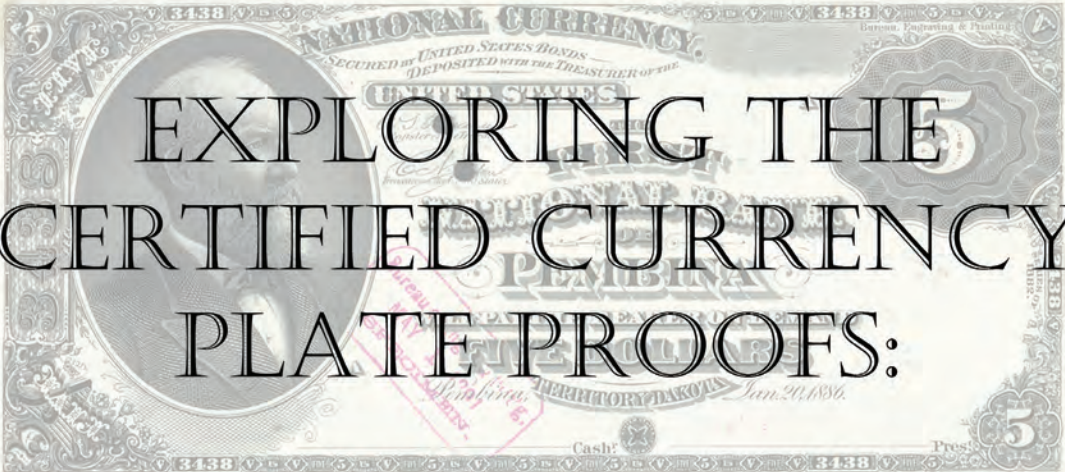
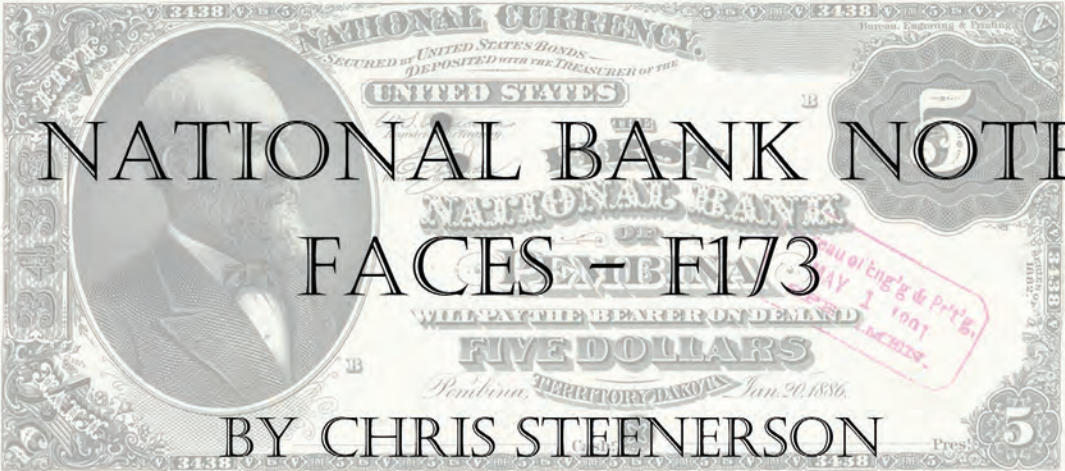




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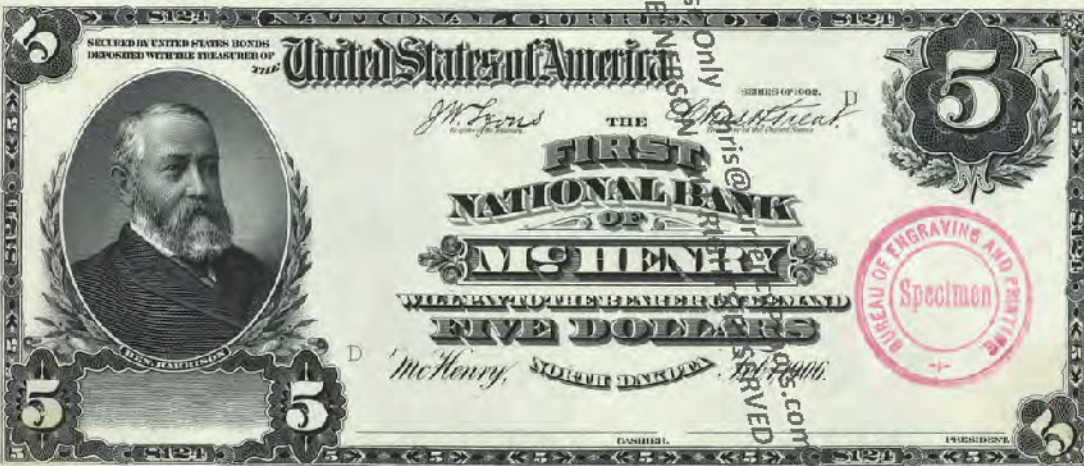
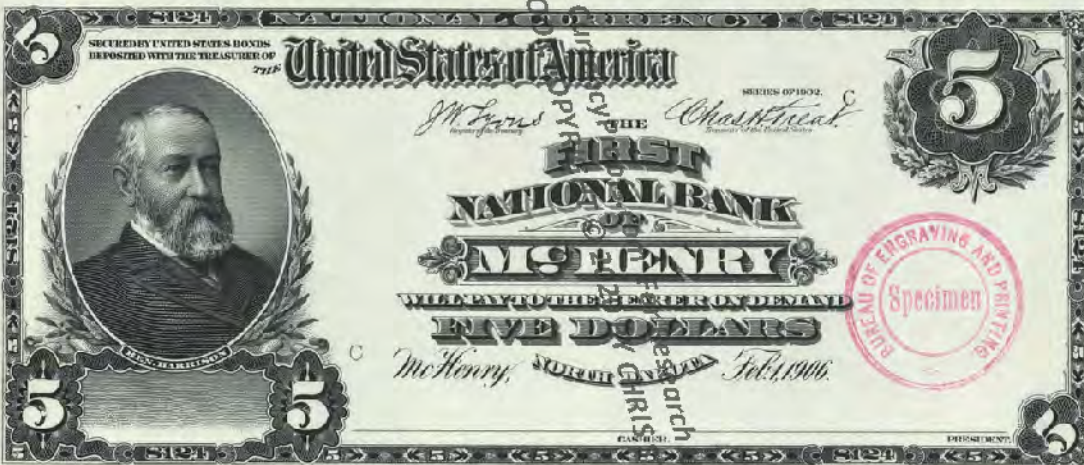
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North Dakota - Banks Issuing National Currency –
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Charter	Name of Bank	City
8124	First National Bank, McHenry, North Dakota	McHenry
8170	Merchants National Bank of Fargo, North Dakota	Fargo
8187	First National Bank, Lansford, North Dakota	Lansford
8201	Merchants National Bank of Dickinson, North Dakota	Dickinson
8226	First National Bank, Maddock, North Dakota	Maddock
8230	Lidgerwood National Bank, Lidgerwood, North Dakota	Lidgerwood
8230	Farmers National Bank of Lidgerwood, North Dakota	Lidgerwood
8264	Milnor National Bank, Milnor, North Dakota	Milnor
8265	First National Bank, Binford, North Dakota	Binford
8280	First National Bank, Milnor, North Dakota	Milnor
8298	First National Bank, Litchville, North Dakota	Litchville
8324	Citizens National Bank of Williston, North Dakota	Williston
8395	Hope National Bank, Hope, North Dakota	Hope
