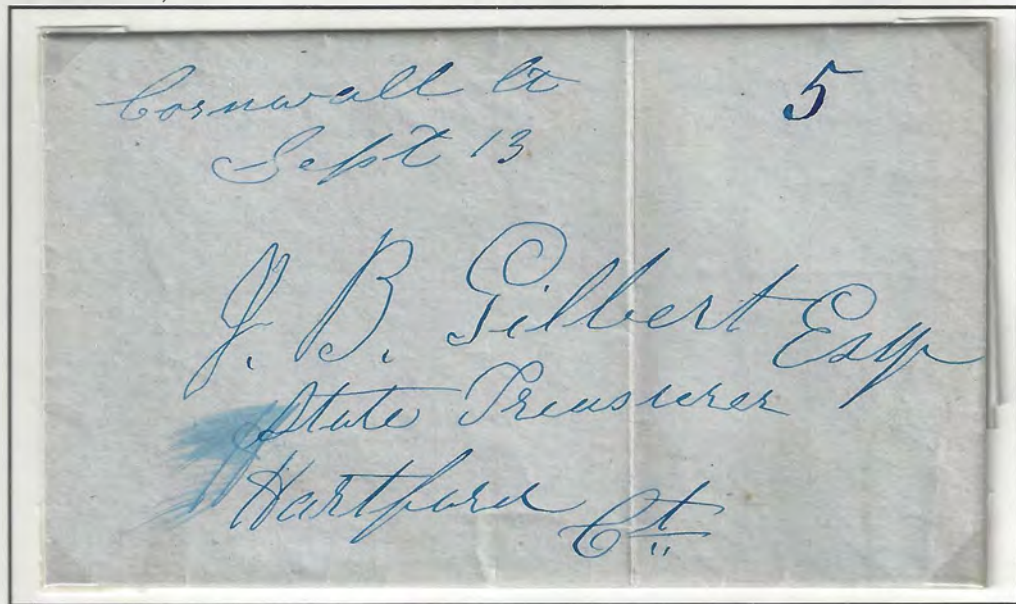


CORNWALL

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

*Cornwall Ct
Sept 13*

SEPTEMBER 13, 1848 UNPAID
SINGLE RATE UNDER 300 MILES



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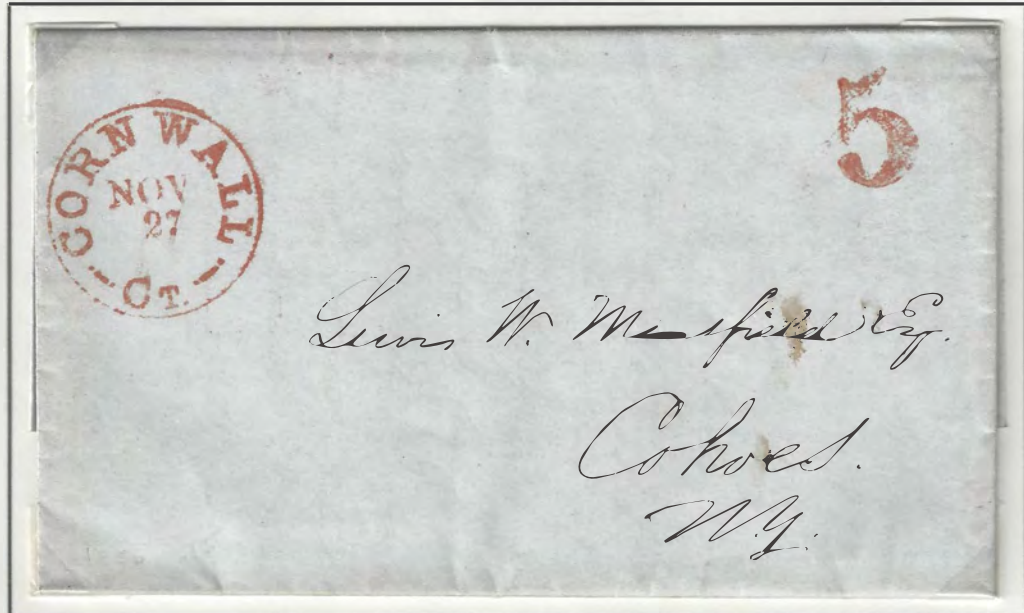


CORNWALL -CT.-
28mm CDS
Red 1850 -

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9x15mm
Red 1850 -

NOVEMBER 27, 1850 UNPAID
SINGLE RATE UNDER 300 MILES



CORNWALL BRIDGE

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

PREPAID
 SINGLE RATE

APRIL 19, 1852>

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



3 (Circle)
 26mm
 Blue 1852 -

PAID

PAID
 17x4mm
 Blue 1852 -



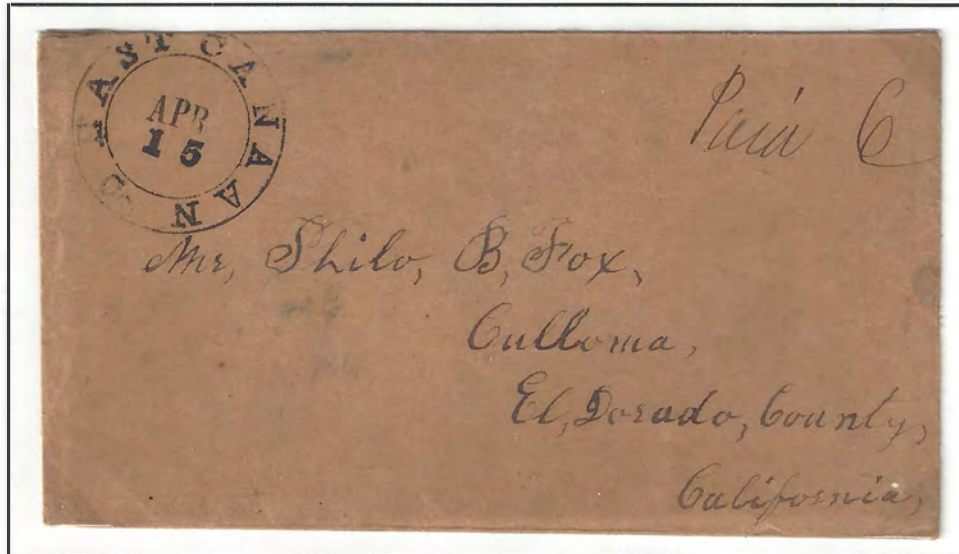
CORNWALLBRIDGE Ct.
 33mm CDS
 Blue 1852 -

EAST CANAAN

CALIFORNIA 6 CENT RATE

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
 Greater distances ----- 6 Cents
 If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

