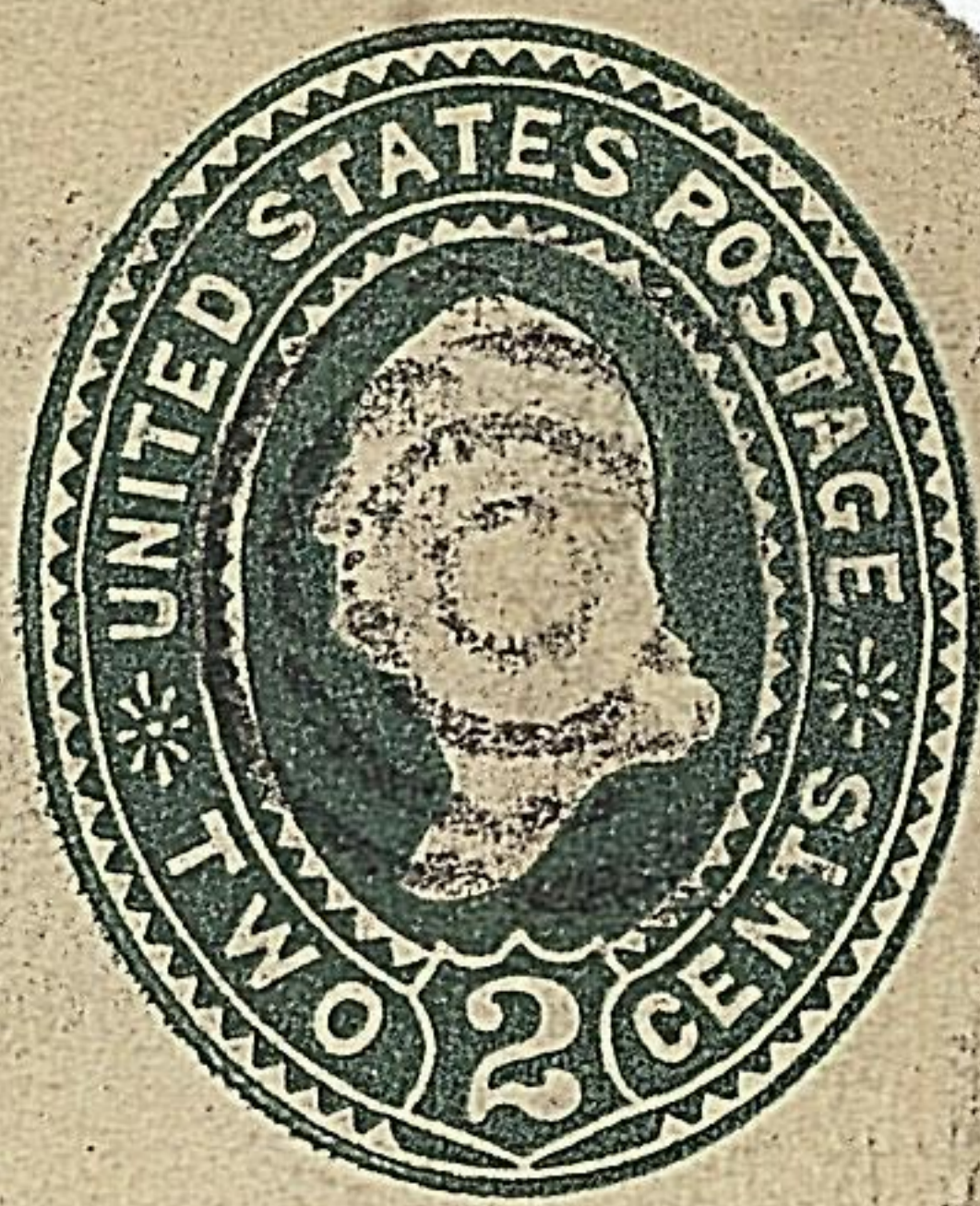


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July 22, '91.

Mr. E. B. Emory
Centerville, Md.

My dear Sir:

Both your letters came July 17th and should have had attention before now but I have been too busy to give it to them.

I am afraid I will be compelled to wait awhile in regard to the mare, as I am not prepared just at present to make the deal.

Three hundred dollars for the mare and one hundred dollars for the stud fee is a little too steep for me just now.

However if you saw a mare that you really considered was what I want I suppose I could manage it, with a few days notice.

I am not particular that the mare should be bred in the top of the fashion or that she should have speed, as I