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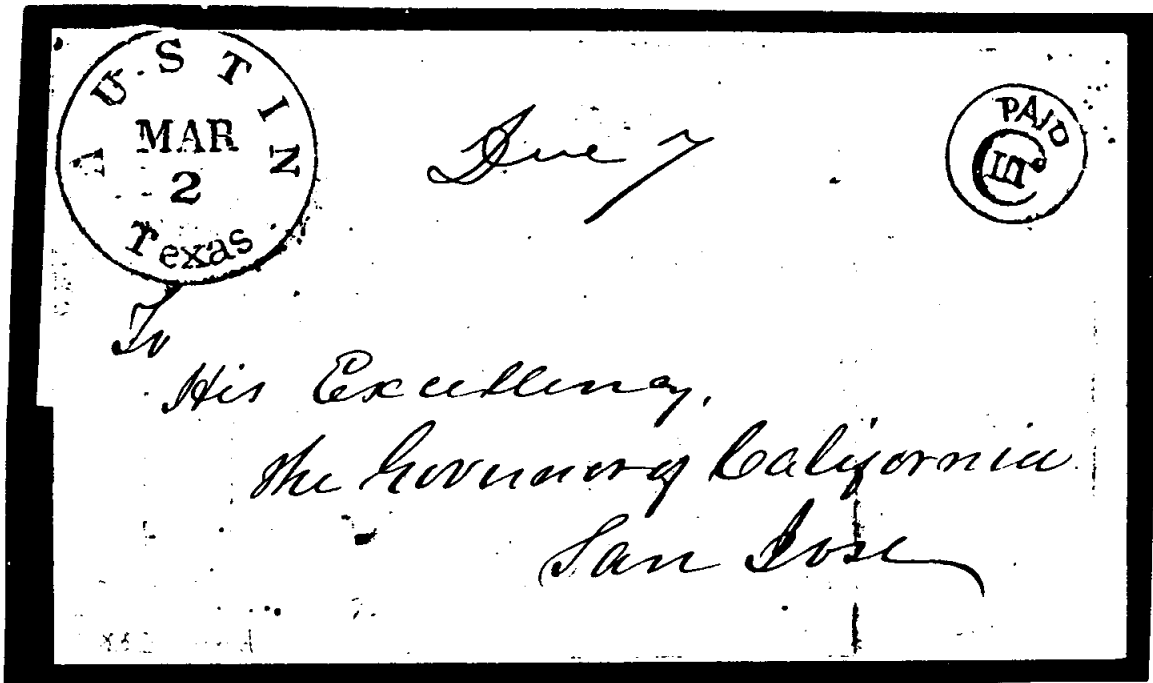


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PRESIDENT'S PAGE

The annual meeting of the Texas Postal History Society was held in Dallas, Texas on March 12th. Our get-together was hosted by the Collectors Club of Dallas, who had scheduled the spectacular and spacious Hall of State on the Texas State Fair Grounds. It was a great day. The weather was beautiful, the turnout substantial, the program educational, the hosts gracious, and the trading fast and furious. Everyone who came expressed satisfaction with the arrangements and activities. As the day drew to a close, the opinion was expressed that this had been one of our better annual gatherings.

In the morning business meeting, we were informed that the T.P.H.S. is once again operating on a sound financial basis. It appears that our recent advance in dues should sustain our needs at the current level of expenditure for several years to come. Every effort has been made to operate as economically as possible while maintaining the quality of our activities.

Among the other matters discussed at the morning business meeting were a postal history auction, life memberships, tax free status, recruitment of new members, enhancing participation, nominees for 1984 T.P.H.S. officers and how to acquire a more varied and diverse selection of manuscripts for our journal. Though there were no specific motions made and no votes taken on these issues, each one will be reviewed and given full consideration by your officers.

If you, as a member, were not at this meeting and would like to express your opinion or offer suggestions on any of these matters, please communicate your ideas to a T.P.H.S. officer. We need your input and we certainly will give appropriate consideration to any ideas for improving our society.

In the afternoon, the Collectors Club of Dallas presented their Tenth Annual Philatelic Seminar. The program included Mr. A.E. Gaddy with "The Postal History of Dallas and Dallas County" and Mr. Gordon Bleuler with his usual enthusiastic and informative presentation, "A Pot-Pouri of Confederate and Indian Nation Postal History." Both speakers exhibited an extensive sampling of postal history covers relating to their presentations. Those present were privileged to view many items of great beauty and extreme rarity.

