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CLEVELAND, O.



P. M. Return if not called for in 10 days.



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Wholesale and Retail
GROCERS,

Nos. 29 & 30
East Side Public Square,
WILKES BARRE, PA.



Mr. James Brown.

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Huntingdon Co
Pa

W. P. Smoot & Co.
June 30/90
Soda Fountain



Mr. A. Smith
Sutton, N.Y.
April 13. 1890

Mr. R. Smith

Chateaugay

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Mutual Life Assurance Association.
Meeting of Directors every Tuesday evening, at
the Insurance Room, No. 209 Harrison
Ave. Communications addressed to
C. WILLARD CARTER, Secretary,
140 Pearl St., BOSTON.



Chas Simpson

Bagtown - Greens Co

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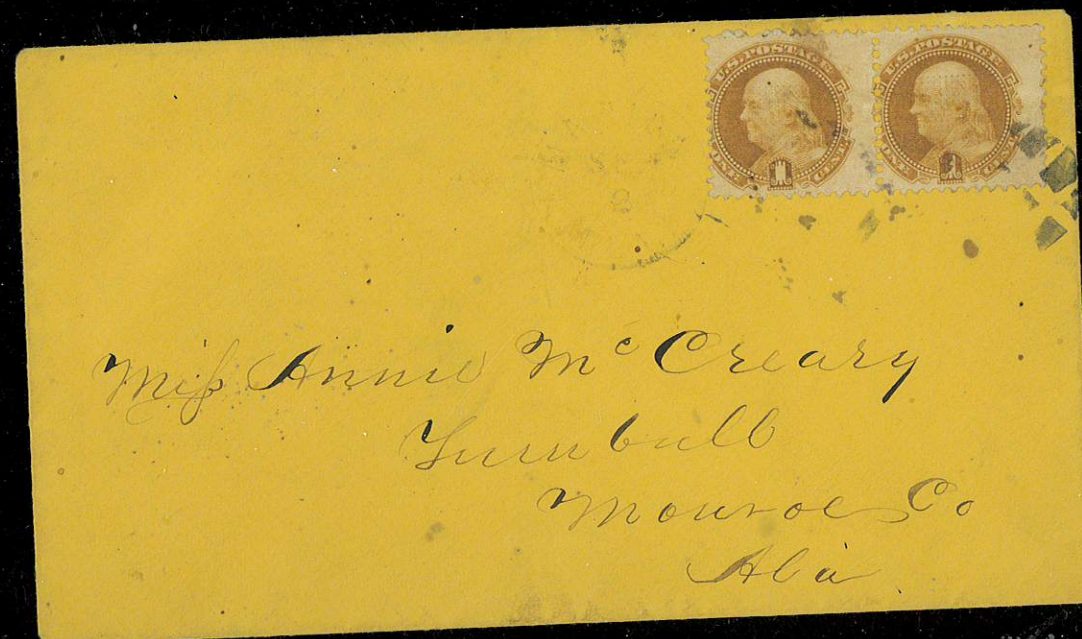
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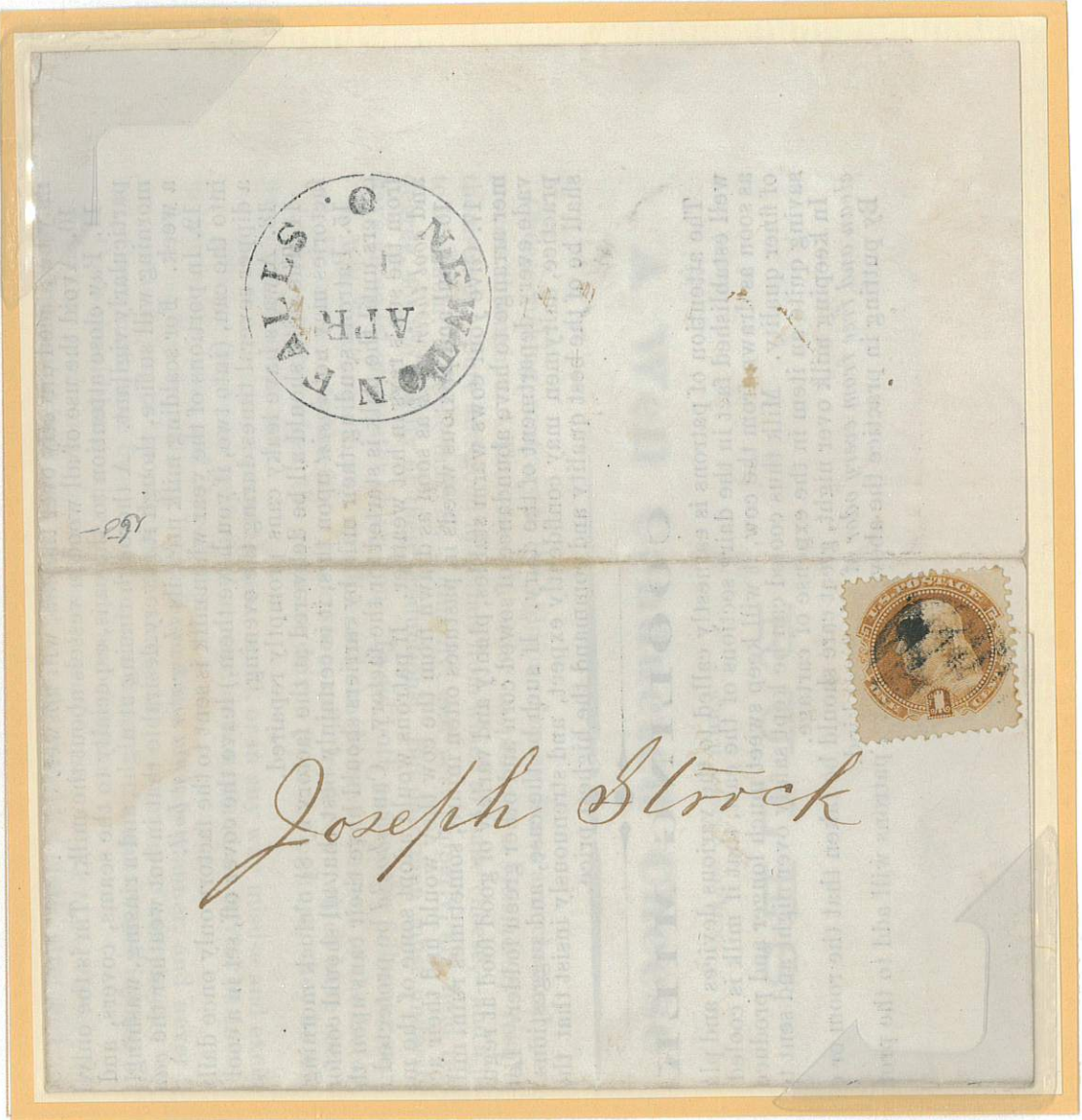


