Session B

Begins at 14:00 PST on Thursday, January 20, 2022

Islamic Coins

Mongol Dynasties



317. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AR dirham (3.16g), [Ghazna], ND, A-1967, inscribed *al-'adil / al-a'zam / chingiz khan,* citing Chingiz Khan by name, the caliph al-Nasir cited on the reverse; Zeno type A2/B2, superb EF $800 - 1,000



318. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AR dirham (3.14g), NM, ND, A-1967, Zeno type A3/B2, inscribed *al-Æadil / al-aÆzam / chingiz khan,* thus citing Chingiz Khan by name, bold, well-centered strike, lightly cleaned, EF**, R** $500 - 750

It has recently been suggested that this type was not necessarily struck at Ghazna, but by the Mongol military after it departed from Ghazna when chasing Mangubarni towards the Indus River, with minting equipment brought along from Ghazna.



319. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (4.03g), Badakhshan, ND, A-A1967, same obverse die as Zeno-52642, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; mint name above the obverse, also showing the mint name in the reverse margin, crude EF**, R** $300 - 375



320. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (4.41g), Badakhshan, ND, A-A1967, same obverse die as Zeno-52642, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; mint name above the obverse, reverse double-struck, crude EF**, R** $220 - 240



321. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (3.34g), Badakhshan, ND, A-A1967, same obverse die as Zeno-52642, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; mint name above the obverse, reverse double-struck, crude EF**, R** $190 - 220



322. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (3.10g), Badakhshan, ND, A-A1967, same obverse die as Zeno-52642, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; mint name above the obverse, usual weakness, crude EF**, R** $180 - 220



323. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (2.87g), Badakhshan, ND, A-A1967, same obverse die as Zeno-52642, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; mint name above the obverse, usual weakness, crude EF**, R** $170 - 200



324. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (4.88g), Badakhshan, ND, A-A1967, same obverse die as Zeno-52642, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; mint name above the obverse, usual weakness, crude VF-EF**, R** $240 - 300



325. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (4.94g), Badakhshan, ND, A-A1967, same obverse die as Zeno-52642, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; mint name above the obverse, usual weakness, crude VF-EF**, R** $240 - 300



326. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (4.29g), Badakhshan, ND, A-A1967, same obverse die as Zeno-52642, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; mint name above the obverse, weak on this piece, but confirmed by die-link, about 20% flat, crude VF-EF**, R** $220 - 260



327. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (5.58g), Badakhshan, ND, A-A1967, same obverse die as Zeno-52642, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; mint name above the obverse, weak strike, crude VF**, R** $280 - 300



328. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (5.93g), ND/DM, A-A1967, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; citing only the epithet of the mint name *dar al-nasr* in the reverse margin, about 30% flat, crude EF**, RR** $300 - 350

The style suggests it was minted at Badakhshan.



329. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (3.65g), NM, AH(6)18, A-V3705, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; same obverse die as Lot 1243 in our Auction 35 and Zeno-169146 & 219659, with the last two letters of the date fully legible, about 15% flat, EF**, RRR** $300 - 400



330. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (5.23g), NM, AH6(18), A-V3705, kalima // the caliph al-Nasir; same dies as Lot 329, which completes the date, about 10% flat, EF**, RRR** $300 - 400

Lot 329 and 330 were most likely struck at Badakhshan, as they are stylistically so similar to some dinars engraved with that mint name (cf. Zeno-181537, where the mint name is legible).



331. **GREAT MONGOLS: Güyük**, 1246-1249, AR fractional dirham (1.04g), NM, ND, A-1976K, Zeno-121121, Khooboo Ongi tamgha, with unread legend around // first half of kalima in 2 lines, usual weakness, F-VF**, RR** $180 - 220



332. **GREAT MONGOLS: temp. Kublai Khan**, 1264-1294, AE jital or fals (3.01g), ND, A-3777K, legend *ordu / al-a'zam*, trace of mint formula around // Tibetan character *mam* in center; assigned by P. Petrov to the region of Khotan, which lies en route to Tibet, unpublished and probably unique, crude VF**, RRRR** $200 - 300



333. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, ca. 1220s-1240s, AV dinar (3.96g), Samarqand, ND, A-B1967, broad flan, crude strike from harshly cleaned dies, mint name below obverse, VF**, R** $260 - 325



334. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymous**, ca. 1240s-1260s, AE jital (3.85g), NM, ND, A-3840.1, Shi'ite kalima (with *'ali wali Allah*) // unread three-line Arabic legend, appears to be the first reported specimen and the first known Shi'ite jital of the Great Mongols, VF**, RRR** $140 - 200



335. **GOLDEN HORDE: Jani Beg**, 1341-1357, AR dinar (4.13g), Amul, AH758, A-2028A, struck by the local Afrasiyabid ruler in the name of Jani Beg, during the Golden Horde invasion of Iraq, lovely strike, EF $500 - 600

Another example from the same pair of dies was sold in our Auction 41, Lot 566.



336. **GOLDEN HORDE: Kunche Khan**, 1379-1393, AR dirham (1.10g), Balad Sighnaq, AH(7)82, A-D2047, Zeno-170882, *lillah* in center, ruler's name around (mostly off flan), mint & date on reverse, VF**, RRR** $140 - 180

Zeno-170882 was sold in our Auction 26, Lot 511, the only example of the central "lillah" type illustrated on Zeno.



337. **ILKHAN: Hulagu**, 1256-1265, AV dinar (5.27g), al-Mawsil, AH6(6)3, A-2121.1, citing the deceased Great Mongol Möngke as Mangû, which means "wealth" or "gift of God" as the Greatest Qa'an and Hulagu as the Great Ilkhan, partly double-struck, EF**, RR** $600 - 800



338. **ILKHAN: Hulagu**, 1256-1265, AR dirham (2.84g), Baghdad, AH661, A-2122.1, citing the Great Mongol overlord Möngke posthumously, after his death in AH657, finest style, EF**, R** $140 - 180



339. **ILKHAN: Hulagu**, 1256-1265, AR dirham (3.08g), Dimashq, AH658, A-2124, fully legible mint & date, extremely rare type for this mint, Mongol conquest coin, on which Hulagu is described as "the conqueror of the coast (al-basita) by the grace of his brother Möngke, the Great Qa'an", excellent example with minimal weakness for this type, VF-EF**, RRR** $400 - 500

The coast refers to the Mediterranean, which of course the Mongol army never quite reached! Hulagu occupied Damascus for three months in AH658.



340. **ILKHAN: Abaqa**, 1265-1282, AV dinar (6.16g), Baghdad, AH676, A-2126.1, bold mint & date, lovely VF-EF**, R** $500 - 600



341. **ILKHAN: Abaqa**, 1265-1282, AV dinar (8.74g), Kashan, AH678, A-2126.1, obverse only in Arabic, date weak, but certain, bold mint name, very rare mint for Abaqa's gold coinage, strong VF**, RR** $600 - 800



342. **ILKHAN: Abaqa**, 1265-1282, AV dinar (2.80g), Is(fahan), AH6xx, A-2126.1, only the first 2 letters of the mint visible, but confirmed by die-link to Lot 1321 in our Auction 35 (same reverse die), EF $500 - 600



343. **ILKHAN: Abaqa**, 1265-1282, AV dinar (5.84g), Madinat Yazd, DM, A-2126.2, obverse only in Uighur, bold mint name, but date almost entirely off flan, lovely VF**, RR** $500 - 600



344. **ILKHAN: Anonymous Qa'an al-'Adil**, ca. 1245-1284, AV dinar (3.37g), NM, AH671, A-G2132, *qa'an / al-a'zam / al-'adil* in the obverse field, the kalima and date in words within the reverse field, style of the Amul mint, as sold in our Auction 41, Lot 586, VF-EF**, RR** $240 - 300



345. **ILKHAN: Anonymous Qa'an al-'Adil**, ca. 1245-1284, AV dinar (2.58g), NM, ND, A-G2132, *qa'an / al-a'zam / al-'adil* in the obverse field, the kalima within the reverse field in ornate arrangement, possibly also of the Amul mint in Mazandaran, crude VF-EF**, RR** $240 - 300



346. **ILKHAN: Arghun**, 1284-1291, AV dinar (4.46g), Tabriz, AH685, A-2144, bold date, EF**, R** $260 - 350



347. **ILKHAN: Arghun**, 1284-1291, AV dinar (4.48g) (Tabriz), AH6xx, A-2144, bold VF $240 - 300



348. **ILKHAN: Arghun**, 1284-1291, AV dinar (4.53g), Kashan, ND, A-2144A, sun rising behind the hawk, obverse die same as the silver dirham dated 688 sold in our Auction 15, Lot 517, VF-EF**, RRR** $700 - 900

Uncertain reverse marginal legend, definitely not the usual date formula, with only "Abd Allah" clear, possibly a reference to a local governor.



349. **ILKHAN: Arghun**, 1284-1291, AV dinar (7.18g), Kazirun / Abu Ishaq, AH685, A-2144B, mint cited as Kazirun in the obverse margin and by its epithet Abu Ishaq in the reverse field, lovely well-centered strike on broad flan, VF**, RRR** $550 - 700

Both Kazirun and Shiraz remained technically under Salghurid rule, together with an Ilkhan governor, until the death of Queen Abish in AH684. This is the earliest purely Ilkhan coin of Kazirun, better known for Shiraz. Kazirun is much rarer than Shiraz, with no example of Kazirun on CoinArchives.



350. **ILKHAN: Gaykhatu**, 1291-1295, AV dinar (4.19g), MM, AH693, A-2158, likely Tabriz mint by style, VF-EF $200 - 250



351. **ILKHAN: Gaykhatu**, 1291-1295, AV dinar (4.50g), Tabriz, AH691, A-2158.1, clear mint & date, with the mint cited on both sides, EF $260 - 350



352. **ILKHAN: Gaykhatu**, 1291-1295, AV dinar (5.14g), MM, AH69(2), A-2158.1, date confirmed by die-link on both sides to Lot 863 in our Auction 36, style of Baghdad mint, EF $350 - 450



353. **ILKHAN: Gaykhatu**, 1291-1295, AV dinar (3.64g), Tabriz, AH694, A-2158.1, ruler cited with his Uighur name Irinjin Durji, with *durji* instead of the normal *turji*, some weakness as always for this variety, EF $260 - 350



354. **ILKHAN: Baydu**, 1295, AV dinar (4.25g), Madinat Tabriz, AH(694), A-2164, one-year type, EF $200 - 250



355. **ILKHAN: Baydu**, 1295, AV dinar (4.23g), Madinat Tabriz, DM, A-2164, struck only in AH694, AU $300 - 400



356. **ILKHAN: Ghazan Mahmud**, 1295-1304, AV dinar (4.13g), Madinat Tabriz, AH(69)4, A-2167, pre-reform issue, with the title *padshah-i jahan,* "king of the world", EF**, R** $300 - 400



357. **ILKHAN: Ghazan Mahmud**, 1295-1304, AV dinar (3.18g), MM, DM, A-2167, pre-reform issue, with the title *padshah-i islam,* "king of Islam", about 15% flat strike, EF**, R** $220 - 260



358. **ILKHAN: Ghazan Mahmud**, 1295-1304, AR dirham (2.42g), Baghdad, AH696, A-2169, extremely rare type, struck only in AH696 at Baghdad & Tabriz, before the weight standard was reduced from 2.52g to 2.16g early in AH697, slightly uneven surfaces, but overall fully struck, VF**, RRR** $200 - 300



359. **ILKHAN: Ghazan Mahmud**, 1295-1304, AV dinar (8.49g), Tabriz, AH700, A-2170, standard type, with Uighur obverse together with name in Arabic & 'Phags-Pa characters, F-VF $400 - 500



360. **ILKHAN: Ghazan Mahmud**, 1295-1304, AV dinar (4.30g), Yazd, DM, A-2170, standard type, with Uighur obverse together with name in Arabic & 'Phags-Pa characters, scruffy F-VF $220 - 280



361. **ILKHAN: Uljaytu**, 1304-1316, AV dinar (4.27g), Baghdad, AH704, A-2177, type A, slightly wavy surfaces, almost VF $220 - 260



362. **ILKHAN: Uljaytu**, 1304-1316, AV dinar (8.52g), Madinat Tabriz, AH710, A-2182, type B, choice VF $400 - 500



363. **ILKHAN: Uljaytu**, 1304-1316, AV dinar (9.00g), Abu Ishaq (=Kazirun), AH714, A-2186, type C, mint on both sides, overstruck on type B gold dinar, VF $400 - 500



364. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV one mithqal (4.20g), Bazar, AH732, A-T2191, mint name & *sultan abu sa'id* in the center, date formula in the margin // kalima, the 4 Rashidun, and the denomination *yek mithqal* ("one mithqal"); apparently unpublished, attractive VF**, RRRR** $500 - 600



365. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (8.49g), Madinat Tabriz, AH718, A-2194, type B, overstruck on uncertain type of Uljaytu (either his type B or C), EF $550 - 650



366. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (9.41g), Shiraz, AH718, A-2194, overstruck on type B dinar of Uljaytu, some adhesions (removable), VF $500 - 600



367. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (4.69g), Madinat Shiraz, DM, A-2194, type B (struck AH717-719, pointed hexafoil // pointed octofoil), decent example, light cleaning, VF-EF $300 - 350



368. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (9.43g), Kazirun, AH719, A-2198, type C, with the mint epithet Abu Ishaq below the obverse field, one small scratch in obverse field, beautiful full strike, choice VF-EF $550 - 650



369. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (8.61g), Madinat Tabriz, AH7xx, A-2198, type C, with *surkh-i tabriz* below the reverse ("red gold of Tabriz"), VF**, RR** $500 - 600



370. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (4.78g), Amul, AH7(2)2, A-2202, type D, mint name recut over *damghan*, VF**, R** $300 - 350



371. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AR 2 dirhams (3.48g), Erzurum, AH724, A-2206, type E, fabulous strike, rare mint for this remarkable type, VF-EF**, RR** $140 - 180



372. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (8.92g), Abu Ishaq, AH724, A-2208, type F, Abu Ishaq was the epithetical name for the city of Kazirun; mount removed (barely visible, no damage to the coin), bold strike on broad flan, bold VF $500 - 600



373. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (8.54g), Tabriz, AH730, A-2212, type G, VF $400 - 500



374. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (6.63g), Jajerm, AH733, A-2212, type G, mint name repeated twice on the obverse (once in the margin and once in the field), VF $350 - 450



375. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (8.72g), al-Basra, Khani year 34, A-2216, type H, also dated AH735 on the reverse, VF**, RR** $500 - 600



376. **ILKHAN: Musa Khan**, 1336-1337, AR 2 dirhams (2.85g), Baghdad, AH737, A-2224.2, ruler's name in Arabic, mint & date in the obverse margin, the four Rashidun in the reverse margin, lovely well-centered strike, choice VF**, RRR** $400 - 500

The only example on CoinArchives is an inferior piece that sold in our Auction 37, Lot 844. This piece is far superior.



