

# Part II: Russian Orders, Medals & Badges

*W. A. Mooromsky Collection (1927-2003) of  
Imperial Russian Orders*

*Selected USSR Rarities from an American Collector  
& Other properties*







## The Walter Alexander Mooromsky Collection

Walter Alexander Mooromsky (1927-2003) was born April 29, 1927, in China, to Russian parents. His father, Alexander Petrovitch Mooromsky, had been born near Penza, south-east of Moscow, at the end of the 19th century. The exact date is a mystery as he lied about his age to get in to the Tsar's Army, and we think gave a different year when he emigrated to San Francisco in 1930. The family considers 1898 to be his birth year. In 1917, he joined the White Army to fight the Bolsheviks. A fervent Monarchist to the day he died, he never believed that any of the Romanov Royal Family escaped the slaughter in July 1918 – having been in the first White Army to reach Ekaterinburg after the Royal Family was murdered and having seen the site. He continued to fight during the Civil War through 1921, serving with pride under General Molchanoff. With the fighting coming to an end, the remnant of the White Army in Eastern Russia realized they needed to leave their beloved Motherland and they walked across the Gobi Desert to escape the Reds. Only a fraction survived this journey. Arriving in Harbin, China, Alexander met Zoya Anoufrovna Rogulsky and they were married there. Their son Vladimir Alexandrovitch was born in Tientsin. As a family they emigrated to California, arriving in San Francisco – Angel Island – in March 1930. At this point Vladimir Alexandrovitch was renamed Walter Alexander.

Walter attended Lowell High School and graduated from the University of California Berkeley. He served proudly in both the U.S. Navy and the U.S. Army in WWII and Korea. He was a long time employee and executive with Levi Strauss & Co., which moved him to Brussels, Belgium, in 1962 to set up a European marketing and distribution operation. He remained in Brussels for 16 years, having made a second home there. He returned to the U.S. in the early 1980s via a three year stay in Montreal, Canada. His interests were many, as were his passions and loyalties. He was deeply proud of his Russian heritage, always finding the time to participate in various Russian activities. He carried on his family's love and honor of Mother Russia, and started his collection of Russian orders and decorations while living in Belgium in the 1960s and 1970s. There he had ready access to some of the great auction houses and dealers of Europe, enabling him to build his collection. To him this collection was about keeping alive the memory and honoring the country of his ancestors. It is his family's hope that these pieces will continue to do so in the hands of others.

Lots in the section below that are from the Walter Alexander Mooromsky collection are marked with the symbol ☞



## ORDER OF THE WHITE EAGLE



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2001



2001

2001 **Neck badge. Awarded to those already awarded the Order of St. Andrew the First Called.** Ca. 1850's. Gold. 76 x 45 mm. Unmarked. Multienamed. Complex multipiece construction. Shishkov p.285. Production of Orders without any marks was typical in Russia in mid-1800's. *Very rare.*

*Condition:*

Minor enamel chipping, minimal wear.

Major problem free and very nice \$ 30,000



## ORDER OF ST. GEORGE



2002



2002

2002

2002✳ **2nd Class. Complete Set**, including Breast Star, Cross and Sash. European manufacture. Early 20th Century. Star: 86.4 x 86.4 mm. Silver. Full gilt. Unmarked. Vertical pin. Motto of the St. George order: 'ЗА СЛУЖБУ И ХРАБРОСТЬ' – 'For Duty and Valor' over black enamel. Cross. 54 mm. Silver, gilt. Unmarked. Central medallion depicting St. George slaying a dragon over a pink background. Comes with a full length sash.

*Condition:*

Attractive, problem free

\$8,000





2003 **3rd Class.** Gold, silver. 38 mm. 'Bomb type'. Maker's mark 'БД' on loop. Kokoshnik mark on side of medallion between arms. Both front and back medallions are separate construction. Apparently of European manufacture.  
*Condition:* Attractive, problem free \$5,000



2004 Cross. **4th Class.** Gold. 34.5 mm. Ca. WWI. Cross is unmarked. Unclear markings on attachment loop.  
*Condition:* Minor enamel cracking on obverse lower arm. Very fine \$ 7,500





2005

2005✂ Cross. **4th Class**. Silver. 40 mm. Two unidentified marks on loop. European, apparently German manufacture. Circa late 1800's – early 1900's. Extremely well and interestingly made.

*Condition:*

Near Mint \$ 1,000



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2006



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2006✂ Cross. Miniature. Silver. 23 mm. Gilt. Barrel-ring suspension with loop. Very well made. Comes on a ribbon.

*Condition:*

Near mint \$ 1,000



2007

2007 Medal. Bronze. 71 mm. By V. Alexeyev and P. Mescheryakov. **For the Centennial of the Order of St. George, 1869.** Sm 704, Diakov 760.1. Conjoined busts of Catherine II and Alexander II, clad in a uniform, left / Cross of the Order of St. George. Some minor rim and surface tics typical of these large size pieces

Extremely fine \$ 400



## ORDER OF ST. VLADIMIR



2008✳ Breast Star. Silver, gold center. 84 mm. Austrian manufacture. Ca. 1860's. Enameled centre with the motto: 'ПОЛЬЗА, ЧЕСТЬ И СЛАВА' - 'Advantage, Honor and Fame'. Hallmarked on pin, maker's mark 'PK' – (possibly Heinrich Plinke himself; the identity is presumed by Solodkoff and Jacob). *Rare* early star, requires additional research.

*Condition:*

Minimal wear, problem free \$ 15,000



2009✳ Breast Star. Silver. 87 mm. By Keibel. Ca. 1880's-1890's. Enameled centre with the motto: 'ПОЛЬЗА, ЧЕСТЬ И СЛАВА' - 'Advantage, Honor and Fame'. Hallmarked 84, 'Keibel' and Imperial Eagle on base. 84; 'Keibel' and Imperial Eagle on pin. 'A' import mark on top arm. Enamel and gold plated. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Toned, Mint and absolutely problem free \$ 15,000



2010 **2nd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 48.5 mm. Ca. 1863-1882. By Julius Keibel. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. Imperial warrant Eagle mark on top and maker's mark 'IK' on lower arm. *Rare*  
*Condition:* Superb and problem free \$ 20,000



2011⌘ **Cross. 2nd Class. Civil Division.** Silver. 53.5 mm. Unmarked. European, possibly Austrian manufacture. Circa early 20th Century. The body of the piece is formed from two halves joined at the edges. Partial gilt. Comes on a bow. Impressive.  
*Condition:* Near mint \$ 2,500





2012

2012

2012 Cross. **3rd Class. Military Division.** Gold. 45 mm. Circa end of the 19th - early 20th Century. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. 'ВД' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' marks on reverse on top and lower arms. Two *kokoshnik* marks on the sword hilts. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Minimal wear, enamel is fully intact. Near Mint \$15,000



2013

2013\* Cross. **3rd Class. Military Division.** Gold. 44.3 mm. Circa end of the 19th - early 20th Century. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. 'ВД' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' marks on reverse on top and lower arms. Interestingly, Eduard mark was placed up side down.

*Condition:*

Large chip on obverse medallion. Otherwise very nice \$ 10,000



2014\* Cross. **3rd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 44 mm. Circa end of the 19th - early 20th Century. By Eduard. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. 'ВД' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' marks on reverse on top and lower arms.

*Condition:*

Mint \$6,000



2015\* Cross. **4th Class. Military Division.** Flat black enamel type. Gold. 37 mm. Circa 1850's – 1870's. By Pavel Sazikov (?). Hallmarked 56 on a loop, maker's mark 'П' on loop. Two *kokoshnik* marks on the sword hilts. Rare early cross, especially with this maker's mark. Comes on old ribbon.

*Condition:*

A few old scratches and contact marks. Choice and problem free \$17,500





2016

2016⌘ Cross. **4th Class. Civil Division.** Bronze. 35 mm. 1916-1917. By Dmitry Osipov. Marks 'K' and 'ДО' on the lower arms of the reverse. Comes on a bar with old ribbon.

*Condition:*

Mint \$1,250



2017

2017⌘ Cross. 4th Class. Military Division. Silver. 32.2 mm. Unmarked. European manufacture. Circa early 20th Century. Partially gold plated. Well made. Comes on a ribbon. Interesting cross.

*Condition:*

Near Mint \$ 1,000



2018

2018⌘ Miniature. Cross. Military Division. 17.2 mm. Silver. Gilt. Unmarked. Comes on a ribbon.

*Condition:*

Mint \$400



2019

2019⌘ Miniature. Cross. Civil Division. 15 mm. Silver. Gilt. Unidentified mark on loop. Barrel-ring suspension with loop.

*Condition:*

Mint \$300

## ORDER OF ST. ANNE



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2020

2020

**Cross. 1st Class. Flat Black Enamel type.** Gold. 50 mm. Ca. 1870's. Hallmarked 56 (14) on loop. Unidentified maker's mark on loop resembles '.. Π'. Superb quality workmanship. Made in the fashion of the time – flat black enamel. *Very rare.* Comes on replaced loop and ribbon.

*Condition:*

Choice and problem free \$ 30,000





2021

2021⌘ Cross. **1st Class with Imperial Crown.** Silver. 84 by 44.3 mm. Unmarked. European, possibly Austrian manufacture. Circa early 20th Century. Black enamel. Gilt. The hinged crown suspension fitted with carrier on reverse. Impressive

*Condition:*

Nice patina, Near mint \$ 4,000



2022



2022⌘ Star. **1st Class with Imperial Crown.** Silver. 83 mm. Austrian manufacture. Circa Early 20th Century. Maker's mark 'C.F. ROTHE' and 'WIEN' applied on vertical pin.

*Condition:*

Nice even patina, Near Mint \$ 4,000

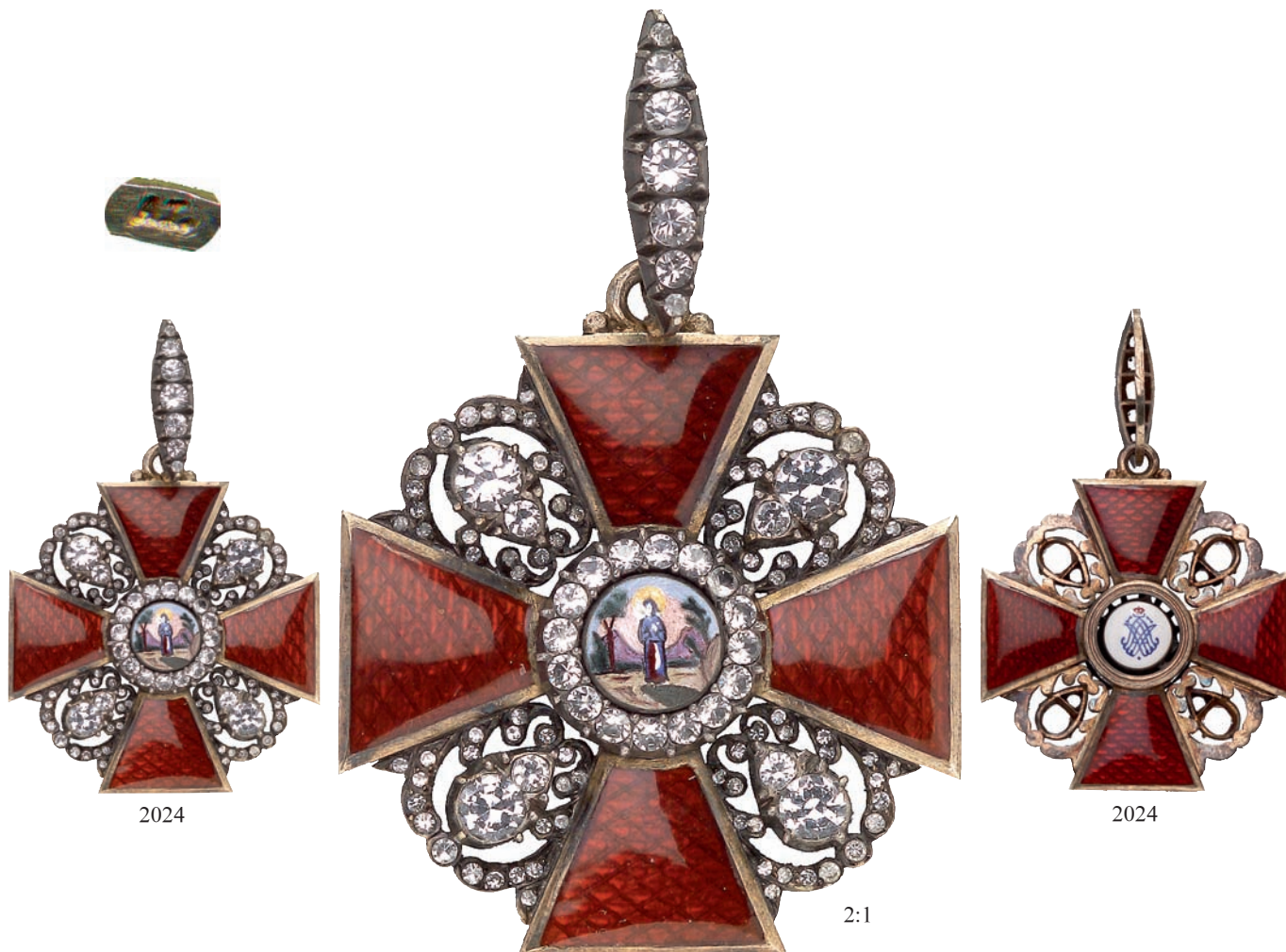


2023

2023 Star. Silver. French manufacture. Ca. 1870's-1880's. 62 mm. By Halley, Paris. Vertical pinback. Silver jewel-cut star of eight rays. Small red-enamelled cross with diagonal golden cross at center, framed by silverwork motto and putti holding crown on red enamelled ribbon. Maker's name on back of plaque. Fine workmanship. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Problem free \$ 5,000



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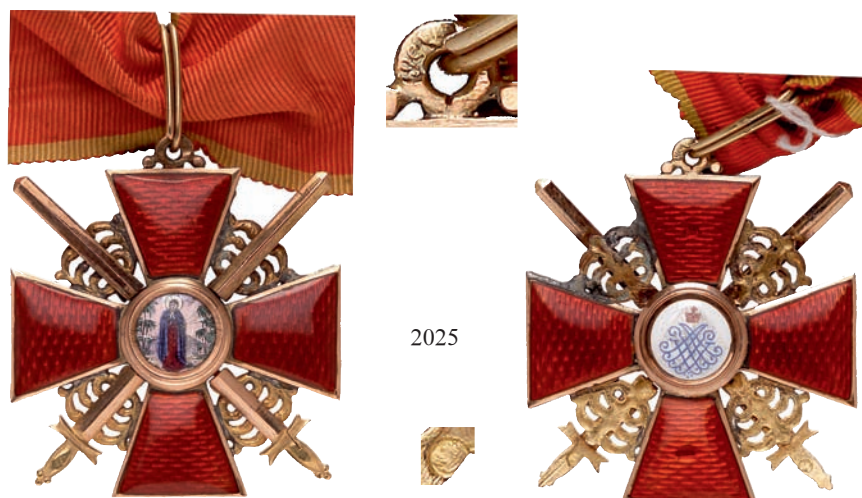
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2024⌘ Cross. **2nd Class. With diamonds.** Silver, Gilt. 44 mm. Ca. 1870's-1880's. Marked 'A.T.' and 'P.P' – (?) on loop. European manufacture. Diamonds later substituted for paste pieces of various sizes. Red enamel over guilloché arms of the cross.

