

Census of Uniontown. Alabama, Postmaster's Provisionals

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Description



2c Blue
UNI-AL-A01



5c Green
UNI-AL-A03/04



10c Red
UNI-AL-A05

The Uniontown Provisionals



Position 1
C-S-A
With lattice pieces
below and lozenge
corner pieces



Position 2
C-S-A
With figure-eight
pieces below and
no lozenge corner
pieces



Position 3
-C-S-A-
With lattice pieces
below and lozenge
corner pieces



Position 4
C-S-A-
With lattice pieces
below and lozenge
corner pieces

Uniontown Settings

The four settings are similar but distinctly different from each other as noted in the illustrations above. The easiest way to identify a setting is by looking at the dashes before, between, and after the letters "C S A." They are different except for positions 1 and 2. However, position 1 has lattice pieces below the "C S A" and lozenges in the four corners while setting 2 has figure-eight pieces below the "CSA" and no lozenges in the corners.

The four settings were placed in a form 2 x 2 from which the stamps were printed in blocks of four. The position of the individual stamps in the block correspond to the position numbers.

The same four settings were used to prepare each of the three different values. The only difference was a change in the value character.

For more detailed information on the Uniontown provisionals see Reference in "Notes."

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

Count of the Uniontown provisional covers by type and position

Provisional	CSA Cat No	Scott Cat No	Pos	Covers
2c dark blue on gray blue	UNI-AL-A01	86X1	1	1
			2	1
			Total	2
5c green on gray	UNI-AL-A03	86X3	1	4
			2	4
			3	3
			4	2
			Total	13
5c dark green on white	UNI-AL-A04	86X4	1	3
			2	5
			3	4
			4	6
			Total	18
5c dark green on white, pair	UNI-AL-A04a	86X4	3, 4	1
			Total	1
5c dark green on white, embossed paper	UNI-AL-A04b	Not Listed	4	1
			Total	1
5c dark green on unknown paper	UNI-AL-A04x	–	1	2
			Total	2
10c red on dark blue	<u>UNI-AL-A05</u>	86X5	1	1
			2	3
			3	1
			4	2
			Total	7
10c red on dark blue, embossed paper	UNI-AL-A05a	Not Listed		1
			Total	1

Notes

Caveat Emptor

One should always know what they are buying. Sometimes this involves a little work. Below are two examples.

First is the Uniontown cover CN-21 (5c green on white, position 1). The figure below illustrates before and after images. The left image is from the Kirkman Sale (H R Harmer sale 1423, 1 March 1962, lot 965). The right image is from the Brandon Sale (Robert A Siegel sale 1073, 24 June 2014, lot 346). The Kirkman sale described the stamp as “uncancelled.” This was the same description as in the Caspary Sale (H R Harmer sale 989, 5 March 1956, lot 471).

However, when sold in the Brandon Sale the cover clearly shows the stamp tied to the cover by a cancel. The auction catalog describes the stamp as “tied by typically unclear ‘Uniontown Ala.’ circular datestamp.” Obviously the describer for the Brandon sale was unaware that the postmark had been added. However, the wise buyer would have found this by comparing images of the same cover from earlier sales.



Kirkman Sale – 1962



Brandon Sale – 2014

Another case is cover CN-14 (5c green on gray blue, position 4). Again the illustrations below show the before and after images. At left is an image of the stamp taken from the illustration of the Nelson find of Uniontowns (*Southern Philatelist*, March 1928, page 108). At right is an image of the stamp as it appeared in the Stonewall Sale (Edgar Mohrman sale 153, 15 April 1980, lot 210). Again it is obvious the describer was not aware that the bottom right corner had been replaced.



**Nelson Find
1928**

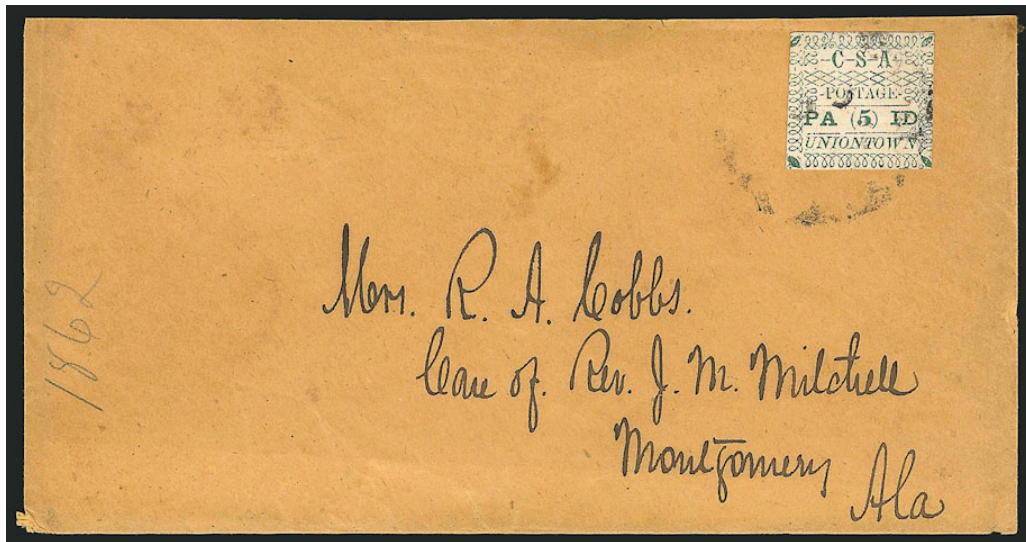


**Stonewall Sale
1980**

Identifying Uniontown Covers

The identification of Uniontown covers is difficult because very few of the postmarks have legible dates and many of the covers are addressed to the same person: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs.

Some of the covers have or had a penciled year date on the left side. Over time many of these have been erased. When known the year date is included in the description.



