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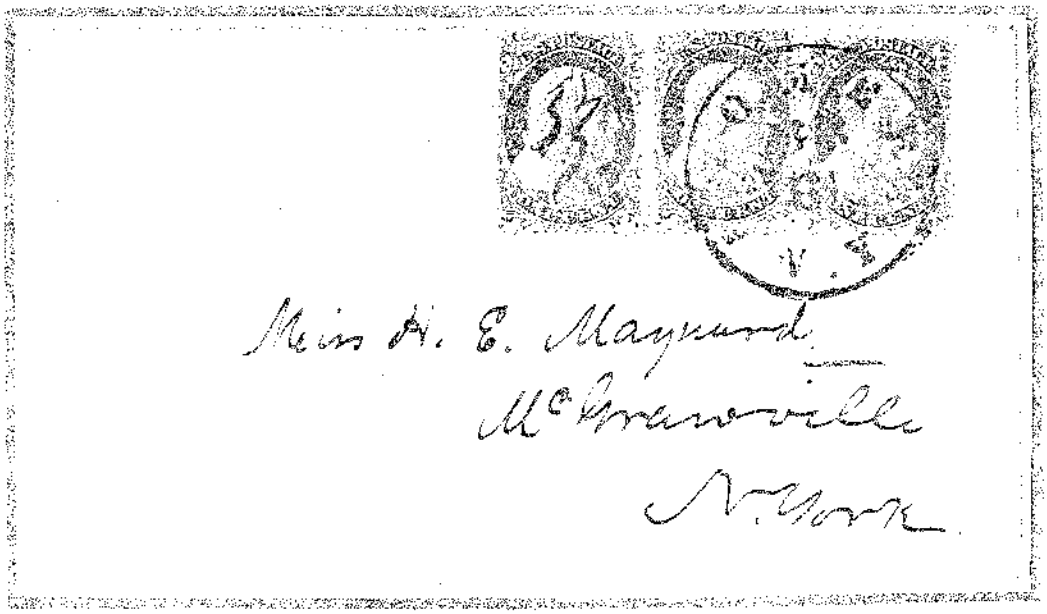

26 - 27, 32L Type II

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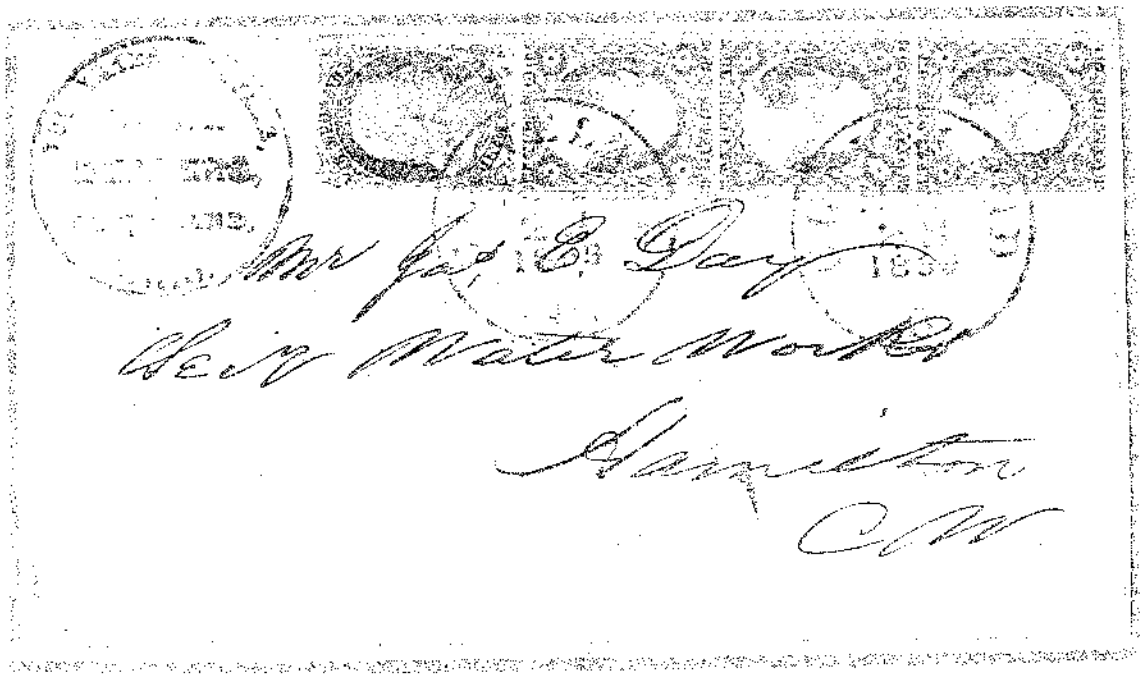

18L Type II
Cross border rate.
Coal dealer's advertising handstamp.

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Plate Four

Perforating of 1¢ stamps began in July, 1857. Although Plate 4 was designed for this improvement, the perforating cut into most positions.

