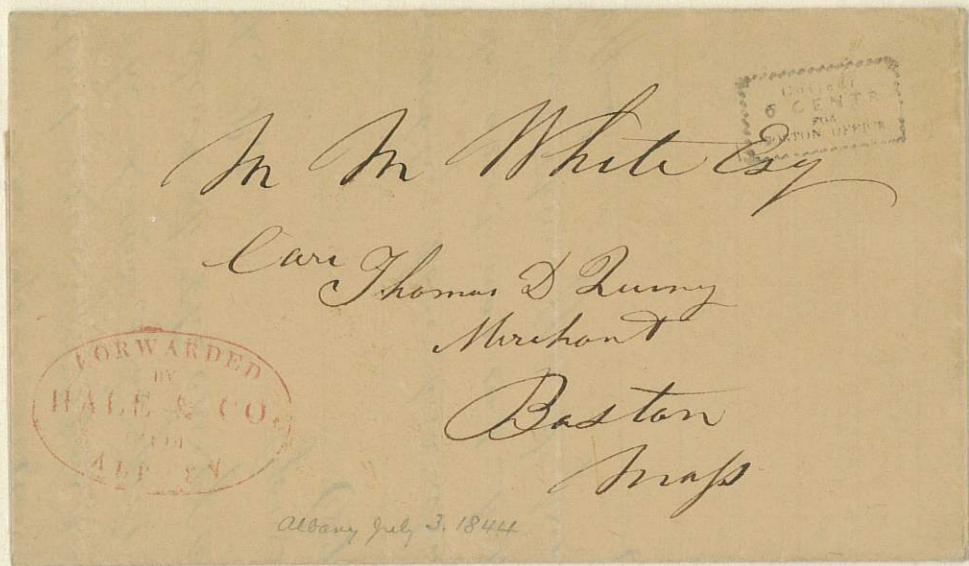


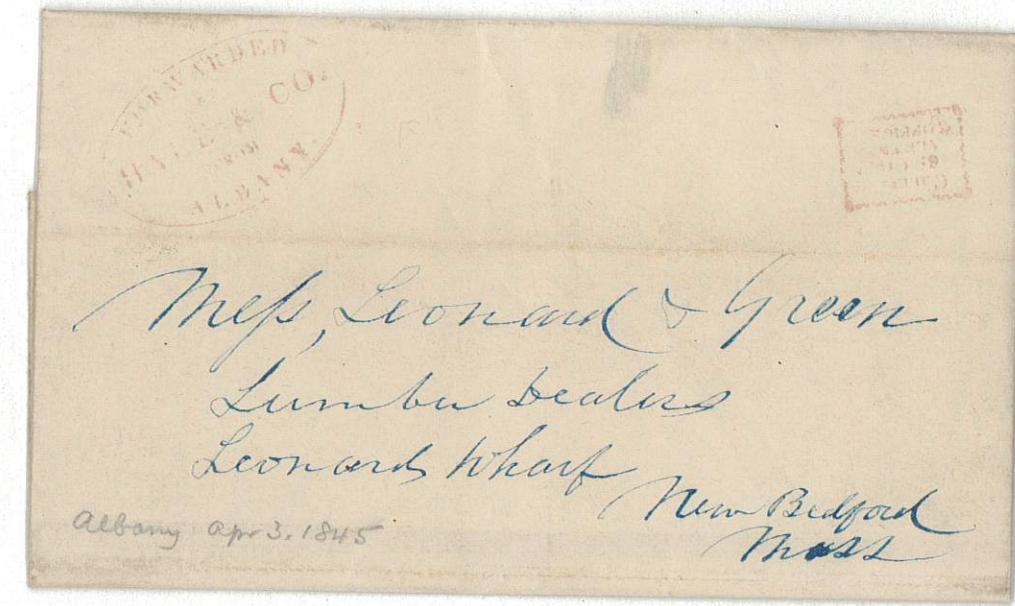
Albany, New York to Boston, Massachusetts dated 7/3/44. This letter bears a red F-1 forwarding handstamp and a black C-9 collect handstamp. The C-9 was applied in Boston. This is the earliest known letter originating in Albany although there are two earlier letters originating in Troy that entered the Hale system through the Albany office.



