



- 1251 Poltina 1861 СПБ-ФБ. Bit 100 (R1), Sev 3725 (S), Uzd 1786. Deep iridescent toning. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 61. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 3,000
Ex Irving Goodman Collection of Russian Coinage, Superior Galleries, Beverly Hills, CA, February 11-12, 1991, lot 1215



- 1252 Poltina 1863 СПБ-АБ. Bit 103 (R), Sev 3741 (R), Uzd 1813 (S). Rare with a low mintage of 22,003 pieces. Medium gray with soft iridescent hues. Good extremely fine \$ 1,000



- 1253 Poltina 1867 СПБ-НІ. Bit 108 (R), Sev 3778 (R), Uzd 1848. 26,040 pieces struck. Pale pearlescent-slate gray. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Prooflike, Brilliant uncirculated \$ 4,000



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| 1254 | 25 Kopecks 1858 СПБ-ФБ. Bit 56, Sev 3659, Uzd 1745.
<i>Ex The Lindén Collection</i> | Uncirculated | \$ 250 |
| 1255 | 25 Kopecks 1860 СПБ-ФБ. <u>St. George without mantle</u> . Bit 134, Sev 3689, Uzd 1769. Lovely dusky pale gray with bold lustre and champagne hues. Only a few minute hairlines keep it from a higher grade. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62.
<i>Ex Falz-Fein Collection.</i> | Brilliant uncirculated | \$ 400 |
| 1256 | 10 Kopecks 1855 СПБ-НІ. Bit 62, Sev 3633, Uzd 1724. Gem brilliant uncirculated
<i>Ex The Lindén Collection</i> | Gem brilliant uncirculated | \$ 400 |
| 1257 | 10 Kopecks 1859 СПБ-ФБ. Bit 162 (R), Sev 3672, Uzd 1759. Superb devices in blazing satiny fields with russet peripheries, a sumptuous coin. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 65. | Gem brilliant uncirculated | \$ 500 |



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| 1258 | 5 Kopecks 1865 EM. Bit 313, B 226, Uzd 3656. Early stage of deteriorating die evident at bottom otherwise a sharp strike well-defined by attractive iridescent hues. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 63 BN. | Choice uncirculated | \$ 300 |
| 1259 | 3 Kopecks 1859 EM. B 178, Bit 323, Uzd 3589. Dark café au lait with a lovely silvery undertone. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 BN. | Choice almost uncirculated | \$ 400 |
| 1260 | 2 Kopecks 1865 EM. B 146, Bit 345, Uzd 3658. Orange-red highlights. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 BN. | Choice about uncirculated | \$ 400 |



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1261



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- 1261 Denezhka 1855 BM. Cipher 1856-61. Bit 485 (R1), B 39, Uzd 3546. *Very rare* with narrow monogram. Missing in most major collections: I.Tolstoi, B.Brekke, many others. *Very fine* 2,000



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- 1262 Denezhka 1861 BM. Bit 492, B 52, Uzd 3626. Orange-brown. Choice about uncirculated \$ 300
- 1263 Polushka 1859 EM. Toothed border. Bit 383, B 6A, Uzd 3603. Bold strike with ample mint red and a soft cobalt blue undertone; an excellent example. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 RB. Gem brilliant uncirculated \$ 350
- 1264 Polushka 1859 EM. Toothed border. B 6A, Bit 383, Uzd 3603. Silver tone. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN. Choice uncirculated \$ 250



1265 (lot of 16)



- 1265 Lot of Warsaw mint copper coinage: 3 Kopecks, 1856, 1858, 1860, 1863 BM; 2 Kopecks, 1860 BM; Kopecks, 1856, 1858, 1860, 1861, 1863, 1864 BM; Denezhka 1855, 1856, 1861 BM; Polushka 1855 BM. Bit 454, 456 (R), 458 (R), 462, 468, 474, 477, 479, 480, 482, 483, 484, 485 (R1), 487, 492, 495 (R). A few with some surface problems. Very interesting lot. (Lot of 16, only 6 coins illustrated) Fine to Extremely fine \$ 1,000



1266



- 1266 5 Kopecks 1875 EM. B 242, Bit 400, Uzd 3752. Bold strike, lovely burnt caramel highlights. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 BN. Very choice uncirculated \$ 300



- 1267 5 Kopecks 1878 СПБ. Bit 506, B 246, Uzd 3777. Light coffee-brown, pleasing strike. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62 BN. Uncirculated \$ 200



- 1268 3 Kopecks 1872 EM. Bit 407, B 202, Uzd 3735. Blazing red brown. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65 RB. The only Proof example offered in public sale in the past 10 years. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500

Ex 'Robert Hesselgesser Collection', Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, CA, Sept. 20-21, 2005, lot 3730



- 1269 3 Kopecks 1880 СПБ. B 211, Bit 519, Uzd 3790. Silvery-coffee brown with cobalt blue hues. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 BN. Very choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 500



- 1270 2 Kopecks 1868 СПБ. Bit 522, B 152, Uzd 3690. A bold, pristine coin with abundant mint red. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65 RB. We were unable to find any record of a Proof example being sold in the past dozen years. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500



- 1271 2 Kopecks 1869 EM. Bit 414, B 153, Uzd 3703. Iridescent violet-claret obverse, mostly mint red reverse. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65 RB. The only Proof example offered in auction in the past decade. Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 1,500
Ex 'Robert Hesselgesser Collection', Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, C.A, Sept. 20-21, 2005, lot 3727



- 1272 2 Kopecks 1869 EM. B 153, Bit 414, Uzd 3703. Reddish-orange hues. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 500



- 1273 2 Kopecks 1870 EM. Bit 415, B 155, Uzd 3715. Iridescent violet-red obverse, red-brown reverse. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 64 RB. The only Proof example offered in public sale in the past 10 years. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 1,000
Ex 'Robert Hesselgesser Collection', Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, C.A, Sept. 20-21, 2005, lot 3728



- 1274 1/2 Kopeck 1867 СПБ. B 62, Bit 543 (R), Uzd 3681. Silvery-pale blue highlights. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 500
 1275 1/4 Kopeck 1870 EM. B 23, Bit 445, Uzd 3721. Good lustre, pleasing red brown. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 RB. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 350
 1276 1/4 Kopeck 1872 EM. B 27, Bit 447, Uzd 3739. Soft iridescent hues. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN. Choice uncirculated \$ 350

Medals of Alexander II



1277 to 0.75x

- 1277 Medallion Plaque. Bronze. Uniface. 240 mm. By P. P. Brusnitsyn. **To Commemorate the Coronation of Alexander II, 1856.** Bare head of Alexander II r., date stamped within oval below. Well cast, though a little surface roughness by truncation. Extremely fine \$ 1.000

The attribution to P. P. Brusnitsyn is based on the plaque's similarity, though in higher relief, to the portrait on his medal of 1862, celebrating the Millennium of the Russian state (Diakov 707.1)



1278

- 1278 Medal. Bronze. 79 mm. By A. Lyalin and V. Alexeev. **On the Consecration of St. Isaac's Cathedral in St. Petersburg, 1858.** Diakov 677.1, Sm 617. Central medallion portrait of Peter the Great, smaller medallion portraits of Catherine the Great, Paul I, Alexander I, Nicholas I and Alexander II around, oak branches in angles / View of the Cathedral, legend around. Minor marks. Extremely fine \$ 500

At the time it was built, St. Isaac's Cathedral was the largest church in Russia. It was dedicated to St. Isaac of Dalmatia, the patron saint of Peter the Great who was born on his feast day.



1279

- 1279 Medal. Copper. 72.5mm. By Robert Michaux. **To Commemorate the Inauguration of the Warsaw to Bromberg [Bydgoszcz] Railway, 1862.** Moyaux 387, Salomons House 66, BDM IV, 65, Diakov --, Swan -- . Locomotive and tender steaming l., legend around / Legend in 12 lines and around, commemorating the involvement of Jewish financier Herman Epstein. Rare. About uncirculated \$ 800

Herman Epstein (1806-1867) played a leading role in constructing railroad lines between Warsaw and Vienna (1845) and Warsaw and Bromberg (1857), brokering loans from the Rothschilds in Frankfurt. Between 1857 and 1865, he was chairman of the board of both railways. Epstein was awarded hereditary patents of nobility and served as an honorary board member of the Polish Philanthropic Council.

Ex Spink Coin Auction, 25 November, 2004 (lot 503)



1280

- 1280 Medal. Copper. 59 mm. By Carl Heinrich Lorenz (Chief Medallist at the St. Petersburg mint, 1859-1861). **To Commemorate Minister of Finance Alexander Maximovich Knyazhevich's 50 Years of Service. 1861.** Diakov 700.1, Sm 636. Bust of Knyazhevich r. / Five-line inscription, star above. Chocolate-brown. Two minor edge nicks (at 8 and 10 o'clock). Extremely fine \$ 300



1281 (lot of 3)

- 1281 Lot of 3 Medalllets. White Metal, Bronze and Brass. 28.3 mm. By I. Chukmasov. **On the Opening of the Monument of the Millenium of the Russian State in Novgorod, 1862.** Reformer Medals. Cf. Diakov 707.3. Portrait of Alexander II in oval frame, scepter and orb on pillow below, banners with vital data of the emperor's reign / Mantled and crowned Arms. (Lot of 3) About uncirculated to Uncirculated \$ 300



1282 (lot of 5)



- 1282 Lot of 5 Medalllets. Bronze and Brass. 1865 – **Centennial of the Death of M.V. Lomonosov.** 28 mm. His bust l. / Seven-line legend. Some hairlines and dark spots; 1866 -- **Marriage of Grand Duke Alexander Alexandrovich and Grand Duchess Maria Feodorovna.** Brass. 28.3 mm. Their conjoined busts r. / Crown over seven-line legend. Old obverse scratch; **25th Wedding Anniversary of Alexander II and Maria Alexandovna.** 28 mm. Their conjoined busts r. / Radiant eight-line legend; **O.I. Komisarov.** 30.3 mm. Facing bust of Komisarov $\frac{3}{4}$ r., with fur collar / Radiant patriarchal cross; **200th Anniversary of Peter the First's Birth.** 29 mm. His armored bust r. / Six-line legend. Obverse dark spot, good lustre. Diakov 736.3 (R1), 740.3 (R2), 741.1, 746.2, 790.2 (Lot of 5) Extremely fine to About uncirculated \$ 750

Extremely Rare and Important A.A. Suvorov Gold Medal



to 1.5x



1283



- 1283 Medal. Gold. 55.38 gm. 45.3 mm. By V. Alexeev. **Count A.A. Suvorov – Prize Medal of the St. Petersburg Pharmaceutical Society, 1864.** Diakov 727.1 (R4); Iversen, *Premiums XXVII, Persons DLXV*; Sm 660. Head r. of Alexander Arkadievich Suvorov; * КНЯЗЬ АЛЕКСАНДРЪ АРКАДІЕВИЧЪ ИТАЛІЙСКІЙ ГРАФЪ СУВОРОВЪ РЫМНИКСКІЙ (“Prince of Italy Alexander Arkadievich, Count Suvorov-Rymniksky”) around / INGENIO ET STUDIO (“For Talent and Diligence”) within wreath, Society legend and date in Latin around. Extremely rare. Some friction hairlines in field, good lustre. About uncirculated \$ 20,000

Alexander Arkadievich Suvorov (1804-1882) was the grandson of the renowned Fieldmarshal Alexander Vasilyevich Suvorov, Count of Rymnik, Generalissimo of all Russia, and son of Lt. General Arkadi Suvorov, who fought in the Napoleonic and Turkish Wars. He served as Governor General of Riga from 1848 to 1861, then as Governor General of St. Petersburg until 1866. It was A.A. Suvorov who announced the death of Tsar Alexander II at the hands of assassins in 1881. This medal was issued by one of the many societies of which he was a patron during his time as General Governor of St. Petersburg.

Суворов Александр Аркадьевич (1804-1882) – Российский государственный, общественный и военный деятель. Внук генералиссимуса А.В. Суворова. Кавалер всех Российских и нескольких десятков европейских орденов. С 1828 г. флигель-адъютант Николая I. Командирован фельдмаршалом Паскевичем в Петербург с личным донесением Николаю I о подавлении Польского восстания 1830 г. 1848-1861 – генерал-губернатор Прибалтийского края. С 1861 – Санкт-Петербургский военный генерал-губернатор. В 1863 удостоен ордена Андрея Первозванного. Многие годы находился при Императоре Александре II. После убийства 1 марта 1881 года именно А. А. Суворов вышел к собравшемуся у Зимнего дворца народу и сообщил о кончине Государя.