5 - 7R

Type II
Found only in top row positions

62R
Type III

72R
Type IIIA

82R
Type IC

72R
Type IIIA

93L
Type IA

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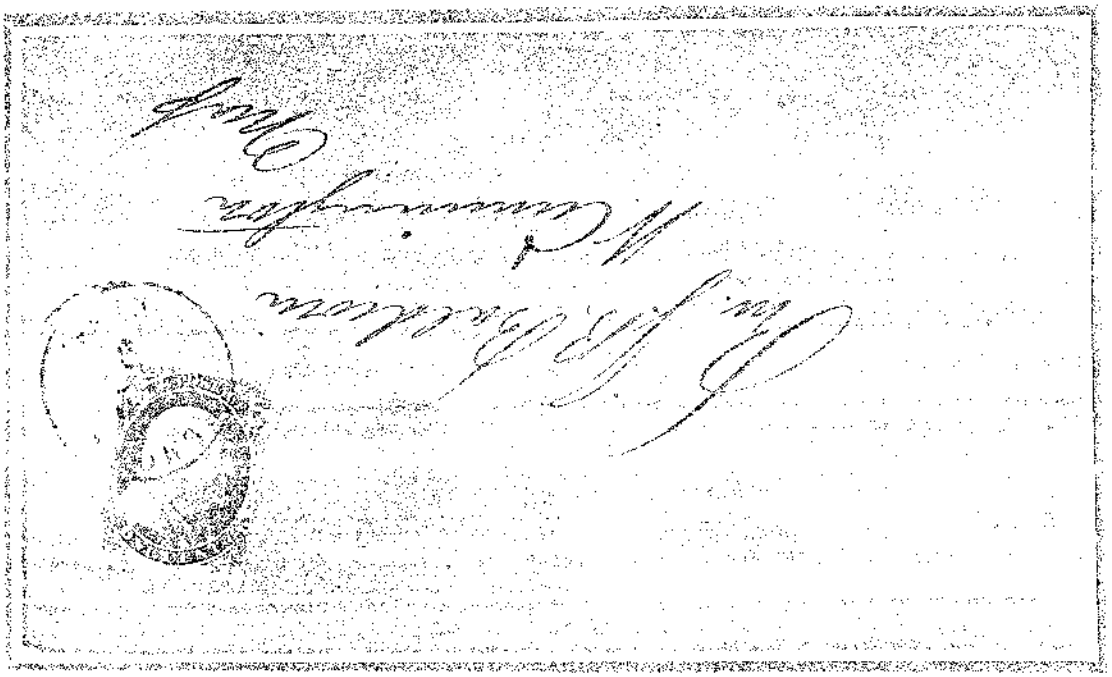

3L Type II
Circular.

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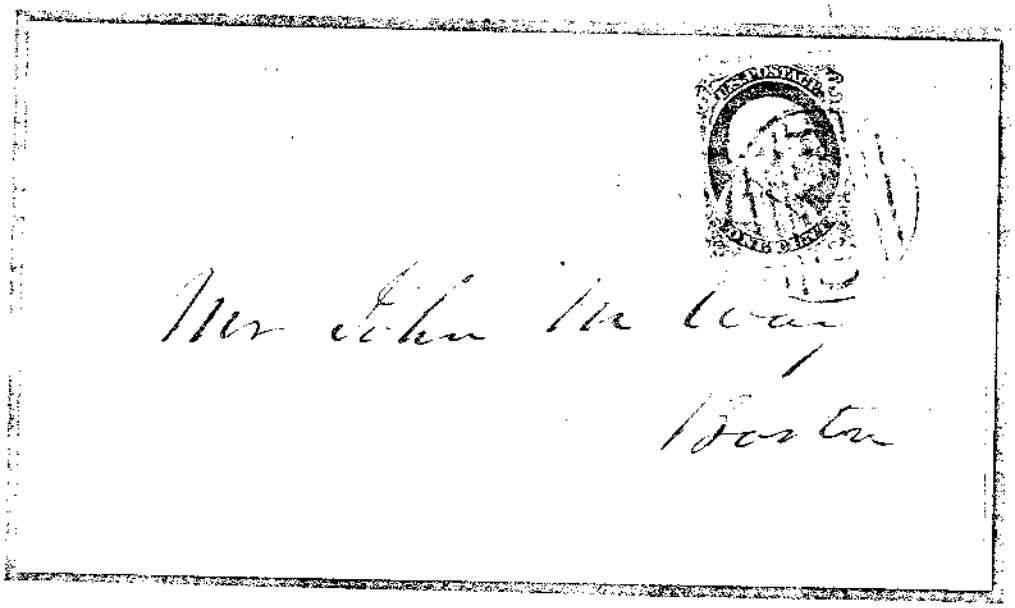

48L Type III
Circular.

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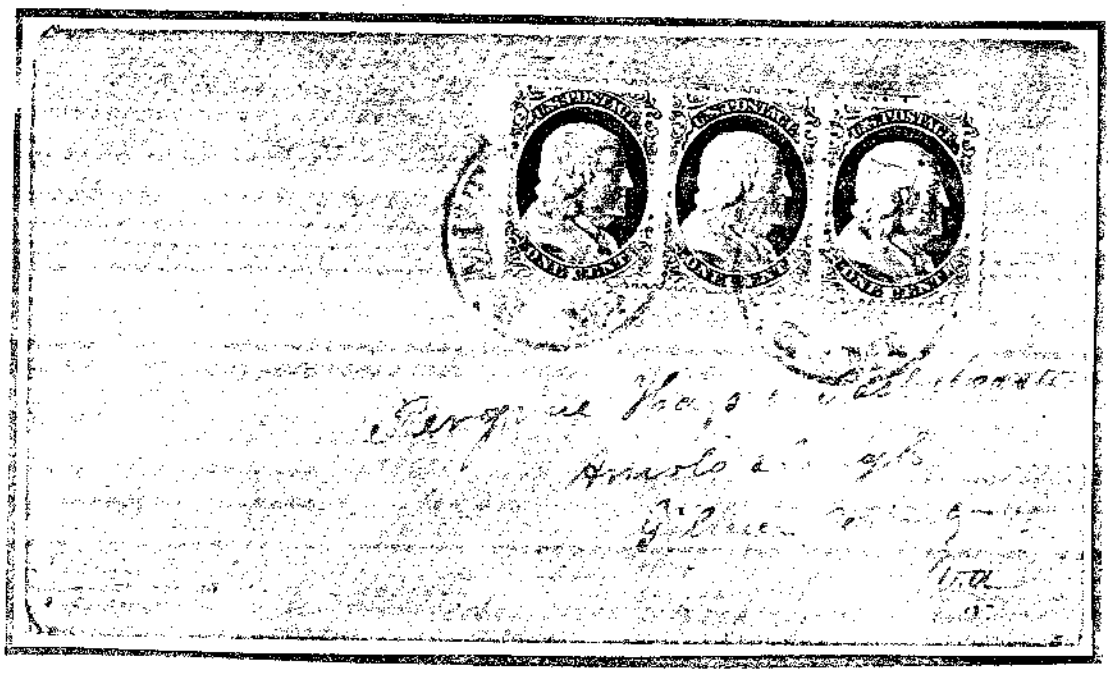

