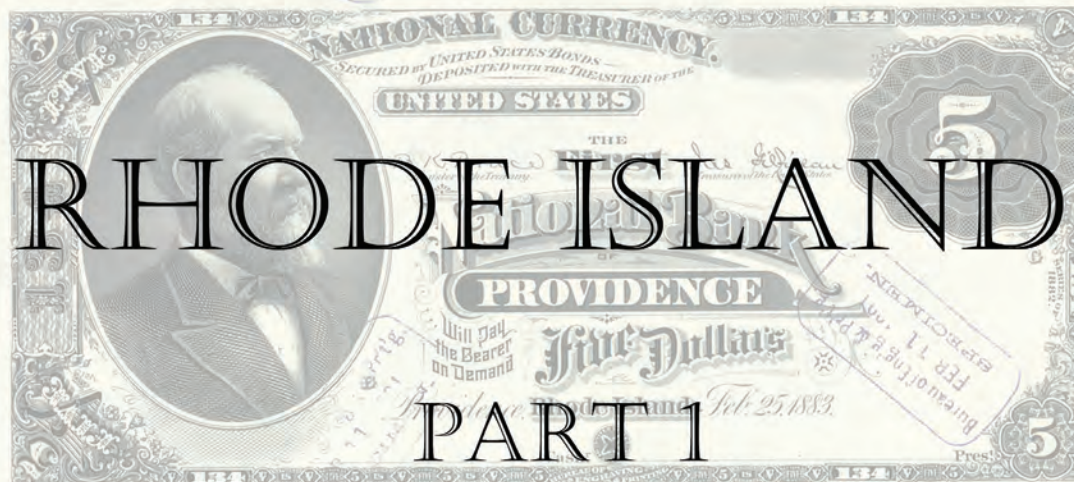
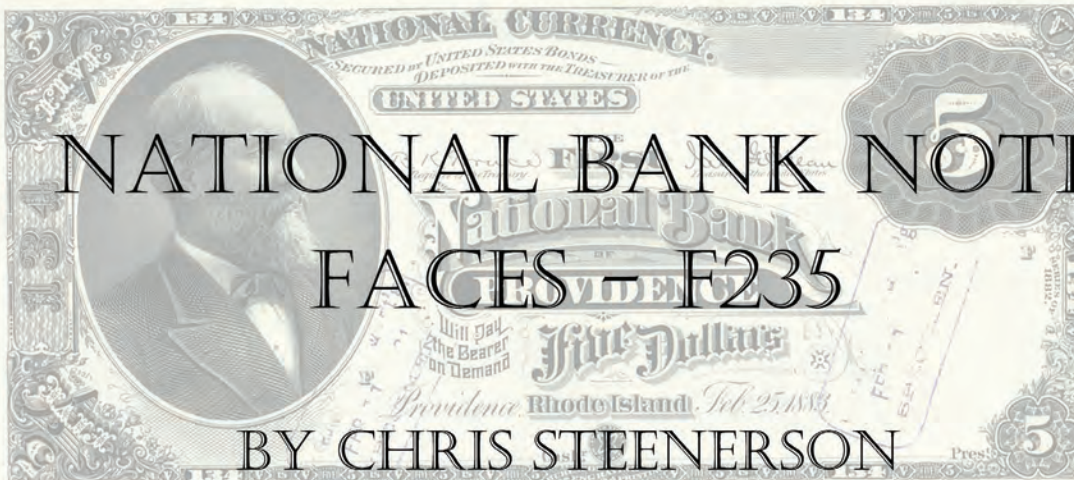
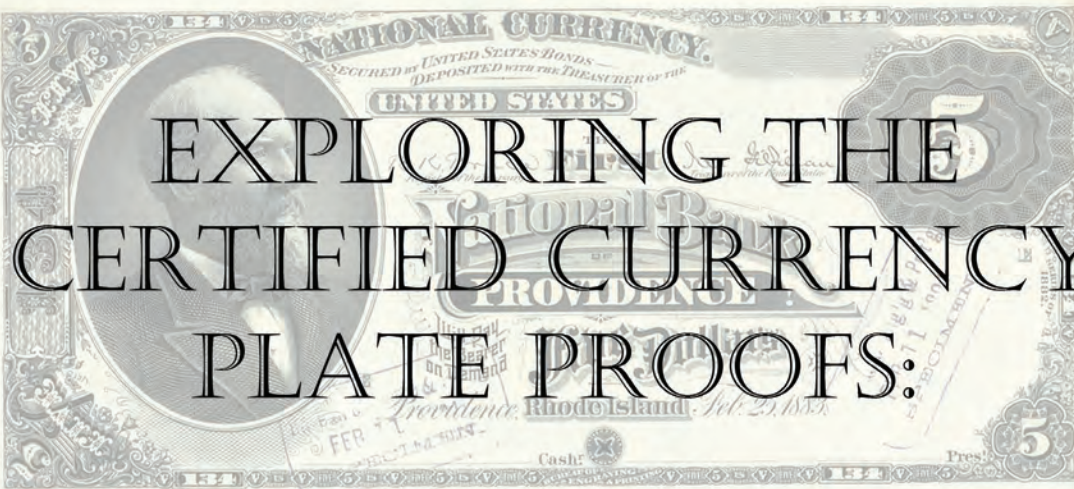




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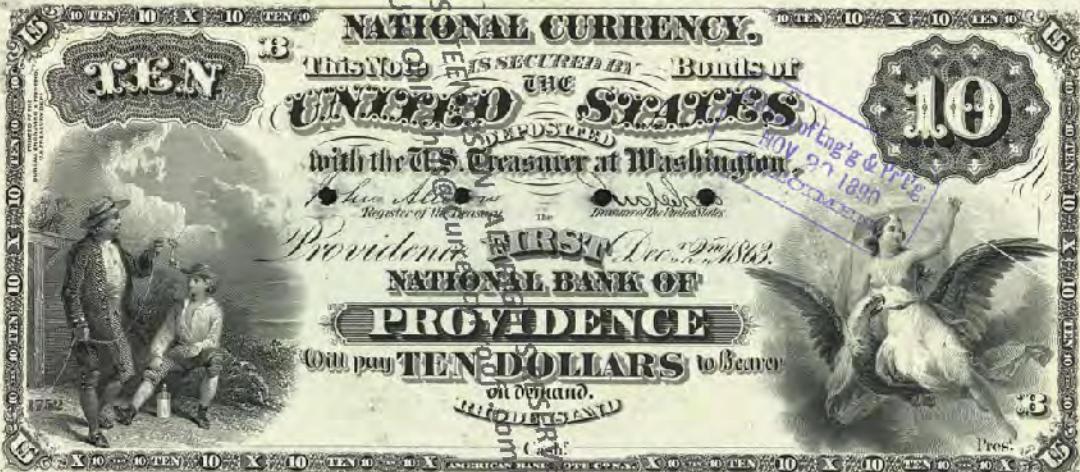
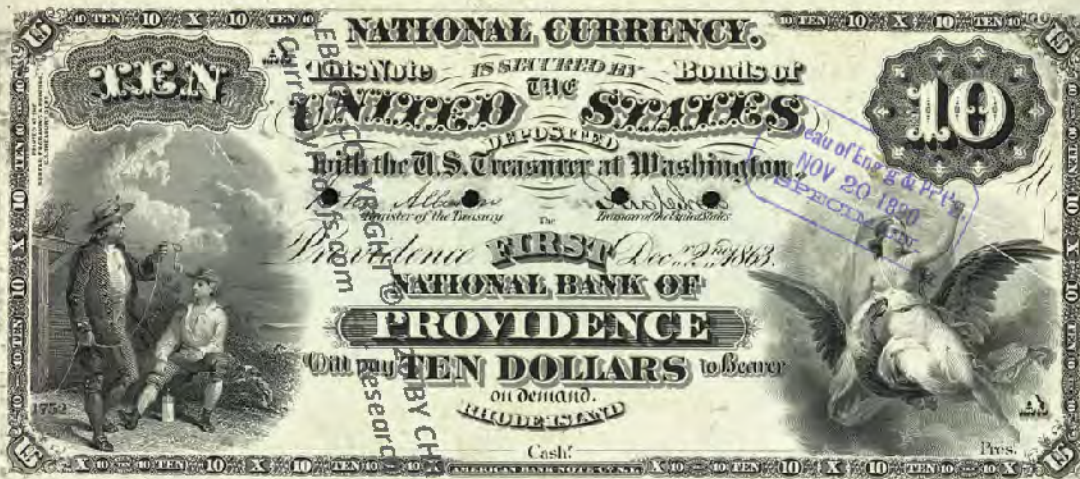
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636	