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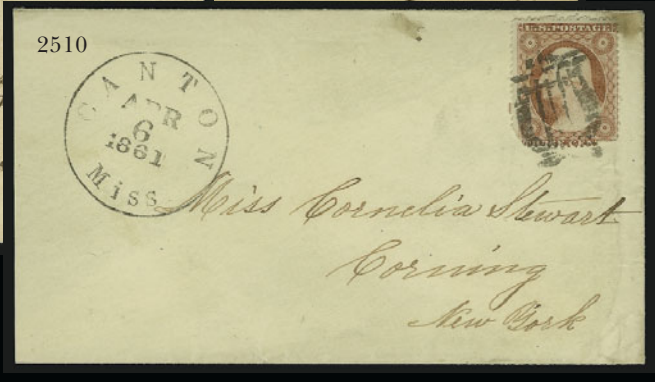
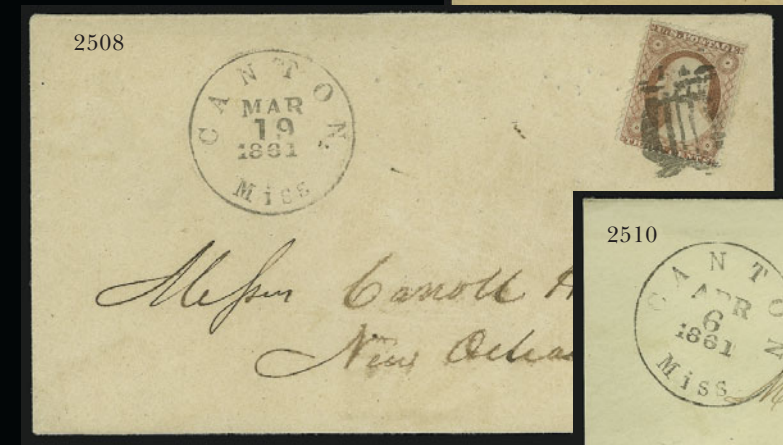
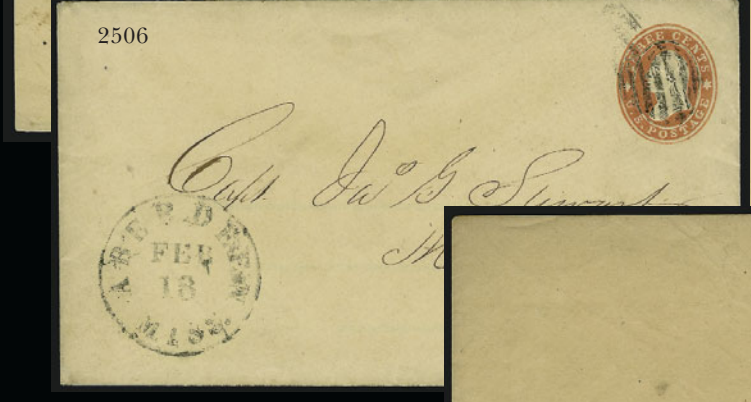
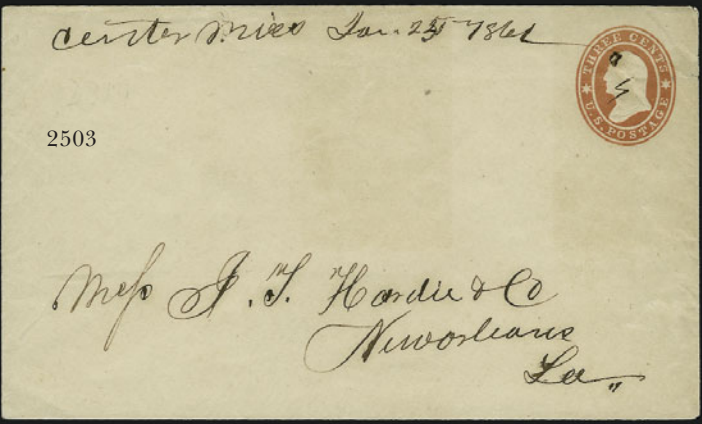
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FIRST SESSION (LOTS 2501-2697)

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 2006, AT 10:30 A.M.

CONFEDERATE STATES POSTAL HISTORY

INDEPENDENT AND CONFEDERATE STATE USE OF U.S. STAMPS

(ARRANGED CHRONOLOGICALLY)

- 2501 ☒ **Vaiden Miss. Jan. 14 (1861).** Well-struck circular datestamp in **blue** on 3c Red Star Die entire to Prattville Ala., slightly reduced at right and trivial edgewear, otherwise Fine and scarce Independent State usage..... E. 200-300
- 2502 ☒ **Jackson Miss. Jan. 17 (1861).** Clear strike of circular datestamp cancels 3c Red Star Die entire to Carroll, Hoy & Co. in New Orleans, usual small filing holes, Very Fine Independent State usage, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 200-300
- 2503 ☒ **“Center Miss. Jan. 25, 1861”.** Ms. pmk. on 3c Red Star Die entire to New Orleans, minor ink erosion spots at top not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Very Fine Independent State usage, ex Wunsch, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 200-300
- 2504 ☒ **Lexington Miss. Jan. 28 (1861).** Bold strike of circular datestamp with grid cancel on 3c Red Star Die entire to Danburg Ga., slightly reduced at left and some minor overall wear, Very Fine, scarce Independent State usage E. 200-300
- 2505 ☒ **Natchez Miss. Feb. 11, 1861.** Bold strike of circular datestamp ties 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26) on orange cover to Mendon N.Y., stamp with light crease not mentioned on accompanying certificate, Very Fine Confederate usage, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2506 ☒ **Aberdeen Miss. Feb. 18 (1861).** Clear strike of circular datestamp with grid on 3c Red Star Die entire to Mobile Ala., Very Fine Confederate usage..... E. 200-300
- 2507 ☒ **Brandon Miss. Feb. 25, 1861.** Light strike of circular datestamp on 3c Red Star Die entire to Raleigh Miss., Very Fine Confederate State usage E. 150-200
- 2508 ☒ **Canton Miss. Mar. 19, 1861.** Well-struck circular datestamp and **Lyre** fancy cancel tying 3c Dull Red (26) on cover to Carroll Hoy & Co. in New Orleans, Very Fine, choice example of this fancy cancel, which is scarce used in the Confederate period, ex Birkinbine E. 500-750
- 2509 ☒ **Lexington Miss. Mar. 23 (1861).** Clear strike of circular datestamp on 3c Red Nesbitt entire to New Orleans, 1861 docketing on back, Very Fine Confederate State usage E. 150-200
- 2510 ☒ **Canton Miss. Apr. 6, 1861.** Circular datestamp and **Lyre** cancel tying 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26) on cover to Corning N.Y., slightly reduced at left, small toned spot at top right, stamp with faults at bottom, still Very Fine strike of this desirable cancel E. 400-500



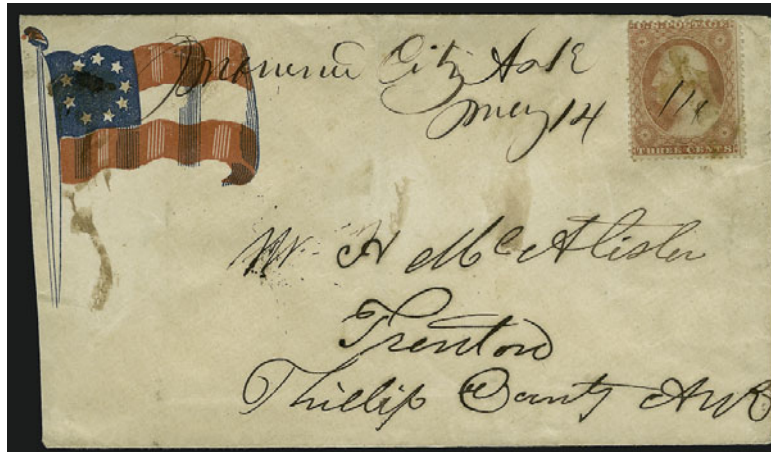
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- 2511 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. I-II-I (18-20-18).** Vertical strip of three, Positions 21/31/41R12, natural s.e. at left showing full center guideline, perfs trimmed at right, tied by three neat strikes of **Lyre fancy cancel**, matching “Canton Mi. Apr. 17” circular datestamp on cover to Carroll, Hoy & Co. in New Orleans, usual small filing pinholes, some slight edgewear at bottom
VERY FINE. A RARE USAGE OF THE ONE-CENT PERFORATED ISSUE, TIED BY FANCY CANCELS AND USED IN THE CONFEDERACY.
With 1988 P.F. and 2004 C.S.A. certificates..... E. 2,000-3,000



- 2512 ☒ **Lewisville Ark. Apr. 23 (1861).** Well-struck circular datestamp with day in ms., matching "Paid" handstamp cancels 3c Red Nesbitt entire to New Orleans, usual small filing holes, Very Fine Independent State usage, this "Paid" marking was reportedly only used during this period..... E. 200-300
- 2513 ☒ **Greenville Miss. May 3, 1861.** Blue double-circle datestamp cancels 3c Red Star Die entire to New Orleans, Very Fine, rare town marking E. 200-300

2514



- 2514 ☒ **"Mound City Ark. May 14" (1861).** Ms. pmk. with penstrokes on 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26) on red and blue 9-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic cover to Trenton Ark., stamp with some soiling, some overall wear, Very Fine, rare Independent State usage, Arkansas seceded on May 6 and was admitted to the Confederacy on May 14, the ninth star on the flag was for Arkansas, which became the ninth state to join the Confederacy E. 2,000-3,000
- 2515 ☒ **Corinth Miss. May 30 (1861).** Bold circular datestamp with "Paid" handstamp on cover to Plattsburg Miss., with original 1861-dated enclosure, contents note "they are about five thousand soldiers here and still coming, we not have any uniforms yet", Very Fine, used two days before postal relations were severed, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2516 ☒ **Missouri into Confederate Arkansas.** 3c Red Nesbitt Entire (U9) to a Dr. Snyder in Camden Ark., clear "Bolivar Mo. Apr. 30" (1861) circular datestamp and additional "Camden Ark. Jun. 5" circular datestamp and ms. "For. 1/5 due" at left, waterstains at right, otherwise Fine, very rare and unusual combination of U.S. and Confederate rates before and after June 1, 1861, the cover is not redirected to another post office, presumably the forwarding notation indicates that the U.S. 3c was not recognized and that Dr. Snyder's mail was held pending his return or a new address..... E. 500-750

OLD STAMPS NOT RECOGNIZED, MAILS SUSPENDED



2517

- 2517 ☒ **New Orleans “due 10”.** Straightline handstamp on cover to New Orleans with obsolete 3c Dull Red (26) tied by blue “Nashville Ten. Jun. 6(?), 1861” circular datestamp, slightly reduced at top, filing pinholes as usual for Carroll Hoy correspondence, stamp also with small pinholes (also probably from filing), otherwise Very Fine, this is essentially a Confederate “Old Stamps Not Recognized” usage received in New Orleans after the start of the Confederate postal system, with 2004 P.F. certificate E. 750-1,000



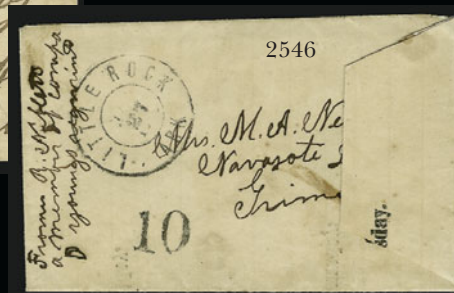
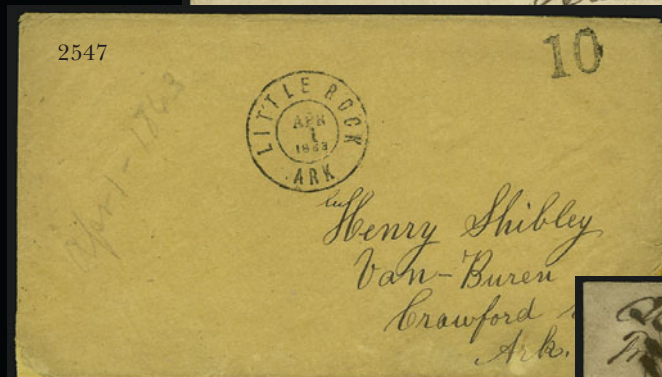
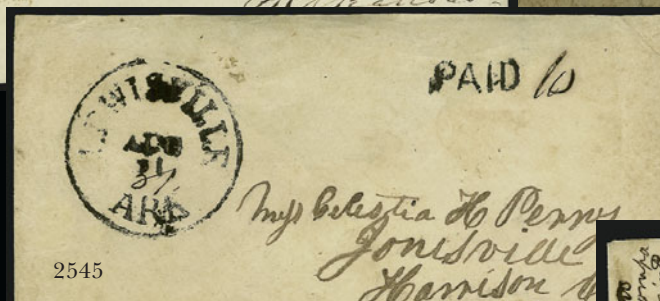
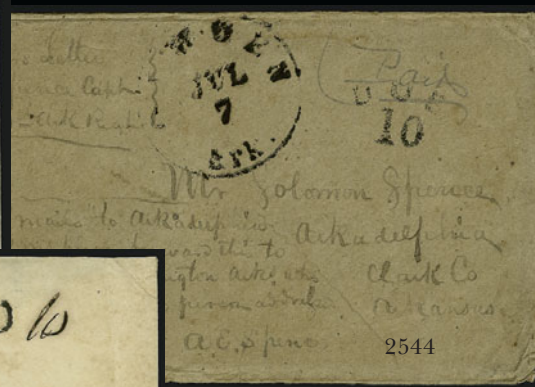
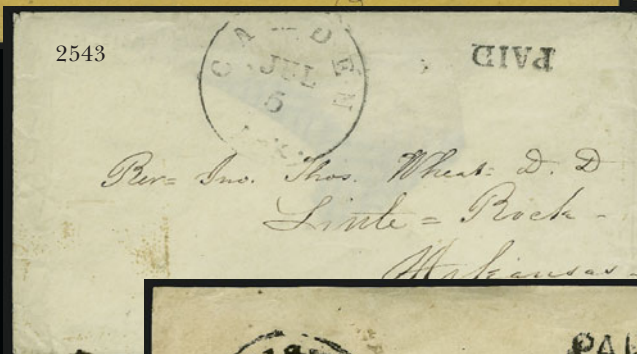
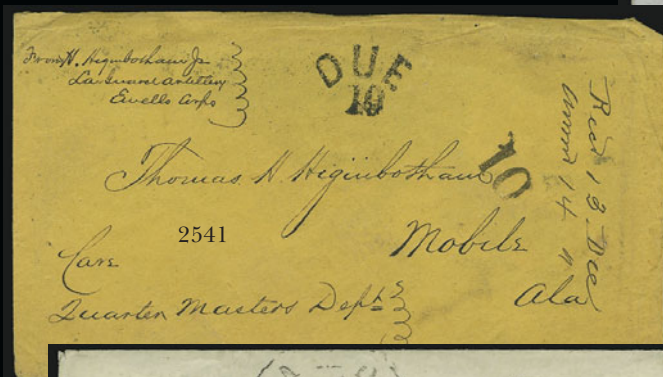
- 2518 ☒ **3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26).** Cancelled by ms. “Springport Ky. Sep. 30” ms. pmk. on yellow cover to Greenupsburg Ky., clear strikes of “Dead Letter Office P.O. Dpt.” oval with “Washington D.C. Feb. 4, 1862” circular datestamp and “Due 6cts.”, slightly reduced at left, expertly restored, appears Very Fine, attractive attempted use of the old stamps E. 500-750
- 2519 ☒ **MAILS SUSPENDED.** Clearly struck blue oval handstamp ties 3c Rose (65), also tied by grid with “Flemingsburg Ky. May 23” circular datestamp on buff cover to Bowling Green Va., no year date, probably mailed after Appomattox but before postal service was restored to the region, Very Fine, ex Brown and Gallagher E. 1,500-2,000
- 2520° ☒ **MAILS SUSPENDED.** Dead Letter Office’s oval handstamp clearly struck on 3c Pink entire to Fredericksburg Va., “Phila. Pa. May 11” (1865) circular datestamp and target, slight wear and toning at edges, still Very Fine, although the Army of Northern Virginia surrendered a month earlier, there was still no regular mail service between the North and South — a rare example of the “Mails Suspended” marking used very late in the war, ex Meroni E. 1,000-1,500
- 2521 ☒ **CANNOT BE FORWARDED.** Framed straightline with corresponding New Orleans backstamp on cover to Clinton La., originating with 3c Rose (65), tied by target, “Mount Pulaski Ill. Jul. 10” circular datestamp, some slight overall soiling, Very Fine, attractive example of this suspended-mail marking E. 500-750
- 2522 ☒ **CANNOT BE FORWARDED.** Mostly clear framed straightline on cover to Collinsburg La., 3c Rose (65) cancelled in ms., matching ms. “Randolph ?? July 17” postmark at lower left corner, sender’s routing “Via Shreveport”, “New Orleans La. Aug. 8” double-circle datestamp on back (where “Cannot Be Forwarded” marking was applied), reduced at left, faint lightened stain, Fine appearance, rare attempted trans-Mississippi mailing, probably post-war before service was fully restored, ex Seacrest E. 500-750
- 2523 ☒ **3c Rose (65).** S.e. at left and few short perfs at right, **affixed over 3c Dull Red (11)** and cancelled by grid, “New Orleans La. May 13, 1863” double-circle datestamp on cover to Boston Mass., clear strike of “**Held for Postage**” and with second New Orleans double-circle datestamp dated June 16, Very Fine, unusual late attempted usage of the demonetized 3c stamp E. 500-750



- 2524 ☒ **3c Rose (65).** Tied by “Little Rock Ark. Jul. 6, 1866” double-circle datestamp with target on orange cover to Chester C.H. S.C., clear strike of “**Held for Postage**” in oval handstamp and with **uncancelled 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26)**, back of cover with “**Good Samaritan**” label, stamps with faults, still Very Fine, rare attempted usage of the demonetized 3c stamp with postage paid by Good Samaritan..... E. 300-400
- 2525 ☒ **3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26).** Uncancelled, affixed to cover to Madison N.H., neat “Lowell Ms. Jul. 25, 1862” double-circle datestamp and “Due 3” handstamp, some slight toning and minor edgewear, Very Fine attempted usage of the old stamp E. 150-200

EXPRESS USAGES

- 2526 ☒ **Adams Express Company, Great Eastern, Western & Southern Express Forwarders, New-York.** Blue oval handstamp on 3c Red Star Die entire to Athens Tenn., “Sweet Water Ten. May 27” (1861) circular datestamp, slightly reduced at top, otherwise Very Fine, scarce express usage as mail routes between North and South were closed down, Sweetwater lies just north of Athens, ex Meroni and Gallagher..... E. 750-1,000
- 2527 ☒ **American Letter Ex. Co., Louisville Ky, 307 Green.** Blue backstamp on cover with 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26) tied by blue grid, matching “Louisville Ky. Aug. 2, 1861” double-circle datestamp on cover from Nashville Tenn. to Somerset Ky., expertly repaired along left edge where reduced, Fine, ex Antrim and Gallagher, with 1973 P.F. certificate..... E. 400-500
- 2528 ☒ **Am. Letter Exp. Co. Louisville Ky. 307 Green.** Blue circular handstamp, partly clear strike on 3c Red Star Die entire to Lexington Va., blue “Nashville Ten. Aug. 20, 1861” circular datestamp with matching “Paid” and “10” rate handstamp, additional strike of company handstamp on back, light fold at left, Fine, with printed announcement for service (instructions for mailing, rates etc.), ex Gallagher..... E. 750-1,000
- 2529 ☒ **Am. Letter Exp. Co. Louisville Ky.** Blue dateless circle on 3c Red Star Die entire to Millwood Va., blue “Nashville Ten. Aug. 10, 1861” circular datestamp with matching “Paid” and “10” rate handstamp, with original letter enclosure datelined St. Louis Mo. Aug. 8, begins “*As Mr. Page goes to Kentucky today and will express this letter for me from Louisville, I have determined to send you a few lines of congratulation on account of the escape of so many at your household from death in the late awful battle at Manassas.*”, excellent content from a lady to her brother, closes “*Here we don’t dare call Jeff Davis’s name above our breath.*” Fine, ex Gallagher..... E. 750-1,000
- 2530 ☒ **“Mrs. Don. P. Halsey, Care Col. K. Otey, Adams Express, Lynchburg Va.”** Address on cover with ms. “*Col. Otey sir please deliver immediately as it is important business*”, Very Fine.. E. 200-300
- 2531 ☒ **Adams Southern Express.** Nine covers, incl. six with Adams imprint (two in red, four in black), docketing indicates all from W.G. Twyman with one dated July 18, 1862 from “**Chimboraso Hospital No. 5**” at Richmond Va., some edgewear, overall Fine-Very Fine**(Photo Ex)** E. 500-750
- 2532 **“War Risk Excepted”.** Manuscript disclaimer on Southern Express Company part-printed express receipt from Lynchburg Va., dated Sep. 1862, Very Fine, this disclaimer is very scarce on Confederate receipts E. 100-150
- 2533 ☒ **Virginia Express Company.** Imprint at top of orange cover to Lewisburg W. Va., missing part of top flap, Very Fine, rare E. 300-400
- 2534 ☒ **“Per Pony Express to Staunton.”** Endorsement on orange cover to Lexington, Va., light “Staunton Va. Sep. 1861” circular datestamp with matching “Paid” and “10” handstamp, ms. box charge in same hand as endorsement, small edge stain, Fine, a very rare, possibly unique usage probably representing a private courier service, ex Baer, Knapp, Emerson, with 1994 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 2535 ☒ **Forwarded by the Adams Express Co. from Elizabethtown, Ky.** Black on yellow glazed label (slightly oxidized), affixed with brown mucilage (smears around label) to 3c Red Star Die entire to Nashville Tenn., ms. “Paid”, from the Knowles correspondence and therefore likely to be an early 1861 express usage, Fine, very scarce Kentucky express label, ex Gallagher E. 400-500
- 2536 ☒ **Forwarded by the Adams Express Co. from Louisville, Ky.** Black on yellow glazed label on 3c Pink entire to Chattanooga Tenn., ms. “Pd 2/- B” express charge (two bits, or 25c), “Three Gatherings” label on back, Aug. 10, 1869, Very Fine..... E. 500-750
- 2537 ☒ **Forwarded by the Adams Express Co. from Louisville, Ky.** Black on yellow glazed label, fold thru cover and label (tying), 3c Rose (65) tied by blue “Louisville Ky. Jan. 4, 1864” double-circle datestamp and grid on cover to hospital at Fort Snelling Minn., Very Fine, scarce wartime express usage, ex Gallagher..... E. 300-400

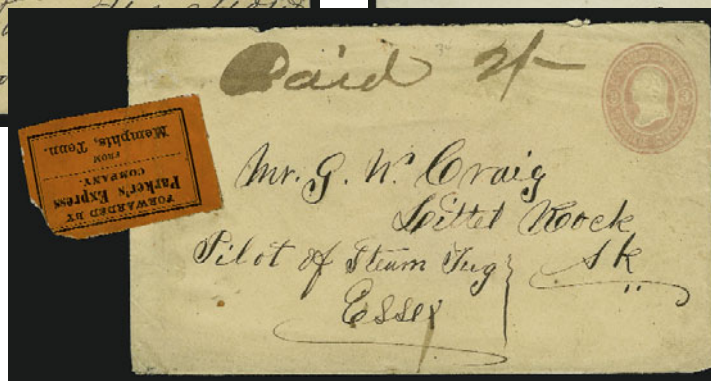




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- 2538 ☒ **Internal Revenue Paid, Forwarded by Adams Express Co. from New Orleans Louisiana.** Orange label affixed to bottom left of cover to Groton Mass., March 4, 1862 original enclosure accompanies, cover tear at right and reduced at right, still Very Fine, scarce usage..... E. 750-1,000
- 2539 ☒ **Internal Revenue Paid, Forwarded by Adams Express Co. from New Orleans Louisiana.** Orange label affixed at top left on 3c Pink entire to Marion Ala., minor edgewear, some oxidation to entire, otherwise Very Fine..... E. 750-1,000
- 2540 ☒ **Forwarded by Parker's Express Company From Memphis Tenn.** Orange label on 3c Pink entire to Little Rock Ark., endorsed "Pilot of the Steam Tug Essex", ms. "Paid 2/-", some wear, label affixed over edge and opened for display (faults), Fine, scarce express usage, probably sent during early post-war period (possibly during Federal Occupation of Memphis and Little Rock), with 1975 P.F. certificate..... E. 500-750

HANDSTAMPED PAIDS AND DUES (ARRANGED BY STATE)

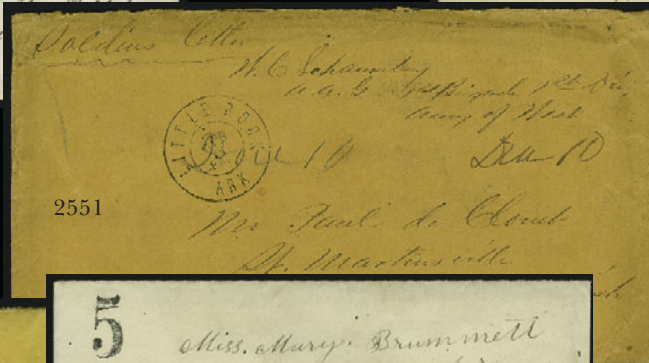
- 2541 ☒ **(Mobile Ala.) Due 10.** Clear strike of handstamp on orange cover to Mobile Ala., ms. docketing from La. Guard Artillery, second strike of "10" handstamp, missing top flap, Very Fine... E. 100-150
- 2542 ☒ **Buck Horn Ark. Feb. 23.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with matching "Paid" and "10" in circle handstamps on 1862 folded letter to Memphis Tenn., Very Fine handstamped Paid usage..... E. 200-300
- 2543 ☒ **Camden Ark. Jul. 5.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with "Paid" handstamp on cover to Little Rock Ark., some slight wear, Very Fine, this circular datestamp and "Paid" marking were only used during the Confederate period..... E. 200-300
- 2544 ☒ **Camden Ark. Jul. 7.** Circular datestamp with "Due 10" handstamp on soldier's letter to Arkadelphia Ark., sender's alternative routing instructions if mails are not able to reach Arkadelphia, pencil "Paid" at top left, minor edgewear, Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 2545 ☒ **Lewisville Ark. Aug. 31.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with matching "Paid" and ms. "10" on cover to Jonesville Tex., missing top flap and some wear, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 2546 ☒ **Little Rock Ark. Jan. 27.** Clear strike of double-circle datestamp with "10" handstamp on adversity lady's cover made from printed ledger sheet to Navasote Depot Texas, docketing at left indicates military origination, Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 2547 ☒ **Little Rock Ark. Apr. 1, 1863.** Well-struck double-circle datestamp with matching "10" on orange cover to Van Buren Ark., repairs at corners, otherwise Very Fine, late Confederate usage, Little Rock fell to Union forces only a few months later..... E. 200-300
- 2548 ☒ **Little Rock Ark. Jan. 4, 1863.** Clear double-circle datestamp with two "10" handstamps obliterated by targets and with "Paid 10" in circle on cover to Jefferson Texas, ms. "Clothing Bureau, Trans-Miss. Dept." at top left, some wear, Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 2549 ☒ **Little Rock Ark. Jan. 29, 1863.** Bold double-circle datestamp with "10" rating on gray and white wallpaper cover to Bonner's Ferry Tex., "Rusk Texas Feb. 13" transit, soldier's endorsement at top left, opened for display, Very Fine, unusual usage..... E. 400-500



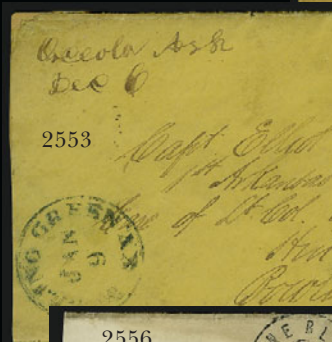
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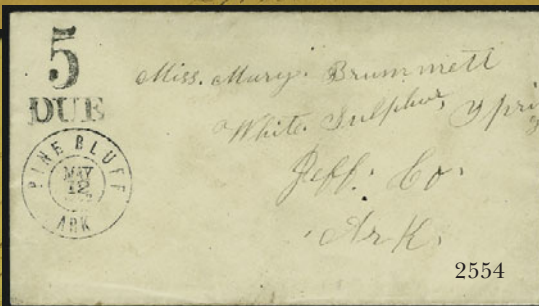
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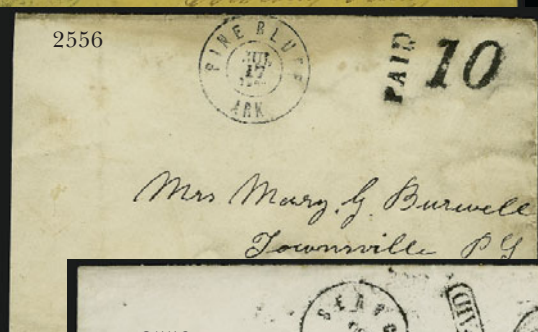
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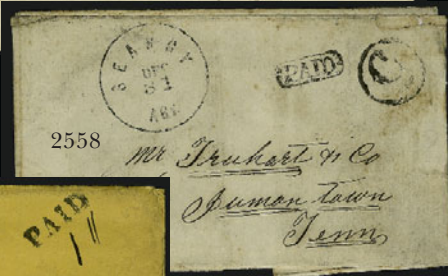
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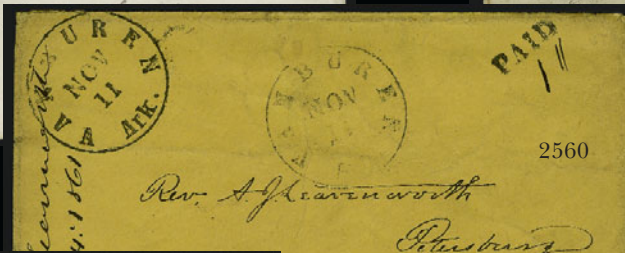
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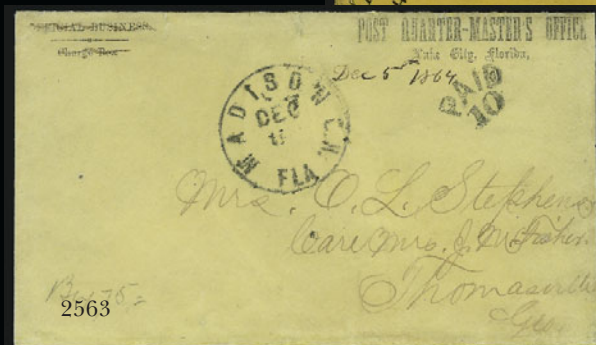
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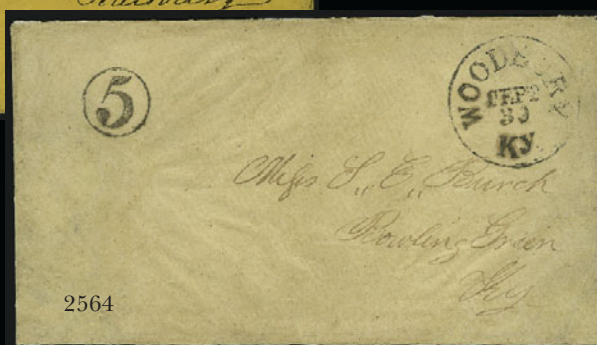
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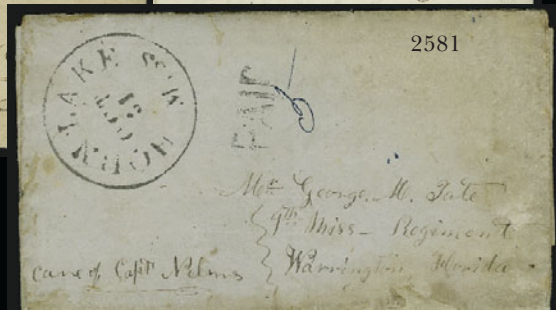
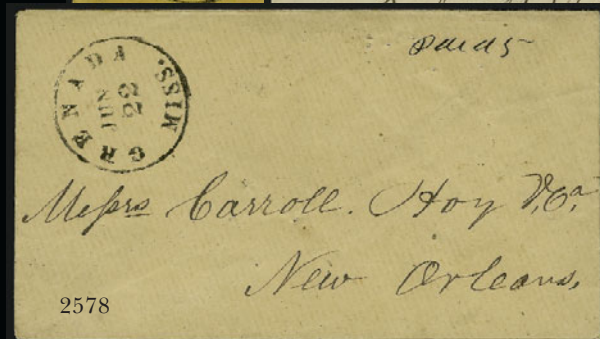
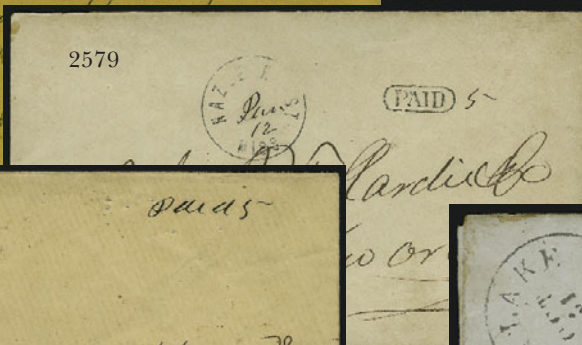
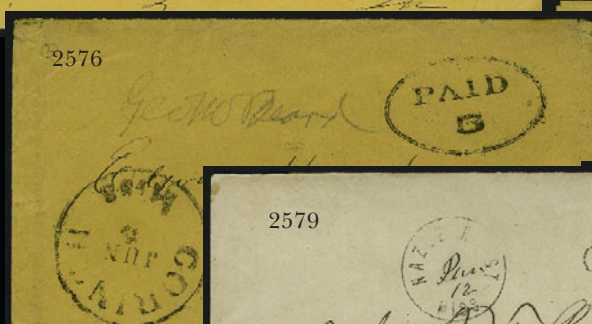
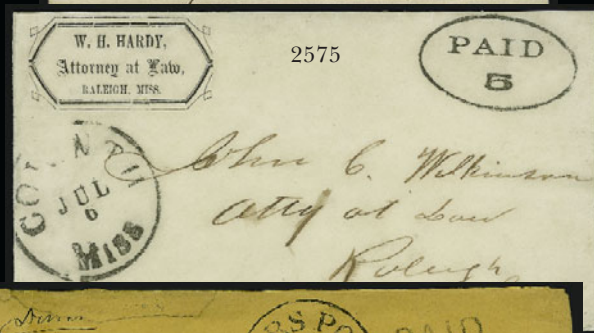
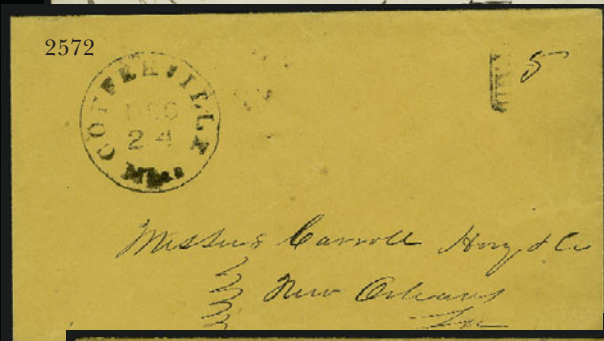
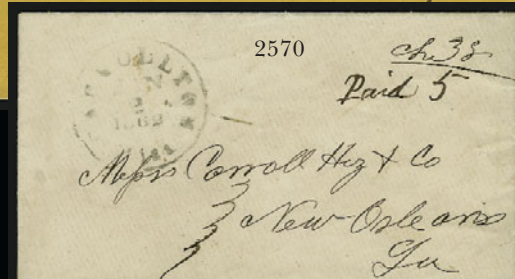
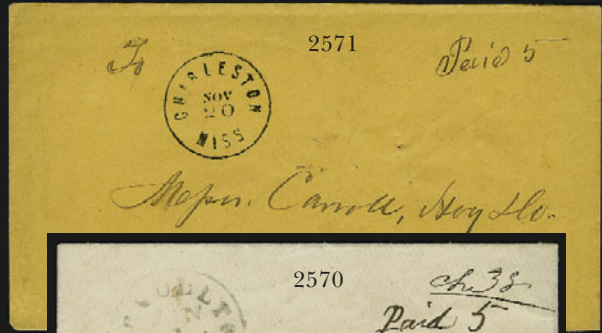
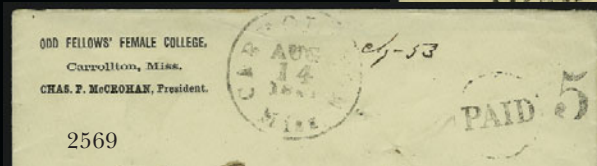
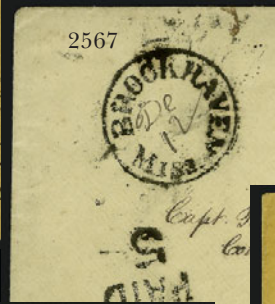
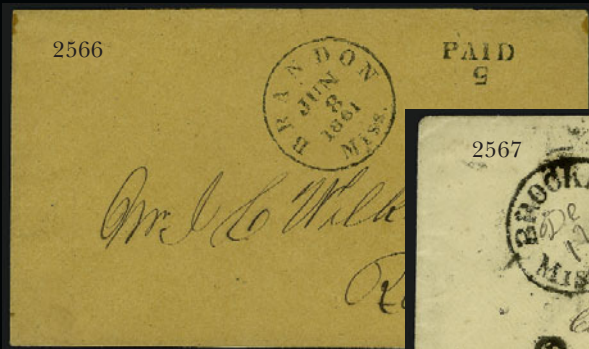