Example of cover with illegible postmark and penciled year date on left side (CN-026)

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- Mekeel, I. A., ed., "Confederate Provisionals for Uniontown, Ala.," *Mekeel's Weekly Stamp News* 6:20 (14 November 1895): 171.
- Shenfield, Lawrence, L., "Confederate States, The 10c Uniontown, Ala.: Census of a Rare Postmaster Provisional," *Collectors Club Philatelist* 30:1 (January 1951): 42-48.

Mini Census of Uniontown, Alabama, Provisionals

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
2c dark blue on gray, covers -- UNI-AL-A01 (86X1)				
No Postmark	Miss Margaret L. Minge / Care David Minge Esq / Union Town / Ala.		UL	001
No postmark	Miss Daisy Walthall / Uniontown / Ala		UR	002
2c dark blue on white, unused block of four -- UNI-AL-A02a (86X2)				
Unused	NA			050
5c green on gray blue, unused -- UNI-AL-A03 (86X3)				
Unused	NA			047
5c green on gray blue, unused pair -- UNI-AL-A03a				
Unused	NA			016
5c green on gray blue, used -- UNI-AL-A03 (86X3)				
Used	NA			048
Used	NA			051
Used	NA			046
5c green on gray blue, covers -- UNI-AL-A03 (86X3)				
6 Sep [1861]	Mr Stikney / --- / Marion / Ala.	UR	UR	007
-- Sep [1861]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	020
-- Nov [1861]	Mrs. C. O. Shivers. / Marion / Ala.	UR	UR	011
-- Dec [1861]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	012
-- --- [1861]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	008
-- --- [1861]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	019

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
-- --- [1861]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala.	UR	UR	013
-- Feb [1862]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs / Montgomery / Ala.	UR	UR	010
18 Mar [1862]	Mrs Porter King / Marion / Ala.	UR	UR	006
-- --- [1862]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	005
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	014
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	003
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	009

5c dark green on white, used -- UNI-AL-A04 (86X4)

Used	NA			049
Used	NA			044

5c dark green on white, covers -- UNI-AL-A04 (86X4)

27 Nov [1861]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	024
-- Nov [1861]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	022
-- Dec [1861]	Mrs R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	023
-- --- [1861]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev [Mitchell, Montgomery, Ala]	UR	UR	027
-- --- [1861]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	053
-- --- [1862]	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	026
Illegible Date	M. A. Wyatt Esq / Marion / Ala	UR	UR	018
Illegible Date	Mrs Fannie Fowler, / Demopolis, / Ala / C. S. A.	UR	UR	030

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
Illegible Date	Mrs R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	017
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	021
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	033
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	029
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	032
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	025
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	004
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala	UR	UR	028
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala.	UR	UR	015
Illegible Date	Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery Ala	UR	UR	031

5c dark green on white, pair on cover -- UNI-AL-A04a

31 Jun [1862]	Col A P Calhoun / Pendleton Village / South Carolina	UR	UR	035
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5c dark green on white, embossed paper on cover -- UNI-AL-A04b

Illegible Date	Mrs H. H. Sample / Lexington / Mississippi [Mississippi]	UR	UR	034
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5c green on unknown paper, covers -- UNI-AL-A04x

Illegible Date	Unknown	UR	UR	045
Illegible Date	Unknown	UR	UR	052

10c red on gray blue, covers -- UNI-AL-A05 (86X5)

27 Sep [1861]	--- S. Price / --- P. Office / [Westm]oreland Co. / Virginia	CTR	UR	043
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<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
27 Sep [1861]	Mr. Richmond L. Christian. / Care of Christian and Lathrop. / Richmond. / Virginia.	UR	UR	041
-- Sep [1861]	Miss Maria Louisa Kidd / Port Royal / Caroline Co. / Va	UR	UR	039
21 Apr [1862]	Col. A. P. Calhoun / Pendleton Village / South Carolina	UR	UR	038
9 Jun [1862]	Mr John D. Pitts / Co. D. 4. Regiment Ala. Vol. / Near Richmond / Virginia.	UR	UR	037
-- Jul [1862]	Col A P Calhoun / Pendleton Village / South Carolina	UR	UR	042
Illegible Date	Mrs John B. Cary / Clarkesville / Mecklenburg / Virginia	UR	UR	040

10c red on gray blue, embossed paper on cover -- UNI-AL-A05a

-2 Sep [1861]	Miss Maria. L. Kidd / Port Royal / Caroline County / Va.	UR	UR	036
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Full Census of Uniontown, Alabama, Provisionals

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2c dark blue on gray, covers -- UNI-AL-A01 (86X1)

No Postmark

Description: Uncancelled provisional UL. Docketed "Drop Letter" at UC and "Feb 14th 1862" across right end of envelope. Stamp from position 1.

Address: Miss Margaret L. Minge / Care David Minge Esq / Union Town / Ala.

Provenance: Ferrary, Caspary, Lilly, Erivan.

Source: MEKE-14Nov1895(6:20)-171; GIL-14Jun1922(98-4)-105; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-467; RAS-27Apr1967(317)-373; HRH-24Jun2022(3060-7)-117*. [001]

Image Credit: H R Harmer Auctions.



No postmark

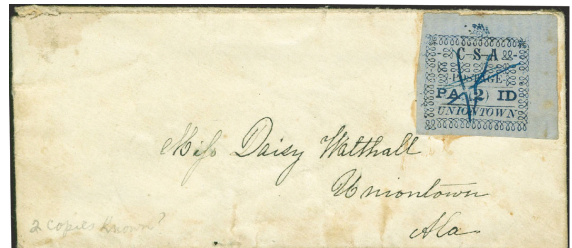
Description: Provisional pen cancelled UR. Drop letter. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Miss Daisy Walthall / Uniontown / Ala

Provenance: Hessel, Erivan, Jaretsky.

Source: CWPSX-Jaretsky(Apr2021)-42*; HRH-21Oct1975(2291)-307; HRH-22Jun2019(3026)-67*. [002]

Image Credit: H R Harmer Auctions.



