

19th CENTURY MOST TYPES AND COLORS

This set of album pages provides replacements for pages in the basic 19th Century file. It includes spaces for fairly readily available stamps only. Thus, you won't find spaces for earth-shattering rarities like the 1 cent 1851 imperforate types I, Ib, Ic, or III. You also won't find spaces for rarer grills, such as the 5 cents A grill or the 1 cent Z grill. Generally, if a color or type catalogued \$1,000.00 or less in used state as of 2007, I included it. I have also included many more colors, particularly in the 1894-1898 First Bureau issues, than you find in typical albums. These are all distinct colors to my eyes and easily told one from another.

I have left pages unchanged from the basic album in this file so you can print it out in one pass and not have to combine and discard pages from two files.

DUPLICATE PAGES: Pages 3 and 5 have spaces for the 2008 Scott Catalogue revised types of the three cents 1851-1857; pages 4 and 6 do not. Page 7 does not have the 10 cents "August" type I (Scott 62B); page 8 does. Some collectors regard 62B as an issued stamp; others regard it as an essay sold over post office counters by mistake. Page 40 does not have the 1 cent Agriculture Department soft paper; page 41 does. This stamp is not known used; thus, if you're forming a collection of used only, that space would be forever vacant.

Please see other files on this website for more thorough coverage of individual issues. The advantage of this system is that you can concentrate on one particular issue if you want, but still have pages for the rest of your collection in the identical format. I've also arranged them so you can keep the pages in Scott order (regular and commemorative issues before special deliveries before postage dues, etc.) or in fairly strict chronological order (you could insert the official carrier issues right after the 1851-1861 issues or put the postage dues and officials in their proper chronological place among the bank note issues).

Scott Publishing Company will not give or sell me a license to use their catalog numbers; thus, you find no Scott numbers in the spaces. But it's a simple matter for you to pencil Scott numbers in the spaces if you want.

I designed these album pages to accommodate bottom-sealed mounts; thus, the sizes are more spacious than what one usually finds. Obviously, you will want to adjust your Adobe Acrobat Reader so that it prints the pages full size. To check calibration of your Adobe Acrobat Reader and printer, the line at the bottom of this page is exactly 100 millimeters long. These pages are 8½ x 11 inches. I do not intend to produce free album pages in European or other sizes.

These pages are designed to slip into page protectors, but I provided enough room at the left if you want to punch them for a standard three-ring binder. I encourage you to print these out on card stock, if your printer can handle it. One example is Wausau Papers Bright White Acid-Free 65 pound Card Stock, which is available at most national office supply chain stores and is quite inexpensive.

WHY FREE ALBUM PAGES? I have two reasons for making these pages available for free:

1) I hope you will peruse my listings for stamps to inhabit the spaces. So I've included my domain name at the foot of every page in unobtrusively tiny type.

2) I will typeset album pages to your specifications in this identical format. I charge \$25.00 per hour with a minimum charge of \$15.00 per order. It takes me between 15 minutes and an hour to do a page, less if I have a batch of pages to do all at once. For examples, it took me about 15 minutes to lay out the 1847 page and 30 minutes to lay out the 1894 regular issue page. Pages for covers take 10 to 30 minutes, depending on how many covers you want on the page and the amount of verbiage below the covers.



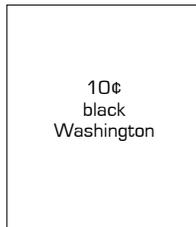
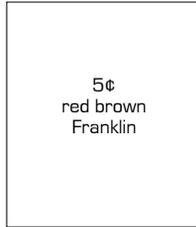
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Rawdon, Wright, Hatch & Edson
Engraved
Unwatermarked blue paper
Imperforate

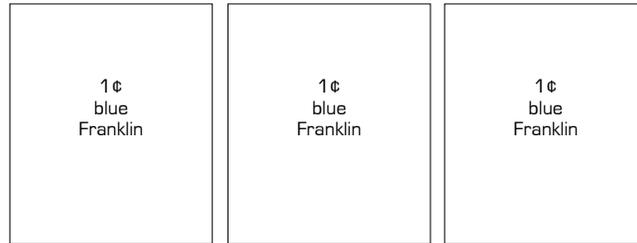
UNITED STATES

1847

1847



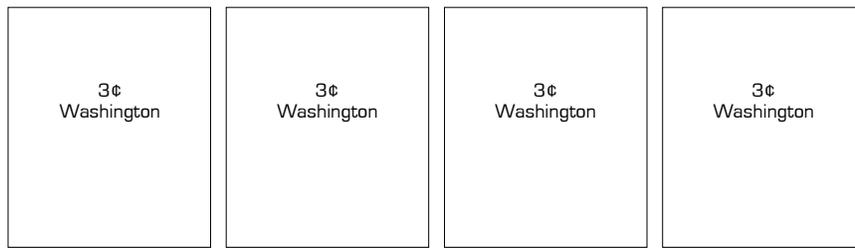
1851-1856



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type IIIa

type IV

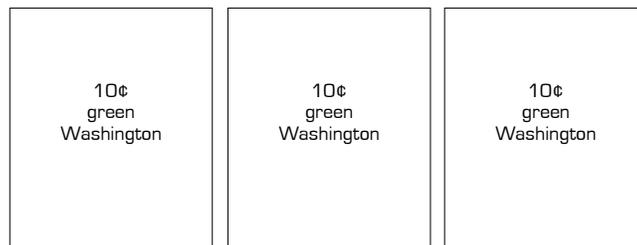
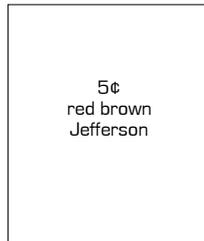


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type II - orange brown

type I - dull red

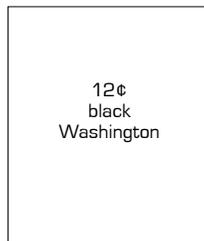
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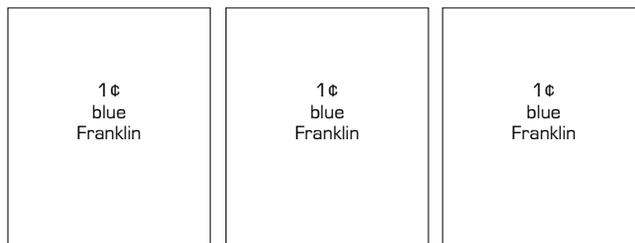
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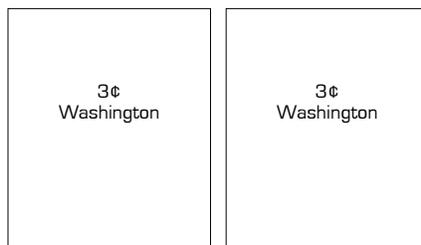
1851-1856



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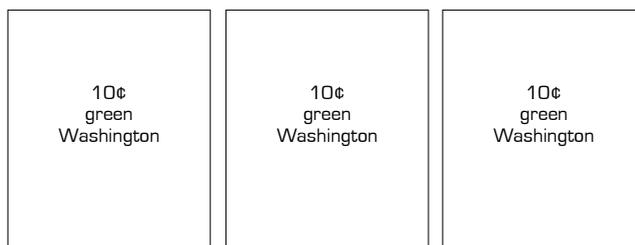
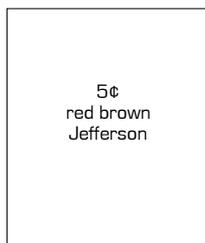
type IIIa

type IV



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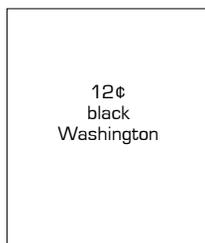
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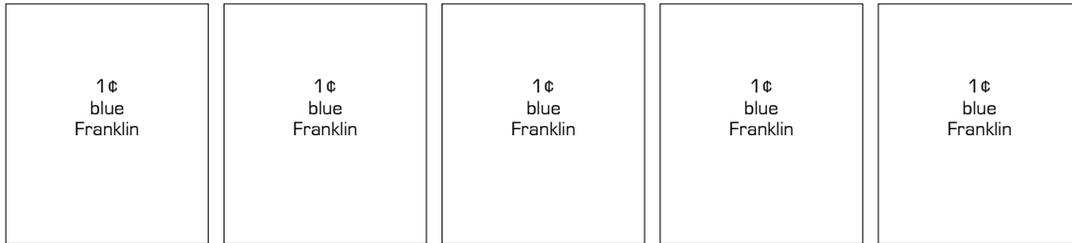
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type II



