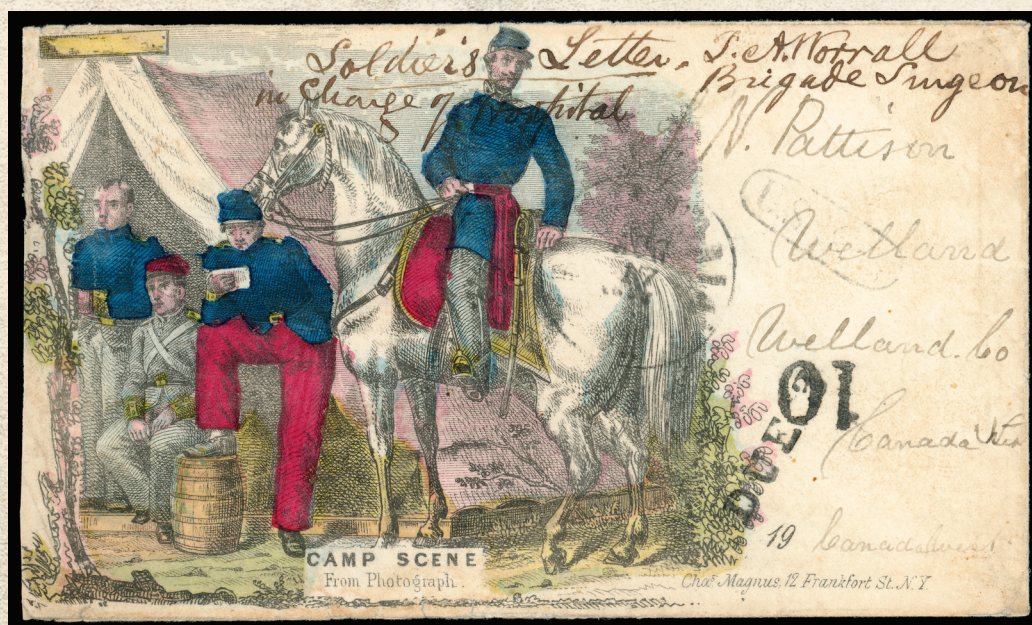


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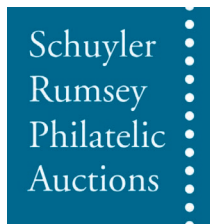
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(*)	Mint (no gum/regummed)	B	Booklet or Booklet Pane	▲	On Piece
o	Used	E	Essay		
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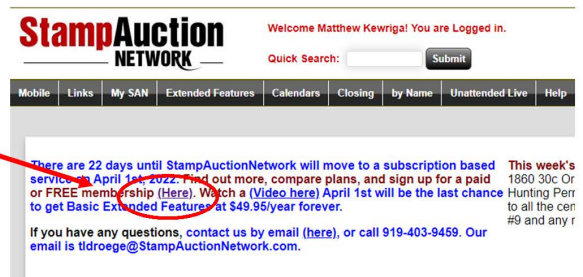
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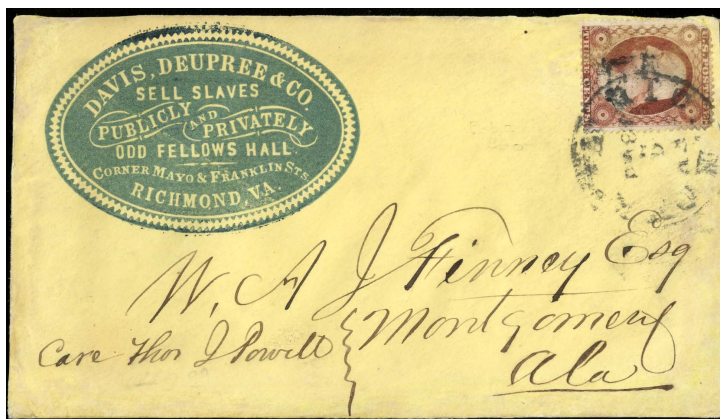
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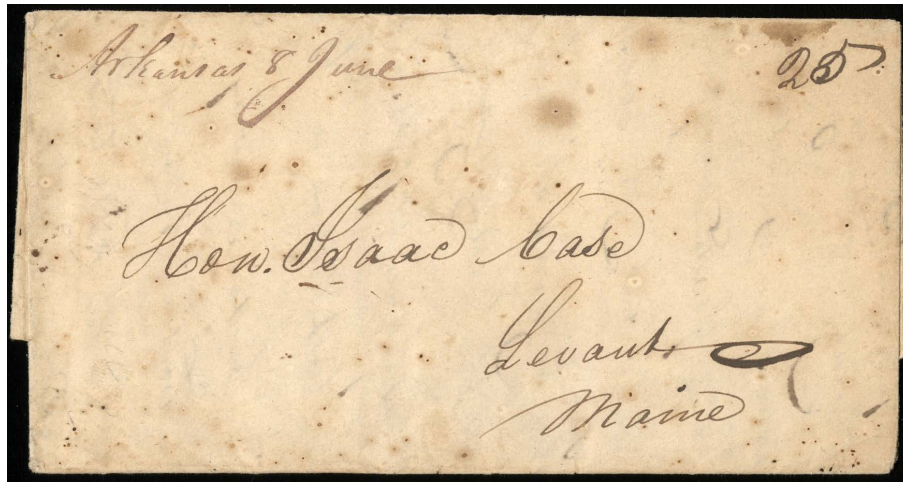
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The Bruce Roberts Collection of Arkansas & Indian Territory

Arkansas Territory 1819 - June 1836



- 2001 ☒ **Arkansas, 8 June**, manuscript postmark on folded letter sheet to Levant, Me., manuscript “25” rating (single letter rate for more than 400 miles), pencil notation on flap “dated Post of Arkansas A.T., Jun 5, 1826”; minor fly specking, **Very Fine**, one of seven covers reported from the Arkansas post office, the earliest from 1820.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

“Arkansas” was the name for the point 40 miles up the Arkansas River where the first dry land was found, established July 1, 1819. Name was later changed to Arkansas Post.

- 2002 ☒ **Batesville A.T., Feby 9th**, manuscript postmark on folded letter to Salem, Ky., with “3x” multiple of the 18½¢ rate (letter sent between 150-400 miles) totaling “55½”; allover toning and some vertical folds, **Fine**, one of the only examples known of the 18½¢ rate from Arkansas territory.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2003 ☒ **Batesville, A.T., May 31st**, manuscript postmark on folded letter datelined “May 10th, 1833, Territory of Arkansas” from William Woodruff to Robert Toland in Philadelphia, Pa., **Very Fine and choice**, this is one of ten reported Batesville covers from the Arkansas Territorial period.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

The addressee, Robert Toland, lived in Philadelphia and purchased many military bounty land patents for Arkansas Territory between 1820 and 1822. William E. Woodruff served as his agent in Arkansas, paying his taxes and administering the property from roughly 1825 until at least 1842. It is unlikely Toland ever traveled to Arkansas.

- 2004 ☒ **Cant. Gibson, Feby 21st (Cherokee Nation)**, manuscript postmark with matching “Paid 25” rate on 1833 folded letter to Greenland, N.H., letter with mention of commander of fort General Matthew Arbuckle; cover with some extraneous ink spots, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2005 ☒ **Fort Gibson, 19 Nov (Cherokee Nation)**, manuscript postmark on 1832 folded letter to Greenland, N.H., with matching Paid and “25” rate, enclosure signed by General Matthew Arbuckle, the commander stationed Fort Gibson, letter regarding the death of officer and arrangements being made to the return of the body; cover with some small edge nicks and tears at bottom, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

In 1827, the post office department put the area now in Eastern Oklahoma under the supervision of the Arkansas Postal Authorities. Fort Gibson was one of the first locations to receive a post office. The initial post office name was Cantonment Gibson, with both “Fort” and “Cantonment” designations used for several years. The Post Office Department officially changed the name to Fort Gibson on September 14th 1842.

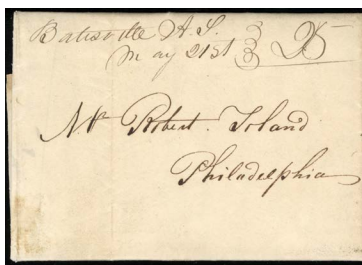
- 2006 ☒ **Helena A.T., April 24**, manuscript postmark on 1833 folded letter sheet to Richmond, Va., manuscript “25” rate, **Very Fine**, a very scarce territorial postmark from Helena.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2007 ☒ **Little Rock, 31 Oct, 1824**, manuscript postmark with matching “Free, T.W. Newton, Postmaster” free frank on folded letter to Newport, R.I., letter written by postmaster and datelined “Genl. Land Agency, Little Rock A.T., 31st October 1824”; minor edge staining and small nick at top center, **otherwise Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$250 - 350

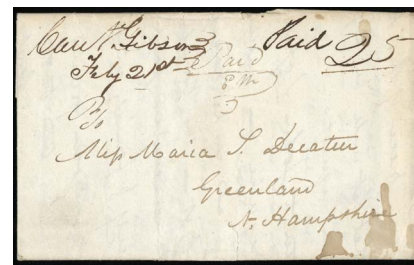
The Little Rock Post Office was established in May of 1820 with earliest cover reported on May 2, 1820. This is the first example to bear a Postmaster free frank from Little Rock.



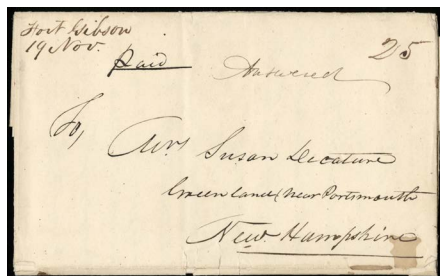
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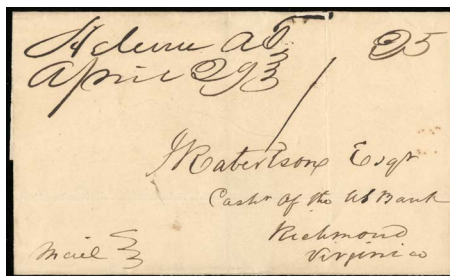
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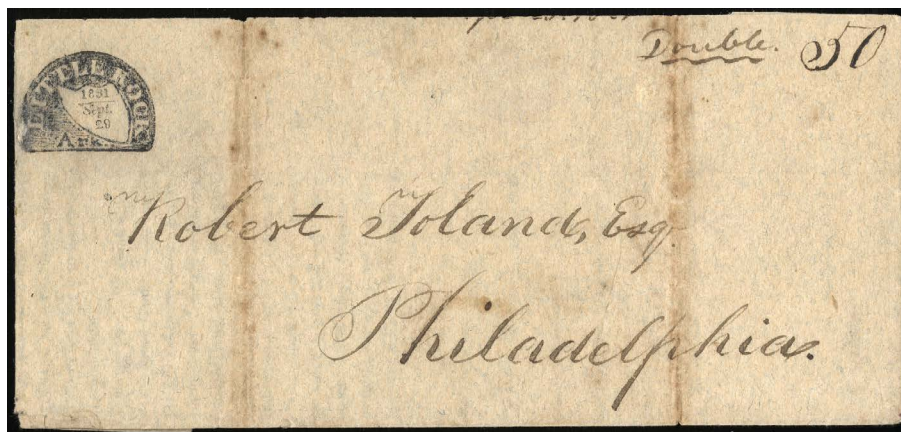
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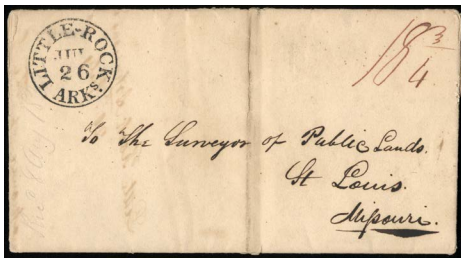
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2008 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 29, 1831**, bold strike of fancy shield in semi-circle postmark on partially printed folded letter to Philadelphia, Pa. from the Toland correspondence, manuscript "Double 50" rate, enclosure datelined "Military Land Agency Office, Little Rock, Arkansas Territory, 26 Sept, 1831" regarding land taxes; file folds and some corner wear, **still Very Fine**, an attractive strike of this rare Little Rock, Arkansas fancy territorial date stamp; with 1993 P.F. certificate.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



2009 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark., March 22, 1832**, bold strike of fancy shield in semi-circle postmark on folded letter to Frankfort, Ky., with manuscript "25" rate, forwarded to Dry Ridge with "Frank. K., Apr 19" cds and manuscript "Ford 10/35" re-rating; some edge wear, soiling and light staining, **F.-V.F.**, one of two known fancy shield usages that was forwarded with additional postage due.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



2010



2011



2012



2013



2014



2015

- 2010 ☒ **Little Rock, Arks, Jul 26**, bold sharp cds on folded letter to St. Louis, Mo., with manuscript “18¾” rate, **Very Fine and choice**, this is the first use of a commercial circular date stamp in Arkansas, used 35 days after the last reported use of the Little Rock shield postmark.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2011 ☒ **Little Rock, Arks, Nov 29**, exceptional bold strike of cds on 1832 folded letter to Gettysburg, Pa., with matching “Free” handstamp and “W. Field, PM.” postmaster free frank below; some edge wear and light staining, an **Extremely Fine gem strike**, William Field replaced Dr. John Fulton as postmaster of Little Rock on December 28th, 1831.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2012 ☒ **St. Francis, A.T., June 2nd, 1833**, manuscript postmark on folded letter sheet to the Third Auditor of the Treasury in Washington D.C., with manuscript “25” rate crossed out and endorsed “Free” due to free franking privilege to a Treasury official; minor cover nick at top center, **Very Fine**, a rare postmark as the St. Francis post office serviced a little over 1,500 residents in the county in 1830.
Estimate \$200 - 300

Stampless Covers

- 2013 ☒ **Camden, Ark., Jul 20**, bold cds with manuscript “10” rate on 1846 folded letter to **Compton, Canada**, red “Stanstead, L.C., Aug 26, 1846” exchange cds on front and reverse with additional confirmation rating, receiving backstamp; some cover erosion at left, **F.-V.F.**, a very scarce usage to Canada.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2014 ☒ **Fort Gibson, Ark., Jun 22 (Cherokee Nation)**, cds on 1846 folded letter to **Paymaster Genl. N. Towson** in Washington D.C., with on Service notation and “10” rate; file folds one slightly affecting postmark, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

Fort Towson in Choctaw Nation was named for General Towson who was Paymaster General from early 1840's to 1854.

- 2015 ☒ **Fort Smith, Ark, Jun 7**, cds on 1848 cover to street address in New Orleans, La., with manuscript “10” plus “2/12” total rate for the **10¢ single domestic rate plus 2¢ New Orleans carrier fee**, with lengthy original enclosure with interesting content regarding Fort Smith including. . . *I will try to describe how Fort Smith is situated. It is on the left bank of the Arkansas, separated by that river from the Cherokee Nation, and just at the line of the Choctaw Nation, the town is separated from the Garrison merely by a fence and stone wall.*, **Very Fine**, a rare Arkansas usage noting the 2¢ carrier fee in another state.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2016 ☒ **Fort Towson, Ark., May 23 (Choctaw Nation)**, sharp clear strike on 1844 folded letter sheet to New Orleans, La., with manuscript “25” rate, **Very Fine and choice**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2017 ☒ **Kidron, March 30 (Cherokee Nation)**, manuscript postmark with matching “5” rating on 1847 folded letter to Van Buren, Ark., letter dateline “Illinois Court House, March 29, 1847” with interesting content. . . *I have just returned this day from Talhequah. . . I wish to consult you on would it be better to sell these Negroes for Warrants on the Nation (Indian Nation). I believe they would realise more in that way than any other way they could be disposed of for the reason that they are very unsaleable property in any Country*, **Very Fine**, a very scarce Cherokee Nation postmark.
Estimate \$200 - 300

The Illinois Courthouse location is unclear but some documents list it as being at or near Fort Gibson.

- 2018 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark, May 1**, blue cds with matching paid and “10” rate handstamps on 1847 folded letter sheet to **Hamburg, Germany**, with “Via New York & Havre” routing endorsement, with red Havre transit cds and receiving backstamp; light edge staining at left and portion of name in address marked out, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2019 ☒ **Napoleon Ark, Nov 4th, 1837**, manuscript postmark on folded letter to **Adelshofen, Baden**, with matching “Paid 25” rate, with additional “via New York & Havre” routing endorsement, various manuscript ratings with French “Pays D’Outremer, Par Le Havre” framed handstamp and red crayon “50” kreuzer final due rating; cover edge wear and light band stain at center, **F.-V.F.**, this being the **earliest reported outgoing cover from Arkansas to a foreign country**.
Estimate \$200 - 300



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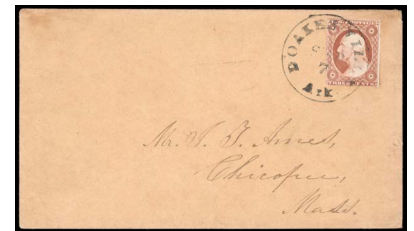
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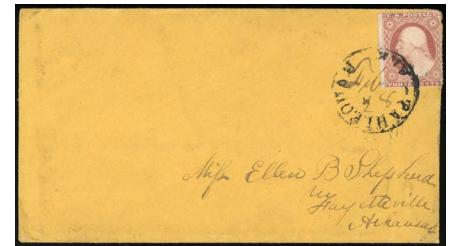
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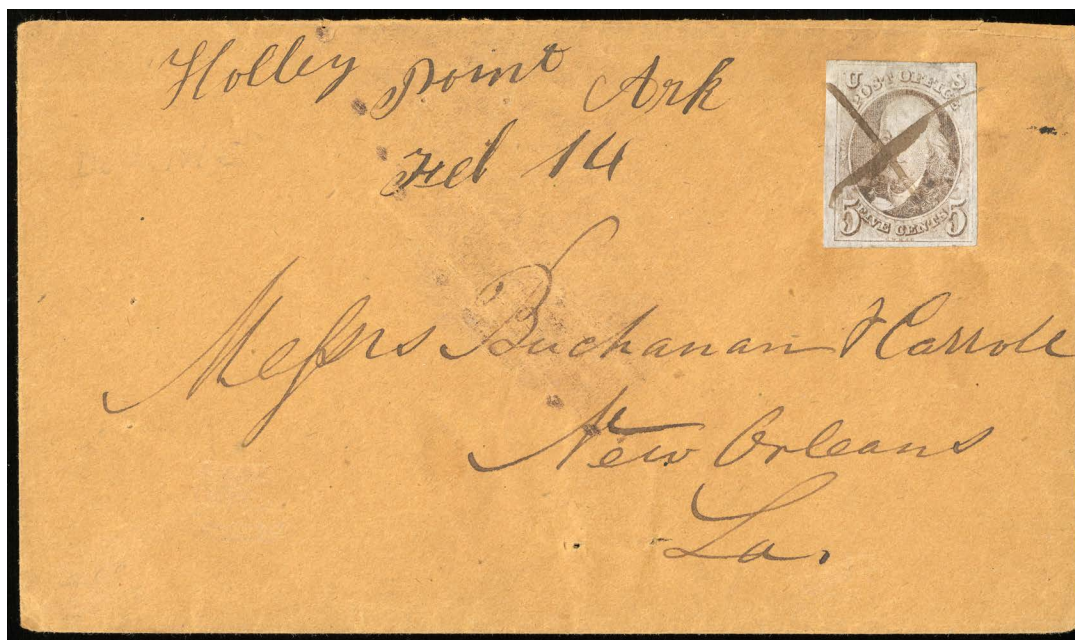
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- 2020 **Ste. Marie, 10 Mai, 1841**, dateline on folded letter to **Lyon, France**, privately carried and entered the mails with blue “Louisville, Ky., Mar 24” cds, matching “Paid” handstamp and manuscript “50” rating, red “New York, Mar 30” transit cds, red French transit and receiving backstamp, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2021 **Van Buren, Ark., Jun 13, 1849**, partial cds on 1849 folded letter sheet to the Military Secretary of the East India Co. in **London, England**, matching paid handstamp and manuscript “24” rate, large red “19” credit handstamp and red London “Paid, 16 Jy, 1849” entry postmark, portion of enclosure inside regarding Arkansas military pensioner attest to the East India Co.’s military fund, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2022 **Washington Ark, March 11th**, manuscript postmark on ca. 1844 folded letter sheet to **Havana, Cuba**, with red “Paid” handstamp and “50” double rate rating, “E., NA” in circle arrival handstamp and “3” reales rate handstamp for letter weighing between ½-¾ ounces, **Very Fine**, a very scarce destination.
Estimate \$200 - 300

Early Adhesive Usages

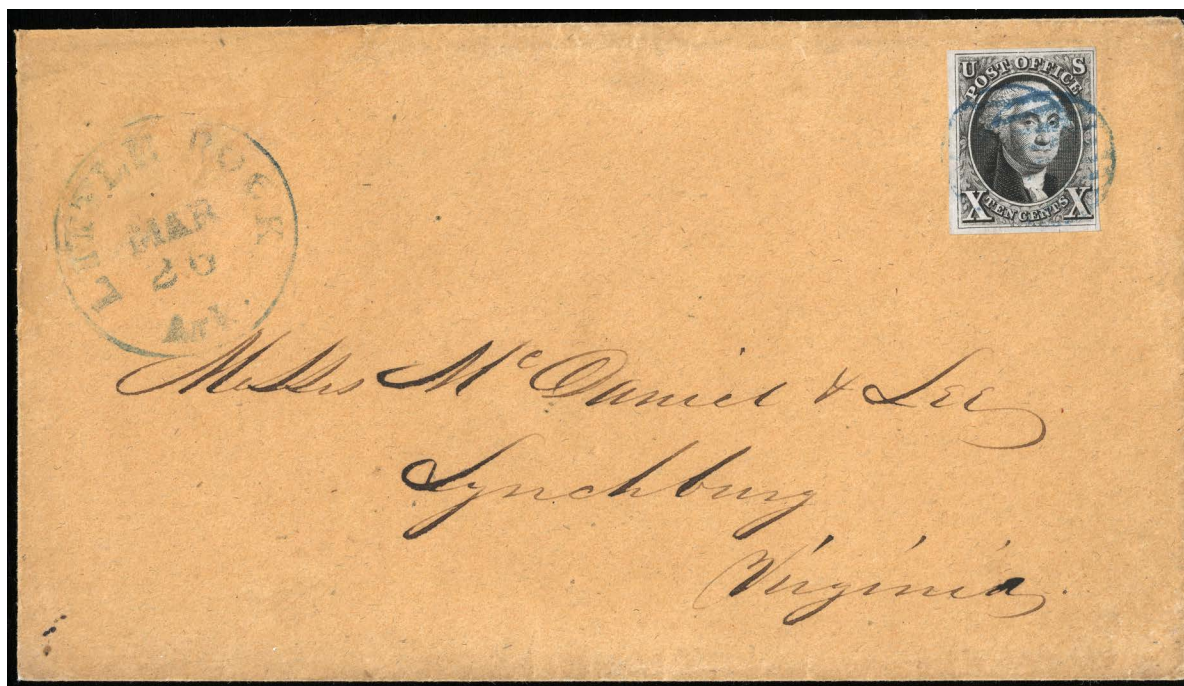
- 2023 **Askew, Ark, Oct 23th/58**, manuscript postmark on mourning border cover to **Mulhouse, France**, franked with manuscript canceled **1857, 3¢ rose, type I** tied by “New York, 3, Nov 2” exchange cds, French transit and due marks and reverse with receiving postmark; cover tone spots, **F-V.F.**, a scarce stamp on foreign destination cover from this very small town.
Scott No. **25** Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2024 **Doakville, Ark., Sep 7 (Choctaw Nation)**, clear cds tying **1851, 3¢ orange brown, type II** (3 line recut in upper left triangle) on cover to Chicopee, Mass., **Very Fine**, a very rare 1851 3¢ orange brown usage from Choctaw Nation, with Dr. Chase notations on reverse.
Scott No. **10A** Estimate \$250 - 350

A Very Rare Pair of 1847 Issue Covers Used in Arkansas



2025 ☒ **Holly Point, Ark, Feb 14**, manuscript postmark on 1851 cover to New Orleans, La. from the Buchanan & Carroll correspondence, franked with ample to large margin **1847, 5¢ brown** tied by manuscript cross cancel; cover with a few pinhole indicative of this correspondence, **Very Fine, ex-Hart**; with 1990 P.F. certificate.
 Scott No. 1. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

THE ONLY KNOWN EXAMPLE OF THE 1847 5¢ ISSUE USED ON COVER FROM THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.



2026 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark., Mar 26**, blue cds on cover to Lynchburg, Va., franked with ample to large margin **1847, 10¢ black** tied by matching blue circular grid handstamps; cover expertly restored at top left corner adding small portions of postmark, **otherwise Very Fine**, one of only four covers known with the 1847 10¢ issue used from Arkansas; with 1999 P.F. certificate.
 Scott No. 2. Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000



- 2027 **Little Rock, Ark, March 20**, blue provisional handmade circular date stamp tying 1852, 1¢ blue, type IV, horizontal strip of three on cover to Drennon Springs, Ky., additional strike at right with manuscript date, with townmark made after fire destroyed the Little Rock post office on February 4th 1853, accompanied by second cover from correspondence franked with manuscript canceled 1851, 3¢ dull red (11) with manuscript "Little Rock, Ark, Feb 8" postmark four days after the fire and with enclosure mentioning the fire... *Thursday night we were aroused from our slumbers by fire bells. Giffith's shop, Kinnard's shop, the post office and Roberson's store are in ruins.*; former with doodling on stamps from recipient and latter with stamp corner nick, **F.-V.F.**, this being one of two known on cover examples of the 1853 Little Rock Provisional date stamp.
Scott No. 9. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

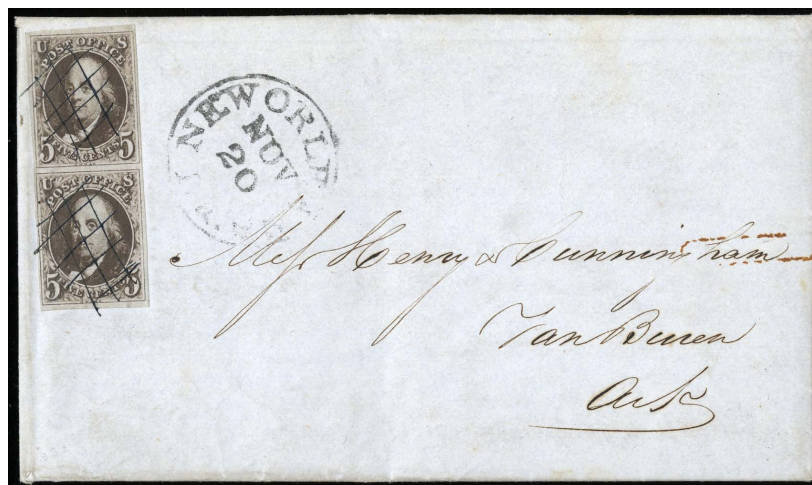
Accompanied by 2023 article "Fire destroyed the Little Rock Arkansas post office 4 Feb 1853. How did the postmaster cope?" by Bruce I. Roberts.

- 2028 **Little Rock, Ark, Apr 3**, perfect strike of blue cds canceling on 1855, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Bowling Green, Ky., forwarded to Louisville with blue "Bowling Green, Ky., Apr 19" forwarding cds with matching "Forwarded" and "5" in circle handstamps, **Very Fine and choice**, an attractive forward usage.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2029 **Napoleon, Ark., May 29**, two bold strikes tying 1851, 1¢ blue, type II + 3¢ dull red + 10¢ green, type II, horizontal pair (7+11+14) on legal size cover to Plauen, Saxony, red "N. York U.S. Pkt., Paid 16, Jun 14" exchange cds and two strikes of blue Bremen transit handstamp; with pair of 10¢ stamps fallen off left of franking after transiting New York (N.Y. credit reflecting the proper 44¢ rate) and before reaching Bremen, cover edge tears and wear, **Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

Accompanied by 2024 Chronicle article "Something is Missing Here: Puzzling Out a Cover From Napoleon, Arkansas" regarding this cover by Bruce I. Roberts.

- 2030 **Tahlequah, Ark, Feb 28 (Cherokee Nation)**, cds with manuscript date tying 1857, 3¢ dull red, type III on cover to Fayetteville, Ark., reverse notes original enclosure was datelined "Tallahassee, Near Creek Agency" which no longer accompanies, **Very Fine**.
Scott No. 26 Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2031 **Van Buren, Ark**, addressing on incoming 1847 folded letter, franked with large margin 1847, 5¢ dark brown, vertical pair, rich intense color and detailed early impression, tied by manuscript crosshatch with "New Orleans, La., Nov 20" cds alongside, **Extremely Fine**, this is one of only seven recorded 1847 issue covers mailed into Arkansas and a very early usage of the 1847 5¢ issue.
Scott No. 1a Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

- 2032 **Washington, Ark., Oct 20**, cds tying 1852, 1¢ blue, type IV on circular rate cover addressed to Chief Pitchlynn in Eagletown, Choctaw Nation; slight cover soiling and wear, **Very Fine**, probably mailed in 1852 or 1853 since Chief Pitchlynn was in Washington D.C. in 1854.
Scott No. 9. Estimate \$150 - 200



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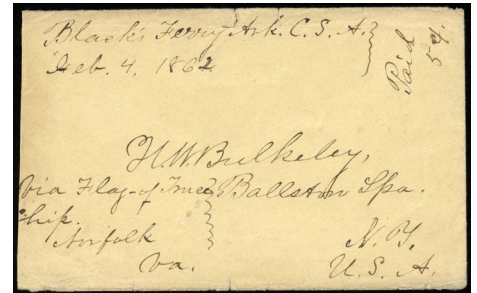
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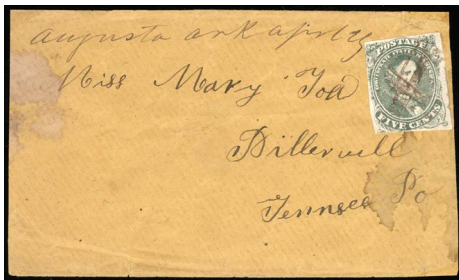
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Arkansas Steamboats

- 2033 **Forest City, Vicksburg & Napoleon, U.S. Mail Packet**, red oval handstamp on cover to Elcho, La., lack of postage and postal markings suggests this cover contained a bill of lading and thus transmitted free of postage charge, **Very Fine and rare**.
Milgram No. **unlisted** Estimate \$200 - 300

Napoleon was a major transfer point at the mouth of the Arkansas River. Much of the river transported mail from the northern half of Arkansas passed onto the Mississippi River at Napoleon.

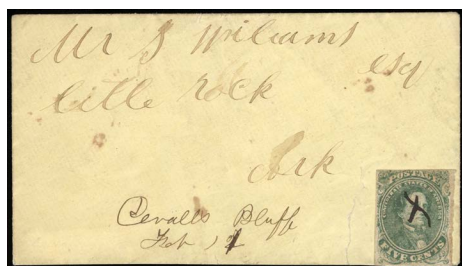
The packet "Forest City", built in Brownsville, Pa. in 1851, is listed on the Vicksburg & Napoleon route (Star Route #8167) from August to December 1858 when the contract belonged to William Porterfield.
- 2034 **Steamer Latona**, red octagonal handstamp on 1852 folded letter **from Pine Bluff, Ark.** to New Orleans, La., entered the mails with red "New Orleans, La., Apr 16" cds with matching "Steam 5" in circle handstamp, **Very Fine**.
Milgram No. **771** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2035 **Ouachita Packet New World**, red oval handstamp on 1852 folded bill of lading from New Orleans, La. **to Pigeon Hill, Ark.** **Very Fine**. Milgram No. 1001.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2036 **Arkansas Packets/Inland Waterway Cover Balance**, exhibit balance of 11 covers; includes 5 manuscript packet endorsed entires, Mississippi river with "Belle Lee" and "Henry Ames", Arkansas & St. Francis rivers with "Geo. D. Palmer", "Quick Time" and "Des Arc", and 5 entires with packet handstamps from the Ouachita River with steamers including "Idahoe" (2 different), "Welcome", "Mayflower" and "Rapides"; condition varies with many nice strikes and covers throughout.
Estimate \$300 - 400



2043



2044 (Front & Back)



2045



2046 (Front & Back)

Independent States & U.S. Rates During the Confederacy



2037 ☒ **Carrollton, Ark., May 6th**, manuscript postmark on legal size cover addressed to "Col. J.F. Snyder, Bolivar, Missouri", franked with manuscript canceled U.S. 1857, 1¢ blue, type V, horizontal strip of 6 (24), pencil 1861 year docketing on reverse; cover opening tear at top and right stamp with torn top corner, still Very Fine, Arkansas was an Independent State only for a short period between May 6th and May 17th of 1861.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

A VERY RARE FIRST DAY ARKANSAS INDEPENDENT STATE USAGE AND UNIQUE MULTIPLE USAGE OF THE U.S. 1857 1¢ ISSUE.

The date of this cover is reaffirmed from existing correspondence to John F. Snyder. Dr. Snyder served with the 8th Division, Missouri State Guard (CSA) as the Assistant Division Surgeon. As a physician, his letters in peacetime would have been addressed to him with his M.D. honorific. Once the 8th Missouri was organized in 1861, he was addressed as "Colonel".



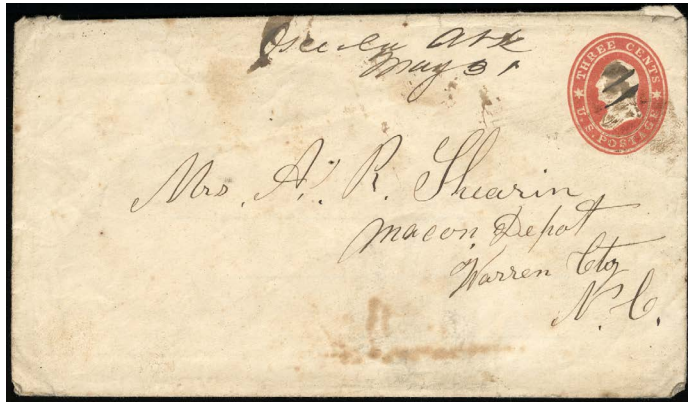
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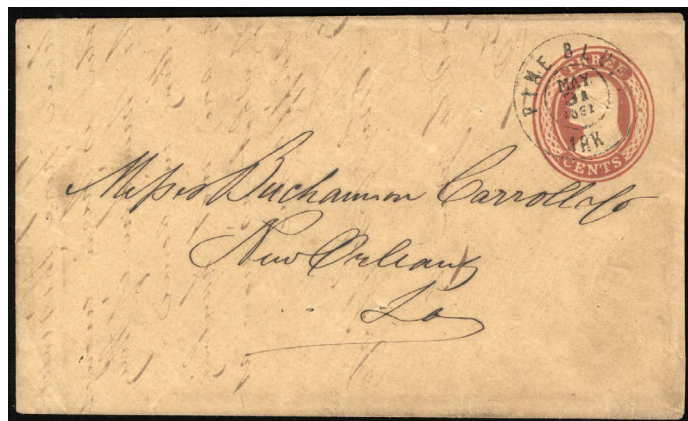
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2038 ☒ **Osceola, Ark, May 31**, manuscript postmark on manuscript canceled U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire (U26) to Macon Depot, N.C.; flaws including some staining and corner wear, **F.-V.F.**, this is **one of three reported last day U.S. postage used in Confederate Arkansas**; with 2024 C.S.A. certificate.
Estimate \$250 - 350



2039 ☒ **Pine Bluff, Ark, May 31, 1861**, clear sharp strike of cds canceling on U.S. 1855, 3¢ Nesbitt entire (U10) to New Orleans, La. from the Buchanan & Carroll correspondence, **Very Fine and choice**, this was the **last day of the U.S. rates in the Confederacy**; with 1998 C.S.A. certificate.
Estimate \$750 - 1,000

ONE OF THREE REPORTED COVERS FROM ARKANSAS MAILED ON MAY 31ST 1861.

At midnight on May 31, 1861, the United States Post Office Department ceased mail operations in the Confederate States and prohibited further mail dispatch from the northern states into the Confederacy.

Confederate States & Union Occupation

2040 ☒ **Augusta, Ark, April 29**, manuscript postmark on cover to Dillerville, Tenn., franked with manuscript canceled 1861, 5¢ green; cover staining and a bit reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

2041 ☒ **Black's Ferry, Ark. C.S.A., Feb 4, 1862**, manuscript postmark on cover to Ballston Spa, N.Y., with matching "Paid 5¢" and endorsed "Via Flag of Truce Ship, Norfolk, Va." at lower left; cover edge wear, small edge tears and reduced at left, **F.-V.F.**, a **rare civilian Flag of Truce via Norfolk usage and the only Arkansas Flag of Truce recorded**.
Estimate \$500 - 750

As no U.S. postage or due rate was included on the outside of this cover, it is believed that a second cover and letter was enclosed within this cover bearing U.S. 3¢ postage or was rated "Due 3" upon arrival.

2042 ☒ **Camden, Ark., Jun 5**, cds on incoming manuscript canceled U.S. 1855, 3¢ Nesbitt entire, with matching "Bolivar, Mo., April 14" origin postmark sent prior to secession, manuscript "Advr 5 due" at right as Federal postal materials were no longer accepted as paying postage in Arkansas after May 31, 1861, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$300 - 400

The recipient, Dr. John Snyder, was serving with the 8th division of the Missouri State Guard as Lt. Colonel and Assistant Division Surgeon-General.

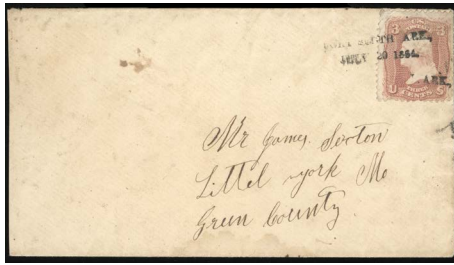
2043 ☒ **Camden, Ark., Apr 21**, balloon type cds tying 1861, 5¢ green on cover to Washington, Ark.; soiling in bottom margin of stamp, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. 1 Estimate \$150 - 200

2044 ☒ **Camden, Ark., Oct 17**, cds on gray and violet floral wallpaper cover to Tuscaloosa, Ala., reverse franked with 1863, 10¢ blue tied by additional strikes of cds; cover reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. 11 Estimate \$250 - 350

2045 ☒ **Devalls Bluff, Feb 11**, manuscript postmark on 1862 cover to Little Rock, Ark., franked with manuscript canceled 1861, 5¢ green; sealed cover tear to the left of stamp, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. 1 Estimate \$150 - 200

2046 ☒ **Doakville, Cho. Nation, Arkansas**, addressing on incoming cover, franked on reverse with **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ red brown, vertical pair** tied by two strikes of "Paid" handstamp, front with matching "New Orleans, La., Aug 11" cds, with notation above stamps "have sent some letters care of CC Dale to be forwarded, gave yours to Express"; cover expertly restored at top and right, opened at side for display, **Very Fine appearance**, a rare New Orleans provisional usage to Choctaw Nation.
Scott No. 62X4 Estimate \$300 - 400

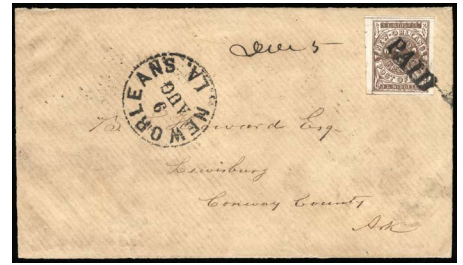
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- 2047 **Eudora, Ark, Aug 1**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 5" rate on uncanceled U.S. 1855, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Columbia, Tenn.; staining and some edge wear, **Fine**, the only reported Confederate usage from Eudora.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2048 **Florence, Ark, Nov 8**, bold sharp strike of cds on 1861 folded letter to New Orleans, La. from the Carroll Hoy correspondence, matching "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "10" rate, **Extremely Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2049 **Fort Gibson, Ark. (Cherokee Nation)**, address to "Genl. Pike's Staff" on cover franked with **1861, 10¢ blue** canceled by "Paid 5" straight line handstamp, matching "Liberty, Va., Feb 21" origin cds; cover and stamp corner with small tear, **F-V.F.**
Scott No. **2** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2050 **Fort Smith, Ark., July 20, 1864**, straight two-line postmark tying 1861, 3¢ rose on cover to Little York, Mo.; minor stamp flaws, **Very Fine**.
Scott No. **65** Estimate \$200 - 300

AN OUTSTANDING AND RARE UNION MILITARY OCCUPATION STRAIGHT LINE TOWN MARKING.

Fort Smith Arkansas was occupied by Union forces On September 1, 1863 and was in the Union postal system from that point to the end of the war.

Union forces first occupied a portion of Arkansas in July 1862, when they took Helena Arkansas on the Mississippi River. From that date, they steadily succeeded in occupying most of Arkansas north of the Arkansas river. Much of the state south of the river remained in Confederate hands to the end of the war.

Only a total of 13 covers with the Fort Smith straight line have been recorded, all used in 1864.

- 2051 **Helena, Ark, Feb 8, 1862**, cds on cover to New Orleans, La. from the Carroll Hoy correspondence, matching "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "10" rate; cover reduced at top, **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200



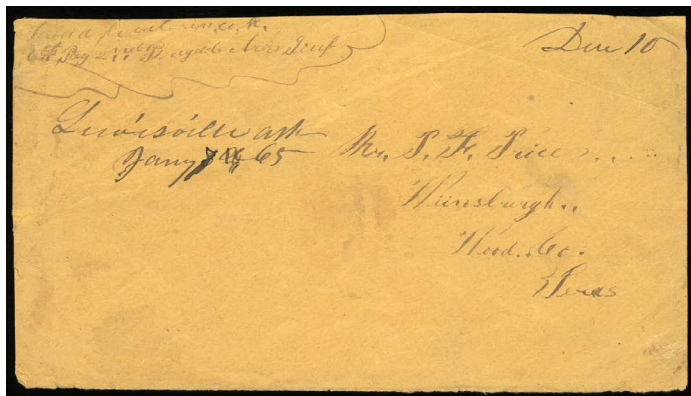
- 2052 **Hillsboro, Ark.**, address on 1864 cover "Care of Capt. T.P. Ingram, A.Q.M., Grenada, Miss.", franked with **1863, 10¢ blue, vertical strip of four** tied by "Augusta, Ga., Sep 23" cds's; some light staining in central portion of address panel, **Very Fine**, illustrated in Krieger's *The Trans-Mississippi Mails After the Fall of Vicksburg* (page 49).
Scott No. **11** Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

ONE OF ELEVEN 40¢ TRANS-MISSISSIPPI EXPRESS RATE USAGES TO AND FROM ARKANSAS.

The Confederate National Express Mail Service was authorized in May 1863, for letters traveling across the Mississippi river. Delay caused the service to begin operation in November 1863, by then both Vicksburg (July 4) and Little Rock (Sept 10) had fallen into Union hands.

- 2053 ☒ **Lewisburg, Ark.**, addressing on incoming cover, franked with ample to large margin **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ brown** tied by bold "Paid" handstamp, matching "New Orleans, La., Aug 9" cds and manuscript "**Due 5**" for 10¢ rate because Lewisburg is more than 500 miles from New Orleans, **Very Fine**.
Scott No. **62X3** Estimate \$300 - 400

It was common in the new CSA Postal system that mistakes were made in distance estimates, especially to Arkansas whose geography was very unfamiliar to postal workers outside the state.



- 2054 ☒ **Lewisville, Ark., Jan 7, 65**, manuscript postmark with matching "Due 10" rating on **turned cover** to Winstburg, Texas with military endorsement at top left, inside franked with **1863, 10¢ blue** (11) tied by "Washington, Ark., Dec 2" cds, to Lewisville, Ark.; cover opened at sides for display, **Very Fine**, this is the **latest date reported on an outgoing Arkansas Confederate cover**.
Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2055 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark., Sep 3, 1861**, cds on folded letter to Arkansas Post, Ark., with matching **unusual "5 Paid" handstamp with "Paid" at 90 degrees reading up**, **Very Fine**, only five examples of the "5 Paid" 90 degrees handstamp reported, this being the earliest recorded strike.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2056 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark, Oct 28, 1861**, cds with matching "Paid 10" in circle handstamp on uncancelled U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire to Fort Mill, S.C., **Very Fine**, a scarce adversity usage on a U.S. entire.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2057 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark.**, cds on legal size cover to Planters, Ark, with manuscript "Paid 25" rating, 1861 pencil docketing at left; cover lightly cleaned, refolded and reduced at right, **Very Fine appearance**, a rare five times rate usage, this is the **highest rated Confederate stampless reported from Little Rock**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2058 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark.**, cds and target canceling on U.S. 1855, 3¢ Nesbitt entire to Warrior Stand, Ala. used early in 1861, **entire recut and turned** franked with pencil canceled **1863, 10¢ blue** (12) and manuscript "Warrior Stand, Ala., Sept 12/63" alongside, to North Gilead, N.C., **Very Fine Turned Cover**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2059 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark., May 22, 1863**, cds tying **1861, 10¢ blue, corner margin single** on cover to Waxahachie, Tex.; small stamp scuffs, cover with light soiling and reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**.
Scott No. **2** Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2060 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark., Oct 18, '64**, cds and target duplex tying **1861, 30¢ orange** (71) on cover to **Stotzheim, France**, red "New York, Paid 6, Oct 29" exchange cds, French transit and receiving backstamp; stamp with pre-use torn off margin at left, **otherwise Very Fine**, sent from Union occupied Little Rock and the only reported use of the 1861 30¢ from Arkansas.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2061 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark., Nov 19, 1862**, two strikes of cds, one tying **1861, 10¢ light blue, Patterson printing** on gray and white patterned **wallpaper cover** to Weatherford, Tex.; cover nick, missing backflap and stamp tear at top, **F.-V.F.**, a scarce wallpaper usage from Arkansas.
Scott No. **2a** Estimate \$400 - 600

- 2062 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark.**, address on cover endorsed "**From Capt. M.G. Galloway, Prisoner of War, Camp Chase, Ohio**", franked with uncancelled U.S. 1861, 3¢ rose with manuscript "Ex. & App'd Kibbie" examiner endorsement, letter was **intended to be hand carried by Mrs. Charlotte Moon Clark prior to the ensuing confiscation of 170 letters and order for her arrest**, **Very Fine**, a very rare Arkansas prisoner of war cover.
Estimate \$300 - 400

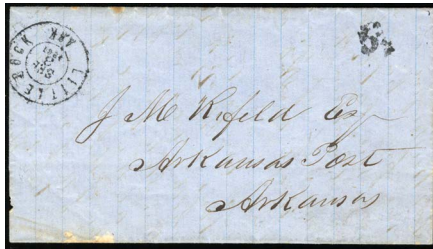
This is one of 170 covers that were written and intended to be delivered by Mrs. Clark. They were confiscated and never mailed. Many have the notation such as "Politeness of Mrs. Clark" or something similar on them. She had visited her brother at Camp Chase and carried back letters to one of General Morgan's brothers. When Union officials learned this, they ordered her arrest order. In the meantime, prisoners wrote a large quantity of letters thinking she was coming back to Camp Chase. After a time she returned from Canada, was arrested and sent South.

The sender, Captain Morton Galloway, was captured at Pea Ridge in March of 1862. He was held at Camp Chase until August 1862 and then exchanged.

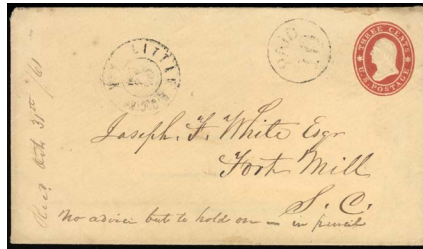
- 2063 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark.**, address on fresh homemade cover, franked with manuscript canceled full margin **1862, 10¢ rose**, red "Alexandria, La., Jul 3" cds; cover reduced at left, **Very Fine**.
Scott No. **5** Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2064 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark. "Adv 2"**, pencil **advertised rate endorsement** on incoming 1863 folded letter addressed to "S.M. Noble, Lieut. Col. C.S. Army", "Nacogdoches, Tex., May 6" origin cds with matching "Paid" and "10" rate handstamps; splitting along folds with some inside separation, **otherwise Very Fine**, a very rare advertising usage from Little Rock.
Estimate \$300 - 400

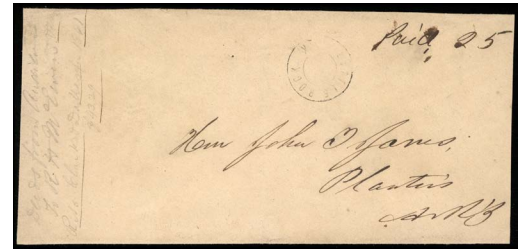
- 2065 ☒ **Little Rock, Ark., Aug 31**, cds and quartered cork duplex tying **1863, 2¢ black** on cover to Princeton, Ark., with printed "**Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and Abandoned Lands, Little Rock, Arkansas, Printed Matter**" corner card; cover slightly reduced at right and light toning, **F.-V.F.**.
Scott No. **73** Estimate \$200 - 300



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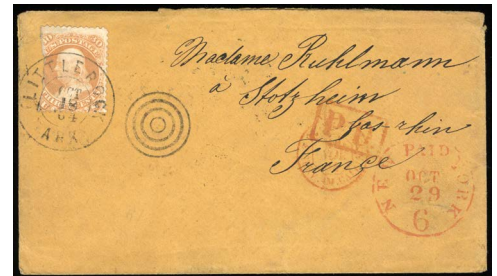
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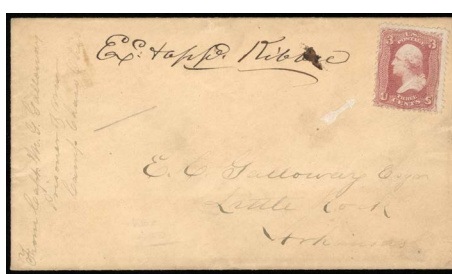
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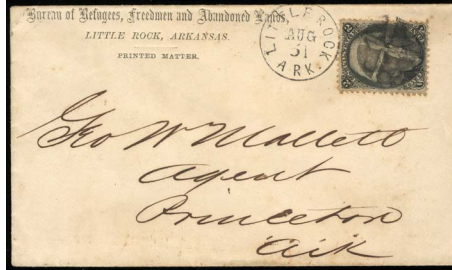
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2066 ☒ **Monticello, Ark.**, address on incoming 1861 cover, with blue "Bowling Green, Ky., Nov 11" cds and manuscript "Paid 10" rating, **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300

As soon as Arkansas troops could be formed, they were rushed to Kentucky to assist the Confederates attempt to take over the state. The Confederates occupied Bowling Green on September 18, 1861.

2067 ☒ **Napoleon, Ark., Jun 2, 1861**, cds with clear readable date on cover to Egg's Point, Miss., matching "Paid" and "5" rate handstamps; small repaired edge nick at top, **Very Fine**, a **Second Day Use in the Confederate Postal System and the earliest reported from Arkansas.**
Estimate \$400 - 600

2068 ☒ **Old Town, Ark., Oct 18**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 5" on cover to Huntsville, Ala.; light edge wear and a bit reduced at left, **Very Fine.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

2069 ☒ **Pine Bluff, Ark.**, cds with matching "Paid" handstamp with manuscript "80¢" above on legal size cover to the district court in Marshall, Tex., postmaster and clerk receiving docketing; cover with portions of corners missing and other various flaws, **Fine**, the **highest franking reported on any Arkansas Confederate cover**; with 2001 C.S.A. certificate.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2070 ☒ **Pine Bluff, Ark., Jun 9, 1863**, cds with matching "Paid" and "10" rate handstamp on **turned cover** to Plano, Tex, inside with military address to Pine Bluff, Ark with partial Richmond, Tex. cds's (stamp missing), **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

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- 2071 ☒ **Post Oak, Ark., Decr 8, 1864**, manuscript postmark with “Due 10” rating on cover to Wrightsville, Tex., with Army of Tenn. docketing at left; cover soiling and edge wear, **F.-V.F.**, one of two Confederate covers reported from Post Oak.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2072 ☒ **Searcy, Ark.**, cds on two covers; one to Cold Well, Ark. with “Paid” in lozenge and “5” in circle handstamp, other to Madisonville, E. Tenn. with “Paid” in lozenge and “10” in circle rate handstamp; latter with edge and corner wear, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2073 ☒ **Shawnee Vil.(lage), Ark.**, addressing on incoming cover, franked with **Memphis, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ red** mis-cut leaving design cut in at left & showing large portion of next stamp at right, touched at top, tied by “Memphis, Ten., Nov 24” cds; flap missing & couple tiny cover edge tears, **Fine**.
Scott No. **56X2** Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2074 ☒ **Sullivan Springs, Ark.**, addressing on soldiers letter endorsed from “A. Edwards, in Company E, 10th regular Ark volunteers”, with light “Bowling Green, Ky., Jan 30” cds and pencil “due 10” rate, with additional “**Due, 10**” handstamp applied in transit at **Memphis, Tenn.** applied over pencil rating, with original enclosure; cover toning and missing backflap, **Fine**, Memphis was a critical Post Office for Arkansas in the CSA.
Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2075 ☒ **Van Buren, Ark**, addressing on cover franked with **U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by grid handstamp, matching “Hamilton, Ohio, Jun 6” origin cds, reverse with partial red “Cincinnati, O., Jun 7” transit cds of the **First Day of the 1861 Suspension of U.S. Post Office Across-the-Lines Routes via Louisville and Tennessee** and sent to Washington D.C., large “Dead Letter Office, P.O. Dept. Aug 5, 1861” oval datestamp additionally tying stamp and “DUE 3 cts” straightline, sender’s address “Robt Harper, Hamilton, Butler Co., Ohio” written on face by D.L.O.; cover with partial backflap and some overall soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

A RARE CIVIL WAR USE FROM HAMILTON, OHIO TO VAN BUREN, ARKANSAS THAT WAS DIVERTED TO THE DEAD LETTER OFFICE AFTER THE LOUISVILLE AND TENNESSEE MAIL ROUTE WAS SUSPENDED ON JUNE 7, 1861.

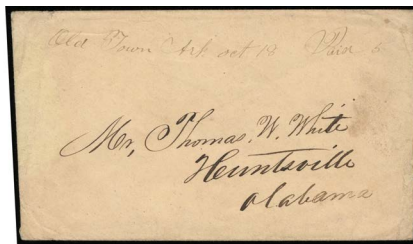
According to the Walske-Trepel book, the southbound mails from the United States to western CSA was normally carried via Louisville and Tennessee until the June 7th U.S. postal discontinuance notice, which prohibited mail postal communications with the CSA. Mail on this route was diverted to the United States dead letter office in Washington D.C. At the dead letter office, the diverted mail was opened to ascertain the sender address, which was written on the face. The diverted letters were postmarked by the Dead Letter Office and handstamped with “Due 3 cts” straightline before returning to sender.

Post Civil War Usages

- 2076 ☒ **Clarendon, Ark., May 12**, bluish black cds on legal size cover to Athens, Ala., franked with **1869, 6¢ ultramarine** canceled by bold target handstamp; stamp with light crease and cover toned with repaired rough opening at right, **Fine**, a very rare usage of the 6¢ Pictorial in Arkansas.
Scott No. **115** Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2077 ☒ **Clarksville, Ark**, address on unsealed circular rate cover, franked with **1869, 1¢ buff, horizontal pair** canceled by quartered cork handstamps (tied through perfs), **Very Fine**, a scarce 1869 issue usage.
Scott No. **112** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2078 ☒ **Devalls Bluff, Ark.**, faint cds on cover to Denmark, Tenn., with attorney at law corner card and reverse with **allover “Little Rock And Its Railroad Connections.” illustrated map**, franked with cork canceled **1869, 3¢ ultramarine**; stamp nick and cover slightly reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. **114** Estimate \$150 - 200



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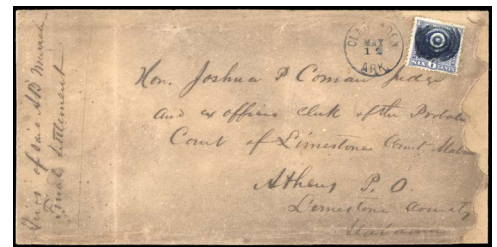
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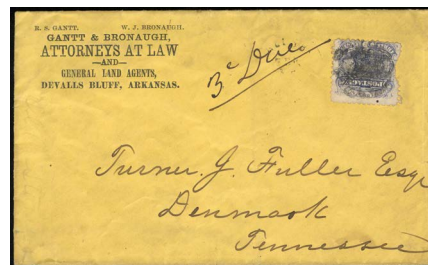
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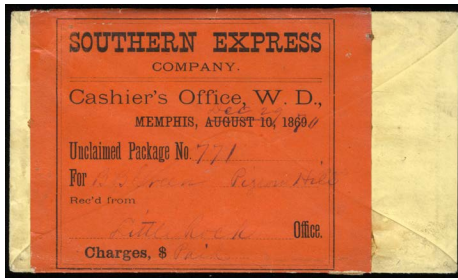


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- 2079 **Fort Gibson, Ark, May 1 (Cherokee Nation)**, clear cds on cover to Creek Agency, Creek Nation, franked with 1869, 3¢ ultramarine tied by cork handstamp, **Very Fine**, later in the 1870's the Fort Gibson postmark changed the "Ark" designation to "C.N.". Scott No. 114 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2080 **Pigeon Hill, Ark.**, address on cover with large black on orange "Southern Express Company, Memphis, Dec 29, 1870, Unclaimed Package, Rec'd from Little Rock Office" label affixed on reverse, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2081 **Springfield, Ark., Jan 4th, 1868**, manuscript postmark tying manuscript canceled 1867, 1¢ blue, **F. grill, horizontal strip of three** on cover to the House of Representatives in Washington D.C., with original enclosure regarding petition for back pay from the U.S. Government; left stamp with pre-use nick at upper left and cover reduced at right. Scott No. 92 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2082 **Van Buren, Ark., Feb 9**, cds on legal size cover to Bentonville, Ark., franked with 1869, 3¢ ultramarine, **single + top margin single with part imprint + top margin horizontal pair** canceled and tied by negative five point star handstamps; cover with strong reduction at left and second single stamp torn in half, **Fine**. Scott No. 114 Estimate \$150 - 200



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19th Century Cover Groups

State 1851 - 1861 0.5 oz. Letters less than 3000 miles
Adhesives and Embossed Envelopes

The second issue of US Adhesives was first printed and sold in 1851, and the third issue was released in 1857. Embossed envelopes were first sold July 1, 1853. This section of the exhibit shows the variety of these materials and the postal markings applied to them in Arkansas and Indian Territory.

Arkadelphia, April 18, 1857 → Lafayette, Georgia



Lake Village, Chicot County, May 29, 1860 → Masona



Ex 2083

2083 ☒ **Arkansas Postal History Balance, 1851-70**, exhibit balance of over **50 covers** with various franked ratings; includes scarce 1¢ (7) usage on 1857 circular from Little Rock, 3¢ O.B. usages from Little Rock and Pine Bluff, 1¢ strip of 3 (24) usages from Arkadelphia and Lake Village, 3¢ (26) usage from Fort Gibson (Cherokee Nation), 6¢ Nesbitt entire usages from Little Rock, Hamburg & Augusta, #26+36 combination from Little Rock (very faulty but only recorded 12¢ plate I usage from Arkansas), various 6¢ rates from Jackson, Eagle Town (manuscript) and Kingston, 1850's incoming Marysville, Cal. to Carrollton with 10¢ franking (35), selection of 1861 issue usages including 1¢ strip (63) from Princeton, 3¢ x5 usage from Madison, double 2¢ Blackjack usages from Carrollton and Russellville, 3¢ F. grill strip on oversized O.B. cover, 1869 Pictorial usages including scarce 1¢ from Little Rock, 1¢+2¢ combinations from Pine Bluff and Batesville, and an array of 3¢ usages from towns including Osceola, Helena, Camden, Boonsboro, Cummins, Sulphur Rock, etc., etc.; condition varies with many nice strikes and covers throughout.
Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

2084 ☒ **Arkansas Postal History Collection, 1870-90**, of **45 covers** and a few cards written up on pages; nice showing of Banknote era usages including nice registered usages from Lockesburg and Swifton, 1882 Washington, Ark. to Germany, various ad covers with couple hotel illustrated, 1884 Grand Lake octagon date stamp with star in circle duplex on uprated registered entires, official issue usages, etc., later with Columbian issue registry frankings from Elmo and Decatur, few R.P.O.'s and some interesting later usages.
Estimate \$300 - 400

Territory 1819 - 1836

Washington, Hempstead County, February 1, 1829 → Little Rock
12.5 Cents (paid) for single letter 80-150 miles

From the letter heading "Washington, A.T."
Established September 5, 1828



Earliest reported cover from Washington
Hempstead C.H., Hempstead County, (Probable date) July 9, 1835 → Woodville, Mississippi
50 cents due for double letter over 400 miles.



Hempstead Court House (C.H.) was the official name of the post office at Washington. Post offices in towns that were the county seat often became the "— C.H." rather than the town name. When Arkansas became a state June 15, 1836, the postmaster changed the color for this marking.

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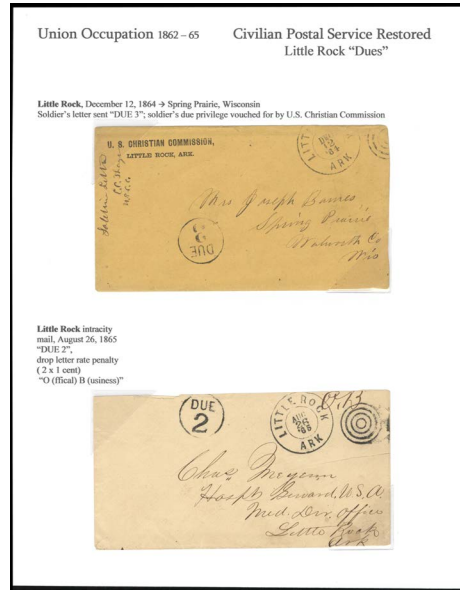
2085 ☒ **Arkansas Stampless Postal History Balance, 1829-50**, exhibit balance of **33 covers**; includes three scarce territorial covers including 1829 earliest reported cover from Washington (no postmark but with 12½ rate), bold Little Rock cds on 1832 folded letter sent "Free" to Acting Secretary of War, and "Hempstead C.H., Ar.T." cds on 1835 folded letter, early statehood usages including including similar Hempstead Territorial cds although in red on 1837 postmaster free frank cover, other usages with 1840 Washington cds, 1843 Plum Bayou manuscript, 1838 Columbus manuscript, interesting 1844 Washington cds on turned cover with Arkadelphia manuscript inside, multiple rates from Union Court House, Little Rock, Fayetteville & Batesville, 1841 usages from Little Rock (no origin postmarks), other later postmarks including 1846 Fort Towson (Choctaw Nation), ca. 1850 Fort Gibson (Cherokee Nation), 1846 El Dorado manuscript, 1853 Ultima Thule manuscript and postmaster free frank, various Little Rock cds's, etc.; condition varies with many nice strikes and covers throughout.
Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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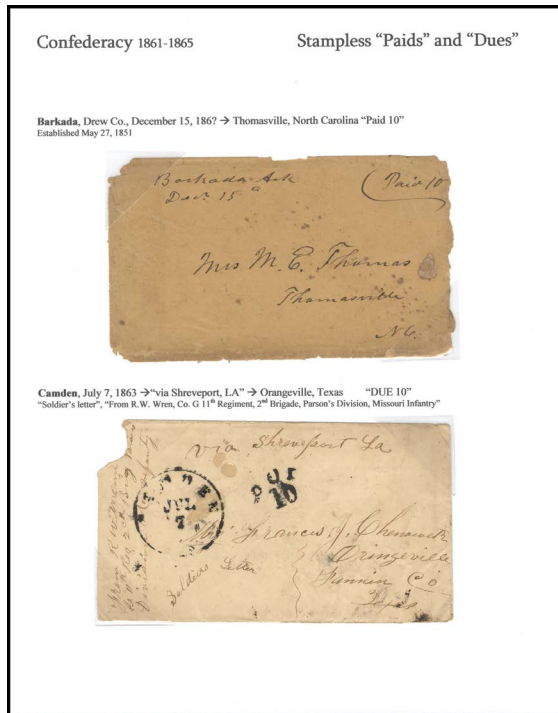
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Confederate States & Union Occupation Cover Groups

2086 ☒ **Arkansas "Independent State" Cover Balance**, exhibit balance of **9 covers**; with seven covers from various Arkansas towns to various seceded states, cover from Little Rock mailed four days before secession and cover from Confederate Montgomery, Ala. (U.S. #26 frank) to Independent Osceola, Ark.; condition varies. Estimate \$150 - 200



Ex 2087

2087 ☒ **Arkansas Stampless Postal History Balance**, exhibit balance of **12 covers**; with postmarks from towns including Arkadelphia, Barkada manuscript, Camden, Fort Smith, Lake Village, Little Rock, Van Buren, Luda manuscript and Osceola, also some military carried including one to Brig. Genl. Stand White in Indian territory; condition varies. Estimate \$300 - 400

Confederacy 1861-1865

CSA Adhesive Issues 5-Cent Blue Lithograph

Fort Smith, June 23, 1862 → Fayetteville



Mailed 8 days before the end of the 5-cent single letter rate for up to 500 mile. An adversary envelope, made from one half of a previously used #10 sized envelope.

Des Arc, Prairie County, January 16, 1863 → Butler, Texas
Des Arc was occupied by Federal Forces by January, 1864



An adversary envelope made from wallpaper.

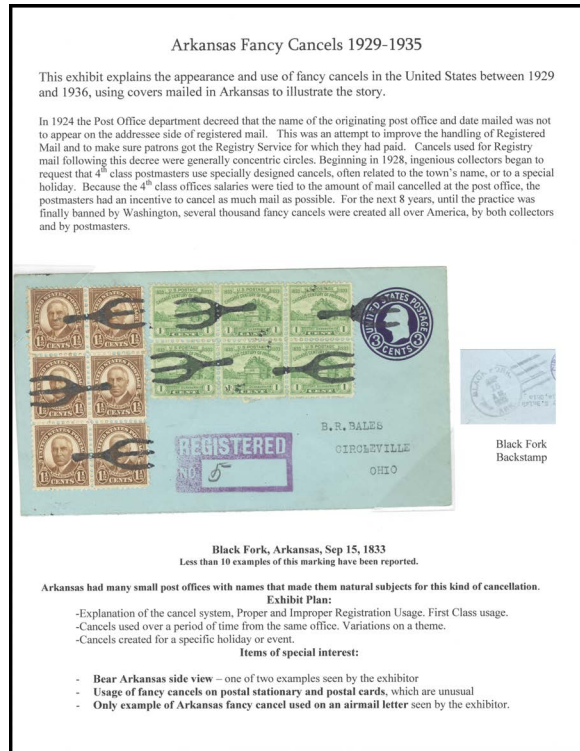
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2088 ☒ **Arkansas Confederate Postal History Balance**, exhibit balance of **10 franked covers**; includes two 1862, 5¢ blue (4) usage with single from Fort Smith and pair tied by Des Arc cds on wallpaper cover (both faulty), 1862, 5¢ blue usages (6-7) with pair usages from Camden and Little Rock, later 10¢ usages with nice incoming from Shreveport, La. and pair on cover from Monticello, etc.; condition is mixed. Estimate \$400 - 600

- 2089 ☒ **Arkansas Union Occupation Postal History Balance, 1862-65**, exhibit balance of **19 covers**; with 5 covers posted in Memphis, Tenn. from soldiers in Arkansas carried to the Memphis office, with enclosures and endorsements from Batesville, Helena, Napoleon and Little Rock, few incoming usages including patriotic, and civilian restored service from Little Rock including U.S. Christian Commission corner card and due drop rate, other usages from Fort Smith including rare straight line postmark, Pine Bluff and Helena, also an Adams Express money package from Little Rock; condition varies with many nice strikes and covers throughout.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

20th Century Cover Groups

- 2090 ☒ **Arkansas Postal History Balance**, mix of well over **100 covers and cards** mostly sleeved; includes legal sized items from early stampless to Postal Savings multiple franking, couple 1911 League Park Station, Fort Smith pioneer airmail flight cards and 1944 crash cover, turn-of-the-century illustrated ad covers and a selection of picture post cards, special delivery and parcel post, Spanish-American war patriotic, registered and auxiliary markings, little foreign including incoming from China and India, etc.; worth proper evaluation (no photo).
 Estimate \$400 - 600



Ex 2091

- 2091 ☒ **Arkansas Fancy Cancel Exhibit Collection, 1929-35**, of **30 covers and card** written up on exhibit pages, showing various pictorial & numeral cancellations used at 4th class post office during this time period; starting with seven strikes of fancy black fork cancels on 1933 registered entire from **Black Fork, Ark.** (less than 10 examples reported), four 1930-31 **Bear, Ark.** usages with rare early first type bear fancy (one of five examples known by exhibitor) and second type with one in greenish blue color, 1929-34 **Fifty Six, Ark** usages with different "56" numeral usages on six covers, other usages from **Turkey, Figure Five, Forty Four, Hand, Star Bee, Tomato and Columbus, Ark.**, few pictorial not related to town name including two 1933 Pumpkin Pictorial cancels used from Columbus on Halloween (one day only postmark); a nice collection of these scarce to very rare 20th century fancy cancels.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



Ex 2092

- 2092 ☒ **Arkansas WWII Postal History Group**, of over **65 covers and cards**; includes an array of patriotic cacheted covers from towns including Arsenal, Battles & Flag, Ark., run of similar free frank covers from Camp Chaffee and Little Rock, Navy and War Department penalty covers and selection of German-American prisoner of war covers to and from Camp Joseph Robinson and others from Germany, few German-American relocation camp covers from Jerome Relocation Center in Denson, Ark. and Rohwer Rel. Center in McGehee.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

The Richard Murphy Collection of Confederate South Carolina

Independent State Usages



- 2093 **Charleston S.C. Dec. 20, 1860 - The Day South Carolina Seceded**, double-circle datestamp clearly struck, grid cancel ties **United States 3¢ Dull Red**, Ty. III (26), natural straight edge at right where corners clipped, nicked at left, on yellow cover to Lenude's Ferry P.O. S.C., cover with expertly repaired tears and edges, **lovely Very Fine appearance**, *ex-Calhoun & Walker*.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- A SCARCE AND DESIRABLE "KEY DATE" CONFEDERATE COVER - USED ON THE DAY SOUTH CAROLINA VOTED TO SECEDE FROM THE UNION.
- 2094 **Charleston, S.C. Dec. 28, 1860**, double circle postmark on cover to Allendale, S.C., franked with **United States 1857, 3¢ dull red** Dull Red (26, perf. flaws at top) with central struck grid cancel, blind embossed corner card for Charleston merchant on backflap, **Very Fine**, attractive independent State usage.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- South Carolina seceded on December 20, 1860 and entered the Confederate States of America on February 4, 1861.*
- 2095 **Charleston S.C., Jan. 10, 1861**, clear strike of circular datestamp and grid cancel on **United States 3¢ Red** on BuffNesbitt entire (U10) to Savannah Ga., **fresh & Very Fine Independent State use**.
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2096 **Charleston S.C., Jan. 14, 1861**, well-struck double-circle datestamp on buff cover to Greenville S.C. with **colorless embossed company shield-style corner card** at upper left, franked with **three United States 1¢ Blue**, Ty. V (24) tied by grid cancels, incorrectly docketed 1860 at left, **Very Fine and rare Independent State usage**, *ex-Calhoun*.
 Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2097 **Charleston, S.C., Independent States Group**, group of **four covers**; includes folded letter with "Jan 8, 1861" cds and matching "Paid" (no rate) to Statesburg, S.C., a "Jan 31, 1861" cds with matching grid handstamp tying **U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red** (U.S. 26) on cover to William Ellison in Statesburg (a freed slave who owned 63 slaves), a "Jan 10, 1861" cds with matching grid canceling on **U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire** to New York (some soiling), and defective privately carried "Surgeon General's Department, State of South Carolina" imprint cover to Morris Island, with illustrated letterhead enclosure datelined "Jan 4, 1861"; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2098 **Georgetown, S.C., Feb 1, 1861**, clear strike of cds and bearing **U.S. 3¢ dull red** (26) canceled by matching sharp circular grid on yellow cover to Georgetown S.C. and forwarded to Charleston; small edge tear at top, **otherwise Very Fine, an attractive Independent State usage**, *ex-Teal*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2099 **Spartanburg, S.C. Jan 18, 1861**, double circle postmark on darling small cover Echaw P.O., S.C. with totally intact blue edged back flaps and monogram seal, franked with **United States 1857, 3¢ dull red** Dull Red (tiny perf. tear) tied by grid cancel, **Extremely Fine Independent State Use**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2100 **Yorkville, S.C. Jan 26 (1861)**, bold cds with manuscript "Pd 3^{cts}/ Charge (box) 111" on cover to "Col. A B. Springs, Fort Mills, York District, So. Ca.", **Very Fine and attractive**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

Andrew Baxter Springs was a wealthy planter, with interests in railroads and banks. He was a signer of the Ordinance of Secession, and joined the military after the signing on Dec. 20, 1860. His rank, and the 3 cents rate, defines the date of this cover to be Jan. 26, 1861.



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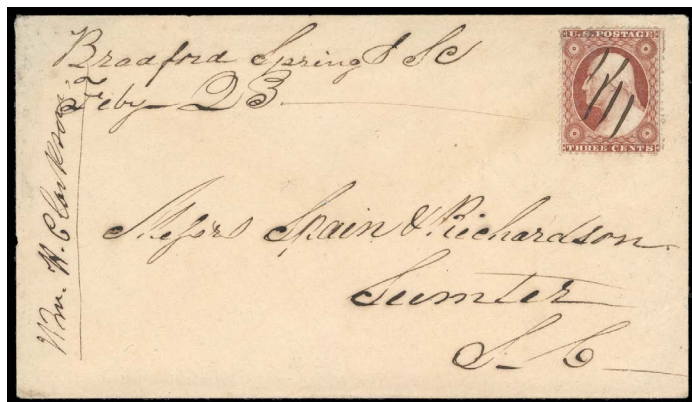
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U.S. Used in the Confederacy

- 2101 ☒ **Aiken S.C. Mar. 11, 1861**, 26mm double circle postmark on cover to Hamburg P.O. S.C. with bold manuscript "Paid 3" (U.S. rate period), trivial stain at top, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2102 ☒ **Ashepoo Ferry, S.C. Mar. 1st 1861**, manuscript postmark on mourning cover to Charleston, S.C., franked with United States **1857, 3¢ dull red** Dull Red (26, Pos. 70R25) with manuscript cancel, stamp shows small part of imprint, **Very Fine**, great usage during the U.S. rate period.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2103 ☒ **Bachelors Ret(reat), S.C., 9 Feb (1861)**, manuscript town on 1860-61 3¢ Star Die entire used during the U.S. rate period to Pickens CH, S.C., **Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**.
Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2104 ☒ **Bradford Springs, S.C., Feby 23 (1861)**, manuscript postmark on cover to Sumter, S.C., franked with scarce manuscript canceled **U.S. 1857, 3¢ rose, type I (25)**, with original enclosure and cotton sale bill; stamp with small flaws, **otherwise Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2105 ☒ **Brushy Creek (S.C.) May 18th 1861**, manuscript postmark (**Rarity 7**) on cover to Claremont with no rate marking, franked with United States **1857, 3¢ dull red** Dull Red on reverse with manuscript cancel, manuscript pencil notation "The Flag inside", included is part original enclosure showing patriotic letterhead with the **Palmetto Flag** in blue, cover with bottom left corner missing, **Fine and attractive**.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2106 ☒ **Charleston S.C., Feb. 15, 1861.**, neat double-circle datestamp on yellow cover with **blue Grocer's cameo corner card** to Smithville S.C., franked with United States **1857, 3¢ dull red** Dull Red, Ty. II (26) (faint vertical crease) with grid cancel, small cover repairs in right corners, **Very Fine appearance of Confederate State usage**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2107 ☒ **Charleston S.C., Feb. 18, 1861**, double-circle datestamp ties one of **three United States 1¢ Blue, Ty. V (24)** on cover to Columbia S.C., embossed design on top flap, stamps with flaws, **otherwise Fine to Very Fine, a scarce Confederate State use of the three 1¢ stamps, ex-Calhoun**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2108 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. (U.S. Used in Confederate States)**, group of seven covers; three U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) usage with single or double cds, one 1853-55 3¢ Nesbitt entire double circle postmark, two similar usages on U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entires, one with "Due 3" in crayon, also a U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red tied by New York cds and grid duplex on folded letter to Charleston during the Confederate period; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2109 ☒ **Cheraw, S.C. Feb 25 (1861)**, neat double circle postmark on 1860-61 3¢ Star Die entire to Sumter, S.C., flap torn, **Very Fine and attractive**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2110 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Feb. 21 (1861)**, blue 30mm cds on 1860-61 3¢ Star Die entire to Camden, S.C., used during the US rate period, **extremely fresh & Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2111 ☒ **Due West Corner, S.C. Feb. 25 (1861)**, bold and complete 32mm cds on 3¢ Star Die entire to Cowpens P.O., S.C., used during the U.S. rate period, slightly reduced at left & minor soiling, **F.-V.F.**, quite attractive and scarce, signed Kaufmann.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2112 ☒ **Friendship, S.C. March 7th**, manuscript postmark on United States 1860-61 3¢ Star Die entire used during the U.S. rate period to Sumpter S.C., **Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), ex-Kohn, signed Kaufmann**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

Wm. Baker Hanesworth, an Attorney, Judge and prominent citizen. He was involved with The Sumpter Banner, one of the earliest newspapers in Sumpter.
- 2113 ☒ **Friendship, S.C. March 15th**, manuscript postmark on cover to Sumpter S.C., franked with United States **1857, 3¢ dull red** Dull Red (small tear) with manuscript cancel, light water stain at right, **Very Fine, used during the US rate period (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**.
Estimate \$150 - 250
- 2114 ☒ **Fulton, S.C. Feb 29 (1861)**, manuscript postmark on **United States 1860-61 3¢ Star Die** entire to Sumpter S.C., used during the Federal rate period, with enclosure, light edge soiling, **still Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200



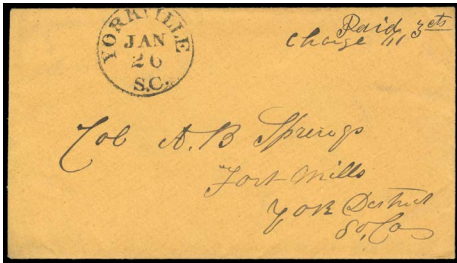
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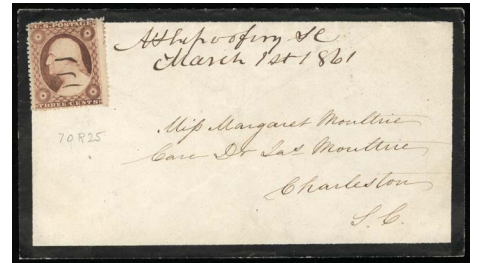
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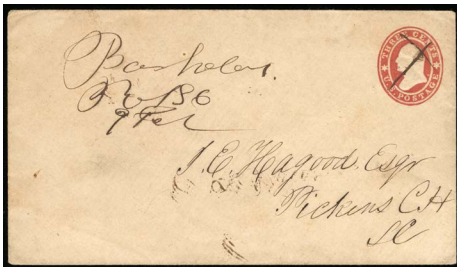
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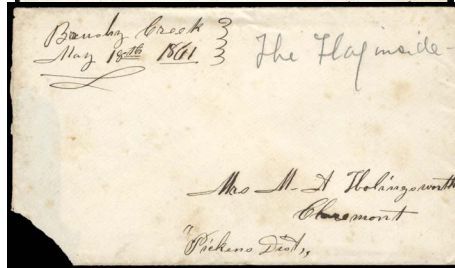
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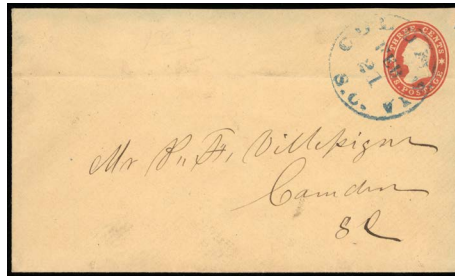
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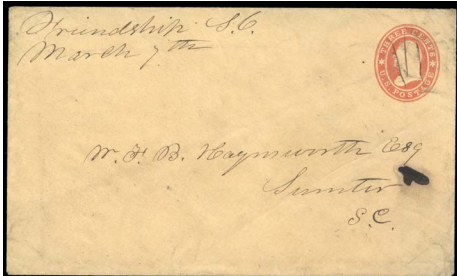
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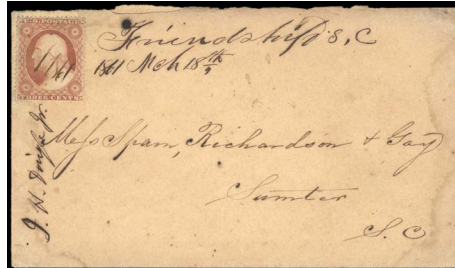
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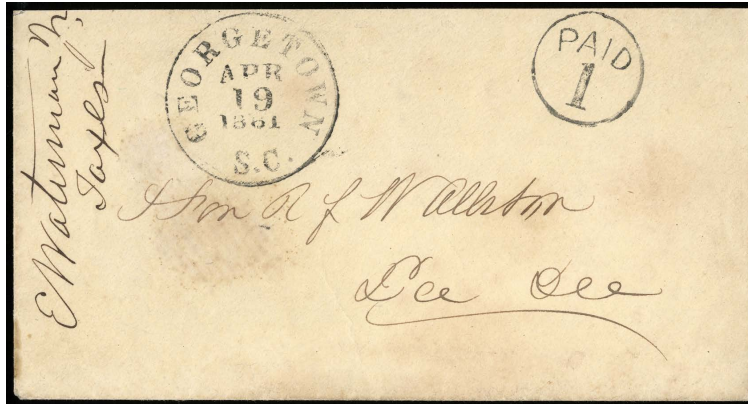
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- 2115 ☒ **Georgetown, S.C. Apr. 2, 1861**, cds with matching "Paid" in circle (used during the U.S. rate period) on cover to Horry Dist., **redirected** to Marion CH, S.C., slight reduction at left with minor insect damage, **still Very Fine**, *ex-MacBride & Zimmerman*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

Capt. J.C. McClenaghan was in Co. E, Gregg's First, 8th S.C.V.



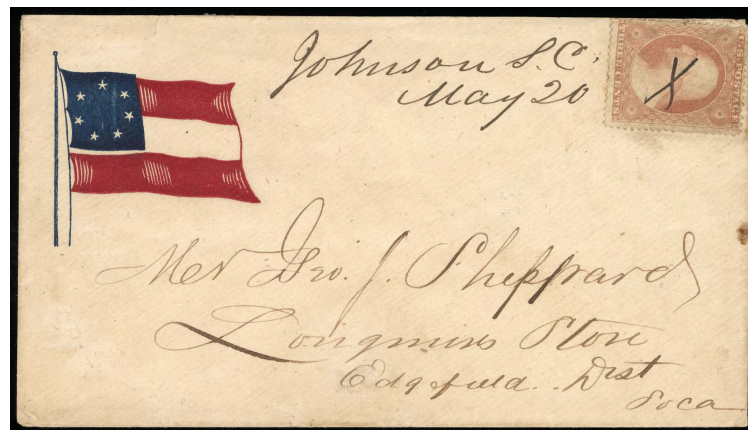
- 2116 ☒ **Georgetown, S.C. Apr. 19, 1861**, bold 32mm cds with matching "Paid 1" in circle (used during the US rate period) on **drop cover** to "Pee Dee" (a plantation on the Great Pee Dee River that runs thru Georgetown), barely reduced at top, Very Fine, the listing copy, **Very Fine and rare**, This cover is the listing example in Dietz and New CSA catalog. Pictured in Dietz, *ex-MacBride, Zimmerman, Oswald and Cantey*.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2117 ☒ **Georgetown, S.C., Apr 22, 1861**, cds with matching grid canceling on **U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die** entire to railroad office in Alexandria, Va.; reduced at left, **fresh & Very Fine**.
 Scott No. **U.S. U27** Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2118 ☒ **Greenville C.H., S.C. May 21 (1861)**, cds on 1860-61 3¢ Star Die entire (U27) to Genl. S. McGowan, Abbeville C.H., S.C., small sealed backflap tear, **Very Fine and very attractive CSA usage**, *ex-Kohn, J. Hill*.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

S. McGowan served 13 years in S.C. Statehouse and served as staff Capt. during Mexican War. In 1861 he was a Major General of militia and commanded a brigade at the reduction of Fort Sumpter, promoted to Brig. Gen. in 1863, wounded four times and was with Lee at Appomattox. Died in 1897.

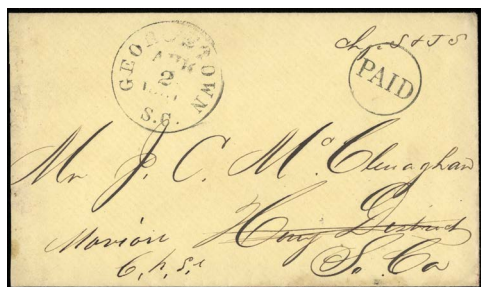
- 2119 ☒ **Hamburgh S.C., Paid, Apr. 5 (1861)**, 32mm cds with integral "Paid" on small cover to Morris Island, Charleston, S.C., manuscript "Paid 3" (US rate period), manuscript notation "Care of Capt. R. Merriwether, Gregg's Reg. S.C.V", light edge soiling and opened at right, **F.-V.F.**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200



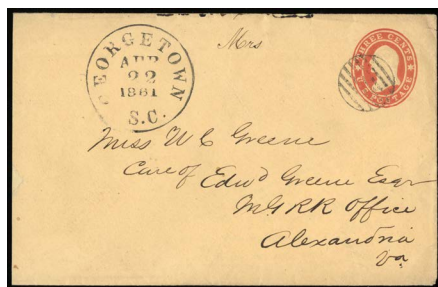
- 2120 ☒ **Johnson S.C., May 20 (1861)**, manuscript postmark on **7-Star Confederate Patriotic** (Type F7-18) cover to Longmire's Store S.C., franked with **United States 1857, 3¢ dull red** dull red (stamp with couple tiny flaws) canceled manuscript "X", **overall Very Fine**, *a scarce Confederate use of a U.S. stamp on a Confederate patriotic cover*, *ex-Mason, Kohn & Bleuler*.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2121 ☒ **Limestone Springs, S.C., Apr 17 (1861)**, cds cancelling on U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire (U26) to Unionville, S.C.; repaired corner nick at top right and lightly cleaned, **F.-V.F. appearance**, *ex-Kohn*.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

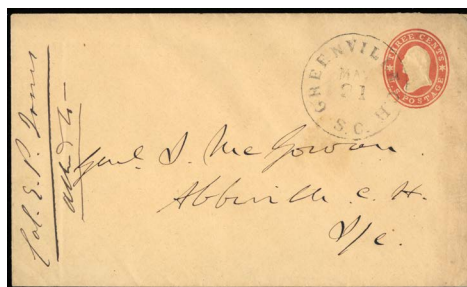
- 2122 ☒ **Marion C.H., S.C. Apr. 6 (1861)**, cds tying **U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) on soldier's endorsed cover from Morris Island to Charleston, S.C.; stamp nicks at upper right, **F.-V.F.**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200



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- 2123 ☒ **Midway, S.C., March 4/61**, manuscript postmark on 1853-55 3¢ Nesbitt entire paying U.S. postage rate to Columbia S.C., missing backflap, **Very Fine and choice, exceptionally clean and attractive.**
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2124 ☒ **Spartanburg, S.C. Feb. 7, 1861**, double line cds on small ladies cover to Echaw, S.C., franked with U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by matching grid handstamp; cover edge nick at left and small stamp flaws, **F-V.F.**, posted three days after the formation of the Confederacy.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2125 ☒ **Unionville, S.C. May 28 (1861)**, cds ties 3¢ Dull Red (26, trivial perf nick) on **red and blue 7-Star Confederate Flag (Dietz Type 7-18) patriotic cover** addressed to Col. Wm. H. Gist, Care of Gen. Bonham, Manassas Junction Va., stamp removed and replaced on this cover of origin, **Very Fine and attractive;** with 2001 P.F. certificate.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

William H. Gist was a major in the 15th Reg't S.C.V. He enlisted on August 22, 1861 at 20 years old, for the duration of the war. He was the son of ex-S.C. Governor William Gist. He was promoted to Major on Oct. 19, 1861. He was killed in action on Nov. 18, 1863, near Knoxville, TN.

General Milledge Luke Bonham had been a US congressman who resigned after S.C. secession and became Commander in Chief of the S.C. Army with a rank of Major General. He served in coastal S.C. in hearty cooperation with Gen'l Beauregard. He was later commissioned as Brigadier General in the Confederate Provisional Army and took the first (outside of Virginia) troops to Richmond to defend the capital. He fought in the Battle of Manassas. After a disagreement with the War Dept. he resigned and was elected to the Confederate Congress. In Jan. 1865 he was appointed commander of a brigade, until the end of the war.

- 2126 ☒ **Winnsborough, S.C. Feb. 11**, cds with grid on 1860-61 3¢ Star Die entire to Gen'l Samuel McGowan, Abbeville, C.H., So Ca., paper tape repair on backflap, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

General Samuel McGowan was born on Oct 9, 1819. He studied law and was admitted to the bar in 1841. He served thirteen years in the State House of Representatives and was commended for gallantry in the Mexican War. In 1861 he was the S.C. major general in the state militia. He commanded a brigade at Fort Sumter in April 1861. In 1862 he was made colonel of the 14th South Carolina Infantry, and after the death of General Maxxy Gregg at Fredericksburg was promoted to brigadier general. He was wounded four times and serve until Appomattox where he was paroled in 1865. He later served in the S.C. legislature and was an associate justice of the South Carolina Supreme Court. He died at his home in Abbeville in 1897 and is buried in Long Cane Cemetery.

- 2127 ☒ **Yorkville, S.C. Mar. 22 (1861)**, bold cds with "Paid 3" handstamp on cover to "Col. A B. Springs, Fort Mills, S.C.", **Very Fine and attractive**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

Andrew Baxter Springs was a wealthy planter, with interests in railroads and banks. He was a signer of the Ordinance of Secession, and joined the military after the signing on Dec. 20, 1860. His rank, and the 3 cents rate, defines the date of this cover to be Jan. 26, 1861.

South Carolina Postmasters' Provisionals

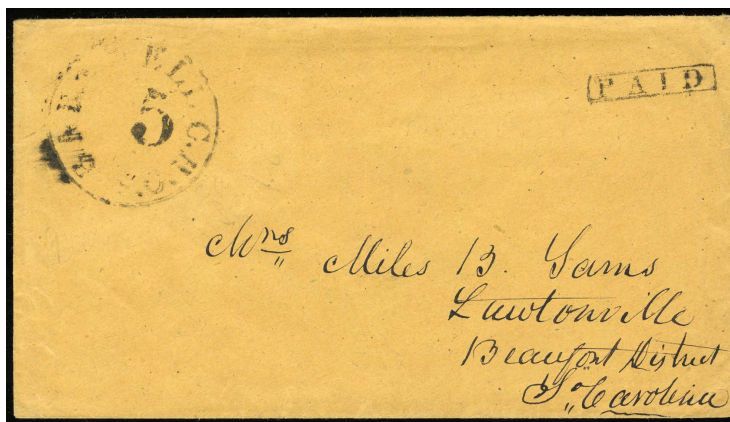


- 2128 ☒ **Anderson Court House, S.C., 1861 (2¢) black**, entire with "Anderson C.H. S.C." in undated circle with "Paid" straightline handstamp struck at top right on cover addressed to "Col. J.B.E. Sloane" in Columbia, S.C., postmarked "Anderson, C.H., S.C. Dec. 23", flap torn & minor stain, **F.-V.F.**; with 1977 C.S.A. certificate.
 Scott No. **4XU3**; \$2,250. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

THERE ARE ONLY THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES (ONE MINT & TWO USED) OF THIS ENTIRE AND THIS IS THE ONLY EXAMPLE WITH BOTH THE POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONAL HANDSTAMP AND TOWN MARKING OF ANDERSON COURT HOUSE.

A GREAT CONFEDERATE RARITY DESPITE THE MODEST CATALOG VALUE.

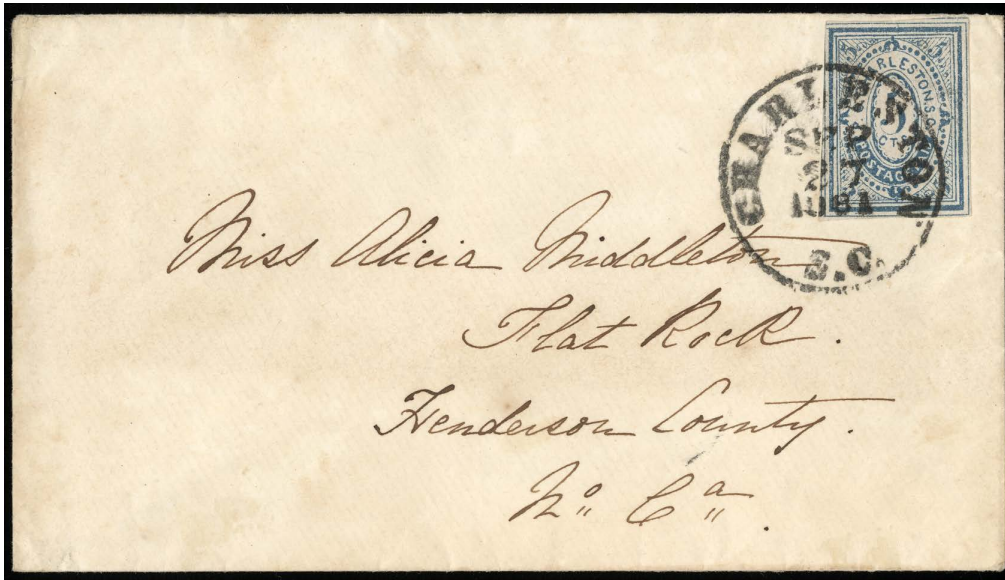
The other known used example was recently sold by us (Sale 106, Lot 994) for \$2,700 hammer price.



- 2129 ☒ **Barnwell Court House, S.C., 1861, 5¢ black**, provisional handstamp with large "5" in center with boxed "Paid" straight line on cover to Lawton, S.C., attractive and impressive, **Very Fine**, Only two recorded examples in the Crown census, but seven total now recorded in recent years.
 Scott No. **123XU1**. \$3,000

THIS IS ONE OF THE FINEST EXAMPLES OF THIS RARE POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONAL.

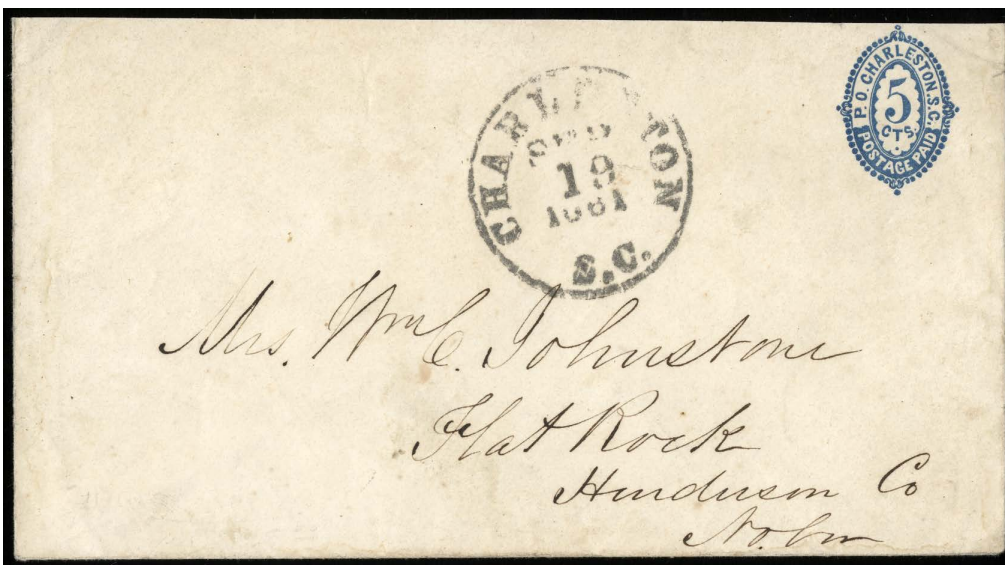
All examples of this provisional entire are used and addressed, but do not have origin postmarks.



