

ANTIQUITIES & FUN STUFF

Tax Time Sale - Many Prices Slashed



65%

Native American **Ponchartrain** crown notched flint projectile point c. 4000 BC Scott County KY 3.25" large for this type..... \$97.



60%

Native American early Adena mound culture c 1000 BC flint **turkey tail** projectile point rare type..... \$147.
Native American flint projectile points c 1800 AD and older with the usual breaks, chips and unfinished pieces about 1 to 2" Found in central Kentucky each \$4. Perfect or larger flints..... \$17. each.



100%

C 3300-3000 BC red marble carved amulet of recling sheep from lower **Mesopotamia**. COA retail \$500. My price..... \$177.



35%

Basalt and hard stone **celts** found at a Paleolithic quarry in Central Asia, c. 3000-30,000 BC. These stone chisels, or hammer stones, were used to shape obsidian or flint into sharp scrapers, spear points or knife blades. Mixed lot of 6 pieces from big to tiny \$97.



65%

Ancient Greek and Roman bronze **arrowheads** 700 BC-500 AD. Found at and near Istrus, on the west coast of the Black Sea. 7 piece lot, as dug..... \$49.



100%

Ancient Greek bronze **"money"** cast into shapes resembling arrowheads, elongated and ribbed but without functional sockets, and not sharpened. About 550 BC, also from Istrus. I believe arrowheads had a common barter value in the marketplace, and these symbolic bronzes are examples of a transition into a true bronze coinage. About this time the concept of electrum, gold and silver coinage was spreading throughout the Greek world. Cast bronze shapes of various objects were already established in the marketplaces in China. Choice patinated EF, dirty as excavated..... \$47.



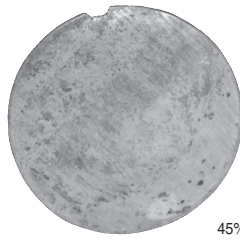
30%

C700-100 BC terracotta statue of Astarte from **Phoenicia**..... \$177.



35%

Graeco-roman bronze ornament, c 200 BC-200 AD, of leaping dolphin over diademed and bearded head of **Poseidon**..... \$97.



45%

1567-1320 BC Very big 10" Egyptian **18th Dynasty** terracotta plate, edge chipped COA very cheap..... \$97.



150%

Blue glass paste scarab, pierced long wise for wearing, **New Kingdom** 1550-1070 BC The hieroglyphs read HOR-ANKH-NEB COA included..... \$137.



45%

These ceramic mummy shaped "shawabti" or "**ushabti**" were deposited in the tombs of ancient Egyptians to serve the spirits of the dead in the afterlife. They were formed from crushed quartz and fired with a light blue glaze known as "faience" and the larger ones occur with hieroglyphic inscriptions. A common inscription translates as "If one calls you at any time, you shall say 'I will do it.'" The word "shawabti" translates as "the answerer". These are from the 26th Dynasty in the Late Period before the conquest of Egypt by the expanding Persian Empire. The Persian Empire led by Cambyses conquered Egypt in 525 BC and founded the 27th Dynasty which lasted until 404 BC. Nice color and boldness..... \$277.

Silver tetradrachms of Ptolemy IX, Cleopatra III, Ptolemy X, and Ptolemy XII of Egypt, found at a **shipwreck** site off the coast of Phoenicia. Obv: diademed head of Ptolemy I, founder of the dynasty. Rev: eagle on thunderbolt. The latest coins in the wreck were dated to 73 B.C. Alexandria Mint.



100%

Silver tetradrachm of year 2 of Ptolemy XII or 80/79 BC in the HBO series **ROME**, Pompey the Great reminisces about going on a lion hunt with Ptolemy XII. Bold EF, minimum seawater effect..... \$277. Other dates and rulers EF \$277. VF \$187. Fine..... \$137. For the sea salvage collector where condition is secondary to price: heavily corroded and encrusted silver Ptolemaic tetradrachms. Incomplete coins or lumps with little or no detail..... \$47. each
Brown terracotta round oil lamp with spout from Egypt 1st Century AD, Stylized **frog** shape about 2.5 inches long..... \$77.



50%

300-200 BC tan terracotta Greek lamp of **Sicilian** manufacture Very pleasing shape and surfaces..... \$137.



40%

300-100 BC **Greek** pale orange terracotta oil lamp with black slip, possibly found in Jordan..... \$147.