ELECTIONS:

Article 5 from "The Constitution of the Texas Postal History Society" states in part, "There shall be a President, a Vice-President, and a Secretary-Treasurer. These officers shall be elected by a simple majority of the members casting ballots and shall serve a term

of two years in office. The term of office shall start January 1 in even numbered years...."

Article 6 deals with the nomination of officers and reads as follows: "There shall be a nominating committee consisting of a current President and two non-office-holding members selected by the President. This committee shall select one candidate for President, one candidate for Vice-President, and candidate for Secretary-Treasurer. Any member may place in nomination one candidate for any office by petitioning in writing the Secretary-Treasurer prior to October 1 of odd-numbered years. All candidates must agree to their nomination before their names may be listed on the ballot."

The nominating committee has selected and obtained affirmative statements from the following slate of candidates:

Mrs. Nonie Green - President
Mr. Norman Cohen - Vice-President
Mr. James Alexander - Secretary-Treasurer

If there are additional candidates who wish to seek election to any of the above named offices, your petition to the Secretary-Treasurer at the earliest opportunity would be appreciated.

EDITOR'S COMMENTS

We want to especially thank Alyce Evans, Corresponding Secretary and Editor of U.S.C.C. News, for her fine article on "Matching" Advertising Covers.

Bill Emery, along with the capable assistance of Ed Glass continues his comprehensive study of the postmarks of major Texas cities.

Also, note how our membership is growing. In order to continue supplying our members with an interesting and meaningful journal, we need more articles from our members.

One of the items that we discussed at the Dallas meeting was a new editor for the T.P.H.S. Journal. Our John Whitehead of Longview, Texas has consented to edit the Journal next year. We look forward to new ideas, a revitalized Journal, but he will need your help and input. Start now planning that article for next year.

"Matching" Advertising Covers

by Alyce Evans

An interesting way to collect advertising covers is to "match" the subject of a corner card with the accompanying postmark or cancel. Two such "matched" covers are shown here.

LONE STAR
PUBLISHING HOUSE,
PUBLISHERS OF
POPULAR SUBSCRIPTION BOOKS,
Nos. 2 and 3 Burns Block,
HOUSTON, TEXAS.
RETURN IF NOT CALLED FOR IN TEN DAYS.



Prof. S. F. McAnear.

