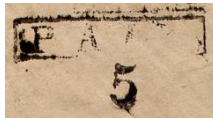


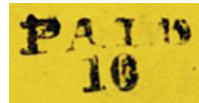
Census of Pontotoc, Mississippi, Stampless Markings

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Markings



Type A



Type B

Pontotoc Stampless Markings (not to scale)

Manuscript markings are not illustrated. View them on the covers in the full census.

Description and Count

Marking	Color	Type	Covers	Everett Count*
PAID (enclosed) / 5	Black	A	10	3
PAID (enclosed) / 5, revalued 10 (ms)	Black	Aa	1	--
PAID / 10	Black	B	5	4
PAID / 10, revalued 5 (ms)	Black	Ba	1	1
Paid 5 cts (ms)	--	Ms	1	NA
Paid 10 (ms)	--	Msx	2	NA
Paid 10c (ms)	--	Msa	-- ²	NA

1. The Everett Count is **not always reliable**. For more information [click here](#).

2. No example of this marking was found while preparing this census.

Stampless Paid 5c Uses in June 1861: The last use of a stampless Paid 5c marking in this census is 24 April 1862. Therefore, any Paid 5c use in June is assumed to be 1861.

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

Notes

Union Occupation During the Civil War

Pontotoc was briefly occupied in July 1864.

Mini Census Pontotoc, Mississippi, Stampless Covers

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>CN</u>
Type A -- black, PAID (enclosed) / 5		
12 Jun [1861]	Gov. J J Pettus / Jackson / Miss	001*
12 Sep [1861]	Mr A W Fumster / Columb-- / Miss	007
5 Nov [1861]	Miss Mary Duncan / New Albany / [MS]	019
12 Nov [1861]	Unknown	020
19 Nov [1861]	Mrs. A. P. Duncan / New Albany / Miss	008*
23 Nov [1861]	Chas D Fontaine Jr / Private Fredonia Ha-- / Marine Station / Miss	013*
17 Dec [1861]	Miss A. P. Duncan / New Albany / Miss	009
4 Feb [1862]	Mrs John O'Conner / Aberdeen / Miss	010*
24 Apr [1862]	Mrs A J Duncan / New Albany / Miss	012*
24 Apr [1862]	Mrs A P Duncan / New Albany / Miss	011*
Type Aa -- black, PAID (enclosed) / 5, revalued 10 (ms)		
19 Dec [1861]	Chas D Fontaine / Richmond / Va.	002*
Type B -- black, PAID / 10		
29 Jun [186-]	Charles D Fontaine / Second Mississippi Regiment / Company G. Capt H R Miller / Winchester / Virginia	004*
1 Jul [186-]	Mr Chas D Fontaine / 2nd Mississippi / Regiment Company -- / Winchester / Va.	014*
12 Sep [186-]	Chas D Fontaine / Pontotoc / Beaver Dam [LO] / Hanover Co [LO] / Va / Miss	015
17 Oct [186-]	Gov. Jno. J Pettus / Jackson / Miss	003*
14 Nov [186-]	Chas D Fontaine / Richmond / Va	018
Type Ba -- black, PAID / 10, revalued 5 (ms)		
No Date	A. J. Duncan Esq / New Albany / Mississippi	016*
Type Ms -- Paid 5 cts (ms)		
8 Jun [1861]	Henry White Esqr / New Haven / Conn	017*

* Indicates a color image

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>CN</u>
Type Msx -- Paid 10 (ms)		
9 Mar [186-]	To His / Excellency / J. J. Pettus / Jackson Miss	005*
8 Jun [186-]	Chas. D Fontaine Esqr / Second Mississippi Regiment / Company G at Harpers Ferry / Winchester / Va	006

