

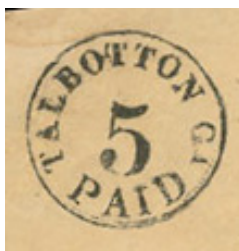
Census of Talbotton, Georgia, Postmaster's Provisionals

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Description



TAL-GA-E01



TAL-GA-E02



TAL-GA-E03

The Talbotton Provisionals

The E01 provisional was prepared by handstamping envelopes with a Talbotton integral “PAID” marking without rate.

The E02 and E03 markings were prepared by handstamping envelopes with a Talbotton integral “PAID” marking and separating handstamping a “5” or “10” rate marking inside. Because the rates were handstamped separately they have no fixed position in the marking.

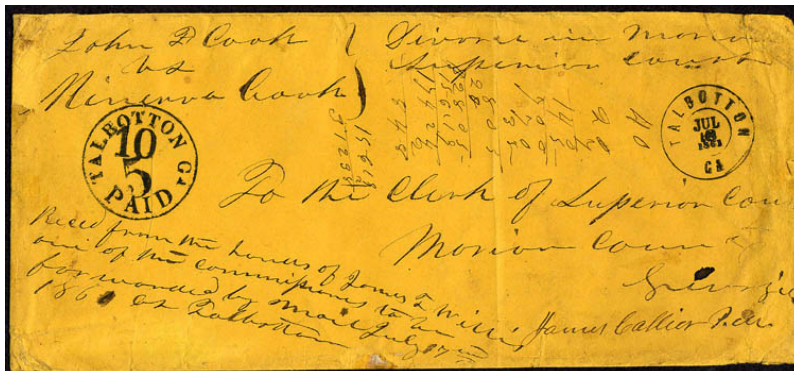
NOTE: The inclusion of an item in this census is not a guarantee of authenticity.

Count of the Talbotton provisionals

| Provisional | CSA Cat No | Scott Cat No | Covers |
|------------------------------|-------------|--------------|--------|
| No value | TAL-GA-E01a | | 1 |
| 5c black | TAL-GA-E02 | 94XU1 | 9 |
| 5c black revalued “10” | TAL-GA-E02a | 94XU1a | 1 |
| 10c black | TAL-GA-E03 | 94XU2 | 25 |
| 10c black revalued “15” (ms) | TAL-GA-E03x | | 1 |

Notes

The 5 + 10 Cover

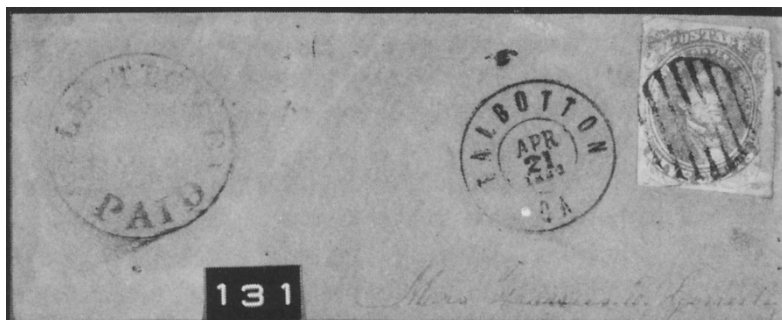


The cover above is listed in the CSA Catalog as a 15c provisional (TAL-GA-E04), but is it? The date of use is July 1861. At this time, the rate was 5c per half ounce. The letter obviously contained legal documents and was overweight. In this case it required triple the normal 5c postage. It is unlikely a 15c provisional had been prepared because it was not a normal rate. To indicate the postage paid the clerk stamped the cover with the integral “PAID” marking that was also used for provisionals. The rate was added separately by carefully handstamping a “5” and “10” inside the marking. Since this would have been done at the time of mailing this is not a provisional cover, it is a stampless cover. This cover is not included in the census. For more information see Ballard in “References.”

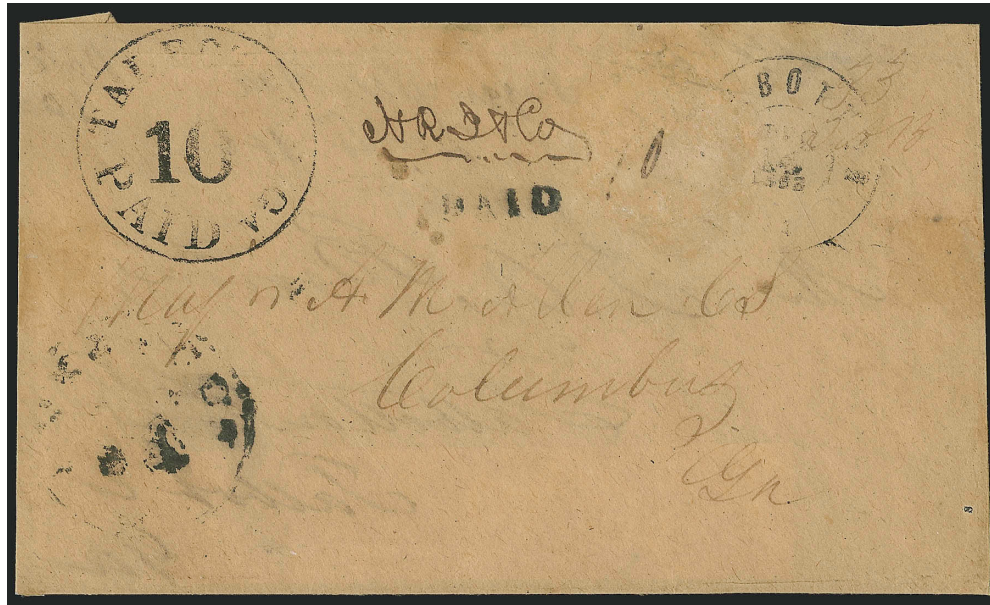
Problematic Uses

A summary of Talbotton problematic uses is at the end of this section

Provisional with No Value – The provisional marking on the cover below appears to have no value. Was the rate marking so weak it could not be read, or was it erased? The use of the 5c green stamp on the cover is an indication the rate marking may have been extremely weak or non-existent. However, the grid cancel does not tie the stamp to the cover so did the stamp originate on the cover? If the stamp did not originate, the cover may have been a provisional circular. The real answer will probably never be known. This cover is included in the census (E01a, 21Apr1862, CN-007).



