# UNUSUAL USAGES OF THE FIVE CENT GENERAL ISSUE OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA

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The necessity for a Five Cent Postage Stamp in the Confederate States of America was created with the approval of "AN ACT TO PRESCRIBE THE RATES OF POSTAGE IN THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES" on February 23,1861. Section 1 of the Act states in part; "For every single sealed letter, and for every letter in manuscript, or paper of any kind, upon which information shall be asked for or communicated in writing, or by marks or signs, conveyed in the mail for any distance between places within the Confederate States of America, not exceeding five hundred miles, FIVE CENTS; and for any distance exceeding five hundred miles, double that rate; ......"

The demise of the Five Cent Postage Stamp in the Confederate States of America was created with the approval of, "AN ACT TO AMEND AN ACT ENTITLED AN ACT TO PRESCRIBE THE RATES OF POSTAGE IN THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES; " on April 19,1862. "The Congress of the Confederate States of America do enact, that from and after the First Day of July next, there shall be charged the following rates of postage to wit: For every single letter sealed, and for every letter in manuscript, or paper of any kind, upon which information shall be asked for, or communicated in writing, or by marks or signs conveyed in the mails for any distance within the Confederate States of America, TEN GENTS.."

The Post Office Department of the Confederate States of America assumed control of their own postal system on June 1,1861, The Five Cent rate for a letter sent under five hundred miles was in effect until July 1,1862, a period of thirteen months.

THE FIRST FIVE CENT STAMP OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA



I861
FIVE CENTS GREEN
Lithographed by HOYER & LUDWIG, Richmond, Va.
Engraved by CHARLES LUDWIG

A portrait of Jefferson Davis lithographed from printing stones by the firm of Hoyer & Ludwig of Richmond, Virginia, in many shades of green. Three different printing stones have been identified.

Although proposals for postage stamps were published as early as April 2,1861, for many reasons the stamps were not ready for use on June 1, 1861, when control of the postal system was assumed by the Post Office Department of the Confederate States of America.

The earliest known usage for postal purposes is October 16,1861.

THE SECOND FIVE CENT STAMP OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA



I 862
FIVE CENTS BLUE
Lithographed by Hoyer & Ludwig, Richmond, Va.
Engraved by Charles Ludwig

The second stone used to print the first Five Cent stamp was used to print the second issue in several shades of blue, by the same firm of Hoyer & Ludwig of Richmond, Virginia. Another stone was eventually prepared for this printing.

The color changeoccurred to avoid confusing the Two Cent Green stamp with the Five Cent green stamp of the first issue.

The earliest known usage for postal purposes is March 4,1862.

THE THIRD FIVE CENT STAMP OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA



I862
FIVE CENTS BLUE
Typographed by Thos. De La Rue & Co., London.
Engraved and Electrotyped by the same concern.

Another portrait of Jefferson Davis printed from electrotype plates made from steel engravings prepared in London, England by the firm of Thomas de la Rue & Co.Ltd..The "LONDON PRINT" has the distinction of being the only American postage stamp produced abroad and used for a considerable length of time within the continental United States. The impressions are sharp and clear in a uniform shade of blue.

The earliest known usage for postal purposes is April 16,1862.

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THE FOURTH FIVE CENT STAMP OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA

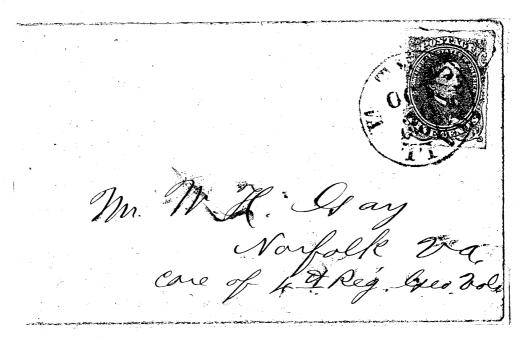


I862
FIVE CENTS BLUE
Typographed by Archer & Daly, Richmond, Va., from the De La Rue Electrotypes.

The early printings were made from electrotype plates sent over from England, on paper and with ink supplied by the London firm of Thomas de la Rue & Co., Ltd.. The "LOCAL PRINTS" were done by the firm of Archer & Daly in Richmond, Virginia. These stamps have a sharp clear impression, with uniform color on the early printings. Later printings by the same firm of Archer & Daly are on thicker, porous paper, in many shades of blue.

The earliest known usage for postal purposes is August 15,1862.

#### PROPER USAGES



SCENT OLIVE GREEN, STONE A ORBEDS. TUDORHALL, VA. OCT. 30, 1861 TO NORFOLK, VA. THE FARLIEST RECORDED USAGE OF THIS STAMP IS OCTOBER 16, 1861. THE PROPER RATE FOR A LETTER SENT UNDER 500 MILES PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1862.



TWO, S CENT GREEN, STONE 1, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VA. DEC. 17, 1861 TO BUFFALO RIDGE, EAST TENN. THE PROPER RATE FOR A LETTER WEIGHING FROM 1/20UNCE, TO I DUNCE, SENT UNDER 500 MILES, PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1862.

#### PROPER USAGES

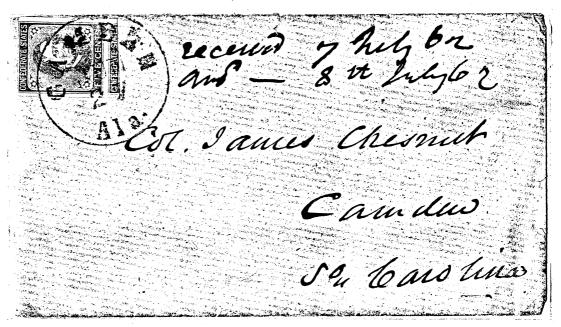


5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VA., MAR. 7, 1862 TO MILFORD DEPOT, VA. THE PROPER RATE FOR A LETTER SENT UNDER 500 MILES, PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1862.

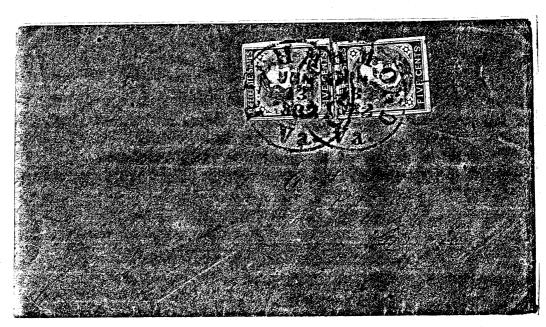


HORIZONTAL PAIR, 5 CENT BLUE, GRID CANCELLED (RED), CAS SPARTA, GA, MAY 6, (1862) (RED) TO RICHMOND, VA. DOCKETED ON REVERSE, MAY 5, 1862. THE PROPER RATE FOR A LETTER SENT OVER 500 MILES PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1862.

#### PROPER USAGE OF THE 5 CENT LONDON PRINT

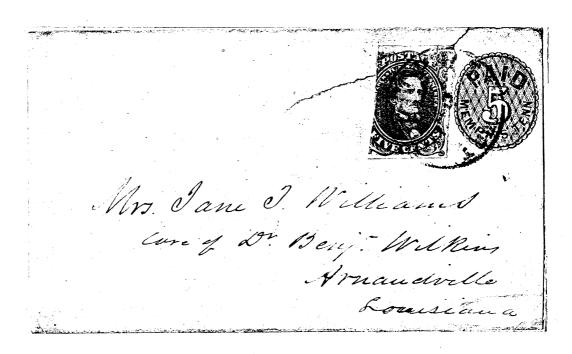


5 CENT BLUE, LONDON PRINT, C.D.S. CAMDEN, ALA. JUN. 27, (1862) TO CAMDEN, S.C., A DISTANCE OF UNDER 500 MILES, THE 5 CENT RATE EFFECTIVE UNTIL JUNE 30,1862.



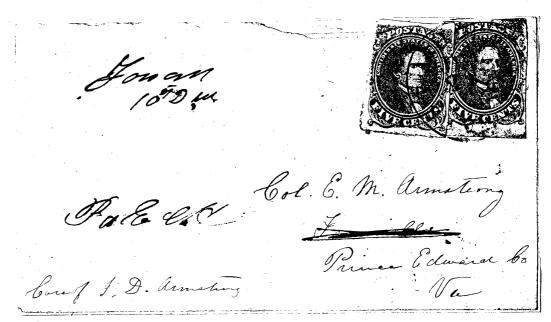
2 SINGLE 5 CENT BLUE, LONDON PRINTS, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VA., JUN. 13, 1862 TO AN ILLEGIBLE GEORGIA TOWN. THE 10 CENT RATE FOR A LETTER THAT WEIGHED FROM 1/20UNCE TO LOUNCE THAT TRAVELLED LESS THAN 500 MILES. EFFECTIVE UNTIL JUNE 30, 1862.

#### COMBINATION USAGE

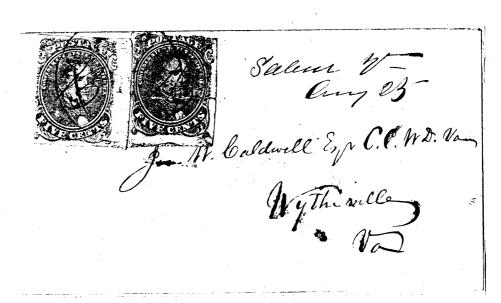


5 CENT RED ON AMBER POSTMASTER PROVISIONAL ENVELOPE OF MEMPHIS, TENN, AND 5 CENT GREEN, STONE I, C.D.S., MEMPHIS, TEN., NOV. 20, (1861) TO ARNAUDVILLE, LA. THE CORRECT TEN CENT RATE FOR A LETTER SENT OVER 500 MILES PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1862. THE ONLY RECORDED COMBINATION OF A POSTMASTER PROVISIONAL AND GENERAL ISSUE TO BE USED FROM MEMPHIS.

#### COMBINATION USAGE



5 CENT GREEN, STONE AORB, 5 CENT BLUE, STONE3, C.D.S. STAUNTON, VIRGINIA, JULY 22, (1862) TO FARMVILLE, VIRGINIA - THE 10 CENT RATE, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1862 - FORWARDED "DUE 10" TO PRINCE EDWARD COURT HOUSE, VIRGINIA.

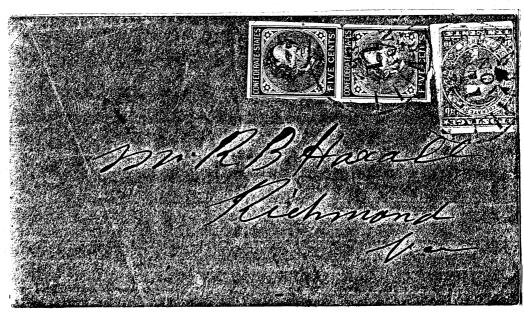


SCENT GREEN, STONE I, SCENT BLUE, STONE 2, PEN CANCELLED WITH MS. SALEM, VIRGINIA, AUGUST 25 (1862) TO WHYTHE VILLE, VIRGINIA. THE CDS IS SALEM, VIRGINIA ALSO. THE LOCENT RATE EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1862.

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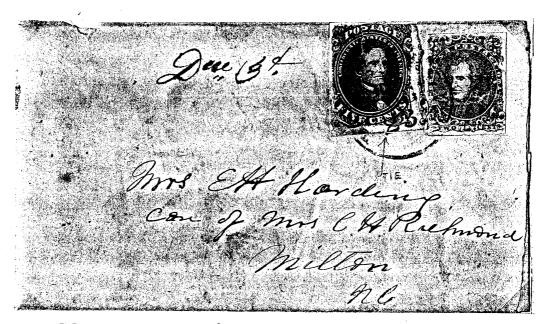


5CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINT, 5CENT BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VIRGINIA, (ILLEGIBLE DATE) TO QUINCY, FLORIDA. THE 10 CENT RATE FOR A LETTER TO ANY POINT WITHIN THE C.S.A., WIEIGHING LESS THAN 1/2 OUNCE, THAT WENT INTO EFFECT JULY 1, 1862.



VERTICAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LONDON PRINTS, 10 CENT BLUE, TATTERSON
PRINT, C.D.S. GORDONSVILLE, VIRGINIA, NOVEMBER II, 1862 TO RICHMOND,
VIRGINIA. A DOUBLE RATED LETTER, AFTER THE CHANGE OF RATES
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1862.

### THE CORRECT COLOR THE WRONG STAMP

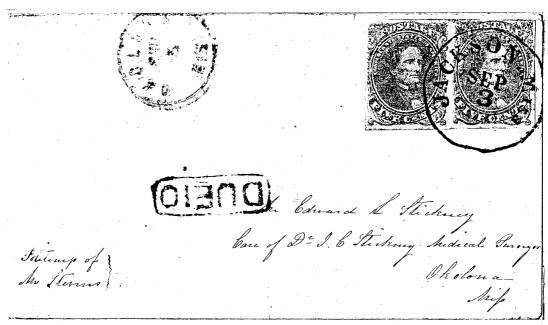


5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, AND 2 CENT GREEN PLUS MANUSCRIPT "DUE 3", MAKE UPTHE CORRECT 10 CENT RATE. C.D.S.(BLUE) PETERS-BURG, VA. AUG. 23 TO MILTON, N.C.

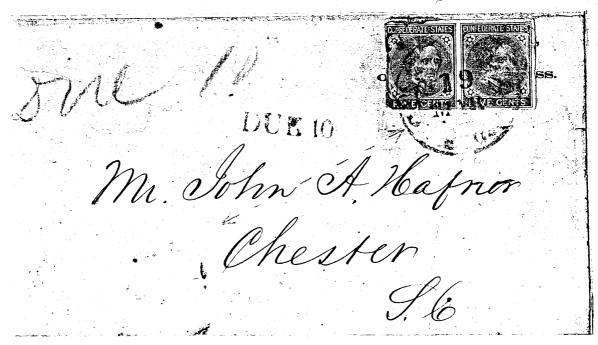
AN ATTEMPTED USE OF THE 2 CENT GREEN STAMP IN PLACE OF THE SCENT GREEN STAMP. THE MISTAKE HADTO BE RECTIFIED BY THE RECIPIENT WHO HADTO PAY THE ADDITIONAL 3 CENT FEE.

No. \_ 108 488 April 23, 19<sup>82</sup> THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION 270 MADISON AVENUE **NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016 EXPERT COMMITTEE** We have examined the enclosed item submitted by the applicant described as follows: Issue 1862 Denomination 2¢, 5¢ green, blue Color. Brief description or additional information All Catalogue numbers are Scott's unless On homemade cover with blue Petersburg, VA. and manuscript Due 3¢ postal markings. of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion and 5¢ blue, rethat the 2¢ eft side added, are genuinely paired cover used on For The Expert Committee Chairman Richard Krieger submitted by

#### DOUBLE RATE - UNDERPAID

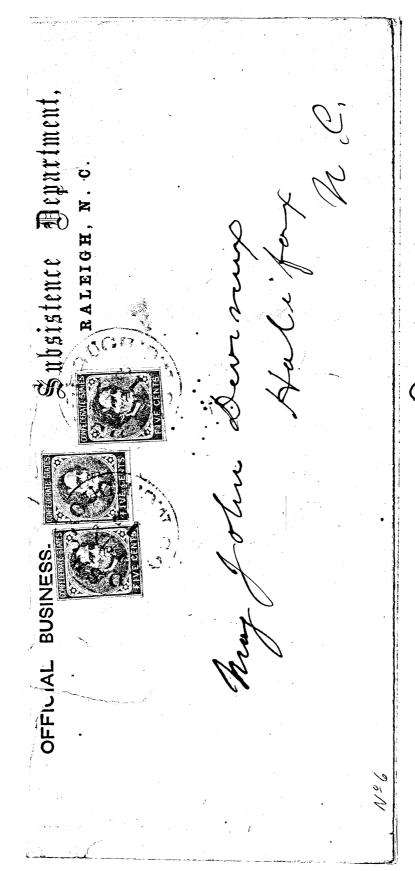


HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT LIGHT GREEN, STONE 2 AND DUE 10, CDS. JACKSON, MISS. SEP.3, (1862) TO OKOLONA, MISS. A DOUBLE WEIGHT LETTER THAT WAS UNDERPAID. SENT TO THE RECIPIENT WHO PAID THE ADDITIONAL FEE AT THE POST OFFICE IN OKOLONA, MISS., SEP. 5, (1862).