*Condition:*

Problem free \$ 15,000





2025

2025✳ Cross. **2nd Class. Military Division.** Gold. 45 mm. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. 'ВД' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' marks on top and lower arms on reverse. Comes on a ribbon.

*Condition:*

Ornament between arms was once supported. Near Mint

\$ 3,000



2026

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2026 Cross. **3rd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 31 mm. By Emmanuel von Pannasch. Dated '(183) 4' on loop. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. Imperial eagle wings down mark on top and 'I.P.' mark on lower arms. *Rare* early dated cross. Of the highest workmanship.

*Condition:*

Unfortunate enamel crack on the obverse medallion.

Otherwise – Superb!

\$ 20,000



2027

2027% Cross. **3rd Class. Military Division.** Silver. Gold plated. European, possibly Austrian manufacture. Circa late 19th Century. Medallion and overall good quality work.

*Condition:* Chipping of the red enamel. One hilt of a sword is bent. Very fine otherwise \$500



2028

2028% Cross. **3rd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 35 mm. Late 1870's – 1892. By Albert Keibel. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. Unclear Imperial eagle mark on top and maker's mark 'AK' on bottom arm on reverse. Bears French import mark 'ET' (used prior to 1892) on loop, often placed on non-French orders made outside France. Comes on a ribbon.

*Condition:* Near Mint \$ 1,500



2029

2029% **Badge of the Order. 4th Class. Weapons award.** Circa end of 19th Century – WWI. Bronze. Screwback. Comes in original box of issue.

*Condition:* Box has heavy wear. Badge of the Order – perfect and problem free \$2,000

2030% Miniature. **Military Division.** Circa late 1800's. European manufacture. Unmarked. 22 mm. Silver, gilt. Barrel-ring suspension with loop. Very nice detailed workmanship

*Condition:* Superb \$ 400

2031% Miniature. **Civil Division.** Circa 1870's - 1890's. European manufacture. Unmarked. 15 mm. Gilt. Comes on a miniature ribbon.

*Condition:* Medallions on both sides somewhat faded. Problem free \$ 200



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## ORDER OF ST. STANISLAUS



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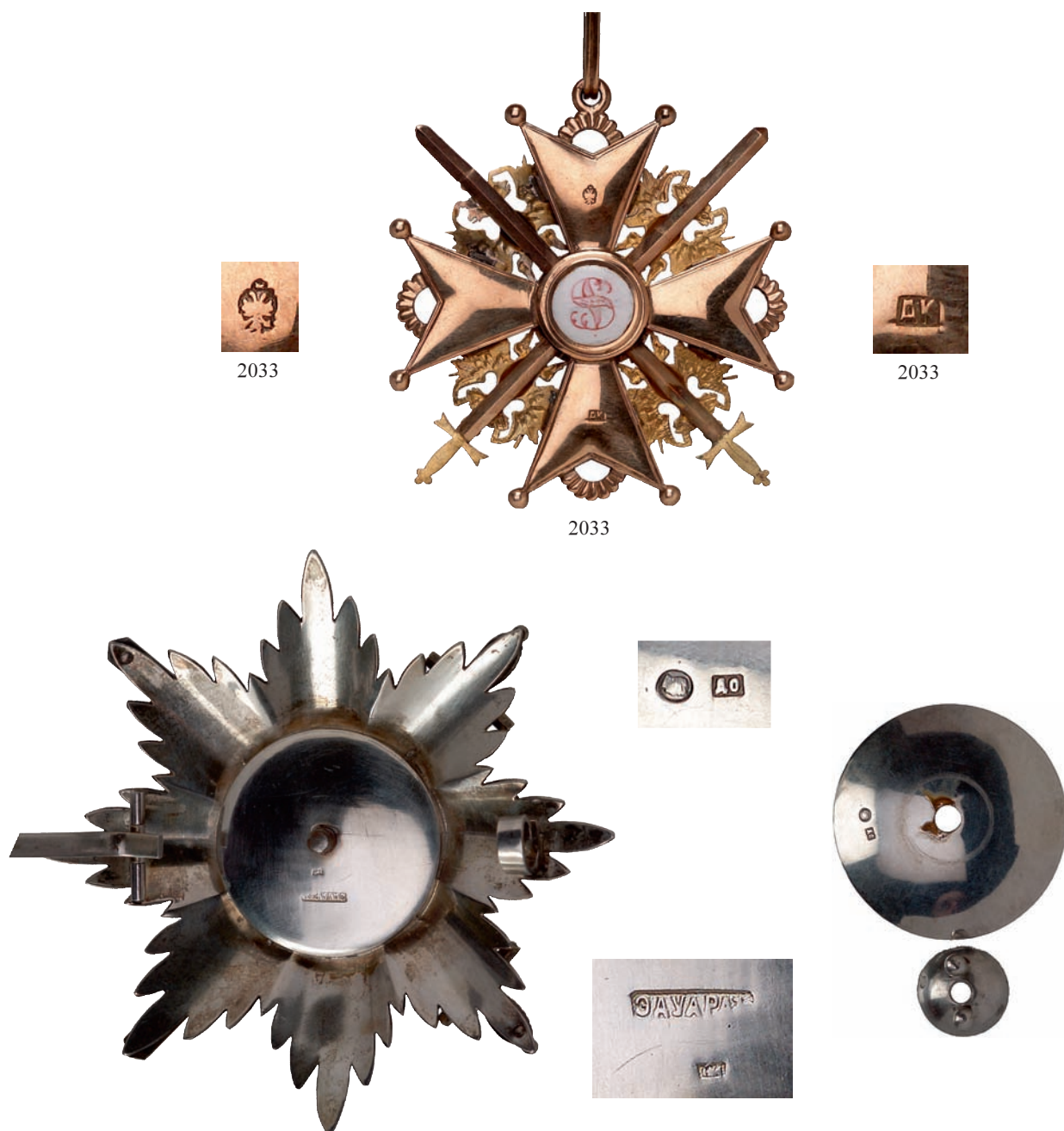
- 2032 Cross. **1st Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 55 mm. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) and unclear marker's mark on loop. A magnificent cross of unique and multipiece workmanship. The enamel on both sides was placed on individual plates then set on the respective part of the Order, hence the cross is constructed from over 20 different parts. *Extremely rare* and interesting
- Condition:* Superb \$ 25,000





2033





2033# **Complete 1st Class Set. Military Division.** Cross. 62 mm. Gold. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. Bears Imperial eagle mark on top arm and maker's mark 'AK' on lower arm. Star. 90 mm. Silver. Swords, wreath and central medallion are gold plated. *Kokoshnik*, 'ОДУАРДЪ' and unidentified maker's mark on reverse. Vertical pinback. Comes with a half-length sash with a bow. Requires additional research

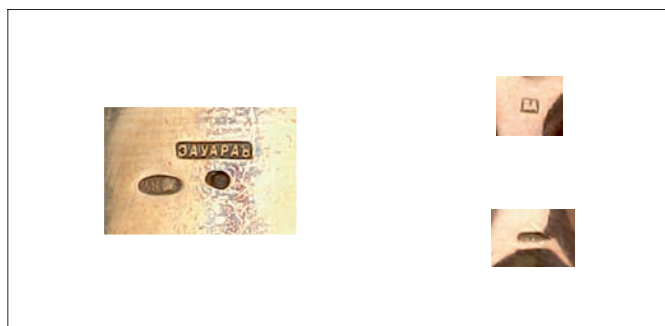
*Condition:* Swords and screwback on the star appear to be added later, apparently by recipient's order. Cross – minor white enamel crack by the edge of the medallion on obverse, scratches on medallion's reverse. Star – minor chipping of green enamel, touches of wear.

Overall very well preserved \$ 15,000





2034







2034

2034\* **Complete 1st Class Set. Civil Division.** Cross. 62 mm. Gold. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) and *kokoshnik* marks on loop. 'ВД' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' marks on top and lower arms on reverse. Star: 92 mm. Silver. *Kokoshnik* and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' marks on reverse. Vertical pinback. Comes on a full-length ribbon. In case of issue.

*Condition:*

Box: the velvet had been renewed.  
Decorations – superb and problem free \$ 15,000



2035



2035\* **Breast Star. Civil Division.** Silver. 87 mm. By Julius Keibel. Made prior to 1882 (?). Silver. Hallmarked 84, enamelled, gold plated. Early 'Keibel' mark does not bear the Imperial eagle mark, as on later produced pieces.

*Condition:*

Choice and problem free \$ 5,000





2036



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2036\* Breast Star. **Civil Division. Non-Christian.** Silver. Multinameled. 90 mm. Hallmarked, gold plated. Imperial eagle mark, 84 on base. Imperial eagle mark, 84 and *kokoshnik* marks on pin. A *Very rare* and absolutely genuine Star.

*Condition*

Minor internal cracks on the green and white enamel. These minor problems don't distract from the overall very high grade. Nice

\$ 20,000

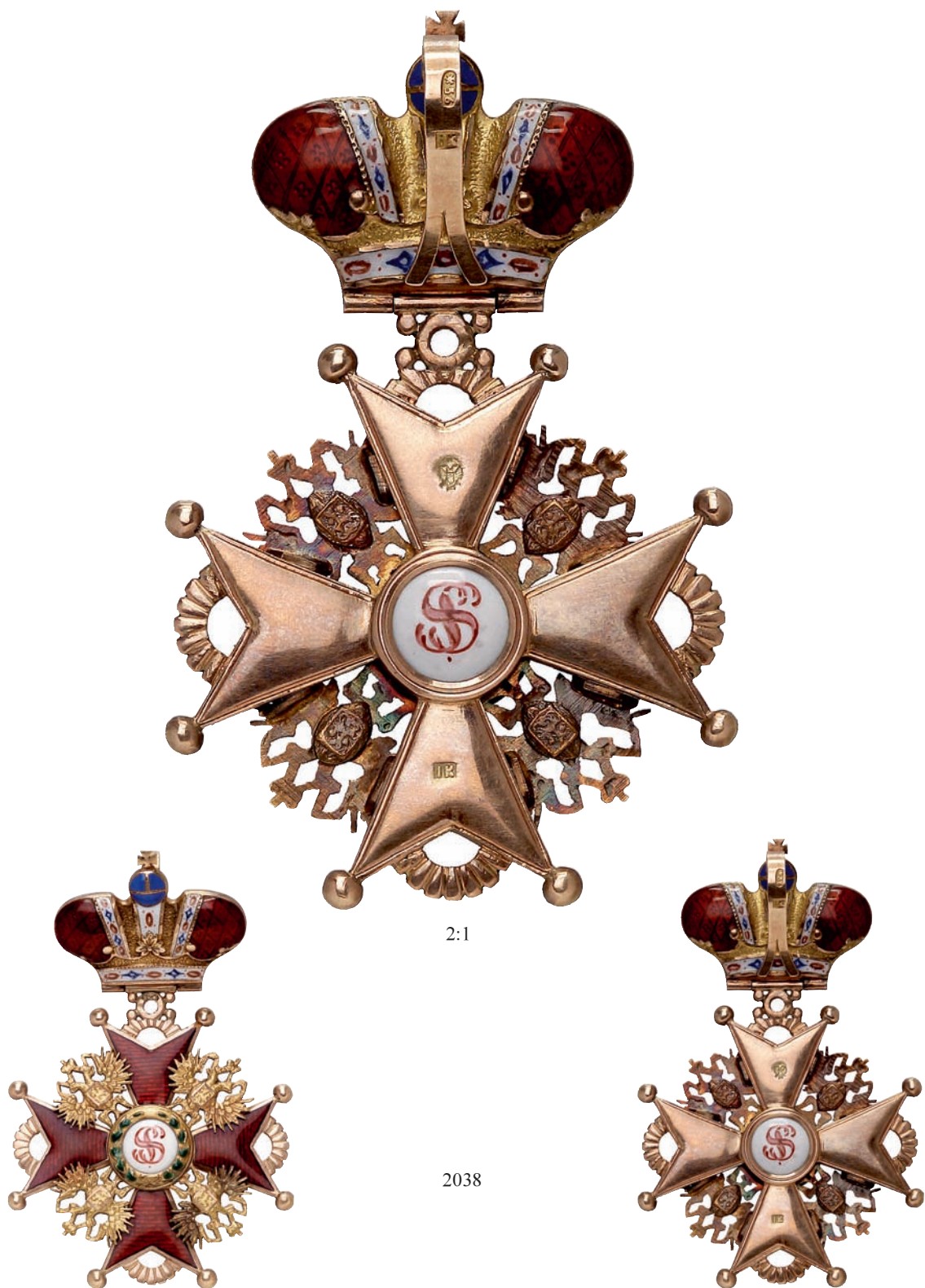




2037 Cross. **2nd Class. Military Division.** Gold. 38.1 mm. 1838. Hallmarked with partially clear, but absolutely identifiable mark bearing the date '1838'. Unmarked. Apparently by Emmanuel von Pannasch. Of high quality workmanship with very detailed Imperial eagles, wings down type meticulously executed on both sides. *Rare* early dated cross

*Condition:*

Superbly preserved \$25,000



2038\* Cross. **2nd Class with Imperial Crown.** Gold. 74 by 47 mm. Ca. 1863-1882. By Julius Keibel. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop and suspension of the crown. Bears Imperial eagle mark on top arm. Maker's mark 'IK' on bottom arm and also on suspension of the crown. The hinged crown suspension fitted with carrier on reverse. *A Classical Imperial Orders Rarity. One of the highlights of the collection.*

*Condition:*

Superbly preserved      \$75,000





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2039



2039



2039⌘ Cross. **2nd Class. Military Division. Flat Black Enamel type.** Ca. 1850's – 1860's. Gold. 44 mm. 56 (14 K) and unidentified mark on loop. Black enamel on both sides. 'SS' is in red enamel on obverse and hand engraved on reverse. *Rare* and of the highest quality workmanship  
*Condition:* Choice and problem free \$20,000



2040☞ Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division. Non-Christian.** Late 1870's – 1890's. By Albert Keibel. Gold. 41 mm. Hallmarked 56 (14 K), on loop. Also bears Imperial eagle mark on top and maker's mark 'AK' on bottom arm on reverse. *Rare*. Comes on ribbon with rosette.

*Condition:*

Absolutely problem free \$ 10,000





2041



2042



2043



2041✳ Cross. **2nd Class. Military Division.** Ca. late 19th – early 20th Centuries. Silver. 51 mm. No marks. Enamelled on both sides. European manufacture of fine quality. Comes on a piece of ribbon.

*Condition:*

Nice, problem free \$1,000

2042✳ Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division.** Ca. 1863-1882. By Julius Keibel. Gold. 47 mm. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. Imperial eagle mark on top and maker's mark 'IK' on lower arm on reverse. Comes on original ribbon.

*Condition:*

Superb, problem free \$1,500

2043✳ Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division.** Ca. late 19th – early 20th Centuries. Silver. 51 mm. Unclear mark on loop. Enamelled on both sides. European made. Comes on a piece of ribbon.