* Indicates a color image

Last Name Index Pontotoc, Mississippi, Stampless Covers

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Typ</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>CN</u>
12 Nov [1861]	A	--	Unknown	020
5 Nov [1861]	A	Duncan	Miss Mary Duncan / New Albany / [MS]	019
19 Nov [1861]	A	Duncan	Mrs. A. P. Duncan / New Albany / Miss	008*
17 Dec [1861]	A	Duncan	Miss A. P. Duncan / New Albany / Miss	009
24 Apr [1862]	A	Duncan	Mrs A J Duncan / New Albany / Miss	012*
24 Apr [1862]	A	Duncan	Mrs A P Duncan / New Albany / Miss	011*
No Date	Ba	Duncan	A. J. Duncan Esq / New Albany / Mississippi	016*
23 Nov [1861]	A	Fontaine	Chas D Fontaine Jr / Private Fredonia Ha-- / Marine Station / Miss	013*
19 Dec [1861]	Aa	Fontaine	Chas D Fontaine / Richmond / Va.	002*
8 Jun [186-]	Msx	Fontaine	Chas. D Fontaine Esqr / Second Mississippi Regiment / Company G at Harpers Ferry / Winchester / Va	006
29 Jun [186-]	B	Fontaine	Charles D Fontaine / Second Mississippi Regiment / Company G. Capt H R Miller / Winchester / Virginia	004*
1 Jul [186-]	B	Fontaine	Mr Chas D Fontaine / 2nd Mississippi / Regiment Company -- / Winchester / Va.	014*
12 Sep [186-]	B	Fontaine	Chas D Fontaine / Pontotoc / Beaver Dam [LO] / Hanover Co [LO] / Va / Miss	015
14 Nov [186-]	B	Fontaine	Chas D Fontaine / Richmond / Va	018
12 Sep [1861]	A	Fumster	Mr A W Fumster / Columb-- / Miss	007
4 Feb [1862]	A	O'Conner	Mrs John O'Conner / Aberdeen / Miss	010*
12 Jun [1861]	A	Pettus	Gov. J J Pettus / Jackson / Miss	001*
9 Mar [186-]	Msx	Pettus	To His / Excellency / J. J. Pettus / Jackson Miss	005*
17 Oct [186-]	B	Pettus	Gov. Jno. J Pettus / Jackson / Miss	003*
8 Jun [1861]	Ms	White	Henry White Esqr / New Haven / Conn	017*

* Indicates a color image

Full Census Pontotoc, Mississippi, Stampless Covers

Type A -- black, PAID (enclosed) / 5

12 Jun [1861]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Folded letter.

Add: Gov. J J Pettus / Jackson / Miss

Image: Courtesy Pete Dunn [001]



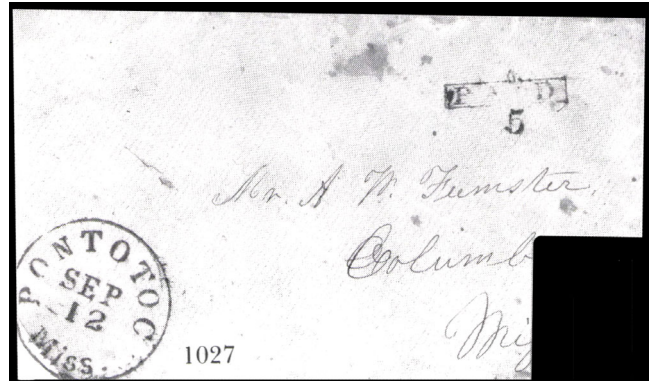
12 Sep [1861]

Pmk: "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Partial image of full cover.

Add: Mr A W Fumster / Columb-- / Miss

Image: Courtesy Robert A Siegel Auctions [007]



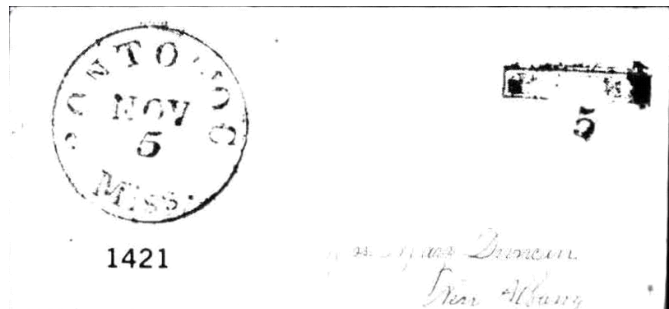
5 Nov [1861]

Pmk: "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Partial image of full cover.

