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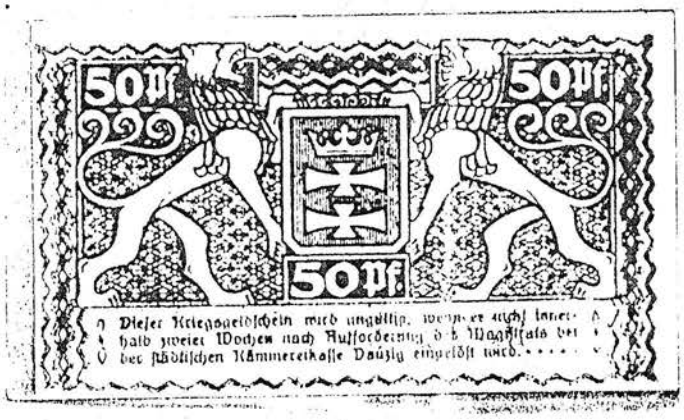
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DANZIG

Danzig was typical of a settlement developing at the mouth of a river which extended far inland and opened on a protected bay of a large body of water.

The Vistula River rises in on the north slope ofthe Carpathian mountains southwest of Krakow in Poland, passes Warsaw and enters the Baltic Sea at Danzig, exactly at Weichselmuende and Neufahrwasser.

The exact location of Danzig is 54° 21' 4" north, 18° 39' 34" east. Perhaps the most famous person associated with the town was Gabriel Daniel Fahrenheit, 1686-1736, whose thermometer scale is used to this day.



Lion supporters hold the arms of Danzig on the back of a 50-Pfennig note, Nov. 1, 1918

In 997 the settlement was named "Urbs Gyddanyzc;" since then it has been called Dantzig, Danzig, Dantzick, Dantiscum and Gdansk. Even those maps which show the name Gdansk show the Vistula flowing into the Gulf of Danzig.

Flowing through Danzig into the Vistula are the Motlawa, Radunia (Rondanne) and Martwa (Mottlau) (Dead) Vistula rivers. By the 13th century the town was a part of the Hansea-

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MONTHLY NOTGELD QUOTE...



Aussee is a jolly valley
I say it all the time
There are fine people in it
There I'd like to be

AUSTRIA
Bad Aussee in Steiermark
10 Heller, Dec. 31, 1920
Meyerbeck ST 5

tic League, important ports along the coast of the Baltic and North Seas.

The population of Danzig in 1861 was 72,280 plus 10,485 soldiers; in 1913, 170,000, including the 6,000-member garrison (headquarters of the 17th Army Corps); in 1953, 197,000; in 1970, 364,300.

The old town of Danzig was laid out as a fortress. There were four gates in the circular wall, with a unique form of defense the ability to flood the area outside the walls. Parts of the town were known as Old town, New town, and Low town, as well as the granaries on Speicher island, created by a division of the Mottlau River. A relative new area was called Langgarten.



The Church of St. Mary appears on the back of a 50-Pfennig note dated April 15, 1919. The Protestant church was started in 1343, completed in 1502. The west tower rises 248 feet. The church was severely damaged during World War II.

Ordered on April 13, 1920 were zinc 10-Pfennig coins designed by Professor Peterson of the Technical High School in Danzig. They were engraved by Herr Anders, employed by the jewelers M. Stumpf & Sohn. Models were made by artist Georg Boecker.

Total value of coins made was 87,643 Mark, plus 27 pieces struck in silver.

Our catalog will follow that of Walter Funck, "Die Notmuenzen der deutschen Staedte, Gemeinden, Kreise, Laender usw. (amtliche Ausgaben) 1916-1921," 1963, fourth edition.

1. 10 Dm 22 mm, large 10 on rev., mintage 124,000
   a) O is 17 mm high, 1 is 3 mm wide
   b) O is 17 mm high, 1 is 2.5 mm wide
   c) O is 16.75 high, 1 is 2.25 mm wide