*Condition:*

Minimal enamel chipping on lower arm, otherwise problem free and nice quality \$1,000



2044



2044✳ Cross. **2nd Class. Military Division. Provisional Government. 1917.** Bronze. Goldplated. 47 mm. Maker's mark 'K' / 'ЭДУАРДЪ' on lower arm on reverse. Red, white and green enamel. Comes on ribbon.

*Condition:*

Minor internal crack of white enamel.

Full original gilding. Great eye appeal \$ 1,000



2045



2045✳ Cross. **3rd Class. Military Division.** Late 1870's – 1890's. By Albert Keibel. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. Imperial eagle mark on top and maker's mark 'AK' on bottom arm on reverse. Comes on a ribbon. The swords have been added to what was a non-military cross. The delicate manner in which this addition was accomplished suggests that this was done in pre-1917 Russia, apparently by the order of the recipient.

*Condition:*

Minimal wear, problem free \$ 1,250





2046\* Cross. **3rd Class. Civil Division.** Gold. 37 mm. Late 1870's – 1890's. By Albert Keibel. Hallmarked 56 (14 K) on loop. Imperial eagle mark on top and maker's mark 'AK' on bottom arm on reverse. Comes on a ribbon and case of issue.

*Condition:* Choice and problem free \$ 2,000

2047 **Order of St. Stanislaus.** Miniature cross. Gold. Ca. 1850's – 1860's. 16 mm. Unmarked. Double-sided. On original ribbon with French-pattern rosette for a 2nd Class Cross. *Very rare* miniature for 'wings down' early Order.

*Condition:* Choice and problem free \$ 1,000



2048\* Miniature. **Military Division.** Circa late 1800's. European manufacture. Unmarked. 21 mm. Silver, gilt. Red enamel on obverse only. Barrel-ring suspension with loop. Nice

*Condition:* Choice and problem free \$ 250

2049\* Miniature. **Military Division.** Circa late 1800's. European manufacture. Unmarked. 18 mm. Silver, gilt. Red enamel on both sides. Somewhat crude.

*Condition:* Choice and problem free \$ 200

2050\* Miniature. **Civil Division.** Circa late 1800's. European manufacture. Unmarked. 18 mm. Gilt. Red enamel on both sides. Nice.

*Condition:* Choice and problem free \$ 200

## *Medals*



2051

- 2051 **Patriotic War 1812 Campaign Medal. For participants in Battles.** Silver. 29 mm. Bit *Medals* 635 E (R), Chep 280, Ver 189, W 68. All-Seeing Eye of God / Four-line legend.

*Condition:*

Moderate wear. Very fine \$ 500



2052

2053

- 2052 **Medal for Zeal.** Silver. 29 mm. By A. Lyalin. Later-type portrait of Nicholas I, with mustache. This medal was awarded to merchants, peasants and burghers as well as residents of border regions for myriad services rendered to the crown. Bit *Medals* 768 Б (R3), Peters 77, Sm 421.

*Condition:*

Toned over some light reverse pinscratches  
Extremely fine \$ 500

- 2053 **Crimean War Campaign Medal. 1856.** Light Bronze. 28 mm. Bit *Medals* 962 Б, Chep 583, Ver 210

*Condition:*

Uncirculated \$ 100



2054

2055

- 2054 **Award Medal for the Conquest of Chechnya and Dagestan. 1857-1859.** Silver. 28 mm. Crowned cipher of Alexander II / Dates with legend around. Bit *Medals* 965, Sm 624, Peters 139.

*Condition:*

Lightly toned with reverse amber highlights  
Extremely fine \$ 500

- 2055 **Award Medal for the Conquest of the Western Caucasus. 1859-1864.** Silver. 28 mm. Alexander II bust l. by N. Kozin / Dates with legend around. Bit *Medals* 972.A.2 (R), Chep 655, Peters 143, Sm 663.

*Condition:*

Toned over some marks from wear  
Extremely fine \$ 500





- 2056 **Medal for Bravery. 4th Class.** Silver. 28 mm. Nicholas II head l. Awarded to No. 517162. On ribbon.

*Condition:*

Some minor edge bumps

Extremely fine \$ 250

- 2057 **Medal for Bravery. 4th Class.** Silver. 28 mm. Nicholas II head l. Awarded to No. 520656. On ribbon.

*Condition:*

Toned. Extremely fine

\$ 250



- 2058 **Medal for Bravery. 4th Class.** Silver. 28 mm. Nicholas II head l. Awarded to No. 575645.

*Condition:*

Toned. About uncirculated

\$ 250

- 2059 **Medal for Bravery. 3rd Class.** Miniature. Gilt. 18 mm. Unnumbered. Comes on old miniature ribbon

*Condition:*

Near uncirculated

\$ 200



- 2060 **Large Neck Medal for Zeal.** Silver. 51 mm. Chep 869, Ver 136. Lustrous and lightly toned

*Condition:*

Uncirculated

\$ 750



- 2061 **Award Medal for the Coronation of Nicholas II. 1896.** Silver. 28 mm. Hallmarked on loop: 84 and maker's mark 'Д.О'. Head l. / Crown above two-line legend, coronation date below. Bit *Medals* 1142 a, Diakov 1205.1, Peters 194, Werlich 116, Sm 1103. Comes with ribbon.

*Condition:*

Attractive lilac-gray. A superb example

Uncirculated

\$ 100

- 2062 **Award Medal to those Distinguished in the Census of 1897.** Bronze. 29 mm. Crowned cipher of Nicholas II within a wreath, legend around / Four-line legend and date. Bit *Medals* 1144, Chep 926, Ver 241.

*Condition:*

Olive-brown. About uncirculated

\$ 100



- 2063 **Award Medal for the Chinese Campaign. 1900-1901 (Boxer Rebellion).** Silver. 28 mm. Crowned cipher of Nicholas II / Legend and dates, below anchor with crossed sword and rifle behind. Bit *Medals* 1145o (R2), Diakov 1331.1 (R2), Peters 199, Werlich 119.

*Condition:*

Loop has been replaced. Lightly toned

Extremely fine

\$ 250

- 2064 **Award Campaign Medal for Medical Personnel in the Russo-Japanese War 1904-1905.** Silver. 24 mm. Hallmarked on loop. Red enamel cross / Three-line legend. Bit 1149-1, Chep 955, Ver 249.

*Condition:*

Toned over some old scratches. Extremely fine

\$ 250



- 2065 **Award Medal Commemorating the Tercentennial of the Romanov Dynasty. 1913.** Bronze. 28 mm. Somewhat crude and idiosyncratic busts of Mikhail Romanov and Nicholas II facing  $\frac{3}{4}$  r. / Five-line legend. Bit *Medals* 1156 И. Lightly toned.

*Condition:*

Uncirculated

\$ 100



## *Badges*



2066



- 2066 **Badge. Don Cossack Army.** P/B 5.5.1, W 417. At centre, a small shield with the Don Region coat of arms. Cipher of Nicholas II above. St. George cross on the lower part. All within wreath with Imperial crown on top. Bronze. Screwback.

*Condition:*

Screwback is missing. Moderate wear

\$ 500



2067



- 2067 **Badge. Escort Guard.** P/B 10.3, W 532. Double-headed eagle with Imperial crown. Torch and laurel wreath in eagle's talons. Ciphers of Emperors Alexander I and Nicholas II. Bronze. Screwback. Engraved number: '№ 228' on a left side of reverse.

*Condition:*

Moderate wear. Problem free

\$ 500



2068



- 2068 **Badge of the Military Equerry Service.** P/B 4.32-b, W 538. Gold ribbon, draped from under the Imperial Crown with inscription in black enamel: 'ВОЕННО-КОНСКАЯ ПОВИННОСТЬ'. Imperial eagle over the field with blue enamel. Enameled date: 1876 within horseshoe below. Bronze, enameled. Screwback.

*Condition:*

Comes on replaced screwback. Oxidation on reverse.

Choice and problem free

\$ 600



2069

- 2069 **Imperial All-Russian Aero Club.** Diploma/ID Passbook issued May 4/17, 1916 certifying Evlampiev Nikolay Nikolaevich (Евлампиевъ Николай Николаевичъ) as a Pilot-Aviator. Photo of Evlampiev N.N. in uniform wearing the Badge of the Officers Class of Naval Aviation. Dark blue leatherette booklet of fine quality inscribed: 'ИМПЕРАТОРСКИЙ ВСЕРОССИЙСКИЙ АЭРО-КЛУБЪ' in gold lettering on the cover. Pertinent information on the inside cover, photo page adjacent. The following page asks -- in six languages: Russian, French, English, German, Italian and Spanish, that members of the police forces and civil and military authorities aid the bearer of this ID. Moderate and even wear. *Extremely Rare* and of historical importance.

Condition:

Problem free \$ 3,000





2070



2071



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- 2070 **Badge. Marking the Graduation from the School of Ensigns with the initials "ПМ". 1917. Provisional Government.** P/B 1.7.8 – 4. Straight bronze silver plated cross between arms of which are crossed brass swords. Double-headed eagle in the middle. Wreath with "1917" above, where once was placed the Imperial crown. Eagle is holding red enamel flags in each arm. Shoulder-board on lower arms. Multipiece construction. Screwback. *Rare*

*Condition:* Minimal wear.

Problem free \$ 1,250

- 2071 **Badge for the Centennial of the Imperial Medical Academy. 1898.** Silver and enamel. Hallmarked 84 and maker's mark 'Д.О'. P/B 1.1.36. Laurel and oak wreath enclose monograms of Paul I and Nicholas II which are within a large white enamel 'C'. Crown above and light blue enameled serpent twined about Hippocratic cup below. Screwback.

*Condition:* Some enamel loss on serpent and 'C'. Otherwise well-preserved \$ 750



2072



2073



- 2072 **Badge for Physicians Attaining the Degree of 'Lekar'.** Silver and enamel. Hallmarked 84 and maker's mark 'Д.О'. P/B 1.1.37. State emblem emerging from laurel and oak wreath. Superimposed on the lower branches is a Hippocratic cup with two serpents posed above it, both the cup and serpents aquamarine enameled. Screwback. One lower leaf loose. A handsome badge of superior workmanship

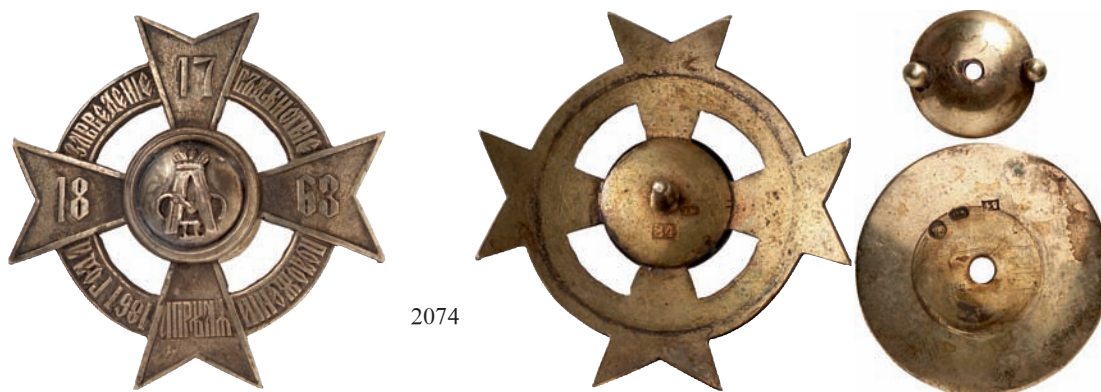
*Condition:*

Problem free \$ 750

- 2073 **Badge of Medical Officers Awarded the Doctor's Degree.** Silver. No hallmark, maker's mark 'ИБ' on nut. P/B 1.1.35. State emblem emerging from wreath of laurel and oak leaves. Below, two serpents are poised above a Hippocratic cup. Screwback. Test scratches center of back.

*Condition:*

Problem free \$ 750



- 2074 **Badge for Bringing the Regulations of 1861 into Effect.** Silver, gilt. Hallmarked 84 and maker's mark "IN". Screwback. P/B 12.1. Maltese cross with crowned Alexander II cipher at center, 17-АПРѢЛЯ 18-63 on arms. Outer ribbon around bears the legend 'ЗА ВВЕДЕНИЕ ВЪ ДѢЙСТВІЕ ПОЛОЖЕНІЙ 1861 ГОДА'

*Condition:*

Well-preserved \$ 1,250



2075



2076

- 2075 **Badge for the State Militia during the Reign of Emperor Nicholas II.** Brass. P/B 11/12. Four loops on back for mounting pin (pin missing).

*Condition:*

Well-preserved \$ 100

- 2076 **Badge for the State Militia during the Reign of Emperor Nicholas II. Non-Christian.** Brass. P/B 11.16. Crowned cipher of Nicholas II within wreath; legend around: 'ЗА ЦАРЯ И ОТЕЧЕСТВО'.

*Condition:*

Attachment pinback \$ 200



2077

- 2077 **Honorable Badge of the Red Cross. For Women. 2nd Class.** P/B 7.4, W 860A. Circle formed by a closed ribbon with thin border along the edges. Inscription: 'ЗА ПОПЕЧЕНИЕ О РАНЕНЫХЪ И БОЛЬНЫХЪ ВОИНАХЪ'. Red enamel cross in centre. Silver. Maker's mark 'ЖЛ' and company manufacture name: 'ARND'. Comes on loop with St. Alexander Nevsky ribbon. *Scarce*

*Condition:*

Nice old collection patina, absolutely problem free \$ 750





2078

2078 **Badge. 1st St. Petersburg Women's Cashier, Salespeople and Book-keeper Artel'. 1899.** P/B 4.38. W – unlisted. Silver, Hallmarked 84. Maker's mark covered by patina. Pinback.

*Condition:*

Minor chipping of white enamel at 1:00. Moderate wear.

Otherwise nice

\$ 500



2079

2079 **North American Russian Orthodox Brotherhood in Petrograd. Membership Badge. 4th Class.** P/B 15.9-d, W- unlisted. White cross with Slavonic letters, centre medallion depicting St. Vladimir. Imperial Crown atop with gold ribbons falling from it. Silver. Hallmarked 84 and maker's initials 'AB'. *Kokoshnik* mark. Gold plated. Enameled. Vertical pinback. *Rare*.

*Condition:*

Central medallion has some wear,  
otherwise greatly preserved and problem free

\$ 750



2080

2080 **Imperial University Graduation badge.** W 700- var. White enamel quadrangle which has been superimposed with a blue enamel cross topped by a wreath and Imperial Eagle. Silver. Hallmarked 84, maker's mark 'HT', *kokoshnik* mark. Gold-plated.

*Condition:*

Old collection patina. Superb

\$ 200

## Jettons



- 2081 **13th Rifle Regiment.** Silver. Gold. 12.31 gm. Unmarked. Red enamel. Colonel's epaulet of the 13th Regiment in wreath, crown above. The gold ribbon tie below is inscribed with the dates '1878 – 1913'. Engraved in script on the back is the legend: *‘ДОРОГОМУ / А.А. ПОПОВИЧЕНКО / КОМАНДИРЪ / И ОФИЦЕРЫ / 13 СТР. ПОЛКА’*. Suspended from a short gold chain linked on the crown. A Rare and important jetton. The badge of this regiment was never commissioned

*Condition:*

Problem free \$ 2,000



- 2082 **15th Rifle Regiment of King Nicholas I of Montenegro. Miniature Shoulder Board Jetton.** Gold. 10.46 gm. Colonel's shoulder board with crowned cipher 'N – P' of Nicholas I of Montenegro. '15' below. Inscribed: *‘Петру Николаевичу / Ломновскому / Командиръ и общество / офицеровъ полка / 20 IV 1903 – 30 VIII 1903’*. Comes on chain. A very intriguing item.