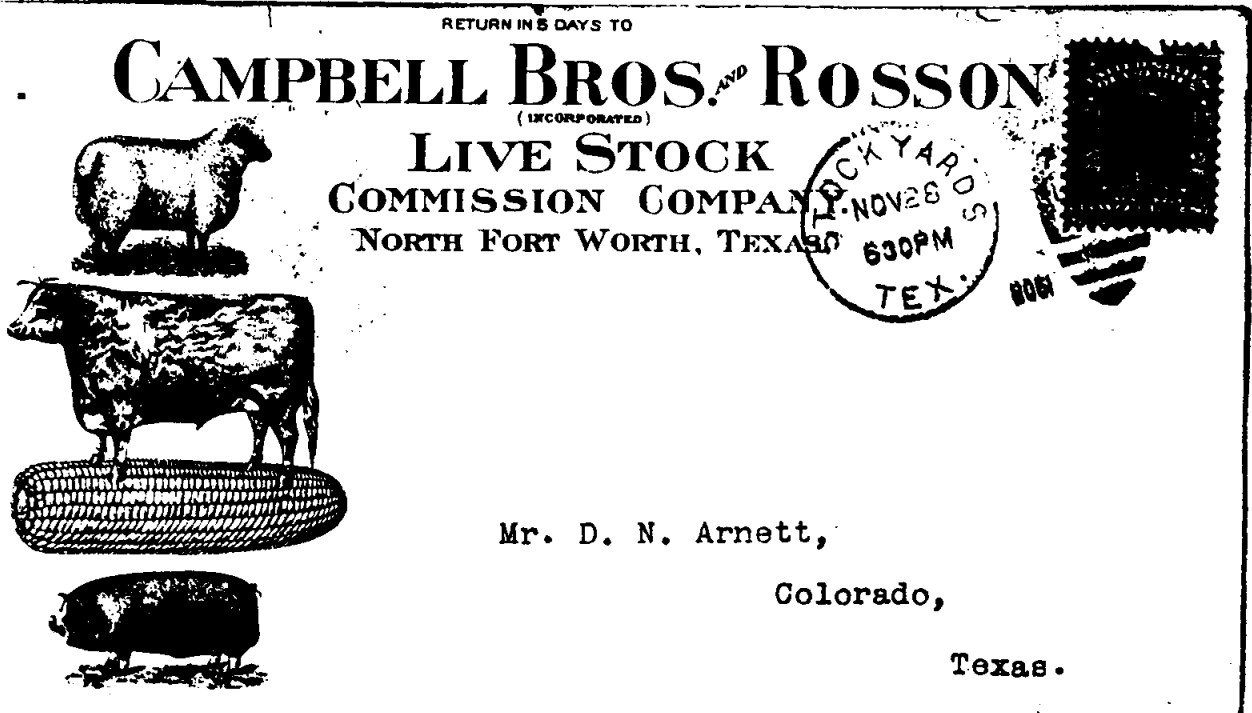
Cleburne,

Johnson Co.,

TEXAS.

Fig. 1

The Figure 1 example bears a corner card legend from the LONE STAR PUBLISHING HOUSE of Houston, Texas and is franked with a pair of #210s, each canceled with a lone "star" fancy cancel. The matching postmark is from HOUSTON, TEX. and is dated AUG 30 8 AM. Fancy Cancels are not all that plentiful from the "Lone Star State," so this cover merits a "double star" rating!



Mr. D. N. Arnett,

Colorado,

Texas.

Fig. 2

The illustration of a sheep, cow, and pig, all stockyard animals, provides an appealing "match" with the STOCK YARDS TEX. postmark shown in Figure 2. The animals are part of the advertising of the CAMPBELL BROS. AND ROSSON LIVE STOCK COMMISSION COMPANY of North Fort Worth, Texas. The duplex postmark is dated Nov 28/ 6 30 PM and has an inverted 1908 year date. The 6-bar ellipse with an encircled numeral 1 in the center ties a #319 to the cover. The COLORADO, TEX receiving mark on the back is dated Nov/29/10 AM/1908.

The Stock Yards Post Office is not listed in the Postal History Handbook by Charles Deaton, but it is listed in the Post Office Guides as an Independent Station of Fort Worth. I am indebted to Nonie Green for the information she found in the Handbook of Texas, which states this post office was on the grounds of a 253 acre site which contained the buildings of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show. This site was located at what is now North Main and Exchange Avenue.

The 19th Century Postal Markings of Austin, Texas

by William H.P. Emery and Edward B.T. Glass

Almost a century and a half have elapsed since the first letters began to leave the capital city of Austin. Yet, for all these years of postal service there exists only occasional and fragmentary studies that document the postal history of Austin during this era. The early period dealing with the Republic of Texas is perhaps the best documented. Newsom's article titled, "The Postal System of the Republic of Texas," published in 1916, followed by Konwiser's, "Texas Republic Postal System " in 1933, and Day's "Texas Post Office Papers 1836-40" published in 1966, provide a number of references to Austin's postal service. Most of the information relating to 19th century postal service in Austin remains filed in various archives, without complete or adequate indexing.

This study represents only one, very specialized, aspect of the total story. It is offered as a preliminary effort, to list and illustrate the postmarks used in the Austin post office from its establishment in 1839 to 1900.

The present list of Austin postmarks has been compiled from examination of over 300 19th century covers. About 30% of these covers contained dated enclosures, receipt docketing, or year dates in the hand-stamped postmark. This distribution of dated covers throughout the accumulation allowed us to compile a record of the earliest and latest use seen for each different type of postmark. With regard to the determination of postmark types as shown in the present catalogue, it should be noted that many postmarks appear quite similar, and only after careful examination can it be determined that they were struck from different devices. We found that careful measurement of 1) the outer rim, 2) the character size, and 3) the character spacing, made possible the determination of most major postmark types. However, the systematic arrangement of a series of undated covers within a particular type is much more subjective. It involves subtle changes in the fixed characters of each postmark caused by wear, damage, or ink and dust accumulation. Occasionally variants are created when a postal clerk failed to insert the complete character slug, or inserted it in an inverted position. During the 1850's, color changes in the stamp pad ink caused a number of subtypes to be produced.

