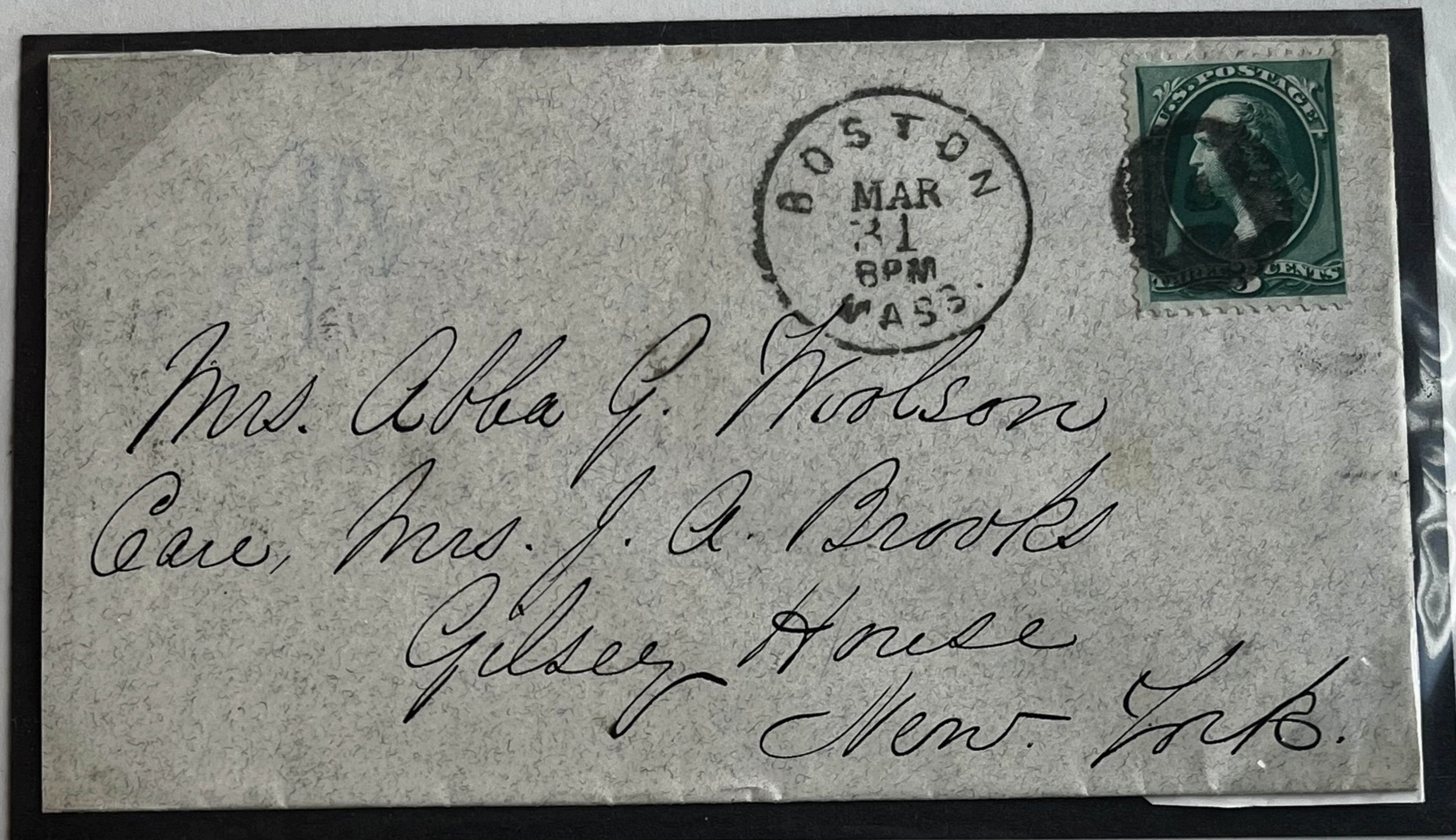


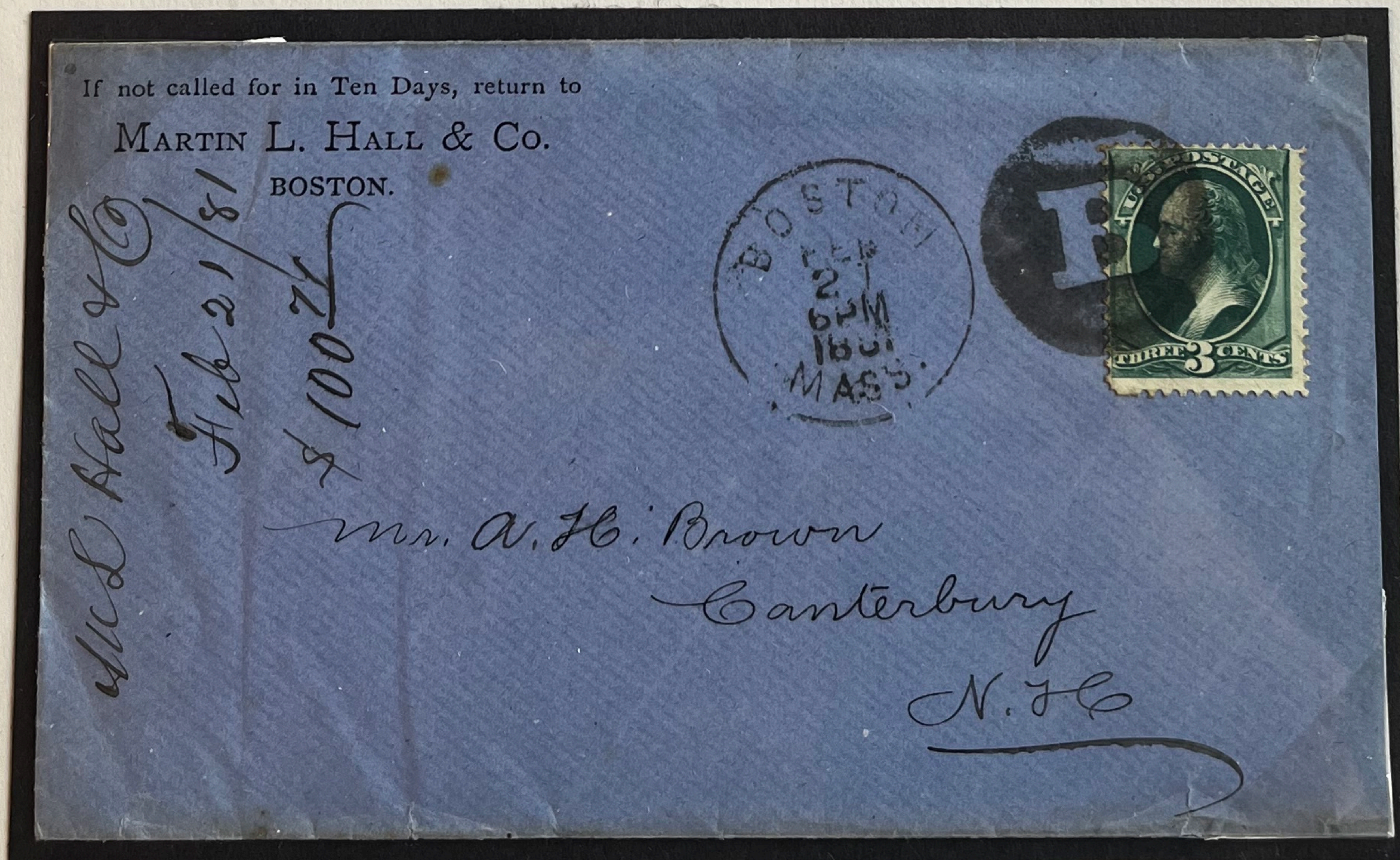
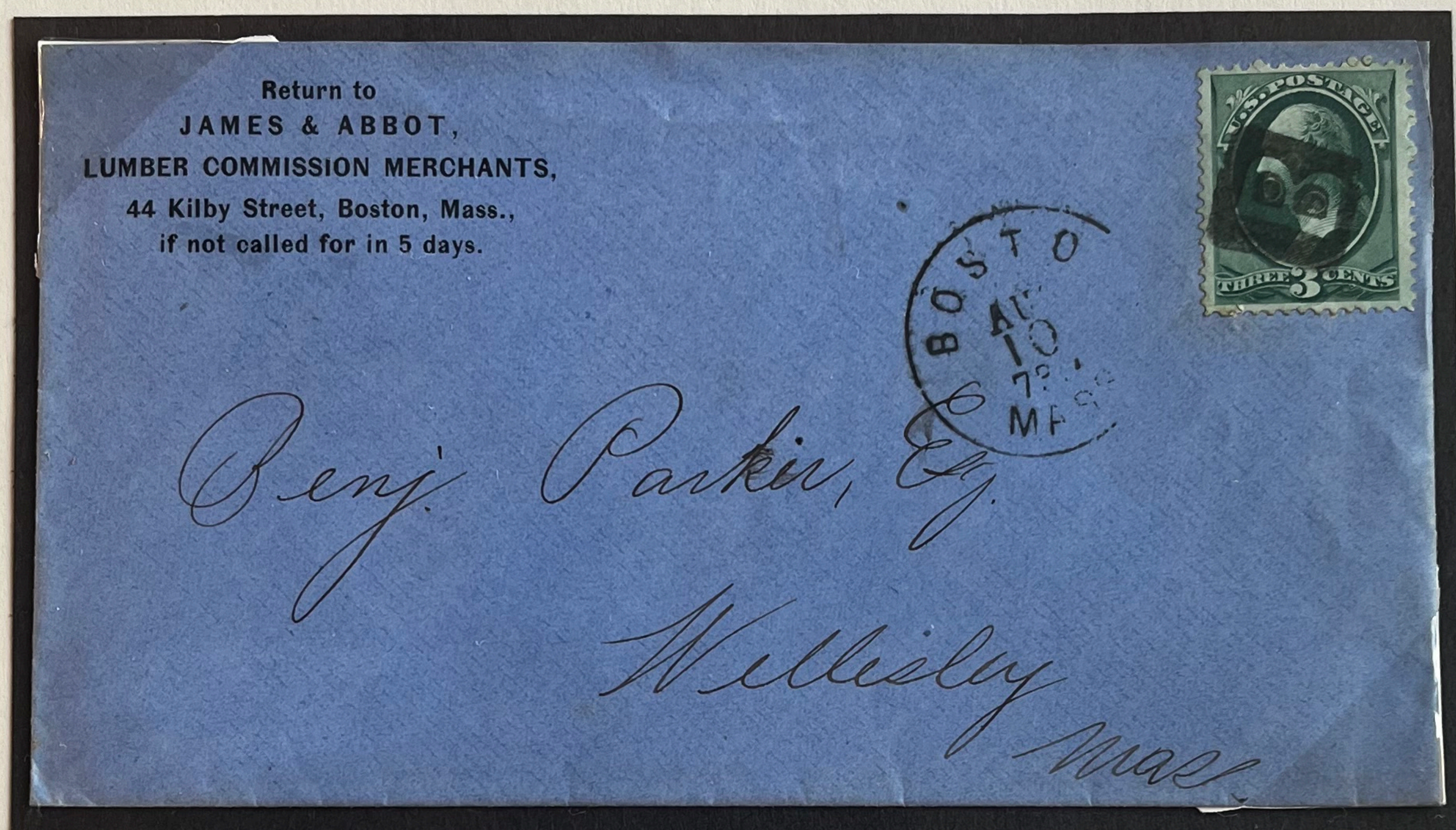
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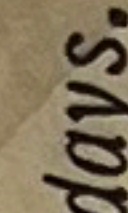
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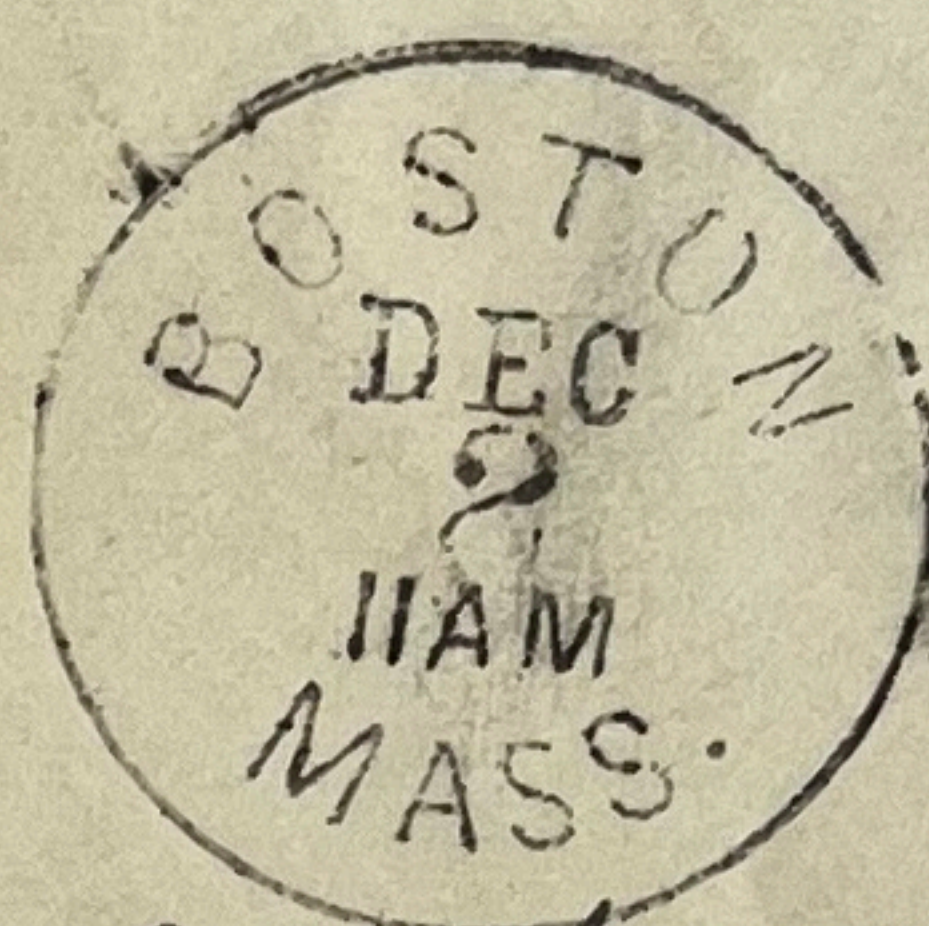
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Negative letter C

 National Journal of Education,
New-England Journal of Education,
Weeklies : \$2.50 in advance.

 The Primary Teacher,
Good Times,
Monthlies : \$1.00 in advance.

 Return if not called for in six days.
Address THOS. W. BICKNELL, Publisher,
16 Hawley Street, Boston.