*Condition:*

Superb \$ 2,000





2083

**Society for the Encouragement and Appreciation of Hunting Dogs and Hunting. In Honor of its Regal President Grand Duke Nikolai Nikolaevich.** Gold, diamonds. 29.71 gm. 44 mm from the eagle top (not including integral loop). Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop, unclear maker's mark. Cyrillic legend on white enamel around a central green enameled medallion on which is the crowned cipher of Nikolai Nikolaevich – both decorated with diamonds. The top of the Jetton is ornamented with black enameled gold scrollwork flanking a pale blue enamel helmet adorned with a cross, which is below the Russian eagle looped suspender. Exemplifying the complexity of construction, the eagle suspender is not stationary but pivotal / On the back, a gold Cyrillic legend on red enamel encircles the central gold medallion which is inscribed in script and dated 1912.

*Condition:*

Very minor chipping of the central green enamel.

Superb and of fine workmanship \$ 10,000



- 2084 **Red Cross Society of St. Elizabeth under the Auspices of Grand Duchess Elizabeth. 1st Class.** By Nicholls & Plinke. Gold. 8.02gm. Chep 932, Wer J-158. Red enameled cross on a white-enameled diamond-shaped medallion, gold lettering above and below. Suspended from the crowned cipher of Elizabeth. Inscribed on reverse: 'Тосифу / Михайловичу / Гавриловичу / 1904'. Multi-piece construction. Hallmarked 56 AP (14 K) with maker's mark 'N.P.' Of the highest workmanship. *Rare* example of a late product of this well-known company.

*Condition:* Minute enamel chipping, but still premium condition \$ 2,500



- 2085 **Blue Cross Society. Jetton.** Gold, silver and enamel. Made by the Carl Faberge factory in St. Petersburg. Hallmarked 84. Maker's mark 'ES'. Gold fireman's helmet atop a diamond-shaped silver plaque with a light blue enameled cross at the center, legend above and below. Inscribed: '12 VII 1901 No. 922. Ф. Н. Тооне' Narva on the back. As a Jetton produced by the Faberge factory, this is a particularly desirable piece.

*Condition:* Moderate wear. Problems free \$ 750

- 2086 **Committee of the Ladies of the Red Cross of St. Petersburg under the Auspices of Grand Duchess Maria Pavlovna, Mariinsk Baracks.** Werlich, Jettons fig J-153. Silver. Gold-plated. Red enameled cross. Inscribed on reverse with name and date: 'B.B. Аулову, 19-04'.

*Condition:* Moderate wear, problem free \$ 400





2087



2:1



2087

- 2087 **St. Petersburg Yacht Club. Prize Jetton in a Boat Racing Competition.** Silver, gold. Red enameled shield with St. Petersburg Arms in gold superimposed on crossed oars and anchor. Inscribed on the reverse '...ПРИЗ / ГРЕБНАЯ ГОНКА / А. / Капирь'.

*Condition:*

Moderate wear, problem free

\$ 750



2088



- 2088 **Alexander Cadet Corps.** Jetton. Silver. Multienamed. Hallmarked 84 and maker's mark 'ИА'. Werlich, Jettons fig. J-73. Red enameled crowned Alexander cipher over crossed red and light blue enameled banners, red enameled 'II' on small disk below. Crossed scepters with legend form the back, inscribed '1894-96' to 'А.Н. Раповъ' on disk below.

*Condition:*

Some minor enamel chipping and moderate wear

\$ 1,000



2089



2:1



2089

- 2089 **Ilysh Horse Breeding Firm, Kiev. Quarter Century Jubilee, 1907.** Jetton. Silver, enamel (both sides). Horseshoe frames superimposed winged saint with anniversary dates 1882 – 1907 against sky blue enamel. On the back, legend around on a white-enameled horseshoe, company name on sky blue enameled center.

*Condition:*

Crack and small chip on back enamel. Otherwise Choice

\$ 500



- 2090 **Odessa Expo. Art Design.** Gold. Hallmarked: 56 (14k) on the integral loop. Art Deco-style Jetton, hexagonal in shape, attached on the top to an ornate branched scroll pattern – the hollows lovingly decorated with blue champlevé enamel. A quality diamond is set at the center of the top. At the Jetton's center a woman sits right, holding out a branch and bracing a gear with her other hand / Five-line legend in blue enamel.
- Condition:* Superbly crafted. A gem \$ 6,000.



- 2091 **Moscow Sport Championship. 1907. 2nd Prize.** Silver. Gilt. 37 mm. City Arms of Moscow set on medallion / Four-line engraved legend: '2 й призъ / Чѣмпіонатъ Москвы / С. Толонковъ / 7 - X - 1907'
- Condition:* Minimal wear. Problem free \$ 200
- 2092 **Ekaterinoslav (today: Dnepropetrovsk, Ukraine) School of Commerce in the name of Emperor Nicholas II. 1911. 10th Anniversary.** Silver, green, blue and red enamel. Imperial Russian eagle with the cipher of the city's founder, Catherine II. Anniversary dates 17 Sept.1901 and 1910 flank large X on the reverse, legend below: 'ЕКАТЕРИНОСЛ. ИМ. ИМПЕР. / НИКОЛАЯ II. / КОМЕРЧ. УЧИЛ.'
- Condition:* Moderate wear, crudely done enameling. Very fine \$ 250





- 2093 **Union of Viksun Plants in the Samara District. 25th Anniversary. 1910.** Silver. Hallmarked (on the top of the loop): 84. High-relief Arms at the center of ornate knot pattern, anniversary dates 1885, 1910 at top and bottom / Engraved inscription to F.M. Orlov.

*Condition:*

Problem free \$ 500

- 2094 **25th Anniversary Jetton of the Garris Engineering Plant.** Gold. 10.78 gm. 39 by 28 mm. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop. Maker's mark «АБ». СКА monogram on rectangular shaped medallion emulating letterhead, dates 1890 and 1915 flank XXV above. Reverse: 5-line Cyrillic legend.

*Condition:*

Choice and problem free \$ 500

### *Miscellaneous*



- 2095 **Excellent Marksmanship Award Prize Hunter's Cased Watch.** Silver. Hallmarked 0,875 and 84. *Ancre Ligne Droite*. Visible lever. 15 jewels. Double Roller. Fancy spherical bead pattern on lids. Decorated on the face with crossed rifles over target, legend around: 'ЗА ОТЛИЧНУЮ СТРЕЛЬБУ'. Suspended on a cinched chain. Special WWI issue. Rarer manufacturer. Comes on a chain

*Condition:*

A high-quality Award watch and Choice. In good working order

\$ 500



2096

- 2096 Russian Military Cigarette Case. Silver. 12 x 7.5 cm. Hallmarked '84', maker's mark: 'M.C.'. Applied gold badges on the top: Militia cross, inscribed 'ЗА - ВЪРУ - ЦАРЯ - ОТЕ ЧЕСТВО' on its arms, and ornate MK monogram with inset 0.5 diamond. Gold thumbpiece set with a cabochon ruby. Dedication engraved on the inner lid: 'Дорогому С.К. Сергееву отъ товарищей офицеровъ 16 п. Ярославской Дружины 16 февраля 1917 г.' ('S.K. Sergeev from his comrade officers – the Yaroslav Regiment, 16 February 1917'). A very smart piece.

Condition:

Choice and problem free \$ 2,500



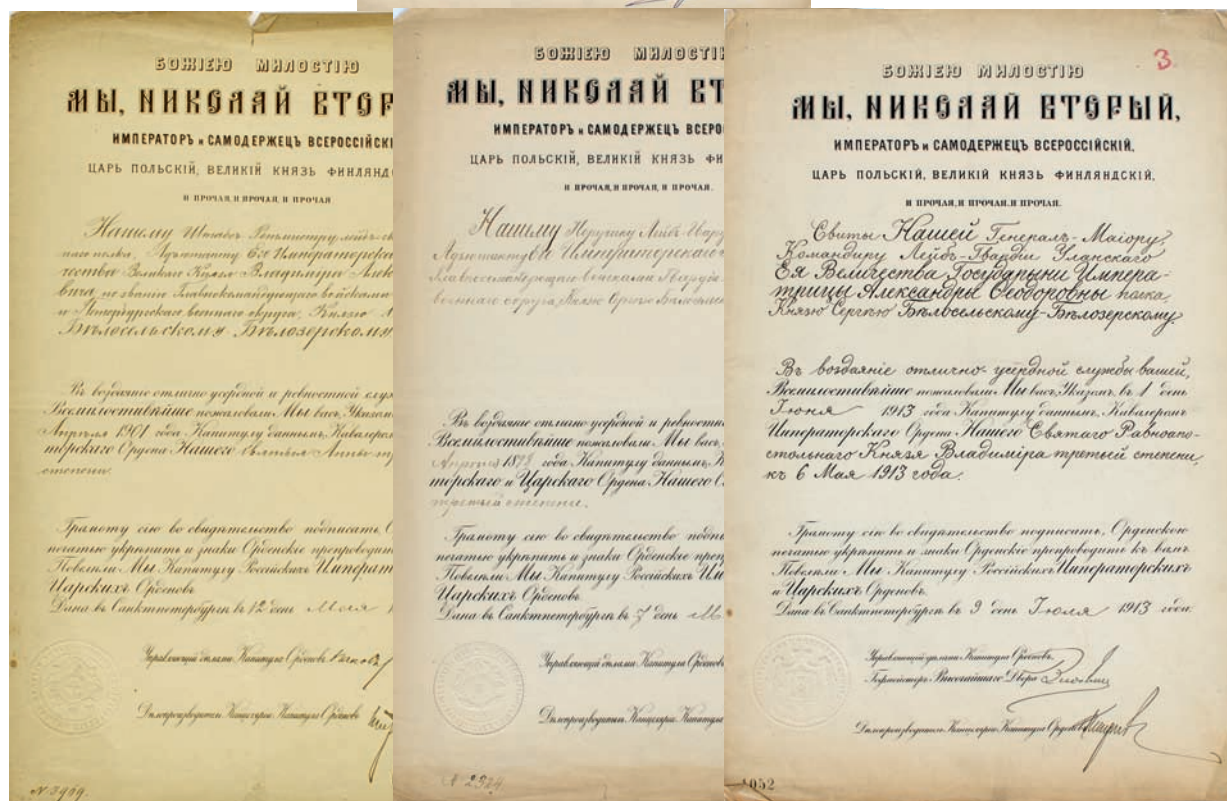
## Personal Groups

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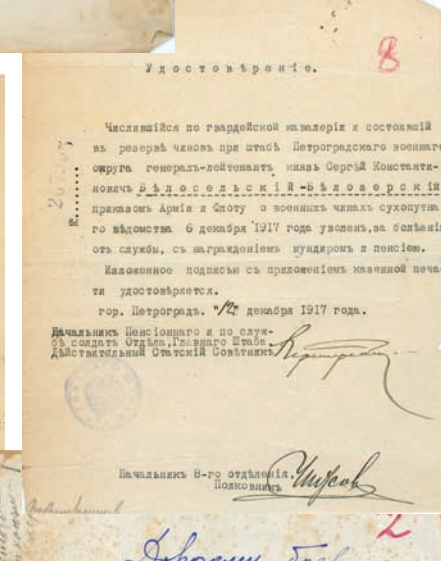
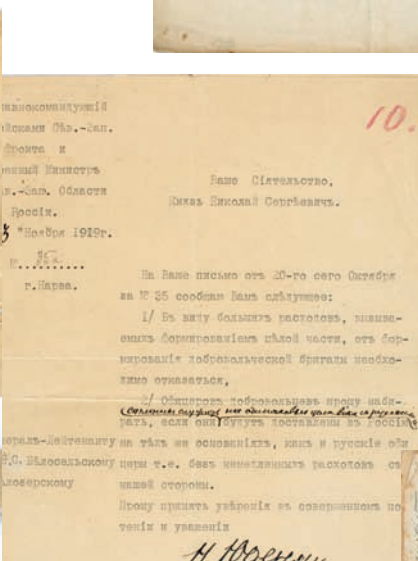
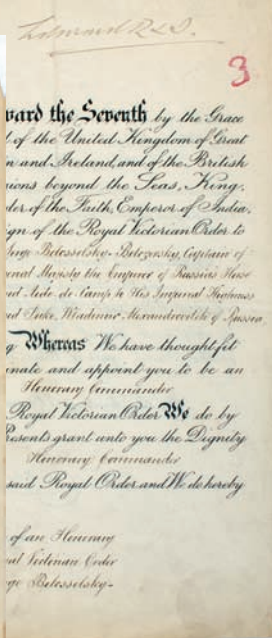
**An extraordinary Group of Documents to Grand Duke Sergey S. Beloselsky-Belozersky (1867-1951).** – Великий Князь Сергей Константинович Белосельский-Белозерский. Крупнейший землевладелец. Генерал-Лейтенант. Активный участник Белого Движения. Сын генерала К.Э. Белосельского-Белозерского и Н.Д. Скобелевой (сестры генерала М.Д. Скобелева).



This Photo is not part of the set









- 1887 Окончил Пажеский Корпус
- 1888 Дипломатическая служба в Берлине и Париже
- 1896-1905 Адъютант великого князя Владимира Александровича. Полковник Лейб-гвардии Конного полка.
- 1900-1908 Член Международного Олимпийского Комитета (от России).
- Август 1908 Командир 3-го драг. Новороссийского полка. Зачислен в Свиту Его Величества.
- Март 1910 Ген-майор, Командир лейб гвардии Уланского Ея В-ва полка
- 1911 Зачислен в свиту Императора Николая II
- конец 1913 Командир 1-й бригады 2-й гв. кав. Дивизии
- 1914-1915 Начальником 3-й Донской казачьей дивизии
- декабр 1915 Начальником Кавказской кавалерийской дивизии, с которой совершил поход по Персии через Керманшах в составе отряда генерала Баратова.
- 1916 Произведён в генерал-лейтенанты.
- 1917 служба Штабе генерал-лейтенанта К.Г.Э.Маннергейма (своего друга),
- 1919-1920 Участвовал в войне белой финской армии с красной. По окончании гражданской войны в Финляндии, организовал несколько встреч генерала Н.Н. Юденича с генералом Маннергеймом.
- 1919 году был назначен представителем в Финляндии лондонской Особой военной миссии по оказанию материальной помощи армиям генералов Е.К. Миллера, Н.Н. Юденича, А.И. Деникина и адмирала А.В. Колчака. Участвовал в формировании и снабжении Северо-Западной армии

Прожил в Англии около сорока лет. Сергей Константинович скончался 20 апреля 1951 года в Торнбридже и похоронен на местном кладбище.

