Session F

Begins at 14:00 PDT on Saturday, May 25, 2019

India

Ancient India



2263. **ANDHRA: Upper Tapti series**, ca. 340-265 BC, AR 15 manas (1.68g), MATEC-3959/64, elephant, taurine and 2 triskeles, lovely EF**, R** $130 - 170



2264. **CHERA: Sangam Era**, ca. 200 BC to 200 AD, AE rectangular (4.82g), Mitch-1998:65, Krishnamurthy-118, Pieper-781 (this piece), elephant right, standard & hill symbol above, trident right // bow & arrow with ankus, VF-EF**, R** $140 - 180



2265. **CHERA: Sangam Era**, ca. 200 BC to 200 AD, AE square (11.84g), Krishnamurthy-100, Pieper-783 (this piece), elephant right, with sun, railed tree, 6-arm symbol, conch, and *nandipada* in the field // bow & arrow with 2 swastikas, light porosity, VF**, R** $140 - 180



2266. **CHERA: Sangam Era**, ca. 200 BC to 200 AD, AE square (8.75g), Mitch-1998:35, Krishnamurthy-84, Pieper-784 (this piece), elephant right, with bow & arrow, battle axe, and several fish in the field // bow & arrow, VF-EF**, R** $160 - 200



2267. **CHOLA: Sangam Era**, ca. 200 BC to 200 AD, AE square (2.47g), Krishnamurthy—, Pieper-788 (this piece), elephant right, umbrella above, flag-standard (?) to right // tiger left, VF**, R** $120 - 160



2268. **CHOLA: Sangam Era**, ca. 200 BC to 200 AD, AE rectangular (1.32g), Krishnamurthy-198var, Pieper-789 (this piece), horse to right, before altar, elephant left, srivatsa & umbrella above // tiger, decent strike, VF**, RR** $120 - 160

2269. **GANDHARA:** LOT of 1 bent-bar shatamana (11.30g) and 5 shanas (total 6.87g), all well-struck in VF condition or better (1 shatamana = 8 shana); retail value $300, **lot of 6 pieces** $170 - 220

2270. **GANDHARA:** LOT of 1 bent-bar shatamana (11.33g) and 5 shanas (total 6.80g), all well-struck in VF condition or better (1 shatamana = 8 shana); retail value $300, **lot of 6 pieces** $170 - 220



2271. **GUPTA: Chandragupta II**, 383-412, AV dinar (7.86g), Mitch-4796 ff, Archer type: king standing, nimbate, holding arrow & bow, Garuda standard to left // Lakshmi, nimbate, seated on lotus, holding diadem & stylized cornucopia, legend *sri vikrama* to right, bold VF $600 - 700



2272. **GUPTA: Kumaragupta I**, 409-450/452, AV dinar (8.18g), Mitch-4836/38, Kumar, Class III.C, p. 313, horseman type: Kumaragupta riding horse to right // Lakshmi seated left on wicker stool, feeding twig to peacock at left, VF-EF $1,400 - 1,800



2273. **GUPTA: Chandragupta IV**, ca. 470+, AV dinar (8.59g), Kumar p.385, type A, king standing, nimbate, holding bow & arrow, Garuda standing to left, no inscription // Lakshmi, nimbate, seated on lotus, holding diadem & stylized cornucopiae, lovely VF-EF**, RR** $1,600 - 2,000

This issue of Chandragupta IV is distinguished by the addition of a small altar between the king's head and the top of the Garuda standard and the weight. Of the 100+ Archer types of Changragupta dinars listed on CoinArchives, none are of Chandragupta IV.



2274. **CHATTISGARH: Prasannamatra**, ca. 525-550, AV bracteate (1.33g), Garuda bird facing, flanked by discus and sankh shell; crescent and pellet flanking head, well struck, choice EF $200 - 250



2275. **INDO-GREEK: Apollodotus I**, ca. 180-160 BC, AE unit (9.51g), Bop-6K, Apollodotus, holding bow and arrow // tripod, very attractive strike, lovely VF $110 - 150



2276. **INDO-GREEK: Eukratides II**, ca. 145-140 BC, AR tetradrachm (16.49g), Bop-1H, diademed bust right // Apollo standing, holding arrow & resting his left arm on his bow, VF-EF $300 - 400



2277. **INDO-GREEK: Antialkides**, ca. 115-95, AR drachm (2.43g), Bop-12A, helmeted bust of the king // Zeus Nikephoros seated on throne, holding long spear, facing the protome of an elephant, superb strike, choice EF $140 - 200



2278. **INDO-GREEK: Antialkides**, ca. 115-95 BC, AE unit (8.35g), Bop-17B/C, bust of Zeus right, holding thunderbolt // caps of the Dioscuri, lovely example, VF-EF $110 - 150



2279. **INDO-GREEK: Philoxenos**, ca. 100-95 BC, AR square drachm (2.43g), Bop-4D, king's head, diademed // king on horseback, helmeted, galloping right, lovely EF $140 - 180



2280. **INDO-GREEK: Philoxenos**, ca. 100-95 BC, AE square drachm (2.42g), Bop-6A, helmeted bust of the king right // horseman right, attractive strike, VF $100 - 150



2281. **INDO-GREEK: Hermaios**, ca. 90-70 BC, AR tetradrachm (8.58g), Bop-16, S-7736, diademed bust right // Zeus enthroned, monogram to left and right, a very pleasing example for type! EF $100 - 150



2282. **INDO-GREEK: Apollodotus II**, ca. 80-65 BC, AR drachm (2.31g), Bop-2A, diademed bust right // Athena Alkidomes standing, holding shield decorated with aegis and hurling thunderbolt, superb strike, well-centered on broad flan, EF $120 - 160



2283. **INDO-GREEK: Apollodotus II**, ca. 80-65 BC, AR drachm (2.38g), Bop-2D, king's head right // Athena Alkidomes standing, holding shield decorated with aegis and hurling thunderbolt, choice VF-EF $90 - 110



2284. **INDO-GREEK: Dionysios**, ca. 65-55 BC, AE round ½ obol (3.52g), Bop-—, Apollo standing, holding bow, all within beaded circle // diadem, surrounded by Kharosthi legend, tentative attribution, Fine**, RR** $100 - 150



2285. **INDO-GREEK: Zoilos II**, ca. 55-35 BC, AR drachm (1.83g), Bop-1M, king's head right // Athena Alkidomes standing, holding shield decorated with aegis and hurling thunderbolt, unusually light weight, superb strike, EF $110 - 150



2286. **INDO-GREEK: Zoilos II**, ca. 55-35 BC, AR drachm (2.33g), Bop-1M, king's head right // Athena Alkidomes standing, holding shield decorated with aegis and hurling thunderbolt, superb strike, EF $110 - 150



2287. **INDO-GREEK: Zoilos II**, ca. 55-35 BC, AE square double obol (17.05g), Bop-3—, Apollo standing, holding bow and tall staff // tripod, control marks not recorded by Bopearachchi, never cleaned, VF**, R** $120 - 160



2288. **INDO-GREEK: Zoilos II**, ca. 55-35 BC, AE round ½ obol (3.96g), Bop-8F, elephant walking right // tripod, VF**, RR** $120 - 160

2289. **INDO-GREEK:** LOT of 6 silver drachms: Apollodotus I (square, elephant); Menander (3 pcs, one each of the diademed bust, helmeted bust, and javelin bust); Antimachos, and Hermaios (2 pcs); average VF, some better; retail value $400, **lot of 7 pieces** $200 - 260

2290. **INDO-GREEK:**LOT of 6 silver drachms: Apollodotus I (square, elephant); Menander (helmeted bust, and 2 examples of the diademed bust); Hermaios, and Apollodotus II; average VF and a couple nicer; retail value $325, **lot of 6 pieces** $180 - 240



2291. **INDO-SCYTHIAN: Vonones**, ca. 100-65 BC, AR tetradrachm (9.35g), Mitch-2147, king on horseback, holding long spear // Zeus standing, holding thunderbolt & long staff, with initial in field assigned by Mitchiner to a theoretical mint at the city of Bannu, VF-EF $110 - 150



2292. **INDO-SCYTHIAN: Azilises**, ca. 57-35 BC, AR drachm (2.32g), Mitch-—, king on horseback // city goddess standing left, holding lamp & palm branch, EF**, R** $130 - 160

Same design as the relatively common tetradrachm, Mitchiner-2270 ff.



2293. **INDO-SCYTHIAN: Azes**, ca. 57-12 BC, AR drachm (2.32g), Mit-2206/09, Senior-76.3D, Zeus standing, holding ribboned scepter // winged Nike, with wreath & palm frond, VF**, R** $150 - 200



2294. **INDO-SCYTHIAN: Azes II**, ca. 35 BC to 5 AD, AE square lepton (1.44g), Mitch-2302, elephant // humped bull, VF**, R** $100 - 120



2295. **INDO-SCYTHIAN: Azes II**, ca. 35 BC to 5 AD, lead unit (8.15g), Senior-112.20var, Hermes standing, but without holding the caduceus // city god standing, holding the cornucopia, usual weak strike characteristic of the lead pieces, Fine**, RR** $100 - 120



2296. **INDO-SCYTHIAN SATRAPS: Rajuvula**, ca. 25-15 BC, AR drachm (2.28g), Senior-151.20, diademed and draped bust right // Athena Alkidemos standing left, bold strike, EF $130 - 170



2297. **INDO-SCYTHIAN SATRAPS: Rajuvula**, ca. 25-15 BC, AR drachm (2.27g), Senior-151.20, diademed and draped bust right // Athena Alkidemos standing left, some weakness near the rim, VF-EF $120 - 140



2298. **INDO-SCYTHIAN SATRAPS: Bhadrayasha**, ca. 100 AD, AR drachm (2.30g), Senior-160-2D, diademed bust right // Pallas standing, with abbreviated name of Zoilos in Greek on obverse, but Bhadrayaha in Kharosthi on reverse, bold VF-EF $130 - 170



2299. **KIDARITE: Kidara**, circa 380-400+, AV dinar (7.97g), Mitch-3695 ff, king left with trident // seated goddess Ardoksho, choice EF $150 - 190



2300. **KUNINDA: Amughabhuti**, late 2nd century BC, AR drachm (2.16g), Mitch-4440/41, deer & goddess // stupa & ancillary symbols, EF $100 - 150



2301. **KUSHAN: Vima Kadphises**, ca. 105-127, AE tetradrachm (16.83g), Mitch-3008 ff, 1st series, fabulous strike, rarely found in this quality, EF $180 - 220



2302. **KUSHAN: Vima Kadphises**, ca. 105-127, AE tetradrachm (17.04g), Mitch-3008 ff, Pieper-1188 (this piece), 1st series, bold strike, well above average quality, EF $120 - 160



2303. **KUSHAN: Kanishka I**, ca. 127-152, AV ¼ dinar (1.96g), G-41, bust of Kanishka to left, wearing peaked triangular cap, emerging from the clouds, holding spear // the fire deity Athsho standing, holding diadem, with the Kushan tamgha below the diadem, decent Fine**, RRR** $1,000 - 1,400

Only one example of this type is listed by Göbl (same reverse die), but there are 5 examples on CoinArchives (all from same dies). All of the full dinars and most of the quarter dinars of Kanishka I show him standing, but he appears on some quarter dinars with only his bust, always emerging from the clouds, all of them at least very rare.



2304. **KUSHAN: Kanishka I**, ca. 127-152, AV ¼ dinar (1.98g), G-46 (same reverse die), Kanishka standing, holding tall spear and offering sacrifice at an altar // deity Miiro standing, nimbate, extending hand in benediction, with the deity's name spelled just without the final , excellent strike from slightly worn dies, EF**, RRR** $1,000 - 1,400

Only one example with this spelling error listed on CoinArchives (same reverse die, different obverse die), sold at Triton Auction XVIII.



2305. **KUSHAN: Kanishka I**, ca. 127-152, AV ¼ dinar (2.00g), G-47, Kanishka standing, holding tall spear and offering a sacrifice at the altar // Athsho standing, holding diadem; bold strike from slightly worn dies, choice EF**, RRR** $1,000 - 1,400

Göbl lists only 1 example of this type, a severely worn specimen, probably of the same reverse die, uncertain for the obverse. There are just two examples on CoinArchives, both from the same dies as this piece. Interestingly, the reverse die for this piece is the same reverse die as Göbl-41, the bust above the clouds type! This substantiates the rarity of the Athsho quarter dinars of Kanishka I (and most other quarter dinars of this ruler).



2306. **KUSHAN: Kanishka I**, ca. 127-152, AV ¼ dinar (1.99g), G-50.1 (same dies), Kanishka standing, holding tall spear and offering a sacrifice at the altar // deity Nanashao standing, nimbate, holding scepter & box; gorgeous bold strike, beautifully centered on both obverse & reverse, choice EF**, RRR** $1,000 - 1,400

One of just 2 examples of this type shown by Göbl; there are also only 2 examples on CoinArchives.



2307. **KUSHAN: Kanishka I**, ca. 127-152, AV ¼ dinar (1.98g), G-74A (same dies), Kanishka standing, holding tall spear and offering a sacrifice at the altar // deity Pharro standing, nimbate, holding tall scepter, bold strike, choice EF**, RRR** $1,000 - 1,400

Only one example of this type shown by Göbl, and just one recorded on CoinArchives.



2308. **KUSHAN: Kanishka I**, ca. 127-151, AV dinar (7.97g), G-34, King standing, offering sacrifice over altar, holding long scepter, and wearing his sword pointing downwards // the moon diety Mao (Mirhra) with right hand extended in benedictional gesture and cradling globe-tipped scepter in left arm, light ding in obverse field, superb strike, choice EF-AU $1,200 - 1,500



2309. **KUSHAN: Kanishka I**, ca. 127-151, AE tetradrachm (15.80g), G-785, Burns-175, Cribb dies q/15, king standing, holding goad & scepter, offering sacrifice at altar, royal legend around // Sakyamuni Buddha facing, right hand raised in gesture of *abhyamudra,* left hand holding his robe, somewhat blundered legend reading CAKAMANO BOYDO, well-centered, with full reverse inscription, VF**, RR** $1,300 - 1,500

A somewhat nicer specimen from the same pair of dies was sold at the Triton Auction XV, Lot 1370 (2012).



2310. **KUSHAN: Huvishka**, ca. 155-187, AV ¼ dinar (1.98g), G-188 (different dies), half bust of Huvishka above the clouds, wearing pointed crown and holding mace & ankus // the moon deity Mao standing, offering diadem, choice EF**, RR** $600 - 800



2311. **KUSHAN: Huvishka**, ca. 155-187, AV ¼ dinar (2.00g), G-337 (same dies), half bust of Huvishka above the clouds, round crown & diadem, holding mace & ankus // the sun-diety Miiro (Mithra) standing, his name misspelled as , raising hand in benediction and holding scepter, two small nicks on the obverse, bold strike, EF**, RR** $600 - 700

A very rare variety of the relatively common Miiro quarter dinars, with the misspelled name. Only 2 examples are cited on CoinArchives, both with the same reverse die as this piece, but different obverse dies.



2312. **KUSHAN: Huvishka**, ca. 155-187, AV ¼ dinar (1.87g), G-—, Donum Burns—, Huvishka seated, with legs crossed, upon the clouds, holding staff, somewhat blundered legend around (as found on many of his quarter dinars) // deity Nanashao (without the last A, thus NANAShO), nimbate, holding cornucopia, VF**, RRR** $1,500 - 2,000

This appears to be a totally unpublished obverse type for the quarter dinars of Huvishka, but is known for two exceedingly rare full dinars, one portraying Nana (Göbl-299) on the reverse, the other with Ardoksho (Göbl-305), both listed by Göbl with just one known example. Surprisingly, the cross-legged portrait above the clouds is common for the copper coins of Huvishka, which are also frequently with blundered obverse text.



2313. **KUSHAN: Huvishka**, ca. 155-187, AE tetradrachm (11.58g), G-Donum Burns-1617, Pieper-1234 (this piece), king on elephant, holding long trident // the moon-deity Mao standing, EF**, RR** $150 - 200

Posthumous issue of eastern origin, with blundered Greek legends on both sides.



2314. **KUSHAN: Vasu Deva I**, ca. 191-230+, AV ¼ dinar (2.01g), G-510 (different dies), Vasu Deva standing, holding long staff and offering sacrifice at altar, trident to left // Siva standing, holding trident & diadem, the bull in the background, superb bold strike, choice EF**, R** $700 - 800

The trident to the left dates this piece in the latter years of his reign. Extremely delightful example of this moderately rare type, seldom found in this magnificent quality.



2315. **KUSHAN: Vasu Deva I**, ca. 191-230+, AV ¼ dinar (1.88g), G-516 (same dies), Vasu Deva standing, holding long staff and offering sacrifice at altar, without the trident at the left // Siva standing, holding trident & diadem, without the bull, excellent strike, choice VF-EF**, RR** $700 - 800

This type, without the bull, is much rarer than the Siva & bull type, and this is an unusually well-struck example.



2316. **KUSHAN: Vasu Deva I**, ca. 191-230+, AV dinar (8.02g), Mitch-3358, king standing, holding trident & sacrificing over altar, nandipada to right // Siva and bull, traces of mount having been removed, mostly at the top of both sides, choice EF $500 - 600

Struck during the early period of the broad flan variety, with the nandipada, either late during his reign or shortly after his death.



2317. **KUSHAN: Vasu Deva I**, ca. 191-230+, AV dinar (7.94g), Mitch-3389/90, king standing, holding trident, sacrificing over altar, 2nd trident to left // Siva & bull, OEShO to right, toughra to left, well-centered strike with full inscriptions, EF $500 - 600



2318. **KUSHAN: Vasishka**, ca. 240-260, AV ¼ dinar (1.96g), G-560, Vasishka standing, normal pattern, with letters *Vai / Tha / Pida* within the portrait // Ardoksho enthroned, holding cornucopia & diadem, her name to the right, tamgha left, lovely EF**, R** $600 - 700

Mitchiner also assigns this type to Vasishka.



2319. **KUSHAN: Vasishka**, ca. 240-250, AV dinar (7.90g), Mitch-3505var, G-630, king standing, sacrificing over altar, with trident to left, legend *JiRa / DRa / RaDa* // Siva and the bull, elongated flan, EF**, R** $450 - 550



2320. **KUSHAN: Vasishka**, ca. 240-250, AV dinar (7.78g), Mitch-3554, king standing, sacrificing over altar, with trident to left, legend *ga / va / chhu* // Ardoksho enthroned, EF $550 - 650



2321. **KUSHAN: Anonymous**, 3rd century, AE fraction (1.16g), Mitch-—, king standing, nimbated, holding staff & offering sacrifice at altar // Ardoksho, probably seated, VF-EF**, RR** $100 - 120



2322. **KUSHAN: Kapinada**, ca. 350-375, AV dinar (7.68g), Mitch-3584/88, king standing, sacrificing over altar, with trident to left, legend, citing *BaSaTa* below his arm // Ardoksho entrhoned, choice AU $450 - 550



2323. **KUSHAN: Gadahara**, ca. 360-375, AV dinar (stater) (7.83g), Mitch-3592, king standing, offering sacrifice at altar, with trident above the altar, Brahmi legend *KaPa / PiRyaSa / GaDaHaRa* // Ardoksho enthroned, facing, some double-striking on the reverse, choice EF $400 - 450

"PiRyaSa" is the name of Peroz, who was the founder of the Kidarite dynasty.



