

Unlisted Die Marriage

1876-S

WB-44, Very Small S

Obverse 38



- Date left and low (photo)



- Triangular shaped die chip in Liberty's gown to the left of the pole (photo)
- Uncracked

Reverse W



- Very small S mintmark below the crotch (photo)



- Diagonal (NW to SE) die line in the upper right corner of the eagle's left wing (photo)
- EDS: uncracked and strong lower vertical shield lines.

This die marriage has a new, previously unreported obverse die paired with a known reverse die. This the first use of this obverse die and first use of this reverse die.

My suggested die sequence for this reverse die is: WB-44 (this die marriage) – WB-35.

This die marriage is the first reported unlisted S-Mint die marriage and was discovered by Scott Mickelson.

Date grid: M2.5, .029"	Unknown reeds	Typical diameter = Unknown"	Rarity - 7
Drapery die state: Weak	Foot support: Strong	Denticles: Obverse - Full; Reverse - Full	
Grade of coin depicted: PCGS AU50	Coin from the Scott Mickelson collection		
Cross reference: WB-102.	July 2010, Version 1.0		

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