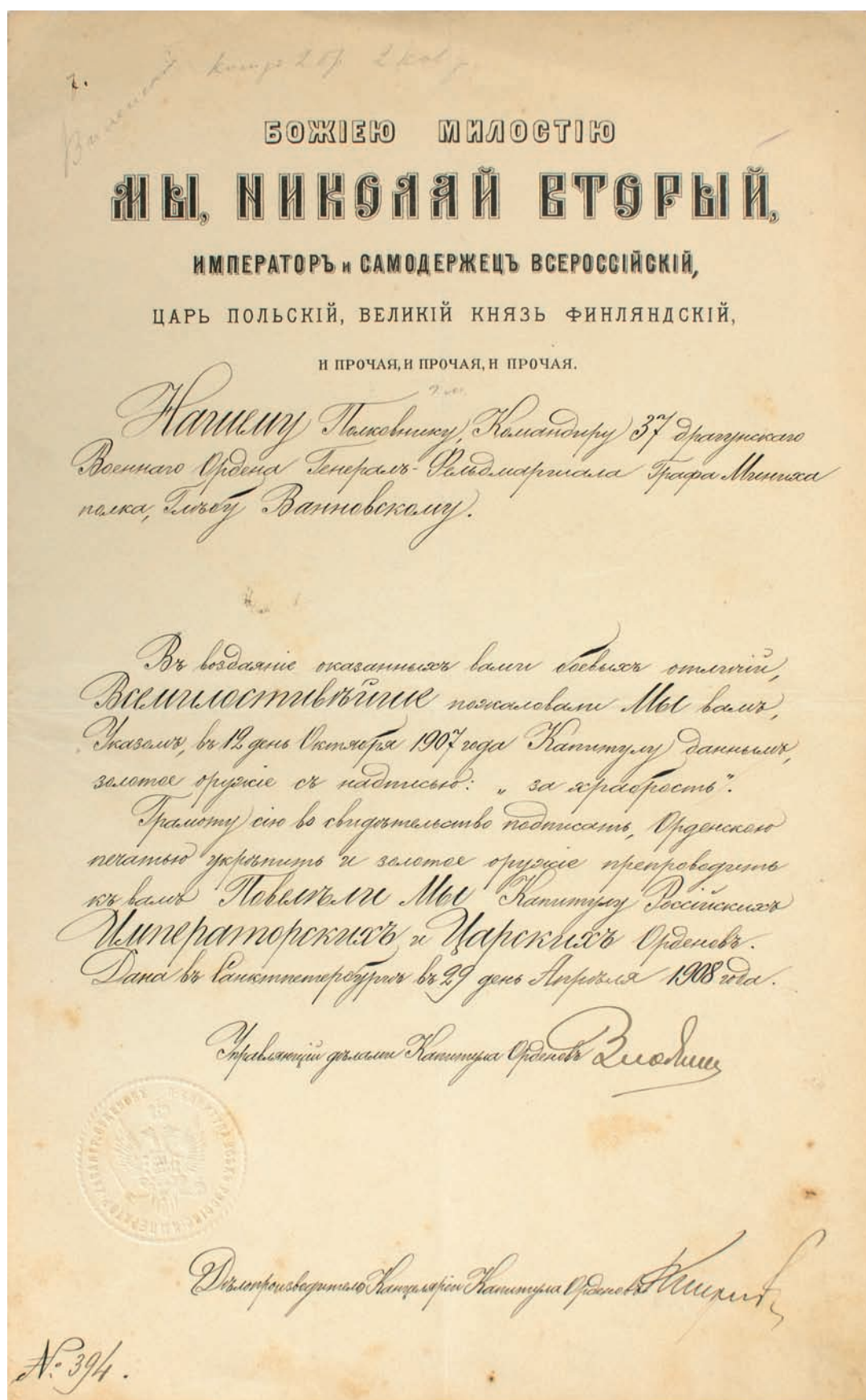
- Warrant for the **Order of St. Stanislaus 3rd Class**. Issued on May 7, 1898.
  - Warrant for the **Order of St. Anne 3rd Class**. Issued on May 12, 1901.
  - Warrant for the **Order of St. Vladimir 3rd Class**. Issued on May 6, 1913.
  - Citation for the **Nicholas II Coronation Medal**. Issued on October 15, 1897.
  - Citation for the **300th Years Anniversary of the Romanov's House Badge**. Issued on March 28, 1913.
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- Warrant for the **Order of Prince Daniel I, 2nd Class of Montenegro**. Issued on April 5, 1889.
  - Warrant for the **Italian Order of the Crown**. Issued on February 23, 1903.
  - Warrant for the Appointment as an **Honorary Commander of British Royal Victorian Order**.
  - Warrant for the **Prussian Order of the Red Eagle 2nd Class with the Star**. Issued on January 30, 1914.
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- Military ID to Grand Duke S.S. Beloselsky-Belozersky as a Commander of the Caucasus Horse Division. Issued on October 18, 1916.
  - Retirement Certificate to S.S. Beloselsky-Belozersky as General-Lieutenant with the right to wear uniform, full military honors and a pension.
  - Personal copy of the Decree, issued to the Special Caucasus Cavalry Corp describing all activities and record to the Corp within 1915-1918. 14 pages + a cover page.
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- Four official documents, all hand signed by General N.N. Udenich (1867-1933), addressed to S.S. Beloselsky-Belozersky. 1917-1919.
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- Original photo of Grand Duke Sergey S. Beloselsky-Belozersky in British Service WWII period uniform.

*Of historical significance and importance.*

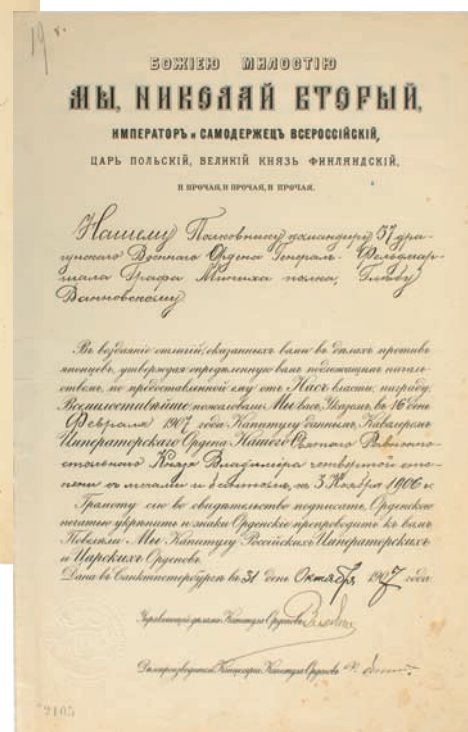
*Condition:*

All documents show normal wear,  
were folded, but over all reasonably well preserved \$ 7,500

**An Important Group of Documents to General Gleb M. Vannovskiy (1862-1943),** Commander of the 1st Army in 1917, Cavalier of St. George Golden Weapon and other Decorations. -Глеб Максимилианович (Михайлович) Ванновский (1862, Путивль – 1943, Канны) - русский военачальник и военный востоковед, генерал-лейтенант Генерального штаба.













- 1882 Пажеский Корпус, выпущен в 1-ю конно-артиллерийскую батарею, затем переведен в гвардейскую конную артиллерию.
- 1891 Окончил Николаевскую академию Генерального штаба (по 1-му разряду).
- 1893 Помощник старшего адъютанта штаба Московского военного округа.
- 1893 Командир эскадрона Сумского 3-го драгунского полка.
- 1894 Прикомандирован к Александровскому военному училищу для преподавания военных наук.
- 1900 Военный атташе в Японии.
- 1900-1901 Китайская компания.
- 1904-1905 Русско-Японская война.
- 1906 Командир 37-го драгунского Графа Миниха полка.
- 1907 **За боевые отличия в русско-японской войне награжден золотым оружием.**
- 1908 Генерал-майор. Командир 1-й бригады 2-й кавалерийской дивизии.
- 1908 Командир 2-й бригады 13-й кавалерийской дивизии.
- 1914 Начальник 5-й Донской казачьей дивизии.
- IX 1914 **Одним из первых офицеров в мировую войну награжден орденом Св. Георгия IV степени.**
- I 1915 Генерал-лейтенант.
- VII 1917 **Командующий 1-й армией**
- 1917 Участвовал в выступлении генерала Л.Г. Корнилова.
- IX 1917 Отстранен от командования и зачислен в резерв чинов при штабе Петроградского военного округа.

После Октябрьской революции эмигрировал во Францию.

- Warrant for the **Order of St. Stanislaus 3rd Class**. Issued on October 14, 1893.
- Warrant for the **Order of St. Anne 3rd Class**. Issued on November 20, 1896.
- Warrant for the **Order of St. Stanislaus 2nd Class**. Issued on December 15, 1899.
- Warrant for the **Order of St. Anne 2nd Class**. Issued on July 14, 1905.
- Warrant for the **Order of St. Vladimir 4th Class**. Issued on February 6, 1906.
- Warrant for the **Order of St. Vladimir 3rd Class with Swords and a bow**. Issued on October 31, 1907.
- Warrant for the **St. George Golden Weapon**. Issued on April 29, 1908.
- Warrant for the **Order of St. Stanislaus 1st Class**. Issued on May 12, 1912.
- Warrant for the **Order of St. George 4th Class**. Issued on October 7, 1915.
- General G. Vannovskiy also was recipient of Orders of St. Anne 1st Class, St. Vladimir 2nd Class with the Star and Order of White Eagle. These warrants are not included in the current offering. There is a pre-1917 annotation, however, among his paperwork, that these Warrants were gone missing before 1917.

- There are numerous other documents from the period, all of the great historical and biographical interest. There is a pair of documents worse to be mentioned specifically:

1) "...Главный Штабъ сообщилъ, что ходотайство о награжденіи Генерал-Маіора ВАННОВСКОГО орденомъ Св. Георгия 4 ст. За отличие, оказанное имъ 29-го Сентября 1904 г. въ бою на рекъ Шахъ, Военный Министръ не признал возможнымъ дать дальнейшее движеніе, въ виду того, что Генералу уже пожаловано золотое оружіе съ надписью "за храбрость"....."

2) ".....по указанию Штаба ВЕРХОВНОГО ГЛАВНОКОМАНДУЮЩЕГО ходотайство объ отданіи генераль-лейтенанту Ванновскому старшинства въ послѣднемъ чинъ съ 12 апрѣля 1912 г. удовлетворенію не подлежить....."

Other documents and correspondence. Must be seen. *A very important set, especially with St. George Golden Weapon Warrant. Very rare as such.*

*Condition:*

All documents are over all well preserved \$ 20,000

2099

**Very Important personal Group of Russian Decorations and Medals to Boris Vsevolodovich Soloviev** commander of the 'Neper', the first Russian submarine involved in war maneuvers. - Соловьев Борис Всеволодович, р. 1886 г. Из дворян, сын писателя В.С. Соловьева, внук историка С.М. Соловьева. Капитан 1-го ранга. Умер 9 июня 1957 г. в Париже.



2099







- Окончил Морской корпус (1904), Офицерский класс подводного плавания (1908).
- Старший лейтенант, начальник школы подводного плавания в Балаклаве.
- В Донской армии в 1917-1918 гг.
- Во ВСЮР и Русской Армии; офицер связи с французским морским командованием в Севастополе.
- Капитан 2-го ранга (28 марта 1920 г.).
- Эвакуирован в Турцию.
- К лету 1921 г. в Константинополе, к 1 января 1922 г. член Союза морских, офицеров там же.
- В эмиграции во Франции, в 1928 г. член Военно-морского исторического кружка в Париже, в 1930-х гг. инспектор магазинов «Са-маритен».

The group consists of:

- **Officers' Class Submarine Badge.** Silver. No hallmark or maker's mark. PB 1.1.64. Anchor cable encircling an anchor, on which is superimposed a submarine. Screwback with fully intact hand-beaten plate. An excellent example of this *Very Rare* badge.
- **Jubilee Badge in Honor of the Bicentennial of the Naval Corps, 1901. Issued to Staff Members and Cadets of the Three Highest Companies.** Silver. Multienamel. By Eduard. Hallmarked 'ЭДУАРДЪ' and 'ВД' on the screwplate. PB 1.8.4. Light blue-enameled ribbon frames a double-headed eagle, crossed anchors behind it, with a light blue and red enameled shield with the Naval Corps Arms on its breast. Above are two white enameled letter Cs, inside the left is the monogram for Peter I (П) and inside the right that for Nicholas II (Н). Imperial crown above. Inscribed: 'НАВИГАЦКАЯ ШКОЛА МОРСКОЙ КАДЕТСКИИ КОРПУСЪ/1701/1901'. Screwback. Trivial enamel fading at bottom. Superior.
- **Graduate of the Naval Corps in St. Petersburg Badge.** Gilt Bronze and enamel. PB 1.8.5. Gilt wreath of laurel and oak branches beneath an Imperial crown. Gray anchors are crossed over the center. Superimposed is the red-enameled Arms of the Naval Corps, around is a light blue enamel ribbon with the inscription in gold letters: 'НАВИГАЦКАЯ ШКОЛА /1701/1901/ МОРСК. КАД. КОРПУСЪ'. Above is a double-headed eagle holding four white enamel maps in its beaks and talons, a red enameled shield with the Moscow Arms is on its breast. Screwback. A very large badge of superb quality.
- **Campaign Medal for the Russo-Japanese War. 1904-1905.** Bronze. All-Seeing Eye above dates / Five-line legend. On ribbon.
- **Award Medal Commemorating the Centennial of the Napoleonic War. 1912.** Bronze. Bust of Alexander I right.
- **Award Medal Commemorating the Tercentennial of the Romanov Dynasty. 1913.** Bronze. Busts of Mikhail Romanov and Nicholas II facing  $\frac{3}{4}$  r. / Five-line legend. On ribbon.
- **Award Medal for the Bicentennial of the Battle of Gangut. 1914.** Peter the Great bust r. / Battle scene. On ribbon
- **Small Imperial Russian Yacht Club Badge.** Pinback missing.
- **Order of St. Nicholas, the Miracle Worker.** (Instituted 1929). Cross. With swords. 35 mm. Gilt and White enamel. Gilt saint on white enamel center. On ribbon.
- Large Emigré cockade with enameled Officer's Badge of the Imperial Army & Navy Corps at he center.
- Small Emigré Patriotic double-headed eagle pinback.
- **French Legion de Honneur.** Breast Badge of Chevalier 1870 type. Some enamel loss. On ribbon.
- **French World War I Victory Medal.** On ribbon.
- Ribbon bar.
- Comes with laser copies of a photo of Boris Soloviev and of the submarine 'Neper'.

\$ 15,000



2100

2100

**Batumi Region. Time of the British occupation, 1918-1920. Medal for Bravery.** Silver. 28 mm. Vernon Collector's Guide to OMD, 1st Edition, 1990, p. 324, (this medal) to the most current 4th edition, 2000, p. 428 (this medal); this unique medal was also published in the *Journal of the Orders and Medals Society of America* many years ago. Formed from a Nicholas II Medal for Zeal, IV Class. The Medal for Zeal obverse has been planed down and replaced with an engraved palm tree within a circle and the legend: 'БАТУМСКАЯ ОБЛАСТЬ' (*Batumi Region*). The original Nicholas II reverse has had the word for 'Zeal' smoothed away and re-engraved with the word 'ХРАБРОСТЬ' so that it now reads 'For Bravery.' This clearly shows that this piece was created as an Award at the time, and is not a 'love token' or 'trench art' type of souvenir. Integral loop. Unique, and a fascinating and important medallic document from the time of the Russian Revolution.

