across ΠΠΠΟΛ ΟΧΟΣ, below off flan [ΑΤΡΤΙΑΗ], (cf.S.2232, McClean 4923-7, SNG Fitz.2471). *Bright, good very fine or better, rare.*

\$300



3452*

Boiotia, Thebes, (Circa 480-460 B.C.), silver stater (11.854 grams), obv. Boiotian shield, rev. Square incuse with anti-clockwise mill-sail pattern, Θ in centre. (S.1783, cf.BCD 350, SNG Berry 592, Pozzi 1407, SNG Delepierre 1344). *Good fine with light porosity, slightly off centred, obverse in high relief and rare.*

\$1,000



3453*

Boiotia, Thebes, (378-338 B.C.), silver stater, Charon. (Charon) Magistrate, (12.008 grams), issued 379-368 B.C., obv. Boiotian shield, rev. amphora, in concave field, wreath above, across letters ΨΑ ΡΟ either side, (cf.S.2398, Hepworth Series B2, No.93, BMC 166, Weber 3284, SNG Cop. 353, BCD Triton IX Sale lot 508). *Off centred, with die flaw on reverse, nearly extremely fine and a very scarce type.*

\$600

Ex Classical Numismatic Group Auction Sale, September 19, 2001 (lot 438). Robert Hepworth "The 4th Century B.C. Magistrate Coinage of the Boiotian Confederacy pp.61-89 (Numismatic Chronicle, Hellenic Numismatic Society, 1998) describes the series as having 97 different reverse varieties noted from 1700 examples recorded from all the sources. The series is divided into four major groups with sub-division within. It is established by die-links and hoard evidence of the approximate order of issue. The series appears to have an annual change of magistrates. This variety is noted by Hepworth as part of Group B2, No.93 in table and as in 379 B.C. (See Hepworth Epaminondas p.39), also known to rarity of 6-20 known examples. Charon was the leader of the anti-Spartan successful, nationalist insurrection in Thebes in 379 B.C. (See Hepworth Epaminondas p.39), also known to readers in Celator "Operation Petticoat" (Celator, Vol.8, No.1, January 1994).



3454*

Boiotia, Federal Coinage, silver drachm, c. 225-171 B.C., (4.66 grams), Obv. laureate head of Poseidon to right, Rev. Nike standing to left, resting on trident and holding wreath, to left downwards ΒΟΙΩΤΩΝ, no monogram, (S.2404 [£120], BCD 136 [Triton IX], Head "Boeotia" p.90, Coin Hoards VIII No.431), *Grey patina, good very fine and very rare variety.*

\$300

Ex BCD Collection and originally purchased from Coins and Antiquities May 1974 for £45, lot includes relevant tickets.



3455*

Attica, Athens, (449-413 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.212 grams), issue c. 430 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, eye in profile, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, in erect posture, olive twig and crescent behind, to right, ΑΘΕ, all in incuse square, (S.2526, BMC 62, cf. Starr Pl. XXII, SNG Cop. 33-40). *Lightly toned, nearly extremely fine.*

\$1,000



3456*

Attica, Athens, (449-413 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.046 grams), issue c.420 B.C., obv. head of Athena to right wearing ivy crested helmet, eye in profile, rev. owl standing to right, head facing, in erect posture, olive twig and crescent behind, to right, ΑΘΕ, all in incuse square, (S.2526, BMC 62, cf. Starr Pl. XXII, SNG Cop. 33-40). *Off centred obverse, minute reverse test cut, otherwise good very fine.*

\$800



3457*

Attica, Athens, (c.420 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (17.04 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, ΑΘΕ, all in incuse square, (S.2526, BMC 62, Kraay ACGC 199, Sv.Pl.14, 1-30). *Large flan test cut, otherwise good fine.*

\$250

The issue of 420-404 B.C. may well have continued into the 4th Century with the later issues of a broader, somewhat less archaic aspect. With the appearance of plated emergency issues in Athens in 406-404 B.C., the metal content of the Athenian Tetradrachm in general became suspect. Increasingly, Athenian coins were subjected to deep counterstamps and heavy banker's test cuts to insure that the coins were solid silver rather than copper issues with a silver plating. The large number of these counterstamped and tested coins testify to the extent to which Athenian Tetradrachms served as a medium of international trade as well as the level of suspicion provoked by the appearance of officially sanctioned, plated token coinage. This testing probably took place in the Middle East region where these coins also circulated.



3458*

Attica, Athens, (c.420 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.80 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, ΑΘΕ, all in incuse square, (S.2526, BMC 62, Kraay ACGC 199, Sv.Pl.14, 1-30). *With several test cuts on the reverse, otherwise nearly very fine or better.*

\$250

See note above.



3459*

Attica, Aegina, (490-480 B.C.), silver stater, (12.226 grams), obv. smoothed shell sea turtle without row of dots down dorsal spine, countermarked with palmette (CNG symbol), rev. "proto-skew", [one or more lines wedge shaped], (S.1857 [£325], Asyut Group VIc "late thin collar", cf. 533-540, SNG Delepierre 1681). *Countermark very fine, host coin fine, very rare countermark.*

\$350

Asyut hoard suggests the chronology to be 500/490-480 B.C.



3460*

Attica, Aegina, (490-480 B.C.), silver stater, (12.044 grams), obv. smoothed shell sea turtle without row of dots down dorsal spine, several countermarks, including D and O and three lines from central point, rev. "proto-skew", [one or more lines wedge shaped], (S.1857 [£325], Asyut Group VIc "late thin collar", cf. 533-540, SNG Delepierre 1681). *Countermark very fine, host coin nearly fine, interesting countermarks.*

\$300

Asyut hoard suggests the chronology to be 500/490-480 B.C.



3461*
Attica, Aegina, (445-431 B.C.), silver stater, (12.160 grams),
 obv. land tortoise with segmented shell, countermarked on
 obverse, rev. incuse square of large "skew" design, (S.2600,
 BMC 149, SNG Delepierre 1774ff, SNG Cop. 516-7). *Grey*
tone, uneven flan, minor die rust, otherwise good very fine,
scarce.

\$1,200



3462*
Peloponnesos, Argolis, Argos, (343-225 B.C.), silver
 hemidrachm, (2.565 grams), obv. forepart of wolf to right,
 rev. A in shallow incuse square, below trident, above Δ A,
 MAP, (cf.S.2794, BMC 111). *Very fine.*

\$100



3463*
Peloponnesos, Achaean League, (c.160-150 B.C.), silver
 hemidrachm, Megara mint, mint mark cithera above, obv.
 Zeus head laureate right, rev. wreath with XA monogram
 within, letters in field, (cf.S.2978, Clerk 121, BMC 9). *Good*
very fine/very fine.

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 61 (lot 2629) and the Diakofto Hoard (ICGH
 262, found in 1965 at Diakofto, 20km east of Aegium in Achaea).



3464*
Bithynia, Prusias II Kingdom of, (185-149 B.C.), AE 20,
 (6.228 grams), obv. head of young Dionysos to right, wearing
 wreath of ivy, rev. centaur Cheiron standing to right playing
 a lyre, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕ[ΩΣ] to left ΠΡΟΥΣΙΟΥ, (S.7266,
 SNG Cop. 635). *Brown patina, good very fine.*

\$100



3465*
Mysia, Parion, (c.480 B.C.), silver three-quarter drachm,
 (3.376 grams), obv. gorgoneion facing, rev. incuse square
 containing cruciform pattern with pellet in centre, (S.3917,
 BMC 1-13, SNG Cop. 256, SNG Von Aulock 1318). *Good*
fine/very fine scarce.

\$80



3466*
Mysia, Pergamon, Kingdom of, Eumenes I, (263-241 B.C.),
 silver tetradrachm, (16.572 grams), Pergamon mint, issued
 255/250-241, obv. head of Philatairos to right, laureate,
 dotted border, rev. Athena enthroned to left, supporting
 shield, to extreme left ivy leaf and A to left, bow to right
 and ΦΙΛΕΤΑΙΠΙΟΥ to left, (cf.S.7217, SNG Cop. 336,
 Westermark Group IVa, SNG France 1618-1620, SNG Von
 Aulock 1358). *Very fine, rare.*

\$900



3467*
Mysia, Pergamon, (c.123-104 B.C.), silver cistophoric
 tetradrachm, (12.618 grams), obv. cista mystica containing
 serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two
 coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΙΕΡ, above monogram
 of ΠΑ, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner
 [ANSMN 23], Type 7, example in St.Petersburg, Pinder 101).
Nearly very fine and rare.

\$250



3468*
Mysia, Pergamon, (c.104-98 B.C.), silver cistophoric
 tetradrachm, (12.512 grams), obv. cista mystica containing
 serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two
 coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΙΕΡ, above ΔΙ, to right
 serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner [ANSMN 23],
 Type 12, SNG Cop. -, Pinder 95, SNG von Aulock -). *Very*
fine and scarce.

\$250



3469*

Mysia, Pergamon, (c.104-98 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.606 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left monogram of ΠΕΡ, above ΝΙ, to right serpent entwined thyrsus, (cf.S.3948, Kleiner [ANSMN 23], Type 23, example in Athens, Pinder 99). *Fine/ very fine and rare.*

\$200



3470*

Troas, Alexandria Troas, (c.3rd century A.D.), AE 20, (5.252 grams), obv. turreted head of City-Goddess to right, behind vexillum, around ΑΛ ΕΧΑ ΤΡΟ, rev. horse standing to right, around COL AVG, in exergue [ΤΡΟ], (S.4917, Bellinger 486, BMC 50, SNG Cop.110). *Delightful dark brown patina, nearly extremely fine.*

\$120

Ex Dr. Garth Drewry Collection, Triton XI January 9, 2008 (lot 1754 part) and previously from Spink Auctions, New York, December 6-7, 1999 (lot 906 part) with collector's ticket.



3471*

Aeolis, Cyme, (3rd century B.C.), AE 16, (4.286 grams), obv. forepart of a prancing horse, KY above, ΕΠΙΚΡΙΑΤΕΣ below, rev. one handled vase, +Ω monogram to left, (S.4188, SNG Cop.74); **Paphlagonia**, Sinope, AE 20, late 2nd-early 1st century B.C., (8.492 grams), obv. Aegis with Gorgon's head in centre, rev. Nike advancing right, carrying palm branch [Σ]ΙΝ ΩΠΗ[Σ] across, (S.3709, Sng Cop.308); **Mysia**, Pergamon, (2nd-1st century B.C.), AE 20, (7.086 grams), obv. head of Athena to right, in crested Corinthian helmet, rev. Trophy of arms, to left and right, [Α]ΘΗΝΑΣ – ΝΙΚΗΦΟΡΟΥ, (S.3960, SNG Cop.399). *Generally very fine. (3)*

\$150

Ex Dr. Garth Drewry Collection with all his tickets, from Triton XI January 9, 2008 (lot 1754 part); first coin from CNG with ticket of purchase, third coin from CNG Auction Sale 38 (June 1996) (lot 1845 part).



3472*

Ionia, Ephesus, (c.133-132 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.438 grams), year Β = 2 = 133-132 B.C., obv. Cista mystica with half opened lid, from which a serpent issues left, the whole in wreath of ivy. rev. two coiled serpents with erect heads between them a bow case with a strap ornamented with an aplustre and strung bow at left, long upright torch to right, bee between serpents to left [Β] (= year 2), Ε Φ Ε below to left, (cf.S.4394, Kleiner ANS Museum Notes 18, No. 2, (p.24), De Luynes 2597, SNG Von Aulock 7845). *Fine and rare.*

\$200

One of the rarer dates of this series from 133 - 67 B.C. The proconsular cistophori followed.



3473*

Ionia, Ephesus, (c.130-129 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.290 grams), year Ε = 5 = 130-129 B.C., obv. Cista mystica with half opened lid, from which a serpent issues left, the whole in wreath of ivy. rev. two coiled serpents with erect heads between them a bow case with a strap ornamented with an aplustre and strung bow at left, long upright torch to right, plain between serpents to left Ε (= year 5), Ε Φ Ε below to left, (cf.S.4394, Kleiner ANS Museum Notes 18, No. 7, (p.24), McClean 8087, BMC 157, SNG Cop.320). *Good fine and very rare.*

\$200



3474*

Ionia, Ephesus, (102-101 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.412 grams), year ΑΓ = 33 = 102-101 B.C., obv. Cista mystica with half opened lid, from which a serpent issues left, the whole in wreath of ivy. rev. two coiled serpents with erect heads between them a bow case with a strap ornamented with an aplustre and strung bow at left, long upright torch to right, between serpents an owl, to left ΑΓ (= year 33), Ε Φ Ε below to left, (cf.S.4394, Kleiner ANS Museum Notes 18, No. 37, (p.26), McClean 8096, Pinder -, SNG Cop.-). *Very fine and very rare.*

\$250

See note above. The proconsular cistophori followed. Six examples of this date recorded by Francois De Callatay in "L'Historie des Guerres Mithradatiques vue par les Monnaies", p.160 and notes five obverse dies used.



3475*

Ionía, Miletus, (c.530-510 B.C.), silver twelfth stater or obol, (1.00 grams), obv. forepart of lion and legs to right, lions head turned to left, rev. star ornament within incuse square, (S.3532, BMC 14). *Very fine*.

\$80



3476*

Ionía, Miletus, (c.530-510 B.C.), silver twelfth stater or obol, (0.93 grams), obv. forepart of lion and legs to left, lions head turned to right, rev. star ornament within incuse square, (S.3533, BMC 34). *Nearly extremely fine*.

\$100



3477*

Ionía, Teos, circa 510-500 BC. AR Stater (20mm, 12.34 g). obv. Griffin seated right, raising forepaw, rev. Quadripartite incuse square, (S.3512 [£1250]. Balcer group I [dies A2/P2], SNG Copenhagen -). *Good very fine and rare*.

\$1,500

A member city of the Ionian Dodekapolis, Teos was a thriving seaport with two fine harbours. It was the birthplace of Anacreon the poet, Hecateus the historian, Protagoras the sophist, Scythinus the poet, Andron the geographer, and Apellicon, the preserver of the works of Aristotle. When the Persians under Cyrus invaded circa 540 BC, many Teans fled, resettling in Abdera. The griffin was the badge of the city of Teos, and is present on the coins of both cities.



enlarged 4X

3478*

Ionía, Teos, (540/500-478 B.C.), silver hemitetartemorion (1/48 drachm), (0.112 grams), obv. Griffin head to right, thick neck with lower jaw down tongue curled, horizontal one ear only, Rev. four part incuse square, (cf. Balcer RSN 47, (1968), No.81-83 (p.37, Pl. XV) Group XXXIV). *Very fine and extremely rare*.

\$100

Probably one of the smallest coins in silver from the ancient times.



3479*

Lydia, Sardes, time of King Croesus or later, (c.550-520 B.C.), silver stater or double siglos, (10.502 grams), obv. confronting foreparts of lion, facing right, and bull facing left, rev. two incuse punches of unequal size, side by side, (S.3419 [£1250], Traite pl.10,7, SNG von Aulock 2873, I. Carradice, Coinage of the Persian Empire BAR Inter. Ser. 343, [1987], Pl.10, 2). *Surface crystalisation, otherwise good fine and very rare*.

\$800

Ex Allan Sutherland Collection. This coin is normally known as an issue of the Lydian King Croesus. Throughout the ancient world he was known for his legendary wealth, and it is therefore not surprising to find these most ancient of silver coins associated with this king. The lion is the paramount symbol of royalty and as such is appropriate for his Lydian kingdom. According to Herodotus, the Lydians were the first to strike gold and silver coins, but the numismatic evidence is not easily compatible with this statement. Carradice's study suggests that this coin is unlikely to have been minted in the lifetime of King Croesus, however Sear assigns them to this ruler c.560-546 B.C. The issue represents the introduction of the world's first bimetallic coinage, gold and silver pieces based on a stater of pure metal weighing about 10.8 grams. This was the initial phase of relatively short duration as shortly after the gold was reduced in weight to about 8.00 grams for a stater and the silver siglos replaced the silver stater. Seldom has this company offered the silver stater or double siglos. It is indeed an historic and important coin from the earliest period of all coinage.



3480*

Lydia, Tralles, (c.155-145 B.C.), silver cistophoric tetradrachm, (12.496 grams), obv. cista mystica containing serpent, all within ivy wreath, rev. bow in case between two coiled serpents, to left TPAA, to right a warrior striding to the right, (cf. S.4745, Kleiner and Noe Series 20, No.41, BMC 14, Pinder 140, SNG von Aulock 3249). *Very fine and scarce*.

