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Mr. Howard L. McGregor, Jr.
Great Oaks Farm, Box 28
Rochester, Michigan

Dear Mr. McGregor:

We have just been offered the two very unusual items described below, and we want to give you the first opportunity to add them to your collection.

U.S. #C35a, fine and fresh mint, o.g., block of 4, imperforate horizontally between stamps. Perforations, while close at top, are clear of design and the block is as fine as any part of the only sheet discovered of which only one row was imperforate, making for a maximum of five blocks or ten pairs in existence. Price for block \$ 1,585.00

U.S. #C3a, mint, the classic 24¢ airmail INVERT. Very fine vertical pair with horizontal guide line between stamps making it a unique position piece. Fresh and bright in every respect with original gum. Has natural straight edge at right which with the line proves the stamps to be positions #50 and #60 of the original sheet. The enlarged photo enclosed shows the centering; however, the stamps do not have the few tiny dark spots that show in the picture. Recently in New York a single copy of this error sold for \$9,200.00. A true show piece for any collection. Price for pair \$14,750.00

If you will let us know whether or not you would be interested in seeing either or both of these items, we'll send them along as soon as possible. The photo of #C3a may be kept if you wish to acquire the pair; otherwise, we would appreciate its return to aid in offering the item to other clients.

We realize you are away for several weeks at this time, Mr. McGregor, and we are taking the liberty of asking your secretary to forward this letter to you if it is possible for her to do so. If not, may we please have an early reply upon your return? Thanks very much.

Sincerely yours,

H. E. HARRIS & CO.

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