

Census of Forsyth, Georgia, Postmaster's Provisionals

Compiled by Francis J. Crown, Jr.

Description



FOR-GA-E01



FOR-GA-E02

The Forsyth Provisionals

The two types of Forsyth provisionals were prepared as woodcuts and then handstamped on envelopes. All known examples are under postally used stamps.

These markings are most certainly stampless markings and are only considered provisionals when unused, postally used 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 5-cent Forsyth provisionals

Provisional	CSA Cat No	Scott Cat No	Covers
5c black	FOR-GA-E02	120XU1	1
5c black	FOR-GA-E02	120XU2	1

Notes

Reference

Crown, Frank [Francis J., Jr.] and McCary Ballard. "A Fourth Handstamped Paid Marking from Forsyth, Georgia." *Confederate Philatelist* 50:1 (January-March 2005): 29-30.

Mini Census of Forsyth, Georgia, Provisionals

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
10c black under postally used general issue -- FOR-GA-E01a				
Illegible Date	Executive Department / Milledgeville / Ga	UR	UR	001
10c black under postally used general issue -- FOR-GA-E02a				
-- May [186-]	C. W. Brown R. R. A / Barnesville / Geo	UR	UR	002

Full Census of Forsyth, Georgia, Provisionals

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10c black under postally used general issue -- FOR-GA-E01a

Illegible Date

Description: Black "FORSYTH / GEO." postmark UR, provisional marking UR. Stamp that was over provisional markings is no longer with the cover. Docketed across left end "Election Returns / for J. P. In / Monroe Co"

Address: Executive Department / Milledgeville / Ga

Provenance: Solomon, Haas, Ballard.

Source: JAF-9Jul1863(295)-1290; JWK-14Nov1981(78)-40; RCF-22Feb1986(27)-172*; SR-25Apr2009(34)-2657*. [001]

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10c black under postally used general issue -- FOR-GA-E02a

-- May [186-]

Description: Black "FORSYTH / GEO." postmark UR, provisional marking UR. Stamp folded back to reveal the provisional marking.

Address: C. W. Brown R. R. A / Barnesville / Geo

Provenance: Ballard, Ozarks.

Source: CWPAS-05592*; SR-25Apr2009(34)-2658*; RAS-28Sep2021(1241)-1279*. [002]

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