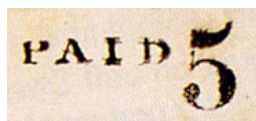


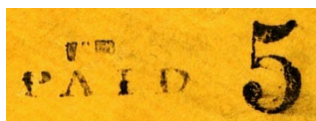
Census of Talladega, Alabama, Stampless Markings

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Description



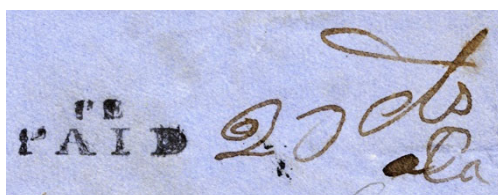
Type B



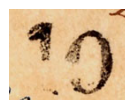
Type C



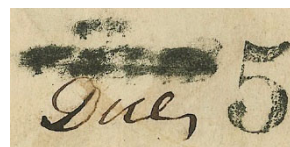
Type E



Type F



Type X



Type G

Talladega Stampless Markings (not to scale)

The different markings are identified by the 2012 *Confederate States of American (CSA) Catalog and Handbook* Stampless Type. The letters "X, Y, and Z," are used to designate added items not in the CSA Catalog. The absence of a CSA Catalog Type in the illustrations above indicates that item is not included in the census.

Items are presented in the census in the order of the illustrations above.

This census is based on images of covers. Only covers for which an image was obtained are listed in the census. For this reason, this census may be far from complete.

Uses of the "I E / PAID" marking with a 5 or 10 rate marking were previously listed as pseudo-provisionals in the Provisional Census section. There is sufficient reason to classify them as stampless markings.

There are many more Talladega covers with the "I E / PAID" marking and a rate than there are "PAID" markings with a rate. The opposite should be true since provisionals were normally used only until stamps were available. Yet examples of the "I E / PAID" marking with a rate are known from 1861 to 1865. There are also two turned covers with the "I E / PAID" marking on the turned use. It is very unlikely that someone would take a turned cover to the post office to have it marked as provisional envelope.

August Dietz recognized the problem identifying Talladega provisionals in his 1945 Catalog: “In used state they cannot be distinguished from ordinary Handstamped Paid [stampless] usage [sic].” This is carried through to the 1956 Dietz Catalog and the 2012 CSA Catalog which do not list used copies of the “I E / PAID” markings as provisionals.

NOTE: Every effort is made to ensure the accuracy of the census, but the inclusion of an item is not a guarantee of authenticity.

Count of the Talladega Stampless Markings

Marking	Color	Type	Covers	Everett Count*
PAID + 5	Black	B	3	3
I E / PAID + 5	Black	C	4	4
I E / PAID + 10	Black	E	11	2
I E / PAID + 20cts (ms)	Black	F	1	1
I E / PAID changed to Due (ms) + 5	Black	X	1	--
10 [due]	Black	G	1	--

* See "Stampless - Important Information" on Stampless Covers page for information on the Everett Count.

Notes

Legacy Markings

The 2012 CSA Catalog includes as legacy listings Types A, Aa, and D. The Type A markings are “PAID” with a manuscript rate. The Type D marking is illustrated below. Examples of these markings were not found in the preparation of this census.