Compiling postmark information, even as limited as that appearing in this article, is usually time consuming and rarely is possible to accomplish with one individual's cover accumulation. Many of the types shown in this study do not reside in the collections of the authors, but were loaned by various individuals for study. We would like to express our sincere thanks to all who have so graciously assisted us in this effort.

Among those who have contributed one or more covers to the compilation of 19th century Austin postmarks are: Jim Alexander, Gordon Bleuler, Charles Deaton, Gordon Hyatt, Edward Leissner, Wm. McDaniel, Royce Walston, and Ken Wukasch.

Finally, we have appended to the catalogue of 19th century postal markings a list of Austin postmarks responsible for the mails during this era.

Postmasters of 19th Century
Austin, Texas

Republic of Texas March, 1836 - Feb., 1846

A.C. Hyde

Aug., 1840 - Dec., 1841

Wm. H. Abell	Jan., 1842 - Feb., 1842
Samuel G. Haynie	Feb., 1842 - Feb., 1846
Statehood	Feb., 1846
John D. McLeod	May 22, 1846
Samuel G. Haynie	August 15, 1846
Benjamin F. Johnson	March 15, 1852
" " "	March 22, 1853
William Rust	March 17, 1857
" "	May 10, 1858
" "	July 10, 1861
" "	April 18, 1862
William P. DeNormandie	June 23, 1865
" " "	July 27, 1866
Swante Palm	September 24, 1867
" "	December 21, 1867
Henry B. Kinney	July 24, 1872
" " "	December 12, 1872
" " "	December 20, 1876
Paul M. Ruthnauff	December 22, 1880
Phillip M. Ruthrauff	February 16, 1881
Jacob C. DeGress	June 15, 1881
" " "	October 15, 1881
John O. Johnson	October 5, 1885
" " "	January 13, 1886
Jacob C. DeGress	October 16, 1889
" " "	December 20, 1889
George B. Limpelman	December 19, 1893
William B. Brush	June 14, 1898 - 1900

A-1a



Sep.-1841
Oct.-1842

34mm

A-1b

-7-



Jul.-1842
Sep.-1842

34mm

A-1c



Sep.-1842
Unknown

34mm

ms.

*Austin
Dec 1845*

-1843
Dec.-1845

A-2a



Mar.-1846
Jun.-1847

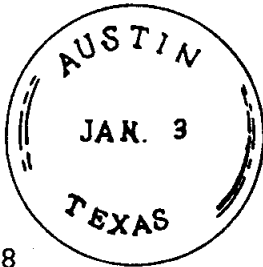
34mm

A-2b



Aug.-1847
Dec.-1847 Blue
ms. date 34mm

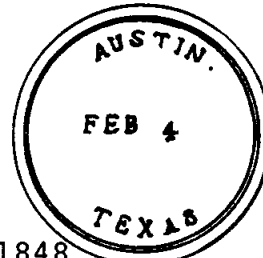
A-2c



Jan.-1848
Unknown

34mm

A-3a



Feb. 1848
Unknown Small
date 34mm

A-3b



Jun.-1848
Sep.-1849 34mm

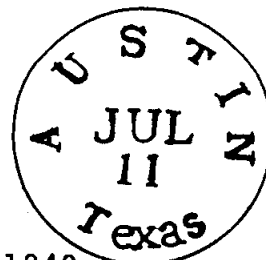
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Unknown

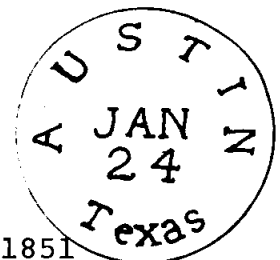
34mm

A-4a



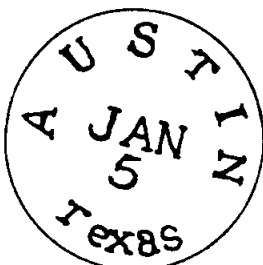
Nov.-1849
Feb.-1858 Black 34mm

A-4b



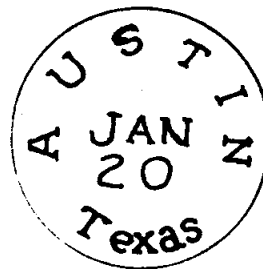
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Mar.-1852 Red 34mm