Alexander III, 1881-1894



1284

- 1284 10 Roubles 1894 АГ. GOLD. Bit 23, Sev 547, Uzd 0311 (S). About uncirculated \$ 5,000
Ex The Lindén Collection
Ex Münzen und Medaillen AG, List 380, Basel, July 1976, lot 124



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- 1285 5 Roubles 1888 АГ. GOLD. Fr 168, Bit 27, Sev 533 (S), Uzd 0298 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 50. About uncirculated \$ 800
 1286 5 Roubles 1889 АГ. GOLD. Bit 33, Fr 168, Sev 535, Uzd 0301 (S). Extremely fine \$ 750
 1287 5 Roubles 1889 АГ. GOLD. Bit 33, Fr 168, Sev 535, Uzd 0301 (S). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,000
 1288 5 Roubles 1890 АГ. GOLD. Fr 168, Bit 35, Sev 538, Uzd 0303. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 55. Good about uncirculated \$ 900



1289



1290



- 1289 Rouble 1882 СПб-НФ. Bit 42, Sev 3923 (S), Uzd 1964. Bold, frosted devices. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,000
 1290 Coronation of Alexander III Rouble 1883 ЛШ. Bit 217, Sev 3939, Uzd 4195. Extremely fine \$ 400
Ex The Lindén Collection



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| 1291 | Rouble 1883 СПБ-ДС. Bit 43, Sev 3936 (R), Uzd 1973 (S). <i>Rare</i> . Some minor contact marks visible under magnification, a few tiny edge ticks. Pale russet highlights. | About uncirculated | \$ 1,000 |
| 1292 | Rouble 1884 СПБ-АГ. Bit 45, Sev 3948 (S), Uzd 1987 (R). <i>Rare</i> . Linen-white. | Choice about uncirculated | \$ 800 |
| 1293 | Rouble 1885 СПБ-АГ. Bit 46, Sev 3955 (S), Uzd 1994. Pale slate gray over a few reverse contact marks. | About uncirculated | \$ 800 |

Classic Rarity of the 19th Century: the 1889 Rouble



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| 1294 | Rouble 1889 АГ. Bit 72 (R2), Sev 3991 (R2), Uzd 2026 (R). Key date, <i>Very Rare</i> and one of the rarest Roubles of the 19th Century. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU Details – Artificial toning. | About uncirculated | \$ 20,000 |
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1295

- 1295 1 Ruble 1892 АГ-АГ. Portrait of 1893-1894. Bit 76, Uzd 2047. Steely-gray with champagne highlights. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS62.
Brilliant uncirculated \$ 1,000



1296

- 1296 50 Kopecks 1894 АГ. Bit 87, Sev 4021 (S), Uzd 2059. Deep scrap behind the bust. Lightly toned over mint lustre.
Uncirculated \$ 750
Ex The Lindén Collection



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- 1297 25 Kopecks 1886 АГ-АГ. Bit 89 (R1), Sev 3960 (R), Uzd 2006 (S). *RARE* with a low mintage of only 4,057 pcs. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. Light steely gray with pale champagne highlights in prooflike fields. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62.
Brilliant uncirculated \$ 2,500



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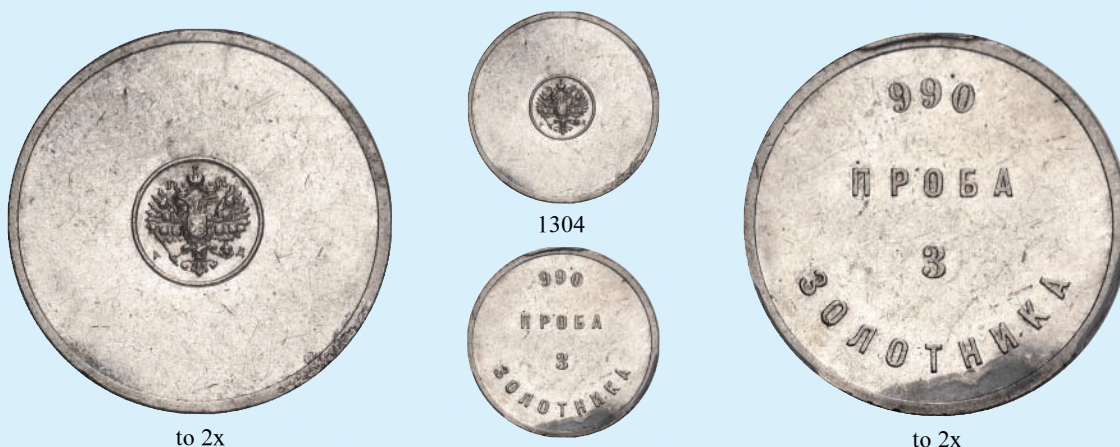
- 1298 25 Kopecks 1887 АГ. Bit 90 (R), Sev 3974 (R), Uzd 2013 (R). *Rare*. Minuscule marks.
Prooflike, Uncirculated \$ 1,500
Ex The Lindén Collection



- 1299 2 Kopecks 1894 СПб. Bit 176, B 53, Uzd 3857. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 63 RB. We were unable to find any record of another Proof example being offered in public sale in some dozen or so years. Choice brilliant PROOF \$ 750



- 1300 1/2 Kopeck 1894 СПб. B 27, Bit 203, Uzd 3859. Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58 BN. Choice about uncirculated \$ 300
- 1301 1/4 Kopeck 1886 СПб. Bit 209, B 6, Uzd 3825. Birch brown with a superb blue sheen over pristine fields. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 BN. Gem brilliant uncirculated \$ 200
- 1302 1/4 Kopeck 1891 СПб. B 11, Bit 214, Uzd 3845. Coffee-brown. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63 BN. Choice uncirculated \$ 400
- 1303 1/4 Kopeck 1892 СПб. Bit 215, B 12, Uzd 3850. Deep silvery-brown with orange highlights. Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 65 BN. Gem brilliant uncirculated \$ 200



- 1304 3 Zolotniks Mining Ingot. ND (1880-1900) АД. Bit 260 (R2), Sev 4207 (RR). The Rarest denomination of the series. Choice extremely fine \$ 1,000

Medals of Alexander III



1305

- 1305 Medal. Silver. 51 mm. 78.8 gm. By A. Griliches, Jr. **On the Coronation of Alexander III and Maria Feodorovna, 1883.** Diakov 931.2 (R1), Sm 873/b. Conjoined busts of the emperor and empress r. / Imperial eagle. Steely lavender-gray with reverse tungsten-blue hues. Gem brilliant uncirculated \$ 2,500



1306

- 1306 Medal. Silver . 50.42 mm. 76.33 gm. By S. Vazhenin and A. Griliches. **Coronation of Alexander III and Maria Feodorovna, 1883.** Diakov 931.1 (R1), Sm 873/a. Conjoined heads of Alexander III and Maria Feodorovna r., initials C.B.P. on truncation / Imperial eagle. Edge has been smoothed and polished due to removal from an object. Very fine \$ 1,000



1307

- 1307 **Warsaw Society of Horticulture. Prize Medal for Exhibitors, 1885.** Silver. 42.3 mm. By L. Steinman. Cd. Diakov 1113.2 (R3) [mistakenly attributed to 1894], Sm--. Two women, classically attired, one seated holding a cornucopiae, the other standing behind her, holding a wreath and bouquet of roses / Inscription within wreath made of fruit, berries and flowers: **ВАРШАВСКОЕ ОБЩЕСТВО САДОВОДСТВА – TOWARZYSTWO OGRODNICZE WARSZAWSKIE.** Engraved: *Feyderkowi Bardetowi 1885.* Friction hairlines in fields, bold lustre. About uncirculated \$ 1,000



1308

- 1308 Medal. Copper. 93mm. By L. Steinman. **To Commemorate the Construction of the Polessk Railways, 1887.** Diakov 997.1 (R1), Moyaux 396, Sm 949, BDM V, 673. Bare head of Alexander III right within wreath, legend around / Map of the western Russian Empire showing the railways, armorial shields of the six provinces above and below. *Rare and impressive.* About uncirculated \$ 750



1309

- 1309 Medal. Silver. 59 mm. Unsigned (by A. Griliches, Jr. and V. Nikonov). **Prize Medal from the Main Department of State Horse Breeding, n.d. (1891).** Diakov 1056.1 (R2), Sm 987/a. Imperial eagle; ОТЪ ГЛАВНАГО УПРАВЛЕНІЯ ГОСУДАРСТВЕННАГО КОННОЗАВОДСТВА around / Laurel wreath, unengraved field. About extremely fine \$ 300



1310

- 1310 Medal. Gold. 30.5 mm, 17.3 gm. By Italian sculptor R. Signorini. **On the Death of Maria Feodorovna, 1928.** Veiled facing bust of the empress (née Dagmar of Denmark) flanked by vital dates, Russian legend around / Imperial eagle, St. George on breast, "900/000" and MH monogram in triangle below. Lustrous. About uncirculated \$ 1,000

Nicholas II, 1894-1917

Presentation Gold Coinage

Extremely Rare and Desirable 37 and One-Half Roubles



- 1311 37 1/2 Roubles – 100 Francs 1902 *. GOLD. Bit 315 (R2), Fr 170, Sev 578 (RRR), Uzd 4212 (RRR). Modelled on the French 100 Francs, this was the highest denomination coin ever minted by Russia. A mere 225 pieces were struck to be used for presentation. In his book, “Outlines of Certain Types of Russian Coins in the Past Two Centuries” (Moscow 1904), S.I. Chizhov notes that 200 pieces were given out by Nicholas II as special gifts, with the remaining 25 coins being turned over to Grand Duke Mikhailovich. *Extremely rare.* Extremely fine \$ 75,000
- Ex The Lindén Collection*

Nicholas and Alexandra Coronation Commemorative



- 1312 2 ½ Imperials – 25 Roubles 1896 *. GOLD. Bit 312 (R2), Fr 171, Sev 555 (RRR), Uzd 4211 (RRR). Mintage of only 300 pieces. *Extremely rare* and classical Russian rarity. Numerous marks and dig behind the bust. Great lustre and eye appeal. Prooflike, About uncirculated \$ 75,000

Ex The Lindén Collection

Ex Münzen und Medaillen AG, Basel, May 1989

The Rarest of Imperial Series



- 1313 Imperial – 10 Roubles 1897 АГ. GOLD. Bit 319 (R3), Fr 173, Petrov (100 Rubl.), Sev 558 (RR), Uzd 0323 (RR). *Extremely rare.* Prooflike, Uncirculated \$ 100,000

Ex The Lindén Collection

Ex Renaissance Auction, "Russian Collection", Philadelphia, August 13-14, 2000, lot 901

Classic Rarity: 1895 Half Imperial



- 1314 Half Imperial – 5 Roubles 1895 АГ. GOLD. PATTERN. Bit 320 (R3), Fr 175, Ilyin (100 Rubl.), Sev 548 (RRR). A great 19th Century Russian gold *rarity* with only 36 pieces struck. Prooflike, Uncirculated \$ 100,000

Ex The Lindén Collection



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1315	15 Roubles 1897 AG. GOLD. Bit 1 (R), Fr 177, Sev 559, Uzd 0321 (S). One-year type.	Good extremely fine	\$ 700
1316	15 Roubles 1897 AG. GOLD. Legend below the bust. Bit 2, Fr 177, Sev 562 (S), Uzd 0321 (S). One-year type.	Extremely fine	\$ 700
1317	15 Roubles 1897 AG. GOLD. Bit 2, Fr 177, Sev 561, Uzd 0321 (S). Extremely fine		\$ 700



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1318	10 Roubles 1898 AG. GOLD. Bit 3, Fr 179, Sev 564, Uzd 0327.	Extremely fine	\$ 450
1319	10 Roubles 1899 AG-AG. GOLD. Fr 179, Bit 4, Uzd 0331. Rare in this high grade. Lustrous wheaten gold. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64.	Very choice brilliant uncirculated	\$ 1,000
1320	10 Roubles 1901Φ3. GOLD. Bit 8, Sev 574, Uzd 0339.	Extremely fine	\$ 450
1321	10 Roubles 1904 AP. GOLD. Bit 12, Sev 582, Uzd 0347.	Extremely fine	\$ 450