2c dark blue on white, unused block of four -- UNI-AL-A02a (86X2)

Unused

Description: Provisional block of four. Stamps from positions 1, 2, 3, and 4.

Address: NA

Provenance: Kilbourne, Gross.

Source: SG-15Jul1991-1235; RAS-28Sep1999(815)-152*; SPK-19Nov2009-41*; RAS-9Sep2020(1225)-134*. [050]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



5c green on gray blue, unused -- UNI-AL-A03 (86X3)

Unused

Description: Stamp from position 2.

Address: NA

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: PF-148770, RAS-20Apr1985(645)-422*; RAS-22Jun2016(1132)-3221*. [047]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



5c green on gray blue, unused pair -- UNI-AL-A03a

Unused

Description: Provisional vertical pair. Stamps from positions 1 and 3.

Address: NA

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: PF-90888. [016]

Image Credit: Philatelic Foundation.



5c green on gray blue, used -- UNI-AL-A03 (86X3)

Used

Description: Provisional cancelled by illegible black postmark. Stamp from position 1.

Address: NA

Provenance: Ferrary, West Haven.

Source: GIL-14Jun1922(98-4)-107; JAF-26May1959-721; HRH-18Feb1963(1485)-1378; CAG-4Oct2006-453*. [048]

Image Credit: Cherrystone Auction Galleries.



Used

Description: Provisional cancelled by indistinct black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark. Stamp from position 3.

Address: NA

Provenance: Hall, Sharrer.

Source: PF-510126*; MEKE-14Nov1895(6:20)-171; RAS-17Dec2001(840)-134*' RAS-10Dec2012(1035)-88*. [051]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



Used

Description: Provisional cancelled by black marking. Stamp from position 2.

Address: NA

Provenance: Tapling.

Source: APCB-1960(26)-126; Tapling Collection (British Library)*. [046]

Image Credit: Copyright British Library (Tapling Collection).



5c green on gray blue, covers -- UNI-AL-A03 (86X3)

6 Sep [1861]

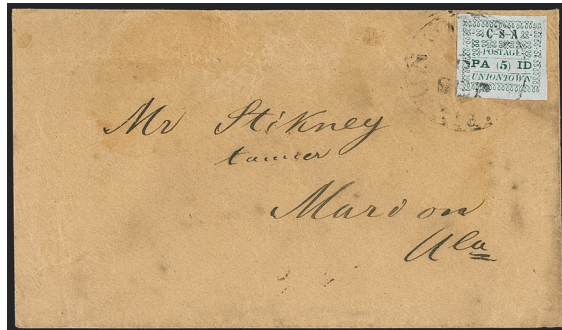
Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Mr Stikney / --- / Marion / Ala.

Provenance: Brown, Kilbourne, Clovis.

Source: CWPAS-05077*; HRL-30Oct1939-2442; RAS-28Sep1999(815)-154*; RAS-16Jun2007(937)-367*; RAS-25Sep2019(1208)-136*. [007]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



-- Sep [1861]

Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Date listed as "22? Sep" in Robert A. Siegel sale 1022. Stamp from position 1.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: MacBride, DK.

Source: PF-503975; JAF-20Oct1953(103)-73; JWK-14Nov1981(78)-93; RAS-28Mar2012(1022)-1119*. [020]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



-- Nov [1861]

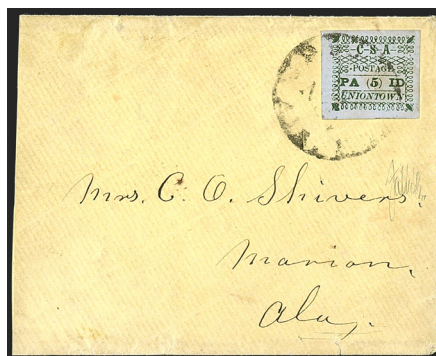
Description: Indistinct black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Cover reduced. Stamp from position 3.

Address: Mrs. C. O. Shivers. / Marion / Ala.

Provenance: Caspary, Lilly, Przybyl.

Source: HRH-5Mar1956(989)-469; RAS-27Apr1967(317)-374; SR-17Apr1999(7)-2354*; RAS-9Sep2020(1225)-135*; RAS-9Nov2021(1244)-552*. [011]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



-- Dec [1861]

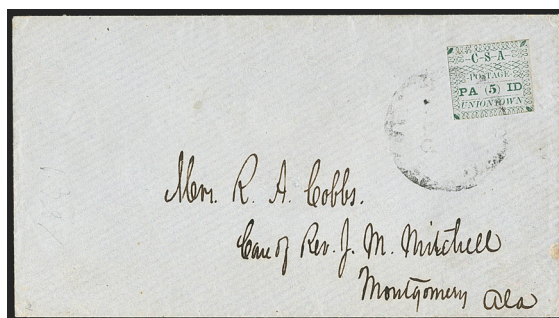
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Caspary, Telep, Sharrer.

Source: PF-224520*; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-470; JWK-1Dec1987-51; RAS-10Dec2012(1035)-89*; RAS-31May2016(1129)-520*. [012]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



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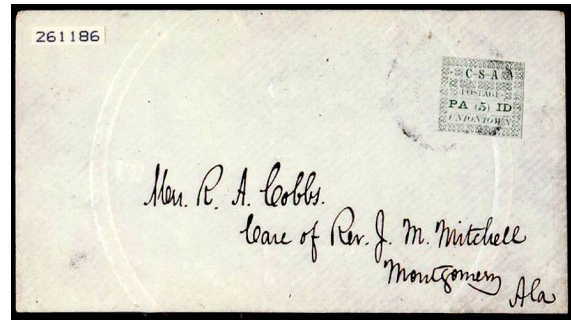
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There was an "1861" pencil docket at CL as late as 1977. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell /
Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Moody, Beverly Hills, Agre.