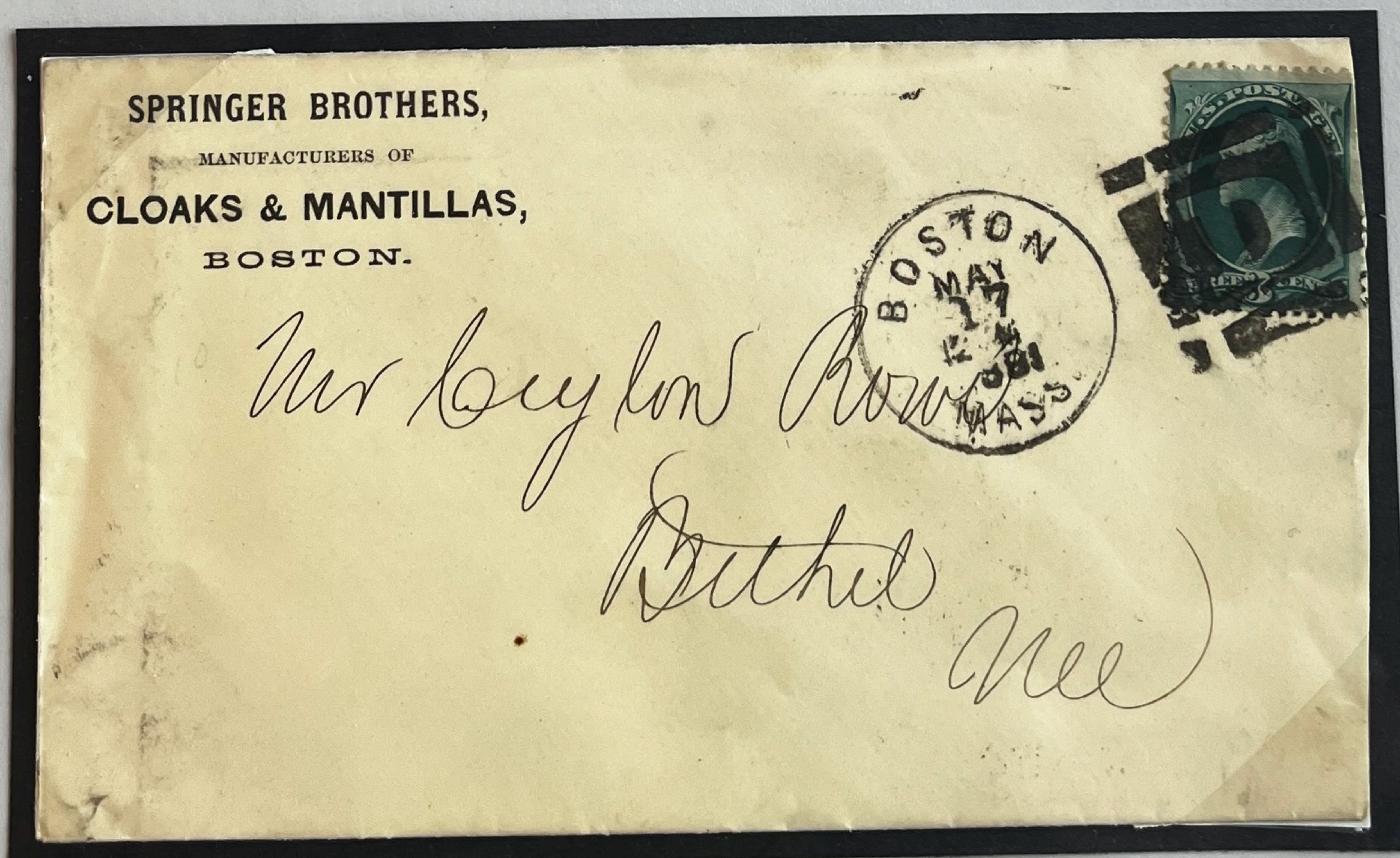
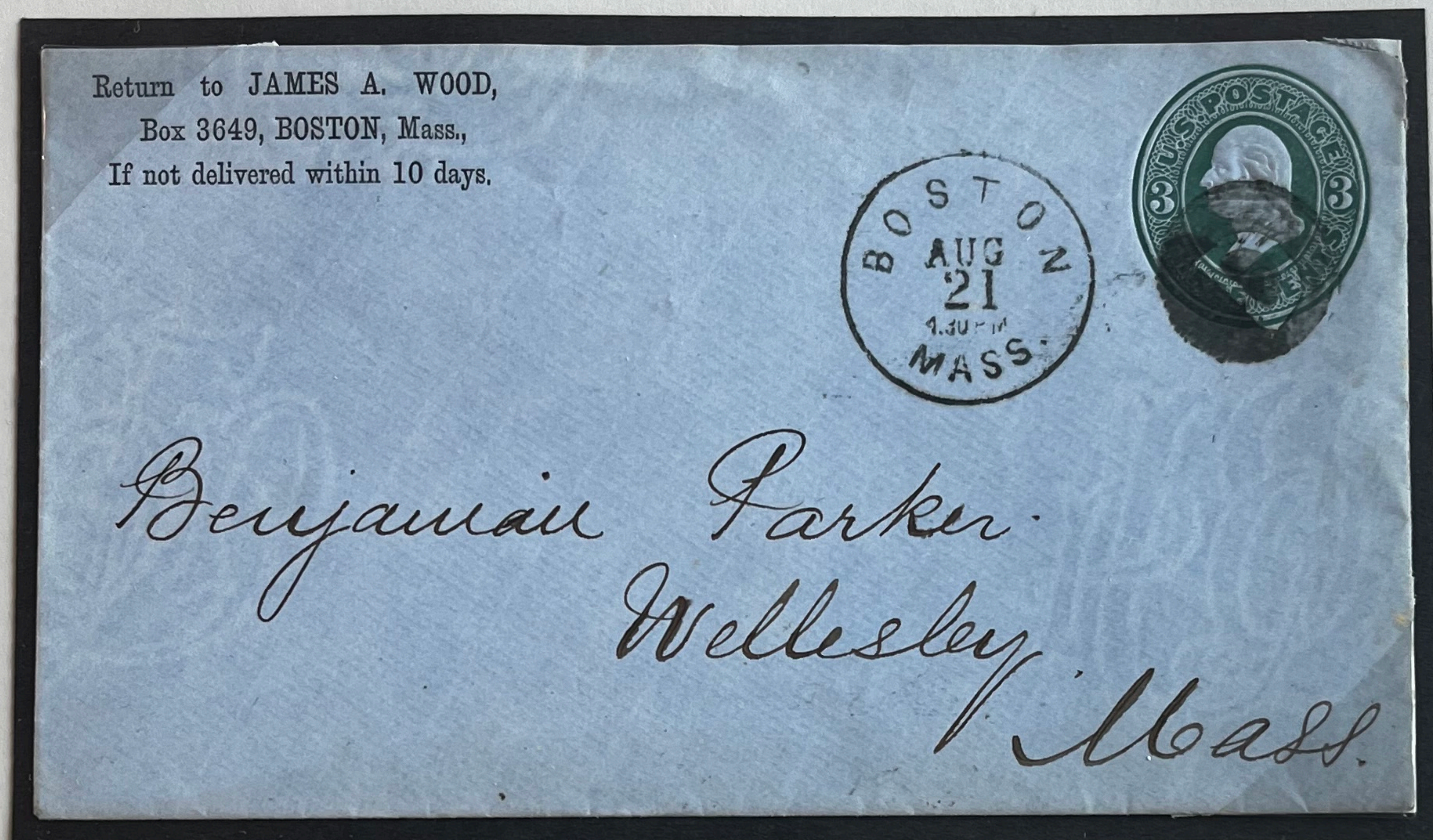
Fred Morley, Esq.

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Mich.