PAID
Type A

PAID 10
Type D

Mini Census of Talladega, Alabama, Stampless Covers

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
PAID + 5, black -- Type B				
9 Jul [1861]	Mrs M. E. Conoley / Selma / [AL]	UL	UR	001*
3 Sep [1861]	Mr. D. M. Anderson / Care of Capt. Cleveland / Mobile / Ala	UL-CL	UR	002*
20 Sep [1861]	Miss Endora Conoley / Shelby Springs / Alabama	CL	UR	003*
IE / PAID + 5, black -- Type C				
8 Aug [1861]	Unknown	UL	UC-UR	004
3 Sep [1861]	Mrs M. E. Conoley / Shelby Springs / Ala	UL	UR	005
11 Jan [1862]	Jessee Gaut Esqr / Cleveland / East Tennessee	UC-UL	UR	006*
22 Mar [1862]	Miss Julia E. Anderson / Care of M. J. Tumley Es / Jacksonville / Ala	UL	UC-UR	007*
IE / PAID + 10, black -- Type E				
15 Nov [1861]	Hon M. H. Cruickshank / Richmond / Va	CL-CTR	CTR-UR	008
26 Dec [1864]	---Cruickshank / ---	CL-CTR	UC-CTR	017*
25 Feb [1865]	Brig. Gen. B. J. Hill / Jacksonville / Ala	UC-CTR	UC-UR	010*
2 Mar [1865]	Unknown	UC	UC-UR	011*
18 Mar [1865]	Brig Genl B. J. Hill / ---	UL	UC-UR	012*
14 Nov [186-]	Mrs G. K. Miller / Equality / Anderson Dist / South Carolina	UR	UC	013*
17 Nov [186-]	[Hamil]ton P. Snow / Gainesville] / [Su]mter County / Alabama	LR	UC	014*
3 Dec [186-]	Mrs Hamilton P. Snow / Gainesville / Sumter County / Alabama	UR	UC-UR	009*
3 Dec [186-]	Unknown	UR	UC-UR	015
[14 Dec 186-]	--- Snow / [Gainesville, AL]	UNK	UR	016*
28 Dec [186-]	Mrs Hamilton P. Snow / Gainesville / Sumter County / Alabama	UC	UC-UR	018*

* Indicates a color image

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>PmkPos</u>	<u>PrvPos</u>	<u>CN</u>
IE / PAID + 20cts (ms), black -- Type F				
25 Oct [186-]	Mrs Hamilton P. Snow / Gainesville / Sumter Co / Ala.	UL	CTR-CR	020*
10 [due], black -- Type G				
19 Sep [186-]	Mrs N W E Long / Perote / Pike Co / Ala	LC	CTR	019*
IE / PAID changed to Due (ms) + 5, black -- Type X				
22 Dec [1861]	Mrs Martha M. Dickinson / Fife P o / Talladega cty / Ala	UC	UR	021

* Indicates a color image

Last Name Index of Talladega, Alabama, Stampless Covers

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Typ</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>CN</u>
8 Aug [1861]	C	--	Unknown	004
2 Mar [1865]	E	--	Unknown	011*
3 Dec [186-]	E	--	Unknown	015
3 Sep [1861]	B	Anderson	Mr. D. M. Anderson / Care of Capt. Cleveland / Mobile / Ala	002*
9 Jul [1861]	B	Conoley	Mrs M. E. Conoley / Selma / [AL]	001*
3 Sep [1861]	C	Conoley	Mrs M. E. Conoley / Shelby Springs / Ala	005
20 Sep [1861]	B	Conoley	Miss Endora Conoley / Shelby Springs / Alabama	003*
26 Dec [1864]	E	Cruikshank	---Cruikshank / ---	017*
15 Nov [1861]	E	Cruikshank	Hon M. H. Cruikshank / Richmond / Va	008
22 Dec [1861]	X	Dickinson	Mrs Martha M. Dickinson / Fife P o / Talladega cty / Ala	021
11 Jan [1862]	C	Gaut	Jessee Gaut Esqr / Cleveland / East Tennessee	006*
25 Feb [1865]	E	Hill	Brig. Gen. B. J. Hill / Jacksonville / Ala	010*
18 Mar [1865]	E	Hill	Brig Genl B. J. Hill / ---	012*
19 Sep [186-]	G	Long	Mrs N W E Long / Perote / Pike Co / Ala	019*
14 Nov [186-]	E	Miller	Mrs G. K. Miller / Equality / Anderson Dist / South Carolina	013*
25 Oct [186-]	F	Snow	Mrs Hamilton P. Snow / Gainesville / Sumter Co / Ala.	020*
17 Nov [186-]	E	Snow	[Hamil]ton P. Snow / Gainesville] / [Su]mter County / Alabama	014*
3 Dec [186-]	E	Snow	Mrs Hamilton P. Snow / Gainesville / Sumter County / Alabama	009*
[14 Dec 186-]	E	Snow	--- Snow / [Gainesville, AL]	016*
28 Dec [186-]	E	Snow	Mrs Hamilton P. Snow / Gainesville / Sumter County / Alabama	018*