377. **ILKHAN: Muhammad Khan**, 1336-1338, AV dinar (8.60g), al-Basra, AH738, A-2227, type B, decent strike, VF**, RRR** $800 - 1,000



378. **ILKHAN: Taghay Timur**, 1336-1353, AV dinar (3.76g), Baghdad, AH741, A-L2233, type IB, very common for silver, very rare for gold, date weak, but certain, VF**, RR** $300 - 400



379. **ILKHAN: Sulayman**, 1339-1346, AV dinar (6.45g), Hamadan, AH740, A-F2248, type B, as on the silver coinage, VF**, RR** $450 - 550



380. **ILKHAN: Sulayman**, 1339-1346, AV dinar (5.56g) (Hamadan), AH740, A-F2248, type B, as on the silver coinage, mint confirmed by die-link on both sides to Lot 379, VF**, RR** $300 - 400



381. **ILKHAN: Sulayman**, 1339-1346, AV dinar (3.38g), Maragha, DM, A-F2248, crudely struck, with considerable weakness, Fine**, R** $220 - 280



382. **MONGOLS:** bronze seal (15.89g), 3-line inscription within triangle, the top word is quite likely the name *yildiz*, the second word is quite clear: *nouruz*, and the third word has been read as *syubashi* (by Kalinin), thus the personal name *yildiz nouruz syubashi*, VF**, RRR** $150 - 200

This piece was found near the Mongolian city of Yangi Taraz in Kyrgyzstan according to the consignor; dating uncertain, likely sometime between the 14th and 18th century.



383. **TIMURID: Anonymous**, ca. 15th century, AV dinar (4.65g), ND, totally anonymous, only the Sunni kalima and the names of the 4 Rashidun, identical obverse & reverse, VF-EF**, R** $260 - 350

The style suggests an eastern issue during one of the chaotic periods that interspersed the Timurid period throughout the 15th century. This is a tentative attribution.

Shahs of Iran



384. **AFSHARID: Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR rupi (11.29g), Sind, AH1157, A-2744.1, one tiny testmark in the reverse margin, bold strike, EF $140 - 180



385. **AFSHARID: Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR rupi (11.47g), Dera, AH1159, A-2744.2, bold strike, without any testmarks, choice VF-EF**, R** $140 - 200



386. **AFSHARID: Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR rupi (11.51g), Shahjahanabad (Delhi), AH1151, A-2744.3, superb quality example! EF $200 - 300

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387. **DURRANI: temp. Purdil Khan**, 1826-1830/2nd reign, AR rupee (9.10g), Ahmadshahi, AH1244, A-E3138, KM-168, bold strike, VF-EF**, R** $100 - 1,130



388. **BARAKZAI: temp. Safdar Jang**, 1842-1843, AR rupee (9.10g), Ahmadshahi, AH1259, A-V3150, with the Arabic obverse inscription *al-mulku lillah al-wahid al qahhar* (“the kingship belongs to God, the One, the Almighty”), some weakness as seems to be normal for this type, VF**, RRR** $150 - 200

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389. **ALMORA: Mrugabhuti**, 1st century AD, AE round unit (9.92g), Pieper-2021:1015 (this piece), bull facing railed parasol at the top, Almora symbol in center, legend *mugabhutisa* below // Almora symbol between columns, excellent example, VF-EF**, RRR**, *ex Wilfried Pieper Collection* $300 - 375



390. **MAURYAN PERIOD: Buddhist votive stupa**, AE stupa-shape (8.81g), Pieper AIC (1998), plate 30, engraved as a Buddhist stupa with the doorway of the stupa on the right and the depiction of a tree in railing on the left; there is nothing engraved on the back side, EF**, RRR**, *ex Wilfried Pieper Collection* $260 - 350

According to the consignor: Such portable stupas suggest a Buddhist background (Buddhist votive stupa). They are reported to have been found in association with Mauryan punchmarked silver and cast copper coins. It was also suggested that such items were attached to the tips of the horns of bulls, and this would explain the two perforations at the base. Extremely rare and exceedingly interesting!



391. **PARATARAJAS: Kozana b. Bagavharna**, ca. 200-220, AR drachm (3.39g), Tandon-38 (in JONS 2005 Supplement), diademed bust right // swastika, royal legend in Kharosthi around, bold strike, VF-EF**, R** $150 - 190



392. **SATAVAHANA: Kochchiputra**, 1st century BC, AE round unit (6.04g), Pieper-658var; Sarma-B20, elephant right, Ujjain symbol & uncertain symbol above // railed tree with huge leaves, superb bold strike, from the Nasik region, EF**, RR** $140 - 180



393. **SATAVAHANA: Sri Satakarni**, 1st century BC, AE rectangular unit (9.88g), Pieper-659, Sarma—, elephant right below, large swastika above, Ujjain symbol & Indradhvaja upper right, king's name in fine Brahmi script upper left, countermarked srivatsa // within a square, railed tree, Ujjain symbol, and nandipada-like symbol, superb example, from the Nasik region, EF**, RRR** $200 - 300



394. **SATAVAHANA: Gautamiputra Satakarni II**, 2nd century AD, AR drachm (1.98g), Pieper-682, 3-arch hill, river symbol below, Brahmi legend around // Satavahana symbol, overstruck on a drachm of Nahapana with Greek and Kharosthi legends, pleasing VF**, R** $80 - 100



395. **SAURASHTRA: Anonymous**, 1st century BC, AE square unit (5.34g), Pieper-2021:510 (this piece), crude human figure holding taurine-standard, 6-arm symbol to left, river or boat symbol below // two massive tortoises; overstruck on a Bactrian piece, probably of Apollodotus II (ca. 80-65 BC); traces of the original Greek obverse legend are clear on the reverse of this piece, bold VF**, RRR**, *ex Wilfried Pieper Collection* $200 - 300



396. **SHAKYA: Punchmarked**, ca. 600-500 BC, AR 10 shana (?) (14.80g), cf. Rajgor-525, very crude punchmarked silver coin, with 6-point symbol, 4-point symbol, and elephant (twice), apparently unpublished type, extremely heavy weight, similar to some of the earliest Shakya region punchmarked coins, crude VF**, RRR** $180 - 240



397. **TRIPURI: Bhavadatta**, 1st century BC, lead unit (11.17g), Pieper-2021:590 (this piece), standing human (barely visible), railed tree to left // adorned swastika with legend around *rajno bhavadattasa;* extremely rare type of the Datta kings of Tripuri, choice VF**, RR**, *ex Wilfried Pieper Collection* $150 - 200



398. **ANCIENT INDIA:** AE seal (5.25g), Brahmi legend *chi-ri-sya* with a trident to the left; probably produced some time between the 2nd century BC and the 5th century AD; find place unknown, VF**, RRR**, *ex Wilfried Pieper Collection* $180 - 240



399. **INDO-SASANIAN: SIND: "Rana Datasatya"**, ca. 5th century, debased AV dinar (6.68g), cf. ONS Newletter-149, p.6, king's bust right, sun-wheel before // fire-altar, Brahmi legend around, VF $300 - 400



400. **KUSHAN: Huvishka**, ca. 155-187, AV dinar (7.69g), G-300, half-length profile bust of king left, above the clouds, holding mace & ankusa // Nana standing, nimbate, tiny crescent above, holding staff tipped with protome of a horse and ankusa, VF $700 - 900



401. **KUSHAN: Vasu Deva I**, 190-230+, AV dinar (7.97g), Mitch-3389/94, king standing, second series with second trident to left above the altar // Siva & bull, style assigned by Mitchiner to the Peshawar region, fine style, VF-EF $600 - 700



402. **KUSHAN: Vasu Deva I**, 190-230+, AV dinar (7.89g), Mitch-3389/94, king standing, holding long trident, offering sacrifice on altar, with the second trident to left // Siva & bull Nandi, toughra upper left, VF $500 - 550



403. **KUSHAN: Vasu Deva I**, 190-230+, AV dinar (7.87g), Mitch-3395/97, king standing, holding long trident, offering sacrifice on altar, with the second trident to left, nandipada to right // Siva & bull Nandi, tamgha upper left, VF $500 - 550



404. **KUSHAN: Kanishka II**, ca. 226-240, AV dinar (7.88g), G-635, standard obverse, with Brahmi *ga / gho / hiru* // Siva & bull Nandi, EF**, R** $550 - 650



405. **KUSHAN: Vasishka**, ca. 240-250, AV dinar (7.57g), Mitch-3502var, standing king, Brahmi text *Vai Tha PiDa* // Ardoksho enthroned, bold VF-EF $450 - 600



406. **KUSHAN: Vasu Deva II**, ca. 290-310, AV dinar (7.84g), Mitch-3505, king standing, holding long trident, offering sacrifice on altar, Brahmi legend *Jira / Gho / Rada* // Siva & bull Nandi, tamgha upper left, lovely bold strike, choice EF $750 - 950



407. **KUSHAN: Vasu Deva II**, ca. 290-310, AV dinar (7.78g), Mitch-3542/44, standard obverse, with Brahmi monograms *sa / vi / vasu* // Ardoksho enthroned, with her name in corrupt Greek, strong VF $500 - 600



408. **KUSHAN: "Vasu"**, late 3rd century, AE unit (4.74g), Mitch-3568/69, king enthroned, holding a diadem and an uncertain object, possibly a wine glass // Ardoksho enthroned, holding cornucopia, finest style (similar to the contemporary gold dinars), EF**, RRR** $180 - 220

The actual ruler is perhaps Vasu Deva III, who ruled at some point during the 1st quarter of the 4th century, contemporary with Chhu.



409. **KUSHAN: Chhu**, ca. 310-325, AV dinar (7.78g), Mitch-3554, king standing, holding trident & offering sacrifice over altar, Brahmi legend *Ga / Va / Chhu* // deity Ardoksho enthroned, bold VF $400 - 500



410. **KUSHAN: Kipunada**, ca. 350-375, AV dinar (7.60g), Mitch-3584/88, king standing left, holding trident and sacrificing over altar, *Da* in Brahmi to right of altar, monogram *BaSaTa* under arm in right field, *KiPuNaDa* further to right // Ardoksho enthroned facing, holding garland and cornucopia, choice VF $300 - 350



411. **KUSHAN: Kipunada**, ca. 350-375, AV dinar (7.62g), Mitch-3584/88, king standing left, holding trident and sacrificing over altar, *Na* in Brahmi to right of altar, monogram *BaSaTa* under arm in right field, *KiPuNaDa* further to right // Ardoksho enthroned facing, holding garland and cornucopia, VF $260 - 350



412. **JAMMU & KASHMIR: Pratapaditya II**, 5th century, AV dinar, slightly debased (7.37g), Kirke-3645-var, X-like mark upper right, debased name *kidara* below arm // king's name to left, still quite legible, likely at least 70% gold content, EF $280 - 350



413. **KIDARITE: Kidara**, 4th/5th century, AV dinar (7.57g), Mitch-3620, king standing, *KuShaNa* left, *KiDaRa* below his arm, and *KaPaN* lower left // Ardoksho enthroned, fine gold, VF-EF $400 - 500



414. **KIDARITE: Kidara**, 4th/5th century, AV dinar (7.94g), Mitch-3620, standard obverse, with Brahmi monogram *kidara* beneath the arm // Ardoksho enthroned; posthumous style, likely struck circa 400-450, VF $260 - 300



415. **KIDARITE: Kidara**, 4th/5th century, AV stater (7.58g), Mitch-3695/702, standard obverse, with Brahmi monogram *kidara* beneath the arm // Ardoksho enthroned; late issue, probably early 5th century, still good gold, Fine $300 - 350



416. **KIDARITE: Anonymous**, 5th century, AV dinar (8.02g), Mitch-3695 ff, king standing, *KuShaNa* left, *KiDaRa* below his arm, and *KaPaN* lower left // Ardoksho enthroned, estimated about 70% gold; assigned to Kashmir region, VF-EF $300 - 375



417. **KIDARITE: Vinayaditya**, 5th/6th century, debased AV dinar (7.58g), Mitch-3656/60, standing king // stylized deity Ardoksho, superb bold strike, rare in this quality, choice EF**, R** $140 - 200



418. **KIDARITE: Vinayaditya**, 5th/6th century, debased AV dinar (7.52g), Mitch-3656/60, stylized Kushan king standing // stylized enthroned Goddess Ardoksho, *sri vinaya / ditya* to right, from the region of Jammu & Kashmir, bold VF $200 - 260



419. **KIDARITE: Tarapira (Tarapra)**, late 6th century, debased AV dinar (7.49g), Mitch-3637, stylized design: standing king // Ardoksho, from the region of Jammu & Kashmir, VF-EF $200 - 300

Medieval India



420. **CHITALDURG: Madakeri Nayaka I**, 1565-1602, AV pagoda, Mitch-939, Durga seated facing, wearing turreted headdress // Devanagari inscription *sri pratapa krishnaraya*, NGC graded MS64 $200 - 300



421. **CHITALDURG: Madakeri Nayaka I**, 1565-1602, AV pagoda (3.29g), Mitch-939, Durga seated facing, wearing turreted headdress // Devanagari inscription, *sri pratapa krishnaraya,* lovely toning, EF $240 - 300



422. **KALACHURIS OF TRIPURI: Gangeya Deva**, ca. 1015-1040, AV 4½ masha (4.06g), De-119, seated deity Lakshmi // 3-line royal legend, early style of elegant details, EF $200 - 260



423. **WESTERN GANGAS: Anonymous**, ca. 11th-13th century, AV pagoda (3.83g), Mitch-702, Fr-288, caparisoned elephant standing right // floral decoration, traces of red powder, VF $250 - 300

Sultanates



424. **DELHI: Firuz Shah Zafar**, 1389, AV tanka (10.97g), NM, ND, G-D545, a very rare ruler, choice VF**, RR** $900 - 1,100

Firuz Shah Zafar ruled briefly, probably for just a few months, between Tughluq II and Abu Bakr Shah.

Sind & Multan



425. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: al-Hakam b. 'Awâna**, ca. 730-740, AR damma (0.35g), A-4502, FT-CS3, obverse *muhammad / rasul / Allah,* reverse *amara bihi / al-hakam bin / 'awana,* local calligraphic style, much rarer than type A-4501 of the same governor, VF**, RRR** $140 - 170



426. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Yazid b. 'Umar al-Fazari**, ca. 740s, AR damma (0.38g), A-4504, FT-CS4, obverse just *al-'izza / lillah,* reverse *yazid bin / 'umar*, VF**, RRR** $110 - 150



427. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Yazid b. 'Umar al-Fazari**, ca. 740s, AR damma (0.31g), A-4504, FT-CS4, obverse just *al-'izza / lillah,* reverse *yazid bin / 'umar*, VF**, RRR** $110 - 150



428. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Muhammad b. 'Irar al-Kalbi**, ca. 744-745, AR damma (0.37g), A-4505, FT-CS6, legend *Allah wali / muhammad (bin) / ('irar) // muhammad / lillah wahdahu,* note pellet in the center of the second letter "m" of the governor's name, VF**, RRR** $120 - 160



429. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Mansur (b. Jumhur al-Kalbi)**, ca. 747-752, AR damma (0.48g), A-4508, FT-CS9, obverse just *la ilah illa Allah* in tall letters, reverse *nasr Allah / mansur* (clearly *nasr Allah,* not *bism Allah* as previously assumed), bold VF**, RRR** $130 - 170

An important servant of the Umayyads, Mansur b. Jumhur is well attested, and was even briefly governor of Iraq in AH126 (743-744). His full name "mansur bin jumhur" appears on Umayyad fulus of the Zaranj mint in Sistan.



430. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Farâs**, before 850, AR damma (0.23g), A-4523, FT-CS23, legends *Allah wali / farâs (?) / wa nasiruhu // muhammad / rasul / Allah,* the finest example we have seen for this enigmatic type, VF**, RRR** $110 - 150

This important piece, along with Lot 1152 in our Auction 36, confirms that the governor's name cannot be 'Abbâs, as I previously suggested, as the first letter is either Arabic "F" or "Q", with no other letter before. We have been unable to find a name in the chronicles that fits this name. The weight standard and style of this type suggests a late Abbasid governor, shortly before the Habbarid takeover circa 854.



431. **GOVERNORS OF SIND: Unknown governor**, ca. 850s, AR damma (0.28g), A-—, FT-CS—, obverse legend uncertain, something like *'abd / Allah / …sâma, //* standard *muhammad / rasul / Allah,* with a symbol below *rasul,* stylistically similar to the issues of the last governors of Sind and the first issue of the Habbarid 'Umar I (FT-HS1), VF-EF**, RRR** $130 - 170



432. **HABBARID: 'Umar I (b. 'Abd al-Aziz)**, ca. 854-874, AR damma (0.53g), NM, AH241, A-4526, date in words around first half of kalima // *muhammad / rasul / Allah / 'umar*, VF**, RRR** $100 - 150



433. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-Mu'izz**, ca. 965-975, AR damma (0.53g), A-4590, FT-FG1, Nicol-510, ex A-A702, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *al-mu'izz lidi- / -n Allah amir / al-mu'minin / ma'add*, nice strike showing parts of the 4th line on both sides, VF**, R** $110 - 150



434. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-Mu'izz**, ca. 966-975, AR damma (0.45g), A-4590, FT-FG1, Nicol-510, ex A-A702, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *al-mu'izz lidi- / -n Allah amir / al-mu'minin / ma'add,* only 3 lines visible on each side (as usual), VF $100 - 150



435. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-Mu'izz**, ca. 966-975, AR damma (0.32g), A-4590, FT-FG1, Nicol-510, ex A-A702, Isma'ili kalima // caliphal text *al-mu'izz lidi- / -n Allah amir / al-mu'minin / ma'add,* only 3 lines visible on each side (as usual), VF $100 - 150



436. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-Aziz**, 975-996, AR damma (0.56g), A-4591, Nicol-859, FT-FG2, ex A-A708, Isma'ili kalima // Isma'ili caliph: caliphal text *nizar abu / mansur / al-imam al'az- / -iz billah,* only 3 lines visible on each side (as usual), nice strike, VF-EF**, R** $100 - 150



437. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-Aziz**, 975-996, AR damma (0.49g), A-4591, Nicol-859, FT-FG2, ex A-A708, Isma'ili kalima // Isma'ili caliph: caliphal text *nizar abu / mansur / al-imam al'az- / -iz billah, only 3 lines visible on each side (as usual), lovely strike, VF-EF*, **R** $100 - 150



438. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AR damma (0.54g), A-4591, Nicol-859, FT-FG2, ex A-A708, Isma'ili caliph // caliphal text *nizar abu / mansur / al-imam al'az- / -iz billah,* only 3 lines visible on each side (as usual), lovely VF $100 - 150



439. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-'Aziz**, 975-996, AR damma (0.56g), A-4591, Nicol-859, FT-FG2, ex A-A708, Isma'ili caliph // caliphal text *nizar abu / mansur / al-imam al'az- / -iz billah,* only 3 lines visible on each side (as usual), VF $100 - 150



440. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-Hakim**, 996-1011, AR damma (0.51g), A-4592, Nicol-, FT-FG3, ex A-A713, reverse legend *mansur / abu 'ali amir / al-hakim bi-a- / -mr Allah,* struck until the final Ghaznavid conquest in 1011, bold strike, EF $100 - 150



441. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-Hakim**, 996-1011, AR damma (0.56g), A-4592, Nicol-, FT-FG3, ex A-A713, reverse legend *mansur / abu 'ali amir / al-hakim bi-a- / -mr Allah,* struck until the final Ghaznavid conquest in 1011, nice strike, VF-EF $100 - 150



442. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-Hakim**, 996-1011, AR damma (0.53g), A-4592, Nicol-, FT-FG3, ex A-A713, reverse legend *mansur / abu 'ali amir / al-hakim bi-a- / -mr Allah,* struck until the final Ghaznavid conquest in 1011, slightly off-center, VF-EF $90 - 120



443. **FATIMID PARTISANS AT MULTAN: al-Hakim**, 996-1011, AR damma (0.50g), A-4592, Nicol-, FT-FG3, ex A-A713, Isma'ili caliph // legend *mansur / abu 'ali amir / al-hakim bi-a- / -mr Allah,* struck until the final Ghaznavid conquest in 1011, choice VF $100 - 150

Mughal Empire



444. **MUGHAL: Humayun**, 1530-1556, AR shahrukhi (4.68g), Assam, AH(94)2, Botham—, clear mint name in the lower left corner; the only other reported example, in a private collection, on which the numeral "4" of the date is clear; the central royal legend is *muhammad humayun padishah ghazi sayyid al-salâtin*, mount removed, VF**, RRRR** $350 - 450

Humayun's military forces did enter into Assam, and this coin was perhaps a regular Mughal issue, but more likely a local issue accepting Mughal authority. The coarse calligraphy suggests the latter.



445. **MUGHAL: Humayun**, 1530-1556, AR light shahrukhi, Qandahar, ND, A-G2464, struck to the local standard used only at Qandahar, which should be about 3.9g, but weight not recorded on the slab, a lustrous mint state example! NGC graded MS62 $150 - 200

Same dies as Lot 2937 that sold in our Auction 39.



446. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AR heavy rupee (11.99g), Hisar Firuza, AH963, KM-80.9, rupees of this mint dated AH963 were struck to a heavier standard of about 12.00g, reduced to the standard 11.50g in the following year AH964; 3 small testmarks, VF-EF**, RRR**, *ex M.H. Mirza Collection* $150 - 200



447. **MUGHAL: Akbar I**, 1556-1605, AV mohur (10.79g), AH972, KM-105, blundered mint name, style of Agra mint, possibly a local imitation, VF-EF $600 - 700



448. **MUGHAL: Jahangir**, 1605-1628, AR square rupee (11.30g), Agra, AH1023 year 9, KM-147.2, month of Ardibihisht, 1 testmark, VF**, R** $350 - 450



449. **MUGHAL: Shah Jahan I**, 1628-1658, AV mohur (10.99g), Burhanpur, AH1050, KM-260.6, choice EF $650 - 750



450. **MUGHAL: Aurangzeb**, 1658-1707, AV mohur, Shahjahanabad, AH1106 year 39, KM-315.42, a lovely mint state example! NGC graded MS63 $800 - 1,000

Princely States



451. **ASSAM: Gaurinatha Simha**, 1780-1796, AR rupee, SE1709 year 8 (1787), KM-218, a wonderful lustrous mint state example! NGC graded MS64 $200 - 300



452. **BAHAWALPUR: Sadiq Muhammad Khan V**, 1907-1947, AV ashrafi, AH1343, KM-XM11, original issue, early strike, small die break visible on the lower left of the reverse, PCGS graded AU58 $800 - 1,000

The dies were produced by Spink for the Nawab.



453. **BHARATPUR: Jaswant Singh**, 1853-1893, AR rupee, Braj Indrapur, 1858//VS1910, KM-157, portrait of Queen Victoria, PCGS graded AU55 $150 - 250

NOTE: Group lots have been moved to the end of the catalog. See lots 2752 to 3200.



454. **COORG: Chikka Virarajendra**, 1820-1834, lead medal (24.46g), ND (1834), Zeno-278920 (this piece), 49mm, uniface, 6-line Persian text, followed by the Kannada letter *vi*, pierced twice at the top for suspension, choice VF $200 - 300

Another example of this medal (see our Auction 23, Lot 1766) bears a sticker on its reverse, which reads in English, "Medal - distributed by the King of Coorg among his soldiers in consequence of recent success, 1834 […] — 1851". The king refers to Chikka Virarajendra, who led a brief but bloody uprising against the British in 1834 and was subsequently deposed, his kingdom annexed. One source translates the inscription briefly as "This humble person has sent this (other) person for war without provisions except the blessings, so his sponsorship is a must for you." If this translation is to be believed, it is likely that this medal was issued by Chikka Virarajendra to allow his soldiers to ask for provisions in his name.



455. **DERAJAT: Pir Hasan Khan**, dates unknown, AE paisa (5.80g), ND, KM-—, unpublished type, citing the local governor Pir Hasan Khan; probably undated; reverse filled with the word *rayij,* as found on later paise of Dera and Derajat; second known example, the first sold in our Auction 40, Lot 930, strong VF**, RRR** $200 - 240

Originally assigned to Hasan Khan Laskrani, a Baloch ruler in Cis-Indus Punjab from 1770-1779, but an example that appeared in our Auction 41, Lot 800, is rather clearly dated AH123x, thus 60 years later. The real identification of Pir Hasan Khan remains a mystery.



456. **DHAR: Anand Rao III**, 1860-1898, AE ½ pice, 1887, KM-12, regal type of Victoria as Empress, a wonderful example with much red mint luster! PCGS graded MS64 RB $150 - 250



457. **HYDERABAD: Afzal-ud-Dawla**, 1857-1869, AV mohur (11.06g), Farkhanda Bunyad, AH1284 year 11, Y-11, choice AU $650 - 750



458. **HYDERABAD: Mir Mahbub Ali Khan**, 1869-1911, AV ½ ashrafi (5.29g), Farkhanda Bunyad, AH1314, Y-21, one testmark, highly lustrous and attractive, UNC $400 - 500



459. **JAIPUR:** AR nazarana rupee (11.21g), Sawai Jaipur, AH1159 year 59, KM-—, Haritwal-6 (same dies), in the name of Muhammad Shah, struck during the reign of the second Maharaja, Ishwari Singh Bahadur (1743-1750), lovely VF**, RRRR** $700 - 1,000

This is the earliest known nazarana rupee of Jaipur, and the second reported example. It is the same style as the standard rupee, KM-4, which is well-known for this year.



460. **JODHPUR: Umaid Singh**, 1918-1947, AV mohur, ND (1940-43), KM-150, citing George VI, NGC graded AU58 $700 - 900



461. **RAJKOT: Dharmendra Singh**, 1930-1948, AV medallic mohur, 1945, KM-X1, original strike, a fantastic example! NGC graded MS63 $700 - 900



462. **RAJKOT: Dharmendra Singh**, 1930-1948, AR medallic mohur, 1945, KM-X1a, original strike, a fantastic example! NGC graded MS66 $150 - 250

For these Rajkot issues the originals can be quickly distinguished by the trident, with the middle prong having a solid diamond about halfway along, whereas the restrike has a hollow circle instead of a solid diamond.

Sikh Empire



463. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AR rupee (10.96g), Kashmir, VS1878, KM-46.3, Herrli-06-03-04var, with 5-petal flower instead of the sprig in the obverse center, apparently unpublished type, clear date, VF $160 - 200



464. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AR rupee (11.00g), Kashmir, VS1879, KM-46.4, Herrli-06.05.04, Gurmukhi HAR in obverse center, lovely strike with just a touch of weakness at the rim, full date & mint, VF-EF**, R** $200 - 300



465. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AR rupee (10.99g), Kashmir, DM, KM-46.4, Herrli-06-05-04, with Gurmukhi HAR instead of the sprig in the obverse center, for the governor Hari Singh Nalwa, struck VS1878-1879 only, VF**, RR** $180 - 240



466. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AR rupee (10.96g), Kashmir, VS1882, KM-46.8, Herrli-06.15.04, flag in obverse center, facing to the right, slight weakness towards the rim, VF-EF**, R** $140 - 200



467. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AR rupee (9.32g), Nimak, VS1905, KM-88, Herrli-03.01.04, heavily cleaned, perhaps acid cleaned which caused the weight reduction, altogether attractive example, VF $150 - 200

Herrli associates the Nimak mint, which means "salt" (in Urdu), with the town of Pin Dadan Khan in the Punjab, an important town at the base of the Salt Range mountains.



468. **SIKH EMPIRE:** AR rupee, Peshawar, VS1892//1892, KM-98.2, bold strike, NGC graded AU53 , *ex Hakim Hamidi* $260 - 350



469. **SIKH EMPIRE:** late 19th century, AV medallion (10.62g), Guru Nanak with his disciples Mardana & Bala in the shade of a tree // first verse of the Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji, handcut reeded edge, EF**, R** $800 - 1,000



470. **TRIPURA: Dharma Manikya**, 1714 & 1728-1739, AR tanka, SE1636, KM-199, lion left, citing Queen Dharmasila, PCGS graded AU53 $150 - 250



471. **TRIPURA: Vikrama Kishara Manikya**, 1923-1947, AR rupee, TE1337 (1930), KM-406, bust of ruler // rampant lion, PCGS graded AU58 $200 - 300

Colonial India



472. **BENGAL PRESIDENCY:** AV 1/8 mohur (1.56g), Murshidabad, AH1203 year 19, KM-89, East India Company issue, struck at the Calcutta mint, AU $750 - 850



473. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** tin 2 pice, ND (1717-71), Prid-240, East India Company issue, a superb quality example for type! NGC graded AU58 $1,800 - 2,000



474. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AE pice, 1791, KM-193, East India Company issue, proof struck at Matthew Boulton's Soho Mint, Birmingham, NGC graded Proof 64 BN $250 - 350



475. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AE 2 pice, 1791, KM-196, East India Company issue, struck at the Soho Mint in Birmingham, England, PCGS graded Proof 64 BN $250 - 350



476. **BOMBAY PRESIDENCY:** AV rupee (1/15 mohur) (0.79g), Surat, frozen year 46, Stv-6.159, KM-213, without any privy mark, AU $160 - 200



477. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AV pagoda (3.35g), ND (1740-1807), KM-304, 3 Swami deities // granular reverse, EF $240 - 300



478. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** gilt AE cash, 1803, KM-315b, Prid-214, East India Company issue, proof struck at Matthew Boulton's Soho Mint, Birmingham, NGC graded Proof 64 Ultra Cameo $400 - 600



479. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AE 20 cash, 1803, KM-321, Prid-190, East India Company issue, proof struck at Matthew Boulton's Soho Mint, Birmingham, NGC graded Proof 64 BN $300 - 400



480. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AR 5 fanams (4.53g) (1807), KM-342, Prid-157, first series, without the buckled garter, no stops in the legend; some weakness of strike on both sides, VF**, RR** $500 - 600



481. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AR 2 fanams, ND (1808), KM-350, much original luster, NGC graded AU58 $180 - 240



482. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AR 5 fanams, ND (1808), KM-351, light red golden toning, NGC graded AU58 $240 - 300



483. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AR ¼ pagoda (10.51g), ND (1808), KM-352, pagoda // Vishnu holding a sword in his left hand, English, Persian, Tamil and Telugu inscriptions, exquisite strike, choice EF-AU $200 - 260



484. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AR ½ pagoda, ND (1808), KM-353, East India Company issue, large letters, nine obverse stars either side, empty buckle, lovely toning! NGC graded AU55 $1,500 - 1,750

Overstruck on planchet made from Spanish or Spanish Colonial 8 reales.



485. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AE 1/96 rupee, 1794, KM-392, East India Company issue, struck at the Soho Mint in Birmingham, England, PCGS graded MS63 BN $150 - 250



486. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AE 1/48 rupee, 1794, KM-394, East India Company issue, struck at the Soho mint in Birmingham, England, PCGS graded Proof 64 BN $250 - 350



487. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AE 1/48 rupee (13.60g), 1797, KM-398, traces of original luster, Proof $200 - 300



488. **MADRAS PRESIDENCY:** AV 5 rupees, ND (1820), KM-422, Fr-1590, Stevens-4.7, East India Company issue, much higher grade on reverse, VF-EF $250 - 350



489. **BRITISH INDIA: William IV**, 1830-1837, AR rupee, 1835(c), KM-450.2, S&W-1.43, type D/4 with 'F' raised on truncation, a lovely quality proof restrike! NGC graded Proof 63 $2,500 - 3,500

1835 Proof Restrike Mohur



490. **BRITISH INDIA: William IV**, 1830-1837, AV mohur, 1835(b), KM-451.1, Prid-17, S&W-1.16, proof restrike, no dot after date, no initials on truncation, edge straight-grained, lightly hairlined and with some minor scratches on the obverse, otherwise brilliant, in older PCGS GEN-4.4 holder (used 2005-2011), PCGS graded Proof 61 $8,000 - 10,000

From as early as 1806 the East India Company had hoped to achieve a single currency for all of its Indian Presidencies. This was achieved in 1833 when the rupees of Bengal moved into line with those of Madras and Bombay. After some experimentation in 1834 by Act XVII of 17 August 1835, the Company moved forward towards a uniform coinage, not only of weight standard, but also of design. Under the new system the silver rupee was legal tender. The gold double mohur and mohur coins, although initially passing at 30 and 15 rupees, were to float in terms of the rupee according to the metal market. The gold coins were not legal tender.



491. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, AV mohur, 1841(b&c), KM-462.2, S&W-2.1, Prid-18, East India Company issue, continuous legend, no initial on truncation, large date with crosslet 4, a very attractive mint state example, PCGS graded MS61 $4,000 - 5,000



492. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, AV mohur, 1841(b&c), KM-462.2, S&W-2.1, continuous legend, no initial on truncation, large date with crosslet 4, cleaned, NGC graded AU details $1,200 - 1,600



493. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, AV 5 rupees, 1870(c), KM-476, S&W-4.22, proof restrike $4,000 - 6,000



494. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, AV mohur, 1862(c), KM-480, NGC graded AU58 $1,200 - 1,600



495. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Queen, 1837-1876, AV mohur, 1862(c), KM-480, S&W-4.6, type C/I, with "v" on bust, two flowers on bottom of jabot, cleaned, NGC graded AU details $1,200 - 1,600



496. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR rupee, 1886-B, KM-492, S&W-6.93, a wonderful lightly toned example! PCGS graded MS64 $200 - 300



497. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AR rupee, 1892-C, KM-492, S&W-6.125, a wonderful mint state example! PCGS graded MS64 $150 - 250

1879(b) Gold 5 Rupee Proof Restrike



498. **BRITISH INDIA: Victoria**, Empress, 1876-1901, AV 5 rupees, 1879(b), KM-494, S&W-6.26, proof restrike, NGC graded Proof 62 *, ex John Page Collection* $8,000 - 10,000



499. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, AE 1/12 anna, 1913(c), KM-509, Bombay Mint proof restrike, NGC graded Proof 62 RD $300 - 400



500. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, AE ¼ anna, 1913(c), KM-512, Bombay mint proof restrike, NGC graded Proof 62 RD $300 - 400



501. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, AR ¼ rupee, 1911(c), KM-517, scarce one-year type, EF , *ex Don Erickson Collection* $300 - 400



502. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, AR rupee, 1911(b), KM-523, S&W-8.15, with the so-called "pig"-style elephant, PCGS graded MS63 $150 - 250



503. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, AR rupee, 1921(b), KM-524, S&W-8.54, scarce date, PCGS graded MS64**, S** $150 - 250



504. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, AR rupee, 1922(b), KM-524, S&W-8.57, scarce date, PCGS graded MS63**, S** $150 - 250



505. **BRITISH INDIA: George V**, 1910-1936, AV sovereign, 1918-I, KM-A525, NGC graded MS64 $475 - 550

The fifth branch of the Royal Mint was established in a section of the Bombay Mint on December 21, 1917. This was a war-time measure, its purpose being to strike into sovereigns the gold blanks supplied by the Bombay (Mumbai) and other Indian mints. The Bombay sovereigns bear the mint mark 'I' and were struck from August 15, 1918, to April 22, 1919. The branch mint was closed in May 1919.



506. **BRITISH INDIA: George VI**, 1936-1947, AR rupee, 1938(b), KM-555, S&W-9.11, Prid-234, with dot, a wonderful lustrous example! PCGS graded MS64 $150 - 250



507. **BRITISH INDIA: Most Eminent Order of the Indian Empire**, 1878-1948, miniature AV medal, 2.61g; enameled five red rose petals separated by green barbs and topped with a crown at center, crowned bust of Queen Victoria with Latin legend IMPERATRICIS AUSPICIIS ("under the auspices of the Empress"), without the ribbon**,, RR** $170 - 220

The British Raj gave the recipient a paper document, which permitted the recipient to take the document to one of several private jewelers that would produce the miniature medal. Although the medal was no longer presented after 1948, the Order was nominally in existence until at least 2010.



508. **BRITISH INDIA:** AR medal, 1884, 51mm silver prize medal, CALCUTTA INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION / 1883 - 84, bust of Queen Victoria in the style of Empress of India // AWARDED / TO above olive wreath, unissued medal in original case of issue, faint surface hairlines, a lovely toned example! UNC $200 - 300

The Calcutta International Exhibition was held in the Indian city now known as Kolkata from December 1883 to March 1884. There were exhibits from around the world, including Belgium, France, Germany, Italy, Japan, Turkey and the United States of America.



509. **BRITISH INDIA:** AV medal (19.22g), 1903, 31mm 22kt gold award medal from the Madras Industrial and Arts Exhibition, arms of the Exhibition with map of India, elephants, palms, shells, and loom // INDUSTRIAL / AND ARTS / EXHIBITION / MADRAS / 1903 within laurel wreath with crown at top, awarded to R. L. Proudlock, Botanic Gardens curator, includes original plush box with broken hinge, and accompanying information including Proudlock's business card (!), with loop and ring for suspension, tooled fields, UNC $1,000 - 1,200

R.L. Proudlock was an attorney and curator of the government Botanic Gardens in Ootacamund, India. His invention was "a simple machine for extracting plantain fibre." Ootacamund is now called just Ooty and is derived from the classical name Udhagamandalam.



510. **BRITISH INDIA:** AE ½ rupee proving piece, ND (1905), Forc-D226, 24mm, Duncan, Stratton & Co, Bombay, copper proving piece, a lovely example with much original red mint luster! PCGS graded MS64 RB $250 - 350.



511. **DANISH INDIA: Frederik V**, 1746-1766, AE 4 kas (2.65g), 1761, KM-145, uneven strike, some oxidation, two-year type, VF $150 - 200



512. **BACAIM & CHAUL: João IV**, 1640-1656, AE 4 bazarucos (3.70g), 1654, KM-4, very uneven strike, especially on margins, light patination, one-year type, Fine**, R** $300 - 400



513. **GOA: João V**, 1706-1750, AR rupia, 1744, KM-112, PCGS graded AU50 $300 - 400



514. **GOA: João V**, 1706-1750, AR ½ xerafim, 1819/8, KM-236, large armillary sphere type, PCGS graded XF45 , *ex Archer M. Huntington Collection #8723* $150 - 250



515. **GOA: João**, regency, 1799-1816, AR rupia, 1804, KM-205, an attractive lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $300 - 400



516. **GOA: Pedro V**, 1853-1861, AR rupia (10.96g), 1856, KM-279, well struck, nice coloration, VF $160 - 220



517. **PORTUGUESE INDIA: Luiz I**, 1861-1889, AE 3 reis, 1871, KM-301, a wonderful red lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS64 RB , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $150 - 250



518. **PORTUGUESE INDIA: Luiz I**, 1861-1889, AE 5 reis, 1871, KM-302, a wonderful red lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS64 RB , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $150 - 250



519. **PORTUGUESE INDIA: Luiz I**, 1861-1889, AE 10 reis, 1871, KM-303, an attractive mint state example, PCGS graded MS62 BN , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $150 - 250



520. **PORTUGUESE INDIA: Luiz I**, 1861-1889, AE ¼ tanga, 1871, KM-304, an attractive nearly mint state example, PCGS graded AU58 , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $150 - 250



521. **PORTUGUESE INDIA: Luiz I**, 1861-1889, AE ½ tanga, 1871, KM-305, a lustrous partially toned mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 RB , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $200 - 300



522. **PORTUGUESE INDIA: Luiz I**, 1861-1889, AE tanga, 1871, KM-306, an attractive example for type! PCGS graded AU55 , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $200 - 300

Republic of India



523. **INDIA: Republic**, 1 rupee, 1985-H, KM-79.1, King's Norton Mint specimen strike, PCGS graded Specimen 66 , *ex King's Norton Mint Collection* $150 - 250



524. **INDIA: Republic**, 1 rupee, ND (1985), King's Norton Mint copper-nickel blank planchet hand-engraved BMP at the mint, PCGS graded Specimen 62**, RR**, *ex King's Norton Mint Collection* $150 - 250

China

Early Imperial China



525. **EASTERN WU: Anonymous**, AE cash (6.24g), H-11.30, *da quan wu bai* (large coin [value] five hundred), short characters $100 - 200

According to the records,Sun Quan, ruler of Wu, cast in 236 the Da Quan Wu Bai, and in 238 the Da Quan Dang Qian coins. The people were called upon to hand over the copper in their possession and receive back cash, and thus illicit coining was discouraged. These are coarse coins, cast in the capital Nanking or in Hubei. In 2000, clay molds and other casting materials for Da Quan Wu Bai coins were discovered in the Western Lake, Hangzhou.



526. **NORTHERN ZHOU: Anonymous**, 557-581, AE cash (3.98g), H-13.29, *bu quan* in archaic script, EF $100 - 150



527. **NORTHERN ZHOU: Anonymous**, 557-581, AE cash (3.51g), H-13.30, *wu xing da bu*, a lovely example! VF-EF $100 - 150



528. **NORTHERN ZHOU: Anonymous**, 557-581, AE cash (4.59g), H-13.32, seal script, *yong tong wan guo* (everlasting circulation in ten thousand kingdoms), EF $150 - 250

Issued in 579 AD by Emperor Xuan. Its nominal weight was 12 zhu, and the coin was meant to be equivalent to ten wu xing coins and written in the Yu Zhu (jade chopstick) style of calligraphy which is greatly admired.



529. **TANG:** AE mirror (160g), 102mm, floral patterns on face with central hanger, polished mirror surface on back, encrusted, VF $150 - 250



530. **JIN: Tai He**, 1204-1209, AE 2 cash (7.07g), H-18.59, some flashing in central hole, F-VF**, RR** $400 - 600



531. **WESTERN XIA: Qian You**, 1170-1193, AE cash (3.97g), H-18.103, Orthodox script, VF**, RR** $200 - 300



532. **WESTERN XIA: Tian Qing**, 1194-1206, AE cash (3.71g), H-18.106, VF $150 - 250



533. **WESTERN LIAO:** AE charm (26.91g), as Zeno-17938, dragon // wild boar and bear, VF**, RR** $400 - 600

Similar examples have been unearthed at the ancient site Kanka, near Tashkent, Uzbekistan and in Kegety Canyon, Kyrgyzstan. Four examples are currently known of this rare charm.

The Western Liao dynasty, also known as Qara Khitay state, was founded by Yelü Dashi, a member of the Liao royal family, who led the remnants of the Liao Dynasty to Central Asia after fleeing from the Jurchen conquest of their homeland in the North and Northeast of modern day China. The empire was usurped by the Naimans under Küchlük in 1211 and finally destroyed by the Mongol Empire in 1218. For a very similar example, see our Auction 38, Lot 1004.



534. **WESTERN LIAO:** AE charm (37.69g), Khitan pendant charm or amulet with dragon // archer on horseback, small animal below, with loop for hanging, cleaned, Fine $300 - 500



535. **WESTERN LIAO:** AE charm (40.33g), Khitan pendant charm or amulet with dragon // archer on horseback, small animal below, with loop for hanging, Fine $300 - 500



536. **WESTERN LIAO (Qara Khitay):** AE private seal (40.31g), an almost identical piece was published by Baipakov K.M., Ternovaya G.A., and Goriacheva V.D. in Almaty in 2007 (Zeno-97559), VF**, RRR** $200 - 300



537. **NORTHERN SONG: Xi Ning**, 1071-1077, AE 2 cash (8.65g), H-16.194, a likely *mu qián* (mother coin), VF-EF $150 - 250



538. **NORTHERN SONG: Yuan Feng**, 1078-1085, AE 2 cash (8.98g), H-16.224, a likely *mu qián* (mother coin), EF $150 - 250



539. **NORTHERN SONG: Chong Ning**, 1102-1106, AE 10 cash (11.42g), H-16.400, Slender golden script, a likely *mu qián* (mother coin), a lovely example! EF $200 - 300



540. **NORTHERN SONG: Xuan He**, 1119-1125, AE cash (4.24g), H-16.467, a likely *mu qián* (mother coin), rosette hole, EF $150 - 250



541. **NORTHERN SONG: Xuan He**, 1119-1125, AE cash (3.87g), H-16.482, a likely *mu qián* (mother coin), EF $150 - 250



542. **SOUTHERN SONG: Jian Yan**, 1127-1130, AE 3 cash (10.78g), H-17.34, seal script, light porosity, still a lovely example, EF**, RR** $300 - 500



543. **SOUTHERN SONG: Shao Xing**, 1131-1162, AE cash (5.25g), H-17.42, Orthodox script, scarce denomination for reign title, porous surfaces, VF**, RR** $300 - 500



544. **SOUTHERN SONG: Duan Ping**, 1234-1236, AE 5 cash (10.12g), H-17.749A, with *zhong bao* in legend, heavy encrustation, VF**, RR** $400 - 600



545. **SOUTHERN SONG: Chun You**, 1241-1252, AE 100 cash (27.28g), H-17.806, 52mm, large size flan, *dang bai* on reverse, light porosity, quite attractive example, VF $200 - 300



546. **YUAN: Zhi Yuan**, 1285-1294, AE 3 cash (10.26g), H-19.15, *je üen tung baw* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script (*zhi yuan tong bao* in Chinese), tooled fields, otherwise a lovely example, VF-EF $1,500 - 2,500

Kublai Khan (Zhi Yuan) was the fifth Khagan (Great Khan) of the Ikh Mongol Uls (Mongol Empire), reigning from 1260 to 1294, and the founder of the Chinese Yuan dynasty, a division of the Mongol Empire.