21 - 23L Type IIIA, III, III

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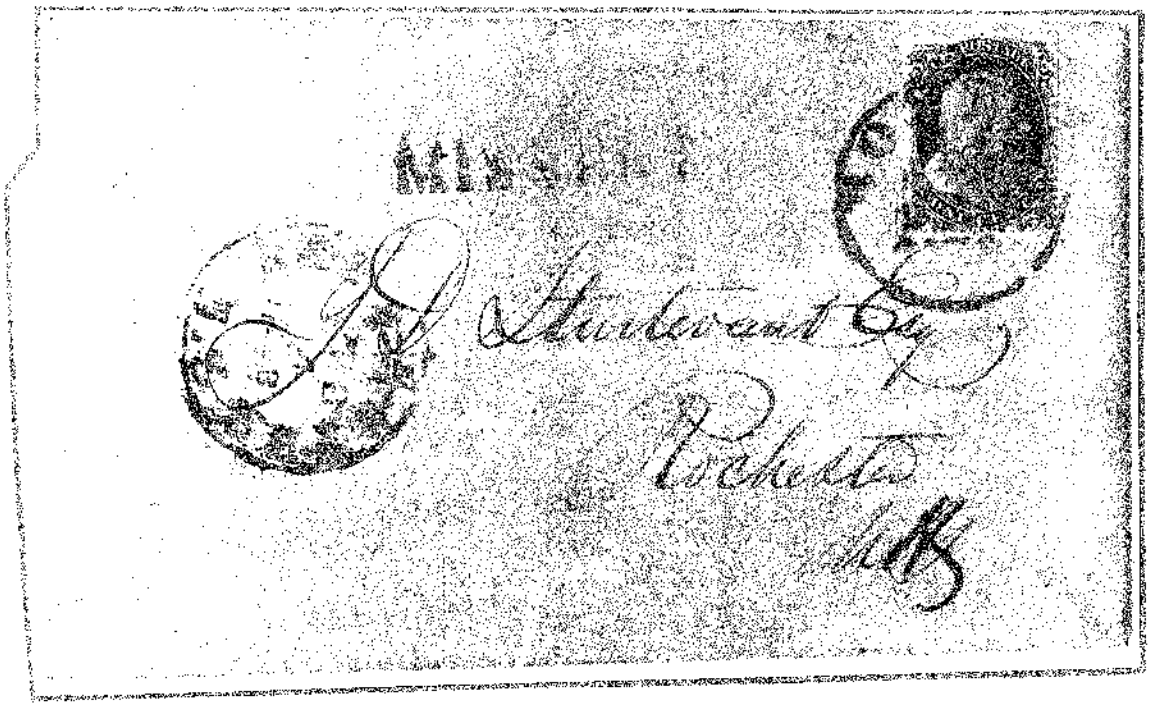
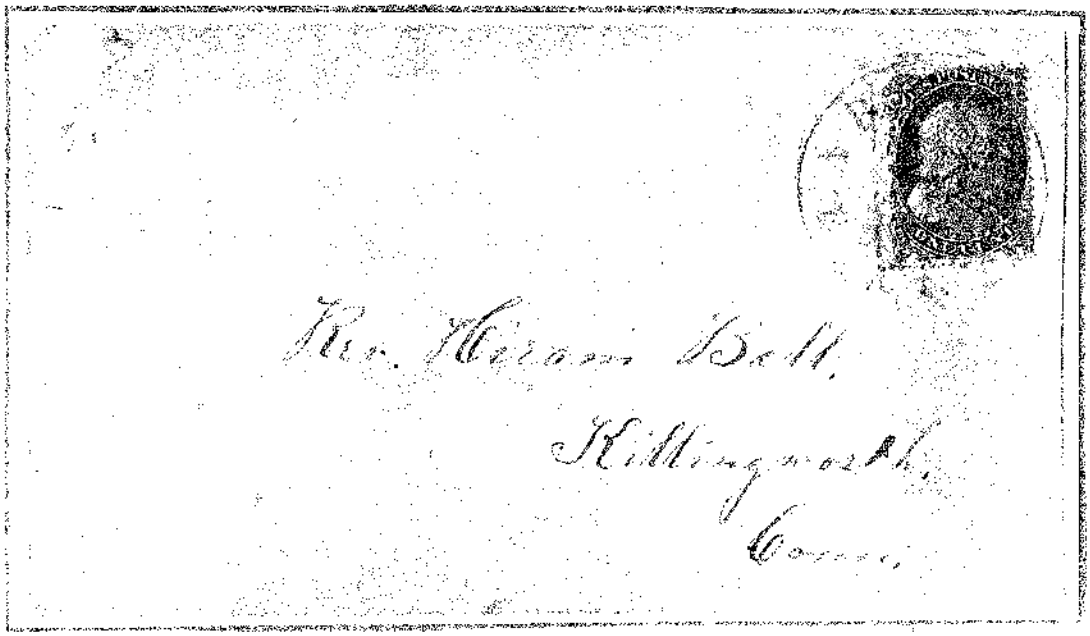


85R Type IIIA
Boston circular Jan 27, redirected at Rochester, N. Y. Feb 4, 1858.



