

PORTERSVILLE

POST OFFICE ESTABLISHED - 6 February 1828

POSTMASTERS

Jedediah Randall ----- 6 February 1828

Peleg Denison ----- 19 October 1844

Nathan S. Fish ----- 27 March 1849

CHANGED TO MYSTIC RIVER

2 August 1851

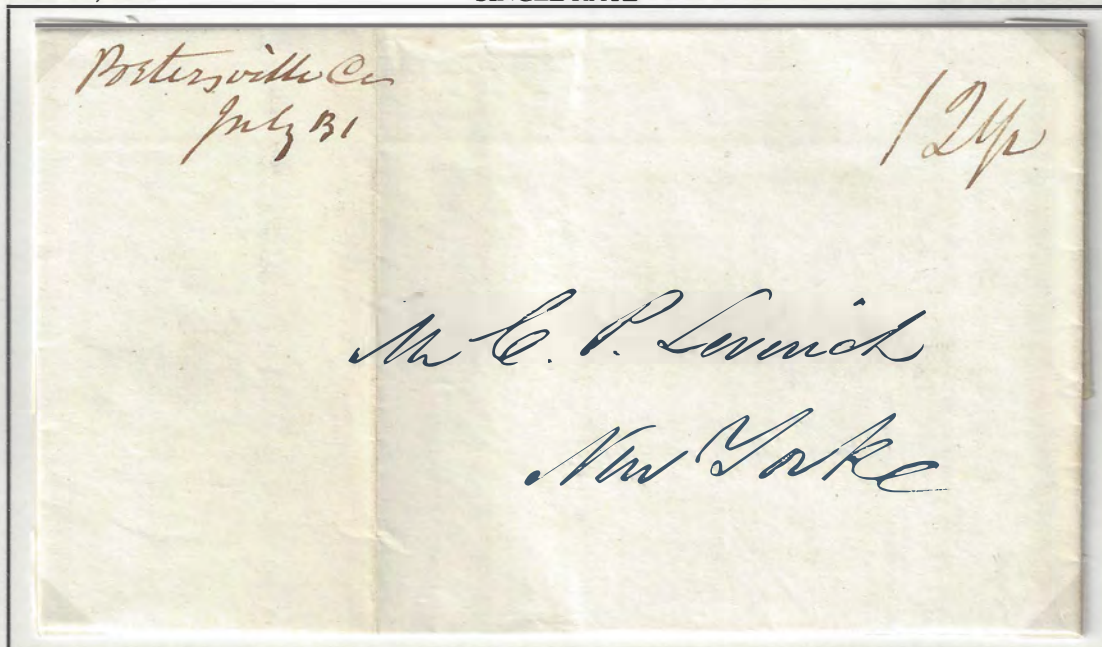
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Portersville Pa
July 31

JULY 31, 1843

UNPAID
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

PORTERSVILLE

AUGUST 29, 1845

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES

PORTERSVILLE CT
(Typed Month)
32mm CDS
Black 1845 -

PAID

PAID (arc)
23x6.5mm
Black 1845 -

5

5
9x7mm
Black 1845 -
Red - 1846 - 1849

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1845
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1845
UNDER 300 MILES -- 5 CENTS
OVER 300 MILES -- 10 CENTS
LOCAL (DROP) ----- 2 CENTS

SEPTEMBER 19, 1845

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES

PORTERSVILLE CT
32mm CDS
Black 1845 -
Red 1846 - 1849

PORTERSVILLE



PORTERSVILLE CT

32mm CDS

Black 1845 -

Red 1846 - 1849

ca 1846 Inverted

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9x7mm

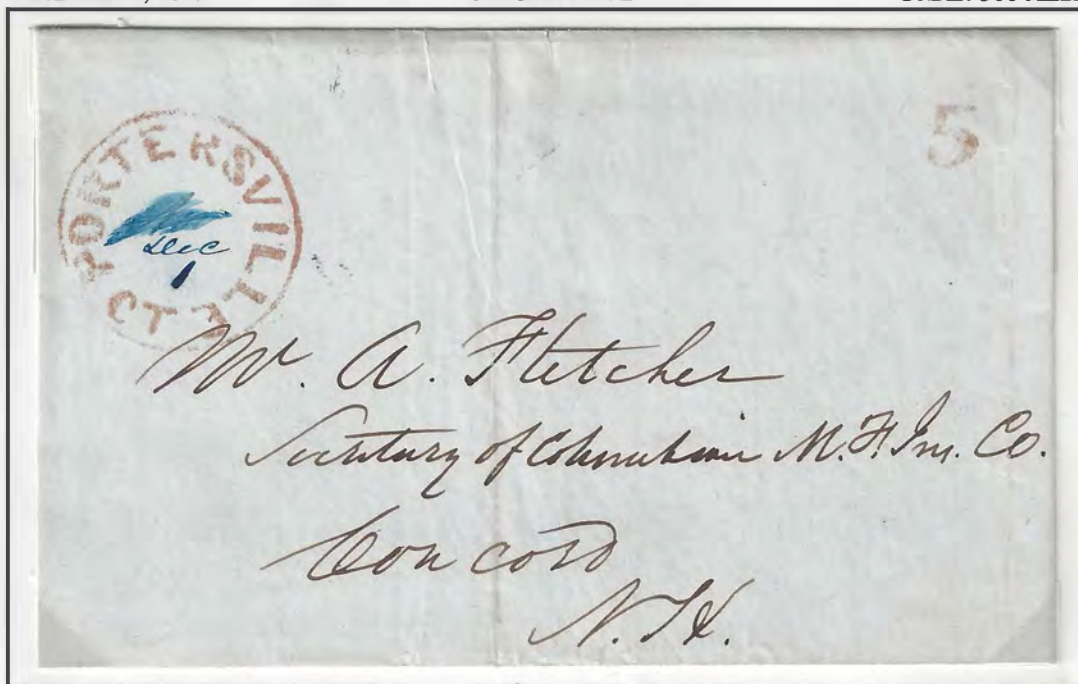
Black 1845 -

Red - 1846 - 1849

DECEMBER 1, 1849

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



AUGUST 19, 1850

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



PORTERSVILLE Ct.

32mm CDS

Red 1850 - 1851

5

5 (large, slant)

11x12mm

Red 1850 - 1851



PORTERSVILLE

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1845

EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1845

UNDER 300 MILES -- 5 CENTS

OVER 300 MILES -- 10 CENTS

LOCAL (DROP) ----- 2 CENTS

DROP RATE

FEBRUARY 16, 1851

SINGLE RATE

LOCAL DROP



PORTERSVILLE Ct.
32mm CDS
Red 1850 - 1851

2

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

3 CENT RATE

Rate in effect for 1 month before

POST OFFICE changed to

MYSTIC RIVER

2 August 1851

PREPAID

JULY 10, 1851

SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



PAID

PAID
16x4mm
Red 1850 - 1851

3

MYSTIC

POST OFFICE ESTABLISHED --- 8 OCTOBER 1830

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

POSTMASTERS

Enoch Burrows ----- 8 October 1830

John Hyde ----- 30 November 1831

Henry Harding ----- 5 March 1835

John Hyde ----- 22 July 1841

Henry Harding ----- 19 October 1844

Charles E. Chester ----- 18 September 1861

George E. Lamphere ----- 9 December 1865

Abel Hinchley ----- 14 August 1867

George E. Lamphere ----- 19 April 1869

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Mystic Ct
June 10th

JUNE 10, 1835

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



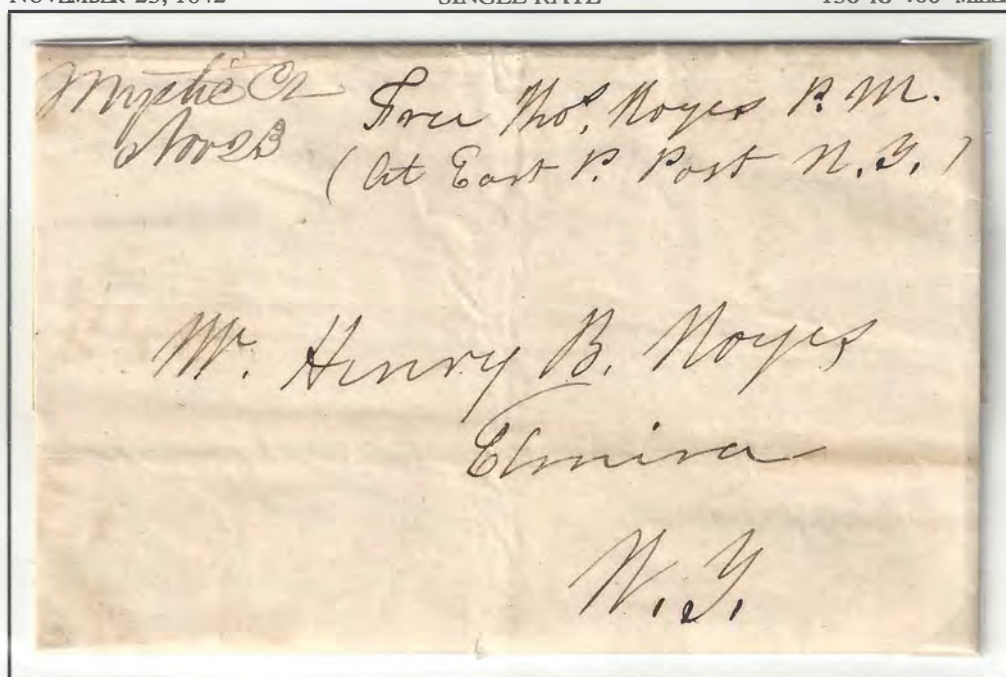
MYSTIC

NON RESIDENT
POSTMASTER FREE FRANK*Mystic Co.
Nov 23*

NOVEMBER 23, 1842

SINGLE RATE

150 TO 400 MILES

*Free Thos. Noyes P.M.
(At East P. Post N.Y.)*FREE THOS. NOYES P.M.
(AT EAST P. POST N. Y.)