The Puzzling Turned Cover – The cover below is a puzzle. The best description of the cover as put together from two auction descriptions and the files of the Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service is as follows. Note the sources do not always agree on the dates and other details so the information given represents a consensus of these details.

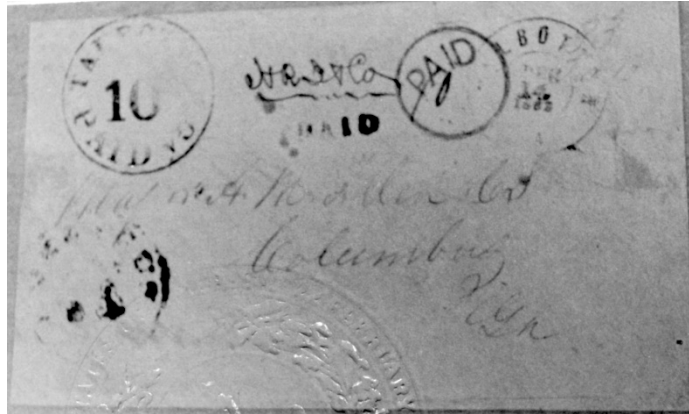


The inside use is from Suggsville, Alabama, to Talbotton, Georgia, and bears a 4 December 1863 Suggsville manuscript postmark and matching "Paid 10 cts." The outside use is from Talbotton to Columbus, Georgia, and bears a 14 December 1863 postmark and the Talbotton "PAID 10" provisional marking. What is not explained the postmark at lower left and the handstamped "PAID" and manuscript "10" markings above the address panel. At one time there was also a fraudulent circled "PAID" marking that was removed between November 1973 and September 1986 (see images below).

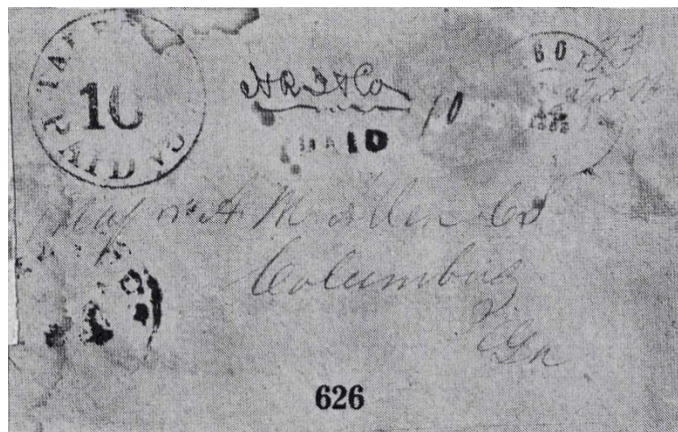
If the illegible postmark at lower left and the "PAID" and manuscript "10" markings are ignored this would be a normal provisional use. The postmark at lower left is probably that of Americus, Georgia, and the "PAID" marking may also be an Americus marking. Was the letter put in the wrong mailbag at Talbotton and ended up in Americus? If so there should be a missent marking and there would be no reason for the "PAID" and "10" markings. Another explanation is that the letter originally was delivered to the addressee at Columbus. It was then carried to Americus by someone who then reused the cover and sent it back to the addressee at Columbus. In this case why were the Talbotton markings not lined through. We will probably never know the real story behind this cover.

The cover received a good certificate from the Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service (01829). It is included in this census (E03, 14Dec1863, CN-038). In addition to the files of the Civil War Authentication Service, the following auction catalogs were referenced: Richard C. Frajola, 14 September 1986 (#29), and Robert A. Siegel. 24 June 2015 (#1104).

Cover with
circled "PAID"



Cover with
circled "PAID"
removed



The 15c Cover – This cover is an anomaly (see image next page). It is a legal size cover that contained a will. The filing notation is 1863, but the letter was mailed in March 1862, if the "15" notation at upper right is a rate.

There are three possible scenarios. The provisional envelope was taken to the post office out of concern it was overweight. There it was determined it required 15c postage and the "15" notation added at upper right instead of revaluing the provisional. The second is much like the first except the letter was dropped in the post office box. On sorting the mail, the clerk noted the letter was over-weight and marked it with the correct rate – 15. The additional postage was then charged to the account of the legal firm which was probably well known. Finally, there is the possibility the letter was mailed and the 10c provisional accepted as postage. On receipt the "15" was added by the recipient as some sort of docketing. The first two cases also beg the question why wasn't a paid marking added?

This cover received a good certificate from the Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service (04305). It is included in the census (E03x, 24Mar[1862], 027).