Third National Bank of Providence, Rhode Island	Providence
673	First National Bank of Warren, Rhode Island	Warren
772	Fourth National Bank of Providence, Rhode Island	Providence
823	National Niantic Bank of Westerly, Rhode Island	Westerly
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856	Slater National Bank of North Providence, Rhode Island	North Providence
856	Slater National Bank of Pawtucket, Rhode Island	Pawtucket
948	Phenix National Bank of Providence, Rhode Island	Providence
952	Washington National Bank of Westerly, Rhode Island	Westerly
970	Citizens National Bank of Woonsocket, Rhode Island	Woonsocket
983	Rhode Island National Bank of Providence, Rhode Island	Providence
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1008	National Hope Bank of Warren, Rhode Island	Warren
1021	First National Bank of Newport, Rhode Island	Newport
1030	National Eagle Bank of Providence, Rhode Island	Providence
1035	First National Bank of Smithfield, Slatersville, Rhode Island	Slatersville
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1058	Woonsocket National Bank, Woonsocket, Rhode Island	Woonsocket





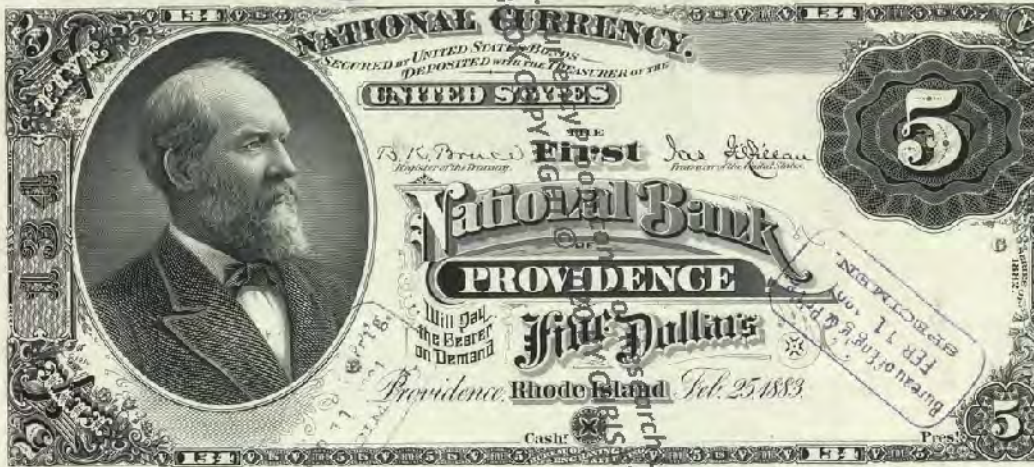


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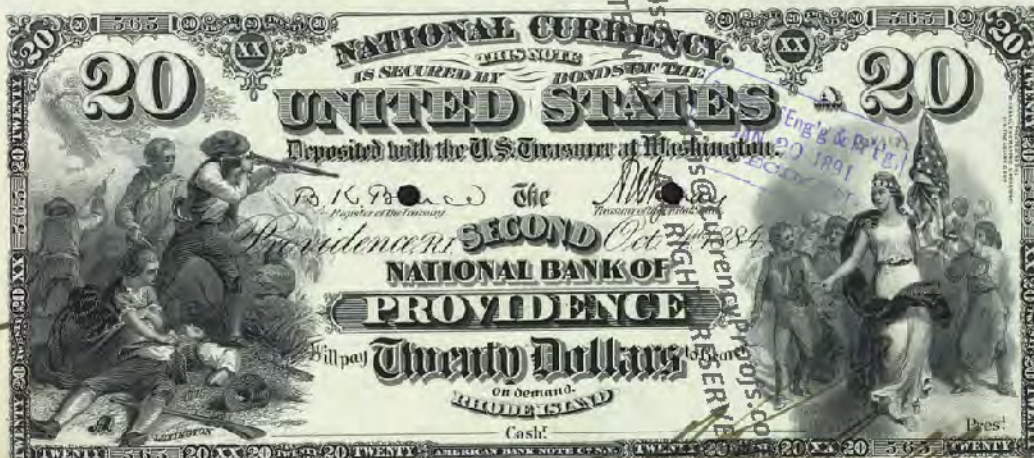
