

Session B

Begins September 18, 2014 at 15:00 (PDT)

Islamic Coins

Iran - The Early Period



551. **DULAFID: Ahmad b. 'Abd al-'Aziz**, 879-893, AV dinar (4.07g), Hamadan, AH274, A-1397, citing the caliph al-Mu'tamid, the heir al-Muwaffaq and the latter son Ahmad b. al-Muwaffaq, slightly crinkled, VF, R \$650 - 750



552. **BANIJURID: al-Harith b. Harb**, 10th century, AR multiple dirham (11.92g), unclear mint name, perhaps intended for Kurat Badakhshan, ND, A-1439, SNAT-XIVc:336, AU \$80 - 100
Photo size slightly reduced.



553. **SAMANID: Ahmad II**, 907-914, AR dirham (4.94g), Banjhir, AH299, A-1446, very rare mint for the Samanids, minor discoloration, attractive VF-EF, RR \$230 - 280



554. **SAMANID: Ahmad II**, 907-914, AR dirham (2.72g), Ma'dan, AH300, A-1446var, with Qur'an Surat 112 instead of the normal Samanid reverse field legend, porous surfaces, F-VF, RRR \$320 - 380

Struck by unknown authorities during the chaotic final years of the reign of Ahmad II.



555. **SAMANID: Nasr II**, 914-943, AV dinar (4.26g), Nishapur, AH323, A-1449, caliph al-Radi, citing the engraver Bu Harith in the obverse margin, at 9:00, superb strike, perfectly centered, choice EF-AU \$500 - 600



556. **SAMANID: Nasr II**, 914-943, AV dinar (4.41g), Nishapur, AH324, A-1449, citing the engraver Bu Harith in the obverse margin, ornate symbol above obverse field, choice EF \$320 - 380



557. **SAMANID: Nasr II**, 914-943, AV dinar (4.02g), Samarqand, AH325, A-1449, VF-EF \$420 - 480



558. **SAMANID: Nasr II**, 914-943, AV dinar (3.77g), al-Muhammadiya, AH329, A-1449, *nasr min Allah* in minuscule letters above obverse field, *wa fath qarib* below reverse field ("help is from God, victory is near"), usual weakness for this mint, VF, R \$320 - 380



559. **SAMANID: Nasr II**, 914-943, AV dinar (4.19g), Nishapur, AH331, A-1449, caliph al-Muttaqi, citing the engraver Bu Harith in the obverse margin at 1h, nice strike, choice EF \$300 - 350



560. **VOLGA BULGAR: Anonymous**, ca. 913-922, AR dirham (2.72g), A-Q1481, citing the Samanid Nasr b. Ahmad (AH301-331) on the reverse, but imitating mint & date al-Shash 294 on the obverse, EF, RR \$320 - 380

A relatively early version of the Volga Bulgar types, possibly struck by order of contemporary East European traders.



561. **QARAKHANID: Nasr b. 'Ali**, 993-1012, AV dinar (3.95g), Nishapur, AH396, A-3301, nice strike with virtually no weakness, choice VF \$420 - 480



562. **QARAKHANID: Nasr b. 'Ali**, 993-1012, AV dinar (4.69g), Nishapur, AH396, A-3301, one small cut, perhaps as a testmark, slightly crinkled, Fine, R \$300 - 350



563. **BUWAYHID: Samsam al-Dawla**, as governor in Khuzestan, 978-983, AV dinar (4.39g), Suq al-Ahwaz, AH367, A-1567, citing 'Adud al-Dawla as overlord, VF-EF \$300 - 350



564. **BUWAYHID: Baha' al-Dawla**, 989-1012, AR presentation dirham (5.53g), AH392, A-1574var, a most remarkable type, struck with the normal dies in the center, then struck off-center five times around the margin, unpublished and likely unique, VF, RRR \$1,100 - 1,300

The mint appears to be al-Bakkâr or al-Nakkâr or something similar, probably a location somewhere in southern Iraq or Khuzestan, to just by style & calligraphy. A reference to the Bakr tribe is also conceivable.



565. **BUWAYHID: Majd al-Dawla**, 997-1029, AV dinar (4.00g), al-Muhammadiya, AH392, A-1577, Treadwell-Mu392G, with the phrase *la shakk fihi* ("there is no doubt about it") above obverse field, as a monogram of minuscule letters, EF, R \$500 - 600



566. **'IMRANIDS: Muhadhdhab al-Dawla**, 987-1018, AR dirham (2.95g), al-Basra, AH387, A-1587, citing the ruler, together with the local governor Abu Dulaf, in the reverse margin, the Buwayhid overlord Baha al-Dawla in the obverse margin, only the caliph in the central fields, decent strike with slight weakness, possibly unique, VF-EF, RRR \$500 - 600

This is apparently an unknown variant, as normal dirhams of this ruler cite the 'Imranid & Buwayhid rulers within the central fields.



567. **KAKWAYHID: 'Ala al-Dawla Muhammad**, 1008-1041, AR dirham (3.44g), Isbahan, AH410, A-1591A, with Qur'an Surat 112 in the reverse field, ex-mount, VF, R \$120 - 150



568. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (2.97g), Nishapur, AH410, A-1606, nice strike, VF-EF \$250 - 300



569. **GHAZNAVID: Mahmud**, 999-1030, AV dinar (4.24g), Nishapur, AH389, A-1606, strong VF \$250 - 300

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570. **GREAT SELJUQ: Tughril Beg**, 1038-1063, AV dinar (2.26g), Nishapur, AH440, A-1665, lovely strike, EF \$320 - 380



571. **GREAT SELJUQ: Tughril Beg**, 1038-1063, AV dinar (5.24g), al-Rayy, AH44x, A-1665, mint name weak, but certain, bow & arrow above obverse field, some weakness, EF \$300 - 350



572. **GREAT SELJUQ: Muhammad I**, 1099-1118, AV dinar (3.35g), Isfahan, AH508, A-1683, AU \$250 - 300



573. **SELJUQ OF HAMADAN: Shams al-Ma'ali Chaghri Takin**, 1074-1085, AV dinar (2.25g), Hamadan, AHxx6, A-A1707, citing the caliph al-Muqtadi, and the Great Seljuq Malikshah, so probably dated AH476, off-center strike, VF, R \$230 - 280
Seal of Sulayman twice in the reverse field.



574. **KHWARIZMSHAH: Mangubarni**, 1220-1231, AR double dirham (5.93g), Qal'a Nay, ND, A-1743, citing the caliph al-Nasir (1180-1225), superb specimen, the nicest example we have seen, bold VF, RRR \$500 - 600
Qal'a Nay was a fortress located to the west of Ghazna, active as a mint only during the short reign of Mangubarni.

The Atabegs & Contemporaries



575. **ARTUQIDS OF AMID & KAYFA: Fakhr al-Din Qara Arslan**, 1144-1174, AE dirham (5.94g), NM, ND, A-1820.1, SS-1, facing bust of Christ (Christ Pantocrator), showing the book of Gospels in his left hand, the first issue of Amid & Kayfa, VG, RR \$250 - 300



576. **ARTUQIDS OF AMID & KAYFA: Fakhr al-Din Qara Arslan**, 1144-1174, AE dirham (10.02g), NM, AH560, A-1820.6, SS-6, long-haired male head facing, VF \$120 - 150



577. **ARTUQIDS OF AMID & KAYFA: Fakhr al-Din Qara Arslan**, 1144-1174, AE dirham (6.43g), NM, AH56(2), A-1820.7, SS-7, long-haired male bust facing, some corrosion, nice portrait, VF \$100 - 120



578. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Alpi**, 1152-1176, AE dirham (16.09g), ND, A-1827.3, SS-28, two long-haired busts facing on obverse, Virgin Mary crowning the Byzantine emperor on reverse, lovely strike, VF \$160 - 200



579. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Alpi**, 1152-1176, AE dirham (11.26g), AH558, A-1827.4, SS-29, draped bust facing slightly towards the left on the obverse, facing bust wearing a typical Sasanian crown on the reverse, bold strike, trace of porosity, strong VF \$160 - 200



580. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: II-Ghazi II**, 1176-1184, AE dirham (14.71g), AH579, A-1828.2, SS-32, large & small draped busts facing, VF \$120 - 150
The bottom three lines of the reverse text are hadha al-dirham ma'lun man yu'ayyaruhi, "cursed is he who abuses this dirham", one of the earliest Islamic coins that bears a forewarning to anyone contemplating forgery.



581. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Yuluq Arslan**, 1184-1201, AE dirham (12.31g), AH589, A-1829.3, SS-35, four figures in a formal "lamentation" scene, said to corroborate the death of Saladin in that year, short reverse central text, VF \$130 - 160



582. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Artuq Arslan**, 1201-1239, AE dirham (9.68g), Mardin, AH606, A-1830.3, SS-39, leopard-rider left, bold mint & date, one small area of light porosity, VF \$100 - 120



583. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Artuq Arslan**, 1201-1239, AR dirham (2.91g), Dunaysir, AH625, A-1831.2, citing the Rumseljuq ruler Kayqubad I as overlord & the caliph al-Mustansir, EF \$140 - 180



584. **ARTUQIDS OF MARDIN: Artuq Arslan**, 1201-1239, AR dirham (2.85g), Dunaysir, AH626, A-1831.2, citing the Rumseljuq overlord Kayqubad I, lovely strike, choice VF \$130 - 160

585. **ARTUQID, LU'LU'ID & ZANGID: LOT of 30 pieces** (25 copper & 5 silver), including 17 large pictorial & related copper coins (A-1820.7, 1826.2 (2 pcs), 1827.1, 1828.3, 1829.2, 1829.3, 1829.4, 1830.3, 1830.4 (2), 1850, 1870.1, 1874.2 (2), 1879.1 and 1880.1, average VG, a few Fine, some corroded or porous, in envelopes mark with A#, 8 common copper and 5 common silver not identified (average F-VF), retail value about \$400-500, lot of 30 pieces \$230 - 280



586. **ZANGIDS OF SYRIA: al-Salih Isma'il**, 1174-1181, AR 1/2 dirham (1.40g), NM, ND, A-1853, struck at Halab, but always without mint name and always undated, superb strike, perfectly centered, choice EF \$160 - 200



587. **ZANGIDS OF AL-MAWSIL: Mawdud**, 1149-1169, AE dirham (11.91g), NM, AH555, A-1858, SS-59, facing bust, slightly to the left, with two angels above, without overlord, superb strike, choice VF \$160 - 200



588. **ZANGIDS OF AL-MAWSIL: Mahmud**, 1219-1233, AV dinar (4.52g), al-Mawsil, AH622, A-1869, citing the Ayyubid overlords al-Kamil Muhammad and al-Ashraf Musa, with the caliph al-Nasir (AH575-622), EF \$250 - 300



589. **LU'LU'IDS: Badr al-Din Lu'lu'**, 1233-1258, AV dinar (5.75g), "al-Mawsil", blundered date, A-1871, contemporary imitation, with many spelling errors in both the religious and administrative texts, VF-EF \$470 - 550
It seems likely that these imitations were made either in the Christian communities or in the regions brought under Mongol domination.



590. **BEGTIMURID: Sayf al-Din Begtimur**, 1183-1193, AE fals (6.11g), NM, AH(5)82, A-1889, mare over suckling foal, very clear date, small area of weakness, F-VF \$140 - 180



591. **MENKUJAKID of Divrigi: Sayf al-Din Shahinshah**, 1177-1178, AE dirham (6.46g), NM, ND, A-1893, inscriptions only, citing the Rum Seljuq Qilij Arslan II as overlord, decent strike for this coarsely struck type, VF, RRR \$180 - 220



592. **KHAQANID: Abu'l-Hasan Muhammad b. Ahmad**, 981-991, AR donative dirham (2.86g), Bardha'a, AH373, A-1907Z, helmeted horseman left, 3 lines text, *abu'l-hayja / 'ali khalifat Allah / muhammad bin al-sallâr / kalima* in center, mint & date around, pierced, never cleaned, VF-EF, **RRRR** \$3,600 - 4,200

This is only known donative of the Khaqanids, also known as the Shirvanshahs, 2nd period. This is the third known specimen and probably the only one in private hands, and it was published by Akopyan & Vardanyan (reference not available to us). The first several rulers of the Shirvanshahs, until AH455, are also known as the Mazyadids.

Careful conservation could significantly improve the appearance of this important coin.



593. **ASSASSINS AT ALAMUT (BATINID): Muhammad III**, 1221-1254, AR dirham (3.40g), MM, AH619, A-1921, struck at Maymana, but mint off flan due to some weakness and off-centering of strike, attractive VF, **RRR** \$800 - 1,000

This type bears purely Sunni inscriptions, and the royal inscriptions resemble those of the Khwarizmshah ruler Muhammad.



594. **SALGHURID: Abish bint Sa'd**, 1265-1285, AR dirham (2.62g), NM, AH(6)65, A-1930, with the Chinese character *bao* in the obverse center, about 25% flat strike, VF, **RR** \$470 - 550



595. **SALGHURID: Abish bint Sa'd**, 1265-1285, AR dirham (2.80g), NM, AH(6)65, A-1930, with the Chinese character *bao* in the obverse center, minor weakness (as normal for this type), lightly cleaned, VF, **RR** \$470 - 550



596. **QUTLUGHKHANID: Suyurghatmish**, 1282-1294, AV dinar (5.69g) (Kirman), AH684, A-B1936, Zeno-19195 (this piece), citing the Ilkhan ruler Arghun as overlord, boldly clear date, VF, **RR** \$580 - 680

The Mongols



597. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AV dinar (6.40g) (Gh)azna, AH(61)8, A-1964, with the full name of Chingiz Khan, below the obverse field, and the important parts of the mint & date fully clear, same dies as the four pieces we sold in our Auction 10 (Lots 757-760), some weakness of strike, VF, **R** \$3,000 - 3,400

From the circa 1996 hoard, as are virtually all known dinars of Ghazna 618. The hoard allegedly contained between 150 and 200 examples, all from the same pair of dies.



598. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, posthumous issue, AV dinar (6.12g), Dihistan, AH(6)41, A-1966, *al-qa'an al-'adil al-a'zam* in obverse field, with the mint repeated below, and the mint & date in the obverse margin, as *(d)ihista(n sana i)hda arba'i(n)*, very clear and engraved in Fine calligraphy, off-center strike, VF, **RRR** \$1,000 - 1,200

Because of the date, this piece can be assigned to the reign of Queen Töregene, AH639-644.



599. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AR dirham (3.11g), [Ghazna], ND, A-1967, citing Chingiz Khan by name, Zeno dies A2/B2, superb strike, lovely EF, **R** \$1,000 - 1,200



600. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AR dirham (3.11g), [Ghazna], ND, A-1967, citing Chingiz Khan by his name, dies A3/B3 (dies identified according to Zeno, but a combination unrecorded in Zeno), lovely strike, VF-EF, **R** \$1,000 - 1,200



601. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, BI broad dirham (2.73g) (Marw), AH(61)8, A-A1968, Zeno-1281 & 1294, lightly silver-washed, 50% flat, crude VF *ex Tony Ettinger Collection, ex Stephen Album Auction 10, Lot 816 (realized \$2700)* \$1,100 - 1,300

The obverse is inscribed bi-farman / al-khaqan al-a'zam / chingiz khan / al-'adil, with the mint & date around, kalima & the four Rashidun on the reverse. Always very weakly struck, normally without legible mint & date.



602. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE broad khani dirham (6.44g), Samarqand, AH62x, A-1968E, Zeno-107882 (this piece), inscribed *khani / chingiz khan / al-'adil / al-a'zam*, fully clear on this piece, bent across the center, otherwise very attractive, unique, VF, **RRRR** \$1,000 - 1,200

According to the eminent scholar Pavel Petrov, "This is a unique coin (new type) with name (title) of Chingiz Khan. The mint name is not clear, but probably is read as bi samarqand]. The type doesn't fit to known coins of 618-619; I'd suggest that this coin was struck in 621-622."



603. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AR broad khani dirham (5.04g), Balkh, AH[6]18, A-1968, obverse in circle-in-square, reverse in ornamental lobated square, full date, sufficiently clear mint name, without the denomination term *khani*, VF, **RRR** \$230 - 280



604. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE broad dirham (3.07g), Samarqand, AH622, A-1968F, Dav—, tamgha of Chingiz Khan and double-knot in reverse center, the double-knot (instead of the mint name *samarqand*) repeated in obverse center, the first reported specimen of this variety, and possibly unique, Fine, **RRRR** \$650 - 750

With the Persian phrase be-samarqand o navahi-yi u in sekkeh ruyan, "current in Samarqand and the environs of this city". Date in words, once on obverse, twice on reverse.



605. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE broad khani dirham (4.75g), [Marghinan], ND, A-1968M, without mint and date, citing only the caliph al-Nasir on obverse, the kalima on reverse, arranged as on the Qaraghanid dirham of Marghinan 602, unpublished and perhaps unique, F-VF, **RRRR** \$650 - 750

This piece is of identical design and arrangement to A-3424, but is totally anonymous except for the name of the caliph al-Nasir. It was likely struck during the lifetime of Chingiz Khan, to judge by style and calligraphy.



606. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital (4.08g), [Ghazna], ND, A-1969, Chingiz cited as *'ad-i khaqan al-a'zam*, superb strike, perfectly centered, choice VF \$120 - 150



607. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital (2.73g), Kurraman, ND, A-1970B, Tye-326, humped bull left / name & title of caliph al-Nasir, VF, **RR** \$160 - 200

Arrangement and calligraphy as type A-1741 of the Khwarizmshah Muhammad, with mint name on the humped bull's body.



608. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital (3.10g), [Kurraman], ND, A-1970A, Tye-330.2, anonymous, obverse *'adl / al-khaqan / al-mu'azzam*, without mint name, reverse cites the caliph al-Nasir, mint by style, bold VF, **R** \$130 - 160



609. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital (3.76g), Badakhshan, ND, A-B1972, Tye—, mint name above kalima / caliph al-Nasir, within ornamental lobated square, lovely example, F-VF, **RR** \$160 - 200



610. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital (3.31g), NM, ND, A-C1972, Tye—, kalima / caliph al-Nasir, some surrounding decorations both sides, VF-EF, **RR** \$160 - 200

Probably struck in the general region of Badakhshan or Qunduz, either shortly before or just after the death of Chingiz Khan.



611. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital (3.79g), Qunduz, ND, A-1972, Tye-334, stylized horseman / bow-and-arrow motif within hexafoil, nice even strike, VF \$100 - 120

The bow-and-arrow motif and its anonymity confirm its attribution to the Great Mongols.



612. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital (3.21g), Nimruz, ND, A-A1973, *qa'an al-'adil* / mint name, superb strike, probably finest known, choice EF \$150 - 190

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613. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital (3.12g), NM, ND, A-C1973, Tye-333, 'adl on obverse / *khaqan* on reverse, both within lobated square, from Sijistan region, much rarer than the plain square variety, VF, RR \$130 - 160



614. **GREAT MONGOLS: Chingiz Khan**, 1206-1227, AE jital (2.78g), NM, ND, A-C1973, Tye-332, 'adl on obverse / *khaqan* on reverse, both within plain square, from Sijistan region, VF \$80 - 100



615. **GREAT MONGOLS: Mōngke**, 1251-1260, AV dinar (4.01g), Damghan, ND, A-T1977, Zeno-90024 (this piece), in obverse field, *mongku qa'an / al-'adil / al-a'zam*, and the standard kalima on the reverse, with the mint name twice in the obverse field, once in the reverse field, and probably one more time in the obverse margin, some weakness as always, VF, RRR \$700 - 800



616. **GREAT MONGOLS: Mōngke**, 1251-1260, AR dirham (2.64g), Tiflis, AH651, A-1977D, Bennett-252, Pakhomov-79, Kap-86, citing the local ruler of Georgia, Da'ud b. Kiyurki (David, son of George), clear date and mint, nice strike, VF, RR \$550 - 650

Obverse legend in Persian translates "by the power of God, by the fortune of the king of the world, Mōngke Qa'an", with the date in words at the lower right. Reverse legend "David king, son of George the Baghratid," and "struck at Tiflis" at the lower right.



617. **GREAT MONGOLS: Mōngke**, 1251-1260, AR dirham (2.65g), Tiflis, AH656, A-1977, Bennett-262m (same obverse die), month of Dhu'l-Hijja, seal of Solomon on obverse, tamgha of Mōngke on reverse, bold strike with full month and date, choice VF \$320 - 380



618. **GREAT MONGOLS: Anonymus**, ca. 620s-640s, AE jital (3.13g), Kurraman, ND, A-1978P, Tye-359, uncertain word said to be panji ("fifth") on obverse, *fi balad kurraman* on reverse, unusually nice example of this type, bold VF, R \$120 - 150



619. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Tuqa Timur**, 1272-1291, AR dirham (2.00g), Baldat Taraz, AH688 (backwards), A-1985, lovely strike, with only a tiny spot of weakness by the rim, VF, R \$130 - 160



620. **CHAGHATAYID KHANS: Anonymous**, ca. 1290s, AE jital (3.41g), NM, A-G1987, Tye—, cf. Zeno-87535, bold strike, lovely VF, RRR \$160 - 200

Inscribed 'adil khan padshah around the dynastic tamgha on obverse, be-qovvat-e aferidegar-e 'alam (as on #3778) on the reverse. Probably struck prior to the jitals citing Khutlugh Khwaja by name, either by Khutlugh Khwaja himself or an underling of his contemporary, Duwa Khan.



621. **SHAHS OF BADAQSHAN: 'Alishah II**, 1310s, AR dirham (2.35g), Khwast, ND, A-A2015, average strike, EF, RR \$160 - 200



622. **GOLDEN HORDE: Noghay**, 1300, AR dirham (1.44g), Saqchi, ND, A-J2063, tamgha above fleur-de-lys, mint name coarsely written on reverse, nice strike, VF-EF, RRR ex John Huffman Collection \$280 - 340



623. **GOLDEN HORDE: Jani Beg**, 1341-1357, AR dinar (2.66g), Baghdad, AH758, A-2028, struck by the Jalayrid ruler Shaykh Uways I, just before his own name was placed on his coinage in 759, same dies as Zeno-41852, nice strike, couple very light nicks, about VF, RR \$800 - 1,000
See our Auction 16, Lot 535, for another example, also from the same dies.



624. **SUFID: Husayn**, 1361-1372, AV fractional dinar (1.13g), Khwarizm, AH768, A-2063, obverse text *al-mulku lillah / al-wahid / al-qahhar*, with the names of the Rashidun around, VF \$380 - 450



625. **SUFID: Husayn**, 1361-1372, AV fractional dinar (1.13g), Khwarizm, AH772, A-2063, F/D-8, kalima in lobated square / mint & date in octofoil, bold VF \$300 - 350



626. **SUFID: Husayn**, 1361-1372, AV fractional dinar (1.17g), Khwarizm, AH773, A-2063, F/D-9, *al-mulku lillah* in square, Rashidun around / mint & date in octofoil, struck with slightly worn dies, VF \$220 - 270



627. **SUFID: Husayn**, 1361-1372, AV fractional dinar (1.14g), Khwarizm, AH774, A-2063, F/D-9, *al-mulku lillah* in square, Rashidun around / mint & date in octofoil, choice VF \$240 - 290
Coins dated AH774 can be assigned either to Husayn or to his successor Yusuf, who succeeded during that year.



628. **SUFID: Yusuf**, 1372-1379, AV fractional dinar (1.15g), Khwarizm, AH775, A-A2066, F/D-3, obverse text *al-mulku lillah / al-wahid / al-qahhar*, with the names of the Rashidun around, choice VF \$320 - 380



629. **SUFID: Yusuf**, 1372-1379, AV fractional dinar (1.13g), Khwarizm, AH777, A-A2066, F/D-3, obverse text *al-mulku lillah / al-wahid / al-qahhar*, with the names of the Rashidun around, slight weakness near the rim, VF \$280 - 340



630. **SUFID: Husayn**, 1361-1372, or **Yusuf**, 1372-1379, AV fractional dinar (1.14g), Khwarizm, ND, A-2063, F/D—, *al-sultan al-'adil* in square / mint name in square, possibly unpublished variety, minor weakness near the rim, VF, RR \$470 - 550
All gold, silver, and copper coins of the Sufids are anonymous. Undated examples cannot be assigned to a specific ruler, except perhaps by die-link or overstrike.



631. **GIRAY KHANS: Shahin Giray**, 1777-1783, AE kyrmis (45.12g), Baghcha Saray, AH1191 year 4, A-2118, KM-34, Persian "4", some staining, bold VF \$320 - 380
Photo size on this and the following lot are slightly reduced.



632. **GIRAY KHANS: Shahin Giray**, 1777-1783, AE kyrmis (44.47g), Baghcha Saray, AH1191 year 5, A-2118, KM-36, nice strike, pleasing VF \$320 - 380



633. **ILKHAN: Hulagu**, 1256-1265, AE fals (6.87g), Sinjar, DM, A-2125.3, Zeno-5176, ornate 8-point star, perhaps representing the sun, VF on F-VF host., RR \$150 - 190
This type is dated AH659, and this piece is overstruck on type A-1876 of Badr al-Din Lu'lu', struck at al-Mawsil, recognizing the Great Mongol Möngke and struck 656-657.



634. **ILKHAN: Abaqa**, 1265-1282, AR dirham (3.31g), Sinjar, AH675, A-2127, bold mint & date, VF, RR \$140 - 180



635. **ILKHAN: Abaqa**, 1265-1282, AR dirham (2.33g), [Tiflis], AH680, A-2130, Bennett-305, Christian religious text on reverse, month off flan, Fine, R \$120 - 150



636. **ILKHAN: Anonymous Qa'an al-'Adil**, 1265-1280, AR kaaniki dirham (2.77g), [Tiflis], AH671, A-2135, Bennett-291c, month of Rabi' II, very well-engraved date, VF \$120 - 150



637. **ILKHAN: Anonymous Qa'an al-'Adil**, AE fals (3.52g), [Tiflis], ND, A-2137R, Zeno-16962, Bennett-302, inner circle / square, decent strike for this type, crude VF, RR \$230 - 280
An example of this type is reported to be dated AH675.

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638. **ILKHAN: Arghun**, 1284-1291, AR dirham (2.07g), [Tiflis], A-2151.2, Bennett-318, Christian text in Arabic, large six-point star left of the cross in the reverse field, blundered date, about VF, R \$200 - 250

Bennett reported only the year AH683 for examples of this type with the star that reveals the date.



639. **ILKHAN: Gaykhatu**, 1291-1295, AR dirham (2.33g) (Tiflis), AH(6)92, A-2160, Christian type of Georgia, date crudely engraved, but likely, VF, R \$170 - 200



640. **ILKHAN: Ghazan Mahmud**, 1295-1304, AE fals (2.52g), NM, ND, A-2176, gorgeous ornate rayed surface in obverse center, minor weakness, VF, R \$120 - 150



641. **ILKHAN: Uljaytu**, 1304-1316, AR dinar (11.41g), Shabankara, AH71x, A-2187, usual weakness, VF, RR \$130 - 160

Six-dirham pieces from mints in Fars province, such as Shabankara, are all very rare, as the type was normally struck only in Khorasan and adjacent regions.



642. **ILKHAN: Uljaytu**, 1304-1316, AR dinar (11.61g), Jurjan, AH716, A-2187, mint name in obverse margin and at the bottom of the reverse field, nice strike, VF \$130 - 160



643. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (8.54g), Shiraz, AH722, A-2202, type D, some weakness on reverse, uneven VF \$470 - 550



644. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (7.69g), Nishapur, AH734, A-2212, slight trace of what might have been a mount, decent strike, VF, R \$700 - 800



645. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AV dinar (6.46g), "Tabriz", AH729, A-2212, partly blundered spelling, either contemporary imitation or official strike with emergency engraved dies, VF \$470 - 550



646. **ILKHAN: Abu Sa'id**, 1316-1335, AE fals (1.00g), Erzincan, ND, A-2220, lion walking left, with right forepaw raised / text within ornamented trefoil, F-VF, R \$100 - 120



647. **ILKHAN: Arpa Ga'un**, 1335-1336, AR 2 dirhams (2.84g), Tiflis, AH736, A-2221, spiraled Kufic kalima on reverse, Bennett-433 (this piece), choice VF, RRR \$550 - 650



648. **ILKHAN: Muhammad Khan**, 1336-1338, AR 2 dirhams (2.44g), Anguriya (Ankara), AH738, A-2229, nice strike, attractive VF-EF \$100 - 120



649. **ILKHAN: Muhammad Khan**, 1336-1338, AR 2 dirhams (2.81g) (Shiraz), AH737, A-2230.1, inner circle / ornately lobated square, overstruck on type A-2218.1 of Abu Sa'id, mint of Shabankara, date obliterated by the imperfect striking, VF, RR \$120 - 150



650. **ILKHAN: Muhammad Khan**, 1336-1338, AE fals (2.65g), Tabriz, AH737, A-A2231, Diler-710, ibex left, citing the ruler on the reverse, nice strike, F-VF \$100 - 120



651. **ILKHAN: Taghay Timur**, 1336-1353, AE fals (2.17g), Jurjan, ND, A-2246, crane facing right, head lifted up as in mating season, F-VF, R \$120 - 150



652. **ILKHAN: Anushiravan**, 1344-1356, AR 2 dirhams (1.27g), Van, khani 51 (=AH752/753), A-2270V, Diler-825, the last type to use the khani date instead of the Hijri date, VF-EF, RRR \$160 - 200

653. **ILKHAN: LOT of 21 Ilkhan silver coins**, of **Hulagu** (A-2122.2, Mardin DM), **Arghun** (A-2146, Baghdad 685), **Ghazan Mahmud** (A-2168, Mardin DM, A-2172, Baghdad 701 and Nakhjawan DM, A-2173, Ankara ND, Gümüşbazar ND, and Samsun DM, A-2173A, NM ND, A-2174, Erzincan 699, and A-2175, Konya ND), and **Uljaytu** (A-2179, Erzurum 705, A-2180, Samsun 704 and Samsun 707, A-2180A, NM ND, A-2184, Sultaniya 710 and MM DM, A-2185, Kayseri 71x, A-2187, MM 714, A-2188, Tokat 71x, and A-2189, Samsun 714), mostly VF, some worn or lightly damaged, all identified in envelopes, an interesting group with mostly Anatolian mints, retail about \$450, **lot of 21 pieces** \$230 - 280

654. **ILKHAN: LOT of 38 silver coins of Abu Sa'id**, various types, **A-2099**, Isfarayin (71)9, **A-2100.1**, Bayburt 720, Erzincan 720, Sivas 72x, Tokat DM, and blundered mint & date, **A-2101.1**, Samsun 720, NM ND, and blundered mint & date (5 pcs.), **A-2204**, Ahlat DM, Erzincan 722, Erzincan 723, Erzurum 722, and Mawsil DM, **A-2205**, Samsun DM, **A-2210**, Ahlat 72x, Bayburt 725, Sivas 723, and Tokat 724, **A-2211**, Amasya blundered date, Ma'dan Gümüşbazar 72x (2 pieces), Niksar DM, Samsun 724, Samsun 72(6?), and Sivas 72x, **A-2214**, Erzincan 732, Erzurum 732, Kayseri blundered date (with reverse in plain circle), Mardin 73x, Tabriz 729, and blundered mint 729, **A-2215**, Hamadan 729, and **A-2219X**, local type of Kastamonu 72x, mostly VF, several much better, attractive group with large proportion of Anatolian issues a pleasing and interesting starter's assembly, some rare, retail about \$700, **lot of 38 pieces** \$380 - 450

655. **ILKHAN: LOT of 15 double dirhams of Abu Sa'id**, type H, **A-2218.1**, Amasya ND, Ankara khani 33, Bayburt DM, Hamadhan khani 33, Hisn Kayfa khani 33, Kayseri khani 33, al-Khilat khani 33, Kirshehir blundered date, Ma'dan (misspelled) ND, Mawsil khani 33, Niksar AH7xx, Samsun khani 33, Sivas AH(7)36, Tokat khani 33, and Yazd 3x, average about VF, several with weakness of style as is common for the Anatolian mints, an excellent group with several very scarce mints, each coin in envelope with identification, retail about \$500, **lot of 15 pieces** \$280 - 340

656. **ILKHAN: LOT of 27 Ilkhan coins** (21 silver & 6 copper): **SILVER: Muhammad**, A-2229, Bazar 738, Erzurum 738, and Hamadan 738, **Sati Beg**, A-2231, Hisn 738, **Taghay Timur**, A-2240, Jurjan 738, and A-2242, local imitation, **Jihan Timur**, A-2247, Erzincan 740 (2 varieties), **Sulayman**, A-2250, blundered mint & date, A-2252, MM 741, and NM ND (2 pieces), A-2257, Hisn 745 (4 pieces, one early, the rest later imitations), and A-2258, Mardin 74(1), and **Anushiravan**, A-2261, blundered mint & date, A-2262, MM DM, and A-2266, Salmas DM and Tabriz 752, plus **COPPER: Hulagu**, A-2125.4, NM ND, **Uljaytu**, A-2190, 3 pieces (2 with lion, 1 with sunface), and **Abu Sa'id**, A-2220, Tabriz 719 and NM ND, interesting lot with a few very scarce issues, mostly F-VF, all identified in envelopes, retail about \$500, **lot of 27 pieces** \$250 - 350

Post-Mongol Iran



657. **JALAYRIDS: Shaykh Uways I**, 1356-1374, AR dinar (1.51g), Isfahan, DM, A-X2303, ornate quatrefoil, with central square, circle within square / octogram, lovely design, with month of Muharram, struck to the 1.62g dinar standard of AH768-769, VF, RRR \$140 - 180
Actually struck by the Muzaffarid ruler Shah Mahmud, who ruled in Isfahan in opposition to Shah Shuja' (759-776), but in the name of the Jalayrid ruler in exchange for military assistance from the Jalayrids.