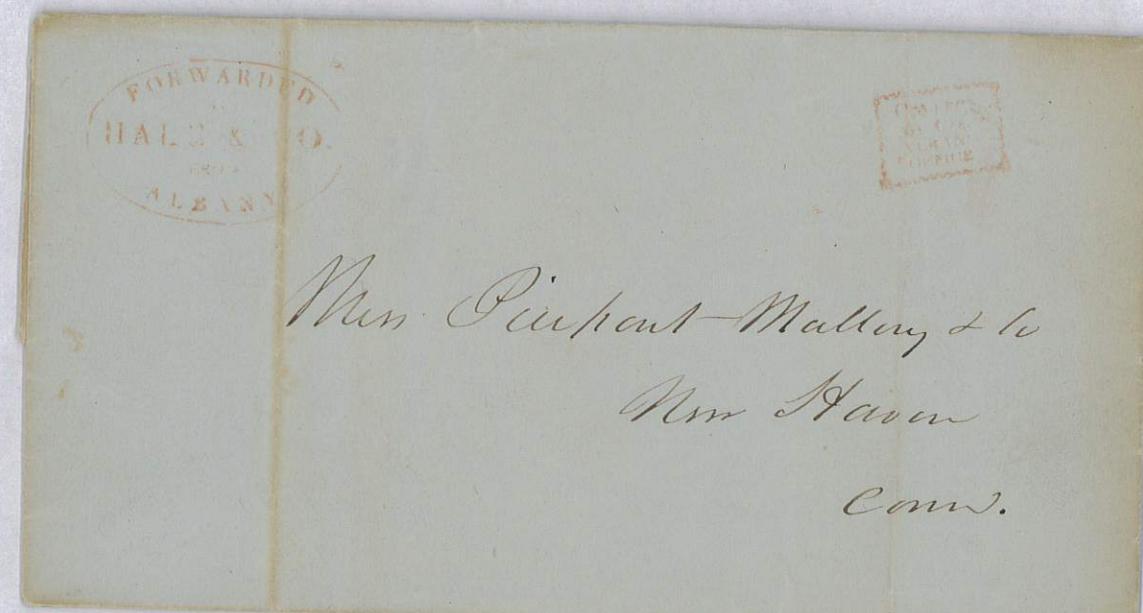
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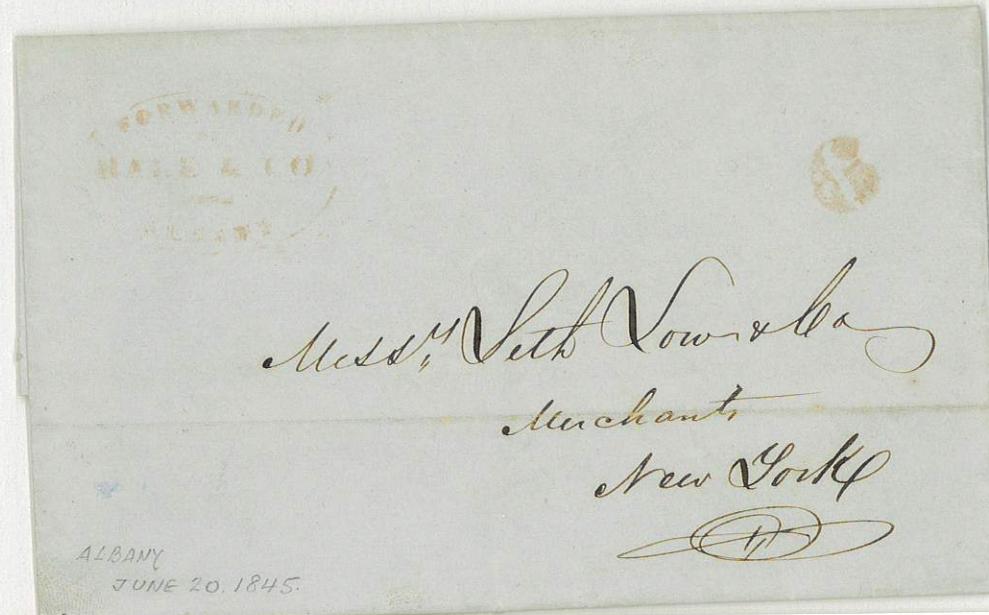
Albany, New York to New Bedford, Massachusetts dated 4/3/45. This letter bears a red F-1 forwarding handstamp and a red collect handstamp that may have been applied by Brainard or American Letter Mail. This collect handstamp is not known appearing with a Brainard forwarding handstamp and may indicate Brainard was not Hale's agent in 1845.



Albany, New York to New Haven, Connecticut dated 3/28/45. It bears a red Albany F-1 forwarding handstamp and a collect handstamp that is not Hale.

