

Upper Half

FOR The WARD Cover

See The National Philatelic  
Museum Book

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1851 - 1857

Centenary

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Re - 12451 Bisect Cover  
Emerson 1938 - Sale  
Phil Ward Jr Wrote July 2 1952

Regarding the Emerson cover with the strip of four 1¢  
1851 and split 12¢, would advise that I find this is in my personal collection.  
I have recollection of selling it to someone possibly ten years ago and when  
I acquired his collection at the time he sold out, I then put it into my own  
lot, where it has been ever since. It is at home, hence I cannot give you  
details as to the cancellations, etc., but if you say I acquired it at the Emerson  
Sale I imagine the details are present <sup>as the Catalog</sup> as to dates. I do remember buying it at  
a New York Sale and F. H. Tows was present. He wanted it to go with his Cuban  
collection as the letter originated in Cuba and the stamps paying the 10¢ rate  
from New York to Canada were added after it reached the former city. If you  
say so, I will send it to you for photographing.

Upper Right Half

Emerson Sale

Oct 19 1937

To WARD @ \$400<sup>00</sup>

12¢ 1851 Bisect - 10¢ Rate Cuba To Canada AUG 7 1851

Lot 78 - Upper right diagonal half of 12¢ black used as 6¢ with horizontal strip of four 1¢ blue Type II, to pay the 10¢ rate from Cuba, via New York to Canada. The bisected stamp and the strip are tied by the New York postmark. Mailed from Havana Aug. 7, arrived in N.Y. Aug. 21 and delivered in Quebec Aug. 24, 1851. Probably the earliest known use of a bisected 12¢ stamp. The strip is a bit cut into, nevertheless a remarkably fine cover.

Sold @ \$400.00 WARD

Kelleher Sale of the Emerson Collection  
Oct. 19, 1937.

Upper Right Half

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
Sale of The  
BARRY Collection

By Nassau Stamp Co

Apr 1914

Stated To Be

From The "Spiegelberg  
Collection"

1851 - 124 Bisect with  1451 To Quebec Canada

Lot 84 - diagonal half used as 6c, on entire cover, with horizontal strip of four 1c blue, to make 10c rate to Quebec, Can., black "New York" postmark falls on stamps and cover, and covers all sides of the bisect, an exceptionally fine and very rare combination from the F. Spiegelberg collection.


Nassau Stamp Co Sale of The  
~~J. C. Morgenthau & Co. Sale of March 30-31, 1914~~  
Sold @ \$61.00

Barry Collection

Apr 2 - 3 - 1914

Upper Right Half  
in Sale of The

"Spiegelberg Collection"  
By J.C. Morgenthau & Co  
Jan 10 1911

1851-124 Bisect plus 14  To Quebec N.Y. Aug 21 1851

Lot 15 - Upper Right Diagonal Half of 12c used as 6c on original, together with horizontal strip of 4 of 1c blue Type II (31), making 10c rate from New York, Aug. 21, 1851, to Quebec; the bisect is in finest possible condition, the New York cancellation covering it on all sides. A great rarity in this condition; from W.A. Smith Collection.

J.C.Morgenthau & Co. Sale of the Spiegelberg collection of Jan. 10, 1911.

Price ?

Sale Price Was 43<sup>00</sup>

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