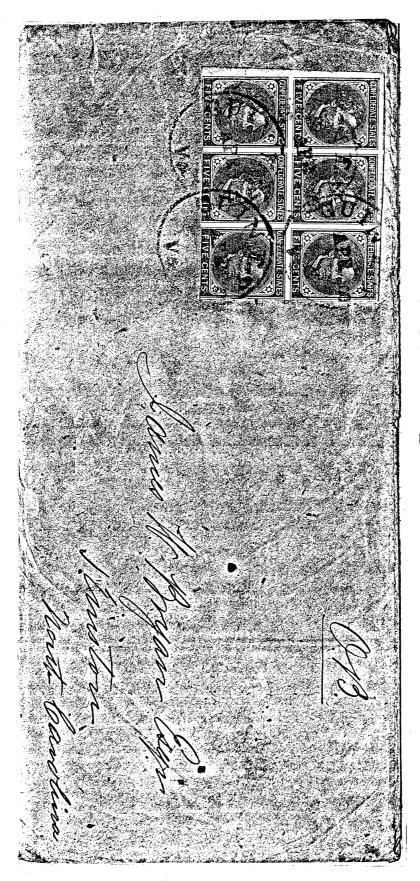
HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE LOCAL PRINTS, CDS (BLUE) COLUMBIA, S.C., MAR.19, AND H.S. DUE 10, M.S. DUE10 TO CHESTER, S.C., OM A SEMI-OFFICIAL "HEADQUARTERS, COLUMBIA, S.C., OFFICIAL BUSINESS" ENVELOPE. A DOUBLE. WEIGHT LETTER, UNDER PAID. THE RECIPIENT PAID THE ADDITIONAL FEE.

#### THREE TIMES NORMALRATE



3 SINGLE, 5 CENT BLUE,
LONDON PRINTS, C.D.S.
GOLDSBOROUGH, N.C., JUNIUS,
(1862) TO HALIFAX, N.C.
THE IS CENT RATE FOR A
LETTER WEIGHING FROM
I OUNCE TO I 1/2 OUNCES,
(PRIOR TO JULY I, 1862, WHEN
THE CHANGE IN RATES OCCURRED), THAT TRAVELLED A
DISTANCE OF LESS THAN
SOO MILES,
A SEMI-OFFICIAL ENVELOPE, (DIETZ TYPE 3) FROM
NORTH CAROLINA.

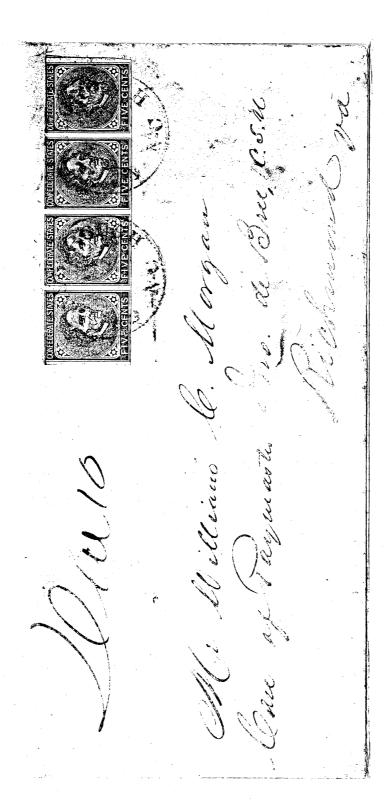
#### THREE TIMES NORMAL RATE



BLOCK OF SIX, 5 CENT BLUE LOCAL PRINTS, C.DS. GUINEYS, VA., APRIL, (1863) TO KINISTON, NORTH CAROLINA, DOCKETED "O.B." (OFFICIAL BUSINESS)
THE 30 CENT RATE FOR A LETTER WEIGHING FROM I OUNCE TO 1 1/2 OUNCES, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1862....

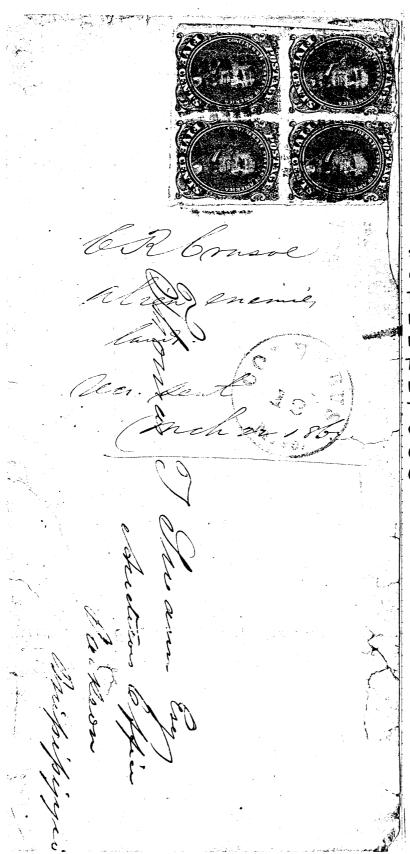
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## UNDERPAID THREE TIMES NORMAL RATE



HORIZONTAL STRIP OF 4
5 CENT BLUE, LONDON PRINTS
WITH A MANUSCRIPT "DUE JO"
C.D.S. (RED) GREENSBOROUGH,
N.C., (ILLEGIBLE MARCH DATE)
TO RICHMOND, VA.
THE 30 CENT RATE FOR A
LETTER WEIGHING FROM
I OUNCE TO 1 1/2 OUNCES.
EFFECTIVE JULY 1,1862.
THE RECIPIENT HAD TO PAY
THE ADDITIONAL FEE.

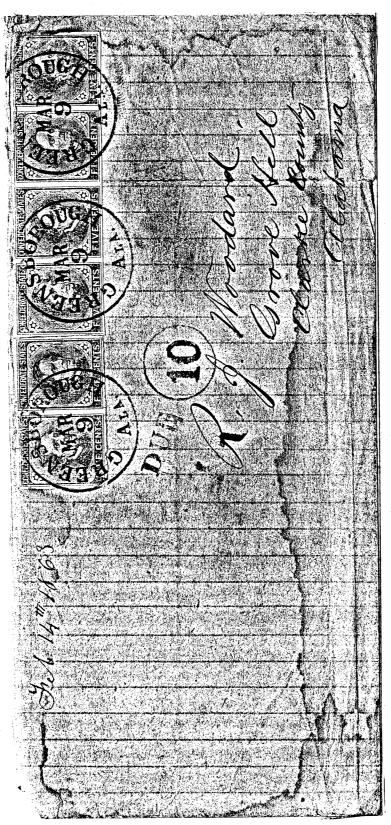
#### FOUR TIMES NORMAL RATE



BLOCK OF FOUR, 5 CENTGREEN, STONEZ, GRID CANCELLED, C.D.S. COLUMBUS, MISS., (MAR.) 13 (1862) TO JACKSON, MISS. THE 20 CENT RATE FOR A LETTER WEIGHING FROM 11/2 OUNCES TO 2 OUNCES, TRAVELLING LESS THAN 500 MILES. THE PROPER RATE PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1862.

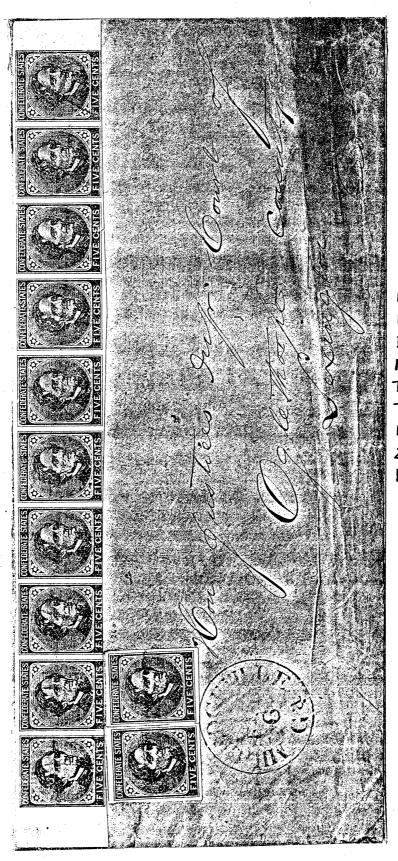
CALLE OF TWO BLOCKS OF FOUR OF THIS STAMP RECORDED USED ON COVER.

# UNDERPAID FOUR TIMES NORMAL RATE



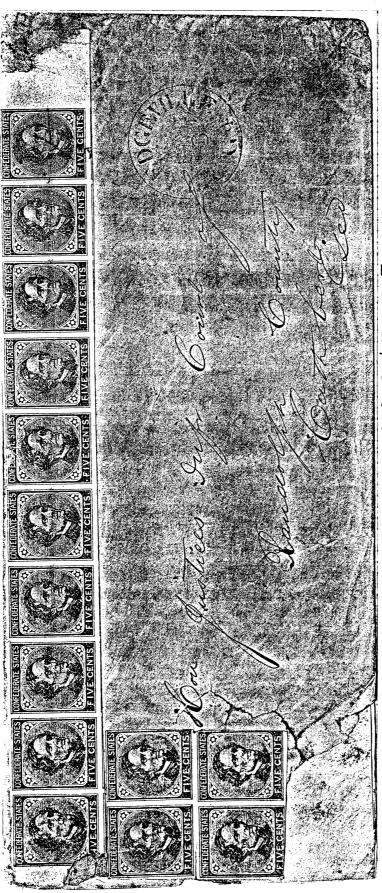
HORIZONTAL PAIR AND HORIZONTAL STRIPOF4. 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, WITH A HAND-STAMP" DUE 10, C.D.S. GREENSBOROUGH, ALA., MAR.9,(1863) TO GROVE HILL, ALA. THE 40 CENT RATE FOR A LETTER WEIGHING FROM 11/2 OUNCES TO 2 OUNCES. EFFECTIVE JULY 1,1862. THE HOMEMADE ENVEL-OPE IS MADE FROM A LEGAL FORM. THE RECIPIENT HAD TO PAY THE ADDITIONAL FEE.

## SIX TIMES NORMAL RATE



HORIZONTAL STRIPOFIO AND HORIZONTAL PAIR, 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. MILLEDGEVILLE, GA., FEB6, TO LEXINGTON, GA. THE 60 CENT RATE FOR A LETTER WEIGHING FROM 21/2 OUNCES, EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1862.

### SEVEN TIMES NORMALRATE

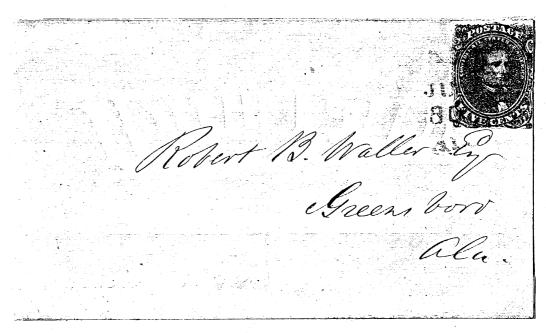


HORIZONTAL STRIPOF TEN, TWO HORIZONTAL PAIRS, 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, PEN CANCELL-ED, CD.S. MILLEDGEVILLE, GA., FEB. 6, TO CUTH BERT, GA.
THE 70 CENT RATE FOR A LETTER WEIGHING 31/2 TO 40 UNCES, TO ANY POINT IN THE CONFEDERACY AFTER JULY 1, 1862.

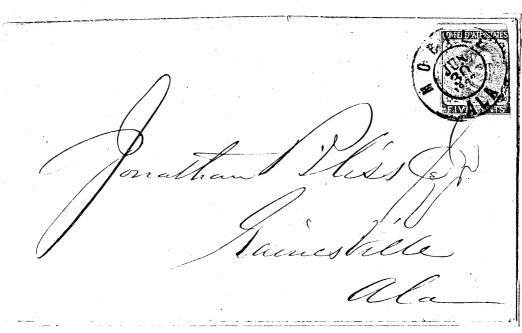
# CONFEDERATE STAMP ALLIANCE AUTHENTICATION COMMITTEE

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		Los Angeles, California 900	46	
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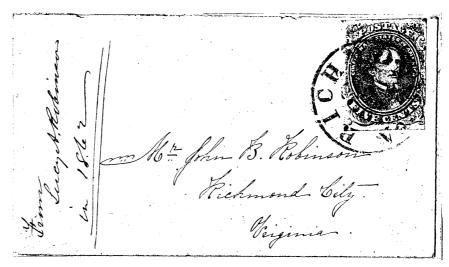


5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S. TUSCALOOSA, ALABAMA, JUNE 30 (1862)
TO GREENS BORD, ALABAMA. THE DISTANCE IS LESS THAN SOOMILES.
THE LAST DAY OF THE 5 CENT RATE ON AN OVERALL COLLEGE COVER.

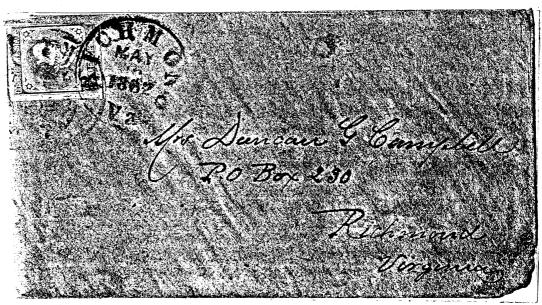


5 CENT BLUE LONDON PRINT. C.D.S. MOBILE, ALABAMA, JUNE 30, 1862. TO GAINESVILLE, ALABAMA. THE DISTANCE IS LESS THAN 500 MILES. THE LAST DAY OF THE 5 CENT RATE.

### OVERPAID DROP LETTERS



5CENT BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S.RICHMOND, VA., (ILLEGIBLE 1862 DATE) TO RICHMOND, VA. LEFT ATTHE P.O. WITH A STAM P ATTACHED, TO BE PICKED UP BY THE RECIPIENT. THE FEE FOR A DROP LETTER WAS 2 CENTS. AN OVER PAYMENT OF 3 CENTS.



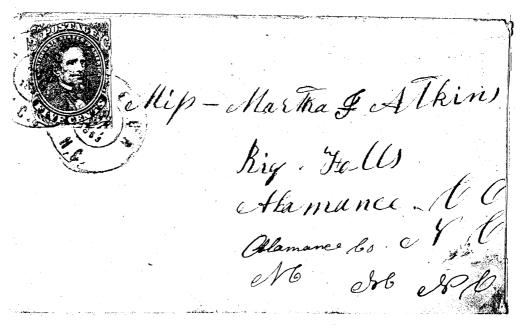
5 CENT, LIGHT BLUE, LONDON PRINT, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VA., MAY—, 1862, TO A.P.O. BOX, RICHMOND, VA. LEFTATTHE P.O. WITH A STAMPATTACH—ED, TO BE PICKED UP BY THE RECIPIENT THE FEE FOR A DROP LETTER WAS 2 CENTS, AN OVERPAYMENT OF 3 CENTS.

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#### UNDERPAID BUT DELIVERED

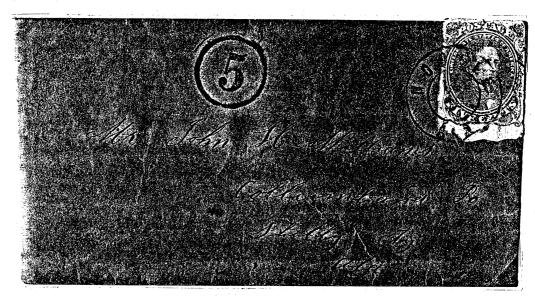


SCENT LIGHT GREEN, STONE I, C.D.S. ABINGDON, VA., (ILLEGIBLE DATE) TO COMO, MISS. THE DISTANCE IS 475 MILES BETWEEN TOWNS. IF THE ROUTING INSTRUCT—IONS WERE FOLLOWED, THE DISTANCE WAS 875 MILES. THE CORRECT RATE WAS 10 CENTS. AN UNDERPAID LETTER DELIVERED AT NO ADDITIONAL FEE.

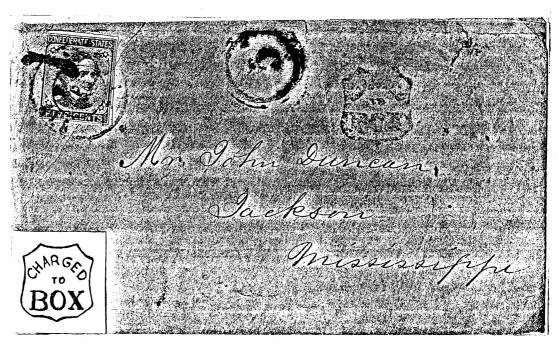


5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S. RALEIGH, N.C. TO BIG FALLS, N.C., ILLEGIBLE 1863 DATE. THE 10 CENT RATE WAS EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1862. AN UNDERPAID LETTER DELIVERED AT NO ADDITIONAL FEE.

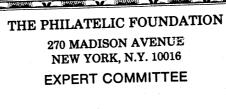
#### UNDERPAID AND DELIVERED



SCENT GREEN, STONE I, C.D.S. MOBILE, ALA, (-), 10, 1862 TO COLLUMBIANA, ALA. WITH HANDSTAMP (DUE) 5. THE IOCENT RATE WAS EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1862. THE RECIPIENT PAID THE ADDITIONAL FEE.



SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINT CD5 MOBILE, ALA. DEC. 23,1862 TO JACKSON, MISS WITH-HANDSTAMP (DUE) S. THE JACKSON POSTMASTER CHARGED THE ADDITIONAL FEE TO THE RECIPIENTS ACCOUNT.