1857-1861



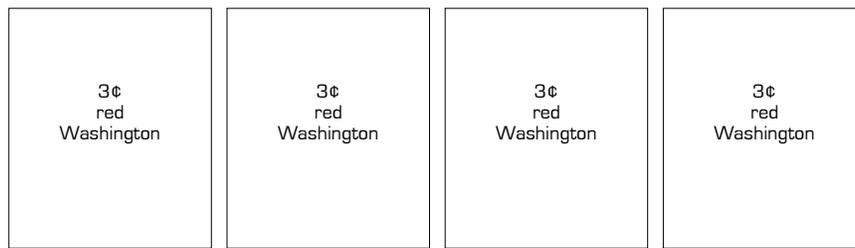
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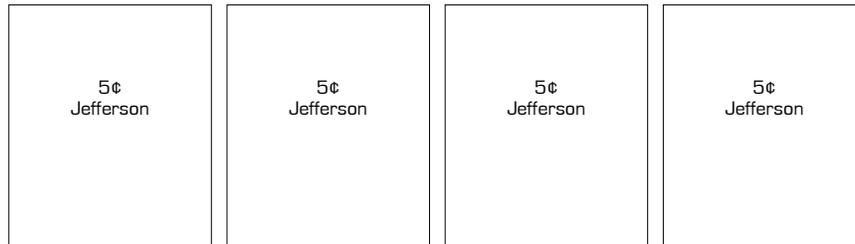


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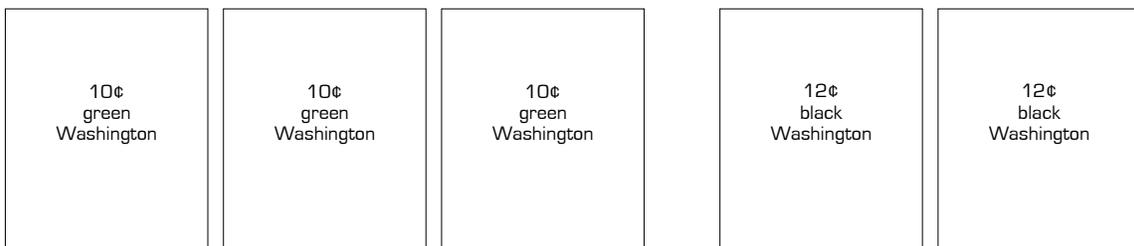


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type I - brown

type II - brown

type II - orange brown



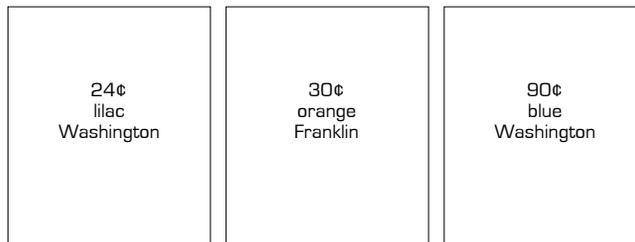
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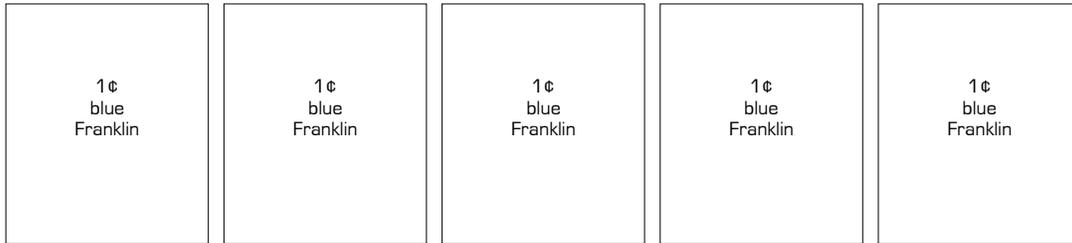
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plate 1

plate 3



1857-1861



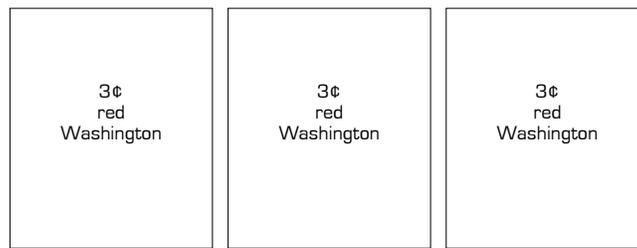
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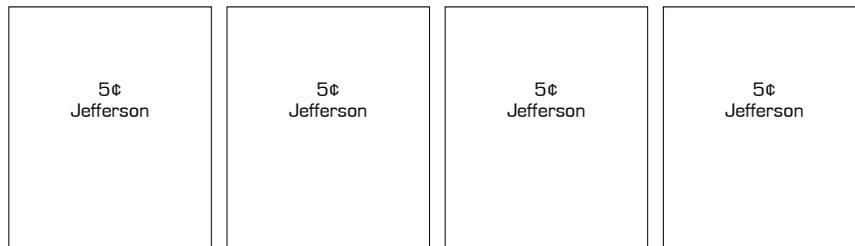
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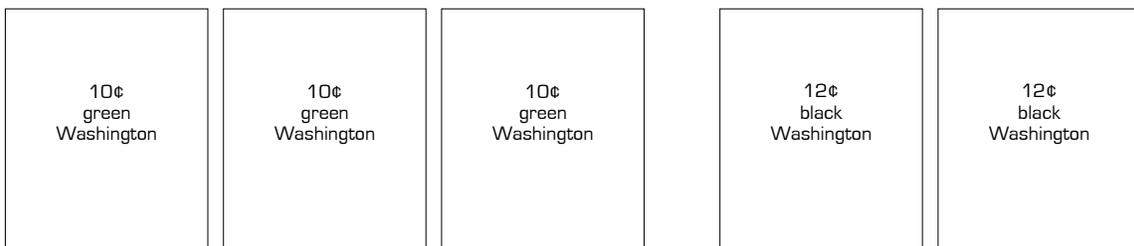


type I - red brown

type I - brown

type II - brown

type II - orange brown



type II

type III

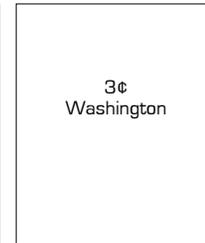
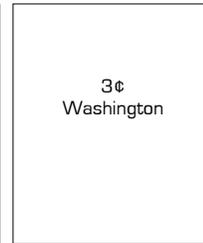
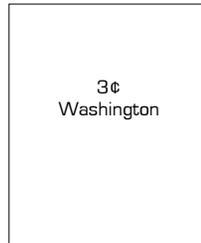
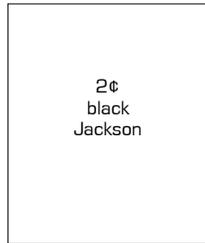
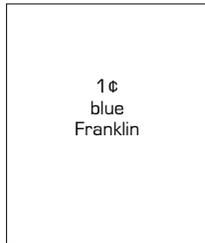
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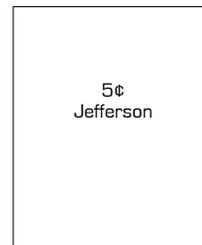
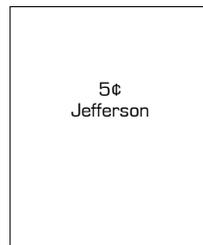
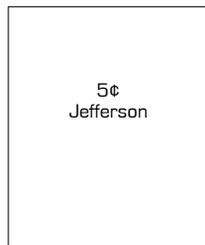
1861-1867