2. 10 Dm 22 mm, small 10 on rev., mintage 876,000
   I. O is 8.25 mm high
      a. Cross by oval, 1.25 mm T to D, 3 mm
      b. Cross by oval, 1.25 mm T to D, 4 mm
      c. Cross by oval, 0.75 mm
   II. O is 8 mm high
      d. O is 7.50 mm wide, oval 9.25 by 6.25 mm
      e. O as d, oval 9.25 by 5.5 mm
      f. O is 7.25 wide, oval 9.5 by 6.25 mm
      g. O as f, oval 9.25 by 6.25 mm
      h. O as f, oval 9.25 by 5.75 mm
      i. O as f, oval 9 by 5.75 mm
      k. O as f, oval 9 by 5.75 mm (8 point near rosette)

l. O as f	oval 9	by 5.25 mm no point
m. O as f	oval 8.75 by 5.5mm	1-O=1.5mm
n. O as f	oval as m; edge of 10 touches pearl circle	
o. O as f	edge of 10 .5 mm from pearl circle	
p. O as f	oval 8.5 mm by 5.5 mm	
q. O as f	oval 8.5	5.25 mm, 8 points
r. O as f	as q., 8 points near rosette	
s. O is 7 mm wide	oval 9.25 mm by 6 mm. flower vase closed	
t. O as s	as s., flower vase open .	
u. O as s	oval 9	by 6 mm.
v. O as s	oval 8.75 by 5.5 mm,	1-O=1.5mm
w. O as s	oval 8.75 by 5.25 mm,	1-O=1mm
x. O as s	oval 8.75 by 5 mm	
y. O as s	oval 8.5 by 5.25 mm	
z. O as s	oval 8.5 by 4.5 mm	

III. O is 7.75 mm high

aa. O is 7.75 mm wide	oval 9.5 by 5.75 mm	
bb. O is 7.25 mm wide	oval 9 by 5.75 mm	
cc. O as b b.	oval 8.75 by 5.5 mm	
dd. O is 7 mm wide	oval 8.75 by 5.25 mm	
ee. O as dd	oval 9.5 by 6 mm	
ff. O as dd	oval 8.75 by 5.5 mm	
gg. O as ff	oval as ff; corner of frame 1 mm from pearl circle	
hh. O as ff	oval as ff; upper corner of frame .75 mm from pearl circle; lower corner touches circle	

IV. O is 7.5 mm high

ii. O is 7 mm wide	8.75 mm by 5.5 mm line of 1 straight	
kk. O as ii	oval as ii; line of 1 bowed	
ll. O as ii	oval 8.5 mm by 5,	1-O=1.5mm
mm. O as ll, but 1-O=	1.25 mm	

V. O is 7.25 mm high

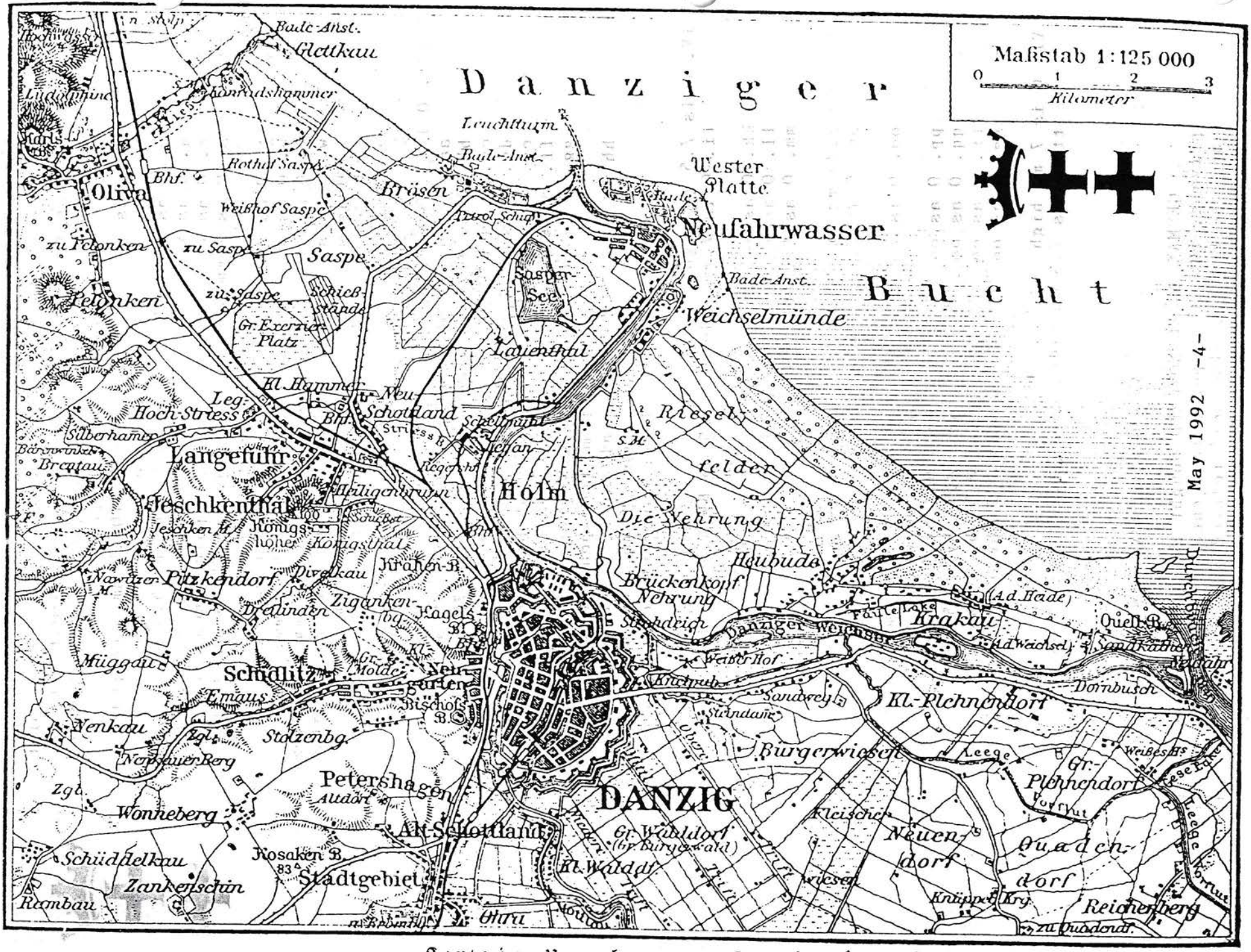
nn. O is 7.25 mm wide	oval 9 by 5.75 mm; line 1 .25mm wide	
oo. O is 7 mm wide	oval 9 by 5.75 mm, line of 1 .5 mm wide	
pp. O as oo	oval 9 by 5.25 mm	
qq. O as oo	oval 8.75 by 5.25 mm	
rr. O as oo	oval 8.5 by 5 mm	
ss. O as oo	oval 7.75 by 5.75 mm	