2324. **KUSHAN: Gadahara**, ca. 360-375, AV dinar (stater) (7.78g), Mitch-3592, king standing, sacrificing over altar, with trident to left, legend *KaPa / PiRyaSa / GaDaHaRa* // Ardoksho entrhoned, VF-EF $450 - 550



2325. **MALAYAMAN: Anonymous**, 1st century AD, AE square (4.23g), Krishnamurthy-241, Pieper-792 (this piece), horse facing right, before altar // river flowing below 3 hills, ankusa & ovoid symbol to left, VF-EF**, RRR** $160 - 200

It has been suggested that the ovoid symbol on this lot and lot 2326 represents the capital Tirucoilur on the banks of the Ponnaiyar River.



2326. **MALAYAMAN: Anonymous**, 1st century AD, AE square (3.59g), Krishnamurthy—, Pieper-793 (this piece), horse facing right, before altar // river flowing below 3 hills, ankusa & ovoid symbol to right, unpublished type & likely unique, VF-EF**, RRR** $200 - 240



2327. **MALAYAMAN: Anonymous**, 1st century AD, AE rectangular (3.44g), Krishnamurthy-218, Pieper-797 (this piece), horse facing left, *damaru* to left, ankusa, taurine & crescent above // flowing river from 3 hills, fish and ankusa to left, appears to be an unpublished type, choice VF**, RRR** $180 - 220



2328. **MALAYAMAN: Anonymous**, 1st century AD, AE square (4.60g), Krishnamurthy-218, Pieper-797 (this piece), horse facing right, *damaru,* ankusa, taurine & crescent around // flowing river, city symbol, and traces of an ankusa, VF**, RR** $140 - 180



2329. **ORISSA: Sri Rama**, 13th century, AV fanam (0.49g), *sa* in center, name above, date below // couched bull, symbols around, excellent strike, EF *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 120



2330. **PANDYAS: Anonymous, Sangam age**, ca. 200 BC to 200 AD, AE rectangular (12.80g), Mitch-1998:155, Pieper-768 (this piece), railed tree, *nandyavarta,* bull, hill, etc. // stylized fish as dynastic emblem, some porosity, VF**, RR** $140 - 180



2331. **PANDYAS: Anonymous, Sangam age**, ca. 200 BC to 200 AD, AE rectangular (9.35g), Mitch-1998:174, Pieper-769 (this piece), elephant, with trident & human figure to right, symbols above, including wheel, *damaru,* crescent, etc. // stylized fish as dynastic emblem, attractive patination, VF**, RR** $140 - 180



2332. **PANDYAS: Anonymous, Sangam age**, ca. 200 BC to 200 AD, AE rectangular (6.02g), Mitch-—, Pieper-772 (this piece), elephant, curved line above, railed pole right flanked by conch & *srivatsa* // stylized fish dynastic emblem, porous, VF**, RR** $140 - 180

2333. **SATAVANHANAS:** LOT of 7 lead coins, sometimes called double karshapanas: three pieces of the Chutukulananda series (Mitchiner-1998:26 ff), three of the Mulananda series (Mitchiner-1998:35 ff), and one unattributed type, average F-VF condition; retail value $400, **lot of 7 pieces** $180 - 260



2334. **TAXILA: Anonymous**, ca. 2nd-1st Century BC, AE square unit (12.11g), elephant right, hill above // lion left, swastika above & hill before, lovely strike, especially the reverse, EF $100 - 140



2335. **VARDHANA: Siladitya**, ca. 606-647, AR drachm (2.28g), Mitch-4933/37, derived from the late Gupta silver drachms, fan-tail Garuda reverse, with ruler's name in full, EF**, RR** $350 - 400



2336. **VATSA: Punchmarked**, ca. 500-400 BC, AR karshapana (2.81g), Ra-1203var, 4 punches (scorpion, two chakra, plough), overstruck on a Chedi punchmarked coin (bull, sun within crescent, animal, and candelabra, cf. MATEC-3637), VF**, RR** $300 - 350

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2337. **CEYLON: Anonymous**, ca. 1st century BC, broad AE round (7.22g), Mitch-5046, Pieper-774 (this piece), elephant, railed tree, ankus, etc. // railed tree, standing figure, swastika, etc., one small scrape on obverse; flipped over & restruck, VF-EF**, RR** $200 - 250



2338. **CEYLON: Anonymous**, ca. 1st-2nd century AD, AE Lakshmi plaque (7.33g), Mitch-1998:153, Pieper-768 (this piece), Lakshmi standing on lotus, grasping 2 stalks, 2 small elephants at the top, watering her head // swastika standard, 35x16mm, VF**, R** $180 - 220



2339. **CEYLON: Anuradhapura period**, ca. 3rd/4th century, AE square (4.94g), Smith-pl.XXII, 19, Pieper-773 and Zeno-219591 (both this piece), bull left, facing small altar, row of symbols above, including *vajra,* stupa, swastika, and *srivatsa* // flower pot in circle, some porosity, especially on reverse, decent strike for this extremely rare type, VF**, RRR** $250 - 350



2340. **CEYLON: Anonymous**, 3rd/4th century, lead round (1.55g), cf. Zeno-31312, Pieper-776 (this piece), railed tree flanked by *nandipadas* // swastika standard, taurines left & right, VF**, RR** $130 - 170



2341. **CEYLON: Pallava period**, 7th/8th century, AE round (10.31g), Jayasinghe-26 (p.330), Pieper-778 (this piece, =Zeno-219615), palm-tree in a pot, flanked by what has been interpreted as two crocodiles // flower pot between 2 lamp standards, exceedingly rare, probably unique (as described on Zeno), VF**, RRR** $300 - 400



2342. **CEYLON: Pallava period**, 7th/8th century, AE roundish (4.54g), Jayasinghe-29 (p.330), Pieper-779 (this piece), bull kneeling to left, double crescent above, lamp left // elephant, conch above, small plant on left, VF**, RRR** $200 - 250

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2343. **CHITALDURG: Madakeri Nayaka I**, 1565-1602, AV pagoda, Fr-381, Mitch-939, Durga seated facing wearing turreted headdress // Devanagari inscription "Sri Pratapa Krishnaraya", a superb lustrous strike, NGC graded MS64 $250 - 300



2344. **CHITALDURG: Madakeri Nayaka I**, 1565-1602, AV pagoda, Fr-381, Mitch-939, Durga seated facing wearing turreted headdress // Devanagari inscription “Sri Pratapa Krishnaraya”, NGC graded AU55 $200 - 250



2345. **GAHADAVALAS OF KANAUJ: Govinda Chandra**, ca. 1114-1154, debased AV 4½ masha (4.00g), De-145, Lakshmi seated // 3-line Devanagari legend, VF-EF $110 - 130



2346. **GAHADAVALAS OF KANAUJ: Govinda Chandra**, ca. 1114-1154, debased AV 4½ masha (4.06g), De-145, Lakshmi seated // 3-line Devanagari legend, VF-EF $110 - 130



2347. **GAHADAVALAS OF KANAUJ: Govinda Chandra**, ca. 1114-1154, debased AV 4½ masha (3.87g), De-145, Lakshmi seated // 3-line Devanagari legend, VF $100 - 120



2348. **GAHADAVALAS OF KANAUJ: Govinda Chandra**, ca. 1114-1154, debased AV 4½ masha (3.84g), De-145, Lakshmi seated // 3-line Devanagari legend, VF $100 - 120



2349. **KALACHURIS OF KALYANI: Bijaya Kalachuri**, ca. 1156-68, AV punched pagoda (3.33g), Mitch-1998:280, Garuda running in the center, nimbate, surrounded by *sri* twice, lion 4 times, ankus and Kannada text, EF**, R** $350 - 450



2350. **KASHMIR: Harshadeva**, 1089-1101, AR dinar (3.13g), man, wearing angular headdress and holding spear, seated on horseback right; “Sri Harshadeva” in Sarada script above // goddess seated facing on lotus, holding lotus and vase, finer style, EF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $400 - 500

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2351. **KASHMIR: Harshadeva**, 1089-1101, AR dinar (3.13g), man, wearing angular headdress and holding spear, on horseback right; “Sri Harshadeva” in Sarada script above // goddess seated facing on lotus, holding lotus and vase, VF-EF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $300 - 400

Published by Joe Cribb and Mobin Ahmed, “The coins of the Kashmir king Harshadeva (AD 1089-1101) in the light of the ‘Gujranwala’ hoard,” Journal of the Oriental Numismatic Society, No. 208 (Summer 2011), pp. 28-33.



2352. **PARAMARAS OF VIDARBHA: Jagadeva**, 12th century, AV pagoda (3.69g), cf. Zeno-79212, pelleted spearhead, “Sri Jagadeva” in Nagari, and two geometrical punches of a curving “D” shaped design, uniface as always, choice EF**, R** $300 - 400

Published by B. Rath in the Numismatic Digest, vol. 17 (1993), pp. 52-53.



2353. **SAMATATA: Sri Jivadharma**, ca. 650s/660s, AV stater (5.86g), Mitch-2000:64, archer, holding bow & arrow // goddess standing right, with flowing drape, debased inscription, still legible, choice EF $350 - 450



2354. **VIJAYANAGAR: Hara Hara II**, 1377-1404, AV ½ pagoda, Fr-350, Mitch-1998:412, Siva & Parvati seated, holding trident & damaru, clear legend on reverse, bold strike, NGC graded MS64 $200 - 250



2355. **VIJAYANAGAR: Devaraya I**, 1406-1422, AV pagoda, Fr-352, Mitch-1998:450, Siva & Parvati seated, holding antelope head & damaru, bold strike, NGC graded AU58 $200 - 250



2356. **VIJAYANAGAR: Devaraya I and II**, 1406-1446, AV ½ pagoda (1.70g), Mitch-897var, Siva & Parvati seated // stylized Nagari legend, possibly posthumous issue, bold strike, lovely EF $100 - 150



2357. **WESTERN GANGAS: Anonymous**, ca. 11th-13th century, AV pagoda (3.90g), Mitch-702, caparisoned elephant // floral decoration, EF $240 - 280



2358. **WESTERN GANGAS: Anonymous**, ca. 11th-13th century, AV pagoda (3.93g), Mitch-702, caparisoned elephant // floral decoration $280 - 325

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2359. **BENGAL: Muhammad Bakhtiyar Khalji**, 1204-1206, AV ¼ tanka of 20 ratti (2.31g), NM, DM, G-B3, in the name of the Ghorid Muhammad Shah in Devanagari, as *srima ha- / -mira mahama- / -da samah,* horseman left, holding mace, decent strike, some weakness around the rims, an attractive example overall, VF *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $2,000 - 2,600

Known dated VS1262 and 1263, but almost always with the date either off flan or illegibly engraved.



2360. **DELHI: Iltutmish**, 1210-1235, AR tanka (10.83g), NM, ND, G-D38, Sind region type, with the royal honorific title *nâsir amir al-mu'minin*, VF *, ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $140 - 180



2361. **DELHI: Ghiyath al-Din Balban**, 1266-1287, AV tanka, Hadrat Delhi, AH679, G-D155, magnificent bold strike, NGC graded MS64 $1,000 - 1,300



2362. **DELHI: Muhammad II**, 1296-1316, AV tanka (11.12g), Hadrat Delhi, AH705, G-D221, superb strike, with full inscriptions on both sides, almost never found in this quality, choice EF-AU $700 - 900



2363. **DELHI: Tughluq I**, 1320-1325, AV tanka (10.93g), Hadrat Delhi, AH721, G-D301, lovely strike, well centered, choice VF-EF $550 - 600



2364. **DELHI: Tughluq I**, 1320-1325, AV tanka, Hadrat Delhi, AH722, G-D301, NGC graded MS63 $600 - 750



2365. **DELHI: Tughluq I**, 1320-1325, AV tanka (11g), Qal'a Deogir, AH724, G-D302, lovely bold strike, EF $550 - 650



2366. **DELHI: Muhammad III b. Tughluq**, 1325-1351, AV tanka (11.04g), Baldat Qutbabad, AH726, G-D321, clear mint & date, in the name of his deceased father Tughluq, EF**, S** $650 - 750



2367. **DELHI: Muhammad III b. Tughluq**, 1325-1351, AV dinar, Hadrat Delhi, AH726, G-D331, with the pledge of belief to Islam on the obverse, well-centered strike, NGC graded MS61 $800 - 900



2368. **DELHI: Muhammad III b. Tughluq**, 1325-1351, AV dinar, Hadrat Delhi, AH726, G-D331, with the pledge of belief to Islam on the obverse, well-centered strike, NGC graded AU58 $700 - 800



2369. **DELHI: Muhammad III b. Tughluq**, 1325-1351, AV dinar (12.81g), Hadrat Delhi, AH726, G-D331, lovely bold strike, VF-EF**, S** $750 - 850



2370. **DELHI: Muhammad III b. Tughluq**, 1325-1351, AV dinar (12.80g), Hadrat Delhi, AH727, G-D331, bold strike, EF $700 - 900



2371. **DELHI: Muhammad III b. Tughluq**, 1325-1351, AV dinar, Hadrat Delhi, AH726, G-D334, in the obverse legend, the sultan calls himself as a servant hoping for the mercy of God, *al-'abd al-raji rahmat Allah,* lovely strike, NGC graded MS62 $800 - 900



2372. **DELHI: Muhammad III b. Tughluq**, 1325-1351, AV dinar, Hadrat Delhi, AH727, G-D334, in the obverse legend, the sultan calls himself as a servant hoping for the mercy of God, *al-'abd al-raji rahmat Allah,* nice strike, NGC graded AU55 $650 - 750



2373. **DELHI: Muhammad III b. Tughluq**, 1325-1351, AV dinar, Hadrat Delhi, AH728, G-D334, in the obverse legend, the sultan calls himself as a servant hoping for the mercy of God, *al-'abd al-raji rahmat Allah,* nice strike, NGC graded AU55 $600 - 700



2374. **DELHI: Muhammad III b. Tughluq**, 1325-1351, BI ½ tanka (7.22g), NM, AH730, G-D411, the obverse bears part of the Qur'an verse 4:59, with the father's name Tughluq below, choice EF**, R** $120 - 200



2375. **DELHI: Muhammad III**, 1325-1351, AV dinar (12.87g), Delhi, AH726, G-D443, anonymous, except for al-Hakim, the Abbasid caliph in Egypt, standard circular borders both sides, VF-EF $500 - 600



2376. **DELHI: Firuz Shah Tughluq**, 1351-1388, AV tanka (10.93g), G-D462, citing the caliph Abu'l-Fath, with the date largely off flan, but very likely AH761, the best-known date for this type, Fine $500 - 600



2377. **DELHI: Sher Shah**, 1539-1545, AE paisa (20.27g), Qil'a Raisen, ND, G-D899, rare style, with only the mint formula filling the reverse field, with the town name clear, VF**, RR** $100 - 150



2378. **GUJARAT: Nasir al-Din Mahmud III**, 1537-1553, AV tanka, NM, AH954, G-G412, with his full titulature *al-wathiq billah al-mannân nasir al-dunya wa'l-din abu'l-fath,* bold strike, MS65 $1,100 - 1,400

Misidentified on the slab, with date incorrectly read as 964 instead of 954, and assigned to the wrong ruler, Ahmad II instead of Mahmud III.



2379. **MALWA: 'Ala al-Din Mahmud**, 1436-1469, AV tanka (11.07g), [Shadiabad], AH864, G-M21, bold strike, legible date (unlisted by Goron), rare in this quality, choice EF**, R** $900 - 1,100



2380. **MALWA: Ghiyath Shah**, 1469-1500, AR square tanka (10.87g), NM, AH883, G-M66, 2 testmarks, VF $600 - 700



2381. **MALWA: Ghiyath Shah**, 1469-1500, AV square tanka (10.97g), NM, AH903, G-M67, seems to be an unpublished date for the gold tanka, but common for the silver tanka, bold strike, EF $650 - 750

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2382. **SIND: Yashaditya**, ca. 7th century, AR damma (0.75g), Mitch-—, crowned bust right, 4 pellets atop crown, denticulated border around // trident, ruler's name around in Brahmi script, excellent portrait, choice EF $140 - 170



2383. **SIND: Prachandendra**, ca. 7th century, AR damma (0.51g), Mitch-—, bust right, without crown, denticulated border around // trident, ruler's name around in Brahmi script, VF-EF**, RR** $100 - 120



2384. **SIND: Prachandendra**, ca. 7th century, AR damma (0.55g), Mitch-—, crude bust right, possibly crowned, denticulated border // trident, ruler's name in Brahmi script, VF-EF**, RR** $100 - 120



2385. **SIND: Prachandendra**, ca. 7th century, AR damma (0.50g), Mitch-—, crowned bust right, denticulated border around // trident, ruler's name around in Brahmi script, choice VF**, RR** $100 - 120



2386. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Yamim b. Zayd**, ca. 726-730, AR damma (0.41g), A-4500, Fishman-CS1, *Allah a- / -had Allah / al-samad // ma amara / bihi tamim / bin zayd*, VF**, RR** $150 - 200



2387. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: al-Hakam b. 'Awana**, ca. 730-740, AR damma (0.60g), A-4501, Fishman-CS2, *la ilah / illa Allah //* 3-line legend *'amara bihi / al-hakam / bin 'awana*, lovely VF-EF**, RR** $200 - 300



2388. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: 'Uyayna (b. Musa b. Ka'b)**, 758-760, AR damma (0.23g), A-4510, Fishman-CS10, first half of the kalima // name *uyayna* in Arabic, with Nagari *sri musa putra* below ("son of Musa"), bold VF**, RRR** $200 - 250



2389. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: 'Uyayna (b. Musa b. Ka'b)**, 758-760, AR damma (0.32g), A-4510, Fishman-CS10, first half of the kalima // name *uyayna* in Arabic, with Nagari *sri musa putra* below ("son of Musa"), lightly cleaned, F-VF**, RRR** $120 - 150

The Arabic name "uyayna" is completely off flan, but the bottom portion of the Nagari legend is fully visible, possibly the first known example to show it so completely.



2390. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Da'ud**, ca. 800-820, AR damma (0.54g), A-4511, Fishman-CS12, standard type, showing triplet of dots above & below obverse, and the crescent above reverse, very rare in this quality (average and poorer specimens of this type are now common), choice VF**, R** $100 - 120



2391. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Bishr (b. Da'ud)**, ca. 820-826, AR damma (0.59g), A-4513, Fishman-CS13, legends *billah thiqqa / bishr wa / nasiruhu // muhammad / rasul / Allah,* some weakness on the reverse, VF**, RR** $100 - 120



2392. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Bishr (b. Da'ud)**, ca. 820-826, AR damma (0.54g), A-4514, Fishman-CS14, legends *billah thiqqa / bishr wa / nasiruhu // bism Allah / al-khalifa / al-ma'mun,* referring to the caliph al-Ma'mun (810-833), Fine**, RRR** $100 - 120



2393. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Yahya**, ca. 828-831 or slightly later, AR damma (0.59g), A-4516, Fishman-CS16, legends *billah thiqqa / yahya / wa nasiruhu // muhammad / rasul / Allah,* with annulet above *Allah*, VG-F**, RRR** $100 - 120



2394. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Musa**, ca. 831-836, AR damma (0.47g), NM, A-4518, Fishman-CS18, obverse *la ilah illa Allah / al-malik al-haqq / muhammad rasul Allah / musa;* reverse *al-imam / abi ishaq / amir al-mu'minin / barmaki,* relatively fine calligraphy, lovely strike, choice VF**, RRR** $100 - 130



2395. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Musa**, ca. 831-836, AR damma (0.47g), NM, A-4518, Fishman-CS18, obverse *la ilah illa Allah / al-malik al-haqq / muhammad rasul Allah / musa;* reverse *al-imam / abi ishaq / amir al-mu'minin / barmaki,* relatively fine calligraphy, choice VF**, RRR** $100 - 130



2396. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: 'Imran b. Musa**, ca. 836-840, AR damma (0.49g), NM, A-4518I, Fishman—, obverse *la ilah illa / Allah al-ima(m) / (al-)mu'tasim billah / …;* the reverse *muhammad rasul / Allah 'imran / …..*, VF**, RRR** $200 - 300

This is the first reported coin that can be confidently assigned to 'Imran, with his name boldly clear in the middle line of the reverse, with the caliph al-Mu'tasim (833-842) cited on the obverse.