89R Type IC
Sub-type IC found only in 8 positions. Circular.

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57 - 58L, 87 - 88L Type IIIA; 47 - 48L Type IC & III and 38L Type IIIA. Transcontinental rate.

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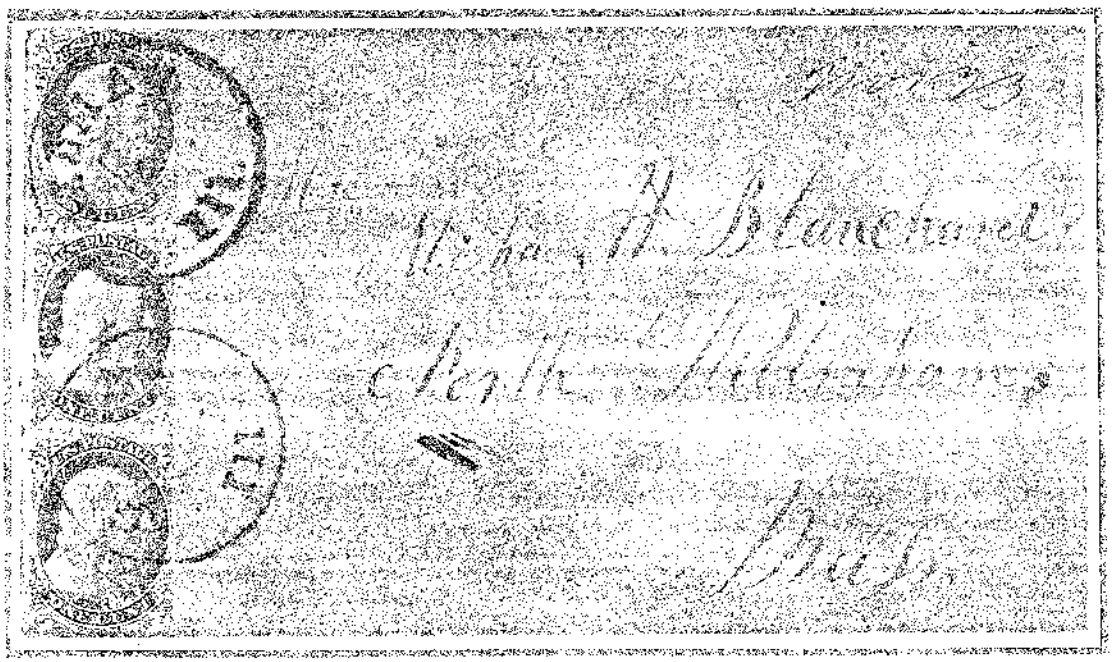

79/89/99L Type IIIA, IIIA & IA

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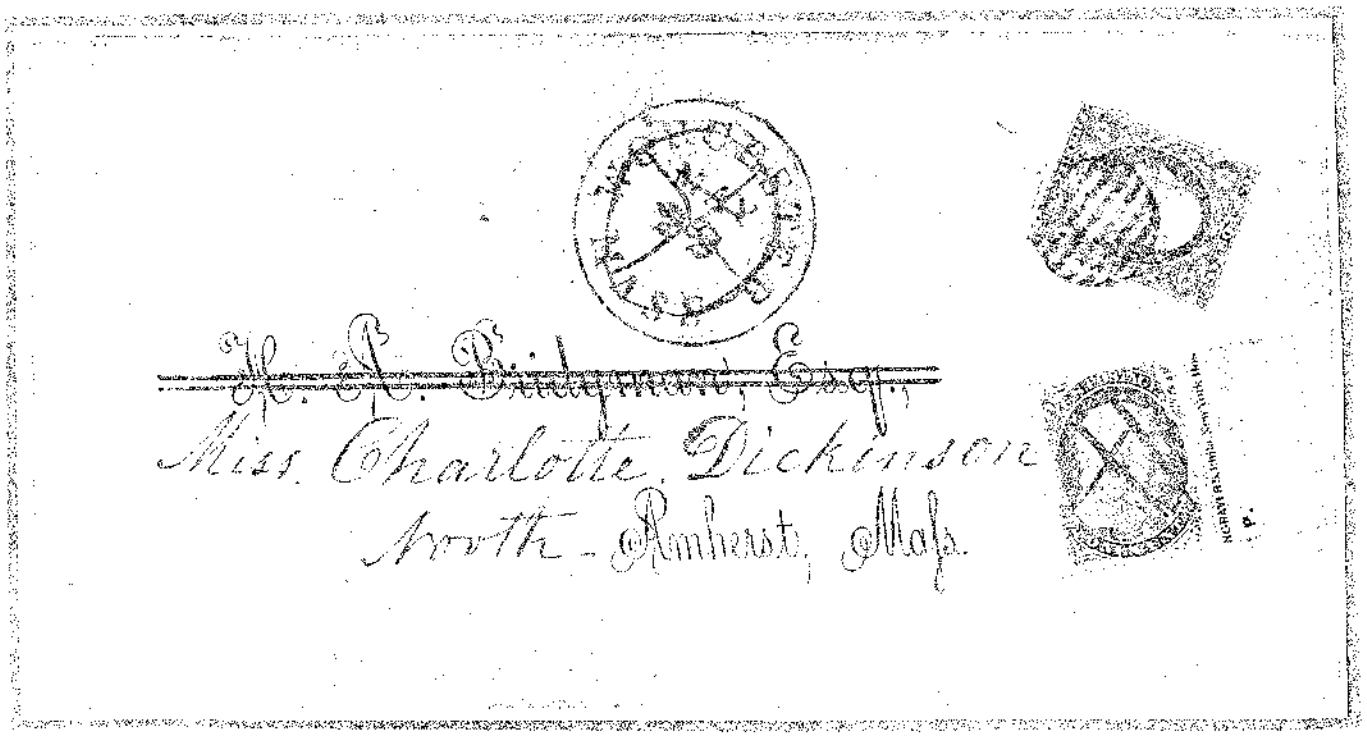
Plate Five