8419	First National Bank, Abercrombie, North Dakota	Abercrombie
8448	First National Bank, Sanborn, North Dakota	Sanborn
8502	First National Bank, Brinsmade, North Dakota	Brinsmade
8821	First National Bank, Turtle Lake, North Dakota	Turtle Lake
8881	First National Bank, McCluskey, North Dakota	McCluskey
8886	First National Bank, Sheyenne, North Dakota	Sheyenne
8917	Merchants National Bank, Wimbledon, North Dakota	Wimbledon
8976	First National Bank, Bowman, North Dakota	Bowman
8991	First National Bank, Hettinger, North Dakota	Hettinger
8997	First National Bank of Steele, North Dakota	Steele
9005	First National Bank, Sharon, North Dakota	Sharon
9016	First National Bank of Glen Ullin, North Dakota	Glen Ullin
9075	Cavalier County National Bank, Langdon, North Dakota	Langdon
9082	First National Bank, Marmarth, North Dakota	Marmarth
9133	First National Bank, Walhalla, North Dakota	Walhalla
9161	First National Bank, Marion, North Dakota	Marion
9214	First National Bank, Ryder, North Dakota	Ryder
9287	First National Bank of Nome, North Dakota	Nome
9386	First National Bank, Ambrose, North Dakota	Ambrose
9390	Anamoose National Bank, Anamoose, North Dakota	Anamoose
