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Tennessee - Banks Issuing National Currency - Table 2

Charter	Name of Bank	City
2000	Stones River National Bank of Murfreesboro, Tennessee	Murfreesboro
2019	Springfield National Bank, Springfield, Tennessee	Springfield
2049	East Tennessee National Bank of Knoxville, Tennessee	Knoxville
2049	Park National Bank of Knoxville, Tennessee [1929 only]	Knoxville
2096	Fourth National Bank of Memphis, Tennessee	Memphis
2114	First National Bank of Fayetteville, Tennessee	Fayetteville
2127	State National Bank of Memphis, Tennessee	Memphis
2127	Central-State National Bank of Memphis, Tennessee	Memphis
2167	First National Bank of Bristol, Tennessee	Bristol
2168	First National Bank of Jackson, Tennessee	Jackson
2198	National Bank of Shelbyville, Tennessee	Shelbyville
2200	Mechanics National Bank of Nashville, Tennessee	Nashville
2221	National Bank of McMinnville, Tennessee	McMinnville
2221	First National Bank of McMinnville, Tennessee	McMinnville
2513	Merchants National Bank of Nashville, Tennessee	Nashville
2559	Third National Bank of Chattanooga, Tennessee	Chattanooga
2568	Second National Bank of Columbia, Tennessee	Columbia
2593	Peoples National Bank of McMinnville, Tennessee	McMinnville
2635	Peoples National Bank of Pulaski, Tennessee	Pulaski
