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CERTIFIED CURRENCY
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NATIONAL BANK NOTE
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BY CHRIS STEENERSON

KENTUCKY
PART 1

BANK CHARTERS
109-1963

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Kentucky - Banks Issuing National Currency – Table 1

The state of Kentucky has 280 banks with charters in 111 cities that issued national currency.

Charter	Name of Bank	City
109	First National Bank of Louisville, Kentucky	Louisville
718	First National Bank of Covington, Kentucky	Covington
718	First National Bank and Trust Company of Covington, Kentucky	Covington
760	First National Bank of Lexington, Kentucky	Lexington
777	Second National Bank of Louisville, Kentucky	Louisville
788	Louisville City National Bank, Louisville, Kentucky	Louisville
790	Planters National Bank of Louisville, Kentucky	Louisville
906	Lexington City National Bank, Lexington, Kentucky	Lexington
906	First and City National Bank of Lexington, Kentucky	Lexington
906	First National Bank and Trust Company of Lexington, Kentucky	Lexington
995	Clark County National Bank of Winchester, Kentucky	Winchester
1204	National Bank of Stanford, Kentucky	Stanford
1309	Farmers National Bank of Richmond, Kentucky	Richmond
1493	National Bank of Lancaster, Kentucky	Lancaster
1599	First National Bank of Paducah, Kentucky	Paducah
1600	Central National Bank of Danville, Kentucky	Danville
1601	First National Bank of Danville, Kentucky	Danville
1615	Henderson National Bank, Henderson, Kentucky	Henderson
1694	National Bank of Lebanon, Kentucky	Lebanon
1702	National Bank of Maysville, Kentucky	Maysville
1705	Farmers National Bank of Stanford, Kentucky	Stanford
1720	Fayette National Bank of Lexington, Kentucky	Lexington
1728	First National Bank of Richmond, Kentucky	Richmond
1748	National Bank of Somerset, Kentucky	Somerset
1760	First National Bank of Franklin, Kentucky	Franklin
1767	First National Bank of Springfield, Kentucky	Springfield
1790	Madison National Bank of Richmond, Kentucky	Richmond
1790	Madison National Bank and Trust Company of Madison, Kentucky	Madison
1790	Madison-Southern National Bank and Trust Company of Madison, Kentucky [1929 only]	Madison
1807	First National Bank of Harrodsburg, Kentucky	Harrodsburg
1831	First National Bank of Nicholasville, Kentucky	Nicholasville
1835	Commercial National Bank of Versailles, Kentucky	Versailles
1847	German National Bank of Covington, Kentucky	Covington
1847	Liberty National Bank of Covington, Kentucky	Covington
1859	Covington City National Bank, Covington, Kentucky	Covington
1900	National Bank of Cynthiana, Kentucky	Cynthiana
1908	Kentucky National Bank of Louisville, Kentucky	Louisville

Charter	Name of Bank	City
1931	National Bank of Monticello, Kentucky	Monticello
1963	National Bank of Owen at Owenton, Kentucky	Owenton