658. **ERETNIDS: Muhammad b. Eretna**, 1352-1366, AR akçe (1.76g), Erzincan, AH761, A-2323, plain circle / trefoil, finest style for this usually coarsely engraved type, EF-AU, R \$130 - 160
659. **ERETNIDS: LOT of 15 silver akçes**, including **Eretna** (A-2320.1, Erzincan 745, and A-2320.2, Bayburt 748 and blundered mint & date), **Muhammad** (A-2323, Anguriye ND, Kayseri ND, Sivas ND, and 2 pieces without mint & date), and **'Ali Beg** (A-2324.1, NM ND, A-2324.4, NM ND, A-2324A, NM ND, A-2324B, Bayburt ND, Erzincan ND, and NM ND), and **uncertain ruler**, probably in name of Timur, thus a Timurid issue based on the last Erzincan issues of 'Ali Beg, mostly VF, a few with holes or other damage, pleasing starter lot, retail about \$400, **lot of 15 pieces** \$230 - 280



660. **QADIS OF SIVAS: Burhan al-Din**, 1380-1398, AR akçe (1.38g), Kayseri, ND, A-2326, obverse text means "resplendence of the world, of justice, of the Burhanis", decent strike, full clear mint name \$130 - 160



661. **AMIRS OF AHLAT: Anonymous**, 1350s, AR akçe (1.01g), Khilât (Ahlat), blundered date, A-G2327, always with blundered date, resembling "750", but struck at least several years later, bold strike with virtually no weakness, choice VF, RR \$170 - 200

Timurid & Later



662. **TIMURID: Shah Mahmud**, 1457-1459, AR tanka (5.16g) (Herat), AH861, A-2423.1, with title *mu'izz al-dunya wa'l-din*, type struck only at Herat, VF, RR \$120 - 150

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663. **AQ QOYUNLU: Hasan**, 1453-1478, AR 1/3 tanka (1.69g), Urdu, AH875, A-2514, spiraled kalima on reverse, superb strike, VF-EF, RR \$100 - 120

Shahs of Iran



664. **SAFAVID: Muhammad Khudabandah**, 1578-1588, AV mithqal (4.62g), Kashan, DM, A-2616.1, slightly weak strike, some weakness as usual, very rare mint in gold, VF, RR \$300 - 350



665. **SAFAVID: 'Abbas I**, 1588-1629, AV mithqal (4.63g), Qazwin, AH999, A-2627, type A, ruler's name in central hexafoil on obverse, VF-EF \$300 - 350



666. **SAFAVID: Sultan Husayn**, 1694-1722, AV ashrafi (3.04g), Isfahan, AH1134, A-2669, lovely strike, AU \$300 - 350



667. **SAFAVID: Sultan Husayn**, 1694-1722, AR 5 shahi (8.58g), Iravan, AH(112)4, A-2677.1, KM-276.1, type C, F-VF \$120 - 150



668. **SAFAVID: Sultan Husayn**, 1694-1722, AR 5 shahi (8.64g), Tabriz, DM, A-2677.1, KM-276.3, type C, F-VF \$120 - 150



669. **SAFAVID: Isma'il III**, 1750-1756, AR rupi (11.51g), Mazandaran, AH1167, A-2702, nicely toned, bold VF-EF \$130 - 160

670. **SAFAVID: LOT of 4 silver coins of 'Abbas I**, 1588-1629, including 3 examples of the shahi (Zegam mint, undated or date off flan, A-2636.3, all Fine-VF), and one bisti (Isfahan AH1041, EF, but pierced), retail at least \$250, **lot of 4 pieces** \$120 - 150



671. **HOTAKI: Mahmud Shah**, 1722-1724, AV ashrafi (3.45g), Isfahan, AH1135, A-2712, type B, reverse in dodekalobe, pointed top & bottom, some weakness near the rim, AU, R \$380 - 450



672. **HOTAKI: Mahmud Shah**, 1722-1724, AV ashrafi (3.45g), Isfahan, AH1136, A-2712, type B, excellent strike, choice EF, R \$420 - 480



673. **HOTAKI: Ashraf**, 1724-1729, AV ashrafi, Isfahan, AH1137, A-2718, type A, full bold strike, remarkably well centered, PCGS graded MS-63 \$650 - 750



674. **HOTAKI: Azad Khan**, 1750-1757, AV mohur, Isfahan, AH1167, A-2723, type C, superb strike, described as "filed rims", but the filing is very minor, PCGS graded AU details, R \$1,500 - 2,000
The "scratches" in the reverse field are not on the coin, but on the die, thus no damage to the coin surfaces.



675. **AFSHARID: Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AV mohur (10.71g), Mashhad, ND, A-2739.1, type D, pleasing strike, F-VF \$650 - 750



676. **AFSHARID: Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR rupi (11.46g), Shahjahanabad (Delhi), AH1152, A-2744.3, struck during Nadir Shah's brief occupation of Delhi, choice VF, ex M.H. Mirza Collection \$140 - 180



677. **AFSHARID: Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR rupi (11.42g), Shahjahanabad (Delhi), AH1152, A-2744.3, struck during Nadir Shah's brief occupation of Delhi, 4 testmarks, VF, R \$100 - 120



678. **AFSHARID: Nadir Shah**, 1735-1747, AR abbasi (5.34g), Shiraz, AH1148, A-2749.1, EF
ex purchase of October 14, 1965 from Joel Malter \$120 - 150



679. **ZAND: Karim Khan**, 1753-1779, AV ½ mohur (5.45g), Shiraz, AH1189, A-2789, kalima reverse, bold strike, VF-EF \$320 - 380



680. **ZAND: Karim Khan**, 1753-1779, AV ¼ mohur, Khuy, AH1191, A-2791, KM-525.3, bold well-centered strike, NGC graded AU-58 \$320 - 380



681. **QAJAR: Muhammad Hasan Khan**, 1750-1759, AR rupi (11.40g), Mazandaran, AH1170, A-2827, bold strike, AU \$130 - 160



682. **QAJAR: Fath 'Ali Shah**, 1797-1834, AV ½ toman (3.05g), Isfahan, AH1212, A-2858, coronation issue, with *al-mulk lillah* above the mint name on the reverse, lovely strike, VF-EF, RRR \$800 - 1,000



683. **QAJAR: Fath 'Ali Shah**, 1797-1834, AR ¼ riyal, Tabriz, AH1225, A-2882A, KM-685, likely a presentation issue struck with hand-cut oblique reeded edge, superb strike, nicely toned, NGC graded MS-63 \$320 - 380



684. **QAJAR: Fath 'Ali Shah**, 1797-1834, AR ¼ riyal, Tabriz, AH1225, A-2882A, KM-685, likely a presentation issue struck with hand-cut oblique reeded edge, nicely toned, NGC graded MS-63 \$200 - 250



685. **QAJAR: Muhammad Shah**, 1837-1848, AV toman (3.77g), Isfahan, AH1254, A-2903, struck to the first weight standard, VF \$230 - 280



686. **QAJAR: Muhammad Shah**, 1837-1848, AV toman (3.39g), Mashhad, AH1260, A-2904, date written as just "126" for 1260, a common phenomenon on Qajar coinage, strong VF \$200 - 250



687. **QAJAR: Nasir al-Din Shah**, 1848-1896, AV toman (3.36g), Mashhad, AH1266, A-2921, lovely strike, VF-EF \$240 - 290
This was the year of Nasir al-Din's reconquest of Mashhad, occupied AH1264-1266 by Hasan Khan Salar, who struck coins at Mashhad during those years in the name of the deceased Muhammad Shah.



688. **QAJAR: Nasir al-Din Shah**, 1848-1896, AV toman (3.40g), Tabriz, AH1265, A-2921, VF \$170 - 200



689. **QAJAR: Nasir al-Din Shah**, 1848-1896, AV toman (3.04g), Tabriz, AH1278, A-2921, VF \$160 - 200



690. **QAJAR: Nasir al-Din Shah**, 1848-1896, AR 2 toman (6.81g), Mashhad, AH1281, A-2924, ex-jewelry, bold strike, AU, R \$750 - 850

Khanates of Caucasia



691. **GEORGIA: Erekle II**, 1762-1798, AR abazi (3.05g), Tiflis, AH1207, A-2975, Bennett-1005 (RR variety), date above the mint name, some weakness of strike, VF \$120 - 150

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692. **GEORGIA: Erekle II**, 1762-1798, AR abazi (2.88g), Tiflis, AH1213, A-2975, Bennett-1025, last year of issue, VF \$120 - 150

Erekle II was the first king of the united Kingdom of Kartli-Kakheti which was created in 1762 by the unification of two eastern Georgian kingdoms and existed until annexation by the Russian Empire in 1801.



693. **SHIRVAN: Qasim Khan**, 1789-1794, AR abbasi (2.61g), Shamakhi, AH1203, A-2946, strong VF-EF \$130 - 160

Abbasis of this date, AH1203, have been traditionally assigned to Asker Khan, who ruled for a few months between Fath 'Ali Khan and Qasim Khan, but since there is no difference in text and arrangement, there would be no way to distinguish issues of Asker from Fath 'Ali or Qasim, assuming that the same weight standard applied to the three reigns during that year.



694. **SHIRVAN: Qasim Khan**, 1789-1794, AR abbasi (2.30g), Shamakhi, AH1205, A-2946, choice VF \$120 - 150



695. **SHEKI: Mehmet Hasan Khan**, 1797-1802, AR abbasi (2.25g), Nukhwa, AH1214, A-2949, obverse couplet as Karim Khan's type C, decent strike, VF, R \$130 - 160

Later Central Asia



696. **KHOQAND: Khodayar Khan**, 1st reign, 1844-1858, AV tilla (4.54g), Khoqand, AH1272//1272, A-3060, trace of mount, decent strike with just a touch of weakness by the rim, VF-EF, R \$420 - 480



697. **KHOQAND: Sayyid Sultan Khan**, 1863-1865, AV tilla, Khoqand, AH1280, A-3070, obverse in teardrop, reverse in unusual "X.X.X.X..." border design, nice strike, PCGS graded EF-45, RR \$650 - 750



698. **SHAYBANID: 'Abd Allah II**, 1583-1598, AV ½ mithqal (2.30g), NM, ND, A-2993, nice strike, VF \$250 - 300



699. **MANGHIT OF BUKHARA: Muzaffar al-Din**, 1860-1886, AV tilla (4.54g), Bukhara, AH1285//1285, A-3038, slight weakness, EF \$280 - 340

Afghan Dynasties



700. **DURRANI: Ahmad Shah**, 1747-1772, AR rupee (11.12g), Ahmadnagar Farrukhabad, AH1175 year 15, A-3092, KM-103, lovely strike, pleasant toning, EF \$120 - 150



701. **DURRANI: Taimur Shah**, 1772-1793, AR rupee (10.83g), Kashmir, AH1204 year 16, A-3100, superb strike, choice EF \$100 - 120



702. **DURRANI: Shah Zaman**, 1793-1801, AR double rupee (23.01g), Kabul, year 6, A-3107, KM-444, superb strike, no weakness, perhaps the finest example we have encountered, EF-AU, R \$550 - 650



703. **DURRANI: Mahmud Shah**, 1801-1829, AR rupee (10.30g), Herat, AH1243, A-3138.2, superb well-centered example, without any weakness, choice EF, R \$130 - 160



704. **DURRANI: Mahmud Shah**, 1801-1829, AR rupee (11.12g), Bahawalpur, AH1239 year 40, A-C3142, the year "40" on the reverse is probably intended for the actual year AH1240, not a regnal year, EF \$130 - 160



705. **DURRANI: Qaisar Shah**, 1803/1st reign, AR rupee (11.35g), Ahmadshahi, AH1218 year 1, A-3118, lovely strike, VF-EF, R, ex M.H. Mirza Collection \$160 - 200



706. **DURRANI: Shah Shuja'**, 1803-1809/2nd reign, AR double rupee, Bahawalpur, AH1218 year one (ahad), A-3121, KM-254, superb strike, handcut oblique reeding, NGC graded MS-62 \$900 - 1,000

Believed to be from a few pieces recently released by the Nawab family of Bahawalpur.



707. **DURRANI: Ayyub Shah**, 1817-1829, AR rupee (10.67g), Kabul, AH1237//1237 year 3, A-3135, wonderful strike, choice EF \$100 - 120



708. **DURRANI: Sayyid Ahmad Khan**, 1830-1831, AR rupee (9.25g), Peshawar, AH1246, A-3136, with the 2nd half of the obverse couplet, *az revaj-e sekke-ye sultan-e zaman*, with the first half still undeciphered, but distinctly different from the following anonymous issue assigned to Sultan Muhammad Tila'i (A-2159, known dated AH1247-1249), EF, RRRR \$420 - 480
Unpublished and apparently the first known example.

Civic Coppers



709. **CIVIC COPPER: AE falus** (6.03g), Jalalabad, ND, A-3238, flower, overstruck on ¼ anna of the East India Company, VF on VG host, RR \$160 - 200



710. **CIVIC COPPER: AE falus** (18.46g), Qumm, AH(10)42, A-3255, lion attacking quadruped (deer?), Fine, R \$80 - 100



711. **CIVIC COPPER: AE falus** (7.62g), Sa'ujbulagh, AH1251, A-3258, Rab-84, two geese, confronted, lovely strike, VF \$120 - 150

Islamic Group Lots

712. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC: LOT of 10** better Islamic coins, Arab-Sasanian (A-1, broken & repaired VF), Rasulid (A-1108.3, 2 pieces, both VF-EF), Seljuq of Rum (A-1218, VF), Muzaffarid (A-2283, Shiraz, F-VF), Jalayrid (A-2307, Hamadan), Great Mongol (A-1978F, VF), Timurid (2 pieces, including Ibrahim, A-2424, Fine, ex-mount, and Shahrukh, Astarabad 810, Fine), medieval weight (with *al-malik* repeated 6 times in circle, 1.10g, VF), plus 8 very common Islamic silver coins, total retail about \$650, **lot of 18 pieces** \$320 - 380

713. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC: LOT of 29** miscellaneous later Islamic coins, including Khwarizmshah (2 pieces, both VF), Great Mongol (4 pieces, including one of the common type A-1969 of Chingiz Khan, average VG), Golden Horde (1 piece, VF), Chaghataid (4 pieces, average VG-F), Amir of Qunduz (1 piece, Good), Shaybanid (6 pieces, mostly VF), Safavid (1 piece, VG) and miscellaneous civic coppers (10 pieces, mostly Good to VG, but one decent Fine example of Abushahr), value about \$600, plus one modern aluminum "hand" souvenir with engraved religious text, **lot of 30 pieces** \$280 - 340

714. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC: LOT of 27** miscellaneous late medieval Islamic coins (silver unless otherwise noted), Jalayrid (1 piece, Salmas mint, VF), Muzaffarid (7 pieces, common, average VF), Timurid (7 pieces of Shahrukh, average Fine or better), Bukhti Kurds (4 pieces, poor strikes, VG-F), Qara Qoyunlu (1 piece, Fine) and Aq Qoyunlu (5 silver, F-VF, and 2 copper, crude strikes, VG), enjoyable study lot, retail \$500-600, **lot of 27 pieces** \$280 - 340

715. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC: LOT of 67** pieces of Ayyubid, Mamluk and Ottoman coins, as follows: **Ayyubid**, 8 silver dirhams (including two of Saladin, one of Dimashq 581), 4 fractional dirhams, and 10 copper coins (including one VF example of al-Awhad Ayyub, facing bust type); **Mamluk**, 13 silver and 9 copper coins, all very common (average VG-F), and **Ottoman**, 2 ex-jewelry gold coins (zeri mahub of 1203 year 9, and ½ hayriye altin of 1223 year 22, total AGW about 2.5g), 13 silver akçes, 4 silver dirhams, and 4 copper mangirs (the first three groups mostly Fine or better), very basic lot of inexpensive coins, retail at least \$500, **lot of 67 pieces** \$280 - 340

716. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 14 Islamic & 10 European coins:
Islamic: Arab-Byzantine (1 piece, Fair), Ayyubid/Crusader (1, VF), Fatimid (1, Good), Ghaznavid (1, Fine), Seljuq of Rum (6 silver pieces, average VF), Zangid (1, Fine), Ottoman (2 pcs, VF), and Hungarian imitation (1, Good); **European:** Various medieval, not identified, mostly Fair to Fine, but 2 uncertain Balkan issues (Bulgarian?) are both VF-EF, retail value about \$500, **lot of 24 pieces** \$230 - 280
717. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 39 coins, damaged, corroded, broken, etc., including 18 copper coins, 7 broken silver coins, 1 Abbasid dirham that is apparently a contemporary copy, 11 severely holed silver Rum Seljuq silver dirhams, and 2 lead pieces of unknown origin, **lot of 39 pieces** \$140 - 180
718. **MEDIEVAL ISLAMIC:** LOT of 19 coins including, Umayyad bronze (1), Umayyad silver (1), Abbasid silver (1), Samanid silver (3), Ilkhan (2), Ottoman copper (1), Alawi Sharif copper (4), miscellaneous Indian coins (6), odds and ends of various collections, but includes some interesting pieces, average circulated condition, retail value \$250, **lot of 19 coins** \$140 - 180

China

The Nicholas Rhodes Collection of Chinese Cash Coins

719. **ANCIENT CHINA:** LOT of 137 ancient Chinese money, imitation cowrie shells in bone (2), another in 'jade' (1), AE cash *yi hua* type (1), AE cash *ban liang* many types including 'elm seed' (19), AE cash *wu zhu* including many scarce varieties plus *yan huan*, *zao bian* and *e yan* types (61), AE cash *da quan wu shi* types of Wang Mang, many varieties (6), *zhao quan zhi yi* of Wang Mang (3), *huo quan* of Wang Mang, many varieties (21), *bu quan* of Wang Mang (1), *kai yuan* Tang dynasty (22), a very interesting study lot of these early pieces, average circulated condition, retail value \$300, **lot of 137 coins** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$180 - 220
720. **ANCIENT CHINA:** LOT of 66 coins, cowrie money, actual cowrie shells with back filed off (2), bone cowries (2), broken bone cowrie (1), mother of pearl cowrie (1), bronze cowries (2), lead burial cowrie (1), ant-nose money H-1.4 (6), ant-nose type *ge liu zhu* H-1.10 (3), *ban liang* of various sizes (11), *wu zhu* of various types and sizes (37), great study lot of early Chinese coinage, average circulated quality, retail value \$300 **lot of 66 coins**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150
721. **ANCIENT CHINA:** LOT of 26 bronze Warring States *ming* knife money, a lovely selection, all with clear reverse characters, Hartill-4.40+ types, with many reverse varieties, all in better than average quality, this lot should be examined, retail value \$1,300, **lot of 26 knives** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$550 - 650
722. **ANCIENT CHINA:** LOT of 22 coins, square foot spades H-3.225, H-3.417, Wang Mang coins H-9.1+, H-9.14 (3), *huo pu* spade money H-9.30 (3), H-9.32+ (6), *huo chuan* 'biscuit' H-9.60 (2), H-9.70+, *tai huo liu zhu* H-13.18, *yong an wu zhu* H-13.23, *chang ping wu zhu* H-13.27 (2), great study lot of early Chinese coins with several scarce types, average circulated quality, retail value \$450, **lot of 22 coins** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$180 - 220

Chinese Dynasties



723. **WARRING STATES: Anonymous**, ca. 400-300 BC, AE spade money, State of Liang, H-3.10, flat-handled spade, *an yi yi jin* in archaic script, nice patina, choice VF, **S** \$450 - 500



724. **WARRING STATES: Anonymous**, ca. 400-300 BC, AE spade money, State of Liang, H-3.10, flat-handled spade, *an yi yi jin* in archaic script, slightly uneven flan, nice patina, VF, **S** \$380 - 450



725. **WARRING STATES: Anonymous**, 350-250 BC, AE square foot spade (3.69g), State of Yan, H-3.401, *xiang ping* in archaic script, small flan as usual, VF, **S** \$100 - 120



726. **WARRING STATES: Anonymous**, 350-250 BC, AE spade (30.53g), State of Chu, H-3.470, *pei bi dang jin* (equivalent to one Jin) on obverse, *shi hao* (ten hao) on reverse in archaic script, F-VF, RRR
 ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$900 - 1,100

The State of Chu was an ancient Chinese state in the Yangtze valley during the Zhou Dynasty. Originally Chu was considered a viscounty but, starting from King Wu in the early 8th century BC, the rulers of Chu declared themselves kings on an equal footing with the Zhou rulers. Originally known as Jing and then as Jingchu, Chu occupied vast areas of land at its height, including most of the present-day provinces of Hubei and Hunan, along with parts of Chongqing, Guizhou, Henan, Anhui, Jiangxi, Jiangsu, Zhejiang, and Shanghai.