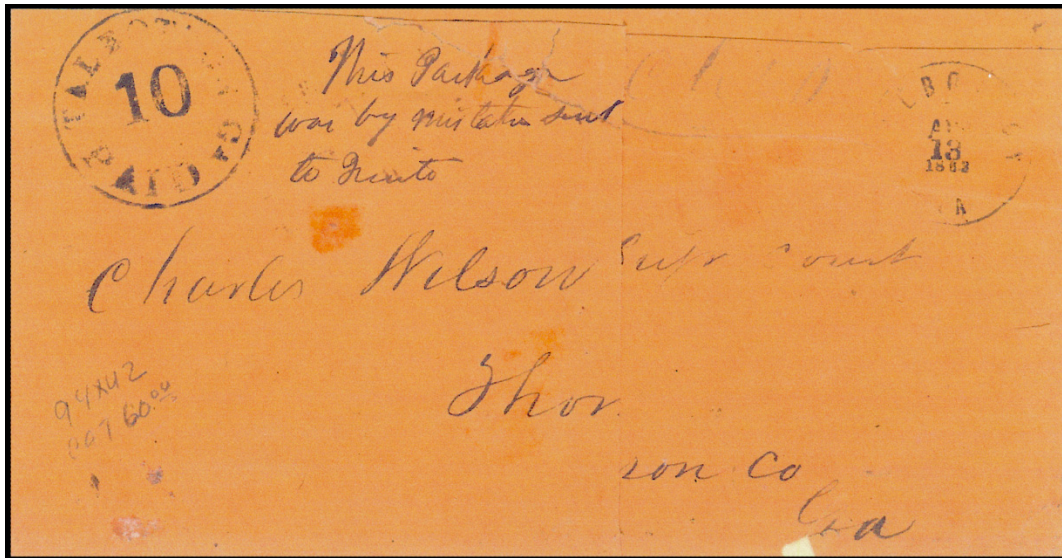
“Paid” Covers – Three covers have a manuscript “Paid / 5” or “Paid” marking in what appears to be the same hand as the address. The markings on these covers may indicate the amount of postage a servant who took the letters to the post office was to pay. This was a method used to ensure servants did not steal some of the money. If this were the case with these three covers they would be stampless covers instead of provisionals. Since there is no proof a servant carried them they are included in the census (E02, 6Sep1861, CN-009; E02, 17Sep1861, CN-010; and E03, 16Jun1863, CN-015).

Adversity Covers – Adversity covers were prepared by hand from book or ledger pages, documents, or of from previously used covers. It is difficult to image that such a cover would be taken to post office for application of a provisional marking and taken back home for later use. More likely they were probably used immediately on preparation and thus stampless covers. However, some adversity covers could have been prepared, handstamped with a provisional marking and saved for later use as a provisional. Adversity covers are included in the census.

Folded Letters – Folded letters were made from large sheets of paper folded to letter size. Were the sheets pre-folded as envelopes or were they full sheets when stamped with the provisional marking? Or were the folded letters presented at the post office for payment of postage at time of mailing (stampless covers) Since we don’t know the answer, these covers are included in the census.

Charge Box Markings – There are seven letters with charge box markings in one form or another. Provisional covers with charge box markings are suspicious as the notation was usually applied to stampless letters. For information on both sides of this issue see Crown, and Roth and Kimbrough in “References.” All covers with charge box markings are included in this census.

“This Package” – The notation at upper center on this cover is unusual and may indicate it was a “stampless use” on a package instead of a provisional use (see image below). This is reinforced by the cover being cut in half and rejoined with a portion of the middle missing. However, part of the address is to a court, so it is assumed the “package” contained legal documents and may have been a letter and not a “package” in the strict sense of the word. This cover is included in the census (E03, 13Aug1862, CN-026).



References

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Summary of Problematic Uses - Talbotton, Georgia

The purpose of this summary is only to point out potential problems with some covers. It is not an indictment of any specific cover. It is left to the user to make thier own determination as the provisonal status of a particular cover.

| <u>Type</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>CN</u> | <u>Remarks</u> |
|-------------|---------------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| E01a | 21 Apr 1862 | 007 | No value in provisional marking. |
| E02 | 11 Jul 1861 | 005 | Folded letter. |
| E02 | 6 Sep 1861 | 009 | Docketed: "Paid / 5" UC-UR. |
| E02 | 17 Sep 1861 | 010 | Docketed "Paid / 5" at UL. |
| E02 | 12 Dec 1861 | 018 | Adversity cover. |
| E02a | 3 Oct 1861 | 013 | Docketed "Charge 49" at UL. |
| E03 | 16 Jun 1862 | 015 | Docketed "Paid" at UR. |
| E03 | 13 Apr 1863 | 026 | Cover cut in half and rejoined, |
| E03 | 22 Apr 1863 | 034 | Docketed "ch 20" at UR. |
| E03 | 18 Nov 1863 | 037 | Docketed "Chag T. R. L." at UR. |
| E03 | 14 Dec 1863 | 001 | Turned cover partially restored. |
| E03 | 15 Jan 1864 | 030 | Docketed "Chg Box 21" at UR. |
| E03 | 8 Mar 1864 | 033 | Docketed "Ch 61" at UR. |
| E03 | 30 May 1864 | 031 | Docketed "chg. box 25" at UL. |
| E03 | 23 Sep 1864 | 012 | Adversity cover. |
| E03 | 9 May [186-] | 004 | Docketed "Chg W R G" at UL. |
| E03x | 24 Mar [1862] | 027 | 15c rate. |