\$200

Ex Garth R. Drewry Collection, previously from CNG Electronic Auction Sale 156 (lot 60, realised US \$171) and previously from Frank R. Robinson Mail Bid Sale 54, September 11, 2002 (lot 155, illustrated) together with earlier tickets and photos.



3481*

Caria, Caunos (Kaunos), Uncertain ruler, (c.490-470 B.C.), silver stater, (11.83 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.14 and 15, [similar dies of obv. 12 and 13 and rev.11, 12, Pl.47, 15, cf.Hyla Troxell "Winged Carians" in Essays Thompson, No.2 [similar dies, Pl.31]). *Dumpy flan, fine - nearly very fine and very rare.*

\$180

Konuk attributed these anonymous archaic coins to Kaunos. His detailed argument is based on the reading of Carian script found on later issues of similar type to this archaic issue.



3482*

Carian Islands, Rhodes, (360-late 340's B.C.), silver didrachm, (6.606 grams), obv. head of Helios three-quarter face to right with hair loose, rev. rose, with bud on right, to left E and a bunch of grapes attached to branch, above ΠΟΔΙΟΝ all within incuse square, (S.5037, BMC 27-9 [p.233], SNG Finland 436-440 [similar dies], Ashton 98). Toned, edge porosity, otherwise good very fine or better and scarce

\$400



3483*

Pamphylia, Aspendos, (385-380 B.C.), silver stater, (9.988 grams), obv. two naked athletes as wrestlers grasping each other by the hands, L- monogram between, dotted border, rev. slinger advancing to right about to discharge his sling, triskeles before, behind ΕΣΤΦΕΔΙΥ, club before, all within dotted circle, (S.5399, SNG France 115 [Pl.5]). *Toned, several small flan cracks, and some find corrosion, otherwise good very fine and very scarce.*

\$400

Ex Allan Sutherland Collection and previously from Wayte Raymond, New York with his packets.



3484*

Pamphylia, Perge, (c.2nd-1st century B.C.), AE 16, (3.978 grams), obv. cult statue of Artemis of Perge within distyle shrine, rev. bow and quiver with [A]PTEMIAOΣ to left and ΠΕΡΓΑΙΑΣ to right, (S.5422, BMC 10, SNG Cop. 308). *Nearly extremely fine/very fine, very scarce.*

\$80

3485

Pamphylia, Side, (375-333 B.C.), silver stater, (9.812 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 chlamys over shoulder, pouring libation from patera on to lighted altar, holding long laurel branch, Pamphylian legend behind, Arrow pointing to patera, (cf.S.5430 [£350], SNG France 3, 644, cf.BMC 17 [p.146, Pl.XXXVI, 9]); **Cilicia**, Tarsos, (361-334 B.C.), silver stater, (9.876 grams), Baal of Tarsos enthroned to left, with grapes etc., rev. lion on back of stag all within incuse square, (S.5649, [£225], SNG Levante 108 (Pl.7), SNG France 2, 326 [Pl.11]). *Both worn and with some surface porosity, otherwise poor - nearly very fine, both rare. (2)*

\$200



3486*

Pamphylia, Side, (c.200 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.51 grams), obv. head of Athena to right wearing Corinthian helmet, rev. Nike advancing to the left, with wreath, ΚΑΕ ΥΧ across the field, to left in field a pomegranate, (S.5436; BMC 43 [p.148], SNG France 3, 695-700, [similar dies]). *Nearly extremely fine, very scarce.*

\$700



3487*

Cilicia, Coropissus, Maximus as Caesar, (A.D. 235-238), AE 27, (12.33 grams), obv. radiate, draped and cuirassed bust to right, around, Γ Ι ΟΥΗ ΜΑΞΙΜΟΝ Κ C CΑΡΑ, rev. naked Apollo standing to left holding laurel branch, at feet altar and mouse, around ΚΟΡΟΠΙΣΣΕΩΝ ΤΗC ΚΗΤΩΝ ΜΗΤΡΟΠΟ, (cf.S.3615, BMC 2 [p.65], cf.SNG von Aulock 5674, cf.SNG Levante 591 [same obverse die]). *Good fine and rare.*

\$100

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his ticket.



3488*

Cyprus, Salamis, AE 13, second half of the 4th century B.C., (2.138 grams), obv. head of Athena to left in crested Athenian helmet, rev. prow of galley to left, traces of ΣΑΛ in field to left, (S.5827, BMC 74, Weber -, McClean -) (illustrated); **Crete**, Latos, (2nd-1st century B.C.), AE 10, (1.614 grams), obv. female head (Artemis) to right, rev. Hermes advancing to right, holding a caduceus, legend to left trace of ethnic ΛΑΤΙΩΝ, (cf.S.3332, Sv.2 [p.220, cf.Pl.XX, 20], cf.BMC 1, cf.SNG Cop. 484, examples in Munich); , Mion. SIV, 201 [p.286]); **Crete**, El., (Elyros), AE 12, (2.036 grams), obv. 3rd-2nd B.C., obv. forepart of goat right, rev. bee, (S.3303, Sv.1 [p.146, Pl.XII, 14-17], several examples published). *Fine - very fine, all rare.* (3)

\$160

Ex J.S.Wagner Collection, Triton XII, New York Sale (lot 1260 part). all come with tickets and descriptive envelopes.



3489*

Syria, Kingdom of, Seleucus I, (312-280 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.982 grams), Seleucia on Tigris mint, c.297-296 B.C., Series II Group D, obv. head of Zeus to right laureated, within dotted border, rev. Athena, brandishing a spear and holding shield standing in chariot drawn by four horned elephants, on right anchor and AN and ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ in exergue, to left ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, (S.6831, SC 130.11a, Newell ESM 39 [obv.A36, rev. P.108 same dies]). *Weakly struck on the obverse as is for other published piece (Lobbecke Collection), otherwise nearly very fine and extremely rare.*

\$1,500

Ex CNG with their ticket. Newell knew of only one example from these dies and two examples for type, both shared the same reverse die.



3490*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochus II, (261-246 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.870 grams), Ephesus mint, issued 261-258 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 ANT IOXOY, in exergue monogram in circle, (cf.S.6886, SC 543.1b, BMC 1, Pozzi 2935, Newell WSM 1477 [Pl.LXIV, 2-4, same obverse die]). *Some surface roughness, otherwise very fine/fine, rare.*

\$450

With collector's descriptive ticket and ticket with price of \$800US.



3491*

Syria, Kingdom of, Demetrius I, (162-150 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.38 grams), Antioch mint, issued period 162-155/4 B.C., obv. diademed head of Demetrius to right within laurel wreath border, rev. Tyche seated to left with leg of throne a winged monster, holds sceptre and cornucopiae, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ, HY monogram to left, (S.7014, SC 1638.1f, SMA Newell 87). *Very fine/good very fine, scarce.*

\$400



3492*

Syria, Kingdom of, Demetrius I, (162-150 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.404 grams), Antioch mint, series II, second issue, issued 162-155/4 B.C., obv. diademed head of Demetrius to right within laurel wreath border, rev. Tyche seated to left with leg of throne a winged monster, holds sceptre and cornucopiae, to right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ, to left ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ, and ΣΩΤΗΡΟΣ, monogram ANT to far left, (cf. S.7014, SC 1640b, Newell SMA 100, SNG Israel I (Spaer) 1264). *Good very fine.*

\$350



3493*

Syria, Kingdom of, Alexander I Balas, (150-145 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.452 grams), Antioch mint, issued year 165 = 148-147 B.C., obv. diademed head of Alexander I to right, fillet border, rev. Zeus seated left on throne holding Nike with wreath and sceptre, on right, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ and ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ and on left ΘΕΟΠΑΤΟΡΟΣ and ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΟΥ, under throne aphlaston, in exergue ΕΞ ΣΙΑΩ, (cf.S.7030, SC 1829, SNG Israel I (Spaer) 1515-6, BN 880, Houghton ACNAC 714). *Slightly off centre and flaw in exergue on reverse, otherwise nearly extremely fine, desirable and rare.*

\$500



3494*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos VII, (138-129 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.562 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 ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, and to left ΕΥΕΡ ΓΕΤΟΥ, to left monogram of DI over A, (S.7092, SC 2061.2, SNG Israel I (Spaer) 1855, SMA Newell 282). *Nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$500



3497*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos VII, (138-129 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (12.890 grams), Tyre mint, issued 136-5 B.C., obv. diademed head of Antiochos VII to right, rev. eagle standing to left with closed wings on prow of galley, palm branch behind, Tyre monogram above club to left, year to right ZOP, other letters in field, around ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, (cf.S.7094, SC.2109.5a, cf.Newell "Tyre" [ANS-MN 73] 121, cf.SNG Israel I (Spaer) 2028). *Minor flan crack on reverse, otherwise very fine or better, scarce.*

\$300

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and from Jean Elsen Auction Sale 28, February 20, 1993 (lot 261), with ticket.



3495*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos VII, (138-129 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.866 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 ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, and to left ΕΥΕΡ ΓΕΤΟΥ, to left monogram of DI over A, (S.7092, SC 2061.2, SNG Israel I (Spaer) 1855, SMA Newell 282). *Good very fine and rare.*

\$400



3498*

Syria, Kingdom of, Alexander II, (128-123 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.460 grams), uncertain mint, (possibly Antioch), issued 128-123 B.C., undated, obv. diademed head of Alexander II to right, fillet border, rev. Zeus seated to left on throne holding Nike and sceptre, on right ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ to left ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ to left monograms of XB, under throne ΔΙ, (cf.S.7115 [£200], Newell SMA -, Newell LSM -, SNG Israel I (Spaer) -, ACNAC Houghton -). *Good very fine and very rare and apparently unpublished with these monograms.*

\$700

Ex Spink & Son, London, with their ticket.



3496*

Syria, Kingdom of, Antiochos VII, (138-129 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (16.620 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 ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ, and to left ΕΥΕΡ ΓΕΤΟΥ, to left monogram of DI over AI, to right Σ, (S.7092, SC 2061.4k [p.364], SNG Israel I (Spaer) 1864-5, SMA Newell 291). *Nearly extremely fine/good very fine, minor porosity on reverse, rare.*

\$400



3499*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Nero (A.D. 54-68), silver tetradrachm, (14.644 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Nero, ΝΕΡΩΝ[ΟΣ ΚΑΙΧΑΠΙΟΣ] ΣΕΒΑΣ[ΤΟΥ], rev. uncertain date which is off the flan, eagle standing to left, on thunderbolt, wings spread, palm branch in front (cf.S.618, cf.McAlee 256-8, cf.Prieur 80-82, cf.RPC 4181-2). *Toned, short on flan, otherwise very fine, scarce.*

\$200

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and previously from Gerhard Hirsch Auction 175, Sept. 23-26, 1992 (lot 734) with packet. See note above.



3500*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Nero (A.D. 54-68), silver tetradrachm, (13.762 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Nero, ΝΕΡΩΝΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ, rev. Ζ/ΟΡ (year 109 of Caesarian Era = A.D. 60-1), eagle standing to left, on thunderbolt, wings spread, palm branch in front (cf.S.618, McAlee 257, Prieur 81, RPC 4181). *Toned, good fine, scarce.*

\$200

Ex Roma Numismatica, Rome, Italy with their ticket.



3503*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Vespasian, (A.D. 69-79), silver tetradrachm, (14.526 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Vespasian, ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑΤ ΚΑΙΣΑ ΟΥΕΣΠΑΧΙΑΝΟΥ, rev. ΕΤΟΥΣ Β ΙΕΡΟΥ, year 2 = A.D. 70-71), eagle standing to left, on club, wings spread, palm branch in front (cf.S.736, McAlee 334, Prieur 112, RPC 1945). *Dark tone, rough fields, otherwise good fine/fine and scarce.*

\$150

With collector's detailed ticket.



3501*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Nero (A.D. 54-68), silver tetradrachm, (14.594 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Nero, ΝΕΡΩΝΟΣ ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟΣ [ΣΕΒΑΣΤΟΥ], rev. Ζ/ΟΡ (year 109 of Caesarian Era = A.D. 60-1), eagle standing to left, on thunderbolt, wings spread, palm branch in front (cf.S.618, McAlee 257, Prieur 81, RPC 4181). *Toned, some hoard residue remaining, flaw on cheek, otherwise very fine, scarce.*

\$200

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and previously from Downies, Auction 245, May 12, 1992 (lot 5439) with packet. Antioch at this time was striking in good silver with a high standard of portraiture. This example provides a good portrait of Nero.



3504*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Vespasian, (A.D. 69-79), silver tetradrachm, (14.640 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Vespasian, ΑΥΤΟΚΡΑ ΚΑΙΣΑ ΟΥΕΣΠΑΧΙΑΝΟΥ, rev. ΕΤΟΥΣ ΝΕΟΒ ΙΕΡΟΥ Β, year 2 = A.D. 69-70), eagle standing to left, on club, wings spread, crescent between legs (cf.S.736, McAlee 351, Prieur 127, RPC 1961). *Toned, fine - nearly very fine and rare.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and I.S.Wright, May 15, 1992 with packet.



3502*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Nero and Agrippina Junior (A.D. 54-68), silver tetradrachm, (14.516 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Nero, ΝΕΡΩΝΟΣ ΚΛΑΥΔΙΟΥ ΚΑΙ[ΣΑΠΙΟΣ ΣΕΒ], rev. in field to right Γ/ΕΡ (year 105 of Caesarian Era = A.D. 56-7), ΑΓΡΙΠΠΕΙΝΗΣ ΣΕΒΑΣΤΗΣ draped bust of Agrippina Junior to right, (S.653, McAlee 253, Prieur 74, RPC 4175). *Toned, some surface roughness and pitting, otherwise very fine and very rare.*

\$250

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and previously from Dieter Gorny, Auction 69, Nov. 11, 1996 (lot 551) with packet. Antioch at this time was striking in good silver with a high standard of portraiture. This example provides interesting portraits of Nero and Agrippina. Unfortunately this example has surface pitting.

3505

Syria, Seleucis and Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), silver tetradrachm (14.12 grams), 116, obv. Trajan laureate head r., ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΚΑΙ Σ ΝΕΡ ΤΡΑΙΑΝΟΣ ΑΡΙ ΣΕΒ ΓΕΡΜ ΔΑΚ ΠΑΡΘ, legend around, rev. ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ Κ ΥΠΙΑΤ R reversed on side, eagle standing facing on club, wings spread, head to left, (cf.S.1077, McAlee 448 [notes as very rare], Prieur 1512, Wruck 158); Miscellaneous AE from Athens, Aelia Capitolina, Antioch in Pisidia, Macedon, Philippi under Augustus. *First coin fine /nearly very fine, others very good.* (5)

\$100

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packets.



3506*

Syria, Seleucid & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), silver tetradrachm (14.620 grams), issued year 15 = 110-111, obv. Trajan laureate head to right, supported by eagle standing right, club behind, around ΑΥΤΟΚΡ ΚΑΙΣ ΝΕΡ ΤΡΑΙΑΝΟC CEB ΓΕΡΜ ΔΑΚ, rev. laureate bust of Melqarth to right, lion skin knotted at neck, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΙΕ ΥΠΙΑΤΕ, (cf.S.1088, McAlee 460, Prieur 1515, Wruck 159, BMC 4). *Off centred on reverse, otherwise very fine or better and scarce.*

\$400

With collector's detailed ticket and ticket from Mail Bid Sale 195 (lot 5055) for \$400. The issue was assigned (by Wruck), to Seleucid and Pieria for Antioch ad Orontem mint. Wruck believed the reverse type to be Herakles and not Melqarth. The reverse legend indicates the fifteenth year of tribunician power and this corresponds to A.D. 110-111. Sear placed the issue with Tyre but subsequent scholarship has replaced it with Antioch. This example is a better than usual piece.



3509*

Syria, Seleucid & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Caracalla (A.D. 198-217), silver tetradrachm, (14.792 grams), issued 211-212, obv. laureate head of Caracalla to right, around legend ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙ ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟC CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right, wreath in beak, two stars in upper field to left and right of eagle, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑ ΤΟC ΤΟΓ, (cf.S.2650, McAlee 673, Prieur 212, Bellinger 12). *Lightly toned, nearly extremely fine, scarce.*

\$200

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Tradart Auction, November 18, 1993 (lot 251) with packet.