The hao in the reverse inscription shi hao probably refers to ten ant nose type coins. These spades are thick and robust with well developed rims all the way around, with a large round hole in the top.

A similar but lower quality example sold in Stack's Bowers & Ponterio Sale 184 Lot number 30579 for \$850. This is the finest example we have handled of this rare type.



727. **WARRING STATES: Anonymous**, 400-220 BC, AE knife money, State of Qi, H-4.6y, three-character knife, *qi fa huo* (the authorized currency of Qi) in archaic script on obverse, reverse character *fa*, characters in low relief, Fine \$550 - 650



728. **WARRING STATES: Anonymous**, 400-220 BC, AE knife money, State of Qi, H-4.6y, three-character knife, *qi fa huo* (the authorized currency of Qi) in archaic script on obverse, reverse character *fa*, characters in high relief, heavy encrustation, Fine \$550 - 650

The State of Qi was an ancient Chinese state during the Warring States Period of ancient China. Its capital was Linzi (present-day Zibo in Shandong). Qi was founded around in 1046 BC as one of the many vassal states of the Zhou Dynasty. The first ruler of Qi was Jiang Ziya, the most powerful official during that time. The Jiang family ruled Qi for several centuries before it was replaced by the Tian family in 386 BC. In 221 BC, Qi was the last major state of pre-Imperial China to be conquered by the State of Qin, which became the Qin Dynasty, the first centralized empire of China.

729. **WARRING STATES: Anonymous**, 400-220 BC, AE knife money, State of Qi, H-4.6, three-character knife, *qi fa huo* (the authorized currency of Qi) in archaic script on obverse, reverse character uncertain, characters in high relief, very heavy encrustation, VG \$470 - 550



730. **WARRING STATES: Anonymous**, ca. 350-220 BC, AE cash (9.45g), State of Liang, H-6.3, archaic *yuan* at right, a lovely specimen with nice patination, VF \$120 - 150



731. **WARRING STATES: Anonmyous**, 300-220 BC, AE cash (4.15g), State of Yan, H-6.21, *ming hua* in archaic script, a lovely example, VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



732. **HAN: Han Wudi**, 141-87 BC, lead 300 zhu, tortoise type, cast circa 119 BC with *shao* counterstamp on obverse, *shao* being a abbreviation for *shao fu* (emperor's private treasury), only estimated 8-10 known specimens and this is a lovely example, VF, RRR \$1,000 - 1,200

Baijin Sanpin is a set of three types of coins: Dragon, Horse and Turtle issued in the Han dynasty. "Baijin" refers to the metal (lead), "Sanpin" refers to the fact that it was a series of three coins with different denominations: Dragon, Horse and Turtle, the last being the most rare. Refer to article in Shanghai Symposium, *The Bai Jin San Ping Coinage of Han Wudi: Early Influences From the Silk Road* by James T. Anderson.



733. **HSIN: Wang Mang**, 7-23 AD, AE 'key money' (18.86g), H-9.13, *qi dao wu bai* (knife, value five hundred) in archaic script, crude F-VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$380 - 450

These knife coins are sometimes referred to as key coins, and are very well cast, although on the value 500 pieces, the characters on the ring handle are sometimes weak. The edges are usually finished with slightly coarse file marks around the outside (as this example has), but with much finer file marks on the leading edge of the knife blade (as if the knife had been sharpened). A similar example sold in Stack's Bowers & Ponterio Sale 165, Lot 20599, for \$600.



734. **HSIN: Wang Mang**, 7-22 AD, AE spade money (11.61g), H-9.29, *da bu heng qian* (value 1000), cast from 10-14 AD, VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$160 - 200
We sold a similar example in our Auction 13, Lot 962, for \$200.



735. **HSIN: Wang Mang**, 7-22 AD, AE spade money (13.82g), H-9.29, *da bu heng qian* (value 1000), cast from 10-14 AD, F-VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120



736. **HSIN: Wang Mang**, 7-22 AD, AE spade money (15.45g), H-9.29, *da bu heng qian* (value 1000), cast from 10-14 AD, VG-F, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150

China



737. **SHU-HAN: Anonymous**, 221-265, AE 100 cash (4.75g), H-11.1, *zhi bai wu zhu* in archaic script, F-VF, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



738. **SHU-HAN: Anonymous**, 221-265, AE 100 cash (1.95g), H-11.15, *zhi bai* in archaic script, F-VF, R, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220
Attributed to Liu Bei, later king of Shu and one of the heroes of the "Romance of the Three Kingdoms".



739. **SHU-HAN: Anonymous**, 221-265, AE 100 cash (3.71g), H-11.23, *tai ping bai qian* in archaic script, F-VF, S, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



740. **SHU-HAN: Anonymous**, 221-265, AE 100 cash (4.07g), H-11.23, *tai ping bai qian* in archaic script, VG-F, S, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120



741. **WU: Anonymous**, 222-280, AE 500 cash (9.62g), H-11.33, *da quan wu bai* in archaic script, superb brown and green patina, VF-EF, S \$120 - 150



742. **LATER ZHOU: Anonymous**, 319-352, AE cash (2.21g), H-12.2/4, *feng huo*, VG-F, R, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



743. **LATER ZHOU: Anonymous**, 319-352, AE cash (3.72g), H-12.4, *feng huo*, Fine, R, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180
The inscription feng huo literally means "The Coin of Abundance" and is written in seal script. They were cast by Emperor Shi Le in AD 319 at Xiangguo (now Xingtai in Hebei) with a weight of 4 zhu. They are known as the Cash of Riches - keeping one piece of this type was said to bring great wealth. However, the historical record states that the people were displeased, and that in the end the coin did not circulate.



744. **CHENG HAN: Han Xing**, 303-347, AE cash (0.88g), H-12.7, inscription read from top to bottom, encrusted as usual, VG-F, R, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
Li Shou of Sichuan adopted the period title of Han Xing. This is the first recorded use of a reign title on a coin. This reign title ended in AD 343.



745. **NORTHERN CHAO: Anonymous**, 557-581, AE cash (3.15g), H-11.30, *wu xing da bu* in archaic script, VF, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
The legend translates as "The Large Coin of the Five Elements [metal, wood, water, fire, and earth]" and these were issued in 574 by Emperor Wu. They were intended to be worth ten Bu Quans. Illegal coining soon produced specimens of a reduced weight and the authorities banned the use of this coin in 576. This inscription is frequently found on amulets.



746. **NORTHERN CHAO: Anonymous**, 557-581, AE cash (2.83g), H-11.30, *wu xing da bu* in archaic script, VF, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



747. **NORTHERN CHAO: Anonymous**, 557-581, AE cash (2.36g), H-11.30, *wu xing da bu* in archaic script, small size, Fine, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



748. **NORTHERN CHAO: Anonymous**, 574-576, AE 5 cash, H-13.31, *wu xing da bu* in archaic script, VF \$120 - 150



749. **NORTHERN ZHOU: Anonymous**, 547-549, AE cash (3.23g), H-13.35, *tai qing feng le*, encrusted as normal, but with lovely crystallization from burial that sparkles in the light, crude VF, RRR, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220

The inscription written in seal script translates as "Tai Qing, Prosperous and Happy" and is attributed to the Tai Qing period of Emperor Wu. A hoard was discovered in Jiangsu containing 4,000 tai qing feng le coins with various other sorts of coins showing that this is not an amulet as had been claimed by some authorities.



750. **TANG: Gao Zong**, 649-683, AE cash (4.56g), H-14.100, *qian feng quan bao*, Fine, RR, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220
There were cast by the Emperor Gao Zong in 666. In an attempt to overcome a shortage of copper, one of the Qian Feng coins was to be equivalent to ten old coins, although its weight of 2.4 zhu was the same as a one cash coin. This led to extensive forgery, and the coin was withdrawn after a year.



751. **TANG: Su Zong**, 756-762, AE cash (2.83g), H-14.124, *qian yuan zhong bao*, Fine, R, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
Judging by their find spots, these coins were likely cast by the local government in the Kuche area of Xinjiang in around 760-780. Hartill makes this note of coins H-130 to 132A, but this small crudely cast type, in the name qian yuan, is identical in casting style, fabric and size to the other Xinjiang coins and thus likely produced in the same area.



752. **TANG: Dai Zong**, 766-779, AE cash (3.38g), H-14.130, *da li yuan bao*, Fine, R, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
Judging by their find spots, these coin and following four lots were likely cast by the local government in the Kuche area of Xinjiang in around 760-780.



753. **TANG: Dai Zong**, 766-779, AE cash (2.48g), H-14.132A, *yuan* at top, Fine, RR, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



754. **TANG: De Zong**, 780-783, AE cash (3.48g), H-14.133, *jian zhong tong bao*, a superb example! VF, RR ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220



755. **TANG: De Zong**, 780-783, AE cash (3.23g), H-14.133, *jian zhong tong bao*, Fine, RR ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



756. **TANG: De Zong**, 780-783, AE cash (1.98g), H-14.134, *zhong* at top, heavy encrustation, VG, RR ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



757. **TANG: Shun Tian**, rebel, 758-761, AE 100 cash, H-14.147, crescent on reverse, VF, RR \$180 - 220

758. **TANG: LOT** of 131 Tang dynasty (618-907 AD) coins, H-14aa (2), H-14ac (3), H-14ah, H-14z, H-14.13, H-14.50 (4), H-14.62, H-14.67, H-14.68, H-14.69 (2), H-14.70, H-14.72, H-14.77 (5), H-14.81 (4), H-14.83 (2), H-14.87, H-14.89 (4), H-14.92, H-14.95 (4), H-14.105 (4), H-14.113 (3), H-14.114 (3), H-14.116 (2), H-14.119, Xinjiang garrison issue H-14.133, plus an additional group of 77 coins, many with reverse marks and characters, a great study lot of early Chinese coins with several scarce types, average circulated quality, retail value \$400, lot of 131 coins, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220



759. **EARLIER SHU: Tong Zheng**, 907-918, AE cash (2.62g), H-15.31, issued by Wang Jian, VG, R ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100

China



760. **YOU ZHOU AUTONOMOUS REGION: Anonymous**, 900-914, large iron cash (31.26g), H-15.166, 48mm, *yong an yi qian*, crude good to VG, **RR**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150

From 822, the You Zhou (within modern Hebei) area enjoyed virtual independence from the rest of the empire. At the end of the ninth century, the Regional Commandant of You Zhou was Liu Rengong, succeeded by his son Liu Shouguang from 911. The histories say that Liu Rengong minted iron coins. We have handled only a few of these types and all were heavily encrusted, as is this example. Photo size slightly reduced.



761. **MIN: Kai Yuan**, 909-945, large lead cash (27.95g), H-15.51, min (for Fujian area) above, crescent below, crude Fine ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150

762. **FIVE DYNASTIES: LOT** of 26 Five Dynasties (907-960) coins, **Later Zhou** H-15.12 (4), H-15.13, H-15.23 casting hole, H-15.25 flan crack, H-15.25v, **Former Shu** H-15.38 casting hole (2), H-15.46 (2), **Southern Tang** H-15.80 (3), H-15.83 (1), H-15.87, H-15.94, H-15.95, H-15.99 (4), **Southern Han** H-15.108, **You Zhou** Autonomous Region H-15.162, plus another thick iron uncertain type, a great study lot of Five Dynasties coins with several scarce types, average circulated quality, retail value \$260, **lot of 26 coins** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



763. **LATER HAN: Han Yuan**, 948-951, AE cash (3.16g), H-15.5, Fine, **S**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100

This coin's pattern is based on the Kai Yuan. In 948, during the reign of Emperor Gao Zu, the President of the Department of Imperial Feasts requested permission to set up a mint in the capital (Kaifeng, Henan). There is no specific record of casting Han Yuans.

764. **NORTHERN TARTAR KINGDOMS: LOT** of 106 Northern Tartar Kingdoms (907-1234) coins, **Liao** dynasty H-18.17, H-18.19, H-18.21 (5), H-18.22, **Jin** dynasty H-18.40 (13), H-18.42 (5), H-18.43 (2), H-18.44, H-18.47, AE 10 cash H-18.63 casting hole, **Western Xia** dynasty H-18.97 (13), H-18.99 (2), H-18.104 (54), **Yuan** dynasty H-19.39 (6), a nice group of Tartar & Mongol bronze and iron coins including several scarce types, average circulated quality, retail value \$1250, **lot of 106 coins**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$420 - 480



765. **LIAO: Zhong Xi**, 1032-1055, AE cash (2.95g), H-18.11, Fine, **R**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150



766. **LIAO: Qing Ning**, 1055-1064, AE cash (2.27g), H-18.12, attractive for type, F-VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



767. **LIAO: Qing Ning**, 1055-1064, AE cash (2.58g), H-18.12, attractive for type, F-VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



768. **LIAO: Xian Yong**, 1065-1074, AE cash (2.81g), H-18.14, decent for type, Fine, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



769. **LIAO: Da An**, 1085-1094, AE cash (3.55g), H-18.17, very nice for type, Fine, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



770. **WESTERN HSIA: Huang Jian**, 1211-1223, AE cash (2.49g), H-18.108, F-VF, **R**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120



771. **WESTERN HSIA: Guang Ding**, 1211-1223, AE cash (3.29g), H-18.109, F-VF, **S**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



772. **CHIN: Tai He**, 1204-1209, AE 10 cash (16.03g), H-18.63, seal script, thin characters, a lovely example, EF, S
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220



773. **CHIN: Tai He**, 1204-1209, AE 10 cash (18.27g), H-18.63, seal script, thick characters, EF, S
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220
Exact die mould match with an example in the Fitzwilliam Museum, number CM.FE.2235-R.



774. **NORTHERN SUNG: Jing De**, 1004-1007, iron 10 cash, H-16.51, S-472, cast in 1005 at both Jiazhou & Qiongzhou mints in Sichuan Province, crude F-VF, RR \$180 - 220



775. **NORTHERN SUNG: Xiang Fu**, 1008-1016, iron 10 cash, Yizhou mint, Sichuan Province, H-16.58, S-478, cast 1014-16, crude VF, RR \$150 - 200



776. **NORTHERN SUNG: Chong Ning**, 1102-1106, small iron cash (5.02g), H-16.404, *chong ning yuan bao* in Li script read clockwise, very scarce type, VG-F, RR
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



777. **NORTHERN SUNG: Da Guan**, 1107-1110, AE 10 cash (13.69g), H-16.426, slender golden script, VF
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120



778. **NORTHERN SUNG: Da Guan**, 1107-1110, AE 10 cash (15.81g), H-16.426, slender golden script, reverse field tooled, VF, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100

779. **NORTHERN SUNG: LOT of 49 iron 2 cash coins**, wonderful group of many different types, dates and mints, average circulated quality, retail value \$600, **lot of 49 coins**
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$230 - 280

780. **NORTHERN SUNG: LOT of 577 bronze 1 cash coins and nine 2 cash coins**, wonderful group of many different types and varieties, better than average quality, retail value \$300, **lot of 586 coins**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220

781. **NORTHERN SUNG: LOT of 82 Northern Sung dynasty (960-1127) coins**, H-16.21 with two dots, H-16.229, H-16.288, H-16.305, H-16.400 (2), H-16.407, H-16.408 (2), H-16.422 (2), H-16.424, H-16.439, H-16.440, H-16.462, H-16.463, H-16.505 (2), plus 13 small bronze cash coins, 48 large bronze cash coins, and 3 large iron cash coins, a nice collection of Northern Sung coins with several scarce types, average circulated quality, retail value \$300, **lot of 82 coins**
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180



782. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Shao Xi**, 1190-1194, iron cash, Qichun mint, Hubei Province, year 3, H-17.366, seal script, *chun* above on reverse, rare type, ANACS graded VF-30, RR \$120 - 150

China



783. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Shao Xi**, 1190-1194, large iron cash, Qichun mint, Hubei Province, year 3, H-17.369, seal script either side, nice VF, RRR \$180 - 220



784. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Shao Xi**, 1190-1194, large iron cash, Dingcheng mint, Henan Province, year 3, H-17.370, seal script either side, crude VF, RRR \$280 - 340



785. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Shao Xi**, 1190-1194, large iron cash, Tongan mint, Anhui Province, year 3, H-17.371, seal script either side, crude F-VF, RRR \$230 - 280



786. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Da Sung**, 1225-1227, iron 3 cash (10.04g), H-17.694, *quan* above, *san* below on reverse, Fine, R, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



787. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Duan Ping**, 1234-1236, AE 5 cash (13.21g), H-17.741, a superb example, VF ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



788. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Jia Xi**, 1237-1240, AE 5 cash (10.89g), H-17.777, a superb example, F-VF ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



789. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Chun You**, 1241-1252, AE 100 cash, H-17.806, 51mm, *dang bai* (value one hundred) on reverse, Fine, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
Photo size reduced.



790. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Chun You**, 1241-1252, AE 100 cash, H-17.806, 50mm, *dang bai* (value one hundred) on reverse, Fine, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
Photo size reduced.



791. **SOUTHERN SUNG: Chun You**, 1241-1252, AE 100 cash, H-17.806, 50mm, *dang bai* (value one hundred) on reverse, Fine, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
Photo size reduced.