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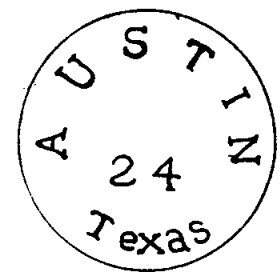
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Sep.-1854 Blue 34mm

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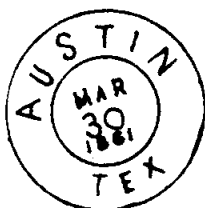
Jan.-185-
Unknown Green 34mm

A-5



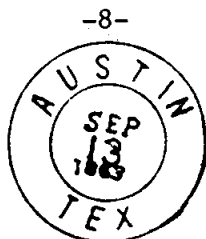
Unknown 34mm

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Mar.-1860
Apr.-1862 26+14mm

A-7



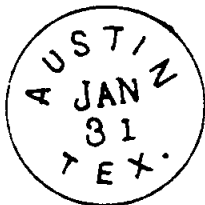
Sep.-1863
Jan.-1865 26+15mm

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Aug.-1866
Nov.-1873 24mm

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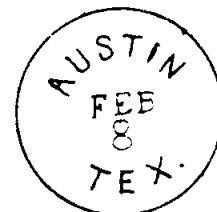
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Aug.-1872 26mm

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Apr.-1872
Nov.-1873 25mm

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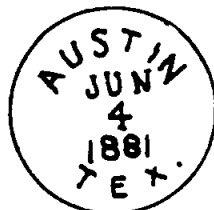
Jan. 1874
Mar.-1877 27mm

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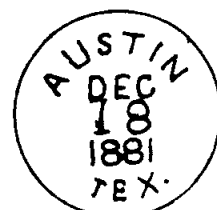
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Jan.-1881 26mm

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Apr.-1881
Oct.-1881 27mm

A-14



Nov.-1881
Dec.-1881 27mm

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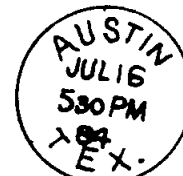
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Sep.-1883 27mm

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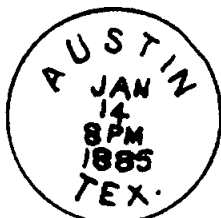
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Aug.-1884 23mm

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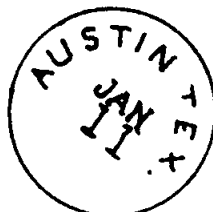
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Aug.-1884 23mm

A-18



Jan.-1885
Apr.-1885 28mm

A-19



Jan.-1885
Unknown 27mm

A-20



Sep.-1885
Nov.-1885 23mm

A-21



Jun.-1886
Nov.-1886

28mm

A-22



Feb.-1886
Apr.-1886

24mm

A-23



Jul. 1886
Unknown

22mm

A-24



May-1887
Unknown

28mm

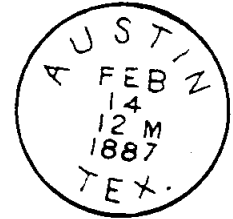
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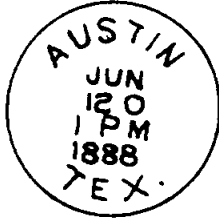
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Feb.-1889

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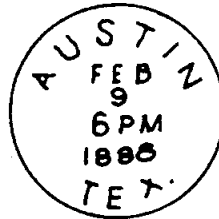
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Apr.-1888
Aug.-1888

28mm

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Feb.-1888
Unknown

28mm

A-29



Nov.-1888
Unknown

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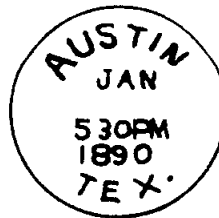
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Nov.-1889

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Jan.-1890
Unknown

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A-32



Aug.-1890
Unknown

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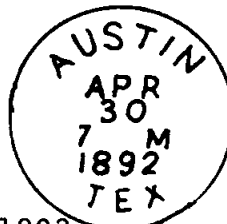
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Jan.-1891
Sep.-1891

