

A Talk
on the Early Postal History of Lancaster County, Virginia
for

The Lancaster Virginia Historical Society

at

Kilmarnock, Va.

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Audience Handout

Early Post Offices of Lancaster County, Virginia

Armitageville 1860-1866
Kilmarnock 1805-1859+
Lancaster C. H. 1798-1859+
Litwalton 1843-1859+
Nuttsville 1819-1843
Lively Oak 1835, 1849-1859+
Merry Point 1837-1847, 1857-1859
Payne's Crossroads 1831-1835
White Stone 1831-1859+

Lancaster Co.

*Lancaster Co.
August 23rd 1823*

1. Ms. Black 23 Aug 23

*Lanc. Co. Va.
July 22nd 1826*

2. Ms. Black 22 Jul 26

3. C11 V^a 30mm Blue St USA U9



4. 30mm Black 61

Lancaster C. H.
(Pop. 75)

<u>Appointed</u>	<u>Postmaster</u>
Ca. 98	?
23 Feb 11	Walter B. Waddy
1 Jan 16	James Brent
19 Jun 20	Richard Payne
16 Feb. 25	William Danbridge
24 Feb 26	William T. Jesse
9 Jan 27	William Danbridge
12 Aug 29	Robert S. Brent
30 Oct 30	William Danbridge
13 Sep 31	James Brent
2 Mar 33	Marcellas H. Greene
17 May 33	William B. Gill
23 Nov 35	Samuel Downing, Jr.
23 Jun 38	James E. Woodey
29 May 43	Warner Eubank
2 Dec 43	George R. Woodey
28 Jan 48	Lewis H. Dix
27 Dec 50	Robert Crittendom
5 Sep 55	Warner Eubank
13 Mar 57	John F. Moody
5 Jul 60	Warren W. C. George
7 Feb 66	Elizabeth Hughlett

From Virginia Postal History Society's
Catalog of Virginia Postal Markings and
Postmasters' Provisionals: Colonial - 1865

Kilmarnock
Pop. 175)

Kilmarnock
26 Feb 30

1. Ms. Black 26 Feb 30

Lancaster Co.

Appointed Postmaster

10 Aug 04 John Hall
13 Jan 16 Addison Hall
7 Mar 20 Charles Taylor
11 Jun 25 George Polivar
Continued

Lancaster Co.

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2. Ms. Black 19 Mar 33

Kilmarnock Pa
July 1 1854

3. Ms. Black 1 Feb 54

Kilmarnock Pa
Dec 20 1860

4. Ms. Black 20 Dec 60

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Kilmarnock

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31 Jul 26 Morris Emanuel
25 May 29 Joseph Tapscott
15 Jan 33 John A. Reed
11 Apr 36 Addison Hall
29 Jul 46 Warner Eubank
30 Dec 47 George R. Waddy
30 Dec 48 Warner Eubank
16 Oct 49 Thomas W. Meredith
30 Jul 58 Discontinued
19 Aug 58 William L. Glascock
27 Jan 59 Samuel P. Gresham
1 Nov 59 Robert W. Rogers
25 Jun 60 Thomas H. Hunton
7 Feb 66 Camille P. Stoneham

Lancaster ^{Va} Feb 19 50
Benjamin Jones
Northenburgh County
Virginia
Take to the post office in
Lancaster and then by the post
to Northenburgh post office

UNITED STATES

Lancaster Court House

Feb. 19, 1799

ms.

50¢

From: Richard Hunley

Low St House
8th Dec 1821

1821

Office
R Payne ~~pm~~

PAID

Reverend Henry Furlong
Whiting
VOC

UNITED STATES

Leicester, C. H., Vt.

Dec. 8, 1821

Postmaster Free

From: Richard Payne

Lancaster, @H
August 23^d 1823

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Ms. 1023

William P. Stone Esq.

Port Tobacco

Mary^d

UNITED STATES

Lancaster Court House

Aug. 23, 1823 (VPHS listing Copy #1)

ms.

12 1/2 4

From: John Meredith

Dear Mother & you
Feb 21st 1850

Paid 10

John D. Mc Gill esq.