3507*

Syria, Seleucid & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), silver tetradrachm, (13.478 grams), obv. laureate cuirassed bust of Hadrian to right, around ΑΥΤΟ ΚΑΙC ΤΡΑΙ ΑΔΙΑΝΟC ΑΡΙ CEB ΓΕΡΜ ΔΑΚ ΠΑΡΘ, rev. eagle standing facing, head to left on club, palm to right, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥCΙΑC, (S.1237, McAlee 529, Prieur 1525 [Tyre]). *Toned, very fine.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and from I.S.Wright 15 May 1992 and with packet.



3510*

Syria, Seleucid & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Caracalla (A.D. 198-217), silver tetradrachm, (14.636 grams), issued 214-215, obv. laureate bust draped and cuirassed of Caracalla to left, around legend ΑΥΤ Κ Μ Α ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟC CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right, wreath in beak, standing on leg and thigh of animal, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑ ΤΟC ΤΟΔ, (cf.S.2650, McAlee 680, Prieur 223, Bellinger 24). *Toned, minor corrosion spots on reverse, otherwise very fine, very rare.*

\$120

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Ponterio and Associates auction, No.47, April 30, 1991 (lot 1335) with packet.



3508*

Syria, Seleucid and Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Caracalla (A.D. 198-217), silver tetradrachm, (12.490 grams), issued 211-212, obv. laureate head of Caracalla to right, around legend ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙ ΑΝΤΩΝΕΙΝΟ C C E B, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right, wreath in beak, standing on leg and thigh of a sacrificial animal ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑ ΤΟC ΤΟΓ, (cf.S.2649, Prieur 207-8 [notes 29 examples known], McAlee 671 [noted as rare with heavier beard]). *Very fine and rare.*

\$200

With collector's detailed tickets.



3511*

Syria, Seleucid & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Geta, (A.D. 209-212), silver tetradrachm, (13.678 grams), obv. laureate head of Geta to right, around ΑΥΤ ΚΑΙ ΓΕΤΑC CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right, wreath in beak, stars either side of head, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΤΟ Β, (cf.S.2892, McAlee 720 corrected, Bellinger 16, Prieur 213). *Dark tone, very fine.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and from Coin Galleries Mail Bid Sale 12 February 1997. (lot 626) with ticket and packet.



3512*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Elagabalus (A.D. 218-222), billon tetradrachm, (12.064 grams), obv. laureate bust of Elagabalus to right, around AYT K M A ANTWNEINO C CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to left, wreath in beak, between legs star, ΔE above, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΤΟ Β, (S.3096, McAlee 758, Bellinger 42, [ANS Num. Stud. No.3], p.28, plate IV,10, Prieur 250). *Good silver, very fine.*

\$120

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and first from Wayne C. Phillips, Catalogue Sale 175, October 21, 1993 (lot 153) with packets.



3515*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Gordian III (A.D. 238-244), billon tetradrachm, (10.110 grams), obv. laureate bust of Gordian III to right, around AYTOK K M ANT ΓΟΡΔΙΑΝΟC CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to left, wreath in beak, between legs crescent over ram, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΟΥCΙΑC, SC in exergue, (cf.S.3779, McAlee 860, BMC 494, Prieur 281-2). *Porous surface nearly very fine and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Colonial Rare Coins Sale 2, September 25, 1991 (lot 790) with packet.

3513

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Elagabalus (A.D. 218-222), billon tetradrachms, (11.488, 11.852, 13.638 grams), obv. laureate bust of Elagabalus to right, around AYT K M A ANTWNEINO C CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right (1) or left (2), wreath in beak, between legs star, Δ E above, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΤΟ Β, (S.3096, McAlee 758, 761, Bellinger 42, 43 [ANS Num. Stud. No.3], p.28, plate IV,10, Prieur 250, 254). *All dark coppery colour, fine - very fine.* (3)

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and first from Alex G. Malloy Auction Sale XLI, November 17, 1995 (lot 362); last from Jean Elsen, Sale 95 (lot 493), all with packets.



3516*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Gordian III (A.D. 238-244), billon tetradrachm, (11.150 grams), obv. laureate bust of Gordian III to right, around AYTOK K M ANT ΓΟΡΔΙΑΝΟC CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to left, wreath in beak, between legs crescent over ram, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC Β, (S.3779, McAlee 872, BMC 501, [p.211], SNG Von Post 618, Prieur 295). *Nearly very fine/very fine and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Gerhard Hirsch Auction Sale 176, November 19, 1992 (lot 811) with packets.



3514*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Elagabalus (A.D. 218-222), billon tetradrachm, (12.050 grams), obv. laureate bust of Elagabalus to right, around AYT K M A ANTWNEINO C CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right, wreath in beak, between legs star, Δ E above, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΤΟ Β, (S.3096, McAlee 761, Bellinger 43, [ANS Num. Stud. No.3], p.28, cf.plate IV,10, Prieur 254). *Dark tone, very fine.*

\$80

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and from Spink Australia Sale 32, (lot 299) with packet.



3517*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Philip I, (A.D. 244-249), billon tetradrachm, (8.126 grams), issued 244, obv. radiate cuirassed bust right of Philip I, around AVTOK K M IOVAI ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟC CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings, head to left with wreath, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΟΥCΙΑC, S C in exergue, (cf.S.3958, McAlee 887, Prieur 318-9). *Silvered surface, extremely fine and scarce.*

\$200

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and from Imperial Coins & Antiquities, Visalia, Cal. USA with ticket.



3518*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, (Antioch), Philip I, (A.D. 244-249), billon tetradrachm, (10.480 grams), issued 247, obv. radiate cuirassed bust right of Philip I, around AVTOK K M IOYAI ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΣ CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings, head to left with wreath, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥΣΙΑΣ ΥΠΑΤΟ Γ, ANTIOXIA over S C in exergue, (cf.S.3958, McAlee 904, Prieur 377). *Toned, very fine/good very fine and scarce.*

\$100

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and from Calvin J. Rogers List 20, No.35 November 4, 1994, USA with ticket.



3521*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, (Antioch), Otacilia Severa, wife of Philip I, (A.D. 244-249 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (10.218 grams), obv. diademed bust right of Otacilia Severa, around ΜΑΡΩΤΟΚΙΑΣ ΕΟΥΗΡΑΝ CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings on palm, head to left with wreath, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥΣΙΑΣ ΥΠΑΤΟ Α, S C in exergue, (cf.S.4057, McAlee 1088, Prieur 341-2, BMC 541). *Very fine/good very fine.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection, and from Gerhard Hirsch, Auction 171, September 27, 1991 (lot 541) with packet.



3519*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, (Antioch), Philip I, (A.D. 244-249), billon tetradrachm, (12.038 grams), issued 248-9, obv. laureate cuirassed bust right of Philip I, around AVTOK K M IOYAI ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΣ CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings, head to right with wreath, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥΣΙΑΣ ΥΠΑΤΟ Δ, ANTIOXIA over S C in exergue, (cf.S.3958, McAlee 934, Prieur 445). *Silvered surface, extremely fine and scarce.*

\$200

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and from Gerhard Hirsch, Auction Sale 171, September 27, 1991 (lot 1192) with packet.

3522

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, (Antioch), Otacilia Severa, wife of Philip I, (A.D. 244-249 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (10.416 grams), obv. diademed bust right of Otacilia Severa, around ΜΑΡΩΤΟΚΙΑΣ ΕΟΥΗΡΑΝ CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings on palm, head to left with wreath, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥΣΙΑΣ ΥΠΑΤΟ Α, S C in exergue, (cf.S.4057, McAlee 1088, Prieur 341-2, BMC 541). *Fine with dirt attached.*

\$60

Ex Gordon Parry Collection, and from Alex G. Malloy, Auction Sale (lot 333) with ticket.

3523

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, (Antioch), Trajan Decius, (A.D. 249-251 B.C.), billon tetradrachm, (11.980 grams), obv. bust right of Trajan Decius, draped and cuirassed, five dots below, around AVTK Γ ΜΕΚΥ ΔΕΚΙΟΣ ΤΡΑΙΑΝΟΣ CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings, head to left with wreath, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥΣΙΑΣ, S C in exergue, (S.4209, McAlee 1116e, Prieur 531). *Toned, very fine.*

\$80

Ex Gordon Parry Collection with packet.



3520*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Philip II (A.D. 247-249), silver tetradrachm, (11.880 grams), issued 244-247, obv. laureate bust of Philip II to right, around AVTOK K M IOYAI ΦΙΛΙΠΠΙΟΣ CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right, wreath in beak, ANTIOXIA over S C in exergue, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥΣΙΑΣ ΥΠΑ ΤΟ Δ, (S.4145, McAlee 1042, Prieur 474). *Corrosion on reverse, otherwise nearly extremely fine, scarce.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Spink Auctions Australia Sale 34 (lot 2022) with packet.



3524*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, (Antioch), Trajan Decius, (A.D. 249-251 B.C.), billon tetradrachm, (11.684 grams), obv. bust right of Trajan Decius, draped and cuirassed, four dots below, around AVTK Γ ΜΕΚΥ ΤΡΑΙΑΝΟΣ ΓΟΡΔΕΚΙΟΣ CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings, head to right with wreath, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟΥΣΙΑΣ, S C in exergue, (S.4209, McAlee 1125d, Prieur 583). *Toned, extremely fine.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Numismatica Ars Classica, Auction B February 25, 1992 (lot 2195) with packet.



3525*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Herennius Etruscus, son of Trajan Decius (A.D. 251), billon tetradrachm, (11.914 grams), obv. bare headed draped bust of Herennius Etruscus to right, around EPENN ETPOV ME KV ΓΟΡΔΕΚΙΟC ΚΕCΑΡ, three dots below, rev. eagle standing to right, standing on palm branch, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟVCIAC, SC in exergue, (S.4282, McAlee 1152c, Prieur 633). *Nearly very fine or better and scarce.*

\$100

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and I.S. Wright, May 15, 1992, with packet.



3528*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Herennia Etruscilla, wife of Trajan Decius (A.D. 249-251), silver tetradrachm, (11.310 grams), obv. draped bust of Herennia Etruscilla to right, around EPENNIA ΤΡΟVCKIΛΛΑ CEB, three dots below, rev. eagle standing facing, head to left, standing on palm branch, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟVCIAC, SC in exergue, (S.4251, McAlee 1168c, Prieur 621). *Very fine or better and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and CNG Sale XXXI, September 9-10, 1994 (lot 1305) with packet and ticket.



3526*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Herennius Etruscus, son of Trajan Decius (A.D. 251), billon tetradrachm, (11.340 grams), obv. bare headed draped bust of Herennius Etruscus to right, around EPENN ETPOV ME KV ΓΟΡΔΕΚΙΟC ΚΕCΑΡ, five dots below, rev. eagle standing to right, standing on palm branch, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟVCIAC, SC in exergue, (S.4282, McAlee 1152e, Prieur 637). *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$200

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Canberra Coin World, May 26, 1994, with ticket and packet.



3529*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, (Antioch), Trebonianus Gallus, (A.D. 251-253 B.C.), billon tetradrachm, (11.478 grams), obv. bust right of Trebonianus Gallus, draped and cuirassed, one dot below, around AVΤΟΚ ΚΓ ΟVIB ΤΡΕΒ ΓΑΛΛΟC CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings, head to left with wreath, A between legs, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟYCIAC, S C in exergue, (S.4349, McAlee 1172a, Prieur 656). *Toned, edge split, nearly extremely fine.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Wayne C. Phillips, May 8, 1992 with ticket.



3527*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem (Antioch), Herennius Etruscus, son of Trajan Decius (A.D. 251), billon tetradrachm, (11.034 grams), obv. bare headed draped bust of Herennius Etruscus to right, around EPENN ETPOV ME KV ΓΟΡΔΕΚΙΟC ΚΕCΑΡ, five dots below, rev. eagle standing to right, standing on palm branch, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟVCIAC, SC in exergue, (S.4282, McAlee 1152e, Prieur 637). *Silvered very fine and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Malter Galleries, Auction Sale 72, November 23, 1997 (lot 498), with ticket and packet.

3530

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, (Antioch), Trebonianus Gallus, (A.D. 251-253 B.C.), billon tetradrachm, (11.412 grams), obv. bust right of Trebonianus Gallus, draped and cuirassed, one dot below, around AVΤΟΚ ΚΓ ΟVIB ΤΡΕΒ ΓΑΛΛΟC CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings, head to left with wreath, A between legs, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟYCIAC, S C in exergue, (S.4349, McAlee 1172a, Prieur 656). *Toned, edge split, very fine.*

\$80

Ex Gordon Parry Collection with packet.

3531

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Antiochia ad Orontem, (Antioch), Volusian, (A.D. 251-253 B.C.), billon tetradrachm, (10.606 grams), obv. bust right of Volusian, radiate and draped around traces of AVΤΟΚ ΚΓ ΑΦΙΝ ΓΑΛ ΟYENΔ ΟYΟΛΟYCCIANOC CEB, rev. eagle facing open wings ΓΟΡΔ below, head to left with wreath, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞΟY[CIAC VΠΑ ΤΟ Β], S C in exergue, (S.4393, McAlee 1190d, Prieur 707). *Nearly fine.*

\$80

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Empire Coins, April 29, 1993 with packet.



3532*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Emesa, Julia Domna, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), billon tetradrachm, (12.032 grams), issued 215-217, obv. draped bust of Julia Domna to right, around IOYΛΙΑ [AYΓOYCTA], rev. eagle standing facing, head to left with wreath in beak, A above right wing, between legs radiate bust of Shamash to left, around ΔΗΜΑ[PX ΕΞΟVCIAC], (S.2450, Bellinger 178, Prieur 950). *Good fine/fine, short on flan, scarce.*

\$150

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and CNG Sale 45, March 18, 1998 (lot 993) with packet and ticket.



3535*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Laodiceia ad Mare, Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-211), billon tetradrachm, (14.780 grams), issued 209-211, obv. laureate draped bust right of Septimius Severus, around AVT KAI CEOYHPOC CE, rev. eagle facing open wings, head to left with wreath, star between legs, around, ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟ Γ, (cf.S.2261, Prieur 1163). *Silvered surface, some hoard patination, otherwise nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$200

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and from Numismatik Lanz Auction Sale 66, November 22, 1993 (lot 637) with packet.



3533*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Emesa, Macrinus (A.D. 217-218), silver tetradrachm, (13.95 grams), issued 217-8, obv. laureate head of Macrinus to right, around AVT K M OΠ CE MAKPI[NOC C EB], rev. eagle standing facing, head to left, wreath in beak, between legs radiate bust of Shamash, around ΔΗ[MAPX ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΠΠ], (S.-, Prieur 961?). *Good fine/fine, rare.*

\$100

Ex Mark Marshan Collection with packet.



3536*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Seleuceia Pieria, Augustus (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), silver tetradrachm, issued A.D. 5-6, (15.294 grams), obv. laureate head of Augustus to right, around ΚΑΙΣΑΡΟC CEBACCTOY, rev. thunderbolt on cushion placed on stool, beneath which ΙΔΡ = (year 114 = 5-6 A.D.), above and below ΣΕΛΕΥΚΕΩΝ / ΤΗΣ ΙΕΡΑΣ / ΚΑΙ / ΑΥΤΟΝΟΜΟV, all within wreath, (S.112, BMC 32, Prieur 1186, SNG von Post 636 [This Coin]). *Fine - very fine, rare.*

\$200

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Canberra Coin World, previously from Sotheby's auction Sale of the Eric von Post Collection 9-10 October 1995 (lot 249 part) with packets.



3534*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Emesa, Diadumenian (A.D. 217-218), silver tetradrachm, (11.610 grams), issued 217-8, obv. laureate bust of Diadumenian draped and cuirassed to right, around M A OΠ ANTWNEINOC K, rev. eagle standing facing, head to left, wreath in beak, between radiate bust of Shamash, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC ΠΠ, (S.-, Prieur 968). *Good fine, rare.*

\$100

Ex Gordon Parry Collection with packet.



3537*

Syria, Seleucis & Pieria, Seleuceia Pieria, Macrinus (A.D. 217-218), silver tetradrachm, (11.768 grams), obv. laureate bust draped and cuirassed of Macrinus to right, around ΑΥΤ Κ Μ ΟΠCE ΜΑΚΡΙΝΟC CEB, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right, standing on thunderbolt, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟ, (S.2955, Bellinger 78, Prieur 1189). *Very fine or better and scarce.*

\$200

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and CNG Mail Bid Sale XXIX, March 30, 1994 (lot 990) with packet and ticket.