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1322	7 1/2 Roubles 1897 AG. GOLD. Bit 17, Fr 178, Sev 557, Uzd 0324 (S). Popular one-year type.	About uncirculated to uncirculated	\$ 900
1323	7 1/2 Roubles 1897 AG. GOLD. Bit 17, Sev 557, Uzd 0324 (S).	About extremely fine	\$ 500
1324	7 1/2 Roubles 1897 AG. GOLD. Bit 17, Sev 557, Uzd 0324 (S). Edge nicks.	About extremely fine	\$ 500
1325	7 1/2 Roubles 1897 AG. GOLD. Bit 17, Sev 557, Uzd 0324 (S).	Extremely fine	\$ 500
1326	7 1/2 Roubles 1897 AG. GOLD. Bit 17, Sev 557, Uzd 0324 (S).	Very fine	\$ 500



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| 1327 | 5 Roubles 1898 АГ. GOLD. Bit 20, Sev 563, Uzd 328. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62. <i>Very scarce</i> year in high grade. | Brilliant uncirculated | \$ 500 |
| 1328 | 5 Roubles 1898 АГ. GOLD. Bit 20, Fr 180, Sev 563, Uzd 0328. <i>Very scarce</i> year in high grade. | Brilliant uncirculated | \$ 400 |
| 1329 | 5 Roubles 1898 АГ. GOLD. Bit 20, Fr 180, Sev 563, Uzd 0328. | Good very fine | \$ 250 |
| 1330 | 5 Roubles 1899 ФЗ. GOLD. Bit 24, Sev 566, Uzd 0335. | About uncirculated | \$ 250 |
| 1331 | 5 Roubles 1904 АР. GOLD. Bit 31, Sev 581, Uzd 348. Good details, robust wheaten-gold over pleasing fields. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65. | Gem brilliant uncirculated | \$ 300 |



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| 1332 | 5 Roubles 1911 ЭБ. GOLD. Bit 37 (R), Sev 592 (S), Uzd 0357 (S). <i>Rare</i> date with a low mintage of only 100,000 pcs. | Uncirculated | \$ 2,000 |
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| 1333 | Coronation of Nicholas II Commemorative Rouble 1896 (АГ). Bit 322, Sev 4035, Uzd 4197. Great lustre. Ones cleaned. | About uncirculated | \$ 750 |
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- Ex The Lindén Collection*



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| 1334 | Alexander II Memorial Commemorative Rouble 1898 АГ. By A.Griliches. Bit 323 (R), Sev 4055, Uzd 4198 (S). Blazing lustre with prooflike surfaces. Great eye appeal. | Uncirculated | \$ 6,000 |
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- Ex The Lindén Collection*



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- 1335 **Alexander II Memorial Commemorative Rouble 1898** АГ. Bit 323 (R),
Sev 4055, Uzd 4198 (S). By A. Griliches. Lustrous fields highlight devices.
Authenticated and graded by NGC AU 58. Almost uncirculated \$ 6,000



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- 1336 **Centennial of the Napoleonic War Commemorative Rouble 1912** ЭБ. Bit 334,
Sev 4164 (R), Uzd 4200 (R). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 60.
Uncirculated \$ 2,000
- 1337 **Centennial of the Napoleonic War Commemorative Rouble 1912** ЭБ. Bit 334,
Sev 4164 (R), Uzd 4200 (R). Pale, lustrous hematite-gray fields create cameo effect.
Choice about uncirculated \$ 1,500
- 1338 **Centennial of the Napoleonic War Commemorative Rouble 1912** ЭБ. Bit 334,
Sev 4164 (R), Uzd 4200 (R). Minuscule bag marks. Still very choice. Uncirculated \$ 1,750



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- 1339 **Unveiling of the Monument to Alexander III in Moscow Commemorative** Rouble 1912 3B. By A. Griliches. Bit 330 (R), Sev 4165 (RR), Uzd 4199 (R). *Rare.*
Prooflike, Uncirculated \$ 12,500

Ex The Lindén Collection

Ex Hirsch Mynthandel AB, Auktion 24, Stockholm, Sweden, May 1983, lot 609



1340



- 1340 **Tercentenary of the Romanov Dynasty Commemorative** Rouble 1913 BC. By Mikhail Skudnov. High relief. Bit 336, Sev 4180, Uzd 4201. Full obverse peripheral russet and amber hues. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 62.
Brilliant uncirculated \$ 300



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1341



to 2x

- 1341 **Bicentenary of the Battle of Gangut Commemorative** Rouble 1914 BC. Bit 337 (R2), Sev 4187 (RRR), Uzd 4202 (R). Some surface marks. *Rare.*
About uncirculated \$ 15,000

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Ex Hirsch Mynthandel AB, Stockholm, Sweden, October 1975

Trio of Brussels Mint 1897 Roubles with varieties



1342

- 1342 Rouble 1897 **. *Brussels mint*. Bit 203, Sev 4044, Uzd 2078. Light satiny gray, peripheral russet hues. Brilliant uncirculated \$ 400



1343



- 1343 Rouble 1897 “birds”. *Brussels mint*. “Pattern” edge mark. 19.56 gm. Bit 206 (R3) – no price, Julian 1200 (RRR). Very rare. Small scratch on neck. Good fine \$ 750



1344



to 2x



to 2x



- 1344 Rouble 1897 **. *Brussels mint*. Broken asterisk before 21. Overstruck edge. 19.67 gm. Cf. Uzd 2079 (R). Parts of earlier edge clear. Trial variety. Small, shallow obverse lamination. Very fine \$ 750



1345

- 1345 Rouble 1902 AP. Bit 56 (R), Sev 4101 (S), Uzd 2130 (S). Light gray, pale champagne hues. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF 45. Extremely fine \$ 1,000



to 2x



1346



to 2x

- 1346 Rouble 1903 AP. Bit 57 (R), Sev 4107 (S), Uzd 2136 (S). *Rare* date, 55,519 pcs struck. Almost uncirculated to uncirculated \$ 2,000

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1347



to 2x

- 1347 Rouble 1905 AP. Bit 59 (R1), Sev 4118 (R), Uzd 2148 (R). *Very rare* semi-key for the series with a mintage of 20,551 pieces. Bold strike. Pale gray with attractive turquoise, amber and vermillion hues. Choice about uncirculated \$ 3,000



1348

- 1348 Rouble 1908 EB. Bit 62 (R), Sev 4135 (S), Uzd 2164. Authenticated and graded by NGC XF Details – Surface hairlines. Extremely fine \$ 300



1349

- 1349 Rouble 1910 ЭБ. Bit 64 (R), Sev 4146 (S), Uzd 2176 (S). Mintage of 75,009 pcs. About extremely fine \$ 750



1350

- 1350 Rouble 1915 BC-АГ. Bit 70 (RR), Sev 4194 (R), Uzd 2213 (S). Pale slate-grey over hairlines. About uncirculated \$ 900



1351

- 1351 50 Kopecks 1912 ЗБ-АГ. Bit 91, Sev 4161, Uzd 2188. Nice cameo effect from mirrorlike fields. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 61. Brilliant PROOF \$ 2,000



1352

- 1352 10 Kopecks 1917 BC. Bit 170 (R1), Sev 4200 (RR), Uzd 2225. Frosted pale steely gray. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 63. Choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 150



- 1353 3 Kopecks 1895 СПБ. Bit 214, B 72, Uzd 3862. Good amounts of mint red and lustre in immaculate fields. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66 RB. Superb gem uncirculated \$ 500
- 1354 3 Kopecks 1903 СПБ. B 80, Bit 216, Uzd 3898. Attractive soft iridescent undertone, lustrous. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 65 BN. Gem brilliant uncirculated \$ 500
- 1355 3 Kopecks 1915. B 92, Bit 228, Uzd 3945. Abundant mint red. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 64 RB. Very choice brilliant uncirculated \$ 200
- 1356 2 Kopecks 1899 СПБ. *Rosenkranz Works in St. Petersburg*. Bit 301, B 54, Uzd 3883. Sharp devices in blazing fields with abundant mint red and some soft reverse iridescent hues. About the finest one can find of this type. Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66 RB. Superb gem uncirculated \$ 400



to 2x

1357

to 2x

- 1357 2 Kopecks 1913 СПБ. Bit 243, B 68, Uzd 3938. A magnificent example, full mint red. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 66 RD. Superb gem PROOF \$ 1,000

Ex 'Robert Hesselgesser Collection', Goldberg Sale, Beverly Hills, CA, Sept. 20-21, 2005, lot 3763



to 2x



1358



to 2x

- 1358 1 Kopeck 1900 СПБ. *Rosenkranz Works in St. Petersburg*. Bit 305, B 33, Uzd 3889. Good eye appeal, full mint red. Authenticated and graded by PCGS PF 64 RD. Very choice brilliant PROOF \$ 750



1359



- 1359 1/2 Kopeck 1895 СПБ. Special monogram – three flourishes above. B 13, Bit 267 (R2), Uzd 3865. *Rare*. Artificial red-brown Uncirculated \$ 1,500



to 2x



1360



to 2x

- 1360 1/2 Kopeck 1911 СПБ. Bit 271, B 22, Uzd 3931. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 63 BN. Choice PROOF \$ 750



to 2x



1361



to 2x

- 1361 1/2 Kopeck 1914 СПБ. Bit 274, B 25, Uzd 3944. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 63 BN. Choice PROOF \$ 750



to 2x



1362



to 2x

- 1362 1/2 Kopeck 1916. Bit 276 (R), B 27 (S), Uzd 3962. Soft cobalt-blue undertone. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65 BN. Gem PROOF \$ 1,500

Extremely Rare 1916 Patterns

During World War I, Russia proposed to devalue the copper currency yet again, going from 50 Roubles to the pood to 75 Roubles to the pood. A series of patterns were made to that end. But because of the chaos into which Russia had devolved, the new coinage idea was abandoned, and today the 1916 patterns are extremely rare.



to 2x



1363



to 2x

- 1363 PATTERN 5 Kopecks 1916. *St. Petersburg mint*. Bit 364 (R3), B 7, Uzd 3952 (RR). Imperial eagle; around: МЕДНАЯ РОССИЙСКАЯ МОНЕТА, spray below / Numeral within narrow wreath on beaded field; 1916 ГОДА ПЯТЬ КОПѢЕКЪ. *Very rare*. Coffee-brown with a handsome silvery undertone.

Choice brilliant PROOF \$ 25,000



to 2x



1364



to 2x

- 1364 PATTERN 3 Kopecks 1916. *St. Petersburg mint*. Bit 366 (R2), B 5, Uzd 3955 (RRR). Lovely light claret, bold lustre. *Very rare*. Authenticated and graded by NGC PF 65.

Gem brilliant PROOF \$ 15,000



to 2x



1365



to 2x

- 1365 PATTERN 1 Kopeck 1916. *St. Petersburg*. Pattern. Bit 370 (R3), B 3, Uzd 3961 (RRR). *Very rare*. A few tiny deposit spots on obverse and somewhat mottled dark areas in reverse field.