APRIL 15, 1852 / 54 PREPAID EXCEEDING 3000 MILES
 SINGLE RATE



Paid 6



EAST CANAAN CT
 28mm DC
 Black 1852 -

FALLS VILLAGE

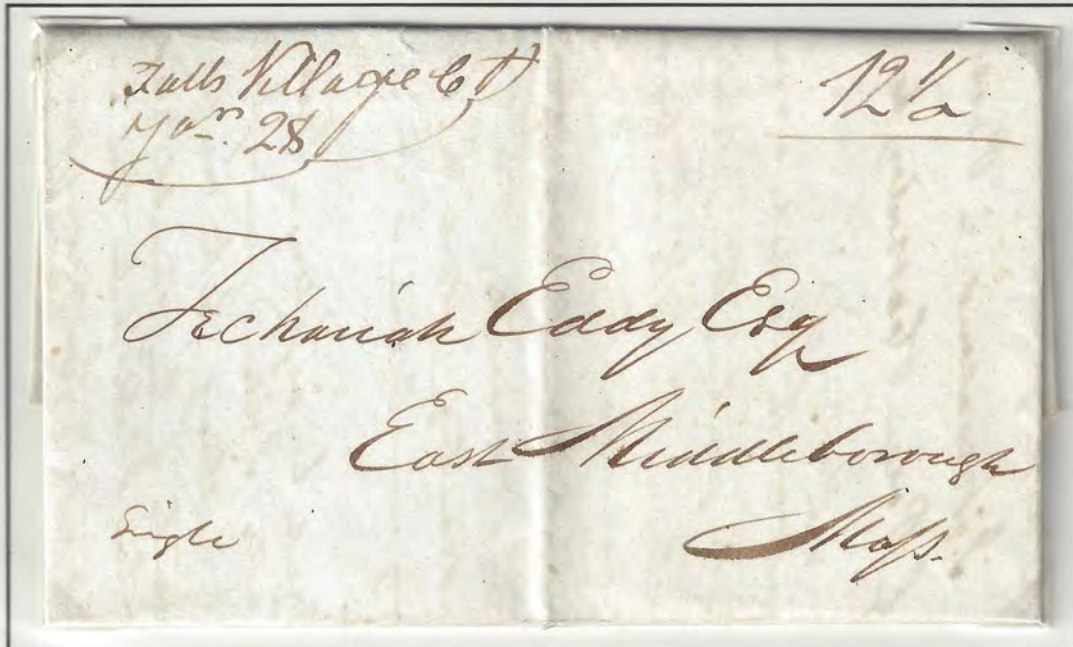
12 1/2

Falls Village Ct
Jan 28

JANUARY 28, 1835

SINGLE RATE

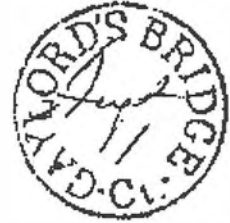
80 TO 150 MILES



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

GAYLORD'S BRIDGE

Facit



GAYLORD'S BRIDGE-Ct.-
28mm CDS
Red 1851 -

AUGUST 1, 1851> PREPAID NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES
SINGLE RATE



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
Greater distances ----- 6 Cents
If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

GOSHEN

PAID

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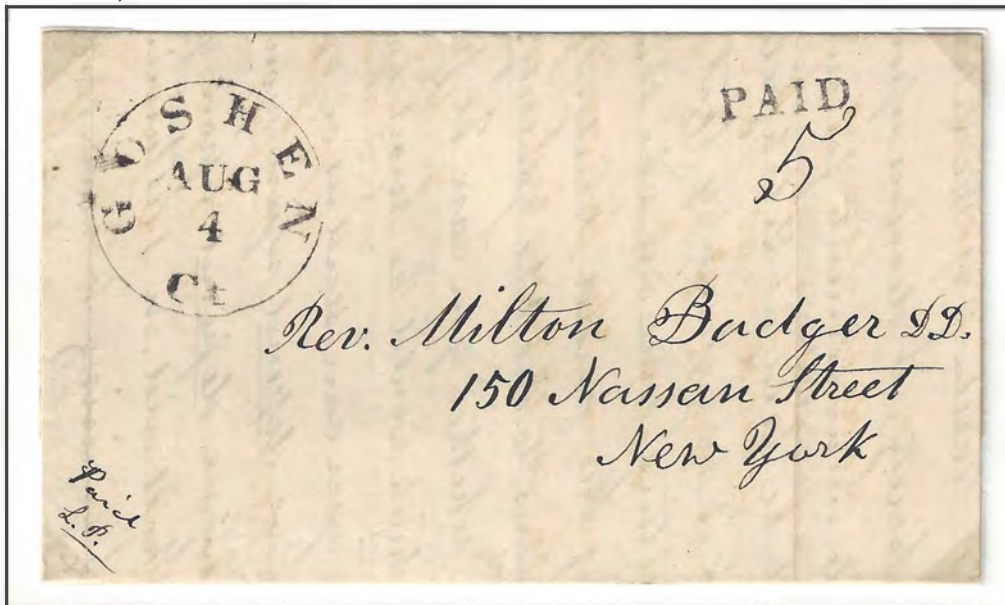
PAID
23x4mm
Black 1845 -

GOSHEN Ct.
31mm CDS
Black 1845 -

AUGUST 4, 1845

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



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

HARWINTON

5



5
6x7mm
Red 1849 -

HARWINTON C^T.
31.5mm DC
Red 1849 - 1851

MAY 24, 1849

SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



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

HARWINTON



FEBRUARY 13, 1850

SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



HARWINTON C T.
31.5mm DC
Red 1849 - 1851



V
9x10mm
Red 1850 -

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

APRIL 1, 1851

SINGLE RATE

OVER 300 MILES

10

10
10x8mm
Red 1851 -



HITCHCOCKVILLE

PREPAID RATES

OCTOBER 20, 1842

1816 RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



*Hitchcockville
Ct Dec 20*

Paid 10

DATELINED: COLEBROOK OCT 20 - 1842
BENJAMIN BROWN

PAID 3

PAID
21x4mm
Black 1852 -

HITCHCOCKVILLE Ct.
33mm CDS
Black 1852 -



DECEMBER 6, 1852

1851 RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



DATELINED: HITCHCOCKVILLE DEC 4 / 52
H. GOODWIN

HOTCHKISSVILLE

5

5
10x15mm
Red 1851



HOTCHKISSVILLE C.T.
27.5mm CDS
Red 1851 -

SEPTEMBER 5, 1851 >

UNPAID
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
Greater distances ----- 6 Cents
If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

KENT

JULY 27, 1844

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

80 TO 150 MILES



KENT CT.
28mm CDS
Red 1844 -
Blue 1845 -



12 1/2

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
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MARCH 6, 1845