Covington
Kentucky

1850

UNITED STATES

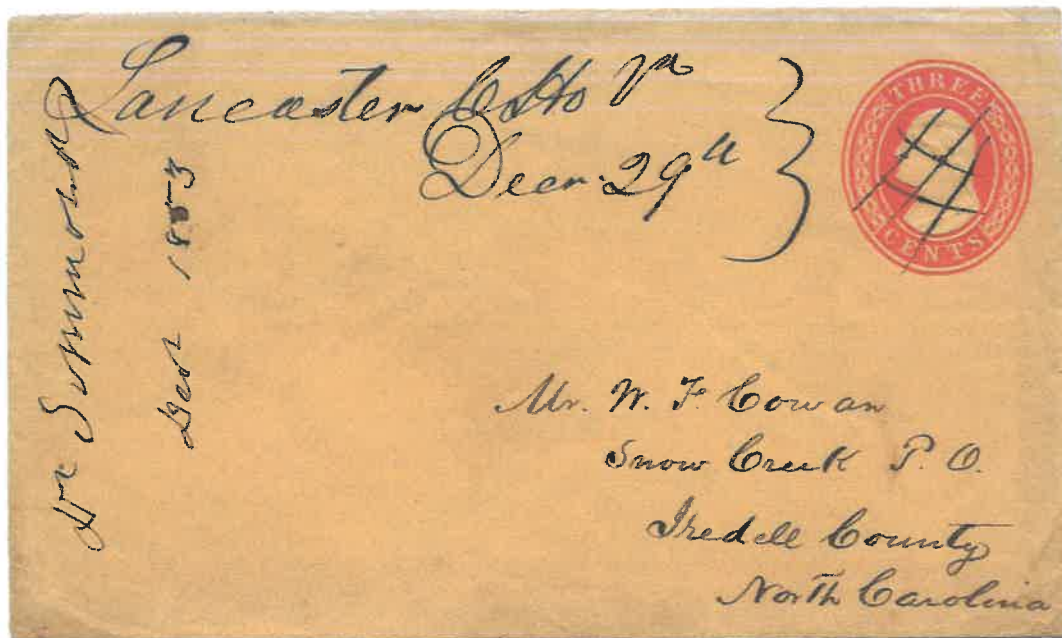
Lancaster Court House

Feb. 21, 1850

ms.

Paid 104

From: Samuel Gresham



UNITED STATES

Lancaster, C. H., Va. - Lancaster Co.

Dec 29, 1853

Scott # U10 type Nesbitt Envelope

To: Mr. W. F. Cowan

Snow Creek P.O. - Iredell Co., N.C.



1891
1892
Edwin Brown Esq
Mechanic Church

UNITED STATES
Lancaster Court House
April 28, 1860 (circz)
U



CONFEDERATE STATES

Lancaster Court House

Jan. 23, 1863 (circz)

Pair #7

Lancaster C.H. Va
Feb 2nd 71



Rev. Jos. H. Davis.
Care of Prof. Wm. A. Shepard,
Ashland, Va.

UNITED STATES

Lancaster C.H., Va - Lancaster Co.

Feb. 2, 1871

Ms. Postmark

Scott # U

To Rev. Joseph H. Davis
% Professor William A. Shepard
Ashland, Va.

KILMARNOCK 1821
Nov. 16th
1821
Jas. Meredith
No. 105-3
William B. Stone, Esq.
Port Tobacco,
Maryland.

UNITED STATES

Kilmarnock, Va. - Lancaster Co

Nov. 16, 1821

Ms. Postmark

Ms. 18 1/2 4

To: William B. Stone, Esq.
Port Tobacco, Md.

From: John Meredith

Single

18 1/2

Kilmarnock Jan 30th

To
William B. Stone, Esquire,

Port Tobacco,

Maryland.

UNITED STATES

Kilmarnock, Va - Lancaster Co.

Jan. 30, 1824

Ms. Postmark

Ms. 18 1/2

To: William B. Stone, Esqr.
Port Tobacco, Md

From: John Meredith

Kilmarnock Va
July 13 1837

10

Mr. Abraham L. Burwell
Hon. Mr. Burwell Richmond Court House
be out of the way because
he requested me to ask Mr. Taylor Va
to forward this letter to him

UNITED STATES

Kilmarnock, Va - Lancaster Co.

Feb 13, 1837

Ms. Postmark

Ms. 10

To: Mr. Abraham L. Burwell, Richmond C.H., Va.

From: Ralph Edmund

Dated in ed "Indian Creek"

Kilmarnock V^c
Nov. 17th 3

Paid 5

Doc. R. A. Christian

Urbanna

Middlesex

1845

KILMARNOCK

Nov. 17, 1845

Ms. Paid 5¢

From: Addison Hall

Kilmarnock
Oct 30th 1858



Miss Mary F. Demaray
Lynch Co Va
Lancaster County
Va

UNITED STATES

Kilmarnock, Va - Lancaster Co.

