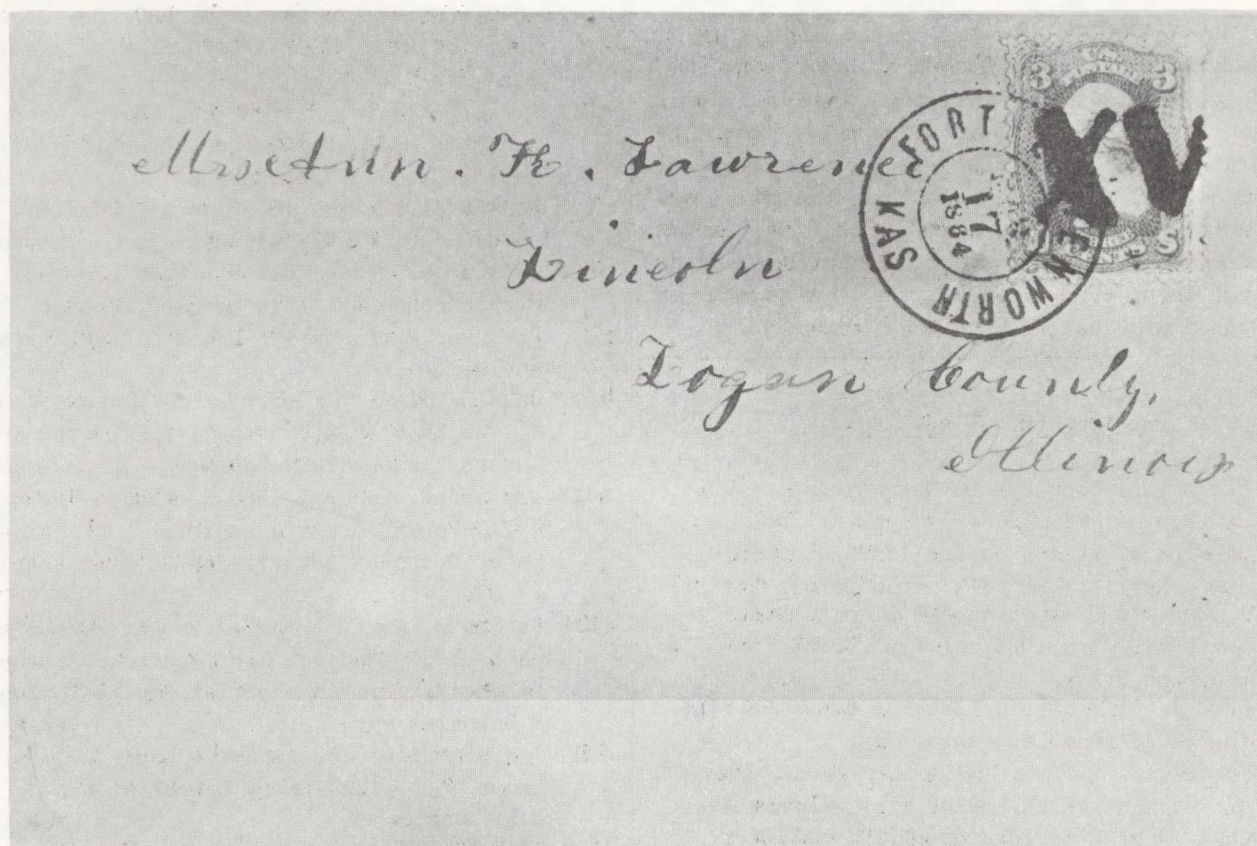




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FRONT PAGE

FORT LEAVENWORTH, KANSAS "XV" CANCELLATION

from the Collection of James M. Milgram MD(#485)

The Cover illustrated on the Front Page is postmarked, "FORT LEAVENWORTH, KAS, MAR. 17, 1864" with a 3 cent 1861 stamp tied by a bold Roman numeral "XV". What is the significance of this postmark? This town was known to use also a numeral "5" to cancel stamps during the Civil War era. If you have thoughts on this subject please write the Secretary at 855 Cove Way, Denver, Colo. 80209. This is the only example of this postmark that we have found recorded.