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1.1. Single Uses

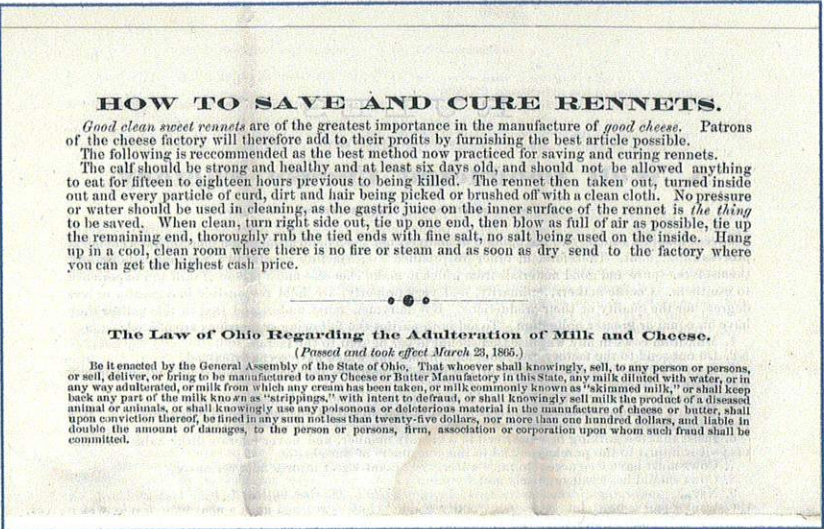
Drop Letters & Circulars

Rate: 1¢ for ½ oz. drop letter, folded from rennets circular.

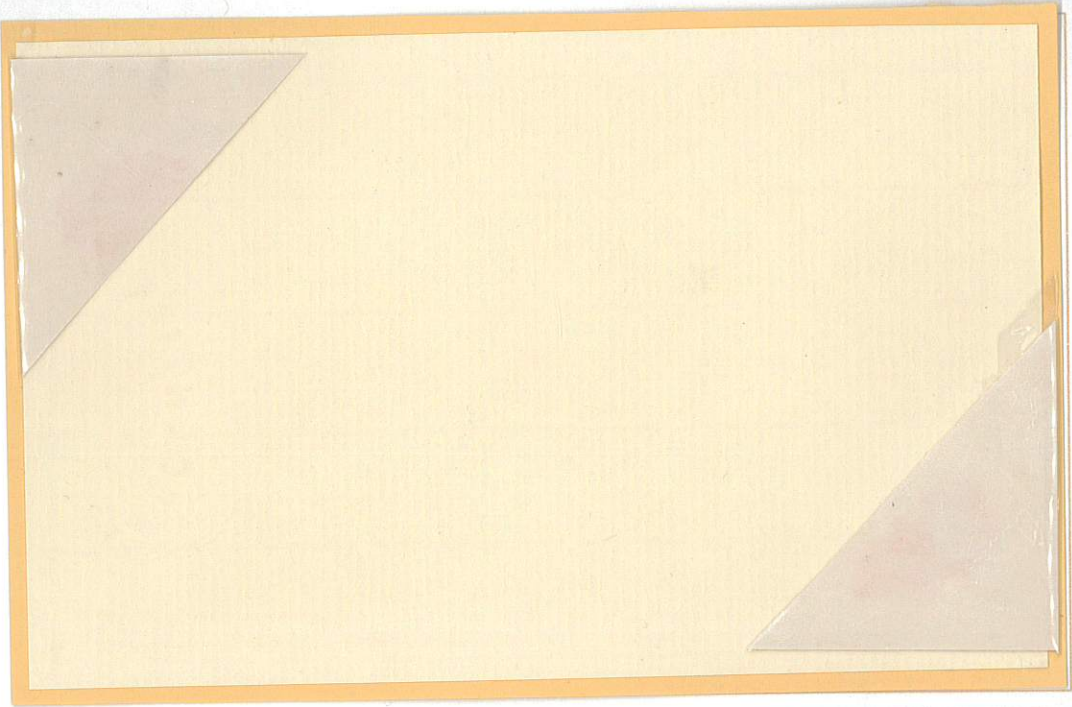


1¢ drop letter rate for circular regarding rennets (enzymes produced in the stomachs of ruminant mammals used in cheese production by curdling the casein in milk). Sent from Newton Falls, Ohio to local resident, date unknown.