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We have examined the enclosed item submitted by the applicant described as follows:

Country: CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA

Cat. No.

Issue

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Color

5¢ blue

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

ON COVER WITH "DUE 5" IN CIRCLE, "CHARGE TO BOX", AND MOBILE, ALA. POSTAL MARKINGS

OF WHICH A PHOTOGRAPH IS ATTACHED AND ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

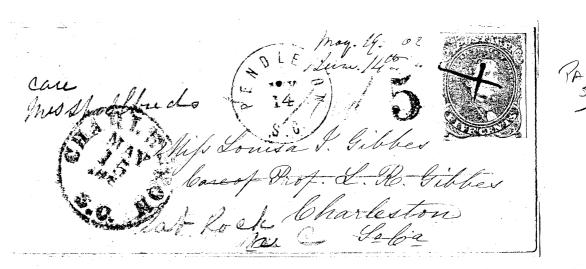
IT IS A GENUINE USAGE WITH A VERTICAL CREASE IN THE STAMP AT RIGHT \* \* \* \* \* \*



For The Expert Committee
Chairman

RICHARD KRIEGER

### FORWARDED LETTERS

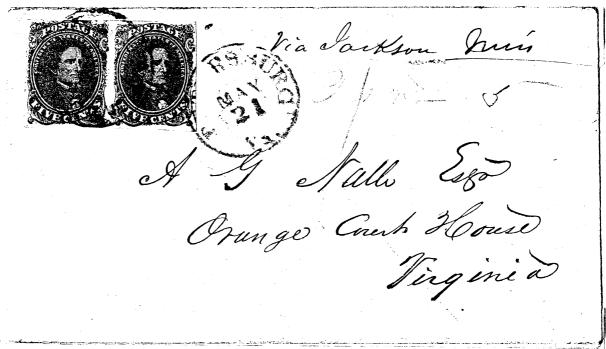


5 CENT LIGHT GREEN, STONE 2, PEN CANCELLED, C.D.S. (BLUE) PENDLE-TON, S.C., MAY 14, (1862) TO CHARLESTON, S.C. FORWARDED (DUE) "5", C.D.S. CHARLESTON, S.C. MAY 15 (1862) TO FLAT ROCK, N.C., THE PROPER RATE FOR A LETTER SENT LESS THAN 500 MILES TRIOR TO JULY 1, 1862.



HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. COLUMBIA, TEX. JULY 16(1863) TO SHREVEPORT, LA. PREPAID AND FORWARDED, C.D.S. SHREVEPORT, LA. AUG. 4, 1863 TO HOUSTON, TEX. THE PROPER RATE FOR A LETTER SENT AFTER JULY, 1, 1862.

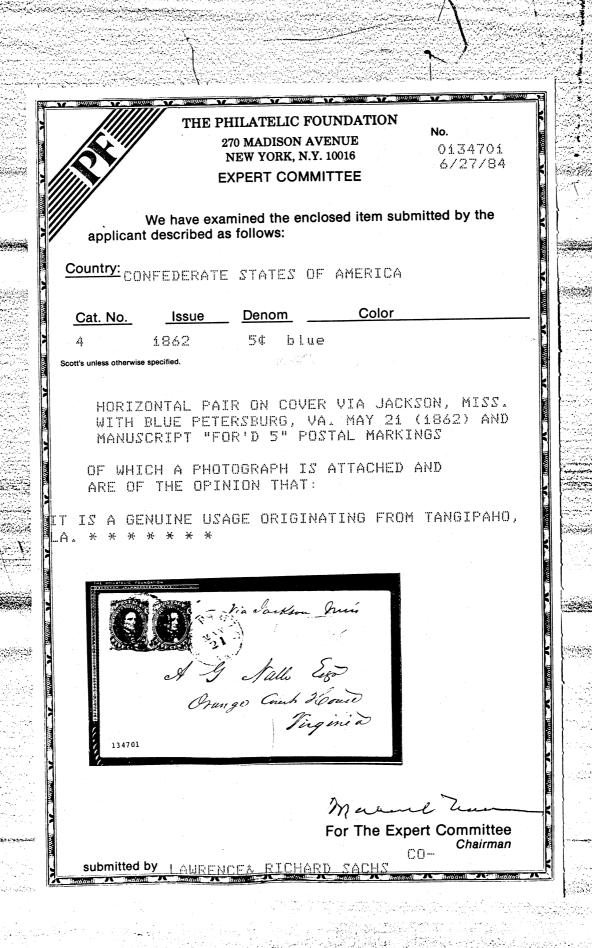
### FORWARDED MAIL



HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, CDSTANGIPAHO, LA., ILLEGIBLE DATE, TO ORANGE COURT HOUSE, VIRGINIA, VIAVACKSON, MISS. FORWARDED TO PETERSBURG, VA. (DUE) S. PICKED UPAT THE PETERSBURG POST OFFICE, MAY 21, (1862), (BLUE C.D.S.), WHERE THE RECIPLENT PAID THE ADDITIONAL FEE. THE STAMPS PAID THE RATE FOR ALETTER SENT OVER 500 MILES. (DUE) 5 WAS THE PROPER RATE FROM ORANGE C.H. TO PETERSBURG.



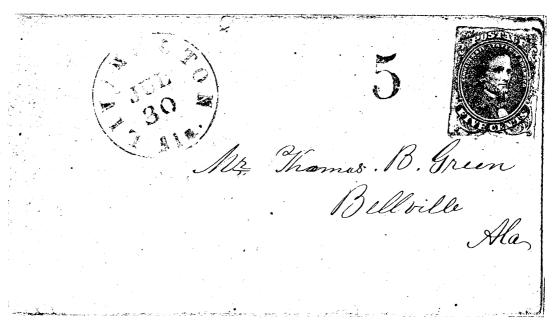
SOLDIERS LETTER (DUE 10) CDS RAPID ANN STATION, VA. DEC. 14, (1862) TO NATCHEZ, MISS. FORWARDED WITHOUT AN ADDITIONAL FEE AFTER THE ORIGINAL "DUE 10" HAD BEEN PAID WITH A VERTICAL PAIR OF SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, ON LONDON PAPER, C.D.S. NATCHEZ, MISS., DEC. 31, 1862, TO BAYOU SARA, LA.



# SHORT PAID. FORWARDED COLLECT. CANCELLED WITH NUMERALS.



5 CENT BLUE, LONDON PRINT, PEN CANCELLED WITH NUMERAL "5" AND MANUSCRIPT" DUE 5 "MAKE THE PROPER IOCENT RATE FOR A LETTER SENT AFTER JUNE 30, 1862, MANUSCR-IPT MOREMANIS RIVER, (VA.), JULY 5, (18)62 TO CHARLOTTES VILLE, VA. THE RECIPIENT PAID THE ADDITIONAL POSTAGE.



SCENT BLUE, STONE 2, HANDSTAMPED WITH NUMERAL"5" AND HAND-STAMP (DUE) 5, C.D.S. LAVINGSTON ALA. JULY 30, (1862) TO BELLVILLE, ALA. THE PROPER RATE WAS 10 CENTS FOR A LETTER MAILED AFTER JUNE 30, 1862. THE RECIPIENT PAID THE ADDITIONAL POSTAGE.

### MISSENT AND FORWARDED

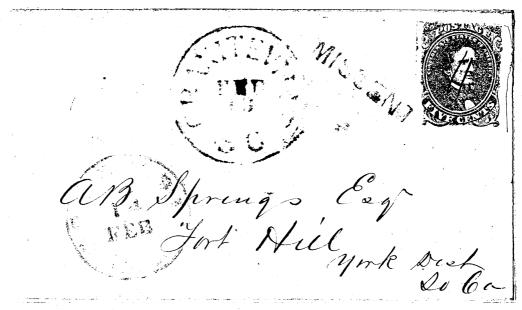


HORIZONTAL PAIR OF 5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, ON A DOUBLE WEIGHT LETTER. C.D.S. STAUN-TON, VIRGINIA, JUN. (?), 1862 TO CHARLOTTE, N.C. MISSENT TO FAYETTEVILLE, N.C. AND FORWARDED ON JUN. 20, 1862 TO CHARLOTTE, N.C. AT NO ADDITIONAL FEE,

## MISSENT

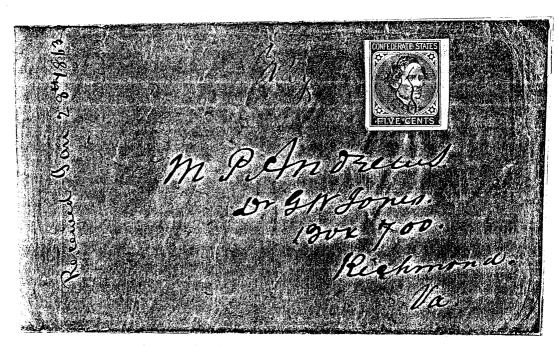


5CENT GREEN, STONEI, C.D.S. CHARLESTON, S.C., MAR . 28, 1862 TO CAMDEN, S.C. MISSENT TO COLUMBIA, S.C. AND FORWARDED AT NO ADDITIONAL FEE ON MAR. 31, (1862).



5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, PEN CANCELLED, C.D.S. GRANITEVILLE, S.C. FEB. 13, TO FORT HILL (MILL), YORK DIST, S.C. MISSENT TO COLUMBIA, S.C. AND FORWARDED AT NO ADDITIONAL FEE ON FEB. 14.

### MANUSCRIPT MARKINGS



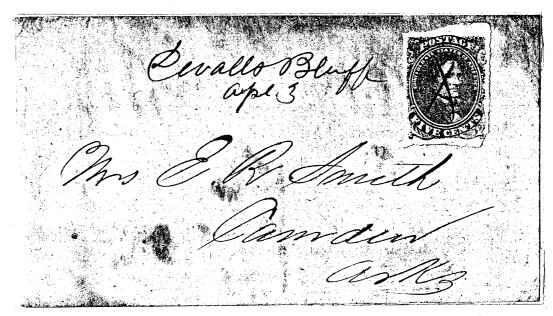
5 CENT LIGHT BLUE, LONDON PRINT: PICKED UP ENROUTE BY A REGULAR MAIL CARRIER. THE CARRIER RECEIVED A FEE OF 2 CENTS FOR THIS ADDITIONAL SERVICE. LEFT AT THE RICHMOND POST OFFICE AS A DROP LETTER (A 2 CENT FEE) IT IS AN OVERPAYMENT OF I CENT.



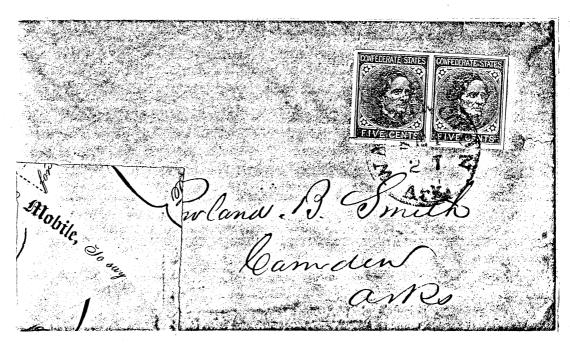
FCENT OLIVE GREEN, STONE A ORB, C.D.S. SMITHFIELD, VA., FEB. 25, (1862) IN RED, TO HILLSBORO, N.G. MANUSCRIPT "MISSENT" C.D.S. CHARLOTTE, N.C., (ILLEGIBLE DATE) IN BLUE, AND FORWARDED AT NO EXTRA FEE, ON A MOURNING COVER.

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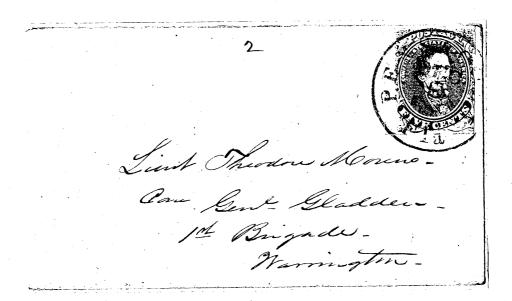


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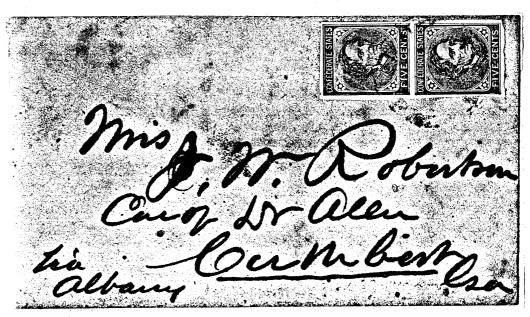


HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. WASHINGTON, ARK, SEP. 27/1864) TO CAMDEN, ARK. ON A COVER MADE FROM A STEAMBOAT MANIFEST.

### USED FROM FLORIDA.



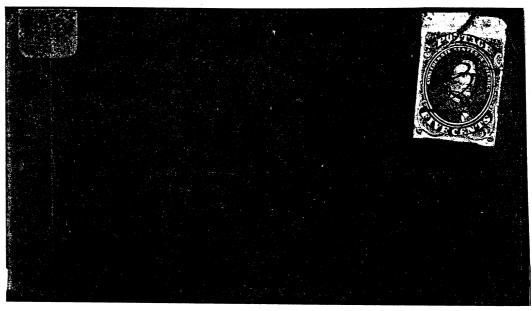
5CENT OLIVE GREEN, STONE AORB. C.D.S. PENSACOLA, FLA., DEC.5, (1862)
TO WARRINGTON, FLA.). THE POPULATION OF FLORIDA IN 1860 WAS
ONLY 140, 424 PEOPLE, THE THIRD STATE TO SECEDE FROM THE
UNION (JANUARY 10, 1861), ITHAD LESS TO OFFER IN MATERIALS AND
MANPOWER THAN ANY OTHER STATE IN THE CONFEDERACY.



VERTICAL PAIR SCENT BLUE, LONDON PRINTS, C.D.S. QUINCY, FLA., (ILLEG-IBLE DATE) TO CUTHBERT, GA. THE COVER IS MADE FROM AN OLD FADED LETTER.

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### USED FROM KENTUCKY





TURNED COVER

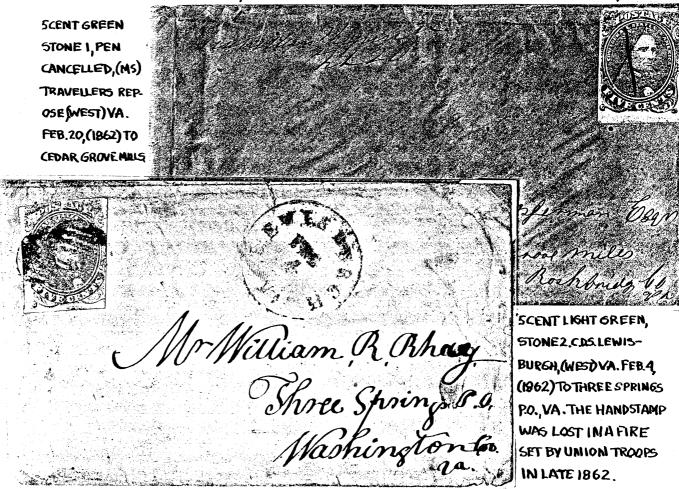
FIRST USAGE - HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT GREEN, STONEL, CDS. BOWLING GREEN, KY, JAN 18, 1862 TO LOVING CREEK, VA. CONFEDERATE TROOPS OCCUPIED PARTS OF KENTUCKY FROM SEPTEMBER, 1861 TO THE LATTER PART OF FEBRUARY, 1862.

SECOND USAGE - 5 CENT GREEN, STONE 1, PEN CANCELLED, MS. LOVING CREEK, VA MARCH 27, (1862). TO PIGE ON RUN, VA. (COLOR PHOTO)

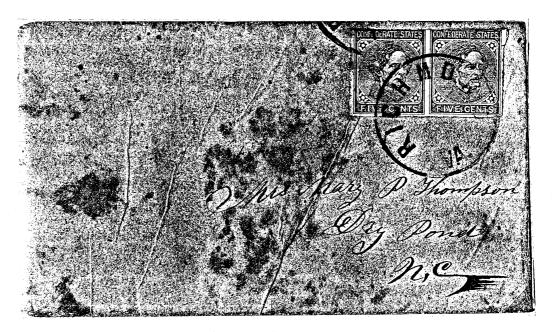
#### USED FROM (WEST) VIRGINIA



SCENT GREEN, STONE I, CD.S. WHITE SULPHER SPRINGS, (WEST) VIRGINIA, MAR. 19, (1862) TO SALT SULPHER SPRINGS, (WEST VIRGINIA), A BORDERTOWN IN GREENBRIER COUNTY, AN AREA THAT RARELY CAME UNDER CONTROL OF THE "RESTORED" VIRGINIA GOVERNMENT, RECOGNIZED BY THE NORTHERN CONGRESS JULY 4, 1861. WEST VIRGINIA WAS ADMITTED TO THE UNION JUNE 20,1863.