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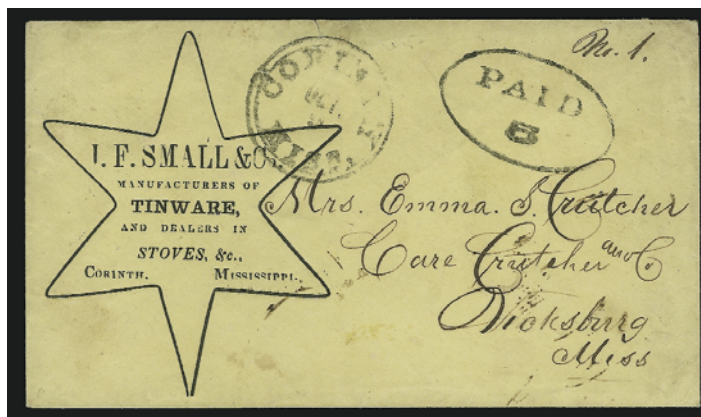
- 2550 ☒ **Little Rock Ark. Mar. 16.** Double-circle datestamp with "Paid 10" in circle on 1863 folded letter to Russellville Ark., Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 2551 ☒ **Little Rock Ark. Apr. 3.** Double-circle datestamp with ms. "Due 10" written twice on soldier's letter from Army of the West to St. Martinsville La., slight edgewear, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 2552 ☒ **Little Rock Ark. Dec. 17, 1862.** Double-circle datestamp with "10" on cover to Rusk Texas, soldier's endorsement at top left, with original enclosure datelined "*Camp Bayou Mito Ark. Decr. 7/62*", scuff affects datestamp, otherwise Fine..... E. 200-300
- 2553 ☒ **"Osceola Ark. Dec. 6".** Ms. pmk. with matching "Paid 5" on orange cover to Bowling Green Ky., with original enclosure datelined 1861 from Mill Bayou, blue receiving datestamp, Very Fine, unusual usage, Mill Bayou had a post office from 1841-81 and so this could have been mailed there but for some reason was not..... E. 300-400
- 2554 ☒ **Pine Bluff Ark. May 12, 1862.** Double-circle datestamp with bold "5" and "Due" handstamps attractively struck on cover to White Sulphur Springs Ark., Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 2555 ☒ **Pine Bluff Ark. Dec. 23.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with matching "Paid" and "10" handstamps on cover to Livingston Ala., slight edgewear, Very Fine usage..... E. 200-300
- 2556 ☒ **Pine Bluff Ark. Jul. 17, 1862.** Clear strike of double-circle datestamp with matching "Paid" and "10" handstamps on cover to Townsville P.O. N.C., slight edgewear, some toning, still Very Fine usage, the 10c rate had just gone into effect..... E. 200-300
- 2557 ☒ **Princeton Ark. Mar. 8.** Clear strike of circular datestamp in **green** with matching "Paid" and "10" handstamps on cover to New Orleans, usual small filing holes, Very Fine, scarce, ex Kohn and Myerson E. 400-500
- 2558 ☒ **Searcy Ark. Dec. 31.** Circular datestamp with matching "Paid" and "5" handstamps on 1861 folded letter to Germantown ("Jumantown") Tenn., some wear, Very Fine strikes, scarce hand-stamped Paid usage, especially paying the 5c rate for distances less than 500 miles... E. 300-400
- 2559 ☒ **Searcy Ark. Oct. 3.** Circular datestamp with "Paid" and "10" handstamps on cover to Knoxville Tenn., Very Fine, ex Dietz E. 200-300
- 2560 ☒ **Van Buren Ark. Nov. 11.** Well-struck circular datestamp with second strike at center, matching "Paid" and ms. "10" on orange cover to Petersburg Va., 1861 docketing, missing part of top flap, some edgewear incl. restored bottom right corner, appears Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 2561 ☒ **Confederate Arkansas Balance.** 23 covers, incl. handstamped Pairs or ms. from Barkada, Hibernia, Pocohantas, Helena, Hamburg, Lewisville, Monticello, Osceola, South Bend, also adversary **wallpaper** cover with ms. "O.B." to Woodlawn, pair of No. 1 from Little Rock to Texas, No. 1 from Van Buren Ark. to Little Rock, turned usage with pair of No. 7 inside and No. 2 from Little Rock to Texas, No. 12 from Pine Bluff to Benton Ark., few with pairs of No. 6 and 7, some faults to be expected, overall Very Fine, scarce and worthwhile group.....*Not illustrated* E. 2,000-3,000
- 2562 ☒ **Union Arkansas Postal History.** 14 covers, five with original enclosures incl. some with more interesting content, incl. few sent from Fayetteville Ark. and posted at Cassville Mo., early Union occupation of Little Rock with enclosure datelined on Dec. 7, 1863, few with No. 65 used in Little Rock incl. one Advertised, two with U.S. Christian Commission illustrated imprint, one with "Forty Rounds" patriotic design, one with semi-official from Headquarters, Sup't. Volunteers Regiment, some faults to be expected, most fresh and Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* E. 1,000-1,500
- 2563 ☒ **Madison C.H. Fla. Dec.** Circular datestamp with "Paid 10" handstamp on yellow **Quartermaster's Office** imprint cover to Thomasville Ga., 1864 docketing, barely reduced at right, gently cleaned, repaired along edges with original side flaps reattached, still appears Very Fine, ex Bogg, with 1999 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2564 ☒ **Woodbury Ky. Sept. 30.** Bold circular datestamp and "5" in circle on brown cover to Bowling Green Ky., with Sept. 1, 1861 letter enclosed (same correspondence) mentioning trains between Woodbury and Bowling Green have stopped running, expertly restored at lower left where torn (piece added), Very Fine appearance, the only recorded Confederate cover from Woodbury, ex Gallagher E. 500-750
- 2565 ☒ **Benton Miss. Jul. 11.** Clear circular datestamp and ms. "10" due on pale green cover with bright green **Soldier and 11-Star Confederate Flag scene in oval**, slogan "For Land & Life, Children & Wife" (Dietz SN-4), soldier's endorsement and addressed to Macon Miss., lightly soiled and expertly cleaned, minor ink erosion in "10" expertly filled, appears Very Fine, ex Moses, Meroni, Everett, with 2002 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 1,000-1,500



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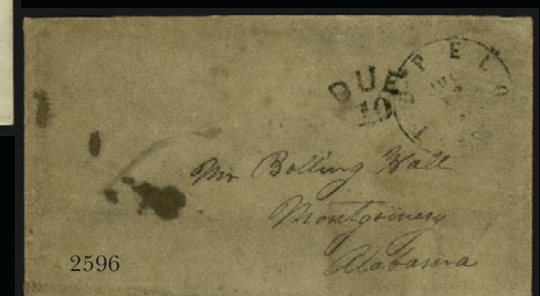
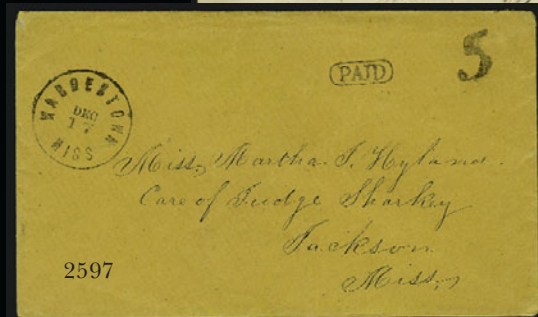
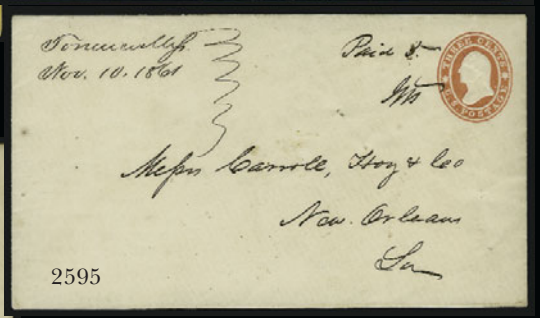
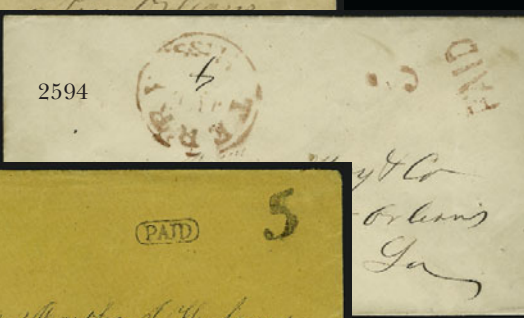
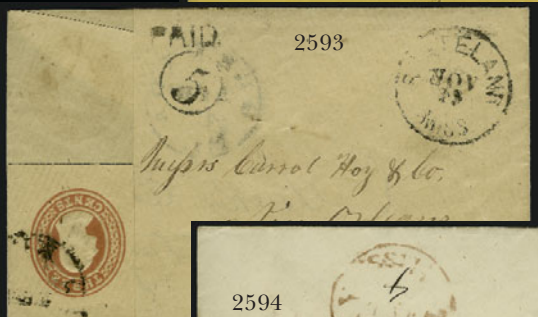
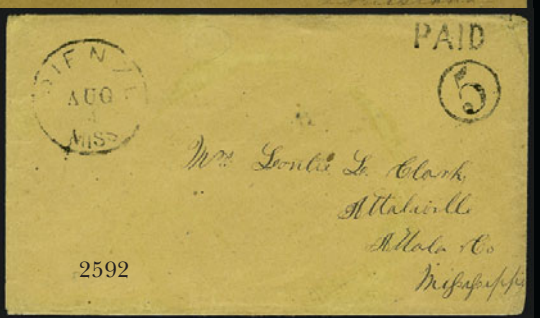
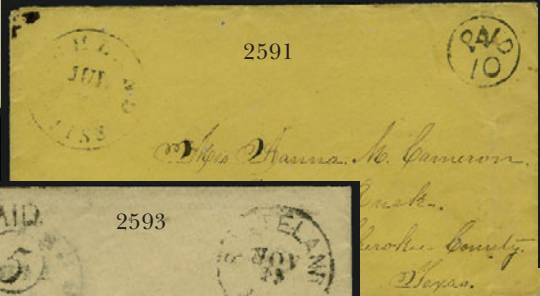
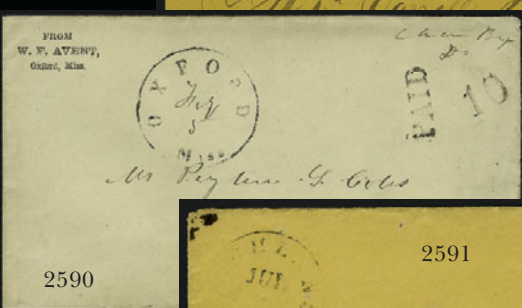
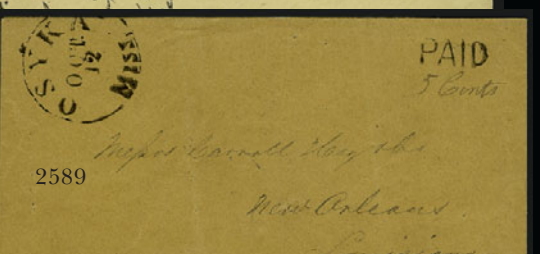
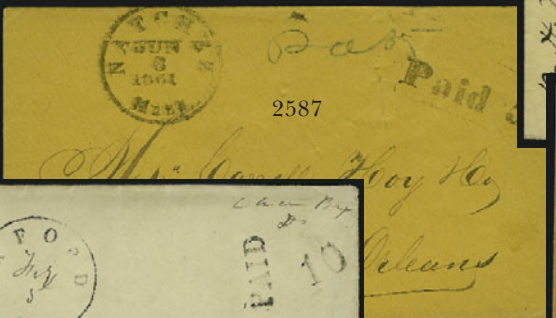
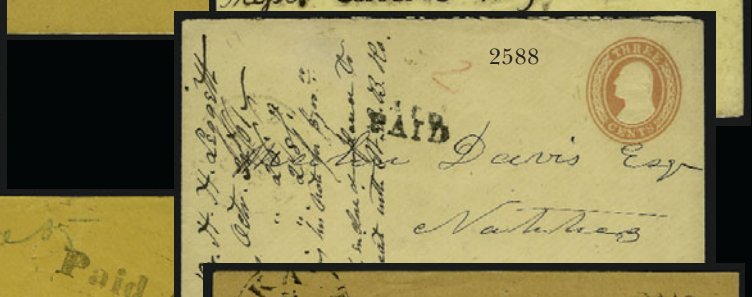
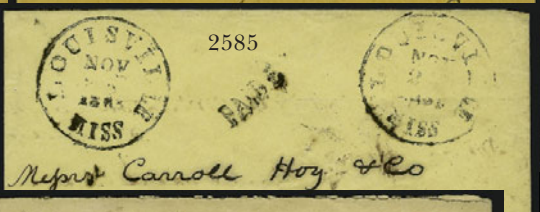
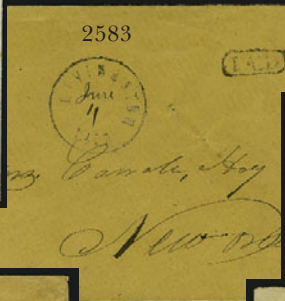


- 2566 ☒ **Brandon Miss. Jun. 8, 1861.** Well-struck circular datestamp with matching "Paid 5" handstamp with "5" inverted on orange cover to Raleigh Miss., fresh and Very Fine, a beautiful cover, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2567 ☒ **Brookhaven Miss. Dec. 12.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with date in ms., matching strike of "Paid 5" two-line handstamp on cover to Camp Quitman in Pensacola Fla., Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 150-200
- 2568 ☒ **Canton Miss. Nov. 4, 1861.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with woodcut "Paid 5" handstamp on blue folded letter to New Orleans, horizontal file fold well away from markings with few small erosion spots, Very Fine strikes, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 300-400
- 2569 ☒ **Carrollton Miss. Aug. 14, 1861.** Neat strike of circular datestamp with matching "Paid" in circle and "5" handstamps on cover with **"Odd Fellows' Female College" corner card** to New Orleans, fresh and Very Fine college cover E. 500-750
- 2570 ☒ **Carrollton Miss. Jan. 2, 1862.** Strike of circular datestamp with ms. "Paid 5" and box charge no. on pink-lined cover to New Orleans, right flap opened for display, Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2571 ☒ **Charleston Miss. Nov. 20.** Well-struck circular datestamp with ms. "Paid 5" on orange cover to New Orleans, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 2572 ☒ **Coffeeville Miss. Dec. 24.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with matching "Paid" in oval and ms. "5" on orange cover to New Orleans, Very Fine, scarce town marking, ex Walcott.... E. 200-300
- 2573 ☒ **Columbus Miss. Sep. 12.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with matching "Paid" and pencil "5" on cover to Ala., 1861 docketing at left, Very Fine handstamped Paid usage, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 150-200

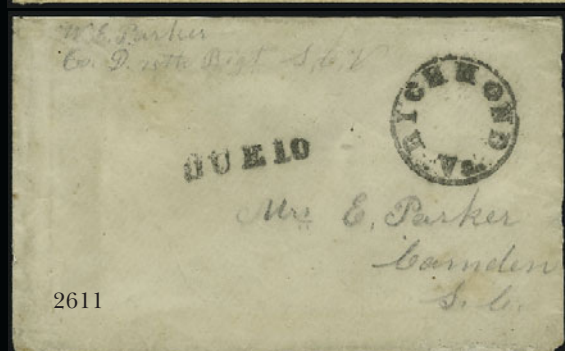
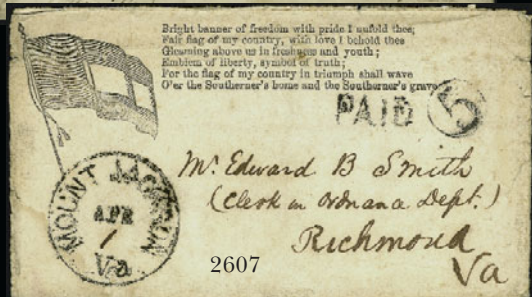
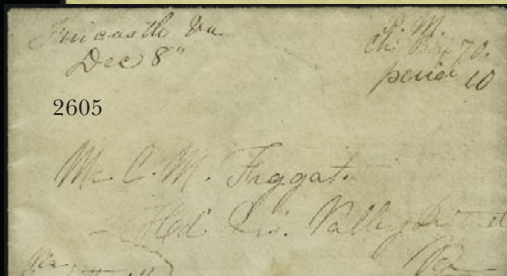
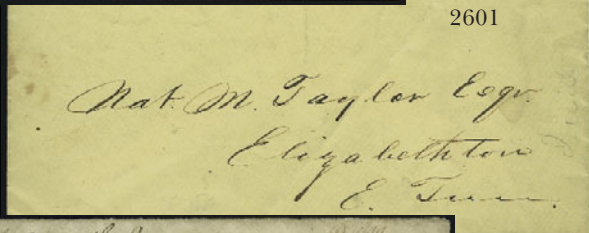
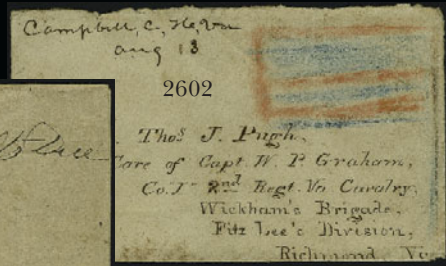
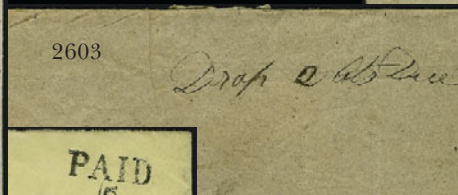


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- 2574 ☒ **Corinth Miss. Oct. 9.** Double-line circular datestamp and bold "Paid 5" in oval on cover to Vicksburgh Miss. with **tinware and stove merchant's large 6-point star corner card**, very unusual and striking design, small piece missing from backflap, still Very Fine, ex Peters, Hart and Kohn. E. 750-1,000
- 2575 ☒ **Corinth Miss. Jul. 6.** Well-struck circular datestamp with matching "Paid 5" in oval on cover with **attorney's corner card** to Raleigh Miss., expertly restored with top flap replaced, Very Fine appearance, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 400-500
- 2576 ☒ **Corinth Miss. Jun. 5.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with matching "Paid 5" in oval on orange cover to Oxford Miss., slight edgewear, Very Fine strikes, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 300-400
- 2577 ☒ **Friars Point Miss. Oct. 5.** Circular datestamp with matching "Paid" and ms. "10" on orange cover to New Orleans, part of top flap missing and small repair at top left, otherwise Very Fine, scarce town marking, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 150-200
- 2578 ☒ **Grenada Miss. Jun. 22.** Well-struck circular datestamp with ms. "Paid 5" on cover to New Orleans, fresh and Very Fine, ex Matz..... E. 200-300
- 2579 ☒ **Hazle Hurst Miss. Jan. 12.** Circular datestamp with date in ms., matching "Paid" in oval and ms. "5" on cover to New Orleans, fresh and Very Fine example of this handstamped Paid marking, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2580 ☒ **Hazle Hurst Miss. March 10.** Clear circular datestamp with date in ms., matching "Paid" in oval and ms. "5" on 1862 folded letter to New Orleans, small tear at top, appears Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2581 ☒ **Horn Lake Miss. Oct. 31.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with matching "Paid" handstamp and blue ms. "5" on folded letter to Warrington Fla., contents touch on the war, some splitting along folds, otherwise Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 300-400

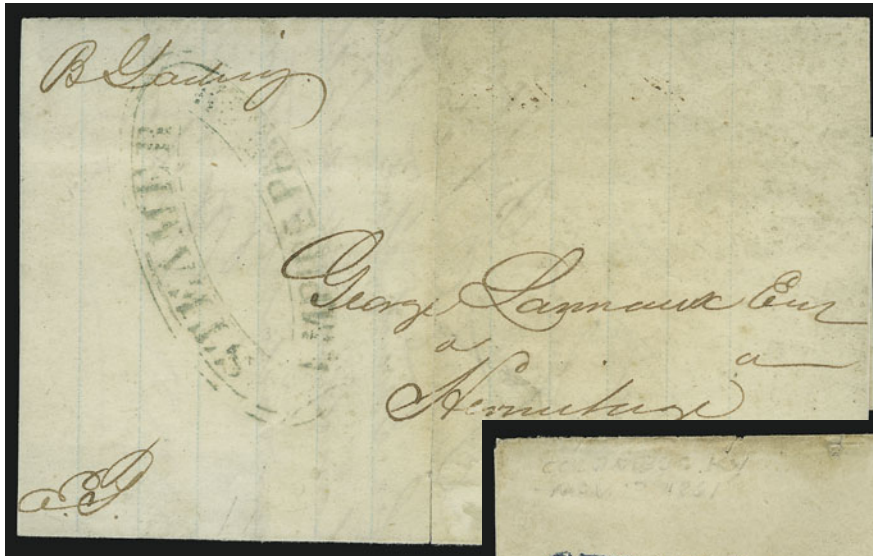


- 2582 ☒ **Lexington Miss. Jul. 19.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with matching “Paid” and “5” handstamps on cover to Cynthianna Tenn., Very Fine, scarce, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 150-200
- 2583 ☒ **Livingston Miss. June 11.** Datestamp with date in ms., matching “Paid” in oval with ms. “5” on orange cover to New Orleans, Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 150-200
- 2584 ☒ **Livingston Miss. Jun. 24.** Clear strike with date in ms., ms. “Paid 5” on orange cover to New Orleans, fresh and Very Fine, scarce handstamped Paid marking, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2585 ☒ **Louisville Miss. Nov. 25, 1861.** Two strikes of circular datestamp with “Paid 5” handstamp on yellow cover to New Orleans, minor wear, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 2586 ☒ **Macon Miss. Jun. 24.** Double-circle datestamp with matching “Paid 5” handstamp on orange cover to Noland Miss., slightly reduced at left, Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 150-200
- 2587 ☒ **Natchez Miss. Jun. 8, 1861.** Clear strike with matching “Paid 5” handstamp on orange cover to New Orleans, blue crayon paid designation, Very Fine, attractive usage, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 200-300
- 2588 ☒ **Natchez Miss. Oct. 25, 1861.** Light strike of circular datestamp on incoming 3c entire, red crayon “2”, “Paid” handstamp, docketed at left, Fine, the 3c entire was not recognized as valid postage, ex White, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2589 ☒ **Osyka Miss. Oct. 12.** Bold circular datestamp with matching “Paid” handstamp, ms. “5 Cents” on orange cover to New Orleans, Very Fine, scarce handstamped Paid, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 300-400
- 2590 ☒ **Oxford Miss. Feb. 5.** Circular datestamp with date is ms., clear strikes of “Paid” and “10” handstamps on cover to Va., Very Fine, scarce only two are recorded, ex Walcott and Everett E. 200-300
- 2591 ☒ **Richland Miss. Jul. 7.** Readable strike of circular datestamp with matching “Paid 10” in circle on orange cover to Rusk Tex., with original 1862-dated contents, Very Fine, possibly unique usage to Texas..... E. 200-300
- 2592 ☒ **Rienzi Miss. Aug. 4.** Matching “Paid” and “5” in circle handstamps on orange cover to Attalaville Miss., minor edgewear, Very Fine, ex Kohn E. 200-300
- 2593 ☒ **Stateland Miss. Nov. 19.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with matching “Paid” and “5” in circle handstamp on **turned** cover to New Orleans, inside is 3c entire from Grenada Mi. to Stateland, opened for display, Very Fine, scarce and unusual usage..... E. 200-300
- 2594 ☒ **Terry Miss. Jul. 4.** Red circular datestamp with day in ms., matching “Paid” and “5” handstamps on cover to New Orleans, Fine, scarce usage with red handstamps E. 200-300
- 2595 ☒ **“Torrance Miss. Nov. 10, 1861”.** Ms. pmk. with matching “paid 5” and postmaster’s initials on 3c Red Star Die entire to New Orleans, fresh and Very Fine, rare usage, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 200-300
- 2596 ☒ **Tupelo Miss. Jul. 12.** Neat strike with matching “Due 10” on cover to Montgomery Ala., some wear, Very Fine..... E. 150-200
- 2597 ☒ **Warrenton Miss. Dec. 17.** Well-struck circular datestamp with matching “Paid” in oval and “5” handstamps on orange cover to Jackson Miss., fresh and Very Fine..... E. 200-300



- 2598 ☒ **West Point Miss. Mar. 5.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with **woodcut “Paid 5” in circle** handstamp on 1862 folded letter to Jackson Miss., Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2599 ☒ **Confederate Mississippi Handstamped Paid Balance.** Ten covers, mostly handstamped Paid 5 but also two Due 10 covers, range of towns incl. Vaiden, Canton, Carrollton (2), Winona, Aberdeen, Corinth, Clinton, most Fine-Very Fine*Not illustrated* E. 500-750
- 2600 ☒ **Confederate Mississippi Covers.** Seven, incl. two with No. 2 (one used on 3c Red Star Die entire), three with pairs of No. 7, one with No. 11 and one with No. 12, towns incl. Verona, Fayette struck in blue, Water Valley ms. pmk., some faults, few appear Fine.....*Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 2601 ☒ **(Knoxville Tenn.) Paid 5.** Clear strike of marking with hollow “5” on yellow cover to Elizabethtown Tenn., Very Fine, scarce, ex Gallagher E. 300-400
- 2602 ☒ **“Campbell C.H. Va. Aug. 13”.** Ms. pmk. with no indication of rating on homemade cover with **hand-drawn flag Patriotic** to military address at Richmond Va., beautiful penmanship in address, missing top flap and some minor edgewear, Very Fine, scarce hand-drawn patriotic E. 300-400
- 2603 ☒ **“Drop 2c Due”.** Ms. designation on homemade cover to Churchville Va., some overall wear, Very Fine, scarce usage E. 400-500
- 2604 ☒ **Gordonsville Va. Oct. 2, 1862.** Circular datestamp with matching “Due 10” handstamp on all-over **Grocer’s advertising** cover to Arnold’s Mills S.C., soldier’s docketing at left, slightly reduced at left and some edgewear, Fine E. 150-200
- 2605 ☒ **“Fincastle Va. Dec. 8”.** Ms. pmk. with matching box charge no. and “Paid 10” on cover to Valley District Va., with 1863 letter on captured **Ellsworth Patriotic letterhead**, some overall soiling, Very Fine, the recipient, C.M. Figgat, was a clerk to Stonewall Jackson.... E. 200-300
- 2606 ☒ **“Kentwood Acady. Va. Feb. 19”.** Ms. pmk. with matching “Paid 5” on red and blue **Confederate 7-Star Patriotic** cover to Staunton Va., 1862 docketing at left, trivial wear, Very Fine..... E. 400-500
- 2607 ☒ **Mount Morton Va. Apr. 1.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with day in ms., matching “Paid” and “5” handstamps on **Confederate 11-Star Flag and Verse Patriotic** cover to Richmond Va., some edgewear and soiling, otherwise Very Fine E. 500-750
- 2608 ☒ **Norfolk Va. Aug. 7, 1861.** Blue double-circle datestamp with matching “Paid” on cover with **blue hand-drawn Confederate flag with single star and “2 Reg. of C.C.V.” Patriotic** to Philadelphus N.C., second strike of a different type of Norfolk datestamp (Aug. 9), some overall toning spots, Very Fine, rare hand-drawn patriotic E. 400-500
- 2609 **Richmond Va. Jun. 20, 1862.** Bold circular datestamp and “Due 10” handstamp on **Mounted Dragoon patriotic** cover to Plum Ala. (Dietz SM-1), 11th Alabama Regt. endorsement with original soldier’s letter enclosed, excellent content, sarcastically remarks that the motionless Union army “*dont seem to mind the heavy debt that is accumulating over them. I recon they think they will make Southern property pay it.*” and references to “Old Stonewall” Jackson, Beauregard and “*I cant give you any idea when the great Richmond battle will come off, you may expect to hear of it any day if McLellan’s heart dont fail him.*” light horizontal fold, Very Fine, ex Everett..... E. 750-1,000
- 2610 ☒ **Richmond Va. Aug. 23, 1861.** Strike of circular datestamp struck on bronze **Jefferson Davis Medallion Patriotic** cover to Natchez Miss., neat “Paid 10” in circle handstamp, with original enclosure which bears the same Patriotic design in black, some overall soiling, missing top flap, small piece out at top, otherwise Fine attractive and scarce design E. 1,000-1,500
- 2611 ☒ **Richmond Va.** Dateless handstamp with matching “Due 10” on cover to Camden S.C., military sender’s endorsement at top left, some overall wear, Very Fine example of this scarce Richmond cancel, only eight are reported E. 400-500
- 2612 ☒ **Romney [West] Va. Oct. 22.** Well-struck circular datestamp with date changed from 21 to 22 in ms., “Paid” and “5” handstamps on folded cover to Richmond Va., faint soiling, still Extremely Fine, only ten are recorded E. 300-400

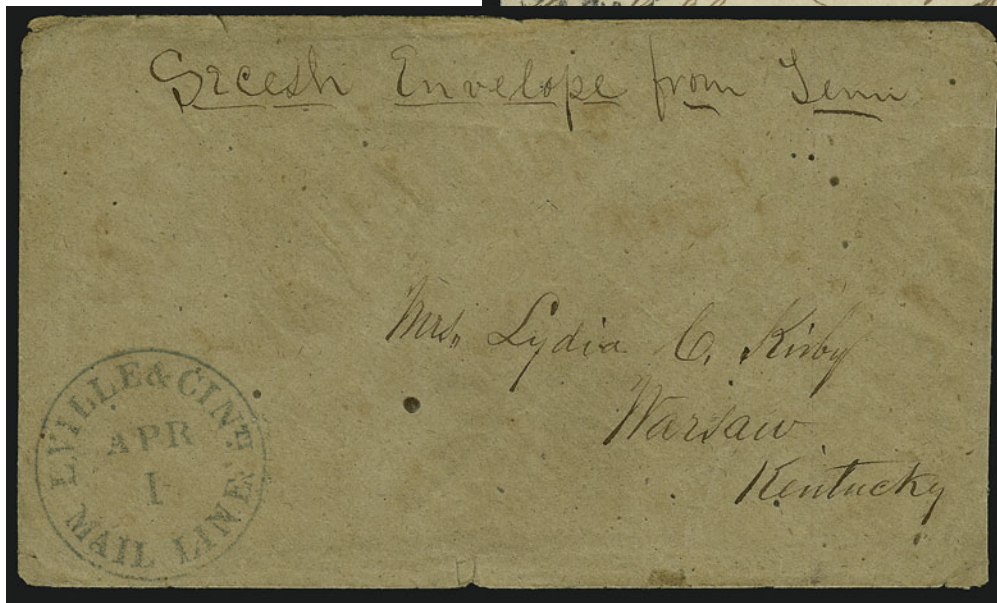
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- 2613 ☒ **Steamer Empire Parrish.** Large oval handstamp on Dec. 18, 1861 folded letter to Hermitage La., some splitting along folds reinforced with scotch tape, some toning, Fine, scarce Confederate usage E. 500-750
- 2614 ☒ **Steamboat.** Clear strike of blue straightline handstamp on cover to Montgomery Ala., with original enclosure datelined "Columbus Ky. Nov. 13th 1861", cover with "Due 10" handstamp and "Montgomery Ala. Nov. 19, 1861" datestamp, slightly reduced at left, some overall wear, still Fine, scarce Confederate steamboat usage E. 750-1,000
- 2615 ☒ **L.Ville & Cinti Mail Line Apr. 1.** Well-struck blue datestamp on homemade cover to Warsaw Ky., ms. "Secesh Envelope from Tenn." at top, minor edgewear, Very Fine, unusual usage, probably Federal (but with a Confederate connection) E. 200-300

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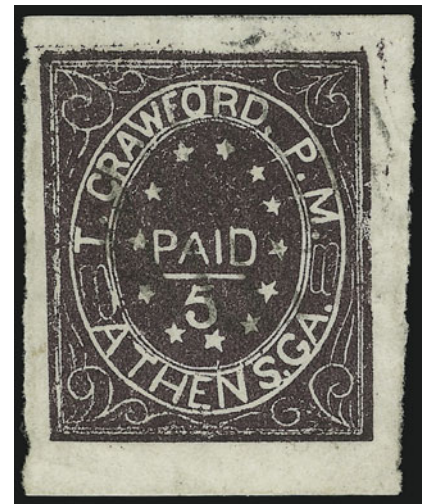


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- 2616 ☒ **Abingdon Va., 5c Black entire (2XU2).** Clear strike and “Abingdon Va. Sep. 28, 1861” circular datestamp on folded letter to Staunton Va., Very Fine..... 1,000.00
- 2617 ☒ **Albany Ga., 5c Greenish Blue entire (3XU1).** Bold strike on yellow cover to Marion Ala., “Albany Ga. Sep. 7, 1861” circular datestamp at right, minor toning, still attractive, Very Fine, approximately eighteen known, ex Dabney, Hubbell, Keeling and Hall 700.00

- 2618 **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Type II, large to huge margins all around, deep rich color on bright paper, light strike of grid cancel, Extremely Fine 1,100.00



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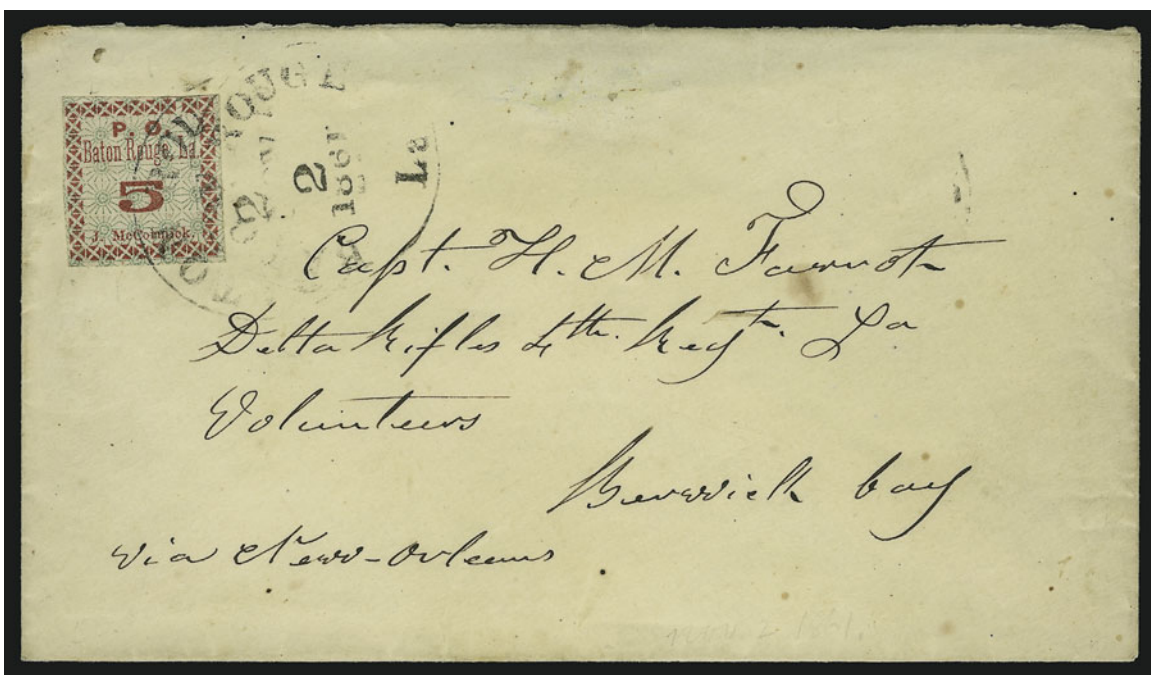
- 2619 **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Type I, huge margins all around, light strike of circular datestamp and also ms. cancel, fresh and Extremely Fine..... 1,100.00



- 2620 ✉ **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Type I, large to huge margins, rich color, tied by open grid cancel and exceptionally clear "Athens Ga. Paid Mar. 14" circular datestamp on small neat cover to Mrs. Howell Cobb, in care of Col. J.B. Lamar at Macon, slightly reduced at right, Extremely Fine, this provisional very rarely found tied by the townmark, ex Crocker, Schenck, and Moody 2,500.00
- 2621 ✉ **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Type II, large margins, tied by light strike of grid, matching "Athens Ga. Dec. 12" circular datestamp on light blue cover to Augusta Geo., crease in right margin of stamp, missing top flap, otherwise Very Fine, ex Caspary, Stonewall... 2,500.00
- 2622 ✉ **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Type I, ample to large margins, grid cancel, "Athens Ga. Paid Dec. 30" (1861) circular datestamp on cover to Col. John B. Lamar at Macon Ga., slightly reduced at left, Very Fine 2,500.00
- 2623 ✉ **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Type II, large to huge margins all around, usual light cancel, matching "Athens Ga. Paid Oct. 2" circular datestamp, on cover to Clarksville Ga., repaired at top clear of stamp, backflap mostly gone, appears Very Fine, with 1986 C.S.A. certificate 2,500.00
- 2624 ✉ **Athens Ga., 5c Purple (5X1).** Type I, large margins, light cancel (not tied) on **3c Red Star Die entire** to Richmond Va., Dec. 21 circular datestamp, reduced at right and slight edgewear, Fine and very rare usage, ex Stonewall..... 2,500.00

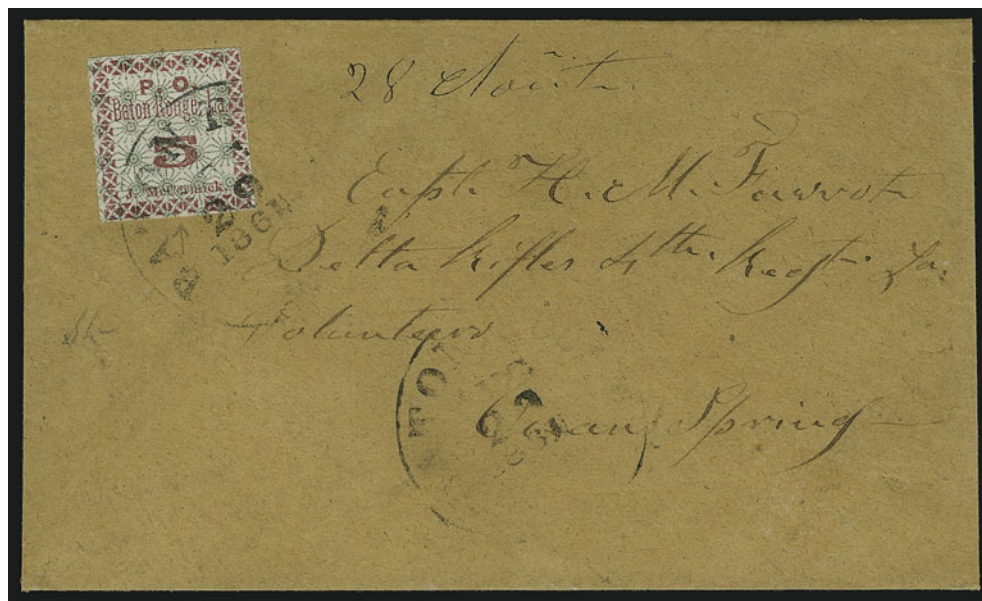


- 2625 ☒ **Atlanta Ga., 5c Black entire (6XU2).** Clear strike, neat “Atlanta Ga. Oct. 3, 1861” circular datestamp on **all-over Attorney’s advertising** cover to Savannah Geo., some slight soiling, Very Fine, scarce advertising usage, only six or seven advertising covers are known with the Atlanta 5c provisional handstamp E. 500-750
- 2626 ☒ **Atlanta Ga., 5c Black entire (6XU2).** Clear strike and “Atlanta Ga. Jul. 8, 1861” circular datestamp on yellow cover to Howell Cobb in Athens Geo., missing part of top flap, Very Fine 600.00
- 2627 ☒ **Atlanta Ga., 5c Black entire (6XU5).** Clear strike and “Atlanta Ga. Aug. 2, 1861” circular datestamp on yellow cover to Athens Geo., trivial edgewear, Very Fine, only five known 1,500.00
- 2628 ☒ **Atlanta Ga., 5c Black entire (6XU2).** Clear strike at left on orange cover to Cuthbert Geo., “Atlanta Ga. Nov. 8, 1861” circular datestamp, slightly reduced at right, Very Fine 600.00
- 2629 ☒ **Austin Tex., 10c Black entire (9XU1).** Mostly clear strike of provisional and “Austin Tex. Aug. 12, 1862” double-circle datestamp on orange cover to San Augustine Tex., missing part of top flap, Very Fine, scarce, approximately ten examples are recorded, ex Walcott and Hill 1,500.00
- 2630 ☒ **Austin Tex., 10c Black entire (9XU1).** Clear strike of provisional marking overstrikes “Paid 5” handstamp, “Austin Tex. Sep. 4, 1862” double-circle datestamp on cover to St. Augustine Tex., some toning and edgewear incl. missing top flap, appears Fine, scarce, with 1983 C.S.A. certificate..... 1,500.00