* Indicates a color image

<u>Pmk Date</u>	<u>Typ</u>	<u>Last Name</u>	<u>Address</u>	<u>CN</u>
22 Mar [1862]	C	Tumley	Miss Julia E. Anderson / Care of M. J. Tumley Es / Jacksonville / Ala	007*

* Indicates a color image

Full Census of Talladega, Alabama, Stampless Covers

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PAID + 5, black -- Type B

9 Jul [1861]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / AL." postmark UL, Type B marking UR. Partial image of full cover.

Address: Mrs M. E. Conoley / Selma / [AL]

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: RGK-14Sep1990(69)-265*. [001]

Image Credit: Robert G Kaufmann Auctions.



3 Sep [1861]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / AL." postmark UL-CL, Type B marking UR. The "5" is faint and almost off the cover at right.

Address: Mr. D. M. Anderson / Care of Capt. Cleveland / Mobile / Ala

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: Private*. [002]

Image Credit: Private Collection.



20 Sep [1861]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / AL." postmark CL, Type B marking UR.

Address: Miss Endora Conoley / Shelby Springs / Alabama

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: Private*. [003]

Image Credit: Private Collection.



I E / PAID + 5, black -- Type C

8 Aug [1861]

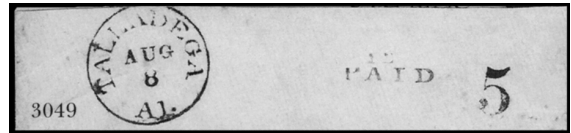
Description: "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UL, Type C marking UC-UR. Partial image of full cover.

Address: Unknown

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: RAS-9Apr1997(787)-3049. [004]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



3 Sep [1861]

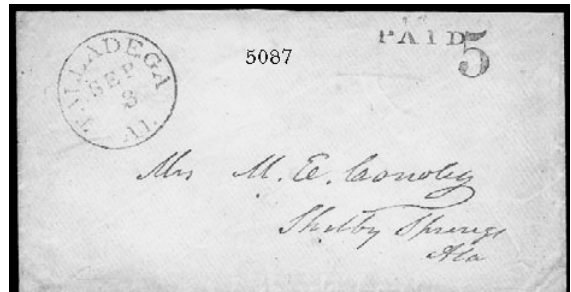
Description: "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UL, Type C marking UR.

Address: Mrs M. E. Conoley / Shelby Springs / Ala

Provenance: Agre

Source: RAS-25Sep2002(850)-5087. [005]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



11 Jan [1862]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UC-UL, Type C marking UR. Embossed blind corner card of James Isbell UL.

Address: Jesse Gaut Esqr / Cleveland / East Tennessee

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: FPM-28598*. [006]

Image Credit: Frajola PhilaMercury Website.



22 Mar [1862]

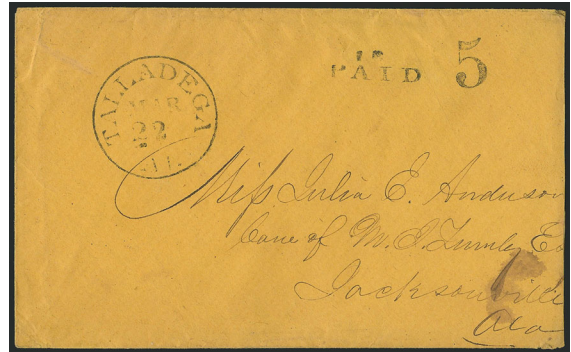
Description: "TALLADEGA / AL." postmark UL, Type C marking UC-UR.

