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NATIONAL BANK NOTE
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MASSACHUSETTS
PART 11

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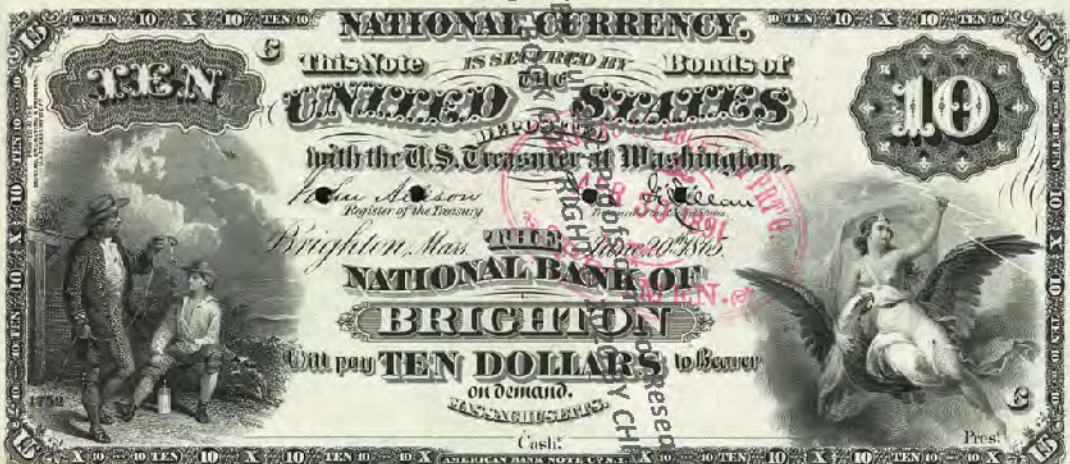
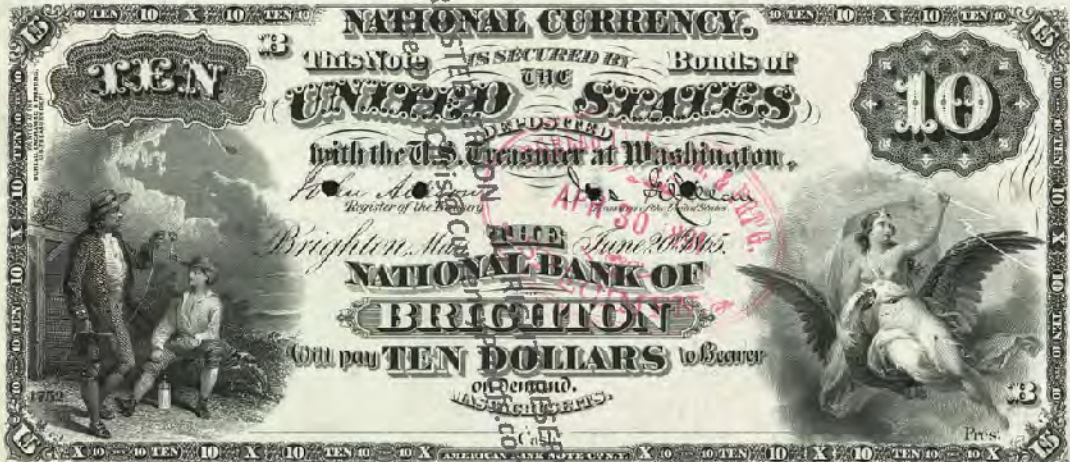
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Massachusetts Banks Issuing National Currency - Table 11

Charter	Name of Bank	City
1099	National Bank of Brighton, Brighton, Massachusetts	Boston
1107	First National Bank of Hyannis, Hyannis, Massachusetts	Hyannis
1119	Hingham National Bank, Hingham, Massachusetts	Hingham
1129	Andover National Bank, Andover, Massachusetts	Andover
1135	Mechanics National Bank of Worcester, Worcester, Massachusetts	Worcester
1144	Shelburne Falls National Bank, Shelburne Falls, Massachusetts	Shelburne Falls
1162	Gloucester National Bank, Gloucester, Massachusetts	Gloucester
1170	Housatonic National Bank of Stockbridge, Stockbridge, Massachusetts	Stockbridge
1194	Rockport National Bank, Rockport, Massachusetts	Rockport
1201	Central National Bank of Lynn, Lynn, Massachusetts	Lynn
1203	National Mahaiwe Bank of Great Barrington, Great Barrington, Massachusetts	Great Barrington
1207	Worcester County National Bank of Blackstone, Blackstone, Massachusetts	Blackstone
1207	Franklin National Bank, Franklin, Massachusetts	Franklin
1210	Adam's National Bank of North Adams, North Adams, Massachusetts	North Adams
1210	The North Adams National Bank, North Adams, Massachusetts	North Adams
1210	North Adams National Bank, North Adams, Massachusetts	North Adams
1228	Cambridgeport National Bank of Cambridge, Cambridge, Massachusetts	Cambridge
1246	Hadley Falls National Bank of Holyoke, Holyoke, Massachusetts	Holyoke
1260	Pittsfield National Bank, Pittsfield, Massachusetts	Pittsfield
1260	Pittsfield-Third National Bank and Trust Company, Pittsfield, Massachusetts [1929 only]	Pittsfield
1274	Martha's Vineyard National Bank of Edgartown, Edgartown, Massachusetts	Edgartown
1274	Martha's Vineyard National Bank of Tisbury, Tisbury, Massachusetts	Tisbury
1279	Northborough National Bank, Northborough, Massachusetts	Northborough
1288	National Union Bank of Fall River, Fall River, Massachusetts	Fall River
1295	National Revere Bank of Boston, Boston, Massachusetts	Boston







