

# IMPERIAL RUSSIA

## ORDERS

### *ORDER OF ST. GEORGE*



2001



2001 **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

\$ 6,000



- 2002 Cross. **4th Class**. Gold. 32 mm. Ca. 1870's-1890's. Hallmarked '56' (14K) and maker's mark 'BA' (probably for 'БД') on loop. Gold attachment ring marked with 'kokoshnik' mark. *Scarce* early cross.
- Condition:* Touches of wear, absolutely problem free \$ 12,500



- 2003 Cross. Miniature. Silver. 23 mm. Gilt. Barrel-ring suspension with loop. Very well made. Comes on a ribbon.
- Condition:* Near mint \$ 900



# ORDER OF ST. VLADIMIR



- 2004 Breast Star. Silver, gold center. 84 mm. Austrian manufacture. Ca. 1860's. Enamelled centre with the motto: 'ПОЛЪЗА – ЧЕСТЬ – 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 of the under-researched maker.

*Condition:*

Minimal wear, problem free \$ 12,500



- 2005 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 \$ 2,000



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2006



2006

Cross. **3rd Class. Civil Division. Flat black enamel type.** GOLD. 43.5 mm. Ca. 1860's. Hallmarked '56' (14K) with maker's mark 'WK' on loop. Apparently by Wilhelm Keibel. Superior workmanship. Made in flat back enamel fashion of the time. *Rare.*

*Condition:*

Near Mint \$ 15,000



*ORDER OF ST. ANNE*



2007





2007



2007

**First Class Set. Military Division.** Ca. early 1900's. By Eduard. Cross. Gold and enamels. 51mm. Hallmarked '56' (14K) on loop. Maker's mark 'БД' on back of top arm, kokoshnik marks on sword backs. Breast Star. Silver and enamels. 92 mm. Reverse gilded. '(kokoshnik)' mark on a pin, '84', maker's marks: 'БД' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' on back. Comes on sash.

*Condition:*

Trivial scuffing of enamel on cross, otherwise Choice

\$ 60,000





2008

2008 Breast Star. Silver. 89 mm. By Eduard. Ca. early 1900's. Two angels holding the Imperial crown, motto: 'AMAN JUST PIET FIDEM'. 'Kokoshnik' mark on a pin. '84', 'ЭДУАРДЪ' and 'ИЛ'. ИЛ mark appears on some Eduard workshop's breast star's. Deeply toned.

*Condition:*

Mint \$ 5,000



2009

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2009

2009 Cross. **2nd Class. Civil Division. Dark red enamel type.** GOLD. 43.5 mm. Ca. 1870's – 1880's. Hallmarked '56' (14K) and St. Petersburg 'anchors' marks on loop. Imperial Russian Eagle mark on a top and 'K' mark on low arm on reverse. Superior workmanship. *Rare* thus.

*Condition:*

Mint \$ 5,000



2010

2010 Cross. **3rd Class. Military Division.** GOLD. 34 mm. Ca. early 1900's. Hallmarked 56 (14K) on loop. 'ИЛ' maker's mark on top arm on reverse. Kokoshnik marks on low arms on obverse. Comes on ribbon. Low right part of one sword has been replaced

*Condition:*

Nice eye appeal and over all very fine

\$ 1,250



2011

2011 Original case for 3rd Class Cross in original gray wrapper. *Rare* thus.

*Condition:*

wrapper some fraying and tears but intact, case very well-preserved

\$ 750



2012

2012 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



*ORDER OF ST. STANISLAUS*







2013



2013 **First Class Set, Civil Division.** Ca. Late 1800's. Cross. Gold and enamels. 61 mm. Hallmarked '56 (14K) on loop. 'Imperial eagle' mark on upper arm and maker's mark 'K' lower arm on reverse. Breast Star. Silver and enamels. 89 mm. Reverse gilded. 'Kokoshnik', 'Imperial warrant' and maker's name 'Keibel' on back. Comes on sash.

*Condition:*

Superb \$ 15,000





2014



2015

- 2014 Cross. **2nd Class. Military Division.** Bronze. 48 mm. Ca. 1916 – 1917. By Eduard. Marked 'K' and 'ЭДУАРДЪ' on reverse lower arm.

*Condition:*

Near Mint

\$ 1,250

- 2015 Cross. **3rd Class. Civil Division.** Gold and enamels. 39 mm. Late 1870's - 1890's. By Albert Keibel. Hallmarked '56 (14k) head, AP' on loop. 'Imperial eagle' mark on upper arm and maker's mark 'A.K.' lower arm on reverse. Comes in case and on ribbon.

*Condition:*

Very well-preserved and Choice

\$2,000



2016



2017

- 2016 Original case for 3rd Class Cross in original gray wrapper. *Rare* thus.

*Condition:*

wrapper intact with some minor fraying, case very well-preserved

\$ 750

- 2017 Miniature Breast Star. Silver. 12 mm. Silver, gold, green and white enamels. Ca. 1860's-1870's. 12 mm. Unmarked.

*Condition:*

Choice and problem-free

\$ 1,000



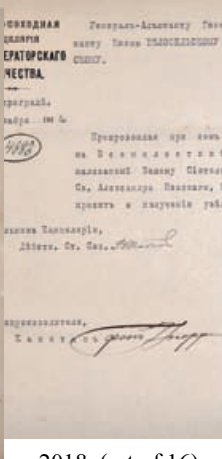
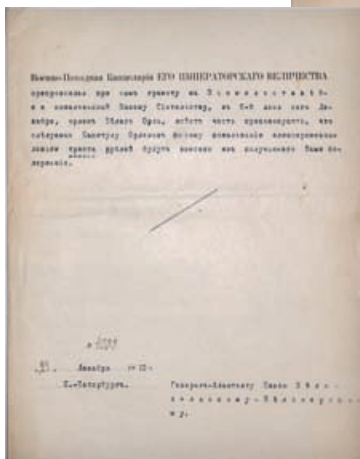
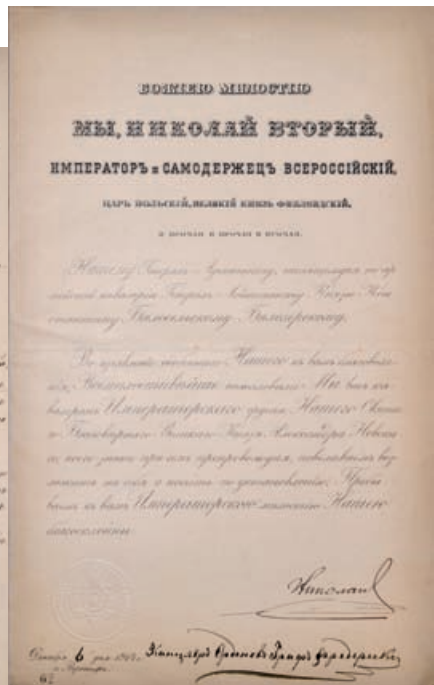
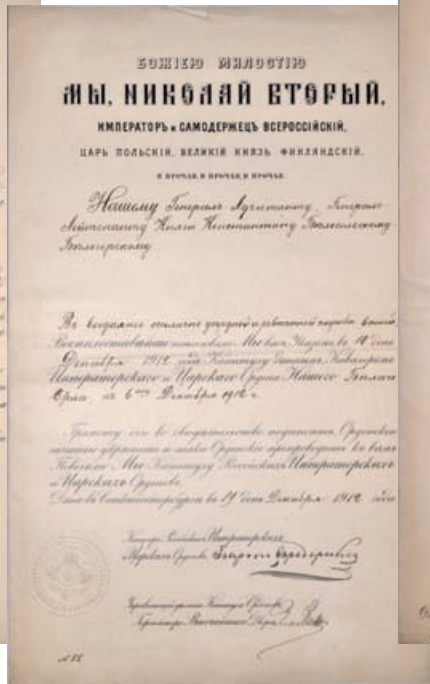
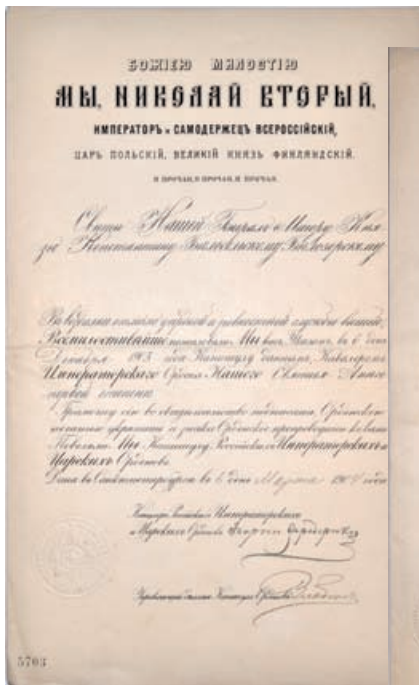
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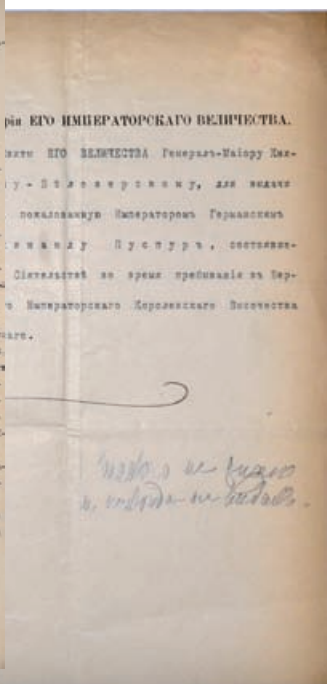
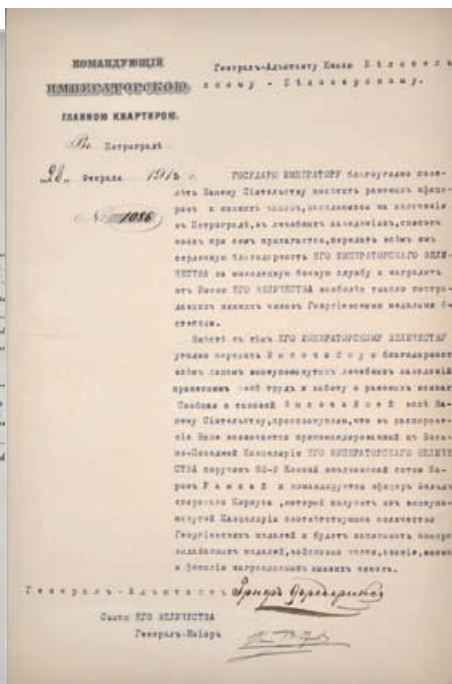
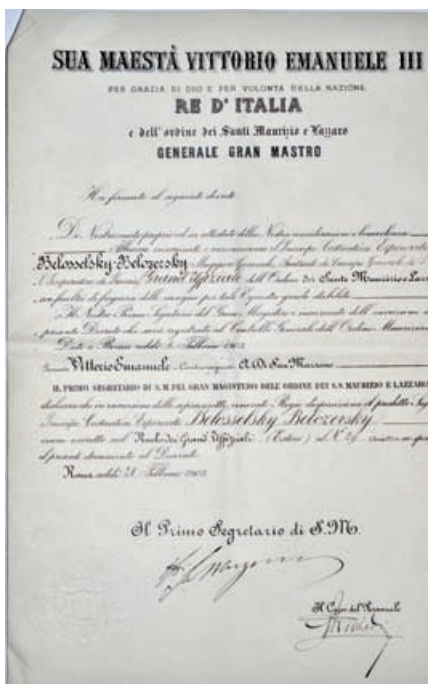
## 2018 An extraordinary Group of Documents to Duke Constantine E. Beloselsky-Belozersky (1843-1920).

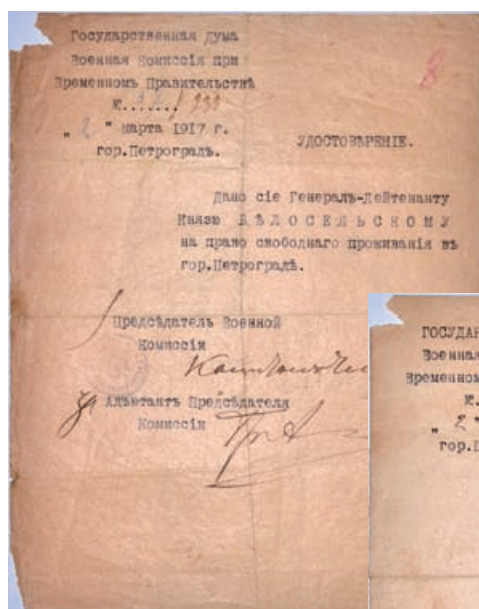
**Биография:** князь Белосельский-Белозерский Константин Эсперович [16.06.1843-26.05.1920 н.ст.] Православный. Из дворян. Князь. Зять Ген-лейтенанта Д.И. Скобелева, отец Ген-лейтенанта С.К. Белосельского-Белозерского. Образование: общее - домашнее, военное - на службе. В службу вступил 09.12.1861 в л.-гв. Конный полк. Корнет гв. (ст. 25.03.1863). Поручик (ст. 27.03.1866). Аdjутант шефа жандармов (17.12.1866-29.05.1868). В отставке (29.05.1866-10.05.1877). Ординарец начальника штаба гвардейского корпуса (05.06.1877 - 11.01.1881). Участник русско-турецкой войны 1877-78. Штабс-ротмистр (ст. 16.04.1878). Аdjутант пр Е.И.В. Наследнике Цесаревиче Александре Александровиче (будущем Императоре Александре III). Флигель-аdjутант (1881). Ротмистр (ст. 30.08.1882). Подполковник (ст. 30..08.1882). Полковник (пр. 1884-ст. 30.08.1884- за отличие). Ген- майор (пр. 1894- за отличие). С 16.07.1895 в запасе. 14.05.1896 принят из запаса на службу в чине Ген-майора (со старшинством с 28.06.1895) с зачислением в Свиту Е.И.В. Ген-лейтенант (пр. и ст. 06.05.1906- за отличие) и Ген-аdjутант (06.05.1896). Числился по арм. кавалерии. Владелец многочисленных имений, уральских заводов и Крестовского острова в С-Петербурге. Из-за крайне неэффективного управления своей собственностью обременил ее многочисленными долгами и в 1903 обратился к Николаю II с просьбой «установить над ним особое, вне общих правил, опекуное управление», которая была удовлетворена. Избежав т.о. продажи имущества по долговым обязательствам Б. затем пользуясь своими связями при дворе и в правительстве добился выведения значительной части своей собственности из-под опеки и продал его (в частности Крестовский остров) получил значительную сумму денег, которую после Февральской революции перевел за границу. 16.04.1917 уволен от службы по болезни. Умер в эмиграции в Neuilly-sur-Seine (Франция).



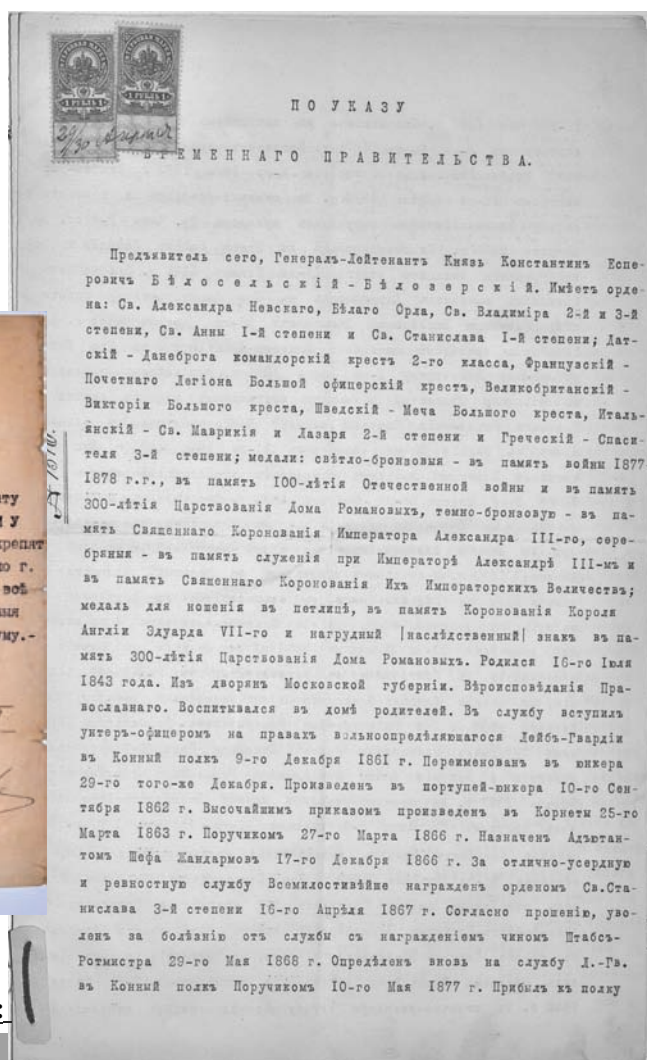
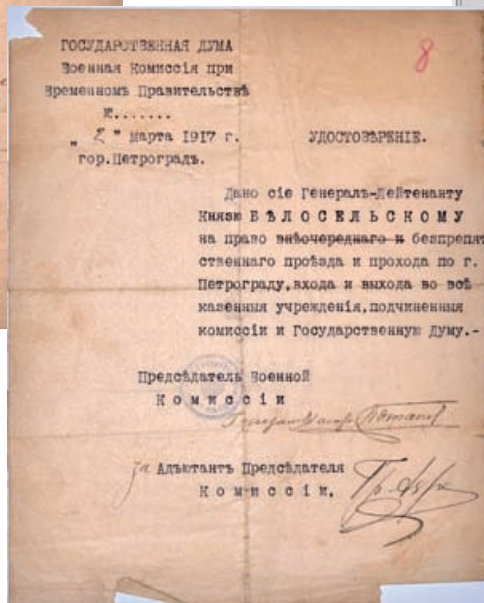


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#### Награды князя Белосельского-Белозерского:

- Св. Станислава 3-й ст. (1867)
- Св. Анны 3-й ст. (1879)
- Св. Анны 2-й ст. (1887)
- Св. Владимира 3-й ст. (1890)
- Св. Станислава 1-й ст. (1899)
- Св. Анны 1-й ст. (1903)
- Св. Владимира 2-й ст. (1907)
- Белого Орла (1912)
- Св. Александра Невского (06.12.1914) и рядом иностранных орденов.

