

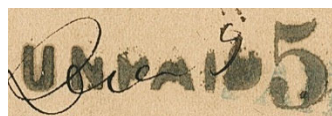
# Census of Apalachicola, Florida, Stampless Covers

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## Description



Type A



Type B

The Apalachicola Stampless Markings (not to scale)

The different markings are identified by the *Confederate States of American (CSA) Catalog and Handbook* Stampless Type. The letters "X, Y, and Z," are used to designate added items not in the CSA Catalog. The absence of a CSA Catalog Type in the illustrations above indicates that item is not included in the census.

This census is based on images of covers. Only covers for which an image was obtained are listed in the census. For this reason, this census may be far from complete.

**NOTE:** Every effort is made to ensure the accuracy of the census, but the inclusion of an item is not a guarantee of authenticity.

## Count of the Apalachicola Stampless Covers

Marking	Color	Type	Covers	Briggs Count*
PAID 10	Black	A	1	1
UNPAID 5	Black	B	2	2

\* This is the count of covers recorded by Deane R. Briggs in his book *Florida Postal History During the Civil War* (N.P.: Confederate Stamp Alliance, 2018), 19.

## Notes

### Type B Marking

The cover with the Type B marking (CN-3) is in the Civil War Museum, Richmond, Virginia.

Both examples of this marking are on covers received at Apalachicola. No examples are known on outgoing mail from Apalachicola.

### References

- Briggs, Deane R., "Apalachicola, Florida, "Unpaid 5": A New C.S.A. Listing," *Confederate Philatelist* 35:6 (November-December 1990): 209-215.
- , "The Unique "Unpaid 5" Handstamp Revisited," *Confederate Philatelist*: 56:1 (January-March 2011): 24-25.
- , *Florida Postal History During the Civil War* (n.p.: Confederate Stamp Alliance, 2018), 18-22.

## Mini Census of Apalachicola, Florida, Stampless Covers

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
<b>PAID 10, black -- Type A</b>				
3 Mar [186-]	Mr. W H Goodlett / Greenville C. H. / So. Ca.	UL	UR	001
<b>UNPAID 5, black -- Type B</b>				
No Date	H W Brooks Esqr / Apalachicola / Florida		UL-UC	002*
No Date	Mrs Susan A Hancock / Apalachicola / Fla		UR-CR	003

\* Indicates a color image

# Full Census of Apalachicola, Florida, Stampless Covers

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## PAID 10, black -- Type A

3 Mar [186-]

**Description:** Black "APALACHICOLA / FL postmark UL, stampless Type A marking UR.

**Address:** Mr. W H Goodlett / Greenville C. H. / So. Ca.

**Provenance:** Briggs.

**Source:** RAS-9May2017(1153)-2027. [001]

**Image Credit:** Robert A Siegel Auctions.



## UNPAID 5, black -- Type B

No Date

**Description:** Stampless Type B marking UL-UC. Underpaid letter charged additional 5-cents on arrival in Apalachicola.

**Address:** H W Brooks Esqr / Apalachicola / Florida

**Provenance:** Briggs.

**Source:** RAS-9May2017(1153)-2101\*. [002]

**Image Credit:** Robert A Siegel Auctions.



No Date

**Description:** Stampless Type B marking UR-CR. Tent and flag patriotic envelope (CSA Type TF-1). Overweight letter charged additional 5-cents postage on arrival in Apalachicola.

**Address:** Mrs Susan A Hancock / Apalachicola / Fla

**Provenance:** None recorded.

**Source:** CONP-Nov1990(35-6)-211. [003]

**Image Credit:** Confederate Philatelist.