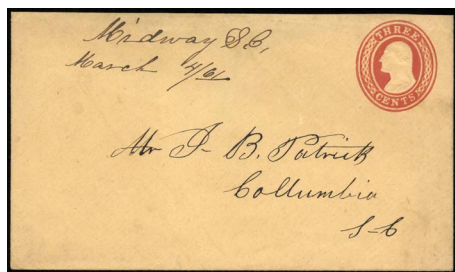
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- 2130 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue**, huge margins all around with outer frameline virtually complete, tied by bold "Charleston S.C. Sep. 27, 1861" circular datestamp on immaculate cover to Flat Rock N.C., small piece of backflap missing, **Extremely Fine and choice**, *ex-Walcott, Phillips & Hall*.
 Scott No. 16X1 \$2,500

A GEM STAMP ON A BEAUTIFUL FRESH COVER. ONE OF THE FINEST IN EXISTENCE.



- 2131 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue**, entire canceled by "Charleston, S.C., Sep. 19, 1861" cds to Flat Rock, N.C., flap missing & bit reduced at top, **Very Fine**, a lovely example of this Postmasters' Provisional entire.
 Scott No. 16XU1 \$1,750



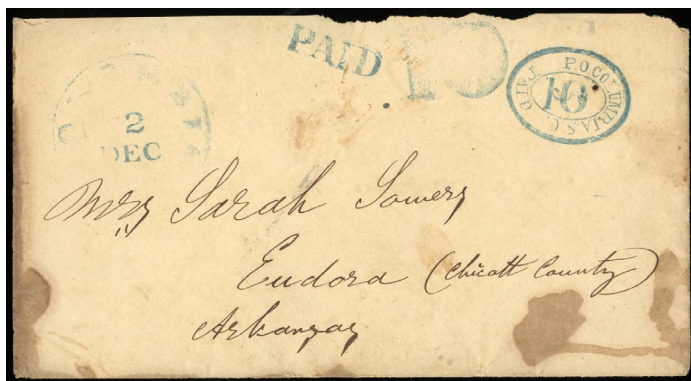
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- 2132 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., 1861, 10¢ on 5¢ blue, buff entire with 5¢ Provisional handstamp revalued** with small blue "10" handstamp, blue partial "Columbia S.C. 2 Dec" cds and matching "Paid" and "10" rating handstamps to Mrs. Sarah Lowery at Eudora Ark. at double rate due to distance; small part of flap missing, top edge flaws and some staining, **Fine, ex-Bogg & Warren.**
Scott No. 18XU1a. \$3,500

A VERY RARE EXAMPLE OF THE REVALUED COLUMBIA PROVISIONAL ENTIRE.



- 2133 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue, provisional handstamp on cover to Bivingsville, S.C. with matching "Columbia S.C. 2 Sep." cds with integral "5 cts" rate, Very Fine, signed Kimbrough.**
Scott No. 18XU1 \$900

- 2134 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue, provisional handstamp with blue 32mm "Columbia, S.C. Nov. 26" cds and matching "Paid" straight line on cover to Richmond, Va., sealed edge tears and minor wrinkling, F.-V.F., ex-Walcott.**
Scott No. 18XU1 \$900

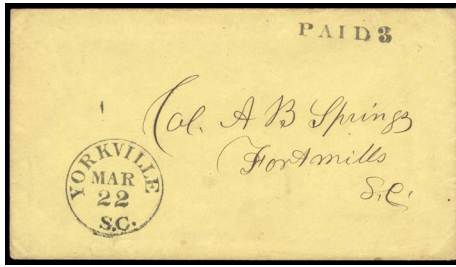
- 2135 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue, provisional handstamp with matching 32mm "Columbia, S.C. 9 Dec" (1861) cds and "Paid" straight line on cover to Aiken S.C., lower right corner cover repair, Fine.**
Scott No. 18XU1 \$900

- 2136 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue, provisional handstamp without control and most probably as "official Business" as addressed to Postmaster of Mush Creek, additional manuscript notation "In Haste if you Please (N. Lang)", cover with staining and edge wear, Fine and unusual.**
Scott No. 18XU1 \$900

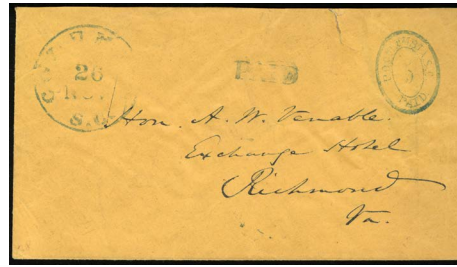
- 2137 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., 1861, 5¢ blue, seal on back, seal on left side flap, neat "Columbia S.C. Jul. 20" circular datestamp on cover addressed to "Capt. Allen J. Green, Care of Col. Kershaw, 2nd Palmetto Regiment So. Ca Voln, Tudor Hall Va.", slightly reduced at right, Very Fine and scarce, ex-Wiseman, Kohn & Agre.**
Scott No. 18XU4a. \$1,250



- 2138 ☒ **Fraziersville, S.C., 1861, 5¢ black, provisional handstamp with integral "Paid" straight line and manuscript "5" rate on turned cover to Glymphville, S.C., postmarked Fraziersville, S.C. cds with "Feb 13" manuscript date, included is interesting original enclosure datelined "Frazierville, S.C. Feb 12, 1862" with discussion of the war, inside usage franked with United States 3¢ (26) and manuscript Equality S.C. July 1 (1862) town cancel, cover crudely repaired at right, Fine, unique as noted in Scott Spec. Cat., Scott Cat. \$5,000, ex-Kohn & Cantey.**
Scott No. 128XU1 Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000



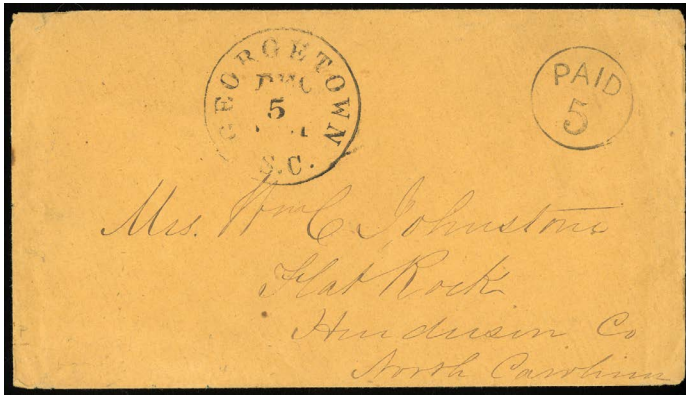
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2139 ☒ **Georgetown, S.C., 1861, 5¢ black**, clear strike with clear control mark on back, used with “Georgetown S.C. Dec. 5, 1861” circular datestamp on orange cover to Flat Rock N.C., part of flap torn away, **Very Fine**, *ex-Kohn, Weills and Hill*.
Scott No. **28XU1** \$1,000



2140 ☒ **Greenville Court House, S.C., 1861, 10¢ black**, light buff entire with bold strike of provisional **Jun. 1 double-circle control marking on back (first day of the Confederate States)** and with “Paid” and “10” handstamps on front, entered mails with “Greenville C.H., S.C. Oct 10” cds to Col. Andrew P. Calhoun at Pendleton, S.C.; backflap torn, **Very Fine and rare**; with 2007 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. **34XU2** \$2,000

ONE OF THE FINEST OF ONLY FOUR RECORDED GREENVILLE C.H. 10¢ PROVISIONAL ENTIERES.

- We record the following four 10¢ entires:*
1. Aug. 17, to Col. Andrew P. Calhoun at Pendleton S.C.
 2. Oct. 10, to Col. Andrew P. Calhoun at Pendleton S.C., the entire offered here.
 3. Dec. 30, to B.O. Mauldin at Hamptons Legion in Manassas Junction, Va., 1862 docketing
 4. Dec. 30, to Miss Hattie Hair at Newberry S.C., *ex-Agre*.

2141 ☒ **Greenville Court House, S.C., 1861, 5¢ black**, cover with weak strike of undated circular provisional control handstamp (type B) on back with “Paid” and “5” handstamps on front, entered mails with light strike of “Greenville C.H. S.C. Dec. 8” double circle postmark, addressed to “near Hamburg, S.C.”, light staining at left, **Fine and exceedingly rare, one of only three known**.
Scott No. **34XU1** \$2,000



2142 ☒ **Laurens Court House, S.C., 1861, 5¢ black**, cds with matching “Paid” and “5” handstamp on cover addressed to “Capt. Bozaman, of the Bozaman Guards, Plain P.O., S.C.”, with manuscript great Haste endorsement at lower left, reverse with circular “Laurens C.H., S.C.” control handstamp on reverse; cover slightly reduced at left with small edge repair, **still Very Fine**.
Scott No. **116XU2**; \$2,000 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

ONE OF THREE RECORDED EXAMPLES OF THIS LAURENS COURT HOUSE 5¢ POSTMASTER PROVISIONAL ISSUE.

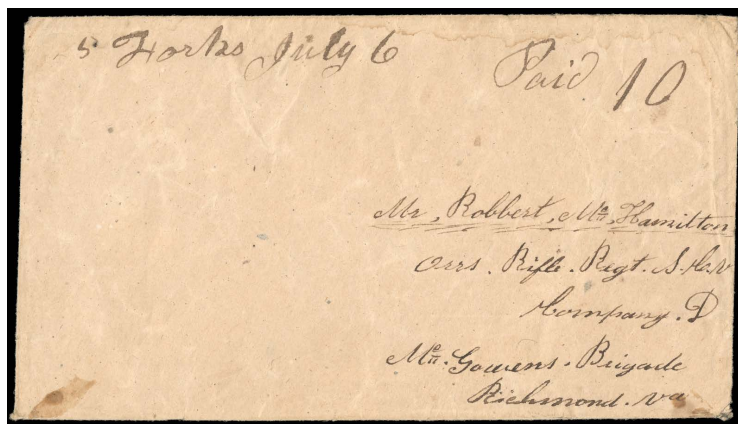
The Bozeman Guards comprised Company E., Hampton Legion, S.C. Infantry.



- 2143 ☒ **Winnsborough, S.C., 1861, 5¢ black**, Postmaster Provisional handstamps with Winnsborough, S.C. Sep 24 (1861) cds on cover to Rev. Joseph Bardwell, Nashville, Tenn., **Very Fine and rare**.
 Scott No. 97XU1 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

THIS IS ONE OF FOUR OR FIVE RECORDED EXAMPLES AND IS THE ONLY SOUND COVER AND THE UNIQUE USAGE WITH THE POSTMASTERS' PROVISIONAL HANDSTAMPS ON THE FRONT.

South Carolina Town Postmarks



- 2144 ☒ **5 Forks July 6**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 10" rate on turned cover, addressed to "Robert M. Hamilton, Orr's Rifles Regt., Co. D, McGowans Brigade Richmond Va.", turned and sent back to 5 Forks, franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (defective), tied by partial Richmond Va cds, **F.-V.F., a very rare cover (Stets & Teal Rarity 9)**.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

Hamilton enlisted in March, 1862 and served until Aug. 5, 1864, when entered Jackson hospital at Richmond for sickness. He was furloughed and did not return to duty.

- 2145 ☒ **5 Mile, S.C.**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 10" rate on cover to Pickens CH S.C. with original letter datelined "Near Walhalla S.C. 1st July 1862", includes interesting original enclosure, cover with light water staining, **F.-V.F., historically significant letter (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), ex-Littlejohn**.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

Partial transcript "You will be surprised that I am off for Richmond tonight, I may be able to help some of our poor wounded soldiers... had the battle not come as it did I should have waited for Saturday but the wounded and dying need attention so I go at once. Nothing to serve them as well as our people at home... much anguish pain and suffering at home by our people, as well as that of our wounded soldier. This war has, and will, bring distress to every family in the land. May God in his goodness avert the further effusion of the blood of our people by the infernal foe that opposes us... Dr. Johnson goes with me."

- 2146 ☒ **Adams Run, S.C. Dec.**, neat cds with matching "Paid" straight line without rate on neat wallpaper cover to Spartanburgh, S.C., trivial stain, **Very Fine and attractive, ex-Kohn, Cantey**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2147 ☒ **Adams Run, S.C.**, three covers; one with manuscript postmark and matching "Paid 5", two with cds postmark, one with boxed "Paid" handstamp without rate, other with manuscript "Due 10" on soldier's letter, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2148 ☒ **Allendale, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on two covers; one with matching "Paid 5" rate, other with "Paid 10" rate; some small flaws, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$100 - 150



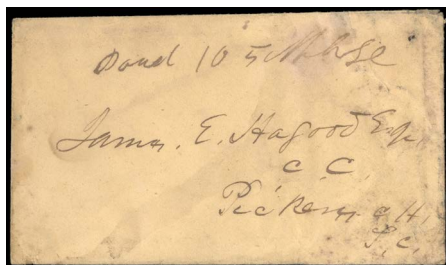
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- 2149 ☒ **Alston, S.C., Mar. 16**, 26 mm cds with manuscript date, matching boxed "Paid" and numeral "10" over manuscript "Paid 10 cts" on cover addressed to Mrs. Dr. J.C. Furman, Greenville, S.C., repaired flap tears, **otherwise Very Fine**, ex-Kohn & Littlejohn, signed P. Kaufmann.
Estimate \$150 - 200

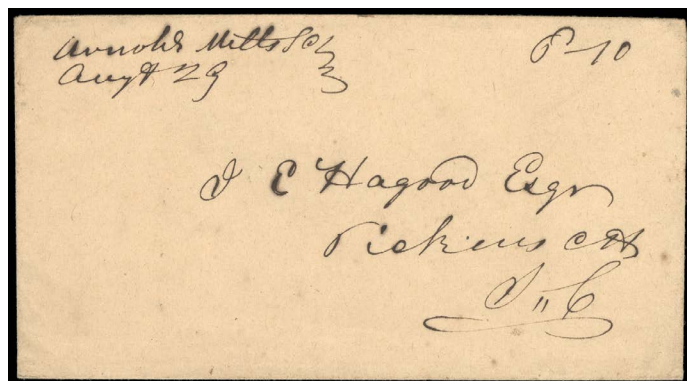
J.C. Furman was first President of Furman University. In 1860 he attended the Secession Convention and on Dec. 20 was a signor of Ordinance of Succession.

- 2150 ☒ **Anderson CH, S.C. May 30**, two strikes of cds tie 1862 5¢ blue (4, light water staining around edges) on cover addressed to Capt. J.J. Norton, Richmond, Va., attractive **printed corner card** for "T. A. Evins, Drugs and Medicines" at top left, cover with light edge wear, **Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

J.J. Norton enlisted for three years, elected Captain and commissioned on 9/1/62. On 12/18/62 wounded at Fredericksburg losing an arm, later promoted to Major and later Lt. Col of Orr's Rifles. On 3/4/63 requesting resignation due to his wound and approved and resigned 3/25/63.

- 2151 ☒ **Anderson C.H., S.C.**, 32mm cds on **six covers**; rates including "Paid" and "5" handstamps, manuscript "Paid 5", "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "10" rate, pencil manuscript "Due 10", also two with "Paid" handstamp without rate, one to Col. Orr on Sullivan Island and other to Col. J.W. Norris in Varennes, S.C., **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400

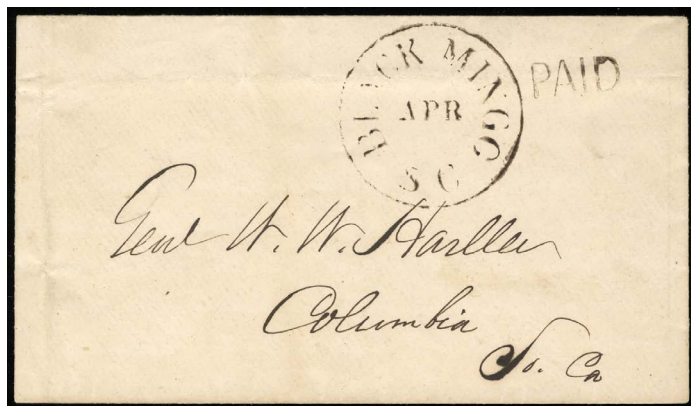
- 2152 ☒ **Antioch, S.C., Jan 11, 1865**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10" rate on Charlotte, N.C.; some edge wear, **F-V.F.** (Stets & Teal Rarity 7).
Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2153 ☒ **Arnolds Mill, S.C. Aug 29**, manuscript postmark with "P 10" rate on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C. (correspondence from R.E. Holcombe), **Very Fine**, a very rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 9).
Estimate \$200 - 300

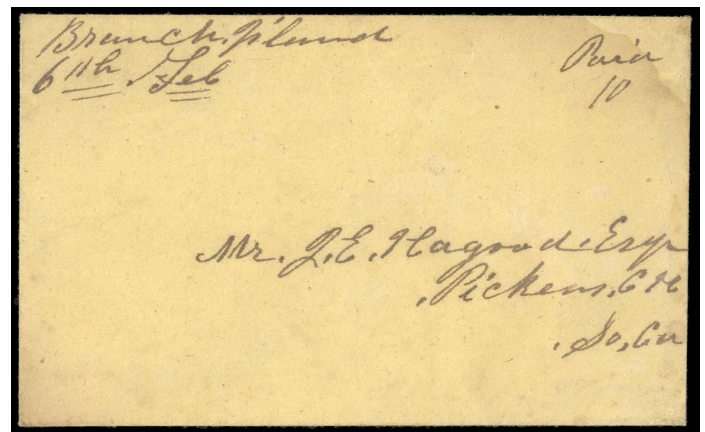
- 2154 ☒ **Ashpool Ferry, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **two covers**; one a folded letter with matching "Paid 5" rate to Pocotaligo, S.C., contents a lists of losses due to capture of Port Royal, S.C. including house, furniture and various slaves, and on **adversity cover** made from blue ruled paper, franked with manuscript canceled 1863, 10¢ blue (12), to Willington, S.C.; latter with cover toning, **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2155 ☒ **Bamberg, S.C.**, cds with handstamped "Paid 5", type IA, on **small exquisitely embossed cover** to Columbia with original letter head "January 13, 1862", **Very Fine and attractive**, this cover is the basis for the Dietz listing.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2156 ☒ **Beaufort, S.C., Sep. 11, 1861**, cds on neat ladies cover with handstamped "Paid 5" in circle, type III, to Camden, S.C., **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Kohn, Wm. Fox*.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2157 ☒ **Beaufort, S.C.**, 32mm cds on **three stampless covers**; rates include "Paid 3" in circle handstamp (U.S. rate period), sans-serif "Paid" and "5" handstamps, and serified "Paid" and "5" in circle handstamp; some small flaws, **F.-V.F.**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2158 ☒ **Belton, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on two covers; one with "Paid 5" rate and addressed to Sullivan's Island, other a civilian cover with "Due 10" rating (not in compliance with C.S.A. regulations) with 1864 enclosure; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2159 ☒ **Bennettsville, S.C.**, 34mm cds on three stampless covers; rates with "Paid" handstamp without rate, "Paid" and "10" handstamps, and "Paid" and manuscript "10" on brown and tan floral "wallpaper cover" to Manchester, S.C., **F.-V.F.**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2160 ☒ **Beth Eden, S.C. July 26**, manuscript postmark on cover to the 3rd Reg't SCV in Manassas, Va., matching "Paid 5" rate, 1861 docketing at left; staining and missing bottom flap, **Fine**, a rare town (**Stets & Teal Rarity 8**).
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2161 ☒ **Bishopville, S.C. Sept. 23**, manuscript postmark on de-valued 1860-61 3¢ Star Die entire with additional "Paid 5" manuscript rate to Plowden Mills, S.C., flap torn, **Very Fine and attractive**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2162 ☒ **Bivingsville, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on three stampless covers; rates with manuscript "Paid 5¢", "Paid 10", and a pencil "Bi" ville, S.C." abbreviated name postmark with "paid 5" rating; former with repair at top adding portion of postmark, **F.-V.F.**, rare town (**Stets & Teal Rarity 8**).
Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2163 ☒ **Black Mingo, S.C. Apr.**, well struck 37mm black cds and matching "Paid" straight line on cover addressed to Gen. W.W. Harllee, Columbia S.C., **Very Fine**, Gen. Harllee was Gen. of S.C. Militia and signer of Ordinance of Succession.
Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2164 ☒ **Black Mingo, S.C. Aug.**, 37mm brown cds with manuscript "Due 10" on cover to Augusta, Ga., endorsed manuscript "Soldiers Letter H. Prontaut" at top right and at bottom left pencil endorsement "Soldier's Letter, J.H.P. Co.A, 21st Ga, Cavalry", minor soiling, **still Very Fine**, *signed P. Kaufmann*.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2165 ☒ **Black Stocks, S.C., Jany 30**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10" rate on **adversity cover** made from a printed page of an Annual Report; slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2166 ☒ **Blackville, S.C., two covers**, each with 32mm cds's, one with "Paid" straight line and "10" in circle, manuscript **re-rated to "20"**; other is a folded letter with "Paid" straight line and "10" in circle, **F.-V.F.**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2167 ☒ **Blairville (S.C.)**, manuscript postmark and "Paid 10" rate on cover to Mt. Tabor, S.C., **Very Fine**, a rare town (**Stets & Teal Rarity 8**), *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2168 ☒ **Blue House, So. Ca. Oct 7, '64**, manuscript town cancel on **Turned Cover** to Gadsden P.O., manuscript "Paid 10 SHB" under manuscript "Due 10", first usage (inside) franked with manuscript canceled 1863-64 10¢ blue (11) with manuscript "Gadsden Oct 4" (S.C.), **Very Fine and attractive (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**, *ex-Kohn & Cantey*.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2169 ☒ **Boydton, S.C., Dec 6**, manuscript postmark with "Pd 5" rate on cover to Mount Tabor, S.C., with original 1861 enclosure; repaired cover nick at top, **F.-V.F.**, a rare town (**Stets & Teal Rarity 8**), *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$100 - 150

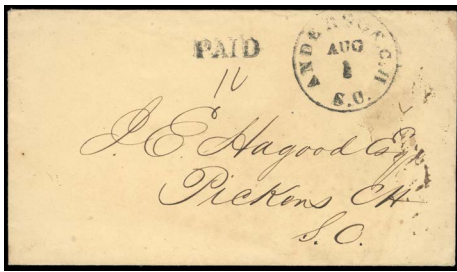


- 2170 ☒ **Branch Island S.C., 6th Feb.**, manuscript postmark on small buff cover to Pickens C.H., S.C. with matching manuscript "Paid 10" rate, docketed on reverse "AL Young, Branch Island S.C.", Annie L Young was the Confederate Postmistress of Branch Island, replacing her husband on July 17, 1861, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$300 - 400

"Branch Island S.C." is a rare townmark. This recently found cover is the **only one known originating from this town (per Stets & Teal)**. The manuscript town mark was listed in *CSA Catalog*, with an asterisks meaning *unseen by the editors*.

- 2171 ☒ **Branchville, S.C. Sep. 21**, 36mm cds and matching "Paid" straight line on cover to Hilton Head P.O. "Hagoods redgmt (sic) in care of Capt. White", **F.-V.F. and attractive**.
Estimate \$100 - 150

Hilton Head was captured by the Union in Nov. 1861 during the attack on Port Royal, S.C.



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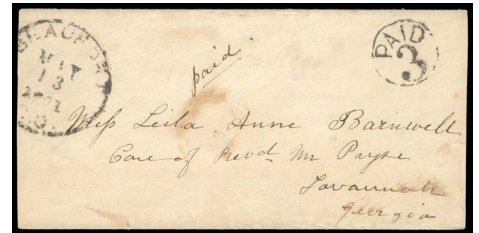
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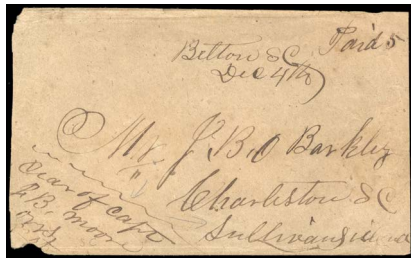
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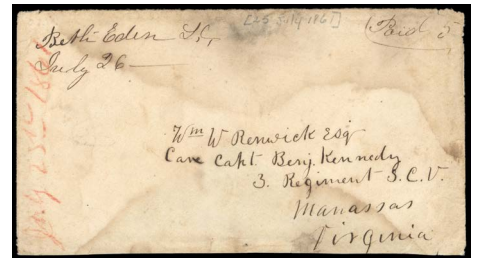
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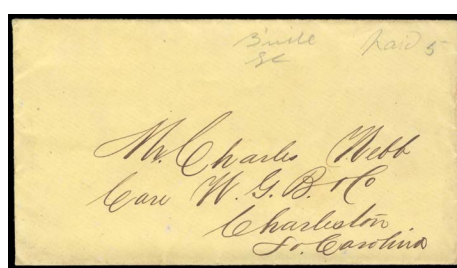
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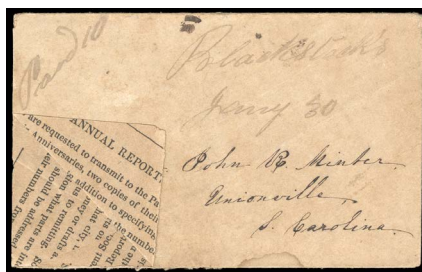
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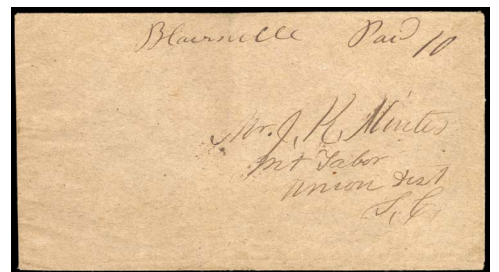
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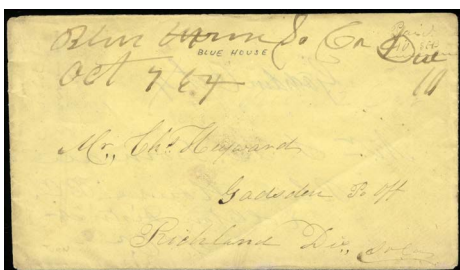
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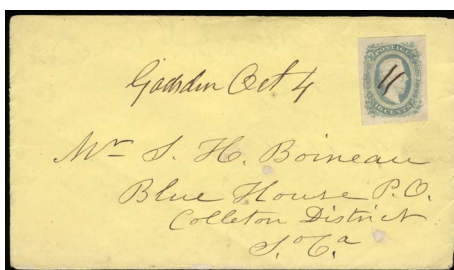
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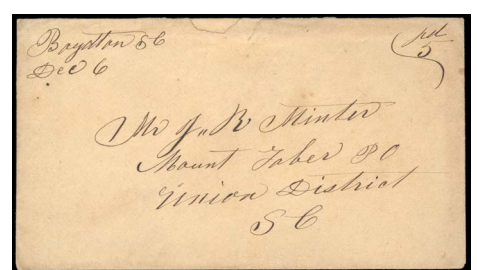
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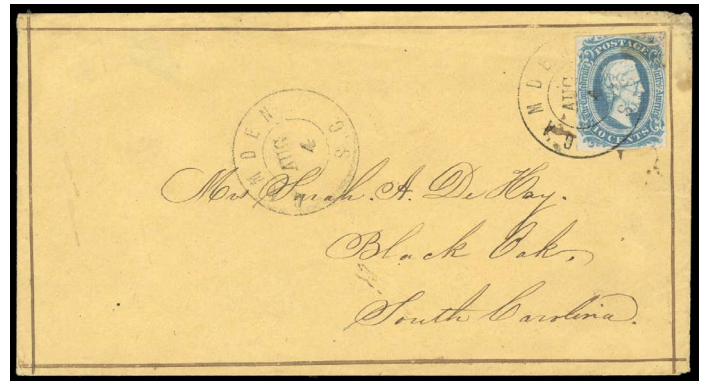
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- 2172 ☒ **Branchville, S.C. Oct 29 (1861)**, bold 36mm cds with matching “Paid” straight line on cover to Aiken, S.C. with colorless embossed illustrated corner card for **American Telegraph Company**, “1861” docketing vertically at left, with original enclosure, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2173 ☒ **Branchville, S.C. Nov. 22**, balloon type cds with manuscript “Due 10” on 1864 soldier’s adversity cover to Blackville, S.C., cover **made from previous slave inventory**, also included is interesting original enclosure from Private Peter Redmond who was captured in 1865 and later paroled, **Very Fine**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2174 ☒ **Buena Vista, S.C., Aug 14th (1861)**, manuscript postmark with matching “Paid 5” on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C., included is original enclosure with letterhead of “Batesville Cotton Factory, So Ca.”, small nick at top left affecting postmark, **otherwise Very Fine**, **Buena Vista is a hard to find Town (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2175 ☒ **Buena Vista, S.C. Sept. 23**, manuscript pk with “Paid 10” on **forwarded cover** to Abbeville, S.C., address label applied over original address and franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (12) tied by blue “Columbia, S.C. Oct. 5” cds, **Very Fine and unusual (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**, *ex-H. Green & Cantey*.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2176 ☒ **Buford’s Bridge, S.C., Apr 25**, cds on cover to Coalman Station, Ga., light manuscript “10 Paid” rate; slight soiling, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2177 ☒ **Calhoun’s Mills, S.C. Sep 15**, bold 32mm cds and matching arc “Paid 10” rate handstamp on exceptionally attractive cover to Smith’s Turn Out, S.C. and then **forwarded** with manuscript “Paid 10” to Due West, S.C., partial sideflap, **Very Fine and choice**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2178 ☒ **Calhoun’s Mills, S.C.**, cds on **two covers**; one with “Paid 5” in circle handstamp, other with “Paid 10” handstamp, also a 1864 mail bag receipt from 1864; some small flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2179 ☒ **Camden, S.C. Apr. 13**, red double circle ties **1861 5¢ green (1)** on cover addressed to Citadel Square Hospital, Charleston, **cover forwarded** to Lynchburg S.C. with manuscript “Forwarded” (without rate), minor corner wear & small scuff, **still Very Fine and most attractive with this red cancellation**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2180 ☒ **Camden, S.C., Mar 22**, red cds on cover to Collinsburgh, La., with black “Paid” and “10” handstamps possibly applied earlier as a provisional mark and never used, with **1862, 10¢ rose (5)** clear to large margins, applied over rate handstamp and tied by additional strike of cds and manuscript canceled; cover slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**, an interesting usage, *ex-Bleuler*.
Estimate \$750 - 1,000



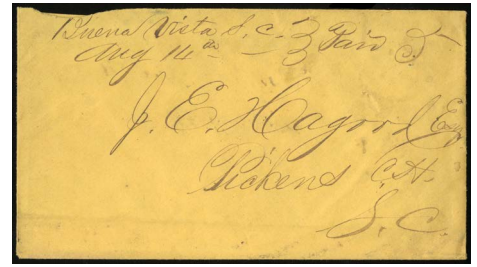
- 2181 ☒ **Camden, S.C. Aug. 4**, double circle postmark ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (11, stained) on **homemade mourning cover** to Black Oak, South Carolina, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2182 ☒ **Camden, S.C.**, group of **twelve covers**; two with 32mm cds with “10” rate handstamp and Paid “10” in circle handstamp, three with 30mm cds, rate including “Paid 10” in circle handstamp, “Paid” and “10” handstamps, others with double line cds, rates include “Paid” (in red no rate), “Paid” & “5” handstamps, “Paid 5” in circle handstamp, manuscript “Paid 10”, “Paid” handstamp with manuscript “20” rate, and U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red tied by grid handstamp (U.S. rate period); some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2183 ☒ **Camp Ridge, S.C. No. 6**, manuscript postmark with “Paid 5” on cover to Messrs Spain & Richardson, Sumter, S.C., enclosure requests reimbursement for a “pair of oxen killed on the Railroad”, corner fault at top right, **otherwise Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- The manuscript “Camp Ridge Paid 5”, is not listed in the 1986 Dietz Catalog, or the new CSA Catalog.*
- 2184 ☒ **Cedar Shoal, S.C. August 23, 1861**, manuscript postmark with “Paid 5 cts” rate on cover to military address in Richmond Va., tone spots and partial backflap, **F.-V.F. (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**, a **scarce town**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$100 - 150



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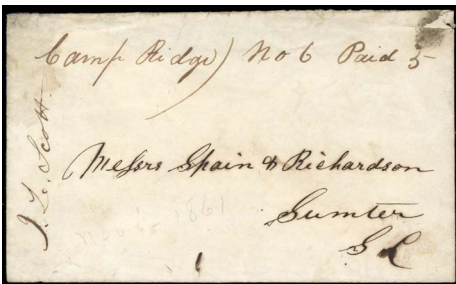
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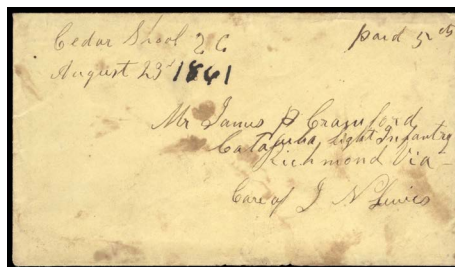
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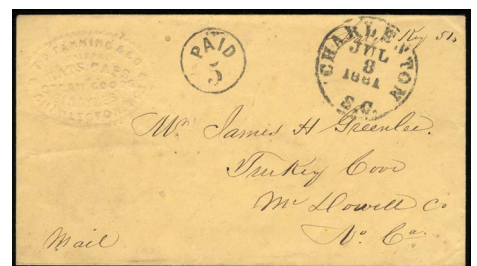
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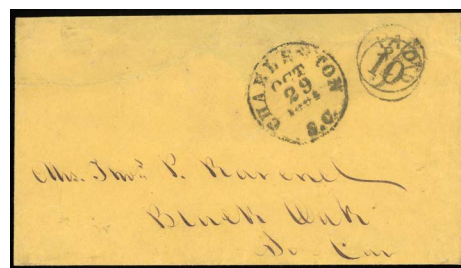
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2185 ☒ **Cedar Springs, S.C. May 13**, manuscript postmark cancelling pair of **1862 5¢ Blue (7)** on forwarded cover to Charleston, cover originated from unknown town and franked with horizontal pair **1862 5¢ blue (6)** with manuscript cancel (not tied) addressed to Cedar Springs and then forwarded to Charleston S.C., **Very Fine**, great usage, an extremely attractive cover.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2186 ☒ **Cedar Springs, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **three covers**; rates with matching "5 paid", a "10 postage due" on **adversity cover made from Charleston court martial summons form**, and another franked with manuscript canceled 1863, 10¢ blue (11), **Very Fine**, a scarce town.
Estimate \$300 - 400



2187 ☒ **(Chappelle Depot, S.C.), Cannon & Flag with Verse patriotic design** with "Starke & Cadozo, Richmond, Va." imprint below design on cover to Chappelle Depot, S.C. endorsed "Greenville & Columbia R.R.", franked with manuscript canceled **1862, 5¢ blue, horizontal pair (7)**, no postmark, with "From Sergt Williams (Co. B), S.C.V. 5th Battalion" soldier's endorsement at top (also known as the Dixie Rangers), **Very Fine**.
C.S.A. Catalog No. CN-1C Estimate \$500 - 750

Charleston, S.C. Stampless Usages

2188 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. "Paid 5", two covers** with different Jun. 3rd cds styles used on the same day, first with larger "Charleston S.C. Jun 3 1861" 32mm cds and neat complete matching strikes of the "Paid" and "5" rate handstamps to Col. Andrew P. Calhoun at Pendleton S.C., small bit of flap missing, *ex-Kohn*; second with "Charleston S.C. Jun 3 1861" 26mm double-circle datestamp and matching strikes of "Paid" and "5" rating handstamps to Mount Carmel S.C., additional "Paid 5 cts" sender's endorsement, **Very Fine and rare exhibit pair**, both *ex-Karrer*. C.S.A. Catalog No. D.
Estimate \$300 - 400

June 3rd 1861 is the earliest recorded use of this Pre-War markings after C.S.A. postal operations began.

2189 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Jun 10 1861**, cds with matching "Due" and "5" rate handstamps (CSA type I var.) on homemade cover to Edgefield C.H., S.C., soldier's endorsement "Lt. L.S. Hill, Co. S. 22. Regt" at top left; small edge tear, **Very Fine**, This is an unlisted combination of a handstamped "Due" and the pre-war "5" rating handstamp.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2190 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Jun 25 1861**, cds on cover with matching "Paid" handstamp (CSA type A) and red crayon "15" cent triple rating on cover to Sumter S.C., manuscript charge box notation at top left, some top edge wear and flap faults, **F.-V.F., a scarce triple rate cover, ex-Karrer**. C.S.A. Catalog No. A \$300.
Estimate \$200 - 300

Charleston did not have a "15" cent rating handstamp. This is the earliest recorded wartime Charleston charge account letter, and the only "Paid 15" example.

2191 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Jul 7, 1861**, 26mm double circle postmark with arc "Paid 5" in circle on cover to Jacksonville, Fla., boxed **printed corner card** for "Auction & Commission Agent, Particular attention to all sales at auction, Outdoor sales attended to." at upper left, various docketing, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2192 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Jul 8, 1861**, 32mm cds with matching small "Paid 5" in circle on cover to Turkey Cove, N.C., colorless embossed corner card for "F.D. Fanning & Co, Dealers in Hats, Caps and Straw Goods, Charleston, S.C." at top left, **Very Fine, ex-Cantey**.
Estimate \$150 - 200



2193 ☒ **Charleston S.C., Jul. 29, 1861**, well-struck circular datestamp with "Paid 5" in circle handstamp on red and blue **7-Star Confederate Flag Patriotic (F7-18)** cover to Oakland S.C., sealed tear and soiling at left affecting design, **otherwise Very Fine, a lovely patriotic cover, ex-Boshwit & Calhoun**.
Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2194 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Sep 2, 1861**, 32mm cds with matching arc “Paid 5” in circle on cover to Glenn Springs, S.C., red crayon “Due 5” (overweight) marking, partial backflap, F.-V.F., *ex-Calhoun*.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2195 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Sep 25 1861**, clear strike of cds with matching large “10” cent rating handstamp and additional manuscript “Due” (CSA type K var.) on **adversity cover made from printed form** to Haynesville Ga., soldier’s endorsement “Priv John Everett, Co ‘K’ 11th Georgia” at left, **Extremely Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2196 ☒ **Charleston S.C., Oct. 29, 1861**, bold circular datestamp on buff cover to Black Oak S.C., **“Paid 5” in circle handstamp overstruck by “Paid 10” in circle handstamp**, missing top flap, expertly repaired at top, **Very Fine appearance**, *ex-Calhoun*.
Estimate \$300 - 400

This is the only recorded cover combining both of these handstamped Paid markings, this was originally rated for 5¢ but changed to 10¢ due to weight.



- 2197 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Jan 12, 1862**, clear strike of cds on yellow cover with matching “Paid 5” circular rate handstamp to addressed to “Hon. John L. Manning, Columbia, S.C.”, **forwarded with blue “Columbia, S.C. 14 Jan” cds** and manuscript “Ford 5” rating to Manchester, S.C., charge box notation at top right, “1862” docketing at right; backflap tear, **fresh and Very Fine**, *ex-Kohn & Karrer*.
Estimate \$300 - 400

John Lawrence Manning (1816-1889) was the son of South Carolina Governor Richard Manning. A planter by trade, he served in the S.C. House of Representatives from 1842-1846 and the S.C. Senate from 1846 until 1852, when he was selected the 65th S.C. Governor (1852-1854). The office of Governor was an appointed Position until after the Civil War. He was considered a “moderate” secessionist who was sent to Louisiana to encourage their secession. He was a member of the Secession Convention, and a signer of the Ordinance of Secession. During the war he served as a colonel on General P.G.T. Beauregard’s staff at Fort Sumter and the first Battle of Manassas. Immediately after the war he was elected to the U.S. Senate, but declining to take the oath of allegiance to the United States, he was not seated.

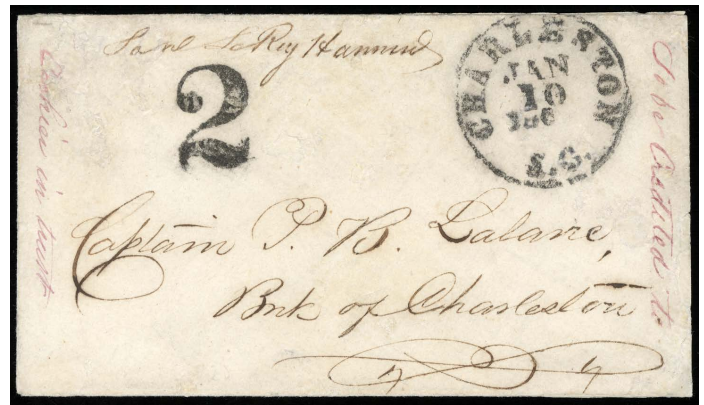
- 2198 ☒ **Charleston S.C., Jul. 22, 1862**, neat double-circle datestamp with matching “Paid 2” in circle handstamp on blue cover to James Island S.C., endorsed “Charge Key Box 59” at top right, **Very Fine**, *ex-Zimmerman*.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2199 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Sept 12, 1862**, double circle postmark with matching large “10” (due) rate on soldier’s cover to Storeville P.O., S.C., manuscript soldier’s endorsement of “Corp. M.H. Hall” at left, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150

Cpl M.H. Hall was 34 years old when he enlisted on June 13, 1862 at Camp Gist near Charleston S.C., promoted in 1862 to Sgt, 3rd Sgt in 1863 and First Sgt in June 1, 1863, later captured on Nov. 26, 1863 at Missionary Ridge.

- 2200 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Oct. 6, 1862(2)**, 32mm cds with matching arc “Paid 10” in circle on preprinted bank envelope address crossed out prior to use and addressed to A.B. Springs, Springfield, York District (his plantation), included is original 1862 banking enclosure, small tear at top, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2201 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Jun 3 1863**, clear strike of cds with matching "Paid" and "10" rating handstamps on **adversity cover made from lined paper with military address** to "James W. O'Hear, care Col. John Webb, Anderson C.H. S.C.", prepaid for single weight letter, charge box notation at top; small bit of flap missing, **Very Fine and choice**, *ex-Karrer*. C.S.A. Catalog No. F \$1,000.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

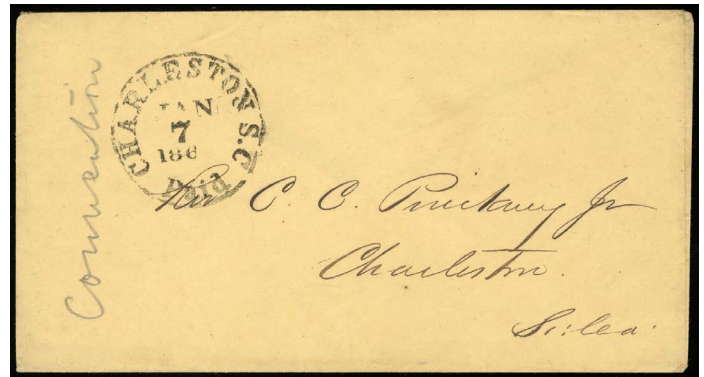
AN EXCEPTIONAL EXAMPLE OF THE RARE CHARLESTON CSA TYPE F "PAID 10" RATING HANDSTAMP. THIS WAS THE LISTING EXAMPLE IN THE DIETZ CATALOG.



- 2204 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Jan 10, 32mm cds** with large numeral "2" (Dietz type A) on local drop cover to Bank of Charleston, magenta docketing "To be credited to cashier in trust", cover gently cleaned, **Very Fine**, *ex-Oswald*.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



- 2202 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Nov 8 (1864)**, cds with matching "Paid 10" in circle handstamp on legal size **adversity cover** made from legal form, to Pickens C.H., S.C., 1864 docketing on reverse, **Very Fine**, *ex-Oswald*.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2205 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Jan. 7**, cds (probably 1862) with integral "Paid" on **unsealed circular letter**, pencil notation "Convention", **Very Fine**, a choice cover and scarce usage, *ex-Karrer*.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

Addressed to C.C. Pinckney Jr., son of Pinckney Sr., U.S. founding father and signer of the Constitution. Pinckney Jr. was an Episcopal Minister.

- 2206 ☒ **(Charleston, S.C.)**, handstamp "Paid" straight line on drop rate cover, light stain, **Very Fine**, scarce usage, signed Kimbrough.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2207 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Mar. 11**, cds on legal size locally addressed cover, with "Paid 2" in circle handstamp, underpaid with "Due" handstamp and manuscript "20" rate at right, cover forwarded to Chester with manuscript "Ford 20¢" rating; cover tears and creasing, **Fine**, *ex-Karrer*.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

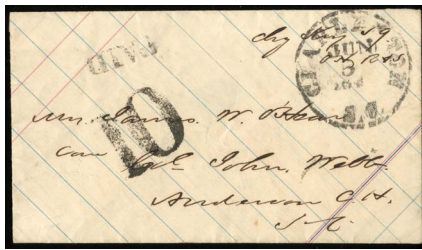
- 2203 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Sep 18**, double circle postmark and handstamped "5" on patriotic cover showing **South Carolina Flag in light blue** (Dietz FS.C.-3), soldier's usage to Butlersville, S.C., sender has written in small script surrounding flag "J.L.M.'Gee, Co. G, Orr's R.R.S.C.V (Rifles Regiment, S.C. Volunteers), Sullivan's Island", **Very Fine and a rare patriotic design**, *ex-Hughes*.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

John Lewis McGee enlisted on July 20, 1861. He was 19 years old when he mustered in on Aug. 31, 1861 into Company G of Orr's Reg't of Rifle for the duration of the war. In July 1864 he was listed as missing.

Charleston, S.C. Stamped Usages

- 2208 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Apr 22**, ties 1861 5¢ green (1, minor edge staining) on cover to Bennettsville, S.C. with **colorless embossed advertising corner card** for boots and shoes, tiny cover repair at top, **F-V.F.**, *ex-B. Green*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2209 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Dec 26, 1861**, cds tying **1861, 5¢ green** (1) on cover to Columbia, S.C., backflap with "Bank of Charleston" oval corner card; cover with horizontal file fold, **otherwise Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200



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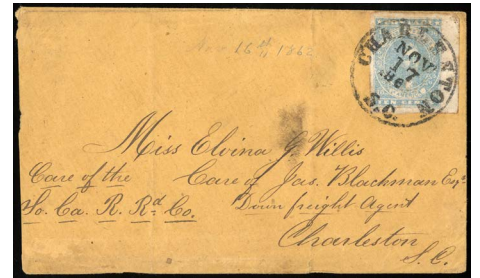
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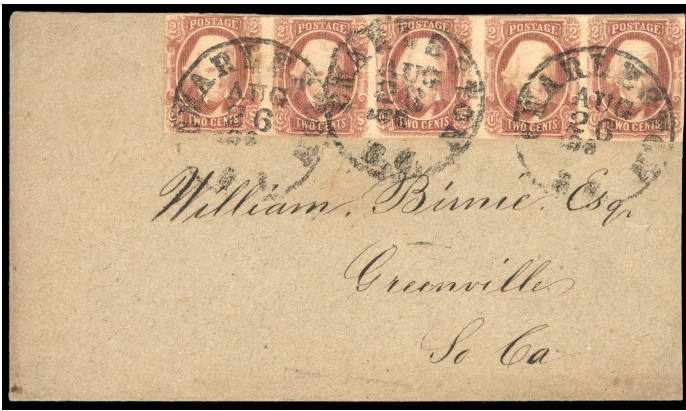
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- 2210 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Nov. 17, bold cds ties 1861-62 10¢ blue (2) tied on overpaid drop cover** to Charleston, S.C., manuscript notation “Care of the So. Ca. R.^d Co.”, “care of Jos. Blackman, Down Freight Agent”, slightly reduced, adhesive large margins including sheet margin, hint of light toning, cover slightly reduced at left & lightly folded, **Very Fine**, an extremely scarce overpaid 2¢ drop rate cover (overpaid by 8¢), *ex-Karrer*.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2211 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Sep. 26, 1862, cds tying four margin 1861, 10¢ light milky blue, Stone Y (2e) on folded Benti Middleton letter** to Arthur Huger dated “Sept 26th 1862” to family friend wishing to enlist in Marion Artillery, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

Both the Middleton and Huger families were prominent in South Carolina.



- 2212 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Mar. 10, central cds ties two horiz. pairs (arrange as block of 4) of 1862 5¢ Deep Blue (7) on cover** to Columbia, S.C., couple tiny cover edge tears, **Very Fine**, impressive double rate cover.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2213 ☒ **Charleston (S.C.) 13 Apl 63, manuscript town cancel, centrally struck on horizontal pair 1862 5¢ blue (7) on small ladies cover** to Greenville, S.C., **Very Fine, neat and attractive**, very unusual to see a manuscript cancel from Charleston.
Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2214 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Aug 26 (1864)**, three strikes of cds tying **1863, 2¢ brown red, horizontal strip of 5 (8)**, margins clear to just in, on fresh cover to Greenville, S.C., with original enclosure datelined "Barrows, Near Monks Corner, Aug 25th, 1864"; cover slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**; with 2001 P.S.E. certificate.
Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

A RARE 1863 2¢ BROWN RED ISSUE STRIP OF FIVE USED ON COVER.



- 2215 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. Oct 29**, bold 26mm double circle ties four margin **1863 20¢ green (13)** on cover to Camden, S.C., **Extremely Fine**; signed Dietz.
Estimate \$500 - 750

Charleston Group Lots

- 2216 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. (Balance)**, group of **22 covers**; includes three stampless with various rates, two #1 usages (single and double line cds usages), #2, manuscript #4 with a Charleston "Way", two #5 (single and double line cds usages), two #6 solo usages (one a due 5), two #7 pair usages (one turned), #8 on faulty cover, various #11 & 12 usages including ad corner card and one to Keating Ball in Strawberry Post; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2217 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. (Soldier's Due Covers)**, six soldier's endorsed covers; two with "5" rate handstamp (29mm & double line cds's), and four with large "10" rate handstamp (29mm, 32mm, double line, and without cds); some flaws, **F.-V.F.**, all *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2218 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. (Miscellany)**, three items; includes a printed "Head Quarters, Department of South Carolina, Georgia and Florida" letterhead datelined "Charleston, S.C., Oct 3th, 1864" letter from Lieut. Gen. W.J. Hardee to Rear Admiral J.A. Dalgren regarding prisoner of war prisoner exchange, an unused Palmetto Flag illustrated letterhead in blue (stained and toned) and a fake #16XU1, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2219 ☒ **Charleston, S.C. (Handstamped Paid Covers)**, three covers; two with "Paid 5" in circle handstamp (32mm & double line cds), and "Paid 10" in circle handstamp with double line cds, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2220 ☒ **Cheraw, S.C., July 10**, double circle postmark ties vertical pair of 1862 5¢ Light Blue (6, slightly cut in) on neat forwarded cover to Flat Rock, N.C., cover was missent to Flat Rock S.C., manuscript postmark "Flat Rock, S.C. July 15, Missent & fow'd" added and sent on to North Carolina, **Very Fine and a nice used of two different South Carolina postmarks**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2221 ☒ **Cheraw, S.C.**, cds with matching "10" rate on soldier's endorsed **adversity cover** made from blue glazed craft paper, to Laurens C.H., S.C., **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$100 - 150

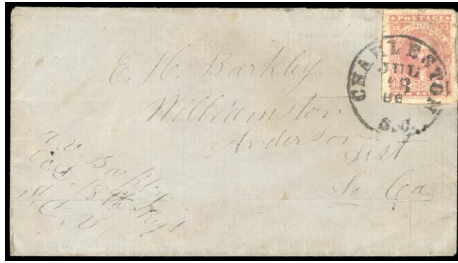


- 2222 ☒ **Cheraw, S.C. Aug. 9 (1864)**, double circle postmark with straight line "Paid" handstamp on 1864 printed circular to "R.D. Bacot, Agent, Florence, S.C.", circular entitled "Tax in Kind" with excellent contents (6 pages), **Very Fine and a scarce 2¢ circular rate, ex-Kimbrough, Cantey**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

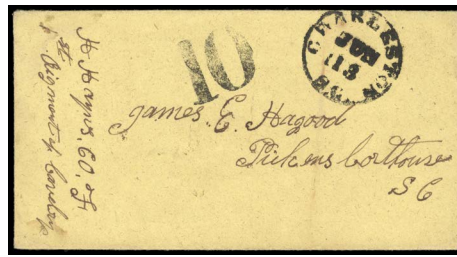
- 2223 ☒ **Cheraw, S.C.**, double line cds on **five covers**; rates include "Paid" and "5" rate handstamps, "Paid" and "10" rate handstamps including on **adversity cover** made from bank statement, and a "Jan 22, 1861" cds with matching grid canceling on U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire (Independent state usage); some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2224 ☒ **Cherokee Iron Works, S.C., Dec 28, 1861**, manuscript postmark with "Pd 5" on cover to N. D. Tomlin Esq., Olive, Indell County, N.C., small tear affecting postmark at top, **otherwise Very Fine, rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 9)**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

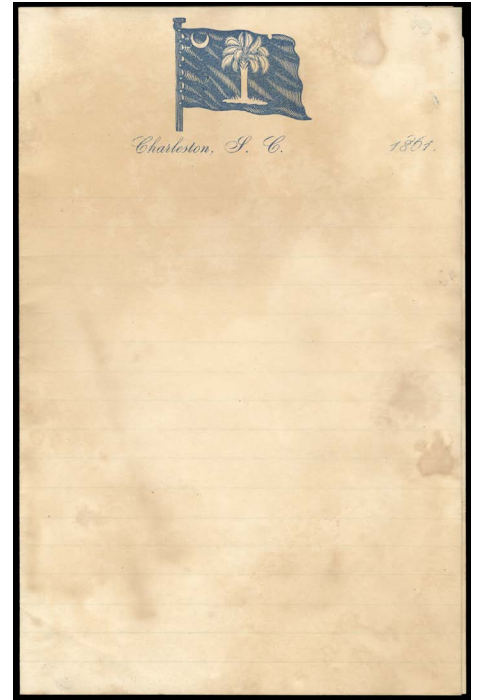
- 2225 ☒ **Chester C.H., S.C.**, group of **eight covers**; includes a 30mm cds tying 1862, 5¢ blue, horizontal pair (7), others are double line cds, with rates including "Paid" handstamp (no rate), "Paid" and "5" handstamps, "Paid" and "10" in red, "Paid" and manuscript "10" rate, "Due 10" handstamps in black and blue, also a 1862, 5¢ blue combination (6+7); some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400



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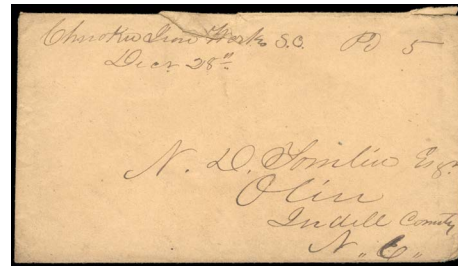
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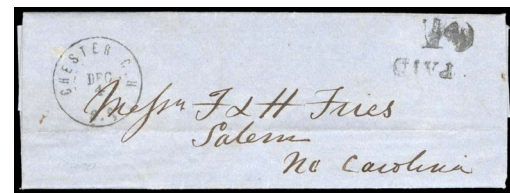
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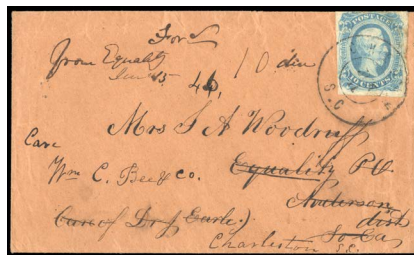
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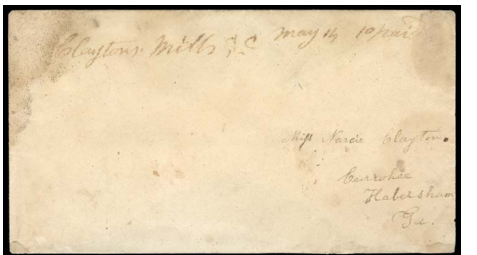
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- 2226 **Chester C.H., S.C., 26mm cds on two covers; one in blue tying 1862, 5¢ blue, horizontal pair (7), other in red tying 1863, 10¢ blue (11); some flaws, F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2227 **Chester C.H., S.C. Dec 4 (1864), double circle postmark with "Paid" and "10" handstamps on folded letter to Salem, N.C., with contents, Very Fine.**
Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2228 **Chester, S.C., indistinct double circle ties 1863-64 10¢ milky blue (12a) on forwarded cover to Charleston S.C., cover originally addressed to Equality S.C. and forwarded with manuscript "from Equality June 15th" forwarding postmark and additional manuscript "Ford 10 due", Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), ex-Karrer, signed Kaufmann.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2229 **Clayton's Mills, S.C. May 14, manuscript postmark with "10 Paid" on cover to Carrohee Ga., light water staining, flap missing, F.-V.F., very scarce town (Stets & Teal Rarity 8), ex-Cantey.**
Estimate \$100 - 150



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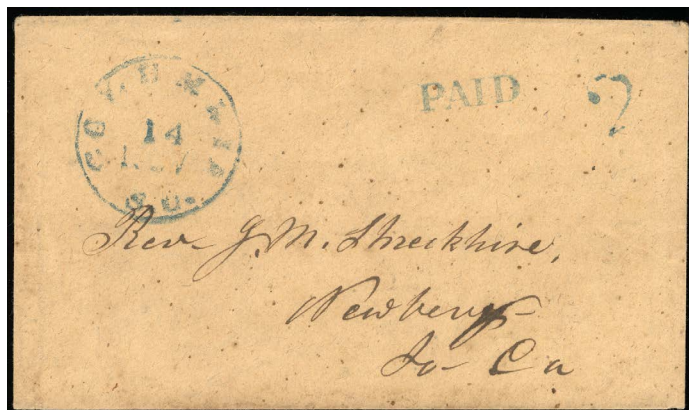
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- 2230 ☒ **Cokesbury, S.C.**, bold 32mm cds on two covers; one with "Paid" and "5" rate handstamps, other with blue crayon "Pd 10" rating, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$150 - 200

Columbia, S.C.



- 2231 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Jun, 11**, blue 32mm cds with matching "Paid" in circle & large "5" rate on cover with "Adams Express Company" imprint and manuscript "Columbia", addressed to Leesville, S.C., **Extremely Fine, a lovely and rare usage, pencil notation on reverse "C.J. Phillips 1925 \$22.50"**.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000



- 2232 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., 14 Nov.**, 32mm blue cds with matching "Paid" straight line and large numeral "2" (unsealed circular) on cover to Newberry S.C., **Very Fine and scarce, ex-Kohn**.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2233 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Apr. 13 (1863)**, 32mm blue cds on cover to Greenville, S.C. with matching "Paid" straight line and manuscript "20" rate, manuscript "Charge Key Box 6" at upper right, with original enclosure dated "Apr 13. 1863", trivial corner nick at top right, **Very Fine, a scarce 20¢ rate cover**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2234 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Aug. 13**, 32mm blue cds and matching small "10" rate on cover to Springfield (Dist. of) York(ville), additional smaller blue 25mm "Columbia, S.C. Aug. 19" cds (pre-war) double circle postmark, **Very Fine, most unusual and in need of further research**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2235 ☒ **(Columbia, S.C.) "Paid"**, blue circular handstamp on **turned drop cover** to Columbia, internally franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (11, partially torn off) tied by blue Columbia S.C. cds and addressed to "Gen W.G. De Saussure", some light edge wear and staining and bit reduced at right, **Fine and a rare usage, signed Kimbrough**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

Wilmot G. De Saussure (1822-86) was Lt. Col. of the 1st S.C. Militia Artillery in 1861, resigned to serve in S.C. legislature and later as a General in S.C. Militia.

- 2236 ☒ **Columbia S.C. 7 Dec.**, 32mm blue cds with matching "Paid" straight line and large "10" handstamp, additional blue crayon "10" on **mourning cover** to Smithville, Va., small fault at top, **overall Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2237 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. July 23**, blue cds with red crayon "Due 20" on a soldier's cover addressed to Mrs. C. E. Winsmith, Glenn Springs P.O., S.C., soldier's endorsement "From Capt. Winsmith, Co. H 1st Regt S.C.V.", flap torn, **Very Fine and attractive, ex-Cantey**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2238 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., May 27**, 32mm blue cds and matching large "10" (Due) handstamp on cover to Milledgeville, Ga., manuscript "I.L. Harris Jr., Surgeon 59th Ga. Regt" endorsement at upper left, small piece out at top, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$100 - 150

Harris received his medical degree from Philadelphia Medical College, enlisting in Cobb County Ga. as 2nd Sgt. Co A, Phillips Legion, April 1862 promoted to Asst. Surgeon, June 1862 became Surgeon for 50th Ga. Infantry.

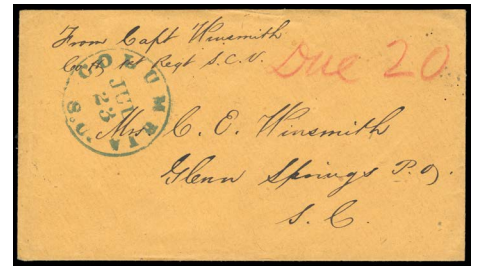
- 2239 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., 2 Oct**, blue cds and matching "Paid" and negative "5" rating handstamp on unused orange **Sumter, S.C., 1861, 5¢ black provisional envelope** with black "Paid" and "5" circular rating handstamps, **properly rejected and crossed out** with blue crayon by the Columbia Post Office, where it entered mails to Sumterville S.C., **Very Fine and unusual usage, ex-Kohn, Myerson & Warren**.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



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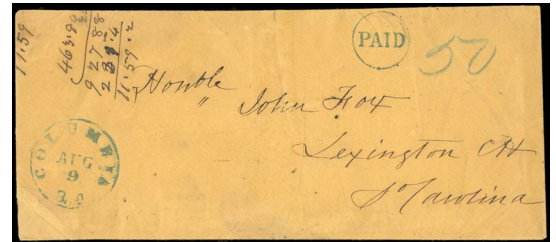
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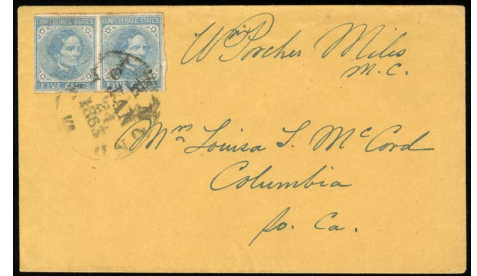
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2240 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Aug. 9**, blue cds on 1863 legal size cover to Lexington C.H., S.C., matching "Paid" in circle handstamp and blue crayon "50" rate; cover wrinkles and refolded, **F-V.F.**, a rare high value rating.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



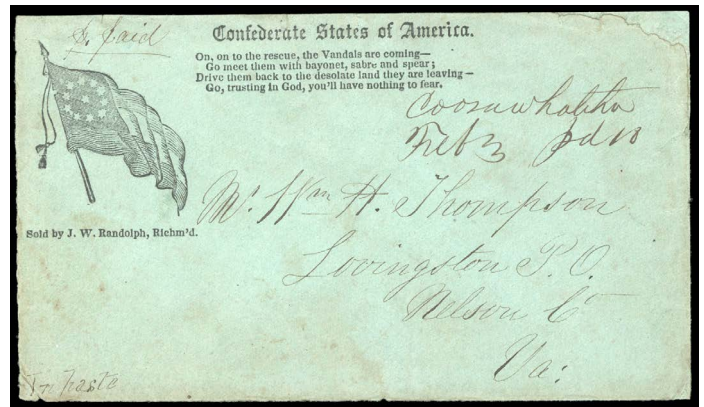
2241 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Apr. 20**, blue tying 1962 5¢ blue (7) vert. pair covering the demonitized 1860-61 3¢ Star Die entire to Abbeville C.H., S.C., small piece of flap missing, **Very Fine and attractive**; with 2007 P.F. certificate.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

2242 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Mar. 3**, blue 32mm cds on **advertised and forwarded cover** to Fort Mills S.C., originally mailed from Charleston, S.C. as evident by partial cds and pair of 1862 5¢ blue (stamps torn off) tied by Charleston, S.C. cds, cover with blue "Advertised" straight line and blue crayon "2" (advertising fee) obliterated when forwarded to Fort Mills with manuscript "Ford 10" at top left, **Very Fine and a great usage**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

2243 ☒ **Columbia, S.C.**, faint strike of blue cds ties 1862 5¢ blue, horizontal pair on cover to Mr. W. T. Nelson, Chester, S.C., then **forwarded** with blue-green Chester C.H., S.C. double circle postmark to Winnsborough, S.C. with a manuscript "Ford 10", Postmaster of Winnsborough applied three grid cancels to the stamps upon arrival, cover missing flap and repaired at top, **Fine and unusual**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

2244 ☒ **(Columbia, S.C.)**, "Richmond, Va., Jan 24, 1863" 32mm cds ties pair 1862 5¢ blue (7) on cover to Columbia S.C., additionally franked "Wm. Porcher Miles, M.C." at upper right, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

In early 1861 designed CSA Battle Flag, W.P. Miles served as Mayor of Charleston 1855-57, elected to 35th-36th Congress's until retirement in 1860, later served as Confederate Provisional Congress, member of the Confederate Congress from 1862-64, Colonel on the staff of Gen. Beauregard, President of Univ. of S.C. at Columbia, died May 11, 1899.



2245 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Sep 8**, blue cds ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (11, large margins) on **colorful wallpaper cover** to Charleston, S.C., central file fold and left flap reattached, **Very Fine, very attractive wallpaper cover**, *ex-H. Green*.
Estimate \$500 - 750

2246 ☒ **Columbia, S.C.**, 32mm blue cds ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (11, four large margins) on cover to Crosbyville, S.C. with printed corner card for "S.G. Fountaine & Co." (publishers), **Very Fine and attractive**, *ex-Kohn*.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2247 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., Nov. 6**, blue 30mm cds ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (11) on cover to Sumpter, S.C. with printed "Southern Mutual Life Insurance Co" corner card across top, small cover repair affecting stamp, **F.-V.F. appearance**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2248 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. (Balance)**, blue cds on **four covers**; three with 32mm large cds, with soldier's due cover with large matching "5" rate handstamp and manuscript "Due 5" in pencil, another with matching "Paid" straight line and "5" rate handstamps, another with matching straight line "Paid" and small "10" rate handstamps, and small 25mm cds tying **1863, 10¢ blue** (11) on cover to Chapell Hill, N.C.; stamp with small scuff at upper right, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400

2249 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. (Balance)**, blue cds on **fifteen covers**; six stampless with rates "Paid" and "5" handstamps, "Paid" in circle and "5" handstamps, "Paid" handstamp and pencil "5¢ Paid", "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "10" rate, "10" due handstamp, and "Paid" handstamp without rate on "State of South Carolina, Adjutant and Inspector General's Office, Official Business" imprint cover (C.S.A. S-SC-10), franked covers including partial U.S. 1857, 1¢ blue (24) and 3¢ dull red (26) usages during U.S. rate period, #1 in shades, #2, #4 on forwarded cover, #6 solo usage with manuscript "Due 5", #11 & 12 usages; some flaws, **generally F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$500 - 750

2250 ☒ **Conwayborough, S.C. Dec. 16**, balloon type cds on a soldier's letter with "10" (DUE) in circle (Dietz Type B, New CSA Catalog Type D), cover endorsed at top right "H. H. Witherspoon, Wateree Mounted Rifles, Capt. Boykins Co." and addressed to Miss Ellen R. Tweed, Camden, So. Ca., minor corner wear, **still Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

The Wateree Mounted Rifles were later incorporated into the 7th South Carolina Cavalry (March 1864). They surrendered with Major E. M. Boykin at Appomattox Court House.

2251 ☒ **Conwayborough, S.C.**, 37mm cds on **two covers** (Gen. Harllee correspondence); one with "Paid" and "5" in circle handstamps, other with "Paid" and "10" in circle handstamps; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

2252 ☒ **Coosawatchie, S.C. Feb 3**, manuscript postmark with "Pd 10" & additional manuscript "P(ost) Paid" upper left on green cover with black **Patriotic Design 11 Star Flag and Verse** with horizontal "J. W. Randolph Richm'd" (Dietz F11-16m Vs. 2) imprint, addressed to Lovington PO, Va., missing backflap & repair in top right corner, **Very Fine appearance**.
Estimate \$300 - 400

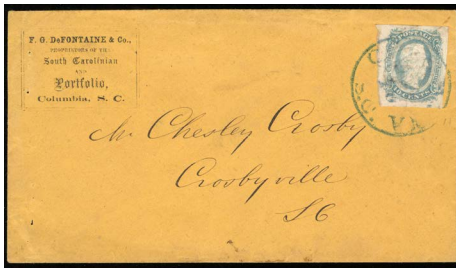
2253 ☒ **Coosawatchie (S.C.) Feb 13**, manuscript postmark with "Due 5" on soldier's due cover to Col. A. P Calhoun, Pendleton, Anderson Dist., S.C., manuscript soldier's endorsement "Sent by Capt. J. C. Calhoun, 2nd Battalion Cav. S.C.V.", **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150

Captain John C. Calhoun enlisted on May 6, 1861 (by the Executive of S.C.), in Pickens District. His Battalion was consolidated into the 4th Rutledge Rifles in May 1862. In May 1862 he reenlisted for the duration of the war as Captain Co. C. He served throughout the war but was sickly for most of 1864 and returned to duty Nov. 24, 1864. He was listed as a deserter on Feb. 14, 1864 but was sick and sent to the General Hospital in Richmond and the hospital in Huguenot Springs, Va.

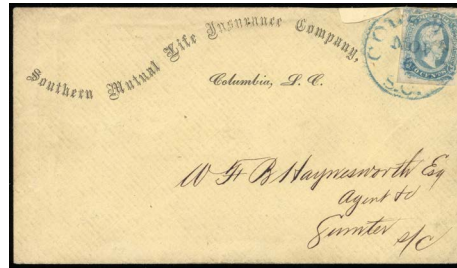
2254 ☒ **Cowpen Branch (S.C.) May 30th**, with manuscript "Paid 10" on **turned cover** to Mrs. Lucie E. Nandin, DALTON, Ga., inside use franked with 1864 10¢ blue (Archer & Daly) tied by Dalton, Ga cds and addressed to Anderson C.H., So. Ca., pencil manuscript "10 Due", flap detached but accompanies cover, **otherwise Very Fine**, Cover is the listing cover for the CSA Catalog and the only known stampless example from Cowpen Branch, S.C.
Estimate \$150 - 200



2255 ☒ **Cross Hill, S.C. Aug 18**, manuscript town and matching and "Paid 10" on neat, small **wallpaper cover** to Greenwood S.C., couple light tone spots, **Extremely Fine and choice**.
Estimate \$300 - 400



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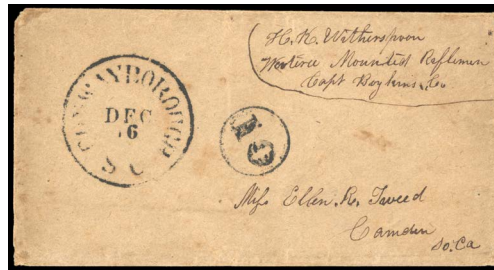
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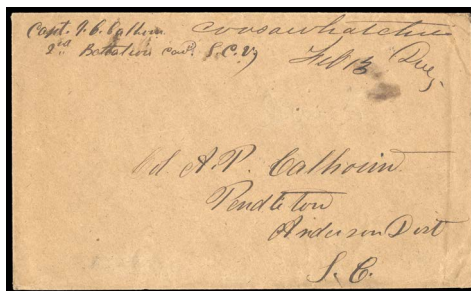
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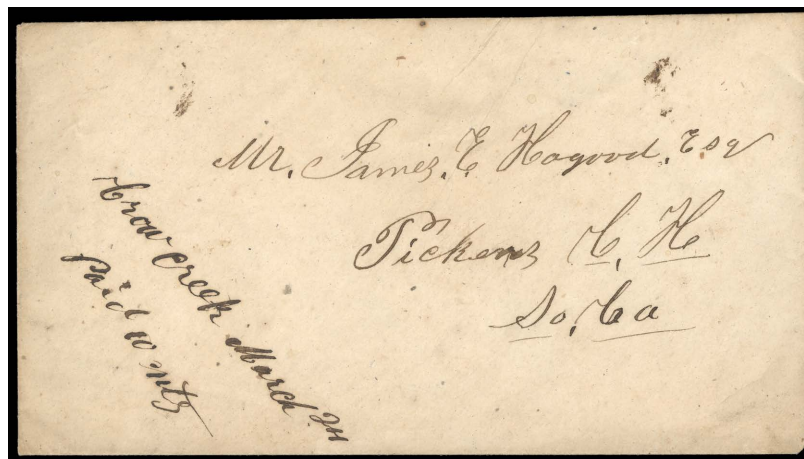
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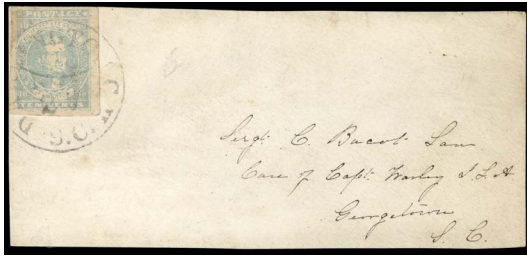


- 2256 **Crow Creek, S.C.**, manuscript postmark with “Paid 10 cts” rating on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C., **Very Fine**, an **unlisted town and the only known**.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

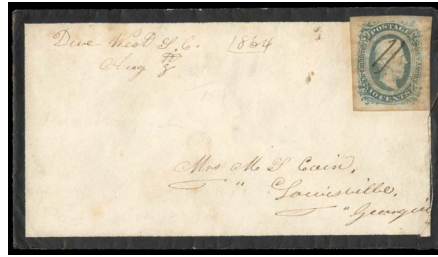
The U.S. Postal Service closed the Crow Creek post office in 1858 with the Confederate Postal service re-establishing the office in 1862.
- 2257 **Dacusville, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **two covers**; one with manuscript “Paid 5” and other with “Paid 10” rates; some flaws, **F-V.F.** (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), ex-Cantey.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2258 **Darlington C.H., S.C.**, 34mm cds on **three covers**; three with boxed “Paid” handstamp and “3” (U.S. rate period), “5” and “10” rate handstamps respectively, and a 1861, 10¢ blue (2) on turned cover front tied by cds; some flaws, **F-V.F.**
 Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2259 ☒ **Dorn's Gold Mine, S.C., Nov. 1, 1864**, bold and complete 37mm cds (minor discoloration) with matching "Paid 10" handstamp on **Prisoner of War Cover** to "Sgt S.S. Smith, 2nd Prison Camp, Chase, Ohio", additional manuscript notation "Care of Capt. Wm. Hatch, Asst. Agt. for Exchange, Richmond Va.", postmarked "Old Point Comfort Va. Nov. 18" double circle and matching "Due 6" in circle, **F.-V.F.**, a very rare and popular town with only three reported (Stets & Teal 6), one of the great South Carolina Postmark Rarities, signed Kimbrough.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- Evidence of a CSA stamp applied at upper right, which may have been applied later by a collector as the Confederate States of America postage was already paid as indicated by the "Paid 10" handstamp (somewhat obscured the the double circle postmark).*
- 2260 ☒ **Due West, S.C. Aug 8, 1864**, manuscript town on small mourning cover to Louisville, Ga., franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (11) with four large margins and light even toning, manuscript canceled, **F.-V.F.**, signed Kimbrough.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2261 ☒ **Due West, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **three covers**; two franked with manuscript canceled 1863, 10¢ blue (12), and a faulty cover with manuscript "Paid", **Fine**.
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2262 ☒ **Ebenezerville, S.C., July 19**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 5" rate on cover to Rannalsburg, N.C., slightly reduced & soiled, **F.-V.F.**, a scarce town (Stets & Teal Rarity 6).
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2263 ☒ **Echaw S.C. Aug 3rd 1861**, manuscript postmark with "Pd 5cts" on cover to Willington P.O., S.C., bit rough at top and without top backflap, not affecting manuscript cancels, **Fine**, a rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 7).
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2264 ☒ **Edgefield C.H., S.C.**, partial cds ties 1863-64 10¢ light blue (12c) on reverse of missent cover to Charleston S.C., front with blue "Columbus, S.C. Feb. 20" cds and matching "Missent" straight line, forwarded free of charge, stamp with small tear from opening, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2265 ☒ **Edgefield C.H., S.C., Oct. 23 (1864)**, 30mm cds with matching "Paid" and "10" rate on cover with enclosure to Newberry Village, S.C., manuscript "Charge Box 64, J.Hunt" at upper left, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2266 ☒ **Edgefield C.H., S.C.**, group of **six covers**; four 30mm cds usages with rates including "Paid" and "5" handstamps, "Paid" and "10" handstamps, "Paid" and manuscript "10" rating, and manuscript canceled 1862, 5¢ blue, vertical pair (7) use, two double line 33mm cds usages with "Paid" and "10" handstamps, and "Paid" and "15" rating; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2267 ☒ **Effingham (Station), S.C., Aug 15**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10" rate on cover to Mrs Gov. R.F.W. Allston in Society Hill, S.C., **Very Fine** (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2268 ☒ **Ella's Grove. S.C. Feb 24 1864**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 10" rate on **adversity cover** (printed legal document) to Little Rock S.C., with one page original letter which seems to discuss a slave contracted out, **F.-V.F.**, a **very rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 9)**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2269 ☒ **Elton, S.C. Sept. 20**, manuscript town with "Paid 10" on **turned cover** to William B. Stevens, 21st Regt. S.C. Artillery, Charleston, cover turned and re-used with "Charleston, S.C. Sep 27" double circle postmark and matching large "10" (due), Soldier's endorsement at left, usual ageing, **F.-V.F.** **scarce town (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**, *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2270 ☒ **Equality, S.C. 17 Aug**, manuscript postmark with black arc "Due 10" handstamp on cover to Abbeyville, S.C., small cover tear at top affecting postmark, **otherwise Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



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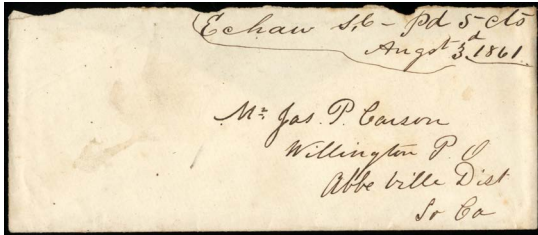
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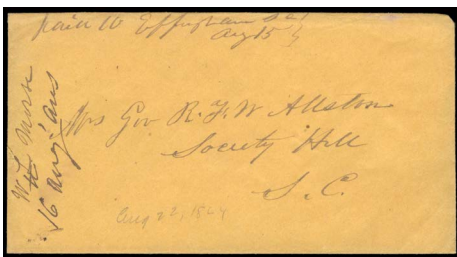
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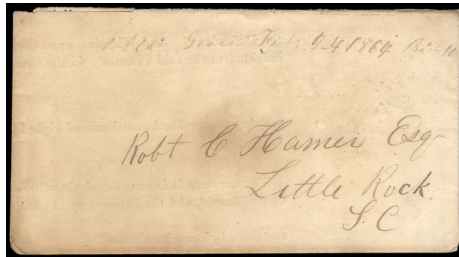
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- 2271 **Equality, S.C. July 11**, manuscript postmark with “Paid 10” on **forwarded cover** to Augusta Ga., cover sent to Charleston and forwarded to Augusta, Ga. with two single 1862 5¢ blue (7) tied by Charleston, S.C. double circle, stamp moved to show “pd 10” manuscript of Equality, F.-V.F. (Stets & Teal Rarity 7). Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2272 **Fair Play, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **three covers** (Hagood correspondence); manuscript rates with “Paid 3” (U.S. rate period), “Pd 10”, and “Paid” without rating; some flaws, F.-V.F. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2273 **Feasterville (S.C.) November 27**, manuscript postmark and matching “Paid 10” rating on **adversity cover made from printed form** to Dogwood Neck P.O., S.C.; some light overall aging, accompanied by **Nov. 28th 1861 Post Office Department** part-printed signed form from Finance Dept. with instructions for quarterly reports and route “5678” contract, also included is **Post Office voucher** for \$1.20 from the late Postmaster of Feasterville (Andrew Feaster) dated “19th August 1864”, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$200 - 300



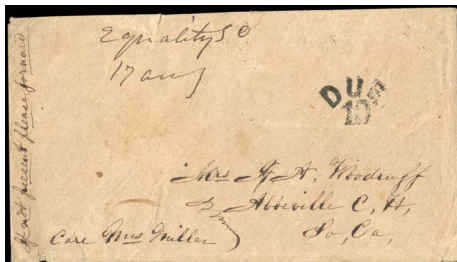
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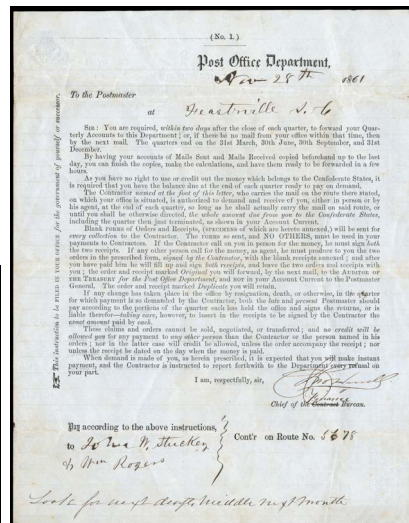
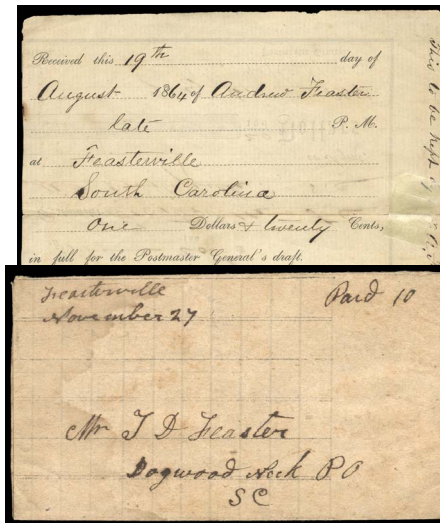
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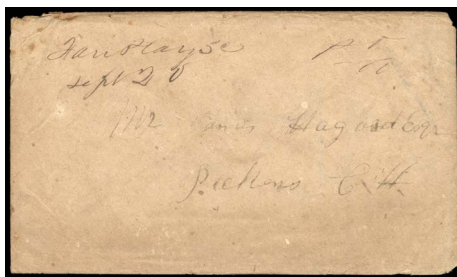
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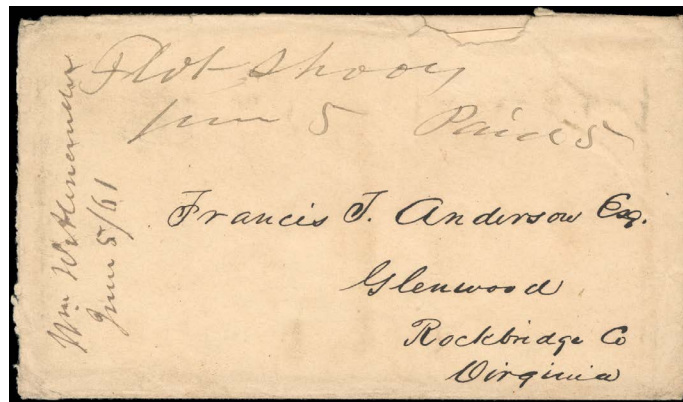


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2274 ☒ **Five Mile, S.C., Paid, usual typeset letters in circular handstamp** on adversity cover to Pickens C.H. made from typefounder's brass rule specimen book, S.C., no rating, with original enclosure datelined "Pendleton, Aug 16, 1862"; small corner stain, **otherwise Very Fine** (Stets & Teal Rarity 7). Estimate \$300 - 400

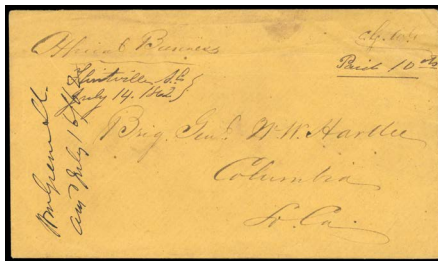
Dietz wrote regarding this cover...This is one of the most interesting objects I've seen in a long while. The envelope is made from a leaf of a printer's catalog of brass rule, and would suggest that the maker of this cover was a printer. The "Postmark" is a type set form, again indicating that he may have printed a number of these envelopes, which again in turn, suggests a Provisional.



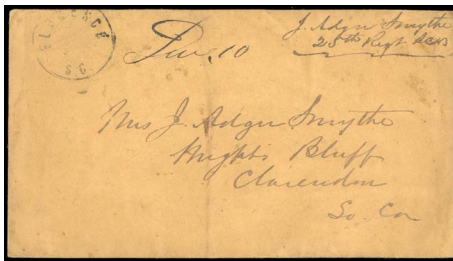
2275 ☒ **Flat Shoals, S.C. Jun 5 (1861), manuscript postmark with "Paid 5" rate on cover to Glenwood, Va., small edge nick at top, otherwise Very Fine, an extremely rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 10), ex-Cantey.** Estimate \$300 - 400

2276 ☒ **Flintville, S.C. July 14, 1862, manuscript postmark with "Paid 10" on cover to "Brig. Gen. W.W. Hartlee" in Columbia, additional manuscript "Official Business", some docketing, still Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), ex-Kohn.** Estimate \$100 - 150

2277 ☒ **Florence, S.C., 25mm undated cds and manuscript "Due 10" on turned cover to Charleston S.C., additional soldier's docketing "J. Adger Smythe, 25th Regt S.C.V" at upper right, cover turned and addressed to Pendleton S.C., franked with 1863-64 10¢ milky blue (11) tied by bold "Charleston S.C. May 19" cds, Very Fine, attractive cover (Stets & Teal Rarity 8), ex-Cantey.** Estimate \$200 - 300



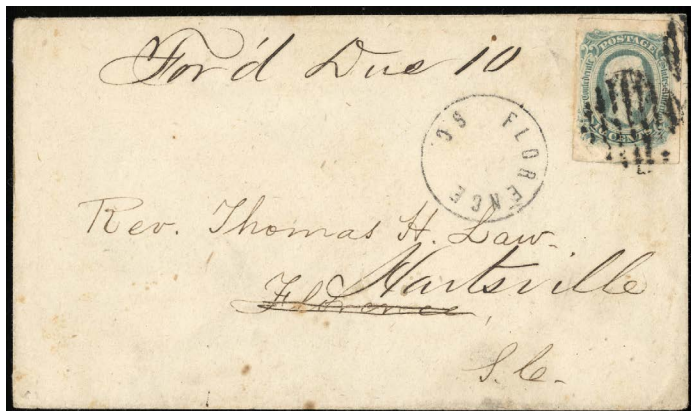
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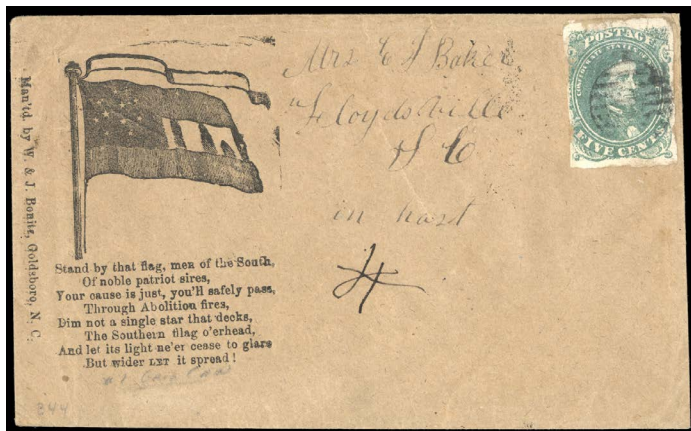


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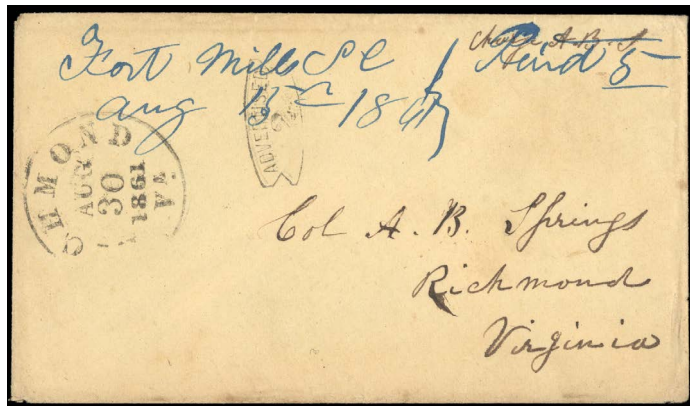


2278 ☒ **Florence, S.C.**, dateless cds on **forwarded cover** originally addressed to Florence S.C. and franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue tied by **Army of Northern Va. 7 bar grid "field cancel"**, then forwarded with manuscript "For'd Due 10" to Hartsville, S.C., **Very Fine, a rare usage (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**, *ex-Shenfield, Kohn, W. Fox & Powell.*
Estimate \$200 - 300

2279 ☒ **Florence, S.C.**, 25mm cds on **three covers**; two with boxed "Paid" handstamp (no rate) and other with "Paid 10" in circle handstamp, **Fine and rare (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**, *ex-Cantey.*
Estimate \$300 - 400



2280 ☒ **(Floydville, S.C.)**, incoming **10 Star Patriotic Flag with Verse design (Dietz F10-11)** with "Man'd by W & J Bonitz, Goldsboro N.C." vertical imprint at left, verse (28) "Stand by the flag, men of the South" below design, franked with 1861 5¢ Green with grid cancel to Floydville, S.C., **Very Fine, an attractive CSA patriotic cover**, *ex-Kohn.*
Estimate \$500 - 750



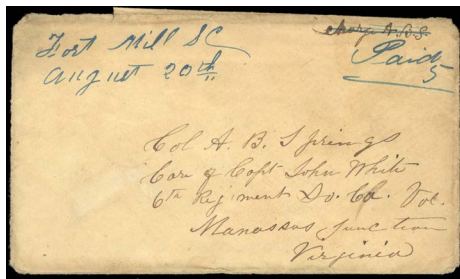
2281 ☒ **Fort Mill, S.C. Aug. 15, 1861**, blue manuscript postmark with "Paid 5" on immaculate cover to Richmond, Va., cover undeliverable and struck with "Richmond, Va. Aug 30, 1861" cds and ornate "Advertised 2" ribbon handstamp, **Extremely Fine, a very attractive and choice cover.**
Estimate \$300 - 400

2282 ☒ **Fort Mill, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **three covers**; two with "Paid 5" rate, one with postmark and rate in blue ink, other to Columbia with blue pencil "C" routing, and a "Pd 10" to Columbia with red pencil "C" routing initial, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300

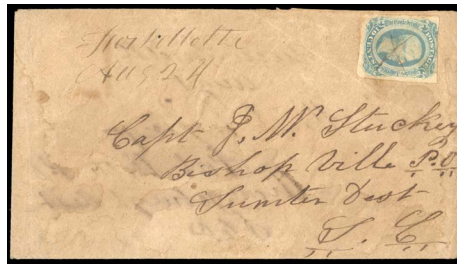
2283 ☒ **Fort Motte, S.C. Aug 24**, manuscript postmark on turned cover to Bishopville S.C., franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (12) with manuscript cancel, cover originated (1st usage) from **Green Pond, S.C.** with manuscript town and Aug 1 date to Fort Motte S.C., also franked with 1863-64 10¢ (12) with manuscript cancel, light gum stains around edges, **Very Fine, nice usage (Stets & Teal Rarities 4/5).**
Estimate \$150 - 200



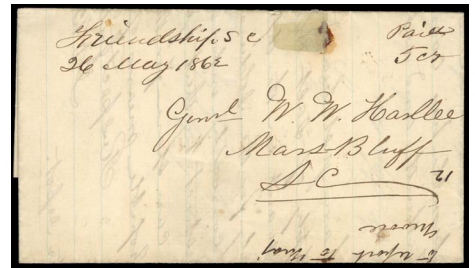
2284 ☒ **Fountain Inn, S.C., Jan 9th**, manuscript postmark on fresh blue and gray stenciled **wallpaper cover** to the Camp of Instruction in Columbia, S.C., franked with manuscript canceled **1863, 10¢ blue (12)**, **Very Fine and attractive (Stets & Teal Rarity 7).**
Estimate \$400 - 600



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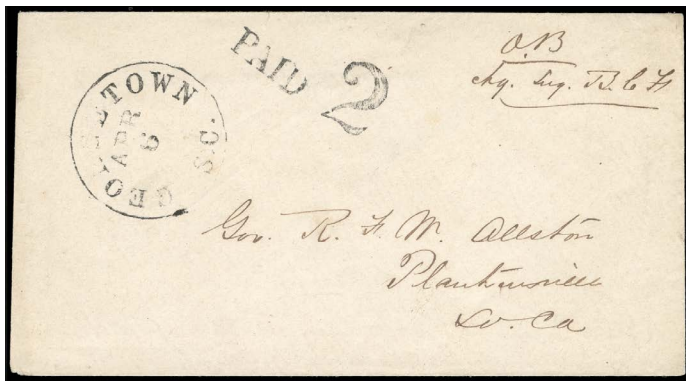
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- 2285 ☒ **Friendship, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **three covers**; with matching "Paid 5", "Paid 10" and "Due 5" ratings; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**, a scarce town.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2286 ☒ **Frog Level, S.C. Mar 28 (1862)**, cds and matching "Paid" straight line and large "5" in circle on **adversity cover** (made from illustrated Pomaria Rail Road form) to Newberry C.H., S.C., with enclosed letter re: church business, some edge re-enforcement, **Very Fine**, a truly rare cover and postmark (Stets & Teal Rarity 10).
 Estimate \$500 - 750

Georgetown, S.C.



- 2287 ☒ **Georgetown, S.C. Apr. 6**, 32mm cds with matching "Paid" and "2" handstamps on circular rate cover to Gov. R.F.W. Alston in Plantersville, S.C., manuscript "OB" (Official Business), **Very Fine**, exceptionally fresh and attractive.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2288 ☒ **Georgetown, S.C. Oct. 1 1862**, cds on missent soldier's cover addressed to Georgetown, Ga. with Privat. W.J. Nobles soldier's endorsement and manuscript "Due 10", missent to South Carolina & postmarked Georgetown, S.C. with matching Missent straight line, the cover is homemade with printed address on the inside, cover edge tears and flaws, **Fine and interesting item**.
 Estimate \$100 - 200

W.J. Nobles mustered in as private into Co. B, Georgia 51st Infantry. At the time of posting he was with Lee in the Shenandoah Valley right after the Battle of Antietam. He died in Richmond on 11/12/62.