### DATELESS CANCELLATIONS

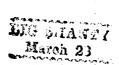


HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VA. TO DRY POND, N.C. ONE OF 4 COVERS RECORDED WITH THE DATELESS, RICHMOND, VA. CANCELLATION IN BLACK.



HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VA. TO YANCEYVILLE, N.C. THE DATELESS C.D.S. IN BLUE, WAS USED FROM MAY 14, 1863 TO MAY 31, 1863.

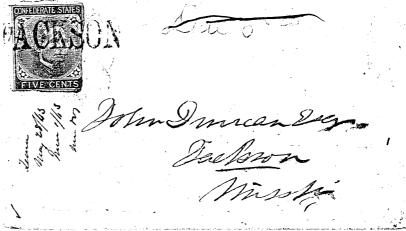
#### STRAIGHTUNE CANCELLATIONS





Mrs Mary Route Spring Place Georgia SCENT BLUE, STONE 2,
PEN CANCELLED WITH
STRAIGHTLINE, BIG
SHANTY, (GA.) MAR.21,
(1862) TO SPRING PLACE,
GA.

SCENT BLUE, LONDON
PRINT WITH STRAIGHTLINE
JACKSON (MISS.) TO JACKSON,
MISS. WITH VOIDED "DUES"
THE LETTER WAS LEFT AT
THE POST OFFICE UNPAID.
THE RECIPIENT PAID THE
SCENTS, ACKNOWLEDGED
BY THE CANCELLED STAMP.

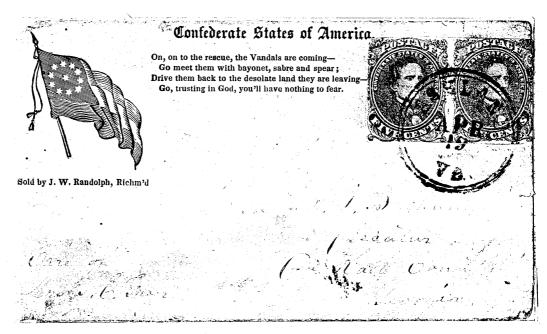


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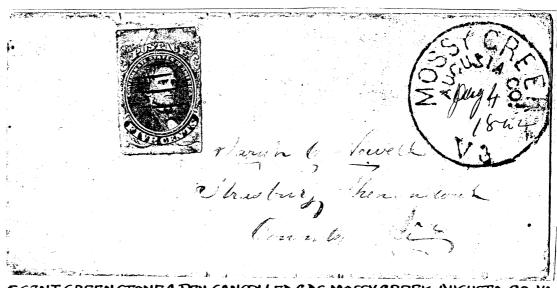
TWO S CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS WITH STRAIGHTLINE GOODSON, VA. TO HUNTSVILLE, N.C.

August 28, 19 81 No. 101 466 THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION 270 MADISON AVENUE NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016 EXPERT COMMITTEE We have examined the enclosed item submitted by the applicant described as follows: CSA Issue 1862 Denomination 5¢ Country -\_\_ Cat. No. Color \_ Brief description or additional information Pen cancelled on cover with two line straightline BIG SHANTY(Ga.) Mar. 23 handstamp. of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion that the stamp is genuinely used on this 101 466 Mer Mary Houte For The Expert Committee Chairman Robert G. Kaufmann. submitted by \_

#### UNUSUAL CANCELLATIONS



HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT LIGHT GREEN, STONE2, WITH COLLING CO. DOUBLE LINE OUTER CIRCLEC.D.S. ASHLAND, VA. APR. 19, (1862) TO DECATUR, GA. ON A DIETZTYPE B-65A PATRIOTIC ENVELOPE. PAYING THE IOCENT RATE FOR A LETTER SENT OVER SOOMILES PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1862.



TCENT GREEN, STONE 1, PEN CANCELLED, CDS, MOSSY CREEK, AUGUSTA CO., VA. NG. DATE JUL. 4, 1862 TO STRASBURG, VA. OF 3 MCGSY CREEK COUNTY CANCELLATIONS KNOWN USED IN THE C.S.A., THIS IS THE ONLY ONE WITH A STAMP.

From: Gordon Blouler 2115 Barberry Drive, Dallas, Temms 75211

Col. Richard Krieger Butternut Lane Horwalk, Conn. 06851

Dear Dick ....

Nice to hear from you again. Your letter and merox are at hand, and I have looked them over. I believe the cancellation and usage of the Mossy Creek, Augusta Co., Va. town marking (in 1862) are genuine. The town marking with Augusta Co. is really quite scarce, and, was one of the very few "county" markings used during the Confederate period. This is the only example of this marking I have seen used with a C.S.A. stemp.

I read the date to be "July" 4 instead of August, (1862); thus, only four days after the rate change from 5 cents to 10 cents, but even if it was August, 1862, the usage of a 5 cents stamp is readily explained since many were not aware of the rate change, and some postmasters did not catch the underpaid rate in handling. If you can verify that the pen stroke killers on the stamp are in the same shade of ink as used to date the town marking, should assist in verifying the usage of this stamp on the cover as the age toning around the stamp seems compatable.

In my pre-civil war collection I have several markings from Mossy Creek, Va. with "Augusta Co." in the town marking. One of these has a very fancy handstamped "Paid 3"; thus dating in the early 1850's; the month and day are handstamped. In the late 1850's the postmaster apparently lost his month and day changes, and started writing them in manuscript. I have two covers with the Augusta Co. narking and manuscript dates; one has a 3¢ 1857 Type I, and the other is on a small size 3¢ entire.

During the Confederate period I have the following:

Hossy Greek, Augusta Co., Va., July 19 (date mss.); Paid 5 (handstamped) (1841)

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Hossy Greek, Va. and Paid 5, all in manuscript; date Dec. 20 (1851)

There is a Mossy Greek, Va. Raid 10, all in namuscript, date of Jan. 28 (prob. 1863 or 1864), identified as Lot. No. A52 in the Gravely Sale, C.S.A. Auction to be held by Tvy Philatolic Auctions, Oct. 1, 1982.

Trust that you have received the catalog noted for this sale as it was released by the Tvy Auctions to Mambers of the Confederate Stamp Alliance about ten days ago. I have nothing to add on the Trans-Miss. markings..

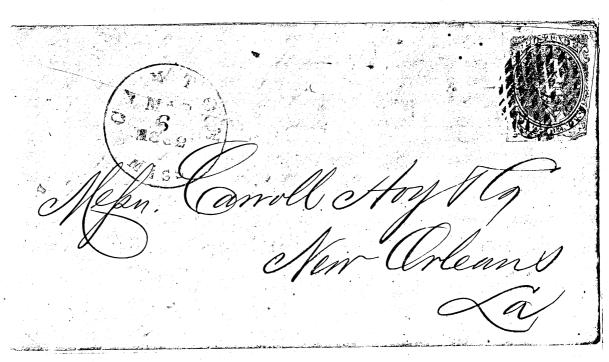
Very truly yours,

Fraton Deuler

# FANCY CANCELLATIONS

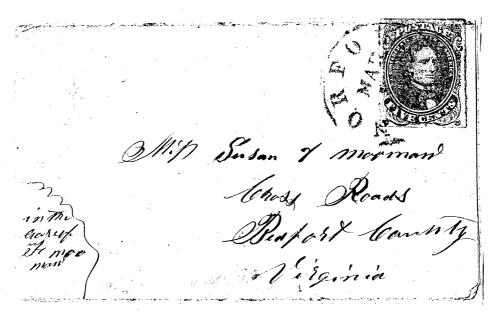


5CENT GREEN, STOINEL, STAR CANCELLED, C.D.S.TUSCALOOSA, ALA., FEB. 24, (1862) TO DEMOPOLIS, ALA., ON OVERALL UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA COLLEGE COVER.

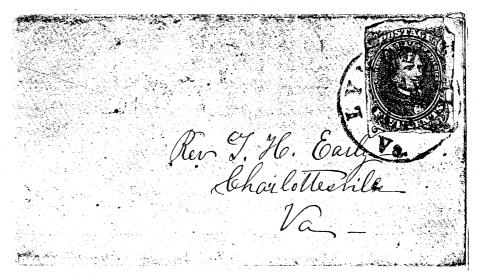


5 CENT GREEN, STONE 1, GRID CANCELLED, CD.S. CANTON, MISS MAR. 6,1862. TO NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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SCENT GREEN, STONE 1, C.D.S. (BLUE) NORFOLK VA. MAR. (?), 1862 TO CROSS ROADS, VA.



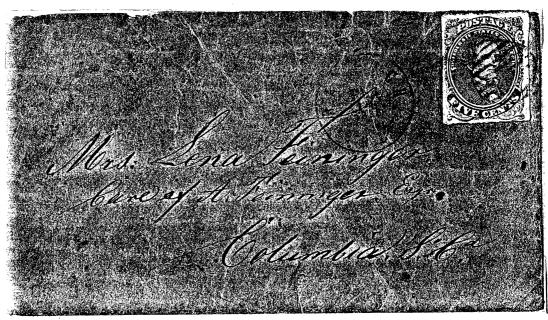
5CENT BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S. (BLUE), LYNCHBURG, VA., MAY 15, (1862) TO CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.



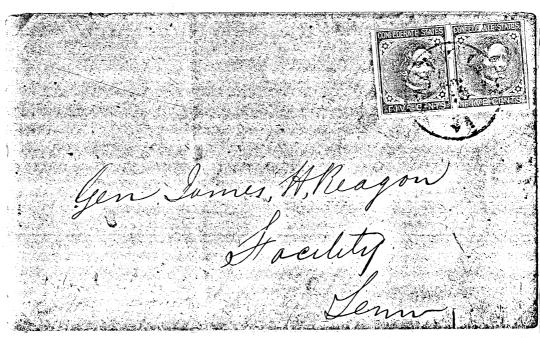
5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, C.D. S(RED) SMITHFIELD, VA. MAR. (?), (1862)
TO THOMPSON VILLE, ROCKINGHAM CO., N.C.



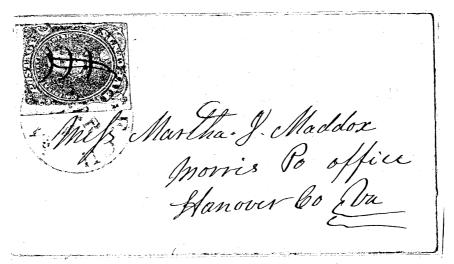
HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. (RED), YANCEYVILLE, N.C.OCT, 29,1862 TO HAMPDEN SYDNEY COLLEGE, VA.



5CENT, LIGHT GREEN, STONE 1, GRID CANCELLED, C.D.S. (GREEN) RALEIGH, N.C., FEB. 14, 1862, TO COLUMBIA, 5.C.



HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT LIGHT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS ON LONDON PAPER, CDS. (GREEN) SALTVILLE, VA. (ILLEGIBLE DATE) TO FACILITY, TENN.

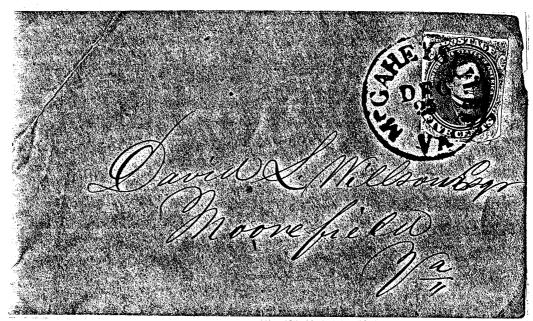


5CE NT LIGHT GREEN, STONE 2, C.D.S. (ORANGE), ORANGE C.H., VA.MAR. 23, (1862) TO MORRIS P.O., VA. ONE OF FOUR COVERS RECORDED WITH AN ORANGE CANCELLATION ON THIS STAMP.



TURNED COVER-AS CENT BLUE LOCAL PRINT, CDS. ANDERSON C.H.S.C., MAR. 13 TO PENDLETON, S.C., AN UNDERPAID LETTER THAT WAS DELIVERED AT NO ADDITIONAL FEE, TURNED-HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. (PURPLE) PENDLETON, S.C. MAR. 24, TO PICKENS C.H., S.C.

# HOLIDAY USAGES

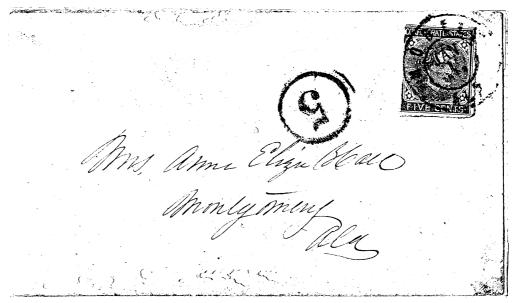


"5CENT OLIVE GREEN, STONE A OR B, C.D.S. MCGHHEYSVILLE, VA, TO MOORE — FIELD, VA - MAILED ON CHRISTMAS DAY, DEC. 25, (1861)



HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S. TUPELO, MISS.
TO TRYON (TRION) P.O., ALA.-MAILED ON JULY, 4, 1862 - BETTER
KNOWN AS "INDEPENDENCE DAY".

### HOLIDAY USAGE

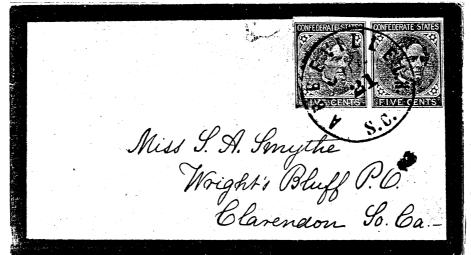


SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINT, C.D.S. MOBILE, ALA. JAN. 1,1863, AND (OUE) 5 IN A CIRCLE TO MONTGOMERY, ALA. AN UNDERPAID LETTER SENT AFTER THE CHANGE IN POSTAL RATES THAT TOOK EFFECT JULYI, 1862. THE RECIPIENT PAID THE ADDITIONAL FEE.



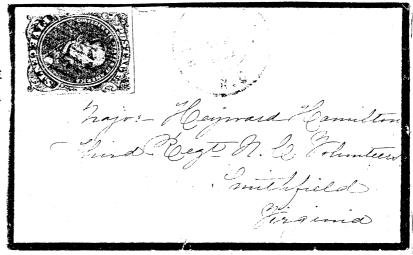
HORIZONTAL PAIR, SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. (BLUE), CHARLOTTE, N.C. (DATELESS) TO MARIETTA, GA. FORWARDED (DUE) 10, C.D.S. MARIETTA, GA. JAN.I, (1864) TO DALTON, GA. FORWARDING INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK.

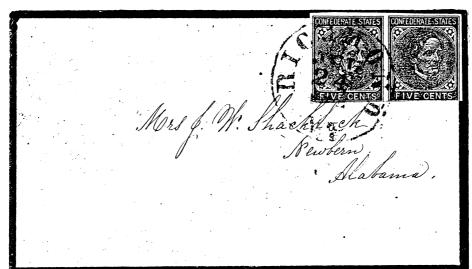
## MOURNING COVERS



HORIZONTAL PAIR
5 CENTBLUE, LOCAL
PRINTS ON LONDON
PAPER.C.D.S. ABBEVILLE C.H., S.C., JUL 21,
TO WRIGHT'S BLUFF
P.O., CLARENDON
(COUNTY) S.C.

GRID CANCELLED, C.D.S. (BLUE GREEN) HILLSBORD, N.C. MAR. 21,1862 TO SMITHFIELD, VA. THE PROPER RATE FOR A LETTER SENT UNDER SOO MILES, AND WEIGHING LESS THAN 1/20 UNCE, PRIOR TO JULY 1,1862.

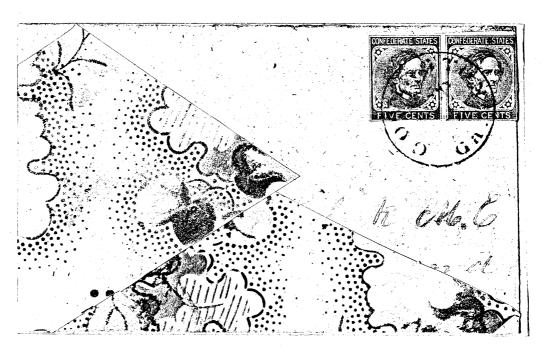




HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS C.D.S. RICH-MOND, VA. JUL, 24, TONEWBERN, ALA.

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### WALLPAPER COVERS.