Source: PF-261186*; HRH-27Nov1950(621)-99; JWK-
22Nov1977(39)-236A; JWK-20Feb1986(121)-65;
RAS-25Sep2002(850)-5797*. [008]

Image Credit: Philatelic Foundation.



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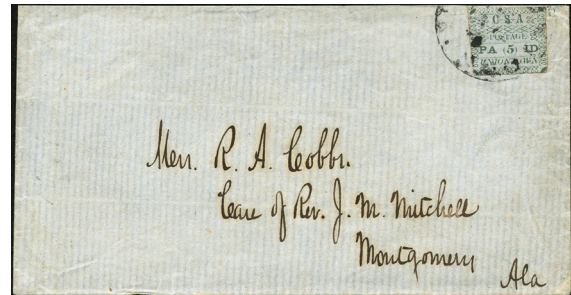
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There was an "1861" pencil notation at CL as late as 1956. Stamp from position 1.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell /
Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Caspary, Muzzy.

Source: SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-
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Image Credit: Heritage Auctions.



-- --- [1861]

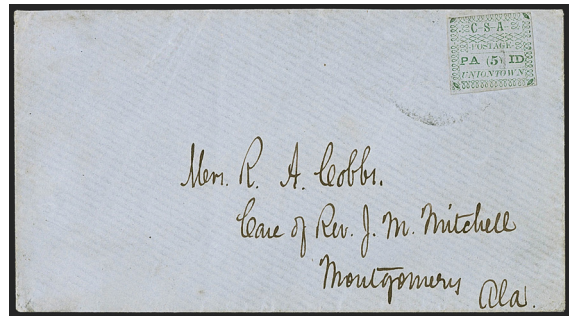
Description: ties provisional UR. There was an "1861" pencil docket at CL as late as 1992. Stamp from position 4.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala.

Provenance: Nelson, Walker.

Source: CWPAS-02316*; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; DGP-1Nov1991(72)-733; RAS-9Jun2022(1257)-2590*. [013]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



-- Feb [1862]

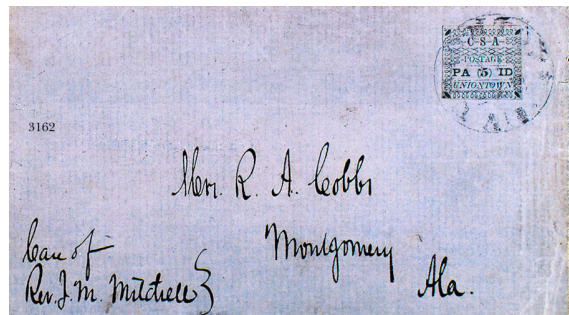
Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Postmark date listed as "7 Feb" in Robert A. Siegel sales 754 and 772. Docketed "Care of / Rev. J. M. Mitchell" at LL. Stamp from position 3.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs / Montgomery / Ala.

Provenance: Nelson, Everett.

Source: PF-299277*; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; RAS-30Oct1993(754)-194; RAS-11Dec1995(772)-3162*. [010]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



18 Mar [1862]

Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Mrs Porter King / Marion / Ala.

Provenance: Hessel.

Source: CWPAS-01445*; HRH-21Oct1977-1726; JWK-22Mar1980(62)-71; CRL-20Jun1984-656. [006]

Image Credit: Private.



-- --- [1862]

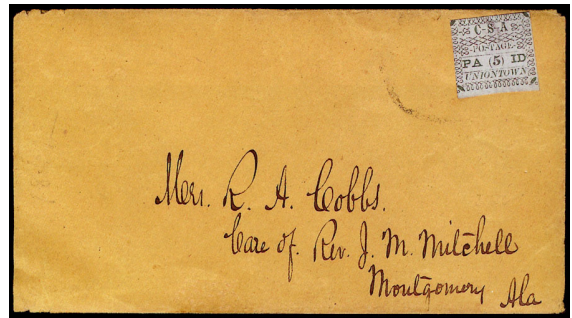
Description: Illegible black postmark ties provisional UR. There was an "1862" pencil docket at CL as late as 2009. Stamp from position 1.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Gross.

Source: RAS-13Apr2000(823)-435*; SPK-19Nov2009-42*. [005]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



Illegible Date

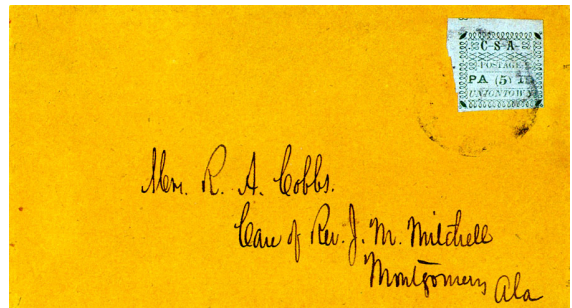
Description: Illegible black postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp from position 4.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Stonewall, Hill, Tara.

Source: PF-88614; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; CSX-Hill(Aug 1966)-37; EMC-15Apr1980(153)-210*; CRL-19Mar1986-1035*. [014]

Image Credit: Edgar Mohrmann & Co Auctions.



Illegible Date

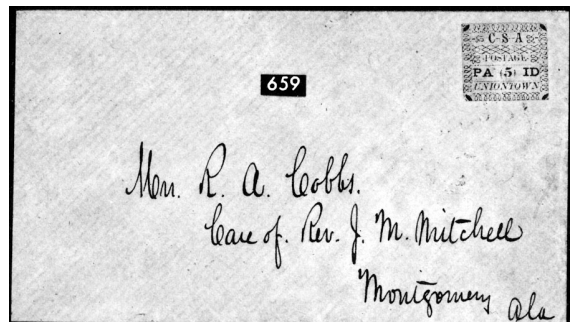
Description: Illegible postmark ties provisional UR. Faint cancel. Stamp from position 1.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Brooks, Kimmel.

