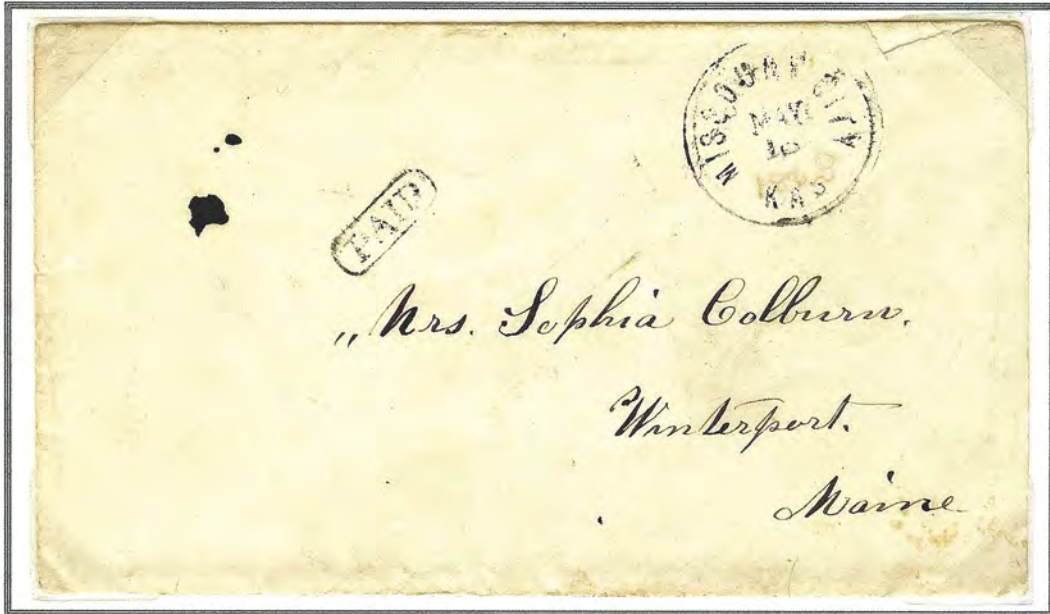


KANSAS TERRITORY ~ 1859

Gold Is Discovered

Missouri City, K. T.



Missouri City, Kas. ~ May 18, 1861

Letter to Mrs. Sophia Colburn, Winterport, Maine with small circle round date postmark, and oval "Paid" stamp. This datestamp was soon replaced in June of 1861.

Mountain City, K. T.



Mountain City, K. T. ~ September 22, (1860)

Letter to Mr. Samuel A. Hart, Kensington, Connecticut, with manuscript cancel on 3 cent red Nesbitt with minor double impression. Post office opened January 17, 1860.