The engravers prepared four plates in late 1857. Room for perforations was assured by trimming all sides of the reliefs (Type VA). On entering 14th row of Plate 5, it was felt that further room was necessary. A new roll (Type V) was used to complete Plate 5. The plate was in service for about a year.

5L
Type VA



50R Type VA
Only recorded copy with part of imprint and trace of number from right pane.
Readdressed and carried privately to North Amherst with 1¢ added as drop letter.

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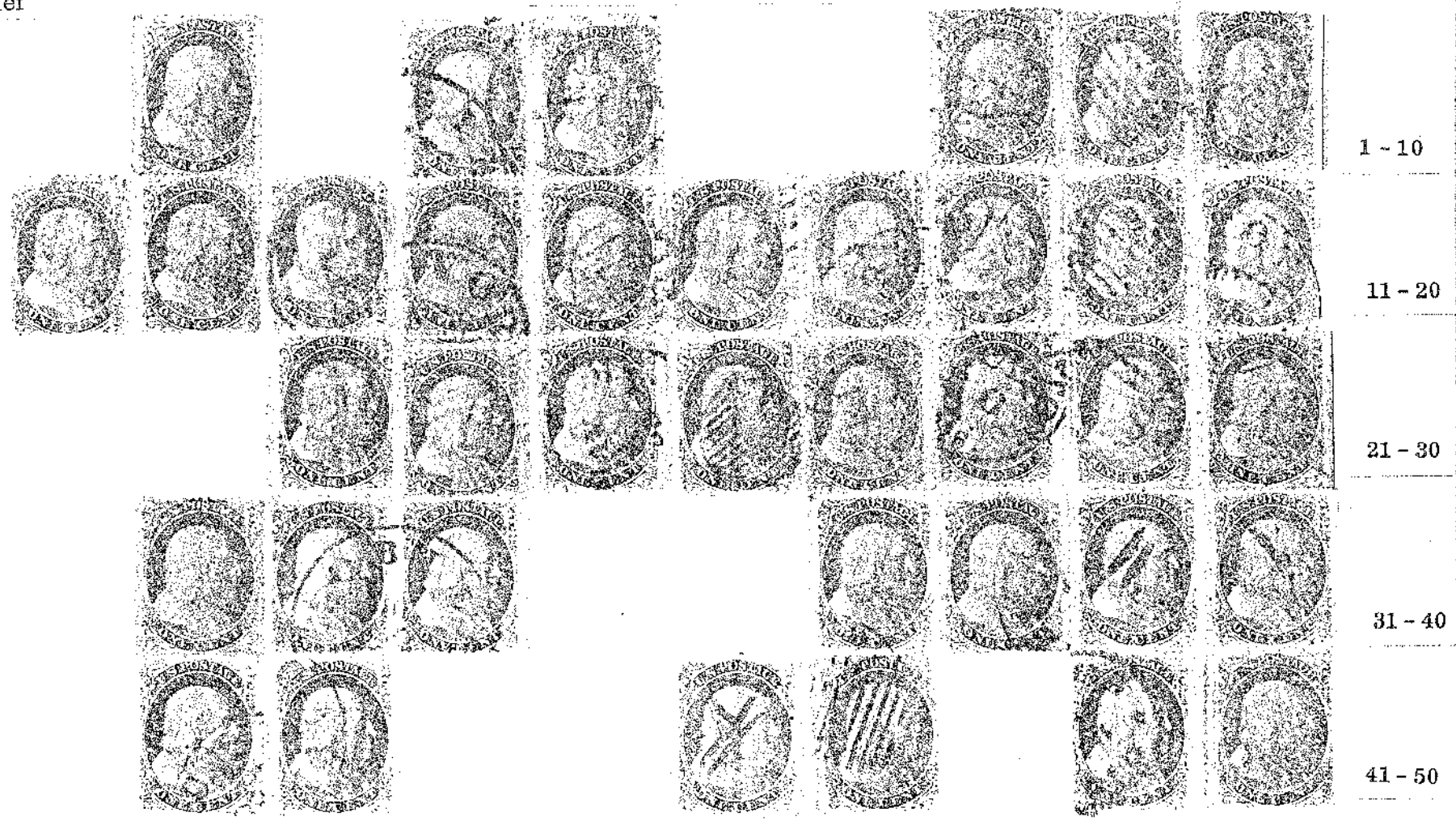
Plate Five Left

Partial Reconstruction
(1 - 50)