pink

rose pink

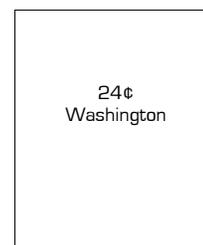
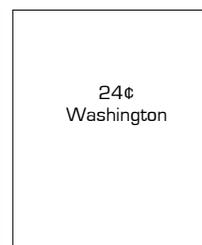
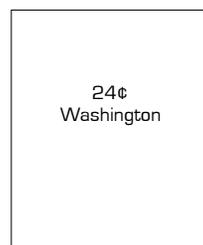
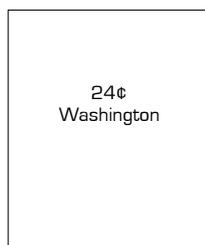
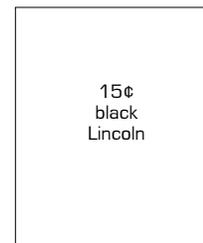
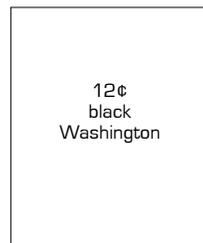
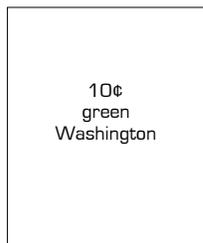
rose



buff

red brown

brown



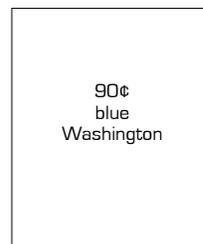
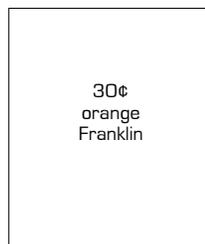
red lilac

brown lilac

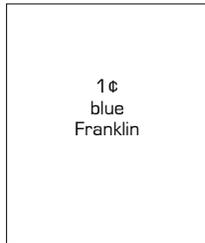
steel blue

lilac

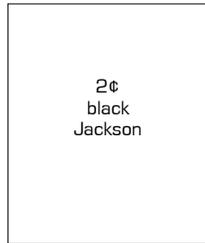
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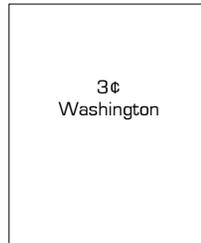
1861-1867



1¢
blue
Franklin

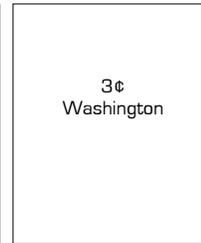


2¢
black
Jackson



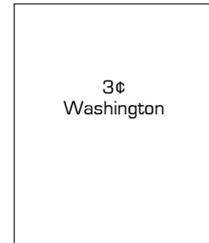
3¢
Washington

pink



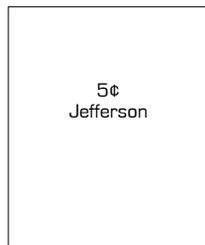
3¢
Washington

rose pink



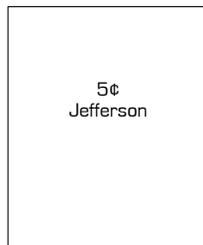
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rose



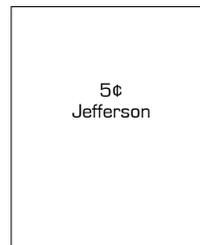
5¢
Jefferson

buff



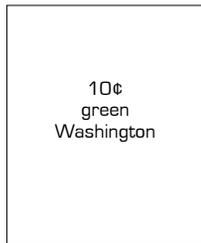
5¢
Jefferson

red brown



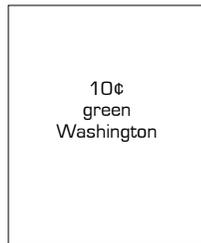
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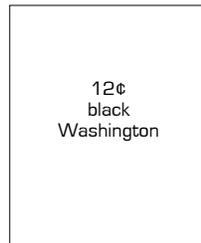
10¢
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Washington

type I

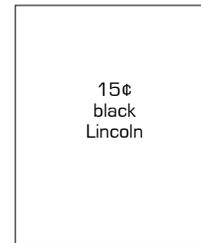


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green
Washington

type II



12¢
black
Washington

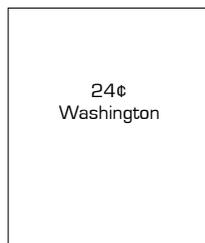


15¢
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Lincoln



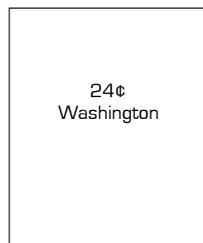
24¢
Washington

red lilac



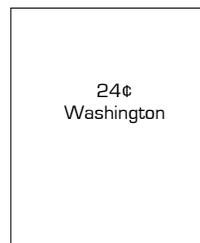
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brown lilac



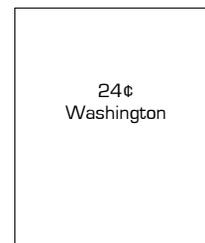
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Washington

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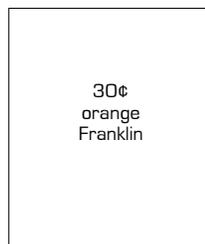
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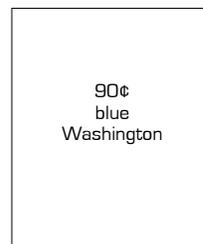


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gray

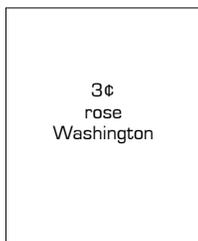


30¢
orange
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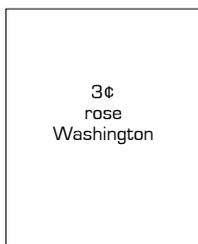


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blue
Washington

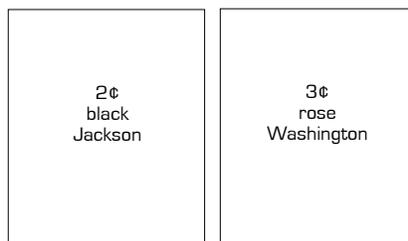
1867 — A GRILL



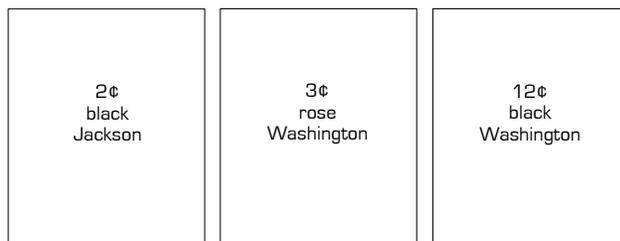
1867 — C GRILL



1868 — D GRILL



1868 — Z GRILL



1868 — E GRILL

1¢ blue Franklin	2¢ black Jackson	3¢ rose Washington	10¢ green Washington
	12¢ black Washington	15¢ black Lincoln	

1868-1869 — F GRILL

1¢ blue Franklin	2¢ black Jackson	3¢ rose Washington	5¢ brown Jefferson
	10¢ green Washington	12¢ black Washington	15¢ black Lincoln
	24¢ lilac or gray Washington	30¢ orange Franklin	90¢ blue Washington

National Bank Note Company
Engraved
Unwatermarked
Perforated 12 — embossed with grills

UNITED STATES

1870-1871

1870-1871

1¢ ultramarine Franklin	2¢ red brown Jackson	3¢ green Washington	6¢ carmine Lincoln
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7¢ vermilion Stanton	10¢ brown Jefferson	12¢ dull violet Clay
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15¢ orange Webster	24¢ purple Scott	30¢ black Hamilton
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90¢ carmine Perry

National Bank Note Company
Engraved
Unwatermarked
Perforated 12 — without grills

UNITED STATES

1870-1871

1870-1871

1¢ ultramarine Franklin	2¢ red brown Jackson	3¢ green Washington	6¢ carmine Lincoln
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7¢ vermilion Stanton	10¢ brown Jefferson	12¢ dull violet Clay
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15¢ orange Webster	24¢ purple Scott	30¢ black Hamilton
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90¢ carmine Perry

1873 — WITH SECRET MARKS

1¢ ultramarine Franklin	2¢ brown Jackson	3¢ green Washington	6¢ dull pink Lincoln
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7¢ vermillion Stanton	10¢ brown Jefferson	12¢ blackish violet Clay
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15¢ orange Webster	30¢ gray black Hamilton
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90¢ rose carmine Perry