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- 2631 ✉ **Baton Rouge La., 5c Green & Carmine (11X2).** Large margins to clear, tied by two strikes of "Baton Rouge La. Nov. 2, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to military address, endorsed "Via New Orleans", missing top flap, small sealed tear at top of cover, otherwise Very Fine 2,750.00

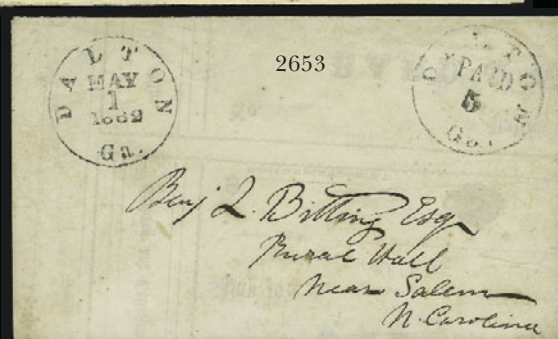
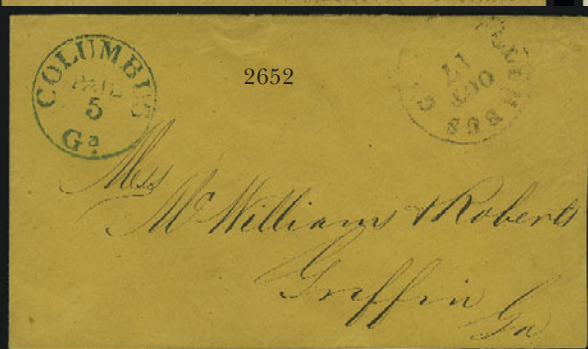
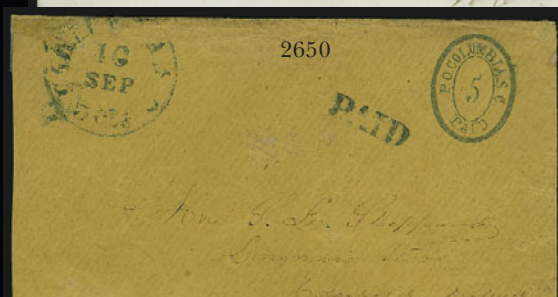
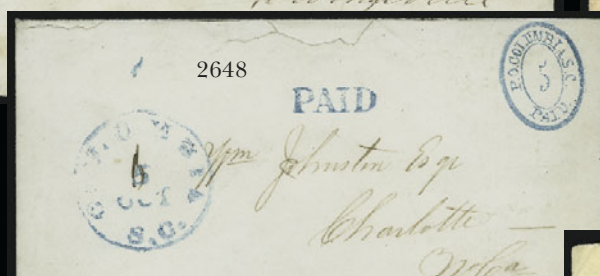
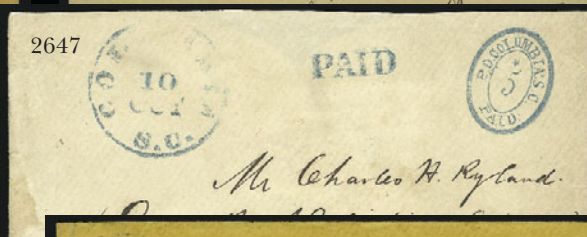
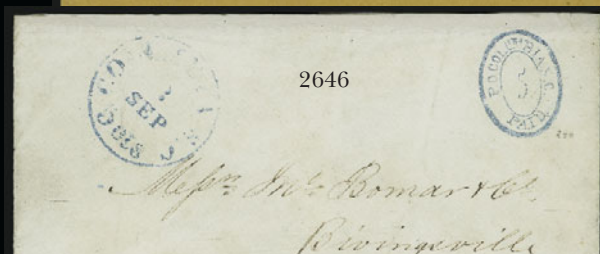
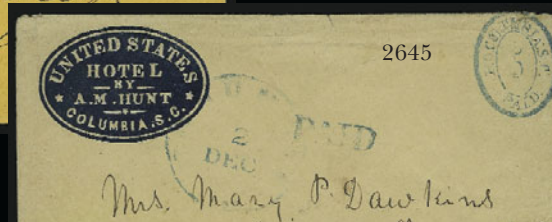
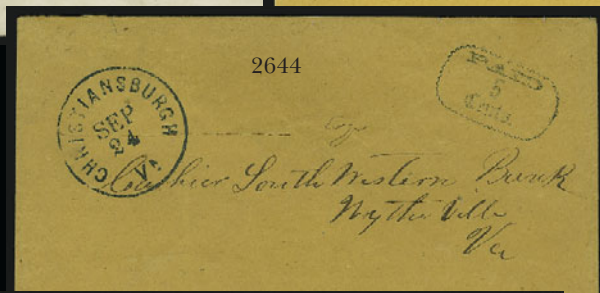
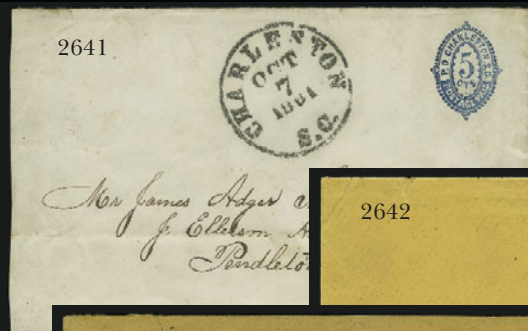


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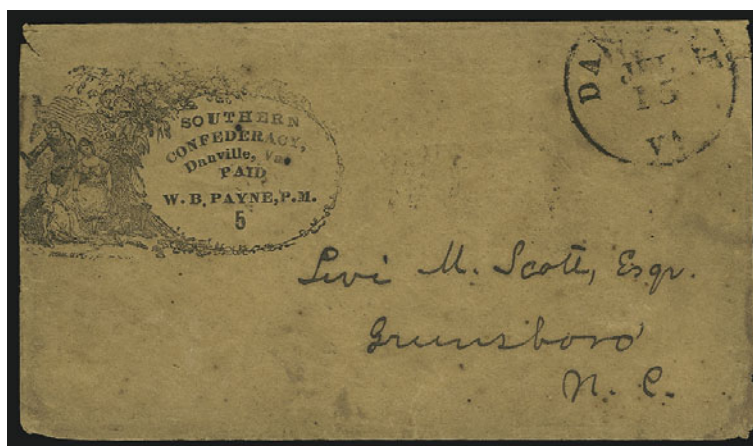
- 2632 ✉ **Baton Rouge La., 5c Green & Carmine, "McCormick" (11X2a).** Large margins to clear, tied by light strike of "Baton Rouge Aug. 29, 1861" circular datestamp which leaves the error clearly visible, on buff cover to military address, cover opened and refolded, repair at top left
 VERY FINE APPEARANCE. ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THE 5-CENT "McCCRMICK" ERROR. ONLY FIVE ARE RECORDED ON COVER IN THE CROWN SURVEY
 Ex Caspary. With 1986 C.S.A. certificate 6,500.00



- 2633 ☒ **Baton Rouge La., 5c Green & Carmine (11X2).** Large margins to just touched, tied by light strike of "Baton Rouge La. Jan. 30" circular datestamp on cover to Berwick City La., missing top flap, some staining affects provisional, otherwise Very Fine 2,750.00
- 2634 ☒ **Baton Rouge La., 5c Green & Carmine (11X2).** Large to huge margins incl. **top left corner sheet margin**, tied by two strikes of "Baton Rouge La. Dec. 24, 1861" datestamps on cover to Vernon Miss., missing top flap, stamp and cover cleaned and repaired with part of design drawn in, otherwise, Very Fine, with 1993 C.S.A. certificate 2,750.00
- 2635 ☒ **Baton Rouge La., 5c Green & Carmine (11X2).** Large margins to just touched, tied by "Baton Rouge La. Oct. 7, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Vernon Miss., some overall wear and gently cleaned (not mentioned on accompanying certificate), Fine, with 1987 C.S.A. certificate 2,750.00
- 2636 ☒ **Canton Miss., 5c Black entire (14XU1).** Clear strike of provisional marking, light strike of circular datestamp on cover to Carroll Hoy & Co. in New Orleans, usual filing pinholes, Very Fine strike of this provisional marking 2,750.00
- 2637 ☒ **Canton Miss., 5c Black entire (14XU1).** Absolutely perfect bold strike of the provisional handstamp, light strike of "Canton Miss. Aug. 8, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Carroll Hoy & Co. in New Orleans, usual filing pinholes, expertly restored at bottom, still an Extremely Fine strike of this fancy provisional handstamp, ex Matz 2,750.00
- 2638 E **Charleston S.C., 2c Brown Essay on Wove (Dietz E-11).** Large margins, trivial corner crease, otherwise Very Fine, extremely scarce essay for Charleston postmaster's provisional, with 1988 P.F. certificate..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 2639 E **Charleston S.C., 10c Blue Green Essay on Wove (Dietz E-12).** Large margins, Very Fine, extremely scarce essay for Charleston postmaster's provisional, showing the Palmetto Tree design that was adopted for the 1862 10c provisional entire, with 1988 P.F. certificate..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 2640 ★ **Charleston S.C., 5c Blue (16X1).** Part original gum, full margins, small thin spot, slight indentation on back, few trivial toned specks, appears Fine 900.00

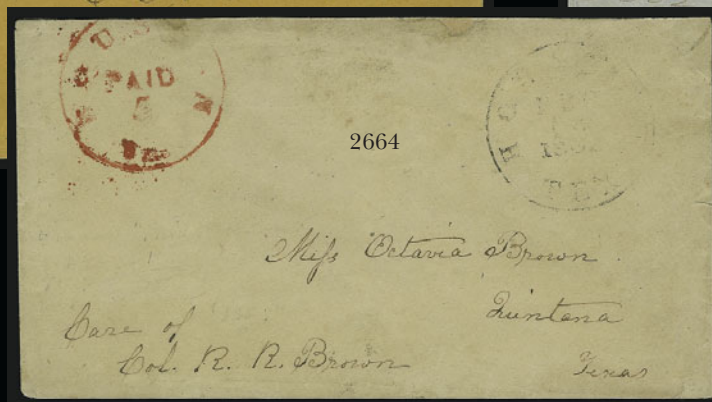
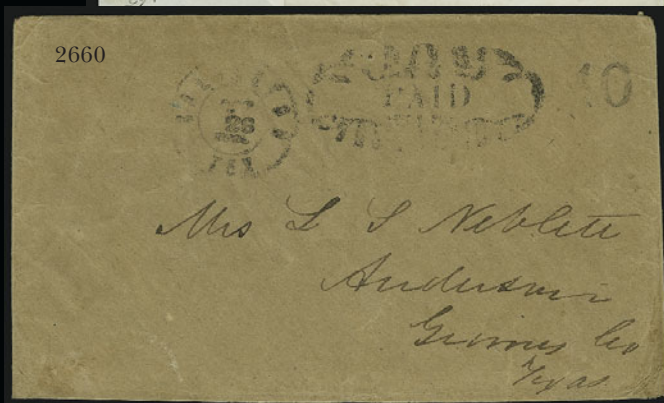
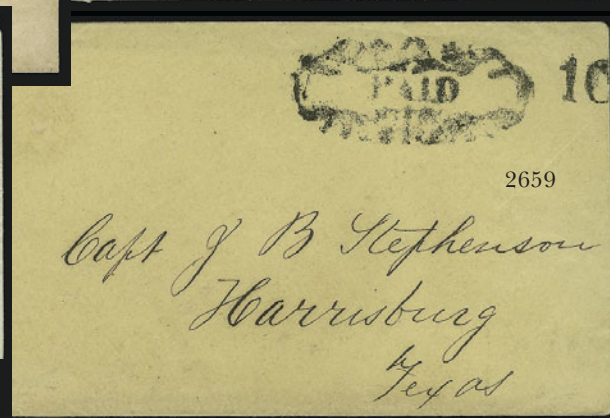
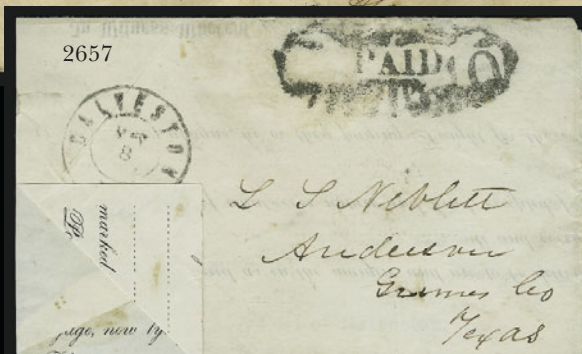
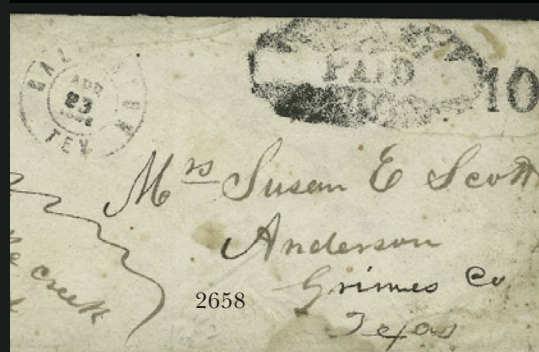


- 2641 ☒ **Charleston S.C., 5c Blue entire (16XU1).** Bold "Charleston S.C. Oct. 7, 1861" circular date-stamp to Pendleton S.C., reduced at left, some wear, Fine, scarce..... 3,500.00
- 2642 ☒ **Charleston S.C., 5c Blue on Orange entire (16XU3).** Oct. 3, 1861 circular datestamp on cover to Abbeville, small opening tears at top, one slightly affecting postmark, otherwise neat and Fine, ex Dietz, Judd 3,500.00
- 2643 ☒ **Chattanooga Tenn., 5c Black entire (17XU2).** Clearly struck provisional handstamp and "Chattanooga Ten. Sep. 4, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Athens Tenn., some slight wear, Very Fine, only five recorded in Crown 1,600.00
- 2644 ☒ **Christiansburgh Va., 5c Blue entire (99XU2).** Well-struck provisional handstamp on orange-buff entire to Wytheville Va., bold "Christiansburgh Va. Sep. 24" circular datestamp, negligible flap tears, otherwise Extremely Fine, only four recorded in Crown, perhaps six are known, ex Emerson, Everett and Hill 1,400.00
- 2645 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue entire (18XU1).** Clearly struck provisional handstamp, faint Dec. 2 circular datestamp and "Paid" handstamp on blue **United States Hotel** corner card cover to Grindal Shoals S.C., reduced at right, tiny tear into provisional handstamp, otherwise Very Fine, attractive use of the "United States" hotel corner card in the newly formed Confederate States..... 900.00
- 2646 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue entire (18XU1).** Bold strike, matching "Columbia S.C. 3 Sep." circular datestamp on cover to Bivingsville S.C., Very Fine, ex Stonewall 900.00
- 2647 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue entire (18XU1).** Remarkably clear strike with "Paid" and partly clear "Columbia S.C. 10 Oct." (1861) circular datestamp on cover to Richmond Va., backflap removed and slightly reduced at top, otherwise Fine 900.00
- 2648 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue entire (18XU1).** Clear strike with blue "Paid" and "Columbia S.C. Oct. 5" circular datestamp with day changed to "6" in ms. on cover to Charlotte N.C., expertly repaired with top flap added, otherwise Very Fine, ex Caspary and Hill..... 900.00
- 2649 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue entire (18XU1).** Bold strike of provisional handstamp, blue "Columbia S.C. 21 Nov." (1861) circular datestamp on orange entire to Monticello S.C., slightly reduced at right, Very Fine 900.00
- 2650 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue entire (18XU1).** Bold strike, matching "Columbia S.C. 16 Sep." circular datestamp on cover to Longmores Store S.C., slightly reduced at left, Very Fine 900.00
- 2651 ☒ **Columbia S.C., 5c Blue entire, Seal on Back (18XU4a).** Mostly clear strike on backflap, matching "Paid" in circle and "5" rate handstamp (Dietz Ty. IIF) with "Columbia S.C. Jun. 27" (1861) circular datestamp on cover to Richmond, reduced at right, gently cleaned, original top flap reattached, still Very Fine, ex Col. Green, with 2002 C.S.A. certificate 1,000.00
- 2652 ☒ **Columbus Ga., 5c Blue entire (19XU1).** Clear strike at left with "Columbus Ga. Oct. 17" circular datestamp on orange cover to Griffin Ga., fresh and Very Fine, ex Caspary and Lilly 500.00
- 2653 ☒ **Dalton Ga., 5c Black entire (20XU1).** Clear strike on **adversity** cover made from printed form to Rural Hall N.C., "Dalton Ga. May 1, 1862" circular datestamp, Very Fine, scarce adversity usage, ex Judd..... 500.00



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- 2654 ☒ **Danville Va., 5c Black on Dark Buff entire (21XU3).** Style with "SOUTHERN" curved, press-printed illustrated design on dark buff cover to Greensboro N.C., "Danville Va. Jul. 15" (1861) circular datestamp, scattered toned specks and slightly worn as virtually all are VERY FINE. FEWER THAN 20 EXAMPLES ARE KNOWN OF THIS PRESS-PRINTED PICTORIAL PROVISIONAL.
- Included among the 20 recorded are a number of late invalid usages with General Issue stamps
Ex Dietz, Weatherly and Everett..... 5,250.00





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- 2655 ☒ **Danville Va., 5c Black on Dark Buff entire (21XU3).** Style with "SOUTHERN" curved, press-printed illustrated design on cover to Halifax Va., expertly repaired tears affecting design, appears Fine, rare usage, ex Stonewall 5,250.00
- 2656 ☒ **Gainsville Ala., 5c Black entire (27XU1).** Clear strike of provisional marking with "Gainsville Ala. Mar. 16" circular datestamp on expertly restored cover to Eutaw Ala., Very Fine appearance, extremely rare, less than five are known, ex Knapp 5,000.00
- 2657 ☒ **Galveston Tex., 10c Black entire (98XU2).** Bold strike on **adversity** cover made from printed form, to Anderson Tex., light strike of "Galveston Nov. 8" double-circle datestamp, opened for display, Very Fine 2,000.00
- 2658 ☒ **Galveston Tex., 10c Black entire (98XU2).** Mostly clear strike, "Galveston Tex. Apr. 23, 1861" double-circle datestamp on cover to Anderson Tex., slightly reduced, some cover wear incl. toning, otherwise Fine 2,000.00
- 2659 ☒ **Galveston Tex., 10c Black entire (98XU2).** Clear strike of provisional marking on yellow cover to Harrisburg Tex., Very Fine 2,000.00
- 2660 ☒ **Galveston Tex., 10c Black entire (98XU2).** Readable strike of the provisional marking, "Galveston Tex. Oct. 26" double-circle datestamp on **turned** cover to Anderson Tex., inside bears two 10c Greenish Blue, Die A (10) tied by "Anderson Tex. Feb. 16" circular datestamp to Galveston, Fine, scarce true end usage, Scott Retail with no premium 2,000.00
- 2661 ☒ **Galveston Tex., 10c Black entire (98XU3).** Light but readable handstamped provisional and Galveston double-circle datestamp on **adversity** cover to Anderson Tex., made from ship's bill of lading, some minor toning, Fine and extremely rare — the Crown book records only two examples and less than six are believed to exist, an example from the same correspondence was offered in our Sale 787, Scott Retail with no premium for the adversity usage 2,400.00
- 2662 ☒ **Galveston Tex., 10c Black entire (98XU3).** Light strike of provisional marking, "Galveston ? 26, 1861" double-circle datestamp on **adversity** cover made from filled-out printed form to Anderson Tex., opened for display, some wear, ink mark at top, appears Fine, scarce, only two examples recorded in Crown book and fewer than six believed to exist 2,400.00
- 2663 ☒ **Georgetown S.C., 5c Black entire (28XU1).** Clear strike with clear control mark on back, used with "Georgetown S.C. Dec. 5, 1861" circular datestamp on orange cover to Flat Rock N.C., Very Fine, ex Kohn and Hill 800.00
- 2664 ☒ **Houston Tex., 5c Red entire (40XU1).** Struck at left, light strike of "Houston Tex. Nov. 14, 1862" circular datestamp on cover to Quintana Tex., few repaired edge tears, appears Fine, ex Matz 700.00



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- 2665 ☒ **Jackson Miss., 5c Black entire (43XU1).** Clear strike of **Jefferson Davis Medallion** Patriotic cover to Utica Miss., slightly reduced at right, Very Fine, scarce patriotic usage, ex Brooks..... 3,000.00



- 2666 ☒ **Jackson Miss., 5c Black entire (43XU1).** Clear strike of provisional, "Jackson Miss. Jul. 28" circular datestamp on small cover to Warrenton Miss., flap faults with tear at top edge, otherwise Fine 500.00
- 2667 ☒ **Jackson Miss., 5c Black entire (43XU1).** Clear strike of provisional marking with "Jackson Miss. Mar. 1" circular datestamp on buff cover to La., fresh and Very Fine..... 500.00
- 2668 ☒ **Jackson Miss., 5c Black entire (43XU1).** Neat strike with "Jackson Miss. Aug. 29" circular datestamp on cover to Warrenton Miss., some wear, appears Very Fine..... 500.00
- 2669 ☒ **Knoxville Tenn., 5c Blue entire (47XU1).** Uncancelled as usual, addressed to Memphis Tenn., docketing at left, expertly repaired at top, some overall wear, otherwise Very Fine, only fourteen are recorded in the Crown survey..... 1,750.00
- 2670 ☒ **Lexington, Va., 5c Blue, entire (135XU1).** Clear strike of blue "Paid 5" in circle handstamp with matching "Lexington Va. Aug. 22" datestamp on cover to military address at Manassas Junction Va., fresh and Very Fine E. 300-400



- 2671 ☒ **Lynchburg Va., 5c Black on Amber entire (52XU2).** Mostly clear “Lynchburg Va. Jun. 14” (1861) circular datestamp, addressed to Thainsville Va., small repair at top, still Very Fine, the Lynchburg entire is one of the earliest Confederate provisionals — this example, one of approximately fourteen known, is used within two weeks of the beginning of Confederate postal service..... 2,500.00
- 2672 ☒ **Lynchburg Va., 5c Black entire (52XU1).** Uncancelled and addressed to Pamplin’s Depot Va., backflap with ms. “Original R.M. Glass, P.M., 1861” some ink erosion in address and some overall wear, missing two stamps which were put on the back of the cover, appears Fine, only fourteen are known, ex Worthington, Hessel, with 1976 P.F. and 1993 C.S.A. certificates..... 2,500.00



- 2673 ☒ **Macon Ga., 5c Black on Light Blue Green (53X1).** Type II, large margins to just touching at upper left, tied by “Macon Ga.” double-circle datestamp on small cover to Huntsville Ala., original letter enclosed, sister to sister, mentions knitting socks for the soldiers by candlelight, slightly reduced at top with most of backflap removed, minor edgewear, light soiling with abrasion at center, still Fine and rare provisional, ex Everett, with 2002 C.S.A. certificate..... 4,000.00
- 2674 ☒ **Macon Ga., 5c Black on Light Blue Green Wove (53X1).** Large margins except in at top, tied by “Macon Ga. Jan. 1” double-circle datestamp on cover to Columbia Tenn., expertly restored, Very Fine appearance..... 4,000.00

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- 2675 ☒ **Macon Ga., 5c Black on Yellow Wove (53X3).** Ample to large margins, tied by "Macon Ga. Jul. 27" double-circle datestamp on orange cover to Oglethorpe Ga., reduced at left, stain at left and some small edge tears, the stamp has been lifted, gum stains removed from around stamp edges and replaced on the cover, still appears Very Fine, only 26 known, ex Heathcote and Hall, with 1992 P.S.E. and 1993 C.S.A. certificates..... 4,750.00
- 2676 ☒ **Marietta Ga., 5c Black entire (54XU1).** Clear strike at center of cover with "Marietta Geo. Aug. 27" circular datestamp to Griffin Ga., missing part of top flap and small nick at top, Very Fine..... 300.00
- 2677 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Large margins incl. part of adjoining stamp at bottom, tied by bold "Memphis Ten. Nov. 14, 1861" circular datestamp on orange cover to Fulton Miss., Very Fine and choice..... 1,750.00
- 2678 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Large margins to clear, tied by bold strike of "Memphis Ten. Aug. 2?, 1861" circular datestamp on yellow cover to Jonesborough Miss. and forwarded to I-U-Ka Miss., "Jonesborough Miss. Sep. 4 Paid 5" ms. pmk., expertly cleaned and restored along top edge, Very Fine appearance, ex Hill..... 1,750.00
- 2679 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Large margins incl. part of adjoining stamps at top and bottom, tied by "Memphis Ten. Oct. 2" circular datestamp with day slug inverted on folded letter to North Bend P.O. Ala., some overall soiling, otherwise Very Fine, ex Hart..... 1,750.00
- 2680 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Large margins to just in at right incl. part of adjoining stamp at left, tied by faint strike of "Memphis Ten. Oct. ?" circular datestamp on orange cover to Fulton Miss., missing top flap, Very Fine, ex Matz..... 1,750.00
- 2681 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Two large margins, barely touched other sides, tied by "Memphis Ten." circular datestamp on yellow cover to Woodville Tenn., flaps unsealed and partly split along folds, minor edgewear, Fine..... 1,750.00
- 2682 **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Large margins showing top sheet margin, tied by bold "Memphis Ten. Sep. 3, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Monticello Ark., slightly reduced at left, some toning on stamp and cover, Fine, ex Matz..... 1,750.00
- 2683 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Large margins to in incl. part of adjoining stamp at left, tied by "Memphis Ten. Dec. 3, 1861" circular datestamp on orange cover to Jackson Tenn., fresh and Fine..... 1,750.00
- 2684 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Vertical pair, large margins to just in, tied by "Memphis Ten. Nov. ?" circular datestamp on orange cover to Madison C.H. Va., stamps lifted, repaired and replaced, cover reduced at right, otherwise Fine..... 3,500.00
- 2685 ☒ **Memphis Tenn., 5c Red (56X2).** Horizontal pair, just in to large margins showing part of adjacent stamps at left and bottom, tied by "Memphis Ten. Oct. 2, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Georgetown S.C., small repair at top right edge of cover and some overall soiling, otherwise Fine, only eight pairs recorded on cover, ex Hall, with 1993 C.S.A. certificate..... 3,500.00

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St. Orleans

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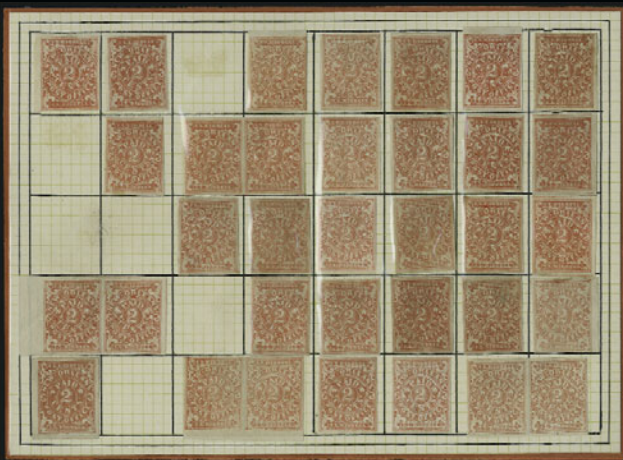
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- 2686 **Mobile Ala., 2c Black (58X1).** Three large margins showing part of adjacent stamp at left, clear to just touched at top, bold double-circle datestamp, small thin spot at top left, appears Very Fine..... 1,000.00



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- 2687 ☒ **Mobile Ala., 5c Blue (58X2).** Large margins, tied by "Mobile Ala. Aug. 22, 1861" double-circle datestamp on cover to Carroll Hoy & Co. in New Orleans La., barely reduced at top and missing part of top flap, Very Fine, scarce, ex Hill..... 1,800.00
- 2688 ☒ **Mobile Ala., 5c Blue (58X2).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Mobile Ala. Aug. 21, 1861" double-circle datestamp on cover to Carroll Hoy & Co. in New Orleans La., Very Fine, ex Bogg, Hill 1,800.00
- 2689 ☒ **Montgomery Ala., 5c Red entire (59XU1).** Clear strike of provisional handstamp with bold "Montgomery Ala. Dec. 24, 1861" circular datestamp on yellow cover to New Orleans, printed corner card, lightly bleached area, otherwise Very Fine..... 1,000.00
- 2690 ☒ **Montgomery Ala., 5c Red entire (59XU1).** Clear strike and "Montgomery Ala. Jun. 27, 1861" circular datestamp on orange cover to Jacksonville Ala., slightly reduced at right, Very Fine, ex Caspary and Lilly..... 1,000.00
- 2691 ☒ **Montgomery Ala., 5c Red entire (59XU1).** Clearly struck provisional handstamp, remarkably bold black "Montgomery Ala. Sep. 16, 1861" circular datestamp on small pink cover addressed in blue to Jefferson Ga., faint overall soiling, otherwise Very Fine, ex Everett..... 1,000.00
- 2692 ☒ **Montgomery Ala., 5c Blue entire (59XU2).** Clear strike with "Montgomery Ala. Nov. 27, 1861" circular datestamp on yellow cover to Huntsville Ala., minor edgewear, Very Fine, only twelve examples are listed in Crown, ex Hill..... 900.00
- 2693 ☒ **Montgomery Ala., 5c Blue entire (59XU2).** Clear strike with "Montgomery Ala. Oct. 23, 1861" circular datestamp on yellow cover to Marion Ala., repaired, Very Fine appearance, ex Hill..... 900.00
- 2694 ☒ **Montgomery Ala., 10c Black entire (59XU9).** Clear strike of provisional handstamp, "Montgomery Ala. (Dec) 27" circular datestamp (no month) on 1864 cover to Opelika Ala., with original enclosure, some minor edge toning, otherwise Very Fine, extremely late use of a provisional, only three are known, ex Judd and Emerson, with 1956 P.F. certificate 2,750.00
- 2695 ☒ **Nashville Tenn., 5c Carmine (61X2).** Large margins to just in, tied by blue "Nashville Ten. Aug. 17, 1861" circular datestamp on lady's pink cover to Little Rock Ark., missing top flap, small toned spot affects stamp, Fine 2,500.00
- 2696 ☒ **Nashville Tenn., 5c Violet Brown (61X5).** Distinctive intermediate shade between Carmine and Violet Brown, in at bottom right to large margins showing part of adjacent stamp at left, tied by blue "Nashville Ten. Nov. 29, 1861" circular datestamp on cover to Macon Miss., expertly repaired at top of cover and stamp, appears Fine, rare, only 24 known, ex Caspary 4,500.00
- 2697 ☒ **Nashville Tenn., 5c Violet Brown (61X5).** Large margins to just in, tied by blue "Nashville Ten. Oct. 22" circular datestamp with day slug inverted on orange cover to New Market Tenn., slightly reduced, stamp with fault at top right, appears Fine..... 4,500.00



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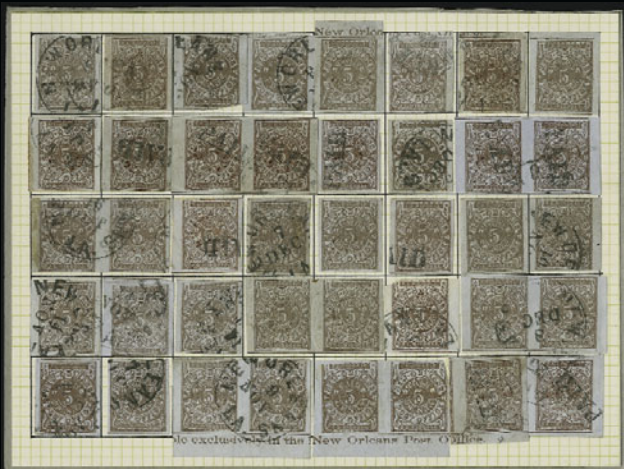
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SECOND SESSION (LOTS 2698-3098)

THURSDAY, MARCH 16, 2006, AT 1:30 P.M.

NEW ORLEANS POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONALS

- 2698 (★) **New Orleans La., 2c Blue (62X1).** Three, one original gum, one tropicalized original gum, one unused (no gum), large to huge margins, two with bright colors, the one with tropicalized original gum with overall soiling, few light creases, appear Very Fine 450.00
- 2699 **New Orleans La., 2c Blue (62X1).** Large margins to just touched, bright color, light strike of circular datestamp, light diagonal crease at top right, appears Fine..... 500.00
- 2700 ★ **New Orleans La., 2c Red (62X2).** Virtually complete **plate reconstruction** comprising four pairs and 26 singles, lacking only six positions to be complete, virtually all original gum and hinged on quadrille page, almost all are four-margin copies, range of shades, few faults to be expected
VERY FINE. A SCARCE PLATE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE 2-CENT RED NEW ORLEANS POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL ISSUE.
Scott Retail as singles..... 4,250.00
- 2701 (★)田 **New Orleans La., 2c Red (62X2).** Block of four, unused (no gum), large margins all around, bright color, few light creases, appears Very Fine 1,500.00
- 2702 (★) **New Orleans La., 2c Red (62X2).** Horizontal strip of three and two singles, unused (no gum), the strip a much lighter shade, few faults, appear Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as pair and three singles..... 675.00
- 2703 **New Orleans La., 2c Red (62X2).** Large margins to clear, brilliant color, well-struck "Paid" handstamp, Very Fine and choice 1,000.00
- 2704 **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Complete **plate reconstruction of the 40 positions**, two stamps at top with part imprint, incl. four pairs, most with four margins, eight unused and 32 used, some faults to be expected
VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A RARE COMPLETED PLATE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE NEW ORLEANS 5-CENT BROWN ON WHITE POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL ISSUE.
Scott Retail as singles..... 8,200.00
- 2705 **New Orleans La., 5c Chocolate Brown on White (62X3 var).** Amazingly deep shade, large margins to clear, tied by partial strike of **Baton Rouge La.** circular datestamp on small piece, Very Fine, a stunning example of this shade variety, unlisted in Scott..... E. 200-300
- 2706 **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Large to huge margins incl. part of four adjoining stamps, bright shade, face-free cancel, small tear at bottom right, appears Extremely Fine .. 175.00
- 2707 **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Horizontal pair, large margins to clear, bold strikes of New Orleans circular datestamps and also part of **red French transit datestamp** at top left, Very Fine, scarce with the red cancel..... 375.00
- 2708 **New Orleans La., 5c Ocher (62X3b).** Large margins to clear, intense shade, bold strike of datestamp, small corner crease at bottom left, appears Very Fine 600.00
- 2709 **New Orleans La., 5c Ocher (62X3b).** Large margins to clear, bright shade, neat strike of "Paid" handstamp, Very Fine 600.00
- 2710 **New Orleans La., 5c Ocher (62X3b).** Large margins to clear, pretty shade, unobtrusive "Paid" cancel, small corner crease at bottom right and few toned spots, otherwise Fine ... 600.00
- 2711 **New Orleans La., 5c Ocher (62X3b).** Horizontal pair, large margins to clear, neat strike of "New Orleans La. Jun. 16" circular datestamp, Very Fine, with 1991 P.F. certificate 1,450.00
- 2712 **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Complete **plate reconstruction of the 40 positions**, incl. three unused singles and three unused pairs and five used pairs and 23 used singles, used stamps with either circular datestamp or "Paid" cancels, **eight stamps with part imprint**, most with four margins, some faults to be expected
FINE-VERY FINE. A RARE COMPLETED PLATE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE NEW ORLEANS 5-CENT RED BROWN ON BLUISH POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL ISSUE.
Scott Retail as singles and pairs..... 8,240.00



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Use exclusively in the New Orleans Post Office.



Use exclusively in the New Orleans Post Office.

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- 2713 **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Enormous margins all around incl. **part imprint at bottom** and part of adjoining stamp at top, neat strike of provisional handstamp, few creases and small thin spots, appears Extremely Fine, a huge stamp 175.00



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- 2714 **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Large to huge margins incl. sheet margin at bottom and left, warm shade, neat strike of circular datestamp, Very Fine and choice 175.00
- 2715 **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Large even margins, tied by "New Orleans La. Oct. 30" circular datestamp on small piece, Very Fine 175.00
- 2716 **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Horizontal pair, pretty shade on deeply blued paper, two neat strikes of "Paid" handstamp, Very Fine 425.00
- 2717 **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Horizontal pair, large margins to just touched incl. **part imprint at top**, each stamp cancelled by neat "Paid" handstamp, faint vertical crease at right, appears Very Fine 425.00
- 2718 **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Horizontal pair, large margins, neat strike of "New Orleans La. Nov. 19" circular datestamp, light diagonal creases, appears Very Fine 425.00
- 2719 **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Eleven singles, incl. two with part imprint, one with sheet margin at bottom, range of cancels incl. provisional, circular datestamp, "Paid", few small faults, Fine-Very Fine appearance, an attractive group *Not illustrated* 1,925.00
- 2720 ★ **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Complete **plate reconstruction** of the 40 positions, all are unused and many have original gum, incl. four strips of three, one pair and 26 singles, **imprints at top and bottom** which is only lacking one position's imprint at bottom most have four margins, few faults to be expected
VERY FINE. A RARE COMPLETED PLATE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE NEW ORLEANS 5-CENT YELLOW BROWN ON OFF-WHITE PROVISIONAL ISSUE.
Especially desirable with such complete imprints at top and bottom 4,750.00
- 2721 ★田 **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Reconstruction of the plate of 40 consisting of four overlapping blocks of twelve and four singles, almost full imprints at top and bottom, original gum, lightly hinged, almost all have large margins, few small faults to be expected
VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SCARCE PLATE RECONSTRUCTION OF THE 5-CENT NEW ORLEANS POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL ISSUE.
Ex Hill 7,900.00
- 2722 ★田 **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Two blocks of twelve, Positions 11-16/19-24/27-32/35-40, large margins to just in at top of one, one block with **imprint** on all bottom stamps, other with imprint on bottom left pair, original gum, barely hinged
VERY FINE. AN ATTRACTIVE ASSEMBLAGE OF TWO MULTIPLES COMPRISING 24 OF THE 40 PLATE POSITIONS AND INCLUDING VIRTUALLY THE ENTIRE IMPRINT AT BOTTOM.
Scott Retail as four blocks of four and four pairs, with no premium for the five imprint position 3,700.00
- 2723 ★田 **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Block of nine, original gum, (appears Mint N.H. except that naturally-occurring uneven application of gum will probably prevent a certificate being issued that says so), large margins to clear incl. **part imprint at bottom**, bright color, few small translucencies at bottom, Fine-Very Fine, Scott Retail as block of four, two pairs and a single 1,325.00
- 2724 ★田 **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Vertical block of six, Positions 1-2/9-10/17-18, bottom four stamps Mint N.H., top pair barely hinged, large margins all around incl. **part imprint at top right**, bright color, fresh and Very Fine, Scott Retail as block of four and pair 925.00
- 2725 **New Orleans La., 5c Yellow Brown on Off-White (62X5).** Two, each with neat strike of New Orleans circular datestamp, few small faults, Fine-Very Fine appearance *Not illustrated* 450.00
- 2726 **New Orleans La., 2c-5c Provisionals (62X1-62X5).** 2c unused (blue without gum), others used, cancels incl. circular datestamp, "Paid" and provisional cancel, two 5c with part imprint, appear Fine-Very Fine *Not illustrated* 875.00

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- 2727 **New Orleans La., 5c Red on Bluish (62X7).** Margins to just in, intense shade on deeply blued paper, clear New Orleans circular datestamp, small thin spots and small repair

FINE APPEARANCE. ONLY THREE OF THE SIX RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THE NEW ORLEANS 5-CENT RED ERROR ARE PRINTED ON BLUISH PAPER. ONE OF THE RAREST CONFEDERATE POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONALS AND THE ONLY COLOR ERROR IN CONFEDERATE PHILATELY.