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Sta., Austin, Tex. 78711 from Corpus Christi
643 J. Leonard Diamond to 407 Lincoln Road,
Suite 9-G, Miami Beach, Fla. 33139 from
Flamingo Drive.
873 Bart J. Billings to 8385 Lee Hwy., Fairfax,
Va. 22030 from Las Vegas, Nev.
893 Kenneth S. Reed to 750 Poplar Blvd., Apt.
A9, Jackson, Miss. 39202 from Millsaps Ave.
953 Capt. Robert S. Boyd to BDCSI, U.S. Army
Europe, 7th Army, APO New York, N.Y. 09403
from Ft. Huachuca, Ariz.
972 Edward J. Dietrich to Blackstone Apts.,
33rd at Charles, Baltimore, Md. 21218 from
Dunkirk Road.

RESIGNED

- 695 George N. Malpass
790 Paul Biggy
961 George L. Freese
971 Oliver G. Pectal

NEW MEMBERS

- 1018 Clifford C. Garland, 46-11 Belmont Road,
Great Neck, N.Y. 11020-U.S. Bank Note
Issues with Numeral or Letter Cancellations
or Fancy Cancels. (Sampson)
1019 V. R. Trimmer, 8620 E. Windson Ave., Scotts-
dale, Ariz. 85257-USA & Possessions; BNA;
Ireland; UN. (Gardner)
1020 Ben Kaufman, 1370 Washington Ave., Miami
Beach, Fla. 33139- Dealer
1021 Melvin Levinson, 1 Meinzer St., Avenel,
N.J. 07001- Postal & Post Cards (Gardner)
1022 Lee S. Degraff, 39 Johnson Trail, Fort
Johnson, N.Y. 12070- Herkimer, Schoharie,
Queens & Montgomery Counties of New York
State Covers. (Knowles)
1023 Reginald George Morris, 35 Francine Drive,
Holliston, Mass. 01746- France Postal Hist.
1849-'76; GB Cancels 1880-1960; Boy Scout
Postal History 1908-'70; U.S. M/c Cancels
(pre-Flag) (Boyd)
1024 Darrell Kinzler, 324 Prince, U. of Mass.,
Amherst, Mass. 01002-Fancy Cancels; Rfd; Iowa
Postal History; War Covers. (Gardner)
1025 Donald J. Kaelin, 164 Pine St. Pompton
Lakes, N.J. 07442-19th Century (Maison)
1026 William C. Allen, Box 51, East Lansing,
Mich. 48823-USA (19th Century, Postal
History, Precancels); Canada; Great Britain;
Worldwide
1027 John E. Beane MD, 4606 Carole Drive, Vienna,
W. Va. 26101-U.S. Consecutive # Plates; FDCs;
Covers, 19th & 20th Century.
1028 Raymond G. Woodman, RFD 3, Auburn, Maine
04210-Postal History especially of Maine;
Fancy Cancels; Advertising Covers; Stamps
of USA. (McIntyre)
1029 Janice M. Garr, 1515 Van Buren, Missoula,
Mont. 59801-Montana Territorials; Czecho-
slovakia; Austro-Hungarian Empire; Portugal;
& Colonies etc. (Wolf)
1030 Irv Miterman, 190 Windmill Road, Willow
Grove, Pa. 19090-Fancy Cancellations on
U.S. Stamps. (Horwitz)
1031 G. A. Schmidtman, Rte 1, Box 371, Mentone,
Cal. 92359-Nevada Postmarks & Nevadiana in
General, Stock Certificates, Checks, News-
papers; National Currency; Merchants' Tokens;
Medals; Souvenir Spoons etc.
1032 Marcel Sabourin, 224 Richelieu Blvd., Beloeil,
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Drive, Las Cruces, N. Mex. 88001. Mr. Helbock is
member #908 of USCC and several others of our
members are active in this Society.

BARRY SUPPLEMENT, Continued from page 55

3-S

BROOKLYN, N.Y. (cont.)

Add H-5 () 1899

BUFFALO, N.Y.