Uncirculated \$ 15,000

Ex: Thomas Hoiland Montauktion 'Russia III', sale, Copenhagen, Nov. 10, 2007, lot 1618 (with original sale tag)



1366

- 1366 **Odessa. Russian Steam Navigation and Trading Company.** Token. 100 Kopecks. 8.68 gm. Bronzed lead? Ship sailing left; * COMPIE RUSSE * DE NAVIGATION A VAPEUR / KOPI within wreath, value '100' stamped above, P O II III around. Only 5 and 10 Kopeck tokens of this company are occasionally seen. *Very fine and Very rare* \$ 300



1367

- 1367 Russian imitation of Austrian 4 Ducats 1905. GOLD. Bit 9 (R1), Sev 583. Bust of Alexander II emulating that of Franz Josef / Russian eagle in place of Austro-Hungarian. *Prooflike, Uncirculated* \$ 1,000
Ex The Lindén Collection

Russo-Finnish Coinage



1368

- 1368 20 Markkaa 1913 S. GOLD. Bit 391, Fr 3, KM 9.2, Uzd 4821 (R). Authenticated and graded by PCGS MS 66. A lovely, pristine coin. *Superb gem Uncirculated* \$ 600



1369

- 1369 10 Markkaa 1913 S. GOLD. Bit 394, Fr 6, KM 8.2, Uzd 4822 (R). Authenticated and graded by NGC MS 66. A perfectly matched companion piece to the above, attractive honey-gold. *Superb gem uncirculated* \$ 400

Medals of Nicholas II



1370

- 1370 Medal. Silver. 70.7 mm. By A. Vasyutinsky. **In Memory of the Wedding of Nicholas II and Alexandra Feodorovna, 1894.** Diakov 1164.1 (R3), Sm 1088. Conjoined busts of Nicholas II, in decorated uniform, and Alexandra I., wedding date before / The Wedding in the Grand Church of the Winter Palace in St. Petersburg. Bold lustre over minor contact marks. About uncirculated \$ 4,000



1371

- 1371 Medal. Silver. 51.5 mm. By A. Vasyutinsky. **To Commemorate the Coronation of Nicholas II and Alexandra Feodorovna, 1896.** Diakov 1206.2 (R2), Sm 1101/b. Conjoined heads of Nicholas II and Alexandra I. / Imperial eagle. Edge bump upper left obverse, toned a pale lavender-gray. Extremely fine \$ 1,000



Box reduced



1372

1372

- 1372 Medal. Silver. 70 mm. By Jules Clément Chaplain. **On the Visit of Nicholas II and Alexandra Feodorovna to France, 1896.** Diakov 1212.1 (R1), Sm--. Conjoined busts r. of Nicholas, uniformed, and Alexandra, wearing a tiara / Arms of Russia and Third Republic above seven-line legend. In maroon leather fitted case with gilt embossed arms of Russia and Third Republic. Extremely fine \$ 2,000



1373

- 1373 Medal. Bronze. Uniface. 101mm. Unsigned. **On the arrival of Nicholas II and Alexandra Feodorovna at Cherbourg for their State Visit to France, 1896.** Diakov - . Nicholas II in uniform and fur hat, greeted by President Émile Loubet, each holding their nation's flag, the Russian Imperial Yacht *Standart*, behind them. Suspension loop in form of a tied ribbon, a cast of good quality, much as made. Extremely fine

\$ 900

Nicholas II and Alexandra came to France as part of a grand European tour, landing in Cherbourg September 23, 1896 and visiting Paris to open the Pont Alexandre III. The tour ended in Scotland, where they stayed with Queen Victoria at Balmoral. This medal's reverse shows, faintly, the names Cronstadt and Toulon, from the 1893 Franco-Russian Alliance, and Cherbourg and Paris, from the 1896 visit.



1374

1375 (lot of 4)

- 1374 Medal. Silver. 30 x 24 mm. **Fifth Anniversary of the Kronstadt Visit and Fourth Anniversary of the Franco-Russian Alliance, 1896.** Conjoined busts r. of Alexander III and French President Marie François Sadi Carnot / French and Russian shields side-by-side and entwined, anniversary dates below. Extremely fine
- 1375 Lot of 4 Medallions relating to the **Kronstadt-Toulon/Franco-Russian Alliance, 1891-1893.** * Silvered Brass, 30 mm (2). Russian and French sailors clasped hands, flags behind / Fleet in harbor, rising sun inscribed 'PAIX'. One with a few deposit spots; * Copper, 22 mm. Russian and French officers shaking hands / Three-line legend, cities, dates around. With integral hanger; Brass, 19 mm. Alexander III and French President Carnot shake hands; UNION FRANCO-RUSSE / Ship sailing toward viewer, Russian legend below. Very fine to extremely fine (4)

\$ 300

\$ 300



1376

- 1376 **Prize Medal from the Ministry of Agriculture and State Property, nd (1894).** Silver. 65 mm. Unsigned (A. Vasyutinsky and M. Skudnov). Diakov 1159.1 (R1), Sm 1276/a. Conjoined heads of Nicholas II and Alexander III l. / Six-line legend within wreath. Attractively toned over a few minor contact marks. About uncirculated. \$ 900



1377

- 1377 **Prize Medal for Diligence and Art from the Ministry of Trade and Industry, nd (1894).** Gilt Bronze. 51 mm. Unsigned. Diakov 1144.1, Sm 1448/a. Nicholas II head l. / Seven-line legend within wreath. Small old scratch on neck, otherwise pleasing surfaces with good lustre. Uncirculated \$ 500



1378

- 1378 **Prize Medal for Diligence and Art from the Ministry of Finance, nd (1894).** Bronze. 51 mm. Unsigned (A. Vasyutinsky and S. Pogonov). Diakov 1143.1, Sm 1045/a. Nicholas II head l. / Seven-line legend. Deep cocoa-brown. About uncirculated \$ 400



1379

1379

Award Medal for the Centennial of the Birth of Alexander Sergeyevich Pushkin, 1899. Bronze. 67.3 mm. By M. Skudnov. Diakov 1289.1, Sm 1159. Head l. of the great poet and writer / Smoking altar, palm frond and laurel branches, mask, lyre, pen and inkwell set atop marble table, four-line legend above, anniversary date in medallion below. A few surface nicks lower obverse. Chestnut-brown.

Extremely fine

\$ 900

A prize medal of the Imperial Academy of Sciences. According to Diakov, "LH lists: '4 gold, 20 silver and 5000 bronze medals struck for graduate students with top marks in 1899'".



1380

1380

Medal. Gilt Bronze. 70 mm. By F. Razumny. On the Laying of the Cornerstone of the Alexander III Memorial in Paris, 1900. Diakov 1320.1 (R1), Sm--. Two allegorical female figures – Russia, with a small mallet, and France – hold hands before a portrait of Alexander III presented to them by another allegorical female figure at left, memorial in background, four-line French legend in ex. / Laureate nude woman and child recline beneath tree, the child holds a ribbon inscribed with vital date, bridge at left, 12-line legend below.

Uncirculated

\$ 750



1381

- 1381 Medal. Silver. 76.5 mm. By engraver КШ and A. Griliches, Jr. **Centennial of the Ministry of Justice, 1902.** Diakov 1354.1 (R2), Sm 1250. Conjoined heads of Nicholas II and Alexander I I. / Crowned column inscribed ЗАКОНЪ (the Law), laurel branch below; two-line legend and anniversary dates. Lightly toned.

About uncirculated

\$ 2,500



1382

- 1382 Medal. Silver. 64 mm. Unsigned, by A. Vasyutinsky. **Bicentennial of the Founding of St. Petersburg, 1903.** Diakov 1370.1 (R2), Sm 1269. Conjoined heads of Nicholas II and Peter I, laureate, l. / Russia standing in the clouds beneath a radiant star, holding a wreath and shield, Imperial eagle, wings spread upwards, at her feet. Below is a panorama of the Petropavlovskaya fortress and the anniversary dates. Medium gray.

Extremely fine

\$ 1,000



1383

- 1383 Medal. Bronze. 64 mm. Unsigned, by A. Vasyutinsky. **Bicentennial of the Founding of St. Petersburg, 1903.** Diakov 1370.1, Sm 1269. Types as above. Small spot of dirt on obverse. Deep orange-brown.

About uncirculated

\$ 400

Magnificent, Excessively Rare and Important Gold Romanov Tercentenary Medal



to 1.5x



1384

- 1384 Medal. Gold. 75 mm, 316.45 gm. Atelier of A. Jakkar, engraved by M. Kerzin. On the 300th Anniversary of the Romanov Dynasty, 1913. Diakov 1548.1 (R5) [this medal], Sm---. Conjoined busts of Nicholas II and Michael Feodorovich facing $\frac{3}{4}$ r., anniversary dates below / Proclamation scene with oath-takers before Michael Feodorovich, the young son of the Patriarch Filaret and the nun Xenia (Marpha Ivanovna), signed ГР. А. ЖАККАРЪ below right. This medal was featured in an extensive and extraordinary offering of Russian medals in the Schweizerischer Bankverein Sale in 1981. It brought the highest price of any Russian medal or coin in the sale. *Extremely rare* and one of only a few known in gold; undoubtedly presented to a high dignitary during the Anniversary celebration. According to Diakov, technical problems with the Jakkar-produced dies (in all three metals), led to the reassignment of engraving work to M. Skudnov. Matte strike.

Very choice uncirculated \$ 75,000

Ex Schweizerischer Bankverein (UBS) Sale # 10, Basel, January 27-29, 1981, lot 1482, with original auction tag



1384 to 1.5x

R.S.F.S.R.



1385

1385 1 Chervonetz 1923. GOLD. Fr 181.
Ex The Lindén Collection

Uncirculated \$ 2,000

USSR



1387



1386



1387

1386 10 Kopecks 1958. Copper-nickel. Pattern. Fed IV 142a. Y A130. *Rare*

About uncirculated

\$ 1,000

1387 25 Roubles 1988. Palladium (1 ounce). *Millennium of Christianity in Russia*. Y.212. Monument to Vladimir, Grand Duke of Kiev and to Russia's Christian Millennium. *Mintage of 7,000 pieces.*

Brilliant PROOF

\$ 750

I: Orders, Badges



IMPERIAL RUSSIA

ORDERS

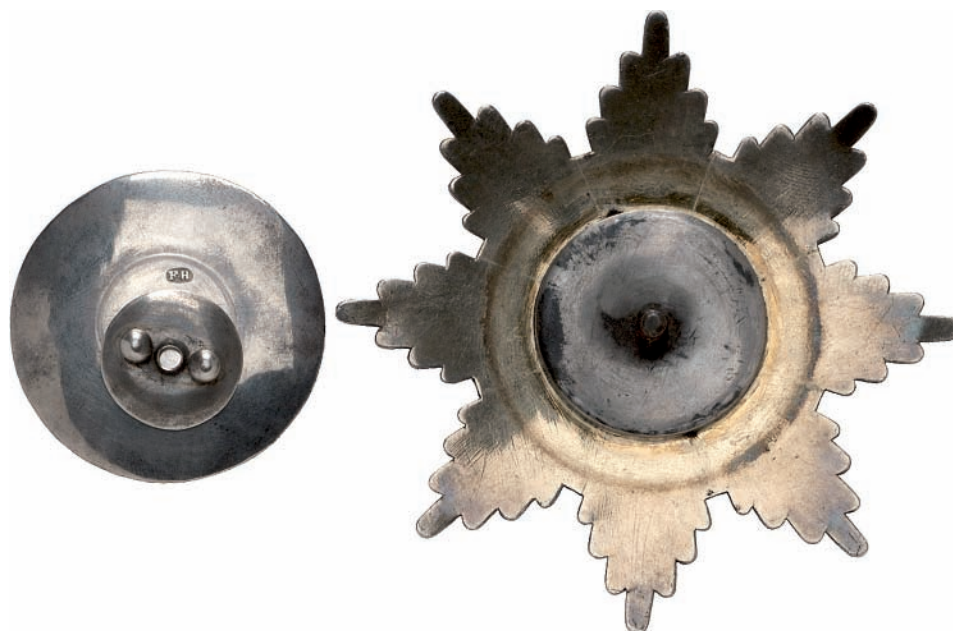
ORDER OF ST. ALEXANDER NEVSKY



2001



detail to 2x



2001 Breast Star. Silver, Gold. 82.6 mm. Late 1840's – early 1850's. St. Petersburg. By Frederick Adolf Golshenius - Фредерика Адольфа Хольстениус. Silver, gold, enamel. Maker's mark 'F.H' on screwplate. Crowned monogram, crowned wreath and motto of the order 'ЗА ТРУДЫ И ОТЕЧЕСТВО' – all in gold. White and dark red enameled medallion. Gold plated reverse. Screwback construction *Very rare* early star.