3538*

Syria, Coele Syria, Chalcis, Cleopatra VII, (51-30 B.C.), AE 17, (4.72 grams), Chalcis mint, issued year 6 = 32-31 B.C., obv. diademed bust of Cleopatra VII to right, trace of legend, rev. Nike advancing to right with palm all within wreath, a trace of legend around, (S.-; Sv.1888, RPC 4772, BMC 14, Pitchfork 173). *Off centred, rough surfaces, otherwise very fine and rare.*

\$200

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his ticket.



3539*

Syria, Coele Syria, Heliopolis, Macrinus (A.D. 217-218), silver tetradrachm, (11.480 grams), obv. laureate bust of Macrinus to right, draped and cuirassed, around AYT K M OΠICE MAKPINOC CE, rev. eagle standing facing, head to right with wreath, between legs a lion walking right, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤΟC, (S.-, Bellinger 214 [pl.XV, 11], cf.Prieur 1202 [no star, eagle head right]). *Very fine or better and rare.*

\$300

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and Gerhard Hirsch, Auction 173, February 20, 1992 (lot 1050) with packet.



3540*

Phoenicia, Tyre Mint, Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), silver tetradrachm (15.258 grams), issued 103-109, obverse, Trajan laureate head to right supported by eagle standing right and club, around [AYTOK]P KAIC NEP TPAIANOC CEB ΓΕΡΜ ΔΑΚ, reverse, laureate bust of Herakles to right, around ΔΗΜΑΡΧ ΕΞ ΥΠΙΑΤC, (S.-, Wruck 150, Prieur 1495, BMC 3). *Extremely fine and rare.*

\$800

3541

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

3542

Palestine, Judaea, Herod I, (40 - 4 B.C.), copper prutah, AE 15, (S.5539, H.500); Herod Archelaus, (4 B.C. - 6 A.D.), copper prutah, (S.5539, H.505); Roman Procurator of Judaea, Marcus Ambibulus under Augustus, (A.D. 9-12), copper prutah, (2.542 grams), obv. ear of barley surrounded by Greek inscription, rev. eight branched palm tree, across traces of L ΛΘ = year 39 = A.D. 9, (S.5607, H.636 [101]; First Jewish Revolt, year 3 = 68-69, obv. amphora, rev. vine leaf (S.5640, H.664 [126], AJC 20 [p.261]) (2). *Very good - fine. (5)*

\$100

3543

Palestine, Roman Procurator of Judaea, Valerius Gratus under Tiberius, (A.D. 15-26), copper prutah, (1.820 grams), obv. within a wreath, traces of a Greek inscription, IOY ΛΙΑ, (Julia, is a reference to Julia Livia, mother of Tiberius), rev. three lilies in bloom flanked by date [L Γ], ΛΓ = year 3 = A.D. 16, (S.5615, H.642 [107], AJC II Supplement V, No.12, Meshorer 223); another (2.108 grams), obv. vine leaf with a bunch of grapes, above [IOYΛΙΑ], rev. narrow-neck amphora with scroll handles, flanked by date [L]Δ, (LΔ = year 4 = A.D. 17), (S.5618, H.643 [108], AJC II Supplement V, No.16, Meshorer 224). *Both weak in places, otherwise fine or better; second with a clear date reading, both scarce. (2)*

\$60

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 70 (lots 3340, 3341).

3544

Palestine, Roman Procurator of Judaea, Antonius Felix under Claudius, (A.D. 52-59), copper prutah, (2.478 grams), obv. in wreath tied with X at bottom in four lines, IOY/ ΛΙΑ ΑΓ/ ΠΙΠΠΙ/ ΝΑ, (Julia Agrippina wife of Claudius), rev. two crossed palm branches, around [TI] ΚΛΑΥΔΙΟC Κ[ΚΙCΑΡ ΓΕΡΜ] (Tiberius Claudius Caesar Germanicus), below date across L ΙΔ, L ΙΔ = year 14 = A.D. 54), (S.5625, H.651, AJC II Supplement V, No.32, Meshorer 232); another copper prutah, (2.284 grams), obv. two oblong shields and two spears crossed, around [NEPW ΚΛΑΥ] ΚΑΙCΑΡ, (Nero Claudius Caesar, son of Claudius), rev. palm tree six branches, and two bunches of dates, BPIT above (Britannicus, second son of Claudius), below date across [L ΙΔ], Κ ΑΙ; ΙΔ = year 14 = A.D. 54, (S.5626, H.652, AJC II Supplement V, No.29, Meshorer 233). *Weak in places, otherwise very fine with a clear date reading, second with off centred obverse with date off flan, otherwise fine - very fine and scarce. (2)*

\$100

Ex William B. Porter Collection, with tickets.

3545

Palestine, Judaea, Roman Administration, Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), AE 22, Caesarea mint, (8.722 grams), issued to commemorate the Roman victory in Judaea of A.D. 69, obv. laureate head to left, rev. Minerva advancing to left, holding trophy in right hand and shield and spear in left, (S.886, H.749; Mesh.II, Sup. VIII, 7; RPC 2305); other prutah issues of Herod the Great (40-4 B.C.), rev. tripod table (H.491-2); another with rev. anchor (H.499); Jewish First Revolt, AE prutah year 2 67-68, (H.661) (2). *Several cleaned, first scarce last four with David Hendon tickets, fair - fine. (5)*

\$120



3546*

Palestine, Judaea, Second Revolt or Bar Cochba War, (A.D. 132-135), Irregular or Barbarous medium bronze coinage, type B, third coinage period, AE 25, (9.465 grams), dated issue of year 2 struck A.D. 133-4, obv. legend 'Year 2 of the Freedom of Jerusalem' vine leaf, all within a border of dots, rev. palm tree of seven branches, below Hebrew legend 'Shim'on', (cf.S.5682, Mildenberg No.179, obv. die 12, rev. die 18 with 5 examples cited for this die combination, cf.AJC 44 [p.270, Pl.24], H.708B [160B], Herodian 33-36). *Has been cleaned, dark brown patina, nearly very fine and very rare.*

\$150

Ex Numismatic Fine Arts auction sale XXVIII, April 23, 1992 (lot 358 illustrated, estimated \$400US and sold after the sale).

3547

Palestine, Judaea, small copper 10-11mm, tessera (2), one with obv. cup, rev. branch (1.244 grams) other with obv. cross and cornucopiae, rev. branch (1.288 grams). *Earthy appearance, otherwise very fine.* (2)

\$100



3548*

Arabia Petraea, Bostra (Nea Traiana Bostra), Faustina Senior posthumous issue, (issued by Marcus Aurelius), AE 18, (4.446 grams), obv. veiled head to right, ΘΕΑΦΑΥΣΤΕ [INA], rev. Tyche standing to left, holding sceptre and resting left hand on hip, to right traces of ethnic, (S.1539, Lindgren 2530, A2533A, BMC 7, Spijk. 12). *Extremely fine/very fine and very rare.*

\$120

Ex Dr. Garth Drewry Collection, Triton XI January 9, 2008 (lot 1754 part) and previously from Coin Galleries, february 2001 Sale (lot 127).



3549*

Bactria, Kingdom of, Antialcidas, (c.145-135 B.C.), silver drachm, (2.436 grams), obv. bust of Antialcidas to right, wearing helmet, around ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΝΙΚΗΦΟΤΟΥ ΑΝΤΙΑΛΚΙΔΟΥ, 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 1078-1084, Bopearachchi Ser.12C, M.279). *Nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$200



3550*

Bactria, Kingdom of, Menander, (c.160-145 B.C.), silver drachm, (2.44 grams), Bamian workshop, obv. laureate bust of Menander to right, rev. Athena Pallas to left with shield and thunderbolt, monogram in left field, (S.7600, M.1769-1770, M.215a, cf.BMC 15). *Toned, nearly extremely fine.*

\$80

Ex Antiquarius, New Zealand with their ticket.



3551*

Persian Imperial Coinage, Kingdom of, Darius II and Artaxerxes II (420-375 B.C.), struck in Lydia at Sardes, silver siglos, (5.446 and 5.588 grams), obv. king as bearded archer kneeling to right with spear and bow, rev. oblong incuse punch, (S.4678, Babelon Pl.86, 11, BMC 90, Carradice type IIIb, Group C early). *Fine - very fine, small flan as usual, first with interesting obverse countermark.* (2)

\$150



3552*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Mithradates II, (c.128-88 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (15.966 grams), Seleucia mint, obv. bearded bust to left in diadem, dotted border, rev. archer seated right on omphalos, four line inscription, palm branch to right, ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΡΣ ΑΚΟΥ ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ ΜΕΓΑΛΟΥ, TV in exergue (S.7365, Sellwood 24.4, BMC 3 [p.23], Shore 67). *Large flan nearly extremely fine, minor porosity on the reverse, very rare, this nice.*

\$2,500



3553*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Gortazes I, (95-87 B.C.), silver drachm, (3.952 grams), Ecbatana mint, obv. small bust to left with beard, wearing tiara with horn in centre, torque ends in dot, rev. archer seated right on throne, five line inscription, (S.7394, Sellwood 33.3, Shore 112). *Toned, good very fine/very fine and scarce.*

\$120



3554*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Orodes II, (c.57-38 B.C.) silver drachm, (3.722 grams), Mithradatkart mint, obv. large size bust wearing a diadem to left with short beard, star before, crescent behind, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, MT over Θ under bow, (cf.S.7443, Sellwood 47.9, Shore 241). *Dirt entrapment on obverse, otherwise good very fine and rare.*

\$120



3558*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Gotarzes II, (A.D. 40-51), silver drachm, (3.67 grams), Ecbatana mint, obv. large size bust wearing a diadem to left with square cut straight beard, hair in uneven downward wave, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, monogram AT and dot, (S.5793, Sellwood 65.33, Shore 364). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$100

Ex Dr. Garth Drewry Collection, Tampa, Florida.



3555*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Orodes II, (c.57-38 B.C.) silver drachm, (3.850 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 rectangular trident above behind, (cf.S.7445, Sellwood 48.9, Shore 261). *Bright, attractive good very fine.*

\$120



3559*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Vologases III, (c.A.D. 105-147), silver drachm, (3.72 grams), Ecbatana mint, obv. medium size bust wearing a diadem to left with short square triangular pointed long beard, hair in three waves, rev. archer seated right on throne, seven line inscription, monogram AT and dot, (cf. S.5831, Sellwood 78.3, Shore 413). *Extremely fine.*

\$120

Ex Dr. Garth Drewry Collection, Tampa, Florida.

3556

Parthia, Kingdom of, Orodes II, (c.57-38 B.C.) silver drachm, (3.418 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 ΛΥΤ, anchor behind, (cf.S.7445, Sellwood 48.9, Shore 261); another Phraates IV, (c.38-2 B.C.), (3.378 grams), similar eagle behind, (cf.S.7472, Sellwood 52.10, Shore 276) another (3.690 grams). *All toned, very good - very fine. (3)*

\$120

Ex Baldwins 1963 with ticket for the last coin.



3560*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Vologases III, (A.D. 105-147), silver drachm, (3.336 grams), Ecbatana mint, obv. bust to left with pointed beard, wearing diadem, rev. archer enthroned to right, seven line inscription, AT dot below bow, (cf.S.5831, Sellwood 78.3, Shore 413). *Toned, ragged flan, otherwise extremely fine.*

\$80



3557*

Parthia, Kingdom of, Phraates IV, (38-2 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, (14.396 grams), Seleucia mint, year date above CΠΣ (= 286 = 26 BC), and month VIIIEP (September) below, obv. large size bare-headed bust to left with beard, wearing diadem, rev. king enthroned to right receiving palm branch from Tyche holding cornucopiae, seven line inscription, (S.7466, Sellwood 51.22, Shore 271). *Good fine.*

\$150



3561*

Elymais, Kingdom of, Kamnaskires VI, (c.A.D. late 1st - early 2nd century A.D.), billon tetradrachm, (14.756 grams), obv. large size bust to left with long beard, wearing diadem, crescent and star behind, rev. trace of crude male bust left, (S.5888, BMC 14 [p.250]). *Very weak on the reverse as usual, otherwise good fine/fair and scarce.*

\$120



3562*

Hephthalite, silver drachm, as an imitation of Peroz, (ca. 550-650 A.D.), 24 mm, (3.986 grams), Gadhaiya Paisa, obv. Sassanian-style bust right, derived from winged-type of Peroz, wearing winged skull-cap, symbols above, rev. altar with two attendants, crude barbarized inscriptions, both sides. Pre-Gujarat series, (Mitchener ACW 1479). *Very fine or better and rare.*

\$100



3563*

Hephthalite, silver drachm, as an imitation of Peroz, (ca. 550-650 A.D.), 24 mm, (3.986 grams), obv. Sassanian-style bust right, derived from winged-type of Peroz, wearing winged skull-cap, no letter above, rev. altar with two attendants, crude barbarized inscriptions, both sides. Pre-Gujarat series, (Mitchener ACW 1480). *Very fine or better and rare.*

\$100

These Hunnic imitations of Sassanian coins are known from a small number of specimens and are rarely seen for sale. This example has completely corrupt Pahlavi letters on obverse and reverse, and probably from the slightly later period of c.600 A.D. The Hephthalites or White Huns were a Central Asian nomadic confederation whose precise origins and composition remain obscure. They were called Ephthalites by the Huns, and Hunas by the Indians. They were mentioned by the Chinese and they displaced the Scythians and conquered Sogdiana and Khorasan before 425. After that, they crossed the Syr Darya (Jaxartes) River and invaded Persia. In Persia, they were initially held off by Bahram Gur but later around A.D. 483-85, they succeeded in making Persia a tributary state. After a series of wars in the period around A.D. 503-513, they were driven out of Persia and were completely defeated in A.D. 557 by Khosru I though their polity came under the Gokturks thereafter. The White Huns also invaded the regions of Afghanistan and Pakistan and succeeded in extending their domain to include the Ganges valley where this coin was made.



3564*

Sogdiana, Bukhara, local issue, (6th-8th centuries A.D., Mitchiner c.700 A.D.), billon drachm, (2.040 grams), imitating Merv mint drachm of Sassanian King Bahram V, obv. Crowned bust right, Bokharan legend around, rev. Fire altar with attendants and ribbon and crude crowned bust of Bahram right superimposed upon altar, (Mitchiner ACW 1395 [same dies], Zeimal fig. 1, 10-12; Walker, Arab-Sassanian, pp. 166, [Pl. XXIX, 5]). *Worn and fine as usual, rare.*

\$100

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



3565*

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), (14.154 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 ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, (cf. S.7771, Sv.255, SNG Cop.459, Weber 8236, BMC 59, Meydancikkale 3391ff.). *Toned, nearly extremely fine and scarce in this condition.*

\$500

Ex Gordon Parry Collection and from the Ponterio and Associates Auction Sale 47, April 30, 1991 (lot 1353) with packet.



3566*

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, cornucopias over shoulder, around ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, between legs ΣΕ, dotted border, (S.7814, Sv. 992, BMC 69-71, SNG Cop. 205-6, Pitchfork 35-36, Koln 61 [attributes issue to Ptolemy III between 247-243 B.C.]). *Dark green patina, very fine with some weakness in places, scarce.*

\$150



3567*

Egypt, Kingdom of, Ptolemy VI, (180-145 B.C.), silver tetradrachm, issued 180-170 B.C., (13.88 grams), Alexandria mint, obv. diademed head of Ptolemy I to right, with aegis, rev. eagle to left with closed wings, standing on thunderbolt, around ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ, (S.7895 [£125], Sv. 1489, SNG Cop. 262-8, Pitchfork 71). *Flan crack across a third of the coin, otherwise good very fine.*

\$200



3568*

Egypt, Alexandria, Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), billon tetradrachm, year 10 = A.D. 125-126, (13.116 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust of Hadrian to right, around AVT KAI TPAI AAPIA CEB, rev. bust of Selene to right, with crescent on head around L Δ EKATOV, (S.3728 [Sear Vol. II], BMC 585, Milne 1108, Koln 916). *Very fine or better and rare.*

\$200

With collector's detailed ticket and ticket from San Diego Coin & Bullion Company (\$175).



3571*

Egypt, Alexandria, Julia Maesa, grandmother of Elagabalus and Severus Alexander, Augusta 218-225 AD. billon tetradrachm (13.922 grams), Dated RY 3 of Elagabalus (219-220 AD), obv. draped bust to right, around IOYA MAICA CEB MHT CTPA, rev. bust of Isis to left wearing disk and plumes, across L Γ, (S.7776, BMC 1575, Koln 2356, Milne 2782). *Nearly very fine and rare.*

\$200

With collector's descriptive ticket and Mail Bid sale 190 (lot 5048) ticket and price of \$200US.