\$ 1,000



# Civil War and the U.S.S.R.







**CIVIL WAR and SOVIET UNION**  
**ORDERS OF THE SOVIET REPUBLICS**



- 2101 **Tadjik Soviet Socialist Republic. Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Tajikistan.** Award # 89. Red and white enamel. Screwback. Hallmarked. Herf 1.19, Kuts pp. 325-340. Accompanied by the matched Orders book, with photo of the recipient. Issued by the decree of December 28, 1931 to Dzurabaev Iskander (Джурабаев Искандер), member of the Special Unit. Award booklet of red leatherette with gold lettering (bilingual) and coat of Arms of the Tadjik Republic. *Rare* especially with such an Award book.

*Condition:*

Nice patina over minor marks on red enamel  
Very attractive and one of the best preserved specimens \$ 40,000



2102

2102 **Tannu Tuva. Medal "For Combat Valor" of TAR Republic.**

Bronze, with silvered bronze suspension. Soviet mint-made. Issued for a very short period to members of local militia and border guards. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Problem free \$ 3,000



2103 (reduced)

2103 **Certificate for the Order of the Red Banner RSFSR # 10372.** Large 13 ¼ by 8 ¾ inches format. Multi-color design, depicting the coat of Arms of the RSFSR over a elaborate sword on top. Ornamented border. Issued on April 11, 1925 based on the Decree of Military Counsel # 202. Issued to Red Army private Koltunov E.K., a member of the 2nd Cavalry Grigory Kotovsky Brigade, for pacification of the Tambov district uprising (so-called "Antonov's rebellion" 1920-1921. *Rare* and historically important.

*Condition:*

Twice folded. Good and clean otherwise \$ 400

Тамбовское восстание 1920—1921 — одно из самых крупных во время гражданской войны в России народных восстаний против власти Советов, произошедшее в Тамбовской губернии. Называется иногда «антоновщиной» по фамилии одного из руководителей восстания, начальника штаба 2-й повстанческой армии, Александра Антонова. Котовский Г.И. (1881-1925) - начальник 17-й кавалерийской дивизии. В 1921 году командовал кавалерийскими частями, в том числе подавляя восстания махновцев, антоновцев и петлюровцев.

В сентябре 1921 года Котовского назначают начальником 9-й кавалерийской дивизии, в октябре 1922 — командиром 2-го кавалерийского корпуса.





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## ORDERS OF THE USSR



### 2105 Hero of the Soviet Union Documented group of Konev A.S.

Group comes with:

- Gold Medal "Hero of the Soviet Union" # 2950 (**DUPLICATE**).
- Order of Lenin # 16900.
- Small Certificate for the "Hero of the Soviet Union".
- Order's Book for the above, listing also a medal "For Bravery", which is missing.
- 2 original photos.
- Xerox copy of the newspaper article about the veteran (contains photo).
- Xerox copy of the official biography, from the book "Heroes of the Soviet Union".

Aleksandr Stepanovich Konev received his Hero Star for being among the first to cross the Dnepr River. Awarded with the title Hero of the Soviet Union on January 15, 1944. Not too long after (based on the variation of the duplicate Star), he lost his Gold Star, and was able to receive the duplicate. *Very rare hand-engraved duplicate Gold Star.*

Condition:

Documents show wear, minor enamel chipping and scratches on Lenin, the Star excellent \$ 10,000





2106 Documented Gold Medal "Hero of Socialist Labor" Star. Award # 14502. Comes with Order's Book and Small Hero Certificate. Awarded to Vilkov V.N. "for superior achievements in completion of 7 year plan tasks" in 1966.  
Condition: Excellent -- all items, connecting ring intact \$ 2,000





2107 Documented Order of Lenin. Type 2, "Silver Head". Award # 2009. Screwback. Original silver nut. Awarded to Chernisheva Anna Karpovna, by decree of Feb. 22, 1936. Comes with Order's Book (contains photo of comrade Chernisheva, wearing this order). No other decorations listed. Rare with document

Чернышева Анна Карповна, доярка Новосибирского совхоза Западно-Сибирского края, награждена орденом Ленина № 2009 по указу от 22 февраля 1936г. "О награждении передовиков животноводства. Получивших удой молока свыше 3.500 литров по европейской части Союза ССР и свыше 3.000 литров по восточным районам в среднем на одну корову за 1935 год".

Condition: Top of the flagpole broken off, some red enamel on the banner has been expertly restored, excellent medallion with most silver-plating remaining \$ 10,000





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2108



- 2108 **Order of Lenin. Type 2, 'Silver Head'.** Award # 1267. Screwback. Original silver nut.  
*Condition:* Enamel is expertly restored, medallion is worn, still decent for type \$ 7,500



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- 2109 **Order of Lenin. Type 3.** Award # 6733. Screwback.  
 Among the first issues with 'МОДЕЛЬНЫЙ ДВОР' mintmark. Rare variation with small number (721) stamped at the screwpost base. Original silver nut.  
*Condition:* Almost mint, scarce such \$ 5,000





- 2110 **Documented Order of Lenin. Type 3.** Award # 11487. Screwback.  
 "монетный двор" mintmark. Original silver nut. Awarded to Afanas'ev A.Y., in October of 1942. Comes with Order's Book. *Scarce with document*  
*Condition:* Enamel chips on banner, signs of conversion, book shows wear \$ 5,000



- 2111 **Order of Lenin. Type 4.** Award # 51027. First issue of suspension type, manufactured in 1943-1951.  
*Condition:* Excellent with flawless enamels \$ 2,000





2112 Documented group of Anikin G.A.

Group comes with:

- Order of Lenin # 231608.
- Order of the Red Banner of Labor # 177945.
- Order of Badge of Honor # 19763 (screwback).
- Order's Book for the above. No other awards listed.

Condition:

Excellent condition on all items

\$ 3,500

2113 Order of Lenin. Type 4. Award # 399562.

Variation with rotating-tool serial number.

Condition:

Mint

\$ 1,500





2114



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# 2114 Documented Group of Colonel Kolkushev I.I.

Group comes with:

- Order of Red Banner # 20536 (type 2 with "МОНДВОР" mintmark, original silver nut).
- Order of Patriotic War 2nd Class # 519474.
- Order of Patriotic War 2nd Class # 2130373.
- Order of Red Star # 145922 (original silver nut).
- Order of Red Star # 3065077.
- Medal "For Combat Service" # 3201733.
- Order's Book, listing all of the above awards, except jubilee Patriotic War.
- Order's Book for the jubilee Order of Patriotic War.
- Medal "For Victory over Germany".
- Medal "For Defense of Stalingrad".
- Medal "For Defense of Leningrad".
- Silver graduation badge from Budenny Military Communications Academy.
- Medal Certificate for the Medal "For Victory over Germany".
- Medal Certificate for the Medal "For Defense of Leningrad".
- 5 more Medal's Certificates for the other medals (the medals themselves are missing).
- Military ID Book (contains photo).
- 3 original photos.
- 2 Communist Party ID Books.
- University Diploma from Budenny Military Communications Academy.
- Old paper with "International" lyrics.
- Xerox copy of the Award Card from archive of Ministry of Defense of Russian Federation, confirming all the awards.

*Condition:* Enamel chips on Red Banner, problem free on all other items \$ 6,000





- 2115 **Order of the Red Banner. Type 2.** Award # 36237. Screwback. Variation with ‘МОНЕТНЫЙ двор’ mintmark. Original silver nut. This piece’s mirrorlike reverse surface is likely the result of an error in the manufacturing process. Interesting and rare.  
*Condition:* Chip in the red enamel, still quite nice vintage condition \$ 6,000



- 2116 **Order of Red Banner. Type 2.** Award # 67672. Screwback. “МОНЕТНЫЙ двор” mintmark. Original silver nut.  
*Condition:* Excellent condition, despite a tiny area on the banner where enamel was restored. Full gold-plating. Choice \$ 1,000



- 2117 **Order of Red Banner. Type 3, „REISSUE“ for Type 1.** Award # 10992. Official replacement for type 1 “mirror reverse” screwback order. *Scarce* such  
*Condition:* Minor enamel chip on the banner, perfect otherwise \$ 1,000





2118

2118 **Order of Red Banner. Type 3, „REISSUE“ for Type 2. Award # 42268.**

*Official replacement for type 2 “screwback” order. Scarce*

*Condition:* Minor enamel chip on one arm of the center star, excellent otherwise

\$ 600



2119

2119 **Documented group of Sr. Lieutenant Polunkin G.S. Group comes with:**

- Order of the Red Banner # 95218.
- Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class # 60548 (*rare suspension type numbered in 60xxxx range*).
- Order's Book, (contains photo of comrade Polunkin wearing both of the above decorations). There are other awards listed in the book, which are missing. *Note that on the photo, top arm of the order of the Patriotic War is already missing an enamel, which was the usual breakage spot. Also, set comes with original archival paper, confirming that the order of Patriotic War #60548 was bestowed on senior lieutenant Polunkin G.S. by decree of 10/10/1943. English translation included. Rare combination of 2 scarce awards*

*Condition:*

Enamel missing on top arm of the Patriotic War,  
tiny chips and scratches on enamels on both orders,  
none detract from overall great eye appeal

\$ 3,000





2120

#### Documented group of Khodun P.G.

Group comes with:

- Order of the Red Banner # 163364 (DUPLICATE).
- Order of the Red Banner # 208219 (DUPLICATE).
- Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class # 250080 (DUPLICATE).
- Order of the Red Star # 866161 (DUPLICATE).
- Duplicate Order's Book for the above (also listing another Red Star, which is missing).

Condition:

Mint condition on all items \$ 2,000





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- 2121 **Order of the Red Banner 2nd Award. Type 2.** Award # 149. Screwback.  
*First variation of type 2 awards, with mintmark "МОНДВОР" hand-engraved at 12 o'clock. Original silver nut. Very rare*  
*Condition:* Minor enamel chips, not detracting from otherwise great eye appeal \$ 25,000



2122



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- 2122 **Order of the Red Banner 2nd Award. Type 3, „REISSUE“ for Type 2.** Award # 2539.  
*Official replacement for type 2 "screwback" order. Scarce*  
*Condition:* Minor enamel chips, replaced enamel on lower arm of the star \$ 1,500
- 2123 **Order of the Red Banner 2nd Award. Type 3.** Award # 17913.  
 Moscow Mint. 1950 issue.  
*Condition:* Excellent with flawless enamel \$ 1,000





2124



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**Order of Suvorov 2nd Class. Type 2. Award # 2505. Screwback.**

Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of Russian Federation, including award card, citation and military record (full English translation provided). According to research, Major-General Potapov M.I., chief of staff of 67th Rifle Corp, was awarded with this order by decree of 06/29/1945, for skillful organization of breakthrough attacks during fighting the Carpathian mountains.

*Condition:*

Problem free \$ 15,000



2125



2125

**Order of Suvorov 3rd Class. Type 1. Award # 265.**

*Rare first type, with stick-pin and separate center medallion. Old graffiti on reverse.*

*Condition:*

Excellent and all original, shows normal wear only \$ 20,000



2126



2126

**Order of Suvorov 3rd Class. Type 2. Award # 2876. Screwback.**

Original silver nut. Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of Russian Federation, including award card, citation and official award decree. According to research, Lieutenant Colonel Ponomarenko P.I., chief of staff of Guards 104th tank and self-propelled guns regiment, was awarded with this order by decree of 05/08/1945, for skillful organization and personal bravery and leadership during regiments' offensive operations in January of 1945.

*Condition:*

Minor traces of wear, excellent enamel \$ 6,000



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**Order of Kutuzov 3rd Class. Type 2 „REISSUE“ for Type 1. Award # 241.**

*Official replacement for suspension type order. Original silver nut. Without mintmark. Comes with the Order's Book. Awarded to Agafonov P.S. No other decorations listed. Very rare combination, two rarities in one!*

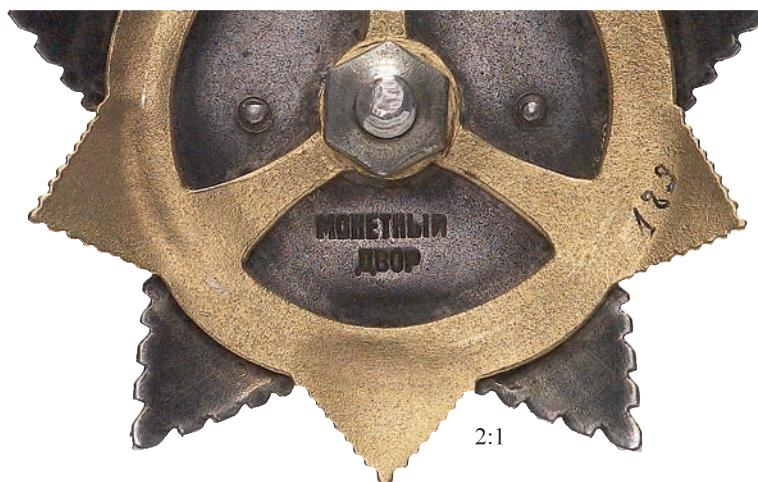
*Condition:*

Close to mint condition with dark patina. Superb \$ 30,000





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2128 **Order of B. Khmelnytsky 1st Class. Type 1.** Award # 189.

Variation with 2 rivets on reverse. Original silver nut.

*Serial number engraved at 4 o'clock! Very rare as such.*

*Condition:*

Signs of minor wear on medallion, screw is slightly shortened, dark patina on silver part

\$ 50,000



2129



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2129 **Order of B. Khmelnytsky 3rd Class. Type 1.** Award # 1215.

*Scarce first type, with separate center medallion.*

*Condition:*

Excellent with minimal signs of wear, nice patina

\$ 3,500

2130 **Order of B. Khmelnytsky 3rd Class. Type 2.** Award # 3803.

Original silver nut.

Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including award card, citation and official award decree. According to research, Master Sergeant Gobris I.A., platoon commander in the 9th sapper-engineer brigade, was awarded with this order by decree of 06/02/1945, for personal bravery during the capture of Königsberg. While amongst the first in the enemy's trenches, comrade Gobris personally killed an officer and 7 German soldiers, than took another 8 prisoner.

*Condition:*

Signs of minor wear on medallion, excellent otherwise

\$ 4,000



2131

2131 **Order of Nevsky. Type 1.** Award # 2293.

Variation with stick-pin on reverse. *Scarce*

*Condition:* Excellent with intact enamel and well preserved gilt under dark patina. \$ 5,000



2132

2132 **Documented Order of Nevsky. Type 1.** Award # 3433.

Variation without stick-pin on reverse. Awarded to Perov I.S. in July of 1944. Comes with Order's Book. No other decorations listed. *Rare with document*

*Condition:* Restored enamel on one of the star's arms, old loop repair, very fine otherwise with great eye appeal \$ 4,000





2133



- 2133 **Order of Nevsky. Type 3.** Award # 11855. Screwback.  
Original silver nut.

Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including award card, citation and official award decree. According to research, Captain Turkadze V.T., company commander in the 26th artillery regiment, 63rd rifle division, was awarded with this order by decree of 07/25/1944, for personal bravery and skillful collaboration with infantry units during the offensive operations of June 1944.

