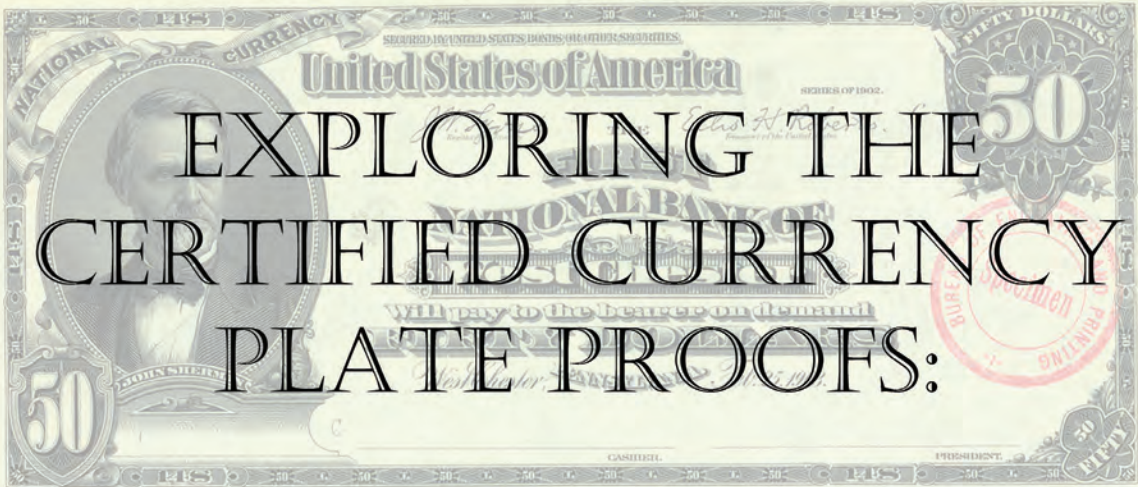
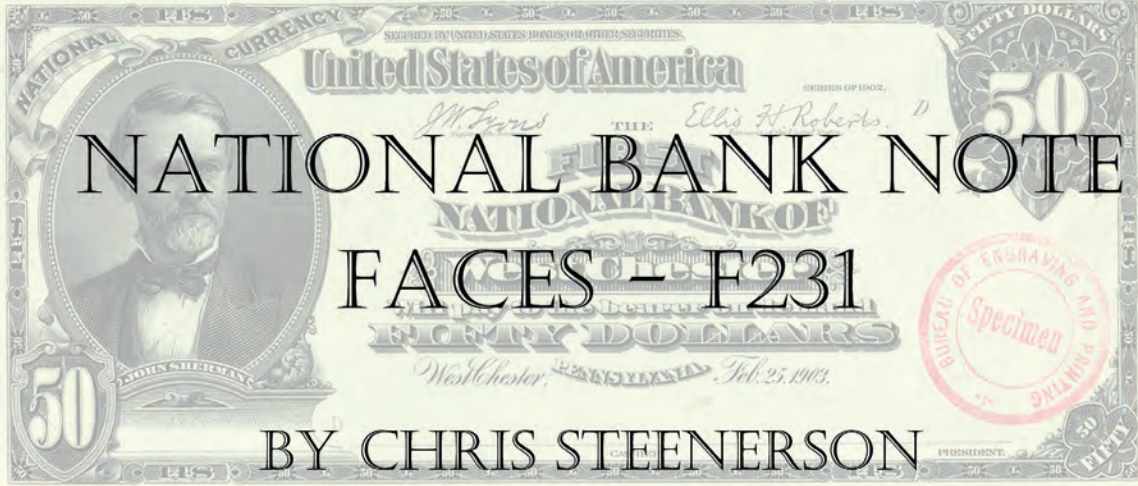