- **Passport** issued on April 26, 1917
- Promotion Certificate for the rank of **Lieutenant-General**, issued on May 6, 1906.
- Warrant for the **Order of At. Anne 1st Class**. Issued on March 6, 1904.
- Warrant for the **Order of White Eagle**. Issued on December 19, 1912.
- Official Accommodation in event of a bestowal of the **Order of St. Alexander Nevsky**. Issued in 1912.
- Warrant for the **Order of St. Alexander Nevsky**. Issued on December 6, 1914. Hand signed by Nicholas II.
- Two official Accommodations in event of a bestowal of the **Order of St. Alexander Nevsky**. Both issued in 1914.
- **Citation for the Badge of the 3rd Novorossiysk Dragoon Regiment of Her Imperial Highness Grand Duchess Elena Vladimirovna**. Issued **September 29, 1911**.
- Citation for the **Mobilization 1914 Medal**. Issued on October 20, 1915.
- **Warrant for the Italian Order of Order of Saints Maurice and Lazarus, 2nd Class**. Issued on **February 28, 1903**.
- Retirement Document to Duke C.E. Beloselsky-Belozersky featured detailed list of his biographical data, military career, award list. Issued on April 1917 in St. Petersburg. Official Imperial era seal attached on the last page.

*Of great historical significance and importance.*

**Condition:** (Set of 16 documents) All show normal wear, were folded, but over all reasonably well preserved

\$ 7,500



## *Medals*



- 2019 **Award Medal To Captain Simontoff for the Building of the Taganrog Harbor, 1709.** By unknown engraver I.П. Bronze. 41.7x37mm. Sm 185, Diakov 29.4. Laureate, draped and cuirassed bust of Peter r. / Plan of the fortress and harbor of Taganrog.

*Condition:*

About uncirculated

\$ 400

- 2020 **Prut Campaign Medal. 1711.** By ДБ (D. Bechter). Bronze. Чеп 31, Diakov 403.

*Condition:*

Holed. Moderate wear. Good very fine

\$ 400



2021

- 2021 **Award Medal for the Foundation of the St. Petersburg Refugee and Aid House for Children.** Silver. 29 mm. By B.H.P. Чеп 67 – var, Sm 248 – var. Catherine II bust r. / Hope standing holding cross, a young girl at her side kneeling with an infant in her arms. *Rare.* Comes on St. Andrew ribbon

*Condition:*

Toned over numerous scratches and nicks from dress wear  
Fine

\$ 750



2022

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2022

- 2022 **Award Medal for the Victory at Kagul, 21 July 1770.** Silver. 45 mm. By T. Ivanov. Novodel. Bit K306 (R3). Crowned and mantled bust of Catherine the Great r., Ivanov signature below / Four-line legend. Struck on a broad flan with a raised beaded lozenge border. Period loop. Attractive and *very rare.*

*Condition:*

Light old toning. Extremely fine

\$ 3,000



- 2023 **Award Medal for the Naval Victory at Chesme. 1770.** By T. Ivanov and S. Yudin. Bronze. 41 mm. Bit K301 (R2), Diakov 147.2 (R1). Crowned and mantled Catherine II bust r. / Russian ships in the foreground, Chesme and Turkish ships aflame in the background. Trivial contact marks, pleasing thick flan.  
*Condition:* Extremely fine \$ 600
- 2024 **Award Medal for Bravery in Ochakov Waters. 1788.** By T. Ivanov. Bronze. 40 mm. Bit K331 (R2), Diakov 209.2 (R2). Laureate, crowned and mantled Catherine II bust r. / Five-line legend. Minor obverse deposit spots. Silvery tone, deep chestnut-brown.  
*Condition:* Uncirculated \$ 750
- 2025 **Award Medal for Bravery during the Victory over Sweden in Finnish Waters Campaign. 1789.** Bronze. 40 mm. Novodel. Bit M1347 (R1), Chep 108. Crowned Catherine II bust r. / Six-line legend. Toffee-brown  
*Condition:* About uncirculated \$ 600



- 2026 **Award Medal for the Patriotic War of 1812 Campaign.** Silver. 23 mm. Diakov 358.2 (R2), W 68. With suspension loop and ribbon on brooch plate. Toned. *Scarce* so well preserved  
*Condition:* Uncirculated \$ 1,000
- 2027 **Award Medal for the Patriotic War 1812 Campaign.** Bronze. 29 mm. Chep 282, Ver 190. Loop is missing. For nobles and merchants who contributed to the war.  
*Condition:* Very fine \$ 250





- 2028 **Award Medal for the Patriotic War 1812 Campaign.** Bronze. 23 mm. Chep 1548. On ribbon.

*Condition:*

Problem free

\$ 400

- 2029 **Award Medal for the Patriotic War 1812 Campaign.** For Cavalry. Bronze. 23 mm. Chep 1548. Loop is missing.

*Condition:*

Extremely fine

\$ 250



- 2030 **Priest's Cross Award for the War of 1812.** Bronze. 80 x 45 mm. Radiant All-Seeing Eye and date on central circle at cross limbs intersection / Radiant four-line legend. Chep 296, Sm 370, Peters 65. This cross was awarded to all Russian Orthodox Church priests that served until January 11, 1813; 40,000 crosses were made and awarded from 1813 to 1829.

*Condition:*

Chestnut brown. About uncirculated

\$ 1,000



- 2031 **Award Medal for the Battle of Leipzig, 1813.** Silver. Oval, 30 x 25.7. Four battle shields bearing the Arms of Russia, Austria, Prussia and Sweden, date below / Radiant Pyramid with Hebrew legend above four-line German legend: 'Our God is our Castle'.

*Condition:*

Minor friction hairlines in semi-reflective fields, fully lustrous  
Choice uncirculated

\$ 1,250

- 2032 **Award Medal for the Battle of Leipzig, 1813.** Silver. Oval, 30 x 25.7. Four battle shields bearing the Arms of Russia, Austria, Prussia and Sweden, date below / Radiant Pyramid with Hebrew legend above four-line German legend: 'Our God is our Castle'.

*Condition:*

Loop is missing, polished on edge. Extremely fine

\$ 600



- 2033 **Award Medal for the Capture of Paris, 1814.** Silver. 28.3 mm. Bit 642B (R), Diakov 375.1, Peters 64, Sm 393/a. Radiant All-Seeing Eye above laureate head of Alexander I r. / Four-line legend and date within wreath. On ribbon.  
*Condition:* Scuffs and heavy wear. Fine \$ 300
- 2034 **Award Medal for the Capture of Paris, 1814.** Silver. 22 mm. Bit 643b (R3) Diakov 375.2 (R2), Sm 393/b. Radiant All-Seeing Eye in pyramid above laureate Alexander I head r./ Four-line legend and date within wreath. On newer ribbon.  
*Condition:* Nice old toning. Choice extremely fine \$ 600



- 2035 **Award Medal for the Capture of Warsaw. 1831.** Silver. 26 mm. Chep 383, Sm 464. Awarded to participants of the assault on Warsaw of 25-26 August, 1831.  
*Condition:* About very fine \$ 750
- 2036 **Award Medal for the Capture of Warsaw. 1831.** Silver. 26 mm. Struck without a loop and made to be worn on lapel. *Very rare and interesting*  
*Condition:* Toned, about extremely fine \$ 750



- 2037 **Award Medal for the Storming of Akhulgo (in the Caucasus), 1839.** Silver. 26 mm. Bit 841.A (R3), Diakov 549.1 (R2), Sm 503, Peters 108, Werlich 81. Crowned Nicholas I cipher / Four-line legend. Awarded to military personnel, doctors and clergy who participated in the siege of the Avar village of Akhulgo from 12 June to 23 August 1839. *Very rare.* Loop removed.  
*Condition:* Slate gray. out very fine \$ 2,000

*In June of 1839, The Imperial Russian army with about 7,000 troops under the command of Generals Yevgeny Golovin and Pavel Grabbe surrounded Imam Shamil – leader of the Caucasian resistance -- and his followers, some 5,000 men, in their mountain fastness of Akhulgo, about 10 miles east of Gimry in Dagestan. They attacked four times with no success for the aul ("fortified village") was set on very steep slopes. The siege lasted 80 days, and finally, using heavy artillery, the Russians stormed Akhulgo. The Russian losses numbered some 2,500 men, while the rebels were almost completely slaughtered. Shamil, though, and a small party of followers with some family members, miraculously escaped.*





2038

- 2038 **Award Medal for the Pacification of Hungary and Transylvania, 1849.** Silver. 29 mm. Bit 846, Diakov 589.1, Sm 543, Deep gray.  
*Condition:*

Choice extremely fine \$ 400



- 2039 **Large Neck Medal for Zeal.** GOLD. 51 mm. 72.28 gm. By П.М. Diakov 673.3 (R3). Alexander II head r., signed 'П.М.' on truncation / Legend around: ЗА УСЕРДІЕ – 'For Zeal', outer triple band, beaded inner circle. On ribbon. *Very rare* original medal

*Condition:* Minimal wear and contact marks. Loop somewhat misshapen due to wear. Still in a premium category. Extremely fine \$ 12,500



- 2040 **Large Neck Medal for Zeal.** Silver. 51 mm. 55.12 gm. By П.М. Bit 869A (R2). Alexander II head r., signed 'П.М.' on truncation / Legend around: ЗА УСЕРДІЕ – 'For Zeal', outer triple band, beaded inner circle. On ribbon.

*Condition:* Very minor contact marks. Lovely violet-gray with good lustre  
 Choice about uncirculated \$ 4,000



- 2041 **Medal for Zeal.** Silver. 29 mm. Young bust of Alexander II left / Legend: 3А УСЕРДІЕ – For Zeal. Chep 525, Sm 559, Ver 127. On ribbon.  
*Condition:* Loop has been repaired. Lavender-gray. Extremely fine \$ 1,000
- 2042 **Award Medal from the Finnish Agricultural Society.** ND. By Kozin. Instituted in 1857. Bronze. 29 mm. Diakov 675.3 (R2). Alexander II bust r. / Three-line legend within wreath. *Rare*  
*Condition:* Choice, about uncirculated \$ 400



- 2043 **Crimean War Campaign Medal.** 1856. Light Bronze. 28 mm. Bit 962, Diakov 654.2, Sm 630, Ver 210. Crowned ciphers of Nicholas I and Alexander II, radiant All-Seeing Eye above / Five-line legend.  
*Condition:* Choice about uncirculated \$ 150
- 2044 **Priest's Cross Award for the Clergy in the Crimean War. 1853-1856.** Bronze. 100 x 58 mm. Central medallion depicting the All-Seeing Eye above crowned ciphers of Nicholas I and Alexander II, dates below / Five-line legend. Chep 588, Peters 136, Sm 602, Ver 211, W 93. This cross was awarded both to Russian Orthodox and to non-Orthodox Christian priests; about 40,000 crosses were made.  
*Condition:* Small dig obverse medallion. About extremely fine \$ 600





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- 2045 **Award Medal for the Expedition to Khiva, 1873-1874.** Silver . 28.5 mm. Bit 981 (R1), Diakov 804.1, Peters 152, Sm 726. Crowned Alexander II cipher / Legend around large '1873' above spray. Maker's marks on loop: 'A.B' – twice. *Rare.*

*Condition:*

Pale slate gray. About uncirculated

\$ 2,000



2046



- 2046 **Badge of Distinction of the St. Anne Order, n.d. (1864).** Silver. 24 mm. Bit 852 (R), Diakov 633.1 (R1), Sm 330/a, Peters 115. Cross with crown above / engraved number: '429883'.

*Condition:*

Obverse scratch. Very fine

\$ 1,000



2047



- 2047 **Large Neck Medal for Zeal.** Silver. 50.5 mm. 57.58 gm. By A. Griliches. Bit 1014.A (R1), Diakov 896.4 (R3), Sm 832/a, Peters 162/a. Alexander III head r., signed A.Г. on truncation / Legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal' around, braided inner circle, triple-band outer.

*Condition:*

Numerous contact marks. Good very fine

\$ 1,000



- 2048 **Medal for Zeal.** Silver. 29 mm. By A. Griliches. Bit 1019.A (R1), Diakov 896.6 (R2), Sm 832/b. Alexander III head r., signed A.Г. on truncation / Legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal' around, braided inner circle, triple-band outer.  
*Condition:* Once lightly polished. About extremely fine \$ 750
- 2049 **Award Medal for Life Saving.** Bronze. 29.5 mm. By A.A. Griliches. Novodel. Bitkin H1056.A (R2). Alexander III head r. / Three-line legend. Stamped: 'МЪДЪ' on edge. Lustrous.  
*Condition:* Choice uncirculated \$ 400



- 2050 **Medal For Blameless Service in the Police.** Silver. 34.7 mm. Bare head of Alexander III r., legend around, all within wreath / 'ЗА БЕЗПОРОЧНУЮ СЛУЖБУ ВЪ ПОЛИЦИИ' in four lines within wreath. Bit 1071 (R2), Peters 173/b. *Rare*. On ribbon.  
*Condition:* Has been polished. Extremely fine \$ 2,000



- 2051 **Large Neck Medal for Zeal.** Bronze, Gold-Plated. 51 mm. Bit 1114.A (R2). Head of Nicholas II left / Spray, legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal', 'МЪДЪ' near rim lower right. *Rare*.  
*Condition:* A few trivial contact marks. Choice about uncirculated \$ 750





- 2052 Large Neck **Medal for Zeal**. Silver. 51 mm. By Vasutinsky. Chep 869, Ver 136. Nicholas II bust l. / Legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal'. Signature of engraver below the wreath  
*Condition:* Deep gray. Choice extremely fine \$ 750
- 2053 Large Neck **Medal for Zeal**. Silver. 51 mm. Chep 869, Ver 136. Nicholas II bust l. / Legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal.'  
*Condition:* Some contact marks, toned. Extremely fine \$ 750
- 2054 **Medal for Zeal**. Bronze. 28 mm. Nicholas II bust l. / Legend: 'ЗА УСЕРДІЕ' – 'For Zeal'. Issued by the mint, ca. 1915-1917 instead of gold medals  
*Condition:* About uncirculated \$ 100



- 2055 **Medal for Blameless Police Service**. Silver. 36 mm. Chep 906, Ver 141. Nicholas II head l. encircled by wreath / Four-line legend encircled by wreath.  
*Condition:* Moderate wear. Toned over some contact marks. About extremely fine \$ 400
- 2056 **Medal for Blameless Prison Guard Service**. Silver. 37 mm. Bit 1138 (R2), Diakov 1146.1 (R2), Peters 181, Sm 1063. Head of Nicholas II l., outer raised wreath / Five-line legend, outer raised wreath. *Very rare*.  
*Condition:* Lavender-gray. Extremely fine \$ 2,000



- 2057 **Award Medal to Participants in the Central Asian Campaigns of 1853-1895.** Silver. 27.5 mm. Bit 1143a (R), Diakov 1185.1, Peters 18, Sm 1109. Four crowned ciphers of Nicholas I, Alexander II, Alexander III and Nicholas II / Four-line legend. Hallmarked on loop: '84\*'.  
*Condition:* Attractively toned with good lustre. Choice extremely fine

\$ 1,000



- 2058 **Medal to Commanders of the Kexholm Regiment from Emperor Franz Josef of Austria. 1898.** Bronze. 35 mm. Cf. Sm 1149. Uniformed bust of Franz Josef r. / Seven-line legend. About 30 medals were awarded in bronze. Of the greatest rarity and one of only a few known. The bronze medals are much rarer than the silver.