Mini Census of Talbotton, Georgia, Provisionals

| <u>Pmk Date</u> | <u>Address</u> | <u>PmkPos</u> | <u>PrvPos</u> | <u>CN</u> |
|--|---|---------------|---------------|-----------|
| No value with postally used general issue --TAL-GA-E01a | | | | |
| 21 Apr 1862 | Mrs --- E. Geormley / --- | UC | UL | 007 |
| 5c black -- TAL-GA-E02 (94XU1) | | | | |
| 11 Jul 1861 | To / Mr A. Huff / Macon / Ga. | UR | UC-UL | 005 |
| 19 Jul 1861 | Mr. W. P. Goodall / Macon / Georgia | UR-UC | UL | 006 |
| 29 Jul 1861 | Mr. F. D. Walker / Cotton Valley / Ala | UR | UL | 008 |
| 6 Sep 1861 | Mrs. George T. Jackson. / Augusta. / Ga. | UR | UL | 009 |
| 17 Sep 1861 | Mrs. George T. Jackson. / Augusta. / Ga. | UR | UL | 010 |
| 7 Oct 1861 | Miss Melvina Owen / Thomaston / Upson Coun / Georgia. | UL | CL-LL | 017 |
| 12 Dec 1861 | Mrs. Eliza T Newton / Athens / Geo. | UR | UL | 018 |
| 21 Apr 1862 | Hon. A. H. Stephens / Crawfordville / Georgia | UR | UL | 025 |
| 10 Jun 1862 | Miss E Geormley / Randolph Co / Cuthbert / Geo | UR | UL-LC | 016 |
| 5c black revalued "10" -- TAL-GA-E02a (94XU1a) | | | | |
| 3 Oct 1861 | Miss Mary V Ward / Care of Rev Wm N Ward / Tappahannock / Virginia | UR | UC-UL | 013 |
| 10c black -- TAL-GA-E03 (94XU2) | | | | |
| 14 Feb 1862 | Hon. Alexander H. Stephens / Richmond / Virginia | UR | UL-CL | 019 |
| 5 Apr 1862 | Miss Mary V. Ward. / Care of Rev W N Ward. Maj of 55th / Virginia Reg / Tappahannock / Virginia | UR | UL | 024 |
| 16 Jun 1862 | Hon Alexander H Stephens / Vice President of the C. S. A. / Richmond / Virginia. | UR | UL | 015 |
| 4 Sep 1862 | Hon. A. H. Stephens / Richmond / Virginia | UR | UL | 023 |
| 7 Nov 1862 | John Glymph / Glymphville /Newberry Distr. / So. Car. | LL | UL | 020 |
| 20 --- 1862 | Mrs India Diering [Dearing] / Corinton [Covington]/ Ga | UR | UL | 014 |

| <u>Pmk Date</u> | <u>Address</u> | <u>PmkPos</u> | <u>PrvPos</u> | <u>CN</u> |
|-----------------|---|---------------|---------------|-----------|
| 19 Jan 1863 | Mrs Indianna Dearing / Corinton [Covington] / Georgia | CR | UL | 022 |
| 28 Feb 1863 | R. A. Mathews. / Richmond / Va. | UR-CR | UL | 021 |
| 10 Mar 1863 | Col. James M. Mobley / Hamilton / Ga. | UR-CR | UL | 028 |
| 13 Apr 1863 | Charles Wilson / Thor--- / ---son Co / Ga | UR | UL | 026 |
| 14 Apr 1863 | Capt. S. D. Clements / Co. F. 41st Reg. Ga. Vols. / Vicksburg / Miss. | 14 UR | UL-UC | 029 |
| 22 Apr 1863 | James W. Greene / --- | CR-UR | UL-UC | 034 |
| 27 Apr 1863 | Miss Florida Gravel / Tuskegee / Ala. | UR-CR | UL | 035 |
| 1 May 1863 | Rev T. Rambeaut L. L. D / Cassville / Ga | UR-UC | UC-UL | 036 |
| 18 Nov 1863 | Vice President Stephens / Crawfordville / Ga | UR | UL | 037 |
| 14 Dec 1863 | Major A M Allen C S / Columbus / Ga | UR | UL | 001 |
| 5 Jan 1864 | Mrs Gray Rounsaville / Summerville / Chattooga County / Georgia | UR | UL | 032 |
| 15 Jan 1864 | Dr. James Y. Gardner / Renwick Lee Co. / Georgia | UR | UL | 030 |
| 8 Mar 1864 | Galen W. Park Esq. / Greenville / Georgia | UR | UL | 033 |
| 30 May 1864 | Mr M. H. Hubert. / Barnette. / Warren County. / Ga. | UE | UL | 031 |
| 23 Sep 1864 | C. W. McFadden / Landsford / Chester / Dist / [S C] | UR | UL-CL | 012 |
| 15 Dec 1864 | Mrs E. L. Chester. / Fort Valley / Geo. | UL | LR | 011 |
| 7 Jan [186-] | Hls Excellency Joseph E Brown / Governor of Georgia / Milledgeville | UR | UL | 002 |
| 27 Mar [186-] | Mrs A E. Niles / Griffin / [Ga.] | CR | UL | 003 |
| 9 May [186-] | Capt. Geo S. F. Birdsong / Thomaston / Ga | UR | UL | 004 |

10c black revalued "15" (ms) -- TAL-GA-E03x

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|---------------|---|----|----|-----|
| 24 Mar [1862] | Dr John D Owen / Quito / Talbot Co / Ga | UR | UL | 027 |
|---------------|---|----|----|-----|

Full Census of Talbotton, Georgia, Provisionals

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No value with postally used general issue --TAL-GA-E01a

21 Apr 1862

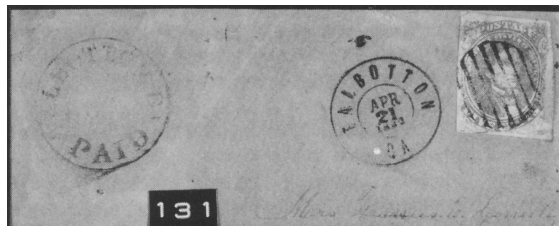
Description: Double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UC, provisional marking UL. Grid cancels 5c green (CSA #1) at UR. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: Mrs --- E. Geormley / ---

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: CWPAS-00865; JWK-10Oct1977(37)-131. [007]

Image Credit: John W Kaufmann Auctions.