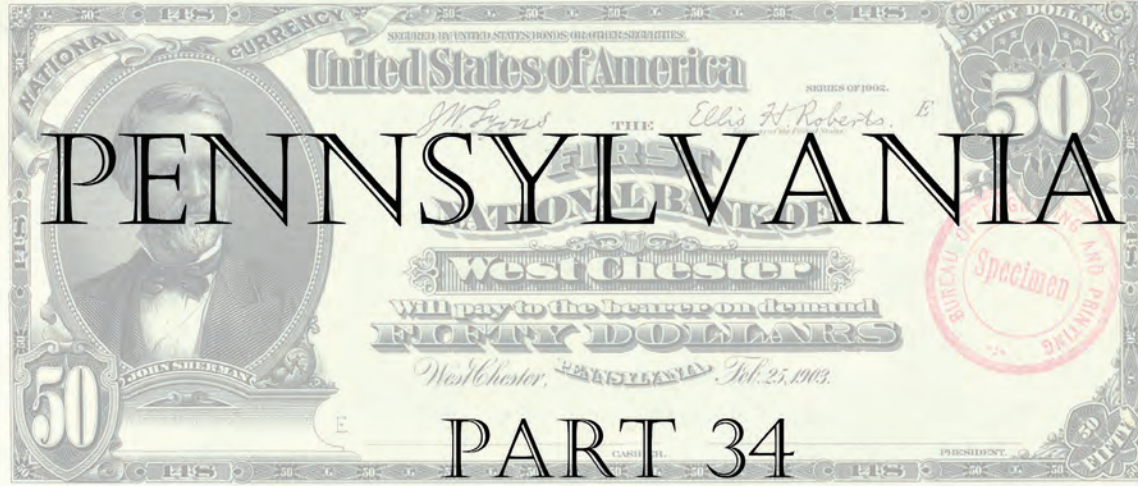


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8619	First National Bank of McAdoo, Pennsylvania	McAdoo
8633	First National Bank of Edwardsville, Pennsylvania	Edwardsville
8646	Grange National Bank of Chester County at Downingtown, Pennsylvania	Downingtown
8653	Farmers National Bank of Selinsgrove, Pennsylvania	Selinsgrove
8656	First National Bank of Ashley, Pennsylvania	Ashley
8678	Peoples National Bank of Ellwood City, Pennsylvania	Ellwood City
8724	Citizens National Bank of Slippery Rock, Pennsylvania	Slippery Rock
8737	Union National Bank of Scranton, Pennsylvania	Scranton
8739	Grange National Bank of Potter County at Ulysses, Pennsylvania	Ulysses
8761	Citizens National Bank of Bellevue, Pennsylvania	Bellevue
8764	McDowell National Bank of Sharon, Pennsylvania	Sharon
8773	McVeytown National Bank, McVeytown, Pennsylvania	McVeytown
8778	Peoples National Bank of Duncannon, Pennsylvania	Duncannon
8783	First National Bank of Fredericksburg, Pennsylvania	Fredericksburg
8795	First National Bank of Munhall, Pennsylvania	Munhall
8806	First National Bank of Olyphant, Pennsylvania	Olyphant
8810	First National Bank of Mansfield, Pennsylvania	Mansfield
8824	First National Bank of Aspinwall, Pennsylvania	Aspinwall
8831	Grange National Bank of Mansfield, Pennsylvania	Mansfield
8845	Grange National Bank of Wyoming County at Laceyville, Pennsylvania	Laceyville
8849	Grange National Bank of Bradford County at Troy, Pennsylvania	Troy
8854	Citizens National Bank of Evans City, Pennsylvania	Evans City
8855	Homer City National Bank, Homer City, Pennsylvania	Homer City
8858	First National Bank of Oley, Pennsylvania	Oley
8866	Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Montgomery, Pennsylvania	Montgomery
8879	Home National Bank of Union City, Pennsylvania	Union City
8890	Peoples National Bank of West Conshohocken, Pennsylvania	West Conshohocken
8901	First National Bank of Somerfield, Pennsylvania	Somerfield
8913	First National Bank of Bernville, Pennsylvania	Bernville
8919	First National Bank of Bruin, Pennsylvania	Bruin
8921	Luzerne National Bank, Luzerne, Pennsylvania	Luzerne
8924	Grange National Bank of Lycoming County, Hughesville, Pennsylvania	Hughesville
8930	First National Bank of Palmerton, Pennsylvania	Palmerton
8938	Industrial National Bank of West York, Pennsylvania	West York
8939	First National Bank of Fleetwood, Pennsylvania	Fleetwood