26mm

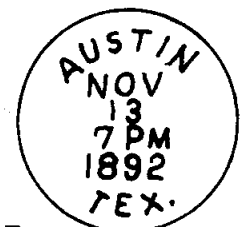
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Apr.-1892
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29mm

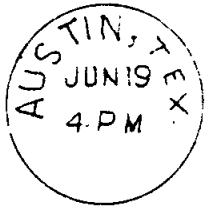
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Nov.-1892
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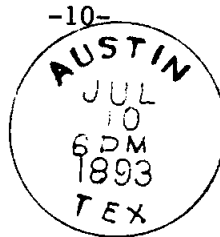
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Jun.-1892
Unknown

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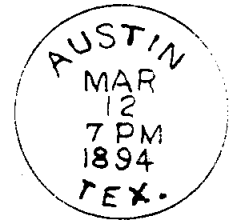
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Jan.-1893
Dec.-1893

28mm

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Jan.-1894
Jun.-1894

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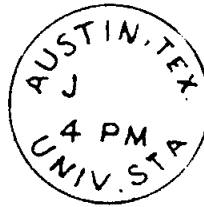
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Aug.-1894
Nov.-1894

26mm

A-40



Jan.-1895
Unknown

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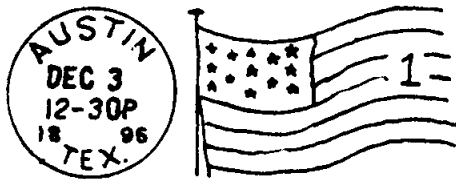
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Mar.-1896
Nov.-1896

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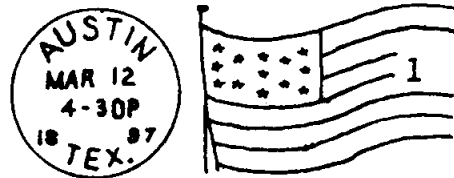
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Dec.-1896
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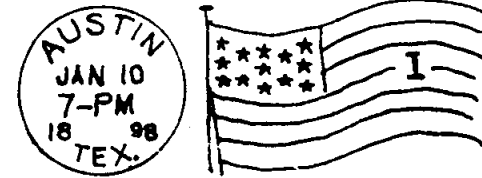
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Mar.-1897
Jul.-1897

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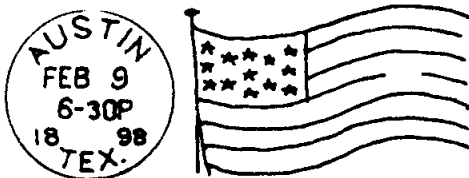
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Jan.-1898
Dec.-1898

22mm

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Feb,-1898
May -1898

22mm

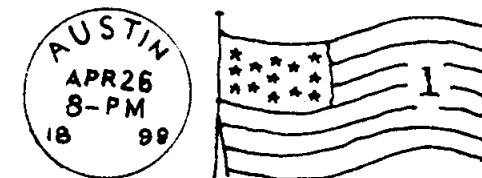
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Oct.-1898
Unknown