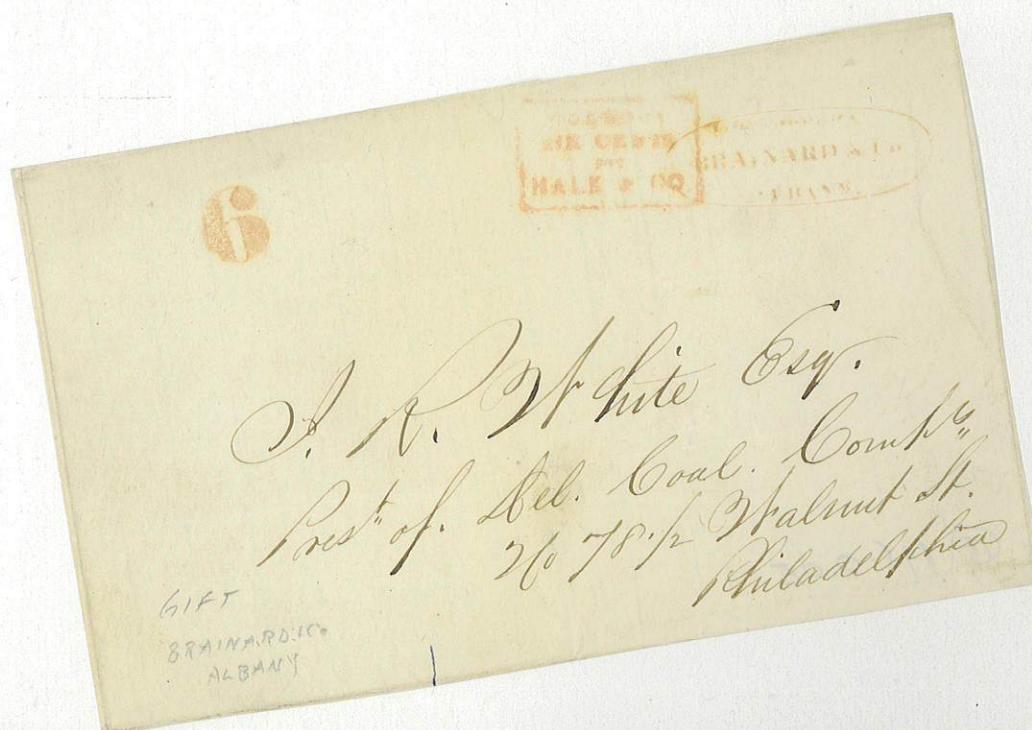


Albany, New York to New York City date 6/20/45. This letter bears a red F-1 forwarding handstamp and a red C-12 collect handstamp.



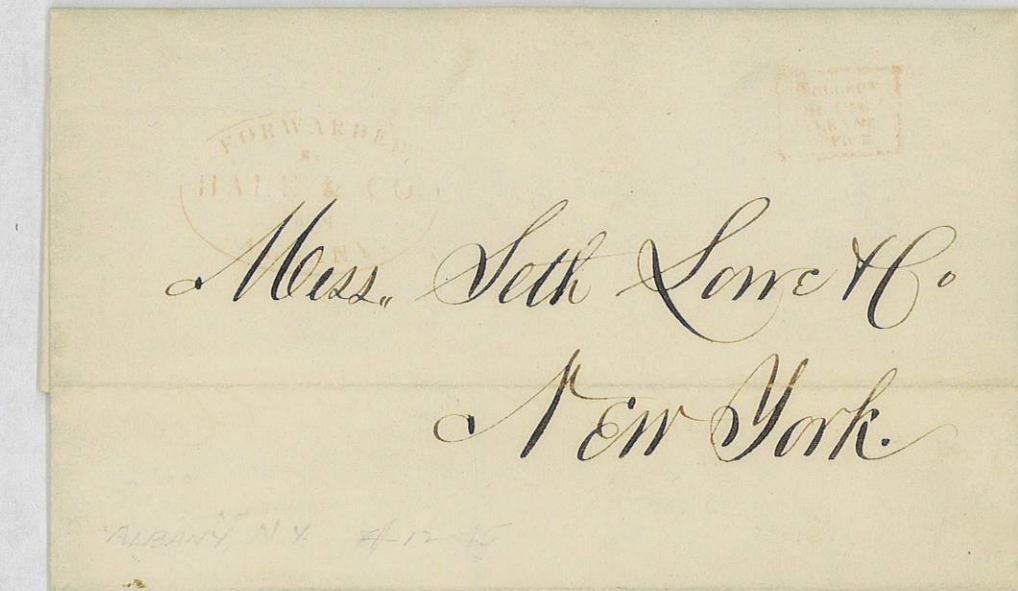
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Albany, New York to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania undated front piece. This front piece bears a red F-1 forwarding handstamp, a red C-12 collect handstamp, a red C-4 collect handstamp and a red Brainard forwarding handstamp. The C-4 was used in Boston, Salem and Hartford and therefore it is not clear how it got onto this letter.