40%

200-100 BC light gray terracotta aryballos of **south Italian** manufacture some rust and lime encrustation Very nice Shape..... \$277.



100%

Silver hemidrachm of **Sparta** during the Achaean league 196-146 BC Obv: Zeus Rev: league monogram flanked by caps of the Dioskuri EF, from the Demetriadi collection..... \$775.



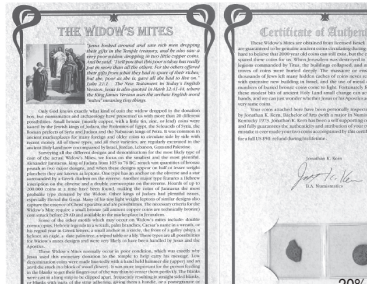
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Bronze of Sparta c 200-50 BC Obv: head of **Lykourgos** Rev: club caduceus in wreath Fine, ex: Demetriadi..... \$377. Another, VG..... \$97.



100%

Small bronze of Sparta c 200-50 BC Obv: laureate head of **Hercules** Rev: his club in wreath VF/F+ nice earthen highlights ex: Demetriadi..... \$397.



20%

100 BC to 29 AD pair of Judaeae small bronzes, called "**Widow's Mites**" in the Bible. The most complete and accurate presentation in a full color, fold over card which opens to 11 by 8 1/2 inches and gives a full discussion of the ancient Judaeae coins mentioned in the New Testament. The coins, as a pair, inserted into the folder come with the history, certificate of authenticity, Jonathan K. Kern Co guarantee and 6 by 9" mailing envelope.

Two coins in Very Good to Fine:..... \$39.
Two coins in Very Fine..... \$77.



100%

Bronze tesserae, or token of quadrans size from Rome, 1st-2nd Century AD Obv: basket of grain (bread) Rev: **cantharos** (wine cup) These were probably tokens, possibly official, to be redeemed for bread and wine. VF..... \$97.



60%

100 BC- 200 AD Roman bronze brick stamp reading **AS TOR IC** in 3 lines..... \$277.



100%

100-300 AD Roman heavy **gold ring** 10+ grams with nicely engraved carnelian with eagle standing, and looking back. Wearable oblong size 3..... \$1,977.



25%

Roman Egypt 1st-2nd Century AD brown and gray terra cotta juglet. About 5" high. Nice condition..... \$197.



100%

100-300 AD Eastern Roman silver ring with agate engraved with **scorpion**. Wearable 6 3/4 probably restored..... \$277.



45%

C 100-500 AD bronze ceremonial **ax head** from Dacia..... \$477.



40%

C 200 AD Roman bronze handle, loop broken, featuring a nicely styled **Selinus** facing head..... \$177.



50%

Oil lamp, late Roman and Byzantine c 100-700 AD Usually slipper shaped, buff terra cotta..... \$47.



55%

Oil lamp, similar to previous but decorated with Christian symbolism, usually a **cross**, but some have a fish, dove or Greek chi-rho..... \$87.

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100-500 AD terracotta spindle flask from the Holy Lands, Roman period About 6" tall. \$97.



50%

100-500 AD terracotta flask from the Holy Lands, Roman period, chipped lip 6". In better condition. \$97.



50%

100-500 AD pale green glass flask from Roman Syria \$277.



50%

Ancient Roman 200-400 AD pale green glass bottle with fluted body. 2 3/4" high \$97.



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Early medieval Syria 600-900 AD green glass bottle with sea urchin inspired spines. \$277.



100%

500-1000 AD bronze ring decorated with PX chi rho monogram. Wearable size 8. \$247.



70%

Early medieval period 600-900 AD fancy glass bottle with beautifully applied trailings. Found in Syria. 2 1/4" high. \$377.



100%

Silver denier of Richard I "the Lion Hearted" 1189-1199 struck for his lands in Aquitaine, inherited from his mother Eleanor. Richard never issued any coins in England with his name on them, and only spent 6 months of his reign in his homeland. He led the Third Crusade with some success by capturing the island of Cyprus and the fortress of Acre. Saladin repelled his attempts to recapture Jerusalem. There are no coins with Richard's portrait, but these deniers, found at Civrac, France, have his name on them. Obv: cross above RICARDVS, omega below Rev: AQVITIN around cross. VF \$227. Fine. \$147.



100%

Silver deniers of the county of Angoulême, France, found with the Richard deniers. C 1170-1245 VF \$47. Fine. \$27.