This is one of several 1¢ Franklin stamps shown in the exhibit that has a easily visible G grill, but some are not visible. According to Scott Specialized, stamps without grills cannot be guaranteed except when unused with the original gum.



Domestic Uses of the 1869 1¢ Franklin Stamp



The One Cent Franklin is surrounded by a 2 Cent Post Horse and a 15 Cent Landing of Columbus on a cover sent from Castle Rock Township in Dakota County Minnesota, sent to Adams, Iowa July 1, 1869.

About

This is a one-frame exhibit that shows a variety of covers bearing the 1-cent Franklin issued in 1869. The reissued stamp of 1875 is not include in this exhibit.

The exhibit presents rates, interesting obliterations and single, double and triple uses as well as make-up rates and official mail.

This stamp was the lowest denomination in the ten stamps commonly

known as the 1869 Pictorials. It was a workhorse, providing payment for drop mail, additional weight, and make-up rates, to name a few.

Treatment & Importance

The exhibit is organized in sections containing covers with one stamp, then two stamps, and three stamps. It moves on to make-up rates and U.S. official mail. The exhibit ends with a Transatlantic cover sent to Sweden to prove the 1¢ stamp also did international duty.

Condition & Rarity

Nearly 150 years old, these covers have been carefully selected for best condition available, interesting markings and uses. Exceptional pieces are highlighted with blue frame.

Plan

1. Single uses
2. Double uses
3. Triple uses
4. Make-up rates
5. U.S. Official mail
6. Conclusion

1.1. Drop Letters & Unsealed Circulars

Rate: 1¢ for ½ oz. drop letters (delivered from same post office where originally posted), and circulars.



Please Return this Notice for Receipt.

CAZENOVIA, N. Y., Apr 28 1870

To Lewis Fairchild

Your subscription for the support of ST. PETER'S CHURCH, for the quarter ending..... is \$7.50, and will be due at that time. By handing the amount to the undersigned, you will greatly oblige,

Yours Respectfully,

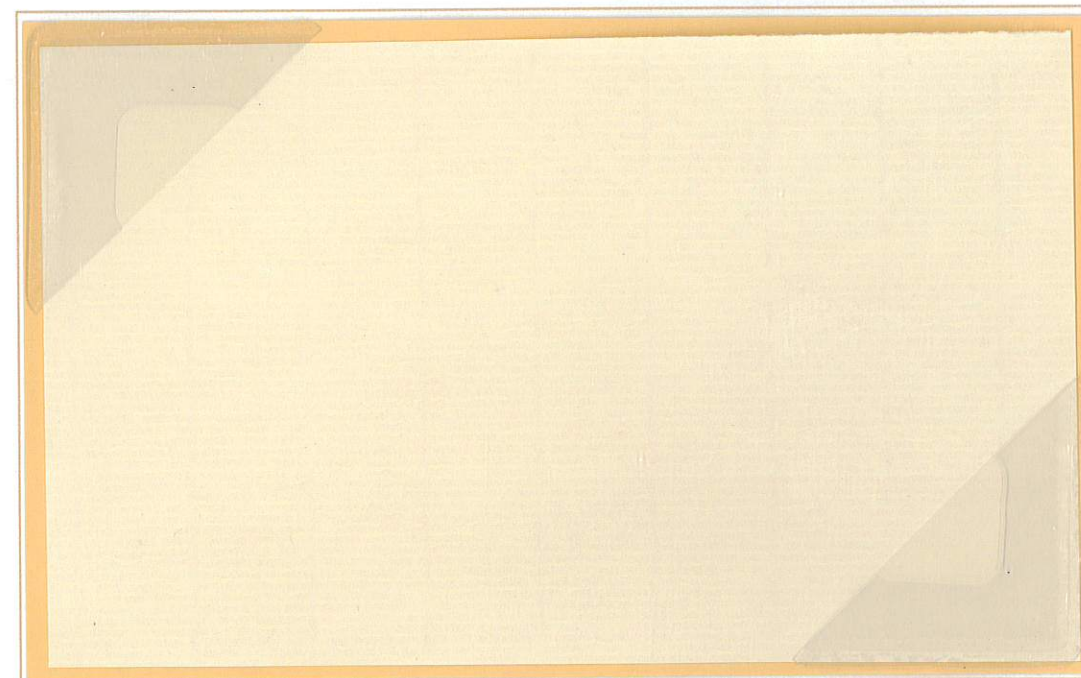
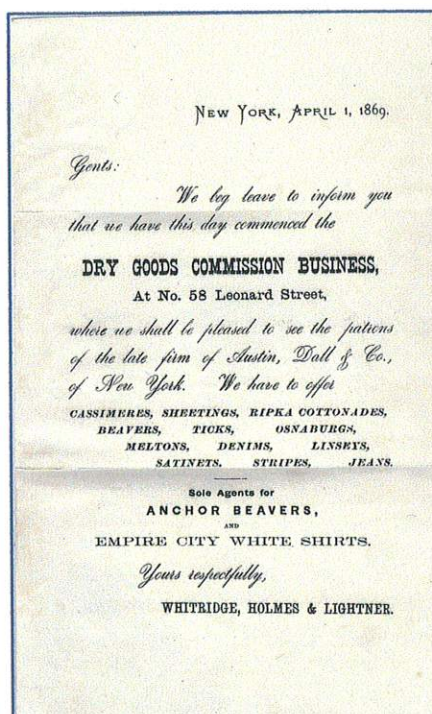
Walter Klein Treasurer.