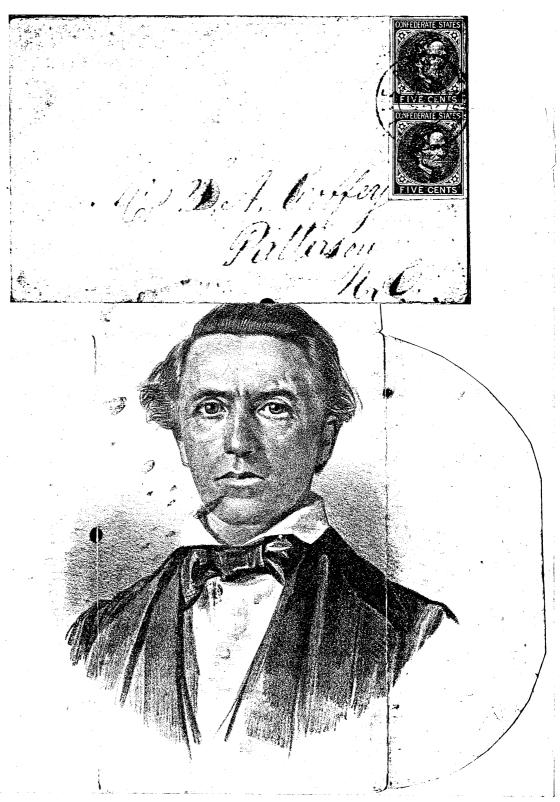


HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LONDON PRINTS, C.D.S.COVINGTON, GA., ILLEGIBLE SEP. DATE, TO RICHMOND, VA.



HORIZONTAL PAIR, SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. POLLARD, ALA., MAR.2, C1863-64) TO FORT DEPOSIT, ALA.

#### HOME-MADE ENVELOPE



VERTICAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. LITTLE ROCK, ARK, ILLEGIBLE DATE, TO PATTERSON, N.C. (COLOR PHOTO).

THE ENVELOPE IS MADE FROM A LITHOGRAPH OF A SCHOOL MASTER.

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#### OVERALL ADVERTISING COVERS



A HORIZONTAL, LEFT SHEET MARCIN PAIR, 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, GRIDCANC-ELLED, C.D.S. SALEM, N.C., AUG 26, (1862) TO RICHMOND VA. ON AN OVERALL ADVERT-ISING COVER OF THE SALEM MUTUAL INSURANCE CO. DOCKETED ON THE REVERSE, TAYLORSVILLE STATION, AUG. 30, A.D. 1862-VERY EARLY USAGE.

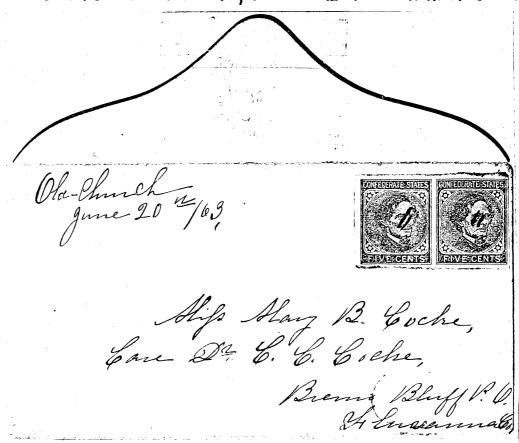


HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LONDON PRINTS, CDS. RICHMOND, VA. AUG. 19.1862.
TO BLACK WALNUT, VA. ON AN OVERALL ADVERTISING COVER OF A WHOLE-SALE GROCER.

#### CAPTURED PATRIOTIC COVERS



SCENT GREEN, STONE 1, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VA. JUN 30,1862 TO MECHANICS VILLE, S.C. THE LAST DAY OF THE 5 CENT RATE, ON A CAPTURED UNION PATRIOTIC COVER.



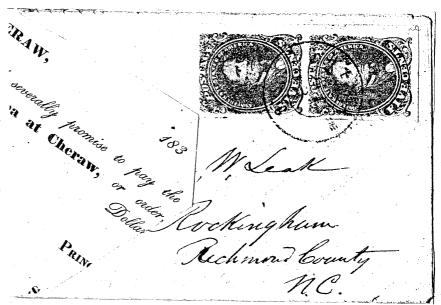
HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, PENCANCELLED, MS. OLD CHURCH, (VA.) JUNE 20,1863, TO BREMO BLUFF P.O., (VA.), ON A CAPTURED UNION PATRIOTIC COVER.

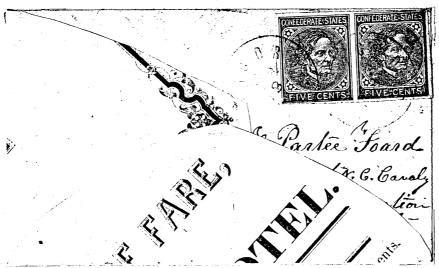
#### ADVERSITY COVERS



5 CENT GREEN, STONE 1, C.D.S. CARROLTON, GA (ILLEGIBLE DATE) TO RENWICK, GA. ON A TURNED COVER. REVERSE SIDE HAND CARRIED TO

VERTICAL PAIR OF SCENT, LIGHT MILKY BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S. CHERAW, S.C., OCT. 3, TO ROCKINGHAM, N.C. THE ENVELOPE IS MADE FROM AN UN-USED BANK FORM.





HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.DS. (BLUE) CONCORD, N.C. APR. 8, (1864) TO HANOVER JUNCTION, VA. THE ENVELOPE IS MADE FROM THE BILL OF PARE OF THE CONCORD HOTEL

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#### A CAPTURED ENVELOPE



VERTICAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. SHELBYVILLE, TEN. MAR. 15, (1863) TO CHATTANOOGA, TENN. VIA THE N. C.R.R. (NASHVILLE AND CHATTANOOGA RAILROAD), ON A CAPTURED IMPRINTED "SOLDIERS LETTER" ENVELOPE OF THE DOUGLAS BRIGADE, 55 TO REGIMENT I.V.M. (ILLINOIS VOLUNTEER MILITIA)

### 1860 CAMPAIGN COVER



VERTICAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S., SUMMIT, MISS.

ILLEGIBLE MARCH (1863) DATE TO SATARTIA, MISS. VIA VICKS BURG.

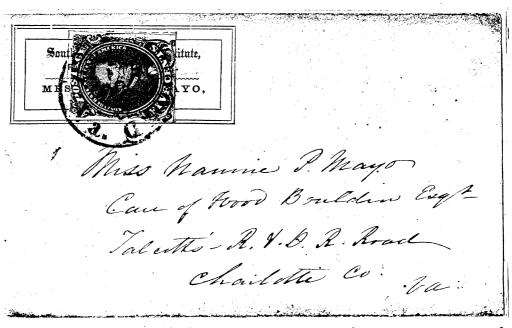
AN 1860 PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN COVER "JOHN C. BRECKENRIDGE OF KENT, FOR PRESIDENT, JOSEPH LANE OF OR. FOR V. PRES.

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#### COLLEGE COVERS

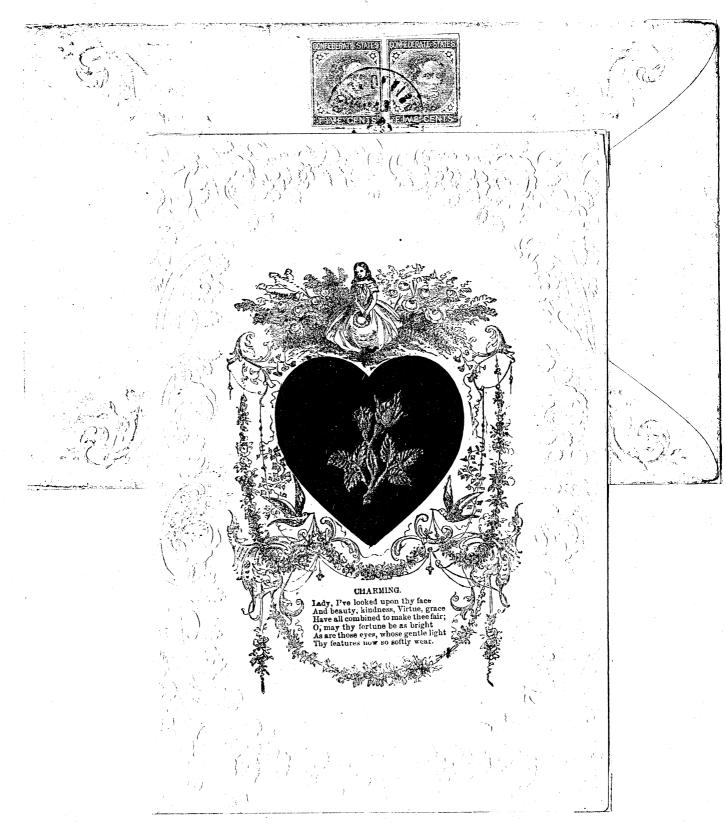


SCENT GREEN, STONE 1, GRID CANCELLED, C.D.S. CHAPEL HILL, N.C. FEB. 19 (1862) TO SALISBURY, N.C. ON AN OVERALL DESIGN COVER OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

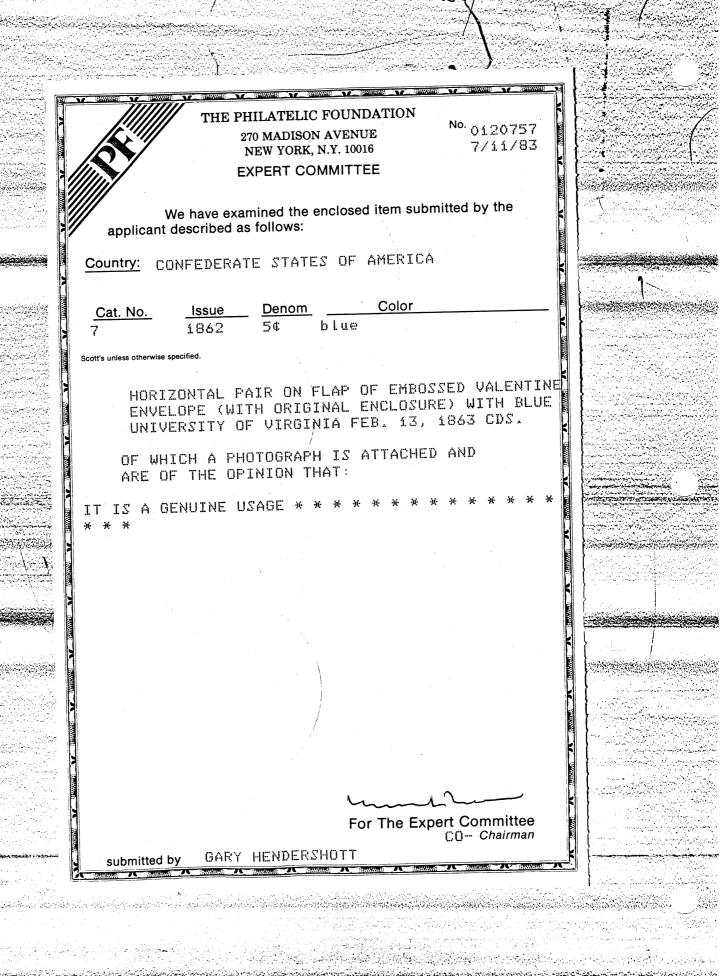


5 CENT DARK BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VA. (ILLEGIBLE 1862 DATE), TO TALCOTT'S ON THE RICHMOND AND DANVILLE RAILROAD, VA., USED OVER THE CORNER CARD OF THE SOUTHERN WAVERLY INSTITUTE.

# VALENTINE



HORIZONTAL PAIR, SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. (BLUE) UNIVERSITY OF VIRGINIA, FEB.13, 1863, TO RICHMOND, VA. "FEW VALENTINES" DAY GREETINGS WERE EVER USED IN THE CONFEDERACY, AND STILL FEWER HAVE SURVIVED." — AUGUST DIETZ.



### AN EYEWITNESS ACCOUNT FROM FORT SUMTER

Fut hunter Saturday 18 haly 186 And tempe bombardment of Balley Magner has been going in for the part two homes this news the rivent as ever. Fine Minitus the Son bills and Leveral horde gum trate in Shelling it at a fearful rate I hope the for felling there into be able Whold out, The Batter up to this morning had not been inqued, but to days bush Bendy the Lea attack, it has writhstand batteris exected down the Island and there Batteris have paint gims, though The Calibre is less than the Lea guns. I have hope of Charlestin's escaping, though do not took for its fall for Im weeks, unless on engineer took does not get on as fast H. E. Ravend Cy Pendleton So. Ca.

HORIZONTALPAIR 5 CENT BLUE LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. CHARLESTON, S.C., JULY 19,1863 TO PENDLETON, S.C., ENCLOSURE DATELINED FORT SUMTER, SATURDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 1863. DESCRIBES THE ONGOING BOMBARDMENT OF BATTERY WAGNER, THAT HE IS WITNESSING, AND THE FEAR THAT FORT SUMTER WILL HAVE TO BE ABANDONED.

Federal authorities looked to a combined operation to seize Morris Island and from there demolish Fort Sumter. With Fort Sumter reduced, the harbor could be entered.

# The Morris Island Approach to Fort Sumter

Folly Island and Cole's Island, next south of Morris Island, had been occupied by Northern troops just prior to the naval attack. In June and July, the northern end of Folly Island was fortified. In a remarkable operation, 47 guns and mortars were secretly placed "within speaking distance of the enemy's pickets." Some 11,000 men were concentrated on the island. Brig. Gen. Quincy A. Gillmore, the "breacher" of Fort Pulaski, assumed command on June 12. Rear Adm. John A. Dahlgren superséded Admiral Du Pont on July 6.

During that time the Confederates mounted guns at the southern end of Morris Island and built up the earthworks at its upper end—Battery Gregg at Cummings Point and Battery Wagner some 1,400 yards to the south. The latter work, commanding the island at its narrowest point, was made into a formidable "sand fort" mounting about 15 guns.

Fort Sumter, 1,390 yards distant from Battery Gregg, prepared for siege, too. Brick and stone masonry "counterforts," already built at each extremity of the esplanade as protection for the magazines, were now strengthened, and much of the remaining gorge exterior was sandbagged,

Col. Alfred Rhett. From Johnson, The Defense of Charleston Harbor.



But. Maj. Gen. Quincy A. Gillmore.
From Johnson, The Defense of
Charleston Harbor.

or otherwise protected. The casemates on the right flank ("sea tront") were filled with sand, and the rooms on the gorge were filled with damp cotton bales laid in sand. The upper-tier magazines were abandoned and filled with sandbags to protect the magazines below. Protective revetments and defensive devices of various sorts were introduced at various points throughout the fort. During this period the garrison was host at frequent intervals to officers on leave, citizens of Charleston, and even many ladies, who came to see the scars of the April battle, to admire the drill, or to observe the preparations. At the end of June 1863, Fort Sumter was garrisoned with 5 companies (perhaps 500 men) of the First South Carolina Artillery, under the command of Col. Alfred Rhett. Its armament, meanwhile, had been reduced to 68 guns and mortars, many of the finest pieces having been removed to strengthen other fortifications about the harbor.

On the morning of July 10, 3,000 Union infantrymen, supported by the artillery on Folly Island and the guns of 4 monitors, descended on the southern end of Morris Island. Brig. Gen. Truman Seymour, a company commander at Fort Sumter 2 years before, commanded the assault. Within 4 hours, three-fourths of Morris Island was in his hands. Hopelessly outgunned and outmanned, the Confederate forces fell back to Battery Wagner. The guns of Fort Sumter helped to cover the retreat.

A "desperate" assault upon Wagner the following morning failed, though the parapet was briefly gained. General Gillmore established counterbatteries and tried again on the 18th. From noon until nightfall that day "without cessation or intermission," Federal guns poured a "storm of shot and shell upon Fort Wagner . . . pethaps unequalled in history"; then, some 6,000 troops assaulted—in the van, the 54th Massachusetts, "the first colored regiment of the North to go to war." In a short savage struggle, Seymour's force suffered 1,500 casualties. Though one angle of the fort was gained and held for a time, the attack was repulsed.

Thwarted in his plan to secure easy possession of Morris Island as a base for breaching operations against Fort Sumter, General Gillmore now determined to attempt that fort's reduction from the ground already in his possession. Batteries Wagner and Gregg would be taken by protracted siege operations. At Fort Sumter, removal of guns and ammunition continued apace. Anticipating that Sumter was "liable to be silenced sooner or later," and fearing attack at other points about the harbor, the Confederate authorities husbanded their resources. By mid-August, Fort Sumter's armament was reduced to a safe minimum of 38 guns and 2 mortars.

At distances of 2 to 2½ miles from Fort Sumter—distances extraordinary for such operations—Gillmore set up eight batteries of heavy rifled cannon. In the marsh west of Morris Island, where the mud was "like liquid," his engineers successfully emplaced a "200 pounder" to fire on Charleston; this was to be the notorious "Swamp Angel."