Source: SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; L&S-24Apr1943(123)-159; RAS-18May1976(492)-659. [003]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



Illegible Date

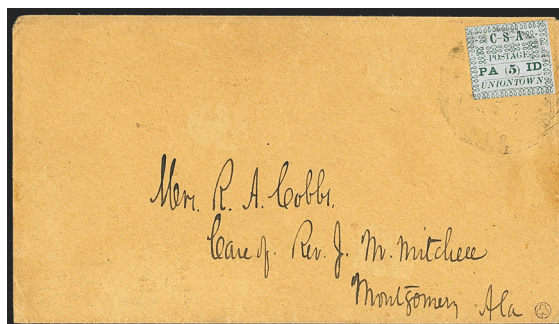
Description: Indistinct black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Ferrary, Hind, Gross, Felton, Warren.

Source: MEKE-14Nov1895(6:20)-171; GIL-14Jun1022(98-4)-106; PKA-20Nov1933(1)-1596; SPK-19Nov2009-43*; RAS-15Nov2011(1016)-644*; SR-27Apr2013(53)-4302*; RAS-31May2016(1129)-521*. [009]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



5c dark green on white, used -- UNI-AL-A04 (86X4)

Used

Description: Provisional cancelled by black marking. Stamp from position 1.

Address: NA

Provenance: Ferrary.

Source: PF-370111*; GIL-14Jun1922(4)-110; DFK-15Nov2022(777)-1222*. [049]

Image Credit: Philatelic Foundation.



Used

Description: Provisional cancelled by Indistinct black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark. Used on piece. Stamp from position 3.

Address: NA

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: JWK-17Jun1972(6)-528. [044]

Image Credit: John W Kaufmann Auctions.



5c dark green on white, covers -- UNI-AL-A04 (86X4)

27 Nov [1861]

Description: Indistinct black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. There was an "1861" pencil docket at LL as late as 1994. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Agre, Erivan.

Source: CWPAS-02627*; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; DGP-1Nov1991(72)-734; RAS-25Sep2002(850)-5798*; HRH-22Jun2019(3026)-68*. [024]

Image Credit: H R Harmer Auctions.



-- Nov [1861]

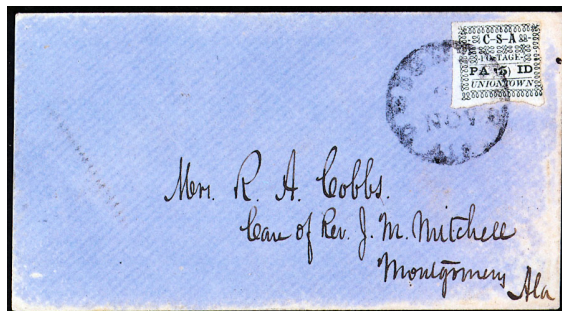
Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Day date listed as "9" in Robert A. Siegel sale 754. There was an "1861" pencil docket at CL as late as 1975. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Everett.

Source: HRH-10Apr1975-309; RAS-30Oct1993(754)-194. [022]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



-- Dec [1861]

Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Mrs R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Moody.

Source: CWPAS-01619*; HRH-27Nov1050(621)-101; RAS-10Jul1986(668)-581; JWK-9Dec1987-303*. [023]

Image Credit: Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service .



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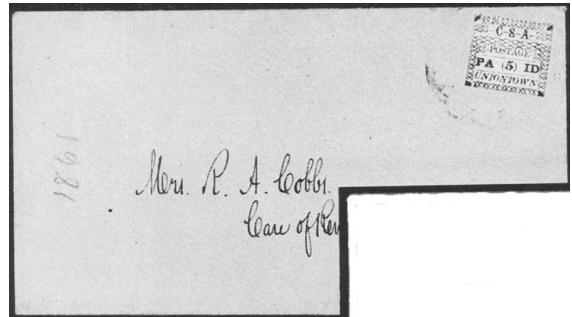
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev [Mitchell, Montgomery, Ala]

Provenance: Nelson, Caspary.

Source: SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-473. [027]

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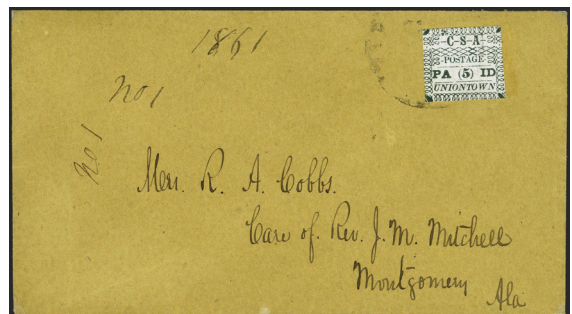
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Erivan, Jaretsky.

Source: CWPSX-Jaretsky(Apr2021)-43*; HRH-7Aug2020(3035)-94. [053]

Image Credit: H R Harmer Auctions.



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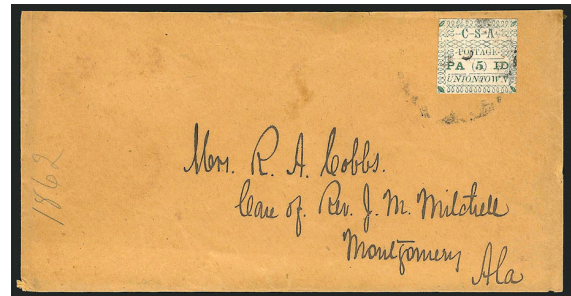
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Caspary, Carnahan.

Source: CWPAS-04174*; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-476; SPB-9Mar1978(4091)-2112; RAS-19Dec2002(853)-2793*. [026]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



Illegible Date

Description: Illegible black postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp from position 1.

Address: M. A. Wyatt Esq / Marion / Ala

Provenance: Caspary, Hill.

Source: MEKE-14Nov1895(6:20)-171; CSX-Hill(Aug1966)-37; FPM-16094*; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-475. [018]

Image Credit: Frajola PhilaMercury Website.



