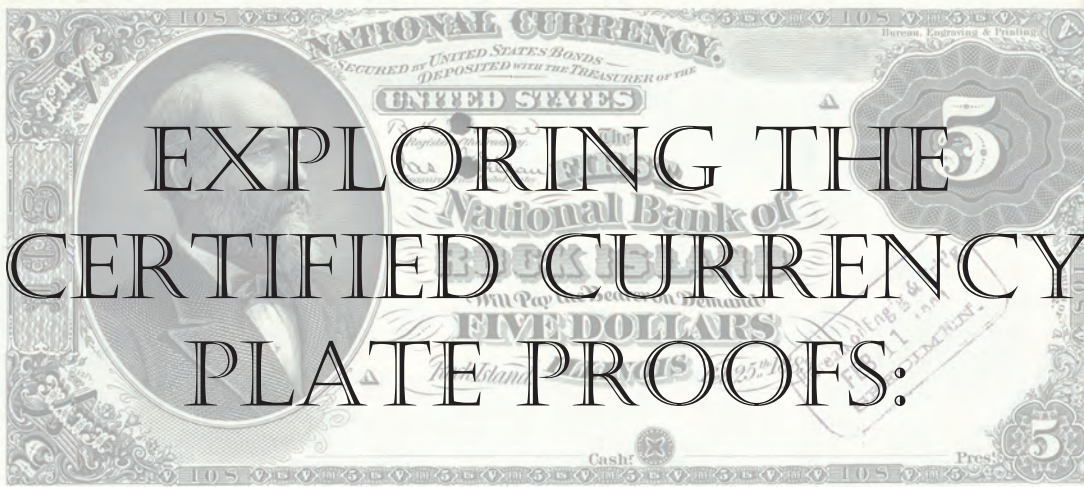




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Charter	Name of Bank	City
8115	Greenup National Bank, Greenup, Illinois	Greenup
8121	Monroe National Bank of Chicago, Illinois	Chicago
8155	First National Bank of Thomasboro, Illinois	Thomasboro
8163	Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Morris, Illinois	Morris
8174	First National Bank of Gibson, Illinois	Gibson
8180	First National Bank of Ullin, Illinois	Ullin
8212	Findlay National Bank, Findlay, Illinois	Findlay
8216	First National Bank of Westfield, Illinois	Westfield
8221	Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Nashville, Illinois	Nashville
8224	First National Bank of Lerna, Illinois	Lerna
8234	Coal Belt National Bank of Benton, Illinois	Benton
8256	First National Bank of Oakford, Illinois	Oakford
8260	First National Bank of Christopher, Illinois	Christopher
8289	First National Bank of Ransom, Illinois	Ransom
8293	First National Bank of Allendale, Illinois	Allendale
8347	First National Bank of Bridgeport, Illinois	Bridgeport
8374	First National Bank of Sidell, Illinois	Sidell
8425	First National Bank of Millstadt, Illinois	Millstadt
8429	First National Bank of Albion, Illinois	Albion
8457	First National Bank of Madison, Illinois	Madison
8468	First National Bank of Laharpe, Illinois	Laharpe