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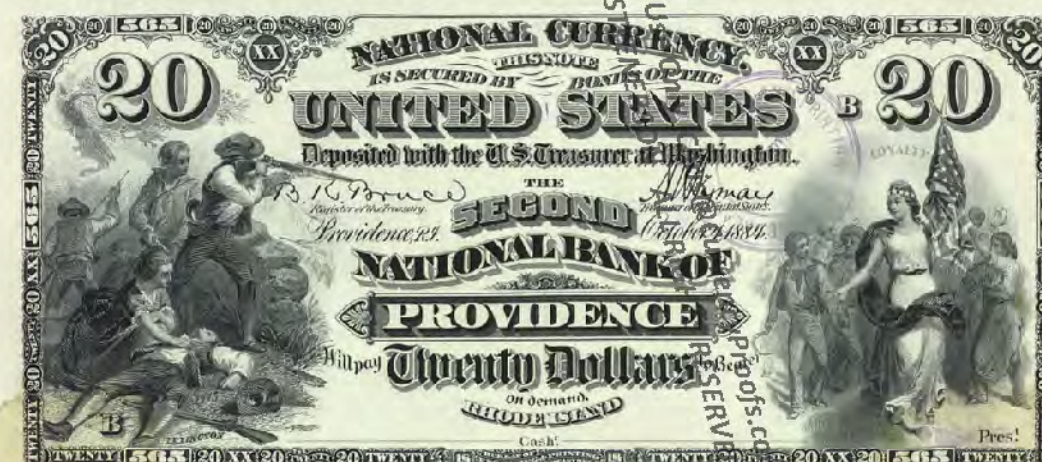
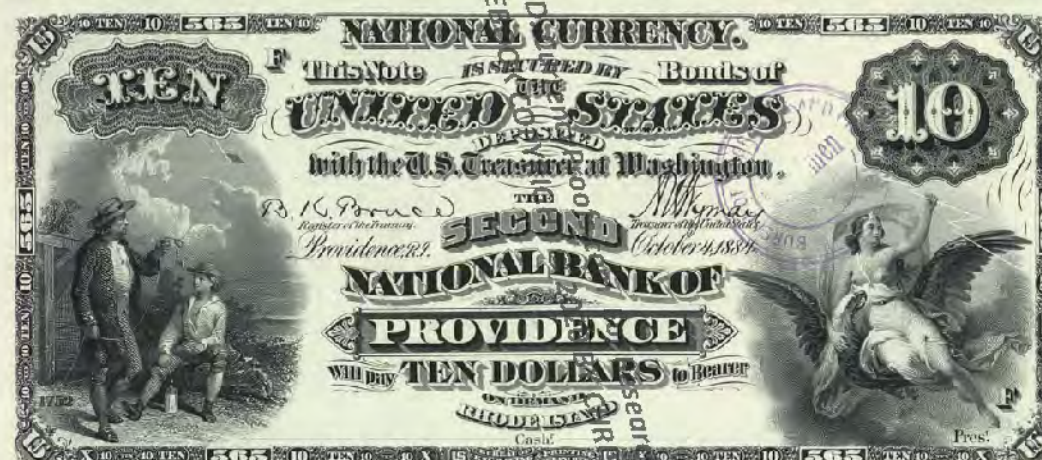
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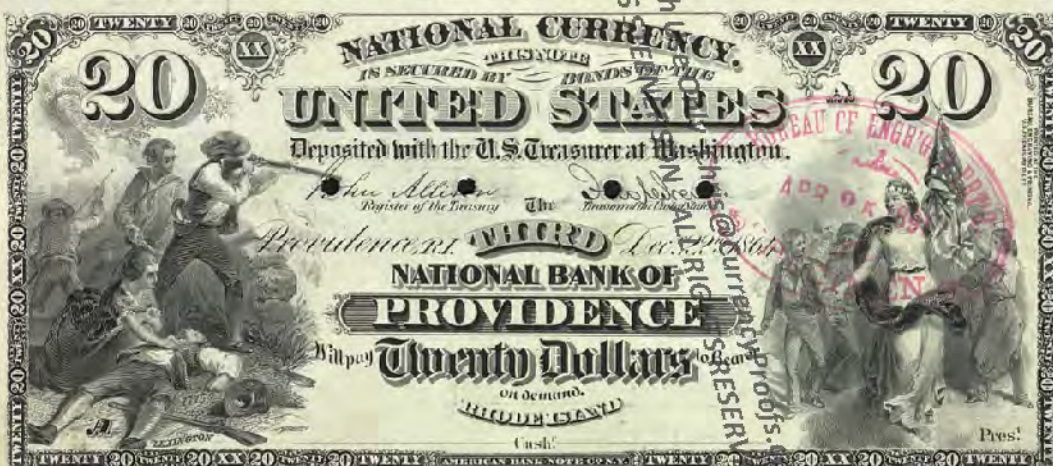
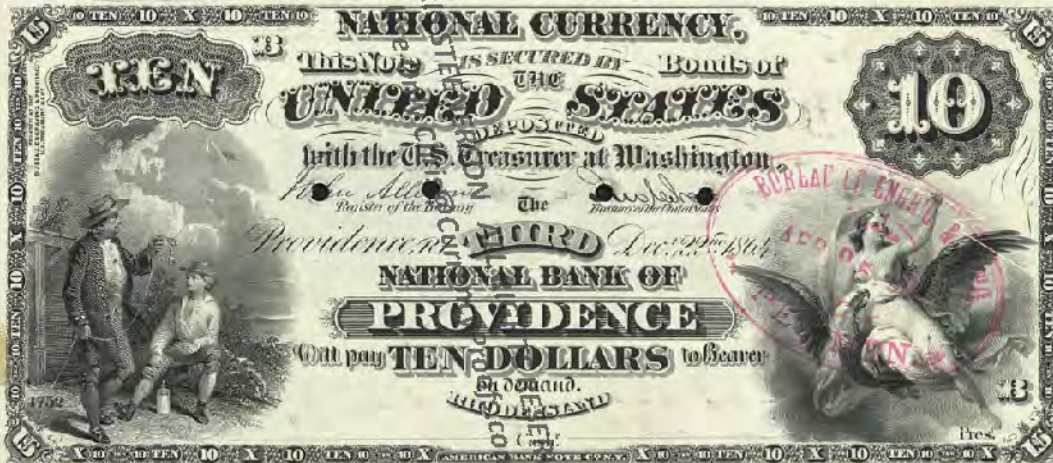


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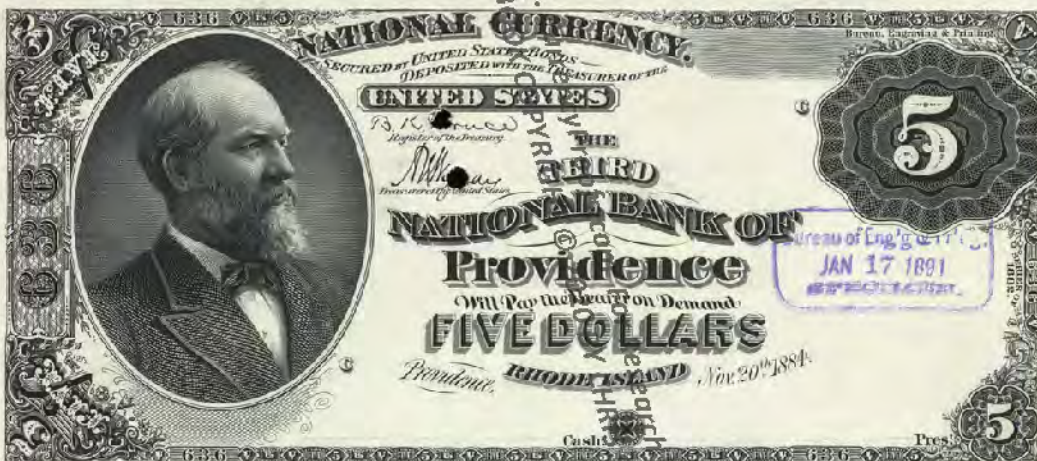