*Condition:*

About uncirculated

\$ 5,000





- 2059 **Award Medal for the Chinese Campaign (Boxer Rebellion), 1900-1901.** Silver. 27.7 mm. Bit 1145o (R2), Diakov 1331.1, Peters 21, Sm 1214. Crowned cypher of Nicholas II / Legend and dates. With ribbon.  
*Condition:* Some rim bruises and surface marks. About very fine \$ 300
- 2060 **Award Medal for the Chinese Campaign, 1900-1901 (Boxer Rebellion).** Silver. 28 mm. Bit 1145-B. Crowned cypher of Nicholas II / Legend and dates 1900-1901. Hallmarked '84' and maker's mark 'Ф.Г.' on loop. On hangar. Lovely toning.  
*Condition:* Choice, uncirculated \$ 500
- 2061 **Award Medal for the Chinese Campaign, 1900-1901 (Boxer Rebellion).** Nickel. 28 mm. Bit 1145-r. Crowned cypher of Nicholas II / Legend and dates 1900-1901. *Scarce* private issue  
*Condition:* Some contact marks and small edge bruise. Very fine \$ 300



- 2062 **Award Campaign Medal for the Russo-Japanese War, 1904-1905.** Silver. 28 mm. Bit 1150H (R), Diakov 1406.1 (R2), Sm 1343, Ver 246. All-Seeing Eye above dates 1904-1905 / Five-line legend.  
*Condition:* Good very fine \$ 400



2063

- 2063 **Award Medal to the Russian seamen who helped the citizens of Messina during the earthquake of 1908. Italy.** Silver. 32mm. Bust of Vittorio Emanuele III left / Six-line legend in wreath. Medal comes on original ribbon. Chep 984. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Extremely fine with dark patina

\$ 300



2064



2065

- 2064 **Medal to Commemorate the Bicentennial of the Battle of Poltava. 1709-1909.** Light Bronze. 28 mm. Peter the Great head l. / Nine-line legend including anniversary dates. Chep 989, Diakov 1467.2 (R1).

*Condition:*

Some obverse contact marks. Lustre. Uncirculated

\$ 150

- 2065 **Award Medal given on the 25th Anniversary of Parish Schools. 1909.** Silver. 28 mm. Diakov 1475.1 (R2), Peters 208, Werlich 125. Conjoined uniformed busts of Nicholas II and Alexander III left / Radiant Orthodox cross over opened book, flanked by anniversary dates. Integral loop stamped 'ΦΓ' and '84'. Awarded to those working in church education or former workers with not less than 10 years service.

*Condition :*

Lightly toned. About uncirculated

\$ 250



2066

- 2066 **St. George Medal for Bravery, 4th Class. Issued by the Provisional Government.** White metal. 28 mm. Bit 1170B (R). St. George left / Legend: 'ЗА ХРАБРОСТЬ'. *Rare*. Old toning.

*Condition:*

Uncirculated

\$ 400



## WHITE MOVEMENT, RUSSIANS IN EXILE

### ORDER OF ST. NICHOLAS THE MIRACLE WORKER



2067



2068



2069



2070

- |      |   |        |        |
|------|---|--------|--------|
| 2067 | Cross. With Swords. 35 mm (not including loop). Bronze, gilt and enamels. Ok p.80, Ver 324. Gilt Saint in blue enameled center, white enameled cross, double-headed gilt eagles in angles. 'БЕЛ. МИРОВ. ВОЙНА'. ('Great World War') 1914-1917 Г.Г. on back. <i>Scarce</i> . On white, blue and red Russian National ribbon .                          |        |        |
|      | <i>Condition:</i>   | Superb | \$ 500 |
| 2068 | Cross. With Swords. 35 mm (not including loop). Bronze, gilt and white enamel. Ok p.80, Ver 324. Gilt Saint in white enameled center, white enameled cross, gilt gryphons in angles. 'БЕЛ. МИРОВ. ВОЙНА'. ('Great World War') 1914-1917 Г.Г. on back. On Romanov ribbon.  |        |        |
|      | <i>Condition:</i>   | Superb | \$ 500 |
| 2069 | Cross. With Swords. For Medical Personnel. 38 mm (not including loop). Bronze, gilt and enamels. Ok p.80, Ver 325. Red cross at center of white enameled cross, double-headed gilt eagles in angles. 1914 1917 in two lines on back.  |        |        |
|      | <i>Condition:</i> Thin crack on lower arm enamel. Otherwise, Very nice and near Choice  |        | \$ 500 |
| 2070 | <b>Order of the Compassionate Heart.</b> 32 mm (not including loop). Bronze, gilt and enamels. Ver 328. Gilt-rimmed white enamel cross, each arm in the shape of a heart. Gilt Imperial eagle atop a red enameled heart at center. Award given by the by the Russian Veterans society of World War I. On a black-orange-black with white trim ribbon. |        |        |
|      | <i>Condition:</i>   | Choice | \$ 400 |

## ÉMIGRÉ BADGES



2071

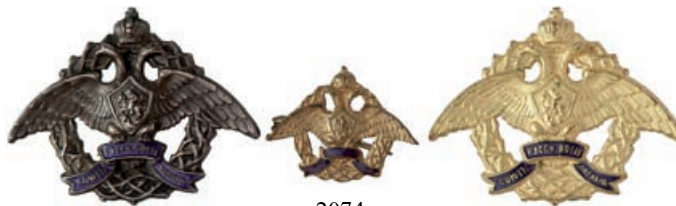


2072



2073

- 2071 **Russian General Military Union – POBC Medal.** 25 mm. Base metal. Multi-enameled.  
*Condition:* Choice \$ 400
- 2072 **Imperial National Union of War Veterans.** Base metal, white enamel. Ok p. 61; Sel. 27  
*Condition:* Choice \$ 400
- 2073 **Badge to Supporters of the Union of Russian War Veterans.** Honored Badge, First Class. Ok p.40-41, Sel 34. Bronze and enamels. Two-piece construction.  
*Condition:* Pin missing. Otherwise, Choice \$ 400



2074

- 2074 Set of three. **Union of Russian War Invalids.** Honored Badge Second Class (2) and Members Badge. Ok p.39-40, Sel 35. 'Golden', 'Silver' and miniature versions. All three with a blue enameled ribbon, the full-size with maker's mark: 'Arthur Bertrand' on back.  
*Condition:* Choice and problem free (3) \$ 500



2075 3:1





2075

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**Cossacks' Union in Shanghai, 1925.** Base metal and enamels. Ok p.42. Cossack horseman charging forward, red enamel background, crown with white, blue and red ribbon, small white enamel St. George cross below with black and gold banner. Multipiece construction. *Extremely rare and one of the rarest émigré badges.*

*Condition:*

Superb

\$ 2,000



2076

2076

**USA. North-Russian Expedition in Archangel. The 339th Infantry Crest. 1918-1919.** Badge. Silver. Blue and white enamels. Manufacturer's mark on reverse: 'A.H. DONDERO, INC / WASH. D.C. / STERLING'. Shield with polar bear walking over a field of ice. In the left upper quarter of the shield are three birds-*merletts* two over one on a field of yellow. The motto in the banner across the bottom of the shield is in Russian 'ШТЫКЪ РЪШАЕТЪ' and means 'The Bayonet Decides'. *Very rare*

*Condition:*

Problem free

\$ 1,500



3:1



USSR  
REPUBLICS



Тов. ЗНАМЕНСКОМУ Е. В.

Уважаемый товарищ,  
Евгений Владимирович!

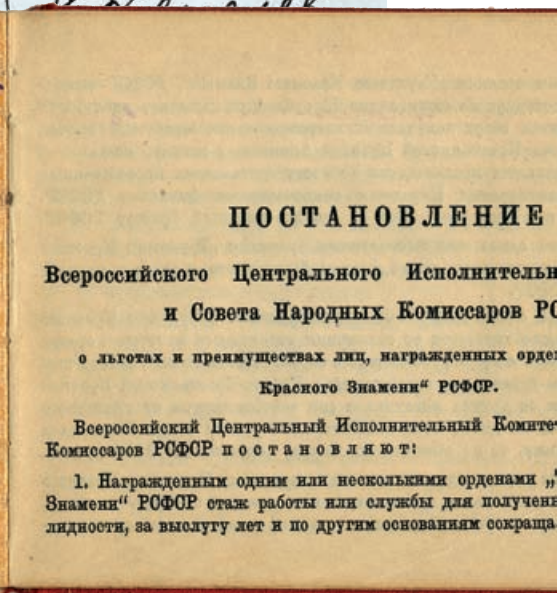
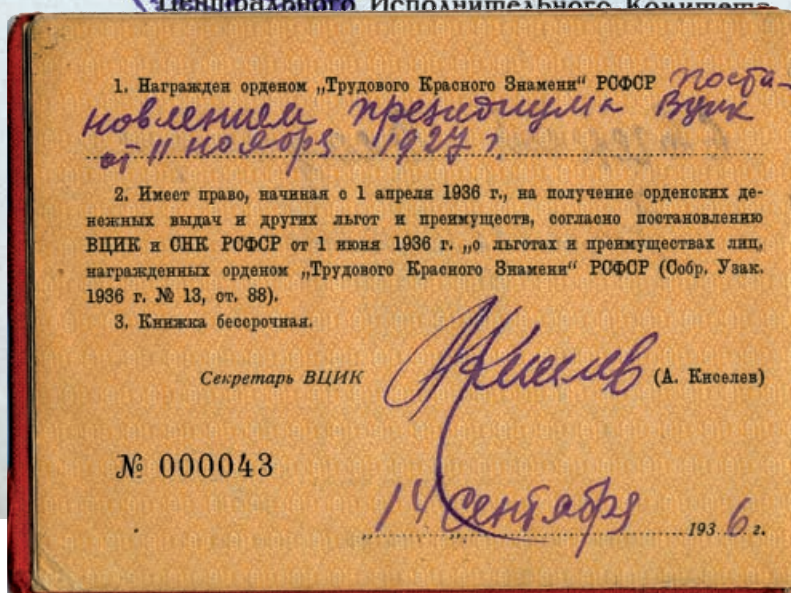
Принимая во внимание Ваши особые заслуги перед Советской республикой, выразившиеся в том, что, состоя в должности начальника Первой Ленинградской Школы среднего начсостава милиции, Вы проявили себя выдающимся организатором и руководителем школьного дела и образцово поставили подготовку будущих работников милиции, Президиум Всероссийского Центрального Исполнительного Комитета в заседании своем от 11 ноября 1927 года постановил: **наградить Вас орденом Трудового Красного Знамени.**



Председатель Всероссийского  
Центрального Исполнительного Комитета

Секретарь Всероссийского  
Центрального Исполнительного Комитета

*[Handwritten signatures]*







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2077



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**Order of Labor of RSFSR** with document. Unnumbered.

Bronze. Red and blue enamels. Screwback. Comes with original bronze screwback nut and plate. Also, comes with old cloth rosette, probably veteran made. Awarded to comrade Znamenskij E.V. in Oct. 1928, for his excellent work and organizational skills in establishing the First Leningrad Militia Officers school. Comes with original 1929 type order's book (contains photo), and original large Certificate from the Central Committee of RSFSR. Also comes with a nice scan of the photo of comrade Znamenskij, proudly wearing this order, with this rosette beneath it. C/C 01.08.01 (R3). Herf 1.2. Kuts pp. 49-67. Only about 170 issued. *Extremely Rare* and important, possibly *unique* in such completion, with original order's book and Central Committee Certificate.

Орденом Труда СССР награжден Знаменский Евгений Владимирович, начальник первой Ленинградской школы среднего комсостава милиции. К ордену прилагаются оригинал Грамоты Всероссийского Центрального Исполнительного Комитета на награждение данным орденом, и орденская книжка первичного вручения (обр. 1929г.). Также, к группе прилагается скан фотографии награжденного, с данным орденом и с розеткой на груди. Абсолютно полный набор, включая прижимную пластину и документы, встречается в таком полном сборе впервые.

*Condition:*

Some minute enamel chipping, otherwise extremely fine for type.

Choice

\$ 75,000

Literature: 'Награды Советских Республик'. Н. Стрекалов, И. Сысолятин. Москва, с. 118



2078 (75%)

- 2078 AzSSR Honorary Award Cigarette Case. Silver, hallmarked on both sides. Depicting the Order of Red Banner of AzSSR (as part of the case). Crescent is a separate part, held by two rivets. The legend below the Order says: 'To comrade Stepnadze Sh. from AzSSR Central Executive Committee, Baku 1922'. On the other side, there is a depiction of main Soviet symbols, with the legend below '5th year of Baku Workers-Peasants Militia'. *Extremely Rare*, and of exceptional quality

Серебряный наградной портсигар с изображением ордена Красного Знамени АЗССР, врученный от имени АЗЦИК командиру отделения 246-го стрелкового полка Ш.Степнадзе, награжденному этим орденом в 1921г.

*Condition:*

Shows minor wear, absolutely problem free

\$ 5,000

*Literature:* 'Награды Советских Республик'. Н. Стрекалов, И. Сысолятин. Москва, 2012. с. 133



2079 (75%)

- 2079 AzSSR Honorary Award Cigarette Case with document. 1941. Silver, hallmarked. Depicting Kremlin on one side, and an award legend on the other: 'To comrade Konenko G.M. from the Presidium of the Supreme Court of Azerb. SSR, 13/II/1941'. Comes with *very rare* cigarette case Award Certificate. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Case shows moderate wear, certificate is in poor shape

\$ 1,000





2080

**Pattern Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Armenia.** Type 1. Unnumbered. Silver. Screwback. Multi-piece construction Original silver nut. Pattern 1923 type, unpublished in all major references. C/C 03.02.00 (R5). Herf. unpublished. Kuts unpublished. Only 12 issued. *Excessively Rare* and important

*Condition:* Enamels are missing, rivets to hold front and back parts are broken, still good eye appeal and desirable

\$ 75,000

*Literature:* 'Награды Советских Республик'. Н. Стрекалов, И. Сысолятин. Москва, 2012. с. 159, 168-169



2081

**Armenian SSR. Silver Star of Armenia.**

1921. Badge. Silver. Unnumbered. Red and blue enamels. Screwback. C/C 03.05.00 (R4). Herf. 1.9. *Extremely Rare*, especially in such superb condition. Only 51 pcs. issued

*Condition:*

Superb for type, probably the best surviving specimen

\$ 70,000





2082



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2082

**Order of the Red Banner of Armenia** with document. Type 2. Award # 91.  
Silver. Red, white and blue enamels. Screwback. Quality multi-piece construction.  
Comes with small silver nut. C/C 03.04.00 (R3). Herf. 1.11, Kuts pp. 149-162.  
143 pieces issued. Comes with official Armenian ZIK Certificate (Gramota) of  
awarding, issued to Межлумян Г.П. on July 9, 1938. Rare especially with the  
document.

*Condition:*

Nice even patina over miniscule enamel chipping.  
Good vintage condition on document

\$ 50,000









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2083

**2083 Georgian SSR.** Complete Documented Group of NKVD Colonel, Interior Minister of Adzar SSR in 1938-39, Zakariya Vladimir Dzikievich (1895-1972).

Imperial Russia

- St. George Cross 4th Class (not part of the sale)
- St. George Cross 3rd Class (not part of the sale)

Georgian SSR

- Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Georgia. Type 2. Award # 137. Silver. Red, black and white enamels. Screwback. C/C 08.03.00 (R3). Herf. 1.14, Kuts pp. 243-257. Only about 200 issued for both types.
- Order's Book for the above Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Georgia (contains photo).

U.S.S.R.

- Order of Lenin. Award # 333035.
- Order of the Red Banner. Award # 153237.
- Order of the Red Star. Award # 1987757.
- 3 Order's Books, listing all of the above Orders.
- 8 Medal Certificates.
- Badge '15th Anniversary of the VChK-GPU' # 1566 (in silver).
- Badge '50th Anniversary of the VChK-KGB'.
- ID Booklet for the badge '50th Anniversary of the VChK-KGB'

*Condition:*

Excellent condition on all items \$ 80,000

*Literature:* 'Награды Советских Республик'. Н. Стрекалов, И. Сысолятин. Москва, 2012. с. 226-227

Закария Владимир Дзикович, (1895-1972). Участник Мировой войны, Галиция 1915-18. Кавалер Георгиевских крестов 3 и 4 степеней. Различные командные должности в ГПУ - НКВД - НКГБ - МГБ. Нарком Внутренних Дел Аджарской ССР (1938-39). Нач ОО НКВД 143 Особой бригады 406 стр. Дивизии (1942).



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2084



2084

**Order of the Red Banner of Trans-Caucasus.** Type 1. Unnumbered.  
Silver. Red and white enamels. Screwback. Quality multi-piece construction.  
Comes with silver numbered plate and small silver nut. C/C 07.01.01 (R2). Herf.  
1.25, Kuts pp. 341-355. Only 144 issued for both types. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Enamel shows reasonable wear, but fully intact.