5c black -- TAL-GA-E02 (94XU1)

11 Jul 1861

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UC-UL. Folded letter. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: To / Mr A. Huff / Macon / Ga.

Provenance: Hall.

Source: RAS-13Apr2000(823)-433*. [005]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



19 Jul 1861

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR-UC, provisional marking UL.

Address: Mr. W. P. Goodall / Macon / Georgia

Provenance: Stonewall, Erivan.

Source: JWK-16Oct1976(29)-529; EMC-15Apr1980-208; HRH-5Aug2017(3016)-368*. [006]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



29 Jul 1861

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Star die (3c) envelope.

Address: Mr. F. D. Walker / Cotton Valley / Ala

Provenance: Myerson, Sevenoaks.

Source: SOPH Apr1927(3:6)-118; AHA-27Jun1998(4)-186*; RAS-15Nov2000(831)-2202*. [008]

Image Credit: American Historical Auctions.



6 Sep 1861

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Mourning cover. Docketed: "Paid / 5" UC-UR. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: Mrs. George T. Jackson. / Augusta. / Ga.

Provenance: Kilbourne.

Source: RAS-28Sep1999(815)-146*. [009]

Image Credit: Private.



17 Sep 1861

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Mourning cover. Docketed "Paid / 5" at UL. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: Mrs. George T. Jackson. / Augusta. / Ga.

Provenance: Mueller, Ballard.

Source: BWB-14May1976(31)-137; SR-24Apr2009(34)-2694*. [010]

Image Credit: Private.



7 Oct 1861

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UL, provisional marking CL-LL.

Address: Miss Melvina Owen / Thomaston / Upson Coun / Georgia.

Provenance: Wishnietsky.

Source: JWK-16Oct1976(29)-530; RAS-26Feb2014(1064)-106*. [017]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



12 Dec 1861

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Adversity cover docketed "-a Callier / 9 Decbr 1861" across left end of cover and "Care Mr E L Newton" at LL-LC. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: Mrs. Eliza T Newton / Athens / Geo.

Provenance: Walcott, Rosenberg, Hill, Erivan.

Source: CSX-Hill (Aug1996)-58; RLA-23May1935-182; JWK-13Jun1981(73)-1065; RGK-18Feb1982(19)-108; HRH-10Dec2019(3030-2)-85*. [018]

Image Credit: H R Harmer Auctions.



21 Apr 1862

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. The "5" rate is very weak.

Address: Hon. A. H. Stephens / Crawfordville / Georgia

Provenance: Solomon, Agre, Walker.

Source: JWK-14Nov1981(78)-94; RAS-25Sep2002(850)-5792*; RAS-9Jun2022(1257)-2587*. [025]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



10 Jun 1862

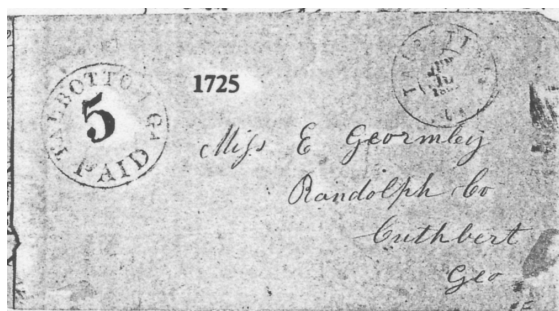
Description: Double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL-LC.

Address: Miss E Geormley / Randolph Co / Cuthbert / Geo

Provenance: .

Source: JWK-16Feb1974(13)-383; SIA-25May1990-1725. [016]

Image Credit: Steve Ivy Auctions.



5c black revalued "10" -- TAL-GA-E02a (94XU1a)

3 Oct 1861

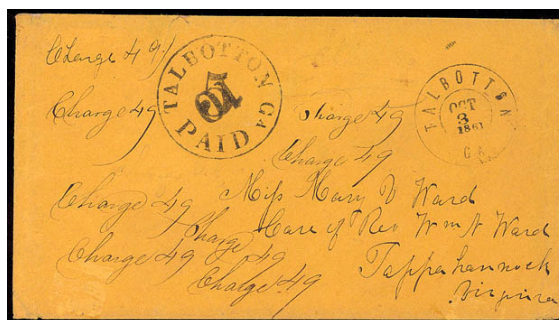
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UC-UL. Docketed "Charge 49" at UL. Marking written multiple times in a different hand. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: Miss Mary V Ward / Care of Rev Wm N Ward / Tappahannock / Virginia

Provenance: Ballard, Warren.

Source: SR-24Apr2009(34)-2696*; SR-27Apr2013(53)-4296*. [013]

Image Credit: Schuyler Rumsey Auctions.



10c black -- TAL-GA-E03 (94XU2)

14 Feb 1862

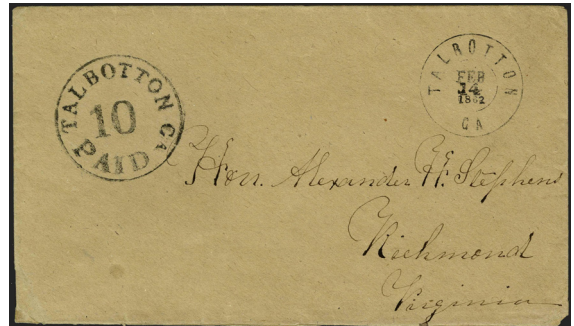
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL-CL.

Address: Hon. Alexander H. Stephens / Richmond / Virginia

Provenance: Hill, Erivan.

Source: PF-566263*; CSX-Hill(Aug 1996)-59; HRH-10Dec2019(3030-2)-86*. [019]

Image Credit: H R Harmer Auctions.