Because the 5c Red error is found on two separate papers in such small numbers — with at least two of the copies showing a few traces of the normal brown color — Dr. Skinner theorizes that either “too much red ink was introduced onto the platen in blending the brown ink or the components of the ink separated while the press was idle for a time.” This, he speculates, “produced a mottled impression on a very few sheets” and “would have been corrected as soon as the rollers passed across the platen a few times re-mixing or blending the ink.”



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Our records contain the following examples of the 5c Red error: **White Paper (62X6):** 1) unused with traces of gum, ex Hind, Brooks; 2) “DUE” straightline cancel, partly rebacked over thins, ex Caspary, Lilly and Kilbourne; 3) cut in at bottom, tied by “Paid” straightline on part of cover to Mrs. Wm. Reynauld, Baton Rouge, photo by Hiram Deats in P.F. files; **Blue Paper (62X7):** 4) Dec. 4 circular datestamp, thin spots and small repair, ex Crocker, the example offered here; 5) Sep. 17 circular datestamp, small faults, ex Ferrary, Hind, and Lilly, 6) Position 1, “Paid” and part datestamp, thinned with small nicks at left, ex Caspary and Skinner (offered in Siegel Sale 832, lot 3154, realized \$6,000 hammer). The Crown book lists only four examples on either paper (Nos. 3 and 4 above omitted). Dr. Skinner’s 1978 *Congress Book* article notes only five examples on either paper (probably omitting No. 4). Based on our census, there is only one possible sound example of this rarity — the ex Hind/Brooks unused stamp — but that stamp has not been offered since the 1943 Laurence & Stryker sale of the Brooks collection.

Ex Crocker. With 1989 P.F. certificate..... 10,000.00

- 2728 ☒ **New Orleans La., 2c Blue (62X1).** Three large margins, in at right, tied by “New Orleans La. 15 Oct.” circular datestamp on locally addressed cover, with original 1861-dated contents, stamp with internal tear in left margin not affecting design

FINE APPEARANCE. ATTRACTIVE EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT NEW ORLEANS POSTMASTER’S PROVISIONAL ON DROP-RATE COVER.

Approximately 30 covers are known with the 2c Blue (27 in Crown census), including circular rates and drop-rate usages.

With 1993 P.F. certificate..... 4,250.00

- 2729 ☒ **New Orleans La., 2c Blue (62X1).** Large margins to clear, tied by neat strike of “New Orleans La. 12 Aug.” circular datestamp on wrapper to Hartwood Va., minor edgewear, stamp with minor oxidation

VERY FINE APPEARING EXAMPLE OF THE 2-CENT NEW ORLEANS POSTMASTER’S PROVISIONAL PAYING THE CIRCULAR RATE.

Approximately 30 covers are known with the 2c Blue (27 in Crown census), including circular rates and drop-rate usages. More than half of the covers have stamps without four margins or faults in the stamp or cover. 4,250.00

- 2730 ☒ **New Orleans La., 2c Blue (62X1).** Cut into on two sides, tied by “New Orleans La. 21 Nov.” circular datestamp on blue 1861 folded printed bank notice to Oak Grove Miss., Fine stamp on a fresh and rare cover 4,250.00

- 2731 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Full margins to clear, tied by “New Orleans La. Jul. 27” double-circle datestamp on locally used cover, fresh and Fine..... 425.00

- 2732 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Large margins to clear, tied by bold strike of “New Orleans La. Jul. ?” circular datestamp on cover to Natchez Miss., Very Fine, ex Hill 425.00

- 2733 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Position 38, large margins all around incl. trace of imprint at bottom, bright color, tied by New Orleans circular datestamp on light yellow cover to Pensacola, Fla., slightly reduced at left, fresh and Very Fine 425.00

- 2734 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Large margins to clear, rich color, tied by light strike of “New Orleans La. Jun. ?” circular datestamp on cover to Black Jack La., slightly reduced at left, Very Fine 425.00

- 2735 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Full to large margins, dark shade, pre-use crease, tied by bold “New Orleans La. 20 Aug.” (1861) circular datestamp on buff cover to Spring Ridge La., Very Fine appearance 425.00

- 2736 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Ample to large margins, cancelled by “Paid” handstamp, matching “New Orleans La. 31 Jul.” circular datestamp on buff cover to Spring Ridge La., few tears and missing backflap, otherwise Fine 425.00



- 2736A ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Horizontal pair, Pos. 1-2 showing **part of imprint at top**, margins clear to full, tied by three neat strikes of "Paid" handstamp on folded cover to Nashville Tenn., matching "New Orleans La. 8 Aug." circular datestamp, blue company handstamp on back for "Ferrer & Co. Importers of Havana Segars", expert internal repair, Very Fine, signed Skinner 850.00
- 2737 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Brown on White (62X3).** Horizontal pair, full margins to just in at top, tied by "New Orleans La. Jul. 12" circular datestamp on cover to Charleston S.C., expertly restored with top flap replaced, appears Fine, ex Brown, Hill 850.00
- 2738 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Ocher (62X3b).** Ample to large margins, warm shade, tied by "**New Orleans La. Jun. 18, 1861**" **riverfront post office** double-circle datestamp on buff cover to Vicksburg Miss., natural paper wrinkle in cover
 VERY FINE. THIS COVER IS THE BASIS FOR THE SCOTT-LISTED EARLIEST DATE OF USAGE OF THE NEW ORLEANS 5-CENT OCHER POSTMASTER'S PROVISIONAL.
 Ex Caspary and Everett 2,250.00
- 2739 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Large margins to just touched at top, rich color, tied by "Paid" handstamps, "New Orleans La. 6 Sep." (1861) circular datestamp on cover with red and blue **11-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic** design, to Holly Springs Miss., slightly reduced at right, small ink erosion spot in address
 VERY FINE. A COLORFUL AND EXTREMELY RARE USE OF THE NEW ORLEANS PROVISIONAL ON A CONFEDERATE 11-STAR FLAG PATRIOTIC.
 We are aware of eight patriotic covers with the 5c New Orleans provisional stamp, including red and blue Flag and Cannon designs and the unique "Soldier" design in black. The 11-Star Flag on this cover has a distinctive pattern of stars; the design was modified from the 10-Star design by adding an eleventh star to the center.
 With 1990 C.S.A. certificate 5,500.00



- 2740 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Large to huge margins incl. **part imprint at bottom**, tied by "New Orleans La. Oct. 28" circular datestamp on cover to Bayou Sara La., minor edge restoration, Extremely Fine appearance, ex Hill..... 400.00
- 2741 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Large margins to clear, cancelled by "Paid" handstamp, "New Orleans La. Sep. 6" circular datestamp on cover to Dallas La., some slight wear, Very Fine 400.00
- 2742 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Position 37, large margins to full incl. **part imprint at bottom**, tied by well-struck "New Orleans La. Dec. 6" circular datestamp on cover St. Gabriel P.O. La., some overall wear, Very Fine, signed Green..... 400.00
- 2743 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Large margins, tied by neat strike of "New Orleans La. Nov. 12" circular datestamp on orange cover to Bayou Sara La., fresh and Very Fine, ex Hill..... 400.00
- 2744 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Large margins to clear, tied by well-struck "New Orleans La. Oct. 13" circular datestamp on cover to Covington La., light horizontal file fold does not affect stamp, Very Fine 400.00



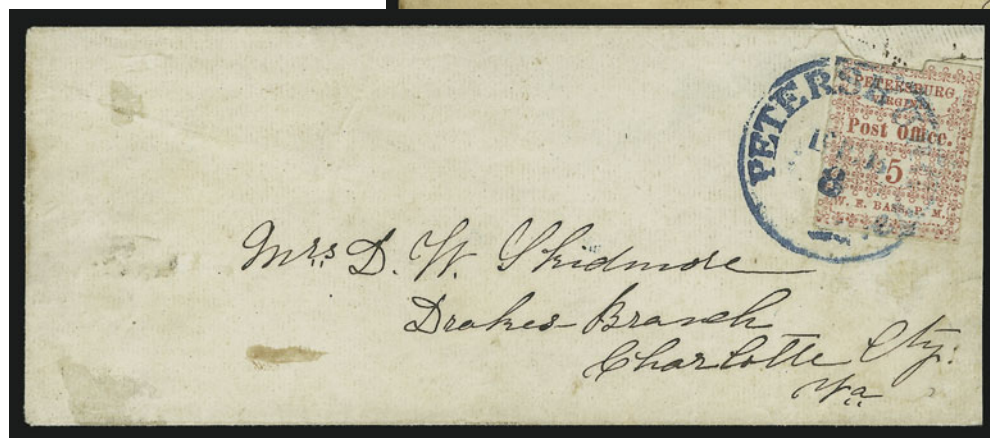
- 2745 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Large margins to full, tied by "New Orleans la. Oct. 10" circular datestamp on cover to Monroe La., expertly repaired with top flap and small piece at top added, appears Very Fine, ex Hill..... 400.00
- 2746 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Ample to large margins, tied by partial strike of New Orleans circular datestamp on yellow cover to Spring Ridge La., with original enclosure dated Jan. 20, 1862, contents describe weather in excruciating detail, faint file fold at top barely affects stamp, otherwise Very Fine..... 400.00
- 2747 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Margins to just in, deep rich color, tied by "New Orleans La. Nov. 1" circular datestamp on cover to Mobile Ala., stamp barely affected from placement at edge of cover, Fine, an attractive usage..... 400.00
- 2748 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Vertical pair, large margins to clear, cancelled by "Paid" handstamps, "New Orleans La. Sep. 28" circular datestamp on cover to Flat Rock P.O. N.C., few minor toned spots, Very Fine 675.00
- 2749 ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Horizontal pair, large margins to clear, tied by two neat strikes of "New Orleans La. 26 Oct." circular datestamps on orange cover **to Jefferson Tex.**, docketed at left, Very Fine, scarce usage to Texas, signed Dietz, with 1991 P.F. certificate 675.00
- 2749A ☒ **New Orleans La., 5c Red Brown on Bluish (62X4).** Full margins to just in, tied by "Paid" handstamps, "New Orleans La. Oct. 5" circular datestamp on cover to Wilmington N.C., blue ink marks around stamp edges, otherwise Fine 675.00



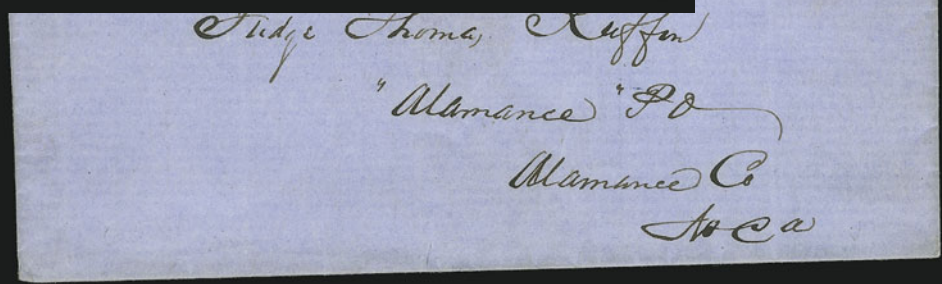
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- 2750 ☒ **Petersburg Va., 5c Red (65X1).** Position 3, large margins except for a few ornaments at upper left, deep shade and fine impression, tied by bold blue "Petersburg Va. Dec. 15" circular datestamp on small 1861 folded letter to Summit N.C., made from blue-lined stationery, Very Fine and choice, ex Consul Klep 2,000.00
- 2751 ☒ **Petersburg Va., 5c Red (65X1).** Mostly full to huge margins including **top sheet margin**, just touching corner ornament at bottom left, tied by blue "Petersburg Va. 5cts. Nov. 10" circular datestamp on yellow buff cover to Tally Ho N.C., cover bit reduced at right, stamp with faint foxing specks, still Fine 2,000.00
- 2752 ☒ **Petersburg Va., 5c Red (65X1).** Clear margins to in at top, tied by blue "Petersburg Va. Feb. 8" circular datestamp on cover to Drake's Branch Va., small repair at top right, appears Fine 2,000.00
- 2753 ☒ **Petersburg Va., 5c Red (65X1).** Position 6, margins clear of ornaments on two sides, others slightly in, tied by blue "Petersburg Va. Jan. 24" (1862) circular datestamp on blue folded cover to Judge Thomas Ruffin at Allemanee N.C., ms. **"Ford. from Allemanee"** forwarding mark, fresh and Fine, very attractive and scarce usage 2,000.00

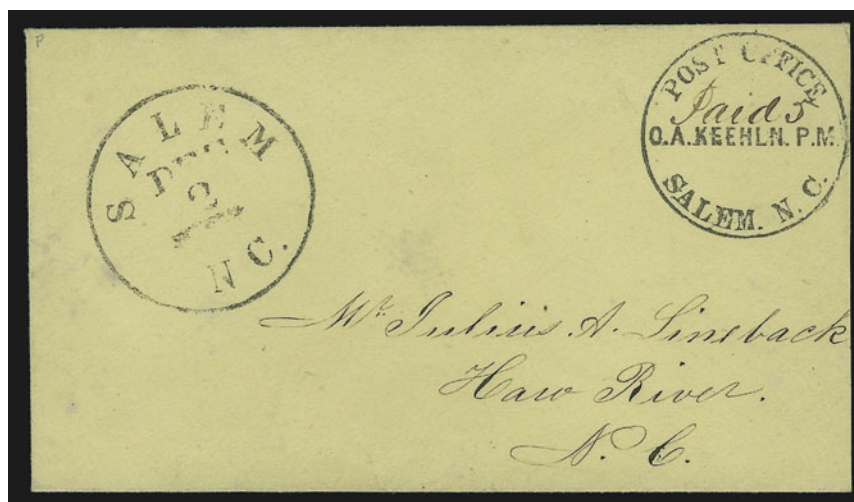


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- 2754 ☒ **Raleigh N.C., 5c Red entire (68XU1).** Mostly clear strike of red provisional handstamp, blue "Raleigh N.C. Aug. 20, 1861" double-circle datestamp on red and blue **10-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic** cover addressed in blue, flap and small opening tear at top repaired, Very Fine appearance, rare patriotic usage (five recorded in the Levi records), ex Murphy 2,750.00



- 2755 ☒ **Raleigh N.C., 5c Red entire (68XU1).** Readable strike at right on homemade cover to Hillsboro N.C., neat strike of blue "Raleigh N.C. Aug. 20" double-circle datestamp, fresh and Fine 500.00
- 2756 ☒ **Raleigh N.C., 5c Red entire (68XU1).** Bold strike of provisional marking, blue "Raleigh N.C. Oct. 24" double-circle datestamp on cover to Norfolk Va., gently cleaned, Very Fine, ex Knapp and Hill..... 500.00
- 2757 ☒ **Raleigh N.C., 5c Red entire (68XU1).** Clear strike of provisional marking, blue "Raleigh N.C. Sep. 2" double-circle datestamp to Trap Hill N.C., minor edgewear, Very Fine, ex Hill 500.00
- 2758 ☒ **Raleigh N.C., 5c Red entire (68XU1).** Clear strike on folded cover to Chapel Hill N.C., blue "Raleigh N.C. Aug. 13" double-circle datestamp, Very Fine..... 500.00
- 2759 ☒ **Raleigh N.C., 5c Red entire (68XU1).** Mostly readable strike at right on orange cover to Trap Hill N.C., neat strike of blue "Raleigh N.C. Jul. 17, 1862" double-circle datestamp, Fine..... 500.00



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- 2760 ☒ **Salem N.C., 5c Black entire (73XU1).** Bold strike with ms. "Paid 5" on yellow cover to Haw River N.C., neat "Salem N.C. Dec. 2" circular datestamp, Extremely Fine, probably the finest in existence, ex Emerson, Caspary and Lilly 1,150.00



- 2761 ☒ **Savannah Ga., 5c Black entire (101XU1).** With control mark at left on cover to Greenville S.C., light strike of Savannah circular datestamp, Very Fine..... 300.00
- 2762 ☒ **Savannah Ga., 5c Black entire (101XU2).** Neat strikes of markings on cover to Sparta Geo., "Savannah Ga. Paid Jun. 3, 1861" circular datestamp, with original enclosure, some soiling and slight wear, Very Fine 600.00
- 2763 ☒ **Statesville N.C., 5c Black entire (79XU1).** Clear provisional handstamp with "Statesville N.C. Feb. 4" circular datestamp on cover to Lenoir N.C., expertly repaired with bottom flap added, otherwise Very Fine, ex Walcott and Hill, only 19 are recorded in Crown survey..... 600.00
- 2764 ☒ **Talbotton Ga., 10c Black entire (94XU2).** Mostly clear strikes of provisional handstamp and "Talbotton Ga. Sep. 28, 1864" double-circle datestamp on homemade adversity cover to Landsford Ga., evidently originated outside of Talbotton with "pr Politeness of Capt. McKinney" sender's routing, Very Fine 1,000.00
- 2765 ☒ **Talbotton Ga., 10c Black entire (94XU2).** An interesting example with provisional handstamp struck at upper left corner, but turned upside down and addressed to Fort Valley Ga., the postmark's position corresponds to the address — all of this is a subtle confirmation that the envelope was sold with the provisional handstamp — "Talbotton Ga. Dec. 15, 1864" double-circle ds, the latest recorded use of the Talbotton provisional, Very Fine 1,000.00

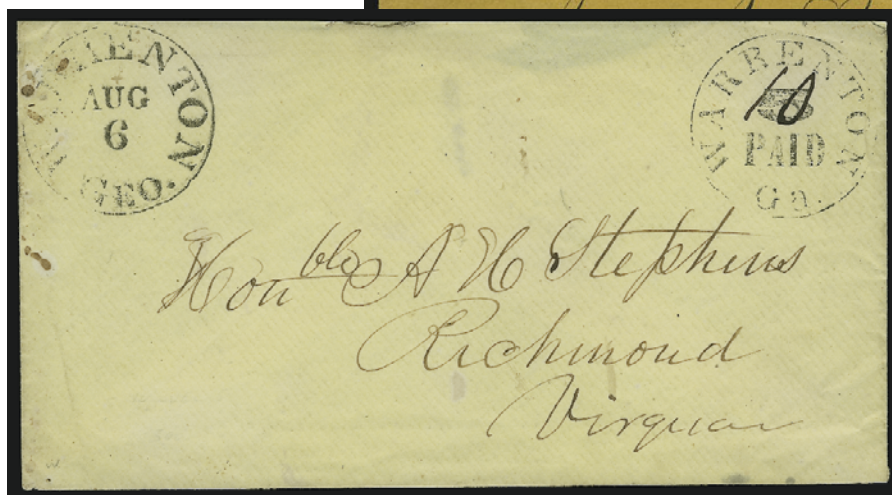
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- 2766 ☒ **Talbotton Ga., 10c Black entire (94XU2).** Light strike of provisional marking on buff cover to Covington Ga., "Talbotton Ga. Jan. 19" double-circle datestamp, some buckling of paper due to exposure to moisture and pink stain at bottom, otherwise Fine 1,000.00
- 2767 ☒ **Thomasville Ga., 5c Black entire (82XU1).** Clear strikes with control mark on back dated Jun. 18, a second on face dated Jul. 23, bold "5" and "Paid", used to Milledgeville Ga., slight edgewear, appears Fine, with 1986 C.S.A. certificate, ex Brown 500.00
- 2768 ☒ **Thomasville Ga., 5c Black entire (82XU2).** Clear strike, "Thomasville Aug. 12" circular datestamp on orange cover to Milledgeville Ga., minor wrinkling, few letters of circular datestamp strengthened in pencil, appears Very Fine, uncommonly clear strike of the provisional marking 900.00
- 2769 ☒ **Warrenton Ga., 10c (ms.) on 5c Black entire (89XU2).** Clear strike of provisional marking and ms. re-rating on orange cover to Vice-President Alexander Stephens at Richmond Va., well-struck "Warrington Geo. Aug. 6" circular datestamp, top flap removed as usual for this correspondence, 1861 docketing on back, Very Fine 850.00

GENERAL ISSUES OFF COVER



- 2770 **5c Green, Stone 2, Spur on Upper Left Scroll (1 var).** Position 21, enormous margins incl. part of two adjoining stamps, light strike of grid cancel leaves variety clearly visible, affixed to small piece, light creases, appears Extremely Fine, ex Hill, with 2004 P.F. certificate 260.00
- 2771 P **10c Blue, Plate Proof on Wove (2P5).** Ample to huge margins, magnificent color and impression, Very Fine and very scarce..... 1,500.00
- 2772 (★) **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Unused (no gum), large margins to full, deep rich color, Very Fine, with 1981 P.F. certificate..... 400.00
- 2773 ★ **2c Green (3).** Original gum, lightly hinged, large even margins all around, brilliant color, fresh and Extremely Fine..... 700.00
- 2774 ★ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Horizontal pair, typical brownish original gum, lightly hinged, large margins to full, deep rich color, light natural gum wrinkle, Very Fine and choice 400.00
- 2775 ★ **10c Rose (5).** Original gum, lightly hinged, large margins, radiant color, Very Fine and choice, with 1980 A.P.S. certificate..... 1,400.00
- 2776 ★ **10c Rose (5).** Original gum, small h.r., large margins to full, bright color, small repair at top left does not detract, Very Fine appearance, with 1990 P.F. certificate..... 1,400.00
- 2777 (★) **10c Pale Brown Rose (5).** Vertical pair, just in to full margins, unused (no gum), few faults incl. vertical crease, otherwise Fine, Scott Retail as pair in normal shade with gum 2,250.00
- 2778 **10c Carmine (5a).** Large margins to clear, deep rich color in the true Carmine shade, few light creases and thin spots, appears Very Fine, with 2003 P.S.E. certificate 1,900.00



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- 2779 ★田 **10c Rose (5).** Block of four, original gum, mostly large margins to clear at bottom left, bright fresh color, small faint toned spot at bottom, light wrinkles and creasing as found in almost all 1861-62 unused multiples, small thin spot at top center, small toned spot at bottom, otherwise Fine-Very Fine, a rare and impressive block of the 10c Rose, ex Everett, with 1985 P.F. and 2002 C.S.A. certificates..... 11,000.00



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- 2780 田 **10c Rose (5).** Used block of four, pen cancels and "Greensborough Ala. Jul. 8" circular datestamp, large margins on two sides, others more or less cut into, tiny sealed tear in bottom left stamp, otherwise Fine, an important rarity — the largest used block off cover, ex Frazier and Nunnally..... 6,500.00



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- 2781 TC **5c Black, De La Rue, Trial Color Large Die Proof on Glazed Card (6TC1).** 92 x 61mm, fresh, Very Fine and choice 900.00



- 2782 ★★田 5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6). Mint N.H. pane of 100 with sheet margin all around, bright color, original gum, few positions (80, 90, 95) show unusual printing flaws, few internal wrinkles, few small faults in selvage only, otherwise Very Fine, Scott Retail as blocks of four *Not illustrated* 1,125.00
- 2783 ★田 2c Brown Red (8). Block of four, large to huge margins incl. **bottom left corner sheet margin**, original gum, lightly hinged, Very Fine..... 350.00
- 2784 ★田 2c Brown Red (8). Block of four, huge margins incl. **top left corner sheet margin**, original gum, barely hinged, usual light natural gum wrinkles and bends, Extremely Fine 350.00
- 2785 ★田 2c Brown Red (8). Block of four, large margins to clear, original gum, lightly hinged, deep rich color, usual light natural gum wrinkles and bends, bottom left stamp natural age spot, otherwise Very Fine 350.00
- 2786 ★ 2c Brown Red, Horizontal Pair, Vertical Gutter Between (8 var). Position 10L/1-2R, horizontal strip of three with top sheet margin and vertical gutter, original gum, slightly toned and creased along gutter (as usual), otherwise Extremely Fine, ex Hall.... 395.00
- 2787 ★田 2c Brown Red (8). Block of fifteen, original gum, rich color, large margins to touching, scissors cuts at left and bottom in margin, natural inclusion in one stamp, Very Fine-Extremely Fine, ex Hall, Scott value as blocks and pairs 1,220.00
- 2788 ★★田 2c Brown Red (8). Mint N.H. vertical block of eight with bottom sheet margin, margins all around, usual natural gum bends associated with this hand-applied gum, few light gum toning spots of no great consequence, otherwise Very Fine, Scott Retail as two hinged blocks of four 700.00
- 2789 2c Brown Red (8). Large margins to clear, bright shade, neat strike of Richmond circular datestamp, Very Fine, with 2002 P.S.E. certificate 350.00



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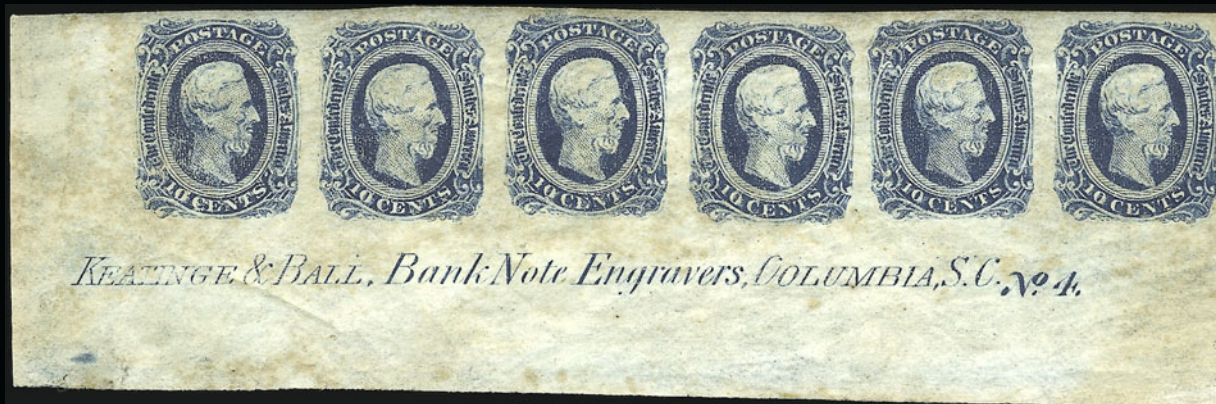
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- 2790 **10c Blue, "TEN" (9).** Large margins, brilliant color, **blue town** cancel, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.F. certificate..... 550.00
- 2791 **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Large to huge margins showing two complete framelines, fresh color, Mobile circular datestamp, inner circle of datestamp barely breaks paper in one spot, small corner fault, Extremely Fine appearance..... 1,600.00
- 2792 **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Large margins showing trace of frameline at top, bright shade, neat strike of Mobile Ala. double-circle datestamp, Very Fine and choice, with 1995 P.F. certificate... 1,600.00
- 2793 ★田 **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Pane of 100 with Archer & Daly imprint at bottom left with "& Daly" crossed out, large margins, usual dried gum, some creasing and other small faults, appears Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 1,395.00
- 2794 **10c Blue, Die A, "Oxford" Roulette (11 var).** Huge margins, bold Oxford N.C. circular datestamp, fresh color, Extremely Fine and seldom seen offered, with 1985 P.F. certificate 400.00
- 2795 ★ **10c Deep Blue, Dies A & B, Keatinge & Ball (11-12 K & B).** Each in horizontal strip of six with imprint and plate numbers at bottom, Die A "No. 1", Die B "No. 4", original gum, staining and light creasing as usual, still a handsome pair of imprint pieces from the 1864 K & B printing, ex Everett, Scott Retail as ordinary pairs..... 150.00



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10c Blue, Die B, Die Essay on Wove (12-E5). 25 x 31mm, trivial natural inclusion

VERY FINE. AN EXTREMELY RARE DIE ESSAY FOR THE 10-CENT ARCHER AND DALY DIE B ISSUE.

This is one of two known die essays for this issue. Ex Murphy..... E. 5,000-7,500



- 2797 ★田 **20c Green (13)**. Block of four, large margins to clear, original gum, lightly hinged, **three stamps with double transfers**, deep rich color, Very Fine and choice, Scott Retail as normal with no premium for the double transfers..... 190.00
- 2798 ★田 **20c Green (13)**. Block of four with **vertical gutter**, large to huge margins, original gum, appears Mint N.H., tiny age spot at left, otherwise Extremely Fine, Scott Retail as two gutter pairs..... 500.00
- 2799 ★田 **20c Green (13)**. Two blocks of four, large margins to clear, original gum, lightly hinged, **each with one stamp double transfer**, different shades, one with faint natural gum wrinkle at bottom, Very Fine, Scott Retail as normal blocks of four with no premium for the double transfers 380.00
- 2800 ★田 **20c Green (13)**. Five blocks of four, incl. complete set of the four corner sheet margins, original gum, few small faults, Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 950.00
- 2801 **20c Green (13)**. Original gum, barely hinged, large margins all around, clear **double transfer** at top, light natural gum wrinkles, Very Fine and choice..... 250.00
- 2802 ★ **20c Green (13)**. Original gum, barely hinged, large margins to clear, clear **double transfer** at top, usual light natural gum wrinkles, Very Fine 250.00
- 2803 ★★田 **1c Orange (14)**. Mint N.H. block of four, large to huge margins incl. **bottom left corner sheet margin**, vibrant color, Extremely Fine, a beautiful block..... 375.00
- 2804 **1c-20c General Issues (1-14)**. Accumulation of well over 200 used, unused original gum and unused no gum stamps neatly arranged on stock pages, only one each of Nos. 3, 9 and 10, various quantities of others, strong showing of Nos. 11 and 12 with shades, blocks and imprint and plate no. block of twelve of each, also includes a few covers and five different Postmasters' Provisionals including No. 16X1 cover (toning and cover edge flaws) and 26X1 with ms "16" (postmark?, figured as unused), very mixed condition, still contains some Fine-Very Fine useful material, seldom seen offered in such large quantity.....*Not illustrated* E. 2,000-3,000
- 2805 **1c-20c General Issues (1-9, 11-14)**. Small accumulation of over two dozen used and unused stamps, condition varies, Very Good-Extremely Fine appearance.....*Not illustrated* E. 300-400
- 2806 **Confederate Stamp Balance**. 37 items, incl. Nos. 62X5, 2, 4 (2), 5, 8 (2), 9 (pen cancel, light crease), four imprint and plate no. strips of No. 11, six blocks of four of No. 11 (one with vertical gutter), 13 (2), 14, some faults, few appear Fine-Very Fine*Not illustrated* E. 500-750
- 2807 ★ **Confederate Stamp Balance**. 16 singles and two pairs, incl. sheet margin pairs of No. 8, others incl. Nos. 8, 13 (5, incl. some with double transfer), 14 (2), few small faults, Fine-Very Fine.....*Not illustrated* 833.00



GENERAL ISSUES ON COVER

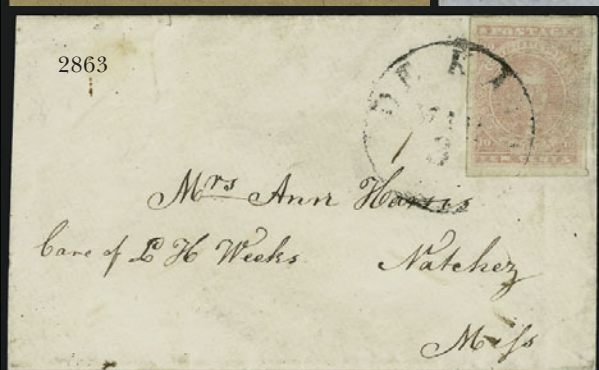
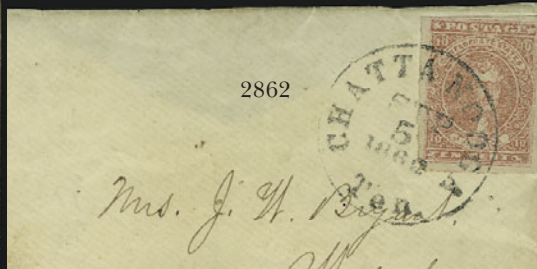
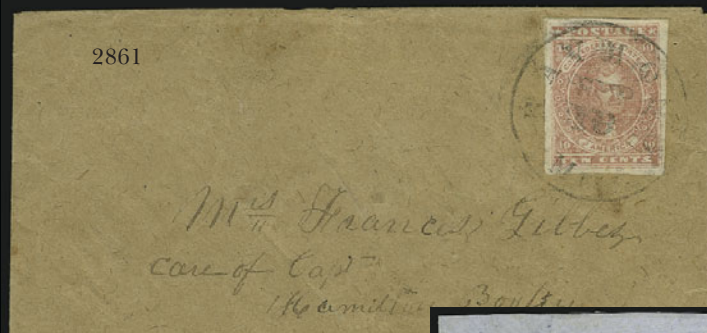
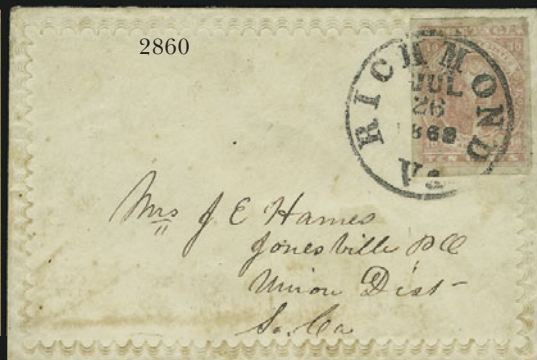
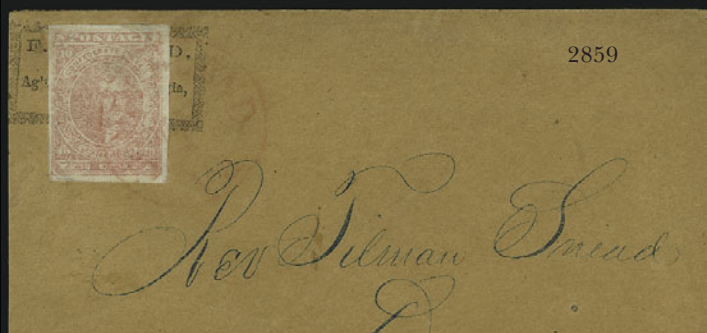
- 2808 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Huge margins to clear incl. **sheet margin at left**, tied by light strike of **blue** "Louisa C.H. Va. Dec. 19" circular datestamp on 1861 folded letter to Richmond Va., fresh and Very Fine E. 200-300
- 2809 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large to huge margins incl. **sheet margin at top**, tied by old strike of "Guyton Ga. Mar. 31" circular datestamp with **Quaker date** on cover to Cuthbert Ga., stamp with light horizontal crease, otherwise Very Fine, very rare, less than five are known, ex Judd and Cole E. 300-400
- 2810 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Huge margins to just clear incl. part of adjoining stamp at top and **sheet margin at right**, tied by "Little Rock Ark. May 17" double-circle datestamp on green **Liquor and Tobacco dealer's corner card** cover to Dewitt P.O. Ark., some soiling around stamp from gum, Very Fine, scarce usage E. 400-500
- 2811 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins all around, tied by well-struck "Little Rock Ark. Jul. 8, 1862" double-circle datestamp on light yellow cover to Pine Bluff Ark., ms. "Due 5", some wear, Very Fine, unusual usage, the rate increased to 10c the week before this was sent (on July 1) and so charged the extra 5c E. 300-400
- 2812 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins, tied by **blue** "Lexington Va. Jan. 22" circular datestamp on **mourning** cover to Richmond Va., stamp with insignificant tear at top, Very Fine appearance, an attractive cover E. 300-400
- 2813 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins to just in, tied by unusual **circle of diamonds** cancel, "Canton Miss. Mar. 27, 1862" circular datestamp on orange cover to New Orleans, slightly reduced at top and left, small repairs at top, appears Fine, scarce Confederate "fancy" cancel, ex Kohn, with 1997 P.S.E. certificate E. 200-300
- 2814 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins to just touched, deep rich color with unusual deep spot of green ink at bottom left, nicely contrasted by **blue** "Portsmouth Va. Nov. 25" double-circle datestamp on light gray cover to Richmond Va., slightly reduced at left and minor edgewear, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 2815 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Grenada Mi. Mar. 29" circular datestamp on small cover to Torrence Depot Miss., cover with light stains, Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 150-200
- 2816 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Margins to just in, showing clear **misplaced transfer** at left, cancelled by pen, "Oxford Miss. Mar. 9" circular datestamp with date in ms., on cover to New Orleans, Fine E. 200-300
- 2817 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Horizontal pair, large margins to clear, tied by neat strike of "Hernando Miss. Feb. 3" circular datestamp on cover to Brinkleyville N.C., pair with insignificant toned speck, missing part of top flap, Very Fine, attractive pair E. 300-400
- 2818 ☒ **5c Light Green (1).** Horizontal pair, large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Dec. 10" circular datestamp on light yellow cover to Columbus Miss., pair with light horizontal crease at top, cover gently cleaned, appears Very Fine, attractive cover E. 300-400
- 2819 ☒ **5c Light Green (1).** Horizontal pair, large margins, tied by "Jackson Miss. Jan. 20" circular datestamp on cover to Spotsylvania C.H. Va., missing top flap, cover with repaired tear at top center, left stamp small tear at bottom (not mentioned on accompanying certificate), appears Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2820 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins, tied by "Richmond Va. May ?" circular datestamp on **Mounted Dragoon with Verse Patriotic** cover to Lynchburg Va. and **forwarded** to Gary's Store Va., forwarding postage paid by **5c Blue (4)**, margins to in, tied by blue "Richmond Va. May 18" circular datestamp, expertly cleaned and restored, stamps with some slight soiling, still Fine appearance, a scarce forwarded Patriotic usage E. 1,000-1,500
- 2821 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Huge margins all around incl. **sheet margin at top**, tied by well-struck "Little Rock Ark. May 8" double-circle datestamp on cover to Paris Texas, slightly reduced at left, horizontal file fold at top affects stamp, small corner repair at top right, appears Very Fine E. 200-300
- 2822 ☒ **10c Light Blue, Paterson (2a).** Large margins all around, tied by "Jackson Miss. Nov. 14" circular datestamp on orange cover with printed "**Head-Quarters Army of the Mississippi, Adjutant and Inspector-General's Office, Official Business**" to Buffalo Miss., small tear at bottom right, Very Fine, with 1986 P.F. certificate E. 400-500
- 2823 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Large margins, rich color, tied by "Chattanooga Tenn. Feb. 9, 1863" circular datestamp on homemade cover to Griffin Ga., slightly reduced at right, Very Fine E. 150-200