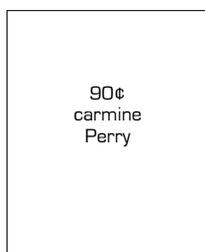
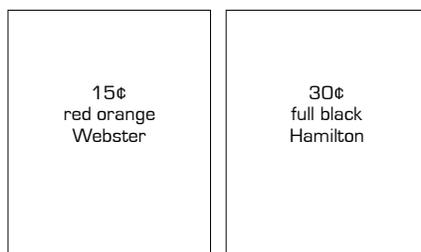
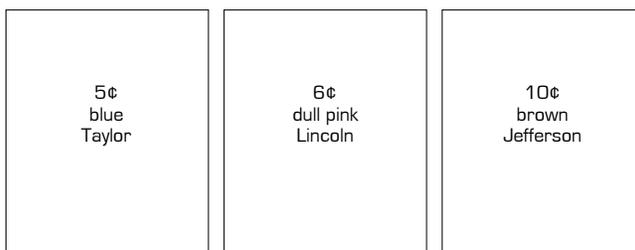
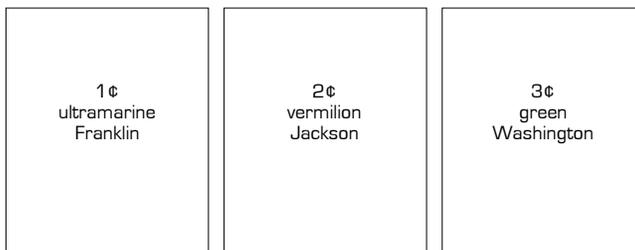
1875 — NEW COLOR AND DENOMINATION

2¢ vermillion Jackson	5¢ blue Taylor
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American Bank Note Company
Engraved
Unwatermarked soft paper
Perforated 12

UNITED STATES
1879 REGULAR ISSUES

1879



1881-1882 — REENGRAVED DESIGNS

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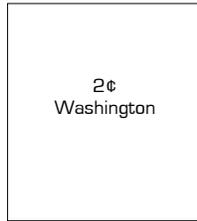
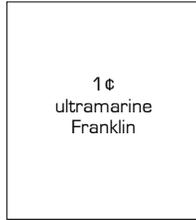
1882-1883 — NEW DESIGNS

2¢ red brown Washington	4¢ blue green Jackson	5¢ yellow brown Garfield
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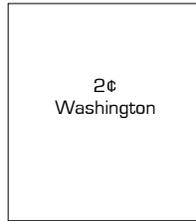
1887-1888 — NEW DESIGN AND COLORS

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5¢ indigo Garfield	30¢ orange brown Hamilton	90¢ purple Perry	

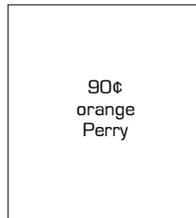
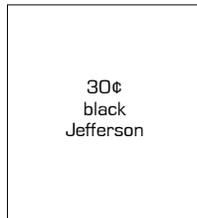
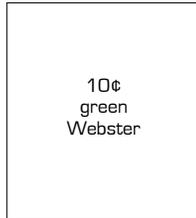
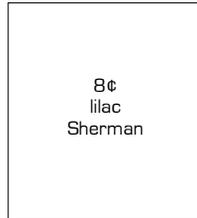
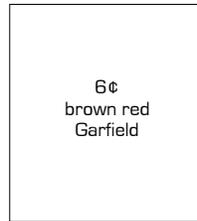
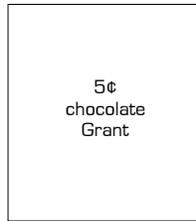
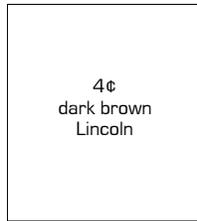
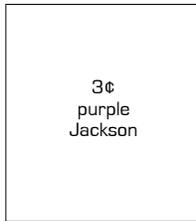
1890-1893



lake



carmine



1893

1¢ deep blue Columbus in sight of land	2¢ brown violet landing of Columbus
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3¢ green Santa Maria	4¢ ultramarine fleet of Columbus	5¢ chocolate Columbus soliciting aid from Queen Isabella
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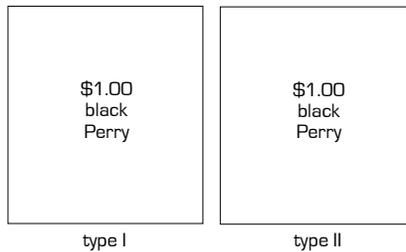
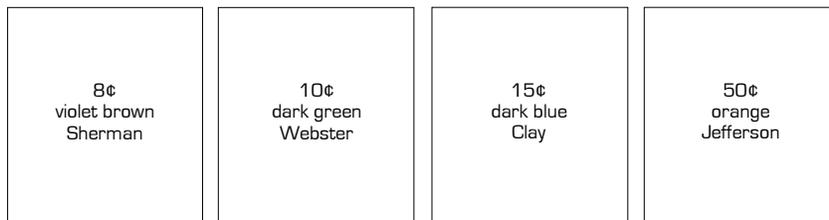
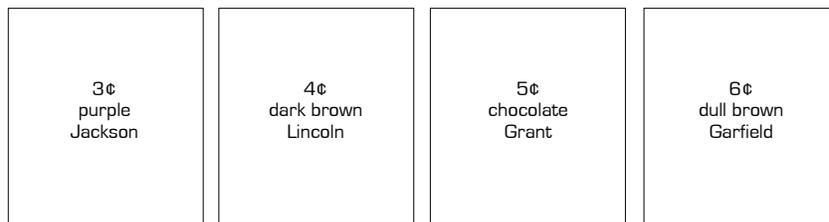
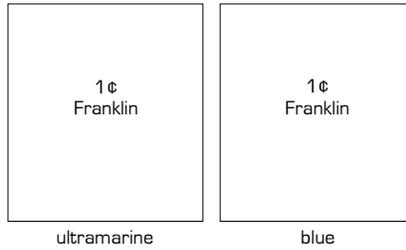
6¢ purple Columbus welcomed at Barcelona	8¢ magenta Columbus restored to favor	10¢ black brown Columbus presenting natives
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15¢ dark green Columbus announcing his discovery	30¢ orange brown Columbus at La Rabida	50¢ slate blue recall of Columbus
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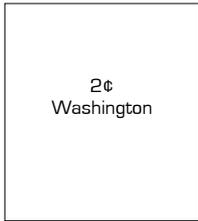
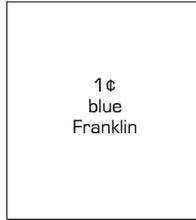
\$1.00 salmon Queen Isabella pledging her jewels	\$2.00 brown red Columbus in chains	\$3.00 yellow green Columbus describing his third voyage
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\$4.00 crimson lake or rose carmine Queen Isabella & Columbus	\$5.00 black Columbus
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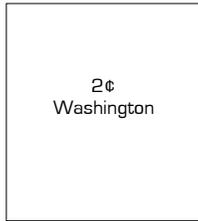
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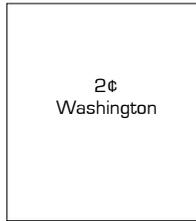
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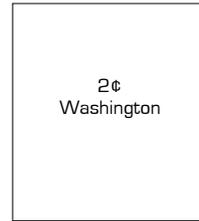
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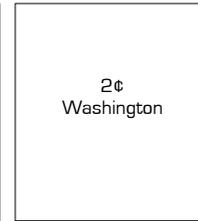
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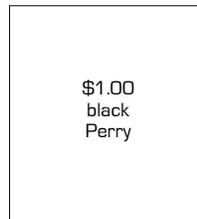
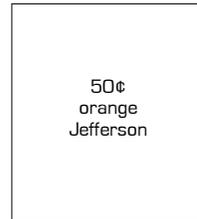
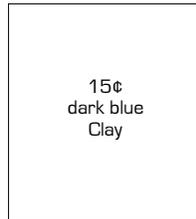
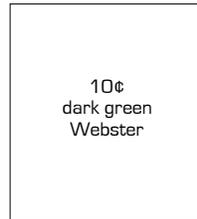
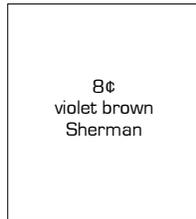
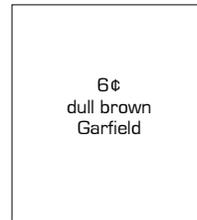
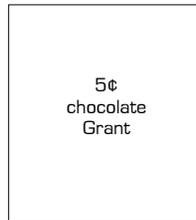
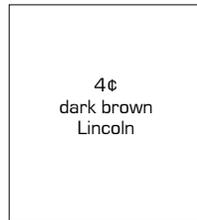
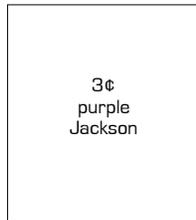
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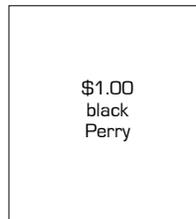
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type III vermilion