VI. O is 7 mm high

tt. O is 7.5 mm wide	oval 8.75 by 5.75 mm	

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Karte der Umgebung von Danzig

DANZIG
Albert Haub Nachf. Danzig
ND 25 Ms



Gebr. Freymann GMBH
ND Zinc
5, 10, 15 Pfennig









Franz Steinmetz
1 Gulden

Alexander Wieck Danzig
10





Hauptbahnhof Danzig
ND
10, 25 Pfennig zinc
15 Pfennig, oval, copper
15 Pfennig, oval, zinc
1/1 Glas





Maenner Turnverein Danzig
11

A. H. Pretzell Danzig
15 (holed at top)





Speise-Anstalt Danzig
1/4 Zinc, ND



Freistaat Danzig
1921
20



B.A.
ND, round, on barrels, from left,
numerals 50, 30, 20, 10 Reverse blank



Streetcar, Ferry
Westpreussische Gesellschaft Danzig Gulich-Danzig
ND, oval, Fahr-Marke "WPr." Depicts ferry
10

Westpreussische Gesellschaft Danzig Depicts ferry
ND, oval, Fahr-Marke "WSPr"
10





Danziger Elektrische Strassenbahn,
founded 1896
Paper issues
1, 2, 5 Goldpfennige

DANZIG-TROYL
Kriegsgefangenenlager
ND, zinc
1, 2, 5, 10, 50, 100 Pfennig.
Struck by L. Chr. Lauer, Nuernberg





To be Continued

Travelers to the museum of the American Numismatic Association have the opportunity of viewing paper Notgeld from over 800 towns of Austria, according to Eugene Ohmer, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Ohmer is a volunteer who has been inputting into the ANA computer system the 6,000 pieces of Notgeld from Austria in the museum holdings. Ohmer said that 2,000 of the notes had been in possession of the ANA for some time; a donation of an additional 4,000 pieces occurred in 1985.

Each group remains intact, in alphabetical order by towns. Computer information on each note will include the town, denomination, date of issue and catalog number based on the volume by Karl Jaksch, *Katalog des Oesterreichen Notgeldes 1916-1917*.

Each note is in a plastic holder, which will bear a label when the project is completed, Ohmer said.

While the notes are not currently displayed at the museum, curator Robert W. Hoge said they may be viewed by appointment.

Also in the paper money holdings of the museum are about 2,000 pieces of German Notgeld.

While members of the ANA may visit the museum without charge, a small fee is charged nonmembers.

The Home and Headquarters of the ANA, including the museum, are located on the campus of Colorado College, 818 North Cascade Avenue, Colorado Springs, Colo. 80903-3279.