*Condition:* Absolutely perfect with fully preserved gilt under dark patina. Superb \$ 1,000



2134



- 2134 **Order of Nevsky. Type 3.** Award # 18248. Screwback.  
Rare and unusual variation with serial number at 5 o'clock in 18xxx range, since most such orders are observed in 11xxx-12xxx serial number range. Original silver nut.

Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, award card, citation and official decree. Awarded in 1944 to Captain Metlyakov, for his heroism during the crossing of Visla River.

В боях с немецкими захватчиками по расширению плацдарма на западном берегу р.Висла 20-го августа 1944г., взвод под командованием капитана Метлякова получил задачу выдвинуться на нейтральную полосу, и вести наблюдение за противником... Стремительным броском взвод ворвался на окраину д.Тшчанки, быстро овладел им, и развивая успех овладел высотой 179,0, захватив при этом 6 немцев в плен...

*Condition:* Enamel missing on one of the arms, excellent otherwise  
with most gold-plating remaining \$ 2,000



- 2135 **Documented Order of the Patriotic War 1st Class. Type 1.** Award # 236.  
First variation, based on the serial number, however, the suspension is from the later variation. Comes with Order's Book, issued to Kulakov M.E. in 1943 (another award listed in the book is missing). *Scarce with such a low number*  
*Condition:* Minor scratches on red enamel from normal wear, excellent otherwise \$ 3,000



- 2136 **Order of the Patriotic War 1st Class. Type 1.** Award # 786.  
Rare variation with "mirror" reverse, only observed within the first 1000 orders. *Extremely rare*  
*Condition:* Enamel chip at top arm, minor chips and scratches, suspension might be a replacement, still very desirable and hard to find \$ 3,000





- 2137 **Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class. Type 1.** Award # 345.  
First variation, based on the serial number and suspension, but without the stick-pin. Possibly converted to screwback at some point, to comply with regulations change of 06/1943, and later professionally restored to original shape.  
Comes with copies of official research from military archives of the Russian Federation (English translation included). Awarded to Colonel Pentyashkin N.S. in January of 1943, for discovering and destroying 18 enemy artillery emplacements during fighting on the Western Front in August 1942. According to his award card, Colonel Pentyashkin received 9 (!) orders for his tireless services during WWII, including such orders as Kutuzov 3rd Class and Nevsky. *Rare*  
*Condition:* Enamel chip at top arm, minor chip at 9 o'clock, excellent otherwise \$ 3,000
- 2138 **Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class. Type 1.** Award # 10341.  
Variation with stick-pin on reverse. *Scarce*  
*Condition:* Minor scratches on red enamel from normal wear, excellent otherwise \$ 1,500
- 2139 **Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class. Type 1.** Award # 16464.  
Comes with original letter from archives of the Ministry of Defence of the Russian Federation-awarded to Captain Isayans O.A. (of Armenian origin). 5th Shock Army.  
In combat near Dmitrievka village, Captain Isayants, leading the battalion provided a clever stroke of tactics in capturing the road, cutting off the enemy's path and ultimately capturing 6 vehicles and other facilities. Wounded in the arm, comrade Isayants only left the battlefield after the fight was over. Received his award 07/1944 by decree of March 8th 1944.  
*Condition:* Small enamel chips, otherwise very good \$ 1,500



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| 2140 | <b>Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class. Type 2.</b> Award # 597792. Screwback.<br>Scarce “small” variation. Original silver nut.<br><br><i>Condition:</i> Minor scratches from normal wear, otherwise problem free | \$ 250 |
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- 2141      **Documented group of Snitko F.V.**  
Group comes with:
- Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class #771414 (**DUPLICATE**).
  - Order of the Red Star # 2191658 (**DUPLICATE**).
  - Order of the the Red Banner of Labor # 74945.
  - Medal “For Bravery” # 2200116 (**DUPLICATE**).
  - Medal “For Capture of Koenigsberg“ (*post-war issue*).
  - Duplicate Order’s Book for the above 3 duplicate awards. No other awards listed.
  - Order’s Book for Order of the Red Banner of Labor.
  - Medal Certificate for the Medal “For Capture of Koenigsberg“.

Mint condition on all items \$ 750





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2142



- 2142 **Order of the Red Star. Type 1.** Award # 586.  
First type, with "ГОЗНАК" mintmark. Original unique 36mm silver nut. *Rare*  
*Condition:* Enamel professionally restored, minimal wear on medallion \$ 25,000



2143



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- 2143 **Order of the Red Star. Type 6.** Award # 649691.  
1944 Moscow Mint production. Original silver nut. *Without the word "ДВОР" in mintmark. Rare*  
*Condition:* Problem free with minimal signs of wear \$ 500



- 2144 **Order of the Red Star. Type 6.** Award # 769710.  
1944 Moscow Mint production. Original nut. Apparently, both words in the mintmark were retraced with hand-engraving tool. *Curious as such*  
*Condition:* Problem free with normal signs of wear \$ 200
- 2145 **Order of the Red Star. Type 6.** Award # 1795263.  
1945 production, first issue of the MZPP factory. Original nut. *Without mintmark.* Rare  
*Condition:* Problem free with normal signs of wear and dark patina \$ 1,000



- 2146 **Documented Order of the Red Star. Type 6.** Award # 3696450.  
Original nut. Comes with the Order's Book (contains photo of the recipient). Awarded to Shpon Fenetz (*Hungarian by nationality*), by decree of Oct. 28th 1968 "... to active participants of October Revolution and struggle to assert Soviet government during 1917-1922". No other decorations listed. Also, comes with Hungarian ID book. *Rare documented foreign awarding*  
*Condition:* Problem free on all items \$ 1,000





see next page for more pictures

# 2147 **Full Cavalier of Order of Glory Dzhaparidze M.D. complete documented group**

Group comes with:

- Order of Glory 1st Class #1753.
- Order of Glory 2nd Class #3589 (**DUPLICATE**).
- Order of Glory 3rd Class #40125 (**DUPLICATE**).
- Order's Book, listing the above 3 decorations (no other awards listed).

Guards junior sergeant Dzhaparidze M.D. (Georgian by nationality) participated in WWII from 1943 (167th Guards Artillery Regiment, 1st Guards Artillery Division, 60th Army), as a reconnaissance soldier. The first order of Glory was awarded to him in April 1944 for finding, and directing his artillery onto enemy's headquarters near the city of Ternopol. In August 1944, during fierce fighting on outskirts of the city of Sandomir, he personally killed 18 enemy soldiers with his machine gun, and defended his position. Awarded with the Order of Glory 2nd class on January 22, 1945. While breaking through defense lines near the city of Stashuv (Poland) in January 1945, comrade Dzhaparidze was first to make his way through barb wire and into the enemy's trenches, personally killing 4, then carrying his wounded commander back and into cover over the mine field! Became a full Cavalier of the Order of Glory on April 10, 1945.

Джапаридзе Мурман Давидович, разведчик 167-го гв. легкого арт. полка, 1-я гв. арт. дивизия, 60я армия, 1-й Укр. фронт), в марте 1944, при освобождении г.Тернополь, находясь впереди боевых порядков, обнаружил штаб пехотного батальона противника, его НП и 2 пулемета. По его корректировке, огнем батареи все эти цели были накрыты. 29.4.44 награжден орденом Славы 3-й ст. В бою северо-западнее г.Сандомир, при отражении контратаки противника, выдвинулся со своим пулеметом, и скоил 8 вражеских солдат. Затем вывел из строя ещё 10, отражая в составе батареи 9 вражеских атак. 22.10.44 награжден орденом Славы 2-й ст. 22.01.45 при прорыве обороны противника под г.Сташув (Польша), первым проложил путь через проволочные заграждения, и ворвавшись в траншею противника, уничтожил 4 вражеских солдат. Вынес раненого ком-ра дивизиона через минное поле в укрытие. 10.4.45 награжден орденом Славы 1-й ст.

Лит.: Роцин И.И. Солдатская слава. М., 1982. Кн. 6, С. 68-69.

Черногоров Н.В. Полные кавалеры ордена Славы. М., 1974. Вып. 1, С. 9.

Condition:

Excellent on all items, with only minor traces of wear \$ 15,000



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| 2148 | <b>Order of Glory 1st Class.</b> Award # 2125.   |  |          |
|      | <i>Condition:</i>  | Superb   | \$ 5,000 |
| 2149 | <b>Order of Glory 2nd Class.</b> Award # 9997.   |  |          |
|      | <i>Condition:</i>  | Excellent with practically all gold-plating intact | \$ 500   |
| 2150 | <b>Order of Glory 3rd Class. „DUPLICATE“.</b> Award # 514120.  |  |          |
|      | Official <i>duplicate</i> with serial number stamped in small digits over erased old number, and Cyrillic “Д”. |  |          |
|      | <i>Condition:</i>  | Flawless with nice medium patina                   | \$ 400   |





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# 2151 Documented Group of Sokolenko A.V.

Group comes with:

- Order of Glory 3rd Class # 58766 (**DUPLICATE**).
- Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class # 3778435.
- Medal "For Victory over Germany".
- Duplicate Order's Book for the Order of Glory, issued in 1984.
- Order's Book for the Order of Patriotic War.
- Medal Certificate for the Medal "For Victory over Germany".
- 15 (!!) more Medals' Certificates for the other medals (the medals themselves are missing).
- Military ID Book (contains photo).
- Original newspaper with photo of Sokolenko A.V. and article about her.
- Xerox copy of newspaper article "Field medic Sokolenko" (contains photo).
- Xerox copy of newspaper article "Memory" (contains photo).

Antonina Vikent'evna Sokolenko participated in WWII from 1941 until victory in 1945. She started out as a partisan and became a field medic towards the end of war.

Из воспоминаний А.В.Соколенко: "... а было вот что: немцы вывели меня в лес, один прицелился мне в спину - но, видно, рука не поднялась. Велел мне убегать..."

Condition:

Excellent condition for all items

\$ 1,000





2152



2152 **Order of the Red Banner of Labor. Type 2, "REISSUE" for Type 1. Award # 708.**

Small "МОНДВОР" mintmark. Hallmarked "ГО". Original silver nut.

*Official replacement for type 1 "triangle". Scarce*

Comes with copies of official research from the civil archives of the Russian Federation. According to research, type 1 "triangle" order of the Red Banner of Labor #708 was awarded to Charkviani K.M. by decree of 03/22/1935, order bestowed on 08/07/1935. Apparently, sometime between 1936-1941, the veteran replaced his original order for the current one.

Чарквиани Константин Минович, старший научный сотрудник Уральского филиала Академии наук СССР, был награжден данным орденом за перевыполнение производственной программы 1934г. по отдельным трестам золотой промышленности.

*Condition:*

Excellent with only minor traces of wear. Dark rich patina

\$ 5,000



2153

2153 **Documented Order of the Red Banner of Labor. Type 2. Award # 5220.**

Mintmark "МОНДВОР" hand-engraved at 12 o'clock. Double-tier screwpost base. Original silver nut.

Comes with the Order's Book (contains photo of the recipient). No other decorations listed.

*Very rare such, especially with document*

*Condition:*

Awardees' name is unreadable, problem free otherwise

\$ 10,000





2154

- 2154 **Documented Order of the Red Banner of Labor. Type 2.** Award # 6370.  
*Small "МОНДВОР" mintmark. Original silver nut. Comes with the Duplicate Order's Book. Awarded to Gribanov I.P. No other decorations listed. Rare with duplicate document*  
*Condition:* Problem free on both items \$ 3,500



- 2155 **Order of the Red Banner of Labor. Type 2.** Award # 6806.  
*Variation with 'МОНДВОР' mintmark, with double-tier screwpost base. Hallmarked 'БД' and 'КР'. Original silver nut.*  
*Condition:* Excellent and problem free \$ 4,000
- 2156 **Order of the Red Banner of Labor. Type 2.** Award # 12758.  
*"МОНЕТНЫЙ ДВОР" mintmark. Original silver nut.*  
*Condition:* Problem free \$ 1,500





2157

- 2157 **Order of the Badge of Honor. Type 3, „REISSUE“ for Type 2. Award # 12356.**  
*Official replacement for type 2 “screwback”. Scarce*  
 Comes on a medal bar with numbered medal “For Combat Service”, medals  
 “For Defense of Moscow”, “For Victory over Germany”, and “For Victory over Japan”.

*Condition:*

Excellent on all items

\$ 500



2158



- 2158 **Order of Honor. Award # 1521691.**  
*Condition:*

Mint

\$ 900



2159



- 2159 **Order of Labor Glory 1st Class. Award # 411.**  
*Condition:*

Mint

\$ 3,000





2160 (reduced to 75%)

# 2160 Documented Group of Sechenov I.V.

Group comes with:

- Order of the Badge of Honor # 353024.
- Medal "For Valiant Labor" # 43260.
- Badge "For Excellence in Socialist Competition of Narkomtankprom".
- Order's Book for the Badge of Honor. No other awards listed.
- Medal's Book for the Medal "For Valiant Labor".
- Badge ID Booklet.

Condition:

Excellent condition on all items

\$ 500





2161 (reduced to 75%)

2161

# **Documented Group of Zelonin P.F.**

Group comes with:

- Medal "For Bravery" # 484 (type 1 "МОНДВОР", awarded for actions at Lake Hasan in 1938).
- Medal "For Bravery" # 2816617.
- Medal "For Combat Service" # 1993824.
- Badge "To Battle of Hasansky Participant".
- Badge ID Booklet "To Battle of Hasansky Participant" (contains photo of Zelonin P.F., wearing his Medal "For Bravery").
- Military ID Book (contains photo).
- ID Book "To WWII Participant".

Condition:

Good vintage condition on all items,  
the main medal is practically flawless

\$ 2,000





2162

2162 **Ushakov Medal.** Award # 3747.  
Only about 16,000 were issued. Scarce.  
Condition:

Problem free \$ 1,000



2163 (reduced to 75%)

2163 **Documented Group of Karaman G.T.**

Group comes with:

- Medal "For Valiant Labor".
- Medal's Book for the Medal "For Valiant Labor".
- Badge ID Booklet "To Honorary Railroad Worker".
- Badge ID Booklet "Stalin's Railroad Shockworker".

Condition:

Good vintage condition on all items,  
despite a small enamel chip on the medal

\$ 200



*The East Turkistan Republic (1944-1949)*



2164



2164

**Documented Medal “For Valor” of East Turkistan. Award # 587.**

Dated 1945 on reverse. Comes with Medal’s Book, with built-in handwritten Russian translation of the original text. Issued to Tursun Babaev “for his service on the front lines of the liberation struggle of people of East Turkistan”. *Very rare and unpublished*

*Condition:* Shows the usual crudeness and minor enamel chipping, very nice for type \$ 2,000



## Mongolia

*Unique pair with consecutive numbers of the highest Mongolian decoration  
Includes last of type 1 (screwback) and first of type 2 (pinback) versions*



2165



2165

**Order of Sukhbaatar. Type 1.** Award # 800. Screwback.

Gold and silver, multi-piece construction with multi-color enamels. Batt 20-a.

*Condition:*

Excellent with perfect enamel

\$ 2,000



2166



2166

**Order of Sukhbaatar. Type 2.** Award # 801. Pinback.

Gold and silver, multi-piece construction with multi-color enamel. Batt 20-b.