Add: Miss Mary Duncan / New Albany / [MS]

Image: Courtesy Christie's Auctions [019]



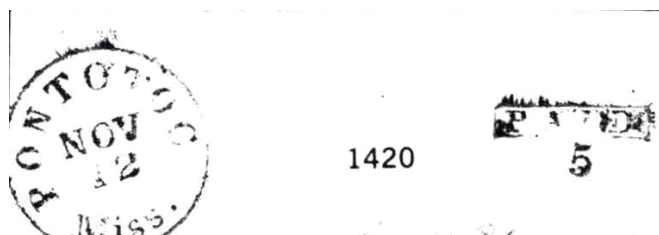
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Pmk: "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Partial image of full cover

Add: Unknown

Image: Courtesy Christie's Auctions [020]



19 Nov [1861]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Ladies fancy embossed envelope.

Add: Mrs. A. P. Duncan / New Albany / Miss

Image: Courtesy Robert A Siegel Auctions [008]



23 Nov [1861]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: None.

Add: Chas D Fontaine Jr / Private Fredonia Ha-- /
Marine Station / Miss

Image: Courtesy Don Garrett [013]



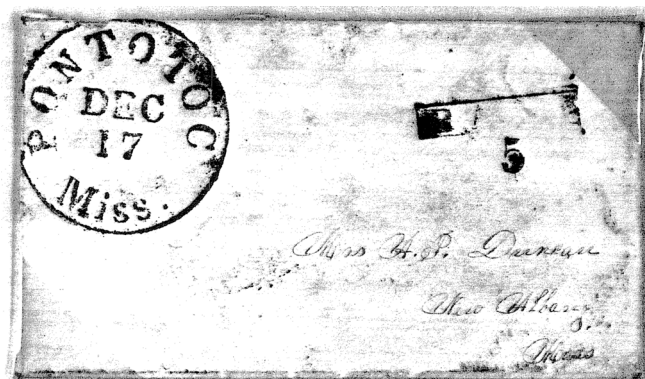
17 Dec [1861]

Pmk: "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: None.

Add: Miss A. P. Duncan / New Albany / Miss

Image: Courtesy Charles Miller [009]



4 Feb [1862]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: None.

Add: Mrs John O'Conner / Aberdeen / Miss

Image: Courtesy Robert A Siegel Auctions [010]



24 Apr [1862]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Ladies fancy embossed envelope.

Add: Mrs A J Duncan / New Albany / Miss

Image: Private Collection [012]



24 Apr [1862]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Fancy ladies embossed envelope.

Add: Mrs A P Duncan / New Albany / Miss

Image: Private Collection [011]



Type Aa -- black, PAID (enclosed) / 5, revalued 10 (ms)

19 Dec [1861]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: None.

Add: Chas D Fontaine / Richmond / Va.

Image: Courtesy Jerry Palazolo [002]



Type B -- black, PAID / 10

29 Jun [186-]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: None.

Add: Charles D Fontaine / Second Mississippi
Regiment / Company G. Capt H R Miller /
Winchester / Virginia

Image: Courtesy Don Garrett [004]



1 Jul [186-]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: None.

Add: Mr Chas D Fontaine / 2nd Mississippi /
Regiment Company -- / Winchester / Va.

Image: Courtesy Robert A Siegel Auctions [014]



12 Sep [186-]

Pmk: "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: None.

Add: Chas D Fontaine / Pontotoc / Beaver Dam
[LO] / Hanover Co [LO] / Va / Miss

Image: Courtesy Charles Miller [015]



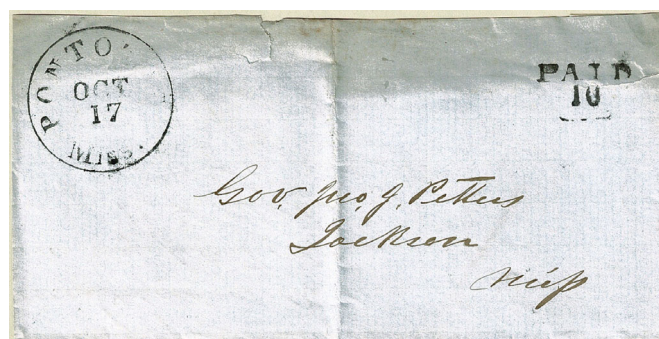
17 Oct [186-]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Folded letter.