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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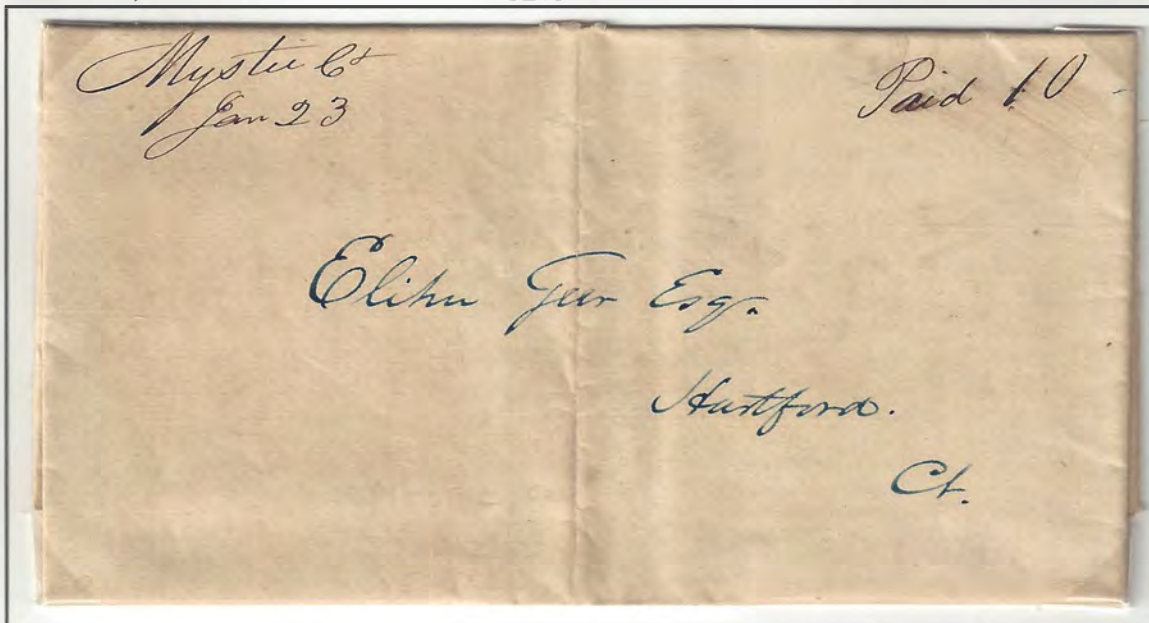
MYSTIC

*Paid 10**Mystic Ct
Jan 23*

JANUARY 23, 1845

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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No. 20
7

J. Harris & Brown
New London

1846

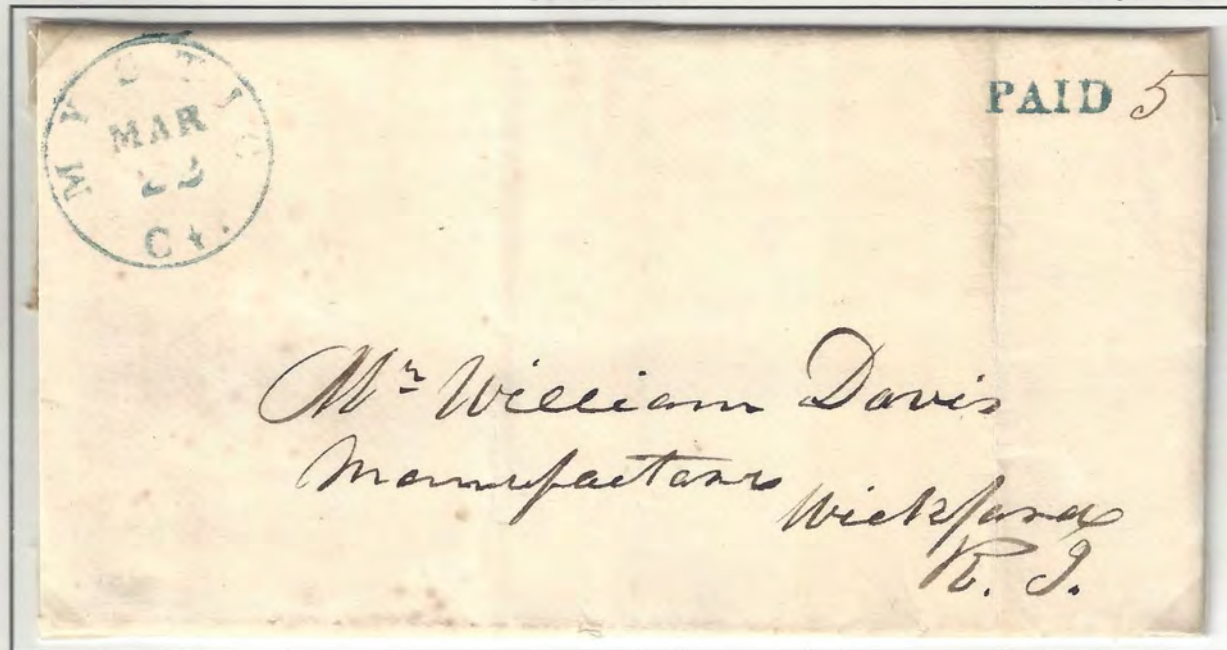
MYSTIC



MARCH 23, 1846

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



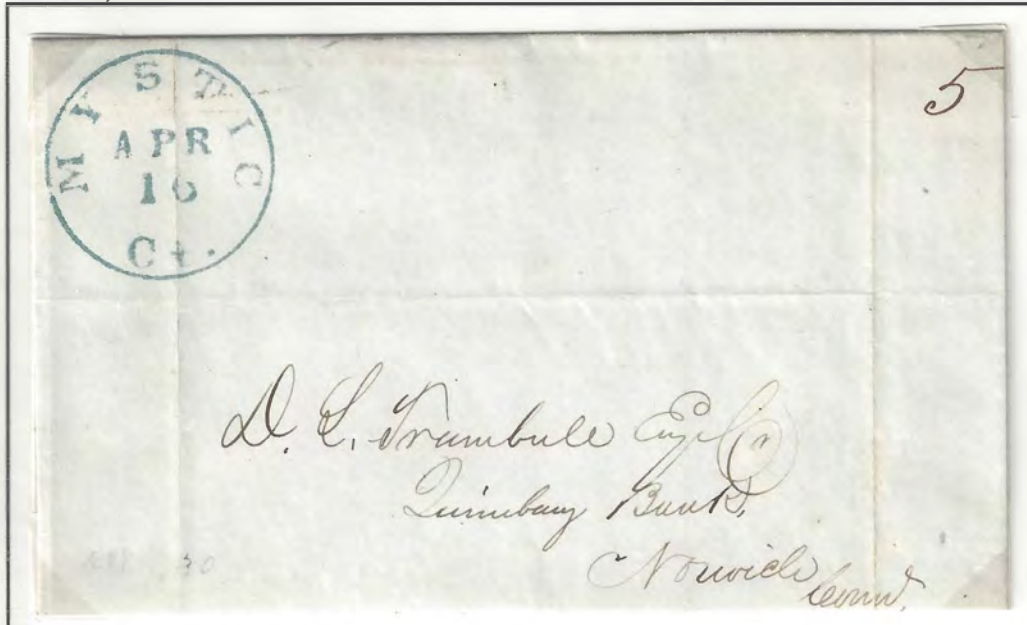
MYSTIC Ct.
30mm CDS
Blue 1846 - 1851
Green 1851 -
Black 1862 -

PAID

PAID
17x4mm
Blue 1846 -
Green 1851 -

5

APRIL 16, 1847 UNPAID SINGLE RATE UNDER 300 MILES



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ACT OF MARCH 3, 1845
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1845
UNDER 300 MILES -- 5 CENTS
OVER 300 MILES -- 10 CENTS