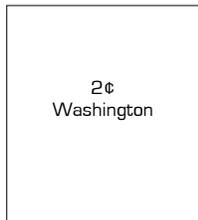
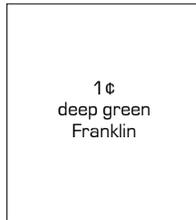
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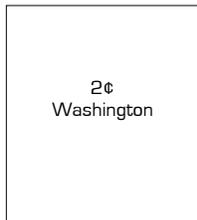
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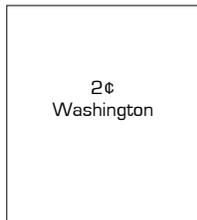
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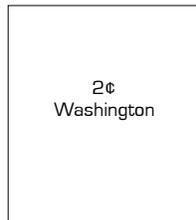
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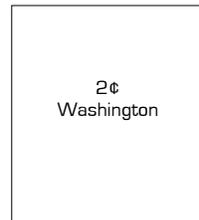
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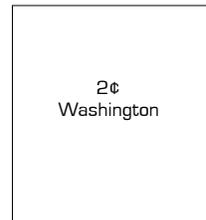
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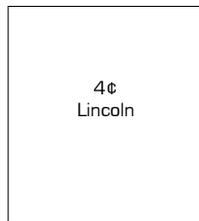
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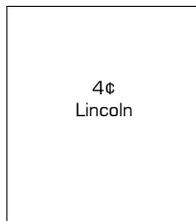
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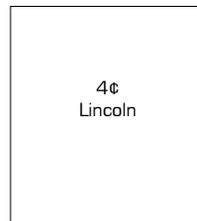
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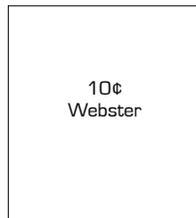
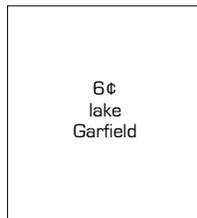
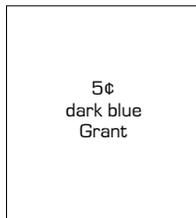
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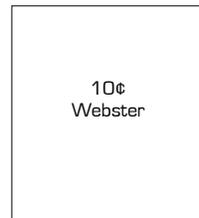
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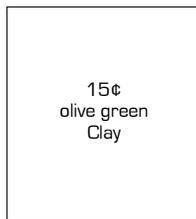
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type I brown



type I orange brown



1898

1¢
green
Marquette on Mississippi

2¢
copper red
farming in the West

4¢
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Indian hunting buffalo

5¢
blue
Frémont on Rocky Mountains

8¢
violet brown
troops guarding wagon train

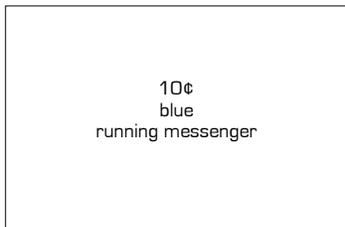
10¢
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hardships of emigration

50¢
sage green
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\$1.00
black
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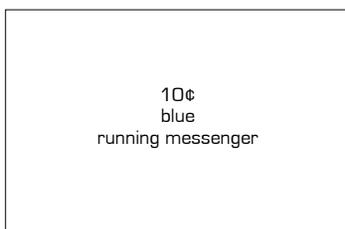
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orange brown
Mississippi bridge
in St. Louis

1885



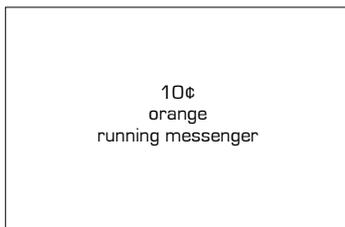
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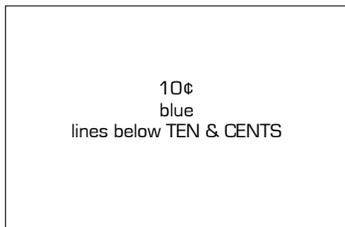
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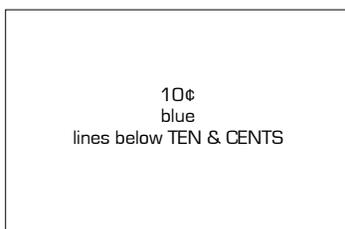