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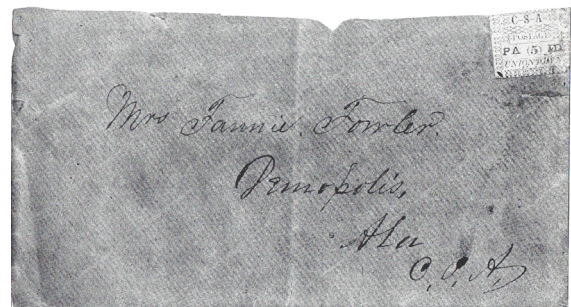
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Address: Mrs Fannie Fowler, / Demopolis, / Ala / C. S. A.

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: PHJA-15May1910(20:11)-240; JAF-26Feb1962-367. [030]

Image Credit: Philatelic Journal of America (journal).



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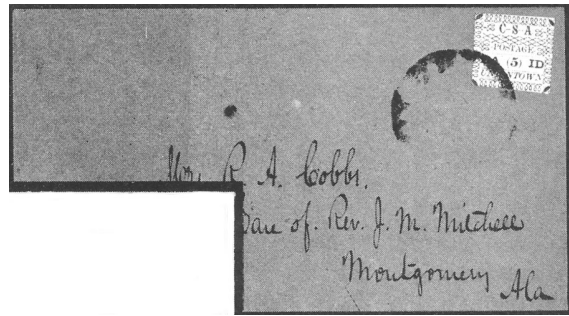
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Address: Mrs R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

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Image Credit: H R Harmer Auctions.



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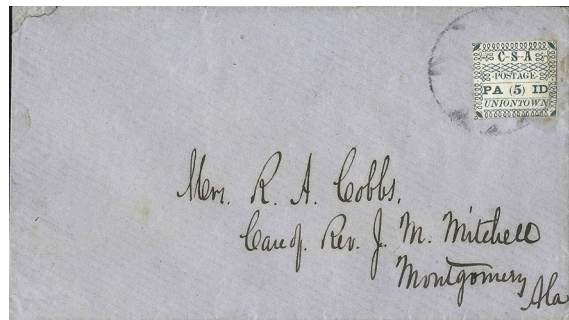
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Caspary, Kirkman, Brandon.

Source: SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-471; HRH-1Mar1962(1423)-965; RAS-24Jun2014(1073)-346*. [021]

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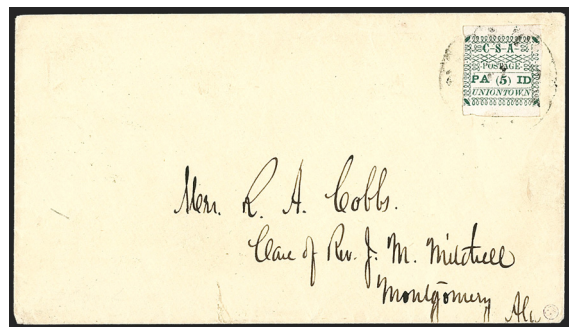
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Ferrary, Caspary, Gross RAS-9Apr1997(787)-3290.

Source: CWPAS-02988*; GIL-14Jun1922(98-4)-108; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-477; RAS-9Apr1997(787)-3290; RAS-13Apr2000(823)-437*; SPK-19Nov2009-44*; RAS-9Sep2020(1225)-136*. [033]

Image Credit: Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service .



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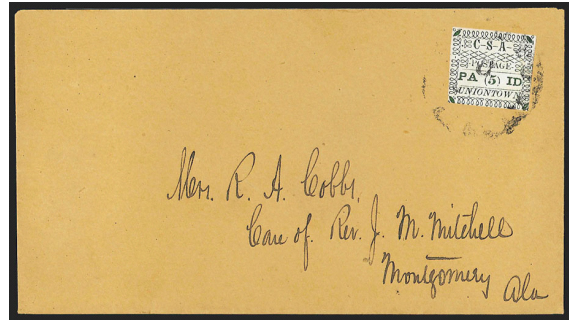
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Solomon, Birkinbine, Myerson, Corwin, Doma.

Source: PF-387865*; FPM-15538*; JWK-14Nov1981(78)-93; RAS-28Oct1997(795)-483; AHA-27Jun1998(4)-147*; MB-27Jun2002(249)-1098*; RCFS-27Nov2018-8033*. [029]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



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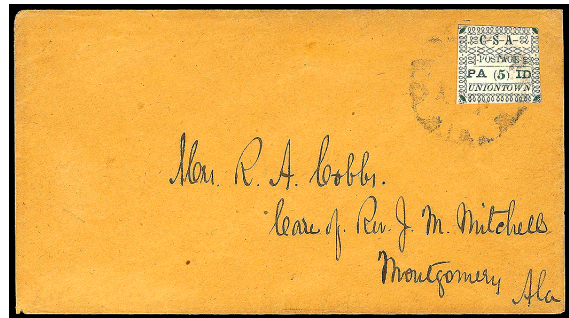
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Moody, Isleham, Sharrer.

Source: CWPAS-01591*; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; HRH-27Nov1950(621)-100; RAS-25May1986(662)-1383; RAS-10Dec2012(1035)-90*. [032]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



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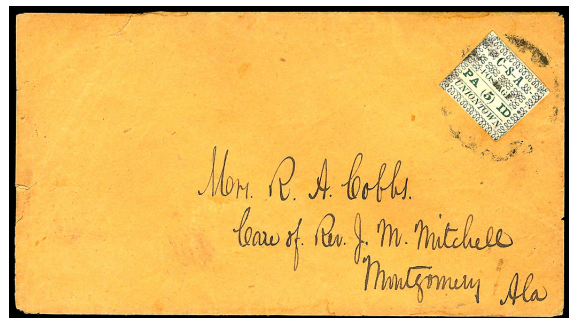
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Brooks, Dr Green.