Received Payment,

Walter Klein Treasurer.

1870 use printed on church notice from Cazenovia, New York, to local delivery. Stamp has a horizontal grid cancel.

Cert



1869 dry goods business circular sent from New York City on or about April 1, 1869 (date on circular) to an address in New York City, 1¢ drop letter rate.

Cert

1. Single Uses



The
American Philatelic
Expertizing Service



P.O. BOX 8000
STATE COLLEGE, PA. 16803

CERTIFICATE: 112705



Members of The American Philatelic Expertizing Service have examined the item submitted and it is their opinion that it is United States, Scott No. 112, used on printed circular dated April 1, 1869, genuine in all respects.

Date MAY 8 1938

Robert E. Lab
(APES Authorized Signature)
C. Mercier
(ASDA Authorized Signature)
(Administrator Signature)

W. R. WEISS, JR.
P.O. Box 5358
Bethlehem, PA 18015
(610) 691-6857

Opinion No. 2008/112/15 Date 11/07/08/7

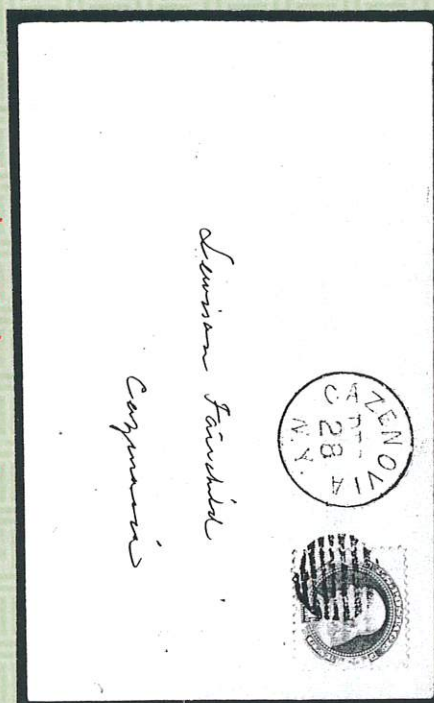
I have examined the enclosed United States 1¢ 1869 (Scott #112) tied to 1870-use printed Church notice from/to

for A. Lora Cazenovia/NY

and my opinion is: It is genuine in all respects.

Ex. Walter Klein.

A photograph is attached below.



Lewis Fairchild
Cazenovia

Signed

Member:

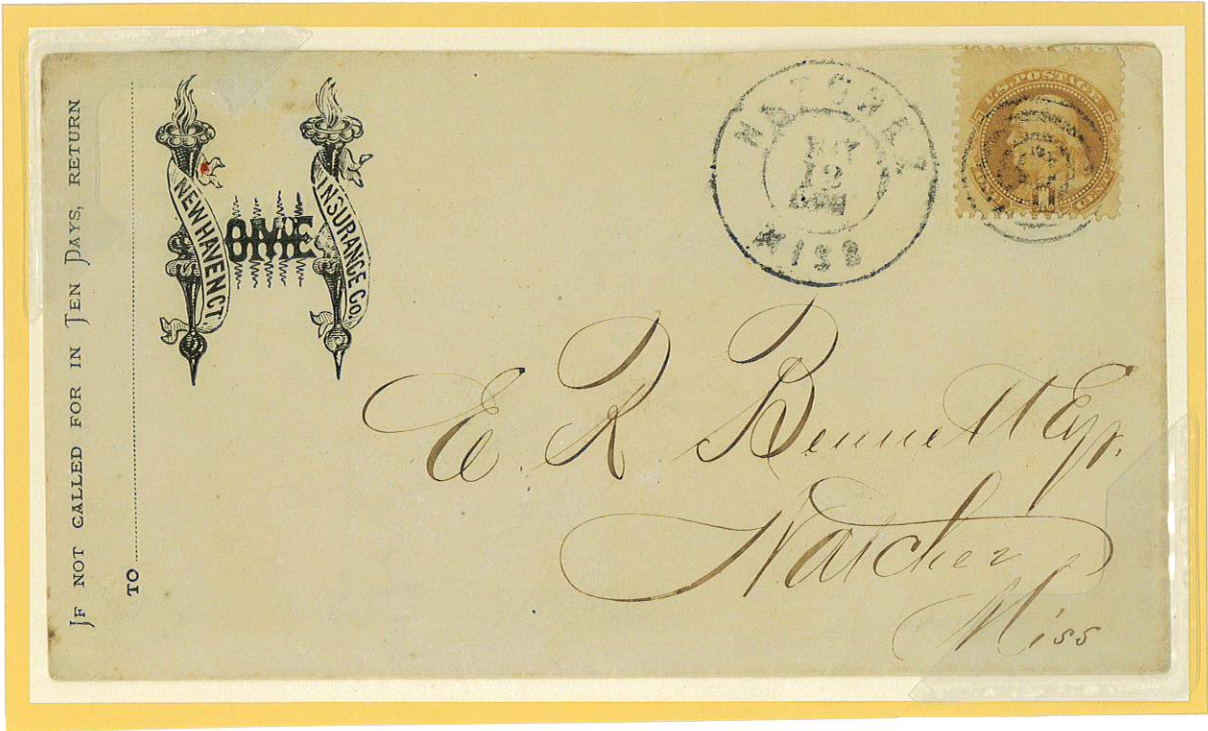
American Philatelic Society (Life Member)
United States Stamp Society, U.S. Philatelic Classics Society
U.S. Cancellation Club, U.S. Postal Stationary Society