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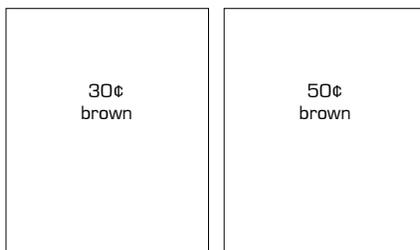
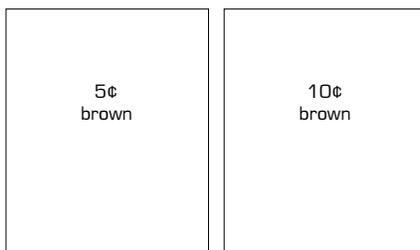
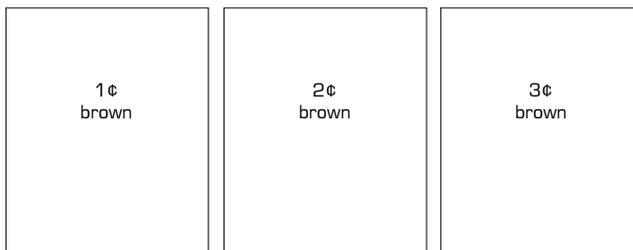
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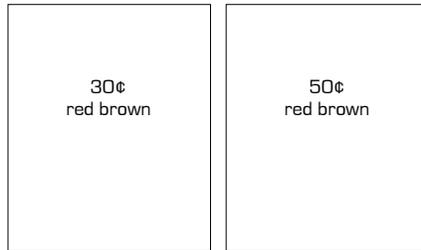
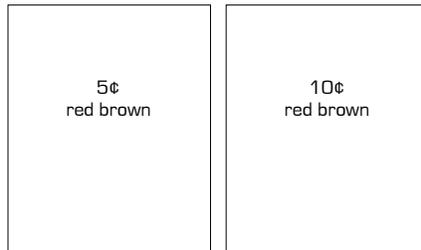
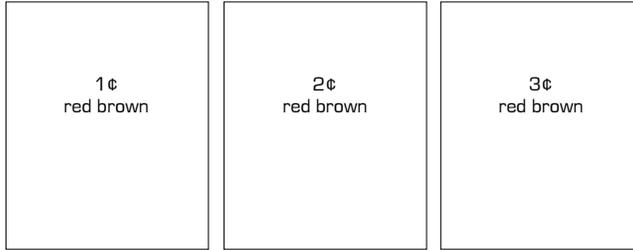
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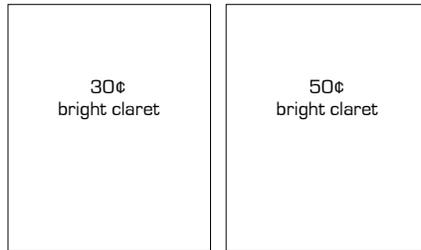
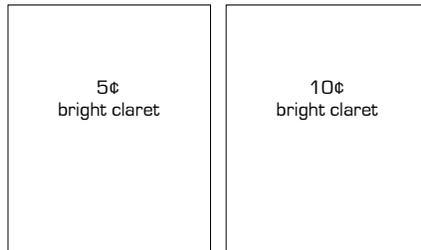
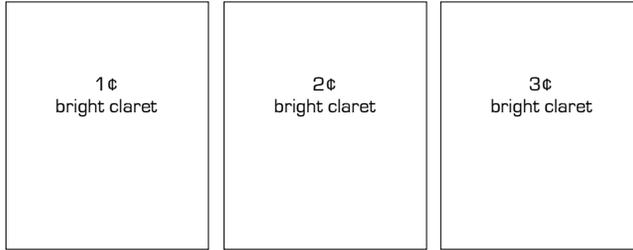
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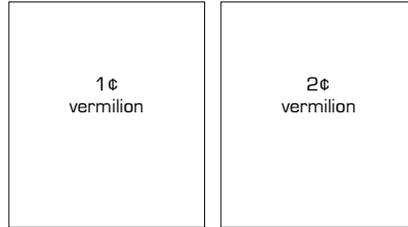
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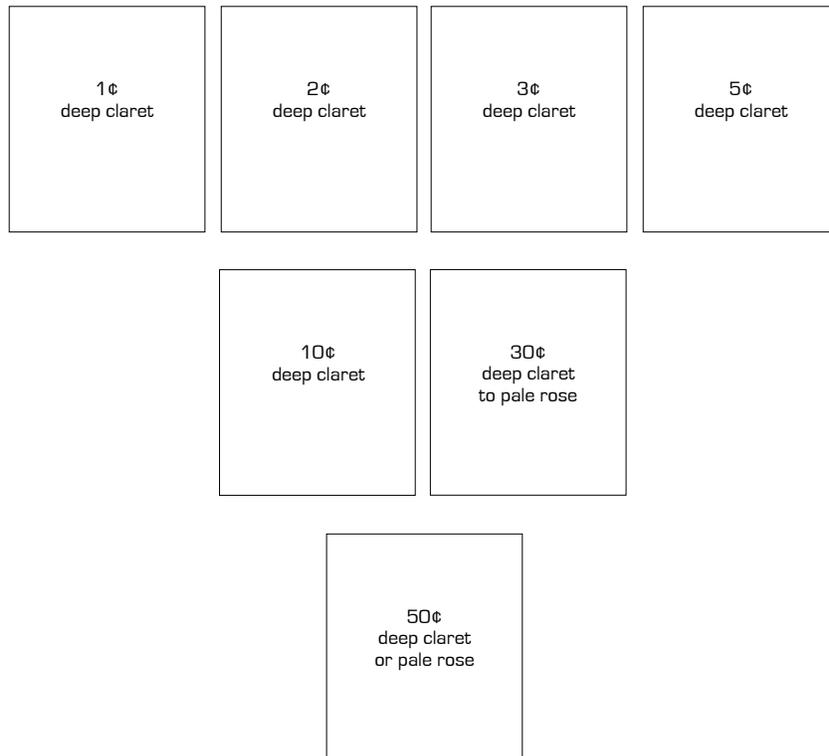
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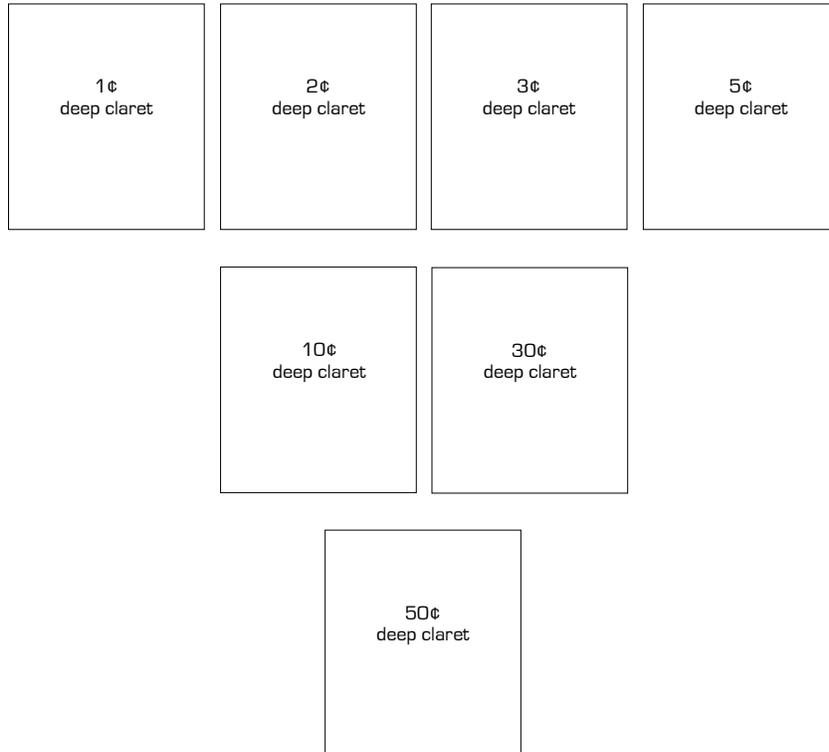
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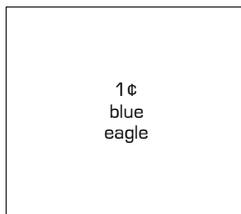
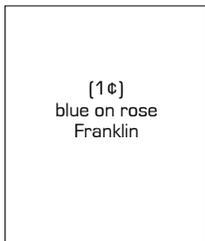
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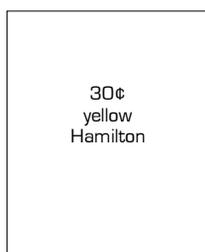
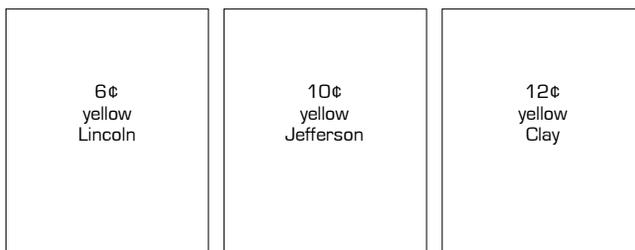
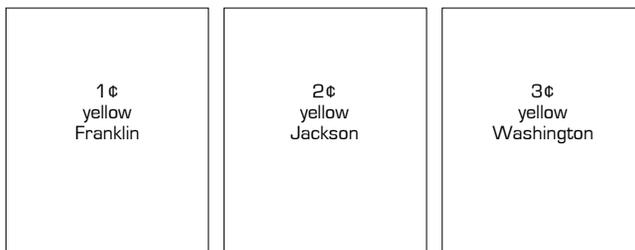