Oct. 30, 1858

Scott # 26

Kilmarnock, Va
Aug 28/66

No. 65



Secretary of "Beltourt Lodge"
Gloucester C. H.
Gloucester Co
Va

UNITED STATES - RECONSTRUCTION

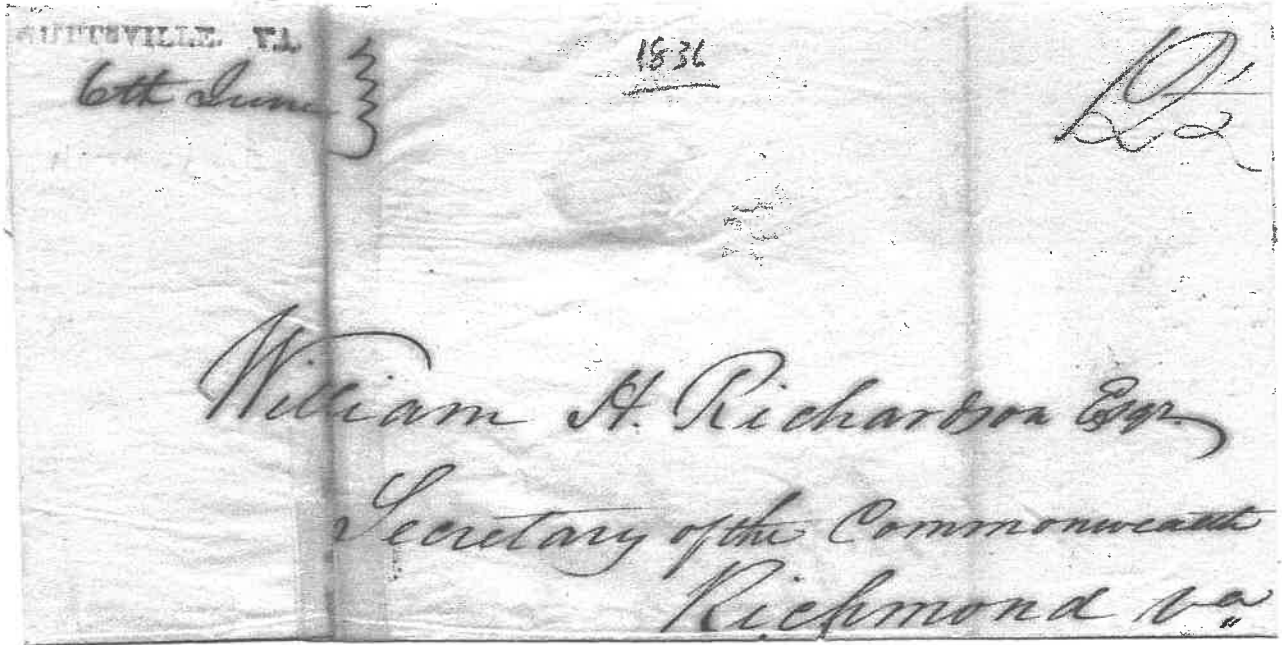
Kilmarnock, Va - Lancaster Co.

Aug. 28, 1866

Ms. Postmark

Scott #

To: Secretary of "Beltourt Lodge"
Gloucester C. H., Gloucester Co., Va.



UNITED STATES

Nuttsville, Va. - Lancaster Co.
(Changed to Litwinton in 1843)

June 6, 1836 (VPHS histing Copy #1)

Unpaid 12 1/2¢

Rare Straightline Postmark!



CONFEDERATE STATES

Richmond, Va

Sept. 22, 1863 or 1864

Powell type - Black

Scott # 12

To : Miss Mary F. Dunaway
Nuttsville, Lancaster Co., Va.

Ms. : Mr. G will please forward this R.W.D.



UNITED STATES

Litwalton, Va - Lancaster Co.

Dec. 25, 1857 circa

Ms. Postmark

Scott type U10

To: Messrs. McConkey Parr & Co.
Merchants, Baltimore

Merry Point
Sept 3/59



Mr. William P Flint
Culpepper Court House
Virginia

UNITED STATES

Merry Point, Va - Lancaster Co.

Sept. 3, 1859.

Ms. Postmark

Scott # 26.

To : Mr. William P. Flint
Culpepper Court House, Va.

White Stone
Sept 4 / 1856
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Dr. Jos. A. Flippo
Flippo's P.O.
Caroline County
Va.

UNITED STATES

White Stone, Va. - Lancaster Co

Sept. 4, 1856

Ms. Postmark

Scott #11

To : Dr. Joseph A. Flippo
Flippo's P.O., Caroline Co., Va.

From : Father - Dated lined - Lebanon
Great letter - Talker of Sale of Corrotoman



UNITED STATES

White Stone, Va. - Lancaster Co.

March 29, 1878 - Scott #

Circle Postmark - 24mm - Black

To : Mrs. B. F. Johnson
Box 257
Richmond, Va.