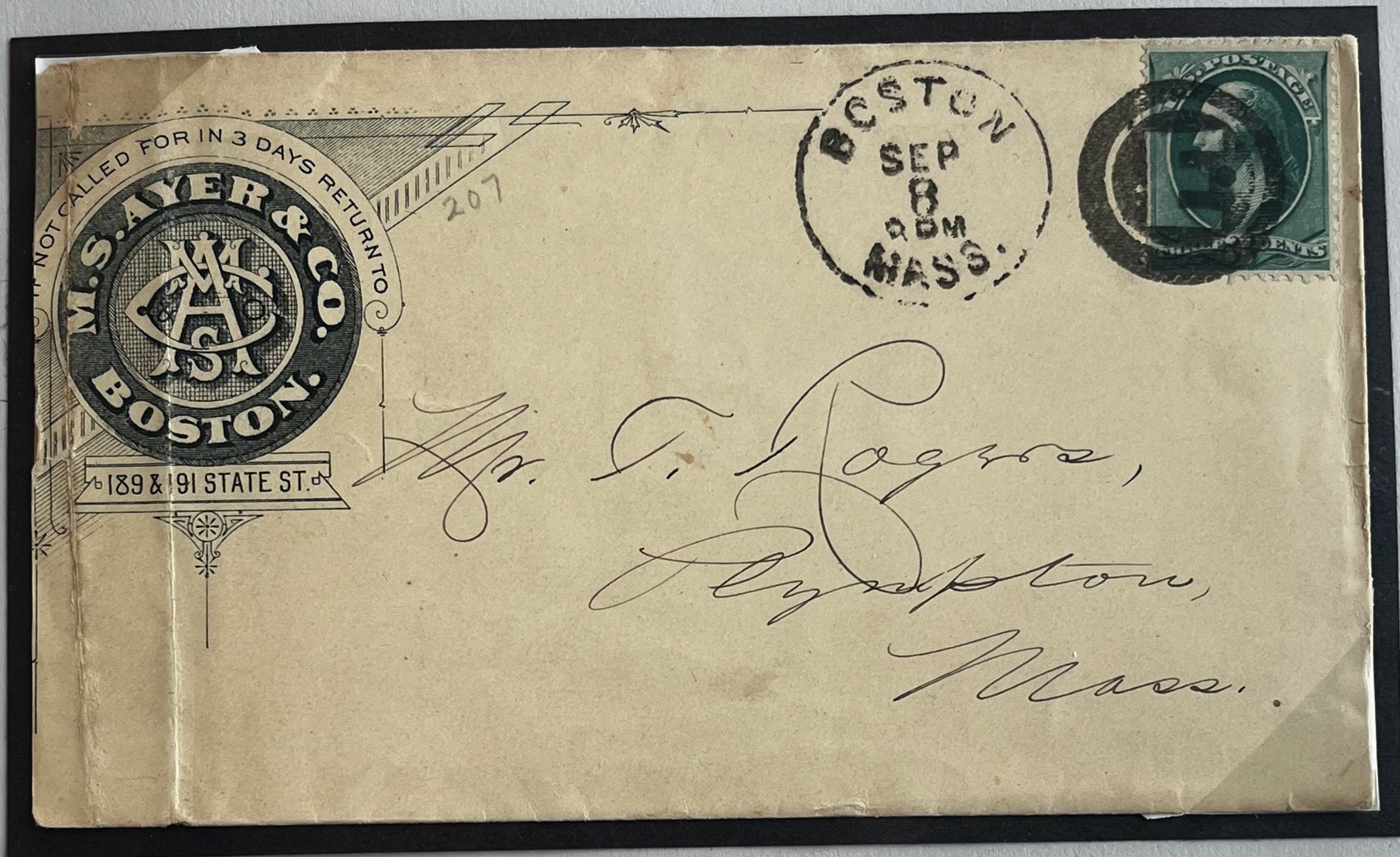
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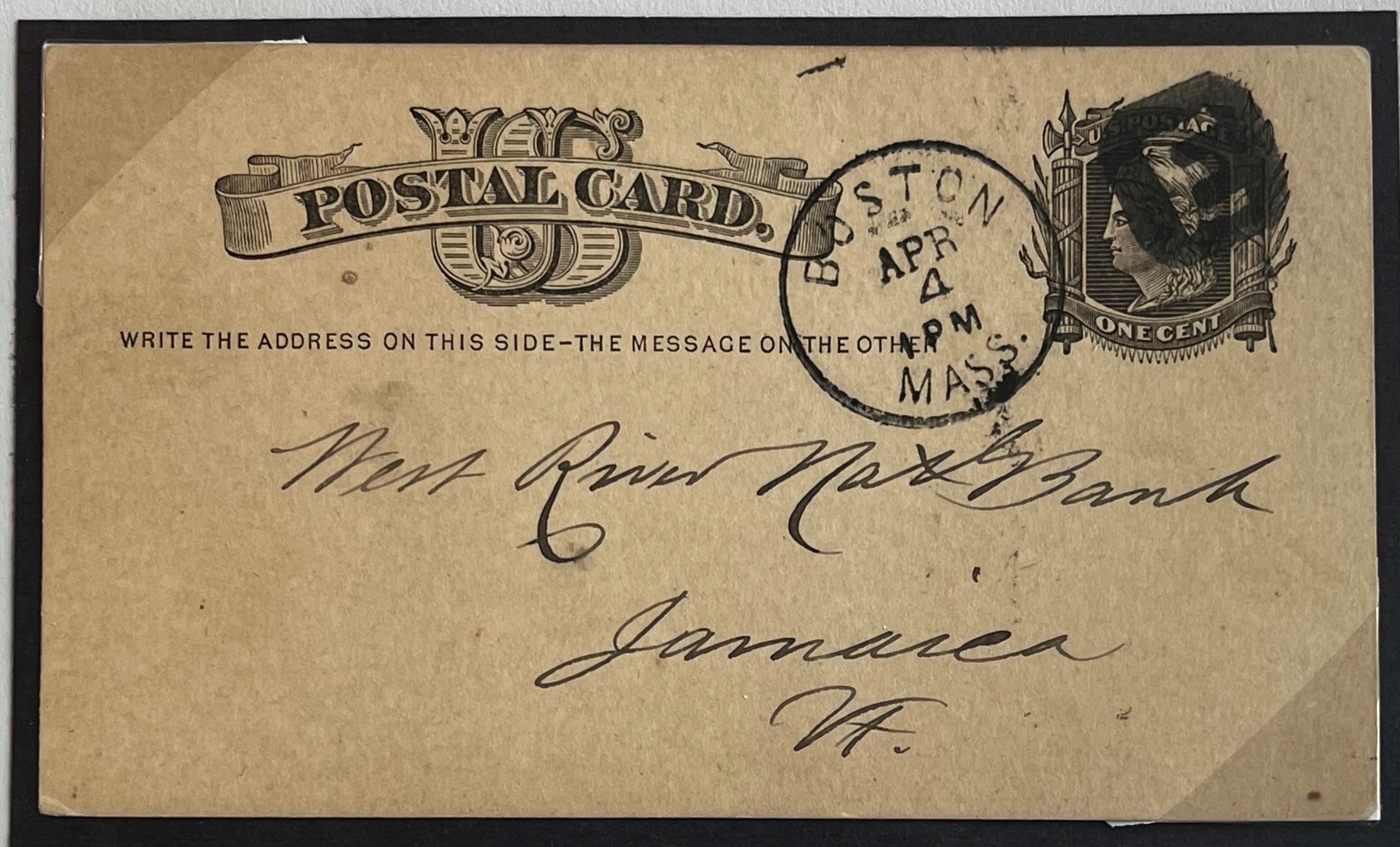
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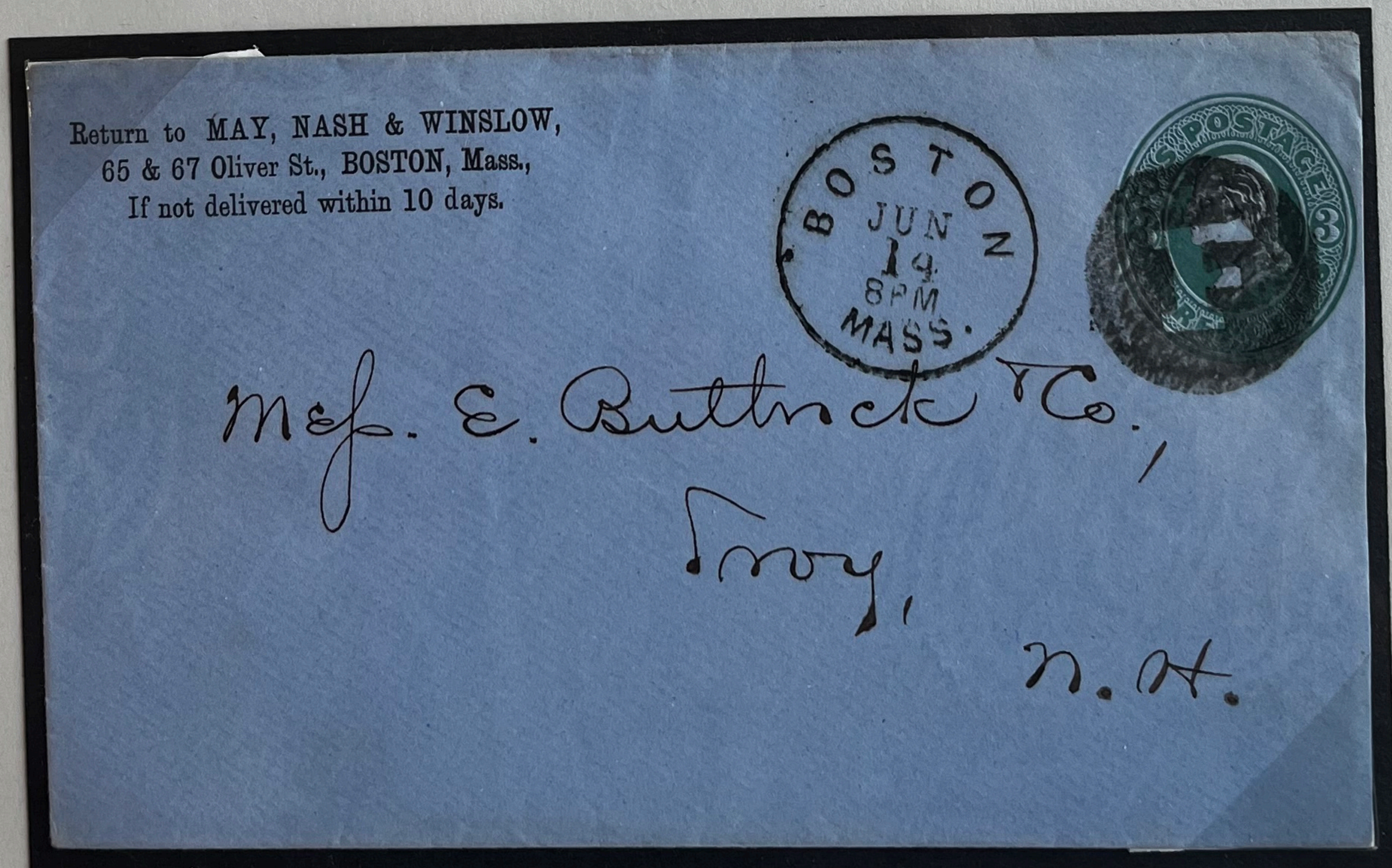
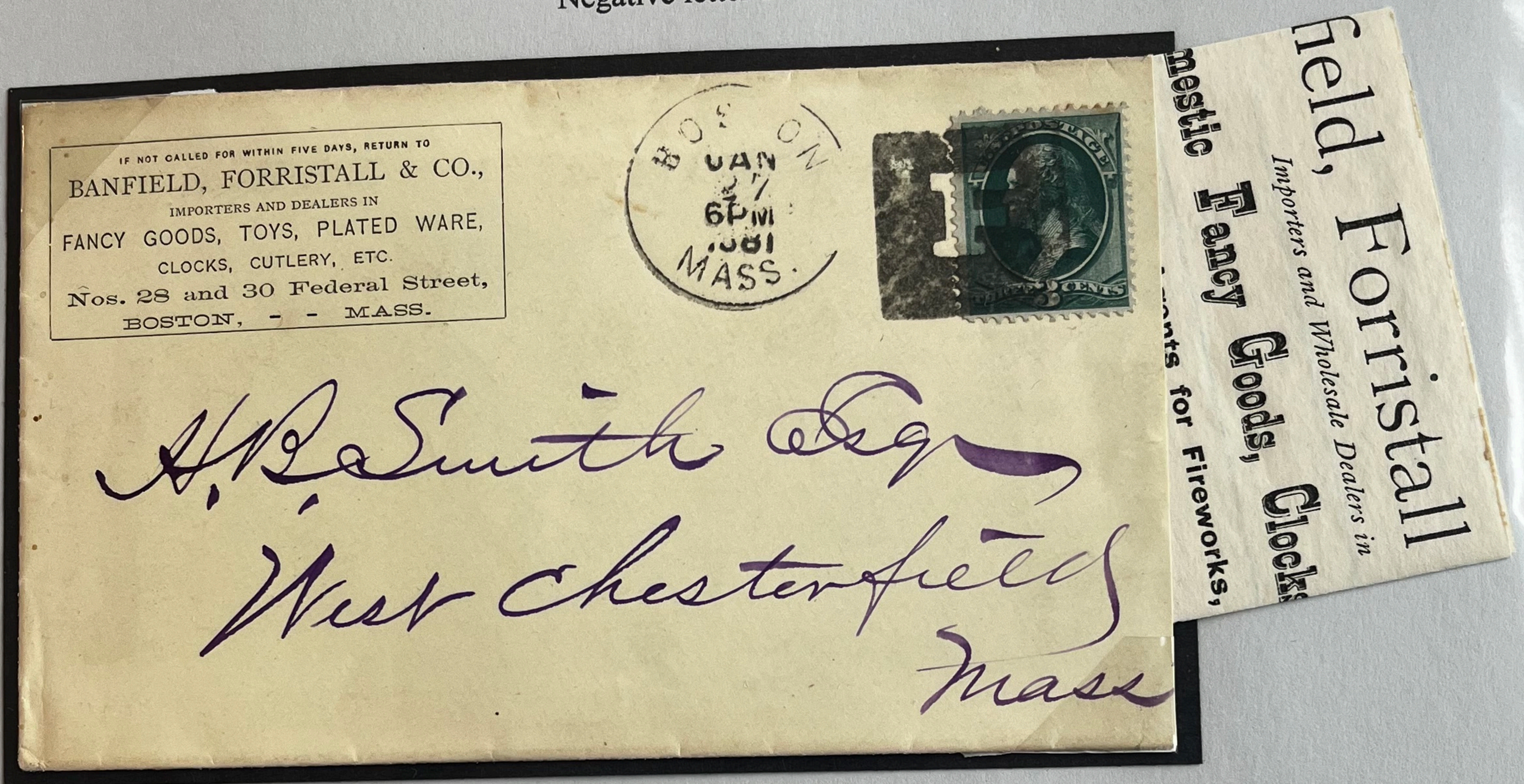
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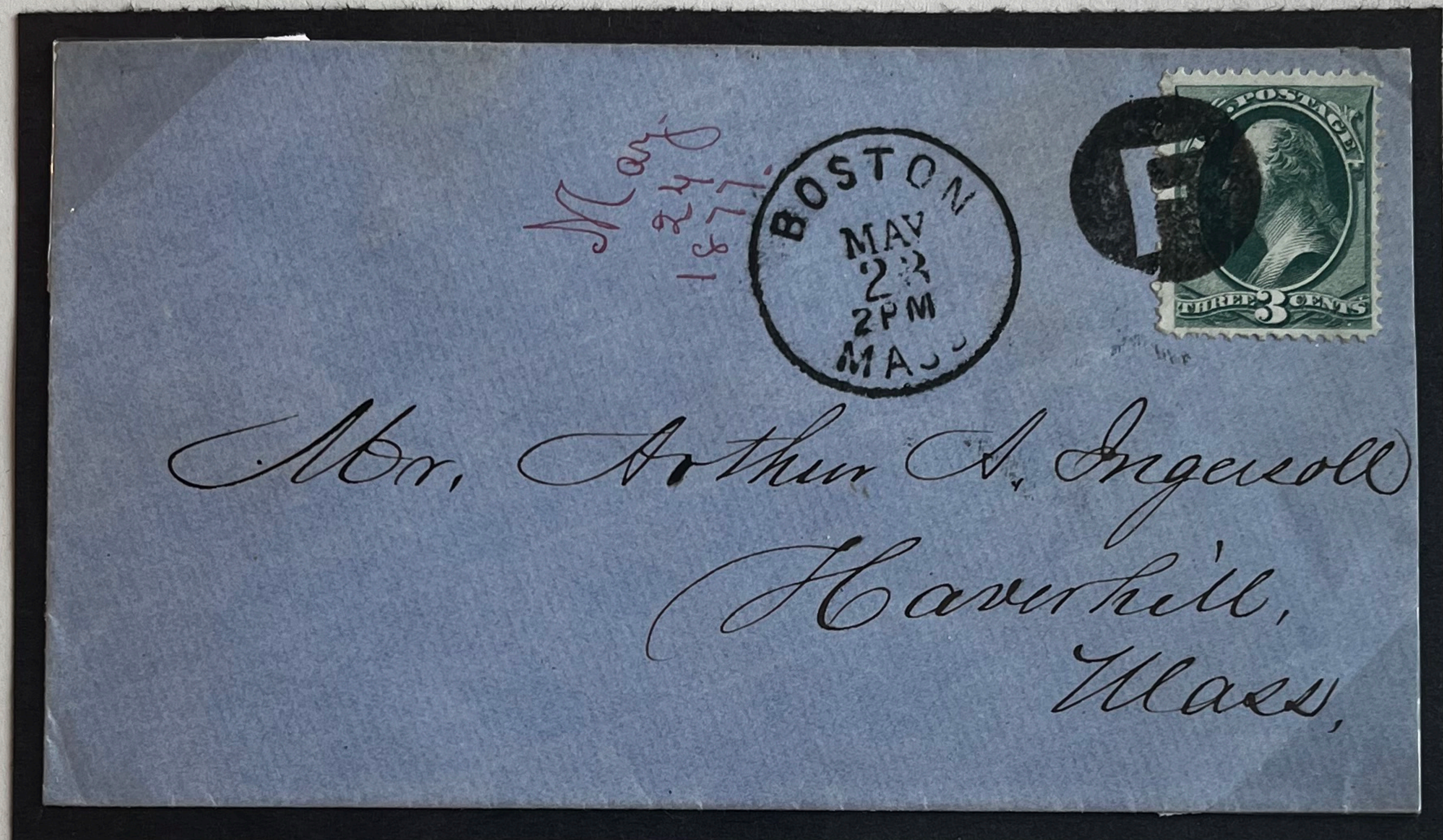
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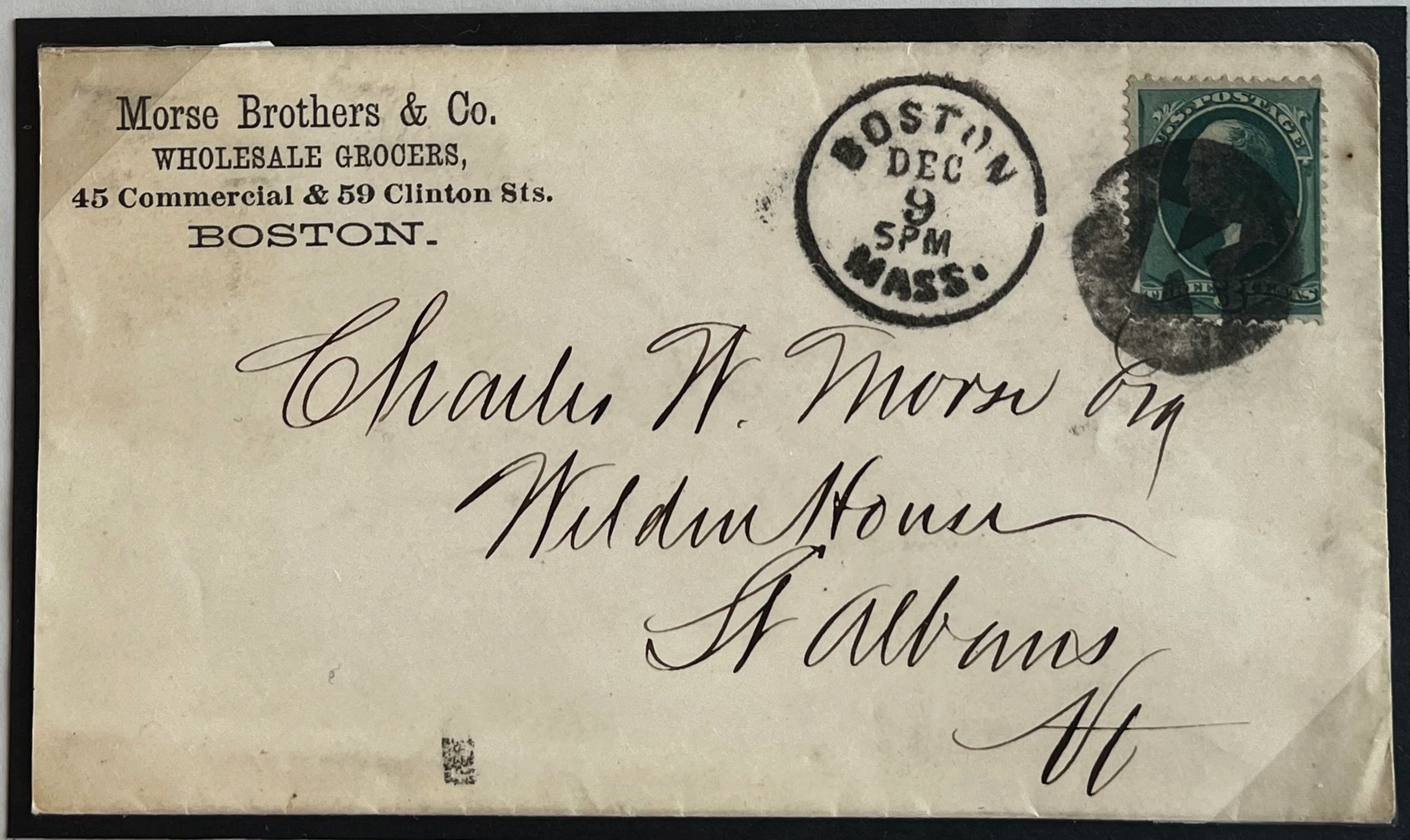
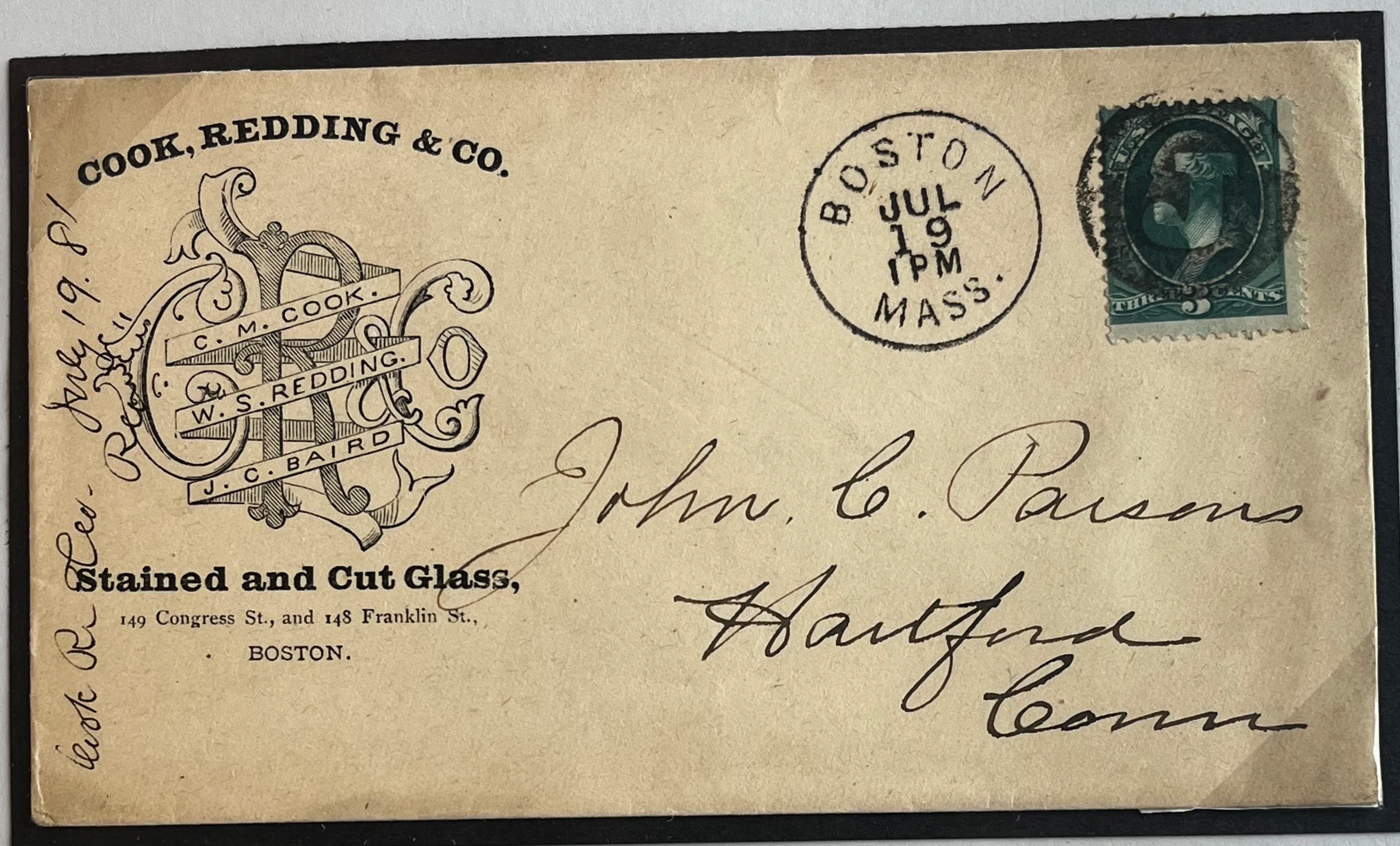
Negative letter H