- 2289 ☒ **Georgetown, S.C., Apr. 1**, bold circular datestamp with day slug inverted, "Paid" and "2" handstamps on circular rate cover to Plantersville, manuscript. "O.B." at top right, slight edgewear including small tear at top, **otherwise Very Fine**, scarce **2¢ circular rate**, *ex-Zimmerman & Cantey*.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2290 ☒ **Georgetown, S.C. Jul. 23**, circular datestamp on blue semi-official cover with "**Headquarters, Camp Ordnance Section, Columbia S.C., Official Business.**" imprint, addressed to Bennettsville S.C. franked with **10¢ Blue, Die A** (11, large to clear margins), tied by manuscript "X" cancel and by rim of cds, backflap tears, **Very Fine**, *ex-Wishnietsky*.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2291 ☒ **Georgetown, S.C. (Balance)**, 32 mm cds on **nine covers**; rates including "Paid 5" in circle handstamp, "Paid" and "5" handstamps, "10" due handstamp, "Paid" and "10" handstamps, "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "10" rate, incoming forward use with straight line "Forwarded" and "10" handstamps, and cds tying stamps including 1861, 5¢ green (1), 1863, 10¢ blue (11) and 1863, 10¢ blue (12); some flaws, **F.-V.F.**.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

- 2292 ☒ **Gilchrist Bridge, S.C. Feby 25**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 5" rate on cover to Fredricksburg, Va., slightly reduced and soiling, **Fine and a rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**, *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2293 ☒ **Gladden's Grove, S.C., July 18th**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10" rate on green cover to Chappel Hill Colege (sic), slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine and choice (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2294 ☒ **Glenn Springs, S.C. Oct. 2**, partial red 26m cds over written with manuscript date and matching arc "Paid" and "5" in circles on cover to Gen. F.M. Gaaberry, Union CH, S.C., staining & slightly reduced at left, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



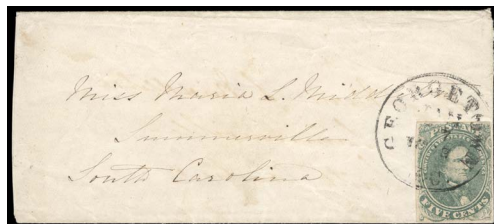
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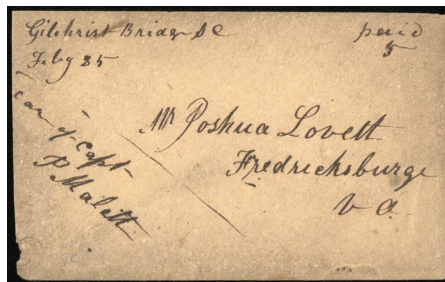
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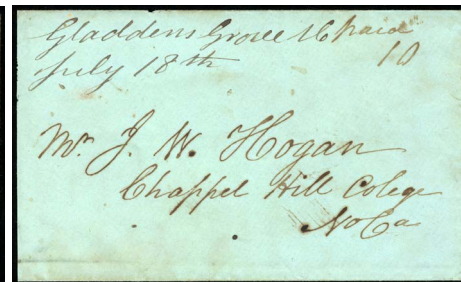
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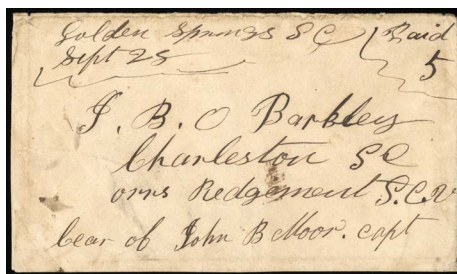
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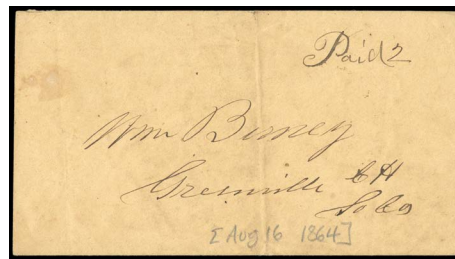
- 2295 **Golden Springs, S.C. Sept. 28**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 5" on cover to J. B. O. Barkley, Orr's Regt. Charleston, S.C., corner repair at bottom left and open on three sides, **Fine**, very scarce town (Stets & Teal Rarity 9).
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2296 **Gourdin, S.C. Nov. 11**, manuscript postmark on soldier's cover to "Cavins Old Field Post, Spartansburg Dist.," cover a bit tattered, **Fine**, a very rare town marking which is **not listed in Dietz or Teal & Stets**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2297 **Graham's Turnout, S.C. June 18**, cds with "Paid" straightline and "5" handstamps on brown homemade cover to Aiken S.C., "1862" docketing, slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**, ex-Wishnietsky.
Estimate \$100 - 150



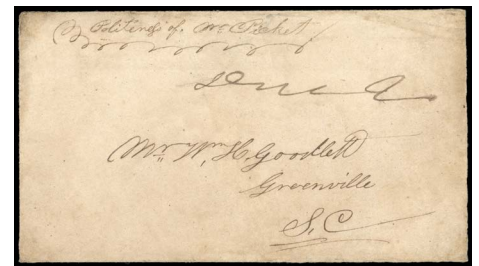
- 2298 **Graham's Turnout, S.C.**, cds ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (12, four margins, toned) on choice better items-colored wallpaper cover to Green Pond, Charleston & Savannah R.R., S.C., **Very Fine and handsome**.
Estimate \$300 - 400



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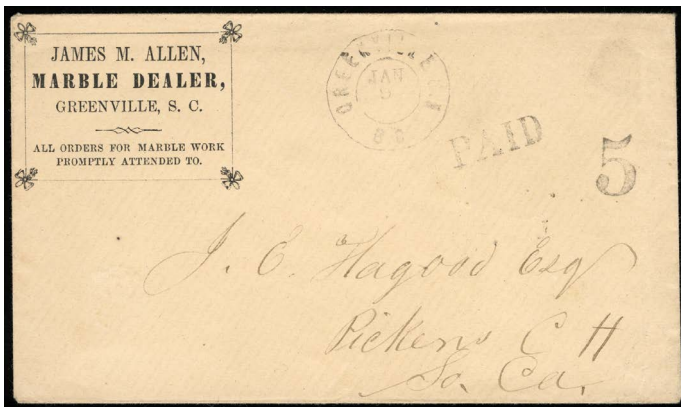


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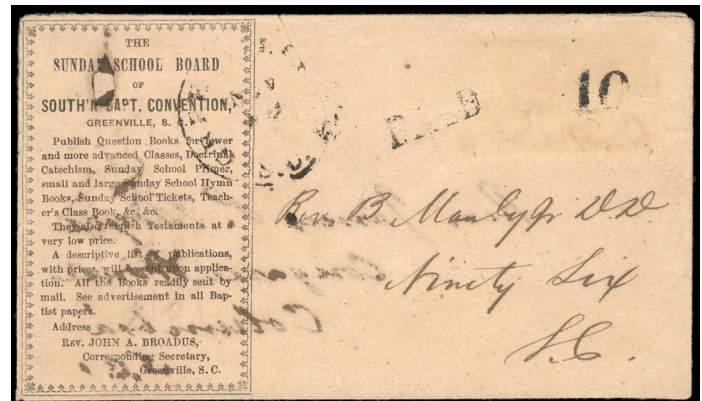
- 2299 **Graham's Turnout, S.C.**, 31mm cds on **two covers**; each with straight line "Paid" and different "10" in circle rate handstamps (thick and thin numerals); some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2300 **Grahamville, S.C.**, 30mm cds on **nine covers**; rates with "Paid" handstamp (no rate), "Paid" and "5" handstamps, doubled "Paid" and manuscript "5" rating, manuscript "Due 5" and "Due 10", cds tying stamps with 1863, 10¢ blue (12) and uncanceled 1863, 10¢ blue (11) on **adversity cover** made from goods receipt form; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2301 **Green Pond, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **six covers**; rates including "Paid 10¢" and "Due 10¢", 1862 usage franked with manuscript 1861, 5¢ green (1), also an incoming Charleston cover franked with 1863, 10¢ blue (12) and forwarded to Edgefield C.H.; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400

Greenville Court House, S.C.

- 2302 (**Greenville C.H., S.C.**), "Paid 2" manuscript rate on drop cover to Greenville C.H., S.C., **Very Fine and attractive.**
Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2303 **Greenville C.H., S.C. Jan. 9**, double circle postmark with matching "Paid" & "5" handstamps on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C. with **printed corner card** for Marble Dealer, **Very Fine.**
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2304 (**Greenville C.H., S.C.**), address on cover endorsed "Politeness of Wm. Pickett" and "Due 2" drop rating, with enclosure from private Thomas Goodlett to his father with interesting content in part...*"We are under orders to march at a minutes warning. General Longstreet sent a dispatch to general Bonham last night that the Yankees was burning up Alexandria. We can hear them firing cannons at Washington every day."*; light cover wear, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2305 **Greenville C.H., S.C.**, discernible cds with matching "Paid" and "10" rate handstamp on 1864 **turned cover** to Ninety Six, S.C., with **printed boxed "The Sunday School Board of South's Baptist Convention, Greenville, S.C."** advertising corner card, inside usage to Columbia, S.C. franked with **1862, 10¢ blue, horizontal pair (7)** tied by pencil cancel (no origin postmark); small ink erosion hole at upper left affecting corner card, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2306 **Greenville C.H., S.C.**, double circle postmark on adversity folded entire (made from bond contract, folded for display) to Smithville, S.C., franked with 1861 5¢ green (1) with neat pen cancel, four margins, small corner crease at lower right, **Very Fine.**
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2307 **Greenville C.H., S.C. Aug. 30**, cds 1862 5¢ bright blue (7) pair on cover to Tumbling Shoals, S.C. with second manuscript cancelled pair in blue shade, manuscript notation "W.D. Sullivan's package", second pair blue probably paying double weight or package delivery fee, **Very Fine and unusual.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2308 **Greenville C.H., S.C. Nov. 23**, cds ties 1862 5¢ blue pair (7) on neat **turned cover** to Charleston, re-used with 1863-64 10¢ blue (12) tied by Charleston, S.C. Nov. 19 cds back to Greenville, S.C., **Very Fine and attractive.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

The Richard Murphy Collection of Confederate South Carolina



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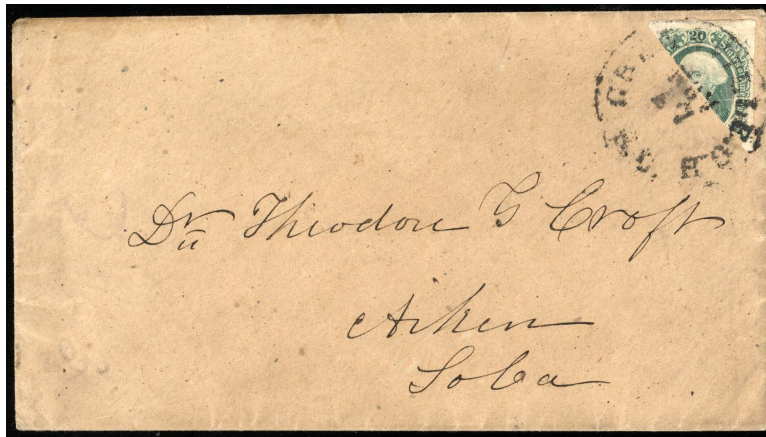


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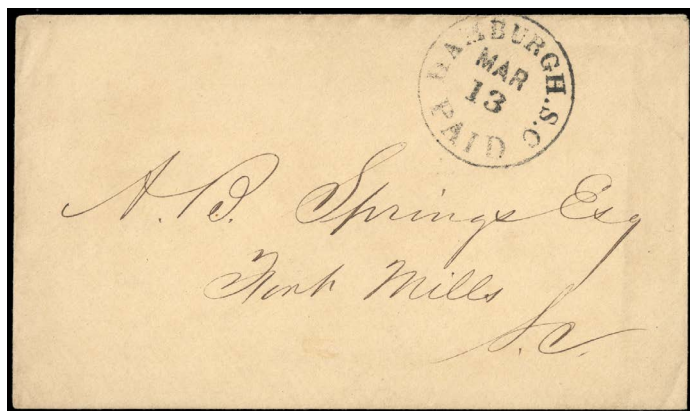
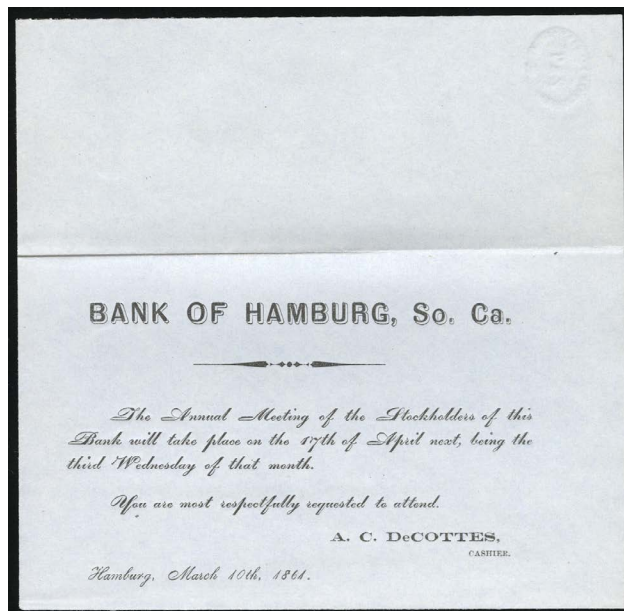
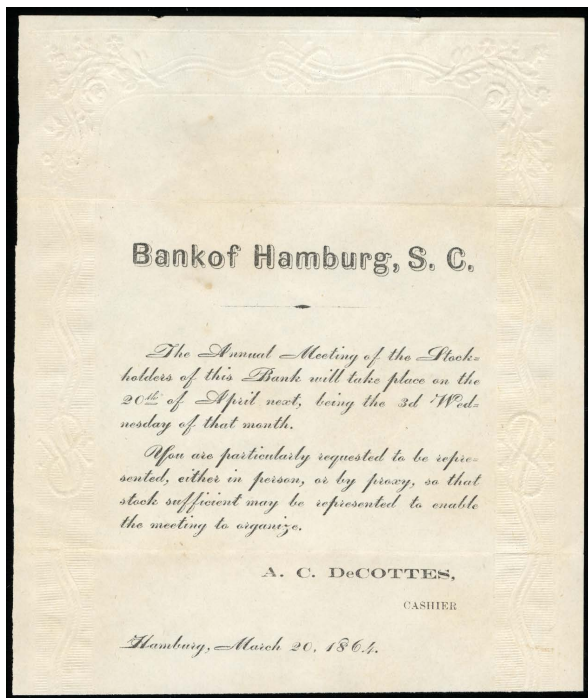


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- 2309 ☒ **(Greenville C.H., S.C.)**, cover from Virginia franked with 1862 5¢ blue pair (7) tied by Staunton, Va. cds to Greenville, S.C., **forwarded** with manuscript "Ford" and handstamp "10" of Greenville to Frog Level, S.C., slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2310 ☒ **Greenville C.H., S.C. Jan 5**, double circle postmark with matching "Paid 10" handstamps (Dietz type 1B) on **turned cover** to Columbia, S.C., turned and franked franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (11) tied by blue Columbia, S.C. cds to Charleston, **Very Fine**, *ex-Emerson*.
 Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2311 ☒ **Greenville C.H., S.C.**, cds ties **1863 20¢ Green diagonal bisect** on cover to Aiken, S.C., faint horizontal crease at bottom of adhesive, **still Very Fine**; with 1958 P.F. certificate.
 Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2312 ☒ **Greenville C.H., S.C. (Balance)**, group of **16 covers**; three with double line cds with rates including "10" due handstamp, "Paid" and "5" handstamps, and franked with manuscript canceled 1861, 5¢ green (1), nine 30mm cds usages with "Paid" and "5" rate handstamps, and franked usages including 1862, 5¢ blue, vertical pair, 1863, 10¢ blue (11-12) usages with turned, adversity and forwarding, couple 32mm cds usages and an unlisted 1864 32mm cds with small "10" rate handstamp and manuscript "Paid to P.M.", also an incoming manuscript "O.B." use; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2313 ☒ **Greenwood, S.C.**, blue 31mm cds on two covers; one with no rate and other with "Paid 10" handstamp, also a manuscript dated and "Paid 10" cover with no postmark; some flaws, **Fine**.
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2314 ☒ **Guthriesville, S.C. 1 April**, manuscript town cancel with "Pd 5" on cover with enclosure dated "March 29, 1862" to Fort Mill, York Dist. S.C., **Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**, *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2315 **Halsellville, S.C.**, one page **postmaster appointment** datelined "Richmond, Va., July, 1861" to John Chapman for the Halsellville post office, signed by B.N. Clements, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200



2316 ☒ **Hamburgh, S.C. Paid Apr. 13**, red cds on buff cover to Fort Mills, S.C. paying the 2¢ circular rate for enclosed circular on meeting of the Bank of Hamburg, circular printed with colorless embossing. **Extremely Fine and choice.**
Estimate \$500 - 750

2318 ☒ **Hamburgh, S.C., Paid, Mar 13**, cds on unsealed cover to Fort Mills, S.C., with original printed bank circular notice, **Very Fine**, a rare 2¢ circular rate usage.
Estimate \$300 - 400



2317 ☒ **Hamburgh S.C. Jul. 27**, 32mm cds with integral "Paid" with manuscript "Drop Due 2" across top on local cover, included is original enclosure dated "27th July 1861", enclosure mentions repairing a mill dam for the benefit of the town, light soiling, **F.-V.F., ex-Zimmerman, signed Kimbrough.**
Estimate \$300 - 400

2319 ☒ **Hardeeville, S.C. Apr. 14, 1862**, 32mm cds with matching arc "Paid 10" rate handstamp manuscript obliterated on **forwarded cover**, addressed to Sumpter, S.C. and forwarded to Henderson, Geo. with black "10" in circle (applied and sent due from Sumpter, light and inconsequential tone spots, **Very Fine and attractive (Stets & Teal Rarity 6), ex-Knapp & W. Fox.**
Estimate \$300 - 400



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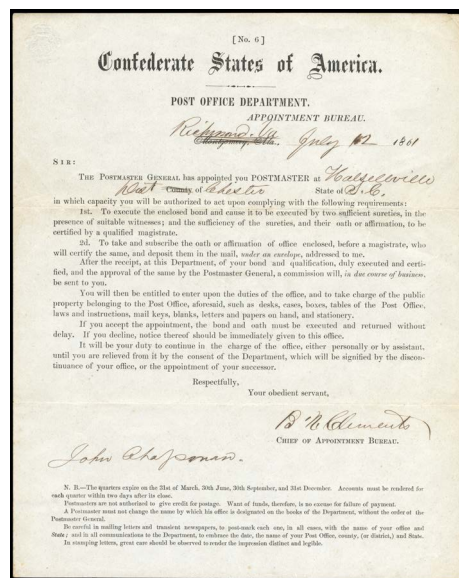
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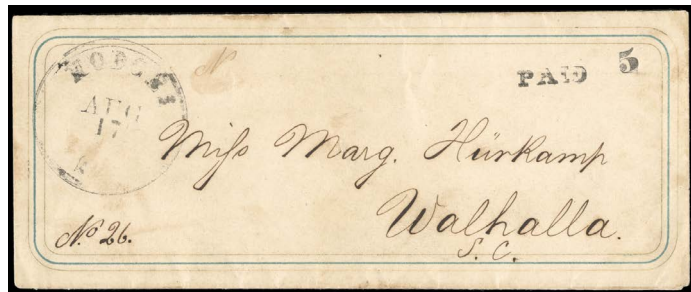
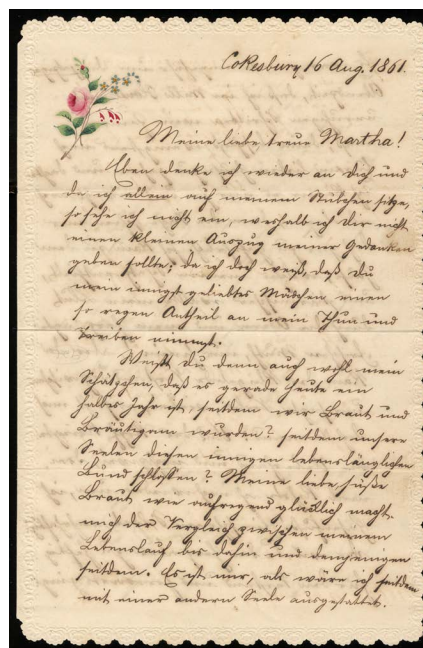


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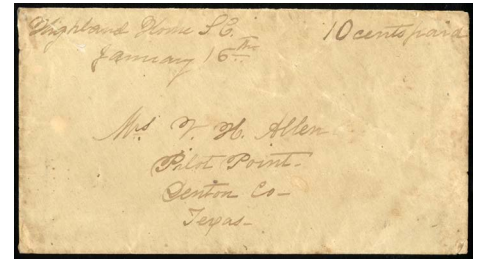


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- 2320 ☒ **Hardeeville, S.C.**, 32mm cds ties 1862 5¢ blue (4) + 5¢ blue (6, small nick) on neat cover to Clinton, Ga., cover reduced at bottom, **Very Fine**, choice and scarce combination, *ex-Wiesman, signed P. Kaufman*.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2321 ☒ **Hardeeville, S.C. (Balance)**, seven covers; with two manuscript postmark covers one with manuscript "Pd 5" and other soldier's endorsed with manuscript "Due 5", other with cds and rates include "Due 5" handstamp and "Paid 10" handstamp, also cds tying 1862, 5¢ blue (4) single and pair (adversity made from ship's bill of lading) usages; some flaws, **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2322 (☒) **Hartsville, S.C., Oct 26**, manuscript postmark on **turned cover front** with matching "Pd 10" rate to Glenn Springs, So. Ca., first usage has "Adams Run S.C., Sep 25" cds and handstamp "PAID" (Dietz Type I) straight line addressed to Hartsville, Darlington Dist. So. Ca., **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2323 ☒ **Highland Home, S.C., January 16th (1862)**, manuscript postmark with matching manuscript "10 cents paid" on homemade cover to Pilot Point, Texas, small cover tear at upper left through town marking, but of little consequence as this is **Rarity 8 in Stets & Teal**, background on cancel and town accompanies, **Very Fine**, a rare cover to Texas prior to the Trans-Mississippi rate being established.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2324 ☒ **Hodges S.C. Jun 14**, double-lined cds with matching revalued handstamped "Paid" "10" over "5" on **turned cover** addressed to Mrs. Ann L. Lamar of Columbia S.C., inside use franked with 1863, 10¢ greenish blue tied by grid cancel with matching perfect strike of "Flat Rock N.C. June 11" cds to Miss Mary E. Pickney at Hodges Station S.C., De La Rue & Co. London embossed imprint along flap edge, **Very Fine**, **this is the listing copy, ex-Walcott, Kohn & Warren**.
Scott No. 12c Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2325 ☒ **Hodges, S.C., Aug 17**, cds with matching "Paid" and "5" rate handstamps on **blue and gold bordered ladies cover** to Walhalla, S.C., with **original floral embossed bordered & hand painted floral letterhead enclosure** datelined "Cokesbury, 16 Aug, 1861", love letter written in German by a Confederate soldier, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$500 - 750



2322 (Turned Usage)

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- 2326 ☒ **Hodges, S.C., Apr 10, 1865**, manuscript postmark on cover to Greenville, S.C., franked with manuscript canceled **1863, 10¢ blue, single and half (12)**, cover shows heavy contents so half may have been paid for double rate; cover folds and light soiling, **Fine**, a very late date just after Appomattox.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2327 ☒ **Hope Station, S.C. Nov 4th 1864**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 10c" on small cover to Newberry CH, S.C., **Very Fine**, hard to find town (Stets & Teal Rarity 6).
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2328 ☒ **Horse Shoe, S.C. 3 February**, scarce manuscript town cancel with matching "Paid 20^{cts}" folded letter (made from ruled paper) to Pickens C.H., S.C. (4 x 5¢ rate), letter datelined "February 3rd, 1862", cover ageing, **F.-V.F.**, extremely rare town (**Stets & Teal Rarity 9**), *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2329 ☒ **Indiantown S.C., 24 Febr**, manuscript town ties **1862 5¢ blue (7) horizontal strip of four** on homemade cover to Camden, S.C. (pencil docketed "1863") left pair with small margin flaws & cover with some wear, **F.-V.F.**, unusual double rate (Stets & Teal Rarity 6).
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2330 ☒ **Jacksonboro Depot, S.C., April 7th (1863)**, manuscript town across top of small ladies cover to Charleston, S.C. with lengthy letter, franked with 1861 5¢ green (1), four margins with manuscript "X" cancel, pencil "5th April 11/63" docketing below town, **Very Fine**, a very rare town (**Stets & Teal Rarity 8**).
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2331 ☒ **Jackson's Creek, S.C., 21st April 1862**, manuscript postmark on cover to Collinsburgh, La., manuscript "Paid 10¢" rate, with lengthy original enclosure datelined "Millview, April the 19th, 1862"; small opening tears at left, **F.-V.F. (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2332 ☒ **Jeffreys Creek, S.C. 10 Nov 1862**, manuscript postmark with black "Paid" straight line and numeral "10" rate on cover to Parnassus, S.C., trivial light soiling, **still Very Fine** (Stets & Teal Rarity 6).
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2333 ☒ **Johnsonville, S.C., Aug. 18**, bold brown 32mm cds ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (12) on brown cover to Charleston, S.C., **Very Fine** (Stets & Teal Rarity 6).
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2334 ☒ **Kingstree, S.C. July 25**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 5" on cover to Manning, S.C. and then **forwarded** to Sumpter S.C. with "Manning, S.C. Jul 9" cds and manuscript "Ford 5 Due", attractive usage, **Very Fine**, *ex-Kohn, signed P. Kaufmann*.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2335 ☒ **Kingstree S.C., Nov. 26**, 33 mm cds ties four margin 1863-64 10¢ blue (11) on **adversity cover (printed ledger sheet)** to Surgeon, 2nd Div., General Hospital at Greenville C.H., S.C., **Very Fine and a choice adversity cover**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2336 ☒ **Kirksey's X Roads, May 24**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 5" on **adversity (ruled paper) cover** to Alexandria P.O., Ala., **Very Fine** (Stets & Teal Rarity 6).
Estimate \$100 - 200
- 2337 ☒ **Lancaster C.H., S.C., Oct 12**, cds on legal size cover addressed to Col. Witherspoon of the 4th Reg't State Troops (SC) in Georgetown, S.C., **manuscript "paid 80" rate**; cover tears and wrinkles, **Fine**, a rare high value rating.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2338 ☒ **Lancaster C.H. S.C., Nov. 1**, circular datestamp with manuscript "Paid 2" on folded 1864 printed political circular to Charleston S.C., **F.-V.F.**, very scarce **2¢ printed circular rate**, *ex-Zimmerman*.
Estimate \$200 - 300

Laurens Court House, S.C.

- 2339 ☒ **Laurens C.H., S.C., Aug. 11**, indistinct cds and boxed "Paid" straight line with manuscript "10" rate on **Adversity Cover** (made from printed legal form) cover to Charleston, S.C., pencil notation "From Col Williams, 10th Aug. 1864" across top, animal chewed at upper right (insignificant), **otherwise Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
 - 2340 ☒ **Laurens C.H., S.C., Jun 28**, 26mm cds with matching boxed "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "5" rate on cover with military address to Charleston, S.C., **Very Fine, signed P. Kaufmann**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- T. H. Culbertson joined as a Corporal in Co. C, 3rd S.C. Battalion Infantry in early 1861 later, joining the Army of Northern Va.*
- 2341 ☒ **Laurens C.H., S.C., Nov 27**, cds with matching boxed "Paid" handstamp and **manuscript "90" rate**, on oversized legal cover to **Montgomery, Texas**, 1861 deposition docketing on front and reverse; cover toning and wear, **Fine**, a rare high rate Trans-Mississippi usage prior to the establishment of express mail in late April of 1863, *ex-Kohn & Cantey*.
Estimate \$200 - 300
 - 2342 ☒ **Laurens C.H., S.C., Jul 9**, cds tying **1862, 5¢ blue, horizontal pair (4)** on cover addressed to "Mr. J.M. Winn, care Capt Barksdale, 1st SC Vol, Col Hamilton, Genl J.R. Anderson Brigade, Richmond, Va.", pencil "Missent" and forwarded back to Laurens C.H. with another 5¢ blue pair manuscript canceled; stamp flaws, **Fine appearance**.
Estimate \$150 - 200



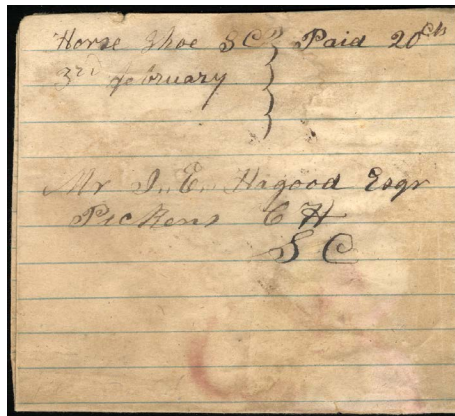
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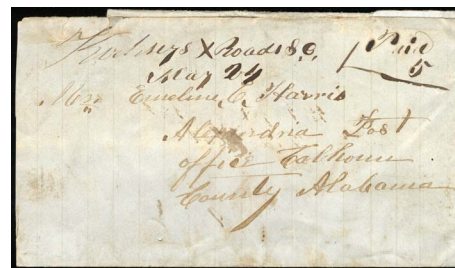
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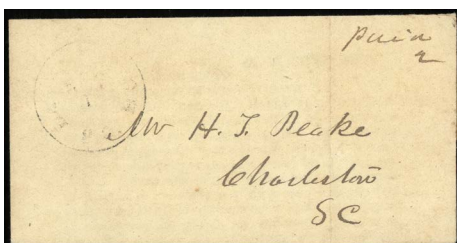
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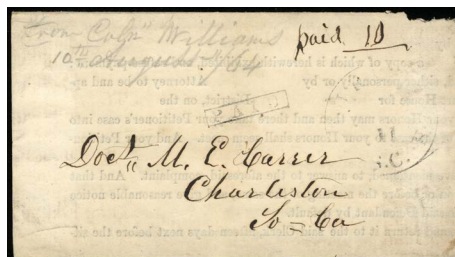
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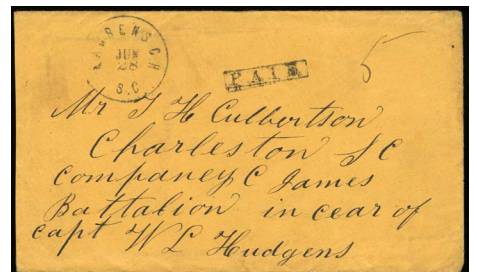
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- 2343 ☒ **Laurens C.H., S.C., Jun 25**, 25mm cds ties near four margin **10¢ Rose** (5, faults), on **adversity cover** (made from printed court document), addressed to "Capt C.D. Barksdale, 1st Reg S.C.V, Col. Hamilton, Genl J.R. Andersons Brigade near Richmond, Va", cover with discoloration at bottom, **F.-V.F.**, scarce cover, Scott Cat. \$2,000.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2344 ☒ **Laurens C.H., S.C.**, cds on **five covers**; 33mm cds on **three covers** with rates "Paid" and "5" handstamps, boxed "Paid" and "5" handstamps, and boxed "Paid" and "X" handstamps, 26mm cds with boxed "Paid" and "5" handstamps, and boxed "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "10" rating; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2345 ☒ **Laurensville, S.C. "Wallpaper" Cover**, spectacular Wallpaper Cover with **olive-yellow & gray floral design on outside of cover**, franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue manuscript canceled without a town (addressed to Laurensville), choice, **Very Fine and attractive**, *ex-Myerson*.
Estimate \$500 - 750

on inside flap is pencil note by Van Dyke MacBride, "Only example of Wallpaper cover made and used with design on the outside I have ever seen."
- 2346 ☒ **Lawtonville, S.C.**, cover and folded letter, each with manuscript town and rate (one "5" and dated 8/5/61, other "10" and dated 8/1/63), cover with light pencil notations, **Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2347 ☒ **Leavenworth, S.C., Oct. 10**, 25 mm cds and matching boxed "Paid" and large numeral "10" on **turned cover** to Lynchburg, S.C., turned and probably hand carried to Darlington C.H. S.C. (no evidence of re-entering the mail), flap repaired & silked on inside, **otherwise Very Fine**, *ex-Kohn*.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2348 ☒ **Leesville, S.C. Dec 31**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10" rate on homemade cover sent to "Cear (sic) Capt House 4th Regt Fla V(ols), Murfreesboro, Tennessee", **Very Fine**, *ex-Wm. Fox*.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2349 ☒ **Level Land, S.C., July 25**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 5" on cover to Williamston, S.C., **Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2350 ☒ **Lewisville, S.C. June 4th**, manuscript postmark on **Wallpaper Cover** to Well Ridge P.O., S.C., franked with manuscript canceled 1862 5¢ blue (4), irreg. margin at right, **Very Fine, a lovely example and a scarce town (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**.
Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2351 ☒ **Lexington (C.H.) S.C., two covers** with Lexington, S.C. cds, one with manuscript date to a military address and large "Paid" with manuscript "5", other a folded letter with date slug & manuscript date & straight line "Paid" handstamp to Ridge, S.C., **F.-V.F.**, cover is *ex-Kohn*.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2352 ☒ **Lexington, S.C.**, cds with manuscript date "Apr. 6" ties 1863-64 10¢ blue on small 1864 cover to Richmond, Va., Addressed to "Mr. A. J. Boatwright, Company K, 13th Regt S C V, McGowan's Brigade", enclosure is an "April Fool" letter on embossed paper to a "Southern Soldier", minor toning, **Very Fine and attractive**.
Estimate \$300 - 400

Azariah J. Boatwright was a Private in Company K, 13th Reg't S.C.V. He enlisted on Sept. 3, 1861 in Lexington, S.C. for the duration of the war. He was wounded at Gettysburg and captured on July 5th 1863. On July 17th 1863 he was sent to DeCamp Gen'l Hospital, on David's Island in New York Harbor. He was paroled and exchanged on Aug. 31, 1863. He was again captured on March 31, 1865 at Hatcher's Run, held at Point Lookout, VA and then released on June 24, 1865.
- 2353 ☒ **Liberty Hill, S.C., three different covers**, all with dateless postmark, included is stampless with 31mm brown cds and matching "Paid 5" in circle to Cokesbury, S.C.; stampless to Charleston, S.C. with "Paid 10" in double circle; and last is cover franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (12) tied by circular postmark to Newton, Ga., small cover flaws, **F.-V.F.** (Stets & Teal Rarity 6/7), *ex-Cantey, Kohn, Oswald*.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2354 ☒ **Lotts, S.C. 26 July**, manuscript postmark and "Paid 10" rate on 1861 legal size court cover to Troup Co., Ga., with additional "John Lott P.M." postmaster signature, 1862 opening docketing on reverse, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Malpass & Cantey*.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2355 ☒ **Manchester, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **five covers**; one with matching "Paid 5" (folded letter with slave content), a 1863 folded letter with "Paid 10" (letter regarding money for New Orleans Refugees), 1861 postmark with "Due 5" rating (slight soiling and missing backflap), fresh cover to Charleston, S.C. franked with pen canceled **1863, 10¢ milky blue** (11a), a similar franking on reverse of **turned cover** with initial usage a **1861, 10¢ blue** (2, portions torn off), also includes incoming folded letter franked with large margin **1863, 10¢ milky blue** (12a) tied by blue Columbia, S.C. cds, with interesting letter, **F.-V.F. or better**.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2356 ☒ **Manning, S.C. Jan 27**, 26mm cds with matching bold large size "Paid 10" straight line handstamp on cover to Killiansville, N.C., **Very Fine and attractive**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2357 ☒ **Manning, S.C., Aug 30**, cds with manuscript "Pd 5¢" rate on cover to Gen. P.H. Nelson in Statesburg, S.C., **Very Fine**, *ex-Kohn*.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2358 ☒ **Manning, S.C.**, 26mm cds on **four covers**; one to Gen. P.H. Nelson in Statesburg, S.C. with no rate (corner tear), two with manuscript "Pd 5" with one to William Ellison in Statesburg, S.C. (Ellison was a free black man who owned 63 slaves), other with corner repair, and another to Gov. Manning in Charleston with manuscript Paid 5¢ rating, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2359 ☒ **Marietta, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on folded letter to Pickens C.H., S.C., franked on reverse with manuscript canceled **1862, 5¢ blue, horizontal pair** (7), pair torn when opened and cover with magenta stain, also a incoming cover (private or military carried) with "Head Quarters Chief Enroll. Office, 5th Congressional Dist. of S.C., Official Business" imprint (C.S.A. unlisted), **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$100 - 150



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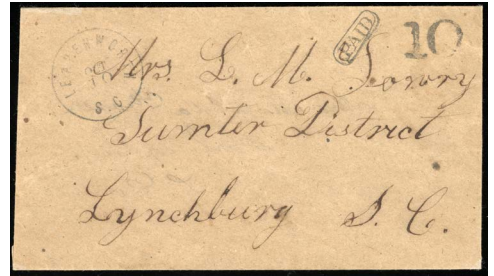
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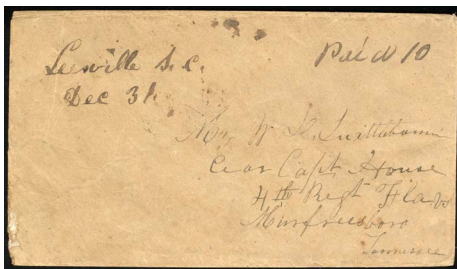
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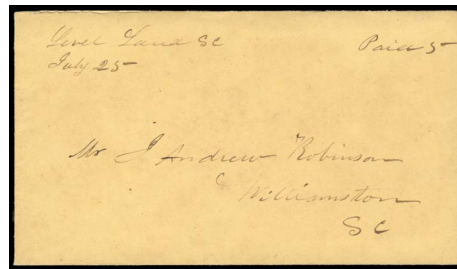
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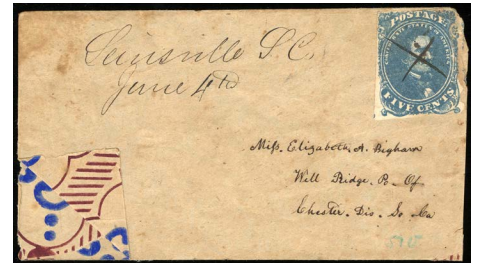
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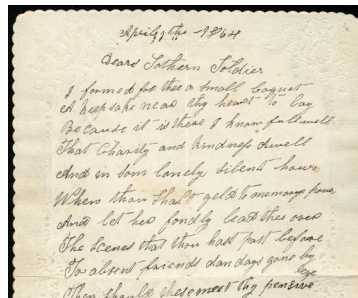
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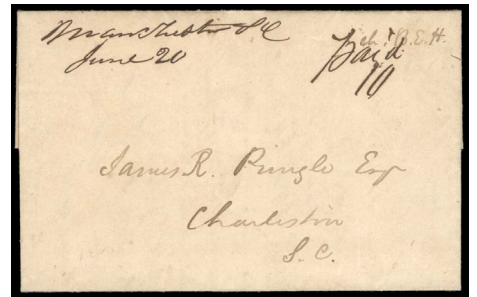
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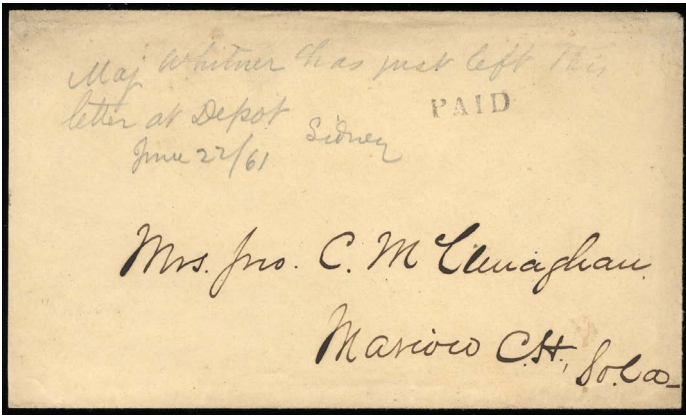
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2360 ☒ **(Marion C.H. S.C.), 2¢ drop rate** cover with bold “Paid” straight line handstamp, pencil docketing “Maj. Whitener has just left this letter at depot June 22/61...Sydney”, **Very Fine, scarce drop rate, ex-Kohn, Littlejohn.**
Estimate \$200 - 300

2361 ☒ **Marion C.H., S.C., 32mm cds on three covers;** one to military address in Richmond, Va. with blue cds and matching “Paid” and “5” rate handstamps, another with similar markings in black, and cds tying **1863, 10¢ milky blue, top margin single (11a)** on cover to Georgetown, S.C., **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300

2362 ☒ **Mars Bluff, S.C. Dec. 3,** 29mm cds ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (12) on homemade cover to Thomasville, N.C., small edge stain at left, scarce 29mm cds only seen in 1863, usually it is a 36mm “Balloon” cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate \$100 - 150

2363 ☒ **Martins Creek, S.C.,** blue address on incoming cover with manuscript “Paid 5” in same hand, entered the mails with “Charleston, S.C., Oct 14, 1861” cds and matching “Paid 5” in circle handstamp, docketing seems to indicate this cover originated at Sullivan’s Island and received on May 27th, 1862; cover tear at right, **otherwise Very Fine,** and quite unusual.
Estimate \$100 - 150

2364 ☒ **Martin’s Depot, S.C.,** manuscript postmark on **two homemade covers;** one with manuscript “Paid 5” (missing bottom right corner and clip rust stain), other with manuscript “Paid 10”, **F.-V.F.,** very rare.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2365 ☒ **Mayesville, S.C. May 21,** manuscript postmark with “5” rate on **small ladies Turned Cover** to Darlington CH, S.C., 2nd usage (inside) with franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (11) tied by black Darlington CH, S.C. cds and addressed to a “Sgt. C. Bascot Law, Ingles Light Artillery, Georgetown S.C.”, small corner wear, **otherwise Very Fine.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

2366 ☒ **Mayesville, S.C. Jul 14,** manuscript postmark with “Paid 10” rate on small mourning cover to Chester S.C., minor soiling, **Very Fine and attractive.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

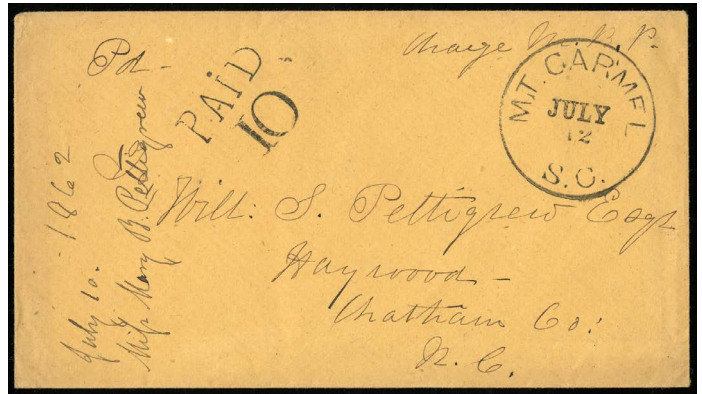
2367 ☒ **McConnellsville (S.C.) Feb. 14,** blue manuscript postmark and manuscript “Paid 5” rate on cover to Mt. Tabor, S.C., with original 1862 enclosure; couple small stains, **otherwise Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), ex-Cantey.**
Estimate \$100 - 150

2368 ☒ **Midway, S.C.,** manuscript postmark on **two covers;** one with manuscript “Paid 5, J.L. Sease P.M.” rate and postmaster endorsement, addressed to Dr. F. Peyre Porcher and docketed “From Mr. Simms re Medical Plants of C. States” (missing backflap and small cover tears), and folded letter sheet with “Paid 10” rate, **F.-V.F. or better;** the former with 1998 C.S.A. certificate.
Estimate \$150 - 200

A notation in the C.S.A. catalog notes the former unique postmaster endorsed cover. It states the postmaster signature may have been intended as a control on a postmaster’s provisional, however there is insufficient information to support this conclusion.

2369 ☒ **Millville, S.C.,** addressing on incoming **turned cover** franked with **1863, 10¢ blue (11)** tied by A.N.V. target cancel, inside with manuscript “Millville S.C., Nov 23d, 64” postmark and addressed to Clinton, S.C.; cover staining, missing backflap and inside usage with stamp removed, **Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 8).**
Estimate \$150 - 200

2370 ☒ **Monticello, S.C.,** manuscript postmark on **three covers** from correspondence to Greenville, S.C.; one with “April 30, 1861” dated postmark and “Paid 3” during U.S. rate period, others with “Paid 5” and “Paid 10” rates, **Very Fine, all ex-Cantey.**
Estimate \$200 - 300



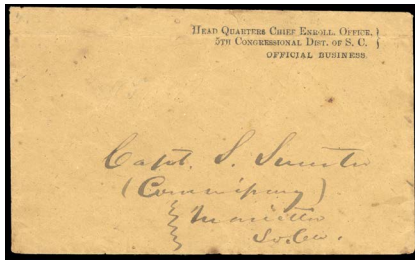
2371 ☒ **Mt. Carmel, S.C., July 12 (1862),** bold cds with matching crisp strike of handstamped “Paid 10” (type A) on neat orange cover from the Pettigrew correspondence to Haywood, N.C., **a Superb cover with perfect strikes, ex-Myerson, Simon & Warren.**
Estimate \$500 - 750

THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED STAMPLESS USE FROM MOUNT CARMEL WITH A POSTMARK.

2372 ☒ **Mt. Carmel S.C. May 20,** 33mm cds ties pair of 1862 5¢ blue (6, four margins) on **Turned Cover** to Summerville, N.C., previous usage (inside) with 1862 5¢ (6) vertical pair tied with blue “Hillsboro, N.C. Mar 8” cds to Mount Carmel, some light staining, **Very Fine, quite attractive (Stets & Teal Rarity 6).**
Estimate \$200 - 300

2373 ☒ **Mush Creek, S.C.,** manuscript postmark on two covers; one dated “Nov 13, 1861” with “Paid 5” rating (few cover tears and light soiling), other dated “Jan 9, 1864” with “Due 10” rating on soldier’s endorsed cover from Hampton’s Legion, **F.-V.F. (Stets & Teal Rarity 7).**
Estimate \$200 - 300

2374 ☒ **(New Centre P.O., S.C.),** addressing on **three incoming soldier endorsed covers** from Pursley correspondence; one with Charleston, S.C. cds and large “10” rate handstamp, another with red “10” in circle handstamp (probably from Danville, Va.) and one with “10” rate handstamp from Chatanooga, Tenn.; some tone spots, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$100 - 150



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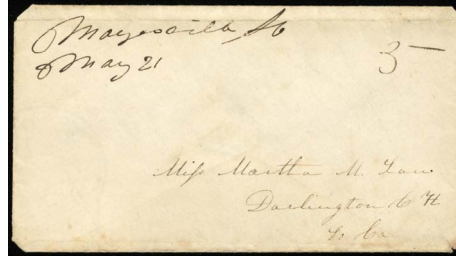
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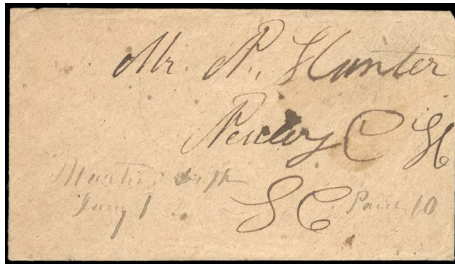
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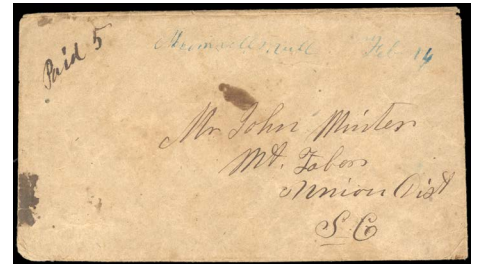
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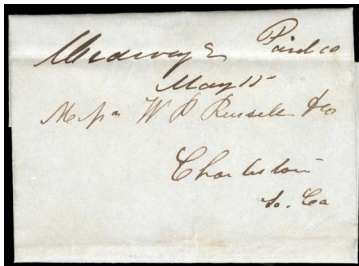
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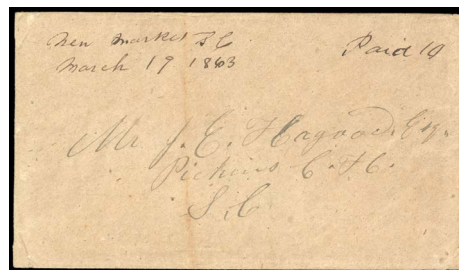
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- 2375 ☒ **New Market Depot, S.C., "P.&C.R.R."** address on incoming cover franked with **1862, 5¢ light blue, vertical pair (6)** tied by "Richmond, Va., Aug 29, 1862" cds, with manuscript "P.M. will please forward to Millway by the Millway carrier In haste"; cover staining, right edge repair, missing two flaps and small stamp flaw, **Fine appearance, ex-Kohn.**
 Estimate \$200 - 300

The "Millway Carrier" notation has always been somewhat of a mystery. Pre-war and CSA covers are both known with the "Millway Carrier" notation. "Millway" was also the name of a plantation in that area. The late Dick Krieger wrote a two-part article on the "Millway Carrier" notation which appeared in the May-June and July-August 1988 issues of the Confederate Philatelist. In his article, he outlines the very confusing mail routes in the Millway region of the Abbeville District and points out that the "Millway" notation is seen only on covers addressed to New Market, SC. New Market was a depot on the Greenville and Columbia Railroad some 15-20 miles distant from Millway. Neither New Market nor Millway appear on a current map of South Carolina. He further concluded that the notation was a routing instruction applied by the sender to make certain that the letters were carried on to Millway by the official government mail routes, thus this was not a private carrier service. There has been some speculation among SC Postal Historians that a slave from the plantation may have been used at least part of the time to bring the mail from New Market to Millway, but this remains as speculation and has not been proven.

- 2376 ☒ **New Market, S.C. March 19, 1863,** manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10" rate on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C., with original enclosure, **Very Fine** (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), *ex-Cantey.*
 Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2377 ☒ **Newberry C.H., S.C., Jun. 7 (1861),** red cds on on patriotic cover with red, white and blue **7-Star Patriotic Flag design** (Type F7-18), addressed to Scuffletown, S.C., included is original enclosure which mentions *volunteers going by train to Virginia and there is nothing but talk of war*, minor cover stain, **Very Fine and attractive.**
 Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2378 ☒ **Newberry C.H., S.C. Sept 26, 1862,** 26mm double circle postmark ties four margin **1861-62 10¢ blue (2)** on cover to Willow Swamp, S.C., **Extremely Fine, choice stamp and cover.**
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2379 ☒ **Newberry C.H., S.C., 26mm cds on eight covers;** one in red with matching "Paid" straight line and "5" in circle handstamps, and in black, one with "Paid" and crude woodcut "10" rate handstamps, three with "Paid" and manuscript "10" rate, another with "Paid" and "X" rate, and cds tying **1863, 10¢ blue (11)** on cover to Americus, Ga. with manuscript "Through" endorsement (cover opening tear), and a **30mm cds in red** with "Paid" and X rate, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$400 - 600



- 2380 ☒ **Nine(ty) 6 (South Carolina) Jun 17,** manuscript with "5" (Paid) rate alongside on **11 Star Flag Patriotic** (Dietz Type F11-8) with center star for Tennessee design on cover to Mississippi, **Very Fine and a scarce design, ex-Cantey.**
 Estimate \$500 - 750

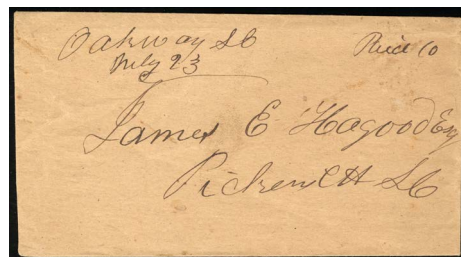
- 2381 ☒ **Ninety Six, S.C., 32mm cds on two covers;** one in **green** with matching "Paid 5" handstamp on cover to Chappells, S.C. (opening edge tear at top and backflap replaced), another in black tying large margin **1863, 10¢ blue (11)** on 1864 cover to Greenville, with enclosure, also includes manuscript "96 S.C., Dec 15" postmark on cover to Greenwood with manuscript "Paid 10" rate, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$200 - 300



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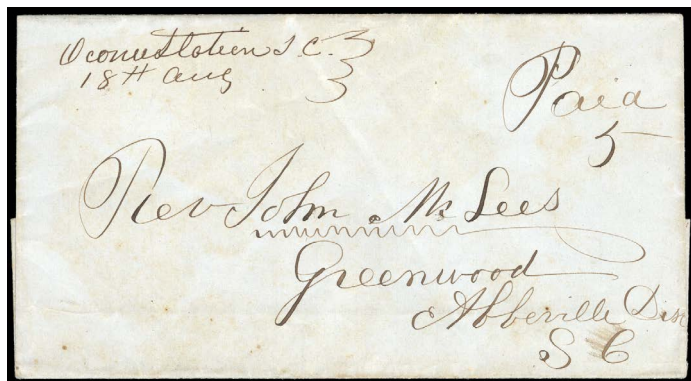


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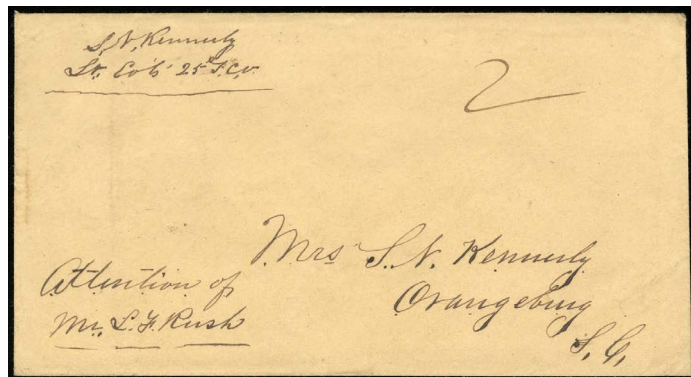
- 2382 ☒ **Oakway, S.C., two covers with manuscript postmark, one in black and one in blue, both addressed to Pickens C.H., S.C., one with manuscript "5" rate & other with manuscript "10" rate, cover with blue manuscript postmark with small tape stain, F-V.F., a rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 8), ex-Cantey.**
 Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2383 ☒ **Oconee Station, S.C. 18th Aug., manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 5" rate on folded letter sheet to Greenwood, S.C., Very Fine, a very rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 9).**
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2384 ☒ **Orangeburg C.H., S.C., incoming cover carried out of the mails with red crayon "2" due rating for the drop rate, with original enclosure datelined "Fort Sumter, January 29, 1864", Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$150 - 209

Original contents of letter notes, "... you have no idea how much pleasure it affords me to get a letter from you while I am so closely confined here... The Yankees have been shelling us ever since yesterday morning. They fired on the fort all night and are still doing it now about 11 o'clock in the morning... I know I must have some creepers for every person is complaining of them, but I have not seen any of them yet, but I imagine I can feel them crawling on me sometimes on my body... Darling, I am badly situated for writing a letter... Working on the fort is still going on. They do not stop on account of the shelling. We have about one hundred negroes at work." It is easy to feel his discomfort as Fort Sumter was under direct siege since mid-1863 until its evacuation the night of March 17-18, 1865.



- 2385 ☒ **(Orangeburg, S.C.), on drop rate cover with manuscript "2", endorsed at top left "Lt Co. S.N. Kennerly, 25th S.C.V" and addressed to his wife in Orangeburg, additional manuscript notation "Attention of Mr. L.T. Rush", Very Fine and scarce, ex-Kimbrough.**
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2386 ☒ **Orangeburgh, S.C., light strike of double circle postmark with matching "Paid" straight line and pencil "5" rate on handmade mourning cover to Anderson C.H., S.C., Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2387 ☒ **Orangeburgh, S.C. Nov 3, 30mm cds ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (11) on Colorful Wallpaper Cover addressed to W.W. Cullen, Charleston, S.C., missing bottom flap & some light tape staining from mended tears, Fine and attractive, ex-Matz.**
 Estimate \$200 - 300

W.W. Cullen enlisted as a private on 3/12/64 at James Island (Charleston, S.C.). He was part of the surrender on Gen. Johnston's army to Gen. Sherman and paroled at Greensboro, N.C. on 5/1/65.



2388 ☒ **Packville, S.C. June 9**, manuscript postmark with “10” rate on **wallpaper cover** to Sumpter, S.C., some wear & missing bottom flap, **F.-V.F.**, a scarce town (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), *ex-Cantey*. Estimate \$200 - 300

Pendleton, S.C.

2389 ☒ **Pendleton, S.C. Jan 20**, 26mm blue cds with matching arc “Paid 5” handstamp on **Adversity Cover** (made from lined composition paper) to Anderson, S.C., manuscript docketing “From Mrs. L.A. M. Van Wick. attended to” at lower left, **Very Fine**, *ex-Boshwit, signed P. Kaufmann, Kimbrough*. Estimate \$150 - 200

The Van Wick family owned Montpelier Plantation in Pendleton. Lydia’s son Samuel was a Regimental Surgeon to General Bedford Forest, He was murdered in an ambush while riding alongside Gen. Forest.

2390 ☒ **Pendleton, S.C. Nov 7**, blue 26mm cds with matching “Paid 5” in arc (Dietz type II) rate on **forwarded cover**, addressed to “Sergt. John Calhoun, Care of Capt. Taylor, Cougars Troop, Hamptons Legion, Manassas Junction”, forwarded to Columbia, S.C. with manuscript “Lt. W.H. Taylor, Hamptons Legion” endorsement and rerated with manuscript “10”, slightly reduced at top, **Very Fine**, *ex-Cantey, signed B. Green*. Estimate \$150 - 200

John C. Calhoun enlisted in Columbia, S.C. on 7/15/61 for 12 months and promoted to Sergeant on 8/10/61 and being discharged on 10/28/61.

2391 ☒ **(Pendleton, S.C.)**, blue “Paid” straight line handstamp (Dietz type I) with manuscript “2” rate on **small drop rate cover** addressed to Lt. Ben F. Sloan, reduced at right, **Very Fine and attractive**, *ex-Frajola, Zimmerman and Cantey*. Estimate \$200 - 300

Lt. Sloan mustered in July 1861 for three years, serving under A.P. Hill’s and Wilcox’s divisions and with Stonewall Jackson and the 3rd Corp ANV.

2392 ☒ **Pendleton, S.C., 26mm cds in blue on two covers**; one to Orr’s Rifle Regiment on Sullivan’s Islands with matching “Paid 5” handstamp (reduced at left), another to Aiken, S.C. with straight line “Paid” handstamp and manuscript “10” rate, also **30mm cds** on two covers; one in blue with manuscript “10” rate (some toning) and other in black with “Paid 10” rate handstamp, **F.-V.F.** Estimate \$300 - 400



2393 ☒ **Pendleton, S.C. May 14**, 26mm blue cds on cover addressed to “Louisa Gibbs, Care of Prof. L.R. Gibbs, Charleston”, franked with 1861 5¢ green (1) tied by manuscript cancel, **cover forwarded** to Flat Rock, N.C. with “Charleston, S.C. May 15” cds with red crayon “Paid” with large black “5” handstamp paying the forwarding postage, manuscript docketing dates cover to May 19, 1862, slightly reduced at top & without backflap, **still Very Fine**, *ex-Kohn & Karrer*. Estimate \$200 - 300

The Gibbs family were prominent plantation owners in S.C., Professor Gibbs (Charleston College) was singled out by Gen. Beauregard in his official report for his valuable service in operation the Drummond Lights on Sullivan and Morris Islands during the attack on Fort Sumpter.

2394 ☒ **Pendleton, S.C.**, partial 30mm **violet cds** ties vertical pair 1862 5¢ blue (7, light crease) on small ladies mourning cover to Anderson C.H., S.C., **Very Fine, a very rare color cancel**. Estimate \$200 - 300

2395 ☒ **Phoenix, S.C. May 27 (1862)**, manuscript postmark with both manuscript “Paid 5” & handstamped “Due 10” in arc on cover to “W.G. Desaussure, Ag & Inspect Genl Office, Columbia, S.C.”, light horizontal file fold across center (Stets & Teal Scarcity 6), **Very Fine**, *ex-Wm. Fox*. Estimate \$100 - 150

2396 ☒ **Pickensville, S.C. June 3, ‘61**, manuscript postmark with “pd 5” rate on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C., with original enclosure, **Very Fine** (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), *ex-Cantey*. Estimate \$150 - 200

2397 ☒ **Pickensville, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **two covers** from correspondence to Pickens C.H.; one on 1861 folded letter with manuscript “Pd 5” rate, other with “Paid 10” rate (wear and soiling), also another from correspondence franked with manuscript canceled **1863, 10¢ blue** (11) with no postmark (with enclosure. . . “Direct your letter to Pickensville”), and an incoming cover “via Greenville C.H., S.C.” franked with **1861, 5¢ green, two singles** (1, distinctively different shades) tied by indistinct cds (edge wear), **F.-V.F.** (Stets & Teal Rarity 7). Estimate \$300 - 400

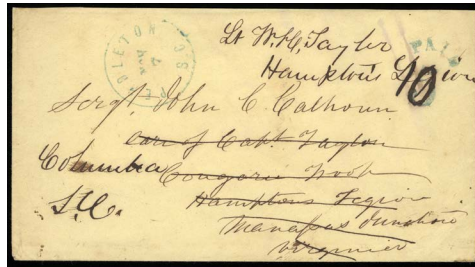
2398 ☒ **Pineville, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **three covers**; includes matching “Paid” with no rate, “Paid 5” and “Paid 10” ratings; some flaws, **F.-V.F.** Estimate \$150 - 200

2399 ☒ **Pineville, S.C. 30th July**, manuscript postmark ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (12, large even margins) on **Adversity Cover** (made from political election document) to Camden, S.C., **Very Fine, extremely attractive and impressive adversity cover**. Estimate \$200 - 300

2400 ☒ **Pleasant Mound, S.C. Feby 28**, manuscript town with matching “Paid 5” rate on cover to Cartersville Ga., **Very Fine, a rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**, *ex-Cantey*. Estimate \$200 - 300



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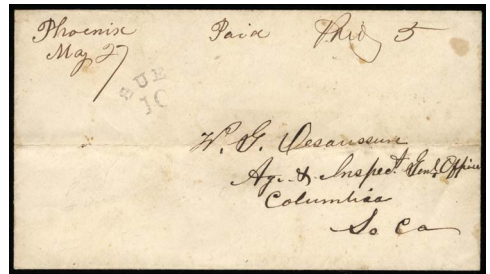
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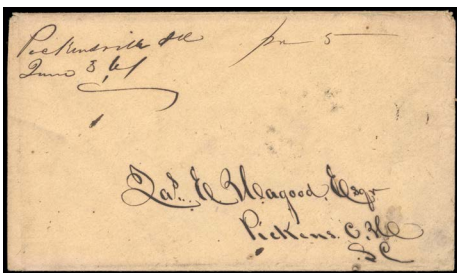
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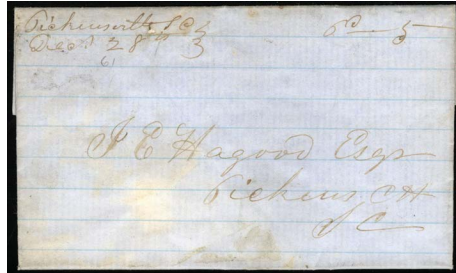
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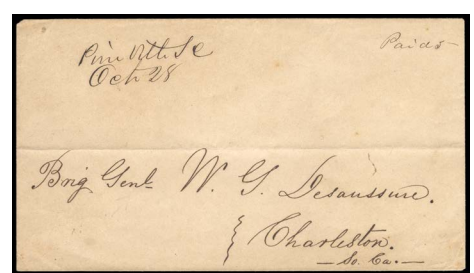
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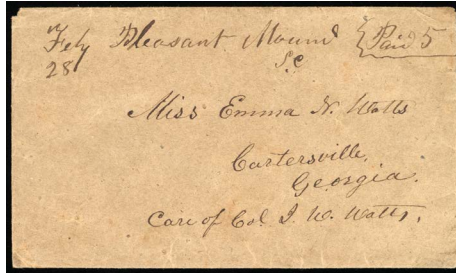
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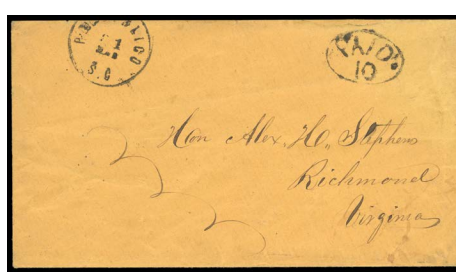
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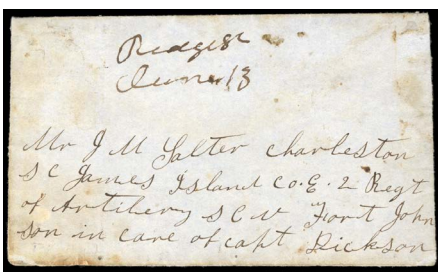
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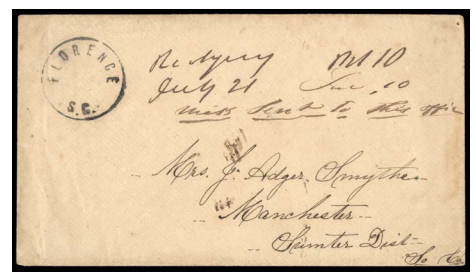
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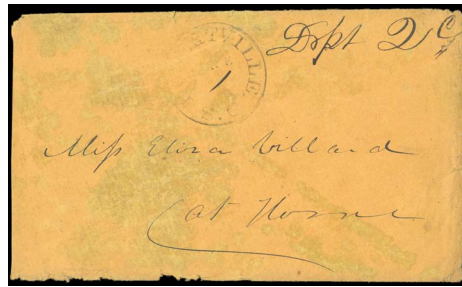
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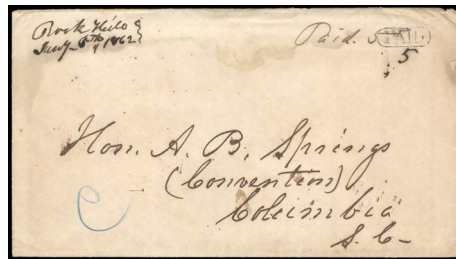
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- 2401 ☒ **Plowden's Mills, S.C. Oct. 14th**, manuscript postmark with matching "Paid 10" on homemade cover to Sumpter, S.C., **F.-V.F.**, a rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 7), *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2402 ☒ **Pocotaligo, S.C. May 23**, cds with matching "Due 10" in oval on **Captured Union Patriotic cover** ("The Constitution must be Preserved") with large manuscript "X" defacing design, addressed to Camden, S.C., manuscript endorsement "Soldiers Letter, H.D.E.B.V.A." at top, light edge wear and mended backflap, **F.-V.F.**, extremely scarce captured Union Patriotic, *ex-Dietz & Cantey*.
Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2403 ☒ **Pocotaligo, S.C. Sep. 5 (1863)**, cds with "Due 10" in oval (Dietz Type II) on soldier's cover to James Hemphill Esq., Chester, S.C., endorsed "David Hemphill, Private Beaufort Artillery", struck with additional red Chester C.H. receiving mark "Due 10", flap torn, **Very Fine**, *ex-Kimbrough*.
Estimate \$100 - 150

David Hemphill enlisted in Company A of the Beaufort Artillery on May 30, 1863 as a Corporal. He served for the rest of the war.

- 2404 ☒ **Pocotaligo, S.C. (Balance)**, 25mm cds on **eleven covers**; rates include boxed "Paid" handstamp with no rate, boxed "Paid" handstamp with manuscript "10" rate, "Paid 5" in circle handstamp, oval "Paid 10" handstamp, oval "Paid 20" handstamp, oval "10" due handstamp, soldier's due with "5" handstamp and "5" in circle handstamp, three with cds tying 1861, 10¢ blue (2), 1863, 10¢ blue (11) and another with sheet margin stamp; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**.
Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2405 ☒ **Pomaria, S.C. March 30**, manuscript town cancel on small cover to Bivingsville S.C., franked with left sheet margin pair of 1862 5¢ blue (7) with manuscript cancel, scarce town, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2406 ☒ **Poolsville P.O., S.C. June 25 (1862)**, manuscript postmark and matching "Paid 5" on small cover to Citadel Academy, Charleston S.C., toned at left & missing most backflap, **F.-V.F.**, extremely rare small town (Stets & Teal Rarity 9).
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2407 ☒ **Ridge, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on two covers; one with manuscript "Paid 10" on cover to military address in Manassas Junction, and on turned cover to military address on James Island (stamp missing), with inside franked with 1863, 10¢ blue (12) tied by Charleston, S.C. cds; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2408 ☒ **Ridgeway, S.C. July 21**, manuscript postmark with "Pd 10" rate on cover to Manchester S.C., additional manuscript "Miss sent to this office", struck with 25mm "Florence, S.C." dateless postmark and manuscript "Due 10", **Very Fine and a nice usage**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2409 ☒ **Ridgeway, S.C.**, 33m cds on **two covers**; one with "Paid" and fancy "5" handstamps, other with manuscript "Pd 5" rating, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2410 ☒ **Robertville, S.C. June 1**, 29mm cds and manuscript "Drpt 2¢" rate on cover to "Miss Eliza Villard, at home", small edge flaws and light bleaching, slightly reduced at left, **F.-V.F.**.
Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2411 ☒ **Robertville, S.C. Mar. 27 (1862)**, 29mm cds with matching boxed “5” and straight line “Paid” handstamps on folded letter to Charleston with contents, two vert. file folds, **Very Fine**, *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

Contents is a sworn statement of property loss (details of 87 slaves, cost & age) belonging to J. Hazel when Federal troops occupied Lady’s Island on Nov. 7, 1861, “is a just and true return of property left by him in the hands of the enemy on the 7th November 1861”

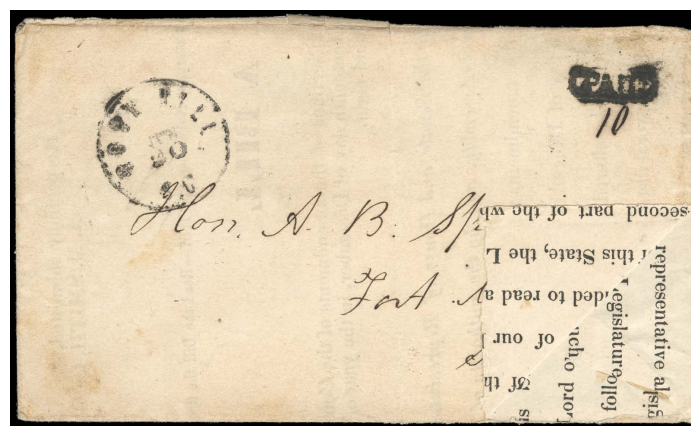
During the American Civil War, Union forces occupied the islands under the direction of General T. W. Sherman. All of the plantations gave way to military occupation. The major post on Lady’s Island was “Coosaw” or “Sams” fort on the northeastern point of the Island. At this time there were about 30 plantations on the Lady’s Island.

- 2412 ☒ **Robertville, S.C. April 25 (1863)**, 29mm cds with matching boxed “10” on small cover to Savannah, Ga., red crayon “Due” and Savannah faded red “10” rate handstamp, included is 1863 original enclosure, slightly rough opening at left, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2413 ☒ **Robertville, S.C.**, cds on **four covers**; 29mm cds with rates include “Paid” and “10” handstamps, “Paid” handstamp and manuscript “5”, and “Paid” handstamp with manuscript “10” rate, and a 34mm cds tying 1862, 5¢ light blue, horizontal pair (6) on cover to Charleston; some small flaws, **F.-V.F.**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2414 ☒ **Rock Hill, S.C., Jan 5th 1862**, manuscript postmark with “Paid 5” and additional boxed “Paid” and manuscript “5” on cover to A.B. Springs (Convention) Columbia S.C., manuscript blue pencil “C” (common on the Springs correspondence), extremely important and lengthy letter from A. Whyte with important local insight, cover with some slight wear at right, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

Excerpts from letter “In Steele Creek it was currently rumored that William and two Walkers (?) had volunteered with some others to attack one of the blockading vessels off the mouth of the James River. This was so evidently a scheme of folly and certain defeat that I Knew no discreet commandant would permit such and expedition. I suppose there was some such ill advised scheme and fool hardy adventure on the topic, but it was abandoned...Today Capt Jones Co. met upon the question of going into the Confederate service.... divided Forty-six preferred Confederate service on account of receiving superior Arms and outfit and probably with a view to join Logan Blacks Regiment... Governors prohibition of exports of wheat, flour and corn expires at this time by the constitution....etc.



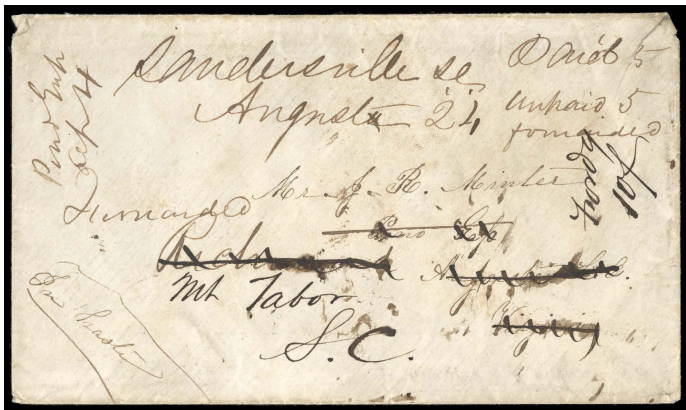
- 2415 ☒ **Rock Hill S.C., Jun 20**, 25mm cds with matching boxed “Paid” straight line & manuscript “10” on adversivity cover (printed legal form) to Fort Mills S.C., partial backflap, with letter datelined “Rock Hill S.C. June 20 1864”, **Very Fine**, *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2416 ☒ **Rock Hill, S.C., Jan 1**, cds with matching boxed “Paid” handstamp and manuscript “5” rate, on cover to Columbia, S.C., red crayon “C” routing endorsement, **F.-V.F.**, red and blue pencil “C”, a routing notation, are only found on covers to Columbia, *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2417 ☒ **Rock Hill, S.C.**, 25mm cds on **three covers**; rates with boxed "Paid" handstamp without rate, boxed "Paid" and manuscript "10" rate (with additional manuscript postmark), and cds tying 1863, 10¢ blue (12) on cover to Montgomery, Ala.; some flaws, **Fine**; the latter with 2000 C.S.A. certificate.
Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2418 ☒ **(Rock Mill, S.C.)**, incoming cover to Rock Mills franked with 1862 5¢ Blue Pair (7, four margins) tied by "**Bristol, V. & T. RR**" (Virginia & Tennessee Rail Road) 30mm cds, small cover edge tear at left, **F.-V.F.**, signed Kimbrough.
Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2419 ☒ **Sandersville, S.C. Aug. 24 (1861)**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 5" on **twice forwarded cover** to Pond Gap, cover forwarded to Richmond with manuscript "Pond Gap" postmark & "Unpaid 5 forwarded", cover then forwarded to Mt. Tabor, S.C. with manuscript "Fordg 10¢", **Very Fine, very busy forwarded cover (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**, *ex-Kohn, Powell & Cantey*.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2420 ☒ **Sandover, S.C. Aug. 22**, manuscript postmark and "Pd 10" on cover to Wilmington, S.C., **Very Fine, a rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2421 ☒ **Sandover, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **two covers**; one a **turned cover** with no rate, initial usage to Sandover with "Georgetown, S.C., Sep 14, 1861" cds and "Paid 5" in circle handstamp, other with manuscript "Pd 5" rating; some cover flaws, **Fine**, a rare town (**Stets & Teal Rarity 8**), *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2422 ☒ **Sandy Flat, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **two 1864 covers**; both with matching "Paid" with no rate, one to Columbia with blue "C" in pencil, **Very Fine**, a rare town (**Stets & Teal Rarity 8**).
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2423 ☒ **Sandy Grove, S.C., 16 Mar.**, manuscript postmark with matching "Free" on folded letter to Olive, N.C., letter datelined "1861", with transcribed letter, **Very Fine, a rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

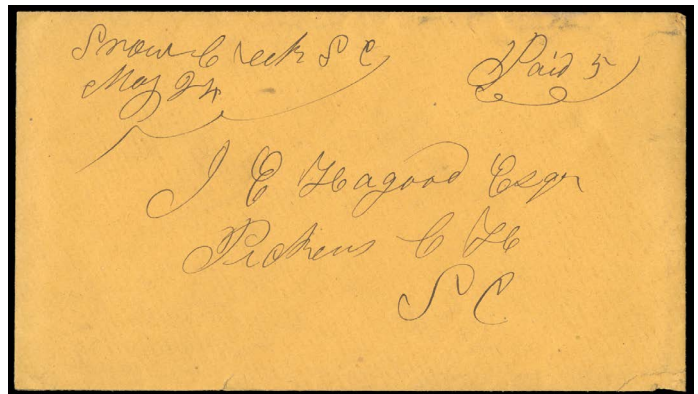
- 2424 ☒ **Sandy Run, S.C. May 30**, 30mm cds with matching "Paid" straight line and "10" in circle on **turned cover** to Mount Pleasant, N.C., turned and sent to "Sgt D.S. Hutchinson, Comm. Detail Co C 1st N.C. Cav. Charlotte, N.C." with franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (12, four margins) tied by Mount Pleasant, N.C. cds, some light water staining, **still Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**, *ex-Kohn, Cantey*.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2425 ☒ **Santuc, S.C., two covers**, each with manuscript town postmark, one with "Paid 5" other with "Paid 10", both manuscript rates, minor cover flaws, **still Fine to Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2426 ☒ **Selkirk, S.C. Feb. 19**, manuscript postmark on **wallpaper cover** to Lynchburg, S.C., franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (11, small flaws), manuscript canceled, overall ageing and soiling, **otherwise Fine to Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2427 ☒ **Shelton (S.C.) July 19**, manuscript postmark ties 1863-64 10¢ blue (four margins) on small cover with military address to Petersburg, Va., **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2428 ☒ **Silverton, S.C., March 18, Ford Due 10**, manuscript town postmark as forwarder on small **adversity cover** (Court House printed legal form) to Hamburg S.C., cover originating from Savannah and franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (11, defective) tied by partial Savannah, Ga. cds, cover tear at top, **F.-V.F. (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**; with 2011 C.S.A. certificate.
Estimate \$150 - 200

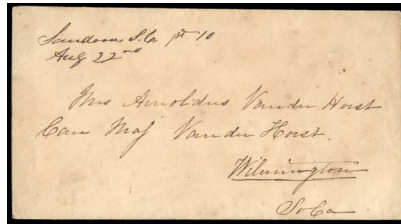


- 2429 ☒ **Snow Creek, S.C. May 24 (1862)**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 5" on cover to Pickens CH, S.C., included is original enclosure, flap torn, **Extremely Fine, a very rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 9)**, *ex-Cantey*.
Estimate \$300 - 400

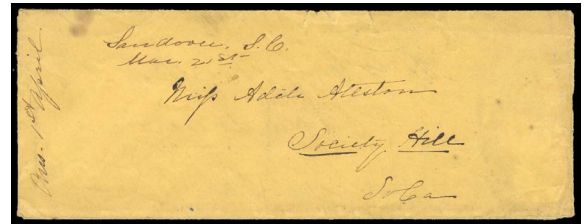
- 2430 ☒ **South Carolina Private Mail Express Service, four manuscript endorsed covers**, all franked with 1863, 10¢ blue (11 or 12); one with "**Holly Hill Package**" addressed to Georges Station S.C.R.R., one with blue Petersburg, Va. and endorsed "**Boyd's Package**, in haste", another from Hardeeville, S.C. and endorsed "**Care of Paul Allens Mail**", and another from Proctor's Creek, Va. with "**Car Rowlands Mail**"; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**, a very scarce group.
Estimate \$500 - 750



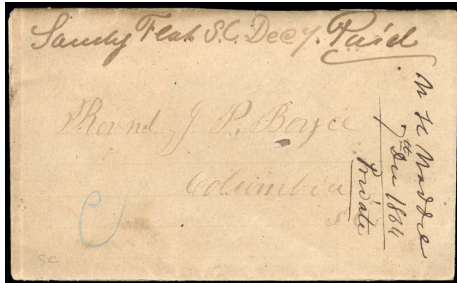
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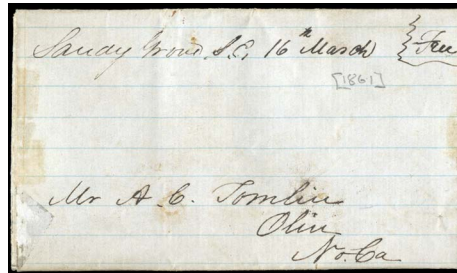
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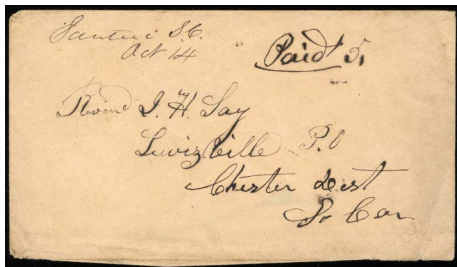
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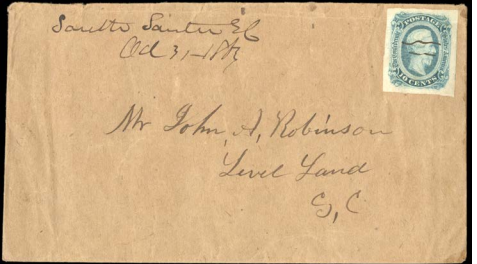
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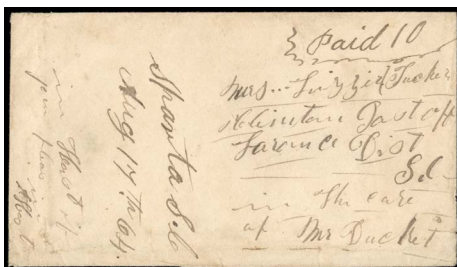
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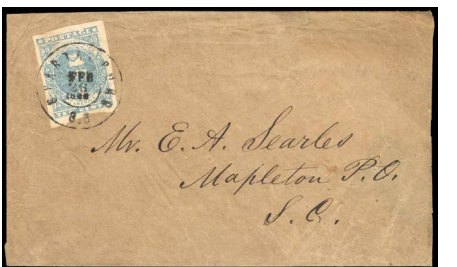
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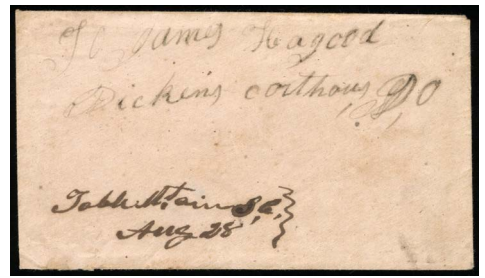
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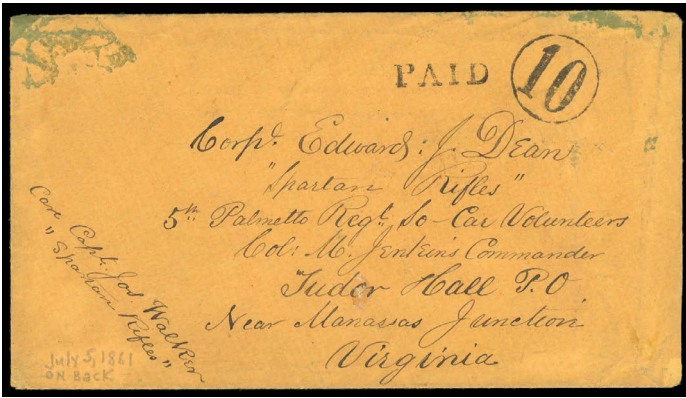
- 2431 **South Santee, S.C. Oct 31 1863**, manuscript postmark on cover to Level Land, S.C., franked with 1863-64 10¢ blue (12), immaculate large four margin single with manuscript cancel on homemade cover, **Extremely Fine, scarce town (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2432 **Sparta, S.C. Aug 17 64**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 10" rate on cover to Clinton P.O., S.C., manuscript notation "in Haste if you please.", flap torn, **Very Fine, a very rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 9)**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

Spartanburg, S.C.

- 2433 **Spartanburg C.H., S.C. Feb 26, 1862**, double circle postmark ties 1861-62 10¢ Blue (four margins, light corner crease) on cover to Mapleton, S.C., light cover wrinkling & small piece out of one sideflap, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2434 **Spartanburg C.H. S.C. Apr. 4**, circular datestamp on **turned cover** originally mailed from Spartanburg to Greenville (handstamped "Paid" on other side), carried back to Spartanburg and franked with **1863 2¢ Brown Red (8, Large margins)**, tied by Spartanburg C.H. S.C. Apr. 4 cds for the 2¢ drop rate, missing one flap & trivial cover tear, **Very Fine and choice**, a wonderful turned and drop rate usage, *ex-Hall*.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



2435 ☒ (Spartanburg, S.C.), bold "Paid" straight line and "10" in circle on 1861 cover addressed to "Corpl Edward J. Dean, Spartan Rifles, 5th Palmetto Regt. S.C. Volunteers, Col. M. Jenkins Commander, Tudor Hall P.O. near Manassas Junction, Virginia", additional endorsement "Care Capt. Jos Walker Spartan Rifles" at bottom left, interesting note on the inside flap, "I have a long letter written, but send you this instead. I think it will be 10 cts to you... Yesterday the 4th was a singularly cold gloomy day. We fear it was a day of battle, on which the sun veiled its face.", **Extremely Fine**. Estimate \$500 - 750

A large part of the Dean correspondence is franked with the famous Spartanburg Postmasters' Provisional adhesive. Is this a Postmasters' Provisional or a clerk who forgot to add the postmark?

Spartanburg, South Carolina, derives its name from the "Spartan Rifles", a militia group that served during the Revolutionary War. This name was later adopted by Confederate soldiers from Spartanburg during the Civil War.

Joseph Walker was appointed captain of the Spartan Rifles on April 13, 1861. Micah Jenkins, from Yorkville, South Carolina, was mustered into service as colonel of the 5th South Carolina Volunteer Infantry Regiment in June 1861.



2436 ☒ Spartanburg, S.C. Oct 31 1863, 26mm double circle postmark and matching arc "Paid 10" on immaculate cover to Charlotte N.C. with printed oval corner card for Commission Merchant Charleston, **Extremely Fine and attractive**, ex-Hill & Oswald. Estimate \$400 - 600

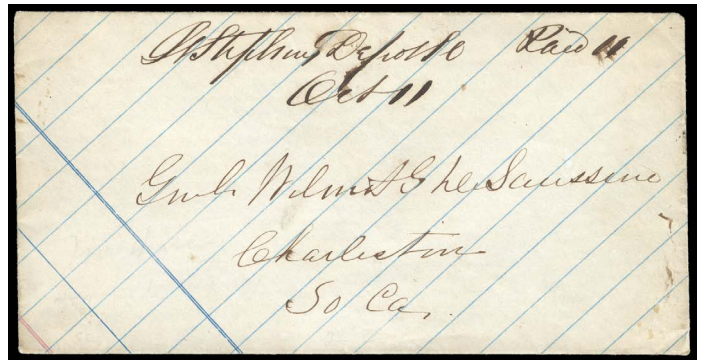


2437 ☒ Spartanburg, S.C. Mar 9, 1862, 26mm double circle with matching "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "2" on drop rate cover, **Extremely Fine**, Illustrated in 1986 Dietz Catalog. Estimate \$400 - 600

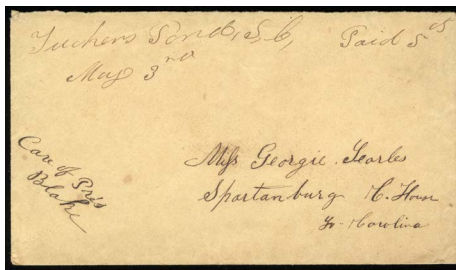
2438 ☒ Spartanburg, S.C., double line cds on two covers; one with "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "10" to Edward J. Dean in Yorktown, Va. (was part of the "Spartan Rifles"), other with "Paid" and "10" in circle handstamp on same correspondence "Spartan Rifles" soldier's endorsed cover to Tudor Hall, near Manassas Junction, Va.; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**, this correspondence is were most of the rare Spartanburg Postmaster's Provisionals come from. Estimate \$150 - 200

2439 ☒ Spartanburg, S.C., double line cds on nine covers; rates including "Paid" and "5" handstamps in two different styles (one on embossed ladies cover), "Paid" and "5" in circle handstamps, "Paid" and "10" handstamps, "Paid" and "10" in circle handstamps, manuscript "Paid 10", soldier's letter with manuscript "due 10", and a 1861, 5¢ green (1) canceled by grid; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**. Estimate \$300 - 400

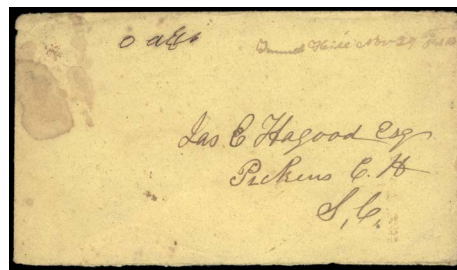
2440 ☒ S^t Matthews, S.C. Jul 25, blue 29mm cds with manuscript "5" rate on small ladies cover (flaps with scalloped edges) on cover to Sawyer's Mills, S.C., flap torn, **Very Fine, attractive cover, scarce town**, ex-Kohn & W. Fox, signed Kimbrough. Estimate \$100 - 150



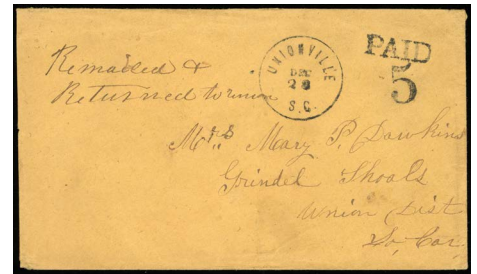
2441 ☒ St. Stephen's Depot, S.C. Oct. 11, manuscript postmark with "Paid 10" on adversity cover (ruled ledger paper) to Charleston S.C., addressed to "Gen. Wilmot DeSaussure", **Extremely Fine, very attractive (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**, ex-Kohn. Estimate \$200 - 300



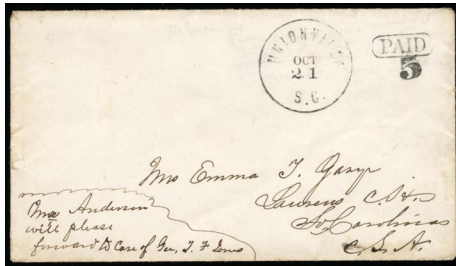
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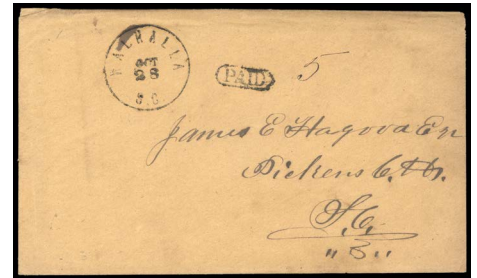
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2442 ☒ **Strother (S.C.) Aug. 14, 1861**, manuscript postmark with “P 5” rate on lengthy folded letter from William S. Lyle to F.W. Pickens, Governor of South Carolina in Columbia, letter with interesting content discussing subjects of guns and arms in great detail, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

Governor Francis Wilkinson Pickens was a long serving political figure in South Carolina and was governor in the first part of the war. William Strother Lyles was a doctor and surgeon in Fairfield District, Oaks Plantation. He was a signer of the Ordinance of Secession and member of the legislature.

2443 ☒ **Sumter, S.C., 32mm cds on seven covers**; rates include “Paid” and “5” in circle handstamps, “Paid” handstamp and manuscript “5” rate, “Paid” and “10” in circle handstamps, manuscript “Due” and “10” in circle handstamp on soldier’s cover, “Jan 1, 1861” cds and grid handstamp canceling on U.S. 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt entire (independent state), and 1862, 5¢ blue, horizontal pair (7) tied by two strikes on 1862 cover to Richmond, Va. and forwarded to Harrisonburg, Va. with 1862, 5¢ blue, two single (7); some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400

2444 ☒ **Sunny Dale, S.C., Dec 28, 61**, manuscript postmark with “paid 5” rate on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C., with original enclosure; soiled and stained, **Fine, ex-Cantey**.
Estimate \$100 - 150

2445 ☒ **Table M^{ain} S.C. (MOUNTAIN) Aug. 28**, manuscript postmark with light pencil manuscript [Due] “10” rate on cover to James Hagood, Pickens Courthouse P.O., S.C., **Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

This is not a soldier’s cover as there is no endorsement and the original letter is still with the cover, which dates the cover as 1863. The enclosure is from James Fortner requesting James Hagood to help him get paid for a horse sold by the CSA army.

2446 ☒ **Table M^{ain} S.C. (MOUNTAIN) Dec 4th.**, manuscript postmark on cover to J. E. Hagood, Pickens C.H., S.C. franked with manuscript canceled 1863-64 10¢ blue, **Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2447 ☒ **Taylor’s, S.C. Aug. 5th**, manuscript postmark (no year date) and “Paid 10” on cover to Mr. W. M. F. Haynesworth, Sumter, S. Carolina, some ink stains, **otherwise Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**, *ex-Kohn & Littlejohn*.
Estimate \$100 - 150



2448 ☒ **Thompson’s Creek, S.C. March 14, 1864**, manuscript postmark with “Paid 10” on **turned wallpaper cover** to Newberry CH S.C., turned, originally used with 26mm Newberry C.H., S.C. double circle postmark to Thompson’s Creek, evidence of missing adhesive, with original enclosure, extremely fragile as to be expected, **Fine extremely rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 10)**.
Estimate \$300 - 400

2449 ☒ **Timmons’ville, S.C., 30mm cds on four covers**; includes “Jan 20” embossed ladies cover with straight line “Paid” and manuscript “3” rating (independent state use), another on embossed corner card cover with “Paid” straight line and “5” rate handstamp (light soiling), another tying 1862, 5¢ blue, horizontal pair (7) on cover to Charleston, S.C., and a Mounted Dragoon patriotic (SM-1, verse 45) with blue crayon “Due 10” rate (upper right corner restored), **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400

2450 ☒ **Tuckers Pond, S.C., May 3rd (1862)**, manuscript postmark with “Paid 5” on small neat cover to Spartanburg, S.C., top back flap missing, **Extremely Fine and a Rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**, *ex-Wm. Fox*.
Estimate \$150 - 200



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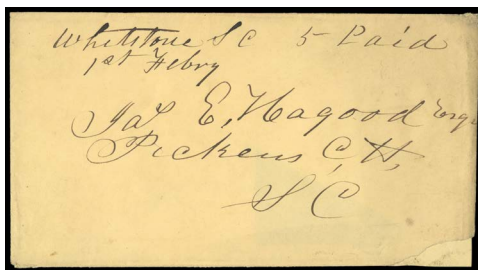
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- 2451 ☒ **Tunnel Hill (S.C.) Nov. 29**, manuscript postmark with "Pd 10" rate on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C., with original 1864 enclosure; stain at left and missing backflap, **Fine**, very scarce (**Stets & Teal Rarity 7**).
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2452 ☒ **Unionville, S.C. Dec. 23**, cds with matching "Paid" and "5" handstamps on cover to Grindal Shoals, S.C., manuscript notation "Remained & returned to Union", **Very Fine, extremely attractive (listing copy in new CSA catalogue)**, ex-Walcott, Evert and Littlejohn.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2453 ☒ **Unionville, S.C.**, 25mm cds on **three covers**; one to Lylesford (Greenville) & Columbia RR, S.C. with manuscript "Paid 5" and original 1861 enclosure headed "Camp at Germantown", another with boxed "Paid" and small "5" rate handstamps, another with boxed "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "10" rate (flaws), **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2454 ☒ **Vance's Ferry, S.C.**, 30mm cds on **two covers** from correspondence; one to Cole's Island, S.C. with "Paid" and "5" in circle handstamp (repaired flaws and missing top and side flap), other to James Island, S.C. with "Paid" and "10" in circle rate handstamps, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2456 ☒ **Walhalla, S.C.**, 25mm cds on **two covers** from correspondence to Pickens C.H., S.C.; one with boxed "Paid" and manuscript "5" rate (1861 enclosure), and light strike tying **1861, 5c green (1)**, also a manuscript postmark on cover with manuscript "Paid 10" rate and 1864 enclosure (edge staining at left), **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400



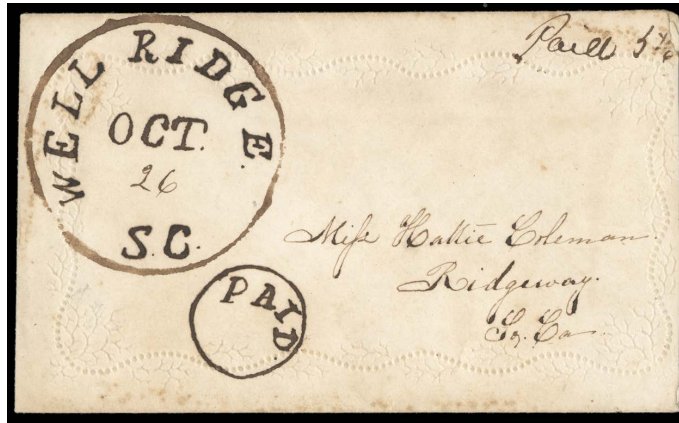
- 2457 ☒ **Walterborough, S.C. Oct. 15**, cds (no year date) with handstamps "PAID" straight line & "10" (Dietz Type IB) on embossed ladies cover addressed to Miss Louisa Gibbs, Flat Rock, No. Car., **Very Fine and attractive**, a charming little cover, ex-Kohn, Littlejohn.
Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2458 ☒ **Walterborough, S.C.**, 30mm cds on **three covers**; one with "Paid" straight line and "5" rate handstamps and **slave sale docketing**... "Sale of 1862, Margaret & child for \$1,400 - advanced him \$600 of it & note for balance" (missing backflap), another with straight line "Paid" handstamp and manuscript "20" rate (cover tears & missing backflap), and brownish red strike tying **1863, 10c blue (12)** on **turned cover** to Medical Purveyors Office in Charleston, S.C. with manuscript "O.B." endorsement at top left, inside usage with "Charleston, S.C." cds and "Paid 10" in circle handstamp, to surgeon at Danner's X Roads, S.C. with manuscript "Medical Purveyor's Office, Charleston, S.C., Official" endorsement, **F.-V.F.**; the latter with 1992 B. Green certificate.
Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2455 ☒ **Walhalla, S.C., June 21**, manuscript postmark with "paid 10" rate on handsome wallpaper cover addressed to Jas. E. Hagood Esq., CC (Clerk of Court), Pickens C.H., S.C., **Very Fine and choice**, ex-Weatherly, Green & Littlejohn.
Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2459 ☒ **Warrenton, S.C. 2 Oct.**, manuscript town cancel and "Paid 5 cts" on small cover to Orrville PO, S.C., barely reduced at left, light hint on cover toning, otherwise **Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**, *ex-Kohn, Cantey*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



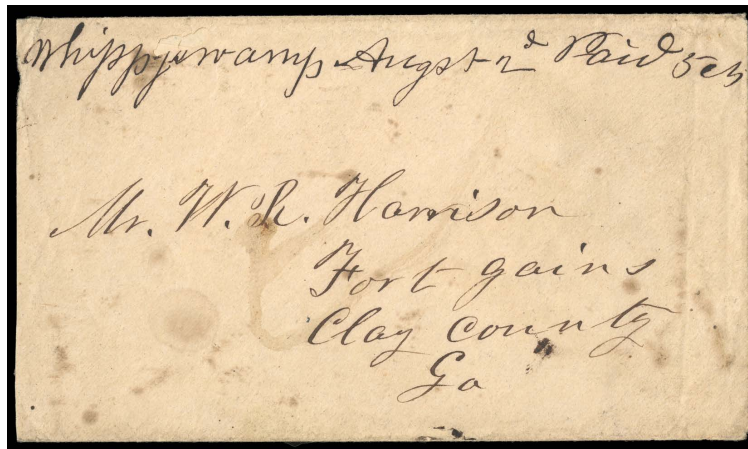
- 2460 ☒ **Well Ridge, S.C. Oct. 11**, hand drawn balloon type cds and matching hand drawn arc "Paid" in circle, additional manuscript "Paid 5" at upper right on lovely embossed small cover to Ridgeway, S.C., minor soiling on reverse, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

A VERY RARE POSTMARK AND ONE OF THE VERY FEW HAND DRAWN POSTMARKS OF ALL THE 19TH CENTURY.