Two new Notgeld books have arrived, bearing the familiar KKK logo of the Kai Lindman pen.

The books deal with emergency money issues of the present state of Lower Saxony, titled *Das Notgeld von Niedersachsen Bezirk Hannover*, (Emergency Money of Lower Saxony, area of Hannover) and *Das Notgeld von Niedersachsen Talerscheine Briefmarkengeld*, (Emergency Money of Lower Saxony, Taler notes and Postage Stamp money).

The Hannover volume has 62 pages, without illustrations. While the city of Hannover offers the greatest number of issues, Lindman cites 89 communities in the area which issued some form of paper emergency money, plus nine subdivisions of the city of Hannover.

Included in the listings are issues of prisoner of war camps and issues of merchants. Notgeld issues of all dates and types are listed, including inflation notes.

The Talerscheine - Postage stamp volume contains 26 pages, with illustrations. The Taler notes date from the 19th century. Included with the postage stamp issues are those which were encapsulated and stamps attached to notes.

The Hannover volume retails for about $11; the second book, $8.50.

Aachen Oct. 31, 1918 25 Pf P-S 1 $.65*
Aachen July 20, 1923 1, 5 Million Mark K-1 $6
Aachen July 20, 1923 10, 100 Million Mark K-1 $6.50
Aalen Oct. 1, 1923 500 Million Mark K-6i $$3.50
Adorf/Vogtland Aug. 25, 1923 500,000, 1,000,000 Mark K-15 $7
Ahlen/Westfalen Oct. 10, 1918 5, 10 Mark K-6 $12.50*
Ahrensboek/Holstein Dec. 1920 50 Pf L-6 $.60*
Ahirweiler Aug. 3, 1918 25, 50 Pf P-S 4 $3
Ahrweiler Aug. 15, 1921 25 Pf L-7aI $.60
Ahrweiler Aug. 15, 1921 25 Pf L-7a IV $.60*
Aken/Elbe Oct. 1, 1921 25, 50 (4), 75 Pf green ptg. firm $12*
Alfeld/Leine Dec. 1, 1918 1, 2 Mark K-7 $7.50
Allendorf/Werra Sooden ND (1920) 5 Pf Kaufmaennischer Verein P-S 9 $2
Allenstein/Ostpreussen Oct. 30, 1918 10 Mark K-8 $3.50
Allenstein/Ostpreussen April 1, 1921 10 (2), 50 (2) Pf Set L-13 II $3*
Allstedt Dec. 22, 1920 10, 25, 50 Pf L-15 Wildman $2*
Altenau/Harz Nov. 1, 1921 L-17 75 (5) Pf $3*
Altenbach/Oberelsass 50 Pf K-3 on wallpaper #63 $10
Altenburg ND 5 Pf P-S 16 Lichtspiele $.75*
Altenburg 1921 50 (8) Pf L-21 I Max Bechstein artist $7.50*
Altenkirchen/Westerwald 1921 10, 25, 50 Pf L-23 I $6*
Altenkirchen/Westerwald 1921 10, 25, 50 Pf L-23 II $1.75*
Altenwerder u. Finkenwaerder Nov. 1, 1921 50 Pf L-24 $1.25*
Altona Nov. 2, 1918 5, 20 Mark K-12d $7.50*
Altona Dec. 12. 1921 30, 60, 70, 80 Pf L-29 $2.50
Altona Nov. 15, 1923 1.05 Goldmark, quarter dollar K-8 $6
Altrahlstedt ND 25 Pf, 1, 2 Mark L-30 $9*
Altusried/Bayern ND to Dec. 31, 1918 10 Pf P-S 28 $3*
Andernach April 1, 1920 10, 25, 50 Pf L-31a $10*
Andernach Dec. 1, 1920 75 Pf L-31b $.60*
Angerburg/Ostpreussen 1921 50 Pf L-32 $1*
Anklam/Pommern ND 50 Pf P-S 43h $2*
Annaberg/Erzgebiet Nov. 1, 1918 5, 10, 20 Mark $8.50
Ansbach 1917 50 Pf P-S 47a $2.25*
Ansbach Nov. 1, 1918 50 Pf P-S 47c $1.25*
Antonienhuette/Oberschlesien ND to March 15, 1915 K-14c Punch cancelled $5.50
Apolda March 15, 1917 50 Pf Punch cancelled P-S 52 $7.50
Appen ND 25, 75 Pf L-38b $7*
Archsum/Sylt March 21, 1921 2 Mark L-39 $1.25*
Arnsberg March 1, 1920 25 Pf P-S 53 $.75
Arnsberg Dec. 15, 1921 50 Pf, 1, 2 Mark Set L-41 $4*
Arnstadt ND 50 Pf P-S 54 $4
Arnstadt March 1, 1917 50 Pf P-S 54a $1*
Arnstadt 1920 25 Pf P-S 54c $.60*
Arnstadt 1921 10 (6), 25 (6), 50 (6) Pf Set L-42 $18
Arnstorf/Bayern Aug. 14, 1923 1 Million Mark K-138b Scheck worn $2
Arnswalde Aug. 1, 1920; May 2, 1921 50 (2) Pf P-S 57 $2*
Arnswalde Aug. 10, 1923 500,000, 1 Million Mark K-141 $12.50