*Condition:*

Excellent and problem free

\$ 2,000



2167



2167

**Order of the Red Banner for Military Valor. Type 1.** Award # 918. Screwback.

1940 type. "МОНЕТНЫЙ ДВОР" mintmark. Original silver nut.

Silver, massive multi-piece construction with multi-color enamel.

*Condition:*

Screw slightly shortened, excellent otherwise

\$ 2,500

## Badges

*(All items in this section are in problem free condition, unless mentioned otherwise).*



2168

- 2168 **Alliance of the Workers' and Peasants' Army'. Badge.** Silvered Bronze. Ruby red-enamel five-pointed star at center, upon which superimposed is a star and plough and a hammer – the first symbol of the alliance of workers and peasants. The badge's base is a wreath formed of laurel and oak branches tied with a bow-shaped ribbon at the bottom. Screwback  
The central symbols are somewhat loose (leaving a small scuff of the enamel). Screwplate missing. Otherwise well-preserved. Rare \$ 1,000



2169

- 2169 **'To a Member of the Red Guard and to a Red Partisan from the Leningrad Council, 1917-1932'. Badge.** Silver. On a oval plaque, a soldier of the Red Army holds a rifle in one hand and a red-enamel flag with a five-line legend in the other. At the center are factory buildings, before them a ribbon with the dates 1917-1932, and below part of a gear wheel. Screwback. Circular backplate attached to the badge, numbered # 3063 \$ 3,000



2170

- 2170 **Early Armenian Revolutionary Badge.** Ca. 1920's. Silver. Hammer and sickle framed by branches above a radiant Mt. Ararat, floral spray below, at the center of a circular plaque. Armenian legend around. Screwback. Rare \$ 2,000





2171



- 2171 **'For Excellence in Artillery Training'. Badge.** Bronze. Openwork plaque with crossed cannons at center and binoculars. A horseshoe frames the outside, with a red-enamel star on the top and crossed red-enamel flags flanking in the inner angles.

Small shallow crack in star's enamel. \$ 2,000



1,5:1



2172 (1:1)



1,5:1

- 2172 **Badge of a Final-Year Student taking Courses for Finnish Commanders In Petrograd.** Gold-plated Silver. At the center of an open-work wreath is a white-enamelled shield with crossed gun barrels over a rifle with fixed bayonet superimposed. At the top a red-enamelled star depicts an hammer and sickle on a white center, and at the bottom a red-enamelled ribbon bears a Finnish legend. Screwback. Hallmarked 84 and 'БД'. Superb and *Very Rare* \$ 10,000



2173



- 2173 **Ten Years of OGPU, 1917-1927. Badge.** Bronze. At the center, a banner bears the profile of F.E. Dzerzhinsky within a wreath, flanked by the dates '1917' and '1927'. Beneath, a wreath is topped by a star. At the bottom, 'О.Г.П.У.' is inscribed on a ribbon. Screwback. \$ 500



2:1



2174



2174

**Moldova Autonomous Republic (as part of the Ukraine). 1924-1940. Peoples' Commissariat of Justice. Badge. 1933. Silver. Multienamel. White-enameled oval framed by a wreath; superimposed is a red-enameled star with a hammer and sickle at the center, an anvil and blue-enameled ribbon below with the legend: 'НКЮ-АМСРР'. Red-enameled banner above inscribed: 'ПРОЛЕТАРІ УСІХ КРАЇН ЄДНАЙТЕСЯ'. Engraved on the back: '№ 2 / ВЕТЕРАНУ / ПРОВОДНИКУ / ИСПРАВИТЕЛЬНО / ТРУДОВОЙ ПОЛИТИКИ / т. КУЦУ С.В. / В ДЕНЬ 13-и ЛЕТ. / 7/III - 1933 г.'** Screwback. Award # 2. *Apparently unpublished and of the Greatest Rarity.* \$ 15,000





2175



- 2175 **NKVD. 'For Outstanding Efforts in the Bureau of the Eastern Construction and Development'.** ID booklet to 'АБДИРОВУ НИКОЛАЮ АЛЕКСЕЕВИЧУ' issued June 9, 1945. \$ 1,000

There are numerous Soviet so-called 'Labor' badges from the 1920's to the 1940's. At first glance, they seem innocent enough – badges for construction, canals, development, etc. But they were in fact GULAG labor camps which were spread all over the Soviet Union. The badge for which this booklet was issued is the only one which actually spells out that chilling fact: ГУСДС-НКВД -- GUSDS (Gulag Far Eastern Construction) NKVD.



2176



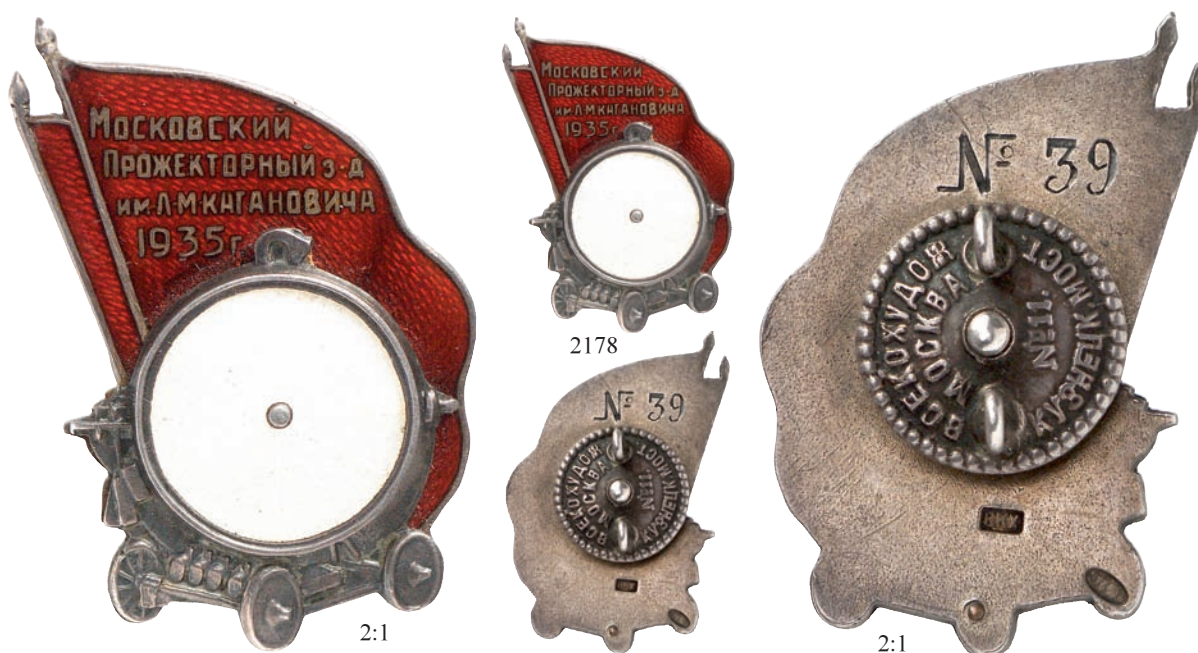
- 2176 **Badge of the Great Fergana Canal. Uzbek SSR.** Bronze. Multienamed. At the center is a red-enameled star with the letters 'БФК' flanked by a worker and kolkhoznik. Below is a blue-enameled ribbon inscribed 'УзССР' and the year '1939'. The sides are framed by a wreath of white-enameled cotton bolls, with a red-enameled banner with a superimposed profile of Stalin above. Screwback \$ 300





2177

- 2177 **To the Hero of Labor? Krasny Putilovets, May 1st, 1928. Jetton.** Silver. Fleur-de-lis-like shape with star depicting hammer and sickle at top, legend at center and around top. Recipient's name engraved on the back: 'А / Дюнин / 1897 г.'. Suspended on a silver chain. \$ 2,000



2178

- 2178 **Moscow Projector Factory.** Badge. Silver, enamel. Hallmarked '916'. The badge is made up of a white-enameled searchlight set on a handcart with two red-enameled flags above, one with name. Award no. 39 on back and maker's mark 'BKX'. Screwback. Very minor restoration of the red enamel. Extremely rare \$ 5,000

Publication: Avers II, Soviet Badges and Jetons # 307. This piece illustrated!



2179

- 2179 **To the Best Shock Worker? Ukraine. 1932.** Badge. Silvered bronze. Award number '30' impressed on reverse. About 55 by 43 mm. Massive multi-piece construction with red and white enamels. Lenin's head, below are crossed hammer and circle and Roman numerals XV. At the bottom on the red ribbon is the legend "Киев". Screwback. Some enamel imperfections and repairs. *Rare* and impressive. \$ 1,500





- 2180 **Odessa – Port, Refrigeration Factory. Badge.** Ca. early 1930's. White Metal. Multi-arc border frames a port scene depicting a ship and cargo crane and an industrial refrigerator unit. Screwback. Interesting piece. Unlisted in Korchenov. \$ 300
- 2181 **Badge “For Rationalization Suggestions in Acquiring Techniques”.** Bronze. Multi-enameled. Round in shape with big red star on the top. In the center are industrial tools and manufacturing surrounded by gear and legend “За Рационализаторские Предложения по Технике”. Screwback. *Rare* \$ 1,250
- 2182 **Peoples' Commissariat of the Food Industry. 6 Years Dedicated Work. Badge.** Multipiece construction. Silver, Copper, enamel. Within crossed grain stalks, on a white background: radiant sun, hammer and sickle and red-enameled star above, superimposed red-enameled banner with two-line legend. Screwback. Minor hairlines on the white enamel. \$ 300



- 2183 **Jetton “For Rationalization” “Leningrad’s District Cooperative Union” - Ленинградский областной совет промкооперации.** Silver. Hallmarked 875. maker’s mark “АЗ-С”. - Ленинград, 1932. Артель “Золотосеребряник”. Multienameled. Suspended by a chain from a screwback featuring an enameled Red Star, with the original silver screwback bearing the mach insription: “Ар. Золотосеребрен” on top and “ЛЕНИНГРАД” on the lower part. Moderate wear and minor losses of enamel. *Very rare* \$ 1,250
- 2184 **To the Best Worker I Prize. Bronze.** Jetton, in a rhombus shape, red and blue enamelled ribbons and a red star on the top and crossed hammer and sickle below, light railroad train with the legend SRKX at centre. Engraved on reverse in Russian ‘To Martinova A.P.’. \$250



- 2185 **'Excellent Worker of the State Bank'**. Badge. Bronze. Multi-enamel. Wheat-stalk encircles One-Rouble banknote. Red-enameled banner above with legend: 'ОТЛИЧНИК ГОСБАНКА'. Numbered: 1001. Screwback \$ 500

- 2186 **'Excellent Worker in the Finance Ministry'**. Badge. Bronze. Multi-enamel. Factory building with tractor and One-Rouble banknote, hammer and sickle above on a light blue-enameled background, wreath around with red-enameled star at top. Red-enameled banner at right, red-enameled ribbon below inscribed 'ОТЛИЧНИК ФИНАНСОВОЙ РАБОТЫ'. Numbered: 393. Screwback \$ 500



- 2187 **'To a Friend of the Dobrokhim'**. Badge. Bronze. Multienamel. Green-enameled banner on a bayonet-shaped staff. Red-enameled star at the center with a ribbon with the legend: 'ДРУГУ ДОБРОХИМА'. Screwback. Minor enamel loss \$ 400

- 2188 **'Active Member of Osoaviakhim'**. Badge. Silver. Multienamel. At the center is a red-enameled star against a white background. Crossed over it is a rifle and propeller, superimposed over this is a red-enameled banner. Below, a light blue gas-mask is centered above a red ribbon lettered in silver. Hollow-back construction (which is difficult to produce). Numbered # 5154. Screwback. \$ 700

- 2189 **'Active Member of Osoaviakhim'**. Badge. Silver. Multienamel. At the center, a red-enameled star is set against a white background. A rifle and propeller are crossed over it; superimposed over this is a red-enameled banner. Below, a light blue gas-mask is centered above a red ribbon lettered in silver. Mirror-back reverse. Numbered 1035. Hallmarked 916. Manufacturer's mark: 'ХЗМ'. \$ 700



- 2190 **Member of the Aviakhim Badge**. Bronze. Multienamel. Part of a gear and a stalk, both black-enameled, along with a green ribbon inscribed 'АВИАХИМ' frame a red-enameled hammer and sickle at the center. Superimposed is a blue enameled gas cylinder and a white enameled propeller. Screwback \$ 400

- 2191 **By Strengthening Transport, You Strengthen the USSR Defense**. Osoaviakhim Badge. Bronze. Multienamel. At the center is a red-enameled star, a crossed propeller and rifle over it and a locomotive steaming left above. Encircling this is a blue-enameled ribbon with legend, below is a gear and stalk. Screwback. \$ 700

- 2192 **Aviakhim Badge**. Bronze. Rhombus-shaped, green-enameled badge, small red-enameled star at top, superimposed with a crossed hammer and sickle, propeller and gas-mask. Screwback. \$ 500





- 2193 **Shooting Championship. First Prize Badge.** Bronze. Multienameled. White and black-enameled bullseye flanked by red-enameled banners set at center of diamond-shaped plaque. Crossed rifles superimposed. Red-enameled star with hammer and sickle on top and 'T' below. Screwback. Some enamel loss on red star \$ 1,000
- 2194 **Shooting Championship. 1st Prize Jetton. 1929.** Silver. White, red and light-blue enamel. Bulls-eye within wreath over crossed rifles, hammer and sickle above, "T" below / Six-line engraved inscription in Russian and date. Suspended from an integral chain.  
*Condition:* Choice and problem free \$ 250
- 2195 **GTO: 'Ready for Labor and Defense'. 2nd Class. Badge.** Silver. The base is a gear superimposed with a red-enameled star which depicts a runner breaking the finishing tape. Above is a red-enameled banner with the legend "Be Ready for Labor and Defense." Suspended by a chain from screwback, the front of which is diamond-shaped and red-enameled bearing the legend: 'Central Executive Committee [as an acronym] SSSR. VSPK'. Numbered # 7636. Rare in silver. \$ 250



- 2196 **Excellent Voroshilov's Marksman Badge.** 1935. Bronze. Multienamel. Gear around white enameled center. A red enameled star is superimposed depicting a rifleman, white enamel bullseye below, red-enameled banner above. Screwback. Accompanied by Award booklet, which is clipped and fraying at the bottom \$ 200



2197

- 2197 **Excellent Voroshilov's Marksman Badge.** 1937. Bronze. Multienamel. Multi-piece construction. Gear around white enameled center. A red enameled star is superimposed depicting a rifleman, white enamel bullseye below, red-enameled banner above. Screwback. Accompanied by Award booklet \$ 300



2198

- 2198 **'Excellent Worker of the Socialist Competition'.** 1944. Badge. Bronze, enamel. **Peoples' Commissariat of the Tank Industry.** Wreath frames a tank, above which are a red-enameled star and red-enameled banner inscribed: 'ОТЛИЧНИК СОЦСОРЕВНОВАНИЯ'. Below the tank is a ribbon which is inscribed: 'НАРКОМТАНКОПРОМА'. Screwback. Comes with related Award Booklet. Moderate wear \$ 300

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