Relief



1 VA	2 VA	3 VA	4 VA	5 VA	6 VA	7 VA	8 VA	9 VA	10 VA
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21 V	22 V	23 V	24 V	25 V	26 V	27 VA	28 VA	29 VA	30 VA
31 V	32 V	33 V	34 V	35 V	36 V	37 VA	38 VA	39 VA	40 VA
41 V	42 V	43 V	44 V	45 V	46 V	47 V	48 V	49 VA	50 VA

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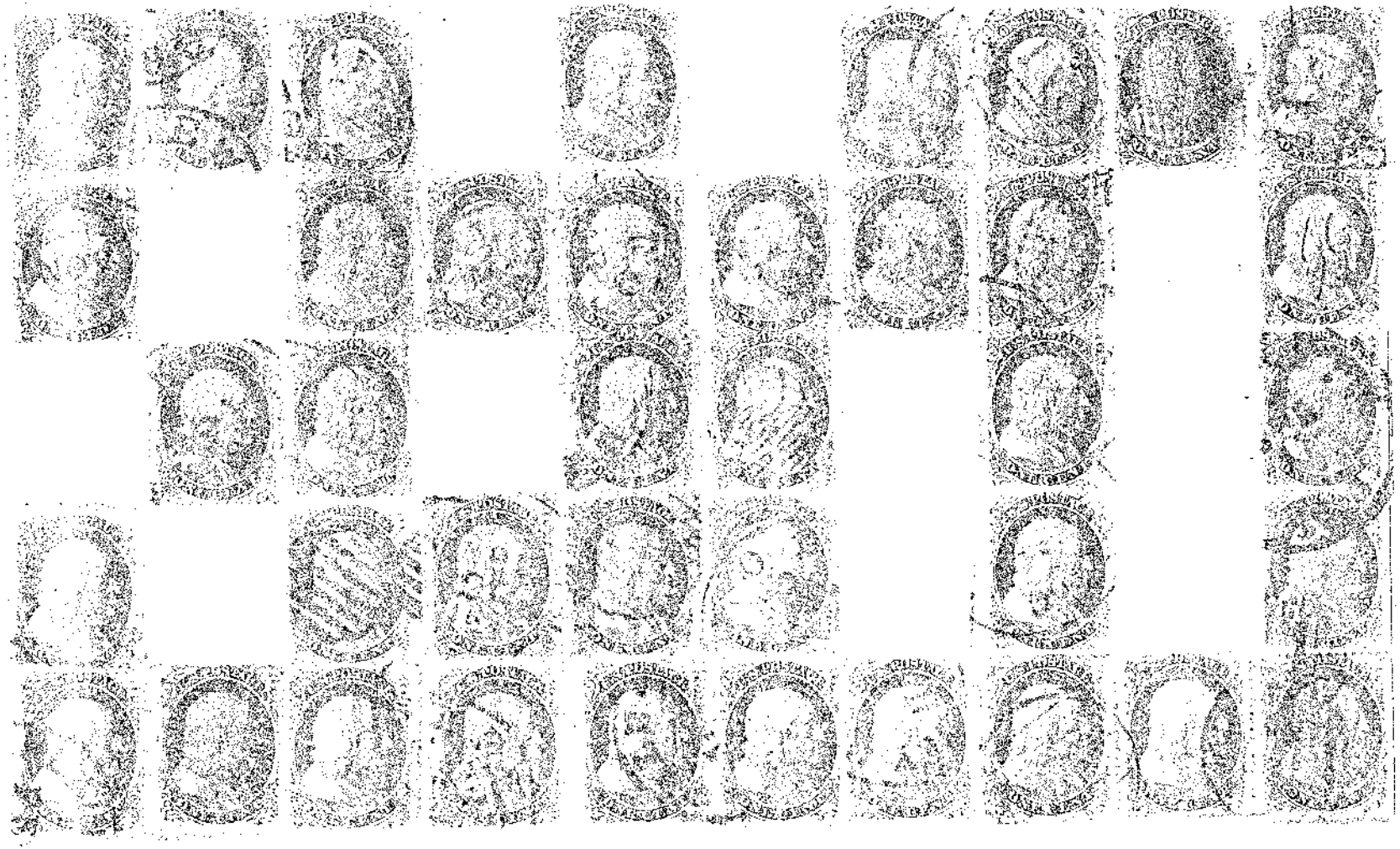
Plate Five Left

Partial Reconstruction
(51 - 100)