547. **YUAN: Da Yuan**, 1310-1311, AE 10 cash (18.47g), H-19.46, *ta üen tong baw* in Mongol 'Phags-pa script (*da yuan tong bao* in Chinese), natural flan crack, VF $100 - 150

Külüg Khan (Da Yuan), born Khayishan, meaning "wall" in Mongolian, was an Emperor of the Yuan Dynasty and is regarded as the seventh Great Khan of the Mongols in Mongolia. His name means "warrior Khan" or "fine horse Khan" in the Mongolian language.



548. **YUAN: Zhi Shun**, 1330-1332, AE temple cash (4.93g), CD1332, H-19.73 var, *zhi shun ren shen // tai zi* above and below radiate inner rim, VF**, RR** $300 - 500



549. **YUAN: Zhi Yuan**, 1335-1340, AE temple cash (4.36g), H-19.80, *zhi shun ren shen // tai zi* above and below radiate inner rim, VF**, RR** $300 - 500



550. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1341-1358, AE 10 cash (31.21g), CD1359, H-19.118, 46mm, 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date *ji hai*, dot and Chinese *shi* below, VF $250 - 350

Toghon Temür, also known by the posthumous name Shundi bestowed by the Hongwu Emperor of the Ming Dynasty, was a son of Kus'ala who ruled as emperor of the Yuan Dynasty and is considered the last Khagan of the Mongol Empire. He bore the period titles Yuan Tong 1333-1334, Zhi Yuan 1335-1340, and Zhi Zheng 1341-1368.



551. **MING:** AE mirror (378g), 130mm, *xi* (happiness) four times, with four auspicious clouds in between, with central hanger, polished mirror surface on back, VF $100 - 150

Likely made in the Ming or Qing periods.



552. **NAN MING: Zhao Wu**, 1678, AE cash (2.97g), H-21.110, seal script, F-VF**, R** $100 - 150

Qing Dynasty



553. **QING: Nurhachi**, 1616-1626, AE cash (5.66g), H-22.2, *abkai fulingga han jiha* in Manchu script, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, VF $150 - 250



554. **QING: Nurhachi**, 1616-1626, AE cash (4.97g), H-22.2, *abkai fulingga han jiha* in Manchu script, copper (*tóng*) color, VF $100 - 150

In 1616, Nurhachi (Tian Ming) declared himself Khan (King) and founded the Later Jin Dynasty. He constructed a palace at Mukden (Shenyang) in Liaoning Province. The Jin Dynasty was renamed Qing by his son Hong Taiji after his death in 1626, but Nurhachi is traditionally referred to as the founder of the Qing Dynasty.



555. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash (38.91g), Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.705, 45mm, East branch mint, cast 1854-1855, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, VF $100 - 150



556. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash (36.29g), Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.717, 48mm, Prince Qing Hui mint, 'sun & moon' above, somewhat weakly cast on this example, cast May-August 1854, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, VF $150 - 250



557. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash (47.22g), Board of Works mint, Peking, H-22.762, 51mm, New branch mint, cast March 1854 to July 1855, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, VF $150 - 250



558. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 10 cash (18.19g), Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.780, cast 1853-55, copper (*tóng*) color, VF $100 - 150



559. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 10 cash (20.56g), Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.780, cast 1853-55, copper (*tóng*) color, VF $100 - 150



560. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 10 cash (18.63g), Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.780, cast 1853-55, copper (*tóng*) color, VF $100 - 150



561. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 10 cash (24.73g), Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.780, cast 1853-55, copper (*tóng*) color, VF $100 - 150



562. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 10 cash (20.42g), Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.780, cast 1853-55, copper (*tóng*) color, F-VF $100 - 150



563. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash (49.21g), Kaifeng mint, Henan Province, H-22.849, 49mm, cast 1854-55, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, Fine $100 - 150



564. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash (48.31g), Wuchang mint, Hubei Province, H-22.859, 52mm, cast 1854-56, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, VF $150 - 250



565. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash (44.78g), Nanchang mint, Jiangxi Province, H-22.931, 51mm, cast 1855-60, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, VF $150 - 250



566. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash (51.65g), Xi'an mint, Shaanxi Province, H-22.950, 50mm, cast in 1854, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, VF $100 - 150



567. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash (52.02g), Chengdu mint, Sichuan Province, H-22.981, 57mm, cast 1853-54, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, VF $100 - 150



568. **QING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash (52.02g), Chengdu mint, Sichuan Province, H-22.981, 56mm, cast 1853-54, brass (*huáng tóng*) color, VF $100 - 150



569. **QING: Guang Xu**, 1875-1908, AE cash, Nanjing mint, Jiangsu Province, H-22.1358, Hsu-261, machine struck in 1898 from dies made by the Heaton Mint, Birmingham, a lovely lustrous example! UNC**, RR**, *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection (from the collection of a former mint employee)* $500 - 700

In January 1898, the West Factory of the Jiangnan Silver Dollar and Regulation Coins General Mint in Nanking started striking coins with a weight of 7 fen. This lasted for only a few months.



570. **QING: Guang Xu**, 1875-1908, AE cash, Tianjin mint, Zhili Province, ND (1888), H-22.1460, Hsu-410, machine-struck in 1888; variety: bottom of bao is open; large characters on reverse, PCGS graded AU53 $100 - 150

When mint officials figured that each machine-struck cash cost more than 2 cash to produce, casting was quickly resumed.



571. **QING: Tai Ping**, rebels, 1850-1864, AE cash (5.27g), H-23.20, *tian guó taì píng* (Heavenly Kingdom of Tai Ping) // *shèng bao* (sacred currency), large characters type, cast 1861-64, VF $200 - 300

Sycee



572. **QING:** AR sycee (171.33g), Cribb-Class LXVI, 60x37mm, Yunnan Sanchuo Jieding "packsaddle" type Provincial three-stamp remittance ingot, EF $600 - 800

Charms



573. **CHINA:** AE charm (32.03g), CCH-831, 48mm, two Chinese junks near islands // *shùn feng dà jí, man zài ér gui* ("Sail with tailwind and return with a full cargo"), border of 16 sycee or yuan bao ingots, EF $150 - 250



574. **CHINA:** AE charm (24.81g), CCH-2520, 56x38mm, irregular-shaped type charm, *chang ming fu gui* ("longevity, wealth and prominence") // *tian chang di jiu* ("as eternal and unchanging as the universe"), with holes for hanging as made, VF , *ex D. R. Bain Collection* $100 - 150

This charm type was likely cast in the Qing dynasty.



575. **CHINA:** AE charm (34.31g), 45mm, irregularly shaped charm with hexagonal central hole, auspicious symbols // Bagua trigrams, EF $100 - 150

The Bagua or Pakua are symbols used in Taoist cosmology to represent the eight fundamental and interrelated elements of the universe. Likely cast in the Qing dynasty.



576. **CHINA:** AE charm (35.14g), 54mm, *yi ben wàn lì* ("[May your] investment bring a 10,000-fold profit") // *hé jia an shùn* ("Harmonious family, safety and success"), VF $150 - 250

Likely cast in the late Qing dynasty.



577. **CHINA:** AE charm (81.38g), 49x85mm, hanging rectangular charm with auspicious symbols and characters, VF $150 - 250

This example was likely cast in the Qing Dynasty.

Photo size reduced.



578. **CHINA:** AE charm (177.47g), 93mm, *lóng yong píng bao* with granulated fields either side, VF $100 - 150

Likely cast in the Min Guo (Republic) era in the 1920-30s.



579. **CHINA:** AE charm (22.69g), 45mm, Gao Sheng charm with reverse auspicious symbols and figures, VF $100 - 150

Likely cast in the Qing dynasty.



580. **CHINA:** AE charm (25.31g), 58mm, openwork charm with two peacocks, VF $100 - 150

Likely cast in the Qing dynasty.



581. **CHINA:** AE charm (63.65g), 67mm, five auspicious bats with Bagua (trigrams) with long inscriptions on either side, VF $100 - 150

This example was likely cast in the Qing Dynasty.



582. **CHINA:** AE charm (33.06g), 41x66mm, hanging charm with auspicious symbols and character, VF $100 - 150

This example was likely cast in the Qing Dynasty.



583. **CHINA:** AE charm (68.12g), 68mm, Lei Ling "Daoist curse charm", *lei zou sha gui jiang jing / zhan yao chu xie yong bao / shen qing feng / tai shang lao jun ji ji zhi ling* which translates as "God of Thunder (Lei) clear out and kill the ghosts and send down purity / Behead the demons / Expel the evil and keep us eternally safe / Let this command from Lao Zi be executed quickly" // eight trigrams with inscription *qián kan gèn zhèn xùn lí kun duì* around, Fine $100 - 150

The large characters at the extreme right and extreme left of the obverse are not Chinese, but rather Daoist "magic writing." Regarding the very large character on the left, the upper half is "magic writing" for the Chinese character lei, which means "thunder" and refers to the "God of Thunder." The lower part is "magic writing" for the Chinese character ling, which means "to order." This charm type was likely cast in the Qing dynasty.



584. **CHINA:** AE charm (42.32g), 53x61mm, *fu gui chang jiu* ("wealth and prominence for eternity") // *jin yu man tang* ("May gold and jade fill your abode"), with characters in orthodox and seal writing, holed for wearing, Fine $100 - 150

This example was likely cast in the Qing Dynasty.



585. **CHINA:** AE charm tree, a very interesting Chinese charm tree with 9 charms emanating from the casting spurs, likely produced in the Republic (Min Guo) period, EF $200 - 300



586. **CHINA:** AE mirror (80.87g), 76mm, *qing xián* (leisure) with two female figures on either side, smoothed reverse for use as a mirror, VF $100 - 150

Chopmarked Coins



587. **CHINESE CHOPMARKS: GREAT BRITAIN:** AR trade dollar, 1897-B, KM-T5, with large Chinese merchant chopmark, attractively toned, EF $100 - 150



588. **CHINESE CHOPMARKS: GREAT BRITAIN:** AR trade dollar, 1899-B, KM-T5, with several large Chinese merchant chopmarks, cleaned, EF $100 - 150



589. **CHINESE CHOPMARKS: GREAT BRITAIN:** AR trade dollar, 1900-B, KM-T5, with large Chinese merchant chopmark, attractively toned, EF $100 - 150



590. **CHINESE CHOPMARKS: JAPAN: Meiji**, 1868-1912, AR trade dollar, year 9 (1876), Y-14, JNDA-01-12, with several large Chinese merchant chopmarks, light surface hairlines, AU $200 - 300



591. **CHINESE CHOPMARKS: JAPAN: Meiji**, 1868-1912, AR trade dollar, year 10 (1877), Y-14, JNDA-01-12, with several large Chinese merchant chopmarks, light surface hairlines, AU $200 - 300



592. **CHINESE CHOPMARKS: JAPAN: Meiji**, 1867-1912, AR trade dollar, year 10 (1877), Y-14, 2 large Chinese merchant chopmarks on both sides, light tone, EF *, ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $500 - 700



593. **CHINESE CHOPMARKS: JAPAN: Meiji**, 1868-1912, AR yen, year 3 (1870), Y-5, JNDA-01-9, with several large Chinese merchant chopmarks, cleaned, EF $150 - 250



594. **CHINESE CHOPMARKS: STRAITS SETTLEMENTS: Edward VII**, 1901-1910, AR dollar, 1903-B, KM-25, variety with raised B, with 2 large merchant chopmarks on obverse, one on reverse, toned, better variety host coin, EF $100 - 150

Later Imperial



595. **CHINA: Empire**, AE medal, 1848, BHM-2320, 45mm, bronze medal by Thomas Halliday: "Voyage of the Junk Keying", port broadside view of the junk, mainsail set, THE CHINESE JUNK KEYING / CAPTAIN KELLETT above, in exergue: EXTREME BREADTH 35 FEET / BURDEN 750 TONS / DEPTH OF HOLD 16 FEET // THIS REMARKABLE / VESSEL IS A JUNK OF THE / LARGEST CLASS, AND IS THE / FIRST SHIP CONSTRUCTED BY THE / CHINESE WHICH HAS REACHED EUROPE, / OR EVEN ROUNDED THE CAPE / OF GOOD HOPE. / THIS JUNK WAS PURCHASED / AUGUST 1846, AT CANTON, BY A FEW / ENTERPRISING ENGLISHMEN. / SHE SAILED FROM HONG KONG 6TH / DECEMBER 1846 ROUNDED THE / CAPE 31ST MARCH 1847 ARRIVED / IN ENGLAND 27TH MARCH, / 1848, faint surface hairlines below brilliant original luster! UNC**, RR** $400 - 600

This medal commemorated the first Chinese Junk boat to sail from China to England. The Keying was a three-masted, 800-ton Foochow Chinese trading junk which sailed from Hong Kong, China in 1846 around the Cape of Good Hope, first to New York and Boston in the United States and then to Britain in 1848. These large bronze medals are only very rarely encountered.



596. **CHINA: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE medal (15.69g), ND (ca. 1899-1908), Li-pg. 30, 48x38mm uniface bronze-plated membership medal for the Chinese Empire Reform Association, portrait of the Emperor within an oval medallion with crossed flags of the Empire above and C E B A - (5 Chinese characters) around // reverse blank, with integral loop at top for suspension, bold strike, plain edge, Choice AU $300 - 400

The C.E.B.A. was founded in 1899 by Kang Youwei, the famed reformist who fled China after the coup of 1898 which ended the Hundred Days' Reform. It was composed of members of the Chinese diaspora loyal to the Emperor (who was to remain under house arrest for the rest of his life) and had 103 chapters in major world cities with large Chinese populations. Interestingly, the pieces seen on CoinArchives all have an embossed appearance on the plain back, whereas this piece has a flat back. It has not been ground down, however, as there are many prominent die polish lines on the reverse.