F-2 (1) Add 1898

Add O-4 (1) 1902

Add F-2 (2) 1897

O-8 (3) Add 1899

O-5 () Known 1898 to 1902

BUFFALO, N.Y. - STATION B

Add LS-5 (1) 1903

Add LS-5 () 1909

BUFFALO, N.Y. - STATION D

LS-5 (1) Change 1906 to 1904

LS-5 (2) Add 1904-05

BURLINGTON, VT.

K-5 (1) Add 1907

CANTON, OHIO

L-5 (1) Add 1908 BS

CHICAGO, ILL.

Add Q17 1895

Y-4 (1) Add 1900

Change H-X5 to H-X3

CINCINNATI, O.

F-8 (1) Add 1898 OHIO

Add H-4 () 1900

CLEVELAND, O.

K-4 (1) Change 1900/03 to 1901/03

CLEVELAND, OHIO. - STATION B

LS-5 (1) Change 1903 to 1909

and delete the second line

LS-5 (1) O. Change 1908 to 1909

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.

Add K-4 (1) 1899

COLUMBUS, OHIO

Add H-2 (1) 1897 1898

Add H-6 (1) 1898

COVINGTON, KY.

L-5 (1) Add 1909

DALLAS, TEX.

Add H-5 (1) 1899

DAYTON, OHIO

Add F-2 () 1896

DENVER, COLO.

Add O-2 (1) 1898

Add J-4 () 1901

Change LR-4 to KR-4 and delete BS

Add L-4 (3) 1900

DES MOINES, IOWA

Delete L-4 (1) 1898

Add F-2 () 1897 LA.

DULUTH, MINN.

L-5 (1) Change 1907 to 1909

L-5 () Add 1907

ELKHART, IND.

L-5 (1) Add 1902 and 1909

FORT WORTH, TEX.

O-8 (1) Add 1900

Add L-5 () 1907

GALVESTON, TEX.

L-5 (1) TEXAS complete 1905 to 1909

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.

Add H-6 (1) 1897

HOBOKEN, N.J.

Add Q22 1898 BS

Add Q24 1899 BS

Delete K 1899 BS

HOUSTON, TEX.

H-4 (1) Add 1899

INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

Add F-5 (1) 1898

Add H-5 (1) 1904

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

Add F-2 (1) 1897

In L-X1 1904 state reads FLORIDA

JERSEY CITY, N.J.

Add U 1900 BS

Add K 1901 BS

JOHNSTOWN, PA.

K-4 (1) Delete the slant line

KANSAS CITY, MO.

L-4 (1) Add 1901

L-5 (1) Change 1907 to 1909

J-5 (1) Add 1906

L-5 () Add 1909

Add F-2 (2) 1897

H Add 1899 BS

K Add 1903 BS

L Add 1902 BS

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KNOXVILLE, TENN.

Add J-5 (1) 1904/1909
O-9 (1) Add 1899

LEXINGTON, KY.

L-5 (1) Change to 1904 1906
K-5 (1) Add 1904
Add L 1909 BS

LINCOLN, NEBR.

O-2 (1) Add 1897
K-4 (2) Add 1902
Add L-4 () 1902

LONG ISLAND CITY, N.Y.

Add L-5 (1) 1902 4 digits
L-5 (1) Add 1903
L-5 () Add 1909

LOUIS VILLE, KY.

F-2 (1) Change 1897 to 1899

LYNCHBURG, VA.

Add L-5 (1) 1902 2 digits

MEMPHIS, TENN.

Add J-4 (1) 1901

MONTCLAIR, N.J.

Add K-5 (1) 1904
L-5 (1) Delete slant line

MORRISTOWN, N.J.

K-4 (1) Add 1903
L-5 (1) Add 1907

NASHUA, N.H.

L-4 (1) Add 1899-1900
Add L-5 (1) 1903/1907

NEWARK, N.J.

O-4 (1) Change 1899 to 1897
Add Y 1899 1900 BS

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J.

U-32 NDS Add 1899
K-4 (1) Add 1902
L-4 (1) Add 1904
L-5 (1) Change 1905 to 1909
L-5 () Delete the slant line

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Add O-7 (1) 1898

NEWTON CENTER, MASS.