Arolsen June 1921 10, 25 Pf L-43 $1.2*
Arolsen/Waldeck Nov. 1, 1923 $1/7, 60 Goldpfennige K-459 $6
Artern/Thuer. May 1, 1917 P-S 58a worn $4
Artern/Thuer. 1921 50 (6) Pf Set L-45c $3.50*
Aschaffenburg ND (1918) 5, 10, 20 Mark $8
Aschaffenburg ND 50 Pf P-S 60d $1.50*
Aschaffenburg ND 50 Pf P-S 60e $1.50*
Aschaffenburg 1920 25, 50 Pf P-S 60g $2.50*
Aschersleben Dec. 1, 1921 25 (2), 50 (2) Pf L-48 $4*
Attendorn/Westfalen ND 2, 5 Mark Schecks L-49 II $2.75*
Aue ND to Dec. 31, 1918 50 Pf P-S 69 $.75*
Auerbach/Vogtland ND to Dec. 31, 1919 10 Pf P-S 72c $.60*
Auerbach/Vogtland ND to end 1920 25 Pf P-S 72d worn $.40
Auerbach/Vogtland July 1, 1921 50 (3), 75 (3) Pf L-51 Hans Kinder $3.50*
Augsburg Oct. 15, 1918 5 Mark K-23 $3.50
Auma April 1, 1921 50 Pf L-53a $.60*
Auma Nov. 1, 1921 50 (2) Pf L-53c $1.25*
Aurich ND 50 Pf L-54 Stag with 8-point rack 1.25
Babenhausen 1920 50 Pf II issue P-S 100 $3
Baden-Baden June 1, 1920 10 Pf P-S 102b $.60*
Ballenstedt Aug. 22, 1921 25, 30. 50 (2), 75, 100 Pf L-58 $3.75*
Barwalde/Pommern ND (1914) 50 Pf Karton $7.50
Bautzen Oct. 15, 1922 100, 500 Mark K-35 $5
Bautzen Aug. 22, 1923 100,000, 500,000 Mark K-275a $6
Beckum Nov. 1, 1918 50 Pf P-S 127 $3.50*
Beckum Sept. 1, 1920 25 Pf, 2 Mark L-64 $2.50*
Belgern/Elbe Nov. 1, 1921 25, 50 Pf L-66 $1.25*
Benneckenstein/Harz July 1921 5, 10, 25,50 Pf L-68 2.25*
Bentheim ND 10, 25, 50 Pf, 1 Mark Set L-70 $2.50*
Berchtesgaden Aug. 13, 1920 50 Pf L-71 $.60*
Berka, Bad 1917 25 Pf P-S 150 $1*
Berlin Oct. 24, 1918 50 Pf P-S 151a $.65
Berlin Jan. 30, 1920 50 Pf P-S 151b $.65
Berlin Nov. 4, 1921 75 (6) Pf L-83a Kolonial Gedenktag includes Togo, Kamerun Kiautschau $4.50*
Berlin Sept. 9, 1921 50 Pf (#2) Streetcar series L-87b $1.25*
Berlin March 1, 1922 2 Mark (6) Streetcar series L-87c $4.50*
Berlin Sept. 15, 1922 1, 2 Mark Darlehnkassenschein Pick Vol. II $.50*
Berncastel-Cues Dec. 1, 1920 25 Pf P-S 193 $1.25*
Beuel Sept. 15, 1923 100 Million Mark K-389c Serie A $3*
Beverstedt Jan. 15, 1922 50 Pf L-93 Beaver $1.75*
Beverungen May 1, 1921 50, 75 Pf L-94 green $5*
Beverungen May 1, 1921 75 Pf, 1 Mark Anti-Semetic implication L-94 green $5*
Beverungen May 1, 1921 75 (2) Pf L-94 green, brown $5*

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