MYSTIC

RATES OF 1845

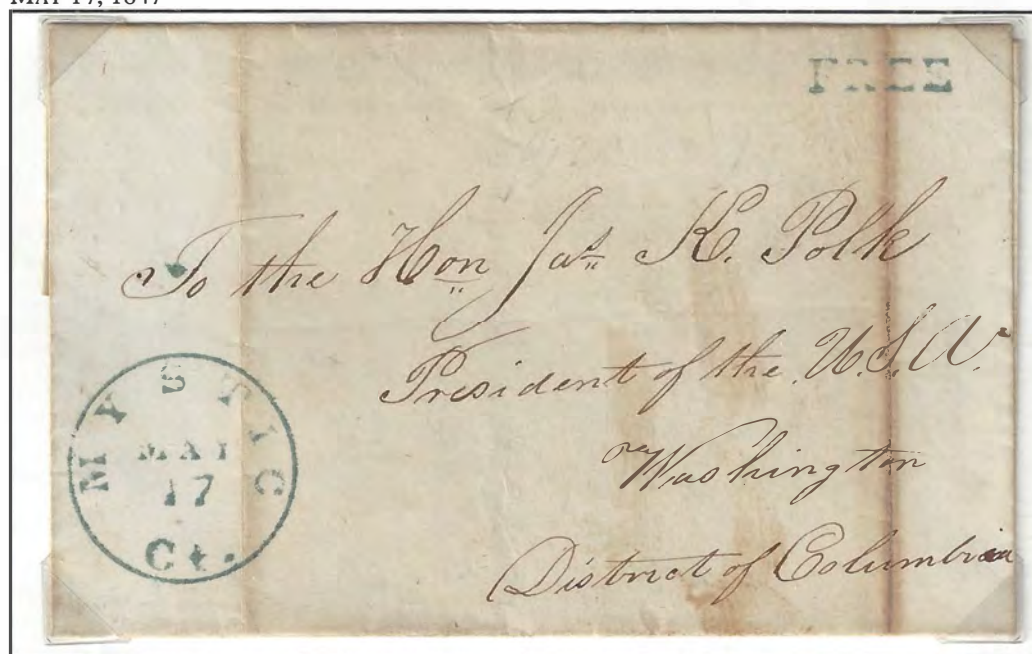
MYSTIC Ct.
30MM CDS
BLUE
E: 1846 MARCH 23
L: 1848 AUGUST 3
GREEN
E: 1851 JULY 28
L: 1852 SEPTEMBER 17
BLACK
E: 1862 JULY 20
L: 1862 OCTOBER 25



FREE

FREE
19x4MM
BLUE
E: 1847 MAY 17
L:

MAY 17, 1847



ADDRESSED TO PRESIDENT JAMES K. POLK

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1845
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1845
UNDER 300 MILES -- 5 CENTS
OVER 300 MILES -- 10 CENTS

Recd.

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Harris & Brown



New London

A.

1848

MYSTIC

GREEN
TOWNMARK



MYSTIC Ct.
30mm CDS
E: 1846 MARCH 23
L: 1848 JANUARY 6
GREEN
E: 1851 JULY 28
L: 1852 JANUARY 16 April 23
BLACK
E: 1862 JULY 20
L:

JULY 28, 1851>

PAID 3

PAID
17x4mm
Blue 1846 - 1851
Green 1851 -
Black 1862 -



1851 January 16>

Scott # 11



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



Mary A. Potter
Syracuse City
in care of Gen Williams
Cous

MYSTIC



MYSTIC Ct.
30mm CDS
Blue 1846 - 1851
Green 1851 -
Black 1862 -

JULY 20, 1862>

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

3000 MILES PREPAID



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
Ship Fee add ----- 2 Cents

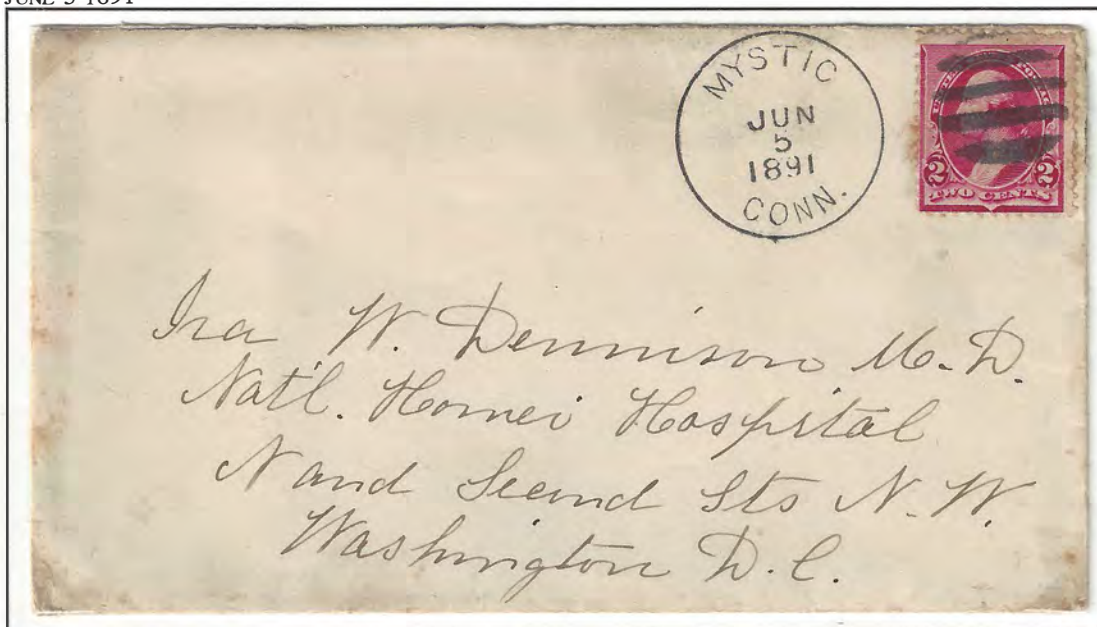
MYSTIC

DUPLEX CANCELS

MYSTIC CONN.
27mm CDS
Black 1891 - 1894



JUNE 5 1891



MARCH 27, 1893



MYSTIC CONN.
27mm CDS
(Small Year)
Black 1893 -

M (circle)
Slanting grid
Black 1893 -

MYSTIC CONN.
27mmCDS
(Small Year)
Black 1893 -

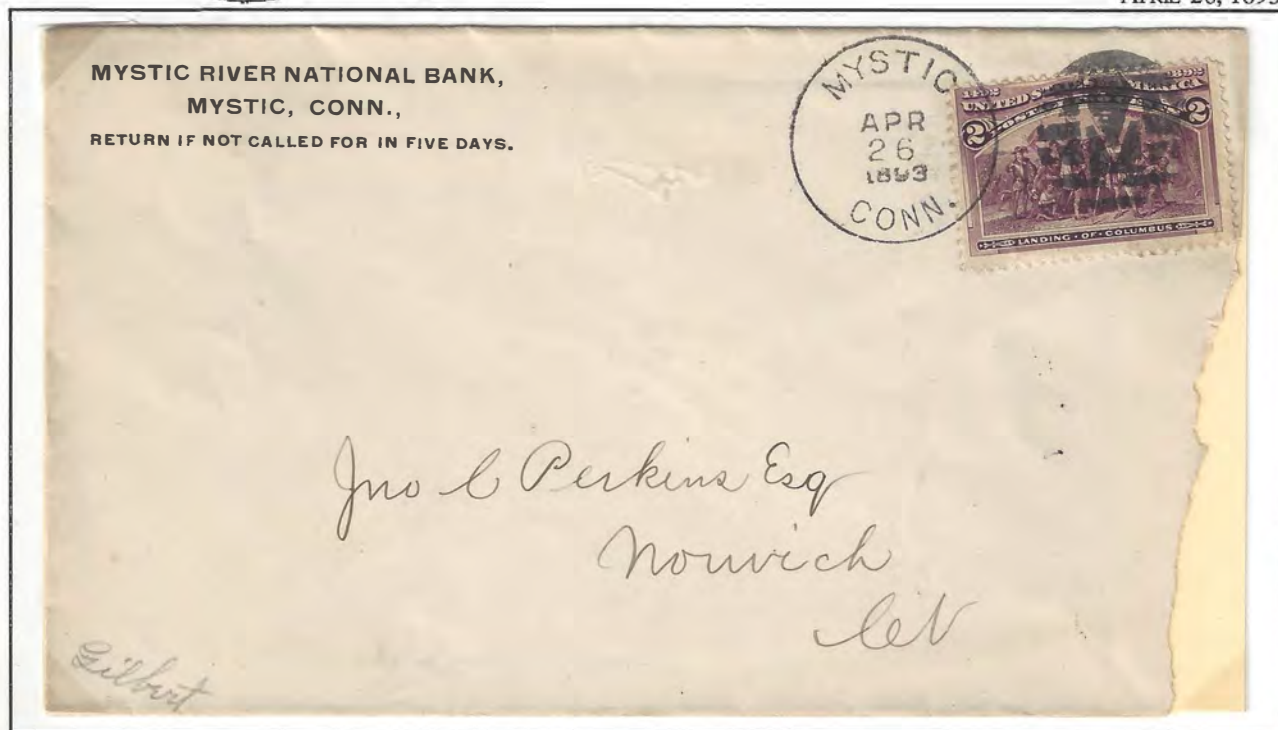


MYSTIC

M (circle large)
Straight grid
Black 1893 -

DUPLEX CANCELS

APRIL 26, 1893



MYSTIC CONN.
27mm CDS
(Small Year)
Black 1893 -



M (circle)
Straight grid
Black 1893 -

JULY 1, 1893



DUPLEX CANCELS

NOVEMBER 21, 1893

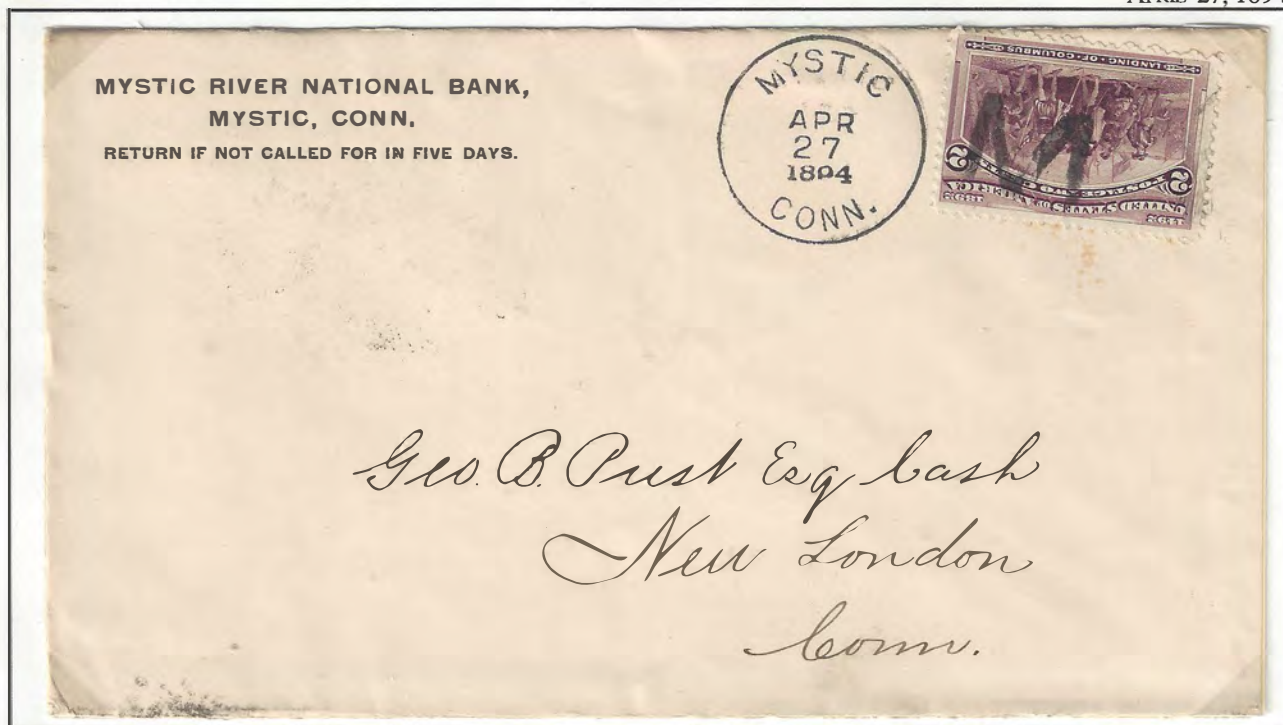


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MYSTIC CONN.
27mm CDS
(Small Year)
Black 1893 - 1894

M
16x10mm
Black 1893 - 1894
1893 - Nov 21
1894 - April 27
1894 - May 23

APRIL 27, 1894



not called for in 5 days, return to
THE WILCOX
LEANDER WILCOX,
MANUFACTURER OF
SUCCESSFUL FERTILIZERS,
MYSTIC 780 WORKS,



M. J. Emerson Dart
New London
Conn.

MYSTIC

MYSTIC CONN. w/ US
28mm CDS
Black 1899 -



DUPLEX CANCELS

SEPTEMBER 23, 1899



MYSTIC CONN. w/ Grid
29mm CDS
Black 1909 -



AUGUST 17, 1909



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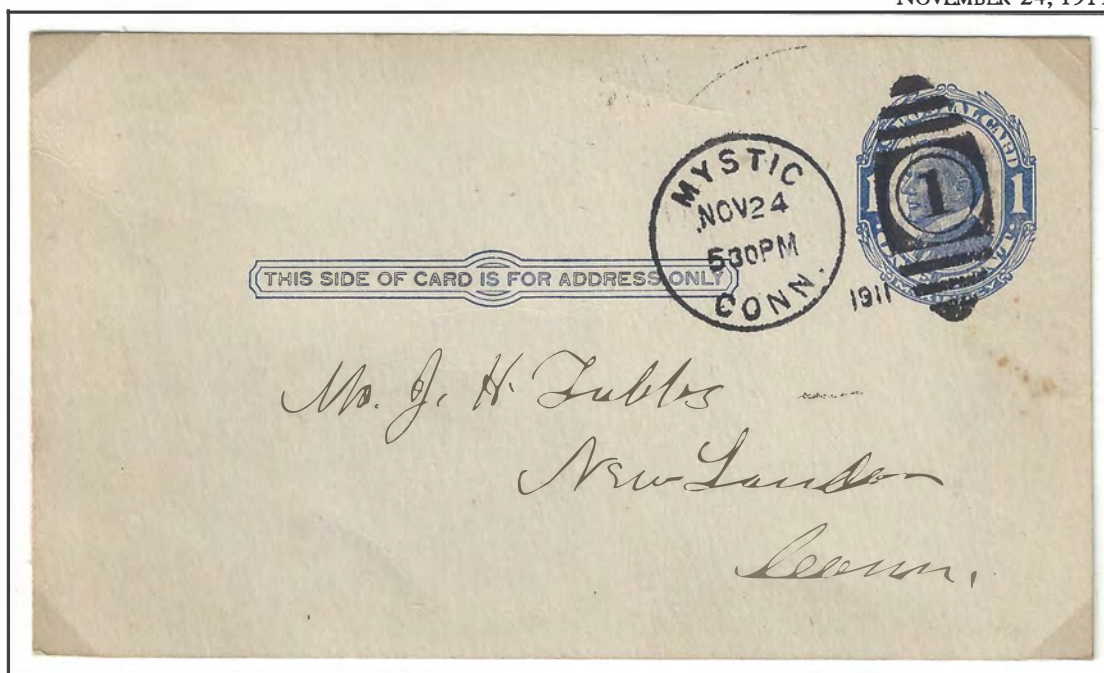


Mr. J. H. Subler
New London
Conn.

MYSTIC CONN. w/ 1
25mm CDS
Black 1910 - 1911



NOVEMBER 24, 1911



MYSTIC BRIDGE

POST OFFICE ESTABLISHED --- 6 FEBRUARY 1828

POST OFFICE CHANGED TO MYSTIC --- 20 JUNE 1890

WAY LETTERS

OCTOBER 26, 1831

SINGLE RATE

80 TO 150 MILES



STONINGTON, OCTOBER 26, 1831



MYSTIC BRIDGE, CT.
30mm CDS
Black 1831 - 1832

Way 13 1/2

POSTMASTERS

Benjamin F. Palmer ----- 6 February 1828
David Mallory ----- 30 November 1844
Edwin R. Gallup ----- 20 October 1854
Peter Forsyth ----- 30 June 1855
Thomas H. Lovett ----- 12 May 1858
Benjamin G. Greene ----- 31 January 1861
John A. Rathburn ----- 28 August 1865
Joseph M. Freeman ----- 28 September 1867
John A. Rathburn ----- 22 January 1868
Joseph S. Williams Jr. ----- 11 February 1868
John A. Rathburn ----- 8 April 1869
Joseph S. Williams Jr. ----- 27 January 1886
Ebenezer P. Crouch ----- 28 January 1890