792. **SOUTHERN SUNG: LOT of 118 bronze 2 cash coins**, wonderful group of many different types and dates, average circulated quality, retail value \$550, **lot of 118 coins** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$280 - 340

793. **SOUTHERN SUNG:** LOT of 82 Southern Sung dynasty (1127-1280) coins, H-17.245, H-17.355, H-17.356, H-17.359, H-17.380, H-17.742, H-17.445, H-17.446, H-17.447, H-17.506 (2), H-17.777, plus 22 iron and 32 bronze one cash coins, 13 iron and 3 bronze 2 cash, a nice collection of Southern Sung bronze and iron coins of many mints and dates and several scarce types, average circulated quality, retail value \$825, **lot of 82 coins**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$280 - 340

794. **SUNG:** LOT of 267 bronze cash coins, great study group of many different types of Northern (Bei) Sung Dynasty (187) plus Southern (Nan) Sung Dynasty (80), average circulated quality, retail value \$475, **lot of 267 coins** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$230 - 280



795. **YUAN: Zhong Tong**, 1260-1264, AE cash (4.24g), seal script, minor encrustation, nice patina, VF, **RRRR** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$550 - 650

Seemingly an exact mould match to number 0243 n volume 5 of the Shanghai Encyclopedia ("Daxi", Zhong Guo Li Dai Hou Xi). Type not listed in seal script by Hartill. This is the first of this type we have handled.



796. **YUAN: Da De**, 1297-1307, AE cash (5.45g), H-19.29, crude Fine, **RRR**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$550 - 650

Seems to match the die mould for number 0302 in volume 5 of the Shanghai Encyclopedia ("Daxi", Zhong Guo Li Dai Hou Xi). This is the first of this type we have handled.



797. **YUAN: Da Yuan**, 1310-1311, AE 10 cash (22.01g), H-19.46, *ta üen tong baw* in Mongol Phags-pa script (*da yuan tong bao* in Chinese), VF \$100 - 120



798. **YUAN: Da Yuan**, 1310-1311, AE 10 cash (20.49g), H-19.46, *ta üen tong baw* in Mongol Phags-pa script (*da yuan tong bao* in Chinese), F-VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120



799. **YUAN: Da Yuan**, 1310-1311, AE 10 cash (15.47g), H-19.46, *ta üen tong baw* in Mongol Phags-pa script (*da yuan tong bao* in Chinese), F-VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120



800. **YUAN: Da Yuan**, 1310-1311, AE 10 cash, H-19.46, *ta üen tong baw* in Mongol Phags-pa script (*da yuan tong bao* in Chinese), F-VF \$100 - 120

801. **YUAN: Da Yuan**, 1310-1311, AE 10 cash, H-19.46, LOT of 2 coins, *ta üen tong baw* in Mongol Phags-pa script (*da yuan tong bao* in Chinese), both in average circulated quality, **lot of 2 coins**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150



802. **YUAN: Zhi Zhi**, 1321-1323, AE cash (2.78g), H-19.61, thin variety, some minor corrosion at left, crude VF, **RRR** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$550 - 650

Similar to the die mould for number 0428 in volume 5 of the Shanghai Encyclopedia ("Daxi", Zhong Guo Li Dai Hou Xi) except bott zhi somewhat different. This is the first of this type we have handled. It comes in both thick and thin varieties.



803. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE cash (4.61g), CD1351, H-19.94, *maw* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *xin mao*, a lovely example, VF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120



804. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE cash (3.21g), CD1352, H-19.95, *shin* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *ren chen*, a lovely example, VF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120

China



805. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 2 cash (5.89g), CD1351, H-19.99, *maw* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *xin mao*, a lovely example, EF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



806. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 2 cash (7.55g), CD1351, H-19.99, *maw* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *xin mao*, a lovely example, EF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



807. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 2 cash (7.12g), CD1352, H-19.100, *shin* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *ren chen*, a lovely example, EF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



808. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 2 cash (6.21g), CD1352, H-19.100, *shin* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *ren chen*, F-VF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120



809. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 3 cash (12.67g), CD1352, H-19.105, *shin* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *ren chen*, VF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



810. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 3 cash (8.83g), CD1353, H-19.106, *ze* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *gui si*, VF-EF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



811. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 3 cash (9.85g), CD1353, H-19.106, *ze* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *gui si*, crude VF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



812. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 3 cash (10.52g), CD1354, H-19.107, *u* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above for Chinese cyclical date, *jia wu*, crude EF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



813. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 2 cash (5.52g), H-19.108, denomination *rhi* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above and Chinese *er* below on reverse, crude VF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



814. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 2 cash (6.93g), H-19.108, denomination *rhi* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above and Chinese *er* below on reverse, crude Fine, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150



815. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 2 cash (3.91g), H-19.108, reverse inscription unclear, with old collector's numbers in ink, crude Fine, **S**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



816. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 3 cash (12.11g), H-19.109, denomination *sam* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above and Chinese *san* below on reverse, crude Fine, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



817. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 10 cash (25.72g), H-19.115, denomination *shi* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above on reverse, crude VF, **S**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$220 - 250



818. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 10 cash (23.28g), H-19.115, denomination *shi* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above on reverse, crude VF, **S**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$180 - 220



819. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 10 cash (25.04g), H-19.115, 47mm, denomination *shi* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above on reverse, crude VF, **S**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$180 - 220
Photo size slightly reduced.



820. **YUAN: Zhi Zheng**, 1333-1368, AE 10 cash (36.95g), H-19.117, 47mm, denomination *shi* in Mongolian 'Phags-pa script above and dot & Chinese *shi* below on reverse, crude Fine, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$180 - 220
Photo size slightly reduced.



821. **YUAN: Tian Ding**, 1359-1360, AE cash (2.91g), H-19.142, F-VF, **R**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$180 - 220



822. **YUAN: AE charm**, 63mm, two standing figures with pig below and other symbols around / Mongolian 'Phags-pa script around, Fine, **RR** \$180 - 220
Looks to be a contemporary Yuan dynasty issue crudely cast in good copper, apparently unpublished. Photo size reduced.

China



823. **MING: Da Zhong**, 1361-1368, AE 3 cash, Henan Province, H-20.31, *yu* below on reverse, VF, RR \$230 - 280



824. **MING: Da Zhong**, 1361-1368, AE 3 cash (9.07g), Zhejiang Province, H-20.32, on reverse, *zhe* above, a superb example! VF-EF, RRR, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$470 - 550



825. **MING: Da Zhong**, 1361-1368, AE 5 cash (15.69g), H-20.33, natural casting hole as made, scarce denomination, VF, R ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150



826. **MING: Da Zhong**, 1361-1368, AE 5 cash (15.91g), H-20.33, crude F-VF, S, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150



827. **MING: Da Zhong**, 1361-1368, AE 5 cash (17.61g), Henan Province, H-20.42, *yu* below on reverse, light encrustation, choice VF, RR \$280 - 340



828. **MING: Da Zhong**, 1361-1368, AE 10 cash (18.38g), H-20.44, on reverse, *shih* (10 [cash]) above, VF ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



829. **MING: Da Zhong**, 1361-1368, AE 10 cash (20.83g), H-20.45, *shih* above on reverse, small natural casting hole, crude F-VF, S ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



830. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 3 cash (9.41g), Fujian Province, H-20.91, *san* above and *fu* below on reverse, VF, RR ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$180 - 220



831. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 3 cash (11.41g), Zhejiang Province, H-20.96, *zhe* above on reverse, light encrustation, choice VF, R \$180 - 220



832. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 5 cash (17.62g), H-20.99, *wu qian* at right on reverse, F-VF, **S** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



836. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash (19.62g), Nanjing mint, H-20.112, on reverse, *jing* above and *shih* (10 [cash]) at right, light encrustation, Fine, **RR** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$380 - 450



833. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash (27.45g), H-20.111, *shi* above, *yi liang* at right on reverse, VF, **S** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220



837. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash (19.73g), Fujian Province, H-20.115, on reverse, *shih* (10 [cash]) above, *fu* below, a fabulous example! VF-EF, **R** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$550 - 650



834. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash (31.93g), H-20.111, on reverse, *shih* (10 [cash]) above, *yi liang* at right, Fine, **RR** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$280 - 340



838. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash (28.91g), Fujian Province, H-20.115, on reverse, *shih* (10 [cash]) above, *fu* below, VF, **R**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$380 - 450



835. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash (25.78g), Nanjing mint, H-20.112, *jing* above, *shi* at right on reverse, corrosion, VF, **S**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220



839. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash, Fujian Province, H-20.115, *shi* above and *fu* below on reverse, VF ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$320 - 380

China



840. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash (14.79g), Henan Province, H-20.119, *shi* above and *yu* below on reverse, VF ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$320 - 380



841. **MING: Hong Wu**, 1368-1398, AE 10 cash (13.39g), Henan Province, H-20.119, *shi* above and *yu* below on reverse, Fine ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$230 - 280



842. **MING: Hong Zhi**, 1488-1505, AE cash (5.98g), Yunnan Province, H-20.126, *shui guan tong bao* written in barbarous script, crude Fine, S, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120
This coin is part of a short series noted in Hartill as cast by the Guizhou province Tribal Commissioners, but the current majority opinion suggests that they are from Dali in Yunnan.



843. **MING: Jia Jing**, 1522-1567, AE 5 cash (15.13g), H-20.135, on reverse, *wu qian* at right, fields heavily tooled long ago, VF, RRRR, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$550 - 650
*Only a few larger denomination coins with the *jia jing tong bao* inscription were produced in values equivalent to 2, 3, 5 and 10 cash (*qian*). All of these larger denomination coins are now rare.*



844. **MING: Shen Zong**, 1573-1620, AE cash (3.62g), H-20.161, inscription repeated on reverse, Fine, RR ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220



845. **MING: Wan Li**, 1573-1620, AE 2 cash (3.99g), H-20.167, VF, S, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120



846. **MING: Tian Qi**, 1621-1627, AE cash (2.91g), H-20.202, large *yuan* above on reverse, F-VF, R ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



847. **MING: Tian Qi**, 1621-1627, AE 2 cash (7.66g), H-20.221, dot above on reverse, Fine, R ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



848. **MING: Tian Qi**, 1621-1627, AE 10 cash (22.75g), H-20.225, 47mm, plain reverse type, Fine ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120
Photo size slightly reduced.



849. **MING: Tian Qi**, 1621-1627, AE 10 cash (18.93g), H-20.226, on reverse *shih* (10 [cash]) above, F-VF ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$130 - 160



850. **MING: Tian Qi**, 1621-1627, AE 10 cash (22.71g), H-20.226, on reverse *shih* (10 [cash]) above, Fine ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120



851. **MING: Tian Qi**, 1621-1627, AE 10 cash (25.88g), H-20.227, 47mm, on reverse *shih* (10 [cash]) below, F-VF ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$130 - 160
Photo size slightly reduced.



852. **MING: Tian Qi**, 1621-1627, AE 10 cash (40.64g), H-20.229, 48mm, on reverse *shih* (10 [cash]) above, *yi liang* at right, VF ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180
Photo size slightly reduced.



853. **MING: Chong Zhen**, 1628-1644, AE 5 cash (11.03g), H-20.331, *jian wu* on reverse, dark patina, Fine, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120



854. **MING: Chong Zhen**, 1628-1644, AE cash (1.91g), H-20.355, horse running left at bottom reverse, flan crack, Fine, **RR** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120

855. **MING: Chong Zhen**, 1628-1644, AE 5 cash, LOT of 2 coins, H-20.329 Board of Revenue mint, *hu* right and *wu* at left, and H-20.331 with *jian* right and *wu* left, both in F-VF condition, lot of 2 coins, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150



856. **MING: AE amulet**, CCH-1836+, 49mm, tiger-head script, man with sword, rabbit, snake and other themes, scarce type, F-VF, **S** \$80 - 100
Photo size slightly reduced.



857. **MING: AE charm**, CCH-1836+, openwork charm type, two tigers either side, F-VF, **S** \$80 - 100
Type listed by Zheng Yiwei, et al. in the Chinese Classic Charm book as either being made in the late Yuan or early Ming periods.

China

858. **MING:** LOT of 23 coins, **Hong Wu** 1368-1398, AE cash H-2057 VF, H-20.63 VF, H-20.67 crude F (2), H-20.73 F-VF, AE 3 cash H-20.87 G-VG, AE 5 cash H-20.99 encrusted VG-F, **Yong Le** 1403-1424 AE cash H-20.121 F-VF (3), **Xuan De** 1426-1435 AE cash H-20.123 F (2), **Jia Jing** 1522-1567 AE cash H-20.128 F, H-20.129 F (2), **Wan Li** 1573-1620 AE cash H-20.143 VF, H-20.145 natural casting hole F-VF, H-20.164 F, H-20.165 F-VF, **Tai Chang** 1620, AE cash H-20.168 one F and another VF, H-20.170 VF, H-20.171 F, very nice group of Ming coins including some larger denominations and scarce types and mints, retail value \$250, **lot of 23 coins**
ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180
859. **MING:** LOT of 52 Ming dynasty (1368-1644) coins, **Chong Zhen** H-20.237 (2), H-20.238, H-20.239, H-20.241, H-20.243, H-20.252, H-20.255, H-20.256, H-20.260, H-20.261, H-20.263, H-20.264, H-20.267, H-20.269, H-20.273, H-20.274 (4), H-20.276, H-20.278 (2), H-20.285, H-20.288, H-20.293 (2), H-20.295, H-20.296, H-20.297, H-20.298, H-20.301, H-20.308 (2), H-20.239, H-20.310, H-20.311, H-20.312, H-20.317, H-20.323, H-20.324, H-20.327, H-20.333 (3), H-20.233 large size flan, H-20.334, H-20.337, H-20.355 horse below, H-20.298 (2), H— rounded *bao*, this is the best collection of coins of Chong Zhen, the last Ming ruler, that we have offered to date, the collection includes many varieties, reverse marks and mints, average circulated condition, retail value \$550, **lot of 52 coins**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$230 - 280
860. **MING:** LOT of 47 Ming dynasty (1368-1644) coins, **Da Zhong** H-20.1 (4), H-20.2 (3), H-20.11, H-20.13 (2), **Hong Wu** H-20.57 (25), H-20.58, H-20.60, H-20.62 (2), H-20.65, H-20.67 casting hole, H-20.71 (2), H-20.72, **Yong Le** H-20.121 (3), nice study group including some better mints, average circulated condition, retail value \$275, **lot of 47 coins**
ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180
861. **MING:** LOT of 45 cash coins, **Yong Le** 1403-1424 H-20.121, **Jia Jing** 1522-1567 H-20.129 (3), **Long Qing** 1567-1572 H-20.138 (1), **Wan Li** 1573-1620 H-20.140 (4), H-20.141 (3), **Tian Qi** 1621-1627 H-20.180 (7), H-20.181, H-20.182, H-20.186, H-20.193, H-20.193a, H-20.195 (2), H-20.196 (2), H-20.203, H-20.204 (2), **Chong Zhen** 1628-1644 H-20.235 (5), H-20.249a, H-20.250, H-20.253, H-20.257, H-20.293 (3), H-20.302 (2), a great group of many different types, dates and scarce mints, average circulated quality, retail value \$225, **lot of 45 coins**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



862. **MING REBELS: Yong Chang**, 1644-1645, AE 5 cash (13.82g), H-21.4, 'er shui' yong, broad rims, F-VF
ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150
Li Tzu-ch'eng was the son of a village leader in Shansi. After a period of famine and high taxation, Li and his followers revolted. The end of the Ming dynasty came in 1644 when Li succeeded in taking Peking. He assumed the reign title Yong Chang and declared himself emperor, upon which Chuang Lieh, the last Ming emperor, committed suicide.



863. **MING REBELS: Xing Chao**, 1648-1657, AE 10 cash (23.01g), H-21.13, 50mm, *yi fen* on reverse, VF
ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100
Photo size reduced.



864. **MING REBELS: Da Ming**, 1644-1646, AE cash (3.77g), H-21.25, F-VF, R, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100
Issue of the Prince of Lu. He did not take the title of Emperor, but only as "Administrator of the Kingdom". Many modern copies of this type exist cast on thick copper flans with light green patina and thick adjustment marks; this and the following example are genuine.



865. **MING REBELS: Da Ming**, 1644-1646, AE cash (3.86g), Board of Revenue mint, H-21.26, *hu* at top reverse, flan crack, F-VF, R, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



866. **MING REBELS: Da Ming**, 1644-1646, AE cash (3.86g), H-21.29, *shuai* at right reverse, Fine, RR
ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100
Issue of the Prince of Lu. He did not take the title of Emperor, but only as "Administrator of the Kingdom".