Excellent eye appeal with old patina

\$ 50,000





2085



2085

Documented **Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Uzbekistan**. Type 1. Award #53. Silver. Red and white enamels. Screwback. Original silver screwback nut. Hallmarked on reverse. C/C 11.02.00 (R3). Herf 1.15. Kuts pp. 275-306. First type, issued in 1926. Only about 500 issued overall for both types, however, many type 1 orders were exchanged for type 2, introduced in 1930, as was required by law. Comes with Orders Book, awarded to Trayberg L.S. in October of 1929. The citation reads 'В ознаменование особых заслуг, и в честь 10-летия существования органов ВЧК-ОГПУ'. *Very Rare* documented first type

Condition:

Superficial chips on red enamel, perfect otherwise

\$ 30,000





- 2086 **Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Uzbekistan. Type 2. Award # 353.**  
Silver. Red and white enamels. Screwback. Original silver screwback nut.  
Hallmarked on reverse. C/C 11.02.04 (R1). Herf 1.16. Kuts pp. 275-306. Only  
about 500 issued overall for both types. *Rare*  
*Condition:* Perfect enamels and rich dark patina, problem free \$ 15,000



- 2087 **Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Turkmenistan. Award # 67.**  
Silver. Red, blue and white enamels. Screwback. Original silver hallmarked  
screwback nut. Hallmarked on obverse. C/C 10.01.01 (R3). Herf 1.17. Kuts pp.  
309-324. Only about 250 issued. *Extremely Rare*

Орденем Трудового Красного Знамени ТССР # 67 награжден мото-механизированный сводный отряд дивизии ОГПУ.

- Condition:* A few tiny enamel chips, superb otherwise with minimal wear and  
crisp details \$ 45,000





2088 **Uzbekistan ZIK. 'Land and Water Reform'. Badge. 1927. Silver. Unnumbered.** Pinback. A massive badge made to resemble the Star of Bukhara in design. Comes with related Award Certificate (Gramota), issued to Берди Атаханов on February 15, 1927, and over 20 other documents, all in a large red folio. *Extremely Rare and unique completeness*

*Condition:*

Pin is partially broken, otherwise well preserved

\$ 35,000

*Literature:* 'Награды Советских Республик'. Н. Стрекалов, И. Сысолятин. Москва, 2012. с. 296

Знак учрежден в 1927 г. При разработке внешнего вида знака за основу был взят уже существующий орден Красной Звезды Бухарской НСР, которая вошла в состав УзбССР. Поэтому их сходство не случайно.



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2089



2089

**Order of Labor of Khorasm People's Soviet Republic.** Type 2. Unnumbered. Silver, with all silver parts. Screwback. Crude cast manufacture, typical for type. Comes with silver screwback nut. C/C 13.04.02 (R3). Herf 1.22. Kuts pp. 218-230. Center banner of this type has 2 lines legend, stating 'Khorasm Soviet Republic'. Only about 50 issued across all 4 types. *Extremely Rare*

*Condition:*

Problem free \$ 30,000





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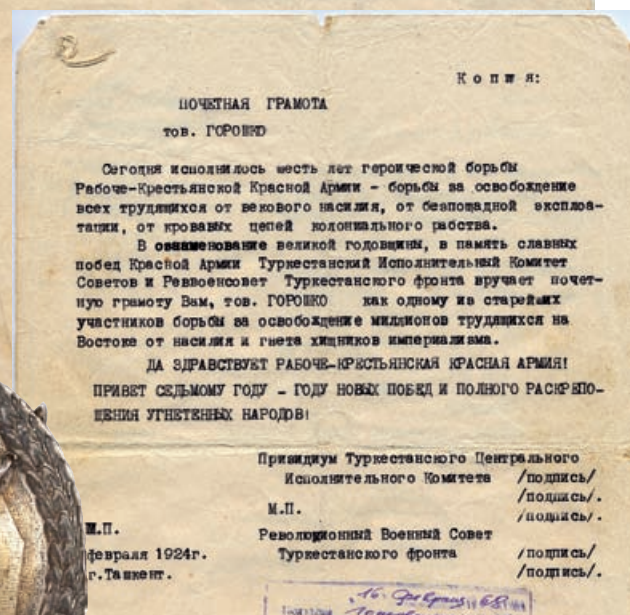
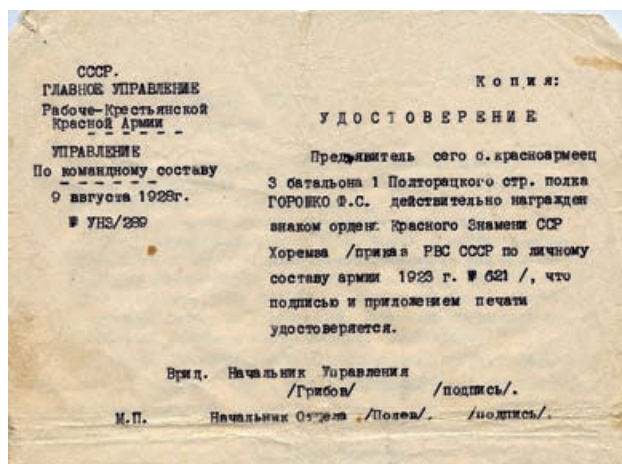
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**Order of Labor of Khorasm People's Soviet Republic.** Type 4. Unnumbered. Silver and blue enamels. Screwback. Comes with original silver screwback nut. C/C 13.04.04 (R5). Herf 1.22. Kuts pp. 218-230. Center banner of this type has 1 line legend. Only 2 or 3 specimens are known, the present one and another in the GIM collection. A special award for top members of the Soviet Government. The only award received by V.I. Lenin. Practically *unique* and of the highest importance

*Condition:*

Excellent and problem free \$ 150,000

*Literature:* 'Награды Советских Республик'. Н. Стрекалов, И. Сысолятин. Москва, 2012. с. 324, front cover



2091 **Order of the Red Banner of Khorosm** with document. Unnumbered. Silver. Red enamels. Screwback. Original silver screwback nut. C/C 13.02.00 (R3). Herf 1.21. Kuts pp. 193-216. Only about 60 issued. Comes with 1928 identification document, which confirms that Red Army private Goroshko F.S. was in fact awarded with the order of Red Banner of Khorosm SSR (decree # 621, 1923). Also comes with official stamped copy of the Award Certificate (Gramota), issued to comrade Goroshko in Feb. 1924 by Turkestan Supreme Committee, in commemoration of the 6th Anniversary of the Red Army. It is mentioned that he is one of the oldest participants of struggle for liberating millions of eastern people from their usurpers. *Excessively Rare*, even more so when named and documented.

Орденом Красного Знамени ССР Хорезма награжден красноармеец 3 батальона 1 Полторацкого стрелкового полка Горошко Ф.С. Приказ РВС СССР по личному составу армии 1923г. номер 621. Официальная копия удостоверения прилагается. Также, прилагается официальная копия грамоты от Туркестанского Центрального Исполнительного Комитета, выданная товарищу Горошко в ознаменование 6-ой годовщины Красной Армии.

*Condition:* Enamel chipping, some gold-plating still visible under old patina. Superb eye appeal \$ 60,000





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2092

2092

**Order of the Red Banner of Labor of Khoresm.** Unnumbered.  
Silver. Red enamels. Screwback. Original silver screwback nut. C/C 13.05.00 (R3).  
Herf 1.23. Kuts pp. 218-230. Only about 50 issued. *Excessively Rare*

*Condition:*

Enamel chipping, some enamel restoration on star,  
otherwise problem free

\$ 50,000



2093

Documented **Order of the Red Star of Bukhara**, 3rd Class. Unnumbered. Silver. Red and cyan enamels. Medal-like construction, with loop and original connecting ring. C/C 05.04.03 (R1). Herf 1.24.3. Kuts pp. 163-192. Comes with Military ID (contains photo) and 4 photographs (2 of them with recipient wearing this decoration). Awarded in 1926 to Velikanov A.A., by Central Committee Decree # 502 (military ID, page 12). Comrade Velikanov was a career officer, who started his service in June of 1918, and retired in 1946, holding the rank of Major. Extremely rare decoration, especially when named and documented

*Condition:*

Minor enamel chipping, much better than usual

\$ 10,000





2094 (75%)



- 2094 Documented group with **Order of the Red Star of Bukhara**, 3rd Class. Unnumbered. Silver. Red and cyan enamels. Medal-like construction, with loop. C/C 05.04.03

(R1). Herf 1.24.3. Kuts pp. 163-192. Awarded to comrade Filimonihin Yakov Antonovich.

Beside the Order of the Red Star of Bukhara, the group comes with:

- Order of Lenin # 26713.
- Order of Patriotic War 2nd class # 167889.
- Medal 'For Combat Service' # 884506.
- Order's Book, listing all of the above Orders, including rare entry for Red Star of BHCP 3rd class (contains nice pre-war photo in uniform with Type 1 RKKA medal). Privileges authorized from Jan. 1934. 2 additional orders of Red Banner listed in the book are missing.
- Order of the Red Star # 3654152.
- Order's Book for the above Red Star.
- ID Booklet 'For the 20th Anniversary of RKKA' medal (contains photo).

*Very rare* decoration, especially when part of a fully documented group.

*Condition:* Loop repaired, minor enamel chipping, still very desirable as part of the group. Other items are in excellent and problem free condition. \$ 12,500



2095

2095 **Order of the Red Star of Bukhara, 3rd Class. Unnumbered.**  
Silver. Red and blue enamels. Medal-like construction, with loop. C/C 05.04.03  
(R1). Herf 1.24.3. Kuts pp. 163-192. *Extremely Rare blue-enamel variety*

*Condition:* Once cleaned, otherwise unusually well preserved \$ 15,000



2096

2096 **Bukharan People's Soviet Republic. Revolutionary Badge. Unnumbered.**  
Bronze. Screwback. Multi-color enamels. 43mm diameter. Chaghatai legend in Arabic script around crescent and inside the red star. Russian legend 'Б.Н.С.Р. Красному Воину 1922' (People's Republic of Bukhara to Red Soldier 1922). One of the earliest examples of local Soviet awards for struggles against the basmachi. C/C 05.06.00 (R2). Of the highest historical significance. *Rare*

*Condition:* The usual crude enamels, screw repair on reverse, still, good overall eye appeal \$ 10,000





2097

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**Order of the the Red Banner of TUVA.** Type 1. Award # 160.

Silver. Red and blue enamels. Screwback. Quality Soviet mint construction with 'МОНДВОР' mintmark on reverse. Comes with silver screwback nut. C/C 09.01.03 (R3). Herf 1.29. Kuts pp. 357-376. Only about 85 issued. *Extremely Rare*

*Condition:*

Unusually well preserved gold-plating, almost flawless enamels, highly collectable in such condition

\$ 50,000



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**Order of Labor of TUVA.** Award # 35.

Silver. Red and white enamels. Screwback. Original silver screwback nut. Quality Soviet mint construction with 'МОНЕТНЫЙ ДВОР' mintmark on reverse. C/C 09.03.01 (R2). Herf 1.31. Kuts pp. 377-390. Only about 200 issued. *Very Rare*

*Condition:*

The screw is slightly bent, test cut on reverse, enamel restored on top of the banner, none detracts from overall great eye appeal

\$ 12,500



2099

2099

**Trans-Caucasian SFSR.** Silver award watch.

Silver watch by 'H. Moser and C', numbered and triple signed. Enamel dial. Comes with vest chain. The inscription inside the lid says: 'Тов. Махову К.И. от коллегии ЗакГПУ, за отличные действия в борьбе с вооруженной контрабандой. (пр. ЗакГПУ N 306-28г.)'. *Extremely Rare* award watch of the Republican GPU (Main Political Headquarters).

*Condition:*

Dial has chip at 5 o'clock, otherwise excellent vintage condition.

Mechanism is fully functional and keeps good time

\$ 1,000

### East Turkestan Republic



2100

2101

2100

**Order of Independence. 1945. Second Class.** Silver and enamel. 42 mm (star point to point). Yellow-enameled crescent left with a high-relief star within a pale turquoise enameled central circle – Arms of the Second Republic, high-relief raised rays of star around / Incuse Turkic legend in Turkic-Arabic script: *al-Istaqlaliyat awachun korehsh* ('For the freedom achieved by battle'), number '17' stamped above and award date '1945' stamped below. Suspended from a forest-green woven cloth wrapped hanger with two silver bars.

*Condition:*

Cloth loss on hangar, minor enamel loss on high-points.

Extremely fine

\$ 1,000

2101

**Medal for Unselfishness. 1945.** Silver. 33 mm (not including integral loop). Arms of the Second Republic: Crescent left with a high-relief star within the arc, above in Turkic-Arabic script *Feda'iy*, date 1945 below / The number '47' above the stamped date '1945'. Suspended from a forest-green woven cloth wrapped hanger with two silver bars.

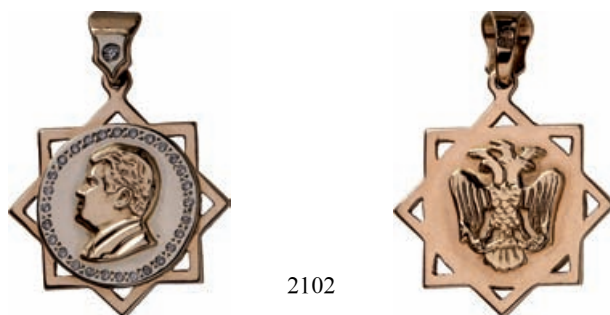
*Condition:*

Spot of rust on ribbon bar. Extremely fine

\$ 1,000



## TURKMENISTAN



2102

- 2102 Turkmenistan. Unidentified **Presidential 'Turkmenbashi' Award**. Gold, set with diamonds around. 30 mm. 18.56 gm. Marked '585' (14k) and 'TA' on the cinch. Central medallion, eight-pointed star behind. Bust of President Saparmurat Niyazov (1990-2006) left, ring of diamonds around / Five-headed eagle taken from the Presidential Flag. On integral loop suspended from cinch. Apparently the first time offered on the market.

*The five-headed eagle from the Presidential Flag was inspired by the two-headed eagle of the Samanid rulers of Transoxiana of the 9th-10th Century.*

*Condition:*

Near mint

\$ 1,500



2103

- 2103 Turkmenistan. **Order of Neutrality of Independent Turkmenistan – Bitaraplyg Ordeni**. GOLD. 40 mm. 42.85 gm. Marked 'RIGA' and 'InSE' on cinch. Bust of President Saparmurat Niyazov (1990-2006) left within wreath, presidential legend around / Five-headed eagle taken from the Presidential Flag, legend around: *Garassyz Türkmenistanyň Bitaraplygynyň sanyna*. On integral bar loop suspended from cinch. Awarded on a gold chain (not part of the sale!). Awarded for great contributions to the neutrality of Turkmenistan and achievements in science, economics and other fields. *Extremely rare* and only a handful issued. Apparently the first time offered on the market.

*Condition:*

Mint

\$ 3,000



2104

- 2104 Turkmenistan. Political **Party Membership Badge**. Sterling Silver. 23mm. Pinback. Bust of President Saparmurat Niyazov (1990-2006) left, legend around.

*Condition:*

Mint

\$ 250



- 2105 **Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR. Type 1. Award # 12151.**  
 Screwback. Variation 2. Comes with original silver numbered screwback nut.  
*Condition:* Superficial enamel chipping, almost unnoticeable to the naked eye, otherwise excellent and unusually well preserved overall. *Rare* such \$ 5,000



- 2106 **Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR. Type 2, 'DUPLICATE'. Award # 13057.**  
 Screwback. Type with 'МОДЕЛЬ' mintmark on reverse. Original silver screwback nut. Official duplicate for Red Banner of RSFSR Type 1, manufactured in 1940-1943 (less than 200 pieces were made in total of this variation). C/C 01.07.04 (R3). *Extremely Rare*  
*Condition:* Was most likely worn on suspension at some point, and later restored to original shape. Enamel redone. Still, great eye appeal and very desirable \$ 20,000



# ORDERS OF THE USSR



2107



Указ Президиума Верховного Совета СССР  
О награждении орденами и медалями  
работников Карагандастроля НКВД  
За успешное выполнение задания Правительства по строительству  
угольного разреза в Карагандинском бассейне наградить:  
**ОРДЕНОМ ТРУДОВОГО КРАСНОГО ЗНАМЕНИ**  
Рубенчик Павла Абрамовича - заместителя начальника строительства.  
9 апреля 1944г.

Group comes with:

Order of the Red Banner # 1397 (official replacement for Red Banner of RSFSR, issued in 1930, done on unnumbered specimen). Very Rare.

Order of the Red Banner 2nd Award # 7340.

Order of the Red Banner of Labor # 27358 (Rare variation without a mintmark!).

Order of the Badge of Honor # 36995 (early flat-back type, immediately following the screwback version).

Order's Book, listing all four of the above Orders (contains nice pre-war photo in uniform with original RSFSR Red Banner and Type 1 RKKA medal).

Medal 'For 20th Anniversary of RKKA'. Type 2, converted to 5-sided suspension, according to regulations change of 1943.

ID Booklet 'For 20th Anniversary of RKKA' medal. Shows that in 1938 the recipient was the rank of NKVD Captain.