Established 1972

1.3. Single Uses

3. Advertising & Drop Letters

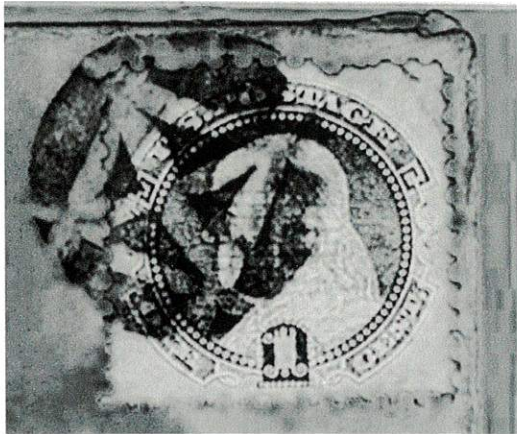
Rate: 1¢ for ½ oz. drop letters, advertising and private mail.



↑1¢ Insurance Company advertising drop letter sent May 12, year unclear, from and to Natchez, Mississippi.



↑1¢ drop letter sent February 14, year unknown, from and to Cadiz, Ohio.



During this period fancy cancels were carved from cork. The one shown above is an "X" within a square.

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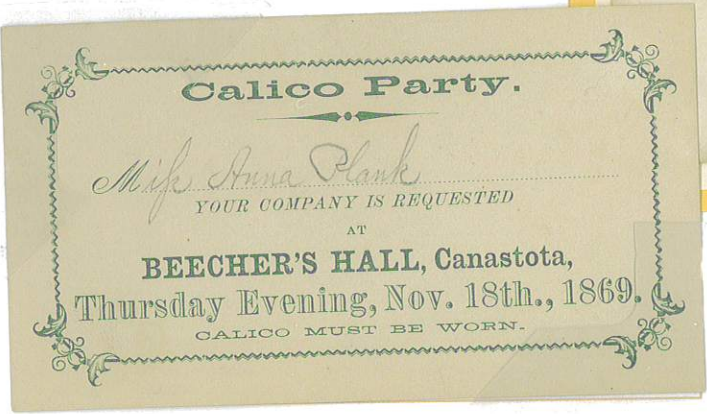
1. 2. Single Uses

2. Drop Letters & Invitations

Rate: 1¢ for ½ oz. drop letters containing invitations.

→ 1¢ Drop letter sent November 2, 1869 from and to Canastota, New York. Fancy negative cross cancel.

↓ Invitation card dated November 18, 1869.



↓1¢ Drop letter sent February 18, 1870 from and to Chillicothe, Missouri.



→ Invitation card dated February 18, 1870.

1.4. Single Uses

4. Drop Letter Pamphlet & Drop Letter

Rate: 1¢ for ½ oz. drop letters,
pamphlet mailed as drop letter rate.

← Insurance rate pamphlet sent from
Greensboro Alabama, delivered locally.
Postmark unclear.

Seldom seen pamphlet mailed using
drop letter rate.

Rate: 1¢ for ½ oz. drop letters

↓ Sent locally from
Coldwater, Michigan on
Nov. 28.

Unclaimed and
backstamped Coldwater
on Jan. 29.

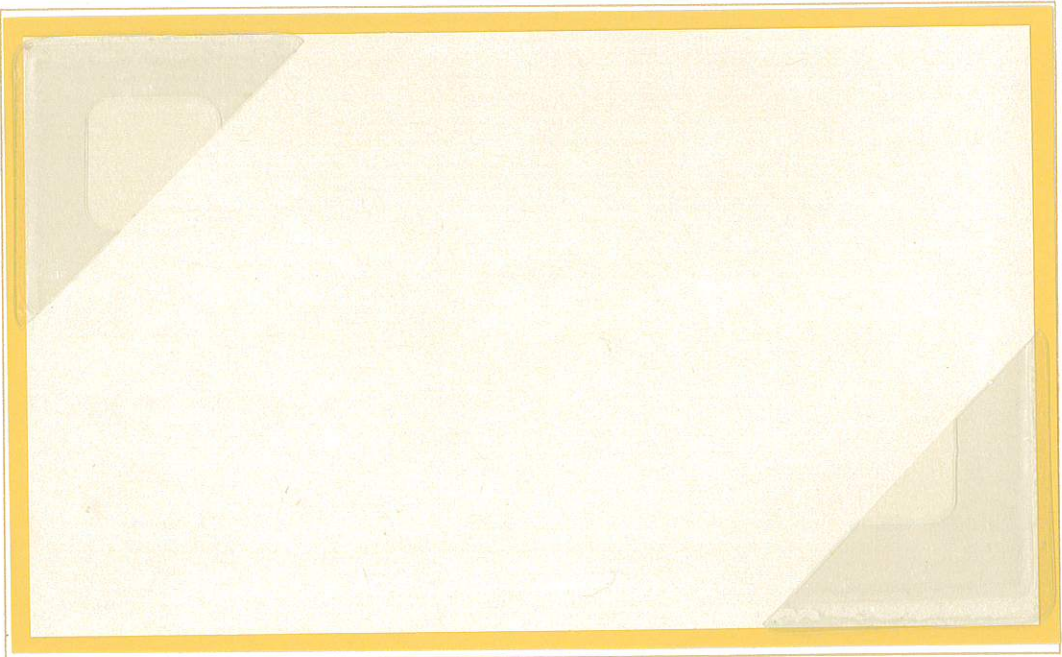
The letter was returned to
Branch County Clerk's
Office, F.M. Bissell,
Clerk.