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

80 TO 150 MILES

PAID

PAID (Slant)
27x6mm
Blue 1845 -

12 1/2



KENT

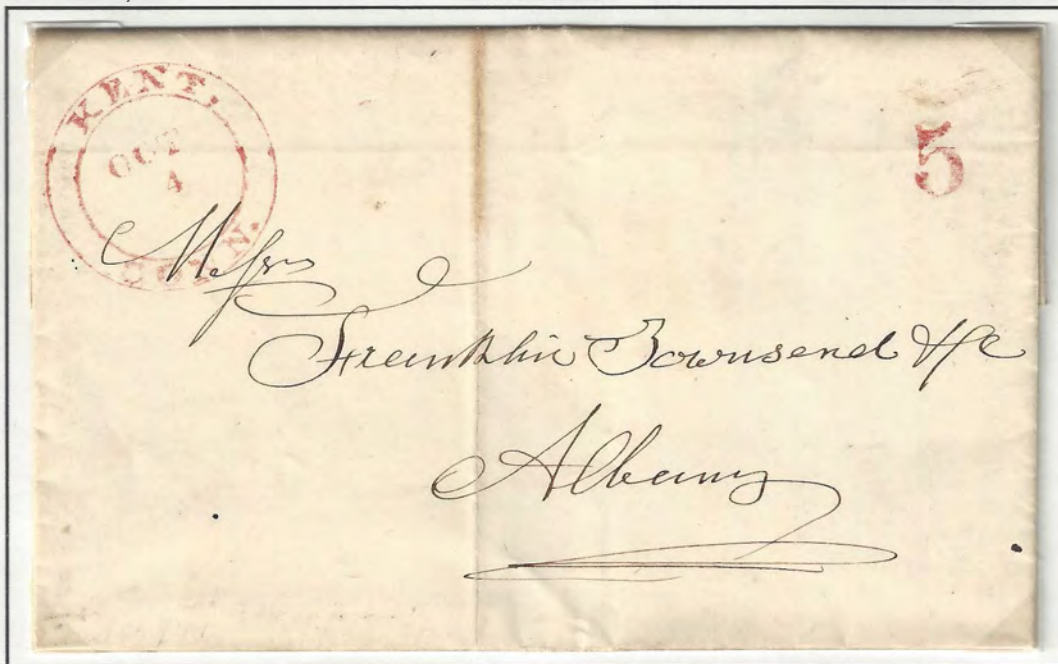
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6x10mm
Red 1847 -

KENT CONN.
30mm DC
Red 1847 -

OCTOBER 4, 1847 UNPAID
SINGLE RATE UNDER 300 MILES



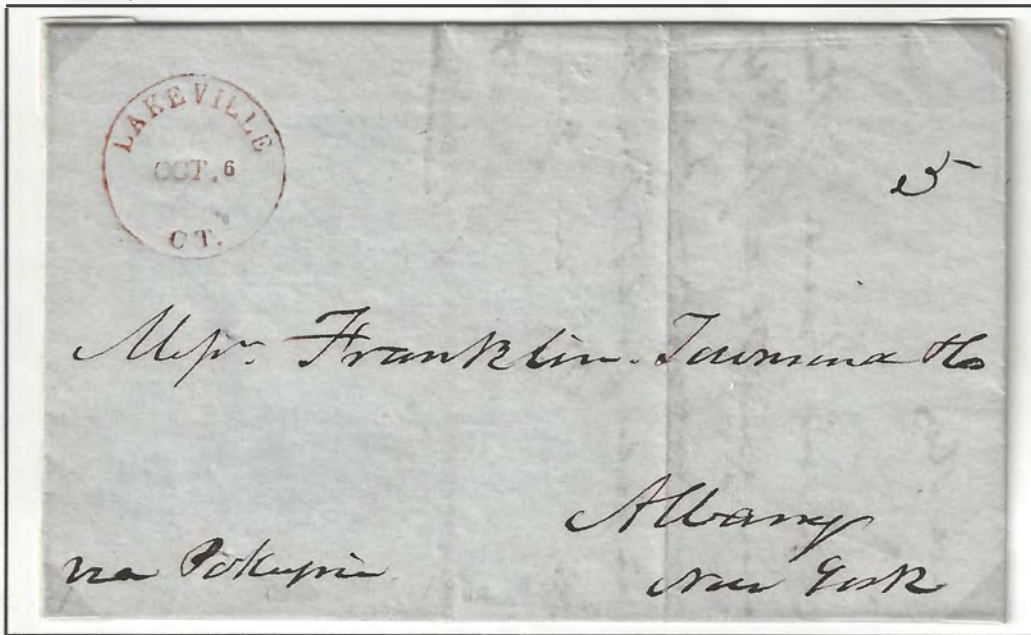
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PRE-PAID OR NOT
UNDER 300 MILES -- 5 CENTS
OVER 300 MILES -- 10 CENTS

LAKEVILLE

OCTOBER 4, 1847

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



LAKEVILLE CT.
24mm CDS
Red 1846 -
Blue 1849 -



MAY 22, 1849

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



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

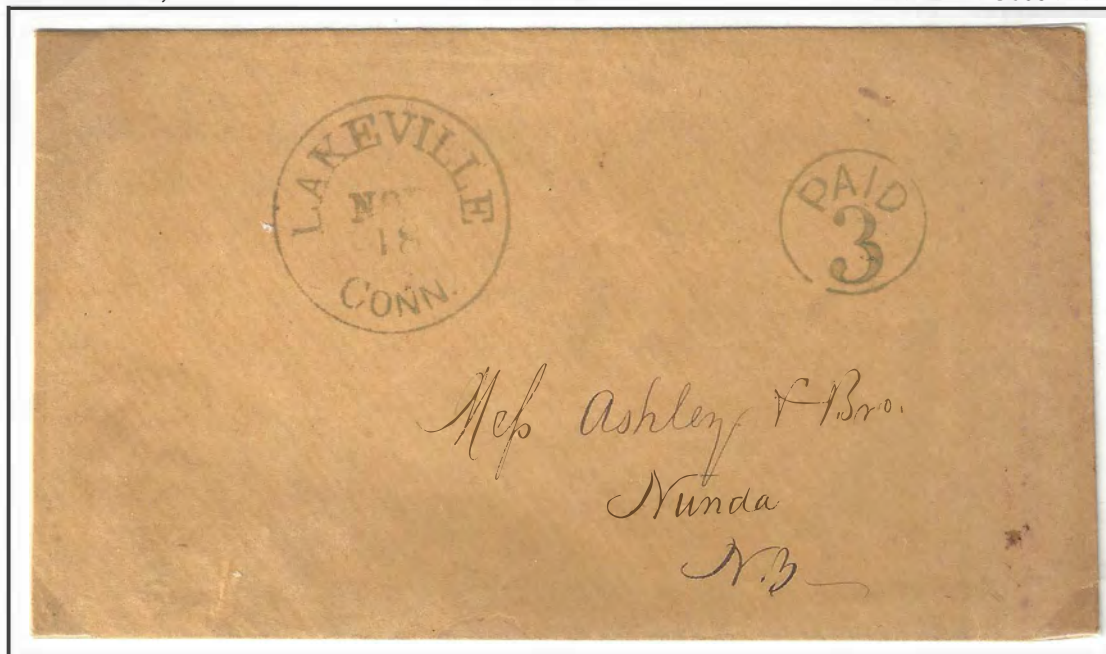
LAKEVILLE

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
 Greater distances ----- 6 Cents
 If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

NOVEMBER 18, 1851>

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



PAID/3
 19mm
 Black 1851 -



LAKEVILLE CONN.
 31mm CDS
 Black 1851 -

Internal Revenue Law of 9 July 1798
Granted Free Frank to Supervisors of the Internal Revenue