- 2461 ☒ **Well Ridge, S.C. 17th April (1862)**, manuscript postmark with "Pd 5" rate on a small cover addressed to Miss H. M. Coleman, Ridgeway, Fairfield Dist., S. C., some minor soiling, still **Very Fine (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2462 ☒ **Well Ridge, S.C. Sept. 10 (1861)**, manuscript postmark with "Paid 5ct." on small cover to Miss Hattie Coleman, Ridgeway, Fairfield District, S. Carolina, slightly reduced at right, still **Very Fine, a very scarce town (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2463 ☒ **Whetstone, S.C., 2 covers** each with original enclosure from same correspondence addressed to Pickens C.H., S.C., first cover (1861) with manuscript "Free, Abel Robins P.M." (Whetstone) free frank at upper right, second with manuscript town postmark dated 1st Febr'y (1862) with "5 Paid", corner repair lower right, **Very Fine, very rare town (Stets & Teal Rarity 9)**, both *ex-Cantey*.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

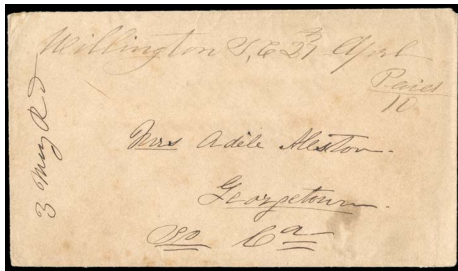


- 2464 ☒ **Whippy Swamp, S.C. August 2 (1861)**, manuscript postmark and "Paid 5cts" on cover to Fort Gains Ga., slight staining, **F.-V.F. (Stets & Teal Rarity 7)**, with extensive research to verify the year date, signed Kimbrough.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

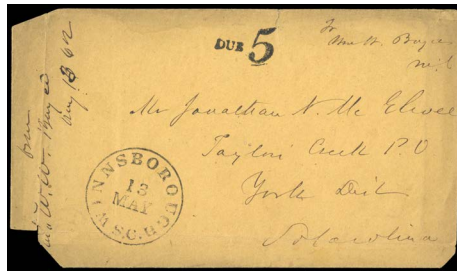
Wm. Harrison enlisted in Co, 5, Georgia State Troops on 10/16/61, discharged 3/13/62 and later re-enlisting in Co. F, 32nd Geo. Inf. on 8/25/62 serving throughout the war and surrendering with his unit on 4/26/65.

- 2465 ☒ **Williamston, S.C.**, 25mm cds on **three covers**; two to Sullivan's Island, S.C. (Orr's Regiment in Charleston harbor) both with boxed Paid, one with "5" in circle and other with manuscript "5" rating, other to Camden, Miss with boxed paid and manuscript "10" rate; some edge flaws, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2466 ☒ **Willington, S.C., two covers** each with manuscript town postmark and rates ("5", "Paid 10"), both addressed to Georgetown S.C., the "Paid 10" cover is **turned** with small piece 10¢ (11), tied with circular Army grid and addressed to Willington, **F.-V.F. (Stets & Teal Rarity 6)**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300



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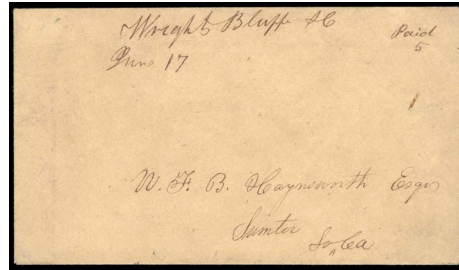
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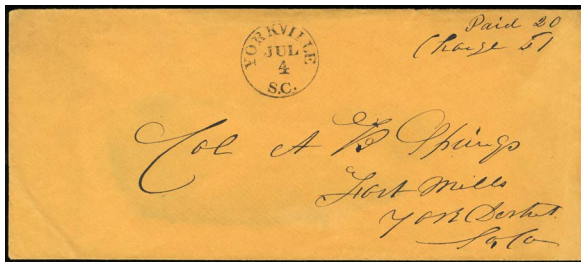
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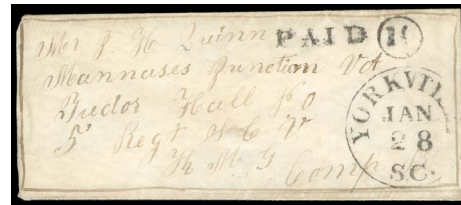
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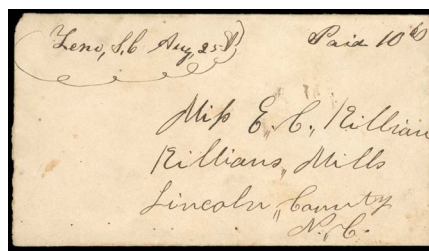


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- 2467 ☒ **Winnnsborough, S.C. 13 May (1862).**, cds with handstamp “DUE 5” (CSA Catalog type D) on cover to Mr. Jonathan N. McElwee (Postmaster), Taylor’s Creek, York District, So. Carolina, manuscript free frank of Wm. W. Boyce, M.C. (Member of Congress), cover trimmed & refolded, **F.-V.F.**; with 2005 C.S.A. certificate.
 Estimate \$200 - 300
- Cover from a Member of Congress, Wm. W. Boyce, M.C. with member’s frank to allow letter to be sent postage due under terms set forth in the Act of July 30, 1861, Chapter II, Section 3*
- Congressmen were permitted to send letters without prepayment of postage, which was to be paid by the recipient. Such letters were endorsed by the congressman. This privilege was not widely used, as congressmen were reluctant to have their constituents pay to receive their letters.*
- 2468 ☒ **Winnnsborough, S.C. 23 Mar.**, cds on **turned cover** to Reeves Station, S.C. and franked with 1862 5¢ blue (7, vertical pair) tied by grids, inside usage postmarked Adams Run, S.C. Feb. 10 cds and matching “Paid” straight line on cover to Winnnsborough, **Very Fine and attractive**, *ex-Kohn*.
 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2469 ☒ **Winnnsborough, S.C.**, 33mm cds on **four covers**; one with “Paid” straight line and “5” rate handstamp (missing most of backflap), another with “Paid” and “10” rate handstamp, a 1863 soldier’s endorsed cover with manuscript “Due” and “10” rate handstamp, and a **1863, 10¢ blue** (12) tied by grid handstamp on tan & brown floral **wallpaper cover** to Newbury, S.C. (stamp on torn piece reattached), also an incoming 1861 cover from Richmond Va. with **manuscript “W.W. Boyce, M.C.” congressman’s frank** and “Due 10” straight line handstamp, **F.-V.F. or better**.
 Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2470 ☒ **Wrights Bluff, S.C. June 17**, manuscript postmark with “Paid 5” on cover to Sumpter, S.C., partial backflap, **still Very Fine**, *ex-Kohn, Littlejohn, signed Kaufmann*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2471 ☒ **Wrights Bluff, S.C.**, manuscript postmark on **two covers**; with 1862 folded letter to South Santee, S.C. with manuscript Paid 10 and letter with interesting content. “I was sorry to hear that the Yankees had been into the mill and so many negroes had gone with them.”, and forwarded soldier’s letter (to Gen Kershaw’s Brigade) with no rates indicated (edge flaws), **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2472 ☒ **Yorkville, S.C., Jul 4**, neat strike of cds on legal size cover addressed to Col. Springs at Fort Mills, S.C., with manuscript “Paid 20” rate, **Very Fine**, the only Yorkville “Paid 20¢” rate known.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2473 ☒ **Yorkville, S.C. Jan. 28**, cds with matching “Paid” and small “10” in circle handstamps on **small homemade mourning cover** addressed to “Mr. P.H. Quinn, Mannassas Junction, Va., Tudor Hall P.O., 5th Reg’t SCV, K.M.G.” (King Mountain Guard), **Very Fine**; signed B. Green.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



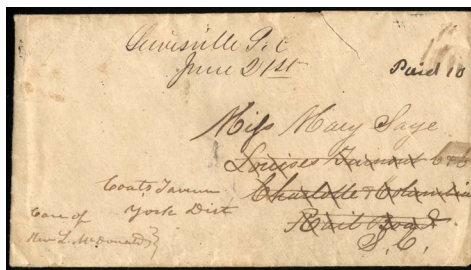
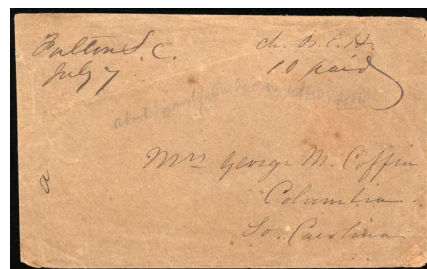
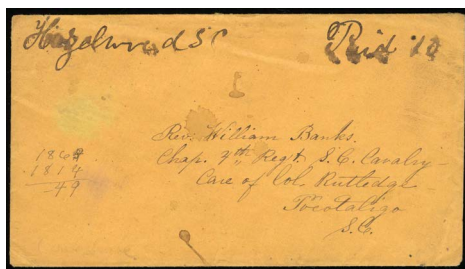
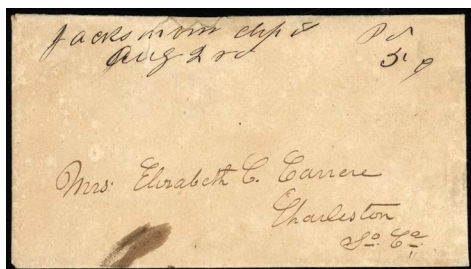
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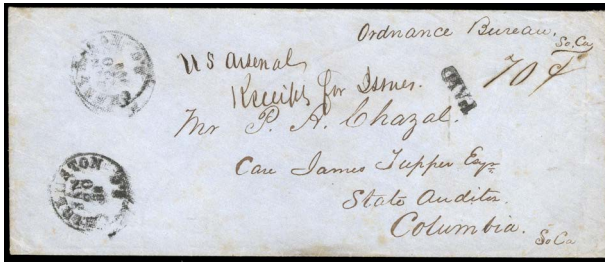
- 2474 ☒ **Yorkville, S.C.**, 30mm cds on six covers; one 1861 cover with "Paid" straight line handstamp (no rate indicated, with enclosure), another **adversity** use (made from Charleston & Raleigh R.R. freight form) from same correspondence with "Paid" and "5" rate handstamp, a manuscript "Paid 10" and pencil manuscript "Due 10" (soldier endorsed) on separate covers, another with cds tying 1861, 5¢ green (1) on cover to Clay Hill, S.C. (small stamp scuff), another with cds tying large margin **1863, 10¢ blue** (11, torn from opening) on reverse of **adversity** cover made from State of South Carolina legal form, also a manuscript postmark with "Paid 5" rating on 1862 cover (with enclosure), **F.-V.F. or better**.
 Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2475 ☒ **Zeno, S.C.**, three covers all with manuscript postmark and addressed to Miss E. C. Killian, Killians Mills, Lincoln County, N.C., one with manuscript "Pd", one with manuscript "Paid 5" and one with manuscript "Paid 10", two covers reduced & one with staining, **F.-V.F., a very scarce town (Stets & Teal Rarity 8)**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

South Carolina Town Marking Balance Collection



- 2476 ☒ **South Carolina Town Balance Collection**, large collection of over 90 covers in two binders with a wide variety of South Carolina postmarks, most are stampless cover with manuscript or handstamps postmarks, both "Paid" and "Dues" covers are present, some covers with adhesives are also noted, a few covers are turned usages and a couple covers have the original enclosure, also included is a few used during the U.S. Rate Period, many scarce and hard to find towns are present, condition is mixed, but generally **Fine-Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$5,000 - 7,500

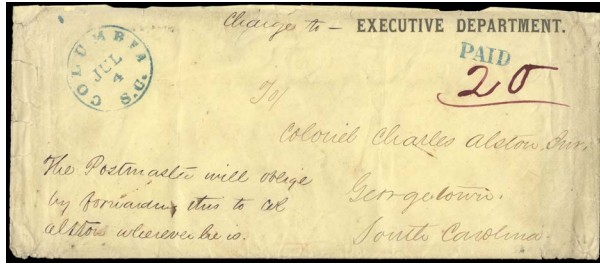
THIS IS AN OUTSTANDING COLLECTION AND WOULD TAKE A LIFETIME TO DUPLICATE.



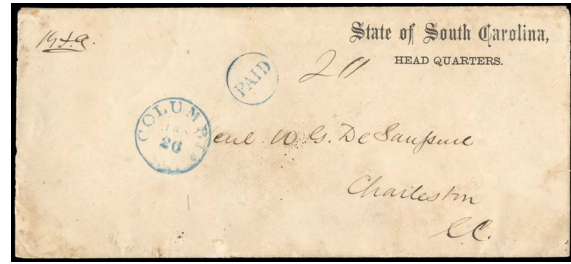
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Semi-Official Covers

- 2477 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., Jan 20**, two strikes of cds on legal size linen lined cover to the State Auditor in Columbia, S.C., with matching “Paid” handstamp and manuscript “70c” rate, manuscript **Ordinance Bureau, So. Ca.** endorsement and “U.S. Arsenal, Receipt for Issues.” docketing, **Very Fine**, the only known 70c rating from Charleston.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



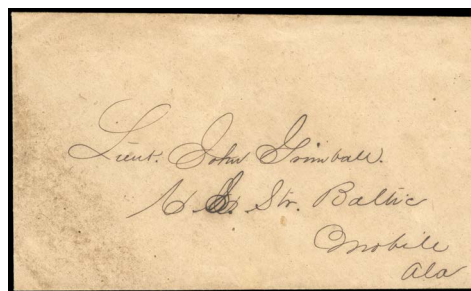
- 2478 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Nov 29**, blue cds on turned semi-official cover with imprint “Post Headquarters, Columbia, S.C., Official Business” with matching blue “PAID” and “10” handstamps, cover addressed to Asst. Adj. General, Evans Brigade, Charleston, S.C., second usage of this turned cover franked with 1963-64 10c blue (11) tied by a Charleston, S.C. Nov 21 cds and addressed to Sumter, S.C., docketed “Dec 4th 1863”, **Very Fine**, ex-Karrer.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

A WONDERFUL USAGE AND THE FIRST TURNED COVER WE HAVE SEEN ON A SEMI-OFFICIAL COVER.

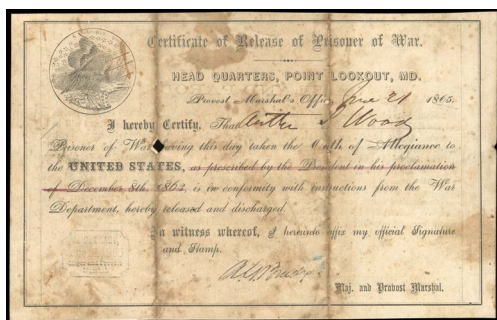
- 2479 ☒ **Columbia S.C., Jul 6**, 32mm cds with matching “Paid” in circle and large “10” rate on printed semi-official envelope to Anderson, S.C., printed “Headquarters, Conscript Department Columbia, S.C. Official Business” at upper right, light wear and ageing, **F.-V.F.**, a scarce Official cover, ex-Malpass, Oswald.
 Estimate \$200 - 300



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- 2480 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., Jul 4**, blue cds with matching "Paid" handstamp and magenta manuscript "20" rate on legal size cover to Col. Alston in Georgetown, S.C., with printed "Executive Department" imprint and manuscript "Charge to-" endorsement at left, postmaster forwarding instruction; cover wear and small tears, **Fine**.
C.S.A. Catalog No. S-SC-01 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2481 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., Jan 26**, blue cds with matching "Paid" in circle handstamp and manuscript "20" rate, on legal size cover to Charleston, S.C., with "State of South Carolina, Head Quarters." imprint at upper right; some light wear and small corner repair, **F-V.F.**
C.S.A. Catalog No. S-SC-16 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2482 ☒ **Columbia, S.C. Mar 21**, blue cds ties 1862 5¢ blue (7, horizontal pair) on cover addressed to Mr. Jno. Brown, Liberty Hill, SoCa., cover with "State of South Carolina, Adjutant and Inspector General's Office. Official Business." semi-official imprint, cover creased affecting one stamp, **Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2483 ☒ **South Carolina Palmetto Flag**, two unused South Carolina Palmetto Flag patriotic covers, first is "We are Seven" verse below on unused lemon colored cover, second unused patriotic showing Palmetto flag in black with verse below, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$75 - 100

Military Related Covers

- 2484 ☒ **Military Soldier's Due Covers**, group of six covers; 5th Reg't SCV cover with 1862 "Tudor Hall" cds and "Due 10" handstamp, 1st Reg't SCV cover with "Culpeper C.H., Va." cds and "Due 10" handstamp, 3rd SC Inf. Reg't cover with 1862 Richmond, Va. cds and straight line "Due 10" handstamp, 4th Reg't SCV cover with 1861 Richmond, Va. cds and straight line "Due 5" handstamp, and 22nd Reg't SCV cover to Kingston, N.C. cds and manuscript "Due 10"; last from Shreveport, La. to Dalby Spring, Texas with Shreveport double circle postmark & manuscript "Due 20" rate, some flaws, **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2485 ☒ **(Naval) C.S. Steamer Stono**, orange buff cover bearing 1862 5¢ blue (7) pair, large margins, tied by "Richmond Va., Mar. 30 1863" cds addressed to "Asst. Surgeon C. H. Morfit, C.S. Steamer Stono, C.S. Navy, Charleston S.C.", docketed "Recd Apl 1st 1863, E. Am" on reverse, **Very Fine and rare Confederate naval cover**.
Estimate \$400 - 600

The Steamer "Stono", formerly the USS "Isaac Smith" was part of the South Atlantic Blockading Squadron in the Fall of 1862. She was then assigned to operate in the Stono River, South Carolina. While making a reconnaissance in that river on 30 January 1863, she was caught by enemy shore batteries lead by Pierre G.T. Beauregard and badly battered. With eight of her crew killed and many more wounded, USS "Isaac Smith" was forced to surrender.

Taken into Confederate Navy service under the name "Stono", she was wrecked near Fort Moultrie, S.C., while attempting to run the blockade of Charleston on 5 June 1863. The ship was loaded with cotton in an attempt to run the Union blockade on the night of June 5, 1863. The attempt proved disastrous, as the ship was discovered by Federal forces, and wrecked on a breakwater near Ft. Moultrie, trying to return to the harbor.

- 2486 ☒ (Naval) Naval Addressed Covers, two covers; one a hand carried cover addressed to "Lieut. John Grimball, C.S. Str. Baltic, Mobile, Ala.", other addressed to "Mr. F.A. Smythe, C.S. St. P(almetto) State, Charleston, S.C." on cover with Richmond, Va. cds (stamp missing), **Fine**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

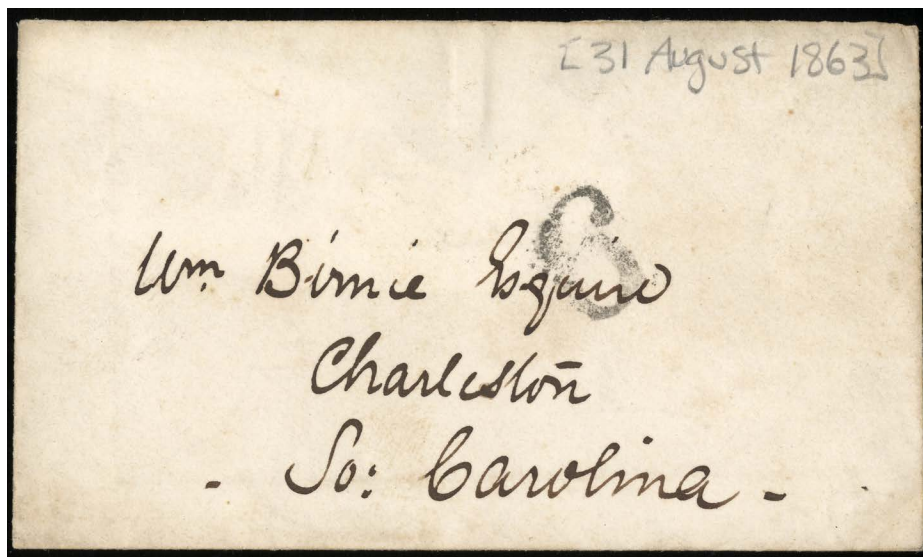
John Gimball was at the firing on Ft. Sumter and was a naval officer on the CSS Shenandoah, which surrendered in 1865. "Gus" Smythe was in the CSA army corp and after the war became a prosperous attorney in Charleston.

South Carolina Blockade Covers



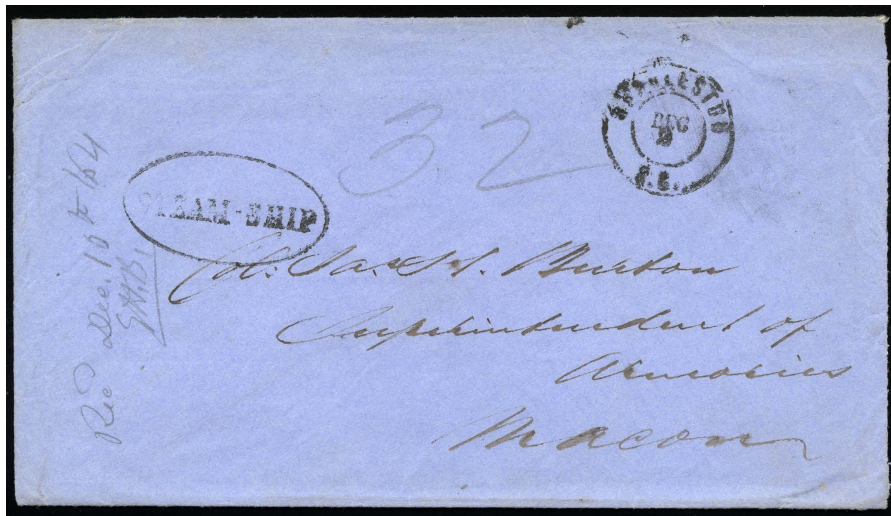
- 2487 ☒ **Charleston S.C., Oct. 20 (1862)**, bold strike of circular datestamp and "STEAM-SHIP" oval handstamp on small blue inbound blockade-run cover to **H. Tutwiler, Havana Ala., Confederate States**, pencil "12" rate (10¢ plus 2¢ ship fee), manuscript "J. F. & Co." (John Fraser & Co.) initials, docketed on back "J. Ling Oct. 26", one flap removed revealing a humorous note by sender "Do not wonder at my damaged letter. It has not been bombarded by the Emperor Lincoln's men. My parrot got hold of it, while I was looking in a different direction", minor edge wear & few light bleach spots, **Very Fine and rare, ex-Brandon**.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

Carried from Bermuda on the Minbo, a scarce cover initialed by the firm of Fraser & Co., Special Routes Census No. BI-Ch-12.



- 2488 ☒ **(Charleston) Incoming Blockade Cover to Charleston, S.C.**, clear "6" in-port ship fee handstamp on cover to Charleston, pencil date "Aug. 31, 1863", missing top flap, **Very Fine and rare, ex-Zimmerman**; with 1995 C.S.A. certificate.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

A RARE INCOMING BLOCKADE-RUN COVER TO CHARLESTON S.C. WITH A BOLD IN-PORT RATE MARKING.



2489 ☒ **Charleston S.C., Dec. 2 (1864)**, bold double-circle datestamp and “STEAM-SHIP” in oval handstamp with pencil “32” rate (30¢ triple rate plus 2¢ ship fee) on blue cover to Col. James H. Burton, Superintendent of Armories in Macon Ga., pencil docketing “Recd. Dec. 10th 64 J.H.B.”, **Very Fine and rare, ex-Walske.**
 Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

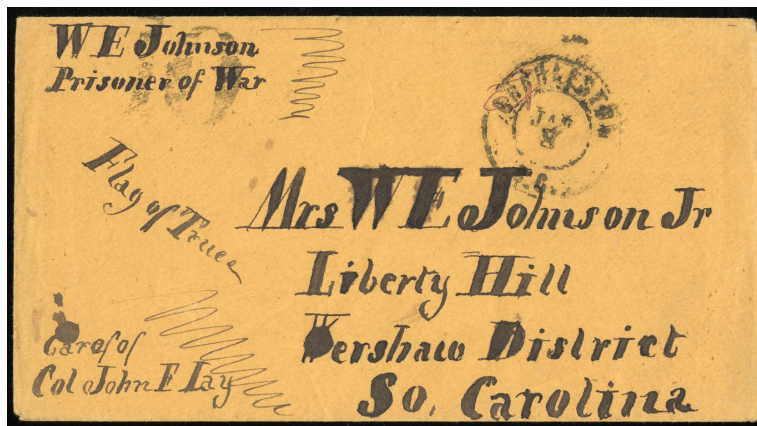
A RARE BLOCKADE COVER FROM THE BURTON CORRESPONDENCE AND THE ONLY TRIPLE RATE COVER IN WALSKE’S LISTING OF INBOUND MAIL THROUGH THE BLOCKADE VIA CHARLESTON.

The original letter is contained in the Yale University archives. It is datelined Liverpool Oct. 22, 1864, from Fraser, Trenholm & Co. to Burton regarding a shipment.

Carried on Cunarder Persia, departed Liverpool Oct. 22, 1864, arrived New York Nov. 2; then Cunarder Corsica, departed New York Nov. 7, arrived Nassau Nov. 11; then blockade-runner Kate Gregg, departed Nassau Nov. 27, arrived Charleston Dec. 1. The Kate Gregg was owned by the Atlantic Steam Packet Company of Charleston; active Aug. 1864 to Jan. 1865, 4 for 4 in successful trips and survived the war.

South Carolina Prisoner of War Covers

2490 ☒ **Certificate of Release of Prisoner of War., Head Quarters, Point Lookout, Md., June 21, 1865** release certificate for **Arthur S. Word of Laurenceville, S.C.** signed by Maj. and Provost Marshall M.C. Brady; soiling and wear, **Fine.**
 Estimate \$150 - 200

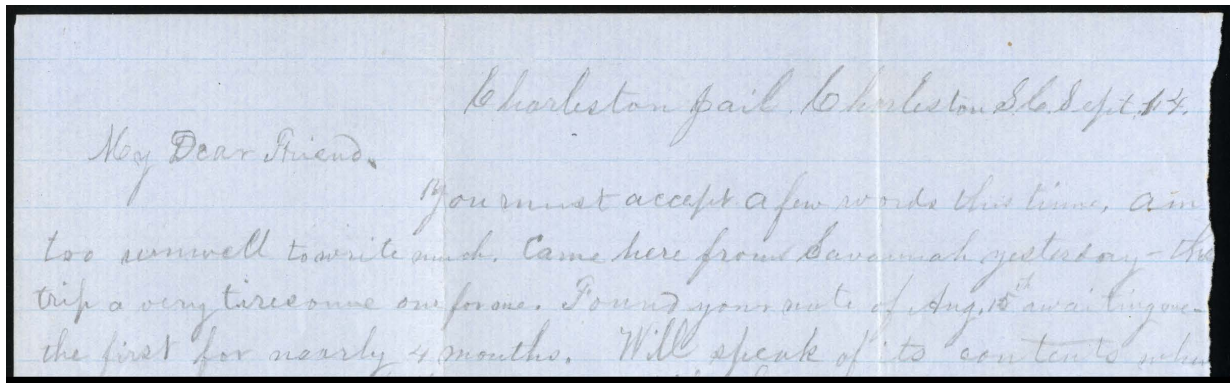


2491 ☒ **Charleston S.C., Jan 8 (1865) “Immortal Confederate 600” - Morris Island Prison**, double circle postmark and matching large “10” due rating handstamp (CSA type K) on orange prisoner cover endorsed “W. E. Johnson, Prisoner of War” to his wife at Liberty Hill S.C., additional “Flag of Truce” and “Care of Col. John F Iay” endorsements, red manuscript “EX” Union examiner’s marking, **Very Fine and attractive, ex-Kohn & Karrer.**
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

A CHOICE USE FROM ONE OF THE IMMORTAL 600 CONFEDERATE PRISONERS MOVED TO MORRIS ISLAND BY FEDERAL FORCES.

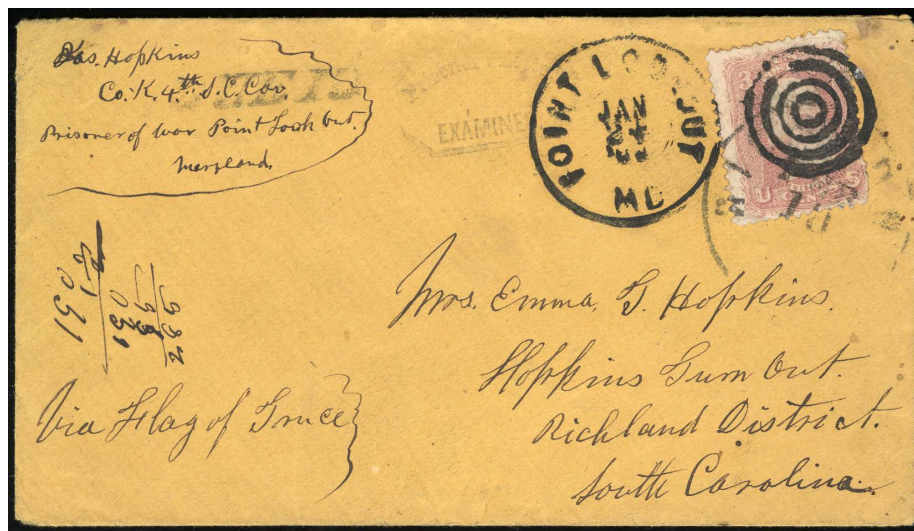
The “Immortal 600” was a group of 600 prisoners, all Confederate officers, moved from Fort Delaware to be sent to Morris Island in Charleston harbor in August 1864 and held in open barracks exposed to mortar fire from Confederate batteries.

This extraordinarily inhumane act was the Federal response to an equally repulsive act on the part of Confederates in Charleston, who exposed Union prisoners to bombardment from Federal forces within range of the city. This sorry chapter of the war ended in a stalemate in October 1864. Covers from Confederate prisoners imprisoned on Morris Island are very rare.



2492 ☒ **City Jail, Charleston, S.C.**, orange buff Prisoner's cover with "Port Royal Va. Sep 27" double circle postmark and two strikes of "Due 3" rating handstamps, addressed to Hamilton Ohio, endorsed at left "Prisoner letter for Flag of Truce, B.F. Blair Lt. 123rd Regt. O. V. I.", manuscript "Exd" marking at top right, includes original letter, left backflap signed "Soldiers Letter, Stewart L. Woodford, Lt. Col., Agent of Exchange", reduced slightly at right, left flap reattached, only eight covers are recorded from this prison, **Very Fine**; with 2008 C.S.A. certificate.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

Interesting letter datelined "Charleston Jail, Charleston, S.C. Sept. 14" saying "Came here from Savannah yesterday...my health...is considerably impaired...I am not dangerously sick."



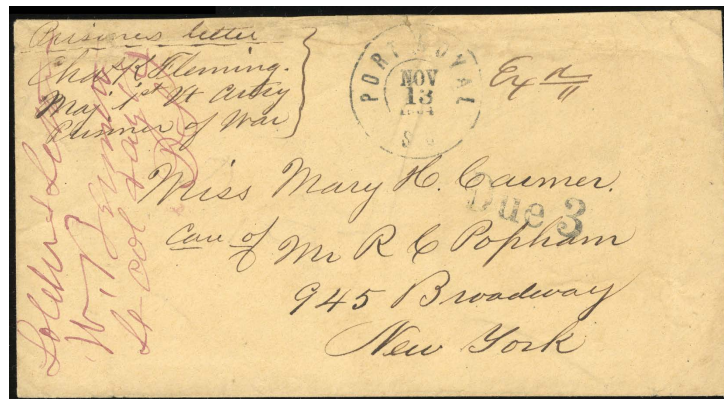
2493 ☒ **Point Lookout, Maryland**, manuscript endorsement from "Jas. Hopkins, Co. K S.C. Cav." on cover to **Hopkins Turnout, S.C.** franked with United States 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by both Point Lookout Jan 24 '65 cds & target cancel, additionally tied by **Richmond, Va. Feb 19** cds with matching light strike of "Due 10" handstamp and examiner's handstamp, manuscript "Via Flag of Truce" at lower left, **Very Fine**, scarce North-South POW cover.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



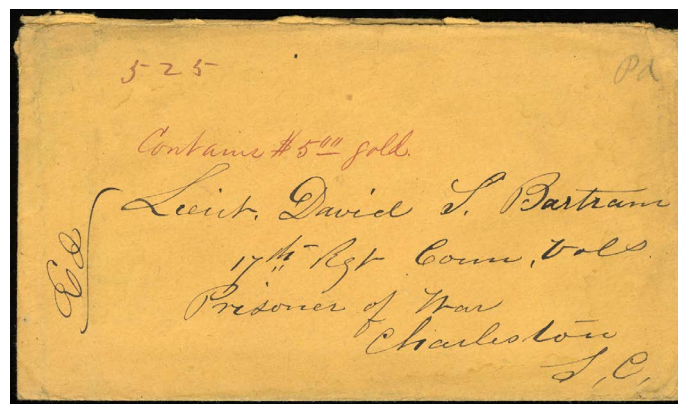
- 2494 ☒ **Richland Jail, Columbia, S.C.**, cover from Richland Jail to Westminster, Md., manuscript endorsement “Lieut. John P. Sheahan, Prisoner of War” at upper left and “Examined R.D. Senn, Capt. Pro(vost) Gd (Guard)” censor’s endorsement at right, additional manuscript routing “Care of Robt Ould, Richmond Va.”, a transfer agent who delivered the cover to Old Point Comfort, franked with United States 1861, 3¢ rose (65, light corner toning) tied by segmented cork cancel with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Sep. 8” (1864) double circle postmark at right, **Very Fine and attractive, ex-Walske.**
 Estimate \$500 - 750

Lt. Sheahan (31st Maine Regt.) was captured at Petersburg, Va. on July 30, 1864, escaping from Richland Jail in March, 1865, 39 covers are known from Richland Jail, this being one of the best preserved.

- 2495 ☒ **Richland Jail, Columbia, S.C.**, large part wallpaper cover front from Richland Jail, manuscript “Prisoner of War Letter” at upper left and addressed to Tonawanda, N.Y., manuscript “Examined R. D. Senn, Capt. Pro(vost) Gd (Guard)” censor’s endorsement vertically at left, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Oct 24” double circle and matching “Due 6” in circle, **Very Fine, very attractive and the only Prisoner Wallpaper seen by us.**
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2496 ☒ **Roper Hospital, Charleston, S.C.**, “Prisoners letter, Chas. K. Fleming, Maj. 1st Vt. Atry., Prisoner of War” manuscript endorsement on cover to New York, manuscript Confederate examiner’s marking “Exd.” (Hugh Hamilton) and “Soldier’s Letter, W.T. Bennett, Lt. Col and Agt. D54”, exchange “**Port Royal S.C./Nov 13 1864**” double-ring datestamp, small sealed tear at top, **still Very Fine**, attribution made on basis of cover from the same correspondence illustrated by Harrison (p. 48), only 19 covers recorded from this prison.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



- 2497 ☒ **Roper Hospital, Charleston, S.C.**, envelope addressed to “Lt. David L. Bantram, 17th Regt Conn. Vols, Prisoner of War, Charleston S.C.”, manuscript pencil “Pd” from the Express Agent and red ink “525” probably from hospital examiner, additional manuscript “EX” (examined) and without initials, apparently a common practice at Roper Hospital, red ink notation “Contains \$5.00 Gold” money, some minor wear, **Very Fine, scarce and unusual.**
 Estimate \$300 - 400

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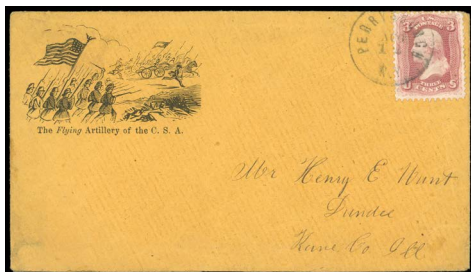
- 2498 * **Gage Bros. & Drake, Tremont House, 10¢**, mica intact with crack and some crazing, **Fine and scarce**. Hodders & Bowers No. 123. Scott No. **EP91** \$1,100
- 2499 * **1862, 10¢ green, imperf edges**, showing dividing lines on all four sides, bright and fresh, **Extremely Fine and choice**, one of the finest we have ever encountered. Scott No. **PC14** \$320

United States Patriotic Covers

Battle Scenes



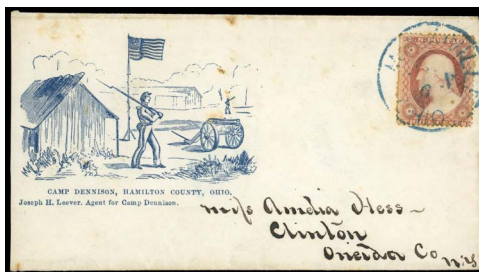
- 2500 ☒ **“Battle at Mill Spring, Ky.”**, multicolored Magnus overall design showing scene from battle, franked on reverse with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Alexandria, Va., Nov 27, 1861” cds, addressed to Lassellsville, N.Y.; corner edge tear and other small flaws, **still Very Fine**, a very rare Magnus all-over design, unlisted in Bischel. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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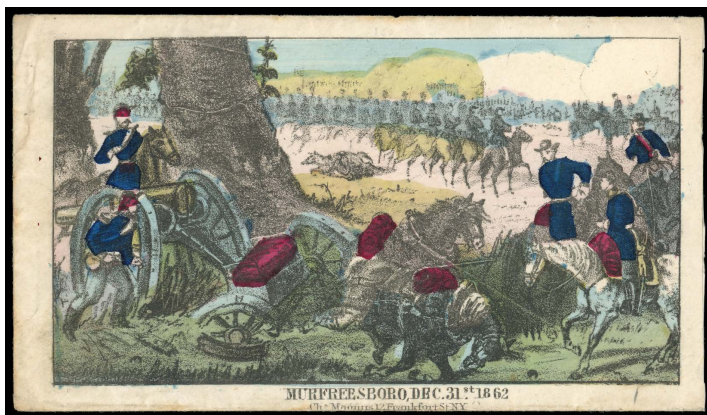
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- 2501 ☒ **“Contrabrand Barricade. Come and Get Your Property”**, red and blue design with lines of soldiers on the battlefield, New York Union Envelope Depot imprint at left, on cover to Black River Falls, Wis., **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by “St Louis, Mo., Nov 28, 1861” cds and grid duplex, some cover corner wear, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 1236.
 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2502 ☒ **“The Flying Artillery of the C.S.A.”**, battle scene showing Confederate battery fleeing from Union troops, on cover to Dundee, Ill., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Perryville, N.Y., Aug 12” cds, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



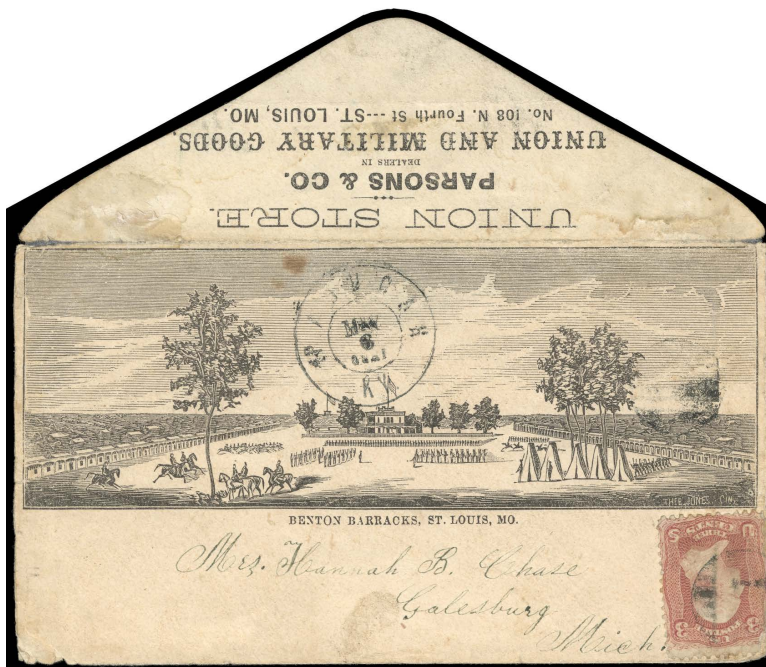
- 2503 ☒ **“Moment Of The Army From Washington to Richmond”**, multicolored allover Magnus design showing battle scene, franked on reverse with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by indistinct cds, addressed to Massachusetts; small corner edge flaw, light soiling, **still Very Fine**. Bischel No. 1236.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

A HANDSOME AND RARE MAGNUS ALL-OVER BATTLEFIELD DESIGN.

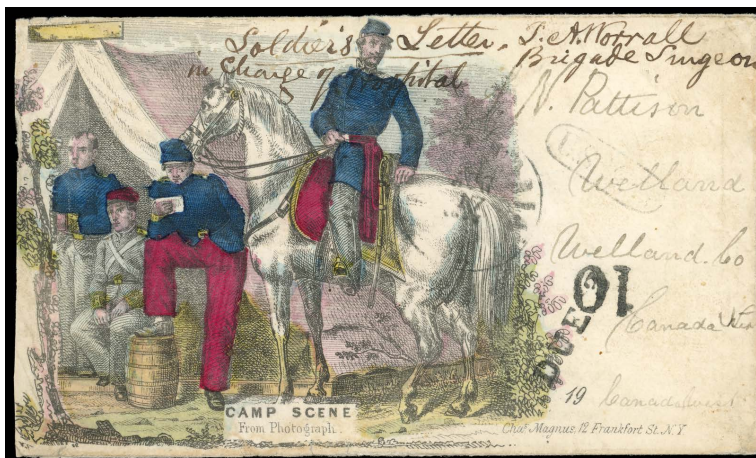


- 2504 ☒ **“Murfreesboro, Dec. 31st 1862”**, multicolored Magnus overall design showing battle, on front of cover addressed on reverse to Cambridge, Maine, partial “Washington, D.C., Mar 5” cds and matching “Due 6” in circle handstamp, with original enclosure datelined “Camp Barry, Washington D.C., March 4th, 64” with general content from soldier including...“oh we hear glorious news here too day that General Gill Patrick is in Richmond and has liberated all of our prisoners confined there...”, **Very Fine**, a very rare used Magnus allover design, unlisted in Bischel.
 Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2505 ☒ **“We Must Fight!...Patrick Henry”**, red verse and design showing artillery going into battle, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with pen cancel and manuscript “Syracuse, Ind. Jul 11”, apparently forwarded to “Hospital Louisville, Ky, then forwarded to Bardstown, Ky and with additional “Received Cairo Jul 17 1862” backstamp cds, slightly reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**, an unusual cover.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

Camp Scenes



- 2506 ☒ **“Benton Barracks, St. Louis, Mo.”**, bird’s eye view of barracks design across top of cover to Galesburg, Mich., with “Union Store, Parson & Co., Dealers in Union and Military Goods, St. Louis, Mo.” advertising corner card on backflap, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** faulty from overlapping cover and canceled by grid handstamp, “Paducah, Ky., May 6, 1861” cds, some cover edge wear, **F.-V.F.**, one of **only two recorded examples by Bischel**. Bischel No. 1379.
Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 2507 ☒ **“Camp Dennison, Hamilton County, Ohio, Joseph H. Leever. Agent for Camp Dennison”**, blue design of sentries guarding camp, on cover to Clinton, N.Y., **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)**, perf tip toning, tied by blue “Miamiville Ohio, Jun 6” cds, few small cover tone spots, **F.-V.F.**, very rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1375.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2508 ☒ **“Camp Scene”**, multicolored **Magnus** design (“from photograph”) on cover to Hope Valley (?), Magnus imprint at bottom, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by blue target and matching “Norfolk, Va. Sep 1 ‘63” cds, slightly reduced, light soiling and minor edge flaws, **F.-V.F.**, a very nice multi-color Magnus design.
Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2509 ☒ **“Camp Scene, From Photograph”**, multicolored overall Magnus design on cover to **Welland, Canada**, manuscript “Soldier’s Letter, P.A. Worrell, Brigade Surgeon, in charge of hospital” across top, bold “Due” and “10” rate handstamps, indistinct originating town cds and red Canadian transit backstamp, slightly reduced at left, minor edge soiling, **Very Fine**, *ex-M. Preston*. Bischel No. 1365.
Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE MAGNUS PATRIOTIC SENT AS A SOLDIER’S DUE LETTER TO CANADA.
- 2510 ☒ **“Home Sweet Home”**, red and blue camp scene design on cover to Athens, O., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Washington, D.C., Mar 11, 1862” cds and target duplex, light water stains at top, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Walcott*. Bischel No. 2176.
Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 2511 ☒ **“Kentucky - United We Stand Divided We Fall”**, grayish violet illustrated overall design on cover to Cincinnati, O., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Syracuse, N.Y., Mar 1” cds, bold red rimless oval **“Adv. Nov. Called For”** handstamp alongside, **Very Fine and choice**. Bischel No. 3158.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2512 ☒ **“Our Brethren Are in the Field”**, camp scene, tents and Flag in blue, on cover to Ohio, Sedalia, Mo. cds and boxed **“Due 3”** handstamp, manuscript **“Soldier’s Letter”** franked by officer, light edge wear, **F.-V.F.**, Bischel catalog lists this as very rare, similar to Bischel No. 1336.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2513 ☒ **Soldier, Tent, Flag, Guns and Cannon**, design in blue on cover to Ionia, Mich., with **fancy hand drawn address panel** with bird, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by Washington D.C. cds, slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3588.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2514 ☒ **“This Shall Fly Or We Will Die”**, red and blue design showing Flag, Soldier Tents and Capitol Building in Background, on cover to Winchendon, Mass, **“G.F. Jones Colonel Mass 26th”** handstamp, additional printed verse **“My Countrymen Let traitors see Our blood shall flow for liberty”** with clenched hands above, **“U.S. Ship 3cts”** circular handstamp, **Very Fine**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 3696.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2515 ☒ **“Union Herald and Everybody’s Advertised, Lewis Co., Springfield, Ill.”**, patriotic advertising showing soldier, tents, rifles and cannon, on local hand carried cover in Springfield Ill., with original 1862 enclosure on illustrated letterhead, slightly reduced at top, **still Very Fine**, Bischel catalog states this is a very rare patriotic advertising cover. Bischel No. 3591.
Estimate \$200 - 300

Cannon Designs

- 2516 ☒ **Cannon and Flag “Through Baltimore to Washington”**, red and blue design on cover to Buffalo, N.Y., **1857, 3¢ dull red (26, s.e. at left)** tied by blue **“Galena, Ill., May 17”** cds, **Very Fine**, unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2517 ☒ **“Conquer We Must”**, near overall bronze verse with cannon, flag and soldier on cover to Foxboro, Mass, bold **“US Ship 3 Cts”** circular handstamp, manuscript **“Soldier’s letter”** at bottom left, officers endorsement at top center, **Very Fine**, choice ship cover.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2518 ☒ **“Fast Colors. - Warranted Not To Run.”**, red and blue design showing cannon and flag, on cover to Andover, Conn, **“Due 3”** straightline and manuscript **“Soldier’s Letter”**, slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 5020.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2519 ☒ **“Our Commissioner To the Confederate States”**, violet design showing mounted cannon and Upham imprint below, on cover to **“Hon. Gideon Wells, Sec of the U.S. Navy, Washington D.C.”**, **1861, 3¢ rose pink (64b)** tied by blue **“Chicago, Ill., Sep 9”** cds and grid duplex, couple manuscript ink spots, **Very Fine and choice**, Bischel unlisted.
Estimate \$400 - 600

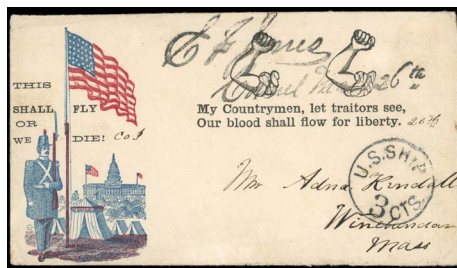
Caricatures Designs



- 2520 ☒ **“A General of the C.S.A. Preparing To Meet Gen. McClellan”**, caricature design with smaller image of him running away **“After he met him”** at lower right, J.G. Wells imprint at left, on cover to Galva, Ill., **1861, 3¢ rose (6, s.e. at left)** tied by **“Saint Louis, Mo., Sep 26”** cds, light cover toning at lower right, **Very Fine and very rare**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1800.
Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2521 ☒ **“A New Way To Pay Old Debts...”**, red and blue design on cover to Natick, R.I., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by Alexandria, Va. cds, red Murphy & Son imprint at left, **Very Fine**, scarce design.
Estimate \$150 - 200



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2522 ☒ "A Rebel Attack on Pickins", caricature design in blue with Upham imprint below, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied on cover to Ashley, Mich by target handstamp, matching "Greenville, N.Y., Nov 25" cds, Very Fine, a rare Upham caricature patriotic. Estimate \$400 - 600

2523 ☒ "All We Want Is To Be Let Alone", blue caricature design with U.S. Mint and "Our Dog Boxer (Scott) After The Rats (Floyd)", interesting additional manuscript notation "I hope he will watch the head one", on cover to Jackson, Mich., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26), manuscript and not tied, blue Litchfield, O. cds; some cover wear and soiling, Fine, attractive cover. Estimate \$100 - 150

2524 ☒ "All We Want Is To Be Let Alone.", blue caricature design of U.S. Mint and General Scott (as guard dog) chasing Floyd (as rat) and several rats stealing money, on cover to Oakfield Centre, Wisc., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by blue "Louisville, Ky., Feb 4" cds and grid duplex, barely reduced at lower right and stamp staining, F.-V.F. Estimate \$100 - 150

2525 ☒ "Behold the Man! He Said Cotton Would Surely Make Them Independant", blue caricature design featuring gallows, British lion and Liberty tree, Brown & Ryan imprint at left, on cover to Schuylerville, N.Y., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by "Old Point Comfort, Va., Jul 13" cds, small cover edge flaws at light toning at left, F.-V.F. Bischel No. 1678. Estimate \$300 - 400



2526 ☒ **“By Golly Massa Butler. I Like Dis Better Dan Workin’ in De Field Foe Ole Secesh Massa”**, caricature design on cover to Auburn, N.Y., franked with 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by indistinct Massachusetts cds, **Very Fine**, very rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1600.
Estimate \$500 - 750

2527 ☒ **“C.S.A. Plenty of Drumming, But No Recruits”**, drummer in uniform design with “Wm. Ridenburgh N.Y.” imprint below, on cover to Green, R.I., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) canceled by target handstamp, Willimantic, Con. cds alongside, light staining in perfs and cover edges, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1805.
Estimate \$300 - 400

2528 ☒ **“Cant Do It Eh - Just Look At The Shavings!”**, red and blue design with verse below caricature, on cover to Mechanicsville, O., 1861, 3¢ rose (65), small overhang corner fault, with manuscript Hilliards, O. manuscript town cancel, **F.-V.F.**, scarce design.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2529 ☒ **“Corn (Not Cotton) Is King”**, blue design showing farmer harvesting corn, on cover to Welchfield, O., franked with manuscript canceled 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) with matching “Good Hill, Iowa, March 18” postmark; minor cover stains, **F.-V.F.**, quite scarce. Bischel No. 1629.
Estimate \$200 - 300



2530 ☒ **“Corner Stone of the Federal Union - Corner Stone of the Southern Confederacy”**, blue dual panel patriotic with “Gates - Cincinnati” imprint at bottom, on cover to Yaphank, Long Island, 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by bold “New York, Aug 14” cds & grid duplex, “Yonkers, N.Y. Aug 15, 1861” transit cds, trivial corner nick at upper right, **Very Fine**, very rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1580.
Estimate \$400 - 600



2531 ☒ **“Cotton Is King. - But De Crop’s Small Dis Year Dat’s Sure.”**, crop worker caricature design on cover to Holland, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by blue target handstamp, matching “Franklinville, N.Y., Feb 26” cds, cover slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1619.
Estimate \$500 - 750



2532 ☒ **“Cotton, England’s God”**, caricature design on cover to Kalamazoo, Mich, franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “New York, Dec 24” cds and target duplex, 1861 docketing; cover tear at lower right not affecting design, **Very Fine**, an extremely rare humorous patriotic design. Bischel No. 1638.
Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2533 ☒ **“Dedicated to the 71st Regiment and the Rhode Island Boys - Only 9 Miles to the Junction”**, blue design showing soldiers marching down railroad tracks, John H. Tingley imprint at left, on cover to Hornby, N.Y., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26), manuscript canceled with matching “Kinzua, Pa., Aug 9” town cancel, small stamps & cover flaws, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 1803.
Estimate \$250 - 350

2534 ☒ **Dual Panel Patriotic**, top design in red and blue showing flag and verse “The star spangled banner in triumph shall wave...”, other panel in blue only showing Uncle Sam choking the secessionist snake with verse “Or any other man” “That’s what’s the matter”, on cover to Chester Hinn, O., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26), tied by Athens, O. cds, **Very Fine**, unusual design.
Estimate \$100 - 150

2535 ☒ **“Evacuation of Harper’s Ferry”**, design showing oxen pulling wagon full of evacuee’s, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied on cover to Williamantic, Conn. by cork handstamp, partial cds (likely Albany N.Y.), manuscript Quaker dated “28664”; stamp flaws, **otherwise Very Fine**, Bischel catalog lists this design as rare. Bischel No. 2003.
Estimate \$300 - 400

Civil War Postal History



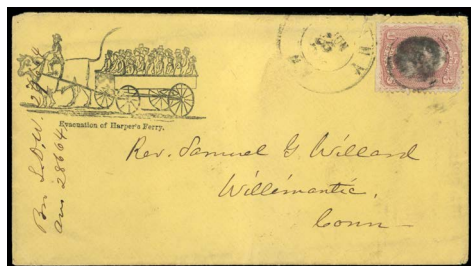
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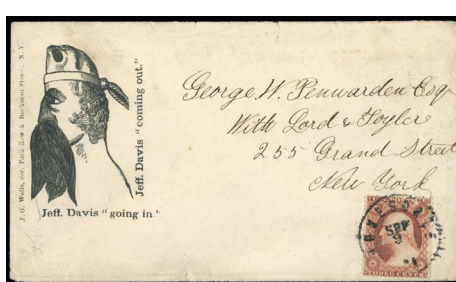
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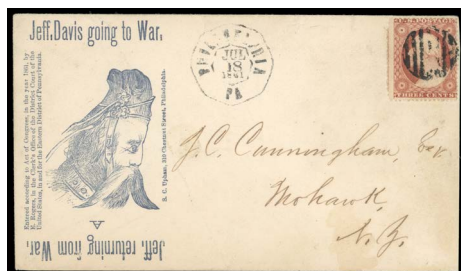
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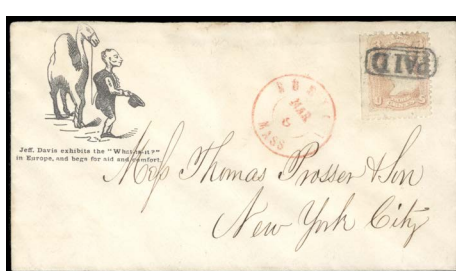
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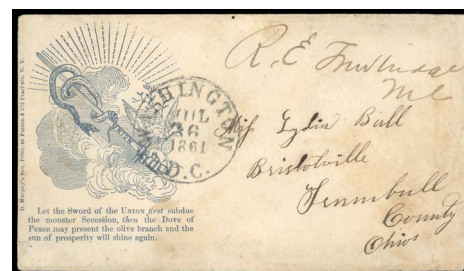
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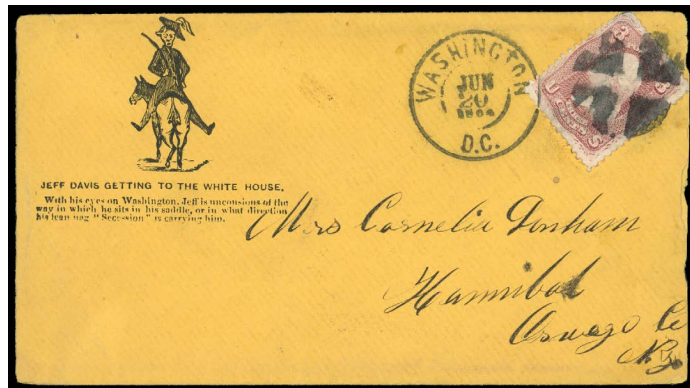


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- 2536 ☒ "General Beauregard Watering his Horse in the Infernal Regions", caricature design with Devils in Foreground Calling Him "Traitor!", on cover to Orwell, Ohio, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by "Marseilles, O., Jul 18" cds, cover flaws including soiling and small stains, **Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 1844.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2537 ☒ "The Innocent Cause of the War", black design on cover to Philadelphia, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by indistinct N.Y. cds, "Adv 1ct" handstamp, faults and tears, soiling, **still a Fine cover**. Bischel No. 1582.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2538 ☒ **J.D. His Marque**, skull and crossbones flag on cover to Binghamton, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by Aug 27 cds, **Very Fine**, an impressive cover, **ex-Walcott**.
Estimate \$250 - 300



- 2539 ☒ "Jeff Davis Getting To The White House", caricature design of Davis backwards on mule, verse below, on cover to Hannibal, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by crossroads handstamp and "Washington D.C., Jun 29, 1864" cds, **Very Fine and very rare, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 1862.
Estimate \$400 - 600



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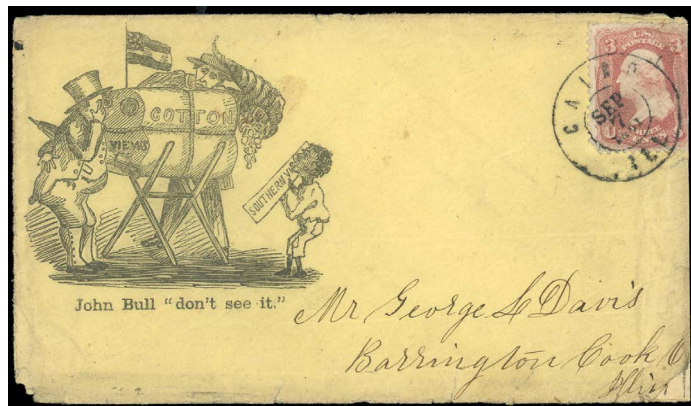


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- 2540 ☒ “Jeff Davis Going In - Jeff Davis Coming Out”, caricature design with W.G. Wells imprint at left, on cover to “With Lord & Taylor, 255 Grand St, New York”, 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by “Honesdale, Pa., Sep 9” town cds, couple small cover and stamp flaws, otherwise Very Fine, ex-Bischel. Bischel No. 1779. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2541 ☒ “Jeff Davis Going To War, Jeff Returning From War”, blue caricature on overall designed cover to North Brookfield, Mass, 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by large Boston “Paid” in grid, red “Boston, Mas., Jul 17” cds, partial backflap, portion of top flap missing, Very Fine, ex-Bischel. Bischel No. 1777. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2542 ☒ “Jeff Davis Going To War, Jeff Returning From War”, blue design on cover to Mohawk, N.Y., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) just tied by grid handstamp, matching “Philadelphia, Pa., Jul 18, 1861” octagonal date stamp, Very Fine, ex-Bischel. Bischel No. 1783. Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2543 ☒ Jeff Davis with Hat in Hand and Camel, black caricature design with verse below “...begs for aid and comfort” on cover to New York City, 1861, 3¢ rose (65), straightedge, tied by boxed “Paid” straightline, red “Boston, Mass Mar 9” cds, Very Fine, an extremely rare design, signed W.R. Weiss on reverse. Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2545 ☒ “John Bull “Don’t See It””, humorous caricature design on cover to Barrington, Ill., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Cairo, Ill. Sep 7, 1861” cds, cover and stamp flaws, Fine appearance, an extremely rare caricature design, ex-Bischel. Bischel No. 1656. Estimate \$400 - 600



- 2546 ☒ “The Latest Zouave Drill (All Up)”, orange brown design design on cover to Elizabethtown, Pa., 1861, 3¢ rose (65, tiny perf. defect) tied by indistinct cds, slight cover soiling, Very Fine and very rare, ex-Meroni & Bischel. Bischel No. 1913. Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2547 ☒ “Let the Sword of the Union. First.”, blue verse below sword and serpent design, D. Murphy Son imprint at left, on cover to Bristolville, Ohio, manuscript Congressional free frank, “Washington, D.C., Jul 26, 1861” cds; some light toning, otherwise Very Fine. Estimate \$300 - 400

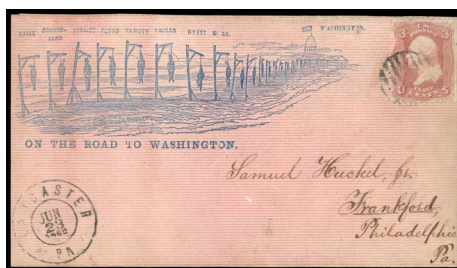


- 2544 ☒ John Bull & Jeff. Davis, humorous caricature design with “Oh Johnny: Help me out of this!” caption below, on cover to Brown University, R.I., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose tied by indistinct town cancel; right portion of cover and sideflap added, F.-V.F. appearance, an extremely rare caricature patriotic design, ex-Bischel. Bischel No. 1645. Scott No. 65 Estimate \$300 - 400

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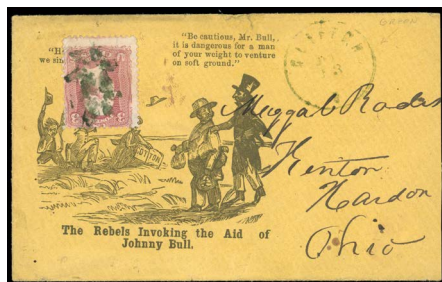
- 2548 ☒ **“Look Out John Or You Get Your Foot in It - Secession Trap”**, caricature design showing bull stepping into animal trap, on cover to Unadilla, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, faulty), tied by manuscript Hagaman’s Mills (N.Y.) postmark, edge soiling, **F-V.F. appearance**. Bischel No. 1631.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2549 ☒ **“Mary. Why, Johnny, What Have You Been Doing”**, blue caricature design with S.C. Upham imprint below, on cover to Wyoming, R.I., manuscript Congressional free frank, “Washington, D.C., Aug 17, 1861” cds, edge faults, staining and soiling, **Fine and very rare**, unlisted.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2550 ☒ **“My Only Support-Both My Boys Gone To War...”**, design in red, female washwoman, on cover to Three Rivers, Mich., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by Kalamazoo Mich cds, slightly reduced at left, **Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2551 ☒ **Northern Dog and Fearful Southern Dog**, black caricature design on cover to Boston, Mass. with **Berlin & Jones** imprint, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), small flaws, tied by “Old Point Comfort Oct 1” cds, small edge tear at top, barely reduced at right, **F-V.F. and scarce**.
Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2552 ☒ **“Oh Jeff ! You Little Noisy Cur”**, blue caricature design with eight verses showing Gen. Scott on horseback with Davis as a dog, on cover with military address (via Washington City P.O.) “care of Capt E.A. Wilder”, franked with **1861 1¢ blue + 3¢ rose** (63 with s.e., 65) both tied with boxed “Paid” handstamps, red “Boston, Mass., Sep 2” cds, reduced at right, still VF cover., **Very Fine**, a very rare caricature design and attractive usage, Bischel unlisted.
Estimate \$500 - 750



- 2553 ☒ **“Oh! Massa Jeff Dis Sesech Fever Will Kill De Nigger”**, dark violet caricature design on cover to LaGrange, Ind., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue “Louisville, Ky., May 31” cds and grid duplex, light cover soiling and contemporaneous ink stain in design, **F-V.F.**, very rare, *ex-Walcott & Bischel*. Bischel No. 1590.
Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2554 ☒ **“On the Road to Washington”**, blue imprint below design of hanging Secessionists on red shaded cover to Philadelphia, Pa., 1861, 3¢ rose (65, s.e. at right) tied by grid handstamp, matching “Lancaster, Pa., Jun 23, 1862” cds, stamp with nick at left, otherwise Very Fine. Bischel No. 1715.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2560 ☒ **“Secession” Dragon**, blue caricature of knight slaying dragon with Werden & Co. imprint at left, on cover to Spiceland, Ind., manuscript “New Haven, Ky., Dec 12” postmark and “due 3” rate, pencil notation “Soldiers Letter...”, light soiling, F.-V.F. Bischel No. 1963.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2555 ☒ **“The Pine Against the Palm”**, green and gray Holmes poem design on cover to Framingham, Mass., franked with uncanceled 1857, 3¢ dull red (26), franking not recognized “Due 3 cents.” handstamp and red “Boston, Mass., Jun 29” cds; cover tear at top, otherwise Very Fine, a very scarce 1862 demonetized usage.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2561 ☒ **“Secessionist”**, caricature design with Kimmel imprint showing mule with Confederate flag as saddle, on cover to West Exeter, N.Y., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied “New York, Nov 25” cds and target duplex, light cover tone spots tear at top, F.-V.F., very rare, the only caricature design Kimmel ever produced. Bischel No. 2072.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

- 2556 ☒ **“Protecting Secesh Property”**, caricature design with Frank Beard imprint, on cover to Worth, Mich., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by light “Cairo, Ill., Oct 29” cds, Very Fine, quite rare. Bischel No. 2087.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2562 ☒ **“See Session - Twill Take All Massa’s Money-And More Too”**, red slogan and black caricature design with manuscript “that is so.” along the side, on cover to Sherborn, Mass., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by dark blue “Cincinnati, O., Jun 6” cds and grid duplex, additional second panel “The Union Forever” showing shaking hands below first design, light soiling, otherwise Very Fine, an extremely rare dual design. Bischel No. 1592.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

- 2557 ☒ **“The Rebels Invoking the Aid of Johnny Bull”**, caricature design on cover to Kenton, O., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) with green cork handstamp, matching “Clifton, O., Jul 13” cds, cover reduced at right and stamp with light corner crease, F.-V.F., very rare. Bischel No. 1650.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2558 ☒ **“The Reverse of the C.S.A.”**, dual face and verse design, on cover to Minda, N.Y., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Nov 4, 1863” cds, Very Fine, very scarce.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2559 ☒ **“Scott” Hand Swatting “Jeff. Davis”**, red caricature design on cover to New York, franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) canceled by target handstamp, matching “Hanover, N.H., Oct 7, 1861” cds; cover reduced at right, otherwise Very Fine, very rare.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



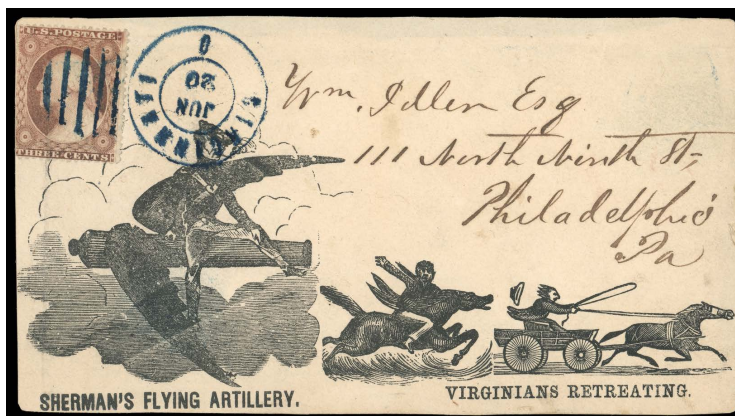
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- 2563 ☒ “Sherman’s Flying Artillery Virginians Retreating”, bold design showing Sherman on winged cannon, on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by “Cincinnati, O., Jun 20” cds and grid duplex; cover missing backflap and stamp slightly trimmed from cover overlap, otherwise Very Fine, Bischel unlisted.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2564 ☒ “Southern Ammunition”, blue moonshine jug design with “A.S. Robinson” imprint at left, on cover to Roxbury, Mass. 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by fancy grid of diamonds handstamp, light “Hartford, Conn, Jan 24” cds additionally tying stamp, Very Fine and rare. Bischel No. 1829.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2565 ☒ Southern Bonds, violet humorous caricature design with verse below, on cover to Peterboro, N.H., manuscript Congressional free frank at top and “Washington, D.C., Jul 26, 1861” cds; reduction at right restored, Very Fine appearance, a very rare design.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

At war’s end, Southerners were left holding now worthless Confederate bonds. To help raise money, the Confederate States of America issued bonds. Early in the Civil War, these bonds seemed a worthwhile, even patriotic, investment to the Southerners who bought them.

- 2566 ☒ “Southern Honor”, caricature in purple of a wasp, with horn and banner “Hum”, on cover to Pendleton, O., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) with centrally struck small blue 6 bar grid with central dot, matching “Richfield, O Aug 8” cds, backflap added, soiling and corner repairs, Fine, possibly the only known example of this very scarce design.
 Estimate \$200 - 250

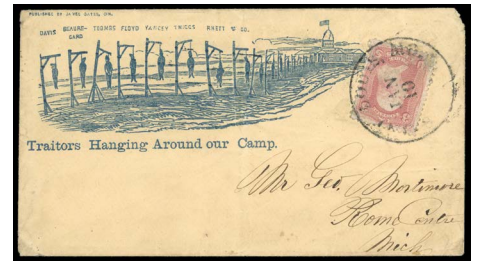
- 2567 ☒ Southern Lion J.D. “Stirring Him Up”, black caricature design showing J. Davis in cage, on cover to Fort Wayne, Mich., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) with centrally struck grid, “Portland, Me., Jul 10, 1861” cds, slightly reduced, water stains across bottom and edge tears, Fine, Bischel catalog states two recorded examples. Bischel No. 2002.
 Estimate \$200 - 300



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2568 ☒ "There Was a Man in Our Town...", 8 verses below a two panel caricatures in red and blue, S.C. Upham imprint on backflap, on cover to "United States Steam Frigate Susquehanna, Boston, Mass.", 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by grid, matching "Lancaster, Pa., Jun 12, 1861" cds, reduced at right, cover soiling and slightly reduced at right, F.-V.F., an extremely rare unlisted multicolored caricature design.
Estimate \$500 - 750



2569 ☒ "This Modern Blondin Leaves But One Impression...", violet caricature design showing Jeff Davis tight rope walking across waterfall to the U.S. Capitol, with verse and "Brown & Ryan, N.Y." imprint at left, on cover to New York, 1861, 3¢ rose, horizontal pair (65) tied by "Philadelphia, Pa., Oct 15, 1861" cds and grid duplex, Very Fine, Bischel unlisted.
Estimate \$400 - 600

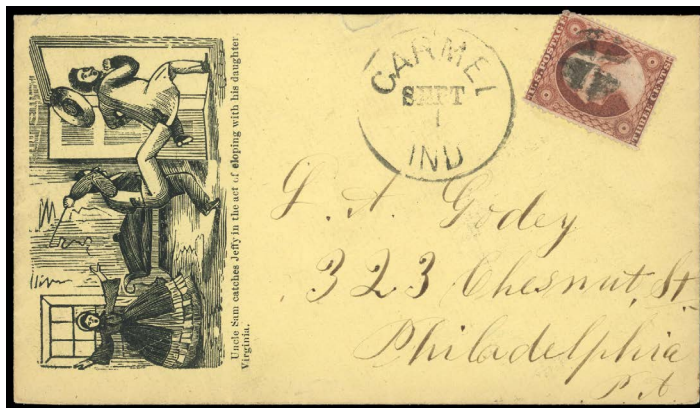
2570 ☒ "Thou Art Weighed in the Balance, and Art Found Wanting", red and blue design showing "Constitution" over "Holy Bible" outweighing treason snake on the scales of justice, on cover to Orangeville, Ill., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by "Springfield, Ill., Sep 18, 1861" cds, manuscript "pd 3¢", reduced at right, otherwise Very Fine, a very rare design. Bischel No. 1737.
Estimate \$300 - 400

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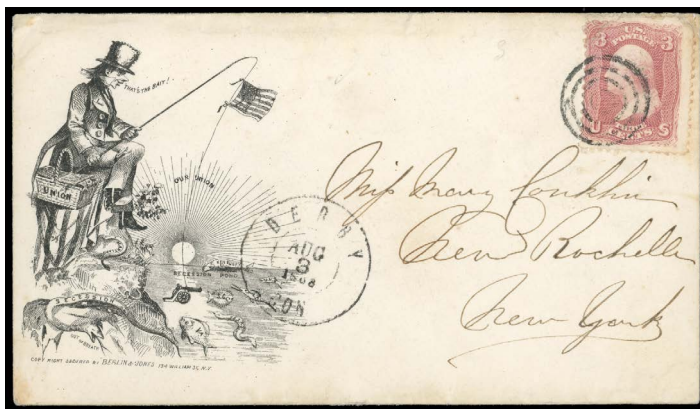
- 2571 ☒ **“Traitors Hanging Around Our Camp”,** large blue patriotic design on cover to Rome Centre, Mich., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “St. Louis, Mo. Jan 10” cds; small cover corner flaws and stamp with nicked corner, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 1716 var.
 Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2572 ☒ **Uncle Sam Against Rebels “5 To One Ha”,** reddish violet caricature design on cover to Dayton, O., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by blue “Cincinnati, O., Sept 25” cds, with uncanceled eagle carrier stamp affixed on reverse; light even toning and stamp clipped at top, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 1918.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



- 2573 ☒ **“Uncle Sam Catches Jeff’y in the Act of Eloping With His Daughter Virginia”,** bold caricature design on cover to Philadelphia, pa., **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)** canceled by quartered cork handstamp, matching “Carmel, Ind., Sept 1” cds; small cover tear at top, **Very Fine**, an extremely rare design, *ex-Walcott & Bischel*. Bischel No. 2058.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



- 2574 ☒ **Uncle Sam Fishing With Cannon in “Secession Pond”,** “That’s the Bait” humorous caricature design depicting Uncle Sam fishing with a cannon in “Secession Pond” for Southern and Border States, Berlin and Jones imprint below, on cover to New Rochelle, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)**, perf flaws at top, tied by target handstamp, matching “Derby, Con., Aug 8, 1863” cds, **Very Fine**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1753.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

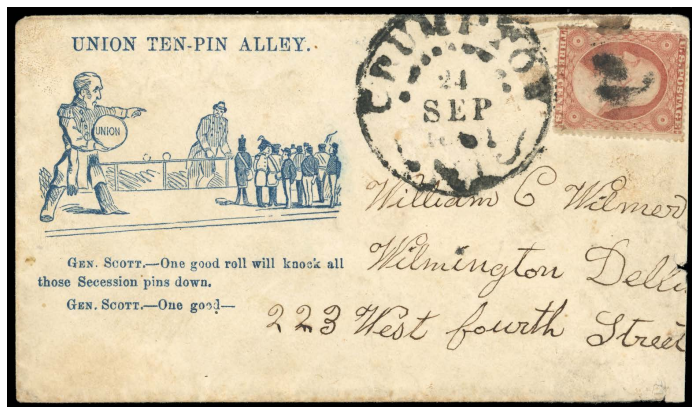
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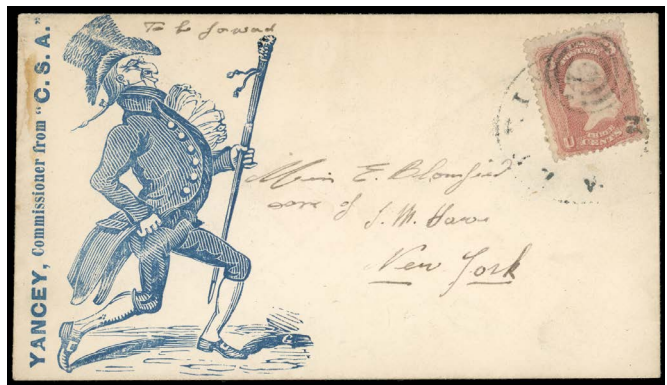
- 2575 ☒ **“Uncle Sam Sends His Bird After Traitor Jeff.”**, humorous caricature design on cover to Bloomfield, O., franked with **1861, 3¢ pink (64)**, faulty and tied by indistinct cds, cover slightly reduced repaired tear at right, **still Fine**, a very rare design. Bischel No. 1873.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2580 ☒ **“Where Is Massa Jeff Now, Dat’s What’s De Matter - the Latest Contraband of War”**, caricature design on cover to Meridan, Conn., franked with **1857, 1¢ blue, type V, three singles (24)** tied by “Washington, D.C., Free” cds’s; small stamp flaws, **otherwise Very Fine**, Bischel No. 1611 (slightly different verse).
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2576 ☒ **“Union Ten-Pin Alley”**, blue design showing Gen. Scott playing ten-pin with confederate soldiers, on cover to Wilmington, De., **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)** tied by fancy “Crompton, Md., Queen Anne Co., Sep 24” town and county cds (Simpson rated rarity 10), light soiling and reduced at right, **F.-V.F. and scarce combination cover, ex-Diamond & Bischel**. Bischel No. 1905.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

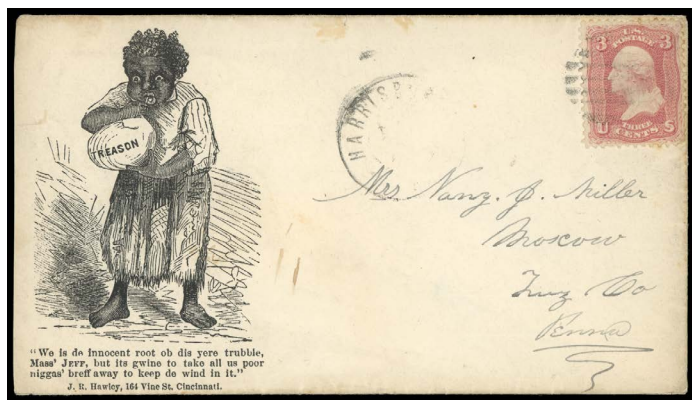


- 2581 ☒ **“Yancy, Commissioner from “C.S.A.”**”, large blue caricature design on cover to New York, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by indistinct cds and target handstamp, trivial edge tone spot, **Very Fine**, and extremely rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1926.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

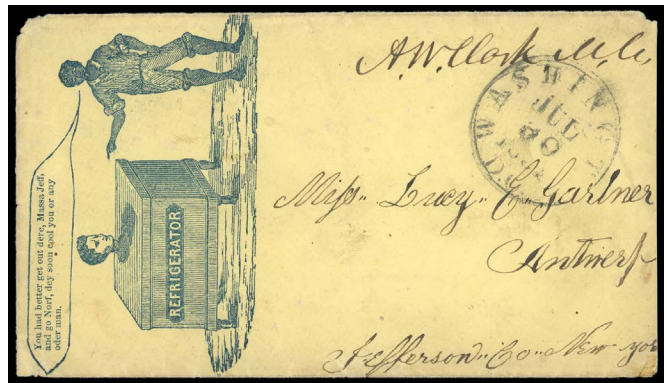
- 2577 ☒ **W.G. Brownlow**, portrait design with patriotic quotation below, on cover franked with ma canceled 1861 3¢ rose (65), manuscript postmark at bottom obscured by stain; stamp with small nick at top, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$75 - 100

- 2582 ☒ **“You Can’t Come It, Jeff”**, racoon design on cover to Stoughton, Mass., **“G.B.D. Oct 31” (General Banks Division)** rimless oval handstamp, light “Paid” straightline handstamp, trivial wrinkling and couple light stains, **F.-V.F. with scarce handstamp**, a very rare design, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1529.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2578 ☒ **“The Washington Grape”**, caricature with Jefferson Davis as a fox, on cover to Rahway, N.J., **1857, 3¢ dull red (26, s.e. at left)** tied by grid handstamp, matching “Newark, N.J., Jul 17” cds, edge soiling and small tears, **F.-V.F.**, a very scarce design. Bischel No. 1500.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2579 ☒ **“We Is Da Inocent Root Ob Dis Yere Trouble...”**, caricature design showing slave drinking a bag of “Treason”, “Hawley, Cincinnati” imprint below, on cover to Moscow, Pa., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by grid handstamp, matching Harrisburg, Pa. cds, light edge wear and toning, **otherwise Very Fine**, very rare. Bischel No. 1597.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



- 2583 ☒ **“You Had Better Get Out Dere, Massa Jeff...”**, blue humorous caricature design with Jeff Davis in refrigerator, on cover to Antwerp, N.Y., “Washington, D.C., Jul 10, 1862” cds and manuscript “A.W. Clark, M.C.” Congressional free frank, slightly reduced at right and rounded corner at top, **F.-V.F.**, a very rare caricature patriotic.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



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- 2584 ☒ **(Captured CSA Patriotic) 8-Star Confederate Flag “Jeff Davis, Pres., Alex. H. Stephens, Vice Pres.”**, entire in red and blue on unused patriotic with manuscript notation **“This is the flag of the Southern Confederacy of rebels which I send you enclosed”**, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

Eagle Designs

- 2585 ☒ **“The American Eagle Catches Jeff Davis in His Attempt To Rob Her Nest”**, red and blue design with Magee imprint at left, on cover to Harrison Valley, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Washington, D.C., Oct 30” cds, slight cover soiling and tear in stamp at bottom, **F.-V.F.**, Bischel unlisted.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2586 ☒ **American Eagle Catching Davis Robbing Nest**, red and blue design with Magee imprint at left, on cover to Cochranville, Pa., with soldier’s letter endorsement at top, “Port Royal, S.C., Jul 29” cds with “Due 3” handstamp; slightly reduced at right, **otherwise Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2587 ☒ **American Eagle Catching Davis Robbing Nest**, red and blue design with Magee imprint at left, on cover to Bethlehem, N.Y., franked with **1861, 3¢ pink (64, s.e. at left)** tied by “Trenton, N.J., Sep 30, 1861” cds with same next day postmark at center; some cover toning and small edge flaw at top, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2588 ☒ **Eagle & Flag on “Constitution” Rock**, multicolored design with “Soldier’s Letter, Army of the Potomac” endorsement and patriotic song sheet at bottom right, James P. Herron imprint at bottom left, on cover to **Welland, Canada** with “Washington, D.C., Jul 1, 1862” cds and matching “Due” & “10” handstamps, additional boxed “U.S. 10cts” handstamp, partial transit backstamp; sealed tears at top and one at bottom, portion of backflap missing, **F.-V.F.**, a rare soldier’s patriotic cover to Canada.
 Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2589 ☒ **Eagle & Globe**, red and blue design on cover to Fairfax, Vt., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** with unusual mis-perf registration, tied by “West Burke, Vt., Nov 28” cds; cover slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300



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- 2590 ☒ **Eagle & Rays**, multicolored design on cover to Cannonsburg, Mich., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by Grand Rapids, Mich. cds, 1862 pencil docket, **Very Fine**, unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2591 ☒ **Eagle & Shield "Union Forever"**, red and blue design on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by indistinct Illinois cds, partial side flap and some edge wear, **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2592 ☒ **Eagle and Flag**, red and blue design on cover to Philadelphia, **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26, x2 singles & pair), paying the quadruple 3¢ rate, or most probably the x2 ship rate, multiple "New York N.Y. May 25 (1861)" cds's and small grids, reduced at right, rebacked and missing backflap, **Very Fine**, scarce rate, with typed note and signed "Malpass".
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2593 ☒ **Eagle and Shield**, multicolored design with Mumford & Co. imprint at left, on on cover to Aurora, Ind., Columbia, Ky. origin cds and manuscript "Due 3", endorsed "J.C. Weston, Maj. 10th Reg Ky. Vol", cover edge wear, **F-V.F.** Bischel No. 4496.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2594 ☒ **Eagle and Shield in Rays**, dark blue design with ribbon, on cover to Derby Line, Vt. **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by grid handstamp, matching "Mount Carroll, Ill., Jan 27" cds, cover toned and small stain spots, **F-V.F.** Bischel No. 4471.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2595 ☒ **Eagle, Flags and Shield**, red allover shaded cover to Philadelphia, Pa., "Wm Bindenburgh" imprint on backflap, addressed to Mr. Magee (printer of patriotic envelopes), **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by "New York, Sep 8, 1861" cds, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 4371.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2596 ☒ **Eagle, Shield & Flags**, red and blue allover border design with Jas. Gates imprint, on cover to Effingham, Ill., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, s.e. at left) tied by "Mount Healthy, O., Jan 16" cds, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2597 ☒ **Eagle, Shield & Flags**, red and blue design on allover shaded cover to Pekin, N.Y., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) canceled by quartered cork handstamp, indistinct cds at right; slight cover stain at lower right, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2598 ☒ **"Freedom, National, Liberty & Union"**, blue eagle and shield patriotic design on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, gutter s.e. at left) tied by "Jacksonville, Vt., Sep 9" cds, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2599 ☒ **The Great Seal "E Pluribus Unum"**, patriotic design on cover to Island Falls, Me., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by segmented cork and "Alexandria, Va, Jul 13" cds, **Very Fine**, unlisted.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2600 ☒ **"Independence 1776, Great Britain 1812, Mexico 1848, Secession 1861, Peace"**, blue banner held by eagle atop globe with flags right and left, on cover to East Durham, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by "Union Society, N.Y., Jan 1, 1863" manuscript postmark, reduced slightly at left, light soiling, **F-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 4407.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2601 ☒ **"Liberty And Union"**, maroon eagle and shield design with additional "14th Reg't. Ky. V., U.S.A., Col. J.C. Cochran." printed across top, on cover to Zanesfield, O., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with intricate small blue dotted "N" in dotted circle, matching bold "Cumberland Gap Ten. July 30" cds, **Extremely Fine**, an attractive cover, Bischel states only two recorded examples. Bischel No. 2315.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2602 ☒ **"Liberty's Emblems"**, red and blue design showing crossed flags, eagle and shield with banner, on cover to Merrit, Mich., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with centrally struck target cancel, true brown "West Salem Jul 17 O" cds, minor edge wear and barely reduced at right, **F-V.F.**, extremely attractive.
Estimate \$100 - 200
- 2603 ☒ **"Lowell" General Hospital, U.S.A., Portsmouth Grove, R.I.**, patriotic corner card with Eagle and Shield below, in black on blue cover to New Bedford, Mass. **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by grid handstamp, "Portsmouth Grove, R.I., Aug 2" cds alongside, 1864 docketing, **Very Fine and choice**, quite rare. Bischel No. 1416.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2604 ☒ **"Not A Star Must Fall"**, eagle and flag bicolored design with large star, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue diamond grid handstamp, matching large "North Evans, N.Y., Monday, Apr 14, 1862" cds, some top edge repair and missing backflap, **F-V.F. appearance**.
Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2605 ☒ **"Our Union Must And Shall Be Preserved"**, multicolored design showing large eagle in brown with flag and shield, on cover to Newport, R.I., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by Harlen, N.Y. cds, some cover edge wear and minor nicks, **F-V.F.**, an extremely rare and unlisted design.
Estimate \$300 - 400

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- 2606 ☒ “Signal Corps U.S.A.”, black design with eagle and signal flags, on cover to Toledo, O., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by target handstamp, matching “Washington, D.C., Dec 13” cds, **Very Fine**, quite possibly a Kimmel design, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 2879.
 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2607 ☒ “Star of Destiny”, red and blue patriotic design on cover to Pomeroy, Ohio, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “St. Louis, Mo., Feb 19” cds with diamond grid handstamp, light edge wear and toning, slightly reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 4695.
 Estimate \$150 - 200



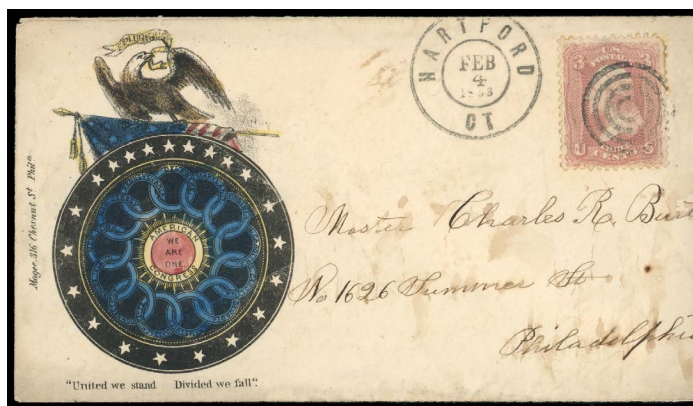
- 2608 ☒ “Union” Hand Drawn Patriotic, red and blue hand drawn design of Eagle with banner & flags over address panel addressed to Casstown, Ohio, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by Columbus “Prison Bars” cancel, “Columbus, O., Nov 8” cds, small stain at upper left and light even toning, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 4567.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

AN OUTSTANDING MULTI-COLOR PEN & INK PATRIOTIC DESIGN WHICH INCORPORATE THE ADDRESS.



2609 ☒ “**Union**”, red and blue design showing eagle perched atop flag looking down, **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)** with matching manuscript “B(rick)M(eeting) Home July 31” town cancel, **Very Fine**, Bischel catalog states this is **one of three recorded**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 4635.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

2610 ☒ “**The Union The Constitution**”, blue eagle with ribbon on small cover to Wilmington, Ks., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)**, tied by indistinct cds, minor edge flaws, **Fine and attractive design**.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



2611 ☒ “**We Are One - United We Stand Divided We Fall**”, multicolored patriotic design with **Magee** imprint, on patriotic cover to Philadelphia, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by target handstamp, “Hartford, Ct., Feb 4, 1863” cds, bit reduced at right, slight soiling, **F.-V.F.**, Bischel catalog states this is **the only recorded example**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 4698.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

2612 ☒ “**Wrapt in Its Folds Our Whole Country...**”, red and blue design with verse featuring eagle, flags and globe on forwarded cover Louisville, O., originally addressed to Pittsburg, Pa., “Forwarded” straightline and large numeral “3”, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Louisville, O 19 Nov” cds, light staining and missing backflap, **Fine**, nice usage.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

Female Designs

2613 ☒ “**As It Is...As It Will Be**”, black better items-panel patriotic showing Northern soldier fighting Southern soldier, both with flag, other panel with caricature of lady liberty with sleeping children covered with flag blanket, scarce **Berlin & Jones** imprint at bottom, on cover to Rileyville, Pa., “Washington D.C. Dec 7” CDS (probably 1861), **Very Fine**, scarce design and printer.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

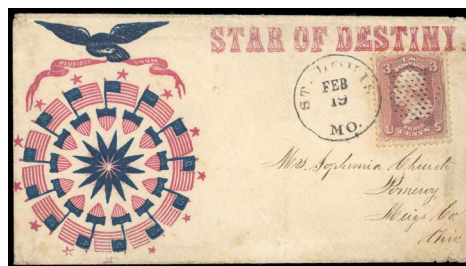
2614 ☒ **Columbia with Flag**, black design with flag in colors, on cover to Cannan Four Corners, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Brooklyn, N.Y., Nov 1, 1862” cds, cover with some foxing and soiling, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 3971.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

2615 ☒ “**Dedicated To the Gallant Defenders of Our National Union**”, red and blue illustrated design of Lady Liberty, on cover to Harrisburg, Pa., **Magee** imprint vertically at left, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** manuscript canceled with “Manor Hill (Pa) Sept 13” manuscript postmark above, **Very Fine and choice**. Bischel No. 2144.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

2616 ☒ **Eastman’s Business College Patriotic**, near overall black design showing multiple allegorical figures, eagle and flag, on cover to West Meriden, Conn., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)**, faults, tied by grid, “Poughkeepsie Feb 22 1864” cds, light toning in places, **F.-V.F.**, very attractive combination of advertising with patriotic design, *ex-Foote*.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



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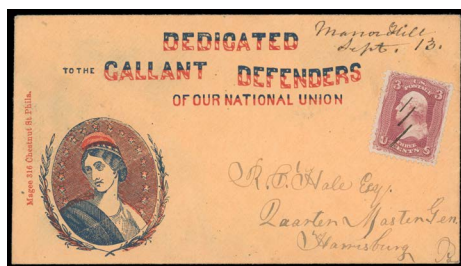
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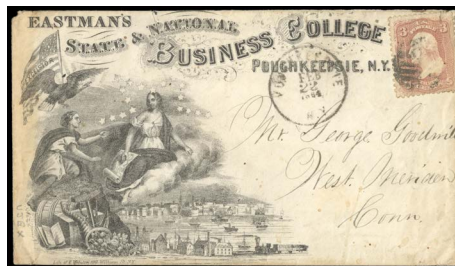
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2617 ☒ **House That Uncle Sam Built** (see 8) notation below Lady Liberty, verse begins "Is the maiden all Forlon...", on cover to Killingsworth, Conn., 1861, 1¢ blue + 3¢ rose (63, 65) both tied by Philadelphia, Pa., repair under 3¢ stamp (sealed scissor cut), F.-V.F., part of a very scarce series. Estimate \$150 - 200



2618 ☒ **Indian Maiden with Bow and Arrow**, multicolored with Magnus imprint below, on cover to Three Mile Bay, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) canceled by target handstamp, matching "Oswego, N.Y., Apr 2" cds alongside, couple small stamp flaws and cover with small repair on reverse and small tear at top, F.-V.F., a very rare Magnus design; with 1993 P.F. certificate. Bischel No. 3796. Estimate \$500 - 750

2619 ☒ **Lady Liberty and Flag "Onward"**, red and blue patriotic design on cover to New York City, manuscript "soldier's letter" and red officer's endorsement handstamp LEWIS M. EASTMAN...U.S. GEN. HOSP. blue "Due 3" circle handstamp, some light cover tone spots, Very Fine, an attractive and rare usage, ex-Bischel. Bischel No. 4247. Estimate \$150 - 200

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- 2620 ☒ **Lady Liberty and Shield**, multicolored **Magnus** design on cover to Cary's Mills, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by "Washington, D.C., Jun 19" cds, small edge faults and light toning, **F-V.F.**, *ex-Walcott & Bischel*. Bischel No. 4151.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2621 ☒ **Lady Liberty and Shield**, red and blue design with **double impression of red**, on cover to West Groton, Mass., "Soldier's Letter 6th Mass Regt." bold handstamp with faint Officer's frank, blue "Due 3" handstamp and matching "Norfolk, Va., May 6" cds; light soiling, **otherwise Very Fine**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 2344.
Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2622 ☒ **Lady Liberty with Flag**, red and blue design on cover to **Germany**, "Belleville, Ill., Jun 8" origin cds, "New York, Am Pkt, 23, Jun 8" exchange cds, "30" in circle rate gum soak, manuscript "By the Prussian Closed mail", blue manuscript accountancy marking and red Aachen transit backstamp, **Very Fine**, **a lovely usage to a foreign destination**. Bischel No. 4051.
Estimate \$500 - 750



- 2623 ☒ **Lady Liberty with Shield and Flag**, multicolored hand painted **Kimmel patriotic** design on cover to Wilkes Barre, Pa., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by grid handstamp, "Sunbury, Pa., Apr 28" cds, **Very Fine**, Bischel catalog states this design is very rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 4193.
Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 2624 ☒ **Lady Liberty, Shield and Eagle**, illustrated patriotic corner card for Cutter & Austin, Importers, Boston, Mass., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) on cover to Jaffrey, N.H., tied by segmented cork, red "Boston Mass. Nov 10" (1864) cds, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2625 ☒ **"Let It Be Ever Thus With Traitors"**, red and pink design of allegorical Liberty with sword above bodies of "Disunion" and "Secession", on cover to Chesterfield Centre, Vt., 1861, 3¢ rose (65), small faults, tied by blue target, matching Chicago, Ill. cds, small edge flaws, **Fine**, unusual and scarce design.
Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2626 ☒ **Liberty & Flag**, red Magnus design with verse below, on fresh cover to Corydon, Ind., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) canceled by target handstamp, matching “New Albany, Ind., Jan 27, 1862” cds, with original enclosure, **Very Fine and choice**, a wonderful Magnus patriotic design and usage. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



- 2627 ☒ **Liberty & “Union” Flag**, green patriotic design with Magnus imprint below, on cover to **Vienna, Austria** from the Angel correspondence and then forwarded, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose + 12¢ black** (65, 69) large “Paid” in grid handstamp, red “New York, Hamb Pkt, 10, Apr 19” exchange cds, boxed “Franco” handstamp, various manuscript rates and numerous transit and forwarding backstamps; small edge flaws and minor soiling, **still Very Fine**, ex-Matthies, Meyer & Bischel. Bischel No. 7. Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

A RARE FOREIGN USAGE OF A MAGNUS PATRIOTIC FROM THE ANGELL CORRESPONDENCE.

