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1843



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City Longwell Rod

Albany &
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Mr Eden P. Clark
corner of Ludlow and West
New York

With Mr Sheldon please hand
this when he comes in from
Philadelphia

Mr Uriah Gregory
New York
Care
Westhield St
Cor Cedar St & Broadway

CITY DESPATCH POST N.Y.

14 MAY 1 O'CLOCK, Inside Dated Boston
11 May 1842. Discusses legal cases
relating to a trip to Canton. Also
ship racing and a loss of the champ-
ionship.

known 8/1/42 7/9/42 9/2/42
7/2/42 3/11/42

The N.Y. City Despatch was acquired
by the Government Aug. 16, 1842 and
Greig became a carrier for the govern-
ment. (See circular on other side for
activities). A P.O. letter Aug 1, 1842
announced the government under the Act
of 1836. Aug. 16th was the first day
of the new post.



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Jackson Insurance Co.

(NEW YORK)

MAY 6, 1842.

CITY DESPATCH POST NY

Red 31 mm double edge circle CITY DES-
PATCH POST 14 MAY 10 O'CLOCK N.Y.

Discusses lawsuit problems. 1842.
Begun Feb. 1, 1842 by Alexander M.
Greig, this post lasted until August
15, 1842 when it was converted to a
government carrier. It extended up to

23rd st. and its main office was 46
William St. The charge was 3¢ and from
letter boxed throughout the city mail
was picked up and delivered thrice
daily. It did provide a registered
letter system. First adhesives in the
U.S. came from this post. 46 William St.

o.c.f.c.



PRINTED NOTICE-CDP--N.Y. Red
Early red 31mm CITY DESPATCH PO
-ST/16 MAR/1'O'CLOCK/N.Y. on
printed court assignees notice.
of the 15th. I record two earl-
ier uses.

CITY DESPATCH POST--U.S.--Early
Opening week use of red 32mm double
circle CITY DESPATCH POST/AUG 23/8 O'
CLOCK/U.S. Mspt. 1¢ rate. Docketed
received Aug. 24th. The government
took over this post just one week ea-
rlier. 1842.



CITY DESPATCH--Double Circle

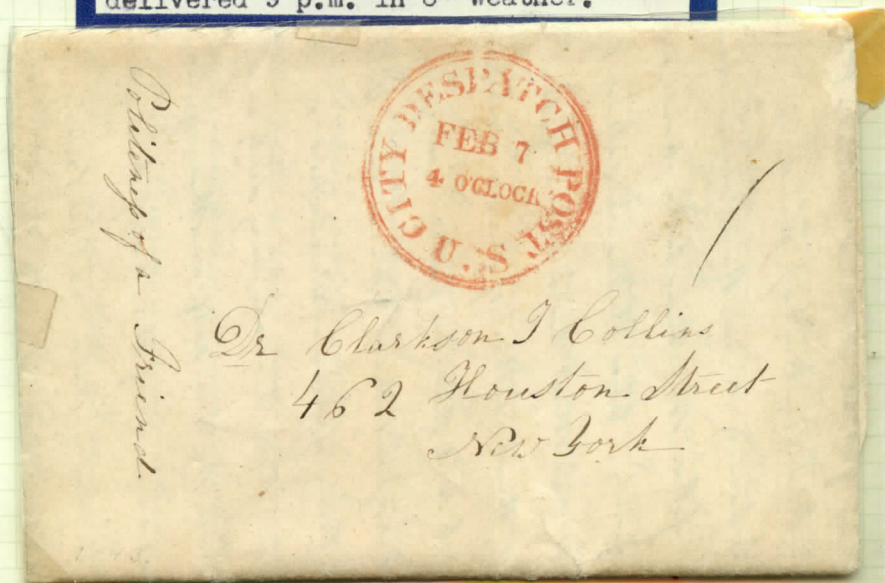
Early use, double circle red 32mm circle CITY DESPATCH POST/SEP 12/9 0'CLOCK/U.S. on note of Sept. 10, 1842, offering to pay accounts. This is known from 8/16 after the government take over. Rare this early.

See Howard's
for 8/29/42
8/23/42

DOUBLE CIRCLE

Red 30mm DBcircle CITY DESPATCH POST/FEB 7/4 0'CLOCK/U.S. Inside Utica Jan 28, 1843 in Quaker date. Carried out of mail "politeness of a friend" to NYC. Anticipate a financial recession.

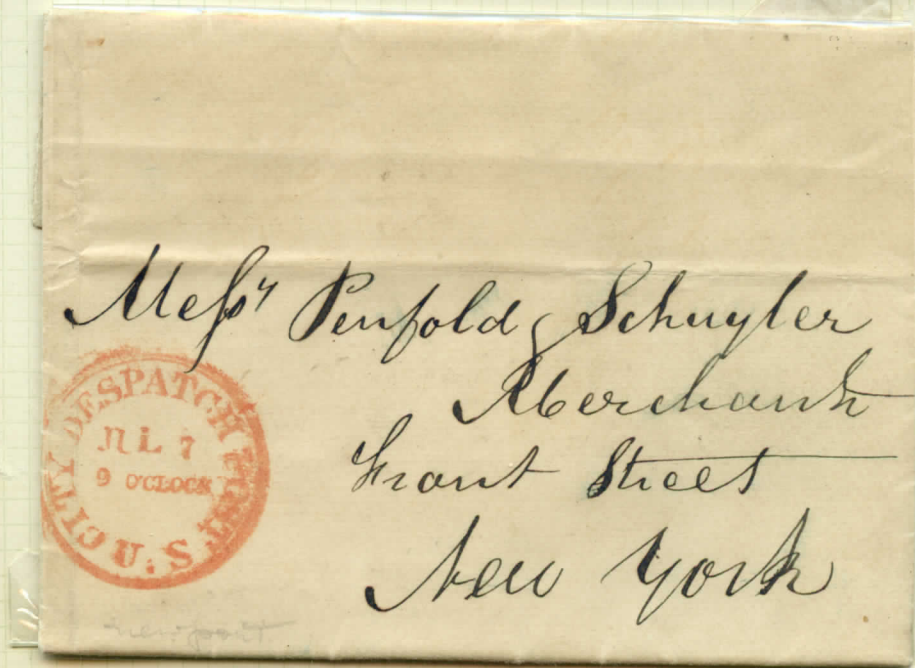
B.H. Wells & Co. may fail. Small pox is prevalent. Asks for some pox matter to be sent care of newspaper. Discusses how to cheat mails by writing in newspapers. Finally mailed 2nd or later in Feb. Put in City mail 4 p.m. and delivered 9 p.m. in 8° weather.