NOVEMBER 2, 1832

SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



STONINGTON, NOVEMBER 21, 1832

Way 11

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

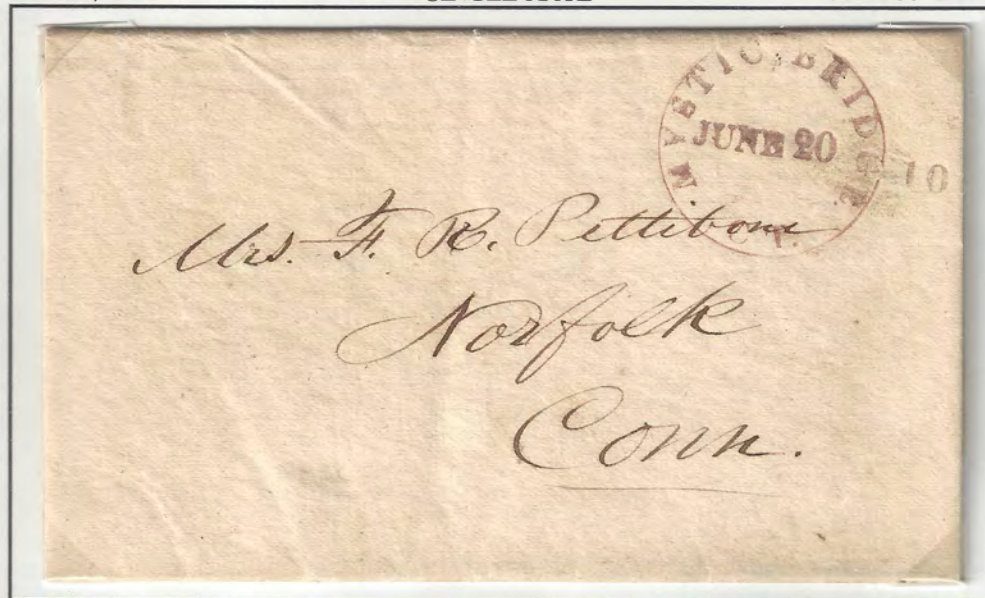
MYSTIC BRIDGE

ATTACHED RATES

JUNE 20, 1836

SINGLE RATE

30 TO 80 MILES



MYSTIC. BRIDGE. CT. // 10
30mm CDS
Brown 1836 -

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

CONGRESSIONAL FREE FRANK

DECEMBER 19, 1836

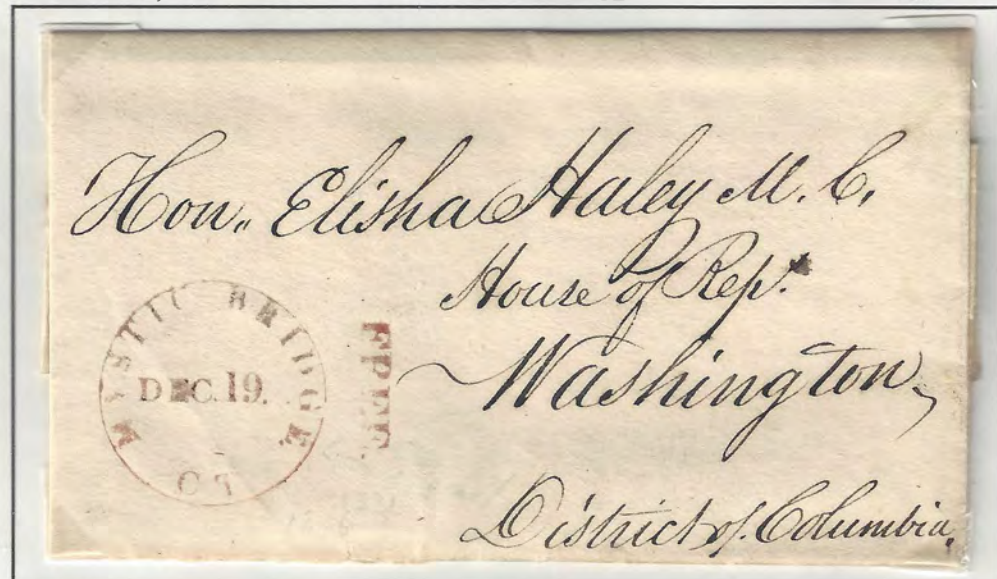
FREE
SINGLE RATE

150 TO 400 MILES



FREE

MYSTIC. BRIDGE. CT. // FREE
30mm CDS
Brown, 1836 -



G. 1836 Dec 16

L. 1836 Dec 19

1837 Jan 30

Mystic Bridge
Dec. 14 A

C

James A. Hovey Esq
Norwich

W

1844

MYSTIC BRIDGE

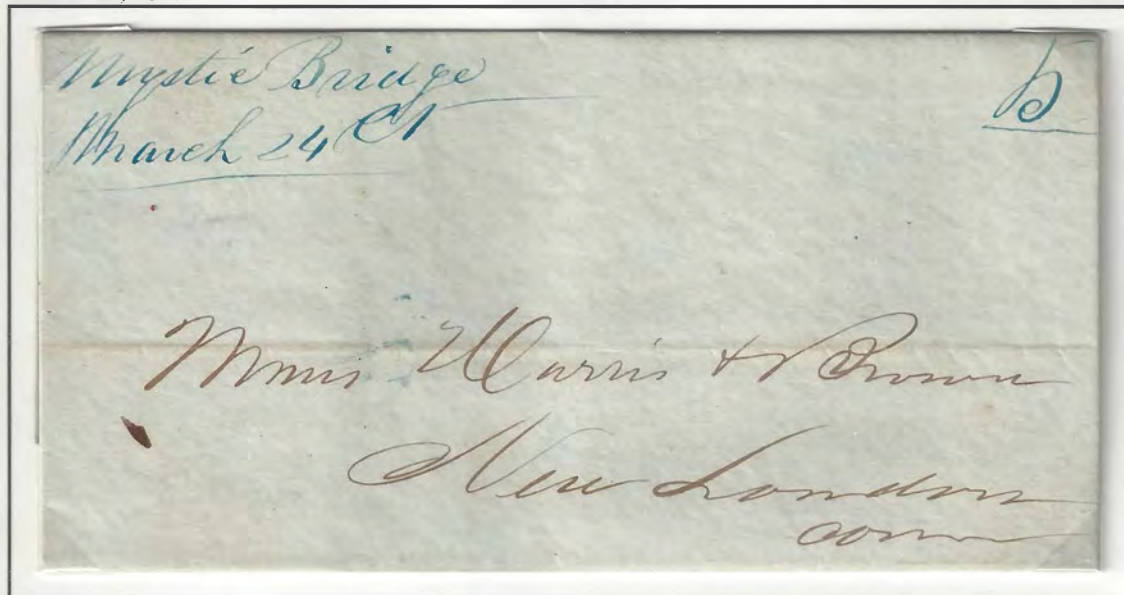
ACT OF MARCH 3, 1845
EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1845
UNDER 300 MILES -- 5 CENTS
OVER 300 MILES -- 10 CENTS

Mystic Bridge
March 24 CT

MARCH 24, 1847

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



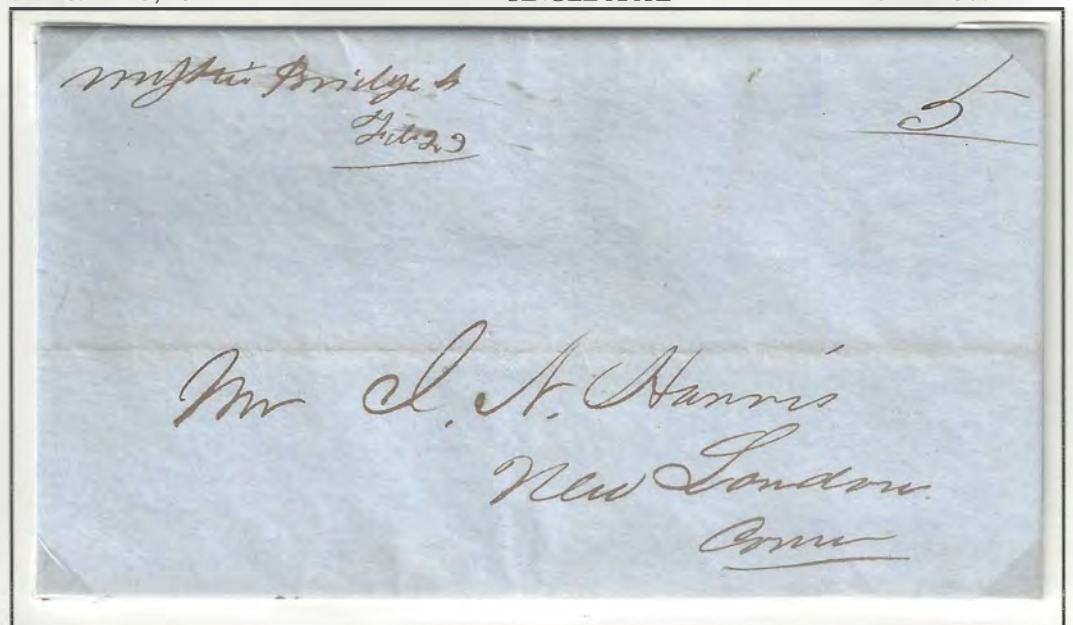
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Mystic Bridge 6
Feb 23

