

CENTRE BROOK



PAID/3
20mm
Black 1851 -



CENTRE BROOK CONN.
30mm CDS
Black 1851 -

JULY 7, 1851> PREPAID SINGLE RATE NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



Act of March 3, 1851
From and after June 30, 1851
Single Letter Rate 1/2 oz.
Not exceeding 3,000 miles prepaid -- 3 Cents
If not prepaid ----- 5 Cents

CHATHAM



PAID/3
20mm
Black 1853 - 1855



CHATHAM Ct.
29mm CDS
Black 1853 - 1855

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

JANUARY 25, 1853

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



Act of March 3, 1851
From and after June 30, 1851
Single Letter Rate 1/2 oz.
Not exceeding 3,000 miles prepaid - - 3 Cents
If not prepaid ----- 5 Cents

CHESTER

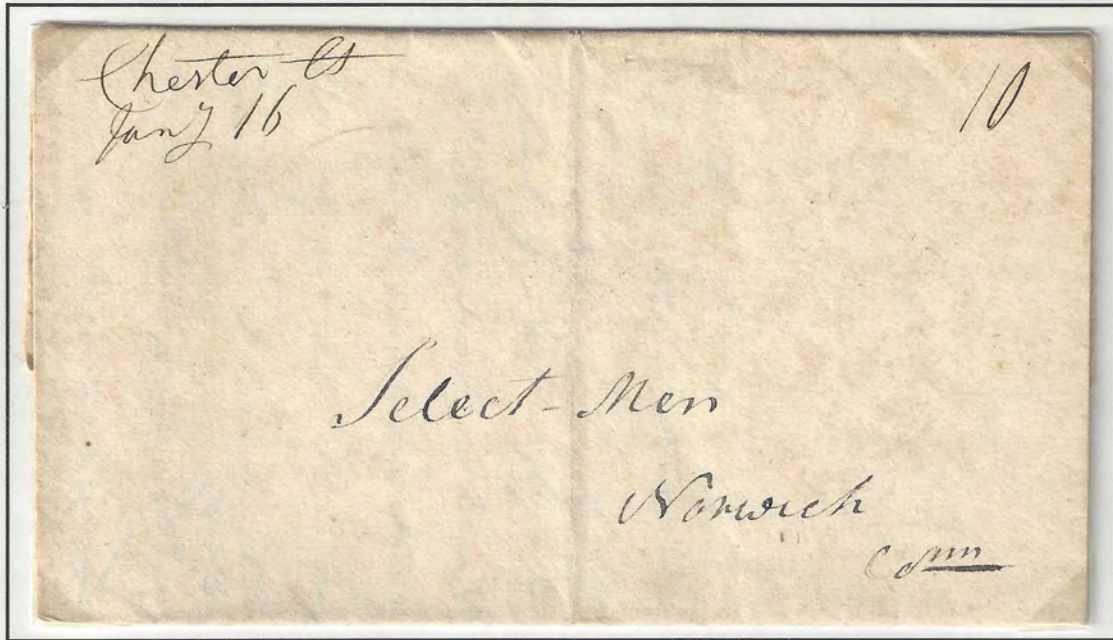
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~~Chester Ct~~
Jan 16

JANUARY 16, 1822

SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



Select-Men

Norwich
Conn

ACT OF APRIL 9, 1816
EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1816

NOT OVER 30 MILES	----	6 CENTS
30 TO 80 MILES	-----	10 CENTS
80 TO 150 MILES	--	12 1/2 CENTS
150 TO 400 MILES	--	18 1/2 CENTS
OVER 400 MILES	-----	25 CENTS

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1825
EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1825