Ephraim Kirby

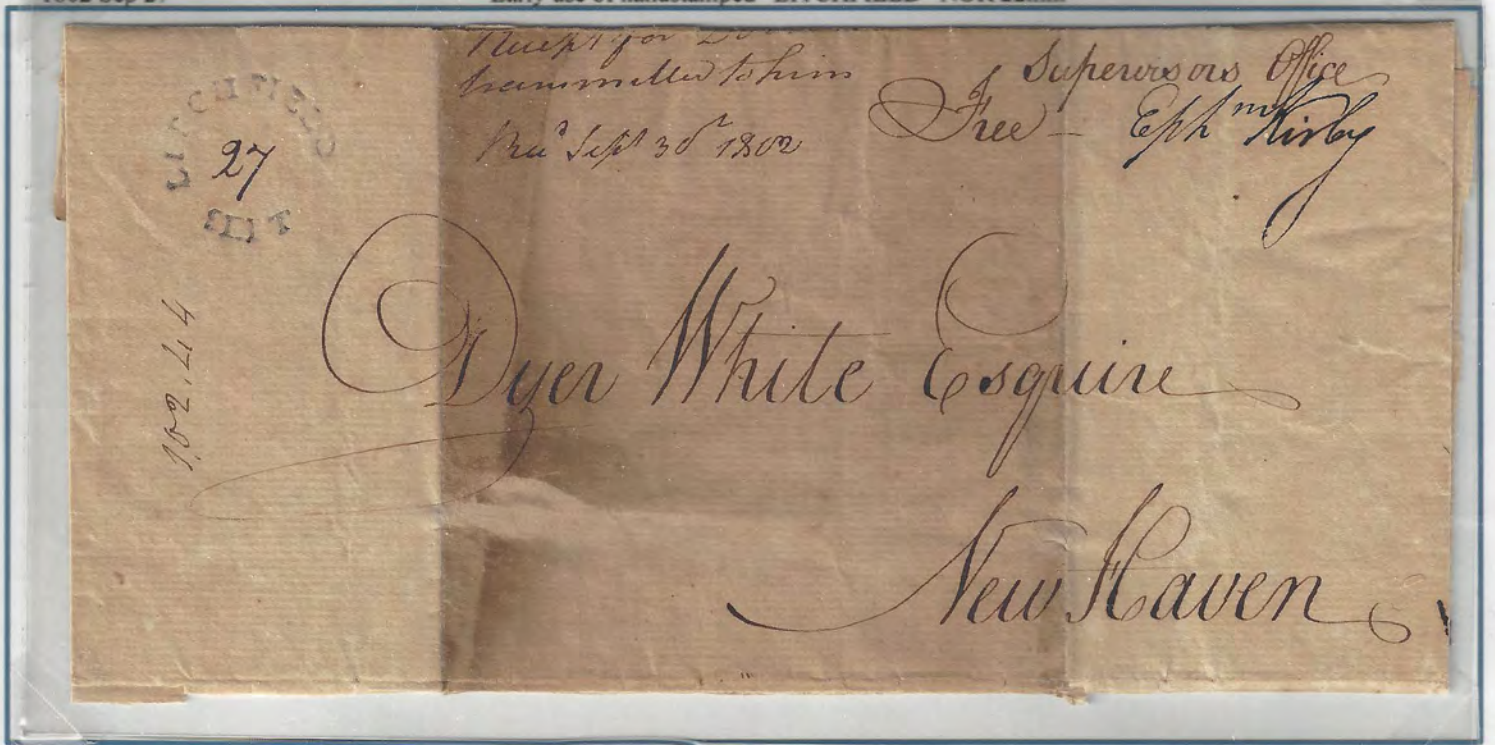
1801 Sep 16



Stampless, folded letter with manuscript townmark "Litchfield" "Supervisors Office/Free—Eph Kirby

1802 Sep 27

Early use of handstamped "LITCHFIELD" NOR 22mm



LITCHFIELD

PAID

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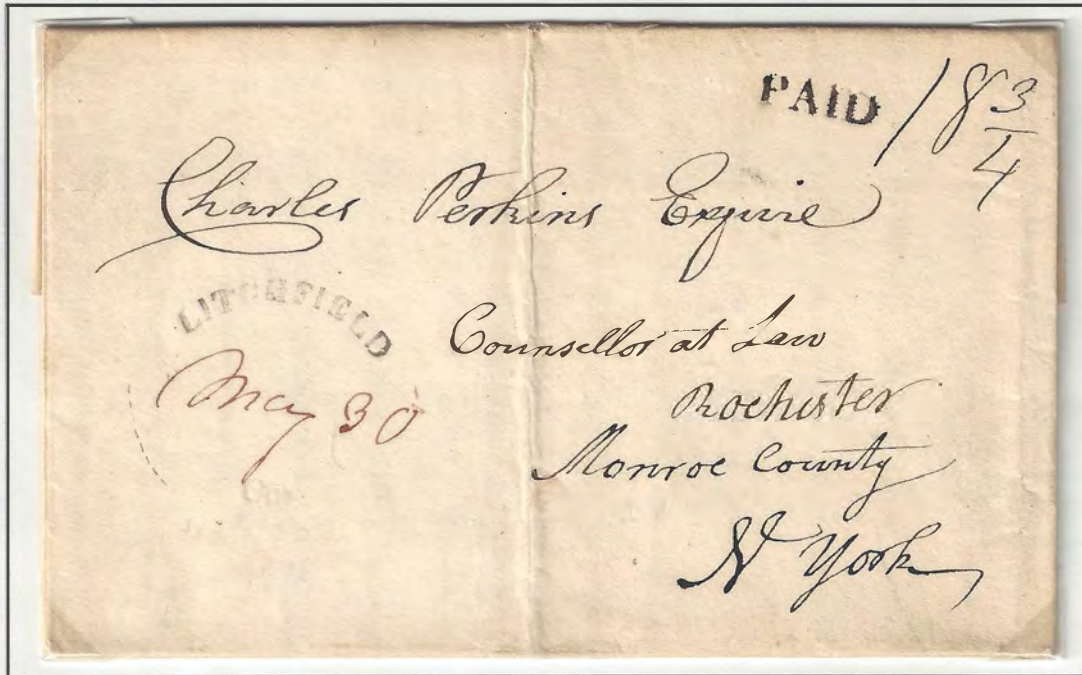
PAID
21x4mm
Black 1826 -

LITCHFIELD CON.
40x35mm (dotted oval)
Black 1826 -

MAY 30, 1826

SINGLE RATE

150 TO 400 MILES



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
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LITCHFIELD



LITCHFIELD ~ CT ~
29.5mm DC
Black 1823 - 1833

DECEMBER 19, 1832

SINGLE RATE

NOT OVER 30 MILES



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
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LITCHFIELD