867. **MING REBELS: Yong Li**, 1646-1659, AE 5 cash (5.66g), H-21.74, *wu li* on reverse, VF
ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



868. **MING REBELS: Yong Li**, 1646-1659, AE cash (5.26g), H-21.81, seal script, choice VF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120



869. **MING REBELS: Yong Li**, 1646-1659, AE cash (5.78g), H-21.81, seal script, with old collector's numbers on reverse in ink, Fine, **S**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



870. **MING REBELS: Yong Li**, 1646-1659, AE cash (5.47g), H-21.82, running hand script, VG-F, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



871. **MING REBELS: Yong Li**, 1646-1659, AE cash (5.29g), H-21.82v, running hand script, VF, **R** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



872. **MING REBELS: Li Yong**, 1674-1678, AE 5 cash (7.24g), H-21.98v, two dot, square top *tong*, Fine, **R** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



873. **MING REBELS: Zhao Wu**, 1678, AE cash, H-21.110, seal script, Fine, **S** \$180 - 220



874. **MING REBELS: Zhao Wu**, 1678, AE 10 cash (8.42g), H-21.111, seal script, *yi fen* on reverse, a superb example, VF, **R**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150



875. **MING REBELS: Zhao Wu**, 1678, AE 10 cash, H-21.111, seal script, *yi fen* on reverse, Fine, **S** \$80 - 100



876. **MING REBELS: Yu Min**, 1674-1676, AE 100 cash (15.88g), H-21.124, *yi qian* (one fen [of silver]) on reverse, Fine, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150

877. **MING REBELS: LOT of 51 Southern Ming (1644-1681) coins**, **Da Shun** 1644-1647 H-21.5, H-21.8 (3), **Xing Chao** 1648-1657 H-21.10 (2), **Hong Guang** 1644-1645 H-21.15, H-21.17 (4), **Yong Li** 1646-1659 H-21.61, H-21.67, H-21.69, H-21.70, H-21.72, **Li Yong** 1674-1678 H-21.85 (9), H-21.87, H-21.88, H-21.91 (2), H-21.94, H-21.95, **Zhao Wu** 1678 H-21.105 (6), H-21.106, H-21.109, H-21.110 seal script, **Hong Hua** 1679-1681, H-21.112 (4), H-21.113, H-21.116, H-21.117, H-21.118 (2), **Yu Min** 1674-1676 H-21.122, H-21.123, a great group of many different types, dates and scarce mints, average circulated quality, retail value \$340, **lot of 51 coins** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$220 - 270

878. **MING REBELS: LOT of 50 Southern Ming (1644-1681) coins**, **Da Shun** H-21.5, H-21.8, **Xing Chao** H-21.11, H-21.12, 10 cash H-21.14, **Hong Guang** H-21.15, H-21.16 (2), H-21.23, **Long Wu** H-21.31 (2), H-21.32, H-21.34, H-21.36 (2), H-21.37, 2 cash H-21.41, **Yong Li** H-21.45 (3), H-21.46 (3), H-21.48, H-21.51, H-21.52, H-21.55, H-21.60, H-21.68, 10 cash H-21.79 (2), **Li Yong** H-21.85, H-21.87 (2), H-21.89 (2), 10 cash H-21.104, **Hong Hua** H-21.112+ (13), nice collection of Southern Ming coins, the collection includes many denominations, varieties, reverse marks and mints, average circulated condition, retail value \$400, **lot of 50 coins** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$180 - 220

China



879. **CH'ING: Nurhachi**, 1616-1626, AE cash (5.97g), H-22.2, *abkai fulingga han jiha* in Manchu script, brass metal, F-VF, **S** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



880. **CH'ING: Nurhachi**, 1616-1626, AE cash (5.68g), H-22.2, *abkai fulingga han jiha* in Manchu script, copper metal, F-VF, **S** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



881. **CH'ING: Nurhachi**, 1616-1626, AE cash (5.74g), H-22.5, *tien ming* in Chinese script, edges cut down or perhaps cast that way, F-VF, **R**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



882. **CH'ING: Nurhachi**, 1616-1626, AE cash (6.26g), H-22.5, *tien ming* in Chinese script, VG, **R** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



883. **CH'ING: Shun Zhi**, 1644-1661, AE cash (3.69g), Jingzhou garrison, Hubei Province, H-22.27, *jing* at reverse right, VG-F, **R**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



884. **CH'ING: Shun Zhi**, 1644-1661, AE cash (3.51g), Jingzhou garrison, Hubei Province, H-22.28, *jing* above on reverse, VG-F, **R**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



885. **CH'ING: Shun Zhi**, 1644-1661, AE cash (4.23g), Xiangyang mint, Hubei Province, H-22.30, *xiang* above on reverse, F-VF, **R**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



886. **CH'ING: Shun Zhi**, 1644-1661, AE cash (4.65g), Datong garrison, Shanxi Province, H-22.62, *tong* at right, *yi li* at left on reverse, VF, **R**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



887. **CH'ING: Shun Zhi**, 1644-1661, AE charm, 47mm, *shun zhi tong bao* either side, F-VF \$120 - 150
Casting style, metal, and calligraphy indicate this was likely produced during the Qing dynasty. Photo size slightly reduced.



888. **CH'ING: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AE cash, Taiwan Province, H-22.336, cast in the 1740s, scarce mint, VF, **R** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120



889. **CH'ING: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AE charm, CCH-402, 55mm, *qian long zhong bao*, dragon & phoenix charm, *bao qun* on reverse, F-VF \$230 - 280

The symbol of the dragon is used to represent the emperor and the phoenix to represent the empress and together they represent both aspects of imperial power. A similar example sold in China Guardian (Zhongguó jiadé) Auction Fall 2013 Lot 65 for RMB 10,000. Photo size reduced.



890. **CH'ING: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AE charm, 53mm, *qian long zhong bao*, dragon & phoenix charm, *bao qun* on reverse, VG-F \$120 - 150
Casting style, metal, and calligraphy indicate this was likely produced during the Qing dynasty. Photo size reduced.



891. **CH'ING: Jia Qing**, 1796-1820, AE charm (8.05g), Guilin mint, Guangxi Province, with *gui* in Chinese at right and in Manchu at left, VF-EF, S, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100
Unpublished in both volumes of *Classic Chinese Charms* by Zheng Yiwei.



892. **CH'ING: Dao Guang**, 1821-1850, AE palace cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, CCH-411, curtain-hanging money, *tian xia tai ping* (heaven below great peace), several edge bumps, Fine, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$230 - 280
Palace cash may or may not be considered a type of amulet. These were made as New Year's gifts to people in the Imperial Palace, usually eunuchs and guards, who often hung them below lamps or curtains. Hartill, in "Qing Cash" (*Royal Numismatic Society*, 2003) agrees they were handed out as gifts in the Palace, but only upon the establishment of each new reign title, and were wrapped in red cloth.



893. **CH'ING: Dao Guang**, 1821-1850, AE palace cash (6.68g), Board of Works mint, Peking, H-22.588, West branch mint, cast 1824-1831, VF-EF \$80 - 100
In 1831 orders were giving to cease production of standard palace cash.



894. **CH'ING: Dao Guang**, 1821-1850, AE cash (6.39g), Board of Works mint, Peking, H-22.597s, Auxiliary mint issue, *yang qian* (seed or sample coin), EF, RR ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$230 - 280



895. **CH'ING: Dao Guang**, 1821-1850, AE cash, Suzhou mint, Jiangsu Province, H-22.624, wide rims variety, scarce, ANACS graded EF-40 \$80 - 100



896. **CH'ING: Dao Guang**, 1821-1850, AE charm (5.41g), Guilin mint, Guangxi Province, CCH-266 vol II, with *gui* in Chinese at right and in Manchu at left, VF-EF, S ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



897. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.702, 56mm, East branch mint, cast 1853-54, VF \$100 - 120
Photo size reduced.



898. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.707, 48mm, West branch mint, cast 1854-1855, VF, ex Nicholas Rhodes collection \$120 - 150
Photo size slightly reduced.

China



899. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE "200 cash" (32.85g), Board of Revenue mint, Peking, 47mm, fantasy issue, VG-F, **S**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180
Likely made during the early Min Guo era (Republic period) circa 1920-30s. Photo size slightly reduced.



903. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.717, 48mm, Prince Qing Hui mint, 'sun & moon' above, cast May-August 1854, VF ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180
Photo size slightly reduced.



900. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 500 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.712, 58mm, West branch mint, cast March 1853 to August 1854, a lovely example! VF, **RR** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$550 - 650
Photo size reduced.



901. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 1000 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.714, 63mm, West branch mint, cast March 1853 to August 1854, a lovely example! VG-F, **RR** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$320 - 380
Photo size reduced.



902. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.716, Prince Qing Hui mint, 'sun & moon' above, cast May-August 1854, Fine ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



904. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, iron 10 cash tree, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.735, 100mm x 237mm, cast in the Dai script of the famous calligrapher Dai Chunshi in 1854-55, crude F-VF, **RRR** \$1,100 - 1,300
An original casting mould tree including a total of 8 coins. One coin in the tree is missing, two have been re-connected to tree. Photo size reduced.



905. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, iron 10 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.737, South branch mint, cast 1855-57, a superb example! EF
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



906. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, iron 10 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, H-22.741, Pingding mint, cast 1855-59, small natural casting hole, VF-EF
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100



907. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Board of Works mint, Peking, H-22.759, 54mm, Old branch mint, cast 1853-54, F-VF, *ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120
Photo size reduced.



908. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Board of Works mint, Peking, H-22.763, 50mm, Old branch mint, cast 1854-55, a lovely example, F-VF
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$160 - 200
Photo size reduced.



909. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 500 cash, Board of Works mint, Peking, H-22.764, 56mm, New branch mint, cast March to August 1854, several minor rim nicks, Fine, RR
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$420 - 480
Photo size reduced.



910. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 500 cash (58.81g), Board of Works mint, Peking, H-22.765, 55mm, Old branch mint, cast March to August 1854, F-VF, S \$380 - 450
Photo size reduced.



911. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 1000 cash, Board of Works mint, Peking, H-22.766, 61mm, New branch mint, cast March to August 1854, several rim nicks, Fine, RR
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$420 - 480
Photo size reduced.



912. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 1000 cash, Board of Works mint, Peking, H-22.767, 60mm, Old branch mint, cast March to August 1854, a superb specimen! VF-EF \$1,100 - 1,300
Photo size reduced.

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913. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 20 cash, Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.781, cast 1853-54, F-VF \$100 - 120



914. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.782, 57mm, small characters, cast 1853-55, Fine, **S**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$230 - 280
With residue of old collector's paper attached on reverse. Photo size reduced.



915. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 20 cash (31.92g), Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.786, 48mm, with *ji zhong yi liang* (calculated weight one ounce) in reverse field, cast 1853-55, EF, **RRRR**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$550 - 650
A very rare type and the first we have offered for sale! Photo size slightly reduced.



916. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 10 cash, Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.793, Cr-10-8, cast 1853-55, *wu qian ji zhong* incuse in rim, Fine \$180 - 220



917. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 20 cash, Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.794, cast 1853-54, *yi liang ji zhong* incuse on rim, some porosity, F-VF, **R** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$230 - 280



918. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 10 cash, Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.797, cast 1853-55, obverse with merchant countermark, ANACS graded EF-40 \$80 - 100
It is unusual to find a merchant chopmark on a 10 cash coin of Fujian; normally these are found only on 50 and 100 cash coins.



919. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.799, 56mm, large characters, cast 1853-55, Fine, **S**, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$230 - 280
Photo size reduced.



920. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Fuzhou mint, Fujian Province, H-22.800, 71mm, cast 1853-55, with four merchant chopmarks on rims, Fine, **RRR** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$470 - 550
Photo size reduced.



921. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Gongchang mint, Gansu Province, H-22.810, 54mm, cast 1854-57, Fine ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120
Photo size reduced.



926. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Suzhou mint, Jiangsu Province, H-22.904, 51mm, cast 1854-55, VF-EF ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180
Photo size reduced.



922. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 1000 cash, Gongchang mint, Gansu Province, H-22.812, 63mm, cast in good copper, some minor rim nicks, Fine, RRR ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$750 - 850

This type cast in copper is listed in the Zhongguo Guqian Daji book series by Hua Guangpu in volume 4 on page 1535 and priced at RMB 7500. Photo size reduced.



927. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Suzhou mint, Jiangsu Province, H-22.907, 53mm, cast 1854-55, crude Fine ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120
Photo size reduced.

923. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Kaifeng mint, Henan Province, H-22.848, VG-F, lot of 2 coins ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



924. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 10 cash, Wuchang mint, Hubei Province, H-22.858, crescent above at reverse right, F-VF, RR, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180



928. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Suzhou mint, Jiangsu Province, H-22.913, 60mm, cast 1854-55, VF \$100 - 120
Photo size reduced.



925. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 20 cash, Suzhou mint, Jiangsu Province, H-22.895, cast 1854-55, Fine, R \$180 - 220



929. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Suzhou mint, Jiangsu Province, H-22.917, 61mm, cast 1854-55, Fine \$120 - 150
Photo size reduced.

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930. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Suzhou mint, Jiangsu Province, H-22.919, 61mm, cast 1854-55, VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150
Photo size reduced.



934. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Chengdu mint, Sichuan Province, H-22.981, 56mm, cast 1854-55, F-VF \$100 - 120
Photo size reduced.



931. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 500 cash, Shanxi Province, 55mm, fantasy type, with extra radical on the Manchu word *jin* at right, cast in good copper, Fine, R ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180
Likely an early Min Guo period (Republic era) production circa 1920-30s, yet still a rarely encountered piece. Photo size reduced.



935. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Chengdu mint, Sichuan Province, H-22.981, 56mm, cast 1854-55, VG-F ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120
Photo size reduced.



932. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Xian mint, Shaanxi Province, H-22.959, 58mm, cast 1854-55, a lovely example! VF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$180 - 220
Photo size reduced.



936. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, iron 10 cash, Baoding mint, Zhili Province, H-22.1055, cast 1855-57, EF, S ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$80 - 100



933. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Chengde mint, Sichuan Province, H-22.980, 50mm, cast 1854-55, F-VF ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$120 - 150
Photo size reduced.



937. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash, Chengde mint, Zhili Province, H-22.1062, cast 1854-55, VF, S \$100 - 120



938. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Chengde mint, Zhili Province, H-22.1063, 47mm, cast 1854-55, VF, R \$100 - 120
Photo size slightly reduced.



942. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Ili mint, Xinjiang Province, H-22.1091, 54mm, large characters, cast 1854-55, much adhesion around rim, VG ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
Photo size reduced.



939. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash (15.61g), Aksu mint, Xinjiang Province, H-22.1077, *hong qian* "red cash" issue, cast 1853-59, Fine, S, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



943. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Ili mint, Xinjiang Province, H-22.1092, 49mm, Northern brass series, cast 1854-55, natural casting hole, VG-F, S ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180
Photo size slightly reduced.



940. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash (16.03g), Aksu mint, Xinjiang Province, H-22.1079, *hong qian* "red cash" issue, mint name in Uighur and Persian script, cast 1853-59, Fine, S ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150



944. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 50 cash (23.11g), Yarkand mint, Xinjiang Province, H-22.1112, *hong qian* "red cash" issue, mint name in Uighur and Persian script, cast 1853-59, Fine, RR, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
Purchased from Baldwin's in September, 1966.



941. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 4 cash, Ili mint, Xinjiang Province, H-22.1085, Cr-28-5, cast 1855-61, crude VF, S \$140 - 180



945. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Yarkand mint, Xinjiang Province, H-22.1113, 53mm, red cash '*hong qian*' series, large size, cast 1854-59, F-VF, RRR ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$380 - 450
Photo size reduced.

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946. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Yarkand mint, Xinjiang Province, H-22.1114, red cash 'hong qian' series, small size, cast 1854-59, F-VF, RRR
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$230 - 280



947. **CH'ING: Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE charm (9.68g), CCH-205 Vol II, *xian feng jin zhai / yi ben wan li*, VG-F, R
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180
Zheng Yiwei lists this type as being produced by the Hui people, a predominantly Han Muslim ethnic group in China.



948. **CH'ING: Qi Xiang**, 1861, AE charm (13.31g), H-22.1124v, double obverse charm, likely a contemporary or later Qing dynasty issue, VG-F, RR
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180



949. **CH'ING: Tong Zhi**, 1862-1874, AE 4 cash, Ili mint, Xinjiang Province, H-22.1226, Cr-28-5, cast 1862-66, Fine, S \$120 - 150



950. **CH'ING: Guang Xu**, 1875-1908, AE palace cash (6.44g), Board of Works mint, Peking, VG-F, R
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
This type is listed in the Zhongguo Guqian Daji book series by Hua Guangpu in volume 4 on page 1779 and priced at RMB 3000.



951. **CH'ING: Guang Xu**, 1875-1908, AE cash, Guangzhou mint, Guangdong Province, cast small size issue, VG, RR
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120
This cast type is listed in the Zhongguo Guqian Daji book series by Hua Guangpu in volume 4 on page 1791 and priced at RMB 1500. This is the last cast coin of Guangdong Province made before the introduction of modern minting machinery.



952. **CH'ING: Guang Xu**, 1875-1908, AE cash, Wuchang mint, Hubei Province, H-22.1355, Hsu-181, machine struck in 1898, AU \$80 - 100



953. **CH'ING: Guang Xu**, 1875-1908, AE cash, Jilin mint, Manchurian Provinces, H-22.1381, Hsu-481, machine struck in 1889-90, choice lustrous UNC, R \$120 - 150



954. **CH'ING: Guang Xu**, 1875-1908, AE cash (3.88g), Chengdu mint, Sichuan Province, H-22.1394, *chuan* below on reverse, VG-F, R, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$120 - 150
Casting style and fabric are consistent with other contemporary issues. The piece is well made and is perhaps a cast pattern type.



955. **CH'ING: Guang Xu**, 1875-1908, AE cash (2.88g), Tianjin mint, Zhili Province, Hsu-410.2, H-22.1461, likely struck at the Bao Jin mint, AU, RR, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$380 - 450
Struck on the 7/8 fen weight standard rather than the nominal 1 qian standard as the weight is only 2.88 grams and thus was likely struck after the mint reopened in 1896, but before it shut down in 1900. Like other provincial mints in the late Qing Dynasty, the mint in Zhili was producing 1,000 regulation struck cash coins at the cost of 2,237 cash and thus losing a great deal on the production of these coins. This explains the rarity of most provincial struck square hole cash coins, with the exception of Guangdong and Fujian provinces. Most mints returned to casting cash coins as the costs of using western machinery to produce them was not cost effective. A similar example sold in Stack's Bowers & Ponterio Sale 162 Lot number 60105 for \$1800.



956. **CH'ING:** brass charm, CCH-436, *yi ji jia qian* on obverse, four interlocking diamonds on reverse, VF, R
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$230 - 280



957. **CH'ING:** AE amulet, CCH-1512, 51mm, *bai fu fan chang*, cast in good red copper, VF, S
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$100 - 120
Photo size reduced.



958. **CH'ING:** AE charm, CCH-1540, 53mm, *yi ben wan li* (small investment brings big [10,000 fold] profit) / *shun feng da ji* (may you have a favorable wind and good luck), F-VF \$420 - 480
This type of charm was kept by shopkeepers, businesses or companies to increase profits and is thus very popular. A similar example sold in China Guardian (Zhongguó jiàdé) Auction Fall 2013 Lot 168 for RMB 46,000! Photo size reduced.



959. **CH'ING:** AE religious amulet, CCH-1785, *ci fu ya guai* at center obverse, reverse in Manchu script, Fine, S
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100
It is unusual to find Qing dynasty amulets or charms with Manchu inscriptions.

