

The Western Branch of the Adams & Co was started in ^{September} ~~November~~ of 1849.

The company discontinued ^{Feb'y 23} ~~in~~ 1855.

Some of The earliest types of Adams & Co franko are -

A - A shield

B - A circular seal

C - A picture of Mercury.

Preliminary Types

A.



Color Red - on plain buff envelopes. Date 1852

B



Color dark blue on plain buff envelope - Date Mch 5. 1853

C