Condition:

Minimal wear due to edge, problem free and choice

\$ 25,000

ORDER OF THE WHITE EAGLE



detail to 2x



2002



detail to 2x

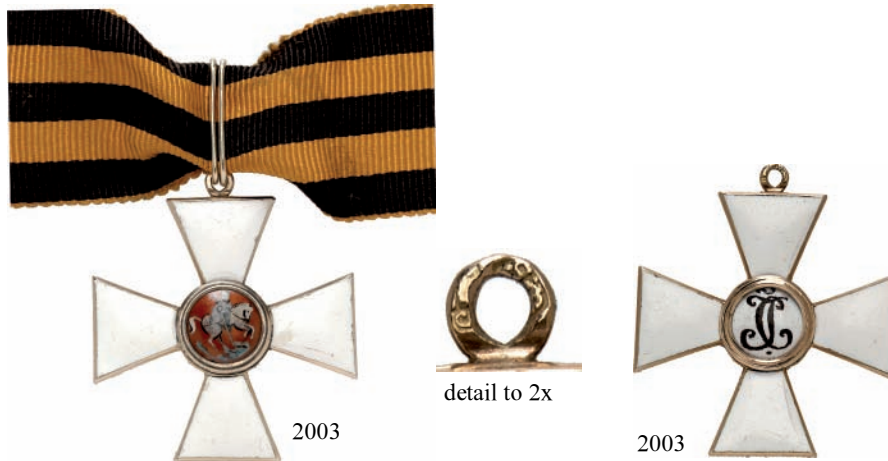
2002 Breast Star. 86.57 mm. Silver, gold. Ca. 1870's- 1880's. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. Maker's mark 'K' Hallmarked 84 and St. Petersburg essay marks on base. Mark 'K' on a pin. Motto of the order: 'PRO EIDE REGE ET LEGE' embossed in gold. Star is heavy early construction. Gold plated. Vertical pinback. A *Rare* and magnificent piece

Condition:

Minimal wear, problem free

\$ 20,000

ORDER OF ST. GEORGE



- 2003 **4th Class.** Cross. 34.69 mm. Gold. 9. 26 gm. Ca. 1880's- 1890's. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked 56 (14K) and maker's mark 'Ф.В'. Very primitive medallion with St. George. Scarve fully marked early cross. Comes on ribbon
- Condition:* Much wear and some chipping of white enamel. Still overall very presentable. Very fine \$ 10,000



- 2004 **4th Class.** Cross. Bronze. Gold plated. 35 mm. Ca. 1916-1917. Petrograd. Produced by Eduard company (unmarked) as is typical for these crosses. A popular late WWI issue. Comes on ribbon
- Condition:* Touches of wear. Problem free and better than average \$ 1,500

- 2005 Miniature – Special **Honorary Weapons 'For Bravery' Award.** Gold. Multi-enamels. 4.46 gm. 18 mm. By Eduard. Hallmarked '56' (14K) and 'ВД' (Varvara Dietwald) on back. A popular piece that fits in both Russian Award and Cold Weapons collections.
- Condition:* Near mint \$ 2,000



- 2006 Insignia of the Military Order for Enlisted Man for Bravery. **St. George cross. 2nd Class.** Gold. So-called "electrum" issue. Ca. 1915-1916. St. Petersburg Mint. Award number 35 633. 'Kokoshnik' mark on a lower Cross arm.
- Condition:* Touches of wear, still much better than average \$ 5,000

ORDER OF ST. VLADIMIR



2007 Cross. **3rd Class. Military Division.** Gold. 45 mm. Circa end of 19th – early 20th Century. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. ‘ЭДУАРДЪ’ and ‘ВД’ marks on reverse, two ‘kokoshnik’ marks on sword hilts. On collector’s ribbon.

Condition:

Choice and problem free \$ 15,000



2008 Cross. **3rd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 45.25 mm. 12.46 gm. Ca. 1880’s- 1890’s. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop. Maker’s mark ‘Д’ on a low arm.

Condition:

Moderate wear, problem free, impressive \$ 10,000



- 2009 Cross. **4th Class. Military Division.** Gold. 34.46 mm. 9.83 gm. Ca. late 1890's. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked 56 (14K) and unclear two letters mark on loop. 'Kokoshnik' marks on sword hilts. A premium "bombe"-type cross.

Condition:

Superb premium item \$ 7,500

- 2010 Cross. **4th Class. Military Division.** Gold. 34.54 mm. 10.45 gm. Ca. late 1890's. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14K) – remnants of the mark on loop. Markers mark 'ВД' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' on top and lower arms on reverse. Comes on collector's ribbon.

Condition:

Nice and problem free \$ 5,000



- 2011 Cross. **4th Class. Special Award for 35 Years of Long Service.** Gold. 34.91 mm. 8.43 gm. Ca. late 1890's. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop. Imperial Warrant on top and 'ВД' marker's marks on lower arm on reverse. Comes on collector ribbon. *Scarve.*

Condition:

Natural black enamel imperfections on reverse.

Choice and nice looking cross \$ 10,000



- 2012 Cross. **4th Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 34.83 mm. 6.75 gm. Ca. late 1890's. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop. Imperial Warrant on top and 'ВД' marker's marks on lower arm on reverse.

Condition:

Nice and problem free \$ 4,000

ORDER OF ST. ANNE



- 2013 Cross. **2nd Class. Flat Black Enamel type.** Gold. 45.19 mm. 21.68 gm Ca. 1860's – 1870's. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop. *Rare.* Comes on ribbon
Condition: Problem free, very impressive, quality cross \$ 15,000



- 2014 Cross. **2nd Class. Military Division.** Gold. 44 mm. 17.92 gm. Ca. late 1890's – early 1900's. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14K) – remnants of mark on loop. Markers mark 'ВД' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' on top and lower arms on reverse.
Condition: Enamel somewhat worn out and uneven. Very fine \$ 3,500



2015



detail to 3x



2015

2015 Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 44 mm. 14.18 gm. St. Petersburg. 1866. Hallmarked 56 (14K) and year mark '1866' on loop. Imperial warrant on top unclear due to dark enamel mark on bottom arms on reverse. *Rare* early cross of premium quality.

Condition:

Problem free. Superb

\$ 6,000



2016



2016 Cross. **3rd Class. Military Division.** Silver. 37 mm. Gold plated. European, possibly Austrian manufacture. Circa late 19th Century. Medallion, overall good quality work.

Condition:

Chipping of the red enamel. Extremely fine otherwise

\$500



2017



detail to 3x



2017

2017 Cross. **3rd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 35 mm. 7.47 gm. Ca. 1870's. By Albert Keibel. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked '56' (14K) on loop. Unclear mark atop and maker's mark 'AK' on bottom arm on back. A *Scarce* early cross,

Condition:

Superb

\$ 1,500



2018

- 2018 Cross. **3rd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 35 mm. Late 1870's – 1892. St. Petersburg. By Albert Keibel. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. Unclear Imperial eagle mark on top and maker's mark 'AK' on bottom arm on reverse. Bears French import mark 'ET' (used prior to 1892) on loop, often placed on non-French orders made outside France. Comes on a ribbon.

Condition:

Choice and problem free

\$ 1,500



2019

2019

to 2x

- 2019 **Badge for the Order. 4th Class. Weapons Award.** Bronze and red enamel. 21 mm (not including crown). Screwback construction. *These pieces were attached to award weapons.*

Condition:

Some enamel loss at top, otherwise a pleasing example

\$ 1,250



2020

to 2x

- 2020 Miniature Cross. Flat black enamel. Gold. 4.11gm. 13 mm. Mounted on a contemporary made sword. Unmarked. Ca. 1860's-1870's. Apparently worn by St. Anne Honorary weapon recipient. Scarce thus.

Condition:

Enamel chip on low medallion.
Otherwise very nice and presentable piece

\$ 1,500

ORDER OF ST. STANISLAUS



2021



2021



2021

1st Class Set. Civil Division. Cross. Gold. Red, green and white enamels. 64 mm. By Eduard. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked '56' (14K) on loop, 'ВД' (Varvara Dietwald) and '...УАРД' on top and bottom back arm; Star. 89 mm. Silver and green, white and red enamels. By Keibel. Hallmarked '84 (head)', warrant 'Imperial eagle' and 'Keibel' on the back of the plaque and pin. Comes on a full length sash.

Condition:

Very choice premium condition set \$ 15,000



2022

2022

Cross. **2nd Class. Military Division.** Gold. 49 mm. 23.35 gm. Ca. late 1890's – early 1900's. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14K) – on a loop. Markers mark 'ВД' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' on top and lower arms on reverse.

Condition:

Mint. An impressive cross

\$ 4,000



2023

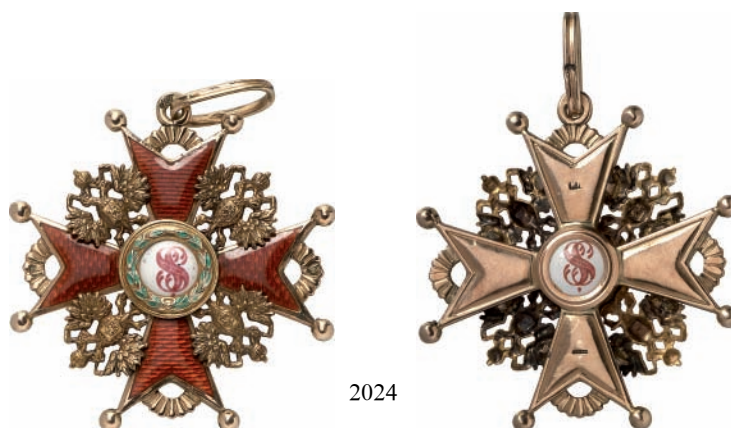
2023

Cross. **2nd Class. Military Division.** Bronze. 48 mm. Ca. 1916-1917. St. Petersburg. By Eduard. Marked 'K' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' on reverse lower arm.

Condition

Near mint

\$ 1,250



2024

2024

Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 43.4 mm. 10.14 gm. Ca. end of 19th – early 20th Century. By Eduard. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop, 'ИЛ' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' marks on reverse. Comes on ribbon.

Condition

Near mint

\$ 2,000



2025



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2025

2025 Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division. Non-Christian.** Gold. 44 mm. 18.01 gm. By Julius Keibel. St. Petersburg. Hallmarked '56' (14K) on loop. Uncertain mark and 'IK' on top and bottom arms on back. Red, green and black enamels. *Very rare.* On ribbon.

Condition:

A handsome, Near mint example \$ 15,000



2026 to 0.66x



2027



2026 Case of issue. **St. Stanislaus 3rd Class, Civil Division.** Red leatherette with embossed lettering.

Condition:

Side lock is missing. Mint inside, very nice, clean and presentable

\$ 750

2027 Miniature bar of 5. Including Order of St. Anne and four other European Orders. All in gold. 12.98 gm. 18 cm length. European manufacture. Unmarked. Every order is double-sided and of remarkable quality. A truly pleasing miniature set.

Condition:

A Gem

\$ 2,500

MEDALS



2028

- 2028 **Award Medal for the Establishment of the Foundling Home in St. Petersburg, 1763.** Silver. 50.3 mm. By T. Ivanov and J.G. Waechter. Bit 602 (R2). Crowned and mantled bust of Catherine the Great r., signed below: ТИМОФЕИ. ИВАНОВЪ / Faith standing r., holding a cross over her shoulder and consoling a woman, cradling her baby, seated before her, building in the distance with Catherine the Second's monogram, column at left signed J.G. Waechter f.; И ВЫ ЖИВИ БУДЕТЕ 1: Г: 14:С: 19 ("You Too Shall Live. Gospels, 14-19") above, date in ex. Integral loop. *This Extremely rare Award was issued under Alexander I, circa 1808.*

Condition:

Lovely old toning – deep violet-lavender gray with pale amber highlights and sparkling lustre. Choice extremely fine

\$ 15,000



2029

2030

2029

- 2029 Medal. Novodel. Bronze. 51 mm. By C. Leberecht. **For the Foundation of the Bourse at St. Petersburg, 1805.** Cf. Diakov 297.1, cf. CRM 264, cf. Reichel 3112, cf. Sm 347. Uniformed bust of Alexander I r., signed КАРАЪ ЛЕБЕРЕХТЪ below / View of the Bourse building, in front ships pass on the Neva River, signed above the exergue C. LEBERECHE F. on left and TS. THOMON ART. (Architect Ts. Thomon) on right. Integral loop. *Rare.*

Condition:

Deep caramel-brown over some friction marks About uncirculated

\$ 1,000

- 2030 **Award Medal for 'Faith and Fatherland' to the Territorial Army, 1807.** Bronze. Novodel. 28.5 mm. By C. Leberecht. Bit H579 (R2). Head of Alexander I r., signed C. Leberecht f. below / ЗА ВѢРУ И ОТЕЧЕСТВО - ЗЕМСКОМУ ВОЙСКУ in four lines within oak wreath.

Condition:

Rich, deep coffee-brown. Uncirculated

\$ 750



- 2031 Large Neck **Medal for Zeal, 1811**. Silver. 51 mm. 51.23 gm (including suspension ring). By I. Shilov. Bit 514 (R3) – unlisted date, Diakov 270.5 (R3) – unlisted date, Sm--., Peters 7/c. Alexander I head r.; АЛЕКСАНДРЪ ПЕРВОЙ Б.М. ИМПЕРАТОРЪ ВСЕРОС, date 1811 below / Legend around: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal', braided inner circle, outer quadruple-band. On coiled suspender ring. *Unpublished date and Extremely rare.*

Condition:

Some surface scratches and contact marks, lovely lavender-gray with lustre. Extremely fine

\$ 10,000



- 2032 **Special Occasion Award Medal for the Visit of the Persian Prince Khusrau Mirza to the St. Petersburg Mint, 1829**. Silver. 65 mm. By V. Alexeev. Diakov 474.1 (R3), CRM 368, Reichel 3508 (AE), Sm 452. Head of Nicholas I r., signed B. АЛЕКСѢВ. P. on truncation / Four-line Persian legend, date below, within laurel wreath. The middle two lines of Persian inscription have been deliberately effaced in the past, possibly to provide a surface for a presentation inscription which never occurred. Screw loop for award presentation and display. Extremely rare.