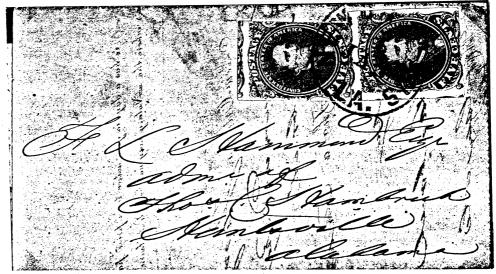
### COLLECTION NOTICE

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TWO, SCENT BRIGHT GREEN, STONE I, C.D.S NEW ORLEANS, LA., 6, JAN. (1862) TO HUNTSVILLE, ALA. (COLOR PHOTO).

A FOLDED LEGAL NOTICE DEMANDING PAYMENT FOR AN UNCOLLECTED BANK DRAFT. THE IOCENT RATE FOR ALETTER SENT OVER 500 MILES PRIOR TO JULY 1,1862.

# UNUSED POSTMASTER PROVISIONALS

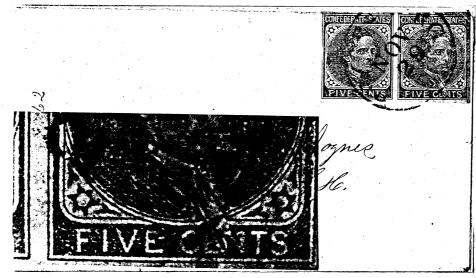


FIGURE BLUE, LOCAL PRINT, PENCANCELLED USED OVER AN UNUSED POSTMASTER PROVISTIONAL "PAID IO" WITH THE CONTROL MARK OF GREENVILLE CH.S.C. ON THE BACK FLAP OF THE ENVELOPE, TO COLUMBIA, S.C. ACCEPTED BY THE POST OFFICE AS FULLY PAID. THE RATE SHOULD HAVE BEEN IO CENTS.

HORIZONTAL PAIR
SCENT BLUE, LOCAL
PRINTS, CRS. CAMBEN,
S.C.JAN. 16, TO POCOTAGLIO, S.C., ON A
PREPAID, UNUSED,
UNRECOGNIZED, POSTMASTER PROVISIONAL
ENVELOPE.



# WHITE TIE VARIETY PLATE POSITION 30



HORIZONTAL PAIR
SCENT BLUE, LOCAL
PRINTS, C.D.S. (BLUE)
PETERS BURG, VA. NOV29,
(1862) TO HALHFAX, C.H,
VA.
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PLATE POSITION 30.

TWO, 5 CENT
BLUE, LOCAL
PRINTS ON
LONDON PAPER
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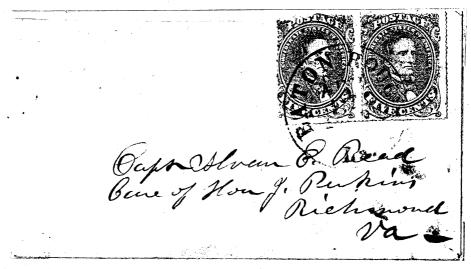




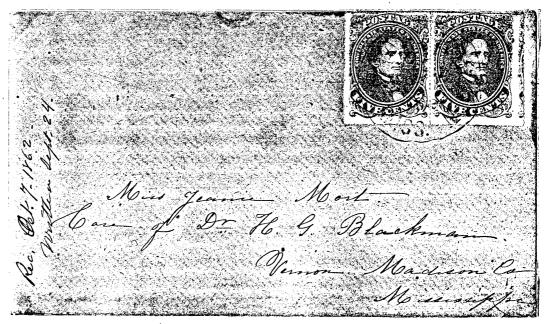


HORIZONTAL
PAIR SCENT
BLUE, LOCAL
PRINTS, C.D.S.
GUINEYS, VA.,
DATE ILLEGIBLE
TO NASHVILLE
N.C.

### ROULETTED STAMPS



HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT GREEN, STONEI, UND FFICIALLY ROULETTED AT THE BATON ROUGE, LA. POST OFFICE FOR EASIER SEPARATION. C.D.S. BATON ROUGE, LA., APR. 17, 1862 TO RICHMOND, VA. THE PROPER RATE FOR A LETTER TRAVELING OVER SOOMILES PRIOR TO JULYI, 1862. BATON ROUGE FELL TO UNION FORCES MAY 7, 1862.



HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT GREEN, STONE I. C.D.S. JACKSON, MISS., OCT 3, 1862. TO VERNON, MISS, THE STAMPS WERE UNOFFICIALLY ROULETTED IN THE BATON ROUGE, LA. POST OFFICE. THE PROPER RATE AFTER JUNE 30, 1862.

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March 26, 1982

407 ROYAL STREET
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
70130

Mr. Richard Krieger Norwalk Connecticut

Dear Mr. Krieger:

Many years ago we bought a large number of envelopes, each bearing a single unused 5¢ 1861 of the CSA, Scott #1. All of these stamps, perhaps 50, were rouletted. We understand they were found in an old desk in Baton Rouge, apparently intended for later usage.

We have also seen and possibly own one of the Baton Rouge Provisionals bearing this same rouletting. This suggests that either the postmaster in that town or someone else rouletted some of the Provisionals and the General Issues as a matter of convenience in separating them. If memory serves, we have also seen the 10¢ 1861 with this same type of rouletting.

We have tried to learn something more about this subject over the years and even had an opportunity to inquire of the granddaughter of Postmaster McCormick. All she could tell us was that she still owned the desk that her grandfather used in his post office.

The big question is was this unofficially applied or what we would call official rouletting, done prior to sale to the public.

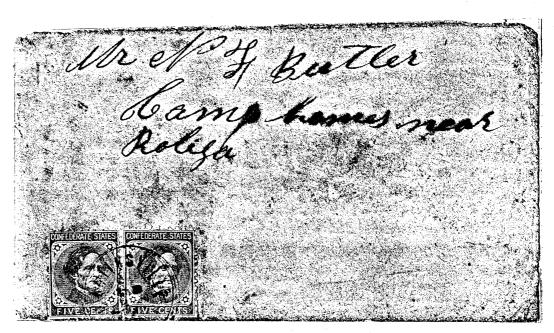
Incidentally, your cover with a pair is especialy interesting because it was not used from Baton Rouge.

Yours sincerely,

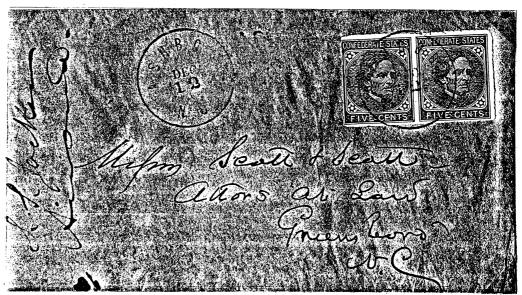
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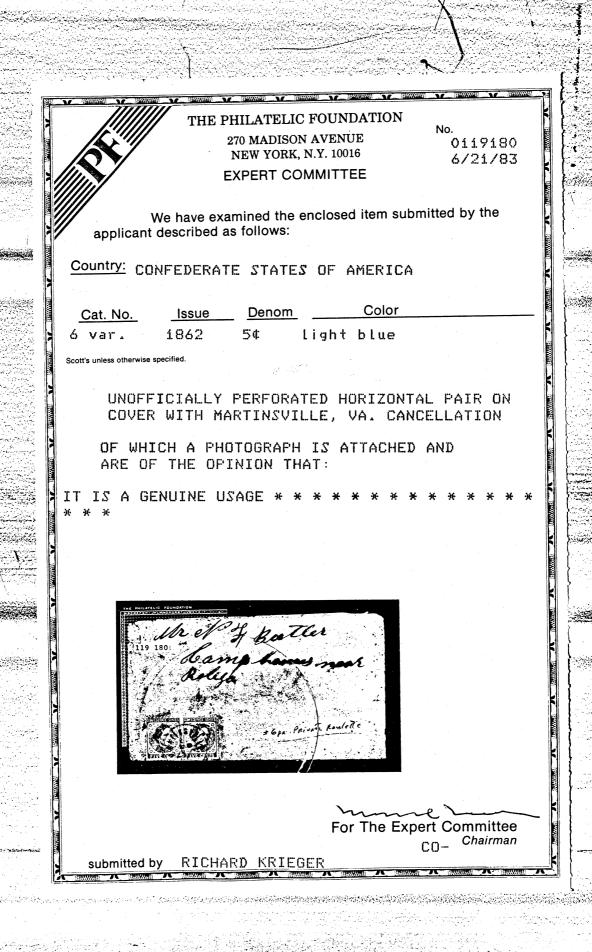
### UNOFFICIAL PERFORATIONS



HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT LIGHT BLUE, LONDON PRINTS —— C.D.S. MARTINSVILLE, VA. (ILLEGIBLE DATE, TO CAMP BARNES NEAR RALEIGH, (N.C.). UNOFFICIALLY PERFORATED FOR EASIER SEPARATION.



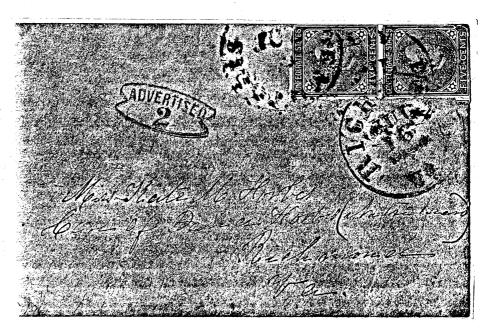
HORIZONTAL PAIR S'CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. (IN BLUE)
ASHBORO, N.C., DEC. 12, TO GREENSBORO, N.C. PIN PERFORATED FOR
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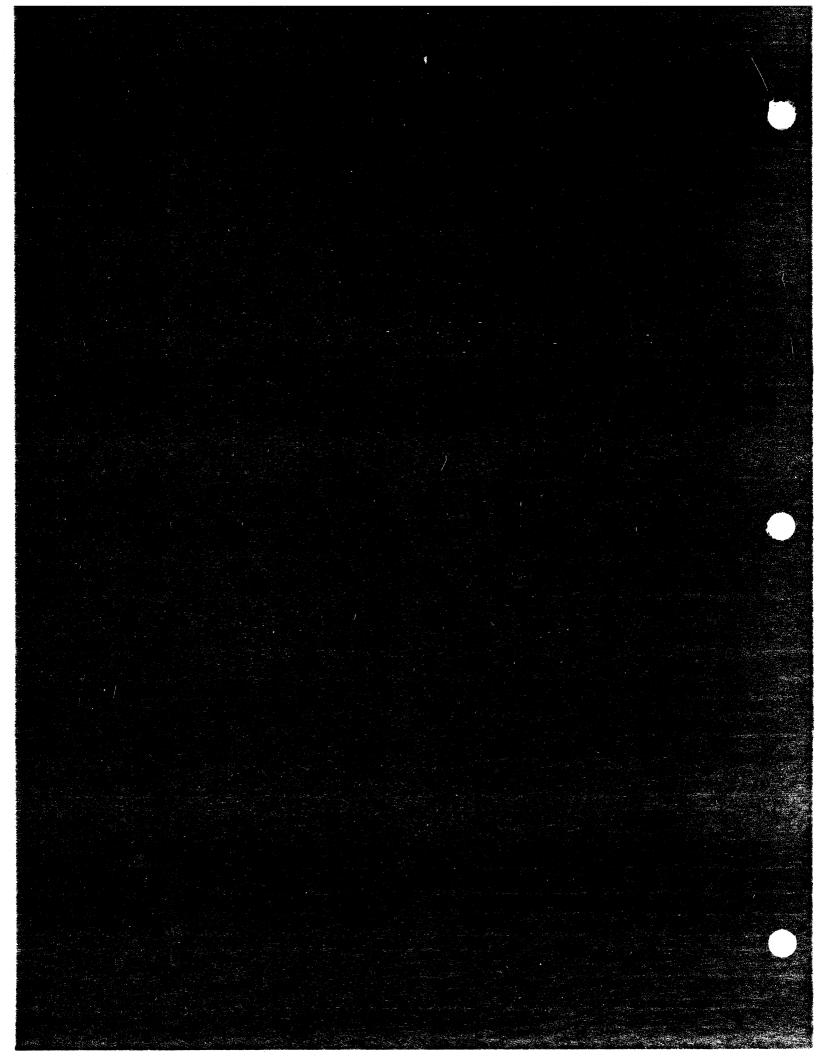
### ADVERTISED LETTERS



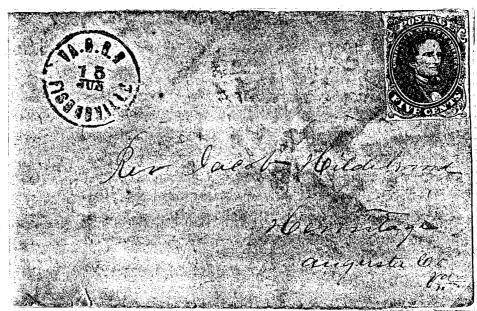
HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LONDON PRINTS, C.D.S. COVINGTON, GA. AUG. 25, (1862) TO RICHMOND, VA. UNCALLED FOR AT THE POST OFFICE, AND ADVERTISED IN THE NEWSPAPER AT AN ADDITIONAL 2 CENT FEE. THE ADDITIONAL FEEWAS WAIVED. THE RECIPIENT WAS A CONGRESS MAN. PICKED UP ON SEP. 5, 1862.



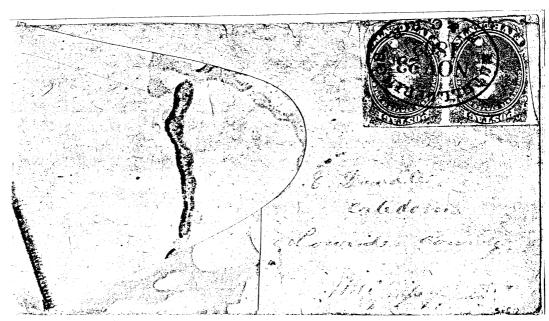
VERTICAL PAIR SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, CDS DEMOPOLIS, ALA., JUL. 3, (1863) TO RICHMOND, VA. UNCALLED FOR AND ADVERTISED AT AN ADDITIONAL 2 CENT FEE. PICKED UP AND PAID FOR AT THE RICHMOND, VA. POST OFFICE, JUL. 16, (1863).



### RAILROAD CANCELLATIONS



5 CENT GREEN, STONE 1, GRID CANCELLED, C.D.S. FISHERVILLE, VA.C.R.R., IS JUN., (1862) TO HERMITAGE, VA. THE VIRGINIA CENTRAL RAIL ROAD RAN FROM RICHMOND, VA.TO SELMA, VA. A DISTANCE OF 195 MILES. THE FISHERVILLE STATION WAS 125 MILES FROM THE CITY OF RICHMOND.



HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT GREEN, STONE 2 C.D.S. ESTELL SPRINGS, (TENN.) N+C.R.R., NOV. 23, 1862 TO CALEDON IA, MISS., ON A WALLPAPER COVER. THE NASHVILLE + CHATTANOOGA RAILROAD RAN A DISTAINCE OF 151 MILES, ESTELL SPRINGS WAS 85 MILES SOUTH OF NASHVILLE WHERE THE RAILROAD CROSSED THE ELK RIVER.

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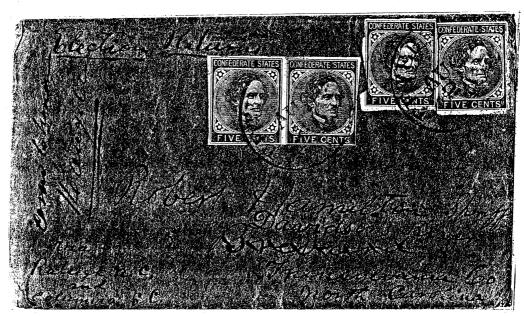
### THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION 99 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, N. Y. 10016

### EXPERT COMMITTEE

We have examined the enclosed CSA
1861, 5¢, green, Scott 1
submitted by Robert A. Siegel Auction Gall
of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion
that the horizontal pair is genuinely
used on wall paper cover with Estell
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For The Expert Committee Chairman

### ABSENTEE BALLOTS

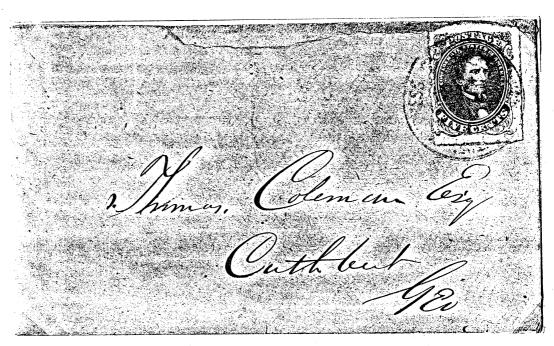


HORIZONTAL PAIR AND TWO SINGLE 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. (BLUE) PETERSBURG, VA. AUG. 2-, (1862) TO THE SHERIEF OF TRANSYL-VANIA CO., N.C. DOUBLE WEIGHT LETTER CARRYING FLECTION RETURNS. EARLIEST RECORDED USAGE OF THIS STAMP IS AUGUST 15, 1862.