*Condition:*

Mint condition all items

\$ 5,000

### ***Documented Group of Hero of the Soviet Union and U.S. Distinguished Flying Cross***

**Завадский Владимир Георгиевич** - заместитель командира эскадрильи 511-го отдельного разведывательного Ясского авиационного полка (5-я воздушная армия, 2-й Украинский фронт), старший лейтенант. Родился 13 января 1919 года в дер. Черкасско Оршанского рай. Витебской области (Республика Беларусь) в семье рабочего. Белорус. Образование среднее. Работал в мастерской железнодорожной станции Орша. Призван в армию в октябре 1939 года Оршанским горвоенкоматом. В 1940 году окончил Энгельсское военное авиационное училище лётчиков. Служил младшим лётчиком-наблюдателем, летал на бомбардировщике СБ в 39-м ближне-бомбардировочном полку 10-й смешанной авиадивизии Западного особого военного округа (ЗОВО). Член ВКП(б) с 1940 года. В войне в действующей армии с первого дня. 22 июня 1941 года аэродром 39-го ббап, располагавшийся в районе города Пинск, подвергся нападению вражеской авиации, в результате чего полк потерял 5 Пе-2 и 43 СБ, в том числе сгорел и самолёт Завадского. 18 успешных подняться самолётов атаковали немецкие танки, переправившиеся через Западный Буг, но на обратном пути все были сбиты. Младшему лейтенанту Завадскому вместе с потерявшим всю матчасть полком пришлось эвакуироваться на восток, где в Подмоскovie в городе Ногинск полк в срочном порядке стал перевооружаться на самолёты Пе-2 и Пе-3. До ноября 1941 года лётчики выполняли полётные задания по охране дорог, по которым производилась эвакуация из Москвы, проводили подготовку к параду 7 ноября 1941 года с базированием на аэродроме в Щёлково. В это время Завадскому было присвоено звание лейтенанта. С ноября 1941 года лейтенант Завадский воевал на Западном фронте. Участвовал в обороне Москвы, главным образом выполняя разведывательные боевые вылеты в район Истры и Звенигорода, а во время контрнаступления под Москвой. Именно он заснял на фотоплёнку наибольшее количество фактов передвижения вражеских войск по Варшавскому шоссе. За отличные результаты в боевой работе в январе 1942 года лейтенант Завадский был награждён орденом Красного Знамени. В январе-марте 1942 года полк, преобразованный из двух полков в 511-й ближнебомбардировочный, выполнял разведывательные задания, базируясь на аэродроме Кубинка. Перед началом и в ходе 1-й Ржевско-Сычёвской операции лейтенант Завадский произвёл большое количество фотоснимков вражеской обороны в районе Юхнова, а также дислокации резервов противника в Гжатске и Сычёвке. Летал также на разведку интенсивности передвижения врага по Смоленскому шоссе, железнодорожных узлов Вязьма, Смоленск, Брянск, важнейшего аэродрома противника Сеща, с которого производились налёты на Москву и другие объекты на нашей территории. За отличие в этих боевых вылетах лейтенант Завадский был награждён медалью «За отвагу». В конце марта 1942 года полк, потерявший во время боевых действий большое количество самолётов, был отправлен в тыл, в 15-й отдельный разведывательный запасной авиационный полк, на переформирование и переподготовку лётного состава. В июне 1943 года полк, укомплектованный новыми самолётами Пе-2, получил наименование 511-го отдельного разведывательного авиационного полка и был отправлен на Степной фронт. В составе Степного (с 20 октября 1943 года - 2-го Украинского) фронта в 5-й воздушной армии В.Г.Завадский сражался до конца войны. Будучи воздушным разведчиком, обеспечивал доставку командованию разведывательных данных при подготовке и проведении Белгородско-Харьковской стратегической наступательной операции (3-23 августа 1943 года), битвы за Днепр (25 августа - 23 декабря 1943 года), Кировоградской (5-16 января 1944 года), Корсунь-Шевченковской (24 января - 17 февраля 1944 года), Яско-Кишиневской (20-29 августа 1944 года) стратегической наступательных операциях. К 1 апреля 1944 года совершил 115 боевых вылетов на разведку противника, в том числе в его глубокий тыл, сфотографировал военные объекты на площади в 10 738 квадратных километров. Указом Президиума Верховного Совета СССР от 26 октября 1944 года за образцовое выполнение заданий командования, мужество и героизм, проявленные при выполнении разведывательных полётов, Завадскому В.Г. присвоено звание Героя Советского Союза. Во второй половине 1944 и в 1945 году старший лейтенант Завадский участвовал в операциях по освобождению Венгрии, Австрии и Чехословакии: Дебреценской (6 - 28 октября 1944 года), Будапештской (29 октября 1944 - 13 февраля 1945 года), Венской (16 марта - 15 апреля) и Пражской (6 - 11 мая). Дважды Завадский был сбит и горел в самолёте - в сентябре 1943 года при освобождении города Полтава и в апреле 1944 года во время фотографирования вражеской обороны в районе города Яссы. В марте-апреле 1945 года совершил несколько разведывательных вылетов в Австрийские Альпы на обнаружение строительства стартовых установок германского тайного оружия - снарядов ФАУ. Вёл разведку австрийской и чешской территорий, занятой американскими войсками, впоследствии был награждён боевым американским орденом. Всего за войну совершил 230 боевых вылетов и закончил свой боевой путь в Чехословакии. После войны продолжал службу в родном 511-м отдельном разведывательном авиаполку в Одесском военном округе (ОдВО) (аэродром Буялык севернее Одессы) на должности командира эскадрильи и заместителя командира полка. В 1954 году участвовал в широкомасштабных учениях с применением ядерного оружия на Тоцком полигоне в Оренбургской области, где получил неопасную дозу облучения. Последние полгода провёл на штабной работе-экономический институт. Жил в городе Первомайск Николаевской области (Украина). Скончался 20 июня 1992 года. Похоронен в Первомайске.





# ГЕРОЮ СОВЕТСКОГО СОЮЗА

Тов. *Завадскому*  
*Владимиру Георгиевичу*

А ВАШ ГЕРОЙСКИЙ ПОДВИГ, проявленный при выполнении боевых заданий командования на фронте борьбы с немецкими захватчиками, ПРЕЗИДИУМ ВЕРХОВНОГО СОВЕТА СССР СВОИМ УКАЗОМ от 26 октября 1944г. ПРИСВОИЛ ВАМ звание ГЕРОЯ СОВЕТСКОГО СОЮЗА

ПРЕДСЕДАТЕЛЬ ПРЕЗИДИУМА ВЕРХОВНОГО СОВЕТА СССР  
СЕКРЕТАРЬ ПРЕЗИДИУМА ВЕРХОВНОГО СОВЕТА СССР

Москва—Кремль, 30 ноября 1944г.

*Минин*  
*А. Горюхи*





- 2108 Documented Group of Hero of the Soviet Union and U.S. Distinguished Flying Cross recipient Guards Major Zavadsky Vladimir Georgievich. Title of the Hero of the Soviet Union was bestowed upon Zavadsky V.G. by decree of Oct. 26, 1944, for sustained heroism during 115 missions as a reconnaissance pilot, flying behind enemy lines.

Group comes with:

Gold Star Medal of Hero of the Soviet Union # 2534.

Order of Lenin # 16800

Order of the Red Banner # 8173 (Screwback. Rare type 2 order with re-used serial number from type 1 'mirror' reverse one).

Order of Alexander Nevsky # 40234.

Order of the Patriotic War 1st Class # 30362.

U.S. Distinguished Flying Cross for combat piloting service # 0123431 (U.S. Military Mission, Moscow, General Order # 7, June 15, 1944). Comes with ribbon and miniature pin, in the case of issue.

Combat Service Medal, unnumbered, awarded in 1951, presumably for service in the Korean War.

Defense of Moscow medal.

Capture of Budapest medal.

Capture of Vienna medal.

Victory over Germany medal.

Guards badge.

Large Certificate for the title of 'Hero of the Soviet Union'.

Small Certificate for the title of 'Hero of the Soviet Union', contains photo.

Full research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including full biography, military record (contains photo), award cards and citations.

Xerox copy of biography of Major Zavadsky from the encyclopedia 'Heroes of the Soviet Union', contains photo.

Only a handful of Soviet airmen were ever awarded with the Distinguished Flying Cross! Zavadsky's citation reads: 'For extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight. During the operations against the Warsaw-Odessa rail communications and the Uman offensive, Lieutenant Zavadsky excellently fulfilled flights protecting the Stormoviks, successfully staffing enemy troops, and making valuable reconnaissance in the front lines and in the rear of the enemy.'

*Very Rare* HSU group with one of the highest U.S. aerial awards!

*Condition:*

Minor chipping on Red Banner, otherwise, excellent vintage condition on all items

\$ 25,000





2109

Complete Documented Group of NKVD

high ranking officer

Dorozhko Timofey Petrovich

Group comes with:

Order of Lenin # 50100.

Order of the Red Banner # 255630.

Order of the Red Star # 1654405.

Order's Book, listing all three of the above Orders.

Medal 'For 20th Anniversary of RKKA'. Type 2, converted to 5-sided suspension, according to regulations change of 1943.

ID Booklet for the 'For 20th Anniversary of RKKA' medal. Shows that in 1938 the recipient was the rank of NKVD Captain.

Medals 'For Victory over Germany', and '30th Anniversary of Soviet Army and Navy', on the 5-piece brass suspension, together with the Orders of Lenin and the Red Banner, and the Medal for '20th Anniversary of RKKA'.

Badge '15th Anniversary of the VChK-GPU' # 646 (in silver).

ID Booklet for Badge '15th Anniversary of the VChK-GPU', with matching badge number listed.

Statute Booklet, accompanying the Badge '15th Anniversary of the VChK-GPU'.

Condition:

Excellent condition on all items, unusually fine NKVD badge

\$ 8,000





2110



2110



- 2110 **Order of the Red Banner.** Type 1. Award # 8640. Screwback.  
First type, with 'mirror' reverse. Original unique silver nut. Most likely, the Winter Finnish War award.

*Condition:* Some enamel chipping, the nut has a loop added by a veteran, for wear on suspension, in order to comply with regulations \$ 1,500



- 2111 Researched **Order of the Red Banner** with document. Type 2. Award # 19366.  
Scarce Type 2 order, with serial number from Type 1 'mirror reverse' range. Comes with Orders Book (includes photo). Awarded to NKVD Colonel Tel'nij Maksim Ivanovich by decree of March 27, 1942 (other awards listed in the Orders Book are missing). Comes with copies of official research from Ministry of Defense of Russian Federation, including citation and decree for this order. Brigade Commissar Tel'nij was previously awarded with Order of Red Banner of Labor of Uzbekistan, honorary weapon of Turkmenistan, and 'Honorary Employee of NKVD' badge. Rare variation award to highly decorated career NKVD officer.

Орденом Боевого Красного Знамени # 19366 награжден бригадный комиссар Тельный Максим Иванович, указ от 27 марта 1942г. На скромной фотографии в орденской книжке на груди полковника Тельного орденские планки и знак 'почетный чекист'. Однако, из архивных бумаг видно, что М.И. Тельный начал свою карьеру в Красной Армии в 1924г., участвовал в боях против басмачей в Средней Азии в 1927-1935гг., и был награжден орденом Трудового Красного Знамени Узбекской ССР и почетным оружием Туркменской ССР (копии архивных бумаг прилагаются).

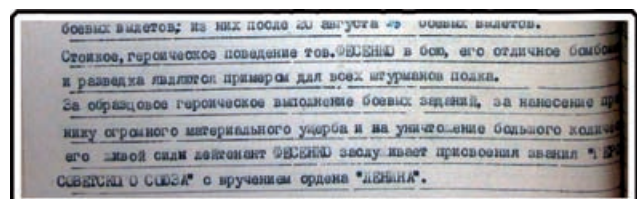
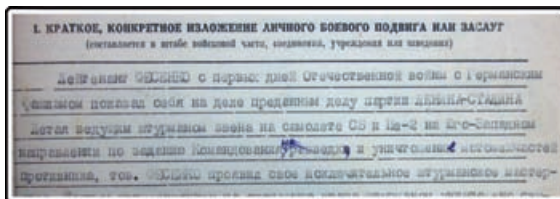
На момент награждения данным орденом Боевого Красного Знамени занимал должность Военкома войск НКВД по охране и обороне тыла Юго-Западного фронта.

*Condition:* Apparently converted to suspension at some point, then restored back to original shape, the screw is a replacement. Excellent enamels, gold-plating is almost intact under heavy patina \$ 2,000





2112



- 2112 Researched **Order of the Red Banner**. Type 2. Award # 33323. Screwback. Original silver screwback nut. Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including award card, citation and decree for this order. Awarded to Lieutenant Fesenko I.E., pilot-navigator and wing commander, by decree of 04/14/1942, for extremely sharp bombing and successful reconnaissance missions, which resulted in incurring heavy losses to enemy. Lieutenant Fesenko was originally submitted for Title of Hero of the Soviet Union, but downgraded by his superior commanders to this order of the Red Banner

Орденом Боевого Красного Знамени # 33323 награжден лейтенант Фесенко Иван Ефимович, указ от 14 апреля 1942г. Лейтенант Фесенко (ведущий штурман звена на СБ и Пе-2, Юго-Западный фронт), проявил исключительное штурманское мастерство, и нанес огромный ущерб противнику своим точным бомбометанием. На его счету свыше 15-20 танков, 6 самолетов противника, уничтоженных на земле, и множество автомашин, цистерн с горючим, и т.д. Также, тов. Фесенко неоднократно добывал ценные развед. данные о противнике. Его героическое поведение является примером для всех штурманов полка. Неоднократно отмечен благодарностями командования. Заслуживает присвоения звания 'Герой Советского Союза' с вручением ордена "Ленина".  
Представление было заменено на орден Боевого Красного Знамени. (копии архивных бумаг прилагаются).

*Condition:* Old enamel chipping, but without any conversions or restorations \$ 1,000



2113

- 2113 **Order of the Red Banner**. Type 2. Award # 67498. Screwback. 1943 issue.

*Condition:* Excellent condition with only superficial flaking on red enamel \$ 1,250



2114

- 2114 **Order of the Red Banner.** Type 3, 'REISSUE' for Type 2. Award # 42268. Official replacement for type 2 'screwback' order. Scarce.

*Condition:* Minor enamel chipping on one arm of the center star, excellent otherwise \$ 500



2115

- 2115 **Order of the Red Banner** with document. Type 3. Award # 166372. Comes with Orders Book (contains photo). Awarded to Soloveichik Ilya Israelevich.

*Condition:* Mint condition with full gilt \$ 400



2116



2117

- 2116 **Order of the Red Banner 2nd Award.** Type 4. Award # 7365. Moscow Mint, 1945 issue. Original silver connecting ring uncut. Str 4.2.1.

*Condition:* Problem free with full gold-plating remaining under heavy patina \$ 1,000

- 2117 **Order of the Red Banner 2nd Award.** Type 5. Award # 24193. Leningrad Mint, 1951 issue. Original silver connecting ring uncut. Str 5.2.

*Condition:* Excellent condition with full gold-plating \$ 1,000





- 2118 **Order of the Red Banner 3rd Award.** Type 4. Award # 1272.  
Krasnokamsk Mint, 1944 issue. Original silver connecting ring uncut. Str 4.1.1.  
*Condition:* Minor enamel chipping on banner, excellent otherwise \$ 2,500
- 2119 **Order of the Red Banner 3rd Award.** Type 4. Award # 2490.  
Krasnokamsk Mint, 1944 issue. Original silver connecting ring uncut. Str 4.2.4.  
*Condition:* Minor enamel chipping on banner, repaired enamel on the star arms. *very scarce* variation \$ 2,000
- 2120 **Order of the Red Banner 3rd Award.** Type 3. Award # 7630.  
1951-1954 Moscow Mint issue. Original silver connecting ring uncut.  
*Condition:* Practically perfect with only tiny chipping \$ 2,000



- 2121 **Marshal of the USSR K. Rokossovsky Awards Ribbon Bar.**  
Original. Signed K.Rokossovsky on the reverse. *Extremely Rare.*  
*Condition:* Shows minor wear, problem free \$ 2,000



- 2122 **Researched Order of Suvorov 1st Class. Type 2. Award # 459.**  
Screwback. Platinum and gold, with multi-color enamels. Original silver screwback nut. Comes with award decree and award card, listing the number and the recipient. *Extremely Rare* top military award to a foreigner!

Орденом Суворова 1-й степени # 459 награжден командующий Военно-воздушными силами Румынии Эммануил Ионашку.

Эммануил Ионашку (рум. Emanoil Ionescu, 1893—1949) — румынский авиационный командующий в годы Второй мировой войны.

В 1938—1939 годах возглавлял находящуюся в Бухаресте военно-авиационную школу «Aurel Vlaicu» (названа в честь первого румынского авиатора).

В 1941—1944 годах командовал 1-м румынским авиакорпусом на советско-германском фронте. 10 мая 1944 награждён Германией Рыцарским крестом Железного креста.