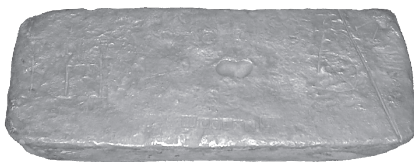
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Silver grosso of the doge Giovanni Soranzo of Venice 1312-1328 Obv: Christ enthroned Rev: doge and St Mark VF, medieval loop attached, dark oxidation from being buried. \$127.



100%

Bronze ring c 1200-1500 AD decorated with floriated cross Wearable size 8. \$187.



60%

1622 huge 79+ troy pound silver ingot. Very nicely preserved with a date which most do not have. Fineness is 2380 parts per 2400 (99+% pure) and a P mintmark where the bar was poured. One mark shows that the king's "Quinto" or one fifth tax was paid. Other various monograms and marks denote uncertain owners and transactions between the mint, mule train(?) dock and ship. Bar #16 in the book Spanish Treasure Bars by Craig & Richards Still not up to half it's melt value in Jan. of 1980. From the most famous Spanish wreck. Delivered to your doorstep in the continental US. \$17,700.



80%

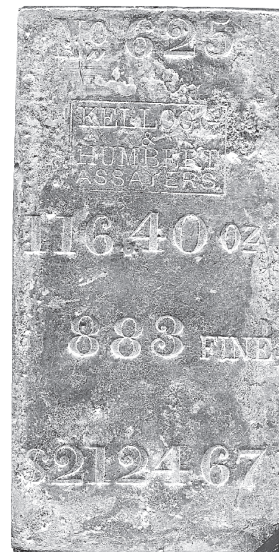
1781 Dutch silver rider ducatoon pendant, Utrecht mint, with 2 later Dutch 1/2 guilders soldered on. \$87.



20%

1785 Wed Jan 5th copy of the Pennsylvania Gazette large sheet folded twice, so reading content is like 8 pages of 8.5x11 inches. Usual stains, holes, tears, notations, marks, and missing pieces for paper this age. \$97.
1780 Wed June 21st Pennsylvania Journal. \$277.
1782 Wed July 10th Pennsylvania Gazette (Phil by Hall & Sellers) \$377.
1784 Fri Mar 12th Connecticut Gazette, New London. \$97.
1785 Tues Feb 8th Salem (Massachusetts) Gazette. \$127.
1785 Tues June 14th New Hampshire Mercury, Portsmouth. \$137.
1788 Wed Feb 27th Massachusetts Centinel (Boston). \$77.
1789 Wed to Sat May 27th to 30th Gazette of the United States, by John Fenno, No 9 Maiden Lane, near the Oswego-Market, New York. \$187.
1789 Sat Oct 10th Providence (Rhode Island) Gazette. \$77.
1791 Sat Nov 21st Providence Gazette. \$77.
1791 Wed Oct 12th the Columbian Centinel of Boston. \$77.
1793 Wed Aug 28th Columbian Centinel. \$77.
1793 Wed Sept 11th New Jersey State Gazette. \$77.
1793 Wed Sept 18th New Jersey State Gazette. \$77.
1793 Wed Nov 13th New Jersey State Gazette. \$77.
1793 Wed Nov 27th New Jersey State Gazette. \$77.
1793 Mon Dec 2nd Dunlap's American Daily Advertiser, Philadelphia. \$77.
1814 Wed Jan 26th Columbian Centinel of Boston. \$77.

1814 Sat Mar 12th Columbian Centinel of Boston Large artwork of sailing ship top center of front page. \$277.
1815 Thur & Fri Jan 13th & 14th bound together of the Aurora, Philadelphia. \$127.



65%

1857 Gold ingot by Kellogg and Humbert No. 625 Intact 116.4 troy Oz 883 Fine Total face value at this time of \$2,124.67 Recovered from the Central America shipwreck. \$167,000.



60%

Sterling silver punch bowl and ladle, manufactured by Gorham, and presented to Epes Randolph in August 1901 by employees of the Southern Pacific Railroad of the Tucson (Arizona) division, upon his departure to go to Los Angeles to build and operate the Pacific Electric Railway. Bowl and ladle weigh about 4.5 kilograms. Bowl stands about 9 1/2" high and about 17" in width. It has the presentation inscription engraved on the side, and is decorated with some scroll work below, and embossed grapes, vines and leaves along top lip. The ladle is decorated with a head of Bacchus (god of wine) and monogrammed "ER". Email me for more history on Epes' career. \$11,700.

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