Census of Eatonton, Georgia, Postmaster's Provisionals

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Description







EAT-GA-E01

EAT-GA-E02

EAT-GA-E03

The Eatonton Provisionals

The E01 provisional was prepared by replacing the date logos in an office postmark with a "5" and handstamping envelopes with the device and a "PAID" marking.

The E02 provisional was prepared by handstamping envelopes with the E01 device and then handstamping a "5" marking twice to the left of the E01 marking to indicate a 10c rate

The E03 provisional was prepared by handstamping envelopes with a "PAID" and "10" marking. The same combination of markings was used on stampless covers. This marking is a provisional only when unused, mailed from another town or under a postally used general issue.

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

Count of the Eatonton provisionals

Provisional	CSA Cat No	Scott Cat No	Covers
5c black	EAT-GA-E01	23XU1	2
5c black revalued "10" (ms)	EAT-GA-E01a	23XU1a	1
10c black (5 + 5)	EAT-GA-E02	23XU2	4
10c black	EAT-GA-E03		1

Notes

Reference

Dietz, August, ed. "Eatonton, Geo. – A Hand-Stamped Provisional." *Southern Philatelist* 2:3 (January 1925 [1926]): 47.

Mini Census of Eatonton, Georgia, Provisionals

Pmk Date	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>	
5c black EAT-GA-E01 (23XU1)					
28 Aug [1861]	Miss Lizzie P Coltran / Mill Way P O / Abbeville Dist / S Carolina	UC	UR	800	
10 Dec [1861]	Miss Alabama T Senter / Porterville / Decalb [Dekalb] County / Ala	UC	UC-UR	001	
5c black revalued 10c (ms) EAT-GA-E01a					
12 [1861]	Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd Regiment Geo Volunteers / Portsmouth / Virginia	UC	UC-UR	002	
10c black ("5" struck twice) EAT-GA-E02 (23XU2)					
18 Jun [1861]	Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd. Regiment Georgia / Portsmouth / Virginia	UC	UR	003	
21 Jun 1861	Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd Regiment Georgia Volunteers / Portsmouth Virginia	UL	UC-UR	006	
21 Jun 1861	Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd Regiment Georgia Volunteers / Portsmouth / Virginia	UC	UC-UR	004	
26 Jun 1861	Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd Regiment Georgia Volunteers / Portsmouth / Virginia	UL	UC-UL	005	
10c black EAT-GA-E03					
No Postmark	Mrs Samuel Carter / Milledgeville / Ga		UR	007	

Full Census of Eatonton, Georgia, Provisionals

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5c black -- EAT-GA-E01 (23XU1)

28 Aug [1861]

Description: "EATONTON / GA." double circle postmark UC,

provisional marking UR.

Address: Miss Lizzie P Coltran / Mill Way P O / Abbeville

Dist / S Carolina

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: WAF-(188)14Nov1989-22. [008]

Image Credit: Private.



10 Dec [1861]

Description: Black "EATONTON / GA." double circle postmark

UC, provisional marking UC-UR. Docketed "Care

of Col S F Senter at LL.

Address: Miss Alabama T Senter / Porterville / Decalb

[Dekalb] County / Ala

Provenance: Hessel, Ballard, Warren, Doma.

Source: PF-512854*; HRH-21Oct1975-171; HRH-

22Jul1976-1226; SR-25Apr2009(34)-2655*; SR-27Apr2013)(53)-4212*; RJF-27Nov2018-2014*.

[001]

Image Credit: Schuyler Rumsey Auctions.



5c black revalued 10c (ms) -- EAT-GA-E01a

12 --- [1861]

Description: Black "EATONTON / GA." double circle postmark

UC, provisional marking UC-UR.

Address: Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd Regiment

Geo Volunteers / Portsmouth / Virginia

Provenance: Kimmel, Agre, Warren.

Source: RAS-18May1976(492)-584; RAS-25Sep2002(850)-

5693; SR-27Apr2013(53)-4212*. [002]

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10c black ("5" struck twice) -- EAT-GA-E02 (23XU2)

18 Jun [1861]

Description: Black "EATONTON / GA." double circle year

dated postmark UC, provisional marking UR.

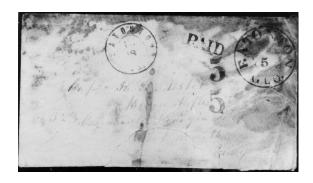
Address: Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd. Regiment

Georgia ---- / Portsmouth / Virginia

Provenance: Carnahan.

Source: SPB-9Mar1978-2038. [003]

Image Credit: Private.



21 Jun 1861

Description: "EATONTON / GA." double circle year dated

postmark UL, provisional marking UC-UR.

Address: Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd Regiment

Georgia Volunteers / Portsmouth Virginia

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Provenance: Ashbrook, Carnahan.

Source: EJF- 8Oct1958-591; SPB-9Mar1978-2037; APB-

22May1981-591. [006]

Image Credit: American Philatelic Brokers (auctions).



21 Jun 1861

Description: Black "EATONTON / GA." double circle year

dated postmark UC, provisional marking UC-UR.

Year date illegible

Address: Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd Regiment

Georgia Volunteers / Portsmouth / Virginia

Provenance: Mueller, Ballard, Warren.

Source: BWB-14May1976(31)-66; SR-25Apr2009(34)-

2656*; SR-27Apr2013(53)-4214*. [004]

Image Credit: Schuyler Rumsey Auctions.



26 Jun 1861

Description: Black "EATONTON / GA." double circle year

dated postmark UL, provisional marking UC-UL.

Address: Capt. R. B. Nisbet / Brown Rifles / 3rd Regiment

Georgia Volunteers / Portsmouth / Virginia

Provenance: Erivan.

Source: RAS-10Apr1997(787)-3214; HRH-

10Dec2020(3039-4)-59*. [005]

Image Credit: HR Harmer Auctions.



10c black -- EAT-GA-E03

No Postmark

Description: Provisional marking UR. Docketed "Goodness of

/ Lieut J R Fair" at LL. Letter carried outside the

mail.

Address: Mrs Samuel Carter / Milledgeville / Ga

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: CWPAS--02953. [007]

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