960. **CH'ING:** LOT of 74 Qing dynasty (1723-1735) coins, **Yong Zheng** H-22.150 (10), H-22.150 small size, H-22.152, H-22.154 (5), H-22.155 (3), H-22.157 (2), H-22.158, H-22.160 (2), H-22.161 (2), H-22.162, H-22.163, H-22.164 (3), H-22.165, H-22.166, H-22.168, H-22.169, H-22.170 (4), H-22.171, H-22.172 (3), H-22.174, H-22.176, H-22.177, H-22.178 (8), H-22.178 small size, H-22.178 broad rims, H-22.179, H-22.182 (3), H-22.183 (3), H-22.184 (2), H-22.187, H-22.188 (4), H-22.189 (3), collection of the difficult to find ruler, Yong Zheng, varieties and mints, many with old collector's numbers inked on, average circulated condition, retail value \$1200,
lot of 74 coins, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$650 - 750

Prices on coins of this ruler have risen dramatically in China over the past several years as supplies have dwindled.

961. **CH'ING:** LOT of 85 "red cash" (*hong qian*) of Qian Long 1736-1795 (40), Jai Qing 1796-1820 (5), Dao Guang 1821-1850 (15), Xian Feng 1851-1861 (12), Tong Zhi 1862-1874 (11), Ghazi Rasid, rebel 1862-1867 (2), including many varieties, types and denominations. A very interesting study group with some better than average examples of some types and some scarce issues, retail value of \$500,
lot of 85 coins, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$280 - 340

962. **CH'ING:** LOT of 59 Qing dynasty (1851-1861) coins, **Xian Feng**, AE cash H-22.722 iron, H-22.727 iron, H-22.770 (4), H-22.774 iron (2), H-22.774 brass (3), H-22.775 iron, H-22.801, H-22.834, H-22.837, H-22.924 broad flan, H-22.943, H-22.1003, H-22.1023, H-22.1047 iron, H-22.1049 iron, H-22.1005, H-22.1058 iron, AE 4 cash H-22.1085, AE 5 cash H-22.750, H-22.750 with denomination removed, H-22.751, H-22.752, H-22.753, AE 10 cash H-22.695, H-22.698 small size, H-22.698 medium sized, H-22.699, H-22.700, H-22.701, H-22.757, H-22.758 (2), H-22.805, H-22.825 (2), H-22.841, H-22.857, H-22.891, H-22.892, H-22.894, H-22.910, H-22.927, H-22.929, H-22.941, H-22.948, H-22.978, H-22.1016, H-22.1024 (2), H-22.1031 (4), nice collection of coins of Xian Feng including some rare types, a lovely set of thirty 10 cash coins, many with old collector's numbers inked on, average circulated condition, retail value \$850,
lot of 59 coins, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$280 - 340

963. **CH'ING:** LOT of 3 silver sycee ingots, Yunnan-Burma round thin broad type (28.59g); marriage sycee with character *xi*, double happiness (45.10g); and traditional shaped ingot with character *fu*, luck (35.03g), average quality for type,
lot of 3 sycee, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$230 - 280

964. **CH'ING:** LOT of 39 Qing dynasty (1862-1911) coins, cast issues **Tong Zhi**, AE 10 cash H-22.1129 (3), H-22.1130, H-22.1134, H-22.1140, H-22.1203, private issue AE cash with *yuan* on reverse in Chinese for Taiyuan mint, Shanxi, **Guang Xu**, AE cash H-22.1284, H-22.1285, H-22.1309, H-22.1310, H-22.1311, H-22.1374, H-22.1405, H-22.1456, H-22.1512, private issue with *lin* on reverse in Chinese for Lingqing garrison, Shandong, AE 5 cash H-22.1367, AE 10 cash H-22.1292, H-22.1302, H-22.1303, H-22.1316, H-22.1319 (2), **Xuan Tong**, AE cash H-22.1519, H-22.1520, all in average circulated condition, machine struck issues **Guang Xu** H-22.1333 UNC (1) VF (1), H-22.1334 choice AU, H-22.1355 stained AU, H-22.1358 VF, H-22.1368 VF (3), H-22.1381 stained AU, **Xuan Tong** H-22.1517 EF (1), Y-25 VF (1), choice AU (1), a nice collection of coins of the late Qing dynasty including some rare types and very interesting and seldom encountered pieces, retail value \$550, **lot of 39 coins**
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$230 - 280

965. **CH'ING:** LOT of 54 "red cash" (*hong qian*) of Guang Xu, 1875-1908 including many varieties, types and denominations. A very interesting study group with some better than average examples of some types, retail value of \$300, **lot of 54 coins**,
ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220

966. **CH'ING:** LOT of 69 early Qing dynasty (1644-1722) coins, **Nurhachi** H-22.2(3), **Shun Zhi** H-22.10, H-22.11 (9), H-22.12, H-22.15, H-22.19 (5), H-22.22 (4), H-22.24 (2), H-22.25 (3), H-22.26, H-22.29, H-22.32 (2), H-22.33, H-22.34 (5), H-22.35 (4), H-22.37 (2), H-22.38, H-22.40, H-22.43, H-22.44, H-22.46 (2), H-22.47, H-22.49, H-22.50 (2), H-22.51, H-22.53, H-22.58 (2), H-22.63 (3), H-22.64, H-22.65, H-22.67, H-22.73, **Kang Xi** H-22.105, H-22.118, H-22.119, nice collection of early Qing dynasty coins includes many varieties and mints, many with old collector's numbers inked on, the collection contains many of the early Chinese only mintmarked types which have become quite scarce, average circulated condition, retail value \$550,
lot of 69 coins, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$180 - 220

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967. **CH'ING** : LOT of 20 Qing dynasty (1736-1850) coins, **Qian Long**, palace cash H-22.243, H-22.245, H-22.246, H-246A (2), H-22.360 with reverse dot, **Jia Qing**, palace cash H-22.472, H-22.474, H-22.475, **Dao Guang**, palace cash H-22.582, H-22.588 (2), H-22.607 (3), H-22.609 (3), H-22.612, H-22.614, collection of the late 17th and early 18th century rulers including a total of 11 large size scarce palace cash coins, one with old collector's number inked on, average circulated condition, retail value \$400, **lot of 20 coins** ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$180 - 220
968. **CH'ING**: LOT of 4 coins, **Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, Fujian Province, ...*tong bao* AE 10 cash H-22.780, AE 20 cash H-22.781, ...*zhong bao* AE 10 cash H-22.797, AE 20 cash H-22.798, nice collection of Fujian coins of Xian Feng, average circulated condition, retail value \$350, **lot of 4 coins** ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$180 - 220
969. **CH'ING**: LOT of 943 coins, mixed lot of all types of Qing dynasty cash coins, early types of Shun Zhi and Kang Xi (107), and Qian Long and later types (836), a great mix of types, rulers, mints, etc., should be a fun lot to study! average quality, retail value \$500, **lot of 943 coins** ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$180 - 220
970. **CH'ING**: LOT of 13 Qing rebel coins, Ghazi Rashid, 1862-1867, H-22.1267, **Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, H-23.10 (2), H-23.18 (5), H-23.19, Republic AE cash H-24.7, AE 2 cash H-24.5 (3), AE 10 cash H-24.8, nice collection of coins of Qing dynasty rebels and early Min Guo period pieces, including some very popular types, most better than average quality, retail value \$350, **lot of 13 coins**, ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$160 - 200
971. **CH'ING**: LOT of 2 coins, **Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, H-22.710, AE 100 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, West branch mint, cast 1854-55, H-22.703, AE 50 cash, Board of Revenue mint, Peking, South branch mint, cast 1853-54, both with light stains and in Fine condition, **lot of 2 coins** ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$140 - 180
972. **CH'ING**: LOT of 3 coins, **Qi Xiang**, Autumn 1861, Board of Works mint, AE cash H-22.1122, another similar but double obverse, AE 10 cash H-22.1124, average circulated condition, **lot of 3 coins**, ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$140 - 180
- Likely struck long after 1861, late Qing dynasty or early Min Guo era (Republic period) imitations produced circa 1880-1930.*
973. **CH'ING**: LOT of 2 coins, **Xian Feng**, 1851-1861, AE 100 cash, Wuchang mint, Hubei Province, H-22.861 VG; AE 50 cash, Nanchang mint, Jiangxi Province, H-22.931 F-VF, **lot of 2 coins**, ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$100 - 120
974. **CASH COINS**: LOT of 59 items including cash coins, **China** Hsin dynasty (2), Tang (1), Northern Sung (24), Southern Sung (2), Ming (19), Qing (3), Japan (2) Korea (1), Annam (1), charms & amulets (3), Tibet ga-den tangka (1), all in 2x2 holders and most attributed in some way, average circulated condition, retail value \$150, **lot of 59 coins** \$80 - 100



975. **CH'ING REBELS: Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, AE 10 cash (25.69g), H-23.4, *tian guo* (the Heavenly Kingdom) obverse, *sheng bao* (sacred currency) on reverse, VF, **RR** ex **Spink & Son, Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$650 - 750



976. **CH'ING REBELS: Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, AE cash (4.78g), H-23.6, *tai ping tian guo* (Taiping Heavenly Kingdom) on obverse and *sheng bao* (sacred currency) on reverse, cast 1856-60, Fine, **S**, ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$100 - 120



977. **CH'ING REBELS: Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, AE cash (5.26g), H-23.6, *tai ping tian guo* (the Taiping Heavenly Kingdom) obverse, *sheng bao* (sacred currency) on reverse, Fine, **S** ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$80 - 100



978. **CH'ING REBELS: Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, AE 5 cash (15.03g), H-23.16, *tai ping tian guo* (the Taiping Heavenly Kingdom) obverse, *sheng bao* (sacred currency) on reverse, VG-F, **RR** ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$230 - 280



979. **CH'ING REBELS: Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, AE cash (3.51g), H-23.24, *tian guo sheng bao* (Heavenly Kingdom sacred currency) obverse, *tai ping* on reverse, Fine, **S** ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$80 - 100



980. **CH'ING REBELS: Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, AE 5 cash (7.89g), H-23.26, *tai ping tian guo* (Taiping Heavenly Kingdom) on obverse and *sheng bao* (sacred currency) on reverse, cast 1856-60, Fine, **S**, ex **Nicholas Rhodes Collection** \$140 - 180



981. **CH'ING REBELS: Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, AE cash (2.98g), Shanghai, H-23.31, issue of the Small Swords Society (*Xiao Dao Hui*), crescent above, *ming* below on reverse, cast 1854-55, six small holes likely made for the piece to be worn, perhaps for concealment, crude Fine, **RRR** \$320 - 380

The Society's headquarters were in the Yuyuan Gardens of Shanghai. The organization was founded in the 1850s during the upheavals of the Taiping Rebellion by Liu Lichuan. He took the nien hao (reign title) of Tian Yun (heavenly movement). It was one of a number of rebel groups to arise during this period, either affiliated with or proclaiming support for the rebel Taiping administration. The name ("Small Swords") refers to daggers used by warriors or martial artists in close combat. It is believed to be linked to triads. The society consisted mainly of natives from Guangdong and Fujian, including Li Shaoqing, Li Xianyun and Pan Yiguo, directors of some of the huiguan or native place associations of Shanghai. Liu Lichang was killed in February 1855. Those caught in possession of these coins were sent to trial and many were executed.



982. **CH'ING REBELS: Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, AE cash (3.53g), Zhejiang Province, H-23.42, *huang di tong bao* (the Emperor's coinage) on obverse and *zhe* on reverse, issue of the Small Swords Society (Xiao Dao Hui), cast 1854-55, Fine, **RR** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180



983. **CH'ING REBELS: Tai Ping**, 1850-1864, AE charm, CCH-144 (Volume II), *tai ping tong bao*, with *fu* above on reverse, VF, **S** ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$100 - 120

Modern China



984. **CHINA: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 20 cash, ND, Y-5, actually struck in 1917 at the Wuchang mint from dies prepared in 1903, superb strike for type, NGC graded MS-64 BR \$80 - 100



985. **CHINA: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 20 cash, ND, Y-5, actually struck in 1917 at the Wuchang mint from dies prepared in 1903, NGC graded MS-64 BR \$120 - 150



986. **CHINA: Hsuan T'ung**, 1909-1911, AR dollar, year 3 (1911), Y-31, without the dot after DOLLAR, chopmarked, NGC graded EF details \$270 - 320



987. **CHINA: AE 10 cash**, ND (1912), Y-301.6, crossed Wuchang Uprising and five-colored flags, flower with fewer stems / single circle, NGC graded MS-64 BR \$120 - 150



988. **CHINA: AE 10 cash**, ND (1920), Y-303, crossed Wuchang Uprising and five-colored flags, NGC graded MS-64 RB \$120 - 150



989. **CHINA: AR 10 cents**, year 3 (1914), Y-326, L&M-66, bust of Yuan Shih Kai left, NGC graded MS-63 \$180 - 220



990. **CHINA: AR 10 cents**, year 3 (1914), Y-326, L&M-66, bust of Yuan Shih Kai left, NGC graded AU-58 \$80 - 100



991. **CHINA: AR 20 cents**, year 3 (1914), Y-327, L&M-65, bust of Yuan Shih Kai left, a superb example! NGC graded MS-65 \$230 - 280



992. **CHINA: AR 20 cents**, year 15 (1926), Y-335, L&M-82, dragon and phoenix type, NGC graded AU-58 \$160 - 200



993. **CHINA: AR 20 cents**, year 16 (1927), Y-340, L&M-847, Sun Yat-Sen, NGC graded MS-61 \$160 - 200

China



994. **CHINA:** AR dollar, year 9 (1920), Y-329.6, L&M-77, Yuan Shi-Kai, NGC graded MS-63 \$420 - 480



995. **CHINA:** AR dollar, year 23 (1934), Y-345, L&M-110, "junk", NGC graded MS-63 \$220 - 270



996. **CHINA:** AR dollar, year 10 (1921), Y-329.6, KM-668, L&M-79, Yuan Shi Kai, lightly toned, choice UNC \$180 - 220



997. **CHINA:** AR dollar, ND (1927), Y-318a, L&M-49, memento, NGC graded MS-64 \$220 - 270



998. **CHINA:** AR dollar, ND (1927), Y-318a.1, raised reeding, UNC \$150 - 190



999. **CHINA:** AE cent, year 17 (1928), KM-Tn1, CCC-666, Shansi Arsenal Military Ration Coinage, usual small punch mark, EF, R \$180 - 220

1000. **CHINA:** LOT of 46 amulets and charms, mostly medium to large sizes, including a wide variety of interesting motifs with some scarce types, great mix of auspicious and religious themes, likely produced in the late Qing dynasty and early Min Guo (Republican) era circa 1880-1930, average circulated quality, retail value \$1500, **lot of 46 items** \$750 - 850

1001. **CHINA:** LOT of 20 irregular shaped type amulets and charms, including a wide variety of interesting shapes and motifs with some scarce types, likely produced in the late Qing dynasty and early Min Guo (Republican) era circa 1880-1930, average circulated quality, retail value \$500, **lot of 20 items** \$380 - 450

1002. **CHINA:** LOT of 28 amulets and charms, mostly medium to large sizes, including a wide variety of interesting motifs with some scarce types, likely late Min Guo period circa 1940-1960, average circulated quality, retail value \$500, **lot of 28 items** \$380 - 450

1003. **CHINA:** LOT of 9 openwork type amulets and charms, including double dragon, floral, double tiger, dragon & tiger motifs, double fish, nice group including some scarce types, likely produced in the late Qing dynasty period circa 1850-1911, average circulated quality, retail value \$300, **lot of 9 items** \$230 - 280

1004. **CHINA:** LOT of 3 religious amulets, medium to large sizes, with some scarce types, great mix of auspicious and religious themes, likely produced in the late Qing dynasty and early Min Guo (Republican) era circa 1880-1930, average circulated quality, retail value \$250, **lot of 3 items** \$180 - 220

Mabbott was an American professor, and researcher of literature — most famously his study of Edgar Allan Poe, and numismatist (he collected everything from Ancients to Mining tokens). A lot of the material in his collection was probably put together from the 1920's-1930's.

1005. **CHINA:** LOT of 10 charms and amulets, interesting group of medium sized items including one Annam charm of Canh Hung likely made during his reign, a Kai Yuan charm (perhaps an earlier piece), and a fantasy 30 cash coin of Xian Feng, and others, average circulated quality, **lot of 10 items** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180

1006. **CHINA:** LOT of 30 charms and amulets, interesting group of small sized items including horse, gambling, religious and coin-like charms, many from the Qing dynasty and others from the Min Guo era, average circulated quality, **lot of 30 items** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180

1007. **CHINA:** LOT of 6 charms and amulets, interesting group of odd shaped items including one three character knife, silvered coin-like charm, and others, average circulated quality, **lot of 6 items**, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100

1008. **CHINA:** LOT of 6 charms and amulets, interesting group of large sized items including an openwork charm (likely Qing dynasty), two charms with possible Tibetan script on reverse and one very large Zhi Zheng mongol charm, and others, average circulated quality, **lot of 6 items** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$80 - 100

1009. **CHINA:** LOT of 14 coins, Sinkiang 10 cash Y-2a restrrike UNC, 20 cash Y-39 VG, 5 miscals Y-19a AH1331 VF, 5 miscals Y-25 Fine, 5 miscals Y-43 AH1332 VF, Szechuan 50 cash Y-449 Fine, Sinkiang Y- 10 cash Y-10w Fine, plus 6 tokens and one cash coin in envelope dated July 1849! a nice group of western province coins, retail value \$300, **lot of 14 coins** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180

1010. **CHINA:** LOT of 7 machine struck Imperial and Republican coins including, AE 10 cash year 3 (1911) Y-27 VF, AE 5 cash CD1907 Y-9.1 choice AU, Fukien AE cash CD1906 Y-8f EF, Hunan AE 20 cash Y-400.7b EF, Hupeh AE 10 cash Fine, Kiangnan AE cash CD1908 Y-7k AU, Kwangtung AE 10 cash ND (1900-06) Y-192 choice red lustrous AU, retail value \$275, **lot of 7 coins** \$140 - 180

Chinese Provincial



1011. **CHEKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 10 cash, ND (1903-06), Y-49.1a, struck in brass, NGC graded MS-62 \$120 - 150



1012. **CHEKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 10 cents, ND, Y-52.4, surface hairlines, NGC graded EF details \$120 - 150



1013. **FUKIEN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 5 cash, ND, Y-99, EF \$80 - 100



1014. **FUKIEN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE 10 cash, ND, Y-100.3, denomination "10 CASHES", NGC graded MS-63 BR \$120 - 150



1015. **HONAN: AR 5 tael sycee** (177.8g), Cribb-BMC Sycee 402-3, 47mm x 34mm, temp. Qing Dynasty, Hénán Province, Liang Chichang Silversmith, 19th century (46mm x 21mm), Henan yaoding type, *liang chi chang* in Hànzì within rectangular cartouche, additional unclear mark to left, VF, RR, ex Property of Princeton Economics, Martin Armstrong, ex Davissons Sale 4 (18 November 1996), Lot 363 \$900 - 1,100
Photo size slightly reduced.