U.S. CITY DESPATCH POST/ JUNE 9/9 O'
CLOCK, red 30 mm circle. (small O'clock
1843. Red-pink 25mm PAID AEX (Alpha
Epsilon X) 4, and attached 1. Inside
Troy June 2, 1843. DC variety.
First date of the U.S. City is August
16, 1842. Double circle variety 1842-3

U.S. CITY DESPATCH DOUBLE CIRCLE
Orange 30 mm CITY DESPATCH POST/JUL
7/9 O'CLOCK/U.S. on Newport R.I. let-
ter of 7/6/43. Discusses shipment of
sugar, chocolate and raisins.





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FORWARDED

DESPATCH
JUL 8
9 00 AM
U.S.

W. J. C. CORNING

Wm. ~~John~~ ~~Harvey~~
N York



VALENTINE--City Despatch Post

Red 30mm CITY DESPATCH POST/
FEB 15/6 O'CLOCK/U.S. -single
circle type 1845 handmade Val-
entine, from Tom Burke on lady
paper and poem. Unusual.

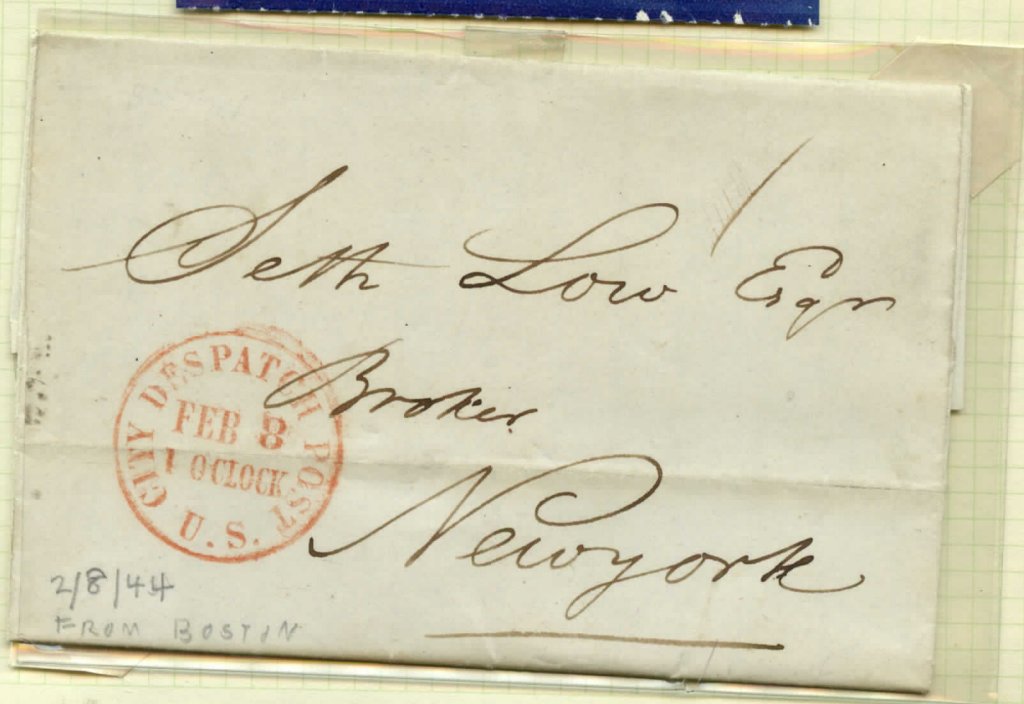
CITY DESPATCH-Forwarded P.O.

Red 30mm CITY DESPATCH POST/JUL
8/9 O'Clock/U.S. from N. Dever-
eaux who is on way to Albany and
Detroit to Corning at Astor Ho-
use via City Despatch. There
forwarded 5¢ due to Albany on

the 11th as noted with red
FORWARDED and NEW-YORK/JUL/11
cds. This forwarded is very un-
usual on Despatch items. 1845.



CITY DESPATCH POST/FEB 8/1 0'CLOCK/
U.S., red 30mm circle and mspt. 1¢
rate (2¢ goes into effect July 1, 184
1845). This single circle is 1844. Is
known earlier than Jan 22, 1844. >
Discusses drug brokerage, maddar etc



2 others
were in Japan
col. See 1846/5



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4 O CLOCK —Thick Letters

Red 30mm circle CITY DESPATCH POST/
JUN 26/4 O CLOCK/ U.S. This is the
single circle version with thick rub-
ber stamp type letters. No y.d.
but mid-1840's, 1844-6, probably
1846, as it has the thick letters of

the first P.O. version.

at
box at
CITY Hall