23 августа 1944 по приказу короля Михая арестовал главу государства Иона Антонеску (тоже кавалера Рыцарского креста).

С 18 сентября 1944 года по 11 марта 1945 года возглавлял Военно-воздушные силы Румынии. С 1 августа 1945 года стал заместителем секретаря Министерства авиации Румынии. 9 августа 1945 награждён советским орденом Суворова 1 степени.

После прихода в Румынии к власти коммунистов был арестован, приговорен народным судом к смертной казни и казнён 13 июля 1949г.

*Condition:*

Perfect enamels, problem free. A choice example \$ 125,000





2123

**Researched Order of Suvorov 2nd Class. Type 2. Award # 2174.**

Screwback. Gold and silver, with red enamels. Original silver screwback nut. Comes with Certificate of Authenticity from Paul McDaniel (highest 9 out of 10 condition rating). Also, comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including award cards, military records (include photo), citations and decrees. Awarded to Major-General Zaitsev G.M. in Feb. of 1943. According to the research, comrade Zaitsev was a career officer, who started his service in the Czar's Imperial Army in 1915, joined the Red Army in October of 1918, and received the Order of the Red Banner of RSFSR (numbered 5939) in 1921. At the first stages of WWII, Colonel Zaitsev had luck on his side, and by 1942 was already commanding the 127th Rifle Division. Promoted to Major-General in January 1943. However, sometime in March 1943, he went missing-in-action. As it was later discovered, he was wounded and taken prisoner by the Germans. After 2 years of being a POW, he was finally liberated by American troops in April 1945, underwent a NKVD check-up, and was returned to service, Retired in 1955, died in 1961.

Орденом Суворова 2-й степени # 2174 награжден генерал-майор Зайцев Георгий Михайлович (1895 – 1961).

Генерал Зайцев начал свою службу в царской армии в 1915г, дослужился до чина подпоручика, в октябре 1918г. перешел на сторону Красной Армии. В 1921г. награжден орденом Боевого Красного Знамени РСФСР (за номером 5939). В 1936г. полковник. К началу Великой Отечественной войны начальник оперативного отдела штаба 22-й армии. В 1942г. получил в командование 127-ю стрелковую дивизию, в январе 1943г. повышен в звании до генерал-майора.

В марте 1943г., будучи раненым, попадает в плен к немцам. Содержится в лагере для военнопленных в крепости Вайсенбург, откуда и освобожден союзниками в апреле 1945г. После проверки в лагере НКВД признан годным с службе, и направлен в распоряжение ГУК НКО. Уволен в отставку в 1955, умер в 1961г.

*Condition:*

Close to mint condition with old dark patina. Superb

\$ 20,000



2124



2124

**Order of Suvorov 3rd Class** with document. Type 1. Award # 266.

Early first type award, on suspension and with stick-pin. Original suspension and nut. Comes with Orders Book, issued to Gusev I.A. The Orders Book lists 5 other orders, including B.Khmelnitsky 3rd Class, which are all missing. Privileges authorized from 08/1943, this Order of Suvorov is the second received award. Great research opportunity. *Extremely Rare* and elusive in such condition, especially documented!

*Condition:* All original parts, including suspension and nut. Uncut connecting ring. Very minor enamel chipping inside legend

\$ 20,000





2125



2125 **Order of Suvorov 3rd Class. Type 2. Award # 10123.**  
Screwback. Original silver nut.

*Condition:* Extremely fine, with only minor traces of wear on high points \$ 5,000



2126

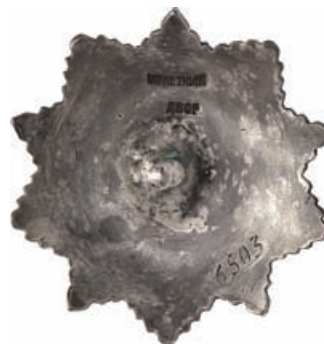


2126 **Order of Kutuzov 2nd Class. Type 2. Award # 2668.**  
Screwback. Variation with 5 rivets. Original silver nut.

*Condition:* Excellent and problem free \$ 12,500



2127



2127 **Order of Kutuzov 3rd Class. Type 2. Award # 6503.**  
Screwback. Silver. Original silver nut. *Rare* variation with mintmark on top.

*Condition:* Possible screw repair, good very fine under dark patina, with excellent eye appeal \$ 5,000



- 2128 Researched **Order of Nakhimov 2nd Class**. Type 1. Award # 190. Silver and red enamels. Original silver nut. Comes with Certificate of Authenticity from Paul McDaniel (highest 9 out of 10 condition rating). Awarded to Lieutenant-Colonel Beketov B.V, 166th Artillery Division commander (Caucasus navy defense, Black Sea Fleet). Comes with partial research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation. *Rare* order, especially to a legendary artillery officer.

Орденом Нахимова 2-й степени # 190 награжден подполковник Бекетов Б.В., командир 166-го артиллерийского дивизиона Кавказского морского оборонительного района ЧФ. Приказ КЧФ от 22.02.1946. Спахов С. Ф., Степанов М. Е. — Крейсер «Коминтерн» 'В боях за Туапсе' Для усиления обороны с суши, моря и воздуха было принято решение использовать артиллерию поврежденного крейсера «Коминтерн». Из снятых с него орудий сформировали четыре 130-мм, одну 76,2-мм и одну 45-мм артбатареи. Они были установлены северо-восточнее Туапсе и на побережье. Все они вошли в состав вновь сформированного 167-го отдельного артиллерийского дивизиона. Кроме того, из снятой с крейсера артиллерии были установлены на побережье еще две 130-мм батареи: 746-я в районе поселка Шапси и 747-я в районе села Небуг. Обе они вошли в состав 166-го отдельного артдивизиона (командир майор Б. В. Бекетов). Это было существенным дополнением к тем береговым артиллерийским батареям, которыми располагала Туапсинская военно-морская база, способствовало успеху обороны города и в последующем разгрому немецко-фашистских войск.

*Condition:* Extremely fine, with only one minor superficial enamel chipping, old medium patina \$ 40,000





2129 Researched **Order of B.Khmelnitsky 1st Class**. Type 1. Award # 21.  
Gold and silver. Original silver nut. Awarded to Major-General Andreev V.I., in May of 1944, for excellence in organizing partisan detachments in Czechoslovakia.

Орденом Б. Хмельницкого 1-й степени # 21 награжден генерал-майор Андреев Василий Иванович (1906 - 1974).

Участник ВОВ с 1941г. Из окружения попал в партизанский отряд им. Щорса. С 1942г. полковой комиссар зам. командира объединенных отрядов. Первый командир молдавского партизанского соединения численностью 2200 чел. С 1944г. генерал-майор, начальник штаба партизанских отрядов Украины.

.....Так сложилось, что на заключительном этапе второй мировой войны действующим остался только Украинский штаб партизанского движения (все другие были расформированы). Его начальником назначают В.А.Андреева, человека опытного, обладающего организаторскими способностями, с оперативным мышлением. Находился штаб при военном Совете IV Украинского фронта. В те напряженные дни накануне словацкого восстания секретарь ПЧК Клемент Готвальд обратился к руководству СССР с просьбой оказать помощь опытными командирами партизанского движения, минерами, радистами, а также оружием и боеприпасами. И помощь была оказана: за короткий срок было направлено самолетами 20 групп из лучших специалистов соединения В.А.Андреева.....

Condition: Excellent condition, with only some minor wear on medallion \$ 90,000



- 2130 Researched **Order of B.Khmelnytsky 2nd Class**. Type 1. Award # 1624. Silver. Comes with copies of official research from Ministry of Defense of Russian Federation, including military record, award card, citation and decree for this order (contain photo). Awarded to Guards Colonel Ryabov A.P, 25th Division political commander. According to archival research, comrade Ryabov was a career officer, who started his service in 1926. He was obviously an exemplary soldier, since, remarkably, he was awarded with a total of ten (!) orders, including Order of Lenin and five (!) Orders of the Red Banner. Retired in 1953.

Орденом Б. Хмельницкого 2-й степени # 1624 награжден гвардии полковник Рябов Аркадий Павлович, начальник политотдела 25-й гвардейской механизированной дивизии. Указ от 28.04.1945. Начал военную карьеру в 1926г. красноармейцем. По архивным данным, награжден десятью орденами (!), в том числе орденом Ленина, и пятью (!) орденам Красного Знамени. Уволен в запас в 1953.

Condition: Good very fine, with minimal wear under heavy patina \$ 15,000





2131

- 2131 Researched **Order of B. Khmelnytsky 3rd Class** with document. Type 2. Award # 5555.

Second type, with separate center medallion. Original silver nut. Comes with Orders Book (includes photo). Awarded to Guards Petty Officer (старшина) Kostenko P.V. on Jan 11, 1946, by decree of Feb 5, 1944 (other awards listed in the Orders Book are missing). Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including award cards, military records (include photo), citation and decree for this order. Guards Jun. Lieutenant Kostenko was originally submitted for Title of Hero of the Soviet Union, but downgraded by the famous General Ribalko to B.Khmelnytsky 3rd class. Also, comes with copy of the official letter from Central Archives of the Ministry of Defense, confirming the "catch-up" nature of this awarding. Rare post-war catch-up top military award.

Орденом Б. Хмельницкого 3-й степени # 5555 награжден гвардии старшина Костенко Петр Владимирович, что подтверждается орденской книжкой, учетной картой, отчетом о вручении орденов и особым письмом из Центрального Архива Министерства Обороны, от 17 августа 2001г. (копии всех архивных бумаг прилагаются).

Очень интересное награждение - был представлен к Герою Советского Союза, и только на последней инстанции командующий 3 гв. армии генерал Рыбалко заменил Золотую Звезду на орден Б.Хмельницкого 3-й степени. Однако, самая интересная деталь не это, и даже не то, что получен полководческий орден в 1946г., после войны, что тоже достаточно редкий факт - начинал войну Костенко Петр Владимирович старшим сержантом, а к 1944г. был уже гвардии младшим лейтенантом (что подтверждается архивными документами и фотографией на УПК). Затем, ранение и госпиталь с мая 1945г. Затем демобилизация. Однако, при получении данного ордена Б. Хмельницкого в январе 1946г. П.В. Костенко уже разжалован до звания старшины, и фото в орденской книжке тоже уже без лейтенантских погон! Ребус, заслуживающий дальнейшего исследования...

*Condition:*

Excellent condition for the Order, document shows some wear

\$ 5,000



- 2132 Researched **Order of Nevsky**. Type 2. Award # 5911.  
Riveted multi-piece construction. Original silver screwback nut. Comes with copies of official research from the Ministry of Defense of the Russian Federation, including award card, citation and decree for this order. Awarded to Lieutenant Ihteiman M.N., rifle platoon commander, by decree of 10/27/1944, for skillful command during fighting for city of Riga. *Scarce* early Nevsky to a minority officer.

Орденем Невского # 5911 награжден лейтенант Ихтейман Моисей Нахманович, указ от 27 октября 1944г. Лейтенант Ихтейман проявил мужество и был ранен на подступах к Риге, в боях за город Цеске (копии архивных бумаг прилагаются).

*Condition:* Excellent condition, despite a tiny enamel crack at 7 o'clock, full gold-plating and old beautiful patina \$ 3,000

- 2133 Researched **Order of Nevsky**. Type 3. Award # 11855.  
Solid construction with deep concave reverse, typical for early Type 3 orders. 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 \$ 1,500



- 2134 **Order of Nevsky**. Type 3. Award # 18522.  
Solid construction with deep concave reverse, typical for early Type 3 orders. *Rare* variation with serial number at 5 o'clock.

*Condition:* Great vintage condition, shows minimal wear \$ 2,000

- 2135 **Order of Nevsky**. Type 3. Award # 48549.  
Solid construction with flat reverse, one of the last pieces manufactured. Based on serial number, probably awarded for actions during the Hungarian revolt of 1956. Great research potential.

*Condition:* Mint condition with full gold-plating \$ 2,000





2136

- 2136 Researched **Order of the Patriotic War 1st Class**. Type 1. Award # 2700.  
First type, variation with stick-pin. Awarded to Colonel Tereschenko, divisional engineer of the 294th Rifle Division, 52nd Army, 2nd Ukrainian Front, in Feb. 1943. Comes with copies of biography of comrade Tereschenko (contain photo). According to the research, comrade Tereschenko was a career officer, who joined the Red Army in 1931, and faithfully served the country for 29 years, retiring as Colonel in 1960. During his long career, he received a total of 7 orders, including Lenin, 3 Red Banners and B. Khmel'nitsky 2nd class.

*Condition:*

Enamel missing on top arm, suspension may not be original, stick-pin is broken off, still nice example of early type award with great eye appeal

\$ 2,500



2137

2138

- 2137 **Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class**. Type 1. Award # 8424.  
First type, variation with stick-pin.

*Condition:*

Typical enamel chipping on top arm, otherwise a great example of a scarce early type

\$ 1,500

- 2138 Researched **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 chipping, otherwise very good

\$ 1,500



2139

- 2139 **Order of the Patriotic War 2nd Class.** Type 2. Award # 72244. Screwback. 'Starback' reverse variation without mintmark. Comes with original silver screw-back nut. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Excellent with flawless enamels

\$ 500



2140

- 2140 **Order of the Patriotic War** Cigarette Case. 1945. Silver, no hallmarks. Depicting an Order of the Patriotic War and legend: 'For remembrance to my dear brother', all adorned in intricate floral design with date 1945. On the other side, more high quality floral engravings, and initials 'K.M.II.' *Rare*

*Condition:*

Case shows very minor wear, clasp fully functional

\$ 1,000





2141 **Order of the Red Star.** Type 4. Award # 117958.

Variation with screwpost base.

*Condition:*

Excellent with only minor scratches to enamel, no chipping

\$ 300

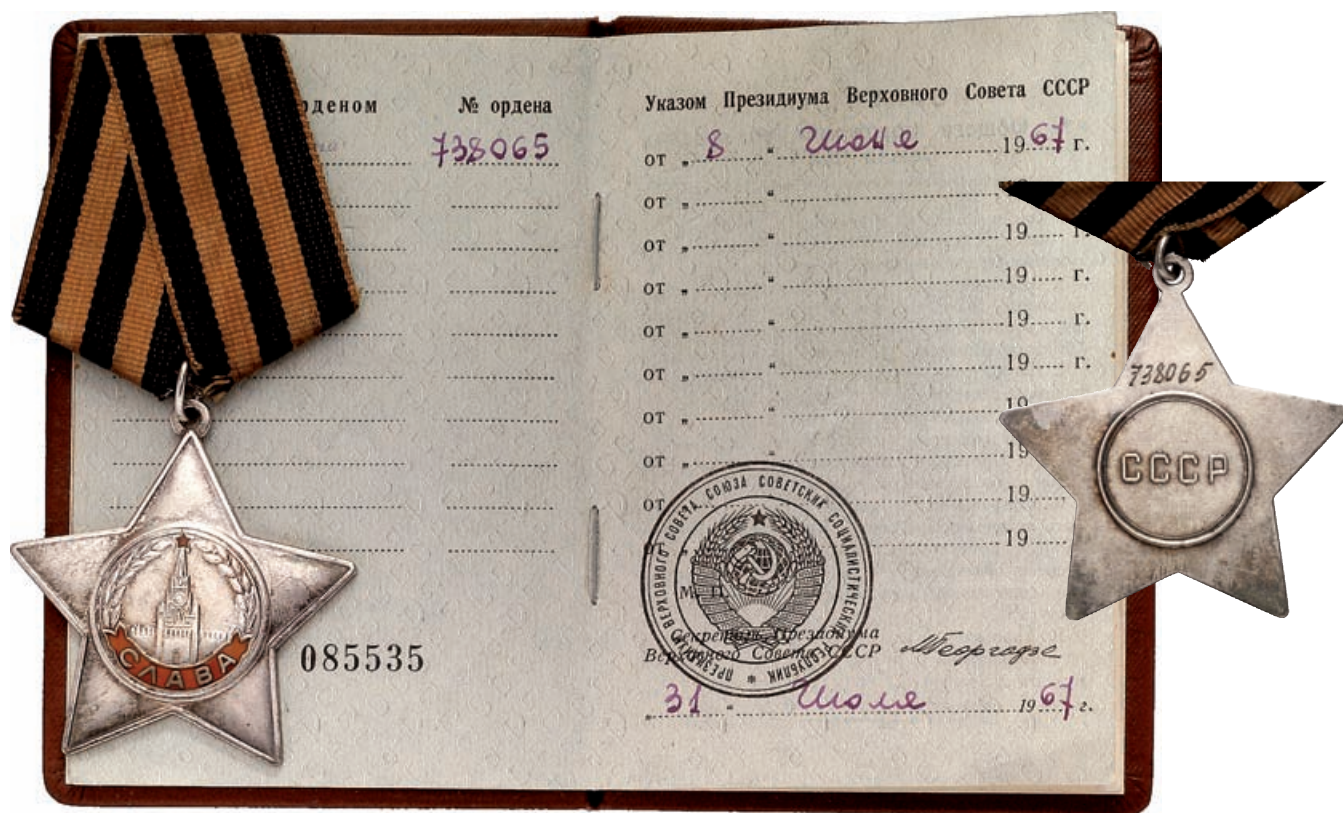
2142 **Order of the Red Star.** Type 6. Award # 1364508, 'DUPLICATE'.