- 2628 ☒ **“Liberty and Union”**, orange design featuring allegorical Liberty & flag, on cover to Suffield, Conn., **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by indistinct Conn, town cds (possibly South Windsor), **Very Fine**, immaculate cover. Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2629 ☒ **Liberty and Union**, red verse below Liberty and flag on cover to Boston, Mass., **1863, 2¢ black** (73) pair tied by indistinct cds, **F-V.F.**, Blackjacks are extremely scarce on Patriotic covers. Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2630 ☒ **“Onward To Victory” Lady Liberty with Flag Riding Flying Eagle**, multicolored patriotic design on cover to Boonville, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., May 24, 1862” cds; stamp with small tear at bottom, **otherwise Very Fine**. Bischel No. 4039. Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2631 ☒ **Seated Female with Trident & Flag**, bronzed patriotic design on cover with military address to Washington, D.C., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by **oblong rectangular diamond grid** handstamp with “Williamstown, Mich., Feb 3” cds above, reduced at right, light soiling mostly around edges and couple stain spots, **F.-V.F.**, very rare and quite possibly a Magnus creation. Bischel No. 4162.
Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2632 ☒ **Soldiers Farewell**, woman in patriotic dress and bonnet, red and blue design printed over blind embossed corner card, on cover to Manchester N.H., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue “Norfolk, Va., Feb 14” cds, couple small tone spots, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 2146.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2633 ☒ **“The Stars of the Union”**, grayish violet ribbon with female design at left, on cover to Stowe, Vt., **1861 3¢ rose** (65, s.e. at right) tied by “Washington City, D.C., Dec 8” cds and target duplex, cover corner wear, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 3802.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2634 ☒ **Lady Liberty and Verse “Be Just and Fear Not” Transatlantic Patriotic**, red and blue design on patriotic cover to **Germany, 1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C. Dec 17 1862” cds, “New York Br Pkt 23” transit, “30” handstamp, all appropriate backstamps transits and receivers, light soiling, **F.-V.F.**, appears 3¢ part payment not accepted.
Estimate \$200 - 300

Flag Designs

- 2635 ☒ **31 Star Flag**, red and blue design on cover to the 13th N.Y. Reg’t military address, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Candice, N.Y., Jan 16” cds; slight cover soiling and reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**, very rare.
Estimate \$200 - 300

The 31 Star Flag became the official United States Flag on July 4th 1851. A star was added for the admission of California (September 9th, 1850) and was to last for seven years.
- 2636 ☒ **“April 19, 1775, April 19 1861, We Fight For Our Country”**, red and blue patriotic showing eagle, shield and flags with Mass. State Seal, on cover to East Ringe, N.H., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by target handstamp, matching New Ipswich, N.H. cds, corner chip and light edge wear, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2637 ☒ **“Atlantic Telegraph”**, patriotic flag and verse on cover addressed to Gov. Andrew, 71 Charles St. (Mass.), manuscript “Collect 20-”, backflap fault, **Very Fine**, an extremely rare combination.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2638 ☒ **The Constitution**, red and blue design with shaking hands and flag allegories, on cover to Urbana, O., franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by **fancy five point star** handstamp, matching “Kankakee Depot, Ill., Jul 3, 1861” cds, **Very Fine**, a lovely patriotic and fancy cancel combination.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2639 ☒ **Flag and the Constitution**, red and blue design with shaking hands and Andrew Jackson quote below, on cover to Oberlin, O. franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by **fancy shield in circle** handstamp, matching “Farmington, Ill., Aug 14” cds; cover and portion of stamp added at right, **Very Fine appearance**.
Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2640 ☒ **Flag and Eagle with Shield**, multicolored design with “Nesbitt & Co., Printers, N.Y.” imprint at bottom left, on cover to Harden, N.Y., **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) canceled by grid handstamp, matching “Hancock, N.Y., Apr 23” cds, cover with light staining and small tear at top, partial backflap, **F.-V.F.**, a very rare multicolored patriotic design produced by U.S. envelope manufacturer Nesbitt & Co. Bischel No. 4432.
Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2641 ☒ **Flag Facing Right**, red and blue flag at lower left with black corner card for Plympton’s Book Store and Job Printing Office, Holliston, Mass. (most probably the printer of patriotic), on cover to Roxbury, Mass. **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by grid, Holliston, Mass cds, **Very Fine**, neat and attractive cover, most probably scarce.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2642 ☒ **Flag with Eagle**, red and blue allover design on cover to Moline, Ill., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), small faults from overlap, tied by “Louisville, Ky., Nov 5, 1861” cds and grid duplex, small edge flaws, **Fine**, scarce design.
Estimate \$100 - 200



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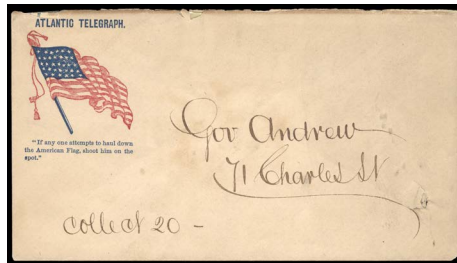
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2643 ☒ **Flag with Liberty Cap on Flagstaff**, red and blue all over design, with Joseph H. Bryson imprint on bottom flap, on cover to Columbia, Pa. franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)** canceled by blue grid handstamp, matching "Chambersburg, Pa., Jun 10, 1861" cds; cover with slight soiling and missing most of backflap, **F.-V.F. and rare**.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

2644 ☒ **"God and Our Native Land"**, red and blue two flag patriotic design with verse below "For the flag our father gave . . .", on cover to Oriskany Falls, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by Washington D.C. cds, cover edge wear and soiling, **Fine**. Bischel No. 5045.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



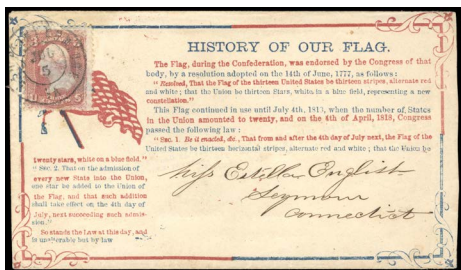
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- 2645 ☒ **"History of Our Flag"**, red and blue allover bordered design with flag and quotations, J.G. Wells imprint on backflap, on cover to Seymour, Ct., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by "Old Point Comfort, Va., Jul 5" cds, **Very Fine**, a rare design, *ex-Walcott*. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2646 ☒ **"History of Our Flag"**, red and blue allover bordered design with flag and quotations, on cover to Salem, N.J., franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)** canceled by grid handstamp, "Philadelphia, Pa., Jul 12, 1861" octagon date stamp; cover with light edge wear and missing sideflap, **F-V.F.** Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2647 ☒ **"Long May It Wave"**, red and blue flag design on cover to Leyden, N.Y., franked with **1861, 1¢ blue + 3¢ rose (63, 65)** tied by "New York, Oct 29, 1862" cds with additional manuscript cancels, 3¢ stamp with nick at left, **F-V.F.** Bischel No. 5413. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2648 ☒ **"Never Let That Flag Be Dishonored"**, red and blue soldier and flag design on cover to North Thetford, Vt, **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)** tied by grid handstamp, matching "College Hill, Ohio" circular undated postmark, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3694. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2649 ☒ **New York, Albany and Buffalo Telegraph Co.**, patriotic advertising in red and blue on immaculate cover to New York, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by grid and "Utica, N.Y., Jun 1, 1862" cds, **Very Fine**, Bischel catalog states this is **the only recorded example**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 5435. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2650 ☒ **"O, Liberty! Can Man Resign Thee..."**, blue verse below red and blue flag, on cover to Kirkville, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by Dansville, N.Y. cds, additional overall printed advertising on reverse for "The Laws of Life, an original Monthly Health Journal", bottom half of advertising with map, cover tone spots & light edge soiling, **Fine**, attractive combination. Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2651 ☒ **Our Country**, red and blue design of globe and flag surrounded by water, additional boxed advertising below "from Bank of Cleveland", **1857, 3¢ dull red, two singles (26)** both tied by grid, Cleveland, O. cds, barely reduced at left and minor edge nicks, **F-V.F.** Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2652 ☒ **"Our Whole Country"**, flowing flag in red and blue, additional shield type advertising at right "Joseph Levy Hoop Skirt Factory...Philadelphia", on cover to Easton, Pa., **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)** with open grid, double octagonal "Philadelphia Pa. Jun 7, 1861" cancel, **Very Fine**, attractive combination (no photo). Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2653 ☒ **Overall Flag Patriotic to Algeria**, postmarked partial "Old Point Comfort Oct 4" cds, New York "6" transit cds and "30" in circle rate, "16" accountancy mark, manuscript "Via France", red French receiver, all appropriate backstamps, light soiling and minor edge flaws/faults, **F-V.F.**, **extremely rare and probably unique destination**. Estimate \$500 - 750
- 2654 ☒ **Patriotic (Flag), Used as a Wrapper**, unusual usage, refolded to accommodate delivery, **1861 1¢ blue (63)** tied by New Orleans cds, **Very Fine**, an extremely rare usage. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2655 ☒ **"Rally Boys."**, violet soldier and flag, verse below, on cover to Knightstown, Ind, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** not tied by grid, matching "Clarington, Oh 17 Mar" cds ("62"manuscript) horizontal file fold (insignificant) and reduced at left and right, **F-V.F.** Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2656 ☒ **Star and Union Flag**, red and blue patriotic large star, on cover to Bolton, N.J., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by grid, indistinct town cds, **F-V.F.** Estimate \$100 - 150

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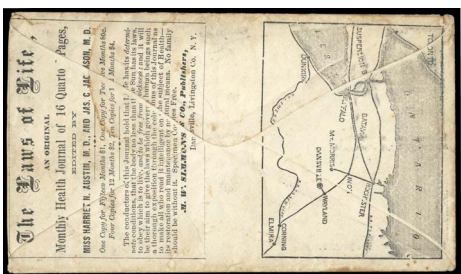
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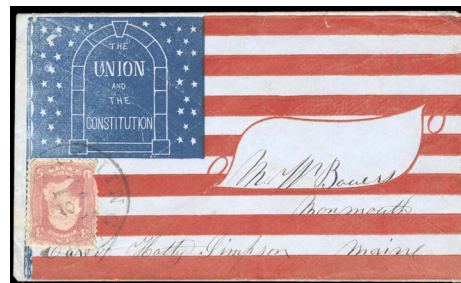
- 2657 ☒ **“Strike Till the Last Arm’d Foe Expires”**, blue verse in oval surrounded by flags, with soldier and sailor above, on cover to Denmark, Iowa, **1861 3¢ rose** (65) tied by St Louis Mo. cds, **F-V.F.** Bischel No. 5688.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2658 ☒ **Waving Flag Transatlantic Patriotic**, red and blue design on small cover to **Liverpool**, partial originating Essex, Ct. cds and boxed “24” handstamps, partial New York “21” Pkt. transit, Liverpool “Oct 15 63” backstamp, small corner chip at lower right, **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2659 ☒ **“Union”**, overall bicolored illustrated patriotic with flags, shield, cannon, drum, rifles, saber and angel, on cover to Darby Creek Ohio, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue “Louisville, Ky., Aug 18” cds, edge soiling, nicks and wear, **Fine**, Bischel catalog states this design is very rare. Bischel No. 4387.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2660 ☒ **“Union - Constitution”**, bicolored patriotic with eagle and flags, on cover to Des Moines, Iowa, 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by attractive “Paid 3” in arc with “Batavia, Ills., Jul 1” cds alongside, couple edge flaws include small corner chip and light soiling, **Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2661 ☒ **“Union - Our Country”**, **Flag and Globe with Additional Verses**, bicolored patriotic design on cover to Tipicanoe, Ind., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by **green Columbus “prison bars” handstamp**, matching “Columbus, O., Mar 4” cds; small stamp flaws, **otherwise Very Fine**, a very scarce color cancellation. Bischel No. 4950.
Estimate \$200 - 300



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- 2662 ☒ **“The Union and the Constitution”**, dual paneled patriotic with Gen. Washington at top in blue and red and blue flag at bottom, on cover to Jersey Shore, Pa. **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by square segmented grid handstamp, matching “Hudson, Mich., Aug 6, 1861” cds alongside, with original enclosure; cover edge wear and tiny tears, **otherwise Very Fine**, Bischel unlisted.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2663 ☒ **Union and Constitution**, red and blue overall flag design on cover to Monmouth, Me., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by partial Washington D.C. cds, slightly reduced at right, stamp with margin nick, **F-V.F.**, fresh and attractive.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2664 (☒) **“Union Forever”**, red verse below red and blue design of flags, shield and eagle, additional ornate frame of blue featuring miniature state seals of all 34 states, Magee imprint at bottom left, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by target, “Philadelphia Jul 17 1864” cds, expertly rebacked, **Very Fine appearance**, extremely attractive and very unusual patriotic.
Estimate \$50 - 75
- 2665 ☒ **“Union Forever”**, red flag design with verse in ribbon, gray soldier at attention, additional “Adjutant General’s Office Official Business” at top, on cover to Milwaukee, Wis., **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by grid handstamp, “Madison, Wis., Jun 22” cds, repaired tear at upper right, cover missing backflap, **otherwise Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3637.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2666 ☒ **“The Union Forever”**, red flag design with verse in ribbon, gray soldier at attention, on cover to Ripon, Wisc., **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by indistinct Washington D.C. cds, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3638.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2667 ☒ **US Ship**, bold circular “3 Cts” handstamp on bicolored patriotic design showing sailor and flag, four line verse “Forever float that standard sheet...”, on cover to Conway N.H., manuscript “Soldier’s letter” and officers endorsement, **Very Fine**, choice ship cover.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2668 ☒ **“USA”**, bicolored patriotic design showing circular shield with flags and eagle, on cover to Silver Creek, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue “Norfolk, Va., May 3” cds, light edge soiling and wear, **F-V.F.**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2669 ☒ **“Victory” - “My God First, My Country Next and Then My Family”**, colored design showing flag and verses in red and blue with Masonic design at left, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) not tied by bold “Philadelphia, Pa., Jan 8, 1863” cds, Magee imprint vertically at left, sealed tear and light soiling at right, **still Very Fine cover**. Bischel No. 5129.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2670 ☒ **“We are all Here.”**, red and blue circular design listing all states, on cover to Germantown, Pa., **1857, 3¢ brownish carmine** (25) tied by blue “Baltimore, Md., Jul 12” cds, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3062.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2671 ☒ **“Whatever May Happen, Cherish the Constitution...”**, red and blue verse & design showing Col. Ellsworth taking down Confederate flag, on cover to Canadaraga, N.Y., **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by grid handstamp, matching “Whitestown, N.Y. Aug 5” cds, sealed tear at top left slightly into design, **F-V.F.** Bischel No. 699.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2672 ☒ **“Young America”**, red and blue design of young sailor with flag, on cover to Peterboro, N.H., blue “South City, Mo., Jan 20” cds and manuscript “Paid 3”, **Very Fine**, a very scarce design. Bischel No. 3517.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- Fort Scenes**
- 2673 ☒ **“All the Forts of the Union Will Soon Be Garrisoned By Union Soldiers!”**, red and blue design showing battle scene, on cover to 3rd Asst. P.M.G., Washington D.C., manuscript “Free” and matching “Hill, Iowa, June 27” town cancel, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 1309.
Estimate \$150 - 200



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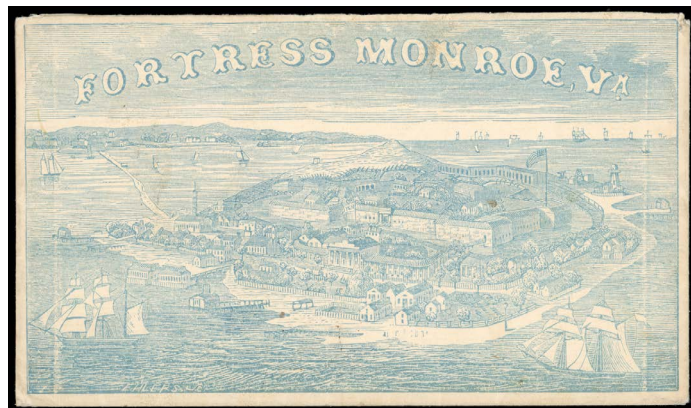


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2674 ☒ **“Brave Anderson Bright Name...”,** four line red verse below multicolored patriotic showing Fort Sumpter under siege, on cover to Trenton, N.J., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by indistinct Washington D.C. cds, **Fine**, scarce design.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



2675 ☒ **“Fort Henry Owns the Union Sway! The Rebels Fight-And Run Away”,** red and blue circular design showing gunboats in harbor, on cover to **Germany**, franked with 1861, 12¢ Black, Horizontal Pair + 1863, 2¢ Black, Two Singles (69, 73) all tied by target handstamps, partial red New York exchange cds and boxed Aachen handstamp, reverse with “Middletown, Pa., May 13, 64” origin cds and target duplex; some cover edge soiling and 2¢ stamps with a few nibbed perfs, **F-V.F.**, an attractive patriotic cover to Germany. Bischel No. 1060.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

2676 ☒ **“Fort Sumpter”,** red and blue design with Lady Liberty in clouds above, on cover to Accord, N.Y., manuscript endorsed free frank, barely reduced at right, **Very Fine**, unusual design.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

2677 ☒ **“Fortress Monroe”,** blue overall birds eye view of Fortress Monroe, franked on reverse with 1857, 3¢ dull red (26, s.e. at right) tied by “Old Point Comfort, Va., Aug 9” cds, addressed to Mason Village, N.H., **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 1327.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

2678 ☒ **“Gen. Jackson 1833, Col. Anderson 1861 - Fort Sumter as it was and shall Be...”,** multicolored design of Fort Sumter, on cover to Levant, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by blue “Norfolk, Va., 3 Paid, Nov 17” cds, cover tear top left into design, edge wear and staining, **F-V.F.** Bischel No. 1316.
 Estimate \$200 - 300



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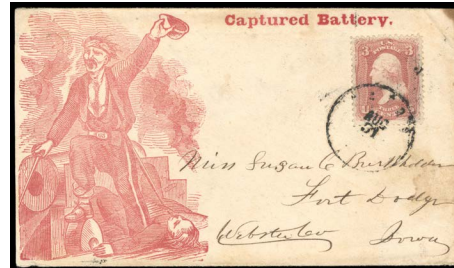
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Hand Designs

- 2679 ☒ "The Constitution", red and blue design of shaking hands, on cover to Hudson, N.Y., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by large grid, "Brooklyn, N.Y. Jun 1" cds, Very Fine, very attractive, choice cover.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2680 ☒ "The Constitution", red and blue design with shaking hands and verse below, on cover to Wampsville, N.H., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose, two single (65) tied by 1862 Washington, D.C. cds, manuscript "Paid if the plaguey things stick" notation to right of stamps, some light toning and stamp flaws from overlap at top, F-V.F. Bischel No. 5063.
Estimate \$150 - 200

Horse Designs

- 2681 ☒ "Continental Cavalry, Col. J.E. Peyton, 403 Walnut St. Phila.", Cavalry officer on horseback design, on cover to Harrisburg, Pa., franked with 1861, 1¢ blue + 3¢ rose (63, 65) tied by "Philadelphia, Pa., Jan 6, 1861" cds, reverse with "U.S. Penny Post, Phila., Pa., Jan 6" octagonal date stamp, Very Fine.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2682 ☒ Union, multicolored patriotic, George Washington on horseback with flag, manuscript "Soldiers letter W.B. (?) Clark Chaplain 23 d M. V.", bold "U.S. SHIP 3 CTS" in circle, Very Fine.
Estimate \$150 - 200

Male & Soldier Designs

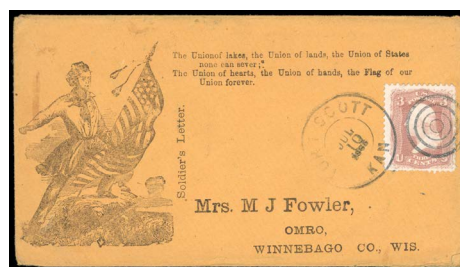
- 2683 ☒ "Captured Battery.", red verse with soldier, cannon and fallen soldier at his feet, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by indistinct cds, light edge staining at right, Fine, scarce design.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2684 ☒ Cross Border Patriotic, red and blue design, soldier with sword and flag, on cross border to Montreal, Canada East, bold "Saratoga Springs N.Y. Aug 29" cds and matching octagonal boxed "10", slightly reduced at right, small chip at upper right from slightly rough opening, F-V.F., exceptionally clean and attractive.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2685 ☒ "Department of the West", overall blue design showing eagle with ribbon and sentry at post, on cover to Owapso, Mich., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) scissor trimmed perfs, tied by target hand drawn, matching "Saint Louis, Mo., Mar 14, 1862" cds, light edge soiling and reduced at right, F-V.F., with Bischel stating this is the only recorded example, ex-Bischel. Bischel No. 2960.
Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2686 ☒ "The Flag of Our Union Forever", last stanza in two line verse with male caricature and flag, additional "Soldier's Letter" at right of design, on cover with printed address to Ombo, Wis., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by "Fort Scott, Kan Jul 10 1865" cds and target, Extremely Fine, extremely attractive.
Estimate \$200 - 250



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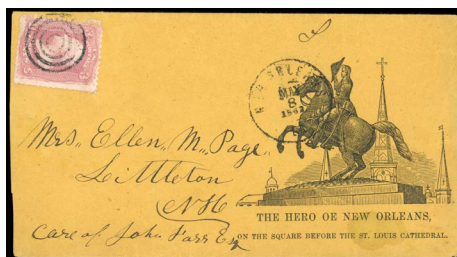
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- 2687 ☒ **“From the Townsend Rifles...”,** blue imprint at top right, additional male design with “Excelsior” flag at left, on cover to Stoney Creek, Conn., manuscript endorsement, light edge tone spots at left, F.-V.F.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2688 ☒ **“The Hero of New Orleans - On the Square Before St Louis Cathedral”,** patriotic design showing A. Jackson on horseback, on cover to Littleton, N.H., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by target handstamp, matching “New Orleans May 8 1862” cds, **Very Fine.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2689 ☒ **“Hyman’s Battery Going Into Dixie”,** blue patriotic design showing Caisson being pulled by four horses, on cover to Adamsville, Pa., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by grid handstamp, matching “Piqua, O., Feb 16, 1863” cds, cover small corner fault upper right and slight soiling, F.-V.F., a very scarce design.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2690 ☒ **“Ira Harris Guard Cavalry”,** blue design of Officer on horseback with drawn sword, on cover to North Hudson, N.Y., franked with 1861 1¢ blue, vertical strip of three (63) re-printing paper fold, tied by indistinct cds’s (most probably N.Y.), sealed tears at bottom, F.-V.F., a very rare design. Bischel No. 2499.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2691 ☒ **“The Loyal States Will Have No Compromise With Traitors, Treason and Treachery.”,** red and blue soldier, flag & cannon design with Magee imprint at left, on cover to Dushore, Pa., manuscript soldier’s endorsement and boxed “Held for Postage” handstamp with matching “Due 3”, “Harrisburgh, Pa., Oct 14, 1861” and “Oct 21” cds’s, some edge wear and soiling, F.-V.F., a very uncommon design. Bischel No. 3648.
Estimate \$200 - 300

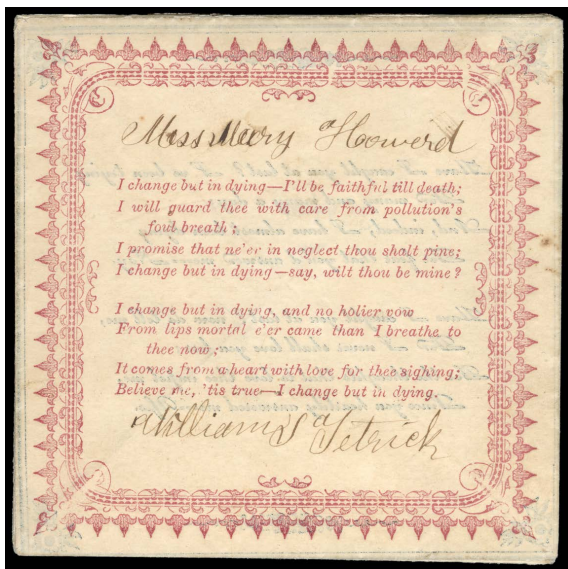
- 2692 ☒ **“N.Y.S. Volunteer Militia”,** red and blue soldier and flag patriotic design, on cover to Suspension Bridge, N.Y., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26), scissor trimmed and tied by grid handstamp, Albany N.Y. cds, some light tone edge spots and wear, F.-V.F. Bischel No. 2468.
Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2693 ☒ **“The National Lancers at Home and Abroad”,** multicolored Cavalry design on cover to Brighton, Mass., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) canceled by grid handstamp, “Port Royal, S.C., Jan 29” cds, cover reduced at right and slight soiling, F.-V.F., a wonderful and rare design. Bischel No. 3494.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2694 ☒ **“Onwarded to Victory”,** multicolored patriotic showing knight on horseback, 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) tied by grid, octagonal “Philadelphia, Pa., Jun 17, 1861” date stamp, **Very Fine.** Bischel No. 3493.
Estimate \$200 - 300

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- 2695 ☒ **“Our Countries Defenders”**, violet design of mounted Cavalry Officer with sword drawn, on cover to Providence, R.I., 1861, 3¢ rose (65, s.e. at right), some perf tip toning, tied by “Washington, D.C., Mar 18, 1862” cds, light soiling and reduced at right, F.-V.F. Bischel No. 3504.
 Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2696 ☒ **“Our Motto! Strike! Strike! Strike!”**, blue design with two verses and sentry guarding tents, on cover to Ashley, Ill., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “St. Louis, Mo., Mar. 1” cds and grid duplex, with original **Pocket Puzzle Valentine enclosure**, cover margin tear and light soiling, F.-V.F., ex-Bischel, Bischel Photo No. 3424 (see Bischel Description No. 3423).
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

A SPECTACULAR AND HIGHLY UNUSUAL PATRIOTIC COVER WITH MATCHING VALENTINE ENCLOSURE.

- 2697 ☒ **“The Picket Guard”**, violet design with Jams Gates imprint at left, on cover to Springhills O., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by 1863 Danville, Ky. cds, cover reduced at right and light soiling, F.-V.F. Bischel No. 3460.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

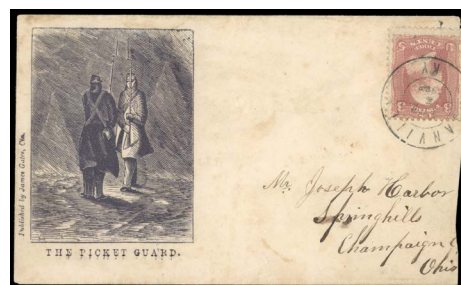
- 2698 ☒ **Sailor, Eagle, Flag and Shield**, red and blue patriotic design on cover to Lowell, Mass., faint MC “Free” manuscript, “Washington, D.C., Sep 28, 1861” cds, Lowell “Advertised, Oct 13” cds and matching star carrier handstamp, reduced at right, light soiling, F.-V.F. Bischel No. 3769.
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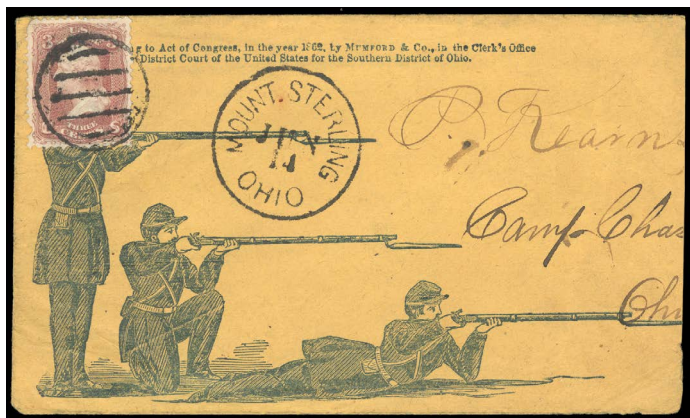
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2699 ☒ **Soldier Aiming Rifle in Three Positions**, blue design with Mumford & Co. imprint above, on cover to Camp Chase, O., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by unusual bars in circle grid handstamp, matching "Mount Sterling, Ohio, Jun 14" cds; cover reduced at right and margin nick in stamp, otherwise Very Fine, a very rare design.
Estimate \$400 - 600

2700 ☒ **Soldier, Flag & Sword**, multicolored design on cover to Keene, N.H., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by blue target handstamp, matching "Keene, N.H., Paid" cds, Very Fine.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2701 ☒ **Soldier, Flag and Cannon**, red and blue design on cover to Onisbo, Cal. franked with 1857, 10¢ green, type V (35) tied by "Ledyard, Ct. Sept 17" cds, some cover edge toning, F-V.F., a rare transcontinental usage of a civil war patriotic. Bischel No. 3603.
Estimate \$300 - 400

2702 ☒ **Soldier, Flag and Sword**, red and blue design on cover to South Hanson, Mass., 1861 1¢ blue (63) tied by "Cambridgeport, Mass 7 Dec 1861" cds, Very Fine, attractive circular rate.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2703 ☒ **"Soldier's Farewell"**, red poem at right of red and blue design of soldier leaving home, on cover to Genoa, O., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by grid handstamp, "Danville, Ky., Jan 5, 1863" cds, slightly cover toning around edges, F-V.F. Bischel No. 2117.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2704 ☒ **"Success to our Cavalry"**, violet design of mounted officer with sword drawn in oval with ornate frame, on cover to Buena Vista, Pa., 1861, 3¢ pink (64) tied by "Washington, D.C., Nov 10" cds, stamp with a couple nibbed perfs and slight cover soiling, F-V.F. Bischel No. 3485 var.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2705 ☒ **"Thinking of Home"**, blue design of sentry resting on his rifle, on cover to Holland, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by "Washington, D.C., Jun 29, 1862" cds, slight cover reduction at right, otherwise Very Fine. Bischel No. 3434.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2706 ☒ “**The Union Forever**”, red and blue overall patriotic design showing 1776 and 1861 soldiers, on cover addressed to Cincinnati, O., indistinct cds (possibly Cumberland, Me.), manuscript “Paid 3”, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3030.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2707 ☒ “**We Belong To Our Country, To Do Or Die**”, verse below Officers and cannon, all in blue, on cover to Winterset, Iowa, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), canceled by grid handstamp, matching “Memphis, Ten., Jul 18, 1862” cds, cover with left sideflap replaced, **otherwise Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3503.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2708 ☒ “**We Must Fight! an Appeal To Arms, and the God of Hosts Is All That Is Left - Patrick Henry**”, orange cannon and caisson patriotic design on cover to Little Rock, Ill., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by Cairo Ill. cds, slight cover soiling, **still Very Fine**, Bischel catalog states this design is extremely rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1433.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2709 ☒ “**We’ll Give Three Cheers For the Brave Volunteers - My Son! Show Yourself a Man!**”, patriotic design showing soldier, flag and tent, on cover to Delaware Ohio, Gilbert Brothers imprint, **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by grid handstamp, matching “Durand, Ill., Sep 15” cds, roughly opened and reduced at right, **Fine**. Bischel No. 3631.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2710 ☒ “**Western Department**”, overall blue illustrated design showing Calvary soldier writing letter on barrel, on cover to Cadiz, O., manuscript “Soldiers Letter” and “Due 3”, no postmark, light edge wear a soiling, **F.-V.F.**, a rare and unlisted design.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2711 ☒ “**When Thus Our Hosts Go Proudly Forth, Let Foes Beware the Spirit of the North!**”, sentiment below multicolored illustration of Zouave and flag, on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Waynesboro, Pa., Mar 8” cds, small repaired edge nick at bottom, **otherwise Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3625.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2712 ☒ **Zouave with Flag & Sword Stepping on Confederate Flag**, multicolored patriotic cover, offered with compliments (no postal markings) to “His Excellency A.G. Curtin, Harrisburg, Pa.”; light file fold, **Very Fine and choice**, a very rare design. Bischel No. 3566.
Estimate \$300 - 400

Andrew Gregg Curtin was an American lawyer and politician. He served as the 15th governor of Pennsylvania during the American Civil War, helped defend his state during the Gettysburg Campaign, and oversaw the creation of the National Cemetery and the ceremony in which Abraham Lincoln delivered his famous Gettysburg Address.

Miscellaneous Designs

- 2713 ☒ “**Behold I Bring You Glad Tidings**”, design of Carrier Pigeon carrying letter and olive branch, on cover to New York City, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), pen canceled, matching “Bucksville Pa. November 14” (1864) town cancel, additional manuscript docketing, printed “Tract House, 929 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia” on backflap with additional Bible verse in a heart, **Very Fine**, unusual cover.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2714 ☒ “**By the Eternal the Union Must and Shall Be Preserved - Andrew Jackson’s Card**”, red brown hand and calling card on cover to Glennville, Conn. **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue rimless “Annapolis, Md., Jan 4, 1862” cds, slight soiling, **still Very Fine**. Bischel No. 1730.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2715 ☒ “**D. Van Nostrand, Publisher & Importer of Military & Scientific Books, 102 Broadway**”, deep violet patriotic design showing flag and cannon, on bluish green cover to Boston, Mass, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by New York, 1862 cds and segmented cork duplex, cover missing most of backflap, **otherwise Very Fine**. Bischel No. 5039.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2716 ☒ **Handmade Patriotic**, overall red and blue hand drawn patriotic with ornate red and blue frame and address panel, other various designs showing cannon, flag and others, cover addressed to Vt, partial “Due (3)” in circle, “Washington D.C. Apr 30” cds, **F.-V.F.**, very unusual.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2717 ☒ **Liberty Bell**, violet design with verse below, on cover to West Winsted, Conn. fw **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26), “Jan 23” pen cancel, lovely octagonal Winchester Centre Ct. fancy town cancel, light file folds, **Very Fine**; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2718 ☒ “**No Compromise with Traitors**”, arm and sword design, on cover to Huntington, Mass., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Jun 2” cds, **Very Fine**, Bischel unlisted.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2719 ☒ “**Quartermaster’s Department Home Guard, City of Philadelphia**”, imprint and City Seal on locally addressed Philadelphia cover, with “**Blood’s Penny Post, Philada**” cds; couple small cover tears at top, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2720 ☒ “**The Result of Uncle Sam’s Government Peace Plenty and Prosperity**”, gray farming scene illustration on cover to Spencer, Mass., **1861, 3¢ rose, two singles** (65), tied by blue rimless cds’s, cover small edge faults including tears at bottom right, **F.-V.F. and unusual**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2721 ☒ “**Soldier’s Letter**”, notice on card with hand, on glazed orange cover to Table Rock, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by circle of wedges handstamp and “Washington D.C., Apr 5” cds, **Very Fine**, Bischel unlisted.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2722 ☒ “**The Union, The Constitution, And The Enforcement of The Laws**”, black circular label with eagle applied on cover to New York, **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by “Saint Paul Apr 29 1861” cds and target duplex, **Very Fine and unusual**, unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2723 ☒ “**United We Stand - Divided We Fall**”, large red Kentucky State Seal design, on cover to “Third Assistant Postmaster General Washington D.C.”, manuscript “Post Office Department, Official Business” frank, manuscript “Bridgeport, Iowa Jul 5 ‘62” postmark at lower left, **Very Fine**, a rare unlisted design.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2724 ☒ “**United We Stand Divided We Fall**”, red design with Kentucky State Seal across top of cover to Smithville, Ohio, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) cancelled by target and tied by “Beloit, Wis., Nov 18” cds, edge soiling and wear, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2725 ☒ “**By Land and Sea to Victory**”, red and blue design of sailing and wrecked ship, on cover to Fredricksburg, O., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) canceled by grid handstamp, manuscript “Mt. Hope, Ohio, Jul 12” town cancel, slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 1025.
Estimate \$200 - 300

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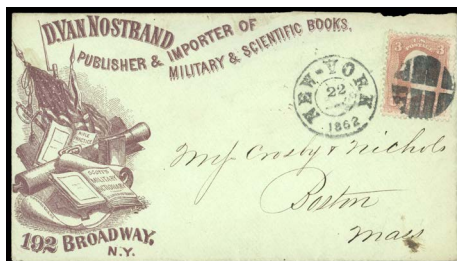
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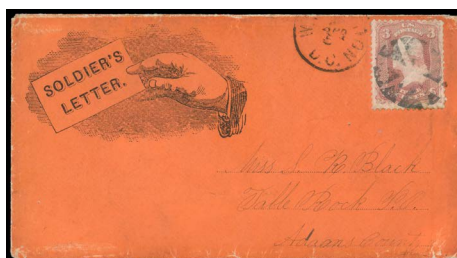
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- 2726 ☒ **“Fort Henry and Fort Donelson, Proclaim Rebellion’s Race is Run”**, blue and red gunboats in harbor design, on cover to Dauphin, Pa., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, s.e. at right) tied by blue fancy hollow star handstamp with matching “Jersey Shore, Pa., May 31” cds, slightly reduced & minor corner wear, **Very Fine & eye catching**. Bischel No. 1060 var.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2727 ☒ **“Lieut. Worden of the Monitor”**, reddish violet portrait on cover to Williamstown, Vt., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with “1863” manuscript date, matching “Woodbury (Vt) Jun 5” postmark, faults and minor repairs, **Fine**. Bischel No. 994.
Estimate \$200 - 300
Lieut. Worden survived the sinking of the Monitor and later served in various capacities, including USS Montauk, USS United States, Naval Academy and European Squadron, serving from 1832-86 and retiring as Rear Admiral.
- 2728 ☒ **“The Old Ship of State”**, red ship design, “Zahn & Co, Lancaster Pa.” vertical imprint, on cover to New York, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Philadelphia, Pa., Nov 21” cds with grid, small tear and slightly reduced at right, **still F.-V.F. cover**, Bischel unlisted.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2729 ☒ **“Our Army and Navy - Conquer We Must”**, blue patriotic design overprinted on light gray allover “Loyal” shaded ad design, on cover to Harrisburg, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), corner repair, tied by fancy blue hollow star handstamp, matching “Jersey Shore, Pa., Feb 13” cds, **Very Fine**, Bischel No. 3016 (except book seller advertising replaced with patriotic slogans).
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2730 ☒ **“Our Army and Navy Forever”**, blue verse below, red and blue panel with frigate, eagle and flags, on cover to New London, Ind., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with manuscript cancel, additional manuscript “Gary Ind March 14” town cancel, **Very Fine**, scarce and attractive cover.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2731 ☒ **“Our Brave Gun Boat Boys”**, blue design of sailor, cannon, flag, eagle and shield, on cover to Marshall, Mich, “1861, 3¢ rose” (65) tied by “Albion, Mich Mar 11” cds, **Very Fine**, extremely attractive, scarce design.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2732 ☒ **“Our Gunboats Attacking the Rebel Forts.”**, blue gunboats and flying cannonballs design with quotation, on cover to McComb, O., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Crab Orchard, Ky., Sep 11” cds; cover with light edge wear and slight toning, **F.-V.F.**, very scarce.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2733 ☒ **“Our Gunboats Attacking the Rebel Forts.”**, violet design with verse below showing sailor and ship with portrait of Commodore Dupont, on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “New York, Feb 8” cds and circle of wedges duplex, cover missing backflap, **otherwise Very Fine**. Bischel No. 869.
Estimate \$150 - 201
- 2734 ☒ **“Port Royal - Dupont”**, dual paneled gray violet designs, larger of panels showing Neptune and sailor with oval scene depicting harbor scene, smaller oval with portrait of Com. Dupont, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by target handstamp, “Port Royal, S.C., Apr 1” cds, cover toning and light water stain at right, small corner faults, **Fine**. Bischel No. 868.
Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2735 ☒ **“U.S. Naval Expedition”**, bronze overall Magnat patriotic design, on cover addressed on reverse to Connecticut, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Dec 19, 1862” cds, cover with small sealed tear at bottom left, **Very Fine, ex-Walcott & Bischel**. Bischel No. 1268.
Estimate \$500 - 750

Portrait Designs

- 2736 ☒ **Col. Anderson**, portrait with quotation below, on cover to West Union, Iowa, **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by blue grid handstamp, matching “Elmira, N.Y., Jun 13, 1861” cds, stamp with nick in corner and cover edge wear and slightly soiled, **Fine, ex-Walcott & Bischel**. Bischel No. 780.
Estimate \$150 - 200

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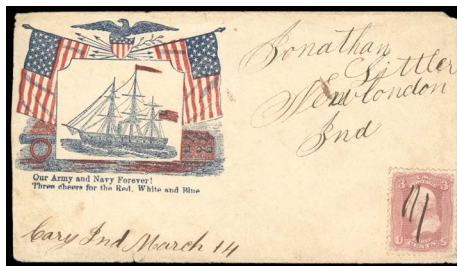
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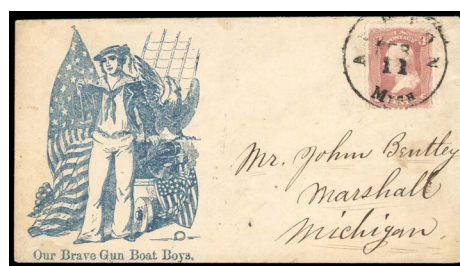
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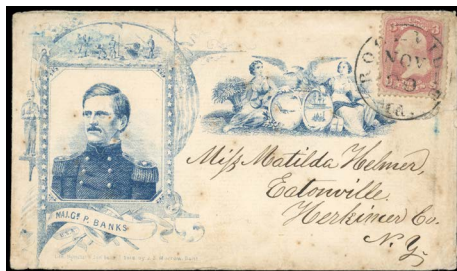
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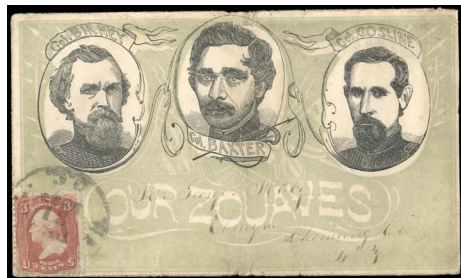


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- 2737 ☒ **“Maj. Gen. P. Banks”**, blue portrait with allegorical border and females & eagle, on cover to Eatonville, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Rockville, Ind., Nov 20” cds, cover with tone specks and light edge wear, **Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 798.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2738 ☒ **“General Beauregard Is Already Acquainted With My Only Term Anderson”**, bust of Col Anderson in blue with ornate oval red and blue frame, on military addressed cover to Cairo, Ill., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by indistinct cds, backstamped “Received Cairo Ill Feb 16 1863”, light edge wear, bit of corner chipping lower right, **F.-V.F., ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 789.
Estimate \$200 - 300



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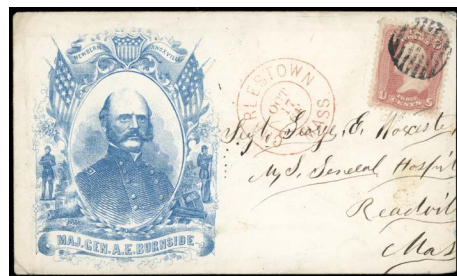
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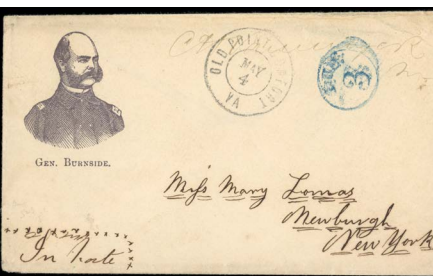
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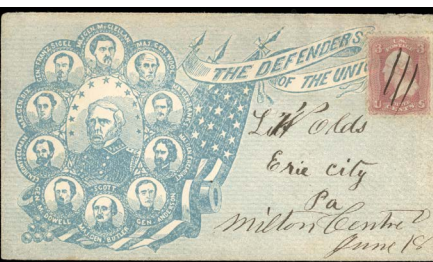
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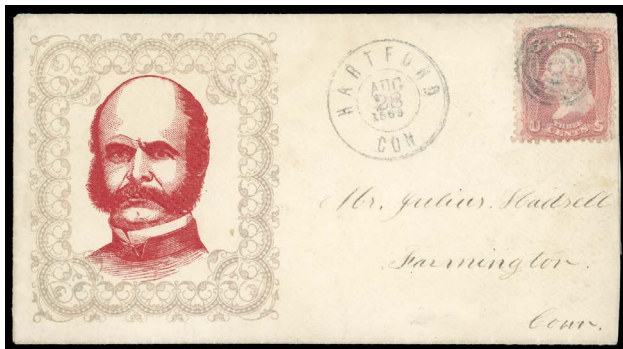


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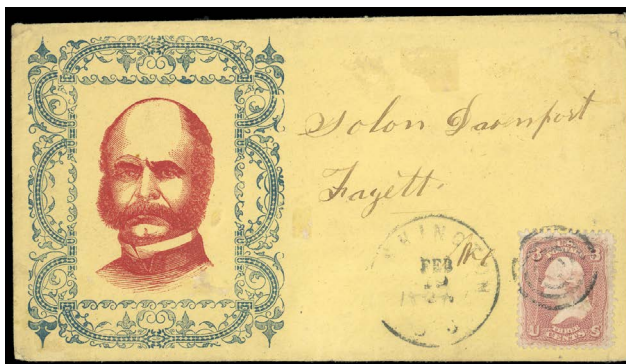


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- 2739 ☒ “Col. Birney, Col. Baxter, Col. Gosline”, bicolor all-over design with “Our Zouaves” below oval portraits, on cover to Elymra, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Dec 21, 1862” cds, minor edge faults, otherwise Very Fine, ex-Bischel. Bischel No. 812.
 Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2740 ☒ “Col. Birney, Col. Baxter, Col. Gosline”, portraits in ovals design on cover to Harrisburg, Pa., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Shepardstown, Pa., Apr 18” cds, Very Fine and unusual, this design normally come in an all-over bicolor design with “Our Zouaves” below portraits. Bischel No. 811.
 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2741 ☒ Major General Buell, violet portrait in frame with James Gates imprint on backflap, on cover to West Windsor, N.Y., manuscript notation “Soldier’s Letter” at top, bold and complete blue “Frederick, Md., Sep 22, 1862” cds and matching “Due 3” in circle handstamp, reduced at right, F.-V.F., attractive cover, scarce design.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2742 ☒ **Gen. A.E. Burnside**, red portrait in fancy tan frame, on cover to Farmington, Conn., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) canceled by target handstamp, matching “Hartford, Conn., Aug 28, 1863” cds, **Very Fine and choice**, a wonderful and rare design, *ex-Myers & Bischel*. Bischel No. 751.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



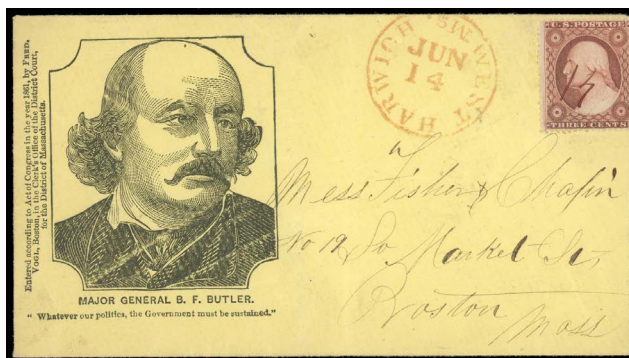
- 2743 ☒ **Gen. A.E. Burnside**, red portrait in fancy blue frame, on cover to Fayette, Me., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Feb 19” cds and target duplex; slight soiling, **still Very Fine**. Bischel No. 753.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2744 ☒ **Gen. A.E. Burnside & Gen G.B. McClellan “The Union Must and Shall Be Preserved”**, dual portrait design with eagle and flag in between, on cover to South Barre, Vt, 1861, 3¢ rose (65), tied by “Alexandria Va., Mar 14” cds, cover corner chipping and small edge flaws, stamp corner folded over cover, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 648.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2745 ☒ **Maj. Gen A.E. Burnside**, blue portrait in oval with ornate designed frame, on cover to Readville, Mass, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by grid handstamp, red “Charlestown, Mass., Oct 27, 64” cds, cover reduced at right, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 749.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2746 ☒ **Maj. Gen A.E. Burnside**, violet portrait facing right on cover to Newburgh, N.Y., blue “Due 3” in circle, manuscript officer’s frank, “Old Point Comfort, Va., May 4” cds, manuscript “in haste” at lower left, slightly rough opening at right, **Very Fine**, Bischel catalog lists this as very rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 748.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2747 ☒ **General Burnside**, blue portrait facing left on cover to Kerneyville, Pa., Charlton imprint on backflap, 1861, 3¢ rose (65, s.e. at left), tiny piece out at top, tied by “Washington, D.C., Aug 28, 1862” cds, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 744.
 Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2748 ☒ **“Whatever Our Politics, The Government Must Be Sustained”**, patriotic sentiments on design showing Major General B.F. Butler, Fred Vogel imprint at left, on cover to Boston, Mass., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) with manuscript cancel, red “West Harwich, Ms., Jun 14” cds, **Very Fine**, Bischel catalog lists this as extremely rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 831.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

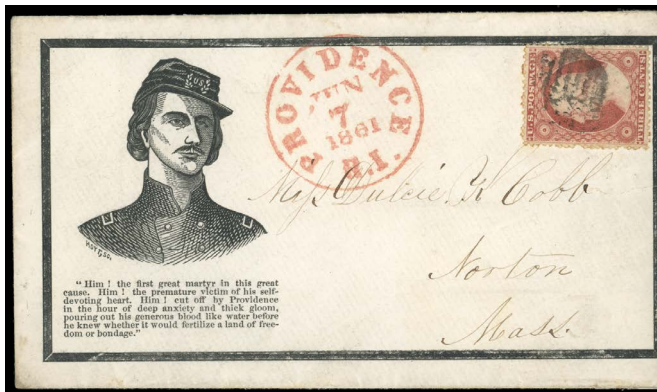


- 2749 ☒ **“Daniel Chaplin., Col. Comdg. 1st Maine Heavy Artillery”**, Magnus portrait in ornate oval frame design, on cover to Winterport, Me., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by target handstamp, matching “Georgetown, D.C., Nov 15, 1862” cds alongside, cover with small sealed tear at lower right not mention on certificate, **still Very Fine, ex-Bischel**; with 1994 P.F. certificate. Bischel No. 935.
 Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

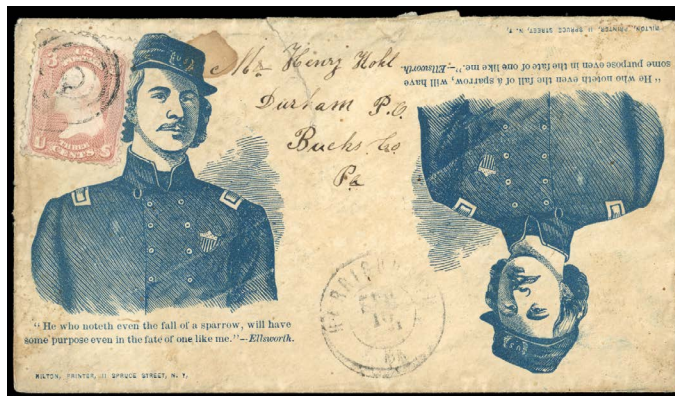
AN EXTREMELY RARE USED EXAMPLE OF THE DANIEL CHAPLIN PORTRAIT PATRIOTIC DESIGN FROM MAGNUS’S MILITARY PORTRAITS SERIES.

- 2750 ☒ **“E.O. Connors, Col. 2nd Regt. Wis. Vol.”**, portrait design on cover to Fall River, Mass., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)**, faulty, canceled by quartered cork handstamp, red “Boston, Mass., May 8” cds, cover edge flaws, toning and missing backflap, **Fine**. Bischel No. 838.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2751 ☒ **“The Defenders of The Union”**, portraits of General Scott and his staff in blue patriotic design with flag, on cover to Erie City, Pa, Reagles & Co. imprint on backflap, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** with manuscript cancel, matching “Milton Centre, O., June 18” town cancel, **Very Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 495.
 Estimate \$200 - 300



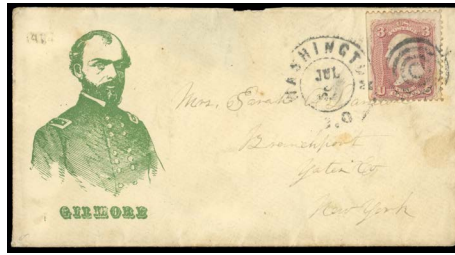
- 2752 ☒ **Col. Ellsworth**, portrait and quotation in mourning border, on cover to Norton, Mass., large margin **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)** canceled by grid handstamp, bold red “Providence, R.I., Jun 7, 1861” cds, cover slightly reduced at right, **otherwise Very Fine**, very rare. Bischel No. 711.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



- 2753 ☒ **“He Who Noteth Even the Fall of a Sparrow Will Have Some Purpose - Ellsworth”**, blue illustration of Col. Ellsworth with sentiments below, **additional inverted same design at right, 1861, 3¢ rose (65)** on cover to Durham, Pa., canceled by target handstamp, Harrisburgh Pa cds, small flaws including tear at top, **F-V.F.**, quite unusual. Bischel No. 665.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



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- 2754 ☒ **“Whatever May Happen Cherish the Consolation That I Was Engaged....Col. Ellsworth”**, blue Ellsworth & Gen Butler in flag design, on cover to Vasselboro, Me., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Oxford, Ms., Nov 15” cds, cover slightly ragged at left and slightly reduced at right, **F-V.F.**, Bischel catalog lists this as very rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 824.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2755 ☒ **“Memorial to Col. Ellsworth”**, red and blue patriotic design showing Col. Ellsworth in his dying moments clutching rebel flag, on cover to Trenton, N.J., Congressional free frank and Washington City cds, reduced at right and small sealed tears, **F-V.F.**, Bischel catalog lists this as very rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 702.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2756 ☒ **“Maj. Gen. John C. Fremont - The War for the Union”**, red overall shaded design with Fremont portrait, on cover to Waukesha, Wisc., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by bold grid, indistinct Wisconsin town cds; some cover edge wear and central file fold, **F-V.F.**, Bischel catalog lists this as extremely rare, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 729.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2757 ☒ **“Maj: Gen: Fremont.”**, portrait facing right on cover to Hamilton, Mass, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue “Baltimore, Md Sep 19” cds, Magee imprint vertically at right, **Extremely Fine**, exceptionally attractive, signed Milgram.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2758 ☒ **“One for All-All for One - Col. John W. Geary - 28th Penna. Regiment”**, grayish blue portrait in ornate frame design on cover to Bridgton Centre, Me., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Portland Me Jul 11 1862” cds, embossed oval corner card at upper left, light soiling and slightly reduced at left, **F-V.F.**, unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2759 ☒ **“Colonel Geary”**, red and blue ornate oval portrait of the Colonies with Lady Liberty and flag, on cover to Hecator, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) perf tip toning, tied by “Washington, D.C., Jul 15, 1862” cds, light edge wear, **Very Fine appearance**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 877.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2760 ☒ **“Gilmore”**, green portrait on cover to Branchport, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, s.e. at left), perf flaws, tied by “Washington D.C. Jul 3” cds and target duplex, cover with partial backflap tear, light edge wear and soiling, **F-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 878.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2761 ☒ **“Major Amos J. Holahan, 10th Penna. Cavalry”**, portrait design on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., officer’s endorsement “Soldier’s letter” upper right, “Due 3” in circle handstamp, “Nashville, Tenn., Feb 10, 1865” cds, small tear top center, **F-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 895.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2762 ☒ **General Hunter**, red portrait in blue ornate frame, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by large segmented cork cancel on cover to Amherst, N.H., “Norfolk Va. Feb 4 ‘64” cds, light tone “speckling”, also second cover with identical red portrait in blue oval allegorical frame used from Old Point Comfort, Va., **Fine**.
Estimate \$300 - 400



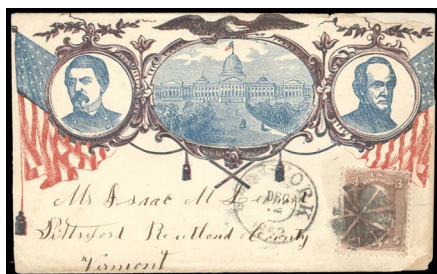
- 2763 ☒ **“Andrew Jackson - The Union Must and Shall be Preserved”**, multicolored patriotic design showing **Andrew Jackson on Horse Holding Up Sword**, on cover to Washington Heights, N.Y., franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** tied by “New York, Jul 13” cds and grid duplex; cover expert restored edge flaws and backflap reattached, **Very Fine appearance**, still a extremely rare printed multicolored design.
Estimate \$400 - 600



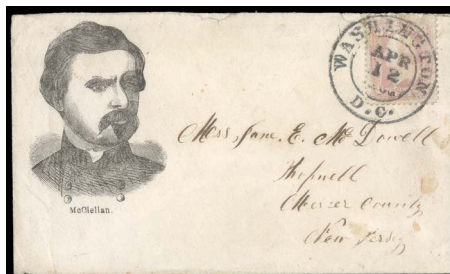
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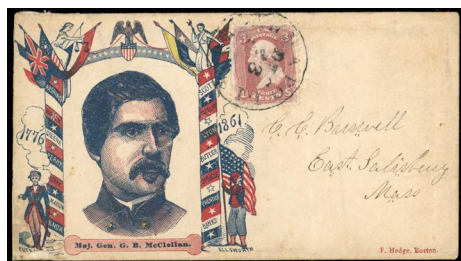
- 2764 ☒ **“Col. Wm. D. Lewis, Jr., 110th Regiment, P.V.”**, portrait design on cover to Mapleton Depot, Pa., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Sep 30” cds, **Very Fine**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 906.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2765 ☒ **General McDowell**, portrait design on cover to Auburn, N.Y., manuscript “in care of Mr. S. Lester, N.Y.”, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) canceled by target handstamp, “New Orleans, La., Jun 24, 1863” cds, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 922.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2766 ☒ **General McDowell**, portrait facing right on cover to Wilmington, Mass, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by target, matching partial Haverhill Mass cds, **Very Fine**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 922.
Estimate \$200 - 300



- 2768 ☒ **Gen. McClellan**, red and blue portrait in “Liberty & Union” patriotic border design, **J. Magee** imprint on backflap, on cover to Whites Corner, N.Y., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Perryville, Md., Mar 5” cds; stamp with small tear at left, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 645.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2769 ☒ **Maj. Gen. McClellan & Marching Soldiers**, portrait and scene shaded patriotic design in blue on cover to Burlington, Vt. with Reagles & Co. publisher imprint on reverse, franked with manuscript canceled 1861, 3¢ rose with manuscript “Enosburgh, Vt., April 29th” postmark, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 642. Scott No. 65 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2770 ☒ **McClellan, Halleck, Eagle and Capitol**, multicolored near overall design on cover to Pittsford, Vt., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “New York, Dec 12, 1862” cds and circle of wedges duplex, Union Stationery Depot imprint on backflap, repaired and reduced at right, **Fine**, still quite attractive. Bischel No. 594.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2771 ☒ **McClellan**, portrait facing left on cover to Hopewell, N.J., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by bold “Washington, D.C., Apr 12” cds; small stamp flaws and small cover edge nick at top, **F-V.F.** Bischel No. 571.
Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2767 ☒ **“Maj. Gen. McClellan - The War For The Union”**, blue overall design with portrait of General in patriotic frame, Reagles & Co. imprint on back flap, bold and complete small “Paid” straight line and “J.B.D. Oct. 18” straight line (General Banks Division), **Extremely Fine**, a near Gem cover. Bischel No. 627.
Estimate \$300 - 400



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- 2772 (☒) **Gen. McClellan, "Liberty and Union"**, overall red and blue design and showing oval portrait of McClellan with verse above, on drop cover, **1861, 1¢ blue (63)** tied by indistinct cds, additional "Lockport, N.Y. Jul 16 1862" cds, rebacked and partial backflap, **F-V.F.**, attractive appearing. Bischel No. 645.
 Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2773 ☒ **McClellan, Halleck and Capitol**, blue patriotic framed design with flags at ends, J.G. Wells imprint on backflap, on cover to Blackbury Station, Ill., franked with **1861 3¢ rose (65)** tied by "Cairo, Ill., Sep 11, 1862" cds, **Very Fine**, quite rare. Bischel No. 595.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



- 2774 ☒ **"Gen. McClellan"**, bicolored portrait on cover to Oxford, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose, strip of three and single (65)** canceled by grid handstamps, indistinct cds, edge flaws, **F-V.F.**, a wonderful and rare design. Bischel No. 529.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

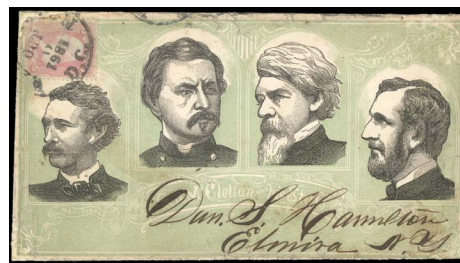
- 2775 ☒ **"Maj. Gen. G.B. McClellan"**, multicolored patriotic portrait framed with columns, columns listing important Union defenders, on cover to East Salisbury, Mass, red F. Hedge imprint at bottom, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by "Annapolis, Md., Dec 3" cds; cover with light even toning, **otherwise Very Fine**, Bischel catalog lists this as very rare. Bischel No. 612.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



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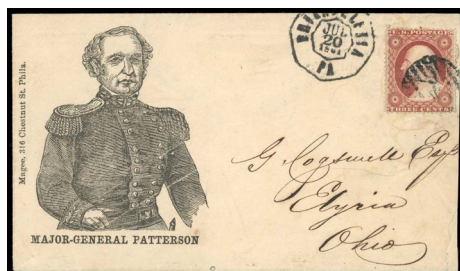
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- 2776 ☒ **Gen. McClellan**, violet portrait framed in red, on cover to Herrickville, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by indistinct 1862 cds, **Very Fine**, Bischel catalog states extremely rare. Bischel No. 536. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2777 ☒ **“Gen. McClellan”**, portrait design with **added ink drawing of noose around neck**, Magee imprint at left, on cover to Laporte, Pa., franked with **1861 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Muncy, Pa., Sep 3” cds, 1862 docketing; cover edge stain at left and stamp faulty, **F.-V.F. appearance**, embellishment likely from a Southern sympathizer. Bischel No. 653 var. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2778 ☒ **Maj. Genr. Geo. B. McClellan**, near overall patriotic, portrait in ornate square frame surrounded by patriotic designs including eagle and shield, on cover to Worthington, Ind., **1861, 3¢ rose pink** (64), tied by blue “Baltimore, Md Oct 8” cds, minor cover edge flaws, probably slightly reduced and opened on three sides, **Fine**, scarce. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2779 ☒ **“Maj. Gen. McClellan - The War for the Union”**, portrait in oval on overall blue patriotic design, Reagle & Co. imprint on backflap, cover to Chenengo County, N.Y., manuscript Congressional free frank and “Washington, D.C., Nov 10” cds, light wear, **still Very Fine**. Bischel No. 627. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2780 ☒ **“General McClellan and His Staff”**, green and black allover design on cover to Elmira, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ pink** (64) faulty and tied by “Washington, D.C., Oct 6, 1861” cds, cover faulty with repairs, **Fine appearance and presentable**. Bischel No. 548. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2781 ☒ **General McClellan**, blue portrait in oval with Lady Liberty at left on cover to Westfield, Pa, John B. Charleton imprint on near complete backflap, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by 9 bar open grid, “Hustonville Ky May 21” cds, **F.-V.F.** Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2782 ☒ **Col. Jas. A. Mulligan**, portrait design on mis-sent cover to Grand Prairie, Ill., J.J. Kearney imprint, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Saint Joseph. Mich., Nov 6” cds, forwarded with manuscript “Missent” and “Kankakee, Ill., Nov 11” 1862 cds, **Very Fine, ex-Walcott & Bischel**. Bischel No. 929. Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2783 ☒ **“Major General Patterson”**, portrait on cover to Elyria, N.Y., Magee imprint, **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by target cancel, matching “Philadelphia, Pa., Jul 20, 1861” octagonal date stamp, cover slightly reduced at right and small corner mend at bottom right, **otherwise Very Fine, ex-Walcott & Bischel**. Bischel No. 931. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2784 ☒ **Col. R.H. Rush**, portrait design with Magee imprint at left, on cover to Media, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by Washington, D.C. cds, barely reduced and a few small edge flaws/faults, **F.-V.F.**, scarce design. Bischel No. 953. Estimate \$100 - 200
- 2785 ☒ **“Scott”**, blue General’s framed portrait with patriotic allegories, on cover to Orleans, Ind., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by neat “Columbia, Ten., Apr 18, 1862” cds; small cover corner repair at bottom left, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2786 ☒ **“Head Quarters 22nd Regiment, New York Volunteers, Col. Phelps’ Regiment”**, red and blue design showing Gen. Scott in oval with flags, on cover to Hartford, N.Y., “Washington, D.C., Nov 1, 1861” cds and manuscript Congressional free frank, slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 2551. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2787 ☒ **“Stand by the Flag”**, verse with flag and oval portrait of Gen Scott, on cover to Chestertown, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Dec 29” cds, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2788 ☒ **Gen. W. Scott “Our Commander in Chief” - “The War for the Union”**, overall blue patriotic design on cover to Saxtons River, Vt., “Due 3” in circle, “Washington, D.C., Nov 12, 1861” cds, edge wear with several edge nicks mostly impacting corners, **Fine**, Bischel catalog states this design is extremely rare. Bischel No. 474. Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2789 ☒ **Major-General Siegel**, black bust on cover to West Ripley, Me., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), tied by “New Orleans, La. Sep 18 1862” cds, slight reduction at right, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. unlisted. Estimate \$100 - 150

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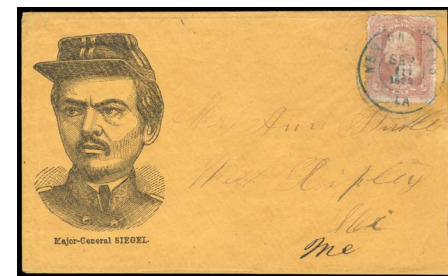
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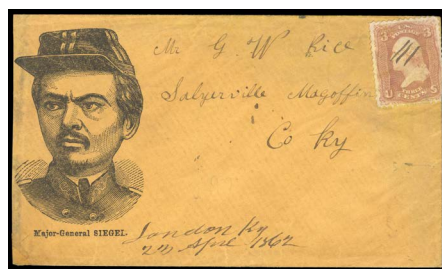
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- 2790 ☒ **Major-General Sigel**, black bust on cover to Salyersville, Ky., 1861, 3¢ rose (65), some scissor trimmed perfs at right, pen canceled, manuscript "London Ky 22 April 1862" town; cover with some soiling and small corner repair at bottom left, F.-V.F. Walcott No. unlisted.
 Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2791 ☒ **General Wadsworth**, blue portrait in ornate red and blue frame, on cover to Enfield Centre, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by Washington, D.C. cds with "Oct 26 1862" manuscript enhanced, stamp faulty and cover with small and light central tone spot near address panel, F.-V.F., ex-Walcott & Bischel. Bischel No. 981.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2792 ☒ **Washington in Medallion**, bicolored patriotic design with "Union" on cover to Woodward Centre, Pa., 1861, 3¢ rose (65, s.e. at left) tied by circle of wedges handstamp, matching "Harrisburg, Pa., Sep 5, 1862" cds, cover light corner wear and a few small tears at bottom, F.-V.F. Bischel No. 187.
 Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2793 ☒ **Washington & Eagle with "Union"**, red and blue patriotic design on cover front to Matigny, Switzerland, manuscript "Per Prussian Closed Mail" endorsement at top, "Mishicott, Wis., Jan 29" origin cds and blue "Chicago Ill. Am. Pkt., 22" exchange cds and large blue "45" kreuzer due handstamp (equivalent to 30¢), red crayon "180" Swiss centimes due and reverse with portion on backflaps showing red Aachen transit cds; front with repair tears affecting postmarks, F.-V.F. appearance. Bischel No. 187.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



- 2794 ☒ **George Washington and U.S. Capitol**, green Magnus two panel patriotic on cover to "Guildford, England", blue "Baltimore, Md., Jun 27" origin cds and matching "24" rate handstamp, partial New York exchange cds and "London Ju 11 62" receiver cds struck twice on front, slight cover reduction at right expertly restored, **still Very Fine and choice**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 55.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

A FANTASTIC TRANS-ATLANTIC USAGE OF A MAGNUS PATRIOTIC COVER TO ENGLAND.



- 2795 ☒ **General Washington and Four Views**, Magnus design in red on cover to Batchellerville, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), faulty corner, tied by Washington D.C. cds, small corner mends at top and slightly reduced at right, **otherwise Very Fine**, Bischel catalog states this design is extremely rare, *ex-Walcott & Bischel*. Bischel No. 76.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

AN OUTSTANDING PATRIOTIC WHICH IS RARELY SEEN WITH A FIVE PANEL DESIGN.

- 2796 ☒ **George Washington**, blue full body patriotic design on cover to Richville, Vt., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by "Brattleboro, Vt. Oct 20" cds, light tone speckling and other small flaws, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 93 var.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2797 ☒ **George Washington**, red and blue design in oval surrounded by flags with verse below, additional "Co.K, Capt S.C. Dwyer, 2nd Reg't Scott Life Guard" imprint on cover to Lewis, N.Y., **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by Washington D.C. cds, black ink stain in bottom left corner, **Very Fine**, Bischel No. 169 var. (different verses).
 Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2798 ☒ **George Washington Above Eagle and Crypt**, design on blue surfaced cover to Jackson, N.H., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by segmented cork handstamp, "Washington, D.C., Jun 3" cds, light edge wear and slightly reduced at right, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 118.
 Estimate \$150 - 200

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- 2799 ☒ **“Every Portion of Our Country...”,** part of Washington’s farewell speech, in red below red portrait of Washington in blue ornate frame, on cover to Voluntown, Conn., 1861, 3¢ rose (65), horizontal crease, with pen cancel, manuscript “Lindenwood Apr 25” town cancel, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2800 ☒ **General Washington on Horseback on Pedestal with Flag and “Union”,** multicolored Kimmel patriotic design on cover to La Grangeville, N.Y., 1857, 3¢ dull red (26) faulty, tied by New York, N.Y. cds, cover tear at top, **otherwise Very Fine**. Bischel No. 147. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2801 ☒ **George Washington,** in blue surrounded by eagle, flags, cannon and drum with verse, “The Union Is Not Only the Citadel of Our Liberty...” Webster 1832 on cover to Monson, Mass., manuscript “Due 3”, “U.S. Ship 3cts” circular handstamp, manuscript endorsed “Soldier’s Letter” and officers frank, edge nicks and light soiling, **Fine**. Bischel No. 160. Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2802 ☒ **Martha Washington,** in oval, lovely red and blue overall design with flag and shields in all corners, blue “Jno. G. Wells” imprint on backflap, on cover to Boswell, O., 1861, 3¢ rose (65), tied by indistinct cds, **Extremely Fine**, an immaculate and choice cover. Estimate \$200 - 250
- 2803 ☒ **“Col J.W. Wilson - 1st Reg US Mechanic Fusileers - Soldiers Letter Major”,** red design with portrait of Colonel in patriotic oval, on cover to Dublin, Ill., 1861, 3¢ rose (65), tied by Chicago, Ill cds and grid duplex, barely reduced at right and minor edge wear, **Very Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 983. Estimate \$200 - 300



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2804 ☒ **“Maj. Gen. Wool”**, blue portrait with allegorical border and eagle design, on cover to Portland, Me., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by blue “Baltimore, Md., Nov 22” cds, light vertical cover fold, **otherwise Very Fine, ex-Bischel.** Bischel No. 992.
Estimate \$300 - 400

Regiment & Corps Designs

2805 ☒ **Three Leaf Clover**, red & blue patriotic **die cut label**, affixed on cover to Lebanon, Pa., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose tied by “Washington, D.C., Oct 29, 1863” cds; stamp with tears at upper right, **otherwise Very Fine, rare.**
Estimate \$200 - 300

2806 ☒ **“2nd Div. 9th A.C.”**, red and blue flag showing cannon and anchor design, Magee imprint vertically at left, on cover to Philo, Ill., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** with manuscript cross hatching, “Washington, D.C. Aug 27, ‘62” cds, manuscript “Missent and Ford”, **Very Fine.** Bischel No. 2857.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2807 ☒ **“6th Corps, 2nd Division”**, blue design on cover to Weedsport, N.Y., Magee imprint vertically at left, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by target handstamp, “Philadelphia, Pa., Jan 21” cds, minor stain, **Very Fine, ex-Bischel.** Bischel No. 2852.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2808 ☒ **Brigade Insignias**, designs on **four covers**; with **“8th Corps, 3d Division”** red and blue circular design showing cannon and anchor, **“5th Corps - 1st Division”** red Maltese cross, and two different blue Maltese cross designs for the **Iron Brigade**, all franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by Washington D.C. duplex postmarks; some small flaws, **F.-V.F., ex-Bischel.** Bischel No. 2864.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2809 ☒ **“Company “D”, 1st Conn. Siege, Artillery., Capt. C.O. Brigham”**, illustrated boxed cannon design on cover to Chester, Conn., **1861, 3¢ rose (65, s.e. at right)** tied by segmented cork handstamp, “Old Point Comfort, Va., Feb 15” cds, light soiling, **Very Fine.** Bischel No. 2251.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2810 ☒ **“34th Regiment Illinois Volunteers”**, blue state seal design on cover to Grand Detour, Ill., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by blue target handstamp, matching “Louisville, Ky Nov 28” cds, additionally tied by manuscript; couple edge flaws and light soiling, **F.-V.F., ex-Walcott & Bischel.** Bischel No. 2280.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2811 ☒ **“34th Regt. Illinois Volunteers”**, red and purple illustrated design on cover to Grand Detour, Ill., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Nashville, Ten., Dec 28, 1862” cds, light crease at right and some light edge toning, **still Very Fine, ex-Bischel.** Bischel No. 2231.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2812 ☒ **“From 100th Reg’t Illinois Volunteers - Union and Liberty One Evermore”**, blue design and verses on cover to Elwood, Ill., oval Soldier’s letter and “Held for Postage” handstamps, small edge faults and slightly reduced at right, **F.-V.F., scarce, ex-Bischel.** Bischel No. 2294.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2813 ☒ **“18th Indiana Regiment”**, grayish violet design showing picket guard and tent, on cover to Birmingham, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by blue “Norfolk, Va., Jun 10” cds, **Very Fine and choice,** unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2814 ☒ **“34th Morton Rifles Ind.”**, overall patriotic design in red on cover to Brindlies Station, O., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** with target, Memphis, Tenn cds, edge faults and light stains, **Fine.** Bischel No. 927.
Estimate \$100 - 150

2815 ☒ **“72d Regiment, Indiana Volunteers, Mounted Inf.”**, female design with list of engagements, on cover to Cranfordsville, Ind., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Cairo, Ill., Mar 11” cds and target duplex; stamp with diagonal crease at top, **still Very Fine,** Bischel states this is *the only recorded example, ex-Bischel.* Bischel No. 2308.
Estimate \$200 - 300

2816 ☒ **“17th Iowa the Heroes At....”**, list of officers and engagements in black in ornate frame, on cover to Keokuk, Iowa, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by Nashville, Te. cds and grid duplex; some cover corner wear, **still Very Fine,** with Malpass note “a rare design and possibly unique”. Bischel No. unlisted.
Estimate \$250 - 350

2817 ☒ **“Head Quarters 20th Regiment, Iowa Volunteers”**, design with eagle in circle, on cover to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, “Springfield, Mo., Nov 2, 1862” cds, “Due 3” handstamp and pencil notation “Soldier’s Letter” with officers frank, pencil 1862 docketing, **F.-V.F., ex-Bischel.** Bischel No. 2313.
Estimate \$100 - 150

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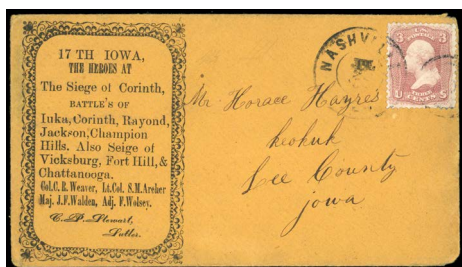
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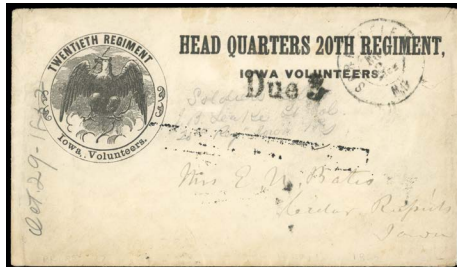
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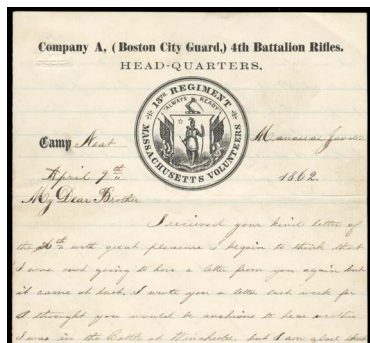
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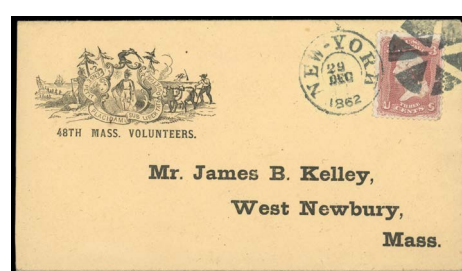
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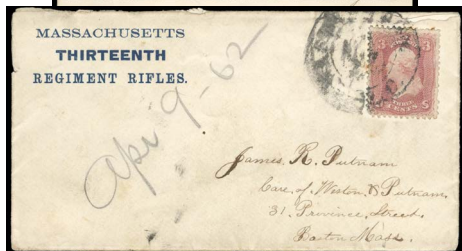
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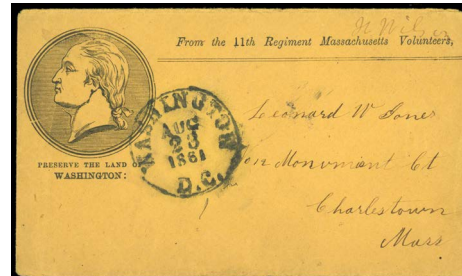
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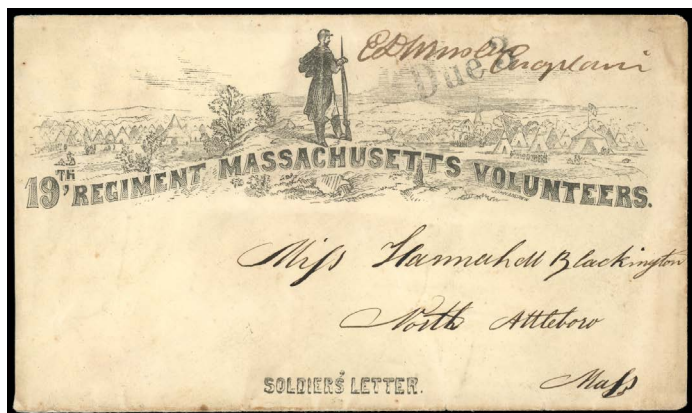


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- 2818 ☒ **“From the Second Regiment Maine Volunteer Militia, Company H.”**, blue design of Washington in medallion on cover to Bangor, Me., “Washington, D.C. Free, Aug 18, 1861” cds with Congressional free frank, light soiling and edge tear at top, **otherwise Very Fine**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 2321.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2819 ☒ **“Massachusetts Thirteenth Regiment Rifles”**, blue printed corner card on cover to Boston, Mass., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by smudged Washington, D.C. double circle postmark with enclosure, printed letterhead “Company A (Boston City Guard), 4th Battalion Rifles. Head-Quarters” with printed “Camp” and manuscript “Near Manassas Junction, April 9th, 1862”, interesting, lengthy letter “I was in the battle of Winchester...large battles that were fought...a long march before long...”, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. unlisted.
Estimate \$100 - 150



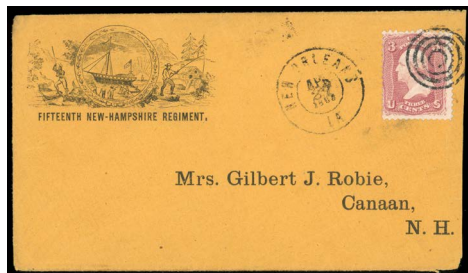
- 2820 ☒ **“19th Regiment Massachusetts Volunteers - Soldier’s Letter”**, imprint below soldier and camp view, on cover to North Attleboro, Mass, signed by regiment Chaplain, “Due 3” handstamp, light edge soiling, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 2371.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2821 ☒ **“24th Regt, Mass. Vols.”**, manuscript superimposed on blue N.Y. regiment overall design showing N.Y. State Seal and Lady Liberty, on cover to South Danvers, Mass, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by segmented cork handstamp, “Old Point Comfort Va. Aug 24” cds; light cover edge wear, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. unlisted.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2822 ☒ **“48th Mass. Volunteers”**, black illustrated design showing State Seal, on print addressed cover to West Newbury, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by segmented cork cancel and “New York, Dec 29, 1862” cds, **Extremely Fine and choice**. Bischel No. 2387.
Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2823 ☒ **“Headquarters 13th Regt. Rifles, Mass. Vol. Co. C.”**, black Eagle and Flag patriotic design on cover to Boston, Mass., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by Banks Division blue cds, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2824 ☒ **“Preserve the Land of Washington - From the 11th Regiment Massachusetts Volunteers”**, Washington medallion design on cover to Charlestown, Mass., manuscript Congressional Free Frank (Wilson) and “Washington, D.C., Aug 23, 1861” cds, with original enclosure, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 2353.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2825 ☒ **“Sixth Regiment Mass. Volunteer Militia”**, red and blue design showing Luther C. Ladd portrait and flag, on cover to New York, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by partial Washington D.C. cds, light soiling and corner repair at bottom right, **F.-V.F.**, a very rare design, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 2345.
Estimate \$300 - 400

Luther Crawford Ladd was a soldier in the Union Army who was killed during the Baltimore riot of 1861. He is often referred to as the first Union soldier killed in action during the American Civil War and was only 17 years old at the time of his death.

- 2826 ☒ **“9th Regiment Michigan Volunteers”**, blue illustrated design showing State Seal, on cover to Burlington, Mich., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by indistinct cds (most probably West Point, Ky.), slightly reduced at right and cover tear at top, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 2399.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2827 ☒ **11th Regiment N.H. Volunteers.**, purple design showing State Seal, on cover to Fremont NH, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by indistinct town, manuscript “Paid” at left, **Very Fine**, extremely fresh and attractive. Bischel No. 2439.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2828 ☒ **“15th New Hampshire Regiment”**, black illustrated design showing State Seal, on orange cover to Canaan N.H., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by target, “New Orleans, La., Apr 27” cds, slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 2456.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2829 ☒ **“9th Regiment N.H. Volunteers - Victory is Sure”**, red state seal and flag design, on cover to Orford, N.H., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue “Frederick, Md., Sep 25, 1862” cds, some cover edge toning, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 2436.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2830 ☒ **“Gerrisch’s First New Hampshire Light Artillery”**, red patriotic design showing soldiers, cannon and flag in transit, on cover to Manchester, N.H., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), sealed tear, tied by non-descript cds (possibly Washington D.C.), reduced at left, **F.-V.F.**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

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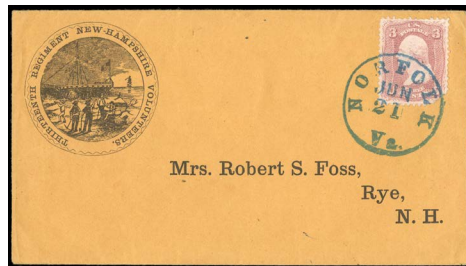
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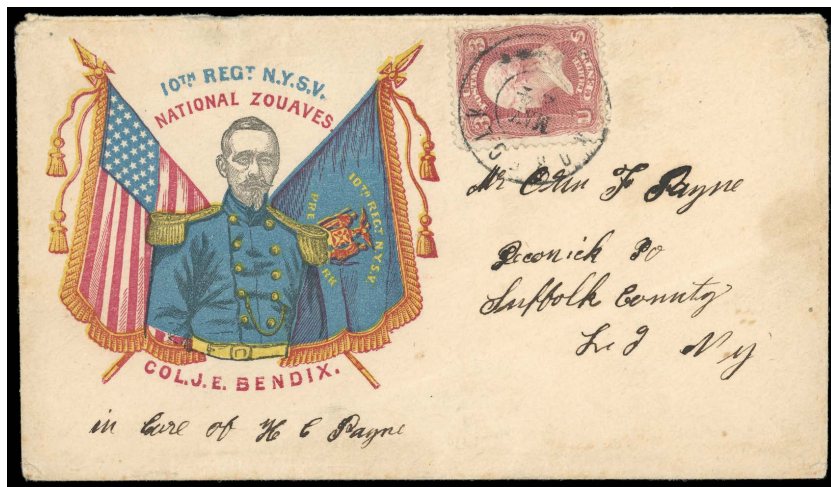


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- 2831 ☒ **“Gerrish’s Battery, First New Hampshire Light Artillery”**, red design showing cannon and flag, on cover to North Sanbornton, N.H., 1861, 3¢ rose (65, s.e. at left) tied by partial Washington, D.C. cds, with top of original letterhead showing same design, **Fine**, scarce N.H. battery.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2832 ☒ **“Fifth Reg’t New-Hampshire Vols.”**, red and blue design with Liberty, Flag & Eagle on cover to Milford, N.H. tied by “Washington, D.C., Sep 5, 1861” cds; some toning at right, **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2833 ☒ **Thirteenth Regiment New-Hampshire Volunteers**, state seal design on printed address cover to Rye, N.H., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by neat blue “Norfolk, Va., Jun 21” cds; stamp with pre-use corner nick at bottom right, **still Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2834 ☒ **“101st Regiment New York Volunteers, Col E. Fardella”**, red and blue illustration of flag, eagle and cannon and other allegories, on cover to Landgrove, Vt, 1861, 3¢ rose (65, s.e. at left) tied by “Old Point Comfort, Va., Jul 31” cds, cover with rounded corner at bottom left, **otherwise Very Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 2611.
Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2835 ☒ **“10th Regt. N.Y.S.V., National Zouaves, Col. J.E. Bendix”**, multicolored design showing the Colonel in uniform and crossed flags, with Wm. Everdell’s Sons imprint on backflap, on cover to Long Island, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Norfolk, Va., May 24” cds; minor cover edge wear, **Very Fine**, a very rare multicolored patriotic design. Bischel No. 809.
Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2836 ☒ “**143 Regiment, N.Y.S. Vols. - Col. David P. De Witt**”, N.Y. State Seal design on cover to Liberty, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., 1863” cds, some contemporary notations including on stamp, **Very Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 2635.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2837 ☒ “**1st N.Y. Vol. Engineer Regiment**”, blue design on cover to New Berlin Centre, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, s.e. at left), tied by “Port Royal, S.C., Oct 8, 1863” cds and target duplex, small light stain at top, still VF cover., **F.-V.F., ex-Walcott & Bischel**. Bischel No. 2474.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2838 ☒ “**1st Regiment U.S. National Guard, Excelsior**” (New York), overall red patriotic design showing cannon, eagle, flags and drums, on cover to New York City, **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by partial Old Point Comfort cds; cover lightly soiled and stamp flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2839 ☒ “**25th Regiment, Sickles Cavalry, N.Y.S.V. Official Business**”, black design with saddled horse, on cover to Earlsville, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, s.e. at right) tied by circle of wedge handstamp, matching “Sarasota Springs, N.Y., Apr 11” cds, **Very Fine**, unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2840 ☒ “**Battles Participated in By 116th N.Y. Vol. Inf.**”, battle scene and list of engagements below, on cover to Holland, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by quartered cork handstamp, Washington D.C. cds alongside, small sealed tear at top, **Very Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 2619.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2841 ☒ “**Camp 16th Reg N.Y. Vol. - The Loyal States Union**”, overall patriotic design in gray on cover to East De Kalb, N.Y., congressional free frank (“E Ward MC”), “Washington, D.C., Nov 13, 1864” cds, **Very Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 2534.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2842 ☒ “**Soldier’s Letter, Independent Battalion N.Y.V.**”, hand drawn banner design on cover to Brooklyn, N.Y., additional “soldier’s letter” endorsement, “Port Royal, S.C., Dec 22, 1863” cds and matching “Due 3” handstamp, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2843 ☒ “**Third Regiment, Excelsior Brigade, Col Nelson Taylor Commanding**”, orange brown overall design showing Camp & Zouave with New York State Seal, on cover to Trenton, N.J., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Old Point Comfort, Va., Aug 14” cds, bit reduced at right and edge wear, **Fine**. Bischel No. 2495 var.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2844 ☒ “**121st Regiment, O.V.I. Col. W.P. Reid Commanding**”, imprint below Constitution and shaking hands, on cover to Mt. Vernon, Ohio, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by Fredericktown O. cds, small tape stain from repair at top, edge soiling and couple light tone spots, **F.-V.F., ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 2697.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2845 ☒ “**From Cotter’s Battery, Company A 1st Regiment Ohio Artillery**”, endorsement within two different patriotic designs; one in red and blue cannon and flag design and other in blue allegorical scene design, both franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue Louisville, Ky cds and grid duplex; small cover flaws, **still Very Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 2644.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2846 ☒ “**Liberty’s Defenders - Co. A., 47th O.V. U.S.A.**”, red and blue design with black regimental imprint and “Moore, Wilstach, Keys & Co., Cincinnati” imprint at bottom, on cover to Oxford, O., central “Gallipolis, O., Aug 13, 1862” cds and matching “Due 3” handstamp, faint water staining and small tears, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 88 var.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2847 ☒ “**Wolfe’s National Band, With 61st Regiment O.V., U.S.A.**”, two different illustrated corner cards; one with eagle and shield design, other with Puck figure blowing horn, both franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied target with Lancaster, O. cds, **F.-V.F., ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 2680.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2848 ☒ “**61st Regt. Pa. Vol., Pratt’s Light Division, Army of the Potomac**”, red illustrated design on dark orange cover to Philadelphia, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Jul 31, 1863” cds, slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 2743.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2849 ☒ “**7th Regiment, P.R.V.C.**”, overall partially shaded design in red and blue featuring Eagle with “7” in beak atop monument listing engagements of this regiment, on cover to Harrisburg, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington D.C., Aug 23, 1863” cds, central cover docketing, **Very Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 2708.
Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2850 ☒ “**99th Penna. Vols., Ward’s Brigade, 1st Div. 3rd Corps.**”, two color imprint with “K” in diamond, also includes list of engagements, on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Apr 5, ‘64” cds and target duplex, slight soiling, **Very Fine**, Bischel records only two examples of this design (the other being a stampless cover). Bischel No. 2829.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2851 ☒ “**Co. C, Capt. John F. Peck, 177th Penn’a Reg., Col. G.B. Wiestling.**”, imprint and design showing eagle and flag, on reverse of cover to Norfolk, Va., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) canceled by target handstamp, matching “Harrisburg, Pa., Jun 8, 1863” cds, reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**, unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2852 ☒ “**Col. John W. Geary’s 28th Regt., P.V.**”, two oval portraits with imprint between, on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., manuscript endorsed vertically at left “Soldier’s Letter” and endorsed by Chaplain, “Point of Rocks, Md.” cds and large pencil “3” with additional smaller “3”, vertical folding creases and light soiling, **Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 876.
Estimate \$200 - 300

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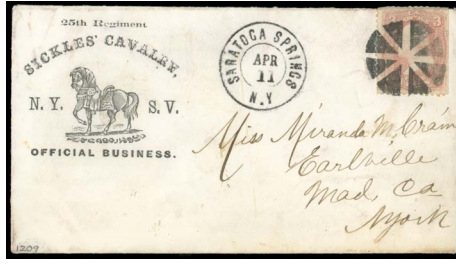
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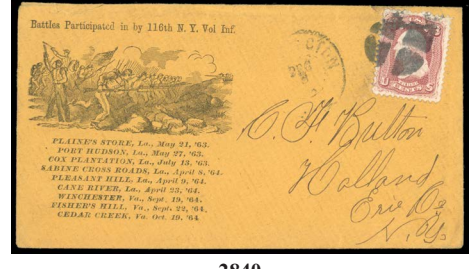
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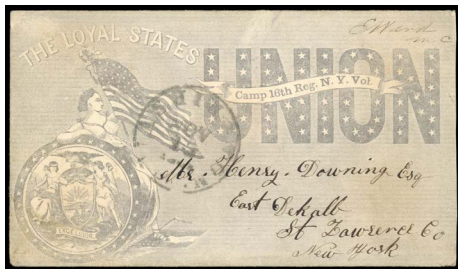
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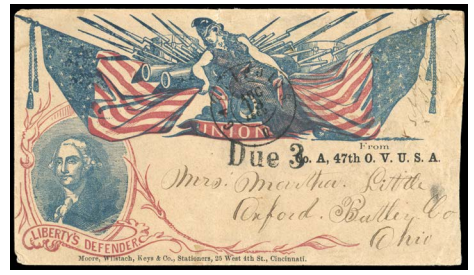
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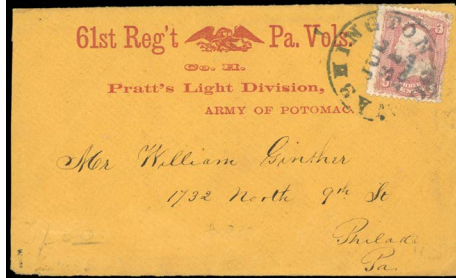
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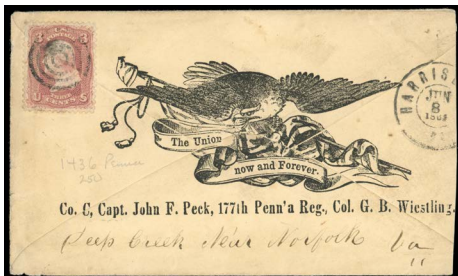
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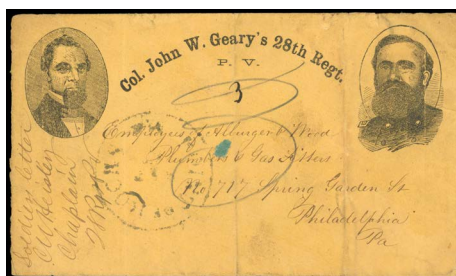
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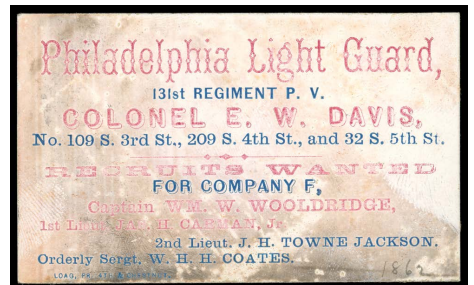
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- 2853 ☒ **“Philadelphia Light Guard, 131st Regiment P.V.”**, red and blue recruiters enlistment calling card, listing Offices and Orderly Sergt., some toning, with second similar card printed in black for **“Colonel Rush’s, Light Cavalry, Company K., Active Men Wanted.”** with mounting adhesion on reverse, **F.-V.F. overall**, still quite scarce memorabilia.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2854 ☒ **“Rallying Song of the Pennsylvania 78th Regiment Negley’s Brigade”**, additional verse “Opening the Way”, blue design showing Officers and Cannon, on cover to Baldwinsville, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Columbia. Ten. Apr 12. 1863” cds, light soiling and tone speckling, **F.-V.F.**, *ex-Walcott & Bischel*. Bischel No. 2751.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2855 ☒ **“3d Regt. R.I. Artillery, Co. H., Fort Wells S.C.”**, illustrated cannon & Calvary corner card design on cover to East Greenwich, R.I., franked with **1861, 1¢ blue** (63) tied by “Port Royal, S.C., Dec 8” cds, reduced at right, **otherwise Very Fine**, a scarce regimental, unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2856 ☒ **R. Island Regiment “Hope”**, red and blue design showing soldier and flag, on cover to New York City, **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) with part imprint and adhesive staining, centrally struck grid, red “Providence, R.I. May 26” cds; stamp and cover with gum staining, **Fine**; with 2018 P.F. certificate.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2857 ☒ **Captured Blue “Second Battalion, Virginia Cavalry” Patriotic**, multicolored illustration showing mounted U.S. Cavalry soldier with “US Dragoons” battle flag on “captured” patriotic, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) barely tied on cover to Hartford City, Ind., indistinct “Kanawha C.H., Va. May 14” cds., edge wear and slightly reduced at left, also a second identical design “soldier’s letter” cover, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 2785.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- The 2nd Virginia Cavalry Regiment was a cavalry regiment raised in Virginia for service in the Confederate States Army during the American Civil War. It fought mostly with the Army of Northern Virginia.*
- 2858 ☒ **“Battery D., 1st West Va. Lt. Artillery, J. Carlin, Capt.”**, cannon and Calvary boxed corner card design, on cover to Lawrence, Kansas, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Wheeling, W.V., Dec 23, ‘63” cds and target duplex, straight line “Advertised” handstamp; some cover wear, **F.-V.F.**, a rare West Virginia patriotic and usage. Bischel No. unlisted.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2859 ☒ **“E.O. Connor, Col 2nd Reg’t Wis. Vol.”**, portrait design with “L. Prang & Co.” imprint below, on cover to Boscobel, Wis., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by Alexandria, Va. cds; stamp with corner added at top right, **otherwise Very Fine**, a very rare design. Bischel No. 838.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2860 ☒ **“Headquarters First Brigade Band, Third Division, 15th Army Corp”**, printed at top right on cover to Brodhead, Wisc. **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “(Nashville), Tenn Jul 22” cds, also a eagle & shield design cover with “Band Quarters, 7th Reg’t, P.R.V.C.” boxed list of members, similar franking tied by Washington D.C. cds, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300

In 1864 eighteen men from the Brodhead Brass Band enlisted in the Union Army as the band of the 1st Brigade, 3d Division, 15th Army Corps. They left their rural Wisconsin homes to participate, under the command of General William T. Sherman, in the campaigns of Northern Georgia and the Carolinas.