1016. **HONAN: AE 10 cash**, ND (1920), Y-A392.2, crossed five-colored flags, rare variety with inverted S in CASH, NGC graded EF-45 BR, R \$180 - 220



1017. **HUNAN: AE 20 cash**, ND (1919), Y-400a, crossed Wuchang Uprising and five-colored flags with denomination as 20 CASH, VF, R \$230 - 280



1018. **HUPEH: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AE cash, CD1906, Y-121, NGC graded MS-62 BR \$80 - 100



1019. **HUPEH: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 10 cents, ND (1895-1907), Y-124.1, L&M-185, a superb specimen! NGC graded MS-65 \$120 - 150



1020. **HUPEH: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, ND (1895-1907), Y-127.1, L&M-182, graffiti on reverse, NGC graded EF details \$120 - 150



1021. **KANSU: AR dollar**, year 3 (1914), Y-407, L&M-617, bust of Yuan Shih Kai left, NGC graded EF details, R \$3,600 - 4,200

China



1022. **KANSU:** AE 50 cash, year 15 (1926), Y-408, crossed Wuchang Uprising and five-colored flags, nice for type, VF \$120 - 150



1023. **KIANGSU:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AE 5 cash, ND (1901), Y-158, traces of original red luster, NGC graded MS-62 BR, R \$230 - 280



1024. **KIRIN:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AE 20 cash, ND (1903), Y-178, F-VF \$120 - 150



1025. **KIRIN:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AR 50 cents, CD1906, Y-182.3, L&M-563, NGC graded VF-35 \$120 - 150



1026. **KIRIN:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AR 50 cents, CD1900, Y-182.3, L&M-532, surface hairlines, NGC graded VF details \$120 - 150



1027. **KWANGTUNG:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AE cent, ND, Y-192, NGC graded MS-64 BR \$120 - 150



1028. **KWANGTUNG:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AR dollar, ND (1890-1908), Y-203, L&M-133, NGC graded AU-58 \$230 - 280



1029. **KWANGTUNG:** Hsuan Tung, 1909-1910, AR dollar, ND, Y-206, L&M-138, excessive surface hairlines, NGC graded AU details \$320 - 380



1030. **SHANSI:** Dao Guang, 1821-1850, AR 3½ tael sycee (140g), CD1838, Cribb-XLII-509, Shaanxi Caoding trough ingot, 4.50oz local tax sycee, *wu xu cheng gu cao xing* ([Chinese cyclical date 1838] Cao Xing in Chenggu County), EF, **S** ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$320 - 380
This very example in is the example quoted in Joe Cribb's "A Catalogue of Sycee in the British Museum."



1031. **SINKIANG: Ya'qub Beg**, 1865-1877, AV tilla (4.47g), Kashgar, AH1290//1290, A-M3090.1, Cr-37-2.1, in the name of the Ottoman sultan Abdul Aziz, struck to the first standard, equivalent to one Central Asian mithqal weight, nice strike, some weakness, EF-AU, RR \$2,200 - 2,700

The initial standard is much rarer than the subsequent reduced standard of about 3.7g.



1032. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR ½ miscal, Khotan, ND, KM-1184, Y-A7.11., denomination as 5 fen in Chinese, scarce mint, F-VF \$80 - 100



1033. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 3 miscal, Kashgar, AH1310, Y-18, L&M-732, NGC graded AU-58 \$120 - 150



1034. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 miscal, Aksu, AH1311, Y-15, L&M-785, obverse scratched, NGC graded AU details \$230 - 280



1035. **SINKIANG: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR 5 miscal, Kashgar, AH1323, Y-21, L&M-732, NGC graded EF-45 \$120 - 150



1036. **SINKIANG: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AE 10 cash, ND (1909), Y-2.1, good quality for type, VF-EF \$180 - 220



1037. **SINKIANG: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AE 10 cash, CD1910, Y-2.2, good strike for type, VF \$140 - 180



1038. **SINKIANG: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AE 10 cash, CD1911, Y-2.3, Fine \$120 - 150



1039. **SINKIANG: Hsuan Tung**, 1909-1911, AR sar (tael), ND (1910), Y-7, L&M-811, F-VF, ex Nicholas Rhodes Collection \$140 - 180



1040. **SINKIANG: AE 20 cash**, Urumqi, CD1929, Y-A41.1, crossed Nationalist and Kuomintang flags, tiny planchet flaw, VF \$180 - 220



1041. **SINKIANG: AR 5 miscals**, AH13-32, Y-43.1, crossed vertical five-colored flags, cleaned, VF-EF ex Wa She Wong Collection \$120 - 150

China



1042. **SINKIANG:** AR 5 miscals, AH1334, Y-43.2, rossed vertical five-colored flags, cleaned, VF-EF ex *Wa She Wong Collection* \$120 - 150



1043. **SINKIANG:** AR dollar, 1949, Y-46.2, L&M-842, small characters, thin pointed base of numeral "1", some hornsilver, VF-EF, ex *Nicholas Rhodes Collection* \$140 - 180

1044. **SINKIANG:** LOT of 5 silver coins, Kuang Hsu 1875-1908, AR 3 miscals AH1313 Kashgar (Kashén) VF mount removed, AH1315 Kashgar VG-F, AR 5 miscals AH1321 Urumqi (Dihwa) F-VF, AH1322 Kashgar VF, AH1327 Kashgar, retail value \$250, lot of 5 coins \$180 - 220



1045. **SZECHUAN:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AE 20 cash, ND (1903-05), Y-230.4, choice EF \$200 - 250



1046. **SZECHUAN:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, brass 20 cash, ND (1903-05), Y-230.6, EF \$120 - 150



1047. **SZECHUAN:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, AE 20 cash, ND (1903-05), Y-230.5, choice VF \$140 - 180



1048. **SZECHUAN:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, brass 20 cash, ND (1903-05), Y-230.5, couple minor rim bumps, VF \$120 - 150



1049. **SZECHUAN:** Kuang Hsu, 1875-1908, brass 20 cash, ND (1903-05), Y-230.4, F-VF \$140 - 180



1050. **SZECHUAN:** AE 5 cash, year 1 (1912), Y-441, Tibetan celestial Snowlion / crossed five-colored flags, lightly gilt, VF-EF \$230 - 280



1051. **SZECHUAN:** AE 5 cash, year 1 (1912), Y-443, crossed five-colored flags, VF-EF \$140 - 180



1052. **SZECHUAN:** brass 200 cash, year 2 (1913), Y-459a, crossed five-colored flags, straight tassels, an especially nice strike for type, VF-EF \$120 - 150



1053. **UIGHURISTAN: Hoja Niyaz Haji**, 1933-1934, AR 10 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, Y-E38.1, overstruck on Sinkiang regular issue 10 cash, likely Y-44 type with Nationalist flag showing through, VF \$230 - 280

The Islamic Republic of Eastern Turkestan, also known as the Republic of Uyghurstan, was a short-lived breakaway would-be Islamic republic founded in 1933. It was centered in the city of Kashgar, Xinjiang Province, China.



1054. **UIGHURISTAN: Hoja Niyaz Haji**, 1933-1934, AR 10 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, Y-D38.2, crudely struck as usual, Fine \$120 - 150



1055. **UIGHURISTAN: Hoja Niyaz Haji**, 1933-1934, AR 10 cash, Kashgar, AH1352, Y-D38.3, crudely struck as usual, Fine \$120 - 150



1056. **YUNNAN: AR 5 tael sycee** (195g), ND, BMC- Class LXVI 740 F1, 61mm x 38mm, Yunnan Sanchuo Jieding, Provincial Three-Stamp Remittance Bank Ingot, "packsaddle" type, *Geng Xu Ba Yue Yu Feng Hui Wen* (Geng-Xu year [1910], 4th month, Yufeng Bank, remittance bank Fine silver), two center stamps, *Guan Gong Gu Tong She Kan* (Inspected by official public assayers Tong and She), superb quality with much original mint luster and lovely toning, AU \$1,100 - 1,300

Photo size reduced.



1057. **YUNNAN: Kuang Hsu**, 1875-1908, AR dollar, ND (1908), Y-254, L&M-418, excessive surface hairlines, NGC graded AU-55 \$500 - 600

Japanese Puppet States



1058. **EAST HOPEI: AE 5 li**, year 26 (1937), Y-516, couple obverse spots, red and brown UNC \$130 - 160

The East Hebei Autonomous Council was a short-lived Japanese puppet state in northern China from 1935-1938.



1059. **EAST HOPEI: 2 chiao**, year 24 (1937), Y-530, NGC graded MS-62 \$100 - 120

The East Hebei Autonomous Council was a short-lived Japanese puppet state in northern China from 1935-1938.

Soviet Period



1060. **CHINESE SOVIET REPUBLIC: AE 5 cents**, ND (1932), Y-507, issue of the Kiangsi Soviet, reeded edge, long stems, two dots, original striking, EF \$140 - 180



1061. **HUNAN SOVIET: AE 10 cash**, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Imperial Hupeh Province Y-120 type, choice EF on worn host \$230 - 280

China



1062. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 20 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Imperial Hu Poo (Ministry of Finance) Y-5 type struck at the Tianjin mint, very rare with perfectly clear countermark! VF-EF on worn host \$230 - 280



1063. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 20 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Imperial Hu Poo (Ministry of Finance) Y-5 type struck at the Tianjin mint, VF on worn host \$230 - 280



1064. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 20 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Republican Hunan Province Y-400 type with rosette above, VF on VF host \$230 - 280



1065. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 20 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Imperial Hu Poo (Ministry of Finance) Y-5 type struck at the Tianjin mint, VF on worn host \$230 - 280



1066. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 20 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Republican Hunan Province Y-400 type with rosette above, VF on Fine host \$230 - 280



1067. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 20 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Republican Hunan Province Y-400 type with rosette above, F-VF on VF host, RR \$230 - 280



1068. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 20 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Imperial dragon Y-5 type, F-VF on G-VG host, RR \$180 - 220



1069. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 20 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Republican Honan Province Y-393 type, Fine \$180 - 220



1070. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 50 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Republican Szechuan Province Y-449 type, Fine \$180 - 220

The only references to these were from the 'Money Company' coin auction of September 1984 and a Gregory G. Brunk article in the Numismatics International "Bulletin" of July/August 2009. This coin was picked from bags containing 30,000 coins put aside during WWII as the Japanese were melting Chinese coppers for the war effort. Only 100 of these countermarked pieces were found in the bags on various host coins of which about 20% had clear countermarks.



1071. **HUNAN SOVIET:** AE 20 cash, ND (1931), countermarked hammer & sickle within five-pointed star on Republican Hunan Province Y-400 type with rosette above, Fine on VG-F host, RR \$180 - 220

1072. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** LOT of 8 silver coins, AR 10 yuan 1988 Proof, Rare Animal Protection series Baiji dolphins, AR 10 yuan 1988 proof, Rare Animal Protection series Crested Ibis, AR 10 yuan 1990 BU (2), Great Wall / Phoenix and dragon (*lóng fēnghuáng chéng*), AR 10 yuan 1995 BU, United Nations, AR yuan 1996 BU (2), Centennial of Chinese Postal Service, AR 10 yuan 1997 Matte BU, Temple of Harmony / Peacocks, retail value \$400, lot of 8 coins \$280 - 340

1073. **CHINA (PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC):** LOT of 5 silver coins, AR 5 yuan panda coins BU, 1986, 1993, 1995, 1997, AR 5 yuan 1986 BU, the "Empress of China", first American ship to make a trade voyage to China, retail value \$300, lot of 5 coins \$180 - 220

Foreign Colonies in China



1074. **HONG KONG: Victoria,** 1841-1901, AE mil, 1863, KM-1, UNC red brown \$100 - 120



1075. **HONG KONG: Victoria,** 1841-1901, AE mil, 1866, KM-3, red brown, choice AU \$80 - 100



1076. **HONG KONG: Victoria,** 1841-1901, AE cent, 1863, KM-4.1, NGC graded MS-64 RB \$250 - 300

A similar piece, also NGC graded MS64 RB, sold at Stack's Bowers Auction 178 (Aug. 2013), Lot 53463, sold for \$550.



1077. **HONG KONG: Victoria,** 1841-1901, AR 5 cents, 1897, KM-5, a gorgeous example! gem brilliant UNC \$80 - 100



1078. **HONG KONG: Victoria,** 1841-1901, AR 10 cents, 1890-H, KM-6.3, PCGS graded MS-62 \$80 - 100



1079. **HONG KONG: Victoria,** 1841-1901, AR 10 cents, 1893, KM-6.3, NGC graded MS-63 \$120 - 150



1080. **HONG KONG: Victoria,** 1841-1901, AR dollar, 1866, KM-10, several minor stain spots on reverse, choice EF \$500 - 600



1081. **HONG KONG: Victoria,** 1841-1901, AR dollar, 1867, KM-10, nice original color, VF-EF \$550 - 650



1082. **HONG KONG:** AR liang (tael) (37.44g), Xiangxin Gold Shop, silver 1 tael bar, stamped "Xiang Xin Jin Qian Shang Biao" (Xiangxin Gold Shop, Golden Coin Trade Mark), "Xiang Gang-Wen Xian Dong Jie" (Hong Kong, Wenxian East Street), "Dian Hua Chun Yin Tiao" (Electrotypically pure silver bar), and "Xiang Gang Xiang Xin Jin Pu" (Hong Kong, Xiangxin Gold Shop), VF-EF \$120 - 150

1083. **HONG KONG:** LOT of 4 silver coins, Queen Victoria 1841-1901, AR 20 cents 1894 Fine, AR 50 cents 1893 Fine (3), lot of 4 coins \$120 - 150



1084. **KIAUTSCHOU: Wilhelm II,** 1898-1914, 10 cents, 1909, Y-2, KM-872, Chinese inscription *dà dé guó bao* at center, *qing dao* above, VF-EF \$100 - 120

Tibet



1085. **TIBET: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AR 1/2 tangka (3/4 sho), year 58 (1793), Cr-66.1, LM-638A, 24 beads in margin, both sides, very rare denomination, PCGS graded EF-40 \$2,400 - 3,000
The sold specimen in the Rhodes collection, sold by Spink in August 2013, Lot 16, fetched HK\$35,000 (US\$4500).



1086. **TIBET: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AR sho, year 58 (1793), Cr-72.1, LM-638, 24 beads in margin, both sides, PCGS graded EF-45 \$750 - 850



1087. **TIBET: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AR sho, year 58 (1793), Cr-72.1, LM-638, 24 beads in margin, both sides, NGC graded EF-45 \$750 - 850



1088. **TIBET: Qian Long**, 1736-1795, AR 1/2 tangka (3/4 sho), year 58 (1793), Cr-66.1, LM-638A, 24 beads in margin, both sides, very rare denomination, NGC graded AU-53 \$3,000 - 3,400
The sold specimen in the Rhodes collection, sold by Spink in August 2013, Lot 16, fetched HK\$35,000 (US\$4500).



1089. **TIBET: Jia Qing**, 1796-1820, AR sho, year 25 (1820), Cr-83.1, superb strike, without any weakness, NGC graded EF-45 \$280 - 340



1090. **TIBET: Dao Guang**, 1821-1851, AR sho (3.69g), CD2 (1822), Cr-93, F-VF \$280 - 340



1091. **TIBET: Xuan Tong**, 1909-1911, AR tangka (3.01g), ND (1910), Y-14, Presentation type, EF, R \$120 - 150



1092. **TIBET: Xuan Tong**, 1909-1911, AR srang, CD1 (1909), Y-9, NGC graded EF-40 \$1,400 - 1,600



1093. **TIBET: Xuan Tong**, 1909-1911, AR srang, BE15-43 (1909), Y-12, NGC graded AU-53 \$2,000 - 2,500



1094. **TIBET: AR 5 sho**, BE15-50 (1916), Y-18, EF \$140 - 180



1095. **TIBET: AR 3 srang**, BE16-10 (1936), Y-26, NGC graded MS-65 \$150 - 190



1096. **TIBET: AR 3 srang**, BE16-10 (1936), Y-26, NGC graded MS-64 \$120 - 150



1097. **TIBET:** AR 3 srang, BE16-12 (1938), Y-26, NGC graded MS-64 \$120 - 150



1098. **TIBET:** AE 5 sho, BE16-21 (1947), Y-28.1, rare in this quality, NGC graded MS-65 BR \$120 - 150
1099. **TIBET:** LOT of 3 silver Szechuan-Tibet trade rupee coins, Y-3.1 no collar horizontal rosette EF, Y-3.2 without collar vertical rosette EF-AU, another in choice AU, all better than average quality, retail value \$500, **lot of 3 coins** \$180 - 220
1100. **TIBET:** LOT of 4 silver coins, AR 1½ srang Y-24 BE16-11 UNC, AR 3 srang BE-16-9 AU, AR 10 srang BE16-24 no dot EF-AU, BE-16-24 with dot EF-AU, all better than average quality, retail value \$200, **lot of 4 coins** \$140 - 180
1101. **TIBET:** LOT of 7 silver tangka coins, **Kong-par** type C-A13 dated 15-24 choice AU, **Ga-den** type Y-B13.1 VF-EF, Y-D13.2 VF-EF, Y-F13.4 EF, Y-F13.5 EF, Y-G13 EF, Y-31 AU, nice collection of all different types, retail value \$150, **lot of 7 coins** \$120 - 150

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