3569*

Egypt, Alexandria, Hadrian (A.D. 117-138), billon tetradrachm, year 19 = A.D. 134-135, (12.62 grams), obv. Hadrian head with laureate head to left, around traces of AYT KAIC TPAIAN AARINOC CEB, rev. Nilus bust to left with lotus and cornucopiae on right shoulder around L ENN EAKA, (S.3743, Datt. 1430, Koln 1147, Milne 1455). *Very fine and rare.*

\$180

Ex Spink Australia privately February 5, 1977.



3572*

Egypt, Alexandria, Severus Alexander, (A.D. 222-235), billon tetradrachm, year 4 = A.D.224-225, (12.392 grams), obv. laureate bust right, partial legend around, rev. Eagle standing left head to right, L Δ, (cf.S.8128, Koln 2418-9, Milne 2935, BMC 1694). *Short on flan as usual, otherwise very fine.*

\$80

With collector's detailed ticket and ticket from Pat Johnson, Houston, Texas.



3570*

Egypt, Alexandria, Antoninus Pius (A.D. 138-161), copper hemidrachm, year 4 = A.D. 140-141, (27.21 grams), obv. Antoninus Pius with laureate bust to right, around AYT K T AIA AΔP ANTWNINOC CEB EVCEB, rev. bust of Sarapis wearing modius, L Δ across, (cf.S.4395, Koln 1355, Milne -, Dattari 2802). *Bright weak in parts of the obverse legend, otherwise very fine and very rare.*

\$300



3573*

Egypt, Alexandria, Salonina wife of Gallienus, (A.D. 253-268), billon tetradrachm, year 14 = A.D. 266-267, (11.674 grams), obv. diademed and draped bust of Salonina to right, around KOPNHΛIA CAΛΩNEINA CEB, rev. Tyche standing to left, holding rudder and cornucopiae, to left ΛΙΑ, (S.10715, BMC 2263, Milne 4139, Koln 2981). *Dark chocolate brown patina, extremely fine.*

\$150

With collector's descriptive ticket and dealer ticket from San Diego Coin & Bullion company.



3574*

Egypt, Alexandria, Probus, (A.D. 276-282), billon tetradrachm, year 3 = A.D. 277-278, (7.864 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust of Probus to right, around A K M AVP ΠΡΟΒΟΣ CEB, rev. eagle standing facing with open wings, wreath in beak, L Γ across field, (S.12127, BMC 2433, Milne 4565, Koln 3131); Maximianus, (A.D. 286-305), billon tetradrachm, year 2 = A.D. 286-287, (6.550 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust of Maximianus to right, around A K M OVA MAΞIMIANOC CEB, rev. L B across, Elpis standing to left, holding flower and lifting dress, (S.-, BMC 2555, Milne 4814, Koln 3285). *Very fine - extremely fine.* (2)

\$120

Both with collector's descriptive tickets and first with dealer ticket from San Diego Coin & Bullion company.



3575*

Egypt, Alexandria, Carinus as Augustus, (A.D. 282-285), billon tetradrachm, year 2 = A.D. 283-284, (7.544 grams), obv. laureate draped and cuirassed bust of Carinus to right, around A K M A KA PINOC CK, rev. L B across, Athena seated to left, holding Nike and sceptre, (S.12378, BMC 3452, Milne 4697, Koln 3176). *Bright, good very fine.*

\$80

Ex Dr. Garth Drewry Collection, Triton XI January 9, 2008 (lot 1754 part).



part

3576

Egypt, Alexandria, a range of emperors from Hadrian - Maximianus, almost all billon tetradrachms, (A.D. 117-295), noted Philip I, (Koln 2704), Gallienus, (Koln 2916, 2928, 2931 [illustrated], 2942 [illustrated]); Cornelia Salonina, (Koln 2986); Claudius II (4) (Koln 3015, 3033 [2], 3043); Aurelian (2) (Koln 3090, 3096); Probus (2); Carus (2); Diocletian (1); Maximianus (5); Hadrian, AE drachm, (Koln 1109-1110). *Very good - nearly extremely fine.* (23)

\$300

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packets.

3577

Ancient Greek, a small group including Egypt, Ptolemy III Euergetes, 246-211 B.C., AE 19, Alexandria Mint, (6.468 grams), obv. Zeus diademed head right, rev. eagle standing left with cornucopiae, (cf.S.7823, Sv.762, SNG Cop.191); Alexandria, billon tetradrachm, Probus, (276-282 A.D.), (7.576 grams), rev. eagle L S, (cf.S.12137, Koln 3150, Milne 4629); Thrace, Olbia, (5th century B.C.), AE dolphin 23mm x 10mm, (1.294), obv. dolphin, rev. dolphin, (S.1684, SNG BM 368, BMC 19); another AE 20, (4.284 grams), with countermark of dolphin to left and OΛ on reverse, (cf. S.1687 [host coin], cf.SNG BM 532 cmk). *Fine - good very fine.* (4)

\$140

First and third with dealer tickets.

3578

Ancient Greek coins in bronze, including Thessalian League AE 17, (4.398 grams), rev. horse trotting right, (S.2238); Mysia, Pergamon, AE 14, (3.430 grams), obv. Asklepios head right, rev. snake on staff, (S.3971); Ionia, Kolophon, AE 10, (1.012 grams), obv. Apollo, rev. lyre, (S.4351); Valerian, AE 30, (14.452 grams), Cilicia, Tarsos, rev. Tyche standing left, (S.4502); Gallienus, AE 27, (13.042 grams), Coele Syria, Heliopolis, (S.-, cf.BMC 29, Lindgren 1285); another AE 14, uncertain city, rev. temple of four columns. *Fine - very fine.* (6)

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3543).

3579

Greek Imperial, a range of issues AE 8 - AE 25, from various provincial cities and few as independent cities mostly in Thracian area, many are attributable and several with countermarks including ΔAK for Dacicus (Howgego 529). *Poor - very good, many have been cleaned and mostly very worn issues.* (46)

\$100

Ex Noble Numismatics Auction Sale 79 (lot 3544).

ROMAN SILVER & BRONZE



3580*

Republic, Struck Coinage, Anonymous Series, (225-212 B.C.), silver didrachm (quadrigatus), (6.662 grams), uncertain mint, obv. laureate janiform head of the Dioscuri, border of dots, rev. Jupiter in quadriga to right, driven by Victory, Jupiter holds sceptre and hurls thunderbolt, in exergue ROMA in relief on tablet, (S.32 [VF £250], Cr.29/3, Syd. 64d). *Obverse surface roughness, otherwise good very fine and scarce.*

\$600

3581

Tamp, (194-190 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.50 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, X behind, rev. Dioscuri to right, ROMA in linear frame, TAMP monogram above, (S.61, Cr.133/2b, Syd.334, B.Baebia 1); Anonymous Series, (c.270 B.C.), AE litra, Rome mint, (5.26 grams), obv. Corinthian helmeted head of Minerva to left, rev. horse to right on base, [ROMAN]O behind; (S.592, Cr.17/1a, Syd.3). *First coin porous and nearly fine; second obverse off centred and fine.* (2)

\$80



3582*

Anonymous Series, (shortly after 211 B.C.), silver victoriatus, (3.03 grams), Rome mint, obv. laureate head of Jupiter to right, border of dots, rev. Victory to right, crowning trophy, in exergue ROMA, dotted border, (S.49, Cr.44/1 or 53/1, Syd. 83). *Good fine.*

\$80



3583*

Anonymous Series, (c.211-207 B.C.), Rome mint, AE semis, (17.59 grams), obv. head of Saturn to right, S behind, rev. prow to right, [ROMA] below, S above; (S.766, Cr.56/3, Syd.143a). *Cleaned, good fine.*

\$80



3584*

C. Scribonius, (c.154 B.C.), silver denarius (3.494 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, X behind, rev. Dioscuri to right, C. SCR below, ROMA in exergue, (S.79, Cr.201/1, Syd.380, Scribonia 1); another Anonymous issue, (c.2nd century B.C.), silver denarius, (2.068 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, rev. Victory in quadriga to left with palm branch, (S.-, Cr.-, Syd. -). *Fine; very fine, the first scarce, the second unpublished.* (2)

\$140

Although of good style it is highly probable that the issue is a Celtic - Barbarian imitation.



3585*

C. Maianius, (153 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.442 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head right, X behind, rev. Victory in biga to right, C.MAIANI below, ROMA in exergue, (S.82 [£50 VF], Cr.203/1a, Syd.427, RSC Maiania 1). *Good fine and scarce.*

\$90



3586*

T. Cloelius, (128 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.772 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, RSC Cloulia 1). *Rust mark on reverse, very fine and scarce.*

\$120

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.



3587*

Q. Minucius Rufus, (c.122 B.C.), silver denarius (3.894 grams), obv. Roma helmeted head to right, X below chin, RVF behind, rev. Dioscuri to right, Q. MINV below, ROMA in exergue, (S.152, Cr.277/1, Syd.421). *Good very fine and scarce.*

\$120



3588*

M.Furius L.f. Philus, (c.119 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.676 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 [£55 VF], Cr.281/1, Syd.529, RSC Furia 18). *Toned, good very fine, scarce.*

\$140



3589*

Ti. Quinctius, (112-111 B.C.), silver denarius, (3.860 grams), obv. Hercules bust to left from behind, holding club at shoulder, rev. two horses to left, TI Q divided by a rat, below D.S.S on tablet, (S.174, Cr.297/1, Syd.563, B.Quinctia 6). *Toned, nearly very fine and rare.*

\$100



3590*

L. Flaminus Chilo, (109-108 B.C.), Rome mint, (3.810 grams), obv. helmeted head of Roma to right, ROMA behind, X below chin, rev. Victory in biga, L. FLAMIN[II] below, and [CILO] in exergue, (S.179, Cr.302/1, Syd.540, RSC Flaminia 1). *Off centred obverse, otherwise nearly extremely fine.*

\$120



3591*

M. Herennius, (108-107 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.712 grams), obv. Pietas head to right, behind PIETAS, rev. Catanaean running right bearing father on shoulders, M.HERENN[II] on left, control mark E to right, (S.185 [£75 VF], Cr.308/1b, Syd.567a, RSC Herennia 1a). *Light obverse scratch, otherwise good very fine.*

\$120



3592*

P. Servilius M.f. Rullus, (c.100 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.712 grams), obv. Minerva helmeted head to left, [R]VLLI behind, rev. Victory in biga to left, P below horses, P.SERVILI.M.F. in exergue, (S.207 [£55 VF], Cr.328/1, Syd.601, RSC Servilia 14). *Very fine and very scarce.*

\$120

3593

A. Albinus, (96 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.62 grams), obv. Apollo laureate head to right, X before, ROMA below, eight pointed star behind, rev. Dioscuri standing to left, beside their horses, drinking at fountain, [crescent moon in field], A.ALBINVS.S.F. in exergue, (S.219, Cr.335/10, Syd.612, RSC Postumia 5a); **Q. Antonius Balbus**, (c.83-2 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.90 grams), obv. Jupiter laureate head to right, S C behind, T. before, rev. Victory in quadriga to right, Q ANTO BALB/PR in exergue, (S.279, Cr.364/1d, Syd.742b, RSC Antonina 1); **C. Naevius Balbus**, (c.79 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.72 grams), obv. Venus diademed head right, S.C. behind, rev. Victory in triga to right CLXX above, [C. NAE] BA[LB] in exergue, (S.309, Cr.382/1b, Syd. 769b, RSC Naevia 6); **Cn. Plancius**, (c.55 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.33 grams), obv. Diana Planciana to right wearing petasus, CN PLANCIVS AED CVR S. C. around, rev. Cretan goat to right, bow and quiver behind, (S.396, Cr.432/1, Syd.933, RSC Plancia 1). *Several with flaws, toned, otherwise nearly very fine.* (4)

\$180

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packets.



3594*

C. Allius Bala, (c.92 B.C.), silver denarii, Rome mint, (3.576 grams), obv. diademed head of female deity (Diana?) to right, BALA behind, crescent below chin, rev. Diana in biga of stags to right, dolphin below, C.ALLI in exergue, (S.221 [£55 VF], Cr.336/1c, Syd.595, RSC Aelia 4). *Toned, very fine, scarce.*

\$120



3595*

C. Vibius C.f. Pansa, (90 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.854 grams), obv. small laureate head of Apollo to right, PANS[A] behind, arrow symbol under chin, rev. Minerva in quadriga to right, C. VIBIVS C F. in exergue, (S.242, Cr.342/5b, Syd.684, B.Vibia 1). *Slightly off centred on the obverse, toned, otherwise good very fine.*

\$120



3596*

Gargilius, Ogulnius and Vergilius, (c.86 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.70 grams), obv. Jupiter (or Apollo Vejovis) head to right, with oak wreath, thunderbolt below, rev. Jupiter in quadriga to right, (S.266, Cr.350A/2, Syd.723, B.i) 226). *Nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$120



3597*

C.Licinius L.f.Macer, (84 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.732 grams), obv. diademed bust of Apollo to left, viewed from behind, brandishing a thunderbolt, rev. Victory in quadriga to right, C LICINIVS L F / MACER in exergue, (S.274, Cr.354/1, Syd.732, B. Licinia 16). *Large flan with off centred reverse, weak in places otherwise very fine or better, scarce.*

\$100



3598*

C. Norbanus, (c.83 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (4.064 grams), obv. diademed head of Venus to right, C. NORBANVS below, XXXXVIII behind, rev. ear of corn, fasces and caduceus within dotted border, (S.278, Cr.357/1b, Syd.739, RSC Norbana 2). *Very fine/extremely fine and scarce.*

\$140



3599*

C. Mamilius Limetanus, (c.82 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.860 grams), obv. Mercury bust to right, caduceus behind, AT monogram above, rev. Ulysses walking to right, his dog before, C. MAMIL behind, LIMETAN before, (S.282 [£85 VF], Cr.362/1, Syd.741, RSC Mamilia 6). *Serrated edge, good very fine and very scarce.*

\$120

A total of 100 obverse dies has been calculated by Crawford for this issuer. The gens Mamilia claimed descent from Ulysses.



3600*

Ti. Claudius, (c.79 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.914 grams), obv. Diana bust to right bow and quiver on shoulder, S.C. before, rev. Victory in biga to right, A.CXXII below, TI CLAVD. TI.F/AP. N in exergue, (S.310, Cr.383/1, Syd.770a, RSC Claudia 6). *Serrated edge, very fine, scarce.*

\$150

The obverse refers to the Sabine origin of the Claudia gens. The number runs to CLXX.

3601

L. Papius, (c.79 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.52 grams), obv. Juno Sospita head to right, wearing goat's skin, amphora symbol behind, rev. Gryphon prancing to right, amphora symbol below, L PAPI in exergue, (S.311, Cr.384/1, Syd.773, RSC Papia 1) (illust.). **C.** Norbanus, (c.83 B.C.), plated silver denarius, Rome mint, (2.92 grams), obv. diademed head of Venus to right, C. NORBANVS below, rev. caduceus, fasces and ear of corn in dotted border, (S.278, cf.Cr.357/1b, cf.Syd.739, cf.RSC Norbana 2); **L.** Rubrius Dossenus, (87 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.95 grams), obv. helmeted bust of Mars to right, DOS behind, rev. Victory in biga to right on chariot, L RVBRI in exergue, (S.260, Cr.348/3, Syd.707, RSC Rubria 3). *The plated example interesting as implements on reverse are in wrong order, first coin serrated, otherwise about fine.* (3)

\$100



3602*

M. Volteius M.f., (c.78 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.668 grams), obv. head of Jupiter laureate to right, rev. temple of Jupiter Capitolinus, M.VOLTEI. M.[F] in exergue, (S.312 [£75 VF], Cr.385/1, Syd.774, B. Volteia 1). *Nearly very fine/fine and very scarce.*

\$100



3603*

M. Volteius M.f., (c.78 B.C.), silver denarius, (3.558 grams), Rome mint, obv. head of young Hercules to right, wearing lion skin, rev. the Erymanthian boar running to right, M. VOLTEI. M.F. in exergue, (S.313 [£110 VF], Cr.385/2, Syd.775, B. Volteia 2). *Even grey patina, slightly off centre on the obverse, nearly very fine and rare.*

\$100

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



3604*

Julius Caesar, (died 44 B.C.), silver denarius, issued 49-48 B.C., mint moving with Caesar, (3.904 grams), obv. elephant to right, trampling on serpent, CAESAR in exergue, rev. pontifical emblems, simpulum, aspergillum, axe and apex, (S.1399, Cr.443/1, Syd.1006, RSC 49). *Off centred both sides, otherwise very fine or better.*

\$400

Ex Allan Sutherland Collection and from Eccles, Auckland Coin Auction No.1 (lot 754).