150 TO 400 MILES -- 18 3/4 CENTS

CLINTON

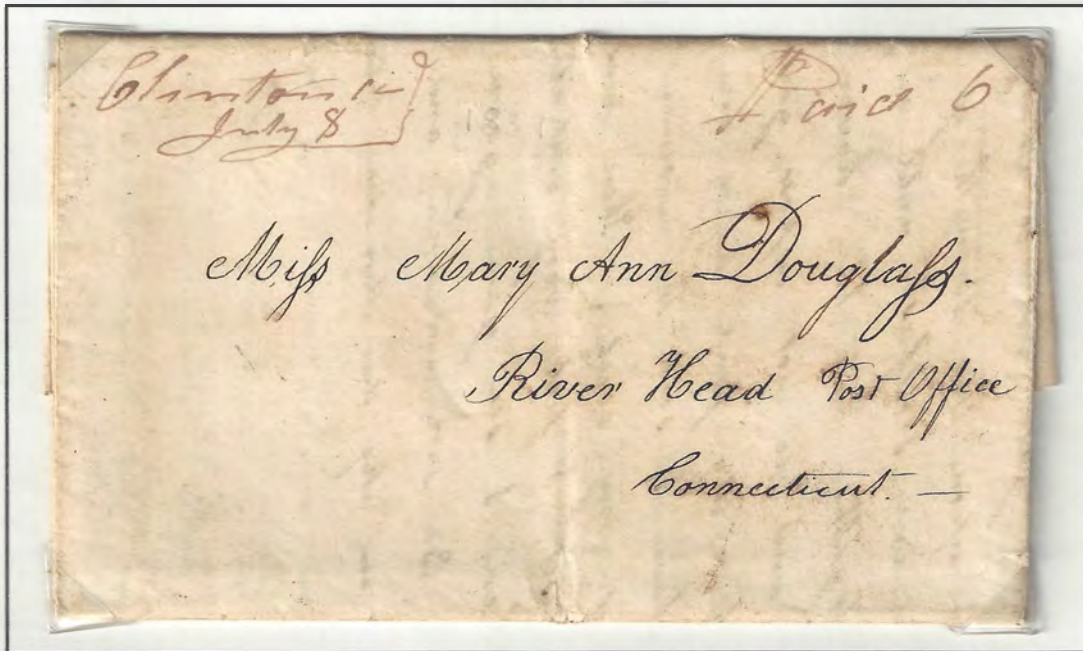
Price 6

*Clinton 14
July 8*

JULY 8, 1839

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

NOT OVER 30 MILES



ACT OF APRIL 9, 1816

EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1816

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CLINTON

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ACT OF MARCH 3, 1825
 EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1825
 150 TO 400 MILES -- 18 3/4 CENTS



CLINTON CT.,
 32.5mmCDS
 Brown 1839 -
 Blue 1847 -

DECEMBER 28, 1839

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



FEBRUARY 6, 1847

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES

paid 10



ACT OF MARCH 3, 1845
 EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1845
 PRE-PAID OR NOT
 UNDER 300 MILES -- 5 CENTS
 OVER 300 MILES -- 10 CENTS

CROMWELL

PREPAID WITHOUT STAMP

MARCH 14, 1852>

SINGLE RATE

NOT OVER 3000 MILES



CROMWELL CON.
30.5mmCDS
Black 1852 -



PAID/3
18mm
Black 1852 -

PREPAID WITH STAMP

MARCH 18 1852>

SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



Act of March 3, 1851
From and after June 30, 1851
Single Letter Rate 1/2 oz.
Not exceeding 3,000 miles prepaid -- 3 Cents
If not prepaid ----- 5 Cents

DURHAM

POSTMASTER FREE FRANK

JUNE 22, 1800

SINGLE RATE

NOT OVER 40 MILES



FREE
David Camp, P.M.
Durham

Durham June. 22.

ACT OF MARCH 2, 1799
 EFFECTIVE MARCH 2, 1799
 NOT OVER 40 MILES ----- 8 CENTS
 40 TO 90 MILES ----- 10 CENTS
 90 TO 150 MILES ----- 12 1/2 CENTS
 150 TO 300 MILES ----- 17 CENTS
 300 TO 500 MILES ----- 20 CENTS
 OVER 500 MILES ----- 25 CENTS
 SHIP LETTERS AT PORT - - 6 CENTS
 SHIP LETTERS OTHER PO ADD 2 CENTS