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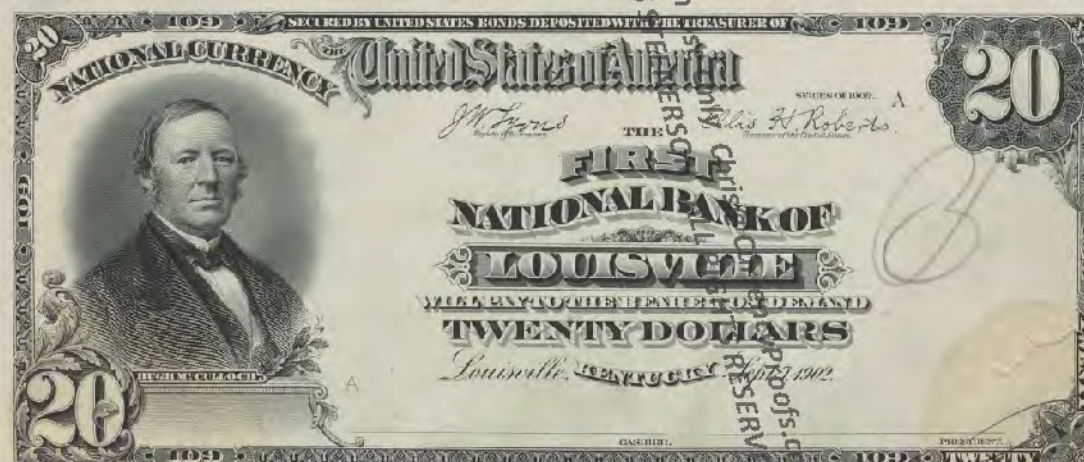
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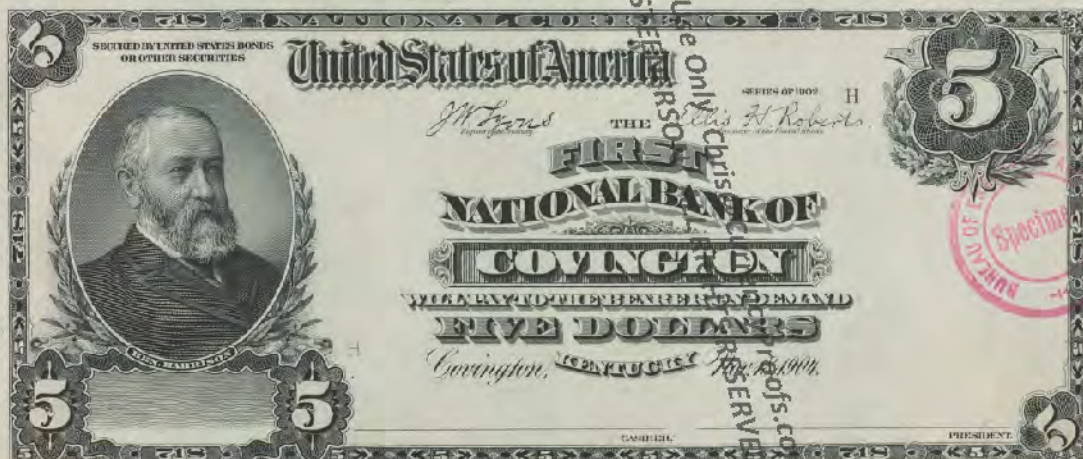
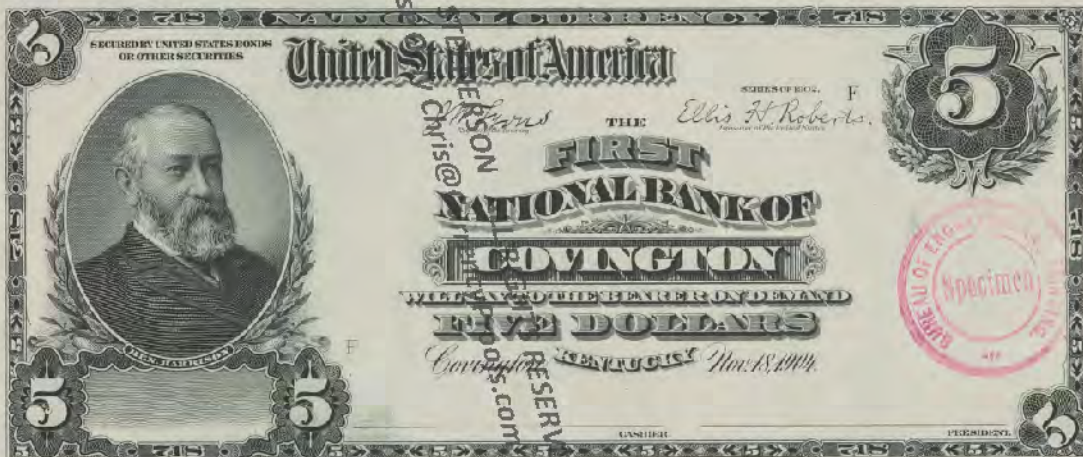
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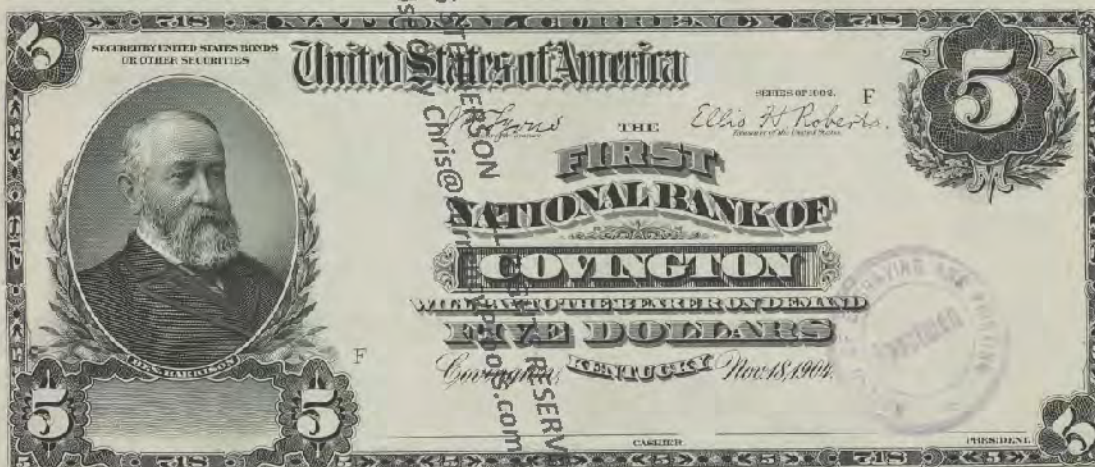