2397. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: al-Marhal**, ca. 830s, AR damma (0.44g), NM, A-4519, Fishman-CS20, obverse *allah ahad / mimma amara bihi / al-marhal;* reverse *muhammad / rasul / Allah / (barmaki),* some light adhesions only on the reverse, choice EF**, RR** $120 - 150



2398. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: al-Marhal**, ca. 830s, AR damma (0.46g), NM, A-4519, Fishman-CS20, obverse *allah ahad / mimma amara bihi / al-marhal;* reverse *muhammad / rasul / Allah / barmaki,*, choice EF**, RR** $120 - 150



2399. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: al-Marhal**, ca. 830s, AR damma (0.48g), NM, A-4519, Fishman-CS20, obverse *allah ahad / mimma amara bihi / al-marhal;* reverse *muhammad / rasul / Allah / barmaki,* nice strike, choice VF-EF**, RR** $120 - 150



2400. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Anonymous**, ca. 830s, AR damma (0.40g), A-4520, Fishman-CS21, obverse *la ilah illa / Allah wahdahu / la sharik lahu / al-mu'tasim billah,* referring to the Abbasid caliph al-Mu'tasim (833-842), with an undeciphered phrase above; reverse *muhammad / rasul / Allah / barmaki,* nice strike, choice EF**, RRR** $150 - 200



2401. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Anonymous**, ca. 830s, AR damma (0.49g), A-4520, Fishman-CS21, obverse *la ilah illa / Allah wahdahu / la sharik lahu / al-mu'tasim billah,* referring to the Abbasid caliph al-Mu'tasim (833-842), with an undeciphered phrase above; reverse *muhammad / rasul / Allah / barmaki,* bold strike, choice EF**, RRR** $110 - 140



2402. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Umar I**, ca. 854-875, AR damma (0.55g), A-4527, Fishman-HS3, citing 'Umar only on the obverse, full reverse with crescent above and annulet below, very rare in this quality, choice VF**, RR** $100 - 120



2403. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Umar I**, ca. 854-875, AR damma (0.56g), A-4527 or related, **brockage** of the reverse, showing the name 'Umar only on the incuse side (could be the reverse of types other than A-4527 that cite 'Umar at bottom of the reverse), EF $80 - 100



2404. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Umar I**, ca. 854-874, AR damma (0.58g), A-4528, Fishman-HS4x, citing 'Umar only in the 2nd line of the obverse, the caliph al-Muntasir (860-861) at bottom on reverse, nice VF**, RRR** $100 - 120



2405. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Umar I**, ca. 854-874, AR damma (0.57g), A-4528, Fishman-HS4x, citing 'Umar only in the 2nd line of the obverse, the caliph al-Muntasir (860-861) at bottom on reverse, good centering and strike, lovely VF**, RRR** $100 - 120



2406. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: Khatim**, ca. 860s, AR damma (0.55g), A-4531, Fishman-HS6, Khatim cited in obverse center, 'Umar at bottom on reverse, between two annulets, wonderful strike, very rare in the quality, lovely VF**, RR** $120 - 150



2407. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: Yahya**, circa late 860s/870s, AR damma (0.48g), A-4532, Fishman-HS7, Yahya cited in obverse center, 'Umar at bottom on reverse, fully centered obverse, some light adhesions in reverse field, VF-EF**, RR** $90 - 110



2408. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: Yahya**, circa late 860s/870s, AR damma (0.55g), A-4532, Fishman-HS7, Yahya cited in obverse center, 'Umar at bottom on reverse, lovely well-centered strike, VF**, RR** $110 - 140



2409. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: Yahya**, circa late 860s/870s, AR damma (0.50g), A-4532, Fishman-HS7, Yahya cited in obverse center, 'Umar at bottom on reverse, lovely well-centered strike, VF**, RR** $110 - 140



2410. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Umar II**, fl. 912/913, AR damma (0.54g), A-4536, Fishman-HS11, superb strike, showing crescent at top & annulet at bottom of obverse, choice EF $100 - 120



2411. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Ali**, early to mid 900s, AR damma (0.46g), A-4537, Fishman-HS12, 'Ali cited both in the obverse center and at bottom of the reverse, lovely strike, showing the annulets at top and bottom of obverse, choice EF $100 - 120



2412. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Abd Allah II**, fl. 883/884, AR damma (0.55g) (Daybul), A-4542, Fishman-15, top line *billah thiqqa* on obverse, finest style, with complete text, in superb quality, choice EF**, RR** $100 - 130



2413. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Abd Allah II**, early to mid-900s, AR damma (0.60g), A-4549, Fishman-HS22, full kalima divided between obverse & reverse, with the reverse text ending with *al-amir / 'abd Allah,* gorgeous example, almost perfectly struck, EF**, RRR** $130 - 170



2414. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Abd Allah II**, early to mid-900s, AR damma (0.59g), A-4549, Fishman-HS23, full kalima divided between obverse & reverse, with the reverse text ending with *al-amir / 'abd* and *Allah* at the top, bold strike, nearly EF**, RR** $110 - 150



2415. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: 'Abd Allah III**, very early 11th century, AR damma (0.41g), A-4552, Fishman-HS32, type as the late issue of Ahmad, but with *'izz* at bottom of obverse and *al-amir / 'abd Allah* at bottom of reverse, EF**, R** $100 - 120



2416. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: al-Mu'tazz**, ca. early 1000s, AR damma (0.54g), A-4554, Fishman-LH2, with the word *izz* at bottom of obverse instead of *'abd Allah*, *al-mu'tazz* at bottom of reverse, struck from dies much wider than the flan, EF**, RR** $100 - 130



2417. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: al-Muzaffar**, ca. early 1000s, AR damma (0.43g), A-4555, Fishman-HS33, citing 'Abd Allah III (early 5th century) at bottom of obverse, *al-Muzaffar* at bottom of reverse, struck from dies much wider than the flan, as was all too common for the latest Habbarid dammas, EF**, RRR** $110 - 150



2418. **HABBARIDS OF SIND: Abu Mansur**, early 11th century, AR damma (0.41g), A-4565, Fishman—, unknown governor *(a)bu mans(ur)* at bottom of the reverse, unknown name at bottom of obverse, appears to be unpublished, lovely VF**, RRR** $140 - 170

Another variety of Abu Mansur, without the mysterious word below the obverse, has been published by Fishman (LH4).



2419. **POST-HABBARIDS OF SIND: Abu'l-Qasim**, after 1031, AR damma (0.37g), A-4565, cf. Fishman-LH6, citing Abu'l-Qasim below the first half of the kalima on the obverse, and the 'Abbasid caliph al-Qa'im bi-Amr (Allah) around the central triangle on the reverse (thus not related to the Fatimids), bold VF-EF**, RRR** $200 - 250

Fishman assigned this type to the Fatimid al-Mustansir, but that is clearly not the case for this piece. Abu'l-Qasim could be the kunya of the Ghaznavid Mahmud, who died about a year before the accession of the Abbasid caliph al-Qa'im, or the kunya of an unidentified local ruler.



2420. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Muhammad I**, ca. 720s-750s, AR damma (0.60g), A-4568, Fishman-M26, stylized bust right // 3 central pellets, name *lillah muhammad* below, with Arabic letter "waw" below the name, bold VF**, RR** $150 - 200

This is the first issue of the Amirs of Multan to cite the Arab governor's name, presumably Muhammad b. Qasim, who successfully captured the region around Multan.



2421. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Jamal I**, from about 750s, AR damma (0.65g), A-4571A, Fishman-M34, Arabic *lillah wali / jalam wa / nasir* // 3 central pellets, Arabic *jalam lillah* below, bold VF**, RR** $120 - 160



2422. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Muhammad II**, late 8th century, AR damma (0.44g), A-4572, Fishman-M38/41, Arabic *lillah wali / muhammad wa / nasir* // 3 central pellets, Arabic *muhammad lillah* below, VF-EF**, RR** $120 - 160



2423. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Muhammad II**, late 8th century, AR damma (0.38g), A-4572, Fishman-38/41, legend *lillah wali / muhammad / wa nasir* // standard Multan type, *lillah muhammad* below, nice strike, VF**, RR** $100 - 140



2424. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Ahmad I**, circa 800±, AR damma (0.56g), A-4573, Fishman-43/46, legend *lillah wali / ahmad / wa nasir* // standard Multan type, *ahmad lillah* below, nice strike on broad flan, VF**, RRR** $130 - 170



2425. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Jalam II**, ca. 830-840, AR damma (0.50g), A-4576, Fishman-M51, stylized bust right // 3 central pellets, Arabic *lillah jalam* below, VF**, RR** $150 - 200

This type was formerly assigned to the pre-Islamic governor Jaisimha b. Dahir, now disproven.



2426. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Jalam II**, ca. 830-840, AR damma (0.50g), A-4576, Fishman-51, stylized "ruler's head" with nagari *sri* inside // standard Multan type, with *lillah jalam* below, broad flan, VF**, RRR** $120 - 160



2427. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Jalam II**, ca. 830-840, AR damma (0.54g), A-4576, Fishman-51, stylized "ruler's head" with nagari *sri* inside // standard Multan type, with *lillah jalam* below, F-VF**, RRR** $100 - 140



2428. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Jalam II**, ca. 830-840, AR damma (0.61g), A-4577, Fishman-52, Nagari *sri jalama* // standard reverse, also with *lillah jamal*, bold strike, EF**, RR** $100 - 140



2429. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Muhammad III**, after 861/864, AR damma (0.53g), A-4579, Fishman-M59, Nagari *sri mihira deva* ("to the Sun God Mithra") // standard reverse, with *lillah muhammad*, VF**, R** $100 - 140



2430. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Asad**, late 800s, AR damma (0.49g), A-4581, Fishman-M65/70, Nagari *srimad varaha* // standard reverse, with *lillah asad* and an annulet below, bold strike, VF-EF**, R** $100 - 140



2431. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Asad**, late 800s, AR damma (0.54g), A-4581, Fishman-M65/70, Nagari *srimad varaha* // standard reverse, with *lillah asad* below, bold strike, VF**, R** $100 - 140



2432. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Asad**, late 800s, AR damma (0.42g), A-4581, Fishman-M65/70, Nagari *srimad varaha* // standard reverse, with *lillah asad* below, bold strike, VF**, R** $100 - 140



2433. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Asad**, late 800s, AR damma (0.48g), A-4581, Fishman-65/70, Nagari *srimad varaha* // standard reverse, with *lillah asad* below, VF**, R** $80 - 100



2434. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Munabbih I**, fl. 912/913, AR damma (0.54g), A-4584, Fishman-M73/75, Nagari *sri adivaraha* (Adivaraha is the boar incarnation of Vishnu) // standard reverse, with *lillah munabbih*, VF**, R** $100 - 140



2435. **AMIRS OF MULTAN: Fahad**, ca. 930s/940s, AR damma (0.42g), A-4587, Fishman-M78/79, Nagari *sri amara / siyaka* (Amarasiyaka means "immortal lion") // standard reverse, with *lillah fahad*, VF**, RR** $100 - 140



2436. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR damma (0.53g), A-A702, Nicol-510, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *al-mu'izz lidi- / -n Allah amir / al-mu'minin / ma'add,* of which at least 3 lines are visible on each side, EF**, R** $130 - 170



2437. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-Mu'izz**, 953-975, AR damma (0.51g), A-A702, Nicol-510, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *al-mu'izz lidi- / -n Allah amir / al-mu'minin / ma'add,* of which at least 3 lines are visible on each side, VF $100 - 130



2438. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-'Aziz**, 975-997, AR damma (0.52g), A-A708, Nicol-859, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *nizar abu / mansur / al-imam al-'az- / -iz billah,* of which about 3 lines are visible (as always), bold strike, EF $160 - 200



2439. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-'Aziz**, 975-997, AR damma (0.55g), A-A708, Nicol-859, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *nizar abu / mansur / al-imam al-'az- / -iz billah,* of which about 3 lines are visible (as always), nice strike, VF-EF $130 - 160



2440. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-'Aziz**, 975-997, AR damma (0.48g), A-A708, Nicol-859, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *nizar abu / mansur / al-imam al-'az- / -iz billah,* of which about 3 lines are visible (as always), lovely VF $100 - 130



2441. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-'Aziz**, 975-997, AR damma (0.54g), A-A708, Nicol-859, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *nizar abu / mansur / al-imam al-'az- / -iz billah,* of which about 3 lines are visible (as always), nice VF $100 - 130



2442. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-'Aziz**, 975-997, AR damma (0.55g), A-A708, Nicol-859, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *nizar abu / mansur / al-imam al-'az- / -iz billah,* of which about 3 lines are visible (as always), minor porosity, VF $100 - 130



2443. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-Hakam**, 997-1021, AR damma (0.55g), A-A713, Nicol—, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *al-mansur / abu 'ali al-imam / al-hakim bi-amr / Allah,* of which only about 3 lines are visible (as always), bold strike, EF $160 - 200



2444. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-Hakam**, 997-1021, AR damma (0.47g), A-A713, Nicol—, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *al-mansur / abu 'ali al-imam / al-hakim bi-amr / Allah,* of which only about 3 lines are visible (as always), nice strike, EF $140 - 180



2445. **FATIMID OF MULTAN: al-Hakam**, 997-1021, AR damma (0.46g), A-A713, Nicol—, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *al-mansur / abu 'ali al-imam / al-hakim bi-amr / Allah,* of which only about 3 lines are visible (as always), nice strike, choice VF $120 - 160

The dammas of al-Hakim are much rarer than dammas of the previous Fatimid Imams. Multan was taken by the Ghaznavid, briefly in 1005, then conquered in 1010/11.



2446. **GHAZNAVID OF MULTAN: Mahmud**, at Multan, 1011-1030, AR damma (0.43g), A-4593, Sunni kalima, with *haqqan* below // name of titles of Mahmud in 4 lines (*yamin al-dawla / wa amin al-milla / mahmud bin / nasir al-din*), bold strike, EF**, RR** $150 - 200

Stylistically & calligraphically identical to the last Fatimid issues of Multan, seized by the Ghaznavid briefly in 1005, permanently in 1011. (See also lots 2447 and 2448 below).



2447. **GHAZNAVID OF MULTAN: Mahmud**, at Multan, 1011-1030, AR damma (0.42g), A-4593, Sunni kalima, with *haqqan* below // name of titles of Mahmud in 4 lines (*yamin al-dawla / wa amin al-milla / mahmud bin / nasir al-din*), nice strike with the full word *haqqan* visible below the obverse field, VF-EF**, RR** $140 - 170



2448. **GHAZNAVID OF MULTAN: Mahmud**, at Multan, 1011-1030, AR damma (0.55g), A-4593, Sunni kalima, with *haqqan* below // name of titles of Mahmud in 4 lines (*yamin al-dawla / wa amin al-milla / mahmud bin / nasir al-din*), nice strike, VF-EF**, RR** $120 - 150

2449. **HABBARIDS OF SIND:** LOT of 23 silver dammas and 2 copper falus: The dammas include 4 examples of the scarce Da'ud (A-1493, average F-VF), the rest are common Umar, 'Abd Allah, Ahmad, and the Ghaznavid Mahmud; the copper falus are in poor condition; unidentified, retail value $400, **lot of 25 pieces** $200 - 260

2450. **SIND:** LOT of 4 better silver dammas: (1) Pre-Islamic damma in the name of Yashaditya (EF) (2) Tapanasa damma of Multan: crude portrait // stylized fire altar (EF) (3) Habbarid: Ahmad, A-1502 (EF); and (4) uncertain type, assigned to Malwa 10th century (rare, AU); retail value $420, **lot of 4 pieces** $220 - 300

Mughal Empire



2451. **MUGHAL: Zahir al-Din Babur**, 1st or 2nd reign, at Samarqand, 1497-1498 & 1500-1501, AR tanka (4.72g), NM, AH9xx, A-I2462, Rahman-Cmk.01/02, with two later Timurid countermarks, first A-2439 of Sultan Husayn, Herat mint, and later A-2445 of Badi' al-Zaman for three-tanka denomination, dated AH911, also Herat mint, host largely obliterated, but mint of Samarqand is visible, all three countermarks in VF or better condition, holed & plugged**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $350 - 450



2452. **MUGHAL: Zahir al-Din Babur**, 1500-1530, AV ¼ ashrafi (0.47g), NM, ND, A-M2462, design and arrangement of the legend similar to his silver shahrukhis after his conquest of northern India in 1526, but this was likely struck only at Badakhshan, kalima in spiral Kufic script on the reverse, VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $900 - 1,100



2453. **MUGHAL: Humayun**, 1530-1556, AV fractional mithqal (0.70g), NM, ND, A-A2464, VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 120



2454. **MUGHAL: Humayun**, 1530-1556, AR shahrukhi (4.74g), Agra, ND, A-B2464, EF $100 - 130



2455. **MUGHAL: Humayun**, 1530-1556, AR shahrukhi (4.70g), uncertain mint, AH943, KM—, A-B2464, very clear date within obverse center, 1 testmark, somewhat coarsely engraved Arabic on both sides, F-VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 150



2456. **MUGHAL: Humayun**, 1530-1556, AR rupee (11.27g), Agra, AH962, BMC-11 (probably same obverse die), royal titles in the central area, *muhammad humayun padshah ghazi,* mint formula below (off flan on this example) // the kalima in the central square, the Rashidun named in the margin, several testmarks, VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $1,800 - 2,200

This is an extremely rare Mughal coin, known dated AH962 and 963. Published examples include the noted British Museum piece, Zeno-127518 (dated 963), and Lucknow Museum Supplement #8 (also dated 962). Only one example is cited on CoinArchives (CNGalleries Auction 23, Lot 353), an inferior specimen, unsold.



2457. **MUGHAL: Humayun**, 1530-1556, AR rupee (10.73g), Hadrat Delhi, ND, Zeno-142037 (different dies), royal titles in the central area, *muhammad humayun padshah ghazi,* mint formula below // the kalima in the central circle, the Rashidun named in the margin, several testmarks, overall a nice example of this rarity, F-VF**, RRR**, *ex Manzur H. Mirza Collection* $2,800 - 3,250

This is one of the rarest Mughal coins. There are no examples published in the standard Museum catalogs of the late 19th and 20th century, and none are recorded on CoinArchives. There is one example posted on Zeno (#142037), which is dated AH963, the last year of Humayun's reign.