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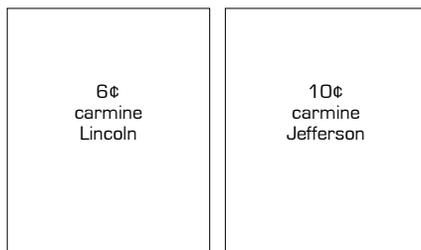
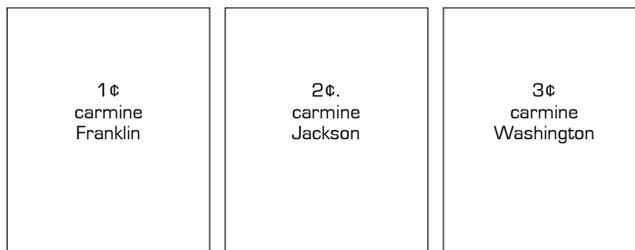
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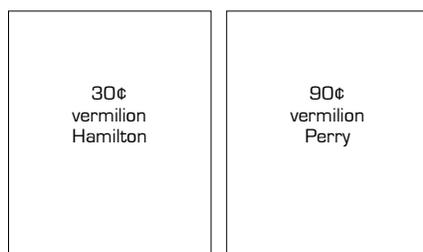
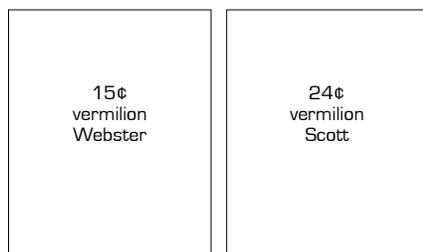
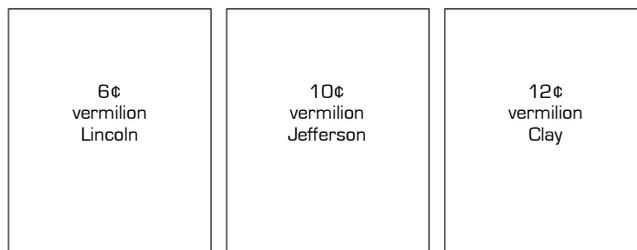
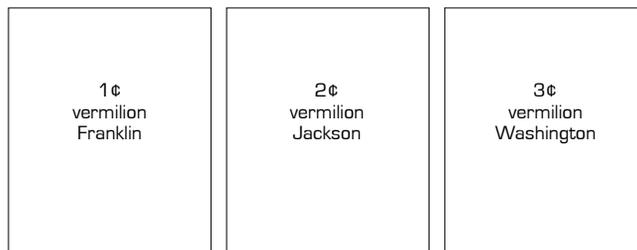
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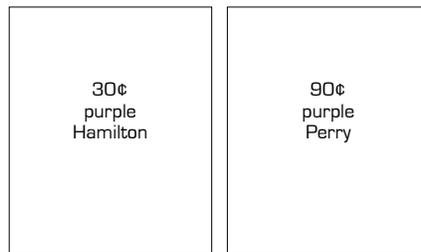
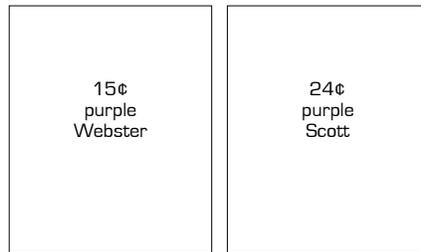
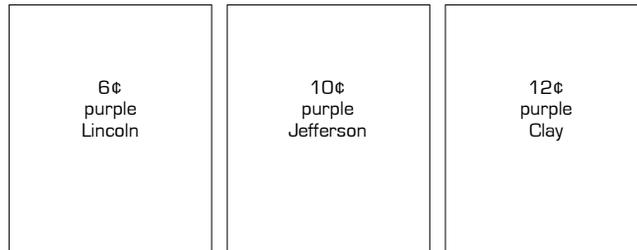
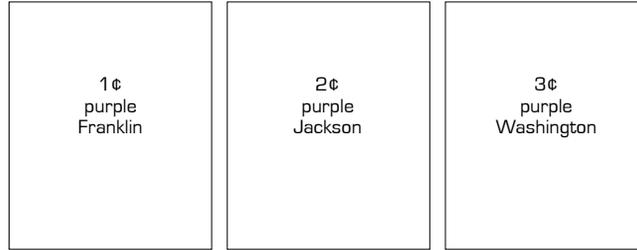
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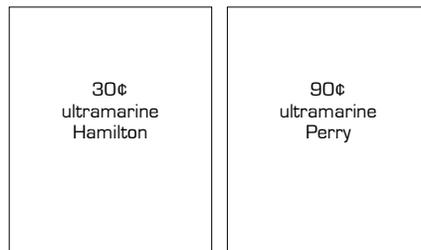
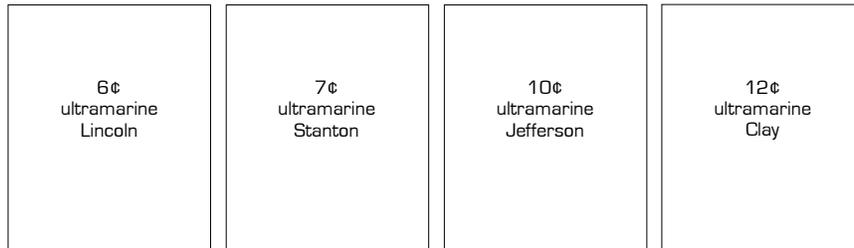
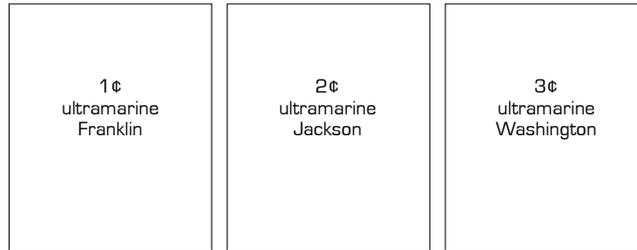
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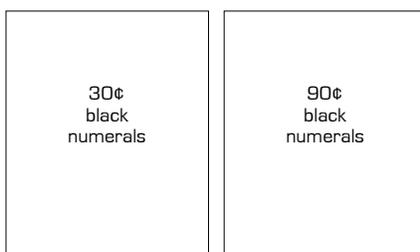
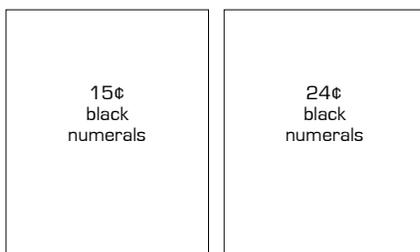
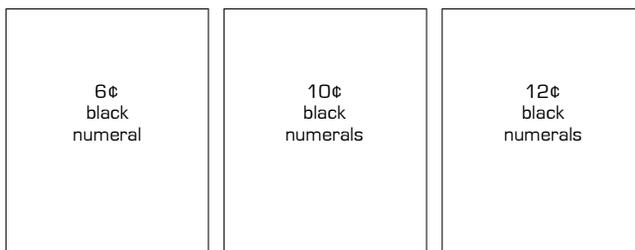
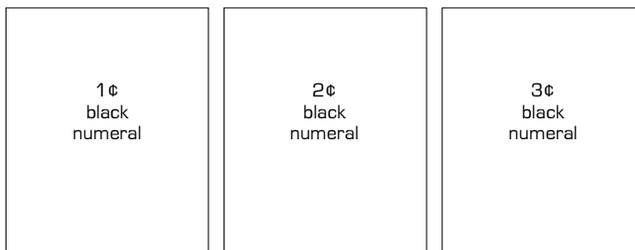
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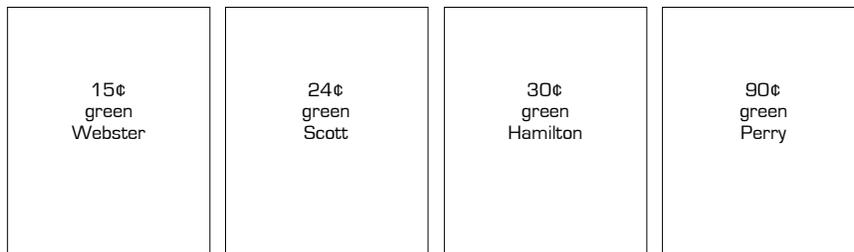
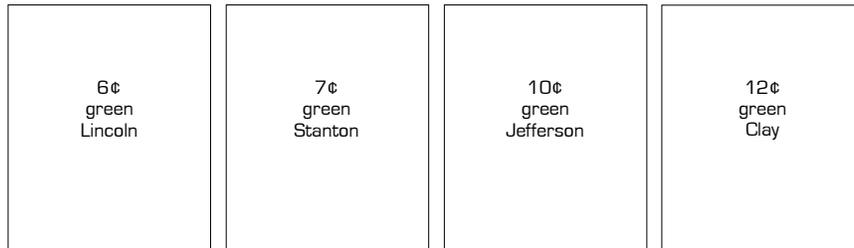
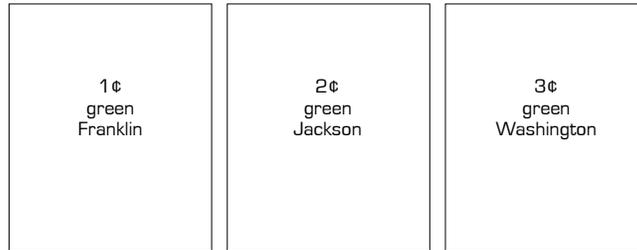