3.1. Triple Uses

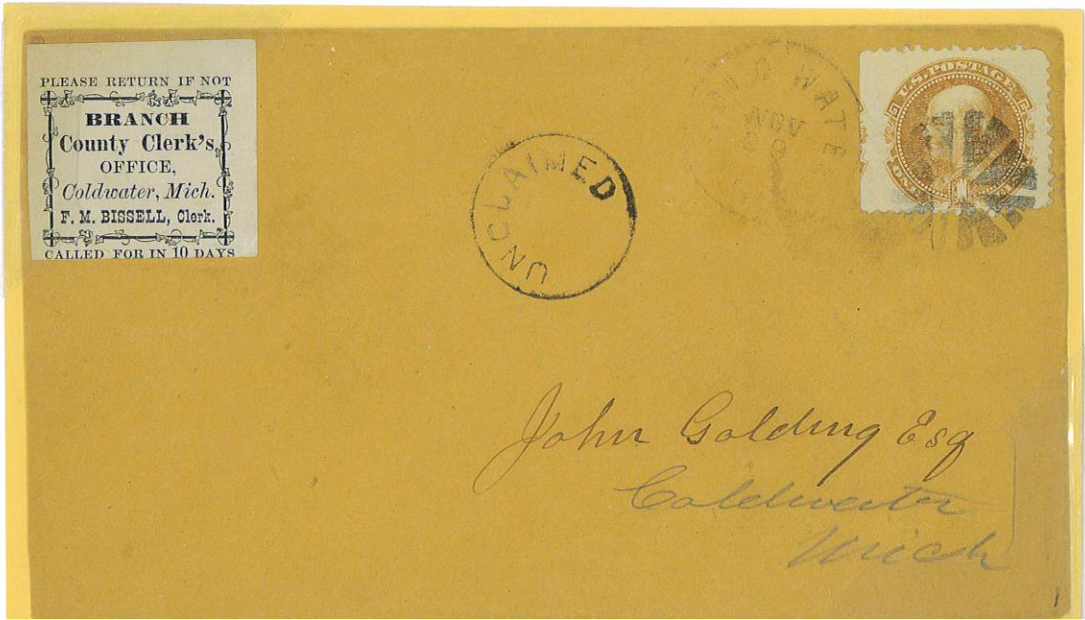
3. 3¢ domestic letter rate

Rate: 3¢ domestic letter rate paid with three 1¢ Franklin

Letter sent to the
home (Liberty
Hall) of Alexander
H Stephens,
former Vice-
President of the
Confederate States
of America.
Domestic letter
rate 3¢ paid with
three single 1¢
stamps. Postmark
unreadable, sent to
Crawford, Georgia.



New Hampshire College
of Agriculture advertising
cover sent from Hanover
to Boscawon, New
Hampshire December 4,
year unknown. Joined
strip of three with target
cancels.



4. Make Up Rates

4. 3¢ domestic letter rate & double rate

Rate: 1¢ Franklin stamp added with 2¢ stamp to make up 3¢ domestic letter rate.

← Illustrated cover franked with 1¢ Franklin and 2¢ red-brown Jackson making up the 3¢ domestic rate. Postmarked Poplar Ridge, New York February 18, year unknown, (1870 or later) and sent to Leitchfield, Ohio. Stamps obliterated with quarter cork cancel.

→ Sent from and to Grinell, Iowa then forwarded to North Danville, Iowa. 1¢ Franklin (F grill) and 2¢ Black Jackson (with F grill) made the 3¢ domestic rate. Target obliterated.

Three
Different Certs

← Sent from Richmond, Indiana to La Porte, Indiana. The 1, 2, and 3 cent stamps make up the 6¢ double rate.

No. 11,576
January 4th 1960

THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION
22 EAST 35TH STREET
NEW YORK 16, N. Y.

EXPERT COMMITTEE

We have examined the enclosed U.S.A. 1869
1c buff, Scott #112 on cover with 2c black
submitted by Marc Haas -----
of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion
that the cover is genuine in all respects,
and that the 2c. is Scott #93, and tied -----

*For The Expert Committee
Chairman*



The Philatelic Foundation
70 West 40th Street • 15th Floor
New York, NY 10018

No. 0400937
8/12/03

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
We have examined the enclosed item, of which a photograph is attached, and described by the applicant as follows:

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
93	1867	2¢	Black
112	1869	1¢	buff

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

SINGLES, TARGET CANCELS, ON COVER TO
GRINELL IOWA, FORWARDED TO NORTH
DANVILLE VERMONT
AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS A GENUINE USAGE, THE COVER SLIGHTLY REDUCED
AT LEFT, WITH SOME SLIGHT EDGE TONING AT TOP LEFT
AND BOTTOM LEFT.