2458. **MUGHAL: Kamran Mirza**, 1530-1555, AR shahrukhi (3.88g) (Qandahar), DM, A-I2464.2, struck to a reduced weight, used only at Qandahar and Kabul, full bold mint & date, 1 testmark; the style of this piece identifies the mint as Qandahar, usual weakness, VF $100 - 120



2459. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AE dam (20.18g), Tatta, ND, KM-7.x, cf. Zeno-154823, probably struck before the introduction of the Ilahi era (the Zeno piece is of Ilahi 38), with just *Allah akbar* on the obverse, VF**, RR**, *ex Paul Stevens Collection* $120 - 160



2460. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AE dam (19.73g), Tatta, IE38, KM-7.x, cf. Zeno-154823 (different arrangement), with just *Allah akbar* on obverse, VF**, RR**, *ex Paul Stevens Collection* $120 - 160



2461. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AR ½ rupee (5.6g), Patna, IE46, KM-66.4, rare mint for the half rupee, 1 testmark, bold VF**, R** $120 - 160



2462. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AR rupee (11.30g), Ujjain, AH978, KM-80.21, scarce mint, 5 small testmarks, F-VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 150



2463. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AR square rupee (11.44g), Surat, IE38, KM-88.6, month of Aban, 1 testmark, very rare 1-year type, VF-EF**, RR**, *ex Manzur H. Mirza Collection* $140 - 180



2464. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AR rupee (10.93g), Ahmadnagar, IE45, KM-93.3, month of Di, 1 small testmark, bold VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 150



2465. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AR rupee (11.44g), Burhanpur, KM-93.7var, Liddle-S.60, special variety, differs by the location of the month (always Ardibihisht) in the central panel of the reverse, with the Ilahi year above, the mint below, 1 testmark, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 150

The Ilahi year on this piece seems to be either IE37 or IE38. No example of this rare type has been published that reveals the full date.



2466. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AR rupee (11.01g), Elichpur, KM-93.10, month of Khordad, 2 testmarks on obverse, very rare mint for silver coins of Akbar, Fine**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 150



2467. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AV mohur (10.79g), Agra, AH980, KM-106.1, lovely bold strike, EF $900 - 1,000



2468. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AV mohur, Agra, AH983, KM-108.1, magnificent elaborate strike, one of the best preserved mohurs of Akbar that we have ever seen, lovely bold strike, NGC graded MS64 $1,400 - 1,800



2469. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AV mohur, Ahmadabad, AH986, KM-108.2, fantastic strike, and showing the full mint name (except the last letter, which is not important) and full date, NGC graded MS65 $1,200 - 1,500

2470. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, LOT of 3 Mughal & 1 Jaipur coin: **Mughal:** AR round rupee: Ahmadabad AH980 (rare type, VF, mount removed); AR square rupee: Bang 987 (VF, 2 testmarks), and uncertain mint 987 (Fine, 2 testmarks); and **Jaipur:** AR nazarana rupee, Sawai Jaipur 1939 year 18 (EF); retail value $300, **lot of 4 pieces** $180 - 220



2471. **MUGHAL: Selim Shah**, 1605, AR ½ rupee (5.54g), Kabul, AH1014, KM-133.3, Selim was the pre-accession name of Jahangir, bold VF-EF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $500 - 600



2472. **MUGHAL: Jahangir**, 1605-1628, AR rupee (11.35g), Akbarnagar, year 20, KM-145.4, month of Isfandarmuz, 2 modest testmarks, VF**, S**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $120 - 160



2473. **MUGHAL: Jahangir**, 1605-1628, AR rupee (11.25g), Akbarnagar, DM, KM-149.7, rare *gardun* couplet type, known dated AH1019 and 1020, but usually found with date off flan, 4 very small testmarks, EF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $120 - 160



2474. **MUGHAL: Jahangir**, 1605-1628, AR square jahangiri rupee (13.29g), Lahore, AH1015 year 2, KM-157.1, VG**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $250 - 350



2475. **MUGHAL: Jahangir**, 1605-1628, AR sawai rupee (14.13g), Lahore, AH1019 year 5, KM-159.1, PML-1098/99, month of Bahman, border of wreath on both sides, VF**, RRR** $700 - 900

Type KM-159.1 was struck at Lahore in AH1019-1020, always with the month as well as date & regnal year, with a new rhyming couplet for each month. Type KM-159.1 is much rarer than the other round sawai rupee of Lahore, type KM-158.5.



2476. **MUGHAL: Shah Jahan I**, 1628-1658, AR rupee (11.41g), Akbarabad, AH1053 year 17, KM-235.3, wonderful strike on broad flan with full outer margins, 1 testmark and 1 ding, EF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 250

Probably a special issue, perhaps intended for nazarana purposes.



2477. **MUGHAL: Shah Jahan I**, 1628-1658, AV mohur (10.95g), Ahmadabad, AH1040, KM-255.1, either without regnal year, or regnal year off flan, the finest and only example graded at PCGS or NGC of this date, PCGS graded MS64 $1,000 - 1,200



2478. **MUGHAL: Shah Jahan I**, 1628-1658, AV mohur (10.92g), Daulatabad, AH1067 year 30, KM-258.3, finest and only PCGS example of this date and mint, PCGS graded MS63 $1,500 - 2,000

On the slab, the KM number is KM-258.1 (for the Ahmadabad mint), which is incorrect.



2479. **MUGHAL: Shah Jahan I**, 1628-1658, AV mohur (10.93g), Surat, AH1046 year 9, KM-260.15, superb strike, well-centered on broad flan, the finest and only example graded at PCGS or NGC of this date, PCGS graded MS64 $1,400 - 1,600



2480. **MUGHAL: Shah Jahan I**, 1628-1658, AV mohur, Daulatabad, AH(10)47 year 10, KM-260.21, mint name in the left segment of the obverse margin, NGC graded AU55**, R** $800 - 900

The regnal year 10 appears above the letter D of the name Muhammad in the reverse field. It is not a "5" above the first letter of "padshah" on the obverse, but just an ornament. Thus the regnal year is incorrectly cited on the slab.



2481. **MUGHAL: Shah Jahan I**, 1628-1658, AV square mohur (10.77g), NM, ND, KM-—, later imitation, probably 19th or early 20th century, struck for Muslims eager to possess a gold medal bearing the kalima, "there is no deity but God, Muhammad in the messenger of God" (in Arabic), choice EF $500 - 600

2482. **MUGHAL: Shah Jahan I**, 1628-1658, LOT of 8 rupees: Bhakhar AH1046 year 9 (EF); Kashmir year 8 (VF-EF); Lahore 1038 year 2, month of Ardibihisht (F-VF, 1 testmark); Multan 1038 year one (VF, 1 testmark), and 1041 year 5 (VF-EF); Patna 1038 year 2 (F-VF); Tatta 1040 year 3 (VF-EF, 1 testmark); and square rupee NM ND (Good); retail value $450, **lot of 8 pieces** $220 - 300



2483. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur (10.98g), Burhanpur, AH1064, KM-260.6, choice EF $600 - 700



2484. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AR ½ rupee (5.5g), Kabul, AH1074, KM-294.31, very rare mint for the half rupee, some corrosion on the reverse, bold VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 140



2485. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AR rupee (11.52g), Hukeri, AH1110 year 49 (sic), KM-300.33, some edge test marks, lovely strike, lightly cleaned, EF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $110 - 150

This type is classified on Zeno as a Maratha issue (Zeno-32192).



2486. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AR rupee (11.35g), Kanji, AH1106 year 4x, KM-300.46, some adhesions (removable), no testmarks, attractive VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $120 - 160



2487. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AR rupee (11.31g), Karapa (Karappa), year 37, KM-300.97, very rare mint, 2 small testmarks, F-VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $200 - 250



2488. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AR rupee (11.54g), Junagadh, AH1074 year 5, KM-301.2, without any testmarks, bold VF , *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 140



2489. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AR 1/8 rupee nisar (1.38g), Shahjahanabad (Delhi), AH1083, KM-C306.9, obverse text *nisar alamgir padshah ghazi*, test-cut, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $220 - 280



2490. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Akbarabad, AH1083 year 16, KM-315.5, no mint epithet, which was added to coins of Akbarabad in AH1096, NGC graded MS63 $650 - 750



2491. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Aurangabad, AH1071 year 3, KM-315.10, lovely strike, glistening with original luster, PCGS graded MS66 $700 - 900

KM number is clearly 315.10, not 315.35 as indicated on the slab (that number is for the Multan mint).



2492. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur (10.98g), Aurangabad, AH1071 year 3, KM-315.10, fantastic bold strike, minor scratch at top of reverse, original luster, UNC $800 - 1,000



2493. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Aurangabad, AH1072 year 4, KM-315.10, lovely strike, with much lovely original luster, PCGS graded MS66 $700 - 900



2494. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Aurangabad, AH1073 year 5, KM-315.10, lovely strike, with some original luster, PCGS graded MS65 $650 - 800



2495. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur (11.00g), Aurangabad, AH1075 year 7, KM-315.10, gleaming strike, regnal year 7 recut over 6, UNC $800 - 1,000



2496. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur (10.99g), Aurangabad, AH1078 year 10, KM-315.10, bold UNC $800 - 1,000



2497. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Aurangabad, AH1080, KM-315.10, regnal year off flan, tooled, lovely bold strike, very little evidence of tooling, if any an all, PCGS graded UNC details $550 - 650

KM number is clearly 315.10, not 315.35 as indicated on the slab (that number is for the Multan mint).



2498. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Aurangabad, AH1081 year 14, KM-315.10, bold strike, gorgeous background, deeply engraved calligraphy, PCGS graded MS66 $700 - 900



2499. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Aurangabad, AH1082 year 14, KM-315.10, bold lovely strike, PCGS graded MS65 $650 - 800

The regnal year is clearly 14, not 15 as on the slab.



2500. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur (10.97g), Aurangabad, AH1082 year 14, KM-315.10, magnificent strike, UNC $800 - 1,000



2501. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Bijapur, AH1104 year 37, KM-315.15, with mint epithet *dar al-zafar,* "the house of triumph", NGC graded MS60 $650 - 750



2502. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur (10.99g), Bijapur, AH1115 year 47, KM-315.15, with mint epithet *dar al-zafar,* bold strike, choice EF $750 - 850



2503. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Haidarabad, AH1117 year 49, KM-315.20, with the mint epithet *dar al-jihad* below the mint name on the reverse, NGC graded AU50 $600 - 700



2504. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur (10.92g), Khujista Bunyad, AH1112 year 44, KM-315.30, couple rim dings on the reverse, nice strike, VF-EF $550 - 650



2505. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur (10.90g), Shahjahanabad (Delhi), AH1099 year 32, KM-315.42, VF-EF $525 - 625



2506. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur (10.90g), Surat, AH1099 year 24, KM-315.45, fabulous strike, UNC $700 - 800



2507. **MUGHAL: Azam Shah**, 1707, AR rupee (11.4g), Burhanpur, AH1119 year one (ahad), KM-332.3, bold strike, surface hairlines, but very attractive, EF**, RR** $750 - 950



2508. **MUGHAL: Kam Bakhsh**, 1707-1708, AR rupee (11.49g), Nusratabad, year one (ahad), KM-336.6, lovely strike on broad flan, VF**, RRR** $1,000 - 1,200



2509. **MUGHAL: Shah Alam Bahadur**, 1707-1712, AR heavy rupee (11.71g), Tatta, AH1124 year 6, KM-—, special issue with both sides in a hexagonal border, harshly cleaned, VF**, RR** $180 - 220

The heavy rupees of Shah Alam Bahadur were struck at a few mints, principally in AH1123 with regnal year 5, more rarely 1123 year 6, plus a very few examples of 1122 year 4 and 1122 year 5, and only 1122 year 5 for Tatta. The analysis of these heavy rupees by Alan Deshazo was published in the ONS Journal #220 (summer 2014). He shows that at least 10 mints produced these, all very rare, and production was mandated by an Imperial Farman that was retracted very shortly afterwards.



2510. **MUGHAL: Jahandar**, 1712-1713, AR rupee (11.28g), Kashmir, year one (ahad), KM-363.26, some light adhesions, attractive VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $120 - 160



2511. **MUGHAL: Farrukhsiyar**, 1713-1719, AR rupee (11.36g), Qandahar, DM, KM-375.66, with the mint epithet *dar al-qarâr* ("the house of permanence"), 1 banker's mark on the edge, very rare mint, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $450 - 550

This is the Qandahar in the Deccan region of India, not the common Qandahar in Afghanistan (aka Kandahar), which was no longer under Mughal suzerainty during the reign of Farrukhsiyar.



2512. **MUGHAL: Farrukhsiyar**, 1713-1719, AR nazarana style rupee (11.48g), Multan, AH1129 year 6, KM-377.47, 3 testmarks, broad flan with full outer border, choice VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $150 - 200



2513. **MUGHAL: Farrukhsiyar**, 1713-1719, AR nazarana style rupee (11.02g), Multan, AH1130 year 7, KM-377.47, broad flan with full outer border, some corrosion on the reverse, no testmarks, choice VF-EF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 140



2514. **MUGHAL: Rafi-ud-Darjat**, 1719, AR rupee (11.14g), Kora, AH1131 year one (ahad), KM-405.12, rare mint for this short reign, no testmarks, VF**, R**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $140 - 180



2515. **MUGHAL: Rafi-ud-Darjat**, 1719, AR rupee (10.71g), Junagadh, AH1131 year one (ahad), KM-405.26, rare mint for his short reign, 5 small testmarks, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $140 - 180



2516. **MUGHAL: Muhammad Shah**, 1719-1748, AR nazarana rupee (11.39g), Peshawar, AH1136 year 6, KM-436.50, 1 small testmark, broad flan, with nearly complete outer border, lovely VF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $150 - 200



2517. **MUGHAL: Muhammad Shah**, 1719-1748, AR nazarana rupee (10.1g), Shahjahanabad, AH1142 year 13, KM-B438.2, removed from jewelry or other decorative use, harshly cleaned, still very attractive, VF**, RR** $150 - 200



2518. **MUGHAL: Muhammad Shah**, 1719-1748, AV mohur (10.87g), Shahjahanabad (Delhi), AH1152 year 22, KM-439.4, broad flan, lightly cleaned, EF $550 - 650



2519. **MUGHAL: Muhammad Shah**, 1719-1748, AV pagoda, Imtiyazgarh, year 8, KM-E440.1, superb strike, interesting die-break can be seen developing on the reverse die, NGC graded MS62 $250 - 350



2520. **MUGHAL: Ahmad Shah Bahadur**, 1748-1754, AR rupee (11.44g), Multan, AH1161 year one (ahad), KM-446.14, 1 testmark, choice VF *, ex Manzur H. Mirza Collection* $100 - 140



2521. **MUGHAL: Ahmad Shah Bahadur**, 1748-1754, AR rupee (11.31g), Narwar, year 6, KM-446.39, with sharp die polishing marks in the fields, lovely toned, UNC $75 - 100



2522. **MUGHAL: Alamgir II**, 1754-1759, AV pagoda (3.32g), Imtiyazgarh, AH1175, KM-E440.1, posthumous issue (Alamgir II died in 1173), the only recorded date for this type, and one of the finest known examples, with full bold date, choice EF**, R** $300 - 350



2523. **MUGHAL: Shah Jahan III**, 1759-1760, AR rupee (10.93g), Hasanabad, AH1174 year one (ahad), KM-475.7, cleaned and somewhat blackened, very rare mint, VF**, RR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $150 - 200

Lot 2524



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LOT 2524

MUGHAL EMPIRE: Shah Alam II, 1759-1806, AV nazarana mohur, Shahjahanabad, 34mm, (10.69g), AH1218 year 46, KM-721, S&W- 8.2, with mint epithet Dar al-Khilafat, struck in gold, NGC graded MS63+, Certificate #4668521-001

Estimated Value: $60,000 to $80,000
Starting Bid: $50,000

Nazarana, Nazrana or Nazars were presented to the king on special occasions. People, who wanted to present nazars, would order and buy the special struck coins from the mint. For the nazar or nazarana coins, an extra fee had to be paid as the production required extra work. For the mint, it was a nice extra income and almost all the nazarana coins were returned back to the mint again shortly thereafter.

This is only the second example offered for public sale that we are aware of and likely the finest known example!

2525. **MUGHAL:** LOT of 6 silver coins: **Mughal:** AR rupees: Aurangzeb, Islamabad 1107/39; Shah Alam I, Peshawar 1020/3; Jahandar, Lakhnau 1124/one; and Rafi-ud-Darjat, Patna 113(1)/one, mostly VF, most with testmarks; **Durrani:** Ahmad Shah, AR rupee, Dera 1167/7 (VF); and **Zand:** AR double abbasi, Rasht 1180 (VF); retail value $325, **lot of 6 pieces** $180 - 220

2526. **MUGHAL:** LOT of 8 better silver rupees (* for testmarks): **Muhammad Shah:** Farrukhabad 1160/29 (VF-EF*), Lahore 113x/one (EF); Peshawar 1142/12 (VF*); and Shahjahanabad 1131/one (F-VF); **Ahmad Shah:** Muhammadabad Benares 1164/3 (F*); and **Shah Alam II:** Maha Indrapur 1180/7 (VF) and 11xx/11 (VF); and Shahjahanabad 1192/20 (F-VF); retail value $350, **lot of 8 pieces** $180 - 220

Princely States

2527. **ARAKAN:** LOT of 6 silver tankahs, by Mitchiner numbers: M-353, Narrakpadigya, BE1000 (VF, polished); M-363, Sanda Thudhamma, BE1014 (F-VF, pleasing); M-379, Sanda Wizada, BE1072 (Fine); M-383, Sanda Thuriya, BE1093 (choice VF); M-393, Sanda Parama, BE1123 (bold EF); and M-398, Sanda Thumana (choice EF); retail value $650; **lot of 6 pieces** $400 - 600



2528. **AWADH: Nasir-ud-Din Haidar**, 1827-1837, AR ¼ rupee (2.75g), Lucknow, AH1247 year 5, KM-201.1, struck with special dies intended only for the quarter rupee, VF**, RR** $200 - 300



2529. **AWADH: Muhammad Ali Shah**, 1837-1842, AV ashrafi, Lucknow, AH1257 year 5, KM-322.2, with mint formula IV: *mulk awadh bayt al-sultanat lakhnau*, NGC graded EF40**, R** $800 - 1,000



2530. **AWADH: Amjad Ali Shah**, 1842-1847, AV ashrafi (11.72g), Lucknow, AH1261 year 4, KM-342, parasol above crown and fish, nice strike, EF**, R** $900 - 1,200



2531. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1856, AE ¼ falus (3.00g), Lucknow, AH1270 year 7, KM-347, struck with special dies intended only for the quarter falus, choice VF**, R** $110 - 150



2532. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1856, AE ¼ falus (3.00g), Lucknow, AH1270 year 8, KM-347, struck with special dies intended only for the quarter falus, VF-EF**, R** $110 - 150



2533. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1856, AE ¼ falus (3.00g), Lucknow, AH1271 (over zeno) year 8, KM-347, struck with special dies intended only for the quarter falus, VF-EF**, R** $110 - 150



2534. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1858, AR rupee, Lucknow, AH1269 year 6, KM-365.3, lovely toning, lustrous, PCGS graded MS65 $175 - 250



2535. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1858, AR rupee, Lucknow, AH1269 year 6, KM-365.3, brilliant original luster, a superb example! NGC graded MS65 $175 - 225



2536. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1858, AR rupee, Lucknow, AH1269 year 6, KM-365.3, brilliant white original luster, a superb example! NGC graded MS65 $175 - 225



2537. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1858, AR rupee, Lucknow, AH1269 year 6, KM-365.3, lovely toning, lustrous, PCGS graded MS64 $150 - 225



2538. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1856, AR rupee, Lucknow, AH1269 year 6, KM-365.3, fresh surfaces, lustrous, NGC graded MS64 $120 - 150



2539. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1858, AR rupee, Lucknow, AH1269 year 6, KM-365.3, slight uneven tone, lustrous, PCGS graded MS63 $125 - 175



2540. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1858, AR rupee, Lucknow, AH1269 year 6, KM-365.3, slight uneven tone, lustrous, PCGS graded MS63 $125 - 175



2541. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1858, AR rupee, Lucknow, AH1269 year 6, KM-365.3, brilliant original luster, NGC graded MS63 $100 - 150



2542. **AWADH: Wajid Ali Shah**, 1847-1858, AR rupee, Lucknow, AH1269 year 6, KM-365.3, slightly uneven tone, lustrous, PCGS graded MS62 $100 - 150



2543. **BAHAWALPUR: Sadiq Muhammad Khan V**, 1907-1947, AV mohur (9.92g), Bahawalpur, "3", KM-X#M11, proof restrike, light surface hairlines, Proof**, R** $800 - 1,000



2544. **BARODA: Anand Rao**, 1800-1819, AR rupee (11.43g), Jambusar, AH1xxx year 8, Cr-—, in the name of Muhammad Akbar II, EF**, RR** $120 - 160



2545. **BARODA: Sayaji Rao III**, 1875-1938, AR ½ rupee (5.66g), VS1851, Y-35a, EF $150 - 200



2546. **BARODA: Sayaji Rao III**, 1875-1938, AV 1/3 mohur (2.37g), VS1952, Y-38, bold strike, some adjustment marks on obverse, interesting die-break on reverse, choice AU**, RRR** $900 - 1,100

Although the date VS1952 is unpublished for this type, 2 examples are recorded on CoinArchives. Perhaps the die-break occurred early, so that few examples were struck before the die collapsed.