Condition:

Lovely old toning – lilac-lavender gray with soft iridescent hues and rich lustre. Small edge bruise

\$ 7,500



- 2033 Large Neck **Medal for Zeal**. Silver. 51 mm. 50.80 gm. By П. М. Bit 869A (R2). Alexander II head r., signed 'П.М.' on truncation / Legend around: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal', braided inner circle, outer quadruple-band.
Condition: Numerous contact marks. Extremely fine \$ 3,000



- 2034 **Award Medal for the Caucasus 1871**. Silver, 28.7 mm. Bit 979 (R2), Diakov 776.1 (R3), Peters 150, Sm 722, Werlich 102B, Alexander II head r. / КАВКАЗЪ, star above, 1871 ГОДА below. Integral loop. *Extremely rare*, especially so nice
Condition: Deep slate-gray with ample lustre. Choice about uncirculated \$ 5,000



2035

- 2035 Large Neck **Medal for Zeal**. Silver. 51 mm. 58.15 gm. By L. Steinman. Bit 1011 (R2), Diakov 896.1 (R3), Sm 832/a, Peters 161/a. Alexander III head r., signed Л. ШТЕЙНМАНЪ Р. below / Legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal' around, braided inner circle, quadruple-band outer.

Condition: Deep slate gray over some friction hairlines and abundant lustre, About uncirculated

\$ 5,000



2036

- 2036 Large Neck **Medal for Zeal**. Silver. 50.5 mm. 58.88 gm (including suspender loop). By A. Griliches. Bit 1014.A (R1), Diakov 896.4 (R3), Sm 832/a, Peters 162/a. Alexander III head r., signed А.Г. on truncation / Legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal' around, braided inner circle, quadruple-band outer. With suspender ring.

Condition: Nice old toning. Extremely fine

\$ 3,000



2037

- 2037 Large Neck **Medal for Zeal**. Gold. 51.3 mm. 74.99 gm. Bit 1115, Diakov 1138.2 (R2). Nicholas II bust l. / Legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal'.

Condition: Light contact marks and light reddish deposits in periphery. Uncirculated

\$ 7,500



- 2038 **Medal for Zeal.** Gold. 30 mm. 24.08 gm. Bit 1117o (R), Diakov 1138.3 (R1), Sm 1038/b, Peters 180/б. Nicholas II bust l. / Legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal'.
Condition: Pleasing lustre and superb for issue \$ 4,000



- 2039 **Medal for Blameless Prison Guard Service.** Silver. 36 mm. Bit 1138 (R2), Diakov 1146.1 (R2), Peters 181, Sm 1063. Head of Nicholas II l., outer raised wreath / Five-line legend, outer raised wreath. *Rare.*
Condition: Frosty pale silver-gray, lustrous. About uncirculated \$ 1,500



- 2040 **Award Medal of the Moscow Practical Academy of Commercial Sciences.** Silver. Novodel. 28.7 mm. Bit H1135 (R3), Chep 895, Cf.Diakov 1142.3 (R3) – where it is miscataloged, Cf.Peters 187, Sm 1056. Nicholas II head left / Caduceus; ЗА ДОСТОИНСТВО М.П. АКАДЕМІЯ К.Н. *Very rare*
Condition: Some contact marks, lightly toned. Extremely fine \$ 2,500



2041



2041 Researched Medal for Zeal to Royal Navy Seaman James Partridge.
Awarded to Able Seaman James Partridge, Royal Navy H.M.S. "Jupiter"

As a reply to an inquiry for help from the Russian Government, on Feb. 5th, 1915, the British Admiralty sent the H.M.S. "Jupiter" to Archangelsk. The White Sea was frozen, and 2 Russian regular icebreakers were broken down and out of service. A cargo ship "Thracia", loaded with military equipment and ammunition, got caught in the ice off Archangelsk, and "Jupiter" was sent to the rescue. With great difficulties and hardship, the "Jupiter" got the towline on the "Thracia", and started the tow for Archangelsk. The tow rope parted under the strain, and volunteers were requested to man the longboat, retrieve the ends of the towrope and splice it together. sixteen volunteers on a longboat performed this extremely hard task, all done in under -20C temperatures. As a result, after 2 days of extremely hard work, the "Thracia" was saved and towed for 20 kilometers to Archangelsk. The entire crew of H.M.S. "Jupiter" was awarded with Russian awards, and the list of names was printed in the "London Gazette" on November 19th, 1919. They were also presented to King George V and congratulated.

It is rumored that the Russian Emperor Nicholas II was on his tour in Archangelsk in August of 1916, and personally handed out these awards to all the crewmen of "Jupiter" on August 4th, 1916.

Group comes with: Medal for Zeal (silver, Nicholas II, rare 28mm variety, named and numbered on a rim: 151974. J. Partridge, A.B. H.M.S. Jupiter).

- British War 1914-1918 medal (silver, named and numbered on a rim: 151974 J. Partridge, A.B. R.N.).
- British Naval Long Service & Good Conduct medal (silver, Edward VII, named and numbered on a rim: 151974 James Partridge, Boatn. H.M. Coast Guard).

- British Victory medal (bronze, named and numbered on a rim: 151974 J. Partridge, A.B. R.N.).
- Original photo of James Partridge in uniform (made as postcard, which was customary at the time).
- Original Certificate of Service of James Partridge (contains his entire career record).

В ответ на просьбу о помощи от Русского Правительства, Британское Адмиралтейство отправило 5-го февраля 1915г. линкор "Юпитер" в Архангельск. Белое море к тому времени замерзло, оба русских ледохода вышли из строя, и "Юпитер" был выслан на помощь грузовому кораблю "Трасия", груженному военной техникой и аммуницией, и застрявшему во льдах недалеко от Архангельска. С огромными трудностями, взрывая лед по дороге взрывчаткой, "Юпитер" смог добраться до "Трасии", взять её на буксир, и начать движение в сторону Архангельска. Но от перенагрузки трос порвался, и 16 добровольцев на лодке, при температуре ниже -20 по Цельсию, были отправлены для ремонта троса. В результате двух дней сверхтяжелых работ в экстремальных условиях, "Трасию" удалось спасти, протаскив полностью груженный корабль во льдах 20 километров до Архангельска. Вся команда "Юпитера" была награждена русскими орденами и медалями, список имен напечатан в "Лондонской Газете" от 19го ноября 1919г. Они также были официально представлены королю Георгу V. Из воспоминаний двух моряков, бывших в числе тех 16 добровольцев, русский Император Николай II лично вручал им их медали в Архангельске, 4-го августа 1916г." Группа состоит из 28мм медали "За Усердие", с выбитыми по гурту "151974. J. Partridge, A.B. H.M.S. Jupiter", тремя британскими медалями периода Первой Мировой (все с выбитыми данными кавалера), оригинальной фото Дж. Партриджа в форме, и оригиналом его полного послужного списка.

Rare set with Russian imperial medal to a British sailor, elusive in such compilation.

Condition:

Excellent and problem free condition all items

\$ 2,500



2042

2042 Miniature medals set with Medal for Bravery to Royal Navy Seaman

Group comes on apparently original miniature ribbons.

Order of the British Empire (O.B.E. cross, silver, 21mm x 29mm).

British War 1914-1918 medal (silver, 18mm).

British Victory medal (bronze, 18mm).

British Naval Long Service & Good Conduct medal (silver, 18mm, George V).

Medal for Bravery (silver, 18mm, without class designation)."

Condition:

Excellent and problem free condition all items

\$ 250

BADGES



- 2043 **Badge for Graduation from the Nikolaevsky (Nicholas') Academy of General Staff.** P/B 1.1.1. Silver. Screwback. Hallmarked '(head) 84' and 'ПЗ' on back and screwback. Wreath tied at bottom with ribbon, ends hanging, Imperial eagle at center.

Condition:

slight bend, otherwise very well preserved

\$ 1,000



- 2044 **Badge for Graduation from the Nikolaevsky (Nicholas') Academy of General Staff.** P/B 1.1.1. Bronze. Two-piece construction. Screwback. Types as above.

Condition:

Choice and well-preserved

\$ 500

- 2045 **Badge. Marking Graduation from the Officers Rifle School.** P/B 1.1.42. Bronze. Screwback. Wreath with superimposed Imperial eagle over crossed rifles. Unusual manufacture as the rifles are crossed above the eagle's tail, normally they are below.

Condition:

Faint deposits, well-preserved

\$ 500

- 2046 **Badge. Marking Graduation from the Military School at Chuguev.** P/B 1.2.3. Silver and enamels. Multi-piece construction. Screwback. Hallmarked '(head) 84' and 'КП' and engraved 'N 3343' on back of cross. 'Э КОРТМАНЪ' (Eduard Kortmann) on backplate. Maltese Cross enameled in red with white borders, gilt-rimmed, red-enameled central medallion with St. George in multi enamels.

Condition:

Some very minor enamel digs, overall very well preserved

\$ 1,750



- 2047 **Badge. For Graduation from the Cavalry School at Elizavetgrad.** P/B 1.3.2. Silver and enamels. Multi-piece, screwback. Hallmarked '(head)', '(head) 84' and 'JP' on back of eagle's wing. Imperial eagle of the Elizaveta Petrovna era, radiant Alexander II monogram 'AII' and date 18-65 behind heads, shield on breast with St. George in multi-enamels, crowned cipher breastplate below HHDE ("Nicholas Nikolaevich Friend of Elizavetgrad").

Condition:

Choice and problem free

\$ 1,750



- 2048 **Badge. Marking Graduation from Konstantinovsky (Konstantin's) Artillery School in St. Petersburg.** P/B 1.4.1. Bronze and enamels. Screwback. Crowned white-enamined cross, '1807' and '1907' top and bottom, Alexander I and Nicholas II monograms left and right. Green enamel wreath at center encircling crowned letter 'K' (monogram of Grand Duke Konstantin Pavlovich).

Condition:

Minor enamel restotartion, otherwise Choice and attractive

\$ 750



- 2049 **Badge. Marking Graduation from the Naval Corps in St. Petersburg.** P/B 1.8.5. Gilt Silver and enamels. Multi-piece construction. Screwback. Hallmarked '(Head) 84' and maker's mark 'DO' for Dmitri Osipov. Laurel and oak branch wreath, crossed anchors, light blue and red enamel shield atop with Naval Corps cyghend and emblems at center, crowned Imperial eagle above. *A massive badge of premium quality*

Condition:

Choice and problem free, Superb

\$ 4,000



2050

- 2050 **Badge. Noting the Graduation from the Imperial Alexander's Lyceum at Tsarskoe Selo for Graduates of the First Two Categories.** P/B 2.28. Silver and gilt. Multi-piece construction. Screwback. Hallmarked '(head) 84' and 'AB' back bottom, '(head)' on backplate and 'AB' on backplate and screwback. Within wreath, Imperial eagle above Alexander I monogram 'A', crown atop column representing Justice below, scroll at bottom inscribed in Russian "For Public Benefit".