9412	First National Bank of Anamoose, North Dakota	Anamoose
9472	First National Bank, Stanley, North Dakota	Stanley
9484	First National Bank, Beach, North Dakota	Beach
9489	First National Bank, Mott, North Dakota	Mott
9521	Farmers National Bank of Ellendale, North Dakota	Ellendale
9524	First National Bank, Drake, North Dakota	Drake
9539	First National Bank, Belfield, North Dakota	Belfield
9590	First National Bank, Linton, North Dakota	Linton
9622	City National Bank, Bismarck, North Dakota	Bismarck

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9631	Ellendale National Bank, Ellendale, North Dakota	Ellendale
9684	First National Bank of Reeder, North Dakota	Reeder
9689	First National Bank, Plaza, North Dakota	Plaza
9698	First National Bank of Yates, North Dakota	Yates
9714	Farmers National Bank, Lamoure, North Dakota	Lamoure
9754	Citizens National Bank of Northwood, North Dakota	Northwood
9776	First National Bank of New England, North Dakota	New England
9778	First National Bank of Garrison, North Dakota	Garrison
10116	First National Bank of Cavalier, North Dakota	Cavalier
10405	First National Bank of Scranton, North Dakota	Scranton
10425	First National Bank of East Fairview, North Dakota	East Fairview
10496	First National Bank of Reynolds, North Dakota	Reynolds
10596	First National Bank, Crosby, North Dakota	Crosby
10604	Merchants National Bank, Mandan, North Dakota	Mandan
10721	First National Bank of McVie, North Dakota	McVie
10724	First National Bank, Streeter, North Dakota	Streeter
10741	First National Bank, Hebron, North Dakota	Hebron
10814	First National Bank, Buxton, North Dakota	Buxton
10864	First National Bank of Ashley, North Dakota	Ashley
10966	First National Bank, Van Hook, North Dakota	Van Hook
11069	First National Bank of Kulm, North Dakota	Kulm
11110	First National Bank of Neche, North Dakota	Neche
11112	Bathgate National Bank, Bathgate, North Dakota	Bathgate
11142	Northwestern National Bank of Grand Forks, North Dakota	Grand Forks
11184	First National Bank of Makoti, North Dakota	Makoti
11185	First National Bank of Petersburg, North Dakota	Petersburg
11226	First National Bank, Parshall, North Dakota	Parshall
11297	First National Bank, Alexander, North Dakota	Alexander
11338	First National Bank of Tuttle, North Dakota	Tuttle
11378	First National Bank, Napoleon, North Dakota	Napoleon