5 Apr 1862

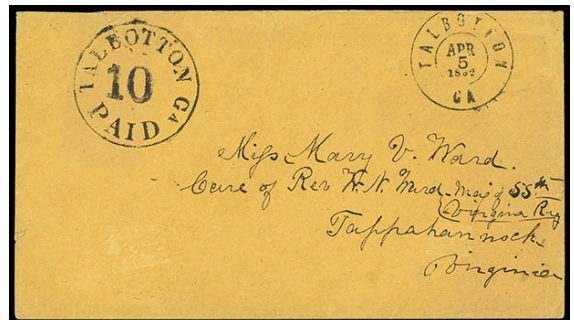
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL.

Address: Miss Mary V. Ward. / Care of Rev W N Ward. Maj of 55th / Virginia Reg / Tappahannock / Virginia

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: RGK-14Sep1990(69)-168*; CHR- 13Oct1989-1313; SR-26Apr2018(78)-2057*. [024]

Image Credit: Schuyler Rumsey Auctions.



16 Jun 1862

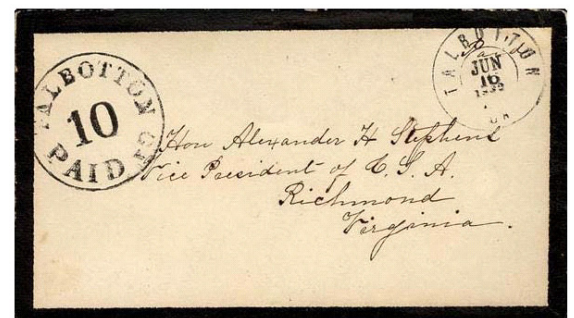
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Mourning cover. Docketed "Paid" at UR. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: Hon Alexander H Stephens / Vice President of the C. S. A. / Richmond / Virginia.

Provenance: Ballard, Sharrer.

Source: PF-477517*; SR-24Apr2009(34)24Apr2009-2695*; RAS-10Dec2012(1035)-87*. [015]

Image Credit: Private.



4 Sep 1862

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL.

Address: Hon. A. H. Stephens / Richmond / Virginia

Provenance: Solomon.

Source: JWK-14Nov1981(78)-95; SR-17Nov2009(35)-2862*; SR-23Sep2016(71)-2061*. [023]

Image Credit: Schuyler Rumsey Auctions.



7 Nov 1862

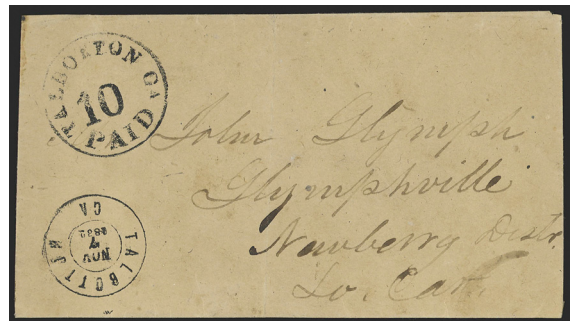
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark LL, provisional marking UL.

Address: John Glymph / Glymphville / Newberry Distr. / So. Car.

Provenance: MacBride, Kilbourne.

Source: JAF-103 20Oct1953(103)-111; JAF-26Jan1955-894; RAS-28Sep1999-147*. [020]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



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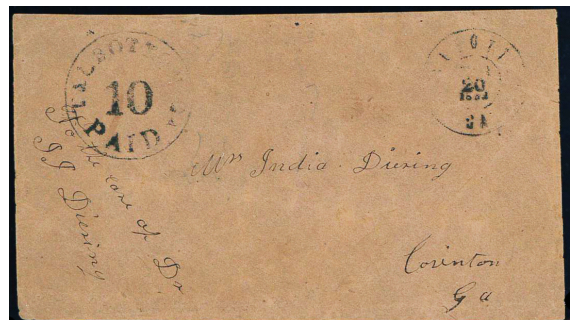
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Docketed "To the care of Dr J J Diering [Dearing] at LC-LL

Address: Mrs India Diering [Dearing] / Corinton [Covington]/ Ga

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: RGK-14Sep1990(69)-169*; RAS-15Dec2020(1230)-1509*. [014]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



19 Jan 1863

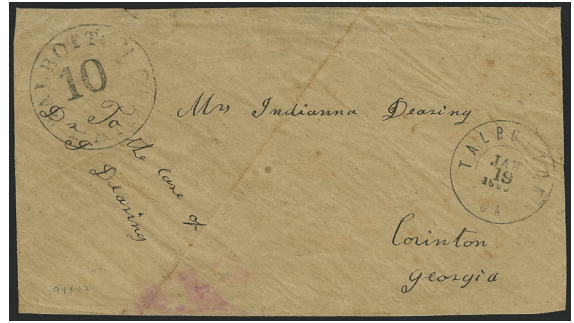
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark CR, provisional marking UL. Docketed "To the care of / Dr. J Dearing" UL-LL

Address: Mrs Indianna Dearing / Corinton [Covington] / Georgia

Provenance: Nunnelley.

Source: RAS-28Oct1997(795)-480; RAS-16Mar2006(907)-2766*. [022]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



28 Feb 1863

Description: Double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR-CR, provisional marking UL. Weak postmark. Docketed "Care of / --68 Taylor / 3rd Auditor" at LL, and filing notations across right end of cover.

Address: R. A. Mathews. / Richmond / Va.

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: National Archives. [021]

Image Credit: National Archives.