Condition:

Some wear to very bottom. Extremely fine

\$ 1,500

Александровский лицей (до 1844 г. Царскосельский), закрытое учебно-воспитательное заведение для детей потомственных дворян. Открыт в 1811 г. в Царском Селе, в 1843 г. переведен в С.-Петербург, переименован в честь Императора Александра II. По уставу 1810 г. цель лицея — обучение и воспитание дворянского юношества, "особенно предназначенного к важным частям службы государственной".



to 1.5x

2051

- 2051 **Badge of the Committee to Assist Soldiers, Victims of War and their Families.** P/B 3.28. By Karl Faberge. Silver and enamels. Hallmarked 'ФАБЕРЖЕ' behind eagle, zolotniki mark '88' on pin. Imperial eagle with fanlike tail superimposed on laurel wreath, shield with Moscow Arms in multi-enamels on breast, white enameled crossed scepter and orb and long cross below; at bottom is a blue-enameled ribbon inscribed ЗА ВѢРУ ЦАРЯ И ОТЕЧЕСТВО. The named inscription on the back is weak and has been deliberately effaced. *A popular and well known Faberge firm production cited in most references on this world famous jeweler.*

Condition:

Enamel loss on orb and scepter, otherwise pleasing and well preserved

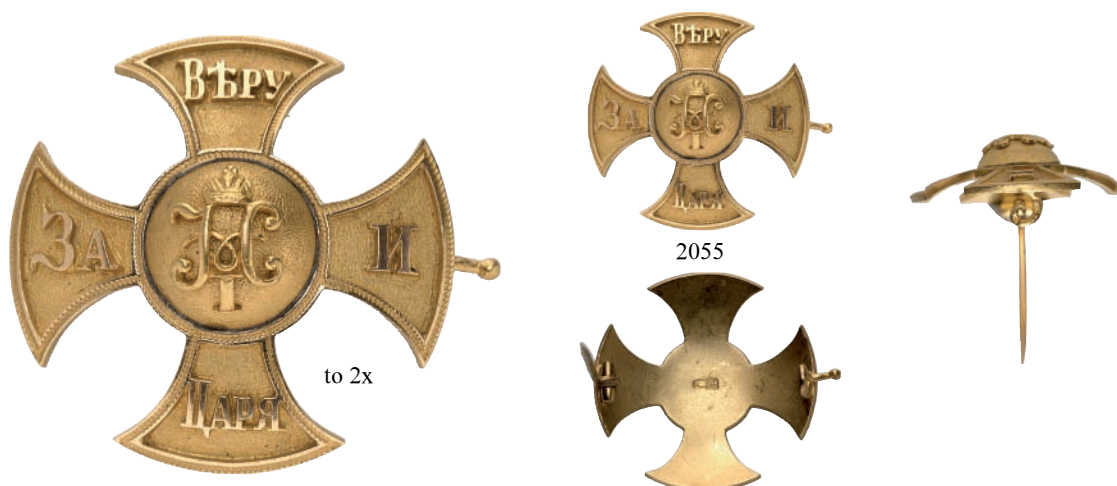
\$ 5,000



- 2052 **Badge. In Honor of the Centennial of the Ministry of Defence.** P/B 4.12. Gilt Bronze and enamels. Multi-piece construction. Screwback. Imperial eagle, monograms of Alexander I and Nicholas II on left and right wing, raised medallion at center with inset St. George in multi-enamels, Order of St. George in enamels below, raised figure '100' on eagle's tail. Impressive and great looking badge
Condition: Choice and problem free \$ 1,000
- 2053 **Red Cross Badge.** P/B 7.5. Silver and enamels. Vertical pinback. Two-piece construction. Hallmarked '84 (head)' on back. White enameled shield with "Love your neighbor as yourself" legend in Russian, red enameled cross at center, crown with ribbon above.
Condition: Choice and near Mint \$ 300



- 2054 **Badge. In Honor of the 200th Anniversary of St. Petersburg for Officials Serving in the Office of the St. Petersburg Borough and in the Capital Police.** P/B 11.3 6. Bronze with enamels. Multi-piece construction. Screwback. Laurel and oak wreath, crown atop, '1703' and '1903' on its ribbon. At center are superimposed monograms of Peter I and Nicholas II, Heraldic shield in multi-enamels below. *Rare*
Condition: A good deal of enamel loss on ribbons, bottom and top pieces somewhat loose, otherwise well preserved \$ 1,750



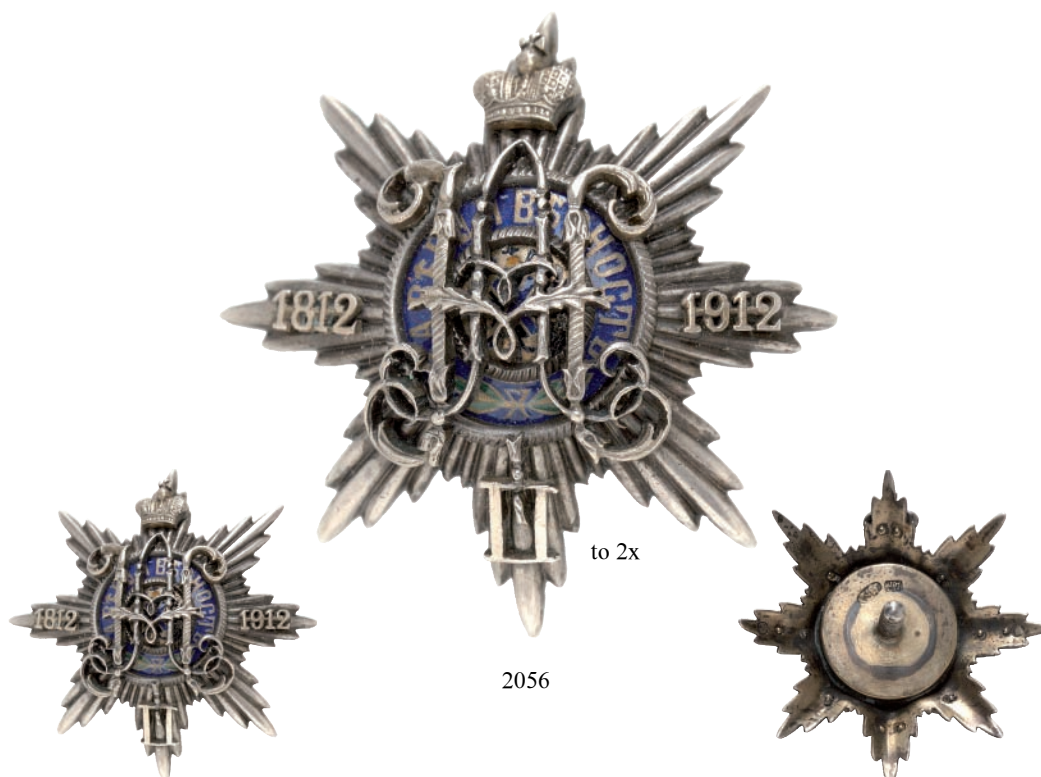
- 2055 **Badge of the Life Guards 4th Rifle Regiment of the Imperial Family.** P/B 3.2.2. GOLD. 6.75 gm. Pinback. Hallmarked '(head) 56' on back. Cross. 'ЗА ВѢРУ И ЦАРЯ' ("for Faith and the Tsar") inscribed on its arms. Cipher of Nicholas I at center. This badge was worn on the cockade of the helmet. *Extremely rare.*

Condition:

Choice mint state

\$ 25,000

Полк основан в 1854 году на основе подвижного Ополчения направлявшегося в Севастополь для участия в боевых действиях, но не успело ввиду окончания войны. С момента его основания, полк не имел своего знака и был утвержден золотой ополченческий крест уменьшенного размера с вензелем Николая I.



- 2056 **Badge commemorating the Centennial of the Guards Military Headquarters and the St. Petersburg Military District.** P/B 3.5.3. Silver and enamels. Multi-piece, screwback. Hallmarked '(head) 84' and 'A.P.' on backplate. Star of St. Andrew with blue and green enameled center, combined cipher of Alexander I and Nicholas II superimposed at center, anniversary dates far left and right.

Condition:

A handsome, problem free badge

\$ 2,500



2057

- 2057 **Badge of the 11th Fanagorsky Grenadier Regiment of Generalissimo Prince Suvorov, later his Imperial Highness Grand Duke Dimitri Pavlovich.** P/B 4.1.12, W 168. Bronze cross with silver medallion at center with the bust of Suvorov. Two-piece construction. Screwback.

Condition:

Attractive with minimal wear, problem free

\$ 750



2058

to 2x

2058

- 2058 **Badge of the 171st Kobrin Infantry Regiment.** P/B 4.2.136. Silver, gold and enamels. Multi-piece, screwback. Hallmarked '(head) 84' and 'BA' (intended to be ВД? for Varvara Dietwald) back bottom, 'ЭДУАРД' for Eduard on backplate and '84' on screwback. Wreath with regimental ribbon in light blue enamel, Imperial eagle top center, Gold shield with Kobrin Arms – Auroch and plough – in red and green enamels below on eagle's tail, light blue enameled ribbon at bottom with dates 1811-1911, raised gold Roman numeral 'C' at center. *Very rare. A similar badge in silver brought 800,000. Rubles on November 24, 2012 at 'Moneti I Medalii' Sale # 78, lot 220,*

Condition:

A few tiny enamel cracks, a very Choice and desirable piece

\$ 12,500



to 1.5x



2059



2060

- 2059 **Badge. 15th Mounted Artillery Brigade.** P/B 6.2.10, W 494. Bronze, Patinated Bronze. Multi-piece, screwback. Crown with regimental ribbon above ciphers of Alexander I and Nicholas II, helmet over crossed cannons below, dates 1803-1903 left and right.

Condition

Choice and problem free \$ 2,000

Ex Robert Werlich Collection. Comes with his personal collection envelope

Ex 'The New York Sale' Auction XXII, New York, Jan. 8, 2009, lot 2199

- 2060 **Badge. Centennial of the Local Troops.** P/B 10.1. Bronze and red enamel. Multi-piece construction, screwback. Imperial eagle superimposed on wreath, dates 1811-1911 by crown, 'C' on breast on red enamel, 'MB' on ribbon below. Junior officer's badge of better workmanship.

Condition:

Well preserved and problem free \$ 1,000



2061

- 2061 **Badge. Sveaborg Fortress.** P/B 7.2. Two-piece construction of Bronze and White Metal. Screwback. Screwplate with Eduard mark. Wreath, Imperial eagle at center top above shield with name of fortress and altar, crossed flags, ax and spade, cannons and rifles behind. Accompanied by a related studio photo of a private wearing a Sveaborg badge and shoulderboards – inscribed and dated December 20, 1915 on back. An interesting pair.

Condition:

Pleasing and well preserved \$ 1,000

Ex 'The New York Sale' Auction XXII, New York, Jan. 8, 2009, lot 2213



2062

- 2062 **Badge. Poulkovo Observatory of Principal Physics.** W 625. Gilt Silver. Hallmarked '84' and maker's mark 'AB' for Alexander Brylov. Vertical pinback. *Rare.*
Condition: Finely detailed badge, Superb \$ 1,500
Ex Robert Werlich Collection. Comes with his personal collection envelope



2063

- 2063 **Badge for Putting the Regulations of 1861 into Effect.** P/B 12.1. Silver, gilt. Hallmarked '84' and maker's mark 'IN'. Screwback. Maltese cross with crowned Alexander II cipher at center, 17—АПРѢЛЯ 18-63 on arms. Outer ribbon around with the legend: 'ЗА ВВЕДЕНІЕ ВЪ ДѢЙСТВІЕ ПОЛОЖЕНІЙ 1861 ГОДА.'
Condition: About extremely fine \$ 1,250



2064

- 2064 **Honorable Badge for Deeds Done for the System of Land Use.** P/B 12.6. Bronze, gilt and green enamel. Multi-piece construction, screwback. ИПОГАФз stamped on backplate. Maltese cross, date '19-06' across, '19 ФЕВРАЛЯ 1861' above, '29 МАЯ 1911' below, diamond lozenge superimposed with Nicholas II monogram, green enamel below, outer diamond with green enamel border behind inscribed: 'ЗА ТРУДЫ ПО ЗЕМЛЕ УСТРОЙСТВУ'
Condition: Lightly toned, attractive and problem free \$ 1,250

*Юникальная группа Капитана 1 ранга Соловьева Бориса
Всеволодовича (1 Мая 1886 - 9 Июня 1957, Париж).*

Принадлежал к славной семье историка и философа Соловьевых

*В 1915 г. подлодка под командованием Соловьева Б.В. первой в истории
Российского флота участвовала в боевых действиях.*

2065 Very Important personal Group of Russian Decorations and Medals to Boris Vsevolodovich Soloviev commander of the 'Nerpa', the first Russian submarine involved in war maneuvers.



2065



2065



2065



Окончил Морской корпус в 1904 г., принадлежал к так называемому “Первому царскому выпуску”. Назначен на крейсер “Изумруд”, участвовал в Цусимском сражении. Затем плавал на “Славе”, а по окончании класса подводного плавания в 1908 г. командовал подводной лодкой “Касатка” в Сибирской флотилии. Затем состоял в должности флаг-офицера штаба Командующего Сибирской флотилией. Сначала войны 1914., будучи лейтенантом, был назначен на должность командира подводной лодки 2-го ранга “Нерпа”, был произведен в ст. лейтенанты и награжден боевыми наградами. В 1915 г. назначен начальником 4-го дивизиона Черноморской бригады подводного плавания и начальником школы подводного плавания для офицеров в Балаклаве. В Донской Армии в 1917-1918 гг. Во ВСЮР - офицер связи с французским морским командованием в Севастополе. Капитан 2-го ранга (Март 1920 г.). Эвакуирован в Турцию. Член Союза Русских офицеров. Во Франции с 1928 г. Член Военно-морского исторического кружка в Париже. Награждено Орденом Почетного легиона. В Париже более 15 лет служил в должности инспектора в больших магазинах “Самаритэн”, а последние годы - в организации Юнеско.