Serial number is hand-engraved on unnumbered order. Scarce variation of duplicate.

*Condition:*

Excellent with minor signs of wear, problem free

\$ 500



2143

2143 **Order of Glory 3rd Class** with document. Award # 738065.

Latest issue with serial number engraved using a rotating tool. Comes with order's book, listing only this single award. Awarded to comrade Morozov N.F. in 1967. Great research potential.

*Condition:*

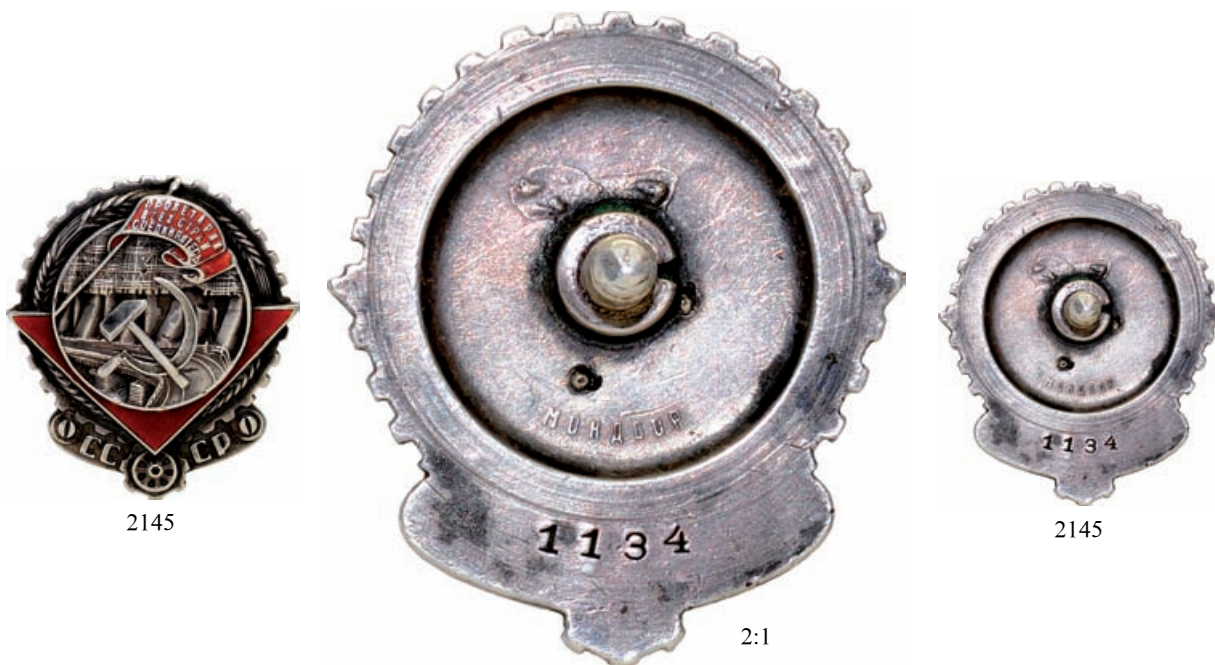
Mint with nice patina

\$ 200



- 2144 **Order of the Red Banner of Labor.** Type 1 (1928). Award # 307.  
First variation, with large dimple on reverse, only observed in the first 20% of issued orders. Apparently official conversion by the mint, with added suspension to comply with new regulations. *Extremely rare* and the only observed specimen by the cataloger. Requires additional research

*Condition:* Very minor wear on high point, excellent otherwise \$ 35,000



- 2145 **Order of the Red Banner of Labor.** Type 1 (1928). Award # 1134.  
Second variation, with small dimple on reverse. A classical *Rarity* in early Soviet Orders series.

*Condition:* Minor handling marks and chipping, under old heavy patina \$ 20,000





- 2146 **Order of the Red Banner of Labor. Type 2. Award # 12758.**  
Screwback. 'МОНЕТНЫЙ ДВОР' mintmark. Original silver screwback nut.  
*Condition:* Excellent and problem free \$ 1,500



- 2147 **Order for Service to the Motherland in the Armed Forces of the USSR 3rd Class**  
with document. Award # 25203.  
Massive multi-piece construction. Original screwback nut. Comes with Orders Book, issued to Duzhev V.F. in Feb. 1977. No other decorations listed. Great research opportunity.  
*Condition:* Excellent with flawless enamels \$ 500



2148 (to 75%)

- 2148 Complete Documented Group of Stepanuk Evgeny Ivanovich  
Commander of the 10th and 12th Soviet Antarctic Expedition, Vice-Chairman of  
Whale Hunting Base "Soviet Russia".

Евгений Иванович Степанюк - начальник 10-й и 12-й Советских Антарктических экспедиций, зав. производства китобазы "Советская Россия". После ухода на пенсию проживал в Киеве.

Group comes with:

Order of the Red Banner of Labor # 1184237.

Order of Labor Glory 2nd Class # 16546.

Order of Labor Glory 3rd Class # 30565 (type 1, with 2 rivets).

Order's Book, listing all of the above awards (contains photo).

Condition:

Mint condition on all items

\$ 500



- 2149 **Order of the Badge of Honor.** Award # 10988.  
Screwback. Variation with 'МОДЕЛЬ' mintmark, and serial number at 5 o'clock.  
Maker's marks 'K.P.'. Original silver screwback nut.

Condition:

Excellent condition with only a couple of tiny chippings

\$ 1,250

- 2150 **Order of Honor.** Award # 1521691.

Condition:

Mint

\$ 800





2151

- 2151 Documented **Orders of Labor Glory Full Cavalier Set.**  
 Complete set of Orders of Labor Glory 1st, 2nd and 3rd classes to the same recipient - Seidov Seid Osman Ogly (Сеидов Сеид Осман Оглы). Fully documented. The set comes with:  
 Order of Labor Glory 1st class # 383, with Cavalier's Book of Full Labor Glory set recipient (includes photo). Comes in original case of issue.  
 Order of Labor Glory 2nd class # 17988, with Orders Book for Labor Glory 2nd class. Comes in original case of issue.  
 Order of Labor Glory 3rd class # 195237, with Orders Book for Labor Glory 3rd class. Comes in original case of issue.  
 Certificate of Authenticity from Paul McDaniel for Order of Labor Glory 1st class # 383 (extremely high 9 out of 10 condition rating).  
 Certificate of Authenticity from Paul McDaniel for Order of Labor Glory 2nd class # 17988 (high 8 out of 10 condition rating).  
*Very rare* and desirable fully complete set to minority recipient  
*Condition:* Close to mint condition for all three items \$ 6,000





2152 (to 75%)

- 2152 Complete Documented Group of Timchenko Galina Tihonovna  
 Group comes with:  
 Order of Labor Glory 3rd Class # 157367.  
 Order of Badge of Honor # 1450229.  
 Order's Book for Order of Labor Glory.  
 Order's Book for Order of Badge of Honor.  
 Medal from the Presidium of the Supreme Council of Ukraine.  
 Large Certificate 'Gramota' from the Presidium of the Supreme Council of  
 Ukraine 'For high achievements in the social competition, and due to 70th  
 anniversary of Great October Revolution', accompanying the medal above.  
 Scarce fully documented set to a hard-working woman-laborer.

*Condition:*

Mint condition on all items

\$ 500





2153

- 2153 Medal **'For the 20th Anniversary of RKKA'** with document. Type 1.  
1938 medal, on small rectangular suspension.

*Condition:*

Suspension may not be original, numbered nut is missing,  
still, excellent enamels, nice overall

\$ 1,000



2154

- 2154 Medal **'For the 20th Anniversary of RKKA'** with document. Type 2.  
1938 medal, converted to 5-sided suspension in order to comply with regulation  
change of June 1943. Comes with award booklet, issued to Senior Lieutenant  
Drozdov V.I., government security officer (includes photo),

*Condition:*

Excellent enamels, problem free

\$ 1,000



- 2155 Medal **'For Bravery'**. Type 1. Award # 10854.  
Variation 1, with hand-engraved serial number, belonging to 'МОНДВОР' type.  
Most likely Finnish War award.  
*Condition:* Suspension is a replacement, otherwise good vintage condition  
with almost no enamel loss \$ 500
- 2156 Medal **'For Bravery'**. Type 1. Award # 51454.  
Variation 2, with stamped serial number. Connecting ring is uncut.  
*Condition:* Enamel is almost gone, otherwise very clean  
and all original specimen \$ 200



- 2157 Medal **'For Combat Service'**. Type 1. Award # 77930.  
Variation 2, with stamped serial number. Connecting ring is uncut.  
*Condition:* Tiny enamel chipping, otherwise good vintage condition,  
all original parts \$ 200
- 2158 **Nakhimov Medal**. Award # 4164.  
Variation 2, with stamped serial number.  
*Condition:* Good vintage condition with minor scuffs,  
and medium wear on the bust \$ 900





2159

- 2159 Medal 'For Distinguished Service in Guarding USSR Border' with document. SILVER. Variation with 'flat loop'. Comes with early type award booklet (showing the back of the medal on the inside cover), issued to Kuzovkin G.G. in August of 1955. Also, the set comes with: Badge '50 years of the Border Guards of the USSR', with certificate. Mandate for border guards conference, showing Kuzovkin G.G. as deputy from the 58th Border Regiment. Scarce documented set, especially with the silver type medal

Condition:

Excellent with minimal signs of wear on all items

\$ 750



2160

- 2160 Medal 'For Distinguished Service in Guarding the USSR Border' with document. Silver plated. Comes with award booklet, issued to Balabuha I.A. in May of 1958. Scarce documented

Condition:

Excellent on both items

\$ 250





- 2161 Medal **'For Liberation of Belgrade'**. Type 3.  
1980's 'Voenkomat' issue. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Mint condition with original lustre

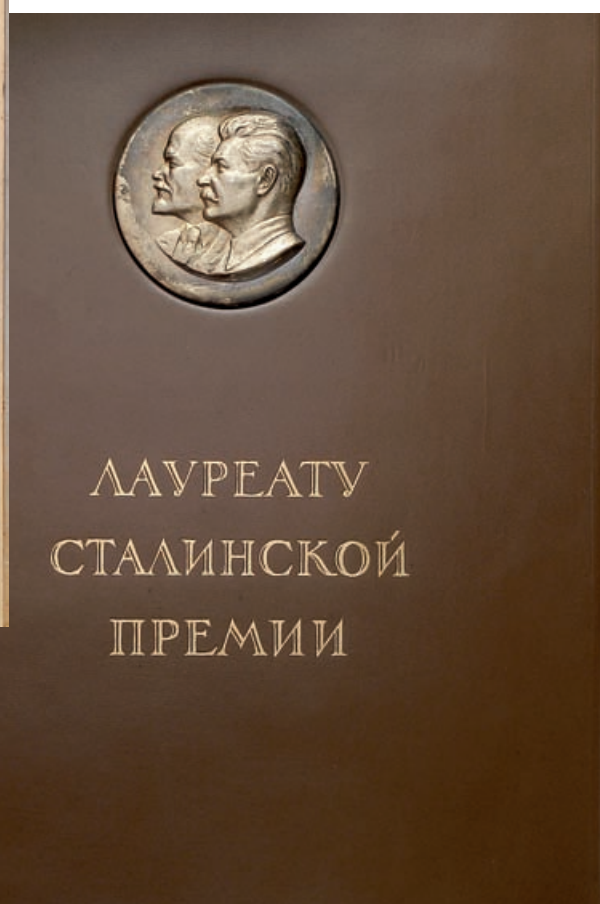
\$ 300

- 2162 Medal **'For Defense of Kiev'**, MINT ERROR.  
Mint error variation with date 'April 13 1945' on reverse. *Rare*

*Condition:*

Excellent with original suspension and ribbon

\$ 300



2163



Александр Сергеевич Яковлев (19 марта (1 апреля) 1906, Москва — 22 августа 1989, Москва) — советский авиаконструктор, генерал-полковник авиации (1946).

Академик АН СССР (1976), дважды Герой Социалистического Труда, десятикратный кавалер ордена Ленина, Депутат ВС СССР в 1946—1989, референт Сталина по вопросам авиации.

В 1924 Александр Яковлев построил свой первый летательный аппарат — планёр АВФ-10, который был премирован как один из лучших советских планёров на всесоюзных соревнованиях. Первый полёт АВФ-10 совершил 15 сентября 1924, сейчас эта дата отмечается как день рождения ОКБ имени Яковлева.

С 1924 по 1927 Яковлев работал сначала рабочим, затем мотористом лётного отряда Военно-воздушной Академии им. Н. Е. Жуковского. Несмотря на многочисленные просьбы и обращения, в академию его не брали, ввиду «не пролетарского происхождения»[1]. В 1927 году Яковлев построил лёгкий самолёт АИР-1.

15 января 1934 Яковлев стал начальником производственно-конструкторского бюро Спецавиатреста Авиапрома, с 1935 по 1956 — главным конструктором.

С 11 января 1940 года по 1946 одновременно являлся заместителем наркома авиационной промышленности по новой технике, с марта 1946 года заместителем министра авиационной промышленности (по общим вопросам). С 1956 по 1984 — Генеральный конструктор ОКБ имени Яковлева.

Всего ОКБ создало свыше 200 типов и модификаций летательных аппаратов, в том числе более 100 серийных:

лёгкие самолеты различного назначения: спортивные, многоцелевые, в том числе реактивные

истребители Великой Отечественной войны

первые советские реактивные истребители и перехватчики

десантные планеры и вертолеты, в том числе самый большой в мире в 1950-е вертолёт Як-24

семейство сверхзвуковых самолетов, включающее первые советские сверхзвуковые бомбардировщики, разведчики и перехватчики

первые в СССР самолёты короткого и вертикального взлета и посадки, включая сверхзвуковой, не имеющий аналогов

реактивные пассажирские самолеты

беспилотные летательные аппараты

С 1934 самолёты ОКБ непрерывно находятся в крупносерийном производстве и эксплуатации. Всего построено более 70 тыс. самолётов «Як», в том числе более 40 тыс. самолётов во время Великой Отечественной войны, в частности 2/3 всех истребителей составляли самолёты Яковлева. Самолёты ОКБ отмечены Ленинской, Государственной и шестью Сталинскими премиями. Они получили широкое распространение в нашей стране и за рубежом. Сталинскую премию первой степени (150 000 рублей) А. С. Яковлев передал в марте 1943 года в Фонд обороны на строительство истребителя для самого лучшего лётчика Советских ВВС.

Скончался 22 августа 1989 в Москве, похоронен на Новодевичьем кладбище.

Large leather Certificate of the Stalin Prize 1st Class winner with a citation, hand signed by I.V.Stalin and Chadaev. Given by the decree of the People's Commissariat of the USSR of April 10 1942, to Hero of the Socialist Labor Yakovlev A.S. 'For development and construction of a new airplane'. Most probably, this Stalin Prize 1st class was issued to Yakovlev in appreciation of successful and speedy development of the Yak-1b fighter plane. *Extremely Rare* early WW2 document to a legendary recipient

*Condition:*

Excellent leather cover, all signatures well preserved, certificate is reinforced by tape at the spine

\$ 10,000



2164 (to 75%)

2165 (to 75%)

- 2164 Complete Documented Group to Lieutenant-Colonel of Soviet/Mongolian KGB.  
Group comes with:  
Order of Polar Star # 9501 (screwback type). Urn type 3.  
Order of Polar Star (pinback type). Urn type 4.  
Order's Book for the first Polar Star (contains photo with this Polar Star).  
Order's Book for the second Polar Star (contains photo, now wearing both Polar Stars).  
Rare 1950's Soviet/Mongolian KGB fully documented group.  
*Condition:* Excellent with minimal signs of wear on all items \$ 750
- 2165 Mongolian Badge 'Honorary State Security' with document. Award # 833.  
SILVER. Multi-piece construction, multi-color enamels. Original silver screwback nut. Comes with award booklet, issued to soviet KGB officer Doronkin F.S. in 1951. Document has the matching badge number listed.  
Rare documented Mongolian KGB badge, especially issued to Soviet officer  
*Condition:* Good vintage condition on both items \$ 500



## BADGES



- 2166 **Badge 'To the Hero Participant of the uprising at the 'Arsenal' factory'.** 1927. Silver and enamel. Screwback. Engraved Nr. 168. Original bronze nut. The badge was instituted in memory of the October 1917 uprising of employees of the 'Factory in Kiev. Arsenal' *Very Rare* early massive badge.  
Red enamel is chipped, silver shows minimal signs of wear \$ 5,000

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- 2167 **'To the Honest Man of the Karelian Front' 1922.** Badge. Bronze. Screwback. The badge base is a wreath of laurel tied up with a bow-shaped ribbon. Above is a star. The wreath is superimposed with a shield with a legend 'ЧЕСТНОМУ / КАРЕЛИЙСКОГО / ФРОНТА'. Early massive badge. Problem free \$ 1,250
- 2168 **Karl Marx badge.** Silver. Hallmarked (84). Maker's mark. Oval bust of Karl Marx in the center circled by wreath, his name below on scroll. Screwback. About extremely fine \$ 750

## ***Cheka – OGPU – NKVD – KGB***

*These badges were the highest award for a Chekist of the time, and they are the key pieces of the series*



- 2169 **Fifth Anniversary Breast Badge of the Meritorious Chekist, of GPU, 1917-1922.** Badge. Silver. Hallmarked (875). Multi-piece construction. Red and dark blue enamels. Screwback. Oval badge, sword pointed downwards behind; superimposed crossed hammer and sickle and red enamel Roman number 'V'. Banner below with the abbreviation 'В.Ч.К. - Г.П.У' in dark blue, near black enamel. Dates flank sword hilt '1917' and '1922'. Engraved award 'No. 156' and 'ДУБЛ' on the back. Zak 2.1.1 b (R) - for a regular badge. *Unpublished and of the greatest rarity* as a Duplicate. Sword loose, otherwise very well preserved

\$40,000

Знак принадлежал одному из самых одиозных представителей Органов ВЧК - ГПУ - НКВД Е.А. Тучкову (1892-1957). Начальник Антирелигиозной комиссии при ЦК ВКП(б). Руководитель секретным 6-ым 'церковным' отделением ОГПУ. Руководил агентурой против Патриарха Тихона, уничтожением духовенства Соловецкого м-ря и других религиозных центров России. Чекистский 'игумен' и палач Русской Православной церкви. Серый кардинал ВЧК.