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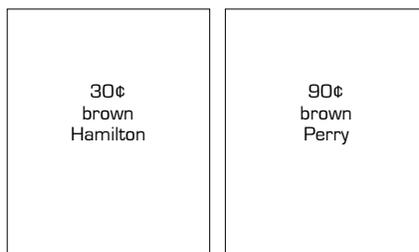
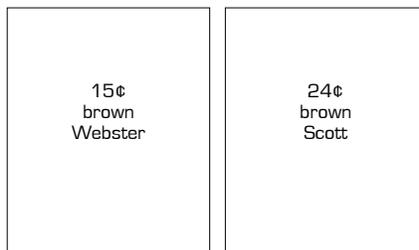
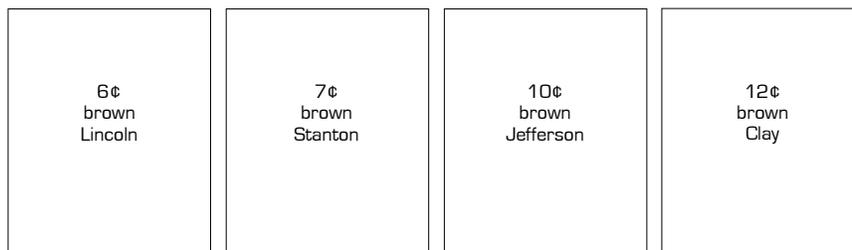
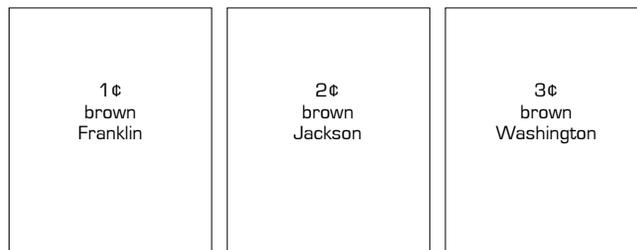
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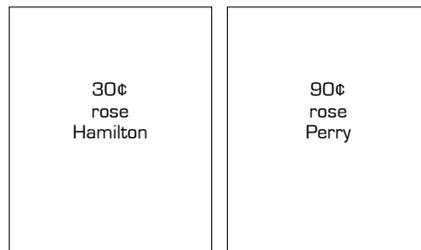
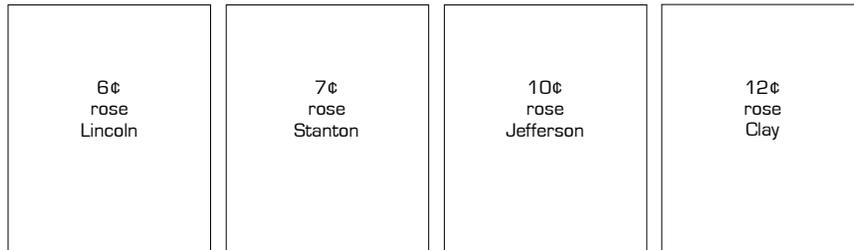
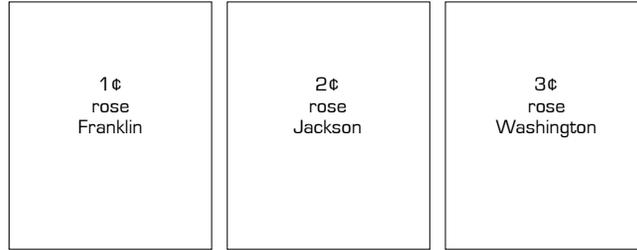
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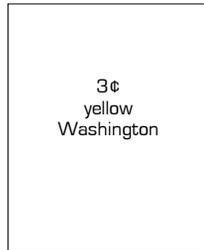
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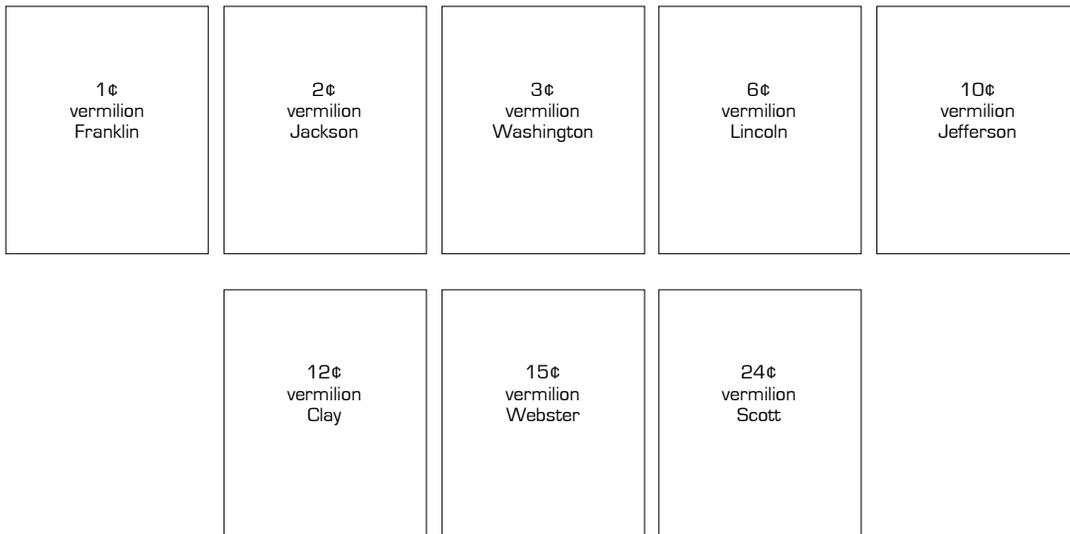
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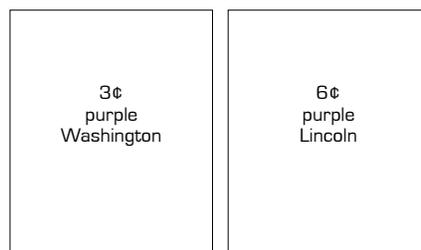
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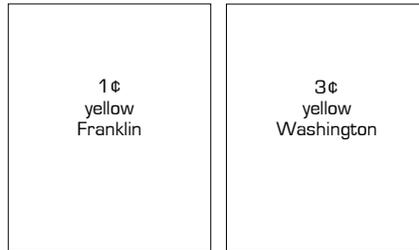
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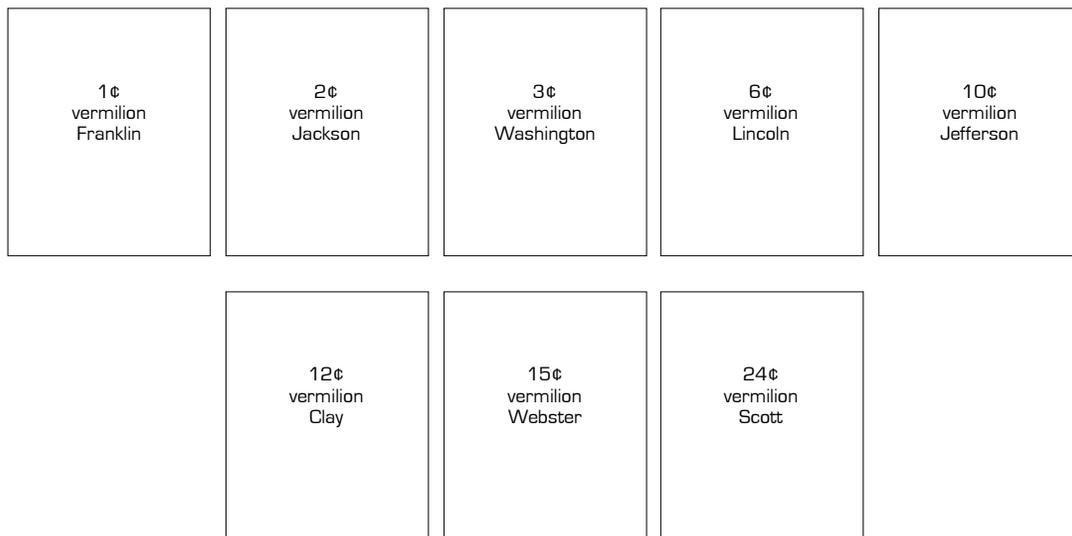
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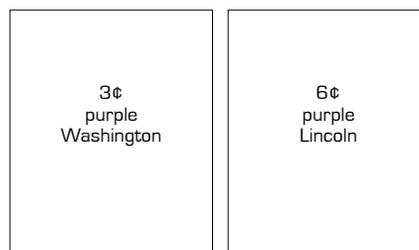
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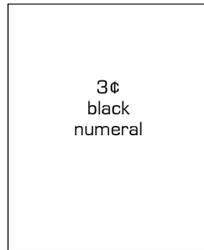
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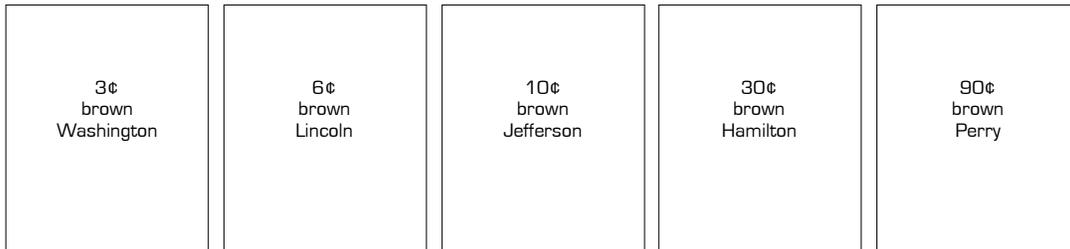
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