Address: Miss Julia E. Anderson / Care of M. J. Tumley Es / Jacksonville / Ala

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: RAS-24Jun2015(1104)-2286*. [007]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



I E / PAID + 10, black -- Type E

15 Nov [1861]

Description: "TALLADEGA / AL." postmark CL-CTR, Type E marking CTR-UR.

Address: Hon M. H. Cruikshank / Richmond / Va

Provenance: Agre

Source: RAS-25 Sep 2002(850)-5088. [008]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



26 Dec [1864]

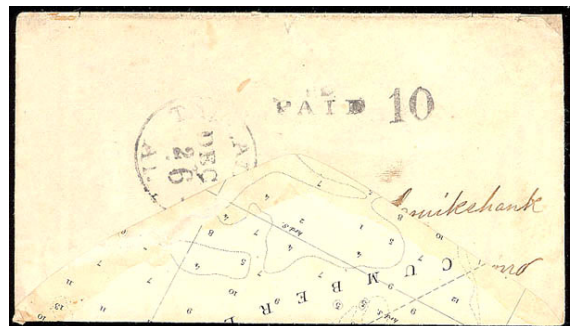
Description: Black "TALLADEGA / AL." postmark CL-CTR, Type E marking UC-CTR. Adversity cover made from nautical map sheet. Enclosure dated 1864.

Address: ---Cruikshank / ---

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: SR-26Apr2012(47)-1753*. [017]

Image Credit: Schuyler Rumsey Auctions.



25 Feb [1865]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UC-CTR, Type E marking UC-UR. Docketed "March 7th 1865" across left end.

Address: Brig. Gen. B. J. Hill / Jacksonville / Ala

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: RGK-14Jun1990(69)-267*; RAS-29Oct1993(753)-1647. [011]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



2 Mar [1865]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UC, Type E marking UC-UR. Adversity cover made from furniture broadside. Enclosure dated 1865

Address: Unknown

Provenance: Haas, Myerson

Source: RCF-22Feb1986(27)-152*; AHA-27Jun1998(4)-144*. [011]

Image Credit: Richard C Frajola Auctions.



18 Mar [1865]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UL, Type E marking UC-UR. Partial image of full cover. Cover docketed 1865.

Address: Brig Genl B. J. Hill / ---

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: RGK-14Jun1990(69)-266*. [012]

Image Credit: Robert G Kaufmann Auctions.



14 Nov [186-]

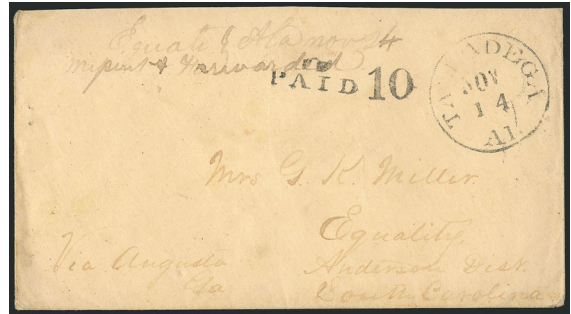
Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UR, Type E marking UC. Manuscript Equality Ala postmark UC and "missent & forwarded."

Address: Mrs G. K. Miller / Equality / Anderson Dist / South Carolina

Provenance: Myerson

Source: AHA-27Jun1998(4)-145*; RAS-24Jun2015(1104)-2287*. [013]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



17 Nov [186-]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark LR, Type E marking UC. Cover first used from Gainesville, AL, with 10 blue (CSA #12). Turned and used from Talladega.

Address: [Hamil]ton P. Snow / Gainesville] / [Su]mter County / Alabama

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: Private*. [014]

Image Credit: Courtesy Trish Kaufmann.