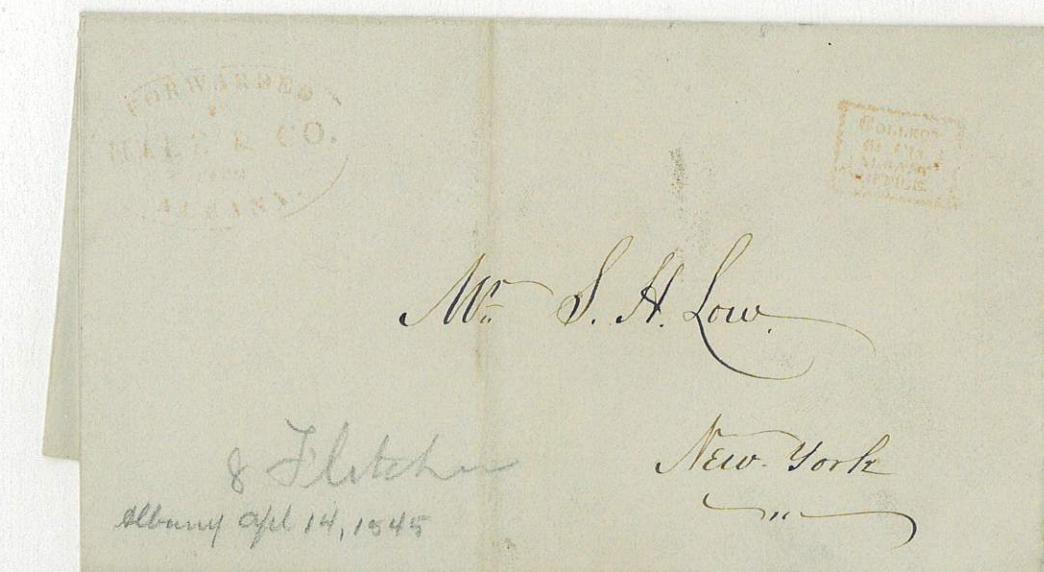


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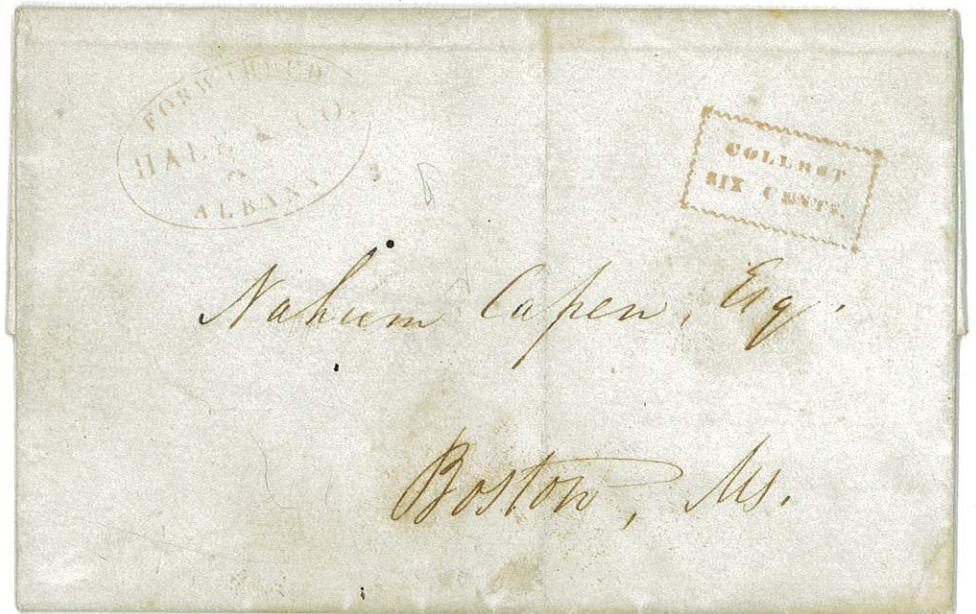
Albany New York to New York City dated 4/12/45. This letter bears a red Albany Hale F-1 forwarding handstamp and a red Brainard BRA-C-2 collect handstamp and therefore is a **conjunctively carried letter**.



Albany, New York to New York City dated 4/14/45. this letter bears a red F-1 forwarding handstamp and a red collect handstamp that may have been applied by Brainard or American Letter Mail. The letter also bears a manuscript "8 Fletcher" notation, perhaps a New York address.



Albany, New York to Boston, Massachusetts dated 4/21/45. This letter bears a red F-1 forwarding handstamp and a red C-6 collect handstamp. The C-6 was applied in Boston.



Albany, New York to New York City dated 6/2/45. This letter bears a red F-1 forwarding handstamp and a red collect handstamp that may have been applied by Brainard or American Letter Mail.