2547. **BARODA: Pratab Singh**, 1938-1951, AR 1/3 mohur, VS1995, Y-M40, bust of the Gaekwar (Gaekwad), cleaned, still an attractive example, NGC graded UNC details $1,500 - 1,700

Silver pattern of the gold 1/3 mohur, probably produced during 1938 or very shortly thereafter.

2548. **BARODA:** LOT of 52 coins, including 33 silver (11 rupees, 16 half rupees, 1 quarter rupee, four 1/8 rupees, and one 1/16 rupee) and 19 copper coins: **Craig numbers:** 19 (2 pcs), 27 (3 pcs), A28, 29.1, 29.7, 33.9, 33.11, 34, 37.1, 37.3 (2 pcs), 38.3, A39, 43, 46 (4 pcs), and 47 (2 pcs); and **Yeoman numbers:** 7.7, 7.8 (2 pcs), 8, 11 (4 pcs), 12, 18 (2 pcs), 20, 21, 23, 26 (3 pcs), 27, 28 (4 pcs), 30.2 (2 pcs). 31.1, 31.2a, and 32.2a (3 pcs); all originally purchased from our stock and now consigned by that collector, all in plastic flips with our original labels, mostly VF condition, some nicer, some less; retail value $1150, **lot of 52 pieces** $650 - 850



2549. **BHAUNAGAR:** AE dokdo (7.61g), Bhaunagar (Bhavnagar), 1825, Cr-15b, in name of Shah Jahan III; the date appears incuse within a raised panel on the reverse, light porosity, F-VF**, RR** $100 - 120



2550. **BIKANIR: Ganga Singh**, 1887-1942, AV ½ mohur (4.41g), VS1994, KM-#M2, Fr-1056, honoring the 50th Anniversary of the Reign of Ganga Singh, Proof $800 - 900



2551. **BIKANIR: Ganga Singh**, 1887-1942, AV nazarana mohur, VS1994, KM-M3, commemorating the 50th Year of Ganga's Reign, slightly bent planchet, NGC graded UNC details $700 - 800



2552. **BIKANIR: Ganga Singh**, 1887-1942, AR rupee, 1892, KM-72, with portrait of Queen Victoria, PCGS graded MS64+ $275 - 375



2553. **BIKANIR: Ganga Singh**, 1887-1942, AR rupee, 1892, KM-72, with portrait of Queen Victoria, PCGS graded MS63+ $225 - 325



2554. **BIKANIR: Ganga Singh**, 1887-1942, AR rupee, 1892, KM-72, with portrait of Queen Victoria, PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



2555. **BIKANIR: Ganga Singh**, 1887-1942, AR rupee, 1892, KM-72, with portrait of Queen Victoria, PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 200



2556. **BURIYA: Rani Sukhan**, fl. 1806-1808, AR rupee (11.00g), AH1221 year 47, SS-305, symbols are the torch on obverse and stylized katar on reverse (same katar as contemporary Rohilkhand coins), choice VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2557. **BURIYA: Rani Sukhan**, fl. 1806-1808, AR rupee (10.80g), AH1222 year 47, SS-305, symbols are the torch on obverse and stylized katar on reverse (same katar as contemporary Rohilkhand coins), VF, **R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2558. **CAMBAY: Jafar Ali Khan**, 1880-1915, AR rupee (11.53g), Khanbayat, AH1315, Y-10, lovely bold strike, AU**, R** $120 - 150



2559. **CAMBAY: Jafar Ali Khan**, 1880-1915, AR rupee (11.52g), Khanbayat, AH1313, Y-10, lovely bold strike, choice EF**, R** $110 - 140



2560. **GWALIOR: Daulat Rao**, 1794-1827, AV mohur (10.82g), Lashkar, frozen year AH1130 year 2, KM-114, rosette symbol in reverse center, choice EF-AU $600 - 700



2561. **GWALIOR: Madho Rao**, 1886-1925, AR rupee (11.02g), Lashkar, year 2(3), KM-159, lovely toning, AU $75 - 100



2562. **GWALIOR: Madho Rao**, 1886-1925, AE ¼ anna (6.37g), VS1946, KM-168.2, pattern, sunface with broad nose, VF-EF $240 - 280



2563. **HYDERABAD: Mir Usman Ali Khan**, 1911-1948, AV ½ ashrafi, AH1345 year 16, Y-56.2. Fr-1166, Char Minar building, superbly lustrous, NGC graded MS64 $1,250 - 1,500

Second highest graded at NGC, with only one graded higher.



2564. **HYDERABAD: Mir Usman Ali Khan**, 1911-1948, AV ½ ashrafi, Farkhanda Bunyad, AH1333 year 4, Y-56.2, very rare date, unlisted in KM, NGC graded MS64**, R** $750 - 850



2565. **HYDERABAD: Mir Usman Ali Khan**, 1911-1948, AV ashrafi, Farkhanda Bunyad, AH1349 year 20, Y-57a, NGC graded MS64 $1,500 - 1,700



2566. **INDORE: Jaswant Rao**, 1798-1811, AR nazarana rupee (11.24g), SE1728 (1806), KM-6, Devanagari legends both sides, well struck, almost perfectly centered, choice VF-EF $450 - 550



2567. **JAIPUR:** AV mohur (10.82g), Sawai Jaipur, AH1206 (sic) year 6, KM-102, in the name of the last Mughal ruler, Bahadur II; the date is an error for AH1260, VF $500 - 600



2568. **JAIPUR: Ram Singh**, 1835-1880, AV mohur, Sawai Jaipur, year 23, KM-125, superb bold strike, struck in the first year that bears the name of Queen Victoria on the obverse; the date on the obverse is 185x for 1858, NGC graded MS65 $600 - 700



2569. **JAIPUR: Madho Singh II**, 1880-1922, AE nazarana paisa (6.39g), 1913 year 34, KM-132, choice AU $100 - 130



2570. **JUNAGADH: Mahabat Khan II**, 1851-1882, AV kori (4.68g), AH1294/VS1934, KM-34, ruler's name in Urdu, SRI DIWAN in Devanagari below // dates at top and right, *gadh* to left ("fort") and *ba* in center (abbreviation of Babi, the Pathan ruling dynasty), choice EF**, RRR** $3,500 - 4,000

One of the rarest gold coins of Junagadh. None are listed on CoinArchives.



2571. **JUNAGADH: Bahadur Khan III**, 1882-1891, AV ½ kori (1.97g), AH1309/VS1947, KM-39, Fr-1243, same legends and arrangment as the AH1309 full kori, PCGS graded MS62 $3,000 - 4,000

A very rare denomination in gold from Junagadh with only one other example having been offered in the past 15 years on CoinArchives.



2572. **JUNAGADH: Bahadur Shah III**, 1882-1891, AV kori (3.84g), Junagadh, AH1309 / VS1947, KM-41, Fr-1242, ruler's name & titles, with *sri diwan* in Devanagari below // mint and both dates, sword below, two small edge nicks, AU**, RR** $1,800 - 2,200

Same dies as the specimen from the Lawrence Adams collection, which was originally purchased from M. Louis Teller in 1981, and sold in the CNG Electronic Auction 366, Lot 214.



2573. **KUTCH: Pragmalji II**, 1860-1875, AV 100 kori (18.75g), Bhuj, 1866//VS1923, Y-19, also citing Queen Victoria, choice EF $1,400 - 1,700



2574. **KUTCH: Madansinghji**, 1947-1948, AV kori, Bhuj, VS2004, KM-84 (M7), Jai Hind - Victory for Indian Independence, off-metal strike in gold, NGC graded MS66 $900 - 1,100



2575. **KUTCH: Madansinghji**, 1947-1948, AV kori, Bhuj, VS2004, KM-84 (M7), Jai Hind - Victory for Indian Independence, off-metal strike in gold, NGC graded MS67 $1,000 - 1,200



2576. **KUTCH: Madansinghji**, 1947-1948, AV kori, Bhuj, VS2004, KM-84 (M7), Jai Hind - Victory for Indian Independence, off-metal strike in gold, NGC graded MS66 $900 - 1,100



2577. **KUTCH: Madansinghji**, 1947-1948, AV kori, Bhuj, VS2004, KM-84 (M7), Jai Hind - Victory for Indian Independence, off-metal strike in gold, NGC graded MS66 $900 - 1,100



2578. **KUTCH: Madansinghji**, 1947-1948, AV kori, Bhuj, VS2004, KM-84 (M7), Jai Hind - Victory for Indian Independence, off-metal strike in gold, NGC graded MS65 $800 - 1,000

Maler Kotla



2579. **MALER KOTLA: Ata'ullah Khan**, 1784-1809, AR rupee (10.88g), "Sahrind", AH(12)13, Cr-—, attribution confirmed by date; the letter *'ayn* of the ruler's name to the left of the reverse is off-flan on this example, VF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 150



2580. **MALER KOTLA: Wazir Khan**, 1809-1821, AR rupee (11.00g), "Sahrind", ND, Cr-—, confirmed by the "whirling" flower on curved stem on left side of the reverse, bold VF-EF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 150



2581. **MALER KOTLA: Amir Singh**, 1821-1845, AR rupee (10.47g), "Sahrind", Cr-15, whirling flower personal mark on straight stem, with date ending in "6", preceeded by either "1" or "9", most likely VS1896 (=AD 1839/40), unpublished and very rare, VF**, RRR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2582. **MALER KOTLA: Mahbub Ali Khan (Sube)**, 1845-1859, AR rupee (10.93g), "Sahrind", ND, Cr-20, 6-petal flower mark, but with both the *alif* of Amir Khan and the "m" of Mahbub Ali within the "S" of *jalus*, EF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2583. **MALER KOTLA: Mahbub Ali Khan (Sube)**, 1845-1859, AR rupee (10.77g), "Sahrind", ND, Cr-20, with the whirling flower personal mark of the previous ruler Amir Khan, but with his letter "m" in the "S" of *jalus,* which stands for *mahbub*, bold VF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2584. **MALER KOTLA: Sikandar Ali Khan**, 1859-1871, AR ¼ rupee (2.68g), "Sahrind", ND, Y-1, fine style, choice VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2585. **MALER KOTLA: Sikandar Ali Khan**, 1859-1871, AR ¼ rupee (2.60g), "Sahrind", ND, Y-1, struck with worn reverse die, F-VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 120



2586. **MALER KOTLA: Sikandar Ali Khan**, 1859-1871, AR rupee (10.87g), "Sahrind", ND, Y-3, 7-point rosette below the Arabic "S" within "S" of *jalus*, choice EF*, ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2587. **MALER KOTLA: Ibrahim Ali Khan**, 1871-1908, AR ¼ rupee (2.59g), "Sahrind", ND, Y-4, Fine**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 120



2588. **MALER KOTLA: Ibrahim Ali Khan**, 1871-1908, AR rupee (10.57g), "Sahrind", ND, Y-6, very rare variety, with star & crescent within the "S" of *jalus*, VF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2589. **MALER KOTLA: Ibrahim Ali Khan**, 1871-1908, AR rupee (10.74g), "Sahrind", AH1292, Y-6, very rare with full clear date, F-VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 150



2590. **MALER KOTLA: Ahmad Ali Khan**, 1908-1947, AR rupee (10.76g), "Sahrind", ND, Y-9, remarkable strike, revealing the star & crescent at the top of the reverse, excellent VF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2591. **MEWAR: Fatteh Singh**, 1884-1929, AR rupee, VS1985, Y-22.2, Swarupshahi series, *dosti lundhun* ("friend of London"), thick letters, NGC graded MS64 $90 - 110



2592. **MYSORE: Haidar Ali**, 1761-1782, AV pagoda, KM-15, Fr-1346, Siva & Parvati seated, holding trisul & goat, respectively // Arabic hard H within granulated surface, NGC graded MS63 $250 - 300



2593. **MYSORE: Tipu Sutlan**, 1782-1799, AR rupee, Patan, AM1218 year 8, KM-126, bold strike, NGC graded MS64 $130 - 170



2594. **MYSORE: Tipu Sultan**, 1782-1799, AR double rupee, Patan, AH1199 year 3, KM-127, fantastic bold strike, lovely steel gray toning, NGC graded MS63 $3,500 - 4,000

With the cyclical year "39", indicated by the Persian word "jalau", which means "splendor".



2595. **MYSORE: Tipu Sutlan**, 1782-1799, AR double rupee, Patan, AM1200 year 4, KM-127, Dav-249, Henderson-44, superb deep strike, PCGS graded MS62 $3,250 - 3,750

With the cyclical year "40", indicated by the Persian word "dalv", which is the sign of Aquarius.

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LOT 2596

MYSORE: Tipu Sultan, 1782-1799, AV 2 pagoda (sadiqi), Patan, AM1217 year 7, KM-A129, **almost certainly the finest known example of this very rare type, NGC graded MS67, RRR,**
sold as part of Lot 55 by Glendinings on 10 November 1976

Estimated Value: $14,000 to $16,000
Starting Bid: $13,000

The coinage of Tipu Sultan (1782-1799) is one of most complex and fascinating series struck in India during the 18th century. Local South India coinage had been struck in the area that became Mysore since ancient times, with the first gold coinage introduced about the 11th century (the elephant pagoda), and other pagodas continuing through the following centuries. These pagoda were always in the South Indian style until the reign of Haidar Ali (1761-1782), who added pagodas with Persian legends, plus a few very rare gold mohurs and silver rupees, always in the name of the Mughal emporer Shah Alam II plus the Arabic letter "h" as the first letter of his name. His successor, Tipu Sultan, continued to issue pagodas, mohurs and rupees, with legends that were completely new. As for copper, the new large paisa was commenced by Haidar Ali in AH1195, two years before his death, with the elephant on the obverse, the mint on the reverse, and was continued throughout the reign of Tipu Sultan, who added other denominations.

Tipu Sultan introduced a set of new Persian names for the various denominations, which appear on all of the gold and silver coins and on some of the copper. Faruqi for the pagoda (Umar al-Faruq, the third caliph) -- Sadîqi for the double-pagoda (Abu Bakr al-Sadiq, the second caliph) -- Ahmadi for the four-pagoda ("most praised", one of the name of the Prophet Muhammad).



2597. **MYSORE: Krishna Raja Wodeyar**, 1799-1868, AV pagoda (3.41g), Cr-210. Fr-1358, Siva and Parvati seated facing; on reverse Devanagari legend *sri krishnaraja*, EF $180 - 220



2598. **MYSORE: Krishna Raja Wodeyar**, 1799-1868, AV pagoda, Fr-1358, Cr-210, Siva & Parvati seated, holding trisul & goat, respectively // name of Krishna Raja in Nagari, a superb bold, lustrous and well-centered strike, NGC graded MS65 $250 - 300



2599. **MYSORE: Krishna Raja Wodeyar**, 1799-1868, AV pagoda, Fr-1358, Cr-210, Siva & Parvati seated, holding trisul & goat, respectively // name of Krishna Raja in Nagari, a superb bold, lustrous and well-centered strike, NGC graded MS65 $250 - 300



2600. **MYSORE: Krishna Raja Wodeyar**, 1799-1868, AV pagoda, Fr-1358, Cr-210, Siva & Parvati seated, holding trisul & goat, respectively // name of Krishna Raja in Nagari, a superb bold strike, NGC graded MS63 $220 - 280

2601. **MYSORE:** LOT of 23 copper paise from the time of Tipu Sultan (1782-1799): Farrukhi (1 pc, date off); Farrukhyab-Hisar: (3 pcs, including 2 dated AM1217, one date off); Faiz-Hisar (3 pcs, one dated AM1216, two dated 1217); Kalikut (1 pc, dated AM1215); Nagar (6 pcs, dated AM1222, 1224, 1125, 1226 [2 pcs], and 1227); and Patan (9 pcs, AH1195, AH1200, the AM dated 1215, 1224 [2 pcs], 1225, undated [2 pcs], and date off); average F-VF condition, a few quite attractive, most with very light porosity or surface discoloration; retail value $700, **lot of 23 pieces** $300 - 400

2602. **MYSORE:** LOT of 16 copper coins: Fractions from the time of Tipu Sultan (1782-1799), all from the Patan mint (11 pcs): **Half paisa:** AM1218 and 1224; and **Quarter paisa:** 1224, 1225 (4 pcs), partial date or date off (4 pcs); average F-VF condition, some with usual discoloration or light porosity; and British period **20 cash** coins, dated 1835, 1837, 1838, 1839, and 1840, all average circulated grade; retail value $400, **lot of 16 pieces** $180 - 260



2603. **NAWANAGAR: Vibhaji**, 1852-1894, AR 2½ kori (7.00g), VS1949, KM-21, choice EF $120 - 160



2604. **NAWANAGAR: Vibhaji**, 1852-1894, AR 2½ kori (7.01g), VS1950, KM-21, lustrous UNC $180 - 220