EAST HADDAM

PAID

PAID
17x4mm
Grey 1851 -

3

3
7x11mm
Grey 1851 -

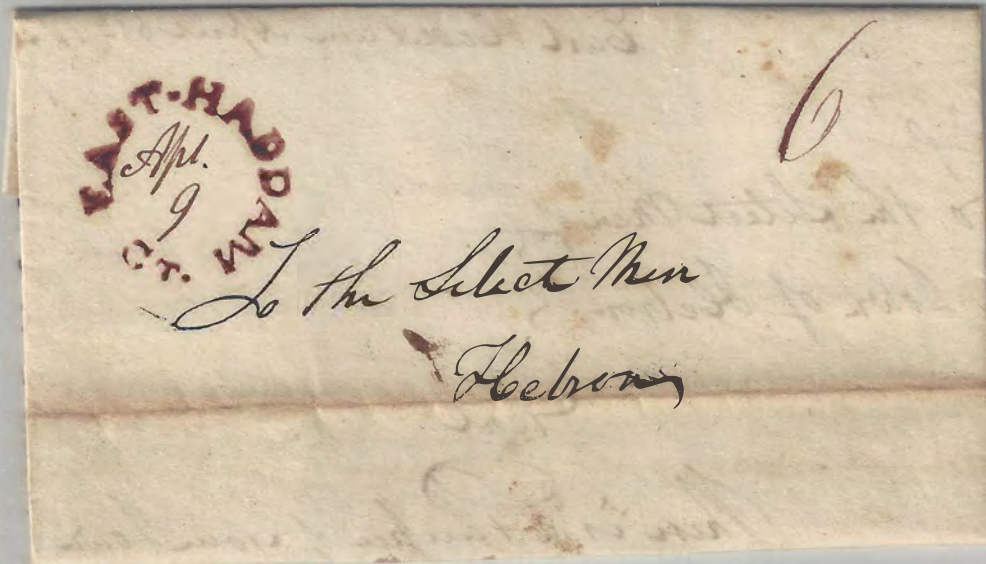


EAST HADDAM Ct.
30mmCDS
Grey 1851 -

JULY 27, 1851>

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



ESSEX

ACT OF APRIL 9, 1816
 EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1816
 NOT OVER 30 MILES ----- 6 CENTS
 30 TO 80 MILES ----- 10 CENTS
 80 TO 150 MILES -- 12 1/2 CENTS
 150 TO 400 MILES -- 18 1/2 CENTS
 OVER 400 MILES ----- 25 CENTS
 ACT OF MARCH 3, 1825
 EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1825
 150 TO 400 MILES -- 18 3/4 CENTS

POSTMASTER FREE FRANK

Free
A. H. Whitterson P.M.

SEPTEMBER 15, 1842

SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



ESSEX CON.
 30mmCDS
 Red 1826 - 1847



ESSEX Ct.
 30.5mmCDS
 Black 1851 -

PAID/3
 20mm
 Black 1851 -



PREPAID WITHOUT STAMP

AUGUST 16, 1851

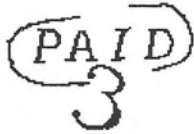
SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES

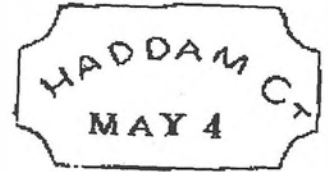


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HADDAM

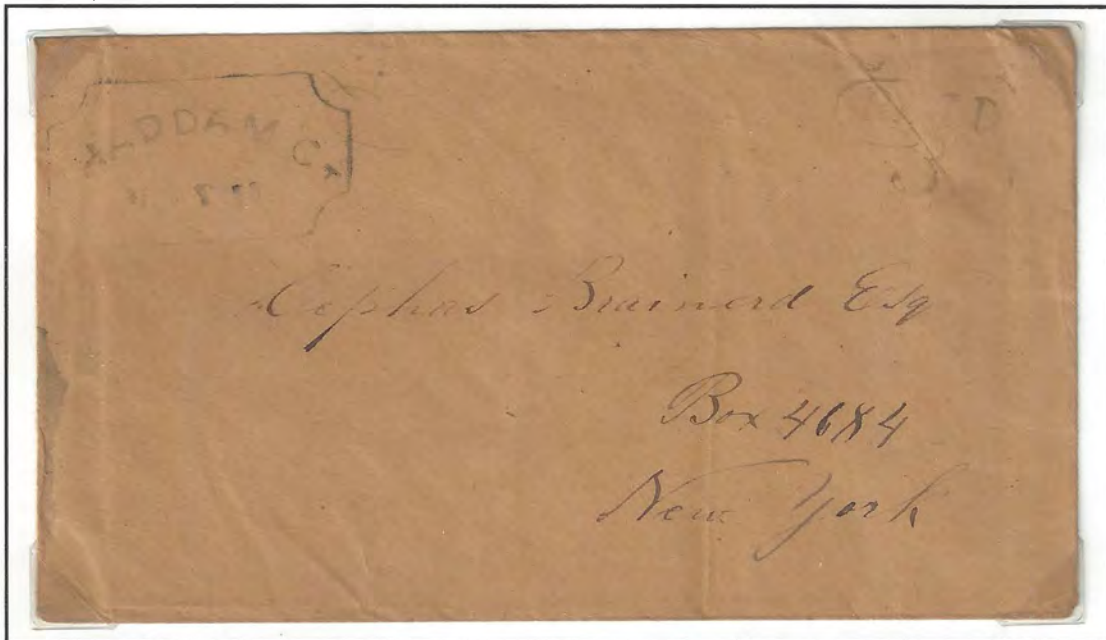


PAID (SLANT)
23x9MM
BLACK
E: 1856 MAY 11
L:



HADDAM CT
40x22MM (OCTOGON)
BLACK
E: 1856 MAY 11
L: 1858 FEBRUARY 14

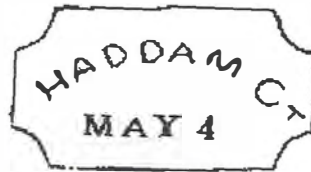
MAY 11, 1856



ACT OF MARCH 3, 1855
EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 1855
COMPULSORY PREPAYMENT
SINGLE LETTER RATE 1/2 OZ.
3,000 MILES PREPAID ----- 3 CENTS
OVER 3,000 MILES ----- 10 CENTS
DOUBLE LETTERS --- DOUBLE RATES

HADDAM

HADDAM CT
40x22MM (OCTOGON)
BLACK
E: 1856 MAY 11
L: 1858 FEBRUARY 14



MAY 18, 1857

SINGLE RATE

SCOTT # 11



ACT OF MARCH 3, 1855
EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 1855
COMPULSORY PREPAYMENT
SINGLE LETTER RATE 1/2 ¢.
3,000 MILES PREPAID ----- 3 CENTS
OVER 3,000 MILES ----- 10 CENTS
DOUBLE LETTERS --- DOUBLE RATES

JULY 31, 1857

DOUBLE RATE

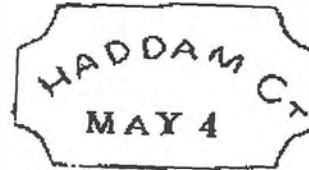
SCOTT # 11x2



THUMB PRINT USED
TO CANCEL STAMPS

HADDAM

HADDAM CT
40x22MM (OCTOGON)
BLACK
E: 1856 MAY 11
L: 1858 FEBRUARY 14



SEPTEMBER 17, 1857

SCOTT # 26A



OCTOBER 10, 1857

SCOTT # 26



ACT OF MARCH 3, 1855
EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 1855
COMPULSORY PREPAYMENT
SINGLE LETTER RATE 1/2 OZ.
3,000 MILES PREPAID ----- 3 CENTS
OVER 3,000 MILES ----- 10 CENTS
DOUBLE LETTERS --- DOUBLE RATES

Wiggenam Ct

Apr 28

Judge Higgins

East Haddam

Ct

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KILLINGWORTH

Very Early

POST OFFICE ESTABLISHED: 10 APRIL 1794
POSTMASTER: SAMUEL CRANE

Killingworth
MANUSCRIPT
BROWN
E: 1796 FEBRUARY 25
L: 1811 NOVEMBER 29

Killingworth 2/25 6
Mis-sent to N London for 2
8

FEBRUARY 25, 1796

30 TO 60 MILES



DATELINED: Guilford, Febr. 25, 1796 - Danl. Stanton

N.LONDON
23mmDC
Black
E: 1793 July 8
L: 1796 February 25



ACT OF FEBRUARY 20, 1792
EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 1792