2658	Exchange National Bank of Knoxville, Tennessee	Knoxville
2720	Clarksville National Bank, Clarksville, Tennessee	Clarksville
2796	National Bank of Bristol, Tennessee	Bristol
2796	First National Bank of Bristol, Tennessee	Bristol
3032	American National Bank of Nashville, Tennessee	Nashville
3062	Farmer's National Bank of Franklin, Tennessee	Franklin
3107	First National Bank of Tullahoma, Tennessee	Tullahoma
3228	Commercial National Bank of Nashville, Tennessee	Nashville
3241	Farmer's and Merchants National Bank of Clarksville, Tennessee	Clarksville
3288	First National Bank of Centerville, Tennessee	Centerville
3341	First National Bank of Athens, Tennessee	Athens
3432	First National Bank of Morristown, Tennessee	Morristown
3530	Peoples National Bank of Shelbyville, Tennessee	Shelbyville
3576	Second National Bank of Jackson, Tennessee	Jackson
3614	First National Bank of Sparta, Tennessee	Sparta
3633	Memphis National Bank of Memphis, Tennessee	Memphis
3660	First National Bank of South Pittsburg, Tennessee	South Pittsburg
3691	Chattanooga National Bank, Chattanooga, Tennessee	Chattanooga
3702	Elk National Bank of Fayetteville, Tennessee	Fayetteville
3708	Third National Bank of Knoxville, Tennessee	Knoxville
3837	City National Bank of Knoxville, Tennessee	Knoxville
3919	First National Bank of Union City, Tennessee	Union City