10 Mar 1863

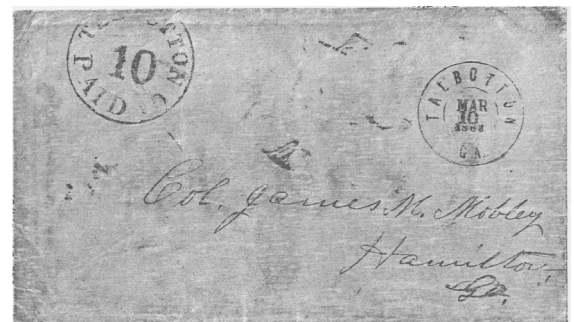
Description: Double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR-CR, provisional marking UL.

Address: Col. James M. Mobley / Hamilton / Ga.

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: JWK-25Sep1981(76)-34; JWK-12Feb1983(92)-137. [028]

Image Credit: John W Kaufmann Auctions.



13 Apr 1863

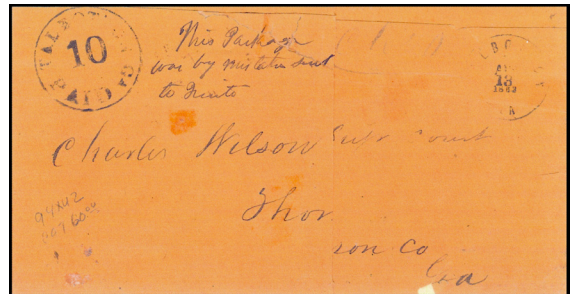
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. This cover appears to have been cut in half and rejoined with part missing from the middle. Docketed: "This Package was by mistake sent to Quinto" at UC. See "Problematic

Address: Charles Wilson / Thor--- / ---son Co / Ga

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: Private collection. [026]

Image Credit: Private.



14 Apr 1863

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark 14 UR, provisional marking UL-UC. Docketed "Bartons Brig / Stevensons Division."

Address: Capt. S. D. Clements / Co. F. 41st Reg. Ga. Vols. / Vicksburg / Miss.

Provenance: Bogg.

Source: CWPAS-02088*; RGK-28Mar1987(49)-173; RGK-3Mar1990(64)-152*. [029]

Image Credit: Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service.



22 Apr 1863

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark CR-UR, provisional marking UL-UC. Turned cover - second use from Thomaston, Georgia on 24 Apr. Docketed "ch 20" at UR. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: James W. Greene / ---

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: CWPAS-02137*; RAS-27Apr1990(723)-623; RAS-6Mar2001(834)-1055*. [034]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



27 Apr 1863

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR-CR, provisional marking UL.

Address: Miss Florida Gravel / Tuskegee / Ala.

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: CWPAS-01548*; JWK-22Jan1977(31)-88; RGK-26Feb1986(43)-586; RAS-10Jul1996(779)-406. [035]

Image Credit: Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service.



1 May 1863

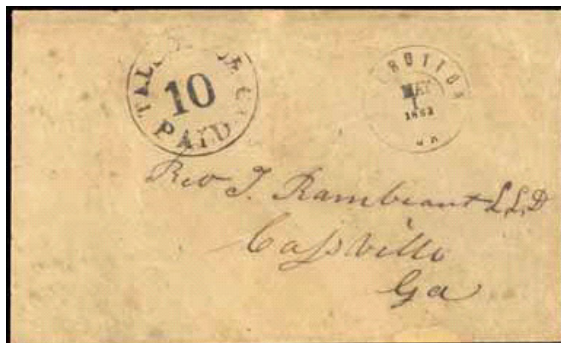
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR-UC, provisional marking UC-UL.

Address: Rev T. Rambeaut L. L. D / Cassville / Ga

Provenance: Erivan.

Source: JAF-20Oct1953(103)-111; JWK-16Oct1976(29)-531; HRH-5Aug2017(3016)-369 *. [036]

Image Credit: H R Harmer Auctions.



18 Nov 1863

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Docketed "Chag T. R. L." at UR. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: Vice President Stephens / Crawfordville / Ga

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: SR-28Apr2011(43)-402*. [037]

Image Credit: Schuyler Rumsey Auctions.



14 Dec 1863

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Turned cover partially restored. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes for more information.

Address: Major A M Allen C S / Columbus / Ga

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: CWPAS-01829*; RCF-14Sep1986(29)-626; RAS-24Jun2015(1104)-2285*. [001]

Image Credit: Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service.



5 Jan 1864

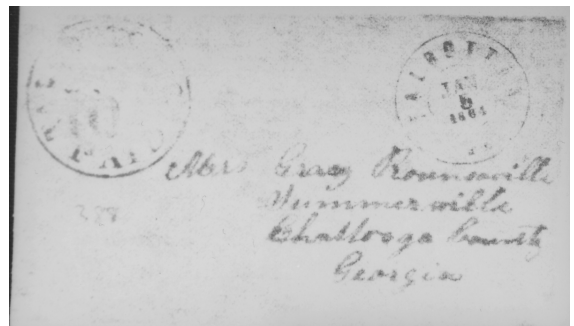
Description: Double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL.

Address: Mrs Gray Rounsaville / Summerville / Chattooga County / Georgia

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: Private collection. [032]

Image Credit: Private.



15 Jan 1864

Description: Double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Docketed "Chg Box 21" at UR. See "Problematic Uses" at Notes.

Address: Dr. James Y. Gardner / Renwick Lee Co. / Georgia

Provenance: Mueller.

Source: BWB-14May1976-136. [030]

Image Credit: Bruce W Ball Auctions.



8 Mar 1864

Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" year dated postmark UR, provisional marking UL. Docketed "Ch 61" at UR. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: Galen W. Park Esq. / Greenville / Georgia

Provenance: Beverly Hills, Agre.

Source: CWPAS-01565*; SPB-30Oct1979-577; JWK-20Feb1986(121)-62*; RAS-25Sep2002(850)-5793. [033]

Image Credit: Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service.