NOT OVER 30 MILES	-----	6 CENTS
30 TO 60 MILES	-----	8 CENTS
60 TO 100 MILES	-----	10 CENTS
100 TO 150 MILES	---	12 1/2 CENTS
150 TO 200 MILES	-----	15 CENTS
200 TO 250 MILES	-----	17 CENTS
250 TO 350 MILES	-----	20 CENTS
350 TO 450 MILES	-----	22 CENTS
OVER 450 MILES	-----	25 CENTS

LETTER POSTED IN KILLINGWORTH AT 6 CENT RATE.
IT WAS MISSENT TO NEW LONDON WHERE THE POST-
MASTER ADDED "MISSENT TO N LONDON FORD. 2, IN
ORDER TO CORRECT THE RATE FOR THE DISTANCE.
HE ALSO ADDED THE VERY FAINT N. LONDON TOWN
MARK DEPICIED ABOVE.

EARLIEST KNOWN LETTER

KILLINGWORTH

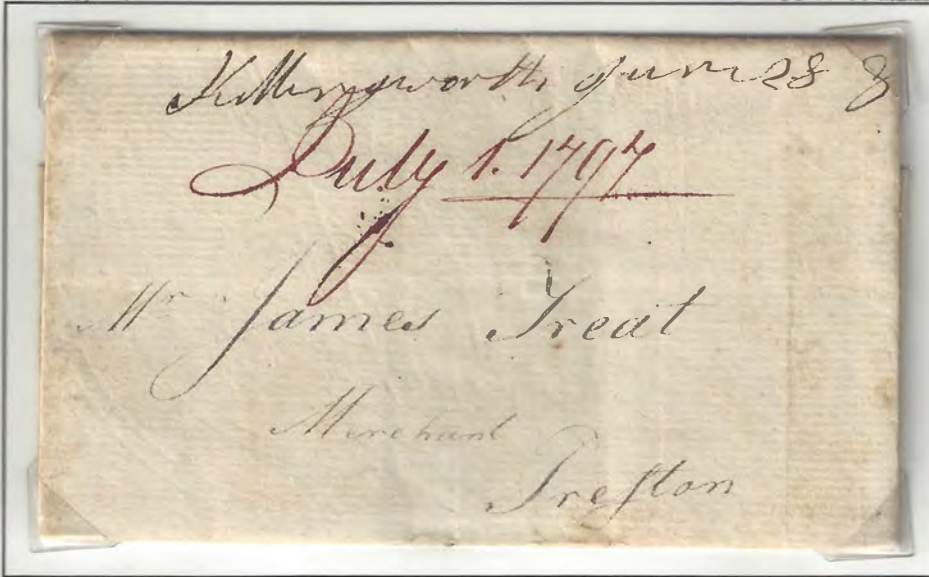
Killingworth
MANUSCRIPT
BROWN
E: 1796 FEBRUARY 25
L: 1811 NOVEMBER 29

Killingworth June 28

June 28, 1797

30 TO 60 MILES

1792 POSTAGE RATE



8

ACT OF FEBRUARY 20, 1792
EFFECTIVE JUNE 1, 1792

NOT OVER 30 MILES	-----	6 CENTS
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150 TO 200 MILES	-----	15 CENTS
200 TO 250 MILES	-----	17 CENTS
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DATELINED: Killingworth June the 28: 1797; Adam Stanton