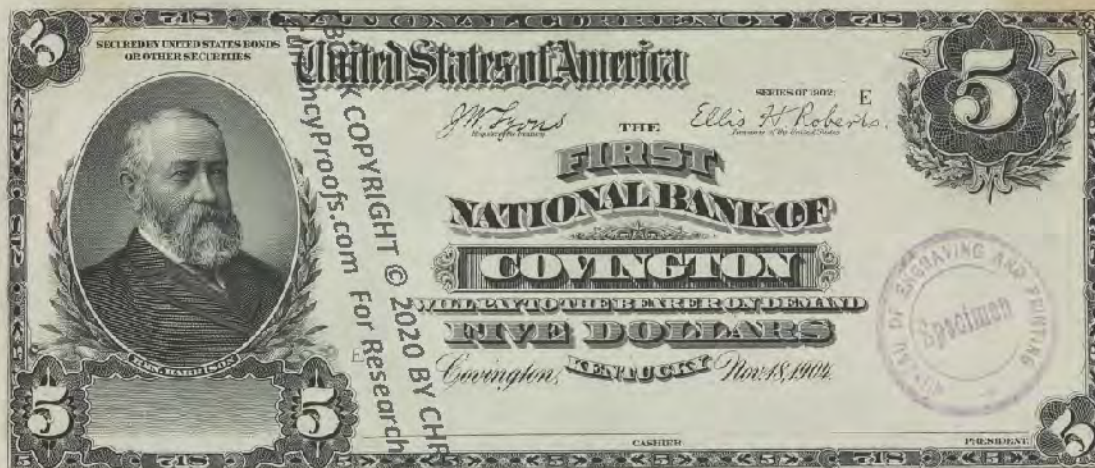
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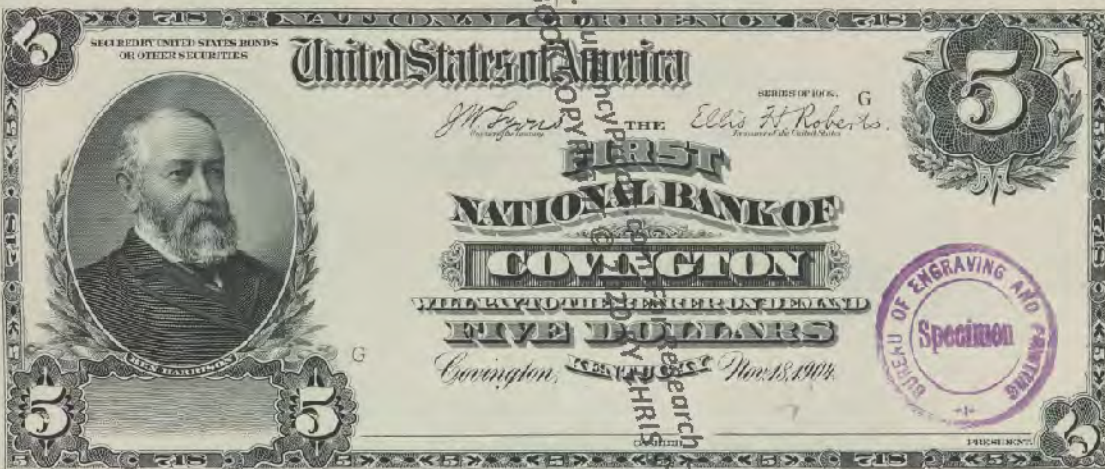
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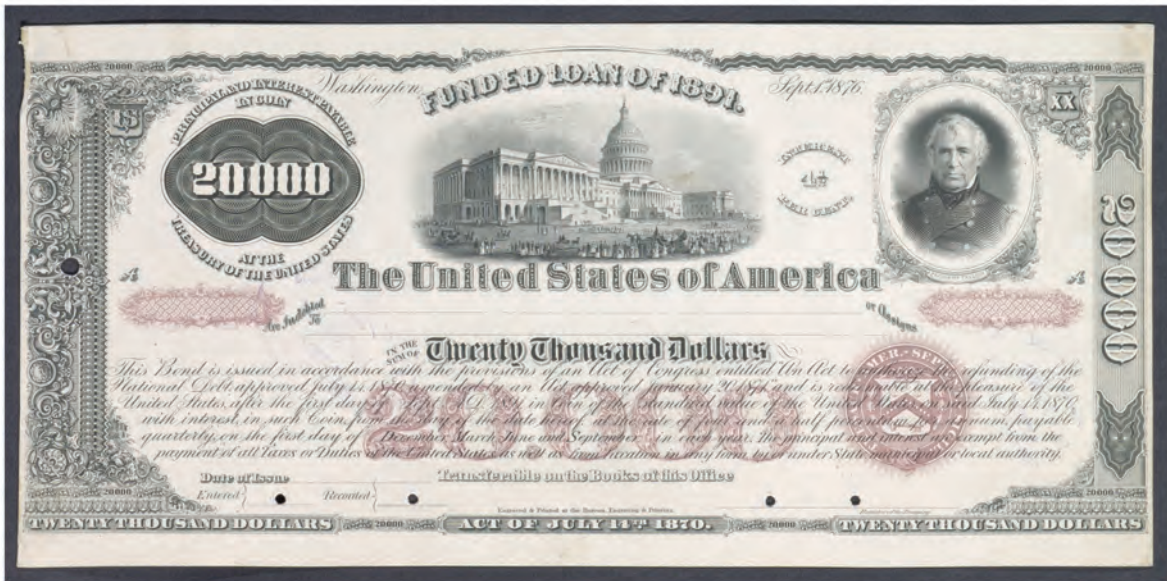


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