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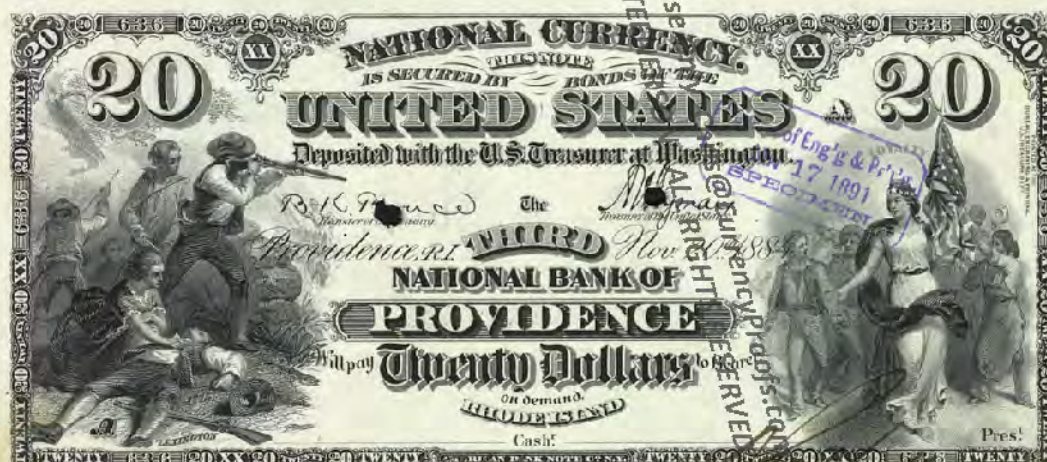
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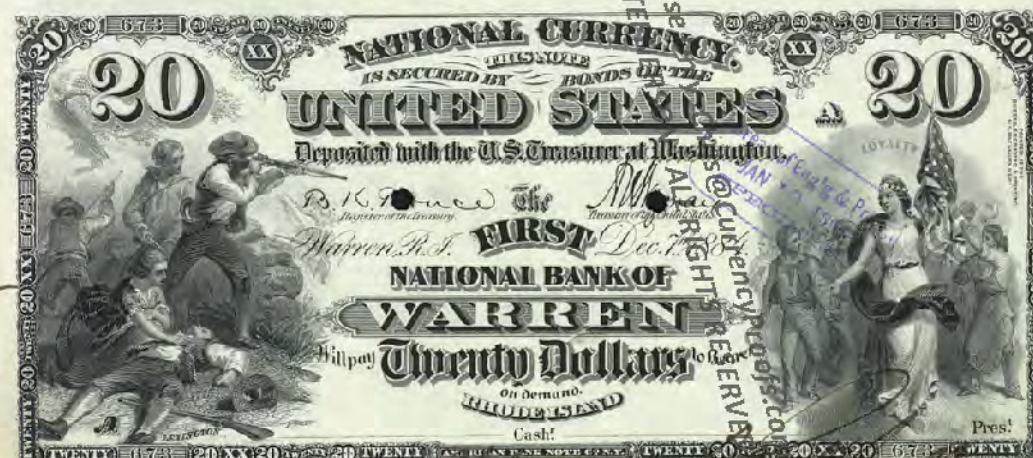




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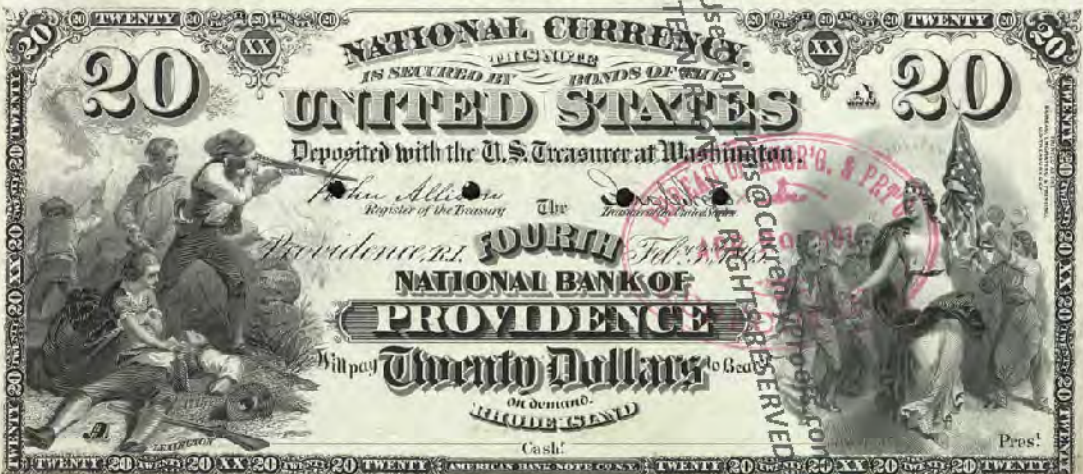