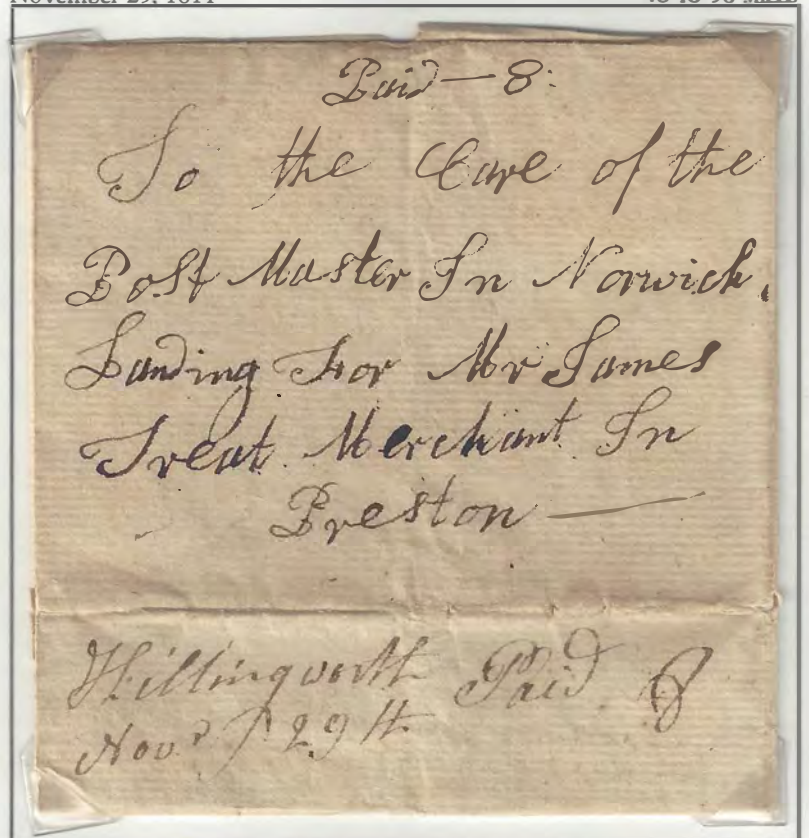
1799 POSTAGE RATE

*Killingworth
Nov 29 1811*

Paid 8

November 29, 1811

40 TO 90 MILES



ACT OF MARCH 2, 1799
EFFECTIVE MARCH 2, 1799

NOT OVER 40 MILES	---	8 CENTS
40 TO 90 MILES	-----	10 CENTS
90 TO 150 MILES	--	12 1/2 CENTS
150 TO 300 MILES	---	17 CENTS
300 TO 500 MILES	---	20 CENTS
OVER 500 MILES	----	25 CENTS
SHIP	-----	ADDITIONAL 2 CENTS
WAY	-----	ADDITIONAL 1 CENT

DATELINED: Killingworth Nov the 28th: 1811; Adam Stanton

LEESVILLE

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PAID

LEESVILLE Ct.
30MM CDS w/ ORNAMENT
ATTACHED PAID
RED
E: 1832 APRIL 25
L: 18

APRIL 25, 1832

PREPAID

30 TO 80 MILES



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EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1816
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EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1825
150 TO 400 MILES -- 18 3/4 CENTS

MIDDLETOWN

paid R



MIDDLETOWN. Ct.
29x25MM NOR OVAL
RED
E: 1808 FEBRUARY 24
L: 1815

FEBRUARY 24, 1808

NOT OVER 40 MILES



ACT OF MARCH 2, 1799
EFFECTIVE MARCH 2, 1799

PREPAID OR NOT

NOT OVER 40 MILES	---	8 CENTS
40 TO 90 MILES	-----	10 CENTS
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OVER 500 MILES	-----	25 CENTS
WAY	--	ADDITIONAL --- 1 CENT

MIDDLETOWN



5 CIRCLE
9x15MM
BLUE
E 1848 A PRIL 25
L:



MIDDLETOWN. C ON.
29MM CDS
RED
E: 18
L: 18
BLUE
E: 1848 A PRIL 25
L:
BLACK
E:
L:

APRIL 25, 1848

UNDER 300 MILES



ACT OF MARCH 3, 1845
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1845

PREPAID OR NOT

UNDER 300 MILES - - - - 5 CENTS
OVER 300 MILES - - - - - 10 CENTS
LOCAL (DROP) LETTERS - 2 CENTS
CIRCULARS (1 SHEET) - - - 2 CENTS

PORTLAND

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*Portland, Me.
Jan 31*

Portland Ct.
MANUSCRIPT
MAJENTA
E: 1844 JANUARY 30
L: 1844 JANUARY 31

JANUARY 31, 1844

NOT OVER 30 MILES



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