

Census of Carolina City, NC, Postmaster's Provisionals

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Description



The 5-cent black Carolina provisional (left) and control marking (right)
CAR-NC-E01

The Carolina City provisional was prepared by stamping envelopes with a typeset “PAID / 5” marking and adding a straight-line “Carolina City, N. C” typeset control marking.

Carolina City used several different crude markings on stampless covers. Many times, these markings are erroneously considered provisional markings. Only those covers bearing the control marking illustrated above are considered provisionals. For more information see Reference in Notes.

NOTE: The inclusion of an item in this census is not a guarantee of authenticity.

Count of the 5-cent black Carolina City provisionals

Provisional	CSA Cat No	Scott Cat No	Covers	Total
5c black	CAR-NC-E01	118XU1	2	2

Notes

Reference

Tony Crumbley, "To be, or NOT to be? The Carolina City Provisional," *Confederate Philatelist* 32:4 (July/August 1987): 3-9.

Mini Census of Carolina City, North Carolina, Provisionals

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
5c black -- CAR-NC-E01 (118XU1)				
7 Oct [1861]	Mr J. W Sanders esq / Amity Hill / Iredell Co / N. C.	CL	UR	002
7 Oct [1861]	Thos C Dixon Esqr / Sandy Grove / Chatham / N C	UR	UC	001

Full Census of Carolina City, North Carolina, Provisionals

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7 Oct [1861]

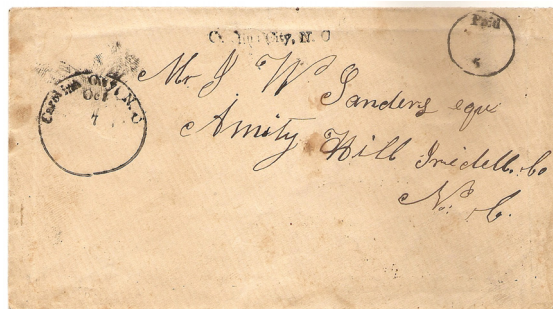
Description: "Carolina City, N. C" postmark CL, provisional marking UR. Control marking UC.

Address: Mr J. W Sanders esq / Amity Hill / Iredell Co / N. C.

Provenance: Crumbley.

Source: CWPSX-Curmbley(Jan2020)-3*. [002]

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7 Oct [1861]

Description: "Carolina City, N. C" postmark UR, provisional marking UC. Control marking UL.

Address: Thos C Dixon Esqr / Sandy Grove / Chatham / N C

Provenance: Everett, A Hall.

Source: RAS-30Oct1993(754)-122; RAS-30Oct1993(795)-320. [001]

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