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8939	First National Bank and Trust Company of Fleetwood, Pennsylvania [1929 Only]	Fleetwood
8946	Grange National Bank of Clarion County at Sligo, Pennsylvania	Sligo
8946	Sligo National Bank, Sligo, Pennsylvania	Sligo
8954	Peoples National Bank of West Alexander, Pennsylvania	West Alexander
8960	Grange National Bank of Susquehanna County at New Milford, Pennsylvania	New Milford
8962	First National Bank of Schaefferstown, Pennsylvania	Schaefferstown
8964	Merchants National Bank of Pottsville, Pennsylvania	Pottsville
8968	Mohnton National Bank, Mohnton, Pennsylvania	Mohnton
8969	Mechanicsburg National Bank, Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania	Mechanicsburg
8973	First National Bank of New Albany, Pennsylvania	New Albany
8985	First National Bank of Orbisonia, Pennsylvania	Orbisonia

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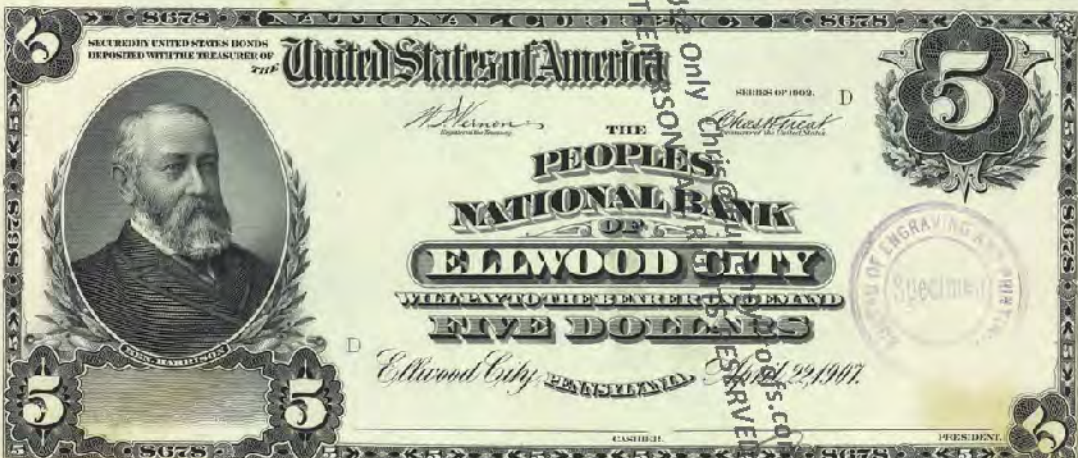
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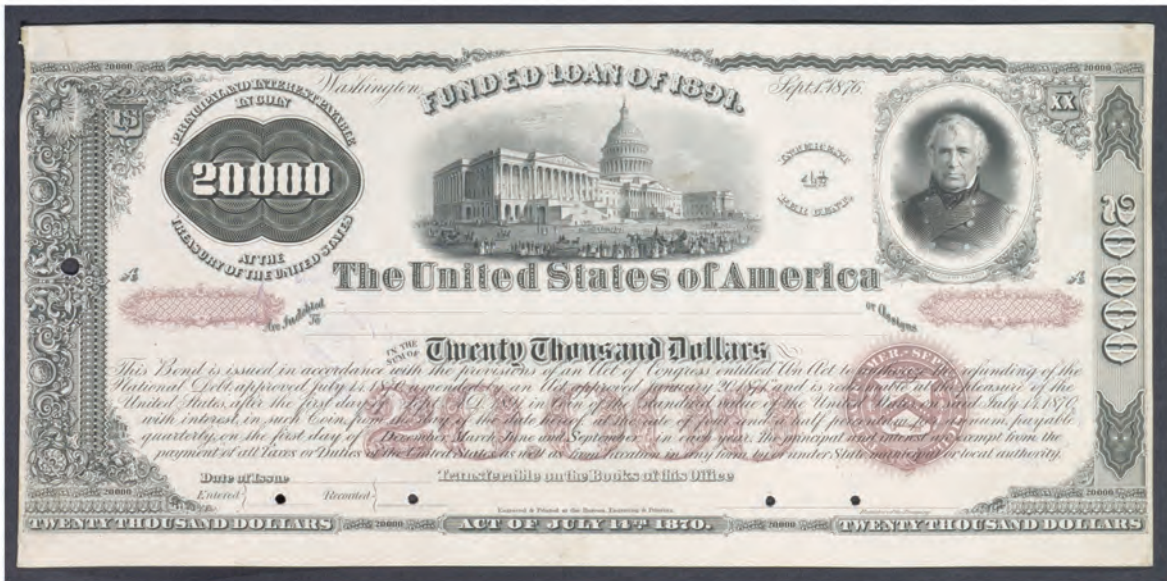


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