

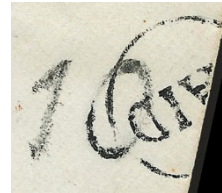
# Census of Bayou Goula, Louisiana, Stampless Markings

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## Description



Type A



Type B

### Bayou Goula Stampless Markings (not to scale)

The different markings are identified by the 2012 *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.

Items are presented in the census in the order of the illustrations above.

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 Bayou Goula Stampless Markings

Marking	Color	Type	Covers	Everett Count*
PAID (in circle) + 5	Black	A	1	1
PAID (in circle) + 5 revalued 10	Black	Ab	1	--
PAID (in circle) + 10	Black	B	3	1

\* See "Stampless - Important Information" on Stampless Covers page for information on the Everett Count.

## Notes

### The Type Ab Marking

The rate “5” in the only recorded example of this marking is not apparent at first glance as it is weak. The bottom of the “10” and “5” touch as seen in the illustration below.



## Mini Census of Bayou Goula, Louisiana Stampless Covers

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
<b>PAID (in circle) + 5, black -- Type A</b>				
1 Jan [1862]	Richard T Archer Esq / Port Gibson / Missi	UR-CTR	UL-UC	001*
<b>PAID (in circle) + 5 revalued 10, black -- Type Ab</b>				
18 Dec [1861]	Messrs John Shelby & Co / Memphis / Tenn.	UC	LL	004*
<b>PAID (in circle) + 10, black -- Type B</b>				
8 Feb [186-]	Messrs Geo W. Bruce / Memphis / Tenn.	UL	UC-UR	003
8 Feb [186-]	Mrs A. N. Alden / Care / Geo. W. Bruce Esqr / Memphis / Tenn.	UL	UC	002*

\* Indicates a color image

## Full Census of Bayou Goula, Louisiana, Stampless Covers

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### PAID (in circle) + 5, black -- Type A

1 Jan [1862]

**Description:** Black "BAYOU BOULA / LA" sans serif postmark UR-CTR, Type A marking UL-UC.

**Address:** Richard T Archer Esq / Port Gibson / Missi

**Provenance:** None recorded.

**Source:** RAS-9Dec2008(966)-2516\*. [001]

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



### PAID (in circle) + 5 revalued 10, black -- Type Ab

18 Dec [1861]

**Description:** Black "BAYOU BOULA / LA" serif postmark UC, Type Ab marking LL. Manuscript day date in postmark over regular date. See "Notes" for more information on this marking.

**Address:** Messrs John Shelby & Co / Memphis / Tenn.

**Provenance:** None recorded.

**Source:** RAS-15Nov2011(1016)-550\*. [004]

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



**PAID (in circle) + 10, black -- Type B**

**8 Feb [186-]**

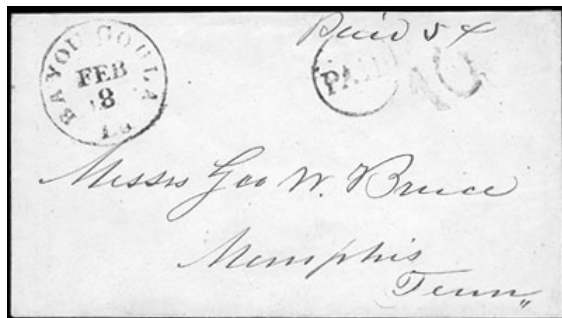
**Description:** "BAYOU BOULA / LA" serif postmark UL, Type B marking UC-UR. The manuscript "Paid 5c" is not a rate. Probably applied by letter writer.

**Address:** Messrs Geo W. Bruce / Memphis / Tenn.

**Provenance:** Agre.

**Source:** RAS-27Apr1999(810)-1728; RAS-24Sep2002(850)-5235. [003]

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



**8 Feb [186-]**

**Description:** Black "BAYOU BOULA / LA" serif postmark UL. Type B marking UC.

**Address:** Mrs A. N. Alden / Care / Geo. W. Bruce Esqr / Memphis / Tenn.

**Provenance:** None recorded.

**Source:** RAS-9Dec2008(966)-2517\*. [002]

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