597. **CHINA: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 2 cash, CD1906, Y-8, CL-HB.19, a lovely brown lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 BN $100 - 150



598. **CHINA: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 2 cash, CD1905, Y-8, CL-HB.11, an attractive brown lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 BN $100 - 150



599. **CHINA: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 2 cash, CD1906, Y-8, CL-HB.19, an attractive brown lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 BN $100 - 150



600. **CHINA: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR 10 cents, year 3 (1911), Y-28, L&M-41, one-year type, NGC graded XF45 $1,000 - 1,400



601. **CHINA: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, year 3 (1911), Y-31, L&M-37, extra flame variety, attractive original tone! PCGS graded AU53 *, ex Don Erickson Collection* $500 - 700



602. **CHINA: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, year 3 (1911), Y-31, L&M-37, without dot & flame variety, graffiti, PCGS graded XF Details $300 - 400



603. **CHINA: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, year 3 (1911), Y-31, L&M-37, extra flame variety, harshly cleaned, PCGS graded XF Details *, ex Don Erickson Collection* $300 - 400



604. **CHINA: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, year 3 (1911), Y-31, L&M-37, extra flame variety, tooled, PCGS graded XF Details $300 - 400



605. **CHINA: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, year 3 (1911), Y-31, L&M-37, without dot & flame variety, several small chopmarks, PCGS graded VF details $300 - 400



606. **CHINA: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, year 3 (1911), Y-31, L&M-37, without dot & flame variety, several small chopmarks, PCGS graded VF details $300 - 400



607. **CHINA: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, year 3 (1911), Y-31, L&M-37, with dot variety, tooled, PCGS graded VF details , *ex Don Erickson Collection* $300 - 400

Republic



608. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 10 cents, year 3 (1914), Y-326, L&M-66, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, PCGS graded VF35 $100 - 150



609. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 10 cents, year 15 (1926), Y-334, L&M-83, dragon and peacock coat of arms, a lovely toned mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $2,000 - 3,000



610. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 10 cents, year 15 (1926), Y-334, L&M-83, dragon and peacock coat of arms, scratch, PCGS graded XF Details $200 - 300



611. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 10 cents, year 15 (1926), Y-334, L&M-83, dragon and peacock coat of arms, edge repaired, PCGS graded Fine details $100 - 150



612. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 5 (1916), Y-327, L&M-74, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 150



613. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 15 (1926), Y-335, L&M-82, dragon and peacock coat of arms, an attractive toned mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $1,000 - 2,000



614. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 15 (1926), Y-335, L&M-82, dragon and peacock coat of arms, PCGS graded AU53 , *ex Don Erickson Collection* $500 - 600



615. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 15 (1926), Y-335, L&M-82, dragon and peacock coat of arms, PCGS graded XF40 $300 - 400



616. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 15 (1926), Y-335, L&M-82, dragon and peacock coat of arms, PCGS graded VG10 $100 - 150



617. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 16 (1927), Y-340, L&M-847, Death of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, tooled, PCGS graded AU details , *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $200 - 300



618. **CHINA: Republic**, AR 50 cents, year 3 (1914), Y-328, L&M-64, struck at the Paris Mint, an attractive mint state example! PCGS graded AU details *, ex Don Erickson Collection* $400 - 500



619. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-326, L&M-66, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, Chinese merchant chopmark in shape of Latin letter S, EF $100 - 150



620. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, 'triangle' stroke not connected in character *yuán* variety, PCGS graded MS62 $200 - 300



621. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, NGC graded MS61 $250 - 350



622. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, recut stars in epaulet, 'triangle' stroke connected in character *yuán* variety, PCGS graded MS61$200 - 300



623. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, 'triangle' stroke connected in character *yuán* variety, PCGS graded AU58 $150 - 250



624. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, recut star in epaulet, character *yuan* connected, PCGS graded AU58 $125 - 175



625. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, recut stars in epaulet, 'triangle' stroke connected in character *yuán* variety, cleaned and nicely retoned, PCGS graded AU details $150 - 250



626. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, recut stars in epaulet, 'triangle' stroke connected in character *yuán* variety, cleaned and nicely retoned, PCGS graded AU details $150 - 250



627. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, AU $100 - 150



628. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, light hairlines, VF-EF $100 - 150



629. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 3 (1914), Y-329, L&M-63, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, hand engraved "given as a gift to a military platoon leader," likely given to Japanese occupation forces, with loop for hanging, VF-EF $100 - 150



630. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 9 (1920), Y-329.6, L&M-77, Yuan Shih Kai, NGC graded MS60 $250 - 350



631. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 9 (1920), Y-329.6, L&M-77, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, fine hair variety, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $150 - 250



632. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 9 (1920), Y-329.6, L&M-77, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, characters not connected variety, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $150 - 250



633. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 9 (1920), Y-329.6, L&M-77, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, fine hair variety, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $150 - 250



634. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 9 (1920), Y-329.7, L&M-77, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, corrosion removed, PCGS graded UNC details $150 - 250



635. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 10 (1921), Y-326.6, L&M-79, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, variety with dot inside character *nián* not connected, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 150



636. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 10 (1921), Y-329.6, L&M-79, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, stroke in character nián not connected variety, PCGS graded AU58 $125 - 175



637. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 10 (1921), Y-329.6, L&M-79, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, stroke in character *nián* not connected variety, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $150 - 250



638. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 10 (1921), Y-329.6, L&M-79, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, stroke in character *nián* not connected variety, environmental damage, PCGS graded AU details $150 - 250



639. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 10 (1921), Y-329.6, L&M-79, Yuan Shi Kai in military uniform, stroke in character *nián* not connected variety, NGC graded AU53 $150 - 250



640. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, ND (1927), Y-318a.1, L&M-49, Memento type, Sun Yat-sen, 6-pointed stars, AU $100 - 150



641. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, ND (1927), Y-318a.1, L&M-49, Memento type, Sun Yat-sen, with attractive multicolored toning! PCGS graded MS62 $200 - 300



642. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, ND (1927), Y-318a.1, L&M-49, Memento type, Sun Yat-sen, chopmark, PCGS graded UNC details $100 - 150



643. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, ND (1927), Y-318a.1, L&M-49, Memento type, Sun Yat-sen, with small Chinese merchant chopmark, attractively toned, PCGS graded UNC details $100 - 150



644. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, ND (1927), Y-318a.1, L&M-49, Memento type, Sun Yat-sen, with small Chinese merchant chopmark, attractively toned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 150



645. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, ND (1927), Y-318a.1, L&M-49, Memento type, Sun Yat-sen, 6-pointed stars, cleaned, NGC graded XF Details $100 - 150



646. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, ND (1927), Y-318a.1, L&M-49, Memento type, Sun Yat-sen, 6-pointed stars, EF $100 - 150



647. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 22 (1933), Y-345, L&M-109, WS-0145B, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, better date of the two-year type, with reverse of '34 type, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $3,000 - 5,000



648. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 22 (1933), Y-345, L&M-109, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, better date of the two-year type, PCGS graded MS61 $500 - 700



649. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 22 (1933), Y-345, L&M-109, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, better date of the two-year type, with Chinese red ink slogan on reverse, PCGS graded AU details $200 - 300



650. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 22 (1933), Y-345, L&M-109, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, better date of the two-year type, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $200 - 300



651. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 22 (1933), Y-345, L&M-109, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, better date of the two-year type, deeply toned example, PCGS graded AU50 $500 - 700



652. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat Sen // Chinese junk under sail, NGC graded MS64 $300 - 400



653. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, a lovely lustrous example! PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



654. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, an attractive mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $300 - 400



655. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, PCGS MS62 $200 - 300



656. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, PCGS MS61 $150 - 250



657. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, light original attractive toning, PCGS graded AU58 $200 - 300



658. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, NGC graded AU58 $100 - 150



659. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, deep original attractive toning, PCGS graded AU55 $150 - 250



660. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, AU $100 - 150



661. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, K-624, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 150



662. **CHINA: Republic**, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 150

663. **CHINA:** SET of 2 silver dollars:, **CHIHLI** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465 and **CHINA** Republic, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, both coins cleaned and placed into custom plastic holder "Chinese Silver Dollars" by the Washington Mint, **set of 2 coins** $400 - 500

664. **CHINA:** SET of 2 silver dollars:, **CHIHLI** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465 and **CHINA** Republic, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, both coins cleaned and placed into custom plastic holder "Chinese Silver Dollars" by the Washington Mint, **set of 2 coins** $400 - 500

665. **CHINA:** SET of 2 silver dollars:, **CHIHLI** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465 and **CHINA** Republic, AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, Sun Yat-sen, Chinese junk under sail, both coins cleaned and placed into custom plastic holder "Chinese Silver Dollars" by the Washington Mint, **set of 2 coins** $400 - 500

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666. **ANHWEI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 10 cash, ND (1902-06), Y-36.4, PCGS graded AU50 $100 - 150



667. **ANHWEI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 10 cents, year 24 (1898), Y-42.3, L&M-202, variety with with A S T C in field, an attractively toned example, PCGS graded AU55 $200 - 300



668. **ANHWEI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 10 cents, year 24 (1898), Y-42.3, L&M-202, variety with with A S T C in field, an attractively toned example, PCGS graded AU53 $200 - 300



669. **CHEKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE cash, CD1906, Y-10b, KIIO variety, a superb red lustrous quality example! PCGS graded MS64+ RB , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $200 - 300



670. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 cents, year 24 (1898), Y-61.2, L&M-453, two-year subtype, well struck, NGC graded AU50 $800 - 1,000



671. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 20 cents, year 24 (1898), Y-63.2, L&M-451, NGC graded AU55 $150 - 250



672. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud connected variety, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $300 - 400



673. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1903, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud connected variety, PCGS graded XF45 $400 - 500



674. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1903, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud connected variety, PCGS graded XF45 $400 - 500



675. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1903, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud connected variety, PCGS graded XF45 $400 - 500



676. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud-connected variety, cleaned, PCGS graded XF Details $300 - 400



677. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud-connected variety, cleaned, PCGS graded XF Details $300 - 400



678. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud-connected variety, filed rims, PCGS graded XF Details $300 - 400



679. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud-connected variety, graffiti, PCGS graded XF Details $300 - 400



680. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1903, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud connected variety, PCGS graded XF40 $350 - 450



681. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1903, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud connected variety, PCGS graded XF40 $350 - 450



682. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1903, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud connected variety, PCGS graded XF40 $350 - 450



683. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1903, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud connected variety, PCGS graded XF40 $350 - 450



684. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1903, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud connected variety, PCGS graded XF40 $350 - 450



685. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud-connected variety, PCGS graded VF35 $300 - 400



686. **CHIHLI: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, Peiyang Arsenal mint, Tientsin, year 34 (1908), Y-73.2, L&M-465, cloud-connected variety, PCGS graded VF35 $300 - 400



687. **FENGTIEN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, 10 cents, year 24 (1898), Y-84, L&M-476, cleaned, PCGS graded XF Details $300 - 500



688. **FUKIEN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 10 cash, ND (1901-05), Y-100.1, three clouds left of pearl; without cloud above tip of the dragon's tail, a superb brown lustrous example! NGC graded MS65 BN $150 - 250



689. **FUKIEN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 20 cents, ND (1896), Y-104, L&M-296, variety with dots to left and right of dragon, somewhat uneven tone, PCGS graded AU53 $200 - 300



690. **FUKIEN: Republic**, AR 20 cents, ND (1923), Y-381, L&M-308, rosettes dividing legend variety, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $150 - 250



691. **FUKIEN:** AR fantasy dollar, Kann-5 var, L&M-290 var, Changchow Military Fantasy Ration issue, lightly toned and pleasing, with a few scattered marks on one side, an interesting and seldom seen fantasy issue likely produced in the 1920s or 1930s during the Republic (Min Guo) era, EF , *ex Don Erickson Collection* $200 - 300

It is unlikely that major grading companies will encapsulate this example so please keep that in mind when bidding.



692. **HONAN: Republic**, AE 50 cash, ND (1921), Y-394a, crossed Wuchang Uprising and Five-colored flags, attractive toning, PCGS graded XF40 $100 - 150



693. **HUPEH: Republic**, AE 20 cash, ND (1919), Y-400.2, wonderful chocolate-brown luster! PCGS graded MS64 BN $100 - 150



694. **HUPEH: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, ND (1909-11), Y-131, L&M-187, an attractive mint state example with light original toning! PCGS graded MS62 $3,000 - 5,000



695. **HUPEH: Republic**, AE 50 cash, year 7 (1918), Y-405, brass, seal script character *han* at center, scratches on reverse, VF , *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $150 - 250



696. **KIANGNAN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE cash, CD1908, Y-7k, CL-KN.74, a wonderful lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS64 $125 - 175



697. **KIANGNAN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 10 cents, CD1899, Y-142a.2, L&M-246, small rosettes, PCGS graded XF45 $200 - 300



698. **KIANGNAN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 20 cents, CD1898, Y-143a, L&M-219, large letters variety, an attractive nearly mint state example, PCGS graded AU58 $200 - 300



699. **KIANGNAN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 20 cents, CD1898, Y-143a, L&M-219, large letters variety, attractive original toning! PCGS graded AU55 $300 - 500



700. **KIANGNAN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1901, AR 20 cents, CD1901, Y-143a.6, L&M-238, attractively toned example, PCGS graded AU55 $200 - 300



701. **KIANGNAN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1901, AR dollar, CD1904, Y-145a.12, L&M-257, without dot and extra spines variety, PCGS graded AU58 $300 - 500



702. **KIRIN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 50 cents, ND (1898), Y-182.1, L&M-517, streak removed, PCGS graded XF Details $150 - 250



703. **KWANGSI: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 15 (1926), Y-415b, L&M-174, with dot, PCGS graded MS62 $125 - 175



704. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 10 cash, CD1908, Y-10r, CL-KT.16, an attractive brown lustrous mint state example, PCGS graded MS62 BN $125 - 175



705. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE cent, ND (1900-06), Y-192, a wonderful red lustrous example! PCGS graded MS64 RB $150 - 250



706. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 10 cash, ND (1900-06), Y-193, a lovely example with much mint red! PCGS graded MS63 BN $150 - 250



707. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 cents, ND (1896-1905), Y-199, L&M-137, a wonderful bright white lustrous example! PCGS graded MS64 $300 - 400



708. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 10 cents, ND (1890-1908), Y-200, L&M-136, a wonderful bright white lustrous example! PCGS graded MS64 $200 - 300



709. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 20 cents, ND (1890-1908), Y-201, L&M-135, a superb bright white lustrous example! PCGS graded MS65 $300 - 400



710. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 20 cents, ND (1890-1908), Y-201, L&M-135, lovely lustrous surfaces! NGC graded MS63 $100 - 150

A Lovely Lustrous Kwangtung 50 Cents
Graded PCGS MS63!
ex Joe Sedillot Collection



711. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 50 cents, ND (1890-1905), Y-202, L&M-134, a lovely lustrous mint state quality example! PCGS graded MS63 ,
ex Joe Sedillot Collection $10,000 - 15,000

A Visually Stunning Bright White Kwangtung 50 Cents Graded PCGS MS63



712. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 50 cents, ND (1890-1905), Y-202, L&M-134, a lovely bright white lustrous example! PCGS graded MS63 $10,000 - 15,000



713. **KWANGTUNG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, ND (1890-1908), Y-203, L&M-133, variety with character "Ku" not connected, a very attractive bright white lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $1,000 - 1,500



714. **KWANGTUNG: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AE 10 cash, CD1909, Y-20r, CL-KT.18, an attractive brown lustrous mint state example, PCGS graded MS62 BN $100 - 150



715. **KWANGTUNG: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR 20 cents, ND (1909-11), Y-205, L&M-139, an attractive white lustrous mint state example, PCGS graded MS62 $200 - 300



716. **KWANGTUNG: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, ND (1909-11), Y-206, L&M-138, graffiti, PCGS graded XF Details $250 - 350



717. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AE cent, year 1 (1912), KM-417, CL-KT.20, a wonderfully hued and lustrous example! PCGS graded MS64 BN $100 - 150



718. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AE cent, year 5 (1916), KM-417a, CL-KT.25, variety in brass, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $100 - 150



719. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AE 2 cents, year 7 (1918), KM-418, CL-KT.27, variety in brass, one-year type, attractive mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 250



720. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, 5 cents, year 12 (1923), Y-420a, a wonderful lightly toned lustrous example! PCGS graded MS64 $125 - 175



721. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AR 10 cents, year 3 (1914), KM-422, L&M-146, a lovely bright white lustrous example! PCGS graded MS63 $150 - 250



722. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 9 (1920), Y-423, L&M-150, an attractive mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $100 - 150



723. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AE 20 cents, year 10 (1921), KM-423, L&M-151, an attractive bright white lustrous example! PCGS graded MS62 $100 - 150



724. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AR 10 cents, year 18 (1929), Y-425, L&M-160, bust of Sun Yat-sen, an attractive lustrous example! PCGS graded MS62 $100 - 150



725. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 18 (1929), Y-426.1, L&M-158, with bust of Sun Yat-sen, a wonderful lustrous example! PCGS graded MS64 $100 - 150



726. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 18 (1929), Y-426.1, L&M-158, with bust of Sun Yat-sen, a wonderful lustrous example! PCGS graded MS64 $100 - 150



727. **KWANGTUNG: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 18 (1929), Y-426.1, L&M-158, with bust of Sun Yat-sen, a lovely lustrous example! PCGS graded MS63 $100 - 150



728. **KWEICHOW: Republic**, AR dollar, year 17 (1928), Y-428, L&M-610, "auto dollar" type, variety with three grass blades, a bold lustrous strike! NGC graded AU53 $30,000 - 40,000

Chou Hsi-ch'eng (Zhou Xicheng) was the provincial warlord and governor of Kweichow (Guizhou) from 1926 to 1929. During his brief tenure, he focused heavily on education and modernizing the province through public works, and was responsible for the province's first machine-struck coin. This fascinating issue commemorates the completion of the Kweichow Provincial Highway, the first modern roadway in the mountainous and impoverished province. It went north and west from Kweiyang (Guiyang), spanning some 220 kilometers. An American engineer, O.J. Todd, who assisted in the project, wrote a book about his work in China that included photographs of Governor Chou and his car, an American model purchased in Canton. Due to Kweichow's inaccessibility, the car had to be taken apart, carried on horseback, and reassembled. It was the first car in the province, and Chou would often drive it around the capital city, drawing huge crowds. So when he decided to mint Kweichow's own silver dollar (on machinery looted by his soldiers from the Chungking Mint according to Bruce Smith), it was an eccentric but appropriate choice to feature his prized personal automobile on the road he built. If you look carefully, you can see his personal name of Hsi-ch'eng (reading from right to left) hidden among the grass.