25mm

A-46



Apr.-1899
Unknown

22mm

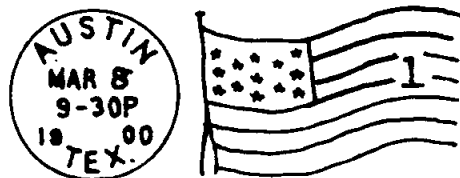
A-47



Apr.-1899
Oct.-1899

25mm

A-48



Mar.-1900
Unknown

22mm

A-49



Apr.-1900
Oct.-1900

25mm

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1983 MEMBERSHIP

- ALEXANDER, James R., 5825 Caldwell, Waco, Tx. 76710. Tel. 817-772-3857
Waco Village, McLennan Co., Bosque Co., Coryell Co., Bell Co., Falls
Co., Limestone Co., and Hill Co.
- ALEXANDER, Thomas J., 502 Commerce Bank Bldg., 922 Walnut, Kansas City,
Mo. 64106. Classic U.S., Stamps and Covers prior to 1865
- ASHMORE, Sherman M., 602 East 42nd St., Austin, Tx. 78751. Tel. 512-459-7845.
1936 Centennial Tx. Covers.
- BASSOUS, Sam, Box 3235, Corpus Christi, Tx. 78404. Tel. 512-853-6403.
- BAUER, William H., Box 1449, Spring, Tx. 77373.
Colo. Post. Hist., Ill. Post. Hist., Otsego Co., N.Y.
- BEALS, David T., III, 210 Santa Fe Trail, Kansas City, Mo. 64145
U.S. Military and Western Post. Hist.
- BEARD, Brad A., 2030 Quenby Rd., Houston, Tx. 77005. Tel. 713-529-8658
- BERRY, Charles C., 522 Heidrich, Houston, Tx. 77018. Tel. 713-692-0458
- BLEULER, Gordon G., 2115 Barberry Dr., Dallas, Tx. 75211. Tel. 214-942-4109.
Post. Hist. of Tx., Okla., and Indian Terr., Civil War, 19th Cent. U.S.
- BOARDMAN, Lyle C., 2208 Brookhill, Austin, Tx. 78745. Tel. 512-442-1198.
- BOBBITT, Ottis C., 3325 Trinity Ave., San Angelo, Tx. 76904. Tel. 915-949-6918.
Columbians.
- BOWMAN, James, P.O. Box 226, Lubbock, Tx. 79408. Tel. 806-765-6021.
C.S.A., and Tex. Post. Hist.
- BOYD, Ernest M., 2711 Lynn, Big Spring, Tx. 79720. Tel. 267-6871.
C.S.A., and early Hopkins Co. Covers
- BURDICK, Richard L., B-Bar-B Ranch, Rosanky, Tx. 78953. Tel. 512-396-5801.
- BUTLER, Glenn J., Box 28757, Dallas, Tx. 75228. Tel. 218-327-0626.
19th Cent. Tx. Post. Hist.
- BYNE, Richard H., 7518 Buckskin Lane, San Antonio, Tx. 78227. Tel. 512-674-1146.
C.S.A.
- CAMP, Larry W., 11814 Coursey Blvd., Suite 105, Baton Rouge, La. 70816.
Tex. Post. Hist., C.S.A. (Carthage and Gainesville)
- CASEBIER, Cecil Lang, Jr., 2103 Newfield Ln., Austin, Tx. 78703. Tel. 512-474-9575
- CHERNS, Larry, 6 Arvona Dr., St. Catharines, Ontario, Canada L2T 3J4.
19th Cent. U.S., Canada, and U.S. Post. Hist. Covers.

COHEN, Norman A., P.O. Box 29543, Dallas, Tx. 75229. Tel. Bus. 218-638-0588,
H. 214-661-1196. 1936 Centennial Covers.

CONNALLY, David, 1842 Hollister Dr., Houston, Tx. 77080. Tel. 713-465-4119.

COSENTINI, George, 10826 Sageberry, Houston, Tx. 77089. Tes. 713-481-0242

CROSBY, Joe H., 6943 So. Olive Way, Englewood, Co. 80112.

DALLAS PUBLIC LIB., Periodicals Asst., 1515 Young St., Dallas, Tx. 75201.

DAYWITT, Robert K., 4301 Memorial Dr., Waco, Tx. 76711.

DEATON, Charles, 7273 Brompton, Houston, Tx. 77025. Tel. 713-661-9801.
Dealer in Tex. Post. Hist., Mexico, and U.S. Covers.

DELANO, William G., Jr., 326 Byrnes, San Antonio, Tx. 78209. Tel. 512-828-0205.

EISERMAN, Mrs. Fred (Monte), 14359 Chadbourne, Houston, Tx. 77079. Tel. 713-497-2655.
FDC's, Ind. Terr. Covers, 1936 Centennial.

EKENSTAM, Fred., 1009 S. Aspen Ct., Broken Arrow, Ok. 74012. Tel. 918-258-9728.
Tx. RFD's, Postmaster & Co. Cancels, Postcards before 1900.

EMERY, Dr. Wm. H., 1421 Schulle Dr., San Marcos, Tx. 78666. Tel. 512-392-2827.
19th Cent. Tex. Post. Hist.

FIETSAM, Henry J., 212 W. 15th, P.O. Box 637, Shiner, Tx. 77984. Tel. 512-594-3376.

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