FEBRUARY 23, 1849

UNPAID
SINGLE RATE

UNDER 300 MILES



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MYSTIC BRIDGE

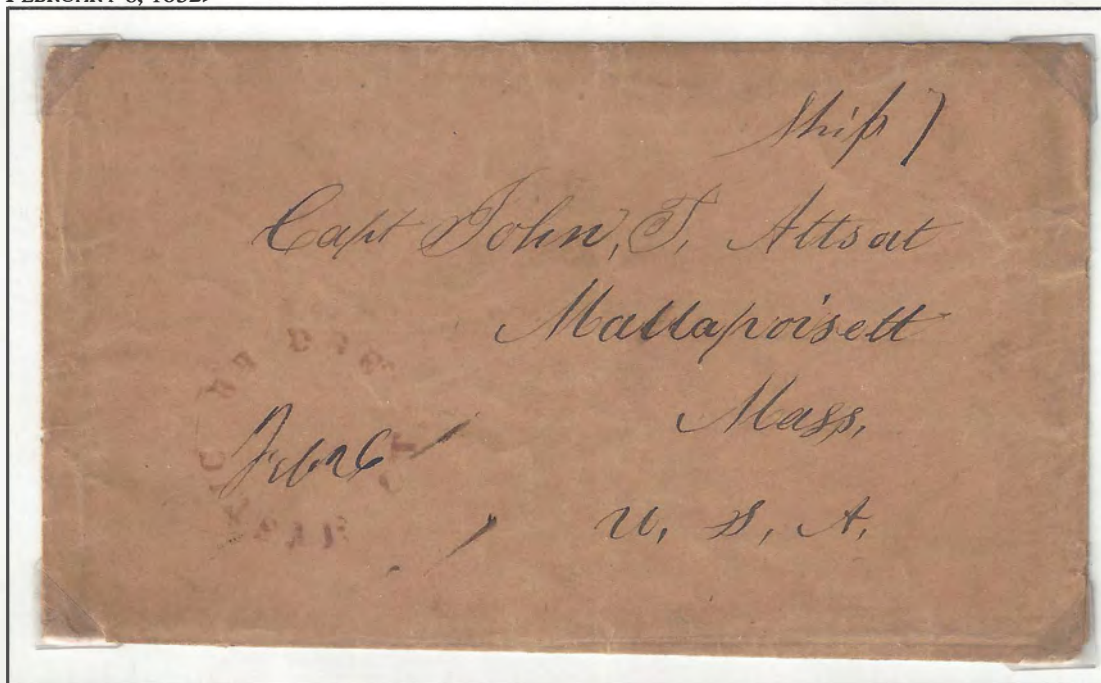
SHIP LETTER

MYSTIC BRIDGE CT
 30MM CDS
 (WORN RIM. MANUSCRIPT DATE)
 RED
 E: 1852 FEBRUARY 6
 L: 1852 MARCH 9



Ship 7

FEBRUARY 6, 1852>



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
 INCOMING SHIP ADDITIONAL ----- 2 CENTS

MYSTIC BRIDGE

FEBRUARY 7, 1852>



PREPAID LETTERS
SINGLE RATE
NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



MYSTIC BRIDGE CT
30mm CDS
(worn rim, manuscript date)
Red 1852 -

FEBRUARY 19, 1852>

Paid 3



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

MARCH 29, 1852>



PAID/3
19mm
Red 1852 - 1853
Black 1854 -

MYSTIC BRIDGE

AUGUST 26, 1852>



MYSTIC BRIDGE CT
28mm CDS
Red 1852 - 1853
Black 1854 - 1855



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

NOVEMBER 1, 1853>



PAID/3
19mm
Red 1852 - 1853
Black 1854 -



MYSTIC BRIDGE

PREPAID LETTERS
SINGLE RATE
NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES

FEBRUARY 30, 1854>



MYSTIC BRIDGE CT
28mm CDS
Red 1852 - 1853
Black 1854 - 1855



PAID/3
19mm
Red 1852 - 1853
Black 1854 -

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

OCTOBER 13, 1855



MYSTIC BRIDGE

TWICE
FORWARDED

MYSTIC BRIDGE Ct.
33MM CDS
BLACK
E: 1858 DECEMBER 28
L: 1859 MARCH 1

DECEMBER 28, 1858

SCOTT # 26



MAILED FROM MYSTIC BRIDGE Ct. ON 28 DECEMBER 1858, PREPAID WITH A 3 CENT STAMP TO MAYSVILLE KY. MR. PALMER NOT BEING PRESENT AT THAT PLACE, THE LETTER WAS FORWARDED. THE MAYSVILLE KY TOWNMARK WAS APPLIED AS WELL AS THE MANUSCRIPT NOTATION *Ford 3* AND SENT TO LEXINGTON KY. MR. PALMER WAS ALSO NOT PRESENT IN LEXINGTON. THE POST OFFICE FORWARDED THE LETTER TO FRANKFORT, MARKING THE LETTER WITH THE LEXINGTON TOWNMARK AND ADDED 3 CENTS POSTAGE FOR A TOTAL OF 6 CENTS DUE.

MYSTIC BRIDGE

OCTOBER 29, 1864

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE



MYSTIC BRIDGE CT
29mm DC (no year)
Black 1864 - 1867



Circle (4 ring)
19mm
Black 1864-1867

FORWARDED FROM MENDON TO WEST MEDWAY, MA

Act of March 3, 1863
Effective June 30, 1863
Compulsory Prepayment
Single Letter Rate 1/2 oz.
Any distance ----- 3 Cents
Drop letters ----- 2 Cents
Printed matter ---- 2 Cents

NOVEMBER 12, 1867

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE



MYSTIC BRIDGE



Negative Star
16mm
Black 1868 -

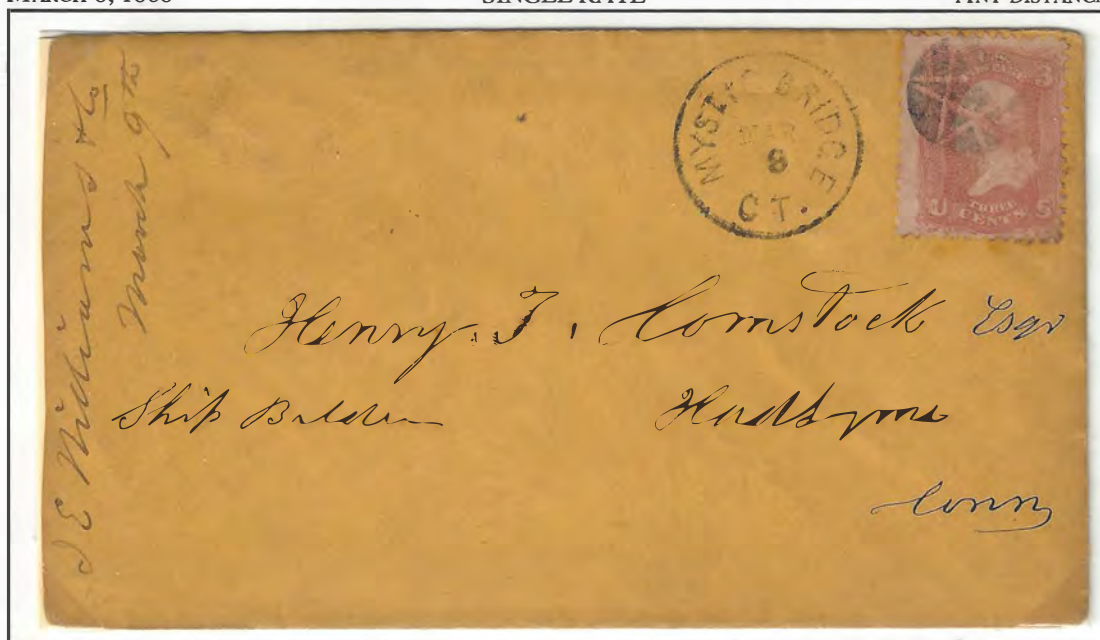


MYSTIC BRIDGE CT.
24mm CDS
Black 1868 -

MARCH 8, 1868

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE



Act of March 3, 1863
Effective June 30, 1863
Compulsory Prepayment
Single Letter Rate 1/2 oz.
Any distance - - - - 3 Cents
Drop letters - - - - 2 Cents
Printed matter - - - 2 Cents



Return to
GREENMANVILLE MAN'G COMPANY,
MYSTIC BRIDGE, Conn.,
If not delivered within 10 days.



A L Chester Esq
Newbury R. I.