LITCHFIELD CON.
30mm CDS (N fancy)
Red 1834 -
Green 1840 -

DECEMBER 17, 1834

UNPAID
SINGLERATE

30 TO 80 MILES



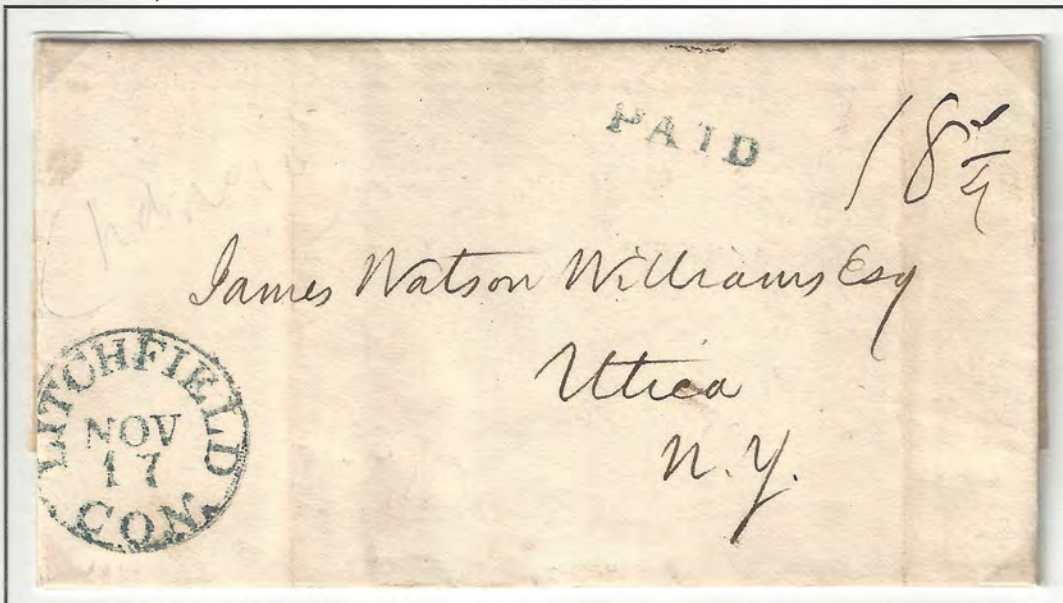
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EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1816
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30 TO 80 MILES ----- 10 CENTS
80 TO 150 MILES -- 12 1/2 CENTS
150 TO 400 MILES -- 18 1/2 CENTS
OVER 400 MILES ----- 25 CENTS
ACT OF MARCH 3, 1825
EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1825
150 TO 400 MILES -- 18 3/4 CENTS

NOVEMBER 17, 1840

PREPAID
SINGLERATE

150 TO 400 MILES



PAID

PAID
20x4mm
Green 1840 -

18 3/4

LIME ROCK



PAID/3
17mm
Black 1852 -

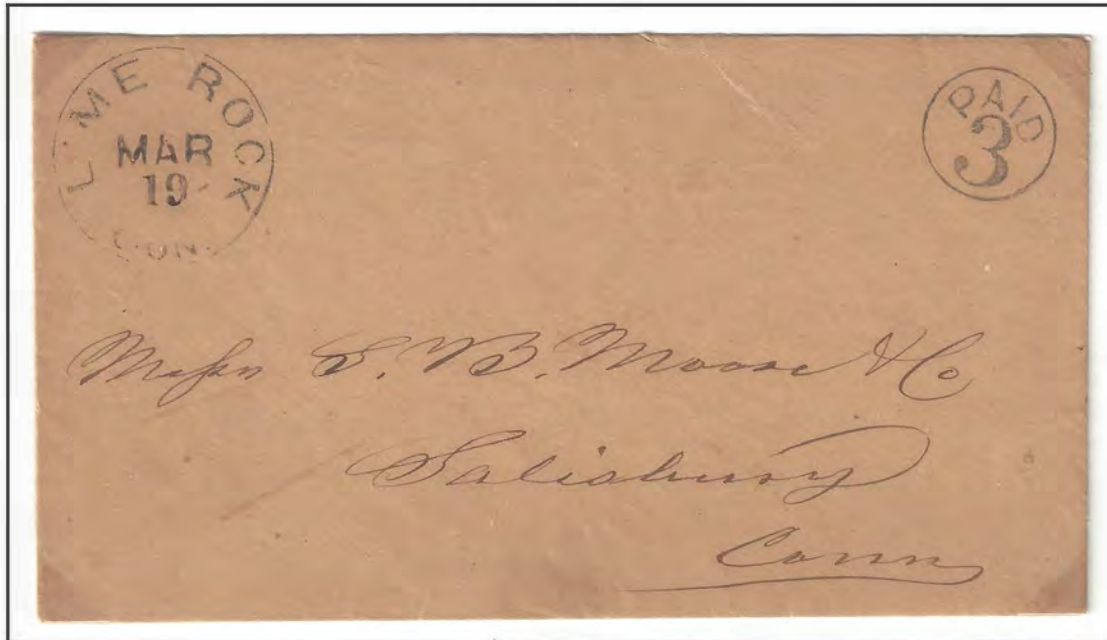


LIME ROCK CON.
29mm CDS
Black 1852 -

MARCH 19, 1852>

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
 Greater distances ----- 6 Cents
 If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

ACT of MARCH 2, 1799

Effective same date

1802 May 31

150 to 300 miles - - - - 17 cents



Stampless, folded letter with manuscript townmark "New Milford" May 31 1802, and 17 cent rate. Long letter from Almy Whiting.

1814 June 4

40 to 90 miles - - - - 10 cents



Stampless folded letter from Elijah Bennet, buying flint locks for pistols.

2

NEW MILFORD

PAID

5



PAID
21x4mm
Red 1845 -

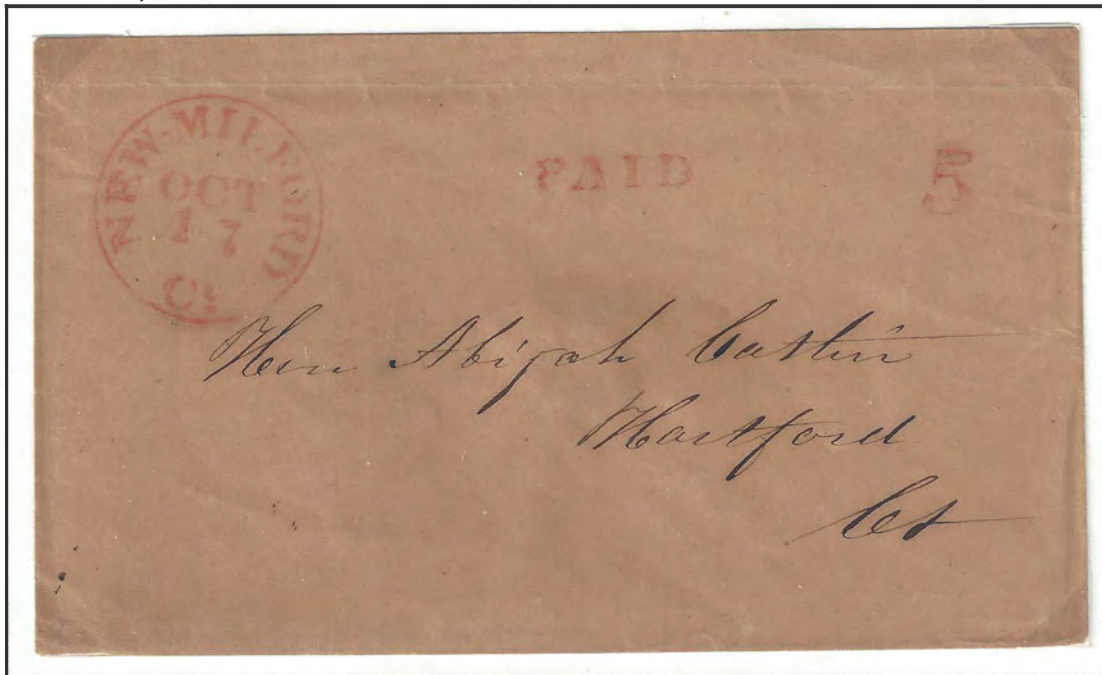
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7x8mm
Red 1845 -