One-cent rate to Canada, backstamped
"Annapolis JY 8 81 N. S."

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Negative letter postmarks



G. H. SEELEY, President.
N. SEELEY, Vice-President.

—OFFICE OF THE—

G. I. STEVENS,
Sec'y and Treas.

Averill Chemical



Paint Company,

No. 19 Federal Street, Near Milk,

Boston, March 7 1879

Mr. A. V. Corey,
Westport, Mass.

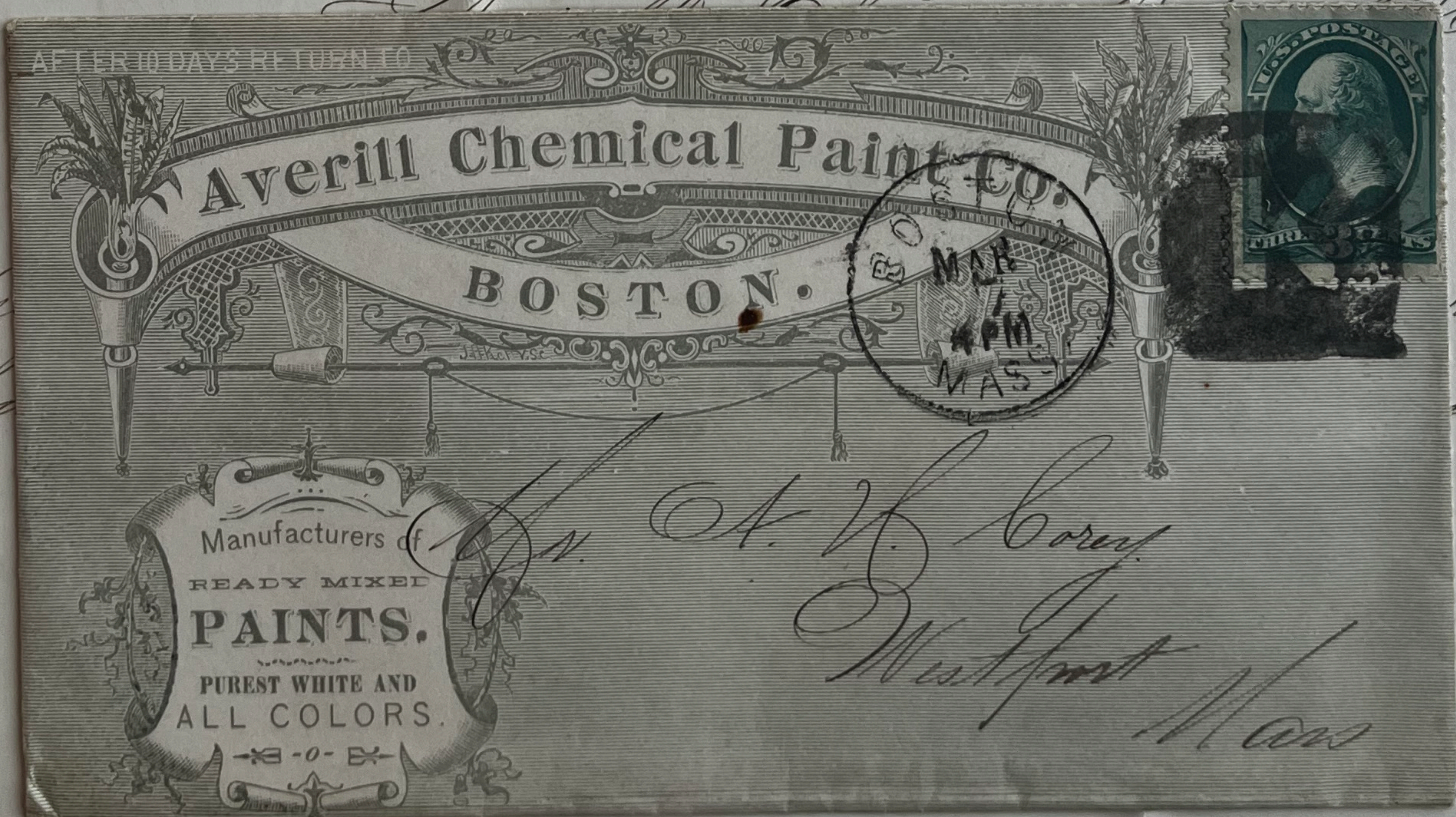
Dear Sir,

We mail you sample
cards of our manufactures, with a view
of securing your interest in their sale in
your town, if in your line, and if so
would like to correspond with you relative
to prices &c