- 2170 **Fifth Anniversary Breast Badge of the Meritorious Chekist, of GPU, 1917-1922.** Badge. Silver. Hallmarked (916), maker's mark 'ХЭМ' and kokoshnik mark. Multi-piece construction. Red and dark blue enamels. Screwback. Oval badge, sword pointed downwards behind; superimposed crossed hammer and sickle and red enamel Roman number 'V'. Banner below with the abbreviation 'В.Ч.К. - Г.П.У' in dark blue, near black enamel. Dates flank sword hilt '1917' and '1922'. Engraved award number 722 on the back. Zak 2.1.1 b (R). *Very rare* badge. Trivial scuffing of the red enamel, covered by old deep patina

\$35,000





- 2171 **Fifteenth Anniversary Breast Badge of the Meritorious Chekist, of GPU, 1917-1922.** Badge. Silver. Hallmarked (916 star) and kokoshnik mark. Multi-piece construction. Red and dark blue enamels. Screwback. Oval badge, sword pointed downwards behind; superimposed crossed hammer and sickle and red enamel Roman number 'XV'. Banner below with the abbreviation 'В.Ч.К. - Г.П.У.' in dark blue, near black enamel. Dates flank sword hilt '1917' and '1922'. Engraved award number 2347 on the back. Zak 2.1.1 b (R). *Very rare* badge \$ 3,000



- 2172 **Ten Years of the OGPU, 1917-1927.** Badge. Bronze. For lesser ranks. No traces of enamel. Screwback. Wreath, star above, around banner, a profile of F.E. Dzerzhinsky at center, anniversary dates in upper corners. On ribbon below: 'О.Г.П.У.'. Zak 2.1.2 b (C5/C6). Choice \$ 1,000



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- 2173 **Special Presentation Award** - Mauser. '10th Anniversary of O.G.P.U.' badge mounted into a holster. 1920's fine wooden holster/stock, unnumbered, with '10th Anniversary of O.G.P.U.' badge stamped into one side. The badge is bronze, with red enamels. *Extremely rare* and important special OGPU award.

*Condition:* Wood is sound with only minor nicks, badge shows normal wear \$ 3,000





- 2174 **NKVD (People's Commissariat of Internal Affairs) Honored badge . For Commanders.** 1938. Engraved # 1427. Silver, bronze and gold plated. Multi-piece construction. Screwback. Oval badge, sword pointed downwards behind, superimposed with a crossed hammer and sickle. Red enameled banner below. Engraved serial number on reverse. Zak 2.1.12 (C6/C7). *Rare*. Some enamel fading, otherwise very well preserved

\$ 5,000



- 2175 **NKVD Honored Badge with ID Booklet.** Award # 199. НКВД and enamel. Screwback. Multi-piece construction with red enamels. Engraved serial number and 'М.Д.' on reverse. Comes with ID booklet (containing photo) issued to comrade Колташев И.Е. on December 29, 1940. Serial number in the ID booklet matches the one on the badge. Enamel well intact

\$ 4,000





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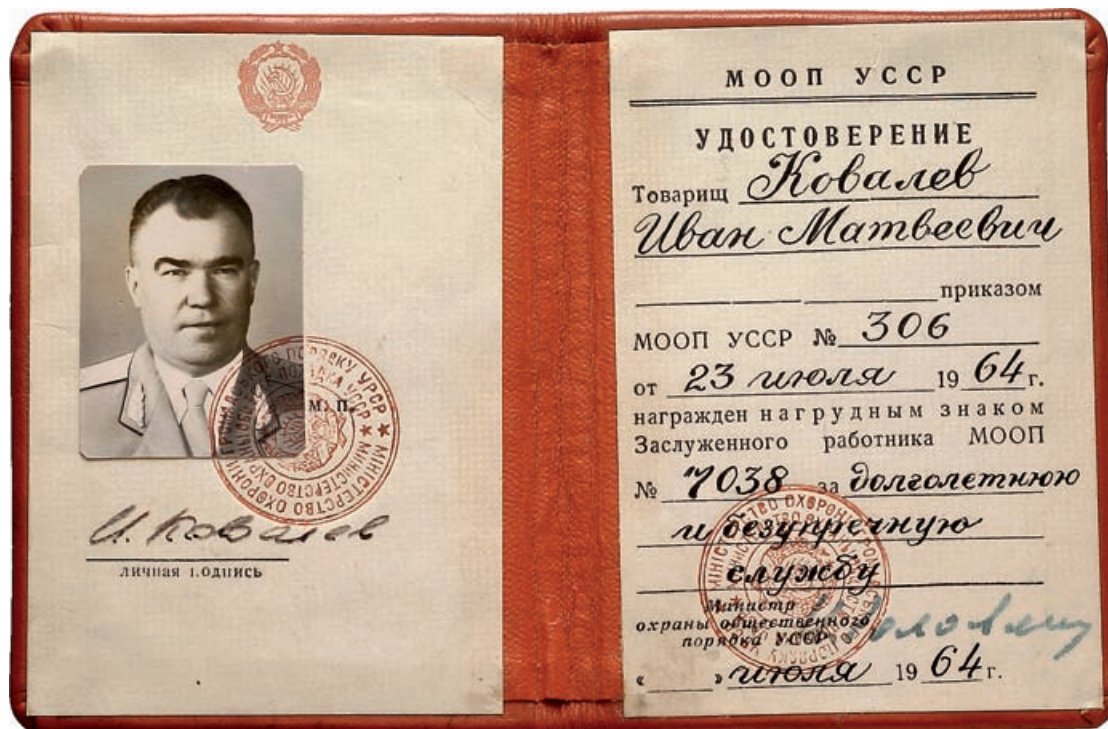


- 2176 **MVD Honored Badge with ID Booklet.** Award # 6136. МВД and enamel. Screwback. Multi-piece construction with red enamels. Engraved serial number on back. Comes with ID booklet (no photo) issued to comrade Романов И.И. on February 12, 1959. Serial number in the ID booklet matches the one on the badge. Minor scuffing of booklet, otherwise Excellent

\$ 2,000



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- 2177 **MVD Honored Badge with ID Booklet.** Award # 7038. Silver and enamel. Screwback. Multi-piece construction with red enamels. Engraved serial number on back and 'ММД' diecast. Comes with old style МООП ID booklet (containing photo) issued to General Ковалев И.И. on July 23, 1964. Serial number in the ID booklet matches the one on the badge. Very well preserved

\$ 2,000





- 2178 Documented pair issued to comrade Музыкин Е.В. - **Irreproachable Service in the Fire Department, 2nd Class (15 Years)**. On ribbon. With Award booklet issued May 22, 1958; **Badge '50th Anniversary of the VChK-KGB' 1967**. Screwback. Solid construction with red enamels. Comes with Citation booklet issued December 16, 1968.

\$ 750



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- 2179 **Badge '60th Anniversary of the VChK-KGB' 1977 with Citation Booklet**. Screwback. Solid construction with multi-color enamels. Comes with citation booklet issued to comrade Гранкин Ю.И. on December 13, 1977. Small enamel loss, otherwise well-preserved

\$ 400





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- 2180 **Badge '70th Anniversary of the VChK-KGB' 1987 with Citation Booklet.** Screwback. Solid construction with red enamels. Comes with citation booklet issued to comrade Шулепов В.А. on December 20, 1987. Excellent condition \$ 400

#### Other Law Enforcement Badges



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- 2181 **Badge 'for the XV Anniversary of the Workers-Peasants Militia'.** Award # 1194. 1932. Silver and red and blue enamels Multi-piece construction. Hallmarked. Engraved serial number on reverse. Very minor scuffing of enamel, otherwise excellent condition \$ 1,250
- 2182 **NKVD. To an Excellent Worker, For Outstanding Efforts in the Bureau of Far Eastern Construction and Development.** Engraved # 492. Silvered white metal, red and white enamels. Oval badge with a depiction of a gold-mining plant, white enamel background. Red enameled banner above inscribed: 'ОТЛИЧНИКУ ДАЛЬСТРОЕВЦУ', on the left: 'ГУСДС НКВД. СССР' below on a red enameled scroll. Stamped 'МД' on bottom back. Zak 2.3.56. Choice and problem-free \$ 1,000

*There are numerous Soviet so-called 'Labor' badges from the 1920's to the 1940's. At first glance, they seem innocuous – badges for construction, development, canals, etc. But, in fact, they were GULAG labor camps which dotted the Soviet landscape. The badge above is the only one which spells out that chilling fact: ГУСДС НКВД – GUSDS (Gulag Far Eastern Construction) NKVD*





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- 2183 **Badge for the Development of Pichora Basin. MVD of the USSR.- ЗА ОСВОЕНИЕ ПЕЧОРСКОГО БАСЕЙНА.** Ca. 1950's. Bronze. White, red and blue enamels. Multi-piece construction. Screwback. Round badge, red enamel star above Electric Power Manufacturing shield with 'МВД / СССР' below. Zak 2.3.4 (C4-5). Moderate wear, problem free

\$ 500

*Освоение северного района Коми АССР – Печорского бассейна началось на рубеже 1930-40-х гг. Силами заключенных. NKVD of the USSR was in charge of organization and implementation of this project, mostly completed by prisoners of NKVD camps.*

- 2184 **Honored Road Man Badge. 1935.** 29 x 22 mm. Screwback. Silvered white metal, multi-enamels. Oval badge, auto driving past bridge and river, red enamel star flanked by legend above, red-enameled ribboned spray below. Engraved award # 4141 on back. Zak 2.3.59a.

Choice

\$ 750

- 2185 **For the Honored Worker on the Moscow Volga Canal. 1937.** Screwback. Bronze and multi-enamels. Polygonal badge showing a ship passing through the canal, Canal letters 'МВС' on raised bar below, 'УДАРНИКУ' above. Zak 2.3.12.

Choice

\$ 600



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- 2186 **15th Anniversary of the Soviet Kazakhstan Republic. 1935.** Bronze and enamels. Oval displaying complex array of aspects of productive life in the Kazakhstan Republic. Stalin depicted upper part, Roman numerals 'XV' lower part above banner with legend '15 ЛЕТ КАЗАХСТАНА', tractor at center. Screwback. Accompanied by a related b&w photo of NKVD Deputy Commander, Senior Lt. F.P. Shklyarenko wearing the badge.

\$ 1,000

## Aviation Badges



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- 2187 **'DOBROLET' of the USSR.** Ca. 1924-26. Designed by Rodchenko. Silver and enamels. Screwback. Hallmarked (84) on loop and pin. Oval. Portion of enamel chipped at 3:00, otherwise  
Extremely fine \$ 750
- 2188 **ODVF (Society of the Friends of Aviation) Badge. Northeastern District.** Silver. Hallmarked (84) on obverse. Base in the shape of a biplane entwined with a blue enameled ribbon with the legend: 'ОБЩ. ДРУЗЕЙ ВОЗД. ФЛОТА СЗО'. Red enameled stars on the wings. Screwback.  
Choice, Extremely fine \$ 1,000
- 2189 **Society of Aviation and Aeronautics of the Ukraine and the Crimea.** Bronze and enamels. Screwback. Globe set within hammer and sickle, on it a biplane with a red enameled propeller flies forward. Below is the legend: 'ОАВУК'.  
Choice, Extremely fine \$ 300



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- 2190 **Badge for Flying 500,000 km in the Civil Air Force.** Silver and red and blue enamels. Hallmarked (916 - head), maker's mark 'BKX' and '3X' on the back. Engraved No. 38. Globe circled by wreath, 'ГВФ' above, superimposed airplane flying right at center, red enameled banner inscribed '500 ТЫС.КМ' below. Hammer and sickle above central design, nine banners emerging from globe. Varied blue enamel in one section.  
Superb \$ 2,000



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- 2191 **Society for Sea Rescue.** Membership Badge of the Osvod. Silvered Bronze and enamels. Multipiece construction. Rhombus shaped badge, a red star above and legend 'ОСВОД'. At the center, a steamer sailing on blue enameled waters, a life preserver on an anchor below. Screwback. Excellent workmanship, *Rare* thus  
Extremely fine \$ 1,000





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- 2192 **'To an Excellent Man of the Navy'.** Badge. 1937. Silver and enamels. Circular badge with warship sailing left on blue enameled waters, legend: 'ОТЛИЧНИК' at center. White and blue enameled naval flag above, 'ВМФ' below. Number '8913' engraved on the back. Screwback. Scratches and minor wear. About extremely fine \$ 750
- 2193 **'To an Excellent Man of the Navy'.** Badge. 1937. Bronze and enamels. Circular badge with warship sailing left on blue enameled waters, legend: 'ОТЛИЧНИК' at center. Number '14624' engraved on the back. Screwback. Choice, Extremely fine \$ 400
- 2194 **Badge of Soviet Commerce Employees.** Bronze. Multi-color enamels. Screwback. Circa 1924. Cashier is a separate part, attached via 2 rivets. Original screwback nut. Rare early soviet badge. Enamel chips, good vintage condition otherwise \$ 250
- 2195 **Badge 'For Excellence in GTO', 2nd class.** Award # 7144. Silver. Marked 'МД'. The base gear is superimposed with a red enameled star with a depiction of runner. The legend in the red banner above. Nice dark patina. Superb \$ 200



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- 2196 **For Championship in the Competition.** Silver and enamels. Badge in the shape of a green-enameled shield, a triangle behind with the letter 'ЦЛК' in the corners. At the center is winged wheel over a red-enameled spoke, legend: 'СПАРТАК' above on a banner. On the reverse is engraved 'Р.П. Фиш' and the number '20'. Screwback. *Very rare.* Enamel loss on spoke. About extremely fine \$ 3,000



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- 2197 **Badge for the Centennial of the Bolshoi Theatre, 1825-1925.** Silver. Male and female performer before the Bolshoi, beams of light behind them, theatrical mask lower right, anniversary dates on banner at bottom. Engraved on the back: 'Т. А. Б. Т. / Денисов / # 312' Very moderate wear, a handsome badge and most artistic \$ 2,000

## Jettons



- 2198 **For Championship in the Bicycle Competition.** Silver and enamels. Triangular shape, white enameled. Green enameled shield at the center with a superimposed bicycle racer left. Engraved on the reverse in Russian 'To A. Kalinin'. Dated 1928. On its original chain. Superb workmanship Choice \$ 500
- 2199 **For Championship in the Bicycle Competition.** Silver and enamels. Keyhole-shaped with a blue-green enameled leaf pattern, at the center is a blue-enameled shield with a superimposed bicycle racer left. Engraved in Russian on the reverse: 'To Yanson'. Extremely fine \$ 500



- 2200 **For the Championship in the Rowing Competition.** Bronze and enamels. In the shape of a shield, blue-enameled, white and red enameled CCCP banner and cross in the center. Behind are crossed oars in a laurel wreath. Engraved in Russian on the back and dated 1924. On original chain. \$ 300
- 2201 **For Championship in the Athletic Competition.** Silver and enamels. Shield-shaped, red-enameled; blue enamel line emblazoned across middle. Gear wheel at top, crossed tennis rackets and net below. Engraved in Russian on the reverse: 'Panteleev 1929'. On its original chain. Choice \$ 300
- 2202 **The Music Award.** Silver and enamels. Lyre-shaped, light blue enamel, laurel wreath around with theatrical mask at bottom. At the center are a crossed balalaika and guitar; at the top is a red star. Engraved in Russian on the reverse and dated 1926-1927. About extremely fine \$ 300