NEW - MILFORD C^t.
30mm CDS
Red 1845 -

OCTOBER 17, 1845>

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



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

NEW PRESTON

PAID

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PAID
22x4mm
Blue 1852 -

NEW PRESTON Ct.
34mm CDS
Blue 1852 -

MARCH 16, 1852⁴⁶

PREPAID
SINGLE LETTER RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



July 1, 1845

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

Greater distances ----- 6 Cents

If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

PLEASANT VALLEY



PAID/3
20mm
Black 1855 -



PLEASANT VALLEY Ct.
32mm CDS (Double outer rim)
Black 1855 -

MAY 25, 1855 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
Greater distances ----- 6 Cents
If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

PLYMOUTH

PAID.

18



PAID.
17x4mm
Red 1836 -

PLYMOUTH CONN ·
30mm CDS
Close spaced CONN ·
Red 1836 -

AUGUST 30, 1836

TRIPLE RATE

NOT OVER 30 MILES



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
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PLYMOUTH

PAID.



PAID.
17x4mm
Black 1843 -

PLYMOUTH CONN.
30mm CDS
Black 1843 -

APRIL 22, 1843

SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



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
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PLYMOUTH HOLLOW

*Post Office Business
free Seth Thomas Jr. PM*

Post Office Business
free Seth Thomas Jr. PM



PLYMOUTH - HOLLOW, Ct.
37MM CDS
RED
E: 1847 APRIL 3
L:

APRIL 3, 1847



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

SOUTHVILLE



PAID/3
22mm
Red 1851 -



SOUTHVILLE CT.
30.5mm CDS
Red 1851 -

OCTOBER 17, 1851> PREPAID SINGLE RATE NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



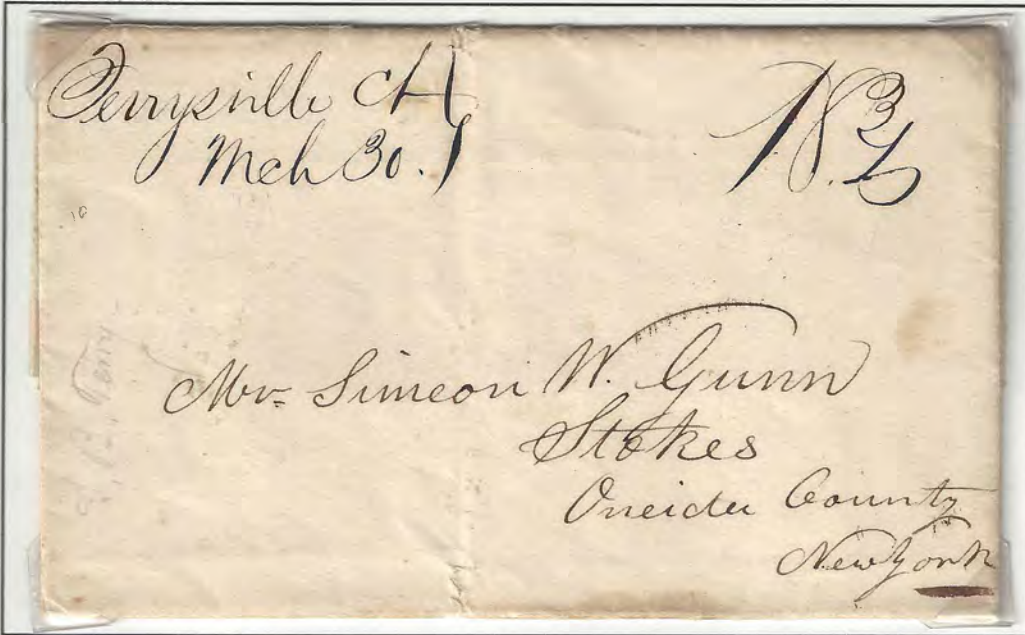
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 From and after June 30, 1851
 Single Letter Rate 1/2 oz.
 Not exceeding 3,000 miles prepaid -- 3 Cents
 If not prepaid ----- 5 Cents
 Greater distances ----- 6 Cents
 If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

TERRYVILLE

TERRYSVILLE

*Terrysville Ct.
Mch 30.*

MARCH 30, 1842



N.Y.

DATELINED: TERRYVILLE, MARCH 30, 1842
S. B. TERRY



TERRYVILLE Ct.
30mm CDS
Brick 1851



5
12x14mm
Brick 1851

DECEMBER 30, 1851



DATELINED: TERRYVILLE, DECEMBER 21, 1851
GAYLORD

WASHINGTON

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Washington Ct. }

Oct 6 }

Washington Ct,
26.5x3mm SL
Black 1837 -

*Duffney
ONLY LOWER CASE
RECORDED*

OCTOBER 6, 1837

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



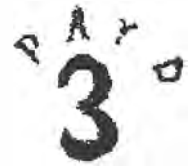
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EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1816
NOT OVER 30 MILES ---- 6 CENTS
30 TO 80 MILES ----- 10 CENTS
80 TO 150 MILES -- 12 1/2 CENTS
150 TO 400 MILES -- 18 1/2 CENTS
OVER 400 MILES ----- 25 CENTS
ACT OF MARCH 3, 1825
EFFECTIVE MAY 1, 1825
150 TO 400 MILES -- 18 3/4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

WASHINGTON



WASHINGTON CONN.
31mm CDS
Red 1853 - 1854

OCTOBER 21, 1853 PREPAID
SINGLE RATE NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



PAID/3
21x21mm
Red 1853 -

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
Greater distances ----- 6 Cents
If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

APRIL 4, 1854> PREPAID
SINGLE RATE NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