3951	First National Bank of Johnson City, Tennessee	Johnson City





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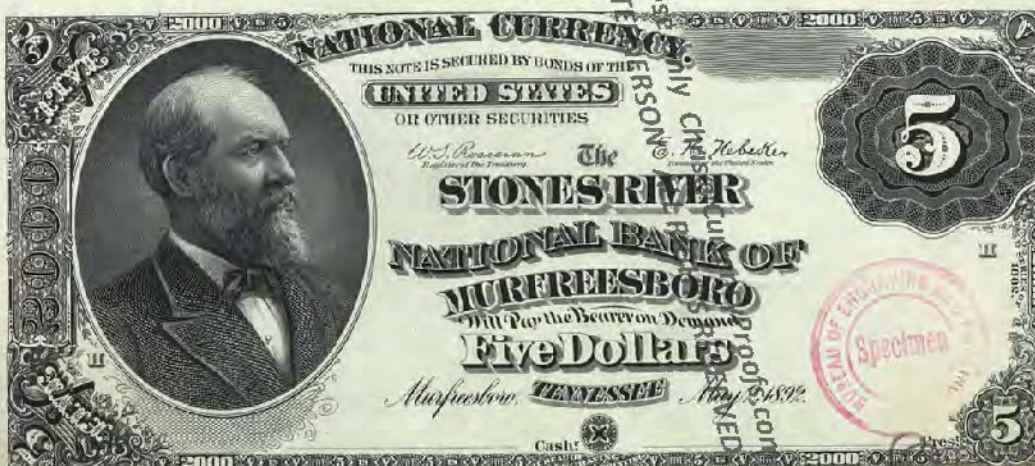


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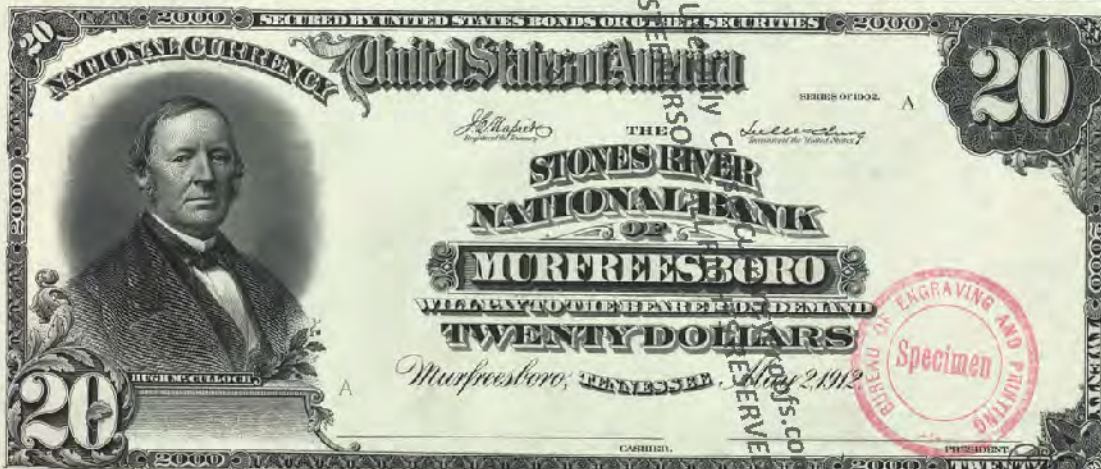
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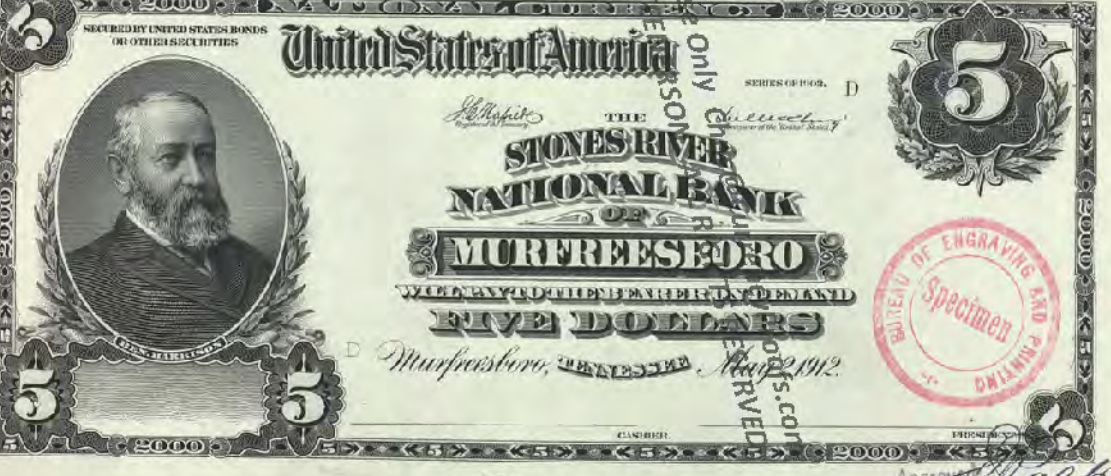
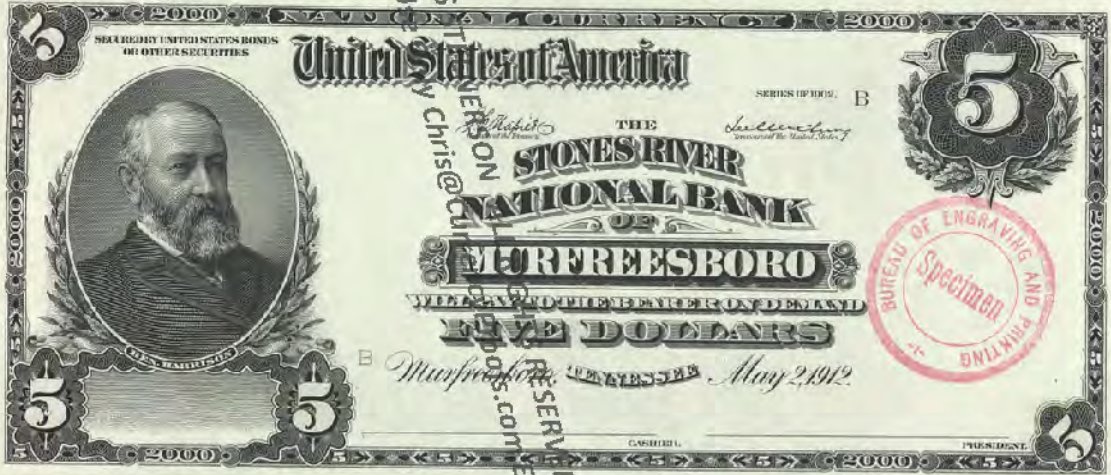
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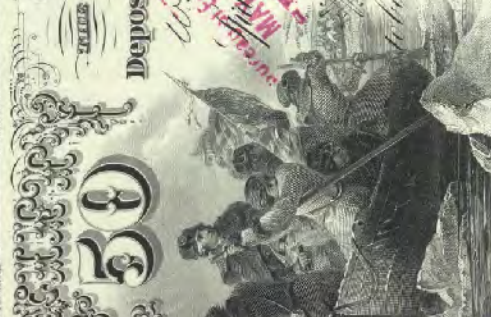
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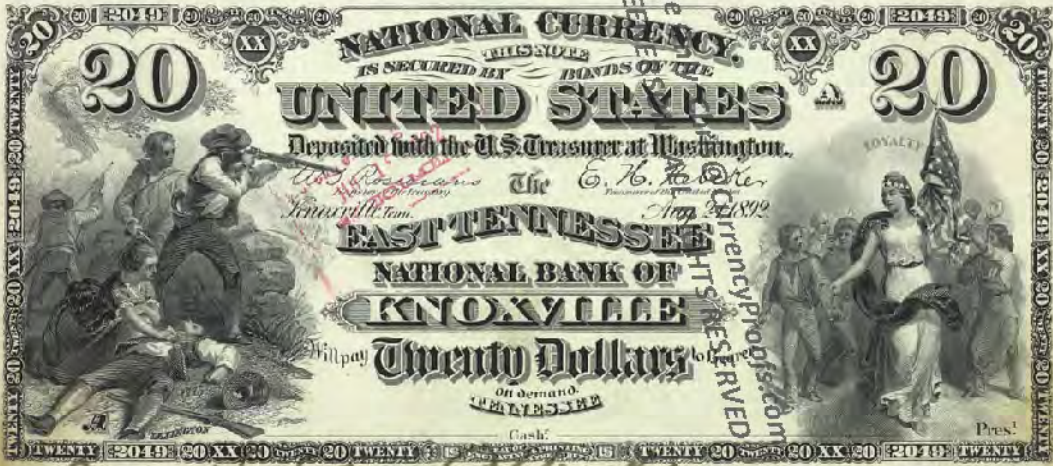
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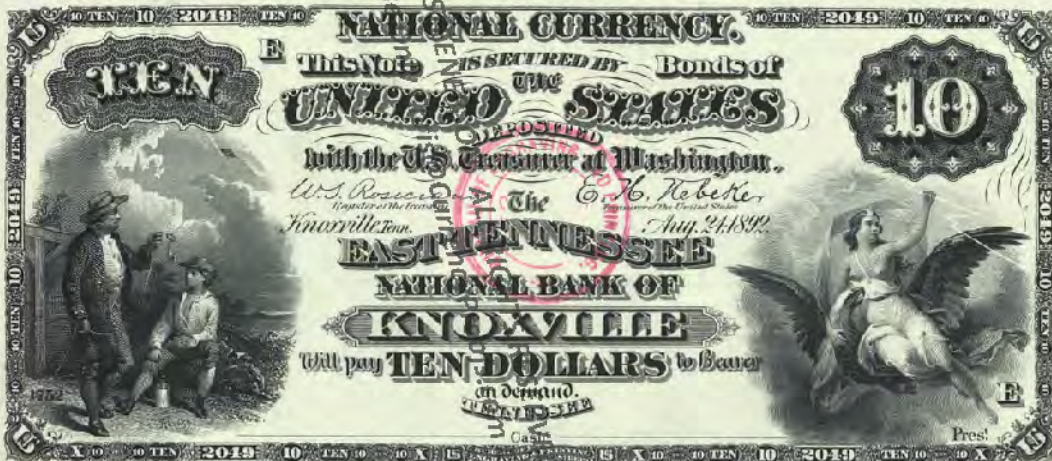