2605. **PATIALA: Amar Singh**, 1765-1781, AR rupee (11.16g), "Sahrind", AH(11)81, Cr-10. SS-203, blank below the "S" of *jalus*, thus the date must be 1181, not 1191, choice VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2606. **PATIALA: Amar Singh**, 1765-1781, AR rupee (11.18g), "Sahrind", AH(11)88, Cr-10. SS-203, 3 dots below the "S" of *jalus*, nearly VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2607. **PATIALA: Amar Singh**, 1765-1781, AR rupee (11.17g), "Sahrind", AH1191, Cr-10. SS-203, 3 dots below the "S" of *jalus*, full date, choice VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2608. **PATIALA: Amar Singh**, 1765-1781, AR rupee (11.21g), "Sahrind", AH1192, Cr-10. SS-203, 3 dots below the "S" of *jalus*, minor adhesions, VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2609. **PATIALA: Amar Singh**, 1765-1781, AR rupee (11.16g), "Sahrind", AH1194, Cr-10. SS-203, 3 dots below the "S" of *jalus*, full date, VF-EF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $140 - 180



2610. **PATIALA: Sahib Singh**, 1781-1813, AR rupee (11.11g), "Sahrind", AH(12)04, Cr-20. SS-204, flower below the "S" of *jalus*, choice VF *, ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2611. **PATIALA: Sahib Singh**, 1781-1813, AR rupee (11.13g), "Sahrind", AH1205, Cr-20. SS-204, flower below the "S" of *jalus*, VF-EF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2612. **PATIALA: Sahib Singh**, 1781-1813, AR rupee (11.17g), "Sahrind", AH(12)09, Cr-20. SS-204, 7-petal flower to left on reverse, VF-EF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2613. **PATIALA: Sahib Singh**, 1781-1813, AR rupee (11.14g), "Sahrind", AH(12)16, Cr-20. SS-204, 7-petal flower to left on reverse, VF-EF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2614. **PATIALA: Sahib Singh**, 1781-1813, AR rupee (11.03g), "Sahrind", AH]12]18, Cr-20. SS-204, 6-petal flower to left on reverse, date above "U" of *jalus*, lovely VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2615. **PATIALA: Sahib Singh**, 1781-1813, AR rupee (11.08g), "Sahrind", AH1220, Cr-20. SS-204, 7-petal flower to left on reverse, minor adhesions on obverse, EF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2616. **PATIALA: Sahib Singh**, 1781-1813, AR rupee (11.12g), "Sahrind", AH1220, Cr-20. SS-204, 7-petal flower to left on reverse, 5 dots added to the symbol within the "N" of *bechun* in the obverse couplet, probably a very rare variety, choice VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2617. **PATIALA: Sahib Singh**, 1781-1813, AR rupee (11.00g), "Sahrind", ND, Cr-20. SS-204, 5-petal flower to left on reverse, choice VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2618. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (11.06g), "Sahrind", VS(18)94, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark on reverse, VF-EF , *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2619. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (11.03g), "Sahrind", VS1894, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark on reverse, attractive VF , *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2620. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (11.03g), "Sahrind", VS(18)94, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark, choice VF , *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2621. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (10.95g), "Sahrind", VS1895, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark, full date, minor adhesion, EF*, ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2622. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (11.01g), "Sahrind", VS[18]95, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral mark, unexplained "32" on obverse, as found on a few very rare rupees of Karam Singh, Narinder Singh, Mahindar Singh, and Rajinder Singh, choice VF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $130 - 170



2623. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (11.04g), "Sahrind", VS[18]95, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark, VF , *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2624. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (11.06g), "Sahrind", VS[18]96, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark, lovely strike, choice VF*, ex Mohun Singh Collection*$100 - 140



2625. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (11.08g), "Sahrind", VS[18]97, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark, lovely strike, choice VF*, ex Mohun Singh Collection*$100 - 140



2626. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (11.09g), "Sahrind", ND, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark, rare variety with crescent within the "S" of *jalus,* and cross in the exergue, lovely blue toning, EF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $120 - 160



2627. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (10.87g), "Sahrind", ND, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark, rare variety with crescent within the "S" of *jalus,* and floral symbol in the exergue, some light hornsilver on obverse, VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2628. **PATIALA: Karam Singh**, 1813-1845, AR rupee (10.97g), "Sahrind", ND, Cr-30. SS-205, cross-like floral personal mark, rare variety with crescent & flower within the "S" of *jalus*, VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140



2629. **PATIALA: Ajit Singh**, ca. 1813, AR rupee (11.07g), "Sarhind", AH(122)8, Cr-31. SS-204d and 207, scimitar personal mark, representing Ajit Singh, who claimed the throne after the death of his father in 1813, EF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $250 - 350

This very rare type has been assigned to both Sahib Singh (SS-204d) & his son Karam Singh (KM-31, SS-207), but has now been securely assigned to Ajit Singh, son of Sahib and brother of Karam. This is confirmed by issued dated AH1227 (listed by Saran Singh as 1225) and 1228 (this piece), and characterized by the scimitar personal mark. (See also lot 2630 below).



2630. **PATIALA: Ajit Singh**, ca. 1813, AR rupee (11.11g), "Sarhind", ND, Cr-31. SS-204d and 207, scimitar personal mark, representing Ajit Singh, who claimed the throne after the death of his father in 1813, but surrendered to his brother Karam soon afterwards, EF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $250 - 350



2631. **PATIALA: Narinder Singh**, 1845-1862, AR rupee (11.05g), Patiala, AH[12]61, Y-1. SS-212, paddle personal mark, date in the center of *jalus* as just "61", but the "6" is perhaps an error for "9" and the real date is VS1901, which overlaps AH1261 (in 1845, his first year of reign), VF *, ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140

It seems that all standard rupees of Narinder Singh have the mint name Patiala, off-flan on most examples, but clear on this piece.



2632. **PATIALA: Narinder Singh**, 1845-1862, AR rupee (11.08g) (Patiala), AH[12]63, Y-1. SS-212, paddle personal mark, date in the center of *jalus* as just "63", but the "6" is perhaps an error for "9" and the real date VS1903, which overlaps AH1263 (in 1847), VF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $130 - 170

The upper reverse rosette is within a hexalobe, unknown for other dates; same dies as SS-212a illustated.



2633. **PATIALA: Narinder Singh**, 1845-1862, AR rupee (11.04g), Patiala, AH[12]64, Y-1. SS-212, paddle personal mark, date in the center of *jalus* as just "64", but the "6" is perhaps an error for "9" and the real date VS1904, which overlaps AH1264 (in 1848), VF *, ex Mohun Singh Collection* $130 - 170



2634. **PATIALA: Narinder Singh**, 1845-1862, AR rupee (10.99g) (Patiala), VS1902, Y-1. SS-212, paddle personal mark, unusual variety with the date at the top of the reverse, within the "S" of *ma'nus*, VF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $140 - 180



2635. **PATIALA: Narinder Singh**, 1845-1862, AR rupee (11.03g), Patiala, VS1902, Y-1. SS-212, paddle personal mark, date in the center of *jalus,* moderate hornsilver on obverse, much of the mint name visible, VF**, R**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 150



2636. **PATIALA: Narinder Singh**, 1845-1862, AR rupee (11.04g), Patiala, VS1906, Y-1. SS-212, paddle personal mark, date in the center of *jalus*, nice F-VF*, ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 150



2637. **PATIALA: Narinder Singh**, 1845-1862, AR rupee (11.04g) (Patiala), VS1907, Y-1. SS-212, paddle personal mark, date in the center of *jalus*, bold VF *, ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 150.



2638. **PATIALA: Narinder Singh**, 1845-1862, AR rupee (10.95g) (Patiala), VS1909, Y-1. SS-212, paddle personal mark, date in the center of *jalus*, full date, some adhesions on obverse, F-VF *, ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 150

It seems that all standard rupees of Narinder Singh have the mint name Patiala, off-flan on most examples.



2639. **PATIALA: Mahindar Singh**, 1862-1876, AR rupee (11.02g), "Sahrind", ND, Y-3. SS-217, halberd blade personal mark; the number "32" is unexplained (retrograde as "23" on this piece), but appears occasionally on the obverse, VF**, RR**, *ex Mohun Singh Collection* $130 - 170

The number "32" is also found on rupees of Karam Singh, Narinder Singh, and Rajinder Singh.



2640. **PATIALA: Rajinder Singh**, 1876-1900, AR rupee (10.99g), VS[19]42, Y-6. SS-220, katar personal mark, minor adhesion at the rim, VF-EF *, ex Mohun Singh Collection* $100 - 140

Rupees of Rajinder usually lack any mint name.



2641. **PATIALA: Rajinder Singh**, 1876-1900, AR rupee (10.99g), VS[19]43, Y-6. SS-220, katar personal mark, VF-EF *,*
ex Mohun Singh Collection $100 - 140



2642. **PATIALA: Rajinder Singh**, 1876-1900, AR rupee (10.97g), VS[19]44, Y-6. SS-220, katar personal mark, VF *,*
ex Mohun Singh Collection $100 - 140



2643. **PATIALA: Rajinder Singh**, 1876-1900, AR rupee (10.97g), VS[19]45, Y-6. SS-220, katar personal mark, F-VF *,*
ex Mohun Singh Collection $100 - 140



2644. **PATIALA: Rajinder Singh**, 1876-1900, AR rupee (10.97g), VS[19]46, Y-6. SS-220, katar personal mark, F-VF *,*
ex Mohun Singh Collection $100 - 140



2645. **PATIALA: Rajinder Singh**, 1876-1900, AR rupee (10.96g), VS[19]47, Y-6. SS-220, katar personal mark, choice VF *,*
ex Mohun Singh Collection $100 - 140



2646. **PATIALA: Rajinder Singh**, 1876-1900, AR rupee (10.97g), VS[19]48, Y-6. SS-220, katar personal mark, choice VF *,*
ex Mohun Singh Collection $100 - 140



2647. **PATIALA: Rajinder Singh**, 1876-1900, AR rupee (10.97g), VS[19]49, Y-6. SS-220, katar personal mark, also with the mysterious number 32 on the obverse, as found very infrequently on rupees of several earlier rulers, EF**, RR**,
ex Mohun Singh Collection $140 - 180

Rupees of Rajinder usually lack any mint name, and many are dated in the VS era.



2648. **PATIALA: Rajinder Singh**, 1876-1900, AR rupee (10.98g), VS[19]50, Y-6. SS-220, katar personal mark, VF *,*
ex Mohun Singh Collection $100 - 140



2649. **RADHANPUR: Zorawar Khan**, 1825-1874, AR 50 falus (5.70g), Radhanpur, 1867//AH1286 (sic), KM-5, with the denomination *50 falus* at the top of the obverse, neatly cut reeded edge, mismatched dates (should be AH1284, not 1286) lovely strike, choice VF-EF**, RR** $220 - 280



2650. **RADHANPUR: Zorawar Khan**, 1825-1874, AR 2 annas (1.44g), Radhanpur, 1871//AH1288, KM-8, also citing Queen Victoria, with the denomination *do anna* at the top of the obverse, plain edge, flan crack, VF**, RR** $200 - 240

The 2 anna is the rarest denomination of the Radhanpur series. The flan crack was likely caused by insufficient heating of the blank before striking.



2651. **RADHANPUR: Zorawar Khan**, 1825-1874, AR 8 annas (5.78g), Radhanpur, 1871//AH1289, KM-10, with the denomination *hasht anna* at the top of the obverse, reeded edge, some weakness towards the rim, VF**, R** $140 - 180



2652. **RADHANPUR: Zorawar Khan**, 1825-1874, AR rupee (11.33g), Radhanpur, 1869//AH1286, KM-11, reeded edge, die crack at the upper right portion of the obverse, nice strike for this type, VF-EF *,*
ex William F. Spengler Collection $120 - 160



2653. **RADHANPUR: Zorawar Khan**, 1825-1874, AR rupee (11.54g), Radhanpur, 1870//AH1287, KM-11, reeded edge, strong strike, EF $140 - 180

Various irregularities and small spots of weakness reveal the primitive striking quality of the Radhanpur mint!



2654. **RADHANPUR: Zorawar Khan**, 1825-1874, AR rupee (11.18g), Radhanpur, 1871//AH1289, KM-11, reeded edge, some flat areas due to careless striking at the primitive Radhanpur mint, VF-EF $120 - 160



2655. **RADHANPUR: Zorawar Khan**, 1825-1874, AR rupee (11.37g), Radhanpur, 1872//AH1289, KM-11, plain edge, some double-striking on the reverse, choice EF $140 - 180



2656. **RADHANPUR: Bismilla Khan**, 1874-1895, AR rupee (11.69g), Radhanpur, 1881//AH1299, KM-28, poorly reeded edge (mostly plain edge!), nice strike with only minimal weakness, EF $140 - 180



2657. **RADHANPUR: Bismilla Khan**, 1874-1895, AR rupee (11.66g), Radhanpur, 1881//AH1297, KM-29, reeded edge, bold strike, but with some weakness as usual, EF $140 - 180



2658. **RAJKOT: Dharmendra Singhji**, 1930-1948, AV mohur (8.02g), NM, 1945, KM-X#1, restrike, indicated by the circle on the middle prong of each of the two tridents on the obverse, UNC $400 - 500



2659. **REWAH: Gulab Singh**, 1918-1946, AR rupee, VS1975, KM-XM2, Accession commemorative, lightly cleaned, PCGS graded UNC details *, ex Don Erickson Collection* $400 - 500



2660. **ROHILKHAND:** AR rupee (11.05g), "Najibabad", AH [12]21 year 47, KM-116var, in the name of Shah Alam II, actually struck at Rampur (or perhaps Ghausgarh), with the stylized katar symbol instead of the whiskered fish of Awadh, as on the actual Awadh coins struck at Najibabad, EF $100 - 150

Last year of the series, sometimes considered an issue of the Bengal Presidency (see Paul Stevens, The Coins of the Bengal Presidency, pp. 474-476).



2661. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE ¼ nanakshahi anna (8.08g), Amritsar, VS[18]96, KM-5, Herrli-01.13, Persian legends both sides, with the denomination on the reverse *pa anna nanakshahi*, EF $120 - 150



2662. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE ¼ nanakshahi anna (7.19g), Amritsar, VS[18]96, KM-5, Herrli-01.13, Persian legends both sides, reverse with denomination *pa anna nanakshahi*, lovely VF-EF $120 - 150



2663. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE ¼ nanakshahi anna (7.24g), Amritsar, VS[18]98, KM-5, Herrli-01.13, Persian legends both sides, reverse with denomination *pa anna nanakshahi,* bold strike, EF $120 - 150



2664. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE paisa (9.60g), Amritsar, ND, KM-7.7, Herrli-01.59, Gurmukhi legends both sides, lion right in obverse center, nearly VF $90 - 110



2665. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE paisa (9.89g), Amritsar, ND, KM-7.15, Herrli-01.52, standard design, with sideways 4-petal flower on obverse, usual leaf on reverse, lovely example, VF-EF**, R** $100 - 140



2666. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE paisa (9.33g), Amritsar, ND, KM-7.17, Herrli-01.50, Gurmukhi legends both sides, 4-petal flower in obverse center, choice VF $90 - 110



2667. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE paisa (8.76g), Amritsar, ND, KM-8.1, Herrli-01.41, Gurmukhi legends both sides, 4-petal flower below the pipal leaf, nearly VF $90 - 110



2668. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE falus (9.31g), Amritsar, ND, KM-10.2, Herrli-01.67, Gurmukhi legends both sides, denomination in Persian, *yek falus,* in reverse center, VF $100 - 120



2669. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE falus (10.03g), Amritsar, VS1901, KM-10.2, Herrli-01.80, Gurmukhi legends both sides, denomination in Persian, *yek falus,* filling the reverse, pleasing VF**, R** $100 - 120



2670. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE falus (6.34g) (uncertain mint), ND, KM-—, Herrli-—, Gurmukhi legends both sides, but with the end of what is likely part of a Persian letter below and to the left of the pipal leaf, perhaps the final "S" of the word *falus*, pleasing VF**, R** $100 - 120

The blundered Gurmukhi on the reverse suggests that this is either a local imitation of an Amritsar prototype, but it is also possibly an issue of Dera. The overall style is too close to a normal issue and therefore suggests that it cannot be a Loharu imitation.



2671. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AR rupee (11.27g), Amritsar, VS1869, KM-20.1, Herrli-01.08, briefly issued type with double-line reverse script (common only for VS1870, rare for 1871, very rare for 1869), 1 tiny testmark, EF**, RR** $120 - 160



2672. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AV rupee (1/15 mohur), Multan, VS1905, KM-87, Herrli-11.09.04, struck by Diwan Mulraj during the British siege of Multan, NGC graded MS64 $900 - 1,100



2673. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AV rupee (1/15 mohur) (0.56g), VS1905, KM-87, Herrli-11.09.04, struck by Diwan Mulraj during the British siege of Multan, bold strike, EF-AU**, R** $800 - 900

The Siege of Multan was a prolonged event between the British East India Company and the city and state of Multan. The siege lasted from April 19, 1848, when a rebellion against a ruler installed by the East India Company started the Second Anglo-Sikh War, until January 22, 1849, when the last of the defenders surrendered.



2674. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE paisa (6.58g), Derajat, AH1255, KM-B102, lion right, with huge head, date above, VF**, R** $100 - 120



2675. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AR mahmudshahi rupee (10.71g), Derajat, AH1233, KM-373, Herrli-07.01.04var, countermarked on the Khanda symbol of the Sikhs on the reverse, thus authorizing the continued circulation of a normal Durrani rupee of Derajat after the Sikh takeover of Derajat in AH1236, choice VF**, RRR** $300 - 400

The only other recorded Derajat mahmudshahi rupee with the Khanda countermark appeared in our Auction #22, Lot 946, which was dated AH1236, the year of the conquest. This piece verifies the theory that the Khanda was applied in order to keep the older mahmudshahis of Derajat in circulation, and thus prevent a critical coin shortage.



2676. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE paisa (10.21g), Peshawar, AH1239, KM-730, Herrli-—, standard design, with sideways 4-petal flower on obverse, usual leaf on reverse, lovely example, overstruck on earlier type, VF-EF**, R** $100 - 140

In the name of the Durrani ruler Ayyub, but dated almost 8 years after the Sikh gained control of Peshawar.



