Census of Hallettsville, Texas, Confederate Postmasters' Provisionals Compiled by Francis J. Crown, Jr.

Description and Notes



HAL-TX-A01
The Hallettsville Provisional

The Hallettsville provisional was prepared by handstamping the office postmark with the date logos replaced by "10 / PAID" on blue ruled paper. The "10 / PAID" was inverted when placed in the postmark.

There is only one recorded example of the Hallettsville provisional and it is on cover.

Count of the Hallettsville provisionals

Provisional	CSA Cat No	Scott Cat No	Covers
10c black on gray blue	HAL-TX-A01	37X1	1

Mini Census of the Hallettsville, Texas Provisional Covers

10c black on gray blue *** HAL-TX-A01 (37X1)

Pmk Date		Prov Posn	Addressee	Town	State	CN
21 Aug [1863\	LL	UR	Stephen Crosby	Austin	TX	001

Full Census of Hallettsville, Texas, Postmasters' Provisionals

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Hallettsville, Texas *** 10c black on gray blue *** HAL-TX-A01 (37X1)

21 Aug [1863]

Description: Black "HALLETTSVILLE / TEX." postmark LL.

Adhesive provisional pen cancelled at UR.

Folded letter datelined 1863.

Address: Stephen Crosby / Comss of Genl. Land Office

Austin / Texas

Provenance: Caspary, Kirkman, Hill, Erivan.

Source: PF-6653; CSX-Hill(Aug1996)-85; HRH-

5Mar1956(989)-145; HRH-1Mar1962(1423)-922;

HRH-10Dec2019(3030)-63*. [001]

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