PAID/3
22mm
Red 1854 -



WATERTOWN

5



WATERTOWN Ct.
32mm CDS
Red 1846 -

JUNE 7, 1846>

SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



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

WEST GOSHEN

5

5
11x12mm
Red 1849 -



WEST GOSHEN ~ CT ~
28mm CDS
Red 1849 -

JULY 26, 1849> UNPAID UNDER 300 MILES
SINGLE RATE

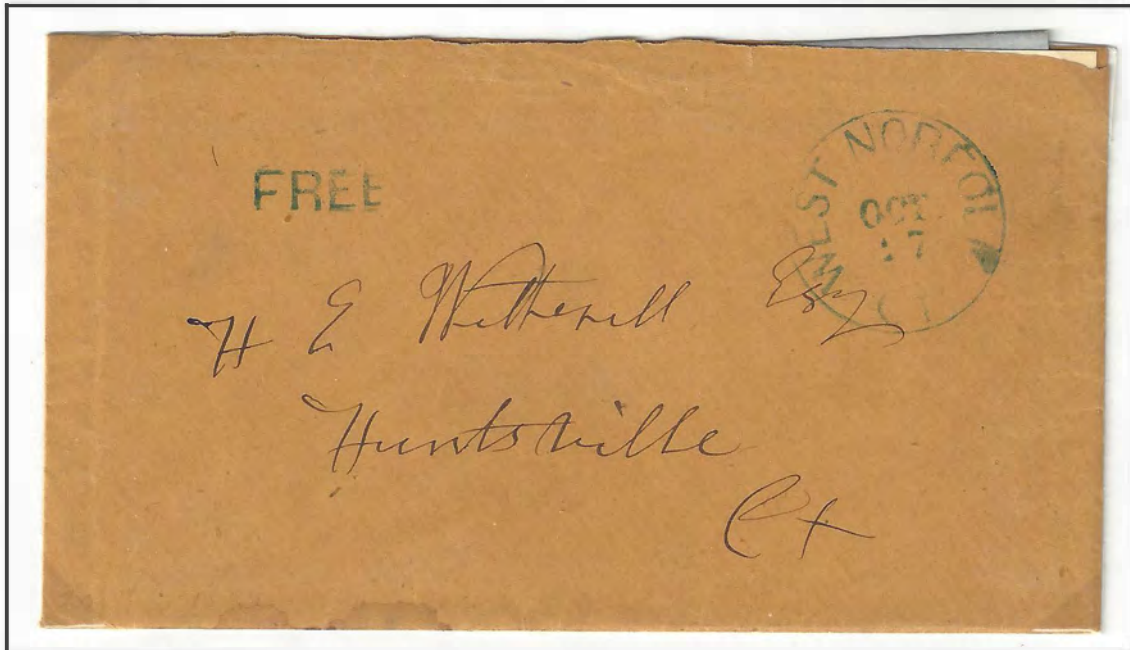


ACT OF MARCH 3, 1845
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1845
PRE-PAID OR NOT
UNDER 300 MILES -- 5 CENTS
OVER 300 MILES -- 10 CENTS

WEST NORFOLK

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

OCTOBER 17, 1859 FREE SINGLE RATE 3000 MILES FROM POSTMASTER



FREE

FREE
 17x5mm
 Blue 1859



WEST NORFOLK CT
 29mm CDS
 Blue 1859 -

WEST WINSTED

5

5
8x11mm
Red 1850



WEST WINSTED CONN
34mm CDS
Red 1850 -

MARCH 13, 1850

SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



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

WEST WINSTEAD

PAID
3

PAID/3
19x19mm
Black 1854 - 1855

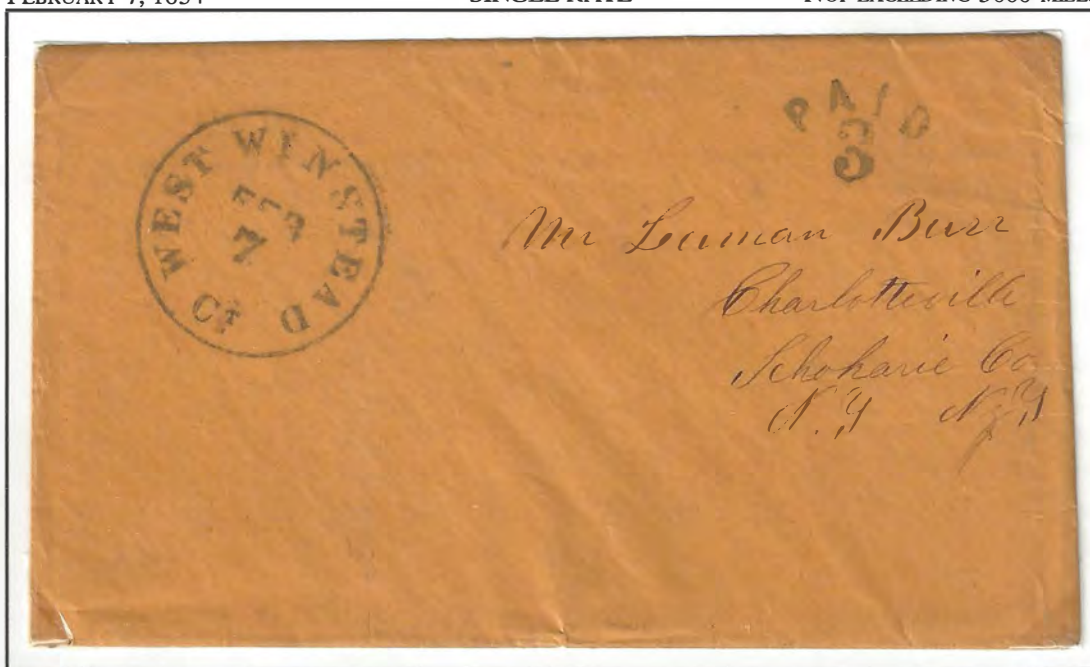


WEST WINSTEAD C^T.
32mm CDS
Black 1854 - 1855

FEBRUARY 7, 1854

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



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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
Greater distances - - - - - 6 Cents
If not prepaid - - - - - 10 Cents

WINCHESTER

MARCH 18, 1832

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



WINCHESTER CT.
31mm CDS
Black 1824 - 1833

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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