- 2861 ☒ **“Wisconsin Light Artillery Buena Vista Battery, Capt. Henry Dillon”**, Calvary with cannon design on cover to Wyoming, Wis., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Racine, Wis., Mar 5” cds, **Very Fine**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 2790.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2862 ☒ **Regiment Patriotics, three covers** franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65); includes **“Bell’s Regiment Illinois Cavalry”** red and blue eagle and flag design on cover with Chicago Ills. cds, **“Col. T.G. Morehead, 106th Regiment, P.V.”** red and blue Liberty, Shield & Constitution design with Washington D.C. cds, and **“38 Regiment, Massachusetts Volunteers”** blue state seal design with New Orleans, La, cds; some flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2863 ☒ **Regimental Endorsement Patriotics, on four covers**; with **“From 11th Regt. Massachusetts Volunteers.”** imprint with eagle and shield design, **“Tiger Regiment., 43rd Mass. Vols.”** imprint with tiger design, **“6th Michigan Cavalry, Colonel George Gray.”** imprint with U.S. Capitol allover design on reverse of cover, and **“11th Regiment, Penn. Cavalry, Co. H., U.S. Army”** oval corner card, most franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65), the former a Congressional free frank use; small flaws, **a Fine group**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

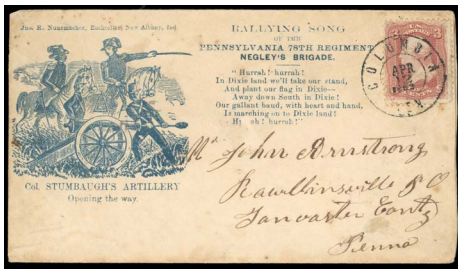
Sanitary Fair Designs

- 2864 ☒ **“Cooper Shop, Volunteer Refreshment Saloon.”**, red and blue flag patriotic design, on locally addressed Philadelphia, pa. cover, franked with **Blood’s Penny Post (1¢) bronze on lilac** (15L15), acid tied with blurred Bloods handstamp, cover edge tears, scuff and slightly reduced at right, **F.-V.F.**, very rare, unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2865 ☒ **Great Western Sanitary Fair, Cincinnati, O.**, illustrated patriotic advertising for this event, on cover to Blanchester, O., **1863, 2¢ black** (73), just tied by blue grid handstamp, cover slightly irregular and reduced at right, **Fine**. Bischel No. 5725.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2866 ☒ **“Union Volunteer Refreshment Saloon & Hospital, Philadelphia”**, overall view design in violet on cover to “The President of Directors, of the Commercial Room Association, Exchange Building”, hand carried with original enclosure with matching illustrated letterhead datelined “April 7th, 1864” with letter of thanks for donation, even allover toning, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 1407.
Estimate \$200 - 300

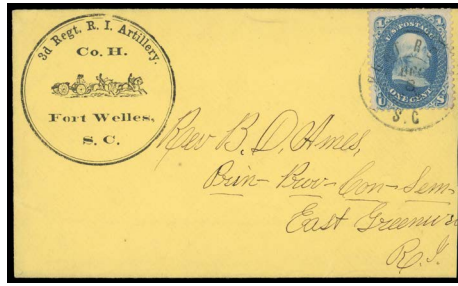
Shield Designs

- 2867 ☒ **Large Star and Shield in Circle**, red and blue design on cover to Lima O., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by target and faint Piqua Ohio cds, **Very Fine**, attractive design.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2868 ☒ **“Liberty or Death”**, verse in ribbon, red and blue design of shield and books, dead snake, **J.M. Whittemore & Co., Boston** imprint at bottom, on cover to Philadelphia, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by boxed “Paid” straightline, red “Boston, Mass Sep 14” cds, **Extremely Fine**, an immaculate cover from a very scarce printer of Patriotics.
Estimate \$200 - 300

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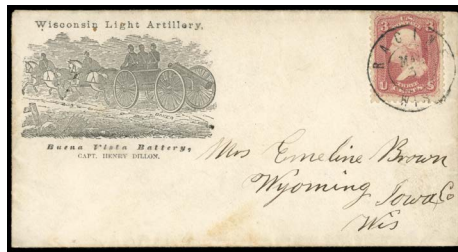
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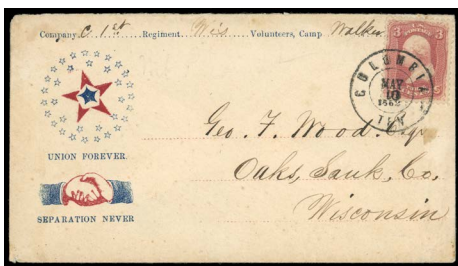
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- 2869 ☒ “Stand By the Flag”, patriotic shield design on cover to **London, England forwarded to Rome, Italy**, franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red, three pairs (26)** all tied by grid handstamp, two pairs with fold over creases, red Boston Packet cds, various transits and receivers, minor cover flaws including partial backflap from rough opening, **F.-V.F. appearance**, an unusual usage. Bischel No. 4797.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

Star Designs



- 2870 ☒ “Union - Liberty” (Hand Drawn), red, blue and gold hand drawn star design, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)**, canceled by target handstamp with matching “St. Andrews, N.Y., Jan 23” cds, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2871 ☒ “Union Forever - Separation Never”, bicolored patriotic with stars and hands shaking on cover to Oaks, Wisc., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Columbia, Ten., May 10, 1862” cds, **Very Fine**, Bischel unlisted.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

State Designs

- 2872 ☒ “Illinois - Forever Loyal to the Union”, red overall patriotic design showing State Seal, Liberty and Flag, on cover to New York, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)**, small bit of perf toning, tied by grid handstamp with matching “Beloit, Wis, Mar 25, 1863” cds, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3095.
 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2873 ☒ “The Loyal States Union Iowa”, overall gray design showing Liberty, flag and Iowa State Seal on **transatlantic cover to Germany**, postmarked blue “**Fort Madison, Ioa Dec 4 1861**” cds, red “New York Paid Hamb Pkt 20” transit, blue “Paid” straightline with manuscript “30”, two “Franco” straightlines, appropriate backstamps include “Hamburg 31/12 61” oval, very light tone spots, **F.-V.F., attractive transatlantic usage**. Bischel No. 3130.
 Estimate \$200 - 300



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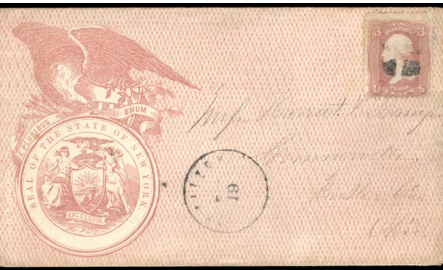
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- 2874 ☒ **“Kentucky - United We Stand Divided We Fall”**, ornate blue design with State Seal in center, with additional **“United States Sanitary Commission, Department of Kentucky”** imprint at left, Congressional free frank, blue “Louisville, Ky., May 12” cds, slightly reduced at right, small corner flaws upper right, **still Very Fine**. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2875 ☒ **The Loyal States (Massachusetts)**, blue overall design showing State Seal and Liberty with flag, Reagles & Co. imprint on backflap, on cover to South Lancaster, Mass., arc “Paid 3” handstamp and indistinct Mass. town cds, **Very Fine**, extremely attractive. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2876 ☒ **“State of Massachusetts - Loyal to the Union”**, multicolored overall Loyal State patriotic on cover to Shelter Island, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by target handstamps, matching “Groton, Con., Mar 30” cds, cover reduced at right, **otherwise Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3164. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2877 ☒ **“Loyal to the Union State of New York”**, overall multicolored patriotic to New York, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) canceled by target handstamp, “Hartwick, N.Y., Jan 8” cds, VF cover., **Very Fine**, Bischel No. 3267 var. (this being multicolored). Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2878 ☒ **“N.Y. - The Union Must and Shall Be Preserved”**, multicolored soldiers and New York State Seal design on cover to Bolivar, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Aug 30” cds and target duplex, irregular reduction at right and stamp with light diagonal crease, **F.-V.F.**, rare and unlisted. Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2879 ☒ **“New York - Loyal to the Union”**, blue overall illustrated Liberty seated with flag and State Seal, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue “Baltimore, Md., Dec 23” cds, light fading at right, **still Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3268. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2880 ☒ **“New York (30th) - The Loyal States”**, overall blue design with State Seal, on cover to Corinth, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Washington, D.C., Feb 13, 1862” cds, minor edge faults including small repair in bottom right corner, **F.-V.F.** Bischel No. 2562. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2881 ☒ **“Our Country - Excelsior”**, dual paneled patriotic, **blind embossed eagle and red New York State seal**, on cover to Seriba, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Seneca Falls N.Y. Jun 23 1862” cds, **Very Fine**, interesting and unusual cover. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2882 ☒ **Seal of the State of New York**, with eagle above, red overall patriotic on cover to Somerville, O., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with segmented cork cancel, indecipherable cds, **Very Fine**, attractive. Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2883 ☒ **Ohio State Seal**, blue design on cover to Mackinaw, Ill, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by “Rolla, Mo., Apr 28, 1861” cds and target duplex, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3312. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2884 ☒ **“Ohio” State Seal**, fancy red shield with State Seal on cover to Newbury, Ohio, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by indistinct cds, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3318. Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2885 ☒ **The Arms of the Keystone State**, patriotic Pennsylvania State Arms design in brown, blue and yellow with Edward Cogan imprint on flap, on cover franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (s.e. at left) tied by grid handstamp, matching "Philadelphia, Pa., Mar 6, 1863" cds; cover with some edge wear and light creases, **F-V.F. and attractive**.
Scott No. **65** Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2886 ☒ **"Pennsylvania Ever True to the Union"**, near overall better items-colored design on cover to Signal Camp, George Town, D.C., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, s.e. at right) canceled by grid handstamp, "Newton Hamilton, Pa., Jan 31" cds, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3556.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2887 ☒ **"Pennsylvania Loyal to the Union"**, red overall design featuring Lady Liberty and State Seal, on cover to Philipsburg, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by "Phila, Pa., Dec 26" cds and grid duplex, **Very Fine and choice**. Bischel No. 3330.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2888 ☒ **"A Loyal State Wisconsin, Union"**, blue design with allegorical "Liberty", flag and State Seal, on cover to Milford, New Haven, Conn., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), not tied by target, indistinct Wis. cds, slightly reduced at right, **F-V.F.**
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2889 ☒ **"Wisconsin - Union - A Loyal State"**, blue design with State Seal on cover to Opian, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by "Plover, Wis., Jan 8" cds; slight wrinkle in stamp, **still Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3399.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2890 ☒ **"Wisconsin - The War for the Union"**, red overall design showing flag, State Seal, also Washington, Flag and Angel in clouds, on cover to Penwanku, Wisc., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by indistinct cds, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3402.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2891 ☒ **"Liberty and Union" Arch of States**, red and blue design without red flag stripes in background, Magee imprint on backflap, on cover to Elizabeth, N.J., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, s.e. at left) tied by "Trenton, N.J., Sep 2" cds, **Very Fine**, unlisted in Bischel.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2892 ☒ **s "One Nation - One Government - Union Constitution"**, bicolored design showing eagle and flags and listing all states, on cover locally addressed to Gideon Wells, "Washington, D.C., Sep 27" cds, manuscript "Private", **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3044.
Estimate \$200 - 300

Verse Designs

- 2894 ☒ **"Draft Draft Draft"**, red overall verse on cover to Tedrow, O., Howell imprint at bottom, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with centrally struck target, matching Port Royal S.C. cds edge faults mostly at right, couple light stains, **F-V.F.**, unlisted.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2895 ☒ **"He That Falls in His Country's Cause Dies Nobly"**, printed green boxed sentiment affixed on cover to West Chester, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by "Philadelphia, Pa. Nov 21" cds and grid duplex, **Very Fine and choice**.
Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2896 ☒ **"Soldier's Dream"**, bronze design showing lavish meal and fruit bowl, on cover to Cincinnati, O., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by dark blue "Louisville, Ky., Jan 17" cds and grid duplex; cover soiling and light crease in stamp, **Fine**, a very rare unlisted design.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2897 ☒ **"The Soldier's Dream of Home"**, red verse and design, **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with pen cancel, manuscript "Bowersville, O. Jan 17" town cancel, trivial scattered tone spots (mentioned unjustly on cert.), **F-V.F. and attractive**; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2898 ☒ **"The Soldier's Dream of Home"**, blue four line verse at right with illustration at left, on cover to Indiana franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), small faults, faint target cancel, "Flat Rock, Ind., Jul 24" cds, some edge wear, **Fine**, scarce design.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 2899 ☒ **"The Soldier's Dream of Home"**, black and red overall battle scene and soldier's return home, black "G.B.D. Oct 18" straightline handstamp (General Banks Division", additional small "Paid" straightline, **Very Fine**, desirable and attractive scarce combination.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2900 ☒ **"Southern Rights Death Before Dishonor - A Myth"**, Confederate patriotic design overprinted with Union slogan, on cover to Bantum Falls, Conn., manuscript "Soldier's Letter" and "Due 3" handstamps, edge faults and reduced at right, **F-V.F.**, very rare.
Estimate \$300 - 400

View Designs



- 2901 ☒ **American Indian Woman & U.S. Capitol**, green **Magnus** dual panel design on cover to Pleasant Valley, N.Y., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by "Washington, D.C., Nov 25" cds, 1861 docketing on reverse; cover with couple tiny tears at top and reduced at left, **otherwise Very Fine**, an extremely rare green **Magnus** design.
Estimate \$400 - 600
- 2902 ☒ **"Annapolis, Md."**, multicolored overall **Magnus** bird's eye view design, on cover to Tioga, Pa., **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by "Washington, D.C., Apr 13, '64" cds and target duplex, cover soiling and edge wear, **Fine**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1085.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2903 ☒ **"Battle Monument Baltimore"**, violet design with J.W. Bond & Co, imprint below, on cover to Philadelphia, Pa., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by blue "Baltimore, Md., Oct 28" cds; cover with tear at top and missing backflap, **F-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1090.
Estimate \$100 - 150

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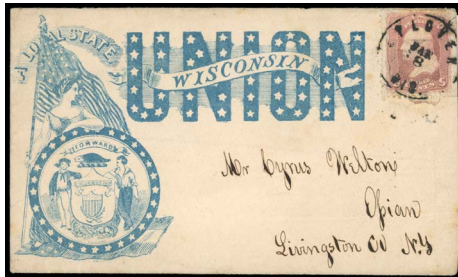
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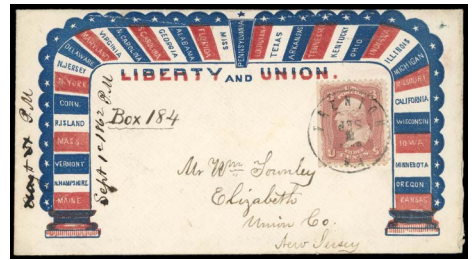
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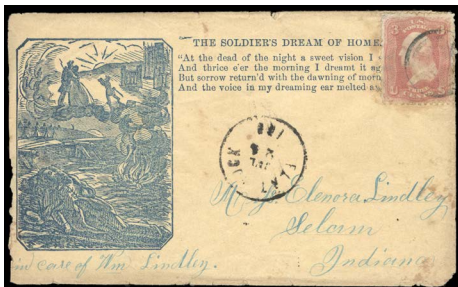
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2904 ☒ **“Bird’s Eye View of Alexandria Va.”**, multi colored Magnus overall view, franked on reverse with 1861, 3¢ rose (65, s.e. at right), tied by “Washington, D.C., Nov 12” cds and target duplex, addressed to Bennington, N.H., light soiling and small edge flaws including lower left corner added, **F-V.F. and attractive, ex-Bischel**; with 1991 P.F. certificate. Bischel No. 1084.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



2905 ☒ **“Bridge, Washington, By Moonlight”**, bronze allover Magnus design on cover to **Karlsruhe, Germany**, “Washington, D.C., May 6, 1862” origin cds over stuck with “New York, Br. Pkt., 23, May 7” exchange cds, “30” in circle rate handstamp and blue manuscript “45” kreuzer due rating, reverse with red Aachen transit cds and boxed receiving date stamp; partial backflap, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 1178.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

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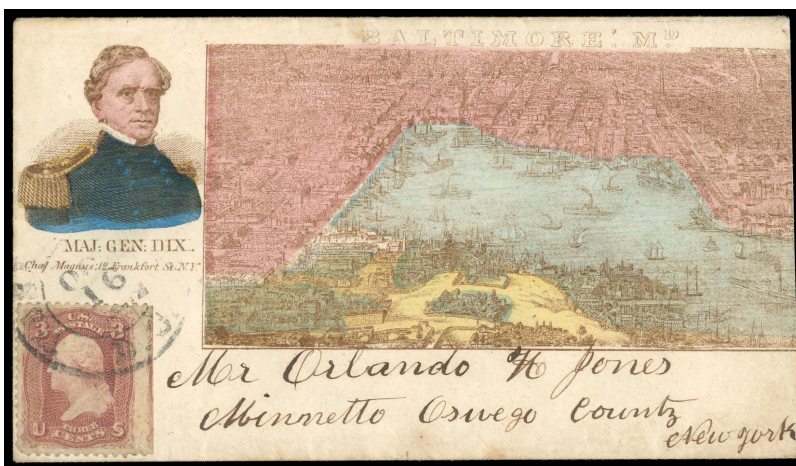
2906 ☒ **“City Hall”**, multicolored dual panel Magnus design showing City Hall and two females figures (one being “Justice”), on cover to New Durham, N.H., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by “Old Point Comfort, Va., Feb 19” cds, slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine**, unlisted in Bischel.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



2907 ☒ **Flag & Shield - "U.S. Patent Office"**, green Magnus two panel design on cover to Bristol, Vt., 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by "Washington, D.C., Oct 22" cds; stamp with light crease, otherwise **Very Fine**, Bischel 1186, Walcott unlisted.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



2908 ☒ **"Little Rhody Soldiers - Providence"**, bronze two panel Magnus design, on cover to Philadelphia, Pa, 1861, 3¢ rose (65), tied by blue "Baltimore, Md., Jan 4" cds, cover with couple tiny edge sealed tears and some toning, **F-V.F.**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1133.
 Estimate \$400 - 600



2909 ☒ **"Maj. Gen Dix - Baltimore, Md."**, dual multicolored portrait & bird's eye view design with Magnus imprint, on cover to Minnetto, N.Y., 1861, 3¢ rose (65, s.e. at right) tied by "Washington, D.C., Oct 16, 1862" cds, cover slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**, a lovely Magnus multicolored dual design, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 853.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

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- 2910 ☒ **Native American Woman & U.S. Capitol**, green dual panel **Magnus** design on cover to Athol, Mass., **1861, 3¢ rose, two singles (65)** faulty, tied by Washington D.C. cds, cover soiling and couple small edge nicks, **Fine**. Bischel No. 1169.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 2911 ☒ **“Patriots of the Land of Steady Hands - Hartford”**, bronze dual panel **Magnus** design, on cover to Rhinebeck, N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)**, folded over cover and tied by blue “Baltimore, Md., Mar. 9” cds, additional light red four line straightline “De Witt R. Peters Asst. 81 Rg. USA...”, cover with minor edge flaws and some soiling, **F.-V.F.**, an extremely rare design. Bischel No. unlisted.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

- 2912 ☒ **“Satterlee U.S.A. General Hospital, West Philad’a, Pa.”**, near overall design in violet showing bird’s eye view of hospital grounds, franked **1861, 3¢ rose (65)**, s.e. at right) tied by “Phila, Pa., Sep 8” cds and target duplex, couple small stains at bottom left, **Very Fine**. Bischel No. 1409.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2913 ☒ **Seated Female and Bangor, Me.**, multicolored dual panel **Magnus** design, on cover to Oswego Co. N.Y., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Washington, D.C., Apr 29, 1864” cds and target duplex, slightly reduced at left, light tone spots and sealed tear, **Fine**, Bischel catalog states this is **the only recorded example**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1093.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2914 ☒ **U.S. Capitol**, design in blue on cover to Patch Grove, Wis., **1857, 3¢ dull red (26)** tied by “Washington, D.C., Aug 16, 1861” cds, small stamp flaws and cover with light edge wear and minor soiling, **Fine**, scarce design.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2915 ☒ **“Union Volunteer Refreshment Saloon & Hospital, Philadelphia”**, grayish blue overall illustration of buildings view, on cover to Mannahawkin, N.J., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Phila., Pa., Aug 9” cds and target duplex, edge wear, soiling and small edge tears, **Fine**, a scarce design. Bischel No. 1407.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

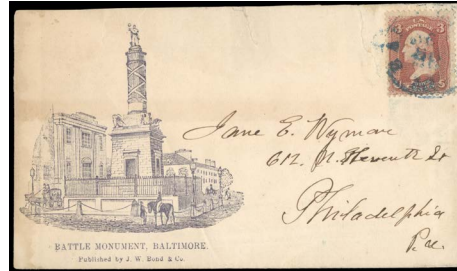


- 2916 ☒ **“View of Baltimore”**, blue overall design showing ships on harbor, on cover to Baltimore, Md., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by grid handstamp, matching “Philadelphia, Pa., Dec 28, 1861” cds; mounting residue on reverse, **Very Fine, a stunning & rare design**, *ex-Bischel*. Bischel No. 1088.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

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2917 ☒ **“Wolverines Motto - Detroit”**, multicolored dual panel Magnus design on cover to Manchester, Iowa, 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by blue target handstamp with matching “Medina Mich, Dec 9” cds, trivial small cover tear at right, **Very Fine**, Bischel catalog stating that **this is the only recorded example, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 1103. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

Westervelt Designs

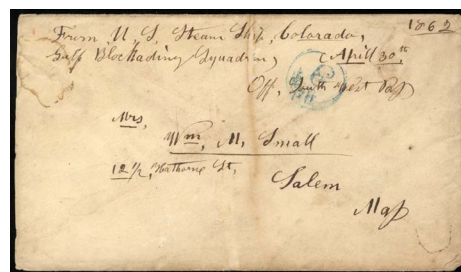
2918 ☒ **“Forever Float that Standard Sheet - Our Union Volunteers”**, red and blue bordered design showing soldiers, Westervelt Indian heads and flag, on cover to Elizabeth N.J., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose tied by “Trenton N.J., Aug 28, ‘62” cds; stamp with a few nibbed perfs, **otherwise Very Fine**. Bischel No. 3001. Estimate \$200 - 300



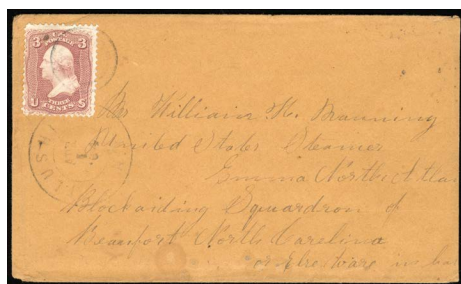
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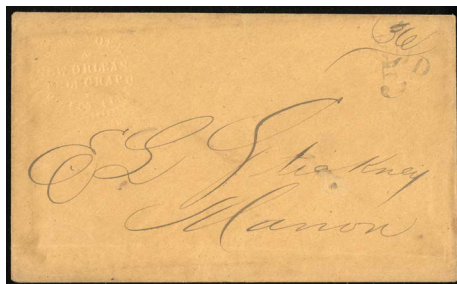
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- 2919 ☒ **“Our Volunteers a Noble Band”**, four line verse from the Westervelt series with Indian heads, flag and soldier in red and blue, **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied on cover to Windsor, N.J. by blue “Frederick Md., Dec 8, 1862” cds, **Very Fine, ex-Bischel**. Bischel No. 2993.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2920 ☒ **“Union”**, blue design featuring allegorical female with headband “Union” in oval with two additional females and eagle, on cover to Chesterville, O., **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by blue open grid and matching “Cincinnati O. Oct 29” cds, slightly reduced at left, **F.-V.F. and attractive**.
Estimate \$100 - 150

Blockade Covers

- 2921 ☒ **From U.S. Steam Ship Colorado, Gulf Blockading Squadron, Off South West Pass, April 30, 1862**, endorsement at top of cover addressed to Salem, Mass., blue “Due 3” in circle handstamp applied in transit; light cover staining and corner wear, **Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- This letter would have landed at Port Royal and put onto one of the supply ships sailing north. It probably went on to Fortress Monroe in a closed bag on it’s way to Baltimore. It was there that the postage “Due 3” marking was applied on it’s way to Salem.*
- 2922 ☒ **U.S. Steamer Emma, North Atlantic Blockading Squadron of Beaufort, N.C.**, address on cover franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** tied by “Flushing, N.Y., Apr 1, ‘64” cds and target duplex; cover reduced at right, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- The “Emma” was captured on July 24th, 1863 by the Army transport SS “Arago” off the coast of Wilmington, N.C. and was purchased by the Navy from the New York City prize court on September 30th, 1863. “Emma” arrived at Newport News, Va. in November of 1863 to patrol with the North Atlantic Blockading Squadron until the end of the war.*

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- 2923 ☒ **New York & New Orleans Telegraph, Direct Line**, oval embossed corner card on cover with “Paid” and “5” rate handstamps, with **original Southern Telegraph Company telegram enclosure** datelined “Selma (Ala.) Augt 10, 1861” by telegraph from “Navy Yard”, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150



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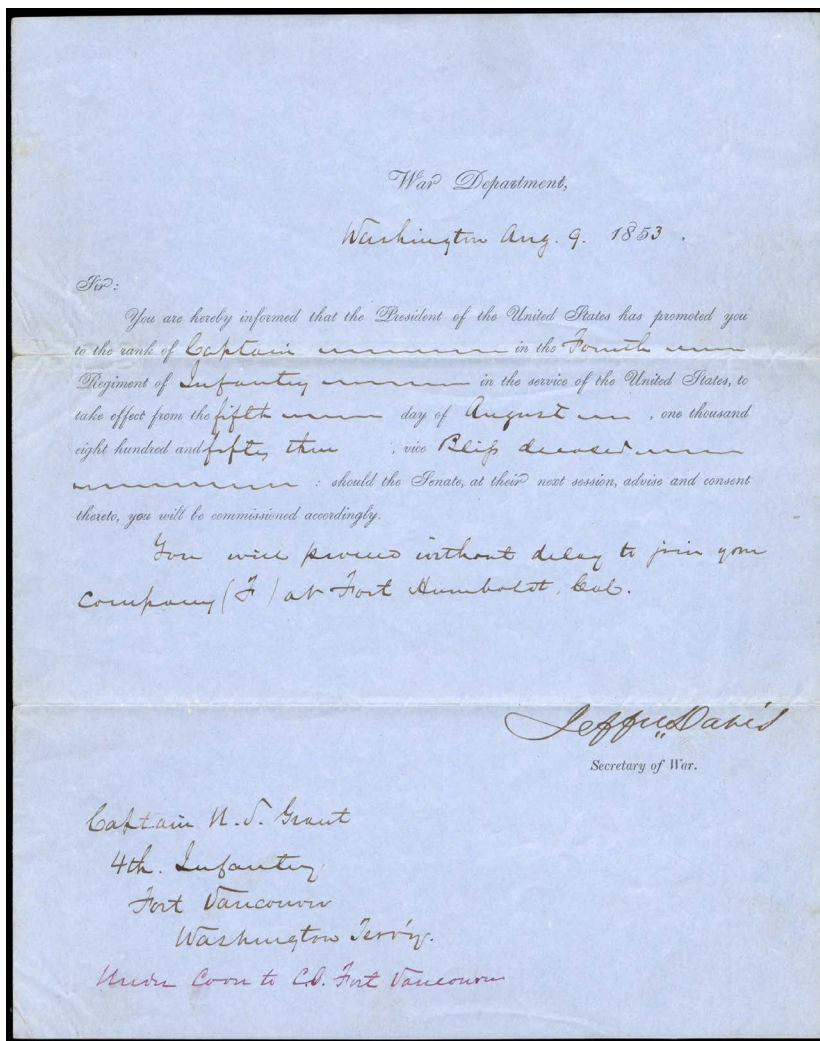
Last Breath of the Confederacy - A Patchwork Letter, unusual and fascinating detailed letter of six scraps of paper, each of a different color, glued together, from former governor of South Carolina, Francis Wilkinson Pickens, with letter detailing the dire situation in which South Carolina found itself in the few months preceding the closing of the Civil War, each scrap (in a different color) with one side used for some other purpose before the blank sides were glued together for the letter; from top to bottom - an 1855 receipt for general goods, a note written in 1863, a letter sent by a slave in 1855 requesting some lumber, an undated stampless cover sent by Frank Pickens (author of letter) to J. Edward Calhoun, a scrap of a letter discussing slaves, and a note from 1864, with much content regarding general strife in the area and Gen. Sherman's Atlanta campaign and reads in whole...*Jany II/ 65...My Dear FI...hasten to ans. yrs. just recd. Durg the smr mos. & again in Nov. I was more exposd thn you. A refugee frm N. Ga. removg to this neighd saw at Athns prisnrs taken frm a Raidg prty, who they special delivery were aiming to cros into Crolna, at my ferry. Tht party frm needls panic turned back whn they could have disprt thruout the whole uppr portion of this state & not a gun woud have been flashed at them; there is no orgni. for dcfnce, altho it is so fully provn tht no frmg pop. will fight for their homes. Instead of bushwackg ea. one is occupied with tryg to save family & goods. Indeed for a long time, I did not expt to live to see Christmas, for at my time of life, & without descendants I do not propos to atmpmt to take trouble to secrete person or effects. But now, the condition is reversed, for the immediate prsnt, & you shoud lose no time in comg here., the momnt Mrs. P. leaves for the West which she can easily reach. I know, authentically, that the Nav. off are courteous & do them obligly cross n comb. to othr side Miss. I doubt whether you could get here, on wheels. Between us is tithe Depot & the urging to deliver has made the roads worse than I ever seen them. If you have the time, leavg Jennie to gain more strength, come on horse back to explore. This place, a noted one with its Mills & plainly in sight frm the ferry & the ford immediately below, may not eventually, be proper for yr. "valuables" or "papers" but I have 4 m. off a settlet. in a very secluded position, with a comfortable hse, good Ind, & c, which you are welcome to the use of, where you might put a few of the more valuable & trusty negroes. It woud be in. dispnsable, hwever, to bring up supplies of all sorts. Last yr's crop was the shortest ever made in this neighbrhd, & besides, the Govt. has pressed all provisions. You can do this by means of McCalla's boats constntly rung. frm the tithe Depot just above me, & retrng empty. In any event, my cottage is at yr. service & will affrd the requisite room. Before Shrmn took Atlanta I gave him Austa as well as Savnh. His success is disgraceful to the authrities civil & Mil. of both States. As a citzn of the Conf. I feel humiliated. He has the game in his own hnds. If our army makes a stnd at Adams run & covers the R. R. to Branchville, he will keep it in check with his main force while he dispatches a strong column to capture Augsta - detachmnts to scour this region at least as high as Andrsnville & to destroy all the R. Rds. frm their terminii to near Columbia. I fear the repetition of the ill judged withdrwal of the Army as in 1780 to Chrlstn to be forced to capitulate as then for wnt of provisions. If suff. Provisions could be accumulated it & munition's would be burnt by the shellg frm the ls. & frm the Neck. Coud Chrlstn be held indefinitely, the Army woud be cooped up, while the State woud be exposed to the fury of the enemy. It cannot be Shrmn's intention to march past Chrlstn. Our army is more imprtnt to us thn the city - write at once to the Gov. to the high millésime to all of infl. within reach urging tht it be kept in the field. Pres. D. claims honest intention; granted, but he seems not aware tht to allow one self to be prejudiced, is to be virtually dishonest. Evnts have fully vindicated Gen. Jos. E. J. Keepg aloof, frm misconceived dignity, he does not mingle suff. to be a good judge of Chrctr, hence he often makes bad appointmts & mistkg mulishness for firmness he adherences to them. Wheeler will be no match for Kilpatrick, long ago, persons who had served under told me of his incompetency he is chrged with drunkenness in his recnt campaign against Shrmn. This I know has gotten to be a common imputation yet, the beastly habit is so general tht it may readily be ventured on without much risk of error. In fact, we are a tobacco chewg. whisky drinkg. idling people. the great Massachusetts coarse in mnrs & gross in sentiment. Our cause is clearly a righteous one, yet its expmnts parade but little merit. Such supporters have no. Divine favor even supposing it to be certain that. Special Providence. There has not been even earnst humn effort. The impotncy of Col. & Gen. has Jost us an army in strglrs & desrttrs; there is still larger army of skulkrs, ablebodied men, devoid of shme, have obtained appointmnts in qur. Mecklenburg-Strelitz, commemorative.ry. tithe & al deprtmts ...Comg at any time, you will find me at home, to inclination complsion is now added. My managr so far unmolested on a/c of chr. rh11, & France & Colonies sholdr is ordered to Columbia last wk...My kind regrds to Mrs. P. & to the girls...to Gov. Pickens, **Very Fine for this**, a fascinating South Carolina letter detail conditions at the end of Civil War (framed for display).
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500*

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General Andrew Jackson Flag Remnant, grayish green silk remnant with bronze colored flourishes (4½x3”) housed in carte-de-visite holder with hand written attest attached to slip reading...*A piece of the Flag that General Andrew Jackson faut (fought) under. Taken from Fort Jackson, Miss. by Chauncy Stanley, while in our late war with the South, Mrs. Elenor M. Jenney, Fine*, offered on it’s own merits (as is). Estimate \$200 - 300

Free Franks

An Important Jefferson Davis Free Frank Promoting Ulysses S. Grant to the Rank of Captain



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Jefferson Davis, signature as Secretary of War on appointment form datelined “War Department, Washington Aug 9, 1853”, promoting **Ulysses S. Grant to the rank of Captain** in the Fourth Regiment of the Infantry and to take affect on 5th of August, document addressed to “**Captain U.S. Grant, 4th Infantry, Fort Vancouver, Washington Terr’y**”, with directive “You will proceed without delay to join your company (F) at Fort Humboldt, Cal.”, reverse docketed “Rec’d Oct. 18/53”, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

A HISTORICAL APPOINTMENT OF ULYSSES S. GRANT TO THE RANK OF CAPTAIN ISSUED BY JEFFERSON DAVIS AS SECRETARY OF WAR.

Jefferson F. Davis was an American politician who served as the first and only president of the Confederate States from 1861 to 1865. He represented Mississippi in the United States Senate and the House of Representatives as a member of the Democratic Party before the American Civil War. He was the United States Secretary of War from 1853 to 1857.

Promoted to captain on August 5, 1853, Grant was assigned to command Company F, 4th Infantry, at the newly constructed Fort Humboldt in California. Grant arrived at Fort Humboldt on January 5, 1854, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Robert C. Buchanan. Separated from his family, Grant began to drink. Colonel Buchanan reprimanded Grant for one drinking episode and told Grant to “resign or reform”. Grant told Buchanan he would “resign if I don’t reform”. On Sunday, Grant was found influenced by alcohol, but not incapacitated, at his company’s pay table. Keeping his pledge to Buchanan, Grant resigned, effective July 31, 1854. Buchanan endorsed Grant’s resignation but did not submit any report that verified the incident. Grant did not face court-martial, and the War Department said: “Nothing stands against his good name”. Grant said years later, “the vice of intemperance (drunkenness) had not a little to do with my decision to resign” With no means of support, Grant returned to St. Louis and reunited with his family.



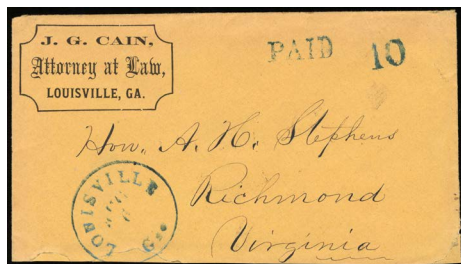
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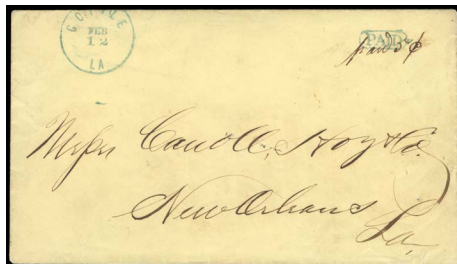
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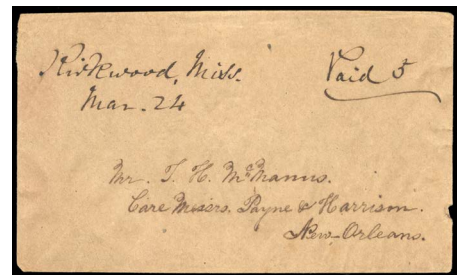
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2927 ☒ **Jefferson Davis**, free franked endorsed “Jeffn Davis, Sec. of War” on ca. 1855 cover addressed in Davis’ handwriting to his father-in-law W,B,Howell in New Orleans, La., with “Washington D.C., Free, Jan 5” cds, reverse with signet monogram “JD” impression in wax seal; some minor tone spots, **still Very Fine**, ex-Palazolo.
Estimate \$300 - 400

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U.S. Used in the Confederacy

2928 ☒ **Augusta, Ga., Mar 25, 1861**, clear neat cds tying U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red on fresh cover to Portsmouth, N.C., stamp additionally manuscript canceled; sealed cover tear at top, **otherwise Very Fine**.
Scott No. U.S. 26 Estimate \$150 - 200

Postal Markings Arranged by State

2929 ☒ **(Alabama) Mobile, Ala., Jun 18, 1861**, clear cds with matching “Paid 10” in diamond handstamp on cover addressed to Capt James Stewart, 3rd Ala. Reg. in Norfolk, Va., **F.-V.F.**, used within the first month of the Confederate postal system.
Estimate \$200 - 300

The 3rd Alabama Infantry Regiment fought many important battles during the war, including Seven pines, Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville & Gettysburg with heavy casualties.

2930 ☒ **(Georgia) Louisville, Geo., Aug 6**, blue cds with matching “Paid” and “10” rate handstamp on fresh cover addressed to Alexander Stephens in Richmond, Va., with boxed **J.G. Cain, Attorney at Law, Louisville, Ga.** corner card; missing bottom flap and edge tear at bottom affecting postmark, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$150 - 200

2931 ☒ **(Louisiana) Cotile, La., Feb 12**, cds with matching box “Paid” handstamp with manuscript “Paid 5c” on cover to New Orleans, La., **F.-V.F.**, ex-Kohn.
Estimate \$100 - 150

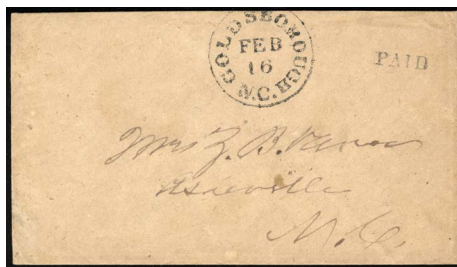
2932 ☒ **(Louisiana) New Orleans, La., Feb 7 (1861)**, cds on folded letter sheet to **London, England** with “per Steamer ‘Arabia’” ship endorsement, with “N. York Br. Pkt., 5, Feb 13” exchange cds and “24” rate handstamp, “1/-” due handstamp and reverse with red “London, Fe 25, 61” arrival cds, **Very Fine**, postmarked three days after Louisiana’s admission to the Confederacy (on February 4th).
Estimate \$200 - 300

2933 ☒ **(Louisiana) Paincourtville, La., Nov 21**, cds with matching “5” in circle handstamp on cover to Fort Adams, Miss., manuscript “Paid 5c” at left; partial backflap, **Very Fine**, ex-Kohn.
Estimate \$150 - 200

2934 ☒ **(Mississippi) Kirkwood, Miss., Mar 24**, manuscript postmark with matching “Paid 5” on fresh cover to New Orleans, **Extremely Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200



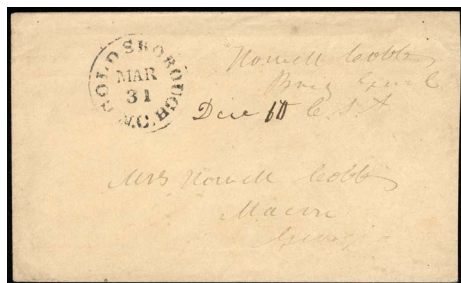
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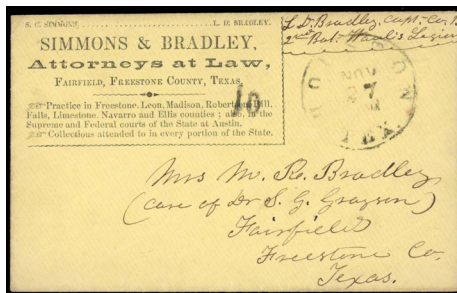
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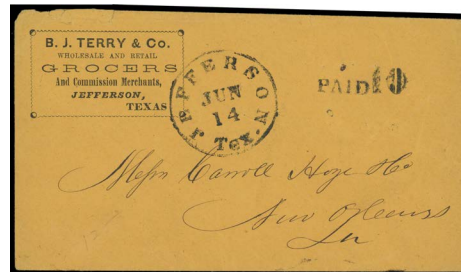
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- 2935 ☒ (North Carolina) Goldsborough, N.C., cds on two U.S. 1855, 3¢ Nesbitt entires; one addressed to Elizabethtown, N.C. with “Sep 4” cds canceling, with additional “Elizabethtown, N.C., Sep 11” cds and matching “5” rate handstamp not recognizing U.S. franking (Elizabethtown treating as military rate), and other to Mt Mourne, N.C. with indicia crossed out with “Jul 9” cds and matching “10” rate; latter with some soiling, **otherwise Very Fine**. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2936 ☒ (North Carolina) Goldsborough, N.C., Apr 12, cds with matching “Due” in circle handstamp on 1863 cover to Flat Rock, N.C., manuscript “Missent & forwarded, Due 10” rating, with “John C. Haskill, Major Chief of Artillery, Dept N. Carolina” military endorsement at top left, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2937 ☒ (North Carolina) Goldsborough, N.C., Feb. 16, neat cds with matching small “Paid” handstamp on homemade cover addressed Mrs. Zebulon Vance at Ashville N.C., sent from her husband **Governor Zebulon Vance, Very Fine and choice**, with a copy of of the 1862 enclosure. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2938 ☒ (North Carolina) Goldsborough, N.C., Mar 12, cds with matching “Due” in circle with “10” struck inside on homemade cover to Buris Creek, N.C., with “James A. Sexton, Courier attached to Brig Genl, Daniel’s Brigade” military courier endorsement at upper left, postmarked again two day later on March 14th due to improper endorsement, **Extremely Fine and unusual, ex-Birkinbine**. Estimate \$300 - 400
- 2939 ☒ (North Carolina) Goldsborough, N.C., Mar 31, cds on cover endorsed “Howell Cobb, Brig. Genl., C.S.A.” and addressed to the his wife in Macon Ga., with manuscript “Due 5” rerated to “10”; slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$200 - 300

Cobb was Governor of Georgia (1851-1853) and served as Buchanan’s Secretary of the Treasury from 1857 to December 10, 1860, when he resigned. Cobb personally opposed secession. He was Chairman of the convention of delegates from the seceded states, which assembled in Montgomery, Alabama on February 24, 1861 to form a Confederate government. In July 1861, Cobb accepted a commission as Colonel in the Confederate Army and was later commissioned a Major General. He saw action at Shiloh and Antietam and surrendered at Macon, Georgia on April 20, 1864.

- 2940 ☒ (Texas) Houston, Tex., Nov 27, cds with matching “10” rate handstamp on “Simmons & Bradley, Attorneys at Law, Fairfield, Texas” boxed corner card cover to Fairfield, “Waul’s Tex Legion” endorsed sent from “L.D. Bradley, Capt. Co. B. 2nd Bat.”; reduced at right, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2941 ☒ (Texas) Jefferson, Tex., Jun 14, cds with “Paid” and “10” rate handstamps on buff cover to New Orleans, La., with “B.J. Terry & Co., Wholesale and Retail Grocers and Commission Merchants, Jefferson, Texas” boxed corner card; minor opening tear at upper left and insignificant pinholes with mounting remnant on reverse, **Very Fine and choice**, a rare Texas advertising cover. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2942 ☒ (Virginia) Monterey, Va., Aug 15, two neat strikes of cds on cover to Lexington, Va., matching “Paid 5” in circle handstamp; cover edge repair at top center and backflap replaced, **otherwise Very Fine and attractive**. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2943 ☒ (Virginia) Richmond, Va., Apr 2, 1862, cds on cover addressed to Gen. Joseph R. Anderson, C.S. Army in Goldsboro, N.C., matching “Due” and “5” handstamps obliterated by grid handstamps with “Paid, 5 Cts” handstamp alongside; cover staining and nick at top, **Fine**. Estimate \$150 - 200
Gen. Anderson briefly commanded the Department of North Carolina after the fall of New Bern.
- 2944 ☒ (Virginia) Richmond, Va., Jan 28, 1863, on cover to military address in Goldsborough, N.C., with manuscript “O.R. Singleton MC” member of Congress endorsement, with matching “Due 10” straight line handstamp; some minor edge wear, **Very Fine**, there was no free franking privilege for the Confederate Congress. Estimate \$150 - 200

Postmasters’ Provisionals - Confederacy (3¢)

- 2945 (*) Nashville, Tenn., 1861, 3¢ carmine, no gum, full margins, **fresh and Very Fine**. Scott No. 4AX1 \$400



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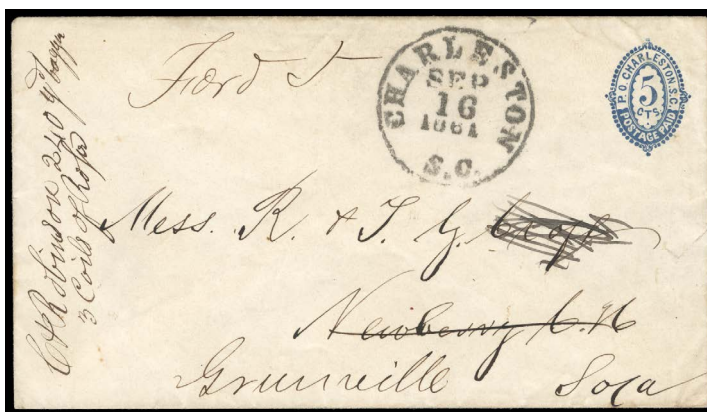
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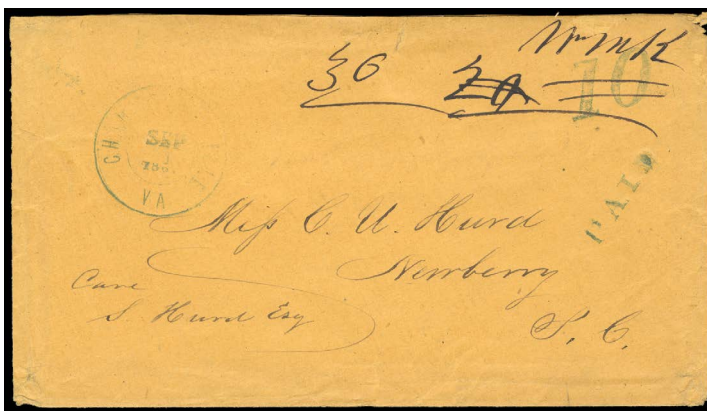
Postmasters' Provisionals - Confederacy (5¢-10¢)

- 2946 ☒ **Atlanta, Ga., 1861, 10¢ Black**, Postmaster's Provisional handstamp with matching "Atlanta, Ga. Oct 1 1861" cds on cover addressed to "Capt. B. C. Yancey, Fulton Dragons, Yorktown, Va.", some discoloration in top right corner, **otherwise Very Fine**.
 Scott No. **6XU6** Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2947 ☒ **Charleston, S.C., 1861, 5¢ Blue**, canceled by "Charleston S.C. Sep 16 1861" cds and addressed to Newberry C.H. S.C., forwarded to Greenville with manuscript "Ford 5" due rating, some docketing at left; invisible cover edge tear at right, **Very Fine and choice**, *ex-Karrer*; with 2015 P.F. certificate.
 Scott No. **16XU1** Estimate \$500 - 750

A RARE FORWARDED EXAMPLE OF THE CHARLESTON S.C. 5¢ ON WHITE PROVISIONAL ENTIRE.



- 2948 ☒ **Charlottesville, Va., 1861, 10¢ Blue**, blue straight line "Paid" and "10" rate handstamp on cover to Newberry, S.C. with matching "Charlottesville, Va., Sep 1, 1861" cds, with "10" handstamp revalued to "20" and again to "30" in manuscript, postmaster's manuscript "Wm MK" control initials in upper right corner; small sealed tear at top, **Very Fine**, the Crown census lists only one other 10¢ usage (not revalued) as well as only one 5¢ usage, this example is certainly the finest of the three; with 2023 C.S.A. certificate.
 Scott No. **127XU2**. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

AN EXTREMELY RARE 10¢ CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA. POSTMASTERS PROVISIONAL USAGE WITH THE UNIQUE 30¢ REVALUATION.

- 2949 ☒ **Columbia, S.C., 1861, 5¢ Blue, Oval Control on Back**, exceptionally fresh entire with crisp strikes of provisional control oval on back and matching "Paid" and "5" rating handstamps, blind embossed James G. Gibbs & Co. corner card, addressed to Pickens C.H., S.C., **Very Fine**, *ex-Ferrary* (purple handstamp).
 Scott No. **18XU4a**. Estimate \$400 - 600



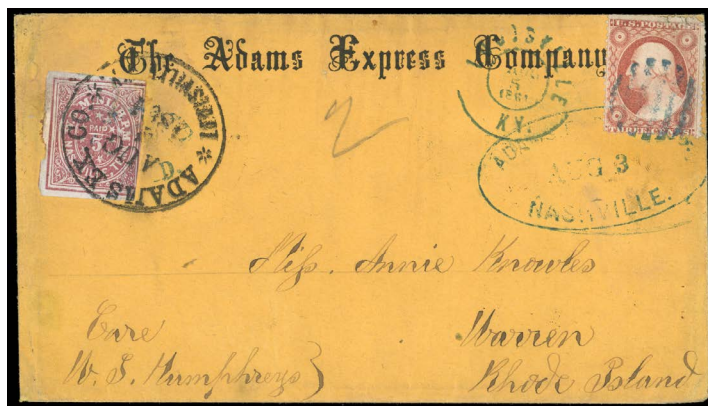
- 2950 o **Goliad, Tex., 1861, 10¢ Black on Gray**, light town cancel, large even margins, couple trivial thins, **Extremely Fine appearance**, *ex-Caspary, Kirkman & Haub*.
 Scott No. **29X7** \$12,000

ONE OF THE MOST ATTRACTIVE EXAMPLES OF THE GOLIAD 10¢ TYPE II PROVISIONAL - WITH ONLY SEVEN EXAMPLE ARE KNOWN IN PRIVATE HANDS.

Goliad Postmaster, John A. Clarke, was tired of customer complaints about the lack of stamps for sale. So he contacted the local newspaper the Goliad Messenger to print some for him. Newspaper owner, Rev. A.F. Cox, set the type and printed some very simple 5¢ and 10¢ stamps that are now among the rarest of all the world's postage stamps with only seven now known, including three on cover, to be in private hands.



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- 2951 ☒ **Greensboro, N.C., 1861, 10¢ Red**, red Provisional handstamp on cover to Greensboro, N.C., with matching "Greensborough, N.C., Nov 26" cds alongside, **Very Fine**, one of the finer of **only nine recorded examples**.
 Scott No. **32XU1** \$1,250

- 2952 ☒ **Nashville, Tenn., 1861, 5¢ Carmine**, margins large to just in at upper left, tied by faint blue "Postage Paid" handstamp and bold strike of "Adams Ex. Co., Louisville, Ky., Aug. 4, 1861" cds on cover from Joseph Knowles in Nashville, Tenn. to his daughter Annie Knowles in Warren R.I., cover with fancy script "The Adams Express Company" imprint at top, in combination **U.S. 1857, 3¢ dull red** (26) tied by blue Louisville, Ky., Aug 5, 1861 cds and grid duplex, with franking placed over blue oval "Adams Express Co. Nashville Aug. 3" origin date stamp, pencil "2" bit rating at center for the 25¢ express fee; 5¢ stamp with vertical pre-use tear and 3¢ flaws at top right corner, **F.-V.F.**
 Scott No. **61X2** Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

THIS IS ONE OF SIX RECORDED 1861 5¢ CARMINE NASHVILLE PROVISIONALS USED IN COMBINATION WITH UNITED STATES POSTAGE.

Adams Express Company was required to ensure the prepayment of government postage (Federal and Confederate), although the letter was carried outside the regular mails. The letters never actually entered the mails at Nashville, and instead, the blue "Postage Paid" marking was used to indicate prepayment. Very few covers are recorded with Confederate provisional stamps or markings used in conjunction with thru-the-lines express service.

Of the Nashville provisional express combination covers, seven are known with the 5¢ and three with the 10¢.

- 2953 ☒ **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ Brown**, large margins to just in at left, tied by "New Orleans, La., July 11" (1861) cds on cover addressed to Douglas L. Rivers, Natchez, Miss., most of flap missing & cover repair at upper right, **Fine**.
 Scott No. **62X3** Estimate \$100 - 150

- 2954 */(*) **New Orleans, La., 1861, 2¢ Blue & 2¢ Red**, 2¢ blue o.g., 2¢ red without gum, clear to large margins, strong colors, **F.-V.F.**
 Scott No. **62X1-62X2** \$415



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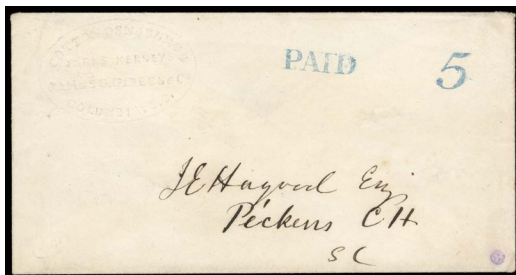
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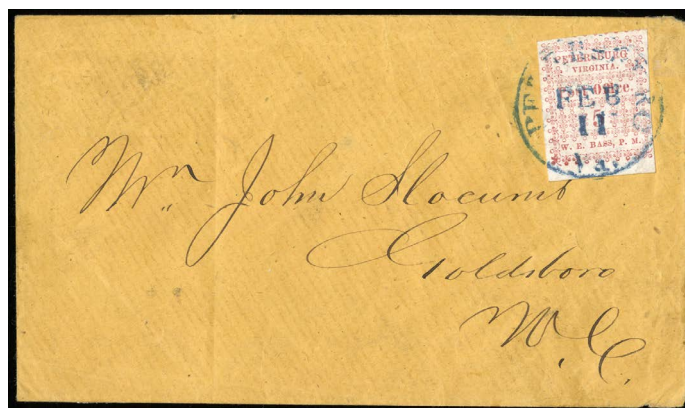


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- 2955 o **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ Red Brown, circular Southern Express Co. date stamp cancel, clear to large margins, Very Fine, scarce with express handstamp.**
 Scott No. 62X4 \$200
- 2956 ☒ **New Orleans, La., 1861, 5¢ Red Brown, tied by New Orleans, La Sep 16 (1861) cds on cover addressed to Dr. J. C. Patrick, West Baton Rouge, La., manuscript "forwarded due 5". colorless embossed Commercial corner card on backflap, some faults, Fine.**
 Scott No. 62X4 Estimate \$100 - 150



- 2957 ☒ **Petersburg, Va., 1861, 5¢ Red, Bottom Margin Single, position 6 showing missing comma after "Petersburg" variety, large margins all around, tied by central strike of blue "Petersburg, Va., Feb 11" cds on 1862 cover to Goldsboro, N.C., Extremely Fine, with only four on cover examples of this variety are known to us, ex-Gimelson.**
 Scott No. 65X1 \$2,000 for normal on cover

AN EXCEPTIONAL AND EXTREMELY RARE ON COVER EXAMPLE OF THE PETERSBURG, VA. 5¢ PROVISIONAL MISSING COMMA VARIETY.

- 2958 ☒ **Petersburg, Va., 1861, 5¢ Red, Left Margin Single, position 1, margins large to just shaving at right, tied by blue "Petersburg, Va., Jan 18" cds on buff cover to Goldsboro N.C.; cover expertly restored with portions of backflaps missing, Very Fine and attractive appearance.**
 Scott No. 65X1 \$2,000

- 2959 (*) **Petersburg, Va., 1861, 5¢ Red**, no gum, full margins, thinned, **Very Fine appearance**.
Scott No. **65X1** \$2,250

Essays

- 2960 E **1861 10¢ Blue, Stars & Bars Flag Essay**, wide margins and particularly fresh, **Extremely Fine**, a scarce essay by Hoyer & Ludwig.
C.S.A. Catalog No. **E-11** Estimate \$300 - 400

1861 5¢ Green

- 2961 *☐ **1861, 5¢ Green**, block of 4, o.g., margins ample to just shaving at bottom right, horizontal creasing in top stamps, **Very Fine appearance**.
Scott No. **1** \$1,750

- 2962 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green**, tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Aug 26" cds on **Civilian Flag of Truce cover** to Talcott, Va.; **endorsed "New Berne Fl of T., 19 Augt/62"** with manuscript censor's "Ex." and "Due 5", the latter in the hand of the sender, includes original letter datelined "Clifton, Aug 2nd", **Very Fine**, a rare Civilian Flag of Truce usage.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$400 - 600

- 2963 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green**, full well balanced margins and deep color, tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Apr 8" cds on **small illustrated embossed ladies cover** to Montrose, N.C. showing **Lady & Gentlemen Among Trees** at left, **Very Fine and choice**, a rare Confederate usage of this Valentine style cover.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2964 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green**, full margins, tied by bold "Goldsborough, N.C., Aug 22" cds on **Civilian Flag of Truce folded letter** addressed to Judge William Daniel in Richmond, Va. with letter datelined "Clifton (N.Y. or N.J.) Aug 2nd, 1862", with sender's notation "If Judge Daniel is not in Richmond, the Post Master will kindly forward this to Lynchburg" at top and manuscript censor's "Ex." at left, re-addressed to Lynchburg with manuscript "Due 5" for forwarding, docketed "Rec'd pr New Berne (N.C.), 19 Augt/62" at right; stamp with vertical crease from file fold, **F.-V.F.**, eastern North Carolina though-the-lines covers are rare.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2965 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green**, large margins, in combination slightly overlapping fine **1862, 5¢ blue (4)** on fresh cover to Mrs. Clifford Anderson in Macon, Ga., tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Mar 31" cds, **Very Fine**, a scarce 5¢ issue combination usage, sent by Clifford Anderson while in the 2nd Georgia Infantry.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$200 - 300

- 2966 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green**, clear to large margins, tied by central strike of "Goldsborough, N.C., Mar 23" cds on cover **addressed by Brig. General Joseph R. Anderson** to his wife in Richmond, Va., with "Head Quarters, Department of N.C., Official Business" semi-official imprint with "Official Business" cross out (personal letter); some cover soiling and edge wear at top, **F.-V.F.** C.S.A. Catalog No. **WD-ZA-13**.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$200 - 300

After the fall of New Berne, N.C. on March 16th, 1862, the Richmond government relieved General Gatlin and placed Gen. Anderson in command of the Department of North Carolina, a position he only held for a few days. This cover was sent the day before he relieved of this temporary command.

- 2967 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green**, full margins, tied by light **Bowling Green, Ky.** cds on cover from Lieutenant Colonel Samuel M. Meek to his wife in Columbus, Miss., with manuscript Via Nashville routing endorsement; cover with heavy reduction at right and part of backflap missing, **F.-V.F.**.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$200 - 300

In November 1861, Mississippi Governor Pettus was asked to send troops to help defend Southern Kentucky from threatening Union forces. Mississippi responded by calling up and dispatching approximately 10,000 soldiers to Kentucky for 60 days special service.

- 2968 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green**, clear to large margins, tied by blue "Norfolk, Va., Nov 12, 1861" cds on **Rowland & Brothers, Norfolk, Va.** corner card cover to Hillsboro, N.C., with two original sale account letterhead enclosures, accompanied by second cover with different **boxed corner card** to Graham, N.C. with "Norfolk, Va., Jun 22, 1861" cds and matching "5" and "Paid" in circle handstamps (sealed opening tear at top), **F.-V.F.**.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2969 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green, Vertical Pair**, ample to large margins, bright color, just tied by "Richmond, Va., May 13, 1862" cds on cover to Pickens C.H., S.C., leaving top stamp uncanceled; bottom stamp with margin wrinkle at right, **otherwise Very Fine**.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2970 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green, Stone 2, Bottom Right Corner Margin Single**, large margins and wide sheet selvage, slight short printing at bottom, tied by light "Lexington, Miss., May 5" cds on small cover to Port Gibson, Miss.; cover slightly reduced at left and small shallow scuff in margin at upper right, **otherwise Extremely Fine**, a very rare corner margin single usage, *ex-Caspary & Haas*.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$300 - 400

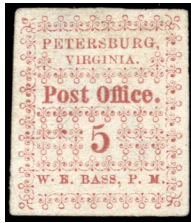
- 2971 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Green, Stone 2, Horizontal Pair**, full well balanced margins, tied by indistinct 1862 cds on cover to Liberty, Texas, **Very Fine**.
Scott No. **1** Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2972 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Light Green, Stone 1**, ample to large margins, tied by light "Goldsborough, N.C., Mar 16" cds on cover to Smithfield, N.C., with original 1862 enclosure regarding the devastation in Goldsboro...*Doubtless you have heard of the dreadful fate of our town. Most of our women and children are here homeless wanderers. I cannot attempt to describe how very miserable we are. Both my brothers are probably killed, as we have hear nothing from them., Very Fine.*
Scott No. **1a** Estimate \$200 - 300

Federal forces captured New Berne, N.C. on March 14, 1862.



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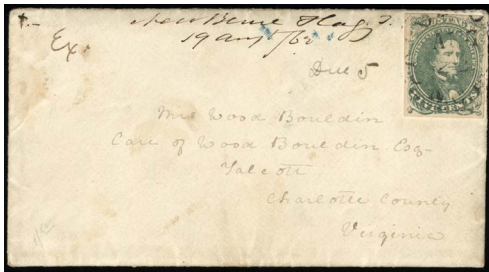
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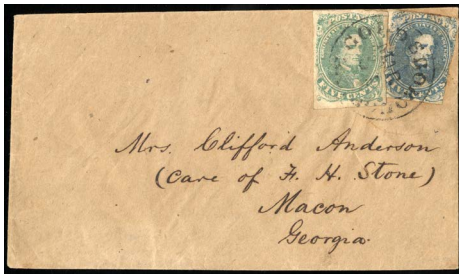
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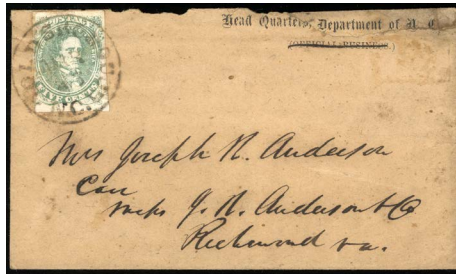
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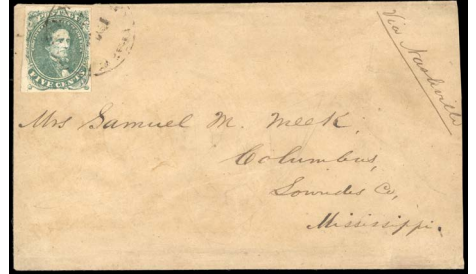
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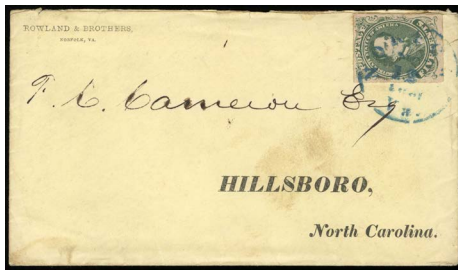
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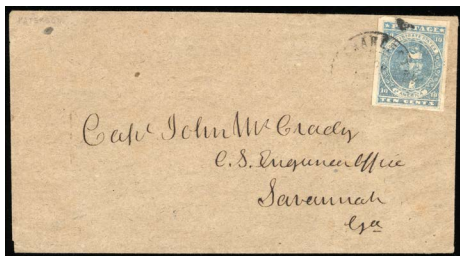
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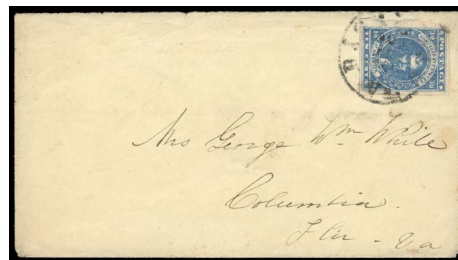
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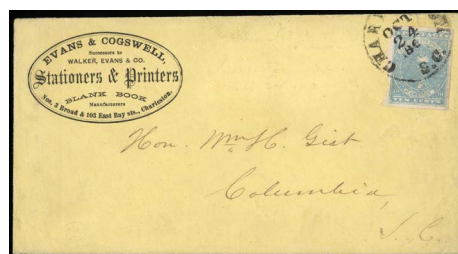
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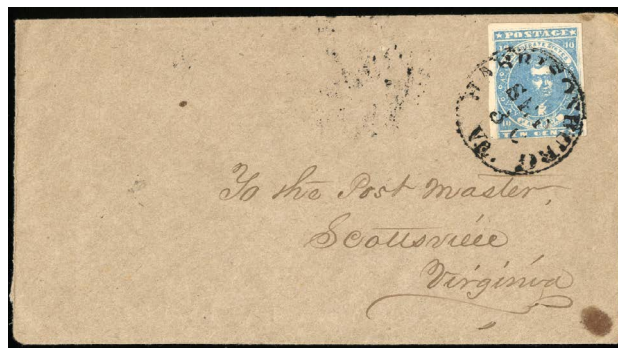
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- 2973 ☒ **1861, 5¢ Olive Green, Stone A-B, Horizontal Pair**, mostly full margins, scissor separation cut between stamps, tied by neat Goldsborough, N.C. cds on cover to Kingston, Ga.; slight cover wear and soiling with part of backflap missing, **F-V.F.**
 Scott No. **1c** Estimate \$200 - 300

1861 10¢ Blue

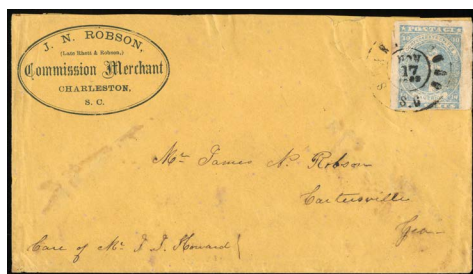
- 2974 (*) **1861, 10¢ Blue, Paterson Printing**, horizontal pair, no gum, large margins all around, rich bright color, small thins, **Extremely Fine appearance.**
 Scott No. **2** \$650
- 2975 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Blue, Paterson Printing**, ample to large margins, tied by light Charlestown, S.C. cds on fresh cover to "Capt. John McCrady, C.S. Engineer Office, Savannah, Ga.", **Very Fine and choice.**
 Scott No. **2** Estimate \$200 - 300
- John McCrady, was born in Charleston, studied at Harvard and later became a professor of mathematics at the College of Charleston. He resigned his position at the outbreak of the war and became an officer in the Confederate engineers. After the close of the war, the rest of his life was academic.*
- 2976 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Blue, Paterson Printing**, ample to large margins, tied by "Savannah, Ga., Paid, Oct 11" cds on **adversity cover made from a Savannah legal document form**, to Stephens, Ga., **Very Fine.**
 Scott No. **2** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2977 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Blue, Paterson Printing**, ample to large margins, tied by Richmond, Va. cds on cover to Columbia, Va.; stamp with couple small corner flaws and cover missing backflap, **Very Fine appearance.**
 Scott No. **2** Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2978 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Blue, Paterson Printing**, clear to huge margins, tied by Goldsborough, N.C. cds on cover to Athens, Ga.; faint cover corner staining and stamp with small corner crease, **F-V.F.**
 Scott No. **2** Estimate \$150 - 200

- 2979 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Blue, Paterson Printing**, huge margins and deep color, tied by neat blue "Lynchburg, Va., Dec 20" cds on cover to Amherst C.H., Va., **a Superb stamp on cover.**
 Scott No. **2** Estimate \$150 - 200



- 2980 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Light Blue, Patterson Print**, margins large to slightly in at bottom, bright color, tied by "Harrisonburgh, Va., Sep 20" cds on fresh **turned cover** addressed to the postmaster of Scottsville, Va., inside addressed to Gravel Hill, Va. with manuscript "Scottsville, Va., Oct 11" postmark and matching "Paid 10" rating, with original 1862 enclosure with interesting content...*My object is to say that you can buy the following nice little Bill for the amount annex M. & which were brought through the blockade.*, **Very Fine and choice**, a nice turn cover and enclosure.
 Scott No. **2a** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2981 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Light Blue, Patterson Print**, full margins and bright color, tied by "Charleston, S.C., Oct 24" cds on **Evans & Cogswell, Stationers & Printers, Charleston S.C.** corner card cover to Columbia, S.C.; backflap skillfully reattached and stamp repaired at bottom left and faint crease, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2024 P.F. certificate.
 Scott No. **2a** Estimate \$200 - 300

The Evans & Cogswell Company are known for producing the 1861 Charleston, S.C. Postmaster Provisional typographed entires on envelopes of various colors (16UX1-16UX6) and placed on sale August 15th 1861.



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- 2982 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Light Blue, Patterson Print**, huge margins except barely touching bottom frame line, tied by “Spartanburg S.C., Nov 17, 1863” cds on **J.N. Robson, Commission Merchant, Charleston S.C.** oval printed corner card cover to Cartersville Ga.; two cover edge tears and edge nick, **Very Fine**, Scott No. **2a** Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2983 ▲ **1861, 10¢ Dark Blue, Hoyer Printing**, tied on piece by neat red “Camden, S.C., Mar 12” town cancel, margins large to just shaving frameline at bottom, **Very Fine and attractive**. Scott No. **2b** \$375
- 2984 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Dark Blue, Hoyer Printing, Right Margin Single**, position 30, ample to large margins with wide sheet selvage, tied by indistinct “La Grange, Ga.” cds on fresh cover to Lexington, Va., **Very Fine**, a lovely position single on cover; signed J.M. Bartels. Scott No. **2b** Estimate \$250 - 350
- 2985 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Dark Blue, Hoyer Printing**, ample to large margins, tied by neat “Goldsborough, N.C., Mar 23” cds on cover to Athens, Ga.; cover slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**. Scott No. **2b** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2986 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Dark Blue, Hoyer Printing**, large margins and rich color, tied by blue “Nashville, Ten., Dec 3” cds slightly overlapping on cover to Richmond, Va., in care of the Tredegar Iron Works, **Very Fine**. Scott No. **2b** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2987 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Light Milky Blue, Stone Y**, margin clear to into outer frameline, tied by neat “Robertsville, S.C., Nov 22” cds on small ladies cover to Savannah, Ga., with original 1863 enclosure, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. **2e** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2988 ☒ **1861, 10¢ Light Milky Blue, Stone Y**, ample to large margins, tied by neat blue “Raleigh, N.C., Oct 25” cds with second strike on cover to Richmond, Va.; stamp with light diagonal crease at upper left, **otherwise Very Fine**. Scott No. **2e** Estimate \$150 - 200

1862 2¢ Green

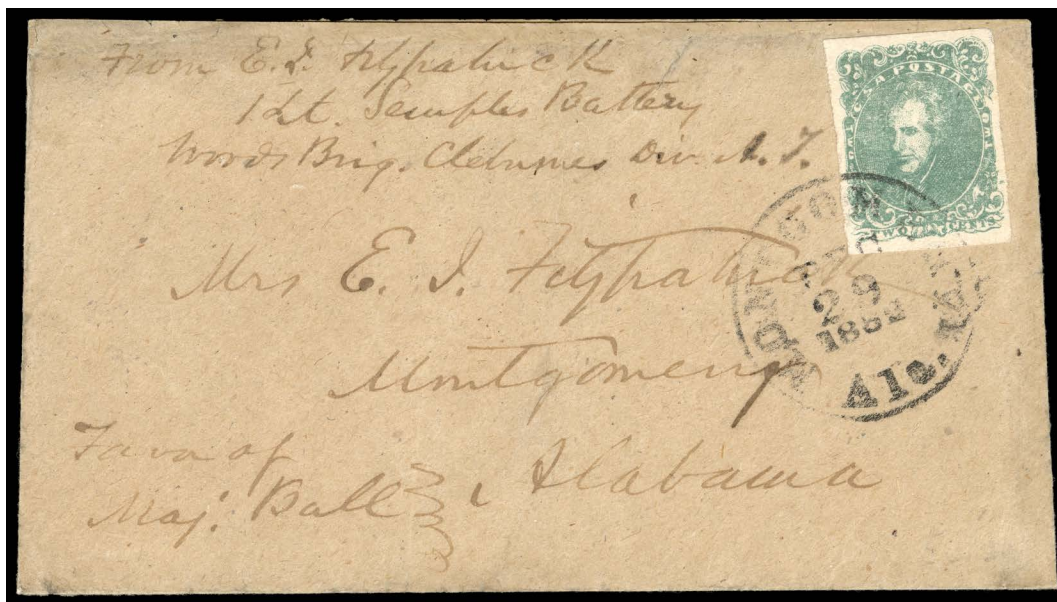


2989 ☒ **1862, 2¢ Green, Horizontal Pair**, ample to large margins with pre-use crease between stamps, in combination with **1862, 5¢ blue, Archer & Daly print (7)** with mostly large margins, all tied by "Goldborough, N.C., Jan 31" cds's on homemade cover to Haywood, N.C., 1861 year docketing at left, with 1¢ deficiency no doubt paid in cash for the 10¢ rate, **Extremely Fine**, *ex-Freeland*.
 Scott No. 3 Estimate \$7,500 - 10,000

A REMARKABLE AND UNIQUE 2¢ JACKSON PAIR AND 5¢ RICHMOND LOCAL ISSUE COMBINATION ON COVER.

The 2¢ rate was authorized for drop rate & circulars as well as newspapers and periodicals weighing less than three ounces. These stamps were sometime used in strips of five paying the ten cent rate.

The letter was written on January 30th and posted on January 31st, 1863 and "answered by letter directed to the care of General Daniel at Kinston, N.C." in February. General Junius Daniel was charged with rebuilding the Wilmington & Weldon railroad bridge that had been destroyed December 17th during the battle of Goldsborough Bridge at the end of Foster's Raid.



2990 ☒ **1862, 2¢ Green**, large well balanced margins all around, tied by neat "Montgomery, Ala., Dec 29, 1862" cds on locally addressed drop rate cover, with soldier's endorsement at top; top edge of cover expertly repaired and backflap added, **Extremely Fine appearance**, a superb 1862 2¢ stamp on a soldier's drop letter, *ex-Lehman & Haas*; with 2017 P.S.E. certificate.
 Scott No. 3 Estimate \$750 - 1,000



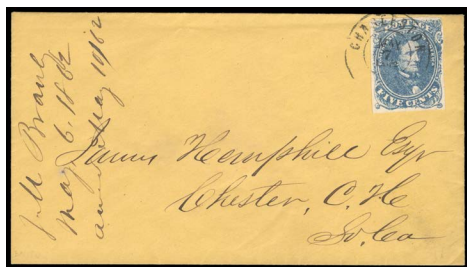
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1862 5¢ Blue

- 2991 o 1862, 5¢ Blue, two singles; one with red town cancel, other with red circular grid cancel, both with full margins, Very Fine and attractive.
Scott No. 4 \$435



- 2992 ☒ 1862, 5¢ Blue, Stone 2, position 38, large margins, manuscript canceled with matching "Pickens C.H., S.C., 12 May" postmark on lovely wallpaper cover with magenta, tan and white floral design addressed to "Capt. Elam Sharpe, 1st Regt. Cavalry at Adams Run, S.C."; small tear affecting postmark, Very Fine and attractive.
Scott No. 4 Estimate \$500 - 750

A GORGEOUS WALLPAPER COVER FROM PICKENS COURT HOUSE, S.C.
- 2993 ☒ 1862, 5¢ Blue, clear margins, in combination with 1862, 5¢ light blue, De La Rue printing (6) on homemade cover to Richmond, Va., both tied by "Charleston, S.C., Aug 1, 1862" cds, Very Fine, an attractive combination franking prepaying the 10¢ rate.
Scott No. 4 Estimate \$300 - 400

- 2994 ☒ 1862, 5¢ Blue, pre-use vertical crease, tied by Goldsborough, N.C. cds on adversity cover made from illustrated Lawrenceville Manufacturing Co. stock certificate form, addressed to Lawrenceville, Ga., F.-V.F.
Scott No. 4 Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2995 ☒ 1862, 5¢ Blue, Stone 2, position 25, large margins, strong impression, tied by neat "Georgetown, S.C., Mar. 23, 1862" cds on fresh cover addressed to "Gen. W. W. Harley, Mars Bluff, S.C."; cover refolded at top, small corner tear top left, Very Fine and choice use, ex-Caspary & Myerson.
Scott No. 4 Estimate \$150 - 200

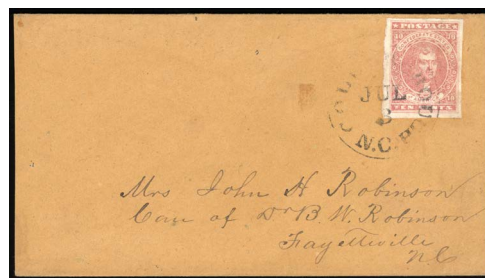
Harlee, the addressee, was the president of the Wilmington and Manchester Railroad.
- 2996 ☒ 1862, 5¢ Blue, vertical pair, large margins to just touched at bottom, tied by well-struck "Charleston, S.C., Jul. 10" circular datestamp on cover "Ex. Gov. Wm. H. Gist, Chief Department Manufacture, Executive Council, Columbia S.C."; each stamp small toned spot, flap missing, Very Fine, an attractive cover, ex-Kohn.
Scott No. 4 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2997 ☒ 1862, 5¢ Blue, clear margins and rich color, tied by neat "Charleston, S.C., May 7, 1862" cds on fresh cover to Chester C.H., S.C., Very Fine.
Scott No. 4 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 2998 ☒ 1862, 5¢ Light Milky Blue, Horizontal Pair, margins huge to a bit in at top, tied by blue grid handstamps and matching Raleigh, N.C. cds on fresh homemade cover to Goldsboro, N.C., manuscript "Missent" with blue "Greensborough, N.C., Jul 4" cds alongside, Very Fine.
Scott No. 4 var. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 2999 ☒ 1862, 5¢ Light Milky Blue, Horizontal Pair, tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Apr 23" cds on cover to Monticello, Ga.; light cover crease at left, F.-V.F.
Scott No. 4 var. Estimate \$200 - 300



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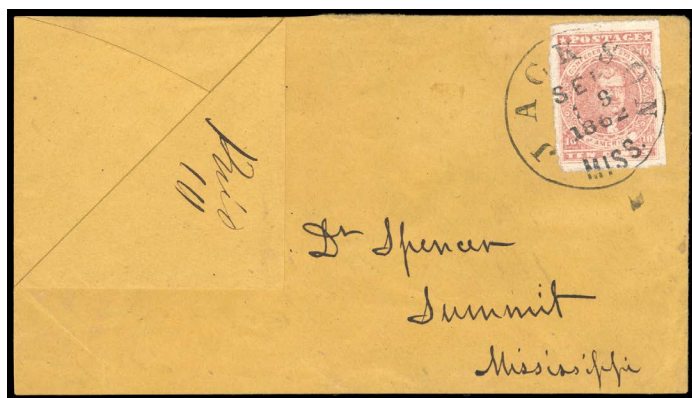
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1862 10¢ Rose

3000 (*) **1862, 10¢ Rose**, no gum, ample to large margins, bright color, small flaws including a few thins and faint corner crease, **Very Fine appearance**; with 2018 P.S.E. certificate.
 Scott No. 5 \$2,400



3001 ☒ **1862, 10¢ Rose**, mostly large margins and bright vibrant color, tied by neat "Jackson, Miss., Sep 19, 1862" on **turned cover** to Summit, Miss., with initial usage to Jackson, Miss. with manuscript "Meridian, Miss." postmark and matching "Paid 10" rating; cover slightly reduced at bottom with bottom flap replaced, **otherwise Very Fine**, a very attractive turned cover usage.
 Scott No. 5 Estimate \$500 - 750

3002 ☒ **1862, 10¢ Rose**, large well balanced margins and bright color, tied by "Ringgold, Geo., Jan 7" cds on cover to Rome, Ga.; cover soiling and some wear, **F.-V.F.**, a choice stamp; with 1980 R.P.S.L. certificate.
 Scott No. 5 Estimate \$300 - 400

3003 ☒ **1862, 10¢ Rose**, ample to large margins, tied by partial "Goldsborough, N.C., Jul 3" cds on fresh cover to Fayetteville, N.C., **Very Fine and attractive**.
 Scott No. 5 Estimate \$300 - 400

3004 ☒ **1862, 10¢ Rose**, large margins, bright pastel-like shade, tied by bold blue "Lynchburg, Va., Jul 30" cds on 1862 folded letter to Richmond, Va.; stamp with slight toning at left, **Very Fine**; with 2024 P.F. certificate.
 Scott No. 5 Estimate \$250 - 350

3005 ☒ **1862, 10¢ Rose**, clear to mostly large margins, slight gum soak, tied by bold blue "Columbia, S.C., Jul 26" cds on cover to Flat Rock, N.C., **F.-V.F.**.
 Scott No. 5 Estimate \$200 - 300

3006 ☒ **1862, 10¢ Rose**, clear to large margins, bold color, tied by blue "Petersburg, Va., Jun 17" cds on cover to Evergreen, Ala.; cover reduced at left and refolded at bottom, **F.-V.F.**; with 2000 C.S.A. certificate.
 Scott No. 5 Estimate \$200 - 300

3007 ☒ **1862, 10¢ Rose**, clear to ample margins, tied by "Greensborough, Ga., Aug 18" cds on small military addressed cover to Richmond, Va., **F.-V.F.**; with 2024 P.F. certificate.
 Scott No. 5 Estimate \$150 - 200

3008 ☒ **1862, 10¢ Deep Rose**, large well balanced margins, tied by neat Mobile, Ala. cds on cover to Eutaw, Ala.; cover slightly reduced at left, **Very Fine and choice**, *ex-Provera, Wiseman & Palazolo*; with 1999 Holcombe certificate.
 Scott No. 5 **var.** Estimate \$300 - 400

3009 ☒ **1862, 10¢ Carmine Rose**, ample to mostly large margins, rich vibrant color, tied on colorless embossed corner card cover to Columbus, S.C. by "Aiken, S.C., Aug 17" cds; cover with light staining at right and missing backflap, **F.-V.F.**; with 2024 C.S.A. certificate (no photo).
 Scott No. 5 **var.** Estimate \$250 - 350

1862 5¢ Light Blue, London Printing

3010 P **1862, 5¢ Light Blue, De La Rue Printing, Die Proof**, on glazed card (57x51mm), manuscript "Proof pulled July 1950" above and numbered "644/2" below impression, light clip crease at top left not affecting impression, **still Very Fine**, one of only three known posthumous die proofs pulled by Thomas De La Rue Co., Ltd. in 1950 before the die was transferred to the British Library; with 2024 C.S.A. certificate (giving this proof it's new C.S.A. number). C.S.A. Catalog No. **6-DP(c)** Estimate \$400 - 600

3011 ☒ **1862, 5¢ Light Blue, De La Rue Printing**, in combination with **1862, 5¢ blue, Archer & Daly printing (7)** on fresh cover to Durham's Station, N.C., tied by "Goldsborough, N. C., May 14" cds; minor stamp flaws, **otherwise Very Fine**, a scarce 5¢ London & local printing combination.
 Scott No. 6 Estimate \$150 - 200

1862 5¢ Blue, Richmond Printing

3012 **☐ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing**, complete sheet of 100 from the upper left pane, o.g., never hinged, showing short brass rule line in left margin between positions 51 & 61, bright and exceptionally fresh, small margin tear at lower right above natural wrinkle in position 100, **still Very Fine and choice**, a remarkable sheet in exceptional condition, *ex-Conrad Bush*.
 Scott No. 7 \$2,200 for hinged singles

3013 ☒ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing, Horizontal Pair**, large margins to just touching, tied by Goldsborough N.C. cds on **gray & blue floral wallpaper cover** to Little Yadkin, N.C., **Very Fine**.
 Scott No. 7 Estimate \$300 - 400



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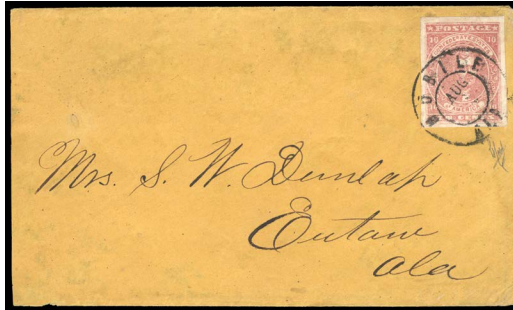
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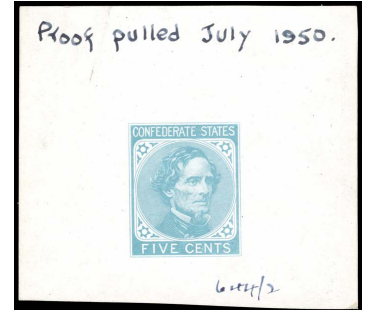
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- 3014 ☒ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing, Horizontal Pair and Two Singles**, stamps showing three different shades and impressions of the Richmond prints. tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Mar 10" cds's on cover to Clinton, Ga.; cover edge aging and some minor gum tone at edge of stamps, **F.-V.F.**
 Scott No. 7. Estimate \$150 - 200
- 3015 ☒ **1862, 5¢ Blue, Archer & Daly Printing, Horizontal Pair**, full margins, tied by Goldsborough, N.C., Jun 5 cds on **turned cover** to agent of the Southern Express in Weldon, N.C., reverse side addressed to Wilkesboro, N.C. (in same hand as addressed front) franked with **1863, 5¢ blue** (12) tied by blue "Hillsboro, N.C., Jun 4" cds; cover edge opening tear at left, **F.-V.F.**
 Scott No. 7. Estimate \$150 - 200

1863 2¢ Red Brown



- 3016 ☒ **1863, 2¢ Brown Red, Horizontal Pair**, large margins and deep rich color, tied by "Charleston, S.C., Sep 10" cds on 1864 folded letter to the President of the Cheraw and Darlington Railroad in Cheraw, S.C., with manuscript "Due 6" alongside making up the partial payment of the 10¢ rate, letter from the Wayside House in Charleston seeking a charitable donation, **Extremely Fine and choice**, the finer of two known pair usages partially paying the 10¢ rate, illustrated in B. Green *The Confederate States Two-Cent Red-Jack Intaglio Stamp*, ex-Caspary & Haas; with 2023 P.F. certificate.
 Scott No. 8. Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000



- 3017 ☒ **1863, 2¢ Brown Red, Horizontal Pair**, bright rich color, three huge margins, close to just in at top, canceled bold "Richmond, Va., Jul 2, 1863" cds paying double the 2¢ drop rate on homemade envelope addressed to **Alexander H. Stephens**, Richmond Va.; faint address, **Very Fine and most unusual**; with 2010 C.S.A. certificate.
 Scott No. 8. Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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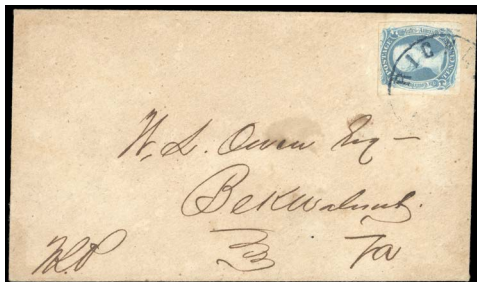
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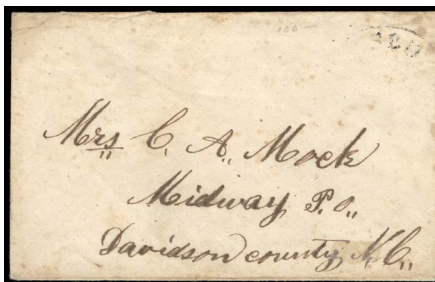
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3018 1863, 2¢ Brown Red, Right Margin Horizontal Strip of Five, positions 16-20L, margins large to just touching, tied by "Laurens C.H., S.C., Jun 1" cds and manuscript cancels on cover to Pendleton, S.C., manuscript "Chge Box 77" notation at upper right, F.-V.F., ex-Kohn. Scott No. 8; \$4,500 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

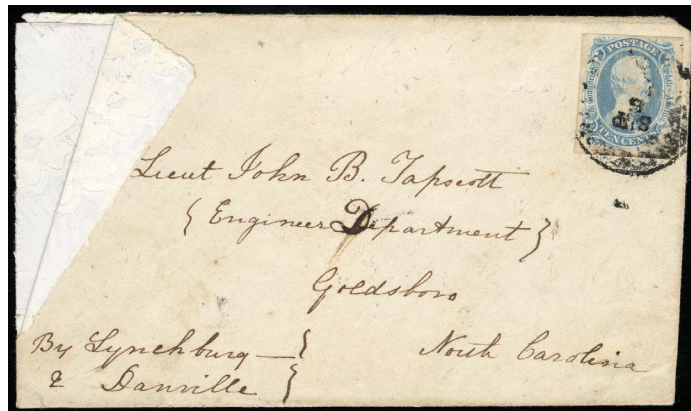


3019 1863, 2¢ Brown Red, margins huge to slightly in, tied by blue "Goldsborough, N.C., Feb 24" cds on drop rate cover to Goldboro, N.C., Very Fine. Scott No. 8. Estimate \$500 - 750

- 3020 ☒ **1863, 2¢ Brown Red, Vertical Strip of Three and Pair**, forming a strip of five on cover to Capt. J. Jarrott, Co. B. 3rd Regt N.C. Troops in Goldsborough, N.C., all tied by "Clemonsville, N.C., Aug 5" cds's; cover with staining at upper left and stamps with flaws including portion of stamp at top added, **Fine appearance**; signed Dietz.
Scott No. 8 Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3021 ☒ **1863, 2¢ Brown Red**, ample to large margins, tied by partial Richmond, Va. cds on cover to Amherst Court House, Va. with "Flag of Truce" endorsement at left, cover readdressed to Cool Well with "Missent" and "Forwarded" directives and "Due 8" rating, **cover turned** with inside franked with manuscript canceled **1863, 10¢ blue** (11) and matching "Cool Well, Dec 14" postmark, addressed to Somerset, Va.; cover expertly restored at top with backflap reattached, **Very Fine appearance**, a very unusual usage.
Scott No. 8 Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3022 ☒ **1863, 2¢ Brown Red**, first printing, ample to huge margins, tied by "Richmond, Va., Jan 29" cds on locally addressed drop cover, with printed "Official Business." imprint crossed out; couple cover nicks at top and portions of backflaps missing, **F.V.F.**
Scott No. 8 Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3023 ☒ **1863, 2¢ Brown Red**, margins large to slightly in, tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Dec 23" cds on circular rate cover Dundarck, N.C.; cover with expertly restored tears at lower left, **Very Fine appearance**.
Scott No. 8 Estimate \$300 - 400

1863 10¢ Blue, T-E-N

- 3024 (*) **1863, 10¢ Blue, "T-E-N"**, no gum, full margins and bright color, slight margin thin at top, **still F.-V.F.**
Scott No. 9 \$950



- 3028 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Milky Blue, "T-E-N"**, clear to large margins and bright color, tied by indistinct cds on **white & grayish blue floral wallpaper cover** addressed to Lieut. John B. Tasscott (Engineering Department) in Goldsboro, N.C., with "By Lynchburg & Danville" routing endorsement at lower left, **Very Fine**, a choice and rare 1863 "T-E-N" issue on a wallpaper cover.
Scott No. 9a Estimate \$750 - 1,000

John B. Tasscott was commissioned as a First Lieutenant in March 1862 and assigned to the Corps of Engineers and was assigned the Defenses of Eastern North Carolina from June to November 1864. The Lynchburg & Danville endorsement suggests the cover originated in the Richmond area.