3 Dec [186-]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UR, Type E marking UC-UR.

Address: Mrs Hamilton P. Snow / Gainesville / Sumter County / Alabama

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: CG-13Jun2016(34)-864*. [009]

Image Credit: Christoph Gartner Auctions.



3 Dec [186-]

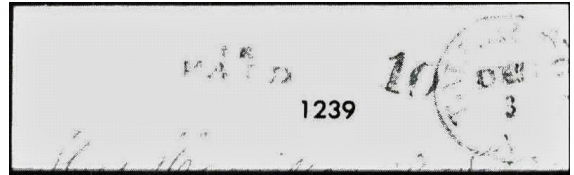
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Address: Unknown

Provenance: Bogg

Source: JWK-21Feb1987(128)-1239. [015]

Image Credit: John W Kaufmann Auctions.



[14 Dec 186-]

Description: Unknown Talladega, Alabama postmark, Type E marking UR. Cover used from Selma with one half 20c green (CSA #13). Turned and reused from Talladega.

Address: --- Snow / [Gainesville, AL]

Provenance: Weatherly

Source: RAS-20Oct 972(420)-741; RAS-18Dec2013(1043)-2586*; RAS-28Sep2021(1241)-1373*. [016]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



28 Dec [186-]

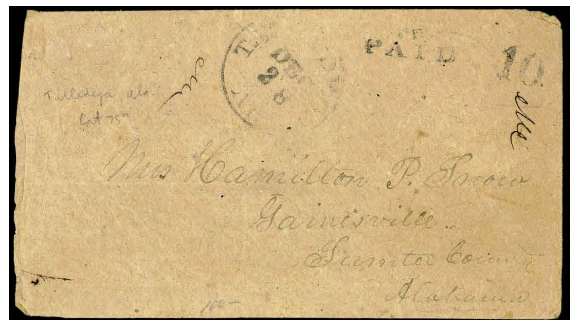
Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UC, Type E marking UC-UR.

Address: Mrs Hamilton P. Snow / Gainesville / Sumter County / Alabama

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: RAS-22Jun2016(1132)-3027*. [018]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.



I E / PAID + 20cts (ms), black -- Type F

25 Oct [186-]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UL, Type F marking CTR-CR. Turned Cover

Address: Mrs Hamilton P. Snow / Gainesville / Sumter Co / Ala.

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: Private*. [020]

Image Credit: Private Collection.



10 [due], black -- Type G

19 Sep [186-]

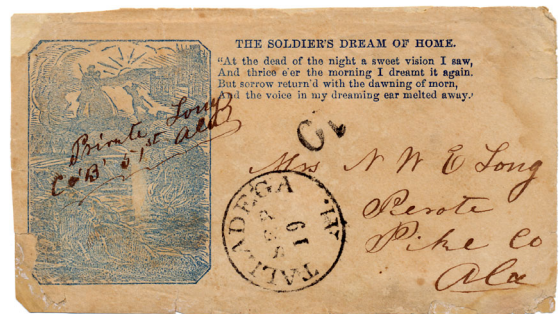
Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark LC, Type G marking CTR. Soldier's endorsement CL. Captured Union patriotic envelope.

Address: Mrs N W E Long / Perote / Pike Co / Ala

Provenance: None recorded.

Source: Private*. [019]

Image Credit: Private Collection.



I E / PAID changed to Due (ms) + 5, black -- Type X

22 Dec [1861]

Description: Black "TALLADEGA / Al." postmark UC, Type X marking UR. "I E / PAID" lined out UR. Soldier's endorsement LL-LC. Flag and cannon patriotic cover (CSA Type CN-1B).

Address: Mrs Martha M. Dickinson / Fife P o / Talladega city / Ala

Provenance: Brandon

Source: RAS-20Nov2014(1087)-191. [021]

Image Credit: Robert A Siegel Auctions.