729. **KWEICHOW: Republic**, AE ½ cent, year 38 (1949), Y-A429a, CL-MS.140, scarce one-year type, connected rosettes, planchet flaw, PCGS graded VF details**, S**, *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $200 - 300

In July 1949, the Nationalist Government introduced the silver yuan, which was initially worth 500 million gold yuan. It circulated for a few months on the mainland before the end of the civil war. This currency reform helps to explain the large size planchet for a half cent denomination.



730. **MANCHURIAN PROVINCES: Republic**, AR 20 cents, ND (1913), Y-213a.4, L&M-494, struck in the name of the former Emperor Hsuan Tung, a lovely quality example! PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



731. **SIKANG: Republic**, AE 100 cash, year 19 (1930), Y-466a, CL-SCMG.55, PCGS graded VF25 $1,000 - 1,500

Sikang (Xikang) was a province of the Republic of China comprising most of the Kham region of traditional Tibet, where the Khampa, a subgroup of the Tibetan people, live. The eastern part of the province was inhabited by a number of different ethnic groups, such as Han Chinese, Yi, Qiang people and Tibetan, while the western part of the province was inhabited by Tibetans. Sikang, then known as Chuanbian, was a special administrative region of the Republic of China until 1939, when it became an official province. The provincial capital was Kangding from 1939 to 1951 and Ya'an from 1951 to 1955. In 1950, following the defeat of the Kuomintang by the Communists in the Chinese Civil War, Sikang was split along the Yangtze into Sikang to the east and a separate Chamdo Territory to the west. Chamdo was merged into Tibet Autonomous Region in 1965. The rest of Sikang was merged into Sichuan in 1955.

Lot 728







732. **SINKIANG: Tsewang Arabtan**, 1697-1727, AE pul (8.10g), Yarkand, ND, Cr-36-7.1, KM-360., light obverse patination, VF $140 - 180



733. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 2 miscals, Kashgar, AH1311, Y-17, L&M-689, bold strike with luster, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $350 - 450



734. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 miscals, Kashgar, AH1314, Y-19a, L&M-702, PCGS graded XF40 $200 - 300



735. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 miscals, Kashgar, AH1325, Y-25.3, ANACS graded VF25 $150 - 250



736. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 miscals, Kashgar, AH1326, Y-25.2, environmental damage, PCGS graded VF details *, ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $150 - 250



737. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 miscals, Kashgar, AH1327, Y-25.2, ANACS graded VF20 $150 - 250



738. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 miscals, Urumqi, AH1322, Y-35, L&M-793, PCGS graded VF35 $100 - 200



739. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 miscals, Urumqi, AH1324, Y-35A, PCGS graded AU53 $150 - 250



740. **SINKIANG: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR 5 miscals, ND (1910), Y-6, L&M-820, PCGS graded VF35 $150 - 250



741. **SINKIANG: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR 5 miscals, Kashgar, AH1329 (1911), Y-A28, PCGS graded VF30 $100 - 200



742. **SINKIANG: Republic**, AR sar (tael), Urumqi, year 6 (1917), Y-45, L&M-837, with rosette, much original mint luster! PCGS graded AU55 $400 - 500



743. **SINKIANG: Republic**, AR sar (tael), Urumqi, year 6 (1917), Y-45, L&M-837, with rosette, PCGS graded VF35 $300 - 400



744. **SINKIANG: Republic**, AR sar (tael), Urumqi, year 6 (1917), Y-45, L&M-837, with rosette, environmental damage, VF details $200 - 300



745. **SINKIANG: Republic**, AR sar (tael), Urumqi, year 6 (1917), Y-45.1, L&M-838, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $400 - 600



746. **SINKIANG: Republic**, AR sar (tael), Urumqi, year 6 (1917), Y-45.1, L&M-838, without rosettes, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details , *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $200 - 300



747. **SUIYUAN: Republic**, AE fen, year 38 (1949), KM-3, CL-MG.141, tooled, PCGS graded Fine details , *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $500 - 700

A rare and much sought-after issue from this now-defunct province, this type was struck from recycled brass ammunition cartridges.



748. **TAIWAN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 10 cents, ND (1893-94), Y-247.1, L&M-328, large characters variety, PCGS graded VF20 $300 - 500



749. **UIGHURISTAN: Hoja Niyaz Haji**, 1933-1934, AE 10 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, Y-D38.1, CL-XJ.60a, right flag without fringe, possibly overstruck on Aksu 1912 cash type, bold strike, PCGS graded XF40 $150 - 250



750. **UIGHURISTAN: Hoja Niyaz Haji**, 1933-1934, AE 20 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, Y-D38.3, CL-XJ.60b, with full fringe on right flag, XF45 , *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $200 - 300



751. **UIGHURISTAN: Hoja Niyaz Haji**, 1933-1934, AE 20 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, Y-E38.1, CL-XJ.61, environmental damage, VF details , *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $150 - 250

The First East Turkistan Republic, officially the Islamic Republic of East Turkistan, was a short-lived breakaway would-be Islamic republic founded on 12 November 1933. It was centered on the city of Kashgar in what is today the Xinjiang Uyghur Autonomous Region in China. With the sacking of Kashgar in 1934 by Hui warlords nominally allied with the Kuomintang government in Nanjing, the First East Turkistan Republic was effectively eliminated.



752. **YUNNAN: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR 50 cents, ND (1909-11), Y-259, L&M-426, seven flames variety, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 200



753. **YUNNAN: Republic**, AR 50 cents, ND (1911-1915), Y-257, L&M-422, posthumously in the name of the Emperor Kuang Hsu, two circles under fiery pearl variety, NGC graded MS62 $200 - 300



754. **YUNNAN: Republic**, AR 50 cents, ND (1911-1915), Y-257, L&M-422, two circles beneath pearl; small circle around central rosette dot, NGC graded MS62 $150 - 250



755. **YUNNAN: Republic**, 10 cents, year 11 (1923), Y-486, reeded edge variety, a lovely example with peripheral toning! PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



756. **YUNNAN: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 38 (1949), Y-493, L&M-432, Provincial Capitol Building, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 150



757. **YUNNAN: Republic**, AR 20 cents, year 38 (1949), Y-493, L&M-432, Provincial Capitol Building, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 150



758. **YUNNAN: Republic**, AR ½ tael (liang), ND (1943-44), Y-434, L&M-A1.2, struck for use in the French Indo-China opium trade, Chinese character *fu* ("wealth") at center // denomination in Laotian and Chinese, PCGS graded MS62 $1,000 - 1,500



759. **YUNNAN-SZECHUAN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 10 cash, CD1906, Y-10w, CL-YN.01, PCGS graded AU55 , *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $125 - 175

Japanese Puppet States



760. **EAST HOPEI:** AE 5 li, year 26 (1937), Y-516, PCGS graded MS63 BN $100 - 150

The East Hopei government was absorbed into the collaborationist Provisional Government of China in December 1937, then disestablished on February 1, 1938.



761. **CHINA (JAPANESE OCCUPATION): Reformed Government of China**, 10 fen, year 29 (1940), Y-522, Hua Hsing Bank issue, PCGS graded MS64 $100 - 200

Japanese Occupation issue of the Second Sino-Japanese War. The Hua Hsing Commercial Bank was established on 1 May 1939 by the Liang Hongzhi regime with Japanese support with its head office in Shanghai.

The Soviet Period



762. **CHINESE SOVIET REPUBLIC:** AE 5 cents, ND (1931), Y-507.1, Kiangsi Soviet issue, original strike with reeded edge, PCGS graded XF45 , *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $200 - 300



763. **CHINESE SOVIET REPUBLIC:** AE 5 cent, ND (1932), Y-507.1, Kiangsi Soviet issue, original strike with reeded edge, environmental damage, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 150



764. **CHINESE SOVIET REPUBLIC:** AR 20 cents, 1933, Y-508, L&M-895, Kiangsi Soviet issue, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details *, ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $300 - 400

People's Republic

The following tokens are part of a five-token series listed in the book "The Numismatic Aspects of Leprosy", by Roger R. McFadden, John Grost, and Dennis F. Marr as No. 150-154, on pages 19 and 20. These tokens are exceedingly rare and these are the first that we have offered with the sole exception of Lot 766 which we have only offered one example of previously.



765. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** 1 fen, ND (1980), Qinhu Leprosy Hospital opaque light red plastic token, circular with a central hole; *tài xiàn qín hú yi yuàn* (Qinhu Hospital, Taixian County) above and below *bìng yuán dài yòng juan* (For Patient Use), lower case Latin letters 'tqy' above on reverse in a small diamond which probably stand for 'Taixian Qinhu Yiyuan' (Qinhu Hospital of Taixian [County]), EF**, RRR**, *ex Heritage World Coin Auctions, CICF Signature Sale 3032, Lot 24475 (part)* $500 - 700



766. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** 5 fen, ND (1980), Qinhu Leprosy Hospital opaque light blue plastic token, circular with a central hole; *tài xiàn qín hú yi yuàn* (Qinhu Hospital, Taixian County) above and below *bìng yuán dài yòng juan* (For Patient Use), lower case Latin letters 'tqy' above on reverse in a small diamond which probably stand for 'Taixian Qinhu Yiyuan' (Qinhu Hospital of Taixian [County]), EF**, RRR**, *ex Heritage World Coin Auctions, CICF Signature Sale 3032, Lot 24475 (part)* $500 - 700



767. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** 1 jiao, ND (1980), Qinhu Leprosy Hospital opaque light blue plastic token, circular with a central hole; *tài xiàn qín hú yi yuàn* (Qinhu Hospital, Taixian County) above and below *bìng yuán dài yòng juan* (For Patient Use), lower case Latin letters 'tqy' above on reverse in a small diamond which probably stand for 'Taixian Qinhu Yiyuan' (Qinhu Hospital of Taixian [County]), EF**, RRR**, *ex Heritage World Coin Auctions, CICF Signature Sale 3032, Lot 24475 (part)* $600 - 800



768. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** 5 jiao, ND (1980), Qinhu Leprosy Hospital opaque clear plastic token, circular with a central hole; *tài xiàn qín hú yi yuàn* (Qinhu Hospital, Taixian County) above and below *bìng yuán dài yòng juan* (For Patient Use), lower case Latin letters 'tqy' above on reverse in a small diamond which probably stand for 'Taixian Qinhu Yiyuan' (Qinhu Hospital of Taixian [County]), EF**, RRR**, *ex Heritage World Coin Auctions, CICF Signature Sale 3032, Lot 24475 (part)* $600 - 800



769. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** 1 yuan, ND (1980), Qinhu Leprosy Hospital opaque reddish plastic token, circular with a central hole; *tài xiàn qín hú yi yuàn* (Qinhu Hospital, Taixian County) above and below *bìng yuán dài yòng juan* (For Patient Use), lower case Latin letters 'tqy' above on reverse in a small diamond which probably stand for 'Taixian Qinhu Yiyuan' (Qinhu Hospital of Taixian [County]), EF**, RRR**, *ex Heritage World Coin Auctions, CICF Signature Sale 3032, Lot 24475 (part)* $800 - 1,000



770. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** AR 10 yuan, 1984, KM-87, Pan-19a, Panda Series, NGC graded Proof 69 Ultra Cameo $500 - 700



771. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** AV 25 yuan, 1984, KM-89, Fr-B6, AGW 0.2497 oz, ¼ ounce depicting lounging Panda, in original vinyl pack, Choice UNC $450 - 550

772. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** 7-coin proof set, 1982, KM-PS9, Proof set includes 1, 2, and 5 fen, 1, 2, and 5 jiao, and 1 yuan coins, set does not include the original Year of the Dog medal, **set of 7 coins** $700 - 900

All coins set in "Coin Sets of All Nations" card, sold on a subscription basis by The Franklin Mint in the 1980s.



773. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** silvered AE medal, ND, 54mm, People's Liberation Army (PLA) Branch 705 medal for Loyalty, portrait of Chairman Mao Zedong left holding cigarette with slogans "Wish Chairman Mao a Long Life" and "This Road we have taken is Correct" $150 - 250

Likely produced in or around the time of the Cultural Revolution in the late 1960s.

Taiwan



774. **TAIWAN:** AR fantasy dollar, KM-XM370 var. Kann-B5 var, Old Man "baby face" fantasy issue likely produced in the 1920s or 1930s in the Republic (Min Guo) period, attractive toning, UNC , *ex Don Erickson Collection* $200 - 300

It is unlikely that major grading companies will encapsulate this example so please keep that in mind when bidding.