Source: PF-386726*; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; L&S-24Apr1043(123)-160; RAS-12Apr2000(822)-116*; RAS-18May2002(846)-2479*. [025]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



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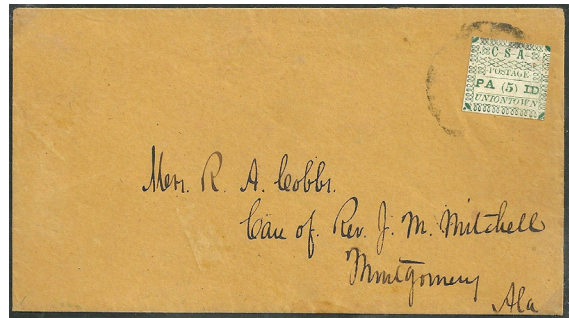
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson, Jaretsky.

Source: CWPSX-Jaretsky(Apr2021)-43*; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; RAS-23Jun1965(288)-581. [004]

Image Credit: Collection or Exhibit on Civil War Philatelic Society Website.



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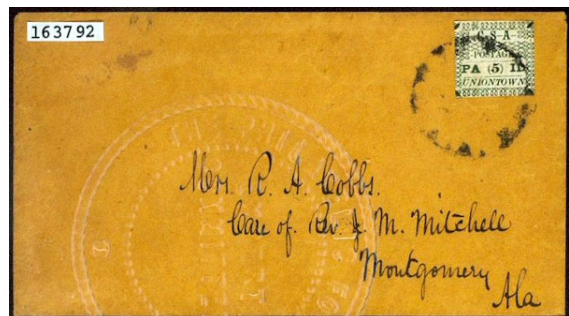
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala

Provenance: Nelson.

Source: PF-163792*; SOPH-Jun1925(1:8)-159; SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108; RAS-23Apr1983(618)-384; RAS-19Jun1986(667)-127. [028]

Image Credit: Philatelic Foundation.



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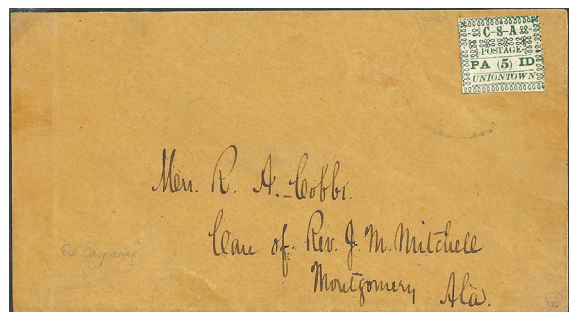
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Address: Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery / Ala.

Provenance: Ferrary, Hind, Jaretsky.

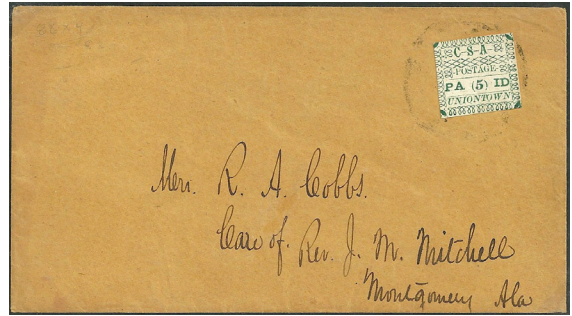
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Image Credit: Collection or Exhibit on Civil War Philatelic Society Website.



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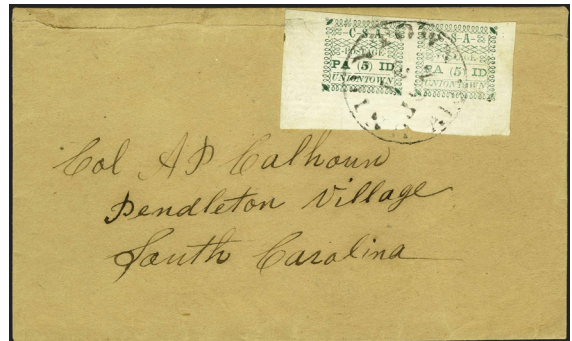
- Description:** Illegible black postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp from position 4.
- Address:** Mrs. R. A. Cobbs. / Care of. Rev. J. M. Mitchell / Montgomery Ala
- Provenance:** Caspary, Muzzy, Engel, Jaretsky.
- Source:** CWPSX-Jaretsky(Apr2021)-44*; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-474; HRH-21Apr1967(1764)-2075; HRH-17May1976(2339)-2531. [031]
- Image Credit:** Collection or Exhibit on Civil War Philatelic Society Website.



5c dark green on white, pair on cover -- UNI-AL-A04a

31 Jun [1862]

- Description:** Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisionals UR. The day date inverted. Enclosure datelined 11 June 1862. Stamps from positions 3 and 4.
- Address:** Col A P Calhoun / Pendleton Village / South Carolina
- Provenance:** Caspary, Lilly, Erivan.
- Source:** PPH-165*; SCOC-Mar1934(1:5)-163; CCPL-Jan1951(30:1)-47; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-478; RAS-7Apr1966(317)-375; HRH-10Dec2020(3039)-92*. [035]
- Image Credit:** H R Harmer Auctions.



5c dark green on white, embossed paper on cover -- UNI-AL-A04b

Illegible Date

Description: Indistinct black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp from position 4.

Address: Mrs H. H. Sample / Lexington / Mississippi [Mississippi]

Provenance: Brown, Kilbourne.

Source: STSP-Black(1945)-39; CCPL-Jan1951(30:1)-48; HRL-30Oct 1939-2443; RAS-28Sep1999(815)-154*. [034]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



5c green on unknown paper, covers -- UNI-AL-A04x

Illegible Date

Description: provisional cancelled by Indeterminate marking. Stamp from position 1

Address: Unknown

Provenance: Nelson.

Source: SOPH-Mar1928(4:5)-108. [045]

Image Credit: Southern Philatelist (journal).