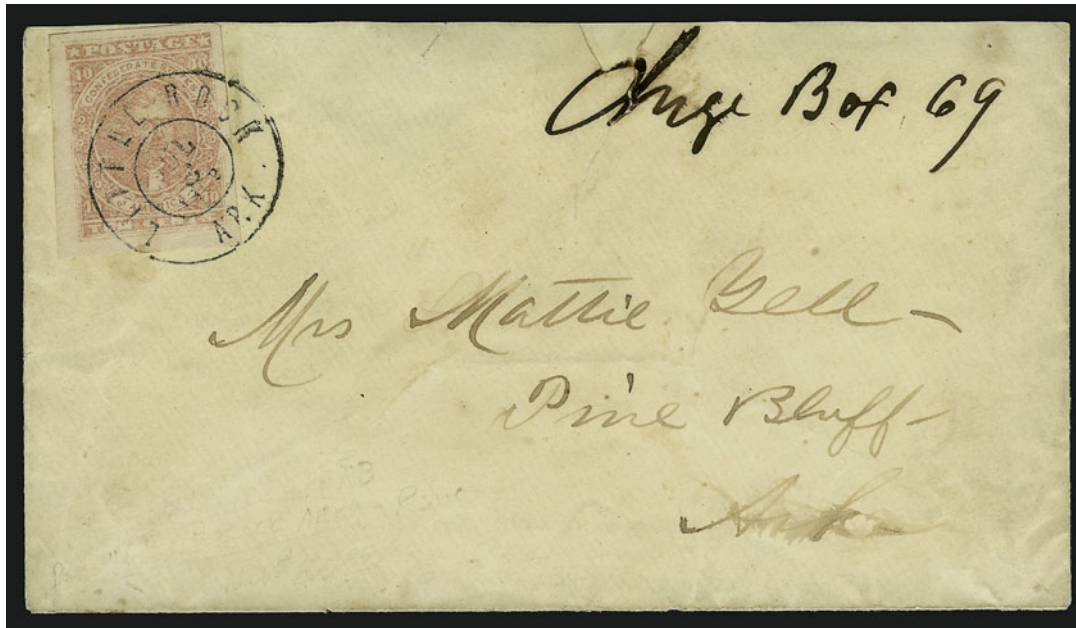


- 2824 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Large margins, tied by “Richmond Va. Nov. 11, 1862” circular datestamp on yellow cover to Abingdon Va., missing part of top flap and some slight wear, Very Fine E. 200-300
- 2825 ☒ **10c Light Blue, Paterson (2a).** Huge margins to full, cancelled by black grid, “Canton Miss. Sep. 22” circular datestamp on homemade cover to Texas military address, stamp with minor surface abrasions, cancel with minor strengthening, otherwise Very Fine, attractive and scarce usage, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate..... 250.00
- 2826 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Full margins to just in, cancelled by ms. “X”, tied by “Winchester Va. Sep. 17” circular datestamp on **10-Star Confederate Flag and Verse Patriotic** cover to Bluff Spring Miss., military docketing at bottom left, slightly reduced at left and some slight overall wear, Very Fine 1,400.00
- 2827 ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Large to huge margins, on fresh buff cover to Richmond VA tied by “Greenville C.H. S.C.” double-circle datestamp, neat March 1862 docketing at left, minor light cover creases, Extremely Fine..... 425.00
- 2828 ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Irregular margins touching frameline, tied by “Jefferson Tex. Apr. 6” circular datestamp on orange-buff cover to Carroll Hoy & Co. in New Orleans, red and blue **“Our Flag S.C.” 7-Star Confederate Flag patriotic sticker** affixed at upper left, not tied as often, stamp with small tear at top, neat mended opening tear along top edge, usual pinholes, Very Fine appearance, ex Packard, Everett, with 2002 C.S.A. certificate declining opinion as to whether the label originates.. E. 300-400
- 2829 ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Large (if uneven) margins, tied by “Corinth Miss. Nov. 20” circular datestamp on cover to Lynchburg S.C., cover with sealed tear at top and part of top flap missing, stamp with light corner crease not mentioned on accompanying certificate, appears Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 150-200
- 2830 ☒ **10c Greenish Blue, Stone Y (2e).** Large margins, tied by boldly struck “Proctor’s Creek Va. Oct. 25, 1862” circular datestamp on **Mounted Dragoon patriotic** cover to High Point N.C., stamp has minor tears, few toned spots, still Very Fine and extremely rare usage, ex Weatherly, Murphy 2,100.00
- 2831 ☒ **10c Blue, Stone Y (2e).** Large margins, tied by Jul. 6 Miss. double-circle datestamp on red **Standing Washington and Flag Union Patriotic** cover to Port Gibson Miss., address and back with ornate drawings integrating the name and address, opened for display, minor edgewear and some skilful restoration, Very Fine appearance, scarce and attractive usage..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 2832 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, Stone Y (2e).** Large margins to clear, tied by “Little Rock Ark.” double-circle datestamp on yellow cover to Willow Springs Texas, stamp with creases, cover tear at left, otherwise Fine, scarce usage of the Stone Y E. 200-300
- 2833°☒ **10c Greenish Blue, Stone Y (2e).** Large margins to just touched, tied by blue “Monroe Ga. Oct. 10” circular datestamp on cover to a member of “General Howell Cobb’s Brigade” in Richmond Va., stamp with light horizontal crease, some edgewear, still appears fresh and Very Fine, attractive usage, with 2000 C.S.A. certificate E. 750-1,000
- 2834 **10c Greenish Blue, Stone Y (2e).** Two covers, one with selvage at bottom, margins to in, tied by “Richmond Va.” circular datestamps on homemade covers, almost Fine (Photo Ex) 1,000.00
- 2835 ☒ **2c Yellow Green (3).** Large margins to just in, tied by “Athens Ga. Feb. ?” circular datestamp on **turned** cover to Mayfield Ga., inside with 10c Blue, Die B (12), defective, tied by “Mayfield Geo. Feb. 23” circular datestamp ro Greensboro Ga., opened for display, Fine, ex Judd, scarce shade of the 2c E. 1,500-2,000
- 2836 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Three large margins, ample at left, faint corner crease, tied by “Vicksburg Miss.” double-circle datestamp on **turned** homemade locally addressed cover, first use to Vicksburg with “Liberty Miss.” circular datestamp and ms. “Paid 10 cts.” on other side, Very Fine, scarce adversity usage of 2c Green Lithograph, ex Manning, Shenfield, illustrated in Lehman booklet on 2c Lithograph (p. 13)..... 2,750.00
- 2837 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Three large margins, touched at bottom, tied by **blue** “Greensborough N.C. Mar. 21” circular datestamp on local cover, small piece of flap missing, sealed opening tear at top, still Fine, choice and scarce colored cancel on the 2c Lithograph .. 2,750.00
- 2838 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Three large margins, touched at right, small nick at upper right, tied by bold “Charleston S.C. Jul. 1, 186-” circular datestamp on small narrow cover to “*Sgt. V. Duc, James Island*”, a bit worn and toned, Fine appearance 2,750.00
- 2839 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Three ample to large margins, in at bottom, tied by “Savannah Ga. Paid May 31, 1862” circular datestamp on brown wrapper to Tuskegee Ala., faint strike of “2” handstamp at top left, slight wear, Fine and rare circular usage, ex Keeling ... 2,750.00



- 2840 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Huge right sheet margin, other sides cut in, tied by bold **blue** “Albany Ga. Sep. 16, 1862” circular datestamp on brown local cover, docketed at left, reduced about ½ in. at left, Fine and rare sheet margin copy 2,750.00
- 2841 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Three large margins, touched at top, tied by blurred Richmond Va. circular datestamp on newspaper wrapper made from printed form, to Darlington Heights Va., couple tiny scuffs in stamp, otherwise Fine 2,750.00
- 2842 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Horizontal strip of five, tied by “**Marshall Tex. Jun. 15, 1863**” double-circle datestamp on pale green cover to lieutenant in Col. Randall’s Regt. at Little Rock Ark., three strikes of circular datestamp and additional part strike on cover, the strip has small faults and the cover has been extensively restored with backflap added, otherwise Very Fine, an attractive appearing example of this extremely rare Texas usage of the 2c Green, with 1977 C.S.A. certificate 13,500.00
- 2843 **5c Blue (4).** Large margins to in at right, tied by “Wilmington N.C. ? May” circular datestamp on yellow rebacked cover front only with blue **Jefferson Davis Medallion Patriotic** cover to Olive Hill P.O. N.C., **missent** to Oak Hill N.C. and with ms. “*forwarded from from Oak Hill N.C.*”, ms. “*via Henderson Depot*” at bottom left, some wear affects stamp, still appears Very Fine, unusual and attractive usage, with 1980 C.S.A. certificate E. 500-750
- 2844 **5c Blue, Stone 3 (4).** Large margins to just barely in, cancelled by bold “Richmond Va. 1862” circular datestamp on **12-Star Confederate Flag and Cannon Patriotic** cover to Hanover C.H. Va., slightly reduced at sides and few age spots, stamp does not originate, appears Fine, still an interesting reference item, with 2002 P.F. certificate... E. 300-400
- 2845 ☒ **5c Blue, Stone 2 (4).** Large margins to just in, cancelled by ms. “X” with Va. June 6th ms. pmk. on **Richmond Female Institute illustrated** cover to Richmond Va., minor wear, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 2846 ☒ **5c Light Blue (4).** Large margins to clear, tied by “Little Rock Ark. Jul. 12, 1862” double-circle datestamp on folded letter to Hickory Grove Ark., some splitting along folds, some staining affects stamp, otherwise Fine..... E. 300-400
- 2847 ☒ **5c Light Blue (4).** Large to huge margins incl. **sheet margin at top**, tied by light strike of “Charleston S.C. ? 30” double-circle datestamp on **adversity cover** made from printed form, to military address at Richmond Va., some wear incl. stamp with crease and tiny tear at bottom right, appears Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 2848 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Full margins, tied by light strike of “Richmond Va. Jan. 10” circular datestamp on cover, Very Fine 500.00
- 2849 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Margins to in, prominent **goose neck flaw** at lower right, tied by “Richmond Va. ? 25, 1862” circular datestamp on cover to Petersburg Va., Fine example of this plate flaw on cover..... E. 200-300
- 2850 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Large margins to clear, tied by “New Orleans La. ?. 29” (1862) circular datestamp on light yellow cover to Memphis Tenn., stamp affected from placement at edge of cover, minor edgewear, Very Fine, rare 5c usage before the Federal occupation of New Orleans..... 500.00
- 2851 ☒ **5c Dark Blue, Stone 2 (4a).** Two, uncanceled, affixed to cover to Mt. Lebanon La., “Hamburg Ark. ? 7” origination circular datestamp, slightly reduced at left, minor wear, Very Fine 500.00
- 2852 ☒ **5c Blue (2).** Two, different shades, tied by **blue** “Winchester Va. Oct. 4” circular datestamp on yellow cover to Dickinsonville Va., stamps with faults, Very Fine appearance, attractive usage..... E. 200-300
- 2853 ☒ **5c Light Milky Blue, Stone 3 (4b).** Two, Positions 49, 39, large margins to clear incl. one with **sheet margin at bottom**, brilliant color, tied by large grids, “Canton Miss. Dec. 9, 1862” circular datestamp on green cover to Williamsboro N.C., small tear at top, Very Fine, scarce and attractive usage, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 300-400
- 2854 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Horizontal pair, large margins to huge incl. **sheet margin at top**, tied by neat strike of “Suffolk Va. Apr. 19” circular datestamp on cover to Athens Ga., slightly reduced at left, small tear at bottom, appears Very Fine E. 300-400
- 2855 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Horizontal pair, large margins all around, tied by **blue** “Emory Va. Aug. 21” circular datestamp on homemade cover to Alleghany Springs Va., fresh and Very Fine, a beautiful cover, ex Brooks..... E. 400-500
- 2856 ☒ **5c Milky Blue, Stone 3 (4).** Vertical pair, Positions 4/14, large margins, cancelled by single penstroke, “Rondo Ark.” ms. pmk. on embossed cover to Little Rock Ark., slightly reduced at right, some slight soiling, otherwise Very Fine E. 300-400
- 2857 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Vertical pair, large margins to in incl. **sheet margin at bottom**, tied by indistinct strike of Columbus Miss. circular datestamp on homemade cover to military address at Verona Miss., pencil “Aug. 15, 1862” date, Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate... E. 200-300





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- 2858 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Large margins, beautiful bright shade, tied by perfectly clear “**Little Rock Ark. Jul. 3, 1862**” double-circle datestamp on cover to Gov. Yell’s wife at Pine Bluff Ark., flap missing and small opening nick at top (mended), still Very Fine, Arkansas usage of the 10c Rose is unpriced in Dietz or Scott, a great rarity E. 1,000-1,500
- 2859 ☒ **10c Pale Rose (5).** Margins all around, tied by **red** “Churchland Va.” circular datestamp on brown cover addressed in blue to Dennis Ga., stamp affixed over addressee’s corner card, slightly reduced at left, Fine, rare use of red town marking on 10c Rose, signed Dietz, ex Meroni 800.00
- 2860 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Large margins to clear, tied by bold strike of “Richmond Va. Jul. 26, 1863” circular datestamp on small embossed cover to Jonesville P.O. S.C., light diagonal crease at top, some overall soiling, otherwise Very Fine 800.00
- 2861 ☒ **10c Rose (5). White arrow variety,** full margins, tied by “Raymond Miss. Sep. 19” circular datestamp on homemade cover to Camden Ga., Very Fine, ex Murphy 800.00
- 2862 ☒ **10c Deep Rose (5).** Handsome shade, ample to large margins, faint crease, tied by “Chattanooga Ten. Sep. 5, 1862” circular datestamp on cover to Welaka Fla., without backflap, Very Fine appearance, ex Keeling 800.00
- 2863 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Large margins all around, radiant color, tied by “DeKalb Miss. Mar. 3” circular datestamp on small cover to Natchez Miss., with original enclosure, slightly reduced at left, stamp slightly affected by cover bends (not mentioned on accompanying certificate), Very Fine appearance, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate 800.00
- 2864 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Two, large margins, tied by neat strikes of “Greenville S.C. Jul. 17” date-stamps on blue cover to Athens Ga., right stamp with tear at top left, cover expertly cleaned and repaired, still Fine, scarce double-rate usage of the 10c Rose issue, with 2002 C.S.A. certificate E. 1,000-1,500
- 2865 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Horizontal pair, three large margins incl. **imprint at bottom**, right stamp in, cancelled by “Richmond Va. Jul. 3, 1863” circular datestamp on cover to Antioch Ga., reduced at left, some edge repairs, stamps with few faults, appears Fine, scarce usage especially with the part imprint E. 750-1,000
- 2866 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Top sheet margin horizontal pair, large margins all around, insignificant nick in top sheet margin, tied by “Williamsburg Va. Sep. 30, 1862” double-circle ds on yellow cover to Hot Springs Ark., remnants of manuscript border and extensive erosion along edges suggest that this might have been a homemade mourning envelope, soiled and piece out of T.R. corner — the pair is superb and the envelope’s condition problems could be remedied with professional restoration — pairs of the 10c Rose are extremely rare on cover, and this has the potential to be one of the choicest appearing examples, ex Keeling E. 750-1,000
- 2867 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Vertical pair, large margins to just in on bottom stamp, tied by open grid, matching “Athens Ga. Jul. 1?” circular datestamp on cover to Marion Ala., cover refolded, Fine double-rate usage E. 500-750



- 2868 ✉ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Full margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Jun. 16, 1862" circular datestamp on red **General Beauregard Patriotic** cover to Junction Store Va., address somewhat faded, minor edgewear, Very Fine..... 900.00
- 2869 ✉ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Horizontal pair, large margins incl. **sheet margin at right** and part of adjoining stamp at left, tied by "Kinston N.C. Aug. 13" circular datestamp on orange cover with red and blue **11-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic** design, few small faults, appears Very Fine, ex Myerson 1,300.00
- 2870 ✉ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Horizontal pair, large margins, tied by blue "Petersburg Va. Aug. 17" circular datestamp on orange cover with **Commission Merchant corner card** to Blacks & Whites Va., minor edgewear, Very Fine, attractive usage .. E. 200-300
- 2871 ✉ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Block of four, large margins to just in, tied by "Richmond Va. Nov. 9, 1862" circular datestamps on yellow cover to Lexington Va., missing top flap, Very Fine, scarce block on cover 900.00
- 2872 ✉ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Horizontal strip of six, margins to slightly in, tied by light strikes of Opelousa La. postmarks on cover with imprint of the General Land Office in Baton Rouge, to Nacogdoches, Tex. "Care of Dr. Starr", back flap with ms. "Recd & remailed Dec. 22, 1862 Ja. A. Starr", cover with closed tear at left, two stamps have a tiny scrape, still Fine, unusual Trans-Mississippi usage E. 500-750

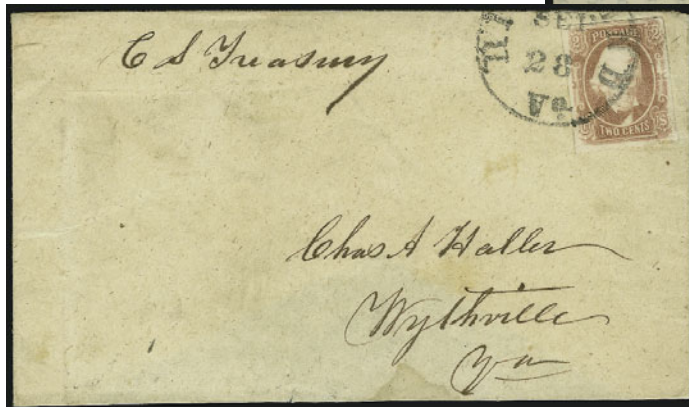


- 2873 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Jun. 9, 1862" circular datestamp on **Confederate Flag, Cannon and Verse Patriotic** cover to Ashland Va., slightly reduced at left, stamp with some wrinkling, appears Very Fine, attractive usage..... 1,000.00
- 2874 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, tied by blue "Petersburg Va." circular datestamp on **11-Star Confederate Flag, Cannon and Verse Patriotic** cover to Oxford N.C., stamps with faults at top, otherwise Fine, scarce E. 400-500
- 2875 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, clear to large margins, lightly creased between stamps, tied by blue "Richmond Va." dateless circle on red and blue **Revolutionary War Soldier and U.S. Flag captured Northern patriotic** cover to Mobile Ala., pencil Jun. 6, 1863 receipt dock-eting on back, a bit worn around edges and small spot at bottom, Fine, ex Everett E. 500-750
- 2876 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Two, margins to in, tied by "Winchester Va. Oct. 5" circular datestamp on **captured Union Patriotic** cover to Selma Ala., stamps defective, slightly reduced at top and with small piece out at top left, otherwise Fine, scarce usage E. 500-750
- 2877 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins except at bottom of righthand stamp, deep shade, tied by "Guineys Va. Apr. -" circular datestamp on tan, brown and maroon **wallpaper** cover to Dry Pond N.C., a turned usage with pair used on wallpaper side, first use on plain side with brownish "Mount Mourne N.C. Mar. 21" circular datestamp and "Paid 10" in circle, military address, minor edge wear, unusually choice condition, Very Fine and remarkable cover..... E. 750-1,000
- 2878 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins to in incl. **sheet margin at bottom**, cancelled by small penstrokes, matching "Campagnolle Ark. Apl. 28th" ms. pmk. on **adversity** cover made from hair tonic ad, to Arkadelphia Ark., some slight edgewear, Very Fine, attrac-tive usage..... E. 300-400



- 2879 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins all around, tied by neat strike of "Atlanta Ga. Dec. 17, 1862" circular datestamp on blue **Atlanta Machine Works illustrated corner card** cover to Columbia Mines Ga., some overall toning, otherwise Very Fine E. 300-400
- 2880 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins to in, tied by "Richmond Va. Nov. , 1862" circular datestamp on **The Magnolia Weekly corner card** cover to Columbia .C., some slight soiling, Fine, accompanied by August 6, 1864 edition of the Magnolia Weekly E. 500-750
- 2881 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins to in, tied by "Tullahoma Ten. Apr. 6, 1863" circular datestamp on **adversity** cover made from an advertisement flyer to Arkadelphia Ark., some slight edgewear, toning affects right stamp, otherwise Fine E. 400-500
- 2882 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, margins to in, tied by **negative "Elkin N.C. May 6"** circular datestamp on small cover to Fort Defiance N.C., Very Fine, scarce cancel E. 200-300
- 2883 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins to clear, tied by well-struck "Centreville Miss. April 16" circular datestamp with date in ms. on homemade cover to Holly Retreat Miss., cover and pair with light age stains, otherwise Very Fine, with 2004 C.S.A. certificate E. 150-200
- 2884 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Two vertical pairs, rich color, large margins to clear, tied by **blue "Lynchburg Va. May 18"** circular datestamps on cover to Curdsville Va., minor wear, negligible toned spots around stamp edges, appears Very Fine E. 200-300
- 2885 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Two horizontal strips of three, cancelled by penstrokes, matching "Hamilton Ark. Dec. 9th 1862" ms. pmk. on orange cover addressed to Clerk of the Confederate Court in Little Rock Ark., reduced at left, right stamps in strips small nicks, otherwise Very Fine E. 300-400

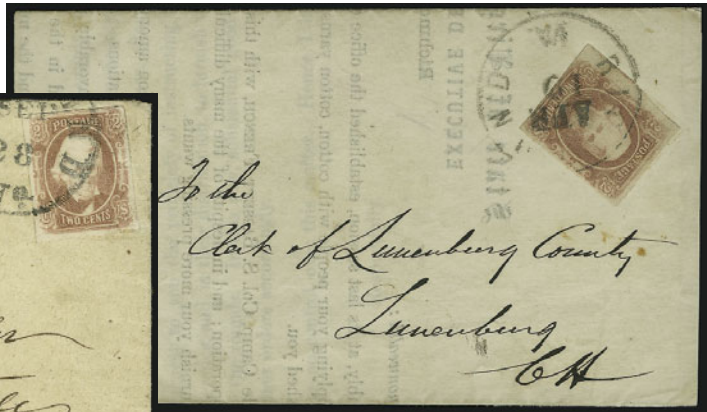
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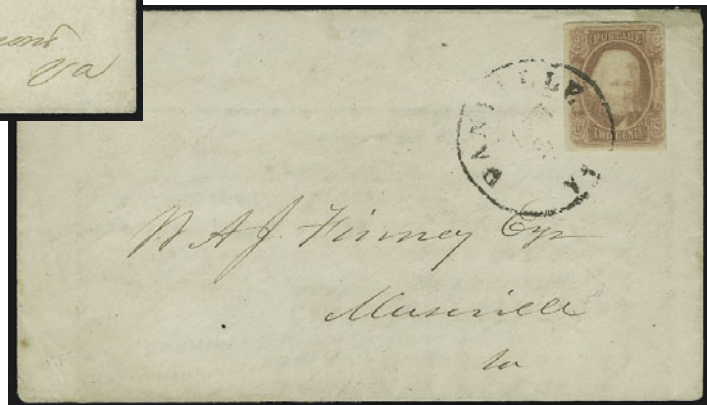
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- 2886 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Large margins to barely in incl. portion of adjoining stamp at left, tied by "Richmond Va. Apr. 19" circular datestamp on folded State of Virginia, Executive Department printed notice dated April 15, 1864, small piece out of backflap, Very Fine, signed Dietz..... 1,250.00
- 2887 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Sep. 28" circular datestamp on cover to Wytheville Va., ms. "C S Treasury" at top left, stamp with small tear at bottom right, slightly reduced at bottom and missing bottom flap, appears Very Fine, with 1984 P.F. certificate describing this as an 1864 usage but not mentioning any faults..... 1,250.00
- 2888 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Just touched at top left to ample margins, tied by "Goldsborough N.C. Apr. 9" circular datestamp on homemade cover to Wilmington N.C., extreme top left of stamp affected from placement at edge of cover, still a Very Fine circular rate usage, with 1992 C.S.A. certificate..... 1,250.00
- 2889 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Three large margins, touched at right, worn and weak impression, tied by "Richmond Va. Sep. 15, 18—" circular datestamp on **office of the Commissioner of Taxes** imprint cover to local tax collector, Very Fine cover 1,250.00
- 2890 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Ample margins, tied by "Danville Va. Feb. 5" circular datestamp on unsealed cover, some edgewear, Very Fine..... 1,250.00



- 2891 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Four margins, tied by partly readable Camden S.C. circular datestamp on homemade buff cover (unsealed) to Aiken, faint trace of waterstain at right, otherwise Very Fine, ex Kohn..... 1,250.00
- 2892 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Feb. 14" circular datestamp on homemade **turned** cover to Albemarle C.H. Va., inside addressed to Richmond and carried outside of the mails, stamp affected by horizontal file fold at top, opened for display, Very Fine appearance, with 1984 P.F. certificate..... 1,250.00
- 2893 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Large even margins, tied by "Richmond Va. Sep. 24" circular datestamp on brown wrapper to Sandy Grove S.C., minor waterstains, otherwise Fine, choice stamp and scarce wrapper usage, ex Keeling..... 1,250.00
- 2894 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Oct. 13, 1863" circular datestamp on folded printed circular to Black Walnut Va., some reinforcing along folds, Very Fine, attractive usage on a circular..... 1,250.00
- 2895 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Margins to in, tied by "Richmond Va. Jun. 2" circular datestamp on back of homemade cover to Arnold's Mills S.C., soldier's docketing at top right and marked with "Due 10" handstamp, Fine..... 1,250.00
- 2896 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Horizontal pair, large margins to in, faint crease, tied by bold "Richmond Va. Apr. 10" circular datestamp on unusual pamphlet size envelope to Lockleven Va., sealed flaps and opened at left but franked as a double circular rate, minor folds, reduced at left, Fine and fresh..... 3,250.00



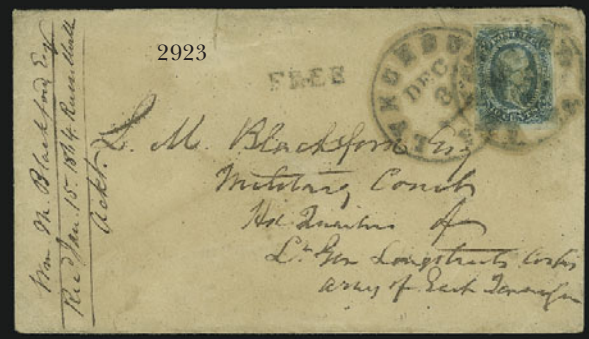
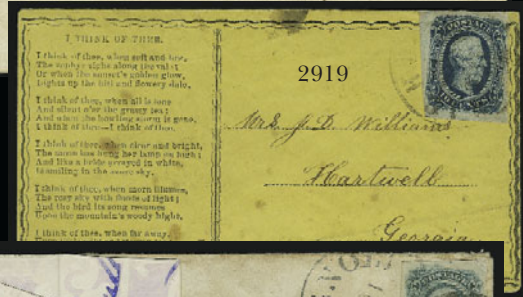
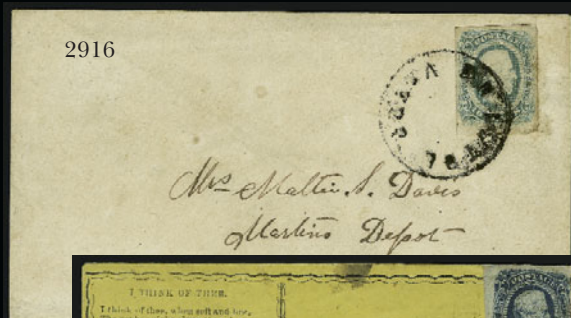
- 2897 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Five singles, margins to in, tied by "Charleston S.C. Oct. 4" circular datestamps on cover to Lynchburg S.C., some wear affects stamps, appears Fine, attractive franking E. 1,000-1,500
- 2898 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Horizontal strip of four with huge margin at top and slightly in at other places, used with L. sheet margin single, tied by "Richmond Va. Feb. 28" circular datestamp on blue cover to Lynchburg Va., two heavy indentations (one on strip), stained spot at T.R. barely affecting stamp, otherwise Fine, scarce (Scott Retail \$4,500.00 for strip of five on cover) E. 1,000-1,500
- 2899 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Two vertical pairs and single, tied by "Clemmons N.C. Aug. 1" circular datestamps on homemade **turned** cover to Salem N.C., inside bears 10c Blue, Die A (11) tied by grid, "Salem N.C. Jul. 10" circular datestamp to Griffin Ga., one side flap removed to show stamp on inside, some edgewear, Very Fine, scarce usage, with 1994 C.S.A. certificate E. 2,000-3,000
- 2900 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Vertical strip of five, ample margins, top and bottom stamps faulty from placement at edge, tied by "Richmond Va. Jul. 31" circular datestamp on 1863 blue folded letter from Wm. Smith to Wm. Starke, mail contractor at Culpepper C.H. Va., regarding the postal route between Culpepper and Warrenton, light vertical fold thru center stamp, overall Very Fine appearance and a most attractive cover, vertical strips are rare, ex Keeling 5,000.00
- 2901 ☒ **2c Brown Red (8).** Horizontal strip of five, large margins to just in at left, tied by penstrokes and "Laurens C.H. S.C. Jun. 1" circular datestamp on small cover to Pendleton S.C., few tiny toned spots, left stamp affected by vertical file fold, appears Very Fine, ex Kohn..... 5,000.00



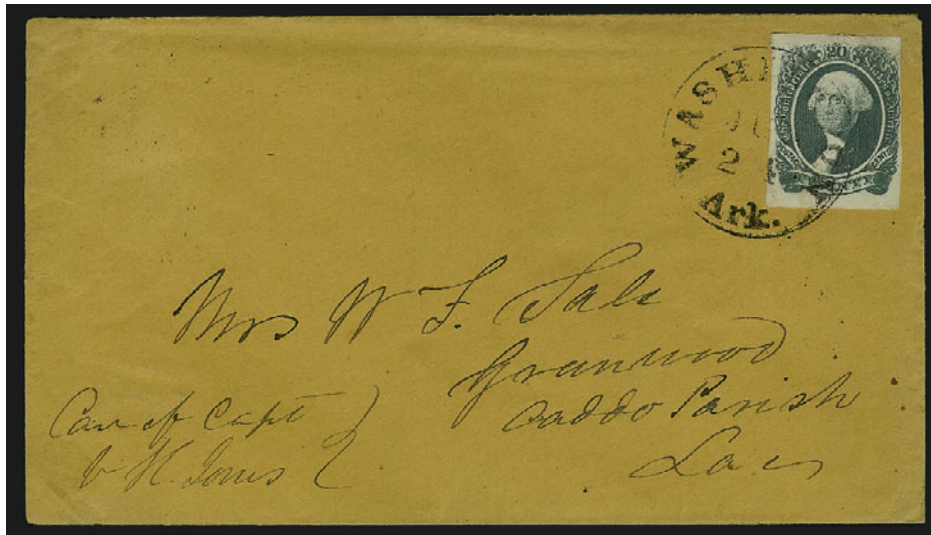
- 2902 ☒ **10c Blue, "TEN" (9).** Large margins, tied by blurry Jackson Miss. circular datestamp on blue-gray cover to Privateer S.C., tiny edge tear, still and Extremely Fine on attractive cover 1,600.00
- 2903 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, "TEN" (9).** Three large margins, just touched at right, tied by "Richmond Va. Jun. 17, 1862" circular datestamp on green **Grocers & Commission Merchants** advertising cover to Bowling Green Va., cover and stamp both damaged, still Fine, an attractive cover, with 1984 C.S.A. certificate E. 500-750
- 2904 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Pos. 33, showing full or partial framelines on all four sides, tied by grid, matching "Farmville Va. Jul. 6" circular datestamp on homemade cover addressed to "Small Pox Hospital, Richmond Va.", few light toned spots on stamp, trivial corner crease at top right, otherwise Very Fine, unusual address, ex Bogg, DuPuy and Hall, signed Ashbrook..... 2,500.00
- 2905 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Large margins with framelines intact on three sides, tied by blue "Richmond Va." dateless circle on cover addressed to "Florida Hospital, Richmond Va.", some waterstaining, stamp is Very Fine, ex Wiseman..... 2,750.00
- 2906 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Large margins to in at bottom right with framelines virtually intact on two sides, tied by light strike of N.C. circular datestamp on cover to Weldon P.O. N.C., stamp barely affected by light horizontal bend, slightly reduced at right, Fine 2,750.00
- 2907 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Horizontal pair, margins to clear, tied by "Mobile Ala. ? 21, 1863" double-circle datestamp on blue Sept. folded letter to Demopolis Ala., fresh and Very Fine, signed Ashbrook and with his notes that these are Nos. 15-16 on the plate, ex Matz 6,750.00



- 2908 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Huge margins all around, deep rich color on bright paper, tied by well-struck "Paterson N.C. Sep. 14" circular datestamp on immaculate cover to Oaks P.O. N.C., Extremely Fine Gem, superb in every respect and a true condition rarity, with 1998 P.F. certificate E. 1,000-1,500
- 2909 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, Die A (11a).** Large even margins all around, tied by "Richmond Va. Jun. 28, 1863" circular datestamp on immaculate blue cover to "Cobham Depot V.C.R.R., Albemarle Co., Va.", Extremely Fine, a magnificent cover E. 300-400
- 2910 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins to just touched, tied by "Little Rock Ark. Jul. 23, 1863" double-circle datestamp on cover to "near Trinity Louisiana", slightly reduced at top and missing top flap, some additional wear, appears Very Fine, scarce usage, Little Rock fell to Union forces in Sept. 1863, not long after this was sent E. 150-200
- 2911 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins, tied by "Salem Va. Nov. 9" circular datestamp on **adversity** cover made from printed form to Petersburg Va., some waterstaining,, opened for display, Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 2912 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Three huge margins, in at right, tied by light strike of red "Raleigh N.C." dateless double-circle on "**State of North Carolina, Executive Department**" **semi-official imprint** cover to Graham N.C., reportedly in the handwriting of Gov. Zebulon Vance, fresh and Fine E. 150-200
- 2913 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins all around, cancelled by ms. on blue **wallpaper** cover to Woodville P.O. Texas, soldier's sender's information, right side opened for display, Extremely Fine, attractive usage 400.00
- 2914 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins to just in, tied by "Savannah Ga. Sep. 14" datestamp on homemade cover to military address at the Army of Northern Virginia, military instructions on the outside reads "To Sergeant B. send a man up here to help with a glass if you can spare one", missing top flap and opened unevenly at top, Fine, unusual usage with military instructions written on the outside of the cover E. 300-400
- 2915 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A, Perforated (11e).** Full perforations on three sides, s.e. at bottom, tied by light strike of circular datestamp on light yellow cover to Scooba Miss., March 1865 docking, some minor wear and few toned spots around stamp, Very Fine 500.00

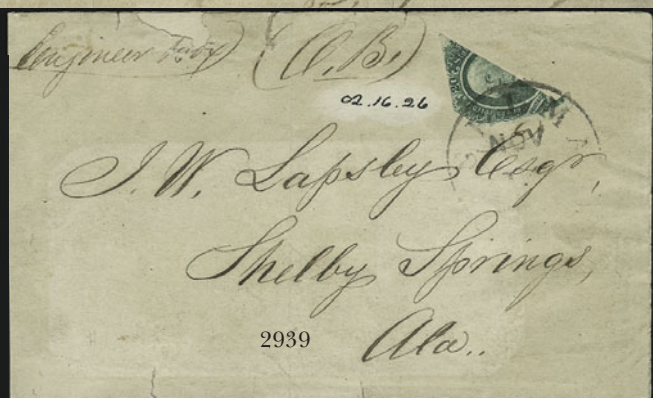
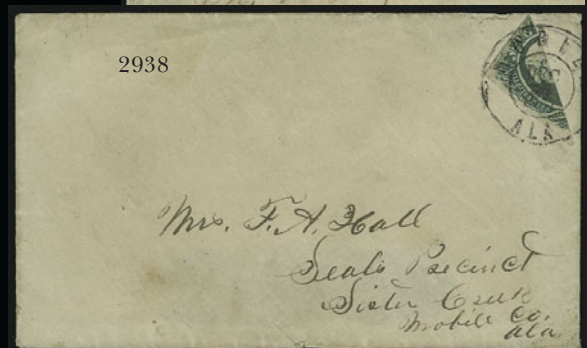
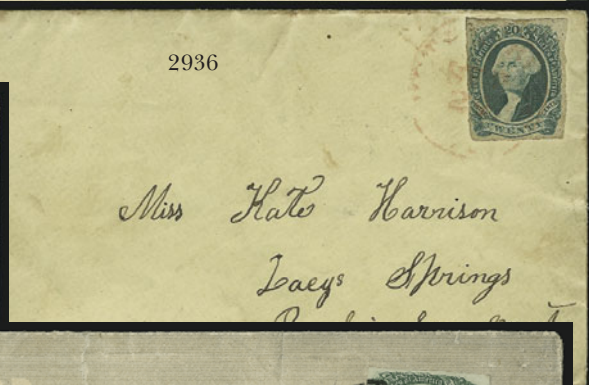
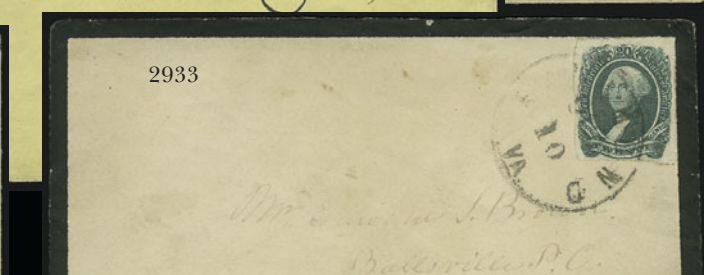
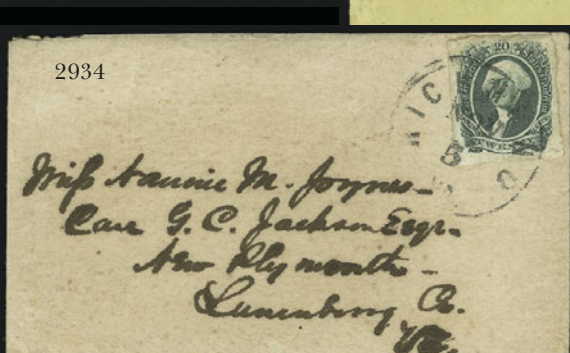
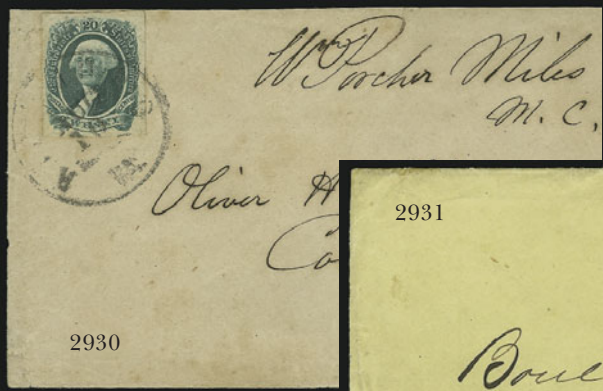