5

5
10x14mm
Red 1850 -

PAID

PAID
22x3mm
Red 1850 -

JUNE 27, 1850

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



WINCHESTER Ct.
30mm CDS
Red 1850 -

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

WINCHESTER CENTRE

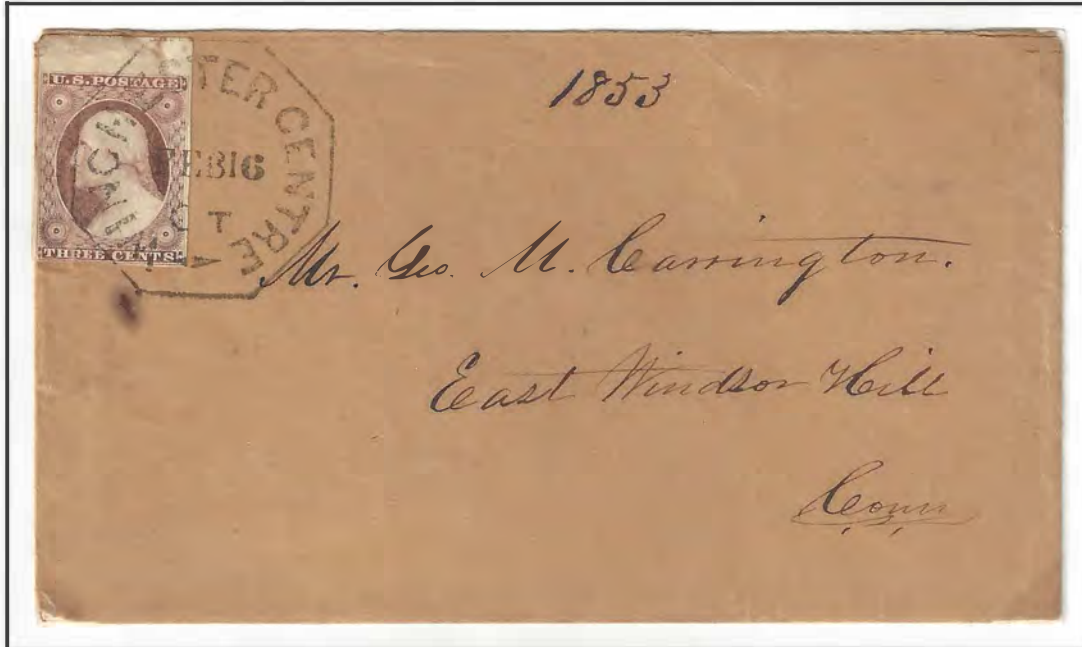


WINCHESTER CENTRE C T
34x34mm (Octagon)
Black 1852 - 1853

FEBRUARY 16, 1853

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



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From and after June 30, 1851
Single Letter Rate 1/2 oz.
Not exceeding 3,000 miles prepaid -- 3 Cents
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If not prepaid ----- 10 Cents

WOODBURY

PAID

PAID
26x6mm
Green 1842 -

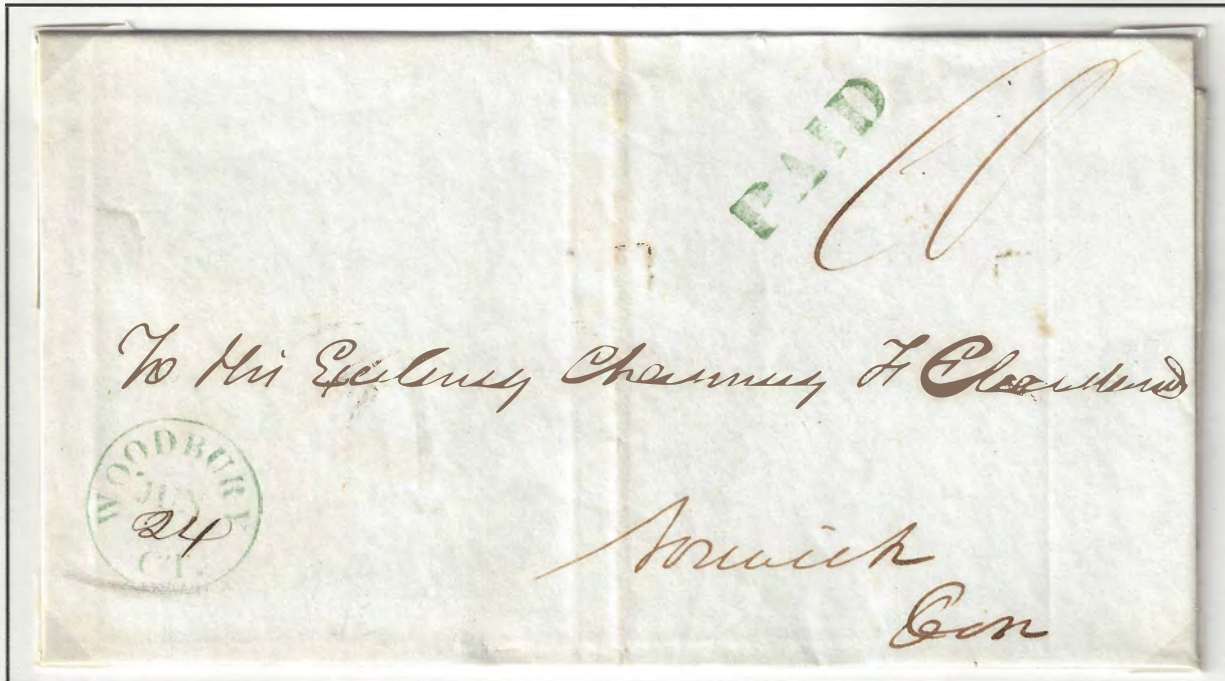


WOODBURY CT.
23mm CDS
Green 1842 -

JUNE 24, 1842

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



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
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WOODBURY

MARCH 11, 1848

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



WOODBURY Ct.
30mm CDS
Red 1848 -



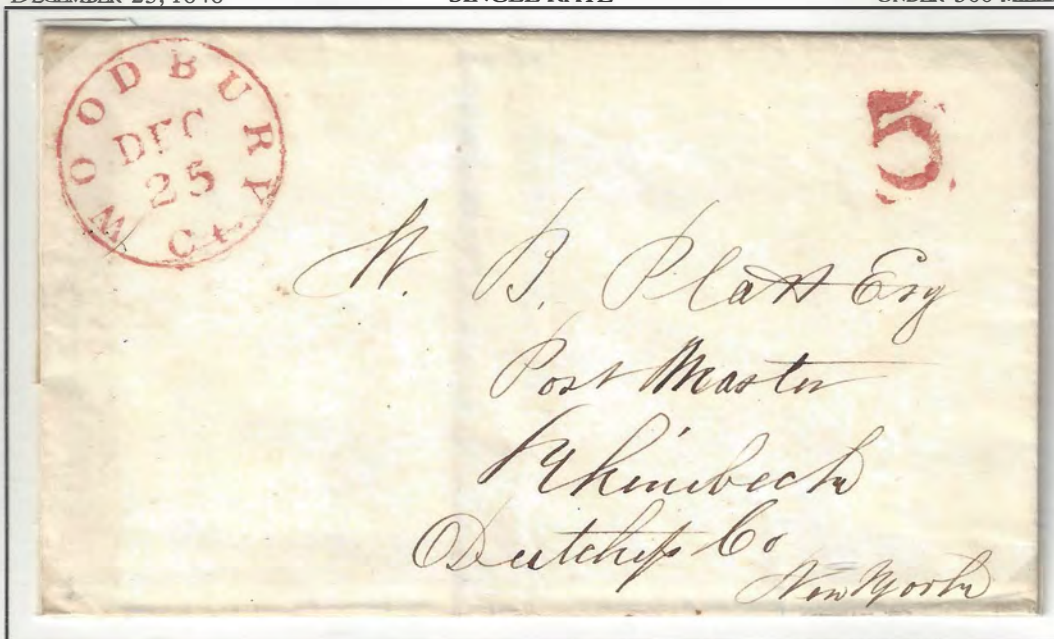
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13x14mm
Red 1848 -

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

DECEMBER 25, 1848

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



5
9x8mm
Red 1848 -