Yours Truly,

G. H. Seeley

We
the

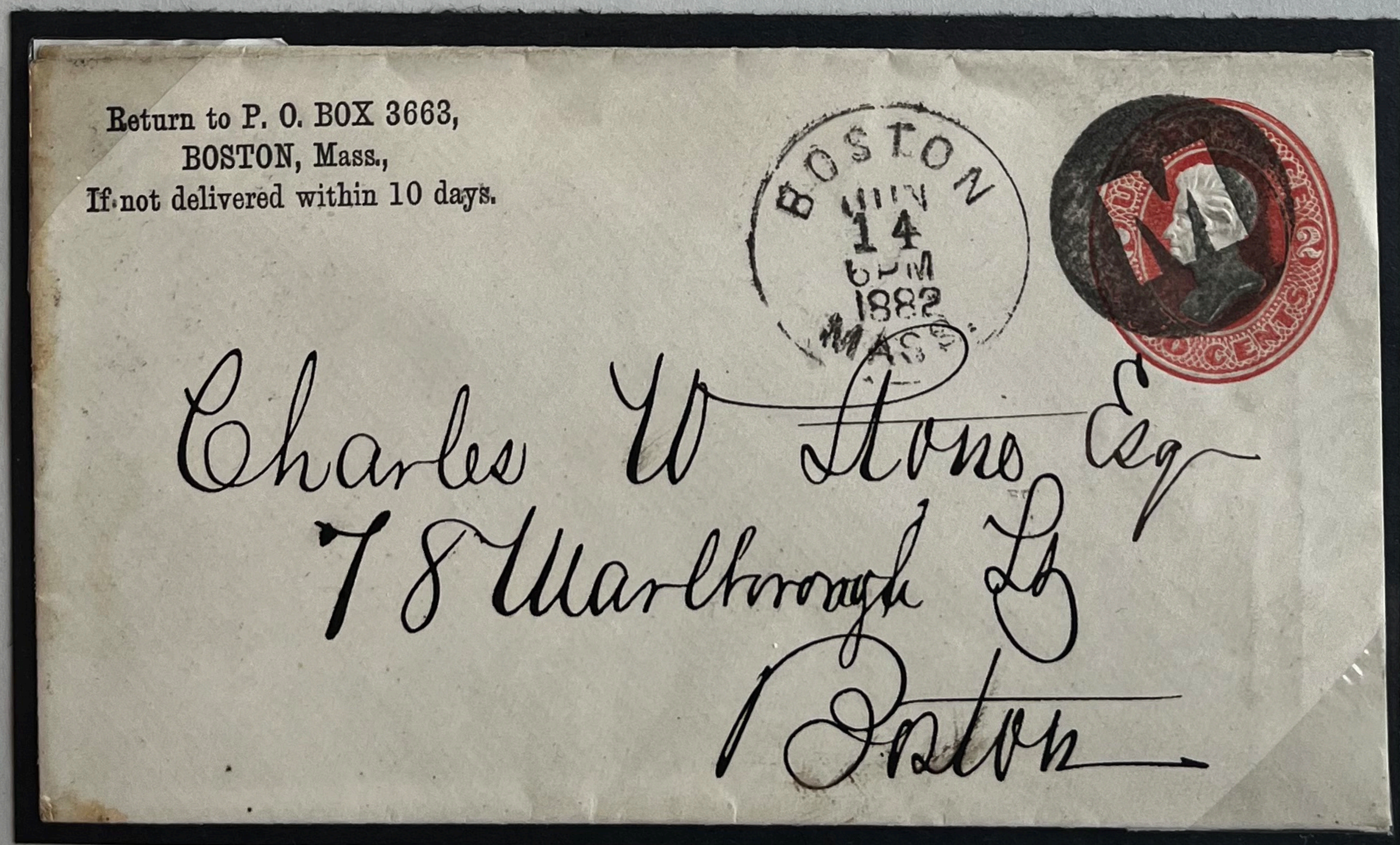


response
in —

A. V. Corey
Westport Mass

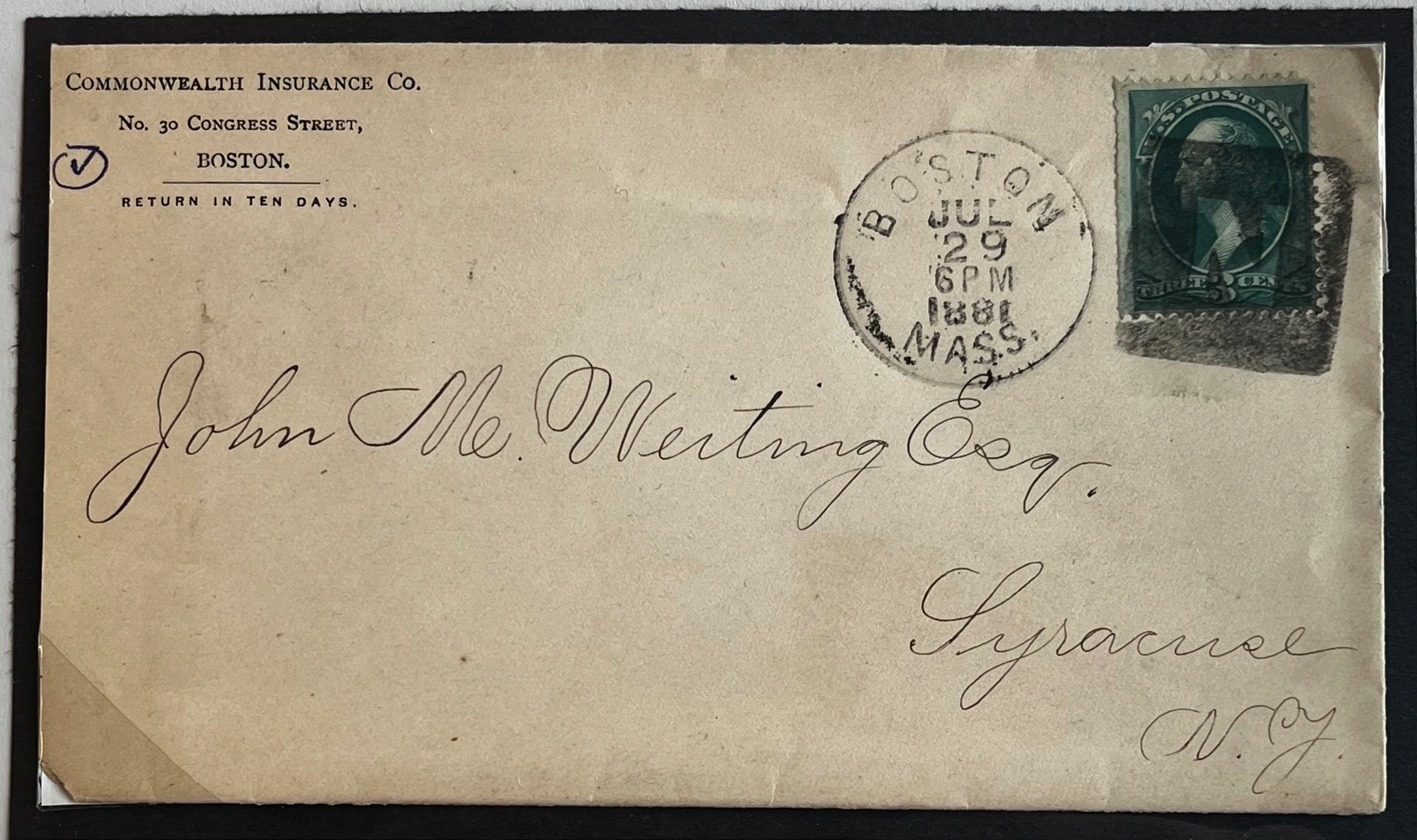
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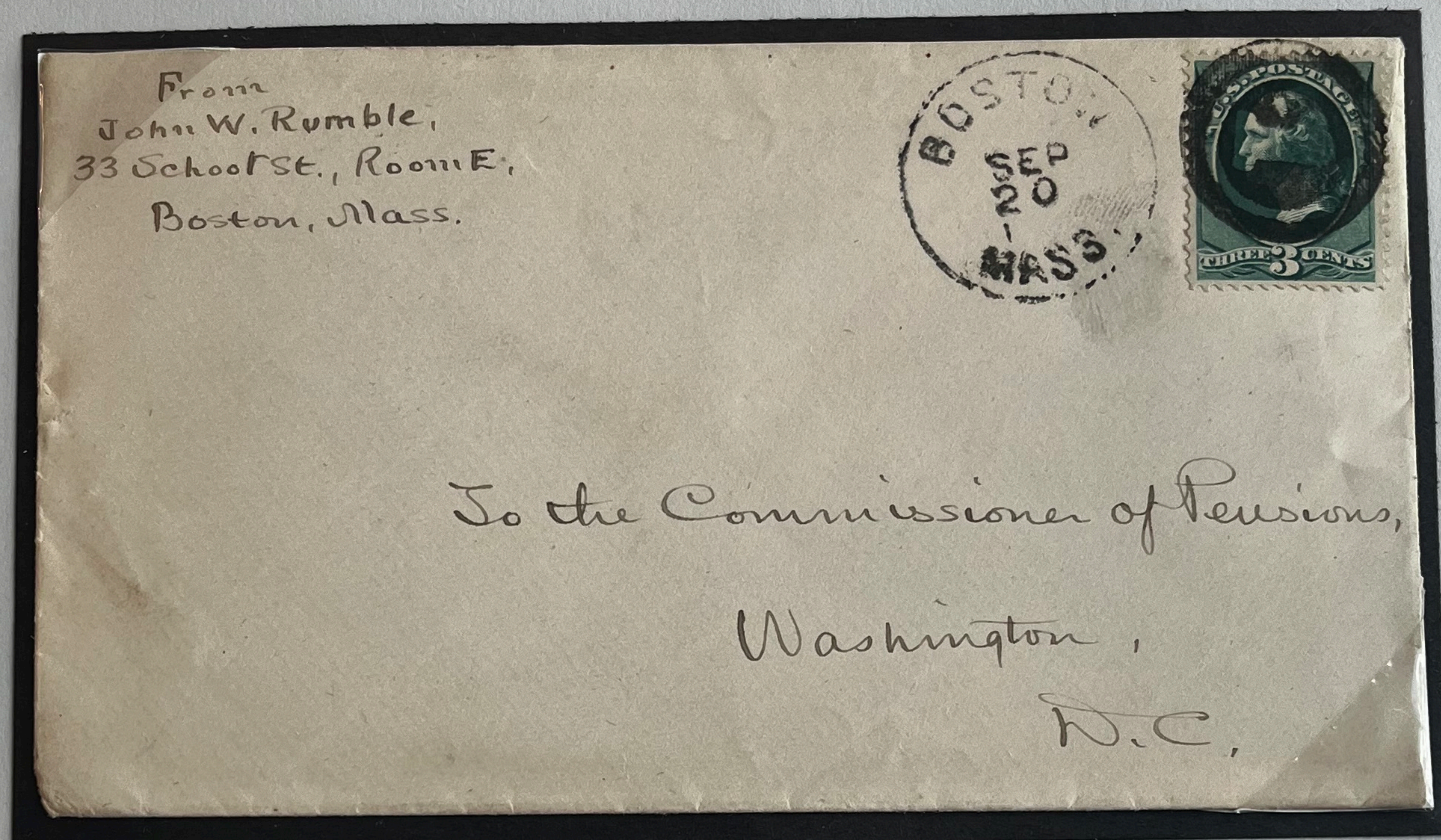
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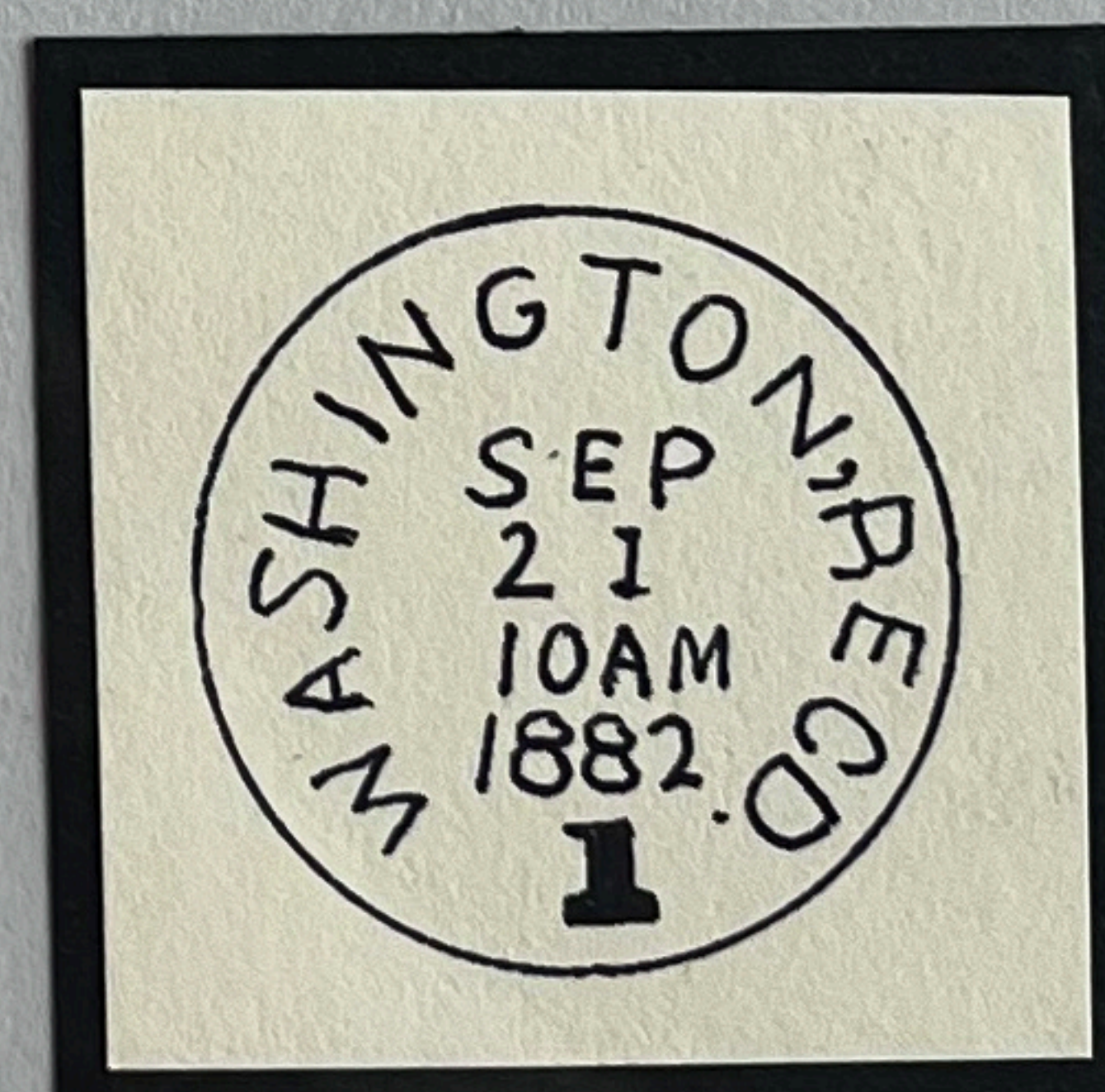


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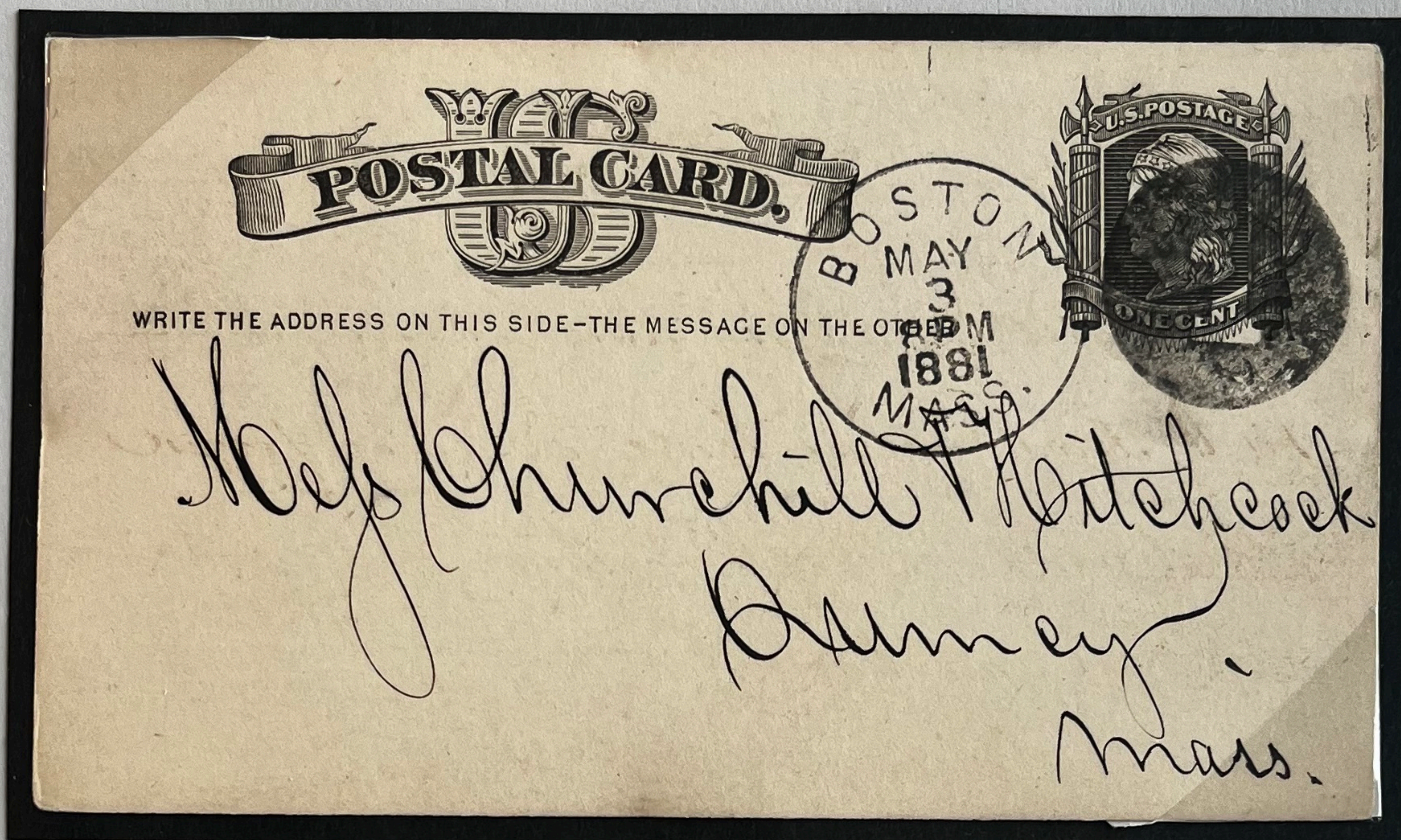


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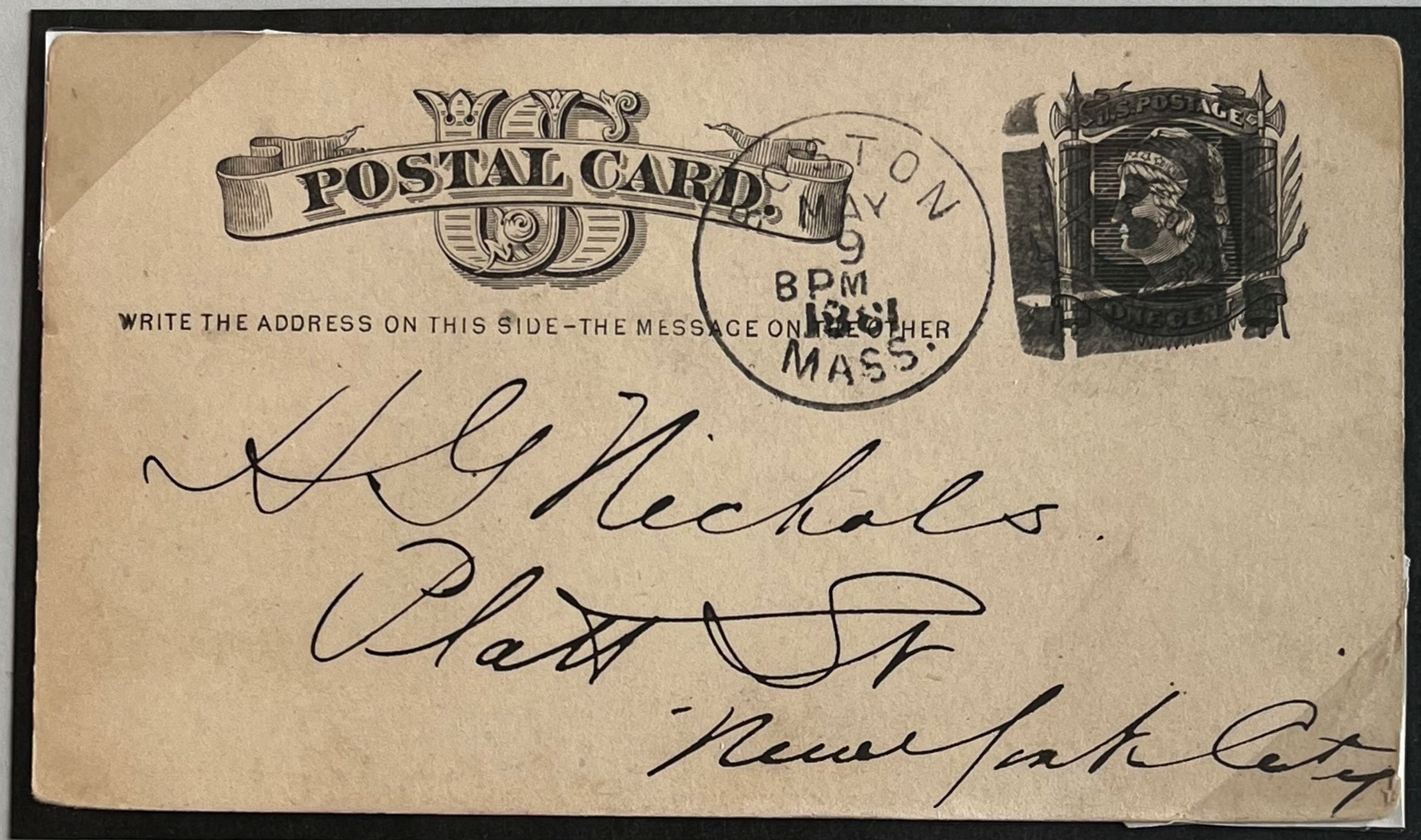
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OFFICE OF
R. Warner & Co.