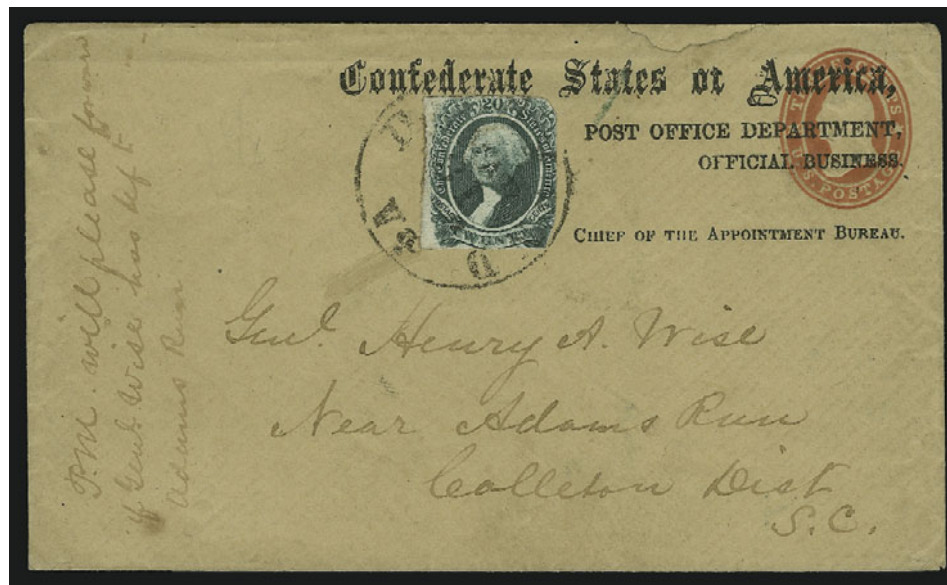
- 2916 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A, B (11, 12).** First tied by **railroad** circular datestamp on cover to Martin's Depot S.C., second tied by partial strike of N.C. circular datestamp on cover to Salisbury S.C., both with faults, still rare markings..... E. 150-200
- 2917 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, Die B (12).** Enormous margins incl. sheet margin at right, tied by neat strike of "Warren C.H. Geo. Oct. 24" circular datestamp on homemade cover to Greensboro Ga., small corner margin crease at top right, appears Extremely Fine, with 2004 P.F. certificate E. 200-300
- 2918 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Full to large margins, tied by "Charleston S.C. Jan. 30" circular datestamp on buff cover with **Grocer's blue embossed corner card** from Augusta Ga., to Greenville S.C., fresh and Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 2919 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Deep rich colors, large margins to clear, tied by light strike of Richmond Va. circular datestamp on yellow cover with **I Think of Thee" poem** at left dated 1864, to Hartwell Geo., Very Fine..... E. 200-300
- 2920 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to clear, tied by ms. pmk. on **multicolored adversity cover made from map** to Greenville C.H. S.C., stamp creased at top from placement over edge of cover, opened for display, Very Fine, beautiful usage..... E. 500-750
- 2921 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to just in, tied by two strikes of "Magnolia N.C. Nov. 2?" circular datestamp on purple and blue **wallpaper** cover to Marley's Mills N.C., opened for display, small corner crease at top right, otherwise Very Fine 375.00
- 2922 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to just in, tied by indistinct circular datestamp on **captured Union Medical Dept. Official Business** imprint cover to Richmond Va., slightly reduced at right, some slight soiling, otherwise Fine, scarce usage E. 300-400
- 2923 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to clear, tied by blue "Lynchburg Va. Dec. 8" circular datestamp on 1864 cover to a member of Lieut. General Longstreet's Corps, Army of East Tennessee, neat **"Free"** handstamp, some edge tears, Very Fine, unusual usage E. 300-400
- 2924 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Enormous margins all around, tied by "Richmond Va. Jul. 31" circular datestamp on cover to Pamplin's Depot Va., ms. **"S.S.R.R. in haste if you please"** railroad designation for South Side Railroad, some overall staining, still Fine E. 100-150
- 2925 ☒ **10c Steel Blue, Die B (12 var).** Two covers each with single in the rare so-called "steel blue" shade, large margins, tied by Wilmington N.C. datestamps (Nov. 5 and 17 respectively), and addressed to Savannah Ga., some slight toning, still fresh and Very Fine **(Photo Ex)** E. 200-300
- 2926 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, Die B (12a).** Horizontal pair and single, pair with large margins all around, single with margins to just in, tied by neat strikes of "Atlanta Ga. Jul. 27" circular datestamp on legal-size cover to Watkinsville Ga., some edgewear, some slight toning affects stamps, appears Very Fine, ex MacBride E. 300-400
- 2927 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B, Perforated (12f).** Clear perforations all around, tied by "Atlanta Ga. Jul. 4" circular datestamp on back of homemade cover to Alexander Stephens in Crawfordville Ga., stamp torn on opening and with piece out, still Fine 500.00



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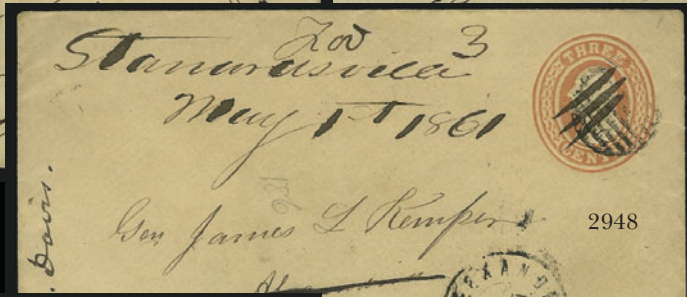
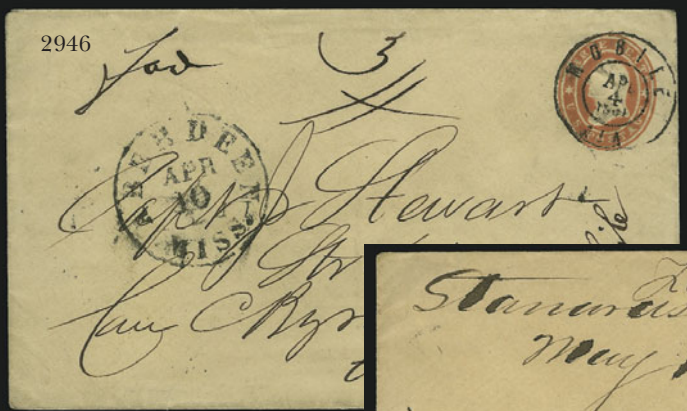
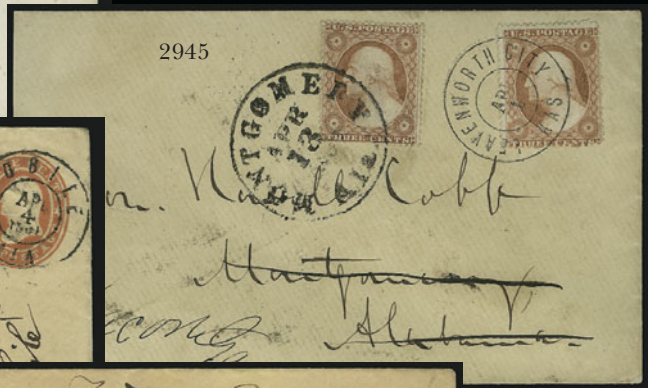
- 2928 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Washington Ark. Jun. 24" circular datestamp on orange cover to Granwood Ark., stamp with light diagonal crease at top right, otherwise Very Fine, the 20c stamp is scarce used in Arkansas, as it was issued late in the war when most of the state was under Union control, with 1994 P.F. certificate E. 1,000-1,500





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- 2929 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Margins cutting into three sides, tied by "Richmond Va. Mar. 31" (1864) circular datestamp on **Post Office Department, Official Business, Chief of the Appointment Bureau** imprinted 3c Red Star Die entire to Gen. Henry A. Wise "near Adam's Run" S.C., with instructions to forward to General Wise if he has left Adam's Run, mended nick at top, otherwise Fine, extremely rare and unusual combination of official entire and 20c Green, ex Antrim, Richards, Felton and Hall E. 750-1,000
- 2930 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Ample to large margins, tied by "Richmond Va. Aug. 10" circular datestamp on cover to Columbia S.C. with signed endorsement of **W. Poscher Miles (Member of Congress)**, stamp has faint corner crease, cover with small tear at top center, Very Fine appearance, with 1983 P.F. certificate..... 1,250.00
- 2931 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Enormous left sheet margin, other sides full to large, tied by "Brownsville Tex. Apr. 17, 1864" rimless circular datestamp on yellow cover to Brenham Tex., stamp is slightly rubbed at upper left (possibly from gum stain removal) and few light margin faults at top, still Extremely Fine, a large volume of mail from Mexico into the Confederacy was routed thru Brownsville, and it is possible this cover originated in Mexico, signed Dietz, ex MacBride and Keeling 1,250.00
- 2932 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins to touched, tied by neat strike of "Richmond Va. Jul. 20" circular datestamp on cover to Ballsville Va., second strike at bottom, with original 1864-dated enclosure, some overall wear, Very Fine 1,250.00
- 2933 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Four margins, tied by partial "Richmond Va. Oct. 10" circular datestamp on **mourning** cover to Ballsville P.O. Va., Very Fine, scarce used on a mourning cover, ex Gibson 1,250.00
- 2934 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins, tied by "Richmond Va. Nov. 5" circular datestamp on cover to New Plymouth Va., stamp with small fault at top, appears Very Fine. 1,250.00
- 2935 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Jun. 6" circular datestamp on yellow cover to Meridian Miss., back of cover with "Office of the James River & Kanawha Company" printed shield design, stamp with corner crease at top left, otherwise Very Fine..... 1,250.00
- 2936 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Three full margins, barely in at left, tied by **red** "Petersburg Va. Sep. 24" circular datestamp on cover to Lacy Springs Va., fresh and Very Fine, ex Keeling. 1,450.00
- 2937 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Horizontal pair, three large margins, in at top, tied by well-struck "Albany Ga. May 21, 1864" circular datestamp on legal-size **all-over Hartford Fire Insurance Company illustrated** cover to Richmond Va., light vertical file folds do not affect stamps, some trivial soiling, missing top flap, Fine, scarce usage, with 2002 C.S.A. certificate 4,500.00
- 2938 ☒ **20c Green, Diagonal Half Used as 10c (13c).** Top left diagonal half, well-tied by "Mobile Ala. Dec. 24" double-circle datestamp on cover to Seals Precinct Ala., with original enclosure, Extremely Fine, with 2005 P.F. certificate 2,000.00
- 2939 ☒ **20c Green, Diagonal Half Used as 10c (13c).** Top left diagonal half, margins to in, tied by "Selma Ala. Nov. 24" circular datestamp on homemade cover to Shelby Springs Ala., ms. "O.B." at top left, slightly reduced at left and some overall wear, Fine 2,000.00



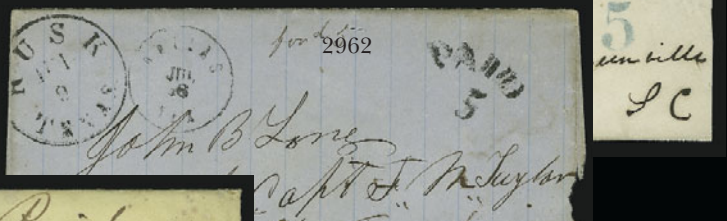
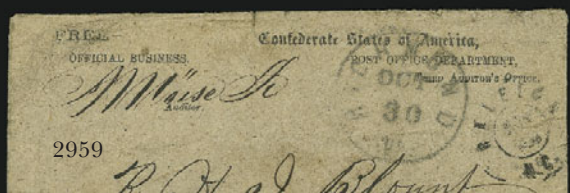
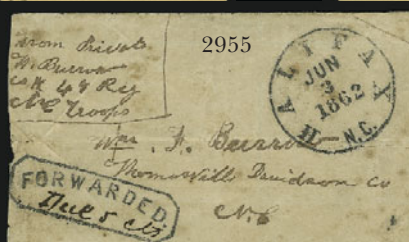
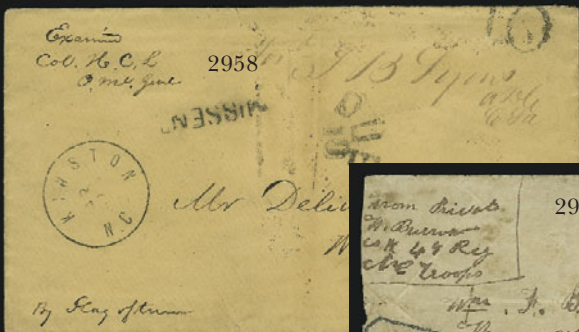
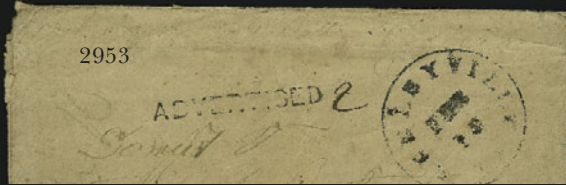
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- 2940 ☒ **1c Blue, Ty. V, 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (24, 26).** Tied by large Boston "Paid" grid, red "Boston Mass. Feb. 3" double-circle datestamp on 1861 cover to Milledgeville Ga. and **forwarded** to Montgomery Ala., "Milledgeville Ga. Feb. 8" datestamp and ms. "Ford. 3", some overall toning affects stamps, missing top flap and small piece out at bottom left, otherwise Fine, scarce usage, Georgia was admitted to the Confederacy on Feb. 4, four days before this was forwarded..... E. 200-300
- 2941 ☒ **Natchitoches La. Feb. 1.** Bold strike of circular datestamp cancels 3c Red Star Die entire to New Orleans La., clear strike of **boxed "Adv. 1"** handstamp of New Orleans, missing top flap and slightly reduced at left, otherwise Fine..... E. 300-400



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- 2942 ☒ **Laredo Tex. Feb. 3.** Clear strike of circular datestamp on cover to Fredericksburg Va., **misent** to Fredericksburg Tex., bearing 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26) with ms. "X" (probably applied in Laredo) and tied by "Fredericksburgh Tex. Feb. 14" datestamp with day in ms., delivered to the correct Fredericksburgh, then **forwarded** to Washington D.C. and **forwarded again** back to Fredericksburgh, appropriate markings, Very Fine, scarce, the only reported Independent State usages known from either Laredo or Fredericksburgh Tex., ex Hall E. 400-500
- 2943 ☒ **3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26).** Tied by blue "Baltimore Md. Mar. 12" circular datestamp on blue 1861 **hotel corner card** cover to Milledgeville Ga. and **forwarded** to Augusta Ga., with original enclosure, forwarding postage paid by additional 3c stamp tied by "Milledgeville Ga. Mar. 16" datestamp, some slight toning, appears Fine, interesting usage sent from Baltimore into Confederate Georgia and then forwarded E. 200-300
- 2944 ☒ **3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26).** Tied by "Washington D.C. Mar. 24, 1861" circular datestamp on cover addressed to Alexander Stephens in Savannah Ga. and **forwarded** to Crawfordville, forwarding postage paid by 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26) tied by "Savannah Ga. Mar. 28, 1861" datestamp, usual docketing on back, missing top flap as is usual for this correspondence and slightly reduced at top and with small edge repairs, still Very Fine, attractive Confederate States forwarded usage E. 300-400
- 2945 ☒ **Montgomery Ala. Apr. 13, 1861.** Bold circular datestamp ties 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26), used as forwarding postage on cover from Kansas to Howell Cobb in Montgomery, forwarded to Macon, 3c Dull Red (26) tied at origin by "Leavenworth City Kas. Apr. 1" circular datestamp, slightly reduced at left, Very Fine, rare and unusual usage from Kansas (the day after attack on Fort Sumter) to Confederate Alabama and forwarded within the Confederacy using U.S. postage..... E. 500-750
- 2946 ☒ **Mobile Ala. Apr. 4, 1861.** Clear strike of double-circle datestamp on 3c Red Star Die entire to Aberdeen Miss. and **forwarded** back to Mobile, part of original address reads "Str. Dixie", bold "Aberdeen Miss. Apr. 10" circular datestamp, ms. "ford, 3", Very Fine, attractive Confederate States forwarded use of the U.S. entire E. 200-300
- 2947 ☒ **Savannah Ga. Apr. 29, 1861.** Strike of circular datestamp at left with grid ties 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26) on cover to Talbotton Ga. and **forwarded** to military address at Richmond Va., forwarding postage also paid by 3c, bold "Talbotton Ga. May 2, 1861" double-circle datestamp, "Forwarded" in oval handstamp, minor edgewear, Fine, unusual usage showing two Confederate usages of the U.S. stamp, ex Chase E. 200-300
- 2948 ☒ **Alexandria Va. May 3, 1861.** Bold double-circle datestamp used as a forwarding marking on 3c Red Nesbitt entire, originating ms. pmk. of May 1, 1861, addressed to Alexandria and **forwarded** to Madison C.H. Va., ms. "Ford. 3", fresh and Very Fine Confederate State forwarded usage, Alexandria was occupied on May 24 E. 200-300
- 2949 ☒ **Mobile Ala. May 6, 1861.** Clear strike of double-circle datestamp ties 3c Dull Red, Ty. II (26) on cover to Macon Ga. and **forwarded** to Athens Ga., neat "Macon Ga. May 11" double-circle datestamp with "Forwarded" and "Due 3" handstamps, slightly reduced at right, stamp with light bend, Very Fine, scarce Confederate usage of the U.S. stamp on a forwarded cover..... E. 300-400



- 2950 ☒ **Pensacola Fla. Jun. 15.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with “Paid” in circle on light yellow cover to Cahaba Ala. and **forwarded** to Taladega Ala., “Cahaba Ala. Jun. 18” datestamp with “Forwarded” and “5” handstamps, missing most of top flap and with repair at top left where piece missing, still Very Fine, attractive early handstamped Paid forwarded usage from Florida E. 200-300
- 2951 ☒ **Pensacola Fla. Jul. 29.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with matching “Paid” and “5” in circle handstamps on red and blue **Confederate 11-Star Flag Patriotic** cover to Gainesville Fla., **missent** to Ala. and with “Gainesville Ala. Aug. 2” datestamp, ms. “Missent” and “5”, gently cleaned, Very Fine, scarce and attractive usage, as a missent letter it should not have been rated for the additional 5c postage E. 500-750
- 2952 ☒ **Cuthbert Ga. Dec. 13.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with “Paid” and “10” handstamps on green cover to Athens Ga., **missent** to Albany Ga. and with blue **“Missent and Forwarded” tombstone** handstamp, matching “Albany Ga. Dec. 15, 1862” datestamp, some minor wear, Very Fine, rare, the “Missent and Forwarded” marking is the only recorded Confederate usage of this device from any post office, it was evidently a marking left over from pre-Confederate days E. 200-300
- 2953 ☒ **Shelbyville Ten. Feb. 10.** Readable circular datestamp on cover with ms. Official designation at top, to Griffin Ga., clear strike of **“Advertised”** handstamp with ms. “2”, some edgewear and slightly fade, still Fine, reportedly a unique usage of this advertised marking from Griffin E. 200-300
- 2954 ☒ **Memphis Ten. Aug. 8, 1861.** Circular datestamp with ms. “Due 5” on red **Jefferson Davis Medallion and Verse Patriotic** cover to Macon Miss. and **forwarded** to Columbus Miss., the “Due 5” crossed out and re-rated “Paid 10”, clear strike of “Macon Miss. Aug. 14” double-circle datestamp, slightly reduced at left, some overall wear and some minor restoration, appears Very Fine, scarce usage E. 750-1,000
- 2955 ☒ **Halifax N.C. Jun. 3, 1862.** Bold strike of circular datestamp on **adversity cover made from a map** to Thomasville N.C., military origin with ms. troop designation at top left, well-struck **“Forwarded”** in octagon with ms. “Due 5cts.”, some toned spots, otherwise Very Fine, probably a unique usage E. 300-400
- 2956 ☒ **Mocksville N.C. Dec. 21.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with matching “Paid 10” handstamp on 3c Red Star Die entire to Raleigh N.C. and **forwarded** to Salisbury N.C., red “Raleigh N.C. Dec. 29” datestamp with inverted day slug, matching “Forwarded” and “Due 10” markings, small repair at top, appears Very Fine, attractive use of the demonetized entire (which paid no postage)..... E. 200-300
- 2957 ☒ **Richmond Va. Feb. ?1, 1862.** Circular datestamp with “Paid 5cts.” handstamp on cover addressed to “General Joseph R. Anderson, C.S. Army, Wilmington, North Carolina”, ms. **“Missent”** and with “Wilmington N.C. Feb. 24” datestamp, some edgewear, Very Fine, General Anderson was commissioned a Brigadier General on September 3, 1861, he was first assigned to command the Confederate forces at Wilmington N.C., in April of 1862, he was reassigned to the area around Fredericksburg Va. E. 200-300
- 2958 ☒ **Kinston N.C. Oct. 21.** Circular datestamp on cover to Wadesboro N.C., ms. **“By Flag of Truce”** at bottom left and with J.B. Lyons’s examiner’s marking at top right, **missent** to Wilmington N.C., “Missent” and “Due 10” handstamps, additional censor’s marking at top left (probably Union), , Very Fine, unusual missent civilian flag-of-truce usage E. 300-400
- 2959 ☒ **Richmond Va. Oct. 30.** Neat strike of circular datestamp on **Post Office Department Official imprint** cover to Raleigh N.C. and **forwarded** to Greensboro N.C., light strike of “Raleigh N.C. Nov. ?” double-circle datestamp, some slight edgewear, still Very Fine, this is the only recorded example of a forwarded Official envelope, ex MacBride..... E. 200-300
- 2960 ☒ **Charleston S.C. Jun. 29, 1861.** Clear strike of double-circle datestamp with matching “Paid 5” in circle on green embossed **wholesale grocer’s corner card** cover to Manning C.H. S.C. and **forwarded** to Sumter S.C., July 2 forwarding datestamp, ms. “Forwarded Due 5c”, few repaired edge tears, appears Very Fine, attractive handstamped Paid usage, illustrated in Dietz, ex Cohn..... E. 300-400
- 2961 ☒ **Charleston S.C. Jun. 10, 1861.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with matching “Paid 5” in circle on cover to Pendleton S.C. and **forwarded** to Greenville S.C., blue “Pendleton S.C. Jun. 13” forwarding datestamp with matching “Paid 5”, slightly reduced at right and tiny bit at top right, Very Fine..... E. 150-200
- 2962 ☒ **Rusk Texas Jul. 9.** Bold strike of circular datestamp with matching “Paid 5” handstamp on blue folded cover to Dallas Tex. and **forwarded** to Ft. Smith Ark., “Dallas Tex. Jul. 16” forwarding datestamp with ms. “for’d 5”, minor edgewear, Very Fine, scarce combination of the two Texas markings, ex Kohn, with 1974 C.S.A. certificate E. 300-400
- 2963 ☒ **Macon Geo. Aug. 13.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with “Paid” and “10” handstamps on cover to Galveston Tex. and **forwarded** to Richmond Va., “Galveston Tex. Sep. 1” double-circle datestamp at left with second “Paid” and “10” handstamps, some edge tears and minor restoration, appears Very Fine, unusual usage, this crossed the Mississippi River twice E. 150-200
- 2964 ☒ **Goodman Miss. Jan. ?.** Circular datestamp struck at top left of cover with ms. “Paid 10” to Orizaba Tex., **missent to San Antonio**, clear strike of **“Missent” handstamp struck in green** as well as matching “San Antonio Texas Jan. 28” circular datestamp, slightly reduced at right, cover refolded at top and some wear, still Very Fine, scarce usage, this is the only Goodman Miss. circular datestamp with “Paid” recorded, and also the only recorded forwarded usage from San Antonio, especially desirable with the green cancel E. 500-750

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Mrs. H. Eaton Coleman
 Crown Station
 Halifax Co. Va.

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A. J. Seaverworth

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Maria L. Moore
 Richmond

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FORWARDED

Mr Lewis Maverick
 Richmond
 Charles Hill

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FORWARDED



Henry R. Jackson
 Richmond

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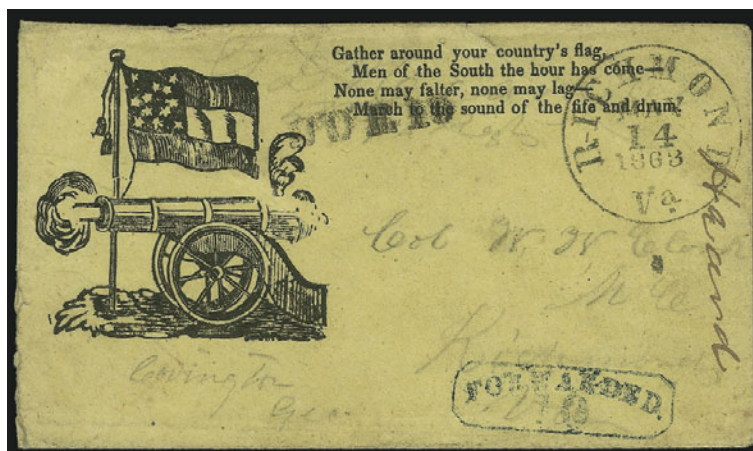


Mr Franklin Davis
 Staunton
 Virginia

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Mr L. M. Blackford
 Lynchburg
 Virginia

- 2965 ☒ **Norfolk Va. Oct. 10, 1861.** Blue circular datestamp with matching "Paid" in circle and "5" handstamps on cover to Clover Station Va. and **forwarded** to Halifax C.H. Va., "Clover Depot Va. Oct. 22" datestamp with "Paid" in oval and ms. "5c" due marking, some overall wear, still Fine, scarce, this is the only recorded handstamped Paid usage from Clover Depot E. 150-200
- 2966 ☒ **Van Buren Ark. Ap. 16.** Clear strike of circular datestamp with "Paid" handstamp on orange cover to Petersburg Va. and **forwarded** to Kittmmils N.C., blue "Petersburg Va. 5cts. Sep. 27" forwarding datestamp with matching "Paid" and "5", reduced and restored along edges, appears Very Fine E. 150-200
- 2967 ☒ **Williamsburg Va. Jun. 18, 1861.** Clear strike of double-circle datestamp with matching "Paid" and "5" handstamps on orange cover to Richmond Va., bold "**Advertised**" in oval handstamp and "Richmond Va. Jun. 29, 1861" datestamp, expertly repaired cover tear and edge faults, appears Very Fine, early advertised usage E. 200-300
- 2968 ☒ **San Antonio Tex. Oct. 26.** Blue circular datestamp with red "Paid 10" handstamp on orange cover to Richmond Va. and **forwarded** to Chapel Hill N.C., "Richmond Va. Nov. 21, 1861" datestamp with octagonal "Forwarded 5" due marking, slightly reduced at right, some wear, still Very Fine, this is the only example of this "Paid 10" marking from San Antonio, with 1971 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2969 ☒ **Athens Ga. Jul. 15.** Cds with "Paid" and "10" handstamps on cover addressed to General Henry Jackson in Richmond Va. and **forwarded** to Monterey Va., bold "Richmond Va. Jul. 19, 1861" datestamp with unusual "Forwarded 5" marking, missing most of flaps and with repair at top, still Fine, scarce, sent before soldiers were allowed free forwarding of postage and so charged an extra 5c, only two examples of this "Forwarded 5" marking are known which must have been made early in the Confederacy, ex Kohn. E. 100-150



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- 2970° ☒ **Richmond Va. May 14, 1863.** Clear strike of circular datestamp on **Confederate 12-Star Flag and Cannon Patriotic** cover to Richmond and **forwarded** to Covington Ga., "Due 10" and also with blue "**Forwarded 10**" octagonal handstamp, some edgewear, appears Very Fine, scarce and important usage, this cover proves that May 14 is the day that Richmond switched from using black to blue ink E. 1,500-2,000
- 2971 ☒ **Mobile Ala. Jun. 13, 1861.** Clear strike of double-circle datestamp with "Paid 5" in circle on cover to Richmond Va. and **forwarded** to Yorktown Va., "Richmond Va. Jun. 21, 1861" datestamp and boxed "Paid 5" handstamp, some edge tears, still Very Fine, unusual usage as most forwarded mail was sent with the forwarding postage due from the recipient E. 200-300
- 2972 ☒ **Harrisonburg Va. Nov. 30.** Circular datestamp with "5" handstamp and ms. "5" for due postage on buff cover to Staunton Va. and **forwarded** to Fairfield Va., forwarding datestamp with "Forwarded" and "10" handstamps, fresh and Very Fine, scarce usage, with 1974 C.S.A. certificate E. 200-300
- 2973 ☒ **Harper's Ferry Va. Jun. 4, 1861.** Strike of double-circle datestamp with "Paid" and "5" handstamps on cover to Staunton Va. and **forwarded** to Lynchburg Va., June 7 forwarding datestamp and "Forwarded" handstamp, some slight edgewear, Very Fine, attractive early Confederate States forwarded usage, June 1 was the first day of the new 5c rate E. 200-300
- 2974 ☒ **Richmond Va. Aug. 18, 1861.** Circular datestamp with "Paid 5cts." on orange cover to University of Virginia and **forwarded** to Lynchburg Va., blue "University of Virginia Va. Aug. 19" datestamp with matching "Forwarded" in oval and "5" handstamps, docketed at left, minor edgewear, Very Fine, this is the only recorded forwarded usage out of University of Virginia E. 300-400



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- 2975 ☒ **5c Dull Green, Stone 1-2 (1).** Margins slightly in on three sides, large at bottom, tied by bold "Memphis Ten/ Jan. 18, 1862" circular datestamp on cover to "Lt. James J. Hall, Woods Company, Neely's Regiment, Columbus, Ky.", redirected to Douglass's Regiment, "Columbus Ky." circular datestamp faintly struck, no additional postage charged, Very Fine, very rare Kentucky military usage E. 1,500-2,000
- 2976 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large even margins all around, cancelled by ms. "#", matching "Dobson N.C. Feby. 15" ms. pmk. on red and blue **11-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic** cover to Raleigh N.C. and **forwarded** to Nashville Tenn., blue "Raleigh N.C. Feb. 24, 1862" double-circle datestamp and matching "Forwarded" handstamp with ms. "5", expertly restored with side flaps added, still appears Very Fine, scarce and attractive usage E. 500-750
- 2977 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins to just touched, cancelled by three penstrokes, "Oxford N.C. Dec. 6" circular datestamp on cover to Portsmouth Va. and **forwarded** to Norfolk Va., blue "Portsmouth Va. Dec. 3, 1861" double-circle datestamp (wrong date slug inserted by postmaster) with matching "Forwarded" and "Free" handstamps, stamp with light creases, appears Very Fine, pretty cover E. 400-500

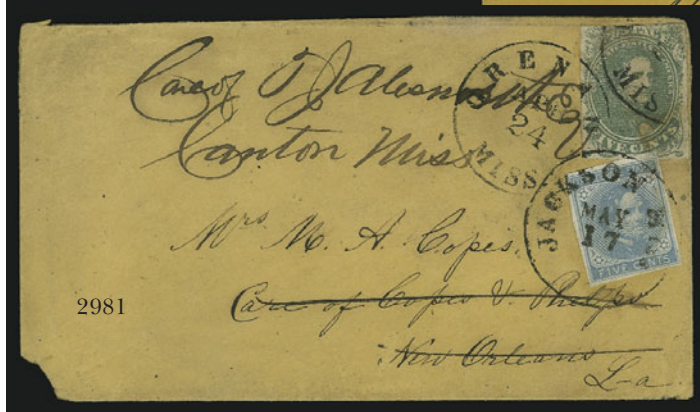


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- 2978 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Wilmington N.C. Paid 5 Apr. 22" circular datestamp on cover to Richmond Va. and **forwarded** to Elizabethtown N.C., bold "Richmond Va. Apr. 24, 1862" and "Forwarded 5" in octagon markings, barely reduced at right and some expertly repaired edges, appears Very Fine, attractive usage E. 400-500
- 2979 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins to just in, tied by indistinct N.C. circular datestamp on homemade cover to Birensville S.C., ms "**Missent and forwarded nothing due PM's fault**", minor toning at top of stamp from gum, Very Fine, unusual notation for a missent cover which gives no indication of where it was missent E. 300-400
- 2980 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Two, large margins to just touched, tied by "Campagnole Ark. Jany. ?" ms. pmk. and "X"'s on blue 1862 folded letter to Trevilian's Depot Va. and **forwarded** to Martinsville Va., sender's instructions to "*Please drop in some post office in Va.*", "Trevilian's Depot Va. Mar. 8" forwarding datestamp with ms. "*Due 10*" for forwarding postage, Very Fine E. 300-400
- 2981 ☒ **5c Green (1)** Large margins to in, tied by "Grenada Miss. Apr. 24" circular datestamps on 1862 cover to New Orleans and **forwarded** to Canton Miss., **mails suspended** and with 5c Blue, De La Rue (7) tied by "Jackson Miss. May 17" datestamp, some edgewear incl. small piece out at bottom left corner, stamps with toning, still appears Fine, scarce usage, sent on the day New Orleans fell to Union troops E. 200-300
- 2982 ☒ **5c Green (1).** Large margins to just in, tied by "New Orleans La. Mar. 3" circular datestamp on orange cover with "**Headquarters La. Troops Major-General's Office Official**" imprint and addressed to "*Major A. D. Harpers, Brigade Insp. & Chief of Staff, 1st Brigade La. Militia Troops*", clear strike of boxed "**Adv.**" handstamp, fresh and Very Fine E. 500-750



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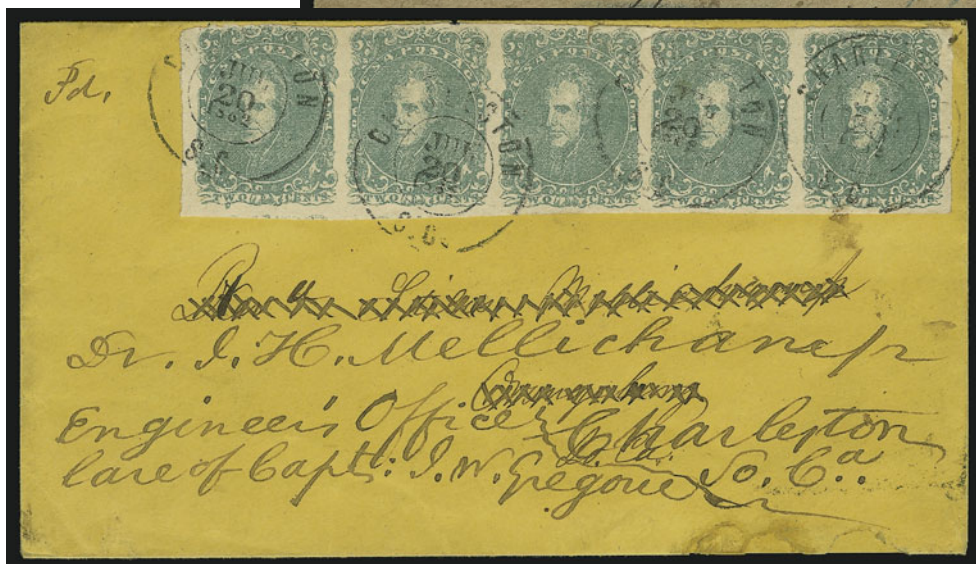
- 2983 ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Mostly large margins, touched at bottom where roughly separated, used as forwarding postage on **University of Alabama** overall green lithographed college cover to Demopolis Ala., "Tuscaloosa Ala. Jun. 25" (1862) circular datestamp and "Paid 5" rate handstamp applied at origin, redirected to Columbus Miss. with 10c stamp tied by "Demopolis Ala. Jul. 2" circular datestamp — **second day of the new 10c rate** — fresh and Very Fine, a rare combination of the pre- and post-July 1st rates on one cover, a must for the collector specializing in Confederate rates, ex Keeling E. 500-750
- 2984 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Large margins to just touched, tied by light strike of "Greensborough Ga. Dec. ?" circular datestamp on orange cover with **Flour Mill advertising** corner card "Mossingford Dep. Post Office, Danville R.R. Va." and **missent** to Danville Va., blue "Danville Va. Jan. 4" datestamp with matching "Missent" in oval handstamp, slightly reduced at left, small sealed tear at top left, appears Very Fine, colorful usage E. 500-750
- 2985 ☒ **10c Light Blue, Paterson (2).** Large margins, tied by "Holly Springs Miss. Nov. 22" circular datestamp on blue 1862 folded letter to Little Rock Ark. and **forwarded** to Washington Ark., neat strike of "Little Rock Ark. Dec. 20, 1862" double-circle datestamp also ties stamp, ms. "Ford. 10", fresh and Very Fine, the Confederate capital was moved from Little Rock to Washington in 1863 E. 300-400



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- 2986 ☒ **10c Blue, Paterson (2).** Large margins to clear, tied by rimless "Forest Depot Va." town cancel on cover to Charlottesville Va., **missent** and with blue "Lynchburg Va. Oct. 16" and matching "Missent" markings, expertly silked in places, Very Fine appearance..... E. 200-300
- 2987 ☒ **10c Dark Blue, Hoyer & Ludwig (2b).** Large margins to full, deep rich color, tied by "Winchester Va. Jan. 30" circular datestamp on cover to Tennille Ga. and **forwarded** to Oconee Ga., Tennille datestamp also ties stamp, some edgewear and overall soiling, Very Fine, curiously, this was not charged for forwarding postage, probably because both towns are close to one another, with 1981 P.F. certificate E. 300-400
- 2988 **No Lot.**
- 2989 ☒ **2c Green (3).** Horizontal strip of five, Positions 21-25, rich color, mostly large margins, touched at top, two stamps creased (one has small tear), tied by "Charleston S.C. Jul. 20, 1862" double-circle datestamp on buff cover to Orangeburg S.C., **redirected** back to Charleston, small mended nicks at bottom right, Very Fine appearance, ex Keeling, with 1997 P.S.E. certificate 13,500.00



- 2990 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Large margins to in incl. **sheet margin at top**, tied by "Columbus Ala. May 2" circular datestamp on **3c Red Star Die** entire to Greenville Ala. and **forwarded back** to Columbus Miss., "Greenville Ala. May 13" datestamp, apparently not charged for the forwarding postage, Very Fine, the entire did not pay any postal rate..... E. 750-1,000
- 2991 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Three large margins, tied by clear strike of **green "Monticello Ga. May 31"** circular datestamp on brown cover to Augusta Ga. and **forwarded** to Eatonton Ga., forwarding postage paid by second 5c stamp tied by "Augusta Ga. Jun. 1" double-circle datestamp, slightly reduced at sides, left stamp with pre-printing paperfold, Fine, attractive usage, exceedingly scarce with the green cancel. E. 1,000-1,500
- 2992 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Horizontal strip of four and two pairs, large margins to barely touched, tied by strikes of "Mobile Ala. Aug. 21" double-circle datestamps on folded cover to Charleston S.C. and **forwarded** to Washington Ga., bold "Charleston S.C. Aug. 24" double-circle datestamp, ms. "Due 40", significant wear with one stamp in strip and cover repaired, still appears Fine, scarce, it is unusual to see such a high franking on a non-Trans-Mississippi usage, with 1987 A.P.S. certificate E. 1,000-1,500
- 2993 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Margins to in, tied by light strike of Richmond Va. circular datestamp on "**Confederate States of America, Treasurer's Office semi-official imprint** cover to Springfield S.C. and **forwarded** to Fort Hill S.C., ms. "missent and forwarded Due 5cts.", and with "Rock Hill S.C. Mar. 16" datestamp, some overall wear, stamp defective with pieces added, otherwise Fine, scarce imprint..... E. 200-300
- 2994 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Large margins to just touched, tied by bold strike of "Pittsylvania C.H. Apr. 29" circular datestamp on cover to Salem N.C. and **forwarded** back to Pittsylvania C.H., neat "Salem N.C. May 12" datestamp with "Forwarded" and "5" markings, expertly restored, Very Fine appearance E. 150-200
- 2995° ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Huge margins to clear incl. **top left corner margin**, tied by "Knoxville Ten. Apr. ?" circular datestamp on homemade cover to Pittsboro N.C., **missent and forwarded** from Pattonsburgh Va. where blue "Missent" and "Forwarded" handstamps applied with matching "Pattonsburgh Va. Apr. 29" datestamp, slightly reduced at right, Very Fine, unusual usage missent to an entirely different state, the forwarding markings are reportedly unique E. 500-750
- 2996 ☒ **5c Blue (4).** Horizontal pair, three huge margins, just in at left, tied by "Staunton Va. Jun. 12, 1862" circular datestamp on cover to Charlotte N.C., **missent and forwarded** to Fayetteville N.C. and with June 20 forwarding double-circle datestamp, stamps with light crease, cover with expertly repaired tears, appears Very Fine..... E. 200-300



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- 2997 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Large margins with **bottom sheet margin** showing “LITH. OF HOYER & LUDWIG” **portion of imprint**, slightly in at right, tied by bold “Savannah Ga. Paid Sep. 13” (1862) circular datestamp on folded cover to Charleston and forwarded to Columbia S.C., clear “Charleston S.C. Sep. 15” circular datestamp and matching “Paid 10” in circle handstamp

VERY FINE AND FRESH COVER. IMPRINT COPIES OF ANY HOYER & LUDWIG STAMP ARE RARE AND SELDOM FOUND ON COVER. THIS 10-CENT ROSE LITHOGRAPH STAMP SHOWING THE IMPRINT AND USED ON AN ATTRACTIVE COVER IS, IN OUR OPINION, ONE OF THE MOST OUTSTANDING GENERAL ISSUE COVERS.