Photocopies of this Certificate are not valid.

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"PAN-HANDLE ROUTE."
Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railway.
OFFICE OF DIVISION SUPERINTENDENT,
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.
RICHMOND, IND.

*Miss Allie Stanton
Care Penajah Stanton Don
La Porte
Ind*



Submitted by

VENTURA STAMP CO.

For The Expert Committee
Chairman

No. 90 489

August 15, 19 80

THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION

270 MADISON AVENUE
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

We have examined the enclosed item submitted by the
applicant described as follows:

Country USA Issue 1867-9 Denomination 2¢, 1¢
black, buff
Color Cat. No.
Brief description or additional information All Catalogue numbers are Scott's unless otherwise specified.

On forwarded cover to Vermont.

of which a photograph is attached and are of the opinion

that it is genuinely used on this slightly
reduced at left forwarded cover. -----



W. H. C. Smith
For The Expert Committee
Chairman

3. Triple Uses

3. 3¢ domestic letter rate

Rate: 3¢ domestic letter rate paid with three 1¢ Franklin stamps



Cert

Joined strip of three 1¢ Franklin stamps on mourning cover.

The rate of postage on all domestic letters transmitted in the mails of the U.S., and not exceeding ½ oz. was a uniform rate of 3¢. Sent from Windsor Locks, Connecticut to Winchendon, Massachusetts, postmarked May, but remainder of date unknown.



Cert

Domestic letter rate 3¢ paid with strip of three 1¢ stamps with grid postmarks sent from Lebanon, New Hampshire to Laconia, New Hampshire Nov. 6, 1869.

No. 38 269 January 12, 2000

Professional Stamp Experts
P.O. Box 6170, Newport Beach, CA 92658

Authentication Committee

We have examined the enclosed item submitted to PSE, of which the photo is attached with seal and are of the opinion that:

Cat#	Issue	Denom.	Color
US # 112	1869	1 Cent	Buff

Philatelic Consultants:

1. R. Shoemaker

2. C. Hahn

3. R.C. Frajola

President, Professional Stamp Experts

"It is genuine usage on cover of strip of three tied by 'Lebanon, NH', C.D.S. & grid cancels."

38 269

No. 0237411 2/28/91

THE PHILATELIC FOUNDATION
21 EAST 40TH STREET
NEW YORK, N.Y. 10016

EXPERT COMMITTEE

Country: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

We have examined the enclosed item, of which a photograph is attached, and described by the applicant as follows:

Cat. No.	Issue	Denom.	Color
112	1869	1¢ Buff	

Scott's unless otherwise specified.

HORIZONTAL STRIP OF THREE ON MOURNING COVER, GRID CANCELS.

AND WE ARE OF THE OPINION THAT:

IT IS A GENUINE USAGE

For The Expert Committee
ACTING Chairman

A 093524

Submitted by **UNIVERSITY STAMP CO.**

4.1. Make-Up Rates

4. 3¢ domestic letter rate

Rate: 1¢ Franklin stamp added with 2¢ stamp to make up 3¢ domestic letter rate.

1¢ Franklin and 2¢ mail carrier stamp sent from Macon, Georgia to Boston, Massachusetts on September 18, 1869. Docketing on left side indicates cover arrived September 24, 1869 and was sent from L.W. Hunt & Co. in Macon.



Negative "A" cork cancel shows up well on the 2¢ Black Jack stamp, shown here on its side.

Image created using Retro Reveal.

1¢ Franklin (with easily seen G grill) and 2¢ Black Jack made up the 3¢ domestic rate. Sent from Sterling, Illinois on June 10, 1970 to Safe Harbor, Lancaster, Pennsylvania. The stamps are obliterated with negative "A" cork cancels, best seen on the 2¢ Black Jack.

4.1. Make-Up Rates

4. 3¢ domestic letter rate

Rate: 1¢ Franklin stamp added with 2¢ embossed envelope to make up 3¢ domestic letter rate.



1¢ Franklin added to 2¢ Jackson embossed envelope ("U.S. POST.") is 25 mm. wide, buff envelope watermarked U S / POD). Sent from Dunkirk, New York by Sam. J. Gifford on December 19, 1869,

Rate: 1¢ Franklin stamp added with 2¢ Jackson stamp to make up 3¢ domestic letter rate.