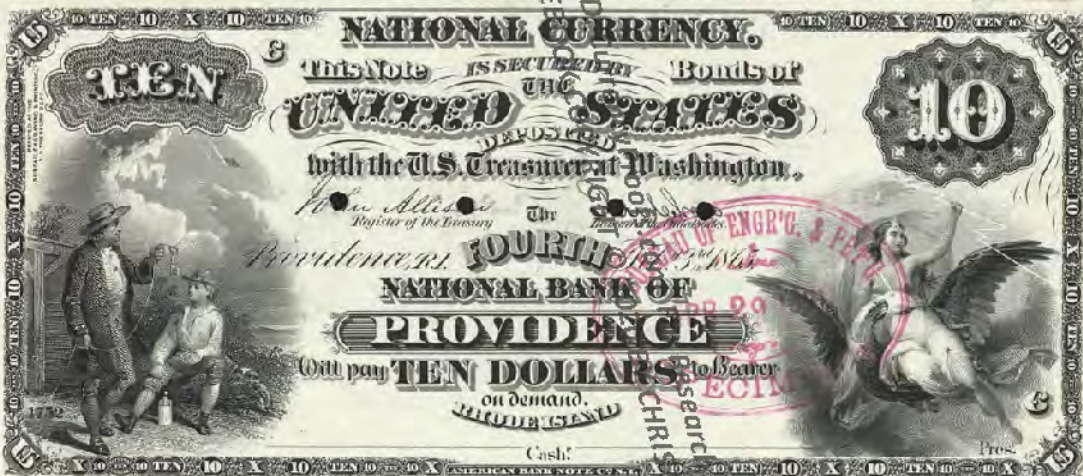
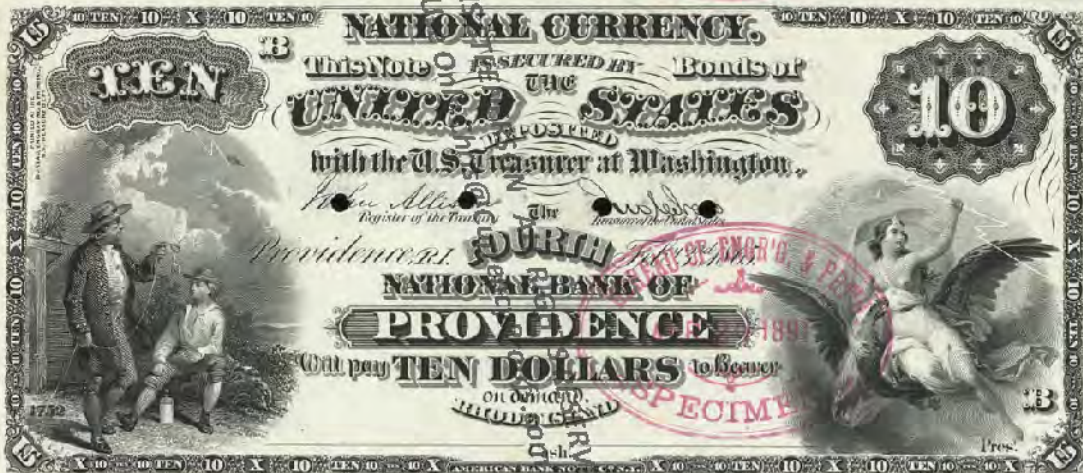
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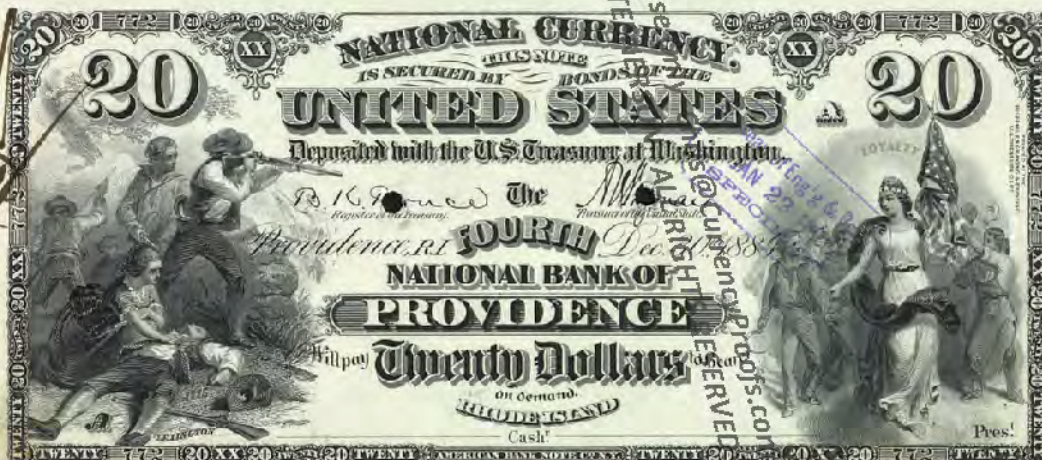
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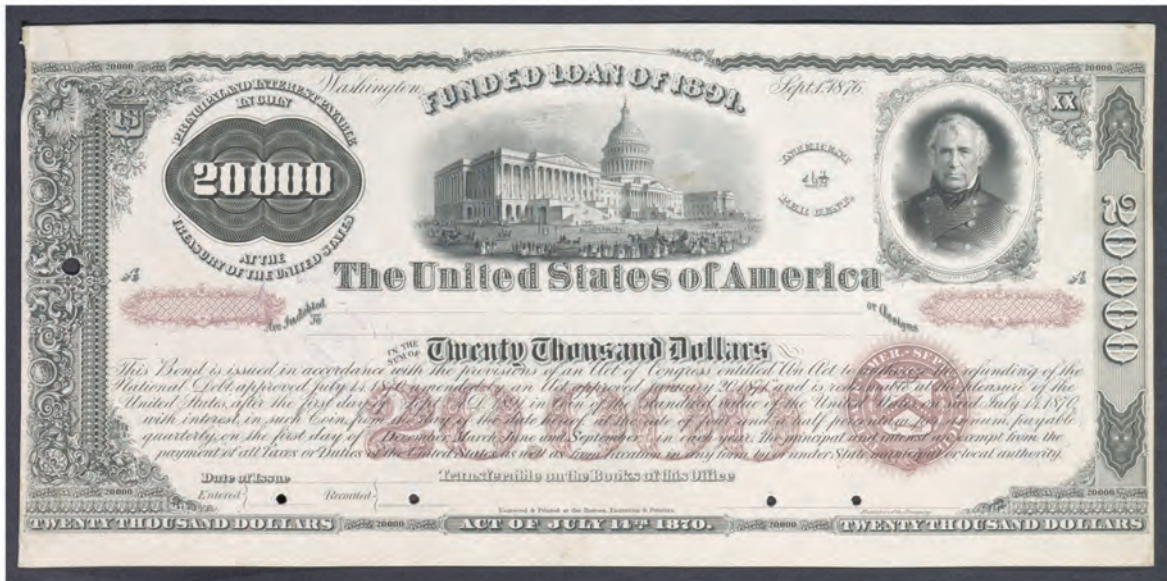


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