The group consists of:

- Officers' Class Submarine Badge. Silver. No hallmark or maker's mark. PB 1.1.64. Anchor cable encircling an anchor, on which is superimposed a submarine. Screwback with fully intact hand-beaten plate. An excellent example of this *Very Rare* badge.
- Jubilee Badge in Honor of the Bicentennial of the Naval Corps, 1901. Issued to Staff members and Cadets of the Three Highest Companies. Silver. Multienamel. By Eduard. marked 'ЭДУАРДЪ' and 'ВД' on the screwplate. PB 1.8.4. Light blue-enameled ribbon frames a double-headed eagle, crossed anchors behind it, with a light blue and red enameled shield with the Naval Corps Arms on its breast. Screw-back. Trivial enamel fading at bottom. Superior.
- Graduate of the Naval Corps in St. Petersburg Badge. Gilt Bronze and enamel. PB 1.8.5. Gilt wreath of laurel and oak branches beneath an Imperial crown. Gray anchors are crossed over the center. Superimposed is the red-enameled Arms of the Naval Corps. Above is a double-headed eagle holding four white enamel maps in its beaks and talons, a red enameled shield with the Moscow Arms is on its breast. Screwback. A very large badge of superb quality.
- Campaign Medal for the Russo-Japanese War. 1904-1905. Bronze.
- Award Medal Commemorating the Centennial of the Napoleonic War. 1912. Bronze.
- Award Medal Commemorating the Tercentennial of the Romanov Dynasty. 1913. Bronze.
- Award Medal for the Bicentennial of the Battle of Gangut. 1914.
- Small Imperial Russian Yacht Club Badge. Pinback missing.
- Order of St. Nicholas, the Miracle Worker. (Instituted 1929). Cross. With swords. 35 mm. Gilt and White enamel. Gilt saint on white enamel center. On ribbon.
- Large Emigré cockade with enameled Officer's Badge of the Imperial Army & Navy Corps at the center.
- Small Emigré Patriotic double-headed eagle pinback.
- French Legion de Honneur. Breast Badge of Chevalier 1870 type. Some enamel loss. On ribbon.
- French World War I Victory Medal. On ribbon.
- Ribbon bar.
- Comes with laser copies of a photo of Boris Soloviev and of the submarine 'Nepra'. \$ 30,000

JETTONS



- 2066 **Imperial Society for the Breeding of Hunt and Fur-bearing Animals and for Proper Hunting.** Gold. 13.99 gm. Blue enamel. Multi-piece construction. Six-pointed star on shield plaque with Imperial eagle superimposed, legend against blue enamel around star, elk's head with branching antlers below.
Condition: Attractive and near Mint \$ 3,000



- 2067 **Blue Cross Society.** Gold, silver and light blue enamel. Made by the Carl Faberge factory in St. Petersburg. Hallmarked '84 ЯЛ' and 'ES' on back. Gold fireman's helmet atop a diamond-shaped silver plaque, light blue enameled cross at center, legend above and below. Engraved: '12 VII 1901 No. 922. Ф. Н. Плооие Narva' on the back.
Condition: Only moderate wear, problem free example \$ 750
- Общество "Голубого Креста" (Всероссийское Общество взаимопомощи пожарных деятелей) было создано с целью помощи пожарным и их семьям при несчастных случаях во время исполнения служебного долга. Располагалось в С.-Петербурге. Жетон Общества выдавался за благотворительный взнос не менее 6 руб.
- 2068 **64th Infantry Kazan' Regiment.** 1900. By A. Grilliches. *St. Petersburg mint.* Chep 934, P/I 96. Silver. 28mm x 22mm. Bust of Peter I right / Bust of Nicholas II left. Edge inscription 'НА ПАМЯТЬ / КАЗАНЦАМЪ / ОТЪ ШЕФА'. Mintage: 2555 pieces.
Condition: Contact marks and minor signs of wear, old cabinet toning \$ 300



- 2069 **Committee for Collecting Private funds for benefit of the Air Force.** Werlich, Jettons Fig. J-63. Silver. White and blue enamels. Gold plated. Hallmarked (84) and maker's mark 'ВД' for Eduard firm on reverse. Russian eagle holding a flag over a monoplane.
Condition: Minor enamel imperfections, toned over. Extremely fine \$ 350
- 2070 **Committee for Collecting Private Funds on behalf of the Air Force.** Werlich, Jettons, fig. J-62. Silver and light blue enamel. Hallmarked '84' and 'ВД' on back. Monoplane superimposed on wreath, legend on light blue enamel ribbon.
Condition: Minor enamel imperfections, toned over. Extremely fine \$ 350
- 2071 **'Affordable Housing' Society.** Silver and green and red enamels. Hallmarked '84 ЯЛ' on back. Cipher initials on shield, legend on red enamel banner below, crown above.
Condition: Very minor enamel chipping, otherwise. Near extremely fine \$ 750



- 2072 **Russian Bank for Foreign Trade 25th Anniversary, 1896.** Gold. 10.89 gm. Blue, white and red enamels. Hallmarked '56' on loop, 'Imperial eagle' and 'AK' on suspender. Caduceus flanked by two flags with bank banner at center, legend around against blue enamel, anniversary dates on ribbon linked to large Roman numeral 'XXV' on back. Engraved to: *Carlo Schläefli*.
Condition: Minimal enamel wear, Choice and near mint \$ 5,000



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2073 **Order of Labor of RSFSR.** Unnumbered. Bronze. Red and blue enamels. Screwback. C/C 01.08.01 (R3). Herf 1.2. Kuts pp. 49-67. Only about 170 issued. *Extremely Rare*

Condition:

Minor enamel chips, which don't detract from overall great eye appeal.

\$ 90,000



to 2x



2074



2074

Order of the Red Banner of Armenia. Award # 13.

Silver. Red, blue and white enamels. Screwback. C/C 03.01.03 (R3). Herf 1.8. Kuts pp. 132-148. Only about 200 issued. *Rare*

Condition: Torch has been replaced, minor enamel chips, mostly on white enamel, much better than usual with most enamels still intact

\$ 40,000



2075

Order of Labor of Azerbaijan. Type 1. Unnumbered. silver. Red enamels. Screwback. Comes with original silver plate and nut, both hallmarked. C/C 02.02.01 (R4). Herf 1.6. Kuts pp. 84-102. Only about 60 issued between type 1 and type 2. *Extremely Rare*

Condition:

Enamel chips on the banners ends, otherwise excellent with dark patina and superb eye appeal

\$ 125,000



2076

Order of Labor of Azerbaijan. Type 2. Award # 8. Silver. Red enamels. Screwback. Original silver nut. C/C 02.02.02 (R4). Herf 1.6. Kuts pp. 84-102. Only about 60 issued between type 1 and type 2. *Extremely Rare*

Condition: Very minor enamel chips, otherwise excellent and problem free \$ 150,000



2077



2077 Complete Documented group of Makarov Ivan Semenovich.

Group comes with:

Order of Red Star. Award # 144, Type 1 "ТОЗНАК". Unique original 36mm silver nut.

Order of Red Banner of Labor of Azerbaijan. Award # 72 (stamped on the silver nut). Comes complete with both silver plate and nut.

Order's Book for the Order of Red Star (contains photo of comrade Makarov, wearing his 2 Orders).

Order's Book for the Order of Red Banner of Labor of Azerbaijan (contains photo of comrade Makarov, wearing his 2 Orders).

Указ от 7 февраля 1933 г. "За исключительный героизм, проявленный при тушении вулкана на острове Свином (Каспийское море) - наградить смотрителя маяка т. Макарова И.С. орденом "Красная Звезда". Дата вручения 9 августа 1933г.

Extremely Rare and highly desirable fully documented early group in mint condition.

Condition:

Superb condition on both orders \$ 100,000



to 2x



2078

2078 **Award Badge of Honorary Red Commander of the Azerbaijan.** Unnumbered. Silver and gold. Red enamels. Screwback. Comes with silver plate and small hallmarked silver nut. C/C 02.05.00 (R5). According to the latest publication (by N.Strekalov/I.Sisolyatin), only 2 such badges have been observed, including this specimen. *Excessively Rare.*

Condition:

Red enamels are chipped, one of the rivets on reverse broken, still very presentable and of the highest craftsmanship quality

\$ 15,000



- 2079 Prototype Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Ukraine. Type 2. Unnumbered. 1925. Gold, silver and brass. Red and blue enamels. Screwback. Comes with original silver plate and nut. 42mm x 40mm in size, significantly smaller than the type 1. C/C 12.02.00 (ЕД). Herf -. Kuts -. The only existing prototype of the new and improved Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Ukraine, which was officially accepted, but the actual manufacturing never took place. Please refer to the "Orders of the Soviet Republics" by N. Strekalov / I. Sisolyatin, pp. 298-300, for complete details about this order. Plate item, pictured on the cover of the aforementioned book. Unique and of major historical importance

Condition:

Unworn with flawless enamels and rich patina. Superb \$ 250,000



2080

Award Badge of the Crimean Autonomous Soviet Socialist Republic. Award # 10. Silver. Red and white enamels. Screwback. Comes with silver plate and small silver nut. C/C 01.09.02 (R5). According to the latest publication (by N.Strekalov/I.Sisolyatin), a total of 7 people were actually awarded with this award-badges. Only two badges are observed in private hands, including this specimen. *Excessively Rare.*

Condition:

Very minor signs of wear, excellent otherwise \$ 100,000



2081

Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Georgia. Type 1. Unnumbered.

Silver. Red and white enamels. Screwback. Original silver nut. C/C 08.02.03 (R4).
Herf 1.13. Kuts pp. 244-258. Only about 200 issued for both type 1 and type 2
orders. *Extremely Rare.*

Condition:

Very minor enamel chips, otherwise excellent and problem free \$ 100.000



- 2082 **Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Turkmenistan.** Award # 91.
Silver. Red, blue and white enamels. Screwback. Hallmarked on obverse. C/C
10.01.01 (R3). Herf 1.17. Kuts pp. 309-324. Only about 250 issued. *Very rare*
Condition: Minor signs of wear only, superb for type with excellent details \$ 40,000



2083

2083 Documented Group of Levchuk Timofei Ippolitovich.

Comrade Levchuk T. I. participated in the Civil War, and later in the infamous raids for forcefully taking away “extra” food supplies from the well to do farmers. In the late 20’s – early 30’s he was serving in the Tashkent NKVD (UzSSR), fighting against local basmachi formations and gangs. We found no record of his services later than 1938, suggesting that he either never made it out of Tashkent alive, or was purged during Stalin’s Purges of the late 1930’s...

Group comes with:

Order of Red Banner of Labor of UzSSR # 499.

Order’s Decree Booklet for the Order of Red Banner of Labor of UzSSR.

Early GTO badge # 800021 (seen worn by the recipient on one of the photos below the Order of Red Banner of Labor of UzSSR).

29 original photographs (some signed on the back), ranging from 1920’s-1930’s.

Official letter from the UzSSR Central Executive Committee, confirming the delivery of Order of Red Banner of Labor of the UzSSR #499 to Levchuk T.I.

Original typed letter to comrade Levchuk, dated Jan. 1932 (warning him to quickly complete liquidation of local gangs and return back to base in Tashkent).



Левчук Тимофей Ипполитович - участник Гражданской войны, в последствии участвовал в продразверстках, отбирая "излишки" продуктов у кулаков. В конце 1920х - начале 1930х был переброшен в Узбекистан, в Ташкентский НКВД. Сражался против басмачей и местных националистических банд. Никакой информации датированной после 1938г. не найдено, вероятно товарищ Левчук был либо убит во время ликвидации банд, либо попал под "чистки" Сталина конца 1930-х годов.

Группа включает в себя Орден Трудового Красного Знамени УзССР номер 499, ранний сборный знак ГТО номер 800021 (есть фото ветерана с этим знаком, висящим под орденом), книжка о положении/статуте данного ордена (редкость сама по себе!), 29 оригинальных фотографий (некоторые подписаны и датированны), официальное письмо от Верховного Совета УзССР, подтверждающее вручение орденской книжки к ордену номер 499, оригинал письма от Ташкентского НКВД, предупреждающего об опасности, и просящего быстрее закончить ликвидацию банд, и возвращаться. *Very Rare documented early Soviet Republic NKVD officer group!*

Condition:

A few very minor chips on Red Banner, otherwise, excellent vintage condition on all items

\$ 20,000