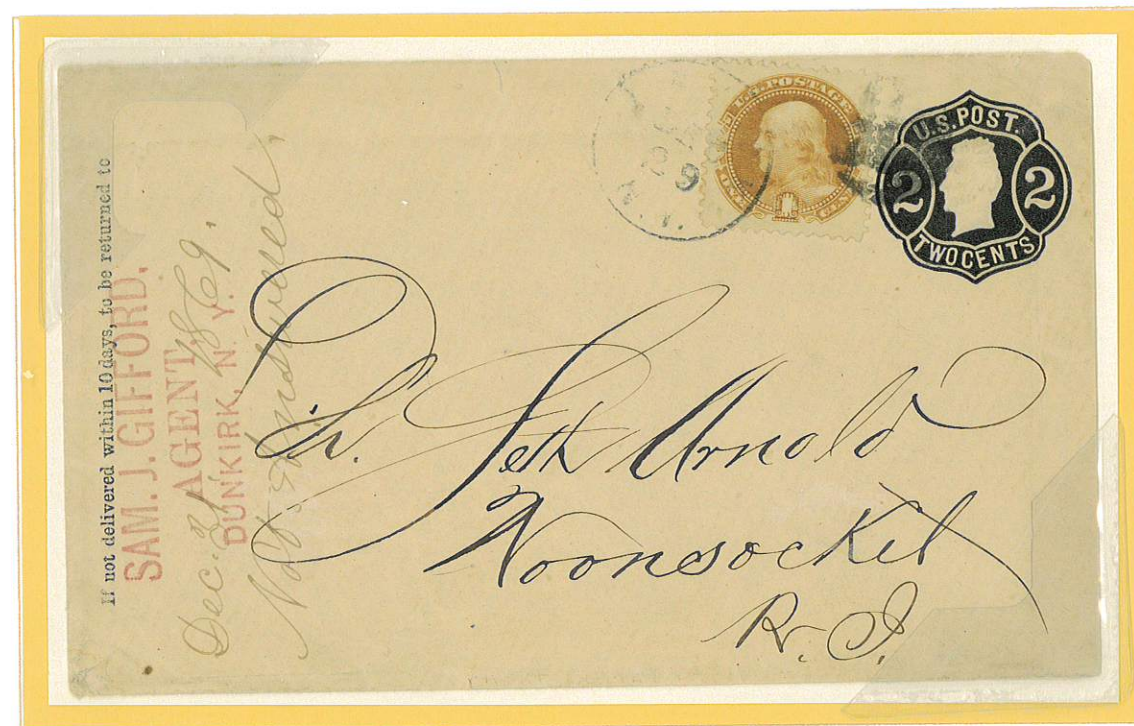


2¢ red brown Jackson and 1¢ Franklin tied by circle of wedges cancel. New York Dec. 10 circular date stamp, sent to Copenhagen, New York.

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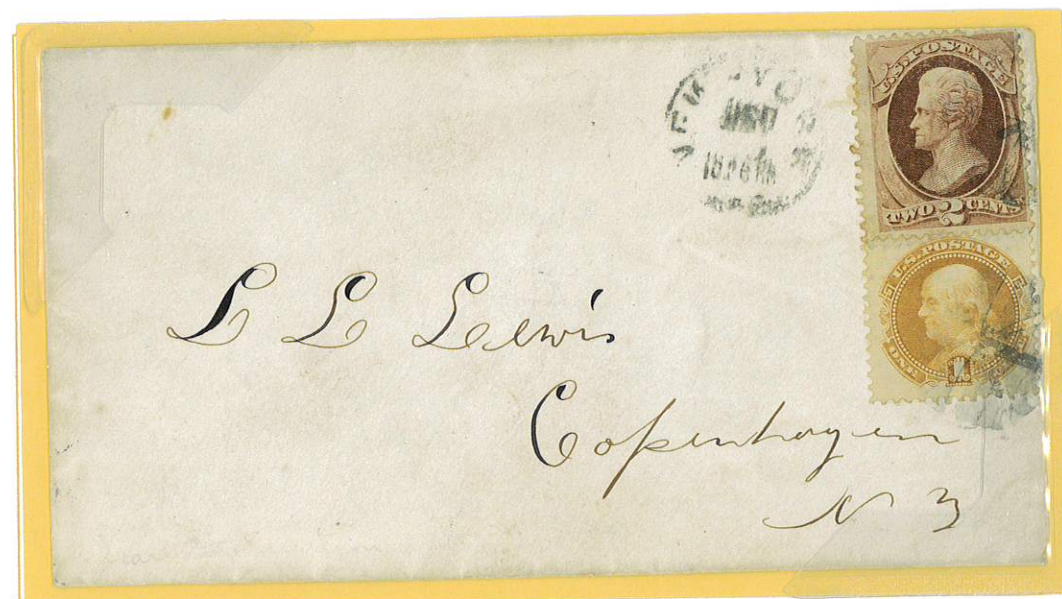
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5. U.S. official mail

Rate: 1¢ Franklin stamp was used by the federal government for local drop mail.

5. 1¢ official drop mail

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UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE.


ANNUAL TAXES, MARCH, 1870.

To *S. C. Oldham (Clerk)*

of *Schenectady*, in

the *Schenectady* Division *Schenectady* District,

and State of *New York*



TAKE NOTICE

That, in pursuance of the acts of Congress, you are required to make out a Return according to the forms within, and deliver the same to me, at my office, WITHIN TEN DAYS FROM THE DATE HEREOF, or an addition of FIFTY PER CENTUM will be made to the proper tax.

No Return will be accepted unless made out in detail, that is, with the proper entry opposite each item of the Return, and the whole subscribed and sworn to.

↑ Partial 1870 U.S. tax form sent by U.S. Internal Revenue from and to Lexington, Kentucky . 1¢ Franklin drop mail, postmarked Lexington Feb. 4. Blue postmark with carved cork killer.


← Complete 1870 U.S tax form sent as drop mail from and to Schenectady, New York Feb. 7. 1¢ Franklin stamp obliterated with target cancel.

5. U.S. Official Mail

Rate: 1¢ Franklin stamp was used by the federal government for local drop mail.

5. 1¢ official drop mail

United States Internal Revenue,
ASSESSOR'S OFFICE, DISTRICT OF UTAH,
OFFICIAL BUSINESS.



Frank Knowlton
19th Nov 1870

U.S. Internal Revenue
Official Business letter
sent from and to Salt Lake
City, date unclear. The
addressee, Frank Knowlton,
was a partner of Hooper
Ranch and supervised the cattle
business.