8473	First National Bank of Greenfield, Illinois	Greenfield
8482	First National Bank of Maquon, Illinois	Maquon
8485	First National Bank of Colchester, Illinois	Colchester
8532	National City Bank of Chicago, Illinois	Chicago
8540	First National Bank of Savanna, Illinois	Savanna
8605	Inter State National Bank of Hegewisch, Illinois	Hegewisch
8607	First National Bank of Oblong, Illinois	Oblong
8629	First National Bank of Tamaroa, Illinois	Tamaroa
8630	City National Bank of Ridge Farm, Illinois	Ridge Farm
8637	First National Bank of Roodhouse, Illinois	Roodhouse
8647	Irving National Bank, Irving, Illinois	Irving
8648	First National Bank of Manlius, Illinois	Manlius
8667	First National Bank of Harvey, Illinois	Harvey
8670	City National Bank of Herrin, Illinois	Herrin
8679	First National Bank of Dolton, Illinois	Dolton
8684	First National Bank of Cullom, Illinois	Cullom
8696	Oil Belt National Bank of Oblong, Illinois	Oblong
8713	First National Bank of Manhattan, Illinois	Manhattan
8732	First National Bank of Mackinaw, Illinois	Mackinaw

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8733	First National Bank of Altamont, Illinois	Altamont
8740	First National Bank of Geneva, Illinois	Geneva
8745	City National Bank of Metropolis, Illinois	Metropolis
8758	First National Bank of Sesser, Illinois	Sesser
