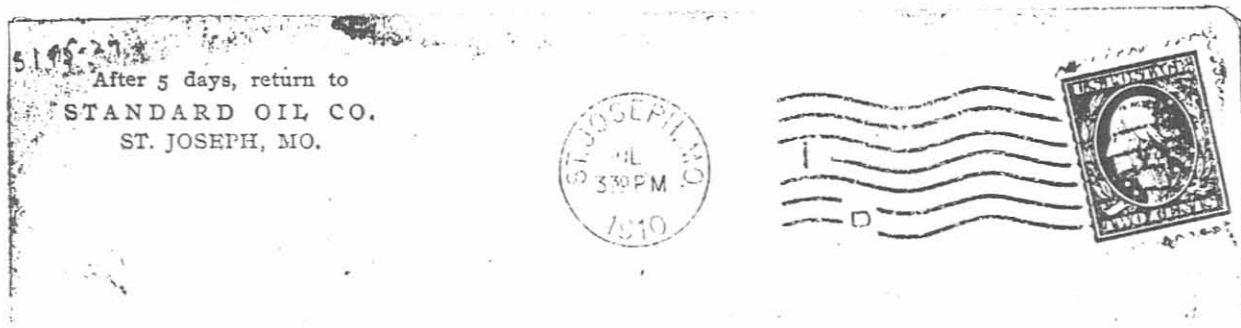


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The "SO" of the Standard Oil Company's perfin pattern S195 along with the two control holes in the letter "O" that distinguish pattern S195-29 are evident on the two cent red Washington stamp on the cover strip shown at the bottom of page 65. The clear St. Joseph, MO, July 1910, cds and the

corner card confirm the Saint Louis, Missouri location for perfin pattern S195-29 which up until now has not been listed in *The Catalog of United States Perfins*. A photocopy has been forwarded to John M. Randall, the US Catalog Editor for evaluation.