Manufacturers and Wholesale Dealers in

WOODEN WARE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION,

36 AND 38 COMMERCIAL STREET.

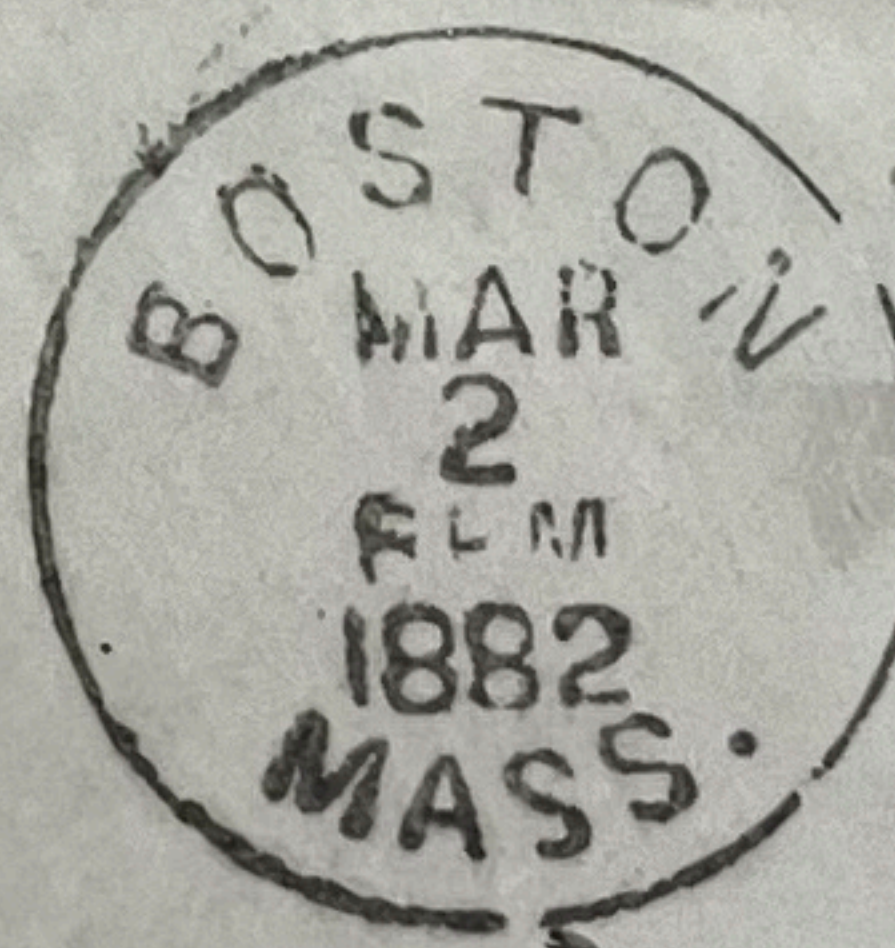
Factory at Warnersville, formerly Concord Junction, Mass.

Boston, Mar. 2 1882

Mr. H. B. Smith

Dear Sir
You have our
order for 10 Gross Rolling Hoops
please
you

RETURN TO
R. WARNER & CO.
MANUFACTURERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS
— IN —
WOODEN WARE,
36 and 38 Commercial St., Boston, Mass.
If not delivered within Five Days.



Mr. H. B. Smith
West Chesterfield
Mass.

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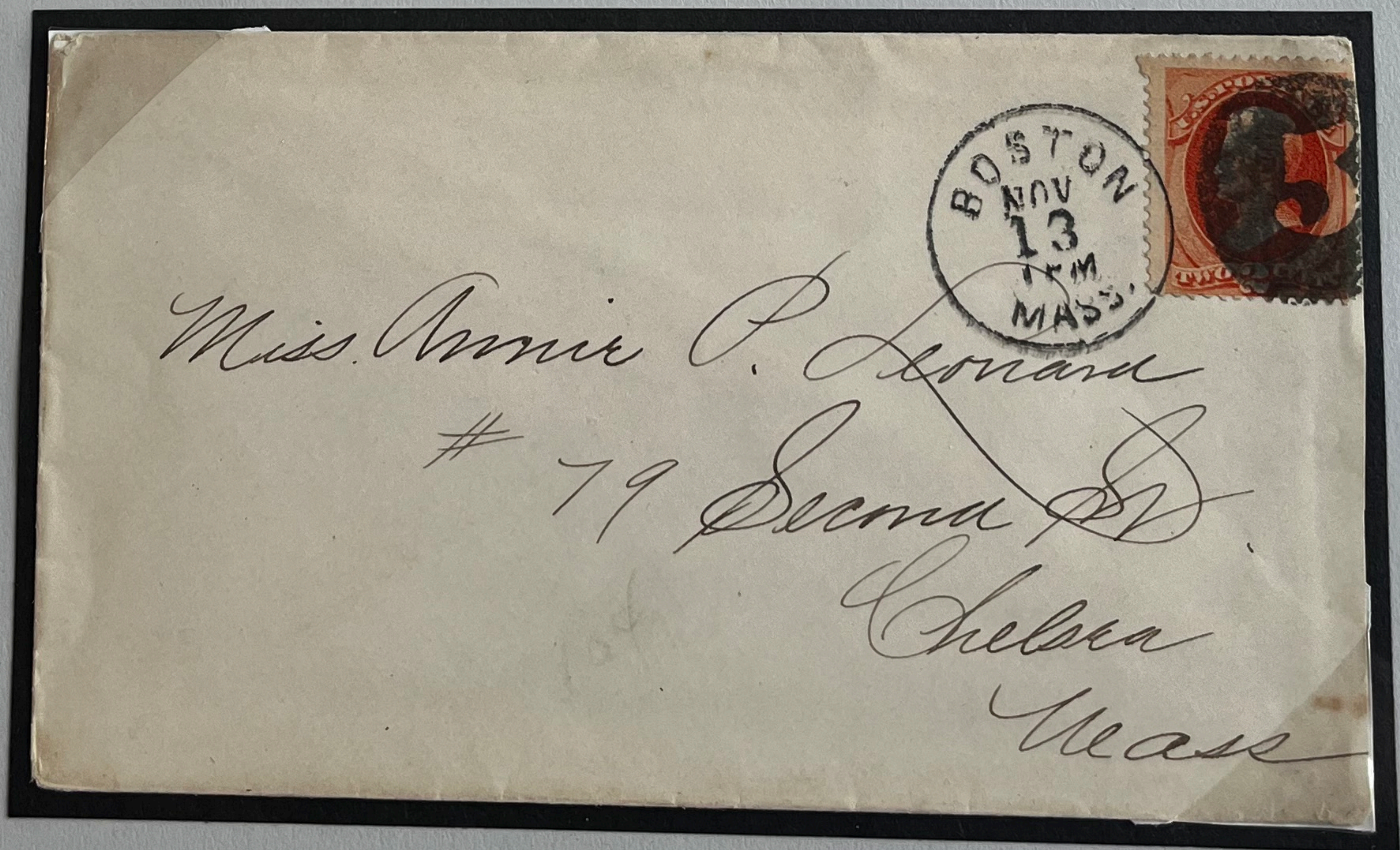
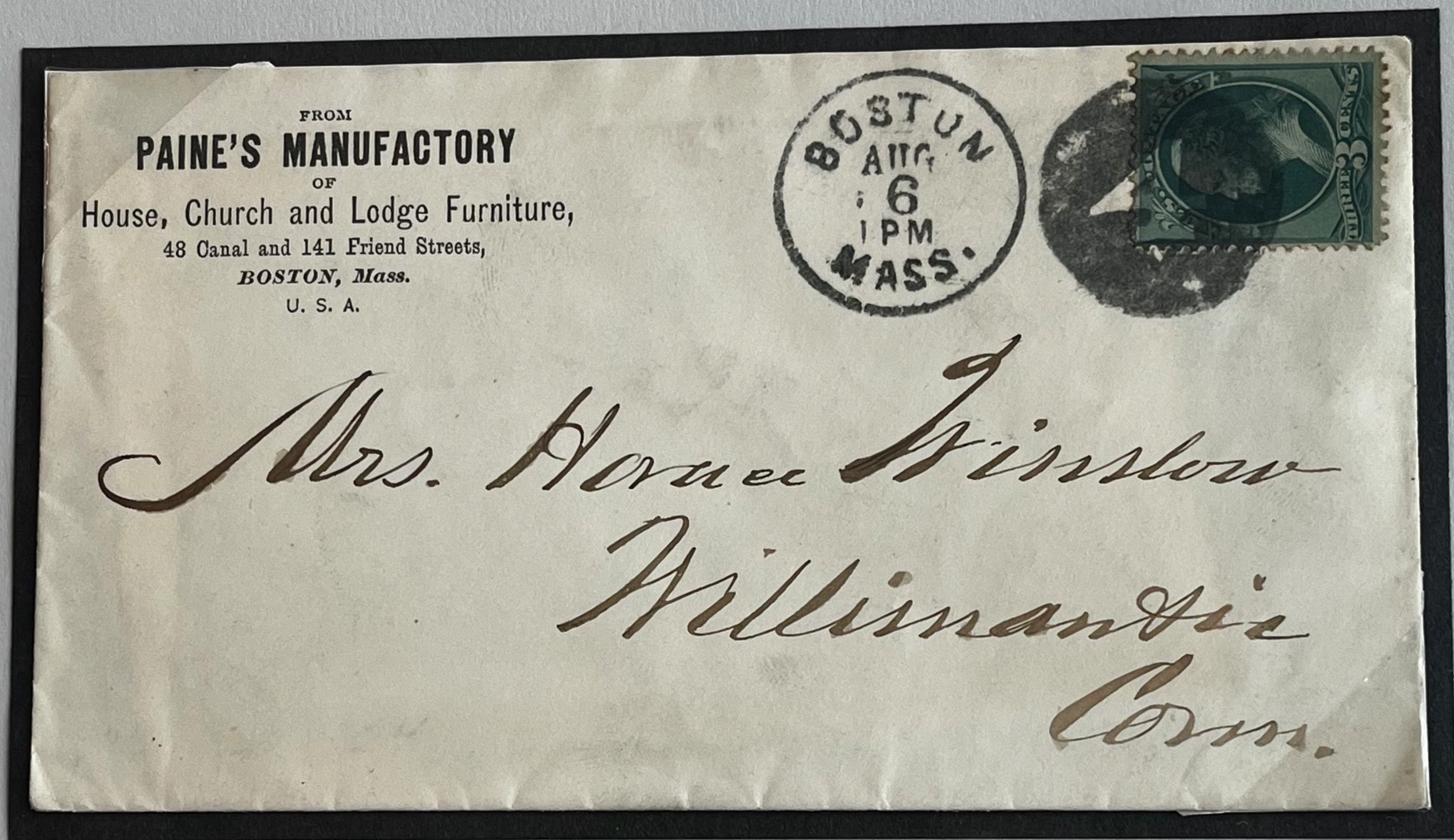
Negative number 4



Mourning cover to Pawtucket, Rhode Island

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Negative number postmarks



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Negative number 6

Office

HEYER BROTHERS,

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN,

Fancy Goods, Toys, Druggists' & Stationers' Sundries,
42 & 44 Franklin Street.

P. O. BOX 1832.

Boston, Mar 8 1881

H B Smith

*Will us
Gro Pulling Haps
Send immediately
Must be sent this M
as*

HEYER BROTHERS,
IMPORTERS OF
FANCY GOODS, TOYS, DRUGGISTS'
AND STATIONERS' SUNDRIES,
42 & 44 Franklin Street,
BOSTON, MASS.

Order,

*H B Smith
West Cheshamfield
Mass.*



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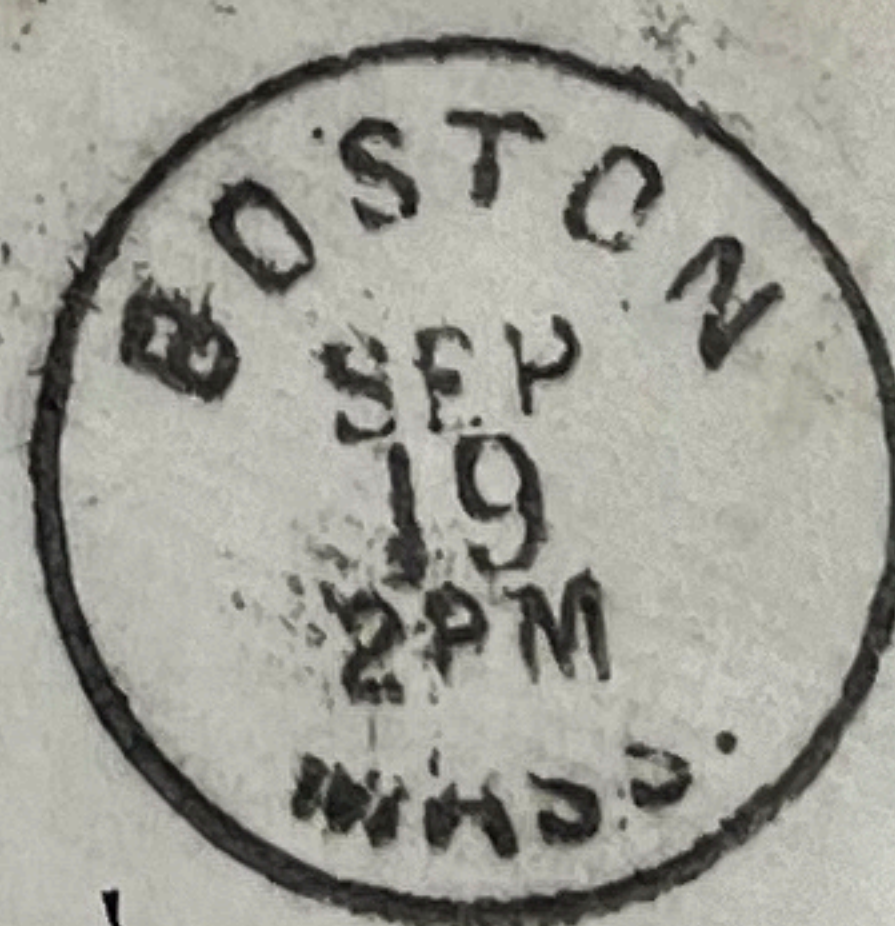
Massachusetts Medical Society.

Roxbury, Boston, *Sept 17,* 1878

Dr. C. J. Collins,
Dear Sir:

Will the committee appointed to consider the request of Dr. W. J. Parker of Lenox to be restored to Fellowship be ready to report at the next Councilors' meeting which will occur Oct. 25 prox?

Massachusetts Medical Society.