Relief



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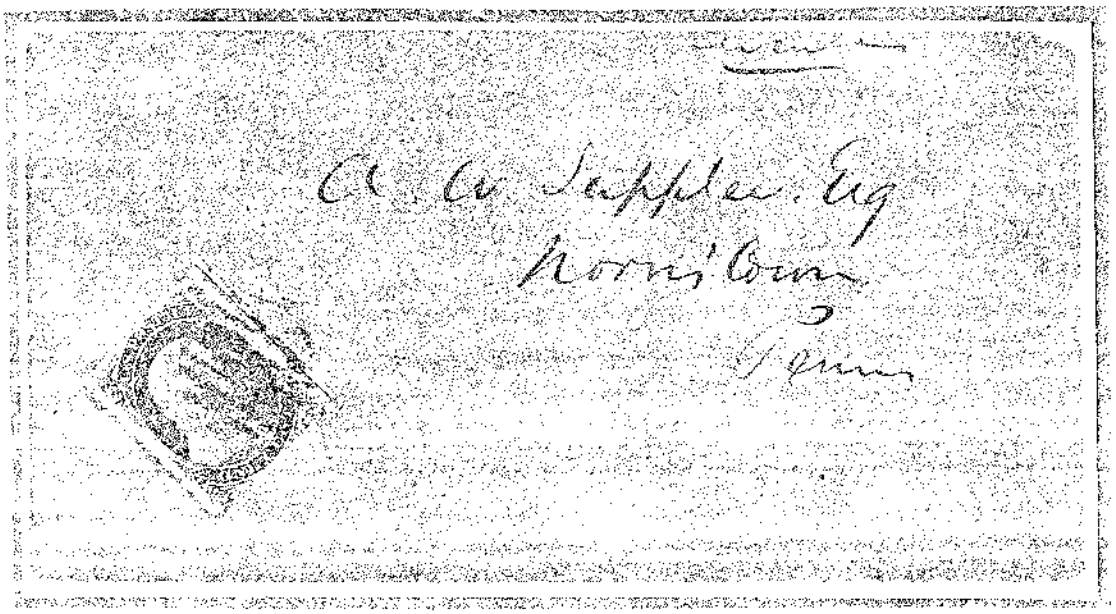
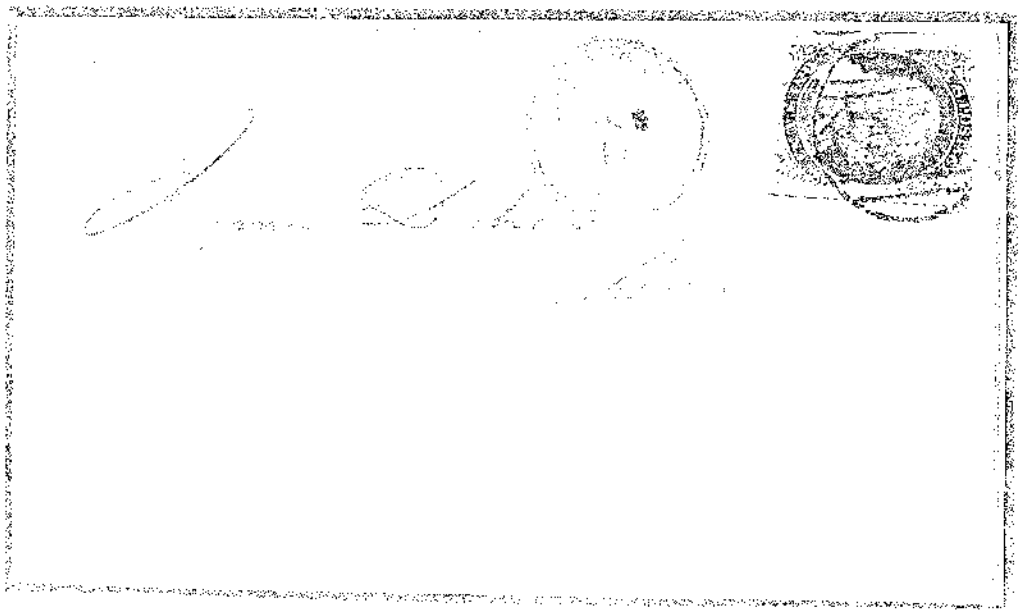


40L Type VA
Perforated centerline.



90L Type V
Perforated centerline.

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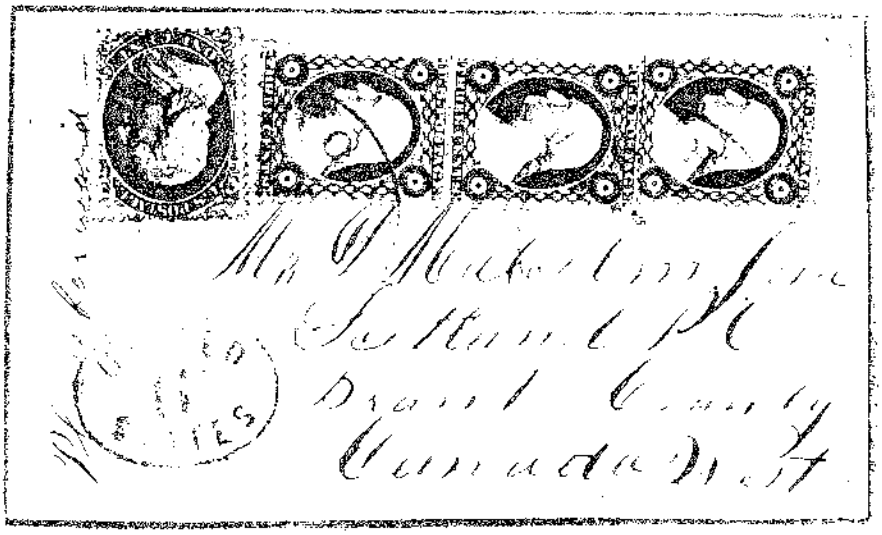
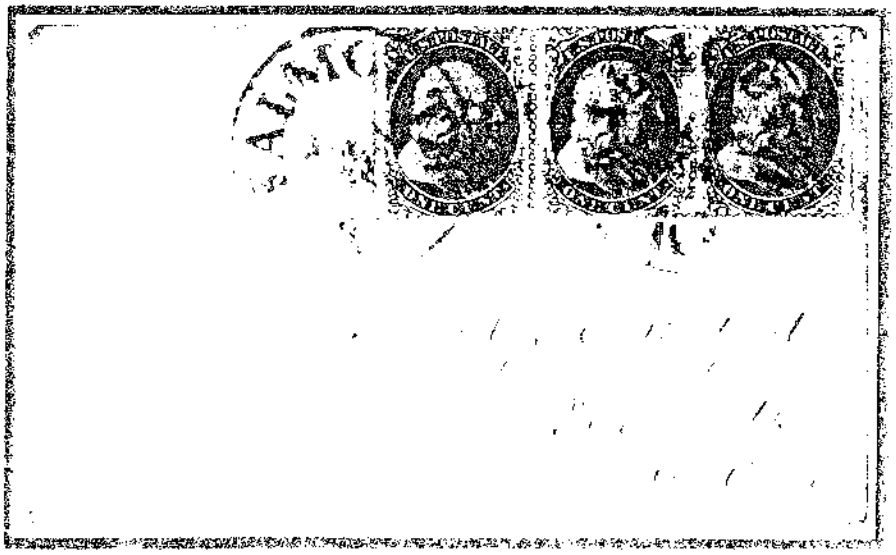


53R Type VA
From Elkhorn, Wisc., crossing border at Detroit.
Backstamped "Scotland Mar 28 58".