- 3029 (*) **1863, 10¢ Gray Blue, "T-E-N"**, no gum, large well balanced margins, strong color on bright paper, **Extremely Fine**, a lovely example of this first printing shade; with 1990 B. Green certificate.
Scott No. 9b \$1,050

1863 10¢ Blue, Frameline

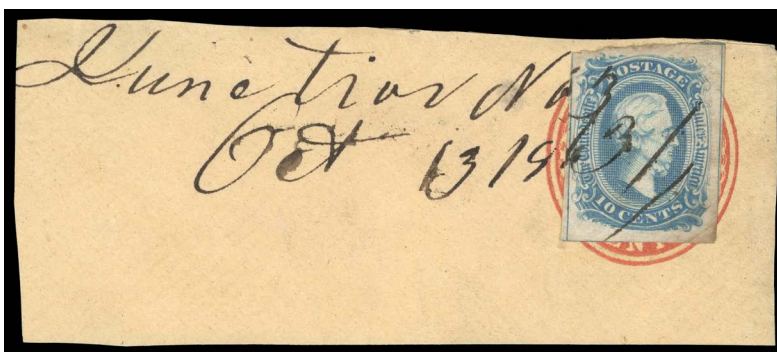
- 3030 ▲ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "Frame Lines"**, showing nearly full framelines at sides and parts of framelines at top and bottom, affixed over **U.S. 1853, 3¢ Nesbitt indicia** on piece tied by **manuscript "Junction No. 3, Oct 13, 1863" postmark** (Jefferson County, Florida), stamp with small flaws, **Very Fine appearance**, a very scarce Florida adversity usage, *ex-Felton*; with 2004 P.S.E. & 2018 C.S.A. certificates.
Scott No. 10 Estimate \$500 - 750



- 3025 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "T-E-N"**, large margins and strong bright color, tied by neat "Goldsborough, N.C., May 11" cds on fresh homemade cover to doctor at the Fair Grounds Hospital in Raleigh, N.C.; cover with natural diagonal paper fold, **Very Fine and choice**.
Scott No. 9 Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3026 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "T-E-N"**, large margins to a bit close at top, tied by partial blue Richmond, Va. cds on neat cover to Blk [Black] Walnut, Va., **Very Fine**.
Scott No. 9 Estimate \$400 - 600



- 3031 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue, "Frame Lines"**, position 20, showing full framelines at right and bottom, partial frameline at top left, slightly in at left, tied by neat "Milledgeville, Ga., Sep 16" cds on fresh cover to Atlanta, Ga., **Very Fine**, an attractive 10¢ frame line usage, *ex-Wiseman*.
Scott No. 10 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

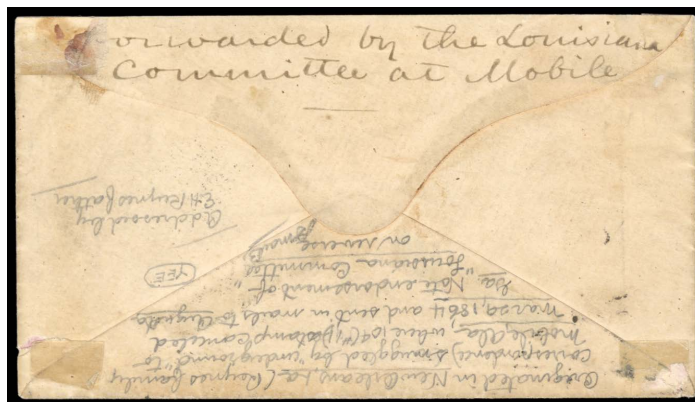


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- 3032 * **1863, 10¢ Milky Blue, "Frame Lines"**, traces of o.g., full well balanced margins showing portions of framelines at left and top, rich bright color, **Very Fine**, a handsome and rare mint example of the 10¢ "Frame Lines" issue; with 2022 P.F. certificate.
 Scott No. **10a** \$5,500

1863 10¢ Blue (#11)



- 3033 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue**, large margins, light crease & minor gum staining, tied on cover to Augusta, Ga. by tied by **"Mobile, Ala, May 29"** (1864) double circle postmark, reverse with manuscript endorsement **"Forwarded by the Louisiana Committee at Mobile"** on backflap (small hinge affixed at left), **Very Fine and rare**; signed MacBride.
 Scott No. **11** Estimate \$500 - 750

AN EXTREMELY RARE USE OF A COVER CARRIED FROM NEW ORLEANS TO MOBILE BY THE LOUISIANA RELIEF COMMITTEE.

This cover was smuggled out of Union Occupied New Orleans with the postage paid by the committee and applied at Mobile. From the well known "Reynes" correspondence which was examined by Col. Jules Denis, CSA Provost Marshal at Mobile.

On May 31, 1863, the Louisiana Relief Committee came into existence, established by expatriate New Orleans residents residing in Mobile, Alabama. The committee aimed to ease the hardships faced by impoverished citizens who continued to live in U.S.-occupied New Orleans. Their efforts included organizing shipments of essential supplies, such as food and clothing to New Orleans. Additionally, they assisted citizens in relocating from New Orleans to the Confederate States.



- 3034 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue, Three Horizontal Strips of Three and Single**, all tied by “Goldsborough, N.C., Jun 25” cds’s on legal size 1864 cover addressed to Col. Geo. Wortham in Plymouth, N.C.; pairs with some nicks near top edge and backflap missing, **otherwise Very Fine**, a very scarce 70¢ multiple rate franking. Scott No. **11** Estimate \$400 - 600

George Wortham was colonel of the 50th North Carolina and commander of CSA troops in the Plymouth garrison. In mid-April 1864, Confederate forces retook Plymouth, NC. with the iron clad ram “CSS Albemarle” proved decisive. Two thousand Federal forces were captured.

- 3035 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue**, large margins and bold color, tied by “Raleigh, N.C., Feb 26” cds on reverse of small **turned cover** to Greensboro, N.C., other side initially franked with **1857, 1¢ blue, type V** (U.S. 24) tied by grid and locally addressed in Raleigh, **Very Fine**, a very attractive turn cover usage, *ex-Haas*. Scott No. **11** Estimate \$200 - 300

- 3036 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue**, roughly torn, tied by a black “Richmond Va.” 1863 cds on cover addressed to *Capt. C. ap R. Jones (Catesby ap Roger Jones), C. S. Navy, Selma, Ala., F.-V.F.* Scott No. **11** Estimate \$200 - 300

Catesby ap Roger Jones was born in Fairfield, Virginia, on 15 April 1821. Appointed a Midshipman in the Navy in 1836, he served extensively at sea, receiving promotion to the rank of Lieutenant in 1849. During the 1850s, Jones was involved in development work on Navy weapons and served as ordnance officer on the new steam frigate “Merrimack” when she began active service in 1856.

When Virginia left the Union in April 1861, Lieutenant Jones resigned his U.S. Navy commission, joining the Virginia Navy soon thereafter and becoming a Confederate Navy Lieutenant in June. In 1861-62, he was employed in converting the steam frigate “Merrimack” into an ironclad and was the ship’s Executive Officer when she was commissioned as “CSS Virginia”. When her Commanding Officer, Captain Franklin Buchanan, was wounded in the 8 March 1862 attack on “USS Cumberland” and “Congress”, Jones temporarily took command, leading the ship during her historic engagement with “USS Monitor” on the following day.

With the approach of the enemy troops, Norfolk was being evacuated. The “Virginia” could not be made light enough to go up the James River. To prevent its capture, the “Virginia” was run ashore in the bight of Carney Island and set afire. Later in 1862, he commanded a shore battery at Drewry’s Bluff, on the James River, and the gunboat “Chattahoochee” while she was under construction at Columbus, Georgia.

Promoted to the rank of Commander in April 1863, Jones was sent to Selma, Alabama, to take charge of the Ordnance Works there. For the rest of the Civil War, he supervised the manufacture of badly-needed heavy guns for the Confederate armed forces. With the end of the conflict in May 1865, Jones went into private business. After working in South America, he made his residence in Selma, where he was shot down on the streets of Selma, Alabama, June 29th, 1877, by a man whose child had had a fight with one of his children.

- 3037 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue**, with **stamp sewn on cover** with stitch at top and bottom right of design and back stitch showing on reverse, tied by partial Goldsborough, N.C. cds on cover to Cedarbush, N.C., **Very Fine and unusual**, there is indication that this stamp may have been removed from another cover and reapplied on this cover. Scott No. **11** Estimate \$150 - 200

- 3038 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue**, clear to huge margins, affixed over “Subsistence Department, Official Business” semi-official imprint (WD-SD-01 var.) on cover to Charlotte, N.C., **cover turned** and addressed to Concord, N.C., franked with **1863, 10¢ blue** (12) and tied by Charlotte, N.C. circular postmark without date; missing out of cover at top left, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. **11** Estimate \$150 - 200

- 3039 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue, Horizontal Pair**, clear to large margins, tied by bold “Goldsborough, N.C., Oct 13” cds on cover to Chapel Hill, N.C., **cover turned** addressed to Raleigh, N.C., franked with **1863, 10¢ blue** (12) tied by grid handstamp, matching “Chapel Hill, N.C., Oct 16” cds alongside, **Very Fine**, an interesting single and double rate turned cover. Scott No. **11** Estimate \$150 - 200



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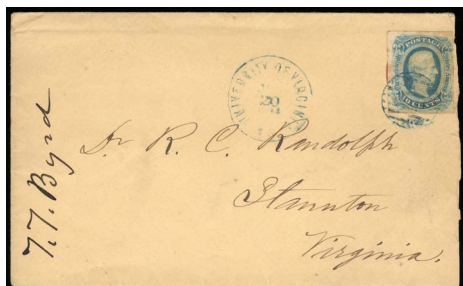
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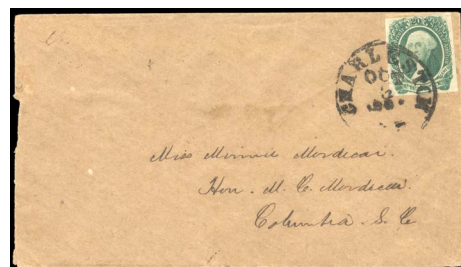
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- 3040 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue**, large margins, tied by red "Yanceyville, N.C., Jul 30, 1863" cds on **turned cover** to Goldsboro, N.C., inside addressed to Gibsonville, N.C. with Goldsborough, N.C. cds and matching "Paid" and "10" rate handstamps; minor cover staining, **otherwise Very Fine**.
Scott No. **11** Estimate \$150 - 200
- 3041 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue**, four margins, tone spot and hinged in place, tied by "Columbus, Miss., Nov 22" cds over **U.S. 1855, 3¢ Nesbitt entire** to Attataville Miss., **F.-V.F.**, a nice adversity use on U.S. stationery.
Scott No. **11** Estimate \$100 - 150
- 3042 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue**, four margins, slight aging, tied by 10 Bar Army Field Grid on cover to Amherst C.H., Va., manuscript "From C Watts" with letter datelined "Dec. 26th 1864" and "The mail is about start x nothing more at present", cover stain, **F.-V.F.**; signed Kimbrough.
Scott No. **11** Estimate \$75 - 100

1863 10¢ Blue (#12)



- 3043 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Blue**, toned, tied by “blue Bowling Green, Va. Feb 8” cds and **addressed in the hand of General J.E.B. Stuart** to his daughter, “Miss Stuart, **Care of Mrs. R.E. Lee, Richmond Virginia**”, **Very Fine**.
 Scott No. 12 Estimate \$300 - 400

From General J.E.B. Stuart to his daughter. His wife Flora and daughter were living with Mrs. Lee in Richmond at the time.

- 3044 ☒ **1863, 10¢ Milky Blue**, margins large to just touching, **placed over U.S. 1860, 3¢ Star Die entire indicia (U27)** addressed to Saunton, Va., tied by neat blue grid handstamp with matching “University of Virginia, Va., Jul 20, 1863” cds, with original enclosure; entire with trivial wrinkling and slightly reduced at right, a **Very Fine and attractive adversity usage**; with 2023 P.S.E. certificate.
 Scott No. 12a Estimate \$250 - 350

1863 20¢ Green

- 3045 *☐ **1863, 20¢ Green**, bottom margin block of 8 with imprint, o.g., clear to ample margins, bold color, flaws including sealed tear in selvage, light creasing and pinhole, **Very Fine appearance**.
 Scott No. 13 Estimate \$400 - 600



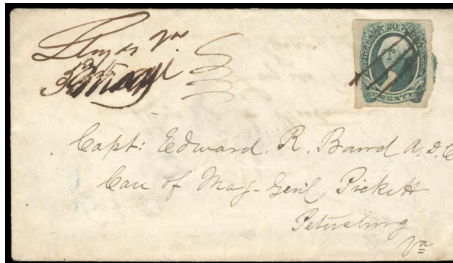
- 3046 ☒ **1863, 20¢ Green, Horizontal Pair**, margins large to into left stamp at bottom left, manuscript canceled with matching “Homer, La., Feb 28/65” postmark alongside on **turned cover** to Paris, Miss., with via Shreveport & Brandon, Miss. routing endorsement at bottom left, inside initially sent to Homer, Miss. franked with **1862, 5¢ blue, Archer & Daly printing, horizontal pair (7)** tied by “Nacodoches, Tex.” cds; cover flaws including slightly reduced at left with repaired nick at bottom left, **F.-V.F.**.
 Scott No. 13 Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

A RARE DOUBLE TRANS-MISSISSIPPI TURNED COVER WITH SECOND USAGE PAYING THE EAST TO WEST EXPRESS RATE.

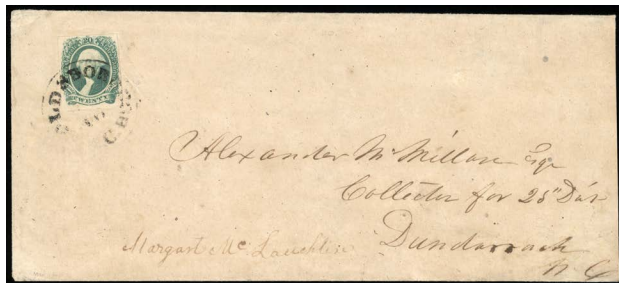
The Mississippi River and inland waterway routes were essential lifelines within the Confederacy. Early in the war, Federal naval strategy focused on control of the Mississippi, and, by the spring of 1862, key port cities were captured by Federal forces, giving them control of the river. With the Southern states divided between East and West, the Confederate government was forced to devise special measures to maintain transportation and communication along the trans-Mississippi routes. Surreptitious traffic across the river was carried on by private and government couriers, and the post office was authorized to appoint agents to ensure that the mail lines remained open. In April 1863 the Confederate Congress authorized a “preferred mail” across the Mississippi River and established a 50¢ rate per half-ounce. The act was revised to create an “express mail” without a fixed rate of postage, but instead limited to no more than a dollar per half-ounce. By October 1863, Postmaster General Reagan secured a contract to have mail carried across the Mississippi at the rate of 40¢ per half-ounce. Meridian and Brandon, Mississippi, were chosen as the eastern terminal points. Shreveport and Alexandria, Louisiana, were chosen as the western terminal points.



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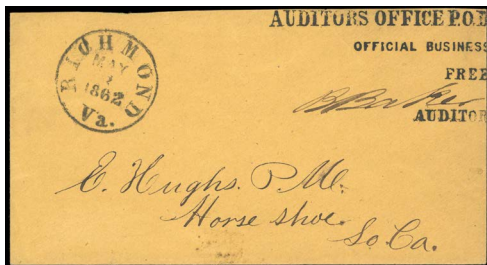
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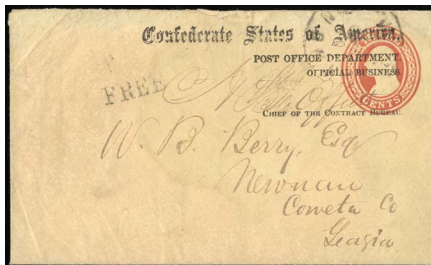
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- 3047 ☒ **1863, 20¢ Green**, clear to ample margins, rich deep color, tied by "Charleston, S.C., Oct 3" cds on double rate cover to Columbia, S.C.; cover with even allover toning, **otherwise Very Fine**.
Scott No. 13 Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3048 ☒ **1863, 20¢ Green**, clear margins and deep color, tied by "Richmond, Va., Oct 24" cds cover to Wesleyan Female College in Staunton, Va.; cover tears and backflap replaced, **otherwise Fine to Very Fine**; with 1997 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. 13 Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3049 ☒ **1863, 20¢ Green**, clear t mostly large slightly irregular margins, deep color, tied by manuscript cancels in **turned cover** to captain in Petersburg, Va. in care of Maj. Gen'l Pickett, manuscript "Lloyd's, Va., 3 May" postmark, inside initial use addressed to Lloyds, Va. with blue "University of Va., Apr 26" cds (missing stamp), **Very Fine**; with 2019 C.S.A. certificate.
Scott No. 13 Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3050 ☒ **1863, 20¢ Green**, clear to mostly large margins, tied by Goldsborough, N.C. cds on legal size cover to Dundarrach, N.C.; cover lightly cleaned and slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**.
Scott No. 13 Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3051 ☒ **1863, 20¢ Green, Right Margin Single**, tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Feb 20" cds on legal size cover to postmaster J.M. Wootin in Catherine's Lake, N.C., manuscript "O.B." endorsement at top left; some cover wear an extraneous comp temporary addition, **F.-V.F.**
Scott No. 13 Estimate \$300 - 400

Official Covers

- 3052 ☒ **Auditors Office P.O.D., Official Business, Free**, imprint (Dietz #AUD-11) on orange cover to Horse Shoe, S.C., postmarked Richmond, Va. May 3, 1862 cds a manuscript free frank of "B. Baker", flap missing & a tiny bit reduced at top (not reduced at right, imprint is shift to right), **Very Fine and choice, a scarce Official imprint**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
- 3053 ☒ **Confederate States of America, Post Office Department, Official Business Chief of Contract Bureau** (Dietz Type I) official imprint and signed by "H. St. Geo. Offutt" on United States 1853-55 3¢ Nesbitt entire to addressed to W. B. Berry, Newnan, Coweta Co., Georgia, postmarked Richmond, Va. cds with straight line "FREE" handstamp, some minor wrinkles, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200

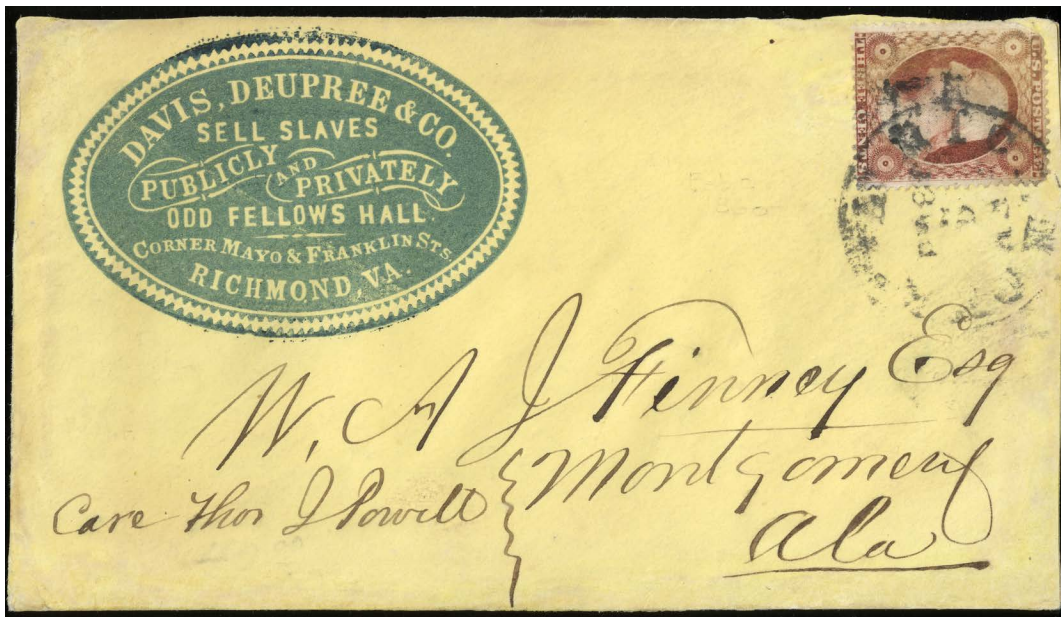
Semi-Official Covers

- 3054 ☒ **Adjutant General's Office, Raleigh, N.C.**, semi-official imprint on buff cover bearing **1862, 5¢ blue, vertical pair** tied by blue "Raleigh, N.C., Apr" cds with additional strike at right; missing backflap, **F.-V.F.** Scott No. 7.
C.S.A. Catalog No. S-NC-16 Estimate \$150 - 200

- 3055 ☒ **Confederate States Navy Department, Office of Orders and Details, Official Business** (Dietz Type III), semi-official imprint envelope reduced at left, cutting through the #7 (originally a pair) tied with a black Richmond Va. cds, addressed to *Captain V. M. Randolph, C.S. Navy, Montgomery, Ala.*
 Estimate \$200 - 300
- Captain Victor Moreau Randolph was born on July 24, 1797 in Culpeper County, Va. And served in the United States Navy from 1814-1861. He resigned from the United States navy on January 14th, 1861 to join the newly formed Confederate States of America. He served in the Confederate Navy from 1861-65, serving in many different posts. He died after the war on January 28, 1876.*
- 3056 ☒ **Confederate States of America, Surgeon General's Office, Official Business**, semi-official imprint on cover addressed to Surgeon E. Haywood in Raleigh, N.C., light "Goldsborough, N.C., Oct 16" cds with matching "Paid" and "10" rate handstamps, with original 1862 printed form enclosure from the Surgeon General regarding a favorable examination, **Very Fine**.
 C.S.A. Catalog No. **WD-MD-10** Estimate \$150 - 200
- 3057 ☒ **Office of Com'd'nt Conscripts, Tenn., On Official Business**, imprint on cover to Cleveland, Tenn., franked with **1863, 10¢ blue**, clear to large margins, tied by neat "Knoxville, Ten., Aug 13" cds, **Very Fine**; with 2002 C.S.A. certificate. Scott No. 12.
 C.S.A. Catalog No. **WD-CN-13** Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3058 ☒ **State of Georgia., Adjutant and Inspector General's Office., Official Business.**, imprint on cover to Griffin, Ga., franked with **1862, 5¢ light blue, horizontal pair** tied by "Milledgeville, Ga., Sep 20" cds; cover slightly reduced at right, **Very Fine**; with 1987 P.F. certificate. Scott No. 6.
 C.S.A. Catalog No. **S-GA-06** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 3059 ☒ **State of North Carolina, Executive Department**, imprint on cover to Lt. John Tasscott in Goldsboro, N.C., franked with **1863, 10¢ blue**, clear to huge margins, tied by light red Raleigh, N.C. cds, **Very Fine**. Scott No. 12.
 C.S.A. Catalog No. **S-NC-04** Estimate \$200 - 300
- 3060 ☒ **Subsistence Department, Official Business**, semi-official imprint without "C.S.", on cover to Davidson College, N.C. franked with **1863, 10¢ blue** tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Mar 11" cds over part of imprint; stamp with separation cut in bottom margin, **Very Fine**, this being **one of two known examples of this unlisted CSA semi-office imprint**. Scott No. 12.
 C.S.A. Catalog No. **WD-SD-01 var.** Estimate \$200 - 300

Confederate Advertising Covers

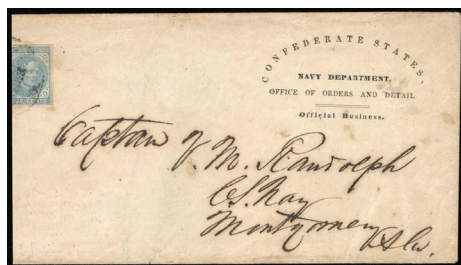
- 3061 ☒ **Davidson College, North Carolina**, blue allover illustrated shaded ad showing College Building, on cover to Columbia Springs, N.C., franked with **1862, 5¢ blue, horizontal pair** (7) tied by blue indistinct cds; stamp and cover flaws including sealed tear into design and missing backflap, **F-V.F. appearance**, a very rare college cover, the first we have ever offered.
 C.S.A. Catalog No. **NC-06b** Estimate \$300 - 400



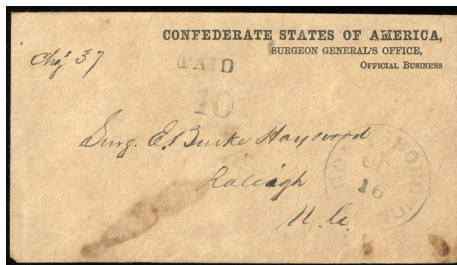
- 3062 ☒ **Davis, Deupree & Co., Sell Slaves, Publicly and Privately, Richmond, Va.,** blue cameo corner on cover to Montgomery, Ala., franked with **1857, 3¢ dull red** (26, small corner nick) tied by "Richmond, Va., Feb 9, 1860" cd, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$3,000 - 4,000

AN EXTREMELY RARE DAVIS, DEUPREE & CO. SLAVE MERCHANT ADVERTISING COVER FROM RICHMOND, VA. USED PRIOR TO THE CIVIL WAR.

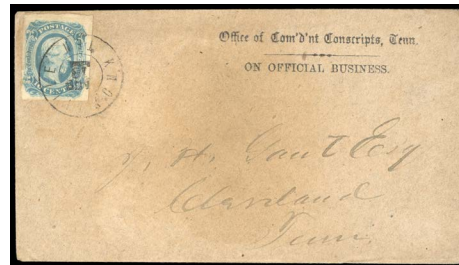
Richmond, Virginia was the center of the domestic slave trade on the eve of the Civil War. Despite the large volume of mail that must have been sent by slave dealers, just a few examples survive today. We know of only one other Davis, Deupree & Co. cameo corner card covers all of which are used prior to session.



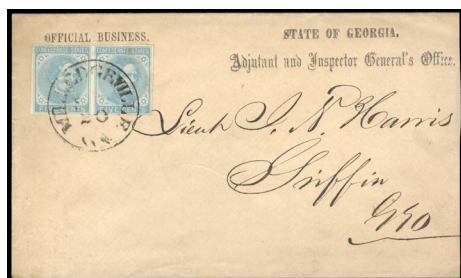
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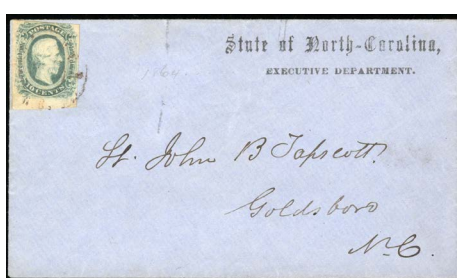
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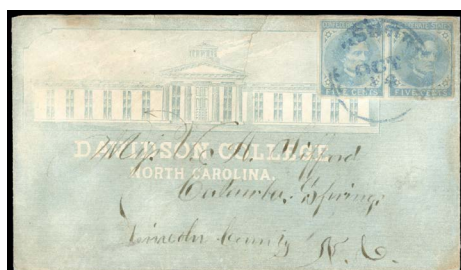
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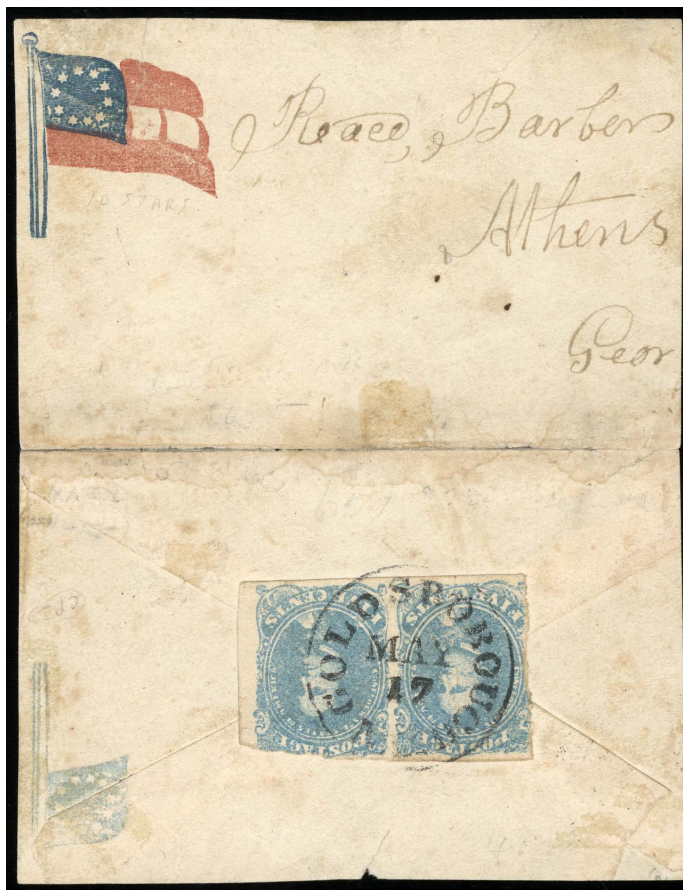
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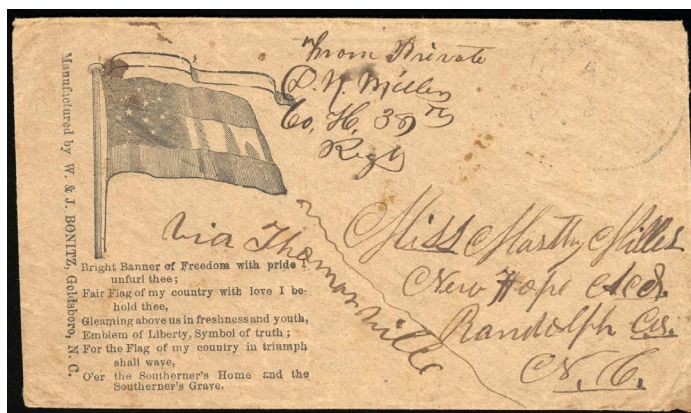
3063 **Gaston Branch House, Beaufort, N.C.**, green embossed cameo corner card on cover to Charlotte, N.C., franked with four margin 1861, 5¢ green (minor edge toning) tied by neat "Goldsborough, N.C., Feb 27" cds, **Very Fine and choice**, a gorgeous cover. Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
 Scott No. 1.

- 3064 ☒ **Seaman's Bethel, Wilmington, N.C.**, printed corner card on cover franked with 1862, 5¢ light blue, London print, horizontal pair tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Aug 30" cds to William Rose, *Care Capt. R.P. Howell, 62nd Ga. Cav. Dearing[s] Br., Petersboro, Va.* "Via Danville"; address rewritten in a neater hand, stamp moved to show corner card, overall light soiling, **F-V.F.**, includes letter to Rose from his wife dated Aug 28, 1864. Scott No. 6. Estimate \$200 - 300
- 3065 ☒ **Seaman's Bethel, Wilmington, N.C.**, fancy border printed corner card on cover to Private Benjamin Rose of the Dearing Brigade in Petersburg, Va., franked with 1863, 10¢ blue, full even margins, tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Aug 10" cds, readdressed back to Goldsborough, **Very Fine**. Scott No. 11 Estimate \$300 - 400

Confederate Patriotic Covers



- 3066 ☒ **10-Star Flag**, red and blue patriotic design on small cover to Athens, Ga., franked on reverse with 1862, 5¢ blue, Stone 2, right margin horizontal pair tied by central strike of "Goldsborough, N.C., May 17" cds; cover slightly reduced and opened at sides for display, **F-V.F.** Scott No. 4. C.S.A. Catalog No. **F10-3**. Estimate \$500 - 750



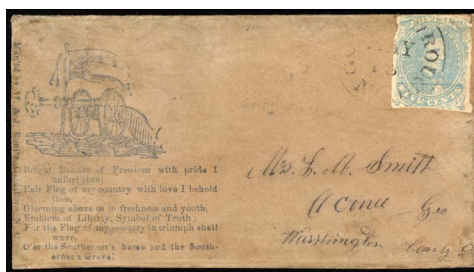
- 3067 ☒ **10-Star Flag with Verse**, patriotic design with Bonitz imprint at left, on cover to New Hope, N.C. endorsed "via Thomasville" with soldiers endorsement at top, faint Goldsborough, N.C. cds, no indication of rating, **Very Fine**. C.S.A. Catalog No. **F10-11, Verse 5**. Estimate \$500 - 750



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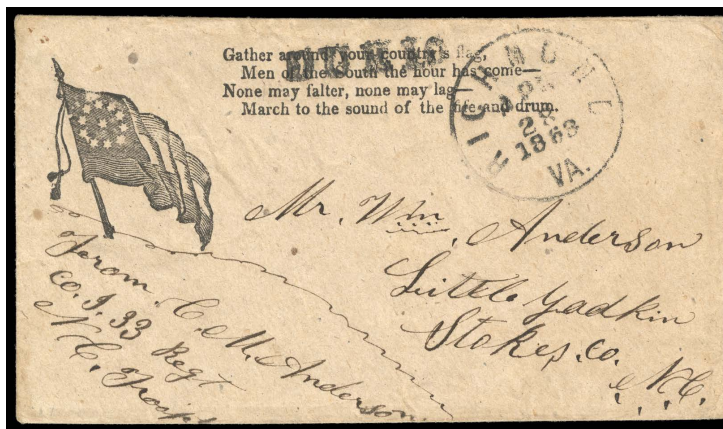


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3068 ☒ **10-Star Flag with Verse**, patriotic design with Bonitz imprint at left, on cover to Fayetteville, N.C. franked with 1862, 5¢ blue, Archer & Daly printing, horizontal pair, margins ample to slightly in at upper right, tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Oct 29" cds; cover reduced at right, otherwise Very Fine. Scott No. 7.

C.S.A. Catalog No. F10-11, Verse 37 Estimate \$500 - 750



3069 ☒ **11-Star Flag with Verse**, on fresh cover to Little Yadkin, N.C., with "From C.M. Anderson, Co. I. 33 Regt., N.C. Troops" soldier's endorsement at lower left, clear "Richmond, Va., Apr 28, 1863" cds and matching "Due 10" straight line handstamp, with original enclosure datelined Camp near Fredericksburg, Apr the 18, 1863 with interesting reference to Union observation balloon... "We can see them every day up in their balloon. A viewing of us.", Very Fine and choice.

C.S.A. Catalog No. F11-16 verse 13 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

This letter was mailed only two days before the beginning of the Battle of Chancellorsville. Private Anderson and the 33rd Regiment fought in this battle as part of General A.P. Hill's Division of Stonewall Jackson's 2nd Corps (This was Jackson's last Battle of the Confederacy).

Anderson was taken prisoner July 12, 1863 at the battle of Funkstown, Md. He was held prisoner at Funkstown and later transferred to Point Lookout, Md. on August 9, 1863.

3070 ☒ **12-Star Flag**, red and blue patriotic design on cover to Morganton, N.C., with "Goldsborough, N.C., Jul 22" cds and matching "Paid" with pencil "Paid 5" above; toned with address faded, Fine appearance, a very scarce design.

C.S.A. Catalog No. F12-3 Estimate \$250 - 350

Civil War Postal History



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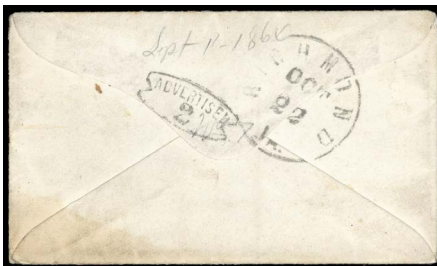
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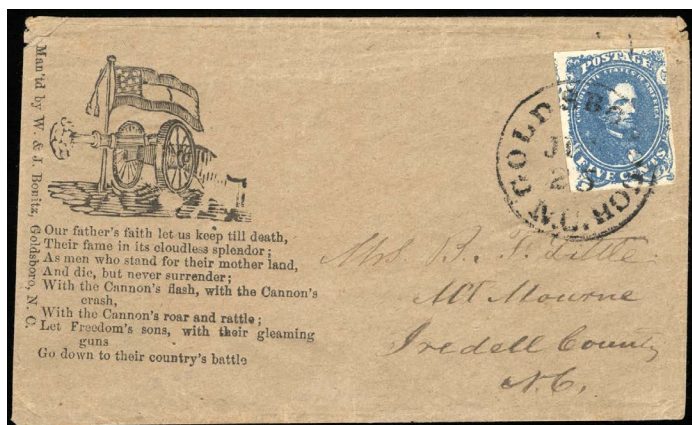


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3071 ☒ **12-Star Flag**, red and blue patriotic design with “missing star at upper right variety”, on cover to Happy Home, N.C., “Goldsborough, N.C., Jul 5” cds with matching “Paid” and “10” rate handstamps; cover flaws including stains and creasing, **Fine**. C.S.A. Catalog No. **F12-2** Estimate \$250 - 350



3072 ☒ **Cannon and 11-Star Flag with Verse**, patriotic design with Bonitz imprint at left, on cover to Mt. Mourne, N.C. franked with **1862, 5¢ blue, Stone 2**, margins large to just touching, tied by “Goldsborough, N.C., Jun 25” cds; trivial cover edge wear, **Very Fine**. Scott No. 4. C.S.A. Catalog No. **CN-3, Verse 33** Estimate \$500 - 750

3073 ☒ **Cannon and 11-Star Flag with Verse**, patriotic design in **blue** with Bonitz imprint at left, on cover to Oconee, Ga. franked with **1862, 5¢ light milky blue** tied by “Goldsborough, N.C., May 13” cds; cover edge repairs with backflap reattached, small stamp flaws at top, **F-V.F. appearance**. Scott No. 4. C.S.A. Catalog No. **CN-3, Verse 5** Estimate \$300 - 400

3074 ☒ **Cannon and 11-Star Flag with Verse**, patriotic design with Bonitz imprint at left, on cover to Milledgeville, Ga., “Goldsborough, N.C., Jun 13” cds with matching “Paid” and manuscript “5” rate with manuscript “Due 5” above; cover reduced at right. C.S.A. Catalog No. **CN-3, Verse 5** Estimate \$500 - 750

3075 ☒ **Cannon and 11-Star Flag with Verse**, patriotic design with Bonitz imprint at left, on cover to Shelby, N.C. franked with **1861, 5¢ green** tied by “Goldsborough, N.C., Apr 3” cds, with forwarding directive at bottom; some stamp erosion at left and small part of backflap missing, **F-V.F.** Scott No. 1. C.S.A. Catalog No. **CN-3, Verse 5** Estimate \$300 - 400

3076 ☒ **Cannon and 11-Star Flag with Verse**, patriotic design with Bonitz imprint at left, on cover to Buffalo Paper Mills, N.C., “Goldsborough, N.C., Sep 16” cds with matching “Paid” and “10” rate handstamps; cover tone spots, light wear and slightly reduced at right, non-contemporary date, **Fine**. C.S.A. Catalog No. **CN-3, Verse 33** Estimate \$200 - 300

3077 ☒ **Cannon and 11-Star Flag with Verse**, “**...Trust in God and Davis...**”, printed patriotic (CN-1B) in black with “Starke and Cordozo, Richmond” imprint on cover to Stony Point, Va., franked with **1862 5¢ blue** tied by bold “Richmond, Va. May 10, 1862” cds, some usual soiling, **F-V.F. and attractive**. Scott No. 6. C.S.A. Catalog No. **CN-3, Verse 33** Estimate \$150 - 200



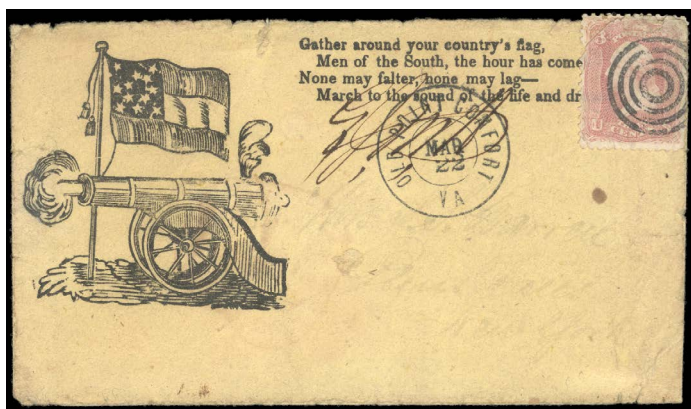
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3078 ☒ **Cannon and 12-Star Flag with Verse**, patriotic design on cover with light addressing to New York state (town indistinct), franked with U.S. 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by target handstamp, matching "Old Point Comfort, Va., Mar 22" cds, with manuscript "J.M.H." initials of John M. Higgins and believed this is a **civilian Flag of Truce usage**; stamp flaws with portions added at upper left, **Very Fine appearance**, a rare Confederate patriotic usage sent through the lines to New York state. C.S.A. Catalog No. CN-1C. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

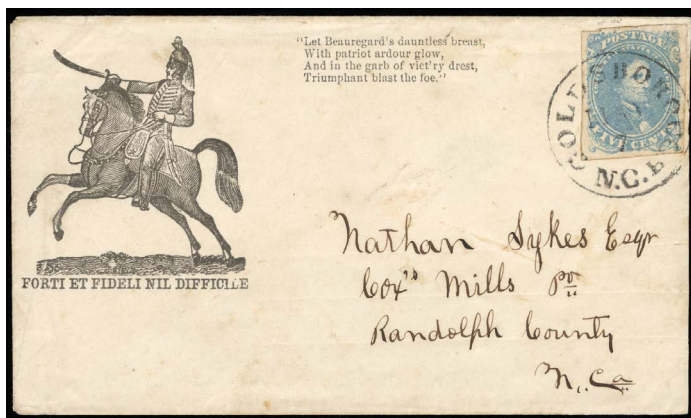
According to a letter from Jerry Palazolo, John M. Higgins was not at City Point. He was at General Winder's office (Confederate General in charge of P.O.W. operations) and signed whatever came across his desk. Thus, it is more likely that this is a civilian Flag of Truce cover rather than a P.O.W. cover.



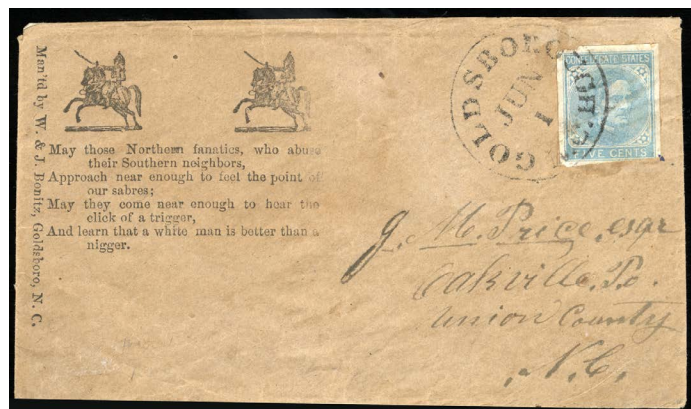
3080 ☒ **Mounted Dragoon with Verse**, patriotic design on cover to Herrington, N.C., franked with manuscript canceled 1862, 5¢ light blue, De La Rue printing, bottom margin horizontal pair tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Sep 30" cds, 1862 docketing at left; cover expertly restored at sides; right stamp with small nick at top, **otherwise Very Fine**. Scott No. 6. C.S.A. Catalog No. SM-1, Verse 5. . . . Estimate \$750 - 1,000

3081 ☒ **Mounted Dragoon with Verse**, patriotic design on cover addressed to Geo. W. Thornton, Co. G., 44th Regt., Geo. Vols. in Goldsboro, N.C., franked with 1861, 5¢ green, margins ample to just touching, tied by "Williamsburg, Va., Apr 29, 1862" cds; cover expertly restored at sides, **Very Fine appearance**. Scott No. 1. C.S.A. Catalog No. SM-1, Verse 45. . . . Estimate \$500 - 750

George Thornton died of disease in Goldsboro on May 19th three weeks after this cover was posted.



3079 ☒ **Mounted Dragoon with Verse**, patriotic design on cover to Cox Mills, N.C., franked with 1862, 5¢ light milky blue, ample to large margins, tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., May 7" cds, **Extremely Fine**, a wonderful patriotic cover and 5¢ blue usage, *ex-Judd*. Scott No. 4b. C.S.A. Catalog No. SM-1, Verse 21. . . Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500



3082 ☒ **Small Mounted Dragoons with Verse**, patriotic design with Bonitz imprint at left, on cover to Oakville, N.C. franked with 1862, 5¢ light blue, De La Rue printing, margin large to just into frameline at bottom right, tied by "Goldsborough, N.C., Jun 1" cds, **Very Fine**. Scott No. 6. C.S.A. Catalog No. SM-2, Verse 24. . . . Estimate \$500 - 750

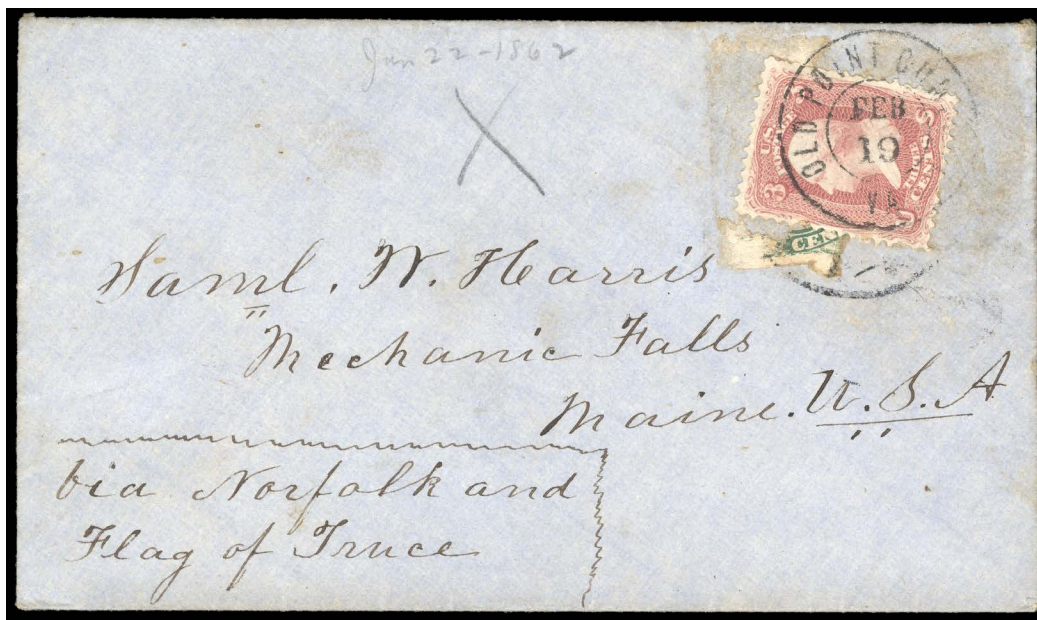
Flag of Truce Covers

- 3083 ☒ **Flag of Truce, North to South**, small ladies cover addressed to Dr. John J. Miller, Richmond Va. with manuscript endorsement “Care of Capt. W.H. Hatch Asst Agent of exchange” at bottom, franked with CSA 10¢ blue (12) tied by “Richmond, Va. Oct. 5” cds overpaying the 2¢ drop rate, reverse with ornate ribbon “**Advertised 2**” handstamp & “Richmond, Va. Oct 22” cds, included is original letter datelined “Oakland Home (Missouri), September 11th, 1864”, some staining in address panel, **otherwise Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$200 - 300

Dr. Miller was a Surgeon at Winder Hospital, who failed to pick up, so marked “Advertised 2” with Richmond Oct 22 cds, same date as advertised in the “Richmond Examiner”.

- 3084 ☒ **Flag of Truce, North to South**, manuscript “By Flag of Truce” on cover to Clarksville, Tenn., pencil “Ex” by CSA censor, sent the regular route through Richmond, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by bold segmented cork cancel with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Jun 4” double circle postmark alongside, couple of light cover folds, **still Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$100 - 150

Pvt. Robt. J. Franklin Co E 50th Tenn Inf, captured when Atlanta fell and imprisoned at Louisville, Ky.



- 3085 ☒ **Flag of Truce, South to North**, manuscript boxed “Via Norfolk and Flag of Truce” notation at bottom of linen cover to Mechanic Falls, Me., pencil docketing “Jan 22, 1862”, franked with **CSA 1861 5¢ green, pair** (1) mostly torn off at the exchange point (as per P.O. instructions), tied by most probably Macon, Ga. cds then franked with **USA 1861, 3¢ rose** (65) applied over remnants and tied with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Feb 19” double circle postmark, additional manuscript “X” (by censor), **Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$300 - 400

Pvt. Charles Harris from Maine was living in Macon, Ga when war broke out. He was captured at Mine Run, Virginia and sent to Old Capitol Prison in Washington, D.C. Rather than being exchanged he took “Oath of Allegiance” and went home to his father in Maine.

- 3086 ☒ **Flag of Truce, South to North**, bold manuscript “by Flag of Truce”, additional notation “by Boat Corp” at bottom left on cover addressed to Lowell, Mass., franked with **CSA 10¢ blue** (11) tied by Farmville, Va. cds with additional strike at right, docketed on backflap “Received Fortress Monroe October 9th JMM”, no indication of Federal postage, couple of small cover repairs, **F.-V.F.**
 Estimate \$100 - 150

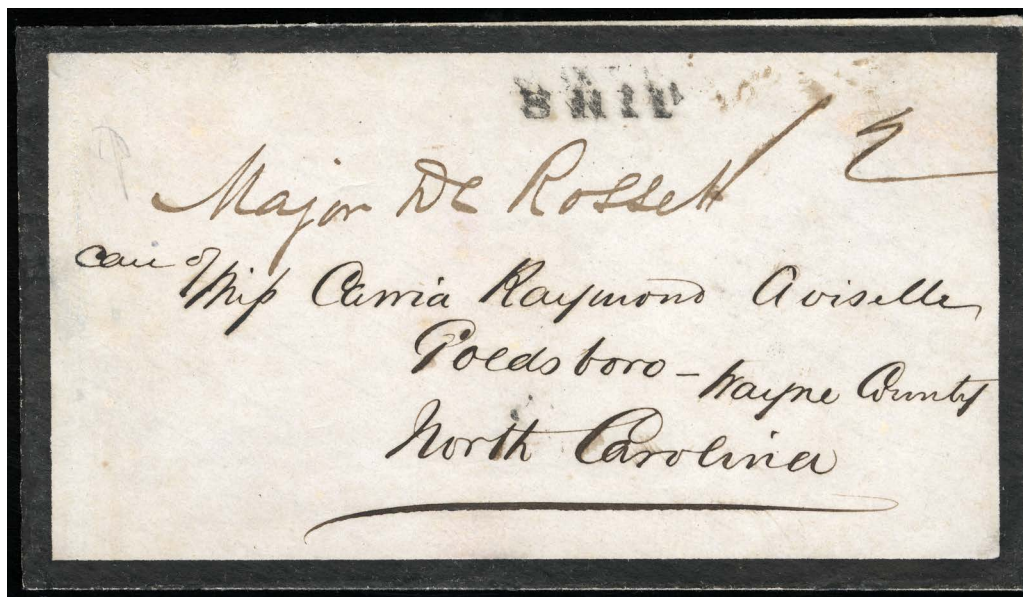
- 3087 ☒ **Flag of Truce, South to North**, manuscript “Flag of Truce” notation at top of cover to New York, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, corner crease) tied by segmented cork cancel with partial Old Point Comfort, Va. double circle postmark at left, bold manuscript censor’s marking “Ex. Jno. L. Eustis A.D.C.”, who was a clerk in the Richmond War Office, **Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$100 - 150

- 3088 ☒ **Flag of Truce, South to North, turned cover**, first usage with **C.S.A. 10¢ blue** (12) tied by “Richmond, Va. Jan. 19” cds and addressed to N.C. hospital at Petersburg, Va., cover turned and used to Maryland, franked with **USA 1861 3¢ rose** (65) tied by large segmented cork with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Feb. 23” double circle postmark, manuscript endorsement “Per Truce Boat” at upper left, vertical cover fold affects CSA adhesive, missing top and side flap, **Very Fine.**
 Scott No. **12, USA 65** Estimate \$150 - 200



- 3089 ☒ **Flag of Truce, South to North, turned cover**, first usage C.S.A. 10¢ blue (11), tied by nice strike of small “Stilesborough, Ga. Sep. 19” cds addressed to Savannah, Ga. redirected by Sgt. Charles T. Parker, 63 Ga. Vols. to his sister in Wardsboro, Vt., postmarked Old Point Comfort, Va. Apr. 19 double circle and “Due 6” in circle, CSA adhesive partially cut out and expertly restored to cover, **Very Fine**.
 Scott No. 11 Estimate \$100 - 150

Blockade Covers



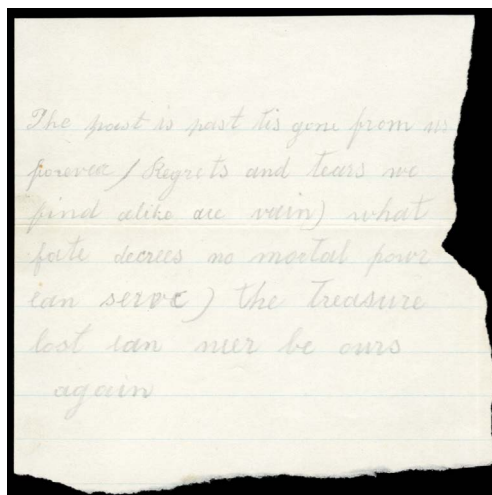
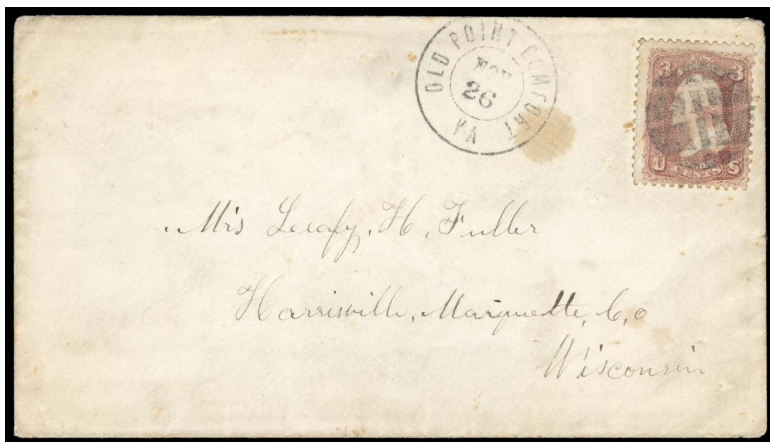
- 3090 ☒ **Wilmington, N.C., Sep 18**, cds on reverse of incoming blockade mourning cover addressed to Major De Rosset in Goldsboro, N.C., with straight line “Ship” handstamp and manuscript “12” due rating for the 10¢ rate plus 2¢ ship fee, no markings indicating origin, **Very Fine**, part of a known blockade-run correspondence.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

William De Rosset resided in New Hanover County, N.C. when appointed Major in the 3rd Regiment N.C. Infantry from May 16, 1861. Promoted to Lt. Colonel on April 26, 1862 (indicating this cover a 1861 usage) and to Colonel on July 1, 1862. Fought at the Seven Days Battles around Richmond, Va. and at Sharpsburg, Md. on September 17, 1862 where he was severely wounded and eventually resigned on Sept 7, 1863.

Prisoner of War Covers - Southern Prisons

The following selection of Civil War Prisoner covers is one of the finest ever formed. It includes many rare and unique prison usages, several which are featured in the definitive work *Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War* by Galen Harrison. We hope that everyone takes this opportunity to acquire one of these fascinating relics of the War Between the States.

Belle Isle Prison



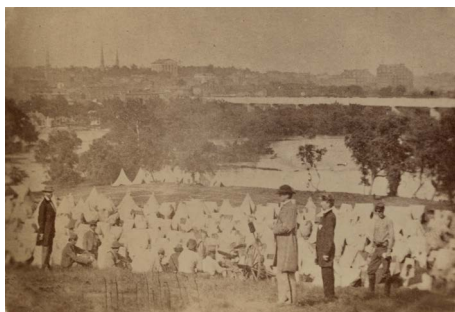
3091 ☒ **Belle Isle Prison, Richmond, Va.**, cover with original enclosure datelined "Belle Island, Va. Nov. 18th '63", cover addressed to Harrisville, Wisc., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65, trivial flaw) with segmented cork cancel and postmarked "Old Point Comfort Va. Nov 26" double circle alongside, **Very Fine**, Illustrated on page 84, "*Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War*" by Galen Harrison.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

A POIGNANT ITEM FROM THIS VERY RARE CONFEDERATE PRISON.

Cover & letter sent by Cpl. Charles W. Fuller, 7th Wisconsin Cav., letter reads, "Dear Mother, I write these few lines to inform you that I am a prisoner and that my health is good. I am on Belle Island near Richmond. I hope you will not be curious about me. I expect we shall be paroled before long. I hope these few lines will find you well, as they have me. Write soon except my love, from your son Charles. P.S. Direct to C.W. Fuller, Co. E 7th Reg. W.V., Prisoner of War, Belle Island via Richmond, Va. Please send envelope and half sheet of paper."

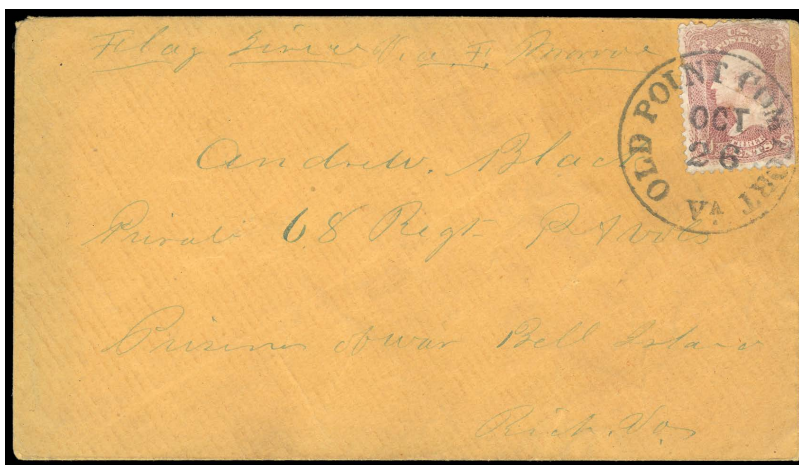
Cpl. Charles W. Fuller, died at Andersonville Prison. Enclosed with the cover was a small scrap paper most probably written by his mother and preserved with his last letter home, "The past is the past is gone from us forever / Regrets and tears we find a like our vain / what fate decrees no mortal power can serve / the treasure lost can neer be ours again."

Belle Isle, a prison for enlisted men was established on this fifty-acre island located in the middle of the James River. The island was accessed by the old Richmond and Petersburg Railroad bridge from the Manchester side. Prisoners referred to the bridge as the "Bridge of Sighs". The prison was a six-acre enclosure surrounded by a four-foot high mound of dirt with a ditch on each side. The prison camp was situated on the lowest portion of the island. Cannon were placed on the high ground so as to overlook the enclosure. Tents were the only shelter, and at times as many as 10,000 were confined here.



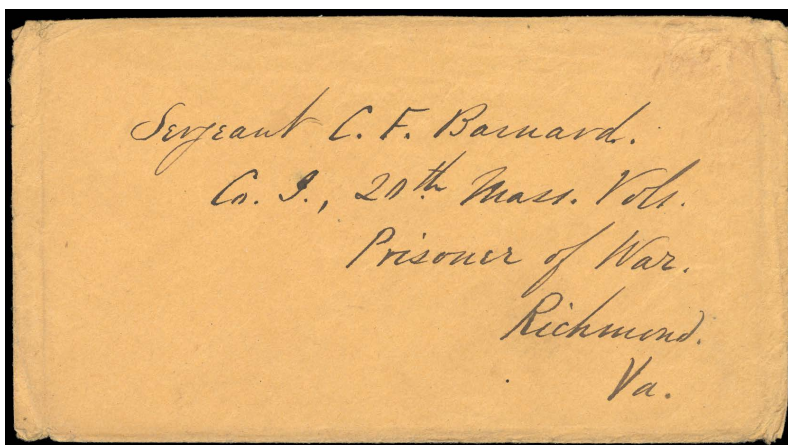


- 3092 ☒ **Belle Isle Prison, Richmond, Va.**, cover from “John F. Harding, 16th Maine Inf.” who was imprisoned at Belle Isle, addressed to his father in Dover, N.H., manuscript “(Via Flag of Truce)” notation, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Nov 27” double circle with “Due 6” in circle (penalty rate as prisoner didn’t notate his name and rank), **Very Fine, a rare Southern prison.**
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

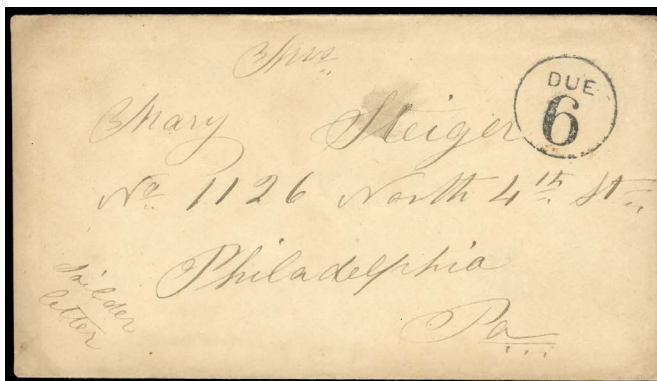


- 3093 ☒ **Belle Isle Prison, Richmond, Va.**, cover addressed to “Andrew Black, Private 68 Regt. Pa. Vols, Prisoner of War at Belle Island, Richmond Va”, franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65, defective), tied by old style “Old Point Comfort, Va. Oct 26” (1863) cds, manuscript endorsement “Flag truce via F. Monroe” across the top, **Very Fine a rare incoming usage, Illustrated on page 84, “Prisoners’ Mail From The American Civil War” by Galen Harrison.**
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

Mail to prisoners in Richmond was frequently carried by the War Department rather than the Postal Department, making Confederate postage unnecessary.



- 3094 ☒ **Belle Isle Prison, Richmond, Va.**, cover addressed to “Sergeant C.F. Barnard, Co. I, 20th Mass. Vols. Prisoner of War, Richmond, Va.” who was held at Belle Island, cover without any postal markings, with original letter from Col. Palfrey, former Colonel of the Regiment, notation for draft of £8 1sh 10d to be used by him to “promote the comfort of yourself and companions”, some light corner wear, **Very Fine and rare.**
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000



- 3095 ☒ **Belle Isle Prison, Richmond, Va.**, cover from Pvt. Charles Steiger, 5th Pa. Cav. to his mother in Philadelphia, struck only with Due 6 in circle handstamp with manuscript "Soldier Letter" diagonally at lower left, interesting German notation on backflap "For this letter was paid 6 cents-arrived 13 July", **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

Pvt. Steiger was captured on June 29, 1864 and imprisoned at Belle Isle, near Richmond, Va.



- 3096 ☒ **Belle Isle Prison, Richmond, Va.**, cover from Sgt. Charles Harrison, 54th Pa Inf. to his father in Philadelphia, franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65, corner crease) tied by segmented cork cancel with "Old Point Comfort, Va Feb 6" double circle postmark alongside, **Very Fine and rare**.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

Sgt. Harrison was captured at Cedar Creek and imprisoned at Belle Isle, near Richmond, Va.

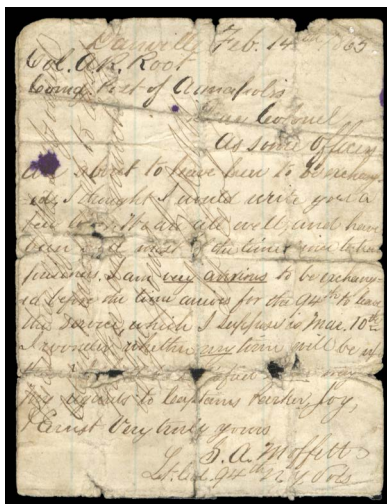


- 3097 ☒ **Building No. 4, Danville, Va.**, adversity cover made from printed Baptist Minister Monthly pamphlet cover, folded into envelope and addressed to Colerain Forge, Penn., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65, defective) tied by segmented cork and "Old Point Comfort Va. Feb 28" (1864) double circle postmark, pencil "Ex" censor's marking at left, cover soiled with edges splits heavily hinge re-enforced on inside, **Fine**.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

A VERY RARE PRISONER OF WAR COVER WITH ONLY THREE COVERS RECORDED AND IS ENHANCED BY THIS ADVERSITY USAGE.

Sent by Pvt. William Barry, Co. C, 77th Pa. Inf. who was imprisoned at Danville, Va. Building #4.

An Outstanding Smuggled “Button Letter” From Danville Prison



Actual Size

3098 ☒ **Building No. 4, Danville, Va., “Button Letter”**, actually two different letters written on small piece of scrap paper, folded and **smuggled out of the prison inside a brass button**, carefully folded so as to fit into button, letter written by Lt. Col. S.A. Moffett, 94th N.Y. Vols., obviously without postal markings, one to Col. A.R. Root, Commanding Post of Annapolis, other to his parents, *Illustrated on page 73, “Prisoners’ Mail From The American Civil War” by Galen Harrison.*
 Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

ONLY 3 “BUTTON LETTERS” ARE KNOWN TO EXIST - AN EXTREMELY DESIRABLE PIECE OF HISTORY.

Transcriptions of letters included on Exhibition page. Also included is 1903 original transmittal cover sending the “Button Letter” to family in Ridgeland, Miss. and with notation “Father’s Prison Letter”.

Mail was smuggled into and out of prison by a variety of methods. One ingenious method was the “Button Letter”. Union uniform buttons were of two piece metal construction. On occasion when an officer was being exchanged, a uniform button or buttons would be taken apart and a note written on a tiny scrap of paper which was then inserted into the button thus avoiding censorship.



3099 ☒ **Building No. 5, Danville, Va.,** neat little folded letter to Tuscarawa, Ohio from prisoner Pvt Joseph Wood, 15th Ohio Inf., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, defective) tied by segmented cork and “Old Point Comfort, Va. Mar. 9” double circle postmark, faint manuscript “Ex” censor’s marking at upper left, letter datelined “**Prison No. 5 Danville Va February 28th 64**”, some interesting content, fold separations strengthened with clear tape (most probably archival), **Fine.**
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

A VERY RARE PRISONER OF WAR COVER WHICH IS ONE OF ONLY SEVEN RECORDED.



- 3100 ☒ **Building No. 6, Danville, Va.**, cover from Cpl. Orlando R. Chamberlin, a prisoner in Danville's Building #6 to family members at home in Pikeville, N.Y., pencil endorsed "O.R. Chamberlin, Prisoner of War" vertically at right on cover, franked with Confederate States of America uncanceled 1863-64 10¢ blue United States + United States 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by segmented cork & "Old Point Comfort, Va." double circle, bold manuscript "Exd" CSA censor's marking, small bit of toned scotch at top, included is photocopy of original letter datelined "Danville Prison No. 6, Dec. the 3rd", **Very Fine, Illustrated on page 76, "Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War" by Galen Harrison.**
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

A TOP RARITIES AS ONLY TWO COVERS ARE RECORDED FROM THIS PRISON.

The prison in Danville consisted of six tobacco warehouses plus a hospital. All were located in the center of town and as usual were most unpopular with local inhabitants. The Danville prisons were used from November 1863 through the end of the war.

Building #6 was a four-story brick tobacco factory at the southeast corner of Lynn and Loyal Streets. The first prisoners to occupy this building were those that had been moved from Building #2 so that building could be used to house the guards. Several prisoners from #6 took a parole to go out to work on fortifications. A number of these made an escape in this manner. Most were recaptured, while some few were able to make their way to Union lines.

Cpl. Chamberlin had been captured at the Mine explosion at Petersburg and was confined at Danville until February 20, 1865.

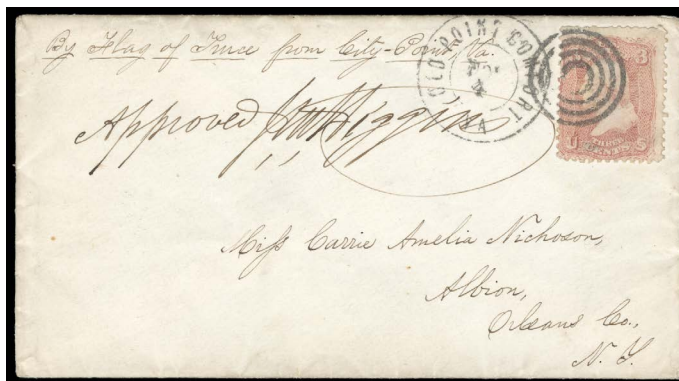
- 3101 ☒ **Camp Asylum, Columbia S.C.**, legal size printed "Official Business" envelope with imprint "Headquarters Department of the South", franked by "W.L.M. Burger" Asst Adj. Gen., manuscript examined markings at top and right side of cover addressed to "Capt. C.H. Call, 29th Ill. Infty, Prisoner of War, Columbia" who was a prisoner at Camp Asylum, no postal markings as Official Business franking, minor edge soiling and small chips around edges, **Fine**, one of only 8 recorded.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

Camp Asylum was situated on the grounds of the former State Lunatic Asylum, near the Charlotte Railroad Depot. Surrounded by a high brick wall, it offered much better security than Camp Sorghum. General John H. Winder, the Commissary General of Prisoners, personally appealed to the Governor of South Carolina to repurpose the asylum grounds, citing the dire conditions at Camp Sorghum. Lt. John W. Austin, a prisoner there, noted in his diary that at least 500 officers had already escaped, with more fleeing each night.



- 3102 ☒ **Camp Lewis, City Point, Va.**, prisoner of war cover from Camp Lewis to Albion, N.Y., manuscript endorsement "By Flag of Truce from City Point Prisoners Letter" across top, franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by bold large segmented cork cancel with "Old Point Comfort, Va. Mar 16" double circle postmark at right, **Very Fine and choice.**
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

A STUNNING PRISONER OF WAR COVER - ONE OF ONLY FOUR RECORDED EXAMPLES.



- 3103 ☒ **Camp Lewis, City Point, Va.**, prisoner of war cover from Camp Lewis to Albion, N.Y., manuscript endorsement “By Flag of Truce from City-Point Va.” across top, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, couple trivial perf flaws) tied by target cancel with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Nov 4” double circle postmark alongside, manuscript “Approved J.M. Higgins” (CSA censor), **Very Fine and choice**.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

A LOVELY AND RARE PRISONER OF WAR PRISON COVER WITH ONLY FOUR PIECES RECORDED.

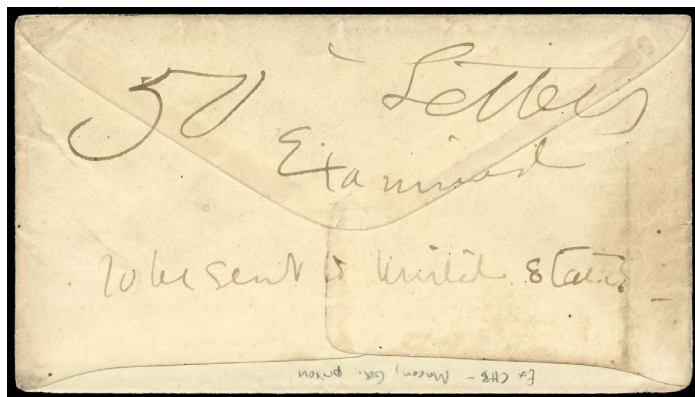
City Point, situated on the James River, quickly took over from Aiken’s Landing as an important exchange site. Officially named Camp Lewis, the prison comprised three large barracks, each enclosed by a tall wooden fence. Security was tight, with guards on constant patrol and sentries positioned to oversee the entire area. Inmates referred to Camp Lewis as the “Bull Pen.” The sanitary conditions were inadequate, and prisoners claimed that spending a month there was worse than six months at Libby Prison. While it mainly served as a temporary stop for those awaiting parole or exchange, some provost marshal prisoners were held there for extended periods.



- 3104 ☒ **“Camp Manchester (Dec.) 31 64”, Richmond, Va.**, dateline on letter written by CSA Pvt, Bosserman with cover franked with CSA 10¢ dark blue (11) tied by **Army field cancel** (grid) on homemade cover sent to family at Moffetts Creak Va., cover with some water staining, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

AN OUTSTANDING PRISONER OF WAR ITEM DETAILING THE MISERY WHICH PRISONERS EXPERIENCED DAILY. THE PRISONERS WERE BEING TRANSPORTED TO BELLE ISLE, ACROSS THE JAMES RIVER IN RICHMOND.

Letter with contents which include “We have a right hard time of it down here guarding the Yankee’s, it is the (hardest) thing I ever did in my life to take a parcel of men half starved through a crowded city to please the eye or satisfy the appetites offered for sale and not allow them to buy one thing. We took back two thousand through the city the other day and some of them just begged me to let them buy something to eat but the officer in command told us if we let them buy anything they would put us in Castle Thunder and Court Martial us.”.



- 3105 ☒ **Camp Oglethorpe, Macon, Ga.**, prisoner of war with light pencil “Prisoner Letter A.P. Day” (15th Conn. Vols.) to his brother in New Haven, Conn., pencil endorsed “via Flag of Truce” at bottom left, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Jul 12” double circle with “Due 6” in circle, manuscript “Examined C.H.B.” (unknown CSA Censor), reverse of cover with notation “50 Letters Examined to be sent to United States”, **Very Fine, Illustrated on page 29, “Prisoners’ Mail From The American Civil War” by Galen Harrison.**
 Estimate \$500 - 750

A UNIQUE ITEM SHOWING THAT IN RARE OCCASIONS PRISONER OF WAR COVERS WERE HANDLED IN BATCHES.

- 3106 ☒ **Camp Sorghum, Columbia, S.C.**, prisoner of war cover from Maj. C.K. Fleming (See Lot 3107) interned at Camp Sorghum to New York City, franked with U.S. **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, faulty) tied by circle of wedges with “Washington, D.C. Dec. 18, ‘64” double circle postmark alongside, **Fine**, included is original enclosure datelined “C.S. Military Prison Camp, Near Columbia, S.C., Dec. 9/64”, letter is a poignant love letter with a proposal of marriage, “I hope My own dear Mary that you will consent to our being married when I return. I hope you will say yes”, flap missing & couple small cover tears at top.
 Estimate \$200 - 300

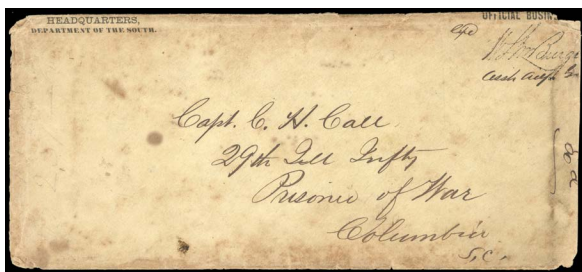


- 3107 ☒ **Camp Sorghum, Columbia, S.C.**, pencil Confederate examiner’s marking “Exd J. C. Martin, Capt. Comd.” and “Maj. C.K. Fleming, Prisoner of War, Columbia S.C.” endorsement on buff cover to New York City, handstamped illustrated **Vermont & Boston Telegraph Company** corner card, franked with U.S. **1861 3¢ rose** (65, trimmed perfs) tied by circle of wedges with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Jan. 17” double circle date postmark alongside, Confederate stamp cut out and removed but part of tying blue “Columbia S.C.” cds remains (unused 10¢ added for aesthetic purpose), included is **prisoner’s original letter** datelined “C.S. Military Prison Near Columbia S.C. Nov. 19th 1864”, **lovely Very Fine appearance**, Rare use of elaborate corner card used from CSA prison, only 20 known covers.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

- 3108 ☒ **Camp Sorghum, Columbia, S.C.**, two incoming covers to prisoners in Charleston, both were later transferred to Camp Sorghum, Columbia, S.C. due to the outbreak of Yellow Fever in Charleston, first is 3¢ entire to “Capt. Saml. H. Pilsbury 5th Maine Vols Prisoner of War Charleston S.C.”, endorsed at upper left “Care Genl Foster Port Royal S.C.”, postmarked light “Lewiston, Me Oct 20 1864” double circle postmark, 2nd cover is franked with U.S. **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by grid on cover to (barely legible) “Capt. D.W. Mullin 101st Pa Inf. Prisoner of War, Charleston, S.C.”, additional “Via Hilton Head” at lower right, postmarked “Poland, O. Nov 1” cds, both covers with Confederate manuscript censor, “Ex^d HHR” (Capt. Hugh Hamilton Rogers, Provost Marshal’s Office in Charleston), some light wear, **F-V.F.**
 Estimate \$400 - 600

Unlike many Southern prisons, Camp Sorghum was not enclosed by a stockade. The move was so abrupt that there was no time to prepare the camp properly. Lacking a fence and guarded by a force of young boys and older men, security was insufficient, allowing hundreds of prisoners to escape.

On October 7th, approximately 1,200 prisoners were marched two miles along Augusta Road, across the Saluda River, to their new camp. The outbreak of yellow fever in Charleston achieved what Union General Foster had attempted but failed to do by placing 600 hostages on Morris Island: it led to the removal of Federal prisoners from the city.



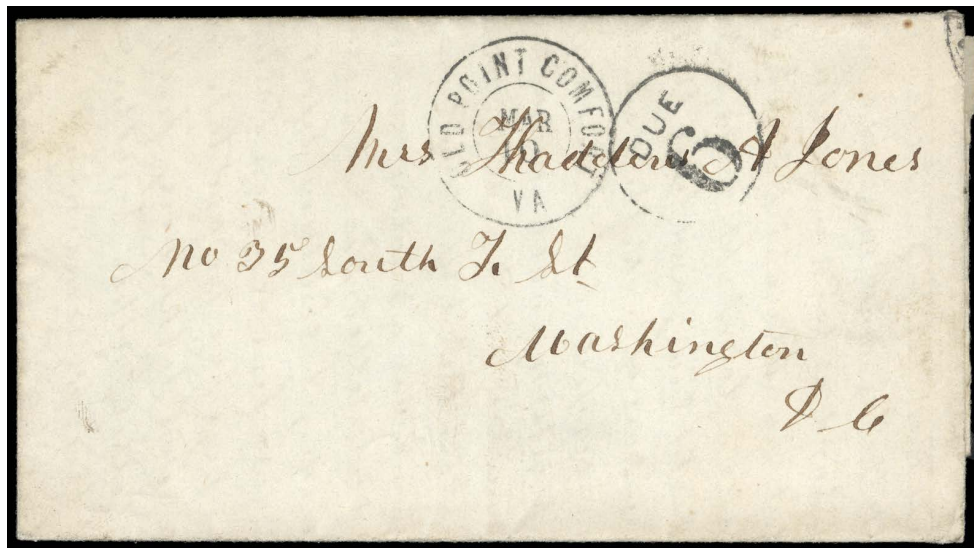
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3109  **Castle Thunder, Richmond, Va.**, folded letter datelined "Room No. 10 Castle Thunder, Richmond March 4th 1864" to Washington, D.C., postmarked "Old Point Comfort, Va. Mar 4" double circle with "Due 6" handstamp in circle, **Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

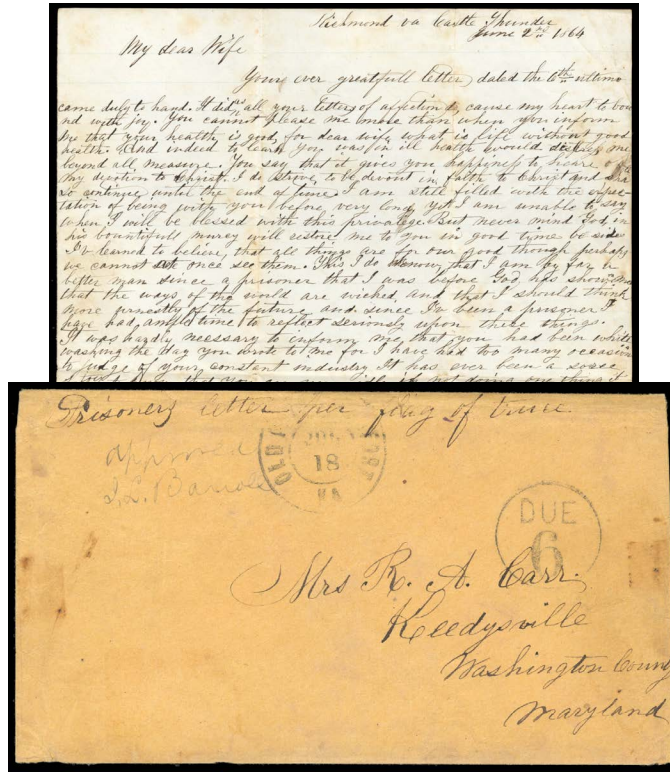
A VERY RARE USAGE FROM CASTLE THUNDER WITH ONLY 11 COVERS RECORDED FROM THIS CAMP, ESPECIALLY CONTAINING THE FULL LETTER.

Letter from Thaddeus A. Jones, a northern sympathizer, to his wife sending a long list of needs, including clothing, writing materials and soap. Directing her to send them "plainly to Room No. 10." Also included is an 1867 letter of recommendation for Thaddeus Jones from the Late President of the White Sulphur Springs Co. giving high praise and includes, "He was arrested during the war while attempting to remove to the North & was imprisoned a long time."

Castle Thunder opened in August 1862. Generally thought of as one building, Castle Thunder was actually a three-building complex. Greaner's Tobacco Warehouse and attached to either side were Palmer's Factory and Whitlock's Warehouse.

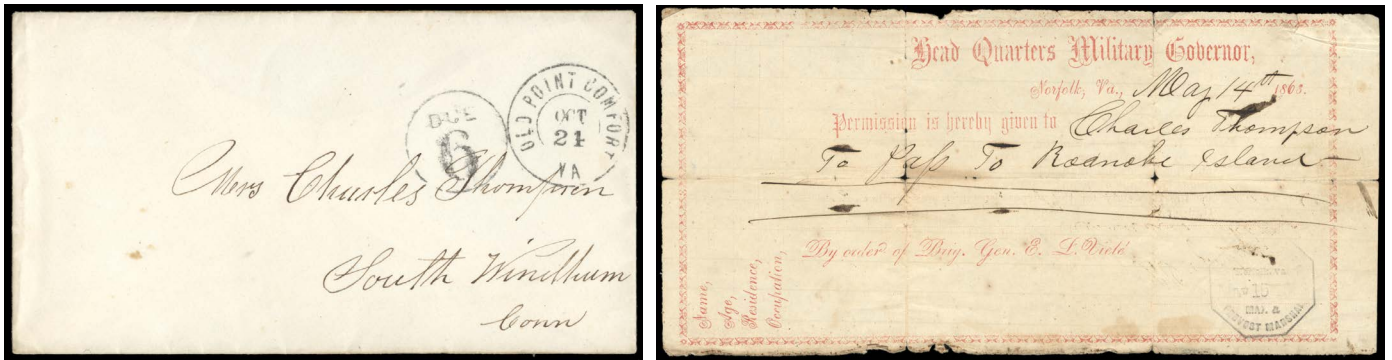
Captain George W. Alexander was in charge. When the war ended in 1865, there was public outcry at the treatment of Union prisoners held at Castle Thunder. In order to escape potential imprisonment, Alexander fled to Canada and then later returned in the 1870s.

In the beginning prisoners were segregated by type. Greaner's held Confederate deserters and disloyal citizens. Whitlock's held blacks and women. Federal deserters were placed in Palmer's Factory. As the war wore on and prison congestion became even more acute, these lines would blur.



- 3110 ☒ **Castle Thunder, Richmond, Va.,** cover with letter dated “Richmond, Va., Castle Thunder, June 2nd 1864”, addressed to his wife in Maryland, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Jun 2” double circle with “Due 6” in circle (penalty for civilian unpaid mail), manuscript “Prisoners letter per flag of truce” and faint censor’s “approved J.L. Barrow” (a clerk in Gen. Winder’s office), some light edge wear, **Very Fine**, Similar cover from same correspondence pictured in the *Antrim* book.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

Cover and letter from William Carr, a civilian hostage, who was captured as Confederate troops retreated from Gettysburg. Lengthy letter with religious content, “This I do know, that I am by far a better man since a prisoner that I was before God has shown me that the ways of the world are wicked.” and signed “William Carr, Room No. 10”.

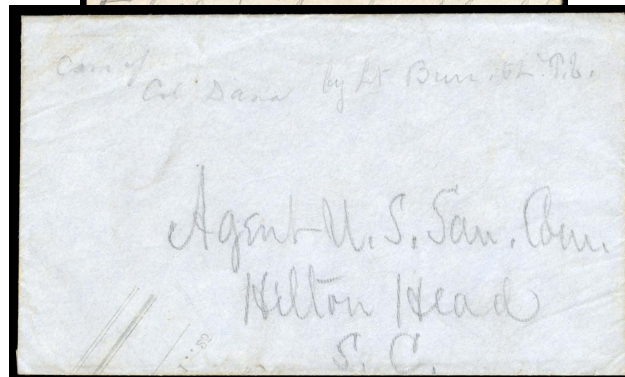
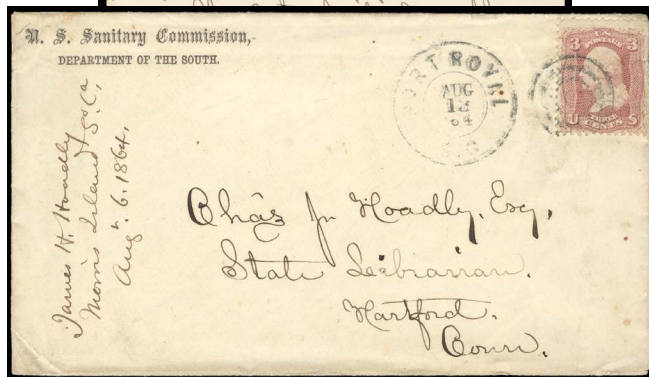
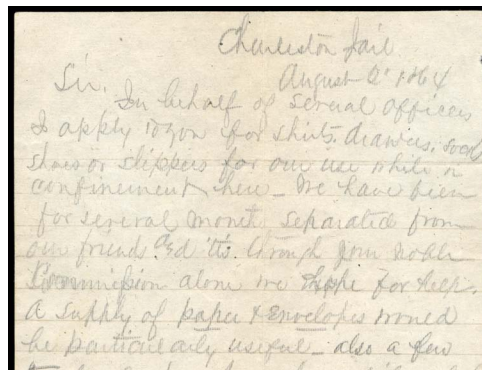
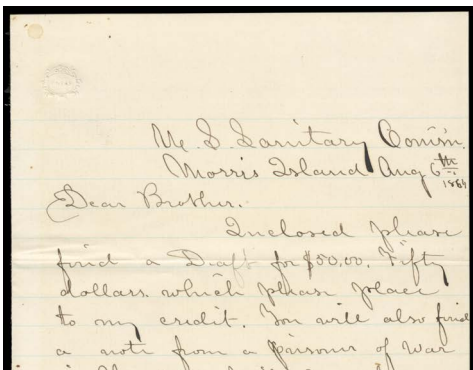


- 3111 ☒ **Castle Thunder, Richmond, Va.,** prisoner of war cover to Windham, Conn from a civilian hostage (Charles Thompson) interned at Castle Thunder, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Oct 24” double circle with “Due 6” in circle, included is printed **Provost Marshal’s civilian pass** through the lines from the Military Governor at Norfolk, Va., datelined “Norfolk, Va. May 14th, 1863”, cover is exceptionally clean and attractive, pass folded and slightly rough around the edges, **Very Fine and rare, one of only 11 covers recorded by Harrison.**
 Estimate \$500 - 750

Thompson sent the Union “Pass to Roanoke Island” to his wife in the prisoner of war cover as a souvenir which he was carrying when he was captured on the **mail steamer** to Roanoke Island, signed by Thompson swearing he will “give no aid, comfort, nor information to enemies of the United States Government”.



3112 ☒ **Castle Thunder, Richmond, Va.**, inner cover to Hopkinsville Ky., censored with manuscript “Ex. Jno. L. Eustis A.D.C.”, who was a clerk in the Richmond War Office, franked with **three singles of 1861 1¢ Blue** (63), stamps defective, cancelled with segmented cork, one tied by “Old Point Comfort, Va. Apr. 18” double circle postmark cover with some minor wear, **F.-V.F.**, inner P.O.W. covers going to the North are almost always franked with a 3¢ rose or stampless with a due marking, *ex-Walske*.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



3113 ☒ **City Jail, Charleston, S.C.**, adversity cover with enclosure, made from printed form from Capt. H.P. Cooke, pencil addressed to “**Agent U.S. Sanitary Commission, Hilton Head, S.C.**” with faint pencil endorsement “Care Col. (E.L.) Dana by Lt Burr”, no postage was required as this as handled by the Flag of Truce boat, *Illustrated on page 45, “Prisoners’ Mail From The American Civil War” by Galen Harrison*.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

A PARTICULARLY INTERESTING ITEM TO THE UNITED STATES SANITARY COMMISSION AND ONE OF ONLY 8 RECORDED COVERS FROM THIS RARE PRISON.

Original enclosure datelined “Charleston Jail, August 2, 1864” appealing for clothing & supplies and reads in part “A supply of paper & envelopes would be particularly useful... Any other article which you think would serve to help us out (of) our miserable existence here would be thankfully rec’d. We hope upon our release to be able to return you all favors which may be shown us.” and is signed, “In behalf of six officers”,

Additionally included is 1864 cover with “U.S. Sanitary Commission, Department of the South” corner card imprint, franked with 1861 3¢ with “Port Royal, S.C. August 13, ‘64” double circle postmark, sent by James Hoadly, Sanitary Commissioner, Morris Island to his brother, the “State Librarian, Hartford, Conn.”, original enclosure datelined “U.S. Sanitary Commission, Morris Island, August 6, 1864” reads in part, “You will also find a note from a Prisoner of War in Charleston Jail maybe you would like to save it. I have not been able to obtain any Rebel papers lately, but when I do will save them for you.”

The earliest recorded example of a “collected” POW cover.

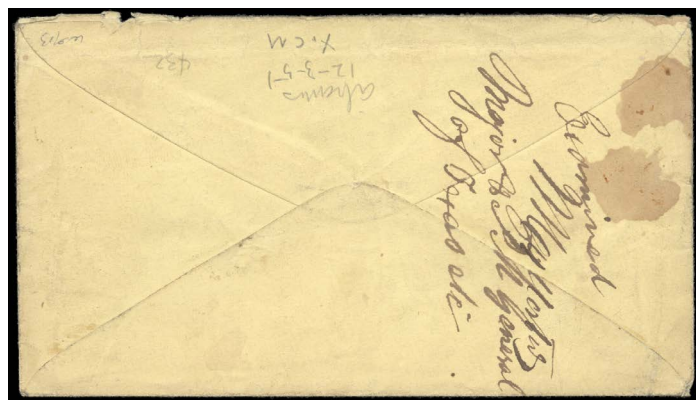
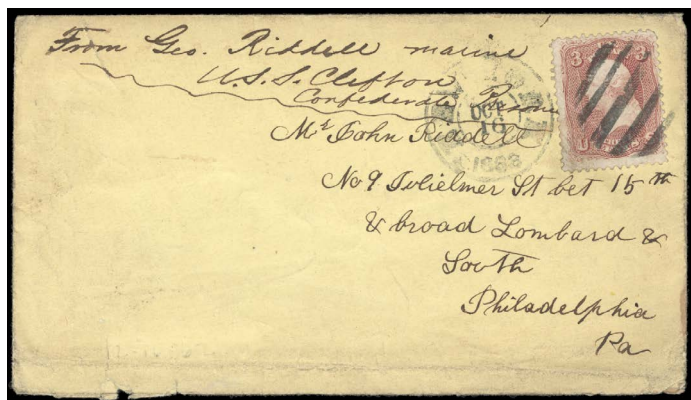


3114 ☒ **City Jail, Charleston, S.C. “Turned” Cover**, first usage addressed to “Hiram Eddy, Prisoner of War, Charleston, South Carolina”, entering Confederate mails with blue “Norfolk, Va. Dec. 12 1861” double circle postmark and matching small “Paid 5C.” in circle, cover turned and sent back to his wife in West Winston, Conn., manuscript endorsed “Rev. H. Eddy, Prisoner of War, Charleston S.C.”, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Jan 6” double circle with matching “Due 3” straight line handstamp, small pencil “Exd” marking at top left and “Sold. letter vHerrmann USA” at upper right, couple of tiny sealed edge tears, missing one flap, **still Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

THIS IS THE EARLIEST KNOWN POW USAGE FROM ANY SOUTHERN PRISON OUTSIDE RICHMOND AND ONE OF ONLY 8 RECORDED FROM THIS PRISON.

Docketed on reverse “Charleston Jail, Dec. 17, 1861, No.7”.

The Only Known Prisoner of War Cover from a United States Marine.



3115 ☒ **Court House Prison, Houston, Tex.**, manuscript endorsement “From Geo. Riddell Marine, U.S.S. Clifton, Confederate Prisoner” across top of yellow cover to Philadelphia, Pa., franked with **United States 1861 3¢ Rose (65)** tied by large 5 bar grid with “New York, Oct. 16, 1863” double circle postmark alongside manuscript Censor’s “Examined W. Hyllested, Major & P.M. General of Texas etc.” on backflap, usual small edge flaws, **Very Fine**.
 Scott No. **65** Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

AN OUTSTANDING USAGE FROM A U.S. MARINE POW IMPRISONED IN TEXAS, PICTURED IN HARRISON’S BOOK, “PRISONERS MAIL FROM THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR” ON PAGE 65.

Pvt. George Riddell was captured Sept. 8, 1863 at the Battle of Sabine Pass aboard the **U.S.S. Clifton**. He was confined in the Old Court House at Houston, Tex.

His letter dated Sept. 11, 1863 was delivered by Flag of Truce to the **U.S.S. Cayuga**. Included is a photocopy of this letter from Riddell, that was submitted as part of his claim for a disability pension which was filed following the war.



3116 ☒

Deaf and Dumb Asylum, Staunton, Va., letter datelined "Staunton Hospital, Va. July 4th, 1864" from prisoner Wm. Grumbein, Asst Surg, 20th Pa. Cav., with original cover that was entrusted to a mother of a wounded rebel soldier and entered the mail with blue double circle "Baltimore, Md. Jul 16 64" postmark with matching "Due 3" in circle, manuscript "Soldiers Letter" at upper right, small corner piece out upper right (trivial), **otherwise Very Fine, Illustrated on page 104, "Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War" by Galen Harrison.**

Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

THIS IS THE ONLY KNOWN ITEM FROM THE MAKE SHIFT PRISON AND A GREAT HISTORIC ITEM.

The Deaf and Dumb Asylum was a second temporary facility which was utilized in Staunton in the form of a hospital for approximately 300 Federal wounded moved there following the "Battle of Piedmont" on June 5, 1864.

A Union surgeon, William Grumbein, himself a prisoner, was in charge from June to September of 1864. Grumbein was paroled to the limits of the town and thus was able to procure supplies for the men in the hospital. This letter from him was carried out by the mother of a wounded Confederate soldier, also in his care. In gratitude for caring for her son, the woman took Grumbein's letter to Martinsburg (West Virginia) to be mailed.