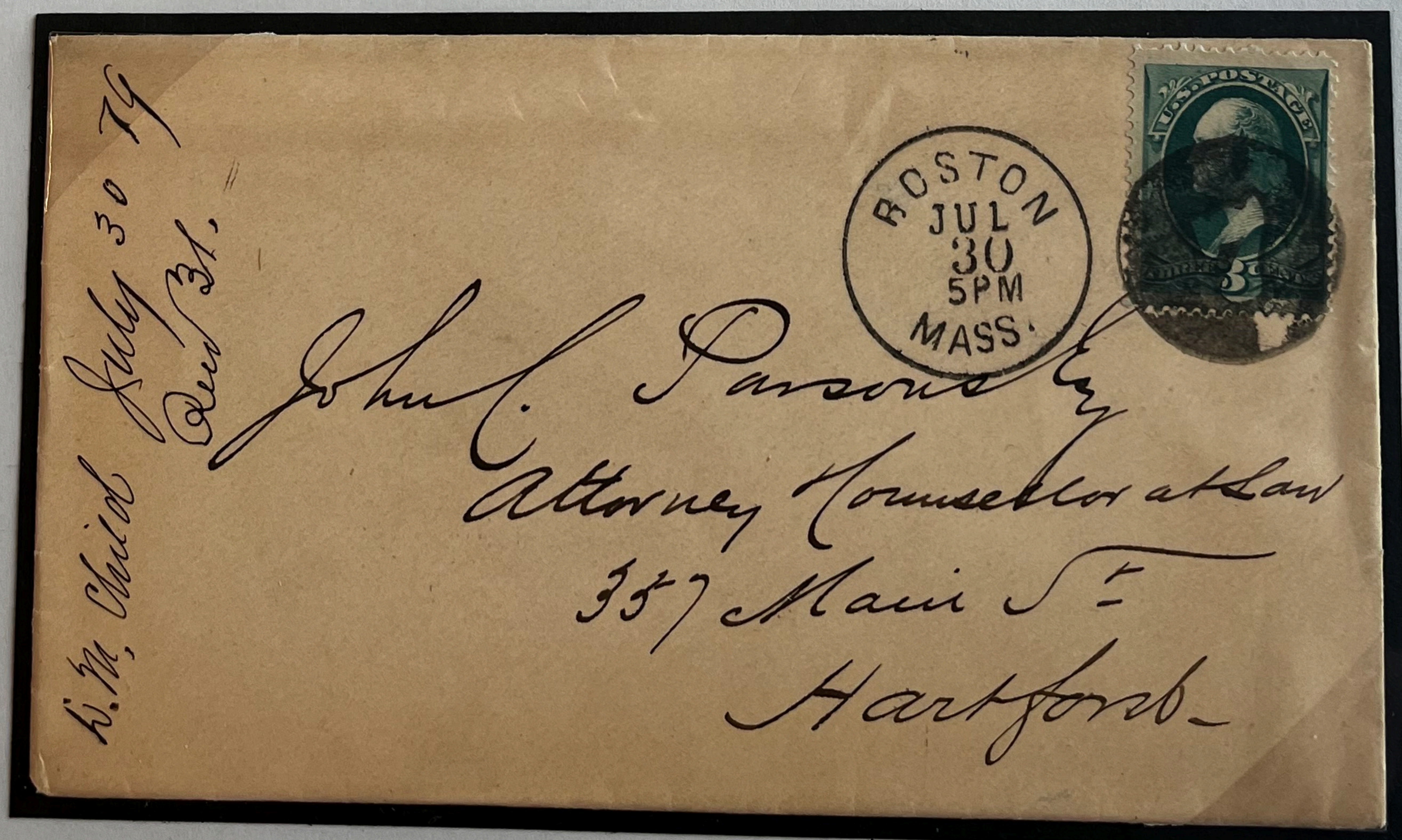
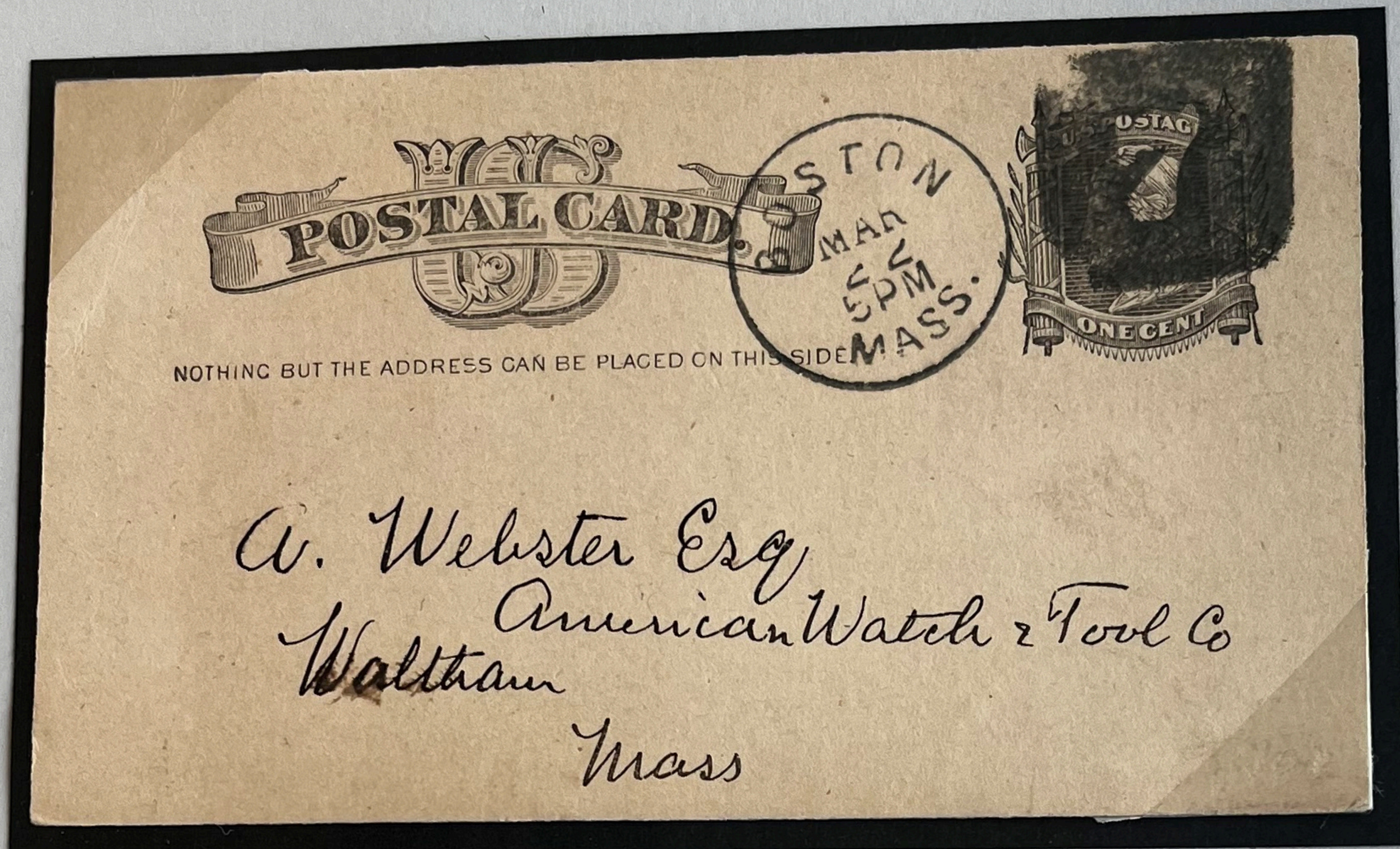
Dr. C. J. Collins,

Great Barrington,

Mass.

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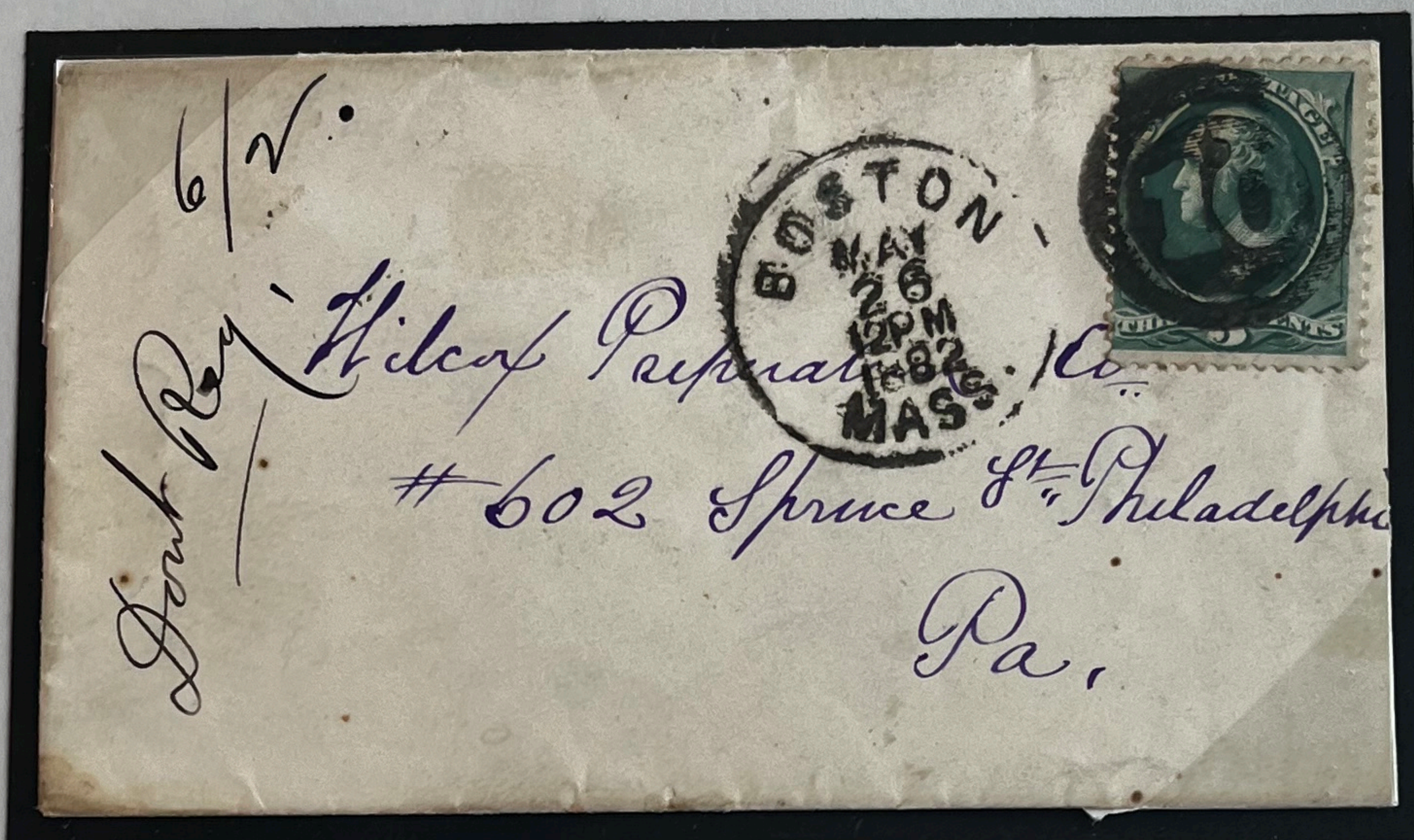
Boston Jan 11th 1883

*J W Pickering,
Sir,
Will you please see
that
fact*



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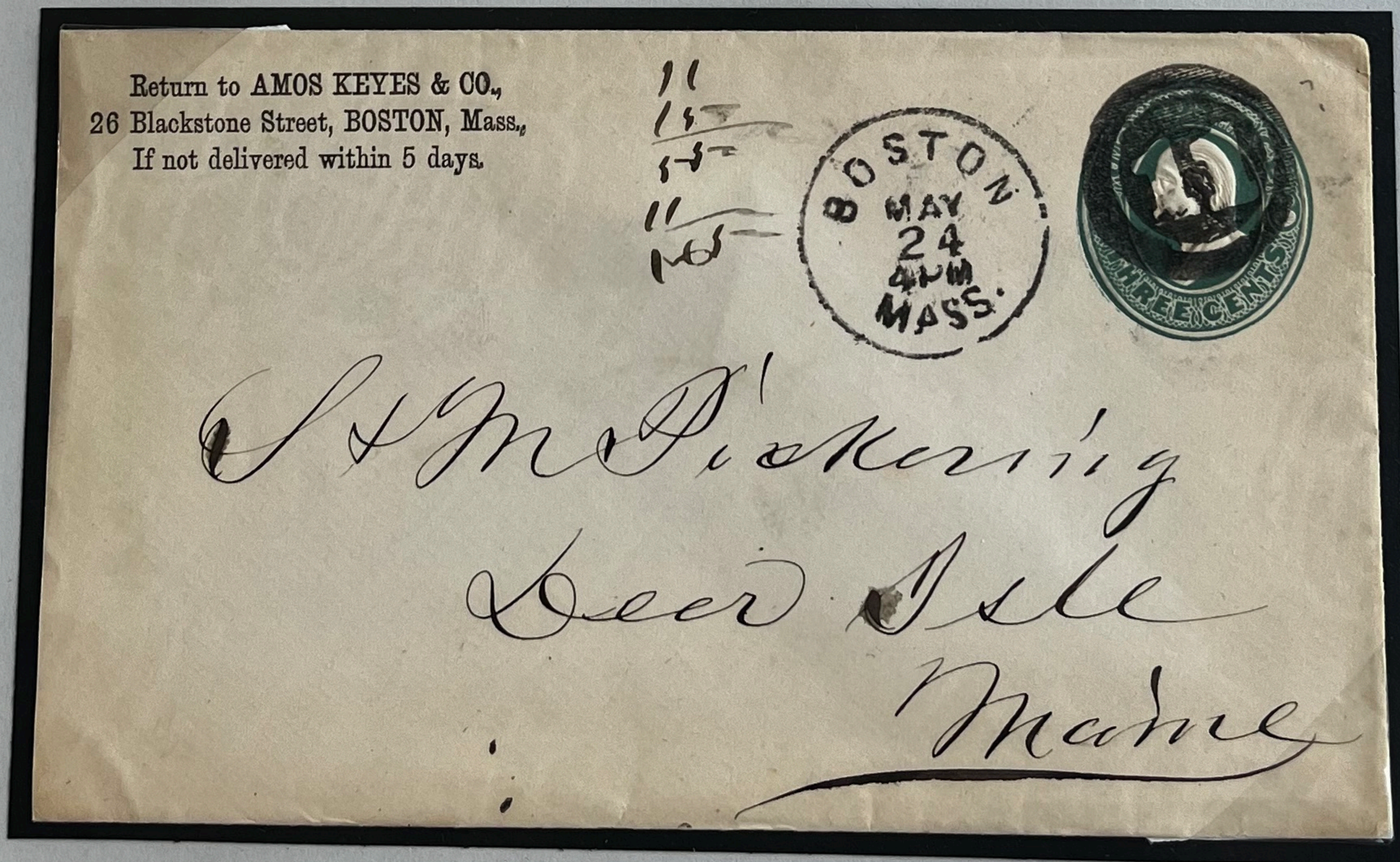
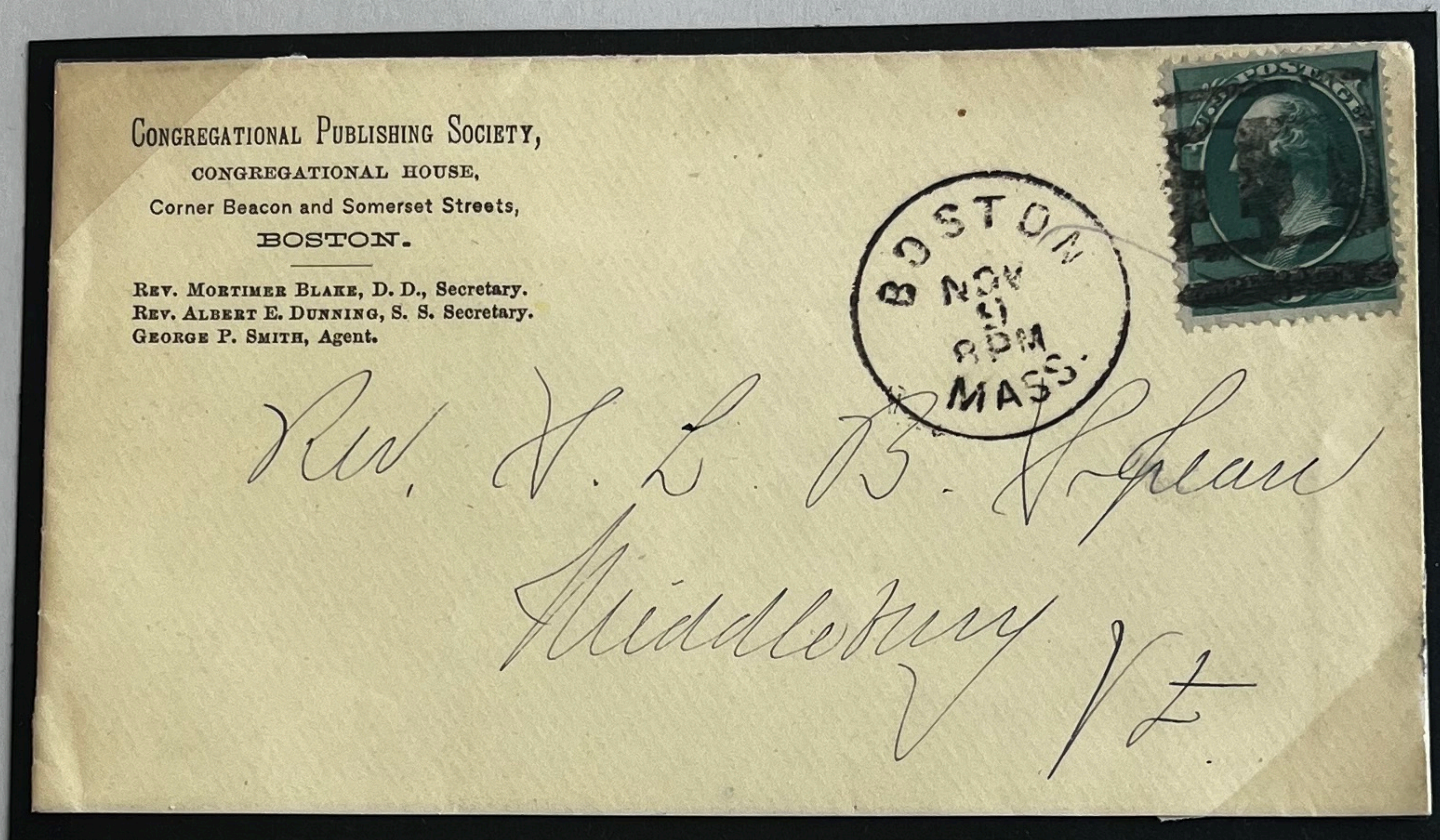
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"Philadelphia, PA MAY 27 10PM"
receiver on reverse