3605

Mn. Cordius Rufus, (46 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.672 grams), obv. conjoined diademed heads of the Dioscuri to right, each surmounted by a star, RVFVS II[II VIR] below and behind, rev. Venus Verticordia standing left, holding scales and sceptre, Cupid on her shoulder, MN CORDI[VS] behind, (S.440 [£60 VF], Cr.463/1b, Syd.976a, RSC Cordia 2b). *Lightly toned, flat for half the coin, otherwise nearly very fine/fine.*

\$50

3606

Sextus Pompey, (c.45 B.C.), AE As, Spanish or Sicilian mint, obv. laureate head of Janus, MAGN above, (MA ligated), rev. prow to right, PIVS above, IMP below, (S.1394, RPC 671, Cr.479/1, Syd.1044a). *Nearly fine/fine and scarce.*

\$100

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his ticket.



3607*

P. Accoleius Lariscolus, (43 B.C.), silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.82 grams), obv. Acca Larentia bust to right, P. ACCOLEIVS LARISCOLVVS 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 off centred reverse, otherwise, nearly fine and very scarce.*

\$100

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



3608*

Lepidus and Octavian, (Spring Summer 42 B.C.), silver denarius, Italian mint, (3.222 grams), obv. bare head of Lepidus to right, around LEPIDVS PONT MAX III V R.P.C., rev. bare head of Octavian to right, around partial legend, CAESAR IMP III VIR R P C, (S.1523, Cr.495/2C, RSC 2, Syd.1323). *Uneven toning, with flan flaws and possibly a fouree, otherwise fine and rare.*

\$500

Ex Gordon Parry Collection.

3609

Mark Antony, (32-31 B.C.), silver denarius, mint moving with Mark Antony, (3.41 grams), obv. praetorian galley to right with rowers etc., around legends ANT AVG III VIR R.P.C., rev. legionary eagle between two standards, LEG XII above, (S.1479, Cr.544/26, Syd.1230, C. Mark Antony 41); Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 90-91, (3.54 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 right on vessel with owl at feet, in fighting pose holding javelin and shield, (S.2735, RIC 153, RSC 266); Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), silver denarius, issued 103-112 Rome mint, (3.33 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Trajan with drapery on far shoulder, around IMP TRAIANO AVG GER DAC PM TR P COS V P P, rev. trophy of Dacian arms facing, around SPQR OPTIMO PRINC, (S.3168, RIC 216, RSC 529C). *First with porosity, edge knock and scratches, others very fine. (3)*

\$160



3610*

Augustus, (27 B.C. - A.D. 14), silver denarius, Uncertain Spanish mint (Colonia Caesar Augusta), issued 19-18 B.C. (3.58 grams), obv. laureate head of Augustus to right around CAESAR [AVG]VSTVS, rev. DIVVS IVLIVS, across to left and right of eight ray comet with tail upwards, (cf.1607, RIC 37a, C.98, BMC 323). *Slightly off centred on obverse, otherwise very fine and rare.*

\$400

Ex Colin E. Pitchfork Collection sold Noble Numismastics Sale 56 (lot 2060). The Julian star was the comet that appeared in the heavens shortly after the death of Julius Caesar in 44 B.C. It was taken as a sign of the late dictator's divinity. Scientific astronomical calculations have proved that a comet did in fact appear shortly after Caesar's death,



3611*

Agrippa, (died 12 B.C.), posthumous issue struck by Caligula (A.D. 37-41), AE as, (9.53 grams), obv. M AGRIPPA L F COS III, head to left wearing rostral crown, rev. S C, across, Neptune standing to left, holding dolphin and trident, (S.1812 [£150 VF], RIC 58 (Caligula), C.3). *Brown patina, nearly very fine.*

\$150

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his ticket.



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3612*

Tiberius, (A.D. 14-37), plated denarius, Lugdunum mint, issued after A.D. 16, (3.06 grams), obv. laureate head of Tiberius to right, around TI CAESAR DIVI AVG F AVGVSTVS, rev. PONTIF MAXIM Livia seated to right, with inverted vertical spear and branch, (S.1760, RIC 29, BMC 48, C.15); Claudius, (A.D. 41-54), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 40-41, (24.93 grams), obv. laureate head of Claudius to right, around trace of legend, rev. EX S C/OB/ CIVES/ SERVATOS in four lines, oak-wreath around, (S.1849, RIC 96, C.39, BMC 115); Vespasian, (A.D. 69-79), AE dupondius, Lugdunum mint, issued A.D. 77-8, (11.41 grams), obv. radiate head of Vespasian to right, around IMP CAES VESPASIAN AVG COS VIII P P, rev. Victory advancing to left, holding shield inscribed [S P Q R], S C across, (S.2353, RIC 757, C.466); Titus, as Caesar (A.D. 79-81), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issue of A.D. 73, (11.95 grams), obv. T CAESAR IMP COS III CENS, radiate head to right, rev. FELICITAS PVBLICA, Felicitas standing left holding caduceus and cornucopiae, (S.2507, RIC 665) (illustrated); Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 85, (22.71 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMITIAN AVG GERM COS XI, rev. S C across, Domitian standing left Rhine at feet reclining, (S.-, RIC 259, C.503); Nerva, (A.D. 96-98), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 97, obv. radiate head of Nerva to right, rev. around FORTVNA AVGVST, SC across, Fortuna standing to left, holding rudder and cornucopiae, (cf.S.3057, RIC 84, C.69) (illustrated). *Very good - nearly very fine. (6)*

\$250

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.

3613

Claudius, (A.D. 41-54), AE as, Rome mint type, issued 41-42, (10.048 grams), obv. bare head to left, around TI CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG P M TR P IMP, rev. Minerva to right, helmeted and draped, hurling javelin and holding shield, SC in field, (S.1861, RIC 100, BMC 149); Severina, wife of Aurelian, (A.D. 270-275), billon denarius, Rome mint, issued 274-5 (2.406 grams), obv. diademed bust to right of Severina, around, SEVERINA AVG, rev. VENVS AVG around Venus standing left holding apple and sceptre, Γ in exergue, (S.11710, RIC 6, C.14); Magnus Maximus, (A.D. 383-388), AE 2, issue struck as Augustus, Arelate mint, (4.444 grams), obv. D N MAG MAXI[MVS P F] AVG, diademed, draped and cuirassed bust of Magnus Maximus to right, rev. around REP[ARTI]O REIPUB, Maximus standing left raising kneeling female figure, TCON in exergue, (S.4203, RIC 26a, C.3); Constantine I, (A.D. 307-337), AE folles, issued 312-313, Rome mint, (4.310 grams), obv. laureate bust to right, legend around, rev. Legionary eagle between two standards, SPQR OPTIMO PRINCIPI around, (S.3869, RIC 345). *Fine or better, last three very scarce.* (4)

\$200



3614

Claudius, (A.D. 41-54), AE quadrans, Rome mint, issued A.D. 41, (3.140, 3.828, 2.964, 3.488 grams), obv. three legged modius, around TI CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG, rev. S C in centre around PON M TR P IMP COS DES IT, (cf. S.1863, RIC 84) (4); others issued A.D. 41, (2.582, 2.796, 3.780 grams), obv. as above with hand left holding pair of scales, P N R between, rev. PON M TR P IMP P P COS DES IT, S C in centre, (S.1864, RIC 85, BMC 174) (3). *Mostly fine or better, several with incomplete legends but correct RIC variety.* (7)

\$200

A small hoard believed found in Spain several decades ago.



3615*

Nero Claudius Drusus, (Claudius's father) (died 9 B.C.), posthumous issue struck by Claudius, (A.D. 41-2), AE sestertius, (17.734 grams), obv. traces of NERO CLAVDIVS DRVSVS GERMANICVS IMP, Drusus head to left, rev. [TI CLAVDIVS C]AESAR AVG P M TR P IMP around, S C in exergue, Claudius seated left on curule chair with arms around, holding a branch, (S.1896 [o200 F], RIC 93 (Claudius), BMC 157, C.8). *Fine portrait, with legend weakness, otherwise nearly fine and rare.*

\$400

3616

Drusus, son of Tiberius, (died A.D. 23), AE as, Rome mint, issued under Tiberius, A.D. 22-23, (10.26 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); Antonia, mother of Claudius, (died A.D. 37), AE as, Rome mint, issued A.D. 41-42, (9.14 grams), obv. bare head of Antonia to right, around trace of ANTONIA AVGVSTA, rev. trace of TI CLAVDIVS CAESAR 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); Gaius (Caligula), (A.D. 37-41), AE as, Rome mint, issued A.D. 37-38, (10.06 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). *Rough surfaces, first coin fine; second coin very good; third coin good fine but corroded, all scarce.* (3)

\$150

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.



3617*

Nero, (A.D. 54-68), silver denarius, issued c.65, Rome mint, (2.532 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Nero, around NERO CAESAR AVGVSTVS, rev. temple of Vesta, VESTA above, (S.1946, RIC 62, BMC 104, RSC 335). *About fine and scarce.*

\$180



3618*

Nero, (A.D. 54-68), AE As, Lugdunum mint, issued A.D. 67, (10.492 grams), obv. bare head of Nero to right, around IMP NERO CAESAR AVG P MAX TR PPP, rev. S C across, Victory flying left holding in both hands shield inscribed SPQR, (cf.S.1976, RIC 695, BMC 381). *Full legend attractive brown patina, very fine and scarce.*

\$250

3619

Nero, (A.D. 54-68), AE As, Lugdunum mint, issued A.D. 67, (14.956 grams), obv. laureate head of Nero to right, rev. S C across, Victory flying left holding in both hands shield inscribed SPQR, (cf.S.1976, RIC 314); Probus, (A.D. 276-282), base silver antoninianus, Cyzicus mint (3.836 grams), obv. radiate bust to left of Probus cuirassed, wearing imperial mantle and holding eagle tipped sceptre, around IMP C M AVR PROBVS P F AVG, rev. hexastyle temple, Roma seated within, ROMAE AETERNAE, XXIV in exergue, (cf. S.12027, RIC 737); Maximianus, (A.D. 286-305 first reign), AE quarter follis, Siscia mint, issued A.D. 305-6, (1.856 grams), obv. laureate head of Maximianus to right in high relief, around MAXIMIANVS AVG, rev. around GENIO POP V LI ROMANI, Genius standing to left, holding patera and cornucopiae, SIS in exergue, (S.-, RIC 169b [R2]). *Very good - very fine, last a very rare denomination.* (3)

\$120



3620*

Nero, (A.D. 54-68), AE As, uncertain Balkan mint, issued A.D. 64-68 and probably issued before mid 66, (9.99 grams), obv. laureate head of Nero to right, around NERO CLAVDIVS CAESAR AVG [GERM P M TR P], rev. S C across, eagle on globe, (S.-, RIC 439 [1st edn only, citing example in Gotha], C.-, BMC -). *Dark green patina, good fine and extremely rare.*

\$200

RIC Volume I (1st edition) notes the example of Gotha and introduces this as an unusual type, known apparently from single examples. In the RIC second edition a small section at the end of the Nero listing describes Uncertain (Balkan?) Mint. The editor notes them as an issue with several other coins as semi-official aes which are striking Latin - legend coins in a Greek - speaking area and probably in the frontier area occupied by the legions in Upper and Lower Moesia which lay far from other aes mints (a semi-official military mint). MacDowall in Num. Chron. 1960 (pp.106 ff) illustrates the Gotha example (cited above) and list four others in the museums at Copenhagen, Sofia, Warsaw and Leningrad. All seem to have the same unique obverse legend and of similar style and fabric.



3621*

Nero, (A.D. 54-68), AE quadrans, issued 64, Rome mint, (2.266 grams), obv. NERO CLAV CAE AVG GER, column, shield and spear, rev. olive branch, S C across, P M TR P IMP P P around, (cf.S.1987, RIC 255, BMC 294, WCN 350, 355). *Very fine struck on a large flan.*

\$120

With collector's ticket.

3622

Vitellius, (A.D.69), AE as, Rome mint, issued Sept - Oct 69, (11.23 grams), obv. laureate head to right, rev. Ceres seated to left with corn ears and torch, S C across, (S.2221, RIC 145, C.5); other asses of Claudius, rev. Libertas standing, (S.1859); Nero, rev. Victory to left, (S.1976); Domitian, rev. Virtus standing right, 90-1, (S.2817, RIC 397); Hadrian, uncertain type; Gordian III, rev. Laetitia standing left, (S.8782). *Good - very fine, several damaged.* (6)

\$120

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3623

Vespasian, (A.D. 69-79), silver denarius, Rome mint, issue of A.D. 70-71, (3.33 grams), obv. IMP CAES VESP AVG PM, laureate head to right, rev. AVGVR TRI POT, simpulum, "aspergillum", jug and lituus, (S.2281, RIC 29, RSC 42); Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), silver denarius, issued 108, Rome mint, (3.30 grams), obv. laureate head with drapery on far shoulder of Trajan to right, around IMP TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P, rev. Aequitas seated to left, holding scales and cornucopiae, around COS V S P Q R OPTIMO PRINC, (S.3123, RIC 119, RSC 86); another silver denarius, issued 114-117, Rome mint, (3.28 grams), obv. laureate bust, draped to right of Trajan, around IMP TRAIANO OPTIMO AVG GER DAC P M TR P, rev. Genius or Bonus Eventus standing to left, holding patera and corn ears, around COS VI P P S P Q R, (S.3134, RIC 303, RSC 105); Maximinus, (A.D. 235-238), silver denarius, Rome mint, (2.78 grams), issued 236, obv. IMP MAXIMINVS PIVS AVG, laureate, draped and cuirassed bust right, rev. P M TR P II COS P P, Maximinus to left between two military standards, (S.8312, RIC 3, RSC 55). *Toned, nearly fine - good fine.* (4)

\$150

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3624

(Vespasian - Titus), Moesia & Thrace, period of Vespasian and Titus (A.D. 69-79; 79-81), various types, (8.382, 10.316, 5.844, 6.786 grams), AE as with countermarks of TI.CAE, AVG, helmet and dolphin for the first coin; similar for the second, third and fourth coins, all on asses of Augustus, (Martini, No.83, 90, 95, 98 as countermark types in Pangerl Collection of Countermarked Imperial coins). *Countermarks very good - very fine, host coin poor - fair and all scarce, each coin with descriptive tickets.* (4)

\$150

Martini notes the letters which he believes to mean TI(tus?) C(aesar) A(ugustus) and AVG(ustus). He notes these issues as struck generally on issues of Augustus as is this issue with SC in centre. Martini places the issue of this type to the period of Vespasian and Titus. It was in a Thrace-Moesia area that these countermarks were applied to circulating worn coinage.



3625*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), silver cistophorus, Ephesus mint, issued A.D. 82, (11.094 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMITIAN AVG P M COS VIII, rev. legionary eagle between two standards, (S.2718 [£325 VF, £800 EF], RIC 226, RSC 667). *Striking edge flaw, good very fine and rare.*

\$600



3626*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), issued as Caesar under Vespasian, silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 76, (3.482 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around CAESAR AVG F DOMITIANVS, rev. around COS IIII, Pegasus walking to the right, (S.2637, RIC V238, RSC 47). *Extremely fine with mint bloom and very rare in this condition.*

\$1,200

The reverse is copied from a coin of Augustus.



3627*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 88, (3.56 grams), obv. laureate head of Domitian to right, around IMP CAES DOMIT AVG GERM P M TR P VII, rev. around IMP XIII COS XIII CENS P P P, Minerva to left with spear, (S.2731, RIC 110, RSC.233). *Nearly extremely fine and scarce in this condition.*

\$160

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 57 (lot 1113).



3628*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 92-3 (3.614 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 spear, (cf.S.2731 [£160 EF], BMC 207, RIC 174, RSC 278). *Toned, good very fine and scarce.*

\$220

The Reka Devnia hoard contained 81,044 silver denarii and 632 denarii of this ruler but only 5 examples of this variety.



3629*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 88-89, (3.524 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 [o160 EF], RIC 139, RSC 251). *Attractive, good very fine and scarce in this condition.*

\$200



3630*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 91-92, (3.344 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 right on vessel with owl at feet, in fighting pose holding javelin and shield, (cf.S.2735 [£160 EF], BMC 189, RIC 167a, RSC 274). *Nearly extremely fine, lightly toned and scarce.*

\$250

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



3631*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 93-94, (3.426 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 right on vessel with owl at feet, in fighting pose holding javelin and shield, (cf.S.2735 [£160 EF], BMC 216, RIC 176, RSC 284). *Minor flaw on cheek, otherwise nearly extremely fine or better and scarce.*

\$250

The Reka Devnia hoard of 81,044 silver coins contained 632 coins of Domitian, but only 5 coins of this variety.