Add: Gov. Jno. J Pettus / Jackson / Miss

Image: Courtesy Pete Dunn [003]



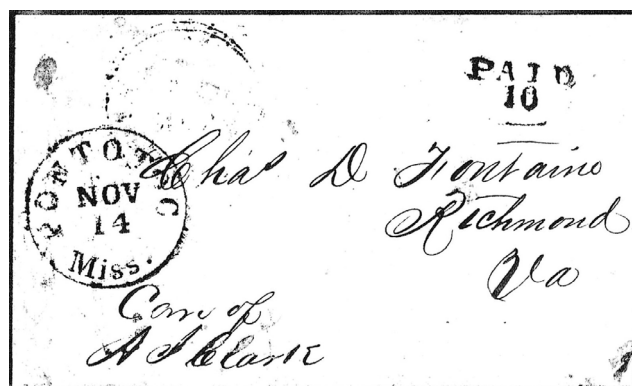
14 Nov [186-]

Pmk: "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: None.

Add: Chas D Fontaine / Richmond / Va

Image: Courtesy Robert Wein [018]



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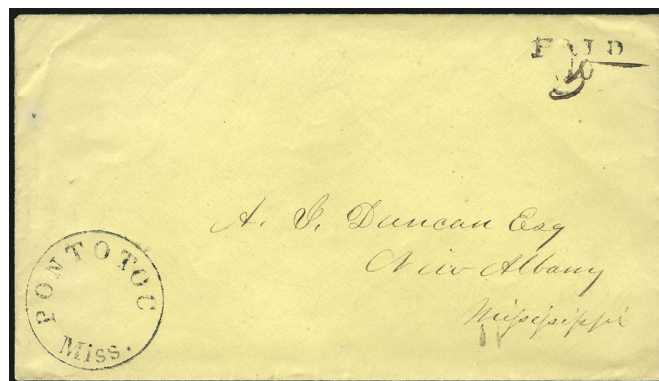
No Date

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: None.

Add: A. J. Duncan Esq / New Albany / Mississippi

Image: Courtesy Robert A Siegel Auctions [016]



Type Ms -- Paid 5 cts (ms)

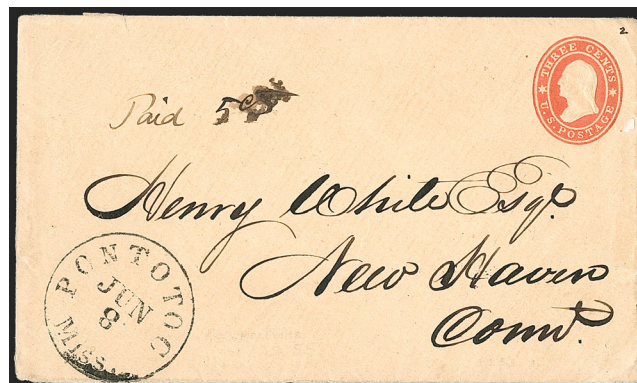
8 Jun [1861]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Across the lines cover using US 3c star die postal stationery.

Add: Henry White Esqr / New Haven / Conn

Image: Courtesy Robert A Siegel Auctions [017]



Type Msx -- Paid 10 (ms)

9 Mar [186-]

Pmk: Black "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Folded letter.

Add: To His / Excellency / J. J. Pettus / Jackson
Miss

Image: Courtesy Jerry Palazolo [005]



8 Jun [186-]

Pmk: "PONTOTOC / Miss." (33 mm)

Notes: Docket "Mail direct" UC.

Add: Chas. D Fontaine Esqr / Second Mississippi
Regiment / Company G at Harpers Ferry /
Winchester / Va

Image: Courtesy Jerry Palazolo [006]