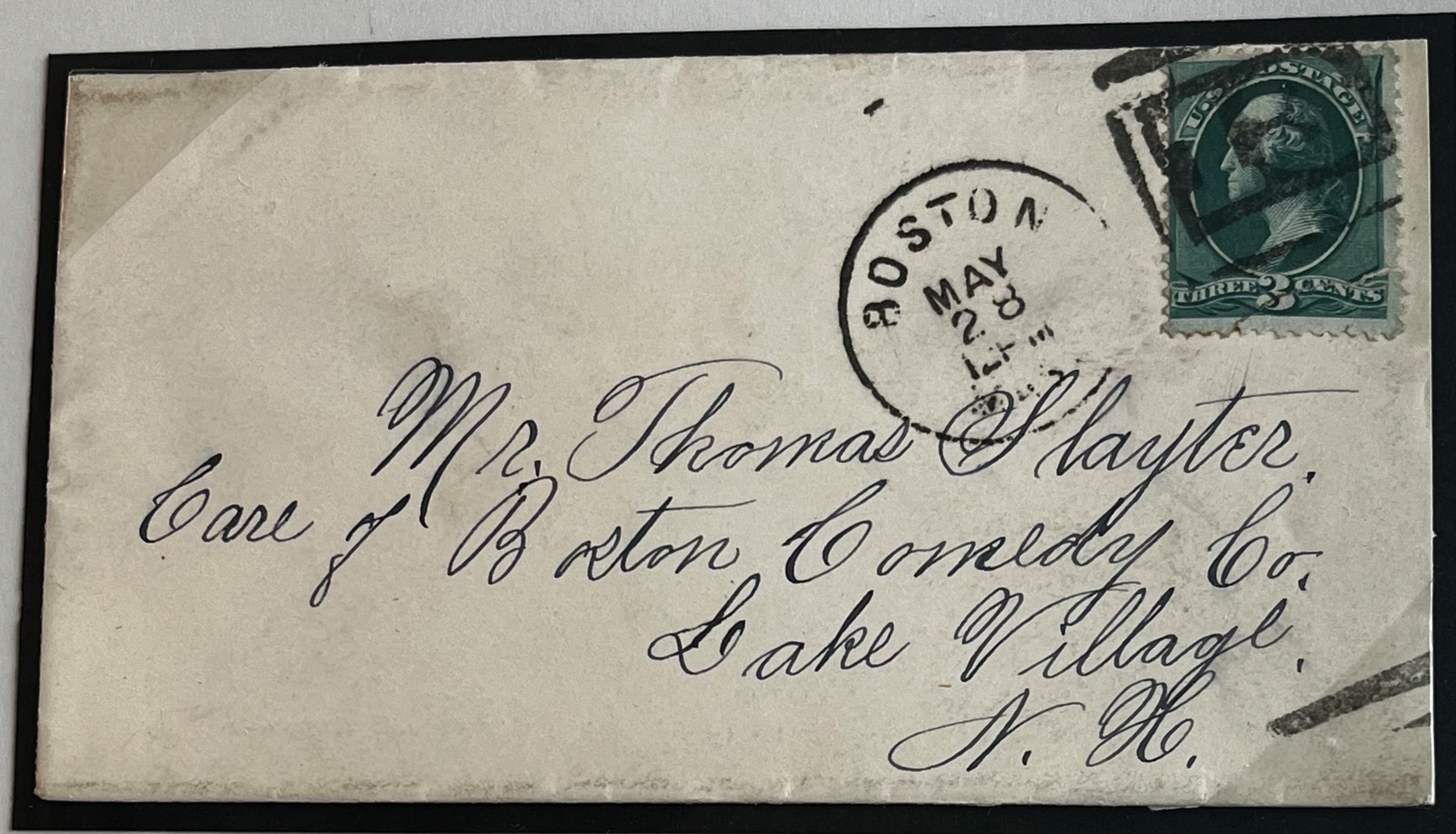
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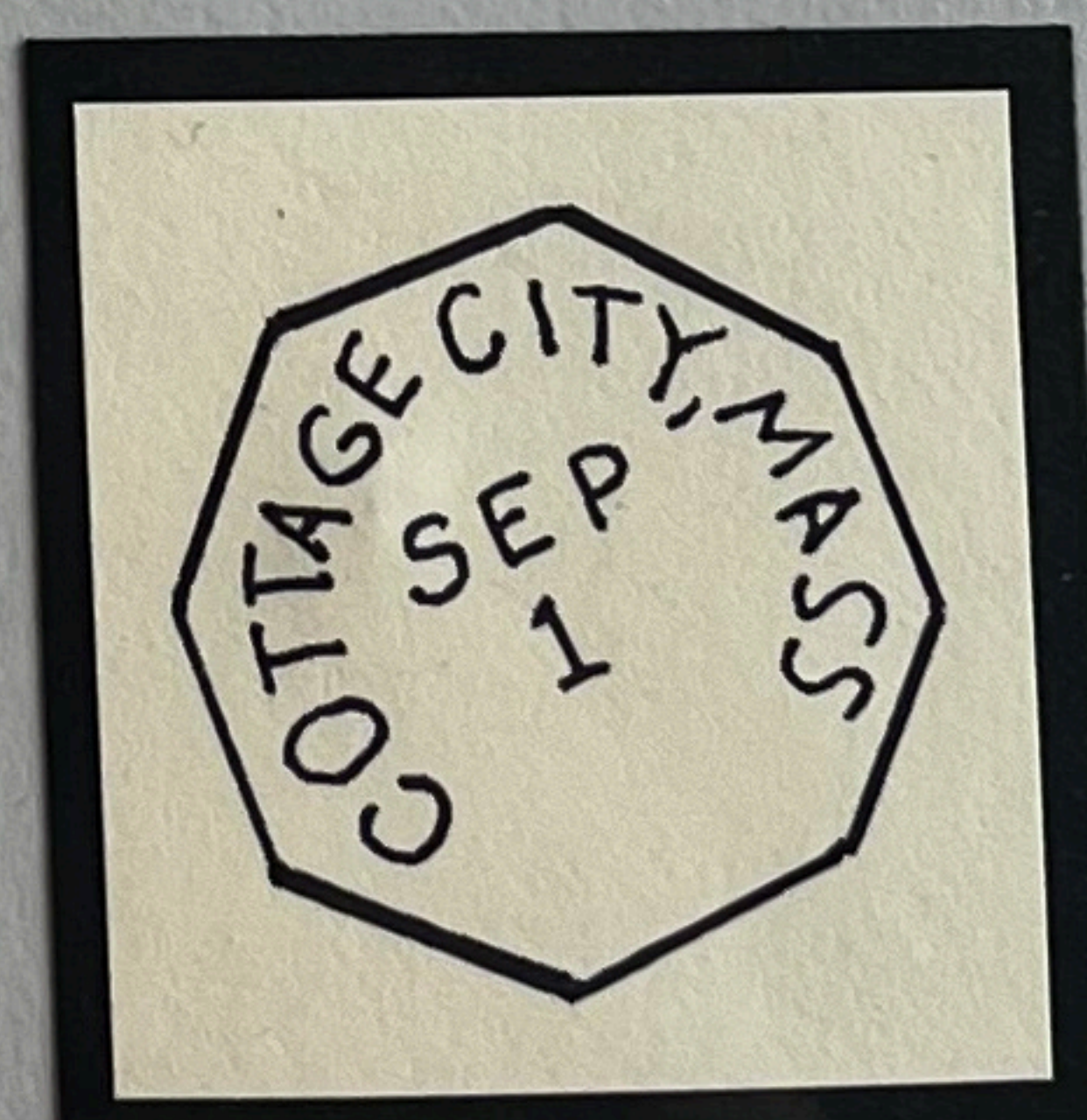


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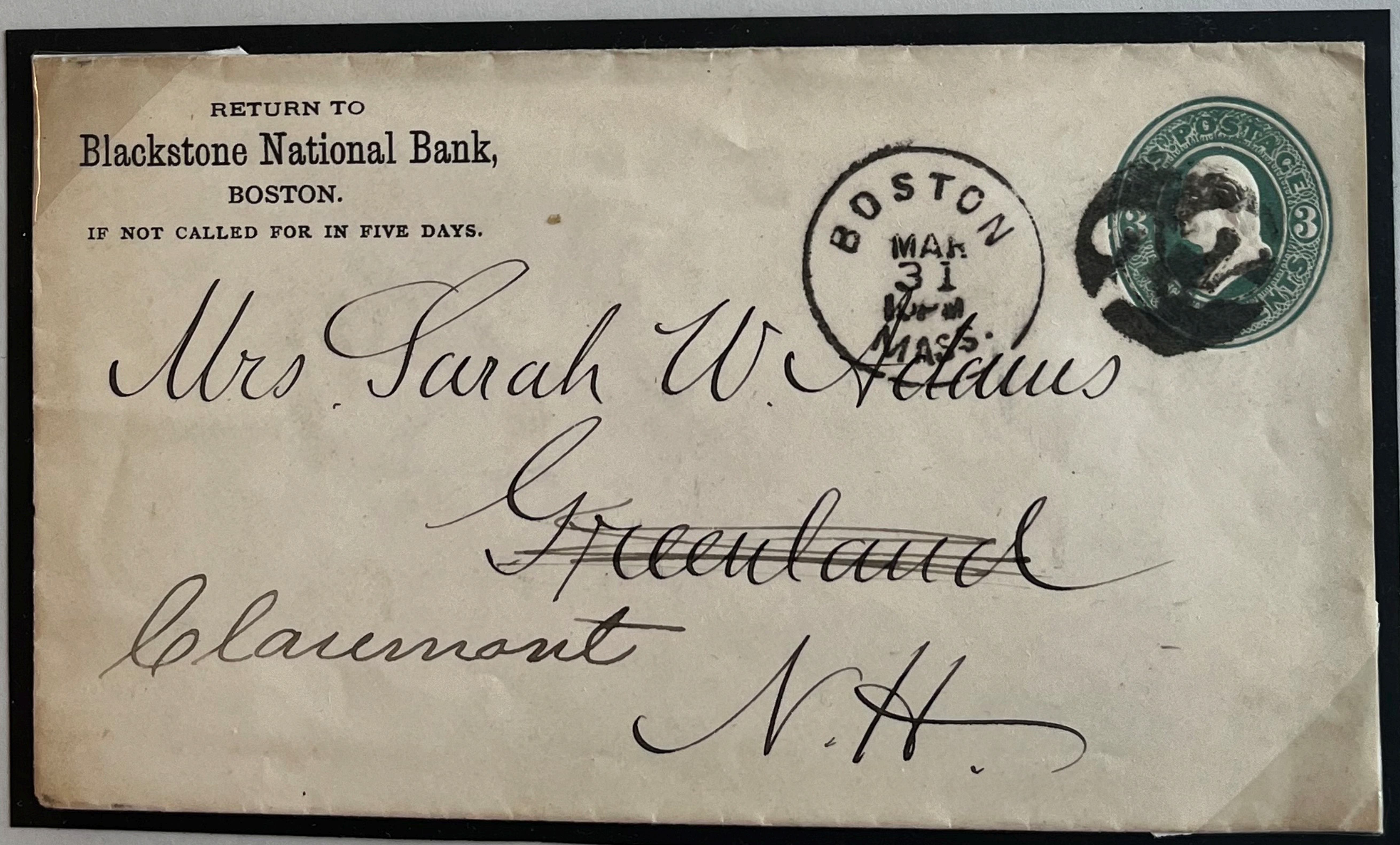
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Negative number postmarks



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Sideways 166



AFTER TEN DAYS RETURN TO
J. H. LEATHERBEE & SON.
LUMBER,
122 EAST DEDHAM STREET,
BOSTON.

1880 8
BOSTON
MAR
23
8PM
MASS.



Miss N. J. Cough.
Waltham.
Mass.