3632*

Domitian, (A.D. 81-96), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 93-94, (3.794 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). *Attractive, nearly extremely fine and scarce.*

\$260

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



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3633*

Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), silver denarius, issued 103-112 Rome mint, (3.47 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Trajan with drapery on far shoulder, around IMP TRAIANO AVG GER DAC PM TR P, rev. trophy of Dacian arms facing, around COS V P P SPQR OPTIMO PRINC, (S.3132, RIC 147, RSC 98, BMC 358); another issued 116, Rome mint, (2.80 grams), obv. laureate bust draped to right of Trajan, around IMP CAES NER TRAIAN [OPTIM AVG GERM DAC], rev. FORT RED in exergue, Fortuna seated to left, holding cornucopiae and rudder, around P M TR [P COS VI P] P S P Q R, (S.3139, RIC 319, RSC 154a); Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), silver denarius, issued 128, Rome mint, (3.06 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Hadrian, drapery on left shoulder, around HADRIANVS AVGVSTVS, rev. COS III around, Pudicitia veiled standing to left, (cf.S.3478, RIC 178, RSC 393) (illustrated). *Nearly fine - very fine.* (3)

\$120

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.



3634*

Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), AE sestertius, issued 104, Rome mint, (25.26 grams), obv. laureate bust to right of Trajan, around IMP CAES NERVAE TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P [COS V P P], rev. Pax standing to left holding olive branch and cornucopiae with foot on Dacian captive, around S P Q R OP[TIMO PRINCIPI], S C across, (cf.S.3201, RIC 503, C.406). *Brown patination, good fine weak on parts of legend and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Pegasi Numismatics USA (\$195) with ticket and detailed collector's ticket.



lot 3635

3635*

Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), AE sestertius, issued 105, Rome mint, (25.90 grams), obv. laureate bust draped on far shoulder to right of Trajan, around IMP CAES NERVAE TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P COS V P P, rev. Victory standing to left holding palm, erecting a trophy, with arms at base, around S P Q R OPTIMO PRINCIPI, S C in exergue, (cf. S.3201, RIC 525a, C.445). *Some surface roughness, but otherwise nearly very fine and very scarce.*

\$250

With detailed collector's ticket.



3636*

Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), AE sestertius, issued 107, Rome mint, (27.93 grams), obv. laureate bust draped on far shoulder to right of Trajan, around IMP CAES NERVAE TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P COS V P P, rev. Trajan riding to right on galloping horse thrusting a spear at Dacian in front of horse, around trace of S P Q R OPTIMO PRINCIPI, S C in exergue, (S.3204, RIC 534, C.503). *Some surface roughness and some dirt adhering, but otherwise fine or better and very scarce.*

\$150

With detailed collector's ticket.



3637*

Trajan, (A.D.117-138), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued 105, (25.99 grams), obv. laureate bust of Trajan to right, drapery on far shoulder, traces of IMP CAES NERVAE TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR P COS V PP, rev. single span bridge with tower at each end S P Q R OPTIMO PRINCIPI, boat below, S C in exergue, (S.3207, RIC 569, C.542). *Very good.*

\$120

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packet. Although it has been suggested that the reverse represents the famous bridge over the Danube, RIC states that it is "impossible that a bridge of this type was used to negotiate so wide a river as the Danube". RIC suggests that it may be the ancient Pons Sublicus. "Celator" in a June 1995 article by Marvin Tameanko "The "Danube Bridge" on the coinage of Trajan" concludes, that the reverse was a political statement that in essence states "The Senate and the Roman people salute Trajan, the very best of rulers. He defeated our enemies and greatly expanded the empire. He even built large bridges to cross over wide rivers, all for the greater glory of Rome".

3638

Trajan, (A.D.98-117), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued 116, (26.20 grams), obv. laureate draped bust of Trajan to right, around traces of IMP CAES NER TRAIANO OPTIMO AVG GER DAC P M TR P COS VI P P, rev. Fortuna standing to left holding caduceus and cornucopiae, around SENATVS POPVLVSQVE ROMANVS, S C across, (S.3192, RIC 672, C.352); Marcus Aurelius, (A.D. 161-180), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued 161-2, (28.99 grams), obv. laureate head to right, around IMP CAES M AVREL ANTONINVS AVG, rev. CONCORD AVG TR P XV around, COS III in exergue, S C across field, Concordia seated to left, (cf.S.4962, RIC.793, C.-); Philip I, (A.D. 244-249), AE sestertius, Rome mint, (16.45 grams), obv. laureate bust to right, around IMP M IVL PHILIPPVS AVG, rev. Cippus inscribed COS / III, in two lines, around MILIARIVM SAECVLVM, S C across, (S.9000, RIC 157a, C.95). Generally fine, last slightly better. (3)

\$150

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packets.



3639*

Trajan, (A.D. 98-117), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 107, (12.02 grams), obv. radiate bust with drapery on far shoulder of Trajan to right, around IMP CAES NERVAE TRAIANO AVG GER DAC P M TR POT V P P, rev. S P Q R OPTIMO PRINCIPI, S C across, trophy with shield at base, (S.3224, RIC 586, C.573). *Some minor pitting and surface corrosion, otherwise nearly extremely fine and rare.*

\$200



3640*

Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 134-138, (3.37 grams), obv. laureate head of Hadrian to right, around HADRIANVS AVG COS III P P, rev. around FELIC I TAS AVG, Felicitas standing to left, holding caduceus and branch, (S.-, RIC 234, RSC 615). *Good very fine/very fine.*

\$120

Ex Noble Numismatics Sale 57 (lot 1126).



3641*

Hadrian (A.D. 117-138), AE sestertius, issued 134, Rome mint, (25.33 grams), obv. laureate head of Hadrian to right, around HADRIANVS AVGVSTVS COS III P P, rev. FOR[TVNAE] REDVCI, S C in exergue, Hadrian standing to right holding roll, clasping right hand with Fortuna standing to left holding cornucopiae, (S.3600, RIC 761, C.790). *Delightful dark green patination, very fine and rare thus.*

\$400

With detailed collector's ticket.



3642*

Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), AE sestertius, Rome mint, (23.67 grams), issued 128, obv. laureate head of Hadrian to right, around HADRIANVS AVGVSTVS PP, rev. COS III in exergue, around traces of HILARITAS P R, SC across field, Hilaritas standing to left, holding long palm and cornucopiae, small boy and girl either side, (S.3602, RIC 970, C.819). *Even brown patination, fine or better, otherwise rare.*

\$120

Ex Barry Tatum, Forth Worth, USA (\$165) with ticket and detailed collector's ticket.



3643*

Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), AE sestertius, Rome mint, (21.74 grams), issued 119, obv. laureate head of Hadrian to right with drapery on far shoulder, around IMP CAESAR TRAIANVS HADRIANVS AVG, rev. S C in exergue, around PONT MA[X TR POT COS III], Roma seated to left on cuirass, holding Victory and spear, (S.3622, RIC 562b, cf.C.1187). *Even dark green patination somewhat uneven on reverse, very fine bust of Hadrian, otherwise good fine and rare.*

\$300

With detailed collector's ticket.

3644

Hadrian, (A.D. 117-138), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 136, (22.26 grams), obv. bare head bust of Hadrian to left, around HADRIANVS AVG COS III PP, rev. Hadrian greeting Mauretania, around ADVENTI AVG MAVRETANIAE, S C in exergue, (cf.S.3567, RIC 897); another (21.17 grams), issued 126, obv. HADRIANVS AVGVSTVS, laureate bust right, rev. Fortuna seated left, holding rudder and cornucopiae, FORT RED in exergue around COS III, S C across, (cf.S.3598, RIC 969); Sabina, wife of Hadrian, (died A.D.137), AE sestertius, Rome mint, (24.92 grams), issued in 130, obv. draped bust to right of Sabina with hair coiled on head, around trace SABINA AVGVSTA HADRIANI AVG P P, rev. Vesta seated to left, S C in exergue, (S.3942, RIC 1020); Aelius, Caesar, (A.D. 136-138), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 137, (14.48 grams), obv. bare head of Aelius to right, around L AELIVS CAESAR, rev. around T[R POT COS II], in exergue [CONCORD], Concordia seated to left holding patera and resting left arm on cornucopiae, (S.3987, RIC 1070). *Generally very good with some porosity, several rare.* (4)

\$200

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.

3645

Sabina, wife of Hadrian, (died A.D.137), AE sestertius, Rome mint, (22.54 grams), issued in 128, obv. draped bust to right of Sabina with hair coiled and piled on head, around traces of SABINA AVGVSTA HADRIANI AVG P P, rev. Ceres seated to left on basket, holding corn ears and torch, S C in exergue, (S.3939, RIC 1019, C.69). *Rough surface, light brown Tiber patination, good fine portrait otherwise very good, rare.*

\$100

Ex Barry Tatum, Forth Worth, USA (\$165) with ticket and detailed collector's ticket.

3646

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued 152-3, (2.81 grams), obv. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XVI, laureate head to right, rev. COS III, Vesta standing left holding simpulum and palladium, (S.4065, RIC 219, RSC 197); Marcus Aurelius, (A.D. 161-180), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 172, (3.48 grams), obv. laureate head of Marcus Aurelius to right, around M ANTONINVS AVG TR P XXV, rev. around COS III, Minerva advancing to right, holding javelin and shield, (cf. S.4885, BMC 555, RIC 230, RSC 124); Commodus, (A.D. 177-192), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 191-192, (3.14 grams), obv. laureate head of Commodus to right, around L AEL AVREL COMM AVG P FEL, rev. around HERCVLI ROMANO AVG, Hercules standing left, holding club and lion skin in left hand, crowning trophy in right hand, (S.5646, RIC 254a, C.202). *Toned, very fine or better.* (3)

\$160

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3647*

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), silver denarii, Rome mint, issued 148, (3.162 grams), obv. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XI, laureate head to right, rev. COS III, Salus standing left holding rudder and feeding a serpent entwined around altar, (cf.S.4075, RIC 167, RSC 280); another Rome mint, issued A.D. 153, (3.148 grams), obv. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XVI, laureate head to right, rev. COS III, Annona standing to left holding two corn-ears and resting left hand on modius, set on prow, (cf.S.4068, RIC 221, BMC 786, RSC 290) (illustrated). *Second toned, both very fine.* (2)

\$150



3648*

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), AE sestertius, (22.39 grams), Rome mint, issued A.D. 139, obv. laureate head of Antoninus Pius to right, around ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P, rev. Pax standing to left, holding a branch and cornucopiae, around TR POT COS II, S C across field, (cf. S.4238, RIC 547, C.856). *Even dark brown patina, nearly very fine and very scarce.*

\$200

With detailed collector's ticket.



3649*

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), AE sestertius, (23.52 grams), Rome mint, issued A.D. 142, obv. laureate head of Antoninus Pius to right, around ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P COS III, rev. Concordia standing to left, holding Victory and legionary eagle, around CONCORDIA EXERCITVVM, S C across field, (S.4157, RIC 600, C.139). *Even dark brown patina, good very fine portrait, otherwise nearly very fine and very scarce.*

\$250

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3650*
Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), AE sestertius, (24.22 grams), Rome mint, issued A.D. 147, obv. laureate head of Antoninus Pius to right, around ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P COS III, rev. Felicitas standing to left, holding Capricorn and caduceus, around FELICITAS AVG, S C across field, (S.4174, RIC 770, C.363). *Even light brown patina, flan crack, rough surface, good fine and scarce.*

\$140

With detailed collector's ticket.



3651*
Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued 148-9, (27.46 grams), obv. ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XII, laureate head to right, rev. COS III, Aequitas standing left, holding scales and cornucopiae, S C across, (S.4162, RIC 855, C.232). *Nearly very fine, attractive brown patina.*

\$150

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packet.



3652*
Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), AE sestertius, (27.71 grams), Rome mint, issued A.D. 152-3, obv. laureate head of Antoninus Pius to right, around ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XVI, rev. Salus standing to left, holding sceptre and feeding a snake arising from altar, around SALVS AVG COS III, S C across field, (S.4216, RIC 906, C.732). *Even dark brown patina, fine and very scarce.*

\$150

With detailed collector's ticket, and with printed purchase ticket from San Diego Coin & Bullion USA marked at \$150.



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3653*

Antoninus Pius, (A.D. 138-161), AE as, (7.94 grams), Rome mint, issued A.D. 148-149, obv. laureate head of Antoninus Pius to right, around ANTONINVS AVG PIVS P P TR P XII, rev. MVNIF[ICENTIA AVG], COS III and S C in exergue, elephant to right, (S.1290, RIC 862, C.565) (illustrated); others with she wolf and twins (6.30 grams) (S.-, RIC 7834); Tiber reclining left, resting on rock, hand on ship, in exergue TIBERIS S C, above TR POT COS III, (S.-, RIC 706a). *Fair - good fine, all scarce.* (3)

\$140

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3654*

Faustina Senior, wife of Antoninus Pius, (d.A.D. 141) silver denarius, (3.28 grams), issued A.D. 143 at Rome mint, obv. DIVA AVG FAV STINA, draped bust to right, rev. AETERNITAS, Aeternitas standing left holding a globe and sceptre, (S.4575, RIC 350a, RSC 34); Faustina Junior, wife of Marcus Aurelius, (died A.D. 175), silver denarius, (3.38 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Faustina, around FAVSTINA AVGVSTA, rev. Hilaritas standing to left, holding palm and cornucopiae, around HILARITAS, (S.5254, RIC 686, BMC 100, RSC 111) (illustrated); another similar (4.07 grams), rev. AVGVSTI P II FIL, Venus standing to left, holding Victory and resting left hand on shield set on helmet, (S.- RIC 495a, RSC 15). *Fine - nearly extremely fine.* (3)

\$180

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.



3655*

Faustina Senior, wife of Antoninus Pius, (died A.D.141), silver denarius, (3.43 grams), issued 145, Rome mint, obv. draped bust to right of Faustina, around DIVA AVG FAVSTINA, rev. Pietas standing to left dropping incense on lighted altar and holding box, around PIETA S AVG, (S.4598, BMC 311, RIC 394a, RSC 234); Lucius Verus, (A.D. 161-169), silver denarius, issued 162, Rome mint, (3.04 grams), obv. IMP L AVREL VERVS 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). *Very fine or better, first lightly toned.* (2)

\$100



3656*

Faustina Senior, wife of Antoninus Pius, (died A.D.141), AE sestertius, (23.55 grams), issued 147, Rome mint, obv. draped bust to right of Faustina, around DIVA FAVSTINA, rev. Aeternitas draped seated to left holding phoenix on globe and sceptre, around AETER NITAS, S C in exergue, (S.4606, BMC 1484, RIC 1103, C.15). *Dark brown patina, very fine, scarce.*

\$180

With detailed collector's ticket and with a ticket indicating from Mail Bid Sale 186 for \$250 (lot 5028).



3659*

Marcus Aurelius as Caesar, (A.D. 161-180), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 152-153, (24.34 grams), obv. bare head of Marcus Aurelius to right, around AVRELIVS CAESAR AVG PII FIL, rev. around TR POT VII COS II, Minerva seated to right, resting on spear and drawing out aegis, shield against chair, S C in exergue, (S.4814, RIC 1309a, C.655). *Brown patina, very fine/good fine with surface roughness and pitting on reverse, scarce.*

\$200

With detailed collector's ticket and with a ticket from Ponterio & Associates.



part

3657*

Faustina Senior, wife of Antoninus Pius, (died A.D.141), AE sestertius, (24.10 grams), issued 147, Rome mint, obv. draped bust to right of Faustina, around DIVA FAV STINA, rev. Juno standing to left holding patera and sceptre, around [I V N O], S C across, (S.4629, BMC 1531, RIC 1143, C.210); **Faustina Junior**, wife of Marcus Aurelius, (d.A.D. 175), AE sestertius, (24.82 grams), obv. around FAVSTINA AVGVSTA, draped bust to right with circlet of pearls, rev. I V N O around, Juno standing to left holding patera and sceptre, peacock at feet, S C across, (cf.S.5276, RIC 1645, C.121) (illustrated). *First with some flan surface flaws, second with brown patina, both fine second scarce. (2)*

\$200

With detailed collector's ticket and first with a ticket indicating from Mail Bid Sale 190 for \$250 (lot 5036).