MYSTIC BRIDGE

MYSTIC BRIDGE CT.
 26MM CDS
 BLUE
 E: 1876 MAY 15
 L: 1876 JULY 2



JULY 2, 1876



MAY 15, 1876



CROSSROAD
 22MM
 BLUE
 E: 1876 MAY 15
 L: 1876 JULY 2
 BLACK
 E: 1876 DECEMBER 11



MYSTIC BRIDGE

DECEMBER 11, 1876

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE



MYSTIC BRIDGE CONN.
26mm CDS (date/month)
Black 1876 - 1887



Crossroad
22mm
Black 1876 -

Act of March 3, 1863
Effective June 30, 1863
Compulsory Prepayment
Single Letter Rate 1/2 oz.
Any distance - - - - - 3 Cents
Drop letters - - - - - 2 Cents
Printed matter - - - - - 2 Cents
Private ship letters - Double rate



MYSTIC BRIDGE CONN.
26mm CDS (month/date)
Black 1879 -



Cross Hatch
24mm
Black 1879 -

SEPTEMBER 30, 1879

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE



MYSTIC BRIDGE



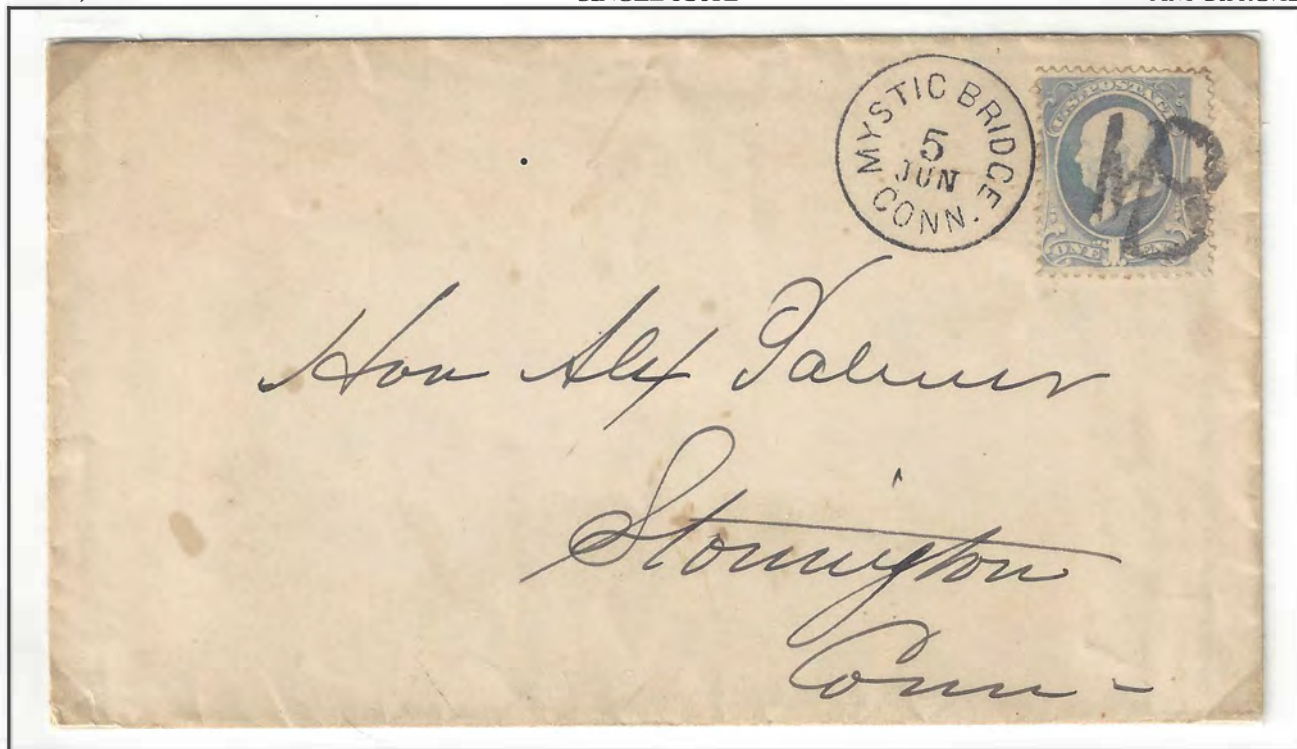
MYSTIC BRIDGE CONN.
26mm CDS (date/month)
Black 1876 - 1887

MB
16x20mm
Black 1881 -

JUNE 5, 1881

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE





Ira W. Denson
South Manchester
Conn

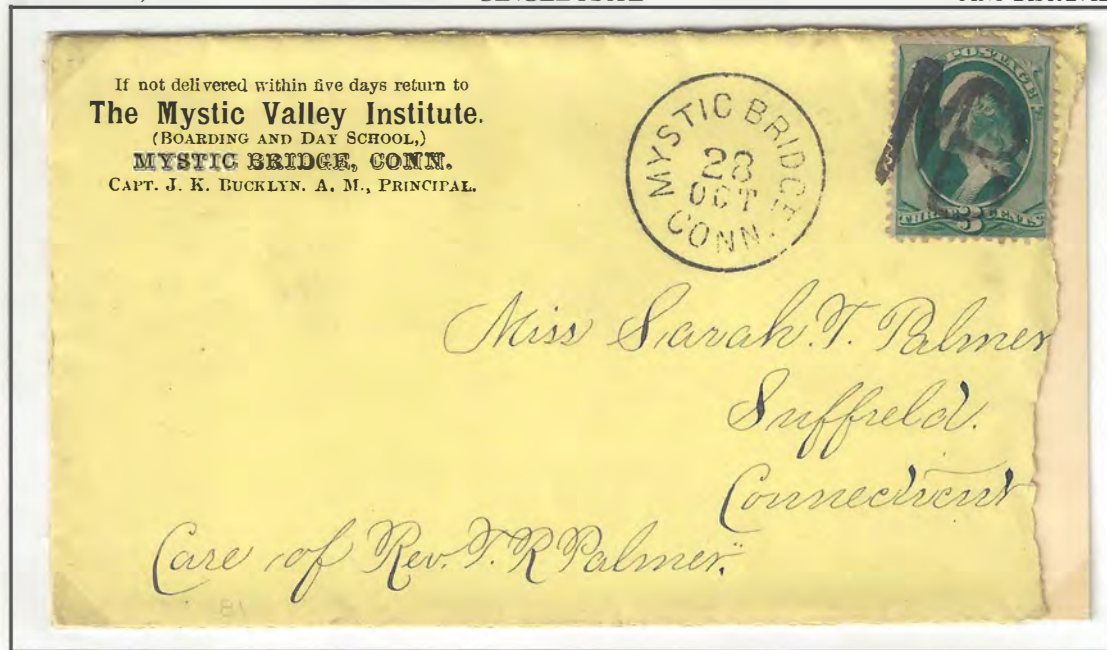
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MYSTIC BRIDGE

OCTOBER 28, 1881

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE



MYSTIC BRIDGE CONN.
26mm CDS (date/month)
Black 1876 - 1887

MB

MB
17x19mm
(M 3/4 to base)
Black 1881 -
E: 1881 Jun 5
L: 1883 Jan 21

SEPTEMBER 13, 1884

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE



MB

MB
17x18mm
(M to base line)
Black 1884 -

E: 1884 Sept 13
L: 1887 Jun 17



Hubbard

Mrs. Sarah

Hallwell

Maine



The Rev. Dr. Jewett,

Rector Trinity Church,

Norwich.

Sumner & }
Archdeaconry }
Conn.

MYSTIC BRIDGE

MARCH 8, 1887

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE



MYSTIC BRIDGE CONN.
26mm CDS (date/month)
Black 1876 - 1887



V Arrow
Black 1887 -

MB
17x18mm
(M to base bold)
Black 1887 -



JUNE 17, 1887

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE





Mr Ira Warren Denison
310 East 18 St
New York
N.Y.



Miss Jenny Fish
3-23 Lafayette Ave.
Brooklyn.
New-York.

MYSTIC BRIDGE

MISSSENT TO
MYSTIC BRIDGE, CONN.



MISSSENT TO
MYSTIC BRIDGE, CONN.
35.5x12mm
Violet 1883 -

MYSTIC BRIDGE CONN.
26mm CDS (date/month)
Black 1876 - 1887

NOVEMBER 14, 1883>

SINGLE RATE

ANY DISTANCE



MYSTIC RIVER

POST OFFICE ESTABLISHED - 10 DECEMBER 1810

POSTMASTERS

Zadiel Rogers ----- 10 December 1810
 John Hyde ----- 15 May 1819
 Enoch Burrows ----- 6 February 1828

POST OFFICE DISCONTINUED -- 7 OCTOBER 1830
 TO MYSTIC

RE-ESTABLISHED -- 2 AUGUST 1851
 FORMERLY PORTERSVILLE

POSTMASTERS

Nathan S. Fish ----- 2 August 1851
 Caleb E. Tufts ----- 28 December 1853
 Dwight Ashbey ----- 8 June 1861
 John Gray ----- 21 October 1867
 Warren W. Packer ----- 12 April 1869