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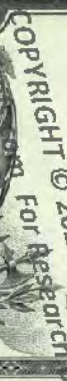
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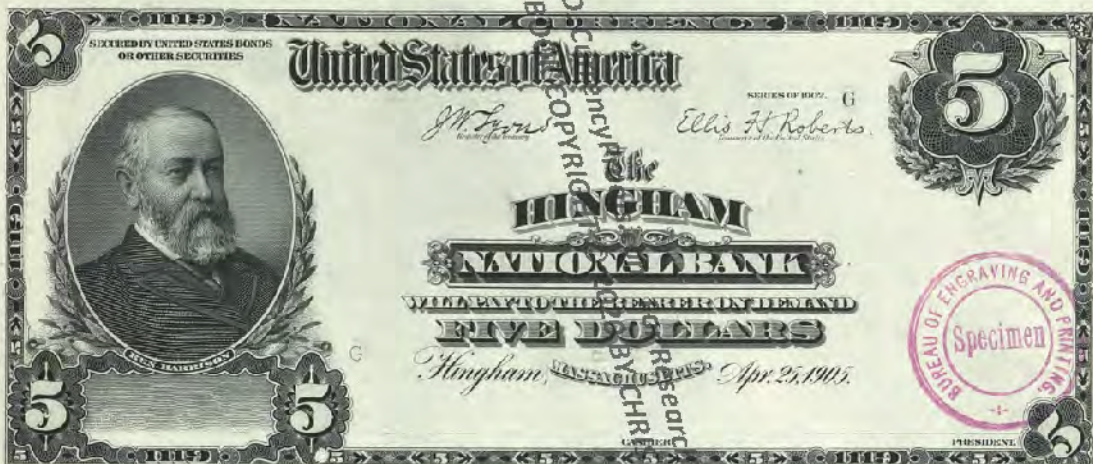
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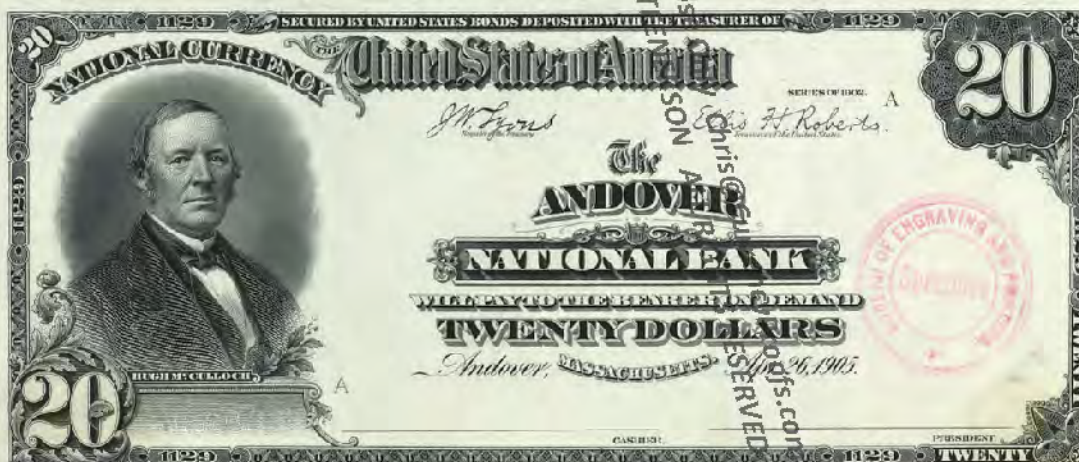






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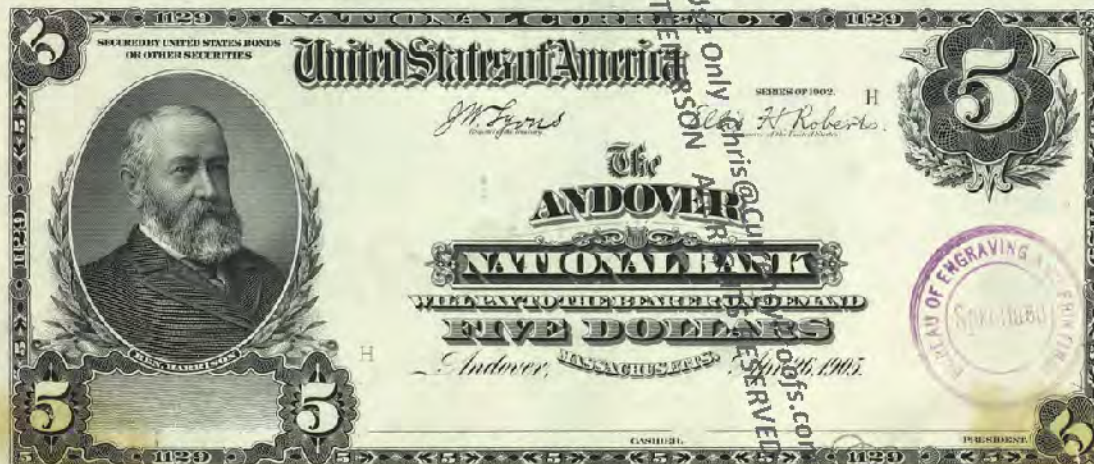
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