11417	Security National Bank of Valley City, North Dakota	Valley City
11417	First and Security National Bank of Valley City, North Dakota	Valley City
11555	Security National Bank, Fargo, North Dakota	Fargo
11599	First National Bank, Thompson, North Dakota	Thompson
11677	Livestock National Bank of Hettinger, North Dakota	Hettinger
11712	First National Bank, Wilton, North Dakota	Wilton
12026	Dakota National Bank, Fargo, North Dakota	Fargo
12393	First National Bank, Drake, North Dakota	Drake
12401	Liberty National Bank, Dickinson, North Dakota	Dickinson
12502	Security National Bank of Taylor, North Dakota	Taylor
12776	First National Bank, Lidgerwood, North Dakota	Lidgerwood

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12875	National Bank in Wahpeton, North Dakota [1929 only]	Wahpeton
13323	Merchants National Bank and Trust Company of Fargo, North Dakota [1929 only]	Fargo
13324	National Bank of Valley City, North Dakota [1929 only]	Valley City
13324	First National Bank of Valley City, North Dakota	Valley City
13362	First National Bank in Cooperstown, North Dakota	Cooperstown
13385	American National Bank and Trust Company of Valley City, North Dakota [1929 only]	Valley City
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13398	Dakota National Bank and Trust Company, Bismarck, North Dakota [1929 only]	Bismarck
13410	First National Bank, Glen Ullin, North Dakota [1929 only]	Glen Ullin
13454	First National Bank of Carson, North Dakota [1929 only]	Carson
13501	First National Bank in Garrison, North Dakota	Garrison
13594	First and Farmers National Bank of Portland, North Dakota [1929 only]	Portland
13790	First National Bank in Grand Forks, North Dakota	Grand Forks



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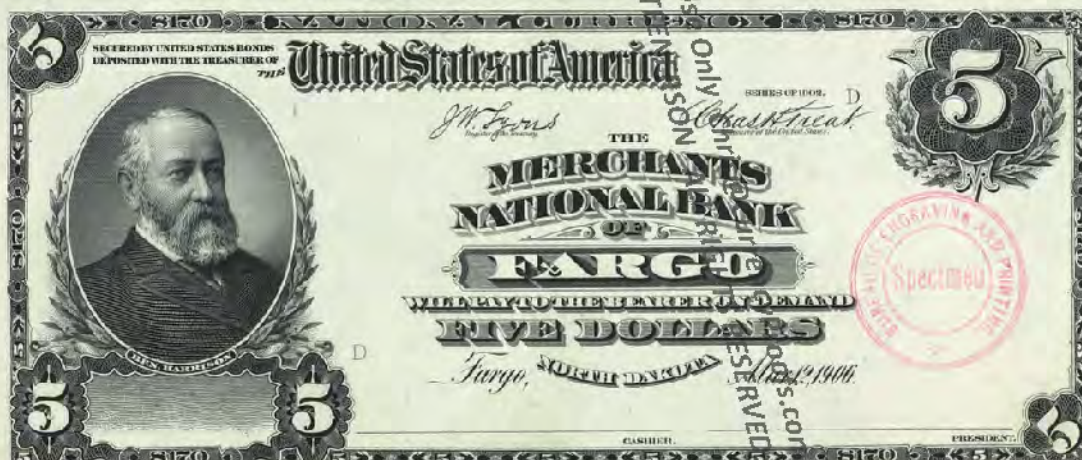
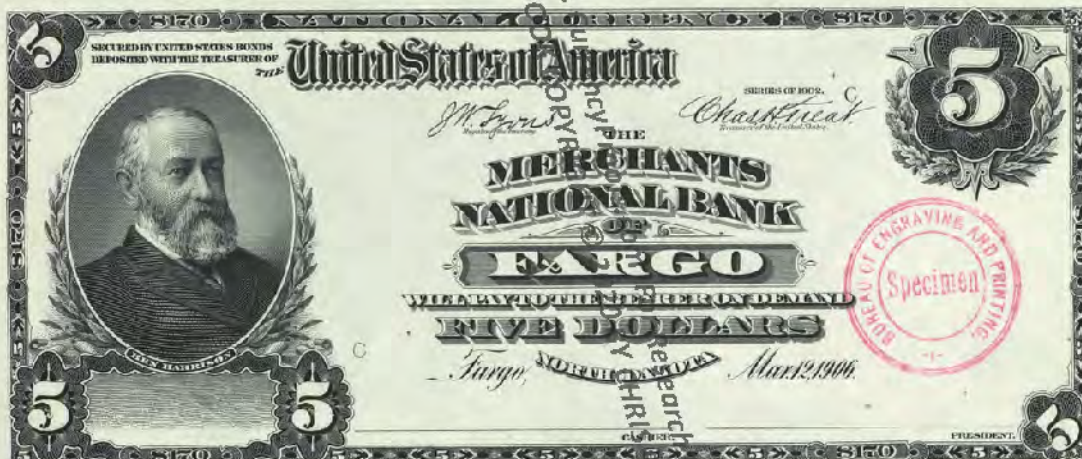
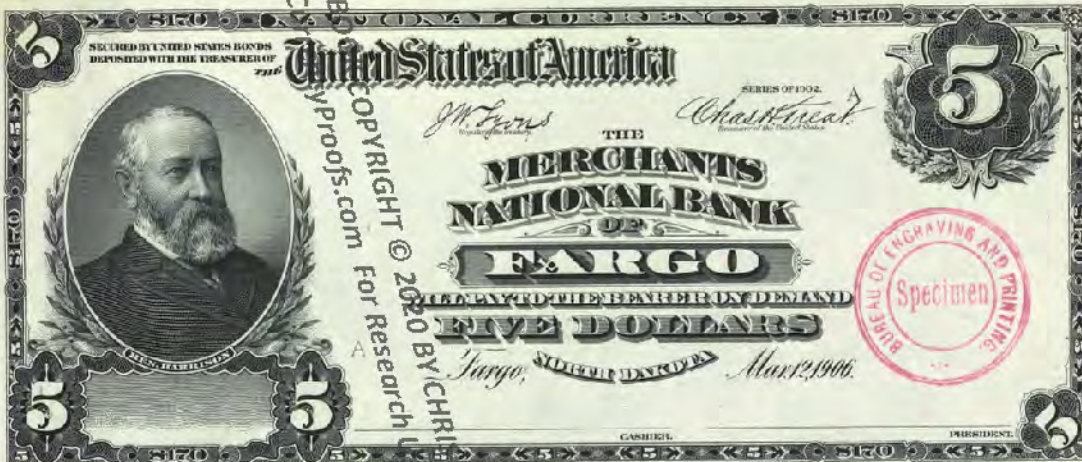


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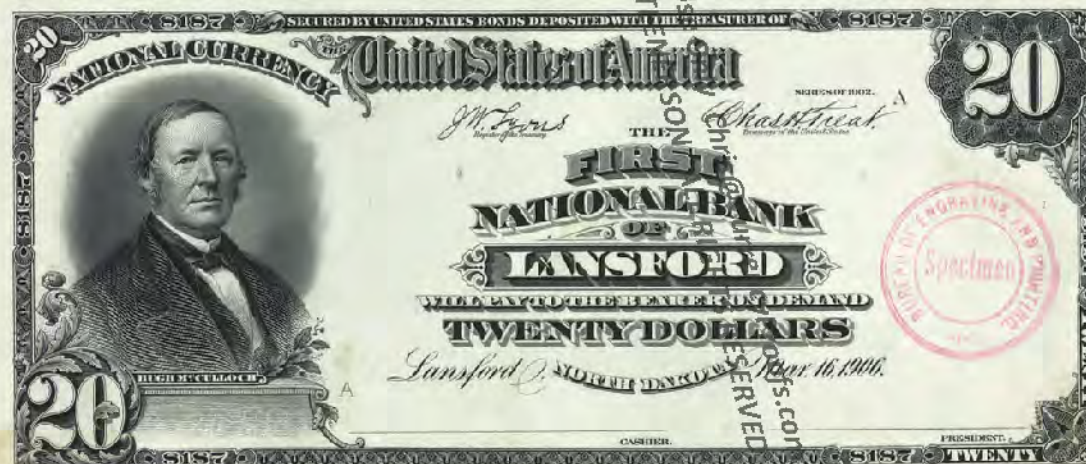
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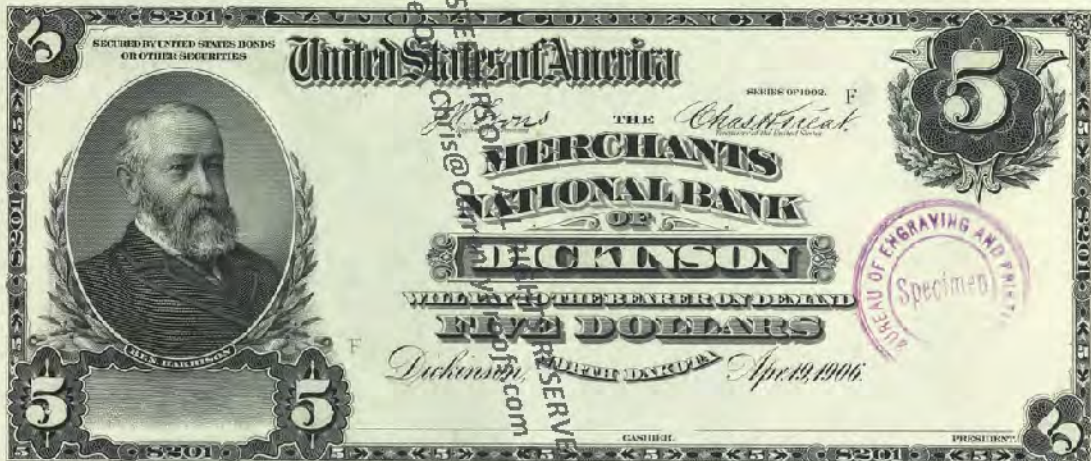
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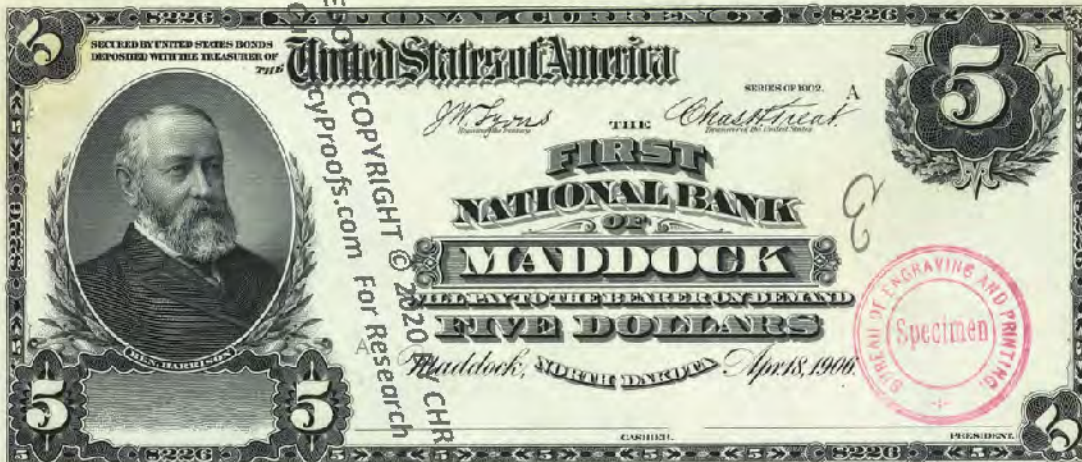
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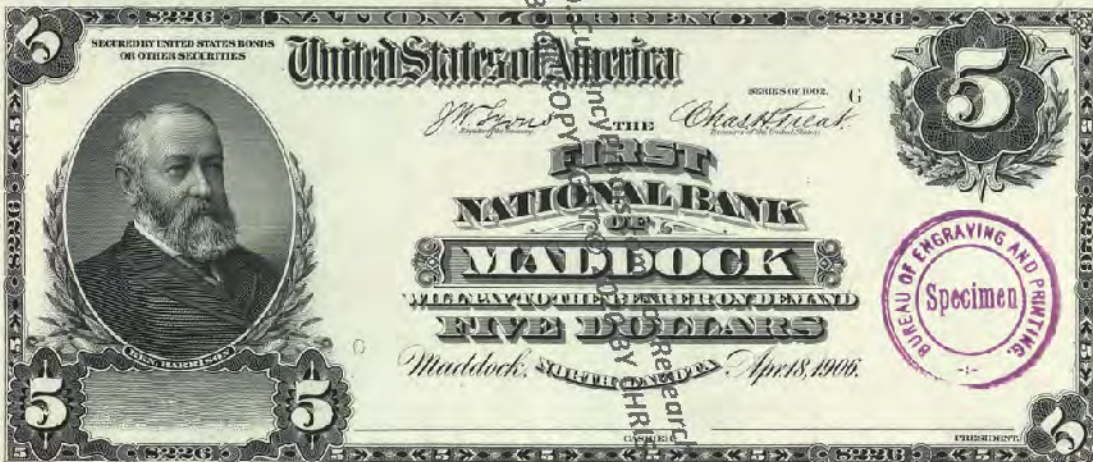
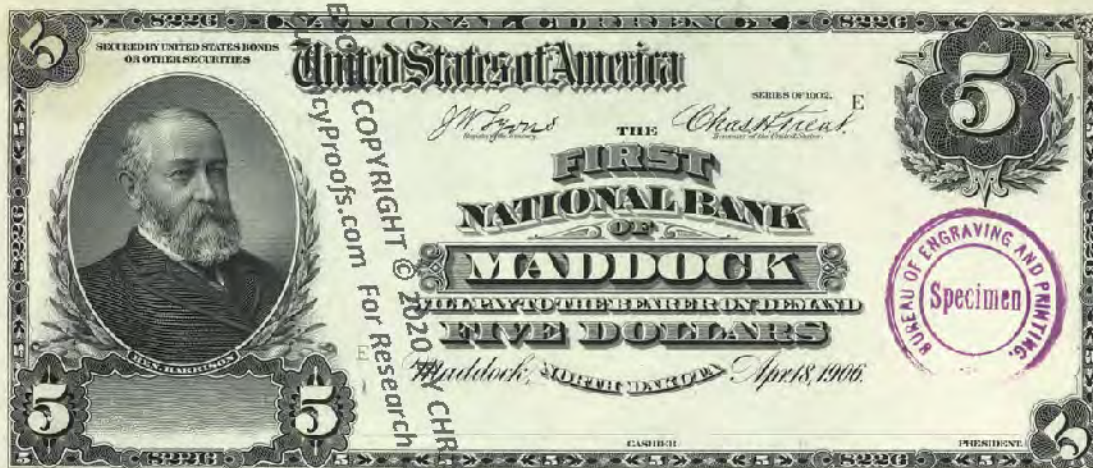


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