30 May 1864

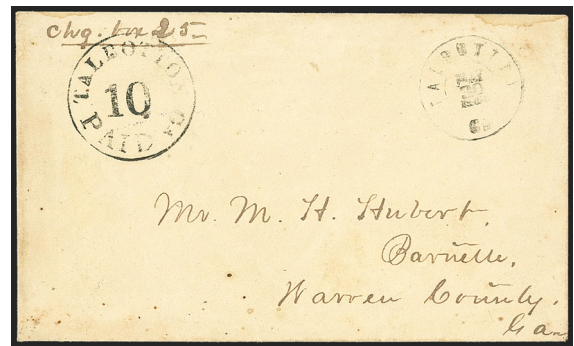
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Address: Mr M. H. Hubert. / Barnette. / Warren County. / Ga.

Provenance: Walcott, Brooks, Brandon.

Source: RLA-23May1935-183; LSA-24Apr1943(123)-152; RAS-24Jun2014(1073)-341*; RAS-15Dec2016(1146)-1631*; RAS-3Mar2017(1151)-1608*. [031]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



23 Sep 1864

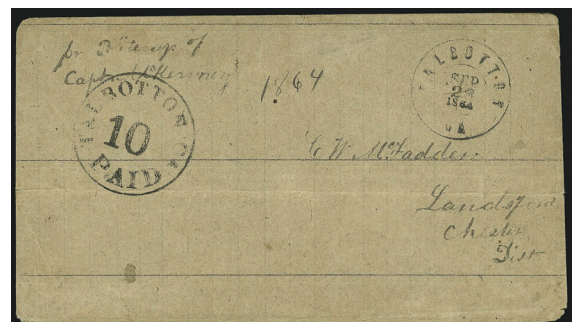
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Address: C. W. McFadden / Landsford / Chester / Dist / [S C]

Provenance: Gallagher.

Source: RAS- 9Jun1998(801)-400; RAS-16Mar2006(907)-2764*. [012]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



15 Dec 1864

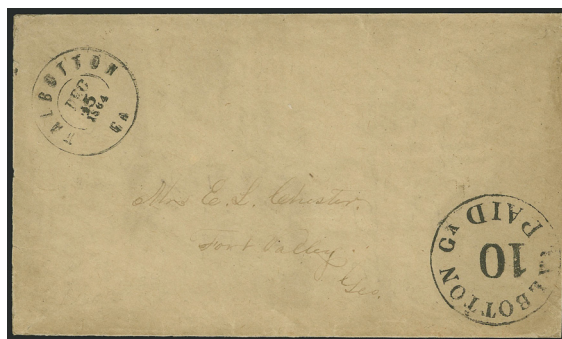
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Address: Mrs E. L. Chester. / Fort Valley / Geo.

Provenance: Haas, Carnahan, Gallagher, Warren.

Source: FPM-16625*; SPB-9Mar1978-2105; RAS-22Apr1980(561)-281; RAS- 9Jun1998(801)-399*; SR-27Apr2013(53)-4295*; RAS-16Mar2006(907)-2765*. [011]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



7 Jan [186-]

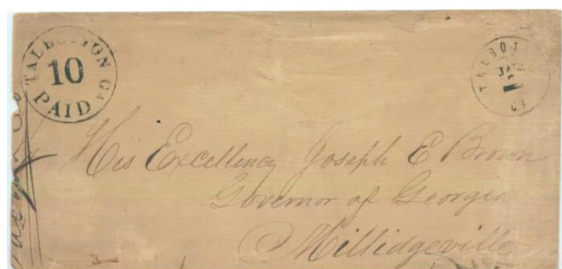
Description: Black double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" postmark with slug year date UR, provisional marking UL.

Address: His Excellency Joseph E Brown / Governor of Georgia / Milledgeville

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: AZ-15Jun1984(50)-535; RGK-10Dec1990(71)-827*; RAS-5May1995(766A)-1521; RAS-10Jul1996(779)-407. [002]

Image Credit: Private.



27 Mar [186-]

Description: Double circle "TALBOTTON / GA" postmark with slug year date CR, provisional marking UL.

Address: Mrs A E. Niles / Griffin / [Ga.]

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: DFK-22Mar2020(5092)-9080*. [003]

Image Credit: Daniel F Kelleher Auctions.



9 May [186-]

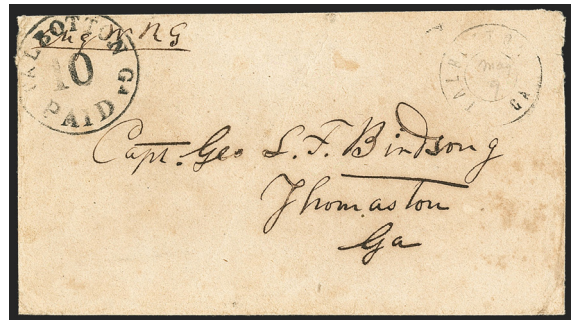
Description: Black "TALBOTTON / GA" postmark with manuscript date UR, provisional marking UL. Docketed "Chg W R G" at UL. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes.

Address: Capt. Geo S. F. Birdsong / Thomaston / Ga

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: CWPAS-06127*; RAS-22Jun2016(1132)-3215*. [004]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



10c black revalued "15" (ms) -- TAL-GA-E03x

24 Mar [1862]

Description: Black "TALBOTTON GA / PAID" postmark with manuscript date UR, provisional marking UL. Legal docketing across left half of cover. See "Problematic Uses" in Notes for more information.

Address: Dr John D Owen / Quito / Talbot Co / Ga

Provenance: Warren.

Source: CWPAS-04305*; RAS-10Jul1996(779)-408; RGK-26Feb1986(43)-587; RAS-9Dec2008(966)-2618*; SR-27Apr2013(53)-4294*. [027]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.