53 - 55L Type V
Impressions from second transfer roll which produced only Type V designs.

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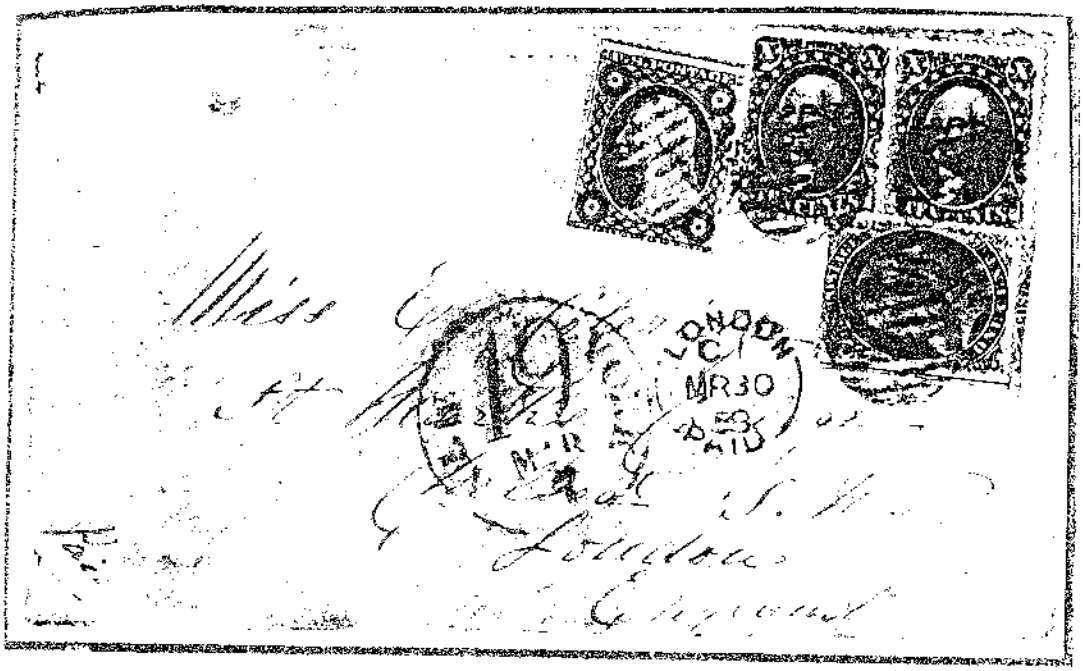

11R Type VA
From New York Mar 7, 1858, prepaid via Brit PKT; 19¢ cr to Britain.

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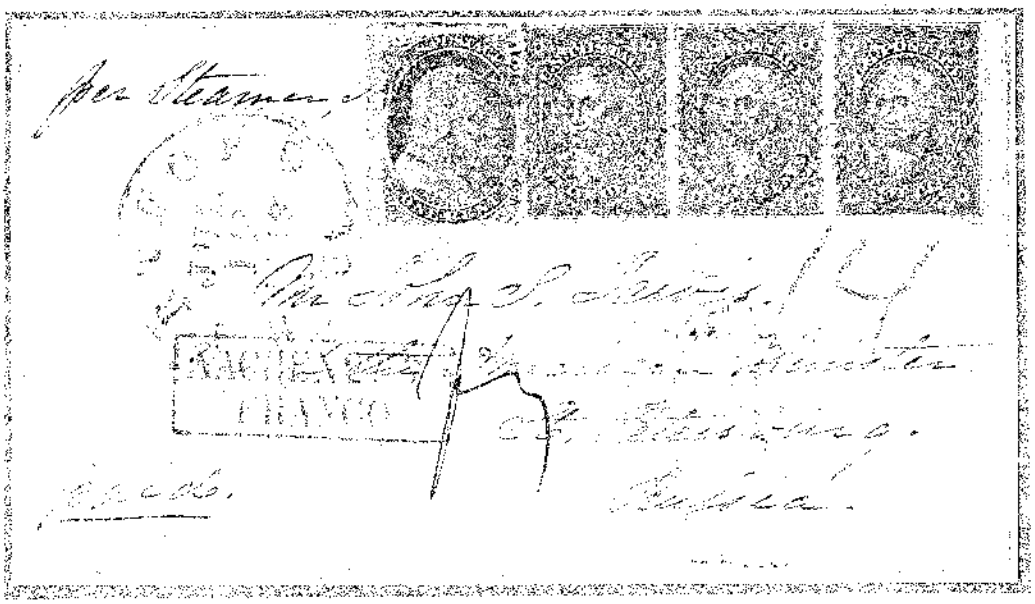

13L Type V
Hartford, Conn. July 12, 1858 via Boston & brit PKT and Prussian closed mail. At St. Petersburg 21 July (add 12 days or 2 Aug 1858). 14¢ credit to Prussia of which 7¢ to Russia.