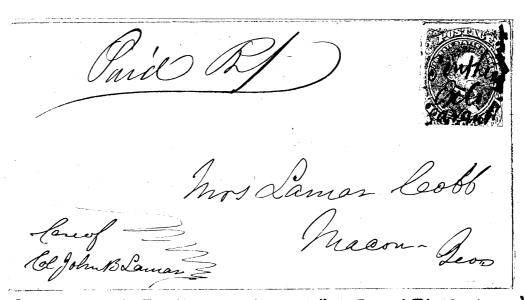


VERTICAL PAIR, 5 CENT MILKY BLUE, STONE 3, ON A 10 STAR PATRIOTIC COVER, (DIETZ TYPE B-44), PEN CANCELLED "VOTES," TO THE SHERIFF OF DAVIDSON, N.C., DOCKETED "BULL CO., 14TH REGIMENT."

### SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY



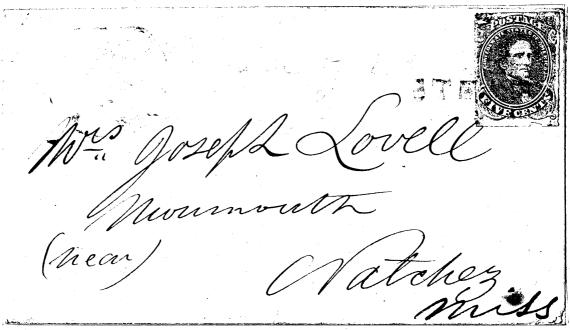
5 CENT OLIVE GREEN, STONE AOR B, C.D.S. (RED), SOUTHERN EXPRESS COMPANY, SAVANNAH, GA, FEB. 24, (1862) TO CUTHBERT, GA. HANDCARRIED BY THE COMPANY FOR AN ADDITIONAL FEE OUTSIDE THE REGULAR GOVERNMENT MAILS.



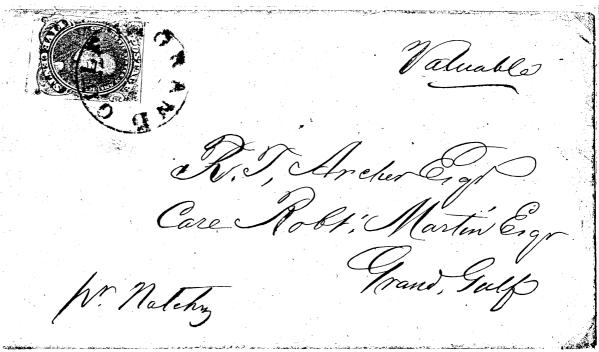
SCENT GREEN, STONE 1, MS, CANCELLED "SOUTHERN EX. CO, SAVANH"
(SAVANNAH, GA.) TO MACON, GA.. "PAID 2/ "ACCOUNTS FOR THE.
25 CENT PAYMENT TO THE COMPANY. THE STAMP WAS PURCHASED BY THE COMPANY AND CANCELLED TO SHOW PAYMENT
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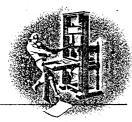
### RIVERBOAT DELIVERY



5 CENT OLIVE GREEN, STONE A ORB, ILLEGIBLE C.AS. CANCELLED WITH A STRAIGHTLINE "STEAM". CARRIED BY RIVERBOAT TO NATCHEZ, MISS.



5 CENT GREEN, STONE I, C.D.S. GRAND GULF, MISS. THE NATCHEZ, A MISS ISSIPPI RIVER STEAMBOAT, PICKED UPTHIS LETTER ENROUTE TO GRAND GULF. THE LETTER WAS BROUGHT TO THE POST OFFICE WHERE IT WAS CANCELLED.



The Dietz Printing Co.

first,
July twenty-righth, 1947.

Mr. James F. Rogers, 1029 Vellejo Street, Santa Rosa, Calif.

Dear Mr. Rogers:

In an effort to dispose of the veritable mountain of letters, accumulated during my absence from the city (some of which were forwarded to me at Buckroe Beach) I find your letter of the third. This, too, was forwarded to me, but I cannot recall whether or not I replied. I may have written you a postcard, or possibly a letter in longhand (having no typewriter where I stayed), offering my explanation of your "Grand Gulf" cover.

Finding no carbon of such a reply, I am writing again, to make sure that I did not treat your letter discourteously.

From your meager data on this cover, I am afraid little can be ascertained; however, we might try to "build up a story" I will start off with this "pr. Natchez" "pr" is "per", and I would suggest "per Steamer 'Natchez'" "via" would indicate "route" via Natchez. Now I would suggest that the writer of the letter resided somewhere on the route of the river steamer "Natchez"—handed the letter to the captain, or some passenger, to deliver at Grand Gulf, or put in the Grand Gulf postoffice, where it was postmarked.

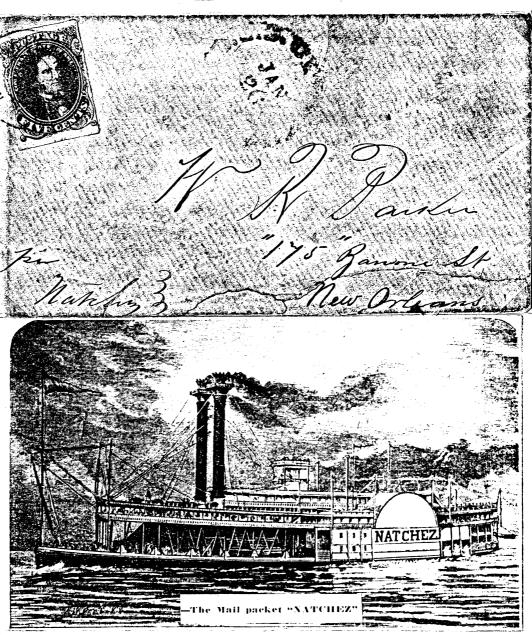
I cannot think of another solution.

Sincerely:

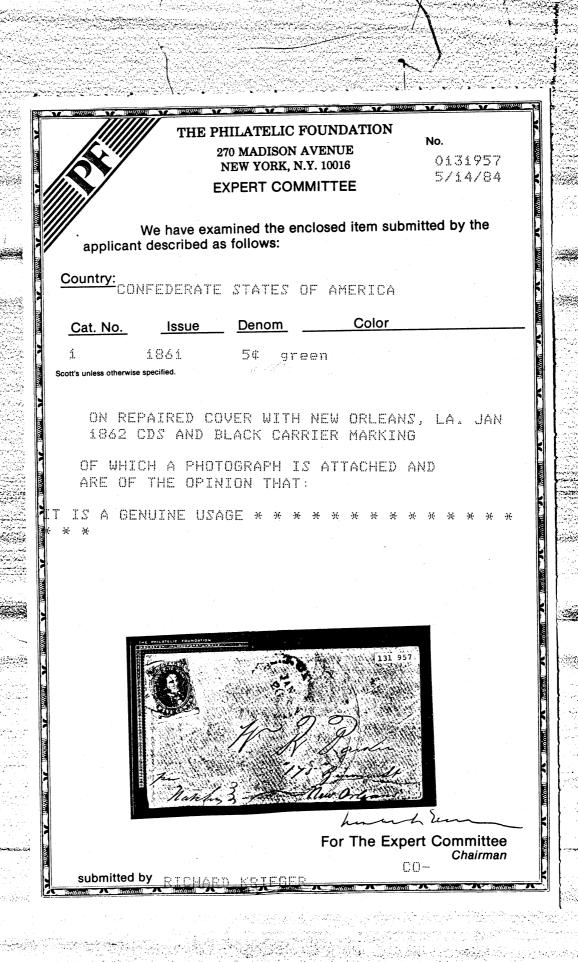
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# MISSISSIPPI RIVER BOAT MAIL HAND DELIVERED BY CARRIER





5 CENTGREEN, STONE 2, ORIGIN UNKNOWN, RECEIVED IN NEW ORLEANS, LA. (CDS) JAN. 26, 1862 VIA THE MAIL PACKET "INATCHEZ" AND HAND DELIVERED BY THE "NEW ORLEANS U.S. CITY POST" JAN. 26, 1862.



### RIVERS WERE NO BARRIER



### ACROSS THE MISSISSIPPI

HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT
BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS,
STRAIGHTLINE JACKSON,
(MISS.) TO RUSSELVILLE,
EAST TENNIESSEE HAND
CARRIED FROM TEXAS,
AND PUT INTO THE
MAILS ACROSS THE.
RIVER BY THE SERVICE
PROVIDED BY EHRISHING
THE EDITOR OF THE
HOUSTON DAILY TELEGRAPH.



ACROSSTHE RIO GRANDE AND BACK - HORIZONTAL PAIR SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. HOUSTON, TEX. AUG. 10, (1863) TO NATAMORAS, MEXICO. FOLDED ENCLOSURE DATELINED, MATAMORAS, SEPT. 5, 1863, CARRIED BY HAND BACK TO HOUSTON, TEX.

No. 106 585 Feb. 26,1982 THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION **270 MADISON AVENUE NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016 EXPERT COMMITTEE** We have examined the enclosed item submitted by the applicant described as follows: Country CSA Issue 1862 Denomination 5¢ blue Color \_ \_ Cat. No. . Brief description or additional otherwise specified.

Horizontal pair on soldier's cover with straight line JACKSON (MISS.) cancellation & small green cushing Express label on the reverse of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion All Catalogue numbers are Scott's unless otherwise specified. that it is a genuine usage from a member of the 26th Texas Cavalry with a defective Cushing Express label on the reverse. Acting Chairman submitted by Richard Krieger

### TRANS-MISSISSIPPI USAGE





2 HORIZONTAL PAIRS, HORIZONTA STRIPOF3, AND A SINGLE S CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS MAKE UP THE 40 CENT GOVERNMENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI MAIL RATE ESTABLISHED MAY 1,1863. ENCLOSURE DATE LINED, "LONELY COTTAGE, JOHNSON COUNTY, TEXAS, MARCH 31,1864".
TO (DALTON, GA.) WHERE JOHNSON'S ARMY WAS ENCAMPED ON THE RETREAT FROM CHATTANOOGA, (COLOR THOTO), HAND CARRIED FROM TEXAS TO GEORGIA BY MAIL COURIER.

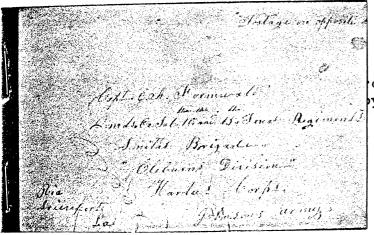
# CONFEDERATE STAMP ALLIANCE AUTHENTICATION COMMITTEE

Certificate Number 554

Issued to_	Robert A. Siegel	_
	120 E. 56th Street	_
	New York, N.Y. 10022	

The item which you submitted on <u>December 17</u> 19 74, described as

Texas origin Trans-Mississippi cover with letter to Capt. J. A. Formwalt with Johnson's Army - postage on reverse - 8 - 5 cent #7, Richmond print



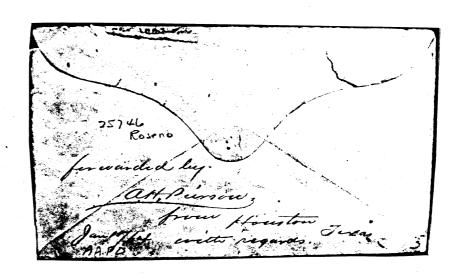
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For The Authentication Committee

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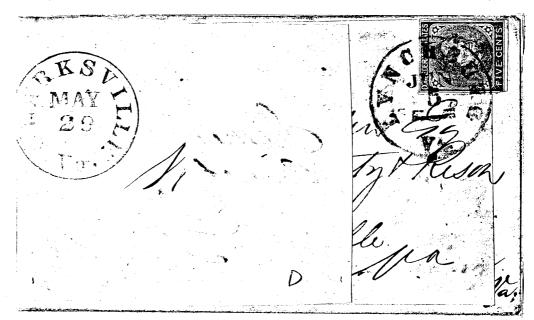




TWO SCENT BLUE, STONE 2, AND HANDSTAMP "PAID" MS. "40", CDS HOUSTON, TEX. JAN. —, (1864) TO MOBILE, ALA.

ENDORSED ON REVERSE "FORWARDED BY A.H.PIERSON, JAN. 10, (18)64, FROM HOUSTON, TEXAS, WITH REGARDS (COLOR PHOTO). THE INNER ENVELOPE OF A LETTER SENT TO THE CUSHING PRIVATE EXPRESS MAIL SERVICE FOR TRANSMISSION. THE STAMPS REPRESENT THE PROPER AMOUNT OF CONFEDERATE POSTAGE, WHICH HAD TO BE PREPAID, MR. CUSHING PLACED IT INTO THE REGULAR GOVERNMENT TRANS-MISSISSIPPI MAILS, PAYING THE 40 CENT RATE FROM THE MONIES THAT HAD BEEN PAID TO HIM FOR TRANSMISSION OF THE LETTER. BY THIS DATE, MR. CUSHING WAS CHARGING A \$5.00 FEE.

### USED AND REUSED



ISTUSAGE-HANDSTAMP "PAID 5" C.DS. CLARKSVILLE, VA., MAY 23, (1862) TO LYNCHBURG, VA.

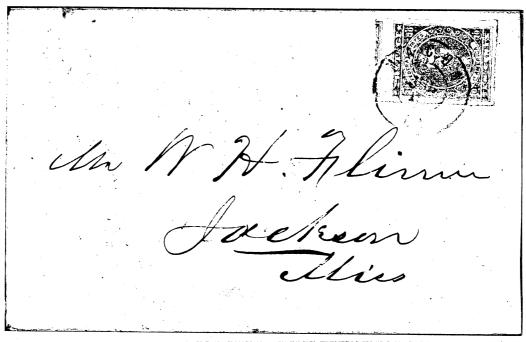
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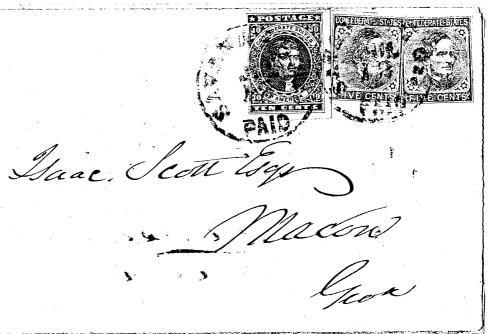


ISTUSAGE-WERTICAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. (BLUE), RALEIGH, N.C. (ILLEGIBLE DATE) TO WILKESBORO, N.C.

2ND USAGE-(OVER ISTUSAGE) HORIZONTAL PAIR, 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. WILKESBORO, N.C., (ILLEGIBLE DATE) TO TRAP HILL, N.C.

# COMBINATION TURNED COVER.

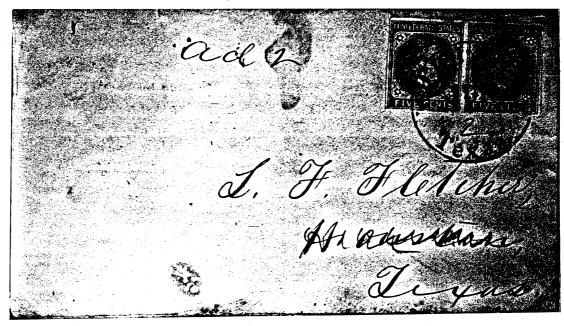


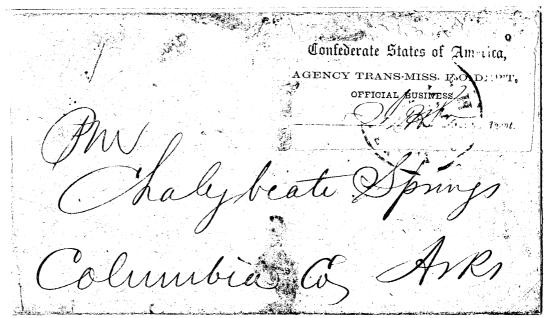


ISTUSAGE-10 CENT BLUE, HOYER AND LUDWIG PRINT, AND TWO 5 CENT BLUE LONDON PRINTS, C.D.S. SAVANNAH, GA. JUL. 12, (1862) TO MACON, GA. COMBINATION USAGE PAYS THE 20 CENT RATE FOR A LETTER WEIGHING FROM 1/20 UNCE TO 10 UNCE EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1862.

211 DUSAGE 10 CENT ROSE, C.D.S. MACON, GA. JUL. 18, (1862) TO VACKSON, MISS. (COLOR PHOTO).

#### TURNED COVER





FIRST USAGE-HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE LOCAL PRINTS — C.A.S.