The forwarding postage on this letter was charged to a post office box account. The combination of a 10c Rose and handstamped “Paid” is also very rare..... E. 3,000-4,000



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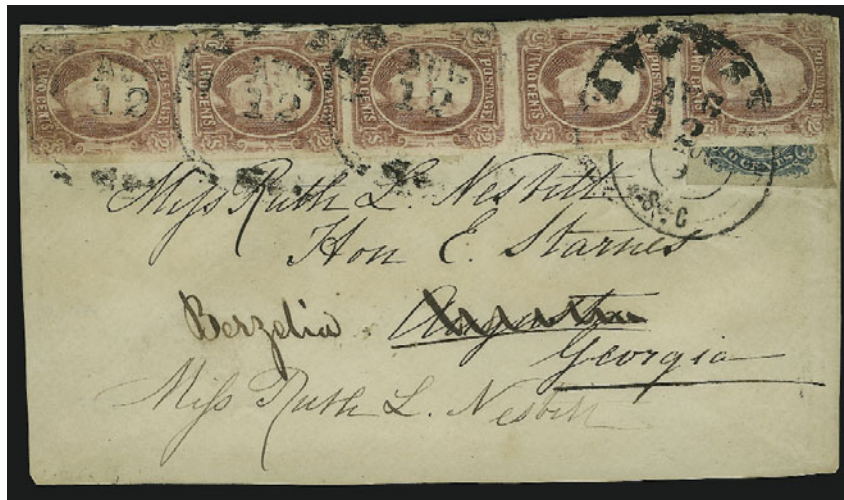


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- 2998 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Large margins to clear, tied by “Richmond Va. Jul. 25, 1862” circular datestamp on **Mounted Dragoon and Verse Patriotic** cover to Centreville Miss. and **forwarded** to Bolton Depot Miss., forwarding pmk. and ms. “Due 10”, some staining, still Fine, rare, this is the only reported example of the 10c Rose on a forwarded Patriotic, ex Dietz E. 2,000-3,000
- 2999 ☒ **10c Rose (5).** Three huge margins, just in at left, tied by neat strike of “Mobile Ala. Sep. 2” double-circle datestamp and “Paid” handstamp on yellow cover to Louisburgh N.C. and **forwarded** to Kennedy’s P.O. Va., bold “Louisburgh N.C. Sep. 5” and “10” due marking, missing top flap and repaired at top center, otherwise Fine, scarce as very few example of the 10c Rose are known on forwarded covers E. 300-400



- 3000 ☒ **5c Light Blue, De La Rue (6).** Horizontal pair, large margins to just touched, tied by well-struck "Charleston S.C. Aug. 25, 1862" circular datestamp on homemade cover **addressed to General J.J. Pettigrew** at Richmond Va. and **forwarded** to Petersburg Va., neat "Richmond Va. Aug. 27, 1862" and "Forwarded" markings, expertly silked, appears Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 3001 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins to just in, tied by "Richmond Va. Jul. 12, 1862" circular datestamp on cover to Lynchburg Va. and **forwarded** to Otterbridge Va., blue "Lynchburg Va. Jul. 20" datestamp with matching "**Forwarded 10**" in octagon handstamp with ms. "due", second strike of Lynchburg datestamp on back, opened for display, Very Fine, scarce, this is the only recorded example of this Lynchburg Confederate forwarder's marking, which is very similar to one used in Richmond..... E. 200-300
- 3002 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, tied by "Richmond Va. Aug. 8, 1862" circular datestamp on light yellow cover to Clinton S.C. and **forwarded** to Martin's Depot S.C., additional pair of 5c Blue, Local (7) tied by "Clinton S.C. Aug. 13" datestamp, second strike at left, some edgewear affects stamps, appears Fine, great usage of the two pairs of the same stamp from two different post offices..... E. 200-300
- 3003 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins to just touched, tied by blue "Richmond Va. May 16, 1863" circular datestamp on **mourning** cover to Charleston S.C. and **forwarded** to South Santee S.C., forwarding postage paid by 10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11), tied by "Charleston S.C. May 29" datestamp, minor edgewear, pair with few toned spots, otherwise Very Fine, attractive forwarded usage with the two issues..... E. 300-400
- 3004 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Horizontal pair, large margins to just in, tied by "Tallahassee Fla. Dec. 19" circular datestamp on **adversity** cover made from Land Office form to Savannah Ga. and **forwarded** to Mobile Ala., light strike of "Savannah Geo. Jan. 13" datestamp with "Forwarded" and "10" handstamps, opened for display, some slight wear incl. few edge tears, appears Fine, attractive and scarce usage..... E. 300-400
- 3005 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Vertical pair, large margins to clear, light vertical crease at left, affixed over corner card and tied by indistinct datestamp on cover to Baldwin Miss., address with "**Mobile & Ohio R.R.**" designation, clear "**Missent**" handstamp and second, different indistinct datestamp, missing part of top flap and some minor wear, Very Fine appearance, unusual usage... E. 100-150
- 3006 ☒ **5c Blue, Local (7).** Vertical pair, large margins to clear incl. part of adjoining stamps at right, tied by "Winchester Va. Nov. 1" circular datestamp on cover to Macon Ga., clear strike of "**Advertised**" handstamp, some minor soiling, opened for display, Very Fine..... E. 200-300



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2c Brown Red (8). Vertical strip of eight, large margins to clear, tied by "Augusta Ga. Aug. 12" circular datestamps and used as forwarding postage on rebacked cover front to Berzelia Ga., originating in Cheraw S.C. with postage paid by 10c Blue, Die A (11) tied by Aug. 9 double-circle datestamp, some slight toning and edge wear affects stamps, Very Fine appearance, this is the only recorded example of a No. 8 strip used to pay forwarding postage, with 1980 P.F. certificate, Scott Retail for strip on cover \$5,000.00..... E. 2,000-3,000



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2c Brown Red (8). Large even margins all around, tied by "Richmond Va. Ma? 2" circular datestamp on locally addressed cover **forwarded** to military address on the Charles City Road and then **forwarded again** back to Richmond, missing top flap, some edgewear incl. light file fold at top affecting stamp, appears Very Fine, scarce double-forwarded usage, note on back states that this was sent from the recipient's brother in Chimborazo Hospital, Scott Retail as No. 8 on cover \$1,250.00..... E. 750-1,000

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2c Brown Red (8). Large margins to in, tied by "Lynchburg Va. Oct. 28" circular datestamp on locally used blue cover, also with "**Advertised 2**" handstamp, Nov. 8 Lynchburg backstamp, some slight wear, stamp with light corner crease, Very Fine, unusual usage with the 2c drop rate paid by stamp and also 2c advertised..... E. 750-1,000



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- 3010 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Large margins with framelines complete at left, practically complete at right and showing about half of top and bottom lines, tiny pre-print wrinkle, used as forwarding postage with **5c Blue, Local (7)**, horizontal pair, clear to ample margins, tied at origin by faint "Tazewell Ten. Jun. 3" circular datestamp, then tied again after 10c was affixed by "Mobile Ala." double-circle with faint June date on homemade cover to Mobile and redirected to Montgomery Ala.

A VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY RARE COMBINATION OF GENERAL ISSUES.

Ex Richey, Brooks and Keeling. With copy of 1975 P.F. certificate E. 4,000-5,000



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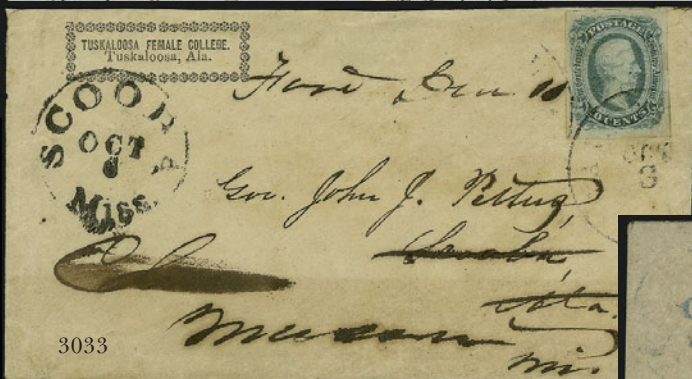
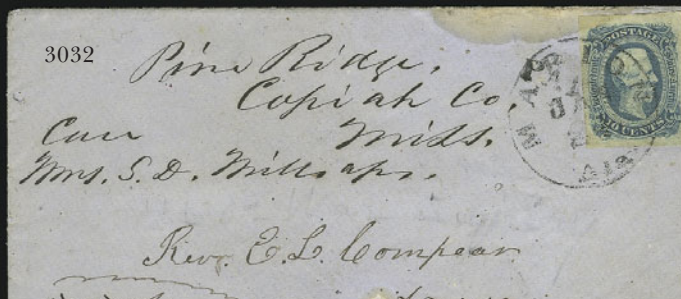
- 3011 ☒ **10c Blue, Frameline (10).** Position 15, showing frameline at top and right, clumsily repaired at bottom, tied by "Monticello Ala. Apr. 16" circular datestamp on cover to Aberdeen Miss. and **forwarded** to Columbus Miss., forwarding postage paid by 10c Blue, Die B (11) tied by "Aberdeen Miss. Apr. 22" datestamp, both stamps with faults, otherwise Fine, still a scarce usage of the frameline on a forwarded cover..... E. 500-750



- 3012 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large to huge margins, tied by “Richmond Va. Aug. ?, 1863” circular datestamp on small cover to Chattanooga Tenn. and **forwarded** to Bragg Hospital in Newnan Ga., forwarding postage paid by 10c Blue, Die B (12), margins to in and tied by “Chattanooga Ten. Nov. 19” datestamp, ms. “**Ex**” and signed, some slight soiling, appears Very Fine, the ms. examiner’s mark would indicate that this may have been an inside cover sent from a Confederate prisoner in the north E. 200-300
- 3013 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins, tied by Richmond Va. circular datestamp on yellow cover with “**Commonwealth of Virginia Executive Department, Official Business**” imprint (crossed out) to Canton Miss., **forwarded back to Richmond and then back again to Canton**, forwarding postage paid by second 10c Blue, Die A (11), pre-printing paperfold, tied by light strike of “Canton Miss. ? 26” datestamp, missing top flap, small tear at bottom, Very Fine, a most unusual usage..... E. 300-400
- 3014 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins to clear, tied by “**Goodson**” **straightline** on light green cover to Milledgeville Ga. and **forwarded** to Milledgeville Ga., bold “Milledgeville Ga. Oct. 2” datestamp, ms. “Ford. 10 due”, some slight edgewear, Very Fine, scarce straightline marking E. 300-400
- 3015 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Bright color, large margins all around, tied by neat strike of “Lynchburg Va. Mar. 8” circular datestamp on cover to a doctor in Danville Va. and **forwarded to a hospital back in Lynchburg**, bold “Danville Va. Mar. 14” with “Forwarded” and “10” markings, fresh and Very Fine, this is the only recorded example of this forwarded marking from Danville, ex White and Wiseman E. 150-200
- 3016 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Margins to in, tied by light strike of “Lynchburg Va. Aug. ?” circular datestamp on cover to Tuscaloosa Ala. and **forwarded** to Florence Ala., neat “Tuscaloosa Al. Aug. 24” with “Due 10” and small “Forwarded” markings, fresh and Fine, scarce forwarded usage from Tuscaloosa, ex Kohn..... E. 150-200
- 3017 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins, some toning around edges from gum, tied by blue “Lynchburg Va. Mar. 9” circular datestamp on cover to Howardsville Va. and **forwarded** to Lovingsston Va., blue “Howardsville Va. Apr. 16” with day in ms., **blue “Advertised”** marking and various ratings, some edgewear, Fine, unusual usage E. 200-300



- 3018 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins all around, tied by "Staunton Va." circular datestamp on cover addressed to "Dr. H.C. Somerall, Assist. Surgeon, General Hospital, Danville Va." and **forwarded** to Way Side Hospital in Lynchburg Va., "Danville Va. Jun. 14" forwarding datestamp with "**Free**" handstamp, fresh and Very Fine, scarce usage as forwarding postage was not charged, this was an uncommon occurrence and very few are known E. 150-200
- 3019 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins to clear, cancelled by penstrokes, blue "University of Virginia Va. Dec. 24" double-circle datestamp on cover to military address at Orange C.H. Va. and **forwarded** to Charlottesville Va., "Forwarded" in oval handstamp, some edgewear, Very Fine, unique usage E. 500-750
- 3020 ☒ **10c Greenish Blue, Die A (11c).** Large to huge margins, used as forwarding postage on blue cover, "Charleston S.C. Sep. 17, 1863" double-circle datestamp with ms. box charge no. and "Paid 10" handstamp to Mount Carmel P.O. S.C. and **forwarded** to Summerville N.C., adhesive tied by "Mt. Carmel S.C. Sept." datestamp, fresh and Very Fine, unusual usage with the stamp paying forwarding postage and first rate charged to the box..... E. 200-300
- 3021 ☒ **10c Milky Blue, Die A (11a).** Large margins all around, tied by "Columbus Ga. Oct. 12" circular datestamp on cover to Crawford Ga., **missent twice** with red "Opelika Ala." and "Crawford Ala." markings, ms. "*Missent and Forwarded Due 10*" at bottom and also again at top, some slight wear, Very Fine, unusual usage E. 200-300
- 3022 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large to huge margins, tied by "Meridian Miss." dateless circle on orange cover to Gainesville Junction Miss., bold strike of "**Missent**" handstamp and with "Gainesville Ala. Sep. 1?" datestamp, missing top flap, some wear, Very Fine E. 150-200
- 3023 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Margins to in, tied by "Charleston S.C. Apr. 11" circular datestamp on blue cover **addressed to General John Morgan** in Dalton Ga. and **redirected in care of General Long Street in East Tenn.**, bold "Missent" handstamp, some edgewear, still Fine, interesting and scarce usage combining two Confederate generals..... E. 150-200
- 3024 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins, faint overall toning, tied by **red** "Petersburg Va. Dec. 24" circular datestamp on cover to "Dr. Lewis C. Randolph, Surgeon of 9th Va. Cavalry, Beals Brigade, Petersburg Va.", ms. "**Missent to Mahones**" at top, some minor edgewear, appears Very Fine, this is the only reported example of a military postal clerk missent notation..... E. 200-300
- 3025 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins, tied by indistinct Aug. 12 "tobacco juice" circular datestamp on cover to military address, forwarded several times and with detailed pencil notation "*Maj. Ratchford this may be meant for an officer of Gen'l Stearns' staff - please send it to Gen'l. Hardees Hd. Qtrs. by the first opportunity. J.R.R. Col.*", second notation reads "*Not in Stearns' Brigade Bates Div.*" and signed again, a third pencil notation reads "*Not in Bates' Div.*", Very Fine, a most unusual usage..... E. 200-300
- 3026 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large to huge margins incl. **bottom left corner sheet margin**, tied by neat strike of "Richmond Va. Sep. 21" circular datestamp on "**Confederate States of America, Subsistence Department**" semi-official cover to Petersburg Va, clear strike of "**Advertised**" handstamp, aint horizontal file fold at top barely affects stamp, Extremely Fine appearance E. 300-400
- 3027 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Large margins, tied by grid, "Wilmington N.C. Sep. 10" circular datestamp on orange cover to Raleigh N.C., bold strike of blue-green "**Advertised**" handstamp, slightly reduced at left, few edge faults, still Very Fine, scarce colored strike of the Advertised marking E. 300-400
- 3028 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins all around, tied by **blue** "Columbia S.C. Oct. 31" circular datestamp on "**Headquarters, Conscript Department, Columbia S.C. Official Business**" imprint cover to Greenville S.C. and **forwarded** to Williamston S.C., Nov. 2 forwarding datestamp with ms. "forwd. 10", few toned spots affect stamp, otherwise Very Fine, attractive and scarce usage..... E. 400-500
- 3029 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Hue margins to just touched, tied by bold strike of "Madison C.H. Fla. Feb. 9" circular datestamp on cover to Lumpkin Ga., **forwarded to Marianna Fla. and then forwarded again** to Lake City Fla., various forwarding markings and marked due 20c, opened for display of all forwarding markings, slightly reduced and some edgewear, appears Very Fine, scarce and unusual twice-forwarded cover exhibiting markings from two Florida towns..... E. 300-400
- 3030 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Two, large margins to in, tied by "Richmond Va. Nov. 14" circular datestamp on oversize cover to General Bragg's in Chicamauga Ga., **forwarded** to "Care Gen'l. Many, Mobile Ala." and then **forwarded again** to care of General Quarles in Dalton Ga., bold "30" in circle as well as other forwarding markings incl. Mobile Ala. and ms. Dalton Ga., some wear, appears Very Fine, unusual usage displaying the names of three Confederate generals, this should have been forwarded for free as it was sent to a military address..... E. 200-300
- 3031 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins, cancelled by ms. "X", blue "New London Va. Jul. ?" circular datestamp on **turned** cover to Danville Va. and **forwarded** to Pittsylvania C.H. Va., neat "Danville Va. Jul. 27, 1863" marking with "Forwarded" in oval and "Due 10" handstamps, inside bears large part of 10c Blue, Die A (11) tied by "Pittsylvania C.H. ? Dec." datestamp and addressed to Richmond Va., opened on three sides, Very Fine, unusual usage, this is the only reported example of this forwarding marking from Danville..... E. 200-300



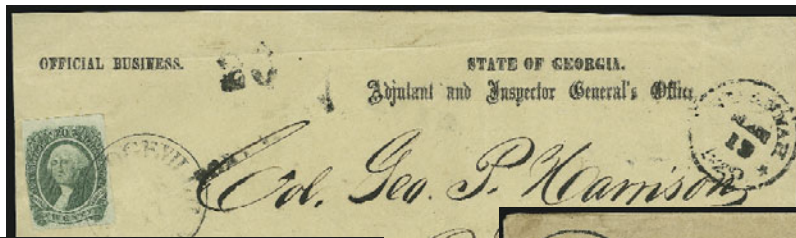
- 3032 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Tid by "Marion Ala. Jan. 2?" circular datestamp on blue cover addressed to Rev. E.L. Compear in Marion Ala. and forwarded to Pine Ridge Miss., with original contents datelined "*Cuthbert Ga. Jany. 2nd. 1865*", missing side flap and part of bottom flap, some staining, still Fine, Rev. Compear was chaplain to General Stand Watie, the only American Indian Confederate general..... E. 200-300
- 3033 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins, tied by light strike of Ala. circular datestamp on **Tuskaloosa Female College corner card** cover to Gov. Pettis Scooba Miss. and **forwarded** to Macon Miss., bold strike of Scooba datestamp, missing most of top flap, some soiling, Very Fine, unusual usage..... E. 500-750
- 3034 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Tied by **red** "Greensboro N.C. Jan. 21" on cover to Lincolnton N.C. and **missent** to Lexington N.C., bold "Lexington N.C. Jan. ?" datestamp with matching "Forwarded" and "Missent" handstamps, slightly reduced at left, expertly restored along edges, appears Very Fine, attractive usage E. 150-200
- 3035 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Oct. 25" circular datestamp on **adversity** cover made from printed publisher's list to Petersburg Va., **missent** to Columbia S.C. and with blue "Columbia S.C. Oct. 28" datestamp with matching "Missent" handstamp, 1864 docketing at right, opened for display, some minor ink erosion, Very Fine, unusual missent usage which was mistakenly sent two states away from where it should have been delivered, ex Kohn..... E. 300-400
- 3036 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to just in, tied by **Star fancy cancel** on cover to New Lexington P.O. Ala., originating in small town with ms. originating pmk. of July 17, **missent** to Tuscaloosa where Star fancy cancel applied along with "Tuscaloosa Al. Jul. 23" and "Missent" handstamps, Very Fine, scarce fancy cancel used in the Confederacy E. 150-200
- 3037 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to full incl. **sheet margin at top**, cancelled by penstroke and tied by "Montgomery Ala. May 13" datestamp on cover addressed to "Mrs. Mary Spratling, Camp ??, Calhoun Miss.", bold strike of "**Ad. 2**" and "**Jul.**" handstamps with ms. "Due 10" and "12" ratings, "Canton Miss. Sep. 30" backstamp, some wear, still Very Fine, unusual usage, ex Meroni E. 200-300
- 3038 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins, tied by "Newberry C.H. S.C. Apr. ?" double-circle datestamp on blue and gray **wallpaper** cover to Richmond Va., clear strike of "**Advertised 2**" handstamp, "Richmond Va. Apr. 22" backstamp, opened for display, some wear incl. file fold affecting stamp, otherwise Very Fine, scarce, this is the only advertised wallpaper cover reported..... E. 300-400
- 3039 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to clear, tied by blue "Lynchburg Va. Jan. 30" circular datestamp on cover to Staunton Va., clear strike of "**Advertised**" handstamp, some cover faults, still Very Fine strike of the Advertised marking..... E. 300-400
- 3040 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins to just in, cancelled by killer on cover to Mobile Ala., with enclosure datelined "*Dalton Ga. March 1st 1864*", cover with bold "**Adv. 2**" handstamp, trivial edgewear at top, Very Fine..... E. 100-150



3041

- 3041 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Mar. 25" circular datestamp on blue legal-size **War Department Semi-Official imprint** cover to Cottage House N.C. and **forwarded** to Hillsboro N.C., ms. "Cotton House N.C. April 1st Forwd. 10" ms. pmk., some overall wear, appears Very Fine, scarce usage, this is the only 20c Green on a forwarded semi-official imprint cover E. 1,000-1,500

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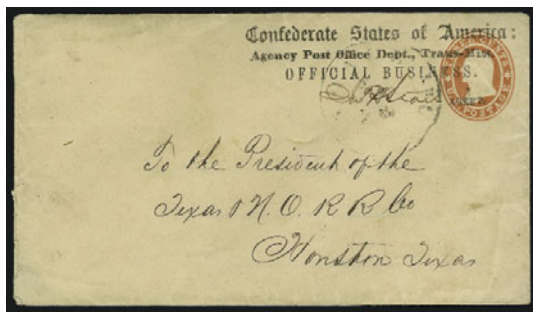
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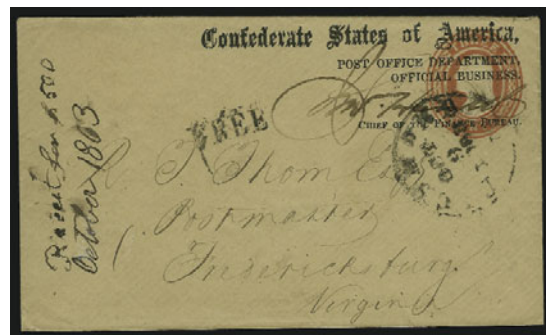
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- 3042 **20c Green (13).** Large margins to just touched, tied by "Milledgeville Ga. Mar. 17" circular datestamp on **State of Georgia Adjutant and Inspector General's Office** imprint cover front only to Savannah Ga. and **forwarded** to Montieth Ga., Savannah datestamp and "20" due handstamp, **turned usage** with inside bearing "Savannah Ga. Paid Mar. 22" and "Paid" markings with ms. "50" and "Election Returns Official Business" ms. designation, addressed to Milledgeville Ga., Very Fine, unusual turned semi-official usage..... E. 750-1,000
- 3043 ☒ **20c Green (13).** Large margins to clear, tied by "Richmond Va. Sep. 6" circular datestamp on **turned usage** to Florence S.C. which was also **forwarded** to Pendleton S.C., light strike of Florence datestamp, inside with stamp removed and with ms. pmk. and addressed to Richmond, some wear and staining, stamp expertly repaired at bottom left, still Fine, highly unusual usage, Scott Retail as No. 13 on cover 1,250.00
- 3044 ☒ **20c Green, Diagonal Half Used as 10c (13c).** Bottom left diagonal half, tied by "Aiken S.C." datestamp and used as forwarding postage on large part of cover to Aiken and forwarded to Greenville S.C., part of Charleston double-circle datestamp at right, no indication of how postage was paid at Charleston, some wear, Fine, scarce use of the bisect as forwarding postage, with 1976 C.S.A. certificate 2,000.00

SEMI-OFFICIAL IMPRINTS



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- 3045° ☒ **Agency Post Office Dept. Trans-Miss., Official Business.** Dietz Ty. III signed "Jas. H. Starr" on 3c Red Star Die entire to President of the Texas & New Orleans Railroad Co. at Houston, "Marshall Tex." circular datestamp faintly struck as usual, Very Fine, extremely rare imprint and James H. Starr signature as head of the Trans-Mississippi Department, which was responsible for expediting mail between the East and West, ex White E. 1,000-1,500
- 3046 ☒ **Confederate States of America, Post Office Department, Official Business, Chief of the Finance Bureau.** Dietz Ty. I with Jno. Harrel signature on 3c Red Nesbitt entire to the postmaster at Fredericksburg Va., light strike of "Richmond Va. Oct. 9, 1863" and "Free" handstamps, docketed at left, fresh and Very Fine E. 500-750

TRANS-MISSISSIPPI EXPRESS MAIL



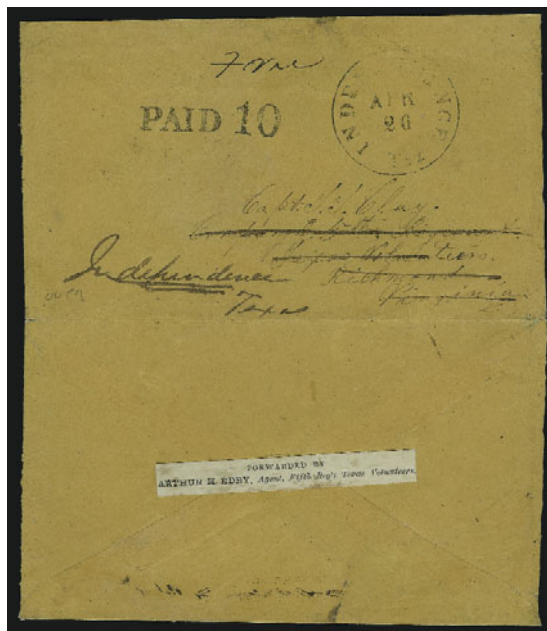
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3047° **E. H. Cushing Express.** Black on blue newsprint label, Dietz Ty. VI, affixed to back of cover originating west of the Mississippi River, addressed to Okolona Miss. and **forwarded** to Chattanooga Tenn., horizontal pair of **5c Green (1)**, ample to large margins, tied by matching ms. strokes, faint strike of "Liberty Miss." circular datestamp where entered the mails, also "Okolona Miss. Aug. 13" forwarding datestamp with ms. "Due 10", label has some slight toning from adhesive, opened on three sides for display, slight edgewear affects 5c stamps

VERY FINE EXAMPLE OF THE RARE CUSHING TRANS-MISSISSIPPI EXPRESS LABEL. THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE USED ON FORWARDED MAIL.

E. H. Cushing, publisher of the *Houston Daily Telegraph*, commenced his express service after New Orleans fell to the Federals in April 1862. In an effort to improve communications between Texan regiments in the East and their relations at home, as well as secure safe lines for news transmission, Cushing established routes with pony riders and other means of conveyance necessary to cross the Federal lines. Cushing's agents affixed labels to the backs of envelopes carried by express. These were intended to inform patrons and advertise the service. Approximately 20 examples (of all varieties) are believed to exist. This type is much rarer than the larger labels.

With 1976 C.S.A. certificate..... E. 5,000-7,500



3048

- 3048 ☒ **Arthur H. Edey's Express.** Black on white newsprint label "FORWARDED BY/ARTHUR H. EDEY, Agent, Fifth Reg't Texas Volunteers." affixed with mucilage to back of orange cover and **used as a forwarder** on a cover originating in Independence Tex., neat "Independence Tex. Apr. 26" circular datestamp and matching "Paid" and "10" handstamps, addressed to Capt. Clay of the 5th Texas Regiment at Richmond Va., when it was determined that Capt. Clay was in Independence Tex. the Edey's label was affixed in Richmond and and carried by Edey's 5th Texas Regiment Trans-Mississippi express back to Texas, at some point on its return journey to Texas this was placed in the mails where endorsed "free", opened for display

FRESH AND EXTREMELY FINE. OF THE EIGHT RECORDED COVERS WITH EDEY'S EXPRESS LABEL, THIS IS THE ONLY FORWARDED USAGE. EDEY'S EXPRESS OPERATED BRIEFLY FROM AUGUST UNTIL LATE OCTOBER 1862.

Arthur H. Edey provided mail service between members of the 5th Regiment, Texas Volunteers, serving east of the Mississippi and their correspondents back home. Our records contain eight examples of Edey's label, including a few heavily stained or defective covers. This is one of the freshest and most interesting usages.

With 1982 P.F. certificate. The last example we offered, in our auction of the Green Collection (Sale 822) realized \$7,000 hammer. E. 4,000-5,000



3049

- 3049 ☒ **E. W. Black's Trans-Mississippi Express.** "Washington Ark. Dec. 7" circular datestamp with "10" C.S.A. rate handstamp on soldier's letter from 1st Ark. Regiment to Arkadia Ark., ms. "**Paid 1.00**" for Black's Express fee, with copy of original enclosure indicating this originated from a camp in Alabama and was carried to Washington Ark. where placed in the mails, opened roughly at right, Very Fine and rare, E. W. Black operated a one-man trans-Mississippi service that appears to have existed briefly in the fall of 1864, carrying mail between Arkansas troops with the Army of Tennessee and correspondents across the river (reference: Stefan T. Jaronski, "Another Private Trans-Mississippi Express Service Uncovered", *Confederate Philatelist*, No. 241) E. 1,000-1,500



3050

- 3050 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Horizontal strip of four, huge margins all around, second stamp from right with prominent **pre-printing paperfold**, tied by "Savannah Ga. Jun. 23" circular datestamps on 1864 cover to Shreveport La. and **forwarded** to Monroe La., neat "Shreveport La. Sep. 7" double-circle datestamp and "Due 10" handstamp, minor edgewear

EXTREMELY FINE. THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED FORWARDED TRANS-MISSISSIPPI EXPRESS COVER. A WONDERFUL USAGE WITH A BEAUTIFUL STRIP OF FOUR OF THE 10-CENT DIE A ISSUE.

Ex Lehman. With 1965 P.F. certificate. E. 3,000-4,000



3051

- 3051 **20c Green (13).** Used with horizontal pair of **5c Blue (4)** and **10c Blue, Die A (11)**, cancelled by penstrokes or tied by light strike of Tex. circular datestamp on folded **adversity** cover to General Hospital No. 1 in Richmond Va., made from dry goods store ledger sheet (front only with flaps added), "**Advertised 2**" handstamp at right applied at Richmond, cleaned with stamps likely lifted and replaced

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A SPECTACULAR AND RARE COMBINATION OF LITHOGRAPHED AND ENGRAVED CONFEDERATE GENERAL ISSUES PAYING THE 40-CENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI RATE. THE "ADVERTISED" MARKING ADDS ANOTHER ELEMENT OF RARITY.

This is the only franking of its kind recorded in the Krieger census (W-42)..... E. 2,000-3,000



3052

- 3052 **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Single and pair of Die A used with Die B sheet margin single, tied by "Richmond Va. Jan. 4" circular datestamp on front only, **40c Trans-Mississippi Express Rate** to La Vernie Tex., sender's routing "Via Meridian, Mississippi", "MISSSENT" handstamp, slightly toned, edge nicks and wear, otherwise Fine, rare franking, ex Keeling E. 750-1,000

BLOCKADE-RUN MAIL

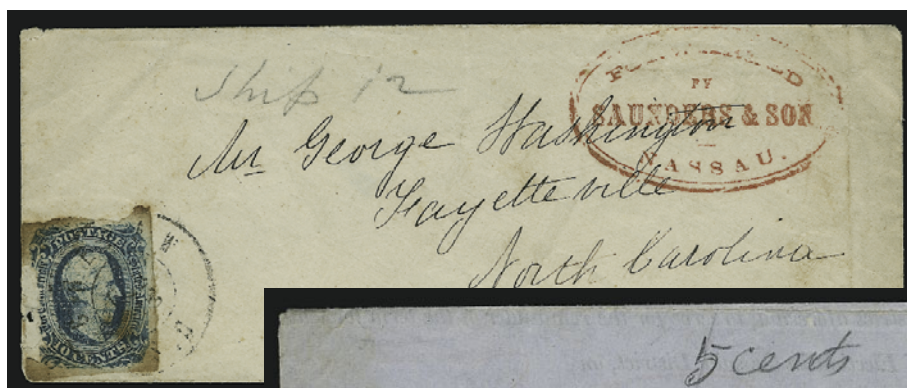


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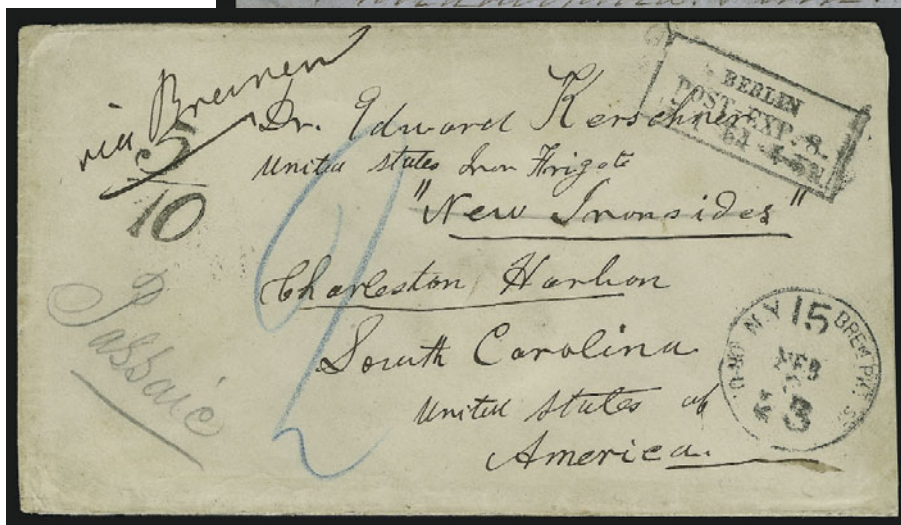
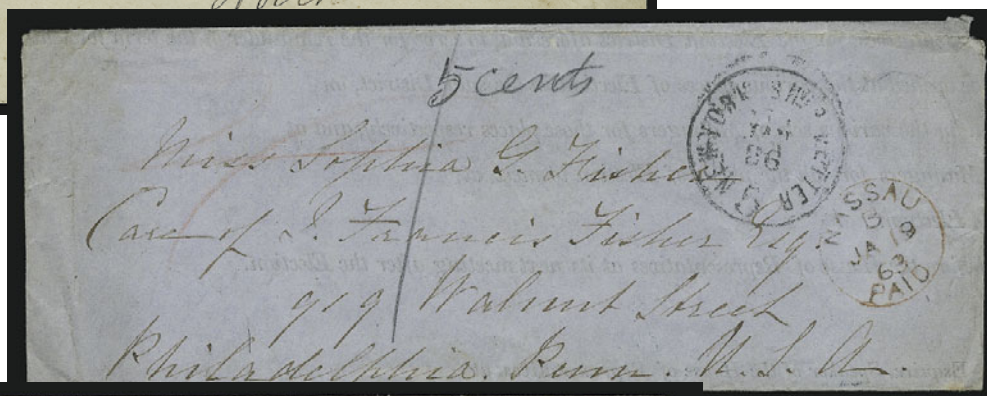
- 3053 ☒ **Blockade-Run to Wilmington N.C.** Incoming cover addressed to J. Berkley Grimball in Charleston S.C. and **forwarded** to Spartanburg, clear strike of "SHIP" handstamp and ms. "22" rating (mistakenly rated for double weight), readable strike of "Wilmington N.C. Paid Oct. 24" circular datestamp and likely carried aboard the *Lucy* blockade-runner inbound from Nassau, forwarding postage paid by **10c Blue, Die A (11)** tied by "Charleston S.C. Oct. 24" circular datestamp, minor edgewear

VERY FINE. A RARE INBOUND BLOCKADE-RUN USAGE TO CHARLESTON, WHICH WAS FORWARDED TO SPARTANBURG WITH A CONFEDERATE GENERAL ISSUE.