Foreign Colonies in China



775. **HONG KONG: Victoria**, 1840-1901, AE mil, 1863, KM-1.1, a superb red lustrous example! PCGS graded MS66 RD , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $150 - 250



776. **HONG KONG: Victoria**, 1840-1901, AE mil, 1865, KM-2, a superb red lustrous example! PCGS graded MS65 RD , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $125 - 175



777. **HONG KONG: Victoria**, 1840-1901, AR 20 cents, 1867, KM-7, very attractively toned! ANACS graded AU50 $100 - 150



778. **HONG KONG: Victoria**, 1840-1901, AR dollar, 1866, KM-10, PCGS graded XF45 $1,000 - 1,500



779. **HONG KONG: Edward VII**, 1901-1910, AR 50 cents, 1905, KM-15, cleaned, EF $100 - 150



780. **KIAUCHAU: Wilhelm II**, 1898-1914, 5 cents, 1909, Y-1, J-729, Deutsche Kiautschou Gebiet // Chinese inscription *dà dé guó bao* at center, *qing dao* above, an attractive mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection* $150 - 250



781. **KIAUCHAU: Wilhelm II**, 1898-1914, 5 cents, 1909, KM-1, J-729, Deutsche Kiautschou Gebiet // Chinese inscription *dà dé guó bao* at center, *qing dao* above, an attractive lightly toned nearly mint state example, PCGS graded AU58 $100 - 200



782. **KIAUCHAU: Wilhelm II**, 1898-1914, 10 cents, 1909, KM-2, J-730, Deutsche Kiautschou Gebiet // Chinese inscription *dà dé guó bao* at center, *qing dao* above, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



783. **KIAUCHAU: Wilhelm II**, 1898-1914, 10 cents, 1909, Y-2, Deutsche Kiautschou Gebiet // Chinese inscription *dà dé guó bao* at center, qing dao above, attractive toning, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 , *ex Joe Sedillot Collection*$200 - 300

The Kiautschou Bay concession was a territory leased by the Germans in Imperial and Early Republican China, lasting from 1898 to 1914. The administrative center of the territory was located at Tsingtau. A brewery was established in 1903 by German settlers (Tsingtao Brewery Co.), and still exists today as China's most famous brewery.



784. **KIAUCHAU: Wilhelm II**, 1898-1914, 10 cents, 1909, KM-2, J-730, Deutsche Kiautschou Gebiet // Chinese inscription *dà dé guó bao* at center, *qing dao* above, an attractive lightly toned mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 250



785. **KIAUCHAU: Wilhelm II**, 1898-1914, 10 cents, 1909, Y-2, J-730, Deutsche Kiautschou Gebiet // Chinese inscription *dà dé guó bao* at center, *qing dao* above, PCGS graded AU53 , *ex Shawn Hamilton Collection* $150 - 250



786. **KIAUCHAU: Wilhelm II**, 1898-1914, 10 cents, 1909, KM-2, J-730, Deutsche Kiautschou Gebiet // Chinese inscription *dà dé guó bao* at center, *qing dao* above, PCGS graded AU50 $125 - 175

Tibet



787. **TIBET: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AE sho, year 59 (1794), Cr-72, L&M-639, variety with 28 dots, PCGS graded VF30 $200 - 300



788. **TIBET: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AR sho, year 59 (1794), Cr-72.1, 32-dot variety, NGC graded AU55 $300 - 500



789. **TIBET: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AR sho (3.38g), year 60 (1795), Cr-72.1, EF $150 - 200



790. **TIBET: Jia Qing**, 1796-1820, AR sho, year 25 (1821), Cr-83.1, L&M-646, repaired, PCGS graded XF Details $300 - 400



791. **TIBET: Dao Guang**, 1820-1850, AR sho, year 2 (1822), Cr-93, L&M-649, PCGS graded XF40 $200 - 300

With incorrect date on PCGS holder.



792. **TIBET:** AR kong-par tangka, BE15-24 (1890), Cr-A13.1, L&M-627, eight auspicious symbols of Tibetan Buddhism, which surround a lotus in the inner circle // inner square with the date inside, a lovely lightly toned mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300

A fourth series of Kong-Par tangkas was struck in 1890 and 1891; this time the coins bear a new date which corresponds to the actual year when they were struck, i.e., 15-24 and 15-25. They were struck at a reduced weight standard.



793. **TIBET:** AR kong-par tangka, BE15-24 (1890), Cr-A13.1, L&M-627, an attractive mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 250



794. **TIBET:** AR ga-den tangka, ND (1896-99), Y-D13.2, Rhodes-D(ii), an attractive mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 250



795. **TIBET:** AR ga-den tangka, ND (1899-1907), Y-E13.2, Rhodes-E(iv), rare variety, bold strike, PCGS graded AU53**, R** $200 - 300



796. **TIBET:** AR ga-den tangka, ND (1899-1907), Y-E13.4, Rhodes-E(vi), scarce variety, PCGS graded XF45**, S** $125 - 175



797. **TIBET:** AR ga-den tangka, ND (1907-12), Y-F13.1, Rhodes-F(vi), with 12mm circle, an attractive mint state example, PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 250



798. **TIBET:** AR ga-den tangka, ND (1912-18), Y-F13.3, Rhodes-F(vii), an attractive nearly mint state example, PCGS graded AU58 $100 - 150



799. **TIBET:** AR ga-den tangka, ND (1912-18), Y-F13.4, Rhodes-F(viii), type F; dot to right and left of lotus; two fish with dots (NE); three dots (S), a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



800. **TIBET:** AR kelzang tangka, ND (1910), Y-14, square in square type, PCGS graded MS62 $400 - 500

This special tangka, struck in better silver than the normal ga-den tangkas, was distributed to monks during the Monlam Festival ("Great Prayer" Festival) in early 1910. The distribution most probably took place in the Kelzang Palace, which is located in the Norbulingka, the park and summer palaces of the Dalai Lamas in Lhasa.



801. **TIBET:** AR tangka dkarpo sa rpa, ND (1953), Y-31, Second Monk issue, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



802. **TIBET:** AR tangka dkarpo sa rpa, ND (1953), Y-31, Second Monk issue, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



803. **TIBET:** AR tangka dkarpo sa rpa, ND (1953-54), Y-31, Second Monk issue, an attractive mint state example, PCGS graded MS62 $200 - 300



804. **TIBET:** AR tangka dkarpo sa rpa, ND (1953-54), Y-31, Second Monk issue, cleaned, PCGS graded UNC details $150 - 250



805. **TIBET:** AR 5 sho, BE15-48 (1914), Y-18, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion looking upwards with sun and three ornaments within circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one syllable of the legend *dga ' ldan pho brang phyo(gs) las rnam rgya*l ("The Ganden Palace, victorious in all directions") // triratna (triple gem) at center, surrounded by circle with legend around: *rab byung 15 lo 48 zho lnga* ("cycle 15, year 48, five sho"), this surrounded by a circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one of the eight Buddhist auspicious emblems, PCGS graded VF35 $300 - 400



806. **TIBET:** AR 5 sho, BE15-50 (1916), Y-18, Autonomous Tibetan issue, small snow lion looking upwards with sun and three ornaments within small circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one syllable of the legend *dga' ldan pho brang phyo(gs) las rnam rgyal* ("The Ganden Palace, victorious in all directions") // triratna (triple gem) at center, surrounded by circle with legend around: *rab byung 15 lo 50 zho lnga* ("cycle 15, year 50, five sho"), this surrounded by a circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one of the eight Buddhist auspicious emblems, PCGS graded XF45 $400 - 600



807. **TIBET:** AR 5 sho, BE15-51 (1917), Y-18.1, Autonomous Tibetan issue, large snow lion looking backwards with sun and three ornaments within small circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one syllable of the legend *dga' ldan pho brang phyo(gs) las rnam rgyal* ("The Ganden Palace, victorious in all directions") // triratna (triple gem) at center, surrounded by circle with legend around: *rab byung 15 lo 51 zho lnga* ("cycle 15, year 51, five sho"), this surrounded by a circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one of the eight Buddhist auspicious emblems, PCGS graded XF40 $300 - 500



808. **TIBET:** AR 5 sho, BE15-53 (1919), Y-18.1, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion looking back, ornaments above lion's back, within circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one syllable of the legend *dga ldan pho brang phyo(gs) las rnam rgyal* ("the Ganden Palace, victorious in all directions") // triratna (triple gem) at center, surrounded by circle with legend around: *rab byung 15 lo 53 tam srang gang* ("cycle 15, year 53, one tam srang"), this surrounded by a circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one of the eight Buddhist auspicious emblems, PCGS graded XF40 $300 - 500



809. **TIBET:** AR 5 sho, Mekyi, BE15-56 (1922), Y-18.1, Autonomous Tibetan issue, large snow lion looking upwards with star and three ornaments within small circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one syllable of the legend *dga' ldan pho brang phyo(gs) las rnam rgyal* ("The Ganden Palace, victorious in all directions") // triratna (triple gem) at center, surrounded by circle with legend around: *rab byung 15 lo 56 zho lnga* ("cycle 15, year 56, five sho"), this surrounded by a circle to which eight lotus petals are attached, each containing one of the eight Buddhist auspicious emblems, PCGS graded XF40 $500 - 700



810. **TIBET:** AE sho, BE 15-57 (1923), Y-21.1a, fairly well struck, PCGS graded XF40 $100 - 150



811. **TIBET:** AE sho, BE16-9 (1935), Y-23, Autonomous Tibetan issue, with "drop" mark variety, a lovely mint state example with much original red mint luster! PCGS graded MS63 RB $150 - 250



812. **TIBET:** AR 1½ srang, BE16-10 (1936), Y-24, L&M-660, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $125 - 175



813. **TIBET:** AR 1½ srang, BE16-10 (1936), Y-24, L&M-660, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, a lightly toned mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $100 - 150



814. **TIBET:** AR 1½ srang, BE16-11 (1937), Y-24, L&M-660, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $150 - 250



815. **TIBET:** AR 1½ srang, BE16-11 (1937), Y-24, L&M-660, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $125 - 175



816. **TIBET:** AR 1½ srang, BE16-11 (1937), Y-24, L&M-660, Autonomous Tibetan issue, PCGS graded AU58 $100 - 150



817. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-7 (1933), Y-25, L&M-659, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $300 - 500



818. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-7 (1933), Y-25, L&M-659, harshly cleaned, PCGS graded UNC details $100 - 200



819. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, Trabshi mint, BE16-8 (1934), Y-25, L&M-659, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with ornaments above and below, PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 250



820. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-8 (1934), Y-25, L&M-659, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion left looking up, an attractive lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 250



821. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-8 (1934), Y-25, L&M-659, snow lion left looking up, a lustrous nearly mint state example! PCGS graded AU58 $100 - 150



822. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-8 (1934), Y-25, L&M-659, cleaned, PCGS graded UNC details $100 - 200



823. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-9 (1935), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion left looking up, a wonderful lustrous mint state example! PCGS graded MS64 $200 - 300



824. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-10 (1936), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, with legend *dga' ldan pho brang phyogs las rnam rgyal* in eight syllables between inner circle and an outer circle of pearls arranged in groups of two syllables, separated by Buddhist emblems: pair of fish, conch, endless knot and parasol // *rab byung bcu drug lo bcu srang gsum* ("cycle sixteen, year ten, three srang") between inner and outer circle of beads arranged in three groups of two syllables separated by Buddhist endless knots, a lovely example! NGC graded MS63 $300 - 400



825. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-10 (1936), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $300 - 400



826. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-10 (1936), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, an attractive mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 250



827. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-10 (1936), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, an attractive nearly mint state example, PCGS graded AU58 $100 - 150



828. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-11 (1937), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, a lovely mint state example! PCGS graded MS63 $200 - 300



829. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-11 (1937), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, an attractive mint state example! PCGS graded MS62 $150 - 200



830. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, Trabshi, BE16-11 (1937), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, with legend *dga' ldan pho brang phyogs las rnam rgyal* in eight syllables between inner circle and an outer circle of pearls arranged in groups of two syllables, separated by Buddhist emblems: pair of fish, conch, endless knot and parasol // *rab byung bcu drug lo bcuig srang gsum* ("cycle sixteen, year eleven, three srang") between inner and outer circle of beads arranged in three groups of two syllables separated by Buddhist endless knots, PCGS graded AU58 $100 - 150



831. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-11 (1937), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, PCGS graded AU55 $100 - 150



832. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, Trabshi mint, BE16-12 (1938), Y-26, L&M-658, Autonomous Tibetan issue, snow lion facing left in center with Himalayan range behind with two suns above and ornament below, PCGS graded AU55 $100 - 150



833. **TIBET:** AE 3 sho, BE16-20 (1946), Y-27.1, Autonomous Tibetan issue, PCGS graded AU50 $100 - 150



834. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1902-11), Y-3, L&M-360, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu without collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $200 - 300



835. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1902-11), Y-3.1, L&M-358, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu without collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // horizontal rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, scratched, PCGS graded AU details $150 - 250



836. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1902-11), Y-3.1, L&M-358, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu without collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // horizontal rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, PCGS graded AU50 $300 - 500



837. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, si chuan sheng zao ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $150 - 250



838. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, PCGS graded AU55 $150 - 250



839. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 200



840. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 200

The Sichuan rupees of this type from the Chengdu Mint ranged from .700 to .740 fine silver.



841. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, cleaned, PCGS graded AU details $100 - 150



842. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian, PCGS graded AU53 $150 - 250



843. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, PCGS graded AU50 $150 - 250



844. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, PCGS graded XF45 $150 - 250



845. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, PCGS graded XF45 $100 - 200



846. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, scratched, PCGS graded XF Details $100 - 200



847. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, environmental damage, PCGS graded XF Details $100 - 200



848. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, PCGS graded XF40 $100 - 200

The Sichuan rupees of this type from the Chengdu Mint ranged from .700 to .740 fine silver.



849. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Chengdu, ND (1911-33), Y-3.2, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, si chuan sheng zao ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees., NGC graded VF35 $275 - 375



850. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Kangding, ND (1933-39), Y-3.4, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, small portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with flat nose & collar // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* "made in Sichuan", branches with cusps and flowers around, NGC graded XF45 $100 - 150

The Sichuan rupees of this type from the Kangding Mint were struck in debased silver ranging from .500 to .650 fine silver.



851. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Kangding, ND (1939-42), Y-3.3, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, large portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, NGC graded XF45 $100 - 150



852. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Kangding, ND (1939-42), Y-3.3, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, large portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, PCGS graded XF45 $100 - 150

The Sichuan rupees of this type from the Kangding Mint were struck in debased silver ranging from .420 to .500 fineness.



853. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Kangding, ND (1939-42), Y-3.3, L&M-359, variety with large bust, collar, and vertical rosette, PCGS graded XF45 $100 - 150



854. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Kangding, ND (1939-42), Y-3.3, L&M-359, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, large portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar, derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, si chuan sheng zao ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, PCGS graded VF35 $100 - 200

The Sichuan rupees of this type from the Kangding Mint were struck in debased silver ranging from .420 to .500 fineness.



855. **TIBET:** AR rupee, Kangding, ND (1939-42), Y-3.3, Szechuan-Tibet trade issue, large portrait of the Chinese emperor Guang Xu with collar derived from the British Indian rupee of Queen Victoria // vertical rosette at center, Chinese inscription, *si chuan sheng zao* ("made in Sichuan"), branches with cusps and flowers around, a feature also derived from the reverse of British Indian rupees, with Chinese and Tibetan countermark *li yong lam* within rectangular depression, Fine $150 - 250

The Sichuan rupees, which were struck in Kangding of an alloy of debased silver ranging from .420 to .605 fine silver, are occasionally found with countermarks in Tibetan and/or Chinese script and marks consisting of Western numerals or the English word "one." The meaning of most of these marks remains uncertain, but we can presume that they were applied to the coins by local authorities, such as monasteries or dzong dpon (district officials) in order to enforce the circulation of the Sichuan rupees made of low grade silver in a specific area of Tibet.

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