MCKINNEY, TEXAS, JUNE 2, TO HOUSTON, TEXAS, NOT CALLED FOR BY THE

RECIPIENT IN THE REQUIRED TIME, ADVERTISED IN THE HOUSTON PAPER,

EVENTUALLY CALLED FOR BY THE ADDRESSEE, WHO HADTO PAY THE ZCENT

ADVERTISING FEE. (COLOR PHOTO)

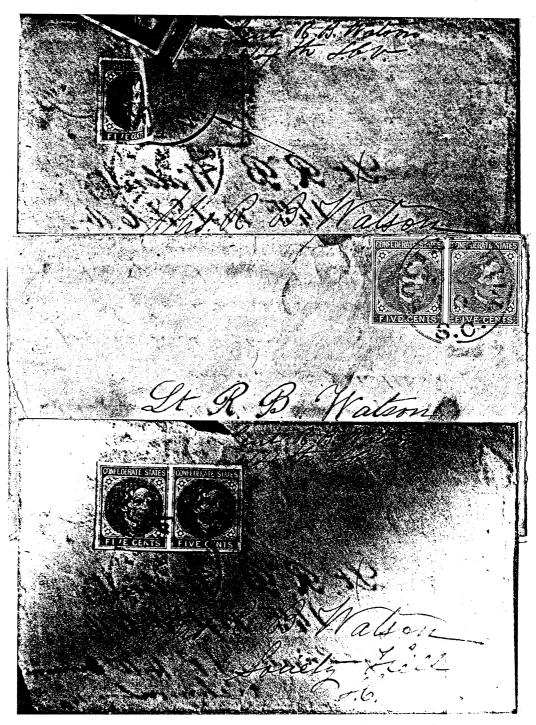
SECOND USAGE - OFFICIAL LABEL OF THE TRANS-MISSISSIPPI POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, SIGNED BY DR. JAMES H. STARR, SPECIAL AGENT IN CHARGE, C.D.S. MARSHALL, TEXAS, DATE ILLEGIBLE, TO THE POST MASTER AT CHALYBEATE SPRINGS, ARK; THE PROPER USE OF THE FREE FRANK!

# CONFEDERATE STAMP ALLIANCE AUTHENTICATION COMMITTEE

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	Naples, Florida 33940		
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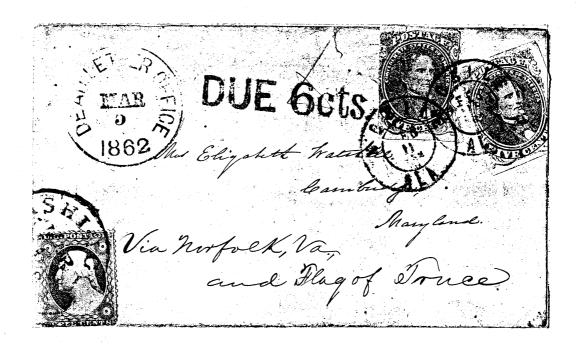
SECOND USAGE -COVERTURNED, HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. SOCIETY HILL, S.C., JAN. 10, (1863) TO (GUINEYS, VA) VIA RICHMOND, VA.

THIRD USAGE. COVER RE-TURNED-HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. GUINEYS, VA. FEB, (1864) TO SOCIETY HILL, S.C. (COLOR PHOTO)

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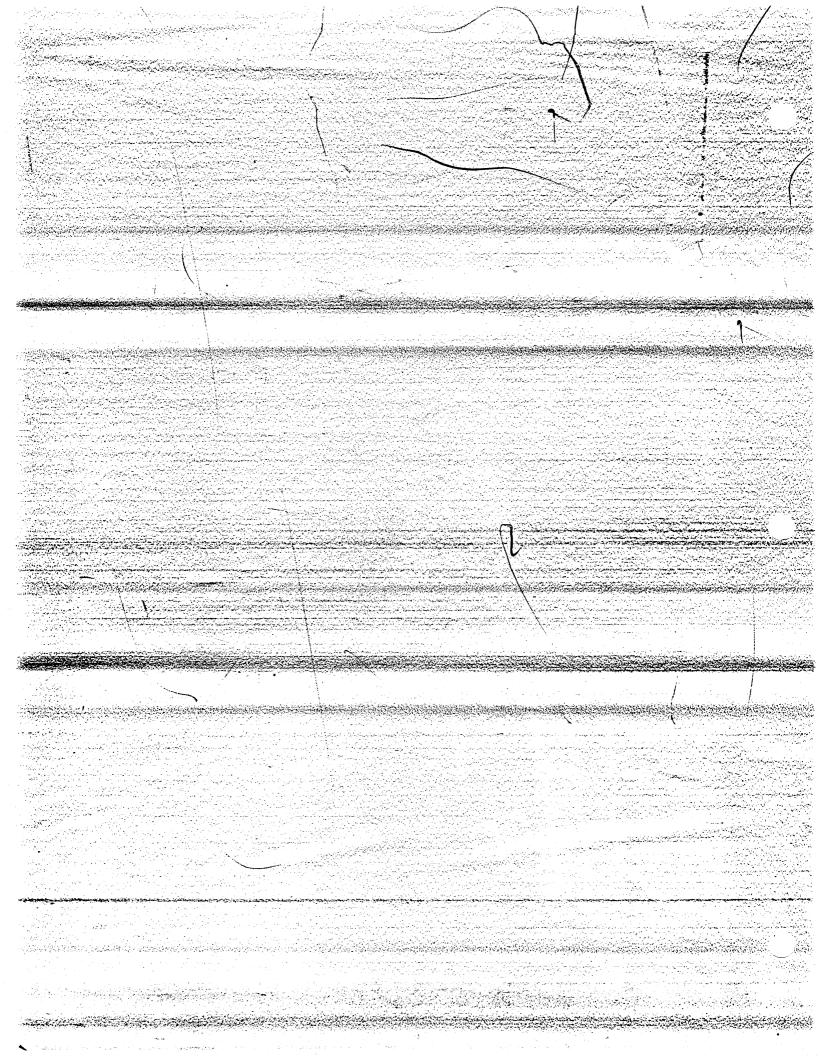
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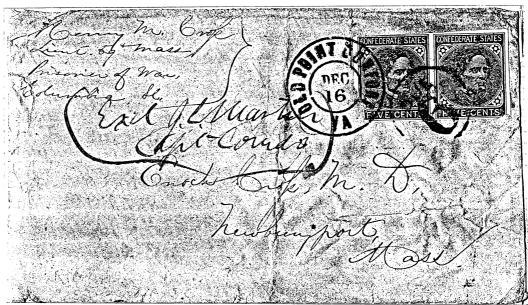
TWO 5 CENT GREEN, STONE 2, C.D.S. MOBILE, ALA, FEB. 11, 1862 TO CAMBRIDGE, MARYLAND VIA NORFOLK, VA. PAYING THE 10 CENT RATE FOR A LETTER SENT OVER 500 MILE 5.

SENT TOTHE DEAD LETTER OFFICE IN WASHINGTON, DC. THE US. 3CENT DULL RED, ISSUE OF 1857-61 WOULD NOT HAVE BEEN ALLOWED FOR TWO REASONS:

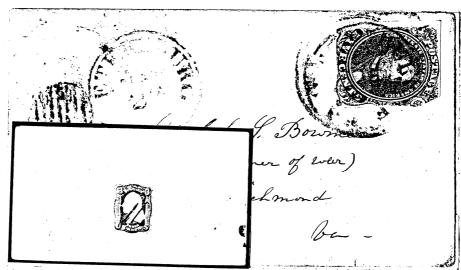
- **1** THE POINT OF ORIGIN
- THE ILLEGAL STAMP WAS CANCELLED WASHINGTON, D.C. MAY 6,1862, THE LETTER WAS SENT "DUE 6 CTS", THE PROPER PENALTY RATE FOR AN UNPAID LETTER, WHICH THE RECIPIENT HAD TO PAY.



# TO AND FROM CAPTURED UNION SOLDIERS



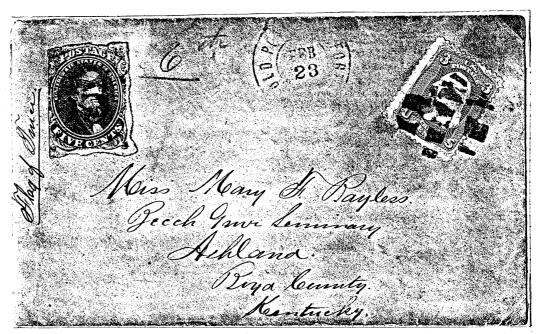
HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS, UNCANCELLED, THE INNER ENVELOPE OF A PRISONER OF WAR LETTER, PROPERLY CENSORED AT A P.O.W. CAMP IN COLUMBIA, S.C., AND SENT TO NEWBURY PORT, MASS. VIA OLD POINT COMFORT, VA. DEC.16, (1863), WHERE THE LETTER WAS HANDSTAMPED IMPROPERLY "DUE6". THIS WAS AN OVERCHARGE, THE PROPER RATE FOR AN UNPAID SOLDIERS LETTER WAS "DUE 3" TO BE PAID BY THE RECIPIENT.



U.S. H65, 3 CENT ROSE, PEN CANCELLED, (ON BACK FLAP), C.D.S. WILKES—BARRE, PA., MAY 20, (1862) UNDER 5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2, C.D.S. (BLUE)
PETERSBURG, VA., MAY 27, (1862) TO (LIBBY PRISON), RICHMOND, VA,
(VIA FLAG OF TRUCE BOAT) - TO A CAPTURED UNION OFFICER.

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#### SOUTH TO NORTH FLAG OF TRUCE LETTERS

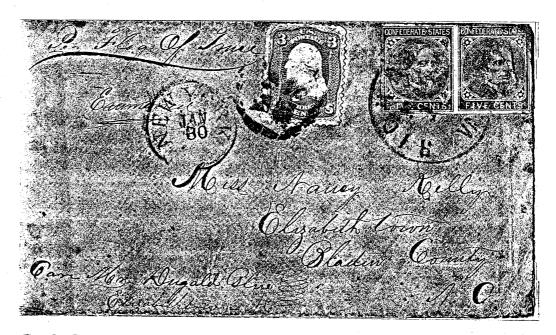


5CENT OLIVE GREEN, STONE I, AND U.S. 3 CENT ROSE ON CIVILIAN FLAG OF TRIXE COVER, ORIGIN UNKNOWN, VIA OLD POINT COMPORT, VA. FEB. 23, (1862) TO ASHLAND, KY. THE INNER ENVELOPE OF A CENSORED LETTER SENT FROM THE SOUTH VIA NORFOLK, VA. WHICH FELLTO FEDERAL PORCES. MAY 10, 1862.



5CENTBLUE, STONE 2 AND 3CENT ROSE, ISSUE OF 1861, C.D.S. SALISBURY, N.C. JULY IS, 1861 (1862) TO PHILADELPHIA, PA. FROM A ROW., CENSORED BY BOTH SIDES, VIA OLD POINT COMFORT, VA. THE SALISBURY, N.C. POST OFFICE IS KNOWN TO HAVE USED THE WRONG YEAR LOGO ON MANY OCCASSIONS.

## MORTH TO SOUTH



3 CENT ROSE, U.S. ISSUE 1861, C.D.S. NEW YORK, JAN. 30, (1864) VIA "FLAG OF TRUCE,"TO ELIZABETH TOWN, N.C. WITH HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE LOCAL PRINTS, C.D.S. RICHMOND, VA., FEB. 18, (1864). NO PRISONER OF WAR ENDORSEMENT IS PRESENT, AND THE EXAMINED ENDORSE—MENT OF ONLY ONE CENSOR IS IN EVIDENCE.

#### THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION

270 MADISON AVENUE NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

**EXPERT COMMITTEE** 

No. 0120133 6/30/83

We have examined the enclosed item submitted by the applicant described as follows:

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA

Cat. No.	Issue	<u>Denom</u>		Color
65	1861	3¢	rose	
Scott's unless otherwise	specified.			
6	1862	5¢	Light	blue

ON P.O.W. COVER FROM NEW YORK CITY PRISON WITH NEW YORK JAN 30 AND RICHMOND, VA. FGZ. R. (61) POSTAL MARKINGS

OF WHICH A PHOTOGRAPH IS ATTACHED AND ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

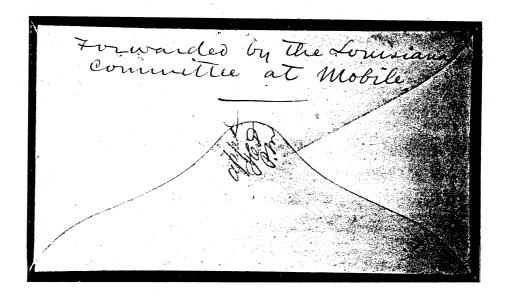
IT IS A GENUINE USAGE ON THIS EXPLODED EXAMINED COVER WITH FAULTS \* \* \*

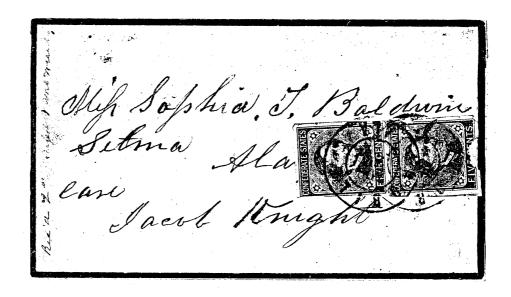


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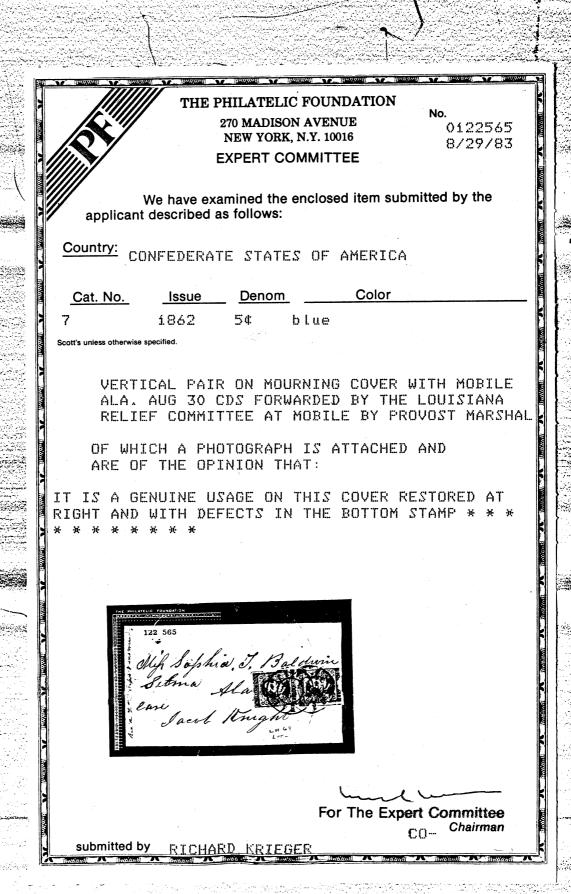
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### SMUGGLED MOURNING COVER



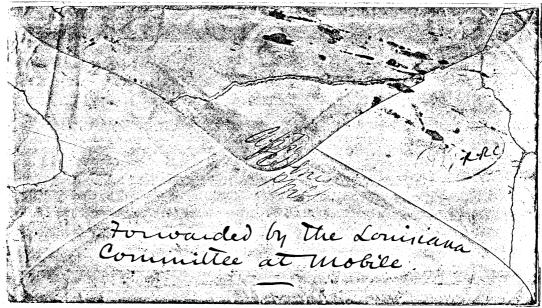


VERTICAL PAIR SCENT BLUE, LOCAL PRINTS - SENT FROM UNION HELD NEWORLEANS, LA., VIA MOBILE, ALA., AUG. 30, (1863) TO SELMA, ALA., A BLACK BORDERED MOURNING COVER, "FORWARDED BY THE LOUISIANA COMMITTEE AT MOBILE". APPROVED BY J.C. DENIS, THE PROVOST MARSHAL AT MOBILE.



# SMUGGLED MAIL FROM CAPTURED NEW ORLEANS





HORIZONTAL PAIR 5 CENT BLUE, STONE 2. C.D.S. MOBILE, ALA., NOV. 19 1863 TORICHMOND, VA. (COLOR PHOTO).

SMUGGLED OUT OF UNION HELD NEW ORLEANS, FORWARDED BYTHE LOUISIANA RELIEF COMMITTEE AFTER APPROVAL OF THE PROVOST MARSHAL AT MOBILE, (ALA.) J.C.DENIS,

No. 56 276

Aug. 23, 19 76

# THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION 99 PARK AVENUE NEW YORK, N. Y. 10016

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We have examined the enclosed CSA
1862, 5¢, blue, horizontal pair, Scott 4
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submitted by Confederate Philately, Inc
of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion
that it is genuinely used on cover to
Richmond with Mobile, Ala. Nov. 10,1863 can- cellation and manuscripted "Forwarded by The Louisiana Committee at Mobile" on reverse with J.C. Denis, P(royost) M(arshal)
approval marking

For The Expert Committee

Chairman