The recipient, J. Berkley Grimball (according to his diary, available at http://www.lib.unc.edu/mss/inv/g/Grimball,John_Berkley), came from a prominent Southern family. His wife was a direct descendant of Lewis Morris, a signer of the Declaration of Independence. At the onset of the war, his five eldest sons went off to fight for the Confederacy. In June 1862, Grimball, his wife, son Harry and three daughters went to Spartanburg in an effort to avoid enemy attacks on the coast. There they took quarters in St. John's College, where they remained until the war was over. Grimball made frequent trips home during this time, both to look after his property and to report for possible duty in the reserves..... E. 10,000-15,000



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- 3054 ☒ **10c Blue, Die A (11).** Faults, tied by "Cheraw S.C. Feb. 18" double-circle datestamp on inbound blockade-run cover to George Washington in Fayetteville N.C., red "**Forwarded by Saunders & Son Nassau**" oval handstamp, pencil "Ship 12", Fine cover despite stamp faults, unusual blockade-run usage with stamp cancelled at Cheraw, this most likely entered at the port of Charleston where carried outside of the mails to Cheraw, two other blockade-run covers are also known from this correspondence..... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3055 ☒ **Blockade-Run Cover to Philadelphia via Nassau, Bahamas.** Adversity cover made from printed form, no indication of origin, red "**Nassau JA 19, 1863**" circular datestamp and red crayon "4" rate, entered U.S. mails with "New York Ship Letter 5 Jan. 26" debit datestamp, pencil "5 cents", portions of Nassau marking strengthened in pencil, otherwise Very Fine, with 1998 P.F. certificate specifically stating that this is a blockade cover ... E. 1,000-1,500
- 3056 ☒ **U.S.S. New Ironsides.** 1864 inbound cover from Germany addressed to "Dr. Edward Kerschner, United States Iron Frigate 'New Ironsides', Charleston Harbor South Carolina, United States of America", endorsed "via Bremen", German datestamp, New York Feb. 3 depreciated currency datestamp, pencil "Passaic" (another naval vessel), Very Fine, a remarkably rare usage from Europe to a doctor aboard the U.S.S. *New Ironsides*, according to www.history.navy.mil "SS *New Ironsides*, a 4120-ton broadside ironclad, was built at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The last, and largest, of the initial group of three 'salt-water' armored warships begun in 1861 in response to meet the needs of the Civil War, she was commissioned in August 1862. Following a lengthy fitting-out period, she joined the South Atlantic Blockading Squadron in January 1863. For the next year, she operated in support of the blockade of Charleston, South Carolina, and took part in several attacks on the Confederate fortifications defending that city." E. 750-1,000

FLAG-OF-TRUCE AND PRISONERS' MAIL



- 3057 ☒ **Flag-of-Truce via Norfolk Va..** Blue “Norfolk Va. Jan. 10” double-circle datestamp and “Paid 5c” in circle handstamp on cover to Leesburg Va., ms. examiner’s initials, sender’s notation “*Postage within*”, minor edgewear, Very Fine, Norfolk was an early and short-lived exchange point for mail between the North and South E. 400-500
- 3058 ☒ **Charleston S.C. Feb. 2, 1862.** Clear strike of double-circle datestamp on cover endorsed “*via Norfolk and Flag of Truce*” to New York, 3c Rose (65) tied by “Old Point Comfort Va. Feb. 23” double-circle datestamp, “Paid 5” in circle handstamp for Confederate postage, some edgewear, Very Fine, this is an extremely unusual combination of markings and U.S. postage for a north-bound flag-of-truce cover via Norfolk..... E. 750-1,000
- 3059 ☒ **3c Rose (65).** Tied by segmented cork, “Old Point Comfort Va. Jun. 18” double-circle datestamp on cover to Hoboken N.J., **ms. examiner’s initials** at top left, few toned spots, Very Fine censored civilian flag-of-truce usage E. 300-400
- 3060 ☒ **“For Flag of Truce”.** Ms. notation on cover to Philadelphia, well-struck “Old Point Comfort Va. May 10” double-circle datestamp with “Due 6” in circle, cover tear at top and some toned spots, missing part of top flap, Very Fine strikes, with 1998 P.F. certificate E. 200-300



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- 3061 ☒ **3c Rose (65).** Tied by quartered cork and Richmond Va. circular datestamp on U.S. Christian Commission "Soldier's Letter" imprint cover from a captured Confederate soldier recovering at a U.S. Hospital to his sister in Pacolet Depot S.C., unusually-worded endorsement "Confederate Soldier's Letter. By Flag of Truce Boat", well-struck "Old Point Comfort Va. Oct. 21" double-circle datestamp, neat "Due 10" marking for Confederate postage, with original Oct. 19, 1864 enclosure on Christian Commission letterhead, mentions his recent amputation and states "I have written to you & Pa & Capt. Lyle since my arrival here, but I suppose they are all on this side the lines, as no flag of truce boat has passed.", stamp with small nick at top, otherwise Fine, this is a remarkable example of mail from a captured Confederate soldier while recovering from his wounds at a Federal hospital, which appears to have bypassed censorship and normal handling for prisoners' letters E. 750-1,000

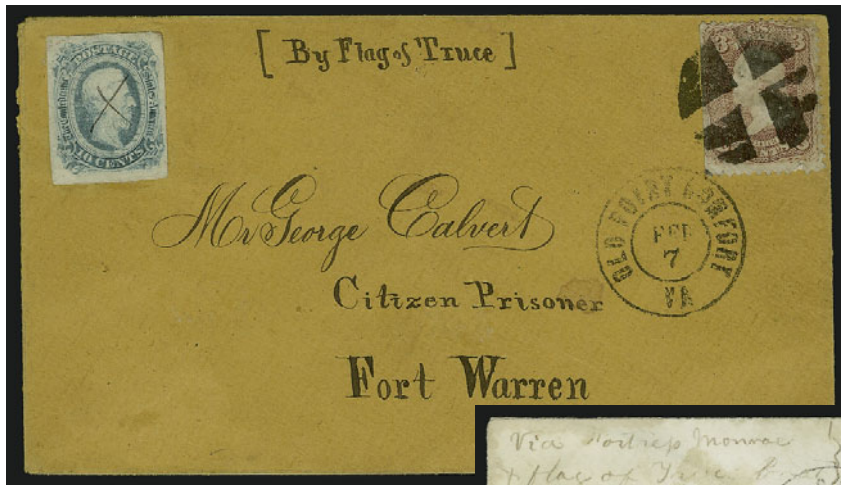


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- 3062 ☒ **Camp Douglas.** Oval examiner's handstamp on orange cover with 3c Rose (65) tied by blue segmented cork and matching "Chicago Ill. Oct. 17" double-circle datestamp to Keene Ky., fresh and Very Fine, attractive cover E. 200-300
- 3062A ° **Camp Morton Ind.** Front only addressed to imprisoned member of 45th Virginia Vol. at Camp Morton in Indianapolis with directive "Care of Commanding Office of Post, Camp Morton, who will open", United States Express Co., Nebraska City Neb. black on green express label affixed at upper right, red and blue crayon notations, faults, still presentable and very rare use of private express company to deliver mail to a Confederate prisoner-of-war held at Camp Morton, the addressee (Private Robert H. Anderson) was captured at Piedmont Va. on Jun. 5, 1864, and exchanged Mar. 4, 1865 E. 500-750
- 3063 ☒ **Fort Delaware.** Clear strike of oval examiner's backstamp on orange cover to Union Mills Va., 3c Rose (65) tied by grid, "Delaware City Del. Apr. 30" circular datestamp, Confederate postage paid by 10c Blue, Die A (11), margins to in, tied by "Richmond Va. May 13" datestamp, missing top flap, Very Fine flag-of-truce cover sent via Fortress Monroe E. 750-1,000



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- 3064 ☒ **10c Blue, Die B (12).** Large margins all around, cancelled by ms. "X" on orange **flag-of-truce** cover to "**Citizen Prisoner**" at Fort Warren Mass., also with 3c Rose (65), s.e. at left, tied by quartered cork and "Old Point Comfort Va. Feb. 7" double-circle datestamp, Very Fine, attractive usage..... E. 500-750

- 3065 ☒ **Johnson's Island.** Prisoner's endorsement "From J. W. Lapsley, 1st Lt. Co. E. 51st Ala., Prisoner of War, Johnson's Island, Ohio" on small cover to his wife at Tuscaloosa Ala., ms. "ExA" censor's mark, 3c Rose (65) tied by "Sandusky O. Jul. 12, '64" double-circle datestamp and target, also tied by "Richmond Va. Jul. 20" circular datestamp, forwarded to Shelby Springs with **10c Grayish Blue, Die A (11 var)**, an unusual and distinctive shade, large margins, tied by bold "Tuscaloosa Aug. 18" circular datestamp, well-struck "**X**" handstamp of Tuscaloosa at right

A VERY FINE AND EXTREMELY UNUSUAL FRANKING, SHOWING THE COMBINATION OF UNITED STATES AND CONFEDERATE STAMPS NORMALLY FOUND ON PRISONER-OF-WAR COVERS, BUT IN THIS CASE REQUIRED FOR FORWARDING WITH THE 10-CENT STAMP CANCELLED AT TUSCALOOSA.

It is theorized that the Tuscaloosa "X" mark was applied to soldiers' mail during the Dalton-Atlanta campaign (see *Confederate Philatelist*, May 1961). Its use on this prisoner-of-war cover is extremely unusual and rare. Signed Brian Green E. 3,000-4,000

- 3066 ☒ **Point Lookout.** Clear strike of large oval Paterson examiner's marking on cover to Greenwood Depot Va., 3c Rose (65) cancelled by target, "Point Lookout Md. Jan. 23" circular datestamp, also with **10c Blue, Die A (11)** tied by Richmond Va. datestamp, ms. "Via Fortress Monroe & Flag of Truce" at top left, some slight toning most noticeable around 3c stamp, still Very Fine, an unusually clear strike of the oval examiner's marking and an attractive cover E. 1,000-1,500



- 3067 ✉ **Point Lookout Md.** Light strike of large oval examiner's handstamp on orange cover to Morganton P.O. N.C., 3c Rose (65) tied by target, "Point Lookout Md. Jan. 28" datestamp, also neat "Richmond Va. Feb. 1" and "Due 10" markings for Confederate postage, with 1864 enclosure (dated Oct. 25 so may not be original), minor edgewear, Very Fine... E. 300-400
- 3068 ✉ **Point Lookout.** Prisoner's letter with 3c Rose (65) tied by target and by "Point Lookout Md. May 25, 1864" double-circle datestamp on cover to Halcombs Rock Va., Richmond circular datestamp also ties stamp, bold "Due 10" handstamp and ms. examiner's marking, missing part of top flap, Fine..... E. 300-400
- 3069 ✉ **Point Lookout Md.** Inbound letter to a prisoner, bearing 3c Rose (65) tied by blue target and matching "Baltimore Md. Jun. 9, 1864" double-circle datestamp, with original contents, Very Fine..... E. 100-150
- 3070 ✉ **Rock Island Barracks.** 3c Rose (65) tied by target and "Rock Island Ill. Jan. 28, 1864" double-circle datestamp on buff cover to Jacksonville Mo., clear strike of examiner's handstamp, stamp with rounded corner at top right, otherwise Fine, with 1974 P.F. certificate..... E. 300-400
- 3071 ✉ **Military District of Washington D.C.** Red examiner's handstamp and censor's signature on cover to Greenwood Depot Va., U.S. stamp removed in transit and "Richmond Va. Nov. 16, 1863" circular datestamp struck in its place, "Due 10" straightline, endorsed "per flag of truce boat Via Fortress Monroe" at left, Very Fine..... E. 500-750

JEFFERSON DAVIS AS PRISONER OF WAR

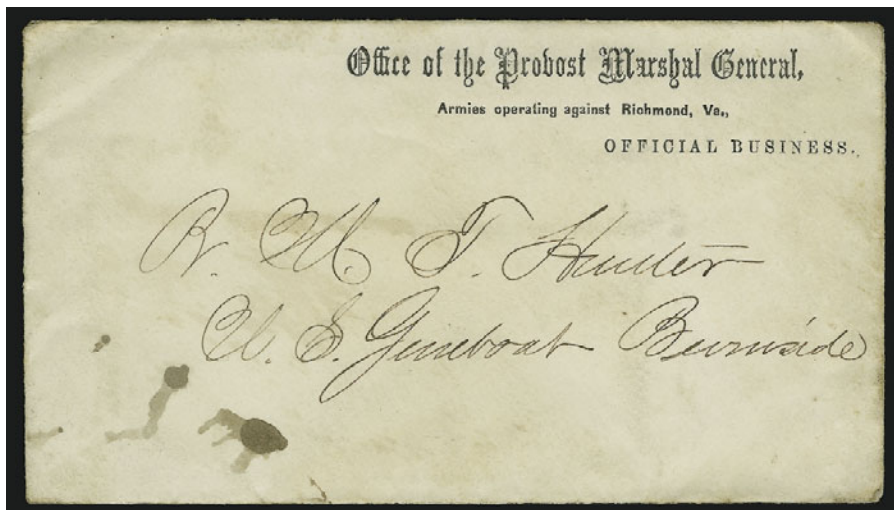


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- 3072 ☒ **Jefferson Davis as Prisoner of War to his Wife.** Cover addressed in the hand of the former President to his wife, "Mrs. Varina Davis, Augusta, Georgia," additionally Davis writes, "Favor of Hon. J. Speed U.S. Atty. Genl." in a tiny hand, Speed's signature is at upper right, "J. Speed Atty genl", which served as both free frank and censor's mark, dated-tamped Dec. 9, 1865, in Washington D.C., small piece out of back, expertly restored

VERY FINE APPEARANCE. A REMARKABLE CIVIL WAR USAGE, SENT BY JEFFERSON DAVIS, FORMER CONFEDERATE PRESIDENT AND IMPRISONED LEADER OF THE SOUTHERN REBELLION. ONE OF ONLY THREE KNOWN POSTALLY USED LETTERS SENT BY JEFFERSON DAVIS AS A PRISONER OF WAR.

A fourth example is known, but it was privately carried outside of the mails. Accompanied by CDV of Jefferson Davis, circa 1863, from Brady photographic negative. A similar example realized \$8,500 hammer in our Robertson Sale 887. E. 7,500-10,000

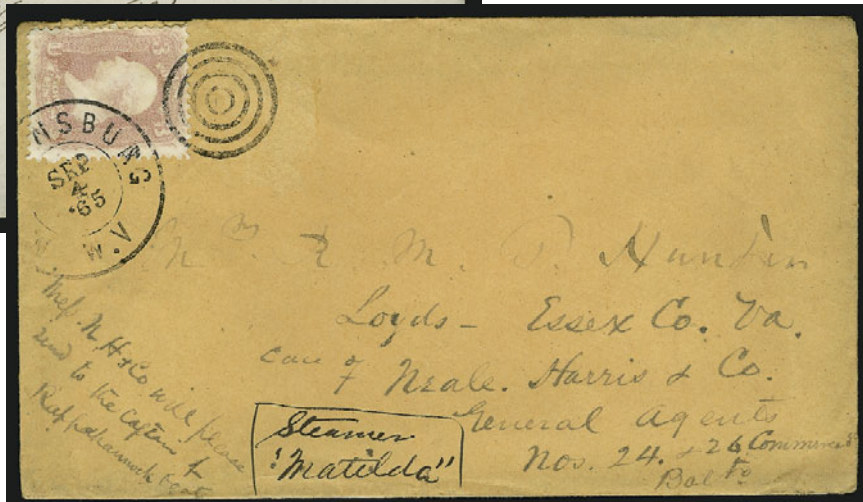


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- 3073 ☒ **Office of the Provost Marshal General, Armies Operating Against Richmond, Va., Official Business.** Imprint on cover addressed to Robert M.T. Hunter, a Confederate Senator, evidently as a prisoner on board the U.S. Gunboat *Burnside*, no other markings, Very Fine, rare imprint and an even rarer usage, Hunter was a Confederate Senator (whose portrait is on a \$10 Confederate bill) and was one of three members of the Confederacy who met with Lincoln and Seward at the Hampton Roads Peace Conference on Feb. 3, 1865, he was arrested by Federal forces later in 1865 and imprisoned without trial at Fort Pulaski until 1866, the *General Burnside* was built in 1862 and sold to the War Department in 1863, she became flagship of the upper Tennessee River Fleet where she patrolled the river to Whitesburg, Decatur, and Chattanooga, this letter was likely sent to Hunter as a prisoner on his way to Fort Pulaski..... E. 750-1,000

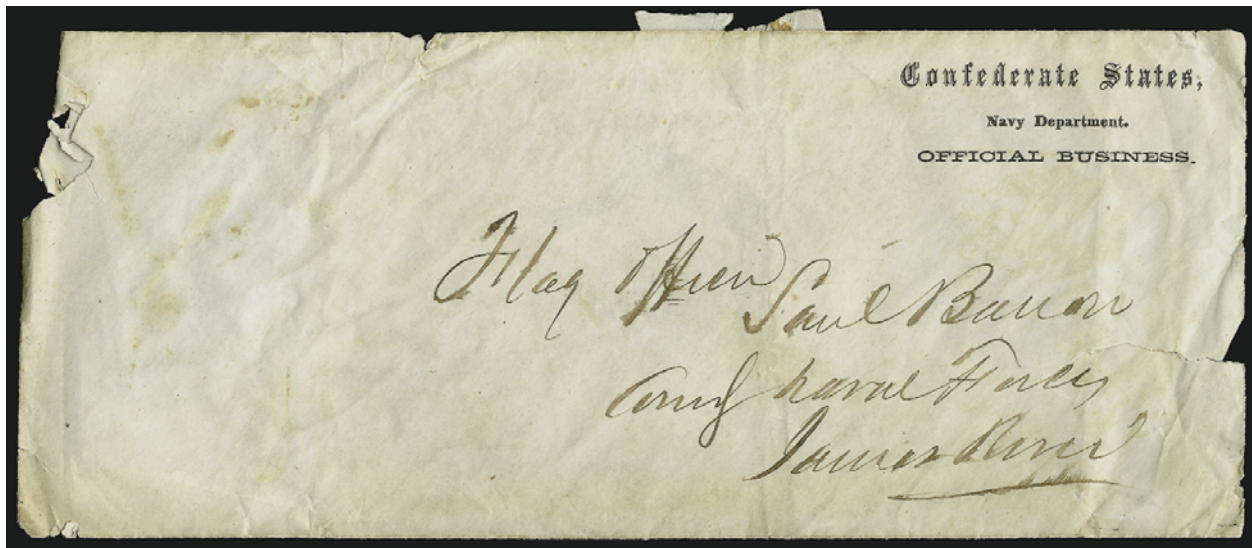


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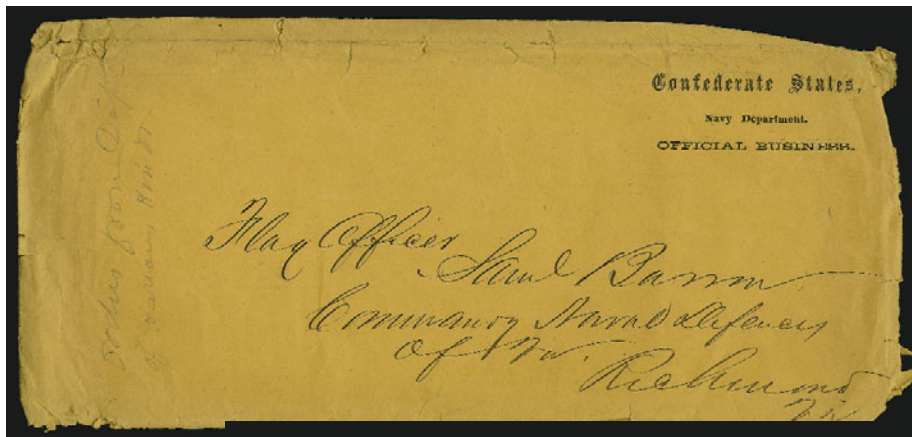
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- 3074 ☒ **Robert M. T. Hunter.** Thirteen covers addressed to former Confederate Senator Hunter as a prisoner at Fort Pulaski Ga., incl. nine with U.S. 3c Rose (65), one with "Steamboat" hand-stamp, one adversity cover made from illustrated envelope, several defective but still a worthwhile group, Hunter turned down the position of Secretary of State in Fillmore's administration, he was a U.S. Senator before joining the Confederate government, one of three Confederate commissioners at the 1865 Hampton Roads Peace Conference, he was imprisoned at Fort Pulaski later in 1865 and was released in 1866.....(Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000
- 3075 ☒ **Robert M. T. Hunter.** 11 covers, mostly post-war usages to him or his wife at Layton's Landing or Baltimore, mixed condition, still some Fine.....(Photo Ex) E. 200-300

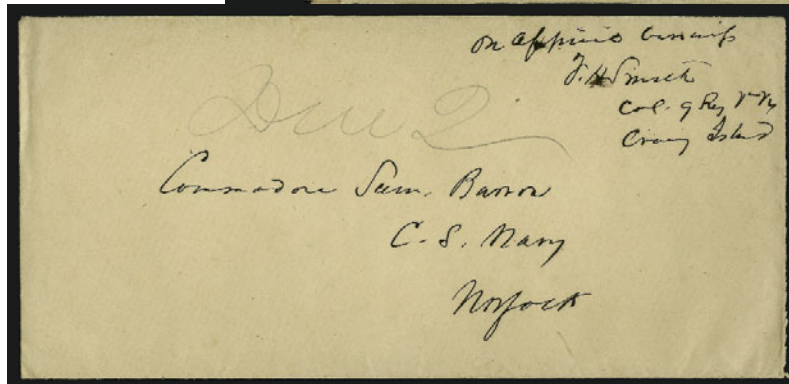
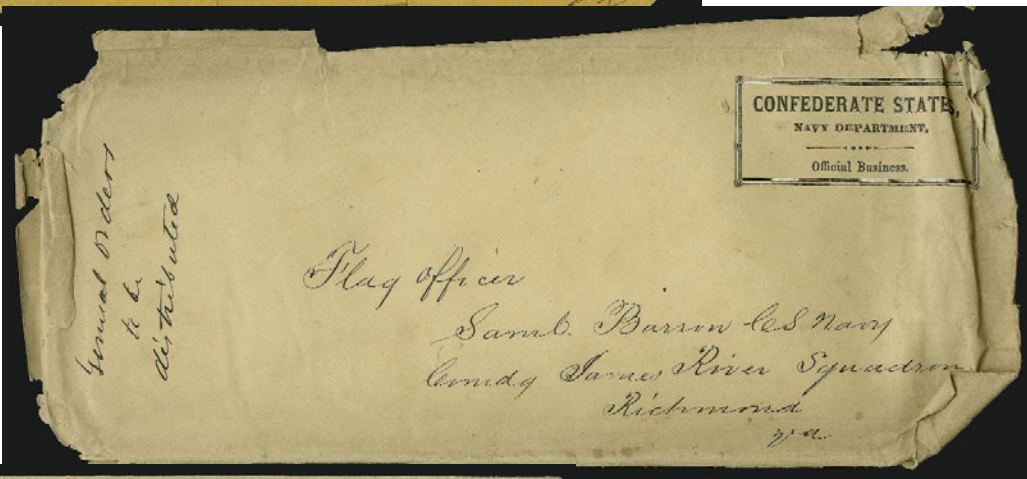


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- 3076 ☒ **Confederate States, Navy Department, Official Business.** Imprint on legal-size cover addressed to "Flag Officer Sam'l. Barron, Cmdg. Naval Forces, James River", missing part of top flap, cover tear at right and some edgewear, otherwise Fine..... E. 300-400



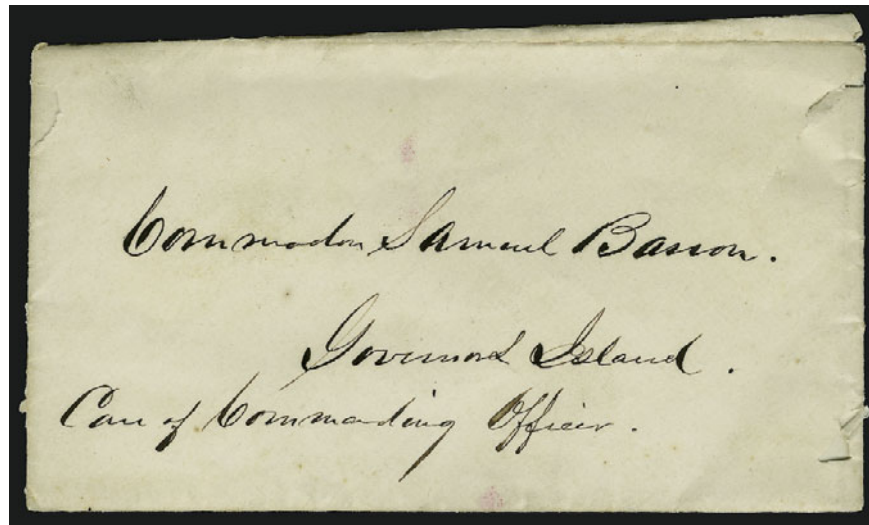
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- 3077 ☒ **Confederate States, Navy Department, Official Business.** Imprint on orange legal-size cover addressed to "Flag Officer Sam'l. Barron, Commanding Naval Defences of Va., Richmond Va.", missing top flap but with some notes on back possibly listing the number of ships he has at different locations, some edge faults, otherwise Fine, scarce usage, Barron held this position for only a very short time before being captured..... E. 300-400
- 3078 ☒ **Confederate States, Navy Department, Official Business.** Imprint on oversize cover addressed to "Flag Officer Sam'l. Barron C.S. Navy, Comdg. James River Squadron, Richmond Va.", original contents accompanies which is **Navy Dept. General Order** dated Nov. 22, 1862 and detailing the hierarchy of command, cover defective but enclosure pristine.....(Photo Ex) E. 750-1,000
- 3079 ☒ **"Due 2".** Ms. rate on cover addressed to "Commodore Sam. Barron, C.S. Navy, Norfolk", military origin indicated at top right, fresh and Very Fine..... E. 500-750
- 3080 ☒ **Samuel Barron.** 39 items, mostly pre- and post-war, incl. covers addressed to him, some with imprints such as "C.S. Navy Department, Office of Ordnance and Hydrography", some carried privately, decidedly mixed condition, few appear Fine-Very Fine.....Not illustrated E. 1,500-2,000



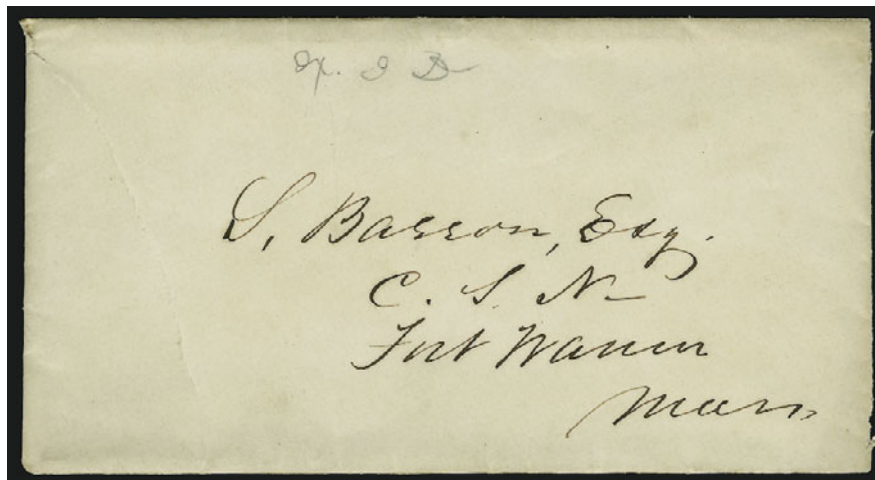
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- 3081 ☒ **“Commodore Samuel Barron, Governor’s Island, Care of Commanding Officer”.** Address on cover to Barron as **prisoner of war**, no postal markings, some slight edgewear

VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE COVER TO FAMED CONFEDERATE NAVAL COMMANDER, SAMUEL BARRON, AS A PRISONER OF WAR HELD ON GOVERNOR’S ISLAND, NEW YORK.

Samuel Barron left his powerful position as Chief of the Bureau of Detail in the U.S. Navy to offer his services to the Confederacy. He eventually became commander of the naval defenses of Virginia and North Carolina, basing his position at Fort Hatteras. He arrived there the day after the start of a Union bombardment and was forced to surrender the following day, when he was taken prisoner. He was exchanged eleven months later, and served most of the rest of the war in France overseeing the building of blockade-running ships for the Confederacy. According to <http://www.rootsweb.com/~nchyde/FTCLARK2.HTM>: “After some hours of negotiation, articles of capitulation were signed aboard Stringham’s flagship, the USS Cumberland. The overall Confederate loss was great, as Barron surrendered some 700 men, 1,000 rifle-muskets and muskets, 31 artillery pieces and two forts...The captured officers and enlisted men of 7th and 10th Regiments were first sent to a military prison on Governor’s Island, New York. After about two months, the prisoners were transferred to Fort Warren in Boston harbor...Upon their parole in 1862, the soldiers were returned to North Carolina and those who opted to remain in the Confederate Army were reformed as the 17th Regiment North Carolina Volunteers...”

E. 1,000-1,500



3082

- 3082 ☒ **“S. Barron Esq. C.S.N. Fort Warren Mass.”** Address on cover to Barron as **prisoner of war**, ms. “Ex. J.D.” examiner’s mark, cover tear at left

VERY FINE. A REMARKABLE COVER TO CONFEDERATE NAVAL COMMANDER, SAMUEL BARRON, AS A PRISONER AT FORT WARREN, MASSACHUSETTS.

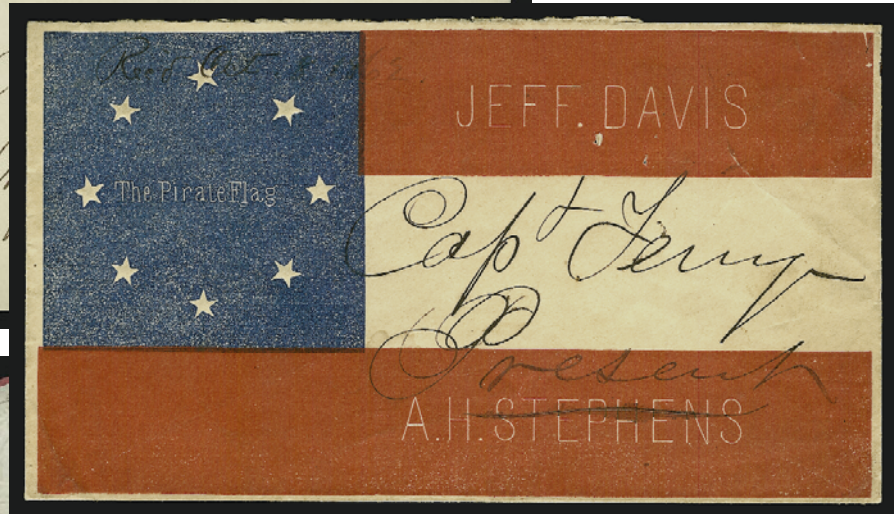
As outlined in the previous lot description, Commodore Barron was captured and held by the North as a prisoner. After his release, he travelled to Europe to make arrangements for the blockade-running operations of the Confederacy.

E. 1,000-1,500

FEDERAL AND POST-WAR USAGES



3083



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3085

- 3083 ☒ **George W. McClellan.** Free frank "G W McClellan Maj. Genl." on field cover to "Col. Kingsbury, Chief of Ordnance Army of Potomac", fresh and Very Fine..... E. 300-400
- 3084 ☒ **The Pirate Flag.** Red and blue Union design with "Jeff. Davis" and "A.H. Stephens", ms. "Rec'd Oct. 8, 1862" at top left, red crayon "Back in 3 minutes" on back, Very Fine, colorful Union mockery of the popular Confederate flag design..... E. 400-500
- 3085 ☒ **New Orleans La. Aug. 29, 1862.** Clear strike of blue double-circle datestamp on **Patriotic** cover with red border and embossed Eagle and Shield on backflap, to West Haven Conn., matching "Ship" and "5" in circle handstamps, trivial overall wear, Very Fine, attractive use during first six months Federal occupation E. 200-300
- 3086 ☒ **"U.S. Ship Relief, in Mobile Bay, June 12, 1867".** Dateline on folded letter, accompanied by cover with 3c Rose (65) cancelled by cork, "Mobile Ala. Jun. 13" circular datestamp to Johnson Vt., Very Fine, scarce usage.....*Not illustrated* E. 200-300
- 3087 ☒ **U.S. Navy Gulf Blockading Squadron — The Gustavus R. B. Horner Correspondence.** 37 covers addressed to Surgeon Horner U.S.N., 1861-65 during active duty with the Gulf Blockading Squadron, most with detailed addresses, excellent variety incl. O.B. frank from Judge Advocate, congressional frank, 3c 1857 & 1861 frankings, Bureau of Medicine & Surgery O.B. handstamps, some carried by courier, all neatly docketed and most opened with care, a fascinating group with good research/exhibit potential*Not illustrated* E. 750-1,000

GROUP LOTS

- 3088 ☒ **Slave-Carried Covers.** 16 folded covers or envelopes to places in Virginia or Maryland, all carried outside the mails by slaves with endorsements such as “*Moses. With a trunk*”, “*By Jack. Let him pass*”, “*Per Banks. Banks carries down the articles you wished Violet to send down*”, “*By her man Turner with cart, mules &c &c*”, “*By Mrs. Brainham’s Servant Adam Let him Pass & Repass*”, “*By Man Turner with Cart, & 2 Other servants Lindsay & Julia*”, all in excellent condition, the mentioned endorsements are very unusual..... E. 500-750
- 3089 ☒ **Confederate States Covers.** Archival accumulation of approximately 200 covers from several correspondences, tremendous variety, a quick perusal yields the following items of merit: U.S. 3c Star Die with Paid 5; ms. “Telegraph” endorsed covers; military addresses and soldiers’ endorsements; postmasters’ free franks; lots of General Issues, mainly Nos. 7, 11 and 12, but incl. No. 10 Frameline (cut in); semi-official imprints; ms. “Due 2” rates; turned covers; patriotics; post-war mourning covers addressed by Varina Davis; dozens and dozens of other interesting covers, which, despite opening faults and typical rough condition, form an offering that is better than some Confederate collections we’ve seen; a great opportunity for the collector who knows his stuff or the retail/eBay dealer who needs lots of \$50-100 retail covers..... E. 3,000-4,000
- 3090 ☒ **Confederate Covers.** 28 items, incl. few unused semi-officials, Raleigh Provisional handstamp, one with pair of No. 1, also No. 2, pair of No. 4, No. 5, No. 9, mixed condition with most faulty, still a useful group E. 500-750
- 3091 ☒ **Confederate Covers.** Twelve, incl. ten with Nos. 11 and 12, range of usages incl. two with part imprints, one with ms. “O.B.”, one with “Missent”, one with “Free” handstamp, one turned usage, one with pair of No. 7 affixed over U.S. 3c No. 65, generally faulty but overall an interesting group E. 500-750
- 3092 ★ **Confederate States.** Collection and accumulation of well over 100 items arranged on stock pages, includes Postmasters’ Provisionals with Nos. 4X1, 26X1, 56X1, 56X2, and four different between 62X1/62X5, the General Issues are complete and mostly unused less the frame line No. 10, there is an attractive pair and strip of three of no. 4, some duplication of the more common material and there are a few blocks of four or larger, lastly there is a nice assortment of fakes and fantasies, typical mixed condition, still a desirable lot E. 2,000-3,000
- 3093 ☒ **Cover Balance.** Album of mostly Confederate covers, incl. No. 5, few with No. 1, few turned usages, mostly defective but few appear Fine-Very Fine E. 500-750
- 3094 ☒ **Civil War Postal History.** Binder filled with Confederate and Union material, C.S.A. incl. Postmasters’ Provisionals Nos. 68XU1 and 77XU1, unused C.S.A. Patriotics, general issues covers Nos. 1, 2, 6, 7, 11 and 12, turned U.S./C.S.A. usage, Union part incl. some 3c 1861 covers and mixed group of used Patriotics, few appear Fine..... E. 750-1,000
- 3095 **Civil War-Related Documents.** Three, incl. honorable discharge with printed Stanton and Lincoln signatures, one signed by Adjutant-General of Ohio, last is from Bureau of Pensions with handstamped signatures, generally Fine-Very Fine E. 150-200
- 3096 **Confederate Ephemera.** Six contemporary printed forms and notices, 15 printed souvenir covers from C.S.A. Veteran reunions plus a dozen or so souvenir cards etc. from gatherings, many colorful reminders of the “War of Northern Aggression”.. E. 200-300
- 3097 ☒ **Howell Cobb.** Four related items, incl. letter with cover to Cobb as Speaker from the Treasury Dept. (which he later headed), another to Cobb at Speaker from the Post Office Dept., another to Cobb sent via Confederate postal system, last is American Telegraph Co. cover and contents asking for election results (does not specifically refer to Cobb), Fine-Very Fine group..... E. 200-300
- 3098 **Confederate States \$100.00 Note.** Issued on Feb. 17, 1864 and with approximately **nine signatures on back**, mostly from Confederate Navy surgeons, minor edgewear, Very Fine E. 500-750

END OF SALE — THANK YOU