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*Mystic Ct.
 June 18*

JUNE 18, 1812

UNPAID
 SINGLE RATE

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 LETTERS AT PORT -- 6 CENTS
 SHIP LETTERS OTHER PO ADD 2 CENTS

MYSTIC RIVER

PREPAID WITHOUT STAMP

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

AUGUST 23, 1851

SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



MYSTIC RIVER-Ct,-
 33mm CDS
 Blue 1851 - 1852
 Black 1853 - 1855



PA3ID
 25x12 mm
 Blue 1851 -



PREPAID BY STAMP

SEPTEMBER 8, 1851

SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES



Cork cancel
 20mm
 Blue 1851 -



MYSTIC RIVER

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

FIVE CENT FORWARDING

APRIL 19, 1853>

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

NOT EXCEEDING 3000 MILES

MYSTIC RIVER-Ct.,
33mm CDS

Blue 1851 - 1852

Black 1853 - 1855

FORWARDING FEE OF 5 CENTS APPLIED AT MYSTIC RIVER

PAID

PAID

11x4mm

Black 1855 - 1857

10

10

12x11mm

Black 1855 -

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

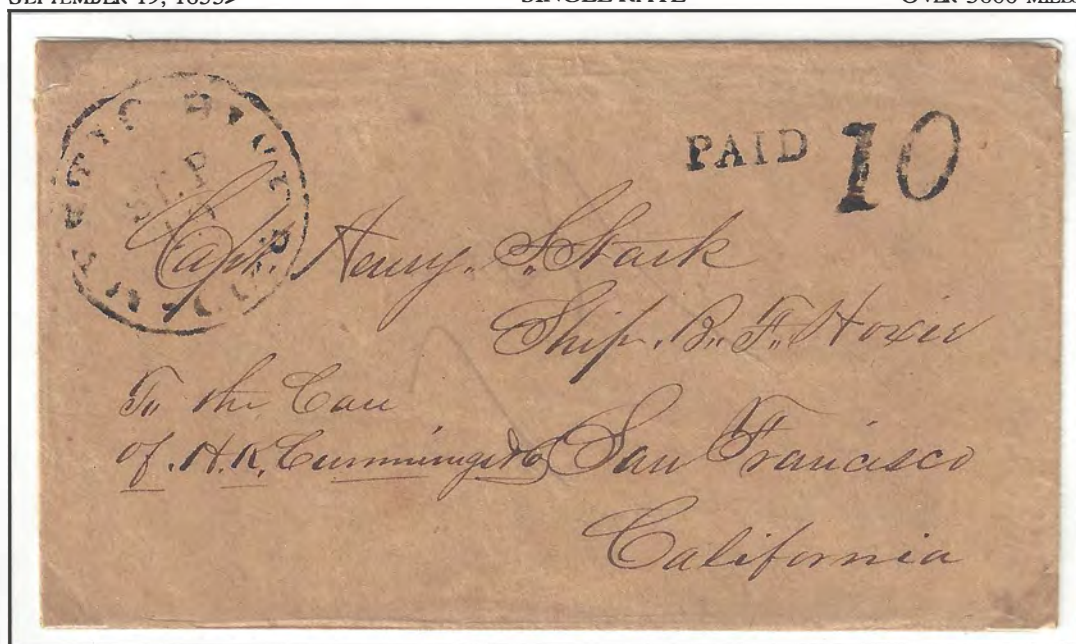
Double letters ----- Double rates

PREPAID OVER 3000 MILES

SEPTEMBER 19, 1855>

PREPAID
SINGLE RATE

OVER 3000 MILES



MYSTIC RIVER



MYSTIC RIVER C.T.
36mm CDS
Black 1856 - 1857

STAMP COLOR VARIETY

MAY 29, 1856>

3000 MILES PREPAID



JULY 1, 1856>

3000 MILES PREPAID



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



MYSTIC RIVER CT.
36mm CDS
Black 1856 - 1860

PAID 24/9

SHIP "ADRIATIC"

Departed New York - 21 Nov. 57
Arrived Liverpool - - 4 Dec. 57
Arrived London - - - 5 Dec. 57



London Arrival Mark



Liverpool Arrival Mark

SEPTEMBER 8, 1857

MYSTIC RIVER.

BRITISH ISLE POSTAL RATE

PREPAYMENT OPTIONAL

Single Letter - - 1/2 oz - - 24 Cents

RATE BREAKDOWN IS:

United States Postage - - 5 Cents

United States Packet - - 16 Cents

British Inland Postage - - 3 Cents

Double Letter - - 1 oz - - - 48 Cents

NOVEMBER 19, 1857

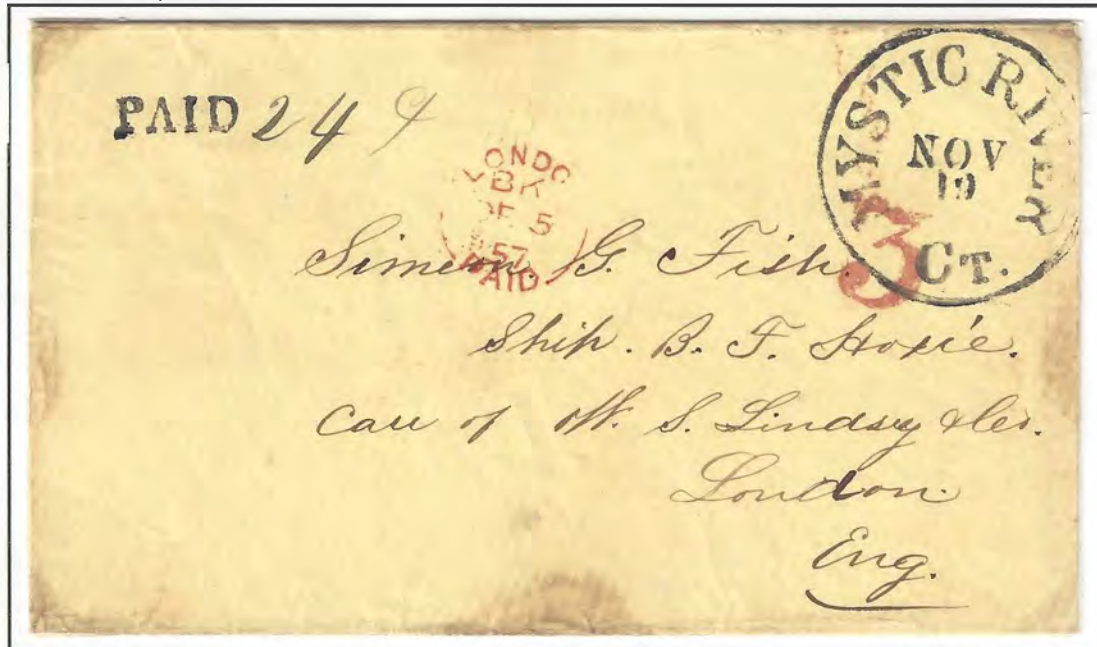
AMERICAN PACKET
COLLINS LINE SHIP

BRITISH ACCOUNT MARKING

3

3 Cents due Britain

SINGLE RATE



*Hermandad C. H. Hermandad
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DOUBLE RATE

148^e

BRITISH ACCOUNT MARKING

6

6 Cents due Britain

Backstamped



Cork Arrival Mark

SHIP "ATLANTIC"

Departed New York - 12 Sep. 57
Arrived Liverpool - - 23 Sep. 57
Arrived Cork Ire. - - 24 Sep. 57





MYSTIC RIVER CT.
36mm CDS
Black 1856 - 1860

PAID

24¢

SHIP "AFRICA"
Departed New York - 8 Dec. 57
Arrived Liverpool - - 20 Dec. 57
Arrived London - - - 21 Dec. 57



London Arrival Mark

MYSTIC RIVER

BRITISH ISLE POSTAL RATE
PREPAYMENT OPTIONAL
Single Letter - - 1/2 oz - - 24 Cents
RATE BREAKDOWN IS:
United States Postage - - 5 Cents
British Packet Postage - 16 Cents
British Inland Postage - - 3 Cents
Double Letter - - 1 oz - - - 48 Cents

BRITISH PACKET
CUNARD LINE SHIP

BRITISH ACCOUNT MARKING

19

19 Cents due Britain

DECEMBER 8, 1857

SINGLE RATE



To Africa via Liverpool

OCTOBER 26, 1857

DOUBLE RATE



48¢

BRITISH ACCOUNT MARKING

38

38 Cents due Britain

SHIP "ASIA"

Departed New York - 28 Oct. 57
Arrived Liverpool - - - 9 Nov. 57
Arrived London - - - 10 Nov. 57

MYSTIC RIVER



MYSTIC RIVER C T.
36MM CDS
BLACK
E: 1856 MAY 29
L: 1860 OCTOBER 6

OCTOBER 6, 1860 ←



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Double letters - - - - Double rates



OCTOBER 3, 1861

3000 MILES PREPAID



SCOTT # 64, PINK.

MYSTIC RIVER CT
25mm CDS
(mspt date)
Black 1861 - 1869

MYSTIC RIVER CT
25mm CDS
(Narrow letters)
Black 1861 - 1869



LATE USE OF 3 CENT 1857

OCTOBER 12, 1861

3000 MILES PREPAID



Circle (4)
28mm
Black 1861 -

MYSTIC RIVER



Star
18nn
Black 1863 -



MYSTIC RIVER CT
25mm CDS
(Narrow letters)
Black 1861 - 1869

HAWAIIAN (SANDWICH) ISLANDS

AUGUST 29, 1863 ^{To 1863}



7 Cents due the United States to
make up the Over 3000 mile rate.

POSTAGE DUE IN HAWAII

DUE 7

DUE 7
32x12mm
Black 1863 -

144

Due ----- 7 Cents ^{10 CENTS}
Ship rate ----- 2 Cents ^{OK}
Hawaiian Rate - 5 Cents ^{OK}
14 Cents

⁺³
17 CENTS
Postage Rate US EAST COAST TO HAWAII

To Aug 30 1863

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

Ship "General Williams" in off Pinalap: in Apr 1863 PCHWPEI