2677. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AE paisa (7.76g), Peshawar, ND (ca. 1831-1833), KM-730, Herrli-—, simple 11-petal flower, with uncertain symbol in the center, all within a plain circular border // mint formula in plain circle, overstruck as usual, VF**, RR** $100 - 140

2678. **SIKH EMPIRE:** LOT of 8 silver rupees of Kashmir: type KM-50, with sword in obverse field: VS1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, and 1897 (all VF or better, most with some weakness of strike), and two with partial date VS189x (one VF, the other EF); and KM-51, without the sword, VS189(8) (choice EF); retail value $700, **lot of 8 pieces** $400 - 550



2679. **TRAVANCORE: Rama Varma VI**, 1885-1924, AR ¼ rupee, 1889, KM-37, lovely colorful toning, EF $100 - 130



2680. **TRAVANCORE: Bala Rama Varma II**, 1924-1949, AR ½ chitra rupee, ME1118 (1943), KM-67, obverse planchet flaw error, PCGS graded UNC details $75 - 100



2681. **TRAVANCORE: Bala Rama Varma II**, 1924-1949, AR ½ chitra rupee, ME1121 (1946), KM-67, a lovely example! PCGS graded MS65 $100 - 150

2682. **INDIAN STATES:** LOT of 33 Princely State and 6 miscellaneous pieces: **Princely States:** Alram (AR rupee, "1788" error date, VF-EF); Baroda (5 pcs, including one AR rupee); Bikanir (AR rupee); Gwalior (3 pcs); Hyderabad (4 pcs); Indore (AR rupee); Kutch (6 pcs, including one AR 5 kori); Mewar, Mysore (3 pcs); Nawanagar, Pudukkottai, Ratlam, Tonk, and Travancore (5 pcs, including half rupee dated ME1112, EF), average VF, some better; and **Miscelleneous:** Gujarat (AE); Ceylon (50 cents 1943); Aceh (AV mas of Zakiyat al-Din, VF); plus 3 "AV" fanams (modern copies, gold content unknown); average circulated grade unless noted otherwise; retail value $550, **lot of 39 pieces** $240 - 300

Colonial India

British India



2683. **BENGAL PRESIDENCY:** AV mohur, AH1209 year 37, Stv-7.22, KM-31. Prid-217, in the name of Shah Alam II, fish and 9-point sun symbols on obverse, 4-petal flower in the S of *jalus* on the reverse, bold strike, NGC graded MS64 $1,200 - 1,400



2684. **BENGAL PRESIDENCY:** AE coin weight (11.11g), ND, Stv-8.109, inscribed "Minimum legal weight of oblique-milled old Fur. Rupee" in square, "172.35 grs" // Persian translation of the same text, no stars in the margin, used for the 1806-1819 Farrukhabad rupee, VF**, R** $130 - 150



2685. **BENGAL PRESIDENCY:** AV mohur (12.37g), "Murshidabad", AH1202 (frozen), Stv-9.3, with crescent at upper left on the reverse, struck at the Calcutta mint 1831-1835, EF $750 - 850



2686. **BENGAL PRESIDENCY:** AR ½ rupee, Murshidabad, year 19, KM-116, Stevens-9.9m, Pridmore-180, East India Company issue, lovely original light tone, NGC graded MS63 $100 - 150



2687. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AE pice (7.46g), Bunder Dholera (Dholara), AH122x, Stv-6.75/76, obverse text in Persian script *kampani sarkar bahadur,* date below, and mint name on the reverse, crude style as usual, overstruck on undetermined host, VF**, RR** $100 - 120



2688. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AR rupee (11.62g), Jambusar, year 22, Stv-6.77, in the name of Shah Alam II, with the mace symbol inside the letter S of *jalus*, choice VF**, R** $130 - 170



2689. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AR ½ rupee (5.76g), Jambusar, year (22), Stv-6.78, in the name of Shah Alam II, with the mace symbol inside the letter S of *jalus,* year off flan, choice VF-EF**, R** $130 - 170



2690. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY: Anonymous,** ca. 1691-1740, AV pagoda, Stv-1.3, Prid-3A. Fr-1572, three full-figure deities standing, granuated reverse, NGC graded MS63 $250 - 300



2691. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY: Anonymous**, ca. 1691-1740, AV pagoda, Stv-1.4, Prid-3B. Fr-1575, 3 half-figure deities standing, granuated reverse, NGC graded MS63 $250 - 300



2692. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY: Anonymous**, ca. 1740-1807, AV pagoda, Stv-1.11, Prid-9. Fr-1578, half-portrait of Vishnu // star in center, granulated area around, NGC graded MS64 $250 - 325



2693. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY: Anonymous**, ca. 1740-1807, AV pagoda, Stv-1.11, Prid-9. Fr-1578, half-portrait of Vishnu // star in center, granulated area around, NGC graded MS63 $250 - 300



2694. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AE ½ dub (5.15g), 1807, Stv-3.362, Prid-329. KM-327, Persian obverse legend *nim falus hanarabul kampani isavi 1807,* "half falus of the honorable company Christian 1807"; reverse has same legends in Telugu and Tamil, superb strike, EF $180 - 220



2695. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AR ¼ pagoda, ND (1808), KM-352, East India Company issue, value in English and Persian on buckled garter // value in Tamil and Telugu around deity Vishnu with 18 stars, VF-EF $150 - 250



2696. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AR ½ pagoda (20.64g), ND (1808), KM-354, pagoda between 18 stars // deity Vishnu, mount removed, reverse test cuts, Fine $300 - 500



2697. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AR ½ pagoda, ND (1808-12), Stv-3.112, obverse type F, reverse type VIII according to Stevens, NGC graded MS61 $900 - 1,100



2698. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY: George III**, 1760-1820, AE 1/96 rupee, 1797, KM-397, one-year type, VF $175 - 225



2699. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY: George III**, 1760-1820, AE 1/96 rupee, 1797, KM-397, a few marks, obverse flan flaw, one-year type, F-VF $125 - 175



2700. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, AR 2 annas, 1841(c), S&W-3.62, type A/1, NGC graded MS64**, RR** $160 - 200

With 9 berries, W.W. on truncation, it is clearly S&W-3.62 and not 3.64 as indicated on the slab (type 3.64 has 16 berries, not 9).



2701. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, AR ½ rupee, 1849, KM-456.4, S&W-3.43, silver pattern restrike, reeded edge, with lovely deep original toning, PCGS graded Proof 65 $2,500 - 3,000

The dies dated 1849 for this type and the full rupee (next lot), together with their matrices, were produced at the Royal Mint in London and sent to India, but were not used for a circulating coinage. Instead, dies were prepared in India for all three mint in 1850, derived from these London dies (with the divided legend VICTORIA QUEEN), but continued to be dated 1840 as the previous series. No silver coins dated 1849 were even placed into circulation.



2702. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, AR rupee, 1849, KM-458.4, S&W-3.30, silver pattern restrike, reeded edge, with lovely deep original toning, PCGS graded Proof 65 $3,000 - 3,500



2703. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, AR ¼ rupee, 1876(c), KM-470, S&W-5.34, PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



2704. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR ¼ rupee, 1878-C, KM-490, AU $125 - 175



2705. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR ¼ rupee, 1886-C, KM-490, S&W-6.283, PCGS graded MS64 $300 - 400



2706. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR ¼ rupee, 1894-B, KM-490, S&W-6.322, PCGS graded AU58 $100 - 150



2707. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR ¼ rupee, 1894-C, KM-490, S&W-6.320, PCGS graded AU55 $100 - 150



2708. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR ¼ rupee, 1896-C, KM-490, S&W-6.324, PCGS graded MS63 $150 - 200



2709. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR ¼ rupee, 1896-C, KM-490, S&W-6.324, PCGS graded AU55 $75 - 100



2710. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR ½ rupee, 1881(b), KM-491, rare date in mint state, PCGS graded MS63, **R** $1,500 - 2,000



2711. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR ½ rupee, 1894-C, KM-491, NGC graded MS62 $400 - 600



2712. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR ½ rupee, 1899-B, KM-491, retrograde mintmark, golden toned luster, NGC graded MS62 $100 - 150



2713. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR rupee, 1880(b), KM-492, S&W-6.54, PCGS graded MS62, **R** $200 - 300

Rare variety, A3/III, with 3-leaf bottom LH arrangement, as published by Aves in SCMB February 1984, marked as "none seen" by Stevens & Weir.



2714. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR rupee, 1897-C, KM-492, rare date, cleaned, EF, **R** $200 - 300



2715. **BRITISH INDIA: Edward VII**, 1901-1910, AR rupee, 1910-B, KM-508, clear overdate, second 1 over 0, PCGS graded MS62 $75 - 100



2716. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, 1 anna, 1913(c), KM-513, a choice example! NGC graded MS63 $100 - 150



2717. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, 8 annas, 1919(b), KM-520, S&W-8.132, proof restrike, PCGS graded Proof 63 $450 - 550



2718. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, 8 annas, 1920(b), KM-520, restrike, Proof $400 - 600



2719. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, AR rupee, ND, KM-524, obverse mirror brockage error, small scratch on obverse, lovely multicolored toning, AU $180 - 240

Known as a "lakhi" error in India, based on the assumption that 1 piece in 100,000 is a brockage!



2720. **BRITISH INDIA: George VI**, 1937-1947, nickel ¼ rupee, 1947(b), KM-553, S&W-9.73, brockage of the reverse, exceedingly rare, likely at least 100 times rarer than brockages of the obverse, due to the manufacturing process in use at the Bombay mint; moreover, brockages are extremely rare for any of the coins struck in pure nickel (and also exceptionally rare for copper-nickel coins), some minor scratches, but overall a nicely preserved error coin, NGC graded AU details**, RRRR** $3,500 - 4,000



2721. **BRITISH INDIA: George VI**, 1937-1947, 1938(b), KM-555, Stv-9.9, without the bead mintmark, NGC graded MS65 $300 - 350



2722. **BRITISH INDIA: George VI**, 1937-1947, nickel rupee, 1945(b), KM-557var, S&W-9.30var, off-metal strike, normal "5" in the date, unrecorded in nickel by KM, Pridmore, and Stevens & Weir; there is no record of any nickel off-metal strike of any date 1945 or earlier on CoinArchives, NGC graded Proof 62**, RRRR** $7,500 - 8,500

By the end of 1945, the use of silver for the full, half, and quarter rupees had become unfeasible, whence it was decided to produce all subsequent issues in nickel. Indeed, nickel half and quarter rupees were struck in large quantities in 1946 & 1947 at the Bombay mint, but only patterns were struck for the full rupee dated 1946, also only at the Bombay mint. It is conceivable that this nickel 1945 rupee was a trial struck before the dies for 1946/1947 were ready, perhaps just to be sure the presses would be capable of producing rupees in nickel.



2723. **BRITISH INDIA:** AE rupee grain token, 1874, KM-Tn2, Prid-32, with central hole as issued, with original wire rim on both sides, NGC graded MS62 $400 - 500



2724. **BRITISH INDIA:** AE rupee grain token, 1874, KM-Tn2, Prid-32, with central hole as issued, NGC graded MS62 $400 - 500

Lots 2723 and 2724 struck at Calcutta mint for the Bengal famine of 1874.

British India Tokens & Medals



2725. **BRITISH INDIA:** AE rupee, ND (1905), Duncan, Stratton & Co, Bombay, copper proving piece, DUNCAN STRATTON & CO BOMBAY in outer circle, tiger at center // monogram and ALBION WORKS LEEDS at center, surrounded by GREENWOOD & BATLEY LIMITED, EF-AU $150 - 250

The Leeds firm of Greenwood & Batley, founded in 1856, supplied coining presses and associated machinery to a number of foreign mints. In February 1905 their agents in India, Duncan, Stratton & Co. of Bombay, ordered six coining presses at £275 each on behalf of H.H. The Nizam of Hyderabad's mint. These were delivered in February 1906. The proving pieces struck from the new machinery were ostensibly to the size and weight of the rupee, half, quarter and eighth-rupee denominations.



2726. **BRITISH INDIA: George III**, 1760-1820, AE medal (1761), Pud-761.1, Eimer-686, 40mm, medal by Thomas Pingo, head of King George III right // Victory standing, writing on the shield; palm trees and paddles flank the water of the Indus and Ganges rivers, inscribed "Pondicherry taken MDCCLXI, total expulsion of the French from India", rim cuds on both sides, tiny indentations in the center on both sides, a superb example! PCGS graded PF64 BR , *ex Seaby (with tag)* $1,000 - 1,200

The names Coote and Steevens, engraved by Victory on a shield, refer to the two British commanders, Admiral Sir Eyre Coote and Rear Admiral Charles Steevens, who were successful in the capture of Pondicherry on January 16, 1761. Pondicherry was returned to the French in 1763.



2727. **BRITISH INDIA:** AE medal (54.38g), "1800", Pud-—, 45mm, honorary award medal: REDIT A NOBIS AURORA DIEMQUE REDUCIT / IV MAY MDCCC around, mosque and pagoda within inner circle, with sailing ship in the distance between them // COLLEGE OF FORT WILLIAM / HONORARY MEDAL within wreath, central area open for engraving the name(s) of the person(s) receiving the award, AU**, RRR** $300 - 400

Although the gold and some silver honorary award medals of the College of Fort William are well known, we have found no reference to this bronze type. The college was founded in 1800, dissolved in 1854.



2728. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, gilt AR medal, 1848, Pud-848.1, 46mm, The Edwardes Medal by William Wyon, VICTORIA REGINA around bust of Queen Victoria to left, her head with diadem // FROM THE / EAST INDIA COMPANY / TO / LIEUTt & BREVt MAJOR / H: B: EDWARDES. C: B: / FOR HIS SERVICES / IN THE PUNJAB / A.D. MDCCCXLVIII within laurel wreath, with Victory at left and Valor at right supporting armorial shield at top of Lieutenant Edwardes, the infant Hercules grasping serpents intertwined amongst lotus plants, signed: W. WYON R.A. on truncation, with period silver bezel and loop set within crystal encasement, UNC**, RRR** $1,500 - 2,000

Major-General Sir Herbert Benjamin Edwardes KCB KCSI DCL (1819-1868) was a British administrator, soldier, and statesman active in the Punjab region of British India. He is best known as the "Hero of Multan" for his pivotal role in securing British victory in the Second Anglo-Sikh War. Sir Henry Lawrence praised Edwardes' pivotal role in the war, stating that "Since the days of Clive no man had done as Edwardes." All had been achieved by personal initiative, without formal military training. He was commended by Gough and the Government, promoted brevet major in September 1848 and made a Companion of the Order of the Bath (CB), in October 1849. The East India Company awarded him a specially struck unique gold medal for his services in the Punjab.



2729. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AE medal (254.7g), 1883-4, Pud-883.2.2, 77mm bronze medal for the Calcutta International Exposition by J.S. & A.B. Wyon, veiled and crowned bust left with VICTORIA - EMPRESS around // Britannia standing and India seated at left receiving various goods in trade for tea from four figures at right representing the Empire with CALCUTTA at top and INTERNATIONAL / EXHIBITION / 1883-84 in exergue, a few rim bumps, plain edge, EF $200 - 250

Photo size reduced.

British India Group Lots

2730. **BRITISH INDIA:** LOT of 17 NGC and PCGS graded silver coins including; 2 annas 1878(c) B/II PCGS MS-62, 1888-B NGC MS-62 *ex Randy Weir Collection*, 1888-B NGC MS-62 incorrectly ascribed as Calcutta on holder, ½ rupee 1919(b) NGC MS-62, 1929(c) NGC MS-62, 1939(c) first head type NGC MS-64, 1939(b) long trefoils NGC MS-62, 1940(c) NGC MS-62, 1943(b) with dot NGC MS-63, 1944-L NGC MS-62, 1913(c) PCGS MS-62, 1916(b) NGC graded MS-62, 1916(c) NGC MS-63, 1916(c) PCGS MS-65, 1921(b) NGC MS-63, 1943(b) small head C/3 type NGC MS-61, 100 rupees 1982-B 9th Asian Games NGC UNC details, a nice collection including some very high quality examples, retail value $1250, **lot of 17 encapsulated coins** $800 - 1,000

2731. **BRITISH INDIA:** LOT of 16 NGC and PCGS graded base metal coins including; **1/12 anna** 1903(c) NGC UNC details, 1909(c) NGC AU-58BN, 1909(c) NGC MS-63RB, **½ pice** 1909(c) NGC MS-63RB, **¼ anna** NGC MS-63RB, 1908(c) NGC MS-64RB, 1917(c) NGC MS-65RD, 1926(c) NGC MS-63RB, 1927(c) NGC MS-65RB, 1927(b) NGC MS-66RD, 1930(c) PCGS MS-65RB, 1930(b) NGC MS-66RD, 1936(b) NGC MS-65RB, 1940(b) short trefoils NGC MS-64RB, 1942(c) NGC UNC details, ½ anna 1942(b) NGC MS-63, a nice collection including some very high quality examples, retail value $625, **lot of 16 coins** $300 - 500

2732. **BRITISH INDIA:** LOT of 10 slabbed coins (by NGC unless noted): **1/12 anna:** 1914(c) MS64 RB; 1919(c) MS64 RB; 1920(c) MS64 RB; 1926(b) MS64 RB; 1933(c) MS65 RB; **half pice:** 1914(c) MS64 RB; 1921(c) MS64 RB; 1922(c) MS64 RB; and **¼ anna:** 1905(c) MS64 RB; and **Travancore:** KM-60, chuckram ND, MS64+ RB by PCGS; retail value $400, **lot of 10 slabs** $260 - 300

2733. **BRITISH INDIA:** LOT of 9 slabbed coins (by NGC unless noted): **1/12 anna:** 1919(c) MS63 RB; 1920(c) MS64 RB and MS65 RB; 1926(b) MS64 RB; **half pice:** 1914(c) MS63 RB and MS65 RB; 1921(c) MS64 RB and MS65 RB; and **Travancore:** KM-60, chuckram ND, MS65 RB by PCGS; retail value $350, **lot of 9 slabs** $200 - 260

Danish India



2734. **TRANQUEBAR: Christian IV**, 1588-1648, lead kas (4.07g), 1645, KM-34, Jensen-67, crowned C4 // CH / KAS / 1645 (with retrograde S in KAS), F-VF $100 - 120



2735. **TRANQUEBAR: Christian IV**, 1588-1648, lead kas (3.00g), ND, KM-55, Jensen-103, crowned F3 // cross within circle, VF $120 - 140



2736. **TRANQUEBAR: Frederik III**, 1648-1670, lead kas (2.39g), ND, KM-65, Jensen-120, crowned F3 // horse rider of the marshlands, galloping right, crescent below, bold VF-EF $150 - 200



2737. **TRANQUEBAR: Frederik III**, 1648-1670, lead kas (2.92g), ND, KM-67, Jensen-125, crowned F3 // crowned stockfish, letter A sideways to the right, VF-EF $110 - 150



2738. **TRANQUEBAR: Frederik III**, 1648-1670, lead kas (2.92g), ND, KM-70, Jensen-119, crowned F3 // nettle leaf, outlined (hollow) center, with O at bottom left, symbol of Holstein, Fine , *ex Dr. John Lund Collection* $90 - 120



2739. **TRANQUEBAR: Frederik III**, 1648-1670, lead kas (3.15g), ND, KM-74, Jensen-122, crowned F3 // lamb to left, with flag, letter F above, symbol of Gotland, which was part of Denmark 1361-1645, bold VF-EF $120 - 160



2740. **TRANQUEBAR: Frederik III**, 1648-1670, lead kas (2.37g), ND, KM-78, Jensen-106, crowned F3 // cross, with J O below cross, which is a blundered version of J C for "Jesus Christ " (*Iesus Christus* in Latin), lovely VF $100 - 130



2741. **TRANQUEBAR: Frederik III**, 1648-1670, lead kas (3.07g), ND, KM-79, Jensen-98, crowned F3 // elephant left, with raised trunk, lovely VF $100 - 130



2742. **TRANQUEBAR: Frederik III**, 1648-1670, lead kas (2.54g), ND, KM-81, Jensen-109, crowned F3 // crowned Norse lion left, on curved battle-axe, letter E behind the lion, VF-EF $110 - 140



2743. **TRANQUEBAR: Frederik III**, 1648-1670, lead kas (2.44g), [16]67, KM-88, Jensen-141, crowned F3 // lotus, with numbers 6 and 7 for the year, lovely VF-EF**, RR** $130 - 170



2744. **TRANQUEBAR: Christian V**, 1670-1699, lead kas (2.36g), ND, KM-90, Jensen-151a, uncrowned C5 entwined at the top, plain border // DOC monogram in plain border, F-VF $90 - 120



2745. **TRANQUEBAR: Christian V**, 1670-1699, lead 2 kas (5.25g), 1687, KM-96, Jensen-162, crowned C5 dividing date // crowned DOC monogram, WHVK below (for governor W.H. van Kalnein), border of dots both sides, wonderful strike, without any flat areas, choice VF**, RR** $180 - 220



2746. **TRANQUEBAR: Frederik V**, 1746-1766, lead 4 kas (2.74g), 1761, KM-145, Jensen-242, crowned F5 monogram // crowned DAC monogram, dividing the date, number 4 below, VF $100 - 120

Dutch India



2747. **DUTCH INDIA: TUTICORIN: Anonymous**, ca. 1760-1794, AV pagoda, Fr-1515, Mitch-1998:838, Venkateshwara standing, facing, holding conch & discus, granulated reverse (hence anepigraphic), NGC graded MS63 $250 - 300

This style was struck long after the death of Venkatapiraya in 1641, and continued under European authority.