3660*

Marcus Aurelius as Caesar, (A.D. 161-180), AE sestertius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 152-153, (26.81 grams), obv. bare head of Marcus Aurelius to right, around AVRELIVS CAESAR AVG PII F COS II, rev. Minerva advancing to right, brandishing a javelin and holding a shield, S C across, (S.4808, RIC 1243a, C.576); **Faustina Junior**, wife of Marcus Aurelius, (d.A.D. 175), posthumous AE sestertius, (23.03 grams), obv. around DIVA FAV STINA PIA, draped bust to right, rev. [CONSE CRATIO], altar enclosure with door in front, S C across, (S.5230, RIC 1706, C.76). *First with some surface roughness, second with light brown patina, both fine second scarce. (2)*

\$200

With detailed collector's ticket and second with a ticket indicating from Mail Bid Sale 189 for \$150 (lot 5022).



3658*

Faustina Senior, wife of Antoninus Pius, (d.A.D. 141) AE as, (7.83 grams), issued after 147 B.C., obv. around DIVA FAVSTINA, draped bust of Faustina Senior to right, rev. around AETER NITAS, Aeternitas seated to left on large star covered globe, holding sceptre in left hand, right hand extended, S C in exergue, (S.4639, RIC 1159, C.22, BMC 1551). *Dark tone, weak on reverse legend, otherwise good very fine/very fine and scarce.*

\$120

3661

Marcus Aurelius, (A.D. 161-180), AE as/dupondius as Caesar, issued A.D.156-157, (11.81 grams), rev. Pietas standing to left, sacrificing at altar, TR POT XI COS II, (cf.S.4845, RIC 1343a); **Lucius Verus**, (A.D. 161-169), AE as, Rome mint, (9.78 grams), issued A.D. 163, obv. Laureate head to right, around IMP CAES L AVREL VERVS AVG, rev. Fortuna seated to left, holding rudder and cornucopiae, S C across field, around FORT RED TR POT III, COS II in exergue. (S.5410, RIC 1352); **Commodus**, (A.D. 177-192), AE As, Rome mint, issued A.D. 181, (11.23 grams), obv. laureate head of Commodus to right around M COMMODVS ANTONINVS AVG BRIT, rev. across field S C, around VOTA DEC ANN SVSC TR P VI IMP III, COS III P P in exergue, Commodus sacrificing to left, (S.-, RIC 318, C.976). *Fine - very fine, last with dark green patination.* (3)

\$180

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.



part

3662*

Lucilla, wife of Lucius Verus, (died A.D.182), AE sestertius, Rome mint, (24.29 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Lucilla with hair bound up behind head, around LVCILLA AVG ANTONINI AVG F, rev. IVN[ONILVC]INAE around, Juno seated to left, holding flower and an infant, S C in exergue, (S.5504, RIC 1747, C.37); **Manlia Scantilla**, wife of Didius Julianus, (A.D. 193), AE sestertius, Rome mint, (15.51 grams), obv. Manlia Scantilla bust draped to right, around [MANLIA] SCAN TILLA [AVG], rev. Juno standing to left, peacock at feet, IVNO RE[GINA] around, (S.6083, RIC 18a, C.6) (illustrated). *Fine/very good; very good, last very rare.* (2)

\$250

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.



3663*

Commodus, (A.D. 177-192), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 190, (2.740 grams), obv. laureate head of Commodus to right, around M COMM ANT P FEL AVG BRIT P P, rev. Apollo to right crossed legs, resting on column, around APOL MONET [P M TR P] XV, across COS VI, (S.5628, RIC 205, RSC 22, BMC 275). *Off centred reverse, otherwise nearly extremely fine/good very fine and scarce.*

\$200

3664

Commodus, (A.D. 177-192), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 192, (3.59 grams), obv. laureate head of Commodus to right, around L AEL AVRIL CO MM AVG P FEL, rev. HERCVLI R OM ANO AVG around, Commodus as Hercules standing beside trophy, (S.5646, RIC 254a, RSC

202, BMC 346A); **Septimius Severus**, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 198-200 (3.21 grams), obv. laureate head of Septimius Severus to right, around L SEPT SEV AVG IMP XI PART MAX, rev. around PROVID AVGG, Providentia standing to left, holding wand over globe and sceptre, (cf.S.6354, RIC 139, RSC 587); **Caracalla**, (A.D. 198-217), silver denarius, issued 209, Rome mint, (2.92 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Caracalla, around ANTONINVS PIVS AVG, rev. Libertas standing left, holding pileus and rod, around LIBERTAS AVG, (S.6817, RIC 161, RSC 143). *Very fine or better.* (3)

\$150

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.



3665*

Commodus, (A.D. 177-192), AE dupondius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 179, (13.27 grams), obv. radiate head of Commodus to right, around L AVREL COM MODVS AVG TR P IIII, rev. around IMP III COS II P P, S C across field, Victory advancing left holding wreath and palm, (S.5838, RIC 1614, C.237). *Brown patina, nearly very fine and scarce,*

\$100

Ex Dr. Garth Drewry Collection, Tampa, Florida and Henry Christensen INC, Auction Sale, March 30, 1973 (lot 172).



3666*

Clodius Albinus, (A.D. 195-197), silver denarius, Rome mint (RIC), but now attributed to Alexandria mint (by Bickford-Smith), issued A.D. 193, (2.24 grams), obv. bare head of Clodius Albinus to right, around D CLOD SEP T ALBIN CAES, rev. around FELICI [TA S C]OS II, Felicitas standing to left holding sceptre and caduceus, (S.-, cf.RIC 4, cf.RSC 15). *Large head type, good very fine and rare.*

\$250

Ex Roger A. Bickford-Smith Collection (d. Jan. 1997), CNG Sale 47 (lot 1756 part illustrated). 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.



3667*

Clodius Albinus, (A.D. 195-197), silver denarius, Rome mint issued A.D. 194, (3.21 grams), obv. bare head of Clodius Albinus to right, around D CLOD [SEPT] ALBIN CAES, rev. around [MINER] PACIF COS II, Minerva standing to left holding spear shield and olive branch, (S.6144, RIC 7, RSC 48). *Light grey patina, very fine and scarce.*

\$150

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.



3668*

Clodius Albinus, (A.D. 195-197), AE sestertius, Rome mint issued A.D. 194, (22.64 grams), obv. bare head of Clodius Albinus to right, around D CLOD SEPT ALBIN CAES, rev. around MINER PA[CIF] COS II, S C across, Minerva standing to left holding spear shield and olive branch, (S.6151, RIC 54, C.49). *With several field knocks on obverse, otherwise fine and rare.*

\$150

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his ticket.



3669*

Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, issued 204, Rome mint, (3.922 grams), obv. laureate bust to right of Septimius Severus, around SEVERVS PIVS AVG, rev. Dea Caelestis, holding thunderbolt and sceptre seated facing head right on lion leaping to right, over water which gushes from rock, around INDVLGENTIA AVGG, IN CARTH in exergue, (S.6285, RIC 266, RSC 222). *Slightly off centred, good very fine and scarce.*

\$120

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.



3670*

Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 198 (2.296 grams), obv. laureate head of Septimius Severus to right, around L SEP SEVERVS PER AVG P M IMP XI, rev. around PAR AR AB TR P VI, COS II P P in exergue, two captives seated back to back with trophy between them, (cf.6323, RIC 496a, RSC 359d). *Toned, very fine or better, scarce.*

\$100



3671*

Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 200, (3.450 grams), obv. laureate head of Septimius Severus to right, around SEVERVS AVG PART MAX, rev. around P M TR P VIII COS II P P, Victory hovering to left, holding open wreath with both hands over shield set on base, (S.6333, RIC 150, RSC 454). *Large flan, bright, good very fine and scarce.*

\$100

Ex Marc Melcher Collection.



3672*

Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, issued 199, Rome mint, (3.278 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Septimius Severus, around L SEPT SEV AVG IMP XI PART MAX, rev. Victory hovering to left, holding open wreath with both hands over shield set on base, around VICTORIAE AVGG FEL, (S.6381, RIC 144b, RSC 719). *Slightly off centred, extremely fine.*

\$120

3673

Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 205, (3.72 grams), obv. laureate head of Septimius Severus to right, around SEVERVS PIVS AVG, rev. around P M TR P XIII COS III P P, Roma standing half left holding Victory and reversed spear, (S.6337, RIC 197, cf.C.470); another Emesa mint, issued A.D. 194, (2.64 grams), obv. laureate head of Septimius Severus to right, around IMP CAE [L SEP SEV] PERT AVG IMP VII, rev. around FORT REDVC, Fortuna seated left, holding rudder and cornucopiae, (S.6277, RIC 470, RSC 165); another (3.77 grams), issued A.D. 194, Emesa mint, rev. FORTVN REDVC, Fortuna standing left with anchor and cornucopiae, (S.6277, RIC 379, RSC 173a); another (2.86 grams), issued A.D.197, Rome mint, rev. VOTA PVBLICA, Severus sacrificing, (S.6392, RSC 777). *First coin good very fine, others very good - fine. (4)*

\$150

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packets.

3674

Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-211), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued A.D. 200-1 (3.130 grams), obv. laureate head of Septimius Severus to right, around SEVERVS AVG PART MAX, rev. around RESTITVTOR VRBIS, Septimius in military dress standing to left, sacrificing out of a patera over a lighted tripod and holding a spear, (S.6357, RIC 167a, RSC 599); another silver denarius, Laodicea mint, issued A.D. 198, (2.816 grams), obv. laureate head of Septimius Severus to right, around L SEPT SEV PERT AVG IMP X, rev. around VICT AVGG COS II P P, Victory advancing left, holding wreath and palm, (cf.S.6370, RIC 120c, RSC 694). *Very fine - nearly extremely fine. (2)*

\$140

Ex Marc Melcher Collection.



3675*

Julia Domna, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), silver denarius, issued 201, Rome mint, (3.64 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA AVGVSTA, rev. Isis standing to right, left foot on prow, nursing Horus, rudder against altar behind, around SAECVLI FELICITAS, (S.6606, RIC 577 [Severus], RSC 174). *Extremely fine.*

\$100

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his ticket.



3676*

Julia Domna, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), silver denarius, issued 194, Rome mint, (3.064 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA DO MNA AVG, rev. Venus standing to right, resting on column, holding apple and palm over shoulder, around VENERI VICTR, (S.6608, RIC 632 [Severus], RSC 194, BMC 424). *Good very fine/very fine, lightly toned.*

\$120

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



3677*

Julia Domna, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), AE sestertius, issued 194, Rome mint, (24.98 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA DO MNA AVG, rev. Venus standing to right, resting on column, holding apple and palm over shoulder, around VENERI VICTR, S C across, (S.6631, RIC 842 [Severus], C.195, BMC 123). *Very fine portrait, otherwise fine and rare.*

\$250

With ticket and detailed collector's ticket.

3678

Julia Domna, wife of Septimius Severus, (A.D. 193-217), silver denarius, issued 198, Rome mint, (3.43 grams), obv. draped bust to right of Julia Domna, around IVLIA AVGVSTA, rev. Cybele enthroned to left between two lions, holding branch and sceptre, around MATER DEVM, (S.6593, RIC 564 [Severus], RSC 123); Julia Maesa, grandmother of Elagabalus, (c.A.D.218-225), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued 218-220, (3.16 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); Julia Mamaea, mother of Severus Alexander, (A.D.222-235), silver denarius, Rome mint, issued 222, (2.04 grams), obv. draped bust to right, IVLIA MAMAEA AVG, rev. IVNO CONS E RVATRIX, Juno standing half left, holding patera and sceptre, at feet a peacock, (S.8212, RIC 343, RSC 35). *Second coin nearly fine, others nearly very fine.* (3)

\$120

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his tickets.



3679*

Caracalla, as Caesar, (A.D.198-217), silver denarius, issued 197, Rome mint, (2.260 grams), obv. bare headed bust to right, M AVR ANTONINVS CAES, rev. PRINCIPI IVVENTVTIS, Caracalla in military attire standing left, holding baton and sceptre, trophy behind, (S.6677, RIC 13, RSC 505). *Rough edge as usual, nearly extremely fine.*

\$100



3680*

Caracalla, (A.D. 198-217), silver denarius issued 214, Rome mint, (3.20 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Caracalla, around ANTONINVS PIVS AVG GERM, rev. Genius of the Senate standing left, holding sceptre and branch, around P M TR P XVII COS IIII P P, (S.6833, RIC 246, RSC 247). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$80

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packet.



3681*

Caracalla, (A.D. 198-217), silver denarius, issued 207, Rome mint, (3.44 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Caracalla, around ANTONINVS PIVS AVG, rev. Securitas seated to right, on throne of two cornucopiae, altar at feet, around PONTIF TR P X COS II, (S.6863, RIC 92, RSC 434). *Toned, extremely fine, scarce.*

\$120

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packet.



3682*

Caracalla, (A.D. 198-217), silver denarius, issued 208, Rome mint, (3.472 grams), obv. laureate head to right of Caracalla, around ANTONINVS PIVS AVG, rev. Caracalla on horseback pacing to right, holding spear, enemy kneeling before, around PONTIF TR P XI COS III, PROF in exergue, (S.6874, RIC 108, RSC 510). *Uneven rough edge, extremely fine/good very fine, scarce.*

\$200



3683*

Plautilla (wife of Caracalla), (c. A.D. 202-205), silver denarius, issued 203, (2.91 grams), obv. draped bust of Plautilla to right, around PLAVTILLA AVGVSTA, rev. Pietas standing to right holding a child, around PIETAS AVG, (S.7072, RIC 367, RSC 16). *Nearly extremely fine.*

\$100

Ex Mark Marshan Collection, with his ticket.



3684*

Geta, (A.D.209-212), issued as Caesar 198, silver denarius, Laodicea mint, (3.376 grams), obv. L SEPTIMIUS GETA CAES, bust draped to right, rev. around [FELICI]TAS TEMPOR, Geta, togate standing left holding cornucopiae clasping hands with Felicitas holding long caduceus, (S.7175, RIC 94, RSC 49a). *Lightly toned, nearly extremely fine/good very fine.*

\$80

3685

Geta, (A.D.209-212), issued as Caesar 200, silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.02 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); another issued as Caesar 202, silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.08 grams), obv. P SEPT GETA CAES PONT, bare-headed draped and cuirassed bust to right, rev. around SECVRIT IMPERII, Securitas enthroned to left, holding globe, (S.7200, BMC 240, RIC 20, RSC 183a); another issued as Caesar 206, silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.516 grams), obv. P SEPTIMIUS GETA CAES, bare headed bust draped and cuirassed to right, rev. around PROVID DEORVM, Providentia standing to left, holding wand and sceptre, globe at feet, (S.7197, RIC 51, RSC 170). *Two with flan flaws and cracks, otherwise very fine.* (3)

\$150

Ex Mark Marshan Collection.

3686

Geta, (A.D.209-211), issued as Caesar 199, silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.24 grams), obv. P SEPT GETA CAES PONT, bare-headed bust draped to right, rev. around NOBILITAS, Nobilitas standing frontal, head to right, holding sceptre and palladium, (S.7184, BMC 223-7, RIC 13a, RSC 90); another issued as Caesar 200, silver denarius, Rome mint, (3.19 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); Severus Alexander, (A.D.222-235), silver denarius, issued 231-5, Rome mint, (2.81 grams), obv. laureate bust to right, draped and cuirassed, around IMP ALEXAND DER PIVS AVG, rev. IOVI PRO P VGNATORI, Jupiter nude in fighting attitude to left, holding thunderbolt raised, (S.7870, RIC 235, RSC 76). *Toned, nearly very fine or better.* (3)

\$120

Ex W.J.D. Mira Collection, with his packets.



3687*

Macrinus, (A.D. 217-218), silver denarius, Rome mint, (2.884 grams), issued A.D. 218, obv. bearded Macrinus draped laureate bust to right, around IMP C M OPEL SEV MACRINVS AVG. rev. Aequitas standing to left, holding cornucopiae and scales, around AEQVIT AS AVG, (S.7329, RIC 53, RSC 2b). *Toned, extremely fine and rare.*

\$400

In the Reka-Devnia hoard which contained 330 denarii of Macrinus only 22 were of this variety.



3688*

Macrinus, (A.D. 217-218), silver denarius, Rome mint, (2.336 grams), issued A.D. 218, obv. bearded Macrinus laureate cuirassed bust to right, around IMP C M OPEL SEV MACRINVS AVG. rev. Macrinus seated to left on curule chair, holding globe and short sceptre, around P M TR P II COS P P, (S.7341, RIC 27, RSC 51a). *Toned, good very fine and rare.*

\$250