Add K-5 (1) 1902 4 digits
Add K-4 (1) 1904
Add K-5 (1) 1904

NEW YORK, N.Y.

F-2 (1) Add 1896 * 3rd cl.
K-4 (1) Add 1899
Add L-4 (1) 1900
Add C-8 (2) 1898
Add K-4 (2) 1899
H-5 (3) Add 1898 Delete "3rd cl."
Add L-4 (3) 1900
Add K-4 (3) 1900
F-5 (4) Add 1897
H-4 (4) Add 1897-98
Add K-8 (8) 1899
Add H-8 (10) 1899
Add L-4 (10) 1900
Change H-8 (11) 1898 1899 to H-5
Add K-4 (11) 1899 1900
Change G-2 () to C-2 ()
F-2 () Delete the slant line
H-4 () Add 1899
Add H-5 () 1899
Add E 1898 BS
Add H 1899 BS
Add J 1900 BS

NEW YORK, N.Y. - STATION E

Add FS-2 (1) *** 3rd cl.
HS-2 (1) Change 1897 to 1899

NEW YORK, N.Y. - STATION O

Add LS-9 (1) 1898
Add HS-4 (1) 1899

OIL CITY, PA.

Change L-4 to K-4
Add K-4 (1) 1901

OMAHA, NEBR.

F-9 (1) 1898 is NEB.
Add H-8 (1) 1898 1899

OSWEGO, N.Y.

U-31 NDS Change 1899 to 1898
V-31 NDS Add 1897
Add L-5 () 1905

PAWTUCKET, R.I.

L-5 () Add 1907

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Add H-5 (1) 1898 PENN.
Add F-2 () 1897
Add H-2 () 1897
Add HB-X1 1900 PENN. BS

PORTLAND, ME.

H-2 (1) Add 1897
Add K-4 (1) 1900
Add H-8 (1) 1899 MAINE
L-5 (1) Add 1907-08 MAINE

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PROVIDENCE, R.I.
Add H-9 (1) 1898

PUEBLO, COLO.
K-4 (1) Add 1900
L-5 (1) Change 1907 to 1909

RALEIGH, N.C.
U-31 NDS Add 1898

RICHMOND, VA.
Add F-2 (1) 1897

ROCHESTER, N.Y.
Add H-10 NDS 1898
F-3 (2) Add 1898

ROCKFORD, ILL.
F-2 (1) Add 1897
H-4 (1) Add 1902
L-5 (1) Add 1902-03
Add L-5 () 1908

SACRAMENTO, CAL.
Add L-5 (1) 1902 4 digits

SAINT JOSEPH, MO.
H-2 (1) Add 1898
K-4 (1) Add 1901

ST. LOUIS, MO.
L-4 (1) Add 1900
On page 27 O-8 (1) should be (2)

ST. LOUIS, MO. - ANNEX STATION
Add LS-5 (1) 1908 1909

SALEM, MASS.
Add L-5 (1) 1902
Add L 1904 BS

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH
F-5 (1) Add 1899
K-4 (1) Add 1901
Add J-4 (1) 1903 1905
H-5 () Add 1900
Add L-5 () 1900

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
Delete H-9 (1) 1897
K-4 (1) Add 1901 CALA.
Add F-2 (2) 1897
Add H-9 (2) 1898 1899
Add H 1900 BS
Delete L 1904 BS
Add H-4 () 1901

SAN JOSE, CAL.
Add K-4 (1) 1901
Add L-5 (1) 1903 4 digits
L-5 (1) Add 1909
L-5 () Add 1904

SCHENECTADY, N.Y.
Add L-5 () 1906
L Add 1904

SCRANTON, PA.
Add F-2 (1) 1897

SOUTH OMAHA, NEBR.
Add L-5 () 1909

SPRINGFIELD, ILL.
F-5 (1) Change 1899 to 1898

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO
H-4 (1) Add 1901

TOLEDO, O.
F-2 () Add 1898 OHIO
O-5 () should be O-5 (1)
Add O-55 () 1900 OHIO
Add ORA 1899 BS OHIO
Change LR to KR

TOPEKA, KANS.
F-2 (1) Add 1896
H-2 (1) Add 1897 KAN.
Add O-9 () 1899 3rd cl.