A large part of the letter includes, "It is one hour to sundown on the glorious 4th of July. I am a prisoner paroled but still in the hands of the enemy and must in all likelihood remain here a few months longer ... I left Martinsburg on 1 June and marched to Piedmont upwards of 100 miles in 4 1/2 days. Come up with Gen. Hunters Army on the 5th participated in the battle. We had about 100 killed & 500 wounded the next day. I and Dr. Owens were left in charge of the wounded at the field hospital. And the army moved on victorious to Staunton... My God! I thought I had seen work before in my life, but I never had, for two days & nights, my labors was incessant. I never thought of laying down to sleep. Most of the men lay out all night in the open air and in the scorching sun, I made shelter tents for them for temporary protection, and then worked there in the houses and barns. Took boards and laid them on the fences. While I was thus busily engaged, a squad of Rebels came and took everything I had... The morning after the battle about a dozen men, lay stiff in death and about as many more during that day. Oh, what misery! May I never see it again. Self was entirely forgotten... The battle was on Sunday, on Tuesday afternoon 34 ambulances came to fetch for Staunton. We loaded about 200 some here, fetched more afterwards and some still remain there under a few Rebel surgeons... When our army left Staunton, they left me in charge of 300 wounded men in the Deaf and Dumb Asylum. Work! Work!! and nothing but work. I sent all to Charlottesville except 125. We are all in the Confederate hands. Where our army is I do not know. 13 men have died for me. One will die tonight and perhaps five or six more. I cut off many an arm and leg for the last month... The rebels are not as near whipped as you at home think, they are the fight like tigers. I have got lice, bedbugs and the itch. Mrs. Brown from Winchester has a son in the rebel service wounded here, she will take this letter to Martinsburg for me."

Sender says send letter "By Flag of Truce" unsealed and direct them to "Wm. Grumbein, Asst Surg., 20th Pa. Cav., In Charge of Wounded Federals, Staunton, Va."



- 3117 ☒ **Fair Grounds, Charleston S.C. (Also Known as the “Race Track”)**, adversity cover made from “Chambers & White” shipping form addressed from Cpl. Daniel Webster Sheets to his sister in Dayton, Ohio, faint manuscript “Via Flag of Truce” and censor’s “Exd” at the Provost Marshal’s Office in Charleston, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by partial Port Royal, S.C. double circle postmark, additionally endorsed “Care of Dr. A. Sheets” at bottom left, **Very Fine, ex-Galen Harrison**.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED EXAMPLE OF A COVER FROM THE FAIR GROUNDS PRISON.

Fair Grounds, often called the “Race Track,” was the site of a stockade constructed on the former Fair Grounds property. In September 1864, around 5,000 prisoners were transferred here from Andersonville. The prisoners had access to a hospital located at one corner of the grounds, and the Sisters of Mercy played a vital role in providing food and clothing. Diary entries from inmates commend the sisters for their unwavering attention to their needs. The facility was commanded by Colonel John F. Iverson of the 5th Georgia Volunteers. Robert H. Kellogg noted in his diary that prisoners were removed on October 8th due to a yellow fever outbreak in Charleston.



- 3118 ☒ **Flag of Truce Boat, The New York**, Parole Camp, cover from Capt. Zabdiel Boyleston Adams 56th Regt. Mass. (Colored) Vols. addressed to “Lieut. L.M. Lipp, Adjutant -or the Commanding Officer 56th Regt. Mass Vols., 1st Division 9th A.C., Army before Petersburg, Va.”, included is original letter with manuscript “**On board Yankee Flag of Truce Boat**” on printed letterhead, “Office Assistant Agent for Exchange of Prisoners” dated “Fort Monroe, Va. Sept. 2nd 1864”, cover franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by segmented cork with Old Point Comfort, Va. Sep 3 (1864) double circle postmark alongside, wonderful Civil War letter stating in part, “*Behold me at length after numerous dangers sufferings and trials, released from Hell, i.e. Confederate Hospitals and Prisons, and under the dear old flag. My first thought is about my regiment. I wrote you once from within the rebel lines but have received no answer.*”, **Very Fine and rare, Only 2 known, Illustrated on page 241, “Prisoners’ Mail From The American Civil War” by Galen Harrison**.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

ACCORDING TO HARRISON THIS IS ONE OF ONLY TWO RECORDED USAGES - A WONDERFUL AND HISTORIC ITEM.

Written on board the Flag of Truce boat, the “New York”, a small side-wheel steamer which was used extensively on the James River to transport prisoners both to and from the exchange point. On the trip from Aiken’s landing back up to Fort Monroe or Annapolis, the released prisoners were in effect aboard a floating parole camp. The “New York” also carried mail to be exchanged. Not only was mail carried aboard the steamer, but in some cases mail was generated aboard the vessel. Proof of this is a letter headed “On Board Yankee Flag of Truce Boat Sep. 2 1864”.

Captain Zabdiel Boyleston Adams, 56th Mass. Volunteers (Colored), had that day been released from Libby Prison. Understandably bitter at this point, he wrote, “I have suffered much, but shall fight until I am killed or utterly disabled, I owe the rebels a long debt of wrongs, injuries and cruelties inflicted on our men”. He was released on parole and was on his way to Annapolis, Md.



3119 ☒ **Florence Stockade, Florence, S.C.**, cover from Sgt. James Gilmore, Co. A, 101st Pa. Inf., a prisoner in Florence Stockade to family member at home in Williamsport, Penn., “Via Flag of Truce” manuscript notation at top, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Dec 10” double circle with “Due 6” in circle (penalty applied for not stating “Prisoners Letter”), included is photocopy of father’s letter to his congressman detailing his son’s escape, light cover fold, **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

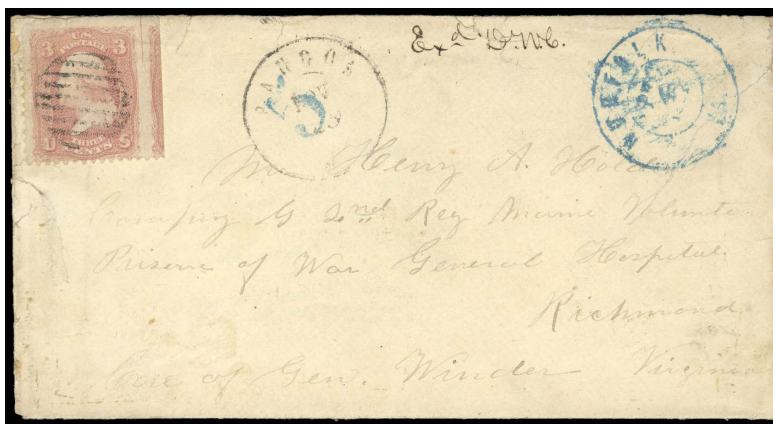
A VERY RARE PRISONER OF WAR COVER WITH ONLY EIGHT COVERS RECORDED.

Gilmore escaped from the camp hospital on Oct. 4th and was twice recaptured before reaching New Bern, N.C.

Florence was built primarily to ease the crowded facility at Andersonville. On September 17, 1864, some 6,000 prisoners arrived from Charleston. At the time of their arrival, the stockade walls were less than half finished, and these first prisoners were guarded in an open field. By mid-October 1864 over 12,000 prisoners were here. The guard force was made up of about 150 militiamen, mostly old men and young boys. Many were unarmed, those that were, were armed with single or double barrel shotguns.

The death rate at Florence was high, largely due to the physical condition in which the majority of prisoners here arrived. Most came here after several months in Andersonville. The Federal government sent clothing, shoes, and hats to the prisoners though a flag of truce. A great deal of suffering was caused by a lack of medical supplies, cooking utensils, and fresh vegetables. Additionally the prisoners had no shelter except what they could provide themselves. As they had at Andersonville, many built shebangs or burrowed into the ground.

General Hospital Prison



3120 ☒ **General Hospital #1, Richmond, Va.**, cover addressed to “Mr. Henry A Holden, Company G, 2nd Reg. Maine Vol., Prisoner of War, General Hospital, Richmond Va.”, additional manuscript notation “Care of Gen. Winder”, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, perf faults) straddle margin single, with centrally struck grid, postmarked “Bangor, Me. Nov 23” double circle, cover entered the Confederate mails with **blue “Norfolk, Va. Dec 4, 1861” double circle postmark** and matching “5” rate marking, manuscript “Exd D.W.C.” at Fortress Monroe (De Witt Clinton, A.D.C.), cover with some sealed tears, **Very Fine appearance**.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

ONLY 9 KNOWN AND A VERY RARE EARLY PRISONER OF WAR COVER.

Severely wounded prisoners were cared for at what was usually called the General Hospital. This was General Hospital Number 1, the former City Alms House. Prisoners whose wounds were not so serious were treated at Ligons Warehouse.

Large numbers of the Federal wounded from First Manassas were treated here. Dr. Charles Bell Gibson was in charge. He was assisted in treating wounded prisoners by Union surgeons who had also been captured at Manassas.



- 3121 ☒ **General Hospital #1, Richmond, Va.**, folded letter with content to Brooklyn, N.Y., datelined “Richmond Aug. 22, 61”, manuscript “Soldiers Letter” and blue manuscript “3”, postmarked “Washington, D.C. Sep 1 1861” cds, letter states, “*You no doubt will be much pleased to hear I still live, although I suppose you have given me up as dead long ago at the Battle of Manassas. I was shot through the leg and unable to run away, the consequence was I was taken Prisoner. I am now confined in the General Hospital Richmond. very well treated, plenty to eat and nothing to do. We get the paper every day, taking all things in consideration I rather prefer being a Prisoner, than a soldier in the field.*”, and ends with, “*I hope these few lines will reach you and if so I wish you would write, direct General Hospital Richmond (care) Gen Winder, Per Adams Express*”, some re-enforced (hinges) splits along folds, **Very Fine, a wonderful item with excellent content**, Illustrated on page 89, “Prisoners’ Mail From The American Civil War” by Galen Harrison.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

A VERY EARLY SOUTH TO NORTH PRISONER OF WAR USAGE FROM PVT. ALFRED COPLEY TO HIS PARENTS - ONLY 9 KNOWN.

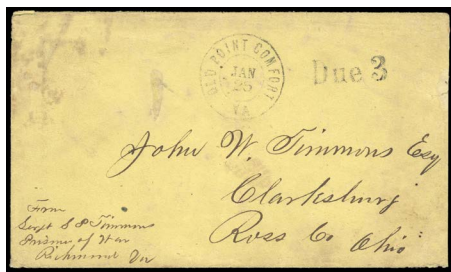
- 3122 ☒ **General Hospital #21, Richmond Va.**, cover from Sergt S.P. Timmons, Prisoner housed in General Hospital #21, to his father in Clarksburg, Ohio, manuscript endorsement “From Sergt S.P. Timmons, Prisoner of War, Richmond Va.” at lower left, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Jan 25” (1864) double circle with “Due 3” straight line handstamp, minor staining at top left, **still Very Fine and a rare Prisoner of War cover**.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

Sgt. Timmons, 1st Ohio Inf. died Sept 16 and Andersonville of ulcers. The letters written by Timmons are housed in the Duke University Library.

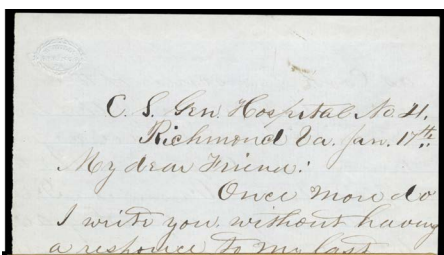


- 3123 ☒ **General Hospital #21, Richmond, Va.**, cover from Asst. Surgeon Josiah L. Brown, 116th Ohio Inf. to his wife, “Mrs. Mary Brown, Green Spring, Ohio”, on printed “Sanitary Commission” envelope (manuscript obliterates “Sanitary”), franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, defective) cancelled with grid and postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Aug 8” double circle at left, manuscript endorsement at left “Prisoners Letter” and pencil censor’s initials “JL” (Lt. John Latouche, Adjutant) at right, **F-VF, An outstanding prisoner of war cover of which there are only five recorded**.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

Brown must have had stamps in his possession when captured, albeit damaged ones. The stamp on this cover is the mate to the damaged stamp used from the same correspondence from the prison in Winchester.



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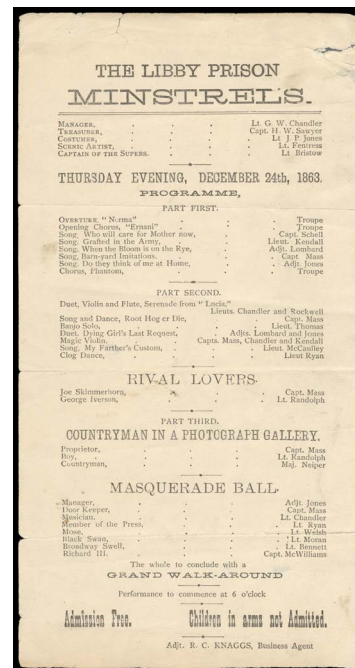
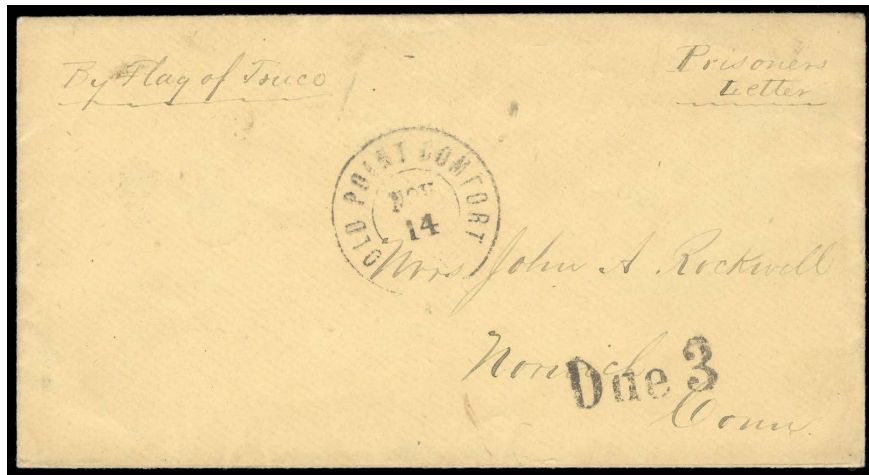


- 3124 ☒ **General Hospital #21, Richmond, Va.,** “Via Fortress Monroe per Flag of truce, Prisoner of War letter” manuscript endorsement across top of cover to Phillipsburg, N.J., postmarked Old Point Comfort, Va. Mar. 9 old style cds with bold “Due 3” straight line handstamp, included is original letter datelined “Ward B, General Hospital, No. 21, Richmond, Va., Feby 15th 1864” from Pvt. Abraham J. Palmer, Co. D, New York Inf., **Very Fine and a rare Prisoner of War cover, Illustrated on page 90, “Prisoners’ Mail From The American Civil War” by Galen Harrison.**
 Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3125 ☒ **General Hospital #21, Richmond, Va.,** cover with original letter datelined “C.S. Gen. Hospital #21, Richmond, Va. Jan 17th”, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by bold segmented cork cancel & “Old Point Comfort, Va. Feb 9” double circle postmark, addressed to East Craftsbury, Vt., then forwarded to Hinsdale, N.H. with “East Craftsbury Vt. Feb. 23 1861” forwarding postmark, faint manuscript “Forwarded Due 3 cts”, cover roughly opened at right, letter stating “I have as good times as a captive could expect, but a Prison is a prison though Paved with Gold.”, signed by “(Sgt.) Wm. B. Stevens (Co. E 4th Vt. Inf.) Prisoner of War, C.S.A.”, **Fine and rare.**
 Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3126 ☒ **General Hospital #21, Richmond, Va.,** prisoner of war cover from Lt. Joseph P. Rockwell, 18th Conn. Inf. to Mrs. John Rockwell, to Norwich, Conn., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied with target cancel with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Jul 4” double circle postmark alongside, manuscript “Ex J.M.H.” (John M. Higgins, a clerk at the CSA War office) censor’s initials, **Very Fine and rare.**
 Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3127 ☒ **General Hospital #21, Richmond, Va.,** cover and letter from Cpl. Gideon Draper Smith, 1st West Va. Cav (Union), “Due 6” in circle (“Due 6” rather than “Due 3” as the prisoner did not endorse as POW) on cover to Illinois, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Mar 10” double circle postmark, included is original letter datelined “Richmond, Va. Feb. 24, 1864” stating “I am still a prisoner of war. I am in tolerable good health and in good spirits. I am in hopes that there will be an exchange soon.”, Cpl. Smith died a few days later, minor corner wear, **Very Fine and a rare Prisoner of War cover.**
 Estimate \$400 - 600

- 3128 ☒ **General Hospital #21, Richmond, Va.**, cover from Caleb Coplin, Prisoner housed in General Hospital #21, manuscript endorsement “By Flag of Truce Boat via Fortress Monroe” cover to Rushville, Ohio, franked with **United States 1861 3¢ Rose** (65), tied by segmented cork and “Old Point Comfort, Va. Feb. 1” (1864) double circle postmark, small bit of corner replaced at bottom right, **otherwise Very Fine**, only 5 covers are recorded from this prison. Estimate \$300 - 400

Coplin was wounded and captured at Chicamauga and treated at Hospital #21 in Richmond. Coplin was the first man shot and killed in the “Deadline” in Andersonville Prison on April 10, 1864. Inside Andersonville Prison, about 19 feet from the wall, was the “deadline”, which was intended to prevent prisoners from climbing over the stockade or from tunneling under it.

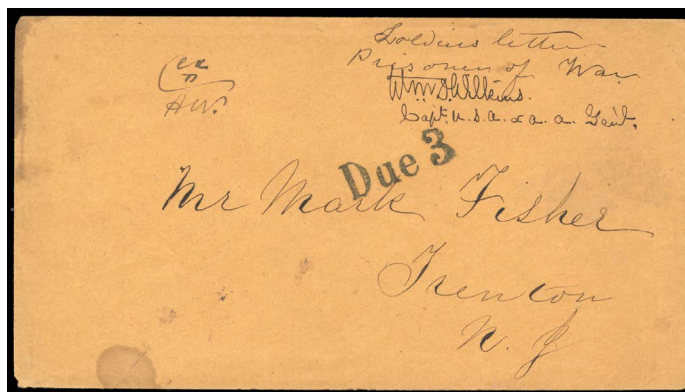
Libby Prison



- 3129 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.**, immaculate cover with manuscript “By Flag of Truce” and “Prisoner’s Letter” notations at top to Norwich, Conn., postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Nov. 14” double circle with “Due 3” straight line handstamp, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$750 - 1,000

AN OUTSTANDING PRISONER OF WAR POSTAL HISTORY ITEM FOR THE SPECIALIST.

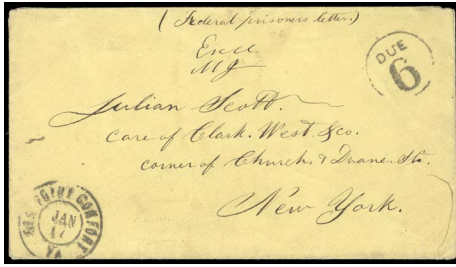
The cover is sent from Lieut. Rockwell to his Mother in Connecticut with original printed enclosure “The Libby Prison Minstrels” playbill showing the lighter side of prison life. The playbill is dated Christmas Eve, “Thursday Evening, December 24th, 1863” and sender appears on playbill for a Violin and Flute Duet. (Lt. Rockwell).



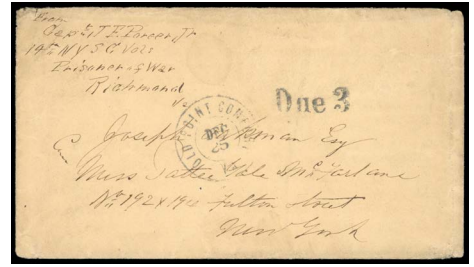
- 3130 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.**, manuscript notation “Soldiers letter Prisoner of War” and manuscript endorsed by another prisoner “Wm. D. Wilkins Capt U.S.A. & A.A. Genl”, bold “Due 3” straightline on cover to Trenton, N.J., additional “Exd HW.” (Henry Wirz, later commanding Andersonville Prison), **Very Fine**, Illustrated on page 92 of “Prisoners’ Mail From The American Civil War” by Galen Harrison; signed Brian Green. Estimate \$500 - 750

After the war, Wirz was tried and executed for conspiracy and murder relating to his command of Andersonville; this made him the highest-ranking soldier and only officer of the Confederate Army to be sentenced to death for crimes during their service.

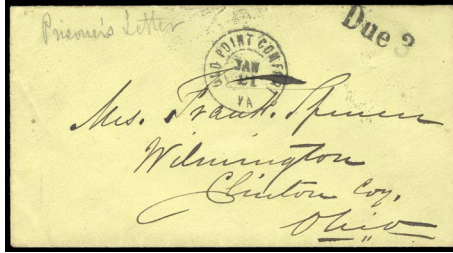
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Libby Prison Richmond, Va
My dear Brother
April 23/64
News of march is at hand I was glad to hear of you all being well I am at present tolerable well.
We all thought that we would have been released so this but it is a mystery to us that we are not released the weather is getting pretty warm and



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3131 Libby Prison, Richmond, Va., choice cover with overall illustrated advertising on reverse (musical school), franked with U.S.A. 1861 1¢ blue (63, 2 singles) + 3¢ rose (65) on cover addressed to P.O.W. "Lieut. John T. Meaginnis, Libby House, Richmond, Va.", all tied by target cancels with "Salem, Ct. Jul. 20" cds, manuscript "Exd. F.R.K." examiner's endorsement, stamps with minor perf flaws, **Very Fine and attractive**, an unusual 5¢ franking which was often confused with the 5¢ ship rate.
Estimate \$500 - 750

Cover from Lieut. Meaginnis' wife, Elizabeth, who was a music teacher at Music Vale Seminary and Normal Academy of Music.

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- 3132 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va., two nearly identical covers from Pvt. Lucian Scott, 1st Vt. Cavalry**, one to his brother in New York city, other to his father in Johnson, Vt., each with "(Federal Prisoners letter)" manuscript notation at top, additional manuscript "Exd Mg" (Lt. M.H. Gibbs) censors initials, both with "Due 6" in circle and "Old Point Comfort, Va." double circle postmark's, one dated "Jan. 17", other dated "Jan. 18", **Very Fine and a lovely pair**.
Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3133 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va., exceptionally attractive pair of covers** from Lt. Frank Spencer, 17th Ohio Inf., addressed to his wife in Wilmington, Ohio, one pencil endorsed "Prisoner's Letter" and with handstamp "Due 3" straight line with "Old Point Comfort, Va Jan 21" double circle postmark; other cover nearly identical with handstamp "Due 6" in circle (his failure to endorse as "Prisoners Letter" caused a rate for civilian unpaid letter), postmarked "Old Point Comfort, Va. Feb 1" double circle, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$400 - 600
- Lt. Spencer was cited for gallantry at the battle of Chickamauga, where he was captured.*
- 3134 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.,** manuscript notations "Officers Letter Prisoner of War" and "Per Flag of Truce, via Fortress Monroe" on tiny ladies cover to Philadelphia, postmarked "Old Point Comfort, Va. May 10" double circle with complete "Due 3" handstamp, included is original enclosure datelined "Libby Prison, Richmond, Va. April 25, '64", which mentions, *mystery that we have not been released and that the weather is getting warm and if we are not released soon certainly some disease will break out among us.*, **Very Fine and choice, Believed to be the smallest known prisoner of war cover, Illustrated on page 94 of "Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War" by Galen Harrison.**
Estimate \$300 - 400
- 3135 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.,** prisoner of war cover with manuscript endorsement "From Capt John F. Porter Jr., 14th N.Y. SC Vols, Prisoner of War Richmond, Va." at top on cover to New York City, bold "Due 3" straight line with Old Point Comfort, Va. Dec. 25 double circle postmark, minor corner wear, **still Very Fine**.
Estimate \$300 - 400
- On Jan. 29th, Porter escaped by putting on a Confederate uniform and boldly walking out the door. He was hidden by Elizabeth Van Hew until he could make his way to the Union lines.*
- 3136 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.,** small ladies cover addressed to "C.T. Simperts, Asst. Sgn, 6th Reg. Md. Vols., Libby Prison Richmond Va., Via Fortress Monroe", endorsed "Per Flag of Truce" at lower left, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by "North East, Md. Aug 23" (1863) cds, manuscript "Exd E.N.S." (Edward N. Strong at Fortress Monroe), **Very Fine**, Seldom seen usage of a small ladies cover to a POW, *Illustrated on page 93 "Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War" by Galen Harrison.*
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 3137 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.,** cover with **original letter enclosed** dated "*Libby Prison Richmond, Va. April 22, 1864*", cover franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, tiny tear) tied by segmented cork on to St. Louis with blue crayon "Chattanooga" routing instruction, postmarked "Old Point Comfort, Va. May 2" (1864) double circle, diagonal cover fold across part of top, **Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- Contents of letter include "I received the box you sent me 10 days ago for which you have my warmest thanks".*
- 3138 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.,** two covers from Asst. Surgeon Josiah L. Brown to his wife, addressed to "Mrs. Mary Brown, Green Spring, Ohio", first is cover from franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied "Winchester, Va. Apr. 21, 1861" cds prior to his capture, and second cover franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by "Old Point Comfort, Va. Jul. 16" double circle with somewhat light but discernable **manuscript censor endorsement "Exd T.P.T. Capt, C.S.A."** (Capt Turner was Commander at Libby Prison), **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 3139 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.,** manuscript notation "Libby Prison Richmond Va., Apr 25 1864, L.C. Bisbee" on cover to Canton Mills, Maine, postmarked "Old Point Comfort, Va. May 10" double circle with complete "Due 3" handstamp, light edge soiling (trivial), **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 3140 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.,** cover to "Charles Thompson, a Prisoner in Libby Prison, Richmond, Va." sent by his wife, no postal markings, manuscript "Sets enclosed" (to pay postage) and "Exd E.N.S." (Edward N. Strong, at Fortress Monroe) censor marking, some minor wear, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- Charles Thompson was a civilian prisoner who was captured on May 14th on the mail boat to Roanoke Island and held in Libby Prison. Manuscript notations on back with accounting of monies borrowed by five of his cellmates, three being members of 18th Conn. Inf. Thompson was originally from Conn.*
- 3141 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.,** folded letter written in pencil datelined "Richmond Va. April the 2nd, 1862" from Pvt. Jacob Shoalf, 20th Ind. Inf. to his uncle in Cardington, Ohio, complete "Due 3" straightline, manuscript "Sold. letter Maj. Okerrmann USA" notation, at bottom is "from a Prisoner of War" notation, vert. file fold, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- Interesting letter with content talking of prisoners and health.*
- 3142 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.,** extremely attractive cover addressed to "Brig. Gen. Joseph Hayes, Libby Prison" with additional manuscript endorsement "Care Commissioners of Exchange, Fortress Monroe, Va.", franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with cancelled by complete "Paid" straightline with "Old Point Comfort, Va. Sep 15, 1864" double circle postmark at left, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- Brig. Gen. Hayes was captured at Weldon Railroad on Aug. 19, 1864 "whilst in the faithful and diligent discharge of his duties." This was an inner envelope which was left unsealed to facilitate examination by censor.*



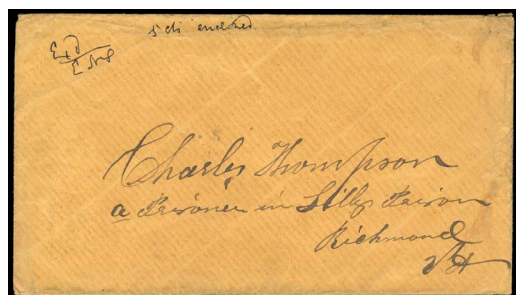
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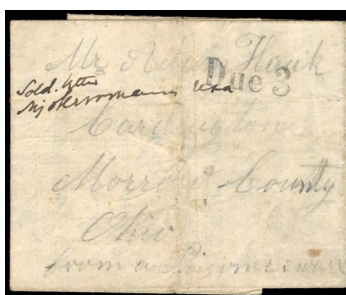
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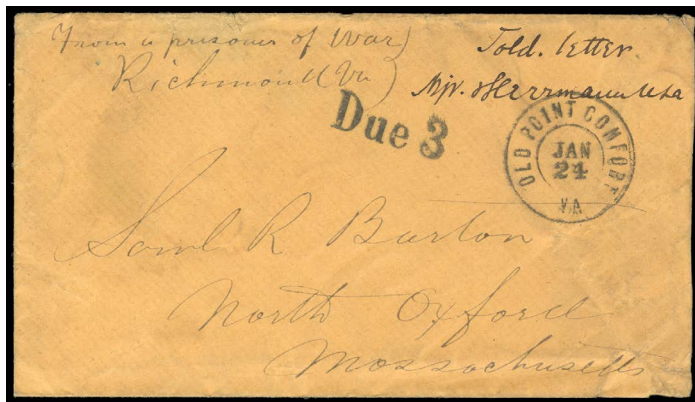
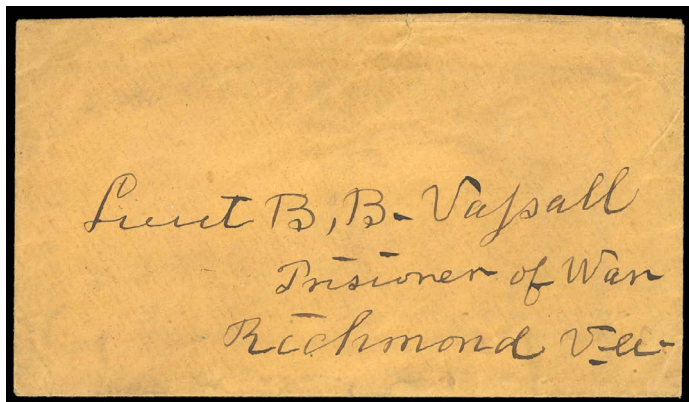
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- 3143 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.**, attractive cover from a prisoner of war addressed to Capt. McGinnis, 18th Conn. Regt., Salem, New London, Conn., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by segmented cork cancel with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Jun 4” (1864) double circle postmark alongside, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$100 - 150
- This was an inner envelope which was left unsealed to facilitate examination by censor. McGinnis never received letter as he was killed at Piedmont, Va. on June 5, 1864.*
- 3144 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.**, cover addressed to “Lt. W. Glazier, Prisoner of War, Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.”, franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied open grid cancel with “Troy, N.Y. Dec. 19, 1863” double circle postmark at right, some light edge soiling, **F-V.F**. Estimate \$100 - 150
- Glazier wrote “The Capture, The Prison Pen and The Escape” in which he describes a hole in the floor which food and other articles were dropped to the captured Dahlgren Raiders below.*
- 3145 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.**, “By flag of truce, Prisoner’s letter” manuscript notation across top of unsealed cover to New York City, postmarked bold “Due 3” handstamp and matching “Old Point Comfort, Va. May 8” double circle, **Very Fine and choice**. Estimate \$100 - 150
- 3146 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.**, ladies size cover addressed to “Capt. F.R. Mason, Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.”, franked with unused Confederate States of America 1863 10¢ blue (12), old stamp album page stuck on reverse of cover, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$100 - 150
- Capt. F.R. Mason, 12th Ohio Cavalry was a prisoner from Dec. 28, 1864 to Feb. 22, 1865. After the war he was appointed to a diplomatic post in Paris.*
- 3147 ☒ **Libby Prison, Richmond, Va.**, neat cover from Lt. Frank Spencer, 17th Ohio Inf. and addressed to his wife, franked with two halves of 1861, 3¢ rose (65) used as postal fraud, tied by segmented cancel with Old Point Comfort, Va. Dec. 24 double circle postmark at left, apparently the is at least one other cover from this correspondence with a similar franking used to defraud the Post Office, **Very Fine**. Estimate \$100 - 150



- 3148 ☒ **Ligon's Prison (Tobacco Warehouse), Richmond, Va.**, fantastic turned cover with first usage franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65)** on cover addressed to "Horace L. Niles, Company A, 1st California Regiment, Prisoner of War, Richmond Va.", adhesive cancelled by fancy star and postmarked "Williamsburgh, Mass. Nov. 20" cds, cover entered CSA mail and struck with blue "**Norfolk, Va. Nov 30**" double circle postmark with matching "**Paid 5**" in circle paying the CSA rate, **cover then turned, re-used and forwarded**, sent to Niles family member in Springfield, Mass., via Old Point Comfort with "Old Point Comfort, Va Jan 7" double circle postmark and "Due 3" straight line, endorsed "Sold. letter Maj. von Herrmann U.S.A." at Fort Monroe by Maj. Charles von Herrmann, upon arrival the cover is forwarded to Williamsburgh with straight line "Forwarded" straight line handstamp, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose (65, straight edge)** with manuscript cancel and affixed over "Due 3" handstamp, tied by "Springfield, MS Jan 11" double circle postmark to pay forwarding postage, some re-enforced edge splits, **still Very Fine, Illustrated on page 97, "Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War" by Galen Harrison.**
 Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT COVERS FROM LIGON'S WAREHOUSE AND A UNIQUE USAGE FROM A CIVIL WAR PRISONER OF WAR.



- 3149 ☒ **Ligon's Prison (Tobacco Warehouse), Richmond, Va.**, two covers from same correspondence, first is incoming cover (no markings) and probably hand carried to "Lieut. B.B. Vassall, Prisoner of War Richmond, Va.", a prisoner held at Ligon's Warehouse, included is original letter (interesting contents) datelined "Bartonsville, N.C. Dec 31, 1861" from Lt. Vassell's uncle, Stephen Barton (CSA Postmaster at Bartonsville), upon receipt of letter, the prisoner wrote on the reverse, a note to his cousin in North Oxford, Mass., "You can write directly to your father, confining yourself to one page common letter paper and private matters", the letter is then enclosed in second cover with manuscript endorsement "From a Prisoner of War, Richmond Va" and postmarked "Old Point Comfort, Va. Jan 24" double circle and bold "Due 3" straight line, endorsed "Sold. letter Maj. von Herrmann U.S.A." at Fort Monroe by Maj. Charles von Herrmann, **Very Fine**, a very interesting usage.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

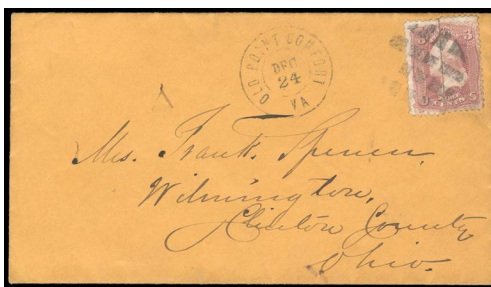
Lt. Vassall was a nephew of American Red Cross founder Clara Barton and was captured at Ball's Bluff (Leesburg) on October 21, 1861.

- 3150 ☒ **Ligon's Prison (Tobacco Warehouse), Richmond, Va.**, small blue folded letter from Pvt. Thomas Delap Smith, 1st R.I. Inf., a POW in Ligon's Warehouse, with manuscript endorsement "Soldiers Letter, Ft. Monroe Oct 1, Wm. P Jones, Major USA" vertically at left to Roxbury, Mass, datelined "Richmond, Va. Sept 19th 1861", postmarked 34mm "Old Point Comfort, Va. Oct. 2" cds with "Due 3" straight line handstamp, minor edge splits, **Very Fine**, Only 37 known, this being one of the most attractive.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

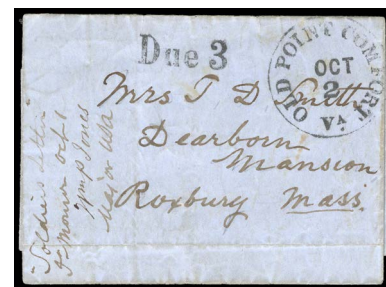
- 3151 ☒ **Ligon's Prison (Tobacco Warehouse), Richmond, Va.**, neat cover from Capt. Clark S. Simonds, 15th Mass. Inf., a POW in Ligon's Warehouse, to his daughter in Danvers, Mass., manuscript endorsement "Sold. Letter Maj. vHerrmann USA" endorsement at upper right, additional manuscript "Prisoner of War, Richmond, Va," at bottom left, postmarked "Old Point Comfort, Va. Jan 24" double circle with matching "Due 3" straight line postmark, **Very Fine**, Only 37 known.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



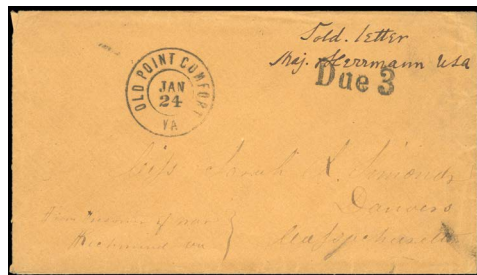
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Mayo's Warehouse Prison, Richmond, Va., cover addressed to "Pvt. Joseph Sullivan, Co. A 15th Mass Infantry, Washington, D.C.", sent by his sister, who not knowing his location addressed this to him in Washington with manuscript notation "Please forward" at lower left, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, small faults), cancelled by open grid with "South Walpole, Mass Nov 25" cds at left, original enclosure includes content, "The names of the killed and wounded were in the paper after the Battle of Ball's Bluff... I have read in the papers that letters have been sent to other prisoners... I send my message not knowing whether it will reach you or not.", cover with defect at top left, **Very Fine**, only known cover.

Estimate \$750 - 1,000

Located on the corner of 25th & Cary Streets, this facility opened October 25, 1861 to accept a portion of the Ball's Bluff prisoners, some reports say as many as 500. In early December, a number of prisoners were moved from here to Taylor's Warehouse. At the end of March 1862, the building ceased operations as a prison. Later, however, the building was used as General Hospital #21, which would become the largest prison hospital in the city.



- 3153 ☒ **Pemberton Prison, Richmond, Va.,** manuscript “by flag of truce Boat Prisoner of War” endorsement on small folded letter (with contents) from Clark C. Knowlton, 5th N.Y. Cav, to his father in Elton, N.Y., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by segmented cork with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Mar 24” double circle postmark at right, **Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

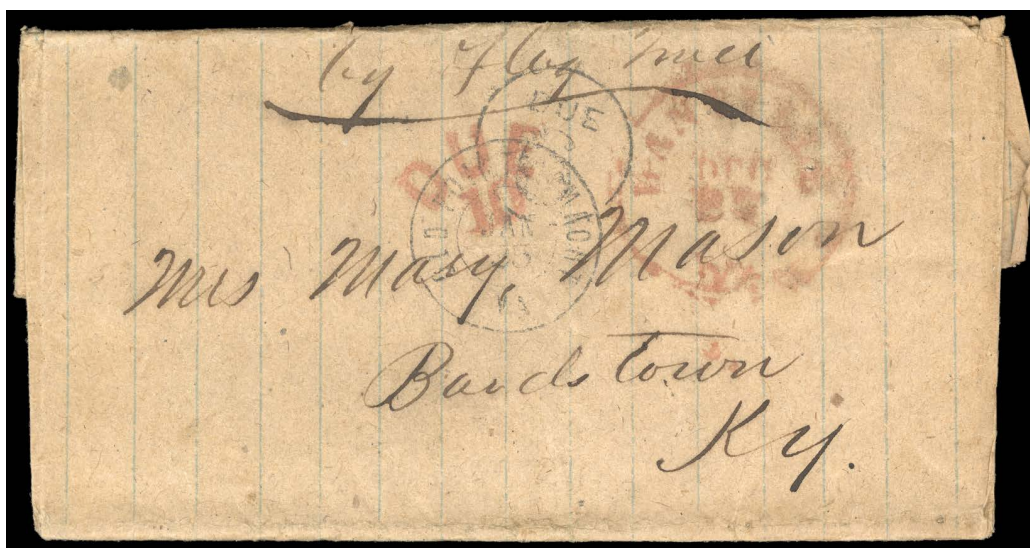
ONE OF ONLY THREE PRISONER OF WAR COVERS RECORDED BY HARRISON HELD IN PEMBERTON PRISON.

Clark C. Knowlton and Pvt. Isaac Newton Jones (see Lot 3154) both men were captured members of Dahlgren Raiders and held in the Pemberton Building.

John Ransom’s diary described how they were marched to Richmond and quartered on the third floor of Pemberton’s prison, “not 30 rods from the Libby building”.

- 3154 ☒ **Pemberton Prison, Richmond, Va.,** prisoner’s cover from Pvt. Isaac Newton Jones, Co. A., 5th Mich Cav. to his wife at Richmond, Mich., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by target with “Old Point Comfort Va Oct 30” double circle postmark at right, **Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$500 - 750

ONE OF ONLY THREE PRISONER OF WAR COVERS RECORDED BY HARRISON HELD IN PEMBERTON PRISON.



- 3155 ☒ **Prison Hospital, Danville, Va.,** folded letter A.E. Mason, Saddler 6th Ky Cav to his wife in Bardstown Ky., manuscript “by FlagTruce” across top, postmarked red “Danville, Va. Dec 27” (1863) cds and matching arc “Due 10”, exchanged with black “Old Point Comfort, Va. Jan 26” double circle postmark and “Due 6” in circle, contents include “Dear Wife, This being the first Christmas that I have been absent from home I suppose you all miss me and think Cris Kringle has not paid his wonted visit to the family hearth... But the day will come when an exchange of prisoners will take place.”, **Very Fine.**
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

AN IMPORTANT RARITY AS THIS IS THE ONLY RECORDED PRISONER OF WAR COVER FROM THE DANVILLE PRISON HOSPITAL.

The prison in Danville consisted of six tobacco warehouses plus a hospital. All were located in the center of town and as usual were most unpopular with local inhabitants. The Danville prisons were used from November 1863 through the end of the war.

At a distance of about six blocks from Building #6 was located the prison hospital. Although few medicines were available in the South, due to the blockade, at least during cold weather, prisoners in the hospital had heat. Bunks were also provided for sick patients, whereas almost all the other prisoners slept on the bare floor. The hospital had been built as a Confederate hospital, but necessity had transformed it into a hospital for the prisoners.

While A.E. Mason, Saddler 6th Ky. Cav, was in Danville Prison Hospital from Dec. 12, 1863 tp Feb. 9. 1864.

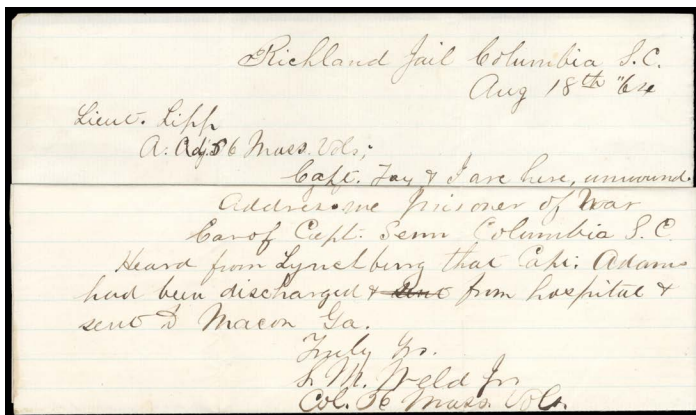
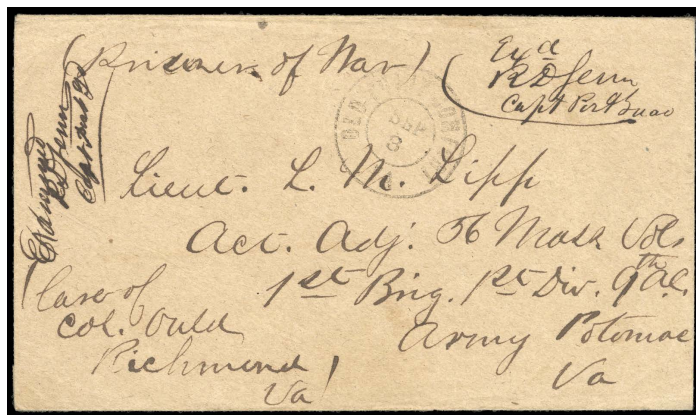
Richland Jail



3156 ☒ **Richland Jail, Columbia, S.C. “Earliest Known Usage”**, prisoner of war cover from Dr. C.C. Gray to Geneva, N.Y., prisoner of war cover from Dr. C.C. Gray to Geneva, N.Y., franked with CSA 1861 5¢ green (1) tied by blue “Columbia, S.C.” cds, manuscript endorsement “From Dr. C.C. Gray USA, Prisoner of War, Columbia S.C.”, additional endorsed “Prison Letter Maj vHerrmann USA” at top, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Feb 4” double circle with “Due 3” straight line, Confederate censor’s “Ex^d by WS” (Capt. Wm. Shiver, Jail Commander) pencil marking, adhesive partially torn away (most probably caused by censors attempt to remove), ex-Antrim and pictured in his book, “Civil War Prisons and Their Covers” on pg. 130.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

AN IMPORTANT PRISONER OF WAR RARITY WHICH G. HARRISON RECORDS AS THE EARLIEST KNOWN COVER FROM RICHLAND JAIL.

Antrim writes in his book, “From a prisoner in Columbia, S.C. early in the war, January 27, 1862. Only four prisoners’ covers are known used with the 5¢ green lithographed stamp. The Yankees tried to tear off the “Rebel” stamp; this was quite often done in the early part of the war.”.



3157 ☒ **Richland Jail, Columbia S.C.**, prisoner of war cover to from prisoner of war Col. Stephen M. Weld, 56th Mass. (Colored) Vols. to “Lieut. Lipp, Act. Adj. 56 Mass. Vol., 1st Brig. 1st Div. 9th A.C. Army Potomac, Va.”, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Sep. 8” double circle, bold manuscript Confederate censor “Ex^d R.D. Senn, Capt Post Guard.” marking at top and then again at left, cover with additional manuscript endorsements “Prisoner of War” (at top left) and “Care of Col. Ould, Richmond, Va.”, no indication of any rate markings, included is original enclosure datelined “Richland Jail, Columbia, S.C., Aug. 18th, ‘64”, letter with interesting wartime content, **Very Fine and choice**, Illustrated on page 57, “Prisoners’ Mail From The American Civil War” by Galen Harrison.
 Estimate \$500 - 750

Richland Jail served as the main county jail for Richland County, located near downtown Columbia. This three-story brick building was the first prison established in the city. Unfortunately, it, like much of Columbia, was destroyed by fire when Sherman’s army entered in February 1865. The jail had been in use for prisoners as early as January 1, 1862, under the command of Captain Shiver. Initially, inmates were treated fairly well, sometimes attending lodge meetings or dining at fine restaurants. However, this changed when Captain Rufus D. Senn took charge of the Columbia prisons, adopting a much more businesslike approach. By the time Sherman arrived in Columbia on February 17, 1865, the jail was still operational, as indicated by Sherman’s official report referencing “the officers who had long been imprisoned there and rescued by us.”.

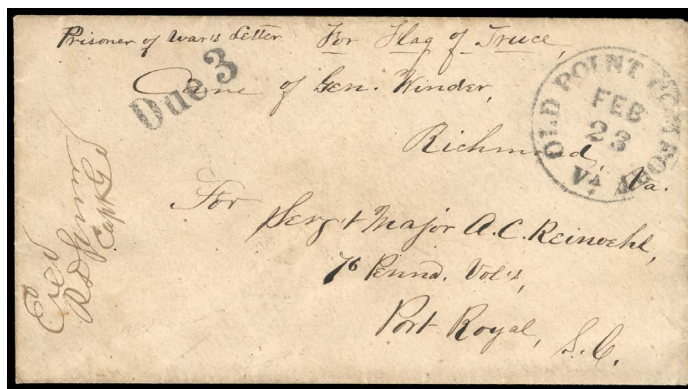


- 3158 ☒ **Richland Jail, Columbia S.C.**, cover from prisoner of war Col. Stephen M. Weld, 56th Mass. (Colored) Vols. to his father in Jamaica Plain, Mass., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by segmented cork cancel with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Sep 26” double circle postmark, bold manuscript Confederate censor “Exam^d R.D. Senn, Capt Gd.” at left, cover with additional manuscript endorsements “By Flag of Truce” (at top left) and “Kindness Maj. Andersen”, **Very Fine and choice**.
 Estimate \$500 - 750



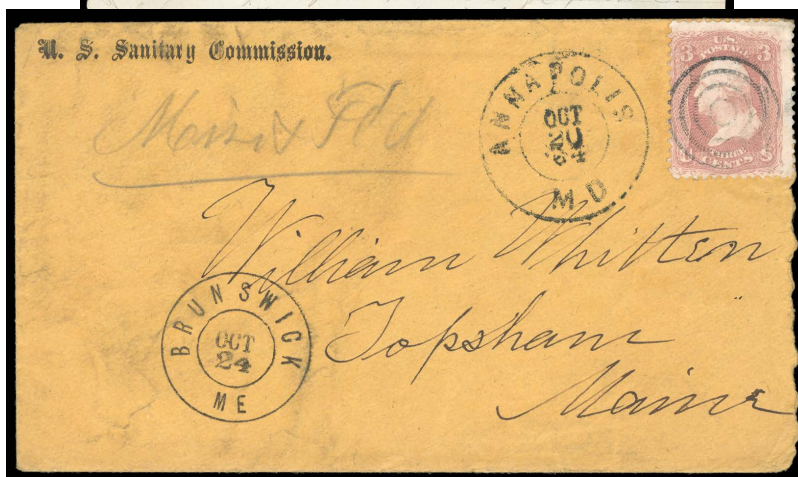
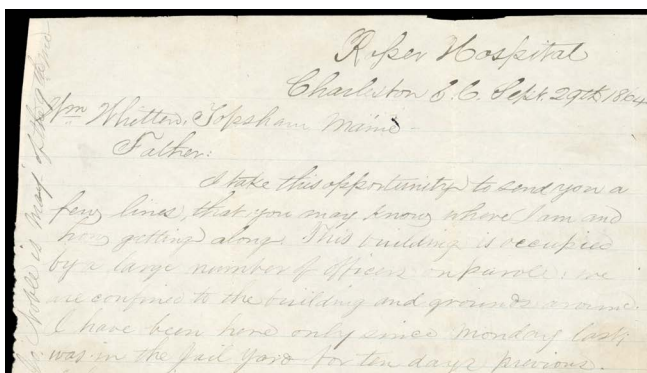
- 3159 ☒ **Richland Jail, Columbia S.C.**, prisoner of war cover to Westminister, Md., franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by segmented cork cancel with “Old Point Comfort, Va. Sept. 14” double circle postmark alongside, bold manuscript Confederate censor “Examined R.D. Senn, Capt Gd.” marking at top with additional manuscript “Politeness of J.H. Fowler” at bottom left, **Very Fine and attractive**, Carried out by J.H. Fowler, who was an exchanged Chaplin.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

- 3160 ☒ **Richland Jail, Columbia S.C.**, prisoner of war cover to Hartford, Vt., manuscript “Soldiers Letter De Witt Clinton A.D.C” endorsement top, a CSA stamp was applied (which was later removed, most probably by censor) and cancelled by blue “Columbia, S.C. Feb 12” cds, pencil CSA censor “Ex^d Capt W.S.” (Capt. William Shiver) with additional penciled “Due 3”, postmarked “Old Point Comfort, Va. Mar 8” double circle with “Due 3” straight line handstamp, additional manuscript “from Prisoner of War Columbia S.C.” at bottom left, couple small hidden faults, **still Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$300 - 400



- 3161 ☒ **Richland Jail, Columbia, S.C.**, prisoner cover to Sgt. Major of the 76th Penna. Vols in Port Royal, S.C., addressed in care of Genl. Winder at Richmond Va., with “Old Point Comfort, Va., Feb 23” 1864 cds and matching “Due 3” rating handstamp, manuscript “Prisoner of War Letter, For Flag of Truce” endorsement at top, manuscript “Exd, R.D. Senn, Comd Gd” examiner’s marking, **Very Fine**, a rare usage from Richland Jail, with 39 cover recorded in Harrison.
 Estimate \$400 - 600

Letter was from Lt. Charles L. Bittinger from Company D of the 76th Pennsylvania Infantry. Bittinger was wounded and captured at Gettysburg and sent to Richland Jail in Columbia, S.C.



- 3162 ☒ **Roper Hospital, Charleston, S.C.**, prisoner of war cover with “U.S. Sanitary Commission” imprint, addressed to Topsham, Me. with original letter datelined “**Roper Hospital Charleston S.C. Sept. 29 1864**”, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, minor flaw) with target cancel and postmarked “Annapolis, Md. Oct. 20 ‘64” double circle postmark, pencil notation “Misst & Fdd” upper left, postmarked “Brunswick, Me Oct 24” double circle as a forwarder, cover a bit ragged at right, **Very Fine**.

Estimate \$750 - 1,000

RARE USE OF A SANITARY COMMISSION COVER FROM A PRISONER OF WAR.

Carried by an exchanged Navy POW and put in the mail at Annapolis, Md. on Oct 22, 1864.

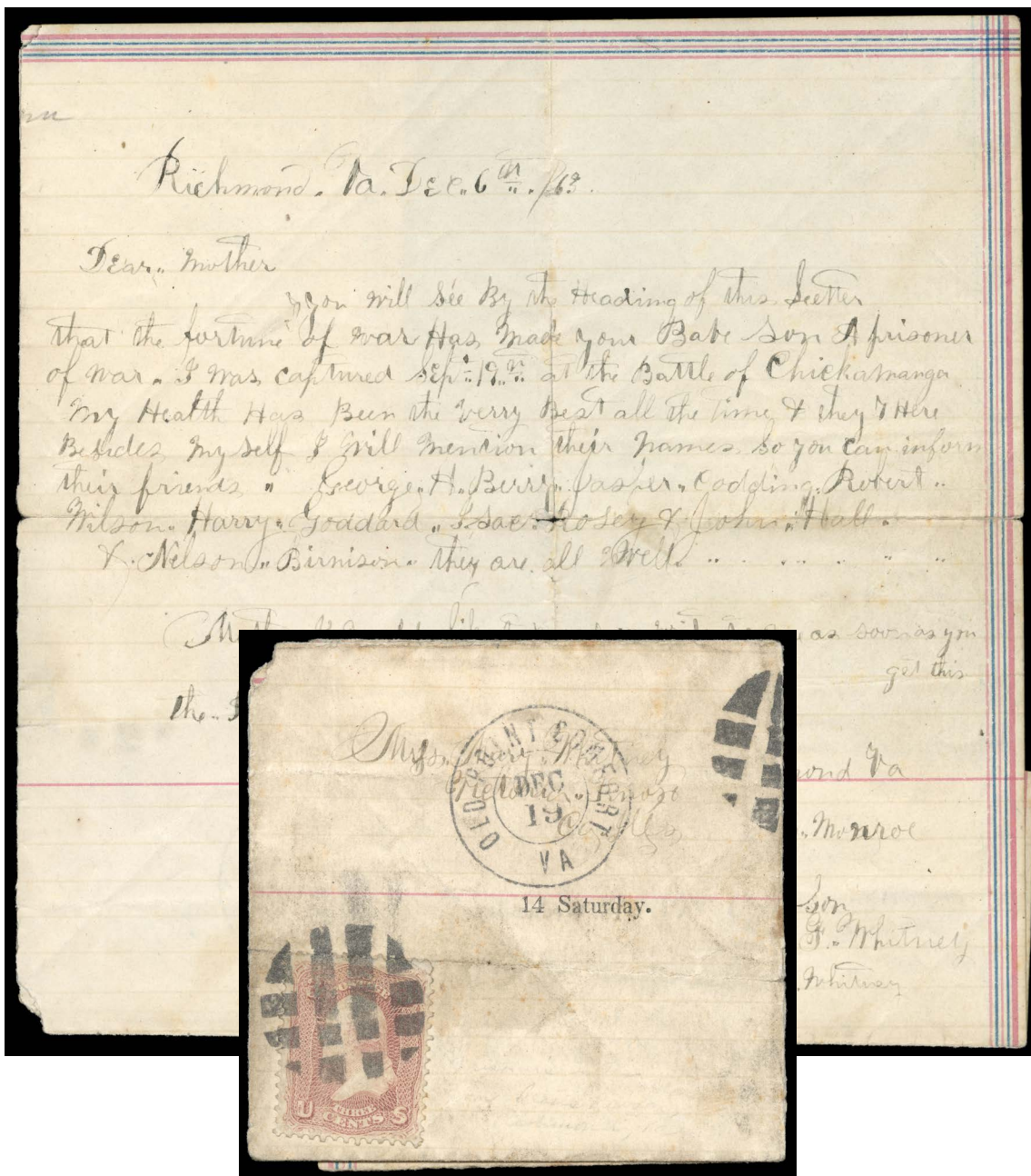
Letter with interesting content, “This building is occupied by a large number of officers on parole, we are confined to the building and grounds around. I have been here only since Monday last, I was in the jail yard for 10 days previous... I gave a man here (a broker, blockade runner or both) a draft on you for twenty dollars in gold, he giving me one hundred dollars in Confederate money. We all acknowledged it to be a swindle but needed the money bad enough to be cheated considerable. There is a rumor tonight that we are to be moved into the country.” The letter goes on requesting clothing and food staples.

- 3163 ☒ **Roper Hospital, Charleston, S.C.**, manuscript “Lieut E.G. Spaulding Prisoner of War Charleston S.C.” endorsement on cover to his wife in Port Huron, Mich., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65), with target cancel with matching “Port Royal, S.C. Sep. 12 ‘64” double circle postmark alongside, manuscript “Ex^d HHR” (CSA censor Capt. Hugh Hamilton Rogers, Provost Marshal’s Office), small corner cover repair upper right affecting stamp & postmark, some cover toning, **Fine**.

Estimate \$200 - 300



View of Roper Hospital



3164 ☒

Scott's Warehouse Prison, Richmond, Va., red, white and blue bordered page taken from diary to make folded letter, addressed to Knox County, Ill., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by segmented cork cancel with "Old Point Comfort, Va. Dec 19" double circle postmark, letter datelined "Richmond, Va, Dec 6th/63", letter ending with sender's return address, "**Scott's Prison, Richmond, Va., By Way of Fortress Monroe**", some trivial file fold separations, **Very Fine**, Illustrated on page 99, "Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War" by Galen Harrison.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

ONLY 2 KNOWN ITEMS AND A WONDERFUL ADVERSITY USAGE.

In the report for November of 1863, over 1,000 prisoners were listed in this facility. Many of these prisoners were taken at the Battle of Chickamauga.

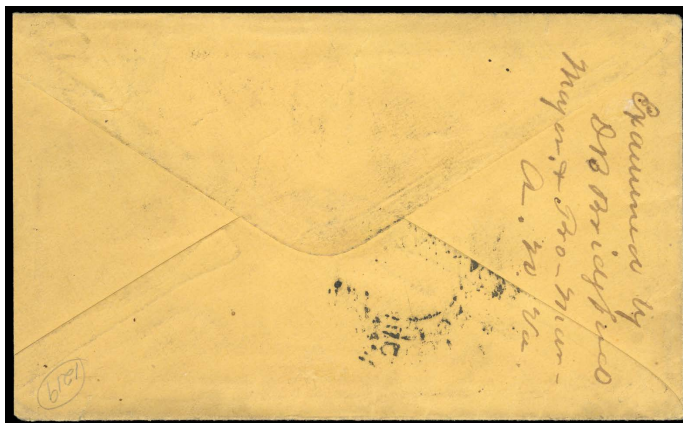
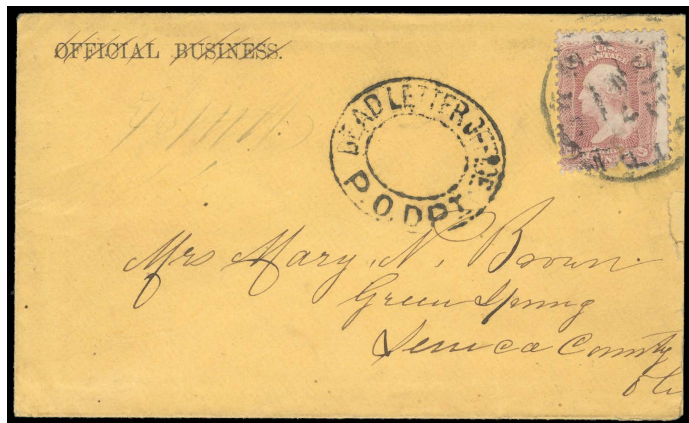
Theodore F. Whitney was one of those unfortunates. Letter to his mother includes the following, "You will see by the heading of this letter (Richmond, Va.) that the fortunes of war has made your Babe Son a prisoner of war. I was captured Sept. 19th at the Battle of Chickamauga" Whitney went on to list several other prisoners he thought his mother would know.



3165 ☒ **Smith's Tobacco Warehouse Prison, Richmond, Va.**, brown wrapping paper (adversity usage) letter datelined "Richmond Virginia Dec 3rd, 1863" hand carried by an exchanged prisoner and entering the mail with a "Due 3" straight line and backstamped "Bellair, O. Dec 15" cds, although not endorsed as POW letter it was recognized as such and passed without penalty, two small black mounting marks on reverse, **Very Fine**, Only 2 known, *Illustrated on page 100, "Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War" by Galen Harrison.*
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

Letter written in pencil by Cpl. David Smith, 2nd Ohio Inf. and datelined "Richmond, Virginia Dec. 2nd, 1863", who writes, "I take my pen in hand to drop you a few lines. I am well and a prisoner in Camp Libby Prison, we are kept in a large brick building... I see no prospect of getting away from here before spring, the Boys are all getting boxes of grub from home... I have no other paper but this and no envelopes." and concludes by giving his address as "Fourth Floor, Smith's Factory Camp, Libby Prison, Richmond Virginia"

Smith's Prison a small warehouse across the street from Scott's Prison and was a part of the Libby Prison complex.



3166 ☒ **Winchester Prison, Winchester Va.**, cover from Asst. Surgeon Josiah L. Brown, 116th Ohio Inf. to his wife, "Mrs. Mary Brown, Green Spring, Ohio", on printed Official Business envelope (manuscript obliterated), franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, defective) tied by "Washington, D.C. Jul. 24" cds, reverse with manuscript "Examined by D.B. Bridgeford, Major & Pro Mar A.N.V." (David B. Bridgeford, P.M. Army of Northern Virginia) with additional "Exd J.M.H." (John M. Higgins, Clerk at the War Dept., Richmond, Va.), rejected at Fortress Monroe and sent to the Dead Letter Office with bold double oval "Dead Letter Office P.O. DP^T" handstamp, reduced at right, **Very Fine**, *Illustrated on page 105, "Prisoners' Mail From The American Civil War" by Galen Harrison.*
 Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000

AN OUTSTANDING USAGE AND A MAJOR RARITY OF WHICH ONLY THREE COVERS ARE RECORDED. THE PRISONERS WERE HELD IN THE LOCAL COURT HOUSE.

This may have been sent to the Dead Letter Office as the Post Office may have thought this was an attempt to re-use a stamp.



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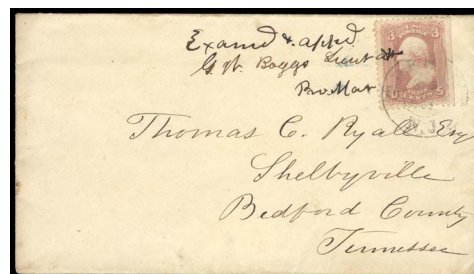
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Ex 3173

Prisoner of War Covers - Northern Prisons

Camp Hoffman Prison

- 3167 ☒ **Camp Hoffman, Point Lookout, Md.**, cover from Confederate Prisoner, Pvt, William P. Berry, Co. K 30th Va. Inf. to Baltimore, Md., franked with U.S. **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied on small cover by target with "Point Lookout, Md. Aug. 24" double circle postmark alongside, manuscript Censor's endorsement, "Major A.G. Brady U.S.A. Point Lookout" (Allen G. Brady) at top, included is original letter datelined "Prisoners Camp Co A 7th Div. Point Lookout. Aug 26/64", letter completely transcribed, parts include "It would not be allowed to receive them (according to orders lately issued)... I have hope of not being sent to another prison...", **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- Wm. Berry enlisted on 5/20/61 as private, promoted to Cpl. on 10/18/61, wounded 9/16/62 (left arm, captured same date), exchanged, captured again (7/21/63), promoted to Sgt. (7/15/63) paroled on 5/1/65.*
- 3168 ☒ **Camp Hoffman, Point Lookout, Md.**, two incoming covers to prisoner of war in Camp Hoffman, first is used from Baltimore on repaired cover with red embossed circular corner card for **Adams Express Company**, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with manuscript examined "L" at the prison, second from New Orleans on 3¢ entire (corner faults) to Prisoner who was captured 5 times throughout the war, interesting manuscript "**Contraband**" endorsement, **Fine**, despite the defects an interesting pair of covers.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 3169 ☒ **Camp Hoffman, Point Lookout, Md.**, small incoming cover addressed to "Mr. James S. Pavy, Prisoner of War, Point Lookout Md.", postmarked blue Bowling Green, Va. cds with trace of CSA stamp which has been removed (as per regulations) at top left leaving gum stain, franked with USA **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by quartered cork cancel with "Old Point Comfort, Va. Jan. 18" double circle postmark at left, manuscript "Ex. M.J." censor marking alongside, red manuscript "Dec. 24/64 Lucie E Frank" to indicate not delivered, blue crayon "P", **Very Fine and unusual**.
 Estimate \$150 - 200
- 3170 ☒ **Camp Hoffman, Point Lookout, Md.**, exceptionally attractive cover with printed "U.S. Christian Commission Soldiers Letter" corner card, addressed to Washington, D.C., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by target with "Point Lookout, Md. Apr 24 1865" double circle postmark alongside, included is original enclosure to his uncle asking for help, interesting reading "*I take this method of informing you that I am a prisoner of war at this point. I was captured at Hache's Run near Petersburg, Va. on the 25 March last and brought to this place....I lost all my clothing when I was captured and am somewhat destitute for necessary things.*", **Very Fine**.
 Estimate \$100 - 150

Point Lookout, Md. Point Lookout prison, officially known as Camp Hoffman, was located at the southern tip of St. Mary's County. Established shortly after the Battle of Gettysburg, it was designed to hold a total of 10,000 prisoners. It consisted of two fenced enclosures, one of ten and one of 23 acres. A plank fence about 15 feet high extended around the enclosure. Officers were kept in a separate enclosure from enlisted men. The prisoners' only shelter consisted of tents.



3171 ☒ **Camp Hoffman, Point Lookout, Md.**, mostly clear strike of “Prisoner’s Letter, Aug 8, 1864, Examined” octagon handstamp (CSA type C, EKU) on cover bearing U.S. 1861, 3¢ rose (65) tied by four-ring cancel duplexed with “Point Lookout Md. Aug 8 ‘64” cds and 1863, 10¢ greenish blue (12c), large margins, tied by “Richmond, Va., Aug 24” cds, addressed to Eagle Falls N.C., endorsed “Via Flag of Truce” at left; some light toning and stains, **Fine and scarce combination use.**
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000

According to Galen Harrison’s book, this is the earliest strike of the “Prisoner’s Letter, Examined” type c handstamp. We offered a second example of this EKU date in our Sale 92, lot 2472.



3172 ☒ **Camp Hoffman, Point Lookout, Md. “Turned Cover”**, outer envelope from prisoner interned in Camp Hoffman, Point Lookout, Md. with the only address “By Flag of Truce via Fortress Monroe, Virginia”, franked with 1861, 3¢ rose (65, defective) tied by target cancel with “Point Lookout, Md. Feb 8” (1864) cds at bottom left, additional large oval “Approved J.N. Patterson Capt. & Provost Marshal, Point Lookout, Md.” censor’s handstamp, **cover turned** and used to Manchester, S.C., franked with CSA 1863-64 10¢ blue (11) tied by Richmond, Va., docketed “M.T. Clarke, May 1864” on inside, **Very Fine, Signed “P.A. Kaufman”** in pencil on backflap.
 Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000

THIS IS THE ONLY ACROSS THE LINES PRISONER OF WAR TURNED COVER.

This outer envelope should have been destroyed but instead it was reused a second time. C.S. Navy Lt. Maxwell T. Clarke commanding the “C.S.S. Roanoke” was assigned to make Flag of Truce runs between Richmond and City Point. Clarke salvaged this envelope that should have been destroyed and used it to write to his sister.



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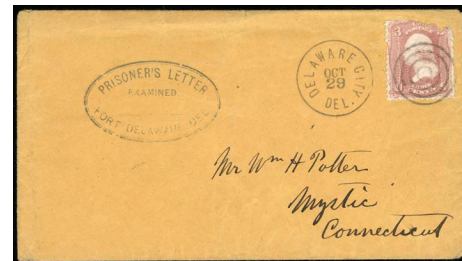
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- 3173 ☒ **Camp Morton, Indianapolis, Ind., two covers** from Pvt. Thomas C. Ryall, Co. F. 41st. Tenn Inf., both to his father in Shelbyville Tenn. and franked with **1861, 3¢ rose**, first with 3¢ with target cancel and partial Indianapolis, Ind double circle postmark, manuscript censor “Examined F.H. Elvin P.M.” (Provost Marshal); notation on reverse showing list of loans to five other prisoners for at total of \$39.50, 2nd cover with 3¢ mailed after **he escaped and was still at large**, tied by indistinct Trenton, N.J. double circle postmark, with manuscript censor “Examined & apprvd G.W. Boggs Lieut. & Prov Mar.” at Shelbyville, **Very Fine**, Provost Marshals regularly examined incoming mail to civilians of questionable loyalty.
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 3174 ☒ **Elmira Prison, Elmira, N.Y.**, prisoner U.S. 1861, 3¢ pink entire (U84) addressed to Ridgeway, S.C., canceled by “Elmira, N.Y., Jan 5” cds, with “Prisoners Letter, Examined, Elmira, N.Y.” oval examiner’s handstamp and manuscript “S. Gladden, Prisoner of War, Elmira N.Y.” endorsement at top, Richmond, Va. cds with matching “Due 10” straight line handstamp; entire with horizontal crease and edge flaws, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 3175 ☒ **Fort Warren, Boston, Mass.**, cover from Dr. Charles Macgill, a political prisoner imprisoned at Fort Warren to his wife in Hagerstown, Md, franked with two single **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, small faults) tied by boxed “Paid” straight lines with red “Boston, Mass Apr. 18” double circle postmark at left, pencil “**Refusal of Parole**” notation indicating Dr. Macgill refused to take the oath of allegiance, some light cover staining, **F.-V.F.**
Estimate \$200 - 300
- 3176 ☒ **Fort Warren, Boston, Mass.**, “Fort Warren No. 66 May 20th 1862” manuscript docketing from Severn Teackle Wallis (a member of Maryland Legislature) illegally arrested on Sept. 12, 1861 and sent to Fort Warren, cover addressed to his daughter in Baltimore, franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65, s.e.) tied by boxed “Paid” straight lines and red “Boston, Mass May 21” double circle postmark, small sealed tear at top, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$100 - 150
Wallis was later released in late November 1862 without charges.
- 3177 ☒ **Johnson’s Island, Sandusky, Ohio**, manuscript “Exd” on cover from Lt. John W. Rogers, 2nd Ky. Mounted Inf. to his father in Brooks Station, Ky., franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) with grid cancel & postmarked “Sandusky, O. Apr. 17 1862” double circle postmark, **Very Fine**.
Estimate \$200 - 300
THIS IS THE EARLIEST REPORTED COVER FROM JOHNSON’S ISLAND, JUST ONE WEEK AFTER THE FIRST PRISONERS ARRIVED.
- 3178 ☒ **Johnson’s Island, Sandusky, Ohio**, “A prisoner of war” manuscript notation across top of cover with “June 6-1862, R.C. Dansbee” (Brevet 2nd Lt. 10th Tenn. Inf.) at left, cover addressed to Camp Chase, Ohio and franked with **1861, 3¢ rose** (65) tied by grid with “Sandusky, O. Jul 8” double circle postmark alongside, light pencil “Exd G.A.R.” (Pvt. Gerald A Ressap, 128th 0. V.I.) censor’s marking next to postmark, some light toning, **otherwise Very Fine**, a rare prison to prison usage.
Estimate \$150 - 200
- 3179 ☒ **Northern Prisoner of War Covers**, group of **seven covers** and **two fronts**; includes **Johnson Island** prisoner cover with oval examiner handstamp and addressed to California, and two incoming cover to prison, **Rock Island** prisoner cover with blue examiner handstamp, Point Lookout flag of truce prisoner cover (stamp torn off) and two cover fronts to prison, **Ft. Delaware** with smuggled prisoner cover (with enclosure) franked with 10¢ blue (11) tied by A.N.V. target handstamp, and cover with oval examiner handstamp, also includes a flag of truce cover posted at Old Point Comfort; some flaws and repairs, **Fine**.
Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3180 ☒ **“Parole Camp, Annapolis, Md”, Unused (Magnus Type Letter Sheet)**, 1864 unused patriotic letter sheet in black “WE. Sachse & Co. Lith. Balt, Md” imprint, some edge irregularities and minor tears, **Fine, still attractive**.
Estimate \$75 - 100

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Goldborough Post Office **STAMPLESS**

Goldborough Postmaster Provisional

August 8, 1863

Explanation of Tax Assessment on value of Foreign Credit or Bill of Exchange

Office of Commissioner of Excess

Wm. R. Lane, Esq.

Richmond, August 1, 1863.

Dear Sir, I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 28th inst., in relation to the above-mentioned matter, and in answer to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration. It is also to be noted that the value of the bill of exchange is not to be assessed on the value of the bill of exchange, but on the value of the goods or other property which it represents. In this respect, the bill of exchange is to be treated as if it were a bill of exchange on goods or other property, and the value of the bill of exchange is to be assessed on the value of the goods or other property which it represents. The amount of the bill of exchange is to be assessed on the value of the goods or other property which it represents, and the value of the bill of exchange is to be assessed on the value of the goods or other property which it represents. Very respectfully, yours, THOMPSON ALLAN, Commissioner of Excess.

Goldborough Post Office **SEM-OFFICIAL IMPRINT**

Confederate States of America
DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Richmond "PAID 5 cts"
General Howell Cobb

General Howell Cobb was the President of the Provisional Confederate Congress 1862-63 and served as a Major General. After the fall of New Bern in March 1862, the Confederate government concentrated multiple units including Cobb's Legion in Goldsboro to protect the vital Wilmington and Weldon RR. Rather than advance toward Goldsboro, Federal forces under General Ambrose Burnside took Ft. Mifflin. His force was then reduced to reinforce General McClellan in Virginia ending any further offensive Federal activity in Eastern North Carolina for several months.

The Confederate Post Office Department produced the only "Official" imprints that had the "Franking Privilege", but numerous other national government departments, state departments, military units, etc. also prepared envelopes for official use. But unlike the envelopes produced by the Confederate Post Office, all of these "official" covers were required to show that postage had been paid. These covers are designated as semi-official. Occasionally, a semi-official envelope would be used privately. If that was the case, the "official use" was struck through. And there are even covers that show a manuscript official business notation.

Goldborough Post Office **STAMPLESS**

Goldborough Postmaster Provisional
with Additional Markings

Handstamp PAID & Manuscript PAID

Handstamp PAID
Forwarded Manuscript DUE and FOR 5

Goldborough Post Office **MILITARY POSTAGE DUE**

After the fall of New Bern - April 1862

Priv. George L. Gordon, Co. I, 14th Regiment NC Troops
Manuscript DUE 5

After the Battle of Goldsborough Bridge - January 1863

Lieut. J. A. Lindsay, Co. K, 45th Regiment NC Troops
Manuscript DUE 10

Stampless Markings **Handstamps "PAID" & large "10"**

Goldborough Post Office **STAMPLESS DESTINATION**

OFFICIAL BUSINESS
Quartermaster's Department
RALEIGH, NC

Raleigh to "Near Goldsboro, NC" (over)
"PAID" MAR 1865

Officer Commanding
Co. B, 50th NC Regiment, Kirkland's Brigade, ANVs

The 50th NC Regiment was organized in 1862. Co. B was mostly manned by Robeson County men. The regiment spent most of the war in North Carolina although it was assigned to the Army of Northern Virginia by H&H in late 1864. It was part of General Cava's, Hasty's Brigade and assigned to Johnston's army.

The Regiment participated in both the battles of Averasboro (16 March) and Bentonville (19-21 March). When the armies separated, the Federals occupied Goldsboro while the Confederates concentrated between Smithfield and Goldsboro. Strathairne continued west of Goldsboro that the Regiment also participated in. Johnston noted that all he could do after Bentonville was "amuse" Sherman. He could not stop him, nevertheless, the depleted force was reorganized. The 50th was assigned to Kirkland's Brigade.

The cover is addressed to the "Captain of Co. B, 50th NC Regiment, near Goldsboro, NC." The COB is snuggled but "Mar" can be read. Since Goldsboro fell to the Federals on 21 March, the CIA post office closed. It was probably mailed from Raleigh the last week of March 1865. This makes the cover to least known Confederate "Destination Goldsborough" of the war.

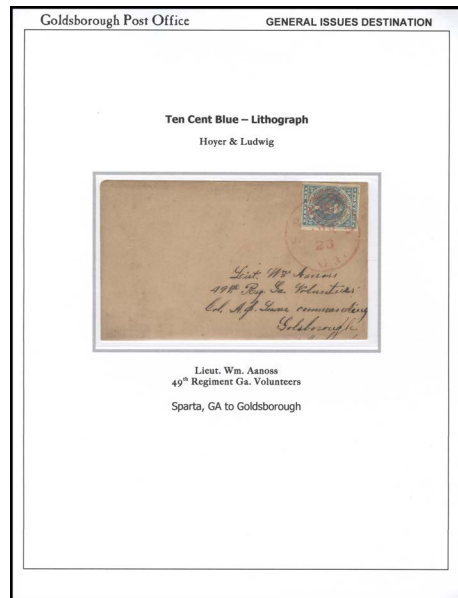
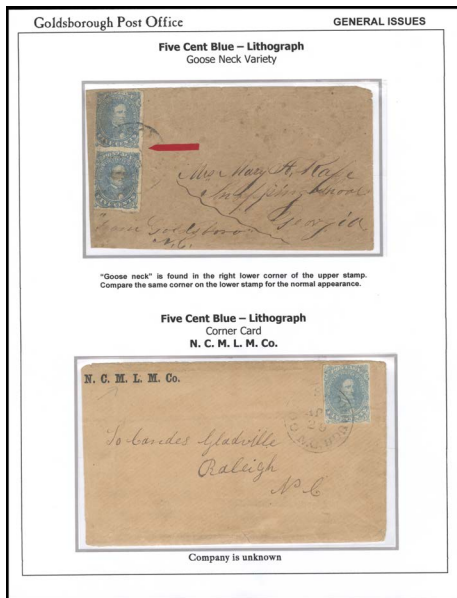
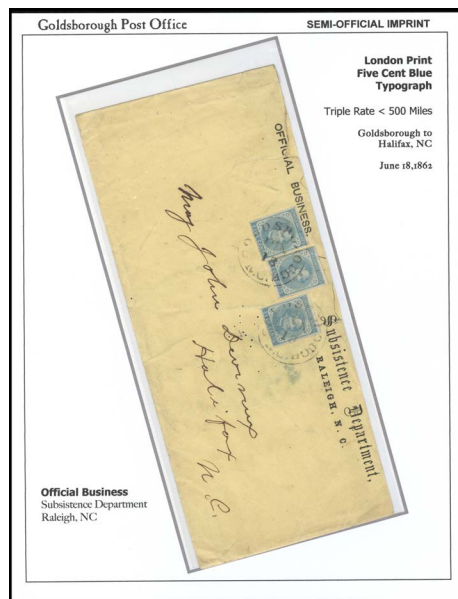
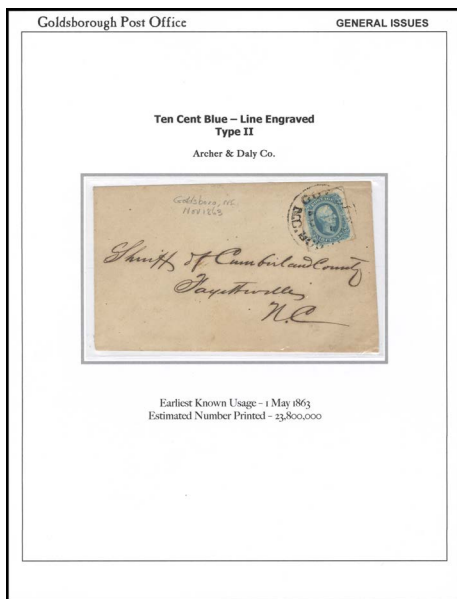
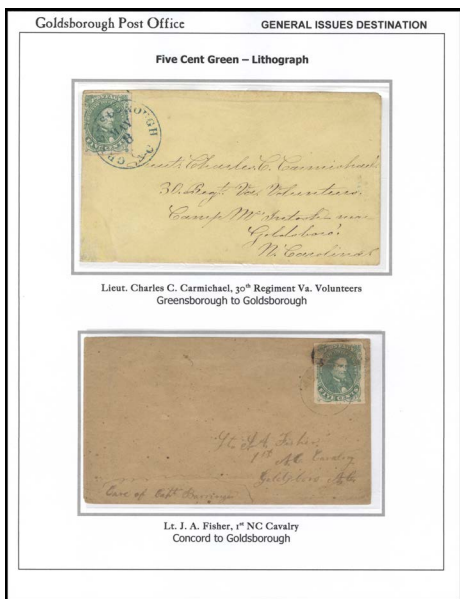
Once the huge Federal army (110,000+) had rested and been resupplied in Goldsboro, it moved west toward Raleigh on 18 April. Johnston repositioned his force in territory between Raleigh and Durham and began the negotiations for the surrender that occurred 26 April ending the war in North Carolina.

Ex 3181

Confederate Collection Lots

Goldsborough, N.C. Collections

3181 ☒ **Confederacy - Goldsborough, N.C. Stampless Cover Balance**, of 34 covers; includes a host of various Paid handstamp including different "10" rate handstamps, circular "Due" handstamp with "10" handstamp inside, manuscript ratings, military postage dues including usage from Brig. Gen. Howell Cobb, some official imprint covers, forwarding, etc.; condition varies.
 Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500

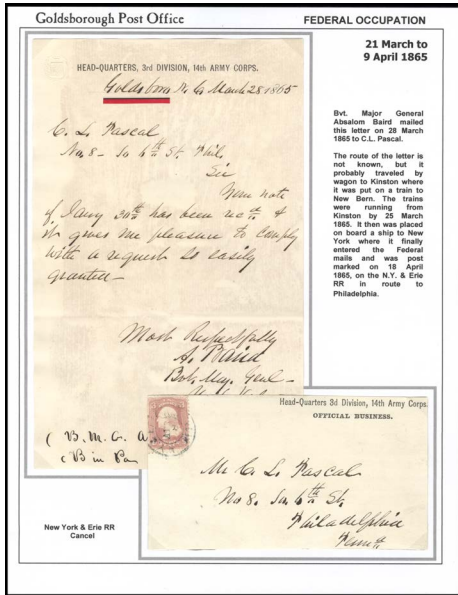
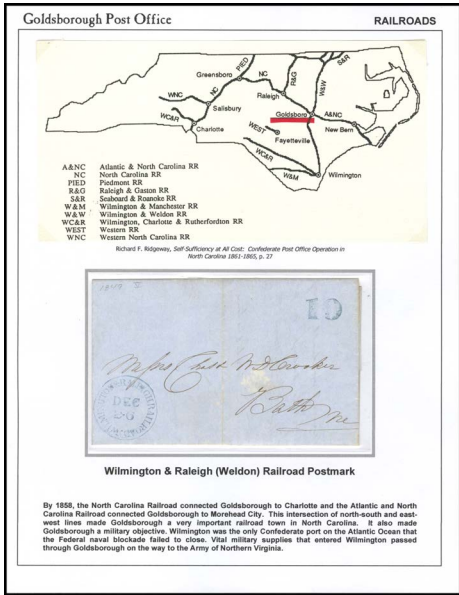
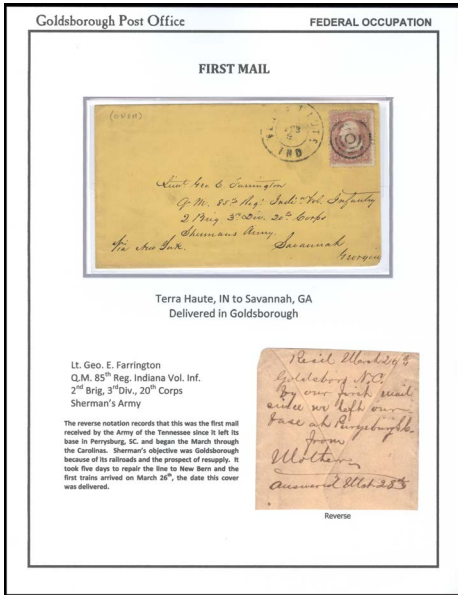


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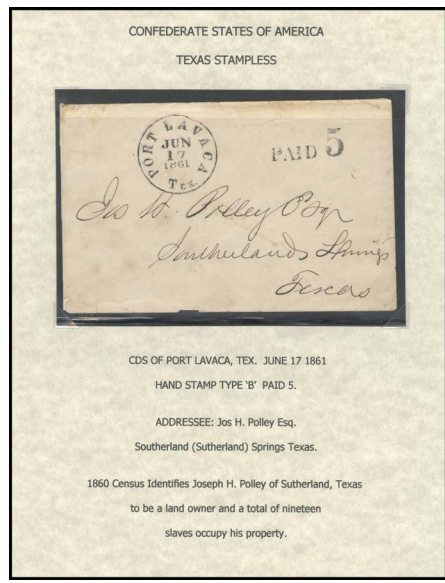
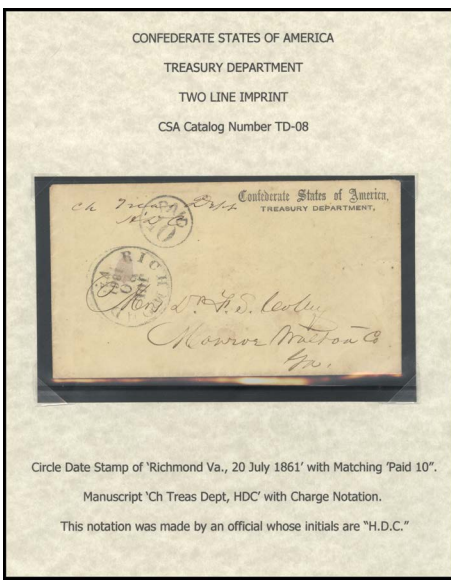
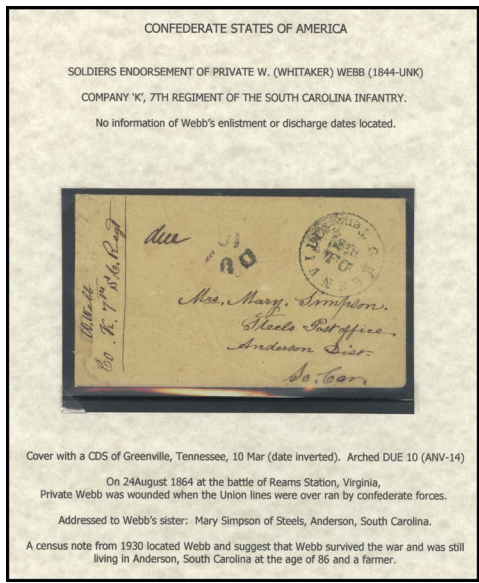
3182 ☒

Confederacy - Regular Issues Used To and From Goldsborough, N.C., of over 80 covers written-up on exhibit pages in binder; includes five #1 usages including sheet margin single on embossed ladies cover, four #2 usages including incoming with manuscript Little's Mills, N.C. postmark, couple cover fronts including tied by red Sparta, Ga. balloon type cds, fourteen #4 usages with two pairs uses, military forwarding, corner card imprint, etc., thirteen #6 usages including 6 pair usages, three singles on semi-official imprint O.B. cover, Due 5 and a #6+7 combination usage, 10 #7 usages mostly in pairs and the balance #11 & 12 usages with some interesting enclosures and a run of cover from the William Rose correspondence; condition varies. Estimate \$4,000 - 6,000

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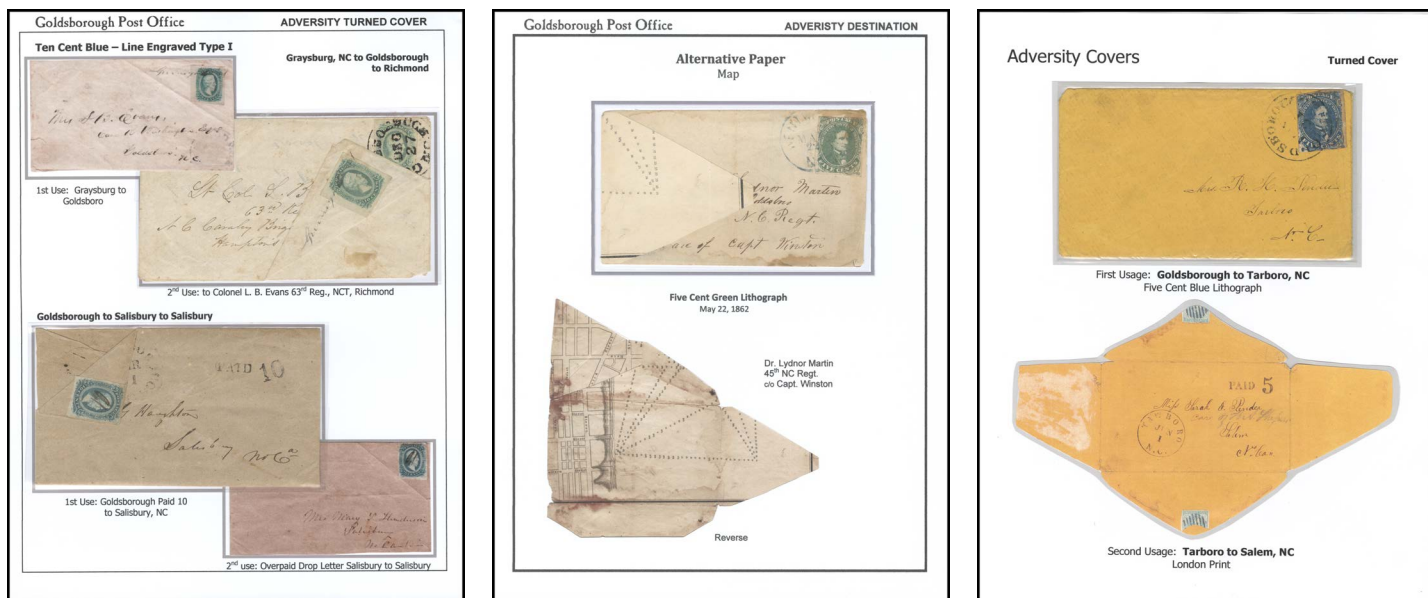
3183 **Confederacy - Goldsborough, N.C. Antebellum & Federal Occupation Balance**, of 32 covers; includes 17 Antebellum items including manuscript and cds's in black and red, railroad usages including Wilmington & Raleigh Railroad cds's, one with top margin #10, N.C.R.R. cds on 3 Nesbitt to Goldsborough, Federal Occupation including military imprint and various usage including incoming; condition varies.
Estimate \$300 - 400

Confederate Collections - Various

3184 **Confederacy - Stampless Cover Balance**, of approximately 75 covers mostly written-up on pages with interest research regarding postal markings, sender's & recipients, with many soldier's endorsed covers; with some better postmarks strikes including a Kingston, Ga. with and unusual unlisted "Due 5" with "U" and "5" sharing space vertically between "D" and "E", blue "Pattonburg, Va." cds with "Paid" and "5" handstamps, choice 1861 Gordonsville, Va. cds, Okolona, Miss. cds with unusual boxed "Due 10" handstamp and additional "10" struck of cds upon arrival, Thomaston, Ga. cds, nice 1861 Port Lavaca cds, early 1861 Pine Bluff, Ark. cds, etc., nice range of ratemarkers, also a small group of 7 mostly more common currency notes; condition mixed, worth a look.
Estimate \$750 - 1,000



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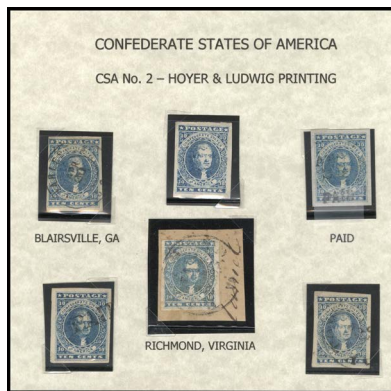


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- 3185 **Confederacy - Cover Balance**, of over 30 stamped covers; regular issue usages including #1 x3, #2 x2, #4, #5 x2, #13 with cert., and various #6-7 & #11-12 usages including few turned covers, overpaid drop rates, army grid & target usages including a **Millway carrier** endorsed, three U.S. used in Confederacy covers from Ala., S.C. & Ga., and three P.O.W. covers one from Johnson's Island and two from fort Delaware.
Estimate \$1,000 - 1,500
- 3186 **Confederacy - Adversity Cover Balance**, of 17 covers, virtually all to and from Goldsborough, N.C.; including a couple stampless on blue line ledger paper, few #1 usages including one on a map, #4 on turned cover, #7 pair over U.S. 3¢ Nesbitt entire indicia, #7/12 turn cover combination and various #11-12 usages; condition varies.
Estimate \$600 - 800
- 3187 **Confederacy - Patriotic Cover Balance**, group of 5 covers, front and unused lettersheet; with three different Bonitz unused covers including Small Mounted Dragoons SM-2, Soldier SN-2 & Cannon & Flag CN-3 each with verse, lettersheet #CN-3 with verse, covers including Cannon & Flag with military address hand carried, red, white and blue 10-Star stenciled flag on faulty cover from Goldsborough, N.C., and rebacked front with Mounted Dragoon franked with #4.
Estimate \$400 - 600
- 3188 P **Confederacy - Proof Collection**, interesting collection of mostly posthumous proofs and some facsimiles neatly displayed on pages in binder; includes a nice Scott #6P5 pair with cert and position identification from complete sheet photo, set of Dietz "Fac-Simile Die Proofs" as well as the host of Dietz printings from original De Le Rue altered plates including C.S.A. #U-2-3b, U-2-3a, U-2-2a, U-T-1, sheet from the Bermuda sheet Ward printing, unofficial, club and show sheets, etc.; and interesting assembly.
Estimate \$250 - 350



Ex 3189



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- 3189 */o **Confederacy - Stamp Collection Balance, 1861-64**, mint and used issues arranged on pages; includes #1 mint and used x3 (two with full margins), #2 with Patterson mint & used, Hoyer mint and used x5, Stone Y x2 used, #3 mint and used, #4 mint and used with additional unused pair, #5 used x2, #6-7's with multiples including brass rule lines, mint white tie, #8 mint and used, #9 used, #11-12 includes plate no. imprint strips (4 different), #11 e, various shades, etc., #13 used on piece and mint including margin single and block of 4, #14 x3, etc.; condition varies with overall attractive appearance throughout, Scott catalog in excess of \$10,000.
 Estimate \$2,000 - 3,000
- 3190 */o **Confederacy - Stamp Balance**, nice array of issues arranged and identified on stock pages in binder; including Provisional issues including 62X2 unused & 62X4 x2 used, 58X2 x2 used, 56X2 unused and used pair on piece, 56X1, etc., regular issues with a host of printings and shades including #1 x3 mint and x6 used, #2 mint x3 and used x5, #3 mint x2 and used, #4 mint x6 and used x3, #5 mint and used x4, #8 used x7 including pair and mint x11 including block, #9 used, #13's mint including block of 6, #14's, and a host of #6-7 & 11-12's; condition varies with much material, also includes some additional items including a few unused Union patriotics.
 Estimate \$1,500 - 2,000
- 3191 */o **Confederacy - Stamp Balance**, of 8 stamps mostly used; includes #1 x3 with shades, mint #2 top margin pair o.g., scarce used #3 with red town cancel, and a couple #5's; mostly small flaws, #5's with certs, worth review.
 Scott No. 1//5; \$4,050 Estimate \$500 - 750
- 3192 o/☒ **Confederacy - Balance**, of used and four covers; used with Scott #1 on piece, 2 & 2e both with large margins, 4 & 5, 61X2, 62X1 x2 & 62X3, cover with #1 x3 from various towns, #4 and #12, few other items; some flaws, Scott cat \$5,100+.
 Estimate \$750 - 1,000
- 3193 ☒ **Confederacy - Miscellaneous Group**, of eight items; includes flag of truce cover from Richmond, Va. with #12, C.S. \$500 loan certificate, money envelope, cover to S.C. hospital, couple interesting letters, and two semi-official covers with stamp franking removed.
 Estimate \$300 - 400

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