Illegible Date

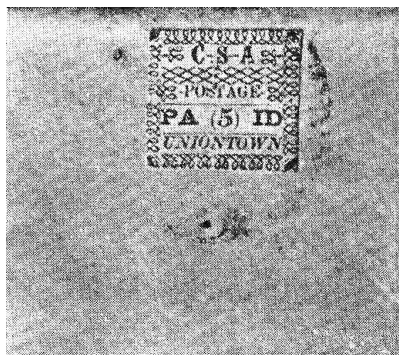
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Address: Unknown

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: MEKE-14Nov1895(6:20)-171. [052]

Image Credit: Mekeel's Weekly Stamp News (journal).



10c red on gray blue, covers -- UNI-AL-A05 (86X5)

27 Sep [1861]

Description: Illegible black postmark CTR. Provisional uncanceled UR. Stamp is light red shade. Stamp from position 4.

Address: --- S. Price / --- P. Office / [Westm]oreland Co. / Virginia

Provenance: Caspary, Lilly, Erivan, Przybyl.

Source: PPH-166*; SCOC-Mar1934(1:5)-165; HRH-10Dec2019(3030)-89*; RAS-9Nov2021(1244)-553*. [043]

Image Credit: H R Harmer Auctions.



27 Sep [1861]

Description: Illegible black postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp is dark red shade. Stamp from position 3.

Address: Mr. Richmond L. Christian. / Care of Christian and Lathrop. / Richmond. / Virginia.

Provenance: Ferrary, Hind, Beverly Hills.

Source: CWPAS-01572*; CCPL-Jan1951(30:1)-42; GIL-14Jun1922(98-4)-112; P&K-20Nov1933(1)-1598; RAS-23Apr1983(618)-385*; JWK-20Feb1896(121)-66; RAS-9Sep2020(1225)-138*. [041]

Image Credit: Civil War Philatelic Authentication Service .



-- Sep [1861]

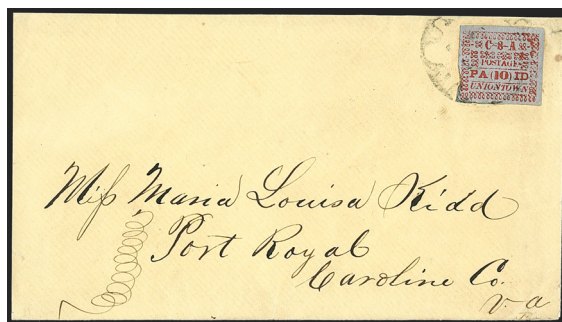
Description: Indistinct black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp is dark red shade. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Miss Maria Louisa Kidd / Port Royal / Caroline Co. / Va

Provenance: Meroni, Kilbourne, Gross.

Source: STSP-Black(1945)-40; CCPL-Jan1951(30:1)-44; JAF-20Mar1961(258)-200; RAS-28Sep1995(815)-155*; SPK-19 Nov2009-45*; RAS-9Sep2020(1225)-137*. [039]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



21 Apr [1862]

Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Month and day dates inverted. Stamp is dark red shade. Stamp from position 2.

Address: Col. A. P. Calhoun / Pendleton Village / South Carolina

Provenance: DK.

Source: PF-505105*, CCPL-Jan1951(30:1)-45; RAS-28Mar2012(1022)-1120*. [038]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



9 Jun [1862]

Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp from position 1.

Address: Mr John D. Pitts / Co. D. 4. Regiment Ala. Vol. / Near Richmond / Virginia.

Provenance: Ferrary, Caspary, Isleham, Hill, Sharrer.

Source: PF-416511*; CSX-Hill(Aug1996)-38; GIL-14Jun1922(98-4)-111; HRH-5Mar1956(989)-480; RAS-24Feb1965(283)-171*; RAS-25May1985(662)-1384; RAS-10Dec2012(1035)-91*. [037]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



-- Jul [1862]

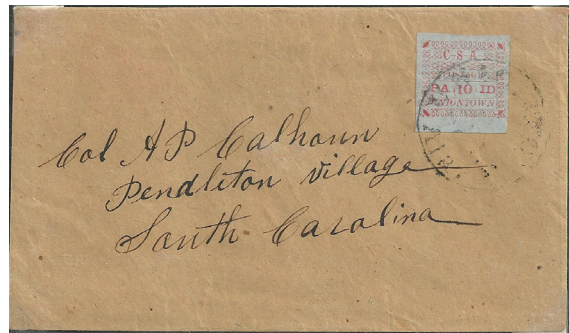
Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp is light red shade. Stamp from position 4.

Address: Col A P Calhoun / Pendleton Village / South Carolina

Provenance: Muzzy, Jaretsky.

Source: CWPAS-00297; CWPSX-Jaretsky(Apr2021)-42*; CCPL-Jan1951(30:1)-47; HRH-21Apr1967-2976. [042]

Image Credit: Collection or Exhibit on Civil War Philatelic Society Website.



Illegible Date

Description: Black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp is dark red shade. Stamp from position 2. Stamp and cover expertly restored.

Address: Mrs John B. Cary / Clarkesville / Mecklenburg / Virginia

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: CWPAS-00582; CHR-13Oct1989-1318*. [040]

Image Credit: Christie's Auctions.



10c red on gray blue, embossed paper on cover -- UNI-AL-A05a

-2 Sep [1861]

Description: Indistinct black "UNIONTOWN / Ala." postmark ties provisional UR. Stamp is dark red shade. Day date listed as "22" in Robert A. Siegel Sale 1022. Stamp from position 1.

Address: Miss Maria. L. Kidd / Port Royal / Caroline County / Va.

Provenance: Kimmel, Haas, Birkinbine, DK.

Source: CCPL-Jan1951(30:1)-43; FPM-16093*; RAS-18May1976(492)-660; RCF-22Feb1986(27)-143*; RAS-28Oct1997(795)-484; RAS-28Mar2012(1022)-1121*. [036]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.