Portuguese India



2748. **DIU: Maria II**, 1834-1853, AR rupia (7.57g), 1841, KM-59, Gomes-24.01, choice EF**, R** $300 - 400



2749. **GOA: Maria I**, 1777-1816, AR rupia, 1803, KM-205, a lovely lustrous example! PCGS graded MS64 *, ex David Fore Collection (Baldwin's Auction 84, Lot 2524)* $300 - 500



2750. **GOA: João VI**, 1816-1826, AR ½ xerafim (150 reis), 1820, KM-236, Gomes-J6.12.03, above average grade for type, nice portrait, NGC graded EF45 $250 - 300



2751. **PORTUGUESE INDIA: Luiz I**, 1861-1889, AE ¼ tanga, 1881, KM-308, rare in mint state! PCGS graded MS62 BR**, R** $200 - 300

Republic of India



2752. **INDIA: Republic**, copper-nickel 20 rupees, 1986(B), KM-242, F.A.O. Fisheries commemorative, NGC graded MS65 $100 - 120

2753. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set, 1950, KM-PS1, RB-1, seven coins: 1 pice, ½ anna, anna, 2 annas, ¼ rupee, ½ rupee, and rupee, in original brown cardboard case**,, RR** $900 - 1,100

In 1950, according to Rajgor, Sharma and Agarwal, the Bombay mint issued both a proof set and an uncirculated set, housed in identical brown cardboard cases marked only REPUBLIC OF INDIA 1950, both with the diamond mint mark for Bombay. The coins are similar in appearance, often difficult to distinguish, except that the two annas coin of the proof set has extra star in each of the 4 corners of the obverse. Starting in 1969, proof coins can be readily distinguished, as the mint mark is the letter B for proofs, the diamond for uncirculated pieces.

2754. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (9 pieces), 1970, KM-PS11, RB-23, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 20, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and *Food for All* commemorative 10 rupees, in original acrylic case, with certificate, and original box of issue (box quite worn, the case in perfect original condition), only 2900 sets sold, Proof**, S** $200 - 250

2755. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (9 pieces), 1970, KM-PS11, RB-23, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 20, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and *Food for All* commemorative 10 rupees, in original acrylic case, with certificate, and original box of issue (box quite worn, the case in perfect original condition), only 2900 sets sold, Proof**, S** $200 - 250

2756. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (9 pieces), 1971, KM-PS12, RB-27, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 20, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and *Food for All* commemorative 10 rupees, in original acrylic case, with certificate, and original box of issue, box somewhat worn, only 4161 sets sold, Proof**, S** $200 - 250

2757. **INDIA: Republic**, single coin Proof Set & uncirculated set (2 pcs), 1971, KM-MS10 & 186, RB-28 & 29, Food for All commemorative, single coin Proof 10 rupees (RB-28) with original white paper envelope (mintage uncertain), and Uncirculated Set (RB-29) of silver 10 rupees & aluminum-bronze 20 paise (mintage of 9987 sets), all in their original packaging $100 - 150

The 2-coin set case is inscribed "re-issued in 1971" because the same set had been issued in 1970. The mintage of RB-28 is indicated as 1594 pieces in the KM catalog, but is not listed in the RB catalog.

2758. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (9 pieces) & Proof coin, 1972, KM-PS13 & 187.1, RB-31 & 32, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 25, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and 25 year (of the Republic) commemorative 10 rupees, plus mint token, in original acrylic case, with certificate, and original box of issue (in excellent condition), only 7701 sets sold, and a single example of the same 10 rupee coin, with its original white paper envelope, only 3955 minted, Proof $200 - 250

2759. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (10 pieces), 1973, KM-PS14, RB-35, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 25, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and *Grow More Food* commemorative 10 rupees & 20 rupees, plus mint token, in original acrylic case, with certificate, and original box of issue (in excellent condition), only 7701 sets sold, Proof**, S** $180 - 200

2760. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 1973, KM-PS16, RB-37, contains *Grow More Food* commemorative 10 rupees & 20 rupees, with certificate, in original case of issue (in decent condition), only 2408 sets sold, Proof**, S** $80 - 100

2761. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (10 pieces), 1974, KM-PS17, RB-41, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 25, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and *Planned Families* commemorative 10 rupees & 50 rupees, plus mint token, in original acrylic case, with certificate, and original box of issue (in excellent condition), only 9138 sets sold, Proof**, S** $120 - 160

2762. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (10 pieces), 1975, KM-PS19, RB-48, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 25, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and *Equality, Development, Peace* commemorative 10 rupees & 50 rupees, plus mint token, in original acrylic case, with certificate, and original box of issue (in excellent condition), only 2370 sets sold, Proof**, S** $130 - 170

From 1975 until at least 2011, proof sets in the Republic of India were almost never minted in quantities exceeding 3000 pieces. In a huge country with millions of coin collectors, interest in these truly rare sets is likely to increase.

2763. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 1975, KM-PS20, RB-49, contains *Equality, Development, Peace* commemorative copper-nickel 10 rupees & silver 20 rupees, with certificate, in original box of issue (in decent condition), Proof**, R** $100 - 150

According to Rajob, Sharma & Agarwal, there were only 160 of these sets produced, "sold only for export at a special export price". If that is correct, this (and several other proof sets of 2 pieces) must indeed be extremely rare.

2764. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (10 pieces), 1976, KM-PS21, RB-55, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 25, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and *Food and Work for All* commemorative 10 rupees & 50 rupees, plus mint token, in original acrylic case, with certificate and original box of issue (in excellent condition), only 3209 sets sold, Proof**, S** $130 - 170

2765. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (10 pieces), 1977, KM-PS23, RB-62, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 25, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and *Save for Development* commemorative 10 rupees & 50 rupees, plus mint token, in original acrylic case, with certificate and original box of issue (in excellent condition), only 2222 sets sold, Proof**, S** $130 - 170

2766. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (10 pieces), 1978, KM-PS25, RB-67, contains 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 25, and 50 paise, 1 rupee, and *Food & Shelter for All* commemorative 10 rupees & 50 rupees, plus mint token, in original acrylic case, with certificate and original box of issue (in excellent condition), only 1390 sets sold, Proof**, R** $300 - 400

Rare proof set, with one of the lowest mintages.

2767. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (4 pieces), 1980, KM-PS29, RB-77, contains *Rural Women's Advancement* commemorative 10 paise, 25 paise, 10 rupees, and 100 rupees, and mint token, in acrylic case, with certificate and original box of issue (in excellent condition), only 2371 sets sold, Proof**, S** $100 - 150

2768. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 1982, KM-PS33, RB-92, contains *IX Asian Games* commemorative 10 rupees, and 100 rupees, plus mint token, in acrylic case, with certificate and original box of issue (in excellent condition), only 1699 sets sold, Proof**, S** $100 - 130

2769. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (4 pieces), 1985, KM-PS35, RB-103, contains *Reserve Bank of India Golden Jubilee* commemorative 50 paise, 2 rupees, 10 rupees, and 100 rupees, plus mint token, in acrylic case, with certificate (without the original box of issue), mintage unknown, Proof**, R** $200 - 240

2770. **INDIA: Republic**, Mint Set (2 pieces), 1985, KM-MS22, RB-106, contains *Reserve Bank of India Golden Jubilee* commemorative 10 rupees, and 100 rupees, plus mint token, in acrylic case, with certificate (without the original box of issue), mintage unknown, UNC**, S** $110 - 150

2771. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (4 pieces), 1985, KM-PS37, RB-110, contains *Indira Gandhi* commemorative 50 paise, 5 rupees, 20 rupees, and 100 rupees, plus mint token, in acrylic case, with certificate and the original box of issue, mintage unknown, Proof**, R** $150 - 200

2772. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (3 pieces), 1986, KM-PS40, RB-122, contains *Fisheries* commemorative 50 paise, 20 rupees, and 100 rupees, plus mint token, in acrylic case, with certificate and the original box of issue, mintage unknown, Proof**, R** $150 - 200

2773. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (3 pieces), 1987, KM-PS42, RB-128, contains *Small Farmers* commemorative 1 rupee, 20 rupees, and 100 rupees, plus mint token, in acrylic case, with certificate and the original box of issue, mintage unknown, Proof**, R** $150 - 200

2774. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (4 pieces), 1989, KM-PS44, RB-135, contains *Jawaharlal Nehru Birth Centennial* commemorative 1 rupee, 5 rupees, 20 rupees, and 100 rupees, plus mint token, in acrylic case, with certificate and the original box of issue, mintage unknown, Proof**, R** $150 - 200

2775. **INDIA: Republic**, UNC Collector's Pack (2 pieces), 1996 & 1997, KM-— & 160, RB-190 & 198, 2 sets: contains 2 examples of the 2 rupee commemorative Subhas Chandra Bose dated 1996, in plaster pouch packing, described by RB as rarity GR8, "Great Rarity beyond Reach" - the 1997 set differs only by the date on the pair of coins, scarce (mintage unknown), UNC**, RRR** $450 - 550

The year 1996 was an error for 1997 - the 1997 (KM-130.1) is common, but the 1996 (KM-130.3) is extremely rare.

2776. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (3 pieces), 2002, KM-PS71, RB-244, Loknayak Jayaprakash Narayan, 1, 10, and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unknown $100 - 150

2777. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2004, KM-PS81, RB-271, Bharat Ratna Shri K. Kamaraj, 5 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unknown $100 - 150

2778. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2005, KM-PS85, RB-287, 75 Years of the Dandi Marsh, 5 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unknown $100 - 150

2779. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2005, KM-PS87, RB-282, Lalbahadur Shastri Birth Centenary, 5 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage 2190 sets**,, S** $100 - 150

2780. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2006, KM-PS88, RB-296, 200 Years of State Bank of India, 5 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage 5916 sets**,, S** $80 - 100

2781. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2006, KM-PS90, RB-291, Mahatma Basaveshwara, 5 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unknown $80 - 100

2782. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2006, KM-PS91, RB-307, 50 Years Celebration of ONGC (Oil and Natural Gas Corporation), 5 and 50 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage 4577 sets $80 - 100

2783. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2007, KM-PS93, RB-312, 150th Birth Anniversary of Bab Gangadhar Tilak, 5 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unknown $80 - 100

2784. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2007, KM-PS98, RB-329, Shaheed Bhagat Singh Birth Centenary, 5 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage 3772 + 1108 sets**,, S** $80 - 100

2785. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2008, KM-PS—, RB-340, Ter-Centenary of Gur-Ta-Guddi, 10 and 100 rupee coins, in special acrylic case, within special large box, mintage unknown**,, R** $200 - 300

This Special Proof set was sold only directly by the Gur-Ta-Guddi at Nanded.

2786. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2009, KM-PS102, RB-342, 200th Birth Anniversary of Louis Braille, 2 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage 2840 + 607 sets**,, S** $80 - 100

2787. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2009, KM-PS105, RB-355, Homi Bhabha Birth Centenary, 10 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unknown $80 - 100

2788. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2009, KM-PS107, RB-364, 125th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Rajendra Prasad, 5 and 100 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unknown $80 - 100

Although dated 1884-2009, it was actually issued in February 2010, and is listed in both KM and RBA as "2010".

2789. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (5 pieces), 2010, KM-PS109, RB-368, Platinum Jubilee of Reserve Bank of India, 1, 2, 5, 10, and 75 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unreported $80 - 100

2790. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2010, KM-—, RB—, 1000 Years of Brihadeeswarar Temple, 5 and 1000 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unreported $80 - 100

Noted in RSA on p.180 as a forthcoming issue.

2791. **INDIA: Republic**, Proof Set (2 pieces), 2011, KM-—, RB-375, 150th Birth Anniversary of Rabindranath Tagore, 5 and 175 rupee coins, in blister pack, mintage unreported $80 - 100

Group Lots

2792. **INDIA: Republic**, LOT of 12 silver commemoratives, Uncirculated unless noted, and 1 token: **10 rupees:** 1969 (Mahatma Ghandi, 3 pcs); 1970 (Food for All); 1972 (Republic 25th Anniversary); 1973-B (Grow More Food, proof); 1974 (Planned Familes, 2 pcs, one Proof, the other UNC); and 1982 (IX Asian Games); **20 rupees:** 1973-B (Grow More Food, Proof); **50 rupees:** 1974-B (Planned Families, Proof); and **100 rupees:** 1981-B (International Year of the Child, Proof), plus one mint token dated 1974, retail value $450, **lot of 13 pieces** $200 - 300

2793. **INDIA: Republic**, LOT of 188 regular issue coins dated from the 1950s to about 2010, including about 10 proof coins (circa 1969-1972), the rest virtually all uncirculated, including some of the circulating 1, 2, and 5 rupee commemoratives issued for regular circulation; retail value about $500, **lot of 188 pieces** $200 - 240

2794. **INDIA: Republic**, LOT of 6 miscellaneous sets, with catalog references to RB (Rajgor, Sharma & Agarwal): RB-74 (1979, Development Oriented set); RB-202 (1997, Cellulat Jail, Port Blair, 1 rupee); RB-259 (2003, Veer Durgadass UNC Set), RB-278 (2004, 150 Years of Telecommunications); and RB-291 (2006, Mahatma Basaveshwara 5 rupees, in case), and Nepal 1973 proof set; retail value $260, **lot of 5 sets** $110 - 150

2795. **INDIA & STATES:** LOT of 21 Princely States and Dutch and Port. India coins: **Cannanore:** AH1199 1/5 rupee KM-5 Choice XF; **Chhatarpur:** AH1192 year 25 KM-19 F-VF; **Chhota Udaipur:** ND (1875) 2 paisa KM-15.3 Crude VF; **Cochin:** ND (1795-1850) puttun KM-1 VF, ND (1856-8) puttun KM-5 F-VF, ND (1795-1850) 2 puttuns KM-6 VF; **Datia:** AH1182 year 6 (error date) rupee C-27 F-VF; **Dhar:** (AH1289) paisa KM-6 F; **Hyderabad:** AH1306 1/8 rupee Y-14 Choice AU; **Hyderabad/Elichpur:** AH(125)0 paisa C-10a crude VF; **Jaora:** AH1311/1894 paisa cleaned XF and XF (2 pieces); **Jhalawar:** (VS1915) year 7 double paisa F-VF light corrosion; **Jodhpur/Kuchaman:** AH1203 year 31 rupee KM-276 Fine, 1863 rupee KM-286 VF; **Kalat:** AH1294 falus KM-21 F-VF; **Karauli:** 1885 year 9 takka KM-51 Crude F-VF; **Kutch:** VS1985/1929 Kutch kori Y-59 Ch. XF; **Dutch India:** ND (1785-92) AV fanam KM-48 XF; **Portuguese India:** 1936 ½ rupia KM-23 NGC MS65, and 1935 rupia KM-22 NGC MS 65; retail value $625, **lot of 21 pieces** $250 - 400

2796. **INDIA & STATES:** LOT of 19 Sultanate and Princely States pieces: **Bijapur:** ND 2/3 falus KM-4.2 VG; **Farrukhabad:** AH1211 year 31 rupee C-28 Choice VF, AH1221 year 39 rupee C-28 VF-XF; **Alwar:** 18xx rupee KM-37 Choice XF; 1891 rupee KM-46 VF-XF; **Arcot:** ND AE cash fish // large O local issue? F-VF; ND (1792) cash Tanjore KM-31 VG; **Awadh:** AH1260 year 3 rupee KM-336 Choice XF, AH(119)4 year 22 rupee KM-116.1 AU; **Baroda:** year 6 rupee C-28 VF, ND (1856-70) paisa Y-7.6 VF; **Bharatpur:** AH12(49) year 29 rupee KM-106 Fine, AH127x year 41 rupee KM-106 4 testmarks F-VF; **Bhopal:** year 8 1/8 rupee Y-11 VF-XF; **Bikanir:** 1892 rupee KM-72 AU, **Bundi:** VS1924/1867 rupee Y-6 XF; **Cambay:** ND AE ½ and 1 paisa both lightly cleaned Fine; and **Cannanore:** AH1188 1/5 rupee KM-5 VF-XF; retail value $600, **lot of 19 items** $280 - 360

2797. **INDIA:** LOT of 8 coins including: Bengal Sultanate Sikander Shah 1357-1389 AR tanka (EF), Jaipur State AR rupee year 20 Y-13 (EF), Mewar State AR ½ rupee Y-10 (VF), British India AE 1/12 anna 1895c (UNC), another of the same (UNC), AE ¼ anna 1858 (UNC), copper-nickel 8 annas 1919c (VF), AR rupee 1840 lustrous (AU), a lovely little group from an old dealer's stock, retail value $425, **lot of 8 coins** $200 - 300

2798. **INDIA:** LOT of 219 coins including Bombay Presidency copper (1), Madras Presidency copper (1), silver (6), British India 1/12 anna (3), ½ pice (4), 1 pice (3), ¼ anna (7), ½ anna copper (1), ½ anna (2), 1 anna (19), 2 annas (7), 4 annas (1), silver 2 annas (4), silver ¼ rupee (5), ¼ rupee (2), silver ½ rupee (3), ½ rupee (2), silver 1 rupee (12), 1 rupee (1), Republic of India 1 pice (5), ½ anna (1), 1 anna (1), ¼ rupee (2), ½ rupee (1), 1 paisa (14), 2 paise (11), 3 paise (3), 5 paise (18), 10 paise (14), 20 paise (1), 25 paise (10), 50 paise (3), 1 rupee (12), 2 rupees (1), Portuguese India copper-nickel (2), Bundi copper (1), Pakistan (1), plus Algeria (13), Bhutan (8), Saudi Arabia (10), silver (3), includes some better types or dates, average circulated quality, some nice, retail value $700, **lot of 219 coins** $300 - 500

2799. **INDIA:** LOT of 77 coins: Copper coins, some identified (31 pcs); Silver coins (7 pcs, common); Silver chuckram (most common type, 2 pcs, plus 2 imitations); Lead coins of the Ikshvakus (3 pcs); and Copper of Mewar, mostly the Umarda type (32 pcs, interesting study group); average circulated grades, fun lot of inexpensive coins; retail value $475, **lot of 77 pieces** $200 - 260

2800. **INDIA:** LOT of 15 Indian copper coins, including Mughal, Sikh, Jaunpur, Peshawar, etc., average Fine, a few nicer; interesting study group, probably with some that are quite rare; retail value at least $290, **lot of 15 pieces** $130 - 180

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