XXIV. GOLD CERTIFICATES

All are now obsolete. The issue was short lived as the Gold Reserve Act of 1933 required the surrender of all gold certificates, both large and small size. On April 24, 1964, Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon removed all restrictions on the acquisition or holding of gold certificates and it is now legal to collect them. Unlike the large notes, the reverses of these gold certificates were printed in green. Small size gold certificates are considered much scarcer than

the old large size notes. The obligation is as follows, "This certifies that there have been deposited in the Treasury of the United States of America Dollars in gold coin payable to the bearer on demand... This certificate is a legal tender in the amount thereof in payment of all debts and dues public and private."

(Additional information on this series will be found in the introduction to large size Gold Certificates on page 164.)

All the following have a Gold Seal.

10 Dollar Notes



DESIGN 240

(Notes 2400-2401)

No.	Series	Signatur	es	No. Printed	VG8	F12
2400.	1928	Wood	Mellon	130,812,000		
2400*.	1928	Woods	Mellon			
2401.	1928-A	Woods	Mellon	2,544,000		



Design 240 Reverse

VF20	EF40	CU60	Ch63	Gem65

20 Dollar Notes



DESIGN 241

(Notes 2402-2403)

2402.	1928	Woods	Mellon	66,204,000
2402*.	1928	Woods	Mellon	
2403.	1928-A	Woods	Mills	1,500,000



Design 241 Reverse

50 Dollar Notes



DESIGN 242

(Note 2404)

2404. 1928 Woods Mellon 5,520,000 2404*. 1928 Woods Mellon



Design 242 Reverse

100 Dollar Notes





(Notes 2405-2406)



Design 243 Reverse

No.	Series	Signature	es	No. Printed	VG8	F12	VF20	EF40	CU60	Ch63	Gem65
2405	1928	Woods	Mellon	3.240.000							

2405*. 1928 Woods Mellon 2406. 1934 Julian Morgenthau 120,000

The Following High Denominations Were Also Issued.

The designs are the same as the Federal Reserve Notes indicated except that the obligation and seal are different.



DESIGN 244

(Note 2407)

No. Denomination Series Signatures No. Printed VG8 F12 VF20 EF40 CU60 Ch63 Gem65 2407. 500 Dollars 1928 Woods Mellon 420,000



DESIGN 245

(Notes 2408-2409)

No. Denomination Series Signatures No. Printed VG8 F12 VF20 EF40 CU60 Ch63 Gem65

2408. 1,000 Dollars 1928 Woods Mellon 28,800 2409. 1,000 Dollars 1934 Julian Morgenthau 84,000

DESIGN 246-247

No.	Denomination	Series	Signature	es	Design No.	No. Printed
2410.	5,000 Dollars	1928	Woods	Mellon	246	24,000
2411.	10,000 Dollars	1928	Woods	Mellon	247	48,000

The following two notes, as well as Nos. 2406 and 2409 (Series 1934) have bright orange reverses. They were issued exclusively for transactions within the U.S. Treasury and the Federal Reserve System and were never released to commercial banks or to the public. Possession may be considered illegal.

2412. 10,000 Dollars 1934 Julian Morgenthau



Design 244 Reverse





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DESIGN 248

(Notes 2413)

2413. 100,000 Dollars 1934 Julian Morgenthau



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Design 248 Reverse