8801	First National Bank of Crossville, Illinois	Crossville
8842	National Produce Bank of Chicago, Illinois	Chicago
8842	National Bank of Commerce in Chicago, Illinois	Chicago
8846	First National Bank of Saint Francisville, Illinois	Saint Francisville
8846	Peoples National Bank of St Francisville, Illinois	St Francisville
8892	First National Bank of Palestine, Illinois	Palestine
8898	First National Bank of Nauvoo, Illinois	Nauvoo
8908	First National Bank of Blandinsville, Illinois	Blandinsville
8932	City National Bank of East Saint Louis, Illinois	East Saint Louis
8933	First National Bank of Lockport, Illinois	Lockport
8937	First National Bank of Lake Forest, Illinois	Lake Forest
8940	Taylorville National Bank, Taylorville, Illinois	Taylorville
9010	Live Stock Exchange National Bank of Chicago, Illinois	Chicago
9025	Albion National Bank, Illinois, Illinois	Albion
9096	National Farmers Bank of Warren, Illinois	Warren
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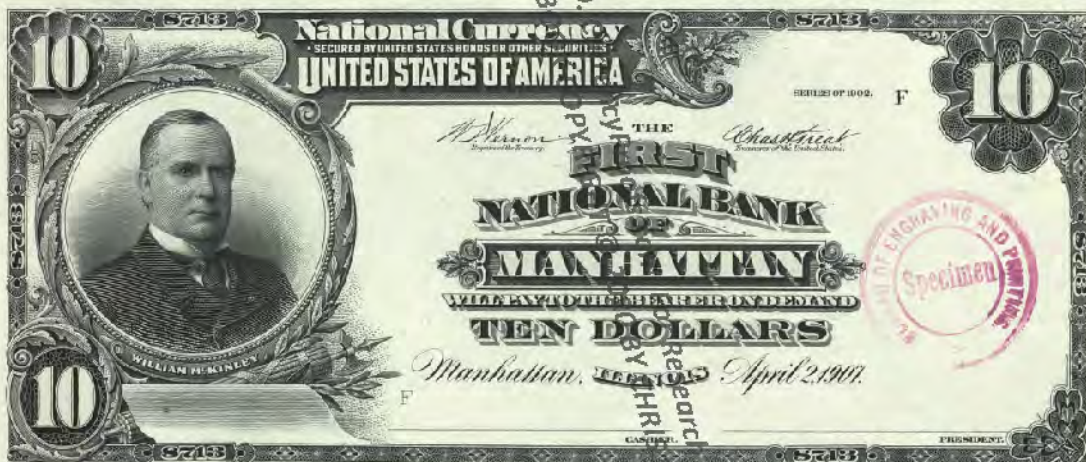
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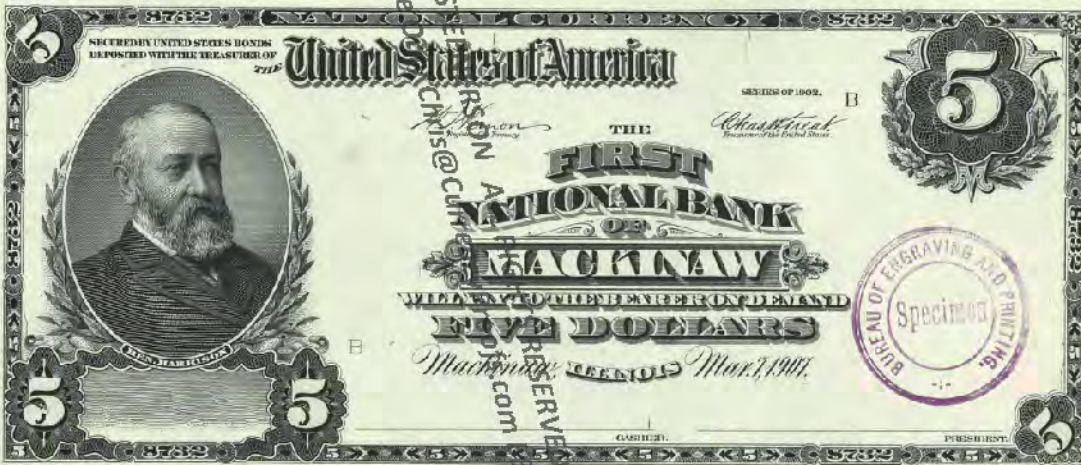


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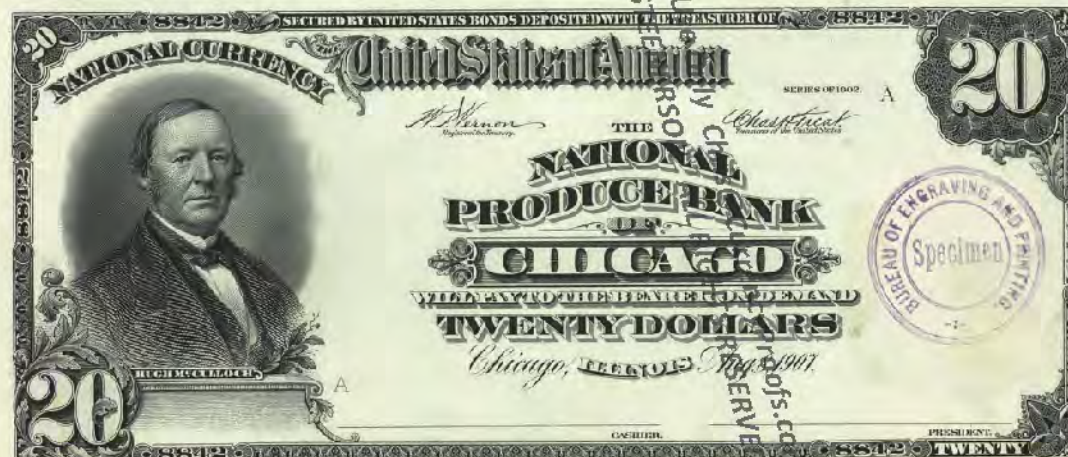
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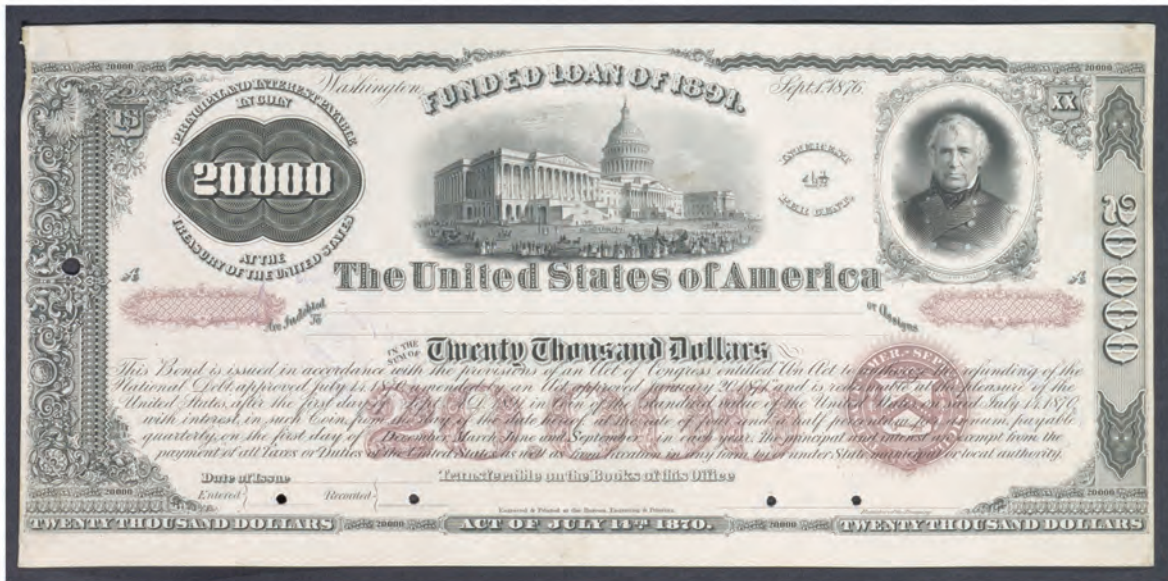


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