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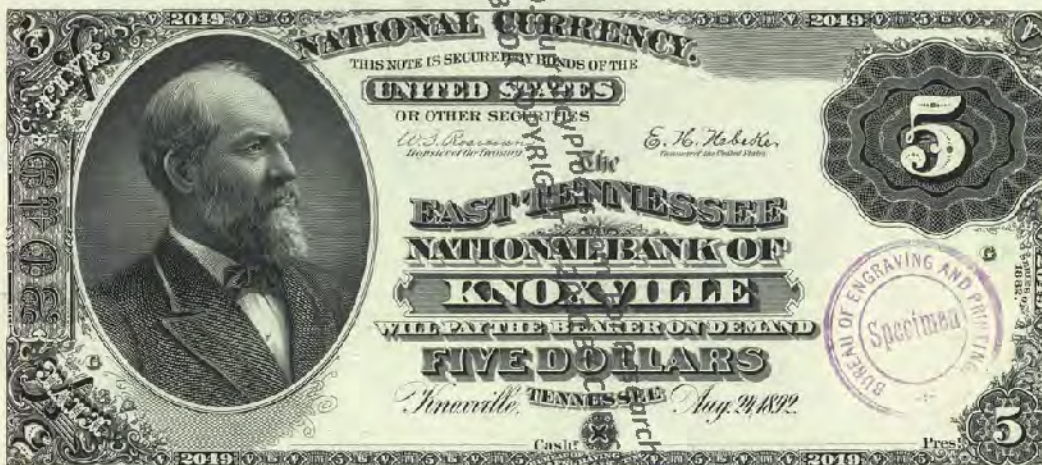
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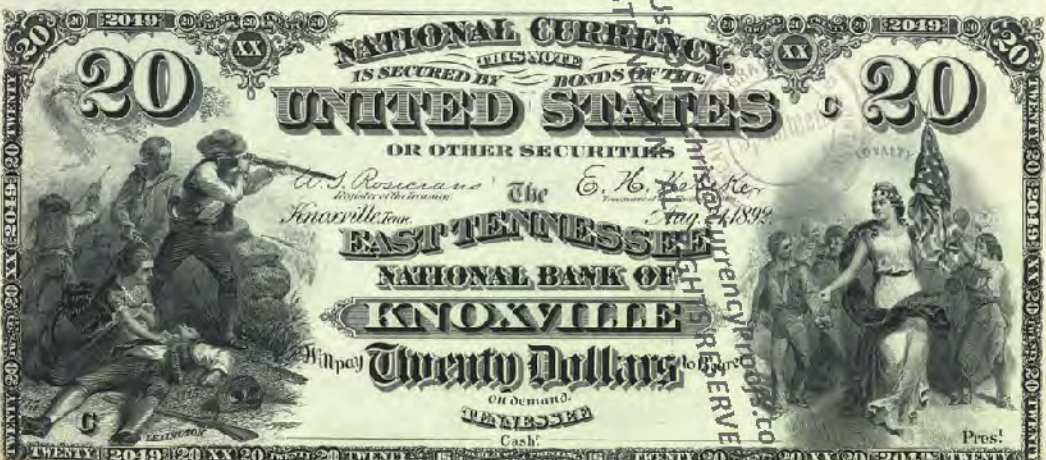


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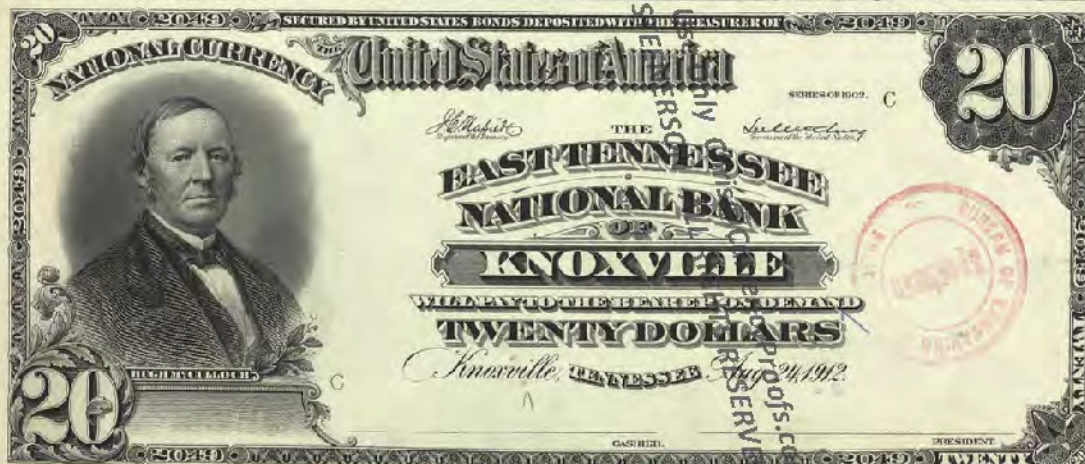
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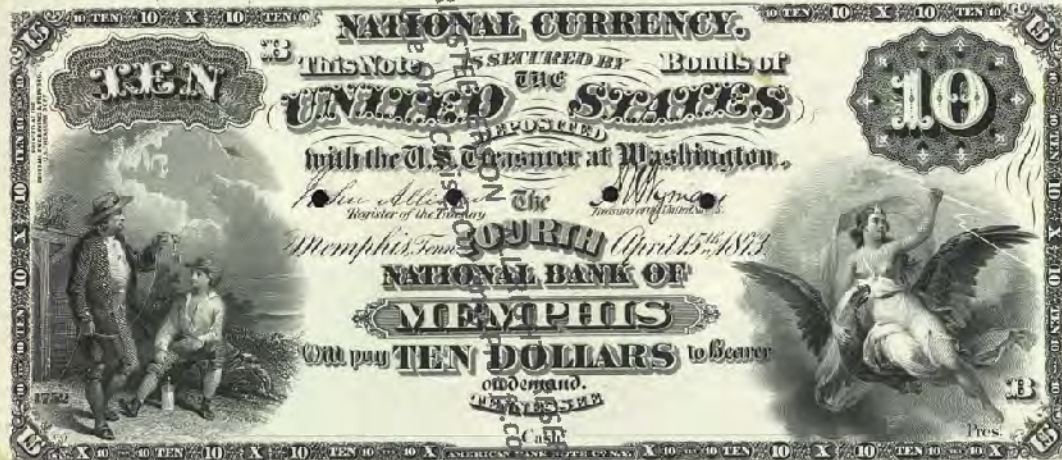


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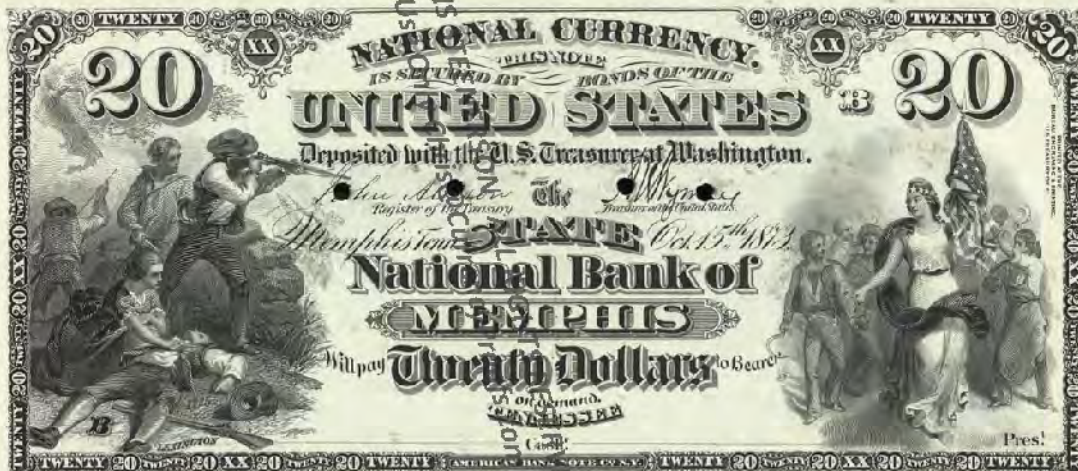




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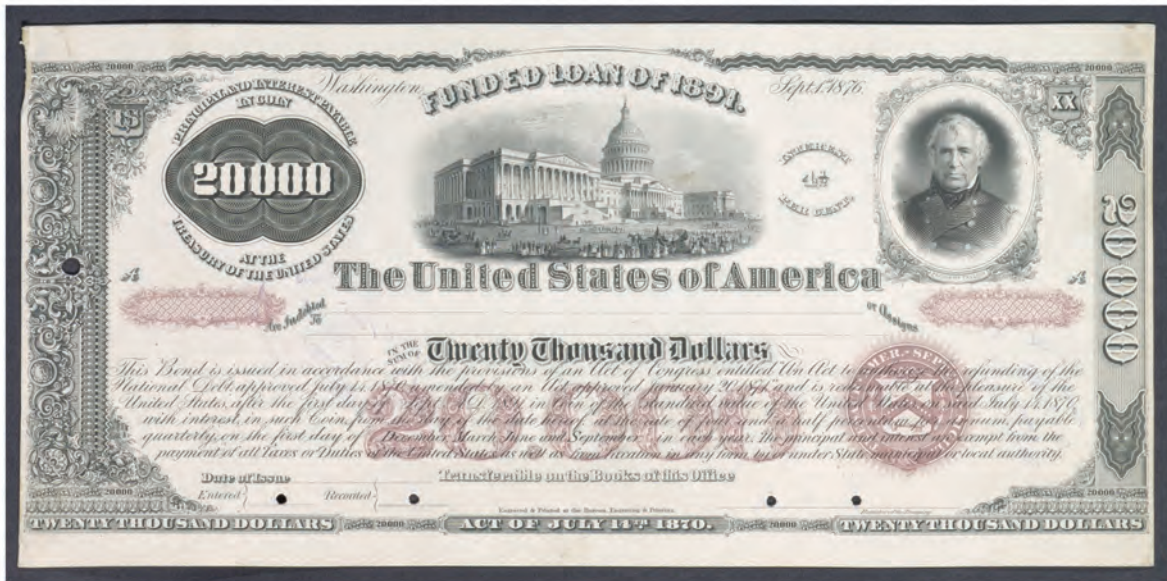


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