WARREN, PA.
K-4 (1) Used 1900 to 1903

WASHINGTON, D.C.
Add O-2 (1) 1898 BS
Add K-4 (1) 1900 BS
O-2 (2) Add 1899
Add U-34 (2) 1899 BS
F-2 () Add 1896
Q21 Add 1897 BS

WASHINGTON, N.J. (new listing)
H-4 (1) 1900

WATERTOWN, N.Y. (new listing)
K-5 (1) 1901

WAUKEGAN, ILL.
Add J-5 (1) 1909 BS
L-5 (1) Add 1906

WHEELING, W. VA.
Add F-2 (1) 1896

WILKESBARRE, PA.
L-5 (1) Add 1905
Add J-X1 1904 BS
L-X1 WILKES BARRE Add 1903

YONKERS, N.Y.
L-5 (1) Known 1902 to 1909
Add L-5 () 1908-09
Add J-5 (1) 1909

FINPEX '73

FINDLAY, O. ---- The Fort Findlay Stamp Club will hold its sixth annual exhibition and bourse, FINPEX '73, April 7-8 at the Imperial House, 1-75 and Ohio-12.

Three events of local historical significance at 50-year intervals will be recognized in the theme. They are the establishment of the first Findlay Post Office in 1823, opening of the first iron bridge spanning the Blanchard River here in 1873, and the chartering of the Put-Han-Sen Boy Scout Council in 1923.

Three types of cachet covers, each portraying one of the events, will be available at 35¢ each or three for \$1.00. The Findlay Local Post will be reactivated for the exhibition and offered at 10¢ per cover. Cover orders should be sent to Hartley H. Smith, 1314 Summit Street, Findlay, Ohio 45840.

Additional information concerning the 96-frame exhibition or 15-table bourse may be secured from the show chairman, Hobart E. Smith, 832 Maple St., Findlay, Ohio 45840.

WHEEL OF FORTUNE CANCELLATIONS

The following additions to this list have been reported to Mr. Beane:

Dakota: Artesian City; Oriska: Creel City, Ramsey Co.
 Georgia: Beliton; Lumber City
 Iowa: Conway, H.B. Liggett P.M.
 Michigan: South Allen
 Kansas: Wilson; Carbondale; Glen Grouse, Cowley Co.; Strong; Lecompton
 Minnesota: Lake Park, Becker Co.
 Missouri: Kearney
 Nebraska: Bloomington; Superior; Edward Clay Co.
 New Mexico: Rincon, H. B. Kohl P.M.
 New York: Ghent; Howard
 North Carolina: Little Sugar Loaf; Clinton, Ormondsville, Green Co.
 Ohio: Martins Ferry
 Pennsylvania: Glen Riddle; Millville Depot
 Rhode Island: Washington (only 2nd retorted)
 Texas: Leander
 Washington Territory: Farmington
 West Virginia: Racine
 Wisconsin: Barron; Bakerville.

A long list of towns used this Cancellation. Many have been reported here. If you have one or more which you think not yet reported please notify Mr. Arthur E. Beane Jr. (#527), 2 Linden St., Kingston, Mass. 02360. He has the complete list and will know whether or not it has been reported and will report to the NEWS from <https://stampsarter.org/>

SALES DEPARTMENT

We can not stress too emphatically the importance of careful wrapping of circuits for shipping and also of keeping the Insurance Receipt until the package has been delivered. In the absence of evidence of delivery keep these at least four months.

As this is written 35 circuits are out with not enough material here of any one type to make up another one. We could use considerable more material in all categories. Our circuits contain either 19th or 20th Century material and we try not to mix them any more than necessary. Also a book of foreign covers may be included once in a while. They seem to sell fairly well.

For small purchases U.S. Postage Stamps are acceptable but please only regular postage, no special purpose stamps like air mail etc. We can use values to \$1.00 or less.

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